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Bears on Wheat Were Caught Short and Bid the Market Up.

THAT CEREAL WAS WEAK AND LOWER EARLY

Corn Was Quiet and Steady, with the Trade About Featureless—Oats Were Slow and Easy.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The bears in wheat were caught short today and, scared by a smaller visible increase than they had counted on, bid the market up sharply, after an early decline, December closing ½c higher. May corn closed unchanged, May oats ⅛c lower, and provisions at declines.

Wheat was weak and lower earlier, selling at one time ⅝c below the close Saturday, but reacted later. The deliveries in the northwest were heavy—1,663 cars, while the primary receipts aggregated over 1,500,000 bu. Liverpool stocks increased 200,000 bu. last week, and advices from there said that the warehouses were full. There were also indications of nearly 1,500,000 bu. increase in the visible supply. The financial situation was regarded with distrust, and was a bearish factor, and London reported a big failure in the grain trade there. Such an array of bullish news had a very depressing influence and led to free liquidation and short selling. Pardridge, Baldwin and Farnum, Champlin and Brosseau were free buyers, and the demand was at times sufficient to cause a slight rally. December opened at 57⅝c, or ¼c below the close Saturday, fell to 56⅞c, up to 57½c, and at noon was about 57⅜c. The visible supply came in, showing only 1,300,000 bu. increase, and helped the market to rally. The market got excited and strong during the last hour and December sold up a cent very rapidly, touching 58⅝c, after having sold at 56⅝c early. The scalpers had evidently sold too much early, and in the attempt to get it back they bid the market up. There were liberal sales for export at the seaboard, and December closed at 58¼c.

Corn was quiet and steady, with the trade about featureless. There was some weakness at the start in sympathy with the early depression in wheat, but reacted later when wheat advanced. May sold at from 28⅞c to 29c, and September at from 30⅝c to 31¼c, May closing at 29c.

Oats were slow and a shade easier for September, with May steady. The former sold at from 19⅛c to 19c, and May at from 20⅜c to 20⅞c, the latter closing at 20⅝c.

The provi ion mark t was heavy. L quidation of October contracts was the principal feature of the day's business. Weakness in January pork resulted from some offerings by brokers for John Cudahy. The market was dull and the feeling heavy. Compared with Saturday's closing prices, October and January pork are each ½c lower. October lard is unchanged, and January 2½c lower. Ribs for October are 15c lower, and January without alteration since the close on Saturday.

Estimated receipts for Tuesday: Wheat, 135 cars; corn, 725 cars; oats, 507 cars; hogs, 14,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2				
Sept	56	57	55⅞	56⅞
Dec	57⅛@⅜	58⅝	56⅞	58¼
May	61¼@⅜	62⅜	61	62⅜
Corn, No. 2				
Sept	31@31¼	31¼	30⅞	31¼
Oct	30⅝	30⅞@¼	30⅝	30⅝
Dec	27⅞	28⅛	27⅞	28⅛
May	27⅞	29⅛	28⅞	29
Oats, No. 2				
Sept	19⅛	19⅛	18⅞	18⅞
Oct	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞
May	20⅜	20⅞	20⅜	20⅝
Pork, per bbl				
Oct	8 15	8 15	8 10	8 10
Jan	9 40	9 40	9 30	9 32½
Lard, 100 lbs				
Oct	5 80	5 80	5 77½	5 77½
Jan	5 77½	5 77½	5 70	5 72½
Short Ribs				
Oct	5 25	5 27½	5 12½	5 15
Jan	4 82½	4 82½	4 77½	4 80

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Winter patents, $3.00@3.50; winter straights, $2.85@3.25; spring patents, $3.25@3.75; spring straights, $2.75@3.10; bakers, $1.90@2.30.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 56⅞@58⅛c; No. 3 spring, 54@57⅛c; No. 2 red, 56⅞@57⅛c.

CORN—No. 2, 31⅛@31¼c; No. 3 yellow, 31⅛@31⅜c.

OATS—No. 2, 18¾c; No. 2 white, 22@22¼c; No. 3 white, 20¼@21¼c.

RYE—No. 2, 37c.

BARLEY—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 26@42c; No. 4, 26@34c.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, 93½c.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $4.00@4.05.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $8.12½@8.25. Lard, per 100 lbs., $5.77½@5.80. Short ribs, sides, loose, $5.12½@5.20; dry salted shoulders, boxed, $5.50@5.62½; short clear sides, boxed, $6.00@6.25.

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

The following were the receipts and shipments today:

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	16,000	7,000
Wheat, bu	144,000	5,000
Corn, bu	312,000	340,000
Oats, bu	319,000	304,000
Rye, bu	3,000	1,000
Barley, bu	83,000	138,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 9@20½c; dairy, 9½@17c. Eggs, firm; 14@14½c. Cheese, 7@8c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Closing Quotations on the Principal Commodities and Staples.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—FLOUR—Receipts, 20,400 bbls.; exports, 13,100 bbls; moderately active, but closed steady; Minnesota patents, $3.30@3.45; spring low grades, $1.70@2.40; winter patents, $3.30@3.60; city mill patents, $4.00@4.20; winter straights, $3.05@3.25; city mill clears, $3.75; Minnesota bakers, $2.90@3.10; winter low grades, $2.15@2.60. Rye flour, dull; superfine, $2.70@2.80. Buckwheat flour, quiet; spot, $2.

CORN MEAL—Quiet; yellow western, 95@97c; Brandywine, $2.60.

WHEAT—Receipts, 208,400 bu.; exports, 212,680 bu. Spot market firm; No. 2 red, 61⅝c; No. 1 hard, 64⅝c delivered. Options had a weak opening on a reported grain failure in England, big northwestern receipts and lower cables; advanced decidedly at noon on disappointing increases, decrease in passage, better late cables and rumored gold deposits, closing steady at a reaction of ⅛@⅜c. September, 60¼@61⅜c, closed 61⅜c; December, 62⅜@63⅝c, closed 63⅝c.

CORN—Receipts, 65,000 bu.; exports, 132,600 bu. Spot closed steady; No. 2, 37⅝c. Options declined sharply for nearby options on big receipts and fine weather, closing ⅝@⅞c lower; September closed 37½c; December, 35⅜@35⅝c, closed 35⅜c.

OATS—Receipts, 73,200 bu.; exports, 35,600 bu. Spot market dull; No. 2, 24c. Options stupidly dull all day, closing ⅛@⅜c lower; September closed 23⅝c; December closed 24⅛c.

HAY—Easy; shipping, $3.50@7.90; good to choice, $7.50@9.00.

HOPS—Quiet and weak; state, common to choice, 1894 crop, 3@7c; Pacific coast, 1894 crop, 3½@7c.

HIDES—Quiet; California dry, 21 to 25 lbs., 15c; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 16@17½c; Buenos Ayres, 20 to 24 lbs., 21c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 lbs., 12@13c.

LEATHER—Steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy weights, 24c; acids, 21½@24c.

WOOL—Quiet; domestic fleece, 21@32c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, quiet; family, $10.00@12.00; extra mess, $7.50@8.00; city extra India mess, $16.50@17.50. Cut meats, easy; pickled shoulders, 5¼@5½c; pickled hams, 9@9½c. Lard, fairly steady; western steam closed $6.17½@6.20; October closed $6.15 nominal; refined, lower; continent, $6.60; compound, 5@5½c. Pork, dull but steady; new mess, $10.00@10.25.

