THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS TO-DAY.

New-York, March 12, 1895.

Ashes, pkgs	25	Hops, bales	796
Beans, bbls	300	Leather, sides	200
Beans—Lima, bags	4,363	Molasses, bbls	1,892
Cotton, bales	12,833	Moss, bales	62
C. S. oil, bbls	700	Oil cake, pkgs	2,000
Copper cakes	1,305	Oil, lub, bbls	260
Dried fruit, pkgs	1,322	Oleo stock, pkgs	435
Eggs, bbls	68	Pork, pkgs	800
Eggs, cases	10,712	Beef, pkgs	115
Flour, pkgs	28,676	Oatmeal, pkgs	6,181
Cornmeal, bbls	200	Dressed hogs, No.	9
Cornmeal, bags	2,165	Lard, pkgs	2,567
Oatmeal, bbls	125	Lard, kegs	3,785
Wheat, bush	6,300	Butter, pkgs	6,848
Corn, bush	10,400	Cheese, pkgs	4,229
Oats, bush	49,350	Rice, pkgs	75
Malt, bush	31,200	Raisins, Cal. sacks	556
Barley, bush	1,000	Raisins, Cal. boxes	561
Hay, tons	1,750	Sugar, bbls	329
Straw, tons	10	Tallow, pkgs	165
Grass seed, bags	400	Whiskey, bbls	280
Grease, pkgs	5	Wool, bales	177
Hides, No.	181	Cal wine, pkgs	253
Hides, bls	877	Do brandy, pkgs	28

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Iron, No. 1 foundry	$12 25	Minn patent flour	$3 65
So No 2, soft	10 25	Sugar, granulated	4⅛
Steel rails	22 00	Molasses, O K, prime	23
Lead	3 10	Hogs, dressed, 100-lb	5¾
Copper, lake (cts)	10 40	Pork, mess	12 25
Wheat, No 2 red	64½	Lard, prime	6 92½
Oats, No 2 mixed	30⅝	Tallow, prime	4⅛
Corn, No 2 mixed	51½	Beef, family	11 00
Coffee, No 7	16⅝	Beef, hams	18 00
Cotton, middling	6		

EXPORTS TO-DAY.

Wheat, bush	98,100	Ref pet, gals	2,551,639
Corn, bush	7,420	Naphtha, gals	280
Oats, bush	355	Gasoline, gals	4,080
Beans, bush	50	Cottonseed oil, gals	115,192
Flour, bbls	9,357	Lub oil, gals	157,402
Flour, sacks	5,906	Pork, bbls	1,184
Cornmeal, bbls	26	Beef, bbls	667
Bran, lb	480	Beef, tierces	522
Grass seed, bags	2,046	Bacon, lb	1,890,400
Hay, bales	694	Hams, lb	20,800
Alcohol, gals	90	Lard, lb	4,044,340
Whiskey, gals	900	Lard oil, gals	2,220
Oil cake, lb	903,000	Stearine, lb	20,000
Spirits turp, gals	2,500	Tallow, lb	24,000
Rosin, bbls	780	Grease, lb	174,400
Pitch, bbls	64	Butter, lb	83,450
Tar, bbls	2	Cheese, lb	23,880

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKET.

For week ending Tuesday, March 12, 1895.

BEANS AND PEAS—Receipts for week: Beans, 3,391 bbls; peas, 5,500 bush. Exports: Beans, 276 pkgs; peas, 64 bbls. Imports, 8,121 bags beans. There has been a marginal advance in domestic small white beans. Arrivals have continued fair, but a moderate demand has prevailed for the very strong interior advices have induced sellers to mark prices up 10@15c. per bu. Quotations are: At the close choice pea have had some sales at $2.05, and are difficult to buy for less. Medium are well established at $2, all the jobbing business for the last two days being at that price. Marrow have hardened a little, but have been in larger supply than other kinds and demand has lacked force. There is now a disposition to hold choice lots firm at $2.5@$2.55, with a few sales at the outside figure. White kidney unimproved. Red kidney continue dull; $2.10 is an extreme price, exporters having filled a few orders at $2.07½. Turtle soup entirely nominal. Very few yellow eye here. California lima have advanced a little and are now very firm. Considerable business has been done in foreign beans and stock is being absorbed so rapidly that holders are offering best goods with some reserve. Green peas quiet and in buyers' favor. We quote: Beans, domestic marrow, per bush, $2.5@$2.55; do medium, $2; do pea, $2@$2.05; do white kidney, $2.35@$2.40; do red kidney, $2.05@$2.10; do turtle soup, $1.85@$1.90; do yellow eye, $2.15@$2.20; do lima, California, $4@$4.05; do Japan, $5.25; green peas, $1 nominal; do foreign, medium, $1.75@$1.85; green peas, bbls, $1.05@$1.07½; do bags, 90@95c; do Scotch, $1.05@$1.07½.

