and cattle-dealers choose to restrict rather than extend their trade. They now talk of inaugurating a cash system by which they can afford to sell cattle several dollars per head cheaper. The farmer will get as much for his stock, while the consumer will not have to pay an extra amount to carry along butchers with no capital, or those who prove dishonest. By all means let the cash system be tried, even if the markets do suffer for a few weeks in consequence. All that is needed is a uniformity of practice among the salesmen. If a butcher cannot get enough together to buy a bullock, he had better quit the business. Buy and pay for one the first time, and then two or more the next time, but never more than can be paid for with ready cash. There were 1,957 cattle on sale at Hudson City this morning, of a wide range in quality, but the good droves were much the scarcest, and top prices brought 16c., with a very few of the pick at 16½c. on the scales. The bulk of the stock was medium Western and thin State. The State men have been holding back for a few weeks each hoping to keep his stock until the others had run in, but the lateness of the season and a light fall of snow sent them all in together, eighteen owners, with as many lots of cattle, meeting on the train. These lots were mostly little two year old steers and heifers, and dry cows, with an admixture of old oxen, stags, and bulls, and generally brought 10@13c. ℔ lb. One car load—a sample of others—averaging a trifle over $46 per head. Some 6 cwt. Texans were sold at 11c.

At Communipaw the market opened with 1,634 cattle on sale, nearly all of them owned by the Alexanders. Some of them were very good 8@8½ cwt. Ill. steers, and brought 15@16c., with a few head at 16½c. to dress 59 lb ℔ cwt. A drove of rough Texans, 52 cwt., was sold at 10@11c. The yards were well cleared out both here and on the hill, but buyers were backward about paying an advance. Taken as a whole there is very little change to report from last week. Only 281 head were on sale at One Hundred-st., and they too were generally disposed of. Thirteen cars are reported for Hudson City to-morrow.

SALES TO-DAY.

AT COMMUNIPAW.

G. D. Alexander, for himself and Cassell, 100 thin 6 cwt. Illinois steers at 13@13½c., and 37 head good fat cattle, 8½ cwt., at 15@16c.; also, 254 rough and hard looking Texans, 5½ cwt., at 10@11c.

Geo. T. Tiffany sold 106 pair 6½ cwt. Ill. steers for J. T. Alexander, at 14@15c.

P. Kiernans, on his own account, 36 Ohio steers of 6 cwt. at 14c.

Murray & Glover sold 83, for J. T. Alexander, 7½ cwt. fair to good Ill. steers at 15@16c.

Hughes & Elsner run out 53 good 8½ cwt. Illinois steers, for Alexander & Cassell, at 15@16c.

W. Fitch handled 283 of J. T. Alexander's Illinois steers, selling 98 prime 8½ cwt. cattle at 14@16c.—16½c. for cream—and 185 of 7 cwt., pretty good, at 14@15c.

Simon Ullery had 82 of the Alexander cattle, mostly fair to good, tailed out with some rough oxen and stags, the whole averaging 7½ cwt., and selling at 13@16c.

AT HUDSON CITY.

R. E. Guy sold a pair Cattaraugus County, N. Y., oxen, weighing 3,200 lb, for $237.

Beach & Bray, for T. Coulter, 49 coarsish but fat 7½ cwt. O. cattle at 14@15c.; 56 fair 7½ cwt. O. steers, for T. Duffey, at 14½@16c., and 130, for G. M. Chambers, commonish 5 cwt. Ill. steers, at 13½@14c., with a few head at 15c.

Coney & McPherson sold 62 Texans, for A. Tweedy, scaling 5 cwt., at selling 12½c.; 28 prime 8½ cwt. O. steers, for J. Martin, at 15@16c.; 149 Ill. cattle, for J. S. Rector, at 14@16c. on 7 cwt., and 115 good fat 7½ cwt. Ill. steers, for W. V. Wood, at 15@16½c.

Woodruff, Post & Dudley had 80 fair to good 7 cwt. Ill. steers sold at 13½@15c., and 145 Cherokees, of 6 cwt., run out at 11c.

S. Lee Baron had a mixed car-load, containing 21 State cattle. He sold 18 cows and heifers at $47 each, 1 two-year old heifer for $80, 1 three-year old do. for $62 50, and one cow and calf for $80.

J. Carver run out 23 State steers, heifers, oxen, and bulls; 8 steers for $40 each, 2 for $51 75 ℔ head, 1 ox for $80, 1 heifer for $45, 2 steers for $62 50 ℔ head, 3 heifers at $55, and 6 bulls at $37 50 each—the whole averaging $46 24 ℔ head.

