COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Moves More Rapidly Than for Some Time Past.

ALL GRAINS CLOSE SOMEWHAT HIGHER

Weak Hogs Cause Provisions to Fall During Day and Close Five to Seven and One-Half Cents Lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—More activity was manifested in wheat on the Board of Trade today than for some time past and higher prices ruled. December closing ⅝@¾c higher. December corn closed ⅛@¼c higher and oats ¼@⅜c higher. January provisions closed 5@7½c lower.

Evidence of a better movement abroad was the leading feature in wheat and caused a firm undertone throughout the day. There was considerable selling early by locals, due to good weather and large receipts in the northwest, and prices had a slight set-back. Commission houses were good buyers, and it was rumored that a prominent bull was buying May, both of which tended to strengthen the market. A good cash demand and predictions of unfavorable weather for the movement were bull factors. After a decline late in the day due to commission house selling there was another rally and the close was near the top. December opened unchanged to ¼c lower at 71¼@71¼c and after selling off to 70¾@70⅞c the price advanced to 71¾c, weakening again near the close, only to finish firm and ⅝@¾c higher at 71⅝@71¾c. Bradstreet's report for the week showed total exports of 5,715,000 bushels, compared with 5,470,000 bushels the same week a year ago. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 471,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,595,000 bushels, against 1,036,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 800 cars, which, with local receipts of 237—17 of contract grade—made total receipts for the three points of 1,037 cars, against 1,013 cars last week and 823 cars a year ago.

Predictions of more unfavorable weather throughout the corn belt, together with a good export demand, were the sustaining features in corn and a firm undertone was manifested. There was a fair trade with commission house buying about the only feature. The close was firm, December up ⅛@¼c at 51c, after selling between 50⅝c and 51c. Local receipts were 274 cars, with 13 of contract grade.

Oats ruled dull, but prices were slightly higher. Covering by shorts was the feature. Buying of May, supposed to be for a prominent bull, was a feature, and locals helped the advance by selling short early, only to buy back later. Selling was scattered. The close was firm, with December up ¼@⅜c at 30½c, ranging between 29⅞c and 30¾c. Local receipts were 397 cars.

Provisions were affected by lower prices for hogs and heavy receipts. A little strength developed early in the day on covering by shorts, but with the demand from that source satisfied the market weakened. The close was steady, with January pork 7½c lower at $15.37½, January lard closed 5@7½c lower at $8.37½, while ribs were 5c lower at $8.17½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 150 cars; corn, 130 cars; oats, 190 cars; hogs, 21,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat					
Nov.	.....	.....	.....	70⅝	70¼
Dec.	71¼@¼	71¾	70⅞@⅞	71⅝@¾	71¼
May	73⅛@¼	73⅞@¾	73⅛	73⅞	73⅛
*Corn—					
Nov.	53	53	53	53	52⅝
Dec.	50⅝@⅞	51	50⅝	51	50⅝@⅞
May	41⅛@42	42⅛	41⅛	42⅛@⅛	42@⅛
*Oats—					
†Dec.	29⅝	30⅛	29⅝	30@⅛	29⅝
May	30⅞@31	31½	30⅞	31⅝	31
Pork—					
Jan.	15 37½	15 47½	15 32½	15 37½	15 45
May	14 47½	14 60	14 45	14 47½	14 55
Lard—					
Nov.	10 37½	10 95	10 37½	10 95	10 95
Dec.	9 90	9 95	9 85	9 95	10 00
Jan.	9 40	9 45	9 37½	9 37½	9 45
May	8 62½	8 60	8 50	8 55	8 60
Ribs—					
Jan.	8 17½	8 25	8 15	8 17½	8 22½
May	7 70	7 75	7 70	7 75	7 80

*No. 2. †New.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $3.40@3.60; winter straights, $3.10@3.20; spring patents, $3.40@3.70; spring straights, $3.20@3.30; bakers, $2.25@2.75.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 71@71½c; No. 3 spring, 66@68½c; No. 2 red, 69½@70⅝c.

CORN—No. 2, 53@54c; No. 2 yellow, 55½@55⅝c.

