SILVER STILL HIGHER

INCREASE IN PRICE OF BULLION CONTINUES IN LONDON.

New York Stock Market Somewhat Less Active Yesterday—Local Markets Unchanged.

At New York yesterday money on call was easy at 2@2½ per cent; last loan, 2; closed, 2.

Prime mercantile paper, 4¾@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange was firmer, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87¼@4.87½ for demand and $4.86½@4.86¾ for sixty days; posted rates, $4.87@4.87½ and $4.88@4.88½; commercial bills, $4.86.

Silver certificates, 68⅝@69c; bar silver, 68c; Mexican dollars, 54c. Bar silver was 31 3-16d at London.

Total sales of stocks were 185,553 shares, including: American Sugar, 12,200; American Tobacco, 3,000; Atchison, assessment paid, 3,700; Burlington, 8,300; Chicago Gas, 32,300; Distilling, 6,100; Louisville & Nashville, 5,100; Missouri Pacific, 6,200; Ontario & Western, 3,600; Reading, 8,000; Rock Island, 6,200; St. aul, 24,700; silver certificates, 80,000; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 5,900; Union Pacific, 8,200; United States Leather, 6,400; United States Leather, preferred, 5,600; Wheeling & Lake Erie, 4,700.

The stock market was somewhat less active yesterday than on Wednesday, and the movement of prices was irregular. The professional dealers are responsible for the bulk of the transactions. London sold some of the international stocks, but was not much of a factor in the dealings. The opening was moderately active, most stocks showing advances. The early trading was marked by strength and this condition lasted until the end of the first hour. The advances scored extended to 1¼ in Union Pacific. Reconsideration of the Western Union annual report appeared to have a favorable effect, as the stock rose 1 per cent. The grangers were helped by reports from the West of efforts to settle the rate war, while progress reported by the conferees at the trunk line meeting in New York caused a hopeful sentiment towards that group. The leather shares were subjected to an effective raid by the bear traders about 11 o'clock, in which the common yielded 1⅝ and the preferred 2¾ per cent. Pressure was also exerted on the general market, with Chicago Gas and Louisville & Nashville especial objects of professional attack. The stocks mentioned dropped 1⅝ and 1¾ per cent, respectively. In Louisville & Nashville the selling was attended by reports of dissatisfaction over the government cotton report estimate. Supporting orders checked the downward movement around 1 p. m., and a rally ensued which carried quotations up 1⅝@1¾ per cent, the last in Chicago Gas. The movement in this stock was regarded as due chiefly to the manipulation of a strong pool, although the various reports purporting to foreshadow the lines of the proposed reorganization plan had some effect. The improvement was not sustained, however, as a further determined onslaught was made by the bear contingent in the last hour, which resulted in a general slump in prices to the lowest of the day. In the reactionary movement the grangers, industrials and Southwestern shares were conspicuous. The market closed weak at general net losses. The most prominent of these were Indiana, Illinois & Iowa, 2¼; Central, preferred, 1¾; Baltimore & Ohio and L. & N., 1½; Leather, preferred, 1⅞; Leather, common, 1⅛, and Chicago Gas, New Jersey Central, 1 per cent. The anthracite coal stocks as a group were not as responsive as had been expected to the advances in coal prices. Slight gains were recorded in Union Pacific, Denver & Gulf and Mexican Central in the early dealings, and were put down to the improvement in the price of silver, which always exerts influence on the earning capacity of those roads and of other lines in contiguous sections. The last mentioned stock closed at a slight net loss.

There was a slight increase in the volume of bond trading, the sales aggregating $1,379,000. The temper of speculation was decidedly bullish and the transactions embraced a number of hitherto neglected issues. Values of the speculative mortgages suffered somewhat in the late operations, the depressed condition of the share market being the primary cause of the recessions. The more important changes are: Advances—St. Paul firsts, L. & D. extension and Kansas Pacific consols, first receipts, 3; Erie firsts, funded, 2¼; Cordage firsts, trust receipts, 1⅜; Union Pacific, Denver & Gulf firsts, 1¼. Declines—Kansas & Texas, of Texas, fives, 1⅞ per cent.; Nashville & Chattanooga consol fives, 1¼, and Peoria, Decatur & Evansville second trust receipts, 1 per cent.

Government bonds were dormant, the trading being confined to a sale of $1,000. State securities did not figure in the dealings.

