GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Larring Frosts, Maize States Will Have Heavy Crops.

SHOWERS GENERAL AND CORN LOWER

Wheat a Little Easier on Heavy Offerings—Heavy Receipts of Oats—British Wheat Crop is Big One.

OMAHA, Aug., 14, 1905.

Much interest was shown in the corn market today. Since the general rains Saturday and Sunday in Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and Illinois, it is said that the corn crop is now an assured success, barring the advent of early frosts. The rain came in almost every section where it was needed. There was a lower tendency to the market on this account, but it was balanced somewhat by bad news from Roumania and Hungary. September closed at 52⅝c, old September at 53c, December at 44⅝c, old December at 46⅝@46⅝c and May at 44¼@44⅝c.

Wheat opened higher on rains in the harvest fields of the northwest, but offerings were heavy at the opening figures and the market fell below yesterday about ⅝c. September closed at 81¼@81¼c, December at 82⅝c and May at 85⅝c.

Minneapolis is expecting a fair run of northern wheat at the end of the week.

Oats were lower on heavy arrivals. September closed at 25⅝c, December at 26⅝c and May at 28⅝@28¾c.

Liverpool closed 1¼d lower on wheat and ⅝@¾d lower on corn. Broomhall says the British harvest is in full blast and the weather is improving. It is expected that there will be a yield of fully 16,000,000 bushels more than last year.

The world's shipments of wheat last week were 7,568,000 bushels, against 9,000,000 bushels the week before and 8,504,000 bushels last year. Corn shipments were 4,641,000 bushels, against 4,924,000 bushels the week before and 3,916,000 bushels last year. Primary receipts of wheat were 1,128,000 bushels and shipments 457,000 bushels, against receipts of 1,346,000 bushels last year and shipments of 431,000 bushels. Corn receipts were 590,000 bushels and shipments 789,000 bushels, against receipts of 368,000 bushels last year and shipments of 458,000 bushels.

A letter from Antwerp to Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington says that the Russian crops are better than reported and large supplies may be expected of all cereals except corn. It says news of the Hungarian and Roumanian corn crop is so unfavorable that the United States would be without competition for the winter months, even if the Chicago advance should advance 5 cents.

New York has a winter wheat crop of 10,311,000 bushels, against 5,352,000 bushels last year. The Pennsylvania crop is 27,873,000 bushels, or 6,000,000 bushels above last year. Maryland has 13,173,000 bushels, or nearly 3,000,000 bushels above last year. Virginia has 8,413,000 bushels, an increase of 1,200,000 bushels. These gains show why native winter wheat is selling relatively cheaper in those states than wheat can be put down for from the west. Campbell, Minn., writes that harvesting has been begun and the section will have the biggest crop it ever raised. Duluth says: "Reports from Dakota continue to be of the most rosy character. The only thing that might now interfere with a very large crop of good quality would be weather or rust. There has been no rain within the last ten days. There seems to be no inquiry for eastern shipment, except for dates of almost impossible delivery."

Omaha Cash Sales.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 1 car at 79½c, 5 cars at 79c; No. 3 hard, 2 cars at 78c, 2 cars at 76c; No. 4 hard, 1 car at 74c.

CORN—No. 3 white, 1 car at 49½c; No. 3, 1 car at 49c.

OATS—Standard, 1 car at 24¾c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 79@79½c; No. 3 hard, 76@78c; No. 4 hard, 74c; No. 3 spring, 79c.

CORN—No. 2, 49¼c; No. 3, 49c; No. 4, 48c; no grade, 43@47c; No. 2 yellow, 49½c; No. 3 yellow, 49¼c; No. 2 white, 49½c; No. 3 white, 49¼c.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, 24½c; No. 3 mixed, 24c; No. 4 mixed, 23½c; No. 3 white, 25½c; No. 3 white, 26c; No. 4 white, 26½c; standard, 26¼c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	167	214	442
Kansas City	209	144	22
Minneapolis	197	...	...
Omaha	64	94	7
Duluth	19	...	...
St. Louis	223	175	121

Minneapolis Grain Market.

Superior quotations for Minneapolis delivery. The range of prices as reported by the Edwards-Wood company, 110-111 Board of Trade building, was

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
Wheat					
Sept...	81¾@⅞	81⅞	80⅝@⅞	81⅛@¼	81½@⅝
Dec...	83¼@⅛	83⅛	82¼	82⅝	83
May	85⅞@86	86⅛	84⅛	85⅝	86⅞

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT

Showers General in Missouri Valley and Over Mississippi Valley.

