THE MONEY MARKET.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE

U S 6s 1881 Reg.		Mariposa Preferred	24½	Mich So & N Ind	
2,000	112	50	24½	100	30
U S 6s 5-20 Reg. '62		Quicksilver		400	78½
5,000	106	100	44	500	79
U S 6s, 5-20 Coup '62		300	43½	1,000	79½
50,000	108½	100	43	1,000	80
12,000	108	300	42½	500	79½
U S 6s 5-20 Coup. 64		100	42½	100	79½
1,000	105½	Pacific Mail St Co		Illinois Central	
U S 6s, 5-20 Coup. '65		50	174	1,100	117½
40,000	105½	200	170	300	118
35,000	105½	N Y Central		Clev & Pitts	
115,000	105¾	200	168	800	82
U S 5s, 10-40 Coupon		200	167½	900	82½
3,000	99½	200	167½	500	82
10,000	99½	200	168	Chic & North West	
Treas Notes 7 3-10,		100	130 108½	600	40½
1st Series.		200	130 107½	300	40
2,000	105	500	108½	200	39½
2d series.		100	108½	1,100	40
65,000	104½	Erie		700	39½
3d Series		400	69½	200	40
10,000	104½	200	69½	Clev & Toledo	
N Y State 7s B L		500	70	1,200	111½
5,000 reg.	107	400	70½	1,000	111
Tennessee 6s New		1,500	70½	Chic & Rock Island	
5,000	68	800	70½	100	101
Tenn State 6s		1,400	70½	1,000	101½
10,000 ex coup	68½	1,000	70	1,000	101½
Ohio & Miss Cer		100	70 71½	1,000	101½
10,000	27½	Erie Preferred		500	101½
50,000	27½	100	80½	500	102
50,000	27½	Hudson River		Tol., W. & West	
30,000	27½	400	118	200	41
Ocean Bank		100	30 118	300	40½
20	104	Reading		Pitts, Ft W & Chic.	
American Ex Bank		1,000	60 110	100	103
50	114	500	110½	400	104
Canton Co.		1,500	110½	1,000	103½
100	44½	3,000	63 110½	1,000	103½
Delaware & H. C		500	111	300	103½
24	156	2,200	111½	500	103½
50	155	2,000	60 111	Chic & Alton.	
Cumberland Pref		Michigan Central		100	107
400	65	300	110½	100	108
West Union Tel.		100	110½	Mil & St Paul	
20	44½	Chic & N W Pref		100	52
300	46	400	69½	Mil. & St. Paul Pref.	
200	46	100	70	1,000	66
40	45½	500	69½	100	66½
Mich S S F Bonds		1,000	69½	100	66½
1,000	96	Tol & Wab 2d Mtge		Adams Express	
Alton & T H 2d M P		5,000	78	30	80
2,000	84	20,000	77	U S Express	
N J Central 2d Mtge		Tennessee State 6s		50	80
1,000	100½	3,000	90	South Amer Nav &	
Chic & Alt Inc Bds		Central Nat Bank		Marine R R Co	
5,000	93½	50	112	45	110
Missouri State 6s		American Express		Alton & T Haute	
10,000	87½	3	81	100	38
		9	80		

1 O'CLOCK BOARD.

U S 6s 5-20 Coup, '62		West Union Tel		Chic. & N.W. Pref.	
1,000	108½	400	46	500	70
U S 6s 5-20 Coup '64.		New-York Central		100	70½
10,000	106	400	106½	Clev & Toledo	
U S 6s 5-20 Coup. 65.		Erie		400	111½
65,000	106½	100	71½	Chic & Rock Is.	
7,000	106½	500	71½	100	102
Treas Notes, 7 3-10		100	71½	300	102½
1st Series		Hudson River.		400	102½
78,000	105½	100	30 119	200	102½
Missouri 6s		Reading		Mil & St Paul Pref	
10,000	87	400	111½	100	69
O & Miss Cert		200	111½	200	69½
20,000	28½	Mich. So. & N. In		500	70
30,000	28½	800	80	Chic & Alton	
30,000	28½	200	79½	100	108
10,000	30 29	100	80 80½	P. Ft W & C	
50,000	29	Chic & North West		100	103½
Cumberland Pref		100	41	100	104
100	53 66	400	41½	300	104½
Quicksilver		400	41½	100	104½
100	44	400	41½		

2½ O'CLOCK BOARD.