E. Hurd sold 83 fair 7 cwt. Illinois steers for Wood & Gillespie at 14@15c.

H. Barnes run out a car-load thin Indiana steers for N. B. Doty at 13c. on 6 cwt.

A. Crowley had 21 mixed State cattle, mostly little steers of 5½ cwt., sold at 10@13c.

G. Sage, for J. W. Russell, 71 decent scant 6½ cwt. Ind. steers at 12½@15c.

Dudley & Co. for W. Sargent, 94 Ind. steers and heifers, 4½ cwt., at $45 per head.

Mallory & Morehouse, for Wood & Gillespie, 104 Ill. steers, fair fresh, 6½ cwt., at 13@15c.

S. Brown had 22 Penn. cattle, mostly common, little, 5 cwt. steers, sold at 10@12c.

MILCH COWS—The increased demand has brought in more cows, but all are taken at full prices. The majority of them are sold at $80@$90 each, with fine milkers at $95@$100. Two extra cows were sold to a milkman for $224. Small and thin cows will only sell at $50@$65 ℔ head, and are twice as hard to dispose of as a fine, large cow. A young cow will sell much quicker than an old one, many of the buyers purchasing with reference to milk for one season and then selling for a fat cow while they replace with a fresh animal; hence size and apparent ability to take on fat exert much influence in sales.

VEAL CALVES—A scarcity causes a little advance, and a few of the very best have been selected at 14c., but 13c. is considered the top of the market. From this they run down to 10c. for ordinary veals and grass calves. As live calves decrease in numbers, there is an increase in hog-dressed (with skins on), and these sell at 12@13c., according to quality—mostly at 14@16c. S. McGraw sold 41 at Fortieth-st., which averaged $13 76 each.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 40,820, or 730 more than last week. They came in less freely after last report, and the market was firm at a moderate advance. Trade is still fairly active, and the majority of the 14,520 head received to-day have been sold at 4½@6c. ℔ lb for sheep, and 6¾@7½c. for lambs. If the receipts of to-day continue, prices will go down again. Some of the dealers call the market ¼c. ℔ lb lower than it was last Friday. The stock of to-day was found: 6,638 head at Fortieth-st.; 6,038 at Hudson City, and 1,844 at Communipaw. Several car loads were not sold. Some of the transactions were: 1 car thin Western, $2 50 each; 1 car fine Ohio, 90 lb., 6c.; 1 car good Pennsylvania, 85 lb., $4 50 each; 1 car poor fine-wool State, $2 50; 1 car State, mostly Lambs, $3 50; 1 car Canada Sheep, 104 lb., coarse, 5½c.; 1 car do., 122 lb., 6¼c.; 20 head do., 130 lb., and 75 of 120 lb., 6½c.; 1 car Buck State, 92½ lb., 6c.; 1 car do., 86 lb., 4½c.; 1 car, 75 lb., 4½c.; 24 head, 70 lb., 4½c.; 1 car, 76 lb., 4½c.; 1 car, 81½ lb., 5½c.; 1 car, 86 lb., 5c.; 1 car, 81 lb., 4½c.; 1 car, 80 lb., 5½c.; 38 Canada, 114 lb., 6c. Lamb sales, 2 cars State, 62 lb., and 1 deck, 58½ lb., 6½c.; 95 Canada, 68½ lb., 7½c.; 136 do., 71 lb., 7½c.; 106 do., 74½ lb., 7½c.; 124 do., 70 lb., 7½c.; 117 of 75 lb 7½c., and 161 of 71 lb at same price.

THE WEEK'S SALES.

AT FORTIETH-ST.

By Hume & Elliott—5,121 sheep and lambs for $21,493 79 or an average of $4 20 each.

By S. McGraw—4,284 head for $17,378 65, averaging $4 09 ℔ head.

By J. Kirby—3,100 head for $20,334 60, or $6 98 each.

AT HUDSON CITY.

By Judd, Buckingham & Co.—6,337 sheep and lambs for $22,340 94, or $3 52 ℔ head.

By Bliss & Dimmick—3,194 head for $16,342 13, averaging $3 24 ℔ head.

By Kase, Hauver & Co.—2,155 head for $6,663 35, or $3 10 each.

AT COMMUNIPAW.

By Bellis & Pidcock—7,748 head for $30,023 65, or $3 87½ each. They varied from 4c. to 5½c. ℔ lb.

By Hume & Elliott—2,497 head for $9,385 37, or an average of $3 76 each.

By Kase, Hauver & Co.—479 head, averaging $3 92.

