COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

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CORN STEADY EARLY, BUT GROWS WEAKER

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CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—Lack of public support again resulted disastrously for wheat today, December closing 3c under yesterday. Corn closed ½c off and oats ⅛c lower. The chief grain trade is now in the September options. Provisions closed 12½@15c down.

The wheat market held fairly steady during the forenoon under influence from Liverpool and the cash buying year ago; 150,000 bushels, were sold here for export. December opened at 70@70⅛c, touched 77⅛c, dropped to 70¾@70⅞c and then rallied to 77⅝c. Shorts were the best buyers. No particular cash support was forthcoming, however, but in its stead there was selling by St. Louis interests. This discouraged the early buyers, who unloaded. December under the pressure declined to 70⅝@70¾c, at which figure it closed ⅛c under yesterday. New York reported 320 car loads taken for export. Clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 350,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,113,000 bushels, compared with 1,248,000 bushels last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 577 cars, against 427 last week and 746 a year ago. Local receipts were 212 cars, four of contract grade. A late cable reported severe frosts in Argentina. The government report, due after trading hours, as usual curtailed business.

Corn was dull and though steady early finally eased in sympathy with the wheat weakness. The heavy local shipments, 900,000 bushels, during the last twenty-four hours, had a stimulating effect early. Receipts were 384 cars. Shipping sales were 120,000 bushels. The seaboard reported 19 carloads taken for export. December sold between 35⅝@36c, down at 35¾@35⅞c, closing 35⅞c, down ⅛c.

Business in oats was of the slimmest proportions—slimmer than usual because of the expected government figures. Receipts were 424 cars. December sold between 22⅝@22¾c and closed ⅛c lower at 22⅝c.

Provisions were quiet and weak under the influence of heavy hog receipts. January pork sold between $17.75@17.90, and closed 25c lower at $17.82½. January lard between $9.90@9.97½, closing 12½c down at $9.90, and January ribs between $8.27½@8.45, with the close 12½c depressed at $8.35.

Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 200 cars; corn, 490 cars; oats, 275 cars; hogs, 35,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat					
Oct.	70	70	69⅞	70⅛	70⅛
Dec.	70¾	70⅞	70¾	70⅞	70⅞
May	70⅞	71⅛	70⅞	71⅛	71⅛
*Corn					
Oct.	40⅞	40⅞	40½	40⅝	40⅞
Nov.	37⅝	37⅝	37⅛	37¼	37½
Dec.	36⅝	36⅝	35¾	35⅞	36⅛
*Oats					
Oct.	22	22	21⅞	21⅞	22
Nov.	22⅛	22⅛	21⅞	21⅞	22⅛
Dec.	22½	22⅝	22½	22⅝	22½
Pork					
Oct.	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Nov.	16.40	16.40	16.35	16.37½	16.60
Jan.	17.75	17.75	17.50	17.50	17.77½
Lard					
Oct.	7.27½	7.30	7.25	7.25	7.35
Nov.	7.32½	7.35	7.17½	7.20	7.37½
Jan.	6.87½	6.90	6.77½	6.80	6.92½
Ribs					
Oct.	7.95	7.95	7.80	7.80	8.10
Nov.	7.20	7.20	7.00	7.10	7.35
Jan.	6.20	6.22½	6.15	6.15	6.27½

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $3.90@4.10; straights, $3.20@3.40; clears, $3.20@3.40; spring specials, $4.00@4.20; patents, $3.60@4.10; straights, $3.10@3.40; bakers, $2.20@2.35.

WHEAT—No. 3, 71¾@77c; No. 2 red, 75½@76c.

CORN—No. 2, 40⅝@41¼c; No. 2 yellow, 40⅞c.

OATS—No. 2, 22⅝c; No. 2 white, 26½c; No. 3 white, 26½@25½c.

RYE—No. 2, 51½c.

BARLEY—Fair to choice malting, 50@55c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flax, $1.66; No. 1 northwestern, $1.67; prime timothy, $4.20@4.30; clover, contract grade, $10.25.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl, $18.00@18.50. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7.30@7.35. Short ribs sides (loose), $8.10@8.35. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), 6½@6¾c. Short clear sides (boxed), $8.30@8.40.

