COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Continues Its Climb with the Same Causes Operating.

ADDS ABOUT A CENT AND A FOURTH

Corn and Oats Each Make a Slight Gain, but Provisions Are Again Weak and Close Slightly Lower.

CHICAGO, Oct 6.—Wheat today added 1¼c to the 2-cent advance it scored yesterday, the market closing strong at close to the top figures. Foreign markets again held the reins, but the advance was checked by the unloading of large quantities of long wheat, presumably for the Corlong clique. Corn advanced only ⅛@¼c. Oats closed ¼c higher. Provisions were again weak and showed declines of 7½@12½c at the close.

Wheat was strong at the opening. Liverpool opened 1d higher and Paris was up an equal amount. In addition to the invigorating influence of the foreign advices, the trade was advised of sales of 160,000 bu. of flour yesterday at Minneapolis, a good share of which, it was claimed, was sold for export. The Ohio state crop report showed a yield of only 27,375,000 bu., compared with 32,000,000 bu. last year, and said that prospects for winter wheat were very poor on account of the protracted drouth. The weather map gave no indication of an improvement in the prevailing conditions for the next thirty-six hours. First sales of December were at from 92¼c to 92½c, compared with yesterday's closing price of 91⅜c. The opening prices were so tempting as compared with the closing of the previous day that a line of over 1,000,000 bu. of wheat, presumed to have been held by a local speculator, was thrown on sale. The market took it all without effort, the only effect being a ⅛c decline. Then the market bounded to 92¾c. But a perfect flood of wheat came on the market at that price, the result being that December was pounded down to 91⅝c. Northwestern receipts were liberal at 1,003 cars for Minneapolis and Duluth, against 825 last week and 1,152 last year. Local receipts were 313 cars, against 285 expected. Below a certain price the demand for wheat seemed practically unlimited and indicated the presence in the market of some powerful interest. At 91⅝c the offerings were absorbed so fast that shorts became alarmed and started for cover. This sent the price up to within ¼c of the top figures, when offerings again became in excess of the demand and another reaction followed. The Bradstreet's report of the world's available supply of wheat showed an increase of 2,194,000 bu., against 9,970,000 bu. the previous week and 3,720,000 bu. for the corresponding week last year. The increase during last week 2,314,000 bu. was in the United States and Canada east of the Rockies and 600,000 bu. in and afloat for Europe. These figures were much less than anticipated and, helped by reported export engagements of seventy boatloads, made the market very strong toward the close. December was bringing 92⅝c as the session ended.

There was a firm feeling in corn, with the trade influenced by the drouth and the government report, which is due Saturday and which is expected to show a material decline in condition. Cables were also higher. There was very good buying by strong local commission firms during the morning, but offerings increased at such a rate on all the advances that the market made but little headway. The visible increased 1,576,000 bushels. Receipts were 409 cars. Atlantic clearances amounted to 312,000 bu. December ranged from 30⅝@30¾c to 29¾c, closing ⅜@¼c higher at 30@30⅛c.

Oats were firm at a slight advance, mainly the result of the influence of wheat and corn. New York did some buying and the foreign demand continued urgent, both of which facts helped prices. Trading as a whole was unimportant. The visible increased 65,000 bu. Receipts were 277 cars. Clearances 152,000 bu. December ranged from 20@20¼c to 19¾@19⅞c, closing ¼c higher at 20c asked.

Provisions were decidedly weak. An advance of 3d in the English lard markets and much smaller local receipts of hogs than expected helped the market around the opening, but the slight rally brought out liberal quantities for sale and the market soon became heavy. The demand died out almost entirely as the session advanced. Closing prices were at the bottom, December pork 7½c lower at $8.02½@8.05; lard 12½c lower at $4.37½ and December ribs 7½c lower at $4.62½.

