COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Speculation in Grain and Provisions Was Light Yesterday.

FLUCTUATIONS WERE QUITE NARROW

Corn Was Slow with Prices Firm—There Was Hardly Any Change in Oats—Provisions Slightly Enlarged.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—The speculation trade in grain and provisions was light today and consequently fluctuations were narrow. Wheat was heavy as a rule, but did not decline in any such proportion as appeared to be warranted by the day's movement at domestic points and the heavy shipments for the week by our foreign competitors for the trade of importing nations. The decline for December delivery was only from ⅜c to ½c per bu. Corn and oats are without change and provisions a little higher.

Everything seemed against the price of wheat. The deliveries in the northwest were enormous, 2,008 cars, against 1,014 cars the same day last year, and there was an increase of 2,880,000 bu. in the amount on ocean passage. The world's shipments last week were said to have aggregated 8,750,000 bu., or over 1,000,000 bu. in excess of the estimated weekly consumption. Another weak factor was the increase in the visible supply, which turned out to be 2,650,000 bu., or nearly 750,000 bu. more than generally expected. The local receipts were unusually heavy, or 442 cars, where only 350 cars had been estimated. Yet, in the face of all this, the market only sold off ⅜c below Saturday, and most of the time was only about ⅜c below. There was nothing which could be called bull news, yet the price seemed to yield very reluctantly, and at one time was even a trifle above the close Saturday. Trade was slow and narrow and there was not much selling pressure, while there was enough demand to keep the market from making any serious break. December opened at 60⅛c, sold at 60¼c, up to 60⅜c, then down irregularly to 60c, and at noon was back to 60⅛c. Trade remained dull during the last hour, December selling off to from 59⅞c to 60c split, but reacted and closed at 60⅛c.

Corn was quiet, with prices firm. There was very little pressure to sell, and the demand was also moderate, with changes in prices very narrow. May, quiet, at from 29⅛c to 29¼c, and October at from 28⅞c to 29c.

Oats were slow, with hardly any change and no governing features. May sold at from 20⅛c to 20⅜c split to 20¼c.

Helped by higher live hog prices, provisions were somewhat less dull than they were on Saturday, and the slightly enlarged business done today favored the bulls. The advance which took place did not bring selling orders from the packers, as has been usual under similar circumstances for a long time, and that of itself was looked upon as an encouraging sign for the bulls. Compared with Saturday's quotations the following are the prices for January delivery: Pork, 12½c; lard, 5c, and ribs, 2½c.

Estimates for Tuesday: Wheat, 325 cars; corn, 650 cars; oats, 340 cars; hogs, 26,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2				
Oct.	59⅝@¾	59⅝	59	59⅛
Dec.	60⅛@¼	60⅜	59⅞@60	60⅛
May	64⅛@¼	64⅜	63⅞@64	64⅛
Corn, No. 2				
Oct.	29	29⅛	28⅞	29
Nov.	28⅜	28⅜@¾	28⅜@⅝	28⅞
Dec.	27¾@⅞	27⅞	27¾@⅞	27⅞
May	29¼	29¼	29@29⅛	29⅛
Oats, No. 2				
Oct.	17⅞@¾	17⅞@¾	17⅞@¾	17⅞@¾
Dec.	17⅞	17⅞@18	17⅞	17⅞@18
May	20¼@⅜	20¼	20⅛@¼	20⅛
Pork, per bbl				
Oct.				8 50
Jan.	9 52½	9 60	9 52½	9 60
May	9 85	9 87½	9 85	9 85
Lard, 100 lbs				
Oct.				5 77½
Jan	5 80	5 82½	5 80	5 82½
May	5 95	5 97½	5 95	5 97½
Short Ribs—				
Oct.	5 10	5 25	5 10	5 25
Nov.				4 80
Jan.	4 82½	4 85	4 82½	4 85

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Firm; winter patents, $3.00@3.50; winter straights, $2.85@3.25; spring patents, $3.15@3.50; spring straights, $2.65@3.00; bakers, $1.90@2.31.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 59⅛@60⅛c; No. 2 spring, 58⅛@59⅛c; No. 2 red, 59⅝@62⅛c.

CORN—No. 2, 29⅛c; No. 3 yellow, 29⅛c.

OATS—No. 2, 17⅞@17⅞c; No. 2 white, 20@20¼c; No. 3 white, 17⅞@19c.

RYE—No. 2, 39½c.

BARLEY—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 23@38c; No. 4, 23@30c.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, 95c.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $3.70.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $8.50@8.60. Lard, per 100 lbs., $5.77½. Short ribs, sides (loose), $5.25@5.30; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $5.75@5.87½; short clear sides (boxed), $5.75@6.00.

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

POULTRY—Easy; turkeys, 5@7c; chickens, 7@9c; ducks, 8½@9½c.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, $5.44; granulated, $4.57; standard "A," $4.62.

The following were the receipts and shipments today:

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	8,000	4,000
Wheat bu	123,000	63,000
Corn, bu	280,000	330,000
Oats, bu	493,000	421,000
Rye bu	7,000	7,000
Barley, bu	108,000	115,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm: creamery, 9@22c; dairy, 9½@18c. Eggs, firm: 15@17c. Cheese, 4@9c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Closing Quotations on the Principal Commodities and Staples.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—FLOUR—Receipts, 17,100 bbls.; exports, 16,400 bbls.; market dull; buyers holding off on account of the weakness in wheat; city mill patents, $4.20@4.45; Minnesota patents, $3.50@3.75; bakers, $2.80@3.10. Southern flour, nominal. Rye flour, quiet; superfine, $2.50@2.75; fancy, $2.80@2.95. Buckwheat flour, quiet; $1.60@1.70.

BUCKWHEAT—Barely steady; 43½@50c.

CORN MEAL—Steady; yellow western, coarse, 75c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 43c.

BARLEY—Quiet; western, 45@50c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 74,590 bu.; exports, 81,400 bu. Spot, dull and easy, closing nominal; No. 2 red, 67⅜c; No. 1 hard, 68⅞c. Options opened weak but active, rallied on cables, but fell off on the large increase in the supply afloat for Europe, was dull later and closed at 1@1¼c net decline; October, 65⅞@66c, closed 65⅞c; December, 66⅝@67⅜c, closed 66⅞c.

CORN—Receipts, 187,890 bu.; exports, 379,000 bu. Spot market, steady; demand moderate; No. 2, 37⅜c. Options opened dull at ⅛c decline, ruled inactive throughout and closed nominal at ⅛@¼c net decline; October, 36⅝@36⅝c, closed 36⅝c; November, 36¼@36¼c, closed 36¼c.

OATS—Receipts, 152,400 bu.; exports, 10,000 bu. Spot market, firmer; No. 2, 24¼c. Options, active; closed at unchanged prices to ⅛c decline; October, closed 23⅞c; December, closed 23⅝c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, $7.00@8.00; good to choice, $8.00@9.50.

HOPS—Weak; state, common to choice, 1894 crop, 3@7c; 1895 crop, 7@10c; Pacific coast, 1894 crop, 3½@7c.

HIDES—Steady; California, 18@18½c; Galveston, 16@17½c; Buenos Ayres, dry, 21c; Texas, dry, 12@13c.

LEATHER—Dull; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy weights, 23c.