OMAHA, August 14, 1905.

Showers were general throughout the Missouri valley during Saturday and Sunday nights and extended eastward over the Mississippi valley during Sunday, and the general rain this morning from the Missouri river east to the Ohio valley and lake region. The rains in Nebraska were limited to the eastern portion of the state.

Cooler weather prevails throughout the central valleys this morning and the temperature will probably be slightly lower in eastern Nebraska tonight.

Omaha record of temperature and precipitation, compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.
Minimum temperature	63	70	66	71
Precipitation	.31	.00	.07	.00

Normal temperature for today, 74 degrees.

Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, 8.19 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1904, 2.22 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1903, 3.24 inches.

OMAHA DISTRICT AVERAGES.

Stations.	—Temp.— Max.	Min.	Rain. Inches.	Sky.
Ashland, Neb	84	64	.17	Pt. cloudy
Auburn, Neb	85	63	.00	Pt. cloudy
Columbus, Neb	84	64	.00	Clear
Fairbury, Neb	88	61	.03	Clear
Fairmont, Neb	80	64	T	Clear
Gr. Island, Neb	84	63	.18	Clear
Hartington, Neb	80	65	.08	Clear
Oakdale, Neb	84	60	.00	Clear
Omaha, Neb	83	69	.31	Clear
Tekamah, Neb	85	65	.20	Foggy
Carroll, Ia	79	66	T	Cloudy
Clarinda, Ia	84	64	.00	Pt. cloudy
Sibley, Ia	77	65	.36	Cloudy
Sioux City, Ia	80	66	.17	Cloudy
Storm Lake, Ia	76	64	.12	Cloudy

DISTRICT AVERAGES.

Stations.	No. of Max.	Min.	—Temp.— Mean.	—Rain.— Inches.
Central	28	82	64	.36
Columbus, O	15	88	65	.10
Des Moines, Ia	9	78	66	.80
Indianapolis, Ind	11	90	68	.49
Kansas City, Mo	29	86	65	.28
Louisville, Ky	15	90	70	.18
Minneapolis	23	74	60	.56
Omaha, Neb	15	82	64	.10
St. Louis, Mo	12	90	68	.78

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecaster, Weather Bureau.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Aug 14.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red, cash elevator, 79c; track, 83½@84½c; September, 79@79½c; December, 81c; No. 2 hard, 82@83½c.

CORN—Lower; No. 2 cash, 51c; track, 52@53½c; September, 50⅝c; December, 41⅝@41⅞c.

OATS—Lower; No. 2 cash, 25½c; track, 26@26½c; September 25½c; December, 26½c; No. 2 white, 30½c.

FLOUR—Moderate demand; red winter patents, $4.15@4.40; extra fancy and straights, $3.85@4.20; clear, $3.15@3.35.

SEED—Timothy, nominal, $3.25@2.75; prime, higher.

CORNMEAL—Steady, $2.60.

BRAN—Quiet; sacked, east track, 68@72c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $7.00@13.50; new, $10.00@11.00; prairie, $7.50@8.50.

IRON COTTON TIES—89c.

BAGGING—5¾c.

HEMP TWINE—6½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; jobbing, $14.37½. Lard, higher, prime steamed, $7.32½. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed extra shorts, $8.62½; clear ribs, $8.87½; short clears, $8.12½. Bacon, higher; boxed extra shorts, $9.25; clear ribs, $9.62½; short clear, $9.87½.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 8½c; springs, 11½c; turkeys, 13½c; ducks, 10@9c; geese, 8@8c.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 16@21½c; dairy, 14@17c.

EGGS—Firm, 15c, case count.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	15,000	7,000
Wheat, bu	283,000	56,000
Corn, bu	176,000	83,000
Oats, bu	122,000	63,000

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.—BUTTER—Steady; extra western creamery, 21@21½c; extra nearby prints, 22c.

EGGS—Firm; nearby fresh, loss off, 21c; nearby fresh, 19½c at mark; western fresh, 20@20c at mark.

CHEESE—Easier; New York full cream, fancy, 11¼@11½c; choice, 11c; fair to good, 10¼@10¾c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Prevailing belief that a large crop is virtually assured resulted in a weak market here today, for which the close showed a net loss of 3½c for September. Corn is down ¼c. Oats are off ¼@⅝c. Provisions are practically unchanged, except ribs, which are up 10@12½c.

