EUGENE FIELD TO READ.

THE PRESBYTERIAN SOCIAL UNION TO MEET AT SHERRY'S THIS EVENING.

The fifth social meeting of the Presbyterian Union of New-York will be held this evening at Sherry's. Eugene Field, one of the editors of "The Chicago Daily News," will read selections from his poems, and the Yale Glee Club and Banjo Club will furnish the music. The selections which Mr. Field will read are "Little Mistress Sans-Merci," "Casey's Table d'Hote," "A Dutch Lullaby," "Come Hither, Lyttle Childe," "Father's Way," "Little Boy-Blue," "Our Two Opinions," "The Conversazzhyony," "Our Lady of the Nine," and Uhland's "Three Cavaliers."

EUGENE FIELD.

The closing meeting of the union for the season of 1892-93 will be on April 24. The officers of the union are: President, John Paton; vice-presidents, William E. Dodge, Scott Foster, J. Cleveland Cady, the Rev. Dr. George L. Shearer, Logan C. Murray, the Rev. Dr. H. M. MacCracken; secretary, Richard F. Davies; treasurer, Andrew Mills; executive committee, Frank E. Conover, Colonel Alexander P. Ketchum, Charles O. Kimball, George Moore Smith, the Rev. John Falconer Shaw, Edward A. Treat, Warner Van Norden, Killaen Van Rensselaer, Vincent M. Wilcox, William Raymond Worrall and Wallace D. Barkley.

HE WILL NOT COLLECT MR. SPENCER'S BILL.

When Police Justice Solon B. Smith took his seat on the bench at the Tombs Police Court yesterday morning he found a letter on his desk addressed:

To A Justice of Peace, New-York, N. Y.
Fleming, Liberty County, Ga., March 22, 1893.
Justice of Peace, New-York.

You will please call on United State Furniture Co. No 111 Nassau Street New-York and collect from them the sum of 95 cents and make them pay you Costs of Cert. Write me at once they Owes me this above amount on Furniture. I will send you postage for return postage. Let me hear from you at once at my expense.
Your Respect J. H. SPENCER

The Judge has too much business to attend to and handed the letter to the reporters so that Mr. Spencer may see his letter in the papers.

HE SAID HE WAS CHASING A CANARY BIRD.

John Devlin, twenty-two years old, of No. 1,119 Third-ave., was arraigned in the Yorkville Police Court yesterday by Policeman Goodenough, of the Sixty-seventh-st. squad, on a charge of burglary. Devlin was charged with having entered the apartments of Mary Ernst, at No. 1,105 First-ave., Saturday afternoon, and attempting to steal clothing valued at $75. Mary Dunn, living at the same address, swore to having seen Devlin enter the apartments from the fire-escape. Devlin said that he was chasing a canary bird which flew upon the fire-escape. He followed it when it flew away, and on looking through the window saw the door open and thought he would go down that way. He did so and was arrested. Justice McMahon held him in $2,500 bail.

ARRESTED ON HIS FATHER'S COMPLAINT.

Alexander Stern, eighteen years old, a salesman, of No. 230 East One-hundred-and-sixteenth-st., was arraigned before Justice Welde, in the Harlem Police Court yesterday, on complaint of his father, Leopold, who charged him with the larceny of a diamond pin valued at $50. Mr. Stern said his son had stolen and sold a number of things from the house in order to get money to spend with dissolute companions. The diamond pin had been pawned. When young Stern was arrested a number of pawn tickets were found in his possession. He was held in $1,000 bail.

THE PETROLEUM MARKET.

NEWS FROM THE FIELD AND RANGE OF PRICES.

The exports of crude, refined, etc., from the Atlantic ports from January 1 to date are estimated in "Kiernan's News Letter" at 148,000,000 gallons, an increase over the corresponding period of 1892 of 21,000,000 gallons. But the enlarged movement, unfortunately, is going on at practically the lowest prices recorded, on account of the vitality of Russian competition. There is no foundation for the recent reports that an understanding has been reached between the Russian and the American interests. Indications seem to prove that the Rothschilds and the Nobels have effected a strong combination of Russian refining interests, but this will give them a larger advantage in the warfare against American petroleum. It might be a great event for the petroleum industry of the United States if a trade agreement could be reached which would relieve the American refiner of the need of selling on on the closest possible margin, but there is no prospect of any early change from the existing conditions of acute competition.

