All the Trade Is Watching North Dakota

Recent Hot Weather Did Some Damage, but Nothing Very Serious Is Found.

Yields Look Big on the Average—New Wheat Beginning to Arrive Here.

Local Cash Situation Still Strong—Liverpool Cables Are Weaker.

Many reports coming in.

Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, Aug. 22.—Wheat became more hesitant today, and altho the strong tone remained, there was more disposition shown to sell on the spurts and not such good support shown on the September. The hot weather has passed and the trade is now afraid too much rain may come. For tomorrow showers and cooler weather are predicted. There was heavy rain at Grafton and at Fargo, and Comstock sent word of rain as far out as Churchs Ferry. This made some fear that harvesting might be interrupted. Liverpool was 3@3½d lower and the foreign news was not very strong. Locally the elevator stocks have decreased 875,000 bu so far this week, and this, with receipts of only 63 cars against 128, and a cash premium of 5c over September for No. 1 northern, made for local firmness. On the other hand fifteen cars of new wheat were on the cash tables at the opening of the market of which two were durum, indicating the beginning of the movement. New wheat should be coming in here in considerable quantity by the end of next week, and hedging sales will be a weight on the market. The movement to market at present, however, is very light. Besides the moderate showing here, Chicago had 88 cars compared with 63, Duluth 20 against 7, Winnipeg 22 against 6, St. Louis 74,000 bu against 61,000 and Kansas City only 154,000 bu against 550,000.

The weather map showed: Fargo, rain and wind; Willmar, raining, cool, rained all night; Crystal, cloudy, raining, 55; Grafton, cloudy, raining, rained all night; Winnipeg, cloudy, cool; Breckenridge, cloudy, raining hard since 1 a.m., still raining; New Ulm, cloudy, calm, six hours' rain; Watertown, cloudy, calm, rained heavy, last night 70; Morris, cloudy, cool, heavy rain all night; Madison, cloudy, calm, rained all night, 71; Waterloo, clear, hot; La Crosse, part cloudy, 81, rained most all night; Red Wing, cloudy, warm, 80, heavy b in last night.

The principal question now before the trade is the probable extent to which the crop of North Dakota was damaged by the recent hot weather. Some take the view that there was a serious setback, but reports coming in today do not show this. A message received this morning from a most reliable and competent observer who has been driving from Park River thru Adams, Edmore, Starkweather and Cando to Bisbee, takes full note of the effect of the hot weather, says it ripened the grain quickly and that there was deterioration as reported and some loss from shelling, but that the whole is not important relative to the entire state and that the big crop is assured. A source considered by the writer as reliable as any here and with interests lying apart from the speculative side of the grain business has some reports of yields per acre in hand and they show a big crop beyond peradventure. Some are estimates based on the stand of wheat just before harvesting, others are confirmed in part by threshing. The following is the showing made. North Dakota—Newville, 15 bu per acre; Cando 12, Wahpeton 13, Erie 10, Havana 18, Souris 20, Bottineau 19, Omemee 18, Hannah 18, Mohall 16, Auburn 12, Manvel 20, Cavalier 15, Bathgate 18, Petersburg 12, Portland 15, Arthur 12, Hatton 17, Galchutt 17, and in durum fields 25 bu; Davenport 18 to 20, Hempsted 14. Minnesota—Erskine 15, Kent 7 to 10, Wolverton 12, Humboldt 16, Alexandria 16, Climax 12, Eldred 12.

These are fine yields. Kent makes the poorest showing. One may allow for some optimism and yet see that in the yields reported, on the increased acreage, North Dakota has a big crop of wheat.

Poehler's correspondent writes that he is on a crop-estimating drive and so far has found the crop much under the estimate of the experts, especially in the Mouse river loop. The grain is very thin and has suffered from the hot winds. Wheat about one-quarter harvested and flax will be ready in about ten days.

The bulls gained an ally in A. I. Valentine, who returned from Mackinac to Chicago and declared himself bullish on wheat.

Walter Thexton received the following from McBean Brothers, Winnipeg: "Hot winds last week seriously reduced yield, probably five bu per acre. We always claimed prospects no better than last year. They are now much worse."

T. J. Cassidy wired C. E. Lewis from Bottineau: "Northern half of Bottineau county will yield 15 to 20 bu. Considerable complaint of late wheat damaged by hot weather. Harvesting in full blast."

Primary receipts, 628,000 bu against 621,000; clearances, 662,000 bu.

