GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat Down on Lower Cables and Large Shipments.

GENERAL SENTIMENT HAS BEARISH TONE

Corn and Oats Lower, Too, Though Latter Sustained but Small Loss—World's Shipment Wheat Gains Million Bushels.

OMAHA, Nov. 20, 1905.

Wheat opened lower on lower cables and large world's shipments. The sentiment in general seemed to be bearish and there was a further loss. December hung around 86c most of the session. Buying orders in May at 87c checked the decline and caused a slight reaction. The scalping element has almost stopped trade in December. December closed at 85@85¼c, May at 87¼c and July at 82⅝@83c.

Corn was weak and prices were ¼c off at one time. Very little December was offered and orders to buy were placed at 46c. Toward the last some sales were made at 44¼c. December closed at 44¼c, old December at 45¾c, May at 43⅝@44c and July at 43¾c.

Trade in oats was very light and prices followed the general trend, though the decline was not so large. December closed at 29¾c, May at 32½c and July at 30¾c.

Liverpool closed ⅝@¾d lower on wheat and ¼@½d lower on corn.

The world's shipments of wheat were 13,680,000 bushels, against 12,352,000 bushels the week before and 11,508,000 bushels last year. The English visible supply of wheat last week decreased 267,000 bushels, compared with 1,836,000 bushels increase the week previous and 820,000 bushels increase for the same week last year. World's corn shipments were 4,087,000 bushels, against 3,326,000 bushels the previous week and 3,048,000 bushels last year.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,574,000 bushels and shipments 564,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 1,530,000 bushels and shipments of 683,000 bushels. Corn receipts were 929,000 bushels and shipments 444,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 933,000 bushels and shipments of 270,000 bushels. Clearances were 159,000 bushels of corn, 257,000 bushels of oats, 142,000 bushels of wheat and 16,000 barrels of flour.

F. P. Frazier of Chicago wired: "I was just talking with the vice president of one of the western lines and he tells me Oklahoma has raised a large crop of corn and they have no stock there to feed. He says we are going to have a larger movement of corn out of Kansas and Oklahoma than we have had for five years. They are piling up corn on the ground in Oklahoma and cannot get transportation to move it."

From the Inter Ocean: "Walter Fitch thinks purchases of wheat at 85c for December will be all right. It's a question whether elevator men at Minneapolis will offer delivery December 1 and break the December price or hold till the end of the month and then deliver at a time when the mills cannot possibly provide cars for loading out. This makes trade a little afraid of December in Minneapolis."

Omaha Cash Sales.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 1 car, 79½c; No. 3 hard, 1 car, 77¾c; 1 car, 76¾c; 1 car, 78¼c; 1 car, 76c; No. 4 hard, 1 car, 77c; No. 4 spring, 2 cars 68c.

CORN—No. 3, 1 car, 39c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 1 car, 28¾c; No. 3 mixed, 1 car, 28c.

RYE—No. 2, 2 cars, 65c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 78@80c; No. 3 hard, 76@78¼c; No. 4 hard, 71@76c; No. 2 spring, 78@78¼c; No. 3 spring, 76@77c.

CORN—No. 3 new, 39c; No. 4 new, 37c; no grade, new, 36@37c; No. 3 new yellow, 39c; No. 3 new white, 39½c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 27½@28c; No. 3 white, 28½@28¾c; No. 4 white, 27¾@28¼c.

RYE—No. 2, 66c; No. 3, 65c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	245	616	334
Kansas City	191	160	92
Minneapolis	750	...	...
Omaha	66	21	74
Duluth	328	...	...
St. Louis	65	84	104

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Bearish weekly statistics induced selling of wheat today, resulting in considerable weakness in the market. At the close wheat for May delivery was off ⅝c. Corn was down ⅞c. Oats showed a loss of ¼@⅝c. Provisions were practically unchanged.

