JARVIS WINS BY 7 VOTES

Recount Follows Hot Contest at "Little Board's" Election.

BOTH SIDES CHEER RESULT

No Bitterness, but More Ballots than Heretofore—No Time to Count Votes for Others.

R. M. Jarvis was re-elected president of the Consolidated Stock Exchange yesterday in the closest and most exciting election ever held on the "little board." Mr. Jarvis headed the insurgent ticket and defeated his opponent on the regular ticket, Ogden D. Budd, by just 7 votes out of the total of 555 cast. This is the first time in the history of the exchange that the insurgents have succeeded in electing their candidate for president, and great was the joy in their ranks yesterday when the result of the vote was made known.

The vote was so close that the ballots had to be counted twice. The first count showed Mr. Jarvis elected by 4 votes. The Budd adherents promptly demanded a recount, and to satisfy them the votes were counted over again with great care, with the result that Mr. Jarvis was found to have a majority of 7. The double counting of the presidential vote took so long that there was not time last night to count the votes cast for the other candidates on the two tickets, and whether or not Mr. Jarvis pulled his ticket through with him will not be known until this morning.

E. R. Grant and Valentine Mott are the candidates for treasurer and chairman, respectively, on both tickets. The two tickets also carry the names of W. W. Erwin and Norman W. Peters for members of the board of governors, to serve two years, and of S. J. Drake, for member of the arbitration committee, and W. P. Eager, for member of the nominating committee. So all of these men have, of course, been elected.

There was no bitterness at yesterday's election, such as was the case three years ago, when Mr. Budd ran against Charles H. Badeau and was defeated, but, on the contrary, the best of feeling prevailed, and both sides cheered indiscriminately when the result was made known.

There was a lot of lively electioneering, however, both on the part of the insurgents and the regulars, and every effort was made to get out the full vote. The result showed how successful the efforts in this direction had been, for out of a total membership of 980 there were 555 who voted, including almost all the active members, which is the largest percentage in the history of the exchange.

The candidates on the independent ticket with Mr. Jarvis were nearly all connected with the present management, while most of those on the regular ticket were new men. Mr. Budd, the defeated candidate for president, has been twice president of the "little board," the last time in 1907.

Mr. Jarvis was elected president of the exchange for the first time a year ago. He succeeded Charles H. Badeau, who had been president for two terms, and declined a renomination. Mr. Jarvis has been a member of the exchange since 1896. The established precedent on the "little board" is to renominate a president for a second term, but this custom was not followed by this year's nominating committee.

In the opinion of a large number of the active floor members, however, he had "made good" and was entitled to another term, and on the petition of 180 of them he ran again, with the result already announced. Mr. Jarvis is a trader and is regarded as one of the ablest men on the exchange.

STOCK EXCHANGE ELECTION

Ransom H. Thomas Chosen President for Sixth Term.

The New York Stock Exchange held its annual election yesterday, and there being no opposition ticket in the field it was a quiet affair. Ransom H. Thomas was re-elected president for the sixth time, which is the record on the exchange for number of elections to the presidency. Mr. Thomas was first elected head of the exchange in May, 1903, succeeding Rudolph Keppler, who had been president of the institution for five consecutive years. Mr. Thomas declined re-election the following year, H. K. Pomroy succeeding him in office, but was again chosen president in 1907, and has been elected each year since then.

Henry C. Swords was re-elected treasurer yesterday, and the following were elected members of the governing committee, to serve four years: Bernard M. Baruch, Ernest H. De Coppet, Bayard Dominick, jr., Ernest Groesbeck, W. Strother Jones, Rudolph Keppler, Ira A. Kip, jr., Charles M. Newcombe, Alexander M. White and Willis D. Wood. Of these, Messrs. Baruch, Groesbeck, Keppler, Kip and Newcombe were re-elected. Rudolph Keppler was also elected trustee of the gratuity fund, to serve five years, and Arthur W. Butler was elected a member of the governing committee, to serve two years. He succeeds Walter Bowne, who sold his seat on the exchange several months ago.

The nominating committee of 1911 consists of the following: Henry B. Cannon, S. L. Cromwell, William T. Floyd, I. Chauncey McKeever and Edward Roesler.

GEORGIA CENTRAL TO PAR

Bondholders Will Accept Proffer, but Without Prejudice.

