THE MARKETS.

TOTAL DOMESTIC RECEIPTS TO-DAY.

New-York, January 17, 1901.

Ashes, pkgs	12	Dressed poultry, pkgs	1,470
Beans, white, bbls	1,334	Live poultry, crates	397
Flour, bbls	4,875	Oranges, boxes	4,670
Flour, sacks	11,554	Apples, bbls	2,400
S. W. flour, pkgs	116	Potatoes, bbls	6,280
Cornmeal, bbls	125	Onions, bbls	400
Cornmeal, bags	1,300	Cranberries, crates	50
Oatmeal, bbls	355	Hay, tons	1,370
Wheat, bush	52,200	Straw, tons	50
Corn, bush	98,475	Grass seed, bags	34
Oats, bush	50,400	Rice, bbls	100
Rye, bush	1,800	Dried fruits, pkgs	2,700
Peas, bush	3,300	Silk, pkgs	600
Barley, bush	15,675	Cotton, bales	1,361
Malt, bush	8,400	Cottonseed oil, bbls	970
Flaxseed, bush	12,000	Rosin, bbls	505
Beef (canned), cases	2,483	Tar, bbls	30
Pork, bbls	210	Hops, bales	230
Hams, pkgs	493	Hemp, bales	4
Bacon, pkgs	804	Leather, sides	4,200
Cut meats, pkgs	570	Starch, bbls	150
Dressed hogs, No	611	Tea, pkgs	300
Lard, tierces	3,163	Oilcake, pkgs	2,865
Lard, kegs	6,058	Oleo stock, pkgs	214
Lard, cases, pkgs	295	Peanuts, pkgs	1,500
Tallow, pkgs	92	Tobacco, hhds	217
Butter, pkgs	3,460	Tobacco, tcs	28
Cheese, pkgs	1,314	Tobacco, pkgs	626
Eggs, cases	4,140	Whiskey, bbls	673

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Iron, Nor, No 1 dly	$16 00	Flour, Mpls. patents	$4 15
Iron, So, No 2 soft	15 50	Cotton, middling	9⅞
Steel rails	28 00	Coffee, No 7 Rio	7½
Pig iron warrants	19 00	Sugar, granulated	5 40
Lake copper ingot	17 00	Molasses, O K, prime	40
Tin	26 15	Beef, family	11 00
Exchange lead	4 37½	Beef hams	26 00
Spelter	4 07½	Tallow, prime	5 3-16
Wheat, No 2 red	79¼	Pork, mess	14 25
Corn, No 2 mixed	46½	Hogs, dressed, 160 lb.	7
Oats, No 2 mixed	30½	Lard, prime	7 75

EXPORTS TO-DAY.

Wheat, bush	74,717	Pitch, bbls	5
Corn, bush	87,523	Coal tar pitch, tons	45,000
Oats, bush	5,485	Refined pet, gals	1,598,880
Peas, bush	2,952	Cottonseed oil, gals	223,170
Beans, bush	1,816	Lubricating oil, gals	87,200
Flour, bbls	1,000	Pork, bbls	1,019
Flour, sacks	15,612	Beef, bbls	70
Cornmeal, bbls	1,201	Beef, tcs	363
Peed, lb	300	Bacon, lb	2,530,500
Oatmeal, pkgs	1,100	Hams, lb	26,000
Bran, lb	3,300	Lard, lb	606,870
Grass seed, bags	537	Lard oil, gals	1,250
Hay, bales	4,081	Stearine, lb. CITY	40,000
Hops, bales	353	Tallow, lb	3,000
Whiskey, gals	650	Grease, lb	42,400
Oilmeal, lb	49,000	Butter, lb	264,600
Oilcake, lb	2,064,300	Cheese, lb	31,080
Spirits turp, gals	1,650		

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

New-York, January 17, 1900.

COFFEE—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points; ruled quiet, without further change of consequence, and closed steady with the net loss 5@10 points, or the same as at the opening. Transactions were small; on the first call 3,250 bags; up to 12 m 6,600 bags, and for the entire session 17,500 bags. Five out of the twelve positions were not dealt in at all. The weakness of the market was chiefly due to continued large receipts at Rio and Santos and for the interior of Brazil; the former 22,000 bags, and the latter 23,300 bags. Weakness in the Havre and Hamburg markets contributed to the compression here; Havre closing ½@¾f and Hamburg ⅛pfg lower. On the other hand the market at Rio advanced on coffee, but was 3-32d on the exchange rate, making the figure 10¼d. A substantial feature in this country was the liberal warehouse outward movement, deliveries putting up 21,914 bags. On the other hand the open market for spot Brazilian supplies was dull and heavy, closing nominal on the basis of 7¾c for No 7 Rio, invoice lots.

