THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

B. W. Flour, pkgs	290	Spirits turp., bbls	570
Beans, bbls	90	Rosin, bbls	1,457
Cotton, bales	6,912	Oil cake, pkgs	2,028
Cottonseed oil, bbls	1,334	Oil, lubr., bbls	91
Copper, bbls	20	Oleo stock, pkgs	790
Copper, cakes	647	Peanuts, bags	1,032
Dried fruit, pkgs	520	Pork, pkgs	936
Eggs, bbls	317	Beef, pkgs	478
Eggs, cases	2,242	Cutmeats, pkgs	5,278
Flour, pkgs	18,977	Lard, pkgs	2,028
Cornmeal, bbls	375	Lard, kegs	1,944
Cornmeal, bags	5,619	Butter, pkgs	3,390
Wheat, bush	4,800	Cheese, pkgs	1,391
Corn, bush	59,800	Dressed hogs, No	270
Oats, bush	32,000	Raisins (Cal.), bxs	1,345
Malt, bush	13,000	Rice, pkgs	555
Barley, bush	5,000	Sugar, hhds	16
Peas, bush	600	Sugar, bbls	9,554
Oatmeal, bbls	500	Spelter, pcs	3,166
Flaxseed, bags	975	Starch, pkgs	1,500
Grease, pkgs	61	Tallow, pkgs	369
Grass seed, bags	200	Tobacco, hhds	91
Hides, bales	534	Tobacco, pkgs	1,194
Hops, bales	403	Whiskey, bbls	735
Lead, pigs	3,000	Wool, bales	75
Leather, sides	1,345	Wine (Cal.), pkgs	170
Moss, bales	33	Brandy (Cal.), pkgs	2
Molasses, bbls	833		

GENERAL MARKET REPORTS.

BUILDING MATERIAL—Former prices are quoted, but the movement continues slow. Bricks quoted at $5,75@$6 per 1,000 for hard, and at $4.50@$5.25 for Jersey; Haverstraw hard at $5.75@$6.50; Fishkill, $5@$6; pale, $2.75@$3; Croton, dark and red, $14; go brown, $13; Philadelphia front, $21; Trenton do, $20. Rosendale cement, $1@$1.05 per bbl; American Portland, $2.10@$2.25; English Portland, $2.50@$2.60; German Portland, $2.50@$2.80; Rockland lime, 90c per bbl, and 60c finishing. $1.10; St. John's lime, 80@85c for common and $1 for finishing; laths, $2.25@$2.30 per 1,000; goat's hair, 22@25c per bush; cattle hair, 16@18c.

CHICORY—Dull and unchanged. Seelig's Yellow Paper, 5¾@5¾c; H. S. genuine granulated, 5¼c; Taylor Brothers' English granulated, 6¼c.

COCOA—Quiet, but steady.

COOPERAGE STOCK—A light business reported at the old line of prices.

COFFEE—There was a barely steady market for Brazil growths on the spot, and demand was quite moderate. Sales, 500 bags No. 7, 17¾c to arrive; 500 bags do, 17¼c spot; 500 bags do, 17¼c c. and f., to be shipped; 1,000 bags No. 6 Santos, 17¾c to be shipped. Of mild grades, sales, 3,000 bags Cucuta, private terms, and a moderate sale of 12,000 mats Java (private growths), 23½c, but not confirmed. Options were dull and devoid of new features. A holiday at Havre served to check general trade, and business was entirely of a local nature. The changes for the day were unimportant. Hamburg gained ¼ pfg over January and February, while others were unchanged. Rio closed unofficially 200 reis lower. Spot Rio, 9c. Official quotations were: January, 16.80; February, 7.45; March, 7.25@7.40; April, 7.15@7.30; May, 7.15@7.25; June, 7.05. Rio quotes Regular First (10 kilos), 7@7.00; Good Second (10 kilos), 7@200; exchange (private), 21; receipts (2 days), 13,000 bags; Rio clearances for United States, 3,000 bags; total stock, 170,000 bags; market quiet. Santos receipts (2 days), 13,000 bags. Receipts at Rio, July 1 to January 1, 1891, 1,362,000 bags; same time 1890, 1,146,000 bags; same time 1889, 2,528,000 bags; receipts at Santos, July 1 to January 1, 1891, 1,988,000 bags; same time 1890, 1,288,000 bags; same time 1889, 1,256,000 bags. Rotterdam, Dec. 31.—Good Ordinary Java, 58c. Market—Steady only filling their immediate wants. Arrivals at Netherlands during the month, 60,000 bags; deliveries in Netherlands during the month, 30,900 bags; stock in Netherlands during the month, 179,500 bags. Bordeaux, Jan. 2.—Arrivals during last month, 6,100 bags; deliveries during last month, 8,500 bags; stock in Bordeaux, January 1, 20,700 bags. Total sales here to-day, 8,500 bags, as follows:

	Closing prices.	Highest.	Lowest.	Sales.
January	16.25@16.30	16.25	16.20	4,250
February	15.80@15.85	15.80	15.80	2,250
March	15.45@15.55	15.50	15.45	1,500
April	15.15@15.25	.....	.....	.....
May	15.00@15.10	15.05	15.05	500
June	14.75@14.90	.....	.....	.....
July	14.60@14.80	.....	.....	.....
August	14.30@14.45	.....	.....	.....
September	14.10@14.20	.....	.....	.....
December	@18.70	.....	.....	.....

Warehouse deliveries since December 1, 1890: New-York, 159,434 bags; Baltimore, 13,416 bags; New-Orleans, 21,648 bags; total, 194,498 bags.

COTTON—The spot market ruled quiet and steady at unchanged prices. Sales, 2,000 bales for consumption. Port receipts, 32,529 bales, against 41,585 bales this day last week and 51,848 bales this day last year. Crop movement:

Quotations are based on American standard of classification:

New cotton.

	Uplands.	Gulf.
Ordinary	6 11-16	7
Strict Ordinary	7½	7 7-16
Good Ordinary	8	8 5-16
Strict Good Ordinary	8⅜	8 11-16
Low Middling	9 1-16	9⅜
Strict Low Middling	9 3-16	9⅝
Middling	9 5-16	9¾
Good Middling	9 11-16	10
Strict Good Middling	9 15-16	10⅛
Middling Fair	10 7-16	10⅝
Fair	10 15-16	11¼

STAINED.

Good Ordinary	6 7-16	Low Middling	7 15-16
Strict Good Ordinary	7 1-16	Middling	8¾

Options—Acted quite strong, and speculation reached a respectable aggregate, despite the absence of Liverpool advices (owing to the holidays abroad). In the early dealings there was a rise of 4@7 points on near, and 9 points on late months. And final figures showed gains of 9@11 points on late months. Buying for account of Liverpool and the South and a light interior movement served as the principal "bull" features. Sales, 95,500 bales.

	Closing prices.	Highest.	Lowest.	Sales.
January	9.11@9.12	9.14	9.06	6,100
February	9.21@9.25	9.28	9.18	18,200
March	9.37@9.38	9.40	9.30	27,300
April	9.51@9.52	9.54	9.44	14,600
May	9.61@9.62	9.64	9.55	12,000
June	9.71@9.72	9.73	9.65	8,000
July	9.79@9.80	9.83	9.75	2,900
August	9.79@9.80	9.84	9.74	7,900
September	9.66@9.62	9.65	9.63	200

