COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Stops Its Downward Course and Makes an Advance.

REPORTS OF RUST CAUSE THE CHANGE

July and September Close Higher, Corn Is Lower, Oats Are Unchanged and Provisions All Show Gains.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Higher cables, heavy buying by shorts and complaints of rust from Kansas advanced wheat prices today. July closed with a gain of 2@2¼c and September 1½@1 5-8c. Corn is 1-8@1¼c lower. Oats are unchanged. Pork and lard quiet, 7½c higher, and ribs 2½@5c higher.

Strength in wheat early was due to an opening advance of from 2@2¾d at Liverpool. This upward tendency was sustained by reports from Kansas City of considerable damage to the Kansas wheat crop by bugs, rust and overrun growth. Cash wheat everywhere was scarce, and the bulk of it appeared to be under Leiter's control. This, together with the fact that Leiter sold 1,400,000 bu. cash wheat to British millers yesterday created a good buying sentiment. Shorts, who had a profit, seemed disposed to cover and secure it, while other shorts bought to stop further losses. On the bulges, however, new shorts were quickly created, and this selling and profit-taking by the fortunate bears led to frequent breaks. The market became strong near the end of the session on heavy buying by St. Louis shorts. Chicago received thirty-two cars of wheat, against twenty-one a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts were 200 cars, against 314 a year ago. Atlantic port clearances were equal to 720,000 bu. in wheat and flour. July opened ⅛@¼c higher at 92¼@93¼c, sold down to 91¼c, advanced to 94c, fell off to 92⅜c and rose to 94c at the close. September began ¼@5-8c higher at 79¼@79 5-8c, up to 79 5-8@79¾c, down to 78 7-8@79c and cased off to 80 5-8c asked, the closing figure.

Notwithstanding the strength of wheat, corn was heavy. Crop prospects were considered improved, receipts were large and there was a general cessation of foreign demand. July opened 1-8c lower at 32⅜@32 3-8c, declined to 32⅜c, then firmed up to 33 1-8@33⅛c bid at the close.

The speculative trade in oats was light. July started unchanged at 24 3-8c, advanced to 24⅝c, sold as low as 24 1-8c and reacted to 24 3-8c, the closing figure.

After an hour of fairly active trading provisions became dull. Cudahy bought lard freely. July pork started 2½c higher at $10.87½@10.90, fell off to $10.82½ at the start, rose to $11.10 and declined to $10.95 bid at the close. July lard opened 2½@5c better at $6.22½@6.15, weakened to $6.12½, advanced to $6.22½, then declined to $6.17, the closing figure. July ribs began 2½c higher at $5.80, sold down to $5.75, up to $5.87½, eased off to $5.80@5.82½ at the close.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 45 cars; corn, 1,010 cars; oats, 230 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

Leading futures range as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesty
*Wheat—					
June..	1 10	1 12¼	1 09	1 12¼	1 09
July...	92	94	91¼	94	87⅞@90
Sept...	79⅝@¾	80⅝	78⅝@79	80⅛@⅜	79
Dec...	78@¾	79	77⅞	79	77⅞
*Corn—					
June..	32⅝	32⅝	32	32⅛	32⅝
July...	32⅝@¾	33⅛	32⅝	33⅛@⅜	33⅛
Sept..	33⅝	34¼	33⅛@⅜	34@⅜	34¼
*Oats—					
July...	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
Sept..	21⅝	21⅝-22	21⅝@⅝	21⅝	21⅝
Pork—					
July...	10 87	11 10	10 82½	10 95	10 87½
Sept..	11 05	11 22½	11 00	11 10	10 02½
Lard—					
July...	6 12	6 22½	6 12½	6 17	6 10
Sept	6 20	6 32½	6 20	6 27½	6 20
Sh'tRibs					
July...	5 80	5 87½	5 75	5 82½	5 77½
Sept	5 87½	5 95	5 85	5 90	5 87½

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $6.00@6.25; straights, $5.00@5.20; hard spring patents, $7.20@7.40; bakers, $4.90@5.15.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, $1.05; No. 3 spring, $1.00@1.10; No. 2 red, $1.10.

CORN—No. 2, 33 3-8c.

