THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS TO-DAY.

New-York, November 22, 1897.

Ashes, pkgs	15	Rosin, bbls	504
B. E. peas, bags	350	Spirits turp, bbls	371
Beans, bbls	420	Pitch, bbls	10
Flour, pkgs	43,310	Tar, bbls	22
Buckwheat, bush	19,500	Resin oil, bbls	5
B. W. flour, pkgs	35	Oilcake, pkgs	2,040
Cornmeal, bbls	1,225	Oilmeal, bags	1,447
Cornmeal, bags	965	Oil, lub, bbls	60
Oatmeal, bbls	231	Oleo stock, pkgs	95
Wheat, bush	304,850	Peanuts, bags	1,228
Corn, bush	222,175	Pecans, pkgs	251
Oats, bush	360,000	Pork, pkgs	335
Rye, bush	34,850	Beef, pkgs	38
Peas, bush	1,100	Cutmeats, pkgs	5,543
Barley, bush	158,025	Dressed hogs, No.	9
Malt, bush	31,200	Lard, pkgs	2,434
Cottonseed oil, bbls	1,651	Lard, kegs	8,263
Cotton, bales	9,100	Stearine, pkgs	67
Hay, tons	1,170	Tallow, pkgs	66
Straw, tons	60	Grease, pkgs	173
Grass seed, bags	440	Butter, pkgs	7,074
Hemp, bales	37	Cheese, pkgs	5,731
Hides, bales	34	Eggs, cases	10,093
Hops, bales	747	Tobacco, hhds	390
Leather, sides	3,300	Tobacco, pkgs	820
Lead, pigs	2,205	Whiskey, bbls	821
Millfeed, tons	657	Wool, bales	1,330

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Iron, Nor No 1 fdry	$11 75	Flour, Minn patents	$5 20
Iron, So No 2 soft	10 25	Cotton, middling	5 13-16
Steel rails	19 00	Coffee, No 7 Rio	9¾
Pig iron warrants	6 85	Sugar, granulated	3
Lake copper, ingot	10 80	Molasses, O K prime	27
Tin	13 72½	Beef, family	9 75
Lead	3 87½	Beef, hams	22 25
Spelter	3 87½	Tallow, prime	3¾
Wheat, No 2 red	99¼	Pork, mess	8 50
Corn, No 2 mixed	34½	Hogs, dressed, 160 lb.	5
Oats, No 2 mixed	26	Lard, prime	4 47½

EXPORTS TO-DAY.

Wheat, bush	82,175	Rosin, bbls	37
Corn, bush	139,639	Refined pet, gals	2,829,241
Oats, bush	141,631	Naphtha, gals	76,650
Barley, bush	62,282	Cottonseed oil, gals	51,580
Peas, bush	3,971	Lub oil, gals	252,600
Beans, bush	945	Pork, bbls	678
Flour, bbls	13,502	Beef, bbls	121
Flour, sacks	16,402	Beef, tierces	67
Cornmeal, bbls	24	Bacon, lb	1,341,000
Oatmeal, pkgs	2,127	Hams, lb	6,000
Bran, lb	85,200	Lard, lb	1,804,770
Grass seed, bags	705	Lard oil, gals	5,000
Hay, bales	1,297	Tallow, lb	69,000
Hops, bales	547	Grease, lb	185,000
Oilmeal, lb	62,500	Butter, lb	300
Oilcake, lb	2,176,200	Cheese, lb	435,720
Spirits turp, gals	1,800		

EXPORTS LAST WEEK.

Wheat, bush	774,297	Rosin, bbls	1,837
Corn, bush	808,242	Pitch, bbls	85
Oats, bush	1,295,012	Tar, bbls	10
Rye, bush	258,501	Refd petrlm, gals	7,169,731
Barley, bush	837,971	Naphtha, gals	77,750
Buckwheat, bush	32,789	Gasoline, gals	470
Peas, bush	17,183	Cottonseed oil, gals	135,570
Beans, bush	14,835	Lubricating oil, gals	980,570
Flour, bbls	28,394	Pork, bbls	4,961
Flour, sacks	179,419	Beef, bbls	691
Cornmeal, bbls	2,829	Beef, tierces	469
Feed, lb	163,800	Bacon, lb	6,253,000
Oatmeal, pkgs	8,703	Hams, lb	404,200
Bran, lb	1,681,800	Lard, lb	5,540,470
Grass seed, bags	6,130	Lard oil, gals	11,000
Hay, bales	3,379	Stearine, lb	75,000
Hops, bales	4,054	Tallow, lb	413,100
Whiskey, gals	2,450	Grease, lb	1,311,400
Oilmeal, lb	466,375	Butter, lb	128,900
Oilcake, lb	4,893,900	Cheese, lb	1,061,640
Spirits turp, gals	4,880		

THE GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

New-York, November 22, 1897.