WHISKY—Basis of high wines, $1.27.

SUGAR—Cut loaf, $5.60, granulated, $4.10; confectioners' A, 4⅞c off A.

Following are the receipts and shipments of the principal grains:

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	20,000	11,000
Wheat, bu.	236,000	111,000
Corn, bu.	578,000	93,000
Oats, bu.	496,000	315,000
Rye, bu.	15,000	1,000
Barley, bu.	144,000	22,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 16@21c; dairies, 15@18c. Cheese, firm, 10¼@11¼c. Eggs, firm, fresh, 16c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—FLOUR—Receipts, 25,984 bbls.; exports, 2,403 bbls.; sales, 6,900 pkgs. The market was again neglected and lower with wheat. Minnesota patents, $4.20@4.50; Minnesota bakers, $3.00@3.40; winter patents, $3.75@4.00; winter straights, $3.50@3.65; winter extras, $2.20@2.60; winter low grades, $2.40@2.60. Rye flour steady; sales, 100 bbls.; cheap to fancy, $3.25@3.70. Buckwheat flour, quiet, $2.15@2.20.

BUCKWHEAT—Quiet, 60@62c, c. i. f., New York.

CORNMEAL—Easy; yellow western, 85c; Brandywine, $2.40@2.60.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 60c, f. o. b., afloat.

BARLEY—Quiet, feeding, 44@46c, c. i. f., Buffalo; malting, 52@55c, c. i. f., Buffalo.

BARLEY MALT—Dull; western, 62@68c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 38,000 bu.; exports, 47,398 bu.; sales, 1,120,000 bu. futures, 200,000 bu. spot. Spot, weak. No. 2 red, 80½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red, 79½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 87½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 hard Duluth, 88½c, f. o. b., afloat. Options had an irregular session and were steady to firm on a little foreign buying, they reacted under fine weather conditions and local liquidation only to rally again on firm closing and English cables. Late in the day they broke again under liquidation. Sales included: No. 2 red, March, 78⅞@78⅞c; May, 80⅛@80⅛c; closed, 80⅛c; December, 78⅞@79c, closed, 78⅞c; December, 81@81 1-16c; closed, 81⅛c.

CORN—Receipts, 292,382 bu.; exports, 251,659 bu.; sales, 950,000 bu. futures, 40,000 bu. spot. Spot, easier. No. 2, 47½c, elevator. Option market was firmer at first on local covering, but yielded subsequently to favorable weather news, favorable cables and the break in wheat. Closed easy at ⅛c net loss; May, 41⅝@41¾c, closed, 41⅝c; December, 46⅞@46¾c, closed, 46⅝c; December, 42@42¼c; closed, 42c.

OATS—Receipts, 2,300 bu. Spot, easier; No. 2, 25½@26c; No. 3, 25c; No. 3 white, 27½c; track mixed western, 24@29c; track white western, 28@33c; track white state, 26@33c. Options nominally dull.

FEED—Steady; spring bran, $16.50@17.00; middling, $17.00@19.50; winter bran, $17.00@19.00; city, $17.00@17.50.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 75@77½c; good to choice, 82½@85c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1899 crop, 16@18c; old olds, 2@5c; Pacific coast, 1899 crop, 16@18c; old olds, 2@5c.

HIDES—Firm; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 18½c; Texas dry, 24 to 35 lbs., 18c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavyweight, 23½@28½c; acid, 22½@23½c.

WOOL—Dull; domestic fleece, 29@32c; Texas, 15@18c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, quiet; family, $10.50@11.00; mess, $9.00@9.50; beef hams, $20.00@21.00; packet, $10.00@10.50; city, extra India mess, $16.00@17.00. Cut meats, dull; pickled bellies, $9.00@11.00; pickled shoulders, $8.25; pickled hams, $9.50@10.25. Lard, easy; western steamed, $7.65. October closed at $7.65; nominal; refined, dull; continent, $7.85; South America, $7.85; compound, $5.75@6.25. Pork, firm; family, $18.00@19.00; short clear, $16.50@17.00; mess, $14.50@15.50.