OATS—No. 2, 26½c; No. 2 white, 28¾@29½c; No. 3 white, 28¼@28c.

RYE—No. 2, 47@48c.

BARLEY—40@42c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flaxseed, $1.21½@1.22. Prime timothy seed, $2.90.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $10.90@10.95. Lard, per 100 lbs., $6.02½@6.20. Short ribs sides (loose), $5.65@5.75. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), $5.00@5.25; short clear sides (boxed), $6.25@6.35.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.22.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, $5.88; granulated, $5.25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	12,600	12,200
Wheat, bu	44,000	54,000
Corn, bu	589,000	347,400
Oats, bu	273,700	493,100
Rye, bu	10,800	
Barley, bu	20,700	700

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 13@16c; dairies, 11@13c. Eggs, steady; fresh, 9½c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKETS.

Quotations for the Day on General Commodities.

NEW YORK, June 3.—FLOUR—Receipts, 21,043 bbls.; exports, 14,247 bbls.; weak and lower with wheat; winter patents, $6.40@6.65; winter straights, $6.10@6.25; Minnesota patents, $6.60@7.10; winter extras, $4.80@5.35; Minnesota bakers, $5.10@5.35; winter low grades, $2.90@3.00. Rye flour was dull at $3.65@4.00.

CORNMEAL—Easy; yellow, 75c.

RYE—Weak; No. 2 western, 63c.

BARLEY—Dull; feeding, 42c.

BARLEY MALT—Quiet; western, 62@75c.

WHEAT—Spot, 52,000 bu.; exports, 305,358 bu. Spot strong; No. 2 red, 88 7-8c f. o. b., afloat. September 1 to 15. Options were generally strong from start to finish. Urgent covering, stimulated by adverse home and foreign crop news and smaller western receipts, was the feature all day. Closed 1 3-8@3 5-8c net higher; No. 2 red, July, 98⅛@91 011½; closed, $1.01 3-8.

CORN—Receipts, 76,050 bu.; exports, 296,522 bu. Spot steady; No. 2, 39 3-8@39 5-8c. Options opened steady, but yielded on realizing and closed dull at ¼@3-8c net decline. July, 37 5-8@38 5-8c; closed, 37 7-8c.

OATS—Receipts, 115,700 bu.; exports, 246,495 bu. Spot dull; No. 2, 31½c; No. 2 white, 33½c. Options dull but steady with wheat, closing ¼c net higher. July closed at 30½c.

FEED—Quiet; bran, 70@90c; middling, 90@95c; rye, 80c.

HAY—Quiet; spring, 35@40c; good to choice, 45@75c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1895 crop, 3@4c; 1896 crop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 12@14c; Pacific coast, 1895 crop, 3@4c; 1896 crop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 12@14c.

HIDES—Firm; Galveston, 16c; Texas dry, 13c; California, 18c.

LEATHER—Steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, 19@20½c.

WOOL—Quiet; fleece, 16@22c; Texas, 12@14c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $12.50@13.00; extra mess, $10.50@11.00; beef hams, $13.50@14.00; packet, $11.50@12.00. Cut meats, dull; pickled bellies, $6.50@7.25; pickled shoulders, $4.75; pickled hams, $7.75@8.00. Lard, steady; western steam closed at $6.35@6.40; refined, steady. Pork, quiet; mess, $11.50@11.75; short clear, $12.50@14.50; family $12.50@13.50. Tallow, firm; city, 4 1-8c bid; country, 3 7-8@4 1-8c, as to quality.

OILS—Petroleum, dull. Rosin, steady; strained, common to good, $1.45@1.47½. Turpentine, easier at 28¾@29c. Cottonseed oil, steady and moderately active; prime crude, 21@22c; prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 17@18c; prime summer yellow, 25½@26c; off summer yellow, 25@25½c; butter oil, 29@30c; prime winter yellow, 30@32c.

RICE—Firm; fair to extra, 5 1-8@7¼c; Japan, 5 7-8@6c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 28@33c.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL—Dull; cotton by steam, 23c; grain by steam, 3d.

