Sales		High est	Low est	Clos ing	Net Ch'ge
29600	Reading	21	20	20¼	+1
40600	Reading 1pf	64⅝	63⅝	63⅝	+⅝
5800	Reading 2pf	32⅝	31⅝	31⅝	+⅝
600	Rep Steel	16½	15⅝	15⅝	−⅛
200	Rep Steel pf	65	65	65	
200	Rioss Shef p	69¼	69¼	69¼	
1400	St J & G I	8⅞	8⅛	8⅛	+⅝
3000	St J&G I 1pf	63	59½	62½	+4½
900	St J&G I 2p	21½	20½	21½	+1½
2800	St L & S F	19⅝	19¼	19⅝	+⅝
200	St L&S F 1p	76	76	76	
2300	St L&S F 2p	47½	46¾	47½	+⅝
1000	St L S W	16⅛	15⅝	16	−⅛
4600	St L S W pf	38⅞	38¼	38¼	−½
27000	South Pac	42	41½	41½	+⅛
24000	Sou Ry Co	18⅝	17⅝	18	
8400	Sou Ry Co p	67⅞	67⅛	67⅝	+⅛
8400	Tenn C & I	69½	64	64	−4½
200	Tex Land & T	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	+⅛
4600	Texas Pac	21½	20⅝	20⅝	−⅛
2900	Third Av R	116½	114½	114½	+½
800	Union B&P	17⅝	16½	17	−⅝
56400	Union Pac	72⅝	71⅛	71⅛	−⅛
1900	Union Pac p	81⅝	81⅛	81⅛	
200	U S Exp	50	50	50	
18600	U S Leather	14⅛	13	13	+⅛
500	U S Leath p	75½	75	75⅛	+⅛
6000	U S Rubber	30	28½	29½	−⅝
900	U S Rub p	84⅝	83⅝	83⅝	−⅛
18900	Wabash	9⅝	9⅛	9⅝	+⅛
13100	Wabash pf	23	22⅝	22⅝	
400	West U Tel	83	82½	83	+½
900	W & L E	10⅝	10½	10½	+⅛
600	W & L E 1p	54⅝	53	54⅝	+1⅛
1900	W & L E 2p	28	27⅛	27½	+⅝
600	Wis Cent	11½	11½	11½	+⅝
400	Wis Cent pf	35	34	34	

Total sales of stocks, 76 1,600 shares.

OUTSIDE SECURITIES—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Am B'de e	43½	43¾	EmSteel pf	37	46
Am B pf	92⅝	93	Elec Pneu	2⅝	3
Am W C	22½	22¾	Flem C&C	18	20
Am W C pf	77	77½	Gen Car	4⅝	4⅝
Am A Co	25⅝	27½	Trea 4s	100¼	100⅝
Am A C pf	78⅝	79½	HavCom	9	10½
Am B co	6	7	HavCompf	42	45
Am B pf	26⅝	27½	Ill Trans	1⅛	1⅜
Am B bds	74½	76	Inter P co	27⅝	28
Am H & L e	10¼	11½	Inter P pf	74⅝	75⅝
Am H&L pf	38⅝	40	Inter S pf	37	42
Am H&L b	91	92	Inter S Oil	74⅝	78
Am S S e	19	30	Nat Gram	8	12
Am S S pf	71⅝	72½	Nat Su pf	103	105
Am S B c	27	30	NewEng T	3½	5⅝
Am S B pf	95	99	N Y Trans	69⅝	70
Ant Coal	8½	9	Ohio Ele c	27½	28
A Coof Am	8	9	Ohio Ele pf	88	89
Am G bds	108¼	108¾	P, B&LE	28	28½
Arl Copper	6⅝	6⅝	Rub G c	29⅝	30½
B Col Cop	19⅝	20	Rub G pf	82½	83⅝
B Ex 3s	98	99	R S P c	105	120
B & N Y P	20	21	R S P pf	94⅝	95
B&NYPbd	83⅝	85	SC L&H C	117	120
Bay S G	1⅛	1⅜	St L Tr c	15⅝	16⅝
Cal Copper	1⅛	1⅜	Sea A L c	10½	11½
Cast I P c	4⅝	5½	Sea A L pf	29	29½
Cast I P pf	31	33	SmAL bds	72	73½
C&A Sp c	91	92	Stan Oc	36	40
Com Air	46	48	Stan C pf	120	125
Con Equip	12	12⅝	S OCof NJ	795	800
Con R To	3	5	StorPower	10	12
C R T pf	28	31	U. T & C	3	3⅝
Cruel S c	16⅝	17⅝	Tenn Cop	17½	19
Cruel S pf	76⅝	78	Union Cop	4⅞	5
Dis of A c	5⅝	5⅝	U R'y of St		
Dis of A pf	22⅝	23⅝	Louis pf	60⅝	61
Elec Boats	19⅝	20½	U R'y of St		
Elec B pf	36	40	L bonds	83⅝	84
Elec Veh s	18⅝	19⅝	Val, C&C	5	6
Elec V pf	38	45	Val, C&C		
Em Sugar	83⅝	85	5 per cent	34	38
Em Sub ds	100⅝	102	WortlP pf	108	112
Em Steel e	6	10			

