firm and in steady request, at $2 25@2 37½ for Washington and Wilmington. By Pitch quoted at $2 10, delivered.

OCEAN FREIGHTS—There was a very fair business done in berth-room, the demand is quite a more general than for several days back; rates were without change, and, as a rule, the tone can be considered steady. In charter room a good deal of business was effected, especially in Petroleum vessels; the rates were slightly irregular for Grain charters, but quite steady for oil tonnage. The engagements were: To Liverpool, by steam, 16,000 bushels Grain at 5d.; 200 tons Bacon at 50s. ⅌ ton; nothing definite was done in Cheese, the present asking rate being 55s. ⅌ ton, which momentarily restricts business; and by sail, 4,000 bush. Grain at 6d. 4d.; 2,000 bales Cotton at 7-32d.; 1,000 bales do. at ⅝d.; 700 bbls. Rosin at 2s. 6d.; 134 shds. Tobacco at 33s. 9d., and 200 tons Oil Cake at 17s. 6d. To London, by steam, 3,000 boxes Cheese at 50s. ⅌ ton; 200 bales Hops at 60s.; 100 tcs. Beef at 85s., and 200 bbls. Tallow at 40s. ⅌ ton; nothing terms. To Bristol, by steam, 1,500 pgs. Provisions at 55s. ⅌ ton; 200 bbls. Pork at 7s. 6d. ⅌ ton. Beef at 9s., and some Tallow at 45s.; and by sail, 500 bbls. Flour at 2s. 6d. To Glasgow, by steam, 24,000 bush. Grain at 5½d., and 16,000 bush. do. at 9d. The charters were: A Brig of 240 tons hence to Cork for orders with 2,000 qrs. Grain at 6s. 1½d.; an Italian bark hence, same voyage, with 3,000 qrs. do. at 5s. 10½d.; another, hence, same voyage, with 3,300 qrs. do. at 6s. 1½d.; a Norwegian bark hence, same voyage and rate, with 3,000 qrs. do.; another Norwegian bark hence, same voyage, with 4,000 qrs. do.; another hence, same voyage, with 3,000 qrs. do. at 5s. 9d.; a German bark hence to the Baltic with 2,800 bbls. Refined Petroleum at 5s.; a Norwegian bark, same voyage and rate, with 2,500 bbls. do. at 5s.; another, same voyage and rate, with 3,000 bbls. do.; an American bark, same voyage and rate, with 2,800 bbls. do.; another, hence, same voyage (excluding Stettin) and rate, with 2,700 bbls. do.; an Italian bark, hence to Trieste, with 3,800 bbls. do. at 5s.; an American schooner of 484 tons register, hence to a Spanish port, with Petroleum, &c., and back to a port north of Hatteras, with sail on private terms; and four of 300 tons, same voyage, cargo, and terms. From Baltimore, a Norwegian bark (now at Sandy Hook) to the Baltic, with 2,600 bbls. Refined Petroleum at 5s. 6d.; a Norwegian bark to the Baltic with 2,500 bbls. do. at 5s. 1½d.; another, same voyage, with 1,600 bbls. do. at 5s. 6d.; a British ship (to arrive) to Antwerp or Bremen with 8,000 bbls. do. at 4s. 6d.; another (to arrive), same voyage and rate, with 6,000 bbls. do.; a German ship (to arrive), same voyage and rate, with 9,000 bbls. do.; a British ship (reported) to arrive, same voyage and rate, with 9,000 bbls. do. at 4s. 7½d.; an Italian bark (now at Sandy Hook) to Cork for orders with 3,000 qrs. Grain at 6s. 9d. and £10 contingent.

