THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS

Heavy Bulge in Wheat Was the Feature on 'Change Yesterday.

CORN GAINED THREE-FOURTHS OF A CENT

Improvement Attributed to Stronger English Cables and the Decrease in the Quantity of Wheat and Flour on Ocean Passage.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 4.—A cent bulge in wheat, sustained to the finish, was the feature on 'change today. Corn gained ¾c. October pork and lard are up 12½c. The presumably cornered October ribs were stationary at last night's figures. Decidedly more life was manifested in wheat than for some time past. The opening was about from ¼c to ⅝c higher than the closing figures of yesterday; ruled strong and prices were advanced about ⅝c more, closing steady within ¼c of top prices. The improvement was attributed to stronger English cables and to the decrease in the quantity of wheat and flour on ocean passage as reported by Bcerbohm. Local receipts were under the estimates. The receipts, too, in the northwest showed some let up and operators expect a still greater falling off in the movement in that section. The local sentiment was very generally bullish, and there was an excellent daily good class of buying with but little for sale. Reports from abroad said that the threshings in England were very disappointing. The wheat was of poor quality and the English millers were in great need of dry foreign wheat. It was also reported on the floor that William Dunn had worked a cargo for Europe at 1s advance on former quotations. The amount of wheat and flour on passage showed a decrease during the week of 568,000 bu. Mitchell, Linn, Dunn, Champlin, Kennett-Hopkins, Norton-Werthington and others, were good buyers. Pardridge the most prominent seller.

Corn was stronger and higher, the receipts fell considerably below the estimates, the shipping demand remains active and the outinspection continues heavy at 440,000 bu., being reported today. Another reason for the strength was found in the strong tone which ruled in the wheat and provision markets. Trade was liberal and though the buying was scattered the aggregate was heavy, with only moderate offerings. Country advices to receiving houses indicated a probability of smaller receipts in the near future. The Liverpool market was quoted ½d lower but it was said that stocks there and in other British ports are light, and there is a likelihood of a good export demand this winter. The dry weather is reported as already affecting pastures in the west, and this would mean a more liberal feeding of corn to stock. Eastern markets are said to be poorly supplied with corn, and there is a good demand from that source, as is evidenced by the liberal daily shipments from here. The heavy short lines have been mostly covered, and rumors are current that the big local players are now favorin: higher prices.

Oats followed corn pretty closely throughout the session and was finally quoted at from ⅜c to ⅝c above recent figures. A light general business was transacted.

The provision market opened with only a light trade and that was the condition of the market throughout the session. Firmness should perhaps be added to the day's market characteristics. The cliques in control of the ribs and lard deals still maintained their ascendency and prevented any trading except of the character which is usually described as having a string to it.

Fre ghts were steady at the recent advance. Good business was done at 2½c for wheat and 2¼c for corn to Buffalo.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 510 cars; corn, 6.5 cars; oats, 460 cars; hogs, 26,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
WHEAT No. 2				
October.....	$ 73	$ 73⅝	$ 73	$ 73⅝
December.....	75	76⅝@76¾	75	76⅝@76⅝
May.....	81¾	82	81¾	81¾@82
CORN No. 2—				
October.....	44	44½	44	44½
December.....	44⅜	45⅛	44⅜	45⅛
May.....	47¾	48⅛	47¾	48⅛
OATS No. 2—				
October.....	31¾	31½	31⅜	31½
November.....	32⅛	32⅝	32¼	32⅝
May.....	36	36¼@36⅜	36	36¼
MESS PORK—				
October.....	10 75	11 05	10 95	11 00
January.....	12 02½	12 12½	12 02½	12 12½
LARD—				
October.....	8 30	8 40	8 30	8 35
January.....	6 97½	7 02½	6 97½	7 02½
SHORT RIBS—				
October.....	10-20	10 20	10 15	10 15
January.....	6 27½	6 35	6 27½	6 32½

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged; winter patents, $3.70@4.00; winter straights, $3.30@3.65; spring patents, $3.8@4.00; spring straights, $3.25@3.50; bakers', $.75@4.00.