SWINE—Receipts 23,195, or 1,200 less than last week. The receipts were very light the latter part of the week, and prices advanced ½c. ℔ lb in a strong, active market. The demand run ahead of the supply, and the fresh trade was put to it to get a stock. To-day, with the very heavy arrivals of 98 cars, or 11,109 hogs—8,279 of them at Communipaw—they have receded about ½c. ℔ lb, and doubtless would have gone lower if afternoon sales had been made after the heavy mid-day arrivals of 43 cars. The probability is that a further decline will occur to-morrow. The rates of to-day are 6¼@6½c., with 1 car extra Illinois, 228 lb, at 6½c.; 1 car Ohio, 176 lb, 9½c.; 1 car do., 175 lb, 9c., and 1 car do., 184 lb, same price; 1 car Ohio, 202½ lb, 8½c.; 1 car Illinois, 192 lb, and 1 car, 199 lb, at 8½c. Dressed brought 11½@12c. before the heavy arrivals were known. A few Western dressed have been received, but the weather is not yet cool enough to bring them safely. They brought 10¼@10½c. previous to the late advance.

GRAIN, PROVISION, AND OTHER MARKETS.

[Carefully reported for The Tribune.]

MONDAY, Nov. 16, 1868.

ASHES—The market is quiet, but steady; sales of small lots at $7 75@$7 87½ for Pots, and $8 12½@$8 25 for Pearls.

COTTON—The demand was good early in the day, but subsequently fell off, and the market closed dull; prices on Middling are very steady; sales of 4,000 bales (including 130 to arrive), of which 762 were to spinners, 424 to speculators, and 2,750 to exporters; sales also of 100 bales, December and January, at 22½c.; 100 bales Middling, January and February, 22½c., and 100 bales Low Middling, January and February, 22c. We quote:

	Uplands and Fla.	Mobile.	N. Orleans.	Texas.
Ordinary	21½	21½	21½	22
Good Ordinary	22½	22½	22½	23
Low Middling	23	23½	23½	23½
Middling	24½	24½	24½	25

COFFEE—There has not been much activity to-day, and the market presents few features of interest; prices unchanged; sales of 1,504 bags Maracaibo on private terms.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The market for Western and State Flour is a little more active, but irregular, the low grades are less plentiful and are firmer while Medium Spring Wheat Extras are in better supply and are heavy. Family brands are dull; the sales are 8,300 bbls. at $5 90@$6 for Superfine State; $6 50@$7 for Extra State; $7@$8 for Fancy State; $6 30@$6 90 for the low grades of Western extra; $7@$7 80 for good to choice Spring Wheat Extras; $7@$9 for Minnesota and Iowa Extras; $6 85@$7 50 for Shipping Ohio; $7 90@$9 50 for Trade brands; $9@$10 50 for Family do.; $7 50@$9 50 for common Ohio; Wheat Extra Indiana and Michigan; $8 20@$11 50 for White do., do., and Family do., at $11 25@$11 75; $9 75@$15 for St. Louis Extra and Double Extra. California Flour is unsettled, very dull, and lower; sales of 670 bbls. and sacks at $7@$10 for Gold. Southern Flour is inactive, and the medium and low grades are easier; sales of 220 bbls. at $7 60@$10 10 for ordinary to good Extra Baltimore and Country; $7 60@$10 for Extra Georgia and Virginia; $10 15c@$11 75 for Family do.; $7 70@$15 for Extra Fancy and Family Maryland and Delaware. Rye Flour is more active and is firmer; sales of 460 bbls. at $5 80@$6. Corn Meal is inactive and heavy. Buckwheat Flour is firmer and in fair demand at $4 60@$4 65 ℔ 100 lb.

GRAIN—The Wheat market is fairly active, and prices are better, the advance in gold and light receipts give sellers the advantage; the inquiry is mainly for export; the sales are 56,000 bush. at $1 50 for Amber Spring, $1 56 for small lots No. 2 Chicago Spring; $1 32@$1 35 for No. 2 Milwaukee—the latter for Choice; $1 70 for Red Western; $2 25@$2 42 for White Michigan; $2 12 for very choice Amber do. Barley is in fair request and rather easier; sales of 10,000 bush. at $2 05 for State, and $2 15 for Canada West. Barley Malt is inactive and heavy. Oats opened steady, but closed lower; the sales are 45,000 bush. New Western at 60@70c. at railroad depot, and 70@71c. per cargo. Rye is more active, and prices are stronger at the close; the demand is in part speculative; the sales are 22,000 bush. Western at $1 30@$1 35—the inside price in store. Corn is firmer; the light receipts and advance in gold give sellers the advantage; the demand is chiefly for the home trade; the sales are 50,000 bush. Damp and Unsound at $1 10@$1 14; New Western Mixed at $1 12@$1 14, in store, and $1 14@$1 15, afloat; Jersey (New) Yellow at 95c.; Southern White at $1 16; Southern Yellow at $1 02@$1 05. Stock of Grain in New-York and Brooklyn Warehouses Nov. 14—2,716,266 bush. Wheat, 2,609,929 bush. Corn, 2,149,783 bush. Oats, 204,259 bush. Rye, 392,672 bush. Barley, 34,358 bush. Malt, 73,448 bush. Peas.

