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The French have always been proud of their cooks. In the old time, Gaston Phœbus at a single meal served up as many as 300 different dishes, all of which were the creations of his own brain. The present cook of the Lion d'Or brings out a new dish of his own each season. But this is no longer common. There are signs that French cookery has had its day, and is living on the reputation of the past. Still there are great names and successes to recommend.

Gambetta, who dearly loved good living, made a stir at one time with the fortunes of his cook. This was the famous Trompette. He had been the cook of the Duc de Noailles, but the republican dictator persuaded him to leave the service of aristocracy by offering him a salary of $2,400 a year. This was something enormous for France. It must be remembered, however, that the commission of one cent out of every twenty which the French cooks collect from tradesmen, along with the remnants and savings and pickings and other benefices, amount to many times over the original salary. In the large Parisian clubs, where the best cooks are now said to be found, their annual income is estimated at from $4,000 to $6,000 a year. Gambetta, who had all his money from politics, was open-handed. When he died Trompette was able to retire with a handsome fortune to a villa which he had bought down in Berri. There he rested from his labors, and became as mighty a fisherman as he had been an accomplished cook. Then he died.

This was only last autumn, when the Russians were visiting Paris and being feasted everywhere. To their surprise all the French papers declared that with Trompette the glorious traditions of French cookery had passed. The exaggeration, although there are signs that the rushing and careless spirit of the age has brought down the standard of cooking, which was so long a fine art in France. Abroad the renown of the French cook is as great as ever.

There are still famous cooks in Paris. The complaint is that they tend to disappear from the great public establishments, where their place has been taken by slovenly workmen, who have not the old conscientious art. Aurelieu Scholl, who was the chronicler of the Boulevard in its glory, says that to dine well at a restaurant nowadays you must take a train to Brussels. He attributes the decadence to the new generation of restaurateurs, many of whom have worked their way up from being mere waiters, and are in far too great a hurry to make their fortunes. It is also said that the official dinners given by the Ministers of State are too often fit only to poison the guests. A parvenu politician has neither the time nor the taste to keep that watch over his kitchen to which the thoroughbreds of the old regime used to be trained.

President Casimir-Perier, so it is said again, is an exception to this rule under the Republic. Fleuret, the cook whom he has installed in the Elysee, was with him when he was Minister of Foreign Affairs, and also when he was President of the Chamber of Deputies. He is a man that has accredited himself. He is fit to rival with the cook of the Duc de Doudeauville who has never served in a less family than a baron's, or, with Bourzon, who is now with the Duchess of Alba, after winning his renown under the Empire with Prince Orloff. Thus another barrier is removed between the Faubourg Saint Germain and the Elysee.

The Russians themselves could appeal to the splendid example of their Czar's kamerlourier. He is very much of a chef, for he is at the head of all the Imperial kitchens, and he has the right to wear a sword. It is not the first time, as he fought on the French side all through the war of 1870. When Germany finally took possession of his native Alsace, he went to seek his fortune in Russia, rather than dwell at home with the conqueror. M. Krantz soon became famous and his dishes may have helped on the Franco-Russian alliance. Alexander III. has exempted him from the law which requires that the Imperial cooks shall at least be naturalized Russians, and he has even extended this privilege to the numerous French undercooks whom the chef has in his employ.

M. Kranz, whose French citizenship is thus officially recognized a[illegible] with his cookery, is a great man at court. He has under his orders four furnishing officers, with 130 lackeys and apprentice boys, besides his own special corps of two assistant chiefs, with 42 professional aids, 20 apprentices, 32 waiters, and two bakers and two confectioners in chief, with their special assistants to the number of 20. He has five secretaries for correspondence, bills, menus, and the rest. On the days of high ceremony as many as 1,200 persons are under his command. The grandees of the court remark that this French cook has a clear revenue of $35,000 a year.