OATS—No. 2, 28½c; No. 2 white, 36c; No. 3 white, 28⅝@33c.

RYE—No. 2, 46⅝c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 38@42c; fair to choice malting, 43@48c.

SEED—No. 1 flax, $1.17; No. 1 northwestern, $1.22; prime timothy, $3.90; clover, contract grade, $10.75.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $16.87½@17.00. Lard, per 100 lbs., $11.20@11.22½. Short ribs sides (loose), $10.25@10.50. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), $9.75@10.00.

The following were the receipts and shipments of the principal grains:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	40,100	16,700
Wheat, bu.	365,000	20,700
Corn, bu.	189,400	293,100
Oats, bu.	310,400	213,800
Rye, bu.	31,500	3,100
Barley, bu.	81,000	32,500

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 16½@24½c; dairies, 15@22c. Eggs, steady, loss off, cases returned, 22c. Cheese, steady, 11@12c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—FLOUR—Receipts, 19,155 bbls.; exports, 13,998 bbls.; market quiet and steady; winter patents, $3.60@3.90; winter straights, $3.40@3.55; Minnesota patents, $3.85@4.10; winter extras, $2.80@3.10; Minnesota bakers, $3.10@3.15; winter low grades, $2.40@2.90. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, $3.15@3.40; choice to fancy, $3.50@3.55. Buckwheat flour, easy, $2.20@2.25, spot and to arrive.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, $1.28; city, $1.26; Brandywine, $3.40@3.55.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 58½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2, 54@54½c; track, state, 54@54½c, c. i. f., New York.

BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 41c, c. i. f., Buffalo; malting, 49@51c, c. i. f., Buffalo.

WHEAT—Receipts, 142,350 bu.; exports, 16,284 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2 red, 77⅝c, elevator, and 77½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 80½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 82⅝c, f. o. b., afloat. Options were generally firm all day and higher on active export developments, coupled with stronger French cables and good southwest buying. The close in New York was firm at ½@¾c net advance. No. 2 red, May, 77⅝@78 1-16c, closed at 78c; December, 77⅝@78 1-16c, closed at 78⅝c.

CORN—Receipts, 2,100 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2, 65c, elevator, and 66c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 yellow, 67½c; No. 2 white, 67½c. Options opened easy on the weather, rallied and was firm at noon, with wheat, holding steady with a small trade all the afternoon and closing ⅛@¼c net higher. February, 49½c, and closed at 49½c; May, 47⅛@47⅜c, closed at 47⅜c; December, 55⅛@55½c, closed at 55½c.

OATS—Receipts, 57,000 bu.; exports, 10,013 bu. Spot, quiet; No. 2, 34@34½c; standard white, 36⅝@37c; No. 3, 29½@29⅞c; No. 3 white, 36⅝@36½c; track mixed western, nominal; track white western, 35½@37c; track white state, 33½@37c. The option market was quiet and steady, December closing at 35¾c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 55@70c; good to choice, 90@$1.00.

HOPS—Firm; state, common to choice, 1902 crop, 29@37c; 1901 crop, 24@28c; olds, 7@12½c; Pacific coast, 1902 crop, 25@31c; 1901 crop, 22@27c; olds, 7@12½c.

HIDES—Quiet; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 19c; Texas dry, 25 to 30 lbs., 14c.

LEATHER—Quiet; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy, acid, 24@25½c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, quiet; family, $16.00@18.00; mess, $10.50@11.00; beef hams, $20.50@21.50; packet, $14.00@15.50; city, extra India mess, $28.00@28.00. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, $12.25@13.25; pickled shoulders, $8.75; pickled hams, $12.00@12.25. Lard, easy; western steamed, $11.85; November closed at $11.75, nominal; refined, easy; continent, $11.75; South America, $12.25; compound, $7.50@7.75. Pork, easy; family, $20.50@21.00; continent, $11.60; South America, $12.00; short, clear, $21.00; mess, $18.25@18.50.

RICE—Firm; domestic, fair to choice, extra, 4@6¼c; Japan, 4⅝@6c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 6¼c; country, 6⅛@6½c.