METALS—A little better feeling prevailed in the metal market today, and a slight decrease was noted in the demand for tin, spelter and lead. At the close pig iron warrants were steady with $6.75 bid and $6.85 asked. Lake copper quiet, with $11.90 bid and $12.10 asked. Tin firmer, with $14.82½ bid and $14.87½ asked. Spelter firm, with $4.30 bid and $4.40 asked. Lead steady, with $3.77½ bid and $3.82½ asked. The firm fixing the settling price for miners and smelters quotes lead at $3.60.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 3.—FLOUR—Weak and lower; western superfine, $3.50@3.75; western extra, $4.00@4.75; western family, $5.00@5.50; winter wheat, $6.00@6.75; spring wheat, $6.25@6.50; spring wheat straights, $6.00@6.25; receipts, 1,129 bbls.; exports, 49,313 bbls.

WHEAT—Firmer; spot, $1.12⅛@1.12 5-8; month, $1.10; July, 94½c bid; No. 2 red, $1.02½ bid; receipts, 38,031 bu.; exports, 14,171 bu.; southern wheat, by sample, $1.07@1.13½; on grade, $1.03@1.13.

CORN—Easy; spot and month, 32⅝@37c; July, 36 7-8@37c; steamer mixed, 35¾@36c; receipts, 149,775 bu.; exports, 416,526 bu.; southern white, 37c; southern yellow, 37@37½c.

OATS—Dull, easy; No. 2 white, 34@34½c; No. 2 mixed, 32@32½c; receipts, 11,963 bu.; exports, none.

RYE—Dull and lower; No. 2 nearby, 54½c; No. 2 western, 56½c, nominal.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $12.50@13.00.

GRAIN FREIGHTS—Dull; steam to Liverpool, per bushel, 4d, June; Cork for orders, per quarter, 3d, June.

BUTTER—Steady; fancy creamery, 17c; fancy imitation, 13c; good ladle, 14c; store packed, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm; fresh, 11@11½c.

CHEESE—Steady; fancy New York, 60c; large, 9¼@9½c; medium, 9@10c; small, 10¼@10½c.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Good stock, 9½c.

BUTTER—Common to fair, 9@11c; separator, 15c; gathered creamery, 13@14c.

VEAL—Choice fat, 80 to 120 lbs., quoted at 8@9c; large and coarse, 6@7c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 7c; old roosters, 4@6c; spring chickens, 16@18c.

PIGEONS—Live, 90c.

HAY—Upland, $7.00; midland, $6.00; lowland, $5.50; rye straw, $4.00; color makes the price on hay; light bales sell the best; only top grades bring top prices.

VEGETABLES.

ONIONS—New southern, per lb., 3c.

BEANS—Hand-picked navy, per bu., $1.25.

POTATOES—Home grown, 55c; new potatoes, per bu., $1.50.

TOMATOES—Per four basket crate, $2; 1-3 bu. box, $1.25.

BEETS—New, per bu. box, $1.00.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 25@30c.

LETTUCE—Per doz. bunches, 20@25c.

GREEN ONIONS—Per doz., 10c.

CUCUMBERS—Per ½ bu. box, 75c.

WAX BEANS—1-3 bu. box, 75c; per bu., $1.50.

PEAS—Per 1-3 bu., 50@60c; larger boxes, $1.25.

FRUITS.

STRAWBERRIES—Missouris, $2.00.

APPLES—Genetons, $3.75.

GOOSEBERRIES—Per 24-qt. case, $2.

CHERRIES—Per 24-qt. case, $2.50.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—Seedlings, $2.50; Mediterranean sweets, $2.50@3.25.

LEMONS—California, $3.50; fancy Messina, $4.50@5.00.

BANANAS—Choice, large stock, per bunch, $2.00@2.25; medium sized bunches, $1.75@2.00.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NUTS—Almonds, per lb., large size, 12@13c; small, 11c; Brazils, per lb., 9@10c; English walnuts, per lb., fancy soft shell, 11@11c; standards, 8@9c; filberts, per lb., 10c; pecans, polished, medium, 6@7c; extra large, 8@9c; large hickory nuts, $1.00@1.10 per bu.; small, $1.25@1.35 per bu.; cocoanuts, per 100, $4; peanuts, raw, 5@5½c; roasted, 6@6½c.