BUTTER—Receipts, 7,155 pkgs.; steady; western, 9½@13c; western creamery, 13@20c; Elgins, 20½c.

EGGS—Receipts, 6,765 pkgs.; steady; western, 15½@16c; western fresh, 16c.

CHEESE—Receipts, 2,461 pkgs.; market quiet; large, 5½@7¼c; small, 6@6¼c; part skims, 2¼@6c; full skims, 1½@2c.

PETROLEUM—Dull; United closed at $1.20 bid.

ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, $1.47½@1.50.

TALLOW—Dull; city, 4¼c; country, 4½c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 4@6¼c; Japan, 3¾@4c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 29@32c.

METALS—Pig iron, firm; southern, $11.50@14.50; northern, $12.00@14.00. Copper, strong; brokers, $12.50; exchange, $12.25. Lead, strong; brokers, $3.25; exchange, $3.37½. Tin, quiet; straits, $14.50@14.60; plates, market quiet. Spelter, firm; domestic, $4.25@4.30.

COTTON SEED OIL—Slow, but about steady; off summer yellow, 26@26¼c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—WHEAT—Declined early on depressing news, with general selling; later the market rallied and closed higher than Saturday; No. 2 cash, red, 58½c; September, 58½c; December, 59⅜@59⅞c; May, 63⅝c asked.

CORN—Dull, with little speculation, which stiffened up late and advanced some, closing both sides of Saturday's final; No. 2 mixed, cash, 30½c; September, 30⅜c bid; December, 24½c; May, 24⅞c.

OATS—Firm; trading light for futures; No. 2 cash, 18½c bid; September, 19⅛c; December, 18⅞c bid; May, 21c bid.

RYE—On call, No. 2 regular, offered 38½c, bid 37½c.

CORN MEAL—$1.65@1.70.

BRAN—Better, 52½c bid, east track.

FLAX SEED—Steady, 90c.

TIMOTHY SEED—$3.75@4.00.

HAY—Choice grades scarce and wanted; prairie, $5.00@9.00; timothy, $6.00@14.50 this side.

LEAD—Stronger; sales, $3.12½@3.15, with $3.17½ bid later. Spelter, held at $3.17½, but no buyers.

WHISKY—$1.22.

PROVISIONS—Pork, standard mess, $8.62½. Lard, prime steam, $5.95; choice, $5.79. Bacon, boxed shoulders, $6; longs, $6.25; ribs, $6.37½; shorts, $6.50.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 5,000 bbls.; wheat, 53,000 bu.; corn, 31,000 bu.; oats, 79,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 8,000 bbls.; wheat, 21,000 bu.; corn, 133,000 bu.; oats, 38,000 bu.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 16.—WHEAT—Spot dull; demand poor; No. 2 red winter, 4s 8d; No. 2 red spring, 4s 11½d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s; No. 1 California, 5s 10d; futures opened steady, with near and distant positions 1d lower; closed steady, with October 1½d lower and other months 1d lower; business about equally distributed; October, 4s 8¾d; November, 4s 9¼d; December, 4s 9¾d; January, 4s 10½d; February, 4s 10¾d.

CORN—Spot dull; American mixed new, 3s 4½d; futures opened quiet, but steady, with near and distant positions ⅛d lower; closed steady, with near and distant positions ½d lower; business about equally distributed; September, 3s 4d; October, 3s 4d; November, 3s 4½d; December, 3s 4½d; January, 3s 3½d; February, 3s 2¾d.

FLOUR—Market steady; demand good; St. Louis fancy winter, 6s 9d.

PROVISIONS—Bacon, quiet; demand poor; short ribs, 28 lbs., 35s; long clear, light, 38 to 45 lbs., 25s 6d; long clear, heavy, 55 lbs., 34s 6d; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs., 24s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs., 32s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 38s 6d; shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs., 33s; hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 42s. Beef, extra India mess, 76s 3d; prime mess, 69s. Tallow, fine North American, nominal. Pork, prime mess, fine western, 56s 3d; prime medium, 48s 9d. Lard, quiet; prime western, 29s 3d; refined, in pails, 32s.

CHEESE—Quiet; demand poor; finest American white (new), 37s; finest American colored (new), 37s 6d.

TURPENTINE—Spirits, 23s 3d.

COTTONSEED OIL—Liverpool refined, 18s.

LINSEED OIL—21s.

PETROLEUM—Refined, 7¼d.

REFRIGERATOR BEEF—Forequarters, 3¾d; hindquarters, 6¼d.

BLEACHING POWDER—Hardwood, f. o. b. Liverpool, £7.

HOPS—At London (Pacific coast), £1 15s.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

The week opens with no material change in values on country produce. Quotations:

EGGS—Fresh stock, per doz., 13@13½c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 7½@8c; choice to fancy, 14@16c; gathered creamery, 17@18c; separator creamery, 18@19c.

VEAL—Choice fat, 70 to 100 lbs., are quoted at 7@7½c; large and coarse, 4@5½c.

CHEESE—Wisconsin full cream, 12c; Young Americas, 12½c; twins, 12c; Nebraska and Iowa, full cream, 10@11c; Limburger, No. 1, 12c; brick, No. 1, 12½c; Swiss, No. 1, 13@14c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 6½c; roosters, 3c; spring chickens, per lb., 8c; ducks, 6c; spring ducks, 8c; turkeys, 6@7c; geese, 5@6c.

PIGEONS—Per doz., $1.

HAY—Upland, $6.50; midland, $6.50; lowland, $6; rye straw, $5; color makes the price on hay; light bales sell the best. Only top grades bring top prices.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—New choice stock, 30c.

SWEET POTATOES—Choice stock, $2.50 per bbl.

ONIONS—Home grown, 25@30c.

CABBAGE—On orders, sacked, per 100, 75c@$1.00.

TOMATOES—Choice stock, per ½ bu. basket, 25@40c.

WATERMELONS—Crated, per doz, $1.75@2.00.

CELERY—Choice stock, large No. 1, 40c; large No. 2, 35c; inferior, 25@30c.

CANTALOUPES—Choice stock, crated for shipment, per doz., 60@90c.

FRUITS.

A car of Utah peaches was offered on the market. The fruit was of very rich color and good flavor.

The apple crop in this section of the country is very large and the fruit, as a rule, of good quality. A fruit man who has just visited the orchard of W. H. Kuhn of Pottawattamie county, who has one of the largest fruit farms in the west, says that it is worth going miles to see. The trees are loaded so that the limbs are bent to the ground and the fruit is large and fair. The trees loaded with Jonathan apples are a beautiful sight, the green of the tree being completely hidden by the bright red fruit. This orchard will turn out several thousand bushels of apples. Reports from other large orchards all indicate an abundant crop. Representative sales. Quotations:

UTAH PEACHES—Per box, 80@85c.

EASTERN GRAPES—New York Concords, per basket, 27c; large lots, 25@26c.

CALIFORNIA GRAPES—Per case, black varieties, $1.00; Muscats, $1.25; Tokays, $1.50.

PLUMS—California, per box, choice stock, $1.00@1.15; fancy varieties, $1.15@1.25.

SOUTHERN PEACHES—None.

APPLES—Choice shipping stock, bbls., $2.00@2.25; cooking apples, $1.75@2.00.

CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Freestones, per box, 90c; clings, 85@90c.

