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will stand by the measure which we think is calculated for that purpose. But it is impossible for me to say more except this: that in bringing forward that measure we shall expect to carry it, and we shall not remain except we can.

The closing announcement of his lordship, that the Government were determined to stand or fall with their measure, was apparently received with satisfaction by the deputation, who then withdrew.

THE JAMAICA MISSIONS.

In addition to the gentlemen whose names have been already announced as having been sent by different bodies to Jamaica to watch the proceedings of the commission, and to inquire into the condition of the island, Mr. William Morgan, solicitor, and formerly town clerk of Birmingham, has just gone out to represent the anti-Slavery Society of London.

We (*Leeds Mercury*) announce with much pleasure that our respected townsmen, Mr. Thomas Harvey, and Mr. William Brewin, of Cirencester, will sail for Jamaica by the next mail steamer. They go out on a mission of inquiry, with the sanction and under the encouragement of the Society of Friends. It will be remembered that Mr. Harvey was the companion of the late Joseph Sturge on his philanthropic visit to the West Indies 29 years ago. The special object of this second visit to the largest of our West India possessions is to form as accurately as possible a comparative view of the state of the population now with that which presented itself to the observation of the travelers in 1837. We look for the results of this comparison with deep interest. All who know our fellow townsman will agree with us that no one could have been chosen better fitted than he by impartiality and soundness of judgment, by scrupulous regard or truth, as well as by an intelligent benevolence, for ascertaining the difference between the religious, social and material condition of Jamaica in 1837 and in 1866. Mr. Harvey and his colleague go with no idea whatsever of "making out a case" for the negroes any more than for the owners of estates and employers of labor, or the Jamaica Assembly itself. Their simple object is the truth (for or against whomsoever it may tell), in order that thus a proper foundation may be laid for future legislative or individual efforts in behalf of the real interests of all classes in the island. Doubtless they do not flatter themselves with the belief of being the only persons to throw light on the causes of the present lamentable state of Jamaica, wholly irrespective of recent proceedings; but they will have great advantages. Mr. Harvey can compare what he saw 29 years ago with what he sees now, and the results he reports, with his opinion, of their causes, may materially aid statesmen and others while seeking to place Jamaica in a position to become prosperous, and so bring its population into relations of harmony and mutual confidence.

France.

The *Moniteur*, on its bulletin, says: Order has not been again disturbed in any part of Spain. Perfect tranquillity prevails in Andalusia. The Government having effected the disarmament of detachments of troops at several points of the kingdom and arrested several officers, has now declared that it is certain of being able to maintain its authority.

The *Moniteur du Soir* publishes advices from Spain, stating that Gen. Prim had gone to the mountains which separate the valleys of the Tagus and Guadiana. He had, therefore, abandoned the attempt to cross the Tagus, and was within three days' march of Portugal.

A telegram from St. Nazaire of Jan. 13, says: The mail steamer Nouveau Monde has arrived here with $1,000,000 in specie.

Intelligence from Vera Cruz announces that commercial affairs had been resumed, the condition of the roads having improved.

The *Independance Belge*, which had been prohibited by the Minister of the Interior from entering France, will be re-admitted into France on Feb. 1.

The decline in the price of flour continued on Monday and Tuesday, but a recovery has taken place, and the baker's flour is now quoted at 5fr. 75 centimes.

The Paris Bourse remains firm, and Rentes closed on Monday at 68f. 57 centimes.

A telegram from Paris of Jan. 15 says: According to letters received here from Madrid, intelligence had reached that city asserting that Admiral Pareja, commander of the Spanish squadron off the Chilian coast, had committed suicide.

Switzerland.

A telegram from Berne of Jan. 15 says: The voting upon the revision of the Federal Constitution proceeded yesterday. Up to the present, 6 cantons may be considered favorable to the revision, 9 as rejecting it, and 6 undecided.

Spain.

A dispatch from Madrid of Jan. 12 says: The latest official dispatches state that the insurgents continue to fly toward the Portuguese frontier, having abandoned the high road in order to follow the mountain passes, where cavalry are only able to march in single file. One of the five officers who held a command among the insurgents has surrendered to Gen. Zabala. Every day stragglers are coming in to the Royal troops. It is supposed that Gen. Prim intends debouching at Talavera de la Regna, in order to cross Estramadura, and thus make for the Portuguese frontier; but this supposition is somewhat impaired by the fact that the bridges and fords, both on the Tagus and the Guadiana, are in the hands of the Royal troops.

A telegram of Jan. 13 says: Yesterday the insurgents were at Aldea Nueva endeavoring to cross the Tagus. It is officially stated that public order is maintained throughout the country. The latest official dispatches state that Gen. Prim passed the night of the 12th at Velbas de Para. He is marching through the mountain defile of St. Vincent, with the object of reaching the Portuguese frontier by way of Lower Estramadura. His army is completely routed.