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

CORN—Steady; No. 2, 44½c; No. 3 cash, 43½c; No. 3 yellow, 44½@44¾c.

OATS—No. 2, 31½c; No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3 white, 96@36c.

RYE—No. 2, 55½c.

BARLEY—No. 2, 62@63c; No. 3, f. o. b., 44@46 c; No. 4, f. o. b., 38@50c.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, $ .07@1.08.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $1.57.

PORK—Mess, per bbl., $ 1.0 @11.05; lard, per 100 lbs., $8.5; short ribs, sides (loose), $7.50@ 10.95; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $7.10@7.20; short clear sides (boxed), $7.50@8.00.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.15.

SUGARS—Unchanged; cut loaf, 5½@5¾c; granulated, 5¾c; standard "A," 5¼c.

Receipts and shipments today were as follows:

ARTICLES.	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS.
Flour, barrels.....	26,000	6,000
Wheat, bushels.....	459 000	109,000
Corn, bushels.....	682,000	322,000
Oats, bushels.....	653,000	295,000
Rye, bushels.....	27,000	3,000
Barley, bushels.....	22,000	67,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was quiet, easier; creamery, 19@24c; dairy, 16@22c. Eggs, steady; strictly fresh, 19@19½c.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—FLOUR—Receipts, 56,000 pkgs; exports, 13,300 bbls., 15,600 sacks; dull and weak; sales, 6,300 bbls. Low extras, $2.0 @2.50; winter patents, $4.15@4.40; fair to fancy, $3.9 @4.10; Minnesota clear, $3.00@4.50; straights, $4.15@4.25.

CORNMEAL—Quiet, steady; yellow western, $3.00@3.10.

WHEAT—Receipts, 311,000 bu.; exports, 280,000 bu.; sales, 960,000 bu. of futures, 41,000 bu. of spot. Spot firmer; dull; No. 2 red, 78¾c in store and elevator; 77½c afloat; No. 1 do., 78c; No. 3 red, 72½@73c; ungraded red, 72½@78c; No. 1 northern, 84½c; No. 2 northern, 83½c; No. 2 Chicago, 81c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 78¼c. Options were dull, ½@¾c higher and firm; opening steady at ¼c advance on a decrease in amount on passage, advanced ½@¾c on short covering and with strength at the west; No. 2 red, October, 79½c, closing at 79c; December, 81 7-16@8 c, closing at 82c; May, 87½@88½c, closing at 86c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 west: western, 64@66c.

BARLEY—Steady; western, 62@65c.

BARLEY MALT—Steady; western, 12@75c.

CORN—Receipts, 125,000 bu.; exports, 100,000 bu.; sales, 7,000 bu. of futures, 97,000 bu. of spot. Spots firmer, moderately active; No. 2, 51@51¼c in elevator, 52@52½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 50c. Options were very slow, rather irregular, with Chicago closing firm at 44⅝c; October, 51@51¾c, closing at 51¾c; November, 51 15-16@52⅛c, closing at 52¼c.

OATS—Receipts, 267,000 bu.; exports, 300,000 bu.; sales, 125,000 bu. of futures and 144,000 bu. of spot. Spots quiet, firmer. Options steadier, dull; October, 36¼@38c, closing at 36¾c; November, 37⅜@37¾c, closing at 37½c; December, 38⅜@38⅝c, closing at 38½c; No. 2 white, 39@39½c; mixed western, 36@38c; white western, 39@46c; No. 2 Chicago, 37½c.

HAY—Quiet and easy; good to choice, 75@85c.

HOPS—Quiet and firm.

SUGAR—Raw, steady, a shade lower, closing firm; sales, 1,112 hhds. muscovado, 89 test, at 3c, and 877 bags centrifugals, 89 test, at 3½c; refined, quiet and steady.

MOLASSES—New Orleans, dull and steady.

RICE—Fair demand; firm.

