THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS.

Ashes, bbls	3	Molasses, bbls	408			
Beans, bbls	216	Spirits turp., bbls	23			
Beans, bags	272	Rosin, bbls	1,030			
Buckwheat, bush	775	Oil cake, pkgs	300			
Cotton, bales	1,417	Oil, paint, bbls	220			
Cotton seed oil, bbls	559	Oleo stock, pkgs	1,006			
Copper, bbls	5	Peanuts, bags	1,114			
Dried fruit, pkgs	7	Pork, pkgs	849			
Eggs, bbls	359	Cutmeats, pkgs	711			
Eggs, cases	13,348	Lard, pkgs	518			
Flour, pkgs	20,321	Butter, pkgs	2,847			
Cornmeal, bbls	654	Cheese, pkgs	1,943			
Cornmeal, bags	1,670	Dressed hogs, No	27			
Wheat, bush	7,750	Raisins (Cal.), pkgs	3,713			
Corn, bush	25,000	Rice, pkgs	2,505			
Oats, bush	113,400	Rice chaff, bags	105			
Malt, bush	16,500	Silk, pkgs	1,004			
Barley, bush	12,400	Spelter, pcs	1,381			
Oatmeal, bbls	155	Skins, bales	109			
Flaxseed, bags	2,400	Tallow, pkgs	75			
Grease, pkgs	232	Tobacco, hhds	57			
Hides, bales	965	Tobacco, pkgs	893			
Hops, bales	328	Whiskey, bbls	523			
Lead, pigs	4,968	Wool, bales	81			
Leather, sides	21,874	Wine (Cal.), pkgs	3,5			
Moss, bales	49	Brandy (Cal.), pkgs	196			

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

New-York, March 30, 1893.

COTTON—The cotton market opened at a decline of 3 points, but quickly rallied 10 points, and then eased off 7 points. Trading was not large; very little new business was undertaken; the brace of three holidays at hand made everybody cautious, as the market has sustained a drop of 2 cents from the highest point, and this leads to special caution on the part of the shorts. The market is in a position for a sharp rally of 40 to 50 points, as the short interest is known to be large, and better news from England on the one hand or unfavorable crop conditions in the South on the other hand would become the signal for such a rally to cover contracts. Local sentiment is, nevertheless, weak, but intimidated by the possibilities named, and new ventures on the short side are made with increasing caution. New-Orleans receipts for to-morrow are estimated at from 6,000 to 7,000 bales. Our market closed at about yesterday's closing figures for the near deliveries and 6 to 7 points higher for the late months. Wall Street and Chicago are still bearish.

Bombay shipments, export, March, 23 to 30, Great Britain none; Continent, 25,000 bales; 1892, Great Britain, 4,000 bales; Continent, 27,000 bales; import, 1893, 75,000 bales; 1892, 65,000 bales; previously reported, 1893, bales; 1892, 65,000 bales; previously reported, 1893, Great Britain, 5,000 bales; Continent, 211,000 bales; 1892, Great Britain, 17,000 bales; Continent, 172,000 bales; imports, 1893, 512,000 bales; 1892, 543,000 bales; total, 1893, Great Britain, 5,000 bales; Continent, 236,000 bales; 1892, Great Britain, 21,000 bales; Continent, 199,000 bales; imports, 1893, 587,000 bales; 1892, 608,000 bales; stock afloat in Bombay Harbor, 41,000 bales, against 53,000 bales same time last year.

	Uplands.	Gulf.	Stained.
Ordinary	6¼	6½	..
Strict Ordinary	6⅜	6⅝	..
Good Ordinary	7½	7¾	5⅝
Strict Good Ordinary	7 13-16	8 1-16	6⅝
Low Middling	8 3-16	8 7-16	7⅛
Strict Low Middling	8 7-16	8 11-16	..
Middling	8⅝	8⅞	8 7-16
Good Middling	8 13-16	9 3-16	..
Strict Good Middling	9⅛	9⅜	..
Middling Fair	9½	9¾	..
Fair	9⅞	10⅛	..

Sales of spot cotton:	To-day.	After Report.	Yesterday Total.
Exports	...	...	...
Consumption	150	50	200
Contract	...	5,400	5,400
Total sales	150	5,450	5,600

Liverpool cable came as follows: Liverpool, 12:30.—Spot cotton small inquiry. American middlings, 4⅜d; sales, 5,000 bales; receipts, 2,000 bales. Futures opened steady and 1-64@2-64d higher; at 1 p. m., quiet but steady. The closing Liverpool quotations were: March, 4.41@4.42; March-April, 4.41 s.; April-May, 4.41 s.; May-June, 4.42 d.; June-July, 4.43@4.44; July-August, 4.45 s.; August-September, 4.45; October-November, 4.42 s.; December, 4.41 s. Holiday until Wednesday, April 5.

