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Wheat Lost One Cent on Heavy Increase in Elevator Stocks.

THAT CEREAL OPENED QUITE STRONG

After a Considerable Drop from the Opening Price, Corn Reacted on Light Estimated Receipts for Today —Stocks and Bonds.

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—Wheat lost 1c today on a heavy increase in northwestern country elevator stocks, heavy northwestern receipts, an unexpected increase in United States stocks, small export clearances and free selling.

Corn was weak, but less radically so than wheat and the loss at the close was from ⅛c to ¼c. Oats were ⅛c lower and provisions 30c off for pork, 15c for lard and 17½c lower for ribs.

Wheat opened near yesterday's closing figure, but immediately began to decline. Northwestern receipts continued heavy. The stocks in elevators in Minneapolis, Duluth and in the interior back of those places were reported to show an aggregate increase last week of 3,288,000 bu. and this completely offset the reports of smaller farmers' deliveries. Operators who have bought on the better feeling of yesterday began to unload and the price continued to go down. The report that Bradstreet's statement will increase the United States stock tomorrow by over 4,000,000 bu. was another depressing factor. Some buying of shorts caused temporary reaction, but it was a bearish influence, small export clearances and discouraging cables continuing. The general tendency of the market was downward. December opened where it closed yesterday, at from 61⅞c to 62c, sold off 1c, gained ¼c, reacted ⅝c, sold up ¼c, lost ½c, went down ⅜c and rallied ⅜c to the close at 61c.

Corn opened weak at ⅛c below yesterday's close on heavy receipts. After a considerable drop from the opening price there was a reaction on light estimated receipts for tomorrow. The recovery was maintained for a time, but the price finally yielded to the extreme weakness of wheat and closed ⅜c below yesterday's closing. May opened at 41c, sold off ¼c, lost another ¼c, reacted ⅛c, lost ¼c, reacted ⅜c, lost it and closed at from 40⅞c to 41c, or from ½c to ⅝c below yesterday's close.

Oats opened fairly active at yesterday's closing figure, 31⅜c, but large offerings of long stuff and corn's weakness affected it, and after losing ⅜c it rallied ⅛c to the close at 31⅛c.

Provisions opened fairly weak and experienced an early slight advance, due to smaller holdings than expected, but free offerings and corn's weakness sent it down.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 155 cars; corn, 310 cars; oats, 162 cars; hogs, 26,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
Dec.....	61⅞@62	62	60⅝	61
May.....	69@69¼	69⅜	67¾	68⅛
CORN—				
Nov.....	37⅛@⅜	37⅝@¾	36⅝@⅞	36⅞
Dec.....	37⅛@⅜	37⅝	36⅛@⅝	36⅜
May.....	41⅜	41⅝	40⅜	40⅝@41
OATS—				
Nov.....	27¾	27⅝	27¾	27¾
Dec.....	28¾	28⅝	28	28@28⅜
May.....	31⅜	31⅝	31	31⅛
MESS PORK—				
Jan.....	14 15	14 15	13 70	13 80
LARD—				
Nov.....	9 05	9 05	8 80	8 80
Jan.....	8 30	8 30	8 10	8 12½
May.....	8 30	8 30	8 10	8 15
SHORT RIBS—				
Jan.....	7 30	7 30	7 10	7 15

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Weak; no export sales reported.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 60c; No. 3 spring, 59@62c; No. 2 red, 60c.

CORN—No. 2, 36¾c.

OATS—No. 2, 27¾@28c; No. 2 white, 29½@31¾c; No. 3 white, 27½@29½c.

RYE—No. 2, 44½@45c.

BARLEY—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 38@53c; No. 4, 38@48c.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, $1.04.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $3.20@3.25.

PORK—Mess, per bbl., $15.00@15.25; lard, per 100 lbs., $9.00@9.05; short ribs sides (loose,) $8.25@8.37½; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) $7.00@7.25; short clear sides (boxed), $8.75@9.00.

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

SUGARS—Cut loaf, $5.88; granulated, $5.45; standard "A," $5.33.

The following were the receipts and shipments for today.