Weather map shows general rains in Canada and the northwest and a few scattered showers west and southwest. Temperatures are lower northwest; Canada, 36 to 54; northwest, 54 to 68. They are still high southwest and west. Generally cloudy northwest, fair elsewhere.

THE FLOUR MARKET

NO IMPORTANT CHANGES TODAY, PRICES HOLDING FIRM.

The market remains steady as quoted with a good domestic demand and some inquiry from abroad, but no export business entered.

Shipments, 59,891 brls.

First patents quotable at $4.@4.10; second patents, $3.85@3.95; first clears, $3.25@3.45; second clears, $2.50@2.60, in wood, f o b Minneapolis.

THE CASH TRADE

ONLY SLIGHT PRICE CHANGES IN THE COARSE GRAINS.

FLAX—Receipts, 2 cars against 2 cars last year. Shipments, 37 cars. Duluth, 20 cars. Closing prices: Minneapolis, cash, $1.13; to arrive, $1.13.

CORN—Receipts were light again. No. 3 yellow closed at 47¼c. Receipts, 1 car; shipments, none.

OATS—New No. 3 white oats closed at 28⅛c. Receipts, 20 cars; shipments, 8 cars.

FEED AND COARSE MEAL—Coarse cornmeal and cracked corn, in sacks, sacks extra, $18@18.25; No. 1 ground feed, 2-3 corn and 1-3 oats, 75-lb sacks, sacks extra, $18@18.25; No. 2 ground feed, ½ corn and ½ oats, 80-lb sacks, sacks extra, $18@18.25; No. 3 ground feed, 1-3 corn and 2-3 oats, 70-lb sacks, sacks extra, $18@18.25.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran in bulk, $12.50; shorts, bulk, $14.50; middlings, in bulk, $17.50; red dog, in 140s, $21; all f o b in Minneapolis; in 200-lb sacks, $1 per ton additional; in 100-lb sacks $1.50 per ton additional. Shipments, 11,453 tons.

BARLEY—Feed grades closed at 33@34c; malting grades, 35@46c. Receipts, 21 cars; shipments, 19 cars.

RYE—No. 2 rye closed at 50¾@51¾c. Receipts, none, shipments, none.

HAY—Receipts today, 60 tons. Timothy, choice, $12.50; timothy, No. 1, $11.50@12; timothy, No. 2, $10@10.50; timothy, No. 3, $8@9; prairie, choice, $11; prairie, No. 1, $9.50@10.50; prairie, No. 2, $9@10; prairie, No. 3, $7.50@9; midland, No. 1, $8@9; midland, No. 2, $7@8; no grade hay, $2.50@4.50; rye straw, No. 1 $5.50; rye straw, No. 2, $4.50; wheat or oat straw, $3.50@4.50; no grade straw, $2@3.

CASH SALES REPORTED TODAY.

No. 1 hard wheat, 2 cars $0.76¾
No. 1 northern wheat, 4 cars, new .... .75¾
No. 1 northern wheat, 5 cars, elevator .... .76
No. 1 northern wheat, 13 cars, elevator .... .76¼
No. 1 northern wheat, 1 car, new .... .75⅞
No. 1 northern wheat, 3 cars .... .77¼
No. 1 northern wheat, part car .... .76½
No. 1 northern, 5,000 bu new to arrive .... .74⅝
No. 1 northern wheat, 1 car .... .76
No. 2 northern wheat, 9 cars, elevator .... .75¼
No. 2 northern wheat, 1 car, new .... .74⅝
No. 2 northern wheat, 3 cars .... .75¼
No. 2 northern wheat, 2 cars, new .... .74¼
No. 3 wheat, 8 cars, elevator .... .73¼
No. 3 wheat, 2 cars .... .73⅞
No. 3 wheat, part car .... .72½
No. 3 wheat, 3 cars .... .73¾
No. 3 wheat, 2 cars, elevator .... .73
No. 3 wheat, 1 car .... .73½
Rejected wheat, 1 car, elevator .... .65
No. 2 rye, 1 car .... .53
No. 3 rye, 1 car .... .50
No. 3 white oats, 3 cars .... .28⅜
No. 3 white oats, 18,000 bu, Sept. delivery .... .29
No. 3 white oats, 2,500 bu, Sept. delivery .... .28⅞
No. 4 white oats, 1 car .... .28⅜
No. 4 white oats, 4 cars .... .27⅞
No. 3 oats, 2 cars .... .25
No. 3 oats, 4 cars .... .25½
No. 3 oats, 1 car .... .28
No grade oats, 1 car .... .25
No. 4 barley, 2 cars .... .43
No. 4 barley, 1 car .... .42
No. 4 barley, 1 car .... .42¾
No. 4 barley, 1 car, wheaty .... .39
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car .... .37
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car .... .34
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car .... .35
No. 2 feed barley, 2 part cars .... .34
No. 1 flaxseed, 2 cars 1.13¼
No. 1 flaxseed, 1,000 bu, to arrive 1.13¼
No. 1 flaxseed, 1,000 bu, to arrive 1.12¾
No. 1 flaxseed, 5,000 bu, to arrive 1.13