NECTARINES—None.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—Choice seedlings, per box, $2.75; Mediterranean sweets, none; fancy St. Michaels, none; California Valencias, $3.25@3.35.

LEMONS—Extra fancy lemons, 360 size, $8.00; 300 size, $8.00@9.00.

BANANAS—Choice large stock, per bunch, $2.25@2.50; medium size bunches, $1.75@2.25.

PINEAPPLES—None.

MISCELLANEOUS.

OYSTERS—Extra selects, 35c per can; company selects, 40c; New York counts, 45c.

HONEY—Native white clover, 14c; choice stock, 12c.

MAPLE SYRUP—Gallon jugs, per doz., $12; Bixby, 5-gal. cans, $3.

NUTS—Almonds, 14c; English walnuts, soft-shelled, 11c; standards, 10c; filberts, 9c; Brazil nuts, 8c; pecans, 9c; peanuts, raw, 5½@6c; roasted, 7½c.

HIDES AND TALLOW.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 7c; No. 2 green hides, 6½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 8c; No. 2 green salted hides, 7½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 15-lbs., 10c; No. 2 veal calf, 8 to 15-lbs., 8c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 12@14c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 10@12c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 10c; partly cured hides, ½c per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each 25@60c; green salted shearings (short wooled early skins), each 5@15c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), No. 1 each, 5@15c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), No. 2 each, 5c; dry flint Kansa and Nebraska butcher wol pelts, actual weight, 4@6c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@6½c; dry flint Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., acual weight, 4@6c. Have fet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them.

TALLOW AND GRAESE—No. 1 tallow, 4¼c; No. 2 tallow, 3¼@3½c; grease, white A, 4@4½c; grease, white B, 3¼c; grease, yellow, 2¾@3c; grease, dark, 2½c; old butter, 2@2½c; beeswax, prime, 17@20c; rough tallow, 2c.

WOOL UNWASHED—Fine heavy, 6@7c; fine light, 8@9c; quarter-blood, 10@12c; seedy, burry and chaffy, 8@9c; cotted and broken, coarse, 7@9c; cotted and broken, fine, 6@8c.

WOOL WASHED—Medium, 15@18c; fine, 14@16c; tub washed, 16@18c; black, 8c; bucks, 6c; tag locks, 2@3c; dead pulled, 5@6c.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

There Was No Change in the Character of Stock Speculation.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—There was no change today in the character of the Stock speculation, the most conspicuous feature being irregularity of movement and violently changing fluctuations. The volume of business was quite heavy, compared with recent averages, and dealings were very well distributed. London was less bearish, buying at least as much as it sold, and the quotations for American securities in that market were about equally divided between gains and losses, the chief considerations consisting of conjecture as to the gold export outlook, the position of the bond syndicate and the banks toward the treasury and the probability or improbability of an issue of government bonds in the near future. The money market showed a rising tendency and fairly large sums were loaned on call at an advance of 1½ per cent above the quotations which had been ruling nominally for a long time past. The exchange market was heavy, being chiefly affected by the large gold exports and firmer money rates. The actual engagements of gold for export by tomorrow's steamer amounted to only $1,000,000. The street was agitated from time to time by rumors of conferences of bank presidents to discuss government financial relief measures and of a meeting between the head of the bond syndicate and the treasury officials.

The first mentioned report was denied by several leading bank presidents, who made the point that only a limited number of them had any considerable stock of gold. It is certain that the members of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. were in consultation. The general conclusion drawn was that the business in hand was the discussion of the government bond issue, which the street now believes to be near at hand. No confirmation of this theory could be obtained in official circles. No deposits of gold were made in the subtreasury, either for account of the syndicate or the banks.

An important item of news escaped the notice of the Wall street community, consisting of an advance in anthracite coal prices by the New York companies of 10 to 30 cents per ton, according to size, bringing stove and chestnut coal up to the basis of $3.50, alongside tide water. The grangers took up the largest share of the dealing, with the industrials, as a group, good seconds. Sugar led in point of activity, followed by the grangers, Distilling, Reading, Atchison, Tennessee Coal and Missouri Pacific. In the initial sales the bears made a demonstration against the grangers and low-priced shares, but soon extended the scope of their operations and brought about general recessions. Jersey Central declined 3½ per cent; Susquehanna & Western preferred and Tennessee Coal, 2 per cent; Delaware & Hudson, St. Louis & Southwestern preferred, Kansas & Texas preferred, 1⅝ per cent. Other declines were immaterial. Near 10:30, under the leadership of Sugar, which rose 2 per cent, the entire market advanced. Tobacco and Jersey Central gained 1½ per cent and the other market from ⅛ to ⅝ per cent. Soon after 11 the market was again weak. Manhattan scored an extreme loss of 2⅝ per cent, and the other shares recessions of ¼ to 1½ per cent. Soon after midday the bulls rallied in support of the market, and save for a slight recession around 1 p. m., the market was uninteresting up to the close.

The rally in the Reading shares, as compared with the earlier time figures, was sustained and in the general list Tennessee Coal gained an extreme 2¼ per cent and Sugar 2⅝ per cent. The market closed strong at about the best figures of the day, the last prices showing general appreciation over last week's closing figures. In the afternoon trading, notwithstanding the improvement in the general market, the Cordage shares were conspicuous for pronounced weakness. The declines in them ranged from 1 to 3⅝ per cent, the latter in the guaranteed stocks. In the final dealings feeble rallies occurred. The Flint and Pere Marquette shares became prominent, selling off 3⅛ and 5 per cent respectively.

There was a moderate increase in the volume of business in bonds today, the sales aggregating $2,690,000. The temper of speculation was decidedly weak in the early trading, but in the late session an improved tone was evident, which was due to the change of sentiment in the share speculation.

The Evening Post's special London financial cablegram says: The stock markets were steady today, except for Americans, which were flat on the uncertainties of the treasury situation. There was a strong rally at midday on influential purchases by Kaffir operators, but on renewed selling in New York the tone closed flat. St. Paul stocks and Wabash bonds were especially offered. The continued American selling on each rally here is killing the market.

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

Atchison	19¾	U. P., D. & G	6¼
Adams Express	147	*Northwestern	102⅞
Alton, T. H.	65	*do pfd	143¾
Am. Express	113½	N. Y. Central	103⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	64	N. Y. & N. E.	58
Canada Pacific	56¼	Ontario & W	17⅝
Canada Southern	53⅜	Oregon Imp.	8
Central Pacific	18⅛	Oregon Nav.	22
Ches. & Ohio	19¾	O. S. L. & U. N.	10
Chicago & Alton	163	Pacific Mail	31⅝
C. B. & Q.	84⅞	P. D. & E.	6¼
Chicago Gas	62⅝	Pittsburg	162½
Consolidated Gas	141	Pullman Palace	172⅞
C. C. C. & St. L.	43⅝	Reading	19
Colo. Coal & Iron	6	R. G. W.	18
Cotton Oil Cert.	21⅝	R. G. W. pfd	41⅛
Delaware & Hud.	130	Rock Island	77⅞
Del. Lack. & W.	162	St. Paul	74⅛
D. & R. G. pfd	53¾	do pfd	128½
D. & C. F. Co.	17⅛	St. P. & Omaha	41⅜
Erie	8⅜	do pfd	115
do pfd	22	Southern Pacific	24
Fort Wayne	163	Sugar Refinery	105⅜
G. Northern pfd	124	Tenn. Coal & Iron	41⅜
C. & E. I. pfd	10	Texas Pacific	11⅛
Hocking Valley	133¼	T. & O. Cent. pfd	78
Illinois Central	100½	Union Pacific	15
St. P. & Duluth	30⅛	U. S. Express	46
K. & T. pfd	35⅞	W. St. L. & P.	9¼
Lake Erie & West	24	W. St. L. & P. pfd	21⅛
do pfd	77¼	Wells Fargo Ex	100
Lake Shore	149½	Western Union	92⅞
Lead Trust	33⅛	Wheeling & L. E.	14⅛
Louisville & N.	62⅜	do pfd	47⅛
L. & N. A.	8⅞	M. & St. L.	24
Manhattan Con	109	D. & R. G.	16⅛
Memphis & C.	18	G. E.	37
Michigan Cent.	100½	N. L.	24
Missouri Pacific	34⅜	C. F. & I.	37⅝
Mobile & Ohio	22	do pfd	100
Nashville Chat	70	H. & T. C.	2½
*National Cordage	7	T. A. A. & N. M.	1⅛
Nat. Cordage pfd	14	T. St. L. & K. C.	9
N. J. Central	108⅞	do pfd	17
N. & W. pfd	14	S. R. R.	12⅞
North Am. Co.	5⅜	do pfd	38⅝
Northern Pacific	5¼	Am. Tob. Co.	96
N. Pacific pfd	18⅜	do pfd	107

