With the Market All But Dead and Pit Deserted, December Suddenly Broke to 66 5-8c.

BULLS WERE CAUGHT NAPPING

Lively Finish to a Stagnant Market -News and Gossip of the Day

Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, Oct. 1. -Wheat traders are discouraged over the dullness in the speculative market. A quiet period at this time is not unusual, and is rather expected, nevertheless the present stagnant market has been long drawn out, and at the moment there is nothing in sight to indicate increased activity for the immediate future. Few care to go short, fearing the turn following the breaking of the dullness will be upward, and the constitutional bulls are ready to take hold as soon as they can discern anything on which to base bull enthusiasm. Meanwhile neither force is active and the market sticks around 67½c and the stick around 67½c and the market sticks around 67½c and the market sticks around 67½c and the market sticks around 67½c and th ness will be upward, and the constitutional

Primary receipts were 1,695,000 bushels against 875,000 bushels last year, and shipments 636,000 bushels against 615,000. Clear-ances wheat and flour were 530,000 bushels. Minneapolis received 602 cars against 289 and Duluth 735 against 172 last year.

The sensation of the day came near the close. With the market all but asleep and

the pit nearly deserted, a heavy line of wheat was offered in Chicago. That market broke \(\frac{1}{2} \)c and in the decline that followed here stop loss orders were uncovered. The pit became alive again in a trice. Frightened longs began offering their wheat and December sold down to 66%c. May broke to 69%c. Chicago December sold down to 69%669%c. Minne-apolis December closed at 66%666%c, May at 69% 669% c. It was largely a scalping pit flurry. A good many small traders let go, and the market is in healthier condition after

the break.

Cash wheat was less active and in all grades below No. 1 the downward range was much widened. A larger proportion of the day's receipts was of damp wheat or lots not in strictly first-class condition. Prima lots of No. 1 northern. the day's receipts was of damp wheat or lots not in strictly first-class condition. Prime lots of No. 1 northern and No. 2 sold about the same as yesterday, the No. 1 at 1½c over December and No. 2 at 1½c under. No. 2, however, showed as low as 2½c under on some sales. No. 3 wheat was slow all through, even the best lots going without map. Poor No. 3 ranged down to 51/2c under for some lots. Elevators were buyers, but were inclined to pass the poor lots even at moderate concessions. Rejected and no grade wheat sold from 56c to 62c.

THE FLOUR MARKET

Good Demand From All Quarters-Shipments Heavy.

Flour demand is good and shipments are being hurried out to fill orders from all quar-ters. Sales for future delivery are also large. The outlook is for a week of activity and heavy grinding is assured for some time to

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| No. 1 northern, 9 cars | 0 695 |
| No. 1 northern 3 cars | 691 |
| No. 1 northern 2 cars | 007 |
| No. 1 northern 2 cars | .08% |
| No. 1 northern, 3 cars. No. 1 northern, 2 cars. No. 1 northern, 2 cars No. 1 northern, 2 cars | .09 |
| No. 2 northern, 20 cars | .69 |
| No. 2 northern, 20 cars No. 2 northern, 30 cars | .00 |
| No. 2 northern, 2 cars | .65% |
| No. 2 northern, 2 cars No. 2 northern, 2 cars No. 3 wheat, 39 cars | .641/ |
| No. 3 wheat, 39 cars | .661/4 |
| No 3 wheat 1 oar | .62 |
| No. 3 wheat, 1 car No. 3 wheat, 1 car | .63 |
| No. 3 wheat, 1 car | .64% |
| | .65 |
| | |
| No. 3 wheat, 1 car No. 3 wheat, 5 cars | .631/2 |
| No. 3 wheat, I car | .641/ |
| No. 6 Wheat, b cars | .64 |
| Pointed There's car | .63% |
| No. 3 wheat, 1 car No. 3 wheat, 1 car Rejected wheat, 2 cars, musty Rejected wheat, 1 car, bin burnt Rejected wheat, 1 car | .613 |
| Rejected wheat, I car, bin burnt | .62 |
| Rejected wheat, 1 car | .611/ |
| Rejected wheat, 3 cars | 00 |
| Rejected wheat, 5 cars | .61 |
| Rejected wheat, 2 cars | .62 |
| Rejected wheat, 2 cars | .601/ |
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| No grade wheat, 1 car | .58 |
| No grade wheat, 3 cars | .614 |
| No grade wheat, 5 cars | .60 |
| No grade wheat, 5 cars | .62 |
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| No grade wheat, I car | .54 |
| No grade wheat, 1 car No grade wheat, 1 car | .63% |
| No grade wheat, 1 car | .63 |
| No grade wheat, 2 cars | .56 |
| No grade wheat, 2 cars No grade wheat, 3 cars | .591/ |
| No. 3 oats, 2 cars | .341/ |
| No. 3 oats, 2 cars | .34 |
| No. 3 white oats, 1 car | .354 |
| No. 3 white oats, 1 car, wheaty No. 3 white oats, 1 car Rejected flax, 2 cars | 1.50 |
| Atejected nax, I car | 1.49 |
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State Grain Inspection