Charles H. Markham, president of the Central of Georgia Railway Company, has issued a statement informing the holders of the income bonds that, in compliance with the decision of the Supreme Court of Georgia last December, the directors have revised the income accounts of the company for the last three years, to show amounts which should properly be paid as interest on the three classes of income bonds, as follows: For the fiscal year 1908, $397,478, which will pay the full interest on the first incomes and about 2.82 per cent on the seconds; for 1909, $92,500, which will pay about 2.31 per cent on the first incomes, and for 1910, the same as for 1909.

S. B. Adams, of counsel for the bondholders, said yesterday that his clients, represented by the protective committee and their trustees, would accept these sums on account, or without prejudice, but not in full.

Each of the three classes of income bonds is entitled to interest up to 5 per cent yearly, if earned. In 1905 and 1906 the full rate was paid on all of the classes. In 1907 5 per cent was paid on the first incomes and a partial payment was made on the seconds.

CANADIAN PACIFIC DIVIDEND.

Montreal, May 8.—At a meeting of directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to-day the regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent on the common stock for the quarter ended March 31 last was declared, payable June 30 next to stockholders of record at 3 p. m. June 1 next. The dividend is at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from revenue and 3 per cent per annum from interest on proceeds of land sales and other extraneous assets.

COLONIAL LINE SERVICE.

The Colonial Line, running between New York, Providence and Boston, will resume service to-morrow via the Long Island Sound. During the winter the steamers Concord and Lexington have been entirely overhauled, refitted and furnished. The steamers leave Pier 39, North River, at West Houston street, at 5:30 p. m. daily and Sunday.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

The following petitions in bankruptcy were filed yesterday in the United States Circuit Court:

FRANKLIN D. L. PRENTISS, of No. 173 West 83d street, formerly a stock broker of Prentiss & Co., No. 60 Broadway; voluntary. Liabilities, $17,561, and no assets. Creditors: Charles R. Fleischman, $14,882, and Leo G. Goldberg, $2,679 on judgments.

THE HOLCOMB & CASKEY LUMBER COMPANY, of No. 949 Broadway; voluntary. Liabilities, $49,712, and nominal assets, $12,559.

ANGELO ALTIERI, contractor, of No. 1148 Tiffany street, and president of the Altro Realty Company, of No. 198 Broadway; voluntary. Liabilities, $27,754, and assets consisting of $2 in the Northern Bank and twenty shares of stock of the Altro Realty Company, value unknown.

CHARLES LOCK, plumber, of No. 933 East 167th street; voluntary. Liabilities, $12,396; assets, twenty shares of stock of the Altro Realty Company, value unknown. He indorsed $1,549 of its notes. Creditors: The Raymond & Van Praag Supply Company, $3,917; Raymond & Van Praag, $2,500, and John Simmons, $2,300.

JOHN F. TWOMEY, contractor, of Port Chester; involuntary. Creditors: The Westchester Grain Company, $1,285; Smith & McNeil, $72, and Edward V. Brophy, $108, all of Port Chester. Assets, $2,000.

FRED A. RODGERS, dealer in books and stationery at No. 2304 Broadway; involuntary. Creditors: The Eugene Dietzgen Company, $642; the D. Van Nostrand Company, $315, and Alex Taylor & Co., $293. Arthur J. Cohen, receiver. Assets, $3,500 in stock and fixtures.

LEON BIBER, of No. 714 Eighth avenue, formerly in the restaurant business; voluntary. Liabilities, $5,993; assets, 99 cents.

BOSTON CURB STOCKS.

(Furnished by J. Thomas Reinhardt, No. 38 Broad street, New York, No. 54 Devonshire street, Boston, and No. 16 King street West, Toronto, Canada.)

Shares.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
7,100	Amal New Mines	13½	13½	13	13
400	Bay State Gas	26	27	25	26
700	Boston Ely	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
400	Cactus Copper	12	12	12	12
612	Calaveras	2¼	2¼	2	2¼
50	Chief Cons	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
610	Cortez Mines	1½	1½	1½	1½
120	Crown Reserve	3½	3¾	3½	3¾
100	Corbin Copper	3½	3½	3½	3½
77	First Nat Copper	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
605	Goldfield Con	6	6	6	6
300	Laramie H P & P	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
600	La Rose	4½	4¾	4½	4¾
605	McKinley-Dar	1¼	1½	1¼	1¼
200	Majestic	41	41	40	40
200	Nat Mining Expl	25	25	24	24
365	New Baltic	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
25	Nevada Douglas	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
3,395	Rhode Island Coal	3	3	2	2¼
195	South Lake	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
300	United Verde Ext.	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
200	Yukon	4	4	3½	3½
2,390	Porcupine Cons	77	77	77	77
50	Hollinger	12½	12½	12½	12½

COPPER OUTPUT DROPS

April Showed Large Decrease in Consumption, However.