The *Correspondencia* states that Marshal O'Donnell has ordered the Royal troops to pursue Gen. Prim, and force him to take refuge in Portugal, but not to attempt to capture him. Madrid has been quiet during the last two days, and the great uneasiness hitherto prevailing has subsided. A telegram from Bayonne, of Jan. 13, says: Letters from Madrid state that the Moderate party entertain hopes that Gen. Concha will shortly be intrusted with the formation of a new Cabinet.

The crowd of students who assembled at the Puerta del Sol, shouted "Long Live Prim!" "The Workingmen forever!" A feeling of uneasiness still prevails in Madrid and in the Provinces.

A telegram from Madrid, of Jan. 14, says: Gen. Prim is now in the Guadalloupe Mountains. Generals Zabala and Echaque report that they cannot descend into the valleys, and will be obliged to continue the pursuit along the hights, abandoning their horses and baggage.

Gen. Prim is stated to have deceived his soldiers by representing that Espartero directed the insurrectionary movement. The Paris *Moniteur* says: No further doubts are entertained in Madrid that Gen. Prim will be compelled either to surrender or to enter Portugal within the next three days.

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Prussia.

The session of the Prussian Chambers was opened in the White Saloon of the Royal Palace on Jan. 15, by Count Bismark, who read the speech from the throne. The King announces that bills will be brought in settling the Budget, and asking for the supplies requisite for the unchanged maintenance of the military reorganization and the increase of the navy. Supplies will also be asked for the execution of the North Sea and the Baltic Canal, and various other measures affecting home administration will be laid before the Chambers.

His Majesty expresses a confident hope that the commercial treaty with Italy will be ratified by all the States of the Zollvercin. The finances of the Kingdom are in a favorable condition. The relations of Prussia with foreign powers are satisfactory and friendly.

The Royal speech continues: By the Gastein Convention Lauenburg has been united to the Prussian Crown. It is my desire, while treating with consideration the peculiar state of things in the Duchy, to allow its inhabitants to enjoy all the advantages of the union with Prussia. The definitive decision of the future of Schleswig-Holstein has been reserved by the Gastein Convention for further consideration. By the occupation of Schleswig, and by her position in Holstein, Prussia has acquired a sufficient guaranty that the decision can only be in a sense corresponding to the interests of Germany and the claims of Prussia. Resting upon my own conviction, strengthened by the opinion of the legal advisers of the Crown, I am determined to hold fast this pledge, under all circumstances, until the desired end is attained. Conscious of being sustained by the assent of the people, I hope that the object striven for and gained will prove a point of union for all parties.

The insurgents, under Prim, are officially announced to be still retreating precipitately toward Portugal. Order prevails throughout Spain. Madrid is perfectly tranquil. No confirmation has been received here of the reported suicide of Admiral Pareja.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—In to-day's sitting of the Chamber of Deputies President Grabow and vice-Presidents von Unruh and von Bockum-Dolffs were reelected. Herr Grabow delivered the usual opening address to the House, in which he sharply criticised the language of the reactionary press, the prohibition by the Government of the Cologne banquet to the Prussian liberal deputies, and the measures which had been taken to restrict the liberties of the press, the freedom of voting of Government officials, and the meeting of political associations. Herr Grabow deplored the conflict between the Government and the Chamber on constitutional questions, a state of things which had now become chronic, and had brought political legislation to a standstill. He added that liberty was the only thing which could lead to moral conquests, to the solution of the Schleswig-Holstein question, which the Gastein Convention had but complicated, and to the Federal unity of Germany.

Italy.

A telegraph from Florence, of January 14, says: "It is stated that immediately on the reassembling of the Parliament the Ministry will bring forward proposals to reduce the budget of expenditure by about 100,000,000 lire."

A telegram from Turin, of January 15, says: "The Marquis Massimo d' Azeglio died this morning. The election at Sorcina resulted in the return of Count Arrivabene to the Italian Parliament."

India.

BOMBAY, Jan. 5.—Gray shirtings in good demand. Cotton steady. Shipments of the week, 37,000 bales. Exchange on London, 2/1½. Freights, 35/.

CALCUTTA, Jan. 4.—Manchester goods improving. Exchange on London, 2/1½. The rate of discount has been further raised 1 per cent. Freights, 45/.

Syria.

Joseph Karam, having failed in his attempt at revolt in the Lebanon, has withdrawn into a convent. His followers have solicited their pardon from Daoud Pasha.

Commercial Intelligence.

The Times's City article of Tuesday, Jan. 16, says:—The funds this morning opened at a fractional improvement, but it was not maintained. The first quotation of Consols was 87½ exactly, and the final bargains were again at 87⅜ @ 87½. In the Discount market there was no alteration. £20,000 was withdrawn from the Bank to-day for Alexandria. Pennsylvania Railroad shares declined 2½.

