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## SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

*Silver higher. Exchange about the same.*
*Wheat continues very firm.*
*Barley stronger, with an Eastern movement predicted.*
*Heavy transfers of Oats reported.*
*Corn and Rye steady, but unchanged.*
*Hay steadier under lighter receipts. Feedstuffs still weak.*
*Flaxseed coming in heavily from the north. Beans dull.*
*Potatoes weak and Onions easier.*
*Large receipts of Poultry from the Western States.*
*Game in reduced receipt and firmer.*
*Fine Butter and Eggs less depressed. Cheese steady.*
*Apples and Pears firm and Oranges and Limes weak.*
*Dealers report a normal demand for Dried Fruits.*
*Provisions advanced again at Chicago.*
*No further change in Cattle, Sheep or Hogs.*
*Declining freights may affect Coal prices.*
*Moderate sales of local stocks and bonds.*
*New quotations for Candles.*

### Quicksilver Exports.

Shipments of quicksilver from this port by sea during the month of November were 350 flasks, valued at $15,750, making the total shipments since January 1 5208 flasks, valued at $231,351.

### Internal Revenue.

Receipts of internal revenue in this district during the month of November were as follows: Beer, $83,654; spirits, $92,039; tobacco, $24,064; documentary stamps, $18,373; proprietary stamps, $5539; miscellaneous, $21,081; total collections, $244,750, against $293,905 during November, 1900. Since January 1 these collections amount to $3,454,140, against $3,751,-814 during the same period in 1900.

### Exports of Wine and Brandy.

Wine—Exports of wine from this port in November were 115,736 gallons and 2652 cases valued at $53,423, making the total exports since January 1 4,869,521 gallons and 10,955 cases, valued at $1,757,151.

Brandy—Exports of brandy were very light this month, being only 7 cases and 32 gallons, valued at $86. The total exports since January 1 were 49 cases and 4343 gallons, valued at $4598.

### Exports of Flour and Grain.

Flour—Exports of flour from this port during the month of November were 67,158 bbls, valued at $204,599, against 108,706 bbls, valued at $359,353 in November, 1900. The total exports since the first of the crop year, commencing July 1, were 520,228 bbls, valued at $1,582,763, against 367,553 bbls, valued at $1,211,-228 during the same period in 1900.

Wheat—Exports of wheat during November were 1,130,582 ctls, valued at $1,142,492, against 642,928 ctls, valued at $664,658, in November, 1900. Since July 1 these exports amount to 3,048,766 ctls, valued at $3,034,524, against 2,319,965 ctls, valued at $2,450,900, from July 1 to December 1, 1900.

Barley—The exports of barley during November were 739,944 ctls, valued at $670,091, against 60,833 ctls, valued at $52,337, during November, 1900. From July 1 to December 1 the exports amount to 2,899,414 ctls, valued at $2,656,639, against 1,355,800 ctls, valued at $1,213,424, during the same period in 1900.

### Trade Outlook.

PROSPECTS AS VIEWED IN WALL STREET.

The New York circular of Henry Clews says: "Stock market speculation has been erratic and uncertain. Some specialties scored further advances, while others reacted from high figures, and the entire market was more or less adversely influenced by unfavorable developments connected with Amalgamated Copper. On the other hand, the remarkable strength of the Vanderbilt shares and the belief that important steps were in progress looking toward the consolidation of these properties served as an important stimulant. Easy money, cessation of gold exports and continued good railroad earnings also served to aid the manipulation for higher prices. Whether the present effort to create a bull market will succeed or not we do not intend to predict, there being much to be said on both sides. With an abundant supply of loanable funds and continued prosperity, it may be possible to carry the market to a higher level considering that stocks are so highly concentrated. No doubt a strenuous effort will be made to anticipate the January disbursements, which will be very heavy and likely to aid such a movement. But, while it would be folly to underrate the ability or the determination of the big leaders to lift the market, and the fact that many conditions are in their favor, it is also very necessary to remember that circumstances are much more contradictory than a year ago. Prices are already exceedingly high, in many cases the highest on record. A number of stocks are selling not on what returns they do earn, but on what returns they may earn, regardless of the fact that the present wave of prosperity cannot continue much longer without reaction. In fact, it is a question whether prosperity has not been nearly discounted. Money continues very easy, partly owing to the return of funds from the interior. Gold exports seem to have been checked and the necessities of Europe temporarily satisfied. A better supply of cotton bills also tended to check gold shipments. London, however, is generally a seller on the advances in this market and Europe is neither able nor willing to enlarge its investments in this country. In view, therefore, of the continued shut-off in the supplies of gold from South Africa we are still exposed to a demand upon us for gold. Fortunately we are well able to supply this demand, so it need cause no concern; only it is well to remember that gold exports are not generally utilized as bull arguments. Our export trade continues to show ample trade balances, but exports have in several months fallen below last year's heavy totals, and our imports are steadily rising. Adversity abroad and prosperity at home may seem very comforting, but such conditions are not conducive to the large trade balances which have been such a stimulus during the last few years. In the present situation there is nothing on which to build any great hope for higher prices. The latter are already as high as natural conditions warrant, and, as said above, prosperity has been amply discounted, while the effect of adverse influences was warded off by artificial support last summer. The market is still in very powerful control; it is quite possible that the leaders, with unlimited resources behind them, with easy money and January disbursements to come, and with the public imagination easily fired by the great deals which are in progress, will be able to lift values to a still higher level. This will afford an excellent basis for trading; but we advise caution in making purchases and suggest profit-taking on all pronounced rallies.

### Weather Report.

(120th Meridian—Pacific Time.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4—5 p. m.

The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfalls in last twenty-four hours:

| Stations— | Last 24 Hours. | This Season. | Last Season. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Eureka | .02 | 13.03 | 15.41 |
| Red Bluff | .06 | 9.07 | 6.74 |
| Sacramento | .16 | 5.89 | 6.34 |
| San Francisco | .08 | 5.52 | 5.85 |
| Fresno | Trace | 2.09 | 5.10 |
| Independence | .01 | 1.34 | 2.18 |
| San Luis Obispo | .00 | 4.44 | 9.94 |
| Los Angeles | .00 | 2.44 | 6.79 |
| San Diego | .00 | .75 | 1.73 |

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 59; minimum, 53; mean, 56.

The following maximum and minimum temperatures were reported from Eastern States:

Boston, 36-20; Cincinnati, 34-22; Washington, 46-26; Jacksonville, 68-48; Kansas City, 36-26; New York, 58-38; Omaha, 28-22; Duluth, 20-8; Salt Lake City, 50-44; Chicago, 30-24; St. Louis, 38-28; Philadelphia, 40-22.

THE COAST RECORD.

| STATIONS. | Barometer. | Maximum Tem. | Minimum Tem. | Direction of Wind. | State of Weather. | Precipitat'n |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Astoria | 30.08 | 48 | 42 | SW | Cloudy | .24 |
| Baker | 30.14 | 42 | 36 | NE | Cloudy | .04 |
| Carson | 30.04 | 58 | 36 | NW | Cloudy | .50 |
| Eureka | 30.16 | 54 | 46 | ..... | Cloudy | .02 |
| Fresno | 30.08 | 66 | 52 | NW | Clear | .00 |
| Flagstaff | 30.16 | 56 | 20 | SW | Clear | .00 |
| Pocatello, Idaho | 30.12 | 44 | 40 | ..... | Clear | .56 |
| Independence | 29.96 | 66 | 34 | SE | Pt.Cldy | .01 |
| Los Angeles | 30.04 | 68 | 48 | W | Cloudy | .00 |
| Phoenix | 30.00 | 78 | 42 | N | Clear | .00 |
| Portland | 30.12 | 48 | 42 | S | Cloudy | .08 |
| Red Bluff | 30.14 | 56 | 50 | N | Cloudy | .06 |
| Roseburg | 30.14 | 52 | 46 | NW | Cloudy | .46 |
| Sacramento | 30.12 | 60 | 52 | NW | Pt.Cldy | .16 |
| Salt Lake | 30.12 | 50 | 44 | N | Clear | .10 |
| San Francisco | 30.14 | 60 | 54 | W | Clear | .08 |
| San Luis Obispo | 30.10 | 70 | 52 | N | Clear | .00 |
| San Diego | 30.00 | 60 | 52 | NW | Cloudy | .00 |
| Seattle | 30.10 | 46 | 42 | S | Cloudy | .57 |
| Spokane | 30.12 | 46 | 38 | SW | Cloudy | .08 |
| Neah Bay | .... | .. | 44 | ..... | ...... | ... |
| Walla Walla | 30.14 | 50 | 42 | E | Cloudy | .02 |
| Winnemucca | 30.06 | 48 | 42 | S | Cloudy | .04 |
| Yuma | 29.98 | 82 | 44 | E | Clear | .00 |

Temperature—7 a. m., 54.

WEATHER CONDITIONS AND GENERAL FORECAST.

Generally cloudy weather prevails from Central California northward and light rain has fallen in the western portions of Washington and Oregon. The pressure has risen rapidly over the northern portion of the Pacific slope and has fallen slightly along the central coast of California.

The temperature has fallen in the Sacramento Valley and over Washington, Oregon and Idaho.