BUTTER—Receipts for week, 28,683 pkgs. Exports to Europe, 1,673 tubs. The consumptive demand has shown some expansion this week, but receipts have continued on so large a scale that it has been impossible to find a place for all of the fresh goods, and the pressure to sell has been strong enough to force prices to the lowest point that was ever reached in the month of March. With so liberal supply of fresh butter and large holdings of summer and fall made goods, it has seemed absolutely necessary to encourage the trade in every possible way. For a day or two past extra fresh Western creamery has been selling at 19c, and the feeling at the close appears to be steady at that. But the lines are drawn sharply on quality, and only slight defects reduce the selling value 1@2c per lb. There is a large offering of the various grades from 13c to 18c, and these drag heavily from the fact that fancy butter is so cheap, nearly all buyers want the best. Very few of the State creameries are showing fine quality as yet, and prices in consequence are very irregular, generally below 18c. Held creamery is in the "slough of despond," and its future is exceedingly doubtful. New State dairy is finding a smaller place with the trade than usual owing to the cheapness of creamery. It takes a very close selection of half tubs to reach 18c, much of the stock selling from 14@17c, poor lots for packing dull at a falling gradually under the pressure of dull trade and desire to close out the remaining stocks. Imitation creamery and Western factory are plenty, exceedingly dull and lower; indeed, it is a serious question at what price these goods could be sold in sufficient quantity to afford substantial relief. Exporters have taken upward of 1,000 tubs, mostly for the Continent, at 9@9½c. We quote: New Butter, creamery, fresh extras, per lb, 19c; do firsts, 16½@18c; do thirds to seconds, 12@16c; State dairy, half tubs, extras, 17½@18c; do Welsh tubs, extras, 17@17½c; do thirds to firsts, 10@16c; imitation creamery, firsts, 12½@14c; do seconds, 9@10c; factory extras, 11½@12c; do firsts, 9@10c; do thirds to seconds, 7@8c; rolls, 7@12c. Old butter: Creamery, State, fall made, 10@15c; do Western, summer made, 8½@14c; State dairy, tubs, fancy, 15c; do firkins, fancy, 14@14½c; do firsts, 12@13c; do thirds to seconds, 9@11c; factory, 6@10c.

CHEESE—Receipts for week, 13,306 boxes; exports, 7,178 boxes. A fairly good home trade has been in progress all the week, both local and out-of-town jobbers feeling sufficient confidence in the possibility of their buying to the full extent of current needs. In some cases a little more stock has been taken than was required for immediate use, but as a rule a hand-to-mouth policy is adhered to rather closely. The demand has been largely for fine and fancy cheese, and these have ruled firm, with slight disposition to ask a little more money on some lots. Off colored cheese cannot now be bought under 12c, and a few sales are reported fractionally higher. Same grade of white sell at 11½c. Perfect large size colored are going very generally at 11½c. White reach 11c in a jobbing way from store, but some round lots can be bought for less; dealers have picked up some fancy parcels at about 10½c. Grades just under fancy, especially of the small sizes, claim fair attention, but lower qualities have to be shaded considerably to move them. Exporters are taking a number of lots of summer made full cream from 7½c up to 9½c generally. Considerable lots of Western cheese are arriving and sell in range of 8@11c. Part skims very dull and of uncertain value. Liverpool cable, colored, 50s, white, 49s. We quote: State, full cream, fall make, large, colored, fancy, 11½c; do white, fancy, 10½@11c; do good to choice, 10@10½c; do common to fair, 8@9½c; do small, colored, fancy, 12c; do white, fancy, 11½c; do good to choice, 10½@11½c; do common to fair, 8@10½c; part skims, small, 4@8½c; do large, 3@7c; State, full skims, 1½@2½c; Pennsylvania skims, 1@1½c.

EGGS—Receipts for week, 48,392 cases. Following our last weekly report the prompt response of consumptive demand to the declining prices and close clearance of the increasing supply caused a momentary steadiness of prices on Wednesday, but later in the week the market went down with rapid strides from day to day under reports of excessive shipments to Great Britain and a general desire to get stock into consumption at a price low enough to insure a still greater enlargement of demand. The week closed with a decline to 15½c and a fairly close clearance. So far this week receipts have been excessive and prices have made a further drop to 13½c. Stock has moved out freely, but the market does not yet seem to have reached a substantial basis. We quote: Jersey, fresh, per doz, 14c; State and Pennsylvania, 13½c; Western, 13½; Southern, 12½@13c; duck eggs, Maryland, per doz, 35c.