HIDES—We hear of no movement of importance; the general features of the market are unchanged; we quote Dry Buenos Ayres at 22½@23c., gold, and Country and City Slaughter at 15@15½c. currency.

HAY—The market continues dull and heavy under large receipts; we quote at 90@70c. for Shipping, and 90c.@$1 30 for Retail lots. Rye Straw is selling at 80@90c. for Long and 50@65c. for Short.

HOPS—There has been only a moderate business, but prices have undergone no essential change; we quote Old American at 5@10c. for common to prime, and New do. from 10@20c. for common to prime, and good to choice.

MOLASSES—There has been a trifle more business doing, without alteration to advise in values; sales of 405 hhds. Cuba at 41@48c.

OILS—American Linseed is nominally dull, and prices have a downward tendency; we quote at 90@96c. for casks and bbls.; English do. is neglected and nominal. In Crude Fish Oils there has been no particular change; we quote at 42@43c. for Whale, and at 35@40c. for Sperm. Lard Oil is firm and in fair demand; sales at $1 05@$1 60.

PROVISIONS—There has been a fair degree of activity in our market for Pork to-day; prices have advanced and close firm; the sales, cash and regular, are 1,000 bbls. at $26 for Old Mess; $25 for New do. (Jan'y); $27 50@$28 for City do.; $25 75 for Western Prime Mess, and $26 50 for City Mess. Beef is quiet and unchanged; sales of 30 bbls. at $14@$17 for Plain Mess, and $16@$19 50 for Extra Mess. Tierce Beef is in moderate demand; sales of 150 tcs. at $27@$30 for Prime Mess. Beef Hams are dull and unchanged; sales of 75 bbls. at $29@$29 50. Cut Meats are quiet, and prices nominal. Bacon is in fair demand; sales of 250 boxes Cumberland Cut, for January, said to be at 11c. Dressed Hogs are plenty and lower; we quote at 11¼@11½c. for Lard is dull; sales of 200 bbls. and tcs. at 16½c. for No. 1; 16¼@16½c. for City, and 16¼@17c. for fair to prime Steam and Kettle Rendered; also, sales of 500 tcs. for January, February, and March, on private terms; Prime is offered, for January, at 16½c.

PETROLEUM—The market is quiet and prices are somewhat nominal; we quote at 15½@16c. for Crude in bulk, and 27½@28c. for Refined in bond.

RICE—The general market is very quiet, the only business reported being jobbing lots of Carolina at 8½@9½c.

SUGARS—There is no demand for Raw Sugars, and the market is without improvement from the dull tone of last week; prices nominal at about 11½@11½c. for fair to good Refining; sales of only 40 hhds. Cuba at 12c. Refined are quiet at 14½@15½c. for Hards.

STEARINE—We note sales of 15,000 ℔ at 15½@16½c. for Clover.

SEEDS—Grass Seeds are nominal and inactive at 12½@13c. for Clover, and 2 37½@2 12½ for Timothy. Rough Flax Seed is selling at $2 35@$2 50; Calcutta Linseed is quiet and unchanged.

TALLOW—There has been a fair demand for this article; prices are unchanged; we note sales of 40,000 lb at 12½@12¾c.

WHISKY—The market is steady with a fair demand; sales of 65 bbls. at $1 07.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE

Per Canal, Fearon, and Eastmans.

Nov. 16—2,600 bush. Wheat, 11,152 bush. Corn, 30,745 bush. Oats, 430 bush. Beans, 420 bush. Flax seed, 22,311 bbls. Flour, 432 bbls. Corn Meal, 200 bbls. Oat Meal, 60 bags Buckwheat Flour, 7,877 bales Cotton, 184 bbls. Crude Petroleum, 413 bbls. Refined Petroleum, 176 bbls. Spirits Turpentine, 43 bbls. Crude Turpentine, 97 bbls. Pitch, 1,157 bbls. Rosin, 599 bbls. Pork, 1,803 pkgs. Beef, 153 pkgs. Cut Meats, 111 pkgs. Lard, 1,666 pkgs. Butter, 1,469 pkgs. Cheese, 87 pkgs. Tallow, 206 pkgs. Dried Fruit, 604 pkgs. Oil Cake, 160 bbls. Whisky, 675 bbls. Eggs, 116 bales Wool, 320 bales Hops, 3,369 sides Leather, 7,745 Hides, 184 bales Hides, 29 bales Tobacco, 77 boxes and cases Tobacco, 1,268 bars Lead, 488 bbls. Molasses, 10,450 bars Cotton Seed, 334 pkgs. Rice, 450 boxes Starch, 641 bags Peanuts, 155 bbls. Naphtha, 116 bales Skins.