Forecast made at San Francisco for thirty hours ending midnight, December 5, 1901:

Northern California—Cloudy in north portion, fair in south portion Thursday; probably showers along the northwest coast; fresh west wind.

Southern California—Fair Thursday, except foggy along the coast at night; fresh west wind.

Nevada—Cloudy Thursday; fresh southwest wind.

San Francisco and vicinity—Partly cloudy Thursday; fresh west wind.

G. H. WILLSON, Local Forecast Official.

## EASTERN MARKETS.

### New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The stock market opened with a firm tone to-day and gathered considerable strength during the course of the day. The rise did not embrace the entire list, however, and the exceptions to the strength were among the very prominent stocks. One stock or a group of stocks and then another were taken up and lifted in price. The dealings in these active stocks were on a very large scale, but the aggregate of the day's dealings indicates that the market was not very broad. The general sentiment among the speculative community was one of satisfaction over the contents of the President's message and over the tone of the comment on that document in the press. The recommendations of the Secretary of the Treasury looking to reform of the banking currency were also viewed with satisfaction in the financial district. The steadier tone of Amalgamated Copper removed an extremely disturbing influence and was a potent factor, though a negative one, in the strength of the market. The trading continued to reflect hesitation, while the course of this stock continued erratic, but when the firm support at about last night's level was perceived the general tone of the market became decidedly more confident. The trading in Amalgamated Copper was still on a very large scale. The stock nearly touched the low record established yesterday for a moment during the morning, but rallied strongly during the latter part of the day and closed with a net gain of 2½. The renewed break in the London copper market was ignored. The fact that no engagements of gold were made for export to-morrow served to relieve some apprehension that the money supplies would grow stringent by the drain to that quarter. The banks have lost to the Sub-Treasury this week upward of $5,000,000, including the payments for the gold exported on Tuesday. But the expected drafts for nearly $4,000,000 of Australian gold, of which the Sub-Treasury was notified over a week ago, have not yet been received. Application has already been made for the withdrawal of $3,000,-000 of Government bonds on deposit to secure national bank circulation, which is the maximum allowed for the month. It is evidently intended to offer these bonds for redemption. The eagerness of the banks to withdraw these bonds, and, in consequence, to reduce their circulation, is evidence that the premium offered by the Government for the redemption of the bonds is the impelling motive rather than the needs of the money market for additional supplies. The monthly statement of the money in circulation in the country by the Treasury Department shows an increase of nearly $5,000,000 during November, in spite of the $18,000,000 of gold exports and a slight decrease in the national bank circulation. Anxiety over the money outlook was therefore not in evidence to-day in spite of a deposit at the Sub-Treasury for transfer to New Orleans of $350,000. The most notable points of strength in the day's market were among the Gould stocks, led by Manhattan, which rose an extreme 4⅝. This stock served as a leader. New York Central was conspicuously strong, as was Pennsylvania. General Electric rose 3¾. There were many gains of 1 to 2 points in the Southwesterns, Grand Trunk, coalers and industrials. Notwithstanding the satisfaction professed over the "trust" paragraphs of the President's message, the transcontinental stocks and United States Steel were laggards in the advance. Great Northern preferred lost 1½ and Northwest 6⅞, with a rally of 3. The market closed slightly irregular, but near the top for many stocks.

Speculative bonds were strong, but there was irregularity in the general list. Total sales, $2,765,000.

United States refunding 2s advanced ¼ and the 3s registered ⅛ per cent on the last call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

| Stocks— | Sales | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison | 16,800 | 80¼ | 79⅜ | 79½ |
| Atchison pfd | 3,300 | 100¾ | 100 | 100¼ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 7,500 | 105 | 104 | 104½ |
| Baltimore & Ohio pfd | 100 | 96 | 96 | 95½ |
| Canadian Pacific | 1,400 | 114¼ | 113⅜ | 114¼ |
| Canada Southern | 1,100 | 86⅜ | 85⅛ | 85⅜ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 1,900 | 49 | 48½ | 48¼ |
| Chicago & Alton | 2,000 | 36⅝ | 36 | 36⅛ |
| Chicago & Alton pfd | 100 | 77⅜ | 77¾ | 77½ |
| Chicago, Ind & Louis | 700 | 48 | 47⅝ | 48 |
| Chicago, Ind & Lou pfd | 100 | 75 | 74¼ | 74¼ |
| Chicago & East Illinois | 1,800 | 138⅜ | 136⅝ | 138⅜ |
| Chicago & Gt Western | 1,600 | 24⅞ | 24 | 24⅛ |
| Chicago & G W A pfd | 100 | 88 | 88 | 87½ |
| Chicago & G W B pfd | 100 | 47 | 47 | 46½ |
| Chicago & Northwestern | 500 | 208 | 205 | 208 |
| Chicago Rock Isd & Pac | 10,000 | 151¼ | 147½ | 151⅜ |
| Chicago Term & Tran | 1,400 | 19½ | 18¼ | 18¼ |
| Chicago Term & T pfd | 2,400 | 35¼ | 33⅜ | 33½ |
| C C C & St Louis | 1,200 | 99 | 97½ | 98¾ |
| Colorado Southern | 1,300 | 14½ | 14½ | 14⅜ |
| Colorado So 1st pfd | 1,500 | 58½ | 58 | 58¼ |
| Colorado So 2d pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 27 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 4,100 | 176¾ | 175 | 176 |
| Delaware Lack & West | 400 | 243 | 242 | 241 |
| Denver & Rio Grande | ..... | .... | .... | 45 |
| Denver & R G pfd | 500 | 94½ | 94 | 94 |
| Erie | 9,900 | 42½ | 41⅞ | 42¼ |
| Erie 1st pfd | 2,500 | 73⅛ | 72¾ | 72⅞ |
| Erie 2d pfd | 800 | 58⅜ | 58¼ | 58¼ |
| Great Northern pfd | 1,100 | 190 | 190 | 189½ |
| Hocking Valley | 1,000 | 64¼ | 63¼ | 63⅜ |
| Hocking Valley pfd | 1,200 | 82½ | 80½ | 81½ |
| Illinois Central | 400 | 139¾ | 139¼ | 139¾ |
| Iowa Central | 500 | 38⅜ | 38 | 38 |
| Iowa Central pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 73 |
| Lake Erie & Western | 200 | 72½ | 72 | 72 |
| Lake Erie & West pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 128 |
| Louisville & Nashville | 7,400 | 109¼ | 108¼ | 108½ |
| Manhattan L | 115,800 | 144¼ | 139¾ | 143⅛ |
| Metropolitan Street Ry | 5,800 | 167¾ | 164¾ | 166 |
| Mexican Central | 300 | 24¼ | 24⅛ | 23⅝ |
| Mexican National | 1,900 | 14⅞ | 14½ | 14⅞ |
| Minneapolis & St Louis | ..... | .... | .... | 106½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 17,200 | 102⅝ | 101⅞ | 103 |
| Missouri Kans & Texas | 100 | 25¾ | 25⅝ | 25¾ |
| Missouri Kns & Tex pfd | 300 | 53 | 52¼ | 52½ |
| New Jersey Central | 100 | 181 | 181 | 179¼ |
| New York Central | 21,600 | 171¼ | 168⅞ | 170⅛ |
| Norfolk & Western | 7,900 | 59⅝ | 59⅛ | 59⅛ |
| Norfolk & Western pfd | 600 | 91⅞ | 91½ | 91 |
| Northern Pacific pfd | 700 | 100½ | 100½ | 100½ |
| Ontario & Western | 6,100 | 35⅝ | 35 | 35¼ |
| Pennsylvania | 10,100 | 151⅛ | 150 | 151⅜ |
| Reading | 25,200 | 50⅝ | 49¾ | 50½ |
| Reading 1st pfd | 4,600 | 80¼ | 79⅞ | 80 |
| Reading 2d pfd | 9,400 | 60⅜ | 59½ | 60 |
| St Louis & San Fran | 800 | 53 | 51¾ | 52⅜ |
| St Louis & S F 1st pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 80½ |
| St Louis & S F 2d pfd | 600 | 71¼ | 70¾ | 71⅛ |
| St Louis Southwestern | 200 | 28¼ | 28¼ | 28 |
| St L Southwestern pfd | 200 | 60 | 59¼ | 59½ |
| St Paul | 18,200 | 168½ | 166⅝ | 167¼ |
| St Paul pfd | 200 | 190 | 190 | 189 |
| Southern Pacific | 9,600 | 60⅞ | 60½ | 60⅝ |
| Southern Railway | 3,600 | 34⅝ | 34 | 34 |
| Southern Railway pfd | 3,200 | 93½ | 93 | 93 |
| Texas & Pacific | 600 | 40¼ | 40 | 40 |
| Toledo St L & West | 100 | 19¾ | 19¾ | 19½ |
| Toledo St L & West pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 32½ |
| Union Pacific | 41,600 | 103⅛ | 102½ | 102⅝ |
| Union Pacific pfd | 1,500 | 90⅛ | 89¾ | 89⅝ |
| Wabash | 19,200 | 22⅝ | 21¾ | 22⅞ |
| Wabash pfd | 14,400 | 41⅞ | 40⅝ | 41¾ |
| Wheeling & Lake Erie | 100 | 18¾ | 18¾ | 18½ |
| Wheeling & L E 2d pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 29 |
| Wisconsin Central | 200 | 21 | 20¾ | 20⅞ |
| Wisconsin Central pfd | 700 | 42⅞ | 42⅜ | 42½ |
| Express Companies— | | | | |
| Adams | ..... | .... | .... | 190 |
| American | 100 | 202 | 202 | 202 |
| United States | 100 | 92 | 92 | 91 |
| Wells Fargo | 100 | 199 | 199 | 190 |
| Miscellaneous— | | | | |
| Amalgamated Copper | 102,900 | 74½ | 71⅝ | 74⅜ |
| American Car & Foun | 1,700 | 29⅝ | 29 | 29 |
| American C & F pfd | 300 | 85⅝ | 85¼ | 85⅜ |
| American Smelt & Ref | 1,800 | 44¼ | 43½ | 44 |
| American S & Ref pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 96½ |
| Anaconda Mining Co | 3,000 | 32 | 30¾ | 31¾ |
| Brooklyn Rapid Trans | 24,200 | 65¾ | 63¼ | 65 |
| Colorado Fuel & Iron | 100 | 92¼ | 92¼ | 91½ |
| Consolidated Gas | 500 | 220 | 219 | 218½ |
| General Electric | 1,600 | 280 | 276 | 278 |
| Glucose Sugar | 700 | 40 | 40 | 39¾ |
| Hocking Coal | 300 | 18¾ | 18½ | 18¼ |
| International Paper | 800 | 21⅜ | 20⅝ | 21⅜ |
| International Paper pfd | 1,800 | 78⅝ | 76¾ | 78¾ |
| International Power | 400 | 91 | 89½ | 89½ |
| Laclede Gas | 100 | 94 | 94 | 93 |
| National Biscuit | 100 | 44¼ | 42¼ | 44⅛ |
| National Lead | 200 | 18½ | 18½ | 18¼ |
| National Salt | ..... | .... | .... | 31 |
| National Salt pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 62 |
| North American | ..... | .... | .... | 92 |
| Pacific Coast | 100 | 77½ | 77½ | 77 |
| Pacific Mail | 900 | 47⅝ | 46¾ | 46½ |
| People's Gas | 6,800 | 100⅝ | 99¾ | 100⅜ |
| Pressed Steel Car | ..... | .... | .... | 42½ |
| Pressed Steel Car pfd | 100 | 85⅞ | 85⅞ | 85½ |
| Pullman Palace Car | ..... | .... | .... | 215 |
| Republic Steel | 200 | 16 | 16 | 15¾ |
| Republic Steel pfd | 400 | 69⅝ | 69½ | 69¼ |
| Sugar | 19,300 | 125½ | 123½ | 123⅞ |
| Tennessee Coal & Iron | 1,500 | 64⅞ | 64¼ | 61 |
| Union Bag & Paper Co | 1,200 | 15⅝ | 15¼ | 15¼ |
| Union Bag & P Co pfd | 800 | 75⅜ | 74⅜ | 75½ |
| United States Leather | 500 | 12⅛ | 12 | 12 |
| United States Lea pfd | 800 | 82⅝ | 82⅜ | 82⅜ |
| United States Rubber | ..... | .... | .... | 15⅛ |
| United States Rub pfd | ..... | .... | .... | 52 |
| United States Steel | 13,400 | 43¼ | 42⅞ | 42⅜ |
| United States Steel pfd | 14,100 | 93⅝ | 93 | 92⅞ |
| Western Union | 400 | 91¾ | 91¼ | 91½ |
| American Locomotive | 10,400 | 33 | 32⅛ | 32⅛ |
| American Locom pfd | 3,800 | 89⅞ | 88½ | 89 |

