GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Firmness of Early Cables Favoring the Bulls.

CORN HEAVY AND DECLINING

Fine Weather Has Made Country Acceptances Increase, While the Consumption Demand is Light—Takers Slow.

OMAHA, Sept. 22, 1910.

Liverpool and all European markets showed firmness on the early cables. This encouraged buyers and sentiment favored the bull side for a turn.

Traders predict a stubborn wheat market, with rallies, but shipments from primary points are very light and stocks are a heavy pressure.

Corn continues heavy and on the decline. Fine weather has made country acceptances increase, while the consumptive demand is light and offerings find slow takers.

Strong cables kept wheat values well above yesterday's closing level. Cash demand was brisk and offerings found ready takers, as sentiment ruled rather bullish and some further rally is likely.

After an early break the corn market firmed up and held steady at about yesterday's values. Early selling was met by poor support on the part of buyers.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,362,000 bushels and shipments were 622,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 352,000 bushels and shipments of 191,000 bushels.

Primary corn receipts were 608,000 bushels and shipments were 1,173,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 389,000 bushels and shipments of 454,000 bushels.

Clearances were 18,000 bushels of corn, 900 bushels of oats, and wheat and flour equal to 98,000 bushels.

Liverpool closed ⅜d to ¾d higher on wheat and ¼d lower on corn.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 96½@$1.01; No. 3 hard, 96½c@$1.00; No. 4 hard, 82½@96c; rejected hard, 85@88c; No. 2 spring, 96½c@$1.00; No. 3 spring, 95½@96c; No. 2 durum, 84@84½c.

CORN—No. 2 white, 50½@50¾c; No. 3 white, 50c@50½c; No. 4 white, 49½@50c; No. 2 yellow, 49½@50c; No. 3 yellow, 49½@50c; No. 4 yellow, 48½@49c; No. 2, 49½@50c; No. 3, 49½@50c; No. 4, 48½@49c; no grade, 46@48c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 31½@32c; standard, 31½@31¾c; No. 3 white, 31@31½c; No. 4 white, 30½@31c; No. 3 yellow, 30½@31c; No. 4 yellow, 29½@30½c.

BARLEY—No. 4, 64@65c; No. 1 feed, 54c.

RYE—No. 2, 72½@73½c; No. 3, 71½@72½c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	74	354	109
Minneapolis	363	...	...
Omaha	30	38	14
Duluth	221	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Export sales and higher cables sent wheat prices upward today. The close was at a net advance of ⅛c to ¼@⅜c. Corn finished ⅛c to ⅛@⅛c up and oats unchanged to ⅛c higher. Latest quotations on provisions ranged all the way from 5c@25c decline to the same as last night.

Pacific coast exports of 500,000 bushels of wheat to France were confirmed, but the reported engagement of forty bushels for Rotterdam for American ports on the Atlantic was believed to refer to corn. The market, although nervous throughout the day, maintained a level above that of yesterday during the entire session. This condition was due primarily to unexpected better prices in Europe and these in turn were largely the result of a reversal of predictions for large shipments this week from Black sea ports. Aside from these influences, a fairly important factor in the buying today was the idea that Chicago is now the lowest market in sight. The close was at nearly the best figures of the day. December fluctuated between $1.00⅛@1.00⅝ and $1.01⅛, with the last sales ⅛@⅜c up at $1.00⅝.

Reported rains in Iowa and Nebraska and much colder weather in these states led to bullishness in the corn pit. December varied from 50⅝@51⅝ and closed strong ⅝c up at 51⅝c. Trade on the market was weak, shipping demand being slight. No. 2 yellow closed at 53¼@53⅝c.

In oats the close was firm in sympathy with the strength of corn and wheat. December sold from 34⅛@34½c to 34⅛@35c and finished exactly the same as last night at 34⅝@34¾c.