Durum Wheat.

No. 1 durum wheat, 2 cars .... .68
No. 2 durum wheat, part car .... .66

Winter Wheat.

No. 3 winter wheat, 1 car .... .72¾

PUTS AND CALLS.

Puts—September wheat, 70⅞c.
Calls—September wheat, 72⅛c.
Curb—September wheat, 71⅝c.

STATE GRAIN INSPECTION, AUG. 21.

Inspected In—Wheat—Cars—Great Northern—No. 1 hard, 1; No. 1 northern, 3; No. 2 northern, 3; No. 3, 1.

Milwaukee—No. 2 northern, 6; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 2.

St. Louis—No grade, 1.

Soo Line—No. 1 hard, 4; No. 1 northern, 3; No. 2 northern, 1; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; rejected, 4.

Omaha—No. 2 northern, 2; no grade, 1.

Total—No. 1 hard, 5; No. 1 northern, 6; No. 2 northern, 12; No. 3, 3; No. 4, 3; rejected, 4; no grade, 2.

Other Grains—Cars—No. 2 durum wheat, 4; No. 3 durum wheat, 1; No. 4 durum wheat, 1; No. 1 winter wheat, 1; No. 2 winter wheat, 11; No. 3 winter wheat, 1; mixed wheat, 2; No. 3 yellow corn, 2; No. 3 corn, 1; No. 4 corn, 2; No. 3 white oats, 1; No. 4 white oats, 5; No. 3 oats, 5; no grade oats, 5; No. 2 rye, 1; No. 3 barley, 1; No. 4 barley, 6; No. 1 feed barley, 7; No. 2 feed barley, 3; No. 1 northwestern flax, 1; No. 1 flax, 2.

Cars Inspected Out—No. 3 durum wheat, 1; No. 1 hard wheat, 8; No. 1 northern wheat, 160; No. 2 northern wheat, 14; No. 3 wheat, 5; No. 4 wheat, 11; no grade wheat, 1; mixed wheat, 1; No. 4 white oats, 4; No. 3 oats, 15; No. 2 rye, 3; No. 1 flax, 22.

WHEAT RECEIPTS BY ROADS, AUG. 21.

Cars—Milwaukee, 28; Omaha, 1; St. Louis, 7; Great Northern, 7; Great Western, 3; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 16; Soo Line, 1.

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RANGE OF WHEAT PRICE IN MINNEAPOLIS

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Today.	Close. Yesterday.	Close. Year Ago.
Sept..	$ .72⅜	$ .72⅝	$ .71½	$ .71½	$ .71¾@⅞	$ .85⅜@½
Dec....	.75½@¾	.73⅝	.72⅜@½	.72½	.73⅛	.82⅝
May...	.77½	.77⅝@¾	.76⅝	.76⅝	.77⅛@¼	.85⅞
Minneapolis Oats—						
Sept..	.27⅛	.27½	.27⅛	.27½	.27¼	....

THE DAY'S REPORTS

	Sept. Wheat. Close. Today.	Sept. Wheat. Close. Yesterday.	Dec. Wheat. Close. Today.	Dec. Wheat. Close. Yesterday.
Minneapolis	$ .71½	$ .71¾@⅞	$ .72½	$ .73⅛
Chicago	.70⅞	.71⅜	.73⅞	.74½
Duluth	.73⅛	.73⅜	.73¼	.73⅝
St. Louis	.68⅛	.68⅝	.71	.71⅝@¾
Kansas City	.64⅛	.64⅞@65	.67⅝@¼	.67⅝
New York	.78¾	.79¼	.81⅝	.81⅞
*Winnipeg	.72⅜	.72¾	.71⅞	.72⅛

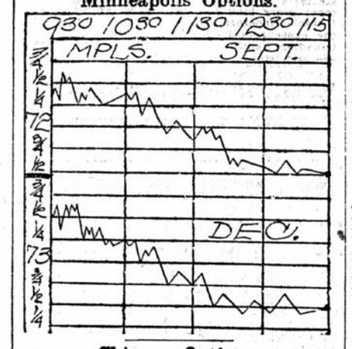
*October.