Soaking rains in the spring wheat country where dry weather is needed for the finishing and harvesting of the crop gave the wheat market a semblance of strength at the start. Minneapolis quotations came strong. September prices at the opening showed ¼@¾c to ¼@⅝c advance at 81⅝@81¾c. Subsequent news afforded little support for the upturn, however, and early buyers began to liquidate. As a result September receded to 80¾@80⅝c. A rally occurred late in the session, due chiefly to shorts covering on a report of improved export business. September closed easy at 81¼@81¼c.

Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 56,036 bu. Primary receipts were 1,128,000 bu., compared with 1,346,000 bu. a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 398 cars, against 491 cars last week and 334 cars a year ago.

The corn market was affected by wet weather prevailing throughout the southwest, which has seemingly broken the drouth and silenced reports of crop damage. September opened ¼@⅝c lower, at 52⅝@53¼c, but subsequently rallied to 53¼c under organized buying by commission houses. Country acceptances were heavy. Nearly every elevator concern appeared to have quantities to sell on the basis of old September. Longs were also free sellers. Under these influences the effort to bolster up prices failed. September sold off to 52⅝c, closing easy at 53c. Local receipts were 214 cars, 114 being of contract grade.

Oats exhibited an undercurrent of steadiness at the outset, but succumbed at length to the influence of decline in other grains. Heavy receipts also had a depressing effect. Trading was quite the reverse of active, the buying of September and selling of December by cash houses. September closed weak at 25⅝c, after ranging between 26⅛c and 25½c. Local receipts were 442 cars.

The heaviness in grains was communicated to the provisions market, but after yielding a trifle, offerings became light and business dragged. Ribs alone were in demand and showed a marked gain. An advance of 5c in live hogs caused a slight advance at the start. September pork closed unchanged at $14.27½. Lard was up a shade at $7.80@7.82½. Ribs were 10@12½c higher at $8.67½@8.70.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 305 cars; corn, 484 cars; oats, 457 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
*Wheat					
Sept.	81¾@⅞	81⅞	80¾@⅝	81⅛@¼	81½@⅝
Dec.	83¼@⅛	83⅛	82¼	82⅝	83
May	85⅞@86	86⅛	84⅛	85⅝	86⅞
*Corn—					
†Sept.	53¼@⅝	53⅝	52⅞	53	53⅞@54
‡Sept.	52⅝@¾	53¼	52⅝	52⅝	53⅝
†Dec.	46⅛@47	47	46½	46½@⅝	47⅝
‡Dec.	44⅝@¾	45¼	44½	44⅝	45⅝@⅞
May	44½@46	46	44¼	44¼@⅝	45⅝@⅞
*Oats—					
Sept.	26 @¼	26⅛	25¼	25⅝	26 @¼
Dec.	27 @¼	27⅛	26½	26⅝	27
May	29 @⅛	29 @⅛	28½	28⅝@⅞	28⅝@29
Pork—					
Sept.	14 30	14 30	14 20	14 27½	14 27½
Oct.	14 30	14 32½	14 25	14 32½	14 30
Lard—					
Sept.	7 82½	7 82½	7 80	7 82½	7 80
Oct.	7 90	7 92½	7 90	7 92½	7 87½
Ribs—					
Sept.	8 60	8 70	8 55	8 70	8 57½
Oct.	8 70	8 80	8 65	8 80	8 67½

*No. 2. †Old. ‡New.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Easy; winter patents, $4.20@4.30; straights, $4.00@4.10; spring patents, $4.85@5.40; straights, $3.50@4.85; bakers, $2.40@3.40.

WHEAT—No. 3 spring, 80@82½c; No. 2 red, 80@81½c.

CORN—No. 2, 54¼c; No. 2 yellow, 55c.

OATS—No. 2, 24½c; No. 2 white, 26½c; No. 3 white, 26c.

RYE—No. 2, 57½c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 37c; fair to choice malting, 38@39c.

SEED—No. 1 flax, $1.06; No. 1 northwestern, $1.16. Prime timothy, $3.35. Clover, contract grade, $12.25.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $14.25@14.30. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7.77½. Short ribs sides (loose), $8.60@8.70; short clear sides (boxed), $8.75@8.87½.

