Continued Evidence of Confidence in Wheat

Local Firm Buys Heavily and in Chicago a Much Better Tone Prevails.

Northwest Situation Remains Strong, with Very Little Wheat Moving.

Flour Shipments Best for Some Time—Local Wheat Stocks Decrease.

Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, Sept. 27.—Whallon was the principal buyer of wheat today. December wheat was bought in Chicago yesterday by Shearson, and a quantity was taken over there on "downs," making about 1,000,000 bu in all. Such commitment could hardly mean short covering since wheat has not been high enough to make this at all probable. It probably meant that the Shearson crowd in Chicago is adding to long wheat already held and the buying here this morning by Whallon tends to confirm it, since the two houses are closely connected. It was this support that held Minneapolis December just under 74c and turned it from early weakness to later firmness. The rumor of a tidal wave at New Orleans, altho mainly a stock market influence, was of interest to grain men, for the storm coming up from the gulf should bring rains over the Ohio valley and middle Mississippi valley tonight or tomorrow. For the northwest spring wheat territory the promise is for fair and somewhat warmer weather to come. The increased movement so long expected does not appear. Duluth had 165 cars durum wheat today and 115 cars spring, or only 280 in all against 407, while the Minneapolis run, tho carrying less macaroni wheat, some 40 cars appearing on the cash tables early, had only 296 in all against 580, while Chicago got only 39 against 47 and Winnipeg only 273 against 404. The winter wheat markets did no better, comparisons being 65,000 bu and 72,000 for St. Louis and 141,000 and 163,000 for Kansas City. With so little wheat coming in northwest, so large a proportion of it macaroni, Minneapolis elevator stocks decreasing and showing a loss of 350,000 bu for five days of this week and the flour mills sending out 73,483 brls, the largest single day's shipments so far on the new crop year, the situation was certainly favorable for full maintenance of price. It is this very thing that makes more bears and makes those who are already bears more stubborn, for the supply situation grows more acute the more certain they are that relief must come soon. Since the market has gone along almost to Oct. 1 without any relief it must come, they contend, before long, and any day now may see a big run of wheat. This is indeed probable. Monday next ought to see the beginning of a heavier movement and increases instead of decreases in local elevator stocks, but that this will break the prices severely as the bears expect is by no means certain. There has been improvement in the flour business and in foreign inquiry for our wheat in the past few days and it may be doubted whether prices will recede very much when more wheat does come in.

Liverpool was unchanged at first, but came ⅛@⅜d higher on later cables and closed ⅜@½d higher.

The Price Current says: "Corn safe from frost in principal corn states. Larger crop than last year of good qualitby probable. Early cutting for fodder indicated. Increased offerings of grain probable when fall work is completed. Pastures not uniformly good and rain needed in some sections to put ground in condition for sowing."

The Northwestern Miller says: "There was an increase in the Minneapolis flour output last week of 38,955 brls. The figures were the heaviest since Dec. 9. With a rising wheat market flour sales were increased. Probably sales were made in excess of the output. However, business was largely done at old prices. Domestic trade has some flour coming to it, and is willing to hold off and await developments. While most northwestern mills now have some accumulation of orders on their books, the volume of business so engaged in most cases does not compare with a year ago. Not much flour was sold for export during the week. A few moderate-sized lots of patent were worked to go to United Kingdom markets, and London took a little first clear."

Clearances, 384,000 bu, including 39,000 brls flour. Primary receipts, 1,060,000 bu against 1,359,000. Six loads were sold for export.

The weather forecast: Indiana, rain tonight and Friday except fair northwest, warmer; Illinois, fair north, rain south tonight, rain and warmer north on Friday; Missouri, rain except fair northwest; Iowa, fair and warmer tonight, partly cloudy and warmer Friday, with rain east and south; Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota, fair and warmer; Minnesota, partly cloudy and warmer; North Dakota, fair, warmer east and south, cooler Friday northwest; lower Michigan, fair tonight, fair north and rain south Friday.

THE FLOUR MARKET

LARGER SHIPMENTS AND BETTER GENERAL DEMAND.

Posted shipments were the largest of any day so far this season, and demand today was better, the promise being for continued larger sales from now on. Prices are firm as quoted. Shipments, 73,483 barrels.

First patents are quoted $4.20@4.30; second patents, $4.10@4.20; first clears, $3.25@4.35; second clears, $2.40@2.50; in wood, f o b Minneapolis.

THE CASH TRADE

MILLSTUFFS CHANGED—CORN AND OATS REMAIN STEADY.

FLAX—Receipts, 21 cars, against 11 a year ago; shipments, none; Duluth, none. Closing prices: Minneapolis, cash, $1.10¾; to arrive, $1.10¾.

CORN—No. 3 yellow corn closed at 44¾c. Receipts, 3 cars; shipments, 1 car.

OATS—No. 3 white oats closed at 31¾c. Receipts, 85 cars; shipments, 20 cars.

FEED AND COARSE MEAL—Coarse cornmeal and cracked corn, in sacks, sacks extra, $17@17.25; No. 1 ground feed, 2-3 corn and 1-3 oats, 75-lb sacks, sacks extra, $17.25@17.50; No. 2 ground feed, ½ corn and ½ oats, 80-lb sacks, sacks extra, $17.50@17.75; No. 3 ground feed, 1-3 corn and 2-3 oats, 70-lb sacks, sacks extra, $17.75@18.

MILLSTUFFS—The market is strong, especially for bran. Differentials have been changed owing to the increased cost of sacks and feed in 100s and 200s is relatively higher. Quotations are as follows: Bran, in bulk, $13.75; shorts, $14.75; middlings, $17.75; red dog in 140s, $21.25@21.50; feed in 200-lb sacks, $1.25 additional; in 100-lb sacks, $1.75 additional. Shipments for the day 1,970 tons.

RYE—No. 2 rye closed at 56¾@57c. Receipts, 6 cars; shipments, 2 cars.

BARLEY—Feed grades closed at 35@38c; malting grades, 39@47c. Receipts, 36 cars; shipments, 23 cars.

HAY—Receipts, 45 tons. Not much offered and the market firm. Timothy, choice, $12; No. 1 timothy, $11@11.50; timothy, No. 2, $9.50@10.50; timothy, No. 3, $8@9; prairie, choice, $11; prairie, No. 1, $10@10.50; prairie, No. 2, $9@10; prairie, No. 3, $7@8; midland, No. 1, $8@9; midland, No. 2, $6@7.50; no grade hay, $2.50@4.50; rye straw, No. 1, $5@5.50; rye straw, No. 2, $4.50@5; wheat or oat straw, $4@4.50; no grade straw, $2@3.

CASH SALES REPORTED TODAY.