U S 6s 1881 Coup.		Quicksilver		Cleve & Pitts	
7,000	112½	100	46	1,500	83½
U S 6s 5-20 Cp '62		Atlantic Mail		Chic & North West	
2,000	108½	200	106	100	42
U S 6s 5-20 Cp. 1865		Pacific Mail.		1,000	41½
50,000	105½	200	175	100	41½
7,000	106½	New-York Central.		500	41½
U S 6s, 5-20 C, 65, n.l.		490	110	400	41½
200,000	107½	100	30 108½	Chic & N W Pref	
10,00	107½	100	108½	1,000	70½
U S 5s, 10-40 coup		Erie.		100	70½
4,000	99½	500	72½	100	70½
Treas Notes, 7 3-10		200	72½	Tol. W. & West	
2d Series		Erie Preferred		100	30 70½
15,000	104½	50	82	Clev & Toledo	
3d Series		Hudson River		600	112
4,500	104½	200	60 122	Chic. & R. I. R.	
Ohio and Miss. Cer.		Reading		600	103
50,000	28	2,000	60 113	200	102½
50,000	28½	200	113	300	102½
10,000	30 28½	1,000	112½	300	102½
30,000	28½	500	30 112½	Tol Wab & West	
Canton		Michigan Central		100	41½
400	46	500	111	200	41½
200	45½	Mich So & No Ind		Pitts, Ft W & C	
Adams Express Co		2,500	80½	500	102½
15	78½	500	80½	200	102½
W Union Tel Rs Ex		400	80½	300	103
10	97	Ill Central		Mil & St Paul Pref	
Western Union Tel		200	119	300	54
500	47			Tol Wa & West Pref	
				400	68

OPEN BOARD OF BROKERS—10 A. M.

O & Miss Cert		Reading		Cleveland & Toledo	
10,000	26½	7,400	110½	1,200	110
10,000	30 27	500	30 110½	500	110
30,000	27	2,200	110½	2,200	30 110
Cumberland		400	110½	400	110½
200	65½	2,500	30 110½	200	30 110½
100	65½	800	110½	200	110½
100	65 65½	400	30 110½	400	30 110½
West U Telegraph		400	30 110½	Chic, Rock Is. & P	
300	45	600	110½	200	100½
200	45	Tol Wa & West		200	100½
100	45	100	40	100	30 100½
100	45	Clev. & Pitts		200	100½
N Y Central.		200	80½	200	100½
200	108½	500	80½	100	100½
100	108½	200	80½	300	100½
100	30 108	400	30 80½	200	100½
100	107½	400	80½	300	100½
100	107½	800	80½	200	100
Erie		400	80½	Chic & N West.	
1,700	70½	Mich So & No Ind		200	38½
1,300	70½	1,800	77½	200	38
800	70½	900	77½	200	37½
1,400	70½	500	77½	400	38
600	30 70½	800	30 77½	600	38½
400	30 70½	600	30 77½	500	30 38½
300	30 70½	800	30 77½	500	38½
800	70	300	77½	200	38½
600	70	300	77½	Chic & N W Pref	
300	69½	200	30 77½	600	68
200	69½	Pitts. F.W. & C		400	67½
800	69½	500	101½	200	67½
400	69½	800	101½	800	67½
Michigan Central		500	101½	500	30 67½
100	109	300	101½	500	30 67½

OPEN BOARD OF BROKERS—3½ P. M.