BUTTER—Receipts, 3,838 pkgs.; irregular; state dairy, 18@24c; creamery, extra, 25c; creamery, common to choice, 19@24½c.

CHEESE—Receipts, 2,513 pkgs.; quiet, but firm; fancy, large, new, state, full cream, colored and white, 12⅝c; fancy, small, colored and white, old, 12⅝c; new, 12½c.

EGGS—Receipts, 5,613 pkgs.; irregular; state and Pennsylvania, average best, 25c; western, candled, 21@24c.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝c; molasses sugar, 2⅞c; refined, unsettled; crushed, 5.65c; powdered, 4.85c; granulated, 4.85c.

COFFEE—Dull and nominal; No. 7 Rio, 5¼c.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans, 30@40c.

POULTRY—Alive, weak; chickens, 11c; turkeys, 10@11c; fowls, 11c; dressed, irregular; western chickens, 11c; western fowls, 10¼@11c; spring turkeys, 12@13c.

METALS—Tin underwent a severe break in the London market today, declining £1 5s to £117 for spot and £115 15s for futures. Locally tin was dull and weak, but the decline was not in keeping with the developments abroad, prices showing but little change. Spot closed at $26.00@25.25. Copper, without so marked a loss, soared in the tin weakness in London, losing 1s 3d, with spot quoted at £51 7s 6d and futures at £52 3s 9d. The New York market also was lower, standard closing at $11, lake at $11.50@11.80, electrolytic at $11.55@11.65 and casting at $11.55@11.65. In contrast with the weakness in other metals, lead in London was 1s 3d higher, spot there closing at £10 13s 9d. The New York market continued dull at $4.12½. Spelter was $5.40 here and £19 7s 6d in London. The English iron markets were lower, Glasgow closing at 57s 1d and Middlesborough at 50s 6d. Locally iron was quiet. Warrants continued nominal. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $23.00@25.00. No. 2 foundry, northern, No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, at $22.00@23.00.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Candled stock, 20@21c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 8@8½c; old roosters, 4c; turkeys, 10@12c; ducks, 8@9c; geese, 5@6c; spring chickens, per lb., 9@9½c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 15c; choice dairy, 1c tubs, 18@20c; separator, 24@25c.

FRESH CAUGHT FISH—Trout, 9@10c; herring, 7c; pickerel, 8c; pike, 10c; perch, 6c; buffalo, dressed, 7c; sunfish, 3c; bluefins, 3c; whitefish, 10c; salmon, 16c, haddock, 11c; codfish, 12c; redsnapper, 16c; lobsters boiled, per lb., 30c; lobsters, green, per lb., 28c; bullheads, 10c; catfish, 14c; black bass, 20c; halibut, 11c.

CORN—54c.

OATS—32c.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 65c.

RYE—42c.

BRAN—Per ton, $13.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Hay Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, $9; No. 1 medium, $8.50; No. 1 coarse, $8. Rye straw, $6.50. These prices are for hay of good color and quality. Demand fair; receipts light.

OYSTERS—Standards, per can, 28c; extra selects, per can, 35c; New York counts, per can, 42c; bulk, extra selects, per gal., $1.75; bulk, standards, per gal., $1.30.

VEGETABLES.

NEW CELERY—Kearney, per doz., 35@45c; Kalamazoo, per doz., 25c.

POTATOES—New, per bu., 25@30c.

SWEET POTATOES—Virginia, per bbl., $3, home grown, per bu., $1.

TURNIPS—Per bu., 30c; Canada rutabagas, per lb., 1c.

BEETS—Per basket, 40c.

CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per doz., $1.50.

WAX BEANS—Per bu. box, $1.50; string beans, per bu. box, $1.50.

CABBAGE—Home grown, new, 1c.

ONIONS—New home growr, in sacks, per bu., 50@60c; Spanish, per crate, $1.60.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., $2.70.

FRUITS.

PEARS—Fall varieties, per box, $2.00@$2.25; Kaffirs, per bbl., $3.75; Colorado, per box, $2.25.