The wheat market was weak from beginning to end. At the opening the May option was off ½c to ⅝c at 87¼@87⅝c. There was much to encourage the bears. Heavy contributions from Russia and from ports on the Danube swelled the total world's shipments from the week to 13,680,000 bushels, compared with 11,508,000 bushels for the corresponding week of last year. The wheat market at Liverpool was ⅝@¾d lower, the decline there being attributed to the large Russian exports and to the continued heavy pressure of offerings from Manitoba. In this country the movement continued heavy, under favorable weather conditions, and the volume of wheat was said to be constantly increasing. During last week, according to the official statistics, there was an increase of 2,625,000 bushels in the visible supply. In addition, demand for cash wheat at Minneapolis was less urgent than it has been during the last few days. Influenced by these considerations, commission houses and pit traders sold freely through the entire day, and the numerous longs joined in the selling movement. Demand came principally from shorts. From 87¾@87⅝c, which point was touched soon after the opening, the price of the May delivery gradually declined to 86⅝c. The market closed weak with May at 87¼c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 214,000 bushels. The amount of wheat afloat on ocean passage increased 130,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,574,000 bushels, compared with 1,535,000 bushels one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 1,326 cars, against 1,386 last week and 1,286 cars one year ago.

Weakness of wheat was considered effect on the corn market, and several other factors contributed to the bearish sentiment which prevailed in the corn pit throughout the day. Among these were liberal receipts here and reports of large acceptances in Nebraska. Weather conditions were highly favorable for the movement of the new crop. This fact also augmented offerings in the pit. A prediction long was one of the chief sellers, selling of more than two million bushels being credited to this trader alone. The market closed weak with prices practically at the lowest point of the day. May opened ¼@¾c to ⅛c lower at 44¼@44⅝c, sold up to 44⅝@44¾c and then declined to 43¾c. Final quotations were at 43⅝@44c. Local receipts were 616 cars, with eight cars of contract grade.

Sentiment in the oats pit was bearish, in sympathy with weakness of wheat and corn. Pit traders and cash interests were free sellers. Local receipts were 254 cars, rivals today exceeding the estimate by 100 cars, had a depressing influence. The market closed weak with prices at almost the lowest point of the day. May opened a shade to ⅛c lower at 32¼@32⅜c to 32¾c, sold off to 32⅛c and closed at 32¼c. Local receipts were 254 cars.

Provisions were dull and steady. Interest centered chiefly in lard, which was in fair demand by shorts. At the close May Pork was off a shade at $12.82½; lard and ribs were each unchanged at $7.02½ and $6.77½, respectively.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 73 cars; corn, 415 cars; oats, 251 cars; hogs, 28,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat—					
Dec.	85¼@¾	85½	84⅝	85@85¼	85¾@⅞
May	87¼@⅝	87⅝@¾	86⅞	87¼@⅜	87⅞@88
July	82⅝	82⅝@83	82⅛	82⅝@83	83⅛
*Corn—					
†Dec.	45⅞	45⅞	45⅜	45⅝	46¼
*Dec.	44⅛@⅜	44⅝	44@44¼	44¼	44⅝@⅞
May	44⅛@⅜	44⅝@⅞	43⅝	43⅝@44	44⅜@⅝
July	44⅛	44⅝	43⅝@⅞	43⅝@44	44⅛@⅜
*Oats—					
Dec.	30	30	29⅝	29⅝	30
May	32¼@⅜	32⅝	32⅛	32¼	32⅝@32¾
July	30⅜	30⅜	30⅛	30⅛	31⅛
Pork—					
Jan.	12 72½	12 72½	12 70	12 70	12 72½
May	12 85	12 85	12 82½	12 82½	12 85
Lard—					
Nov.	7 02½	7 07½	7 02½	7 05	7 00
Dec.	6 92½	6 92½	6 80	6 92½	6 90
Jan.	6 87½	6 90	6 87½	6 87½	6 87½
May	7 02½	7 05	7 02½	7 02½	7 02½
Ribs—					
Jan.	6 57½	6 60	6 55	6 57½	6 57½
May	6 77½	6 80	6 77½	6 77½	6 77½
Jan.	6 57½	6 57½	6 55	6 57½	6 55
May	6 75	6 80	6 75	6 77½	6 75

*No. 2. †Old. ‡New.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $3.85@4.30; straights, $3.75@4.10; spring patents, $3.80@4.10; straights, $3.60@3.85; bakers', $2.25@3.00.