The Times's City Article of Wednesday, Jan. 17, says: "The heaviness of the stock markets increases, and Consols have closed to-day at a fresh decline of ¼ per cent., viz., 86⅞@ 87⅛. An increased demand for money in the Stock Exchange in connection with the half monthly foreign settlement seemed to be the chief cause of the adverse movement." The discount demand of the Bank continues moderate.

French Rentes closed flat at 68f. 45c. Erie paid up shares and Illinois Central shares improved ¼ each.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET, Jan. 15 and 16.—Market steady, prices unchanged; sales for the two days, 11,000 bales, 2,000 on speculation.

LIVERPOOL CORN MARKET, Jan. 16—Wheat, 1@2d. ⅌ central dealer. Flour firm and unchanged. Indian Corn, 6d. ⅌ qtl. dearer.

LONDON CORN MARKET, Jan. 15.—Market dull at last week's prices.

LONDON COLONIAL MARKET, Jan. 16.—Sugar dull. Tea very firm. Coffee firm. Tallow quiet at 47s@47s 6.

LATEST.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 16.—Flour dull and steady. Wheat steady; Winter Red, 10s@10s 3. Corn quiet; Mixed, 29s@29s 9.

PROVISIONS—Beef firm. Pork quiet. Bacon firm. Cheese firmer. Butter steady for fine qualities. Lard quiet and steady. Tallow steady.

PARIS, Jan. 16.—Sugar inactive. Coffee, no sales. Rice quiet and steady. Linseed Oil quiet at 39f @40f. Rosin steady; French, 14f. Spirits Turpentine inactive. Petroleum easier; Refined, 2 6@2 8.

Markets—CARFULLY REPORTED FOR THE N. Y. TRIBUNE.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 31, 1866.

ASHES have been only in moderate demand, but in prices we have no change to note; sales at $7 50@ $7 75 for Pots, and $11 50 for Pearls.

BEESWAX—Western Yellow and Southern have been in fair demand, and steady at 45@46c.

COTTON—A very good business has been done, but buyers are unwilling to pay the rates demanded, and operate rather cautiously. Prices are hardly so strong as yesterday, and close somewhat unsettled at 48@49½c. for Middlings; sales of 3,500 bales. The receipts for the week are 18,450 bales; for the month, 20,580 bales. Exports for week, 9,734 bales; and for the month, about 45,000 bales.

COFFEE—Rio Coffee remains quiet, but prices are maintained with a trifle more firmness on the lower grades; we quote Rio prime at 20½@21c., do. good, 20@ 20½c., do. fair, 18@18½c., do. ordinary, 17@17c., and do. fair to good cargoes, 18@20c., net cash, gold, duty paid. Other styles are firmer and in small supply; sales of 436 bags Laguayra on private terms; we quote Maracaibo, 21@22c.; Laguayra, 22½@23½c.; Ceylon, 23½@24c.; Domingo, 18@18½c.; Java, 28c.; and Green Java, 26c., gold.

COAL—The supply of Foreign is still light, with a good inquiry for steam and gas purposes; prices are very strong, and tend upward, and the same features have characterized the market for a long time. Domestic has been in fair demand, but at rather easier rates; the receipts have been in excess of the local and Eastern wants, and the market is unsettled and heavy; at the close we quote at $8@$10 from yard. The regular monthly auction sale of Scranton Coal came off to-day; 20,000 tuns were offered by order of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company; the sale was not as well attended as usual, and very little disposition was shown to purchase; the prices obtained are not as good, yet there is no great decline; we append the particulars:

Jan. 31, 1866—4,500 tuns Chestnut at $7 12½@$7 37½; 4,500 tuns Stove at $9 50@$9 65; 2,500 tuns Egg at $8 50@$8 75; 3,000 tuns Grate at $8 75@$9 12½; 1,500 tuns Steamboat at $9; 4,000 tuns Lump at $8@$8 37½.

Dec. 27, 1865—4,000 tuns Chestnut at $7 00@$7 75; 6,000 tuns Stove at $9 25@$9 37½; 3,500 tuns Egg at $7 87½@$8 12½; 3,500 tuns Grate at $8@$9 87½; 2,000 tuns Steamboat at $8@$9 12½; 6,000 tuns Lump at $8 @$8 25.

COPPER—American Ingot is dull but steady; sales of Lake and Baltimore at 37@38c. New Sheathing and Yellow Metal are steady at 55@60c.

CANDLES—All kinds are dull, but steady at 22@ 24c. for Adamantine, 40c. for Sperm, 50c. for Patent.