CLOSING CASH PRICES

On Track—No. 1 hard, 77⅜c; No. 1 northern, 76⅝c; No. 1 northern to arrive, new, 73½c; No. 2 northern, 74⅜c; No. 2 northern to arrive, new, 71⅝c; durum, 65½@67½c; No. 3 wheat, 72@73c; No. 3 white oats, new, 28⅛c; No. 2 rye, 50¾@51¾c; No. 1 flax, $1.13; No. 3 yellow corn, 47¼c; barley, 33c to 46c.

TODAY'S RANGE IN WHEAT

Minneapolis Options.



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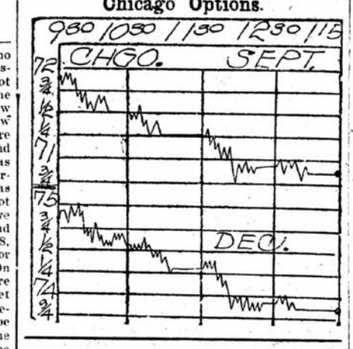

DAILY WHEAT MOVEMENT.

The following are the receipts and shipments at the principal primary wheat markets:

	Receipts. Bushels.	Shipments. Bushels.
New York	151,600	160,781
Philadelphia	37,990	24,000
Baltimore	27,374	192,000
Toledo	20,000	2,000
Detroit	3,000	.....
St. Louis	75,000	46,000
Boston	176,430	.....
Chicago	297,466	19,052
Milwaukee	15,840	.....
Duluth	12,384	.....
Minneapolis	63,000	106,000
Kansas City	139,000	40,000

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS, AUG. 21.

Received—Wheat, 63 cars, 63,000 bu; corn, 790 bu; oats, 23,400 bu; barley, 19,320 bu; flax, 1,700 bu; flour, 300 brls; millstuffs, 100 tons; hay, 60 tons; car lots, 129.

Shipped—Wheat, 106 cars, 106,000 bu; oats, 11,600 bu; barley, 25,650 bu; flax, 40,700 bu; flour, 59,891 brls; millstuffs, 1,453 tons; hay, 10 tons; linseed oil, 426,347 lbs; oil cake, 726,100 lbs; car lots, 553.

CHICAGO GRAIN

HIGHER CABLES AND WET WEATHER CREATE STRENGTH.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Higher cables and continued wet weather in the northwest created moderate strength today in the local wheat market. Demand was quite general, but offerings were light. September opened ½c higher, at 71⅛c, sold up to 71⅞c to 72c, and then reacted to 71⅝c. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 171 cars, against 404 cars last week and 108 cars a year ago. The close was weak, with September down ½c at 70⅞c.

Cash wheat, No. 2 red, 72¼@72¾c; No. 3 red, 71½@72¼c; No. 2 hard, 71¼@72c; No. 3 hard, 70¼@71½c; No. 2 northern, 74c to 76c; No. 3 spring, 72@75c.

Close: Wheat, September, 70⅞c; December, 73½c.

Small local receipts and firm cables had a strengthening effect on the corn market. Trading, however, was quiet. September opened ⅛c higher, at 48⅛c, sold at 48⅜c, and then advanced to 48⅝c. Local receipts were 76 cars, with 35 cars of contract grade.

The close was easy, with September off ⅛c at 48⅛c.

Cash corn, No. 2, 49½@49¾c; No. 3, 49¼@49½c.

Close: Corn, September, 48⅛c; December, 44c.

Oats were firm in sympathy with other grain. Business was confined largely to local traders. September opened ¼c higher, at 30c, and sold at 29⅞c. Local receipts were 152 cars.

Close: Oats, September, 129⅞c; December, 30⅞c.