TALLOW—Easy; city, 4¾c; country, 4¾@5c.

RICE—Firm; domestic, fair to extra, 5¾@6¾c; January, 6⅝@6⅞c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 40@50c.

POTATOES—Quiet; Jerseys, $1.00@1.25.

BUTTER—Receipts, 10,035 pkgs.; firmer; creamery, 16@21c; June creamery, 17@20½c; factory, 12½@16c.

CHEESE—Receipts, 6,664 pkgs.; market dull; large, white and colored, 10¾c; small, white and colored, 10¾c.

EGGS—Receipts, 4,267 pkgs.; strong; western, regular packing, at mark, 15@15½c; western, loss off, 20c.

METALS—General dullness prevailed throughout the entire session of the market today. There was an advance of £1 abroad. The close was firm at $28.75@29.00; the rest of the list was entirely nominal. Pig iron warrants were quoted at $9.00@19.00, with an easy undertone. Lake copper was unchanged at $16.75@17.00. Lead and spelter ruled dull at unchanged prices on the basis of $4.37½ and $4.12½, respectively. The price fixed by the brokers for lead was $4.37½ and the copper $16.87½.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Products.

EGGS—Receipts, light; good stock, firm at 16c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 6@6½c; roosters, 4c; spring chickens, 9@10c; ducks, 6@8c; geese, 6@7c; turkeys, 9c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Hens, 8@9c; roosters, 5@6c; ducks and geese, 8@9c per pound; turkeys, 12@14c; spring chickens, 12@14c.

GAME—Prairie chickens, per dozen, $2.00@2.50; mallard ducks, per dozen, $3; teal, $1.50@2.00; mixed, $1.50@1.75; jacksnipe, $1.25@1.50.

BUTTER—Common to fair, 12½c; choice, 15@16c; separator, 20c; gathered creamery, 19@20c.

FRESH OYSTERS—First grade, select packs, New York counts, per can, 40c; extra selects, 35c; standards, 25c; second grade, stack packs, New York counts, per can, 25c; extra selects, 20c; standards, 20c.

POTATOES—Per bushel, 40@45c.

VEALS—Choice, 8@9c.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Hay Dealers' association: Choice upland, $8; No. 1 upland, $6.50; medium, $5; coarse, $4; live straw, $5.50. These prices are for hay of good quality and condition. Demand fair and prices weak. Receipts, 7 cars.

OATS—No. 3 white, 26c.

CORN—No. 2, 36c.

BRAN—$13.00.

VEGETABLES.

CUCUMBERS—Per dozen, 20@25c.

NEW TURNIPS—Per bushel basket, 60c.

NEW BEETS—Per bushel, 60@75c.

NEW CARROTS—Per dozen bunches, 25c.

LETTUCE—Per dozen, 10@15c.

RADISHES—Home grown, per dozen, 15c.

BEANS—Wax, per half bushel basket, 40c; string, 35c.

POTATOES—Per bu bu, 40@50c; sweet potatoes, per bushel, 75@90c.

CABBAGE—Home grown, per pound, 1½c; Holland seed, 1½c.

TOMATOES—Home grown, per half bushel basket, 50c.

ONIONS—Home grown, per bushel, 50@60c.

CELERY—Nebraska, 20@40c.

FRUITS

PEACHES—California freestones, $1; clings, 90c; Utah freestones, $1@90c.

PLUMS—California, per crate, $1.00@1.10; per box, 65c.

PEARS—Per box, $1.75@2.00.

GRAPES—California Tokays, 4-basket crate, $1.50; Delaware and Niagara, per 5-lb. basket, 15c; eastern Concords, 17@18c.

WATERMELONS—According to size, 10@15c each.

APPLES—Native, 75c@$1.00 per bu.; per bbl., $2.50, according to size; $3@3.00 per bbl.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl, $6; per crate, $2.25.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

LEMONS—California, extra fancy, $4.50; choice, $4.