COTTON—To-day's cotton market has been the smallest for some weeks past, as to the volume of business. The scope of the market has also been narrow—a matter of 3@5 points on the more active positions. Opening quiet but firm at net advance of 1@5 points, the market subsequently improved until the net advance was 5@7 points, but the market was finally quiet, with the net advance reduced to 2@3 points. Sales were 90,000 bales for the entire session. Features were scarce. The low price which the friends of the staple have been relying upon to attract speculation has failed to influence public sentiment to any considerable extent. Now the bulls are calling attention to the additional circumstance that the movement has reached a point where a gradual falling off should be expected. Trading was for the most part local, and in the way of covering rather than in investment buying, causing steadiness in the face of a free movement at the ports and indications of liberal receipts at interior towns. Houston is scheduled for 23,500 to 24,500 bales to-morrow, against 22,245 bales last week and 14,731 bales last year, while New-Orleans receipts to-morrow are estimated at 35,000 @38,000 bales, against 35,389 bales last week, 23,292 bales last year and 25,582 bales in 1894. The present movement is so great that the amount of cotton to come in sight this week may make a new record. In view of this fact, the market has made a net gain, which offers considerable encouragement to holders in connection with the continued free spot sales at Liverpool and the firmness of the Southern spot markets.

The continued liberal demand from the Continent attracts particular attention. Spot cotton closed steady at unchanged prices; middling uplands, 5 13-16c; middling Gulf, 6 1-16c; sales, 300 bales on contract. It is claimed that the acreage next season will be materially less, owing to the prices secured for this crop on account of over-production. Southern spot markets, middling quoted, were as follows: New-Orleans steady, 5¾c; sales, 4,000 bales. Mobile quiet, 5¾c; sales, 300 bales. Savannah steady, 5 3-16c, 1-16c higher; sales, 3,950 bales. Charleston quiet, 5 3-16c. Wilmington steady, 3¾c. Norfolk firm, 5½c, 1-16c higher; sales, 1,055 bales. Baltimore nominal, 5¾c. Augusta firm, 5 7-16c; sales, 824 bales. St. Louis steady, 5 5-16c.

Cotton Exchange special Liverpool cables: Spot cotton, good demand; sales, 15,000 bales, speculation and export, 1,000; American, 14,000; receipts, 8,000; American, 8,000; middling uplands, 3¼d. Futures quiet, partially 1-64d decline. Closed quiet, ½@1 point net advance. January-February, 300½s; February-March, 310s; March-April, 310½s; April-May, 311@312; May-June, 313s; June-July, 314s; July-August, 315½s; August-September, 316s; November, 312b; November-December, 310b; December-January, 309½s. Manchester—Yarns steady; cloths quiet.

The range of contract prices follows:

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
November	5.64	5.68	5.64	5.66@5.67	5.63
December	5.64	5.68	5.64	5.65@5.66	5.63
January	5.70	5.74	5.69	5.71@—	5.68
February	5.78	5.78	5.75	5.75@5.76	5.72
March	5.80	5.84	5.80	5.80@5.81	5.78
April	5.87	5.87	5.86	5.85@5.86	5.83
May	5.91	5.93	5.90	5.90@—	5.87
June	5.97	5.99	5.96	5.95@5.96	5.92
July	6.00	6.02	6.00	5.99@6.00	5.97
August	6.05	6.07	6.03	6.03@6.04	6.00
September	6.07	6.07	6.07	6.04@6.05	6.02
October	—	—	—	6.00@6.02	5.97

Receipts at the ports and interior points to-day, compared with the same day last week and last year, were as follows:

Ports.	To-day.	Last week.	Last year.	Present stock.
Galveston	28,057	33,917	20,114	252,484
New-Orleans	22,956	17,558	18,206	268,088
Mobile	4,209	4,624	4,798	32,527
Savannah	7,970	9,889	8,822	112,566
Charleston	2,968	4,660	2,384	56,824
Wilmington	2,638	2,070	3,724	31,037
Norfolk	8,594	5,530	6,709	65,658
Baltimore	—	—	—	16,084
New-York	—	—	4,509	82,396
Boston	1,437	1,002	1,671	—
Philadelphia	230	364	110	9,346
Various	5,200	3,873	—	—
Total	84,347	83,877	71,049	900,825
Interior:				
Houston	13,515	15,863	8,627	68,650
Augusta	1,382	2,818	2,910	42,299
Memphis	9,993	11,104	10,365	111,322
St. Louis	1,128	1,357	952	49,583
Cincinnati	809	1,554	1,742	8,334

COFFEE—The market for coffee had a steady opening at a decline of 15 points, from which it failed to rally. In fact, throughout the session, buyers had the advantage, with the market finally at the lowest point, at a net decline of 20 points. Sales, 6,750 bags on the call, 19,500 bags up to noon, and 32,500 bags for the entire session. All the phases of the market, except that of low price, were against the interests of coffee. To-day's business brought out the lowest figures in the history of the present system of trading in future deliveries. The nearer deliveries showed the more marked weakness as the result of a desire to sell the near positions and replace with the more remote deliveries. Switching constituted a considerable part of to-day's dealings, and explained the increase in transactions to rather unusual proportions for these times. The European cables also showed a destitution of speculative spirit, while the Brazilian cables were indifferent. The visible supply is the largest on record, being 1,019,391 bags for the United States alone. There was some selling here for European account. We note the arrival of steamer Manitoba with 15,133 bags. Cleared from Victoria, November 18, steamer Maskelyne, with 17,000 bags; cleared Rio, November 19, steamer Carolina (for New-Orleans), with 3,000 bags; cleared Bahia, November 20, steamer Winfield, with 16,000 bags, and cleared Santos, November 20, steamer Georgian Prince, with 31,000 bags. The market for spot Brazilian coffee, at any quotation, in the absence of transactions, closed dull and entirely nominal, at about unchanged prices, say, on the basis of 6¼c for Rio No 7, invoice lots, and 6¾c for jobbing parcels. Total warehouse deliveries from the United States last week, 79,924 bags, including 74,985 bags from New-York, against a total at all ports of 114,019 bags the previous week, and 101,880 bags last year. Shipments of Rio coffee to the United States last week, 38,000 bags; to Europe, 12,000 bags; Santos shipments to the United States, 56,000 bags; to Europe, 85,000 bags, and Victoria shipments to the United States, 17,000 bags. Receipts at Rio last week, 98,000 bags, against 110,000 bags the previous week and 106,000 bags last year. Receipts at Santos for the week, 142,000 bags, against 150,000 bags the previous week and 182,000 bags last year. The market for mild coffees was dull, with some small trading indicating weakness, without decided or quotable change and including 500 bags Mexican, 400 bags Maracaibo and 200 bags Central American, private terms. We quote: Maracaibo, 6¾@14c; Cucuta, 8½@15c; Jamaica, 7½@15½c; Mexican, 6¾@15½c; La Guayra, 8½@16½c; Savanilla, 6@17c; Mocha, 17¾@18½c; Padang, 23½@24¾c.

The range of contract prices follows:

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
November	—	—	—	5.00@5.10	5.10
December	5.10	5.15	5.10	5.10@5.15	5.20
January	5.20	5.20	5.20	5.20@5.25	5.30
February	5.30	5.35	5.30	5.30@5.35	5.40
March	5.35	5.40	5.35	5.35@5.40	5.50
April	5.45	5.45	5.45	5.45@5.50	5.55
May	5.50	5.55	5.50	5.50@5.55	5.60
June	—	—	—	5.55@5.00	5.65
July	—	—	—	5.60@5.65	5.75
August	5.70	5.65	5.65	5.60@5.65	5.80
September	5.70	5.75	5.65	5.65@5.70	5.80
October	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.70@5.80	5.85

Foreign markets—Santos—Coffee market quiet; good average Santos, 7$600; receipts, 21,000 bags; stock, 1,127,000 bags. Hamburg—Coffee market opened ¼@½ pfg lower; closed 1@1¼ pfg net lower; sales, 24,000 bags. Havre—Coffee market opened weak, ½@¾ franc lower; at 12 m, unchanged; at 3 p m, irregular and ¼ franc lower; closed ¾@1 franc net lower; total sales, 30,000 bags.

