COMMERCIAL WORLD.

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

Silver lower.
Wheat and Barley firm.
Oats in fair demand.
Corn and Rye dull.
Hay inactive. Bran higher.
Beans and Seeds unchanged.
Coffee weak and quiet.
Some changes in Potatoes and Onions.
Butter moving off better.
Eggs again advanced.
Eastern Poultry out of market.
Game weak and dull.
Lemons and Limes weak. Oranges firm.
Dried Fruits the same.
Provisions slow.
Hogs still higher.
Larger exports of Specie.
Increased receipts of Wine and Brandy.
Gain in Gold Coin circulation.

GOLD COIN MOVEMENT.

The movement of gold coin at San Francisco for the first ten months of the year was as follows:

Paid for duties	$5,095,600
Exported	$9,446,500
Withdrawn	$44,542,100
Coined to October 31	49,980,500
Gain to local circulation	$5,438,400

SHIPMENTS OF SPECIE.

Shipments of specie from this port during the first ten months of the year were $47,405,200, against $37,259,650 for the same time in 1897, and consisted mainly of $3,250,600 in silver bullion, $3,768,290 in Mexican dollars, $468,466 in silver coin, $39,446,535 in gold coin and $337,494 in currency. Of this year's shipments $6,779,113 went to China, $8000 to Japan, $415,900 to India, $501,000 to Honolulu, $139,282 to Central America and $40,564,000 to New York.

WINE AND BRANDY RECEIPTS.

Receipts of wine and brandy at this port thus far this year are as follows, compared with the same period in 1897: Of wine, 13,254,300 gallons, against 9,493,500; of brandy, 216,310 gallons, against 108,950.

WEATHER REPORT.

(120th Meridian—Pacific Time.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 9, 5 p. m.

The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date as compared with those of same date last season and rainfall in the past 24 hours:

Stations—	Past 24 Hours.	This Season.	Last Season.
Eureka	0	4.26	5.06
Red Bluff	0	1.11	2.79
Sacramento	0	0.31	2.14
San Francisco	0	1.92	2.07
Fresno	0	1.14	1.23
San Luis Obispo	0	0.58	0.86
Los Angeles	0	0.11	2.47
San Diego	0	0.07	1.07
Yuma	0	0.18	0.77

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 66; minimum, 50; mean, 58.

WEATHER CONDITIONS AND GENERAL FORECAST.

The weather is cloudy over Washington, Oregon and the plateau region and clear in all other districts.

The area of high pressure has given away some over Washington and Oregon, but the pressure is yet considerably above the normal.

The temperature has fallen decidedly over Arizona and remained about stationary in all other sections.

Frosts were quite general throughout California and Southern Arizona last night.

A wind of thirty miles per hour from the east is reported from Fort Canby.

Forecast made at San Francisco for thirty hours ending midnight, November 10, 1898:

Northern California—Fair Thursday; light northerly wind.

Southern California—Fair Thursday; light variable winds.

Nevada—Fair Thursday.

Utah—Fair Thursday.

Arizona—Fair Thursday.

San Francisco and vicinity—Fair Thursday; light northerly wind.

Special report from Mount Tamalpais—Clear; wind northwest, 9 miles; temperature, 54; maximum temperature, 60.

G. H. WILLSON,
Local Forecast Official.

EASTERN MARKETS.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The market was very active and decidedly irregular during the morning session on the Stock Exchange and at one time the list took on quite uniform evidences of strength and even buoyancy. But by 12:30 o'clock the demand for securities seemed satisfied and the market fell into dullness and a somewhat reactionary tendency, which hoisted to the clouds. London, in spite of the dullness and heaviness of the general market, had confidently marked up prices of Americans yesterday and to-day while the New York Exchange was not in session. The British interpretation and understanding of the American elections, always more or less obscure and confused, probably prompted them to do this. The opening here did not fully respond, prices showing below the London parity. The international arbitrage brokers seized this opportunity to cover sales made at a higher level in London. A number of the internationals sagged quite sharply immediately after the opening, notably St. Paul, New York Central and the Pacifics. The buying for London account was the determining factor in rallying these stocks and carrying the whole market to a higher level. Even sugar, which opened down a point, scored a full recovery.