OILS—Linseed has latterly been in good demand and firmer at 5 c. for large and small lots. Crude Sperm is still quiet and nominally at $1 35; Natural, $1 60; Bleached, $1 65. Crude Whale remains about as last noted: sales at New Bedford of strictly fancy cheese will sell at the top price, something almost as fine, which, in ordinary years would be put down 5c.—certainly not more than 5c.—is at once reduced 5c., and if only moderately of flavor, 2c. By the way some of the reputed fine factories are turning out, it would seem as though there was little regard to the mark. Per lbs. the lower prices tend to lessen the care of the fine. These off flavor cheese curs, or poly cheese are neglected by shippers, who use as a sign throwing off about the lot, to indicate. Buyers are very close in their examination no longer paying upon the former reputation of a factory. There is no special change from last week, save that Ohio cheese generally rather gives, and are neglected, unless concessions are made. Quotations:

STATE.			
Fall, choice creamery	28@30	Firkins, fine	26@27
Do. fair to good	25 @27	Firkins, fair	22@24
Do. common to air	21@24	Welsh, fine selections	24@25
Half-skims, fine sales	12@13	Welsh, fair to good	21@23
Do. common	27@28	Welsh, lines	23@24
Do. lines	25@26	Common to fair	15@21
WESTERN.			
Creamery, finest	26@27	Tubs, fair to good	15@17
Do. good	23 @ 5	Tubs, poor	13@ 5
Dairy, packed, fine	20 @ 2	Firkins, good yellow	@19
Do. good to prime	15@19	Firkins, light color	15@17
PLANS AND FLAS.			

Receipts for past week: Beans, 1,931 bbls.; exports past week, 1,37 pkgs. Receipts of peas past week, 6,060 bush.; exports past week, 21,240 bush. Medium beans are inactive; only prime being $1; sales 100 bbls. ordinary, 80c., 113 bbls. fair, 90c.; 235 bbls. prime, $1. Marrows sold at $1 95, a diversal price to Monday, since which time prices rules $1 90@$1 95 on the dock, and $1 52½ on board; sales 2 bbls. at $1 52½ free on board, with some prime offering, on dock, at $ 50. Red Kidneys have had quite an export sale, viz., 60 bbls. fair at $1 20; 38 bbls. at $1 25; 50 bbls. at $1 37½; 100 bbls. at $1 3 ; 150 bbls. fine, at $1 40, a 150 bbls. prime at $1 50. Black beans are scarce and easily worth $ 50 ⅌ bush. A lot of pea beans sold at $1 20. South rs blackeyed are not moving. Some lots are holding quite above quotations. Quotations:

BEANS.			
Medium, prime, bush	$1 00@$ —	Kidny, red, prime	1 40@ 1 50
Do. prime to good	75@ 90	Do. do. other	1 10@ 1 35
Marrows, prime	1 50@ 1 52½	PEAS.	
Do. common to good	1 25@ 1 50	Green, bush	$1 10@ 1 15
Pea, prime	1 20@ 1 25	Can., bulk, bush	1 00@ —
Do. other	1 00@ 1 10	Do., bbs., duty rd	1 20@ —
Kidney, White	1 30@ 1 40	South. H. E. ⅌ ⅌	
		bush. bag	2 50@ 2 75

CHEESE.

Receipts for past week, 6,[illegible] boxes; do. previous week, 53,380 do.; exports past week, 30,952 do. Liverpool cable quotations, 52s. This is a dull one for us abroad. Shipments are much lighter each week than they were last year. The shipments for the corresponding week of last year were 89,524 boxes. This goes to show that the make is either lighter this year, or that cheese are held upon the factories, for the stock is not allowed to accumulate here to much extent. It is likely that many cheese are at the factories, awaiting buyers, while dealers here, and those on the other side as well, are disposed to act with more caution in these times of general depression. They incline to leave the risks in first hands. There is one noticeable feature of the trade, viz.: that while strictly fancy cheese will sell at the top prices, something almost as fine, which, in ordinary years would be put down 5c.—certainly not more than 5c.—is at once reduced 5c., and if only moderately of flavor, 2c. By the way some of the reputed fine factories are turning out, it would seem as though there was little regard to the mark. Per lbs. the lower prices tend to lessen the care of the fine. These off flavor cheese curs, or poly cheese are neglected by shippers, who use as a sign throwing off about the lot, to indicate. Buyers are very close in their examination no longer paying upon the former reputation of a factory. There is no special change from last week, save that Ohio cheese generally rather gives, and are neglected, unless concessions are made. Quotations:

STATE.			
Factory, fancy	10½@11	Factory, skims	3 @ 5
Do., good to one	9 @10	Farm dairy, good	9 @ 9½
Do., part skims	7 @ 8	Do., fair	8 @ 8½
		Do., common	5 @ 7
WESTERN.			
Ohio Factory, fine	9½@ 9½	Other Factory, fair	8 @ 9
Do. fair to good	8 @ 9	Do., half skims	6 @ 7
		Western skims	3 @ 5

EGGS.

Receipts for the week, 11,729 pkgs.; do., previous week, 11,329 pkgs. Eggs continued to strengthen after the close last week, but to day they are scarcely as firm, leaning the most weakness is tells 2c. Lots are not moving as fast as to-day. Some of the late arrivals give evidence of having been held for some time before sending forward—an unsafe way of doing business at this season of the year. Some dealers put prices down to cover probable loss, while others sell less off. Our figures are for the latter. Quotations:

N.J. and L. I. ⅌ doz.	17½@18	West. com. to fair	16 @16½
State and Penn.	17 @17½	Western, ordinary	15½@16
West. choice	16½@17	Canada	@17

FRUITS.

Ice-house apples are still being put out at $4 for "Imperial brand." New apples from Virginia are plenty, of small size, an. slow of sale at $1@$1 5 ⅌ bbl. The last of Georgia peaches sold at $2@$3 50 ⅌ small crate of small peaches, with a good deal of cut on around them. Straw ries, mostly from Jersey, are selling very slowly, and the market is reported lower. Carrying from the river, Jersey berries do not bring what they did in larger years; some morning, with a few, in fancy Incomias, Agricultural, Boyd's No. 30, &c., sold at 10@ 3c. ⅌ quart, but, as too left over to-day were offering at 12@ 15c.; Monarch of the West were the largest and most mellow. Black raspberries from Delaware are selling in excess of the demand, and many lots have to be sold at a loss. The finest of many lots made. Blackberries are the red Falls of his variety, also from Delaware. Antwerps are expected to-day. Cherries are a perfect glut, of en rotting before they can be sold. Prices very irregular. Fine fruit may bring 10c. ⅌ lb in the morning, 6@ 8c. at noon, and 3@ 5c. at close. Dark cherries are in carriage quantities, at 12c. White cherries are not in quantity to quote. Good berries get the market at lower and variable prices; some in English sold at 14@ 5c. ⅌ bush. Quotations:

Strawberries, Jersey ⅌ qt.	8@10	Cherries, fine sweet, ⅌ lb	8@ 10
Do. do., ordinary	4@ 6	Do., ordinary	3@ 6
Do. do., fancy	15@20	Dewberries, ⅌ qt.	8@ 10
Do. Jersey, small baskets	1½@ 2	Do. common	3@ 5
Apples, new, Va., ⅌ bbl.	$1 00@$1 50	Raspberries, blk., ⅌ qt.	8@ 10
Gooseberries, ⅌ qt.	1 00@ 1 25	Do. Pinladelphia	15@ 20
Do., quarts	4@ 5		

PEARS AND NUTS—DRIED.

Receipts of dried fruit for the week, 53 pkgs., and 605 of peanuts. Shipments of dried apples, 65 pkgs. Apples continue to decline, though there is not enough doing to establish quotations. All dried fruits are ready nominal. There is some outside call, and fresh fruits guarding our own markets. Quotations:

Apples—State qrs., prime ⅌ lb	8½@ 8½	Do., do., fancy	17@ 18
State sliced	9 @ 9½	Do., do., common to fair	10@ 14
Blackberries	9½@ 0	Do., Wilmington prime	16@ 17
Raspberries, ⅌ lb	25 @26	Do., do., fancy	18 @ 20
Cherries	15 @16	Do., do., common	12 @ 15
Peaches, fair, peeled	12 @15	Do., do., coarse	10 @ 12
Do., do., hartogues	9 @11	Do., do., quarters	8 @ 9½
Plums, State	15 @16	Do., medium	10 @ 12
Peanuts, Va., prime	$1 00@ —		

HIDES AND SKINS.