January	34.50	July	35.75
February	34.75	August	36.00
March	34.75	September	36.00
April	35.00	October	36.25
May	35.25	November	36.25
June	35.50	December	36.25

Rio—Coffee market steady; No 7 Rio, 7$700; exchange, 8 15-16d; receipts, 13,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 9,000 bags; cleared for Europe, 8,000 bags; stock, 447,000 bags.

The statistical position of Brazil coffee is as follows:

	To-day.	Saturday.	Last week.
New-York deliveries	11,313	11,561	13,902
Baltimore deliveries	34	96	680
New-Orleans deliveries	780	593	—
Total deliveries	12,132	12,250	14,582
New-York stock	537,622	498,992	484,107
Baltimore stock	55,872	55,706	57,691
New-Orleans stock	53,067	53,847	57,087
Stock at all ports	636,391	608,545	598,285
Afloat	383,000	352,000	367,000
Visible supply	1,019,391	965,545	965,285
Same time 1896	889,540	670,944	704,438
Same time 1895	553,168	537,573	570,201

FLOUR AND MEAL—The narrow business in flour circles to-day was accomplished at practically unchanged prices, although outside figures were the exception. The trade appears to be easily satisfied, and until wheat makes some important movement is not likely to much exceed immediate requirements. Spring patents quoted $5@$5 35; winter straights, $4 55@$4 65; winter patents, $4 00@$4 20; spring clears, $4 20@$4 50; extra No 1 winter, $3 75@$4; extra No 2 winter, $3 40@$3 60; no grade, $1 45@$1 60; buckwheat flour, $1 45@$1 50.....RYE FLOUR—Quiet; sales, 600 bbls, $2 85@$3 25.....CORNMEAL—Quiet, sales, 600 bbls. $2 85@$3 25.....BAG MEAL—Steady; fine white, 80c; fine yellow, 70@75c; coarse, 65@65c.....FEED—Firm; 40, 60 and 80 lb, winter, in bulk, 62½@65c; spring, bulk, 57½@60c; 100 lb, middling, bulk, 75c; rye feed, 60c; city feed, 70c; hominy chop, 65c; oil meal, $25@$26; screenings, 30@75c, in bulk; buckwheat grain, 37@38¾c, c i f New-York.

GRAIN—WHEAT—There was little feature in wheat to-day beyond firmness in the afternoon, which closed the market ⅛@¾c above Saturday's final prices. An increase of only 735,000 bush in the domestic visible supply for the week, or about half as much as expected, was the chief factor of strength, driving in the bears who had previously oversold on Northwestern receipts of 1,871 cars, against 770 cars last year. Aside from these two factors, the news was rather neutral and furnished little advantage to either side. Of the twenty loads sold to exporters today at all ports half were destined for Algeria. English cables were destitute of feature, showing ¼@½d net loss after early irregularity. French markets, on the other hand, gained 10 to 20 points on some positions, while losing 10 points on others, making the average a shade better than Saturday. Foreign houses contributed in a small way to the early selling movement. World's shipments to importing countries were 9,450,000 bush, most of which went from the United States. There was an increase of 160,000 bush on passage, although larger figures had been anticipated. The addition of 2,121,000 bush to English stocks, however, staggered the market for a time in the early afternoon, but did not offering a permanent obstacle to improvement. From California word was received that three cargoes of wheat had been sold for South Africa, thus reviving a demand which has lain dormant for some time. Local stocks disclosed few changes of importance on the week. There was an increase of 120,000 bush in total stocks, making the amount 3,904,700 bush, against 8,187,000 bush last year. Stock of No 2 red decreased 25,000 bush, No 1 Northern lost 99,100 bush, while no change appeared in the supply of No 1 hard. Total contract stocks were 502,400 bush, against 2,101,000 bush last year. The visible supply is 82,708,000 bush, against 50,971,000 bush a year ago. Russian advices from the Minister of Agriculture confirmed late reports of 100,000,000 bush shortage in breadstuffs and 120,000,000 bush on feeding stuffs. Curb trading was slow at unchanged prices. Quotations of cash wheat f o b afloat were as follows: No 2 red, 99¼c; No 1 hard Manitoba, $1 01¾; No 1 Northern Duluth, 99¾c; No 1 Northern New-York, 98¾c; No 2 Northern Duluth, 96¾c; No 1 hard Duluth, $1 02¼; No 2 hard New-York, 99c; No 2 hard Kansas, 97¼c.....CORN—Dulness prevailed in this market throughout the session, relieved only by early steadiness, which, however, was subsequently gave way under realizing, so that final prices were unchanged from Saturday. Export business at 20 loads was rather disappointing, as early estimates had pointed to a larger business. There were fairly steady cables from Liverpool and a decrease of 98,000 bush in the visible supply, but the amount on passage increased 1,040,000 bush and world's shipments were about 500,000 bush more than last week. Local statistics were rather bullish, including a decrease of 229,000 bush in total stocks and a reduction of 179,000 bush in the supply of No 2 corn. The former is now 10,205,000 bush and No 2 is 8,335,500 bush. The visible supply stands at 43,342,000 bush, against 18,150,000 bush a year ago. No 2 corn closed 34¾c f o b afloat.....OATS—There was less steadiness visible in this market than in either wheat or corn to-day, attributed partly to dulness both here and at Chicago, together with increases of 412,000 bush in local stocks and 1,329,000 bush in the visible. Exports took 40,000 bush to-day and 200,000 bush late Saturday. The total supply at this point is 4,202,000 bush, against 3,544,000 bush last year. Of this amount 174,800 bush are No 2 oats, or about double the quantity held a year ago. The visible supply is 15,817,000 bush, against 12,208,000 bush last year. No 2 oats quoted 26c; No 3 oats, 26¼c; No 2 white, 27@28½c; No 3 white, 27¼c; track mixed, 25½@27c; track white, 27@33½c.....RYE—Market quiet; No 2 Western, 50¼c c i f Buffalo; No 1 Western, 51½c c i f Buffalo.....BARLEY—Market steady; quoted 28½c c i f Buffalo.

