PRUNE MARKET FIRM

Jobbers Uneasy Over Upward Course of Prices.

LIGHT STOCKS IN THE EAST

New York Hop Market Firm but Quiet—Brewers Show No Disposition to Buy at the Moment.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—California wires today noting a stronger feeling on large prunes with packers quoting 3 cents, four-size basis, on 50-60s, which has stimulated the market here. Spot offerings of this size went out readily at 6c in 25-pound boxes and at the close most holders refused bids under 6½c. For 40-50s the demand is active at 7½c. Some fair-sized parcels of 40-60s, inclusive, were moved for Hamburg account at 6c in 50-poundsboxes. Negotiations covering a round lot for French account are in progress with a bid a shade under spot basis. The four sizes 60-90 hold steady, but supplies are more ample. Oregon 30-40s unfaced in 25-pound boxes offer at 7c. Forty fifties are scarce and 6¾ bid on a car lot to arrive was rejected today. There are no 50-60s here, but bids of 5¾c to arrive are refused. Jobbers show some uneasiness owing to the upward course of the Coast markets and it is believed stocks carried here are light, especially of large sizes.

Fresno wires that outside raisin packers advanced to the association basis on loose.

More liberal receipts of Lima beans have induced easiness among holders and car lot sales are reported at $3 02½ per bushel. Coast wires some shading possible below $4 25 f. o. b.

A few lots of red Alaska salmon changed hands today at $1 10 for standard brands. Liverpool cabled an inquiry at a price understood to be under $1 05 net here. There was no sale. Medium red is a little firmer.

State hops closed unchanged and firm. There continues an inquiry from the leading English exporter who is a buyer of choice grades at 37c. The local market is firm but quiet. Brewers generally show no disposition to buy at the moment. Jobbing sales in choice Pacifics are heard of up to 32c, with 29c paid on mediums. State choice is quoted up to 38c. Foreign cables report quiet markets.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., Dec. 1.—The price of butter advanced another cent today, the market being declared firm at 28c. There were no sales, although 30 cents was offered for any first-class product placed. The sales of the week aggregated 502,000 pounds.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The cotton market opened quiet with prices unchanged to a decline of 2 points, and closed 9 to 11 points net lower.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

There is but little competition among wheat buyers in the Northwest, and with other markets heavy the feeling here is easier. Shippers quote not above 71c for club and 78c for bluestem for export.

FLOUR—Valley, $3 45@3 55 per barrel; hard wheat straights, $3 50@3 55; hard wheat patents, $3 60@3 90; graham, $3 20@3 40.

WHEAT—Walla Walla, 71c; bluestem, 78c; Valley, 75c.

BARLEY—Feed, $22 50 per ton; brewing, $24; rolled, $24 50.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $18@19 per ton; middlings, $22@24; shorts, $19@20; chop, $18.

OATS—No. 1 white, $1 12½; gray, $1 12½ $1 15 per cental.

HAY—Timothy, $10@11; clover, $9; wheat, $8@9 per ton.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

Receipts of poultry were light. Game was plentiful and sold slowly. Eggs were quoted firm at the old prices and butter fairly steady.

POULTRY—Chickens, mixed, $3@4 25; per pound, 10c; hens, $4@4 50 per dozen; per pound, 10c; Springs, $3@3 50 per dozen; fryers, $2 50 @3; broilers, $2@2 50; ducks, $5@6 per dozen; turkeys, live, 13c; dressed 15c; geese, $6@6 50 per dozen.

CHEESE — Full cream, twins, 15½@16½c; Young America, 16½@17½c; factory prices 1@ 1½c less.

BUTTER — Fancy creamery, 30@32½c per pound; dairy, 20@22½c; store, 15@18c.

EGGS—25@30c per dozen.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

There was not much activity in these lines and receipts were not heavy. There is a big supply of apples on the street and they are not moving fast. A carload of bananas came in in the afternoon.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, 75@80c per sack; carrots, 75@80c; beets, $1 per sack; parsnips, $1 per sack; cauliflower, Los Angeles, 85c per dozen; cabbage, 1½c per pound; celery, Los Angeles 50@80c; Denver, $1 per dozen; lettuce, head, per dozen, 25c; hothouse, $1 75@2 per box; green onions, per dozen, 12½c; cucumbers, 75c@$1 per box; green peppers, 4@5c per pound; dry Chile peppers, 20c per pound; Brussels sprouts, 6c per pound; squash, $1@ 1 50 per hundredweight.