The chief cook and the head pastryman of Queen Victoria are French, and so is the chef of the Prince of Wales. Another who served his apprenticeship under Jules Couffe, of the Paris Jockey Club, has been successively cook to the Kings of Sweden and Roumania, to the banker Rothschild, and latterly to that German Prince of Battenberg who married a granddaughter of Queen Victoria. It is even whispered in Berlin that the conqueror has capitulated, and Kaiser Wilhelm eats according to the dictation of a French chef. The $10,000 French cook of the American Railway King Vanderbilt is not forgotten in Paris. He has opened a restaurant across the way from the Opera Comique, which they are now rebuilding at the old site where the fire took place in 1887.—Philadelphia Times.

The healthy glow disappearing from the cheek, and moaning and restlessness at night are sure symptoms of worms in children. Do not fail to get a bottle of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; it is an effectual medicine.

WILLIAM H. HUNTER OF TORONTO

Arrested at Clifton on a Charge of Fraud.

Chief of Police Young of Clifton arrested a man on Saturday night in that village charged with obtaining money under false pretences. The man is William R. Hunter, who is said to have come from Toronto, and for some time has been quite well-known in the town. He began business there as a lumber dealer, selling in carload lots. Then he became interested in the Waverly House, but got out of that business. In the meantime it is charged that Hunter obtained no inconsiderable credit from merchants, and it is claimed by them that he did so upon his representation that he was financially responsible for his obligations. When it became rumored that Hunter was about to leave the city and did not have a cent, the merchants began proceedings against him. Hunter is sick, and his wife also. He was locked up on Saturday and remains confined, as he could not obtain bail. His arrest created quite a sensation in the town.

York Pioneers.

York Pioneers met yesterday afternoon at the Canadian Institute. Rev. Dr. Scadding, the President, occupying the chair. Short patriotic speeches, interspersed with interesting and amusing anecdotes of the early history of the country, were made by Rev. Mr. Fawcett, Rev. Mr. Wallace, Messrs. Stephen Moore, D. B. Read, E. M. Morphy, John Bryans and others.

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Sterling Exchange Firmer — New York Stocks Opened Lower, but Closed at An Advance—Wheat Lower at Chicago, While Cables Ruled Very Firm—Cotton Weaker—Latest Commercial News.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 4.

Canadian stocks were a little more active to-day and stronger. The features were Cable, Western Assurance and Montreal Street Railway.

Our banks have decided to reduce the rate on deposits from 3 1-2 to 3 per cent., which rate will go into effect shortly.

Consols are higher at 103 for money and account.

The gold in the United States Treasury has increased to about $109,000,000 owing to sales of bonds.

Canadian Pacific higher, closing at 61 3-8 in London, and at 60 3-8 in New York. St. Paul lower in London at 59 1-2, Erie at 12 1-4, Reading at 8, and N.Y.C. at 101 1-4.

Bradstreet's reports an increase in wheat during the week of 896,000 bushels east of Rockies, and a decrease of 287,000 west, making net increase of 611,000 bushels. Amount in Europe and afloat increased 424,000, and world's visible increased 1,000,000 bushels.

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Money Markets.

The local money market is unchanged at 4 to 4 1-2 per cent. for call loans. At Montreal the rate is 4, at New York 1 to 1 1-2, and at London 1-2 per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 2, and the open market rate 1 per cent.

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Foreign Exchange.

Rates of exchange, as reported by Æmilius Jarvis & Co., stock brokers, are as follows:

	Between Banks. Counter. Buyers.	Sellers.	
New York funds	¼ to ¼	1-32 dis to par	
Sterling, 60 days	9¾ to 9⅞	9 7-16 to 9½	
do demand	10 to 10⅛	9 11-16 to 9¾	

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days....	4 87½	4 86¾ to 4.87
do. demand....	4.89	4.88

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Toronto Stock Market.

Toronto, Dec. 4. — Montreal, 222 and 218; Ontario, 107 1-2 and 105 1-2; Molsons, 168 1-2 asked; Toronto, 250 and 246; Merchants', 164 and 162; Commerce, 138 and 137 7-8; Imperial, 183 1-2 and 182 1-2; Dominion, 277 and 275; Standard, 166 and 164 3-4; Hamilton, 157 and 155.

