from Arctic, 600 wh 8000 lbs bone this season—bound to Honolulu.

Arr at Hon'lulu Oct 31, ship Ocean, Clark, NB, from Arctic, 300 wh, 5500 lbs bone this season; Nov 3, ship Harvest, Manchester, NB, from Ochotsk, 500 wh, 5000 lbs bone do do; 8th, bark Isabella, Tucker, NB, from Arctic, 20 bbls sp, 800 wh and 10,000 lbs bone do do; 11th, ship Navy, Sarvent, do from do, 50 bbls sp, 1000 wh and 10,000 lbs bone do do; 12th, bark Emerald, Stall, from San Francisco, to load oil for New Bedford; 14th, bark Catharine, Hoppingstone, NL, Arctic, 60 sp, 1140 wh and 16,000 lbs bone this season.

Sld from do Oct 15, ship Florida, Fish, NB, New Zealand and home; 21st, bark Nile, Fish, NL, California Coast; Nov 12, ship Coral, Sisson, NB, for home direct.

In port Nov 13, ships Fanny, NB; Othello, do; Marengo, do; Ocean, New Haven; Harvest, NB; Navy, do; bark Bragansa, repg.

Lahaina, Oct 20—Arr ships Champion, Worth, Edgartown, from Arctic, 550 wh 7,000 lbs bone this season; 21st, Adeline, Barker, NB, from Ochotsk, 25 bbls sp 550 wh 6,000 lbs bone this season.

Arr at do Oct 11, bark Sicero, Stivers, NB, 500 bbls this season, bound to Honolulu.

Arr at St Helena Sept 11, bark Excel, Rose, of SH (and sld 18th on a cruise); 16 bbls sp; Nov 22, bark Chili, King, of NB (and sld 23d on a cruise), 530 bbls sp all sold.

The first officer of bark Hercules, Dexter, NB, dating at Fayal, Oct 29, reports having landed 75 sp. Had much rugged weather since leaving home.

Capt Hager, of bark Tropic Bird, NB, reports her at Fayal Nov 22, having recruited, and was then ready for sea—had landed 115 sp.

The steward of bark President, Gifford, NB, has returned home, having been discharged from that vessel Nov 19, on Coast of Africa, sick. The P had taken 1 sp wh and 8 bkfish since leaving Fayal. Had wooded and watered, for Coast of Brazil; all well on board.

Spoken—Nov 22, lat 4 24 N, lon 29 34 W, ship Brunswick Potter, from New Bedford for North Pacific.

In Ochotsk Sep up to Sept 13, ships Nassau, Quinn, NB, 500 bbls; John P West, Tinker, do 450 do; Martha, Cornell, do 300 do.

Sd do from Sept 12 to 30th, ships Washington, Willard, NB, 1200 bbls; Emily Morgan, Whiteside, do 1100 do, and Boiling, Florence, Spencer, Hon, 1000 do; Milton, Halsey, NB, 1000 do; Massachusetts, Greene, do 650 do; Mile, Fordham, do 400 do; Lagoda, Cranston, do 2 whs, 150 bbls.

Spoken, &c.

Ship Arno, Nason, hence for San Francisco, Nov 29, lat 28 N, lon 37.

Ship Contest, Jennings, from Bombay for Liverpool, Oct 20, off Cape Good Hope.

Ship New Hampshire, from Catania for NYork, Dec 9, lat 35 20, lon 10 35.

Bark Houston, hence for Hilton Head, was seen Jan 4, lat 30 30, lon 75 48.

Foreign Ports.

BATHURST, Nov 28—In port brig Fanny, for NYork 2 days.

HONOLULU, Nov 13—Arr bark Emerald, Stall, San Francisco to load oil for New Bedford.

HAVANA, Dec 29—Arr Brem bark Edmund, Wehman, New York; Br schr Richard, Conroy, Turks Island.

HALIFAX, Jan 8—Put in, Br ship Annie Laurie, from NYork for Liverpool, in distress.

RIO JANEIRO, Nov 24—Arr ship Erie, Preble, Liverpool, sld 18th, ship Revere, Gibbs, Singapore.

American Ports.

