# COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Promises Well at Start, but Declines Before the Close.

EFFECT OF GOVERNMENT REPORT APPARENT

**Similar Conditions Prevail in Corn, Which Sustains Loss Before End of Session—Oats Holds Its Own.**

CHICAGO, June 12.—Wheat today made the best figures around the opening. It was near the bottom at the close and showed a decline of ⅛@¼c. Corn declined ¼c. Oats was strong and advanced ¼c. Provisions closed unchanged to 2½c higher.

The effect of the unexpectedly bullish government crop report given out Saturday was apparent at the opening in wheat, but it was soon shown that other influences had superseded it in the minds of speculators. The opening in July ranged all they way from 76⅝@77c, compared with Saturday's closing price of 75½c. It sold at once at 76½c, but rallied almost immediately to 76⅞c. But in this little spasm of nervousness was dissipated all the effect of the government report. Selling was heavy on the bulge. Commission houses were in the market with big lots. For a short time the market held up under the liquidation, but finally broke, 76⅝c being reached before any reaction occurred. Heavy flour sales reported from the northwest caused a cessation of liquidation from that section, but in the meantime local holders had apparently lost confidence and the offerings at all times exceeded the demand. The enormous western movement became the one factor as the session advanced. Minneapolis and Duluth reported arrivals of 956 cars, against 884 cars last week and 180 cars a year ago. Chicago receipts were 142 cars, 8 of which graded contract quality. The visible increase amounted to 1,416,000 bu., about what was expected, and this helped in pressing prices to a lower level. World's shipments for the week were 7,910,000 bu. Atlantic port clearances amounted to 356,000 bu. The Manitoba government report gave an increased wheat acreage, with an almost perfect condition. Domestic crop news was unfavorable as regards winter wheat, but favorable as to spring wheat. The market became very weak toward the close on the estimate of receipts of 400 cars tomorrow. July finally sold down to 75⅝c and closed at 75¼@75⅝c.

Corn early was steady with wheat. Fear that the strike in Buffalo would again involve the elevators weakened the market later and prices gradually slid off. Liberal receipts, light shipping demand and generally favorable weather were factors in the decline. Receipts were 584 cars. July ranged from 33½@34c and closed ¼c lower at 33½@33⅝c.

Oats was independently strong. There was again a good demand, mainly for the deferred futures, some of it for foreign account, and this and the bullish government crop report sustained prices during the decline of other grains. Selling was scattered. Receipts were 187 cars. July ranged from 23½c to 23½@23⅝c and closed ⅛c higher at 23⅜c.

Provisions were steady, considering the large run of hogs and lower yard prices. There was a moderate general buying demand and selling was scattered. Trade on the whole was small and prices kept within a narrow range. At the close July pork was unchanged at $8.05; July lard, 2½c higher at $4.95@4.97½, and July ribs, 2½c higher at $4.02½.

Estimated receipts Tuesday: Wheat, 400 cars; corn, 860 cars; oats, 316 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

| Articles | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Sat'day |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Wheat. | | | | | |
| July | 76⅝-77 | 77 | 75⅝ | 75⅝@⅝ | 75¾ |
| Sept. | 77⅞-78 | 78 | 76⅝ | 76⅝ | 76⅝@¾ |
| Dec. | 78⅝-79 | 79 | 77⅝ | 77⅝ | 77⅞ |
| *Corn. | | | | | |
| July | 33⅞@¾ | 34 | 33⅝ | 33½@⅝ | 33⅞ |
| Sept. | 34⅛@¼ | 34¼ | 33¾ | 33¾ | 34 |
| Dec. | 33⅝@⅞ | 33⅝@⅝ | 33⅛@⅛ | 33⅛@⅛ | 33⅝@⅝ |
| *Oats. | | | | | |
| July | 23⅝ | 23⅝@¾ | 23¼ | 23⅜ | 23¼ |
| Sept. | 20⅞ | 21 | 20⅝ | 20⅝ | 20⅝@⅝ |
| Pork. | | | | | |
| July | 8 05 | 8 07½ | 8 05 | 8 07½ | 8 05 |
| Sept. | 8 20 | 8 25 | 8 05 | 8 25 | 8 22½ |
| Lard. | | | | | |
| July | 4 95 | 4 97½ | 4 95 | 4 97½ | 4 95 |
| Sept. | 5 05 | 5 10 | 5 05 | 5 10 | 5 07½ |
| Ribs. | | | | | |
| July | 4 55 | 4 62½ | 4 55 | 4 62½ | 4 60 |
| Sept. | 4 70 | 4 75 | 4 70 | 4 75 | 4 72½ |

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $3.65@3.75; straights, $3.10@3.25; spring specials, $4.35; spring patents, $3.40@3.80; straights, $2.90@3.25; bakers, $2.25@2.80.