The monthly statement of the Copper Producers' Association for April, issued yesterday, showed that there had been a substantial falling off in the output of the metal compared with the preceding month, but this favorable showing was offset to a large extent by a large decrease in consumption. The production for the month was 118,085,223 pounds, a decrease of 12,446,857 pounds from the March output, which was the largest in the history of the copper industry.

Total consumption for the month was 114,537,249 pounds, as compared with 125,161,916 pounds for March, a decrease of 10,624,667 pounds. Of this total 52,407,650 pounds represented domestic deliveries and 62,129,599 pounds exports of the metal.

The report showed an increase of 3,547,974 pounds in stocks of copper on hand for April, which was regarded as a satisfactory showing in view of the pessimism that has been current in regard to the copper situation. The statement as a whole was considered favorable by the trade. The decrease in production was larger than had been expected, and was regarded as the most important feature of the report. There was some disappointment over the large decrease in domestic consumption of the metal, which seemed to indicate that consumers here were still adhering to the policy, adopted some time ago, of buying only in accordance with immediate requirements, but the increase of approximately 3,000,000 pounds in exports, as shown in the statement, was well received.

Urban H. Broughton has resigned as a member of the executive committee of the Copper Producers' Association. His successor, it is said, will probably be elected at the June meeting. Mr. Broughton recently resigned as general manager of the United Metals Selling Company, control of which has been acquired by the Amalgamated Copper Company.

The copper producers' report gave the production and consumption of copper in the United States for April, as compared with March, 1911, and April, 1910, together with stocks on hand at the end of each month, as follows:

	April, '11.	March, '11.	April, '10.
	—Pounds.—		
Stocks prev. mo	162,007,934	156,637,779	123,924,874
Production	118,085,223	130,532,080	117,477,639
Totals	280,093,157	287,169,859	241,402,513
Domes. deliver	52,407,650	66,080,789	67,985,951
Exports	62,129,599	59,081,127	31,332,403
Tl. consump	114,537,249	125,161,916	99,318,554
Stks. remaining	165,555,908	162,007,934	141,984,159

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT

Good Wheat Conditions Offset Decrease in Cultivated Area.

The government's May report on wheat, issued yesterday afternoon, while about what had been expected so far as the condition of figures was concerned, showed a larger area abandoned than had been looked for. The improvement in condition of nearly three points was regarded by the trade as more than offsetting the decrease in area, but as the report was not made public until after the grain markets had closed for the day, it had no effect on prices. The local wheat market was quiet all day, final prices being unchanged to ¼ cent higher than the closing figures on Saturday.

The condition reported by the government was 86.1, which compares with 83.3 last month, 82.1 a year ago and 86, the average condition for the last ten years on May 1. The area abandoned since April 1 totalled 2,118,000 acres, but the acreage remaining was next to the largest on record, totalling 31,367,000 acres, which was 1,940,000 acres more than the area harvested in 1910.

The report, as figured by Henry Heinzer, statistician of the New York Produce Exchange, indicates a yield of 568,145,000 bushels, as against an indication of 541,415,000 bushels on April 1, 412,425,000 bushels on May 1, 1910, and an actual harvest last year of 464,044,000 bushels.

Mr. Heinzer's estimate on rye, based on the government's May 1 condition report of 90, is for a crop of 35,277,000 bushels, as against an indication of 34,849,000 bushels on April 1, 35,558,000 bushels a year ago and an actual harvest last year of 32,088,000 bushels.

ALLEGED MAIL SWINDLER HELD.

William Mann, alias Walter Nolan, alias Thornton, alias C. H. Martin, the alleged Western confidence man, who was captured on Friday night in a raid made by the police on a headquarters of "fake poolroom wire tappers" in West 61st street, was arraigned before Commissioner Shields yesterday by Postoffice Inspectors Jacobs and James. Mann demanded a hearing in removal proceedings. He was held in $3,000 bail and the examination was set down for May 15. Mann was committed to the Tombs.

THE MARKETS

TOTAL DOMESTIC RECEIPTS.

New York, May 8, 1911.