No. 1 hard wheat, 1 car	$0.77¾
No. 1 hard wheat, 24 cars	.78
No. 1 hard wheat, 1 car	.78½
No. 1 hard wheat, 1 car	.78¼
No. 1 northern wheat, 46 cars	.76½
No. 1 northern wheat, 3 cars	.77¼
No. 1 northern wheat, 1 car, dockage	.78⅝
No. 1 northern wheat, 1 car	.78
No. 1 northern wheat, part car	.77
No. 1 northern wheat, 5,000 bu, to ar	.76¾
No. 1 northern wheat, 13,000 bu, to ar	.76¼
No. 2 northern wheat, 4 cars	.76⅛
No. 2 northern wheat, 46 cars	.76
No. 2 northern wheat, 1 car	.75½
No. 2 northern wheat, 1 car	.76½
No. 2 northern wheat, 2,000 bu, to ar	.74¾
No. 2 northern wheat, 5,000 bu, to ar	.74¼
No. 3 wheat, 1 car	.73¾
No. 3 wheat, 8 cars	.74½
No. 3 wheat, 6 cars	.74
No. 3 wheat, 1 car	.75
No. 3 wheat, 2 cars	.75½
No. 3 wheat, 1 car	.74¼
No. 3 wheat, 1 car	.74¾
No. 4 wheat, 1 car	.72
No. 3 wheat, 4 cars	.73
No. 4 wheat, 1 car	.73½
No. 4 wheat, 1 car, smutty	.75½
Rejected wheat, 1 car	.73
Rejected wheat, 1 car	.72
Rejected wheat, 1 car	.70
Rejected wheat, part car, mixed	.73
Rejected wheat, 1 car, heating	.76½
No grade wheat, 3 cars	.71
No grade wheat, 2 cars	.71½
No grade wheat, 1 car	.72
No grade wheat, 1 car	.75¼
No grade wheat, 1 car	.73
No grade wheat, 1 car	.70
No. 1 durum wheat, 3,000 bu to arrive	.63¾
No. 2 durum wheat, 1 car	.62⅝
No. 2 durum wheat, 5 cars	.63½
No. 2 durum wheat, 1 car	.64
No. 2 durum wheat, 2 cars, o w b	.63¼
No. 2 durum wheat, 4 cars	.63
No. 3 durum wheat, 1 car	.61½
No. 3 durum wheat, 1 car	.60½
No. 3 durum wheat, 2 cars	.61
No. 3 durum wheat, 1 car	.60
No grade durum wheat, 2 cars	.59
No. 3 white oats, 3 cars, to arrive	.31⅝
No. 3 white oats, 6 cars	.32
No. 3 white oats, 1 car, to arrive	.32
No. 3 white oats, 3,000 bu, to arrive	.31¾
No. 3 white oats, 12,000 bu, to arrive	.32
No. 4 white oats, 5 cars	.31⅝
No. 4 white oats, 4 cars	.31½
No. 3 oats, 1 car	.31¼
No. 3 oats, part car	.30
No. 3 oats, 2 cars	.29¾
No grade oats, 1 car, heating	.28¾
No grade oats, 1 car	.30¼
No grade oats, 1 car, warm	.29½
No grade oats, 2 cars	.29¾
No grade oats, 1 car	.30½
No grade oats, 1 car	.29
No. 2 rye, 3 cars	.59
No. 2 rye, 1 car	.58
No. 2 rye, 1,500 bu, to arrive	.58
No. 3 rye, 1 car	.55
No. 4 barley, 1 car	.44
No. 4 barley, 2 cars	.40¼
No. 1 feed barley, 4 cars	.41
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.39½
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.45
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.39
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.44
No. 1 feed barley, 4 cars	.40
No. 1 feed barley, 2 cars	.42
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.38½
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.37
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.37
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car	.42
No. 2 feed barley, 2 cars	.37
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car, heating	.35
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car	.36
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car	.40
No. 2 feed barley, 2 cars	.38
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car	.39
No grade barley, 1 car	.37
No grade barley, 1 car, heating	.35
No grade barley, 1 car	.34
No. 1 flaxseed, 3 cars	1.12½
No. 1 flaxseed, 1 car to arrive	1.11¼
No. 1 flaxseed, 3,000 bu to arrive	1.11¾
No. 1 flaxseed, 700 bu to arrive	1.12
No. 1 flaxseed, 2,000 bu to arrive	1.11½
No. 1 flaxseed, 1,000 bu to arrive	1.11¼
Pigeon grass seed, part car, cwt	7.00
Wild buckwheat, sacks, cwt	11.00

RANGE OF WHEAT PRICE IN MINNEAPOLIS

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Today.	Close. Yesterday.	Close. Year Ago.
Sept...	$ .73½	$ .74⅜	$ .73½	$ .74½	$ .73½	$ .82
Dec...	.74⅛	.74¾	.73⅞	.74½	.74	.82⅞
May...	.78¼	.78⅞	.78	.78⅝	.78⅛	.85⅞
Minneapolis Oats—						
Sept...	.30⅜	.30¾	.30⅜	.30¾	.30¼	....
May...	.33⅝	.33⅝	.33½	.33½	.33⅝	....

THE DAY'S REPORTS

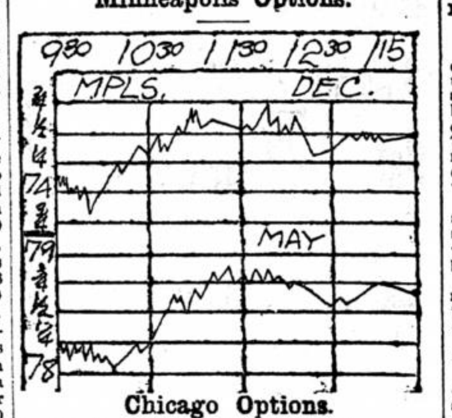
	—Dec. Wheat— Close. Today.	Close. Yesterday.	—May Wheat.— Close. Today.	Close. Yesterday.
Minneapolis	$ .74½	$ .74	$ .78⅝	$ .78⅛
Chicago	.75⅝	.75	.79⅝	.78⅞
Duluth	.75⅛	.74½	....	.78½
St. Louis	.73½	.72¾	.77⅝	.77
Kansas City	.68⅝	.68	.72½	.71⅞
New York	.83	.82½	.85⅜	.84⅞
Winnipeg	.72⅞	....	.77⅝	....

CLOSING CASH PRICES

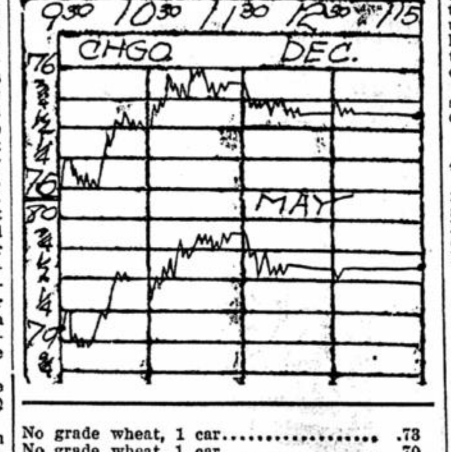
On Track—No. 1 hard, 78¼c; No. 1 northern, 77¾c; No. 1 northern to arrive, 76½c; No. 2 northern, 76¼c; No. 2 northern to arrive, 74½c; No. 3 wheat, 74¼@75c; durum, 64¼c; No. 3 white oats, 31¾c; No. 2 rye, 56¾@57¾c; No. 1 flax, $1.10¾; No. 3 yellow corn, 44¾c; barley, 35c to 47c.

TODAY'S RANGE IN WHEAT

Minneapolis Options.



Chicago Options.



PUTS AND CALLS.

Puts—December wheat, 74¼c.
Calls—December wheat, 74⅝c.
Curb—December wheat, 74½c.

STATE GRAIN INSPECTION SEPT. 26.

Inspected In—Wheat—Cars—Great Northern—No. 1 hard, 22; No. 1 northern, 15; No. 2 northern, 12; No. 3, 6; No. 4, 2; no grade, 3.

Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, 5; No. 2 northern, 17; No. 3, 9; No. 4, 2; rejected, 4; no grade, 5.

Minneapolis & St. Louis—No. 3, 1; No. 4, 1; no grade, 1.