BOSTON, Jan 7—Arr bark D Kimball, Magune, Palermo; schr A Hammond, Higgins, Philadelphia. Telegraphed, brigs H G Berry, from Havana; Chesapeake, from Wilmington, NC; Signal for three brigs. Cld barks J C Nickels, Blanchard, Cienfuegos; The Prince (Br), Foster, Matanzas; schrs Geo Byron, Lowell, Remedios; Mary Mankin, Briggs, New Orleans; Geo Shattuck, Hatch, Port Royal; Benj S Wright, Brown, Baltimore; Princess, Lovell, NYork. Sld steamship Europa; bark Jane; brigs Champion, N Stowers, Boston and Halifax.

BALTIMORE, Jan 6—Arr Br bark Royal Visitor, Hull, NYork for Wexford, in distress (see Miscel); schrs Lookout, Thornton, Portland; Bela Peck, Gardner, and Golden Eagle, Kelsey, NYork. Cld brig Chattanooga, Fry, Cardenas; schrs Ella Desperandum, Cobb, Boston; J L Darling, Wright, Providence; E Merwin, Thomas, New Haven.

Sth—Arr schrs Melrose (Br), Blanche, Halifax; Clifton (Br), Seehan, Cow Bay, CB; Maryland, Knight, Portland. Sld brig R B Kirkland, North, Mayaguez, PR; schrs Prince of Wales (Br), Chisholm, West Indies (and sld); R R Higgins, Baker, Boston via Tangier; Mary B Dyer, Purvere, do 9th, Dell's Island. Sld brig Chattanooga, Fry, Cardenas; schr Mohawk, Staples, Cienfuegos.

BATH, Jan 6—Arr ship Transcubar, Goodwin, NYork.

BRISTOL, Jan 8—Arr John M Parker, King, NYork.

FALL RIVER, Jan 6—Sld schr Courier, Hopkins, NYork. Passed down 7th, schr H W Morse, Benton, from Dighton, supposed for Philadelphia.

6th—Arr (by tel) schr John R Redner, Adams, Georgetown, DC; sloop Rienzi, Cobleigh, Elizabethport.

GLOUCESTER, Jan 5—Arr steamer Bellingham, Morse, Bath for NYork; 6th, schr Benj F Reeves, Norman, Philadelphia; T B Hodgman, Prince, Bath for NYork.

NEW BEDFORD, Jan 5—Arr schrs E M Smith, Childs, NYork; Ann S Salter, Fish, Wareham for do.

7th—Arr schr Eben Sawyer, Tracey, Philadelphia; Sarah, Benson, NYork.

NEWPORT, Jan 5—Arr schrs Willie G, Thompson, Providence for Tangier, Va; Sea Flower, Clark, do for NYork; Mary, Tirrell, do for do; W R Newcomb, Bacon, Pall River for NYork; sloop W Bowen, Brotherton, Providence for do.

6th—Arr steamer Nahant (U S iron clad), Boston for New York; schr Henrietta, Brannan, NYork.

7th—Arr schrs Flight, Gibbs, Elizabethport; H W Morse, Benton, Taunton for Philadelphia.

8th—Arr schr Enoch Pratt, Gould, Cardenas.

NEW HAVEN, Jan 5—Arr schr Charlotte, Coleman; Wm Collyer, Rayner, Dilatush, Bartlett; Chief, Champlin; John W Bell, Hauch; Brandywine, Wheeler; T C Lyman, Stanard; sloops Warren, Stokes, NYork; Jenny Lind, Spencer; Proof Glass, Hallock.

6th—Arr schrs Isabella, Baker, and Dr Powers, Muncey, —; Wm Penn, Phillips, and J R Steed, Philadelphia. Cld schrs T Lake, NYork; Gertrude, do; Ann Maria, Elizabethport; New Delight, do; sloops Jenny Lind, New York; Exception, do.

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov 19—Sld ship Zingari, Millett (fm Whatcoy), Valparaiso.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 5—Arr ship Tonawanda, Julius, Liverpool; bark Thomas Killam (Br), Dennis, London; schrs R P King, Leeds, N York; Horizon, Plum, Beaufort, NC; Burrows C, Clark, Port Royal. Cld Br schr Rover, O'Bryan, Halifax.