The following table, prepared by James E. Berry, Room 18, Board of Trade, shows the range of quotations:

	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
Adams Express	....	....	....	151
Alton & Terre Haute	....	....	....	60
American Express	....	....	....	115
Atchison	21⅝	21½	20⅞	21
Baltimore & Ohio	....	....	....	60
Canada Pacific	....	....	....	58½
Canada Southern	55¼	55¼	54⅝	54⅝
Central Pacific	....	....	....	18½
Chesapeake & Ohio	....	....	....	19¼
Chicago & Alton	....	....	....	b163
C., B. & Q.	86	86½	85⅝	85½
C. & E. I. pref	....	....	....	100
Chicago Gas	68⅝	68⅝	66⅝	67⅛
Cotton Oil	....	....	....	21¼
Delaware & Hudson	....	....	....	131½
D., L. & W.	....	....	....	168
Dis. and C. F. Co	24⅛	24¼	23⅝	23¾
Edison Gen. Elec	38	38¼	37⅞	37½
Erie	11¾	11¾	11½	11½
Erie pref	....	....	....	b24
Fort Wayne	....	....	....	b165
Great Northern pref	....	....	....	124
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	23
Illinois Central	....	....	....	100
L. E. & W.	....	....	....	21½
L. E. & W. pref	....	....	....	77
Lake Shore	....	....	....	150
Lead Trust	....	....	....	34
Louisville & Nash	62½	62½	60¾	61
Louisville & N. A.	....	....	....	9½
Manhattan	111¼	111¼	111¼	111¼
Michigan Central	....	....	....	100½
Missouri Pacific	37	37½	36¼	36⅝
U. S. Cordage	....	....	....	8⅝
U. S. Cordage pref	....	....	....	18¼
New Jersey Central	....	....	....	113
New York Central	....	....	....	101
N. Y. & N. E.	....	....	....	51
Northern Pacific	....	....	....	4¾
Northern Pacific pref.	18⅞	18⅞	18½	18⅞
Northwestern	105½	105½	104¾	104¾
Northwestern pref	....	....	....	147
Pacific Mail	31	31⅛	30⅝	30⅝
Peoria, D. & E.	....	....	....	5⅛
Pullman Palace	....	....	....	172
Reading	21⅝	21⅝	20⅞	20⅞
Rock Island	77	77⅝	76½	76½
St. Paul	76½	76¾	75⅞	75⅞
St. Paul pref	....	....	....	127
Sugar Refinery	106⅞	110¼	109	109¼
U. S. Express	....	....	....	45
W., St. L. & P.	....	....	....	22¼
Wells-Fargo Express	....	....	....	100
Western Union	92¼	92⅞	92¼	92⅜
U. S. Fours, reg	....	....	....	111⅝
U. S. Fours, coup	....	....	....	111⅝
U. S. Fours, new, reg.	....	....	....	121
U. S. Fours, new coup	....	....	....	123

MINING SHARES.

Doubleday, Rope & Co., of Colorado Springs, Col., give the following quotations:

Anaconda	6⅝
Argentum	2½
Mollie Gibson	1½
Portland	44½
Isabella	19½
	27
Mount Rosa	11½

Thursday's Bank Clearings.

At Chicago—Clearings, $15,197,000. Money rates firm at 4½@5 per cent. for call loans and 6 per cent. for commercial paper. New York exchange, 25c discount. Bankers' (London) sterling, $4.87 and $4.88¾.

At New York—Clearings, $100,631,458; balances, $4,769,585.

At Boston—Clearings, $17,996,547; balances, $2,768,901.

At Baltimore—Clearings, $2,581,086; balances, $201,678.

At Philadelphia—Clearings, $12,208,450; balances, $1,720,861.

At Cincinnati—Clearings, $2,229,950.

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Trade Continues to Improve in Most Lines—Prices Steady.

On the wholesale streets a marked improvement in business is shown over last month. Dry-goods houses are having the best trade of the last six months. Prices are firm, and the tendency to an advance in all lines of cotton goods continues. Grocers are very busy. The strong tone to staple groceries is undoubtedly stimulating trade. Aside from sugar the fluctuations have been few. The iron and hardware markets have taken on a steadier tone, and for the time being the advance in prices is checked. Leather dealers report trade better and prices easy, especially for harness leather. Provisions are moving well at steady prices.

The local grain market was rather quiet yesterday and receipts not as heavy as last week. The only cereal on which track bids were changed yesterday was wheat. Corn ruled steady and oats unchanged but dull. Track bids ruled as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red, 62c; No. 3 red, 59c; wagon wheat, 61c.