DRUGS AND DYES—The market for all articles under this heading is poorly supplied, and with a good demand prices are firmer. We quote:

Alum, ⅌ lb	4½@ 4½c.
Arsenic, Powdered, ⅌ lb	3½@ 3½c.
Balsam, Copaiva, ⅌ lb	85 @ —
Bicarb. Soda, Newcastle, ⅌ lb	10½@11½c.
Caustic, Soda, ⅌ lb	11 @11½c.
Cream Tartar, Prime (gold)	31½ @32c.
Epsom Salts, ⅌ lb	— @ 4c.
Gum Arabic, Picked, ⅌ lb (gold)	62½ @ —
Gum Arabic, Sorts, ⅌ lb	42 @ 44c.
Jalap, ⅌ lb	$2 50 @$2 55
Manna, Large Flake, ⅌ lb	— @ 1 25
Oil, Lemon, ⅌ lb (gold)	— @$3 25
Sal Soda, Newcastle, ⅌ lb	3½ @ —c.
Seneca Root, ⅌ lb	85 @ 90
Senna, ⅌ lb	24 @ 35c.
Soda Ash, ⅌ lb	10 @ 11
Sugar Lead, ⅌ lb	45 @47½c.
Vitriol Blue, ⅌ lb	10½@ 13c.

DYEWOODS—The business in both Fustic and Logwood has been extremely limited, but in prices we have no change to note.

FLOUR AND MEAL—Our market for Western and State Flour in the fore part of the week was very active, the inquiry being confined chiefly for the West Indies and South America; the arrivals were limited and prices improved, but subsequently only a moderate demand prevailed, and with large receipts the advance was lost. Holders of Spring Wheat Flour are more disposed to sell as the season advances, and this is true of unsound, which is plenty and is pressed on the market at irregular rates; Trade and Family brands have been in brisk demand, and old Flour has ruled firm with a steady reduction in the stock; the current high prices have prevented the filling of European orders, and the prospects are not favorable for large shipments this season, so large a portion of our stock being unsound. To-day (Wednesday) there has been more activity in the market, especially the medium and better grades; these have slightly improved and at the close are firm and in demand, while the low grades are dull but steady; the sales are 16,800 bbls. at $6 85@$7 25 for Superfine State; $7 80@$8 for Extra do.; $8 10@$8 45 for Fancy do.; $7 85@$8 30 for the low grades of Western Extra; $8 40@$8 85 for Shipping Ohio; $9@ $11 25 for Trade and Family do., and $11 25@$15 25 for St. Louis Extras. Canadian Flour is firm, but the business has been only to a moderate extent; sales of 275 bbls. at $7 90@$8 30 for common to fair Extra, and $8 35@$11 25 for Trade and Family brands. Southern Flour has ruled quite firm, and a fair business was done; sales of 750 bbls. at $9@$10 15 for common to fair Extra Baltimore and Country, and $10 30@ $15 50 for Trade and Family do. Rye Flour is in fair demand, but prices are lower; sales of 300 bbls. at $4 80@$5 90. Corn Meal is heavy and is more plenty; sales of 250 bbls. at $3 90@$3 95 for Jersey, and $4 50 for Brandywine.

FISH—The supply of Dry Cod is good, but in the absence of any demand prices are nominal. Mackerel are in demand and firm. Smoked Herrings are moderately active and steady. Pickled do. are dull and nominal. We quote:

Dry Cod, ⅌ cwt	$7 00@$9 25
Dry Scale, ⅌ cwt	6 50@ 6 75
Pickled Cod, ⅌ bbl	8 50@ 9 00
Mackerel, No. 1, Mass. small, ⅌ bbl	22 50@ 23 00
Mackerel, No. 2, shore, ⅌ bbl	18 00@ — —
Mackerel, No. 3, Mass. large new, ⅌ bbl	14 50@ 14 75
Salmon, Pickled, No. 1, ⅌ tce	36 00@ — —
Herring, Scaled, ⅌ box	60@ — —
Herring, No. 1, ⅌ box	50@ — —

FRUIT—The stock of foreign fruits is large, and the market is dull and somewhat unsettled; buyers generally hold off in anticipation of lower prices; the business in consequence has been only to supply immediate wants. We quote:

Raisins, layer, new ⅌ box	4 20 @4 30
Raisins, bunch, new do	4 10 @4 15
Currants, ⅌ lb	15 @ —
Citron, Leghorn, do	38 @ 40
Almonds, Provence, do	30 @ 32
Almonds, Sicily, Soft-Shell, do	26 @ 28
Almonds, Shelled, do	50 @ 52½
Sardines, ⅌ box	1 00 @ —
Sardines, ⅌ half-box	42 @ 45
Sardines, ⅌ qr. box	22 @ 24
Brazil Nuts, ⅌ lb	9 @ 9½
Filberts, Shelly, do	13 @ 14
Walnuts, French, do	13 @ 15