APPLES—Cooking, per bbl., $2.25; eating, $2.25@2.50; Jonathans, $3.50; New York stock, $3.25.

GRAPES—New York, 22c; Tokays, per crate, $1.75; Malagas, per keg, $5.00@6.50.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., $7.50@8.00; per box, $2.75.

QUINCES—Per box, $1.50.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

BANANAS—Per bunch, according to size, $2.00@2.50.

LEMONS—California fancy, $4.00@4.50; choice, $3.75.

ORANGES—Mexicans, any size, $3.75; Florida Brights, $3.50.

DATES—Persian in 70-lb. boxes, per lb., 6c; per case of 50-lb. pkgs., $2.25.

FIGS—California, per 10-lb. cartons, 95c; Turkish, per 35-lb. box, 18c.

GRAPE FRUIT—Florida, $6.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HONEY—New Utah, per 24-frame case, $3.75.

CIDER—New York, $4.50; per ½-bbl., $2.75.

SAUER KRAUT—Wisconsin, per ½ bbl., $2.25; per bbl., $3.75.

HIDES—No. 1 green, 7c; No. 2 green, 6c; No. 1 salted, 8½c; No. 2 salted, 7½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12½ lbs., 8½c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs. 6c; dry hides, 8@12c; sheep pelts, 25@75c; horse hides, $1.50@2.50.

POPCORN—Per lb., 2c; shelled, 4c.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 soft shell, per lb., 14c; hard shell, per lb., 13c; No. 2 soft shell, per lb., 12c; No. 2 hard shell, per lb., 11c; Brazils, per lb., 11c; filberts, per lb., 12c; almonds, softshell, per lb., 16c; hard shell, per lb., 15c; pecans, large, per lb., 14c; small, per lb., 13c; cocoanuts, per doz., 50c; chestnuts, per lb., 16c; peanuts, per lb., 6½c; roasted peanuts, per lb., 8c; black walnuts, per bu., $1, hickory nuts, per bu., $1.35.

OLD METALS—A. B. Alpirn quotes the following prices: Iron, country mixed, per ton, $11; iron, stove plate, per ton, $8; copper, per lb., 8½c; brass, heavy, per lb., 5½c; brass, light, per lb., 5½c; lead, per lb., 8c; zinc, per lb., 2½c; rubber, per lb., 6½c.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 7.—WHEAT—Firm; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 68½c; track, 69@70c; December, 68⅝c asked; May, 72½@72⅝c; No. 2 hard, 67@70c.

CORN—Higher; No. 2 cash, 45c bid; track, 45@45½c, new; 47@48c, old; December, 40⅝@40¾c bid; May, 39½c bid.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 cash, 29c bid; track, 30@30½c; December, 28⅝c bid; May, 29c bid; No. 2 white, 32c.

RYE—Lower at 47c.

FLOUR—Dull; red winter patents, $3.30@3.50; extra fancy and straight, $3.00@3.25; clear, $2.85@2.95.

SEED—Timothy, steady, $2.50@3.50.

CORNMEAL—Easy, $2.70.

BRAN—Steady; sacked, east track, 60@70c.

HAY—Firm; timothy, $9.00@13.00; prairie, $9.00@11.00.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.07½.

BAGGING—6 5-16@7 1-16c.

HEMP—Twine, 9c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, lower; jobbing, new mess, $16.15. Lard, lower, $10.77½. Dry salt meats, steady (boxed), weak; extra shorts and clear ribs, $12.25; short clears, $11.50. Bacon (boxed), weak; extra shorts and clear ribs, $12.25; short clear, $12.50.

METALS—Lead, steady at $4.00. Spelter, steady at $5.15.

POULTRY—Higher; chickens, 8½c; springs, 10@15c, turkeys, 10c; ducks, 11½c; geese, 6½c.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 18@25½c; dairy, 17@20c.