ARTICLES.	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS.
Flour, bbls.....	16,000	2,000
Wheat, bu.....	175,000	11,000
Corn, bu.....	367,000	34,000
Oats, bu.....	261,000	138,000
Rye, bu.....	9,000	3,000
Barley, bu.....	108,000	33,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was lower; creamery, 19@25c; dairy, 19@24c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 21c.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—FLOUR—Receipts, 36,500 bbls.; exports, 18,200 bbls.; sales, 9,000 pkgs.; market weak and 5@10c lower on most grades; winter straight, $2.80@3.25; Minnesota patents, $3.85@4.00; winter extras, $2.20@2.70; Minnesota bakers, $2.30@3.70; winter low grades, $1.70@2.25; spring low grades, $1.60@1.90; spring extra, $1.95@2.45.

WHEAT—Receipts, 301,800 bu.; exports, 15,800 bu.; sales, 7,895,000 bu. futures, 170,000 bu. spot. Spot market weak and ⅞c lower; No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 65¾@65⅝c; afloat, 66½c; f. o. b., 66¼@66⅝c; ungraded red, 66⅝@67c; No. 1 hard, 70@70½c. Options opened weak on stack cables; sold off on active liquidations and large receipts, closing weak at ⅝c to 1c net decline; No. 2 red, February, 68c, closed at 69¾c; March, 70¾@71⅝c, closed at 70¾c; May, 73 13-16@73⅞c, closed at 73c; November closed at 65¾c; December, 66⅜@67 5-16c, closed at 66⅝c.

CORN—Receipts, 150,800 bu.; exports, 51,600 bu.; sales, 1,730,000 bu. futures, 188,000 bu spot. Spot market active, ½@⅝c lower; No. 2, 45⅛@45⅝c in elevator; 45⅝@46½c afloat. Option market opened ¼@⅝c lower, rallied at noon on the small estimate for tomorrow, broke again and closed weak with wheat, ⅜@⅝c net decline; January, 45⅝@46¼c, closed at 45⅛c; May, 47⅛@48c, closed at 47⅝c; November closed at 44¾c; December, 45½@45⅝c, closed at 45¼c.

OATS—Receipts, 244,700 bu.; exports, 200 bu.; sales, 280,000 bu. futures, 93,000 bu. spot. Spot market ½@¾c lower; No. 2, 34c; No. 2 delivered, 35c; No. 3 delivered, 33½c; No. 2 white, 35⅝@36¾c; No. 3 white, 34@34½c; track mixed, western, 34@35c; track white, western, 34@40c; track white, state, 34@40c. Option market opened ¼c lower with wheat and closed weak with a net decline of ⅝@¾c; January, 34⅜@35c, closed at 34¼c; May, 36@36¼c, closed at 36c; November, 34@34¼c, closed at 34c; December, 34¼@34½c, closed at 34¼c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 65c; good to choice, 65@85c.

HOPS—Steady; state common to choice, 19@23c.

HIDES—Steady; wet salted New Orleans selected, 45@65 lbs., 31½@34½; Texas selected, 35@50 lbs., 46@55c; Buenos Ayres, 20@24 lbs., 11c; Texas dry, 20@30 lbs., 5½c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavyweights, 14@19c.

WOOL—Domestic fleece, 19@27c; pulled, 20@26c; Texas, 10@15c.

PROVISIONS—Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, 9@10c; pickled shoulders, 6½@6¾c; pickled hams, 9¾@10c. Lard, weak; western steam closed at $9.45; sales, 250 tierces at $9.50@ option sales. none; November closed at $9.50, nominal; January, $9.60, nominal. Pork, dull, new mess, $17.00@18.50; family, $19.00@19.50.

BUTTER—Weak; western dairy, 17@22c; western creamery, 19@27½c; western factory, 17@20c; Elgins, 27½c.

CHEESE—Steady; part skims, 4@9¼c; full skims, 2@8c.

EGGS—Dull and weak; western fresh, 24@25½c. Receipts, 8,600 pkgs.

TALLOW—Firm; city, 5¼c.

COTTONSEED OIL—Weaker; prime crude, 35c; prime yellow, 39c.

PETROLEUM—Firmer; United closed at 73c; Washington bbls., $6.50; Washington bbls. in bulk, $5.10; refined New York, $5.15; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $5.10; Philadelphia and Baltimore in bulk, $2.60.

ROSIN—Strong; strained, common to good, $1.25@1.30.

TURPENTINE—Steady; 30½@31c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, 3¼@5¼c; Japan, 4¼@4¾c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 36@41c.