British America, 115 and 114; Western Assurance, 153 and 152 1-2; Consumers' Gas, 191 1-4 and 190 1-2; Dominion Telegraph, 113 and 111 1-2; Can. Northwest Land Co., pref., 70 asked; Can. Pacific Railway Stock, 60 1-4 and 60; Toronto Electric Light Co., 180 asked; Incandescent Light Co., 109 and 105 3-4; General Electric, 90 asked; Commercial Cable Co., 142 and 141 1-2; Bell Telephone Co., 154 and 153; do., new, 153 1-4 and 152 1-2; Montreal Street Railway Co., 259 1-2 and 258 1-2; do., new, 258 and 256.

British Canadian L. & Invest., 117 and 113; B. & Loan Association, 101 asked; Can. Landed & Nat. Invest. Co., 125 and 122 1-4; Canada Permanent, 175 asked; do., 20 per cent., 165 asked; Central Canada Loan, 128 1-2 and 123 1-4; Dominion Savings and Invest. Society, 78 1-4 and 75 1-4; Farmers' L. & Savings, 112 asked; do., 20 per cent., 103 asked; Freehold L. & Savings, 135 asked; do., 20 per cent., 125 asked; Hamilton Provident, 128 asked; Huron & Erie L. & Savings, 167 and 163; Imp. L. and Invest., 114 and 110; Landed Banking & Loan, 115 1-2 bid; Land Security Co., 140 asked; Lon. & Can. L. & A., 123 asked; Manitoba Loan, 95 asked; Ontario Industrial Loan, 75 and 60; Ontario Loan & Deb., 129 bid; People's Loan, 56 asked; Real Estate Loan and Deb. Co., 75 asked; Toronto Savings and Loan, 123 and 118 1-2; Union Loan and Savings, 126 asked; Western Canada L. and S., 165 and 163; do., 25 per cent., 160 asked.

Morning transactions: Toronto, 2 at 247; Imperial, 2 at 182 3-4, 1 at 182 1-2; Western Assurance, 100 at 152; Cable, 50 at 141 1-2; Telephone, 20 at 153; Central Canada Loan, 45 at 124; London and Canadian, 72 at 120; Western Canada, 10 at 165.

Afternoon transactions: Western Assurance, 100, 50, 5 at 152, 5 at 152 1-2; C. P. R., 50 at 60 1-8; Incandescent, 1 at 106 1-2.

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Montreal Stock Market.

Montreal, Dec. 4.—Close—Montreal, 222 1-2 and 218; Ontario, xd, 108 and 105 3-4; Toronto, 250 and 245 1-2; Merchants', 164 and 162 3-4; People's, 125 and 122; Commerce, 138 and 137; Montreal Telegraph, 154 1-2 and 153; Richelieu, 86 and 83; Street Railway, 159 1-4 and 159; Cable, 142 and 141 3-4; Telephone, 155 and 152 3-4; Duluth, 4 and 3; do., pref., 12 and 8 1-2; C.P.R., 60 1-2 and 60; Northwest Land Co., 60 asked; Gas, 185 1-2 and 185.

Morning sales: C. P. R., 25 at 60; Cable, 50 at 141 3-4, 75 at 141 1-2; Street Railway, 30 at 158, 2 at 158 1-2; do., new, 100 at 155 1-4; 50 at 155 1-2, 25 at 155 3-4, 6 at 155; Gas, 560 at 185, 5 at 184 3-4; Montreal, 3 at 218 5-8; Merchants', 4 at 163 1-4, 5 at 163 1-2.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 50 at 142; Richelieu, 50 at 83; Street Railway, 25 at 158 3-4, 302 at 158 1-2, 55 at 159; do., new, 50 at 155 3-4, 25 at 156, 50 at 156 1-2, 27 at 156 1-4, 315 at 156 1-2; Gas, 50 at 185; Telephone, 1 at 153.

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New York Stocks.