Corn—No. 1 white, 30c; No. 2 white, 30c; No. 3 white, 30c; No. 2 white mixed, 29½c; No. 3 white mixed, 29½c; No. 2 yellow, 30c; No. 3 yellow, 29½c; No. 2 mixed, 29½c; No. 3 mixed, 30c; ear corn, 28c.

Oats—New No. 2 white, 23c; new No. 3 white, 21½c; new No. 2 mixed, 20c; new No. 3 mixed, 19c; No. 2 white, 24½c; No. 2 white mixed, 23c; No. 2 mixed, 22c; No. 3 mixed, 21c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $13.50@14; No. 2, $12.50@13; No. 1 prairie, $9@11.

Bran—$11.

Poultry and Other Produce.

(Prices Paid by Shippers.)

Poultry—Hens, 7c; young chickens, 7c.

Eggs—Shippers paying 14c.

Butter—Choice country, 8c.

Wool—Medium unwashed, 14c; fine merino unwashed, 10c; tubwashed, 20@23c; burry and unmerchantable, 5c less.

Honey—New, 18@20c per pound.

Feathers—Prime geese, 30@32c per lb; mixed duck, 20c per lb.

Beeswax—20c for yellow; 15c for dark.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

Hides—No. 1 green-salted hides, 7¾c; No. 2, 7c.

Green Hides—No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c.

Calf Skins—Green-salted, No. 1, 7¾c; No. 2, 6¾c.

Grease—White, 4c; yellow, 3c; brown, 3c.

Tallow—No. 1, 4c; No. 2, 3½c.

Bones—Dry, $12@13 per ton.

THE JOBBING TRADE.

(The quotations given below are the selling prices of the wholesale dealers.)

Candies and Nuts.

Candies—Stick, 6c per lb; common mixed, 6c; G. A. R. mixed, 6½c; Banner stick, 10c; cream mixed, 9c; old-time mixed, 7c.

Nuts—Soft-shelled almonds, 16c; English walnuts, 12c; Brazil nuts, 9c; filberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 6@7c; mixed nuts, 10@12c.

Canned Goods.

Peaches—Standard 3-pound, $1.50@1.75; 3-pound seconds, $1.20@1.40; 3-pound pie, 85@90c; California standard, $1.75@2; California seconds, $1.40@1.50. Miscellaneous—Blackberries, 2-pound, 85@90c; raspberries, 2-pound, 90@95c; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, $1.25@1.85; choice, $2@2.50; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, 90@95c; light, 60@65c; 2-pound, full weight, $1.60@1.70; light, $1.10@1.20; string beans, 75@85c; Lima beans, $1.10@1.20; peas, marrowfat, 90@$1.10; early June, 90@$1.10; lobsters, $1.85@2; red cherries, 90@$1; strawberries, 90@95c; salmons (lbs), $1.10@2; 3-pound tomatoes, 70@85c.

Dried Fruits.

Figs—Layer, new, 15c.

Raisins—Loose Muscatels, $1.25@1.40 per box; London layer, $1.35@1.75 per box; Valencia, 6½@8½c per lb; layer, 9@10c.

Peaches—Common sun-dried, 3@10c per lb; California, 10@12c; California fancy, 12½@13½c.

Apricots—Evaporated, 9@13c.

Prunes—California, 6@10c per lb.

Currants—4½@5c per lb.

Drugs.

Alcohol, $2.51@2.65; asafetida, 30@35c; alum, 3@4c; camphor, 65@70c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, brls, 45@50c; cream tartar, pure, 28@30c; indigo, 65@80c; licorice, Clab., genuine, 30@40c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, $1.75@2; madder, 14@16c; oil, castor, per gal, 96c@$1; oil, bergamot, per lb, $2.75; opium, $1.80; quinine, P. & W., per oz, 35@40c; balsam copaiba, 50@55c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, bicarb., 4½@6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, flour, 5@6c; saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 32@38c; glycerine, 14@20c; iodide potassium, $3@3.10; bromide potassium, 45@47c; chlorate potash, 20c; borax, 12@14c; cinchondia, 12@15c; carbolic acid, 22@26c.

Oils—Linseed, 42@44c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 30@30c; neatsfoot, 45c; lard oils, winter-strained, in brls, 60c per gal; in half brls, 3c per gal extra.

Dry Goods.