WHEAT—No. 3 spring, 72½@76c; No. 2 red, 76⅝@79c.

CORN—No. 2, 33⅝@33⅞c; No. 2 yellow, 34⅛@34⅜c.

OATS—No. 2, 25@25½c; No. 3 white, 27¼@29¼c.

RYE—No. 2, 59c.

BARLEY—No. 2, 35¼@36½c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flaxseed, $1.03½; prime timothy, $2.30; northwest, $1.65½@1.06.

PROVISIONS—Pork, per bbl., $7.25@8.10; lard, per 100 lbs., $4.82½@4.95; short ribs sides (loose), $4.45@4.70; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $4.50@4.75; short clear sides (boxed), $4.85@4.95.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1.26.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, $6.02; granulated, $5.52.

The following are the receipts and shipments for today:

| Articles. | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, bbls. | 13,000 | 10,000 |
| Wheat, bu. | 153,000 | 9,000 |
| Corn, bu. | 548,000 | 738,000 |
| Oats, bu. | 406,000 | 341,000 |
| Rye, bu. | ..... | 600 |
| Barley, bu. | 9,000 | ..... |

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 13½@18c; dairies, 10@16c. Cheese, easy, 7¾@8½c. Eggs, steady; fresh, 12c.

## NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

**Quotations for the Day on Various Commodities.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—FLOUR—Receipts, 27,203 bbls.; exports, 14,523 bbls.; sales, 4,500 pkgs.; firm and more active on spring patents and bakers; winter patents, $3.85@4.00; winter straights, $3.50@3.65; winter extras, $2.60@3.10; winter low grades, $2.45@2.55; Minnesota patents, $4.00@4.15; Minnesota bakers, $3.00@3.25. Rye flour, steady; good to fair, $3.10@3.20; choice to fancy, $3.25@3.50.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, 81c; city, 81@82c; Brandywine, $2.05@2.20.

BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 35c c. i. f., Buffalo; malting, 46@50c, delivered.

BARLEY MALT—Steady; western, $4.75@6.50.

RYE—Stronger; No. 2 western, 66¼c, f. o. b., afloat.

WHEAT—Receipts, 126,650 bu.; exports, 56,714 bu.; sales, 5,425,000 bu. futures, 280,000 bu. all ports. Spot easy; No. 2 red, 83c, spot and to arrive, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red, 81c, elevator; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 83½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 84c, f. o. b., afloat. Options opened easier, as compared with Saturday's late curb, and sold off under active realizing. A partial midday reaction on covering induced by export demand was succeeded by a final break due to further bear attacks and unloading. Closed weak at ¼c advance over Saturday's close, but 1⅛c under the late curb prices. July, 81@82⅛c, closed 81c; September, 81@82 3-16c, closed 81c; December 82 3-16@83⅛c, closed 82⅛c.

CORN—Receipts, 12,675 bu.; exports, 203,864 bu. Spot steady; No. 2, 40⅝c, f. o. b., afloat, and 39⅞c, elevator. Options opened steady, but eased off later in the day on prospects of big receipts and the break in wheat. Closed weak at ⅛@¼c net decline. July, 39⅝@39⅞c, closed 39⅝c; September closed 39⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 292,300 bu.; exports, 236,027 bu. Spot steady; No. 2, 30¼@30½c; No. 3, 30c; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3 white, 32c; track mixed western, 30@31½c; track white, 32@37½c. Options quiet.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 55@60c; good to choice, 70@80c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1898 crop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 11@13c; 1898 crop, 17c; Pacific coast, 1896 crop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 11@13c; 1898 crop, 17@18c.

HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 16@17c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 pounds, 12½@13c; California, 25 pounds, 18c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy weights, 20@21½c; acid, 20@22c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; family, $9.50@10.50; extra mess, $8.00; city extra India mess, $14.00@15.50. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, $4.75@5.75; pickled shoulders, $4.25; pickled hams, $8.00@8.50. Lard, steady; western steamed, $5.25; refined, quiet; continent, $5.50; South American, $4.75. Pork, dull; mess, $8.50@9.00; short clear, $10.00@11.75; family, $10.00@10.75. Tallow, dull; city, $2.00; per package, $4.37½.