The following was the range of prices:

Wheat—	September.	December.	May.
Opening	71⅛	74⅞	78⅝
Highest	71⅞@72	75	79
Lowest	70¾	73⅞	77⅞
Close—			
Today	70⅞	73⅞	78
Yesterday	71⅜	74½	78⅝
Year ago	80⅞	82½	85⅝
Corn—			
Opening	48½	44⅜@½	45¼@⅜
Highest	48⅝	44½	45⅜
Lowest	48	43⅞	44⅝
Close—			
Today	48¼	44	44⅞
Yesterday	48⅜	44⅛	45@45⅛
Year ago	53¾	44¾	43⅝@⅞
Oats—			
Opening	30	31⅛@¼	33¼
Highest	30	31¼	33¼@⅜
Lowest	29⅝	30⅞	32⅞@33
Close—			
Today	29¾	30⅞	33
Yesterday	29¾	31	33¼
Year ago	25¾@⅞	26⅝	28⅝

OTHER GRAIN MARKETS

DULUTH GRAIN, Aug. 22.—The wheat market was quiet and stronger early, but fell off toward noon. September opened ⅜c off, at 73¾c, sold at 74c, fell off to 73⅛c and closed there, a loss of ¼c. December fell ⅜c and May ⅝c. Old durum wheat gained 1c for No. 2; September and October advanced ½c for all grades. Flax started out firm, fell off 1c and then regained most of the loss. September opened unchanged, at $1.15¼, sold at $1.15½, fell to $1.14½ and closed unchanged at $1.15¼. October sold ½c up to $1.13¼, fell to $1.11¾, and closed unchanged at $1.12¾. November gained ½c and December ¼c. Coarse grains closed unchanged.

The close: Wheat, to arrive, old No. 1 northern, 77⅛c; old No. 2 northern, 75⅝c; on track, No. 1 northern, 77⅛c; No. 2 northern, 75⅝c; September, 73⅛c; October, 72¾c; December, 73¼c; May, 77⅝c; September durum, No. 1, 67c; No. 2, 63c; October durum, No. 1, 66½c; No. 2, 62½c; old durum, No. 1, 68c; No. 2, 65c. Flax, to arrrive, $1.16¼; on track, $1.16¼; September, $1.15¼; October, $1.12¾; November, $1.13; December, $1.11½. Oats, on track, 30c; new oats, to arrive, 28⅞c; August, 28¾c. Rye, 52c. Barley, 36@42c.

Cars inspected: Wheat 20, last year 7; corn, 1; oats, 7; rye, 4; barley, 25; flax 20, last year 1.

Receipts: Wheat, 12,384 bu; oats, 8,041 bu; rye, 3,371 bu; barley, 9,541 bu; flax, 20,631 bu. Shipments: Barley, 62,000 bu; flax, 22,028 bushels.

NEW YORK FLOUR AND GRAIN, Aug. 22.—Flour, receipts 12,633 brls, sales 1,500; steady, with a quiet trade. Wheat, receipts 131,600 bu; sales 1,100,000; at the opening wheat was higher on light receipts strength in the northwest and small stocks in the spring wheat states. Later the market yielded to realizing; September, 79⅝@79¾c; December, 82⅛@82 7-16c; May, 84⅞@85¼c. Rye, nominal; No. 2 western, 62c, c i f New York. Corn, receipts 13,950 bu, sales 5,000; firmer with wheat and on reports of hot weather west. September, 56½c.

MILWAUKEE FLOUR AND GRAIN, Aug. 22.—Flour, steady. Wheat, steady; No. 1 northern, 77@80c; No. 2 northern, 74@76½c; September, 70⅞c asked; puts, 70⅜@70½c asked; calls, 71¼@71⅝c asked. Rye, steady; No. 1, 58½@59c. Barley, dull; No. 2, 55@56c; sample, 38@54c. Oats, steady; standard, 31@32c. Corn, lower, No. 3 cash, 48½@49½c; September, 48⅛c bid; puts, 47⅞c asked; calls, 48⅛c asked.