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

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
January	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55@5.60	5.65
February	—	—	—	5.65@5.70	5.75
March	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75@5.80	5.80
April	—	—	—	5.75@5.85	5.80
May	5.85	5.85	5.85	5.80@5.85	5.80
June	—	—	—	5.80@5.90	5.90
July	5.90	5.90	5.90	5.85@5.95	5.95
August	—	—	—	5.85@5.95	5.95
September	5.95	5.95	5.95	5.90@5.95	5.95
October	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.95@6.00	6.00
November	—	—	—	5.95@6.00	6.00
December	6.05	6.05	6.05	6.05@6.10	6.10

Coffee cables.—Santos—Coffee market barely steady; good average Santos, 5$800; receipts, 14,000 bags; stock, 1,163,000 bags. Hamburg—Coffee market opened ¼@½ pfg lower; at 2:30 p m ½ pfg net lower; sales, 9,000 bags. Havre—Coffee market opened steady; at noon 3f lower; at 12 m unchanged; at 3 p m unchanged to ¼ franc lower, irregular; at 5:30 p m unchanged; total sales, 28,000 bags.

January	39.00	July	39.75
February	39.25	August	39.75
March	39.25	September	40.00
April	39.50	October	40.00
May	39.25	November	40.25
June	39.50	December	40.50

Rio—Coffee market steady; No 7 Rio, 6$675; Exchange, 10¼d; receipts, 8,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 9,000 bags; cleared for Europe, 1,000 bags; stock, 277,000 bags.

The statistical position of Brazilian coffee in the local market to-day was as follows:

	To-day.	Yesterday.	Last month.
New-York deliveries	17,749	11,541	31,700
Baltimore deliveries	3,612	5,076	1,104
New-Orleans deliveries	553	—	836
Total deliveries	21,914	16,617	33,640
New-York stock	530,330	548,079	625,280
Baltimore stock	55,718	59,330	75,516
New-Orleans stock	40,703	42,185	48,103
Stock at all ports	626,751	649,594	746,959
Afloat	320,000	320,000	256,000
Visible supply	948,751	969,594	1,002,959
Same time 1900	1,168,268	1,124,983	1,136,646

COTTON—A considerable portion of the advance established during yesterday in the wake of covering and investment buying was swept away early this morning by a small avalanche of liquidation and some bear pounding. There were several reactionary movements later in the session, but prices failed to rally to the final bids of last night. The friends of the market were seriously handicapped by an almost total absence of investment orders from the public, which yesterday gave promise of taking a firm hold once more. On the opening the feeling was easy, with prices down 3@5 points, immediately followed by an additional drop of 6@8 points under selling for both accounts, which seemed to come from nearly all points of the compass. Toward midday there was a change for the better, but in the early afternoon sheer dearth of supporting orders caused prices to slowly sag, after which variations were insignificant and business practically flat. The market was finally steady at unchanged prices net to 2@4 points lower. Whereas the initial Liverpool cables proved fully as favorable as anticipated by the trade here, the English market took a decided list toward the bear side before our opening, and up to 11 o'clock continued to sink rapidly under what appeared to be general selling. Our market followed sharply until 9.26 was reached for March and 9.25 for May, when demand from rectificatists checked further decline and caused Liverpool to steady and close considerably up from bottom. The receipts were generous, but spot markets South held their position stubbornly. Liverpool was reported by private advices to have been influenced by belief in a larger crop estimate.