Sept. 30.

Inspected in—Wheat—Cars—Great Northern—No. 1 northern, 35; No. 2 northern, 145; No. 3, 115; rejected, 17; no grade, 49.
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul—No. 1 northern, 15; No. 2 northern, 61; No. 3, 58; rejected, 37; no grade, 23.
Minneapolis & St. Louis—No. 1 northern, 4; No. 2 northern, 13; No. 3, 21; rejected, 4; no grade, 1. ; No. 2 northern, 15; No. 3, 21; rejected, 4; lo grade, 1.
Soo Line—No. 1 northern, 2; No. 2 northern, 7; No. 8, 27; rejected, 31; no grade, 16.
Northern Pacific—No. 1 northern, 22; No. 2 northern, 43; No. 3, 34; rejected, 11; no grade, 2

grade, 2.
Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha—
No. 1 northern, 10; No. 2 northern, 45; No. 3,
51; rejected, 26; no grade, 31.
Chicago Great Western—No. 3, 1.
Total—No. 1 northern, 138; No. 2 northern,
334; No. 3, 307; rejected, 126; no grade, 122.
Other Grains—Cars—No. 1 winter wheat,
1; No. 3 yellow corn, 4; No. 3 corn, 8; No. 4
corn, 1; No. 3 white oats, 18; No. 4 white oats,
11; No. 3 oats, 15; no grade oats, 1; No. 2 rye,
10; No. 3 rye, 1; No. 3 barley, 18; No. 4
barley, 57; No. 5 barley, 20; no grade barley,
5; No. 1 flax, 37; rejected flax, 61; no grade
flax, 7. Other Grains—Cars—No. 1 winter wheat, 1; No. 3 yellow corn, 4; No. 3 corn, 8; No. 4 ber, 4s 10%d; November, 4s 10%d; December, 4s 10%d; December,

RANGE OF WHEAT PRICE IN MINNEAPOLIS

St. Louis Grain

Toledo Grain. Toledo, Ohno, Oct. 1 .- Wheat, dull, quiet;

Kansas City Grain.

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| May\$ | Open. | High. \$.70%@70% | Low. | | Close Yesterday. \$.70%@70½ | Close Year Ago. |
| | | | | | | .791/2 |
| | | | DIE DAVIS | DESCRIPTION | | |

Dec. Wheat Minneapolis. Chicago. Duluth. St. Louis. New York Close to-day.....\$.66%@66% \$.69%@69% \$.67%@67½ \$ \$.75% .701/4 .681/8 Close yesterday671/2

CLOSING CASH PRICES

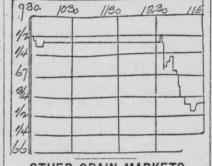
On Frack—No. 1 hard, 70%c; No. 1 nor thern, 67%c; No. 2 northern, 64%@64%c No. 3 wheat, 6114@6314 c. No. 1 flax, \$1.53; No. 3 yel low corn, 54%c. No. 3 white oats, 34%c; No. 2 rye, 50c. Barley, 48c to 56c.

Receipts and Shipments.

| Wheat Move | ement. | |
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| Oct. 1. | | and ohio |
| The following are the ments at the principal p | receipts | wheat mar- |
| kets: | | |
| 1 | | Shipments, |
| | bu. | bu. |
| New York | 179,600 | 84,625 |
| Philadelphia | 110,140 | 43,405 |
| Baltimore | 63,450 | 79,960 |
| Toledo | | 3,600 |
| Detroit | 6,889 | 884 |
| St. Louis | 28,000 | 51,000 |

Wheat Movement by Roads.