The commission houses are busy with buying and selling orders and large operators actively bid up their favorites. With the cessation of London buying about noon and with a renewed break in sugar, which had proved a heavy load to carry all morning, prices began to drop off, the decline in the railroads ranging all the way from a fraction to 1½ per cent. In the market leaders among the railroads, however, there was little effect produced either by the above factors or by the late weakness in Manhattan, which fell 2⅝. Sugar continued its downward course to the extent of 3¼ points and closed near the lowest. The announcement of the cut in the product and the output of new refineries coming to the market was the cause of the weakness, and the bears were also active, judging from the high loaning rate for the stock. The weakness of Manhattan was associated with the stockholders' annual meeting, although the yearly statement of earnings, showing 4.16 per cent earned for the stock, was better than Wall street had expected. In the railroad list, however, the closing was generally steady and at net gains, which reached a point in some cases.

The bond market continued active and strong and the 4 per cent issue added to the notably active list were the Louisville unified bonds and the Kansas and Texas, St. Louis and San Francisco and Denver and Rio Grande. A number of the speculative bonds, including the Atchison adjustments, the Oregon Short Line income issues and the Texas and Pacific seconds, were also active and strong. Total sales, $5,715,000.

United States new 4's, the old 4's registered and the 3's coupon advanced ⅛, while the 2's declined ¼ and the 5's coupon ⅛ per cent in the bid price.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 499,700 shares, including: Atchison preferred, 40,395; Burlington, 17,390; Denver and Rio Grande preferred, 4228; Louisville and Nashville, 23,220; Manhattan, 29,540; Metropolitan, 13,418; Northern Pacific, 21,720; do preferred, 4620; Rock Island, 21,085; Union Pacific, 8840; do preferred, 24,869; St. Paul, 57,260; Southern Railway preferred, 14,275; Tobacco, 20,150; Federal Steel, 7594; do preferred, 13,595; People's Gas, 9245; Pullman, 3571; Sugar, 62,503; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 12,580; Rubber, 3805.

CLOSING STOCKS.

Atchison	13	Do pref	63
Do pref	37¼	Do 2d pref	30
Baltimore & Ohio	45¾	St L & S F W	1
Canada Pacific	82¼	Do pref	12½
Canada Southern	53⅞	St Paul	111
Cent Pac	26	Do pref	161½
Ches & Ohio	22⅛	St P & Om	82½
Chi & Alton	152	Do pref	161
Chi B & Q	116½	St M & M	170
Chi C & I	53	Pacific	23½
Do pref	106	So Railway	8⅝
Chi G W	14¼	Do pref	35⅝
Chi Ind & L	7¼	Texas & Pacific	13⅝
Do pref	25	Union Pacific	22¼
Chi & N W	134½	Do pref	65½
Do pref	174	U P D & G	5¾
C C C & St L	39¾	Wabash	7½
Do pref	86	Do pref	20⅝
Del & Hudson	98⅝	Wheel & L E	3
Del L & W	141	Do pref	16¾
Del & Rio G	13¼	Express Companies—	
Do pref	56⅛	Adams Ex	109
Erie (new)	12½	American Ex	149
Do 1st pref	32¾	United States	43
Fort Wayne	174	Wells Fargo	121
Gt Nor pref	139½	Miscellaneous—	
Hocking Val	2¾	A Cot Oil	36¾
Illinois Cent	109½	Do pref	87½
Lake Erie & W	13½	Am Spirits	10¾
Do pref	61¾	Do pref	33
Lake Shore	162¼	Am Tobacco	139¼
Louis & Nash	59½	Do pref	155½
Manhattan L	93⅞	Con Gas	184
Met St Ry	168	Com Cable Co	179
Mich Cent	107½	Col F & Iron	23½
Minn & St L	26¾	Do pref	80
Do 1st pref	90¼	Gen Electric	80
Mo Pacific	39	Haw Com Co	58
Mobile & Ohio	24¾	Illinois Steel	101
Mo K & T	10⅝	Intl Paper	50½
Do pref	32¾	Do pref	88
N J Central	86¾	La Clede Gas	48
N Y Central	115¾	Lead	32½
N Y Chi & St L	12	Do pref	110½
Do 1st pref	70	Minn Iron	137
Do 2d pref	33½	Nat Lin Oil	56
Nor West	13	Pacific Mail	38½
No Amer Co	6¼	People's Gas	104
No Pacific	40⅝	Pullman Pal	133½
Do pref	76½	Silver Certificates	60½
Ontario & W	14½	Stand R & T	7¼
Or R & Nav	53	Sugar	112¾
Or Short Line	28¼	Do pref	110
Pac C 1st pref	78	T C & Iron	30
Do 2d pref	58	U S Leather	6¼
Pittsburg	174	Do pref	66¼
Reading	16	U S Rubber	41
Do 1st pref	38½	Do pref	93½
R G W	27	West Union	92½
Do pref	60	Fed Steel Co	31¾
Rock Island	104	Do pref	76⅞
St Louis & S F	7¾		