Bleached Sheetings—Androscoggin L, 6¾c; Berkeley, No. 60, 8c; Cabot, 6½c; Capital, 5½c; Cumberland, 7½c; Dwight Anchor, 8c; Fruit of the Loom, 8c; Farwell, 6½c; Fitchville, 6½c; Full Width, 6c; Gilt Edge, 5½c; Gilded Age, 5½c; Hill, 8c; Hope, 7¼c; Linwood, 7¾c; Lonsdale, 8¼c; Lonsdale Cambric, 9½c; Masonville, 8c; Peabody, 5½c; Pride of the West, 10½; Quinebaugh, 6c; Star of the Nation, 6¼c; Ten Strike, 5½c; Pepperell, 9-4, 18c; Pepperell, 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 18c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 20c.

Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 6¼c; Argyle, 5½c; Boott C, 4½c; Buck's Head, 5¾c; Clifton CCC, 5½c; Constitution, 40-inch, 6½c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight Star, 6¾c; Great Falls E, 6c; Great Falls J, 4¾c; Hill Fine, 6¾c; Indian Head, 6c; Lawrence LL, 4¾c; Pepperell E, 6½c; Pepperell R, 6c; Pepperell, 9-4, 16c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 16½c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 18½c.

Prints—Allen dress styles, 5c; Allen's staples, 4¾c; Allen TR, 5c; Allen robes, 5c; American indigo, 4¾c; Arnold LLC, 6¾c; Cocheco fancy, 5½c; Cocheco madders, 4¾c; Hamilton fancy, 5½c; Manchester fancy, 5½c; Merrimac fancy, 5½c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 5½c; Pacific fancy, 5½c; Pacific robes, 5½c; Pacific mourning, 5c; Simpson, 5½c; Simpson Berlin solids, 5½c; Simpson's oil finish, 6c; Simpson's grays, 5c; Simpson's mournings, 5c.

Ginghams—Amoskeag staples, 5½c; Amoskeag Persian dress, 6c; Bates Warwick dress, 6c; Johnson BF fancies, 8½c; Lancaster, 5½c; Lancaster Normandies, 6c; Carrollton, 4¾c; Renfrew dress, 6½c; Whittenton Heather, 6c; Calcutta dress styles, 5½c.

Tickings—Amoskeag ACA, 10½c; Conestoga, BF, 12½c; Cordis 140, 9½c; Cordis FF, 10c; Cordis ACE, 10½c; Hamilton Awnings, 9c; Kimono fancy, 17c; Lenox fancy, 18c; Metheun AA, 10c; Oakland AF, 5½c; Portsmouth, 10½c; Susquehanna, 12c; Shetucket SW, 6½c; Shetucket F, 7c; Swift River, 5c.

Kidfinished Cambrics—Edwards, 4c; Warren, 3¾c; Slater, 4c; Genessee, 4c.

Grain Bags—Amoskeag, $11.50; American, $11.50; Franklinville, $13.50; Harmony, $11; Stark, $14.50.

Flour.

Straight grades, $3.50@3.75; fancy grades, $3.75@4; patent flour, $4@4.50; low grades, $2.50@2.75.

Groceries.

Sugars—Cut-loaf, 5.44c; dominoes, 5.44c; crushed, 5.44c; powdered, 5.06c; granulated, 4.81c; coarse granulated, 4.94c; fine granulated, 4.81c; extra fine granulated, 4.94c; cubes, 5.06c; XXXX powdered, 5.31c; mold A, 5.06c; diamond A, 4.81c; confectioners' A, 4.69c; Columbia A, 4.56c; Windsor A, 4.56c; Phoenix A, 4.50c; Ridgewood A, 4.56c; Empire A, 4.37c; Ideal extra C, 4.31c; Windsor extra C, 4.25c; Ridgewood extra C, 4.18c; yellow extra C, 4.12c; yellow C, 4.06c; yellow, 4c; yellow 3, 3.94c; yellow 4, 3.87c; yellow 5, 3.81c.

Coffee—Good, 19½@20c; prime, 20½@21c; strictly prime, 22@23½c; fancy green and yellow, 24½@25c; Java, 28@32c. Roasted—Old government Java, 33@33½c; golden Rio, 25½c; Bourbon Santos, 25½c; Gilded Santos, 25½c; prime Santos, 24½c. Cottage blended, 22½c; Capital blended, 21½c; Pilot, 22c; Dakota, 20c; Brazil, 19½c; Puritan, 1-lb packages, 21¾c.