THE STATE OF TRADE.

EUROPEAN MARKETS.

LONDON, Nov. 16.	11:15 a. m.	1:20 p. m.	5 p. m.
Consols for money	94½@—	....	94½@—
Consols for the account	94½@—	Quiet.	94½@—
United States Five-Twenties heavy	74½@—	— @—	73½@—
Erie Railway Shares buoyant	30½@—	30½@—	31½@—
Illinois Central quiet	96 @—	95½@—	95½@—
FRANKFORT.—U. S. 5-20s	78½@75½	Steady.	78½@—
ANTWERP.—Petroleum	52 fr.	....	51 fr. 50c.
LONDON.—SUGAR, D. S. No. 12	26/6	To arr., 26/6	30/6
HAVRE.—Cotton, Tres ordinaire	134 fr.	Dull.	Buoyant.

LIVERPOOL.—Cotton opened quiet. Sales to-day 10,000 bales.

QUOTATIONS.	11:15 a. m.	1:20 p. m.	5 p. m.
Mid. Uplands, quiet at the close	10½d. @—	— @—	10½@10¾d.
Mid. Orleans, quiet at the close	11d. @—	— @—	10½@11d.
Corn, ⅓ qr. Mixed Western, New	29/	....	....
Wheat—Red Western, No. 2	9/9@—	....	12/4
Wheat—California White	....	....	....
Pork—Eastern Prime Mess	90/	....	....
Beef—Extra Prime Mess	68/6	....	....
Lard	....	....	....

Hops, 5½; Oils, 3½; Peas, 47½; Western Canal Flour, 26½; Tallow, 50.9@51½; Turpentine, 29½; Linseed Cakes, £12; Petroleum quiet at 10¾d for Refined, and 8d. for Spirits; Rosin, 6/@6/3 for Common North Carolina, and 16/ for Fine; Calcutta Linseed, 60/@66/6; Sperm Oil, £80; Whale Oil, £39 10/; Cheese, 65/; Bacon, 35/; Spirits Petroleum, 9@10d.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