In the crude oil markets the declining tendency of stocks above ground is leading to a strong and higher level of values. The course of production is favorable to better prices, but it is to be expected that these, coupled with the easier drilling conditions of the spring and summer, will stimulate development work. In the McDonald field near Pittsburg the daily output is little changed from the recent record of about 16,000 barrels a day, in spite of some new good "strikes." In the West Virginia fields the developments are not of an extraordinary character. The general course of supply and demand, as indicated by the partial pipe line returns, foreshadows a reduction in net stocks in March of between 300,000 and 400,000 barrels. These conditions are reflected in a better range of prices for crude certificates, but the speculation in New-York is not so active as at the West. The markets closed strong and near to the best prices of the week.

The incomplete pipe line figures from March 1 to 23 (charters to the 24th), inclusive, are appended:

	Runs.	Deliveries.	Excess deliveries.	Charters.
Total bbls	1,409,827	1,680,900	271,073	1,668,955
Av. per day	64,083	76,405	12,322	69,514

The range of prices and the total dealings in National Transit certificates at the Stock Exchange and the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange for the last two weeks were as follows:

	Stock Exchange.		Consolidated.	
Week ended—	Mar. 18.	Mar. 25.	Mar. 18.	Mar. 25.
Opening	64	64½	64½	65
Highest	64⅞	67½	66	68¾
Lowest	64	64¼	64½	65
Final	64⅞	67¼	65	68½
Sales, barrels	5,000	47,000	99,000	83,000

Refined petroleum was advanced 15 points last week to 5.45 cents a gallon in barrels, and 2.95 cents in bulk, at New-York, and 5.40 cents and 2.90 cents at Philadelphia and Baltimore. Cases were unchanged at 6.15 cents a gallon. Crude was without change at 5.55 cents in barrels, and 3.05 cents in bulk. Washington crude being 5.10 and 2.60 cents, respectively, for barrels and bulk. Naphtha was unchanged at 5.50 cents per gallon.

In foreign quotations a decline of 3-16d. is reported at London at 4½@4¾d. per Imperial gallon. There was no change at Antwerp at 12¾ francs per 100 kilos, and at Bremen at 5.20 marks per 50 kilos.

THE TRADE IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 26 (Special).—Although the May wheat clique appears to be following out its tactics, simply resting on its line, the May wheat shorts seem, for some reason or other, to be getting more and more uncomfortable. Although the leading bulls yesterday sold May wheat sparingly and exerted themselves to keep the price down, covering by Northwestern and St. Louis shorts advanced the May price to 78 cents and closed it there. There might have been 2,000,000 of May wheat traded in yesterday, probably not more than that. Anybody who had May to buy found it as hard to buy 100,000 as it usually is to buy 1,000,000 in this market. The shorts who covered May immediately turned around and sold for July. That kept the July weak, and closed it at 5⅛ cents discount. It looks as if it might get to 10 cents discount next week, if the shorts do not get relief from the yesterday May holders. The outside news was mixed, rather bearish from the seaboard; bullish from the West. The Kansas drouth was still unbroken and there was again a lot of crop-damage reports from that State. The Northwestern receipts were very light, 232 cars against 742 cars a year ago; the week's movement looked as if the visible might go 600,000 on Monday. The trade, however, was so engrossed with the May deal that ordinary outside news cut no figure. "Calls" on May corn were very weak. The speculators found out that the elevator people had offered shippers a rebate of 2 cents on the storage to ship corn, and that this rebate was not enough to result in business. Speculators argued that if the markets were more than 2 cents out of the way of the shipping basis they had better make haste and sell it short. May sold from 43c to 42¼c, and closed at 42⅝c. The receipt were 174 cars; the estimate for Monday 190 cars. Oats dropped as far as corn and for the same reason. May sold from 32c to 31¼c and closed at 31⅝c. Provisions, without being significantly active, showed some fractions from the low prices of Friday. Pork closed 7½ cents over Friday; lard, 7½@10 cents over; ribs 5 cents over. There was a good-sized purchase of September lard by Schwarz-Dupee, probably 5,000 tierces. It was the only noteworthy business of the day. Wright was credited with covering some pork. The selling of lard was led by Dunham; the selling of ribs by the Cudahy Packing Company. The situation seemed to be, as it had been all the week, that the important bulls were resting on their lines, and that the manufacturers were putting on the market such product as they were making, particularly lard.

EUROPEAN PRODUCE MARKETS.