O & Miss Cert		Erie.		Clev & Pitts.	
10,000	28	400	71½	600	83½
Quicksilver.		200	30 71½	200	30 83½
100	46½	200	30 71½	200	30 83½
West Union Tel		500	30 71½	200	30 83½
600	46	200	30 71½	Clev. & Tol.	
Reading		600	30 71½	400	111½
400	112	400	30 71½	Chic & R I	
300	112½	Mich So & N Ind		100	30 102½
200	112½	1,800	80	Chic & North West	
Pitts, Ft W & C		200	80½	100	41½
100	103½	400	30 80	Chic & N W Pref	
Illinois Central		300	30 80	200	70
100	117½				

PETROLEUM AND MINING STOCKS.

FIRST BOARD.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Petroleum Stocks.			First National	4	15
Benneboff Run	4 35	4 50	Fall River G Min		75
Buchanan Farm	16		Gilpin Gold	1 25	
Central	1 60	2 00	Gunnell Gold	80	90
Excelsior		30	Hiawatha Gold		50
Forest Co. Pet. Co.		2	Holman	23	28
Manhattan		25	Hope Gold	55	90
N Y & Allegheny	4 75		Keystone Silver	7	9
N Y & Nowark		30	Kipp & Buell G	88	95
Ryad Farm		20	La Crosse Gold	1 05	1 15
Shade River		20	Liebig	50	1 00
United States	4 00	4 35	Liberty Gold		25
Mining Stocks.			Montana Gold	20	30
Alban		6 00	New-York	1 00	1 25
American Flag	1 75	1 80	Nye Gold	10	11
Atlantic & Pacific		4 50	Oak Hill G of Col.	90	1 00
Bates & Baxter G.		2 90	Ophir Gold	1 00	
Benton Gold	1 10	1 30	Quartz Hill	3 10	3 25
Bobtail Gold	2 40	3 50	Rocky Mountain G	2 00	2 50
Boscobel Silver	1 60	1 10	Smith & Par G	7 05	7 35
Bullion Consol'd		5 00	Caledonia Copper	15 00	
Burroughs Gold	36	40	Davidson Copper	1 00	1 10
Church Union G		2 80	Evergreen B Cop		12 50
Col G & S Ore Sep		1 00	Indiana Copper		4 00
Crozier Gold	25	45	Long Island Peat	3 85	
Consolidated Greg.	8 00	8 10	Walkill Lead	1 20	
Corydon	2 60	3 00	Wallace Nickel	3 10	3 20
Downieville Gold	15	19	Iron Tank Storage		60 00
Echla G Min of C.	3 15				

SALES.

Petroleum Stocks.		Nye Gold		Corydon	
United States Pet.		500	b3. 11	300	3 00
100	s3. 4 25	1,000	11	100	c 3 00
100	s3 4 20	Davidson Copper		300	2 90
Mining Stocks.		200	1 05	100	c. 2 75
Con'd Greg'y Gold		Long Island Peat.		100	c. 2 65
300	8 30	200	3 85	300	c. 2 60
300	8 25	Walkill Lead		400	2 60
100	s3. 8 10	300	1 30	Central	
Corydon		300	b10. 1 40	After Call.	
100	b30 4 75	200	1 30	700	1 75
100	3 90	500	1 25	300	1 80
100	3 85	500	b10. 1 30	Keystone S	
100	3 80	500	b30. 1 30	2,000	8
100	3 75	5,000	c. 1 20	N Y Gold	
100	3 50	500	c. 1 25	400	1 10
100	3 35	*Express Stocks.*		100	1 10
100	3 00	Adams Ex.		Nye Gold	
Benton Gold		5	s3. 75½	2,000	11
After Call.		SECOND CALL.		Oak Hill	
500	1 25	Benneboff Run		100	b3. 93
Keystone Silver		100	4 50	500	90
2,000	s3. 8	Col G & S.		After call.	
2,000	8	100	1 10	1,000	85
Kipp & Buell		American Flag		Quartz Hill.	
400	s3. 1 00	100	1 75	200	s3. 3 10
400	1 00	100	1 80	900	3 10
100	95	Burroughs Gold		500	3 05
500	85	200	40	300	c. 3 10
Quartz Hill		500	s30. 35	300	s3. 3 10
300	3 25	100	35	300	c. 3 10
Smith & Parmelee		Con'd Greg G		Smith & Parmelee	
200	7 00	600	s3. 8 00	100	7 35
1,700	6 95	100	8 10	100	s3. 2 25
100	8 15	100	s3. 8 20	Tudor Lead	
300	7 05	100	s3. 8 25	100	2 65
100	6 95	800	s3 8 20	Columbian Gi & Sil	
				100	9 15

FRIDAY, Nov. 23—P. M.