BANANAS—Per bunch, according to size, $2@2.25.

FIGS—California, new cartons, $1; layers, 50c.

MISCELLANEOUS

NUTS—English walnuts, per lb., 12@13c; filberts, per lb., 12c; almonds, per lb., 16@18c; raw peanuts, per lb., 4½@5c; roasted, 6@7½c.

HIDES—No. 1 green, 6½c; No. 2 green, 5½c; No. 1 salted, 7½c; No. 2 salted, 6½c; veal calf, 1 to 12 lbs., 8c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 6c.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 10.—WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, elevator, 73½c; track, 75c; October, 73½c; December, 70⅝c; No. 2 hard, 71⅝@72½c.

CORN—Firm; No. 2 cash, 38½c; track, 40c; December, 36⅝@36¾c; year, 33½c.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 cash, 22c; track, 22½@23c; October, 22c; December, 22⅛c; No. 2 white, 27½c.

RYE—Firm at 57½c.

FLOUR—Quiet, steady and unchanged.

SEEDS—Timothy, steady at $4.25@4.40; flax higher at $1.68.

CORNMEAL—Steady at $2.05@2.10.

BRAN—Easier; east track, 70c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $10.50@13.00; prairie, $9.00@10.05.

WHISKY—Steady at $1.27.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.35.

BAGGING—$8.10@8.85.

HEMP TWINE—$9.00.

METALS—Spelter, Dull at $3.95. Lead, quiet, unchanged.

PROVISIONS—Steady; chickens, 7c; young, 7½c; turkeys, 7c; young, 7½c; ducks, 6½@7c; geese, 6c.

EGGS—Steady at 14½c.

BUTTER—Quiet; creamery, 17@21½c; dairy, 15@17c.

PROVISIONS—Pork: Steady; jobbing, $18.50. Lard, lower; choice, $7.77. Dry salt meats, boxed lots, lower; extra shorts, $8.75; clear ribs, $8.75½; clear sides, $9.00. Bacon, loose lots, lower; extra shorts, $9.00; clear ribs, $9.62½; clear sides, $9.75.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 5,000 bbls.; wheat, 58,000 bu.; corn, 51,000 bu.; oats, 45,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 7,000 bbls.; wheat, 57,000 bu.; corn, 55,000 bu.; oats, 14,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 10.—WHEAT—December, 68½c; May, 54¾c; cash, No. 2 hard, 69@71½c; No. 3, 65@66c; No. 2 red, 72½c; No. 3, 69@72c.

CORN—December, 32⅝@32¾c; May, 33¾@33⅞c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 38c; No. 2 white, 39½c; No. 3, 39c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 25½@26½c.

RYE—No. 2, 55c.

FLAX SEED—Choice timothy, $10.00; choice prairie, $4.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, 18@20c; dairy, fancy, 17c.

EGGS—Steady; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, 12½c doz., loss off, cases returned; new white wood cases included, ½c more.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 91,500 bu.; corn, 39,300 bu.; oats, 12,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 98,400 bu.; corn, 9,800 bu.; oats, 3,000 bu.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 10.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 red western, steady, at 6s 7½d; No. 1 northern spring, steady, at 6s 6½d. No. 1 California, quiet, at 6s 6½d. Futures quiet; December, 6s 3½d; February, 6s 4d.

CORN—Spot, firm; American mixed, new, 4s 10½d. American mixed, old, nominal. Futures, quiet; November, 4s 5d; December, 4s 4½d; January, 3s 11¾d.

PROVISIONS—Pork, prime mess, western, quiet, at 71s 3d. Bacon, quiet; shoulders, square, firm, at 34s 3d. Lard, prime western, in tierces quiet, at 39s.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 10.—WHEAT—Dull and lower; November, 79½c; December, 80½c; May, 84½c.

CORN—Fairly active and lower; cash and October, 41c; December and October, 41c; December, 39c.

OATS—Dull; cash, 22c.

RYE—Neglected.