TOLEDO, Nov. 16.—Flour quiet. Wheat advancing; sales No. 1 White Michigan at $2 10; White Michigan at $1 92; Amber at $1 70@$1 71. No. 1 Red at $1 70; No. 2 Spring, $1 15. Corn advancing; sales of No. 1 at 93@93½c.; No. 2 White at 88c.; New, 70c. Oats unchanged. Rye quiet. Barley dull. Receipts—2,400 bbls. Flour, 9,000 bush. Wheat, 7,000 bush. Corn, 10,800 bush. Oats. Shipments—2,400 bbls. Flour, 12,000 bush. Wheat, 6,500 bush. Corn, 9,000 bush. Oats, 1,600 bush. Rye.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 16.—Tobacco firm; Common to Fair Leaf $@$14 50, Frosted, 21c. Superfine Flour $5 25@$5 50. Wheat $1 60@$1 90. Corn, New, 50@55c., in bulk. Oats, 53c. Rye, $1 25. Mess Pork, New, $24 50. Bacon—13½c. for Shoulders, 17½c. for Clear Ribbed Sides, 18½c. for Clear Sides. Lard, 16½c. Hogs, $7@$7 25, gross. Raw Whisky, free, $1.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Exchange on New-York easier at par buying and one-tenth premium selling. Flour active and firmer; Spring Extras $6@$6 75. Wheat firm and quiet; active at an advance of 0@6½c.; sales of No. 1 at $1 16@$1 18; No. 2 at $1 11@$1 11½; since Change at $1 12@$1 13. Corn steady and firm at an advance of 1@1½c.; sales of No. 1 at 80c.; No. 2 at 76@76½c.; Rejected at 68@70c. Oats declined 1c.; sales of No. 1 at 46½c. Rye steady, $1 02 for No. 1. Barley firmer at an advance of 0@7c.; sales of No. 2 at $1 45; Rejected, $1 25; Sample, $1 41@$1 50; on the track. Whisky firm at an advance of 2c.; sales at 97c. Provisions quiet; Mess Pork, $24; Prime Mess, $20; Extra Prime, $17@$17 50. Beef Hams, $26; Sweet Pickled Hams, 12c. Lard weak at 12½c. seller February and March. Beef Cattle dull; Texan native Steers, $4 50@$5. Live Hogs dull at a decline of 10@15c.; buyers at $7 50. Freights quiet and unchanged. Receipts for the last two days—Flour, 8,000 bush. Wheat, 32,000 do. Corn, 32,000 do. Oats, 26,000 do. Rye, 2,000 do. Barley, 9,500 Live Hogs. Shipments—7,500 bbls. Flour, 125,000 bush. Wheat, 90,000 do. Corn, 21,000 do. Oats, 13,000 do. Rye, 15,000 do. Barley, 7,500 Live Hogs.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 16.—Tobacco—Nothing doing. Cotton—Nothing doing. Hemp dull, with only a small business; Undressed, $1 20; Dressed, $240. Flour firm for low grades at unchanged rates; Superfine, $4 50@$5 50; Extra, $5 75@$6; Double Extra, $6 75@$7; Family, $10@$10 75. Wheat advanced 2@3c.; Lard 1c.; Weights were light; Prime to Choice Fall, $1 30@$1 40; Fancy, $1 42@$1; Choice No. 2 Spring, $1 30; No. 3 do., $1 20. Corn heavy; New, 67@72c.; Old, 75c. Oats firm but slow of sale; sales at 48@50c. Barley very quiet. Fancy Minnesota Spring, $2 15; Fall, $1 35@$1 50. Rye lower and slow at $1 00@$1 05. Old Mess Pork, $25 50; the business was small. Bulk Meats—Dry Salted Clear Sides, 14½c. Bacon in small supply and steady—Clear Sides, 18@18½c.; Clear Shoulders, 15½c.; Clear Ribs, 17c. Lard dull; choice Tierces, 15½c.; Keg, 16½c. Live Hogs—Buyers are holding off; there were offers for future delivery at $6, with no takers; sales at $6@$7 50. Cattle in light demand at $2 25@$5 50, gross, for inferior to choice; Extra Shipping nominally advanced 25c. Whisky unchanged. Receipts to-day—3,000 bbls. Flour, 14,000 bush. Wheat, 4,200 bush. Corn, 11,000 bush. Oats, 6,000 bush. Rye, 1,300 bush. Barley.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 16.—Cotton dull; Middling nominally 24c. Flour more active; Howard-st. Superfine, $6 50@$7 25; do. Extra, $8@$10 50; do. Family, $10 75@$11 75; City Mills Superfine, $6 50@$7 25; Extra do., $8@$10 75; do. Family, $11@$12 75; Western Superfine, $6 25@$7; do. Extra, $8; do. Family, $10@$10 75. Clover-seed quiet; held firm at $7 50. Wheat dull; Prime to Choice Red $2 20@$2 35; low grades, $1 60@$1 75. Corn firm; New White, 88@90c.; Yellow, 95c.@$1 05. Oats dull; Western, 65@70c. Pork firm, Mess, $29. Bacon active; Rib Sides, 17½@18c.; Clear Sides, 18@19½c.; Shoulders, 13½@14c. Hams, 19@20c. Lard dull at 18c.

OSWEGO, Nov. 16.—Flour active and unchanged; sales of 3,600 bbls. at $7 75 for No. 1 Spring. $9 25 for Amber Winter; $10 25 for Winter; $11 25 for Double Extra. Wheat dull; sales of 3,200 bush White Canada at $2 05, and 1,500 bush. No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 85. Corn quiet; sales of 2,200 bush. of No. 1 at $1 05. Barley quiet, and no sales. Corn Meal $2 40 ℔ cwt. Milfeed steady. Shorts, $22. Shipstuffs, $26@$28; Middlings, $36 per ton. Canal Freights—Wheat, 12c. Corn and Barley, 13c. to New-York; Lake Ports—47,000 bush. Wheat, 1,000 bush. Corn, 24,000 bush. Barley, 21,000 bush. Oats, 1,027,000 feet of Lumber. Canal Exports—36,236 bush Wheat, 52,224 bush. Barley, 1,361,647 feet of Lumber.

BUFFALO, Nov. 16.—Receipts—Flour, 15,000 bbls; Wheat, 54,000 bush.; Corn, 10,000 bush. Shipments—Wheat, 50,000 bush.; Corn, 12,000 bush. Oats, 60,000 bush.; Rye, 6,000. Freights—Five cents Wheat to Rochester, do. Wheat 16c., Corn 13½c., Oats 8½c. to New-York. Lake in store here—Wheat, 760,000 bush.; Corn, 371,000 bush.; Oats, 200,000 bush.; Rye, 144,000 bush.; Barley, 110,000 bush.; Peas, 1,800 bush. Flour quiet; sales 200 bbls. No. 1 City Ground Spring at $7 50. Wheat dull; sales 6,000 bush. No. 2 Milwaukee Club, in lots, at $1 33; 2,300 bush. Sheboygan Spring at $1 25; 3,000 bush. Amber at $1 70@$1 72. Corn dull; sales of 2,000 bush. Old Western at $1. Oats lower; sales 3,600 bush. Western at 59c.; car lots at 60c. Rye dull; sales 1,000 bush. at $1 30, and 120 bbls. Rye Flour at $6 75. Barley dull; sales one car load Canada at $1 36. Highwines dull and nominal at $1 05. Mess Pork, $25. Lard, 15½c.