FLOUR AND MEAL—FLOUR—At the outset the market ruled quite strong and trading was fairly active, mainly on home trade account, but the late break in wheat brought business to a pause, and the close was somewhat unsettled. Aside from to-day's dealings, upward of 20,000 bbls choice and fancy patents (mainly spring wheat) changed hands, to the actual advance of 10@15c within the quoted range. Sales, 26,000 bbls (5,900 for export), including 1,400 bbls Low Extra at $3.40@$3.90; 3,100 bbls City Mill at $5@$5.35 for the West Indies; 14,700 bbls Minnesota Extra at $3.60@$5.50; 8,200 bbls Winter Wheat Extra at $3.40@$5.40; 1,100 bbls Superfine at $3@$3.50; 1,200 bbls Fine at $2.60@$3.25. Quotations: City Mill Extra, West Indies, $5@$5.35; do Patents, $5.10@$5.75. Low Extra, $3.40@$3.90; Winter Wheat, low grades, $3.40@$3.90; fair to choice, $4@$4.90; fancy, $5; Patents, ordinary to choice, $4.60@$5; Minnesota Spring Wheat, low extra, $3.40@$3.90; clear, $4.15@$4.85; Rye mixtures, $4@$4.50; Straights, ordinary to fancy, $4.40@$5.10; Patents, ordinary to choice, $4.65@$5.25; fancy do, $5.35@$5.50. Superfine spring and winter, $3@$3.75. Fine, $2.60@$3.00. Market closed easy. SOUTHERN FLOUR—Less active but steady as a rule. Sales, 1,000 bbls Shipping Grades, $3.40@$3.90; Trade and Family Extras, $4@$5; Patents, $4.65@$5.25..... RYE FLOUR—In light demand. Sales, 475 bbls Superfine at $4.10@$4.35, and fancy at $4.40@$4.50. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Steady and quiet. Quoted at $2.20@$2.30. BUCKWHEAT MEAL—Quoted at 90c..... CORNMEAL—Had a moderate demand. Yellow Western quoted at $2.50@$3.25, and Brandywine at $3.25. Sales, 700 bbls, including 300 bbls Brandywine.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Bearish influences prevailed to-day, and the result was a decided break in prices throughout the entire list. Speculation was quite active, and at times the market was rather nervous on heavy selling by "longs" both here and at the West. Upward of 3,000,000 bush changed hands, the bulk of which was absorbed by May delivery. It opened at $1.06 and steadily declined to $1.04⅝, leaving off at the bottom. July ranged from $1.00 7-16 down to 99c, closing at the latter. The foreign advices were strong and in some cases higher. The Liverpool tide failed to arrive in Delaware Bay. Reports of rain and snow in the winter wheat section had a depressing influence, besides which the Northwestern arrivals were quite liberal. Small clearances also aided the "bear" side. Free selling at the West by the leading operators was another weakening factor. A private telegram from Chicago stated that the Government crop estimate placed the yield at 400,000,000 bush, and this too helped the decline. Arrivals at interior points were 353,522 bush spring and 25,653 bush winter, against 177,961 and 54,231 bush respectively a year ago. Seaboard receipts, 8,413 bush; clearances, 2,496 bush wheat and 15,000 bbls flour. On the spot there was a decline of fully 2c on winter red, while spring grades were only ¼c lower. Trading was very slow all around, both exporters and millers holding off. Deliveries on contract aggregated 12 loads. Sales, 3,688,000 bush future, 2,000 bush spot, including ungraded winter red at $1.05½; No. 2 red quoted $1.03⅝ store, $1.05⅝ afloat; No. 1 hard spring nominal; $1.13⅝; No. 1 Northern, $1.07½; No. 2 do, $1.04⅝@$1.05⅝, closing at $1.03⅞ do February, $1.05⅛@$1.05¼, closing at $1.04¼; do March, $1.05¼@$1.06⅜, closing at $1.05; do May, $1.04⅝@$1.06, closing at $1.04⅝; do July, 99c@$1.00 7-16, closing at 99c; do August, 97¼@97⅞c, closing at 97⅛c; do December, 99⅝@$1.00⅞, closing at 99⅝c..... RYE—Had a slow inquiry. Western, in bond or free, nominally at 77@78c; Canada, 76@77c; State, 76@78c at the outside figure.

BARLEY—Quiet and unchanged. No. 2 Milwaukee quoted at 82c; ungraded Western, 75@86c; No 2 Canada, 87c; Extra No 2, 90c; No 1 Canada, 95c..... BARLEY MALT—Steadily held, though demand continued light.