Liverpool, March 25, 1:30 p. m.—Beef—Holders offer freely. Pork—Holders offer moderately. Hams—Holders offer moderately. Bacon—Holders offer freely; Cumberland cut, about 26 to 30 ℔, dull at 47s 6d. Cheese—Holders offer freely. Tallow—Holders are not offering. Spirits of turpentine—Holders offer moderately. Rosin—Holders offer sparingly. Lard—Spot—Holders offer sparingly; futures, holders are not offering; prime Western spot, dull at 37s. Wheat—Holders offer moderately. Flour—Holders offer freely. Corn—Spot—Holders offer sparingly; futures, holders offer moderately; mixed Western, April, steady at 4s 1½d; May steady at 4s 1¼d. Hops at London—Pacific Coast—Holders offer moderately.

THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS.

Beans, bbls	40	Lead, pigs	750
Cotton, bales	270	Leather, sides	10,920
Cottonseed oil, bbls	929	Oil cake, pkgs	980
Eggs, bbls	2,1	Oil, lard, bbls	5
Eggs, cases	11,374	Peanuts, bags	1,220
Flour, pkgs	32,298	Pork, pkgs	835
Cornmeal, bbls	675	Oatmeals, pkgs	1,091
Cornmeal, bags	2,070	Lard, pkgs	2,5
Wheat, bush	12,400	Lard, kegs	8,5
Corn, bush	44,000	Butter, pkgs	2,746
Oats, bush	18,700	Cheese, pkgs	191
Rye, bush	800	Dressed hogs, No	8
Malt, bush	10,500	Soap stock, pkgs	100
Barley, bush	11,625	Spelter, pcs	2,471
Peas, bush	1,100	Tallow, pkgs	73
Oatmeal, bbls	419	Tow, bales	24
Grease, pkgs	31	Tobacco, hhds	154
Grass seed, bags	152	Tobacco, pkgs	60
Hemp, bales	15	Whiskey, bbls	701
Hops, bales	860		

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

New-York, March 25, 1893.

COTTON—The cotton market has been unsettled and lower in consequence of the large supply of cotton, the visible showing 4,900,885 bales, against 4,504,229 bales last year; of this amount 3,523,685 bales consists of American growth. Liverpool has within 100,000 bales as much as she had a year ago, and private cables say that the market is overloaded with cotton, with the trade buying very little, notwithstanding the settlement of the strike. We note that the sales of spot cotton in Liverpool to-day are only 4,000 bales, and that the price of spot cotton in that market is 1-16 lower, with futures 1-64 to 2-64 lower at the close. This sort of news has had a very unfavorable effect on our market, which is predisposed to weakness on account of the almost unanimous testimony pointing to enormous planting and most careful cultivation for the next crop. Spot cotton in the New-York market is not officially quoted any lower, but we hear of sales that show not better than 8⅞c for middlings (official quotation, 8 15-16c). The market for actual cotton is certainly very irregular and contains a good many soft lots which might easily give any careful buyer an advantage of 1-16 to ⅛ cent from present official quotations. During the latter part of the session there was some trimming for a reaction, as the market is already sustained at a decline of about ½ cent without any substantial rally. Just before the close of the market we saw some large conservative houses covering short contracts. It was this buying that arrested the declining tendency of the market, and finally produced a steady feeling. Sentiment as to the long run of the market, however, is still unmistakably bearish, but some conservative traders are looking for a rally, as it is believed that a very considerable short interest now exists. Private cables explain the lower prices in Manchester as due to expectations of an increased supply after the Lancashire mills get working. A decrease in the cotton goods trade in the United States is reported and buyers say they can do better than quotations in getting supplies. The market for print cloths is also decidedly weaker and very dull.

CURRENT SPOT COTTON PRICES.

Quotations are based on American standard of classification and on cotton in store running in quality not more than half a grade above or below the grade quoted.

	Uplands.	Gulf.	Stained.
Ordinary	6 1-16	6 13-16	...
Strict Ordinary	6 15-16	7 3-16	...
Good Ordinary	7 12-16	8 1-16	6 1-16
Strict Good Ordinary	8⅛	8⅜	6 11-16
Low Middling	8½	8¾	7 9-16
Strict Low Middling	8¾	9	...
Middling	8 15-16	9 3-16	8½
Good Middling	9¼	9½	...
Strict Good Middling	9 7-16	9 11-16	...
Middling Fair	9 13-16	10 1-16	...
Fair	10 3-16	10 7-16	...

