GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Bulls Dominate at Opening and Continue to Make Gains.

WHEAT BUYING IS ONLY FAIR

Corn is Strong and Higher Than on the Day Before and Commission Houses Do Some Buying.

OMAHA, Aug. 3, 1907.

The market opened bullish and prices advanced in all grain on firm foreign cables, higher Argentina shipments and more rush reports from the northwest.

Wheat opened strong and higher on firm cables, low temperatures and more rush reports. There was little short covering and fair buying by commission houses. The forecast for warmer weather in the northwest caused bears to sell on the advance. September wheat opened at 85⅝c and closed 85¾c.

Corn opened strong and higher, with wheat and the failure of the growing crop to advance as well as was expected. Commission houses all had buying orders at opening and there was some selling by scalpers on resting orders. September corn opened at 48⅝c and closed at 48⅝c.

Oats opened firm and prices were higher. Commission house demand was good and there was a general mixed trade in December and May options.

September oats opened at 40⅝c and closed at 41⅛c.

Primary wheat receipts were 948,000 bushels and shipments 537,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 1,188,000 bushels and shipments of 671,000 bushels. Corn receipts were 352,000 bushels and shipments 642,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 357,000 bushels and shipments of 671,000 bushels.

Clearances were 514,000 bushels of corn, 20,000 bushels of oats and wheat and flour equal to 316,000 bushels.

Liverpool closed ⅝@⅞d higher on wheat and ½d higher on corn.

Seaboard reported 58,000 bushels of wheat and 32,600 of corn for export.

Argentina wheat shipments this week were 552,000 bushels, last week 1,056,000 bushels, and this week last year 1,096,000 bushels.

Argentina corn shipments this week were 992,000 bushels, last week 2,064,000 bushels, and this week last year 2,553,000 bushels.

Local range of options:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
Sept...	85⅝	86⅝	85¼	85¾	85
Dec...	89¼	89⅝	88⅝	89⅛	89
May...	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝	93⅞
Corn—					
Sept...	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48⅛
Dec...	45⅛	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝	45⅛
May...	46⅝	47⅛	46⅝	47⅛	46⅝
Oats—					
Sept...	40⅝	41⅛	40⅛	41⅛	38⅛
Dec...	41	42	40⅝	42	38⅝
May...	43⅝	44⅝	43⅝	44⅛	41⅛

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 84¼c; No. 3 hard, 83@83c; No. 4 hard, 79@82c; No. 3 spring, 83@85½c; no grade, 76@78c.

CORN—No. 3, 48½c; No. 4, 47¼c; no grade, 46@48c; No. 3 yellow, 48@48½c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 43@43½c; No. 3 white, 44@44½c; No. 4 white, 44@44½c; standard, 44½c.

RYE—No. 2, 70c; No. 3, 67@68c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	117	161	63
Kansas City	375	...	...
Minneapolis	99	...	...
Omaha	99	49	9
Duluth	116	...	...
St. Louis	161	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Unseasonably low temperature in the Canadian northwest caused a firm tone today in the local wheat market. At the close wheat for September delivery was up ⅝c. Corn was half a cent higher. Oats were up 1⅛@1¼c. Provisions were unchanged to 7½c higher.

The reports of cold weather in western Canada formed the chief influence bearing upon the wheat market. In addition to the weather the news of the day was generally favorable to the bulls. Liverpool cables were firm because of the greatly decreased shipments from Argentina. Country acceptances were light, reports from threshing showing small yields, and advices from seemingly reliable sources confirmed the spread of black rust in the Dakotas. These factors, together with the sharp advance in oats, held the market firm all day. There was a good general demand, with commission houses leading in the buying. The market fluctuated firmly. September opened ½@¾c higher at 85⅛@85⅜c, sold between 85⅛@85⅞c and 85⅝c, and closed at 85¾c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 316,000 bu. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to 2,750,000 bu. Primary receipts were 948,000 bu., against 1,188,000 bu. on the same day last year. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 323 cars, against 257 cars last week and 565 cars one year ago.

The corn market was strong all day on active demand. Cool weather, an improved demand for cash corn, unfavorable reports regarding the Illinois crop and the bulge in oats were the principal factors responsible for the strength. Local traders were the chief sellers. The market closed strong. September opened ⅛@¼c higher at 54⅝c, advanced to 55c and closed at 54⅝c.