WOOL—Steady; domestic fleece, 16@24c; pulled, 19@22c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, quiet; family, $10.00@12.00; beef hams, $15.00@16.00. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, 6⅝@7½c; pickled shoulders, 6½c; pickled hams, 9@9¼c. Lard, dull; western steam closed at $6.15, nominal; October, $6.15, nominal. Pork, quiet; family, $11.50@12.00; short clear, $11.50@13.25.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 20@21c; western, 18@20c; receipts, 6,851 pkgs.

BUTTER—Receipts, 8,377 pkgs.; firm; western dairy, 10@14c; western creamery, 16@23c; Elgins, 23c.

TALLOW—Dull; city, 4⅜c.

CHEESE—Receipts, 2,817 pkgs. Market quiet; large, 6¾@9c; small, 7@10c; part skims, 3½@7½c; full skims, 2½@3c.

ROSIN—Dull; strained, common to good, $1.45@1.52½.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, 3⅞@6¼c; Japanese, 3⅝@3⅞c.

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

PETROLEUM—Quiet; United closed at $1.24.

TURPENTINE—Firmer; 28½@29c.

METALS—Pig iron, steady; southern, $12.00@14.00; northern, $12.00@14.50. Copper, quiet; brokers' price, $12; exchange price, $12.00@12.25. Lead, quiet; brokers' price, $3.15; exchange price, $3.40. Tin, easy; straits, $14.70@14.75; plates, steady. Spelter, dull; domestic, $4.10@4.20.

COTTON SEED OIL—Quiet; prime crude, 24c; prime summer yellow, 27½@28c.

Toledo Grain Markets.

TOLEDO, Oct. 14.—WHEAT—Lower, steady; No. 2, cash, 66c; December, 67¼c.

CORN—Dull, steady; No. 2 mixed, 32c; No. 3 mixed, 31c; No. 3 yellow, 32c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 21c; No. 3 white, 22c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, cash, 43c.

CLOVER SEED—Lower, weak; prime, cash and October, $4.12½.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 13,000 bu.; corn, 29,000 bu.; oats, 5,400 bu.; rye, 1,000 bu.; clover seed, 1,660 bags.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 500 bbls.; wheat, 7,000 bu.; corn, 48,500 bu.; clover seed, 320 bags.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 14.—WHEAT—Firm; October, 56c; December, 55⅛c; May, 59¼c; on track, No. 1 hard, 56½c; No. 1 northern, 55¾c; No. 2 northern, 53⅝c.

FLOUR—Steady; first patents, $3.15@3.50; second patents, $2.90@3.15; domestic bakers' grades, $2.60@2.85; exports bakers' grades, $2.05@2.40.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

The egg market continues to show firmness and first-class stock is quoted higher, as will be noted below.

The receipts of butter are a little larger and the market is not quite so active. When prices are as high as they are at the present time it does not require a very large addition to the receipts to affect the market.

The poultry market remains steady at last week's closing quotations.

The receipts of hay are larger and the market in consequence is lower. There is, however, a good demand and stocks are moving freely.

Game appears to be coming in a little more freely, but at the same time the receipts are nothing to what they ought to be at this season of the year. Quotations:

EGGS—Strictly fresh stock, per doz., 16c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 7c; choice to fancy country, 10@13c; gathered creamery, 15@19c; separator creamery, 20@21c.

VEAL—Choice fat, 70 to 100 lbs., are quoted at 7c; large and coarse, 4@6c.

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, 6c; roosters, 3c; spring chickens, per lb., 6c; ducks, 6@6½c; spring ducks, 7½@8c; turkeys, 7@8c; young turkeys, 9@10c; geese, 5@6c.

PIGEONS—Per doz., $1.00@1.25.

HAY—Upland, $6; midland, $5.50; lowland, $5; rye straw, $4.50; color makes the price on hay; light bales sell the best. Only top grades bring top prices.

GAME—Prairie chickens, young, per doz., $5; old, $3.00@3.50; teal and mixed ducks, $1.50; mallard and red head ducks, $2.50@3.00; quail, $1.75; old, $3.50.

BROOM CORN—New crop, delivered on track in country, choice green self-working carpet, per lb., 2½@2¾c; choice green running to hurl, 2½@2¾c; common, 1½c.

VEGETABLES.

There is a more active inquiry for potatoes, but at present prices they cannot be bought at outside points and placed to good advantage, says the Minneapolis Market Record. On the local market buyers are paying from 15c to 18c, and can take their pick of any stock coming. At this price there is hardly wages for the grower in digging and hauling. At outside points about the same price is paid, but shippers are unable to secure cars, and even after securing them, paying 10c a bu. for carrying charges to central points, they do not have much show in competition with the large crop raised in nearly every part of this state. City houses can give country shippers valuable pointers as to where they can be placed and cars can be shipped direct. Quotations:

BEANS—Hand-picked navy, per bu., $1.75@2.00.

POTATOES—New choice stock, 30c.

SWEET POTATOES—Choice stock, $1.50@1.75 per bbl.

ONIONS—Home grown, 20@30c.

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

TOMATOES—Choice stock, per ⅓ bu. basket, 25@30c.

WATERMELONS—Crated, per doz., $2.

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

CANTALOUPES—Choice stock, crated for shipment, per doz., 50@75c.

LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 5½c.

FRUITS.

There was a fresh car of New York grapes in yesterday and they moved out freely. Quotations:

POMEGRANATES—California, per box, $1.

CALIFORNIA QUINCES—Per box, $1.50.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—No Bartletts suitable for shipping; other varieties, $2.

IDAHO PRUNES—None.

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CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, per bbl., $8.

UTAH PEACHES—None.

EASTERN GRAPES—New York Concords, per basket, 24@25c; 25 basket lots, 23c.

CALIFORNIA GRAPES—Per case, black varieties, $1; Muscats, $1.10@1.15; Tokays, $1.25.

PLUMS—None.

SOUTHERN PEACHES—None.

APPLES—Jonathans, $3; choice shipping stock, bbls., $2.00@2.25; cooking apples, $1.75.

CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Freestones, per box, $1; clings, 85@90c.

NECTARINES—None.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—None.

LEMONS—Messina lemons, $8.00@8.50; California, $7.00@7.50.

BANANAS—Choice large stock, per bunch, $2; medium sized bunches, $1.75.

PINEAPPLES—None.

HIDES AND TALLOW.

The market for country hides presents a condition of weakness only qualified by the undoubted scarcity, says the Chicago Shoe and Leather Review. The production of upper leather is scattered over a wide expanse of country and there is little unity of action among the tanners. This accounts for the almost complete, if temporary, demoralization of the industry. Many tanners are confessedly out of the hide market until trade conditions improve. The most far-sighted men in the trade realize, however, that there is no burdensome surplus of upper stock anywhere, and the hide supply is known to be meager. Natural conditions will, it is thought, assert themselves before long; meanwhile any attempt to force sales will only result in weakening prices. Quotations:

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 6c; No. 2 green hides, 5½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 7c; No. 2 green salted hides, 6c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 9c; No. 2 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 7c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 10@14c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 10@12c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 9@10c; partly cured hides, ½c per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each 25@60c; green salted shearlings (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 Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, actual weight, 4@6c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5½c; dry flint Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@6c. Have feet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them.