Salt—In car lots, 85@90c; small lots, 90@95c.

Flour Sacks—(paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, $3.50; 1-16 brl, $5; ⅛ brl, $8; ¼ brl, $16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, $4.25; 1-16 brl, $6.50; ⅛ brl, $10; ¼ brl, $20; No. 1 cream plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, $7; 1-16, $8.75; ⅛, $14.50; ¼, $28.50. Extra charge for printing.

Shot—$1.30@1.35 per bag for drop.

Lead—6½@7c for pressed bars.

Molasses and Syrups—New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 20@30c; choice, 35@40c; syrups, 20@30c.

Beans—Choice hand-picked navy, $1.50@1.60 per bu; medium hand-picked, $1.50@1.60; limas, California, 5½@6c per lb.

Spices—Pepper, 10@18c; allspice, 10@15c; cloves, 15@20c; cassia, 13@15c; nutmegs, 65@75c per lb.

Woodenware—No. 1 tubs, $5.75@6; No. 2 tubs, $5@5.75; No. 3 tubs, $4.25@4.50; 3-hoop pails, $1.40@1.50; 2-hoop pails, $1.10@1.15; double washboards, $2.25@2.75; common washboards, $1.25@2.50; clothes pins, 40@65c per box.

Wood Dishes—No. 1, per 1,000, $2.50; No. 2, $3; No. 3, $3.50; No. 5, $4.50.

Rice—Louisiana, 4@6c; Carolina, 4¾@6¾c.

Twine—Hemp, 12@13c per lb; wool, 8@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 16@25c.

Iron and Steel.

Bar iron, 1.60@1.90c; horseshoe bar, 2½@2¾c; rail rod, 7c; plow slabs, 2¾c; American cast steel, 9@11c; tire steel, 2½@3c; spring steel, 4½@5c.

Leather.

Leather—Oak sole, 30@35c; hemlock sole, 25@31c; harness, 31@40c; skirting, 34@41c; single strap, 44c; black bridle, per doz, $70@75; fair bridle, $80@90 per doz; city kip, 60@75c; French kip, 90c@$1.20; city calfskins, 90c@$1.10; French calfskins, $1.20@2.

Nails and Horseshoes.

Steel cut nails, $2; wire nails, $2.25 rate. Horseshoes, per keg, $3.75; mule shoes, per keg, $4.75; horse nails, $4@5 per box.

Provisions.

Bacon—Clear sides, 40 to 50 lbs average, 7¼c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 8¼c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 8¾c. Bellies, 25 lbs average, 7¾c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 7¾c; 12 to 15 lbs average, 8¼c. Clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 7¾c; 12 to 20 lbs average, 8¼c; 9 to 10 lbs average, 8½c.

Breakfast Bacon—Clear firsts, 12½c; seconds, 11½c.

Lard—Kettle-rendered, in tierces, 7⅝; pure lard, 7¾c.

Shoulders—English-cured, 12 lbs average, 8½c; 16 lbs average, 8¼c.

Pickled Pork—Bean pork, clear, per brl, 200 lbs, $13.50; rump pork, $10.50.

Hams—Sugar-cured, 18 to 20 lbs average, 10¾c; 16 lbs average, 10¾c; 12½ lbs average, 11c; 10 lbs average, 11¼c; block hams, 11¼c, all first brands; seconds, ½c less. California hams, sugar-cured, 10 to 12 lbs average, 8c. Boneless hams, sugar-cured, 9@9½c.

Dry-salt Meats—Clear sides, about 50 to 60 lbs ave, 7¼c; 35 to 40 lbs av, 7¾c; 20 to 30 lbs av, 7¾c; clear bellies, 20 to 30 lbs av, 6½c; 16 to 18 lbs av, 7¼c; clear backs, 20 to 20 lbs av, 7c; 12 to 16 lbs av, 7½c.

Produce, Fruits and Vegetables.

Bananas—Per bunch, $1@1.25.

Cranberries—New, $2.50 per box; $7.50 per barrel.

Cabbage—60@75c per brl.

Onions—60@75c per bu.

Cheese—New York full cream, 12@14c; skims, 5@7c per lb.

Lemons—Messina, choice, $7.50 per box; fancy lemons, $8.50.

Apples—Choice, $1.50@2 per brl; common, 75c@1 per brl; choice eating apples, $2.25.

Potatoes—35@40c per bu.

Celery—20@30c per bunch.

Grapes—18@20c per 8-lb basket.