NEW-YORK PRICES.

Wheat:	Opening	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
November	—	—	—	97	96⅞
December	96⅝	97⅝	96⅝	97¼	97¼
May	93¾	93⅝	92⅞	93⅝	93⅝
Corn:					
November	—	—	—	32¼	32
December	31⅝	31⅞	31⅝	31⅞	31⅝
May	34⅝	34⅞	34⅝	34⅞	34⅝
Oats:					
December	—	—	—	25⅝	25⅝
Lard:					
December	—	—	—	$4 47	$4 47

Receipts of breadstuffs at interior points in thousands, last three ciphers (000) omitted, flour bbls, grain bush, as follows:

	Flour.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.	Barley.
Chicago	10	73	232	436	16	109
Milwaukee	6	44	12	70	13	111
Minneapolis	—	975	59	—	—	—
Duluth	—	270	14	5	5	14
St. Louis	3	85	229	82	—	—
Kansas City	—	143	73	17	—	—
Toledo	—	19	23	5	2	—
Detroit	1	2	4	2	—	—
Peoria	—	1	101	52	—	—
Totals	20	1,612	747	619	36	234

Shipments from these points:

Chicago	28	28	596	696	60	25
Milwaukee	9	100	56	150	27	6
Minneapolis	56	6	8	—	—	—
Duluth	—	149	—	—	—	42
St. Louis	7	70	52	24	—	—
Kansas City	—	42	28	4	—	—
Toledo	—	49	10	4	—	—
Detroit	—	1	5	1	—	—
Peoria	—	—	18	40	—	—
Totals	100	496	768	919	87	73

Receipts at Atlantic ports:

New-York	35	305	222	360	35	158
Boston	5	46	10	9	—	—
Philadelphia	8	4	81	6	—	—
Baltimore	20	57	36	74	8	1
Newport News	—	76	38	—	—	—
New-Orleans	2	69	132	8	—	—
Galveston	—	58	1	—	—	—
Totals	70	615	470	457	43	159

Exports from Atlantic ports:

New-York	25	82	140	141	—	62
Boston	7	88	—	—	—	—
Philadelphia	—	123	—	10	—	—
Baltimore	9	24	134	30	26	—
Newport News	—	76	38	—	—	—
New-Orleans	—	—	1	—	—	—
Galveston	—	24	—	—	—	—
Totals	41	419	313	181	26	62

