THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS

Rumors of Frost Advanced Corn Over Two Cents Yesterday.

OTHER CEREALS ALSO IMPROVED

Wheat Was a Shade Firmer at the Opening on the Decrease in the Quantity of Flour and Wheat on Ocean Passage.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 13.—A bulge of over 2c a bu. with much attendant excitement was witnessed in the corn pit today. The advance was largely due to the report of frosts last night which it was thought must have materially injured the crop and that and severe frosts were feared tonight. This, taken in connection with the late government report alarmed shorts and started a big line of covering. All the other markets on the floor were more or less affected by the action of the corn market. Improvements over yesterday's closing were effected as follows: Wheat about ½c, oats ⅝c, pork from 5c to 15c. There was a sensation in the seed market, timothy gaining 15c per bu. due to unfavorable crop news. The charters were heavy, amounting to 431,000 bu. of wheat and 542,000 bu. of corn.

Wheat was a shade firmer at the opening on the decrease in the quantity of flour and wheat on ocean passage. The upward tendency was aided by the receipts at Chicago being considerably under the estimates, very cold weather reported in the northwest, advices from Minneapolis that the receipts had fallen off considerably during the past week owing to wet weather, the signal service predictions of frost in the northwest and the strength in corn.

The disturbing influences were Governor Flower's order that the sixty-ninth regiment should proceed to Fire island to enable passengers from Europe to land there, the liberal increase—1,150,000 bu.—in the English visible supply and the easier tone of early English cables. The volume of trading was only moderate.

News was sent in from Iowa that the average yield of winter wheat in that state was 17¼ bu. and 15 bu. of spring. While these were not equal to the big yields of last year, they are rather above the average for a series of years.

In corn, opening trades were at from ⅜c to ½c advance, and under an urgent demand and limited offerings the market scored up with some reaction ⅛c, the blue sky report which came in causing the early sellers to turn buyers. This statement was quite bullish, saying the past week was cool, and little progress made, and reported the condition at 75 per cent acreage and 84 per cent yield, about 64 per cent of an average crop. Severe frosts before the 25th would reduce the outlook materially and 20 per cent will require the whole month to mature.

The weather bureau predicting heavy frosts tonight in Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, and probably light in Kansas, northern Missouri and northern Illinois, created an increased demand, making shorts not a little nervous, and many hastened to cover; the smaller estimates for tomorrow of all cars also having the same influence. The market ruled ⅜c lower after the bulge, changed some and closed with a gain of 1⅛c.

Oats were quiet today, the market following corn pretty closely. Trade was confined principally to the May option.

The provision market was depressed for a short time near the opening by the heavy receipts of hogs, but later the big advance in corn, with a prospective further advance, should frost materialize tonight, caused some covering by shorts and in the end the market became quite strong and closed generally higher than on the day before. Pork is 10c higher for October and 15c for January. Lard for October is unchanged, but 12½c higher for January. October ribs are unchanged and January 7½c higher. Steuner was a buyer of ribs on soft spots. The Cudahy Packing company were selling ribs, lard and pork for January delivery. Baldwin was a buyer of January pork, which he sold out later in the session.

There was a fair demand for vessels and a firm market at 2¼c for wheat and 2¾c for corn to Buffalo, and 2c for corn and 1½c for oats to Port Huron.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 410 cars; corn, 310 cars; oats, 240 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE
WHEAT No. 2				
September	$ 73⅝	73⅝ $	73¼	73½@73⅝
October	74⅛	74⅝	74⅛	74⅜@¾
December	76⅝@76⅞	76¾	76⅝	76⅝@¾
CORN No. 2				
September	47½	49	47½	48⅝
October	48⅝@48½	49¾	48	49⅛@⅝
May	51¼@51½	52⅛	51¼	52⅛
OATS No. 2				
September	34½	34½@⅝	34¼	34⅝
October	34⅛	34⅝	34@34⅛	34¼
May	37⅝	37⅞	37⅝@37¾	37¾
MESS PORK				
October	9 95	10 22½	9 95	10 20
January	11 85	12 10	11 85	12 07½
LARD				
October	7 32½	7 42½	7 32½	7 42½
January	6 77½	6 8½	6 75	6 82½
SHORT RIBS				
September	7 75	7 75	7 75	7 75
October	7 55	7 72½	7 55	7 70
January	6 17½	6 30	6 17½	6 27½

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; unchanged; winter patent, $4@4.60; straights, $3.40@3.70; spring, $4.0.@4.50; spring straights, $3.5.@4.60.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 73½@73¾c; No. 3 spring, 69@80c; No. 2 red, 73½@73¾c.