Shippers and outside packers sold January deliveries of hog products with a free hand. In the end pork was 82½c to 50@52½c lower; lard, unchanged to 17½c down and ribs off 50@15c.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat, No. 2 red, 99c@$1.01; No. 3 red, 96@98c; No. 2 hard, 99c@$1.00; No. 3 hard, 96@98c; No. 1 northern spring, $1.12@1.15½; No. 2 northern spring, $1.10@1.14; No. 3 spring, 96@$1.00. Corn: No. 2, 53¼@53½c; No. 3, 52½c; No. 2 white, 53¾@55c; No. 3 white, 53@53½c; No. 2 yellow, 53¼@53½c; No. 3 yellow, 53¼c. Oats, No. 2, 32c; No. 2 white, 34¼@34½c; No. 3 white, 31@33½c; No. 4 white, 32@34c; standard, 34¼@35c.

BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 24@28c; dairies, 24@26c.

EGGS—Receipts, 5,188 cases; market steady; at mark, cases included, 17½@22c; firsts, 22c; prime firsts, 24c.

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, 15¾c; twins, 14½@15c; young Americas, 15½@16c; long horns, 15½@16c.

POTATOES—Steady; choice to fancy, 75@78c; fair to good, 60@70c.

POULTRY—Quiet; turkeys, 18c; fowls, 13½c; springs, 13c.

VEAL—Quiet; 50 to 60-lb. wts., 83@84c; 60 to 85-lb. wts., 80@81c; 85 to 110-lb. wts., 76@78c.

Chicago Receipts—Wheat, 74 cars; corn, 354 cars; oats, 109 cars. Estimated tomorrow: Wheat, 64 cars; corn, 330 cars; oats, 114 cars.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat—					
Sept.	97@97½	97½	97	97½	96⅞
Dec.	1.00⅛@1.01	1.01⅛	1.00⅛	1.00⅝	1.00⅛
May	1.06⅝	1.06⅝	1.06⅛	1.06⅛	1.06⅛
*Corn—					
Sept.	53⅛@53½	53⅝	52⅞@53	53⅝	53⅝@53
Dec.	51⅝@51⅞	51⅝	50⅝	51⅝	51
May	54⅝@54⅞	54⅝@55	54⅛@54⅜	54⅞	54⅝
*Oats—					
Sept.	32½	32½@32⅝	32⅛	32½	32⅛@32¼
Dec.	34⅛@34⅛	34⅛@35	34⅛@34⅜	34⅝@34⅞	34⅛@34⅛
May	37⅝@37⅞	37⅞	37⅛@37⅜	37⅝	37⅝
Pork—					
Sept.	19 27½	19 27½	19 10	19 10	.....
Oct.	19 35	19 35	18 95	18 95	19 42½
Jan.	18 37½	18 30	17 97½	18 00	18 52½
Lard—					
Sept.	12 37½	12 57½	12 42½	12 42½	.....
Oct.	12 45	12 45	12 35	12 35	12 42½
Nov.	11 60	11 62½	11 60	11 60	11 60
Jan.	10 67½	10 67½	10 62½	10 62½	10 70
Ribs—					
Sept.	11 62½	11 62½	11 50	11 50	.....
Oct.	11 37½	11 30	11 22½	11 25	11 30
Jan.	9 67½	9 67½	9 57½	9 57½	9 67½

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $4.35@5.05; winter straights, $4.10@4.80; spring straights, $4.70@4.95; bakers, $3.60@3.15.

RYE—No. 2, 74c.

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 48@64c; fair to choice malting, 66@72c.

