THE MARKETS.

TOTAL DOMESTIC RECEIPTS TO-DAY.

	New-York, January 1 and 2, 1901.		
Ashes, pkgs	25	Cranberries, crates	210
Beeswax, pkgs	2	Hay, tons	1,940
Beans, white, bbls	985	Straw, tons	140
Flour, bbls	11,880	Millfeed, tons	112
Flour, sacks	11,567	Grass seed, bags	599
Buckwh't flour, pkgs	363	Rice, bbls	219
Cornmeal, bbls	1,230	Rice, pkgs	491
Cornmeal, bags	6,582	Rice chaff, sacks	320
Hominy, pkgs	200	Dried fruits, pkgs	300
Oatmeal, bbls	1,194	Cotton, bales	10,652
Wheat, bush	119,700	Cottonseed oil, bbls	1,883
Corn, bush	122,600	Rosin, bbls	831
Oats, bush	135,830	Rosin oil, bbls	35
Rye, bush	900	Spirits turp, bbls	169
Peas, bush	350	Pitch, bbls	183
Buckwheat, bush	700	Tar, bbls	483
Malt, bush	16,870	Hops, bales	560
Beef, bbls	205	Hides, No.	50
Beef (canned), cases	1,524	Hides, bundles	200
Pork, bbls	471	Leather, sides	3,600
Hams, pkgs	475	Moss, bales	30
Bacon, pkgs	3,100	Skins, bales	17
Cutmeats, pkgs	1,326	Starch, bbls	150
Dressed hogs, No.	1,288	Sugar, bbls	10
Lard, tierces	3,114	Molasses, bbls	1,318
Lard, kegs	2,025	Syrup, bbls	14
Tallow, pkgs	85	Oilcake, pkgs	850
Grease, pkgs	1,000	Oilmeal, bags	4,062
Butter, pkgs	13,714	Oleo stock, pkgs	850
Cheese, pkgs	3,345	Peanuts, bags	270
Eggs, cases	8,085	Tobacco, hhds	296
Dressed poultry, pkgs	76,235	Tobacco, tierces	304
Live poultry, crates	535	Tobacco, pkgs	691
Oranges, boxes	7,516	Whiskey, bbls	914
Apples, bbls	10,130	Wool, bales	34
Potatoes, bbls	6,870	Wool, sacks	1,269
Onions, bbls	310	Wine, Cal., pkgs	84

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Iron, Nor. No 1 fdy	$16 00	Flour, Mpls. patents	$4 25
Iron, So. No 2 soft	15 50	Cotton, middling	10⅛
Steel rails	26 00	Coffee, No 7 Rio	7
Pig iron warrants	19 00	Sugar, granulated	5 50
Lake copper impt	17 00	Molasses, O K, prime	40
Tin	27 00	Beef, family	11 50
Exchange lead	4 37½	Beef hams	20 00
Spelter	4 15	Tallow, prime	5
Wheat, No 2 red	82⅝	Pork, mess	12 75
Corn, No 2 mixed	45⅞	Hogs, dressed, 160 lb.	6⅞
Oats, No 2 mixed	28¼	Lard, prime	7 30

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Wheat, bush	158,395	Oil meal, lb	131,875			
Corn, bush	173,054	Oil cake, lb	812,600			
Oats, bush	4,889	Spirits turp, gals	5,420			
Barley, bush	60	Pitch, bbls	10			
Flaxseed, bush	16,732	Refined pet, gals	1,682,160			
Peas, bush	3,670	Naphtha, gals	50			
Beans, bush	93	Gasoline, gals	7,500			
Flour, bbls	1,050	Cottonseed oil, gals	18,920			
Flour, sacks	10,519	Lubricating oil, gals	105,080			
Rye flour, bbls	100	Pork, bbls	199			
Cornmeal, bbls	11,211	Beef, bbls	100			
Feed, lb	200	Beef, tierces	100			
Oatmeal, pkgs	1,210	Bacon, lb	1,309,350			
Bran, lb	20,100	Hams, lb	64,000			
Grass seed, bags	105	Lard, lb	525,760			
Hay, bales	200	Tallow, lb	4,800			
Hops, bales	639	Grease, lb	82,000			
Alcohol, gals	22,500	Butter, lb	16,850			
Whiskey, gals	2,000	Cheese, lb	117,060			

GENERAL MARKET REPORTS.