6th—Arr steamers Saxon, Matthews, Boston; Eastern Railroad, Fenner, New London. Cld bark Cordelia, Bryant, Matanzas; brig Juniata, Bell, Liverpool; schrs United States, Babson, Gloucester; Althea, Corson, NOrleans.

PORTLAND, Jan 5—Arr schr Dashing Wave, Freeman, Tangier via Portsmouth. Cld 3d, steamship Bohemian (Br), Herman, Liverpool (and sld); bark Arctic, Partridge, Buenos Ayres; brig Hattie E Emery (new, of Orland, 96 tons), Bartlett, Matanzas; schrs La Plata, Stratton, and Henrietta, Jones, Baltimore; Convoy, Merrill, Philadelphia.

8th—Arr steamship Chesapeake, Willetts, NYork. Cld Br ship Omega, Saunders, Liverpool; barks Eliza White, Varney, Cienfuegos; La Cigarera, Adie, Havana; schr F A Heath, Williams, Cardenas. Sld barks Arctic, Mary C Fox; brigs Scotland, Hattie E Wheeler; and others.

9th—Arr Br steamship Anglo-Saxon, Graham, Liverpool via Londonderry. Cld Br ship St Lawrence, Hamilton, Glasgow; schr W S Loud, Clark, Havana.

PORTSMOUTH, Jan 5—Arr schr Grand Island, Tobin, NYork.

6th—Arr brig Reporter, Ginn, Philadelphia.

PROVIDENCE, Jan 7—Arr (by tel) schrs Frank Lucas, Taylor, Tangier; D W Hammond, Nixon, do; James H Depuy, Butler, Elizabethport; Ninetta, Carr, NYork. Sld schr Wonder, Hallock, NYork.

8th—Arr schr James House, Spragg, Georgetown, DC.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 2—Arr ship Sea Serpent, Pike, New York. Sld 7th, ship Gleaner, Fagg, Boston.

6th—Arr ship Peruvian, Sargent, Boston; bark C B Truitt, Georgetown.

SALEM, Jan 3—Arr schrs Watson Baker, Sears, NYork; Sarah, Holden, Rockland for do.

8th—Sld schrs Hamor, Mary E Pierce, American Chief.

SOMERSET, Jan 5—Sld, schr R Baker, Kelley, NYork.

Arr 8th, schr Argus, Crowley, New York.

USTALADY, Dec 3—Sld ship Seaman's Bride, Wyman, Shanghai.

WICKFORD, Jan 5—Arr sloop Pointer, Nichols, NYork for Providence.

6th—Arr (by tel), steamship Anglo Saxon, Liverpool via Londonderry.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

THURSDAY, Jan. 8—6 P. M.

This has been one of the most exciting days ever known in Wall street. Speculation seems to be thoroughly aroused, and no one can say where it will end.

Gold opened this morning at 135⅛, rose to 136⅜, declined to 135¾, sold in the afternoon at 136⅜, and closed at that bid. Demand notes sold as high as 135, and as low as 133⅜, closing 134 bid. It seems to be universally conceded that the new issue of $300,000,000 of legal tender notes, which all authorities now pronounce indispensable, will cause gold to advance to 150 a 160, and the only question in Wall street is, how long will it take to get there? The jobbers would prefer a gradual advance, with a reaction four or five times a week, by which they could make profitable "turns." Operators in gold are generally content with fractional profits; they hasten to meet the market as it advances. Among the mercantile class purchases of gold are being made less on speculation than as an insurance against the depreciation of bank balances and bills receivable. Merchants buy the gold outright, lodge it in bank, and keep it there without regard to the fluctuations of the market. We notice, by the way, that among other financial delusions entertained by Mr. Thaddeus Stevens, Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means, he seems to fancy that if customs duties were not payable in gold it would not stand to a premium. The fact is, of course, that the payment of duties in gold has nothing to do with the advance of the precious metal. Not a dollar has yet been paid in for duties; yet gold is 135 a 136. Gold rises because the government issues paper, and calls it money. And the more of such paper that is issued, the higher gold will rise, not on account of any real demand for the metal, but in fulfilment of an invariable law of political economy. Exchange closed at about 149⅝ a 150⅛.

The money market has become more active in consequence of the increase of speculation in stocks, and the leading houses are getting 6 per cent for their money. Mercantile paper sells at 6 a 7. Debt certificates advanced again to 97½. Money is growing more abundant here, in view of the announcements of the probable financial policy of government.