SEEDS—Flax, No. 1 southwestern, $2.65; No. 1 northwestern, $2.77. Timothy, $1.00@9.00. Clover, $10.00@15.25.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $19.00@19.85. Lard, per 100 lbs., $12.42½. Short ribs, sides (loose), $11.00@11.62½. Short clear sides (boxed), $12.12½@12.25.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 98,000 bu. Primary receipts were 1,362,000 bu., compared with 352,000 bu. the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 64 cars; corn, 330 cars; oats, 114 cars; hogs, 10,000 head.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 22.—WHEAT—December, 99½@99¾c, sellers; May, $1.02⅝@1.02⅞, sellers. Cash, unchanged; No. 2 hard, 98½c@$1.02; No. 3, 98c@$1.00; No. 2 red, $1.00@1.01; No. 3, 95@99c.

CORN—December, 49½c, sellers; May, 53¾c, bid. Cash, unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 mixed, 50@50½c; No. 3 mixed, 53½c; No. 4 white, 54c; No. 2, 53c.

OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 white, 33@35c; No. 3 mixed, 31@32c.

RYE—No. 2, 73@76c.

HAY—Unchanged; choice timothy, $13.50@14.00; choice prairie, $12.25@12.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, 28c; firsts, 26c; seconds, 23c; packing stock, 21½c.

EGGS—Extras, 25c; firsts, 22½c; seconds, 16c.

Receipts.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Shipments.			
Wheat	252,000	167,000	
Corn	22,000	25,000	
Oats	16,000	12,000	

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 22.—WHEAT—September, $1.09⅝; December, $1.11⅝; May, $1.15⅝. Cash, No. 1 hard, $1.13; No. 1 northern, $1.12@1.12½; No. 2 northern, $1.07@1.10½; No. 3 northern, $1.05@$1.09⅛.

FLOUR—First patents, $4.40@4.60; second patents, $4.20@4.40; first clears, $3.80@4.00; second clears, $2.50@2.80.

FLAX—Closed, $2.68.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 51½@52c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 32½@32¾c.

RYE—No. 2, 69@70½c.

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT

Showers Are Predicted for the Eastern Part of Nebraska.

OMAHA, Sept. 22, 1910.

A trough of low pressure extends from Manitoba southwestward across the Missouri valley to the extreme southwest, and unsettled weather prevails from the Rocky mountains east to the Mississippi river. Rains are falling this morning on the northern Rocky mountain slope, and throughout the upper Missouri and upper Mississippi valleys as far south as Nebraska and Iowa. The rains are moderately heavy in the Dakotas and western Minnesota, but are light and scattered in the other sections named. An area of high pressure, accompanied by a very decided fall in temperature, has appeared in the extreme northwest, and this area of high pressure will move down over the valleys during the next twenty-four hours, and the indications are favorable for continued unsettled and showery weather in this vicinity tonight and Friday, with slightly cooler tonight, followed by cooler Friday.

	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.
Minimum temperature	65	53	67	50
Precipitation	T	.00	.00	.00

Normal temperature for today, 64 degrees.

Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, 13.71 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1909, .33 of an inch.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1908, 2.27 inches.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

Corn and Wheat Region Bulletin.

For Omaha, Neb., for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, Thursday, September 22, 1910:

OMAHA DISTRICTS.

Stations.	—Temp.— Max.	Min.	Rain-fall.	Sky.
Ashland, Neb.	82	63	.04	Cloudy
Auburn, Neb.	83	47	.00	Pt. cloudy
Elkon Bow, Neb.	71	59	.00	Foggy
Columbus, Neb.	82	49	.00	Cloudy
Culbertson, Neb.	75	51	.00	Foggy
Fairbury, Neb.	88	60	.00	Pt. cloudy
Fairmont, Neb.	79	51	.00	Cloudy
Gr. Island, Neb.	76	64	.00	Pt. cloudy
Hartington, Neb.	76	52	.00	Cloudy
Hastings, Neb.	79	58	.08	Pt. cloudy
Holdrege, Neb.	70	52	.15	Clear
Oakdale, Neb.	81	60	.05	Cloudy
Omaha, Neb.	80	58	.00	Cloudy
Tekamah, Neb.	83	50	.00	Cloudy
Alta, Ia.	84	53	.03	Cloudy
Carroll, Ia.	84	51	.00	Pt. cloudy
Clarinda, Ia.	49	69	.00	Cloudy
Sidney, Ia.	53	51	.11	Cloudy
*Sioux City, Ia.	82	60	.01	Raining

*Minimum temperature for twelve-hour period ending at 8 a. m.