CLOVERSEED—Active and steady, $9.50; prime cash, $6.35; December, $7.10; March, $7.00.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—BUTTER—Firm; sale higher; fancy western creamery, 21c; fancy prints, 24c.

EGGS—Firm; fresh nearby, 16c; southwestern, 15c; southern, 15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; full cream, fancy small, 11½c; fair to choice, 10¾@11¼c.

Duluth Market.

DULUTH, Oct. 10.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard, 80½c; No. 1 northern, 78½c; No. 2 northern, 76½c; No. 2 spring, 75½c; to arrive, No. 1 hard, 80½c; No. 1 northern, 78½c; October, 76½c; December, 78½c; May, 81½c.

OATS—25@25½c.

CORN—40½c.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 10.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 1 northern, 80@80½c; No. 2 northern, 77@78½c.

RYE—Lower; No. 1, 54½@55c.

BARLEY—Dull; No. 2, 53@56c; sample 46@50c.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 10.—WHEAT—October, 77½c; December, 77½c; May, 79½c; No. 1 hard, 79½c; No. 1 northern, 77½c; No. 2 northern, 75@76½c.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—COFFEE—No. 7 invoice, 8½c; mild, quiet; cordova, 9½c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 10 points in response to weakness in Brazilian markets under heavy Brazilian receipts and moderate selling. Buying was checked by easy spot market and predictions of further large receipts, closed steady with prices 15 points lower; total sales, 26,250 bags, including October, $7.05; December, $7.20@7.25; January, $7.30; February, $7.40; March, $7.40@7.45; May, $7.55; July, $7.60.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Quiet but steady. A fair business was noticed for choice and fancy grades in evaporated apples. Other varieties were in moderate demand and steady. Supply on hand continued firm and this served to check any further advance in price. Prune juice at 4½@4¾c; choice, 5½c. Cury, 6@6½c. Prunes were quoted from 2½@3½c per lb. as to size and quality. Apricots royal, 11@11½c; Moor Park, 15@16c. Peaches, peeled, 16@20c; unpeeled, 13c.

Sugar Market.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 10.—SUGAR—Market steady; centrifugal, yellow, 4⅝@5 1-16c; seconds, 3¾@4 5-16c.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—SUGAR—Beet, October, 9s 3½d.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 4¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4⅝c; molasses sugar, 4c; refined, steady.

New York Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Some improvement in the demand for cotton goods today, but business was not large; very good tone throughout the market. Bleached are selling at latest advances. Print cloths quiet but firm. Some advances of ⅛c in prints. No change in gingham. Mills were well sold up on cotton goods and prospects are regular. Woolen and worsted goods for spring opening up with fair demand.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

International Exchange and Rates for Money Take Market's Attention.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Action on the stock market was very much overshadowed by the money outlook. International exchange and the rates for money on foreign markets attracted more attention than did news of domestic events except as those affected some special properties. What small interests there was in stocks was mostly centered on the specialties and the movements of prices therein were irregular. People's Gas was rather strongly depressed on the news of a general issue of injunctions to prevent the companies from charging more than 40 cents for gas while that rate was asserted to any of its customers. Lead was weakened, apparently in sympathy. Sugar and Tennessee Coal and Iron broke down over a point on rather free selling. Manhattan, on the contrary, showed a continuance of its recent strength during the early dealings and Brooklyn Transit bumped up some dividend. American Tin Plate in the industrial group rose over a point and Hocking Valley, Reading and Texas, the last named stock three additional points were all wiped out in the late reaction. The heaviness of the general list became marked after only brief resistance. The movement of prices was very narrow and dealings so small that the changes are not important, but practically all of them were losses. The large decrease in earnings of St. Paul for the first week in October was a depressing factor. More loans were called today and the rate was marked up to 4 per cent before new accommodation could be found. This was the dominant influence in the market and the renewed fall in sterling exchange, which carried the rate down to the new level of gold imports, seemed to have little influence in offsetting the effect of the higher money rate. The sale of a million and a quarter of gold coin to go to the interior and the drafts paid for the institution during the week marked gold deposited at Pacific coast points are this significant. At the present rate of depletion of New York bank reserves it is evident that Saturday's statement will show the surplus almost obliterated unless it shall be offset by a drastic contraction of loans. Another $500,000 was engaged in London today for shipment to New York, but the discount rates promptly responded with advances extending to ⅝ per cent and it is generally believed that the Bank of England will advance the official rate tomorrow, as the prevailing rate has now gone above it. The sensitiveness of the foreign markets to the threatened withdrawal of gold detracts from the beneficial effect on speculation here. The reported pause on the Vienna Bourse yesterday gives an unpleasant impression. Today's violent break in the prices of cotton and the unexpectedly favorable character of the government's monthly report on cotton give rise to the further question of what effect these developments may have on the movement of cotton to market, which is now the dominating influence in both the money and foreign exchange markets. There were firm spots in the bond market, but business was very dull. Total sales par value, $530,000. United States coupon 3s and old 4s declined ¼ per cent and new 4s advanced ¼ per cent on last call.