The receipts and shipments of flour and grain were:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	35,000	19,400
Wheat, bu	230,000	96,400
Corn, bu	191,000	540,400
Oats, bu	616,200	265,900
Rye, bu	14,200	5,000
Barley, bu	3,900	1,600

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 16@20c; dairies, 16@18c. Eggs, steady; at mark, cases included, 12¾@15¾c. Cheese, firm at 11@11¼c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—FLOUR—Receipts, 17,767 bbls.; exports, 4,060 bbls.; sales, 4,200 pkgs.; market dull and easy; winter patents, $4.40@4.80; winter straights, $4.10@4.35; Minnesota patents, $5.00@5.60; winter extras, $3.00@3.45; Minnesota bakers, $3.65@4.10; winter low grades, $2.90@3.40. Rye flour, easy; fair to good, $4.00@4.35; choice to fancy, $4.35@4.60.

CORNMEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, $1.30; coarse, $1.16@1.18; kiln dried, $3.10@3.20.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 62c c. i. f. New York.

BARLEY—Steady, feeding, 40½@41c c. i. f. New York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 72,000 bu.; exports, 16,000 bu. Spot, barely steady; No. 2 red, 86½c elevator and 87⅝c f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.09⅛ f. o. b. afloat. Although stronger at the opening on gains in the northwest harvesting districts, small world's shipments and covering, wheat soon developed a heavy undertone. There was selling by the northwest, lower cables, a weak cash market and a bearish visible, all of which had an effect. Prices later rallied on covering and closed ¼c net lower; September, 85 13-16@87 1-16c, closed at 86⅝c; December, 87 9-16@88⅝c, closed at 88c; May, 80⅛@80⅝c, closed at 80 9-16c.

CORN—Receipts, 102,125 bu.; exports, 17,000 bu. Spot, easy; No. 2, 61c elevator and f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 61½c; No. 2 white, 61¾c. Options were without transactions, closing nominally ⅛@⅜c net lower; September closed at 59½c; December, 53c.

OATS—Receipts, 189,800 bu.; spot, easy; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 30@30½c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 31½@33c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 34@35c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 60@65c; good to choice, 90@95c.

HOPS—Quiet; olds, 10¼c; Pacific coast, 1904, 20@25c; 1903, 18@20c; olds, 10@12c.

HIDES—Quiet; Galveston, 20 to 25 pounds, 20c; California, 21 to 25 pounds, 19c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 pounds, 18½c.

LEATHER—Firm; acid, 24@26c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $11.50@12.00; mess, $9.50@10.00; beef hams, $20.00@22.00. Cut meats, firm; pickled bellies, 8½@10½c; pickled shoulders, 5½@6c; pickled hams, 10½@10¾c. Lard, firm; western steamed, $7.80; refined, steady; continent, $8.25; South America, $8.50; compound, $5.75@6.00. Pork, firm; family, $17.00@17.50; short clears, $15.00@16.00.

TALLOW—Steady; city, $2.00 per package, 4⅛c; country, (packages free) 4½@4¾c.

RICE—Firm; domestic fair to extra, 3½@5¼c; Japan, nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; street price, extra creamery, 20¾@21c; official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 17¾@20¾c; state dairy, common to extra, 17@20c; western imitation creamery, extra, 19@19½c; western imitation creamery, firsts, 18@18½c; western factory, common to extra, 15@18c; renovated, common to extra, 15@19½c.

CHEESE—Quiet; full creams, colored and white fancy, 10¼c; full creams, fair to choice, 9¾@10¼c; full creams, large, colored and white fancy, 10¼c.

EGGS—Strong; state Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected, white, 25@27c; state Pennsylvania, choice, 23@24c; state Pennsylvania, mixed extra, 23c; western selected extra, 21@21½c; western selected, firsts, 19¾@20c.

POULTRY—Alive, weak; western chickens, 14c; fowls, 12c; turkeys, 13c. Dressed, weak; western chickens, 12@14c; fowls, 12¼c; turkeys, 13@17c.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 14.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 1 northern, $1.10@1.10½; No. 2 northern, $1.04@1.08; September, 81¼c asked.

RYE—Steady; No. 1, 60c.

BARLEY—Steady.

CORN—Weak; September, 53½c bid.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 14.—FLOUR—First patents, $5.30@5.60; second patents, $5.00@5.40; first clears, $4.00@4.10; second clears, $2.65@2.75.