COFFEE—The coffee market at New-York is entirely destitute of feature. There is practically no change in the price, and quotations are quite nominal. The sales up to 2 o'clock only amounted to 6,000 bags, practically nothing. Private cables say that the foreign news field is equally destitute of feature. The little business done here to-day has been in the way of evening up local interests for a quiet holiday. Quotations:

Months.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closed.	Same time last year.
April	16.55	16.55	16.50@16.55	12.90@12.95
May	16.45	16.40	16.35@16.40	12.60@12.65
June			16.25@16.30	12.30@12.35
July	16.25	16.25	16.20@16.25	12.20@12.25
August	16.20	16.20	16.15@16.20	12.15@12.25
September	16.25	16.20	16.15@16.20	12.15@12.20
October			16.05@16.15	12.00@12.05
November			15.95@16.05	11.95@12.05
December			15.85@15.95	12.00@12.05

Cables—London closed dull and unchanged to 3d higher. Havre was ¼ franc off on the near months and unchanged on the late. Hamburg closed steady and ⅛ pfg lower. Rio was inactive. Exchange was 1-16c higher at 12⅝c. Receipts, 7,000 bags; stock, 1,002,000 bags. Santos closed quiet, prices unchanged. Receipts, 9,000 bags; stock, 253,000 bags. A cable from Amsterdam to-day said: "Afloat from Java and East for Europe, 100,000 bags; shipments from Java and East for United States during the month, 13,000 bags."

Sales of futures to-day, April, 1,000 bags; May, 2,000 bags; June, 250 bags; July, 1,000 bags; August, 500 bags; September, 4,000 bags; October, 250 bags; total, 9,000 bags. Market closed quiet and steady. There are 288,000 bags Rio and Santos now afloat per steamers, against 273,000 bags same time last year. The total stock of Brazil coffee (including amount afloat), 540,858 bags, against 562,929 bags last year, 482,786 bags in 1891, and 387,604 bags in 1890. Total stock in New-York to-day, 205,983 bags. Warehouse deliveries at New-York yesterday, 7,982 bags. The spot coffee market was dull. Rio No 7 quoted at 17¾@17⅞c. No sales reported here to-day. European and Rio markets closed until next Tuesday.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The flour market was again very dull to-day, with transactions limited to a small local business at fairly steady prices. Sales included 3,000 bbls spring patents at $4 30@$4 40, 500 bakers' at $3 15@$3 20; 500 rye mixtures at $2 90@$2 95; 700 sacks extra 1s at $2 65, and 250 fines at $1 70. In winter flour there were 500 bbls at $4@$4 10; 3,000 straights at $3 40@$3 60, the latter for Jersey; 700 extra 1s at $2 75; 700 extra 2s at $2 45@$2 50; 200 superfines at $2 30.....RYE FLOUR—Market quiet and rather easy in tone, with sales of 225 bbls on private terms. Quoted at $3@$3 30.....SOUTHERN FLOUR—Market quiet, with small sales of straights, some 300 bbls, at $3 60. Total sales were about 11,000 bbls.....CORNMEAL—Steady, with sales of 2,000 bbls Western. Quotations are: Brandywine, $2 80; Western and Southern, $2 80@$2 80; yellow granulated, $2 60@$3; bag meal, 99c@$1 14; Southern, 94c@$1 00; hominy chop, 90c.....OATMEAL—Market steady at $4 75@$5 20.....MILLFEED—Market dull and rather quiet. Buyers are still holding off. Sales, 8,000 bags of city at $1 for 40 to 80 ℔. Western is quoted 95c@$1, city at $1 for 40 to 80 ℔.