Total shares sold....735,300

CLOSING BONDS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| U S ref 2s reg | 108½ | L & N Uni 4s | 102¼ |
| U S ref 2s coup | 109 | Mexican Cent 4s | 83½ |
| U S 3s reg | 108⅜ | Mex Cent 1st inc | 31 |
| U S 3s coup | 108⅜ | Minn & St L 4s | 103 |
| U S new 4s reg | 139¼ | Mo, Kans & T 4s | 98¾ |
| U S new 4s coup | 139¼ | Mo K & T 2ds | 81⅝ |
| U S old 4s reg | 111½ | N Y Central 1sts | 105⅞ |
| U S old 4s coup | 112½ | N Y Cent gen 3½s | 109½ |
| U S 5s reg | 107⅛ | N J Cent gen 5s | 131¼ |
| U S 5s coup | 107⅛ | N Pacific 4s | 105⅜ |
| Atchison gen 4s | 103¼ | N Pacific 3s | 72⅞ |
| Atchison adj 4s | 94½ | N & W con 4s | 103 |
| Balt & Ohio 4s | 103⅞ | Reading Gen 4s | 99¼ |
| Balt & Ohio 3½s | 96⅜ | S L & I M con 5s | 116 |
| B & O conv 4s | 105¾ | S L & S F 4s | 97½ |
| Canada So 2ds | 109½ | St L Swestern 1sts | 97 |
| Cent of Ga 5s | 106½ | St L Swestern 2ds | 79¼ |
| Cent of Ga 1st inc | 76¾ | S A & A P 4s | 89¼ |
| Ches & Ohio 4½s | 107⅝ | So Pacific 4s | 92¾ |
| Chgo & Alton 3½s | 86½ | So Railway 5s | 120½ |
| C B & Q new 4s | 98 | Tex & Pac 1sts | 118½ |
| C M & S P gen 4s | 111 | Tol, St L & W 4s | 81 |
| C & NW con 7s | 139 | Union Pac 4s | 106⅜ |
| C R I & P 4s | 106⅞ | Union Pac conv 4s | 106⅛ |
| C C C&S L gen 4s | 102½ | Wabash 1sts | 119 |
| Chgo Terminal 4s | 88½ | Wabash 2ds | 111¾ |
| Colo & So 4s | 89½ | Wabash deb B | 63 |
| Den & R G 4s | 103¼ | West Shore 4s | 114 |
| Erie prior lien 4s | 100½ | Wheel & L E 4s | 91⅞ |
| Erie general 4s | 90½ | Wis Central 4s | 89¼ |
| F W & D C 1sts | 104½ | Con Tobacco 4s | 63½ |
| Hocking Val 4½s | 108¼ | | |

MINING STOCKS.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Adams Con | 18 | Little Chief | 12 |
| Alice | 45 | Ontario | 9 00 |
| Breece | 14 | Ophir | 65 |
| Brunswick Con | 75 | Phoenix | 07 |
| Comstock Tunnel | 06 | Potosi | 02 |
| Con Cal & Va | 1 55 | Savage | 03 |
| Deadwood Terra | 50 | Sierra Nevada | 04 |
| Horn Silver | 1 90 | Small Hopes | 40 |
| Iron Silver | 60 | Standard | 3 80 |
| Leadville Con | 05 | | |

BOSTON STOCKS AND BONDS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Money— | | U S Steel pfd | 92¾ |
| Call loans | 4 @4½ | Westinghse Com | 73 |
| Time loans | 4½@5 | Mining— | |
| Bonds— | | Adventure | 20 |
| Atchison 4s | 102 | Allouez | 4¼ |
| Mexican Cent 4s | 80 | Amalgamated | 74⅛ |
| N E Gas & Coke | 59 | Baltic | 42 |
| Railroads— | | Bingham | 28 |
| Atchison | 79½ | Calumet & Hecla | 645 |
| Atchison pfd | 100⅝ | Centennial | 15½ |
| Boston & Albany | 259 | Copper Range | 63 |
| Boston & Maine | 189 | Dominion Coal | 46⅞ |
| Boston Elevated | 165 | Franklin | 15 |
| N Y, NH & H | 213½ | Isle Royale | 22 |
| Fitchburg pfd | 142¾ | Mohawk | 39 |
| Union Pacific | 102½ | Osceola | 88½ |
| Mexican Central | 23½ | Parrot | 33 |
| Miscellaneous— | | Quincy | 150 |
| American Sugar | 123¾ | Santa Fe Copper | 3½ |
| Am Tel & Tel | 163 | Tamarack | 255 |
| Dom Iron & Steel | 27¼ | Trimountain | 42 |
| General Electric | 278 | Trinity | 24 |
| Mass Electric | 33 | United States | 14½ |
| Mass Elec pfd | 93¼ | Utah | 22 |
| N E Gas & Coke | 5 | Victoria | 6 |
| United Fruit | 87¾ | Winona | 22 |
| U S Steel | 42¾ | Wolverine | 57 |

### London Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The Commercial Advertiser's London fianancial cablegram says:

The stock market to-day was idle and irregular. Americans were neglected. President Roosevelt's mild allusions to trusts in his message reassured but failed to attract buyers. The market is still overshadowed by the copper situation. American shares opened around parities, eased off slightly and then Union Pacific improved on New York's afternoon support, and Pennsylvania, Louisville and Nashville and Erie, owing to New York orders, stiffened on the curb after the close of the exchange. Rio Tintos closed steady. Copper broke to £55 5s the ton.