Tallow, pkgs	206	Corn, bush	15,750
Hides, bales	38	Cornmeal, bbls	100
Hops, bales	197	Cornmeal, sacks	6,572
Molasses, bbls	665	Flour, bbls	5,600
Moss, bales	72	Flour, sacks	24,993
Cot'seed oil, bbls	275	Grass seed, sacks	474
Oleo oil, tcs	1,547	Hay, tons	770
Sugar, bbls	60	Malt, bush	7,500
Tobacco, hhds	465	Oats, bush	103,700
Tobacco, tcs	50	Oatmeal, bbls	200
Tobacco, pkgs	1,985	Oilcake, lb	1,975
Whiskey, bbls	85	Straw, tons	40
Butter, pkgs	5,113	Wheat, bush	135,600
Cheese, boxes	2,177	Millfeed, tons	115
Eggs, cases	30,514	Copper, bars	1,315
Dr poultry, pkgs	1,558	Rosin, bbls	1,815
Live poultry, ct	28	Rosin oil, bbls	150
Cotton, bales	2,350	Spirits turp, bbls	185
Apples, bbls	1,951	Tar, bbls	118
Beans (dr), sacks	658	Bacon, pkgs	165
Lemons (Cal), bxs	775	Beef, bbls	239
Onions, bbls	150	Beef, tcs	10
Oranges (Cal) bxs	22,750	Cut meats, pkgs	448
Oranges (Fla) bxs	3,445	Grease, pkgs	319
Peanuts, sacks	1,450	Hams, pkgs	93
Potatoes, bbls	8,600	Lard, tcs	1,015
Rice, pkts	4,835	Lard, kegs	4,775
Barley, bush	1,275		

EXPORTS.

Wheat, bush	287,525	Beef, tcs	145
Corn, bush	8,579	Bacon, lb	1,373,400
Flour, bbls	1,970	Hams, lb	31,800
Flour, sacks	31,186	Lard, lb	2,546,650
Feed, lb	24,000	Stearine, lb	20,000
Oatmeal, pkgs	500	Tallow, lb	170,000
Grass s'd, bags	230	Grease, lb	182,000
Hay, bales	1,019	Cheese, lb	80,700
Alcohol, gals	81,000	Lard oil, gals	11,000
Oilcake, lb	393,300	Cot's'd oil, gals	45,375
Pork, bbls	274	Lub oil, gals	340,950
Beef, bbls	210	Cotton, bales	4,430

EXPORTS LAST WEEK.

Wheat, bush	446,391	Bacon, lb	3,509,625
Corn, bush	213,883	Hams, lb	125,400
Oats, bush	15,116	Lard, lb	7,980,500
Peas, bush	1,394	Stearine, lb	62,800
Beans, bush	1,183	Tallow, lb	347,600
Flour, bbls	26,015	Grease, lb	730,800
Flour, sacks	88,834	Butter, lb	65,100
Cornmeal, bbls	4,907	Cheese, lb	474,840
Feed, lb	150,540	Lard oil, gals	11,700
Oatmeal, pkgs	500	Cot's'd oil, gals	209,385
Grass s'd, bags	334	Lub oil, gals	1,287,140
Hay, bales	1,573	Turp, gals	15,670
Hops, bales	5	Rosin, bbls	2,374
Alcohol, gals	81,000	Pitch, bbls	350
Whiskey, gals	400	Tar, bbls	32
Oilmeal, lb	548,000	Crude pet, gals	1,920
Oilcake, lb	2,462,400	Ref pet, gals	11,907,769
Pork, bbls	2,879	Naphtha, gals	9,500
Beef, bbls	2,314	Benzine, gals	1,400
Beef, tcs	240	Gasolene, gals	214,540
Cotton, bales	7,953		

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Iron, N. No 1, f	$15.50	Cotton, middling	15.65
Iron, So. No 1	15.50	Coffee, No 7 Rio	11¼
Steel rails	1.25	Sugar, granulated	4.90
Stand cop, spot	11.65	Molasses, O K, g	40
Tin	42.25	Beef, family	$14.50
Exchange, lead	4.45	Beef hams	27.00
Spelter	5.42½	Tallow, prime	5½
Wheat, No 2 red	96½	Pork, mess	18.00
*Exp corn, No 2	59½	Hogs, dr, 100 lb	9½
Oats, stand wh	40	Lard, mid West	8.25
Flour, Mpls pat	5.15		

*F o b afloat.

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

New York, May 8, 1911.