CORN—Steady; No. 2, 48½c; No. 3, yellow, 47@47½c.

OATS—No. 2, 34½c; No. 2 white, 35½c; No. 3 white, 33@34c.

RYE—No. 2, 56½c.

BARLEY—No. 2, 66@67c; No. 3, f. o. b., 49@64c; No. 4, f. o. b., 36@45c.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, $1.48½c; No. 2, $1.47.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $1.85.

PORK—Mess, per bbl., $10.15@10.22½; lard, per 100 lbs., $7.42½@7.45; short ribs, sides (loose), $7.50@7.75; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 6@6½; short clear sides (boxed), $7.50@8.00.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.16.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, 7⅝@7¾c; granulated, 7¼c; Standard "A," 7⅛c.

Receipts and shipments today were as follows:

ARTICLES.	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS.
Flour, barrels	16,000	21,000
Wheat, bushels	403,000	214,000
Corn, bushels	510,000	375,000
Oats, bushels	436,000	555,000
Rye, bushels	21,000	24,000
Barley, bushels	40,000	7,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; fancy creamery, 24@25c; fine western, 20@23c; ordinary, 16@18c; fine dairies, 20@22½c. Eggs, steady, 18@18½c.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—FLOUR—Receipts, 86,400 pkgs.; exports, 8,600 bbls. and 31,300 sacks; sales, 11,200 bbls; steady, better demand; Minnesota clear, $3.00@3.50; patents, $4.25@4.75; rye mixtures, $3.00@3.10.

CORNMEAL—Steady but quiet; yellow western, $3.0.@3.10.

WHEAT—Receipts, 627,200 bu.; exports, 259,800 bu.; sales, 1,440,000 bu. of futures, 160,000 bu. of spot. Spot firmer and fairly active; No. 2 red, 77⅞@78⅛c in store and elevator; 79½@79¾c afloat; 79¾@80⅛c f. o. b.; No. 2 red, 77c; ungraded red, 76@79c; No. 1 northern, 80@83½c; No. 1 hard, 80c; No. 2 northern, 82½@82¾c; No. 2 Chicago, 83½c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 79@79½c; No. 3 spring, 77c. Options moderately active and irregular, opening ⅜@¾c up on foreign buying and on the decrease in English and free receipts, advanced ⅝@⅞c with corn. Shorts covering, rejected ⅛c and closed steady at ¼@⅜c above yesterday; No. 2 red, 78⅝@79⅛c, closing 79c; October, 79½@80 1-16c, closing at 79⅞c; November, 81⅛@81⅜c, closing at 81½c; December, 82⅝@83 1-16c, closing at 83¼c; March, 87¼@87⅜c, closing at 87⅜c; May, 88⅞@89⅛c, closing at 89⅛c.

RYE—Nominal; western, 61@66c.

BARLEY MALT—Nominal.

CORN—Receipts, 187,000 bu.; exports, 7,500 bu.; sales, 1,155,000 bu. of futures, 27,000 bu. of spot. Spots more active, firm; No. 2, 56¼@57c in elevator; 58c afloat; ungraded mixed, 57½@59c. Options advanced 1½@1¾c on reports of frost and decrease in amount on passage, declined ½@⅝c on unexpired, closing firm at ⅛@1⅜c over yesterday. September, 56½@57⅛c, closing at 57⅛c; October, 55½@57⅛c, closing at 56⅞c; November, 56½@57⅞c, closing at 57⅛c; December, 56¼@58⅛c, closing at 57⅞c; May, 57½@58⅛c, closing at 58⅛c.