MAPLE SYRUP—Five-gal. can, each, $2.75; gal. cans, pure, per doz., $12; half-gal. cans, $6.25; quart cans, $3.50.

FIGS—Imported, fancy, 3-crown, 14-lb. boxes, 10c; 5-crown, 44-lb. boxes, 13c; 2-lb. boxes, 22@23c per box; California, 10-lb. box, $1.

HONEY—Choice white, 12c; Colorado amber, 10@11c.

KRAUT—Per bbl., $3.50; per half bbl., $2.25.

DATES—Hallowee, 60 to 70-lb. boxes, 5½c; Salr, 5c; Fard, 9-lb. boxes, 9c.

CIDER—Per half bbl., $3; bbl., $6.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 6c; No. 2 green hides, 5c; No. 1 salted hides, 8c; No. 2 green salted hides, 7c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 9c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 7c.

TALLOW, GREASE, ETC.—Tallow, No. 1, 3c; tallow, No. 2, 2½c; rough tallow, 1½c; white grease, 2½@2¾c; yellow and brown grease, 1½@2½c.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each, 15@75c; green salted shearings (shorn wooled skins), each, 15c; dry shearings, (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@6c; dry flint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c.

FURS—Bear (black or brown), $5.00@20.00; otter, $1.50@8.00; mink, 15@60c; beaver, $1.00@6.00; skunk, 15c, 25c, 50c; muskrat, 3c, 5c, 7c; raccoon, 15@90c; red fox, 25c@$1.25; gray fox, 25@50c; wolf (timber), 25c@$2.50; wolf (prairie coyote), 10@50c; wildcat, 10@25c; badger, 5@40c; silver fox, $5.00@75.00.

St. Louis General Markets.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.—FLOUR—Easy; patents, $5.30@5.50; straights, $4.90@5.10; clear, $4.25@4.50; medium, $3.75@4.00.

WHEAT—Closed strong, with buyers at the top and prices 2c for July, 1 5-8c for September and 1¾c for December higher than yesterday. Spot better, with prices decidedly higher; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 96c bid; June, 93½c asked; July, 85c bid; September, 77¾c bid; December, 77¾c bid; No. 2 hard, cash, 94c.

CORN—Futures strong, closing at the top, with prices unchanged from yesterday. Spot easier; No. 2, cash, 31.3-8c bid; June, 31½c; July, 31½c bid; September, 32 5-8c bid.

OATS—Stronger for futures, with some speculative demand. Spot lower; No. 2, cash, 29c asked; track, 26½@27c; June, 26½c; July, 24c bid; September, 21½c; No. 2 white, 31@31½c.

RYE—Dull at 45c asked.

SEEDS—Flaxseed, nominal at $1.18. Prime timothy seed, $2.60@2.65.

CORNMEAL—Steady at $1.85@1.90.

BRAN—Dull and lower; sacked, east track, 55c.

HAY—Firm; prairie, $8.50@10.00; timothy, $8.00@12.50.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 14@16½c; dairy, 10@14c.

EGGS—Dull at 9c.

WHISKY—Steady at $1.23.

COTTONTIES—70c.

BAGGING—6 3-8@6 7-8c.

METALS—Lead, $3.65 bid. Spelter, $4.15 bid.

PROVISIONS—Pork, higher; standard mess, $11. Lard, higher; prime steam, $5.97½; choice, $6.00. Bacon (boxed), shoulders, $5.87½; extra short clear, $6.62½; ribs, $6.75; shorts, $7. Dry salt meats (boxed), shoulders, $5.37½; extra short clear, $6.12½; ribs, $6.25; shorts, $6.50.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,000 bbls.; wheat, 11,000 bu.; corn, 114,000 bu.; oats, 26,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 1,000 bbls.; wheat, 6,000 bu.; corn, 66,000 bu.; oats, 2,000 bu.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, June 3.—HOG PRODUCTS—Easier. Pork, standard mess, $11.50@11.75. Lard, refined tierce, $4.12½@4.37½; pure lard, $6.50@6.62½. Boxed meats, dry salt shoulders, $5.25@5.37½; sides, $6.12½@6.25. Bacon, clear ribs sides, $7.12½@7.25. Hams, choice sugar-cured, 9@10c.

