FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

New York Stock Exchange—Sales July 5.

RAILROAD AND OTHER BONDS (IN $1,000s).

$9 U. S. 4s, c.....109⅝

CLOSING PRICES OF UNITED STATES BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s, r.....	96	—	U. S. 6s, 1898..105	—	
U. S. 4s, r.....	109¼	110¼	U. S. 6s, 1897..107	—	
U. S. 4s, c.....	109¼	110¼	U. S. 5s, 1899..109	—	
U. S. 6s, 1895..103	—		U. S. 6s, 1899..111	—	

RAILROAD AND OTHER BONDS (IN $1,000s).

18 Atchison 4s.....	76⅝	1 N.Y., Ch. & St. L. 4s.	94⅝
50	76⅝	4 N. Y. & A. 1. 5s.....	106
88	76⅝	3 N. W. cn.....	106
10	76⅝	8 N. W. s. f. 6s.....	109
85	76	1 N. Y., O. & W. 4s.....	81
20 Atchison 2d s. A...	42	8 N.Y., O. & W. cn. 5s.	103¼
2 Atl. & Pac. 1s.....	106	2 Pitts., C., C. & St. L. 4½s.....	101
1 Alb. & Sus. cn. 6s.	116	1 Peo., D. & E. 2d...	65
1 Am. Dk. & Imp. 5s.	106	2 Peo. & East. 1st...	68
2 Brooklyn El. 1st..	114	2 Rh. & W. P. T. 6s, T. R.....	55
2 Buf., N. Y. & Phil.	90	5	55⅝
2 Can. So. 2d.....	106	2	56
1 Ch. & Nor. P. 1st.	67⅝	5 Rh. & W. P. 7. 6s.	26
2	68	2 Rd., W. & O. 5s.....	110
1	67⅝	1 Read. gnl. 4s.....	93⅝
5 Col. & Hot. 4s.....	90⅝	40	90⅝
1	90⅝	6	90⅝
5 Chic. Ind. L. & C. Co. 1st.....	82	10 Reading 2d pf. 1s.	19⅝
3 Cons. O. & Chic. 5s.	79	12 Reading 3d pf. 1s.	15
30 Det., M. & M. 4s...	24	15	14⅝
1 Gulf, C. & S. F. 1st.	92⅝	1	15
1 Ind., B. & W. 1st...	69	5 Rd. G. & W. 1st...	69
6 Lake cn. 1st.....	130	1	68⅝
1 Erie cn. 2d.....	108	1 St. P. & Sio'x cn.	116
1	88	8 St. P. 1st, C. & P. W. div.....	107⅝
1 Pt. W. & R. G. 1st.	61⅝	1 St. P. 1st, S. M. & M.	87
5 G., H. & S. A. 1st, M. P. 5s.....	94⅝	9 St. L. & S. W. 1st...	59⅝
20 Il. & St. L. cn. 4s.	112	2	59⅝
2 H. & T. C. gnl. 4s.	63	1 San A. & A. P. 1st. 5s	87
2 Kan. Pac. con.....	105	1 Tex. Pac. 1st 5s...	70
12 Kan. & Tex. 4s.....	21	1	70⅝
2 Lake Erie & W. 2d.	110	2 Tex. Pac. 2d in...	18
2 L. & W. B. & M. 5s.	98	8 Tol. & Ohio C. 1st.	103
1 L. E. & W. 1st.....	110	1 U. P. s. f. 6s.....	114⅝
3 Lake Shore 1st.....	114⅝	1 Union Pac. 7s.....	104⅝
3 Lake Shore 2d, c.	115	1 Union Pac. 4s.....	101
1 Lou. & N., N. O. & M. div.....	106⅝	1 Union El. 1st.....	115
1 L., N. & Ch. 1st.	105	4 U. S. Leather 6s..	106⅝
1 Lo., E. & St. L. 5s.	72⅝	2 Wabash 1st.....	99⅝
2 Mor. & Es. con.....	137	8	100
5 Nat. Bd. 2d.....	104⅝	3 Wabash 2d.....	72
4 Mich. C. 7s.....	116⅝	2	71⅝
1 Mich. Cen. 4s.....	93	6	71
10 Mich. C. 5s, 1931.	108	5 West. Un. col. 5s.	91
2 Mo. Pac. con.....	101	20 West Shore 4s.....	98
4 Mo. Pac. 3d.....	105⅝	2	97⅝
5	105	5	98
4 Mil. & N. 1st, 1913.	109	1 West Shore 4s, r..	98
1 Nor. Pac. cn. 4s.....	91	1	98⅝
5 N. Y. & S. 1st r. 5s.	101	10	97⅝
4 N. J. Cent. gnl. 5s.	108	2 W., L. E. & P. con. 5s.	72⅝
24	107⅝	1	70
2 Nash. & Chat. cn.	102⅝	8	72

Total sales of railway bonds (par value), $633,000.