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

	Opening	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
January	9.30	9.34	9.26	9.30@9.32	9.34
February	9.30	9.36	9.32	9.32@9.35	9.43
March	9.35	9.35	9.28	9.30@9.31	9.40
April	9.30	9.30	9.27	9.28@9.30	9.36
May	9.30	9.31	9.25	9.28@9.29	9.36
June	9.24	9.26	9.24	9.26@9.28	9.34
July	9.27	9.28	9.23	9.26@9.27	9.33
August	9.00	9.02	8.97	9.00@9.01	9.07
September	8.59	8.59	8.49	8.54@8.57	8.57
October	8.20	8.21	8.19	8.21@8.23	8.26
November	—	—	—	8.10@8.15	8.15

Spot cotton closed dull, with quotations unchanged on the basis of 9⅝c for middling upland and 10⅜c for middling Gulf. Sales, none. Southern spot markets were telegraphed as follows: New-Orleans, quiet, unchanged, at 9¾c; Mobile, quiet, unchanged, at 9¾c; Savannah, quiet, 1-16c decline, at 9¾; Charleston, steady, unchanged, at 9¼c; Wilmington, firm, unchanged, at 9½c; Norfolk, quiet, unchanged, at 9¾c; Baltimore, nominal, unchanged, at 10c; Augusta, quiet and steady, 1-16c decline, at 9 9-16c; St. Louis, quiet, unchanged, at 9½c. Estimated receipts to-morrow at New-Orleans are 9,000 to 10,000 bales, against 6,556 bales a week ago and 10,447 bales a year ago. At Houston, 6,000 to 7,000 bales, against 5,355 bales last week and 5,579 bales last year.

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	8,453	10,267	2,918	183,153
New-Orleans	7,504	7,392	4,997	357,882
Mobile	499	111	566	32,730
Savannah	4,532	1,973	4,774	115,761
Charleston	593	2,050	1,736	16,140
Wilmington	133	431	672	11,566
Norfolk	956	1,074	1,035	31,654
Baltimore	1,151	—	—	12,374
New-York	756	1,130	183	101,779
Boston	1,268	2,007	618	—
Philadelphia	234	—	682	6,061
Various	—	—	2,500	7,131
Totals	26,369	26,435	20,681	876,231
Interior:				
Augusta	488	670	639	58,516
Memphis	993	975	1,226	152,326
St. Louis	317	1,783	199	75,313
Cincinnati	821	2,052	1,376	8,285
Houston	6,598	10,828	3,397	113,023

Cotton Exchange special Liverpool cables: Spot cotton hardening; sales, 8,000 bales; speculation and export, 500; American, 7,000; receipts, 1,000; middling upland, 5½d; futures opend steady, 1@2 points advance; closed steady, 1@3 points net lower. January, 5.22; January-February, 5.19b; February-March, 5.16½s; March-April, 5.14½s; April-May, 5.12½s; May-June, 5.10½s; June-July, 5.08b; July-August, 5.05½s; August-September, 4.57½s; September-October, 4.57½s; October-November, 4.40v; November-December, 4.71v. Manchester—Yarns and cloths quiet.

FLOUR AND MEAL—In some instances there was a slight drop in flour prices yesterday, but it did not inspire demand, and, generally speaking, the market was held at old figures with a dull, weak close. Spring patents were quoted $4@$4 25; winter straights, $3 40@$3 50; winter patents, $3 65@$4; spring clears, $3@$3 30; extra No 1 winter, $2 70@$2 90; extra No 2 winter, $2 50@$2 65; rye grade, $18 00@$19 25 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. ....CORN MEAL—Easy. Quoted: Kiln dried, $2 25@$2 40 as to brand.....BUCKWHEAT MEAL—Quiet. Quoted: Fine white and yellow, $1@$1 05; coarse, $1@92c.....FEED—Steady. Quoted: Spring bran, spot, $15@$17; sacks to arrive, 200 lb, $17@$17 50; spring bran, bulk, $16 25@$16 50; coarse winter bran, $16@$18 50; city bran, $16 50@$17; corn meal, $25; linseed oil cake, $27 75; corn oil cake, $19; hominy chop, $17; oilmeal, $28 25.