BUTTER—Receipts, 16,480 pkgs.; steady; western creamery, 15@18¾c; imitation, 12½@16c; factory, 11½@14c.

CHEESE—Quiet; receipts, 9,967 pkgs.; large, white, 7¾c; small, white, 7½c; large, colored, 7½c; small, colored, 7½c.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 13,477 pkgs.; western, 14½@15½c; southern, 10@12½c.

RICE—Steady; domestic fair, 4⅞c; Japan, 4⅝c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 32@36c.

METALS—The situation in the local metal market, so far as business is concerned, is unsatisfactory. Prices changes, however, are more significant, this being particularly true of pig iron, copper and tin. The news from primary points and foreign markets was not radically different from expectations. At the close the Metal exchange called pig iron warrants entirely nominal at $13.50; tin, quiet with $25.70 bid and $25.80 asked; lake copper, quiet with $18.25 bid and $18.50 asked; lead, quiet with $4.45 bid and $4.50 asked; spelter, weak with $6.25 bid and $6.30 asked. The brokers' price for lead is $4.25 and for copper $18.25@18.50.

## OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

**Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.**

EGGS—Receipts moderate; good stock, 12@12½c.

BUTTER — Common to fair, 10@12c; choice, 12@14c; separator, 18c; gathered creamery, 16c.

POULTRY—Hens, live, 7½c; spring chickens, 20@22c; old and staggy roosters, live, 3½@5c; ducks and geese, live, 7c; turkeys, live, 8@9c.

PIGEONS—Live, per doz., 75c@$1.00.

VEALS—Choice, 9c.

FRESH WATER FISH—Catfish, per lb., 12c; buffalo, per lb., dressed, 7c; white fish, 9c; lake trout, 8c; yellow pike, dressed, 9c; white perch, 6c; bullheads, dressed, 10c; black bass, 9c.

SEA FISH—Haddock, 10c; blue fish, 10c; roe shad, each, 40c.

VEGETABLES.

CANTALOUPE—Per crate, $1.50@1.75.

WAX BEANS—One-third bu., 75@85c.

STRING BEANS—One-third bu., 60@70c.

PEAS—Per basket, 65c.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 10@15c.

TOMATOES—Per 4-basket crate, $1.50.

LETTUCE—Home grown, per dozen bunches, 25c.

ASPARAGUS—Home grown, per dozen bunches, 30@35c.

ONIONS—Home grown, per dozen bunches, according to size, 8@12c.

CAULIFLOWER—Per dozen, $1.00@1.10.

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

POTATOES—Old stock, 20@50c; new potatoes, $1.00 per bu.

CUCUMBERS—Per dozen, 50c.

FRUITS.

BLACKBERRIES—Per 24-quart case, $3.00@3.25.

BLACK RASPBERRIES—Per 24-quart case, $2.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Per crate, choice shipping stock, $2.50.

GOOSEBERRIES—Per 24-quart case, $1.50@1.75.

CHERRIES—California, per 10-lb. box, $1.80@2.10.

TROPICAL FRUIT.

LEMONS—California, fancy, $3.75@4.00; choice, $3.50; Messina, fancy, $4.00.

ORANGES—Seedlings, $3.50; Mediterranean sweets, $4.25.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., $1.50; per crate, $4.25.

BANANAS—Choice, crated, large stock, per bunch, $2.25@2.50; medium-sized bunches, $2.00@2.25.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 7½c; No. 2 green hides, 6½c; No. 1 salted hides, 8½c; No. 2 salted hides, 7½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 10c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 8c.

TALLOW GREASE, ETC.—Tallow No. 1, 3½c; tallow, No. 2, 3c; rough tallow, 1½c; white grease, 2½@3c; yellow and brown grease, 1½@2½c.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each, 15@75c; green salted shearings (short wooled early skips), each, 15c; dry shearings (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, 3@4c.

## STATEMENT OF VISIBLE SUPPLY.

**Decrease Apparent in Everything with the Exception of Wheat.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—The statement of visible supply of grain on Saturday, June 10, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 27,517,000 bu.; increase, 1,432,000 bu.; corn, 13,266,000 bu.; decrease, 91,000 bu.; oats, 8,133,000 bu.; decrease, 188,000 bu.; rye, 891,000 bu.; decrease, 41,000 bu.; barley, 1,264,000 bu.; decrease, 78,000 bu.

**St. Louis Market.**

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—FLOUR—Quiet and easy; patents, $3.75@3.90; straights, $3.35@3.50; clears, $3.10@3.30.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 76c; track, 78½c; June, 76¾c; July, 77¼c; September, 78½c bid; No. 2 hard, 72@74½c.