The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram: The flatness in the market here continued today. Business in the exchange was 40@45 for Northern Pacific and 5 for St. Paul. The bank lost £50,000 for an unstated destination. The week's outflow was £759,000. It was said here that more gold has been engaged for America.

The following are the closing prices on the New York Stock exchange:

Atchison	27½	Union Pacific	37⅝
do pfd	69¾	do pfd	75¾
Baltimore & Ohio	38	Wabash	7
Canadian Pacific	58	do pfd	17¼
Canada So.	50	Wheeling & L. E.	11
Ches. & Ohio	23¾	do 2d pfd	23¾
Chicago G. W.	19¾	Wis. Central	19
C., B. & Q.	124¾	Third Avenue	140
Chi. Ind. & L.	23	Adams Ex.	120
do pfd	53	American Ex.	150
*Chicago & E. Ill.	96	U. S. Ex.	45
Chicago & N. W.	169	Wells-Fargo Ex.	125
C., R. I. & P.	109½	Am. Cot. Oil	33¼
C. C. C. & St. L.	61	do pfd	88
Colorado So.	5¼	Amer. Malting	4
do 1st pfd	26½	do pfd	22½
do 2d pfd	14	Am. S. & R.	25¾
Del. Lack. & W.	170	do pfd	108¼
Denver & R. G.	15¾	Amer. Spirits	1
do pfd	86¾	do pfd	11
Erie	11½	Amer. S. Hoop	18
do 1st pfd	37¾	Amer. S. & W.	22¾
do 2d pfd	15¾	do pfd	70¾
Illinois Central	116	Amer. Tin Plate	21¾
Iowa Central	17¾	do pfd	97
do pfd	36	Amer. Tobacco	138
Lake Erie & W.	24½	do pfd	138
do pfd	95	**Anac. Min. Co.	42¾
Lake Shore	206	Brooklyn R. T.	72¾
L. & N.	79½	Colo. Fuel & I.	33½
Manhattan L.	94	Con. Tobacco	21¾
Met. St. Railway	130¾	do pfd	74¾
Mexican Central	14	Federal Steel	35¾
Minn. & St. L.	34	do pfd	67¾
do pfd	91	Gen. Electric	198
Mo. Pacific	49¾	Glucose Sugar	49¾
Nashv. & Chato	87	do pfd	97
M., K. & T.	9¾	Indep. Paper	12
do pfd	21	do pfd	47
N. J. Central	135	Laclede Gas	91
N. Y. Central	128	National Biscuit	43
Norfolk & W.	24¾	do pfd	88
do pfd	76	National Lead	11
No. Pacific	49	do pfd	97
do pfd	69¾	National Steel	36
Ontario & W.	19	do pfd	84
Ore. Ry. & Nav.	42	N. Y. Air Brake	119
do pfd	90	Nat. American	15¾
Pennsylvania	125¾	Pacific Coast	57
Reading	17¾	do 1st pfd	85
do 1st pfd	37¾	do 2d pfd	70
do 2d pfd	27¾	Pacific Mail	34¾
Rio G. W.	19	Pressed S. Car	37¾
do pfd	49	do pfd	75
St. L. & S. F.	16¾	Pullman P. Car	185
do 1st pfd	64	S. R. & T.	4¾
do 2d pfd	34½	Sugar	115
St. L. Southw.	17	do pfd	116½
do pfd	34¾	Tenn. Coal & Iron	75¾
St. Paul	126¾	U. S. Leather	8¾
do pfd	169	do pfd	87¾
St. P. & Omaha	128	U. S. Rubber	19¾
St. Paul	224	do pfd	57
So. Railway	11¾	Western Union	79¾
do pfd	54¾	Republic I. & S.	13¾
Texas & Pacific	12½	do pfd	57¾
		P. C. C. & St. L.	95