CORN—Was not especially interesting, and speculation showed a marked falling off, less than 500,000 bush being dealt in. There was a rise of ⅛@⅜c during the first hours, based mainly on small receipts and stronger foreign accounts. Light stocks at London also had some effect. But the depression in wheat prompted realizing, and final figures showed losses of ⅛@⅜c, as compared with Wednesday. The spot market ruled unsettled, closing weaker owing to the late heaviness in options. There was nothing done for export. Clearances, 2,131 bush. Deliveries on contract were unimportant. Sales, 416,000 bush future, 37,000 bush spot, including Mixed and White, 58c elevator; No 3 Mixed, 57½c elevator; Steamer Mixed, 58⅜@58½c elevator, 59½c afloat; No 2 Mixed, 59c elevator, 60@60½c afloat; Steamer Yellow, 58½c elevator; Western Yellow, 59½c; No 2 January, 59⅛@59⅜c, closing at 59⅛c; do February, 59⅛@60c, closing at 59⅛c; do March, 59⅛@60c, closing at 59⅛c; do May, 59@59⅞c, closing at 59⅝c; do June, closing at 59⅝c; do July, 59⅝@60⅛c, closing at 59⅝c. OATS—Merely followed corn and speculation was moderate. At the opening there was a rise of ⅛@⅜c, with some little covering of short interest. Small receipts helped the advance. Realizing, however, set in later in the day, leading to a reaction of ⅜@1⅛c, closing with the bottom figures ruling barely steady. Spot lots closed weaker after a firm opening, sympathizing with options. Clearances, 175 bush. Deliveries on contract, 200,000 bush, mainly No 2 White. Sales, 560,000 bush future, 102,000 bush spot, including No 3 Mixed, 49c elevator; No 3 White, 49½@50c; No 2 Mixed, 49½@50½c elevator, 50½@50¾c afloat; No 2 White, 50¼@51c elevator; No 1 White, 53½c elevator; No 2 Chicago, 50½@50¾c. Ungraded Mixed, 48@52c. White do, 50@56c; Track, No 2 January, 49⅛@50⅜c, closing at 49⅝c; do February, 50⅛@51c, closing at 50c; do May, 50⅛@51⅞c, closing at 50⅝c; White January, 50⅛@51c, closing at 50⅝c; do February, 51⅛@52c, closing at 51⅛c; do May, 53@53½c, closing at 53c..... FEED—Quoted: 40 lb, $1.05@$1.10; 60 lb, $1@$1.05; 80 lb, $1.05@$1.10; 100 lb, $1@$1.15; $1.20; Sharps, $1.25@$1.30; Rye Feed, $1@$1.05.

Liverpool stocks, January 2, 1891: Wheat, 1,767,000 centals; corn, 815,000 centals; flour, 103,000 sacks. January 2, 1890: Wheat, 1,425,000 centals; corn, 531,000 centals; flour, 136,000 sacks.

London stocks, January 2: Wheat, 270,000 to 280,000 qrs; corn, 25,000 to 50,000 qrs; flour, 340,000 to 360,000 bbls.

HIDES—Quiet.

HEMP AND JUTE—Dull and nominal.

HAY AND STRAW—Receipts of hay continue large, and the market has a weak look with a light trade. Straw quiet but firm on the better qualities. HAY—Prime, 95c; fair to good, 50@60c; common to fair, 45@55c; clover, mixed, 45@55c; prime, 45c..... STRAW—Long rye, 90@95c; short rye, 45@50c; oat and wheat, 40@45c.

HOPS—Trade still drags, but advices from the interior report a healthy condition of affairs, and the market has a firm support. State, 1890, choice, 38@40c; medium, 35@37c; common to fair, 30@34c; State, 1889, choice, 28c; medium, 24@26c; common to fair, 20@22c; State, 1888, 12@18c; do old, 8@12c; Pacific Coast, 1890, common to choice, 30@38c; choice, 1889, 27c.

LEATHER—Steady on a moderately active trade. Exports for the week, 20,000 sides.