CLOSING:

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Anaconda, 6⅝; Atchison, 81¼; Atchison preferred, 102¼; Canadian Pacific, 117; Denver and Rio Grande, 46; Denver and Rio Grande preferred, 96¼; Northern Pacific preferred 103½; Southern Pacific, 62¼; Union Pacific, 105¼; Union Pacific preferred, 92. Bar silver, 25⅛d per ounce. Money, 3⅝@3½ per cent.

### New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Money on call firm at 4@4¾ per cent; last loan, 4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4⅛@5 per cent. Sterling exchange was firmer, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87⅝ for demand and at $4 84¼@4 84⅜ for sixty days; posted rates, $4 85 @4 88½; commercial bills, $4 83½@4 84. Bar silver, 54½c. Mexican dollars, 43c. Bonds—Governments, strong; States, inactive; railroads, irregular.

### Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—To-day's statement of the treasury balance shows: Available cash balance, $168,346,024; gold, $110,381,735.

### New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The bulls had full swing in all the grain markets to-day. Corn passed all prices in recent years, selling up to 71⅛c for May in New York and to 67¼c at Chicago. Wheat got within ⅛c of the highest point last August and the entire market situation was dominated by a volume of outside buying such as has not been seen here in weeks. Argentina was a buyer of wheat to-day on bad weather and the South bought on continued drouth in winter wheat States.

FLOUR—Receipts, 18,729 barrels; exports, 1390 barrels; more active and held higher; Minnesota patents, $3 80@4 10.

WHEAT—Receipts, 15,200 bushels; exports, 78,947 bushels; spot, strong; No. 2 red, 85⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 red, 83¼c elevator; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 85c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Duluth, 91c f. o. b. afloat. Options were active and under bull control all day. The large volume of outside buying, together with strength of corn, smaller Northwest receipts, dry weather, higher English cables, foreign buying and scarcity of the spot article, combined to make one of the strongest markets in weeks. The close was strong and 1⅛@1¼c net higher. March, 84⅛@85⅝c, closed at 85¼c; May, 83 9-16@84¾c, closed at 84⅝c; December, 82@83⅝c, closed at 82c.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 6⅝c; mild, quiet; Cordova, 7½@11c. Futures closed steady, net unchanged to 10 points advance; sales, 43,250 bags, including December, $6 40@6 50; February, $6 65; March, $6 70@6 75; May, $6 90; June, $7; July, $7 05@7 10.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c; molasses sugar, 3c; refined, steady.

HIDES—Steady.

WOOL—Quiet.

BUTTER—Receipts, 4900 packages; firm; State dairy, 15@23½c; creamery, 15@25½c; June creamery, 18@22c; factory, 12½@15c.

EGGS—Receipts, 4200 packages; steady; Western, at mark, 26c.

DRIED FRUITS.

A quiet and unchanged market for evaporated apples was reported to-day. State, common to good, 6@8½c; prime, 9@9¾c; choice, 9½@9¾c; fancy, 10@10½c. California dried fruits continue steady, but not active. Prunes, 3¾@7c. Apricots—Royal, 10@14c; Moorpark, 9½@13c. Peaches—Peeled, 13@19c; unpeeled, 7@10½c.

### Chicago Grain Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Speculation on the Board of Trade to-day was such as to recall the great transactions of Hutchinson, Cudahy, Kent, Ream and the other giants who ruled the pits and swung prices for fortunes every session. Bull enthusiasm such as has not been seen often in late years had possession of the markets, and in spite of heavy selling for profits, every pit closed strong.

Transactions in wheat were on a scale that indicated the Western country was thoroughly aroused to the situation. The slight sag at yesterday's close following the early buoyancy attracted buyers everywhere. Both primary and Northwestern receipts were reported rapidly decreasing. The cable list did not respond to yesterday's sag and later cables showed a marked improvement. Temptations to take profits induced many holders to realize, but with the enthusiasm that seemed to prevail on all hands early sellers soon became the best buyers. The countryman was practically in control of the market. Outside markets responded rapidly to every bullish incentive, and this strength was again reflected here. Flour at Minneapolis advanced 10 cents. Dry weather in the Southwest was reported damaging to the winter crop and news was constantly arriving that wheat was being fed to stock. With all these influences trade showed a steady advance. December opened ¼c to ⅜c up, sold to 75½@75⅝c and closed strong, 1⅜@1½c higher at 75¼@75⅝c. May opened ⅛@¼c to ⅜@½c up and sold to 79⅜c, closing strong, 1⅜@1½c higher at 79½c.

Corn lent its share of activity to the general strength. The buying was of general character, with shorts covering and a good demand present from the outside. Wheat activity influenced this pit greatly and light receipts and unsettled weather brought on a bull campaign. Trade was not heavy, but the market was under a constant nervous strain. December closed strong, 1⅛@1¼c up, at 63½@63⅝c. May sold to the new record price of 67¼c and closed strong, 1½c higher, at 67c.

Oats had a strong bull market all session. May sold to a new record at 45⅛c and closed strong, 1⅜@1½c up, at 45@45⅛c.

A good country demand for everything on the provision list held hog products strong, together with the strength in grains. January pork closed 22½c up, lard 15c higher and ribs 10c up.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

| Articles— | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat No 2— | | | | |
| December | 74¼ | 75⅝ | 74⅛ | 75⅜ |
| May | 78½ | 79¾ | 78¼ | 79½ |
| Corn No. 2— | | | | |
| December | 62⅞ | 63¾ | 62⅝ | 63⅝ |
| May | 65⅞ | 67¼ | 65½ | 67 |
| July | 65¾ | 67 | 65⅝ | 66¾ |
| Oats No. 2— | | | | |
| December | 43¼ | 44⅜ | 43¼ | 44¼ |
| May | 43⅞ | 45⅛ | 43⅝ | 45⅛ |
| July | 39¼ | 42½ | 39⅛ | 40⅜ |
| Mess Pork, per barrel— | | | | |
| January | 16 05 | 16 40 | 16 05 | 16 37 |
| May | 16 45 | 16 72 | 16 45 | 16 70 |
| Lard, per 100 pounds— | | | | |
| December | .... | .... | .... | 9 50 |
| January | 9 32½ | 9 55 | 9 32½ | 9 50 |
| May | 9 40 | 9 60 | 9 40 | 9 57½ |
| Short Ribs, per 100 pounds— | | | | |
| January | 8 30 | 8 25 | 8 30 | 8 32 |
| May | 8 45 | 8 52½ | 8 42½ | 8 50 |

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, firm; standard patents advanced 10c; No. 3 spring wheat, 70½c; No. 2 red, 78@79½c; No. 2 oats, 45¼@45½c; No. 2 white, 47½@48¼c; No. 3 white, 47@47¾c; No. 2 rye, 61¾c; fair to choice malting barley, 60@63½c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 39; No. 1 Northwestern, $1 40; prime timothy seed, $6 55; mess pork, per bbl, $15 40@15 50; lard, per 100 lbs, $9 50@9 52½; short ribs sides (loose), $8 25@8 40; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 7¼@7½c; short clear sides (boxed), $8 70@8 80; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 32½; clover, contract grade, $9.

| Articles— | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, barrels | 92,000 | 33,000 |
| Wheat, bushels | 232,000 | 29,000 |
| Corn, bushels | 154,000 | 116,000 |
| Oats, bushels | 295,000 | 297,000 |
| Rye, bushels | 18,000 | 2,000 |
| Barley, bushels | 168,000 | 21,000 |

On the Produce Exchange to-day the Butter market was firm. Creameries, 14@24½c; dairies, 13@20c. Cheese, steady, 9¼@9½c. Eggs, firm, fresh 24c.

### Foreign Futures.

LIVERPOOL.

| Wheat— | March. | May. |
|---|---|---|
| Opening | 6 ⅜ | 6 1¼ |
| Closing | 6 ¾ | 6 1½ |

PARIS.

| Wheat— | Dec. | Mar.-June. |
|---|---|---|
| Opening | 22 25 | 22 95 |
| Closing | 22 25 | 23 00 |
| Flour— | | |
| Opening | 27 80 | 29 00 |
| Closing | 27 80 | 29 00 |

### New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—There occurred a further break in copper at London to-day, and private advices reported good sales movement at the lower level. The market finished the session £2 lower on spot and £1 5s on futures; thus the former was quoted at £55 5s and the latter £55, or the lowest level reached since the recent downward movement started. The local market for that metal was unsettled and nominally quoted at 16½@17c for lake and 16⅜@16⅝c for casting.

There was no business reported in tin. It eased off £2 at London under liquidation, but trading was light, spot closing quiet at £110 15s and futures at £104. Local prices for tin were also lower, to-day's decline amounting to 1@1¼c; thus spot was quoted at 24.50c.

Lead—Dull at home and abroad, closing at 4.37½c and £11 respectively.

Spelter—Dull at New York and London, the former closing at 4.30c nominal and the latter at £16 10s.

Iron was quiet but about steady. Pigiron warrants, 10.50@11.50c; No. 1 northern foundry, 15.00@16.00c; No. 2 foundry, southern, 14.00@15.00c; No. 1 foundry, 14.50@15.50c; No. 1 foundry, southern soft, 14.50@16.00c.