RANGE DECEMBER WHEAT



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| | Wheat- | Oct. | Dec. | May. |
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| | Opening | 681/8@1/4 | 701/8 | 731/2@5 |
| | Highest | 68% | 701/8@1/4 | 73%@3 |
| | Lowest | 671/4 | 691/8@1/4 | 72% |
| | Close— | | | |
| | To-day | 673/8 | 691/8@1/4 | 72%@3 |
| | Yesterday | 68% | 701/4 | 73%@3 |
| , | Year ago | 76% | 78% | |
| 8 | Corn- | | | |
| 62 4 | Opening | 54% | 5614@3% | 581/4@3 |
| 4 | Highest | 55@551/8 | 56% | 58% |
| | Lowest | 541/2 | 561/8 | 581/8 |
| | Close- | F 111 | =01/01/ | P01/ |
| 4 | To-day | 541/2 | 561/8@1/4 | 581/8 |
| 2 | Yesterday | 54% | 563/8 | 58% |
| 624 | Year ago | 391/4 | 34%@35 | |
| * | Oats- | 34 | 253/ @1/ | 971/605 |
| | Opening | 341/4 | 35%@½ 35% | 371/2@5 |
| 4 | | 337/8 | 34% | 3774 |
| • | Lowest | 90 /8 | 24./8 | 01 |
| 6 | To-day | 337/8 | 34% | 37 |
| 2000 | Yesterday | 345% | 35% @1/2 | 375% |
| 4 | Year ago | 221/8@1/4 | 22% 0% | 0178 |
| | 10a1 ago | MW /8 W 74 | /4 W /8 | |
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Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 1.—Wheat lost 5%c today. December opened ½6 off at 67%c, sold up to 68c, and down to 67½c, and closed at 67% 667½6. There was no great demand. Flax was weak. October declined from \$1.47½ to \$1.38. There was large trading in cash flax, but futures were neglected. Cash wheat sold heavily at from 67½c to 67½c for No. 1 northern. Receipts—Wheat, 735 care; corn. 1; oats, 1½; rye, 6; barley, 88; flax, 150; total, 994. Shipments—Wheat, 287,033 bu; flax, 9,039. Close: No. 1 hard, cash, 63%c; No. 1 northern, cash, 66%c; to arrive and October, 66%c; December, 67%c; May, 71½c; No. 2 northern, 64%c; other standard and in sympathy with lower longs. January pork opened 2½c to 22½c lower at \$15.77½ to \$15.97½. January lard 5@7½c to \$2.5%c; May, 71½c; No. 2 northern, 64%c; No. 3, 59%c; flax, cash, \$1.48; to arrive, \$1.45; October, \$1.43; November, \$1.38; December, \$1.31½; May, \$1.40; corn, 54½c; rye, 51c; barley, unchanged.

New York Grain

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New York, Oct. 1.—Flour—Receipts, 24,400 brls; sales, 2,900 pkgs; state and western, steady and unchanged. Wheat—Receipts, 177,600 bu; sales, 985,000 bu; dull and barely steady all the forenoon on easier cables, large October deliveries and heavy receipts; October, 73½@73½c; December, 75 9-16@75¾c; May, 78¾@79c. Rye—Steady; state, 55@56c. c i f, New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 62½c, f o b, afloat. Corn—Receipts, 38,400 bu; sales, 75,000 bu; opened easy with wheat, but recovered on a demand from shorts and western speculative support; October, 61½@61½c; December, 61½@61½c; May, 62@62½c. Oats—Receipts, 325,700 bu; steady with corn; track white, 40@47c. Close: Wheat, December, 75½c; May, 78½c. Corn, December, 61½c; May, 62%c.

Liverpool, Oct. 1.—Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 6½d; No. 1 California, 5s 10d; futures, quiet; December, 5s 7½d; March, 5s 8¾d. Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, new, 5s; futures, quiet; October, 4s 10¾d; November, 4s 10¾d; December, 4s 10¾d; October, 4s 10¾d; Oct

TRANSACTIONS OF SMALL CALIBER

Very Dull Market, Trading Being Irregular, With Slight Reactions.