Soo Line—No. 1 hard, 15; No. 1 northern, 21; No. 2 northern, 8; No. 3, 6; No. 4, 1; no grade, 2.

Northern Pacific—No. 1 hard, 2; No. 1 northern, 6; No. 2 northern, 4; No. 3, 1.

Other Grains—Cars—No. 1 durum wheat, 2; No. 2 durum wheat, 18; No. 3 durum wheat, 5; No. 4 durum wheat, 1; No. 2 winter wheat, 5; No. 3 winter wheat, 5; rejected winter wheat, 34; mixed wheat, 1; No. 3 corn, 3; No. 3 white oats, 8; No. 4 white oats, 14; No. 3 oats, 10; no grade oats, 2; No. 2 rye, 4; No. 3, rye, 1; no grade rye, 1; No. 4 barley, 2; No. 1 feed barley, 18; No. 2 feed barley, 15; no grade feed barley, 2; No. 1 northwestern flax, 2; No. 1 flax, 7; rejected flax, 5.

Cars Inspected Out—No. 1 durum wheat, 1; No. 2 durum wheat, 11; No. 3 durum wheat, 1; No. 4 durum wheat, 2; No. 1 hard wheat, 84; No. 2 northern wheat, 28; No. 3 wheat, 1; No. 4 wheat, 1; rejected wheat, 2; no grade wheat, 2; No. 3 white oats, 7; No. 3 oats, 13; no grade oats, 12; no grade freed barley, 1; No. 2 rye, 1; No. 3 rye, 1; No. 1 flax, 22.

DAILY WHEAT MOVEMENT.

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

	Receipts. Bushels.	Shipments. Bushels.
New York	190,800	15,997
Philadelphia	16,082	4,000
Baltimore	11,468	......
Toledo	13,000	2,900
Detroit	1,401	1,392
St. Louis	65,000	49,000
Chicago	38,000	12,142
Milwaukee	34,820	1,760
Duluth	450,080	378,452
Minneapolis	307,840	49,440
Kansas City	141,000	150,000

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS, SEPT. 26.

Received—Wheat, 296 cars, 307,840 bu; corn, 2,700 bu; oats, 57,750 bu; barley, 42,120 bu; rye, 5,220 bu; flax, 22,260 bu; flour, 850 brls; millstuffs, 50 tons; hay, 90 tons; carlots, 413.

Shipped—Wheat, 48 cars, 49,440 bu; corn, 2,240 bu; oats, 85,680 bu; barley, 50,810 bu; rye, 1,190 bu; flax, 25,300 bu; flour, 73,483 brls; millstuffs, 1,649 tons; hay, 20 tons; linseed oil, 968,333 lbs; oil cake, 637,690 lbs; carlots, 616.

WHEAT RECEIPTS BY ROADS, SEPT. 26.

Milwaukee, 75 cars; Omaha, 15; St. Louis, 4; Great Northern, 86; Northern Pacific, 3; Great Western, 29; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 4; Soo line, 72; Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, 8.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN

KANSAS CITY GRAIN, Sept. 27.—Close: Wheat, September, 66⅞c; December 68¾c; May, 72⅝c; cash, No. 2 hard, 69@69½c; No. 3, 68@70c; No. 2 red, 70c; No. 3, 68@69½c. Corn, Septeber, 42½c; December, 38⅛c; May, 38¾c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 43¼@43½c; No. 2 white, 45½c.

CHICAGO GRAIN

FIRM CABLES AND SMALL RECEIPTS HAVE STEADYING EFFECT ON WHEAT.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Firm cables and small receipts in the northwest had a steadying effect today on the local wheat market. Pit traders and commission houses were moderate buyers, but trading was not of large volume. December opened unchanged to ¼c higher at 75@75¼c, and for a time held within the opening range. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 615 cars against 523 cars last week and 1,034 cars a year ago.

Later active buying by several large commission houses started covering by shorts and resulted in a sharp rally. December advanced to 76c. The market closed strong, with December up ⅝c at 75⅝c.

Cash wheat, No. 2 red, 74½@74¾c; No. 3 red, 71@74c; No. 2 hard, 73½@77c; No. 3 hard, 73@75c; No. 1 northern, 81@84c; No. 2 northern, 78@82c; No. 3 spring, 71@81c.

Close: Wheat, September, 73¼c; December, 75⅝c.

Despite small local receipts, sentiment in the corn pit was rather bearish and prices showed slight declines. The continued excellent weather induced considerable selling by several of the leading commission houses. December opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 43⅛@43¼c, and held within that range during the early part of the day. Local receipts were 390 cars, 211 contract grade.

The market held steady the remainder of the session. After selling at 43⅜c, the December option closed a shade lower at 43⅛@43¼c.

Cash corn, No. 2, 47½c; No. 3, 47¼@47½c.

Close: Corn, September, 47⅝c; December, 43⅛@43¼c.

Oats were easy in sympathy with the bearish feeling in the corn market. The market was also affected by larger receipts than expected. December opened a shade lower to a shade higher at 34½@34⅝c, and sold off to 34⅜@34½c. Local receipts were 275 cars.

Cash oats, No. 2, 33@33½c.

Close: Oats, September, 34⅛@34¼c; December, 34⅝c.

The following was the range of prices:

Wheat—	Sept.	Dec.	May.
Opening	72⅞	75@75¼	79¼@¼
Highest	73½	76	79¾
Lowest	72⅝	75	78⅞
Close—			
Today	73½	75⅝	79⅝
Yesterday	72⅝	75	78⅞
Year ago	85¼	85⅝@⅞	87⅝@½
Corn—			
Opening	48	43⅛@¼	43⅝@⅝
Highest	48	43⅜	43⅝
Lowest	47⅝	43⅛	43⅝
Close—			
Today	47⅝	43⅛	43⅝
Yesterday	48	43⅛	43⅞
Year ago	51½	45⅞@46	44⅝@½
Oats—			
Opening	34½	34⅝@½	35⅝@½
Highest	34⅝	34⅝	35⅝
Lowest	34⅛	34⅛	35½
Close—			
Today	34⅛	34⅝	35½
Yesterday	34⅛	34⅛	35⅝
Year ago	27⅛	28½	30½

OTHER GRAIN MARKETS

DULUTH GRAIN, Sept. 27.—Wheat had a stronger tone today and exporters sold a little to go abroad. This market was active. December opened ⅛c up at 74⅝c, sold at 75⅛@75½c and closed ⅝c up at 75⅛c. September advanced the same and May ½c. Durum wheat showed a loss of ½c for October No. 2 and November No. 1 and 1c for November, No. 2 being unchanged. otherwise. Spring wheat advanced ¼c to 2c over December for No. 1 northern to arrive and 1¾c over for on track. Flax was active but weaker. Receipts today were somewhat larger, and this offset a firmer foreign tendency. October opened unchanged at $1.13¼, sold at $1.13⅜ and fell to $1.12, closing there, a loss of 1¼c. September and November fell 1c and December 1½c.

The close: Wheat, No. 1 hard on track, 78⅛c; to arrive, No. 1 northern, 76⅞c; No. 2 northern, 75⅝c; on track, No. 1 northern, 77⅛c; No. 2 northern, 75⅝c; September, 76⅝c; October, 76⅝c; December, 75⅛c; May, 79c; September durum, No. 1 67c, No. 2 65c; October durum, No. 1 67c, No. 2 64½c; durum on track, No. 1 67c, No. 2 64½c; November durum No. 1 66⅜c, No. 2 64¼c; flax to arrive, $1.12½; flax on track, $1.13½; September, $1.13½; October, $1.12; November, $1.12; December, $1.10¼; January, $1.10½; May, $1.13⅛; oats to arrive, 33c; September, 33c; rye, 56c; barley, 37@45c.