CORN—No. 2 cash, 32½c; track, 33½c; June, 33⅜c asked; July, 32⅝c asked; July, 32⅛c bid.

OATS—No. 2 cash, 24½c; track, 25c; June, 24½c; July, 23¾c bid; September, 21c bid; No. 2 white, 28@28½c.

RYE—Quiet; 57c bid.

METALS—Lead, lower; $4.25@4.27½. Spelter, better; $6.25 bid.

POULTRY—Firm; chickens, 7½@8c; springs, 12@15c; turkeys, 50@6c; ducks, 5c; springs, 8c.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 15@19c; dairy, 12@15c.

EGGS—Steady; 10c.

SEEDS—Prime timothy, quiet; $1.75@2.15; flaxseed, 98c.

CORNMEAL—Steady; $1.80@1.85.

BRAN—Firmer; sacked, east track, 57½c.

HAY—Firm for best; timothy, $9.00@12.00; prairie, $6.50@8.50.

WHISKY—Steady, $1.26.

IRON COTTON TIES—Steady, 85c.

BAGGING—Steady, 6@6¾c, according to weight.

PROVISIONS—Dry salt meats, steady; boxed shoulders, $4.37½; extra shorts, $4.87½; clear ribs, $5.00; clear sides, $5.25. Bacon, steady; boxed shoulders, $5.12½; extra shorts, $5.37½; clear ribs, $5.50; clear sides, $5.75.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,000 bbls.; wheat, 30,000 bu.; corn, 215,000 bu.; oats, 20,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 7,000 bbls.; wheat, 6,000 bu.; corn, 57,000 bu.; oats, 20,000 bu.

**Liverpool Grain and Provisions.**

LIVERPOOL, June 12.—PROVISIONS—Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., firm, 44s 6d. Bacon, long clear, 30 to 35 lbs., steady, 30s; long clear, 35 to 40 lbs., steady, 29s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs., steady, 28s 6d. Shoulders, square, 12 to 16 lbs., easy, 26s. Lard, prime western in tierces, dull, 26s.

WHEAT—Spot No. 2 red western winter, firm; 6s 1½d; No. 1 red northern, Duluth, firm; 6s 6d; futures closed quiet; July, 6s ¾d; September, 6s 1⅝d.

CORN—Spot American mixed, new, firm; 3s 5¼d; American mixed, old, firm; 3s 6d; futures quiet; July, 3s 5¾d; September, 3s 6¼d.

Imports of wheat into Liverpool during the week: From Atlantic ports, 58,300 quarters; Pacific ports, none; other ports, 62,000 quarters.

Imports of corn from Atlantic ports, during the week, 77,000 quarters.

**Kansas City Grain and Provisions.**

KANSAS CITY, June 12.—WHEAT—July, 68⅝c; September, 69½c; cash, hard, No. 2, 68½@71½c; No. 3, 66@68c; No. 2 red, 72@74c; No. 3, 66@70c; No. 2 spring, 68@70c; No. 3, 65@69½c.

CORN—July, 30⅝c; September, 30¾c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 32¾@33c; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3, 32c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 25½c.

RYE—No. 2, 57c.

HAY—Choice timothy, $8.25@8.50; choice prairie, $7.50@7.75.

BUTTER—Creamery, 14½@16½c; dairy, 13c.

EGGS—Are firmly held; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, firsts, 11c, cases returned.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 67,800 bu.; corn, 12,500 bu.; oats, 11,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 21,600 bu.; corn, 1,300 bu.; oats, 3,000 bu.

**Cincinnati Market.**

CINCINNATI, June 12.—FLOUR—Fancy, $3.25@3.40; family, $2.85@2.70.

WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 red, nominal, 75c.

CORN—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 35c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 27@28c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2, 45c.

PROVISIONS—Bulk meats, steady at $4.75; bacon, fair demand at $5.70.

WHISKY—Steady, $1.26.

EGGS—Steady at 10½c.

CHEESE—Firm; good to prime Ohio flat, 8@8½c.

**Toledo Market.**

TOLEDO, O., June 12.—WHEAT—Active, weak; No. 2 cash, 77c; July, 77½c.

CORN—Higher; No. 2 mixed, 34½c.

OATS—Dull, steady; No. 2 mixed, 26c.

RYE—Dull, higher; No. 2 cash, 58c.

SEEDS—Cloverseed, active, higher; prime cash, new, $3.80 bid; October, $4.60.