*Offered. **Ex-dividend.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—MONEY—On call, firmer at 2@3 per cent; last loan at 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85⅝ for demand and at $4.82⅝ for sixty days; postal rates, $4.84@4.84½; commercial bills, $4.79¾@4.80.

SILVER—Certificates, 62⅞@64⅝c; bar, 63½c; Mexican dollars, 50½c.

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

The closing prices on bonds today are as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	96¾	N. Y. C. 1s	99
do coupon	96¾	N. Y. C. gen. 5s	132
U. S. 3s reg.	109¾	N. Pacific 3s	74¾
do coupon	110¾	Nor. Pac. 4s	96
U. S. 4s reg.	132¾	N. Y. C. & S. L. 4s	107
do coupon	133¾	N. & W. consol 5s	115
do old 4s reg.	112¾	Ore. Nav. 1s	110
do coupon	112¾	do 4s	101
do 5s reg.	112¾	O. S. L. 5s	120¾
do coupon	113¾	do con. 5s	122
D. C. 3-65s	121	Reading gen. 4s	107¾
Atch. gen. 4s	99	Rio G. W. 1st 4s	87
do adj. 4s	86¾	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	107¾
Canada So. 2s	107	St. L. & S. F. g. 6s	123¾
C., B. & Q. 5s	117¾	St. L. & S. F. g. 5s	117¾
do 4s	99¾	St. L. Iron Mtn. 1st	110¾
C. & N. W. 7s	138	St. P., C. & P. 1st	117¾
do S. F. deb. 5s	121	So. Pacific 4s	78
Chicago Ter. 4s	97¾	So. Railway 5s	108
Cons. 7s	142	do con. 5s	92
C., R. I. & P. 5s	110	Texas & Pacific 1st 5s	112
do 4s	93¾	do 2d 5s	61
Erie general 4s	74	Union Pacific 4s	104¾
F. W. & D. C. 6s	118	Wabash 5s	113¾
*Gen. Electric 5s	127¾	West Shore 4s	112¾
Iowa Central 1s	71	Va. Centuries	97¾
L. & N. un. 4s	98	Va. Centuries 3s	91
M., K. & T. 2s	65¾	do 4s	44
do 4s	93¾		

*When issued. **Off-red.

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—Call loans, 3@4 per cent; time loans, 4½@5 per cent. Official closing:

A., T. & S. F.	27¾	Wis. Central	19¾
do pfd	65	Atchison	18¾
Amer. Sugar	115¾	N. E. G. & C. 5s	94¾
Amer. Tel. Telephone	139	Adventure	4¾
Boston & Albany	247	Allouez M. Co.	1¾
Boston Elevated	157	Amal. Copper	67
Bostonian & Me.	187	Atlantic	25
C., B. & Q.	124¾	Bonanza & Mont.	22
Dominion Coal	38¾	Butte & Boston	59¾
do pfd	122	Calumet & Hecla	762
Federal Steel	37¾	Centennial	18
do pfd	61	Franklin	14
Fitchburg pfd	137¾	Humboldt	25
General Electric	199	Osceola	87
Gen. Electric 10	127	Parrot	47¾
Mexican Central	13¾	Quincy	143
Mich. Telephone	68	Santa Fe Copper	6¾
N. E. G. & C.	94¾	Tamarack	2.50
Old Colony	203	Utah Mining	21
Old Dominion	19¾	Winona	2¾
Union Pacific	37¾	Wolverines	40
Union Land	1½		