The fluctuations in the New York Stock Exchange to-day were as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	83	85⅝	83⅞	85¼
American Tobacco	94½	94½	93⅛	93¾
Ches. & Ohio	17¾	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞
Cotton Oil	....	....	....	27⅝
Atchison	4⅞	4⅞	4⅛	4¼
Chi., Burlington & Q.	69⅝	70⅝	69⅝	70⅝
Chicago Gas Trust	69¾	72	69¾	71⅞
Canada Southern	....	....	....	50½b
C.C.C. & I.	....	....	....	37½b
Del. & Hudson	126¾	126¾	126¼	126¼
Del., Lac. & W.	162¼	162¾	162¼	162¾
Erie	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
Lake Shore	136	136½	136	136
Louisville & Nashville	53⅞	54¼	53⅞	54¼
Manhattan	106	106	105¾	106
Missouri Pacific	27⅞	28¼	27¾	28¼
U.S. Cordage Co.	7¾	8	7¾	8
New England	31	31⅛	30¼	31
N.Y. Central & Hud.	99	99½	99	99
Northern Pacific Pref.	18	18	18	18
Northwestern	99	99¼	98⅝	99½
General Electric Co.	34⅞	35½	34¾	35¼
Rock Island & Pac.	60⅝	61⅛	60⅝	61⅛
Omaha	33	33½	33	33½
Richmond Terminal	....	....	....	22
Pacific Mail	21⅛	22⅛	21⅛	22
Phila. & Reading	16	16	15⅝	15¾
St. Paul	58¼	58¼	57⅞	58⅛
Union Pacific	11⅝	11⅞	11¾	11⅞
Western Union	87⅛	87⅛	87	87⅛
Distillers	8⅛	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
Jersey Central	93½	94½	93½	94½
National Lead	38⅛	38¾	38⅛	38¾
Wabash Pref.	13⅞	14⅛	13⅞	14⅛

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Tips From Wall-Street.

The market closed firm.

Lake Shore is oversold.

B. and Q. lent at 1-8 premium to-day.

The London market was weaker to-day.

St. Paul lower on poor traffic returns, which for fourth week of November decreased $154,000, and for the whole month $640,000.

The satisfactory results at meeting of coal agents yesterday will likely attract attention to coal shares.

Rock Island earnings for November show a decrease of only $144,000.

Net decrease in Jersey Central for October was $189,112.

Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Ladenburg, Thalman & Co., New York: Variability has prevailed throughout the entire day, but the market on the whole has been strong. The drawback to this has been no other buying power than that supplied by the short interest. Manipulation in Sugar and Chicago Gas must also be given its due weight, but the proceedings throughout were professional, and the movement of prices would indicate that the speculative regulars have been favorably impressed by the President's message so far as it refers to the national finances. Sugar's strength, in the face of the President's adverse views and the possibility of a reduced dividend, excites surprise, and something else than the short interest is required to explain its strength. St. Paul's earnings for November were so bad that only the heavy short interest would account for the strength of the group, and the covering of a large short interest would also explain the upward course of Chicago Gas. At the close the whole market was strong, with Gas and Sugar leading, the Grangers being quiet but steady.

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Commercial Miscellany.

Oil is higher, closing at 87 1-2c.

Cash wheat at Chicago 56c.

Puts on May wheat 60 1-8c, calls 60 3-4c.

Puts on May corn 49 1-2c, calls 49 5-8c to 49 3-4c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.65 cash and $5.75 for Feb.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 6500; market quiet but steady; sheep, 8000; market quiet.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 102, corn 488, oats 179. Estimated for Wednesday: Wheat 90, corn 250, oats 100.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago today 42,000; official Monday 45,878; left over 5000; market slow and 5c to 10c lower; heavy shippers $4.20 to $4.80; estimated for Wednesday 44,000.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 872 cars, as against 658 cars the same day last year.

Exports at New York to-day: Wheat, 40,877 bush; flour, 14,468 bbls and 32,303 sacks.

Receipts of wheat at Liverpool the past three days were 153,000 centals, including 104,000 centals of American; corn, 6400 centals.

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Breadstuffs.

Flour—The market is dull but steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $2.60 to $2.75; Ontario patents at $2.80 to $2.85.