BOSTON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Boston L'd	4⅝	—	Allouez	2⅝	3⅝
Brook'ne L	2⅝	—	Arcadian	21	21½
E Bos L'd	9	9½	Arnold	5⅝	6
W End L	1⅛	1⅝	Atlantic	26½	27
A Ag Ch c	25	28	Baltic	28	28½
A Ag Ch pf	78	79	Bingham	13	13½
Am T & T	157	158	Bonanza	1⅛	1½
Erie Tel	105	106	Bos & Mon	323	325
Mex Tel	2⅝	2⅝	Butte & B	80	81
N E G&CS	12	14	C & Hecla	815	820
Bos El L	—	190	CentenCop	15⅝	16
C S Ye	142	144	Centen Bu	24	24½
Dom Coal	38	39	Cochiti	9	9½
GenElec pf	143	—	Cop Range	25	26
Mass El c	24⅝	25	Franklin	15	15⅝
Mass El pf	80⅝	81	Isle Royal	36	36½
Plant C Co	—	23½	Michigan	4	4½
Swift & Co	192	—	Mohawk	22	22½
Merg'nthler	191	193	Melones	—	1½
U Shoe c	32	33	O Colony	3⅝	4
UnFruitCo	—	132½	Old Dom	27½	28
West Elec	52	—	Osceola	72½	73
West E pf	62	65	Parrott	47	48
Bos & A	249	251	Quincy	178	180
Bos & Me	195	197	Rhode Isl	3⅝	4
Boston El	155	157	Santa Fe	6⅝	7
Cen Mass	13	14	S Ysabel	2⅝	3
Fitchb'g pf	138	138½	Tamarack	294	296
Rutland c	14⅝	16⅝	Tri-Mont	12⅝	13
W E StR	93⅝	94	U S Min	9⅝	10
A B T 4s	—	100	Utah Con	33⅝	34⅝
B G 1st 5s	78	80	White Kn	—	10
B G 2d 5s	45	50	Winona	3⅝	3⅝
N E G&O			Wolverine	46	46⅝
1st m 5s	—	68	Dom Steel	—	27½
Adventure	6¼	6½			

PHILADELPHIA CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
CambSteel	20	20⅝	Leh V RR	26½	26⅝
C, O & G c	38	38⅝	Marsden	9	9½
C, O & G pf	45⅝	46	Phila Trac	98⅝	99
E L C of A	9	9½	Un Trac	33⅝	34
E Ster B c	—	87	U G I Co	123½	124½
E & P T 4s	100	—			

CHICAGO CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
A Strawb	32	33	M W S pf	84	84⅝
Canal & Dk	67	—	N Chicago	197	200
City Ry	253	260	N Carbon	16⅝	17
Dia Match	129½	130½	N Carb pf	80	—
Lake S L	10⅝	11	So S "L"	99	100
L St L c	10⅝	11	W Chicago	100⅝	101
M W S c	31	33			

LATEST LONDON QUOTATIONS.