EGGS—Dull and weak; prime western, 21½@ 21½c; poor western, per case, $4.00@4.50; receipts, 7,800 pkgs.

WOOL—Good demand; firm; domestic fleece, 25@35c; pulled, 24@32c; Texas, 15@21c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, firm, quiet; old mess, $11.5@ L75; new mess, $12.25@12.50. Cut meats, strong; pickled bellies, 8¾@9c; pickled shoulders, 6¾@7c. Middles, quiet, firmer; short clear, October, 9.85. Lard, higher and dull; western steam closed at 8.55 nominal; sales, 250 tierces at 8.5.; options sales, 200 tierces; October, 8.55 asked; November, 8.75, closing at 8.70; December, 8.32 bid; January, 8.0 bid.

BUTTER—Quiet, steady; western creamery, 18@24c; Elgin, 24½c.

CHEESE—Quiet, steady; part skims, 3@8c.

PIG IRON—Quiet, steady; American, $13.00@ 15.50.

COPPER—Steadier; lake, $11.15@11.30.

LEAD—Dull; domestic, $4.00@4.05.

TIN—Closed weak; straights, $20.30@20.40.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 4.—Steady; middling, 7 7-16c; low middling, 7¼c; good ordinary, 6¾c; net receipts, 8,905 bales; gross, 10,567 bales; sales, 3,451 bales; stock, 153,026 bales.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Options opened barely steady 10 to 20 points down; closed steady 5 to 30 points down; sales, 25,750 bags, including: October, $14.45@14.50; November, $14.40@14.45; December, $ 4.35@14.45; January, $14.35@ 14.45; March, $14.30@14.40; August, $14.10. Spot Rio, steady; No. 7, 18½c.

St. Louis Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 4.—FLOUR—Unchanged; patents, $3.7 @3.70; extra fancy, $3.30@3.50; fancy, $2.70@3.00; choice, $2.25@2.40; family, $2.00@2.10.

WHEAT—⅝@¾c higher; cash, 69¼c; October, 69¼c; December, 72¾c; May, 77¾c.

CORN—¾@⅞c above yesterday; cash and October, 42c; December, 41¾@41¼c; May, 45⅞c.

OATS—Higher; cash, 30½c asked; October, 30½c; May, 33½c.

RYE—Quiet; 53c bid.

BARLEY—Quiet; Iowa, 60c.

HAY—Unchanged; prairie, $7.00@9.00; timothy, $9.0 @14.00.

FLAXSEED—Higher; $1.04.

BUTTER—Unchanged; creamery, 20@21c dairy, 16@21c.

EGGS—Unchanged; 16½c.

WHISKY—Steady at $ .10.

PORK—Better at $11 62½@11.75. Lard higher at $7.8 @8.0. Dry salt meat and bacon unchanged.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 4,000 bbls.; wheat, 141,000 bu.; corn, 42,000 bu.; oats, 48,000 bu.; rye, 9,00.; barley, 22,00 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 17,000 bbls; wheat, 18,000 bu.; corn, 24,000 bu.; oats, 35,000 bu.; rye, 9,000 bu.; barley, 4,000.

Hides and Pelts.

Following are the prices paid by Omaha dealers for hides and pelt quoted subject to change without notice: No 1 green hides, 3c; No 1 green salted hides, 4@4½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 3@3½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 25 to 40 lbs., 4@4½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 25 to 40 lbs., 3@3½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 5@6c; No. 2 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 3½c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 7c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 5@6c. Part cured hides ½c per lb. less than fully cured. Sheep pelts—Green salted, each, 35c@$1.25, green salted shearlings (short wooled early skins, each, 10@25c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins) No. 1, each, 5@10c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins) No. 2, each, 5c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 14@ 14½c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 8@10c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 10@12½c; dry flint Colorado Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 6@10c; dry cured and branded weights, 7@8c. Have feet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them.