OATS—Receipts, 134,900 bu.; exports, 63; sales, 42,000 bu. of futures, 203,000 bu. of spot. Spots active and firmer; options fairly active, stronger; September, 38⅝@38⅞c, closing at 38⅞c; October, 38⅝@39c, closing at 39c; November, 39⅛@39c, closing at 40c bid; No. 2 spot, white, 39½@39¾c; mixed western, 37½@39½c; white western, 39@46c.

No. 2 Chicago, 39½@39¾c.

HAY—Dull and steady; good to choice, 80@90c.

HOPS—Quiet, easier; Pacific coast, 18@27c.

SUGAR—Raw, firm, quiet; refined moderately active, firm.

MOLASSES—Foreign, nominal; New Orleans, dull, steady.

RICE—Steady; fairly active.

BUTTER—Moderately firmer; creamery, 15@25½c; Elgin, 25@25½c.

CHEESE—Fairden and and steady.

PIG IRON—Steady and quiet; American, $16.00@18.50.

COPPER—Weak; lake, $11.25@11.40.

LEAD—Steady; domestic, $1.10@4.12½.

TIN—Easier and steady at close; straits, $20.20@20.25.

EGGS—Fair, firm demand; western prime, 21½@22c; western, poor, per case, $1.75@5.00. Receipts, 11,200 packages.

WOOL—Fairly active, firm; domestic fleeces, 26@35c; pulled, 20@32c; Texas, 18@21c.

PORK—Dull but firm, cut meats dull but steady; middles quiet; lard quiet; western steam closed at $7.75 asked; sales, 400 tierces at $7.70@7.75; option sales, 750 tierces; September closed at $7.70; 250 tierces October, $7.72½; 500 tierces January at $7.15.

St. Louis Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 13.—FLOUR—Steady and unchanged.

WHEAT—Higher, and though all the advance was not maintained, the close was ⅛@⅜c above yesterday; cash, 69c; October, closed at 70½c; December, 71⅛@71⅜c; May, 75⅞c.

CORN—Was higher and firm closed 1@1½c above yesterday; cash, 44½c; September, 44½c; October, 45½c; December, 45½c; year, 41½c; May, 48⅛c.

OATS—Higher but slow; cash, 30c; September, 31½c; October, 31c; May, 35⅝c.

RYE—Firmer at 52@52½c.

BARLEY—Market not fairly opened, small sales of choice Nebraska at 60c.

BRAN—Quiet at 60c.

HAY—Unchanged; prairie, $7.00; timothy $8.50@12.00.

LEAD—Steady at $3.95.

FLAXSEED—Quiet at $1.03.

BUTTER—Unchanged at 20@25c.

EGGS—Better at 15c.

CORN MEAL—Quiet at $2.15@2.20.

WHISKY—Steady at $1.10.

BAGGING—Unchanged at 6¼@7½c.

IRON COTTON TIES—Unchanged at $1.10.

PROVISIONS—Steady but slow, with only a job trade at previous quotations; pork, jobbing, $10.75. Lard, $7.35@7.40. Dry salt meats, loose lots, shoulders, $7.00; clears and ribs, $7.75; shorts, $8.00; boxed lots 25c more. Bacon, shoulders, $7.50; longs and ribs, $8.62½; shorts, $8.85. Sugar cured hams, $11.50@12.50.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 4,000 bbls.; wheat, 114,000 bu.; corn, 56,000 bu.; oats, 44,000 bu.; rye, none; barley, none.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 13,000 bbls.; wheat, 81,000 bu.; corn, 17,000 bu.; oats, 13,000 bu.; rye, 5,000 bu.; barley, none.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 13.—WHEAT—More active, steady; No. 2 hard, old, 56c; new, 69¾@66½c; No. 2 red, 64½@66c.

CORN—Dull, but strong and 1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 41c; No. 2 white, 49@49½c.

OATS—Firm and in fair demand; No. 2 mixed, 29½@29¾c; No. 2 white, 31½@32c.

RYE—Firm; 51½@56c.

FLAXSEED—Strong at 92@95c.

BRAN—Weak; sacked, 54@55c.