Sales of spot cotton:	To-day.	Yesterday After Report.	Yesterday Total.
Consumption	67	42	109
Contract	...	300	300
Total bales	67	342	409

Cables—Liverpool, 12:30 p. m. Spot cotton dull. American middlings, 4 15-16d.; sales, 4,000 bales; receipts, 11,000 bales, including 6,000 bales American. Futures opened quiet with sellers at last night's prices; at 1 p. m. closed easy at 1 to 2-64d under yesterday's prices. The closing quotations at Liverpool were as follows: March, 4.50 b; March-April, 4.50 b; April-May, 4.50@4.51; May-June, 4.52 s; June-July, 4.53@4.54; July-August, 4.54@4.55; August-September, 4.54@4.55; September-October, 4.51 v; October-November, 4.49 v; market barely steady.

The port receipts for cotton for the past week were 52,111 bales, and since September 1, 4,501,068 bales, against 6,443,512 last year. The port stocks are 864,555 bales, against 1,115,814 bales last year. The exports for the week were 55,423 bales, and since September 1, 3,328,652 bales, against 4,731,569 bales last year. There were on shipboard last night, 97,259 bales. Receipts at interior towns for the week were 25,125 bales; since September 1, 2,183,951 bales. The net overland movement since September 1 has been 712,515 bales. The takings by Northern spinners since September 1 have been 1,416,833 bales, against 1,296,016 bales last year.

The receipts at the ports for next week are estimated at 40,000 bales, against 50,000 bales last week, and 70,000 bales last year.

The statistical position as made up by "The Chronicle" is as follows:

	This week.	Last week.	Last year.
Visible supply	4,900,885	4,072,830	4,504,229
Of which American	3,523,685	3,081,630	3,902,229
Crop in sight	5,949,200	5,890,036	8,809,117
Came in sight during week	59,234	62,413	67,358
Plantation deliveries	37,065	38,355	37,957

Opening, range and close to-day, and closing bids last night and last year follow:

Months.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing to-day.	Last night.	Last year.
March	8.59	8.59	8.57	8.58@8.59	8.61	6.40
April	8.63	8.63	8.57	8.58@8.59	8.65	6.58
May	8.70	8.71	8.66	8.68@8.69	8.74	6.63
June	8.79	8.79	8.74	8.75@8.76	8.82	6.71
July	8.84	8.85	8.81	8.82@...	8.88	6.81
August	8.89	8.90	8.85	8.86@8.87	8.93	6.91
September	8.78	8.78	8.78	8.76@8.78	8.82	6.98
October	8.71	8.71	8.68	8.68@8.70	8.74	7.09
November	8.71	8.74	8.71	8.72@8.73	8.77	7.19
December	8.75	8.75	8.72	8.74@8.75	8.80	7.29

Market steady. Transferables issued at 8.60. Sales, 103,000 bales.

COFFEE—The coffee market at New-York closed at a recession of 5 to 10 points, with sales limited to 7,250 bags, and the market finally steady in the close. The easier quotations were due to selling on the weakness shown in the foreign markets. Said a large operator to-day, the market for coffee is in the main steady due mainly to rumors of fighting in Brazil and possibility of war between that country and the Argentine Republic. On change, however, it is thought that such a war will not take place; nevertheless rumors and agitations of this sort will, no doubt, tend, as it has in the past, to cause renewed buying. Lately the market here has been stagnant, and, while prices have not been affected materially, country demand seems to have fallen off entirely. Owing to the position in Havre the world sees the ability with which Kaltenback, the Paris speculator, has been able to receive and provide for the enormous receipts of March to that market. It is estimated that he is carrying very nearly 1,000,000 bags of coffee, and his profits on March have been so great that he can well afford to lose on his May, which was purchased to maintain the position of March. What effect the fight in Brazil may have on the market in the future remains to be seen; but without this factor prices would be lower rather than at higher level, as coffee can no longer be considered cheap on its merits. There are 297,000 bags Rio and Santos now afloat per steamers, against 307,000 bags same time last year. The total stock of Brazil coffee (including amount afloat), 530,000 bags, against 600,399 bags last year, 455,539 bags in 1891, and 366,131 bags in 1890. Total stock in New-York, 181,030 bags. Warehouse delivery at New-York thus far this week, 28,773 bags. The spot coffee market was dull. Rio No. 7 quoted 17¾c. No sales reported. The cable news showed a dull London market, closing at 81s 6d for March; 80s for April; 79s 3d for May; 79s 3d for June; 78s 6d for July, and 78 6d for August. Havre closed steady at ½ franc decline. Hamburg closed quiet and unchanged to ¼ pfg lower. Rio closed steady; first ordinary, 14 milreis 100 reis; good second, 13 milreis 150 reis; exchange, 12¼d. Receipts, 6,000 bags; stock, 171,000 bags; Santos closed firm; good average Santos, 12 milreis 900 reis; receipts, 7,000 bags; stock, 254,000 bags. Sales to-day: March, 3,000 bags; April, 2,750 bags; May, 1,250 bags; June, 250 bags; July, 500 bags; November, 250 bags; total, 7,250 bags. Market closed barely steady.