**Peoria Market.**

PEORIA, June 12.—CORN—Steady; No. 2, 32¾c.

OATS—Inactive, steady; No. 2 white, 25@26½c.

WHISKY—Firm, on the basis of $1.26 for finished goods.

**Elgin Butter Market.**

ELGIN, Ill., June 12.—BUTTER—Firm; offerings, 264 tubs; sales, 176 tubs, at 18c.

**New York Dry Goods Market.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—The week opened with general conditions unchanged in all lines of cotton goods. Staples in brown bleached and coarse colored lines are quiet, but sellers are very firm. Dark fancy prints again in good request and tone of market very firm. Staple prints steady with fair sales. Ginghams are firm throughout; white goods scarce and firm. Print cloths inactive at 2¾c for regulars. Woolens and worsteds steady with fair demand.

**Coffee Market.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at unchanged prices, ruled moderately active, with scarcely any variation, while showing a weak undertone under unsatisfactory European and Rio cables and continued large receipts at Santos. Closed quiet. Sales, 11,750 bags, including July, $4.65@4.70; August, $4.75; September, $4.80; December, $5.20@5.25; March, $5.40. Spot coffee, Rio dull; mild, quiet.

## MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

**American Steel and Affiliations the Center of Attraction.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—There was evidence of large buying by powerful financial interests in a limited number of stocks and of manipulation to advance prices in the stock market today. Speculation otherwise was in a somewhat quiescent state. Outside of the special cases where prices were supported, the tone was rather heavy. Many of the railroads ranged downward within the limits of a point during the early trading. There was organized buying throughout the day of Federal Steel, which was marked up nearly 3 points and closed almost at the top. There was some sentimental effect exerted by this on other steel stocks American Steel and Wire responding late in the day on covering shorts. But none of the gains in the group were well held outside of Federal Steel. The so-called Flower stocks were all well supported and Brooklyn Transit shared its strength with Metropolitan Street Railway and Manhattan. This group of New York Traction stocks showed the effects of realizing from time to time during the day and Manhattan only changed below last night's close by its weight. The Grangers were taken up at one time, St. Paul in the lead, but did not retain all of the gain and in some instances more than lost. The coalers were pretty well sustained also. Other points of strength were Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis, which rose 3¾; Chicago Terminal preferred, Denver & Rio Grande issues and the newly issued Wisconsin Central stocks.

Sugar fluctuated up and down during the whole day, but always above Saturday's level. It rose at one time 3 points, but lost it all before the close. There was no evidence of outside demand to keep the market up and the railroad group showed itself affected by the heavy tone of the foreign stock exchanges on account of political disquiet. The announcement of the resignation of the French ministry helped the late reaction in prices. The engagement of an additional $2,000,000 of gold for export tomorrow, although the probability of it had been intimated, also weighed on the market. No effect was apparent in the money market, which continued decidedly easy. Exchange also, though it hardened a shade, continues a broad fraction below the point where experts can figure a profit on gold exports.

It is, in fact, generally admitted that the gold movement is due to the actual buying of the gold in this market to replenish the reserve of the Bank of England and probably also for Russian purposes. This is a precisely similar operation to that undertaken by the United States government through a syndicate to replenish the gold in the treasury during the last administration. It is to be noted that while the foreign money markets are thus drawing on New York for gold as the most available source, New York banks are offering special inducements such as paying the expressage on bills remitted by interior correspondents to secure a supply of legal tender notes to meet the demand of active business conditions. The market for railroad bonds was dull and sluggish and changes are mixed. Total sales, par value, $2,500,000. United States 3s and the 5s declined ⅛ in the bid price.

Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram: The markets here were decidedly better today on more favorable news of the African situation. A rumor was circulated that England has bought and will shortly occupy Delagoa bay. American securities above parity yesterday. New York bought at first, but later sold Atchison preferred and Northern Pacific common and the whole list dropped back, closing well below the best. Denver preferred and St. Paul were the strongest features. Louisville & Nashville were in some request on dividend expectations. Spanish 4s were 64¾; tintos were 47¼; Anacondas were 10¾. The bank bought £251,000 American gold coin and £24,000 was withdrawn. Silver was weak.