EGGS—Higher.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	6,000	15,000
Wheat, bu.	177,000	161,000
Corn, bu.	29,000	26,000
Oats, bu.	80,000	45,000

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 7.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 red western, winter, firm at 5s 9½d; No. 1 northern, spring, 6s 7d; No. 1 California, firm at 6s 5½d. Futures, steady; December, 5s 10d; March, 5s 10⅝d; May, nominal.

CORN—Spot, quiet; American mixed, 5s 5d. Futures, firm; January, 4s 3¾d; March, 4s 1½d.

FLOUR—St Louis fancy winter, quiet, 8s 3d.

PROVISIONS—Beef, strong; extra India mess, 115s. Pork, strong; prime mess, western, 96s. Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., quiet, 56s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., quiet, 60s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., dull, 63s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., quiet, 62s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., quiet, 61s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., steady, 57s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 18 lbs., steady, 61s 6d. Shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., firm, 53s. Lard, firm; prime western, in tierces, firm, 59s; American refined, in pails, strong, 60s 6d.

BUTTER—Nominal.

CHEESE—Strong; American finest white, 55s 6d; American finest colored, 53s.

TALLOW—Firm; prime city, 29s 6d; Australian in London, 34s 3d.

Exports of wheat during the last three days, 265,000 centals, including 206,000 American.

Receipts of American corn during the last three days, 22,500 centals.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 7.—WHEAT—December, 64⅛c; May, 68c; cash, No. 2 hard, 66@67c; No. 3, 63@64c; No. 2 red, 65@65½c; No. 3, 62½@64c.

CORN—November, 41½c; December, 39c; May, 38⅝@38½c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 43c; No. 2 white, 43½@44c; No. 3, 41c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 31½@33½c; No. 2 mixed, 28@30c.

RYE—No. 2, 45c.

HAY—Choice timothy, $10.50@10.75; choice prairie, $10.50@11.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 23@24c; dairy, fancy, 21c.

EGGS—Fresh, 18½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu.	50,400	83,200
Corn, bu.	28,000	29,000
Oats, bu.	13,000	12,000

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 7.—WHEAT—Higher; No. 1 northern, 74c; No. 2 northern, 72@73c; December, 71⅝c.

RYE—Steady; No. 1, 51½c.

BARLEY—Steady; No. 2, 66c; sample, 35@58½c.

CORN—December, 51c.

Minneapolis Wheat, Flour and Bran.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 7.—WHEAT—December, 71⅝c; May, 72⅝c; on track, No. 1 hard, 73⅝c; No. 1 northern, 72⅝c; No. 2 northern, 70⅝@70⅞c.

FLOUR—Steady, but very quiet; old orders being filled very rapidly and present output is in excess of the new business; foreign trade very light; first patents, $3.65@3.85; second patents, $3.45@3.65; first clears, $2.90@3.10; second clears, $2.30@2.60.

BRAN—Shorts in fair demand; in bulk, $11.50@11.75.

Toledo Grain and Seed.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 7.—WHEAT—Fairly active and higher; cash, 76c; December, 77½c; May, 77⅝c.

CORN—Dull and higher; December, 42⅝c; May, 42½c.

OATS—Dull and higher; December, 31c; May, 32½c.

RYE—No 2, 52c.

SEEDS—Clover, dull and higher; November, $6.87½; January, $7. Prime timothy, $1.85. Prime alsike, $8.50.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Nov. 7.—WHEAT—Cash, No. 1 hard, 73½c; No. 2 northern, 70⅝c; No. 1 northern, 72⅝c; November, 72⅝c; December, 70½c; May, 72⅝c.

OATS—December, 29½c.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, Nov. 7.—CORN—Irregular, inactive; No. 3, 53c.

OATS—Inactive; No. 3 white, 30c.

WHISKY—On the basis of $1.32 for finished goods.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS.