CORN—No. 2, 46c; No. 2 yellow, 51@51½c.

OATS—No. 2, 29½c; No. 2 white, 31½@32½c; No. 3 white, 30@31½c.

BARLEY—Good to fancy feeding, 37½@38c; fair to choice malting, 42@47c.

RYE—No. 2, 67½@70c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flax, 98c; No. 1 northwestern, $1.00. Clover, contract grade, $13.00@13.25.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 84½@87c; No. 3, 80@86c; No. 2 red, 85½@84½c.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $13.50@13.62½. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7.07½@7.10. Short ribs sides (loose), $7.00@7.12½; short clear sides (boxed), $6.87½@7.00.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	20,000	53,500
Wheat, bu.	132,000	9,200
Corn, bu.	467,900	160,100
Oats, bu.	279,800	283,800
Rye, bu.	18,000	3,000
Barley, bu.	165,000	52,400

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 20@22c; dairies, 17@20c. Eggs, firm; at mark, cases included, 18@24c; firsts, 24c; prime firsts, 28c; extras, 30c. Cheese, steady, 12½@13½c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—FLOUR—Receipts, 4,839 bbls.; exports, 15,800 bbls.; market about steady, with demand for spring patents; winter patents, $4.20@4.55; winter straights, $3.95@4.10; winter extras, $3.85@3.25; winter, low grades, $3.80@4.25. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, $3.90@4.10; choice to fancy, $4.15@4.60. Buckwheat flour, steady, $2.15@2.25, spot and to arrive.

HUCKWHEAT—Barely steady, 63½c, delivered New York.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine, white and yellow, $1.25; coarse, $1.18@1.18; kiln-dried, $3.10@3.15.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2 western, 76c, c. i. f. New York.

BARLEY—Easy; feeding, 46½c, c. i. f. Buffalo; malting, 50@51½c, c. i. f. Buffalo.

WHEAT—Receipts, 236,800 bu; exports, 41,612 bu; spot market steady; No. 2 red, 90½c elevator; No. 2 red, 92½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 94½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Manitoba, 93⅞, f. o. b., afloat. Under heavy Russian world's shipments, together with lower cables, big primary receipts and stop-loss selling, wheat broke ¾c a bushel today. It regained half of this in the final hour on covering and closed ½@¾c net lower. May, 91⅝@92¼c, closed at 91⅝c; December, 91½@92 3-16c, closed at 91⅞c.

CORN—Receipts, 71,700 bu; sales, 150,000 bu, futures. Spot easy; No. 2, 58c, elevator and 56½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 yellow, 57½c; No. 2 white, 57c. Option market was active and weaker, closing ⅝@⅞c net lower. It reflected heavy western selling, bearish foreign news and room liquidation. January, 52@52¼c, closed at 52¼c; May, 49⅝@49¾c, closed at 49¾c; December, 54c, closed at 54c.

OATS—Receipts, 142,600 bu; exports, 62,887 bu. Spot steady; mixed oats, 30 to 32 lbs., 35c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 36½@37½c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 38@40c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 50@65c; good to choice, 80@82½c.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1905, 14@23c; 1904, 18@21c; olds, 5@8c. Pacific coast, 1905, 10@15c; 1904, 10@14c; olds, 5@8c.

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

LEATHER—Firm; acid, 26@27c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $11.50@12.50; mess, $9.50@10.50; beef hams, $21.00@22.50; packet, $10.50@11.50; city, extra India mess, $17.50@18.50. Cut meats steady; pickled bellies, $8.75@10.50; pickled shoulders, $6.50@7.00; pickled hams, $9.25@9.75. Lard, firm; western steamed, $7.40@7.50; refined, steady; continent, $7.80; South America, $8.30; compound, $5.50@6.75. Pork, barely steady; family, $16.50; short clear, $14.50@18.50; mess, $15.00@15.50.

TALLOW—Steady; city ($2 per pkg.), 4⅝c; country (pkgs. free), 4¾@5c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, 3½@6c; Japan, nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; street price, extra creamery, 24@24½c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 16@24c; state dairy, common to extra, 16@23c; renovated, common to extra, 18@22c; western factory, common to firsts, 18@17½c; western imitation creamery, extra, 18¼@19c; western firsts, 17½@18c.