METALS—In the iron trade quietness has prevailed, and the situation is without important change. AMERICAN PIG IRON—No. 1 X, Northern Foundry, from $17 to $18, while No. 2 is $16@$16.50. Southern brands range from $16.25@$16.75 for No. 1; Grey Forge, $15@$15.50..... BESSEMER PIG—Quoted at $16.25@$17 at furnace..... STEEL RAILS—An unsettled market, with $28 considered the outside figure on standard sections..... SCOTCH PIG—Quoted at $24.50 for Coltness, $22@$22.50 for Dalmellington, and $20.50 for Eglinton..... TIN—Steady, with sales of 25 tons January, 20.15c..... COPPER—Lake quoted at 11¾c, and outside brands, 13@14c; an easy market..... LEAD—Quiet at 4.20c.

MOLASSES—Had a slow inquiry. New-Orleans, new, quoted at 18@37c, ordinary to fancy; Porto Rico, 25@40c; English Island, 27@30c.

NAVAL STORES—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Again lower and dull, owing to easier Southern advices, quoted 38½@38c. ROSIN—Dull and weak on low grades. Strained, $1.40; Good do, $1.42½; E, $1.55@$1.60; F, $1.70; G, $1.80; H, $2; I, $2.25; K, $2.85; M, $2.65; N, $3.25; W. G., $4.25; W. W., $5.

OILS—Of Cottonseed, sales, 350 bbls off grade crude, 20c. The general market ruled steady but quiet. Cottonseed crude, prime, 27@28c; do off grade, 20@24c; refined, summer yellow, prime, and butter grade, 34@37c; do off grade, 25@26c; Cocoanut, Ceylon, 8c; Cochin, 8½c; Cod, domestic, 31@32c; foreign, 33@34c; Linseed, raw, city, 58c; Western, 52@54c; Calcutta, 62c; Lard, prime, 48@49c; Tallow, 4¼@4⅝c; Menhaden, crude, prime, 23@25c; light pressed, 26@27c; dark pressed, 23@25c; bleached winter, 30@32c; bleached spring, 29@30c; extra bleached winter, 35c; Sperm, crude, 70@72c; natural winter, 74@76c; natural spring, 67@69c; bleached winter, 76@80c; bleached spring, 72@74c; Whale, natural winter, 53@54c; bleached winter, 56c; bleached spring, 55c; extra bleached, 58@59c; Sea Elephant, bleached winter, 62@63c; Saponified, 4¼@4½c per lb; Olive, Italian, 70c; Straits, 24c; Bank, 23c.

OCEAN FREIGHTS—Steam for grain and cotton is firmly held and generally in fair demand, though the better feeling is due largely to small offerings. To Liverpool via steam lines, 3,000 bales cotton at 5c 32d. In the sail chartering line comparatively little was done at any point.

PETROLEUM CHARTERS—Austrian bark Poschich, Philadelphia to Fiume, 40,000 cases crude, on private terms..... MISCELLANEOUS CHARTERS—Schooner Walter L. Plummer, hence to Ponce P. R., general cargo, on private terms; schooner Caroline C. Force, south side Cuba to Brekwater, for orders, sugar, about 15c; Schooner Aldwith, same to Genoa, same.