GRAIN—WHEAT—In spite of a much steadier set of cables from Liverpool than had been expected, the wheat market got a weak start yesterday and before the day was out had lost another cent a bushel. Export transactions and covering, however, subsequently led to half of this being regained, and the market closed quite steady at only ⅝@⅞c net decline. Heavy liquidation from all quarters was responsible for the early break. After Wednesday's decline a general call for margins was sent out, and as the situation seemed to possess nothing particularly attractive to holders there was a widespread desire manifested to throw wheat on the market. At its lowest interval the May option touched 79¼c in New-York. Attending the break was active selling for short account, bears receiving new courage from the forenoon turn of events and pounding the market vigorously in the hope of getting at still more long wheat. After midday a feeble attempt to rally the market was checked by an Argentine cable from Snow, in which he asserted that the official Government report would estimate a total crop of 106,000,000 bush and an export surplus of 72,000,000 bush. These figures he regarded as high. They were quite generally discredited by operators here, but could hardly fail to weaken sentiment somewhat. If the Argentine export surplus this year exceeds 60,000,000 bush it will be larger than most people on 'Change expect. The final outturn in the market, occurring in the last half hour, was based on good export demand and a sharp advance in the corn market. All day export rumors had been in the air and it was conceded by everybody that a liberal business would be put through. Actual figures, however, were almost a surprise to the bulls themselves. At New-York, outports and in the West fully 106 loads were worked, part late Wednesday, while some rumors insisted that not less than 1,500,000 bush had been negotiated. The inside figure, however, was the one most generally accepted. Liverpool futures, opening ⅝d lower, recovered half of the loss, but near the close were influenced by weak reports from this side, and left off ⅜@½d net lower. There was a decline of ½@⅝d at London and 10 to 15 points at Paris. Budapest closed 1 point lower, Antwerp ⅛ franc off and Berlin unchanged. The so-called Wall Street element gave the market no support during the day, but was said to be still holding its wheat. "The Price Current" reported a favorable outlook for wheat and a fair amount of grain being marketed. Quotations of cash wheat f o b afloat basis were as follows: No 1 hard Duluth, 88¾c, nominal; old No 1 Northern Duluth, 86½c; No 1 Northern Duluth, 84¾c; No 1 Northern Chicago, 82¾c; No 2 red New-York, 79¼c, afloat; No 2 hard Chicago, 80½c, prompt; No 2 hard New-York, 79¾c, scarce.....CORN—The important feature in corn was a very sharp advance in the May option, due to export business and a general covering by traders who had gone short of the market earlier in the day. Last prices were ⅜@½c net higher. The export transactions included 33 loads at New-York and 21 loads at outports. The Western situation as regards the condition of corn was about the same as heretofore, no contract grades appearing in the receipts of 519 cars at Chicago. Seaboard clearances of 806,800 bush easily offset the decline of ¼@½d in English markets. No 2 corn closed 46c elevator, 46½c delivered and 46½c f o b afloat .....OATS—The market was rather active West at steady prices, but dull and featureless locally. No 2 oats closed 30½c. No 3, 30c; No 2 white oats, 32½c; No 3 white, 32c; track mixed, 30@31½c; track white, 31½@35c; No 2 white clips, 33c.....RYE—Market steady; No 1 Western quoted 59¼c, f o b afloat; No 2 Western, 58¾c, f o b afloat; State rye, 53@54c.....BARLEY—Market dull. Feeding was quoted 48@50c, c i f New-York; malting, 60@62c, c i f New-York.....BUCKWHEAT GRAIN—Market nominal. Quoted: 60@62c, c i f New-York.

NEW-YORK PRICES.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
Wheat:					
January	79½	79½	78⅞	78¾	78¾
March	80	80 1-16	79⅛	79¾	79¾
May	79	79⅝	78 11-16	79⅛	79⅝
Corn:					
January	—	—	—	46½	46
March	—	—	—	45	44⅝
May	43⅝	44	43 9-16	44	43⅝
July	—	—	—	44⅛	43¾
Lard:					
January	—	—	—	$7 75	$7 70

CHICAGO PRICES.

Wheat:					
January	72 11-16	72 11-16	71½	72¼	72⅛
February	72 15-16	72 15-16	71⅞	72½	73
May	75⅝	75⅝	74 3-16	75	75½
Corn:					
January	36¼	36⅝	35⅞	36⅝	36⅜
February	36⅝	36⅞	36⅜	36⅞	36⅜
May	38 1-16	38⅝	37 13-16	38½	38
Oats:					
January	23¼	23⅞	23¼	23⅜	23¼
May	24¾	25⅜	24¾	25¼	24¾
Lard:					
January	$7 35	$7 37½	$7 35	$7 37½	$7 35
May	7 47½	7 47½	7 42½	7 47½	7 45
Ribs:					
January	7 00	7 02½	7 00	7 02½	7 00
May	7 12½	7 15	7 05	7 15	7 12½
Pork:					
January	13 90	13 95	13 90	13 95	13 90
May	14 10	14 15	13 97½	14 15	14 00