CHEESE—Irregular; state, full creams, small and large, colored and white, September, fancy, 13¾c; state, fair to good, 12c.

EGGS—Firm; state, Pennsylvania and nearby selected, 28@40c; state, choice, 35@ 37c; state, mixed, extra, 35c; western, finest, 32c; state, firsts, 30@31c; southerns, 21@30c.

POULTRY—Dressed, steady; western chickens, 9@13½c; turkeys, 14@20c; fowls, 9@13c.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 20.—WHEAT—Steady; December, 77¾c; May, 79¼c; July, 75¼c; cash, No. 2 hard, 80@83c; No. 3, 78@80c; No. 2 red, 90@90½c; No. 3, 88@90c.

CORN—Lower; December, 39¾c; May, 39½c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 42c; No. 2 white, 42c; No. 3, 41½c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 30½@31½c; No. 2 mixed, 29½c.

HAY—Weak; choice timothy, $10.75@11.00; choice prairie, $9.00@9.25.

RYE—Steady; 66½c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 22c; dairy, 19c.

EGGS—Steady; Missouri and Kansas, new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 24½c; case count, 22½c; cases returned, ½c less.

Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu.	195,000	80,000
Corn, bu.	233,000	110,000
Oats, bu.	22,000	24,000

The following range of prices at Kansas City was reported by F. D. Day & Co., 110-111 Board of Trade building:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
Wheat—					
Dec.	80¾@¾	81¼	80⅝@¾	81	80¼@⅝
May	85¾@⅞	86¼	84⅝	85¼	85⅞
Flax—					
Dec.	97⅝	98⅜	97⅛	97¼	98¼
May	1 02	1 02¼	1 02	1 02¼	1 02⅝

Minneapolis Cash Close—Wheat: No. 1 hard, 85¼c; No. 1 northern, 83¼c; to arrive, 82¾c; No. 2 northern, 80¼c; No. 3 northern, 77¾@78¼c; No. 1 durum, 73c; No. 2 durum, 71¼c. Corn: No. 3 yellow, 48½c; No. 3, 47¼c; No. 4, new, 39@41c. Oats: No. 3 white, 28¾c; to arrive, 28¼c; No. 3, 26¾@27¼c. Barley, 35@48c. Rye, 61¼@63¼c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 20.—WHEAT—Spot, firm; No. 2 red western, winter, 6s 7½d. Futures easy; December, 7s; March, 7s; May, 6s 10½d.

CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, 5s 1¼d. Futures dull; January, 4s 5¼d; March, 4s 4¼d.

HOPS—In London (Pacific coast), quiet at £3@4.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 20.—BUTTER—Steady; extra western creamery, 24c; extra nearby prints, 26c.

EGGS—Firm; nearby fresh, loss off, 31c; nearby fresh and western fresh, 30c at mark.

CHEESE—Unchanged; New York full cream, 13¾@14c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 20.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 85¾@86¾c; track, 90@91c; December, 82¾@82⅞c; May, 86¾c; No. 3, red, 83@86c.

CORN—Lower; No. 2 cash, nominal; track, 44c for new and 48c for old; December, 43@42¼c; May, 42¼c.

OATS—Futures lower, cash strong; No. 2 cash, 30½c; track, 31¼@31¾c; December, 30c; May, 31½c. No. 2 white, 32¾c.

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $4.30@4.50; extra fancy and straight, $3.90@4.25; clear, $2.90@3.10.

SEED—Timothy, steady; 12.50@2.70.

CORNMEAL—Steady; $2.60.

BRAN—Steady; sacked, east track, 72@73c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $8.00@14.00; prairie, $7.00@9.00.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.00.

BAGGING—8¼c.

HEMP TWINE—9c.

PROVISIONS — Pork, lower; jobbing, $12.75. Lard, higher; prime steam, $6.90. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed, extra short, $7.75; clear ribs, $8.00; short clears, $8.25. Bacon, steady; boxed extra short, $8.50; clear ribs, $8.75; short clear, $9.00.