GREEN FRUIT—Apples, tables, 85c@$1 25 per box; cooking, 50@75c; pears, 75c@$1 25 per box; grapes, Niagara, 50c per crate; Concord, 20@30c per basket, 15c per half basket; California Tokay, $1 40 per crate; Muscat, $1 25 per crate; Cornichon, $1 25; quinces, Oregon, 85c@$1 per box; cranberries, Tillamook, $7 per barrel; Jersey, $11; Wisconsin, Bell & Cherry, $11@11 50; persimmons, $1 25 per box.

TROPICAL FRUIT — Lemons, $3 50@4 per boxboz; oranges, new crop navels, $3 50@4 75; grape fruit, $3 50 per box; bananas, $2 25@ 2 75 per bunch; pineapples, $5 50 per dozen; pomegranates, $1 50 per box.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, evaporated, 7¼c per pound; sun-dried, sacks or boxes, 5@6c; apricots, 7½@8c; peaches, 7½@9c; pears, 7½@8½c; prunes, Italian, 4½@6c; figs, California blacks, 3c; do white, 5½@6c; Smyrna, 20c, plums, pitted, 4½@5½c.

RAISINS—Loose Muscatel, 4-crown, 7¾c; 3-crown, 7¼c; 2-crown, 6½c; unbleached seedless Muscatel raisins, 7½c; unbleached seedless Sultans, 6½c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, $1 75; 2-crown, $1 65.

POTATOES—Best Burbanks, 60@80c per sack; ordinary, 50@55c per cental, growers' prices; Merced sweets, $2 per cental.

ONIONS—Oregon and Washington, 75c@$1 per cental; shippers' price in carload lots, 50c per centals.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

COFFEE—Mocha, 23@28c; Java, fancy, 26@ 28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 18@ 20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Costa Rica, ordinary, 10@12c per pound; Columbia roast, $16 50; Arbuckle's, $11 25 list; Lion, $10 75.

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 5¾c; No. 2, 4½c; Carolina head, 7@7½c.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $1 85 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2 75; fancy 1-pound flats, $1 90; ½-pound flats, $1 25; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 90c; red, 1-pound talls, $1 30; sockeye, 1-pound talls, $1 45; 1-pound flats, $1 60.

SUGAR — Sack basis, net cash, per 100 pounds: Cube, $4 70; powdered, $4 55; dry granulated, $4 45; extra C, $3 95; golden C, $3 85. Advances over sack basis as follows: Barrels, 10c; half-barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c per 100 pounds. Maple, 15@16c per pound. Beet sugar, granulated, $4 35 per 100 pounds.

HONEY—13c per No. 1 frame.

BEANS—Small white, 4½c; large white, 4c; pinks, 3½c; Bayou, 3¾c; Lima, 5c per pound.

NUTS—Peanuts, 6½c per pound for raw, 8@ 8½c for roasted; cocoanuts, 65@90c per dozen; walnuts, 13@14c per pound; pine nuts, 10@ 12½c; hickory nuts, 7c; Brazil nuts, 16c; filberts, 15@16c; fancy pecans, 17c; almonds, 14@ 15c; chestnuts, 16c.

GRAIN BAGS—Calcutta, $6 25@6 50 per 100 for spot.

SALT—Liverpool, 50s, $20 80 per ton; 100s, $20 40; 200s, $19 50; half ground, per ton, 50s, $16; 100s, $15 50; Worcester salt, bulk, 320s, $5 per barrel; linen sacks, 50s, 80c per sack.

OILS—Coal oil, cases, 22c per gallon; barrels, 17c; tanks, 15c; boiled linseed, cases, 62c; barrels, 57c; raw linseed, cases, 60c; barrels, 58c; turpentine, cases, 72c; wood barrels, 65c; iron barrels 65c; lots of 10 cases or more, 71c; gasoline, cases, 20c; barrels, 19½c. Collier and Atlantic white and red lead, in lots of 500 pounds or more, 6c; less than 500 pounds, 6½c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—Choice, 25½c@28½c per pound; prime to choice, 24½@25c; prime, 24c; medium, 22@ 23c.

HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 15@15½c per pound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 12c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 16c; dry-salted bulls and stags, one-third less than dry flint; salted hides, steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, 8@9c; 50 to 60 pounds, 7@8c; under 50 pounds and cows, 7c; stags and bulls, sound, 5@5½c; kip, sound, 15 to 20 pounds, 7c; veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 7c; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 8c; green (unsalted), 1c per pound less; culls, 1c per pound less; horse hides, salted, each, $1 50@2; dry, each, $1@ 1 50; colts' hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora, with wool on, each, 25c@$1.

WOOL—Valley, 12½@15c; Eastern Oregon, 8@ 14½c; mohair, 26@28c.

PELTS—Bear skins, as to size, No. 1, each, $5@6 25; cubs, $2@5; badger, each, 10@40c; wildcat, 25@50c; house cat, 5@10c; fox, common gray, each, 20@50c; do red, each $1 50@2; do cross, each, $5@6; do silver and black, each, $100@200; fisher, each, $5@6; lynx, each, $2@3; mink, strictly No. 1, each, 50c@$1 50; marten, dark Northern, $6@12; marten, pale pine, according to size and color, $1 50@2; muskrats, large, each, 5@10c; skunk, each, 40@50c; civet or polecat, each, 5@10c; otter, for large prime skins, each, 30@50c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, each, $3 50@5; wolf, prairie (coyote), without head, each, 30@35c; wolverine, each, $4@7; beaver, per skin, large, $5@6; do medium, $3@4; do small, $1@1 50; do kits, 50@75c.

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 15@20c; short wool, 25@35c; medium wool, 30@60c; long wool, 60c@$1 each.

TALLOW—Prime, per pound, 4@5c; No. 2 and grease, 2½@3c.

Meats and Provisions.

BEEF—Gross, cows, $3@3 50; steers, $4@4 25; dressed, 7½c per pound.

VEAL—7½@8½c per pound.

MUTTON—Gross, $5; dressed, 6c.

LAMBS—Gross, $3 50; dressed, 6½c.

HOGS—Gross, $6@6 25; dressed, 7@7½c.

LARD—Portland, tierces, 13½c per pound; tubs, 13½c; 50c, 13½c; 20s, 13¾c; 10s, 13¾c; 5s, 14c. Compound, tierces, 9½c per pound; tubs, 9½c; fine, 10s, 15½c; seconds, 5s, 14½c; 10s, 14½c.

BACON—Portland, 16½@19c per pound; Eastern, fancy, 17½c; standard, heavy, 15½c; bacon bellies, 15½c.

HAMS—Portland, 14½c per pound; picnic, 10½c per pound; Eastern fancy, 14½@16c.

DRY-SALTED MEATS—Portland clears, 13@ 14c; backs, 12½@13½c; bellies, 15@16c; plates, 10c; butts, 9@10c.

SAUSAGE—Portland, ham, 12½c per pound; minced ham, 10½c; Summer, choice dry, 17½c; Bologna, long, 8c; weinerwursts, 9c; liver, 7c; pork, 9c; blood, 7c; head cheese, 7c; bologna sausage link, 7½c.

PICKLED GOOD—Portland, pigs' feet, ½-barrels, $4 50; ¼-barrels, $2 50; 15-pound kit, $1. Tripe, ½-barrels, $3 50; ½-barrels, $2 75; 15-pound kit, $1; pigs' tongues, ½-barrels, $6; ¼-barels, $3; 45-pound kits, $1 25.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Chicago, Omaha, and Kansas City.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 38,000, including 200 Westerns; 15@25c lower; good to prime steers, $5 75@7; poor to medium, $3@5 75; stockers and feeders, $2@4 60; cows, $1 40@4 50; heifers, $2@4 75; canners, $1 40 @2 40; bulls, $2@4 50; calves, $3 50@6 75; Texas fed steers, $3@4 25; Western steers, $3 50@4 75.