The stock market has again been extraordinarily active to-day. Speculation still runs in the channel of cheap stocks, whose intrinsic value appears to be a matter of very little concern to the buyers. This morning the principal advance was in Toledo and Wabash—a stock hardly known to most operators, and whose value is, to say the least, very uncertain; it advanced, however, 20 per cent, selling at 60 against 40 yesterday. The similar advance of yesterday in Prairie du Chien was fully maintained, and Cleveland and Pittsburg was also firm at the price it reached last evening. Toledo rose 2 per cent. These cheap stocks, some of which have really no value whatever, appear to take the fancy of speculators more readily than more valuable securities. At the morning board to-day, however, there was a general movement in all securities. New York Central rose 1⅛, Erie 1, Erie preferred ¾, Harlem ¼, Harlem preferred ⅜, Reading 3, Michigan Central ⅜, Southern old ½, guaranteed 2, Illinois ⅛, Galena 1½, and Rock Island 2. Pacific Mail took a sudden upward start to 142; it sold last evening at 138, but was firmly held at the advance. Bonds of all classes were active and strong. The assented bonds of the Chicago and Northwestern sold at an advance of 1, and the seconds at an advance of 1⅛ per cent. Fort Wayne seconds rose 1½, and the thirds 1¾. Missouris rose 3 per cent, with great activity. The session of the open board at one P. M. was rather dull, most of the brokers being busy with their deliveries. The morning board of the old Stock Exchange did not adjourn till half-past one. In the street, at two P. M, there was a pretty general desire to realize on the leading stocks and on gold; but a fractional concession soon developed new buyers. Every one seems to be operating at present, and thus far every one is making money. The crash, when it comes, will be fearful, especially among the "light timber." At the second board to-day there was a further advance in the Western railway shares and in New York Central. Guaranteed rose 2, Michigan Central 1½, Toledo 1, New York Central 1¼. Pacific Mail, Hudson and Erie did not participate in the advance, and were rather lower. Up to the close the market remained very strong. At the four P. M. session of the public board yesterday's scene of frantic excitement was renewed, and thousands of shares changed hands. The highest prices of the day were fully sustained, and Erie and Central were about ¾ per cent higher. At the close, at half-past five, the following were the quotations:—

US 6's, reg, '81	97⅜ a 98	Hudson River	87⅝ a 88
US 6's, cou, '81	98 a 98¼	Harlem	29⅞ a 30
US 5's, cou '74	89½ a 90	Harlem pref	59½ a 59¾
Treas'y 7 3-10s 103	a 103¼	Reading	85⅝ a 86
US 6's, 1 y cer	97 a 97½	Mich Central	95⅝ a 95¾
US demand n.	134 a 134	Mich S & N In	49 a 49¼
Tennessee 6's	63½ a 63¾	MI S&N In guar	93½ a 93¾
Virginia 6's	63¼ a 65	Illinois Central	87 a 87½
N Carolina 6's	71 a 72	Clev & Pitts	66¾ a 67
Missouri 6's	67½ a 67¾	Gal & Chi	86⅞ a 87
America'n gold	136½ a 136¾	Clev & Toledo	83¼ a 83½
Pacific Mail	142¼ a 142⅜	Chi & Rk Is	87 a 87
N Y Central	112⅛ a 112⅜	Ch.Bur & Quin	99¼ a 99⅝
Erie	69⅛ a 69⅜	Mil & Pr du Ch	47⅜ a 47½
Erie preferred	99⅜ a 99⅞		

The Committee of Ways and Means to-day reported a bill for $360,000,000 more legal tender notes, $300,000,000 Treasury notes bearing 5.47⅚ per cent interest, and receivable for all public dues except customs duties, and $900,000,000 six per cent twenty year bonds. This will provide the government with the means of carrying on the war till July, 1864. The bill itself will be found under the telegraphic head.

The business of the Sub-Treasury was as follows to-day:—

Receipts	$310,547 98
—For customs	144,000 00
Payments	654,031 84
Balance	12,552,141 20

Attention is directed to an advertisement in another column respecting stolen bonds of the Terre Haute and Alton Railroad Company.

The exchanges at the Bank Clearing House this morning were $42,030,398 34, and the balances $2,021,093 06.