DISTRICT AVERAGES.

District.	No. of Stations.	—Temp.— Max.	Min.	Rain-fall.
Columbus, O.	17	80	50	.00
Louisville, Ky.	19	84	58	.00
Indianapolis, Ind.	12	80	52	.00
Chicago, Ill.	26	78	50	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	13	84	56	.00
Des Moines, Ia.	14	82	52	.00
Minneapolis, Minn.	36	82	50	.48
Kansas City, Mo.	24	86	62	.10
Omaha, Neb.	19	80	56	.10

Light showers were scattered over Nebraska and Kansas within the last twenty-four hours and rains are general in northern Iowa, the Dakotas and western Minnesota this morning. The weather is slightly warmer in the corn and wheat region west of the Mississippi river and slightly cooler east of the river.

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

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—FLOUR—Steady; spring patents, $5.40@5.75; spring clears, $4.35@4.60; winter extras No. 1, $3.75@3.90; winter extras No. 2, $3.50@3.65; Kansas straights, $4.80@4.90. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, $4.20@4.25; choice to fancy, $4.30@4.40.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.40@1.45; coarse, $1.35@1.40; kiln dried, $3.45.

WHEAT—Spot market, firm; No. 2 red, $1.04⅝c, elevator, and $1.05, f. o. b. afloat. No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.23½c, f. o. b. afloat. Futures market was again firmer today and about ⅝c higher on more bullish cable news and a better demand for cash wheat, both milling and export, besides liberal flour sales, the closing figures ⅝c net higher. September closed, $1.00⅝; December, $1.03½c; May, $1.12⅝c.

CORN—Spot market, steady; No. 2, 61½c, elevator, domestic basis, to arrive and 61¾c f. o. b., afloat. Futures market was without transactions, closing ⅛@⅛c net higher. September closed, 61½c; December, 59½c; May, 62½c.

OATS—Spot market, easy; new standard white, 39c; No. 2 white, 39½c; No. 3, 38½c; No. 4, 38c. Futures market was without transactions, closing ⅛@⅛c net lower. November closed, 39⅛c; December, 40½c; May, 42⅝c; July, 42⅝c.

HAY—Quiet; prime, $1.10; No. 1, $1.05@1.07½; No. 2, 95c@$1.00; No. 3, 75@80c.

HIDES—Quiet; Central America, 21c; Bogota, 22c.

LEATHER—Steady; hemlock firsts, 22@24c; seconds, 20@22c; thirds, 18@20c; rejects, 15@17c.

TALLOW—Firm; prime city, hhds., 7⅞c; country, 7⅛@8⅛c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; mess, $23.50; family, $25.00@26.00; short clears, $22.25@23.75. Beef, firm; mess, $16.00@18.50; family, $19.00@20.00; beef hams, $22.00@24.00. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, 10 to 14 lbs., 15@18c; pickled hams, 14½@15c. Lard, easy; middle west, prime, $12.75@12.85; refined, easy; continent, $13.20; South America, $14.00; compound, $11.00@11.25.

BUTTER—Firmer; creamery specials, 30@32c; extras, 29c; third to firsts, 24@28c; dairy, common to finest, 23@28c; process, second to special, 23@27c.

EGGS—Steady; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery, white, 36@40c; gathered white, 30@36c; hennery, brown, 30@32c; gathered brown, 28@29c.

CHEESE—Firm; state whole milk specials, 15½@17c; state whole milk fancy, 15½c; state whole milk choice, 14½@15c; state whole milk good to prime, 14@14½c; state whole milk common to fair, 11@13⅝c; skims, full to specials, 12½@12⅝c.