Local receipts were 151 cars, with 20 of contract grade.

The price of all deliveries of oats advanced more than 1c per bushel because of renewed purchases by prominent bulls. The demand from this source was supplemented by an active general demand, based on damage reports received from all sections. A report that local stocks were almost exhausted because of the unusually large demand from shippers contributed to the bullish sentiment. Trading was active all day. The market closed strong with prices at the highest point. September opened a shade to ⅛@¼c higher at 40⅝@40⅞c, sold at 40⅝@40⅞c and then advanced to 41⅛c, where it closed. Local receipts were 69 cars.

Provisions opened easy, but held firm during the greater part of the day on buying by local packers. The monthly report on stocks of provisions was construed as bullish, as it showed smaller stocks than had been generally expected. At the close September pork was unchanged at $16.45. Lard was up 5c at $9.17½. Ribs were 7½c higher at $8.75.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow are: Wheat, 100 cars; corn, 167 cars; oats, 71 cars; hogs, 12,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat					
Aug.	90⅝	91	90½	90½	90⅝
Sept.	92⅝@⅞	93⅛	92⅛@¼	92⅛	92
Dec.	96⅝@⅞	96⅞	96⅛@⅜	96⅛	96
May	1 01⅝@⅞	1 01⅞	1 01⅛@¼	1 01⅛@⅜	1 01
*Corn—					
Sept.	54⅝@⅞	55	54⅝	54⅝	54⅛
Dec.	51⅛@⅜	51⅛	51⅛@⅛	51⅛@⅜	51⅛@⅜
May	53⅝@⅞	53⅞	53⅝	53⅝@⅞	52⅞
*Oats					
Sept.	40⅝@⅞	41⅛	40⅛@⅜	41⅛	40⅛@⅜
Dec.	40⅝@41	42	40⅝@⅞	42	40⅝
May	43⅝@⅞	44⅛@⅛	43⅛	44⅛@⅛	43⅛
Pork—					
Sept.	16 35	16 45	16 35	16 45	16 45
Lard—					
Sept.	9 15	9 20	9 12½	9 17½	9 12½
Oct.	9 20	9 27½	9 20	9 25	9 20
Ribs—					
Sept.	8 65	8 75	8 65	8 75	8 67½
Oct.	8 67½	8 67½	8 67½	8 67½	8 60

No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $4.10@4.40; winter straights, $3.70@4.20; spring patents, $4.70@4.90; spring straights, $4.10@4.60; bakers, $2.80@3.50.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 81c@$1.01; No. 3 spring, 84c@$1.00; No. 2 red, 90½@91c.

CORN—No. 2, 55½@55¾c; No. 2 yellow, 56½@56¾c.

OATS—No. 2, 41½c; No. 3 white, 47½@48c.

RYE—No. 2, 80@85½c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 55@58c; fair to choice malting, 59@62c.

SEEDS—Prime timothy, $4.95. Clover, contract grade, $15.50.

PROVISIONS—Short ribs sides (loose), $8.62@8.75. Meas pork, per bbl., $16.35@16.40. Lard, per 100 lbs., $9.02½. Short clear sides (boxed), $8.87½@9.12½.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	2,400	22,600
Wheat, bu.	161,400	29,300
Corn, bu.	174,000	488,100
Oats, bu.	111,000	175,300
Rye, bu.	2,000	...
Barley, bu.	3,200	1,900

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 20@23½c; dairies, 18½@22c. Eggs, firm; at mark, cases included, 14@16c; firsts, 16½c; prime firsts, 17½c. Cheese, steady, 13@13½c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 3.—WHEAT—September, 89½@89¾c; December, 94⅝@94⅞c; No. 1 hard, $1.03½@1.04; No. 1 northern, $1.02@1.03; No. 2 northern, 98¼@99¼c; No. 3 northern, 96@96c.

FLOUR—Prices advanced 5c per bbl. owing to higher wheat premiums. First patents, $5.05@5.15; second patents, $4.85@5.05; first clears, $3.35@3.65; second clears, $2.75@2.85.