HAY—Steady; prices unchanged; timothy, $7.50@9.00; prairie, $4.00@7.00.

BUTTER—In fair supply; creamery, 12@22c; dairy, 12@18c.

EGGS—More active, firm; candled, 15c.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 44,000 bu.; corn, 21,000 bu.; oats, 4,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 35,000 bu.; corn, 6,000; oats, none.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The market for dry goods was quiet on the spot, but there was a good mail recorded trade. The west continues to send in numerous and liberal requests for replenishments, indicating an active distribution of business. The market is probably more bare of goods than a week ago, as the movement has been large of late. Prices remain firm generally and there is still an upward tendency in certain sections. The Berkely No. 60 cambrics were advanced by agents today from 8½c to 8¾c. The print cloth market is also more than firm. Prices were less active.

Omaha Fruit Market.

GRAPES—Home grown Concord grapes are just commencing to arrive in liberal quantities. They are quoted at 35@40c per 10-lb. basket.

CALIFORNIA GRAPES—Per crate, $1.25.

CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Per box, $1.50@1.65.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—Bartletts, scarce, $3.00; other varieties, $2.50.

PLUMS—Per box, $1.50, scarce; Washington plums are commencing to arrive, $1.50.

APPLES—Per bbl., $4.00.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 13.—WHEAT—Quiet; holders offer moderately; No. 1 California, 6s 4½d @6s 5d per cental; No. 2 red winter, 5s 11d@ 5s 11½d per cental. Receipts of wheat for the past three days, 216,000 centals, including 189,000 American.

CORN—Firm; demand fair; mixed western, 4s 6½d per cental. Receipts of American corn for the past three days, 22,100 centals.

PEAS—Canadian, 5s 3½d per cental.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Steady, unchanged to 5 points up at opening; closed steady, unchanged to 10 points down; sales, 23,500 bags, including September, $14.00; October, $13.75@13.90; November, $13.65@13.70; December $13.55@13.65; January, $13.45@13.55; March, $13.40@13.50. Spot Rio, more active, steady; No. 7, $15.00.

Omaha Produce Markets.

POTATOES—75@85c; sweet potatoes, $1.25.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 13@13½c; choice dairy, 15@2.c.

POULTRY—Chickens 9c; old hens, 8@8½c; roosters, 5@6c; geese and ducks in poor demand.

EGGS—General market, 16½c; some sales at 17c.

Oil Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—COTTONSEED OIL—Firm and quiet; crude, 28@29c; yellow, 31c.

TALLOW—Firm, quiet; city ($2.00 for packs.) 4 9-16@4¾c.

ROSIN—Quiet, easier; strained, common to good, $1.22½@1.27½.

TURPENTINE—Firm and quiet at 29@29½c.

Wool Market.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The wool sales opened today. There were offered 10,407 bales of merino, principally. The attendance was very large and the competition was active for the best months of scoured and greased.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 13.—Steady; middling, 7c; low middling, 6½c; good ordinary, 6c; net receipts, 5,714 bales; gross receipts, 1,259 bales; sales, 2,100 bales; stock, 67,953 bales.

Havana Sugar Market.

HAVANA, Sept. 13.—Exchange, quiet. Sugar, quiet.