Bran—The market is steady, with cars of bran quoted at $11 to $11.25 west, and at $12 to $12.50, Toronto freights. Shorts, $13.50 to $14, Toronto freights.

Wheat—The market is unchanged, with moderate offerings. White is quoted at 56c to 57c west. Manitoba grades firm. No. 1 hard is held at 74c to 75c west, and at 76c east.

Barley—The market is quiet, with sales of No. 1 outside at 43c to 44c. No. 2 is quoted at 40c.

Oats — The market is firm, with sales of mixed at 27c west, and of white at 28c west, and at 29c to 29 1-2c on Midland.

Peas—The market is unchanged, with car lots selling west at 52c.

Rye—Business quiet, with sales outside west at 41c.

Buckwheat—There is a quiet trade at unchanged prices. Odd cars sold outside at 37c to 38c.

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Toronto Live Stock Market.

The receipts at Western Yards to-day were 37 carloads. There was a moderate demand for cattle, with sales of the best at 3 1-2c to 3 3-4c per lb., the latter for fancy stock. Medium to good butchers' cattle sold at 2 3-4c to 3c, and inferior at 2 1-4c to 2 1-2c. Stockers are quiet at 2 1-2c to 3c per lb. Calves sold at $4 to $5 per head, the latter for averages of 140 lbs. Milch cows sold at $28 to $45 each.

Sheep are steady, with receipts of 600 head. The best bring 3 1-4c to 3 3-8c per lb., and inferior 3c. Lambs are steady at $2 to $2.75 each. Hogs are unchanged, with receipts of 1200 head. The best bacon lots sell at 4c per lb., weighed off cars, and others at 3 1-2c to 3 3-4c.

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THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

Business was a little more active at St. Lawrence Market to-day, and prices generally unchanged.

Grain.

Wheat is firm, with sales of 500 bushels of white at 60c to 60 1-2c, red at 59c to 60c, and goose at 59c. Barley dull, with sales of 2600 bushels at 40c to 45c. Oats steady, 1000 bushels selling at 30c to 31c. Peas sold at 56c for 100 bushels, and a load of buckwheat at 42 1-2c.

Hay and Straw.

Hay quiet and steady, with 30 loads at $7 to $8.50 a ton. Car lots of baled $8.50 to $9. Straw sold at $7.50 to $8.50.

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Poultry and Provisions.

Jobbing prices: Chickens, fresh, 25c to 40c per pair; ducks, 50c to 60c; geese, 4 1-2c to 5 1-2c, and turkeys 7 1-2c to 9c.

Dressed hogs are steady at $5 to $5.25. Hams, smoked, sell at 10c to 10 1-2c; bacon, long clear, 7 1-4c to 7 1-2c; breakfast bacon, 10 1-2c to 11c; rolls, 8c to 8 1-2c; shoulder mess, $13.00 per barrel; mess pork, $15 to $15.50; do., short cut, $15.50 to $16; lard, in pails, 8 3-4c, tubs 8 1-4c to 8 1-2c, tierces 8c.

Beef, forequarters, 4c to 5c; hind, 5 1-2c to 7 1-2c; mutton, 4c to 5 1-2c; veal, 6c to 8c; lamb, carcass, 4 1-2c to 6c.

Stocks of wheat at Port Arthur and Fort William:

	Dec. 1, 1894.	Nov. 24, 1894.	Dec. 2, 1893.
Spring wheat bu...	437,616	642,972	1,088,750

Apples and Vegetables.

Apples, per barrel, $1.50 to $2.50; do., dried, 5c to 5 1-2c; evaporated, 7c to 7 1-2c. Potatoes, bag, in car lots, 44c to 45c; in small lots, 50c to 55c. Beans, bushel, $1.25 to $1.40. Cabbage, doz., 25c to 30c. Cauliflower, dozen, 40c to 75c. Celery, doz., 35c to 40c. Onions, bag, 75c. Mushrooms, per 2-quart basket, nominal at 40c to 50c.

Seeds.

Alsike in fair receipt; prices firm at $4.25 to $4.75 for poor to medium qualities, and $5 to $5.25 for choice. Red clover in limited offer, and prices unchanged at $5.25 to $5.50. Timothy, $2 to $2.50.

