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# Rochester's Third Consecutive Flag

## Ganzel's Team Made Great Record in Eastern League—Luck Was With Them Too.

New York, Sept. 24.—The 1911 season of the Eastern league closed today with double headers at Providence and Newark, the tail ender clubs in the season's standing. President Edward G. Barrow, in reviewing the season tonight, said it might easily be classed as one of the most successful in the twenty-one years' history of this, the senior organization in minor baseball leagues.

"The winning of the pennant by Rochester for the third consecutive time," said President Barrow, "constitutes a record in the league, for no other club in fact has won the flag even twice in succession. The success of John Ganzel's team was well earned, for it excelled in all departments of the game, and was particularly strong on the road. Luck was also something of a factor. The nine went through the entire season practically intact. Jack Dunn's Baltimore team which ran a close race for the leadership, finishing 24 points behind, had worse luck, for three or four of the best men were laid up at times."

### NO USE TO APPLY.

**President Lynch Tells the Fans to Save Their Postage Awhile on World's Series.**

New York, Sept. 24.—Inquiries about orders for tickets for the coming series of world's championship baseball games have been received in unprecedented numbers at National league headquarters and at the offices of the prospective pennant winners. To clear up any misunderstanding about the plans for the series, President Lynch of the National league made the following statement today:

"I wish to say in this public manner that no arrangements will be made for the playing of the world's series between the pennant winners of the National and American leagues until it is definitely settled what two clubs will participate in that series.

"When this is known, then the national commission will formulate and make public a schedule under the rules governing the contest for the world's championship, and at the same time will announce the price of tickets and indicate the places where they may be obtained.

"All essential conditions will be given in that announcement. It is useless and a waste of time to apply for reservations at this office or to the offices of the prospective pennant winners until after the national commission has made its declaration."

### LAUREL HILLS OPENING GRIDIRON SEASON.

**Fast Team of Lightweights Will Again Be in the Arena.**

The Laurel Hill football team, which made such a good showing on the gridiron last year, will start practicing this week at Laurel Hill park. The team is composed of Townsend, Coyl, Stanley, Revell, Robinson, Whitaker and Walker of last year's team, with Peck, Havens, Sevin, Fosberg, Benjamin and Beebe as candidates.

There will be a meeting of the team at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, when all members are expected to attend.

The Laurel Hill football team would like to arrange games with any team averaging under 130 pounds in eastern Connecticut, games to be played on Saturday afternoons. Laurel Hill Football Team, Y. M. C. A., Norwich, Conn.

### WESTERLY POPULACE FAVORS DEADHEAD BANK.

**Half the Crowd on Free List to See Collins Beat Samson.**

The wrestling match between Bill Collins and Oscar Samson in the old circus lot Saturday afternoon was witnessed by about five hundred, more than half of them being on Deadhead Bank, only the real sports paying the nominal price of admission to the really meritorious exhibition. It was a well contested match and aroused considerable interest in the close followers of the game, the fine points made by the contestants being enthusiastically applauded. Collins won the match in two falls, the first in 19 minutes and 30 seconds and the second fall in 13 minutes and 20 seconds. At the conclusion Samson declared the bout to have been the fairest in which he had participated and that Collins was some wrestler. Jack McGrath was referee.

### OCCUM CAME BACK.

**The Cubs Handed Defeat, 6 to 4, to Mill League Champions.**

The Occum baseball team came back strong against the Baltic Athletic club on Sunday, defeating the Mill league champions 6 to 4. Krodel with his speed and railroad curves kept the Baltic sluggers from meeting the pill with any success. Gadbois was strong on first and the kind words of Dugas on the coaching line did a lot to help the boys along.

"Butch" Cote attempted to come to the rescue of Baltic, but McSheffrey pounded the ball to the limits of the cornfield. Coulard in five times up landed safe for four hits, planting one up among the lady-fans on Baltic Rocky mountain. Manager William Le Page thinks now he will let his Occum Cubs take a well earned rest.