General Tend of Prices Higher Than Preceding Day.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The irregular tone of the market continued today. The level of prices was above last night for the greater part of the day, but the advances were exceedingly spotty and were not well maintained. In the late dealings, as was the case yesterday, the efforts of professional operators to realize profits on the early advance wiped out the advance and the market closed weak with net losses sprinkled all through the list. No important gains were left at the close. The dealings were smaller than yesterday and were even more strictly professional. The operations cannot be said to represent conviction on the speculative outlook, but were simply the result of efforts of professional traders to find a current of prices for the purpose of making a turn. There were evidences of a resumption of activity by one or two of the pools which have made periodical efforts in the past to advance prices, but the stocks in which they operated suffered in common with the rest of the list. At the last Sugar was a drug on the market and its final dip of 2⅝ points was an influence in the general weakness. The stiffening of the call money rate at the last and the promise of a poor bank statement were contributory factors to the reaction. A decline in bank reserves for the week of upward of $3,000,000 is indicated. Most of this was transferred to the interior by express and through the sub-treasury for purposes of the circulation. Payments on account of gold at the sub-treasury largely offset the heavy receipts for customs. The collections for this account during the week have reached about $3,000,000. The announcement from Washington that no further deposits of government funds would be made with the national banks therefore had some effect on sentiment, although the deposit of bonds with the Treasury department for this purpose has been very slight for some time. The strength of sterling exchange was an additional threatening factor to the money market, although the further advance in sterling exchange at Paris lifted somewhat the point of profit for gold exports. On the other hand, there were reports that Chicago was receiving some returns of currency from points of further west, and New York exchange at Chicago rose to 10@20c at discount. Additional reports of a decreasing tendency in the net earnings of railroads had to be faced. Amongst the early points of strength the soft coalers were conspicuous. Today's meeting of Norfolk & Western directors was expected to advance the dividend rate and when they adjourned without declaring it the stock of the group ran off. The weakness of Hocking Valley was due to reports of a competing line from Columbus to Toledo to be operated in the Pennsylvania's interests. The anthracite coal interests were in some demand on account of the agreement of the operators to abide by the decision of the arbitration commission. The advance amongst the corn and cotton roads may have been due to crop prospects, but they were generally attributed to pool manipulation and did not hold.

The bond market was steady on a small volume of business. Total sales, par value, $1,500,000.

United States 2s declined ¼ per cent on the last call.

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

Atchison	85⅝	St. Paul pfd	183½
do pfd	93½	Pacific Mail	44⅝
Bal. & Ohio	104⅝	So. Railway pfd	92⅝
do pfd	94	Texas & Pacific	45⅛
Canadian Pacific	134	Toledo, St. L. & W.	30⅝
Canada So.	83	do pfd	67⅝
Chesapeake & O.	47½	Union Pacific	102⅝
Chicago & Alton	35	do pfd	91
do pfd	72	Wabash	22⅞
Chicago, Ind. & L.	71½	do pfd	47⅛
do pfd	91	Wheeling & L. E.	28
Chicago & E. Ill.	106	do 2d pfd	36
Chicago & G. W.	28⅞	Wis. Central	26⅝
do 1st pfd	84	do pfd	61
do 2d pfd	43	Adams Ex.	200
Chicago & N. W.	224	American Ex.	230
C., R. I. & P.	159	United States Ex.	133
Chicago Ter. & Tr.	19⅝	Wells-Fargo Ex.	325
do pfd	44	Amal. Copper	62⅝
C. C. C. & St. L.	88	Amer. Car & F.	35⅛
Colorado So.	31	do pfd	92
do 1st pfd	71½	Amer. Lin. Oil	17
do 2d pfd	27½	do pfd	36
Del. & Hudson	166	American S. & R.	40
Del. L. & W.	215	do pfd	94
Denver & R. G.	43⅛	Anac. Mining Co.	93
do pfd	90⅛	Brooklyn R. T.	67⅛
Erie	38⅝	Colo. Fuel & Iron	85⅝
do 1st pfd	66⅝	Cons. Gas	216
do 2d pfd	52	Cont. Tobacco pfd	119½
Great Nor. pfd	187	Gen. Electric	184
Hocking Valley	81	Rocking Coal	34½
do pfd	90	Inter. Paper	19
Illinois Central	144½	do pfd	71½
Iowa Central	42	Inter. Power	70
do pfd	83	Leather	80
Lake Erie & W.	56	National Biscuit	45½
do pfd	120	National Lead	27⅛
L. & N.	133⅝	No. American	119
Manhattan L.	164½	Pacific Coast	31⅝
Met. St. Ry.	139½	Pacific Mail	41⅛
Mex. Central	25	People's Gas	102⅛
Mex. National	18	Pressed S. Car	60⅛
Minn. & St. L.	108⅝	do pfd	93⅝
Mo. Pacific	109⅝	Pullman P. Car	225
M., K. & T.	28½	Republic Steel	20⅝
do pfd	59	do pfd	77
N. J. Central	187	Sugar	127⅞
N. Y. Central	153⅝	Tenn. Coal & Iron	63
Norfolk & W.	72½	Union Bag & P.	13
do pfd	90	do pfd	77½
Ontario & W.	32½	U. S. Leather	13⅛
Pennsylvania	159½	do pfd	80⅛
Reading	64⅝	U. S. Rubber	17½
do 1st pfd	86⅝	do pfd	54
do 2d pfd	79	U. S. Steel	38
St. L. & S. F.	38½	do pfd	86⅞
do 1st pfd	80	Western Union	90⅝
do 2d pfd	73	Amer. Locomotive	29⅝
St. L. S. W.	28½	do pfd	93½
do pfd	66½	K. C. Southern	33⅛
St. Paul	185½	do pfd	55½