METALS—TIN—The market closed dull, with spot to December at $13 70@$13 90. London closed at £62 15s for spot and futures at £63 7s 6d; market firm; sales, 90 tons spot and 40 tons futures. Singapore closed at £63 12s 6d c i f London.....COPPER—The market closed dull, with spot to December at $10 75@$10 87½. London closed at £48 2s 6d for spot and futures at £48 10s; market firm; sales, 400 tons spot and 400 tons futures.....LEAD—The market closed dull, but firm, with spot to December at $3 85@$3 90. London closed at £13 2s 9d for spot. St. Louis market firm; common, $3 37½ bid, corroding, $3 60 bid.....SPELTER—The market closed dull, with spot to December at $3 95@$4 00. London closed at £15 1s 3d for spot. St. Louis market steadier, $3 75 bid.....IRON—The market closed dull, with spot to December, $6 75@$7. Glasgow closed at 45s 4d. Middlesboro closed at 41s 3d.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—A firm market was reported in New-Orleans and a steady market here. Prices are unchanged. Syrups steady, but not active. Glucose dull. Some very choice molasses is held at 36c, but the top price for average choice is 31c. Prices are as follows: New-Orleans centrifugal, common, 10@12c; fair, 13@16c; good, 17@18c; prime, 19@21c. New-Orleans open kettle, common, 23@24c; fair, 24@25c; good, 26@27c; prime, 27@28c; choice, 29@31c. Porto Rico, 26@33c. Syrups—Common, 8@11c; fair, 12@13c; good, 14@15c; prime, 16@17c; fancy, 18@22c.

NAVAL STORES—Stock: Rosin, 35,155 bbls; spirits turpentine, 2,053 bbls; tar, 887 bbls. There was a firm market for spirits turpentine at 32@32½c, and some holders were asking ½c more than that. Savannah was firmer, with 30¼c bid. Rosin was steady for common grades, and higher grades were firmer in tone. Tar and pitch ruled steady. Prices were as follows: Tar, regular, $1 65; pitch, $1 67½; pitch, $1 85; spirits turpentine, 31@32c; rosin, common to good strained, $1 40@$1 45; E, $1 55@$1 60; F, $1 65; G, $1 70; H, $1 75; I, $1 80@$1 85; K, $1 90; M, $2 10; N, $2 40; W G, $2 75; W W, $3 25.

OCEAN FREIGHTS—The market for berth freights is quiet and firm at the following quotations: Liverpool, 4½d asked; London, 5d; Glasgow, 4¾d; Bristol, 5d; Leith, 5¼d; Hull, 5d; Newcastle, 5d; Antwerp, 5d; Hamburg, 75 pfgs; Rotterdam, 10½c; Amsterdam, 10½c; Cork for orders, 3s 9d@4s; direct ports, large tonnage, 3s 3d@3s 4½d; cotton to Liverpool, per 100 lb, 31c for November-December; London oats, 2s 9d.....FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS—The inquiry for sail tonnage is very light to-day, yet the market is steady, owing to the fact that the supply of desirable vessels is limited. There is still a good demand for steamers, especially for the grain trade, and rates are firm, on the basis of 4s 1½@4s 3d to Cork for orders for November loading. Other departments are unchanged.....CHARTERS—British steamer, 2,340 tons, general cargo, Liverpool or Bremen, 40s; Mediterranean, 45s, November; Virginia to Leith, private terms, December; British steamer, 1,470 tons (previously), cotton, Charleston to Liverpool or Bremen, 40s; Mediterranean, 45s, November; British steamer, 1,804 tons (previously), cotton, Galveston to Liverpool, 43s 9d; Havre or Bremen, 45s, December; British steamer (relet), 14,000, quarters grain, Baltimore to Cork for orders, 3s 9d, January; British steamer, 13,000 quarters grain, Atlantic range to Cork for orders, 4s; Denmark, 4s 3d one port, 4s 4½d if two, December; British steamer, 18,000 quarters grain, Baltimore to St. Nazaire, 4s, prompt; British steamer, 20,000 quarters grain, Atlantic range to picked ports United Kingdom or Continent, 3s 1½d, berth terms; oats, 2s 9d, January; Norwegian steamer, 365 tons, West India trade, one or more trips, private terms; British ship, 1,869 tons, wool, Melbourne to Boston, 28s 9d, charterede abroad; schooner, 531 tons, lumber, Union Island to New-York, $4 62½; schooner, 1,084 tons, coal, Newport News to Boston, 90c; British steamer, 15,000 quarters grain, Atlantic range to picked ports United Kingdom or Continent, 3s 1½d, berth terms; oats, 2s 9d, January; British steamer, 11,000 quarters grain, Atlantic range to Cork for orders, 4s 3d; Denmark, 4s 4½d one port, 4s 6d if two, Stettin, 4s 9d, prompt; Portuguese steamer, 1,997 tons, general cargo, hence to Trieste, £1s.