Cars inspected: Wheat, 280, last year 407; corn, 2; oats, 22; rye, 2; barley, 46; flax, 47. Receipts: Wheat, 450,088 bu corn, 2,360; oats, 34,493; barley, 62,835; rye, 2,017; flax, 61,252; Shipments: Wheat, 378,452; barley, 223,608; flax, 81,550.

NEW YORK FLOUR AND GRAIN, Sept. 27.—Flour, receipts, 16,074 brls; sales, 1,500 brls; steady to firm with a moderate trade; Minnesota patents, $4.15@4.40. Wheat, receipts, 190,800 bu; sales, 750,000 bu; on firmer cables, commission house buying and small northwest receipts, wheat was more active and higher this morning; December, 82⅝@82 13-16c; May, 84⅞@85⅛c. Rye firm; No. 2 western, 68½c c i f New York. Corn, receipts, 45,150 bu; market was without transactions.

MILWAUKEE FLOUR AND GRAIN, Sept. 27.—Flour, steady. Wheat, steady; No. 1 northedn, 79@81c; No. 2 northern, 76@79c; December, 75c; puts, 75¼c asked; calls, 76c bid. Rye, firmer; No. 1, 63½@63¾c. Barley, firm; No. 2, 55c; sample, 38@54c. Oats, firm; standard, 34½@35c. Corn, easier; No. 3 cash, 43½@47c; December, 43⅛c bid; puts, 43c asked; calls, 43¼c asked.

WINNIPEG GRAIN, Sept. 27.—September opened at 74½c, closed at 75¼c; October, 74¼c, closed 74¾c; December, 72¼c, closed 72⅞c; May, 76⅝c, closed 77⅝c. Cash close: No. 1 hard, 76½c; No. 1 northern, 75c; No. 2 northern, 73c; No. 3 northern, 69¼c; No. 2 white oats, 33½c; No. 3 barley, 39c; No. 1 flax, $1.08. Receipts, wheat, 273 cars, last year 404.

ST. LOUIS GRAIN, Sept. 27.—Close: Wheat, higher; track No. 2 red, cash, 74@75c; No. 2 hard, 71@74c; December, 73½c; May, 77⅝c. Corn, weak; track No. 2 cash, December, 40⅞@41c asked; May, 41⅝c. Oats, firm; track No. 2 cash, 34c; December, 34⅝c bid; May, 35⅝c asked; No. 2 white, 35@35½c.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN, Sept. 27.—Wheat, spot, firm; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 10½d; futures, firm; September, 6s 3½d; December, 6s 5⅛c; March, 6s 5⅞d. Corn, spot, firm; American mixed, 5s; futures, steady; December, 4s 6½d; January, new, 4s 1½d.

CHICAGO SEEDS AND COARSE GRAIN, Sept. 27.—Rye, cash, 64c. Barley, cash, 38@55c. Timothy. October, $3.95. Flax and clover, nothing doing.

GOSSIP OF THE MARKETS

Poehler says: "Good weather from now on and larger wheat receipts may be expected. For a short time this may bring about enough short selling and selling out of long wheat by weak holders to cause decline. The situation, however, is such that on any good decline there will be enough investment buying to check it, and later on start prices on the road to a higher level than has been reached on this crop year."

Six loads of wheat reported sold for export.

Estimated Argentine wheat shipments, 400,000 bu; corn, 1,600,000 bu.

Verhoeff, from Milmine—Steadiness in wheat, due to lack of speculative interest. Feel rather bullish on the big demand for all commodities.

Watson, from Chicago—Buying of wheat by local traders has been in the May option. The crowd is long the December, and I expect it to widen out on either a bull or bear market.

New York to Whallon—Bears are hammering the stock market on the political outlook. They do not seem to be so sure of the result.

Lewis from Chicago: "It is reported that a Chicago house sold nine loads of wheat via Galveston."

Randolph, New York, to Piper: "Traders all hammering market on Hearst's nomination. I think Hughes will win in a walk, but public don't seem to realize it yet, and the market's position has been temporarily weakened."

Antwerp flax 2½c higher, London ⅜d lower.

Antwerp wheat unchanged.

Liverpool wheat closed ⅜@½d higher, corn ⅛d higher.

Berlin ¾c lower.

Oats dull without much trade.

Provisions easier with hogs.

Corn about where it closed with very little doing.

Watson from New York: Rumor of disaster in New Orleans spread and affected the market.

Winnipeg weather: Clear and cool, 60 above.

The weather map shows it generally clear over the grain belt except in Ohio valley, where there are general rains. Frost reported at Sioux City, Iowa, and Concordia, Kan.

Piper, from New York: Market was very strong until the report was circulated that New Orleans had been inundated. While there was some recovery following the announcement that the report was untrue, the majority of the list sagged again to the low levels.

Watson says: Eliminating the unicipal ownership and socialistic planks from the deocratic platfor is considered a favorable feature in the political situation.

Total clearances: Wheat 208,000 bu, flour 39,000 brls, corn 158,000 bu, oats 52,000 bu; wheat and flour equal 384,000 bu.

Thompson, N. D., to C. E. Lewis: Threshing three-quarters done. Returns very disappointing. State averaged not over 12 bu wheat. Minnesota same. South Dakota can't say.

Give us orders to sell to arrive on the bulges.

C. C. WYMAN & CO.

DULUTH. GRAIN COMMISSION. MINNEAPOLIS

STORM REPORTS AFFECT MARKET

AGGRESSIVE SELLING FOLLOWS DISTURBANCES ON GULF.

The Market Opens with Average Gain of a Fraction—Transcontinentals Show Strength—But Speculative Enthusiasm Is Dashed by Storm Reports.

New York, Sept. 27.—A fraction measured the average of gains shown by the opening prices. The excess over the average was in a few specialties. Anaconda rose 2, National Railroad of Mexico preferred 1⅜, Brooklyn Transit 1⅛, Colorado Fuel and Distillers' Securities 1, Reading ⅞, and Canadian Pacific, Amalgamated Copper, Consolidated Gas and United States Rubber ¾. Business was on a small scale.

Some selling orders followed the opening rise, but effective buying of various specialties strengthened the market before much damage had been done to prices. Reading was the center of large speculative operations and its influences were rather widespread. The general transcontinental group showed strength, particularly Canadian Pacific and its affiliated roads. After the list had sold quite generally well above yesterday's closing, aggressive selling was renewed on reports of a severe storm in the gulf regions. The advances referred to a movement to 2½ in Reading and United States Rubber, 2 in Canadian Pacific and Allis-Chalmers preferred, 1¼ to 1½ in St. Paul, Pacific Coast and Knickerbocker Ice and 1 in Union Pacific, Great Northern preferred, Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western and Lead. The selling caused a loss of 1 in Southern Pacific and Atlantic Coast Line, 1¾ in Louisville & Nashville, with an imediate recovery, and 2½ in Northern Pacific. Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha dropped 6 points.

The drive against the market on reports of storm damage in the southern states dashed speculative enthusiasm for a time. The general list was carried a fraction below last night and Missouri Pacific, Chicago & Alton and People's Gas 1. Reading lost all of its gain but rallied quite strongly. The general rally halted at about last night's level and dealing fell to small dimensions. Consolidated Gas rose 1½. Bonds were steady.

Amalgamated Falls.