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	29	72	388	319	1	73
Milwaukee	3	34	23	17	11	31
Minneapolis	—	249	46	54	1	7
Duluth	—	31	58	1	—	—
St. Louis	7	60	73	30	—	—
Kansas City	—	82	44	10	—	—
Toledo	—	29	58	17	1	—
Detroit	1	6	40	—	—	—
Peoria	—	—	72	33	—	—
Totals	40	563	842	481	14	111
Shipments from these points:						
Chicago	30	33	145	234	4	24
Milwaukee	8	—	20	43	2	22
Minneapolis	33	31	20	12	1	2
St. Louis	7	29	104	47	—	—
Kansas City	—	113	34	7	—	—
Toledo	—	11	31	88	1	—
Detroit	1	—	—	—	—	—
Peoria	—	—	33	47	—	—
Totals	79	217	387	478	8	48
Receipts at Atlantic ports:						
New-York	13	52	98	50	2	16
Boston	2	24	19	5	—	—
Philadelphia	—	38	205	27	—	—
Baltimore	5	33	329	12	3	—
New-Orleans	1	36	95	29	—	—
Galveston	—	80	—	—	—	—
Totals	21	263	746	123	5	16
Exports from Atlantic ports:						
New-York	16	75	88	5	—	—
Boston	—	40	17	20	—	—
Philadelphia	2	12	136	16	—	—
Baltimore	38	20	532	—	17	—
New-Orleans	1	16	124	—	—	—
Totals	57	163	897	41	17	—

METALS—Speculation in the local metal market was again dormant. Trading was of a smallhand-to-mouth character, and the general trend of prices downward. Tin, after making a weak advice from London, where prices went off about £1 to £119 5s, reacted about 35 points to-day, and closed weak at $26 15, against $26 50, the closing figure of yesterday. Some small sales were made at the decline. Copper, though again scoring a loss of 12s 6d in London to £71, ruled extremely dull in the local market, with a somewhat easy undertone prevalent. Closing prices were 17c for Lake Superior and 16⅝c for casting and electrolytic; concessions were freely offered on the latter metal. Lead ruled dull, with $4 37½ the nominal price, whileat London prices went off 3s 9d to £16 13s. Spelter ruled very dull all day at yesterday's decline, with trading very slow at $4 10@$4 15. Iron markets, both domestic and foreign, were rather quiet and largely nominal. There was close found pig iron warrants at $9 50@$9 50. Northern foundry at $15@$16 50; Southern foundry at $14 50@$15 75, and soft Southern, $13@$15 75, while at Glasgow 53s 9d was the ruling figure, and at Middlesboro 48s ½d

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—Only a small local business was developed to-day in the market for molasses, with a firm undertone, however, prevalent all day, owing to the light supply on hand. Syrups were without quotable change and about steady. Quotations follow: New-Orleans centrifugal, common, 12@13c; fair, 14@19c; good, 17@22c; prime, 22@28c. New-Orleans open kettle, 27@40c. Porto Rico, 34@40c; syrups, common, 15@16c; fair, 17@18c; good, 19@20c; prime, 21@24c; fancy, 23@27c.