ST. LOUIS GRAIN, Aug. 22.—Close—Wheat futures lower; cash firm; track, No. 2 red, cash, 70@71c; No. 2 hard, 69½@72c; September, 68@68⅛c; December, 71⅛c. Corn, firm; track, No. 2 cash, 47¾@48c; September, 46⅞c; No. 2 white, 50½c. Oats, firm; track, No. 2 cash, 31c; September, 30c; December, 31⅜c; No. 2 white, 32½c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN, Aug. 22.—August wheat opened at 75½c, closed at 75½c; October opened at 73c, closed at 72⅝c; December opened at 72⅛c, closed at 71⅞c; May opened at 77⅛c, closed at 76¾c. Cash close: No. 1 northern, 76c; No. 2 northern, 73½c; No. 3 northern, 68c; No. 2 white oats, 30½c; No. 3 barley, 39c; No. 1 flax, $1.03. Receipts of wheat, 22 cars; last year, 6; for the week, 248 cars; last year, 125.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN, Aug. 22.—Close—Wheat, September, 64½c; December, 67⅛c; May, 71⅛c; cash No. 2 hard, 67@70c; No. 3, 66@69c; No. 2 red, 67c; No. 3, 65½@66c. Corn, September, 43⅛c; December, 39⅝c; May, 40c; cash No. 2 mixed, 43¾c; No. 3, 43¾c; No. 2 white, 46½@46¾c; No. 3, 46½c. Oats, No. 2 white, 31½c; No. 3 mixed, 29½c.

CHICAGO SEEDS AND COARSE GRAIN, Aug. 22.—Rye, cash 57c; September, 56c. Barley, cash, 37½@52c; No. 2, September, 50@52c; No. 3, September, 43@44½c; feed barley, September, 36@37½c. Flax, nothing doing. Clover, nothing doing. Timothy, September, $3.95; October, $3.90@4; March, $4.05.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN, Aug. 22.—Wheat, spot, steady; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 10¾d; futures steady; September, 6s 2¼d; December, 6s 4d. Corn, spot, firm; American mixed, new, 4s 7½d; American mixed, old, 4s 8¼d; futures steady; September, 4s 2d; December, 4s 6⅞d; January, new, 4s 3¼d.

Omaha, Neb., wired: 'A fellow in here just now with an ear of corn that measures just 10½ inches long, filled right out to the end; it's dented and turning yellow; it's as big around as an Indian club."

New York wired to J. D. Fraser: 'No wheat business here except few loads of macaroni. We have to come back to old figures for winter wheat."

Charles E. Lewis, from T. J. Cassidy, Churches Ferry, N. D.: "Rollette county, around St. John, shows the crop immature and ten days late. Prospects of a yield of fifteen bushels. Cando and Tolena county and for twenty miles south will yield twenty bushels of fine quality. Harvesting just started. eWather fine."

STOCKS FALL BACK AS MONEY SOARS

ADVANCES CANCELED WHEN LOAN RATES ARE BOOSTED.

Demand for Hill Stocks Causes Rise at Opening, but Realizing Sales Bring Sharp Reaction—List Picks Up Slowly After Interval of Dullness.

New York, Aug. 22.—Opening prices in the stock market today showed great irregularity and there was a renewal of yesterday's late selling in certain stocks. After the first five minutes, however, the market began to rise vigorously under the influence of a heavy demand for the Hill stocks, Pennsylvania and Amalgamated Copper. Pennsylvania rose a point, Amalgamated 1¼, Great Northern preferred 4½ and Northern Pacific 6.

Materially higher prices were established before the inevitable realizing sales undermined the advance and caused sharp reactions. At the height of the buying Great Northern preferred had been up 9½ points to 327½, Anaconda 5, Colorado Fuel 2¼, St. Paul 2, and the Pacifics, Reading, Louisville & Nashville and Sugar 1 to 1½.

Business shrank decidedly when prices began to sag, the reaction reaching 4¾ points in Great Northern preferred, 4 in Anaconda, 3 in Northern Pacific and a point or thereabouts in most of the other stocks of any prominence. By 11 o'clock the market had become quite dull, but was rallying.

Little of interest occurred in the second hour's business and trading was the smallest of the week. A rise to 184 by Union Pacific held the list in check, but the general movement was unimportant. Bonds were steady at noon.

Higher rates for loans caused a spirited selling movement. Reading made a precipitate drop to 140, and some other stocks moved between 1 and 2 points above yesterday's closing, fell as much below. Practically all of the forenoon advances were canceled. North-Western preferred yielded 4 points, Delaware & Hudson 3½, Smelting and Brooklyn Transit 1½ and Atchison, Ontario & Western, Sugar and Lead 1. An interval of dullness set in afterwards and the list picked up slowly.

Speculative operations were restricted by the advance in money rates. Business was small until vigorous bidding for Union Pacific carried it to 184¼ and revived buying elsewhere.

Stock quotations reported for The Journal by Watson & Co., Chamber of Commerce, Minneapolis. Closing figures are bid.