PIG IRON—Quiet; American, $12.25@12.40.

COPPER—Quiet; lake, $9.75.

LEAD—Firm; domestic, $3.20 bid for round lots.

TIN—Quiet; Straits, $20.50.

SPELTER—Steady; domestic, $3.65.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 14.—COTTON—Futures steady; sales, 64,800 bales; November, $7.48@7.52; December, $7.64@7.65; January, $7.79@ 7.80; February, $7.89@7.90; March, $7.98@ 7.99; April, $8.08@8.07; May, $8.13@8.15; June, $8.20@8.22; middling, 7 9-16c; low middling, 7 7-16c; good ordinary, 6 15-16c; net receipts, 9,460 bales; gross receipts, 19,956 bales; exports to the continent, 4,511 bales; coastwise, 1,575 bales; sales, 4,000 bales.

GALVESTON, Nov. 14.—COTTON—Easier; middling, 7 7-16c; low middling, 7⅜c; good ordinary, 7 7-16c; receipts, 6,619 bales; exports to Great Britain, 7,129 bales; sales, 487 bales.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—COTTON—Easier on large receipts; ordinary, 6 9-16c; good ordinary, 7 7-16c; low middling, 7 7-16c; middling, 7 11-16c; good middling, 7 15-16c; middling fair, 8 7-16c.

Omaha Produce Market.

BUTTER—The receipts of butter are larger and the market is considerably weaker. The local demand is light, a good many grocers receiving their supplies direct from the country. The consumption of butterine is quite large, which helps to decrease the demand for genuine butter. The shipping demand, however, serves to keep the surplus cleaned up. Choice creamery, 24@26c; choice to fancy country, 20@22c; fair to good country, 18@20c; packing stock, fresh, 15c.

EGGS—Receipts of fresh stock are not large, in fact, there does not appear to be any quantity of eggs in the country. The colder weather and the light receipts cause a firm feeling on the market. Cold storage and held stock is going mostly at 19c, with fresh laid eggs at 20c.

POULTRY—The low market has evidently been the cause of the reduction in the receipts, and, while there is a firmer feeling, it is hardly safe to quote the market any higher. Old hens, 6c; chickens, 6c; geese, 7@8c; ducks, 7@8c; turkeys, 8@9c; roosters, 4@5c.

VEAL—The arrivals during the past day or two have been light, and the market firm at previous quotations. Choice small and fat veals, 6½@7½c; thin or heavy, 3@5c.

GAME—The colder weather is having a very beneficial effect upon the game market. The demand which has been light all the fall is improving and prices are consequently firming up. From now on birds that are undrawn will be given the preference. Prime chickens, $3.00@5.00; grouse, $2.50@3.00; quail, $1.25; jack snipe, 75c@$1.00; golden plover, 75c@ $1.00; Canada geese, $6.00@6.50; small geese, $4.00@4.50; brant, $3.00@3.50; mallard ducks, $2.50@2.85; redhead ducks, $2.50@3.00; blue wing teal ducks, $1.75@2.00; green wing teal ducks, $1.50; mixed ducks, $1.25; canvasback ducks, $3.50@4.00; jack rabbits, $3.00@3.50; small rabbits, $1.25; squirrels, 75@90c; deer saddles, per lb., 15@16c; deer carcasses, 10@11c; antelope saddles, 14@15c; antelope carcasses, 9@10c.

HONEY—Honey is commencing to move a little more freely, but the demand is still light for it; choice white clover, 15@17c.

OYSTERS—Medium, 16c; horseshoes, 17c; extra standards, 21c; extra selects, 24c; company selects, 29c; counts, 34c.

NUTS—Chestnuts are lower and there is a fair supply of choice eastern stock on the market, which is selling at 12@14c per lb.; almonds, 19c; English walnuts, 14c; filberts, 12½c; Brazil nuts, 12@13c; pecans, large, 14c; pecans, medium, 12c. The market on black walnuts is low and no one wants to buy. Dealers are asking 75c per bu. for small lots shipped to the country on orders, but walnuts shipped in here would probably not bring more than one-half of that price. Small hickory nuts, on orders, $1.75; large, $1.25.

VEGETABLES.

BEANS—Eastern hand-picked navy, $2.10@ 2.15; western navy, $1.80@1.90; common white beans, $1.50@1.75.