POULTRY—Alive steady; springers, 15@15½c; fowls, 16c; turkeys, 13@15c. Dressed dull; western broilers, 17@20c; fowls, 14½@17½c; spring turkeys, 20@27c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 22.—WHEAT—Futures, higher; September, 98⅝c; December, $1.01⅝@1.01⅞; May, $1.06⅝. Cash, firm; track, No. 2 red, 98@$1.04; No. 2 hard, 98c@$1.06½.

CORN—Futures, higher; December, 50⅝@50¾c; May, 55⅝c. Cash, lower; track, No. 2, 54½c; No. 2 white, 55@55½c.

OATS—Futures, steady; December, 33½c; May, 36½c. Cash, weaker; track, No. 2, 32½c; No. 2 white, 35@36c.

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $5.00@5.50; extra fancy and straight, $4.25@4.80; hard winter clears, $3.40@3.80.

SEED—Timothy, $8.00@9.00.

CORNMEAL—$3.10.

BRAN—Firm; sacked, east track, 97c@$1.00.

HAY—Firm; timothy, $12.00@19.00; prairie, $12.00@15.00.

BAGGING—3½c.

HEMP TWINE—7½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, lower; jobbing, $20.50. Lard, lower; prime steam, $12.15@12.25. Dry salt meats, lower; boxed, extra shorts, 12½c; clear ribs, 12½c; short clears, 13½c. Bacon, lower; boxed, extra short, 14½c; clear ribs, 14½c; short clears, 14½c.

POULTRY—Firm; chickens, 12½c; spring, 12½c; turkeys, 19c; ducks, 11½c; geese, 9c.

BUTTER—Dull; creamery, 25@29½c.

EGGS—Steady at 22½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour	7,100	8,200
Wheat	63,000	56,000
Corn	21,000	53,000
Oats	37,000	32,000

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 22.—WHEAT—Spot, dull; No 2 red western wheat no stock; futures steady; October 7s 4½d; December, 7s 4¼d; March, 7s 5½d.

CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, 7s 5d; futures steady; October, 4s 6½d; December, 4s 7½d.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 22.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.13@1.14; No. 2 northern, $1.09@1.12; December, $1.00⅝.

CORN—No. 3, 55c; May, 54⅝c.

OATS—Standard, 34⅝@35c.

BARLEY—Samples, 70@73½c.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Sept. 22.—WHEAT—September, $1.14⅝; December, $1.14⅝; May, $1.14⅝.

WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.14⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.10⅝@1.12⅝.

OATS—36c.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, Sept. 22.—CORN—Lower; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No. 3 yellow, 52c; No. 4, 52c; No. 4, 51c.

OATS—Lower; No. 2 white, 34½c; No. 3 white, 34c.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, Sept. 22.—Bank clearings for today were $2,940,114.92 and for the corresponding date last year $2,465,280.53.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Market Unresponsive to the Developments of Previous Day.

CONFUSION OF LONDON REPORTS

Closing Tone Heavy, with Small Change in Price—Western Trainmen's Demand Arouse Interest Among Speculators.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The stock market started the day with a show of disappointment over the unresponsiveness of the outside demand to the developments which were considered favorable yesterday. The Minnesota railroad law decision passed out of the field of active influences during the day, but later action of the stock market was regarded as making encouraging reparance to the force of the realizing movement. Some confusion of reports regarding the action of London bankers toward the cotton bill of lading dispute was a factor in the late irregularity of the market. The closing tone was heavy, with only narrow price changes.

Opinions of the iron and steel trade position continued unsettled and weighed on the market. The professed confidence in maintenance of prices seemed to disappoint a hope that decisive steps were in contemplation which would awaken demand and renew the declining activity of the trade.