### TRI-VILLAGE WON POORLY PLAYED GAME

**New England League Pitchers Fail to Add Class.**

Dayville, Sept. 23.—With New England league twirlers doing the boxwork for both teams, considerable of a baseball game was looked for by the fans that assembled at Dayville Saturday afternoon to see the second of the post-season series between the Tri-Village-Wauregan teams but prospects did not pan out; there was instead a nondescript game in which Wauregan flunked in the first inning and eventually lost, 10 to 7, managing to do the unusual feat of piling up all the runs in the last inning. Both teams hit freely but Tri-Village did more opportune and timely stick work. The series is now a tie, one and one, the final game to be played next Saturday, possibly at Moosup, where the grounds would be neutral. The score:

**Wauregan.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dugas,3b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| L'H'eureux,c | 5 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 0 |
| Reiger,p | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Geer,1b | 4 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 2 |
| Dion,2b | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Raymond,lf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Labelle,ss | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Hill,rf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pellerin,cf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 38 | 10 | 24 | 11 | 4 |

**Dayville.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Houlihan,cf | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kany,2b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Page,2b | 5 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Howard,p | 4 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| B'thiaume,lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rob'son,1b | 4 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Tucker,rf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shaw,c | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Franklin,ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Totals. | 35 | 12 | 27 | 12 | 3 |

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wauregan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | —7 |
| Dayville | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—10 |

Runs for Dayville Houlihan 2, Kany 2, Page, Berthiaume 2, Robertson, Tucker, Howard, for Wauregan Dugas, Reiger, L'Heureux, Dion, Labelle, Hill, Pellerin; two base hits, Howard 2; sacrifice hit, Shaw; stolen bases, Page, Berthiaume, Franklin 2, Labelle, Houlihan; double plays, Franklin to Robertson, L'Heureux to Geer; left on bases, Wauregan 5, Dayville 5; bases on balls, off Reiger 2, off Howard 2; struck out, by Reiger 5, by Howard 6; wild pitch, Howard; umpire, Cantra; time, 1.30.

### WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

**American League.**

Detroit at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.
Cleveland at Washington.

**National League.**

Boston at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 85 | 45 | .679 |
| Detroit | 84 | 57 | .596 |
| Cleveland | 74 | 67 | .525 |
| New York | 73 | 69 | .514 |
| Chicago | 70 | 70 | .500 |
| Boston | 70 | 72 | .493 |
| Washington | 59 | 83 | .416 |
| St. Louis | 40 | 102 | .282 |

**Athletics 5, Cleveland 3.**

Cleveland, Sept. 24.—Philadelphia defeated Cleveland, 5 to 3, today, bunching hits on Baskette after two men were out in the fifth inning. One-handed catches by Derrick and Baker of line drives saved the Athletics from defeat. Score:

**Cleveland.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bunched,lf | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Neill,ss | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Jackson,rf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Lajoie,1b | 4 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| B'ngham,cf | 4 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Ball,2b | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Turner,3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| O'Neill,c | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Baskette,p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| *Braney | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Fisher | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| xFalkenberg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 31 | 6 | 27 | 10 | 1 |

**Philadelphia.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lord,lf | 4 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Oldring,cf | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Collins,2b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Baker,3b | 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Murphy,rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| M'Inn's,1b | 4 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 0 |
| Derrick,ss | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Lapp,c | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin,p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Totals. | 31 | 7 | 27 | 14 | 1 |

*Batted for O'Neill in 9th.
**Batted for Baskette in 9th.
xBatted for Butcher in 9th.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —5 |

Two base hits, Jackson, Birmingham, Oldring, Collins; three base hit, Derrick.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 89 | 48 | .650 |
| Chicago | 83 | 57 | .593 |
| Pittsburg | 82 | 62 | .569 |
| Philadelphia | 76 | 64 | .543 |
| St. Louis | 73 | 68 | .518 |
| Cincinnati | 66 | 79 | .455 |
| Brooklyn | 56 | 82 | .406 |
| Boston | 36 | 101 | .263 |

**National League.**

At Chicago—Chicago-Boston postponed; rain.

**Cincinnati Wins Exciting Game from Giants.**

Cincinnati, Sept. 24.—In a rather poorly played but exciting game before an enormous crowd, Cincinnati defeated New York here today, 6 to 5. The $11,000 Marquard opposed the $6,500 Rube Benton when the game started, but Marquard was relieved by Wiltse, after Cincinnati had batted him for five runs and tied the score at the end of the fifth. Wiltse allowed only three hits the rest of the game, but as two of these were bunched in the seventh inning they were enough. Benton, though hit hard, kept the hits well scattered and struck out nine men.