Traders' Talk.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 13.—F. G. Logan & Co. to Duncan, Hollinger & Co.: The wheat market has been firm from the opening until the close. December opened at 76½c, and sold at 76⅞c, as high as 76⅞, and closed at 76⅝@76¾c. While we see nothing to recommend buying it, we think the price is safe for investment. The end of this month will see the heavy weight of receipts from the spring wheat districts, and this over we look for higher prices. All the contingencies are in favor of it. Cables are steady, the light Indian shipments should give higher prices in the near future. We see English wheat selling at about 6d, which is relatively higher than we are by some cents. Corn has been the attraction today. October opened at 48¾c, sold up to 49½c, and closed at 49¼@49½c. May opened at 51¾c, sold up to 52⅞c, and closed at 52⅝. Reliable advices from the corn belt are that the crop will require at least twenty days to mature the early planted, and this is the lightest part of the crop. With the early planted in danger if the late planted, it is safe to assume, cannot escape serious damage by frost. At this writing the entire crop is delayed by rains. Our remarks of yesterday are good today—buy on all weak markets. Oats have been less active, but they are firm and we believe going higher and safe to buy. Heavy receipts of hogs upset all calculations of the bull party, but the advance in corn held the whole line strong.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 13.—Counselman & Day to Cockrell Commiss on Co.: Corn was the leader on change today, opening ¾c higher, advancing to 49¾c for October and 52¾@52⅞c for May, with active speculative buying on predictions of frost tonight along the upper edge of the corn belt, but closing a little topheavy after shorts covered. Wheat opened ⅛c higher and in the face of the generally bearish influence of comparative receipts and shipments and lower closing Liverpool cables moved up ¼c further in sympathy with other grain, but was sluggish throughout and neglected by the scalping element. Some conservative investment buying and covering by local shorts lifted prices as noted, in the face of general selling by receivers and elevator people against actual receipts. Oats were quiet but very firm with a general moderate demand, and closed ⅜c higher all around. Pork closed from 15c to 20c higher on hog buying induced by the belief in an early cold spell which will kill both cholera and corn. Ribs and lard were quiet, with both local and country packers selling steadily against stocks on hand to be made, and the bull crowd doggedly absorbing offerings to protect their ideas. We think that September futures may be maintained against a much further break, but the October load of lard and ribs looks heavy and we again caution our friends against the long side. Pork is low enough in the face of the outlook for corn, but will break some what.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 13.—Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter: Wheat has shown very little strength considering the sharp advance in corn. Heavy stocks are still too much of a burden to our narrow trade to permit of a bull move, but conditions are constantly getting more favorable for holders. Receipts promise to fall off before long and the shipments from other exporting countries are so light that foreigners may have to come here for nearly all their imports. A gradually hardening market is looked for. Frosts in Nebraska and a very bullish state report from Iowa, showing but 64 per cent of a crop, opened prices ¾c higher for corn, but offerings were so liberal that a reaction of ⅜c followed. Toward noon predictions of frost for tonight in several corn states started the market up again. Long did not sell freely and shorts had to cover off each other, which leaves the market in shape for another boom tomorrow, if the frosts occur. It looks as if corn would sell some higher. Provisions were rather firmer, but not showing nearly as much strength as they ought to. They will probably move up if corn continues to advance.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Dullness in the General List Was Sharply Marked.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The stock market was active in spots today, but the dullness in the general list was even more sharply marked than usual of late, and outside of the leading shares there was nothing in the market from the utterances of those in authority there was less prospect of a strike on the Reading lines than appeared yesterday, but the bears laid special stress upon the possibility of a strike as well as choirs, the growing scarcity of money and the general belief that further heavy shipments of gold will be made as soon as the interruption to transportation offered by the quarantine is removed.

The fact that stocks have been so well held in the absence of any organized support and the evident size of the short interest, which is largely among light operators, encouraged the bulls, however, and every concession was the result of special pressure. Western Union was the only prominent stock to show special weakness, and even in Reading and St. Paul, which were the leading active stocks, the fluctuations were confined to small fractions after the early rise of ⅞ per cent in Reading, the direct result of urgency of the demand to cover shorts.

The strength in Reading, Burlington and New England in the early dealings soon ceased to have any effect upon the rest of the list. The forces at work in the market remained quite evenly balanced until the close and few changes of note were established, except in the stocks mentioned. The market finally closed rather unsettled on a moderate volume of business. The transactions reached 251,107 listed and 14,214 unlisted. Reading contributed 49,500.

Government bonds dull and state bonds entirely neglected.

The Post says: There was some irregularity in the movement of foreign exchange today. Several local bankers reduced their posted sterling rates for the first time in many weeks, the greater ease in exchange being due apparently to an increase in the supply of commercial bills, consequent on the resumption of regular transatlantic steamers. Notwithstanding the export of more than $8,000,000 in gold since the opening of August, the government gold supply, which then touched its minimum, has gained since that time nearly $4,000,000. The banks, which have been paying gold to the treasury in exchange for currency to ship west, have naturally been depleted in surplus by this very process of treasury recuperation.