OCEAN FREIGHTS—The inquiry for sail tonnage was limited, and the market generally quiet in all departments. Rates were unchanged. Steamers for grain and other cargoes met with but little demand, and as the offerings were ample the tendency of rates was easy. Quotations to Liverpool were 2¼d; London, 3¼d; Glasgow, 3d; Bristol, 3½d; Leith, 3½d; Hull, 3¼d; Newcastle, 3¼d; Antwerp, 3¼@3½d; Hamburg, 40 pfgs; Rotterdam, 5½c; Amsterdam, 5½c; Cotton to Liverpool, per 100 lb, 16c; London oats, 2s. CHARTERS—British steamer, 2,592 tons, general cargo, hence to Australia, private terms, February; British steamer, 1,925 tons, general cargo, hence to China and Japan, berthed, February; Norwegian steamer, 2,329 tons, general cargo, Calcutta to New-York, $4 25, option Boston, $4 37½, or Galveston, $4 50, January; chartered abroad, two British steamers, 14,000 quarters grain each, Baltimore to Cork for orders, 3s 3d, February; British steamer, 18,000 quarters grain, Gulf to Denmark 3s 10½d, February; British steamer, 1,694 tons, general cargo, Gulf to Denmark, 17s 6d, February; British steamer, 1,815 tons, general cargo, Gulf to United Kingdom or Continent, private terms; British steamer, 1,467 tons, same voyage, 16s 3d option, Denmark, 17s 6d, February; Norwegian steamer, 1,358 tons coal, Philadelphia to Havana, private terms; British steamer, 1,170 tons, West India trade, about $900; British steamer, 463 tons (or sub), West India trade, nine months, private terms; British steamer, 1,673 tons, sugar, Cienfuegos to north of Hatteras, 12@13c; Italian bark, 666 tons rosin, Savannah to Genoa, 2s 7½d; British bark, 746 tons, general cargo, Calcutta to West Indies, 35s, February-March; British schooner, 418 tons, lumber Jacksonville to Surinam, $7; schooner, 849 tons, coal, Baltimore to Port Lobos at or about $2 50, and back with sugar, private terms; two schooners, 316 and 510 tons, coal, Philadelphia to Mayport, $1 25, and disbarked; schooner, 255 tons, lumber, Pensacola to Elizabethport, $3 25; schooner, 271 tons, lumber, Norfolk to New-York, $2 50; two schooners, 215 and 159 tons, and British schooner, 99 tons, coal, St George to St John, N B, $1 25; British steamer, 130,000 cases petroleum, hence to Hong-Kong, 34c, January-February; British steamer, 150,000 cases petroleum hence to Shanghai, 37½c, February-March.

OILS—A somewhat firmer tone was noted in cottonseed oil and a slight advance in prices over the previous day, but with business unimportant and mostly for domestic account. Petroleum was quiet at the recent decline. Linseed oil steady. Petroleum, bbls, $7 45, and in bulk, $4 90; Philadelphia, bbls, $7 40, and in bulk, $4 85; refined cases, New-York, $8 50. Cottonseed Oil—Prime crude, bbls, 26½@27c, nominal; prime summer yellow, 30½; off summer yellow, 29½c; prime white, 34@35c; prime winter yellow, 36c; linseed American, raw, 56c; linseed American boiled, 58c; Calcutta raw, 85c. Western linseed quoted 2c under city brands; lard oil, 63@65c.

PROVISIONS—There was a steady market in provisions all day, without much change in prices or any important trading interest. Hog receipts were large, amounting to 88,009 at all Western points, but offerings were not heavy, and in spite of the drop in wheat sellers had somewhat of an advantage all day. The Chicago receipts were 50,000, with 27,000 expected on Friday. Kansas City arrivals were 16,000 and Omaha 7,000.....PORK—Firm. Quoted: Mess, $13 75@$14 75; family, $15@$16; short clear, $14 50@$17.....BEEF—Steady. Quoted: Mess, $9@$9 50; family, $10@$12; packet, $10@$10 50; extra India mess, $14@$16.....BEEF HAMS—Nominal. Quoted, $19 50@$20 50.....DRESSED HOGS—Steady. Quoted: Bacons, 6⅞c; 180 lb, 7c; 160 lb, 7c; pigs, 7⅝c.....CUTMEATS—Pickled bellies firm. Quoted: Smoking, 8½c; 10 lb, 8c; 12 lb, 7¾@8c; 14 lb, 7½c; pickled shoulders steady; quoted, 5¾@6c; pickled hams dull; quoted, 8½@9¼c.....TALLOW—Steady; city, 5¼@5¼c; country, 5¼@5½c.....LARD—Steady. Quoted: 7.75c; city lard steady; quoted, 7.30c; refined lard steady; quoted, South America, 8.50c; Continent, 7.85c; Brazil kegs, 9.50c; compound dull; quoted, city, 5½@5⅝c; Western, 5½@5⅝c.....STEARINE—Steady. Quoted: Oleo, 7¼c; city lard stearine, 8@8¼c.

RICE—Owing to the smallness of receipts the market for rice ruled quite firm at fully maintained prices, but very little trading was done, buyers and sellers being too far apart for business. Quotations follow: Domestic, common to low fair, 3¼@4c; fair to good, 4¼@4¾c; prime to choice, 5⅛@5⅜c; head, 5½@6½c; Patna, 4⅝@5¼c; Japan, 4⅝@5c; Java, 4¼@4¾c; Rangood in bond, 2@2½c.