Murray's triple and Merkle's single brought in New York's first run. Murray and Merkle's singles and a double steal tallied the second run in the fourth inning. Snodgrass' single, an out, an error and singles by Herzog and Fletcher added three more in the sixth.

For Cincinnati, singles by Bescher, Hoblitzel and Marsans, a wild pitch and an out totalled three runs in the third. Doubles by Clarke and Benton added one more in the fourth. Almeida's single, a wild throw and a sacrifice fly brought in another in the fifth, while Mitchell's single, Almeida's sacrifice and Egan's single scored the winning run in the seventh. Score:

| New York. | ab | h | po | a | e | Cincinnati. | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Devore,lf,rf | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Bescher,lf | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dwyle,2b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | Hoblitzel,1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Snodgrass,cf | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | Marsans,cf | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Murray,rf,lf | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mitchell,rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Merkle,1b | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Almeida,3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Devlin,3b | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | Egan,2b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Herzog,1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Komoid,ss | 4 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Fletcher,ss | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Clarke,c | 4 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 1 |
| Myers,c | 3 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | Denton,p | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Marquard,p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Wiltse,p | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Totals. | 32 | 10 | 27 | 13 | 2 |
| *Crandall | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Totals. | 34 | 12 | 24 | 10 | 3 | | | | | | |

*Batted for Wiltse in 9th.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —5 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | *— | —6 |

Two base hits, Clarke, Benton, Murray; three base hit, Murray.

**Phillies 8, St. Louis 2.**

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—Philadelphia defeated St. Louis easily today, 8 to 2. Alexander pitched. No man on the local team made a hit or got to first base until the fifth inning. Lobert in the eighth scored from first on Huggins' wild throw. Score:

| Philadelphia. | ab | h | po | a | e | St. Louis. | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Titus,rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Huggins,2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Lobert,3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Oakes,cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Magee,lf | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | Konetchy,1b | 3 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 0 |
| Luderus,1b | 4 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 1 | Ellis,lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Paskert,cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Evans,rf | 4 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Walsh,2b | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | Hauser,ss | 4 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 1 |
| Doolan,ss | 3 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 0 | Mowrey,3b | 4 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 0 |
| Cotter,c | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | Bliss,c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Alexander,p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Harmon,p | 2 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| | | | | | | *Wingo | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 33 | 7 | 27 | 12 | 1 | Zackert,p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | | | | | Totals. | 32 | 6 | 27 | 21 | 3 |

*Batted for Harmon in 8th.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | —8 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —2 |

Two base hit, Walsh; three base hit, Paskert.

### OTHER BASEBALL RESULTS SUNDAY.

**EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.**

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 98 | 54 | .645 |
| Baltimore | 85 | 58 | .621 |
| Toronto | 94 | 59 | .514 |
| Buffalo | 74 | 75 | .497 |
| Montreal | 73 | 80 | .474 |
| Jersey City | 62 | 88 | .413 |
| Newark | 57 | 95 | .375 |
| Providence | 54 | 98 | .355 |

**Eastern League.**

AT NEWARK—First game: R. H. E.
Jersey City .....5 0 5 0 0 0 4 1 0—15 19 1
Newark .....0 0 0 0 1 3 0 0 1— 5 10 3
Second game: R. E. H.
Jersey City .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0—4 10 1
Newark .....0 0 2 2 0 0 0 1 *—5 8 0

AT PROVIDENCE—First game: R. H. E.
Providence .....1 0 2 2 0 4 0 1 *—10 13 2
Baltimore .....2 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0— 5 10 0
Second game: R. H. E.
Providence .....0 3 0 1 7 0—11 10 0
Baltimore .....0 2 0 0 0 0—3 12 5
Called end 6th—darkness.

### SATURDAY BASEBALL RESULTS.

New York 6, Cincinnati 2.
Boston 14, Chicago 6.
Brooklyn 5, Pittsburg 4.
St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2.