GRAIN—WHEAT—There was very little feature to the wheat market this morning. The trade was puzzled and uncertain, but expected there would be interesting developments in May wheat at Chicago. These developments failed to materialize, and as a result transactions both here and at the West were in a very indifferent scale, with fluctuations narrow. There was a little rally in prices first off, followed subsequently by a little decline. The weakness in wheat here yesterday carried May wheat to the lowest price for that option on the crop, and the low figures were recorded for May delivery in this market to-day. There was some selling by traders, but the most noticeable thing in the market was the determination of traders to refrain as much as possible from indulging in transactions until the May deal shall culminate at Chicago, or indications shall be given of the result. Weather reports were on the whole favorable to-day, although in Kansas the drought still continues and there is a great feeling of uneasiness regarding the appearance of the crop there. Abroad the markets were quiet, showing little feature. They were easier on account of the decline here, but did not show any panicky feeling. The exports of wheat from Eastern European, Australian and South American portlast week were good, amounting to 1,080,000 bush, against 1,680,000 bush for the previous week. The exports of wheat and flour from America, Canada, Russia and India to Europe for the 32 weeks ended March 19 were 176,138,000 bush, against 212,760,000 bush last year, and 120,020,000 bush two years ago. The shipments from these countries, including the Australasian and Argentine shipments to Europe since January 1, 11 weeks have been 52,040,000 bush, against 55,120,000 bush last year. The average supply this season, since August 1, has been 1,464,000 bush weekly less than for the corresponding time last year. The average supply for the 11 weeks has been 4,728,000 bush. In the other hand the requirements are estimated at an average of 6,400,000 bush, showing a net deficit in the supply weekly of 1,672,000 bush since January 1. Wheat was somewhat more active and firmer in tone during the latter part of the session, closing fairly steady at 1⅛c advance for the day. There was renewed interest again in the cash market and exporters took about 136,000 bush and the local trade 10,000 bush, as follows: No 2 red, 10,000 bush, 73⅝c store; No 2 red, 8,000 bush, ⅛c over May delivered; No 2 red, 24,000 bush, May price f. o. b. store April 10; 10,000 bush, May price f. o. b. store; No 2 hard winter, 24,000 bush, 1⅛c under May f. o. b. store; 8,000 bush, ⅛c under May f. o. b. afloat, and 24,000 bush on private terms; No 1 hard spring, 8,000 bush, 9⅛c over May delivered; ungraded, 24,000 bush, on private terms, and No 3 Chicago spring, 8,000 bush, on private terms. In addition a prominent shipper was understood to have taken several loads of own wheat for London at 1½d freight. "The Cincinnati Price Current" reports: Alternate freezing and thawing have occurred to large extent the past week, and more or less lowered the average status of the wheat crop. General average condition is apparently not equal to a year ago. Important drawbacks in Illinois and Kansas, and moderate prospects in Kentucky and Michigan.

CORN—The market for corn was quiet and about steady at the opening, rallying a little toward midday, with the recovery in wheat. There was not much pressure on the market and traders were disposed to buy a little corn rather than sell on the theory of a reaction. The receipts at the West were light. The recent efforts to get corn out of Chicago have been very successful, and nearly 900,000 bush were contracted to be shipped out between Saturday morning and Tuesday night, at 3 to 3½ cents to Buffalo, and more has been done in the last few days. Notwithstanding the firmness which prevailed in wheat, corn was rather heavy during the last hours, closing slow at practically the last night's prices. Cash corn was a little more active for local account with sales of 48,000 bush as follows: No. 2 corn, 12,000 bush, 50¼@50⅝c, elevator; No. 3 corn, 15,000 bush, 48⅛@48½c elevator; steamer white, 1,600 bush, 54c elevator; steamer yellow, 1,000 bush, 50c elevator; ungraded, 7,000 bush, 50@50¼c delivered; steamer, 6,000 bush, 49½c elevator, and 4,000 bush, 50½c delivered; rejected, 1 car, 47½c delivered.

OATS—The market for oats opened quiet at a slight change from last night, and was dull but firm during the morning. The steadiness was in response to the better feeling prevailing in corn and wheat, but later there was a feeling of easiness developed, and the close was slow at last night's prices. No. 2, f. o. b. sales have been offered rather freely on the market here of late and within the last two days about 500,000 bush have been placed. Cash oats were a little firmer and more active with sales of about 98,000 bush as follows: No. 2 oats, car lots, 37½c elevator, and 13,000 bush, 38⅛c delivered; No. 3 oats, 37c nominal; No. 2 white, 22,000 bush, 40½@41c; No. 3 white, 11,000 bush, 39½c; track white, 35,000 bush, 40@47½c; track mixed, 7,000 bush, 36½@38½c; rejected white, 39½c delivered.....BARLEY—Market quiet. Quotations are nominal at 60@75c for Western; two-rowed State, 65@66c, and California, 65@67c for bay brewing.....RYE—Market dull and nominally steady; Western, 60@65c afloat.....MALT—Market nominally unchanged; Western, 65@80c; two-rowed State, 70@75c; six-rowed, 80@85c. Option quotations follow. For comparison, the closing prices last night and the corresponding date last year are given:

Wheat:	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.	Last night.	Last year.
March	...	...	...	...	71½	...
April	.74	74⅝	.74	74⅛	73⅞	9⅛
May	75⅛	75⅝	75⅛	75⅝	75⅛	90⅛
June	76⅝	76⅝	76⅝	76⅝	76⅛	8⅝
July	.77	77½	.77	77⅝	77⅛	84⅝
August	...	...	...	77⅞	77⅝	.8
September	78⅛	78½	78	78½	78⅛	8⅝
December	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	89⅞
Corn:						
March	...	...	...	...	.51	...
April	...	...	...	...	49⅝	47½
May	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	45⅞
June	...	...	...	...	48⅝	44⅝
July	48⅝	49⅛	48⅝	48⅞	49	45
August	...	...	...	...	...	45½
Oats:						
March	...	...	...	...	37⅞	...
April	...	...	...	...	36⅛	34½
May	35⅝	35⅝	35⅛	35½	35½	34⅝
June	35⅝	35⅝	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	33⅝
July	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	35½	...
No. 2 white:						
April	...	...	...	...	39⅝	39½	36
May	...	...	...	...	38⅝	38⅝	...

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	17	125	86	189	1	22
Milwaukee	5	35	2	10	3	17
St. Louis	4	12	111	17	....	....
Toledo	..	8	20	1	....	....
Detroit	..	7	3	4	....	....
Peoria	..	..	14	41	....	....
Minneapolis	....	209	....	....	....	....
Duluth	..	47	....	....	....	....
Kansas City	..	25	9	....	....	....
Indianapolis	..	10	13	4	....	....
Totals	26	538	209	225	4	46
Shipments from these points:						
Chicago	17	20	94	210	3	30
Milwaukee	11	1	1	3	3	4
St. Louis	9	5	378	20	....	....
Toledo	..	..	4	....	....	....
Detroit	..	3	3	1	....	....
Peoria	..	..	13	76	....	....
Minneapolis	34	84	....	....	....	....
Duluth	..	1	....	....	....	....
Kansas City	..	28	29	....	....	....
Totals	71	122	522	351	6	34
Receipts at Atlantic ports:						
New-York	17	8	26	113	....	12
Philadelphia	11	2	8	10	....	....
Baltimore	6	8	19	2	....	....
Boston	6	1	29	47	....	....
Totals	40	19	82	172	....	12
Exports from Atlantic ports:						
New-York	21	198	3	3	....	....
Philadelphia	..	..	20	5	....	....
Baltimore	63	96	67	....	....	....
Boston	2	..	15	....	....	....
Totals	86	294	105	8	....	....

METALS—Iron steady. At Philadelphia there is a good demand for nearly everything at inside quoted rates, and in the majority of cases sellers seem willing to accept the business. Stocks are not large. It is supposed that some definite movement will be made soon. Concessions are not easy to get, and such a thing as lower prices is hardly taken into consideration. At Pittsburg a firm feeling and considerable business in all commodities are reported. Steel billets are scarce and high for prompt shipment, some being reported at $24 25. This might be traded 10 or 15c. f. o. b. cars Wheeling or Pittsburg. There has been considerable trading in Bessemer pig iron, a number of thousands of tons having changed hands in the last few days, but the price seems to be a little weaker. $14 delivered at makers' mill for Bessemer iron had the effect of bringing quite large quantities of this material into the market in spite of the fact that many furnaces claim to be sold up. There is a good demand for steel scrap of all kinds, there being no change in prices over last week, old steel rails being quoted at $15, and old iron rails at $19 f. o. b. cars Pittsburg. Finished material still continues to be very weak, although there is considerable business, but makers are complaining that prices on finished material are being cut, and that raw material must decline. Sales and quotations as follows: 500 tons Bessemer pig iron, $14; 3,000 tons do, $13 95; 500 tons do, $14; 1,000 tons gray forge, $12 40; 500 tons do, $12 45; 300 tons steel billets, $23 10; 500 tons do, $23 15; No. 1 foundry, $13 75; No. 2 foundry, $13; No. 3 foundry, $12 50; gray forge, $12 25; charcoal iron, cold blast, $26; do hot blast, $19; old iron rails, standard section, $19 50; old steel rails, miscellaneous lengths, $14 75; muck bars, $24@$24 25; 80 per cent ferro-manganese, $60; Bessemer steel wire rods, $30@$30 50; Bessemer steel billets, $23 25; Bessemer pig iron, $14; new steel rails, $29; No. 1 wrought scrap, $15 50; wire rails, $1 50 per 100 ℔.....COPPER—Market closed easy. On the call spot was quoted $11 50@$11 75; March at $11 50@$11 75; April, $11 50@$11 75; London closed steady at £45 7s 6d spot, and £45 15s futures, with sales of spot 100 tons, and futures 100 tons.....TIN—Market continues very dull. The shipments from Great Britain during this month have been very large in order to escape the advance in ocean freights which goes into effect on April 1, but in spite of these large shipments no lots are being pressed for sale and sellers seem more interested in making their deliveries on the large business done in February rather than entering into new contracts. Buyers, however, are quite as indifferent, and as a result very little business is being entered for future delivery, while spot trade continues very small. Quoted: IC Melyn grade charcoal tins, at $6 50, scarce; IC Allaway grade charcoal tins, $5 70; Alyn grade charcoal terneс, $5 35 and $10 45; IC grade charcoal terneс, $5 20 and $10 30; Bessemer steel IC, 14-20 100 ℔ tons, $5 125; London closed £99 17s 6d for spot, and £94 10s, with sales of 20 tons spot and 80 tons futures.....LEAD—Market closed steady; spot, 3.95c; March, 3.95c; St. Louis was steady at 3.80c.....SPELTER—Market firmer; spot, $4 20@$4 45; March, $4 20@$4 45; April, $4 20@$4 37½; May, $4 22½@$4 35. London closed at £17 7s 6d.