New York, Oct. 1 .- Prices did not vary much from last night's level except for American Locomotive, which rose 1%. Other changes were restricted to small fractions. There were no large transactions. There was no pressure of offerings on the market and traders bid up Atchison, St. Paul, Union Pacific and Amalgamated Copper about a point. The Vanderbilt group, after some hesitancy, became firmer, and New York, Chicago & St. Louis second preferred and C., C., C. & St. Louis and Lake Eric & Western improved 1@1½ Trading was very dull at 11 o'clock and the market irregular, with slight reactions

St. Louis, Oct. 1.—Close: Wheat, lower; No. 2 red, cash, 70e; October, 69%c; December, 70½@70%c; May, 74e; No. 2 hard, 69@69%c. Corn, lower; No. 2 cash, 50½c; October, 50%c; December, 70e; May, 59%c. Oats, lower; No. 1 cash, 37%c; December, 36%c; May, 38%e; No. 2 white, 39@39%c. ticularly in the industrial division. Amalagmated Copper, Ice and Salt preferred declined 1@1%, and some of the railroads reacted to the lowest. Earlier advances in the Vanderbilts were reduced, and in some cases wiped out. Chicago Seed and Coarse Grains.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Flax—Cash northwestern and No. 1, \$1.58; southwestern, \$1.55; October, \$1.47\frac{1}{2}; November and December, \$1.42. Rye—October, 53\frac{1}{2}c; December, 54\frac{1}{2}c. Barley—Cash, 51\frac{1}{2}600. Timothy—October, \$5.45; March, \$5.60\frac{1}{2}5.70. Clover—October, \$8.50. The market was dormant and heavy in the noon hour. There were wide declines on light sales in a few dormant stocks. St. Joseph & Grand Island first preferred dropped 5 and the Chicago Terminal stocks, Wheeling & Lake Erle first and second preferred and Rubber goods 1½@2½. Keokuk & Des Moines

No. 2 cash, 71%c; December, 72%c; May, 76c. Corn, dull, steady; cash, 57c; December, 58c; May, 584c. Rye, cash, 54c. Oats, active, lower; cash, 36%c; December, 37c; May, 37%c. Clover seed, firm; prime cash, October and December, \$5.27%. ings in sympathy with a break of 3% in Sugar, which touched 118%. Reading and Rock Island were the most affected of other