TALLOW AND GREASE—No. 1 tallow, 4c; No. 2 tallow, 3½c; grease, white A, 4@4¼c; grease, white B, 3½c; 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.

DRESSED MEATS.

BEEF—Light western steers, 400 to 600 lbs., 4½@5c; good cows and heifers, 4¾@5c; medium cows and heifers, 4¼@4½c; good forequarters cows and heifers, 3½@4c; good hindquarters cows and heifers, 6½@7c; fair hindquarters cows and heifers, 6c; cow rounds, 4½@5½c; cow chucks, 3@3½c; steer chucks, 3¼@4c; beef tenderloins, frozen, 10½c; fresh, 16c; beef rolls, boneless, 8½c; sirloin butts, boneless, 8½c; loin butts, boneless, 8½c; loin backs, 6½c; cow ribs, No. 3, 6½c; cow loins, No. 3, 7½c; steer ribs, 7½c; steer loins, 9c.

MUTTON—Dressed mutton, 5¾c; racks mutton, 8½c; legs mutton, 7c; saddles mutton, 7c; stews, 2½c.

PORK—Pork loins, 8c; spare ribs, 5c; pork shoulders, 5¾c; pork shoulders, skinned, 6c; tenderloins, 15c; pigs' feet, cleaned, per doz., 35c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The oyster crop is the largest and best for years, says the New York Register. On account of the dullness of trade last year there was a comparatively small demand made upon the beds. During the past four months without the "R" the spawning has multiplied a millionfold, and in consequence the output will be the largest for many seasons. As an illustration of the enormous annual output of the United States the statistics for 1893 may be taken as a fair average. The oyster catch for that year, as reported by the fish commission in the largest oyster producing states, was as follows: Connecticut, 1,950,174 bu., value, $1,426,249; Maryland, 9,945,058 bu., value, $5,295,866; New Jersey, 2,619,463 bu., value, $1,760,603; New York, 2,611,062 bu., value, $2,748,509; Virginia, 6,151,636 bu., value, $2,520,000. The oyster is thus seen to be the object of commercial fishery in every coast state except Maine and New Hampshire, where the waters are too cold for production in quantities. Quotations:

OYSTERS—Mediums, 20c; horseshoes, 23@25c; extra standards, 27c; extra selects, 32c; company selects, 35c; New York counts, 40c; standard bulk, per gal., $1.25.

HONEY—Native white clover, 14c; choice stock, 13c.

NUTS—Almonds, 14c; English walnuts, soft-shelled, 11c; standards, 10c; filberts, 9c; Brazil nuts, 8c; pecans, 9c; peanuts, raw, 5¼@6c; roasted, 7¼c.

SAUER KRAUT—Per bbl., $3.50; half bbl., $2.

MAPLE SYRUP—Five-gal. cans, $3; gal. cans, per doz., $12; ½-gal. cans, $6.25; quart cans, $3.75.

FIGS—New crop, California, 10-lb. boxes, per lb., 12½c. Common California figs, 60-lb. boxes, 6¼c.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Speculation Started with a Good Tone, but Fell Off Later.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The speculation might be termed inconsistent, as a confident start was subsequently followed by a steadily declining tendency, although no noteworthy unfavorable news was reported. London prices for the international shares came higher, and this fact, following yesterday's successful tiding over of the Kaffir mining share settlement, was calculated to reassure the speculators who had been apprehensive of a reflection in this market of any disturbance abroad. It was also reported that satisfactory progress had been made toward an agreement for the re-establishment of profitable railroad rates in the west and northwest. In addition to this important beneficial results are expected to follow the reorganization plan of the Union Pacific railroad and the formal ratification of the agreement between the trunk lines and connecting roads. It is expected that the Union Pacific plan will be formally published after the close of business on Wednesday next.

The improving tendency of the anthracite coal trade is now a subject of daily reference. The market opened active and strong, with Chicago Gas the leader in the upward movement on the prevailing impression that early consideration would be had on the application of the trustee to have its certificates of deposit listed on the New York Stock exchange. The stock in the initial movement gained 1⅛ per cent. The general list was favorably affected to a fractional extent. A reactionary tendency soon became apparent, influenced by some liquidation, and more especially by manipulation by the leading bears in the industrials. Leather preferred and Chicago Gas bore the brunt of the attacks and lost 2⅝ and 2⅜ per cent respectively. A slight recovery ensued in the last mentioned stock. The declines at the low point in the other markets were: Manhattan, 1⅜ per cent; Tobacco, 1⅜ per cent; Evansville & Terre Haute, 2 per cent; Illinois Steel and Sugar, 1 per cent. New Jersey Central was strong and sold, ex-dividend, at an advance of 1⅜ per cent. Lackawanna rose 1⅝ per cent, but lost half of the improvement. Chicago & Eastern Illinois preferred showed exceptional strength, rising 2⅜ per cent. There was practically no abatement of the pressure against the general market, which closed weak in tone at declines in most instances. Bonds were fairly animated. Oregon Short Line consol 5s trust receipts were heavily traded in and scored an appreciation of 2 per cent. Other important changes are:

Advances: Des Moines & Fort Dodge extension 4s, 1 per cent; Susquehanna & Western refunding 5s, 1⅝ per cent; Cincinnati & Springfield 7s, 1½ per cent, and Brooklyn Elevated 1sts, Chesapeake & Ohio 1st series, Reading 4s trust receipts, unstamped, Kansas Pacific consols 5s trust receipts, 2 per cent; Keokuk & Des Moines 1sts, Lexington Avenue & Pavonia Ferry 1sts, Long Island 4s and Peoria, Decatur & Evansville 1sts trust receipts, 1 per cent.

Declines: International & Great Northern 2ds and Oregon Navigation 5s trust receipts, 2½ per cent; Cincinnati, Dayton & Iron 5s and Pittsburg, Shenango & Lake Erie 1sts, 2 per cent; Erie funding 5s trust receipts, 1⅝ per cent; New York, New Haven & Hartford debenture, 1½ per cent, and Baltimore & Ohio 5s, Texas & Pacific 1sts, Nashville-Chattanooga 1sts, Northern Pacific collateral trust 6s and Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City 1sts trust receipts, 1 per cent. The aggregate sales were $1,659,000.

Governments were neglected, the sales aggregating only $500. The sales of state issues aggregated $12,400, of which $6,000 were Louisiana consol 4s, a like amount of Tennessee settlement 3s and 400 small bonds of the latter.

The Evening Post's London Financial cablegram says: The stock markets were irregular today. Mines were flat on the forced liquidation of a large Paris account here, closing at the lowest. Trouble is feared at the conclusion of the settlement Wednesday. Contangoes on Americans were 3 to 3½ per cent. The tone of Americans was good on the character of Carlisle's speech, although it is feared that the revival of interior trade in America may blind the importance of settling the currency question. The Paris and Berlin markets were weak today.