* ex-div.

The total sales of stocks today were 450,377 shares, including: American Sugar, 56,400; American Tobacco, 9,700; Atchison, third assessment paid, 27,800; Burlington, 39,300; Chicago Gas, 4,800; Cleveland, Columbus, Chicago & St. Louis, 3,800; Distilling, 32,000; General Electric, 3,800; Kansas & Texas preferred, 7,700; Missouri Pacific, 19,000; New Jersey Central, 4,200; New York, Saratoga & Western preferred, 3,200; Northwestern, 6,800; Pacific Mail, 7,000; Reading, 27,700; St. Louis and Western preferred, 4,600; St. Paul, 57,800; Southern Railroad, 5,600; Southern Railroad preferred, 4,600; Wabash preferred, 11,400; Western Union, 3,300; Wheeling & Lake Erie, 4,600.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—MONEY ON CALL—In good demand at 2@2½ per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closed at 2 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—3½@5¼ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.89½@4.89¾ for demand and $4.88½@4.88¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.89@4.90 and $4.90@4.91; commercial bills, $4.88.

SILVER CERTIFICATES—67@67½c.

GOVERNMENT BONDS—Strong for the new 4s and at an advance of ½ per cent. State bonds, inactive. Railroad bonds, firmer.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U.S. 4s, reg., new	121	D. & R. G. 7s	116⅞
U.S. 4s coup, new	121	D. & R. G. 4s	90
U.S. 5s, reg	115½	Erie 2ds	77⅛
U.S. 5s, coup	115⅝	G. H. & S. A. 6s	107
U.S. 4s, reg	111⅛	G. H. & S. A. 7s	103
U.S. 4s, coup	112½	H. & T. C. 5s	111
U.S. 2s, reg	96½	do 6s	110
Pacific 6s of '95	100	M., C. & T. 1st 4s	88½
Ala., class A	109	do 2d 4s	65⅛
Ala., class B	109	Mutual Union 6s	114
Ala., class C	100	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	118⅜
Ala. Currency	100	No. Pacific 1sts	117⅜
La. New Con. 4s	99¼	do 2ds	102
Missouri 6s	100	N. W. Consols	141
N. C. 6s	125	do S. F. Deb. 5s	111⅛
N. C. 4s	102½	R. G. West. 1sts	76½
S. C. nonfund	1¼	St. P. Consols 7s	127½
Tenn. new set 6s	90½	do C. & P. W. 5s	116½
Tenn. old 6s	60	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5s	85
Va. Centuries	63	St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6	110
do deferred	6	Tex. Pac. 1sts	92
Atchison 4s	80¼	do 2ds	28⅛
Atchison 2d A	32½	U. P. 1sts of '96	107⅜
Canada So. 2ds	107¼	West Shore 4s	107
L. & N. unified 4s	83	Southern 5s	95
C. P. 1sts of '95	102		

San Francisco Mining Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	10	Hale & Norcross	155
Alpha Con	14	Justice	9
Andes	44	Kentucky Con	14
Belcher	61	Lady Wash. Con	3
Best & Belcher	110	Mexican	72
Bodie Con	38	Mono	13
Bullion	10	Mount Diablo	15
Bulwer Con	10	Occidental Con	19
Caledonia	12	Ophir	160
Challenge Con	91	Overman	19
Chollar	58	Potosi	62
Confidence	240	Savage	39
Con. Cal. & Va	265	Scorpion	5
Con. Imperial	4	Sierra Nevada	93
Con. New York	2	Silver Hill	2
Crown Point	54	Union Con	62
Exchequer	3	Utah Con	11
Gould & Curry	53	Yellow Jacket	46

Silver bars, 67@67⅛c. Mexican dollars, 54¾@54⅞c. Drafts, sight, 2½c; telegraphic, 5c.

An assessment of 10c a share has been levied on Alta.

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Call loans, 2¾@4 per cent; time loans, 3@4¼ per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares:

A. T. & S. F.	19⅛	Westingh. Elec	35¾
Am. Sugar	105⅜	W. Elec. pfd	55
Am. Sugar pfd	100	Wis. Central	6⅛
Bay State Gas	10	Edison Elec. Ills	152½
Bell Telephone	199	Atchison 2ds	32⅜
Boston & Albany	210	Atchison 4s	80⅛
Boston & Maine	177	New England 6s	113
C. B. & Q.	84⅜	Gen. Electric 5s	88
Fitchburg pfd	95	Allouez Mining Co	1
Gen. Electric	37⅛	Atlantic	21¾
Illinois Steel	75	Boston & Montana	87
Mexican Central	12⅜	Butte & Boston	19¾
N. Y. & N. E.	104	Calumet & Hecla	315
Old Colony	178	Centennial	1⅛
Ore. Short Line	9⅛	Franklin	18⅛
Rubber	38⅜	Kearsarge	19⅜
San Diego	4	Osceola	32½
Union Pacific	14⅛	Quincy	77
West End	74⅜	Tamarack	151
do pfd	95	Wolverine	7

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

Bulwer	5	Ontario	800
Chollar	50	Ophir	150
Crown Point	50	Plymouth	15
Con. Cal. & Va	250	Quicksilver	337
Deadwood	80	Quicksilver pfd	100
Gould & Curry	50	Sierra Nevada	80
Hale & Norcross	145	Standard	200
Homestake	2000	Union Con	50
Iron Silver	25	Yellow Jacket	35
Mexican	60		

London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—4 p. m. closing:

Consols, m'y	107 9-16	Mexican ordinary	22¼
Consols, acc't	107⅝	St. Paul com	75¼
Can. Pacific	57¼	N. Y. Central	104
Erie	8¾	Pennsylvania	56¾
Erie 2ds	77¼	Reading	9¾
Ill. Central	103½	Mex. Cen. new 4s	70¾

BAR SILVER—30½d per ounce.