Months.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closed to-day.	Same time last year.
March	17.10	17.05	16.99@17.05	13.65@13.70
April	...	...	16.60@16.70	13.20@13.35
May	16.55	16.50	16.45@16.55	12.95@13.00
June	16.40	16.40	16.30@16.35	12.70@12.75
July	16.35	16.25	16.20@16.30	12.60@12.70
August	...	...	16.20@16.25	12.50@12.60
September	16.25	16.25	16.20@16.25	12.35@12.40
October	...	...	16.15@16.20	12.20@12.30
November	16.10	16.10	16.00@16.05	12.15@12.20
December	...	...	15.90@15.95	12.20@12.25

FLOUR AND MEAL—Market again very dull, with transactions of a local character. The home trade is holding off on the heaviness in wheat. Exporters are indifferent owing to the dullness in foreign markets. Sales of spring wheat patents were 3,500, part at $4 15; two cars of clears at $3; in winters, about 1,000 bbls, at $3 40@$3 50. City mill flour was considerably more active, with sales of 2,500 patents on private terms; 3,500 clears and 1,000 superfines also private terms; total sales were 13,000 bbls.....RYE FLOUR—Market steady, at $3 20@$3 35.....CORNMEAL—Steady, with a fair trade. Quotations are: Brandywine, $2 80; Western and Southern, $2 60@$2 80; yellow granulated, $2 80@$3; buckwheat, 90c@$1 14; Southern, 90c@$1; bolting chop, 90c.....OATMEAL—Market steady at unchanged prices.....MILLFEED—Market fairly active and steady. Sales include 11,000 bags of city at $1 for 40 to 80 ℔ in lines, and $1 05 in small peddling lots; Western is quoted 95c@$1, with sales of a few cars at these prices.

GRAIN—WHEAT—The wheat market was very dull. Traders idled around the pit, with the operator occasionally posting a quotation from Chicago showing the market there as flat as the New-York market. Trade during the entire morning was insignificant within fractional changes, dealers being more interested in killing time than in making transactions. Abroad the markets were dull and easier from Europe few. Crop news is somewhat contradictory, although a cold wave is reported in the Northwest, accompanied by snow. The secretary of the Kansas State Board of Agriculture says that while the crop will be lamentably short in some sections, taking the State as a whole it will be about an average. Prime, in his Crop Review, says the last week has not been favorable to the rapid growth of winter wheat, although there was little deterioration. Reports from Texas are extremely favorable. Some damage reported in Kansas, Missouri and Michigan. In the spring wheat sections little has been done and hope of an early spring is abandoned. On the whole, prospects, with a fair amount of sunshine, are favorable. Bradstreet's report of exports for the last week from both coasts were 2,760,000 bush, against 2,886,000 bush the previous week and 2,365,000 bush for the corresponding time last year. Corn, 904,000 bush, against 936,000 bush the previous week, and 2,202,000 for the corresponding week last year. The exports of wheat and flour from July 1 up to date have been 143,366,000 bush, against 173,405,000 bush last year, decrease 30,099,000 bush. Interior receipts this week have been 1,742,300 bush; corn, 1,809,200 bush; oats, 1,743,300 bush. Seaboard exports were: Flour, 191,000 bbls; wheat, 1,098,800 bush; corn, 471,000 bush. For 39 weeks from July 1 until to-day interior wheat receipts have been 282,868,000 bush, against 210,906,000 bush last year, increase 21,962,000 bush. Cash wheat was very dull, with no business of interest. Near the close 12,000 bush No 2 red and 12,000 No 2 hard winter were taken on private terms for export. Quotations on No 2 red, 1¼c under May; stored and elevator, ¼c over, delivered; No 2 hard winter, 1¼c under, delivered; No 1 Northern, 6⅞@7c over delivered....CORN—Trade early was very dull, with no interest until near the close, when the Chicago market gave way and prices here declined sharply. Cash corn was very dull and the prolonged apathy of the cash corn market has been one of the discouraging features in the future position. Cash sales were small at 52¾@52⅞c for No 2 in elevator, 50¾@50⅞c for No 3, 53c for steamer white. Steamer mixed was quoted at 51c.....OATS—The market was dull all the morning, weakening of both cash and futures at the close, in sympathy with the decline in corn. Cash oats were dull, with sales of only 25,000 bush, as follows: No 2 oats, 33⅝@33¾c, elevator, and 12,000 bush, 30¾c delivered; No 2 oats, 38c; No 2 white, 42⅝@42¾c; No 3 white, 41½@41¾c; track, white, 41@48c; track, mixed, 38⅝@40½c.....BARLEY—Market quiet and about steady. Quotations are nominal at 60@75c for No 2 Western; two-rowed State 65c, and California 65@70c.....RYE—Market dull and nominally steady; Western, 67@68c afloat.....MALT—Market nominally unchanged; Western, 70@85c; two-rowed State, 75@77c; six-rowed, 82½@87½c. Option quotations follow. For comparison, the closing prices last night and the corresponding date last year are given:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Last night.	Last year.
Wheat:						
March	...	...	...	74⅛	74⅞	95⅞
April	...	...	...	74⅞	74⅞	95¼
May	76	76⅛	75⅞	76	76⅛	95⅝
June	...	...	...	76⅞	76⅞	96½
July	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛	97
August	...	...	...	78⅛	78⅛	96½
September	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞	96
December	81⅞	82	81⅞	81⅞	82	93
Corn:						
March	...	...	...	51¾	52⅛	...
April	...	...	...	50¼	50⅞	48
May	50	50	49⅝	49½	49⅞	46¾
June	49½	49½	49⅜	49⅜	49¾	45⅝
July	50¼	50¼	49¾	49¾	50⅛	45⅞
Oats:						
March	...	...	...	38¼	38½	34½
April	...	...	...	37¼	37½	34½
May	37	37	36¾	36¾	37	34¼
June	...	...	...	36¾	37	34
do white:						
March	...	...	...	42	42½	...
May	...	...	...	40	40¼	...