OILS—The market for cottonseed oil displayed more steadiness and moderate activity, with sales noted on the basis of 23½c for prime summer yellow. Export interest, however, still checked by continued absence of freight room. Linseed oil quiet and steady. We quote: Prime crude, 18@18½c; prime crude, f o b mills, 13@14c; prime summer yellow, 21½@22c; off summer yellow, 21@21½c; butter grades, 24@26c; prime white, 25c; prime yellow, 27½@28c; linseed, American raw, 38@39c; American boiled, 40@41c; Calcutta raw, 54c.

PROVISIONS—The market was a narrow one throughout, with a fair amount of steadiness on covering and absence of sellers.....PORK—Quiet. Quoted: Mess, $8 25@$9; family, $11@$12; short clear, $10@$12.....BEEF—Steady. Quoted: Mess, $7 50@$8; family, $9@$10 50; packet, $8 50@$9 50; extra India mess, $14@$16.

DRESSED HOGS—Steady. Quoted: Bacon, 4¾c; 180 lb, 4¾c; 160 lb, 5c; 140 lb, 5¼c; 120 lb, 5¼c; pigs, 5¼@5¾c.....CUT MEATS—Pickled bellies, easier; smoking bellies, 7¾c; 10 lb, 6¾c; 12 lb, 6¼c; 14 lb, 6¼c; pickled shoulders firm, quoted, 5¾c; pickled hams easy, 7½@7¾c.....LARD—Steady, quoted, 4 Western, 16 lb, 4¾c.....TALLOW—Steady, quoted, 3¾c bid.....LARD—Steady, quoted, 4.47½c; city lard quiet, quoted, 4.20@4.25c; refined steady, quoted, South America, 5.15c; Continent, 4.75c; Brazil kegs, 6.25c; compound quiet, quoted, city, 4¼@4¾c; Western, 4¼@4¾c.....STEARINE—Steady. Quoted: Oleo, 4¾c; city lard, stearine, 5¾c, nominal.

RICE—There was a steady undercurrent to the market, with moderate business. Foreign sorts scarce. Prices were as follows: Domestic, common to ordinary, 4@4¾c; fair to good, 4¼@5c; prime to choice, 5¼@5c; fancy, 6@6¼c; Patna, 4@5¼c; do in bond, 3@3¾c; Japan, 5@5¼c; Java, 4¾@4¾c; Rangoon, in bond, 2@2¼c.

SUGAR—Raws were without change in prices, though holders wanted more money, some importers asking 4c for centrifugals. The bid prices were 3c for 96 test Cuban, 3 5-16c for 89 test muscovado, and 3 1-16c for 89 test molasses sugar. There was moderate demand for refined sugar, with steady tone and prices unchanged. London cable reported cane dull but steady. Java, 10s 9d; fair refining, 9s; beet dull and rather easier; present month, 9s; next month, 9s. Prices for refined sugar were as follows: Dominos, 5¼c; cut loaf and crushed, 5¾c; powdered and coarse powdered, 5.15c; granulated and fine granulated, 5c; coarse granulated and extra fine granulated, 5¼c; confectioners' granulated, 5¼c; cubes, 5¼c; XXXX powdered and mould A, 5¾c; diamond A, 5c; confectioners' A, 4¾c; Nos 1, 2 and 3, 4¾c; No 4, 4.50c; No 5, 4¼c; No 6, 4.44c; No 7, 4¼c; No 8, 4¼c; No 9, 4.18c; No 10, 4¼c; No 11, 4.06; No 12, 4c; No 13, 3.94c; No 14, 9.94c; No 15, 3¾c; No 16, 3.81c.

WOOL EXCHANGE REPORTS—The Wool Exchange quotes domestic wools as follows:

OHIO AND PENNSYLVANIA.			
XXX	32@33	No 2	28@29
XX and above	31@32	Fine unwashed	18@—
X	30@32	Unmerchantable	19@—
No 1	28@30	MICHIGAN COMBING.	
No 2	23@21	No 1, ¾ and ½ blood	27@—
Fine unwashed	21@22	No 2, ¼ blood	27@—
Unmerchantable	21@22	Michigan delaine	27@28
OHIO COMBING.		KENTUCKY. INDIANA AND MISSOURI.	
No 1, ¾ and ½ blood	24@25	Combing, ¾ blood	22@24
No 2, ¼ blood	25@27	Combing, ¼ blood	22@24
Ohio delaine	30@32	Combing, braid	22@—
MICHIGAN.		Clothing, ¾ blood	22@23
X and above	23@24	Clothing, ¼ blood	22@23
No 1	28@29	Clothing, coarse	21@—

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

New-York, November 22, 1897.