The following are the closing quotations for the leading stocks on the New York Stock exchange today:

Atchison	36⅝	do pfd	41¾
Adams Express	146	N. J. Central	128¾
Alton, T. H.	32	Norfolk & W. pfd	39½
do preferred	190	N. American Co	12⅝
American Express	110	Northern Pacific	19
Baltimore & Ohio	84⅝	Ontario & West	19⅞
Canada Pacific	87	O. R. Nav. & Gulf	17⅞
Canada Southern	55	Northwestern	114
Central Pacific	28	do pfd	140
Ches. & Ohio	22	N. Y. Central	108⅝
Chicago Alton	147	N. Y. & N. Eng.	31
Chi. Bur. & Quincy	97⅝	Ontario & West	13⅞
Chicago Gas	78⅝	Oregon Imp.	20
Consolidated Gas	175	Oregon Nav.	21
C. C. C. & St. L.	61¾	Oregon S. L. & N.	20
Colo. Coal & Iron	37	Pacific Mail	39
Cotton Oil Certif's	42¼	Peoria Dec. & E.	18
Del. Hudson	129¾	*Pittsburg	155
Del. L. & W.	142	Pullman Palace	172
D. & R. G. pfd	47⅞	Reading	54⅝
D. & C. F. Co	50½	Richmond Ter.	8¼
East Tenn	4	do pfd	37
Erie	25	Rio Grande West	34
do pfd	60⅝	do pfd	69¾
Fort Wayne	152	Rock Island	79⅝
Great Northern pfd	137	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd	75
C. & E. I. pfd	97	*St. Paul	78¾
Hocking Valley	31⅝	do pfd	127¾
Illinois Central	96½	St. Paul & Omaha	48⅞
St. P. & Duluth	41	do pfd	116¾
Kan. & Tex. pfd	25⅝	Southern Pacific	34⅝
Lake Erie & West	22⅝	Sugar Refinery	109¼
do pfd	73	Tenn. Coal & Iron	31¼
Lake Shore	130¾	Texas Pacific	8¼
Lead Trust	40⅝	T. & O. Cen. pfd	80
Louisv. & Nash	66⅝	Union Pacific	56⅝
L. & N. A.	73¼	U. S. Express	58
Manhattan Con	130	W. St. L. & P.	19¼
*Memphis & C	50	do pfd	25⅝
Mich. Cent	104	Wells Fargo Exp	145
Missouri Pac	59	Western Union	94⅝
Mobile & Ohio	37	Wheeling & L. E.	24⅝
Nashville Chatt	84	do pfd	66
National Cordage	9⅛	M. & St. L.	15⅛

* bid †asked ‡ex div

The total sales of stocks today were 265,381 shares, including: Atchison, 29,700; Erie, 16,000; Louisville & Nashville, 4,800; Northern Pacific preferred, 8,500; New England, 7,500; Reading, 49,000; St. Paul, 34,000; Western Union, 4,000.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 4@5 per cent; last loan, 4 per cent; closed offered at 4 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4½@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet but steady at $1.86¼ for sixty-day bills and $4.88 for demand.

The closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. 4s reg	111	*Mutual Union 6s	110
U. S. 4s coup	113	N. J. C. Int. Cert	110⅞
*U. S. 4½s reg	109	North. Pacific 1sts	113¾
*Pacific 6s of '95	107	*North. Pacific 2nds	114¾
*Louisiana stam'd 4s	90½	Northwestern Con.	137¾
*Tenn. new set 3s	100½	N. Y. Con. Reb. 5s	109⅝
*Tenn. new set 5s	101	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5s	85
Tenn. new set 6s	75	*S. L. & S. F. Gen. M	106⅝
Canada So. 2nds	101¼	St. Paul Consols	127
Central Pacific 1sts	108	*Tex. & P. L. G. & P. 1sts	119
*Den. & R. G. 1sts	118	Tex. P. L. G. Tr. Rcts	83½
Den. & R. G. 4s	83¾	Tex. P. R. G. Tr. Rcts	30
Erie 2nds	103⅝	*Union Pacific 1sts	106
M. K. & T. Gen. 4s	70¾	West Shore	103
M. K. & T. Gen. 5s	46⅝	R. G. W.	78⅝

* bid.