New-York curb, 12 to 2:15 p. m.—Wheat, May, 75 15-16@76 1-16c, close 76c asked; July, 77⅛@77⅜c, close 77⅜c. Corn, May, 49¼c. Oats, May, 36⅜c.

The receipts of breadstuffs at interior points in thousands, last three ciphers (000) omitted—flour, bbls; grain, bush.—follow:

	Flour.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.	Barley.
Chicago	12	54	110	116	1	27
Milwaukee	3	47	1	12	21	10
St. Louis	4	24	91	18	...	...
Toledo	...	9	18	2	...	...
Detroit	2	7	12	6	...	...
Peoria	...	...	23	73	...	...
Minneapolis	...	69	...	...	...	...
Duluth	...	41	...	...	...	...
Kansas City	...	35	22	3	...	...
Indianapolis	...	3	5	4	...	...
Totals	21	289	182	234	22	37
Shipments from these points:						
Chicago	39	31	71	165	3	32
Milwaukee	7	...	...	35	1	3
St. Louis	6	38	164	13	...	...
Toledo	...	5	5	...	...	...
Detroit	...	8	7	1	...	...
Peoria	...	...	7	56	...	...
Minneapolis	25	100	...	...	...	...
Kansas City	...	14	13	...	...	...
Totals	71	196	197	279	4	35
Receipts at Atlantic ports:						
New-York	28	12	44	99	8	12
Philadelphia	12	7	15	17	...	...
Baltimore	9	5	4	1	...	...
Boston	5	3	41	48	...	...
Totals	54	27	104	165	8	12
Exports from Atlantic ports:						
New-York	11	16	7	3	...	...
Philadelphia	...	17	10	15	...	...
Baltimore	5	136	17	...	...	...
Boston	1	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	17	320	34	18	...	...

NAVAL STORES—Market continues dull and heavy for spirits of turpentine now quoted at 34½@35c. Rosin is quiet at easier prices. Strained, $1 40; good strained, $1 42½; E, $1 47½; F, $1 50; G, $1 65; H, $1 75; I, $2 05; K, $3 35; M, $3 80; N, $4; window glass, $4 25; water white, $4 40. Stock—Rosin, 30,141 bbls; turpentine, 2,644 bbls, and tar, 4,148 bbls.