FRUITS—FRESH—Receipts of apples for week, 10,267 bbls. Arrivals have been liberal and the demand rather quiet. Greenings are in relatively light supply and firm, while Baldwin and Spy show a weak tone. Outside quotations belong to odd lots of offerings, but there are a few fancy Vermont apples which command a premium above the top figures. Cranberries quiet but steady, though there are few remaining lots worth top figures. Oranges close steadier. A few Florida strawberries have arrived and sold in range of 65@$1 per crate. We quote: Apples, Greening, per bbl, $2.25@$3; do Baldwin and Spy, $3@$3.75; do Winesap, $4.50; do Ben Davis, $4; cranberries, Cape Cod, per bbl, $10@$14; do Jersey, per crate, $3.50@$4; oranges, California, per box, $2.50@$3.40; do Havana, per bbl, $3.50@$4; strawberries, Florida, per qt, 65c@$1.

FRUITS—DRIED—Receipts of prunes for week, 1,994 pkgs; exports, 5,502 pkgs. Home trade in evaporated apples has been somewhat better, and holders are asking a slight advance on most grades. A few of the extra fancy have sold at 8½c, and 8c is an inside price for fancy. Prime to choice fruit is jobbing at 7@7½c, and dealers have taken some fair-sized lots at the latter figures. Grades below 7c, especially fruit, are quiet and not especially wanted and are cleaning up closely. Evaporated apples showing no interest here, being able to fill orders in Canada at considerably less money than our receivers ask. Sun-dried apples in pretty fair demand and firm. Chops steady. Cores and skins quiet at the moment. Nothing doing in raspberries for want of stock. Cherries steady. Plums dull. Blackberries quiet. All kinds of California fruit are having a fair consumptive demand, and values are not materially changed. We quote: Apples, evaporated, fancy to extra fancy, 8@8½c; do prime to choice, 7@7½c; do common to good, 5½@6½c; do sun-dried, 5½@6½c; chops, 2@2½c; cores and skins, ½@1c; raspberries, evaporated, 22c; cherries, 12@13c; blackberries, 5@5½c; plums, 5@5½c; apricots, 6@10c; peaches, California, peeled, 12@16c; do unpeeled, 6@9c; prunes, as to size and quality, 5@10c.

HOPS—Receipts for week, 3,085 bales; exports, 2,600 bales. London shippers have inquired for choice lots of both State and Pacific Coast hops, and the scarcity of these has enabled holders to keep prices steady, say at 10@11c; but for all other grades trade has been dull, and the weakness developed has resulted in concessions, with still some pressure to sell. We quote: State and Pacific Coast, 1894, choice, 10@11c; do good to prime, 8@9c; do common to fair, 4@7c; yearlings, 3@5½c; old olds, 2@3c.

POULTRY—ALIVE—The supply for the Public Market was unusually light, and we had the best trade for a good many weeks. Yesterday, with four cars on sale, the market declined slightly, but there was a full recovery to-day, and the outlook for the balance of the week is good, especially on prime lots. Pigeons more plenty and lower. We quote: Fowls, per lb, 10½@11c; chickens, 10c; old roosters, 6½c; turkeys, 10@11c; ducks, per pair, 60c@$1; geese, $1@$1.37; pigeons, 40@45c.....DRESSED—Receipts for week, 5,500 pkgs. Arrivals of fresh killed poultry have run light, and the market has lately developed a generally stronger tone. Turkeys show little change in the range of prices, the quality being generally objectionable, but choice light young hens or solid-meated medium young tom would command a premium. Fowls are quite scarce at the close, and show some advance. Philadelphia poultry firm for best grades of all except squabs, which are plenty and easier. Frozen poultry firm. We quote for fresh killed: Turkeys, hens, 11@12c; do young, toms, 9@10c; fowls, 9@11c; chickens, Philadelphia broilers, 28@30c; do roasters, 16@22c; capons, Philadelphia, 16@23c; do Western, 15@18c; squabs, per doz, $2.25@$3.75. We quote for Western No 1 frozen: Turkeys, 11½@12½c; chickens, 11@12½c; fowls, 9½@10c; ducks, 14@16c; geese, 8@10c.

GAME—Plenty of poor wild ducks, but few good heavy birds, and only the latter receive much attention. We quote: Wild ducks, canvas and redhead, per pair, $1@$1.75; do mallard and black, 40@75c; do commoner kinds, 10@25c; English snipe, fresh, per doz, 75@$1.25.

HAY AND STRAW—Market rather firm. We quote: Hay, prime, per 100 lb, 75c; do, No 3 to No 1, 55@70c; do, shipping 50c; do, clover, mixed, 55@60c; do, clover, 40@50c. Rye straw, 40@55c; oat straw, 55@60c.