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Chicago Markets.

John J. Dixon & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open'g	Hig'st	Low'st	Close
Wheat—Dec.	56⅝	57	55⅝	56
" —May	61⅛	61¼	60⅝	60⅝
" —July	62	62⅛	61¼	61¼
Corn—Dec.	47½	47½	46⅝	47⅛
" —May	49⅝	49⅞	49⅛	49⅜
Oats—Dec.	29¼	29⅜	29⅛	29⅛
" —May	32⅜	32⅝	32⅜	32⅝
Pork—Jan.	12 10	12 10	12 02	12 05
" —May	12 50	12 50	12 35	12 35
Lard—Jan.	7 02	7 02	6 92	6 95
" —May	7 20	7 20	7 15	7 15
Ribs—Jan.	6 05	6 05	6 00	6 00
" —May	6 27	6 27	6 20	6 20

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Schwartz, Dupee & Co., Chicago, wired Dixon: There was no lack of bull news on wheat to-day. The cables were the strongest they have yet been, and brought further reports of damage to the Argentine crop. In spite of all this the buying demand was limited from the start, and under quiet but liberal realizing of several large lots of long stuff, the market weakened and closed 1c below the opening price. Bradstreet's increase in the available supply was 1,000,000 bushels, but did not count for much either way. Total clearances were: Wheat and flour, 300,000. If foreign cables come lower to-morrow it will naturally exert a further weakening influence in prices here. The action of to-day's market was a disappointment to a majority of the trade. We can hardly, however, look for any important decline in the English markets with their small and decreasing stocks. Charters for corn yesterday were nearly 400,000 bushels, and the amount chartered to-day was slightly in excess of that figure, the unusually favorable weather still permitting late shipments. The demand for cash corn was active at 1-2c to 1c higher, influenced by lighter receipts and the anxiety of shippers to get stuff forward while open navigation permits. Reports from the interior of this State, from which the corn arriving here has come, indicate a falling off in farmers' deliveries. Provisions sold lower, losing all of yesterday's advance. Receipts of hogs exceeded the estimates, and were very large at the Western points. Packers sold freely, and the only buying of any size was covering of scalping shorts. The cash trade continues very dull, and with stocks accumulating at all points and small speculative interest, we see little to encourage holders at present.

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Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from F. T. Logan & Co., Chicago: The wheat market at the opening of the session was strong, in sympathy with European advices. We have advice of free charters at New York. This should help that market. If it does we will feel it here. Mit may have the effect of weaker markets at London and Liverpool, consequently weaker here. At this writing the market is not strong. The corn trade has been moderate. There has been to-day what we call good buying by commission houses, and with a let up in our receipts higher prices are not far away.

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British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 4. — Wheat, spring, nominal; red, 5s 2 1-2d, to 5s 3 1-2d; No. 1 Cal., 5s 6d to 5s 7d; corn, 5s; peas, 4s 11d; pork, 61s 3d; lard, 37s; tallow, 24s 6d; heavy bacon, 35s, 6d; light bacon, 33s; cheese, new, 50s 6d.

London, Dec. 4.—Beerbohm says: Floating cargoes of wheat upward tendency; maize nil. Cargoes on passage — Wheat held higher; maize more enquiry. S. M. flour, 16s 9d, was 16s 3d. Australian wheat, off coast, 25s 9d, was 25s 6d; red winter, prompt steamer, 24s, was 23s 3d.

Liverpool — Spot wheat firm at the advance; maize firmly held; No. 1 Cal., 5s 5 1-2d, 1-2d dearer; red, 5s 2d, 1d dearer; flour, 16s, 5d dearer.

4.30 p. m. — Liverpool — Wheat futures strong; corn firm. Paris — Wheat and flour 10 centimes higher. English country markets generally dearer.

London — Good enquiry for cargoes of wheat near at hand, but not much for distant deliveries.

Cotton Markets.

At New York cotton is weaker. Jan. closed at 5.55, March at 5.58, and May at 5.75.

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