OCEAN FREIGHTS—Market dull. No berth engagements. Charters—British steamer, 1,507 tons, New-York to China and Japan, raw oil, about 25½c; Norwegian bark, 703 tons, New-York to Adelaide, general cargo, about 15s 3d; Norwegian bark, 503 tons, Boston to Montevideo, lumber, private terms; British steamer, 1,437 tons, north side Cuba to New-York, sugar, 8c; Philadelphia, 9c, or Boston, 10c; bark, 714 tons, Philadelphia to south side Cuba, coal, $1 50; schooner, 633 tons, Philadelphia to Havana, lumber, $1; schooner, 462 tons, south side Cuba to port north of Hatteras, sugar, 13c, 14c and 15c; bark, 500 tons, Weymouth, N. S., to Havana, lumber, $5; two schooners, 345 and 175 tons, Jamaica to port north of Hatteras, logwood, $4 37½; schooner, from Mobile to New-York, lumber, $5 50, or Boston, $7; schooner, from port in Spain to New-York, lumber, $5 25; schooner, from port in Spain to New-York or Philadelphia, asphalt, $3 and discharged; schooner, from Savannah to Boston, $5 25.

OILS—Cotton oil dull and steady. The market closed at 45@46c for crude, 55c nominal for summer yellow. Cocoanut oil is quoted: Ceylon, 7@7¼c; lard oil, $1.

PROVISIONS—PORK—Market dull, but a shade steadier in tone, with small local jobbing sales; mess, old, quoted $18.50@$18 75; new mess, $18 75@$19; short clear, $21@$22; and family, $15 50@$19. BEEF—Quiet and unchanged; quoted family at $11.50@$12; extra mess, $8@$8 75; extra India mess, $18@$19. BEEF HAMS—Dull and unchanged; quoted at $19@$19 50 here..... DRESSED HOGS—Dull and easy at 9½ to 9¾c for heavy to light..... CUT MEATS—Dull and steady; pickled bellies, prime, 10⅝@10¾c; do shoulders, 9@9¼c; do hams, 13@13¼c..... LARD—Market dull, but steady. The close was $11 60 for Western; city, 10c. Compound is quoted at 8¼c to 8½c and flat. Options were dull and nominally steady. The option market closed here at $11.50 nominally for March, $11 50 nominally for May, $11 20 nominally for July and $11 20 nominally for September.

BUTTER—Market firmer and held more quiet. Quotations: New-Orleans, ordinary, 14@16c; common, 17@19c; fair, 20@22c; prime, 24@26c; good open kettle, 28@31c; prime, 32@33c; choice, 35@36c; fancy, 37@38c.

SUGARS—Raws strong, sales, 3 cargoes Cuba centrifugal at 3 9-16c, cost and freight. Centrifugal, 96 test, quoted at 3 9-16c, nominally. Refined quiet; molasses sugar, 3c. Refined was strong with good demand. We quote: Cut loaf, 5¼@5.44c; crushed, 5¼@5.44c; powdered, 4.94@5c; granulated, 4.69@4.75c; fine do, 4.69@4.75c; cubes, 4.94@5c; XXXX powdered, 5.31@5½c; mould A, 4.94@5½c; diamond A, 4.69@4⅞c; confectioners' A, 4.56@4⅝c; Columbia A, 4.44@4⅝c; Windsor A, 4.44@4⅝c; Ridgewood A, 4.44@4⅝c; Phenix A, 4.44@4⅝c; Empire A, 4⅜@4.53c; No 6, 4¼@4.44c; No 7, 4.18@4⅛c; No 8, 4⅛@4.31c; No 9, 4.06@4¼c; No 10, 4@4.18c; No 11, 3.94@4⅛c; No 12, 3⅞@4.06c; No 13 (as relate), 3.56c. London, March 25.—Cane firm; beet opened firm, now quieter; Java, 14s 10½d; fair refining, 14s 9d; this month, 15s 1½d; next month, 15s 1½d.

MOLASSES—Market quiet and steady. Quotations are: Domestic, ordinary, 23@24c; fair, 26@28c; good, 31@34c; choice, 4½@5c; head, 5½@6c; Puna, 24@26c; Java, 4½@5c.

SYRUPS—Market firm with a good demand. We quote: Ordinary, 12@14c; common, 15@16c; fair, 17@18c; good, 20@21c; prime, 22@23c; choice, 25@26c.

STEARINE—Market dull. Quotations are: Oleo, 7¾c; lard, 8c; city, 12@12½c.

TALLOW—Market dull and about steady at 5½c for prime city.