Gold is higher, and closes at 138¼ after selling at 139½. It is understood that the Treasury has discontinued its sales.

The Stock market opened feverish and excited, and lower rates were made upon nearly the whole list, Erie selling at 69, Michigan Southern at 78, and North-Western at 38. As the day advanced, it became quite evident that the bottom had been touched, and stocks were at once in demand at higher prices, not only to cover short contracts, but by operators for an advance. The fact that stocks are not sold on long time intensifies a panic such as has been experienced this week; but it also shortens it. The old system of long contracts gave support to a falling market which is wanting upon contracts rarely exceeding three days; and as long as short time and cash is the general rule, panics must be short, but very damaging. During the panic, Government securities have been comparatively steady, as will be seen by the annexed table:

	Nov. 13.	Nov 20.	Decline.	Nov. 23.	Closing. 6, m.
U. S. 6s of 1881	114¼	112	2¼	112¼	
U. S. 6s of 1865	107¼	105¾	1½	106¾	
7.30s 2d	106	104¾	1¼	104¾	
Missouri 6s	89	87	2	87	
N. Y. Central	115¼	108	7¼	108¾	
Erie	82	70½	11½	71½	
Reading	115¾	111	4¾	112¼	
Mich. Southern	89¼	79	11½	80½	
Clev. & Pitts	91	82	9	83	
North-Western	52¾	40	12¾	41¾	
Fort Wayne	109½	103½	5¾	103½	

The chief break has been in the three "fashionable stocks," Erie, Michigan Southern, and North-Western Common, all of which close strong and in renewed demand. Money, though active with stock houses, is in less pressing demand, and the market is relieved from much embarrassment from that cause. In short, speculative combinations founded on 4 and 5 per cent money have been disarranged and brought to the test of 6 and 7 per cent and an active demand, with what result the future will show. For the present the worst has been seen, probably. At the Second Board the market was strong; 5-20s of 1862 rose ¼ per cent, do. of '65, ¼, and 7.30s ¼ per cent; Ohio and Mississippi Certificates, ¼; Canton, ¼; Western Union, 1¼; Quicksilver, 3¼; Pacific Mail, 5 per cent; New-York Central, 1¼; Erie, 2; Hudson River, 4; Reading, 1¼; Michigan Central, ¼; do. Southern, ¼; Illinois Central, 1; Cleveland and Pittsburgh, 1¼; North-Western, 1¼, and Cleveland and Toledo, 1. The market closed steady at the following rates: New-York Central, 108¾@109; Erie, 71¾@71¼; Reading, 112¼@112½; Michigan Southern, 80@80¼; Cleveland and Pittsburgh, 83@83¼; Rock Island, 102¼@102½; North-Western, 41¼@41½; do. Preferred, 70@70¼; Fort Wayne, 103¼@103¾; Pacific Mail, 175@180.

The Assistant Treasurer is now receiving from Government debtors compound notes at par and accrued interest, which relieves the money market sensibly. These notes have been sold by some banks at ¼ per cent discount.

There is less activity in money, and a good supply at 7 per cent, with many 6 per cent loans uncalled. The borrowing demand from stock houses is much reduced, and the indications are that the worst of the panic has been seen, so far as borrowers on call are concerned. In commercial paper there is no improvement, nor much prospect of any for some time. In all departments of trade business is dull, employés being discharged, and wages reduced to those still kept in their places. Best names are quoted at 7 per cent, and very fancy rates of interest can be made by buying the paper of "enterprising houses."