The Germania Fire Insurance Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent, payable on the 12th instant; the Relief Fire Insurance Company, a semi-annual dividend of five per cent, payable on demand, free from tax; the Commercial Fire Insurance Company, a dividend of five per cent, free from tax, payable on demand; the Resolute Fire Insurance Company, an interest dividend of three and a half per cent, free of government tax, payable on demand; the Seamen's Savings Bank, interest on its deposits on the 19th inst., at the rate of five per cent per annum on sums of five hundred dollars and under, and at the rate of four per cent on larger sums.

Stock Exchange.

Thursday, Jan. 8, 1863.			
$5000 U S 6's, '67, cou	98	700 shs Erie RR pref.	59⅜
10000 U S 6's, '81, reg	98	100 do b10	59½
5000 U S 6's, '81, cou	98⅛	200 do b60	59¾
10000 do	98⅜	1200 do	59½
18000 do	98⅜	300 Hudson River RR	88
60000 do	98⅝	25 do b30	88
2000 U S 6's, '74, cou	89⅛	600 do	87⅞
1500 U S 6's, 1 year	97	100 do b10	88
31000 Tr 7 3-10 p c n.	103	100 do	87⅛
1000 Tr 7 3-10 pcn en	102	1500 do	87
1000 do	101⅞	200 do	86⅞
14000 U S 6's, 1 yr cer.	97¼	500 do	86⅞
25000 do	97⅛	1200 Harlem RR	30
10000 U S dem notes.	134	1900 do	30⅛
10000 do	134⅛	200 do b30	30⅛
45000 do b30	135	200 do b30	30⅛
5000 do b10	135	900 do	30¼
100000 do	134⅜	100 do	30⅛
9000 Pklyn city w 1.	119	2900 do s30	30
67000 Tenn 6's, '90	64	61 Harlem RR pref.	59
2000 do s60	63¾	300 do	59⅛
2000 do	63¾	100 do b30	60
3000 Virginia 6's	63	800 do	60
2000 N Carolina 6's	70⅛	800 do s30	59¾
100000 Missouri 6's	68	40 Nor & Worcr RR.	74
15000 do b10	68⅛	1000 Reading RR	85
10000 do b30	68¼	200 do	85⅛
3000 do	67⅜	200 do b30	86
55000 do	67⅛	100 do	86⅜
5000 do s30	67	100 do	87
5000 do b10	67⅛	106 Mich Cen RR	93
38000 do	67	525 do	93⅛
4000 Man & St Jo bs	62	100 do	93½
2000 Erie 4th m bs.	108	250 do	93⅜
5000 Erie 5th m bs.	102⅛	100 do b30	93⅜
13200 B,NY&E 1st m	100	1060 Mich So & N I RR	48
3000 Ind Riv con bs	102	400 do	48⅛
2000 MiC S's,c1msf b	120	150 do s30	48
1000 do	120¼	500 do b30	48⅛
21000 Mich So 2d m.	98⅛	160 do s10	48⅛
3000 Mich So s f	108	100 do b10	48⅛
10000 do	109	850 do	48⅛
25000 do	108⅛	50 do b30	48⅛
1000 Alt&TerHut m	104	50 do b10	48⅛
5000 Chi&NWas'tbs	67⅛	700 do	48⅛
20000 do	68	100 do b3	48⅛
30000 Alt&TH2dmpref	87	50 MichS&NIRR g s	89
15000 Alt&TerH incbs	75	400 do	89⅛
1500 do	74⅛	500 do	90
10000 do b10	75	50 do	90⅛
2000 Ill Cen RR bs.	114	200 do b30	90
10000 Chi&NW 2d m.	39	150 Ill Can RR scrip	88
10000 do	39⅛	50 do	87⅛
40000 do	40	400 do	87
5000 D,L&W 1st m bs	117⅛	100 do b30	87
1000 Tol& Wab 1st m	105	450 do	86⅞
1000 Tol &Wabint bs	56	200 do	86⅛
1000 Mil & Pdu1 1stm	110	9000 Clev & Pitts RR.	65
3000 Pitts,FW&C1m	110	4000 do	64
9000 do	110⅛	200 do s30	64
1000Pitts,FW&C2dm	97¼	2000 do	64⅛
4000 do	98	400 do s20	64⅛
25000Pitts,FW&C3dm	79	100 do s30	64⅛
30000Clev&Pitts4thm	77	1200 do	64⅜
2000 do	78	900 Galena & Chi RR	85
2000 Tol &Wab 2d m	60⅛	100 do	85⅛
50000 Amer gold	136	700 do	85⅛
125000 do	136⅛	150 do	85⅛