Selling orders became abundant again, especially in Amalgamated Copper, which made precipitate decline to 111. The list generally sold under the low price of the morning, but not to a marked extent. Reading improved later to 147, but the rest of the market hung back. A feature of trading was a drop of 10 points in Bethlehem Steel preferred from the loss of 4 points yesterday. Other losses included a point in Atchison, St. Paul preferred, Pennsylvania and Locomotive. American Car was active and 1½ higher, Knickerbocker Ice and American Ice Securities 1.

Violent Selling.

A violent selling movement commenced at 1:30 which drove the list down rapidly. All of the stocks that figure in active speculative operations suffered severely. Anaconda broke 3¾, St. Paul 3¼, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Missouri Pacific, Kansas City Southern preferred and Amalgamated Copper 2, Great Northern preferred 1¾ and New York Central, Baltimore & Ohio, Erie, United States Steel, Bethlehem Steel and Smelting 1 to 1⅜. These losses had been reduced somewhat by 2 o'clock when a rally was in progress.

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

Sales.	Stocks—	High-est.	Low-est.	—Closing— Bid. Sept27	Bid. Sept26
2,400	Am. Cot. Oil.	34⅝	34	34¼	34¼
	do pr	......	......	93	93
28,900	American Car.	45½	43⅛	45⅛	43⅞
300	do pr	100½	100	100	100½
2,200	Am. Locomot.	73¾	72⅝	72¾	73⅞
	do pr	......	......	111	112
900	Am. Woolen	......	......	35¾	36
	do pr	......	......	104	104
3,500	Am. Sugar	135½	134⅛	134⅝	135
3,600	Am. Smelting	155	153⅛	153⅞	154½
	do pr	115¼	115	115	115¼
139500	Amal. Copper.	113	110⅛	110⅞	112⅛
14,400	Anacon. Cop.	286	280½	281	283½
29,700	A., T. & S. F.	106⅝	104⅛	105⅛	105⅞
100	do pr	......	......	100⅜	100⅜
21,000	Balt. & Ohio.	122⅜	120⅞	121½	122⅛
	do pr	......	......	90	91
	Brook. R. T.	78⅛	76	76½	75½
9,800	Can. Pacific.	181⅝	180¼	180⅞	179⅝
2,300	Ches. & Ohio.	63½	62½	63	62¾
200	Chi. Gr. W.	17½	17⅜	17½	17⅜
	do pr A.	......	......	73½	73½
	do pr B.	......	......	26	26
	C., C., C. & St.L	......	......	92¼	92½
8,900	Col. Fuel & I	55½	53	53¾	54¾
	Col. Southern.	36⅞	35½	36⅝	36½
	do 1st pr.	......	......	67½	67
	do 2d pr.	......	......	50½	50
1,100	Consol. Gas	139½	138½	138½	137½
1,000	Del. & Hud.	223½	221	221	221
	Del., L. & W.	......	......	525	525
600	Den. & Rio Gr	43	42½	42¼	42¾
	do pr	......	......	85	85¼
	D., S. S. & A	......	......	18½	18½
	do pr	39	37¾	37¾	38
11,600	Erie	46⅞	45½	45¾	46⅝
200	do 1st pr.	77	76¾	76¾	77
100	do 2d pr.	......	......	69	69¾
100	Gen. Electric	......	......	165	165
3,100	Great Nor., pr	330	325	325	329
600	Illinois Cent.	173½	172½	172½	172¼
	Iowa Cent	......	......	29½	29½
	do pr	50⅛	50	50	50
200	Inter. Paper	......	......	17¼	17¼
	do pr	......	......	80	81
	K. C. & South.	......	......	27	27½
	do pr	58	56	57	58
6,700	Louis. & Nash.	148¼	145¾	146¾	147½
	M., St.P. & Soo	......	......	150½	152¼
100	Manhattan	......	......	142	141½
	Met. St. Ry.	......	......	105	103½
	Minn. & St.L.	......	......	74	74
	do pr	......	......	97	97
5,700	Missouri Pac.	97½	95⅜	96	97
5,500	M., K. & T.	35¾	35¼	35¼	35½
100	do pr	......	......	69	70
300	Mex. Cent	......	......	20½	20¾
600	Nat. Biscuit	69¼	68¾	68¾	69
3,800	Nat. Lead	79½	77⅞	79	78¾
	do pr	......	......	101½	101½
11,300	Norfolk & W.	95¼	94¼	94¾	94
	do pr	......	......	90¾	90¾
300	North Am. Co.	......	......	91½	91½
9,600	Northern Pac.	211⅛	208½	209	210¼
800	No.-Western	......	......	206⅛	207¼
2,100	N. Y. Central	141⅜	140	140	140⅝
200	Ontario & W.	48¼	48	48	48
28,900	Pressed Steel.	54½	53¾	54	53¾
	do pr	......	......	97½	97½
600	Pacific Mail	......	......	37	37¼
35,400	Penn. R. R.	141¾	140	140¾	141¼
1,500	People's Gas.	89⅞	88¾	88¾	89½
842700	Reading	148¼	145⅛	146⅛	145⅞
	do 1st pr.	......	......	89¼	89¼
	do 2d pr.	......	......	97	98
2,000	Repub. Steel.	37	36¼	36⅝	36½
1,400	do pr	98½	97¼	97½	98¼
1,200	Rock Island.	26¾	26¼	26¼	26¾
2,700	do pr	65½	65	65	65⅛
23,800	St. Paul	176¼	171¾	173¼	174¾
	do rights.	......	......	16¾	16⅛
	do pr	......	......	193½	194
136200	Southern Pac.	97	94⅝	95⅜	96¾
7,100	Southern Ry.	36¼	35½	35¾	35¼
100	do pr	......	......	97	96½
	T. C. & I.	......	......	155	155
3,900	Texas & Pac.	88	36⅞	37¼	37⅝
100	T. C. R. T.	......	......	114	114
156100	Union Pacific.	185½	182½	183⅝	184⅝
	do pr	......	......	92	92
9,200	U. S. Rubber.	58	55½	56¼	55
	do pr	110¾	110	110¼	110
	U. S. Steel.	45⅛	43⅝	43⅞	44¾
	do pr	106⅜	105½	105⅞	106¼
300	Wabash	19¾	19½	19¾	19¾
2,200	do pr	44	43¾	43¾	43¾
500	Va. Chemical.	......	......	38½	39
	do pr	......	......	110¾	110⅞
300	Western Union	86¼	86	86	86
	W. & L. E.	......	......	18	18
	do 1st pr.	......	......	39	39
	do 2d pr.	......	......	22⅜	22¼
100	Wis. Central.	......	......	23¾	23¾
100	do pr	......	......	48½	48½

Total sales, 1,423,900 shares.

Money on call opened at 5 per cent; high, 8 per cent; low, 4 per cent; closed at 5 per cent.

MINING AND CURB STOCKS

Specials to The Journal.

Anaconda, Sept. 27.—At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Anaconda Copper Mining company held here yesterday, the action of the directors relative to settlement of suits between the company and the United Copper company and Heinze interests was fully ratified and confirmed. The proposition to sell the 5-36 interest in the Nipper mine, which is owned by the Anaconda, to the Butte Coalition company, was unanimously adopted. The further proposition for the sale of the Boston & Montana Mining company of the Sullivan and the Snowbird claims for $100,000 was also adopted.

Boston, Sept. 27.—The copper market opened strong and active with the trading quite broad. Franklin was the early feature. Butte and North Butte were also strong and active. Shannon continues to be well bought with higher prices talked for it. When the New York market turned weak coppers became dull with no pressure to sell. The rest of the list, while dull, had a firm undertone. The curb market was dull and without feature. Prices fractionally lower.