Anaconda	10⅝	Norfolk & W	43⅝
Atchison	40⅝	Norfolk & W pf	84⅝
Atchison pf	86⅝	Northern Pacific	72⅝
Balt & Ohio	83⅝	Northern Pacific pf	84⅝
Balt & Ohio pf	88⅝	Ontario & West	26
Canadian Pacific	89	Pennsylvania	73⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	38⅝	Reading	10⅝
Denver & R G	25⅝	Reading 1st pf	32⅝
Denver & R G pf	81⅝	Reading 2d pf	16⅝
Erie	17	St. Paul	131
Erie 1st pf	44⅝	Southern Railway	18⅝
Erie 2d pf	24	Southern R'y pf	69⅝
Illinois Central	128	Southern Pacific	43⅝
Kansas & Texas	13⅝	Union Pacific	74⅝
Kan & Tex pf	39⅝	Union Pacific pf	83⅝
Louisville & Nash	85⅝	Wabash pf	23
New York Central	147	Wabash deb B	40

Final sales compared with those of yesterday as follows:

	Dec. 5.	Dec. 6.		Dec. 5.	Dec. 6.
A. T & SF	38⅝	38⅝	N & W	41⅝	42⅝
A.T&SFpf	84	83⅝	N & W pf	82	81⅝
Am S Ref	127⅝	125⅝	Nor Pac c	70⅝	70⅝
Am Tob	106⅝	106⅝	Nor Pac pf	81⅝	82
Am Sug R	27⅝	28⅝	N Y Cen	142⅝	142
Am S & W	42⅝	43	Nat Steel	35⅝	34⅝
Brook R T	71⅝	71	N J Cen	146⅝	146
B & O	79⅝	80	O & West	24⅝	25⅛
Can So	58⅝	58⅝	Peo G & C	99⅝	98⅝
C CC&St L	66⅛	66⅝	Pac Mail	40⅝	46⅝
C, B & Q	135⅝	135⅝	PullPaCar	201⅝	199⅝
Consol G C	191⅝	185⅝	Hock Val	114⅝	114⅝
Ches & O	37⅝	37⅝	Reading	19⅝	20⅝
Chi G W	14⅝	14⅝	Read 1st pf	63⅝	63⅝
Del & Hud	116	116	St Paul c	126⅝	126⅝
Den & R G	25	25⅝	So R'y pf	18	18
D & RG pf	78⅝	80	So R'y pf	67⅝	67⅝
Erie B R	16⅝	16⅝	St L S W	16⅝	16
Erie 1st pf	43⅝	45⅝	St L S W pf	38⅝	38⅝
Fed Steel	50⅝	49⅝	Tex Pac	20⅝	20⅝
Gen Elec	168	167⅝	Tenn C & I	68⅝	64
Gt Nor pf	179⅝	179	Union Pac	71⅝	71⅝
Il Cen	124⅝	124⅝	Union Pacific	81⅝	81⅝
Kan & Tex	12⅝	13⅝	U S Rub	29⅝	29
Kan & T pf	37⅝	38	U S Rub pf	84	83⅝
Lo & Nash	82⅝	83	U S Leather	12⅝	13
L E & W	36	37	U S Leather pf	75	75⅝
L E & W pf	108	108⅝	Wab & Pac	9⅝	9⅝
Man Con	109⅝	108⅝	Wab & Pac pf	22⅝	22⅝
Minn & StL	64⅝	65⅝	W Un Tel	82⅝	83
Mo Pac	59⅝	59⅝	Wh & L E	10⅝	10⅝
Met St Ry	168	167⅝	W&LE 2d pf	26⅝	27⅝
North Am	19	19⅝			