Pears—$1.25@1.50 per bu.

Peaches—Michigan, $1.50@1.75 per bu.

Sweet Potatoes—Baltimore new sweet potatoes, $2.25@2.50.

Seeds.

Clover—Choice recleaned, 60-lb, $4.65@4.85; prime, $4.50@4.65; English choice, $5@5.25; prime, $4@4.50; alsike, choice, $5@5.50; alfalfa, choice, $4.25@5; crimson or scarlet clover, $2.90@3; timothy, 45-lb, choice, $2@2.10; strictly prime, $2.15@2.20; fancy Kentucky, 14-lb, 80c@$1; extra clean, 65@70c. Orchard grass, extra, $1.35@1.50; red top, choice, $1@1.25; extra clean, 90c@$1; English blue grass, 24-lb, $1.85@2.

Tinners' Supplies.

Best brand charcoal tin, IC, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, $5.50@6; IX, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, $7@7.50; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, $4.50@5; IC, 20x28, 39@10; block tin in pigs, 19c; in bars, 20c. Iron—27 B iron, 2.90c; C iron, 3½c; galvanized, 70 per cent discount. Sheet zinc, 6@6½c. Copper bottoms, 20c. Planished copper, 20c. Solder, 11@12c.

REAL-ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Fifteen Transfers, with a Total Consideration of $21,625.

Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m., Oct. 10, 1895, as furnished by Thea. Stein, abstracter of titles, Hartford Block, No. 86 East Market street.

Lizzie M. Nave to Laura C. Cameron, lot 7, Avondale	$1,500.00
Henry C. Wright to Josephine Wright, part lot 12, section 92, Blake & Ray's subdivision outlot 12, west of Wabash	200.00
Joseph Beatty to Cora E. Jennings and husband, lot 2, block 2, Barth's heirs' addition	3,000.00
William Schreiner to Bernhardt Schreiner, part of lot 81, McCarty's subdivision, outlot 111	1,250.00
Josie B. Boswell to Wilson D. West, lot 74, Boswell & Fleming's Grandview addition	900.00
Daniel O'Brien et al., executors, to Thomas J. Coyle, lot 34 McKernan & Pierce's subdivision outlot 121	825.00
Effie Staton to Martha C. Preston, lot 78, McCarty's first West Side addition	1,200.00
Abner Lewis to Isaac Cosler, lot 253 Morton Place	5,200.00
Susan McKernan to James Feurnan, lots 145 and 146, Yandes's subdivision outlot 127	800.00
Daniel O'Brien et al., executors, to Daniel Murphy, lot 59, McKernan & Pierce's subdivision outlot 121	950.00
Daniel Murphy to Della Godfrey, same lot	1,000.00
Jesse Ballard to Margaret A. Dixon, lot 9, A. C. Ayres's East Washington-street addition	1,000.00
William M. St. Clair to Margaret A. St. Clair, lot 9, Kappes & Kaltner's Eighth-street addition	400.00
Americus Fisk to William H. Fisk, lot 31, Stanton's addition	400.00
Henry C. Long to Louis Koss, part lot 25	3,000.00
Transfers, 15; consideration	$21,625.00

DAILY VITAL STATISTICS—OCT. 10.

Deaths.

Alma Davis, sixty-four years, 37 Bates street, apoplexy.

Gladdis Smythe, two years, 31 Beacon street, diphtheria.

Infant Lyon, 82 Michigan avenue, inanition.

Luanna Markey, seventy-four years, 137 Prospect street, heart disease.

Amanda Martin, forty-five years, 125 Fort Wayne avenue, peritonitis.

Lizzie Helcher, sixty-five years, 30 McGinnis street, paralysis.

Births.

Minnie and Henry Schakel, 11 Atlas street, boy.

Nancy and Lozen Miner, 110 St. Mary street, girl.

Ida and Gaston Newson, 573 Massachusetts avenue, girl.

Marriage Licenses.

Chester J. Britton and Helen Katherine Lee.

Brenton Lietzmah and Minnie Sharp.

Carl Edwin Hildebrand and Mary Edith Fish.

Sackville-West's Title.

To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal:

In your editorial on the Sackville-West matter this morning you state in recognition of the minister's services he was created Lord Sackville. In this you are mistaken, as Sir Lionel Sackville-West succeeded to the title of Lord Sackville, and, writing from memory, my impression is that he was "Sir Lionel" at the time he wrote the famous letter, and had become Lord Sackville before he left Washington.