GRAIN—We have had a fair business in Wheat since our last, the inquiry being confined chiefly to the home and coastwise trade; the arrivals have been limited and our stock is reduced to about 100,000 bushels, and we find there is less pressure to realize. Nothing whatever has been done for export, the current prices being far above the limits of shippers' orders. In prices we note an improvement, and the principal holders of choice qualities are not offering their stocks, as only a very limited portion of our present supply can be called choice. In White Wheat very little has been done, and prices are nominal. Amber Winter has sold slowly and at variable prices. To-day (Wednesday) the market was quite firm with a fair milling demand, and but for the extreme prices insisted on, a much larger business would have been done; the sales are 16,300 bush. Amber Milwaukee at $1 74@$1 75, the lower rate in store; 1,100 Amber State at $2 45, and 6,700 White Genesee at $2 60. Barley is more active and firmer; sales of 2,560 bush. at $1 02½ for State, and $1 20 for Canada West, in store. Barley Malt is steady and in moderate demand; sales of 600 bush. State at $1 43. Oats are easier and in fair demand, but at the close there is more firmness; sales of 37,000 bush. at 73c. for Canadian; 41@49c. for inferior Western, and 57@58c. for State by the carload at the railroad depot. Rye is dull but steady; sales of 3,700 bush. State at $1 03@$1 05 in small lots in bags. Corn has been in fair demand from the trade and for export, but the business has not been large owing to scarcity of vessels; prices have declined, but with few sellers at the reduction, the more favorable news from Europe and some advance in Exchange inducing more confidence, and those able to hold have withdrawn from the market; New has fluctuated, and has sold freely; To-day (Wednesday) the market is unsettled; the demand to cover maturing contracts was the chief cause, nothing whatever has been done for export; sales of 51,000 bush. at 80@83c. for Unsound; 84@86c. for Mixed Western, in store; 87c. afloat, and 88@87c. in settlement of contracts for some 100,000 bush. due to-day, and 82@83c. for Jersey Yellow, on pier.

EXPORTS OF BREADSTUFFS.

	Flour, bbls.	Wheat, qrs.	Corn, qrs.
Total to Great Britain and the Continent for the week	3,445	—	7,462
Since September 1, 1865	94,072	150,192	388,308
Same time 1864	55,869	187,423	5,630

RECEIPTS OF BREADSTUFFS.

	Flour, bbls.	Wheat, qrs.	Corn, qrs.
For week ending Jan. 29, 1866	32,985	779	9,292
Since September 1, 1865	1,853,137	565,439	1,519,096
Same time 1864	1,754,293	647,337	396,181

GUNNY BAGS have been only in limited demand, but prices are without change; sales at 22@23c.

GUNNY CLOTH is without special change; the stock is not pressed; sales at 29½@30c.

HIDES—The market has become very quiet at the decline in Dry Hides already noticed, and the only business to-day was resales to the trade, including 600 Dry Salted Matamoros at 13c., gold; 1,000 Texas on private terms, and 600 City Steers, 75 lb, at 13c., currency. We quote: Dry Hides—Buenos Ayres, 24 to 26 lb, 20@20½c.; Buenos Ayres, 20 to 23 lb, 19 to 19½c.; Montevideo, 20 to 22 lb, 17½ to 18c.; Corrientes, 21½ to 22 lb, 16½ to 17c.; Rio Grande, 20 to 22 lb, 16½ to 17c.; Orinoco, 21 to 23 lb, 17c.; California, 22 to 25 lb, 18 to 18½c., cash, gold, usual selection. Wet Salted Hides—Buenos Ayres, 45 to 50 lb, 8½ to 9c.; Rio Grande, 44 to 48 lb, 9 to 9½c.; California, 45 to 50 lb, 9 to 9½c., cash, gold, usual selection; New-Orleans, 50 to 80 lb, 12 to 12½c.; Western and Country, 60 to 70 lb, 9 to 12½c.; City Slaughter (Ox), 60 to 80 lb, 12½ to 13c.; City Slaughter (Cow), 45 to 60 lb, 9 to 9½c., cash, currency, usual selection.

HEMP—All descriptions are dull, and prices are nominal at 11½c., gold, for Manila, $170 for Jute, $225@ $240 for American, undressed, and $330@$390 for do., dressed, all currency.

HOPS—A good demand still prevails for home consumption, and prices are sustained; we quote at from 20@70c., as to growth and quality.

HAY—The demand for Shipping has been good, and the market is firm; sales of 340 bales at 80@85c. ⅌ 100 lb. and 85@90c. for Retail lots; the receipts have been large of Loose, and prices tend downward. Straw is in fine demand and is steady.