Hogs—Receipts today, 45,000; tomorrow, 35,000; left over, 4000. Steady, close strong. Mixed and butchers, $5 85@6 30; good to choice heavy, $6 30@6 50; rough heavy, $5 70 @6 15; light, $5 60@6 15; bulk of sales, $6@ 6 20.

Sheep—Receipts, 50,000. Sheep, 10@15c lower; lambs, 15@25c lower. Good to choice wethers, $3 60@4; fair to choice mixed, $2 50 @3 60; Western sheep, $2 70@3 80; native lambs, $3 50@5 70; Western lambs, $3 75@5.

*SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 1.—Cattle—Receipts 5000. Market steady. Native steers, $3 75@6 25; cows and heifers, $3@4; Western steers, $3 50@5; Texas steers, $3 25@4 50; cows and heifers, $2 50@3 75; canners, $1 50 @2 50; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 40; calves, $3 50@5 75; bulls, stags, etc., $1 75@ 3 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 7000. Market lower. Heavy, $6@6 12½; mixed, $6 05@6 10; light, $6 12½@ 6 15; pigs, $5@6; bulk of sales, $6 05@6 12½.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000. Market steady. Fed muttons, yearlings, $3 60@4; wethers, $2 10@ 3; ewes, $2 50@3 25; common and stockers, $1 50@3 25; lambs, $4@5.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000, including 1500 Texans; market, steady to lower. Native steers, $3 25@6 25; Texas and Indian steers, $2 75@4; Texas cows, $2 10 @3 25; native cows and heifers, $1 35@4 25; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 20; bulls, $1 50 @3; calves, $2 35@5 90; Western steers, $3@ 5 55; Western cows, $1 80@3.

Hogs—Receipts, 5000; bulk of sales, $6@6 10. Heavy, $6@6 20; packers, $5 85@6 10; medium, $6@6 15; light, $5 90@6 05; yorkers, $6@6 05; pigs, $5 25@6 80.

Sheep—Receipts, 5000; market, steady. Muttons, $3@4 65; lambs, $3 50@5 20; range wethers, $3@3 90; ewes, $3@3 85.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Prices Current for Produce at the Bay City.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—Apples are easier. Potatoes and onions are unchanged.

Vegetables—Cucumbers, 75c@$1 per box; garlic, 2@2½c per pound; green peas, 5@6c per pound; string beans, 6@12c per pound; tomatoes, 50c@1 25; onions, 35@65c; egg plant, 75c @$1.

Apples—Choice, $1 75; common, 30c.

Bananas—$1@2 50.

Limes—Mexican, $4@4 50.

California lemons—Choice, $3; common, $1.

Oranges—Navels, $2 25@3 50.

Pineapples—$1 50@3 50.

Potatoes—Early Rose, 65@75c; River Burbanks, 25@35c; river reds, 40@50c; Salinas Burbanks, 90c@$1 17½; sweets, $1 25; Oregon Burbanks, 65c@$1 05.

Poultry—Turkey gobblers, 14@16c; do hens, 14@16c; old roosters, $4 50@6; do, young, $5@ 6 50; small broilers, $3@4; do, large, $4@4 50; fryers, $4 50@5; hens, $4 50@5 50; old ducks, $3@4; do, young, $4 50@6 50.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 34c; do seconds, 30c; fancy dairy, 30c; do seconds, 27c.

Eggs—Fancy ranch, 40c; Eastern, 24@29c.

Cheese—Young America, 15@16c; Eastern, 16@17c.

Wool—Fall—Humboldt and Mendocino, 13@ 14c; mountains, 8@10c.

Hay—Wheat, $12@15; wheat and oats, $11 50 @14; barley, $8 50@10 50; alfalfa, $8@11 50; clover, $7 50@9 50; straw, 40@60c per bale.

Hops—23@26c.

Millstuffs—Bran, $19 50@20 50; middlings, $23 50@25.

Receipts—Flour, 25,244 quarter sacks; do Oregon, 2456 quarter sacks; wheat, 7810 centals; barley, 10,000 centals; oats, 2480 centals; beans, 1120 sacks; corn, 910 centals; do Eastern Oregon, 450 centals; potatoes, 11,909 sacks; bran, 1535 sacks; middlings, 210 sacks; hay, 397 tons; wool, 39 barrels; hides, 564.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Copper was unchanged in the London market today, spot there closing at £49 15s and futures at £50. Locally the metal was dull and without change. Standard, $10 50; lake, $11 25@11 50; electrolytic and casting $11 12½@11 25. Exports of copper for the month of November were 10,520 tons, making 153,206 tons for the 11 months of the current year, as compared with 83,788 tons for the same period of last year, and 141,217 tons in 1900.