Boston quotations at 1 p.m., reported by Logan & Bryan, 409 Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce. Arizona Commercial, 36½@37½; American Development Company, 12@13; Adventure, 6½; Alloues, 36; Apex, 8⅜@8½; American Zinc, 14½; Alice, 4 bid; Arcadian, 5¼; Arnold, 1⅛@1½; Ashbed, 1⅛@1½; Atlantic, 11¼@11½; Boston Consolidated, 32⅝; Bingham, 34½; Bonanza, 60@70; Black Mountain, 8¾@9¼; Butte Express, 3 bid; Butte & London, 2⅝@2⅝; Butte Coalition, 38⅜; Calumet & Hecla, 795; Centennial, 26; Copper Queen, 2 asked; Consolidated Mercur, 59; Calumet & Arizona, 119¼; Cananea Central, 18⅜@19; Copper Range, 47¾; Cumberland-Ely, 102½@102⅝; Dominion Iron & Steel, 30 asked; Daly West, 17½; Daly-Davis, 9⅜@9¾; Denn-Arizona, 21 asked; East Butte, 10@10⅛; Elm River, 7¾; Franklin, 25¼; Granby, 13⅛; Globe, 7 asked; Guanajuato, 5 asked; Green Consolidated, 26¼; Helvetia, 6¼@6½; Hancock, 7¾@8; Isle Royale, 20½@21; Keweenaw, 11½@12; Mass, 9¼; Mayflower, 70@100; Mass Gas, 59¼@59¾; Michigan, 14; Mohawk, 62½; Montana Coal & Coke, 2½ asked; Nevada Consolidated, 19½; North Butte, 98⅝; Old Colony, 1½; Old Dominion, 50½; Osceola, 116¼; Parrot, 27; Phoenix, 1@1¼; Superior & Pittsburg, 19@20; Pneumatic Service, 14¾; Pneumatic Service preferred, 31⅝; Quincy, 96½; Raven, 83@88; Rhode Island, 5½; Santa Fe, 2½; Shannon, 12⅝; Shoe Machinery, 80@80½; Shoe Machinery preferred, 29⅜@29⅝; Swift, 116¼; Superior Copper, 15@17; Tamarack, 93@98; Tecumseh, 14⅝; Troy, Man., 1⅝@1¾; Trinity, 11⅝; United Copper, 67; U. S. Mining, 60⅜ bid; U. S. Mining preferred, 47⅜; Utah Copper, 33½ bid; Union Land, 2@3; United Fruit, 109½@110; Utah-Nevada, 4⅛@5⅛; Victoria, 6⅜; Washington, 1½ asked; Winona, 8½; Wolverine, 147@148; Wyandot, 1⅛ bid; Warren Development Co., 14 asked.

STEEL MILLS RUSHED

CONTINUED DEMAND FROM RAILROADS AND USERS OF STRUCTURAL MATERIAL.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 27.—The Iron Review says: The wonderful prosperity of the iron and steel industries is shown in a most impressive manner by the increasing difficulty of obtaining adequate supplies of semi-finished material to meet the unprecedented requirement of the mills. The tremendous demand for crude steel is due to pressure for delivery on contracts and also to the large number of orders in prospect. The buying by railroads continues to be a prominent feature of the market, and several hundred thousand tons of plates will be required for the construction of rolling stock just ordered.

There is considerable activity in the pig iron market in some centers, but very heavy buying can hardly be expected at present. Very high prices are being asked for prompt delivery. An advance of $1 per ton on all wire products has naturally followed the tremendous demand of the past three months. The principal producer has a greater tonnage on his books than ever before, and independents are well supplied with orders. The largest contract yet received for the rebuilding of San Francisco developed this week in an order for 5,000 tons of structural material for the rebuilding of the Palace hotel.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS, Sept. 27.—Consols for money, 86 7-16c; consols for account, 86½; Anaconda, 14¾; Atchison, 109¾; Atchison preferred, 105; Baltimore & Ohio, 126½; Canadian Pacific, 187¾; Chesapeake & Ohio, 65⅝; Chicago Great Western, 18¾; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 181; De Beers, 18½; Denver & Rio Grande, 44¼; Denver & Rio Grande preferred, 88⅝; Erie, 48⅝; Erie first preferred, 79⅜; Erie second preferred, 72½; Illinois Central, 179; Louisville & Nashville, 153; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 37; New York Central, 146; Norfolk & Western, 98¼; Norfolk & Western preferred, 94; Ontario & Western, 49½; Pennsylvania, 73¼; Rand Mines, 6⅛; Reading, 75⅞; Southern Railway, 37⅝; Southern Railway preferred, 101; Southern Pacific, 97⅝; Union Pacific, 191¼; Union Pacific preferred, 97; United States Steel, 46⅜; United States Steel preferred, 110; Wabash, 20½; Wabash preferred, 46½; Spanish fours, 99½.

Bar silver steady, 31 7-16d per ounce.

Money, 4@5 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills and for three months bills is 4¼@4⅜ per cent.

Americans showed irregular movements at the opening, but were supported to a fraction over parity during the forenoon. Canadian Pacific was again favored. Later the market moved irregularly on receipt of the New York opening prices, accompanied by the reports of floods at New Orleans. But prices hardened during the last hour and closed steadier.

LONDON STOCKS, Sept. 27.—American securities opened firm and ⅛ to ⅝ higher today. The advance was led by Union Pacific and Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe.

ARIZONA COPPERS.

The curb market was not very active today. There was no feature in the market during the morning's trading. Superior & Pittsburg was in demand at $19.50, and Cananea Central at $18.50. It is noticeable that those who wish to buy these two stocks have to bid the asked prices for them or they are not to be had. Globe has fluctuated between $6.50 and $6.75 all morning, and is the former price bid this noon. The public is interested and is picking up bargains whenever offered.

Quotations at 1 p.m.:

	Bid.	Asked.
Calumet & Arizona	$118.00	$119.00
Superior & Pittsburg	19.50	20.00
American Dev. Co.	14.00	15.00
Warren Dev. Co.	13.50	14.50
Denn-Arizona Dev. Co.	19.50	20.50
Black Mountain	8.50	9.00
Globe Consolidated	6.50	6.75
Cananea Central	17.78	19.12
Butte Coalition	38.00	38.25
Butte & London	2.25	2.87
East Butte	9.75	10.25
Keweenaw	11.75	12.25
Helvetia	6.25	6.50

ACTIVE BONDS AND CURB STOCKS.

Japanese first 6s, 100½.
Japanese second 6s, 100.
Japanese first 4½s, 91⅛, 91⅝.
Japanese second 4½s, 90½.
A. T. 4s, 77½@77¾.
A. T. 6s, 112@112½.
Atchison 4s, 102¼@102½.
B. R. T. 4s, 93⅝.
B. & O. 3½s, 92½@93.
B. & O. 4s, 103@104.
Reading 4s, 99@99½.
Ric. 4s, 78⅜.
Ric. 5s, 89¼.
O. S. L. 4s, 94⅝@95.
C., B. & Q. 4s, 98½@98⅝.
U. S. Steel 5s, 98⅜@98½.
Union Pacific 4s, 102⅝@102⅞.
Northern Pacific 4s, 104¼.
Boston Copper, 32½@33.
Black Mountain Copper, 8¼@9.
Utah Copper, 32½@34½.
North Butte Copper, 99½.
East Butte Copper, 10@10½.
Greene Copper, 26⅝@27¼.
United Copper, 66½@67.
Subway, 49½@50⅝.
Tin Can common, 6¼@6⅝.
Tin Can preferred, 56¼@57.
Granby Copper, 13@13¼.