New-York, January 2, 1901.

COFFEE—The coffee market opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points and ruled generally weak in tone, cables making an unsatisfactory response to the advance which occurred in our market on Saturday. Havre closed about unchanged. Hamburg was ¼ pfg higher to ¼ pfg lower; Rio advanced 75 reis, and Santos 100 reis. But the cable news as a whole was disappointing, and renewed selling was upon a larger scale than for some time past, the trade being pretty generally satisfied that supplies this year will break the record. The record now stands 18,500,000 bags, including Rio and Santos, while the current prices on coffee remained several cents above the low price record of 1898, the maximum crop year. Sales on the opening call were 750 bags, up to 12 M. 14,250 bags, and for the entire session 40,500 bags, the market finally barely steady at a net decline of 15@20 points. The market for spot Brazilian supplies ruled dull and nominal on the basis of 6⅞c for No 7 Rio invoice lots. W. H. Crossman & Bros.' coffee circular says: "It is apparent that the coffee world at large continues very nervous, and at the slightest improvement due to any cause, no matter how slight, speculators are forever climbing or clamoring for higher values under the misconception that minor causes can materially alter conditions. We hear to-day from some of the best merchants in the trade in Europe expressions that are in line with our views, and they do not place any reliance in the present improvement, and any permanent rise under present existing conditions is not at all probable. The real cause for low prices or lower prices is to be found in the fact of overproduction. On the other hand, speculation for a long time past has been almost entirely in the higher prices, and the course of events has shown that, no matter how great the aggregation of capital or influence to raise values, it has in the end proved futile to control the market legitimately. As far as trade conditions in this country are concerned, it is probable that an advance may be made in the price of roasted coffee, which simply means an increase in the difference between the value of the green coffee and the price of the manufactured article. Such question is simply a regulation of matters entirely apart from legitimate market influences on green coffee, and should not be considered as forming any part of the argument as to values in the light of present supplies."

The range of contract prices in the local market to-day was as follows:

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
January	5.80	5.80	5.75	5.65@5.70	5.85
February	—	—	—	5.75@5.80	5.95
March	6.00	6.00	5.90	5.85@5.90	6.05
April	—	—	—	5.90@5.95	6.10
May	6.10	6.10	6.00	5.95@6.00	6.15
June	—	—	—	5.95@6.00	6.15
July	6.10	6.10	6.00	5.95@6.00	6.15
August	—	—	—	6.00@6.05	6.20
September	6.20	6.20	6.10	6.05@6.10	6.25
October	6.25	6.25	6.25	6.10@6.15	6.30
November	—	—	—	6.15@6.20	6.20

Total warehouse deliveries in the United States for the week just ended were about 95,000 bags, against 77,000 bags last week and 48,960 bags for the same week a year ago. Of the former amount New-York reported 83,000 bags. Santos receipts were 120,000 bags for the week, as compared with 147,000 bags last week and 79,000 bags for the same week a year ago. Rio receipts aggregated 37,000 bags, against 47,000 bags the previous week and 33,000 bags for the same week a year ago. Rio shipments to the United States, 30,000 bags for the week; to Europe, 4,000 bags. Santos shipments to the United States, 75,000 bags; to Europe, 72,000 bags.

Coffee Cables—Santos—Coffee market—No returns. Hamburg—Coffee market opened unchanged; at 2:30 p m, ¼ pfg higher to ¼ pfg lower, as compared with Saturday's close; sales, 12,000 bags. Havre—Coffee market opened ½@¾ franc higher, as compared with Saturday's close; at 12 m, declined ¼ franc; at 3 p m, unchanged to ½ franc higher; at 5:30 p m, ¼ franc lower; total sales, 42,000 bags.