MOLASSES—Market strong; stock well sold up and offerings light. Quotations: New-Orleans, ordinary, 14@16c; common, 17@19c; fair, 20@22c; prime, 24@26c; good open kettle, 28@31c; prime, 32@34c; choice, 35@36c; fancy, 37@38c.

NAVAL STORES—Market continues dull and heavy, with prices again lower for spirits of turpentine, now quoted at 33½@33¾c. Rosin quiet at lower prices and still tending downward. Strained, $1 30; good strained, $1 37½; E, $1 42½; F, $1 45; G, $1 60; H, $2 10; I, $2 50; K, $3 25; M, $3 75; N, $4; window glass, $4 15@$4 20; water white, $4 30@$4 35. Stock—Rosin, 36,223 bbls; turpentine, 1,957 bbls, and tar, 3,885 bbls.

OCEAN FREIGHTS—The general market continues dull and heavy with rates still lower. The only departures were 1 load to Rotterdam, 30 pfg; Newcastle, 4 loads, at 2½@2¾d store; Rotterdam, 2 loads, 2d store, and 3,000 bales of cotton, at 7-64d to Liverpool.....ENGAGEMENTS—British steamer, 1,000 qrs grain, New-Orleans to a Danish port, on private terms; Norwegian bark, West Bay to west coast of England, deals, 36s 3d; British bark St John, New-Brunswick, to west coast of England, deals, 33s 9d; Italian bark, 3,000 bbls petroleum, Philadelphia to St Louis d'Rhone, 1s 11¼d; British bark, 13,000 cases petroleum, New-York to Bahia, 24c; bark, hence to Jamaica, lumber, $3 75, and shooks and heads, 25c, and back to Philadelphia, logwood, $3 50; schooner, Fernandina to Barbados, lumber, $7; British brig, hence to Rio Grande, flour, etc., on private terms; schooner, Philadelphia to Sagua, coal, $1 60; schooner, hence to Halifax, coal, $1; schooner, hence to St. Andrews, New-Brunswick, coal, $1 10.

OILS—Market dull and quoted shady for cotton oil in face of the decline in lard, closing, 50c nominal for yellow and 45c nominal for crude. Lard oil was dull at 93c, with sales of 300 gals at 78½c.

PROVISIONS—PORK—Market dull and heavy with prices lower to sell; old, quoted $18 50@$18 75; new mess, $18 75@$19; short clear, $21@$22, and family, $18 50@$19.....BEEF—Quiet and unchanged; quoted, family at $10@$13; extra mess, $8@$9; extra India mess, $18@$19, in tcs.....BEEF HAMS—Dull and uneasy; quoted at $18 50@$19 here.....DRESSED HOGS—Dull and lower at 9¼@9½c for heavy to light.....CUT MEATS—Dull and easy; pickled bellies, 9⅝@10¼c; do shoulders, 9@9⅛c; do hams, 12¼@13¼c.....LARD—Market dull, weak. The close was $10 60 bid, $11 asked for Western; city, 9½c. Refined was quoted at 6¾c.....Refined for the Continent was $11 20 and South America $11 50. Options were dull and nominally easier. The option market closed here at $10 75 bid for March, $10 85 nominally for May, $10 55 nominally for July and $10 65 nominally for September. Late advices from Chicago said the stock of lard would be 8,000 tcs, and the stock of ribs 10,000,000 ℔, pork 83,000 bbls.