Tin had a sharp advance in London, spot there closing at £115 5s and futures at £111 17s 6d, or at a gain of £1 5s. Reflecting the strength abroad, New York was also higher, spot closing at $25 15@25 25.

Lead was quiet and unchanged here at 4¼c and in London at £10 12s 6d.

Spelter was lower here, being quoted at $5 12½, but was unchanged at London at £19 17s 6d.

Iron in England was lower and dull, Glasgow closing at 53s 11d and Middlesboro at 51s. The local market was quiet and unchanged. No. 1 foundry Northern, $24@25; No. 2 foundry Northern, $23@23; No. 1 foundry Southern and No. 1 foundry Southern soft, $23@23.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Coffee—Futures closed quiet; net, 5@10 points lower. Total sales were 29,500 bags, including December, $4 45@4 50; January, $4 55; February, $4 65; March, $4 75@4 80; May, $5@5 05; August, $5 25; November, $5 35. Spot—Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5 3-16c; mild quiet; Cordova, 7½ @12c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3⅝c; centrifugal 96-test, 3⅞c; molasses sugar, 3⅛c.

MERGER OF TRACTIONS

SPECULATIVE CAMPAIGN ON IN NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Strength Felt in Coal Group on Rumors of Plan for Combining All the Roads.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Today's stock market made a rather notable show of strength and prices were up 1 per cent or more. This was due in part to the sympathetic effects of movements in special stocks in which a speculative campaign was going on, but general conditions also played a part. Of these special movements the most notable was in the traction group. The accompanying gossip quite generally pointed to a plan with a comprehensive merger of all the traction facilities within the Greater New York corporate limits and a supposed share in the control by New York Central and Pennsylvania. Manhattan conspicuously abstained from a share in the movement and was at times below Saturday's level. The dealings in this stock were rather light. This gave some color to a supposition that the movement among the other tractions were designed to adjust their valuations to the higher level already attained by Manhattan.

Another conspicuous center of strength was felt in the coal group, especially the North and South roads traversing the region on the Ohio River and the lakes. Rumors were current of a plan for combining all the railroads in the group by making a holding company of one of the smaller companies. Hocking Valley and Kanawha and Michigan were most conspicuously affected.

Among the more general considerations which affected the market was a hope that the December disbursements of interest and dividends, which are estimated at about $75,000,000, would afford relief to the local money market. The payment in London today of $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 on account of the shipping combine also aroused hopes of easier conditions in the money market. Actual quotations for call money were firm, under the continuing influences of preparations for the December disbursements, and time money rates were unchanged. The opinion of bankers, in spite of today's stock market view, is for a continuance of close money conditions over the end of the year. There was some speculation on the assumption that selling of stocks on the ground of supposed anti-trust views to be expressed in the President's message would prove unwarranted. Some very heavy blocks of St. Paul were placed, the source of which gave rise to much gossip in connection with the authorized new stock issue. The mystery of the selling was unrevealed. The seasonable cold weather has a good effect on the general market and more especially on the coalers. There were occasional setbacks throughout the day, but the closing was firm and at about the top for many stocks.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, $2,010,000. United States 3s coupons advanced ¼ per cent on the last call.

Closing Stock Quotations.