**American League.**

Chicago 5, New York 2.
Boston 14, St. Louis 2.
Cleveland 6, Washington 1.
Philadelphia 14, Detroit 3.

**Eastern League.**

Jersey City 2, Newark 1, first game. Jersey City 1, Newark 1, second game. Called end 11th.
Montreal 11, Buffalo 4, first game. Montreal 1, Buffalo 1, second game. Called end 9th—darkness.
Baltimore 9, Providence 8, ten innings, first game. Baltimore 11, Providence 5, second game.
Toronto 7, Rochester 1.

### COBB AND JACKSON LEAD THE BATTERS

**Detroit and Boston Have First Stickmen in the Two Leagues.**

Tyrus Cobb of the Detroit team still leads the American baseball league in batting, base stealing and run getting. His unofficial batting average is .416. Jackson of Cleveland is second with an average of .400. Lajoie of Cleveland is third, with .388.

Cobb has stolen 79 bases, which gives him an average thus far this season of .59. Callahan of Chicago is next with an average of .40, while Milan of Washington is third with .36. Cobb has scored 138 runs, Jackson 130, and Bush of Detroit 118.

In the National league, Jackson of Boston heads the list in batting with an average of .363. Almeida of Cincinnati is second with .355, and Myers of New York third with .342. In base stealing Bescher of Cincinnati is first, with an average of .48; Devore of New York next with .42, and Murray of New York third with .38.

Huggins of St. Louis is the leading run getter with an average of .78; Sheckard of Chicago is second with .76, and Doyle of New York third with .73.

### IRISH GIANT WILL LOCATE IN NEW YORK

**Jack McGrath Will Look for Matches with Incoming Heavyweights.**

The Irish Giant, Jack McGrath, accompanied by Oscar Samson, the Pittsfield wrestler, was a visitor here Saturday and Sunday. Jack proposes to locate in New York in October and November, having a mind to act as reception committee for a horde of foreign heavyweight boxers who are headed for these shores. He will get matches with as many of them as possible and trusts to convince them that we grow some sizeable men on this side of the water.

Jack has quite a stable of young boxers and wrestlers under his wing at Worcester and looked around while here to see if he could not arrange some matches for them.

### MACK'S 21 ELIGIBLES.

**Connie Names His Men Entitled to Play in World's Series.**

Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia American league baseball club, on Saturday announced that he had sent to the national commission the names of twenty-one players as eligible to represent his club in the world's series this fall. The names of the players are:

Catchers—Thomas, Lapp and Livingston.

Pitchers—Bender, Coombs, Krause, Plank, Morgan, Martin and Danforth.

Infielders—Davis, McInnes, Collins, Barry, Baker and Derrick.

Outfielders—Murphy, Lord, Oldring, Strunk and Hartzel.

Last fall against Chicago there were twenty-three men eligible to represent Philadelphia. Those not on this year's list are Atkins and Dygert, pitchers, Houser, first baseman, and Donohue, catcher. The new men this year are Danforth and Martin, pitchers.

The players who are eligible for the series this year and who played against the New York Nationals in 1905 are Bender, Plank, Davis, Murphy, Lord and Hartzel.

### OLYMPIAS AT BASKETBALL.

**Last Season's Champions Again in the Game.**

The Olympia basketball team, last season's champions of the Y. M. C. A., is to begin practice on Monday night for this year's campaign, having Dennis Murphy for captain, Fred Caron for manager and the same lineup as last year.

The Olympias closed the season a year ago with a record of winning 25 games out of 27. There is a chance this year that a basketball league will be organized to include two teams from Willimantic, two from New London, and two from the Norwich Y. M. C. A.

### UMPIRE EVANS IN A GENERAL MELEE

**Lands on Two Men at Cleveland Who Made Offensive Remarks.**

Cleveland, O., Sept. 24.—Umpire William Evans hit one man, beat another, and was himself roughly handled after the Cleveland-Philadelphia baseball game here today. A general fight resulted and a crowd of 2,000 specators swarmed upon the field and around the participants.