ONIONS—There is not much activity in the onion market, owing to the fact that the local crop is large and the gardeners are supplying the demand very largely. Onions are quoted at 50@55c, and on orders at 75c; Spanish onions, per crate, $1.50.

WATER CRESS—Put up in berry boxes, per case of 16 qts., $1.60@1.75.

POTATOES—The receipts are larger and the market is very weak. Nebraska, Iowa and Minnesota grown potatoes, in small lots from store, 65@70c; same in car lots, 60@65c; Colorado, from store, 75@80c; Colorado lots, 70@ 75c.

CABBAGE—There is a good deal of cabbage selling in this market, but the demand is supplied largely by the gardeners. Orders for cabbage from the country are filled at 1½c per lb. Some colored cabbage has been received, which is held at 3@4c.

CELERY ROOTS—According to size, 40@60c per doz.

CELERY—The demand is increasing as the Thanksgiving holiday draws nearer and a good deal of celery is being sold; good stock, 25@35c; fancy, 50c.

SWEET POTATOES—The supply is fair; western stock, per bbl., $3.00@3.50; Jersey stock, per bbl., $4.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Spanish, per bbl., $2.25; salsify, 30@35c per doz.; radishes, per doz., 20@25c; endive, per doz., 50@60c; onions, per doz., 20c; cauliflower, per doz., $3; lettuce, per doz., 50c.

FRUITS.

GRAPES—Eastern Concords, 24@25c; large lots, 23c.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS—There is not much left on the market; pears, $2.50; grapes, $1.50.

APPLES—The supply is light on this market; choice eastern, per bbl., $4.25@4.50; choice western, $4.25.

CRANBERRIES—Cranberries are arriving very freely and are in good demand; Cape Cod, early, per bbl., $5.75@6.00; bell and bugle, $6.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

BANANAS—Prices remain about steady; per bunch, large, $2.00@2.50; per bunch, small to medium, $1.75@2.00.

LEMONS—Messinas, per box, $4.50@5.00; Floridas, $5.

ORANGES—Mexicans or Floridas, per box, $3.25; 5-box lots, $3.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 2½c; No. 2 green hides, 2c; No. 1 green salted hides, 3c; No. 2 green salted hides, 2c; No. 1 green salted hides, 25 lbs. to 40 lbs., 3c; No. 2 green salted hides, 25 lbs. to 40 lbs., 2c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 lbs. to 15 lbs., 5c; No. 2 veal calf, 8 lbs. to 15 lbs., 3c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 4c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 3c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 4c. Part cured hides ½c per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each, 35@75c; green salted shearlings (short wooled early skins), each 10@15c; 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, 10@ 11c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 17@20c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 9@10c; dry flint Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 7@9c; dry pieces and bucks, actual weight, 5@7c.

St. Louis Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—FLOUR—Weak, but unchanged; patents, $3.00@3.15; extra fancy, $2.65@2.75.

WHEAT—Weak and declined steadily from the start, closing ⅝@¾c under yesterday's close; cash, 56@56½c; November, 56¼c; December, 57⅛@58c; May, 65⅛@65¼c.

CORN—Followed wheat and closed ⅜c below yesterday; cash and November, 32¾c; December, 32⅝c; January, 33¼c; May, 36⅞c.

OATS—Lower; cash, 27½c; December and May, 30¾@30⅝c.

RYE—Dull; 44c asked.

BARLEY—Dull; Iowa sold 50@55c; Nebraska, 35@46c; Minnesota, 50@52c.

BRAN—Dull; 64c for east track.

HAY—Firm; timothy, $10.00@13.50.

FLAX SEED—Firmer at $1.02.

LEAD—Higher; $3.20@3.25.

SPELTER—Better; $3.42½.

BUTTER—Lower; creamery, 22@25c. dairy, 18@24c.

EGGS—Firm; 18½c.

CORN MEAL—Lower; $1.70@1.75.

WHISKY—Steady; $1.15.

BAGGING—4½@5¼c.

COTTON TIES—95c@$1.00.