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 13.—The following are the closing stock quotations:

Atch. & Top	36⅝	Calumet & Hecla	284
Boston & Albany	263	Catalpa	15
do Maine	172	Franklin	22¼
C. B. & Q.	97⅛	Kearsarge	10¼
Eastern R. R. 6s	123½	Osceola	30
Fitchburg R. R.	84	Santa Fe Copper	10
Mass. Cen	15½	Tamarack	155
Mex. Cen. con.	14½	West End Land Co.	17⅛
N. Y. & N. England	36⅝	Bell Telephone	203
Old Colony	181	Lamson Store S.	17
Wis. Cen. com.	15¼	Cent. M.	5
Allouez M. Co. (new)	90	N. E. T. & T.	57
Atlantic	20	B. & B.	8
Boston & Mont.	31⅝		

San Francisco Mining Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 13.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	20	Mexican	190
Bulwer	30	Mono	10
Best & Belcher	130	Ophir	240
Bodie Con	30	Potosi	60
Chollar	55	Savage	75
Con Cal & Va	325	Sierra Nevada	85
Crown Point	65	Union Con	130
Eureka Con	185	Utah	30
Gould & Curry	91	Yellow Jacket	60
Hale & Norcross	140	N. Q.	10

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

Crown Point	50	Plymouth	50
Con. Cal. & Va	310	Sierra Nevada	175
*Deadwood	220	Standard	140
Gould & Curry	85	Union Con	150
Hale & Norcross	50	Yellow Jacket	65
Homestake	1400	Iron Silver	50
Mexican	125	Quick Silver	300
*North Star	650	do preferred	1600
Ontario	3500	Gulwer	20
Ophir	210		

* asked.

St. Louis Mining Stocks.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 13.—Mining stock quotations:

Stock.	Bid.	Asked.	Stock.	Bid.	Asked.
Pat Murphy	30	35	Elizabeth	45	48
Am. Nettie	40	42½	Granite M	750	775
Bimetallic	1000		Hope		40

London Financial Review.

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LONDON, Sept. 13.—[New York Herald Cable—[Special to THE BEE.]—The settlement chiefly engaged the attention of the Stock exchange today. It gives cause for little anxiety, owing to the severe depreciation in the value of most speculative securities during the past few days. So far no difficulties have transpired. Money has been in good supply, so that rates for continuation have been easy as a rule. Consols, after giving way ⅛ per cent, have recovered to last night's prices. Indian rupee paper is ¼ per cent lower notwithstanding the further slight improvement in the price of silver. Home railways close flat, the stock having been in better supply than was expected, showing that a good deal of selling has been done on account of the bona fide holders. Nearly a general decline is established, including 1⅝ per cent in Brighton deferred, 1½ in Southeastern deferred, ⅝ in London and Northwestern, ¾ in Great Western, and ⅛ to ¾ in others. American railways followed the course of the New York market which appears to be completely controlled by a particular party there, at present everything being in their favor. There has been very little inquiry for money. Short loans have been obtained at ¼ per cent. In the discount market bills have been scarce, those of two and three months being quoted ¾ to ⅞ per cent.

Financial Notes.

HAVANA, Sept. 13.—Spanish gold 2 5¼@2.55.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 13.—Clearings $1,192,132.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 13.—Clearings, $1,540.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—Three per cent rentes, 99f 50c for the account.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Clearings, $134,796,049; balances, $3,335,683.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 13.—Clearings, $2,300,483; balances, $405,207. Rate 6 per cent.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 13.—Clearings, $11,253,338; balances, $1,715,126. Money, 3@4 per cent.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance today £14,000.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 13.—Clearings, $291,118; balances, $79,885. New York exchange selling at $ .50.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 13.—Money, 3@6 per cent. New York exchange, 25c discount. Clearings, $2,347,800.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 13.—Balances, $320,106. Money quiet at 6@7 per cent. Exchange on New York 25c premium.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 13.—Clearings, $16,168,830; balances, $1,537,514. Money, 6 per cent. Exchange on New York, 20@25c discount.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Exchange was quoted as follows: Chicago, 20c discount; Boston, 25@20c discount; St. Louis, 25 premium.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 13.—Clearings, $20,560,000; New York exchange 25c discount. Money firm at 4@5 per cent. Sterling exchange, firm; 60-day bills, $4.86¼; demand, $4.88.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Healthier Tone to the General Cattle Trade—Hogs Active and Lower.