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

BEANS AND PEAS—Domestic receipts are so light that former prices are fairly sustained, but the trade passing is small. The Hamburg and Rotterdam steamers in yesterday brought 527 bags beans, imported stock, offering so much cheaper than domestic that it is being more generally used by both coal and retail-grocery jobbers. Beans, marrow, $2 40; do medium, $2 15; do pea, $2 15; do white kidney, $2 45@$2 40; do red kidney, $2 75@$2 90; do black turtle soup, $2 85@$3; do lima, California, $2 20@$2 25; do foreign, nominal; $1 60@$1 80; do pea, $1 80@$1 90; green peas, bbls, $2 65; do bags, $2; do yellow, $2 75@$2 85.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Receipts of fresh creamery was marked up another ½c to-day, and the small supply was quickly absorbed. Good to choice qualities were also strong, the demand running considerably ahead of the receipts. Desirable lots of State dairy and the best of the Western packings are scarce, wanted and firmer. It looks like an active and bare market next week, with indications strongly in favor of a further advance. Of the 1,400 tubs of butter returned from English markets about one-half have been sold at 18c. Creamery, Pennsylvania extras, 30½c; do Western extras, 30@30½c; do firsts, 28@29c; do seconds, 25@26c; State dairy, half firkin tubs, extras, 28@29c; do firsts, 26@28c; do seconds, 25@26c; State dairy, Welsh tubs, firsts, 26@27c; do seconds, 25@26c; dairy tubs, thirds, 23@24c; Western imitation creamery, firsts, 22@25c; do seconds, 20@22c; do thirds, 18@20c; Western dairy, firsts, 22@24c; do seconds, 19@20c; do thirds, 16c. Western factory, extras, 23c; do firsts, 20@22c; do seconds, 18@19c; do thirds, 17c; rolls, 17@22c; Western summer-made creamery, 19@24c; State summer and fall made State dairy, tubs or firkins, 21@25c; old Western dairy or factory, 17@20c.

CHEESE—The usual Saturday's quietness prevailed, but otherwise the market was firmer than for a week or more. Stocks have been considerably reduced this week and holders seem to feel a little more confidence in fancy mild flavored cheese. Defective goods, especially such as are not keeping very well, can be bought cheaper and there is more urgency to sell. They are not suitable for home trade, and foreign markets appear to be in no condition to take important lots. Exports to-day, 3,731 boxes, to Liverpool 1,000, Glasgow, 2,731. State, factory, full cream, large size, fancy, 11¼@12c; do choice, 11⅛@11½c; do good to prime, 10¾@11¼c; do common to fair, 9½@10½c; part skims, full make, choice, 9½@10c; do good to prime, 8@9c; do common to fair, 3@7c; State, full skims, 5½@7c; Pennsylvania skims, 5@7½c.

EGGS—The market continues declining under heavy supplies and advices of large shipments in transit to arrive next week. The demand is still very good, but the excessive arrivals during the last few days have not all found an outlet, and most holders see nothing in the situation to induce them to carry surplus stock at recent prices. On the Mercantile Exchange yesterday the price fell to 18c for best Western, with sales of 500 cases spot goods at that figure, and 400 cases Western seller April, at 14½c. Duck and goose eggs hold up under light supplies and prospect of an extra demand for Easter. Western and near-by, new-laid, per doz, 16c; Southern, per doz, 15½@15¾c; duck eggs, per doz, 32@35c; goose eggs, per doz, 70@75c.

FRUITS—PIES—Apples in light receipt to-day, but with an accumulation on hand and some pressure to sell. Prices remain weak. Florida oranges steady for the better grades, but top quotations reached only for selections. Inferior fruit neglected. Florida strawberries, large size and fancy quality well held. Jobbing lots, medium grades are slow of sale and 25@30c covers average values. Apples, Greening, per bbl, $2 25@$2 75; do Baldwin, per bbl, $2 25@$3; do Spy, per bbl, $2@3. Cranberries, Jersey, per crate, $2 75@$3. Florida oranges, per box, $1 50@$4 50. Strawberries, Florida, per quart, 50@60c..... DRIED—No important business to-day and nothing to indicate any change in the general position of the market. Apples, evaporated, fancy, 10½@11c; do choice, 9½@10c; prime, 9@9½c; Southern, sliced, 5½@7c; do quartered, 5@5½c; do prime, 4½@4¾c; chops, 2 lbs, 3c; crown A and crystal A withdrawn; double refined diamond A, 4½c; confectioners' A, red star A, Keystone A, Franklin B, Franklin extra C, withdrawn; red star C, 4.18c; green star, 4¼c; nine star, withdrawn. Other articles withdrawn.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

New-York, Saturday, March 25.—BEE