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

Atchison	21¼	N. Pacific pfd	18⅞
Adams Ex.	150	U. P., D. & G	6⅜
Alton, T. H	60	Northwestern	105⅝
Am. Express	116	do pfd	147
Baltimore & Ohio	60⅜	N. Y. Central	101¼
Canada Pacific	60⅝	N. Y. & N. E.	51
Canada Southern	55	Ontario & W.	18⅛
Central Pacific	18⅛	Oregon Imp.	6⅜
Ches. & Ohio	19⅜	Oregon Nav.	24
Chicago & Alton	163	O. S. L. & U. N.	11
C., B. & Q.	85⅛	Pacific Mail	30⅜
Chicago Gas	68⅞	P., D. & E.	5⅜
Consolidated Gas	144¼	Pittsburg	163
C., C., C. & St. L.	44⅜	Pullman Palace	171
Colo. Coal & Iron	5	Reading	20¼
Cotton Oil Cert	22	R. G. W.	17
Delaware & Hud	132⅛	R. G. W. pfd	41
Del., Lack. & W.	167	Rock Island	77
D. & R. G. pfd	53	St. Paul	76⅜
D. & C. F. Co.	23¾	do pfd	126⅜
Erie	12	St. P. & Omaha	43⅝
do pfd	24	do pfd	121
Fort Wayne	165	Southern Pacific	24⅜
G. Northern pfd	124	Sugar Refinery	108⅜
C. & E. I. pfd	102⅜	Tenn. Coal & Iron	42⅜
Hocking Valley	23	Texas Pacific	11
Illinois Central	100	T. & O. Cent. pfd	77
St. P. & Duluth	31	Union Pacific	15¼
K. & T. pfd	36⅛	U. S. Express	47
Lake Erie & West	23⅛	W. St. L. & P.	8⅛
do pfd	77	W. St. L. & P. pfd	22¼
Lake Shore	150¼	Wells Fargo Ex	103
Lead Trust	34	Western Union	92⅛
Louisville & N.	61⅝	Wheeling & L. E.	15
L. & N. A.	9⅛	do pfd	47⅛
Manhattan Con	109	M. & St. L.	25⅛
Memphis & C.	15	D. & R. G.	16⅛
Michigan Cent	100⅛	G. E.	37⅜
Missouri Pacific	36⅝	N. L.	23⅜
Mobile & Ohio	22⅛	C. F. & I.	37¼
Nashville Chat	75	do pfd	96
National Cordage	8⅜	H. & T. C.	2⅛
Nat. Cordage pfd	16	T. A. A. & N. M.	1⅛
*N. J. Central	110¾	T. St. L. & K. C. pfd	18
N. & W. pfd	14⅜	S. R. R.	12⅝
North Am. Co.	110⅜	Am. Tob. Co.	96⅜
Northern Pacific	4⅝	do pfd	105

*ex-div.

The total sales of stocks today were 152,293 shares, including: Sugar, 3,200; Tobacco, 9,300; Atchison, assessment paid, 4,200; Burlington, 7,600; Chicago Gas, 34,400; Distillers, 2,800; Manhattan, 3,500; Reading, 12,900; Rock Island, 4,400; St. Paul, 12,400; Leather, 4,900; Leather preferred, 16,400; silver certificates, $60,000.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 2@2½ per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closed at 2 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4½@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87½@4.87¾ for demand and $4.86⅝@4.87 for 60 days; posted rates, $4.87@4.87½ and $4.88@4.88½; commercial bills, $4.85@4.86.

SILVER CERTIFICATES—68⅜@68¾c.

GOVERNMENT BONDS—Generally steady except new 4s regular, ⅛ lower. State bonds, inactive. Railroad bonds, irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U.S. 4s, reg., new	122¾	C. P. 1sts of '95	104½
U.S. 4s coup., new	122¾	D. & R. G. 7s	118
U.S. 5s, reg	116	D. & R. G. 4s	92
U.S. 5s, coup	116	Erie 2ds	76¼
U.S. 4s, reg	111⅜	G. H. & S. A. 6s	105
U.S. 4s, coup	111⅜	G. H. & S. A. 7s	102
U.S. 2s, reg	97	H. & T. C. 5s	111
Pacific 6s of '95	100	do 6s	105
Ala., class A	109⅛	M., K. & T. 1st 4s	88⅜
Ala., class B	109⅛	do 2d 4s	66⅛
Ala., class C	99⅛	Mutual Union 6s	113
Ala. Currency	100	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	119⅜
La. New Con. 4s	98½	No. Pacific 1sts	117⅜
Missouri 6s	100	do 2ds	101½
N. C. 6s	122	N. W. Consols	140
N. C. 4s	102	do S. F. Deb. 5s	112½
S. C. nonfund	1	R. G. West. 1sts	77⅛
Tenn. new set 6s	88⅛	St. P. Consols 7s	127
Tenn. new set 5s	105	do C. & P. W. 5s	114⅜
Tenn. old 6s	60	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5	85
Va. Centuries	62⅛	St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6	110
do deferred	6⅝	Tex. Pac. 1sts	90¼
Atchison 4s	80⅜	do 2ds	26⅜
Atchison 2d A	33⅛	U. P. 1sts of '96	109
Canada So. 2ds	106⅛	West Shore 4s	106
L. & N. unified 4s	83⅜	Southern 5s	96⅜
O. R. & N. 1sts	111		

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—Call loans, 3@5 per cent; time loans, 3½@5 per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares:

A. T. & S. F.	21	do pfd	55
Am. Sugar	108⅜	Wis. Central	6¼
Am. Sugar pfd	101¼	Edison Elec. Ills	152⅜
Bay State Gas	12½	Gen. Elec. pfd	66
Bell Telephone	198	Atchison 2ds	33
Boston & Albany	207½	Atchison 4s	80⅜
Boston & Maine	176	New England 6s	114
C. B. & Q.	85¼	Gen. Electric 5s	90
Fitchburg	91	Wis. Cent. 1sts	60
Gen. Electric	37⅜	Allouez Mining Co	1
Illinois Steel	80	Atlantic	21¼
Mexican Central	12⅜	Boston & Montana	83
N. Y. & N. E.	102	Butte & Boston	17⅜
Old Colony	177½	Calumet & Hecla	310
Ore. Short Line	10	Centennial	1
Rubber	40⅜	Franklin	19
San Diego	3	Kearsarge	19
Union Pacific	15⅜	Osceola	29¼
West End	70⅜	Quincy	132
do pfd	90	Tamarack	132
Westingh. Elec	35¼	Wolverine	7

San Francisco Mining Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	14	Julia	1
Alpha Con	10	Justice	4
Andes	48	Kentucky Con	7
Belcher	52	Mexican	70
Best & Belcher	90	Mono	10
Bodie Con	31	Mount Diablo	15
Bullion	15	Occidental Con	16
Bulwer Con	4	Ophir	155
Caledonia	11	Overman	13
Challenge Con	67	Potosi	64
Chollar	52	Savage	36
Confidence	200	Scorpion	3
Con. Cal & Va	250	Sierra Nevada	97
Con. Imperial	3	Silver Hill	2
Crown Point	41	Union Con	81
Exchequer	3	Utah Con	10
Gould & Curry	50	Yellow Jacket	42
Hale & Norcross	140		

Silver bars, 67@67⅛c. Mexican dollars, 55½@56c. Drafts, sight, 2½c; telegraphic, 5c.