POULTRY—Quiet; chickens, 7½c; springs, 9½@10c; turkeys, 12½c; ducks, 10c; geese, 8@9c.

BUTTER — Steady; creamery, 20@25c; dairy, 19@21c.

EGGS—Steady, 24c, case count.

Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	10,000	8,000
Wheat, bu.	65,000	65,500
Corn, bu.	84,000	49,000
Oats, bu.	109,000	48,000

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 20.—FLOUR—First patents, $4.80@4.90; second patents, $4.60@4.70; first clears, $3.65@3.75; second clears, $2.45@2.55.

BRAN—In bulk, $11.50.

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July	82⅝	82⅝@83	82⅛	82⅝@83	83⅛
Corn—					
Dec.	40	40	39½	39½@⅝	40
May	40¾	40¾	39⅝	39⅝	40¾
Oats—					
Dec.	29½	29½	29¼	29¼@⅜	29½@⅝
May	30⅝@¾	30⅝@¾	30⅜@½	30⅜	30⅝@¾
Pork—					
Jan.	12 65	12 65	12 52½	12 60	12 62
May	12 75	12 75	12 70	12 70-72	12 72
Lard—					
Jan.	6 82	6 85	6 82	6 82	6 82
May	6 97	7 00	6 95@97	6 97	6 97

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NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Dealings Are the Largest Yet Made During Present Speculative Movement.

THE MARKET IS BROAD AND ACTIVE

Orders Come Largely from Outside Sources and Extensive Profit Taking Fails to Check the Advance.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Dealings in stocks expanded today to the largest total yet made during the present speculative movement. The large speculation also took on the appearance imparted by a miscellaneous participation. Vigorous movements in individual stock, not usually prominent in the trading, continued to be a characteristic of the movement and there was plenty of irregularity in the movement. But the market was so broad that active profit-taking went on a good part of the time, side by side with the rapid advances at other points in the list.

A notable characteristic of what is called a real bull market in Wall street is the sustained activity in the dealings in place of a very irregular movement of prices. Orders coming into the market from scattered sources and from speculative operators who are not adepts in the conduct of quick sympathetic turns, leave the market incapable of as quick sympathetic responses to the action of single stocks as would be the case when practically all the operations are congested in the hands of powerful individual speculators or combinations familiar with each others devices and modes and with perfect facilities for immediate operations on the floor of the stock exchange. At no time this season has the market looked less professional than it did today, but at no time has the appearance been so highly speculative. The development of a decided movement in any quarter was quick to attract a heavy following, buying in some cases being on an apparently unlimited scale. Recent pool favorites held their place in the leadership of the market, but there was a substantial showing of standard railroad and industrial stocks added to the movement. The renewed strength in the Pacifics was of notable effect on sentiment. Southern railroad stocks continued prominent, apparently in sympathy with the extraordinary movement in the southern cotton industrials. The inciting factor in the latter group was the discussion of a probable merger. Other iron and steel stocks moved in sympathy but the United States Steel stocks proved notably laggard. American Smelting continued readily responsive to the operations which rushed it up to a new record price. Other metal and smelting stocks were helped by this and by the increased dividend declared by the Calumet & Hecla company. The speculation in Reading was also actively pursued although that stock failed to reach its highest record price and Brooklyn Transit was an active feature. These special features in the speculation will account for gains running all the way from 2½ to over 11 points. Money rates were easier and this was the prime stimulating factor in the speculation. The more reassuring conditions in Russia were believed to be a safeguard against renewed pressure on our money resources from foreign quarters.