IRON—Pig is without change in prices, and a moderate business was done for home consumption; sales of No. 1 American at $50@$51, and No. 1 Scotch at $48@ $51. Bar, 12c., and Sheet and Pipe, 16c.

LEATHER—Hemlock—The market has remained quiet throughout the week, the few sales made being effected at a decline. Prices may be quoted ½@1c. lower, and somewhat nominal. Stock and receipts light. Oak—Market quiet at unchanged prices. Stock and receipts small. We quote: Hemlock—Buenos Ayres, Heavy, 38@39c.; Middle, 37@38c.; Light, 35@36c; California Heavy, 37@38c.; Middle, 37@38c.; Light, 33@35c.; Orinoco, Ac., Heavy, 33@35c.; Middle, 35@37c.; Light, 32@34c.; Good Damaged, 30@31c.; Poor Damaged, 22@24c.; In the Rough, 30@32c. Oak Slaughter—Heavy, 41@46c.; Middle, 41@45c.; Light, 34@36c. Cropped, Middle, 48@53c.; Light, 44@48c.; in the Rough, Heavy, 43@ 45c.; Middle, 24@40c.; Light, 30@33c.; Bellies, 20@21c. ⅌ lb, cash.

LEAD—There is but little doing in Pig; in fact, buyers are not disposed to operate; prices are nominally lower; sales at $9 40@$9 60 for Spanish, German, Refined and English. Bar, 12c., and Sheet and Pipe, 16c.

LUMBER—Eastern Spruce and Pine have been in moderate request and steady at $26@$27.

MOLASSES—A moderate inquiry prevails at about former figures; sales in lots of 50 hhds. Porto Rico at 65@80c., 50 bbls. New-Orleans at $1@$1 20, and 44 hhds. Cuba on private terms.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits Turpentine is lower and is dull at the close; stock, 2,700 bbls. Crude Turpentine is quiet; stock, 3,200 bbls. Rosins have again shown some weakness, and prices are nominal at the close. Tar has been more active, and prices improved. Pitch is lower. We quote as follows:

Turpentine, North County	⅌ 280 lb $8 00 @ —
Tar, Washington and Newbern	⅌ bbl. 3 00 @ 3 25
Pitch, City, No. 1	6 00 @ 6 50
Rosin, Common	⅌ 280 lb 5 12½@ 5 25
Rosin, Strained and No. 2	⅌ 280 lb 5 50 @ 8 50
Rosin, No. 1 and Pale and White	9 00 @18 00
Spirits Turpentine, Am	⅌ gal. 92 @ 1 00

OILS—Linseed has been only in limited demand, but prices are without change. Crude Whale is dull but steady. Crude Sperm is in moderate demand at former prices. Lard Oil remains dull and unchanged. We quote:

Linseed, City, in casks	⅌ gal. $1 41 @ 1 42
Whale, Fair to Prime	1 50 @ — —
Whale, Bleached Winter	1 60 @ — —
Sperm, Crude	2 45 @ — —
Sperm, Winter, Unbleached	2 60 @ — —
Lard Oil, Summer and Winter	1 95 @ 2 00
Red Oil, City Distilled	1 00 @ — —
Kerosene (free)	73 @ — —

OIL CAKE—The inquiry has been good, and the market is better, though the business has been small at $49 for Western Thin in bags, and $51@$53 for City in bags and bbls.

OIL MEAL—The supply is light, and the demand more active; sales of 12 tuns State and Jersey on private terms.

PROVISIONS—The demand for Pork has been quite general, but not active; the speculative inquiry has been less animated; the large arrivals at the chief packing points have given buyers the advantage, and we have to note rapid fluctuations. "Short Crop" dealers are firm, though the larger receipts at Chicago since the 20th inst. have in some measure shaken their confidence, and prices are lower; this has stimulated consumptive demand, and we have had a more healthy trade; to-day (Wednesday) the market opened easier, and dull; subsequently prices improved, and at the close are firm at our extremes; for future delivery, sales of 1,250 bbls. New Mess, including 750 bbls., seller March, at $28 50@$28 62½, and 500 bbls., buyer do., at $29; sales, cash and regular, are 2,500 bbls. at $28 25@$28 50 for Old Mess; $28 37½@$28 75 for New do.; and $25 for small lots New Prime Mess. Beef is dull, but steady; sales of 250 bbls at $11@$14 for Old Plain Mess; $16@$19 for New do.; $13@$16 for Old Extra, and $20@$21 for New do. Tierce Beef is quiet; we quote at $35@$37 for Prime Mess, and $38@ $41 for India Mess. Beef Hams are firm and in fair demand; sales of 300 bbls. (part last evening) at $42. Cut Meats are quiet; small sales at 17½@18c. for Dry Salted and Pickled Hams. Bacon is steady and in fair demand; sales of 100 boxes Short Ribbed, seller Feb., at 16c.; 100 boxes Short Clear do. at 17c.; and 125 boxes Long Ribbed, on the spot, at 15½c. Dressed Hogs opened steady but closed heavy; we quote at 12½@12½c. for Western, and 12½@13c. for City. Lard is dull and heavy at 16@17c. for No. 1; 16½@17½c. for City; 17½@ 17½c. for Western, and job lots at 17½@17½c.