RAILROAD AND OTHER SHARES.

Sales.		Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing-Bid.	Closing-Asked.
20	Adams Ex.....	150	150	150	145	155
3	Adams Express..	82	82	82	78	83
700	Alton, T. H. & S.	110⅝	110⅝	108	108	112
700	Amer. Cot. Oil..	35	35	33⅝	33⅝	34
8730	Atch., T. & S. F.	21⅝	21⅝	20⅝	20⅝	21⅝
100	Atlantic & Pac..	2	2	1⅝	2⅛	2⅝
10	Boston A. L. pf.	100	100	100	—	—
100	Buff., Roch. & P.	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝	81	83
170	Can. Pacific.....	72	72	71	72	73
120	Canada ces.....	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	50⅝
150	Can. Pacific.....	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝	73⅝	75
70	Cent. Pac.....	29	29	29	29	30
100	Ches. & Ohio.....	17⅝	17⅝	17	17	17⅝
7645	Chicago Gas.....	69	69⅝	67⅝	67⅝	68
825	C., C., C. & St. L.	42	42	40⅝	41	41
10	C., C., C. & St. L. p.	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝	83	85
4428	Chic. & N. W. pf.	136	136⅝	135	135⅝	136
1150	C., R. I. & Pac..	70	70⅝	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝
1610	C., M. & St. P..	97⅝	97⅝	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
285	C., M. & St. P. pf.	114	114	113⅝	113	114
7370	C., B. I. & Pac..	70	70⅝	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝
1260	C., C., I. & V....	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	18⅝	19⅝
335	Del. & Hudson..	120⅝	120⅝	120	119⅝	120
6720	D., L. & W.....	144⅝	144⅝	143⅝	143	144
1950	Den. & R. G. pf.	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	35	35⅝
3275	Distillers & C. Co.	23⅝	23⅝	22⅝	23	23⅝
500	E. T., V. & G....	5	5	5	5	6
6	Gilman, J. T....	106	106	105	103⅝	104⅝
2	Evans. & T. H..	124⅝	124⅝	124⅝	124⅝	125
5191	Gen. Elec.....	71	71⅝	70⅝	70⅝	71⅝
220	Illinois Central..	90	90	90⅝	90	91
200	L. E. & W. pf....	20	20	20	20	25
243	Lake Erie & W....	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	11⅝	12⅝
10	Long Island.....	98	98	98	98	100
100	Laclede Gas.....	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	15	16
160	Laclede gas pf.	87	87	87	85	90
8050	Louis. & Nash....	63⅝	63⅝	63⅝	63⅝	63⅝
425	Manhat'n Con.	122⅝	122⅝	122	121⅝	122⅝
150	Mich. Central....	91	91	91	92⅝	—
10	Mo. Pacific.....	32	32	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
32	Morris & Essex..	142⅝	142⅝	142⅝	—	—
955	N. J. Central...	103	103	101⅝	100⅝	101⅝
48	N. Y. Central...	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
617	N. Y. Chicago..	1	1	1	1	1⅛
352	Natl. Cord. pf..	43	42	41⅝	41	42
10	North Amer....	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
60	N. Y. & N. Eng.	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	29⅝
10	N. Y., C. & St. L.	14	14	14	13⅝	14
325	N. Y., L. E. & W.	16⅝	16⅝	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
220	N. Y., S. & W....	13	13	12⅝	13	13⅝
3601	North Pac. pf....	32	32	31⅝	31⅝	32
650	Ontario & West.	14	14	13⅝	13⅝	14
300	Pacific Mail....	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
210	Pen., Dec. & Ev.	9	9	8⅝	8⅝	9
4380	Phila. & Read....	14⅝	14⅝	13⅝	14	14⅝
10	Pull. Pal. Car...	165	165	165	162⅝	163⅝
553	Pitts. & W. pf....	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝	35	37⅝
700	Rich. & W. P....	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	3
200	Rich. & W. P. pf.	17	17	16⅝	15⅝	17
1060	St. P. & Omaha..	37⅝	37⅝	37	36⅝	37
50	St. P. & Om. pf.	108	108	108	108⅝	109
400	Southern Pac....	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
280	Tenn. C. & I....	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	16
300	Texas Pacific....	6	6	6	6	6⅝
12	Tol., A. A. & N. M.	12	12	12	11	12
2200	Union Pacific....	24⅝	24⅝	23⅝	24⅝	24⅝
70	U. S. Express....	54	54	54	50	60
100	U. S. Rubber....	36	36	36	35	40
1700	Wabash pf.....	16⅝	16⅝	16	16	16⅝
10	W. Fargo Ex....	140	140	140	130	145
3856	West. Union....	81⅝	81⅝	80⅝	80⅝	81
2100	Wh. & L. E....	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	12⅝	13⅝
2100	Wh. & L. E. pf..	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	50⅝
10	Wis. Central....	8	8	8	7⅝	8