COFFEE—Quiet; Rio, ordinary to fair, 7¼@7½c.

RICE—Steady; ordinary to good, 4 5-8@5½c.

FLOUR—Dull; extra fancy, $5.25@5.35; patents, $5.50@5.60; cornmeal, $1.90@1.95; bran, 75c.

HAY—Prime, 14@14½c; choice, 16@16½c.

CORN—No. 2 sacked, 42c.

OATS—No. 2 sacked, 31@34½c.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, June 3.—WHEAT—Hard active, 2@3c higher; red neglected; No. 1 hard, 97c; No. 2, 92½@95c; No. 3, 89@93½c; No. 1 red, 95c; No. 2, 94@95c; No. 3, 92½@93c; No. 2 spring, 90@92c; No. 3, 90c.

CORN—Market higher; No. 2 mixed, 29⅝@30c; No. 3, 30½@30¾c.

OATS—Market rather slow and lower; No. 2 white, 32c.

RYE—Market weak; No. 2, 50c.

HAY—Market very weak; choice prairie and timothy, $9.50.

BUTTER—Market steady; creamery, 12½@15c; dairy, 10½@12c.

EGGS—Market weak; fresh, 8c.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, June 3.—FLOUR—Dull; fancy, $5.10@5.50; family, $4.80@5.10.

WHEAT—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 96½c.

CORN—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 36½c.

OATS—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 27@28c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 45c.

PROVISIONS—Lard, firm, $5.95. Bulk meats, steady, $6.15.

WHISKY—Steady, $1.23.

BUTTER—Firm and higher; Elgin creamery, 18c; Ohio, 12@15c; dairy, 10c.

SUGAR—Steady; hard refined, $4.47@6.10.

EGGS—Steady at 9c.

CHEESE—Easy; good to prime Ohio flat, 7@7½c.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, O., June 3.—WHEAT—Higher, firm; No. 2 cash and June, $1.12 bid.

CORN—Quiet, firm; No. 2 mixed, 34c.

OATS—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 26c.

RYE—Higher; No. 2 cash, 45c.

CLOVERSEED—Dull, steady; prime cash, $3.30.

OIL—North Lima, 62c; South Lima and Indiana, 56c.

Liverpool Market.

LIVERPOOL, June 3.—PROVISIONS—Hams, short, dull, 39s. Bacon, dull, 38s.

WHEAT—Spot, No. 1 red northern, spring, firm, 9s 6d.

CORN—Spot, American mixed, new, steady, 3s 4½d; July, steady, 3s 4 7-8d; September, steady, 3s 6 1-8d.

FLOUR—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 13s.

Peoria Markets.

PEORIA, June 3.—CORN—Market steady; No. 2, 32c.

OATS—Market firm; No. 2 white, 27¾@28c.

WHISKY—Market firm; high proof spirits, $1.22½.

Grain Receipts at Principal Markets.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Receipts today: Wheat, 31 cars; corn, 1,187 cars; oats, 245 cars. Estimated cars for tomorrow: Wheat, 65; corn, 1,010; oats, 230.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 3.—Receipts: Wheat, 162 cars.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.—Receipts: Wheat, 13 cars.

DULUTH, June 3.—Receipts: Wheat, 47 cars.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Bears Make a Successful Raid Upon the Market, Breaking All Prices.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Professional speculators on the bear side were alert and active today, attacking first one point and then another in the list and keeping the stock market decidedly unsettled. In the final hour there was a move all along the line which effectually broke prices, leaving only a few small net gains in some of the lower-priced stocks that had been pushed up in the earlier trading. In all the prominent stocks, even Sugar, which was the leader of the market, gains were practically wiped out, and in some cases net losses amount to over 2 points. The bear drive was accompanied by considerable bearing of tomtoms and confusion of alarmist rumors and ostentatious fears of the effect of the senate's vote for the coinage of treasury silver. The day's trading opened with the conditions in yesterday's market rather emphasized; that is to say, with the high priced dividend paying stocks showing some effects from profit-taking and the middle and lower grade stocks well supported by new buying. The profit taking in the recent leaders was pretty well absorbed, and it was evident that funds realized by selling these stocks, instead of being taken out of the market, were simply being diverted into other stocks which have not as yet advanced conspicuously in price. The realizing in the grangers and some of the high priced specialties caused them to droop somewhat and made them vulnerable to attack. London followed the New York lead and sold high priced stocks and bought some of the low priced internationals. The preferred stocks of reorganized roads were in especial favor. Union Pacific preferred and Northern Pacific preferred being prominent examples. Sugar was a strong sustaining force and rose at one time 2½ points, but saved only the fraction. The local traction stocks were markedly weak all day. Money continues in superabundant supply and rates continue to decline. New York exchange has gone to a sharp premium at Chicago, indicating a current of funds to this center, and the New York banks continue to gain largely also from the subtreasury. Silver sold today at 89 5-8, the highest price of the year, the demand coming from Spain. Bonds were strong in the early dealings, but the speculative issues yielded in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, $4,700,000. United States 4s, registered, both of 1907 and 1925, advanced ½, while registered 5s declined 1-8 in the bid price.