CLOSING BONDS.

U S 2s	103½	N J C 5s	118⅞
U S new 4s reg	127½	N Carolina 6s	126
Do coupon	127½	Do 4s	103
U S 4s	111⅝	No Pac 1sts	117
Do coupon	113	Do 6s	109¾
Do 2ds	96½	Do 4s	101½
U S 5s reg	112½	N Y C & St L 4s	108
Do 5s, coupon	113	Nor & W 6s	120
District 3 65s	118⅛	N Western consols	141½
Ala class A	108	Do deb 5s	117½
Do B	103	O Nav 1sts	114
Do C	100	O Nav 4s	101
Do currency	100	O S Line 6s, term	128¾
Atchison 4s	97¼	O S Line 5s, term	107½
Do adj 4s	63½	Pacific 6s of 96	102½
Can So 2ds	109	Reading 4s	81⅝
Chicago term	90¾	R G W 1sts	90
C & Ohio 5s	115½	St L & I M con 5s	98
C H & D 4½s	104⅝	S L & S F gen 6s	120¼
D & R G 1sts	108	St P Con	160
D & R G 4s	97½	St P & C P 1sts	119½
East Tenn 1sts	107⅛	Do 5s	118⅝
Erie Gen 4s	69¾	So Ry 5s	101½
F W & D 1sts, tr. rt	77	Standard R & T 6s	80½
Gen Elec 5s	109¼	Term new set 3s	94
G H & S A 6s	105	Tex Pac L G 1sts	109¼
Do 2ds	104	Do reg 2ds	45¼
H & T C 5s	115⅝	Union Pac 1sts	101¼
Do con 6s	110½	U P D & G 1sts	80⅝
Iowa C 1sts	105½	Wabash 1st 5s	111½
La new consols 4s	106	Do 2ds	90
L & N Uni 4s	93	W Shore 4s	110⅝
Missouri 6s	100	Va Centuries	79
M K & T 2ds	64⅝	Do deferred offd	8½
Do 4s	91½	Wis Cent 1sts	60½
N Y Central 1sts	117⅝		

MINING STOCKS.

Chollar	15	Ontario	4 00
Crown Point	11	Ophir	70
Con Cal & Va	80	Plymouth	10
Deadwood	40	Quicksilver	1 25
Gould & Curry	34	Do pref	4 00
Hale & Norcross	1 00	Sierra Nevada	85
Homestake	50 00	Standard	1 75
Iron Silver	67	Union Con	24
Mexican	24	Yellow Jacket	19

BOSTON STOCKS AND BONDS.

Money—		Ed Elec Ill	190
Call loans	2 @3	Gen Elec pfd	161
Time loans	2½@4	Atch prefd	37¼
Stocks—		Bonds—	
Atch, T & S Fe	12⅞	Atchison 4s	96½
Amer Sugar	112⅞	Mining Shares—	
Do prefd	110½	Allouez Mining Co	5
Bay State Gas	2	Atlantic	31½
Bell Tel	279	Boston & Mont	325
Boston & Albany	245	Butte & Boston	52½
Boston & Maine	164	Calumet & Hecla	595
Boston & L	75	Centennial	21
Chi, Bur & Q	116½	Franklin	15
Fitchburg	105½	Old Dominion	35¼
Gen Electric	81	Osceola	68¾
Mex Central	4⅝	Quincy	125
Old Colony	194	Tamarack	175
Rubber	41	Wolverine	32
Union Pacific	32½	Parrott	24
West End	88	Humboldt	4¾
Westingh Elec	34		

THE LONDON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says:

The stock markets here opened good on the better political outlook and lapsed on the rise in the German bank rate, but finally closed good. The Premier's speech to-night has been freely discussed in anticipation, but the stock exchange expectation is either that no important announcement will be made or else that it will be a generally favorable speech. The settlement shows a small account, and although money was comparatively high, contangoes were moderate because of a shortness in the supply of stocks. Contangoes on Americans were about 5 cents. Americans were strong on the reported Republican successes in the elections.