MONEY—¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills is 11-16@¾ per cent.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 16.—COTTON—Easy; middling, 7 13-16c; low middling, 7 7-16c; good ordinary, 7⅛c; net and gross receipts, 5,598 bales; exports, continent, 85 bales; sales, 209 bales; stock, 72,343 bales.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—COTTON—Quiet; middling, 8⅛c; net receipts, 416 bales; gross, 6,200 bales; exports, Great Britain, 1,201 bales; continent, 700 bales; forwarded, 1,563 bales; sales, 253 bales; spinners, 152 bales; stock, 162,897 bales.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—COTTON—Quiet; no sales reported; receipts, 399 bales; shipments, 606 bales; stock, 7,272 bales.

Peoria Markets.

PEORIA, Sept. 16.—CORN—Market steady; No. 2, 30½c; No. 3, 30c.

OATS—Market steady; No. 2 white, 20¼@20½c; No. 3 white, 19@19¼c.

RYE—Market dull, nominal; No. 2, 36@37c.

WHISKY—Market firm; finished goods, on the basis of $1.22 for high wines.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 7,800 bu.; corn, 77,350 bu.; oats, 76,250 bu.; rye, 600 bu.; barley, 5,600 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 2,400 bu.; corn, 19,500 bu.; oats, 67,500 bu.; rye, 600 bu.; barley, none.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Agents have advanced the prices of kid finished cambrics to 3⅞c and 3⅝c respectively for 64-64 and 56-60 cloths. There was a small request noticeable in all departments of the trade, both personal and through orders. Such lessened request, however, is in no wise unexpected, as it is the usual accompaniment of the Hebrew holidays, which begin on Thursday next and continue until the 28th inst. In the meanwhile engagements will be restricted to actual wants. Printing cloths quiet but firm at 3⅛c.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., Sept. 16.—BUTTER—Firm; offerings, 21,500 lbs.; sales, 18,540 lbs. at 21c.

'Frisco Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—WHEAT—Quiet; December, 92⅝c; May, 97⅝c.

Financial Notes.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Clearings, $12,190,966; balances, $1,553,879.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16.—Clearings, $1,960,516; balances, $338,558.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Clearings, $70,596,644; balances, $4,279,951.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—Clearings, $7,746,153; balances, $1,839,937.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—Clearings, $4,514,000; balances, $371,272. Money, 5@7 per cent. New York exchange, 75c discount bid.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Clearings, $16,001,000. Demand for money at the banks is light and rates steady at 4@4½ per cent for call loans and 5@6 per cent for commercial paper. New York exchange, 30@40c discount. Bankers' London sterling, $4.89½@4.89¾.

Foreign Financial Affairs.

BERLIN, Sept. 16.—Exchange on London, 8 days' sight, 20 marks 43 pfg.

PARIS, Sept. 16.—4 p. m.—Three per cent rentes, 101f 27½c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 28½c.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres today at 215; at Madrid, 1600; at Lisbon, 24⅝; at St. Petersburg, 50; at Athens, 77; at Rome, 104.75; at Vienna, 104.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Large Run of Cattle Struck a Slow Market and Ten Cents Off.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS AN EXCEPTION

Slump in Beef Animals Caused by Heavy Receipts at All Principal Points—Practically No Hogs on the Market.

MONDAY, Sept. 16.

Receipts and shipments for the past twenty-four hours, as compared with the previous six days, are as follows:

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
September 16	4,412	502	3,482	2
September 14	1,178	1,966	.....	.....
September 13	2,255	2,370	1,294	6
September 12	3,336	1,695	70	.....
September 11	2,481	2,562	768	.....
September 10	4,076	3,060	.....	.....

SHIPMENTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
September 14	1,725	.....	.....	.....
September 13	985	197	959	30
September 12	1,645	76	.....	.....
September 11	1,576	.....	.....	.....
September 10	2,048	.....	.....	.....
September 9	1,838	.....	1,112	44

CATTLE—It was a great day for cattle. Trains came in thick and fast from all directions, and when the market opened 176 cars were reported in the yards. It was the largest run of any day since September 2. A large part of the cattle were westerns, though there was a considerable sprinkling of natives.

While cattle good enough for the dressed beef trade were not in very large supply, there were quite a good many beef steers, some of them pretty decent cattle. The market was slow to open. Everything was against the selling interests. Receipts were not only large at this point, but other markets reported large arrivals and a lower and dull trade. In consequence, the buyers here were inclined to go slow and wait for developments before buying very freely. It was late when the market opened, and then it was slow, and as a general thing 10c lower, unless it might be something that just happened to strike a buyer's fancy or something right good.

Cows and heifers, both natives and westerns, were in large supply, and the market on that class of stuff was just about as much lower as beef cattle.

The yards were full of stockers and feeders, and among the offerings were a good many loads of right desirable cattle. With the offerings so large and killing cattle lower, it was only natural to expect a decline on stockers and feeders, but it did not materialize. Yard buyers seemed to expect a large demand from the country this week, and were all anxious to pick up as many good loads as possible. The result was that the market was held up to fully Saturday's notch. The common grades, of which there were quite a good many in the yards, were not in quite so good demand, but everything else sold freely.

There were a great many stockmen at the yards who had come in to attend the fair and at the same time look over the market. A liberal run of stock is anticipated for the week, as it is expected that a good many stockmen who attend the fair will bring in a few loads of cattle or hogs.

Representative sales:

1	870	$1 75	1	1050	$2 10	11	950	$2 40
1	930	1 75	1	979	2 10	8	818	2 45
9	1017	1 80	24	853	2 10	3	830	2 45
4	905	1 90	1	1480	2 20	6	945	2 45
10	933	1 90	1	910	2 25	15	880	2 45
3	953	1 90	5	1020	2 25	1	1050	2 50
1	860	1 95	2	930	2 25	1	970	2 50
4	822	1 95	2	1190	2 25	2	1050	2 55
1	860	2 00	5	918	2 25	6	1134	2 55
3	1083	2 00	2	1315	2 25	1	870	2 60
3	1050	2 00	11	985	2 25	50	950	2 60
1	1040	2 00	1	900	2 30	1	1020	2 60
3	923	2 00	1	1040	2 35	25	976	2 65
1	840	2 00	10	1009	2 40	9	911	2 65
9	937	2 00	16	887	2 40	5	1048	2 75
1	1060	2 10	29	732	2 40	1	1200	3 00

HEIFERS.

1	620	1 75	1	529	2 25	4	979	2 50
4	597	2 20	2	680	2 30	4	760	2 65
1	740	2 25	3	616	2 35	9	888	2 70
6	580	2 25	4	500	2 35	7	842	2 75
2	590	2 25	3	620	2 35	1	1010	2 75
7	578	2 25	2	505	2 40	1	750	3 00
1	660	2 25	2	900	2 40			

BULLS.

1	450	1 25	1	1130	2 15	1	1160	2 25
1	880	1 60	3	1428	2 15	1	1240	2 25
2	1010	1 60	2	835	2 15	1	1480	2 25
1	1390	1 75	2	1370	2 15	2	1325	2 30
1	1140	1 85	1	1620	2 15	1	1110	2 30
1	1340	2 00	1	1500	2 20	2	1175	2 35
1	900	2 00	1	1470	2 25	1	1220	2 40
2	1905	2 10	1	1130	2 25	1	1130	2 45
1	1480	2 15	1	680	2 25	1	1070	2 50
1	1780	2 15	1	1110	2 25			

OXEN.

1	1860	2 50	1	2060	3 25

CALVES.