Estimated receipts Thursday: Wheat, 320 cars; corn, 445 cars; oats, 390 cars; hogs, 30,000 head.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
*Wheat—					
Oct....	.....	.....	.....	90⅝	89⅝
Dec....	92¼@⅝	92¾	91⅜	92¾	91⅜
May....	92¾@⅞	92¾	91⅝@⅞	92⅝@⅞	91⅝
*Corn—					
Oct....	28¼@⅜	28⅜	28@⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Dec....	30@⅛	30⅛@⅜	29¾@⅜	30⅛@⅜	29⅞
May....	33⅜	33⅜@¾	33⅛	33¾	33⅝
*Oats—					
Oct....	19	19¼	19	19¼	19
Dec....	19⅞	20⅜¼	19⅞@⅜	20	19¾
May....	22¾	22¾@⅞	22⅝	22¾	22⅝
*Pork—					
Oct....	.....	.....	.....	7 95	8 00
Dec....	8 15	8 15	8 02½	8 05	8 12½
Jan....	9 05	9 10	8 95	8 95	9 10
Lard—					
Oct....	4 42½	4 45	4 30	4 30	4 42½
Dec....	4 47½	4 50	4 35	4 37½	4 50
Jan....	4 62½	4 62½	4 50	4 52½	4 65
*Short Ribs—					
Oct....	4 90	4 90	4 80	4 80	4 90
Dec....	4 70	4 70	4 62½	4 62½	4 70
Jan....	4 72½	4 72½	4 62½	4 65	4 72½

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

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On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 15@21½c; dairies, 12@19c. Cheese, steady at 8@9c. Eggs, steady; fresh, 13½c. Poultry, quiet; turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7½c; springs, 8c; ducks, 7½@8c.

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OILS—Cottonseed, dull; prime crude, 21@21½c; prime yellow, 24@24½c. Petroleum, dull; Pennsylvania crude, nominally at 85c; no market; refined, New York, $5.60; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $5.50; Philadelphia and Baltimore in bulk, $3.05. Rosin, steady; strained, common to good, $1.40@1.45. Turpentine, firm at 33¼@33c.

RICE—Firm; fair to extra, 4⅝@6¼c; Japan, 4¼@5¼c.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 25@31c.

METALS—Pig iron, warrants quiet at $7.05@7.15. Lake copper, dull at $11.10@11.30. Tin, dull at $13.60@13.70. Spelter, dull at $4.20@4.30. Lead, exchange weak at $4.15@4.20; brokers' strong at $4.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Good stock weak at 12½c.

BUTTER—Common to fair, 9@9½c; choice to fancy, 12@14c; separator creamery, 21c; gathered creamery, 18@19c.

VEAL—Choice fat, 80 to 120 lbs., quoted at 8c; large and coarse, 4@5c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 6½c; cocks, 3@4c; spring chickens, per lb., 7c; ducks, 6@7c; turkeys, 6@8c.

PIGEONS—Live, 75c; dead pigeons not wanted.

HAY—Upland, $5; midland, $4.50; lowland, $4; rye straw, $4. Poor stock makes the price on hay; light bales sell the best, only top grades bring top prices.

BROOMCORN—Extremely slow sales new crop, delivered on track in country; choice green self-working carpet, per lb., 2@2½c; choice green, running to hurl, 2@2¼c; common, 1½c.

VEGETABLES.

CANTALOUPES—Per doz., 50@60c.

TOMATOES—Per half bu. basket, 25@40c.

ONIONS—Per bu., 50@55c.

LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 3c.

BEANS—Hand-picked navy, per bu., $1.40@1.50.

CABBAGE—Home grown, 1c.

WATERMELONS—Crated, per doz., $1.50.

POTATOES—Home grown, 50@60c.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Per bbl., fall stock, $2.00@2.25.

NATIVE PLUMS—Per basket, 20@35c.

GRAPES—California, $1.25@1.50.

CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Per case, Crawfords, 80c; clings, 70@75c.

PEARS—Bartlett, per case, $2.25; Utah Bartletts, $1.75@1.80; Buerre Hardy, $1.60@1.75.

NEW YORK GRAPES—Per 9-lb. basket, 16c.