BRAN—$12.50@13.00.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Aug. 14.—WHEAT—On track, No. 1 northern, $1.07; No. 2 northern, 99c; September, old, 84c; September, new, 80⅝c.

OATS—On track, 27c; to arrive, 25⅝c.

Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, Aug. 14.—SEEDS—Clover, cash, $7.30; October, $5.95 bid; December, $5.95; January, $5.97½. Alsike, August, $7.40 bid. Timothy, prime, $3.87½.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Market Opens Active and Prices Advance to Higher Level.

LARGE SELLING ON PROFIT TAKING

Demand from Outside Sufficient to Offset This in Early Dealings—Prices Decline, but Advance Again Later.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The speculative forces which developed in last week's stock market gathered energy for a rush with the opening of the week, which swept the whole of the early market to a higher level of prices. The very large selling to take profits which the market had to encounter here increased in effect as the day progressed and gave the latter market some appearance of weariness, but there was no mistaking the increased force of the miscellaneous outside demand coming from various sources through commission houses, which made itself manifest in the accumulation of large buying orders over Saturday. The sufficiency of this new demand to absorb the large selling to take profits was a matter of satisfaction to the advocates of an advance in prices. The quietness of the later demand, however, showed that the accumulated orders at the opening were not followed up in equal volume. The professional element was left rather obviously to take the market in hand again. This they did by the renewal of last week's tactics of successive advances here and there in the market. The volume of high priced stocks continued largely in evidence, but some of those which figured most conspicuously last week were somewhat reactionary.

The day's dealings, which made on the whole a broad and effective market, were based on the general considerations which were already making themselves felt last week. Principal of these in the outlook as defined by last week's government report. Day to day reports of weather conditions, keep up the feeling of confidence in the prosperous outcome of the grain crops. Railroad officials in the customary weekly reviews published today spoke of the widening effect through all lines of business, of the cheerful outlook over the crops, and indulged in some very roseate views of the prospective railroad earnings for the next fiscal year. Confidence is growing in the unprecedented yield of the corn crop, and the corn grangers came into belated prominence in the later hours of today's market. Large effect was produced by the report that the dispute over freight rates on certain articles as between the Atlantic and the gulf lines had been settled, and the cutting of rates done away with.

Some attention was given to the assertions that American bankers were being sounded with a view to sharing in a Russian loan. The flotation of a Russian loan somewhere is regarded as a necessary consequence of a peace treaty, and the distributive effect in all the world's money markets of such a flotation leaves the question of the point chosen rather secondary in importance, so far as the effect on money rates is concerned. The deposit of $500,000 at the sub-treasury for telegraphic transfer to Chicago marks the turning of the tide of the currency movement in favor of the interior as against New York, which was already shifting last week. The forces which will decide the course of the autumn money markets are thus definitely at work. Stocks made substantial recovery late in the day, the corn grangers again leading, but the persistence of the selling to realize made the closing irregular.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,680,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