POTATOES AND VEGETABLES—Receipts of potatoes for week, 32,550 bbls domestic; imports, 1,632 bags, 345 bbls. The moderate arrivals of domestic potatoes have permitted some reduction of previous accumulations and the tone of prices has hardened slightly, though there is no advance. A lot of about 1,300 bags Scotch arrived Monday, of which a large part was in bad order and of very uncertain value; a few sound brought $2.25. Bermuda potatoes scarce and higher. Onions firm for choice white and yellow, but reds barely steady. Norfolk kale has sold well when choice; spinach easier and irregular. Havana and Bermuda vegetables meet a good demand when of choice quality. A few California green peas sold at an extreme price—$4 per small box, marketed; asparagus has appeared in small lots and sold high; larger receipts expected soon. We quote: Potatoes, Bermuda, per bbl, $7@$7.50; do, Eastern, rose, $2.50@$2.62; do, Hebron, and white kinds, $2@$2.15; do, State, Burbank, $1.87½@$2; do, Scotch, magnum, $2@$2.35; sweet potatoes, $1.50@$2.50. Onions, white, $5@$8; do, red, $2@$2.75; do, yellow, $2@$2.75. Cabbages, Danish, per 100, $10@$12; do, domestic, $3@$6. Celery, per 100 stalks, 40@$1. Turnips, per bbl, 75c@$1; squash, $1.25@$1.50. Parsnips, $1@$1.25. Carrots, 75@$1.25. Kale, $1@$1.50. Spinach, $1.50@$2.50. Onions, Havana, per crate, $2@$2.10; do, Bermuda, $2. Peppers, Havana, $2.50@$3. Lettuce, Bermuda, $1.25@$2; beets, per crate, $3; do, per dozen bunches, $1.75. Tomatoes, as to quality, per carrier, $1@$4.

SUNDRIES—Peanuts steady at 3¼@3½c for fancy hand-picked; shelled held firmly; Spanish, No 1, 4¾@5c; Virginia do, 3@3½c. Honey in moderate jobbing demand; white clover, 1-lb combs, per lb, 11@12c. Buckwheat, 90c; extracted, State, 5@6c; do California, 5c; do Southern, per gal, 50c. Beeswax, 30@32c per lb. Old maple sugar, 60c per lb. Maple syrup, 90c. Receiving, but some lots fresh-made from old syrups bring a slight premium.

MILK AND CREAM—The daily average receipts of milk and cream at the different railroad distributing points in and near the city for the week have been as follows: Erie, 4,133 cans of milk, 52 cans of condensed milk and 115 cans of cream; Susquehanna, 1,854 cans of milk, 1 can of condensed milk and 28 cans of cream; Lackawanna, 4,513 cans of milk and 30 cans of cream; New-York Central and Harlem, 2,811 cans of milk, 94 cans of condensed milk and 25 cans of cream; New-York and Northern, 825 cans of milk; New-Haven and Hartford, 750 cans of milk; Ontario and Western, 3,050 cans of milk and 78 cans of cream; West Shore, 1,271 cans of milk, 61 cans of condensed milk and 46 cans of cream; New-Jersey Central, 985 cans of milk and 12 cans of cream, and by miscellaneous short routes 1,550 cans of milk and 55 cans of cream. The total daily supply has been 20,954 cans of milk, 188 cans of condensed milk and 389 cans of cream. The average price paid for the surplus on the platforms has been $1.27½ a can of 40 quarts. The Milk Exchange price has remained at 2½c a quart net to the shipper.

THE GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

New-York, March 12, 1895.

COTTON—Locally the market opened 4@5 points higher, and during the forenoon improved almost as much above under the stimulating influence of local buying and some purchasing for outside account. Liverpool cabled an important part, as that market was somewhat higher, the general idea being that it would be lower. A feature of the day was the buying together of May and June, these months selling at the same prices, there apparently being a strong disposition to buy May. A private advice from Liverpool states that the feeling there was bullish and that the higher prices are not due to manipulation, but rather to generally better trade conditions. During the afternoon the market was active and very strong on the continuation of the buying induced by the foreign news, the market closing at about the top prices of the day at 14@16 points net advance. The official close that steady and sales were the largest in weeks, amounting to 209,600 bales. The forward movement continues to run large, and estimates for the week's receipts run all the way from 125,000 to 130,000 bales, while some conservative guessers estimate that only 120,000 bales will be received. The receipts at the ports last week were 116,118 bales, against 98,164 bales last year. Receipts at Houston to-day were 5,118 bales, against 8,656 last week, 22,935 last year. At Memphis, 681 bales, against 636 last week, 358 last year. Receipts at New-Orleans to-morrow are estimated at 6,000 to 9,000 bales, against 4,961 bales last week, 5,324 bales last year.