MEMPHIS, Nov. 16.—Cotton dull and nominal; receipts for two days, 2,600 bales; shipments, 2,200 bales. Flour very dull; the market is glutted. Corn, 70@80c. Oats, 60c. Hay, $24. Old Mess Pork, $31. New Mess, $28. Lard, 19c. Bacon, firm; Shoulders, 14½c.; Clear Sides, 19@19½c.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 16.—Flour quiet and firm at unchanged rates. Wheat firm at $1 29 for No. 1, and $1 17 for No. 2. Oats firm at 45c. for No. 2. Corn in fair demand at 80c. for No. 2. Barley and Rye nominal. Receipts to-day—2,000 bbls. Flour, 41,000 bush. Wheat, 1,200 bush. Corn, 1,000 bush. Rye, 1,000 bush. Barley. Shipments—12,000 bbls. Flour, 32,000 bush. Wheat, 1,000 bush. Oats, 2,000 bush. Corn.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 16.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat firmer; No. 1 was salable at $1 75, but was held at 4@5c. higher. Corn quiet and unchanged. Oats quiet and unchanged. Barley nominal. Cotton dull; Middling, 23c. Tobacco unchanged. Whisky, $1; the demand was light. Dressed Hogs dull at $8 75@$9, gross; receipts, 5,000 head. Mess Pork dull at $24 50@$25; the business was slight. Green Meats dull and unchanged. Lard dull at 14@15c. for Prime Steam, and 16½c. for Kettle. Bulk Meats quiet, Bacon—Shoulders offered at 12c. Gold irregular at 1234. Exchange dull.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16.—Cotton quiet; Middling Uplands, 24c.; Middling Orleans, 25@25½c. Cloverseed, $6 50@$7. Flaxseed, $2 60@$2 65. Flour firmer and more in demand; sales 1,000 bbls. at $7 50@$8 25 for Wisconsin and Minnesota Family; $9 50@$10 50 for Pennsylvania and Ohio do.; $11@$13 for Fancy. Wheat steady; sales 2,000 bush. Red at $2@$2 05; Amber, $2 10@$2 15. Rye, $1 40@$1 50. Corn quiet; Old Yellow, $1 12; New, 80@87c. Mixed Western, $1 10@$1 12. Oats, 60@70c. Petroleum unsettled. Groceries and Provisions—Small business and unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET—Nov. 16.

Receipts very dull but prices unchanged; sales, 2,200 head at 8@9c. for Extra Pennsylvania and Western steers; 6@7½c. for fair to good do.; 4@5½c. ℔ lb. gross, for common. Sheep in fair demand at an advance; sales 6,000 at 6@7c. ℔ lb. gross. Hogs higher; sales 4,000 at 12½@12¾c. ℔ net, for the latter for Extra.

Financial.

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS OF THE CALIFORNIA PACIFIC RAILROAD.

PRINCIPAL AND SEVEN PER CENT INTEREST payable in GOLD at the NATIONAL PARK BANK, New-York. COUPONS paid January and July. We offer a limited amount of same at par and accrued interest in currency.

TURNER BROTHERS, Bankers, No. 14 Nassau-st.

N. B.—*This Road is now completed to Sacramento City.*

A REGULAR BULLETIN of the REGISTERED POLICIES of the NORTH AMERICA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY will be published every TUESDAY MORNING. These bulletins will show the amount of the Registered Policies, and the amount of the securities pledged to, and in possession of the State of New-York, through the Insurance Department, as required by law. WEEKLY BULLETIN OF THE REGISTERED POLICIES OF THE NORTH AMERICA LIFE INSURANCE CO. OF NEW-YORK.

MONDAY, November 16, 1868.

Amount insured	$12,052,534 00
Deposit required by law	444,027 23
Actual amount deposited	450,568 00
Surplus	6,372 77

The above is a true statement of the Registered Policy Account of the North America Life Insurance Company on the morning of Monday, 16th November, 1868.

N. D. MORGAN, President.

Sworn before me this 16th day of November, 1868.

SIMEON T. HYDE, Notary Public.

OFFICE OF PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 24, 1868.

TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL ELECTION.—Notice is hereby given that the Election for NINE DIRECTORS of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company will be held at the Company's office, Nos. 58 and 61 Wall-st., on WEDNESDAY, November 18, 1868, between the hours of 12 m. and 2 p. m. The Transfer Books will be closed preparatory to said Election, on Monday, November 9, 1868, at 3 o'clock p. m. Due notice of the reopening of the Transfer Books will be hereafter given. By order of the Board of Directors.