*Ex dividend

Total sales of stocks were 94,220 shares.

UNLISTED DEPARTMENT TRANSACTIONS.

Sales.		Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
100	Amer. Sugar Ref....	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
435	Amer. Sugar Ref. pf.	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝
50	American Tobacco...	65	65	65	65
5800	National Lead....	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝
100	National Lead pf..	107	107	107	107
$1000	Georgia P. 2d cn. 5s.	40	40	40	40

BOSTON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Post'n Alloys....	206		Westhouse E....	22	23
Bos. & Maine....	159	160	West End land	18	18
Cent. Mass.....	13⅝	—	Calumet & H....	278	280
Mex. Cent. 4s....	50	51	A. T. & S. F. 4s.	75⅝	76⅝
Old Colony.....	170	171	A. T. & S. F. in.	41	42
Amer. Bell Tel..	187	188			

PHILADELPHIA CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Lehigh Valley....	49⅝	49⅝	Phila. & Erie....	27	—
L. C. & Nav....	49	50	Met. Traction....	102⅝	103⅝
Penna. R. R....	50⅝	50⅝			

LATEST LONDON QUOTATIONS.

Atchison.....	22	Norfolk & Western pf.	21⅝
Northern Pacific....	10⅝	Ontario & Western....	14⅝
Erie Common.....	14⅝	Pennsylvania.....	52⅝
Erie 2d consols.....	12⅝	Reading.....	7⅝
Illinois Central.....	93⅝	St. Paul.....	76⅝
Lake Shore.....	124⅝	Union Pacific.....	24⅝
Louis. & Nashville....	65⅝	Wabash pf.....	16⅝
N. Y. Central.....	104⅝		

WEDNESDAY, July 5.

Although the stock market to-day showed a fair increase in the amount of business over Monday's record, the total was exceptionally light for a full day. St. Paul and C., B. and Quincy were the only stocks that could be termed active. The character of the speculation has apparently not undergone any change whatever, the quotations being made chiefly by the bear traders. To-day London was also a moderate seller, and the net outcome, despite some rally from the lowest points, was declines, extending in Northwestern to 2⅝ per cent. Expectations of decreased earnings to this company from the diminished iron ore business was again urged against the stock. Officials declare that any falling off in this class of traffic will probably be offset from other sources of revenue.

A further demonstration was made against Denver and Rio Grande preferred, based on the unfavorable outlook for the silver mining industry, and rumors were current to the effect that the dividend upon the preferred stock might be passed. An official message to the London agent of the company has been sent by President Jeffery, based upon estimates from various officials of the road, showing that the gross earnings for the current six months ending Dec. 31, 1893, will probably be from $900,000 to $800,000 smaller as compared with the corresponding period of 1892, and stating that some reduction in expenses will be made. The report of earnings for the year is now being made up, and will show a surplus after paying operating expenses, betterment account, interest, taxes, &c., of slightly over $1,400,000. This amount under ordinary circumstances would be applicable to dividends, and from it two quarterly dividends of 1 per cent. have already been paid. It would appear from this exhibit that even under a total stoppage of the silver mining industry in Colorado the fixed charges on the entire bonded debt and the taxes of the Denver and Rio Grande Company would be assured. As to dividends, officials of the road declare that the stockholders must calculate for themselves, as they are as well able as the management to forecast the future of legislation and the ultimate effects of the silver controversy upon earnings.