Financial Notes.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $6,939,127; balances, $655,726; money, 4@7 per cent; New York exchange, 80c discount bid, 60c discount asked.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $22,565,578; balances, $2,951,511; posted exchange, $4.84@4.87; New York exchange, 30c discount.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $2,200,000; New York exchange, 25c discount; money, 5@6 per cent.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $5,211,000; balances, $4,411,000.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $135,000,000; balances, $6,624,000.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $1,350,000; balances, $326,000.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $23,023,347; balances, $1,000,982.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $13,750,000; balances, $2,000,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—Sterling exchange, sixty days, 4.86@4.86½; sight, 4.87@4.87½; New York exchange, sight, 10@15c; telegraphic transfers, 20@25c.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 10.—Clearings, $1,150,000; balances, $325,000; money, 5 per cent.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The following are the closing quotations for mining shares today:

Adams Con.	15	Omaha Con.	04
Alice	65	Ontario	36
Allouez Mines	1	Ophir	75
Amalgamated	09	Plymouth	17
Am. Zinc	06	Quicksilver	02
Bi-Metallic	70	do pfd	2.00
Butte & Balak.	10	Sierra Nevada	26
Centennial	18	Silver Bow	03
Comstock Tun.	04	Standard	4.00
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.00	Union Con.	25
Deadwood T.	05	Utah	20
Gold Dollar	01	Yellow Jacket	15
Golden Fleece	10		
Homestake	64		
Horn Silver	1.70		
Iron Silver	70		
Lead	40		
Mammoth	02		

London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—4 p. m.—Closing:

Consols, money	98 7-16	Erie	19¾
do account	98 9-16	do 1st pfd	39¾
Atchison	27	do 2d pfd	29¾
Atchison pfd	72	Pennsylvania	56¾
Canadian Pacific	58¾	Reading	9¾
Bar Lead	19½	do 1st pfd	27¾
Bar Silver	29 1-16	do 2d pfd	14¾
Mexican Dollars	23¾	Nor. Pacific pfd	75¾
Rio Tinto	14¾	Union Pacific	37¾
Chartered	1¾	do pfd	75¾
Cons. Gas	217	Rand Mines	4¾
N. Y. Central	127¾		

SILVER—Bar, steady at 26 9-16d per ounce.

MONEY—Higher, per cent.

DISCOUNT RATES—Short bills, 4@4¼ per cent; three months' bills, 4@4¼ per cent.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Although there was a slight recovery in New York exchange there was much nervousness regarding further shipments of gold to New York and the continent. Had it not been for the revived uneasiness in regard to the position of the money market here and New York the advance of pence on the stock exchange during the second week have been more pronounced than usual. The investment demand for home rails was checked. The bulls have been profit-taking. Apart from the arrangement of the settlement there was little doing and the tone was generally dull. There were improved demands for Grand Trunks were adversely affected by traffic reports. The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance today was £27,000. Spanish 4s closed at 79¾. Gold premiums at Buenos Ayres 227.

PARIS, Oct. 10.—Trade on the bourse today opened flat, offers predominating, notwithstanding better Berlin reports. International dealings on a rumor that the Bank of England will raise its rate tomorrow. Later parquet stocks were firmer and industrials were active. Toward the close there was a reaction, owing to the absence of support. Kaffirs were weak. Rio tintos fluctuated and closed weak. Three per cent rentes, 99f 95c for the account; exchange on London, 25f 16c for the account. Spanish 4s closed at 71 45.

BERLIN, Oct. 10.—Home funds were firm on the bourse today. Americans were firm and Canadian Pacifics irregular. Americans opened firm, but later fluctuated and closed lower. Austrian credits improved substantially on better Vienna advices. Exchange on London, 20m 4½pfge for checks. The rate of discount for short bills