There was buying both for English account and for the Continent. The activity in the Berlin Bourse was checked, however, by the rise in the German bank rate, which is now at the highest point since the Baring crisis in 1890. Copper stocks were booming, the buying being largely from Paris and being based on the statistical position of copper. Spanish exchange has fallen sharply to 35, against 38 last week.

CLOSING.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Canadian Pacific, 84¾; Grand Trunk, 6⅝; bar silver dull, 27⅞d; money, 2½@3 per cent; Spanish 4's closed at 41.78.

PARIS, Nov. 9.—Spanish 4's closed at 42.23½.

NEW YORK GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—FLOUR—Receipts, 66,483 barrels; exports, 21,013 barrels. Moderately active and steady.

WHEAT—Receipts, 512,050 bushels; exports, 379,352 bushels. Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 75⅞c f. o. b. afloat. Options opened firm on better cables and moderate foreign buying. For the rest of the day the trade was quiet, but bullish enough to sustain prices strongly. A good export trade developed, world's stocks increased less than expected and clearances were fairly closed ½@¾c net higher; No. 2 May, 71¼@71⅝c, closed 71½c.

HOPS—Strong.

METALS—Following yesterday's holiday, the market was purposeless for the most part today. While the list was steady in tone, business dragged in an unusual manner. At the close the Metal Exchange called:

PIGIRON—Warrants very quiet, with $7 bid and $7 25 asked.

LAKE COPPER—Firm, with $12 62½ bid and $12 75 asked.

TIN—Quiet, with $18 30 bid and $18 50 asked.

LEAD—Quiet and steady; brokers, $3 50; exchange, $3 72½@3 77½. The firm naming the settling price for leading miners and smelters at the West quoted Lead to-day at $3 50.

COFFEE—Options closed quiet with prices net, unchanged. Sales, 20,500 bags, including: November, $5 15; December, $5 35@5 40; January, $5 50; March, $5 70@5 75; May, $5 85; July, $5 90@6. Spot Coffee—Rio steady and more active; No. 7 invoice, 6c; No. 7 jobbing, 6½c. Mild—Steady, with increasing demand; Cordova, 8@15c.

SUGAR—Raw, firm but quiet; fair refining, 3 13-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses, 3 9-16c. Refined—Quiet but steady.

BUTTER—Receipts, 11,534 packages. Steady. Western creameries, 15½@23c; Elgins, 23c; factory, 11½@14½c.

EGGS—Receipts, 8779 packages. Steady. Western, 23c.

DRIED FRUITS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—California Dried Fruits generally steady.

EVAPORATED APPLES—Common, 7@3c per pound; prime wire tray, 7½@7¾c; choice, 7¾@8c; fancy, 8½c.

PRUNES—5¼@9c per pound, as to size and quality.

APRICOTS—Royal, 11@14c; Moorpark, 13@17c per pound.

PEACHES—Unpeeled, 8½@11c; peeled, 18@20c per pound.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—There was plenty of news of a bullish character at the opening in wheat to justify the ¼c advance with which that market started. The opening price for May was 66⅝@66½c. It weakened a trifle shortly after the opening, a few sales being made at 66½@66⅝c. But this was only temporary. Under a fairly strong demand from shorts and a moderate amount of investment buying the price advanced pretty steadily for over an hour, finally getting up to 67c. There was a marked scarcity of offerings during this time, but at the best the demand was only moderate. The strength was mostly due to an advance at Liverpool of 1⅛@1¼d over Monday's figures, and notwithstanding the fact that English consols were strong, traders looked upon the Liverpool advance as an indication of uneasiness over the political situation. Their belief was strengthened by intimations that Lord Salisbury's speech to-night would be sensational. Broomhall cabled that the strength at Liverpool was partly due to scarcity of spot wheat. After the advance to 67c the market became exceptionally dull, though the price was well maintained for some time. During the afternoon, however, it eased off somewhat, though no weakness developed. May closed ⅝@½c advance.