The money market shows distinct though moderate improvement, although the successive holidays will delay the reflection of the July disbursements. Shipments of currency to the interior have ceased temporarily, but on the other hand there is no inflow to this centre. Within the past few days the principal withdrawals of cash have been by the local savings banks and trust companies, which have been strengthening their position for possible heavy withdrawal of deposits. It is a matter of general knowledge that the amount of funds thus locked up is very large. Early in the coming week the drain on deposits will have been determined, and if it is not exceptional a considerable amount of money will speedily be returned to the banks. An easy money market in the ordinary sense of the term need not, however, be looked for until the outstanding issue of Clearing House loan certificates has been retired. The amount of these certificates was to-day increased by $500,000, but the Chairman of the Loan Committee, speaking for his colleagues, expressed his belief that no additional certificates will be required. The highest rate for call money, 15 per cent., was made early in the day, and the quotation fell to 7, and eventually to 4 per cent. nominally. Ten per cent. was about the average. The closing was dull and heavy.

Final sales compare with those of Monday as follows:

	July 5.	July 3.		July 5.	July 3.
A., T. & S. F....	21⅝	20⅝	Missouri Pac....	32⅝	31⅝
Amer. C. O....	34⅝	33⅝	Natl. Cord.....	10⅝	10⅝
Canada South....	50⅝	49⅝	Northw. com....	104	101⅝
C., C. & St. L....	42	40⅝	North. Pac. pf..	32	32
C., R. I. & P....	74⅝	74	N. Central.....	101⅝	100⅝
Ches. & Ohio....	18	17	N. Y. & N....	20⅝	20⅝
Chicago Gas....	68⅝	67⅝	N. J. Central....	103⅝	101⅝
Del., L. & West.	146	145⅝	Ontario & W....	14⅝	14
Del. & Hud....	120⅝	120	Pacific Mail....	18⅝	18⅝
Den. & R. G. pf.	36⅝	35⅝	Rock Island....	70⅝	69⅝
Dist. & C. F. Co.	23⅝	24	Reading.....	14⅝	14
Erie.....	27⅝	25⅝	St. Paul com....	77⅝	76⅝
Gen. Electric....	71⅝	70⅝	St. Paul pf.....	114	113⅝
Hocking Val....	19	19⅝	Texas Pacific....	6⅝	6
Illinois Cent....	90⅝	90⅝	Tenn. C. I. & R.	15⅝	15⅝
Lake & Nash....	64	63⅝	Union Pacific....	24⅝	24
Lake Shore....	129⅝	129	Wab. & P. pf....	16⅝	15⅝
Laclede Gas....	15⅝	15⅝	Western Tel....	82⅝	81
Manhat. Con....	123	122	Wh. & L. E....	13⅝	13⅝

*Ex dividend

Government bonds steady at unchanged quotations. Railway bonds dull. The features were Atchison, Reading and Wabash issues. The more important declines were in Atchison 4s, 1 per cent., to 76, and 2ds A, 1¼, to 42, and Reading 2d preference incomes, ¾ per cent., to 19. The noteworthy advances were in Reading 3d preference incomes, ¾ per cent., to 15, and Wabash 2ds, 1 per cent., to 72.

Silver bullion certificates for 50,000 ounces sold at 75@75¼, closing at 75¼. Bar silver in London, 34¾d. Exports to Europe to-morrow 330,000 ounces. There were 530,000 ounces offered to the Government to-day, but the Director of the Mint refused to purchase any at the price offered.

Money on call, 3@15 per cent., closing at 3 per cent. There is practically nothing doing in time money, and the market for commercial paper is still nominal.