SUGAR—Though holding its strength of undertone the volume of business in the refined sugar market was very small. New orders of any account were lacking, but list prices were unchanged and about the lowest. Cut loaves, crushed and dominos, 6.10c; mould A, 5.95c; cubes, 5.85c. XXXX powdered, 5.75c; powdered, coarse powdered and fruit powdered, 5.70c; Eagle confectioners' granulated, 5.85c; Eagle coarse, extra fine, 2 lb bags and 5 lb bags of fine granulated, 5.75c; Eagle fine granulated, standard granulated and diamond A, 5.60c; confectioners' A, 5.40c; No 1, 5.25c; Nos 2 and 3, 5.20c; No 4, 5.15c; No 5, 5.10c; No 6, 5.05c; No 7, 4.95c; No 8, 4.85c; No 9, 4.80c; No 10, 4.75c; No 11, 4.70c; Nos 12 and 13, 4.65c; Nos 14, 15 and 16, 4.60c. The total visible supply of sugar to date is 2,990,000 tons. Cables were of rather unsatisfactory purport to-day, coming ¾d lower on both January and February deliveries, to 9s 3d and 9s 3¾d, respectively. The local situation developed nothing new in the way of price changes or new feature of importance. The undertone holds firm, however, as supplies for nearby shipments are pretty well cleaned up and offerings very light. At the close there were buyers on the basis of 4⅜c for centrifugal, 3⅞c for muscovado, and 3⅝c for molasses sugar.

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

New-York, January 17, 1901.

BEANS AND PEAS—There is a quiet jobbing demand for medium and pea beans at about late prices, but marrow are dull and slightly easier in tone. Red kidney quiet; exporters have paid $2 45 for a few lots. White kidney and yellow eye scarce and well sustained. A fair quantity of imported medium selling in range of $1 90@$2 05. Foreign marrow are slow. We quote: Beans, marrow, choice, per bush, $2 57½@$2 60; do medium, choice, $2 25; do pea, choice, bbls, $2 35; do bags, $2 32½@$2 35; do red kidney, choice, $2 42½@$2 45; do white kidney, choice, $2 60@$2 65; do yellow eye, choice, $2 65; do black turtle soup, choice, $1 80@$1 85; do lima, California, $3 8@$3 85, imported giants, $3@$3 05; imported marrow, $2 25@$2 40; imported medium, $1 90@$2 05; green peas, bags, $1 17½@$1 20; do Scotch, bags, $1 20@$1 22½.

BUTTER—Business is moving along very satisfactorily and the market is in good shape. Prices are firm for fancy fresh creamery and steady on other qualities. Besides the freer movement on local and out of town account, exporters continue to buy to a considerable extent, and recent accumulations are being reduced steadily. It looks as if the shipments this week will reach over 6,000 packages. Imitation creamery and factory held steady, with a fair export demand for the latter goods. Rolls quiet and easy. We quote: Creamery, extras, per lb, 21c; do firsts, 20@20½c; do seconds, 18@19c; do lower grades, 16@17c; creamery, June, extras, 19@19½c; do firsts, 17½@18½c; do held, thirds to seconds, 15@17c; State dairy, half firkin tubs, finest, 19@19½c; do firsts, 17½@18½c; State dairy, tubs, seconds, 16@17c; do thirds, 14@15c; State dairy, firkins, 15@18c; Western imitation creamery, finest, 16½@17c; do lower grades, 13½@15c; Western factory, fresh, fancy, 13½@14c; do good to choice, 13c; factory or dairy, lower grades, 11@12½c; do June make, finest, 13@13½c; do held, common to prime, 11@12½c; rolls, fresh, choice, 14c; do common to prime, 11@13c; packing stock, 11@13c; renovated butter, fancy, 17c; do common to choice, 14@16c.

CHEESE—There is little if any change in the general situation. Home trade buyers are still operating in a hand to mouth manner, and only to the extent of current needs. Holders, however, are quite firm and confident in their views for all desirable grades. An exporter has taken about 500 or 600 boxes More of late made large cheese on private terms, but thought to have been at about 10½ or 10⅝c. Skims have an occasional inquiry from exporters, but we do not hear of any actual business with the exception of about 100 boxes sold on a direct cable order at 8¼c. Liverpool cable, 52s 6d for colored and 51s 6d for white. We quote: State full cream, small, fall made, fancy, 12c; do, late made, best, 11½c; do fair to good, 10¾@11c; do inferior, 9½@10½c; do large, fall made, fancy, 11¼@11½c; do late made, best, 10¾@11c; do fair to good, 10¼@10½c; do inferior, 9½@10c; light skims, small, choice, 9@9½c; do large, choice, 8⅝@8¾c; part skims, prime, 6¾@7c; do fair to good, 5½@6¼c; do common, 3@4c; full skims, 2@2½c.