January	9.25	July	9.00
February	9.25	August	9.25
March	9.50	September	9.50
April	9.50	October	9.50
May	9.75	November	9.50
June	9.00	December	9.75

Rio—Receipts, 2,600 bags; no other returns.

The statistical position of Brazilian coffee is as follows:

	To-day.	Saturday.	Last week.
New-York deliveries	17,951	15,252	15,107
Baltimore deliveries	988	6,619	559
New-Orleans deliveries	974	51	—
Total deliveries	19,913	21,898	16,380
New-York stock	698,654	672,822	724,091
Baltimore stock	73,119	76,510	67,821
New-Orleans stock	52,253	38,815	40,620
Stock at all ports	766,026	787,647	833,342
Afloat	340,000	388,000	307,000
Visible supply	1,106,026	1,175,647	1,140,342
Same time 1900	1,268,559	1,272,288	1,244,582

COTTON—The bull forces expressed themselves as thoroughly satisfied with the opening of the new year and century, so far as the cotton market was concerned, and freely predicted a succession of advantageous movements in values on legitimate conditions. The early market was decidedly more active than in some time of late, while the session as a whole reflected a return of old time interest in speculation. Sentiment in general was of a friendly character, and Wall Street displayed more interest of a substantial sort than since Election Day. The market started steady in tone, with prices 1 to 6 points higher, and for a time was comparatively quiet, though gathering strength was clearly manifested. The early English cables were considerably better than the shorts had been prepared to deal with or than the bulls had hoped for, while domestic news from nearly every point favored a firmer market. Shorts were in hasty retreat at the end of the first half hour, and in their efforts to reach cover forced values upward sharply. Later in the forenoon bull speculation on fairly generous lines came to the front with the result that by midday a net rise of 10 to 14 points was apparent, with the market at that time decidedly firmer in tone. Private advices declared that spot cotton markets were higher in the South, with holders offering little cotton of a grade suitable to the needs of the domestic mills or the export contingent. Receipts were seen to have dropped off to a much less extent than had been the estimates pointed to no immediate increase in this connection. Early in the afternoon the market gave a positive demonstration of inherent strength by advancing even more rapidly than in the forenoon, on public confirmation of the morning reports that spot cotton in Southern markets was higher. Fears that Liverpool would come much higher in the morning impelled shorts to strive anew to reach cover before their position was rendered even more precarious. Bull sentiment reached a high pitch, and investment buying in the last hour was the feature of the day's trading. Wall Street and the West, latter chiefly for Chicago account, helped signally to strengthen the market in general and to stimulate professional bulls' operations here. Trading was the most active of recent times. The March and May options were the centre of attraction, although the current month was by no means neglected. The market closed steady, with prices net 9 to 20 points higher.

The range of contract prices in the local market to-day was as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
January	9.70	9.85	9.70	9.78@9.79	9.69
February	9.57	9.68	9.57	9.64@9.65	9.51
March	9.59	9.66	9.59	9.60@9.61	9.45
April	9.44	9.58	9.44	9.57@9.58	9.39
May	9.40	9.59	9.40	9.57@9.58	9.37
June	9.45	9.50	9.45	9.52@9.54	9.34
July	9.34	9.51	9.34	9.48@9.49	9.30
August	9.02	9.20	9.02	9.17@9.18	8.97
September	8.50	8.60	8.50	8.56@8.58	8.42
October	8.15	8.25	8.15	8.24@8.25	8.05
November	8.05	8.05	8.05	—@—	—