The restoration of surplus bank reserves reported in the Saturday bank statement was regarded as assurance of the position of the local money market and confidence was generally expressed among the speculative element that the money pinch of a week ago marked the passing of the crisis of the autumn money market. However, there were firm discount markets today, both in Paris and Berlin, and the price of gold was marked up in London. There was an early advance on foreign exchange here but the appearance of finance bills in the market caused rates to decline. New York exchange at Chicago rose to 40 cents premium last week. The issue of the Japanese refunding loan is reported imminent and on Thursday of this week the city of New York will issue $12,500,000 of bonds. The notice of withdrawal of the government's refunding offer by November 29 was not of any effect. The taking of profits on the day's rise affected the market quite generally during the final hour and made the closing irregular.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $4,355,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

Following were the sales and range of prices on the Stock exchange today:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adams Express				240
Amal. Copper	83,700	85⅝	83	85⅛
Amer. C. & F.	8,600	41¾	40¾	40¾
do pfd	300	100½	100½	100⅝
Amer. Cotton Oil	300	32	31⅛	31⅛
do pfd				93½
American Express				235
Amer. H. & L. pfd.	300	32¾	32⅛	32
American Ice	100	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Amer. Linseed Oil				17¼
do pfd	100	39¼	39¼	39¼
Amer. Locomotive	34,100	67⅛	67⅛	67⅛
do pfd				114½
Amer. S. & R.	5,300	153⅛	149⅜	151⅜
do pfd	26,900	130⅝	126⅛	130⅜
Amer. Sugar Refin.	5,000	141¼	141	141⅜
Amer. Tob. pfd cs.	600	106⅜	106¼	106
Anaconda Mining Co.	31,900	137⅛	130	137
Atchison	17,500	85⅜	84½	85¼
do pfd	200	103¾	103¾	103¾
Atlantic C. Line	13,700	166¼	164	166¼
Baltimore & Ohio	10,100	112⅜	111¾	111⅞
do pfd				96½
Brooklyn R. T.	159,900	86½	81⅜	84⅝
Canadian Pacific	18,500	173⅜	172¼	173⅜
Central of N. J.	100	227	227	225
Chesapeake & Ohio	3,600	55	53¼	54½
Chicago & Alton	400	33	32	32
do pfd				70
Chicago Gt. W.	2,100	21⅜	21¼	21¼
Chicago & N. W.	300	219½	219	218
C. M. & St. P.	19,700	178¼	176⅜	178
Chicago T. & T.				16
do pfd				38½
C. C. C. & St. L.	400	99¼	98	97½
Colorado F. & I.	15,200	46⅝	45¼	45⅞
Colorado & So.	300	27⅝	27	27
do 1st pfd	400	63¼	63¼	63
do 2d pfd	400	43⅞	43⅜	43½
Consolidated Gas	700	179⅝	179¼	179½
Corn Products	300	15⅛	14½	14⅝
do pfd	200	55	54⅝	55
Del. Lack. & H.	900	232	231¼	231½
D., L. & W.				452
Denver & R. G.	500	55⅜	55⅜	55⅜
do pfd	400	87⅝	87⅛	87⅝
Distillers' Securities	4,500	46¼	44⅞	46⅛
Erie	30,900	49⅝	49¼	49⅛
do 1st pfd	1,700	81⅜	81⅛	81⅜
do 2d pfd	4,200	74⅛	73⅝	73⅝
General Electric	1,400	186½	185¼	186
Hocking Valley	700	116	115	112
Illinois Central	1,500	178	177¼	177⅜
International Paper.	2,200	22	21⅜	21⅞
do pfd	200	80⅜	80⅛	80¼
International Pump.	300	50	50	50
do pfd				97
Iowa Central				27
do pfd	600	57⅜	56	57
Kansas City So.	3,200	29	28¾	28⅝
do pfd	2,200	53	52¼	52¾
Louisville & Nash.	17,100	154⅜	153	153
Manhattan L.	900	166	163½	163
Metropolitan Secur.	2,400	72⅞	72	72
Metropolitan St. Ry.	8,400	117⅜	116¼	116⅛
Mexican Central	9,500	24⅝	23¾	24¼
Minn. & St. L.	1,600	81	80	80
M., St. P. & S. St. M.	1,500	139⅞	138¼	138½
do pfd	2,600	164⅜	163	164¼
Missouri Pacific	10,800	101¾	100¾	100⅞
M., K. & T.	30,100	38⅞	38¼	38⅜
do pfd	800	71	71	70½
National Lead	14,300	52¾	52⅜	51⅝
N. R. R. of M. pfd.				35⅜
N. Y. Central	5,300	151½	150½	150½
N. Y., O. & W.	14,700	55	53	54
Norfolk & W.	7,900	86⅜	85¼	86⅛
do pfd				92
North American	22,900	101⅜	99¾	101
Pacific Mail	4,000	49¼	48	48¼
Pennsylvania	22,900	140⅜	140⅛	140¼
People's Gas	1,700	102	101¼	101⅝
P. C. C. & St. L.				80
Pressed Steel Car.	4,300	51⅝	50⅜	51
do pfd	300	98⅝	98¼	98½
Pullman Palace Car				243
Reading	84,400	143	140⅜	141⅜
do 1st pfd	200	88¾	87¾	87¾
do 2d pfd				86½
Republic Steel	5,200	26⅝	26	26¼
do pfd	7,800	96½	97	97¼
Rock Island Co.	5,100	29⅞	29⅜	29⅝
do pfd	1,300	73⅝	73¼	73¼
Rubber Goods				37
do pfd				104
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.				64½
St. L. & S. W.	2,000	23	22	22⅞
do pfd	200	58½	58	58½
Southern Pacific	38,100	90⅝	89⅝	90⅛
do pfd	200	119½	119½	119½
Southern Railway	15,700	36	35½	35⅞
do pfd	600	99	99	99
Tennessee C. & I.	40,400	106¼	102¾	104¼
Texas & Pacific	1,300	34⅞	34⅛	34½
T., St. L. & W.				37½
do pfd	400	58¼	57⅜	57⅜
Union Pacific	128,900	134½	133	134½
do pfd				96¼
U. S. Express				115
U. S. Realty	100	86	86	86½
U. S. Rubber	1,600	52¾	51¾	51¾
do 1st pfd	100	108¾	108¾	108
U. S. Steel	62,500	47¾	46¾	47¾
do pfd	17,500	106¾	105	106¾
Virginia-Carolina C.	3,900	37⅞	37¼	37⅝
do pfd				108½
Wabash	400	21⅜	21	21
do pfd	1,100	41⅜	40⅝	40⅞
Wells-Fargo Ex.				227
Westinghouse Elec.				170
Western Union	500	92⅜	92⅛	92⅜
W. & L. E.	1,300	18	17	18
Wisconsin Central	400	29⅝	29⅛	29⅛
do pfd	200	60	60	59½
Northern Pacific	5,000	20⅝	166½	200
Central Leather	1,500	46	44⅝	44⅝
do pfd	400	104	103⅜	103⅛
Sloss-Sheffield	34,900	88⅛	86	87⅜