The Evening Post's London financial cablegram: The feature in the stock markets here today was the strength of all the Paris stocks, notably Brazils and Spanish 4s, which were bought largely for Paris, the latter, on reports that the July coupon was about to be announced. Before the close of business the announcement was officially made that this coupon would be paid. Americans were bullish early but again closed soft on New York support. New York bought less bonds today but more preference stocks. There was a sharp break in Grand Trunk on disappointing traffic relations, but it was better at the close. Gold was in strong demand at 78 10½d. The money market was flooded with cash, as predicted.

The following are the closing quotations of the leading stocks on the New York market today:

Atchison	12⅝	Hawaii C. C.	22
do pfd	32¼	St. P. & Om	78¾
Baltimore & Ohio	19⅝	do pfd	149
Canada Pacific	84¾	St. P. M. & M.	143¾
Canada Southern	52	So. Pacific	18
Central Pacific	14	So. Railway	9
Ches. & Ohio	22⅝	So. Railway pfd	31½
Chicago & Alton	159	Texas & Pacific	12
*C., B. & Q.	104¾	Union Pacific	61⅝
C. & E. I.	74⅝	U. P. D. & G.	7⅝
C. C. C. & St. L.	35¾	Wabash	7⅝
do pfd	70	Wabash pfd	19½
Del. & Hudson	110	Wheel. & L. E.	2⅝
Del. L. & W.	158½	Wheel. & L. E. pfd	13
Den. & Rio G.	11⅝	Adams Ex.	100
do pfd	48¾	American Ex.	125
Erie (new)	13¾	United States Ex.	40
Erie 1st pfd	36⅝	Wells Fargo Ex.	116
Ft. Wayne	170¾	Am. Cot. Oil	22
Great Northern pfd	173	A. Cot. Oil pfd	74½
Hocking Valley	5¼	Am. Spirits	11⅝
Illinois Central	105	Am. Spirits pfd	26
Lake Erie & W.	15¾	Am. Tobacco	108⅝
do pfd	78	do pfd	112
Lake Shore	193	People's Gas	100⅝
Louisville & Nash.	55⅝	Cons. Gas	188⅝
Manhattan L.	104⅝	Com. Cable Co.	161
Met. St. Ry.	156¾	U. S. F. & Iron	22¾
Michigan Central	104¼	do pfd	90
Minn. & St. L.	20	Gen. Electric	35⅝
do 1st pfd	89⅝	Illinois Steel	57
do 2d pfd	34⅝	Laclede Gas	81
Mobile & Ohio	28	Lead	35
Mo. K. & T.	11⅝	do pfd	109¼
Mo. K. & T pfd	34⅝	Nat. Lin. Oil	20
Chi. Ind. & L.	9⅝	Pacific Mail	19⅝
do pfd	31	Pullman Pal.	186
N. J. Central	95¼	Silver Certificates	59¾
N. Y. Central	114¾	Stand. Rope & T.	4¼
N. Y. Chi. & St. L.	13	Sugar	140
do 1st pfd	60	do pfd	114
do 2d pfd	38	T. C. & iron	35
Norfolk & Western	14¼	U. S. Leather	17
No. Amer. Co.	6	do pfd	64¾
No. Pacific	28	U. S. Rubber	29
do pfd	67¾	do pfd	78
Ontario & W.	15¼	Western Union	91⅝
Oregon Nav.	51¾	Northwestern	128
Ore. Short Line	32	do pfd	172⅝
Pittsburg	168	R. G. & W.	25⅝
Reading	19¼	R. G. & W. pfd	64
Rock Island	106⅝	Chi. Gt. West	14
S. L. & F.	4⅝	St. L. & S. W.	4⅝
do 1st pfd	58⅝	do pfd	14⅝
St. Paul	100	Reading 1st pfd	46¼
do pfd	144¾	U. P. common	25¼