Government bonds easier. The 4s of 1925 closed ⅛ per cent low r bid. Railway and other bonds strong and active. The features were Brooklyn Union Elevated 1sts, Fort Worth and Rio Grande 3-4s, Fort Worth and Denver City 1sts, Hocking Valley 4½s, Kings County Elevated 1sts, Mobile and Ohio general 4s, Norfolk and Western 4s, Oregon Short Line 5s, Reading general 4s, Southern Pacific 4s, Southern Railway 5s, Texas Pacific 1sts, Wisconsin Central 1sts, Wheeling and Lake Erie consol 4s, Atchison, Baltimore and Ohio, Central of Georgia, Chesapeake and Ohio, Chicago and Alton, Colorado Midland, Erie, Green Bay and Western, Iron Mountain, Kansas and Texas, Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific, Peoria and Eastern, St. Louis Southwestern, West Shore and Wabash issues.

Commercial price of bar silver in New York, 61⅝c. Bar silver in London closed at 29 13-16d. Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 50½c.

Money on call, 4½@5 per cent. Time money is quoted at 5 per cent for two months on mixed securities, 4½ per cent for four, five and six months on 35 per cent industrials and 4¾@4½ per cent 65 per cent railroads, four, five and six months on all railroads and 50@55 per cent for four months all industrials. Commercial paper is quoted at 4½@5 per cent for prime single names, bills receivable, other names, 5½ per cent.

Sterling exchange was slightly lower on the firmness of local money rates and the London buying of stocks. Continental exchange was dull. Posted rates for long bills, $4.82 and sight drafts, $4.86½. Actual rates are: Long bills, $4.81⅝@4.82⅛; sight drafts, $4.85½, and cable transfers, $4.85⅝@$4.86. Francs were quoted 5.20⅝@5.20 for long and 5.17½@5.16⅞ for short, reichsmarks, 94 3-16@94 5-16 for long and 94⅞@95 for short, guilders, 80 15-16@40 for long and 40 3-16@40⅛ for short.

Domestic exchange on New York: Boston—par and 5c premium. Charleston—Buying par, selling, 1-16c premium. Savannah—Buying, 3-16c; selling, 1-16c discount. New Orleans—Bank, par; commercial, $1 discount. San Francisco—Sight, 2½c premium; telegraph, 5c premium. St. Louis, 15c discount. Chicago, 20c discount. Cincinnati—Between banks, 12½@15c premium; over counter, 50c premium.

New York Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $236,716,220; balances, $7,353,377; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $168,386.

The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on its preferred stock, payable Jan. 15.

The St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent on its first preferred, payable Jan. 2.

The American Snuff Company has declared a dividend of 3 per cent on its preferred stock, payable Jan. 2.

Railway gross earnings for November compare with those of the same month of last year as follows:

Central of Georgia	$515,578	Inc.	$88,287
Chicago, Ind. & Louisville	530,072	Dec.	23,224
Choctaw, Okla. & Gulf	358,391	Inc.	228,063
Great Northern	2,714,817	Dec.	231,268
Inter. & Great Northern	482,962	Dec.	2,705
Kanawha & Michigan	78,318	Dec.	11,830
Nash., Chatt. & St. Louis	592,561	Inc.	4,326
New York Central	4,869,223	Inc.	75,786
Norfolk & Western	1,211,244	Inc.	98,766
Rio Grande Southern	50,749	Dec.	95
Tol., Peoria & Western	92,363	Inc.	5,760
Twin City Rapid Transit	238,216	Inc.	50,434
Sherman, Shreveport & So.	94,811	Inc.	45,522

The receipts of the Government to-day were: Customs, $1,036,046; internal revenues $1,138,125, and miscellaneous $29,890, a total of $2,204,061. The disbursements were $1,890,000, an excess of receipts over expenditures of $314,061. The receipts of the fiscal year to date have been $254,548,625 and disbursements $240,940,533, an excess of receipts over expenditures of $13,590,092.