CALIFORNIA PLUMS—Per case, $1.00@1.25.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, per bbl., $6.00.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

LEMONS—Messinas, $4.25@4.50; choice California, $4.00.

ORANGES—Mediterranean sweets, $4.25@4.50.

BANANAS—Choice, large stock, per bunch, $2.00@2.25; medium-sized bunches, $1.50@2.00.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NUTS—Almonds, California, per lb., large size, 12c; Brazils, per lb., 10c; English walnuts, per lb., fancy, soft shell, 12@13c; standards, 10@11c; filberts, per lb., 10c; pecans, polished, large, 9@10c; jumbo, 11@12c; large hickory nuts, $1.25 per bu; cocoanuts, 4@5c each.

FIGS—Imported fancy, 4 crown, 20-lb. boxes, 12c; 5 crown, 50-lb. boxes, 13@14c.

HONEY—Choice white, 15c.

CIDER—Unrefined juice, per half bbl., $2.25; per bbl., $4.00@4.25.

MAPLE SYRUP—Five-gal. cans, each $2.25; gal. cans, pure, per doz., $12.00; half-gal. cans, $6.25; quart cans, $3.50.

FRESH MEATS.

DRESSED BEEF—Good native steers, 400 to 600 lbs., 7c; good forequarters, steers, 6c; good hindquarters, 9c; western steers, 6@5½c; fancy heifers, 6c; good heifers, 6½c; good forequarters, heifers, 5c; good hindquarters, heifers, 8c; good cows, 6½c; fair cows, 5½c; common cows, 5½c; cow forequarters, 4½@5c; cow hindquarters, 7½@8c.

BEEF CUTS—Tenderloins, 18c; boneless strips, 9c; strip loins, 7c; rolls, 9c; sirloin butts, 9c; shoulder clods, 6c; rump butts, 5c; steer chucks, 5c; cow chucks, 4½c; boneless chucks, 4½c; cow plates, 2c; steer plates, 2½c; plank steak, 6½c; boneless loins, 1c; loins, No. 2, 10½c; loins, No. 3, 8½c; sirloin ends, No. 1, 9c; ribs, No. 1, 11c; ribs, No. 2, 8½c; ribs, No. 3, 6½c; steer rounds, 7½c; cow rounds, 7c; cow rounds off, 8½c; trimmings, 4c; beef tongues, 25c; brains, per doz., 35c; sweetbreads, per lb., 12c; sweetbreads (calves', per lb., 40c; kidneys, per doz., 35c; ox tails, each 3c; livers, per lb., 2c; hearts, per lb., 2c; tongues, per lb., 15c.

MUTTON—Lambs, 8½c; sheep 7½c; market racks (long), 9c; hotel racks (snort), 12c; legs and saddles, 8c; lamb legs, 9c; breasts and stews, 3c; tongues, each 3c.

PORK—Dressed pigs, 6c; dressed hogs, 5½c; tenderloins, 13c; loins, 7c; spare ribs, 4c; ham sausage, butts, 6c; shoulders, rough, 5½c; shoulders, skinned, 6c; trimmings, 4½c leaf lard, not rendered, 6c; heads, cleaned, 2c; snout and ears, 3c; backbones, 4½c; ribs, 4½c; neck bones, 1½c; pigs' tails, 2c; plucks, each 5c; chitterlings, 5c; hocks, 4c; hearts, per doz., 25c; stomachs, each 3c; tongues, each 7c; kidneys, per doz., 16c; brains, per doz., 15c; pigs' feet, per doz., 25c; livers, each 3c.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 7c; No. 2 green hides, 6c; No. 1 salted hides, 8½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 7½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 8c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 6c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 16@18c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 8@10c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 9@10c; part cured hides, ½c per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each 15@75c; green salted shearlings (short wooled early skins) each 10c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each 5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 2@4c; feet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them.

St. Louis General Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 6.—FLOUR—Unchanged; patents, $4.80@4.90; straights, $4.50@4.60; clear, $4.10@4.25; medium, $3.50@3.75.