Exchange is higher, and quoted as follows: London, 60 days, 109¼@109¾; do. at sight, 110@110¼; Paris, long, 5.16¼@5.15; do. short, 5,13¾@5.12¾; Antwerp, 5.20@5.18¾; Swiss, 5.20@5.18¾; Hamburg, 36¾; Amsterdam, 41¼@41¼; Frankfort, 41¼@41¼; Bremen 79@79¼; Berlin, 72¼@72¼.

Freights are firm. The engagements to Liverpool are 21,000 bush. Corn at 3d., which is the first shipment to Great Britain for several weeks, and to London, 7,000 bush. Barley at 5¼d.

The business of the Sub-Treasury was: Receipts $6,247,739 09—for Customs, $250,000; Payments, $1,479,487 22; Balance, $102,373,236 68—Gold Notes, $230,000.

At the annual election for Directors of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, held 21st inst., the following gentlemen were unanimously elected, having received 136,088 votes, all that were cast, viz: Allan McLane, Howard Potter, Francis Skiddy, Charles Augustus Davis, William Dennistoun, Leonard W. Jerome, Elisha Riggs, Moses H. Grinnell, and Cornelius K. Garrison; and at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, the following officers were unanimously elected, viz: Allan McLane, President; Francis W. G. Bellows, Vice-President; Theodore T. Johnson, Secretary; and Chas. S. Abercrombie, Treasurer.

The Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Railroad earned the third week in November,

1866....$99,483 | 1865.....$114,278 | Decrease.....$14,795

The Chicago Tribune of Wednesday says:

Business at the discount houses was less active than yesterday, and, at many of the banks it was pronounced decidedly dull. Otherwise there was no change in the tone or condition of the money market. The supply of currency, though not superabundant, is in excess of the demand, and some of the banks complain of a marked scarcity of prime paper. Grain paper is in good supply, but closely scrutinized. There is no demand as yet on pork account. There is no change in the bank rate. In the open market good outside paper is negotiated at 12 per cent, and less desirable at 15@18 per cent. Exchange was firmer today, with sales between banks at 25@50 cents premium. Thecounter rates remain unchanged—par buying and 1-10 premium selling. Buffalo, Oswego and Canada bills were taken at ¼ off.

The Cincinnati Gazette of Wednesday remarks:

The currency balances were somewhat reduced to-day by remittances to the interior and payments on account of Government drafts. Checking was also heavier than yesterday, with rather increased offering of paper. As a consequence, the money market worked close at 9@12 per cent for good paper. Exchange was more freely offered to-day by some of the dealers, and the market was not so strong as yesterday; but at 50 discount buying and par selling, it ruled steady.

The Philadelphia List contains the following remarks on the tendency of the markets:

"The tendency of the markets is to lower prices, and they are most happy who have resisted inducements to go beyond the absolute demands of business, and are not incumbered with heavy stocks. In regard to provisions, the North-West must be regarded as the quarter where the most strenuous efforts are made to keep up the prices. Chicago, by virtue of her position, and her great trade, has peculiar advantages for the perpetration of this injustice, and there is reason to believe that the opportunities thus presented have not been neglected. But even in Chicago the result of the contest between holders who are determined to keep an overplus, and not to sell except high prices can be obtained, and those who might buy plentifully, but will buy scantily as long as they think unjust prices are demanded, is coming to a crisis. It has been found impossible to keep up some descriptions of provisions at the high rates demanded, and of necessity there has been a fall in prices, and a very severe one. When Mess Pork declines $6 a barrel, and Lard six cents a pound, and Hams in the same proportion, it is a sign that prices have not been ruled by the laws of demand and supply, but that there has been an attempt to impose upon the community, which has been resisted. Pork has been held as high as $36 a barrel, just twice as much as it was selling for in the second year of the war, when a vast army was being fed mainly upon provision of that sort, and when consumers were greatly in excess of producers. Now that the country has returned to something like its normal condition, and the men who left the field and farm are once more engaged in rural occupations, there is no reason why the extraordinary prices demanded for some descriptions of articles should be sustained. It is not for the general advantage that combinations should be encouraged to take command of the interests of any branch of merchandise, and when they do exist the necessities of every honest business man requires that he should do his best to bring confusion to the persons who conspire against the welfare of society.