STOCKS.	Sales.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing bid.
Atchison	60,600	83⅝	83½	83½
do pfd	1,300	99	98½	98⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	15,050	100¼	98½	100
do pfd				93½
Canadian Pacific	13,300	129½	127⅞	129⅝
Canada Southern				75
Chesapeake & Ohio	4,800	48	46	46⅝
Chicago & Alton	300	33⅝	33	33
do pfd	200	71	70½	70¼
Chicago & Eastern Ill.				215
Chicago Great Western	900	26⅛	25⅝	25⅝
do A pfd				83½
do B pfd	500	37	37	37
Chicago & N. W.				223
Chicago Term. & Tran.				17
do pfd	300	33	32⅝	32⅝
C., C., C. & St. Louis				96
Colorado Southern	500	29⅝	28½	29½
do 1st pfd	400	69½	68⅝	68⅝
do 2d pfd	100	43	43	42½
Delaware & Hudson	400	162	161½	161
Del., Lack. & Western	1,000	249½	245	249
Denver & Rio Grande	700	40	39⅝	40
do pfd	1,500	89⅝	89	89½
Erie	9,600	34½	33⅝	34⅝
do 1st pfd	2,400	65¼	64⅝	65
do 2d pfd	200	46½	46	46
Great Northern pfd	500	186½	186½	183½
Hocking Valley	1,400	101⅞	98½	101⅞
do pfd	1,700	95⅝	94½	95½
Illinois Central	2,900	145⅝	144½	145
Iowa Central	1,200	39⅝	39½	39
do pfd	100	68	68	67½
Lake Erie & Western				52
do pfd				112
Louisville & Nashville	1,400	130⅝	128	129⅝
Manhattan Elevated	21,000	157⅝	156	156
Metropolitan Street Ry.	41,600	144⅝	141	144½
Mexican Central	200	23	23	22⅝
Mexican National				16
Minn. & St. Louis	200	108	107	107½
Missouri Pacific	900	107⅝	106⅝	107½
M., K. & T.	2,000	29⅝	25⅝	26¼
do pfd	800	57½	57	57
New Jersey Central				165
New York Central	57,000	156	154	157⅝
Norfolk & Western	10,700	71⅝	70½	71¼
do pfd				91
Ontario & Western	4,900	30⅝	29⅝	30
Pennsylvania	10,700	157⅝	156½	157⅝
Reading	43,200	62	60⅛	61½
do 1st pfd				86
do 2d pfd	300	77	76	76
St. Louis & San Fran.	500	73⅝	72⅝	73½
do 1st pfd				80
do 2d pfd	520	71¼	71¼	71⅛
St. Louis S. W.	100	28	28	27½
do pfd	400	63	62⅝	63
St. Paul	50,700	176⅝	174⅝	175⅞
do pfd				190
Southern Pacific	26,500	63⅝	62⅝	63⅝
Southern Railway	7,200	32⅝	32½	32⅝
do pfd	800	92⅝	92⅝	92½
Texas & Pacific	2,900	42⅝	41½	42⅛
Toledo, St. L. & W.	1,200	29⅝	29½	29½
do pfd	1,700	48	48	47⅝
Union Pacific	30,600	101	99½	101⅛
do pfd	1,500	92	91	92
Wabash	1,000	29⅝	29⅝	29¼
do pfd	400	44½	43½	44
Wheeling & Lake Erie	500	29	28½	28½
do 2d pfd	500	53	52½	52
Wisconsin Central	700	25⅝	25	25⅛
do pfd	400	51	50⅝	50½
Express Companies—				
Adams				200
American				220
United States				125
Wells-Fargo				210
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	21,500	58½	56½	57⅝
Amer. Car & Foundry	300	34⅝	34½	34½
do pfd	700	90⅝	90½	90½
American Linseed Oil	100	15	15	15
do pfd				42
Amer. Smelt. & Refin.	4,400	40⅝	38⅝	39
do pfd	500	91	90⅝	91
Anaconda Mining Co.				88
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	76,200	67⅛	64	67⅛
Colorado Fuel & Iron	500	86	86½	86½
Consolidated Gas	1,700	214⅝	213	213
Cont. Tobacco pfd				117
General Electric	200	179¼	179	177
Hocking Coal	2,300	22	21⅝	21½
International Paper	100	18	18	17½
do pfd	100	72½	72½	71½
International Power	100	50	50	48
Laclede Gas				90
National Biscuit	700	46	45½	45
National Lead	1,400	28	27⅝	27⅝
North American				118
Pacific Coast				68
Pacific Mail	100	40	40	38
People's Gas	6,700	102⅝	100⅝	102¼
Pressed Steel Car	1,200	61	60	60⅝
do pfd				91
Pullman Palace Car				228
Republic Steel	1,100	20½	19⅝	20¼
do pfd	1,100	77½	77	77¼
Sugar	25,600	122¼	120⅝	122
Tennessee Coal & Iron	600	57⅝	57¼	57½
Union Bag & Paper Co.				12½
do pfd	100	78½	78½	77
United States Leather	1,700	12⅝	12⅝	12¼
do pfd	200	89	88½	88½
United States Rubber				16
do pfd				52½
United States Steel	11,560	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝
do pfd	14,000	84	83⅝	83⅝
Western Union	1,200	88¼	88	87⅝
American Locomotive	700	28⅝	28	27⅝
do pfd	300	91½	91¼	91¼
Kansas City Southern	1,900	32½	32	32⅝
do pfd	700	55⅝	55¼	55½
Rock Island	32,000	44½	43½	46⅝
do pfd	5,000	83⅝	81½	83