There was a good inquiry for sterling exchange during the greater part of the day, and the market moved up steadily until an advance of about one cent in the pound was established. The offerings of bills were smaller than was expected, and that fact added to the easier condition of money, the selling of stocks for Lon ion account, and a demand for bills for remittances for July interest due abroad caused the rise noted. A falling off in the street quotations for discount at London assisted the upward movement in long sterling. Near the close the demand for to-morrow's mail was satisfied, and in the final transactions some bills left over were offered a shade lower than the figures of the early day. Continental exchange was firm and higher. Posted asking rates for sterling, $4.83½@$4.84 for long bills and $4.85@$4.85½ for demand. Actual rates are: Long bills, $4.82½@$4.83; sight drafts, $4.84@$4.84½, and cable transfers, $4.85@$4.85½. Francs are quoted at 5.21½@5.20⅞ for long and 5.18¾@5.18⅛ for sight; reichsmarks, 94⅝@94⅞ for long and 95@95⅛ for short; guilders, 39⅝ for long and 39⅞@39⅞ for short.

Domestic exchange on New York: Boston—20@25 cents discount for cash; checks, 10@15 cents discount. Charleston—Buying, par; selling, ¼ premium. Savannah—Buying, ⅛ discount; selling, par to ¼ premium. New Orleans—Bank, 1½ premium; commercial, 250 discount. San Francisco—Sight, 4 cents discount; telegraphic, 5 cents discount. St. Louis—50@75 cents premium asked. Chicago—25 cents discount.

The Central Railroad Company of New Jersey has declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent., payable Aug. 1.

The Edison Electric Illuminating Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent., payable Aug. 1.

The Southern Pacific Railroad reports gross earnings for May of $4,157,433, an increase of $350,834 as compared with the same month of last year, and net $1,445,705, an increase of $187,182. For the five months ending May 31 the gross earnings were $19,147,277, an increase of $980,110 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net $6,141,338, an increase of $392,120.

Railway gross earning for June compare with those of the same month last year as follows:

Pittsburgh and Western...	$294,441	Inc.	$93,736
Canadian Pacific.....	1,822,000	Inc.	59,000
Chicago and Eastern Illinois.....	356,575	Inc.	36,647
B. and O. Southwestern...	234,144	Inc.	15,217
St. Louis Southwestern...	332,931	Inc.	40,888
Rock Island.....	1,717,163	Inc.	246,253
International and Great Northern.....	304,900	Inc.	51,587
Denver and Rio Grande...	728,400	Dec.	16,200
Mexican Central.....	689,414	Inc.	60,890
St. Paul.....	2,[illegible]	Inc.	103,199
Milwaukee and Northern.	156,001	Inc.	3,458
Norfolk and Western.....	763,904	Inc.	48,258
Louisville and Nashville..	1,700,765	Dec.	15,432
Pittsburg.....	947,629	Inc.	50,262
Ohio Southern.....	51,576	Inc.	9,246
Toledo, St. L. and Kansas City.....	147,799	Dec.	4,445
Louisville, Evansville and St. Louis.....	142,000	Inc.	32,000

Treasury balances compare with those of Monday as follows:

	July 3.	July 5.
Gold coin and bullion.....	$95,485,413	$96,089,037
Silver coin and bullion..	4,468,339	4,469,062
Legal tenders, including Treasury notes.....	20,398,866	19,868,502
Totals.....	$120,352,618	$120,361,602

Deposits in national banks, $13,118,985, against $13,108,573 Monday. In addition to the foregoing the Treasury reports silver bullion purchased under the act of July 14, 1890, $[illegible], [illegible], and Treasury notes issued against the same, $147,101,280, of which $141,[illegible] are outstanding.

Money in London, ½ per cent. Rate of discount in the open market, for both short and three months' bills, 1⅛@1⅛ per cent. Amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day, £39,000. Paris advices quote 3 per cents at 99 francs 47½ centimes, and exchange on London at 25 francs 17 centimes. India Council drills were allotted to-day at a decline of ⅛d per rupee.

The half-yearly bound volume of the *Financial Chronicle* has been issued, embracing the weekly numbers for the first six months of the year, including the issues of the *Investors' Supplement* and the *State and City Supplement*. The *Chronicle* is a well-known authority on finance, and gives much practical information about stocks, bonds, money, quotations, railroads, and matters of finance.

The sales of mining stocks at the New York Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange to-day were as follows:

Sales.		Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
1000	Alice.....	30	30	30	30
200	Brunswick.....	4	4	4	4
100	Comstock T. Co.....	6	6	6	6

The total sales were 1,300 shares.

New York Markets.