An official count of the cash in the Treasury to-day not including the gold reserve of $150,000,000 and $747,065,379 in gold, silver and notes against which certificates are outstanding and compared with that of yesterday shows:

	Dec. 5.	Dec. 6.
Gold coin, bullion and certificates	$95,257,456	$95,998,397
Silver dollars, bullion and certificates	8,367,045	8,357,105
United States notes	11,104,178	11,114,106
Other assets	22,931,724	22,996,018
Net available cash bal.	$137,690,451	$137,465,627

The Treasury to-day received bonds to the amount of $1,578,300 to be exchanged for the new 2 per cent bonds of 1930 under the Refunding act. The total amount of bonds received to date is $373,027,350.

Money in London, 2@2½ per cent. Rates of discount in open market for short and three months' bills, 3⅞@4 per cent. The Bank of England minimum rate of discount unchanged at 4 per cent. The proportion of its reserve to liabilities is 42.74 per cent, against 45.31 last week and 44.50 the same week of last year. The weekly statement of the bank shows the following changes from the previous accounts: Total reserve decreased £92,000, circulation increased £213,000, bullion decreased £48,343, "other" securities decreased £758,000, "other" deposits increased £202,000, public deposits decreased £1,927,000, notes reserved decreased £951,000. Government securities decreased £881,000. Paris advices quote 3 per cents 101 francs 47½ centimes. Exchanges in London, 25 francs 10 centimes. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes: Notes in circulation increased 5,628,000 francs, treasury accounts current decreased 62,100,000 francs, gold in hand decreased 550,000 francs, bills discounted decreased 136,450,000 francs, silver in hand decreased 2,075,000 francs.

The subscription books for the Third avenue 4 per cent bonds offered for public subscription will close at 3 P. M. or earlier to-day at the office of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.

COMMERCIAL.

THURSDAY, Dec. 6.—GRAIN—Wheat—Spot was quiet and easier. Sales, 136,000 bush., mainly export here and at the outports. No. 2 red in elevator, 77⅝c.; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 8⅝c. over May; No. 1 hard, 8½c. over. Northwestern receipts were 583 cars, against 499 last year. Chicago, 116 cars, against 138. Futures closed ⅝c. to 1c. lower. Sales, 2,750,000 bush. Prices as follows:

	Open ing.	High est.	Low est.	Clos ing.	Last Night.
Dec	77⅝	77⅝	77⅝	77⅝	78
Jan	78¼	78¼	77⅞	77⅞	78⅝
March	80⅛	80⅝	79⅞	79⅞	80⅝
May	77⅝	79⅞	79¼	79¼	80⅝

Oats were quiet and steady. Sales, 75,000 bush. No. 2 mixed, in elevator, 26⅝c. No. 2 white, 30c. No. 2 mixed clipped, 27⅝@28c. No. 3 mixed, 27c. Rye was dull. No. 2 Western, 50c. c. i. f. Buffalo and 54½c. c. i. f. New York. Car lots Jersey and State, 51@52c. nominal track. Corn was firm. Sales, 264,000 bush., mainly for export here and at the outports. No. 2 in elevator, 46⅝c. No. 2 white, 47½c. No. 2 yellow, 47c. Futures closed unchanged. Sales, 115,000 bush. Prices as follows:

	Open ing.	High est.	Low est.	Clos ing.	Last Night.
Dec	46⅝	46⅝	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
May	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝

This shows the grain movement:

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.	Barley.
New York:					
Receipts	44,400	124,800	188,200	11,950	67,100
Exports	114,706	102,092	155,769	8,673	7,362
Chicago:					
Receipts	78,381	158,493	188,200	11,950	67,100
Shipments	294,666	405,531	155,769	8,673	7,362
Boston:					
Receipts	312,000	388,000	120,000		150,000
Shipments	256,000	561,000	162,000		