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

Bulwer	5	Ontario	800
Chollar	50	Ophir	140
Crown Point	40	Plymouth	15
Con. Cal & Va	240	Quicksilver	325
Deadwood	80	Quicksilver pfd	1650
Gould & Curry	45	Sierra Nevada	95
Hale & Norcross	140	Standard	190
Homestake	2000	Union Con	60
Iron Silver	20	Yellow Jacket	40
Mexican	60		

London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—4 p. m. closing:

Consols, m'y	107 7-16	Mexican ordinary	22¾
Consols, acc't	107 7-16	St. Paul com	78⅜
Can. Pacific	62¼	N. Y. Central	105¼
Erie	12⅜	Pennsylvania	57⅜
Erie 2ds	81	Reading	10⅜
Ill. Central	103	Mex. Cen. new 4s	72⅜

BAR SILVER—31⅛d per oz.

MONEY—¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for both short and three months' bills, 9-16 per cent.

Cotton Market.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—COTTON—Firm; middling, 8⅝c; sales, 350 bales; stock, 11,646 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 14.—COTTON—Firm; middling, 9c; low middling, 8⅝c; good ordinary, 8 15-16c; receipts, 16,022 bales; gross, 16,465 bales; exports, coastwise, 4,280 bales; sales, 3,000 bales; stock, 210,619 bales.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—COTTON—Middling, 9 1-16c; net receipts, 1,156 bales; gross, 124,593 bales; exports to Great Britain, 2,150 bales; to France, 500 bales; to the continent, 2,119 bales; forwarded, 4,515 bales; sales, 893 bales; spinners, 403 bales; stock, 155,374 bales.

Financial Notes.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $13,622,801; balances, $1,492,000.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $2,263,262; balances, $362,896.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $83,830,179; balances, $5,061,783.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $8,876,063; balances, $1,754,992.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $5,156,452; balances, $639,729. Money, 5@7 per cent. New York exchange, 50c discount bid.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balances, $182,694,868; gold reserve, $93,064,672.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $16,909,000. Business at banks quiet, but money rates firm at 5 per cent for call loans and 6 per cent for commercial paper. New York exchange, 35c discount. Bankers' London sterling, $4.86⅝.

Foreign Financial Affairs.

BERLIN, Oct. 14.—Exchange on London, 8 days' sight, 20 marks 42 pfg.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—4 p. m.—Three per cent rentes, 100f 37½c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 24c for checks.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—Consols for money, 107 7-16; consols for the account, 107 7-16. Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres today at 226.50; Madrid, 1600; Lisbon, 24¾; St. Petersburg, 50; Athens, 77; Rome, 104.75; Vienna, 103.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Started in on the Week with a Fair Run of Cattle.

BULK OF THE OFFERINGS SOLD LOWER

Market on Stockers and Feeders Fairly Steady—Few Hogs Offered and These Sold 5 Cents Higher Than on Saturday.

MONDAY, Oct. 14.

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

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
October 14	3,590	7 5	599	27
October 12	1,970	3,697		109
October 11	2,625	3,245	682	89
October 10	3,755	2,787	153	45
October 9	3,153	3,767	.....	131
October 8	3,932	3,918	21	89

SHIPMENTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
October 12	1,751	536	.....	109
October 11	961	.....	.....	92
October 10	942	124	.....	.....
October 9	1,627	.....	.....	115
October 8	1,295	211	.....	86
October 7	1,496	.....	.....	229

DAY'S DISPOSITION.

The disposition of the day's offerings of live stock was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing company	.....	349	.....
The G. H. Hammond Co	77	152	.....
Swift and Company	339	113	599
The Cudahy Packing Co	262	285	.....
R. Becker & Degan	143	.....	.....
Hamilton & Stephens	76	.....	.....
J. L. Carey	187	.....	.....
Lobman & Rothschild	193	.....	.....
Becker Bros	15	.....	.....
Morrell	32	.....	.....
Cincinnati P. Co	747	.....	.....
Lewis & Co	179	.....	.....
Nelson Morris, Chicago, Ill	4	.....	.....
Cudahy, direct	257	.....	.....
Swift, direct	325	.....	.....
Shippers and feeders	333	7	.....
Left over	400	.....	.....
Totals	3,600	906	599

CATTLE—The week opens with a fair run of cattle, 130 fresh loads being in when the market opened, and a train reported back. Of the cattle here twenty-six loads were consigned direct to local packers, leaving only a few over a hundred cars on sale. While the total receipts of the cattle were liberal, they fell slightly below the record of last Monday.

The market was slow to open. Reports from the east indicated slow and lower markets and there being plenty of cattle on sale the buyers could afford to take their time. As a general thing the buyers set out bidding lower, and as there was no rush to sell, the trade was dull all the morning. One load of fancy corn fed Polled Angus steers, averaging 1,563 pounds, sold at $5.35. Aside from a few of the most desirable cattle beef steers sold at prices that were weak to 10c lower.

About thirty loads constituted the supply of cows and heifers and the market on that kind of cattle was in about the same shape as the market on beef steers. The buyers were bearish and they started out to force a concession from Saturday's prices. The result was a slow and lower market.

There was a fair supply of stockers and feeders and there was a little activity in that branch of the trade. Speculators were all good buyers of desirable feeders and the offerings of such changed hands in good season. The market on that class of stuff was fully steady. The common grades of both stockers and feeders were not in as good request, and the market on such was rather weak. For a Monday there was considerable demand from the country, and quite a few cattle were sold to go to outside points. Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
17	1563	$5 35			

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	1050	1 50	2	625	2 00	1	1130	2 50
1	960	1 75	2	900	2 00	4	1052	2 50
3	940	1 75	9	922	2 05	23	933	2 50
4	932	1 75	2	870	2 10	2	1040	2 50
1	830	1 90	8	960	2 20	8	1032	2 55
2	1095	1 90	1	1250	2 25	7	985	2 65
1	600	2 00	3	932	2 30	2	1310	2 75
7	952	2 00	20	968	2 45			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	630	1 85	5	518	2 35	6	436	2 35
1	660	2 00	2	555	2 35	1	460	3 00
5	518	2 30						

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1350	2 10	2	1065	2 15	1	1060	2 35
1	1600	2 10	1	1400	2 25	2	725	2 35
1	1460	2 10						

OXEN.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	1630	2 40	2	1670	2 75

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	347	2 20	2	390	3 00	3	293	3 50
5	290	2 50	2	80	3 00	1	200	4 50
1	90	3 00	3	303	3 00	4	160	5 00
1	370	3 00	6	378	3 15	1	100	5 25

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	820	2 45	9	517	2 95	11	1019	3 12½
2	975	2 50	1	450	3 00	6	1033	3 12½
1	1000	2 75	2	1040	3 00	40	931	3 15
9	838	2 90	45	952	3 10	29	856	3 15
1	500	2 90						

MILKERS AND SPRINGERS.

1 cow and calf..$25 00	1 cow and calf..$30 00	
1 springer....... 26 00	1 cow and calf.. 20 00	
1 springer....... 28 00	1 cow and calf.. 30 00	
1 springer....... 28 00	1 cow and calf.. 33 00	

WESTERNS.

NEBRASKA.

J. F. Carr.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1 bull	930	$2 15	29 feeders	991	$3 25
24 cows	1021	2 35			

E. P. Meyers.

2 cows	1065	2 15	2 calves	300	4 25
1 cow	1110	2 40			

J. E. West.

12 cows	958	1 90	1 bull	710	2 35
1 bull	920	2 20	8 heifers	853	2 75
3 bulls	1250	2 20	8 feeders	943	3 00
14 cows	995	2 35	2 feeders	925	3 00

SOUTH DAKOTA.