PROVISIONS—PORK—Ruled dull and barely steady. No sales reported. Mess quoted at $10@$11 for old and $11@$12 for new; Short clear, $11.50@$13.50; Extra Prime, $10@$10.50; Family Mess, $11@$12; stock of pork, January 1, 25,014 bbls, against 19,000 bbls last year. BEEF—Unchanged in price and quiet. City extra India Mess, in tcs, quoted $15; Family, $9.00@$10.50; Packet, in bbls, $8@$9; Plate, $7@$7.50; Mess, $7..... BEEF HAMS—In light request. Quoted at $12.50@$13 here, and $11.50 at the West. CUT MEATS—Generally steady, but trading slow. Sales, 15,000 lb pickled bellies, 5c. Pickled Bellies quoted at 5c. Pickled Hams, 7¼@7½c; Smoked do, 8@8½c; Pickled Shoulders, 4½@4¾c; Smoked do, 5c..... MIDDLES—Unsettled and lower. At Chicago, January sold 5.02½@5.07½c; May, 5.62½@5.75..... DRESSED HOGS—Made a further advance. Quoted 5c; and pigs, 5½c..... LARD—Was quite strong for a brief period at the outset, and some options advanced a trifle, but the break in grain caused a general reaction, leaving off 3@5 points lower than Wednesday. Speculation was only moderate, and cash trading slow. Spot quoted 6.20c. Sales, 750 tcs, c. and f. 6.22½c, early in the day. City steam weaker. Sales, 130 tcs at 5.65c; January closed at 6.20c; sales, 250 tcs, 6.25c. February closed at 6.33@6.40c; sales, 250 tcs, 6.36c; March closed at 6.45c; sales, 2,000 tcs, 6.45@6.49c. May closed 6.60@6.62c; sales, 2,500 tcs at 6.60@6.71c. Refined quoted at 6.10@6.55c; South America, 7.15c. Stock of lard January 1, 49,077 tcs prime, 550 tcs off grade, 689 tcs stearine, against 48,753,310 and 1,091 respectively December 1..... BUTTER—Rather easy with rather more life to the demand. State creamery, fine, best, 29@30c; fair to choice, 20@27c; Pennsylvania Creamery, best, 29c; fair to choice, 20@28c; fancy, 29@29½c; Western Creamery, fancy, 28@28½c; do choice, 25@27c; do fair to good, 19@24c; June Creamery, 18@24c, fair to choice; State Creamery, summer made, 21@23c; State Dairy, half firkins, tubs or pails, fall ends, fancy, 25c; choice, 22@23c; good, 19@21c; fair, 17@18c; common, 14@16c; State Dairy firkins and tubs, fancy, 23c; choice, 21@22c; fair to good, 16@20c; State Dairy firkins, choice to fancy, 20@22c; fair to good, 16@19c. Western Imitation Creamery, choice, 22@24c; good, 18@21c; fair, 13@15c; Western Dairy, choice, 19@20c; do good, 14@16c; fair, 11@13c. Western Factory, fine, 11@13c. Factory, 7½@8c. Fresh Eggs—Steady. Western, fresh, 12@14c; thirds, 10@11c; fourths, 8@9c; rolls, 11@12c..... CHEESE—Had a fair inquiry at very steady prices. State factory, full cream, fancy, 9¾c; fine, 9½c; good to prime, 8½@9¼c; fair to good, 8@8½c; common to fair, 7@8c; full skims, 2@6c; light skims, choice, 6@7c; part skims, 3@6c. Western flat, fancy, 9¾c; Pennsylvania, white, 9¾c..... EGGS—Quiet, but firm on unfavorable weather West and Southwest. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 30@31c; Western, 29@30c, fair to choice; fall packed, 24@26c; Western, 20@23c; limed, 22@23c.

STEARINE—Quiet and unchanged. Choice lard is quoted at 6¾@7c. Oleomargarine, city, 5½c.

OIL-CAKE—Steady, as a general rule, but trading slow. No sales reported. Fair refining quoted at $19.00. Centrifugal, 96 test, 5¼c; do c. and f., 7½c.

REFINED—Quiet and unchanged. Crude, 6¼c; Cut Loaf, 6⅝c; Cubes, 6 1-16c; Powdered, 6⅛c; Granulated, 5 15-16c; Mould "A," 6⅛c; Confectioners' "A," 5⅞c; Standard "A," 5 13-16c; Off "A," 5¾@5 7-16c; White, Extra "C," 5⅛c; Extra "C," 5c; "C," 4 15-16c; Yellow, 4 11-16c.

SEEDS—Quiet but steady at 74@75c for clover, and $1.40@$1.60 for timothy, as to grade.

TOBACCO—Dealings have been small throughout, but at previous rates. Sales including 200 hhds Lower Wisconsin at 7@9½c; 100 cases Seed Leaf, Dade County, 10@14c; 100 cases Pennsylvania Seedlings, 10@12c; 100 cases sundries, 6@35c; 250 bales Havana, 70c and 75c.