Oil Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—PETROLEUM—Weak on sales for long account, closed weak. Pennsylvania oil sold at 5 c for 10,000 bbls; No. 2 under option sales, 58,000 bbls at 56@56¼c, closing at 55⅞@55¾c. Lima oil, no sales. Total sales, 68,000 bbls.

COTTONSEED OIL—Steady, quiet.

TALLOW—Steady, quiet.

ROSIN—Dull, steady.

TURPENTINE—Quiet, steady.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—TURPENTINE SPIRITS—21s per cwt.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 4.—WHEAT—Firmer; No. 2 hard, 60½@61¼c.

CORN—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 37⅜@37½c.

OATS—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 26½@26c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 12@15c; dairy, 12 @18c.

EGGS—Firm at 16c.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 149,000 bu.; corn, 9,000 bu.; oats, 44,0 0.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 53,000 bu.; corn, 14,000 bu.; oats, 2,000.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 4.—WHEAT—Steady, demand improving; holders offer moderately; No. 1 California, 6s 3d@6s 5½d per cental. Receipts of wheat for the past three days were 114,000 centals, including 73,000 American.

CORN—Steady, demand poor; good western, 4s 7d per cental. There were no receipts of American during the past three days.

LARD—Prime western, 31s per cwt.

TALLOW—Fine American, 28s 6d per cwt.

Omaha Fruit Market.

GRAPES—Concords, 25c per 10-lb. basket.

CALIFORNIA GRAPES—Per crate, $1.25, muscats, $1.75; Tokays more plenty.

CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Per box, $1.50.

CALIFORNIA PEAR—22.5 @3.00 per box.

APPLES—Per bbl., $4.00; fancy, $4.50; five bbl. lots, 25c less.

QUINCES—Per box, $2.00.

Omaha Produce Market.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 13@13½c; choice country, 15@18c.

POTATOES—Per bush., 75c; sweet potatoes, $1.25.

POULTRY—Hens and chickens 8@8½c; roosters, 5@6c; ducks 9c.

EGGS—18@19c.

Traders' Talk.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 4.—Counselman & Day to Cockrell Bros: Commiss on company: Wheat opened firm at ¼c advance and gathered additional strength during the session, closing ⅝c higher and at the top price asked. The main influences were the quick response in English markets, to decreased supplies afloat and the assurance of the Mark Lane Express that large imports would be necessary to supplement the poor quality and yield in the United Kingdom. Bids for hard winter wheat here were raised 6d to 1s per quarter but the advance permitted only a small amount to be worked. The undertone of the market is healthy and we feel confidence in advising our friends to buy on all weak spots. Corn and oats were strong on local professional buying. There are indications that some large lines, which were recently sold out during the rush of the country liquidation of the October deals, are being reinstated. Provisions moved up slightly, the principal feature being further purchases by shorts to close October futures. This caused a further relative discount in November pork and lard. There was nothing new in the ribdeal.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 4.—Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter: When traders came down this morning they ran up against several items of rather bullish news. The amount afloat showed considerable re uction, receipts here and in the northwest were below expectations and the cab es had a suggestive undertone of strength that shorts viewed with some alarm. As a result the market opened ½c above yesterday's close and during the session it has shown a good deal of activity and strength. Shipping buyers have apparently reached the conclusion that they must depend on America for the bulk of their supplies and they now show a disposition to take our wheat at the low prices resulting from the rapid and early marketing of the crops. In corn and oats the feeling is plain ground that these markets have seen the lowest points they are likely to touch for some time. They have been bought freely by better and more conservative ones in expectation that the big interior movement will soon subside, and that closer inspection will show the maturing corn crop to be in poorer condition than generally suspected. Provis ons have sympathized moderately with the advance in grain. The tendency in the prices is upward, but there is so much liquidation that actual purchases are suffering.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 4.—F. G. Logan & Co. to Duncan, Hollinger & Co.: Wheat opened nominally at from 76c to 76½c for December. The demand from the opening was good and all offerings were absorbed until 76¾c was reached. At this point some realizing took place and carried it back to 76¼c to 76¾c. At just about this price later cables came higher and fresh buying commenced again, advancing the price. The close for December was 76¾c to 76⅞c bid, May selling at from 81⅝c to 82c. It is unnecessary to make specu ations for the advance. The price is low, too low for the quantity of contract wheat being received here and at all other points. The weather is dry and against the sowing of winter and injurious to what has been sown. Complaints are coming from Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky. The northwest receipts still keep up but our latest advices are that they will not continue for many days longer. With a let up in them higher prices is a certainty. The cash demand is fair. Corn has been steady. May ranging from 47¾c to 48⅛c, the closing from 48⅛c to 48¼c. The demand for cash lots is good for shipment. With this demand we cannot see much if any decline. We thing it a purchase on declines. Oats are steady. Provisions have been steady from the opening. The buying was principally by local packers and traders. October ribs in a small way sold at $10.30. We feel friendly to hog products for January. Charters, 185,000 bu. wheat; 518,000 bu. corn; 5,000 bu. barley.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Activity and Excitement Characterized the Market Yesterday in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Not in months has the New York Stock exchange presented such a scene of excitement and activity as today. From the very opening to the close the dealings were animated. At times the market was positively buoyant and the orders executed for out of town account were responsible to an unusual extent for the strength that prevailed. There was a sharp upward turn in prices at the opening, owing to the attempt on the part of a large bear interest to cover a line of shorts in the grangers.