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

	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing (To-day).	Last night.	Last year.
March	5.77	5.85	5.77	5.80@5.88	5.72	7.35
April	5.77	5.80	5.77	5.80@5.88	5.72	7.36
May	5.80	5.94	5.80	5.90@5.91	5.79	7.44
June	5.84	5.93	5.80	5.90@5.91	5.79	7.51
July	5.84	5.95	5.81	5.90@5.94	5.79	7.51
August	5.87	6.00	5.87	5.93@5.97	5.82	7.52
September	5.91	6.03	5.90	6.00@6.01	5.86	7.56
October	5.93	6.08	5.90	6.02@6.06	5.91	7.57
November	6.02	6.10	6.02	6.10@6.11	5.95	7.61
December	6.07	6.15	6.05	6.12@6.16	5.99	7.69

Market closed steady at 14 to 16 points advance, compared with yesterday's closing prices. Transferable notices, 5.90. Total sales, 209,600 bales. New-York net receipts, 265 bales; gross, 12,855 bales. Exports: Continent, 101 bales; Great Britain, 7,183 bales; forwarded, 2,166 bales; stock, 192,331 bales. Total net receipts to-day, 24,275 bales, thus for this week, 69,017 bales. Ports to-day: Great Britain, 7,183 bales; France, 1,959 bales; Continent, 2,221 bales. Thus far this week: Great Britain, 28,929 bales; France, 11,851 bales; Continent, 15,097 bales; stock, 331,718 bales. Spot cotton steady; middling uplands, 6c; middling Gulf, 6¼c, which is 1.16c up compared with yesterday.

Liverpool cable—Spot cotton firm; sales, 12,000 bales; speculation and export, 1,000 bales. American, 9,000 bales; receipts, 10,000 bales. American, 6,000 bales; middling uplands, 3¼d. Futures opened steady and unchanged, closed firm at 2½@4@3-64 net advance. March, 3¼d; March-April, 3¼d; April-May, 3¼d; May-June, 3¼d; June-July, 3¼d; July-August, 3¼d; August-September, 3¼d; September-October, 3¼d; October-November, 3¼d; November-December, 3¼d; December-January, 3¼d; January-February, 3¼d. Manchester quiet.

COFFEE—The market presented no feature that exercised any influence upon the course of values to any marked extent. Ten points rise from place at the start, and this gain was well maintained on very light transactions. Some people regard the visible supply as moderate and the stock in this country light, while the receipts at Brazilian ports are sufficiently small to encourage buyers. The movement at Santos, however, is attributed in a measure to a landslide which interferes with shipments. At Hamburg, the market was quiet at a slight decline. March, 77.25 pfgs; April, 76.75 pfgs; May, 76.50 pfgs; June, 76.25 pfgs. Rio firm at 50 reis advance in home rels; exchange, 9 7-16; receipts, 9,000 bags; stock, 127,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 6,000 bags. Santos firm at 150 reis advance to 16,500 reis; stock, 231,000 bags; cleared from Rio steamship Vega, with, 5,000 bags. Havre steady at ¼ advance; sales, 11,000 bags; March, 93.50; April, 94; May, 94.25; June, 94.25.

The statistical position of Brazil coffee is as follows:

	To-day.	Yesterday.	Last year.
New-York stock	183,145	190,988	157,223
Baltimore stock	54,811	48,051	40,750
New-Orleans stock	4,174	4,293	5,471
Stock at all ports	244,160	242,710	203,979
New-York deliveries	5,243	4,868	7,414
Baltimore deliveries	712	652	105
New-Orleans deliveries	90	288	421
Total deliveries	6,050	5,808	7,940
Afloat	175,000	178,000	254,000
Visible supply	419,160	420,710	462,979

Contracts closed steady at 5@15 points advance; sales were 6,250 bags, as follows:

	High-est.	Low-est.	Closed.	Last night.
March	15.15	15.15	15.15@15.20	15.05
April			15.00@15.10	14.90
May	14.80	14.75	14.80@14.85	15.00
June			14.85@14.90	15.25
July	14.85	14.85	14.85@14.90	15.25
August			14.75@14.85	15.05
September	14.80	14.75	14.75@14.80	14.55
October	14.75	14.75	14.75@14.80	14.55
November			14.65@14.65	14.45
December			14.60@14.65	14.45

Trade conditions in the coffee market are without noticeable change, with prices on the basis of 16½@16¾c for No 7 spot and 15¾@15¾c for Rio No 8 spot. Sales reported today were 3,000 bags Rio No 8, cost and freight, private terms; 800 bags Rio spot, private terms; 500 bags Rio No 8 to arrive, 15½; 500 bags Rio No 7, nearby, 16c; 500 bags Rio No 7, March, 15¾c; and 7,000 bags Santos No 4 per Flaxmans, 18¼c. Milds grades are without material change, although the market rules steady. Most of the sales are in rather small lots, but when taken in the aggregate they show a fair sales movement. The sales were 250 mats pale interior Padang, 26c; 250 mats brown do, 25½c, and 1,800 bags Maracaibo, private terms.