MONEY REPORTS

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England remained unchanged today at 4 per cent.

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 44¼ pfgs for checks. Discount rates, short bills (for settlement), 6¾ per cent; three months bills, 4½ per cent.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, decreased £1,403,000; circulation, increased £714,000; bullion, decreased £689,045; other securities, increased £3,954,000; other deposits, increased £2,309,000; public deposits, increased £173,000; notes reserve, decreased £1,292,000; government securities, unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week is 42.83 per cent, as compared with 47.56 per cent last week.

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Closing: Three per cent rentes, 96f 55c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 17½c for checks.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 27.—Bank clearings for today, $1,495,447.45; for the week, $9,767,729.55; last year, $8,206,654.94.

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 27.—Bank clearings today, $3,320,789.63; for the week, $20,929,376.16; year ago, $21,288,852.03; New York exchange, selling rate, 10c discount; buying rate, 40c discount; Chicago exchange, selling rate, par; buying rate, 30c discount; London 60-day sight documentary exchange, $4.79⅜. Local money stronger and no business being done under 6 per cent.

PROVISIONS

CHICAGO PROVISIONS, Sept. 27.—Provisions were easier on selling by commission houses and local longs. January pork was off 5c, at $13.25. Lard was down 5c, at $7.77½. Ribs were 2½@5c lower, at $7.07½.

Close: Pork, September, $16.60; January, $13.22½. Lard, September, $8.85@8.87½; October, $8.82½@8.85. Ribs, September, $8.85; October, $8.32½.

CHICAGO PRODUCE, Sept. 27.—Cheese, firm; daisies, 12½@12¾c; twins, 12@12¼c; Young Americas, 12½c. Poultry, live, steady; turkeys, 13c; chickens, 11½@12c; springs, 12½c. Potatoes, steady; 40@48c. Veal, steady, 50 to 60 lbs, 6@6½c; 60 to 85 lbs, 7@9c; 85 to 110 lbs, 9½@10c.

Butter, steady; creameries, 19@24c; dairies, 17@20½c. Eggs, steady; at mark, cases included, 14@18c.

NEW YORK SUGAR AND COFFEE, Sept. 27.—Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 3 9-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 4 1-16c; molasses sugar, 3 5-16c. Refined quiet; crushed, 5.70c; powdered, 5.10c; granulated, 5c. Coffee quiet; No. 7 Rio, 8⅝c. Molasses steady; New Orleans, 30@38c.

HOGS OPEN STRONG BUT CLOSE WEAK

PRICES 5c HIGHER EARLY AND 10c LOWER LATER ON.

Killing Cattle in Light Supply and Demand Strong for the Choicest Lots—Veal Calves Steady—Common Stuff Generally Dull and Not Easy to Move—A Liberal Run of Sheep—Lambs Somewhat Lower.

South St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27.—Estimated receipts at the Union stockyards today: Cattle, 1,600; calves, 200; hogs, 1,500; sheep, 15,000; horses, 50; cars, 147.

The following table shows the receipts from Jan. 1, 1906, to date, as compared with the same period in 1905:

Year—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
1906....	226,563	42,719	601,663	287,819	18,889
1905....	253,404	40,400	598,874	418,883	19,764
Increase.	....	2,319	2,789	....	......
Decrease.	26,841	....	....	131,064	875

The following table shows the receipts thus far in September as compared with the same period in 1905:

Year—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
1906.....	70,092	4,838	29,468	89,438	3,817
1905.....	74,942	5,075	25,017	143,734	4,039
Increase..	.....	.....	4,451	.....	.....
Decrease..	4,850	237	.....	54,296	222

Official receipts for the past week are as follows:

Date—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
Sept. 19	3,043	247	1,875	6,645	175
Sept. 20	1,278	61	1,274	435	78
Sept. 21	1,108	144	1,151	337	68
Sept. 22	3,733	64	684	202	183
Sept. 24	9,290	472	1,400	2,992	412
Sept. 25	5,450	530	3,330	5,436	284
Sept. 26	2,438	206	2,027	3,931	150

Railroads entering the yards reported receipts for the day by loads as follows: Chicago Great Western, 7; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 8; Minneapolis & St. Louis, 1; Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, 12; Great Northern, 100; Wisconsin Central, 2; total, 147.

Disposition of stock Wednesday, Sept. 26:

Firm—	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Swift & Co.	639	2,082	284
W. E. McCormick	10	....	210
W. G. Bronson	28	....	57
Armour Pkg. Co.	...	....	81
R. J. King	1	....	3
City butchers	10	....	...
Slimmer & Thomas	697	....	...
Evans & Lauderdale	92	....	...
J. B. Fitzgerald	103	....	...
S. J. Melady & Co.	278	....	...
Louis Becker	113	....	...
H. H. Brackett	31	....	...
Other buyers	100	....	3,940
Country buyers	417	....	...
Totals	2,519	2,062	4,493

HOGS—

Date.	Av. Wt.	Av. Cost.	Price Range.
Sept. 19	244	$5.91	$5.50@6.40
Sept. 20	245	5.97	5.60@6.45
Sept. 21	234	6.05	5.50@6.45
Sept. 22	244	6.05	5.55@6.45
Sept. 24	248	6.13	5.75@6.50
Sept. 25	223	6.25	5.60@6.55
Sept. 26	226	6.35	5.60@6.50

Hog prices opened 5c lower and closed 10c lower. Receipts rather light, demand strong. Quality fair, with sprinkling of good stuff. Prices range $5.60@6.50, bulk $6.15@6.25.

Light, common, $5.60@5.85; fair, $5.90@6.15; good to choice, $6.20@6.50; mixed, common, $5.50@5.75; fair, $5.80@6.10; good to choice, $6.15@6.40; heavy, common, $5.50@5.75; fair, $5.80@6.10; good to choice, $6.15@6.40; rough sows, $5.25@5.50; rough stags, $5@5.25.

Hogs—68, 166 lbs, $6.50; 68, 160 lbs, $6.45; 46, 167 lbs, $6.40; 91, 199 lbs, $6.40; 50, 211 lbs, $6.30; 42, 225 lbs, $6.30; 56, 248 lbs, $6.25; 18, 185 lbs, $6.25; 47, 250 lbs, $6.20; 65, 263 lbs, $6.20; 25, 284 lbs, $6.10; 60, 301 lbs, $5.90; 13, 384 lbs, $5.70; 10, 268 lbs, $5.60.

CATTLE—Moderate run of cattle. Killing cattle supply rather light, some fair to good bunches being offered. Demand strong for choice killing cattle. Prices for beef end butcher stuff steady today. Stockers and feeders steady; veal calves steady; common end dull; milch cows steady; bulls unchanged.

Butcher Cows and Heifers—1, 1,010 lbs, $3.10; 1, 1,040 lbs, $3; 2, 1,155 lbs, $3; 3, 1,108 lbs, $3; 2, 975 lbs, $2.65; 2, 865 lbs, $2.65; 1, 800 lbs, $2.60; 3 890 lbs, $2.60; 1, 1,060 lbs, $2.40; 5, 960 lbs, $2.35.

Cutters and Canners—3, 956 lbs, $2.25; 3, 1,037 lbs, $2.25; 1, 860 lbs, $2.15; 1, 900 lbs, $2; 4, 850 lbs, $1.85; 2, 885 lbs, $1.75; 1, 700 lbs, $1.50.