Sales.	Stocks—	High-est.	Low-est.	Close— Bid. Aug 22	Close— Bid. Aug. 21
400	Am. Cot. Oil.	33⅜	33	33	32¾
do	pr	.....	.....	92½	93
4,500	Am. Car	40¾	40	40⅝	40⅛
300	do pr	.....	.....	101	100⅞
6,800	Am. Locomot.	71¼	70	70	69¾
do	pr	.....	.....	112½	112
200	Am. Woolen	38	37½	37½	38
do	pr	104	103½	103½	103¼
44,200	Am. Sugar	142	140	140¼	140⅞
do	pr	.....	.....	137½	137
69,500	Am. Smelting	.....	.....	158¼	160⅝
400	do pr	.....	.....	117½	118¼
116300	Amal. Cop	100½	107⅝	107¾	107¾
48,700	Anacon. Cop	274	267¾	269½	268½
65,600	At., T. & S. F	102½	101	101⅛	102½
400	do pr	101	100¾	100¾	101
9,000	Balt. & Ohio	118½	117¾	117¾	118½
do	pr	92½	92	92	92
7,500	Brook. R. T.	78½	76¾	77½	78
1,900	Can. Pacific	169¼	168½	168¾	169¼
3,700	Ches. & Ohio	62⅛	61⅛	61⅛	62
1,000	C. Gt. W.	19	18⅝	18⅞	19
300	do pr A	77⅞	77½	77½	77½
100	do pr B	.....	.....	27¾	28
100	CCC & StL	.....	.....	96	97⅝
53,200	Col. F. & I.	61	56⅞	57¼	.....
300	Col. Southern	37⅝	37½	37½	37¾
do	1st pr	.....	.....	70	70½
do	2d pr	.....	.....	51	51½
1,300	Consol. Gas	139⅞	139½	139½	139½
1,800	Del. & Hudson	221⅛	218	218	222
100	Del., L. & W.	510	500	500	500
1,600	D. & R. G.	44½	44	44¼	44⅝
do	pr	.....	.....	85¼	87
do	D., S. S. & A.	.....	.....	18⅛	18½
do	pr	.....	.....	38	39
21,300	Erie	46½	45	45	45⅞
300	do 1st pr	78	77½	77½	78⅝
100	do 2d pr	.....	.....	71	71¾
600	Gen. Electric	169½	169	169	169
27,500	G. N. pr	327½	317½	319½	318
600	Illinois Cent.	176	175½	175½	176
1,000	Iowa Central	30¾	30½	30½	30½
do	pr	.....	.....	52¾	53
500	Inter. Paper	.....	.....	19	19½
do	pr	.....	.....	84	84
700	K. C. & South	30	29½	29½	29½
do	pr	59½	59	59½	59½
21,000	Louis. & Nash	152½	150	150	150½
200	Manh. L. S. & S.	.....	.....	157	157
	Manhattan	.....	.....	148	148
	Met. St. Ry.	.....	.....	106	106
9 900	Missouri Pac.	97¾	96¾	96⅞	96½
13,300	M., K. & T.	36½	35⅝	35⅝	36½
2,200	do pr	71½	70⅞	70⅞	71
200	Mexican Cent.	.....	.....	21	21⅝
	Nat. Biscuit	.....	.....	67½	67½
2,100	Nat. Lead	80½	79	79	80
100	do pr	.....	.....	102	103
5,300	Norfolk & W.	92⅝	91¾	91¾	92½
do	pr	.....	.....	91	91
100	North Am. Co.	.....	.....	93¾	94½
41,800	Northern Pac.	219½	213	213	215
3,000	Northwestern	208½	207	207½	207½
7,400	N. Y. Central	143¾	141½	141½	143
1,000	Ontario & W.	48¾	47½	47⅝	48⅞
3,200	Pressed Steel	54¾	53¾	54½	54
do	pr	.....	.....	99½	98½
1,100	Pacific Mail	39½	38½	38⅝	38½
94,600	Penn. R. R.	143½	141½	141½	142¼
	People's Gas	.....	.....	91	90½
146700	Reading	142¾	138½	138⅝	141¼
300	do 1st pr	.....	.....	92½	92½
100	do 2d pr	.....	.....	91	94
11,100	Repub. Steel	31½	29¾	30¾	29½
5,500	do pr	101¾	100⅝	100¾	100½
7,500	Rock Island	27⅞	27½	27½	27⅝
700	do pr	66⅞	65⅞	65⅞	65¾
25,000	St. Paul	192⅞	190⅝	190¾	190¾
1,400	do pr	214	212	212	207
74,600	Southern Pac.	90¾	88⅝	89½	89⅝
do	pr	38⅞	38¼	38¼	38½
	Southern Ry.	38⅞	38¼	38¼	38¾
do	pr	.....	.....	99¾	99¾
	Tenn Coal & I	.....	.....	160½	161
1,900	Texas & Pac.	35	34¾	34¾	35
500	Twin C. R. T.	115⅞	114½	115	114½
185600	Union Pacific.	184⅛	181½	181⅝	181⅞
do	pr	.....	.....	94½	94½
1,000	U. S. Rubber.	47¾	46½	46¾	47½
346100	U. S. Steel.	46⅝	44⅛	45⅝	44½
36,800	do pr	108	106⅞	107⅝	107¼
300	Wabash	20¾	20½	20½	30⅞
3,700	do pr	47½	46½	46½	47⅜
600	Vr., Chemical.	40	39½	39½	39½
100	Western Union	.....	.....	91	91
	W. & L. E.	.....	.....	18½	18½
do	1st pr	.....	.....	40	40⅞
do	2d pr	.....	.....	24	24
400	Wis. Central	26⅝	26	26	26½
100	do pr	53	52½	52½	52½