DRUGS—Trade in opium for the time being is at a stand, there are buyers who would probably venture upon operations were round lots obtainable in the market, but as none of the various holders are desirous of letting go any considerable quantities upon the basis of present prices important trading is at a pause. Single cases are offered at $2.20, with an occasional sale such reported. Here-by-packages are quoted nominally at $2.20@$2.25. Powdered offers at $2.65@$2.75, though this range is considerably below the actual cost to produce. Quinine is in good demand and the market is held in firm position. In one instance 23c cash is quoted for a small balance of foreign, but beyond this 23½c is asked, and upon regular terms 23¾@24½c. The statistical position is decidedly improving and the indications strongly favoring higher prices. Essential oils continue very dull, though no quotable changes in prices are reported. Roots generally are easy of sale, there being little or no inquiry from foreign shippers. Golden seal offers at 18c. Texas snake, 32½c. Senega, 28½@30c for Manitoba and Minnesota and ginseng $2.50@$2.75 as to quality.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The market was stronger and more active, asking prices were advanced 10 to 15 cents which tended to check the volume of business, although before all the rise was established a fairly good trade was put through in spring patents and winter straights. Other grades were comparatively dull, but firmly held. Export buyers continue out of the market, and sales were 40,500 bbls, including 10,300 bbls winter straights, $2.75@$2.90, including 4,000 bbls for export, private terms; 1,000 sacks, clears, $2.50; 300 bbls, $2.70@$2.75; 300 bbls extra 1s, $2.40@$2.45; 300 bbls extra 2s, $2.35; 300 bbls fines, $2.10; 500 bbls city patents, $3.10@$4; 8,750 bbls private terms; 10,025 bbls city clears, $3.25@$3.50; 1,575 bbls city extra 2s, $2.20@$2.30; 1,225 bbls city fines, 90c@$1.80; 500 bbls spring patents, $3.50@$3.95, including fancy, 500 bbls straights, $3@$3.30, and 1,500 bbls clears, $2.65@$2.70.....BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Market dull at $1.60@$1.65.....RYE FLOUR—Market firm; sales, 450 bbls at $3@$3.15.....CORNMEAL—Market firm; sales, 200 bbls. Quoted: Brandywine, $2.80; Sagamore, $2.80; Western, $2.80; southern, $2.50@$2.70.....RYE MEAL—Market firm; sales, 1,000 bags, fine white, $1.12½@$1.15; fine yellow, $1.10; coarse, 90@$1.03.....FEED—Market firm; 40-lb, 90@92½c; 60-lb, 90@92½c; 80-lb, 90@92½c; 100-lb, 95@$1; hominy chop, 85c; cottonseed meal, 85@90c; oil meal, $1.10@$1.12½; city feed, 95c@$1.

FOREIGN DRIED FRUIT—More interest is exhibited in foreign prunes and prices firm. Raisins quiet and quotations unchanged. Currants are steady. Almonds are stronger and firm from abroad. We quote Valencia raisins, 3¼@4c; Sultana, 5¾@8c; California, 3¼@5½c; Fard dates, 3¾@4½c; currants, 3@3½c; Turkish prunes, 2½@3½c; California, 5@10½c; almonds, 8½@13½c; Brazil nuts, 3½@4½c; walnuts, 6@10½c; filberts, 6@7½c; figs, 3½@12c.

FOREIGN GREEN FRUIT—The demand for lemons is quiet, but prices are fairly steady. Oranges are moving fairly well. Bananas are steady, with a good demand. Other fruit is quiet. We quote: Lemons, $1.50@$3.25; oranges, $1.80@$3.50; grapes, $6.50@$12.50; bananas, 35@$1.37½; cocoanuts, $25@$34.

GRAIN—WHEAT—It has been considerably over two years since the wheat market has advanced over eight 2 cents a bushel. The opening sales in wheat were at that 2c advance, both here and at the West, owing to the anxiety of shorts to cover. For the past week the information has been steadily circulated that the Government statement of the amount in farmers' hands would show between 130,000,000 and 140,000,000 bush. The big operators sold freely on this statement and sold without hesitation, as the tips from Washington for the past few years have been so correct that there was no reason for doubting this. When the statement of 75,000,000 bush for the amount in farmers' hands was thoroughly understood, the trade, which has been selling the market short for three weeks, tried to cover in one day, making the most active business for many weeks, and resulting in a rise of 2½c here and 3c at Chicago, the market closing a little off from the top, but at 1¾@1⅞c net gain. It seemed to be a case of sheer stampede. A number of the big operators were among the largest buyers on the advance.