Corn was slow but firm. There was a good cash demand and this with the wet weather and higher cables made bears cautious. Heavy shorts were good buyers, demand from this source being the feature of the trading. May closed ⅛@¼c higher. The market for oats was uneventful. Prices were steady at a small advance, bid from the Illinois and sympathy with wheat and corn being the leading factors. Trading was very small and price fluctuations insignificant. Receipts were 363 cars. May advanced ¾c.

Provisions were dull and heavy throughout. A decline in hog prices started the market at a small decline and moderate selling pressure from packers with no demand of consequence forced prices steadily downward. The market was at its weak spot at the close.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat No. 2—				
November	....	....	....	65½
December	65¾	66⅛	66⅝	66⅝
May	66½	67	66⅝	66¾
Corn No. 2—				
November	31¾	32	31¾	31¾
December	32⅛	32¼	32	32⅛
May	33⅞	34⅛	33⅞	33⅞
Oats No. 2—				
December	24	24	24	24
May	24¾	24⅞	24⅝	24¾
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
December	8 87½	7 87½	7 80	7 82½
January	9 00	9 00	8 87½	8 90
Lard, per 100 lbs—				
December	4 32½	4 32½	4 87½	4 87½
January	4 97½	5 00	4 92½	4 92½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs—				
December	4 55	4 55	4 55	4 55
January	4 62½	4 62½	4 57½	4 60

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, dull and easy; No. 3 Spring Wheat, 61@64¾c; No. 2 Red, 67¼@67¾c; No. 2 Corn, 32¼c; No. 2 Oats, 24½c; No. 3 White, 25¼@27½c; No. 2 Rye, 51½c; No. 2 Barley, 35@49c; No. 1 Flaxseed, 97c; Prime Timothy Seed, $2 25@2 30; Mess Pork, per barrel, $7 80@7 85; Lard, per 100 pounds, $4 92½@5; Short Ribs Sides (loose), $4 90@5 15; Dry Salted Shoulders (boxed), 4 37½@4 62½; Short Clear Sides (boxed), $4 85@4 95; Whiskey, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 25; Sugars, Cut Loaf, unchanged.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	37,000	35,000
Wheat, bushels	466,000	256,000
Corn, bushels	106,500	1,308,000
Oats, bushels	799,000	450,000
Rye, bushels	69,000	147,000
Barley, bushels	338,000	27,000

On the Produce Exchange to-day the Butter market was steady; Creameries, 14@21½c; Dairies, 12½@19c. Cheese, quiet, 7¾@9¾c. Eggs, firm; fresh, 17@18½c.

WHEAT MOVEMENTS.

Cities—	Receipts. Bushels.	Shipments. Bushels.
Minneapolis	776,940	126,400
Duluth	1,826,266	810,828
Milwaukee	200,850	104,700
Chicago	466,425	426,483
Toledo	67,042	24,000
St. Louis	156,000	44,300
Detroit	28,472	1,969
Kansas City	157,500	28,500
Totals	3,178,511	1,561,877
Tidewater—		
Boston	72,514	64,724
New York	612,050	379,352
Philadelphia	188,359	45,810
Baltimore	74,380	.....
New Orleans	.....	.....
Galveston	114,816	.....
Totals	762,219	489,686

LIVERPOOL FUTURES.

Wheat—	Dec.	Mar.
Opening	6 1⅝	5 11⅝
Closing	6 1½	5 11⅛

PARIS FUTURES.

Flour—	Oct.	Jan.-Apl.
Opening	47 35	46 10
Closing	47 30	46 00
Wheat—		
Opening	21 70	21 45
Closing	21 60	21 30

EASTERN LIVESTOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Receipts were heavy in cattle to-day and buyers forced prices down, sales being slow at reductions of from 10c to 20c. Sales were on a basis of $3 90@4 25 for very common native beef steers up to $5@8 50 for good to strictly choice shipping beeves, with the bulk of the cattle going for $4 75@5 55. The average quality was only fair. There was a fair stocker and feeder trade at easier prices, and butchers and canners were fairly active at the reduced prices. Calves, $4@6 75; Texans, $3 40@3 70; Western range, $3 55@4 30 for steers.