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

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison | 18 | do. pfd. | 71 |
| do. pfd. | 56¼ | do. 2d pfd. | 36½ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 67 | St. L. & S. W. | 12½ |
| Canada Pacific | 97¾ | do. pfd. | 33¼ |
| Canada So. | 53¼ | St. Paul | 127¾ |
| Central Pacific | 1¾ | do. pfd. | 172½ |
| Ches. & Ohio | 25¼ | St. P. & O. | 99¾ |
| Chi. & Alton | 160 | do. pfd. | 170 |
| C., B. & Q. | 133⅝ | So. Pacific | 32½ |
| C. & E. I. | 95 | So. Railway | 11 |
| do. pfd. | 124 | do. pfd. | 56⅝ |
| C. & N. W. | 137¾ | Texas & Pacific | 19⅝ |
| C. L. & L. | 9 | Union Pacific | 41¾ |
| do pfd. | 39 | do. pfd. | 75¾ |
| C. & N. W. | 155¼ | Wabash | 7½ |
| do. pfd. | 192 | do. pfd. | 20½ |
| C., C., C. & St. L. | 54¼ | W. & L. E. new | 19¾ |
| do. pfd. | 98¼ | do. 2d pfd. | 24 |
| Del. & Hudson | 119½ | Adams Ex. | 150 |
| Del., L. & W. | 169 | American Ex. | 136 |
| Den. & Rio G. | 23¾ | United States | 46 |
| do. pfd. | 79 | Wells Fargo | 125 |
| Erie (new) | 12⅝ | Am. Cot. Oil | 36⅞ |
| do. 1st pfd. | 35½ | do. pfd. | 91 |
| Ft. Wayne | 184 | Am. Spirits | 10⅞ |
| Gt. Nor. pfd. | 136½ | do. pfd. | 53¾ |
| Illinois Central | 113 | Am. Tobacco | 58 |
| Lake Erie & W. | 15 | do. pfd. | 140 |
| do. pfd. | 67¼ | Cons. Gas | 178 |
| Lake Shore | 206 | Com. Cable Co. | 179 |
| Louis & Nash. | 67¾ | Col. F. & Iron | 45¾ |
| Manhattan L. | 104 | do. pfd. | 96 |
| Met. St. Ry. | 227¾ | Gen. Electric | 119¼ |
| Mich. Cent. | 113 | Haw. Com. Co. | 110 |
| Minn. & St. L. | 58 | Brooklyn R. T. | 117½ |
| do. 2d pfd. | 94 | Int. Paper | 14½ |
| Mo. Pacific | 43¾ | do. pfd. | 70 |
| Mobile & Ohio | 40½ | La Clede Gas | 53¾ |
| M., K. & T. | 12 | Lead | 29 |
| do. pfd. | 34¼ | do. pfd. | 120 |
| N. J. Central | 116¼ | Nat. Lin. Oil | 24½ |
| N. Y. Central | 133¾ | Pacific Mail | 43¾ |
| N. Y., C. & St. L. | 12½ | People's Gas | 120½ |
| do. 1st pfd. | 63 | Pullman Pal. | 156 |
| do. 2d pfd. | 29 | Silver Cert. | 69½ |
| Nor. & West. | 26¾ | S. R. & T. | 7¾ |
| do. pfd. | 69¾ | Sugar | 153¾ |
| Nor. Amer. Co. | 11¾ | do. pfd. | 118⅞ |
| No. Pacific | 48 | T. C. & I. | 64¾ |
| do. pfd. | 76¼ | U. S. Leather | 5⅞ |
| Ontario & W. | 27 | do. pfd. | 71¾ |
| O. R. & N. | 12 | U. S. Rubber | 53¾ |
| do. pfd. | 70¾ | do. pfd. | 110 |
| Pacific Coast | 29¾ | West. Union | 90¼ |
| do. 1st pfd. | 83 | Am. S. W. | 62¾ |
| do. 2d pfd. | 58 | do. pfd. | 96¼ |
| Pittsburg | 184 | Federal Steel | 65¼ |
| Reading | 21¼ | do. pfd. | 83¾ |
| do. 1st pfd. | 60⅞ | Col. So. | 5⅞ |
| R. G. W. | 23 | do. 1st pfd. | 46¾ |
| do. pfd. | 70 | do. 2d pfd. | 9 |
| Rock Island | 114¼ | | |
| St. L. & S. F. | 10⅝ | | |

*Offered.