The Government figures are certainly very bullish, if correct, and it is at present apparently conceded by better informed people that they are more correct than usual in this particular statement. These figures of 75,000,000 bush, added to the Chicago Bulletin visible of 117,000,000 bush, could make a total supply of 192,000,000 bush, giving 70,000,000 bush for exports to July 1, and stocks July 1, after allowing 122,000,000 bush for food and seed. The foreign news to-day was rather quiet, and Liverpool were quiet at the advance. There were a few export orders in the market, and prices were way below a workable limit. Receipts were liberal in the Northwest, but cut no figure. Interior receipts at spring wheat markets to-day were 230,077 bush (including Chicago, 17,550 bush, nearly all winter), against 249,995 bush last year. Winter receipts, 94,196 bush, against 17,146 bush. Seaboard receipts, 37,596 bush, against 24,896 bush; total, 301,778 bush, against 312,007 bush. Exports, 239,619 bush, against 190,167 bush. Exports of wheat from Russia last week were 1,632,000 bush, and the reported shipments from the Argentine, 1,360,000 bush. Dispatches from the West were that the Government report had awakened considerable demand for cash wheat from millers, who credited the statement. Cash wheat here was neglected. At the close only one load was reported for shipment of No 2 red, at 5-16c over May f o b afloat. May closed at 62c; No 2 red, in store, was quoted at ⅜@⅝c under May; No 1 Northern, 3c over May; and No 1 hard 10c over May, both delivered. Bradstreet's visible showed a decrease of 2,606,000 bush in America, and a decrease in the world's supplies of 1,934,000 bush. The American visible is 108,023,000 bush, and the world's visible 168,727,000 bush.....CORN—The market for corn was active and higher. The opening was at an advance of ½c here, while Chicago was ½c higher, the greater part of the advance West being lost immediately. The early rise, as in wheat, was due to the Government statement of the amount in farmers' hands, but there seemed to be no large short interest to cover, and prices sold off easily. Toward noontide there was a second advance, the late rise in wheat proving quite stimulous for the buyers. The demand was quite readily satisfied and the close was quiet at ⅜@⅝c net advance. Bradstreet's visible showed a decrease of 292,000 bush, and is 16,630,000 bush. The Government crop figures of 475,000,000 bush for the amount in farmers' hands, against 586,000,000 bush last year, were looked upon as being in line with its previous estimates, but does not harmonize with the trade ideas of the crop. Cash corn was dull, but firm. No 2 was quoted at ½c over May, in store; May closed at 51⅞c; 31s 6d; short rib, about 25 lb, firm at 31s; long clear middles, about 45 lb, firm at 30s 6d; long and short clear middles, about 35 lb, firm at 30s. Shoulders—About 12 to 18 lb, firm at 27s 6d. Cheese—American finest white firm at 49s; do colored firm at 50s 6d. Tallow—Prime city, nominal. Cottonseed oil, Liverpool refined, dull at 17s 3d. Spirits of turpentine strong at 29s 6d. Lard—Prime Western spot firm at 34s 3d. Wheat—No 2 red winter firm at 4s 9½d; No 2 red spring firm at 5s 3d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm at 5s 9d. Corn—Mixed Western spot firm at 4s 3d; March firm at 4s 2¾d; April firm at 4s 3¼d; May firm at 4s 3½d. Hops at London—Pacific Coast firm at (2@3).

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

New-York, March 12, 1895.

BEEVES—Receipts, 74 cars, or 1,215 head—52 cars for city slaughterers, partly for exportation in dressed quarters, 15 cars for shipment alive, and 7 cars mainly for the market. No trading. Feeling steady. City dressed native sides continue to have a slow sale at 7½@9½c per lb. To-day's London and Liverpool cables quote refrigerator beef held firmer at 9¼@9¾c per lb, and American steers higher at 11@11½c; tops, 12c; dressed weight. Shipments to-day include 1,200 cattle and 500 sheep for M. Goldsmith; 242 cattle and 802 sheep for J. Shamberg & Son, and 2,680 quarters of beef for N. Morris. The Manhattan, sailing for Bristol, will take out 1,200 sheep for M. Goldsmith; the Teutonic, on Wednesday, carries 1,400 quarters of beef for Eastmans Company, and the Berlin, also sailing Wednesday, will be laden with 1,640 quarters for Eastmans Company and 516 quarters for D. H. Sherman.