GRAIN—WHEAT—The government report giving the condition of winter wheat was published after the close of the market and the volume of business during the day was comparatively small, with traders waiting for the report. The condition given by the government on winter wheat was 86.1 per cent, compared with 83.3 last month and 82.1 last year. On this percentage the crop was variously figured at from 472,000,000 to 508,000,000. The government for the first time estimated the yield, which on a basis of averages for the last five years was pinned at 13.6 bushels an acre, which, applied to the present average of 31,367,000, pointed to a yield of 489,325,000 bushels. Last year the crop was 464,044,000 and the present indicated yield is one of the largest on record. The acreage abandoned was 3,318,000, which compared with 4,439,000 last year. The market early was a little easier on an unexpected decline abroad, but later rallied and advanced ¼@¾ on the continued dry weather in the Northwest and the large decrease in the visible supply, but near the close was again easier. Final prices were ⅛c lower to ⅛c higher. The visible supply showed a decrease of 1,938,000 bushels, compared with a decrease last week of 1,713,000 and a decrease last year of 1,645,000. The Canadian visible decreased 2,003,000. No 2 red, 95½c elevator and 96¾c f o b afloat; No 1 Northern Duluth, $1.09¼ f o b afloat. CORN—Steady early, but developed an easier tone and at the close was ⅛@⅜c lower. The visible supply showed a decrease of 800,000 bushels, against a decrease of 1,815,000 last week and a decrease of 1,302,000 last year. Export new No 2, 53½c, nominal, f o b afloat. OATS—Quiet but steady most of the day, but near the close weakened with corn, and final prices were ⅛@⅛c net lower. The visible supply showed a decrease of 1,120,000 bushels. Cash oats steady; standard white, 40c; No 2, 40½c; No 3, 39¾c; No 4, 39½c. RYE—Nominal. The government report made the condition 90 per cent, against 89.3 last month and 91.3 last year. On the acreage sown this indicated a yield of 35,277,000 bushels, compared with a final crop last year of 32,639,000 bushels. BARLEY—Steady; malting, $1.15@$1.20, f o b New York. BUCKWHEAT—Quiet; American, 85c per bushel c i f New York, Canadian, 61c c i f New York, for export.

NEW YORK PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
Wheat:					
May	—	—	—	95½	95⅝
July	94¾	95⅛	94¾	95	95
September	—	—	—	94	93⅞
Corn:					
May	—	—	—	60½	60½
July	—	—	—	59½	60

INTERIOR RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
To-day	563,000	834,000	605,000
Last week	449,000	785,000	677,000
Last year	381,000	350,000	504,000

SEABOARD CLEARANCES.

	Flour.	Wheat.	Corn.
To-day	31,000	291,000	35,000
Last week	50,000	192,000	30,000
Last year	36,000	190,000	61,000

COTTON—An opening decline was followed by an advance which carried July to a new high record for the season. The new crop was slow to follow, and with indications that longs were taking profits on part of their old crop lines above the 15½c level for July, the market eased off in the late trading. The close was steady, net 3 points higher to 8 points lower. July sold at 15.57c during the afternoon, or 10 points above the closing figure of Saturday, and 9 points above the previous high record of the season, made on December 9. Southern spot markets unchanged to ⅛c higher. Local contract prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
May	15.42	15.49	15.35	15.42@15.43	15.45
June	—	—	—	15.47@15.49	15.44
July	15.57	15.57	15.37	15.50@15.51	15.47
August	14.83	14.98	14.80	14.91@14.93	14.93
September	13.40	13.47	13.40	13.41@13.42	13.49
October	12.90	12.96	12.88	12.91@12.93	12.97
November	12.78	12.79	12.76	12.84@12.86	12.90
December	12.77	12.83	12.73	12.80@12.81	12.86
January	12.78	12.82	12.76	12.78@12.79	12.85
March	12.86	12.92	12.86	12.87@12.89	12.94

Spot quiet and 15 points higher, at 15.65c for middling upland; no sales, delivered on contract. 900 bales. Liverpool cables: Spot quiet; sales, 6,000 bales; speculation and export, 600. American, 5,000; imports, 9,000, American, 4,000; middling upland, 8.30d. Futures opened steady at ½@ points advance to 1 point decline; closed quiet, 29@5½ points lower; May, 8.00½d; May-June, 7.98½d; June-July, 7.88d; July-August, 7.80d; August-September, 7.56d; September-October, 7.06d; October-November, 6.87d; November-December, 6.81d; December-January, 6.80d; January-February, February-March and March-April, 6.79d.