BRAN—In bulk, $15.50@15.75.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—FLOUR—Receipts, 9,785 bbls.; exports, 9,778 bbls.; market steady, with fair demand; Minnesota patents, $5.00@5.25; Minnesota bakers, $3.70@4.20; winter patents, $4.40@4.50; winter straights, $4.25@4.45; winter extras, $3.10@3.70; winter low grades, $2.00@3.60. Rye flour easy; fair to good, $4.60@4.90; choice to fancy, $5.00@5.25.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.25; coarse, $1.14@1.16; kiln dried, $3.30@3.40.

RYE—Fair; No. 2 western, 90c, f. o. b., New York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 74,900 bu.; spot market firm; No. 2 red, 95½c, elevator; 98⅝c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.09½, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 99½c, f. o. b., afloat. An early advance of ⅝@¾c based on firm cables, small Argentine shipments and colder northwestern weather was followed by late reactions under profit taking and talk of larger supplies. Prices showed ⅛c net advance. September, 99⅛@99¼c; closed, 99⅝c; December, $1.03@1.03 9-16c; closed, $1.03⅝; May, $1.06⅛@1.07; closed, $1.06⅝.

CORN—Receipts, 54,825 bu.; exports, 262,156 bu.; spot market firm; No. 2, 61c, elevator, and 60½c, f. o. b., afloat. Option market was stronger on cold weather talk, closing ⅝@¾c net higher; September closed at 60c; December, 60⅛@61c; closed, 61c; May, closed, 60¾c.

OATS—Receipts, 41,500 bu.; spot strong; mixed, 26@32 lbs., 43½c; natural white, 30@32 lbs., 43½@45c; clipped white, 36@40 lbs., 44@49½c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 70@75c; good to choice, $1.15@1.20.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1906 crop, 14@16c; 1905 crop, 4½@5c; Pacific coast, 1906 crop, 8@11c; 1905 crop, 5@6c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $13.00@13.50; mess, $9.50@10.00; beef hams, $25.00@27.00; city extra India mess, $22.00@21.50; Cut meats steady; pickled bellies, 10⅝@12½c; pickled hams, 13c; packet, 10½@11c. Lard steady; continent, $9.60; western prime, $9.10@9.20; South America, $10.25; compound, $8.75. Pork, steady; family, $18.50@19.50; short clear, $16.75@17.75; mess, $15.00@18.50.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 6⅝c; country, 6¼@6⅝c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, 5¼@7c; Japan, nominal.

BUTTER—Steady, street prices, extra creamery, 24½@25c; official price, creamery, common to extra, 20@24c; state dairy, common to fancy, 19@24c; western factory, common to firsts, 17@21c; western imitation creamery, firsts, 21@22c.

CHEESE—Weak; state, full creams, colored and white, small best, 12¼c; state large colored best, 12c; state white, 11¾c; fair to good, 10¾@11¼c; inferior, 7¾@9¾c; skims, 7@9c.

EGGS—Firm; Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 26@28c; state good to choice, 23@25c; state brown and mixed fancy, 23@24c; western selected finest, 19@20c; average best, 17½@18c; official price, firsts, 17¼@18c.

POULTRY—Live, steady; sping chickens, 17c; fowls, 14c; turkeys, 11c; dressed, firm; western chickens, 16@20c; turkeys, 10@15c; fowls, 12@15c.

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT

Fair and Warmer Saturday, is the Prediction.

OMAHA, August 2, 1907.

Within the past twenty-four hours light showers were scattered throughout the mountain district, and east over the central valley, lake region, and eastern states. Rains are falling in northern Michigan, and on the south Atlantic coast, and generally cloudy weather prevails in the eastern states. The weather is fair in the central valleys and western portions. Temperatures are lower in the lake region, upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys, but are slightly higher in the west, and will be higher in this vicinity Saturday, with fair tonight and Saturday.

Omaha record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day for the last three years:

	1907	1906	1905	1904
Minimum temperature	55	66	68	61
Precipitation	.00	.57	.32	.02

Normal temperature for today, 76 degrees.

Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, 4.32 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1906, 3.17 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1905, 7.20 inches.

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecaster.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 2.—WHEAT—Higher; track, No. 2 cash, 88@89½c; No. 2 hard, 88¼@92½c; September, 89⅝c; December, 93⅝c. CORN—Higher; track, No. 2 cash, 54½c; No. 2 white, 54½c; September, 52¾c; December, 49⅝c.