THEODORE T. JOHNSON, Secretary.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY. OFFICE No. 60 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Nov. 16, 1868.

THE semi-annual INTEREST due December 1, 1868, on the PREFERRED STOCK of the OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY, will be paid on and after that date, at the office of the company, No. 60 Wall-st., New-York.

The Transfer Books of the Preferred Stock will be closed on November 21, at 2 o'clock p. m., and reopened on December 1, at 10 o'clock a. m. By order of Executive and Finance Committee.

E. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, NEW-FOUNDLAND, AND LONDON TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S STOCK BOUGHT AND SOLD. Parties desirous of a REGULAR GOLD DIVIDEND paying Stock would do well to investigate. The Company pays REGULAR QUARTERLY DIVIDENDS in GOLD TWO PER CENT, FREE FROM GOVERNMENT TAX.

GEO. C. DUNBAR, No. 7 Wall-st.

HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION AND INSURANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONN.

CAPITAL - - - - - - - - $500,000

Issues Policies of Insurance at lowest rates (after careful inspection of the Boilers), covering loss or damage arising from the explosion of STATIONARY, LOCOMOTIVE, OR MARINE BOILERS.

J. M. ALLEN, President. H. H. HAYDEN, Secretary. THOS. S. CUNNINGHAM, Agent for New-Jersey, New-York City, and Brooklyn. OFFICE, No. 106 BROADWAY.

PARTIES desiring to invest in a good, safe, and reliable institution, paying 20 per cent or more, (20 per cent guaranteed,) may do so by applying to QUINCY & CO., No. 7 New-st., for three days.

PACIFIC RAILROAD of MISSOURI First Mortgage GOLD BONDS (principal and interest payable in gold) for SALE at a low price by S. SKAATS & BRO., No. 19 Broad-st.

Banking Houses and Bankers.

VERMILYE & CO., BANKERS, REMOVED TO NOS. 16 AND 18 NASSAU-ST.,

DEALERS IN ALL ISSUES OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES AND IN GOLD AND GOLD COUPONS.

CLOSING PRICES. New-York, November 16, 1868.

5 p. m.	Bid.	Ask'd.	5 p. m.	Bid.	Ask'd.
Registered 1881	113	113¼	5-20 Coupon 1867	110½	110¾
Coupon 1881	114	114¼	5-20 Coupon 1868	110½	110¾
5-20 Registered 1862	106	106¼	10-40 Registered	103½	104¼
5-20 Coupon 1862	109	109¼	10-40 Coupon	103½	103¾
5-20 Coupon 1864	107½	107¾	Gold	136½	136¾
5-20 Coupon 1865	107½	107¾	U.S. Currency Packer	90½	99½
Do. Jan. & July	110½	110¾			

BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION

RAILWAY STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD,

MAKING LIBERAL ADVANCES.

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

HATCH, FOOTE & CO., BANKERS AND DEALERS IN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, GOLD, STOCKS, &c.

BUY AND SELL ALL ISSUES OF U. S. BONDS AT MARKET RATES.

NO. 12 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

JOHN MUNROE & CO., AMERICAN BANKERS, No. 7 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS, AND No. 8 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK. Issue Circular Letters of Credit for Travelers in all parts of Europe, &c. &c. Also Commercial Credits.

Savings Banks.

SIX PER CENT INTEREST on $5 to $5,000. Paid by UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK, Nos. 396 and 398 Canal-st., cor. of Laight-st. ASSETS, $5,450,231 34.

Bank Statements.

Bank of America.—Statement of the BANK OF AMERICA as required by Chapter 250, Laws of 1863, for the week ending Saturday, the 14th day of November 1868:

Average amount of Loans and Discounts	$7,819,857 46
Average amount of Specie	1,546,255 15
Average amount of Circulation	1,730 00
Average amount of Deposits	6,401,858 96

City and County of New-York, ss: I, Wm. L. Jenkins, Cashier of the Bank of America, being duly affirmed, depose and say that the above statement is correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief. WM. L. JENKINS, Cashier.

Affirmed before me this 14th day of November, 1868. FRANCOIS BELL, Notary Public.

Bull's Head Bank.—Statement of the BULL'S HEAD BANK, as required by Chapter 250, Laws of 1863, for the week ending Saturday, the 14th day of November, 1868:

Average amount of Loans and Discounts	$1,582,419 00
Average amount of Specie	5,782 00
Average amount of Circulation	7,188 00
Average amount of Deposits	1,764,488