WEDNESDAY, July 5.—Flour was quiet and weak owing to the depression in wheat. Exports, 25,000 bbls. &c.; receipts, 12,171 bbls. &c. The sales were 11,000 bbls. Winter wheat brands in bbls. were quoted as follows: No grade, $1.85@$1.95; fine, 2@2.15; superfine, $2.25@$2.40; No 2 extra, $2.40@$2.50; No 1 extra, $[illegible]@$2.75; clear, $3@$3.15; straights, $3.15@$3.35; patents, $3.50@$3.75; Michigan straights, $3.15@$3.35; in jute for West Indies, $3.50@$3.60; "patents," $4.25@$4.40. Rye flour, super or fine, nominal. Corn meal, Western, nominal; brandywine, $2.75.

Wheat—Spot declined 1½c, owing to a decrease in the visible supply of 1,600,000 bush., or only a quarter of what had been expected, an increase in the English visible stock of over 2,000,000 bush., lower cables, and depression in all the West. The New York stock of contract wheat within a week has increased more than 1,000,000 bush., and the East Indian shipments to Europe are increasing. A report late in the day that there was an error in the American visible supply statement lacked confirmation. The quantity on passage to Europe decreased nearly 800,000 bush., but his had no effect. Spot sales 1,240,000 bush., including 10 lots for export. No. 2 red at ⅛c. over July in store and elevator 1½c. over July f. o. b. from store, 48c. under September for delivery, nearly; No. 2 red at 49½c. under September and 71½c. f. o. b. afloat, and 4c. under September f. o. b. afloat, special delivery; No. 2 hard winter at 72½c., or 29c. over July delivered; No. 1 Northern spring at 4c. under September delivered, ungraded at the 71½c. delivered. These were the receipts: Chicago, 142,232 bush.; Milwaukee, 76,400; Minneapolis, 357,750; Duluth, 128,148; St. Louis, 16,000; Toledo, 58,853; Detroit, 35,748; Kansas City, 15,245; New York, 1,100,250; Baltimore, 1,[illegible]; Philadelphia, 71,576; Boston, 110,410. Grand total, 2,083,183 bush.; total shipments, 714,355; total last year, 1,408,787. Future sales 920,000 bush., as follows:

	Opening.	Lowest.	Highest.	Closing.
July.....	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝
August.....	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝	71
September.....	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
October.....	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
December.....	81⅝	80⅝	81⅝	80⅝

Corn declined ⅛c. to ⅜c. Western markets were lower, the weather news favorable, the cables depressed, the quantity on passage to Europe increased materially, and the visible supply in this country is 751,000 bush. larger than a week ago. Spot sales 170,000 bush., including 18 loads for export. No. 2 at 48⅞@48⅞c. afloat; do. in elevator at 47½c. Future sales 445,000 bush. as follows:

	Opening.	Lowest.	Highest.	Closing.
July.....	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝
August.....	48⅝	48⅝	48	48⅝
September.....	49⅝	49	49⅝	49⅝

Oats were easier for mixed for future delivery and for white on the spot, but firm for mixed on the spot. There was a slight decline. The crop movement is however was rather large. Spot sales 125,000 bush. No. 2 white at 36c. No 3 do. at 35⅝@36c. No 2 mixed at 34⅞@35c. in elevator, ungraded at 35@35c. for white and 35@36c. for mixed. Future sales 140,000 bush., as follows:

	Opening.	Lowest.	Highest.	Closing.
July.....	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝
August.....	—	—	33	33
September.....	32	32	32	32

This shows the stock in New York and Brooklyn:

Bushels.	1893.	1892.	1892.	1891.
	July 3.	July 4.	July 2.	July 3.
Wheat.....	8,313,440	7,448,468	1,375,156	904,931
Corn.....	628,403	705,420	539,470	178,256
Oats.....	708,363	640,331	828,980	952,564
Rye.....	88,079	88,379	25,420	26,127
Barley.....	—	—	37,239	—
Peas.....	1,044	1,044	6,359	9,020
Malt.....	206,920	207,091	21,143	171,670
Total.....	9,946,319	9,090,741	2,996,767	2,227,928

Below is the visible supply statement:

	Wheat, bush.	Corn, bush.	Oats, bush.	Rye, bush.	Barley, bush.
July 1, 1893...	63,317,000	8,076,000	9,360,000	897,000	407,000
June 24, 1893...	64,092,000	7,325,000	8,114,000	857,000	448,000
July 2, 1892...	24,336,000	7,341,000	4,973,000	272,000	526,000
July 4, 1891...	12,383,601	4,020,221	3,563,510	719,363	96,608