The total sales of stocks today amounted to 608,382 shares, including: American Steel and Wire, 47,400; American Steel preferred, 3,100; American Sugar, 33,200; American Tinplate, 17,000; American Tobacco, 9,200; Atchison preferred, 17,600; Brooklyn Transit, 63,500; Central Pacific, 3,000; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 28,000; Chicago Great Western, 4,100; Chicago Traction Terminal preferred, 5,000; Consolidated Gas, 5,300; Continental Tobacco, 6,500; Denver & Rio Grande, 19,200; Denver & Rio Grande preferred, 7,400; Federal Steel, 43,500; Federal Steel preferred, 7,900; Louisville & Nashville, 1,100; Manhattan Consolidated, 38,700; Metropolitan, 8,500; Missouri Pacific, 8,500; New York Central, 3,900; Northern Pacific, 6,200; Ontario & Western, 5,900; Peoria, Decatur & Evansville, 3,000; Pennsylvania, 4,400; Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis, 5,500; People's Gas of Chicago, 10,900; Reading first preferred, 9,400; Rock Island, 9,400; St. Paul, 25,700; Southern Railway, 7,200; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 7,700; Union Pacific, 7,100; Union Pacific preferred, 3,700; United States Leather, 4,300; United States Rubber, 4,300; Wisconsin Central, 3,500; Wisconsin Central preferred, 6,400.

**Boston Stock Quotations.**

BOSTON, June 12.—Call loans, 3@4 per cent; time loans, 3½@4½ per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares:

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|---|---|---|---|
| A., T. & S. F. | 17⅞ | West. Elec. | 91¼ |
| do. pfd. | 56½ | do. pfd. | 95 |
| *Am. Sugar | 155¼ | Atchison 4s | 102 |
| do. pfd. | 117 | Wis. Central | 76¼ |
| Bell Telephone | 297 | Adventure | 8 |
| Boston & Albany | 258 | Allouez Min. Co. | 4¾ |
| Boston El. | 108½ | Atlantic | 32 |
| *Bos. & Maine | 185 | Bonton & Mont. | 346 |
| C., B. & Q. | 133¾ | Butte & Boston | 76 |
| Ed. Elec. Ill. | 290 | Calumet & Hecla | 430 |
| Fitchburg pfd. | 138 | Centennial | 36 |
| Gen. Electric | 119½ | Franklin | 19¼ |
| Federal Steel | 64¾ | Humboldt | 2 |
| Mexican Central | 14 | Osceola | 85 |
| Mich. Tel. | 94½ | Parrot | 50¾ |
| N. Y. & N. E. pfd. | 100 | Quincy | 155 |
| Old Colony | 204 | Santa Fe Copper | 12 |
| Old Dominion | 40 | Tamarack | 240 |
| Union Pacific | 41¾ | Winona | 4 |
| Union Land | 7¾ | Wolverines | 45 |
| West End | 94 | Utah | 42 |
| do. pfd. | 116 | | |

*Ex-dividend.

**Foreign Financial.**

PARIS, June 12.—There was a general recovery on the bourse today, operators being impressed by the comparatively quiet manner in which Sunday was passed and by the precautions of the government to preserve order. International securities were in good demand, especially Spanish 4s. Turks were actively bought on dividend anticipations. Rio tintos made a marked advance in sympathy with the improvement in the price of copper. Kaffirs were very firm, especially at the close. London, having ceased selling. Continuing rates were light. Three per cent rentes 102f 17½c for the account. Exchanges on London 25f 20c for checks. Spanish 4s closed at 65.85.

LONDON, June 12.—The market for American securities opened at about parity level and remained steady all day. Business was very restricted. The closing tone was firm. The amount of bullion taken into the Bank of England on balance today was £1,000,000. Gold at Buenos Ayres, 120.85.

BERLIN, June 12.—Home funds were weak on the rumored issue of a new 3 per cent Saxian loan of 60,000,000 marks. Foreign securities were fairly firm and especially Americans. Canadian Pacifics were easier.

FRANKFORT, June 12.—On the bourse the unfavorable influence of the Saxian loan issue took the market by surprise. Spanish is were harder and local securities relapsed.

BUENOS AYRES, June 12.—The gold quotation today was 117.70.

MADRID, June 12.—Spanish 4s closed today at 67.40. Gold was quoted at 22.00.

**New York Money Market.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—MONEY—On call, steady at 2@3 per cent; last loan at 2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firmer, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87⅝@4.88 for demand and $4.85¾@4.86 for sixty days; posted rates, $4.86½@4.87 and $4.89; commercial bills, $4.85@4.85¼.

SILVER CERTIFICATES—60½@62c; bar, 60½c.

MEXICAN DOLLARS—48½c.