| | 2 mixed, 57½@58c; No. 2 white, 58c. Oats—No. 2 white, 37½@38%c. Receipts—Wheat, | Sugar made another dip which carried it | LONDON FINANCIAL | W. J. |
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| , | 30 cars. | dropped sharp 2%, Brooklyn Transit 1%, Man- | Consols and Quotations of American | Cou |
| , | CENEDAL DECENIOR | hattan 1¼ and People's Gas 1½. Prices in the general list were dragged down somewhat, | | 1 |
|) | GENERAL PRODUCE | New York Central losing a point, but the | | 1 6 |
|) | The Minneapolis Market. | dealings were on an insignificant scale. Some | Louidon, oct. 1. 1 p. m. Consons for money. | was |
| , | | of the weak stocks recovered a point and | Anaconda, 71/6: Atchison, 78%: Atchison pre- | run |
| 5. | Tuesday, Oct. 1. | Atchison and Amalgamated Copper rose to | | ity |
| , | : THE LEADERS. : | about the best. The closing was extremely | cago Great Western, 221/2; Chicago, Milwaukee | loa at |
|) | During and the state of the sta | weak and irregular. | & St. Paul, 164; Denver & Rio Grande, 46%; | this |
|) | Extra creamery butter, per lb, 21c; extra dairy, per lb, 18½c. Strictly: | Bonds were irregular. Stock quotations reported for The Journal | Denver & Rio Grande preferred, 95; Erie, 41%; Erie first preferred, 71; Erie second pre- | T |
| | : fresh eggs, loss off, per dozen, 16c. : | by Watson & Co., Chamber of Commerce, | ferred, 57; Illinois Central, 150; Louisville & | goo |
| | : Live hens, lb, 5@5½c; spring chick-: | Minneapolis, Minn. | Nashville, 106; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, | the |
| | ens, lb, 6@6½c; turkeys, lb, 7½c. : Fancy country dressed mutton, per : | Closing prices are bid. | 27%; Missouri, Kansas & Texas preferred,57½; New York Central, 162; Norfolk & Western, | B |
| | : 1b, 5½@6c. New potatoes, per bu, : | Sales Stocks- Hi- Lo- Bid. Bid. | 54%; Norfolk & Western preferred, 91; North- | No. |
| | : 65@75c; tomatoes, per bu, 90c@\$1.20. : | est. est. Oct. 1 Sep30 | ern Pacific preferred, 99; Ontario & Western, 34%; Pennsylvania, 73%; Reading, 20%; | 4 |
| | BUTTER-Extra creameries, per 1b, 21c; | Adams Ex 180 180 | Reading first preferred, 38%; Reading second | 1 2 |
| | firsts, per lb, 181/c; seconds, lb, 15@151/c; | Am. Express 192 190 190 190 | preferred 2614 . Southern Pailway 2274 . | 2 |
| | imitations, firsts, per lb, 15@15½c; seconds, lb, 12½c; dairies, extras, 18½c; firsts, per lb, | Am. Cot. Oil | Southern Railway preferred, 8816: Southern | 1 |
| | 16@17c; seconds, per lb, 13c; butter fat in | Am. Locomotive 25 | Pacific, 57%; Union Pacific, 100; Union Pacific preferred, 90; United States Steel, 45; | 1. M |
| | separator cream, Babcock test, 20c. delivered | do pr 365% | United States Steel preferred, 96%c: Wabash, | 11 |
| | Minneapolis; ladles, firsts, 15@16c; seconds, per lb, 13c; packing stock, per lb, 13c; stale | 2,100 Am. Car 29 28¼ 28¼ 28¾ 28¾ 83½ do pr 83¾ 83½ | 22; Wabash preferred, 40; Spanish 4s, 6914. | 110 |
| | stock, per lb, 5c; grease, lb, 3\omega5c. | 100 Am. Ice 27 26 26½ 27¼ | Bar silver, dull, 26%d per ounce. Rand Mines, 41%; De Beers, 36. | li |
| | EGGS—Strictly fresh, cases included, loss off, per doz, 16c; dirties, fresh, dozen, 7c; | 100 do pr 64½ 64 63½ 66 Am. Linseed 15 15 | Money, 1½@2 per cent. | S |
| | checks, fresh, 61/6c. | do pr 46 49 | The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 3-16@31/4 per cent. | No. |
| | CHEESE-Twins or flats, fancy, new, lb. | Am. Malting 61/2 61/2 | The rate of discount in the open market | F |
| | 11c; twins or flats, choice, new, per lb, 90 9½c; fair to good, 5½06c; brick, No. 1, per | 31,800 Am. Sugar 122 1171/4 1177/6 1211/2 | for three months' bills is 21/4@2 5-16 per | No. |
| | 1b, 13c; brick, No. 2, per lb, 10@11c; No. 3 per | 300 do pr 115 114 113 | cent. | F |
| | lb, 7@8c; limburger, No. 1, per lb, 121/2c; | Am. Smelting . 441/2 44 441/4 441/4 | MONEY REPORTS | No. |
| | limburger, No. 2, per lb, 8½c; primost, No. 1, sweet, per lb, 6½c; common, 3c; pultost, 9½@ | do pr 96 96½ 16,000 Amal. Cop 90½ 89% 90⅓ 89% | WONLINEFONIS | 1 |
| | 10c; Young America, fancy, 12%c; choice, per | 1,100 Anacon. Cop . 36% 36% 36% 36% 36% | New York Money. | v |
| | lb, 9½c; block Swiss, No. 1, 14@14½c; No. 2, 8½@9c; No. 1 round, 14½@15c; Ne. 2 round, | 28,700 At., Top. & S.F. 76% 75% 76% 76% 75% | New York, Oct. 1CloseMoney on call | No. |
| | 8½@9c. 10. 1 found, 14,2@15c, Ne. 2 found, | 1,500 do pr 95% 95% 95% 95 1,200 Balt. & Ohio 101 100 100½ 100% | steady at 31/2@4 per cent; last loan, 31/2 per | 2 _H |
| | LIVE POULTRY-Turkeys, mixed coops, | do pr 93 93 | cent; ruling rate, 4 per cent; prime mercan- tile paper, 4½@5½ per cent; sterling ex- | tota |
| ĺ | lb, 7½c; young toms and hens, 8½c; small and medium, 7@8c; chickens, hens, 5@5½c; | 5,000 Brook. Rap. Tr. 65½ 63¼ 64⅓ 65 Brook. Un. Gas | change, steadier, with actual business in | Tue |
| d | roosters, 1b, 4c; springs, 1b, 6@6½c; ducks, | 3,000 Can. Southern . 84 83 83% 84 | bankers' bills at \$4.85\4@4.85\% for demand | froi |
| | old, per lb, 6c; springs, 6@7c; geese, 5c. DRESSED MEATS-Veal, tancy, per lb. | Can. Pacific 109 1091/2 | and at \$4.83@4.83\% for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.83\%@4.84 and \$4.86@4.86\%; commer- | low |
| 4 | 7c; fair to good, lb, 6@6½c; thin, small or | 800 Ches. & Ohio . 45 44½ 44¾ 45 C. & E. Ill | cial bills, \$4.821/4@4.831/4; bar silver, 581/4; | Bes |
| | overweight, per lb, 5c; mutton, fancy, coun- | do pr 135 | Mexican dollars, 451/2; government bonds, | mix |
| | try dressed, 5\\2002@6c; thin or overweight, 1b, 4\\20035c; hogs, 7\\2002\2008c. | 600 Chi. & Alton 371/2 3634 3634 3634 | strong; state bonds, active; railroad bonds, irregular. | com |
| 1 | FISH-Pike, per lb, 7c; crappies, lb, 5@6c; | 2,000 Chi. Gr. West. 22% 21% 22 22 | | No. |
| | pickerel, drawn, per lb, 5c; pickerel, round, | do pr A 8434 8434 | Minneapolis Money. | 33 . |
| | lb, 4@4½c; sunfish, perch, etc., 2@3c. POTATOES—New, per bu, straight car lots, | do deb | MINNENAPOLIS — Bank clearings, \$2.637 | 67 . |
| ĺ | 70c; mixed car lots, 65@70c; small lots, | Chi. Ind. & L 4114 41 41 41 4114 | discount: buying rate, 50c discount: Chicago | 76 . 39 . |
| ۱ | sacked, 75c. SWEET POTATOES—Jerseys, brl. \$3.75; | do pr 72 7514 | exchange, selling rate par buying rate 50c | 170 . |
| ı | Virginias, per brl, \$3.75@4. | 300 C.,C.,C. & St. L 96½ 95% 96 95% do pr 119 119 | discount; London sixty-day sight document- ary, \$4.821/2. | 78 31 |
| ĺ | BEANS-Fancy navy, per bu, \$3; choice, | Chi. Term 211/2 20 201/8 213/8 | ST. PAUL—Clearings, \$949,465,66. | C |
| i | \$2.25@2.50; medium, hand-picked, per bu, \$2.25 | do pr 401/8 381/2 381/8 401/2 | | No. |