50000 do	136⅛	500 do	85⅜
2000 do b60	137	50 do b60	85⅜
30000 do b30	136⅛	150 do b60	86
100000 do	136⅛	100 do b30	86
25000 do s15	136⅛	100 do b30	86⅛
5000 do b20	136⅛	100 do	86
50 shs Merchants'bk	100	100 do b60	86⅛
10 Bk of Commerce.	95	300 Cleve & Tol RR.	80
19 do	94⅜	500 do s10	80⅛
16 Am Ex Bank	96⅛	880 do	80⅛
15 Shoe & Lea Bk	100	300 do	80⅜
5 Continental Bank	88	50 do	80⅜
10 Metropolitan Bk	103	200 do b30	81
350 Canton Co.	19⅛	600 do	81
735 Cumb Coal pref	18	200 do	81⅛
100 do s60	18	650 Ch & Rock I RR.	86⅛
500 do b30	18⅛	200 do b4	86⅛
100 do	18⅜	600 do	86⅛
185 Pacific Mail SS Co	141	100 do	86⅞
150 do s10	140⅛	550 do	87
150 do b30	142	200 do	87⅛
100 do	142	140 Chi, Bn & Qy RR	99⅛
107 Mil&Pr du Ch 2d pr	87	250 do	99⅛
12 Del,Lack&West RR	130	1000 Milk PdoCh RR.	48
250 N YorkCentral RR	110	500 do	47⅛
200 do	110⅛	100 do s30	47
100 do	110⅜	52 do	47
400 do	110⅜	200 do	47⅛
18 do	111	50 Tol,Wab & W RR.	60
100 do b30	110⅞	50 do	59
100 Erie RR	69¼	1500 Pitts,FW&CRR.	64
600 do	69	150 do	63
200 do b30	69⅛	81 do	62⅛
100 do b10	69⅜	450 Alt & T H RR.	35⅛
1000 do	69⅛	200 do	35
200 Erie RR prefer'd.	99⅜	600 Alt & T H pref.	58
100 do	99½	100 do b30	58⅛
SECOND BOARD.			
$21000 U S 6's, '67, cou	98⅜	100 shs Hud Riv RR.	87⅛
6000 U S 6's, '74, cou	89½	200 do b30	87⅜
3000 U S 6's, '81, reg	98	100 do	87⅜
70000 Treas 7 3-10 p c n	103	100 do b10	87⅜
64000 U S 6's, 1 y cer	97	100 do s30	87
10000 U S dem n. b60	134	25 Harlem RR	30
85000 do	133⅞	100 do	29⅞
15000 do	133⅞	600 do	29⅞
10000 Tenn 6's, '90	63	200 do b30	29⅞
10000 do	63⅛	200 Harlem RR pref.	59⅛
25000 Missouri 6's	66⅛	50 do	60
10000 do	66⅛	100 do s30	59⅞
5000 do b10	67	200 Reading RR. b30	85⅛
2000 Virginia 6's	63	2000 Clev & Pitts RR.	65
5000 Erie 4th m bs.	108	1500 do	65⅛
10000 Chi&NWas'tbs	68	200 do s30	65
10000 do b10	69	400 Mich Cen RR	94
28000 Mich So s fund.	109	100 do s30	94
1000 Chi& N W 2d m	41	25 do	94⅜
5000 Clev&Pitts4thm	79	300 do	95
5000 do	80	100 do b30	95⅛
16000 Alt & Tr H inc b	75	25 Mich So & N I RR.	48
5000 Alt&TrH 2dm, f	87	250 do	48⅛
5000 do	87⅛	500 do	48⅛
5000 Cleve & Tol s f.	107	400 do	48⅜
5000 To &Wab 2d m.	89⅜	100 do b10	48½
4000 Mich So 2d m	98½	200 do b30	48⅝
60000 American gold	135⅞	300 MichS&NIRR g s	91
5000 do b60	136⅛	300 do	91⅛
10000 do b30	136⅛	200 Ill Cen RR scrip	86⅜
5000 do	136	300 do	86⅛
20 shs Bank of Com.	94⅜	100 Gal & Chic RR.	86⅜
10 Bank of Republic	102½	100 Clev & Tol RR. s30	81⅛
100 Cumb Coal pref	19	12 0 do	82
1000 do	19⅛	200 do s60	81⅛
600 do	19⅜	300 Chic & Rock I RR	87
800 do	20	200 do	86⅜
100 do b30	20	300 do	86⅜
445 Pacific M SS Co	141	50 do	86⅞
50 do b30	141⅛	100 do b3	86⅜
300 N Y Central RR	111	200 Mil & P du C RR.	46⅛
250 do	111⅛	800 do	47
100 do	111⅛	300 do b10	47
50 do s30	111⅛	50 Mil & P du C 2d pref	88
100 do	111⅜	500 Pitt,FtW&ChicRR	62⅛
200 Erie RR	69	700 do	63
500 do	68⅛	100 Alton & T H RR.	34
400 do	68⅛	250 do	33⅛
150 do	68⅜	100 Alt & T H RR pref	57
500 Erie RR pref	99	50 do	57⅛
50 do	99¼	50 Chic, Burl & Q RR	99⅛
100 Hudson R RR. b30	88	250 do	99⅜