PROVISIONS—Lower; pork, $17; lard, $9; dry salt meats, loose shoulders, $6.75; longs and ribs, $8.50; shorts, $8.75; boxed lots 15c more; bacon, shoulders, $7.50; longs and ribs, $9.62½; shorts, $9.75@9.87½.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 2,000 bbls.; wheat, 43,000 bu.; corn, 64,000 bu.; oats, 26,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 11,000 bbls.; wheat, 4,000 bu.; corn, 108,000 bu.; oats, 13,000 bu.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—COFFEE—Options opened generally 5@10 points lower and ruled quiet without much further change, closed steady at a net decline of 5@10 points; sales, 1,400 bags, including: December, $16.65@ 16.70; January, $16.35. Spot coffee, Rio, market weak and lower; No. 7, $18.12½.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 14.—COFFEE—Market firm, nominal at 15d; exchange, 10⅝d; receipts, 7,000 bags; stock, 87,000 bags.

SANTOS, Nov. 14.—COFFEE—Good average, 15,700 reis per 10 kilos. Receipts 11,000 bags; stock, 175,000 bags.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—COFFEE—Market 6d@1s slower.

SUGAR—Raw, market rather easier; sales, 60,733 mats; Hollo, usual assortment; ex-store, 2¼c for flat; no litherage to Canada; 62 hnds. St. Croix; Muscovado, 80 test, 21 3-16c ex-ship.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 14.—WHEAT—½@¾c lower; No. 2 hard, 50½@51c; No. 2 red, 53c.

CORN—½c lower; No. 2 mixed, 30@30¼c; No. 2 white, 31½@31¾c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 25½@26¼c; No. 2 white, 26½@27c.

RYE—Firm; No. 2, 47c.

FLAX SEED—Firm; 90@92c.

BRAN—Steady; 58@60c.

HAY—Weak; timothy, $8.50@9.50; prairie, $6.50@7.50.

EGGS—Scarce at 19c.

BUTTER—Weak; creamery, 22@26c; dairy, 18@20c.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 77,000 bu.; corn, 2,000 bu.; oats, none.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 69,000 bu.; corn, 1,000; oats, none.

Milwaukee Markets.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 14.—FLOUR—Steady.

WHEAT—Easy; December, 58¾@58½c.

CORN—Lower; No. 3, 37c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 30c; No. 3 white, 28@30½c.

BARLEY—Nominal; No. 2, 51c; sample, 30@ 52c.

RYE—Lower; No. 1, 47c.

PROVISIONS—Steadier; pork, $14.75; lard, $8.80.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 15,600 bbls.; wheat, 92,300 bu.; barley, 206,400 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 31,000 bbls.; wheat, 9,100 bu.; barley, 61,000 bu.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The dry goods business develops slowly and shows a lack of confidence. Cotton goods must be an attractive style for spring and summer wear to sell well. Print cloths steady at 2 15-16c for 64 squares and are quiet. Prints and printed fabrics are moderately active but steady. Ginghams and woven fabrics ruled quiet. Dress goods about held their own. Foreign dry goods were weak.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 14.—Wheat opened steady in the morning, but weakened in sympathy with lower prices at other places, and fell about 1c for futures, but closed ⅛c lower than yesterday. Receipts were smaller than for a long time. Track sales were more than 2c higher than December prices for the same grades. The local demand for mills was active. The amount of wheat ground daily equals the amount that came here today to say nothing of grain to be shipped out. Receipts in the interior may pick up a little from the late few days, as plowing and other farm work is stopped by the cold. December opened at 58¾c and closed at 57¼c; May opened at 64½c and closed at 63¼c. Track wheat closed: No. 1 hard, 61¾c; No. 1 northern, 59¼c; No. 2 northern, 57¼c. Receipts, 278 cars; shipments, 49 cars. No. 1 northern sold mostly at about 60c, and No. 2 mainly at about 58½c on track. The closing sales were lower.

Flour is dull and sales are running under production. Still shipments continue large owing to the old orders not yet being filled. Very little patents are being sold for foreign accounts. Some sales are being made for export eastern account. Inland rates are firm, owing to some of the lake lines holding off. Ocean rates are steady at 36½c per 100 lbs. to Liverpool and the same to London. Shipments, 39,885 bbls. First patents, $3.30@3.65; second patents, $3.05@3.30; fancy and export bakers, $1.50@1.90; low grades, in bags, including red dog, $1.10@1.25. The added daily output of mills now grinding today will probably aggregate 34,500 bbls. The market for bran and shorts is quiet at $9.00@9.25 for bran and $9.50 for shorts in bulk. Shipments, 1,267 tons.