HOGS—Were unexpectedly heavy and prices were 5@10c lower. Hogs sold at an extreme range of $3 15@3 55, prime heavy going at the top and sales were largely at $3 40@3 55. This was the lowest day of the season. Pigs sold at $2 40@3 55.

SHEEP—Offerings of sheep and lambs were large, but a good demand prevented any general break in prices, though undesirable lots were weak. Sheep sold all the way from $2 25@2 75 for inferior lots up to $4 25@4 50 for good to choice flocks, Westerns fetching $3 50@4 45 and yearlings $4 40@4 50. Lambs, $4@4 50 for common up to $5 40@5 65 for the best, range flocks fetching $4 50@5 25.

Receipts—Cattle, 22,000; hogs, 40,000; sheep, 18,000.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000. Market slow at 5@10c lower. Native steers, $4@5 30; Texas steers, $2 90@4 75; Texas cows, $1 85@3; native cows and heifers, $1 50@4; stockers and feeders, $3 10@4 25; bulls, $2 70@3 75.

HOGS—Receipts, 16,000. Market weak to 10c lower; dull. Bulk of sales, $3 45@3 55; heavies, $3 45@3 60; packers, $3 40@3 55; mixed, $3 35@3 55; lights, $3 20@3 45; yorkers, $3 40@3 45; pigs, $3 10@3 30.

SHEEP—Receipts, 6000. Market steady. Lambs, $4@5 15; muttons, $3@4.

OMAHA.

OMAHA, Nebr., Nov. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3000. Market slow to 10c lower. Native beef steers, $4@5 30; Western steers, $3 75@4 20; Texas steers, $3 50@3 90; cows and heifers, $3@3 90; stockers and feeders, $3 30@4 40.

HOGS—Receipts, 7300. Market 5@10c lower. Heavy, $3 40@3 47; bulk of sales, $3 42½@3 47½.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4300. Market steady. Native muttons, $3 80@4 40; Westerns, $3 70@4 25; lambs, $4 50@5 30.

THE BOSTON WOOL MARKET.

BOSTON, Nov. 9.—The improvement noted in the wool market here the last week has continued and the sales in this market are reported at over 12,000,000 pounds, the bulk of which has gone to manufacturers. The majority of sales are largely of territory grades. The prices obtained range all the way from the basis of 43@46c for scoured fine medium and fine and 47@50c for staple. Fleece wools also met with some sales. Quotations: Territory wools—Montana fine medium and fine, 14@17c; scoured, 48@50c; staple, 48@50c. Utah, Wyoming, etc., fine medium and fine, 14@15c; scoured, 44@45c; staple, 47@48c. Australian—Scoured basis, combing superfine, 70@72c; good, 65@68c; average, 62@65c.

The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say to-morrow of the wool market:

There has been a good business transacted in the wool market during the past week, although the sales are considerably less than the very large total reported during the preceding week. There has, however, been considerable looking around, and as a result we are able to report sales of 4,280,500 pounds. The market, aside from these negotiations, has been fairly active, especially on territories, which are more sought for than any other line of domestic wools.

The tone of the market, so far as prices are concerned, is now quite steady on the basis of prices given last week. It is a mistake to suppose that there is any demoralization in the wool market or that any great slump in values has occurred. The sales of the week in Boston amount to 3,490,000 pounds domestic and 790,500 foreign, making a total of 4,280,500 pounds, against a total of 9,059,600 for the previous week and a total of 5,137,000 for the corresponding week last year. Sales since January 1, 1898, amount to 106,806,010 pounds, against 338,696,100 last year at this time.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT SALES.

The Earl Fruit Company realized the following prices for California fruit sold at auction to-day:

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 9.—Winter Nelis Pears, $2 06; Red Emperor, $1 32@1 65; Emperor, $1 46@1 80.

BOSTON, Nov. 9.—Emperor, $1 51; Clusters, $2 40; Red Emperors, $1 60.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Red Emperors, $1 75; Emperors, $1 65; Clusters, $2 10. Two cars sold.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Tokay, $1 30@2 55, average $1 95; double crates, $2 70@3 65, average $3 08; Cornichon, $1 35@1 80, average $1 58; double crates, $2 70@3 25, average $3 06; Muscat, $1@1 70, average $1 11; Verdelle, $1 40@1 60, average $1 50; Black Morocco, $2 80@5 15, average $4 20; Pears—Morceau, $1 55@2 45, average $1 86. Favorable weather. Six cars sold.