Sales at the Third Board.

ONE O'CLOCK P. M.

$40000 American gold	135⅞	400 shs Erie preferred	97
10000 do	135⅞	400 Mich So guar	96
15000 Demand notes	133⅛	200 do	96⅜
5000 Tennessee 6's	64	500 Illinois Central	86⅛
5000 do	63⅜	200 do	86⅛
100 shs Cumb Coal	18⅛	150 Gal & Chicago	85⅜
100 Erie RR	68⅜	150 do	85⅞
600 do	68⅜	200 Cleve & Toledo	80⅞
200 Alton, & T H pref	55	100 Rock Island	86⅛
50 Mil & P du C	46⅞	200 do	86⅜

FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.

$20000 Debt certif	97⅛	25 shs Mich Central.	96
140000 Amer gold	136⅛	50 do	96⅜
85000 do	136⅜	200 do	96⅛
105000 do	136⅛	50 do	96⅛
115000 Demand notes	134	2100 Mich Southern	49
10000 do	133⅞	750 do s30	48⅞
50000 do b10	134	200 Mich So guaran	93
10000 Tennessee 6's	63⅛	100 do	93½
60000 Missouri 6's	67⅛	950 Illinois Central	87
100 shs Cumb Coal	20⅛	100 do	86⅞
100 do	20⅛	400 do	87
400 Pacific Mail	142	500 Clev & Pittsburg	66
300 do	142⅛	500 do	66⅛
150 do	142⅛	300 do	66⅜
100 N Y Central	112⅛	400 do	66⅛
100 Erie RR	69	250 Galena & Chic	86⅛
550 do	69⅛	1650 Clev & Toledo	83
1200 do s10	69⅛	400 do	83⅛
4450 do	69⅛	100 Chi & Rk Island	87
300 shs Erie RR	69⅜	500 do b10	87
100 Erie RR pref	100	150 do	86⅞
1000 do	99⅜	550 Mil & P du Chien	48
250 Hudson River	87⅛	100 do	47⅞
50 do	87⅛	100 do	47⅞
50 do s30	87⅛	50 do	47⅛
400 Harlem RR	30	50 Pitts, Ft W & C	64
100 Harlem preferred	59⅛	25 Alton, & T H pref	57
100 do	59⅛	50 do	57⅛
200 do	59⅜		

CITY COMMERCIAL REPORT.

THURSDAY, Jan. 8—6 P. M.

ASHES.—We heard of sales of 45 bbls. at 8⅛c. for pots, and 7⅜c. a 8c. for pearls.