The Rock Island statement for September, which was made public today, together with reports that the bulk of the corn crop was safe beyond peradventure from frost, induced the bears to change front. The buying of New York and New England was as pronounced as ever. In the early part of the day the reports connecting the company with the Boston & Maine and Reading were again put afloat. They were denied by the persons in interest, but after the close of business hours it developed that a deal had been consummated, at least according to those having intimate relations with the Reading and New England roads. According to these statements the New England has neither been absorbed nor leased, but has made a satisfactory traffic arrangement with the Reading and Boston & Maine which will insure to the benefit of all three companies. New England stock advanced 2¾ per cent to 46¾, but later dropped to 44¾ and closed at 45¼. Reading was prominent and on enormous purchases by Philadelphia houses, supposed to have full knowledge of the new alliance with New England, sold up to within a fraction of 64. Chicago Gas moved up 1¾c. The local pool appears to be marking up the price chiefly on the strength of the short interest created by the renewal of the litigation against the company. General Electric jumped from 112⅝ to 117¼ on the announcement that the United States circuit court had affirmed the decision of the lower court on the incandescent vacuum lamp bulb. About 1 o'c ock the list was buoyant, especially for Burlington & Quincy, Rock Island, Northern Pacific preferred and Reading. The sharp rise, however, brought out offers to take profits. The room was quick to perceive and promptly took measures calculated to force additional liquidations. The decline from the highest point of the day was equal to 2¾ in Distilling, 2 in New England, 1⅜ in General Electric, 1⅞ in Lake Shore and ½ to 1⅛ in the remainder of the list. At the close the market was steadier again at a recovery of ⅛ to ¾.

Railroad mortgages were in brisk request throughout and prices generally were higher. The Richmond Terminal issues continued to advance on the improved prospects of the company and Northern Pacific 5s declined 3 to 7⅛ on formal disso.ution of the syndicate in the bonds.