Wheat declined early in the day on disappointing cables, foreign selling and profit taking. Liverpool declined 3d. London 1d to 1½d and Paris 10 centimes for wheat and 10 to 15 for flour. Liverpool receipts increased to 488,000 bush. The Price Current says that the situation continues favorable. Receipts continued liberal at primary points—688,000 against 671,000 a year ago. On the other hand, the crop of Great Britain is officially estimated at 52,639,000 bush., or 3,000,000 less than last year, there was some foreign buying here, the Northwest reported a brisk demand for flour and a sharp decrease in the Northwestern receipts is predicted. But it was a day of realizing and final prices were the lowest of the day. Corn advanced early in the day owing to small receipts, covering of shorts and some new buying. Chicago received only 3 cars of contract grade and total primary receipts were only 400,000 bush against 573,000 bush. last year. The seaboard clearances were again large at 974,000 bush., but later on the improvement was lost on profit taking. Philips sold December. There were no striking developments in oats. Chicago received 144 cars of which only 9 were contract.

FLOUR—Easier with wheat. Sales, 9,000 bbls. Receipts were 12,035 bbls. and 21,334 sacks; exports 2,601 bbls. and 731 sacks. Winter in bbls.—Superfine, $2.35@$2.45. No. 2 extra, $2.45@$2.65; clears, $2.90@$3.15; straights, $3.25@$3.40; patents, $3.60@$3.90. Spring in bbls.—Clears, $2.85@$3.15; straights, $3.40@$3.60; patents, $3.90@$4.10. Rye flour, $3.00@$3.50.

COTTON—Spot cotton here was unchanged. Sales, 180 bales for spinning. Middling uplands, 10 3-16c. against 7 11-16c. last year. New Orleans and Gulf, 10 7-16c against 7 15-16c. Mobile and Savannah declined 1-16c. New Orleans sold 4,000 bales and Memphis 2,000. Liverpool declined 1.32d on the spot, sales, 7,000; futures rose 2 to 3 points; Manchester was quiet. The movement to-day was as follows:

	To-day.	Last Week.	Last Year.
Port receipts	45,114	50,580	29,681
New Orleans, estimated to-morrow	15,000 to 15,000	10,996	5,589
Augusta	1,275		882
Memphis	2,377	2,098	2,765
St. Louis	2,468		1,524
Houston	11,584	14,494	10,670
Houston, estimated, to-morrow	10,000 to 11,000	14,592	10,538

Augusta shipped to-day, 2,055 bales. Memphis, 2,010; St. Louis, 10,347, and Houston, 15,385. Port receipts, 160,028 bales. Futures here advanced 4 to 5 points early, then reacted and closed generally 1c. lower. The final tone was barely steady with estimated sales of 160,000 bales. Prices as follows:

	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
December	9.88	9.82	9.82@9.83
January	9.80	9.74	9.76
February	9.74	9.73	9.71@9.73
March	9.72	9.67	9.67@9.68
April	9.65	9.63	9.62@9.63
May	9.62	9.58	9.57@9.58
June	9.61	9.55	9.55@9.56
July	9.56	9.52	9.51@9.52
August	9.28	9.23	9.23@9.24
September			8.58@8.60

Cotton continued to be a very small affair. Early prices were higher in response to higher cables, but later on liquidation, local and Southern, as well as some European selling caused a slight decline. Some of the spot markets were easier, the crop movement for the week will be comparatively liberal and the outside public seems for the moment at any rate to be indifferent to cotton. At the same time the fear of a bullish Government report next Monday acts as a deterrent on aggressive short selling and prevents any marked decline. Manchester advices were brighter and a small failure on the short side was reported in Liverpool.