Total sales, 1,563,900 shares.

Money opened at 5 per cent; high, 6 per cent; ruling rate, 5 per cent; closed at 3@3½ per cent.

MINING AND CURB STOCKS

Special to The Journal.

Boston, Aug. 22.—The copper market opened firm, but trading was dull, outside of activity in Amalgamated. The market continues broad, however, as about all the coppers were traded in, with prices holding steady.

Boston quotations at 1 p.m.:

American Dev. Co., 13@14; Adventure, 6@6¾; Allouez, 36¾; American Zinc, 9½@10; Arcadian, 2½@2¾; Arnold, 1 bid; Ashbed, 1 bid; Atlantic, 13½; Boston Consolidated, 13@14; Bingham, 33½; Bonanza, 50@55; Black Mountain, 83@89¼; Butte Exp., 26@3; Butte & London, 1½@2; Butte Coalition, 31½; Calumet & Hecla, 72½; Centennial, 25½; Copper Queen, 2 bid; Con. Mercur, 54@56; Calumet & Arizona, 113½; Copper Range, 77¼; Cumberland Ely, 8½@8¾; Con. L. & S., 29 asked; Daly West, 16½@17; Dem-Arizona, 20@22; East Butte, 9½@10; Elm River, 1½@2; Franklin, 18½; Granby, 12½; Guanajuato, 56@5¼; Greene Consolidated, 23; Helvetia, 6; Isle Royale, 20¾; Keweenaw, 13; Mass, 8½@9; Mayflower, 45@50; Mass Gas, 50½; Michigan, 13¼; Mohawk, 62; Montana Coal & Coke, 2⅝ bid; Nevada Consolidated, 18⅝; North Butte, 92⅛; Old Colony, 1@1¼; Old Dominion, 41½; Osceola, 110; Parrot, 25@27; Phoenix, 65@75; Superior & Pittsburg, 17; Pneumatic Service, 14½; Pneumatic Service preferred, 30⅞; Quincy, 92½; Raven, 88@89; Rhode Island, 4½@5; Santa Fe, 1¼@1½; Shannon, 9⅞; Shoe Machine, 81½@82; Shoe Machine preferred, 29¾@30; Swift, 103½@104; Tamarack, 97@100; Tecumseh, 12¼; Trinity, 9; United Copper, 65½; United Copper preferred, 90@100; U. S. Mining, 56½; U. S. Mining preferred, 46; Utah, 30⅞; Union Land, 26@3; United Fruit, 109⅝@110; Utah-Nevada, 3⅝@3¾; Victoria, 7½; Washington, 1 bid; Winona, 9; Wolverine, 153; Wyandot, 75@100; Warren Development Co., 12½ asked.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS, Aug. 22.—Consols for money, 87½; consols for account, 87 9-16; Anaconda, 14; Atchison, 105⅛; Atchison preferred, 105; Baltimore & Ohio, 122⅜; Canadian Pacific, 174¼; Chesapeake & Ohio, 64¼; Chicago Great Western, 20; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 198; De Beers, 18½; Denver & Rio Grande, 45¾; Den