RICE—Market steady but quiet. Quotations are: Domestic, ordinary, 3¾@4c; fair, 3⅝@3⅞c; good, 3⅞@4c; prime, 4⅛@4⅜c; choice, 4½@5c; head, 5½@6c; Patna, bond, 2¾@3c; Japan, 4⅛@5c.

SYRUPS—Market firm. We quote: Ordinary, 12@14c; common, 15@16c; fair, 17@19c; good, 20@21c; prime, 22@24c; choice, 25@26c.

SUGARS—Raws strong. We quote Cuba centrifugal, 3 9-16c; muscovado, 89 test, 3⅛c; molasses sugar, 2⅞c. Sales, 450 tons of muscovado late yesterday and not reported, at 3⅛c.....Refined in fair request to-day. 2,200 bags centrifugal, at 3 9-16c, cost and freight, basis 96 test, for Canada, delivered in New-York; St. Lucius sugar—400 tons muscovado, at 3⅛c, and centrifugal sugars, basis 96 test, now held at 3⅝c. Refined strong and 1-16c higher. Delayed shipments on all grades and no orders are accepted at former prices. We quote: Cut loaf, 5⅝@5.56c; crushed, 5⅝@5.56c; powdered, 5.06@5⅛c; granulated, 4.81⅞c; fine do, 4.81⅞c; cubes, 5.06@5⅛c; XXXX powdered, 5.44@5⅝c; mould A, 5.06@5⅛c; diamond A, 4.81⅞c; confectioners' A, 4.69@4⅞c; Columbia A, 4.56@4⅞c; Windsor A, 4.50@4⅞c; Ridgewood A, 4.56@4⅞c; Phoenix A, 4.50@4⅞c; Empire A, 4⅞@4.69c; No. 6, 4⅜@4.56c; No. 7, 4.31@4½c; No. 8, 4⅛@4.44c; No. 9, 4.18@4⅜c; No. 10, 4⅛@4.31c; No. 11, 4⅛@4.31c; No. 12, 4.06@4½c; No. 13 (no rebate), 3.69c; No. 14 (no rebate), 3⅝c. London, March 30.—Cane firm and fading; beet, active at advance; Java, 17s 10d; fair refining, 15s; this month 15s 4½d; next month, 15s 6d.

STEARINE—Market dull and heavy. Quotations are: Oleo, 7½c, asked; lard stearine, 12½@12¾c.

TALLOW—Market quiet, with sales of 100 tcs at 5½c for prime city; closing rather easy.

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

BEANS AND PEAS—Imports were 1,000 bags beans from Liverpool, 150 bags beans and 700 bags peas from Rotterdam. Very little domestic stock coming forward, but the market is liberally supplied with foreign goods, and with a continued dull trade the feeling is easier, especially on small white beans. Green peas sometimes unsettled; foreign lots can be bought in lines below quotation. Beans, narrow, $2 40; do medium, $2 12½@$2 15; do pea, $2 10@$2 15; do white kidney, $2 30@$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, medium, $1 60@$1 75; do pea, $1 75@$1 85; green peas, bbls, $2 05; do bags, $2; do Scotch, $2 35@$2 40.

BUTTER—There was quieter trading to-day, but the influence of light receipts and small stocks in store kept the market steady. Jobbers are showing a disposition to buy more cautiously, fearing that the recent advance in retail prices will considerably lessen the consumption. There is a feeling among the selling interest, however, that supplies will run short again next week, and all this advantage that has been gained of late is lost. Out-of-town trade is still a factor of much importance. Prices are beyond any thought of export business; indeed, the trade seems to be the other way, several lots of ladle goods coming back from England. A lot of 350 tubs was on the Liverpool boat to-day. Creamery, Pennsylvania extras, 32c; do Western extras, 31@32c; do firsts, 29@30½c; do seconds, 26@28c; do thirds, 24@25c; State dairy, half-firkin tubs, extras, 30@31c; do firsts, 28@29c; do seconds, 25@27c; State dairy, Welsh tubs, firsts, 28c; do seconds, 25@27c; dairy tubs, thirds, 24c; Western imitation creamery, firsts, 25@26c; do seconds, 21@23c; do thirds, 19@20c; Western dairy, firsts, 23@24c; do seconds, 20@22c; do thirds, 18@19c; Western factory, extras, 24c; do firsts, 21@23c; do seconds, 19@20c; do thirds, 18c; rolls, 18@23c; Western summer-made creamery, 27@28c; State, summer and fall made State dairy, tubs or firkins, 22@27c; old Western dairy or factory, 18@21c.