WHEAT—Higher, closing with December 1⅝c and May 1½c above yesterday. December opened 1c higher on stronger cables and no signs of rain, advanced ⅛c more, fell back ¼c, went up ½@⅝c, declined 1⅛c and later advanced until 1⅛c above the bottom, closing strong, ¼c below the top. Spot, higher; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 96c bid; track, 96@98c; No. 2 hard cash, 84@87c; December, 88⅝c; May, 98c bid.

CORN—Futures opened with an advance, declined, went up on the rise and closed with buyers ⅛c higher than yesterday. Spot, steady; No. 2 cash, 27c; December, 27⅜c bid; May, 31⅝c bid.

OATS—Futures were dull and firm; spot, higher; No. 2 cash, elevator, 20c asked; track, 20c; No. 2 white, 21½@22c; December, 20c; May, 22½c bid.

RYE—Higher at 42@43c.

CORNMEAL—$1.50@1.55.

BRAN—Strong; sacked, east track, 50c.

FLAXSEED—Higher at 91c.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $2.70.

HAY—Scarce and firm; prairie, $5.00@6.00; timothy, $6.00@9.50.

BUTTER—Quiet; creamery, 20@24c; dairy, 15@16c.

EGGS—Firm at 12½c.

POULTRY—Chickens firm; young, 7@7½c; old, 6½c; ducks quiet at 6c; geese slow at 6c; turkeys lower at 7@7½c.

WHISKY—$1.29.

COTTON TIES—65c.

BAGGING—4½@5c.

METALS—Lead, dull at $4.00. Spelter, nominal at $4.05.

PROVISIONS—Pork, unchanged; standard mess, jobbing, $8.50. Lard, lower; prime steam, $4.25; choice, $4.30. Bacon (boxed lots), extra short clear and ribs, $4.12½; shorts, $4.25. Dry salt meats (boxed), shoulders, $5.75; extra short clear and ribs, $5.62½; shorts, $5.75.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 4,000 bbls.; wheat, 26,000 bu.; corn, 59,000 bu.; oats, 52,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 5,000 bbls.; wheat, 108,000 bu.; corn, 127,000 bu.; oats, 28,000 bu.

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Grain Receipts at Principal Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 6.—Receipts: Wheat, 88 cars, corn, 409 cars; oats, 277 cars. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 320 cars; corn, 445 cars; oats, 390 cars.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 6.—Receipts: Wheat, 552 cars.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 6.—Receipts of wheat, 188 cars; last year, 58.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 6.—PROVISIONS—Bacon, short clear backs, steady at 30s 6d. Lard, prime western, dull at 22s 6d.

WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 red, western, winter, steady at 7s 8½d; No. 1 red, northern, spring, steady at 8s 6d.

CORN—Spot, American mixed, new, firm at 3s 2½; American mixed, old, steady at 3s ¼d; October, steady at 3s 1⅝d; December, 3s 2¾d.

Toledo Markets.

TOLEDO, Oct. 6.—WHEAT—Higher and firm; No. 2 cash and October, 95½c; December, 96½c.

CORN—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 28½c.

OATS—Dull and steady; No. 2 mixed, 19c.

RYE—Active; No. 2 cash, 47½c.

CLOVERSEED—Lower and steady; prime cash, $3.35.