Toledo Grain Market.

TOLEDO, Nov. 14.—WHEAT—Lower, active; No. 2 cash and November, 60½c; December, 61⅜c; May, 68¼c.

CORN—Dull, steady; No. 2 cash, old, 38¼c; No. 3 new, 36c.

OATS—Quiet; cash, 30c.

RYE—Dull; cash, 49c.

CLOVER SEED—Active, steady; prime cash and November, $5.40; December, $5.45; January, $5.47½.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 500 bbls.; wheat, 75,500 bu.; corn, 35,000 bu.; rye, 2,000 bu.; clover seed, 400 bags.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 2,250 bbls.; corn, 3,500 bu.; clover seed, 500 bags.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 14.—WHEAT—Quiet; demand moderate; holders offer moderately; No. 1 California, 5s 7d@5s 8d; No. 2 red, western spring, 5s 6d@5s 7d; No. 2 winter, 5s 2½d@5s 3½d. Receipts for the past three days, 208,000 bu.; American, 68,000 bu.

CORN—Quiet; demand moderate; mixed western, 4s 2d. Receipts of American, three days, 37,400 bu.

PROVISIONS—Pork, prime mess, fine, 88s 9d. Beef, extra India, 100s. Bacon, long and short clear, 55 lbs., 49s; long clear, 45 lbs., 48s 6d. Lard, 50s 6d.

TALLOW—American-Liverpool, fine, 27s 6d.

Oil Markets.

OIL CITY, Nov. 14.—National transit certificates opened at 72¾; highest, 73⅝; lowest, 72¾; closed, 73⅛; sales, 28,000 bbls.; clearances, 32,000 bbls.; shipments, 103,605 bbls.; runs, 77,118 bbls.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 14.—National transit certificates opened at 72¾; closed at 73⅛; highest, 73⅛; lowest, 72¾.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—CALCUTTA LINSEED—41s 9d.

Duluth Wheat Market.

DULUTH, Nov. 14.—The market was about steady. Close: No. 1 hard, cash and November, 60¾c; December, 60c; May, 66c; No. 1 northern, cash and November, 59¾c; December, 59c; May, 65c; No. 2 northern, cash, 56¾c; No. 3 northern, 51¾c; rejected, 44¾c. On track: No. 1 northern, to arrive, 59¾c.

Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—WOOL—No demand except for high grades, which are very scarce; western and Indian medium, 13@14c; fine western and Indian, 11@12c.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—SUGAR—Raw, market rather easier; sales, 60,733 mats, usual assortment ex store, 2¼c flat; refined market steady.

Financial Notes.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $1,439,-841.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $2,489,660; balances, $408,952.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—Three per cent rentes, 98f 17½c for the account.

OMAHA, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $850,263; same day last week, $771,395.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $2,960,-356; balances, $225,798.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $100,829,-877; balances, $6,125,892.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $11,974,-479; balances, $1,616,955.

MEMPHIS, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $353,967; balances, $77,657. New York exchange selling at par.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance today, £39,000.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 14.—Money, 4@7 per cent. New York exchange, 70@75c premium. Clearings, $1,937,550.

BOSTON, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $14,874,069; balances, $1,731,420. Money, 1@1½ per cent. Exchange on New York, par for cash.

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $16,016,000. Sterling exchange dull; actual $4.83@4.85. Money more plenty; rates, 6@7 per cent.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—Clearings, $4,019,898; balances, $572,413. Money, quiet at 7@8 per cent. Exchange on New York, 90c premium.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Less Animation Characterized Securities Yesterday as a Whole.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The assignment of Thurber-Whyland & Co., announced today, made no particular impression on the New York markets, having been more or less discounted in well informed commercial circles, owing to the protracted depression in the value of goods as well as the volume of transactions, coupled with the difficulty in making collections and supplementing the silver panic last summer.