Glasgow iron warrants closed at 55s 10d, and Middlesboro closed at 42s 10½d.

### New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of 6 to 12 points, and closed barely steady, net 4 to 8 points higher.

### Eastern Livestock Market.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 16,600, including 300 Westerns; active and 15@20c higher; good to prime, $6 40@7 50; poor to medium, $3 90@6; stockers and feeders, $2@4 25; cows, $1 25@4 75; heifers, $2@5 50; canners, $2 25@2 30; bulls, $2@4 75; calves, $2 50@5 50; Texas fed steers, $5 75; Western steers, $3 75@4 90.

HOGS—Receipts to-day, 50,000; to-morrow, 37,-000; left over, 10,000; active and steady, higher except for light; mixed and butchers, $5 65@6 10; good to choice heavy, $5 85@6 20; rough heavy, $5 45@5 70; light, $5@5 75; bulk of sales, $5 75@5 95.

SHEEP—Receipts, 25,000; sheep steady; good to choice wethers, $3 50@4 25; fair to choice mixed, $2 75@3 50; Western sheep, $3@4; native lambs, $2 50@5; Western lambs, $3@4 25.

ST. JOSEPH.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2100; market 10@15c higher; natives, $3 50@7 25; cows and heifers, $1 25@5 50; veals, $2 50@5 25; bulls and stags, $2 25@5; stockers and feeders, $2 25@4 35.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; best strong to 5c higher; light and light mixed, $5 70@6 10; medium and heavy, $5 65@6 30; pigs, $3 60@4 75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 250; strong; top, lambs, $4 85.

### Portland's Business.

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 4.—Clearings, $554,481; balances, $75,745.

### Northern Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 4.—Wheat—Steady at 60c for Walla Walla, 61c for bluestem.

WASHINGTON.

TACOMA, Dec. 4.—Wheat, ½c up; bluestem, 61c; club, 60c.

### London Wool Sales.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The wool auction sales scheduled for to-day were postponed on account of fog.

### Foreign Markets.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Consols, 91 3-16d; silver, 25⅛d; French rentes, 101f 65c; cargoes on passage, quiet and steady; cargoes No. 1 standard California, 30s; cargoes Walla Walla, 29s 3d; English country markets, steady.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 4.—Wheat, quiet; No. 1 standard California, 6s ½d@6s 1d; wheat and flour in Paris, steady; French country markets, quiet; weather in England, overcast.

COTTON—Uplands, 4 9-16d.

## LOCAL MARKETS.

### Exchange and Bullion.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sterling Exchange, 60 days | — | 4 85 |
| Sterling Exchange, sight | — | 4 88 |
| Sterling Cables | — | 4 89 |
| New York Exchange, sight | — | 02½ |
| New York Exchange, telegraphic | — | 05 |
| Silver, per ounce | — | 54½ |
| Mexican Dollars, nominal | 45½ | @ 45¾ |

### Wheat and Other Grains.

WHEAT—The foreign markets continued firm, with still higher futures at Paris and Liverpool.

Chicago rose from 78⅛c to 79½c, with the pit boiling over with a big general trade. The upward tendency was pronounced. The leaders and the country bought freely. There was considerable professional realizing, but everything offered was taken. The general public also bought largely.

This market was still higher on call, and very firm as to shipping grades, with a good demand for the latter account.

Spot Wheat—Shipping, $1 01¼@1 02½; milling, $1 03¾@1 06¼ per ctl.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Informal Session—9:15 o'clock—May—32,000 ctls, $1 06⅜; 30,000, $1 06½.

Second Session—May—4000 ctls, $1 06⅝; 20,000, $1 06½.

Regular Morning Session—May—2000 ctls, $1 06⅝; 30,000, $1 06½.

Afternoon Session—May—2000 ctls, $1 06⅛; 6000, $1 06⅝; 28,000, $1 06¾.

BARLEY—The firmness lately visible is increased by the report that large quantities are soon to be shipped into the Western and Eastern States overland. The market is certainly very strong, with holders indifferent about selling. Prices remain about the same.

Feed, 75@76¼c for choice bright, 72½@73¾c for No. 1 and 70c for off grades; brewing and shipping grades, 77½@85c; Chevalier, 80c@$1 per ctl.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Informal Session—9:15 o'clock—May—4000 ctls, 74⅝c.

Second Session—No sales.

Regular Morning Session—May—2000 ctls, 74⅜c; 2000, 74⅞c; 4000, 75c.

Afternoon Session—May—2000 ctls, 75½c; 2000, 75⅞c.

OATS—The Government is said to be after 520 tons up north and 400 tons in this market, and as there have been several very heavy sales during the past few days the market rules very firm.

Grays, $1 12½@1 17½ for feed and $1 20@1 22½ for seed; whites, $1 15@1 25; Surprise, $1 30@1 32½; black, 95c@$1 07½ for feed and $1 15@1 22½ for seed; red, $1 12½@1 17½ per ctl for feed and $1 20@1 27½ for seed.

CORN—The Chicago market was strong, advancing from 65⅛c to 67¼c.

The cash demand was a bullish feature. Some was taken for St. Louis, and the interior reported large sales at an advance.

This market continued firm and unchanged. Spot—Large yellow, $1 35@1 37½; small round do, $1 30@1 40; white, $1 42½@1 45. To arrive—$1 25@1 32½ per ctl for all kinds, according to dryness.

RYE—75@77½c per ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Quoted at $1 65 per ctl.

### Flour and Millstuffs.

FLOUR—California Falily Extras, $3 25@$3 50, usual terms; Bakers' Extras, $3 15@3 25; Oregon, $2 50@2 75 per barrel for family and $2 75@3 for Bakers'; Washington Bakers', $2 75 @3.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade: Graham Flour, $3 per 100 lbs; Rye Flour, $2 75; Rye Meal, $2 50; Rice Flour, $7; Corn Meal, $3 25; extra cream do, $4; Oat Groats, $5; Hominy, $4@4 25; Buckwheat Flour, $4@4 25; Cracked Wheat, $3 50; Farina, $4 50; Whole Wheat Flour, $3 25; Rolled Oats (barrels), $6 85@8 35; in sacks, $6 50@8; Pearl Barley, $5; Split Peas, $5; Green Peas, $6 50 per 100 pounds.

### Hay and Feedstuffs.

The feeling in Hay is somewhat steadier, owing to the lighter receipts of the past few days. Feedstuffs, on the contrary, are very weak, with large offerings.

BRAN—$15 50@16 50 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$17@19 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled Barley, $16@17 per ton; Oilcake Meal at the mill, $27@28; jobbing, $28 50@29; Cocoanut Cake, $20@21; Corn Meal, $31 50@32; Cracked Corn, $32@32 50; Mixed Feed, $16@17.

HAY—Wheat, $9@11; fancy, $11 50@12; Wheat and Oat, $8@11; Oat, $7@10; Barley and Oat, $7@9; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Clover, $6@7; Volunteer, $5 50@8; Stock, $5@7 per ton.

STRAW—30@47½c per bale.

### Beans and Seeds.

The dullness and weakness in Beans continue, but prices show no further decline. Arrivals of Flaxseed from Washington continue frequent and large.

BEANS—Bayos, $2 35@2 50; Small White, $2 75 @3 15; Large White, $2 80@3; Pea, $3 50@4; Pink, $1 75@2; Red, $2 50@3; Blackeye, $3 50@3 70; Limas, $4 40@4 50; Red Kidneys, $3 50@4 per ctl.

SEEDS—Trieste Mustard, $3@3 15; Yellow Mustrad, $3 25@3 50; Flax, $2 65@3 25; Canary, 3¼@3½c for Eastern; Alfalfa, from Utah, 8½c; Rape, 1¼@1¾c; Hemp, 3½c per lb.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1 90@2; Green, $1 75@2 25 per ctl.

### Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

While Onions are quoted easier at the moment, dealers say that we shall soon have to draw on Oregon for supplies, and as that market is higher than this prices must rise here in consequence. Stocks here continue light.

Potatoes continue weak, but quotations show little variation. Three cars of Merced Sweets came in, but they sold higher, the market having been previously well cleaned up.

There is nothing new in Vegetables.

POTATOES—70@$1 for Burbanks from the river; Salinas Burbanks, $1 25@1 60; Oregon Burbanks, $1 15@1 45; River Reds, $1 35@1 50; Sweets, 35@40c for Rivers and 85c@$1 for Merced.

ONIONS—$2@2 10 per ctl; Oregons, $2@2 15; Pickle Onions are out.

VEGETABLES—Green Peas from Los Angeles, 4@6c; String Beans from Los Angeles, 4@6c; Limas, 2@6c; Cabbage, 40@50c per ctl; Tomatoes, 40@65c; Dried Peppers, 10@15c per sack; Okra, 12½@20c per lb; Carrots, 25@35c per sack; Cucumbers, 50@75c; Pickles, 2½@3c per lb for small and 1@1½c for large; Garlic, 1¼@2c; Green Peppers, 40@50c per box for Chili and 40@50c for Bell; Egg Plant, 75c per box; Summer Squash from Los Angeles, $1@1 25; Marrowfat Squash, $8@10 per ton; Hubbard Squash, $8@10; Mushrooms, 5@12½c per lb.