BREADSTUFFS.—The flour market was decidedly more active and 5c. a 10c. per bbl. higher to-day, under the influence of the rise in gold. The day's sales comprised 20,000 bbls. State and Western, 2,000 bbls. Southern and 1,000 bbls. Canadian, within our revised range—

Superfine State and Western	$6 00	a	6 25
Extra State, old and new	6 40	a	6 75
Common to choice extra Western	6 50	a	8 50
Canadian	6 50	a	8 10
Southern mixed to good superfine	7 00	a	7 45
Extra do	7 50	a	9 00
Good to choice family do	9 00	a	10 00
Rye flour	3 50	a	5 25
Corn meal, Jersey and Brandywine	3 90	a	4 50
Corn meal, Brandywine, per puncheon	20 50	a	21 00
Buckwheat flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	a	3 15

—Wheat advanced, with sales of 120,000 bushels at $1 54 a $1 65 for white Western, $1 44 a $1 52 for red and amber Western, $1 34 a $1 43 for Milwaukee club and amber spring, and $1 24 a $1 35 for Chicago spring. Corn was firmer, sales having been made of 80,000 bushels mixed Western at 81c. a 82c. for sound, and 67c. a 68c. for unsound and heated. Rye ruled dull at 85c. a 95c. Sales were made of 4,500 bushels barley at $1 40 a $1 52½c., and 2,000 bushels malt at $1 75. Oats continued in active request at 66c. a 73c., according to quality.

COFFEE was firm and buoyant, with sales of 250 bags Maracaibo and 50 bags Laguayra at 30½c. a 31c., and 3,100 bags Rio at 28½c. a 30½c.

COTTON sold to the extent of 950 bales at 69c. a 69½c. for middlings, the market closing firmly.

FRUIT.—Raisins were up to $3 75 for layer, and $3 55 for bunch, with a good demand.

FREIGHTS.—There were very light engagements reported to-day, though the tendency of rates was downward. To Liverpool there were shipped 14,000 bushels wheat at 6½d., in bulk and bags; 550 packages bacon and lard at 20s. a 30s., and 250 tons logwood at 22s. 6d. The charters included a foreign bark, with petroleum to a continental port, at 7s. per bbl.; a bark to Bremen, heavy goods, on p. t.; a brig to Cork, for orders (provisions), at 40s.

HAY.—The demand for North river was active at 90c. a $1.

HOPS were less freely purchased at 17c. a 35c. for new crop.

LATHS were firm at $1 40 for Eastern, with a moderate demand.

LIME.—Common Rockland was saleable at 85c.

METALS were inactive, and prices unchanged.

MOLASSES.—There were sales reported, privately and by auction, of 540 bbls. and half bbls.: New Orleans at 25c. a 37c., and 50 hhds. Porto Rico at 36c. a 42c.

OILS.—The demand was mainly for linseed at $1 28 a $1 29, and refined petroleum at 35c. a 40c.

PROVISIONS.—Pork was dull at $14 12 a $14 25 for mess and $11 50 a $12 50 for prime, with sales of 400 bbls. Beef continued in moderate demand, with sales of 200 bbls at $11 50 a $13 for plain, and $13 a $13 75 for extra mess; 5,800 bbls and tierces lard within range of 9¼c. a 10½c., and 1,500 boxes bacon at 7½c. a 9½c. Butter was inactive at 21c. a 25c. for State, and 16c. a 20c. for Western. Cheese was dull and heavy at 9½c. a 13c.

RICE.—About 1,000 bags East India were sold at $7 a $7 25.

SUGARS advanced ⅛c. per lb., with sales of 1,650 hhds. at 10½c. a 11c. for New Orleans, and 9½c. a 10c. for Cuba and Porto Rico, and 570 boxes Havana at 10c. a 10½c., and 45 hhds. cistern bottoms at 5½c.

TALLOW.—We heard of sales of 150,000 lbs. at 10½c. a 10¾c.

WHISKEY.—There were 600 bbls. sold at 39½c. a 40c., mostly at 40c.

FINANCIAL.

ARMY OFFICERS PAY CASHED IF ON DETACHED or Recruiting service, Leave of Absence or Discharged. JOHN B. MURRAY, Army and Navy Banker, No. 39 Nassau street, New York, opposite Post office.

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EMPIRE CITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NO. 102 Broadway; New York, Jan. 2, 1863. Twenty-third dividend. The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual seven per cent dividend, free of government tax, payable on demand. WM. A. BURTIS, Jr., Secretary.

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