Indianapolis, Oct. 10. E.

RANAVALO III.

Madagascar's Queen Dresses Like a Parisian.

Paris Figaro.

Madagascar's Queen was brought up in poverty in an unknown village by a country butcher, her uncle, who sold to peasants third grade meats. Yet she was the niece of the reigning Queen, Ranavalo II. Her aunt detested her and would do nothing for her. The only service that she ever rendered her was to die. This happened in 1883.

The constitution of the country permitting only descendants of the founder of the Malagassy dynasty to reign, the young girl claimed the throne. Foreseeing her brilliant future her Prime Minister had called her to Antananarivo, the capital of the kingdom, and given to her the first elements of a sort of education.

When the Queen died this Prime Minister married the girl, in accordance with the laws of the country, which exact that the Prime Minister shall always be the Queen's husband. He has been married three times in accordance with this law. He has no children by the Queen. His first wife, a simple Malagassy woman, who is still alive, and to whom the Queen pays an annual pension for rent of her husband, has seventeen children.

If Ranavalo III should die without children her heir is to be her niece, whose name means "granddaughter of God."

Should the Prime Minister survive his sovereign—he is only seventy years old—he will marry the "granddaughter of God." The Prime Minister is opposed to the revision of the constitution.

The Queen of Madagascar is of medium height, thin and lithe, as undulating and supple as a snake. She is as fragile as a figurine of old Saxony ware. I have measured her waist. It is not thicker than the fifty centimeters of the finest waists.

Her foot, which shoes have not deformed, is famously small, and the narrow palm and tapering fingers of her hand are at ease in No. 5 gloves. Darker than the greater number of her subjects, her complexion has the tonality of light chocolate. Her forehead is handsome and glossy; her eyes are shaped like almonds. Her cheek bones recall the definite type of the Malay race. The drawing of her lips is pretty, and smiles become her. Her chin is pointed. Her teeth, which might be smaller, have the healthy whiteness of ivory. She takes great care of her hair. She braids it in large tresses, which she shapes into a square on her neck. When in mourning she lets her hair fall on her shoulders.

Her dressmaker is one of the best-known modistes in Paris. She is the most amiable of customers. The correspondence between the court and the dressmaker is a model of gracefulness and gentleness.

At first the Queen would only wear princess gowns, but now she consents that waist and skirt be separated. Her waists are always high cut. The silk of her clothing is heightened by a gold embroidery, distinguished and light, without tinsel. For every gown of ceremony she has a crown, which is a diadem of pasteboard covered with the same stuff as the gown. There is nothing Babylonian in this magnificence.

The royal residence is composed of eight palaces. The one which the Queen inhabits is called the "Eye of the Day." The official palace is a frame building surrounded by stone verandas. A tree trunk about forty yards in height occupies the center of the reception room. It was carried from the forests by 5,000 men. When her Majesty receives strangers her audience is given in the silver palace, thus called because it is ornamented with a string of silver bells.

WHEAT DROPPED 5-8C

CONTINUED DECLINE ON BEARISH REPORT ANTICIPATED.

Leading Cereal Moderately Active, but Averaged Lower All Day—Corn and Provisions Declined.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—Wheat made several labored efforts at higher prices to-day, but the expectation of a bearish government report discouraged buyers, and December closed ⅝c lower. May corn lost ⅛c, May oats closed unchanged and provisions finished at declines.

Wheat was only moderately active and has averaged about ½c lower than it closed yesterday. There has been little of importance in the way of news. Cables were reported somewhat higher, but in spite of that the feeling here was weaker. The Northwest deliveries were again heavy, and there was liberal selling for future by Northwestern operators, against these heavy deliveries which have to be taken care of. There was also a good deal of short selling by the local bear talent, Rosecranz and Pardridge being prominent in this on about every advance the market made. The expectation of a bearish government report was a prominent bull factor. At one time the price was fully ¾c below the close last night, but when the liberal exports from the seaboard became known there was a gradual recovery of 1c, but most of this was soon lost. Business was narrow as a rule, but there was considerable nervousness, although price changes were within ⅝c range. December opened at 60½c, fell to 59⅞@60c split, up to 60¾c, and at noon 60c bid. A report received during the last hour that 30 boatloads of wheat had been taken for export started prices up, and December wheat went quickly to 60⅝@60⅞c split, but weakened about as rapidly to 60c, where it closed.