COFFEE—Barely steady at the start, first prices being unchanged to 4 points lower, but during the day a firmer feeling prevailed, and final prices were 5 points higher to 2 points lower; sales, 40,500 bags. Havre closed at an advance of ¼@½c franc. Hamburg was unchanged to ¼ pfennig higher. Rio was 125 reis lower, and Santos unchanged. Cost and freight offers from Brazil were firm at unchanged to a shade higher, but demand poor. Spot demand inactive. Warehouse deliveries of Brazilian coffee at United States ports last week were 77,804 bags, against 54,338 the previous week and 83,735 last year. The visible supply in and afloat for the United States was 2,382,538 bags, against 3,114,079 last year and 3,379,979 two years ago. Receipts at Rio and Santos were 5,000 bags, against 11,000 last year. Spot unchanged at 11½c for Rio No 7. Local contract prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
May	10.68	10.68	10.65	10.66@10.67	10.62
June	—	—	—	10.55@10.57	10.55
July	10.50	10.51	10.49	10.50@10.52	10.50
August	10.40	10.40	10.38	10.39@10.40	10.40
September	10.25	10.27	10.23	10.25@10.26	10.27
October	—	—	—	10.05@10.08	10.07
November	—	—	—	10.00@10.02	10.00
December	9.91	9.97	9.90	9.96@9.97	9.92
January	—	—	—	9.97@9.98	9.93
February	—	—	—	9.97@9.98	9.93
March	9.94	9.98	9.94	9.96@10.00	9.94
April	—	—	—	9.99@10.00	9.94

FLOUR AND MEAL—Flour dull and featureless, awaiting the action of the wheat market on the government report. Spring patents, $4.95@$5.25; winter straights, $4@$4.15; winter patents, $4.10@$4.50; spring clears, $3.85@$4.20; extra No 1 winter, $3.40@$3.60; extra No 2 winter, $3.25@$3.35; Kansas straights, $4.25@$4.40; fancy spring patents, $6.15@$6.25. RYE FLOUR—Firmer; fair to good, $4.75@$4.95; choice to fancy, $5@$5.25. CORN-MEAL—Firm; kiln dried, $3. BAG MEAL—Fine white and yellow, $1.15@$1.20; coarse, $1.10@$1.15. FEED—Western spring, $24@25; standard middling, $26; flour do, $27.35; red dog, $28.25; city bran, $25.40 bulk, $27 sacks; middling, $25.75@$28.25; red dog, $28.35; rye feed, $22 bulk, $23.20 sacks. Gilmeal, $33.50@$34.

PROVISIONS—Quiet, but firmer on small offerings, smaller receipts of hogs and an advance of 10c in the hog market. PORK—Steady; mess, $17.75@$18.25; family, $18.50@$20; short clears, $16@$18. BEEF—Mess, $13@$13.50; family, $14@$15; packet, $13.50@$14; extra India mess, $21@$21.50. BEEF HAMS—$26@$28. PICKLED HAMS—$26@$28. PICKLED SHOULDERS—$8@$8½. PICKLED HOGS—Bacon, 9c; 180 lb, 9c; 140 lb, 9¼c; 140 lb, 9¼c; pigs, 9¼c. CUT MEATS—Pickled bellies, 12 lb, 12½c, 12 lb, 11@11¼c; pickled hams, 11c. Pickled hams steady; 11¼@12c. LARD—Firm; Middle West, 8.20@8.30c; city, 7½@8c; refined, South America, 9.55c; Continent, 8.70c; Brazil kegs, 10.55c. Compound steady; 7@7½c. STEARINE—Firm; oleo, 7½@7¾c; city lard, 9@9½c. TALLOW—Quiet; city, 5@5-16c; country, 5⅜@5½c. OLEO OIL—Quiet; 6@6½c. OLEO STEARINE—Firm; city, 7½@8c. TURPS—Unchanged for refined, standard granulated, 4.90c net, less 2 per cent cash. In London beet sugar was steady and cane sugar steady. May and June, 10s 6d; August, 9s 6d. Locally raw ruled firm, with 3.83c bid and 3.86c asked for centrifugal, 96 test; muscovado, 89 test, 3.33@3.35c, and molasses sugar, 89 test, 3.08@3.11c.

RICE—Firm but quiet here, and steady with fairly good business at primary points.