1	380	2 15	1	240	4 25	1	170	5 00
1	380	2 30	1	180	4 50	2	205	5 00
2	150	3 00	1	120	4 50	1	220	5 00
1	340	3 00	1	200	4 75	1	200	5 00
3	333	3 75	1	210	4 75			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

1	860	2 25	4	960	3 00	27	615	3 20
1	870	2 40	2	620	3 00	1	1080	3 25
2	550	2 50	10	761	3 05	36	1002	3 25
15	878	2 50	20	853	3 10	30	894	3 25
1	730	2 50	15	694	3 10	12	952	3 25
2	955	2 50	4	750	3 10	17	900	3 30
1	820	2 50	3	803	3 10	15	820	3 30
1	1000	2 60	20	862	3 10	1	740	3 35
3	530	2 75	1	640	3 10	21	1091	3 40
1	900	2 75	6	870	3 10	10	857	3 40
5	638	2 90	16	873	3 15	1	960	3 45
9	662	2 90	8	750	3 15	28	898	3 45
21	876	2 90	2	479	3 15	26	1153	3 45
1	1060	3 00	12	906	3 15	1	400	3 50
2	739	3 00	13	933	3 15			

MILKERS AND SPRINGERS.

1 milker	$22 00	1 springer	$27 00
1 cow and calf	25 00	1 cow and calf	28 00
1 springer	25 00	1 milker	28 00
1 cow and calf	26 00	1 cow and calf	30 00
1 springer	26 00	1 springer	30 00
1 cow and calf	26 00	1 cow and calf	30 00
1 cow and calf	27 00	1 springer	31 00

WESTERNS.

NEBRASKA.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
11 steers	1187	$3 10			
L. H. Lawton.					
1 cow	840	2 00	36 feeders	1002	3 25
9 cows	911	2 65			
A. E. Hall.					
1 cow	970	2 05	28 cows	973	2 35
9 cows	995	2 05	2 feeders	935	2 45
2 bulls	1405	2 25	5 feeders	1026	2 95
1 cow	920	2 25			
E. W. Rankin.					
70 feeders	1100	3 40	223 feeders	1130	3 45
105 feeders	1143	3 40			
C. C. Hampton.					
1 cow	850	1 80	12 cows	923	2 40
4 cows	887	1 80	1 stag	770	2 50
13 cows	970	2 25	1 feeder	760	3 10
8 cows	943	2 25	13 feeders	970	3 10
1 cow	880	2 25			
WYOMING.					
4 bulls	1135	1 60	2 cows	980	2 70
1 bull	720	1 70	11 cows	909	2 70
28 cows	851	2 30	47 feeders	1110	2 80
2 strs, tlg	905	2 35	74 feeders	927	2 90
49 cows	966	2 45	18 feeders	715	2 90
1 steer	1000	2 50	2 steers	945	3 00
1 str, Tex	1340	2 50	26 strs, Tex	1037	3 00
1 steer	940	2 50	1 str, Tex	1300	3 25
1 cow	940	2 50	9 strs, Tex	1204	3 25
15 cows	1057	2 60	26 steers	1233	3 40
1 steer	1040	2 65	1 calf	150	4 50
J. Wilcox.					
11 steers	1222	3 60	25 steers	1148	4 00
31 steers	1167	3 70			
L. B. Cooper.					
1 bull	1340	1 85	10 cows	984	2 75
1 bull	1340	2 00	21 cows	946	2 75
1 bull	1110	2 15	1 feeder	1060	3 00
1 cow	1140	2 25	1 feeder	900	2 55
3 steers	953	2 70	4 feeders	1150	3 45
1 steer	1250	2 75	23 feeders	1065	3 45
8 cows	985	2 75	89 feeders	1118	3 45
Ora Haley.					
2 cows	1056	2 40	50 cows	997	3 00
51 cows	1021	2 90	230 steers	1200	3 37½
27 cows	988	2 95			
J. M. Carey & Bros.					
2 bulls	1195	1 85	6 feeders	800	3 15
1 stag	900	2 00	1 feeder	930	3 25
3 cows	940	2 25	1 feeder	680	3 25
2 cows	790	2 25	15 steers	1258	3 35
1 str, tlg	1580	2 25	19 steers	1216	3 40
18 cows	966	2 70	1 feeder	940	3 50
14 cows	883	2 70	1 feeder	870	3 50
1 cow	1050	2 70	2 steers	415	3 75
3 steers	1453	2 75	4 calves	227	4 00
1 feeder	970	3 00			
W. S. Hamilton.					
15 cows	1016	2 65	1 steer	1270	4 00
23 cows	901	2 55	1 steer	1350	4 00
8 feeders	1166	3 40			
COLORADO.					
25 cows	940	2 35	44 feeders	901	2 50
A. G. Sherwin.					
1 cow	1020	2 90	1 cow	1400	2 75
50 cows	774	2 50	21 feeders	952	3 25
3 cows	866	2 50			
IDAHO.					
Harvey Bros. & Hake.					
24 feeders	942	3 10			
NEW MEXICO.					
3 steers	1006	2 25	57 cows	829	2 40
19 cows	733	2 25	12 steers	992	2 75
Ogalalla Land and Cattle Company.					
19 bulls	1347	1 65	250 steers	1258	3 30
1 cow	840	2 00	1 steer	860	3 30
10 cows	968	2 00	7 steers	1197	3 30
278 cows	1017	2 78	1 steer	1100	3 30
3 cows	1046	2 75	1 steer	1240	3 30
1 cow	1030	2 75	1 steer	1120	3 30
20 steers	1290	2 95	6 steers	1288	3 30
6 steers	1156	3 25			
Guthrie Bros.					
1 bull	1460	1 75	2 feeders	860	3 35
1 bull	1260	1 75	1 feeder	1240	3 35
1 bull	1180	2 15	1 steer	1320	3 35
1 cow	1000	2 25	1 steer	1360	3 35
21 cows	1000	2 65	1 steer	1030	3 35
1 steer	1180	2 75	1 steer	1220	3 35
1 feeder	1030	3 35	1 steer	1310	3 35
2 feeders	945	3 35	1 calf	300	4 00
1 feeder	1040	3 35			
Swan Land and Cattle Company.					
28 cows	1009	2 55	24 steers	1445	3 35
115 cows	891	2 70	175 steers	1203	3 35
21 cows	1005	3 05			
SOUTH DAKOTA.					
A. M. Oliver.					
2 cows	1050	1 85	2 steers	1375	3 00
24 cows	1030	2 70	23 steers	1256	3 70
3 steers	1036	3 00			
MEXICAN.					
128 steers	1147	3 05			
OREGON.					
H. M. Winslow.					
42 cows	1023	2 55	5 steers	1000	2 70
3 cows	1056	2 25	76 cows	933	2 80

HOGS—Only seven loads of hogs were received, a lighter run even than last Monday. There were not enough hogs in the yards to call it a market, and the buyers did not seem to think that they were worth bothering with. What hogs sold brought about Saturday's prices. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
6	240	...	$3 80	61	239	120	$4 05
5	236	...	3 90	15	241	...	4 10
5	186	...	3 90	45	283	40	4 10
3	220	...	3 95	65	232	80	4 15
2	310	...	3 95	59	296	80	4 20
71	244	120	4 05	57	307	80	4 20
PIGS.							
6	131	...	3 10				