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—MONEY—On call, firm at 4⅝@6 per cent; closing bid and asked, 5@6 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87@4.87125 for demand and at $4.83875 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, $4.84½@4.85 and $4.88; commercial bills, $4.83@4.83½.

SILVER—Bar, 49⅝c; Mexican dollars, 39½c.

BONDS—Government, easier; state, dull; railroad, steady.

The closing quotations on bonds are as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	105⅛	L. & N. uni. 4s	101
do coupon	105⅛	Mex. Central 4s	80½
do 3s, reg.	108¼	do 1s inc.	27½
do coupon	108¼	Minn. & St. L. 4s	103⅝
do new 4s, reg.	136½	M., K. & T. 4s	99⅝
do coupon	136½	do 2s	81⅝
do old 4s, reg.	112⅝	N. Y. Central 3s	102⅝
do coupon	112⅝	do gen. 3½s	106
do 5s, reg.	104⅛	N. J. C. gen. 5s	136⅛
do coupon	104⅛	No. Pacific 4s	103½
Atchison gen. 4s	101⅝	do 3s	78
do adj. 4s	92	N. & W. con. 4s	100⅝
Bal. & Ohio 4s	106⅝	Reading gen. 4s	97½
do 3½s	94½	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	114½
do conv.	105⅝	St. L. & S. F. g. 4s	109⅝
Canada So. 2s	107⅝	St. L. S. W. 1s	47½
Central of Ga. 5s	106⅝	do 2s	85
do 1s inc.	78	S. A. & A. P. 4s	87
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	105½	So. Pacific 4s	95⅛
Chicago & E. Ill. 5s	81	So. Railway 5s	119
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	96⅝	Texas & Pacific 1s	120⅝
C. M. & St. P. g. 4s	112⅝	T., St. L. & W. 4s	79½
C. & N. W. c. 7s	138⅝	Union Pacific 4s	106
C., R. I. & P. 4s	103	do conv. 4s	107
CCC. & St. L. g. 4s	101	Wabash 1s	117⅝
Chicago Ter. 4s	87	do 2s	109
Colorado So. 4s	82⅝	do deb. B	60
Denver & R. G. 4s	101	West Shore 4s	113⅛
Erie prior lien 4s	97⅝	Wheel. & L. E. 4s	92⅝
do general 4s	85	Wis. Central 4s	92
F. W. & D. C. 1s	114⅝	Cons. Tobacco 4s	66⅛
Hocking Val. 4½s	108⅝		

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The ease of money, with the firmness of Paris exchange, which was thought to be due to remittances by New York through Paris for London, weakened discounts. Much indebtedness to the Bank of England was liquidated. Business on the Stock exchange did not improve, the nearness of the carry-over restricting dealings. Consols were dull and wavering. Home rails were irregular, but were inclined to harden. Americans opened steady at slightly above parity and were almost lifeless and closed quiet. Mexican rails were weak, owing to the unsettled state of the silver market.