A firm in Philadelphia having failed and made an assignment to preferred creditors, the assignee refuses to pay the Government claim for taxes, although he has some $50,000 worth of property in his possession, on the ground that the Government claim cannot supersede preferred creditors. Collector Slosacker submitted the following proposition for the decision of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue: Does the Government claim for taxes owing and due before failure, as shown by the sworn return presented to the Assessor, and returned by him for collection, supersede preferred creditors, and if not so, would the Collector be justified in proceeding to distrain property in the hands of the assignee?

The following reply has been received from Deputy Commissioner Harland: "If the tax against the firm alluded to was due at the date of their assignment, there is a lien upon the property assigned in favor of the United States; the claim of the Government takes precedence over all others, and should be enforced by distraining, if necessary."

The following are the movements in Dry Goods at this port during the week:

ENTERED FOR CONSUMPTION.

Manuf. of	Pkgs.	Value.	*Manuf. of*	Pkgs.	Value.
Wool	653	$277,618	Flax	676	$157,217
Cotton	923	192,807	Miscellaneous	291	98,495
Silk	124	124,337			
Total				2,046	$770,469

WITHDRAWALS.

Manuf. of	Pkgs.	Value.	*Manuf. of*	Pkgs.	Value.
Wool	499	$188,161	Flax	307	$84,047
Cotton	83	28,597	Miscellaneous	26	11,764
Silk	89	96,224			
Total				934	$408,313

WAREHOUSED.

Manuf. of	Pkgs.	Value.	*Manuf. of*	Pkgs.	Value.
Wool	659	$276,903	Flax	1,919	$574,309
Cotton	473	189,394	Miscellaneous	5,529	60,160
Silk	82	103,535			
Total				7,743	$924,299

HOWES & MACY, BANKERS, 30 Wall-street, New-York. (Formerly officers of the Park Bank.) Four per cent interest allowed on deposit.

The business of this house is the same as an Incorporated Bank.

PERSONS KEEPING ACCOUNTS may DEPOSIT and DRAW as they please, and will be allowed INTEREST on their daily balance at 4 per cent.

COLLECTIONS made on any part of the United States or Canada.

Orders for the PURCHASE or SALE of the various Government and other Stocks, Bonds and Gold, promptly executed for the usual commission.

THE MARKETS.

[Carefully reported for THE TRIBUNE.

FRIDAY, Nov. 23, 1866.

ASHES—The market is firm and the demand moderate; sales at $9 75@$10 for Pots, and $14@$14 50 for Pearls.

BRICKS are firm and in fair demand at $13@$14 for Common Hard; $18@$20 for Croton; and $60@$70 for Philadelphia Front.

COTTON—The demand has been rather more active, and under the influence of the advance in gold and more favorable advices from Europe, prices are stronger, closing at 34c. for Middling Uplands, to 36c. for do. New-Orleans; sales of 2,400 bales.

COFFEE—There is nothing whatever doing in this market, and in the absence of all sales prices are entirely nominal.

COPPER—American Ingot has been sold at 26c. for Portage, Lake and Baltimore, and 27c. for Detroit, which is a decline; sales of 400,000 to 500,000 lb, closing, however, lo. higher and in demand. New Sheathing and Yellow Metal are unchanged.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The market for Western and State Flour opened more active and a shade firmer, the demand being in part for export, but the trade held off, and the market closed dull and heavy, though holders generally refuse to submit to any concession; the sales are 8,700 bbls. at $7 75@$8 85 for Superfine State and Western, $10@$11 for ordinary and common Extra State, $11 25@$11 60 for Fancy State, $8 40@$10 70 for the low grades of Spring Wheat Western Extra, $10 35@$11 40 for Shipping Ohio, $11 60@$13 60 for Trade and Family brands of Ohio, Michigan and Indiana, and $13 75@$17 75 for St. Louis Extras. Buckwheat Flour is salable at $3 25@$3 75 ⅌ 100 lb. Canadian Flour is in moderate request and steady; sales of 130 bbls., at $13 50@$16 for Trade and Family brands. Southern Flour is quiet and unchanged; sales of 250 bbls., at $11 40@$13 50 for common to fair Baltimore and Country Extras, and $13 75@$16 50 for Trade and Family brands. Rye Flour is lower and very dull; sales of 200 bbls. at $6 15@$6. Corn Meal is more active; sales of 350 bbls. at $6 for City, $6 25 for Marsh's Caloric, and $6 20 for Brandywine.