SHEEP—The receipts were large, the demand good and the market active at fully steady prices. Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
31	tailings	105	$2 00
1325	California mixed	102	2 25
1132	California mixed	101	2 25
40	mixed westerns	99	2 75
37	mixed westerns	102	2 75
224	mixed westerns	97	2 85
244	mixed westerns	98	2 85
2	western lambs	57	3 80
93	western lambs	57	3 80
177	western lambs	55	3 80
177	western lambs	57	3 80

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Larger Receipts Than Expected in Cattle Weakened the Market.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—In cattle, as is usual when the receipts are much larger than an average number, the market was weak, except for such descriptions as were not in excessive supply. Native dressed beef and shipping steers sold pretty freely at from $3.50 to $5.70, chiefly at from $4.70 to $5.50, with prime to fancy largely nominal at from $5.70 to $6. Native cows and heifers sold very well at from $1.50 to $3.50, going mostly at from $1.75 to $3, with extra lots scarce and salable at from $3.75 to $4. Bulls were wanted at from $1.75 to $3.75 and calves were sold at from $3.25 to $6.50, according to quality. The stocker and feeder trade was again good at from $2.35 to $4, sales including a good many western cattle. The supply of Texas cattle was much larger than usual, and trade was fairly active at easier prices, with sales of steers on the basis of from $2.85 to $3.45 for common to good lots. There was a very good trade in westerns at a smaller reduction in prices than might have been expected, steers being salable at from $3 to $4.40 for common to choice.

About 19,000 hogs were received today, and with a very good demand and not more than 2,000 left over from last week, the supply of good droves were not equal to actual requirements. Eastern shippers were particularly good purchasers. Prices were stronger for good lots, with an upward tendency in choice medium weights and light weight hogs. Heavy sold at from $3.90 to $4.50, choice butcher weights going as high as $4.55. Mixed lots sold at from $4 to $4.55, and common to choice assorted light brought from $3.90 to $4.60. The bulk of the sales of packers occurred at from $4 to $4.20 and shippers sold largely at from $4.30 to $4.50.

The sheep trade started off slowly and prices were at from 10c to 15c lower for sheep and lambs. Native sheep were in demand at from $1.25 to $1.75 for inferior, up to from $3 to $3.50 for good to really choice, while westerns were wanted at from $2.50 to $3.25. Lambs sold slowly at from $3 to $4.50, a few inferior bringing from $2.50 to $2.85.

RECEIPTS—Cattle, 24,000 head; calves, 500 head; hogs, 19,000 head; sheep, 17,000 head.

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,200 head; shipments, 700 head; market 10@15c off on general stock; nothing but the upper grades brought full prices; choice export steers, $5.40@5.75; fair to good shipping steers, $4.50@5.25; coarse heavy, $4.25@4.65; dressed beef and best butcher steers, $3.50@4.80; bulk, $3.75@4.40; steers, below 1,000 pounds, $2.80@3.50; bulk of sales, $3.00@3.30; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.75; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.50; bulk of sales, $2.25@2.85; Texas and Indian steers, $2.50@4.00; bulk of sales, $3.00@3.40; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,300 head; shipments, 1,100 head; market strong on small supply; heavy, $4.20@4.50; cows and heifers, $4.00@4.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500 head; shipments, 1,900 head; market quiet; little done; native muttons, $2.50@3.50; stockers, $2.00@2.50; lambs, $3.00@4.50; southwestern sheep, $2.25@3.25.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—BEEVES—Receipts, two days, 4,484 head; active, slightly firmer; rangers, $3.70@4.55; oxen, $2.50@4.50; bulls, $2.00@3.00; dry cows, $1.00@2.00. European cables quote American steers at 11@11¾c, dressed weights; refrigerator beef at 8½@10c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, two days, 23,164 head; sheep, active and firm; lambs, in good demand; prices steady to firm; sheep, poor to choice, $2.00@4.00; lambs, common to very choice, $3.50@5.12½.

HOGS—Receipts, two days, 11,239 head; higher at $4.90@5.25.

Stock in Sight.

Record of receipts at the four principal markets Monday, September 16, 1895:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	4,412	502	3,482
Chicago	24,000	19,000	17,000
Kansas City	9,600	2,300	4,300
St. Louis	6,200	2,300	500
Totals	44,212	24,102	25,282

Coffee Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at 5 points advance to 5 points decline; further declined under favorable crop reports; closed steady, 5@15 points net decline; October, $14.35; December, $14.30@14.40; spot Rio, dull; No. 7, $15.75; mild, dull and nominal; Cordova, $18.25@19.00. Warehouse deliveries from New York yesterday, 12,700 bags; New York stock today, 243,164 bags; United States stock, 331,355 bags; afloat for the United States, 229,000 bags; total visible for the United States, 560,356 bags, against 450,184 bags last year.

SANTOS, Sept. 16.—Good average Santos, $13.70; receipts, 15,000 bags; stock, 317,000 bags; cleared September 14, 14,000 bags. Weekly report: Firm; good average, per 100 kilos, $13.70; receipts during the week, 138,000 bags; shipments to the United States, 22,000 bags; stock, 317,000 bags.

HAMBURG, Sept. 16.—Steady at unchanged prices to ¼ pfg up; sales, 27,000 bags.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Sept. 16.—No. 7, $13.60; exchange, 10⅛d; receipts, 9,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 5,000 bags. Weekly report: Firm; exchange, standard, $13.60; exchange, 10⅛d; receipts during the week, 66,000 bags; shipments to the United States, 19,000 bags; stock, 238,000 bags.

HAVRE, Sept. 16.—Opened steady; at 12 noon, unchanged; at 3 p. m., dull, unchanged to ¼f lower; closed unchanged to ¼f net advance; sales, 23,000 bags.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 9,600 head; shipments, 2,700 head; market weak to 10c lower; native steers, $2.55@3.30; Texas cows, $1.70@3.60; beef steers, $2.80@5.40; native cows, $1.50@2.50; stockers and feeders, $2.55@4.05; bulls, $1.40@3.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,300 head; shipments, 500 head; market opened steady; closed 5@10c lower; bulk of sales, $4.15@4.30; heavies, $4.00@4.35; packers, $4.15@4.35; mixed, $4.10@4.30; lights, $3.90@4.20; Yorkers, $4.10@4.20; pigs, $2.75@3.95.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,300 head; shipments, 800 head; market slow and steady; lambs, $3.65@5.00; muttons, $2.50@3.25.

Visible Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, September 14, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 38,093,000 bu.; increase, 1,339,000 bu. Corn, 4,934,000 bu.; increase, 151,000 bu. Oats, 2,841,000 bu.; decrease, 353,000 bu. Rye, 585,000 bu.; increase, 67,000 bu. Barley, 486,000 bu.; increase, 209,000 bu.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—SUGAR—Raw, firmer; fair refining, 3@3⅛c; centrifugal, 3¼@3⅜c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 5-16c; refined, higher; No. 6, 3⅞@4⅛c; mold A, 4 9-16@4¾c; standard A, 4 3-16@4⅜c; confectioners' A, 4 3-16@4⅜c; granulated, 4 5-16@4½c; cut loaf, 4⅞c; powdered, 4½@4 11-16c; cubes, 4½@4 11-16c.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—WHEAT—Lower; September, 54⅝c; May, 58⅛c; on track, No. 1 hard, 55c; No. 1 northern, 54⅛c; No. 2 northern, 52⅝c.

FLOUR—Steady; first patents, $3.05@3.40; first clears, $2.50@2.65; second clears, $2.30@2.35; bakers, $2.00@2.55.

THE REALTY MARKET.