### Poultry and Game.

Two cars of Eastern Poultry came in, making five thus far this week. Prices show no further change, except in Turkeys, which are higher under light receipts and a good demand. Only 13 cases of dressed Turkeys arrived.

Receipts of Game were 80 sks and the market did somewhat better.

POULTRY—Dressed Turkeys, 17@19c; Live Turkeys, 14@16c for Gobblers and 14@16c for Hens; Geese, per pair, $1 50@1 75; Goslings, $1 75@2; Ducks, $3 50@4 for old and $4@5 for young; Hens, $3 50@4 50; young Roosters, $4@4 50; old Roosters, $4@4 50; Fryers, $3 50@4; Broilers, $3 50@4 for large and $3@3 50 for small; Pigeons, $1@1 25 per dozen for old and $1 75@2 for Squabs.

GAME—Doves, per dozen, 75c; Hare, $1 25; Rabbits, $1 50 for Cottontails and $1 for Brush; Mallard, 3@3 50; Canvasback, $2@3; Sprig, $1 75 @2; Teal, $1 25@1 50; Widgeon, $1@1 25; Small Ducks, $1; Black Jacks, $1; English Snipe, $2; Jack Snipe, $1 50; Gray Geese, $3 50; White Geese, $1 25; Brant, $1 50@2 per dozen; Honkers, $4 50.

### Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Receipts of Butter from Humboldt are falling off, but those from Marin are increasing, which equalizes the situation. The recent decline has steadied fancy creameries somewhat, and they are no longer quoted depressed, but the medium and lower grades are still dragging. Prices stand about as before.

There is no change worthy of note in Cheese.

The decline in Eggs has resulted in rather more demand, and the market now exhibits less depression. There are plenty here, however, and the tendency is still to sell.

Receipts were 16,700 pounds of Butter, —— pounds of Eastern Butter, 413 cases of Eggs, —— cases of Eastern Eggs, 3100 pounds of California Cheese and —— pounds of Eastern Cheese.

BUTTER—Creamery, 23@24c per lb for fancy and 20@21c for seconds; dairy, 17½@20c; store Butter, 15@17c per lb; Creamery Tub, 21@22½c; Pickled Roll, 19@20c; Keg, 18@19c per lb.

CHEESE—New, 12@12½c; old, 11½c; Young America, 13½ per lb; Eastern 13@15c.

EGGS—Ranch, 34@35c for selected large, 31@32½c for good to choice and 30c for fair; store, 25@27½c per dozen; cold storage, 20@27½c; Eastern, 19@27½c.

### Deciduous and Citrus Fruits.

All Berries were in more or less bad condition.

Apples rule firm and fine goods are bringing the improved prices without difficulty. Winter Nelis Pears continue scarce and firm.

Grapes continue in light receipt, and only sound fresh stock sells to advantage. There is plenty of old and wet stock selling down to 20c per crate.

Receipts of Oranges are steadily increasing and are accumulating, as the demand is too light to absorb them. Prices are still lower.

Two cars of Cranberries are expected to-day.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS.

APPLES—$1 50@2 per box for extra, 75c@$1 25 for good to choice and 35@65c for ordinary; Lady Apples, $1@2.

POMEGRANATES—$1 25 per box.

PEARS—Winter kinds, $1@2 per box.

QUINCES—50@60c per box.

PERSIMMONS—30@75c per box.

STRAWBERRIES—$6@8 per chest for Longworths and $2@3 for large berries.

BLACKBERRIES—$5@7 per chest.

RASPBERRIES—[illegible]@5 per chest.

CRANBERRIES—Eastern, $10@11 per barrel; Coos Bay, $3 per box.

FIGS—Black, 25@50c per box; white, 25@50c.

GRAPES—Verdels, 40@90c per box; Tokay, 50@75c; Black, 35@50c; Cornichons, 40@85c.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel Oranges, $1@1 25 for standards, $1 50@1 75 for choice and $2 for fancy; Seedlings, 75c@$1 25; Tangerines, $1@1 25; Japanese Mandarins, $1@1 75; Lemons, $1@1 50 for common and $2@2 50 for good to choice; Grape Fruit, $1 50@2 50; Mexican Limes, $3 50@4; Bananas, $2@3 per bunch for New Orleans and 50c@$1 25 for Hawaiian; Pine apples, $3@4 per dozen.

### Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

There is no further change in the situation. The demand, as already mentioned, is now normal for this time of the year, and local dealers report the feeling steady all along the line. The feeling in Prunes is distinctly firmer, though prices are no higher, and holders no longer give concessions to make sales.

FRUITS—Apricots, 7@8½c for Royals and 8@13c for standard to fancy Moorparks; Evaporated Apples, 7@8½c; sun-dried, 3½@4½c; Peaches, 5@7½c; Pears, 4@8c; Plums, pitted, 4½@6c; unpitted, 1@2c; Nectarines, 5@5½c for red and 5½@6½c for white; Figs, 3@3½c for black.

PRUNES—New crop are quoted as follows: 30-40's, 5¼@5½c; 40-50's, 4¾@5c; 50-60's, 4¼@4½c; 60-70's, 3¾@4c; 70-80's, 3¼@3½c; 80-90's, 2¾@3c; 90-100's, 2¼@2½c per lb.

RAISINS—(Price per 20-lb box): Clusters—Imperial, $3; Dehesa, $2 50; fancy, $1 75; 4-crown, $1 60; London Layers—Three-crown, $1 20; two-crown, $1 10. Price per lb: Standard loose Muscatels—Four-crown, 4¾c; three-crown, 4¼c; two-crown, 3¾c; Seedless Muscatels, 4½c; Seedless Sultanas, 5½c; Thompson Seedless, 6½c; Bleached Sultanas—Fancy, 8½c; choice, 7½c; standard, 6½c; prime, 5½c; unbleached Sultanas, 5c. Bleached Thompson's—Extra fancy, 11c; fancy, 10c; choice, 9c; standard, 7½c; prime, 6½c. Fancy seeded, 6¼c; choice seeded, 5⅞c.

NUTS—Chestnuts, 10@12½c; Walnuts, No. 1 softshell, 9½c; No. 2, 7½c; No. 1 hardshell, 9c; No. 2, 7c; Almonds, 11@12c for papershell, 9@10c for softshell and 6@7c for hardshell; Peanuts, 5@7c for Eastern; Brazil Nuts, 12@12½c; Filberts, 12@12½c; Pecans, 11@13c; Cocoanuts, $3 50@5.

HONEY—Comb, 12@12½c for bright and 10@11½c for light amber; water white extracted, 5@6c; light amber extracted, 4@5c; dark, 4c.

BEESWAX—25@28c per lb.

### Provisions.

Chicago advanced again, closing strong. This market was firm, but prices remained the same.

CURED MEATS—Bacon, 11½c per lb for heavy, 12c for light medium, 13c for light, 14c for extra light and 14½c for sugar-cured; Eastern sugar-cured Hams, 13c; California Hams, 12½c; Mess Beef, $10@10 50 per barrel; extra Mess, $11@11 50; Family, $12@12 50; prime Mess Pork, $15; extra clear, $22 50@23; Mess, $18 50@19; Smoked Beef, 13½@14c per lb.

LARD—Tierces, quoted at 8c per lb for compound and 11c for pure; half barrels, pure, 11¼c; 10-lb tins, 11⅜c; 5-lb tins, 11⅞c; 3-lb tins, 12c.

COTTOLENE—One half-barrel, 10⅛c; three half-barrels, 10c; one tierce, 9⅞c; two tierces, 9¾c; five tierces, 9⅝c per lb.

### Hides, Tallow, Wool and Hops.

HIDES AND SKINS—Culls and brands sell about 1½c under quotations. Heavy salted Steers, 11c; medium, 10c; light, 9c; Cow Hides, 9½c for heavy and 9c for light; Stags, 7c; Salted Kip, 9½c; Salted Veal, 10c; Salted Calf, 10c; Dry Hides, 16½@17c; Culls, 15c; Dry Kip, 15c; Dry Calf, 18@19c; Culls and Brands, 15@16c; Sheepskins, shearlings, 15@30c each; short Wool, 40@60c each; medium, 50@75c; long Wool, 80c@$1 10 each; Horse Hides, salt, $2 50@2 75 for large and $2@2 25 for medium, $1 75 for small and 50c for Colts; Horse Hides, dry, $1 75 for large, $1 25@1 50 for medium, $1 25 for small and 50c for Colts. Deerskins—Summer or red skins, 35c; fall or medium skins, 30c; winter or thin skins, 20c. Goatskins—Prime Angoras, 75c; large and smooth, 50c; medium, 35c.

TALLOW—No. 1 rendered, 6c per lb; No. 2, 4½@5c; grease, 3c.

WOOL—Spring, 1900 to 1901—Southern, defective, 7 months, 7@8c; Oregon Valley fine, 13@15c; do, medium and coarse, 11@13c; Oregon, Eastern, choice, 11@13c; do, fair to good, 9@11c; Nevada, 10@12c.