The market opened with less animation than usual, despite the fact that the granger roads had agreed to main ain rates during the winter, which could not be looked upon otherwise than in a favorable light. The changes in the list at the opening were very slight, and in the early dealings fractional fluctuations were made on both sides of the account. But the speculation soon warmed up under the influence of a good buying movement in Sugar and New England, prices advanced from ⅛ to ¼ per cent, the two stocks named leading. The advance induced sales of New England, resulting in a reaction of 1 per cent, which extended to the general list, and was followed by a steady upward movement ranging from ¼ to 1⅜ per cent, in which granger stocks were most prominent. The higher level was not maintained very long, Manhattan dropping 2 per cent and Louisville & Nashville 1¼ per cent. The other declines were unimportant. Some thirty minutes before noon the market became active, London was a small buyer, a Burlington & Quincy dividend had been declared and room traders were mainly on the bull side. The improvement led to realizations of profits, which encouraged the bears to attack values and before 1 o'clock the market was going down hill again.

The depression continued throughout the afternoon, merely because there were no strong buyers in the field, while there were a number of sellers anxious to make a turn Heaviness was the prevailing tone to the close, at which the depreciation in prices had ranged to 3⅝ per cent compared with the final sales of yesterday. Cordage common making the greatest dip. New York, Chicago & St. Louis preferred declined 3; New York, Chicago & St. Louis common, 1¼; Manhattan, 1⅜; Louisville & Nashville, Delaware & Hudson, 1¼; Rubber, 1; St. Paul and North western, ¾ per cent. Some of the specialties made advances on the day's transactions, including Evansville & Terre Haute, 2; Laclede Gas preferred and Cotton Oil preferred, 1½; Kanawha & Michigan and Minneapolis & St. Louis preferred, 1 per cent.

The Post says: Yesterday's stock market was one of the pendulum's downward swings. This morning the motion was once more upward, though a decline in prices had begun again before the afternoon had far advanced. There would quite probably have been an upward reaction at the start today, even had there been no news to encourage buying. At it happened, however, there was some actual food for encouragement. The Burlington & Quincy directors gathering in Boston declared the full quarterly dividend, an action which fulfilled last week's expectation and which, it may be hoped, was justified by the company's financial outlook. Of much importance was the news that granger railways had entered on a compact to maintain rates through the winter season. This is a move to check such a rate demoralization as was threatened by the close of World's fair traffic. As usual of late, the buying was made up largely from the covering of professional local shorts, and when this movement ceased the market lapsed, first into total inactivity and then into renewed weakness. During the last half hour the aggressive speculators for the decline were busy again, basing their sales on the lack of outside support and on various rumors of more or less value in character. It is important to observe one of the weak spots of the day's market was Louisville & Nashville. Foreign speculative holders have for some time past been feeding out this stock and have not concealed their irritation over the mystery in which the directory board has wrapped the Chesapeake & Ohio and Northwestern transaction.

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

Atchison.....	18⅝	Northern Pacific..	7
Adams Express....	146	do pref'd.....	21
Alton, T. H.....	22¾	C. P., D. & Gulf....	5¾
do pref'd.....	75	Northwestern.....	102¼
American Express.	114	do pref'd.....	138
Baltimore & Ohio..	69	New York Central.	102
Canada Pacific....	72	N. Y. & N. E.....	27¾
Canada Southern..	49¾	Ontario & Western	16¾
Central Pacific....	18⅝	Oregon Imp.....	11¾
Ches. & Ohio.....	13⅜	Oregon Nav.....	26
Chicago & Alton...	135	O. S. L. & U. N....	6
C., B. & Q.....	80¼	Pacific Mail.....	16¾
Chic. Gas.....	69¾	Peoria, Dec. & E...	7
Consolidated Gas..	113¾	Rock Island.....	70
C. C. C. & St. L....	33	Pullman Palace....	173¾
Col. Coal & Iron...	10	Reading.....	22
Cotton Oil Cert....	29¾	Richmond Ter.....	3¾
Del. & Hudson.....	129¾	do pref'd.....	15
Del. Lack. & West.	167	Rio Grande West...	10
D. & R. G. pref'd..	29¾	do pref'd.....	45
Dis. & C. Furs. Co...	29	Rock Island.....	65⅜
East Tenn.....	4	St. Paul.....	69⅜
Erie.....	15⅝	do pref'd.....	118
do pref'd.....	26	St. Paul & Omaha..	36¾
Fort Wayne.....	149	do pref'd.....	110
Great North'n pf'd.	107⅜	Southern Pacific...	18⅜
Ill. Cent. Ill. pf'd	97⅜	Sugar Refinery....	84¼
Hocking Valley....	19⅜	Tenn. Coal & Iron..	15¾
Illinois Central....	91⅜	Texas Pacific.....	7⅜
St. Paul & Duluth..	26	Tol. & O. Cen. pf'd.	70
Kan. & Texas pf'd.	22⅜	Union Pacific.....	17
Lake Erie & West..	17	U. S. Express.....	50
do pref'd.....	69	W. St. L. & Pac....	7
Lake Shore.....	127⅜	do pref'd.....	15¾
Lead Trust.....	26	Wells Fargo Exp...	121
Louis. & Nash.....	46⅜	Western Union....	87¼
Louis. & N. A.....	94	Wheeling & L. E...	13
Manhattan Con.....	127¾	do pref'd.....	50
Memphis & C.....	10	M. & St. L.....	11⅜
Michigan Central..	100	D. & R. G.....	9¾
Missouri Pacific...	24	General Electric...	42¾
Mobile & Ohio.....	14⅛	National Linseed...	19¼
Nash. & Chatt.....	70	C. F. & I.....	23⅜
National Cordage..	22⅜	do pref'd.....	70
do pref'd.....	50	H. & T. C. 5s.....	2
N. J. Central.....	94	do 6s.....	7¾
Norfolk & W. pf'd..	19⅜	T. St. L. & K. C....	1
North Ameri'n Co..	5	do pref'd.....	12