COFFEE—Rio on the spot was dull at 7⅝c. for No. 7. Sales, 400 bags Marcaibo, 400 Bogota. Futures declined 5 points and closed quiet. Sales, 22,250 bags. Havre declined ½f. Hamburg was unchanged to 1½pfg. higher. American warehouse deliveries, 13,285 bags. Rio was at 1⅝f. reis decline. Frankfort was 1c. and Santos 2c. decline. Receipts, 6,000 bags; stock, 274,000. Santos quiet at unchanged prices. Receipts, 24,000 bags; stock, 1,352,000. Prices here as follows:

	Sales.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
January	3,750	6.10	6.10	6.05@6.10
February				6.15@6.20
March	5,500	6.30	6.30	6.25@6.30
April				6.30@6.35
May	4,250	6.40	6.40	6.35@6.40
June				6.40@6.45
July				6.45@6.50
August	2,250	6.50	6.50	6.45@6.50
September	4,250	6.55	6.55	6.50@6.55
October	1,250	6.60	6.55	6.55@6.60
December	1,000	6.60	6.60	6.60@6.65

Coffee was dull and easier owing to bearish cables and liberal receipts. Europe bought on a small scale, but local operators sold for both sides of the account.

METALS—In London tin was £5 lower at £119 15s. for spot and £119 18s. for futures. The market here was weak. Copper in London was higher, with spot at £72 17s. 6d. and futures at £73 2s. 6d. The local market was quiet. Spelter was easy, but the general list was dull and steady.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits of turpentine, 42@42½c. Common to good strained rosin $1.65@$1.70.

PROVISIONS—Meats were easy, pickled shoulders, 6c.; do. bellies, 8½@8½c.; do. hams, 8½@9c. Pork was easy at $12 to $13 for mess. Lard was quiet, refined continent, 7.60c.; Brazil kegs, 8.25c. Western, 7.60@7.65c.; South American, 8.25c. Tallow, 4⅝c. Dressed hogs, 6⅝@7½c. Butter—Creamery extras, 26c.; firsts, 25c.; State, dairy, 24½@25½c. Cheese—State, f. c., large, September, fancy, 11½c.; small, 11½c. Eggs—State, Pennsylvania and Western, 30@32c. Chicago, Dec. 6.—"Provisions averaged higher, influenced again by light hog receipts, and, although there was considerable profit taking by longs and some selling by packers, the closing was firm at the improvement. There was an increased commission house trade. The cash demand for meats was better than for some days past."

SUGAR—Raw was firm and quiet at 4.7 16c. for 96 test and 3.15 16c. for 89 test. Refined was firm and quiet.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—These were to-day's prices:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Last Night.
Wheat:					
Dec	71⅛	71⅛	70⅛	70⅛	71⅛
Jan	71⅛	71⅛	70⅛	70⅛	71⅛
May	74⅛	74⅛	73⅛	73⅝	74⅛
Corn:					
Dec	37⅝	38	37⅝	37⅝	37⅛
Jan	36	36⅛	35	35 1-3	35
May	36⅛	36⅛	35⅞	36⅛	36⅛
Oats:					
Dec	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
May	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
Rye:					
Dec				47⅛	47⅛
Lard:					
Dec	7.17½	7.20	7.12½	7.17½	7.17½
Jan	6.95	6.95	6.90	6.92½	6.90
May	6.97½	7.00	6.97½	6.97½	6.95
Ribs:					
Dec				6.45	6.30
Jan	6.30	6.35	6.30	6.35	6.27½
May	6.37	6.40	6.37½	6.40	6.37½
Pork:					
Dec				11.25	11.25
Jan	12.32½	12.37½	12.32½	12.35	12.22½
May	12.12½	12.12½	12.02½	12.10	12.12½

OTHER MARKETS.