Total sales for the day, 1,309,100 shares.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—MONEY—On call, steady at 5¼@6½ per cent; closing bid, 6 per cent; offered, 5½ per cent. Time money easier; 60 days, 6 per cent; 90 days, 5½@6 per cent; 6 months, 5@6½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Heavy; closing firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8620@4.8635 for demand and at $4.8260@4.8265 for 60 days; posted rates, $4.83½@4.84 and $4.87@4.87½; commercial bills, $4.82½.

SILVER—Bar, 64¼c; Mexican dollars, 49½c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, firm.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104¼	Japan 6s, 2d series	88¼
do coupon	104¼	do 4½s ctfs	93⅝
U. S. 3s, reg.	104	do 2d series	93
do coupon	104	L. & N. unf. 4s	104¼
U. S. old 4s, reg.	106⅜	Manhattan c. g. 4s	103¼
do coupon	106⅝	Mex. Central 4s	81
U. S. new 4s, reg.	133	do 1st inc.	28
do coupon	137	Minn. & St. L. 4s	97
Am. Tobacco 4s	79½	M., K. & T. 4s	102⅝
do 6s	116	do 2s	93¾
Atchison gen. 4s	112⅞	N. R. R. of M. c. 4s	84¼
do adj. 4s	95	N. Y. C. & H. 3½s	101⅜
Atlantic C. L. 4s	101⅞	N. J. C. g. 5s	132⅝
Bal. & Ohio 4s	103⅛	No. Pacific 4s	104⅜
do 3½s	94⅜	do 3s	78¾
Brk.