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

Ports.	To-day.	Last week.	Last year.	Present stock.
Galveston	4,704	10,068	10,130	242,452
New-Orleans	7,579	3,220	10,619	334,131
Mobile	12	611	68	12,665
Savannah	2,799	5,981	7,747	129,214
Charleston	1,134	999	292	22,625
Wilmington	116	818	240	7,299
Norfolk	629	161	2,067	35,478
Baltimore	3,000	1,350	—	17,787
New-York	2,352	3,213	493	87,589
Boston	2,896	—	583	—
Philadelphia	175	138	355	4,223
Various	—	—	4,207	9,578
Totals	24,597	26,596	36,631	965,629
Interior:				
Augusta	136	862	483	59,179
Memphis	548	2,267	856	102,513
St. Louis	994	980	1,825	72,056
Cincinnati	1,464	2,566	3,867	8,101
Houston	4,534	8,294	6,884	1,158

Spot cotton closed dull, with quotations ⅛c higher on the basis of 10⅛c for middling uplands, and 10⅜c for middling Gulf. Southern spot markets were telegraphed as follows: New-Orleans firm, 5-16c higher, at 9⅞c; Mobile steady at 1-16c higher, at 9¾c; Savannah steady, 1-16c higher, at 9⅞c; Charleston firm and unchanged at 9¾c; Norfolk steady, and 1-16c higher to 9⅞c; Baltimore nominally unchanged, at 10c; Augusta firm and ⅛c advance, to 9⅞c, and St Louis steady, unchanged at 9 9-16c. Estimated receipts to-morrow at New-Orleans are 7,500 to 8,000 bales, against 21,500 a week ago, and 10,137 last year. At Houston, 9,500 to 10,500 bales, against 8,964 last week and 6,884 last year.

Cotton Exchange, special Liverpool cables—Spot cotton—A fair business doing. Sales, 8,000 bales; speculation and export, 500; American, 7,600; receipts, 90,000; American, 83,000; middling uplands, 17-32d; futures opened steady, 2-64d advance, and ran up in steady, 3-64d to 2½-64d net higher; closed steady, 6-64@½-64d net higher; January, 5.22½b; January-February, 5.23½s; February-March, 5.22½s; March-April, 5.19v; April-May, 5.16b; May-June, 5.14s; June-July, 5.11b; July-August, 5.08½s; August-September, 5.37½s.

FLOUR AND MEAL—Mills have advanced prices 25c in the last week on the 5c rise in wheat, but find buyers unwilling to pay more than 5@10c advance, which checks business, the more so as wheat late in the day dropped off sharply and closed rather weak. Minneapolis patents were held generally at $4 25, with some asking more. Spring patents were quoted $4 10@$4 40; winter straights, $3 50@$3 65; winter patents, $3 70@$4; spring clears, $3@$3 55; extra No 1 winter, $2 75@$2 95; extra No 2 winter, $2 55@$2 75; no grade, $18 60@$18 75 spot and to arrive; buckwheat flour, $2 10@$2 20.....RYE FLOUR—Steady. Quoted: Fair to good, $2 80@$3 15; choice to fancy, $3 15@$3 50.....CORNMEAL—Firm. Quoted: Kiln dried, $2 35@$2 40, as to brand.....BAGMEAL—Firm. Quoted: Fine white and yellow, 98c@$1; coarse, 90@91c.....FEED—Firm. Quoted: Spring bran, spot, $16 50@$16 75; sacks to arrive, 20c lb, $16 75@$17 25; spring bran, bulk, $15 75; coarse winter bran, $16@$18; city bran, $16 50@$17; corn meal, $25; linseed oil cake, $27 50; corn oil cake, $19; hominy chop, $17; oil meal, $28 25.

GRAIN—WHEAT—The first day of the new year resulted in honors in the wheat market being about evenly divided between the bull and bear contingents. Each had a good swing at the market during the session, bearishness predominating at the immediate opening and close, while bulls controlled things at midday, pushing values higher than they ruled any time on Monday. The close, however, after a period of late realizing, was quite weak at ½@⅝c net decline and about 9@9½c under the point of the day. At the opening of business, conditions could hardly be said to have favored bull operators to any extent beyond the fact that trade had broadened recently. Liverpool was closed, and London came only ½d higher, making but very moderate showing. Results were relied upon for some