Fall—San Joaquin, 6½@8½c; San Joaquin Lambs', 7½@9c; Middle County, 8@10c; Northern Mountain, free, 9@10c; do, defective, 8@9c per lb.

HOPS—9@10c for fair and 11@12c per lb for good to choice.

### San Francisco Meat Market.

Previous prices rule for all descriptions.

Wholesale rates from slaughterers to dealers are as follows:

BEEF—6@7c for Steers and 5@6c per lb for Cows.

VEAL—Large, 7½@8½c; small, 8@9c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7@7½c; Ewes, 6½@7c per lb.

LAMB—8@8½c per lb.

PORK—Live Hogs, from 150 to 250 lbs, 5½@5¾c; under 150 lbs, 5¼@5⅜c; sows, 20 per cent off, boars 30 per cent off and stags 40 per cent off from the above quotations; dressed Hogs, 7½@8¾c.

### General Merchandise.

GRAIN BAGS—Calcutta Grain Bags, 7c; local make, ½c less than Calcuttas; Wool Bags, 32@35c; Fleece Twine, 7½@8c; Fruit Bags, 5¾@6½c for cotton and 7@7½c for jute.

COAL—Wellington, $9 per ton; Southfield Wellington, $9; Seattle, $7; Bryant, $6 50; Coos Bay, $5 50; Wallsend, $8 50; Co-operative Wallsend, $8 50; Cumberland, $12 in bulk and $13 25 in sacks; Pennsylvania Anthracite Egg, $14; Cannel, $11 per ton; Coke, $15 per ton in bulk and $17 in sacks; Rocky Mountain descriptions, $8 45 per 2000 lbs and $8 50 per ton, according to brand.

Harrison's circular says: "Since the Ventura sailed there have been the following coal arrivals from Newcastle, NSW., viz.: Invincible, 2013 tons; Clan Buchanan, 3184 tons; Fernbank, 2311 tons; Chehalis, 1114 tons; Wiscombe Park, 3354 tons; Miltiades, 2069 tons; total, 14,045 tons. One of the above cargoes came here via Valparaiso. Not finding sale for the coal there the vessel was ordered here. There are thirty-three vessels chartered to load coal for our port from Newcastle, with a capacity of 95,000 tons; of these nineteen are already en route. The latest cabled freight rates on coal from Newcastle show a decline of fully one shilling per ton since last mail; now eleven shillings is asked and several vessels are being offered. This will force the coast collieries to reduce the selling price of their products to meet this freight decline from the colonies. Fuel oil is the disturbing element which will prove a death knell to any advance in steam coals for many years to come. It was exceedingly fortunate for our industrial interests that oil came to our rescue this year and last. In its absence there would have been a fuel famine, coal would have sold at fancy figures and numberless factories would have been closed, which are running to-day full time and profitably. So far this year we have had a most seasonable rainfall, which should have a tendency to bring coal carriers in this direction, as the outlook is promising for a generous grain yield in 1902."

CANDLES—The Standard Oil Company announces the following quotations for the annexed descriptions: Electric Light, 6½@9¾c per set for sixes and 8c for twelves; Granite Mining Candles, 7½@10¼c for sixes and 8½c for twelves; Paraffine Wax, 9½@10c; Radiant do, 6¼@8¾c.

OILS—California Castor Oil, in cases, No. 1, 70c; pure, $1 20; Linseed Oil, in barrels, boiled, 70c; raw, 68c; cases, 5c more; Lucol, 60c for boiled and 58c for raw in barrels; Lard Oil, extra winter strained, barrels, 90c; cases, 95c; China Nut, 55@72c per gallon; pure Neatsfoot, in barrels, 70c; cases, 75c; Sperm, pure, 65c; Whale Oil, natural white, 40@45c per gallon; Fish Oil, barrels, 37½c; cases, 42½c; Cocoanut Oil, barrels, 63½c for Ceylon and 58½c for Australian.

COAL OIL—Water White Coal Oil, in bulk, 13½c; Pearl Oil, in cases, 20c; Astral, 20c; Star, 20c; Extra Star, 24c; Elaine, 25c; Eocene, 22c; deodorized stove Gasoline, in bulk, 15c; in cases, 21½c; Benzine, in bulk, 14c; in cases, 20½c; 86-degree Gasoline, in bulk, 20c; in cases, 26½c.

TURPENTINE—58½c per gallon in cases and 52c in drums and iron barrels.

SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refining Company quotes, per lb, in 100-lb bags:

Cubes, Crushed and Fine Crushed, 5.30c; Powdered, 5.15c; Candy Granulated, 5.15c; Dry Granulated, 5.05c; Confectioners' A, 5.05c; Fruit Granulated, 5.05c; Beet Granulated (100-lb bags only), 4.95c; Magnolia A, 4.65c; Extra C, 4.55c; Golden C, 4.45c; D, 4.35c; barrels, 10c more; half-barrels, 25c more; boxes, 50c more; 50-lb bags, 10c more. No orders taken for less than 75 barrels or its equivalent. Dominos, half-barrels, 5.55c; boxes, 5.80c per lb.

### Receipts of Produce.

FOR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Flour, qr sks | 35,042 | Hay, tons | 572 |
| Wheat, ctls | 19,678 | Onions, sks | 462 |
| Barley, ctls | 18,885 | Potatoes, sks | 4,690 |
| Oats, ctls | 1,890 | Beans, sks | 79 |
| Corn, ctls | 460 | Chicory, bbls | 25 |
| Sugar, ctls | 29,300 | Pelts, bdls | 3,922 |
| Tallow, ctls | 253 | Hides, No | 276 |
| Bran, sks | 1,428 | Brandy, gals | 3,000 |
| Middlings, sks | 500 | Wine, gals | 48,400 |
| Raisins, bxs | 556 | Leather, rolls | 189 |
| Wool, sks | 14 | Straw, tons | 30 |
| OREGON. | | | |
| Oats, ctls | 600 | Shorts, sks | 786 |
| Bran, sks | 918 | | |
| WASHINGTON. | | | |
| Flour, qr sks | 8,142 | Popcorn, sks | 105 |
| Oats, ctls | 7,000 | Flaxseed, sks | 6,987 |
| Bran, sks | 5,100 | | |

## STOCK MARKET.

There was not much new on the morning session of the Bond Exchange. Sales were moderate. Two hundred Hawaiian Sugar sold at $35 and there were some transactions in Giant Powder at $85 50@85. The oil stocks were without feature.

The feature of the afternoon call was the advance in Alaska Packers', which advanced from $155 75 to $157 50. Otherwise there was nothing new.

Alaska Packers' Association has declared its ninety-sixth dividend of 75c, payable on the 12th.

West Shore Oil will pay a dividend of 5c on the 23d.

### STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 4—2 p. m.

UNITED STATES BONDS.

| | Bid. | Ask. | | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4s quar coup | 112½ | 113 | 4s qr cp (new) | 139¼ | 140 |
| 4s quar reg | 111½ | 112 | 3s quar coup | 108½ | — |

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bay C P C 5s | 107½ | — | Oceanic SS 5s | — | 105 |
| Cal-st 5s | 118 | — | Omnibus C 6s | 129¼ | 135 |
| C C Water 5s | 111 | — | Pac G Imp 4s | 94 | 96 |
| Ed L & P 6s | — | — | Pk & C H 6s | 108 | 113 |
| Fer & Cl H 6s | 120½ | — | Pk & O R 6s | 121 | — |
| Geary-st 5s | — | 100 | Powll-st R 6s | 118⅞ | 120 |
| H C & S 5½s | — | — | Sac E G R 5s | 95½ | 96 |
| Do 5s | 99⅝ | — | S F & SJV 5s | 123½ | — |
| Los Ang R 5s | 118 | 120 | Sierra Cal 6s | — | — |
| L A Light 6s | 101¼ | — | S P of Ariz 6s | | |
| Do gntd 6s | 100 | — | (1909) | 113¼ | 114 |
| Do gntd 5s | 103 | 103¾ | (1910) | 114 | — |
| L A & P 5s | 102¼ | — | S P of Cal 5s | | |
| Do 1 c m 5s | 101 | 103 | (1905), Ser A | 107¾ | 108¾ |
| Mkt-st Cab 6s | 127¾ | — | (1905), Ser B | 109 | 109¾ |
| Do 1 c m 5s | 122½ | — | (1906) | 110 | 111½ |
| N R of Cal 6s | 112⅝ | 112⅞ | (1912) | 119¾ | — |
| Do 5s | 121 | 122 | S P of Cal 1st | | |
| Nor Pac C 5s | 107⅜ | 107⅛ | c gntd 5s | 109 | — |
| Nor Cal R 5s | — | — | S P Br Cal 6s | 135½ | 137 |
| Oak Gas 5s | 112½ | — | S V Water 6s | 111⅞ | — |
| Oak Trans 6s | — | 125½ | Do 4s | 102¾ | — |
| Do 1st c 5s | 111¼ | — | Do 4s 3d m | 100½ | 101 |
| Oak Wat g 5s | 104¼ | 105 | Stktn Gas 6s | 102½ | — |

WATER STOCKS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Contra Costa | 76 | 76½ | Port Costa | 63½ | 66 |
| Marin County | 58 | — | Spring Valley | — | 87¼ |

GAS AND ELECTRIC.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cent L & P | 2⅜ | — | Pacific Light | 42 | — |
| Equit G L Co | 3 | 3½ | Sacramento | — | 40 |
| Mutual | — | 5 | S F G & E | 44 | 44¼ |
| Oak G L & H | 51 | — | San Francisco | 5¼ | 5½ |
| Pac Gas Imp | 40¾ | 41 | Stktn G & E | 8 | — |

INSURANCE.