New York, Oct. 1.—Butter—Receipts, 19,800 pkgs; steady; state dairy, 14@21c; creamery, 15@22½c; June creamery, 20@22c; fresh factory, 12½@14½c. Cheese—Receipts, 11 237 pkgs; firm; fancy large colored, 9%@9½c; fancy large white, 9½@9%c; fancy small colored, 10½c; fancy small white, 10c. Eggs—Receipts, 16,286 pkgs; easy; state and Pennsylvania, 20@21c; western candled, 20c; western uncandled, 16½@19½c.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago Provisions.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Provisions easier all around. Liquidation started early on a slow outside demand and in sympathy with lower hogs. January pork opened 2½c to 2½c lower at \$15.77½ to \$15.97½. January lard 5@7½c to 2½c@5c down, at \$9.25 to \$9.27½, and sold to \$9.23½, and January ribs 2½c to 7½c down at \$8.15 to \$8.20. Close: Pork, October, \$14.65; January, \$15.87½; May, \$16.02½. Lard, October, \$9.90; November, \$9.72½; December, \$9.42½; January, \$9.80. Ribs, October, \$8.75; January, \$8.17½; May, \$8.25.

New York Provisions. New York, Oct. 1.—Beef—Firm. Pork— ull. Lard—Steady; prime steam western,

Liverpool, Oct. 1.—Lard—American refined, steady; 50s 6d; prime western, 50s 6d. Bacon—Cumberland cut, quiet; 51s 6d; short clear backs, quiet; 47s. Shoulders—Square, dull.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Oct. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,500; slow to steady; native steers, \$3@6.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.80@3.75; cows and heifers, \$2@5; Texans, \$3.10@4.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,500; 10@15c lower; pigs, \$5.50@6.80; packers, \$6.50@6.85; butchers, \$6.90@7.10.

Opening Prices Vary But Little New York, Oct. 1.— United States refunding 2s, registered..109 United States refunding 2s, coupon, ex-From Yesterday's Close.

New York Bonds.

Gold Premiums.

rose 1½.

Prices reached a lower level on small offer-

Rock Island were the most affected of other stocks, both yielding a point. St. Joseph & Grand Island first preferred recovered 2 points of its earlier loss, and American Chemical preferred made up 4 points of yesterday's slump. Peoria & Eastern lost 2 points and other Vanderbilts were weaker.