OATS—Higher; track, No. 2 cash, 46c; new, 46c old; No. 2 white, 51½c; September, 39½c.

FLOUR—Firm; red winter patents, $4.25@4.40; extra fancy and straight, $3.75@4.15; clear, $2.75@3.25.

SEEDS—Timothy, steady, $3.25@4.25.

CORNMEAL—Steady, $2.70.

BRAN—Strong; sacked, east track, 96c@$1.00.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $16.00@21.00; prairie, $9.00@11.00.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.69½.

HEMP TWINE—11c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; jobbing, $16.50. Lard, higher; prime steam, $8.90. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed extra shorts, $9.25; clear ribs, $9.25; short clears, $9.37½. Bacon, steady; boxed extra shorts, $10.12½; clear ribs, $10.12½; short clears, $10.25.

POULTRY — Steady; chickens, 10c; springs, 14½c; turkeys, 13c; ducks, 8c; geese, 8c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 20½@21½c.

EGGS—Higher at 13½c.

Receipts and shipments of flour and grain were as follows:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	9,000	7,000
Wheat, bu.	16,100	28,000
Corn, bu.	52,000	87,000
Oats, bu.	27,000	24,000

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 2.—WHEAT—September, 85⅝c; December, 89½c; May, 93⅝c. Cash: No. 2 hard, 84½@89c; No. 3, 82@86c; No. 2 red, 85@86c; No. 3, 84@84½c.

CORN—September, 48⅞c; December, 45⅞c; May, 47⅝c. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 49½c; No. 3, 48c; No. 2 white, 50c; No. 3, 48½@50c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 46c; No. 2 mixed, 44½@46½c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2, 76@78c.

HAY—Timothy, steady; choice, $10.50@11.00. Prairie, 25c higher; choice, $7.75@8.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 23c; packing, 17½c.

EGGS—Steady; extras, 17½c; firsts, 16c; cases included, 1c less; southern, 1c off.

Receipts and shipments of grain were as follows:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu.	278,000	126,000
Corn, bu.	40,000	41,000
Oats, bu.	5,000	15,000

Kansas City future prices as furnished by Logan & Bryan, 112 Board of Trade building:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
September	85½	85½	85⅛	85⅝
December	89	89½	89	89½
May	93½	94	93⅝	93⅝
Corn—				
September	48⅝	49	48½@⅝	48⅞
December	45⅛	46	45⅛	45⅞
May	47	48⅛	47	47⅞

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 2.—WHEAT—Spot quiet; No. 2 red, western winter, 7s 1d. Futures steady; September, 7s 2⅞d; December, 7s 5¼d; March, 7s 4½d.

CORN—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 5½d; old northern, 5s 2½d. Futures firm; September, 4s 11½d; December, nominal.

HOPS—At London, (Pacific coast), steady at £2 16s@£3 10s.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, Aug. 2.—CORN—Higher; No. 3 yellow, 54⅝@55½c; No. 3, 54⅝c; No. 4, 53½c.

OATS—Firm; No. 3 white, 46c; No. 4 white, new, 42½c.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2, 83½@85c.

WHISKY—$1.31.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 2.—WHEAT—Market steady; No. 1 northern, $1.02@1.03; No. 2 northern, 99c@$1.02; September, 92½c, bid.

RYE—Steady; No. 1, 87@87½c.

BARLEY—Dull; No. 2, 72½c; sample, 52@72c.

CORN—Higher; No. 3 cash, 54½@55c; September, 54⅝c, bid.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 2.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard, on track, $1.04⅝; No. 1 northern, on track, $1.00⅝; No. 2 northern, 98⅝c; September, $1.00½; December, 99⅝c.

OATS—To arrive, 43c.

Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, Aug. 2.—SEEDS—Clover, cash, 19.45; October, $9.55; December and March, $9.95. Alsike, prime, $8.00. Timothy, prime, $3.17½.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Absence of Outside Buying Causes a Stagnant Market.

REACTION FOLLOWS EARLY RISE

Report on Cotton Condition a Disagreeable Surprise to Speculators —Dealings Almost Entirely Professional.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The discouragement of the professional traders over the absence of outside interest in stocks resulted today in a condition bordering on stagnation. Trading was practically idle at times and the professionals finding no satisfaction in scalping profits from each other, desisted from operations. There was no other noticeable operations outside of this class.