Reports that trainmen of western railroads were formulating demands for a comprehensive increase in wages, directed attention to another phase of the railroad problem, which is associated intimately with the steel trade position. The officials of the railroads are candid in admitting the embarrassment of contending with demands for increased wages in view of the high cost of living.

The cotton bill dispute is the only serious menace to the promise of uninterrupted ease in the money market.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,488,000.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were as follows:

Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers pfd	.....	.....	26
Amalgamated Copper 16,600	69⅝	62¾	63⅝
American Agricultural	.....	.....	43½
Am. Beet Sugar 3,300	39⅝	38⅝	38⅝
American Can	.....	.....	8
American C. & F. 400	47	46¾	46¾
Am. Cotton Oil 600	61⅝	61⅝	61⅝
Am. H. & L. pfd 100	21½	21½	21
Am. Ice Securities	.....	.....	18½
American Linseed	.....	.....	11
American Locomotive 100	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝
American S. & R. 6,600	66⅝	63⅝	63⅝
Am. S. & R. pfd 100	101	101	101
Am. Steel Foundries	.....	.....	42⅝
Am. Sugar Refining	.....	.....	125
American T. & T. 2,000	136½	135½	136¼
American Tobacco pfd 300	93	93⅝	92¼
American Woolen 200	28	28	27½
Anaconda Mining Co. 100	39⅝	39⅝	39½
Atchison 9,900	99⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Atchison pfd 300	100⅝	100¼	100
Atlantic Coast Line	.....	.....	109
Baltimore & Ohio 2,000	105⅝	104⅝	104⅝
Bethlehem Steel	.....	.....	30
Brooklyn Rapid Tr. 1,800	75⅝	75	75⅛
Canadian Pacific 400	150⅝	150⅛	150⅝
Central Leather 600	34⅝	33	33
Central Leather pfd 100	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
Central of New Jersey	.....	.....	350
Chesapeake & Ohio 8,500	76	75	75⅝
Chicago & Alton	.....	.....	19
Chicago G. W. new 200	23	23	23⅛
Chi. R. I. & P. 500	46	46	46
Chicago & N. W. 700	146	145⅛	145
C., M. & St. P. 3,000	123	121⅛	121⅛
C., C., C. & St. L.	.....	.....	72⅛
Colorado Fuel & Iron 600	30	29⅝	29⅝
Colorado & Southern	.....	.....	53⅝
Consolidated Gas 1,700	131⅝	131	131
Corn Products 200	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Delaware & Hudson	.....	.....	162
Denver & Rio Grande 700	36⅝	30⅝	30⅝
D. & R. G. pfd 500	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝
Distillers' Securities	.....	.....	27
Erie 500	28	28⅝	28⅝
Erie 1st pfd 200	43	43	42⅝
Erie 2d pfd	.....	.....	32⅝
General Electric 100	144	144	144
Great Northern pfd 8,000	128	126⅝	126⅝
Great Northern Ore ctfs 200	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝
Illinois Central	.....	.....	138⅝
Interborough Met. 4,800	21	20⅝	20⅝
Int. Met. pfd 5,700	55	54⅝	54⅝
International Harvester 200	98	98	97⅝
Int. Marine pfd 300	17	16⅝	16
International Paper 200	10⅝	10⅝	10
International Pump	.....	.....	38⅝
Iowa Central	.....	.....	16⅝
Kansas City So.	.....	.....	28⅝
K. C. So. pfd	.....	.....	61
Laclede Gas 200	100	100	100⅝
Louisville & N.	.....	.....	142⅝
Minn. & St. Louis 100	23⅝	23⅝	23
M., St. P. & S. S. M. 1,400	132⅝	132⅝	132⅝
M., K. & T. 300	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
M., K. & T. pfd	.....	.....	61⅝
Missouri Pacific 400	53⅝	53⅝	53
National Biscuit	.....	.....	114
National Lead 100	53	53	51⅝
N. R. R. of M. 2d pfd	.....	.....	31⅝
N. Y. Central, ex-div. 2,900	113⅝	112⅝	112⅝
N. Y., O. & W. 100	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
Norfolk & Western 200	97	97	96⅝
North American 600	66⅝	65	65⅝
Northern Pacific 14,300	117⅝	116⅝	116⅝
Pacific Mail 900	30⅝	29⅝	30
Pennsylvania 3,700	125⅝	125⅝	125⅝
People's Gas 100	107⅝	107	107⅝
Pc., C., C. & St. L.	.....	.....	93
Pittsburg Coal	.....	.....	16⅝
Pressed Steel Car 100	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
Pullman Palace Car	.....	.....	160⅝
Railway Steel Spring	.....	.....	31⅝
Reading 88,900	143⅝	141⅝	142⅝
Republic Steel 300	30⅝	30⅝	30
Republic Steel pfd	.....	.....	91⅝
Rock Island Co. 5,200	31⅝	31	31
Rock Island Co. pfd 1,200	63⅝	63	63
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd 300	40	39⅝	39⅝
St. Louis S. W.	.....	.....	25
St. L. & S. W. pfd	.....	.....	57⅝
Sloss-Sheffield S. & I. 100	58	58	58
Southern Pacific 14,200	115⅝	114⅝	114⅝
Southern Railway 600	24⅝	23	23
do. Railway pfd	.....	.....	62⅝
Tennessee Copper 4,400	33⅝	32⅝	33⅝
Texas & Pacific 200	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
T., St. L. & W. 200	23⅝	23	23
T., St. L. & W. pfd 200	52	51	52
Union Pacific 61,500	167⅝	165⅝	166⅝
Union Pacific pfd 500	91⅝	91	91
United States Realty	.....	.....	69⅝
United States Rubber 300	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝
United States Steel 85,600	68⅝	67⅝	67⅝
U. S. Steel pfd 600	116⅝	116⅝	116⅝
Utah Copper 600	46	45⅝	45⅝
Va.-Caro. Chemical 100	53⅝	53⅝	53
Wabash 100	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
Wabash pfd 700	36⅝	35⅝	35⅝
Western Maryland 200	44⅝	44	44⅝
Westinghouse Electric 100	63	62⅝	62
Western Union 2,100	66	65⅝	65
Wheeling & L. E.	.....	.....	4⅝