1 bull	1280	2 00	1 feeder	850	2 75
1 cow	1060	2 30	1 feeder	1350	3 25
4 cows	867	2 50	17 feeders	1062	3 25

N. C. Hines.

1 bull	1620	2 00	5 heifers	768	2 65
7 cows	1032	2 25	1 calf	320	3 00
1 bull	1150	2 35	19 feeders	1060	3 15
13 cows	1107	2 55			

WYOMING.

Strays.

6 cows	971	2 75	1 steer	1310	3 35
4 cows	1017	2 75	1 steer	1400	3 35
1 cow	1020	2 75	1 steer	1290	3 35
1 steer	1250	3 35	1 steer	1220	3 35
6 steers	1163	3 35			

G. W. Wagner.

3 cows	1140	2 90			

D. N. Stickney.

2 strs, tlg	1200	2 70	1 steer	950	3 65
1 cow	1000	2 75	1 steer	1220	3 65
3 cows	1076	2 75	56 steers	1295	3 65
2 steers	1200	3 00	1 steer	1070	3 65

W. S. Carpenter.

1 cow	810	1 75	12 cows	949	2 75
2 cows	1090	2 75	8 steers	1152	2 45

Barron Bros.

3 cows	866	2 40	1 steer	1080	3 00
4 cows	860	2 40	1 steer	1210	3 00
1 cow	1120	2 40	9 steers	963	3 00
5 cows	916	2 60	1 feeder	1180	3 15
5 cows	850	2 60	2 feeders	915	3 15
11 cows	847	2 60	6 feeders	806	3 15
4 cows	867	2 60	37 feeders	920	3 15
2 cows	880	2 60			

H. Forthing.

1 cow	710	1 50	5 steers	1310	3 75
2 cows	1080	2 60			

P. J. Halleman.

11 cows	1006	2 75	9 steers	1125	3 25

J. B. Hendricks.

11 cows	987	3 00	1 cow	1080	3 00
6 cows	1000	3 00	1 cow	1040	3 00
2 cows	985	3 00	25 steers	1186	3 25
1 cow	1100	3 00			

Swan Land and Cattle Company.

16 cows	1012	2 40	1 feeder	1140	3 15
3 cows	886	2 45	1 feeder	1070	3 15
1 cow	810	2 45	1 feeder	800	3 15
1 steer	1210	2 75	1 str, tlg	1620	3 15
1 steer	879	2 75	146 steers	1189	3 25
1 steer	1210	2 75	1 steer	1340	3 50
73 cows	1074	2 90	4 steers	1195	3 50
2 cows	1135	2 90	1 steer	1350	3 50

M. R. Davis.

2 steers	1510	2 75	51 steers	1166	3 30
1 steer	1430	3 50	112 steers	1131	3 30

C. H. Edwards.

2 cows	1000	2 20	3 steers	1036	3 60
9 cows	1005	2 80	12 steers	1180	3 60

W. G. Wagner.

1 bull	1260	2 10	1 steer	1090	3 50
2 cows	1010	3 00	7 steers	1180	3 50
11 steers	1174	3 40			

Wyoming Live Stock Company.

1 bull	1290	1 70	1 heifer	770	2 70
1 cow	740	2 00	19 cows	966	2 70
2 bulls	1410	2 10	1 calf	190	4 50

COLORADO.

2 stags	960	1 85	1 bull	1290	2 15
2 bulls	1040	2 15	15 cows	1056	2 45
2 bulls	1485	2 15			

Western Union Beef Company.

1 bull	1510	1 75	1 cow	780	2 65
1 bull	1260	1 75	1 steer	1290	2 90
22 bulls	740	2 35	1 steer	1320	2 90
4 cows	905	2 65	13 steers	1147	2 90
1 cow	720	2 65	1 steer	1080	3 60

E. Buchanan.

1 cow	840	2 25	15 feeders	872	3 15
1 cow	820	2 50	56 feeders	912	3 15
3 cows	1053	2 50	2 feeders	735	3 15
11 cows	1005	2 50	100 feeders	885	3 15
1 cow	850	2 70	1 steer	1100	3 40
6 cows	985	2 70	2 steers	1265	3 40
14 cows	753	2 70	1 calf	80	4 00
6 cows	955	2 70	2 calves	225	4 50
6 feeders	778	3 15	1 calf	120	5 00

J. R. Young.

6 cows	1058	2 45	13 feeders	919	3 15
7 cows	1048	2 45			

W. F. Stafford.

3 cows	933	2 30	2 calves	80	3 00
66 cows	995	2 45	2 calves	380	3 00
2 oxen	1670	2 75	29 feeders	866	3 15
1 heifer	450	3 00	4 calves	160	5 00

IDAHO.

John Marley.

2 calves	240	2 00	11 cows	1002	2 70
20 cows	946	2 20	18 feeders	1053	3 30
1 bull	1290	2 35	12 calves	230	4 50
2 heifers	470	2 50			

UTAH.

1 steer	1280	2 85	2 steers	1120	2 90
3 steers	1123	2 85			

NEVADA.

Harvey & Harris.

9 strs, tlg	1207	2 75	76 feeders	1075	3 00
1 feeder	1130	3 00	22 feeders	1021	3 20
23 feeders	980	3 00	24 steers	1166	3 25

HOGS—Only eleven fresh loads of hogs were received today, a light run even for a Monday. With so few hogs it could hardly be called a market, and there is very little to say about the trade. The buyers got the hogs at prices that were strong to 5c higher than Saturday's market. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
18	153	40	$3 55	51	260	80	$3 80
18	170	80	3 65	46	218	200	3 80
110	175	360	2 65	87	204	80	3 80
61	173	160	3 70	71	271	40	3 80
25	250	...	3 70	66	245	120	3 80
17	264	40	3 75	12	240	...	3 80
21	257	80	3 75	25	231	120	3 80
58	216	40	3 75	19	288	...	3 80
62	224	80	3 75	59	271	80	3 85
43	266	...	3 80	64	233	120	3 85
19	234	...	3 80				

ODDS AND ENDS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
42	93	...	3 10	5	192	...	3 75
7	204	160	3 55	6	235	...	3 75
9	283	...	3 70	2	340	...	3 75
2	315	...	3 70	3	230	...	3 75
5	306	...	3 70	8	252	...	3 80
5	330	...	3 75	7	217	...	3 80
4	265	...	3 75	5	304	...	3 85

SHEEP—The market was slow and weak, but everything offered changed hands. Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
290	western ewes	99	$2 40
309	western wethers	112	3 00

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Strictly Choice Cattle Sold at Slightly Advanced Prices.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—The proportion of native cattle is increasing, but as comparatively few of those offered today were strictly choice in quality, such droves sold very well at about steady prices, while other descriptions of dressed beef and shipping cattle were slow of sale at a decline of from 10c to 15c. Inferior to fair steers sold at from $3.40 to $4.40, and medium to good at from $4.50 to $4.75, with choice to prime beeves salable at from $4.80 to $5.50. Not many sold lower than $4, and few went above $5.25, the bulk fetching from $4.50 to $5.15. Exporters continue to take fair numbers of fat cattle. Butchers' and canners' stuff ruled fairly active and steady at the recent advance, most of the cow and bull sales being at from $1.75 to $3.25. Veal calves were steady for the best at from $5 to $6 per 100 lbs. Good westerns sold at steady prices, but other kinds were 10c lower. Most of the transactions were between $3 and $4. Texas cattle were about 5c lower, sales being mostly at from $2.80 to $3.25.