Total sales for the day, 648,500 shares.

BONDS.

U. S. 2s, ref. reg.	107⅝	Atchison adj. 4s	91⅝
do coupon	108¼	C. & N.W. con. 7s	134
do 3s, reg.	107⅝	D. & R. G. 4s	100½
do coupon	108⅛	N. Cent. 1sts	102⅝
do new 4s, reg.	135⅛	Northern Pac. 3s	72⅝
do coupon	135½	do 4s	103⅛
do old 4s, reg.	108½	Southern Pac. 4s	104⅝
do coupon	109½	West Shore 4s	113½
do 5s, reg.	103⅝	Wis. Central 4s	92½
do coupon	103⅝		

Stocks at London.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Closing quotations:

Anaconda	4½	Norfolk & West	73
Atchison	84⅝	do pfd	93
do pfd	101	Ontario & Western	30
Balt. & Ohio	102	Pennsylvania	80¼
Can. Pacific	131½	Rands	16⅝
Ches. & Ohio	47¼	Reading	31¼
Chi. Gr. Western	26½	do 1st pfd	44¼
Chi., M. & St. P.	180¼	do 2d pfd	38½
Denver & Rio Gr.	40¼	Southern Ry	35⅝
do pfd	91⅝	do pfd	84½
De Beers	22⅛	Southern Pacific	64⅝
Erie	34⅝	Union Pacific	102½
do 1st pfd	66⅝	do pfd	93
do 2d pfd	47½	U. S. Steel	37¼
Illinois Central	148	do pfd	89⅝
Louis. & Nash.	132	Wabash	30
M., K. & T.	26¼	do pfd	44
N. Y. Central	158		

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Money on call at 4½ @5½ per cent, closing, 4@5 per cent. Time money, steady; 60 days, 6 per cent; 90 days, 6 per cent; six months, 3¾@6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers bills at $4 87½@4 87.65 for demand and at $4 83.50@4 83.625 for 60 days. Posted rates, $4 84½@4 88. Commercial bills, $4 83@4 84.

Bar silver, 48⅝c.

Mexican dollars, 37½c.

Government bonds firm; railroad bonds irregular.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Bar silver, uncertain, 22⅝d per ounce.

Money, 3@3½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅝@13-16 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3 13-16@⅞ per cent.

Consols for money, 92⅝; for account, 92⅝.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Silver bars, 48⅝c.

Mexican dollars nominal.

Drafts—Sights, par; telegraph, 2½c.

Sterling on London 60 days, $4 84; sterling on London on sight, $4 87½.

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Today's Treasury statement shows:

Available cash balances	$204,575,588
Gold	114,967,774

Bank Clearings.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$916,262	$ 84,574
Seattle	892,867	147,453
Tacoma	354,803	37,409
Spokane	404,770	60,093

Dairy Produce at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm. Creameries, 18@28c. Cheese, firm, 11@12c. Eggs, steady, 24c.

AT THE HOTELS.

THE PORTLAND.