Total sales of stocks today, 527,900 shares, including: Atchison, 6,305; Atchison preferred, 34,850; Baltimore & Ohio, 8,407; Chesapeake & Ohio, 32,200; Burlington, 14,837; Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis, 3,150; Denver & Rio Grande preferred, 3,840; Louisville & Nashville, 5,958; Manhattan, 16,281; Metropolitan, 5,935; Reading preferred, 14,115; Missouri Pacific, 7,965; Missouri, Kansas & Texas preferred, 12,005; New York Central, 4,635; Northern Pacific, 24,225; Northern Pacific preferred, 24,780; Reading, 4,050; Rock Island, 25,550; St. Louis & San Francisco second preferred, 3,005; St. Paul, 34,250; Southern Railway, 5,025; Southern preferred, 14,497; Texas & Pacific, 3,400; Union Pacific preferred, 58,684; Wabash preferred, 3,390; Tobacco, 6,020; Chicago Great Western, 12,740; People's Gas, 24,250; General Electric, 5,620 Sugar, 45,169; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 4,065; Leather preferred, 9,085.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, June 3.—MONEY ON CALL—Nominally, 1@1½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—3@4 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.869@4.86¾ for demand, and $4.84@4.84½ for sixty days; posted rates, $4.85 and $4.87; commercial bills, $4.83@4.83¾.

SILVER CERTIFICATES—59⅝@60 5-8c.

BAR SILVER—59 5-8c.

MEXICAN DOLLARS—45½c.

GOVERNMENT BONDS—Strong; new 4s, reg. and coupon, 123; 4s, reg., 108½; coupon, 111; 2s, 96½; 5s, reg., 111¼; coupon, 111 1-8; Pacific 6s of '99, 100½.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U. S. new 4s, reg.	123⅝@24	N. C. 6s	124
U. S. new 4s coup	123⅝@24	N. C. 4s	102
U. S. 4s, reg.	108⅝@9⅝	No. Pacific 1sts	116
U. S. 4s, coup	111⅝@2	No. Pacific 3s	64¾
U. S. 2s, reg.	95¼	No. Pacific 4s	96¾
U. S. 5s, reg.	111⅝@112	N. Y. C. & St. L. 4s	105
U. S. 5s, coup	111⅝@112	N. & W. 6s	120
District 3.65s	114	N. W. Consols	139⅝
Ala. class A	104	N. W. Deb. 5s	119⅝
Ala., class B	105	Ore. Nav. 1sts	115
Ala., class C	99	Ore. Nav. 4s	95⅝
Ala. Currency	99	O. S. L. 6s, t. r.	126
Atchison 4s	92⅝	O. S. L. 5s, t. r.	101⅝
Atchison adj. 4s	65⅝	O. Imp. 1sts, t. r.	110⅝
Canada So. 2nds	108⅝	O. Imp. 5s, t. r.	60
Chicago Ter'l 4s	86	Pacific 6s of '95	100⅝
C. & O. 5s	114	Reading 4s	73¾
C. H. & D. 4½s	104⅝	R. G. West. 1sts	87
D. & R. G. 1sts	106⅝	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5	95
D. & R. G. 4s	94⅝	St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6	119¼
East Tenn. 1sts	107	St. P. Consols	143
Erie Gen. 4s	74¾	St. P. C. & P. 1sts	118
F. W. & D. 1s, t. r.	82¾	St. P. C. & P. 5s	116
Gen. Elec. 5s	102⅝	Southern Ry. 5s	95⅝
G. H. & S. A. 6s	103⅝	S. R. & T. 6s	70
H. & T. C. 7s	114	Term. new set.	87⅝
H. & T. Cent. 5s	109	Tex. Pac. L. G. 1sts	104⅝
H. & T. C. con 6s	104	Tex. Pac. Rg. 2ds	86
Iowa C. 1sts	100⅝	U. P. D. & G. 1sts	58⅝
La. New Con. 4s	115	Wab. 1st 5s	109⅝
L. & N. Uni. 4s	90¼	Wab. 2d 5s	80⅝
Missouri 6s	100	West Shore 4s	108
M. K. & T. 2ds	63	Va. Centuries	68
M. K. & T. 4s	87⅝	Va. deferred	3
N. Y. C. 1sts	113	Union Pacific pfd	61¾
N. J. C. 5s	114	Union Pacific 4s	95⅝