Total sales for the day, 371,000 shares.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—American securities opened a fraction higher today, but quickly turned easier. Prices ranged from ⅜ above to ⅛ below parity at noon.

Consols, money	80 7-16	Louisville & Nash.	137½
do account	80⅝	M., K. & T.	32⅝
Amal. Copper	64⅝	N. Y. Central	111⅝
Anaconda	8	Norfolk & W.	99⅝
Atchison	101⅝	do pfd	91
do pfd	103⅝	Ontario & W.	42
Baltimore & Ohio	108⅝	Pennsylvania	58⅝
Canadian Pacific	156	Rand Mines	8⅝
Chesapeake & O.	77⅝	Reading	17⅝
Chicago G. W.	24	Southern Ry.	23⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	128	do pfd	54⅝
De Beers	16⅝	Southern Pacific	115⅝
Denver & Rio G.	31⅝	Union Pacific	170⅝
do pfd	74⅝	do pfd	90⅝
Erie	28⅝	U. S. Steel	69⅝
do 1st pfd	43⅝	do pfd	116⅝
do 2d pfd	33⅝	Wabash	17⅝
Grand Trunk	2⅝	do pfd	37⅝
Illinois Central	138⅝	Spanish 4s	92

SILVER—Bar, steady at 24 11-16d per oz.

MONEY—⅝@4 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 1⅝@1⅝ per cent; for three months' bills, 2 13-16@2⅞ per cent.

Local Securities.