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

Atchison.....	38⅛	N. J. Central....	121
Adams Express.....	147	Norfolk & W pfd..	39½
Alton, T. H.....	33	N. American Co....	12⅝
do preferred.....	150	Northern Pacific...	18⅜
American Express..	119½	do pfd.....	42⅝
Baltimore & Ohio...	94	U. P. Den. & Gulf...	17⅜
Canada Pacific.....	65	Northwestern.....	114¾
Canada Southern...	57	do pfd.....	141
Central Pacific....	29	N. Y. Central.....	109¼
Ches. & Ohio.....	23⅛	N. Y. & N. Eng....	45⅛
Chicago Alton.....	143	Ontario & West....	18¾
Chi. Bur. & Quincy..	99⅜	Oregon Imp.....	22
Chicago Gas.....	83⅞	Oregon Nav.....	75
Consolidated Gas...	193½	O. S. L. & U. N....	27⅛
C. C. C. & St. L....	62⅜	Pacific Mail.....	23⅝
Colo. Coal & Iron..	43⅝	Peoria, Dec & E....	18⅜
Cotton Oil Certif's.	45⅝	*Pittsburg.....	156
Del. Lack. & West..	138	Pullman Palace....	169
D. L. & W.....	135	Reading.....	49
D. & R. G. pfd.....	50⅜	Richmond Ter.....	9⅝
D. & C. F. Co.....	58⅜	do pfd.....	41
East Tenn.....	9	Rio Grande West..	14
Erie.....	25½	do pfd.....	69
do pfd.....	56¾	Rock Island.....	81¼
Fort Wayne.....	152	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd.	75⅜
Great Northern pfd.	136	St. Paul.....	79⅜
C. & E. I. pfd.....	107	do pfd.....	128⅝
Hocking Valley.....	30⅛	St. Paul & O.....	62¾
Illinois Central....	97	do preferred.....	119
St. P. & Duluth	43⅜	Southern Pacific...	39⅝
Kan. & Tex. pfd....	30¾	Sugar Refinery....	109¼
Lake Erie & West....	23⅝	Tenn. Coal & Iron..	37¾
do pfd.....	75	Texas Pacific.....	12⅜
Lake Shore.....	132⅛	T. & O. Cen. pfd....	75
Lead Trust.....	41⅜	Union Pacific.....	53⅝
Louisv. & Nash....	67¾	U. S. Express.....	69
L. & N. A.....	25	W. S. L. & P.....	11¼
Manhattan Con.....	133	do pfd.....	24¾
Memphis & C.....	50	Wells Fargo Exp....	141
Mich. Cent.....	107	Western Union....	93¾
Missouri Pac.....	62	Wheeling & L. E....	2⅜
Mobile & Ohio.....	36	do pfd.....	67¾
Nashville Chatt....	87	M. & St. L.....	10⅝
National Cordage...	16	D. & R. G.....	17
do pfd.....	120¾		

*ex div. †old.

The total sales of stocks today were 549,400 shares, including: Atchison, 8,400; Chicago Gas, 45,600; Erie, 7,600; Hocking Valley, 5,400; Louisville & Nashville, 9,300; Missouri Pacific, 7,300; Northwestern, 3,400; Northern Pacific preferred, 30,500; New England, 87,200; Reading, 1 27,0 0; Richmond & West Point, 18,300; St. Paul, 25,800; Union Pacific, 8,600; Western Union, 4,600.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—MONEY ON CALL—Firm at from 4½ to 5 per cent; last loan, 4¼ per cent; closed offered at 4½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4½@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firmer at $1.85¾ for sixty-day bills and $4.86½ for demand.

The closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. 4s reg.....	114⅝	Mutual Union 6s....	112
U. S. 4s coup.....	114⅝	North. Pacific 1sts..	116⅜
U. S. 4½s reg.....	109¾	Northern Pac. 2ds...	114
†Pacific 6s of '95....	107	N. W. Consols.....	138
†Louisiana st pd 4s	94	N. W. Con. Deb 5s..	108
Tenn. new set 3s....	76	St. L. & I. M. Gen 5s.	85¾
Tenn. new set 5s....	101	S. L. & S. F. Gen M..	109
Tenn. new set 6s....	75¾	St. Paul Consols....	127¾
Canada So. 2nds....	102	St. P. C. & P. 1sts..	119
Central Pacific 1sts.	110	Tex. P. 1st Land Grs.	85
D. & R. G. 1sts....	119	Tex. P. R. G. Tr. Rcts	32
Den. & R. G. 4s....	84½	Union Pacific 1sts..	105⅜
Erie 2nds.....	103¾	West Shore.....	102⅜
M. K. & T. Gen. 4s..	76⅜	R. G. W.....	79
M. K. & T. Gen. 2s..	47		

† bid.