The following was the range of prices on the New York Stock exchange:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adams Express	....	....	....	244
Amal. Copper	16,800	84½	83¾	83⅞
Am. Car & Foundry.	800	37	36½	36⅞
do pfd	1,000	100	99½	99½
Amer. Cotton Oil	200	29½	29½	29
do pfd	....	....	....	92⅞
Amer. Express	....	....	....	230
Am. H. & L. pfd	100	39½	39½	39½
Amer. Ice securities	200	28½	28½	28½
Amer. Linseed Oil	....	....	....	17
do pfd	....	....	....	40
Amer. Locomotive	1,600	48½	48	48½
do pfd	....	....	....	111
Amer. S. & Ref	22,400	130	128½	128⅝
do pfd	100	122½	122½	122½
Amer. Sugar Ref	2,000	144⅝	144	144⅛
Am. Tob., pfd. certif.	18,500	103	99½	102⅞
Anaconda Min. Co	200	115	115	115
Atchison	23,100	90⅝	89½	90⅛
do pfd	400	104	103⅝	104
Atlantic Coast Line	3,200	169	167½	168
Baltimore & Ohio	26,900	117	116¼	116⅞
do pfd	....	....	....	98
Brooklyn Rapid T	2,200	70½	69½	69¾
Canadian Pacific	30,500	161½	159	160
Central of N. J	200	218½	218	216
Chesapeake & Ohio	4,500	57⅛	56½	56½
Chicago & Alton	....	....	....	40
do pfd	....	....	....	78
Chicago Gt. Western	2,000	22	21⅝	21⅞
Chicago & N. W	3,800	224⅝	223½	223½
C., M. & St. Paul	9,700	186	184⅞	184⅞
Chicago Ter. & Tran.	....	....	....	17⅛
do pfd	....	....	....	39
C., C., C. & St. L	2,500	104½	102⅛	102
Colo. Fuel and Iron	1,800	46	45⅛	45⅞
Colo. & Southern	700	28½	28⅛	28½
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	61⅛
do 2d pfd	900	40½	40	39⅝
Consolidated Gas	1,500	190½	187½	187
Corn Products	3,100	10	9⅛	9½
do pfd	1,300	45½	42	45
Del., L. & Hudson	2,500	218	215½	217
Del., L. & W	200	470	470	470
Denver & Rio G	5,800	35	33	34⅝
do pfd	7,100	89¼	87½	89¼
Distillers' Securities	1,800	44	42	43
Erie	19,100	48⅞	48⅝	48⅞
do 1st pfd	4,600	85⅝	85⅛	85¼
do 2d pfd	2,900	75⅝	75	75
General Electric	100	184⅝	184⅝	184
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	91
Illinois Central	2,600	179½	177⅞	178
Inter. Paper	10,600	22½	21	21⅞
do pfd	100	80½	80½	80
Inter. Pump	....	....	....	29
do pfd	....	....	....	82
Iowa Central	1,500	29¼	28⅝	28⅝
do pfd	2,700	58½	56½	57½
K. C. Southern	1,300	27½	27	27⅞
do pfd	400	58⅞	58½	58⅞
Louisville & Nash	17,000	151½	150	149⅝
Manhattan L	100	167½	167½	167
Met. Securities	1,100	83⅝	82½	83
Met. Street Ry	8,200	129	127½	128½
Mex. Central	6,200	23½	22⅞	23⅛
Minn. & St. Louis	800	67	67	66
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	900	149⅝	140	140
do pfd	900	165½	165½	165
Mo. Pacific	29,700	104⅝	102	104⅝
Mo., Kan. & Texas	23,400	33⅝	31⅞	33½
do pfd	21,800	70	68⅝	69½
National Lead	17,000	48⅞	46	46
N. R. R. of M., pfd.	100	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
N. Y. Central	16,500	155½	154½	154½
N. Y., Ont. & West.	10,000	56⅛	55½	55⅝
Norfolk & Western	1,700	86⅝	86¼	86½
do pfd	....	....	....	90
North American	1,100	103	102⅝	102½
Pacific Mail	100	42½	42½	42
Pennsylvania	54,000	145⅝	144⅝	145⅝
People's Gas	2,100	106⅝	105½	105½
Pitts., C., C. & St. L.	100	80	80	80
Pressed Steel Car	800	46	45½	45½
do pfd	....	....	....	96
Pullman Pal. Car	1,300	258	255	257
Reading	95,500	110½	109⅝	109⅝
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	94½
do 2d pfd	700	93⅝	93½	93½
Republic Steel	1,200	22	21½	21½
do pfd	2,600	87½	87	86½
Rock Island Co	31,100	33⅝	32⅝	33⅛
do pfd	6,500	79	77⅝	79
Rubber Goods	700	35	34½	34½
do pfd	....	....	....	104
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	2,200	70	69	69½
St. L. Southwestern	500	24⅝	24½	24½
do pfd	3,000	62⅞	62	62⅛
So. Pacific	44,100	67⅝	66⅝	67
do pfd	400	118⅝	118½	118½
Southern Railway	900	35⅝	35	35⅝
do pfd	300	100	99⅝	99½
Tenn. Coal and Iron	5,600	90⅝	90	90
Texas & Pacific	11,700	36½	35½	36½
Tol., St. L. & W	700	39½	37⅝	38
do pfd	1,600	69½	67½	67½
Union Pacific	74,300	134½	133⅝	133⅞
do pfd	....	....	....	87
U. S. Express	....	....	....	123
U. S. Realty	300	93½	93	93
U. S. Rubber	6,300	54	51½	53½
do pfd	400	111	110⅝	110½
U. S. Steel	25,900	36⅝	36⅛	36⅛
do pfd	28,500	105	104⅝	104⅝
Va.-Caro. Chemical	700	34⅝	34⅛	34
do pfd	100	106½	106½	106½
Wabash	2,000	20	19½	19⅝
do pfd	2,800	41⅝	40⅝	41⅛
Wells-Fargo Exp	....	....	....	240
Western Electric	600	171	171	170
Western Union	200	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
Wheeling & L. E	1,000	18½	17	18
Wis. Central	10,400	29⅝	27½	29½
do pfd	6,800	57⅝	56½	57⅝
Northern Pacific	8,100	214⅝	211	213⅛
Central Leather	900	43	42	42
do pfd	400	104½	104½	104