About 35,000 hogs were offered on the market, including fresh arrivals of 31,000 head, and the principal part of the supply was disposed of at an advance of 5c. Both local packers and eastern shippers took hold vigorously and trade was brisk at from $3.95 to $4.05 for packing lots and at from $4.05 to $4.15 for shipping droves. The range was from $3.60 to $4.25 for common to extra hogs, and pigs sold principally at from $3 to $4.

The best sheep and lambs were steady, with only fair offerings, but other descriptions were slow and from 5c to 10c lower, with an enormous supply of western sheep. Native sheep were salable at from $1 to $2.50 for inferior up to from $3.25 to $3.75 for choice to extra, westerns from $1.75 to $3.25 and lambs at from $3 to $4.50. Few native sheep went over $3.25, and westerns sold mostly at from $2.80 to $3.20.

Receipts: Cattle, 25,000 head; calves, 300 head; hogs, 35,000 head; sheep, 30,000 head.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—BEEVES—Receipts, 4,968 head; market slow; good steers steady; others 18@20c lower; bulls 10c higher; dry cows steady to a shade easier; native steers, poor to prime, $3.65@5.50; half breed Colorados, $3.70@4.15; stags and oxen, $2.10@4.60; bulls, $2.15@2.45; dry cows, $1.15@2.50. European cables quote American steers at 10@10½c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 7¾@9c. No exports today.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, two days, 24,160 head; sheep, slow and weak; lambs opened higher, but closed dull with the advance lost; sheep, poor to prime, $1.50@3.25; lambs, common to choice, $3.40@4.15.

HOGS—Receipts, two days, 12,218 head; easier at $4.40@4.85.

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,900 head; shipments, 900 head; market about 10c off; export steers, $5.20@5.40; shipping grades, $4.40@5.10; dressed beef grades, $3.50@4.80; bulk of sales, $3.60@4.50; light steers, $2.50@3.50; bulk of sales, $2.75@3.20; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.50; cows and heifers, $1.85@3.50; bulk of sales, $2.00@3.10; Texas and Indian steers, $2.50@3.50; bulk of sales, $2.75@3.25; cows and heifers, $1.75@3.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,100 head; shipments, 5,700 head; market 5c higher; heavy, $3.85@4.20; mixed, $3.90@4.10; light, $3.80@4.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 900 head; shipments, 500 head; market about steady; native muttons, $2.60@3.40; lambs, $3.25@4.50; southwestern, $2.10@3.20.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 14.—CATTLE—Receipts 15,100 head; shipments, 3,000 head; market slow, 10c lower; Texas steers, $2.00@3.00; Texas cows, $1.75@2.60; beef steers, $3.50@5.20; native cows, $1.25@3.15; stockers and feeders, $2.20@3.65; bulls, $1.50@2.65.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,400 head; shipments, 800 head; market steady to strong; bulk of sales, $3.75@3.95; heavies, $3.50@4.00; packers, $3.75@4.00; mixed, $3.70@4.00; lights, $3.60@3.80; Yorkers, $3.70@3.80; pigs, $3.50@3.80.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,400 head; shipments, 2,600 head; market steady; lambs, $3.30@4.35; muttons, $2.25@3.15.

Stock in Sight.

Record of receipts at the four principal markets for Monday, October 14, 1895:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	3,200	745	599
Chicago	25,000	35,000	30,000
Kansas City	1,500	3,400	2,400
St. Louis	4,900	4,100	900
Totals	34,600	43,245	33,899

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 14.—WHEAT—Spot steady; demand poor; No. 2 red winter, 5s 1½d; No. 2 red spring, stocks exhausted; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 2d; No. 1 California, 5s 2½d. Futures opened steady, with near and distant positions ¼d lower, and closed firm, with near and distant positions ¼d lower; business about equally distributed; October, 5s 2d; November, 5s 2½d; December, 5s 3d; January, 5s 3½d; February, 5s 4d; May, 5s 4½d.

CORN—Spot firm; American mixed new, 3s 4½d. Futures opened quiet but steady, with near and distant positions ¼d lower, and closed steady, with near and distant positions unchanged to ¼d lower; business heaviest on nearest and most distant positions; October, 3s 4½d; November, 3s 4½d; December, 3s 4½d; January, 3s 3d; February, 3s 3d; March, 3s 3d.

FLOUR—Steady; demand moderate; St. Louis fancy winter, 6s 9d.

PROVISIONS—Bacon, quiet; demand moderate; short ribs, 28 lbs., 36s; long clear, light, 38 to 45 lbs., 33s 6d; long clear, heavy, 55 lbs., 31s; short clear backs, light, 16 lbs., 33s; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs., 29s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 38s 6d. Shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs., 33s. Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 44s 6d. Tallow, fine, nominal. Beef, extra India mess, 75s; prime mess, 58s 9d. Pork, prime mess, western, 57s 6d; prime mess, medium, 51s 3d. Lard, steady; prime western, 29s; refined, in pails, 31s 6d.

CHEESE—Firm; finest American white, new, 37s; finest American colored, new, 37s 6d.

BUTTER—Fine United States, 70s; good, 50s.

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BLEACHING POWDER—Hardwood, f. o. b. Liverpool, £6.

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

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—FLOUR—Quiet and a shade off; patents, $3.25@3.35; extra fancy, $3.05@3.15; fancy, $2.80@2.90; choice, $2.60@2.70.

WHEAT—Declined early, but rallied on good buying, eased off again, advanced slightly, but closed lower than Saturday; No. 2 red, cash, 62⅜c; December, 62⅜@62⅞c; May, 66⅝@66⅞c.

CORN—Dull; no speculative trading, with no quotable change; No. 2 mixed, cash, 26½c; December, 24⅛c; May, 26¼c.

OATS—Dull and firm, but a shade off; No. 2, cash, 17c; December, 18c asked; May, 20⅛@20½c.

RYE—Quiet and firm; No. 2 offered, east side, at 40c, 37c bid.

CORN MEAL—$1.50@1.55.

BRAN—Dull and declining; sold, east side, at 53c sacked.

FLAX SEED—Unchanged at 90½c.

TIMOTHY SEED—Higher; $3.00@3.40.

HAY—Choice timothy continues weak at $12.50, the highest price obtainable; choice prairie in demand at $9, this side.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 16@24c; dairy, 8@16c.

EGGS—Firm at 15c.

POULTRY—Firm; turkeys, higher, 8c; chickens, 6½@7c; ducks, 7½c; geese, 6c.

WHISKY—Steady; $1.22.

LEAD—Strong; $3.15@3.16.

PROVISIONS—Pork, standard mess, jobbing, $8.75. Lard, prime steam, $5.65; choice, $5.72½. Bacon, boxed shoulders, $6.75; longs, $6.75; ribs, $6.50; shorts, $6.62½.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 7,000 bbls.; wheat, 92,000 bu.; corn, 10,000 bu.; oats, 161,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 8,000 bbls.; wheat, 51,000 bu.; corn, 46,000 bu.; oats, 40,000 bu.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 14.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 hard, 58¾@59c; No. 2 red, 62½@63c; rejected, 35@36c.