Spectators objected to Evans calling a foul ball on Second Baseman Ball of the Clevelands in the eighth inning and when he put Butcher out of the game in the ninth for protesting after two strikes were called on him, they became more aggravated. When the game was over and Evans was walking toward the club house, a man jeered him, with an oath, Evans says, and Evans struck him. Evans again started for the clubhouse and in front of the entrance another man is said to have cursed him.

Evans resented this with his fists and soon there was a general melee, which did not end even after the members of the Cleveland and Philadelphia teams had borne the umpire inside the clubhouse The crowd surged around the entrance demanding that Evans come back. A woman was so badly wedged in the crush that two ball players had to rescue her and carry her into the clubhouse.

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### Independents Make Good Showing.

Captain Skelly has his Independents out this week, running and kicking the leather around and getting ready to hand the Heavyweights a fine trimming. The feature of the practice was the all-round work of the backfield and drop kicking by L'Heureux from the 20 and 25 yard line, and the shooting of the forward pass by Rowe. The Independents would like to arrange games with all fast teams in the state.

### Bulkeley Begins Football.

Bulkeley school of New London opened its football season on Saturday, playing an alumni team a scoreless tie. An 80 yard run by Dondero of the alumni team after intercepting a forward pass was the feature of the game. He was tackled a few feet from the goal and before the alumni had time to push the ball over the whistle blew for the end of the game.

### Kramer National Bike Champion.

Newark, N. J., Sept. 24.—Frank Kramer of East Orange, practically won the national professional bicycling championship today at the Velodrome track by winning two firsts. Jackie Clarke, who had held the lead, was unable to participate, owing to injuries received last Wednesday. Kramer is now credited with 72 points and Clarke with 60.

### Would Meet Gravel Weight Lifting.

Albert Gravel, who recently challenged the weight lifters of his class, can get a match if he will leave his address at this office. Jules Lacourse of Moosup wants to try him out.

### Murphy Led the Slugging.

Danny Murphy, with four singles in five times, and Lapp, with two singles and a twobagger, led in the slugging in the Detroit-Philadelphia game Saturday, while Crawford made a home run and a single, and Gainor had a pair of twobaggers.

There are 280 motorcyclists in Redlands, Cal. That means that one out of every 38 Redlanders rides a motorcycle. Can any city beat the record?

# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

### MANY SHARP DECLINES.

**Rumors of Government Investigations Depress Stocks.**

Wall Street, Sept. 23.—Under London's lead, where American securities, especially steel issues, were materially higher, the local stock market opened with a moderate resumption of the rally which was in progress at Friday's close. Initial dealings in United States Steel consisted of a block of 3,500 shares at a 1 1-4 point advance. The preferred stock opened at a 3-4 point gain, soon advancing to a full point. Union Pacific was up a point and gains of as much or more were registered by Missouri Pacific and Pacific Mail. Other active issues with few exceptions scored substantial fractional gains. The market made some recessions from top prices soon after the opening.

The market closed heavy. Trading slackened perceptibly in the final hour. The only noteworthy feature being the increased strength of the standard railway shares and the further weakness of the industrials, both Amalgamated Copper and American Smelting falling to lowest prices since 1908.

There was no news to account for the sharp declines in these issues other than mere rumors which hinted at government investigation. Toward the close the entire list moved upwards under the lead of Union Pacific, but the advance was met by liberal offerings, which induced prompt recessions. Further unsettlement growing out of the increased weakness in Amalgamated Copper, which declined to 48 3-4, wiped out practically all gains.

The statement of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold $24,459,400 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $1,120,450 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.

Comparative calm prevailed at the opening of the stock market today after the wild scenes of yesterday. Trading was on a much smaller basis and advances were general. United States Steel, the storm center of yesterday's slump, opened 1 1-4 higher, 3,500 shares selling at 57 1-4. The next transaction was 4,500 shares at the same price. The preferred stock, which closed yesterday at 105 3-4, opened at 106 1-2. On the next sale its gain was increased to a full point.

The market showed no signs of the extreme nervousness of yesterday, although no development occurred over night to dispel the uncertainty regarding the status of the United States Steel corporation. The buoyancy of the London market, where American shares advanced generally before the opening here, was to some extent responsible for the better tone.

The general market held fairly steady throughout the early trading, although the copper and steel stocks reacted fractionally.

### LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 23.—Receipts of beeves were 2,668 head, including 113 cars for slaughterers and exporters and 37 for the market, making with the state cattle 40 cars on sale. Steers were extremely dull at a decline of 10@15c; bulls barely steady; cows unchanged on light receipts. Ordinary to good steers sold at $5.67 1-2@6.90 per 100 lbs; bulls at $3.65@5.05; cows at $2.00@4.50. Dressed beef slow on account of the Jewish holiday and prices weak at 8@12c per lb for native sides. No later cables from the cattle markets of Great Britain. Exports tomorrow 1,305 beeves and 620 quarters of beef.

Receipts of calves were 248 head, including 140 for butchers and 103 for the market. Prices were full steady for veals; no grassers or western calves offered. Common to prime veals sold at $7.00@$10.50 per 100 lbs; tops at $10.75; culls at $6.00; southern calves at $5.50. Dressed calves quiet at 11@16 1-2c for city dressed veals and 10@14c for country dressed.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were 4,316 head, including 12 1-2 cars for slaughterers and 4 1-2 for the market, making with the stale stock 6 cars on sale. Sheep were steady; best lambs firm; others slow but steady; the pens were nearly cleared. Common to prime sheep sold at $2.50@4.00 per 100 lbs; culls at $2.00; common to choice lambs at $5.50@$6.60; culls at $4.00; yearlings at $4.50@$5.00. Dressed mutton steady at 6 1-2@8 1-2c per lb; dressed lambs slow at 10@12c.

Receipts of hogs were 2,628 head, including half a car for the market. Prices were lower for all weights, with heavy to light selling at $7.35@7.40 per 100 lbs.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Hogs slow and steady; quality fair; estimated receipts today, 15,000; left over, 6,482; bulk of prices, $6.70@7.05; light, $6.60@$7.20; mixed and butchers, $6.50@$7.20; heavy, $6.40@$7.12 1-2; rough heavy, $6.40@$6.65; yorkers, $7.05@$7.15; pigs, $4.25@$6.50.

Cattle steady; estimated receipts today 2,500; beeves, $4.80@$8.00; cows and heifers, $2.25@$6.20; Texas steers, $4.50@$6.30; stockers and feeders, $3.15@$6.80; western, $4.20@$7.10.

Sheep steady; estimated receipts today, 15,000; native, $2.50@$4.25; western, $2.75@$4.30; yearlings, $3.85@$4.70; lambs, $4.00@$6.00; western, $4.50@$6.25.