OMAHA, Sept. 13.—Receipts of both cattle and hogs were quite liberal and there were no fresh receipts of sheep. Compared with Monday and Tuesday a week ago, supplies for the past two days show a decrease of 4,500 cattle and an increase of over 2,000 hogs and 2,000 sheep.

There was a firmer, healthier tone to the general cattle trade, especially was this true of the good to choice corn-fed cattle, of which the offerings were more liberal than for weeks. Shippers were looking around and did some bidding, but local houses, as usual, did about all the trading and were good buyers of all decent cattle. Nearly 200 head of fine fat beeves, averaging 1,400 lbs. and upwards, sold for $5.00, and a big string of fair 1,200-lb. beeves brought $4.45. Among the westerns there were not a great many steers that could be called better than fair, but the trade was moderately brisk with prices steady to strong throughout. Sales were at from $2.80 to $3.20. A very fair clearance was finally effected.

Considering the rather liberal receipts, the proportion of cows and mixed stock was not excessive. There were upward of fifty loads on sale. Prices ruled about a dime higher than the close of last week on all grades. Sales of poor to prime cows and heifers were at from $1.00 to $2.60, the bulk of the fair to good stuff at from $1.75 to $2.10. Bulls, oxen and stags were in good demand and strong at from $1.25 to $2.75. There was no particular change in the market for calves. Sales of poor to good stuff were at from $1.25 to $4.50.

In the stocker and feeder line the feeling was quite strong and all good offerings met with a ready sale at good figures. Both outsiders and regular dealers wanted the cattle and the trade was brisk. Poor and under weight stuff showed no improvement. Sales were largely at from $2.25 to $2.75. Representative sales:

DRESSED BEEF.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	1275	$4 00	2	1405	$4 50	65	1405	$5 00
110	1299	4 45	115	1424	5 00			

COWS.

1	870	1 00	11	977	1 50	1	1220	1 75
1	710	1 00	20	869	1 55	19	990	1 75
2	900	1 00	17	893	1 55	35	927	1 75
1	590	1 15	9	956	1 60	1	1150	1 75
1	680	1 15	21	950	1 60	24	966	1 80
1	1060	1 15	10	883	1 60	18	915	1 90
2	1050	1 15	16	855	1 65	27	857	1 95
5	582	1 25	30	857	1 65	56	986	2 00
2	915	1 25	17	895	1 65	1	1160	2 00
2	705	1 50	12	845	1 65	2	865	2 00
19	758	1 50	31	738	1 70	9	988	2 00
1	990	1 50						

HEIFERS.

7	564	1 25	16	637	1 32½	2	435	1 65

CALVES.

1	450	1 25	2	315	2 50	1	370	2 50
1	440	1 75	4	445	2 50	5	208	3 50
7	271	2 00	2	300	2 50	1	260	3 50
2	340	2 05	10	249	2 65	13	153	3 50
2	355	2 35						

BULLS.

1	1220	1 25	1	1290	1 65	1	1370	1 70
2	980	1 50	1	1200	1 70	1	2180	2 75
1	1890	1 60	1	1210	1 70	1	1440	1 90
1	1180	1 60						

OXEN.

16	1167	1 75						

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

5	548	1 25	1	840	2 25	28	952	2 35
1	770	1 75	32	696	2 25	19	854	2 50
2	975	2 00	11	621	2 30	6	1041	2 60
3	966	2 00	8	502	2 30	57	1016	2 75
1	690	2 10	12	893	2 30