CHEESE—A few under-priced cheese were taken by exporters, but no orders come for fine goods. Prices are at least ½c too high for any margin. Home trade does not vary much from day to day; jobbers buy only as immediate wants require, and on the small sales made further prices are obtained. Liverpool cable, 53@55s. State factory, full cream, large size, fancy, 11½@12c; do choice, 11½@11⅝c; do good to prime, 10¾@11½c; do common to fair, 9½@10½c; part skims, fall make, choice, 10½@10c; do good to prime, 8@9c; do common to fair, 3@7c; State, full skims, 12c; Pennsylvania skims, 12¼c.

EGGS—The weight of the unprecedented arrivals is at last beginning to be more seriously felt. Accumulations on docks are still excessive, and many of them are still held off the market, either by local owners or under shippers' limits, but as the week draws to a close without bringing any new features favorable to holders, the disposition to unload part of the stock increases, and enough of the accumulation has been set free to hold to-day to give a supply beyond the demand. On the Mercantile Exchange a few sales were made at 15¼c, but later the price fell to 15c, and business from store has since been mainly at that figure, the market closing weak. Good eggs firm under short supply. Goose eggs weakened a slight reduction. Western and near-by, new-laid, per dozen, 15c; Southern, per dozen, 14@14½c; duck eggs, per dozen, 33@36c; goose eggs, per dozen, 75@80c.

FRUITS—FRESH—Receipts of apples are moderate, but trade is quiet. Fancy greenings are steady and a few extra lots of Canadian are placed up to $3 25. Western lots do not exceed $3, and common grade drug at lower figures. Baldwins are dull and unchanged. Cranberries steady. Florida oranges unchanged; fair call for fancy fruit. Strawberries very irregular in condition, many lots showing bad effects of wet weather in the South. Supply more liberal to-day, and prices easier. Apples, Greenings, per bbl, $2 25@$3; do Baldwin, per bbl, $2 25@$2 75; do Spy, per bbl, $2@$3. Cranberries, Jersey, per crate, $2 75@$3. Florida oranges, per box, $1 50@$4. Strawberries, Florida, per quart, 15@40c.....DRIED—Very little doing at the moment in either evaporated or sun-dried apples, but there is not much urgency to sell, and values are held unchanged. To move any lines of goods less money would have to be accepted. Small fruits remain dull but show no further change. Apples, evaporated, fancy, 10½@11c; do choice, 9½@10c; do prime, 9@9½c; Southern, sliced, 5½@7c; State, fine cut, 5½@6½c; do quarters, 5¼@6½c; chops, 2½@3c; cores and skins, 1½@1¾c; peaches, Georgia, pealed, 10@15c; raspberries, evaporated, 24@25c; do sun-dried, 23@23½c; cherries, 14@18c; huckleberries, 10½@11c; blackberries, 5½@6½c; plums, 10@11c.

HAY AND STRAW—A fair demand and market firm at about former quotations. Hay, prime, per 100 ℔, 90@95c; do No 3 to No 7, 75@85c; do, shipping, 70c; do clover, mixed, 70@75c; do clover, 55@65c; rye straw, 50@75c; oat straw, 45@50c.

HOPS—The market has changed in no essential point. Offerings are moderate and demand exceedingly light. Country advices are steady, with a little business at 19@20c. Foreign cables weak. New-York State, 1892, choice, 21½@22c; prime, 20½@21c; common to good, 18@20c; do, 1891, 15@18c; Pacific Coast, 1892, choice, 21@21½c; common to prime, 18@20½c; old olds, 5@10c.