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 4.—The following are the closing stock quotations:

Atch. & Top.....	39⅝	Catalpa.....	15
Boston & Albany...	204	Franklin.....	12½
do Maine.....	183	Kearsarge.....	10
C. B. & Q.....	89½	Osceola.....	31
Eastern R. R. 6s....	122	Santa Fe Copper....	10
Mass. Cen.....	17	Tamarack.....	155
Mex. Cen. com.....	14½	Anniston Land Co.	23
N. Y. & N. England.	45¾	Boston Land Co....	5
N. Y. & H. 6s.....	120	San Diego Land....	14
Old Colony.....	180	West End Land Co.	17¾
Wis. Cen. com.....	15	Bell. Telephone....	200½
Allouez M. Co. (new)	15	Cent. M.....	8⅞
Atlantic.....	19⅝	N. E. T.....	61¾
Boston & Mont....	32	B. & B. C.....	9
Calumet & Hecla....	280		

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

Chelor.....	75	Phir	185
Crown Point.....	90	Plymouth.....	50
Con. Cal. & Va.....	350	Sierra Nevada.....	180
Hendricks.....	100	Standard.....	220
Gould & Curry.....	125	Union Con.....	130
Hale & Norcros.....	210	Yellow Jacket.....	87
Homestake.....	1400	Iron Silver.....	60
Independence.....	65	Quick Silver.....	300
Mexican.....	100	do preferred.....	1600
*North Star.....	650	Silver.....	30
Ontario.....	3000		

*asked.

St. Louis Mining Stocks.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 4.—There were no sales on the Mining exchange today. Quotations were:

Stock.	Bid.	Asked.	Stock.	Bid.	Asked.
Elizabeth.....	43		American....	27½	45
Granite M....	$5.00	6.50	Hope.....	100	..
Pat Murphy..	2	3			

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LONDON, Oct. 4.—[New York Herald Cable —Special to THE BEE.] Business as a whole has been quiet in the Stock exchange today. Certain securities met with a good deal of attention. Indian government stock closed steady. Home railways have shown some irregularity. In some lines dealings have been restricted. Northeastern having given way a trifling. A decline is reported in Brighton deferred. Great Eastern, London and Northwestern, while Hull Barnsly and Metropolitan district improved ⅛ per cent. Southeastern deferred was up ⅜ per cent and a few others ⅛ to ¼ per cent. American railways have been largely dealt in in response to a better tendency. New York has shown considerable firmness all day, although final prices are not in all cases better. A general advance is established, ranging to 1 per cent, the lead being taken by Denver preference, Central Pacific, Chicago & Milwaukee, Union Pacific and Northern Pacific preference. There has been very little demand for money. Short loans have been obtained at ½ to ¾ per cent. The discount markets have been quiet. Two and three months bills were quoted at 15-16 per cent.

Financial Notes.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 4.—Clearings, $2,335,549.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 4.—Clearings, $2,075,821.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Clearings, $156,097,066; balances, $9,158,845.

PARIS, Oct. 4.—Three per cent rentes, 99f 77½c for the account.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—Amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance today, £50,000.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 4.—New York exchange selling at $1.50. Clearings, $336,002; balances, $9,221.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 4.—Clearings, $1,052,362; balances, $149,242. Money quiet, 6@7 per cent. Exchange on New York 9 c discount.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 4.—Clearings, $20,696,655; balances, $1,853,240. Money, 5@6 per cent. Exchange on New York 15@17c discount.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 4.—Clearings, $16,-260,148; balances, $2,052,215. Money 4 per cent.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct 4.—Clearings, $2,759,343; balances, $.67,218. Money, 6 per cent.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 3.—Clearings, $10,575,515. New York exchange, 7c discount. Money, strong at 6 per cent. Sterling exchange dull, $4.8 for sixty-day bills; $4.86¼ for sight drafts.