BONDS—Government bonds weak; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds were:

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|---|---|---|---|
| U. S. 2s, reg. | 101 | M. K. & T. 2ds | 67 |
| U. S. 3s, reg. | 109¼ | M. K. & T. 4s | 93¾ |
| U. S. 3s, coup. | 109¾ | N. Y. C. 1sts | 115¾ |
| U. S. new 4s, reg. | 130¾ | N. J. C. 5s | 121¼ |
| U. S. 4s coup. | 130¾ | N. C. 6s | 127¾ |
| U. S. old 4s, reg. | 112¾ | N. C. 4s | 104 |
| U. S. 4s coup. | 113¾ | No. Pacific 1sts | 113 |
| U. S. 5s, reg. | 112¾ | No. Pacific 3s | 68 |
| U. S. 5s, coup. | 112¾ | No. Pacific 4s | 104¾ |
| District 3.65s | 119 | N. Y., C. & St. L. 4s | 107¾ |
| Ala., class A | 110¾ | N. & W. con. 4s | 95¾ |
| Ala., class B | 110 | N. & W. gen 6s | 132 |
| Ala., class C | 110 | Ore. N. 1sts | 114 |
| Ala., Currency | 100 | Ore. N. 4s | 102¾ |
| Atchison 4s | 102¾ | O. S. L. 6s t. r. | 132¾ |
| Do. adj. 4s | 83¾ | O. S. L. 5s t. r. | 115 |
| Canada So. 2ds | 111 | Reading 4s | 90 |
| C. & O. 4½s | 95 | R. G. W. 1sts | 100¾ |
| C. & O. 5s | 110 | St. L. & I.M. con 5s | 111¾ |
| C. & N. W. con 7s | 144 | St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6s | 120 |
| do S. F. deb. 5s | 122¾ | St. P. Consols | 171 |
| Chi. Terms. 4s | 102 | St. P. C. & P. 1sts | 124 |
| *D. & R. G. 1sts | 106⅛ | St. P. C. & P. 5s | 122¾ |
| D. & R. G. 4s | 103¾ | So. Ry. 5s | 111¼ |
| East Tenn. 1sts | 105¾ | S. R. & T. 6s | 87 |
| Erie Gen. 4s | 72¾ | Tenn. new set 3s | 95 |
| F. W. & D. 1sts, t.r. | 81¼ | T. P. 1sts | 114¾ |
| *Gen. Elec. 5s | 121 | T. P. 2ds | 85¾ |
| I. & A. 8s | 113¾ | U. P. 4s | 104¾ |
| G. H. & S. A. 2ds | 114¾ | Wab. 1sts | 116 |
| H. & T. Cent. 5s | 113 | Wab. 2ds | 99¾ |
| H. & T. C. con. 6s | 109 | W. Shore 4s | 113¾ |
| Iowa C. 1sts | 75 | Wis. Cent. 1sts | 79 |
| K. C. P. & G. 1sts | 65¾ | Va. Centuries | 85¾ |
| La. New Con. 4s | 110¾ | *Va. deferred | 8¾ |
| L. & N. Uni. 4s | 98¾ | Colorado South'n 4s | 89¾ |

*Offered.

**New York Mining Quotations.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—The following are the closing prices for mining shares:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cholar | 28 | Ontario | 800 |
| Crown Point | 20 | Ophir | 100 |
| Con. Cal. & Va. | 150 | Plymouth | 10 |
| Deadwood | 50 | Quicksilver | 200 |
| Gould & Curry | 25 | do pfd | 750 |
| Hale & Norcross | 50 | Sierra Nevada | 68 |
| Homestake | 6900 | Standard | 225 |
| Iron Silver | 65 | Union Con. | 98 |
| Mexican | 40 | Yellow Jacket | 37 |

**London Stock Quotations.**

LONDON, June 12.—4 p. m.—Closing:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Consols, money | 108 9-16 | N. Y. Central | 134¾ |
| Consols, acct. | 108 11-16 | Pennsylvania | 67⅝ |
| Can. Pacific | 101¼ | Reading | 16⅝ |
| Erie | 13¼ | U. P. pfd. | 77⅝ |
| do. 1st pfd. | 35⅞ | Ichison | 18¾ |
| Illinois Central | 116¼ | L. & N. | 69¼ |
| Nor. Pacific pfd. | 78¾ | Grand Trunk | 10¼ |
| St. Paul common | 129¾ | Anaconda | 10⅝ |

BAR SILVER—Dull, 27⅝d per ounce.

MONEY—4@4¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 2 3-16 per cent; for three months' bills, 2 3-16@2¼ per cent.

**Financial Notes.**

NEW YORK, June 12.—Clearings, $97,746,692; balances, 7,522,400.

BOSTON, June 12.—Clearings, $16,618,025; balances, $1,056,621.

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