METALS—COPPER—Standard dull; spot and May, 11.60@11.70c; June, July and August, 11.65@11.75c. London steady; spot, £58 18s 9d; futures, £54 11s 3d. Lake, 12.37½@12.50c; electrolytic, 12.12½@12.25c; casting, 11.87½@12c. TIN—Steady; spot and May, 42@42.50c; June, 42.05@42.50c; July, 41.65@42.25c; and August, 41.25@42c. London firm; spot, £194 5s; futures, £190 5s. LEAD—Dull, 4.40@4.50c New York, 4.25@4.30c East St Louis. London, £12 18s 9d. SPELTER—5.40@5.45c New York, 5.20@5.30c East St Louis. London, £24 5s. ANTIMONY—Dull; Cookson's, 9@9.25c. IRON—Cleveland warrants, 45s 9d in London. Locally quiet; No 1 foundry Northern, No 1 Southern and No 1 Southern soft, $15.25@$15.75; No 2 Northern, $15@$15.50.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits turpentine was dull and lower. Rosin and tar quiet and unchanged. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Machine bbls, 65c. TAR, $5.75. ROSIN—Common to good strained, $7.35; B, $7.00; D, $7.80; E, $7.90; F and G, $7.95.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—Business moderate. Syrups offered sparingly, but no special demand.

OILS—Linseed and refined petroleum unchanged.

COTTONSEED OIL—Firmer, and prices advanced 4@8 points, with covering by speculative shorts. Local contract prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday.
Spot	—	—	—	6.26@6.35	6.20
May	—	—	—	6.26@6.30	6.20
June	—	—	—	6.30@6.32	6.22
July	6.34	6.38	6.34	6.36@6.37	6.30
August	6.39	6.41	6.39	6.38@6.40	6.34
September	6.37	6.40	6.37	6.37@6.39	6.32
October	6.04	6.06	6.04	6.03@6.05	5.97
November	—	—	—	5.79@5.82	5.75
December	5.80	5.80	5.80	5.79@5.81	5.75

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

New York, May 8, 1911.

BEANS AND PEAS—No domestic receipts to-day. The market for red kidney again higher and very strong; a sale or two reported at $6.50. Medium, pea and marrow about steady with quiet jobbing trade. Scotch peas slightly firmer. Marrow, choice, 100 lb, $3.70; poor to good, $3@$3.65; medium, choice, $3.45; poor to good, $3@$3.40; pea, choice, $3.45@$3.50; poor to good, $3@$3.40; red kidney, $6.40@$6.50; poor to good, $5.90@$6.25; white kidney, choice, $5@$5.10; yellow eye, choice, $3.50@$3.60; black turtle soup, choice, $3.50@$3.65; lima, California, $6.70@$6.85; PEAS, Scotch, bags, 100 lb, $4.45.

BUTTER—Receipts to-day, 5,113 pkgs. Demand about equal to supply and prices remain unchanged. Feeling steady to firm on the highest grades of fresh table butter, but rather easy for other qualities. Creamery, specials, lb, 23c, extras, 22c; firsts, 20½@21c; seconds, 18@20c; thirds, 16½@17c; held, 16@20c; state dairy, tubs, finest, 21@22c; good to prime, 19@20c; common to fair, 15@18c; process, specials, 17½@18c; extras, 17c; firsts, 16½c; seconds, 15@15½c; imitation creamery, firsts, 17@17½c; factory, current make, firsts, 16½c; seconds, 16c; thirds, 13½@15c; packing stock, current make, No 2, 15@15½c; No 3, 12@14½c; held, 14@15½c.

CHEESE—Receipts to-day, 2,177 boxes. The market holds steady on higher grades of old colored. Old white in surplus and of irregular value. New choice held firm on the better sorts; receipts so far this week moderate. Not much interest in skims. State, whole milk, old, specials, 14c; fancy, colored, 13½c; white, 13c; colored, choice, 12@12¾c; white, 11¼@12c; colored, common to good, 11@11½c; white, 10½@11c. Daisies, old, best, 13@14c; new large, best, 11c; small, colored, best, 11c; white, 10½c; new, colored, prime, 10¾c; common to fair, 10@10½c; skims, summer and fall, specials, 10c; fancy, 9@9½c; common to good, 6@8c; current make, fancy, 8@8½c; fair to good, 5@6½c; common, 3@4c; hard skims, 2@2½c.