### STOCKS.

May Sales. .... 19¾ 50 49¾ 49¾

| | | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 200 | Alis Chalmers pfd | 16½ | 16½ | 15 |
| 53300 | Amal. Copper | 52¾ | 48¾ | 49¾ |
| 100 | Am. Agricultural | 48 | 48 | 47½ |
| 800 | Am. Beet Sugar | 50 | 49¾ | 49½ |
| 3200 | Am. Can | 10 | 9¾ | 9⅞ |
| 100 | Am. Car & F. | 44⅞ | 44⅞ | 44½ |
| 1000 | Am. Cotton Oil | 51 | 50¼ | 50¼ |
| —— | Am. Hide & L pfd | — | — | 19 |
| —— | Am. Ice Securities | — | — | 17½ |
| —— | Am. Linseed Oil | — | — | 8½ |
| —— | Am. Locomotive | — | — | 33⅛ |
| 42100 | Am. Smelting & R. | 62½ | 59⅛ | 59⅝ |
| —— | Am. Steel Foundries | — | — | 26 |
| —— | Am. Sugar Refining | — | — | 114 |
| 1600 | Am. Tel. & Tel. | 134¾ | 134⅛ | 134¼ |
| —— | Am. Tobacco pfd | — | — | 91½ |
| 100 | Am. Woolen | 28½ | 28½ | 28½ |
| 1700 | Anaconda Mining Co. | 33¼ | 33 | 32 |
| 3500 | Atchison | 102⅝ | 102⅛ | 102⅝ |
| 100 | Do. pfd | 101⅛ | 101⅛ | 101¼ |
| —— | Atlantic Coast Line | — | — | 118 |
| 700 | Baltimore & Ohio | 96⅛ | 95⅝ | 95⅞ |
| 400 | Bethlehem Steel | 28 | 28 | 27 |
| 200 | Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 73⅝ | 73⅝ | 73⅝ |
| 3200 | Canadian Pacific | 227⅞ | 223 | 226 |
| 100 | Central Leather | 19⅝ | 19⅝ | 19⅝ |
| —— | Do. pfd | — | — | 91⅝ |
| —— | Central of New Jersey | — | — | 255 |
| 800 | Chesapeake & Ohio | 70¼ | 70⅛ | 70⅞ |
| —— | Chicago & Alton | — | — | 17 |
| —— | Chicago Great Western | — | — | 17⅝ |
| —— | Do. pfd | — | — | 36½ |
| —— | Chicago & N. W. | — | — | 139 |
| 3200 | Chicago, M. & St. P. | 112⅛ | 111⅛ | 111⅞ |
| 1600 | C. C. C. & St. Louis | 56 | 55 | 55 |
| 500 | Colorado Fuel & Iron | 25½ | 25 | 25½ |
| 200 | Colorado & Southern | 44 | 43 | 43½ |
| 200 | Consolidated Gas | 132 | 131⅛ | 132 |
| 500 | Corn Products | 11⅞ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ |
| —— | Delaware & Hudson | — | — | 159 |
| 400 | Denver & Rio Grand | 22 | 22⅜ | 22⅛ |
| —— | Do. pfd | — | — | 46⅞ |
| 100 | Distillers' Securities | 30½ | 30½ | 30 |
| 4500 | Erie | 31⅛ | 30⅝ | 30⅞ |
| 600 | Do. 1st pfd | 50½ | 50 | 50 |
| 600 | Do. 2d pfd | 41 | 41 | 40 |
| 600 | General Electric | 145 | 145 | 145 |
| 1400 | Great Northern pfd | 123 | 122 | 122¼ |
| 800 | Do. Ore Ctfs. | 45 | 45 | 44 |
| 100 | Illinois Central | 138 | 138 | 135½ |
| 100 | Interborough Met. | 13⅝ | 13⅝ | 13½ |
| 400 | Do. pfd | 41½ | 41½ | 41½ |
| 1100 | Inter Harvester | 102 | 101 | 101½ |
| —— | Inter Marine pfd | — | — | 14½ |
| 100 | International Paper | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10 |
| 300 | International Pump | 29 | 28 | 28½ |
| —— | Iowa Central | — | — | 17½ |
| 100 | Kansas City Southern | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| —— | Do. pfd | — | — | 62¼ |
| 300 | Laclede Gas | 102¼ | 102¼ | 102 |
| 1000 | Lehigh Valley | 156⅛ | 155⅛ | 155⅞ |
| 600 | Louisville & Nash. | 139¾ | 139 | 139 |
| 100 | Minn. & St. Louis | 34½ | 34½ | 32 |
| 200 | M. St. P. & S. S. | 126⅞ | 126⅞ | 126½ |
| —— | o. Kan. & Tex | — | — | 28½ |
| —— | Do. pfd | — | — | 68 |
| 1200 | Missouri Pacific | 36⅝ | 35½ | 35 |
| —— | National Biscuit | — | — | 127¼ |
| 1700 | National Lead | 46 | 44 | 44 |
| —— | N. R. Mex. 2d pfd | — | — | 28½ |
| 300 | New York Central | 161¾ | 161⅛ | 161¾ |
| 100 | N. Y. Ont. & W. | 28½ | 28½ | 28½ |
| 100 | Norfolk & Western | 100⅝ | 100⅝ | 100⅝ |
| —— | North American | — | — | 65⅛ |
| —— | Northern Pacific | 114½ | 114 | 114 |
| 600 | Pacific Mail | 30 | 29½ | 29½ |
| 2000 | Pennsylvania | 119⅞ | 119½ | 119½ |
| —— | People's Gas | — | — | 102½ |
| —— | Pittsburg C. C. & St. L. | — | — | 91 |
| —— | Pittsburg Coal | — | — | 17⅛ |
| 100 | Pressed Steel Car | 26¼ | 26¼ | 26 |
| 100 | Pullman Palace Car | 154 | 