Earlier Brothers Company's California fruit sales:

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Grapes—Cornichon, $2 40, double crates; $1 45@1 55, single; Tokays, $2@2 25 double, and $1@1 35 single.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Grapes—Tokay, $2 60@2 90 double crate and $1 25@1 45 single; Cornichon, $1 25@1 30 single crate.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF CEREALS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Special cables and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's indicate the following changes in the visible supplies last Saturday, as compared with the preceding Saturday:

Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase, 2,066,000 bushels.

Liverpool Corn Trade News reports afloat for and in Europe, increase, 1,000,000 bushels; total increase, 3,066,000.

Corn, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 1,099,000 bushels.

Oats, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 695,000 bushels.

The aggregate stocks of wheat held at Portland, Or., and Tacoma and Seattle, Wash., show a decrease of 206,000 bushels for the week.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Consols, 109⅞; silver, 27⅞d; French rentes, 101f 87½c; wheat cargoes off coast, buyers and sellers apart; cargoes on passage, quiet; Walla Walla, 29s 4½d; English country markets, generally 6d cheaper.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 9.—WHEAT — Steady; wheat in Paris, quiet; flour in Paris, steady; French country markets, quiet.

COTTON—Uplands, 3d.

CLOSING.

WHEAT—Spot No. 1 red Northern spring steady, 6s 3½d.

CORN—American mixed firm, 3s 11d; November steady, 3s 10⅝d; December steady, 3s 9¼d; March, 3s 7⅝d. Futures closed firm; December, 6s 1½d; March, 5s 11½d.

NORTHERN WHEAT MARKET.

OREGON.

PORTLAND, Nov. 9.—WHEAT—Unchanged; Walla Walla, 60@61c; valley and bluestem, 63@64c.

WASHINGTON.

TACOMA, Nov. 9.—WHEAT—Club, 60c; bluestem, 64c.

PORTLAND'S BUSINESS.

PORTLAND, Nov. 9.—Exchanges, $279,318; balances, $31,932.

LOCAL MARKETS.

EXCHANGE AND BULLION.

Sterling Exchange, 60 days	—	$4 83¾
Sterling Exchange, sight	—	4 86¾
Sterling Cables	—	4 87½
New York Exchange, sight	—	15
New York Exchange, telegraphic	—	17½
Fine Silver, per ounce	—	60⅛
Mexican Dollars	—	47½

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS.

WHEAT—The feeling was firmer and futures advanced somewhat.

Spot Wheat—Shipping, $1 20@1 22½; milling, $1 25@1 26½.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Informal session—9:15 o'clock—May—6000 ctls, $1 25½; 6000, $1 25⅝.

Second session—December—20,000 ctls, $1 21⅜; 6000, $1 21¼. May—8000, $1 25⅝; 2000, $1 25¼.

Regular morning session—December—2000 ctls, $1 21¼; 6000, $1 21¼; 2000, $1 21⅜. May—16,000, $1 25¼.

Afternoon session—December — 14,000 ctls, $1 21¼. May—6000, $1 25½; 18,000, $1 25⅝.

BARLEY—The market was slow but firm at a fractional advance.

Feed, $1 25@1 30; Brewing, $1 32½@1 40 per ctl.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Informal session—9:15 o'clock—No sales.

Second session—No sales.

Regular morning session—December—6000 ctls, $1 22½.

Afternoon session—No sales.

OATS—There is a fair demand at unchanged quotations.

Fancy Feed, $1 27½@1 30 per ctl; good to choice, $1 22½@1 25; common, $1 17½@1 20; Surprise, $1 35@1 42½; Gray, $1 20@1 22½; milling, $1 25@1 30 per ctl; Red, $1 40@1 47½; Black, $1 60@1 70.

CORN—The demand is slack. No change in prices.

Small round yellow, $1 15; Eastern large yellow, $1 02½@1 05; white, $1 05; mixed, $1@1 02½ per ctl; California White, $1 05@1 07½.

RYE—California, $1 20@1 22½; Eastern, $1 17½ per ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Eastern is quoted at $1 75 per ctl.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

Shipment of 1150 bbls Flour to Liverpool.