Veal Calves—1, 110 lbs, $5.50; 3, 150 lbs, $5; 1, 110 lbs, $5.25; 2, 135 lbs, $5; 2, 110 lbs, $4.50; 5, 146 lbs ,$4; 1, 290 lbs, $3.25; 12, 305 lbs, $2.50.

Stock and Feeding Steers—6, 940 lbs, $3.60; 3, 1,026 lbs, $2.75; 3, 740 lbs, $2.65; 1, 842 lbs, $2.35; 5, 552 lbs $2.

Stock Cows and Heifers—2 940 lbs, $2.75; 30, 650 lbs, $2.55; 2, 735 lbs, $2.25; 5, 572 lbs, $2.25; 15,680 lbs, $2.20; 4, 875 lbs, $2.05; 23, 481 lbs, $2; 1, 720 lbs, $1.75.

Stock and Feeding Bulls—1, 990 lbs, $2.15; 2, 730 lbs, $2.10.

Milch Cows and Springers—1 cow, 1 calf, $40; 1 cow, $35; 1 cow, 1 calf, $35; 1 cow, $30; 1 cow, $25; 1 cow, 1 calf, $25; 1 cow, $25.

SHEEP—Very liberal run of sheep scheduled. Run consisted principally of western stuff billed thru. Prices for sheep steady; lambs weak.

Killing Sheep and Lambs—13 lambs, 77 lbs, $6.75; 17 lambs, 85 lbs, $6.55; 24 lambs, 87 lbs, $6.50; 3 lambs, 76 lbs, $5.50; 2 ewes, 105 lbs, $4.75; 22 cull lambs, 33 lbs, $3.50; 1 buck, 140 lbs, $3.

Stockers and Feeders—17 lambs, 50 lbs, $5.75; 84 lambs, 45 lbs, $5.75; 19 lambs, 68 lbs, $5.

Among the shippers on the market were: Vance & Bush, Glasgow, Mont.; H. Peterson, Hampton; J. B. Long & Co., Great Falls, Mont.; John Littel, Kenyon; H. T. Russell, Britton, S. D.; Allbee Brothers, New Richmond, Wis.; J. W. Axel, Starbuck, Medora, N. D.; J. E. Clitty, Becker.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK, Sept. 27.—Cattle, receipts, 9,000, including 800 southerns; market steady to shade lower; native steers, $4@6.40; southern steers, $2.50@3.80; southern cows, $1.75@2.90; native cows and heifers, $2@5; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.50; bulls, $2@3; calves, $3@6.50; western steers, $3.40@5; western cows, $2@3.65. Hogs, receipts, 6,000; market weak to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $6.35@6.45; heavy, $6.30@6.40; packers, $6.35@6.47½; pigs and lights, $6@6.50. Sheep, receipts, 10,000; market steady to 10c lower; muttons, $4.80@5.50; lambs, $6@7.25; range, wethers, $4.25@5.75; fed ewes, $4@5.40.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK, Sept. 27.—Cattle, estimated receipts, 8,500; steady; beeves, $3.85@6.90; cows and heifers, $1.60@5.10; stockers and feeders, $2.65@4.50; Texans, $3.70@4.40; westerners, $3.50@5.50; calves, $6.25@8. Hogs, estimated, 20,000; estimated tomorrow, 14,000; mixed and butchers, $6.30@6.72½; good heavy, $6.40@6.70; rough heavy, $5.95@6.20; light, $6.45@6.70; pigs, $5.70@6.40; bulk of sales, $6.30@6.55. Sheep, receipts, estimated, 20,000; market steady; sheep, $3.75@5.50; lambs, $4.90@8.60.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK, Sept. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,500, including 2,000 Texans; market for natives steady; Texans strong; beef steers, $3.50@6.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.50; cows and heifers, $2.50@5.50; Texas steers, $3@5.10; cows and heifers, $2@3.25. Hogs—Receipts, 5,500; market weak; pigs and lights, $6@6.65; packers, $6.20@6.65; butchers and best heavy, $6.50@6.70. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; market strong; natives, $3@5.50; lambs, $4@7.15.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK, Sept. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; market steady; native steers, $4.40@6.40; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.25; western steers, $3@5; Texas steers, $2.75@4.25; cows and heifers, $2@3.65; canners, $1.50@2.40; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.50; calves, $3@6; bulls and stags, $1.75@3.75. Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market shade to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $6.15@6.25. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; slow to shade lower; lambs, $6.50@7.25; sheep, $4.50@6.

SIOUX CITY LIVESTOCK, Sept. 27.—Receipts—Cattle, 600; hogs, 1,600. Hogs weak to 5c lower. Sales, 70, 289 lbs, $5.95; 64, 248 lbs, $6; 70, 210 lbs, $6.10; 64, 260 lbs, $6.30. Cattle strong; stockers slow. Beeves, 16, 1,180 lbs, $4.55; 16, 1,280 lbs, $5.10; 8, 1,410 lbs, $5.90. Cows and heifers, 8, 870 lbs, $2.50; 10, 987 lbs, $3.10; 12, 1,020 lbs, $3.40. Stockers and feeders, 8, 760 lbs, $3.20; 10, 980 lbs, $3.75; 8, 1,040 lbs, $4.15. Calves and yearlings, 8, 450 lbs, $2.75; 8, 610 lbs, $3; 8, 580 lbs, $3.50.

MIDWAY HORSE MARKET, Minnesota Transfer, St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27.—Barrett & Zimmerman's report: The change in the weather has made the market quiet, but the prospects are for a better demand in a few days. Retail trade is fair but the lumber trade demand is a little slow. Prices are holding firm and no change is expected. Values: Drafters, extra, $220@250; drafters, choice, $190@220; drafters, common to good, $170@190; farm mares, extra, $120@145; farm mares, choice, $105@120; farm mares, common to good, $80@105; delivery, choice, $160@180; delivery, common to good, $130@160; drivers, $130@250; mules, according to size, $140@225.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS, Sept. 27.—Beef firm; family, $11@11.50; mess, $8@9; packet, $10@10.50. Pork barely steady; mess, $18.25@18.75; family, $18@18.50. Lard quiet.

NEW YORK PRODUCE, Sept. 27.—Eggs, 23@23½c; receipts, 8,837 cases; market steady. Butter, creamery, 25c; imitation, 19½@20c; ladles, 18½c; receipts, 8,690 lbs; extra renovated, 21½@22c; renovated, 19½@20c; market steady.

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NEW YORK COTTON, Sept. 27.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 2@4 points on the cables, and sold up to a net advance of about 4@8 points during the early session, with October leading on a demand from Liverpool and some southern buying. There was persistent selling on the advance by some of the local professionals, but prices showed firmness during the middle of the morning.

Cotton futures opened steady; September, 8.85c bid; October, 8.91c; November, 9.05@9.09c; December, 9.16c; January, 9.25c; March, 9.40c; April, 9.44c bid; May, 9.50c; June, 9.52c bid; July, 9.55@9.58c.

Trading was less active toward midday, and prices eased off on denials of the report of a tidal wave at New Orleans. Advices from the south reporting spot offerings withdrawn pending more definite news as to storm damage helped to sustain the market, however, and prices at midday were about 6 to 10 points net higher. Spot, quiet; middling uplands, 9.60c; middling gulf, 9.85c.

NEW YORK OIL, Sept. 27.—Petroleum steady; refined, all ports, $7.45@7.50.

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