GRAIN—The Wheat market opened with more steadiness under the more favorable news from Europe and some advance in gold, and closed with a moderate demand for milling, but with more inquiry for export; the sales are 31,500 bush. Spring at $2 15 for ordinary, $2 20@$2 30 for Chicago; Amber Western is held at $3@$3 05. Barley, under liberal offerings and less favorable news from Europe, declined, and closed tame; sales of 64,000 bush. at 96c.@$1 for Canada West in bond; $1 26 for do. free; $1 05@$1 10 for two-rowed State. Barley Malt is unsalable at $1 35@$1 45. Oats were firm at the close, though quiet; sales of 48,000 bush. at 63@64c. for old Chicago and 67@67½c. for State. Rye is lower and the demand moderate; sales of 9,800 bush. new Western on private terms, and State at $1 28@$1 30. Corn opened stronger, and, under the more favorable news from Europe, improved and sold freely, in part taken for export; the sales are 89,000 bush. at $1 23@$1 25 for Western Mixed in store, $1 24@$1 25½ for do. afloat, $1 26 for old White Western in store, and $1 07@$1 08 for new Yellow Jersey.

HAY—The demand has been fair, and the market firm at $1 10@$1 15 for shipping, and $1 25@$1 50 for retail lots.

HOPS continue firm, with a fair business doing for home consumption; we quote at from 20c., 40c., and 60c. as to growth and quality.

HEMP—Manilla is firm; sales at 11½c. now held at 12c., gold; other kinds are dull and nominal.

IRON—Scotch Pig is in small supply and very firm; sales of 200 tons Glengarnock, at $53@$54 for No. 1. The stock on hand now is held by one or two parties. No. 1 American is firm, also, and in small stock.

LEAD—Pig is dull, at 6½c. gold.

LATHS—Eastern are firm, and in fair demand at $4 50 3 mos.

LIME—The demand for Rockland is fair, and the market firm; sales, 2,000 bbls. at $1 70 for Common; and $2 10 for Lump.

MOLASSES—We hear of no sales; prices are nominally unchanged.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits Turpentine closes steady at 73@73½c.; sales of 66 bbls. at 72½c.; Crude is nominal. Rosins are quiet, but prices are supported, as the bulk of the crop this year has already come forward, and were it not for the recent decline in gold, an advance would have been established; we quote at $4 62½@$4 75 for Common; $5@$5 50 for Strained; $5 75@$6 50 for No. 2, and $7@$11 for No. 1 and Pale and Extra. Tar is quiet.

PROVISIONS—There has been less doing in Pork to-day; prices have declined and close heavy; for future delivery we note sales of 1,000 bbls. New Mess, 1866-7, buyer last half of December, at $22 50, and 2,500 bbls. do., seller January, at $22 50; the sales, cash and regular, are 4,500 bbls. at $21 50@$21 62½ for Mess. Beef is steady for jobbing lots, but large parcels can be bought at lower figures; sales of 225 bbls. at $9@$13 for Old Plain Mess, $13@$18 for New do., $22 50@$18 for Old Extra, and $17@$22 for New do. Tierce Beef is dull and heavy. Beef Hams are dull and the market depressed; we quote nominally at $28@$34 for Western. Cut Meats are entirely neglected. Pickled Hams, cured, could probably be placed at about 12@13½c., and Shoulders at 10@11c. Bacon is depressed and very little inquired after; sales 175 boxes Old Short Ribbed on private terms. Dressed Hogs are firmer; we quote at 9@10c. for heavy to light City. Lard is in fair demand from shippers and rather firmer; sales 1,025 pkgs. at 12½c. for No. 1; 12¾@12c. for City; 13@13½c. for Fair to Prime Steam and Kettle Dried; 13½c. for Kettle Rendered.