The forecast of the week's currency movement gave warning of the unfavorable factors at work in the money situation. Yesterday's heavy credit balance of the subtreasury at the clearing house on account of the Central Pacific note payment to the government extended the week's loss of the banks to the government of $2,381,000. This includes the gold shipment to France on Tuesday, for which payment was made at the subtreasury, but not the bulge to Canada, which amounted to nearly $1,000,000. The resources of the United States treasury for relieving a possible money stringency this fall was brought to attention by the monthly circular of the National City bank, which concludes that a working balance of $25,000,000 to $30,000,000 in the treasury has been demonstrated to be ample, thus leaving $40,000,000 to $45,000,000 available for deposit with the banks in the present condition of the treasury. August and September are months of large surplus revenue collections, however, and this will increase the power of the treasury to influence the position. Foreign exchange here continued to decline, however, in spite of a rather easier tone in the call loan market, and firmness in London and Berlin discounts. The feature in the time loan market is the special urgency of the demand for the six months period, which now carries over the first month into the new year. The quoted rate was 6 to 6½ per cent on this maturity. The government report of the condition of cotton was again a disagreeable surprise, the improvement during July having proved much less than was anticipated in the trade. The fact that some of the cotton carriers advanced on the report was attributed to the likelihood that short sellers in anticipation of the poor report were buying to cover. Reports of grain crop conditions also were rather unfavorable, low temperatures in the northwest calling attention to the importance of delayed frosts for a crop that is late. The probable dimensions of the fines to be imposed on the Standard Oil company by Judge Landis tomorrow formed a subject for discussion as it was feared the making of the penalties severe would have an unfavorable effect on values. Copper was lower again, both in London and at the New York Metal exchange. Not much was accomplished by the day's operations in stocks. The rise of the early part of the day was about all lost at one time and then recovered in the last half hour on scanty dealings.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value, $638,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