BEANS AND PEAS—The recent purchase of marrow beans for export to Havana relieved the market considerably, and there is now quite a firm feeling on choice stock, none of which can be bought below $1 40. Medium and pea are held a little stronger, but no higher figures are established as yet. The offerings of red kidney are light, and there is quite a firm holding of all choice qualities; some lots cannot be bought at the figures given. Turtle soup are a little easier. Other beans unchanged. Green peas slow. We quote: Beans, marrow, choice, per bush, $1 40; do fair to good, $1 15@$1 35; do, medium, choice, $1 22½@$1 25; do fair to good, $1@$1 20; do pea, choice, $1 17½@$1 20; do fair to good, $1@$1 15; do red kidney, choice, $1 35; do fair to good, $1@$1 30; do white kidney, $1 35@$1 40; do yellow eye, $1 30@$1 35; do black turtle soup, $1 75; do lima, California, $1 30@$1 32½; green peas, bbls, 77½@80c; do bags, 72½c; do Scotch, bbls, 90c; do bags, 85c.

BUTTER—The week opened without change of importance. Supplies of strictly fancy fresh creamery are running light, and there is a fairly steady feeling on such, but for the great bulk of the stock the market is dull, and though not quotably changed, values are uncertain. Sellers do not like to accumulate these goods, and yet there seems to be an inadequate outlet. Fancy June stock is fairly firm; lower grades slow. No change in State dairy. The Western packings continue in light receipt and are well sustained. We quote: Creamery, Western, extras, per lb, 23c; do firsts, 19@21c; do thirds to seconds, 14@18c; do State, fancy, 22c; do firsts, 19@21c; do thirds to seconds, 14@18c; do June make, extras, 20½c; do seconds to firsts, 16@20c; State dairy half firkin tubs, extras, 20c; do Welsh tubs, fancy, 19@19½c; dairy tubs, firsts, 17@18c; do thirds to seconds, 14@16c; State dairy firkins, fine, 17½@18½c; do fair to good, 15@16c; imitation creamery, firsts, 16@17c; do seconds to firsts, 12@14c; factory, June extras, 13½c; do seconds to firsts, 12@13c; do fresh, firsts, 12@12½c; do low grades, 11½c.

EGGS—Receipts continue large and consist chiefly of icehouse goods. Strictly fine fresh gathered are in light supply and steady, but there is a liberal quantity of undesirable qualities for which trade continues dull and values irregular. Fall refrigerators are still moving slowly, and spring packed are pressed for sale at former range of prices, with a generally weak feeling. Limed eggs dull and easier. We quote: Jersey and nearby, fancy, per doz, 26c; State and Pennsylvania, fancy, 24@25c; do, good to prime, 20@22c; Western, best, 22c; do, fair to good, 19@21c; do, fair to good, refrigerator, 14@16c; Southern, fresh, 18@20c; do, fair to good, quality, count, 14@17c; do, seconds, per 30 doz, case, $2 70@$3 30; refrigerator, fall-packed, 13@18½c; do, spring-packed, 12½@14½c; do, inferior, case count, 9@11c; limed, 12½@13c.

CHEESE—There was very little interest shown in large full-cream cheese to-day by either export or home-trade buyers, and in absence of important business prices are nominally unchanged. Small size full-cream held a moderate demand from the home trade on the basis of about former prices. Strictly fancy September cheese, either large or small, is held about as before, and not especially urging for sale, though it has very little demand. Skims dull and practically out of market. We quote: State, large, fall, fancy, 10c; do, small, fancy, 10½c; do, large, white, September and October, sold at 8c, small singles and twins at 8¼@8½c. At Canton 1,300 boxes sold at 8c, and 1,500 boxes late October from another Board at 7¾c. Liverpool cable, 42s 6d. We quote: State full-cream, large, colored or white, fancy, September, 9¼c; do, late make, fancy, 7¾@8¼c; do, fair to good, 7