Quotations furnished by Burns, Brinker & Co., 449 Omaha National Bank building:

	Bid.	Asked.
Beatrice Creamery pfd	84⅝	87⅝
Colorado Tel., Co. 7 per cent	62	64
Cudahy Packing Co. 7s	96⅝	98⅝
City Nat'l Bank Bldg. 4s, 1920	95	100
Columbus, Neb., E. L. 6s, 1924	90	93⅝
Denver G. & E. 5 per cent notes 1911	99	100
Fairmont Creamery pfd	100	.....
Int. Con. Co., with subs	.....	60
Iowa Portland 1st 6s	98	100
Iowa Portland 2d 6s	97	98
Kan. G. & E. 7 per cent pfd, Wichita	99	100
Kansas City (municipal) 4½s	104⅝	105⅝
K. C., M. & O., com	18	22
K. C., M. & O., pfd	34	38
K. C., M. & O. 4s, 1927	62	73
K. C., M. & O. 4s, 1951, bonds	69	82
Omaha Water Co. 5s, 1914	99	101
Omaha Water Co. 5s, 1944	98	99
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. pfd 5 per cent	83	83⅝
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry., com	.....	70
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. 5s, 1928	97	98
Omaha St. Ry. 5s, 1914	96	.....
Omaha & C. B. St. & S. pfd	.....	65
Union Con. Co., with bonus	48	52
Union Stock Yards Stock, Omaha	98	94

Bank of France Statement.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

	Increase.
Notes in circulation	*39,025,000 francs
Treasury deposits	*5,100,000 francs
General deposits	25,175,000 francs
Gold in hand	2,475,000 francs
Silver in hand	1,475,000 francs
Bills discounted	*28,375,000 francs
Advance increased	3,525,000 francs

*Decreased.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust Fund—Gold coin, $89,237,829; silver dollars, $465,473,000; silver dollars of 1890, $2,556,000; silver certificates outstanding, $45,574,300.

General Fund—Standard silver dollars in general fund, $4,732,904; current liabilities, $94,232,163; working balance in treasury offices, $32,239,415; in banks to credit of treasurer of the United States, $3,36[illegible]; subsidiary silver coin, $9,242,[illegible]; minor coin, $929,271; total balance in general fund, $30,944,272.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—MONEY—On call, 1⅝@2 per cent; ruling rate, 1⅝ per cent; closing bids, 1⅝ per cent; offered at 2 per cent. Time loans dull and easier. Sixty days 3⅝ per cent and 90 days 4 per cent; six months, 4⅛ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8260@4.8360 for 60-day bills and at $4.86⅛ for demand. Commercial bills, $4.83@4.83⅛.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5⅛@6 per cent.

SILVER—Bar, 53⅛c. Mexican dollars, 44c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	109⅝	Int. M. M. 4½s	65
do coupon	109⅝	**Japan 4s	90
U. S. 3s, reg.	107⅝	do 4½s	94⅝
do coupon	107⅝	K. C. So. 1st 5s	72
U. S. 4s, reg.	114⅝	L. S. Deb. 4s 1931	95⅝
do coupon	115	*L. & N. uni. 4s	97⅝
Atls-Chal. 1st 5s	77	*M. K. & T. 1st 4s	87⅝
Am. Ag. 5s	101⅝	*do gen. 4⅝s	66⅝
Am. T. & T. cv. 4s	104⅝	Mo. Pacific 4s	77
Am. Tobacco 4s	80⅝	N. Y. R. R. cv. 4s	34⅝
do 6s	104⅝	*N. Y., C. & H. 3½s	83⅝
Armour & Co. 4½s	92⅝	do deb. 4s	90
Atchison gen. 4s	98⅝	*N. Y., N. H. & H.	
*do cv. 4s	117⅝	cv 6s	134⅝
do cv. 5s	107⅝	*N. & W. 1st c. 4s	98⅝
At. C. L. 1st 4s	94⅝	do cv. 4s	90
Bal. & Ohio 4s	99	No