Sugar made another dip which carried it 4½c under last night, Colorado Fuel also dropped sharp 2¾, Brooklyn Transit 1¾, Manhattan 1¼ and People's Gas 1½. Prices in

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 1.—Wheat—December, 66@66½c; May, 67%@68c; cash No. 2 hard, 63%@63½c; No. 2 red, 70@70½c. Corn—December, 57½c; May, 58½@58½c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 57½@58c; No. 2 white, 58c. Oats—No. 2 white, 37½@38%c. Receipts—Wheat, 30 cars.

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| | | | W S | -Close- | |
| Sales | Stocks- | Hi- est. | Lo- est. | Bid. Oct. 1 | Se |
| | Adams Ex | | | 180 | 1 18 |
| | Am. Express | 192 | 190 | 190 | 15 |
| | Am. Cot. Oil | | | 301/2 | 1 : |
| | Am. Cot. Oil do pr | | | 88 | 1 8 |
| | Am. Locomotive | | | 25 | |
| | do pr Am. Car | | | 36% | |
| 2,100 | Am. Car | 29 | 281/4 | 281/4 | 1 2 |
| | do pr Am. Ice do pr Am. Linseed | | | 83% | 1 8 |
| 100 | Am. Ice | 27 | 26 | 261/2 | 1 2 |
| 100 | do pr | 641/2 | 64 | 631/2 | 1 |
| Server | Am. Linseed | | | 15 | 1 3 |
| O. E. S. | do pr Am. Malting do pr Am. Sugar | | | 46 | |
| 1 100 | Am. Malting | | | 61/2 | 1 |
| | do pr | | | 241/2 | 1 . 3 |
| 31,800 | Am. Sugar | 122 | 1171/4 | 117% | 12 |
| 300 | do pr | 115 | 114 | 113 | |
| 1 | Am. Smelting . | 441/2 | 44 | 441/4 96 | 1 4 |
| | do pr Amal. Cop | | | 96 | 1 8 |
| 16,000 | Amal. Cop | 901/2 | 891/8 | 901/8 | 1 8 |
| 1,100 | Anacon. Cop . | 36% | 361/8 | 361/2 | 3 |
| 28,700 | Anacon. Cop . At., Top. & S.F. do pr Balt. & Ohio | 76% | 75% | 761/8 | 7 |
| 1,500 | do pr | 95% | 951/4 | 951/4 | 9 |
| 1,200 | Balt. & Ohio | 101 | 100 | 1001/2 | 10 |
| | do pr | | | 93 | 2 |
| 5,000 | Brook, Rap. Tr. | 651/2 | 631/4 | 641/8 | 1 |
| | do pr Brook, Rap. Tr. Brook, Un. Gas | | | 208 | 20 |
| 3.0001 | Can. Southern | 84 | 83 | 8234 | 8 |
| | Can. Pacific | | | 109 | 10 |
| 800 | Ches. & Ohio | 45 | 441/2 | 4434 | 4 |
| | Can. Pacific Ches. & Ohio C. & E. Ill | | | 1251/4 | 12 |
| | do pr | | | 135 | |
| 600 | Chi. & Alton | 371/2 | 3634 | 363/4 | 3 |
| 4 600 | do pr Chi. & Alton do pr | | | 77 | 7 |
| 2,000 | Chi Gr West | 99861 | 9174 | 99 | |
| | do pr A | | | 843/4 | 8 |
| | do pr B | | | 45 | 4 |
| | do deb | | | 90 | |

do pr ... 40% 38½ 38% 40½ 600 Col. Fuel & Ir 92% 94% do pr 123 123 Col. Southern 13% 13% 13% 13% 15%

Pacific Coast
do 1st pr
do 2d pr
1,000 Pacific Mail 42½ 42
4,500 Penn. R. R. 144½ 143¼
1,300 People's Gas 106½ 105½
20,500 Reading 41¼ 40½
900 do 1st pr 75½ 75
1,900 do 2d pr 51¾ 51
600 Repub. Steel 15¾ 51
700 do pr 66¾ 66
Rock Island 141 140¼

800 Wisconsin Cent. 21% 21% 21½ 22½ 100 do pr 42 42

Cattle Receipts Show Some Improvement in Quality.

Feeding Cows and Heifers— 936 \$2.60 Av. Price Feeding Bulls— 590 \$2.40

Feeding Bulls—

No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price.

1 ... 1,110 \$2.50 | 2 ... \$86 \$2.00

1 ... 1,260 2.25 | 2 ... 1,245 2.30

Veal Calves—

No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price.