OIL—Unchanged.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Bears Continue to Make Hay While the Bulls Are Waiting.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The bulls maintained a waiting attitude for the most part in today's market and the bears were successful in shaking out further stop loss orders and depressing the general level of the market a further sharp fraction. There seems to be long stock to sell and the bears are thus encouraged to continue their efforts. Where there is evidence of realizing they apply pressure by short selling and so precipitate the decline to a point where stop loss orders are added to the weight on the market. The consequence of this policy was some very sharp declines in special stocks during the day, Sugar, Chicago Gas, Manhattan, Bay State Gas and the strangers being the objects of most aggressive attacks. The lowest prices of the day were made early in the final hour, but the last half hour of the trading saw a steady hardening of prices which materially reduced the net losses. All the factors in the general situation indicated a continued increase in actual values and there was no assignable cause for the decline except the exaggerated level of prices which has been attained. One of the features of the day was the large buying in Pennsylvania and a sharp rise in the price of the stock. The announcement of the withdrawal from the Bank of England of $500,000 in American eagles for shipment to New York had only a momentary effect in stemming prices. This was the more notable as the movement is considered to be the beginning of a steady import of gold. Sterling exchange sold at 4.84¾, today, that price being offered at sellers' option for the rest of the month. The ample supply of gold at present in the country is accepted as accounting for the small effect produced by the impending gold movement. The New York clearing house banks now hold $82,550,000 in specie, compared with $55,301,600 a year ago. The first gold engaged in Europe for import two weeks ago has arrived from Genoa and been deposited to the account of importers. Although the New York banks have lost the last two weeks $15,055,600 of their deposits, the specie in the cash reserve has shown an increase of $1,000,000 in the same time. The United States treasury gold reserve has also been increasing at the rate of $250,000 a day for several days past. The rates for money in the New York market show no further tendency to harden. If all these circumstances are taken into account it will seem surprising that small importance attaches to the movement of gold hither. London was a buyer of stocks in this market today and statements of railroad earnings all continued to show increases. Nevertheless, the result of the day's irregular trading is the showing of net losses extending from a fraction to over a point throughout the list.

The dealings in bonds were somewhat larger than those of yesterday and prices declined in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, $1,065,000. Old United States 4s, registered, and new 4s, both registered and coupon, were advanced ¼ per cent bid today. There were sales of the old 4s at 112@112½ and of the 5s coupon at 115.

The committee on unlisted securities of the Stock exchange has added to the list $20,000,000 of the stock of the Bay State Gas company, making the total amount listed $35,000,000.

The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says: "The tone of the market is steady but quiet today. West Australian mines are predominating, with signs of weakness. Americans opened dull, but over the parity. There was scarcely any new thing here, and the absence from the markets of the Jews restricted arbitrage dealings. Prices were steady at the close. The withdrawal of £100,000 in gold from the Bank of England for America had little effect on the market for shares, where it is argued that now does not want gold specially, but does desire to resell to London the shares recently shipped from here. The firmness of today's London discount market is due to the gold shipments to New York. The Paris bourse was dull and the Berlin market steady."

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

Atchison	14⅜	Sat. Pacific	96⅛
do pfd	31⅜	do pfd	141
Baltimore & Ohio	14⅜	St. P. & Om.	80
Canada Pacific	80	do pfd	140
Canada Southern	50⅜	St. P. M. & M.	120
Central Pacific	17	So. Pacific	19
Ches. & Ohio	23⅜	So. Railway	10⅞
Chicago & Alton	160	do pfd	33⅛
C., B. & Q.	96⅛	Texas & Pacific	11⅜
C. & E. I.	57	Union Pacific	12⅜
C. C. C. & St. L.	46⅜	U. P. D. & G.	9⅜
do pfd	83⅜	Wabash	8
Del. & Hudson	116⅛	do pfd	21⅜
Del., L. & W.	157⅛	Wheeling & L. E.	7⅜
Den. & Rio G.	13	do pfd	14
do pfd	48⅛	Adams Ex.	159
Erie (new)	41	American Ex.	117
Erie 1st pfd	134	United States Ex.	44
Hocking Valley	6⅜	Wells Fargo Ex.	108
Illinois Central	103⅜	A. Col. Oil	2⅜
Lake Erie & W.	19	do pfd	76
do pfd	77	Am'n Spirits	13
Lake Shore	173	do pfd	30
Louisville & Nash.	59⅜	Am. Tobacco	87⅜
Manhattan L.	103⅜	do pfd	113
Met. Traction	170	Chicago Gas	97⅜
Michigan Central	94⅜	Cons. Gas	200
Minn. & St. L.	25	Com. Cable Co.	175
do 1st pfd	86	Col. F. & Iron	24
Mo. Pacific	32⅜	do pfd	75
Mobile & Ohio	27	Silver Certificates	36
Mo. K. & T.	15⅜	Illinois Steel	48⅜
do pfd	38⅜	La Clede Gas	44
Chicago, Ind. & L.	10⅜	Lead	37
do pfd	30⅜	do pfd	104
N. J. Central	94⅜	Nat. Lin. Oil	10
N. Y. Central	103⅜	Pacific Mail	35
N. Y. Chi. & St. L.	15	Pullman Pal.	176
do 1st pfd	78⅜	Silver Certificates	75
do 2d pfd	38⅜	Stand. Rope & T.	3⅜
Norfolk & Western	16	Sugar	146
No. Amer. Co.	4⅜	do pfd	115
No. Pacific	26	U. S. & Iron	30⅜
do pfd	53⅜	U. S. Leather	8
Ontario & W.	17⅜	do pfd	65⅜
Ore. R. & Nav.	35	U. S. Rubber	17
Ore. Short Line	21	do pfd	63⅜
Pittsburg	159	Western Union	91
Reading	25⅜	Chi. Gt. Western	17
Rock Island	89	Northwestern	123
S. Louis & S. F.	5	do pfd	163
do pfd	10⅜		