FLOUR—Family extras, $4 15@4 25; bakers' extras, $4 per bbl.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade: Graham Flour, $3 25 per 100 lbs; Rye Flour, $2 75 per 100; Rice Flour, $7; Cornmeal, $2 50; extra cream Cornmeal, $3 25; Oatmeal, $4 25; Oat Groats, $4 50; Hominy, $3 25@3 50; Buckwheat Flour, $4@4 25; Cracked Wheat, $3 75; Farina, $4 50; Whole Wheat Flour, $3 50; Rolled Oats (barrels), $5 85@6 25; in sacks, $5 65@6 05; Pearl Barley, $5; Split Peas, $4 25; Green Peas, $4 50 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

Bran is firm at a further advance. Hay is dull and unchanged with moderate receipts.

BRAN—$15 50@17 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$19@20 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled Barley, $27 per ton; Oilcake Meal at the mill, $31@31 50; jobbing, $32@32 50; Cocoanut Cake, $24@25; Cottonseed Meal, $23@30 per ton; Cornmeal, $23 50@24 50; Cracked Corn, $24@25.

CALIFORNIA HAY—Wheat, $16@18 50 for good to choice and $14@15 50 for lower grades; no fancy coming in; Wheat and Oat, $15@17 50; Oat, $14@15 50; Island Barley, $12 50@13 50; alfalfa, $10@11; Stock, $11@12; Clover, nominal.

OUTSIDE HAY—(From Oregon, Utah, etc.)—Timothy, $13 per ton.

STRAW—50@75c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

All descriptions under this head remain unchanged.

BEANS—Bayos, $1 90@2; Small Whites, $2 10@2 15; Large Whites, $1 60@1 75; Pinks, $1 90@2 05; Reds, $3 25; Blackeye, $3 40@3 50; Butters, nominal; Limas, $3 25@3 35; Peas, $2 10@2 20; Red Kidneys, $2 25@2 40 per ctl.

SEEDS—Brown Mustard, $4 50 per ctl; Yellow Mustard, $4 25; Flax, $2@2 10; Canary Seed, 2¼@2¾c per lb; Alfalfa, 7@7½c; Rape, 2¼@2¾c; Hemp, 2¾@3c; Timothy, 5@5½c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1 25@1 40; Green, $1 50@1 75 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS AND VEGETABLES.

Potatoes show some change. Vegetables are flat.

POTATOES—30@45c for Early Rose and 35@55c for River Burbanks; Salinas Burbanks, 75c@$1 05; Oregon, 60@90c; Sweet Potatoes, 50@75c for nearby and $1@1 25 for Merced; New Potatoes, 2@3c per lb.

ONIONS—30@45c per ctl; Pickle Onions, 35@50c per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Green Peas, 2@3c; String Beans, 1½@3c; Lima Beans, 75c@$1 25 per sack; Bay Squash, 25@40c; Green Peppers, 25@50c; Cabbage, 40@50c; Tomatoes, 35@50c; Garlic, 4c per lb; Green Okra, 25@50c per box; Cucumbers, 35@50c; Dried Okra, 10c per lb; Egg Plant, 25@50c per box; Marrowfat Squash, $8@10 per ton.

EVAPORATED VEGETABLES — Potatoes, sliced, raw, 12c per lb in lots of 25 lbs; sliced, desiccated, 16@18c; granulated, raw, 13c; Onions, 60c; Carrots, old, 13c; new, 15c; Cabbage, 30c; Sweet Potatoes, 80c; Turnips, 25c; String Beans, 30c; Tomatoes, 50c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

The regular inflow of Eastern Poultry has been checked by a railroad accident, and it is hard to say when any more will be received. The local stock is rather steadier in consequence.

Game is weak and dull with an over supply of Quail.

POULTRY—Dressed Turkeys, 16@18c; live Turkeys, 14@15c for Gobblers and 13@14c for Hens; Geese, per pair, $1 25@1 50; Goslings, $1 25@1 50; Ducks, $4@5 for old and $4@6 for young; Hens, $3 50@5 50; Roosters, young, $4 50@5; Roosters, old, $4@4 50; Fryers, $4; Broilers, $3 50 for large, $3 for small; Pigeons, $1@1 25 per dozen for old and $1 50@1 75 for squabs.

GAME—

Quail, $1@1 75; Mallard, $