Dave Beem, N Y
Leopold Powell, N Y
Maj Geo H Penrose, U S A
Frank G Taylor, S F
Leo E Skoiny, N Y
N L Brinker, S F
M J Quinlan, S F
G W Bates and daughter, S F
Miss McCargon, Oakland
L Cochran, Boston
Jos Drucker, N Y
F H Lewis, N Y
Chas Haile, N Y
S M Hauser, Mnpls
U J Spencer, Denver
Syd Weinsheink, S F
C G Brown, S F
E Wolf, S F
G Schlesinger, S F
J Alexander, S F
Wm E Barrett, Grand Rapids
Ernest E Reed, N Y
R Braxtor Henry, N Y
Louis DeCastro Palonius, Spain
S M Calderland and wife, Walla Walla
L Light, N Y
W W Hossland, S F
M Bollin, S F
B Stanley Rewett, Denver
W H McCuin, Boston
T F Ogg, Minneapis
A G Prodty, S F
J A Devlin and wf, Astoria
M L Requa, S F
Sam W Hasbrook, Lewiston, Id
A Avery Bevin, Conz
Marshall Bevin, do
S B Elliott, S F
J B Molera, do
M J Maloney, St Joseph
G D Eggabroad and wf Winnebago City
A J Siman and wf, Sioux City
A E Hice, Centralia
Chas Tooby, Seattle
Wm Gross, Minneapolis
F T George, Arlington
L W Robbins, Walla Walla
A Goldstein, S F
P Johnson, N Y
G M Bepkit, Tacoma
Thos M Dudgeon, Pittsburg, Pa
Simon Judd, N Y
E R Hastings, Boston
W W Gatchell, Myrtle Point
John W Masury, N Y
John Dohse, N Y
A M Drake & wf, N Y
J E Kelty & wf, N Y
M J Henehan, Seattle
A Hewitt, Damascus
J W Chandler, S F
A Spence, S F

THE PERKINS.

C W Swartz, Napavine, Wash
Mrs C W Swartz, do
John Primrose, South Bend, Ind
Mrs John Primrose, do
D W Harrison, St L
E T Staples, Ashland, Wis
J H Bridgford, Seattle
G Anderson, Tacoma
C A Lounger, Sacmto
B F Cannon, McMinn
C G Roberts, Hood R
N A Brown, Dallas
G H Clark, San Fr
Mrs G H Clark, do
C W Headley, Winnebago City, Minn
John Stubbs, San Fr
Mrs John Stubbs, do
Miss Stubbs, San Fr
Miss Ada Kurgen, do
Fred Russell, San Fr
Mrs Fred Russell, do
F L Herrmann, Mnpls
Mrs F L Herrmann do
H C Fagoley, Cincin
G O Miller, McMinn
Dr F H Caffern, Ashland, Or
T P Roglen, Pendltn
W Ballons, Pendleton
J N B Gerking, Athena
W H Eccles, Ogden
James Finlayson, Astoria
D A Hendricks, Libby, Mont
Bismarck Schall, WW
H C Jackson, Arlingtn
Sam Sidman, N Y
A H Carver, Brainard, Wis
Mrs Carver, do
H C Lewis, Lewiston
John E Chappell, Goldendale, Wash
Mrs J E Chappell, do
Master Chappell, do
Carl Cams, Boise
J D McKinney, do
Mrs A Kirk, Athena
Miss Kirk, Athena
Chas E Young, Seattle
Chester Brown, do
Mark Lowen, Seattle
T B Hubbard, McCorpick
Mrs T B Hubbard, do
Mrs H McCormick, do
Mrs R P Hubbard, do
Thos T Myles, Des Mns
Mrs T T Myles, do
J P Anderson, Tacoma
A Hewett, Damascus
Henry O Boyd, Seattle
W S Alcorn, King's Vy
J R Miller, Moro, Or
W S Miller, Moro, Or
T H Rudchy, Vancvr
Mrs T R Rudchy, do
Mrs A R Tozier, McCoy, Or
R H Tozier, do
M Caples, Caples, Wn
Mrs M Caples, do
J D Matherson, LaGrd
Martin Lefevre, Or
Mrs M Lefevre, do
H R Reed, Latourell
John A Wilson, HoodR
Mrs R R Smith, Grand Forks, N D
John Bogart, Woodland
B F Jones, Toledo, Or
R P Boins, Salem
J C Graves, Porter, Ill
Mrs J C Graves, do
J S Seeley, Astoria
Henry Blackman, Heppner
R P Adams, do
T Gallagher, Arlington
Mrs T Gallagher, do
M B Galloway, Heppner, Or
Etta