The total sales of stock today were 335,500 shares, including: Atchison preferred, 8,350; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 19,465; Louisville & Nashville, 14,445; Manhattan L, 7,362; Missouri Pacific, 12,970; Northern Pacific, 2,865; Northern Pacific preferred, 10,425; Northwestern, 3,467; Ontario & Western, 3,860; Reading, 10,820; Rock Island, 20,440; St. Paul, 24,535; Omaha, 3,315; Union Pacific, 13,498; Wabash preferred, 3,135; American Tobacco, 8,082; Chicago Gas, 50,236; Sugar, 29,095; Western Union, 6,660; Chicago Great Western, 9,270.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—MONEY ON CALL—Steady at 2½@3 per cent; last loan, 2½ per cent; closed at 2½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4½@5 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.84¼@4.84⅝ for demand and at $4.82½@4.82⅝ for sixty days; posted rates, $4.82½@4.84 and $4.85@4.85; commercial bills, $4.81.

SILVER CERTIFICATES—55@56½c.

BAR SILVER—55 11-16c.

MEXICAN DOLLARS—45c.

GOVERNMENT BONDS—Firm.

STATE BONDS—Dull.

RAILROAD BONDS—Weak.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U. S. new 4s. reg	124⅜	N. J. C. 5s	114⅜
U. S. new 4s coup	126⅜	N. C. 6s	122
U. S. 4s. reg	112⅜	N. C. 4s	96
U. S. 4s. coup	113⅜	No. Pacific 1sts	122⅜
U. S. 2s. reg	98⅜	No. Pacific 3s	59⅜
U. S. 5s. reg	115	No. Pacific 4s	90⅜
U. S. 5s. coup	115	N. Y. C. & St. L. 4s	104⅛
District 3-65s	109⅜	N. & W. 5s	123
Ala., class A	107	N. W. Consols	143
Ala., class B	106	N. W. Deb. 5s	116⅜
Ala., class C	98	Ore. Nav. 1sts	112
Ala. Currency	94	Ore. Nav. 4s	91
Atchison 4s	89⅜	O. S. L. 6s, t. r.	116
Atchison adj. 4s	59⅜	O. S. L. 5s, t. r.	90⅜
Canada So. 2nds	109⅜	O. Imp. 1sts, t. r.	109
Chic. Term.	43⅜	O. R. & N. 1st	70
C. & O. 5s	112⅜	Pacific 6s of '95	102⅜
C. H. & D. 4½s	104⅜	Reading 4s	85
D. & R. G. 1sts	111	R. G. West 1sts	81⅜
D. & R. G. 4s	84⅜	St