Firem's Fund.240 —

BANKS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Anglo-Cal | 79¼ | — | L P & A | 160 | 175 |
| California | 410½ | — | Mer Ex (liq) | 18½ | — |
| Cal Safe Dep | 109½ | 112½ | S F National | 130 | — |
| First Nationl | 320 | 327½ | | | |

SAVINGS BANKS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| German | 1925½ | — | Sav & Loan | — | 90 |
| Humboldt | — | — | Security Sav | 300 | 340 |
| Mutual Sav | 66 | — | Union Trust | 1800 | — |
| S F Sav U | 525 | — | | | |

STREET RAILROADS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| California | 140 | — | O S L & H | 40 | — |
| Geary | — | 50 | Presidio | 32½ | — |
| Market | 86 | 89 | | | |

POWDER.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Giant | 84⅜ | 85½ | Vigorit | 4¾ | 4⅞ |

SUGAR.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hana | 3½ | 5 | Kilauea | 11 | 12½ |
| Hawaiian | 35 | 40 | Makaweli | 23 | 24½ |
| Honokaa | 10¾ | 11 | Onomea | — | 24 |
| Hutchinson | 14⅜ | 15½ | Paauhau | 10⅝ | 11¼ |

MISCELLANEOUS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alaska Pack | 157 | 158 | Oceanic S Co | — | 49 |
| Cal Fruit Asn | — | 100 | Pac Aux F A | 2⅜ | — |
| Cal Win Asn | — | 90 | Pac C Borax | 165 | — |
| Mer Exchange | 110 | — | Par Paint | 16 | — |

Morning Session.

Board—

| | |
|---|---|
| 25 Alaska Packers' Association | 156 00 |
| 10 Alaska Packers' Association, s 90 | 155 75 |
| 100 Equitable Gas | 3 12½ |
| 5 Giant Powder Con | 85 50 |
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| 100 Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar | 35 00 |
| 10 Paauhau S P Co, cash | 11 00 |
| 90 Paauhau S P Co | 11 00 |
| $6000 S. P C Cal. 1st Cons 5s | 110 00 |
| 5 Spring Valley Water | 87 00 |
| $15,000 Spring Valley 4s (2d mortgage) | 102 75 |
| Street— | |
| $1000 Northern Railway of California 5s | 121 62½ |

Afternoon Session.

Board—

| | |
|---|---|
| 10 Alaska Packers' Association | 156 50 |
| 10 Alaska Packers' Association | 157 00 |
| 5 Alaska Packers' Association | 157 25 |
| 45 Alaska Packers' Association | 157 50 |
| 90 Hutchinson S P Co | 15 00 |
| $1000 N P C R R 5s | 107 50 |
| 40 S F Gas & Electric Co | 44 25 |
| 10 S F Gas & Electric Co | 44 00 |
| 2000 S P of Arizona (1909) | 113 50 |
| Street— | |
| $10,000 N P C R R 5s | 107 50 |

### PRODUCERS' OIL EXCHANGE.

Board—

| | |
|---|---|
| 700 Caribou | 75 |
| 2 Hanford | 100 00 |
| 3 Hanford | 99 00 |
| 1000 Reed Crude, cash | 35 |
| 1000 Reed Crude, s 90 | 34 |
| 10 San Joaquin Oil & Dev | 7 00 |
| 200 Sterling | 1 15 |
| 100 Twenty-Eight | 1 65 |
| Street— | |
| 100 Sterling, s 90 | 1 10 |

Afternoon Session.

Board—

| | |
|---|---|
| 2500 Apollo | 18 |
| 300 Caribou | 75 |
| 1000 Giant | 30 |
| 1 Hanford | 99 00 |
| 1 Hanford | 98 00 |
| 1 Hanford | 97 00 |
| 20 San Joaquin Oil & Dev | 7 00 |

### MINING STOCKS.

Following were the sales in the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board yesterday:

Morning Session.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 100 Belcher | 02 | 600 Ophir | 70 |
| 200 Best & Belcher | 10 | 200 Potosi | 02 |
| 200 Challenge | 11 | 200 Silver Hill | 30 |
| 400 C C & Va | 1 60 | 100 Standard | 3 35 |
| 600 Mexican | 13 | | |

Afternoon Session.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 100 Best & Belcher | 10 | 1000 Silver Hill | 30 |
| 400 C C & Va | 1 60 | 500 Union Con | 09 |
| 400 Mexican | 13 | | |

Following were the sales in the Pacific Stock Exchange yesterday:

Morning Session.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 500 Best & Belcher | 11 | 200 Mexican | 13 |
| 500 Best & Belcher | 10 | 900 Ophir | 70 |
| 600 Caledonia | 21 | 200 Union Con | 11 |
| 400 C C & Va | 1 60 | | |

Afternoon Session.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 300 Best & Belcher | 11 | 300 Mexican | 14 |
| 100 C C & Va | 1 60 | 500 Ophir | 70 |
| 300 Gould & Curry | 05 | 1300 Silver Hill | 30 |
| 200 Mexican | 13 | 300 Union Con | 10 |

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4—4 p. m.

| | Bid. | Ask. | | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alpha | — | 02 | Justice | — | 04 |
| Alta | 05 | 06 | Kentuck | — | 02 |
| Andes | 01 | 03 | Lady Wash | 01 | — |
| Belcher | 02 | 03 | Mexican | 13 | 14 |
| Best & Belcher | 11 | 12 | Occidental | 03 | 04 |
| Bullion | 02 | 03 | Ophir | 69 | 71 |
| Caledonia | 19 | 20 | Overman | 02 | 03 |
| Challenge Con | 07 | 09 | Potosi | 02 | 03 |
| Chollar | 03 | 04 | Savage | 03 | 05 |
| Confidence | — | 65 | Scorpion | — | 04 |
| Con Cal & Va | 1 60 | 1 65 | Seg Belcher | — | 02 |
| Con Imperial | — | 01 | Sierra Nevada | 06 | 07 |
| Con New York | 01 | — | Silver Hill | 29 | 31 |
| Crown Point | 01 | 02 | St Louis | — | 04 |
| Eureka Con | 14 | — | Standard | 3 80 | 3 85 |
| Exchequer | — | 02 | Syndicate | 05 | 07 |
| Gould & Curry | 04 | 05 | Union Con | 09 | 10 |
| Hale & Norcrs | 14 | 16 | Utah | 05 | 06 |
| Julia | — | 01 | Yellow Jacket | 06 | 07 |

### Colored Shooter Held.

T. T. Gibbs, a recent colored arrival from South Carolina, was held to answer before the Superior Court by Judge Mogan yesterday on two charges of assault to murder in $2000 bonds on each charge. November 23 he fired several shots at William Smith, a colored man, in a saloon on Pacific street. He missed Smith, but wounded William Wilson and George Tyler, who happened to be passing the saloon. While firing the shots he declared that he was from the South and would make the colored men here "jump."

### Max Salomon in Court.

The case of Max Salomon, alias Otto Nathan, charged with conducting a lottery in his office in the Academy of Sciences building, was called in Judge Mogan's court yesterday. Detectives Ryan and O'Connell testified to arresting Salomon and taking possession of papers there. A. D. Wilbur testified to having had a conversation with the defendant and others as to becoming an agent to sell their bonds or lottery tickets. The case will be continued this evening.

### Held for Burglary.

John Nolan was held to answer before the Superior Court by Judge Cabaniss yesterday on the charge of burglary, in $1000 bonds. Monday morning he broke into the office of P. A. Murphy, metal roofer, 48 Spear street, and had collected a number of workmen's tools when caught by Special Officer Sample.

### Builders' Contracts.

Edward McLaughlin (owner) with Henry Munster (contractor), architect M. J. Welsh—All alterations and additions, except painting, plumbing, gas and sewering and grading to make a 2-story frame building on lot on SE line of Sheridan street, 180 SW of Ninth, SW 25 by SE 95, Mission block 1; $1647.

Mrs. Minna Neller and Louis C. Buck (owners) with Frank A. Keen (contractor), architect Phillip Schwerdt—All work except plumbing, painting, heating, electric work, gas fixtures and mantels for a 2-story and basement frame residence on lot on N line of Union street, 126:0⅞ W of Polk, W 50 by N 137:6; $6530.

Harvey H. Dana and A. W. Pattiani (owners) with Thomas W. Butcher (contractor), architects A. W. Pattiani & Co.—Brick work, setting iron and granite that come in brick work, setting terra cotta, except first story steel beams, for 6-story brick building on lot NE corner of Geary and William streets, E 56 by N 87:6; $10,540.