EGGS—Arrivals moderate and advices of colder weather West give a firmer tone. Prices on fresh show a recovery of about ½c, and the market closes rather firm. Refrigerators quiet, but some fine lots are not offered at present selling value. We quote: Jersey, State and Pennsylvania, fancy selected white, 24@25c; do fancy selected, brown, 23@24c; do fancy mixed, 22c; do average good lots, 20@21½c; Western firsts, loss off, 20½c; do fair to fancy, at mark, 18½@20c; Southern, 18@19¼c; refrigerator, 16@18c.

FRUITS—FRESH—Receipts of apples are liberal, but there is a fair demand, and prices show no material change. Cranberries move slowly; we see scarcely anything good enough to exceed $9 50, and much of the supply is selling at about $8 50@$9; exceptionally fancy hard dry fruit might bring a slight premium. Fancy grades of Florida oranges are scarce and firm, but medium and lower qualities, of which most of the supply consists, are dull sale and go at a wide range of prices. Grape fruit about steady for fancy. Tangerines dull. Pineapples move rather slowly. Strawberries quiet and without further change. We quote: Apples, Spitzenburg, fair to fancy, per bbl, $2 50@$4 50; Northern Spy, good to fancy, $2@$3; Ben Davis, good to fancy, $2@$3; Baldwin, cold storage, fancy, $2 75@$3; do common storage, prime, $2 25@$2 50; do fair to good, $1 75@$2; Greening, cold storage, choice, $2 50@$3; do common storage, good to prime, $2@$2 50; hard varieties, common to fair, $1 25@$1 75; cranberries, Cape Cod, large, late sorts, fancy, per bbl, $9 50; do good to prime, $9@$9 25; smaller sizes, dark, fancy, $8; do fair to good, $8 25@$8 50; Jersey, prime, per bbl, $7 50; do choice to extra, per crate, $2 40; do fair to good, $2 12@$2 25; oranges, Florida, fancy bright, per box, $2 75@$3 25; do average best lines, $2 @$2 50; do good to choice, russet, $2@$2 50; do poor to fair, $1@$1 75; grape fruit, per box, $4@$6; tangerines, fair to fancy, $3 50@$6; mandarins, $3@$5; tangerines and mandarins, inferior, $1@$2; Porto Rico, irregular condition, 50@$1 50; pineapples, Florida, per bbl, $2@$3 50; strawberries, Florida, choice, per quart, 30@40c.

FRUITS—DRIED—There is a quiet jobbing demand for choice and fancy apples at about previous prices. Prime fruit is weaker; there are free offers to sell carload lots to arrive at 5¾c; occasional jobbing sales are making at 5¾c. Sun dried apples are steady but quiet. Chops firm. Cores and skins dull and weaker. Not much doing in small fruits. California prunes and apricots are fairly sustained, but prunes are pressed for sale and somewhat lower prices. We quote: Apples, evaporated, fancy to extra fancy, per lb, 6@7c; do choice, 5½@5¾c; do prime, 5⅛@5¼c; do common to good, 3¾@4¾c; do sun dried, sliced, 3½@4½c; do quarters, 3½@4½c; do coarse cut, 3¼@4c; chops, per 100 lb, $1 50@$1 75; do cores and skins, $1@$1 15; cherries, 16c; raspberries, evaporated, 19@19½c; huckleberries, 15@15½c; blackberries, 6½@6¾c; apricots, California, Moorpark, 10@15c; do Royal, 7½@9c; peaches, California, peeled, 14@20c; do unpeeled, 7@9c; prunes, California, 2¾@3c.

HOPS—A fair amount of business was transacted today, and the market shows a little firmer tone. This is not sufficiently marked, however, to warrant any change in quotations. Advices from the country indicate larger buying and better prices. General sales at 16@17c, but as high as 18c has been paid in one or two sections. We quote: State, 1900, choice, per lb, 19@20c