AFTERNOON PROVISION MARKET, 5½ o'clock.—Pork was dull at $28 62½ for New Mess. Beef was quiet. Bacon and Cut Meats firmly held. Lard dull and heavy.

EXPORTS FROM NEW-YORK.

	Beef, tcs.	Pork, bbls.	Bacon, tcs.	Butter, tcs.	Cheese, tcs.	Lard, tcs.	Tal. tcs.
To G. Br. & Cont. week end. Jan 29	448	133	159	—	22	45	41
Since Sep. 1	65,294	16,246	2,439	2,295	95,769	512	1,370
Same time 1864	18,859	1,165	4,805	3,653	9,719	3,507	4,454

RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK.

	Pork, bbls.	Beef, tcs.	Lard, tcs.	Butter, tcs.	Cheese, tcs.
For week ending Jan. 23, 1866	8,923	5,199	522	560	61
Since Sept. 1, '65	59,144	29,688	72,323	12,422	6,060
Same time 1864	102,422	175,700	4,177	12,078	4,382

PETROLEUM—The market is dull and heavy at 32@32½c. for Crude, and 55@56c. for Refined in bond.

RICE—The market is quiet, with small jobbing sales at 9½@10c. for Rangoon, and 12@13c. for Carolina, and 400 bags Rangoon in bond on private terms.

SUGARS—There has been rather more doing in Raw Sugars to-day, but without any improvement in prices, and we still quote at about 10½@11c. for fair to good Refining, with sales of 1,000 hhds. on this basis. The first lot of new crop Cienfuegos arrived to-day. Refined are dull and depressed at about 17½c. for Hards, 15½@ 16½c. for Soft Whites, and 13½@13c. for dp. Yellow.

SPICES—There has been no essential change in prices, but the business has been only to a moderate extent. We quote as follows:

Cassia	35 @ —	
Ginger, Race and Africa	20 @ 23	
Nutmegs, No. 1	87½@ 90	gold.
Pepper	23 @ 23½	gold.
Pepper (in bond)	7½@ 8	gold.
Pimento, Jamaica	21½@ 22	gold.
Cloves	29½@ 30	gold.

SKINS—Goat—There has been a good demand, and with a small stock prices are firm; sales, 8 bales Tampico, 23 bales Buenos Ayres, 100 bales Curaçoa, 10 bales Rio Hache, 25 bales Patna, and 4 bales Madras, on private terms; we quote Mexican, 50c. gold; Buenos Ayres, 42½@45c., gold. Deer—Demand fair; no change in prices; sales, 5,000 ⅌ Central America, part at 65c., gold.

SEEDS—The inquiry has been less active for Clover Seed, and under the less favorable news from Europe there is less buoyancy, but prices are without much change; sales of 320 bags at 13@14c. for Common to Prime. Timothy Seed has ruled firm, with a good local demand, at $4@$4 75 ⅌ bush. Rough Flax Seed is in fair demand, and not plenty, at $2 80@$3 ⅌ bush. of 56 lb.

STEARIN—The offerings have been larger, and the market is firmer; sales of 160,000 lb. 11½@12½c. for Grease, and 14@15½c. for fair to good White City and Western.

SALT—The supply of Liverpool is light, and prices are firm; we notice a better demand and a speculative inquiry at the close; we quote at $2 for Ground, and $2 20@$3 70 for Fine, the latter rate for Ashton's; the business in West India is very small and prices are nominal.

SPELTER has advanced, and a fair business was done at 10@10½c. for Foreign, and 11@11½c. for Domestic.

TOBACCO—The stock of Kentucky Leaf now here is chiefly composed of inferior and trashy lots, for which there is no demand whatever, and on these prices are entirely nominal. Medium and prime grades are wanted for export, but, being scarce, shippers are unable to operate freely, and the market is quiet. We hear of very few sales to cutters. The quotations, in coin, are as follows: Light Leaf Lugs, 4½@6c.; do. Common Leaf, 6½@7½c.; do. Medium, 8@9c.; do. Good, 9½@11½c.; do. Fine, 12@14c., and do. Selections, 15@ 16c. Heavy Western and Clarksville Lugs, 5½@7½c.; do. Common Leaf, 8@11c.; do. Medium, 12@14c.; do. Good, 14½@16c.; do. Fine, 16½@18c., and Selections, 18½ @20c. Connecticut Wrappers of good quality are still in demand, and, when received, are easily disposed of at full figures, but other grades of Seed Leaf remain extremely dull, and prices are mere or less nominal. We quote at 7@9c. for Connecticut and Massachusetts Fillers; 30@45c. for Wrappery lots; 50@65c. for do. fine Wrappers; 5@6c. for New-York State Fillers; 12@18c. for do. Wrappery lots; 4½@5½c. for Pennsylvania and Ohio Fillers, and 10@15c. for do. do. Wrappery lots.