POULTRY—ALIVE—Bottom dropped out of the market to-day. Early in the morning there was some call for prime fat stock from the Jews, and heavy fowls sold up to 15@16c, but that demand was over by 9 a. m., buyers going home to attend to their retail trade, and the absence of customers caused a sharp cut in prices. Light stock was particularly neglected, a car from Texas and one from Tennessee selling at 13c. All other kinds were also lower. Fowls, local and Western, 14@14½c; Southern, 13c; spring chickens, 11½@12½c; old roosters, 8½@9c; turkeys, 13@14c; ducks, Western, per pair, 75@90c; Southern, 65@75c; geese, Western, per pair, $1 25@$1 62; do Southern, $1@$1 25; pigeons, per pair, 45@50c.....DRESSED—Fresh dressed Western fowls are a little more plentiful, quiet and slightly in buyers' favor. Turkeys mostly undesirable, and such neglected but the few choice light weights received sell well. Philadelphia chickens firm, and fancy small broilers might bring a premium. Large capons steady. Squabs again lower and very dull. Turkeys, per ℔, 14@17c; chickens, Philadelphia, roasting, 17@19c; do, broiling, 23@30c; fowls, near-by, 14@16c; do, Western, 13@14c; ducks, $@13c; geese, 5@10c; capons, Philadelphia, 16@23c; do Western, 10@21c; squabs, white, per doz, $3. Frozen poultry in moderate demand, but the tone of prices is a shade less firm. Turkeys, No. 1, 16½@17c; do, common to good, 13@16c; chickens, No. 1, 12½@13½c; fowls, No. 1, 12½@13c; chickens and fowls, No. 2, 10@12c; ducks, 13@17c; geese, 12@13c.

POTATOES AND VEGETABLES—Imports of potatoes to-day, 12,946 bags. An effort to raise prices slightly for the best grades of Scotch magnums has checked the movement seriously and business is again very quiet. Sellers willing to accept former quotations are able to do a fair amount of business, but stock held higher does not move. Domestic stock continues very dull. Sweet potatoes firm. Onions steady. Norfolk kale firm and active, but spinach is in large supply and weaker. Charleston asparagus in lighter supply and firmer. Southern lettuce in good demand. Choice Florida beans and cabbages hold up pretty well, but of to-day's receipts many lots were inferior and prices show wide range. Tomatoes scarce; ripe lots wanted at full prices, but green stock moves slowly. Green peas largely below prime; most sales in range of $2@$4 50 per crate, but very fancy reach $5@$6. Potatoes, British magnums, per bag, $1 50@$1 90; do Prime, small bags, 75@$1 40; domestic, in bulk, 180 ℔, $2@$2 50; per bbl, fancy grades, $1 50@$1 75; Bermuda, per bbl, $7@$9; sweet potatoes, per bbl, $3 50@$5 25; carrots, washed, per bbl, $1 25@$1 50; do, unwashed, large lots, per bbl, 75@80c. Russia turnips, per bbl, 75@80c. Parsnips, per bbl, $1 50@$1 75; onions, white, per bbl, $2@$5; do yellow, $2 50@$3 50; do red, $2@$3 25; do Bermuda, per crate, $2 40@$2 50; do Havana, per crate, $2@$2 15; cabbages, Long Island, per 100, $8@$10; do Florida, per bbl, $1 50@$2 50; string beans, Florida, per crate, $1@$2 50; green peas, Florida, per crate, $2@$6; beets, Florida, per crate, $1 75@$2; do Charleston, per 100 bunches, $7@$8; tomatoes, Florida, per carrier, $4@$6; asparagus, per dozen bunches, $3@$5; kale, Norfolk, per bbl, $1 25@$1 50; spinach, per bbl, 75c@$1 25; lettuce, Florida and Charleston, per ½-bushel basket, $1@$2 50. do, New-Orleans, per bbl, $2 50@$6; cucumbers, New-Orleans, per doz, $1@$1 25.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

New-York, Thursday, March 30.—BEEVES—Receipts, 4 cars, or 79 head, consigned direct to a city slaughterer. No trading. Feeling firm. Five dressed native sides, firm at 7½@9c, per ℔. No later cable news. Shipments to-day, 322 cattle on the America to London; 29 cattle and 65 sheep to Bermuda on the Orinoco.

MILCH COWS—Only 3 head received. No trade worth noting. Feeling steady. Nominal quotations, $23@$50 per head for common to extra choice.

CALVES—Receipts, part date yesterday, 950 head, of which 891 at 60th-st. Demand active and prices held up to full yesterday's figures. All sold at 5⅞c per ℔ for common to prime veals, and culls are quoted at 3½@4½c; "dobs" at $1 50@$1 75 per head. Dressed calves firm with an upward tendency. City dressed veals sold at 7@11½c per ℔ choice, 12c; country dressed were in continued light supply, selling at 6@10½c, and choice nearby at 11c; little calves, 4@5½c.

Sales—Hume & Mullen: 33 veals, 135 ℔ average, at $8 per 100 ℔; 21 do, 133 ℔, at $7 75; 54 do, 125 ℔, at $7 50; 46 do, 107 ℔, at $6 50; 4 do, 12 ℔, at $5; 10 do, at $3 50 each.

Hallenbeck & Hollis: 3 veals, 157 ℔, at