The total sales of stocks today were 235,000 shares, including: Atchison, 5,500; American Sugar, 47,000; Burlington, 38,700; Chicago Gas, 17,800; Distillers and Cattlefeeders, 3,800; General Electric, 4,700; Louisville & Nashville, 7,100; New York & New England, 6,000; Reading, 28,300; Rock Island, 5,700; St. Paul, 31,000; Western Union, 7,300.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 1@1½ per cent; last loan, 1@1½ per cent; closed, 1½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4½@6½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.84½@4.84⅝ for demand and at $4.82½@4.82⅝ for sixty-day bills. Posted rates, $4.83@4.85½. Commercial bills, $4.80¾@4.81.

SILVER CERTIFICATES—69½@70½c.

GOVERNMENT BONDS—Steady. State bonds, dull.

The closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. 4s reg.....	112¼	St. Paul Consols...	124
U. S. 4s coup.....	112¾	St. P. C. & P. 1sts..	109¾
U. S. 4½s reg.....	94	T. P. L. G. Tr. Rcts	76
Pacific 6s of '95....	103	T. P. R. G. Tr. Rcts	19¾
La. stamped 4s....	95¼	Union Pac. 1sts....	102¾
Missouri 6s.....	100	West Shore.....	103¾
Tenn. new set 6s..	105	R. G. W. 1sts.....	69
Tenn. new set 5s..	105	Atchison 4s.....	70½
Tenn. new set 3s..	68	*do 2s8	37⅛
Canada So. 2ds.....	109	G. H. & S. A. 6s....	103
Central Pac. 1sts..	103⅝	do 7s.....	93
D. & R. G. 1sts.....	113	H. & T. C. 5s.....	105
D. & R. G. 4s.....	75	do 6s.....	100
Erie 2ds.....	67⅜	N. C. 6s.....	115
M. K. & T. Gen. 6s.	43¾	do 4s.....	98
Mutual Union 6s...	107	Tenn. old 6s.....	100
N. J. C. Int. Cert..	110½	Va. Centuries.....	52¾
N. Pac. 1sts.....	109⅛	Va. Centuries df...	6½
N. Pac. 2ds.....	87½	Ala. class A.....	98
N. W. Consols.....	138	Ala. class B.....	98
N. W. Deb. 5s.....	103⅝	Ala. class C.....	95
St. L. & I. M. G. 5s.	75¼	Ala. Currencies...	97
St. L. & S. F. Gen. M.	98		

*asked.

Boston Mining Quotations.

BOSTON, Nov. 14.—Call loans, 2¼@4 per cent; time loans, 3½@6 per cent. Closing quotations on stocks, bonds and mining shares:

Atch., T. & S. F....	18¾	do preferred.....	45⅜
American Sugar...	94½	Atchison 2ds.....	37
Bay State Gas.....	8¾	Atchison 4s.....	69
Boston & Albany..	202½	General Elec. 5s..