This table shows the Chicago prices:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Sat. night.
Wheat.					
July.....	64⅝	65	64	64⅝	64⅝
August.....	67⅝	67⅝	66⅝	66⅝	68
September.....	70⅝	70⅝	69⅝	69⅝	70⅝
December.....	74⅝	74⅝	73⅝	73⅝	75⅝
Corn.					
July.....	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
August.....	41	41⅝	40⅝	40⅝	41⅝
September.....	42⅝	42⅝	41⅝	41⅝	42⅝
Oats.					
July.....	28	28	27⅝	27⅝	28
September.....	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
Lard.					
July.....	8.35	8.40	8.35	8.40	8.25
September.....	10.05	10.17½	10.05	10.07½	10.00
October.....	9.60	9.62½	9.55	9.55	9.55
Ribs.					
July.....	8.75	8.80	8.75	8.75	8.40
September.....	9.10	9.20	9.10	9.12½	9.00
Pork.					
July.....	—	—	—	$18.75	$18.75
September.....	$20.10	$20.10	$20.00	20.00	20.10

Groceries—Coffee futures closed 25 to 30 points higher and firm, with sales of 18,500 bags. The European cables were higher. Rio Janeiro was strong. The receipts at Brazilian markets were moderate. There was less pressure to sell here, and shorts were more inclined to cover. These are the details of to-day's trading in futures:

Bags.	Sales.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
July.....	3,000	15.10	15.70	15.55@16.00
August.....	500	15.40	15.35	15.40@15.45
September.....	7,500	15.40	15.50	15.75@15.80
October.....	2,000	15.70	15.45	15.60@15.75
November.....	3,250	15.40	15.35	15.60@15.65
December.....	4,500	15.50	15.25	15.50@15.55

Rio on the spot was firm, but quiet, at 19½c. for No. 7, with a sale of 500 bags of No. 8 at 19½c. Raw sugar was in fair demand and firm at 3⅝c. for 96° test Cuba centrifugals, and 4⅛c. for 96° test centrifugal, with sales of 50,000 bags on this basis. Refined was in better demand and firm.

Naval stores were dull. Spirits turpentine 29@29½c. Common to good strained rosin, $1.17½@$1.22½.

PETROLEUM—There were no sales of certificates here. For National, 72c. was bid. Oil City, 57⅝@58c., closing at 57⅝c. Refined was unchanged.

PROVISIONS—Chicago was rather irregular, with some decline in lard and ribs, years of manipulation in Chicago tend to restrict the trading. Lard here unchanged. Spot sales 150 tcs. city at 8⅛@8⅜c. Western quoted at 9.35c. Futures dull. July, 9.75c.; September, 10.40c. Dressed hogs lower at 8⅛@8½c., and pigs at 8⅝@8¾c. Mess pork steady at $19@$19.50. Tallow quiet and unchanged at 4 11-16@4⅝c. Beef quiet. Oleo, 20@22c.; do. cheese, 8⅝@8⅞c. Eggs, 15½@17½c.

COTTON—Prices weakened in the opening transactions owing to a decline in Liverpool, but rallied later on owing to the recovery of part of the early decline in Liverpool, due, it is said, to reports cabled thither of drought in Texas. Manchester's trade with India was reported better. The decline here at one time reached 10@12 points, but at close the net loss was only 1 to 2 points, and the tone was steady. Local and southern operators covered shorts. The trading is still light, pending developments in the financial world. The sales were 90,500 bales. Liverpool declined 3 to 3½ points, but regained much of this, and ended very steady, with spot sales of 10,000 bales. New Orleans declined early in the day, but later advanced 7 to 8 points. Spot prices here were 1-16c. lower, at 7 15-16c. for middling uplands, with sales of 534 bales for export and 183 for spinning. The southern markets were generally unchanged and dull. There was a decline of 1-16c. at two of them. The receipts at the ports to-day were 1,580, against 1,867 this day last week and 2,140 last year. The following are to-day's transactions:

	Closing.	Highest.	Lowest.	Sales.
July.....	7.75@7.76	7.76	7.73	800
August.....	7.83@—	7.83	7.76	25,400
September.....	7.91@7.92	7.93	7.86	10,500
October.....	8.01@8.02	8.02	7.95	16