2 ... 225 \$5.25 | 1 ... 170 \$4.25

HOGS—Receipts to-day at leading markets totaled about 56,000, or about an average for Tuesday. Early developments from the east warranted sharp declines in values, and right from the start bids here ruled 10c to 15c lower. Quality was a shade better than yesterday, yet there was nothing choice included. Best on sale sold from \$6.60 to \$6.75, with mixed grades selling from \$6.45 to \$6.55, and common rough packers from \$6.45 to \$6.55.

Hogs— New York Money.

New York, Oct. 1.—Close.—Money on call steady at 3½@4 per cent; last loan, 3½ per cent; ruling rate, 4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½ per cent; sterling exchange, steadder, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.85½@4.85½ for demand and at \$4.83@4.83½ for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.83½@4.84 and \$4.86@4.85½; commercial bills, \$4.82½@4.83½; bar silver, 58½.

Mexican dollars, 45½; government bonds, strong; state bonds, active; railroad bonds, irregular.

Hogs-MINNENAPOLIS — Bank clearings, \$2,637, - 67 549.81; New York exchange, selling rate, 10c discount; buying rate, 50c discount; Chicago 3exchange, selling rate, par; buying rate, 50c 70 discount; London sixty-day sight document-

London, Oct. 1.—Gold premiums are quoted: 2. Buenos Aires, 150.10; Madrid, 43.02; bar gold, St. Av. Price.

SHEEP—Receipts were small. The local inquiry was rather slack on both fat sheep and lambs, and prices were generally quoted 25c lower on fat ewes and lambs and 15c lower on fat wethers. Stock ewes and lambs

 No.
 Av.

 42 lambs
 73

 52 lambs
 67

 19 lambs
 71

 25 stock lambs
 56

 185 feeders
 100

 74 feeders
 95

 1 sheep
 170

Sioux City Live Stocks. Sioux City, Iowa. Oct. 1.—Receipts, 4,500 togs, 2,000 cattle, 700 sheep.
Hogs—10c lower. Sales:

Sheep—Steady; \$2.50@4.25.

New York, Oct. 1.—Sugar, raw, quiet; fair refining, 3½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c; molasses sugar, 3c; refined, steady; crushed, 5.75c; powdered, 5.25c; granulated, 5.25c. Molosses, steady. Coffee, quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5½ 57c. Coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to 5 points decline under continued bear selling, feeling easier European advices, and heavy Brazilian receipts. Throughout the forenoon a weak undertone prevailed, while trading was but moderately active. The feeling at 12 noon was barely steady at net unchanged prices to 10 points decline. Sales to that hour were 2,000 bags, including December at 5.25c; March, 5.50c; July, 5.80c. Spot was dull but steady. Chicago, Oct. 1.—Cattle, receipts, 5,000, including 1,100 Texans and 2,000 westerns; good steers strong, others steady; good to prime steers, \$6.10@6.60; poor to medium, \$4@.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.254.35; cows, \$1.50@.20; bulls, \$1.55@4.55; calves, \$3.26.50; Texas steers, \$3.64; westerns, \$3.75@5.40.

Hogs, receipts to-day, 24,000; to-morrow, 26,000; left over, 3,058; 10c to 20c lower; mixed and butchers, \$6.50@7.05; good to choice heavy, \$6.75@7.10; rough heavy, \$6.40@6.55; light, \$6.50@6.80; bulk of sales, \$6.65@6.80.

Sheep, receipts, 20,000; steady; good to choice wethers, \$3.50@3.75; fair to choice mixed, \$3@3.40; western sheep, \$2.75@3.40; native lambs, \$2.50@4.75; western lambs, \$3.50@4.75; 4.50. Official yesterday: Receipts, cattle, 25,756: hogs, 23,084; sheep, 38,402; shipments, cattle, 4,834; hogs, 4,035; sheep, 3,840.

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4.00; steady; native steers, \$5.26.35; Texans, \$2.90(3.80; cows and heifers, \$2.26.35; texars, and feeders, \$2.256.425.
Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; slow; lower; bulk of sales, \$6.80(6.90; heavy, \$6.8367; packers, \$7.36, \$9.56.25.
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Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; slow; sheep, \$2.70@ 3.40; lambs, \$3.50(24.40.

Northern Pacific reports for August net earnings increased \$323,511; July 1 to Aug. 31, increased \$686,082. Total income increased \$506,905.

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