INSTRUMENTS placed on record September 16, 1895:

WARRANTY DEEDS.

South Omaha Land company to L. C. Sage, lot 14, block 153, South Omaha	$ 247
G. L. Ploof to Mrs. Caroline Walter, w 56⅔ feet of s 148 feet of lot 11, block 1, Park Place	1
T. P. Thornton to C. M. Johnson, lot 26, block 1, Moe's subdiv	1,500
Joseph Rannie and wife to D. S. Glidden, lot 3, Schnell's add	1
Lucy Ellingwood and husband to Sarah Darling, w ½ of lot 6, block 198½, Omaha	1
C. E. Bates and wife to E. C. Bates, trustee, w ½ of lot 8, block 11, Reed's First add	1
S. K. Humphrey to Martha King, lot 37, block 17, Orchard Hill; lot 12, block 130, South Omaha	3,000
E. M. Coad and husband to Coad Real Estate company, lots 5 and 6, block 140, Omaha; lots 21 to 24, block 3, Hillside add No. 2; lot 2, block 3, West Omaha	1
Same to same, lot 1, block 11, Smith's add; lots 6, 7 and 8, Hillside add, No. 3; lots 1 and 2, block 5, Kountze & R's add; w ½ lot 3, e 22 feet of n 44 feet of lot 4, s ½ of lot 4, block 102, Omaha; subdiv of lot 3 and 4, of lot 9, Capitol Hill add	1

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS.

Anna O'Hern to Michael O'Hern, w ½ of lot 2, Arlington add	1
George Paterson and wife to Nebraska Savings and Exchange bank, lots 6 and 7, block 13, Highland Place	1
P. A. Norton et al to J. A. Norton et al, lot 8, block 40, and lot 24, block 48, Boggs' add	6,400
J. A. Norton et al to Amanda Bigger, lot 4, block 2, Leavenworth Terrace	1,600
Same to M. E. Jensen, lots 7 and 8, block 7, Plainview add	2,000
W. H. Richards to F. A. Richards, se ne 9-16-13	1

DEEDS.

Special master to C. E. Bates, w ½ of lot 8, block 11, Reed's First add	3,000
Total amount of transfers	$16,156

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Statement of the Treasurer Shows $58,601.02 on Hand, a Decrease of $4,650.23 During the Year—Year's Receipts, $90,601.85.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 16.—The sovereign grand lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, assembled at 10 o'clock this morning in this city. Dr. W. H. Izard of Camden acted as master of ceremonies.

Mayor Franklin B. Story delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the city and John H. Griffith on behalf of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the state of New Jersey. The address of welcome on behalf of the grand encampment of New Jersey was delivered by Grand Patriarch James B. McMahon.

Mrs. Sarah Duetscher, president of the Rebecca State association, a branch of the order, delivered the address of welcome on behalf of this branch.

Grand Sire W. C. Stebbings replied to the address of welcome. The grand sire then delivered his annual report. At the conclusion of the reading of the report the lodge went into secret session.

The reports of grand secretary and grand treasurer were read this afternoon.

The sovereign grand lodge adjourned early this afternoon to attend a clam bake at Longport, given by the local committee of Odd Fellows. Before adjournment reports were received from the grand secretary and grand treasurer.

The former's report shows the following state of the order for the past year. Total number of grand lodges, 56, a gain of 1; total number of grand encampments, 50; total subordinate lodges, 10,592, a gain of 297; subordinate encampments, 2,610, a gain of 53; Rebekah lodges, 3,627, a gain of 350; lodge initiations, 63,845; encampments, initiations, 9,407; total lodge members, 790,795; encampment members, 134,330; Rebekah members, 225,189; relief paid by lodges in North America, $2,993,457.07; relief paid by encampments, $284,540.23; by Rebekah lodges, $45,313.94; total relief paid, $3,323,311.96; revenue received by lodges in North America, $7,674,328.06; by encampments, $615,932.07; by Rebekah lodges, $337,640; total revenue, $8,427,870.53.

The report then gives some interesting statistics of the order from its inauguration in North America in 1830 up to December 31, 1894, including Germany, Denmark, Switzerland and Australia. The initiations in subordinate lodges were 2,012,848; members relieved, 1,902,562; widows and families relieved, 216,178; members deceased in that time, 184,894; total relief paid, $67,828,670.47; total receipts, $176,786,202.60.

The report of Isaac A. Sheppard, grand treasurer, shows receipts of $90,601.85; paid out from certificate No. 6,268 to No. 6,668, $62,083; balance in treasury, $28,601.02. The report shows that the assets of the sovereign grand lodge at this time consists of cash in the treasury, $28,601.02; $15,000 in Lehigh Valley railroad bonds and $15,000 in Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore railroad bonds. The total available assests as per his report of August 20, 1894, were $63,251.25, showing a loss this year of $4,650.23.

A special session of the grand lodge of New Jersey was held this afternoon and visited by the members of the grand lodge of Connecticut, who witnessed the exemplification of degree work. But one session of the sovereign grand lodge will be held tomorrow because of the big parade, which begins at 2 o'clock in the afternoon under the command of Colonel George Wales of Camden, department commander of New Jersey.

Blast Furnace Resumes Work.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The Calumet blast furnace at South Chicago, which stopped business three years ago, has resumed operations and the prospects are that no further interruption will occur. President Ridgeley of the company says that the constantly increasing demand for iron in the United States is the cause for resuming work. Branch offices of the Calumet company are to be established in Cleveland, St. Louis, Pittsburg and Philadelphia, while the general western agents will be at Cincinnati. About 2,000 men will be employed at the Chicago plant.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair and Warmer, with Southerly Winds for Nebraska.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The forecast for Tuesday is:

For Nebraska—Fair; southerly winds; warmer in the eastern portion.

For Missouri and Iowa—Generally fair; southerly winds; warmer in the eastern portion.

For Kansas—Fair; southerly winds.

For South Dakota—Fair; southerly winds; warmer in the eastern portion.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Sept. 16.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall, compared with the corresponding day of the past four years:

	1895.	1894.	1893.	1892.
Maximum temperature	90	78	72	70
Minimum temperature	68	55	46	45
Average temperature	79	66	59	58
Precipitation	.03	.13	.00	.00

Condition of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1895:

Normal temperature	65
Excess for the day	14
Accumulated excess since March 1	383
Normal precipitation	.11 inch
Deficiency for the day	.08 inch
Total precipitation since March 1	18.87 inches
Deficiency since March 1	6.56 inches

Reports from Stations at 8 p. m.

STATIONS.	Temperature at 8 p. m.	Max. Temperature of day.	Precipitation.	STATE OF WEATHER.
Omaha	84	90	.00	Clear.
North Platte	84	94	.00	Clear.
Valentine	88	96	.00	Clear.
Chicago	78	82	.00	Clear.
St. Louis	76	80	.10	Clear.
St. Paul	78	84	.00	Clear.
Davenport	76	82	.00	Part cloudy
Kansas City	86	92	.04	Clear.
Helena	74	78	.00	Part cloudy
Denver	86	92	.00	Clear.
Salt Lake City	82	90	.00	Part cloudy
Bismarck	78	86	.00	Clear.
St. Vincent	56	76	.00	Clear.
Cheyenne	82	88	.00	Part cloudy
Miles City	88	92	.00	Clear.
Rapid City	82	96	.00	Part cloudy
Galveston	84	86	.02	Clear.

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