Calf, large, each	$1 50@$1 70	Lamb, each	55@ 60
Do., small, ⅌ ⅌	12@ 13	Sheep, clipped	@ 30
Cattle, green	5½@ 6	Do., wool	$1 50@$2 25

HOPS.

Receipts for past week, 314 bales; exports, 371 bales. In view of these larger shipments, though nearly by dealers sending forward for a market, there is a little more firmness in the particularly since Inquiries come from the West, which is reported to be rather hopy. A car of California hops arrived a few days since. Part of them (35 bales) were sold at 17c., 15 bales good State at same price, and 15 bales at 14c. Quotations:

State Crop	17 @—	Wisconsin	16@15
State, fair to good	12½@16	Yearlings	14
Eastern	12 @16	Old, all growths	14@ 6

MEATS.

Shipments of cut and salt meats for the week, 4,963 boxes bacon, 5,0 bbls. and 1 boxes beef, 1,185 bbls. pork, and 1,6.7 pkgs. lard, with 37 boxes shoulders. The receipts of cattle are in good condition and it is to be feared that some poor Texan cattle are being fed out and sold at low prices. Dressed beef is lower, but the cattle at hand are scarce and higher, most of them being Western lanes. All the meat now quoted is kept here, save some of the calves sent in from nearby points. Quotations:

Beef sides prime, ⅌ ⅌	8½@ 9	Hams, City killed	8 @ 8½
Do. do., common	7½@ 7	Mutton, prime	9 @10
Calves, dressed	10 @11	Do., common to fair	6 @ 8
Do., common	6 @ 8	Spring lambs	10 @ 6

MILK.

The daily average receipts for the week at the various points of distribution were as follows: By the railroad, 76,[illegible] cream, 3,340 cans milk; Harlem Railroad, 37,[illegible] 600 cream; Hudson River Railroad, 7,[illegible] 600 cream; Maitland Railroad, 1,100 cream; and 50 of cream; in sundries, nearly 1,000 cans milk; total, 19, 30 cans milk and 40 kegs cream. The price at which the surplus has sold of 40 kegs cream. The price at which the surplus has sold on the platform during the past week averaged $1 39 per can, by the can at $1 50, falling to $1 25 on the 16th, and rising at $1 50 on the 17th, and closing at $1 25. The increased supply, with cool nights and mornings, is meeting the demand, leaves a surplus of 2,[illegible] cans each day.

POTATOES AND GAME.

Philadelphia has been a long one in consignments to shippers of Western five pounds, hence find prices not higher prices here. Foods are weak. Ducks are much called for. Very few wild pigeons are arriving; they sell at $1@$1 25 ⅌ crate, small fed sell at $1 75; tame squabs sell at $2. Quotations:

Turkeys, West'n	9@ 11½	Ducks, Long Island	6@ 7
Geese, ⅌ ⅌	12 @1 50	Chicks, Spring	20@ 26
Ducks, West'n	50@ 65	Chicks, Western	12@ 15
Fowls, State & Jer. ⅌ ⅌	12@ 14	Pigeons, wild, ⅌ doz.	1 62@1 75
Do. Western	11@ 1	Squabs, tame	$1 50@2 00

VEGETABLES.

Old potatoes, save from peachblows, have no inquiry, and should not be sent here. Sweets are selling at 9@ 0 ⅌ bbl., which are 1½@ 2 and generally lower, especially Jersey. Tomatoes are cut down to 50c. ⅌ bushel, with many purchases. Florida cucumbers are cut down, as they do not sell. They are now coming from Norfolk, Va. Peas are selling from Norfolk, Va. Peas are selling from Norfolk, Va. Peas are selling