HAVANA, Oct. 4.—Spanish gold, $1.54@2.57. Exchange, quiet and weak; on the United States, short sight gold, 10⅛ premium; on London, 20¾ premium. Sugar, quiet; nothing doing.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Cattle Unsettled and Slightly Lower—Hogs Active and Fairly Steady.

OMAHA, Oct. 4.—Compared with the first two days of last week receipts for the past two days show an increase of 1,500 cattle and a decrease of 800 hogs and 500 sheep.

The cattle market was dull and as a rule prices shaded lower. Offerings included an unusually large proportion of corn fed cattle, some of them choice. Compared with Saturday, prices were anywhere from steady to 10c to 15c lower, very fair to choice 1,250 to 1,400-lb. steers selling at from $4.25 to $4.90. On the western cattle the same state of affairs existed. Fair to good range steers sold at from $3.75 to $4.25. Sellers found the trade very unsatisfactory throughout, but the close found the offerings pretty well disposed of.

Over a third of the offerings today were cows and mixed lots. The market was again off 10c to 15c, a decline in two days of 15c to 25c. The movement was slow with extreme sales of poor to choice cows and heifers at from $1.50 to $2.50. Bulls, oxen and stags were perhaps a shade firmer at from $1.50 to $2.50. Calves steady at from $ .75 to $3.00.

There was a good, brisk trade in stockers and feeders, with no particular change in prices. Good, smooth, well bred and fleshy feeders sell readily at good, strong prices from $2.75 to $3.10; fair to good stuff sells freely at from $2.37 to $2.60, with trashy, underweight stuff at from $1.75 to $2.25. Representative sales:

DRESSED BEEF.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
62	1228	$4 25	55	1241	$4 35	143	1407	$4 00
20	1201	4 25	146	1226	4 75			

MIXED.

4	1137	3 35						

COWS.

2	855	1 00	7	888	1 50	24	1053	1 80
1	870	1 00	1	1070	1 50	23	997	1 85
1	930	1 00	4	835	1 50	25	986	1 85
18	820	1 00	1	950	1 50	5	946	1 85
15	817	1 10	35	869	1 55	1	860	1 85
16	993	1 15	23	1041	1 55	9	974	1 90
1	840	1 25	15	887	1 55	3	840	1 90
1	1080	1 25	27	867	1 60	23	1040	1 95
1	990	1 25	12	1053	1 60	23	1043	1 95
1	1090	1 25	21	842	1 65	1	1190	2 00
20	837	1 25	7	961	1 65	1	930	2 00
4	915	1 25	11	1009	1 65	2	930	2 00
8	1067	1 35	1	770	1 75	14	936	2 00
5	844	1 35	12	989	1 70	1	1060	2 00
20	896	1 40	28	1016	1 70	27	1052	2 00
15	857	1 40	3	950	1 83	1	930	2 10
15	966	1 40	5	946	1 75	4	859	2 15
10	937	1 45	20	972	1 75	3	866	2 15
3	720	1 45	18	945	1 75	4	767	2 15
10	692	1 50	25	952	1 75	1	1260	2 50
3	576	1 00	15	584	1 30	4	467	1 50
25	692	1 20	11	518	1 40	4	427	2 10
9	491	1 25	3	540	1 40			

HEIFERS.

4	245	1 75	2	215	2 35	3	273	3 00
3	2 0	1 85	15	610	2 50	7	517	3 55
1	350	2 00	8	241	3 00	1	390	3 25
8	341	2 25	9	250	3 00	5	166	3 50

CALVES.

4	245	1 75	2	215	2 35	3	273	3 00
3	2 0	1 85	15	610	2 50	7	517	3 55
1	350	2 00	8	241	3 00	1	390	3 25
8	341	2 25	9	250	3 00	5	166	3 50

BULLS.

1	1170	1 75	1	1 0	1 85	1	1140	2 00
2	1055	1 75	1	1400	1 90	1	1440	2 00
2	1115	1 85	2	1025	1 95	1	1380	2 05
1	1140	1 85	1	1280	2 00	6	1240	2 10
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