AFTERNOON PROVISION MARKET, 3 O'CLOCK.—Business in Pork since Change has been limited, prices are lower and close heavy; sales of 250 bbls. Mess at $21 37½ cash. Lard quiet.

PETROLEUM—The market for Crude is dull and lower; sales at 20½c. in bbls., and 15c. in bulk. Refined, in bond, is lower, but closes firm at 29@30c. for L. S., 30@31c. for do. to W., 32½@33c. for P. do. do., 34c. for S. W., 35@36c. for P. W., Free, 50@51c.

RICE—The market is very dull and prices favor the buyer; sales of 200 bags Rangoon in bond, at 4c. gold.

SUGARS—Masterly inactivity still reigns supreme in the Raw Sugar market, and in the absence of all business we refrain from giving quotations, as they are altogether nominal. Refined Sugars are equally dull and prices tend downward. Hards being quoted at about 13@13½c. Messrs. R. L. & A. Stuart have to-day reduced their figures for Refined as follows: Crushed and Granulated, 13½c.; Ground, 13½c.; White, A., 14½c., and Yellow, C., 13½c.

TIN—Pig has been only in limited demand; sales at 29½@31c. for Straits, 32c. for Banca, and 29½c. for English, gold; Plates are unchanged.

SPELTER—Silesian is quiet at 6@6½c. gold.

SEEDS—Clover Seed is quiet at 13¼@16c. for Old and New; Timothy Seed is selling slowly at $3 25@$3 50; Rough Flax Seed is dull at $3 10@$3 20; Calcutta Linseed is nominal at $2 56½@$2 60, gold, in Boston and here.

TOBACCO, the demand is mostly for home trade; sales 410 hhds. Kentucky at 4@17½c.

TALLOW—The market is dull and heavy; sales of 50,000 lb, in lots at 11½@11¾c. for common to fair, choice held at 12c.

WHISKY—The market is dull, at 49@51c. for Western, in bond.

FAMILY MARKETS.

OR LIVING EXPENSES IN NEW-YORK.

FRIDAY, Nov. 23, 1866.

Bakers diminished the size of their loaves, but sold them at the old rates after flour advanced, as it did some weeks ago. The cracker bakers, who sell by the pound, held to the old prices as long as they could, but have now remodeled their lists and generally advanced their rates. The change comes late, after flour has declined some $2 per bbl. This present decline in flour is the most cheerful news we have to report, and coming with a falling off in pork, lard and smoked meats, is still better. Butter is also slowly working down. Mutton is a little higher than last week; still hind quarters are selling at 12c. and fore quarters at 8c. per lb by the large number of meat dealers through the center of Washington Market. In the other departments there is very little change. Poultry is of various degrees of goodness, and sells at as different prices, turkeys and chickens ranging all the way from 15c. to 25c. per lb. Fresh and fat turkeys are mostly selling at 22c. to day. There is a full supply of poultry of all kinds on the market, together with a large lot of game, some of it not over sweet. The weather is soft for venison, and fore quarters, or fronts, are selling at 10@12c. per lb. Quinces have virtually gone out of market, and few pears are left. We quote:

BREAD AND CRACKERS.	Cents.		Cents.
Bread, wheat loaf	—@10	Crackers, Bos'n, ⅌ lb	14@18
Rye loaf	—@10	Butter, ⅌ lb	17@19
Extra Pilot, ⅌ lb	—@14	Graham, ⅌ lb	16@17
Biscuit, milk, ⅌ lb	16@18	Soda, ⅌ lb	14@18
Crackers, sweet, ⅌ lb	16@20	Snaps, ginger, ⅌ lb	20@22
BUTTER CHEESE AND EGGS.			
Cheese, fine, ⅌ lb	22@24	Butter, prime, ⅌ lb	48@52
Common to good, ⅌ lb	16@20	Medium, ⅌ lb