PARIS, Nov. 7.—Prices opened heavy on the bourse today and business was irregular. Spanish 4s were weak on apprehensions of a ministerial crisis at Madrid, coupled with the tightness of exchange. Later there was a general slight rally and then prices sagged. At the close steadiness was dominant, rentes and Brazilians were firm and Spanish securities had a better tone, though the undertone was heavy. Industrials were irregular. Debeers were firm. The private rate of discount was 2 13-16 per cent. Three per cent rentes, 99f 85c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 14½c for checks. Spanish 4s, 86.67.

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—Prices on the bourse today were weak in sympathy with the tone with western bourses. Mines relapsed on an official report of the Dusseldorf Produce exchange pointing to the unsatisfactory state of their own market. Banks were easier on the Deutsche bank having decided to increase its share capital $2,500,000 in order to carry through a community of interests agreement with the Duisburg-Ruhrorter bank, the shares of which, it was said, will be convertible with those of the Deutsche bank. Canadian Pacifics were quiet. The Deutsche bank today formally announced an increase of its capital by $2,500,000 so as to absorb the Duisburg-Ruhrorter bank and provide working funds for its new Dresden and Leipsic branches.

WEEKLY CLEARING HOUSE TABLE.

Summary of Business Transacted by the Associated Banks.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended November 6, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

CITIES.	Amount.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,415,106,003	15.2	.....
Chicago	160,564,381	.....	1.1
Boston	159,318,279	21.2	.....
Philadelphia	108,339,956	8.7	.....
St. Louis	44,291,804	.....	2.9
Pittsburg	35,457,180	6.5	.....
San Francisco	26,021,983	.....	0.7
Cincinnati	23,420,950	17.9	.....
Kansas City	20,551,664	2.4	.....
Baltimore	20,320,063	.....	9.6
Minneapolis	18,277,315	.....	7.6
Cleveland	14,281,409	.....	6.4
New Orleans	14,151,571	.....	4.1
Indianapolis	11,193,385	.....	2.2
Louisville	10,968,503	17.5	.....
Detroit	10,197,891	.....	19.9
Milwaukee	7,499,805	8.9	.....
OMAHA	7,448,151	11.7	.....
Providence	6,817,000	.....	7.3
Buffalo	6,274,765	6.0	.....
St. Paul	6,301,109	.....	11.1
St. Joseph	4,568,461	.....	2.2
Denver	4,565,388	14.2	.....
Richmond	3,206,227	.....	14.4
Savannah	3,110,438	2.2	.....
Salt Lake City	3,199,583	.....	17.2
*Albany	3,272,424	.....	.....
Los Angeles	4,585,080	29.1	.....
Memphis	5,175,767	23.5	.....
Fort Worth	2,729,260	.....	27.3
Seattle	4,248,803	6.0	.....
Washington	4,063,010	31.3	.....
Hartford	2,453,169	A.....	3.8
Peoria	3,180,848	.....	19.1
Toledo	3,205,842	28.7	.....
Portland, Ore.	4,066,619	13.1	.....
Rochester	3,195,489	18.9	.....
Atlanta	3,596,256	17.2	.....
Des Moines	2,224,820	14.1	.....
New Haven	2,084,020	23.9	.....
Worcester	1,926,911	11.8	.....
Springfield, Mass.	1,888,152	3.9	.....
Norfolk	1,629,236	.....	6.0
Grand Rapids	1,935,623	30.3	.....
*Scranton	1,723,745	21.4	.....
Portland, Me.	1,277,551	.....	.....
Sioux City	1,226,048	.....	26.1
Augusta	1,669,367	.....	.....
Syracuse	1,539,640	45.5	.....
Dayton, O.	1,596,041	2.9	.....
Tacoma	1,472,437	8.3	.....
Spokane	1,982,485	42.8	.....
Topeka	2,212,018	44.4	.....