EGGS—Receipts to-day, 30,514 cases. Arrivals heavy but they still include a liberal quantity going direct to cold storage. Prices are sustained and held steady to firm on really high grades, but for medium and lower qualities the market is barely steady. Qualities are more irregular and the range of values is likely to widen. Prime dirties and checks firm. Fresh gathered, selected, extras, dozen, 19½@20c; storage packed, firsts, 18½@19c; northerly sections, regularly packed, 17¾@18c; southerly sections, 17½@17½c; seconds, 16½@17c; dirties, No 1, 15½@15¾c; No 2, 14½@15c; poor to fair, 12@14c; checks, good to prime, 14½@14c; poor to fair, 11@13c; duck eggs, Baltimore, dozen, 22c; Virginia, 18@21c. Western, 17@20c; Kentucky, and Tennessee, 16@18c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, hennery whites, 20@21c; gathered whites, 19@20c; hennery, browns, 19½@20c; gathered browns and mixed colors, 17½@19c; Western, gathered, white, 18@19c.

FRUITS—DRIED—Just a small trade passing in spot evaporated apples. Futures, 8¾c is asked for October delivery prime, and 8c f o b is being bid for November. Practically no sundried apples left in this market. There are no chops offered; quotations are entirely nominal. Waste being cut in a small way as quoted. Up-state waste sell for December shipment at 2¾c delivered here in bbls; asking price for December chops is 2¾c. Spot market on prunes, apricots and peaches quiet, but firm position. APPLES, evaporated, fancy, lb, 14½@15c; choice, 13½@14c; good to prime, 13c; cores and skins, 7@7½c; RASPBERRIES, 31c; CHERRIES, 14@17c; APRICOTS, California, Moorparks, 15@17c; Royals, 14@16c. PEACHES, California, peeled, 14@17c; unpeeled, 9¾@9½c. PRUNES, California, lots to 2¾c, 2¾ lb boxes, 10½@12c.

FRUITS—FRESH—Apples firm. First car Florida peaches received. Strawberries active and higher. Oranges and grapefruit steady to firm. Pineapples in good demand. Florida melons in light receipt. APPLES, Greening and Northern Spy, $4@$7; Baldwin, $4@$6. Ben Davis, $4@$5.50; Russet, $3.50@$5; Far Western, boxes, $1.75@$3. PEACHES, Florida, carrier, $1.75@$2.25. STRAWBERRIES, Virginia, quart, 12@16c; North Carolina, 12@20c. ORANGES, Florida, boxes, $1.75@$3.75; California, $1.75@$2.75. Porto Rico, $1.25@$2.40. GRAPEFRUIT, Florida, boxes, 2@$4.50. Porto Rico, $3@$5; MUSKMELONS, Florida, crate, $2@$3; WATERMELONS, Florida, each, 50@60c; PINEAPPLES, Florida, crate, $2@$3; Cuba, $1.75@$3; Porto Rico, $1.75@$3.40.

HOPS—The market continues in very strong position, with 20c having been bid in Sonoma County, Cal., on contracts for 1911 crop. The same price is reported offered in Oregon on contracts. Other markets continue very firm, with stocks very light and a strong demand for all descriptions at advancing prices. The local market is at a standstill, as all stocks have been withdrawn from sale. Weather continues cold and unseasonable and hop crops in all sections are backward, making it impossible to give any definite crop news. State, 1910, prime to choice, lb, nominal, 31@32c; medium to good, nominal, 27@30c; Pacific Coast, 1910, prime to choice, 22@25c; medium to good, 21@22c; 1909, 16@18c; older growths, 10@12c; Germans, 1910, nominal, 30c.

HAY AND STRAW—The markets continue firm on high grades timothy; low grades dull. HAY—Large bales, timothy, prime, 100 lb, $1.35; No 3 to No 1, 90c@$1.30; shipping, 80@85c; packing, 50@55c; clover mixed, 80c@$1.10; pure, 80@90c. STRAW—Long rye, 50@55c; oat and wheat, 40@45c.

POULTRY—ALIVE—Receipts to-day, 23 carloads by freight and a few scattering cars by express. Advices indicate fairly free receipts to arrive this week, and outlook is uncertain. Trade so far has been quiet, and stocks tending to accumulate. Prices not settled at a late hour. DRESSED—Fresh killed fowls in fair supply to-day, and invoices indicate some increase in receipts to come this week. Trading is very quiet so far, but holders inclined to remain steady in their views on the same basis of prices as ruling last week. Old roosters exceedingly dull and weak. Nearby broilers, spring ducks and squabs nominally unchanged. Fr