CALVES—Receipts, 170 head, and 45 calves were held over yesterday. Trade limited, but feeling steady. Common and medium veals sold at $4@$5.50 per 100 lb; a car of Western calves, at $2.25. Dressed calves dull and barely steady, at 6@9c for city dressed veals; 5@8½c for country dressed, and 3@4c for little calves.

Sales—S. Judd & Co., 72 veals, 118 lb average, at $5.50 per 100 lb; 10 do, 105 lb, at $4.

J. P. Nelson, 45 Western calves, 311 lb, at $2.25.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 9 cars, or 1,675 head—4 cars for export alive, 2 cars for city slaughterers and 3 cars for the market, mainly with 7 cars held over Monday, 10 cars on sale. Buyers were holding off, and sellers were unwilling to make any concessions, and there were no transactions of importance. Market nominally steady for both sheep and lambs. A few Jersey spring lambs arrived and sold up to $8 for prime stock. Dressed mutton steady at 6@8½c per lb; dressed lambs slow at 8@10c. Country dressed spring lambs in moderate supply and selling 50c higher than last week, or at $2.50@$6.50 per carcass.

D. McPherson & Co. sold late yesterday, 169 Indiana lambs, 78 lb average, at $5.40 per 100 lb; 23 Indiana sheep, 128 lb, at $4.50; 37 State sheep, 71 lb, at $3.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 31½ cars, or 5,362 head, of which 46 head were on sale. Market firm at $4.70@$4.80. Country dressed higher at 5@7½c for light to heavy weights, and prime fat lean pigs were sold considerably outside of quotations.

Sales—Newton & Co., 42 Ohio hogs, 201 lb average, at $4.65 per 100 lb; 2 coarse do, 390 lb, at $4.

OTHER MARKETS—BY TELEGRAPH.

Buffalo, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts last 24 hours, 480 head, total for week thus far, 4,300 head; for same time last week, 5,720 head, consigned through, 400 head; to New-York, 320 head; none on sale. Hogs—Receipts last 24 hours, 13,600 head, total for week thus far, 29,400 head; for same time last week, 22,900 head; consigned through, 1,650 head; to New-York, 3,000 head; on sale, 3,800 head, including 15 loads held over; at opening light grades and pigs were 5c lower, while good mediums and heavy were firm; market closed easy to weak for lighter grades and pigs, but steady for good weights. Yorkers, $4.60@$4.65; light, $4.55@$4.60; pigs, $4.25@$4.30; mediums and mixed, $4.60@$4.65; good heavy, $4.70@$4.75; roughs, $3.60@$4.10. Sheep and lambs—Receipts last 24 hours, 2,200 head; total for week thus far, 20,800 head; for same time last week, 24,800 head; consigned through, 400 head; to New-York, 1,000 head; on sale, 7,000 head; market opened slow; closed dull and easy for all except good to fancy lambs, bulk of offerings sold; good sheep, $3.25@$4, wethers 60 to 100 lb, $4.25@$4.70; lambs, $5.50@$6.85; export sheep, $4.75@$5.

Chicago, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000 head. Market strong; common to extra steers, $3.75@$5.25, strangers and feeders, $2.90@$4.50; cows and bulls, $1.50@$4.20; calves, $2.50@$5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000 head. Market opened strong, closed easy. Heavy, $4.25@$4.45; mixed, $4.20@$4.40; light, $4.10@$4.35; pigs, $3@$4.10; roughs, $3.50@$4.25; stags, $3@$4.10. Sheep—Receipts, 11,000 head. Market firm; inferior to choice, $2.75@$4.60; lambs, $3.50@$5.50.

St. Louis, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,200 head. Market active and strong. Prices 5@10c higher. Native steers, $3@$5.40; cows, $2.25@$3. Texas steers, $3@$3.70. Hogs—Receipts, 6,300 head. The market opened strong with prices 5c higher, the tone weakened under pressure of offerings from Western markets, and closed on that basis, but about noon the feeling became weak, and prices declined 5@10c from the top of the market. The bulk of sales were at $4.30@$4.45, the best heavy at $4.50, common to fair light at $4.05@$4.25, pigs at $3@$4. Sheep—Receipts, 1,800 head. Market steady; prices unchanged; native mixed, $4@$4.50; lambs, $5.

East Liberty, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts liberal. Prime, $5.25@$5.50; good, $4.90@$5.20; fair, $4@$4.80; common, $4@$4.25; fat cows, $2@$3.50; fresh cows and springers, $1@$35. Hogs—Receipts light, market steady, slow and lower. Philadelphia, $4.35@$4.40; best mixed, $4.45@$4.50; best Yorkers, $4.35@$4.40; common to fair