	Opening.	High est.	Low est.	Closing.	Last Night.
Wheat:					
Minneapolis Dec	72½	72½	72½	72½	72½
May	75	75⅛	74½	74½	75⅛
Duluth Dec	71½	71½	71	71½	72
May	76	76	75⅛	75⅛	76⅛
Duluth (flax) Dec	1.70½	1.70½	1.69½	1.68½	1.68½
May	1.70	1.71	1.70	1.69	1.68½
Toledo Dec	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛
May	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛
Toledo (closer) Dec	6.70	6.72½	6.70	6.72½	6.70
Detroit Dec	78⅛	78⅛	77	77	78⅛
St. Louis Dec				70⅛	71⅛
May	74	74⅛	73⅛	73⅛	74⅛

Live Stock Market.

THURSDAY, Dec. 6.

Receipts of beeves were 518 head, including 20 cars for export alive, 1 car for a slaughterer and 9 cars for the market. No trading. The feeling was firm for good cattle and steady for others. Dressed beef in fair demand at 6½@8½c. per lb. for native sides. Cables unchanged. Exports 25 sheep; none to-morrow.

Receipts of calves were 125 head, all for the market with the exception of 10 head. Veals were quiet at barely steady prices; grassers dull and neglected. Common to prime veals sold at $5@$8 per 100 lbs.; grassers were nominal. City dressed veals weak at 8@12c. per lb.; extra carcasses, 12½c.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were 1,921 head, including 2 cars for butchers and 7 for the market, making, with the state stock, 11 cars on sale. Good sheep were active and firm; medium and common grades steady; lambs firm to 5c. higher. Extra sheep were held over. Common to choice sheep sold at $3.50@$4.25 per 100 lbs.; culls at $2; common to prime lambs at $5.12½@$6; culls at $4@$5. Dressed mutton steady at 5@7½c. per lb.; dressed lambs firm at 7@9c.

Receipts of hogs were 3,586 head, including half a car for the market. Feeling firm for all weights.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises..... 7:10 | Sun sets..4:33 | Moon rises..6:08

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook 7:57 | Gov. I'd..8:29 | Hell Gate..10:22

Arrived—THURSDAY, Dec. 6.

Ss Deutschland, Albers, Hamburg, Nov. 29.
Ss Lahn, Pohle, Bremen, Nov. 27.
Ss Sardinian, Johnston, Glasgow, Nov. 22.
Ss Dona Maria, Jensen, St. Michaels, Nov. 27.
Ss Silvia, Clark, St. Johns, Nov. 29.
Ss City of Macon, Savage, Boston, Dec. 5.
Ss Guyandotte, Davis, Norfolk, Dec. 5.
Ss El Paso, Boyd, New Orleans, Dec. 1.
Ss Hermen Winter, Grove, Boston, Dec. 5.
Ss City of Augusta, Daggett, Savannah, Dec. 4.

ARRIVED OUT.

Ss Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, from New York, at Bremen.

SAILED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

Ss Majestic, from Queenstown for New York.
Ss Minnehaha, from London for New York.
Ss Rotterdam, from Rotterdam for New York.

OUTGOING STEAMSHIPS.

Sail To-day.

	Made Clear.	Vessel Sails.
Silvia, Newfoundland	10 00 A M	12 00 M
Kong Frode, Jamaica	1 00 P M	3 00 P M
Algonquin, Charleston		3 00 P M
Rio Grande, Brunswick		3 00 P M
El Norte, New Orleans		3 00 P M

Sail To-morrow.

Potsdam, Rotterdam	8 00 A M	10 00 A M
Etruria, Liverpool	3 30 A M	7 00 A M
Columbia, Naples	9 00 A M	11 00 A M
Furnessia, Glasgow	10 00 A M	12 00 M
Menominee, London		9 00 A M
Patricia, Hamburg		6 00 A M
Canadian, Liverpool		7 00 A M
British Trader, Antwerp.		
Morro Castle, Havana	11 00 A M	1 00 P M
Fontabelle, St. Thomas	9 30 A M