The following was the range of prices on the New York Stock exchange:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adams Express	....	....	....	180
Amalgamated Copper	39,100	85⅛	84¼	84⅝
Amer. Car and Foundry	100	43	43	43⅛
do pfd	....	....	....	109⅛
Amer. Cotton Oil	200	54⅞	54⅞	54⅞
do pfd	....	....	....	85
Amer. Express	....	....	....	208
Amer. Hide & Leather pfd	....	....	....	20
Amer. Ice	200	56	54⅝	56
Amer. Linseed Oil	....	....	....	8
do pfd	200	22	22	21
Amer. Locomotive	100	57	57	56⅛
do pfd	....	....	....	116⅛
Amer. Smelting & Ref.	21,700	113⅞	111⅝	113
do pfd	400	105⅛	105	104⅝
Amer. Sugar Refining	200	121	120⅝	121⅛
Amer. Tobacco pfd ctfs	200	86⅛	86	86⅛
Anaconda Mining Co.	4,600	54⅞	54⅛	54⅛
Atchison	2,400	92⅛	92	92⅛
do pfd	....	....	....	98
Atlantic Coast Line	200	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	1,100	97⅛	97	97⅛
do pfd	....	....	....	88
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	600	57⅞	56⅞	57
Canadian Pacific	400	175⅝	175	175⅝
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	375
Chesapeake & Ohio	500	35⅝	35⅛	35⅝
Chicago Great Western	400	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Chicago & Northwestern	....	....	....	148
C., M. & St. Paul	6,200	158	151⅝	152⅝
Chicago T. & T., offered	....	....	....	64½
do pfd	....	....	....	18
C., C., C. & St. Louis	100	66	66	66
Colorado Fuel and Iron	700	31	30⅛	30⅛
Colorado & Southern	1,200	27⅞	26⅝	26⅞
do 1st pfd	200	59⅛	59⅛	59⅛
do 2d pfd	200	45⅛	44⅞	44⅞
Consolidated Gas	700	118	117	117⅛
Corn Products	500	17⅞	17	17
do pfd	200	72⅞	72	72
Delaware & Hudson	200	168	167⅛	168
Del., Lack. & Western	....	....	....	465
Denver & Rio Grande	500	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
do pfd	....	....	....	78
Distillers' Securities	100	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝
Erie	1,200	34	33⅛	33⅝
do 1st pfd	200	59⅝	59⅝	59
do 2d pfd	100	41	41	41⅛
General Electric	300	137	136⅝	136⅞
Illinois Central	....	....	....	139
International Paper	....	....	....	14⅝
do pfd	....	....	....	79⅝
International Pump	....	....	....	24
do pfd	....	....	....	77
Iowa Central	200	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Jersey Central	200	38⅝	38⅛	38⅛
K. C. Southern	100	28	27⅝	27⅝
do pfd	300	57	57	57
Louisville & Nashville	100	112	112	112
Mexican Central	200	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛
Minn. & St. Louis	200	41⅝	41⅛	41⅝
M., St. P. & Sault Ste. M.	400	104⅝	104	104⅛
do pfd	....	....	....	150
Missouri Pacific	400	74⅝	74⅛	74⅛
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	3,100	35⅛	34⅝	34⅝
do pfd	300	67	66⅝	66⅛
National Lead	2,500	57	55⅛	56⅛
N. Y. R. R. R. of Mexico pfd	....	....	....	50⅝
New York Central	1,100	111⅝	111	111⅝
N. Y., Ont. & Western	....	....	....	35⅝
Norfolk & Western	200	74⅛	74	74⅛
do pfd., ex-div	....	....	....	78
Northern Pacific	....	....	....	69⅛
Pacific Mail	300	27⅛	26⅝	27
Pennsylvania	3,800	123⅝	122	123⅛
People's Gas	700	90⅝	90	90⅝
P., C., C. & St. L., ex-div	....	....	....	68
Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	34
do pfd	100	91	91	90
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	162
Reading	61,300	103⅛	102⅝	103
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	80
do 2d pfd	....	....	....	77
Republic Steel	....	....	....	34⅝
do pfd	300	92⅛	92⅛	92
Rock Island Co.	500	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
do pfd	400	47⅝	47⅛	47
Rubber Goods pfd	....	....	....	95
St. L. & San. Fran. 1d pfd	....	....	....	137
St. Louis Southwestern	400	29	28	28
do pfd	200	48	46⅛	50
Southern Pacific	40,600	90⅝	89⅛	89⅝
do pfd	300	112⅛	112⅛	112⅛
Southern Railway	1,800	35⅛	34⅝	35⅝
do pfd	100	64	64	62⅛
Tennessee Coal and Iron	....	....	....	140
Texas & Pacific	100	30⅝	30⅝	30
T., St. L. & Western	200	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛
do pfd	200	84⅝	84⅝	84⅝
Union Pacific	87,500	144⅝	142⅝	143⅝
do pfd	100	83	83	80
U. S. Express	....	....	....	107
U. S. Realty	....	....	....	53
U. S. Rubber	200	34⅝	34⅛	34
do pfd	700	98	97	97⅛
U. S. Steel	19,100	35⅝	35⅛	35⅝
do pfd	3,000	100⅝	100⅛	100⅛
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	100	26	26	26
do pfd	....	....	....	101
Wabash	....	....	....	18
do pfd	....	....	....	34⅛
Wells-Fargo Express	....	....	....	280
Westinghouse Electric	....	....	....	143⅝
Western Union	....	....	....	71
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	21
Wisconsin Central	....	....	....	17
do pfd	....	....	....	38
Great Northern pfd	1,900	132⅛	131⅝	132⅛
Northern Pacific	9,400	132⅝	131⅝	132⅛
Central Leather	200	22⅛	22⅛	22
do pfd	200	91⅛	91	91
Interborough Metropolitan	100	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
do pfd	600	42⅛	42	42
Sloss-Sheffield	....	....	....	59⅛

Total sales for the day, 896,600 shares.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Closing quotations on stocks were as follows:

Consols, money	82 11-16	M., K. & T.	40
do account	82 13-16	N. Y. Central	114⅛
Anaconda	11⅛	Norfolk & W.	76⅛
Atchison	94⅝	do pfd	84
do pfd	95	Ont. & Western	27⅛
Baltimore & O.	100	Pennsylvania	62
Canadian Pacific	173⅝	Rand Mines	5⅛
Ches. & Ohio	36⅛	Reading	32
Chicago G. W.	11⅛	Southern Railway	18⅝
C., M. & St. P.	154	do pfd	67
Denver	31⅛	Southern Pacific	92⅛
D. & R. G.	38	Union Pacific	147⅝
do pfd	78⅛	do pfd	89
Erie	34⅛	U. S. Steel	35⅝
do 1st pfd	61⅛	do pfd	101
do 2d pfd	43⅛	Wabash	14
Grand Trunk	8⅝	do pfd	26⅛
Illinois Central	144	Spanish 4s	93⅝
L. & Nashville	118		

SILVER—Bar, steady; 32¼d per ounce.