TALLOW—In moderate request at steady prices. Prime city quoted at 4 9-16c; sales, 150 hhds at 4 9-16c.

WOOL—The market has ruled dull all the week, but the situation as to prices shows no material change. Stocks are light, and are estimated at 11,000,000 pounds. Of Texas alone there is 2,100,000 pounds, as against 1,075,000 pounds last year. The stock comprises about 40,000 Territory spring, and 1,265,000 lb fall. Prices on fall Texas range from 19@23c. XX fleece is quoted at 34c. fine delaine, 35@36c. California scoured, 50@52c. Sales yesterday include 5,000 lb medium washed combing, 42c; 4,000 lb medium unwashed do, 30c; 50,000 lb fall Texas, 22@22c; 11,000 do scoured do, 48@51c; 15,000 do Territory, 21@22c; 10,000 do scoured California, 51@52c; 30,000 do spring do, 50,000 do pulled, and 40,000 do carpet, on private terms.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

New-York, Friday, Jan. 2—BEEVES—Receipts for two days, 17; carloads of 2,920 head—69 carloads consigned direct to slaughterers, 32 carloads for exportation in dressed quarters, 32 carloads for shipment alive, and 41 carloads to be sold. Including the few carloads held over Wednesday there were 40 carloads on the market to-day. Trade City, and 3 carloads were still back at a late hour. Trade was slow, but prices held up to about Wednesday's figures, and the yards were finally cleared. Dressed to prime Steers sold at $8@$8.50; 2 carloads of "Stockers" at $3.25@$3.30; a carload of Cows at $4.10; dry Cows at $2.10@$2.75; Bulls at $2.25@$2.80.

Two premium Ohio Heifers, averaging 1,060 lb, were bought by Sherman & Taber generally for Messrs. James Nelson & Sons' export trade, as the handsome figure of $5.50 per 100 lb.

Private cable advices to date quote refrigerated beef firmer and selling at 10¼@ ; grass Steers and American Steers dull at 11@12c (lope 12½c), estimated dressed weight taken off the offal.

Shipments for the balance of the week include 248 Cattle on the Trinacria, 269 do on the De Ruyter, and 500 do on the Italy for Nelson Morris; 400 do on the Pavonia for M. Goodnoff; 860 quarters of beef in Atlantic for Eastman; 500 quarters of beef and 400 sheep on the Hecla for the Dunlevy for James Nelson & Sons; making, with 73 Cattle and 97 Sheep to go to Bermuda on the Trinidad and Magdalena, a total from this port for the week of 2,700 Cattle, 3,767 quarters of beef, 97 Sheep and 300 dressed Hogs.

The Live Stock Market will not sell until Tuesday.

Sales—Sherman & Culver: 17 Ohio steers, 1363 lb average, at $4.90 per 100 lb; 1 do, 1760 lb, at $4.30; 21 do, 1260 lb, at $4.60; 18 do, 1085 lb, at $4.40; 19 do, 1131 lb, at $4.40; 18 do, 1030 lb, at $4.30; 18 do, 1030 lb, at $4.30; 1 do, 1500 lb, at $3.75; 1 bull, 1100 lb, at $2.25.

J. Shamberg: 32 Ohio steers, 1415 lb, at $4.85; 21 do, 1317 lb, at $4.85; 22 "stockers," 901 lb, at $3.40; 15 Ohio cows and heifers, 1254 lb, at $4 flat; 210 do, 1070 lb, at 2 bulls, 1415 lb, at $3.50.

G. Goldman: 20 Ohio cows and steers, 1331 lb, at $4.60; 85 do, 1224 lb, at $4.60; 20 do, 1224 lb, at $4.45; 14 do, 1264 lb, at $4.25.

Norton & Gillett: 38 Ohio steers, 1324 lb, at $4.30; 1 do, 1300 lb, at $4; 21 Indiana cows, 998 lb, at $2.40; 21 do, 1132 lb, at $2.60; 20 Ohio steers, 1195 lb, at $4.30; 21 do, 1132 lb, at $4.30; 20 do