TEAS—For invoices on the spot and to arrive there has been a very fair inquiry, and prices are firmly maintained. In small lines there is not much doing.

TIN—The inquiry for Pig has been extremely light, and the market ruled very heavy, closing with a declining tendency. Plates have ruled quite firm, and a fair business was done. We quote as follows:

Banca	gold, ⅌ lb — 27½@—
Straits	gold, — 26½@26¾
English	gold — 26 @—
Plates, Charcoal I C	⅌ box 15 75 @16 00
Plates, I C Coke	12 50 @14 50
Terne, Coke	— — @11 00
Terne, Charcoal	14 50 @15 00

TALLOW—The market has fluctuated, has been fairly active, and closes firm; sales of 70,000 lb at 12½@ 12¾c. for Western; 12½@13c. for City, and 13½c. for Butchers' Association.

WOOL—We have had a rather firmer feeling in the market for both Domestic and Foreign Fleeces since our last; the business, however, has been only moderate and confined chiefly to the active wants of the trade; common and coarse grades are plenty, and at the close are more freely offered without buyers, but choice and fancy Fleeces are scarce and wanted. We quote, in currency, as follows: Fleeces, at 60@62c. for Native and ¼ Merinos; 63@65c. for ½ and ¾ do.; 70@72c. for Full-Blood do., and 75@77c. for Saxony Fleeces; 45@50c. for No. 1 Pulled; 38@40c. for Superfine do., and 67@75c. for Extra do.; 25@27c. for common Unwashed California; 40@42c. for Fine do., and 29@42c. for Texas; South American, at 25@47c. for Common Washed; 32@ 37c. for Unwashed Mestiza and Merino; 40@42c. for Washed Entre Rios; 27@30c. for Unwashed Creole; 45 @47c. for Washed Cordova; Chilian at 30@36c. for Unwashed Mestiza and Merino; Cape Good Hope, 37@42c. for Unwashed East India; 35@36c. for Washed, and African at 22@35c. for Unwashed, and 42@45c. for Washed.

WHISKY—The demand is light; holders demand $2 26@$2 27 for Western, but we have no sales to note.

WHALEBONE—There has been a brisk demand for this article since our last, and with a stock now reduced to 135,000 lb (all in the country), prices are firm; sales for the week of about 80,000 lb, closing at $1 20 for South Sea, and $1 25 for North-West Coast, and $1 35 for Arctic.

Receipts of Produce.

JAN. 31.—1,481 bbls. Flour, 328 bbls. Whisky, 3,000 bbls. Corn Meal, 6,062 bush. Oats, 15,085 bush. Malt, 25 pkgs. Ashes, 3,888 pkgs. Provisions, 726 pkgs. Lard, 1,336 pkgs. Butter.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

The Columbian Insurance Company.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—JAN. 31.—Before Justice SUTHERLAND.

In re. The Columbian Insurance Company.—In this matter the receiver of the Company, by his counsel, Mr. Dudley Field, moved for the directions of the Court in relation to returning unearned premiums to the policy holders of the Company. The matter having been previously advertised, a large number of the policy holders appeared, by their respective attorneys, upon the motion, and Mr. Wilson, a large policy holder, appeared on his own behalf. Mr. Nash presented an affidavit of A. Foster Higgins, one of the policy holders, stating that his firm was a large holder of policies in the Company, and had applied to the receiver for the return of the residue of the premiums, after the payment of the pro rata premium, up to the time of the cancellation of the policies; that none of the policies were of the nature of instant policies.

Deponent further says that he is fair with the reports made by the Columbian Insurance Company and the statements of its officers, and it is quite apparent that the company will never be able to pay in full the losses likely to occur under the policies now outstanding. Many of the risks were risks that had been refused by other companies, and the disasters to the commercial marine interests have during the past year and the present Winter been very calamitous. Deponent is of the opinion that it would be decidedly for the best interest of the stockholders and creditors of the Company that the outstanding risks should be canceled, thus insuring to the funds of the Company the pro rata premiums already earned, and exempting them from any increase of the liabilities.

Mr. Dudley Field presented the report of the receivers of the Company, which is as follows:

To the Supreme Court of the State of New-York: The undersigned, receivers of the property of the defendant, appointed by this Court, in this and other actions, beg leave respectfully to report:

First, That Messrs. Johnson and Higgins, average adjusters and ins