Ttotal sales for the day, 908,800 shares.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Money today was firmer and very plentiful, although stock exchange requirements and the call on Grand Trunk 3 per cents caused some disturbance of balances. Discounts were easy. The stock exchange was idle, attending to the carryover. The peace conference is restraining dealers, who are showing some signs of pessimism regarding the outcome. Consols were steady and kindred securities were upheld as a consequence. Americans opened irregular, but rallied at slightly above parity on New York support. Dealings were slight, but there was improvement later and the close was firm. Internationals were steady. War stocks were quiet, but the undertone was good. Japanese securities eased slightly. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 109½.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—The Bourse was not opened today. It will also be closed tomorrow.

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—The Bourse today was quiet and trading was light.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—MONEY—On call, easy, 1½@2 per cent; closing bid at 1½, offered at 1¾ per cent. Time loans, dull and easy; 60 days, 3 per cent; 90 days, 3¼@3½ per cent; 6 months, 3¾@4 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@4½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8875@4.8900 for demand and at $4.8470@4.8475 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4.85½ and $4.87½; commercial bills, $4.84¼.

SILVER—Bar, 59¾c; Mexican dollars, 46c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg	104	Mexican Central 4s	79
do coupon	106	do 1st inc	23¾
U. S. 3s, reg	109¼	M. & St. L. 4s	97⅞
do coupon	109¼	M. K. & T. 4s	102⅞
U. S. new 4s, reg	132¼	do 2ds	97
do coupon	132¼	N. R. R. of M. c. 4s	83⅞
U. S. old 4s, reg	104	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	99¼
do coupon	104	N. J. C. gen. 5s	124¼
Amer. Tob. 4s, cer	76	Northern Pacific 4s	106
do 6s, cer	116¼	do 3s	77
Atchison gen. 4s	104	N. & W. con. 4s	102⅞
do adjust. 4s	96	O. S. L. cons. 4s	96⅝
Atlantic C. L. 4s	102⅞	Penn. conv. 3½s	103⅞
Baltimore & O. 4s	105¼	Reading gen. 4s	102⅞
do 3½s	96¼	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	116¼
Central of Ga. 5s	114	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	89
do 1st inc	99	St. L. Southwestern 4s	82⅞
do 2d inc	86¼	Seaboard A. L. 4s	66
C. & O. 4½s	110⅞	Southern Pacific 4s	93⅞
C. & A. 3½s	86	Southern Railway 5s	119¼
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	101¼	Texas & Pacific 1sts	123½
C., R. I. & P. 4s	93	Tol., St. L. & W. 4s	82
do col. 5s	86¼	Union Pacific 4s	106¼
C., C., C. & St. L. g. 4	103	do conv. 4s	123¾
Chicago Ter. 4s	95	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	97⅞
Colo. Mid. 4s	76	Wabash 1sts	114⅞
Colo. & Southern 4s	84	do deb. B	72⅞
Cuba 5s, cer	108	Western Md. 4s	98⅞
D. & R. G. 4s	101	W. & L. E. 4s	93
Distillers' Sec. 5s	81¼	Wis. Central 4s	94⅛
Erie prior lien 4s	101⅞	do 5s, 1st issue	99⅞
do gen. 4s	93⅞	do 1st 4s cer	97⅞
F. W. & D. C. 1sts	114	Colo. Ind. 5s, set A	75⅞
Hocking Val. 4½s	110¼	do set B	71⅞
Japan 6s, cer	109½	S. F. 1st 4s cer	71⅞
L. & N. uni. 4s	104⅞	do 4½s ind. a	89⅞
Manhattan con. g. 4s	104¼		

*Offered.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Call loans, 2½@3½ per cent; time loans, 3¾@4½ per cent. Closing quotations on stocks and bonds were as follows:

Atchison adjs. 4s	97	Adventure	5
do 4s	102	Allouez	34¼
Mexican Central 4s	76	Westinghouse com	83
Atchison	89