CORN—Irregular; No. 2 mixed, 24½@25c; No. 2 white, 24½@25c.

OATS—Slow; No. 2 mixed, 16c; No. 2 white, 17½c.

RYE—No. 2, 37c.

FLAX SEED—Steady; September, 88c.

HAY—Firm; timothy, $10.00@11.00; prairie, $5.50@6.50.

BUTTER—Easy; creamery, 17@21c; dairy, 10@15c.

EGGS—Active at 14½c.

Peoria Markets.

PEORIA, Oct. 14.—CORN—Firm; No. 2, 28¾c; No. 3, 28¼c.

OATS—Active, steady; No. 2 white, 18¾@19c; No. 3 white, 17½@18¼c.

RYE—Scarce; No. 2, 40c.

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

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 6,000 bu.; corn, 80,100 bu.; oats, 127,700 bu.; rye, 600 bu.; barley, 7,700 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 1,200 bu.; corn, 34,500 bu.; oats, 127,500 bu.; rye, none; barley, 14,000 bu.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Agents have advanced the prices of Amoskeag cottonades each ½c; Merrimac 4-4 standard percales, ¼c, and White Rock wide sheetings to the basis of 14c for 4-4 bleached. Mail and telegraph orders with agents and jobbers were in large number and took a very full quantity of stuffs of a miscellaneous complexion. The spot demand was less active, as agents and the mills are unwilling sellers of goods to arrive. Printing cloths very firm, with sales of 25,000 pieces. Spot sales, 3⅛c.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at unchanged to 10 points decline; ruled quiet, with weak undertone, European cables being unsatisfactory and Brazil market closed; trading generally local; some foreign buying orders for late months; closed dull at unchanged to 5 points decline; November, $15.20; December, $15.10; spot coffee, Rio, dull; No. 7, $16, mild, quiet; Cordova, $18.25@19.00. Warehouse deliveries from New York Saturday, 2,682 bags; New York stock today, 226,695 bags; United States stock, 111,647 bags; afloat for the United States, 259,000 bags; total visible for the United States, 370,647 bags, against 449,418 bags last year.

HAVRE, Oct. 14.—Opened quiet and unchanged; at 12 o'clock, ¼f decline; at 3 p. m., quiet, ¼f advance; closed quiet and unchanged; sales, 10,000 bags.

HAMBURG, Oct. 14.—Barely steady at ¼@½ pfg decline.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Oct. 14.—Holiday; receipts, two days, 12,000 bags.

Visible Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, October 12, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 44,480,000 bu., increase, 2,648,000 bu.; corn, 5,375,000 bu., decrease, 39,000 bu.; oats, 4,029,000 bu., increase, 533,000 bu.; rye, 760,000 bu., increase, 109,000 bu.; barley, 3,027,000 bu., increase, 377,000 bu.

'Frisco Wheat Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—WHEAT—Dull; December, 97⅝c; May, $1.02⅛; cleared, 107,434 centals.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., Oct. 14.—BUTTER—Active; offerings, 50,000 lbs.; sales, 33,000 lbs. at 27c.

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CROP CONDITIONS NOT FAVORABLE.

Principal Cereals Show a Lower Average Than Last Year.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Reports to the Agricultural department show a decline in the conditions of all the principal crops, except oats, rye and barley. The detailed summary, made public today, shows a widespread reduction in the condition of potatoes, due largely to drouth. Complaints of potato rot come from the northern and more southern of the New England states, New York and several of the states adjoining the great lakes, and Missouri and Kansas. The losses from leaf blight and insects appear to have been exceptionally light. The most serious complaint of the potato grower this year is the low price of the product, particularly in the northwest. The report from the department's agent for Wisconsin and Minnesota represents that in the latter state the tubers "do not pay for digging." He states that the yield is enormous.

Sweet Potatoes—Have suffered seriously from lack of rain and their condition has been materially reduced in many states. In seven it has fallen from 10 to 22 points.

Tobacco—The condition of tobacco declines over two points. In Ohio, where condition is the lowest, something over half a crop is expected, and the same may be said of Maryland and Virginia. The crops of Massachusetts and Connecticut are excellent. Conditions in New York, Pennsylvania and Kentucky approximate the average for the country. Drouth and frosts of the last September are the principal causes of lowered condition.

Rye—General average condition 90.3, a decline of 4 points, due principally to drouth.

Hops—The product of hops is returned at 86.9 per cent of a full crop. The quality is generally very good, except in Washington, where the louse and mold have done material damage.

Sugar Cane—There is a very general falling off in condition, due to drouth. The effect of the severe winter is seen in stubble cane fields. The prospective crop is much under that of 1894.

Sorghum—This crop seems to have suffered but little, but in Virginia low conditions east of the Blue Ridge reduced the general average to 80.

Apples—The continued drouth, hot weather and high winds of September, causing premature ripening and dropping, have resulted in a loss of over two points in the average condition of apples. The greatest loss occurred in the central west, where the crop is abundant. It is thought both the eating and keeping qualities of the fruit have been impaired, and in many section a tendency to rot is already noted. The average condition now stands at 70.6.

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But Little American Grain Will Be Needed in Europe.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The general conclusion in the British cereal trade that the wheat harvest of the world for 1895 is about 100,000,000 bushels less than that of 1894 is announced in the report of the English agent of the Agricultural department for October. The report adds: "It is known, however, that a greatly reduced quantity is being fed to stock, leaving about the same quantity for human beings."

The stimates of this season's wheat crop in the United Kingdom vary from twenty-three to twenty-seven bushels an acre. Both in Great Britain and on the continent the wheat was harvested in such favorable condition as to assure a high percentage of flour. Reports from other countries are:

France—The official estimates for 1895 are: Wheat, 337,500,000 bushels; rye and maslin, 81,360,000 bushels; barley, 49,500,000 bushels; oats, 263,000,000 bushels. All of the other crops are suffering from protracted drouth.

Germany—The wheat crop is estimated at 104,000,000 bushels, a reduction from last year of nearly 7,000,000. The potato crop is believed to be over average. As England has nearly an average crop of very high quality the market there is glutted and prices are as low as $10 a ton. These conditions are worth noting. In view of our large crop this year it is unlikely that we shall be able to dispose of any of our surplus in Europe.

Italy—The wheat crop is officially estimated at 103,200,000 bushels, against 118,400,000 bushels last year. The barley crop is officially estimated at 7,000,000. That of last year, an unusually heavy crop, measured 8,000,000 bushels. A poor to medium corn crop is expected.

Spain—The wheat harvest is officially reported at 92,000,000 bushels, against 105,600,000 last year. It is not a prime crop.

Bulgaria—The continued and persistent drouth is reported to have done great injury to the corn crop, which in some districts is said to have been totally destroyed.

Hungary—Corn crop irregular, but satisfactory.

Roumania—The wheat crop is exceptionally abundant.

Greece—The wheat crop is unexpectedly short. A decrease of 30 per cent is expected.

Russia—An average wheat crop is expected. The rye crop is fine and heavy.

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