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, June 3.—Call loans, 2@3½ per cent; time loans, 3@5 per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares:

A. T. & S. F.	13	Atchison pfd	32½
American Sugar	142⅝	Boston L.	63⅝
Am Sugar pfd	114⅝	E. E. I.	160
Bay State Gas	3⅝	do 4s	92⅝
Bell Telephone	275	Gen. Elec. 5s	102
Boston & Albany	225	Wis. Cen.	42
Boston & Maine	161⅝	Wis. Cent 6s	122
C., B. & Q.	104⅝	Allouez Min. Co.	3⅝
Fitchburg	99⅝	Atlantic	27
General Electric	36½	Boston & Montana	210
Illinois Steel	54	Butte & Boston	22⅝
Mexican Central	5	Calumet & Hecla	560
N. Y. & N. E.	96	Centennial	16
Old Colony	188	Franklin	13⅝
Ore. Short Line	31⅝	Osceola	51
Rubber	20⅝	Quincy	117⅝
Union Pacific	24⅝	Tamarack	163
West End	84	Wolverines	22⅝
W. Elec.	22	Old Dominion	27⅝
W. Elec. pfd	54		

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, June 3.—The market for American securities, after a dull and rather weak opening, was inactive, closing firm, with the demand generally light. Spanish 4s closed at 58 1-8, a net gain of 1-8. Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres at 162.70.

PARIS, June 3.—Prices were firm on the bourse today under the influence of the plethora of money and the growing belief of an early conclusion of peace. International securities improved, particularly Brazilians, owing to the better rate of exchange. Spanish 4s rallied smartly on the official announcement of the payment of the July coupon entirely in gold. After the close of the market Spanish 4s declined on realizations. Three per cent rentes, 103f 17c for the account; exchange on London, 25f 29c for checks. Spanish 4s closed at 57 7-16, a net gain of 11-16.

BERLIN, June 3.—Foreign securities opened irregular on the bourse here today and were occasionally lower, owing to the rise in the price of corn in consequence of bad weather. Subsequently, however, they became firm in response to the strength displayed by the western bourses. Spanish 4s were active. American securities were firm.

San Francisco Mining Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Official closing quotations on mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	5	Justice	6
Alpha Con	21	Mexican	18
Andes	89	Occidental Con	68
Best & Belcher	23	Ophir	32
Bullion	4	Overman	7
Caledonia	29	Potosi	17
Challenge Con	23	Savage	8
Chollar	14	Sierra Nevada	55
Con. Cal. & Va	40	Union Con	7
Crown Point	11	Utah Con	5
Gould & Curry	16	Yellow Jacket	23
Hale & Norcross	84	Standard	155

Silver bars, 57½c; Mexican dollars, 46½@46¾c; drafts, sight, 15c; telegraph, 17½c.

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, June 3.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

Choliar	20	Ontario	275
Crown Point	10	Ophir	70
Con. Cal. & Va	45	Plymouth	15
Deadwood	50	Quicksilver	100
Gould & Curry	15	Quicksilver pf'd	200
Hale & Norcross	80	Sierra Nevada	55
Homestake	4000	Standard	150
Iron Silver	55	Union Con	5
Mexican	13	Yellow Jacket	20

London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, June 3.—1 p. m.—Closing:

Consols, m'y	111 5-16	N. Y. Central	120
Consols, acct	111⅛	Pennsylvania	60
Can. Pacific	87⅝	Reading	9⅝
Erie	14