Corn was quiet and nearly featureless. The weak feeling in wheat, the liberal receipts and the big estimates with the expectation of the bearish corn crop report this afternoon, made the feeling weak. May sold early from 29c to 28¾c, and at noon was 28⅞c. October sold from 29¼c to 28½c. Trade was slow during the closing hour, May finishing at 28⅞c.

Oats ruled dull, and, while inclined to be easy with wheat, and owing to big receipts, made very little actual decline. May kept at 20¼@20⅜c split, and 20@20¼c split. There was not much doing during the last hour, May closing at 20¼c.

Big hog receipts, lower prices at the yards and the weakness in grain were too heavy a load for the provision market again to-day, and prices made further declines. January pork lost 10c, January lard .05c and January ribs .10c.

The estimates for to-morrow are: Wheat, 250 cars; corn, 530 cars; oats, 360 cars; hogs, 27,000 head.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
Wheat—Oct.	59½	59⅞	58⅞	59
Dec.	60½	60⅝	59⅞	60
May	64¼	64⅝	64	64
Corn—Oct.	29¼	29¼	28½	28½
Nov.	28¾	28¾	28⅛	28⅛
Dec.	27⅝	27⅝	27	27⅛
May	29	29	28⅞	28⅞
Oats—Oct.	17⅝	17¾	17⅝	17⅝
Dec.	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼
May	20⅜	20⅜	20¼	20¼
Pork—Oct.	$8.27½	$8.27½	$8.27½	$8.27½
Jan.	9.45	9.45	9.37½	9.40
May	9.67½	9.70	9.62½	9.65
Lard—Oct.	5.75	5.75	5.70	5.70
Jan.	5.77½	5.77½	5.70	5.75
May	5.92½	5.97½	5.90	5.95
Short Ribs—Oct.	5.02	5.02½	4.95	5.00
Nov.	4.77½	4.77½	4.72½	4.72½
Jan.	4.80	4.80	4.77½	4.80

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 59@60c; No. 3 spring wheat, 57@59¾c; No. 2 red, 59½@62c; No. 2 corn, 28@28¼c; No. 2 yellow, 28½@28¾c; No. 2 oats, 17⅝c; No. 2 white, 19½@20½c; No. 3 white, 18½@19c; No. 2 rye, 40c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3 barley, 20½@37c; No. 4 barley, 21@30c; No. 1 flaxseed, 95@95½c; prime timothy seed, $3.75; mess pork, per brl, $8.35@8.37½; lard, per lb, 5.72½c; short rib sides (loose), 5@5.10c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 5¾@5⅞c; short-clear sides (boxed), 5¾@6c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, $1.22; sugar, cut loaf, 5.56c; granulated, 4.87c; standard A, 4.74c.

On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was firm; creameries, 9@22c; dairies, 9½@18c. Eggs firm at 15@17c. Cheese 7½@8¼c.

Receipts—Flour, 12,000 brls; wheat, 122,000 bu; corn, 238,000 bu; oats, 469,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 114,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 16,000 brls; wheat, 23,000 bu; corn, 262,000 bu; oats, 431,000 bu; rye, 3,000 bu; barley, 20,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Flour—Receipts, 22,600 brls; exports, 8,700 brls. Market quiet, but firm on winters and slow for springs. Low winters scarce. Rye flour inactive; superfine, $2.50@2.75; fancy, $2.80@2.95. Buckwheat flour firm. Buckwheat dull at 43½@60c. Corn meal steady. Rye steady. Barley firm. Barley malt quiet.

Wheat—Receipts, 45,300 bu; exports, 353,500 bu; spots irregular. No. 2 red, 66⅝@66⅞c; No. 1 hard, 67¼@67⅝c. Options opened momentarily strong, advanced sharply on heavy local clearances, turned dull, but advanced actively, advanced late in the afternoon on rumors of big exports, only to break finally under realizing. Closed, ¼@½c lower. October closed at 64@64¾c; December, 66 3-16c.

Corn—Receipts, 139,600 bu; exports, 157,000 bu. Spots quiet and firm. No. 2, 37½c. Options opened weak under local selling pressure, advanced with wheat, but was finally weak in expectation of a bearish report and closed ¼@⅜c lower. October, 36@36¼c; December, 35@35⅜c; closed at 34⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 77,400 bu; exports, 34,400 bu. Spots barely active and higher. No. 2, 23⅝@23¾c. Options quiet, but stronger on advance in Western freight rates and talk of a bullish crop report, closing ½c higher. October, 21½@22⅝c; closed at 23⅝c