MONEY—2¼@3 per cent.

The rate of discount on the open market for short bills is 3⅛@3 11-16 per cent; for three months' bills, 3⅝@3⅝ per cent.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, Aug. 3.—Bank clearings for today were $1,796,252.04 and for the corresponding date last year $1,540,642.27.

Bank of Germany Statement.

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes: Cash in hand, decreased 45,600,000 marks; treasury notes, unchanged; other securities, increased 27,080,000 marks; notes in circulation, increased 40,420,000 marks.

REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of the Associated Banks for the Week.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending Aug. 1 shows an aggregate of $16,610,388,000, as against $2,511,632,000 last week, and $2,710,000,000 in the corresponding week last year. Canadian clearings for the week total $74,418,000, as against $82,168,000 last week and $72,870,000 in the same week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

CITIES.	Clearings.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,608,716,000	.....	18.8
Chicago	223,427,000	5.5	.....
Boston	128,707,000	1.1	.....
Philadelphia	120,996,000	.....	3.3
St. Louis	52,494,000	5.6	.....
Pittsburg	49,152,000	.....	3.5
San Francisco	29,975,000	0.1	.....
Baltimore	28,227,000	2.3	.....
Kansas City	20,340,000	17.4	.....
Cincinnati	25,569,000	1.8	.....
New Orleans	12,412,000	.....	1.6
Minneapolis	18,106,000	18.7	.....
Detroit	17,704,000	16.8	.....
Louisville	13,163,000	.....	.....
Los Angeles	11,814,000	12.3	.....
Omaha	9,201,000	.....	4.0
Milwaukee	**9,275,000**	**0.5**	.....
Seattle	9,627,000	15.1	.....
St. Paul	9,392,000	21.1	.....
Providence	7,595,000	.....	5.0
Buffalo	6,644,000	3.1	.....
Indianapolis	6,866,000	9.9	.....
Denver	6,970,000	6.9	.....
Fort Worth	6,220,000	.....	1.9
Richmond	6,096,000	51.4	.....
Albany	5,730,000	12.3	.....
Washington	5,325,000	.....	.....
Salt Lake City	5,158,000	.....	2.5
Portland, Ore.	7,955,000	81.1	.....
Columbus, O.	6,337,000	26.6	.....
St. Joseph	4,993,000	6.0	.....
Memphis	5,067,000	9.2	.....
Savannah	2,982,000	33.4	.....
Atlanta	2,917,000	.....	5.0
Spokane, Wash.	2,811,000	.....	0.8
Toledo, O.	5,491,000	55.5	.....
Tacoma	3,862,000	1.7	.....
Nashville	4,830,000	21.9	.....
Rochester	3,701,000	5.2	.....
Hartford	3,203,000	.....	15.9
Peoria	3,643,000	.....	5.4
Des Moines	2,126,000	.....	14.9
Norfolk	3,320,000	12.1	.....
New Haven	2,250,000	1.0	.....
Grand Rapids	2,730,000	.....	6.5
Dayton	2,237,000	3.6	.....
Portland, Me.	1,845,000	16.4	.....
Sioux City	1,898,000	.....	13.6
Springfield, Mass.	1,784,000	11.0	.....
Evansville	1,905,000	.....	.....
Birmingham	1,701,000	15.3	.....
Syracuse	1,468,000	.....	11.5
Augusta, Ga.	1,945,000	21.5	.....
Mobile	1,177,000	.....	0.5
Worcester	1,401,000	.....	3.7
Knoxville	1,432,000	6.9	.....
Wilmington, Del.	1,477,000	45.9	.....
Charleston, S. C.	1,372,000	0.9	.....
Chattanooga	1,084,000	40.5	.....
Jacksonville, Fla.	1,320,000	35.1	.....
Wichita	1,229,000	3.9	.....
Wilkesbarre	1,259,000