In the World of Finance and Trade

SECRETARY DANIELS GIVES STOCKS BUMP

His Insistance on Lower Steel, Oil and Coal Causes Flurry.

New York, June 18.—Announcement by Secretary Daniels that lower prices would be insisted on for steel, oil, and coal gave the financial world a shock today. Finding the stock market in a technically weak condition as a result of the Liberty loan campaign, this sent prices down materially in all departments. Wheat broke 10 cents a bushel and cotton gained about $5 a bale.

Call loans were renewed at 6 per cent.

United States Steel attracted most attention. It is well known that several multimillionaires liquidated steel above 130, which they had been carrying for ten years or more. Professional traders sold short because the volume of steel in the market was so great that they could do it without attracting any attention. The short interest in the market is not so large even at that. The unusual appearance of a short interest is due to borrowing for the account of investors who have sold but who do not want stocks in their own names to go to the public.

MONEY MARKET FIRM AFTER BOND SALE

Liberty Loan Causes No Advance on Local Exchange.

There has been no advance in Money because of investments in liberty loan bonds, the demand on the Washington Exchange yesterday being relatively light, with rates steady at 5 and 6 per cent.

According to trades made during yesterday's session of the local Stock Exchange, values for stocks and bonds were reasonably firm, although the demand was without any noticeable improvement.

Railway preferred brought 80. Capital Traction shares sold ex-dividend at 78 1-2 to a strong closing at 79. A small lot of Mergenthaler sold at 146. Bonds were rather slow, with only two issues showing on the sales sheet. Railway 4s at 78 3-8 and Washington Gas 5s at 102.

The Columbia Title Insurance Company has declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent, payable June 30. The books will close June 20. The Real Estate Title Insurance Company has declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent, payable June 30. The books will close June 20.

The following analysis of the New York market situation were received late yesterday afternoon by W. B. Hibbs & Co. from Logan & Bryan, their New York correspondents:

"The speculative element showed pronounced indecision in its efforts to express market sentiments after the close on Saturday. Most important interest was attached to the money outlook because of the fact that the loaning rate on the general list ruled at 5 per cent, indicating continued tension in banking accommodations. It was insisted, however, that the large excess of offerings of call money when the market closed on Friday, when millions of dollars were left over in brokers' hands, was evidence that real stringency does not exist in the money market, and it was asserted that, with another day of maintenance of these rates, the market will become as easy as at any time during the year. Statements were made that when loans were called on Friday notice was given that steel common must be margined down to 110, but to customers in brokers' offices there does not seem to be anything unusual about this requirement, because practically every speculative account in the city carrying steel common has 20 points or more margin in brokers' hands.

"Many important speculative interests had an idea that steel common would not be prominent in upward movements in the stock market for some time to come, as other issues presented greater possibilities in the way of profits. The motor stocks have been growing in favor for some time. It was stated on Saturday that the demands of this nation and the allies will require as many motor trucks as were made in the United States last year, and with this requirement to fill it is held that the motor companies must be facing a greater period of prosperity than they have ever known before in their existence. One statement was made that Willys Overland is negotiating for or has secured contracts for motor machines for a great number of aeroplanes on which work is already in progress or contracted for. In this respect attention was called to Wright-Martin aircraft, which was said to have closed large contracts with France and the United States. Friends of the company said that nobody should have any fear in buying the stock."

WASHINGTON PRODUCE.

Quotations given below are for large lots of good marketable goods only. Jobbers' prices are higher. Lower grades may be sold for less. Fancy goods command higher prices.

EGGS—Steady; nearby, 32a33; Southern, 32.

CHEESE—New York State factory, new, 26a27.

BUTTER—Elgin print, 43½; Elgin tub, 42½; process, 40; store-packed, 31.

POULTRY—Live hens, per lb., 23; roosters, per lb., 16; turkeys, per lb., 20a25; spring chickens, per lb., 21a35; ducks, per lb., 14a15; geese, per lb., 10a12; keats, young, each, 60a75.

GREEN GOODS—Potatoes, new, 8.00a10.00 per bbl.; string beans, bus., 75a2.00; peppers, crate, 1.00a2.00; okra, crate, 1.00a1.50; radishes, 100, 1.50a2.00; cucumbers, basket, 1.50a2.00; onions, Texas, crate, 1.75a2.00; eggplant, 2.25a3.00 per crate; new cabbage, per crate, 1.50a2.00; new cabbage, per barrel, 1.00a1.50; beets, per bunch, 4a5; celery, per doz., 30a75; celery, per crate, 1.25a2.50; romaine lettuce, 50a1.00; lettuce, 75a1.00 per basket; squash, Florida, per crate, 1.00a1.25; tomatoes, Florida, per crate, 1.00a2.25; rhubarb, per 100 bunches, 1.50a2.00; asparagus, per doz., 75a2.00; spring onions, per 100 bunches, 1.00a2.00; green peas, per barrel, 1.50a2.00.

FRUITS—Apples, new per bbl., 3.50a7.50; per box, 1.00a2.75; California oranges, 3.25a3.50; Florida oranges, 4.00a4.50 per box; lemons, per box, 6.75a8.00; grapefruit, 3.00a4.50; strawberries, per quart, 5a10; pines, 2.75a3.00; cherries, 8a10; peaches, 1.50a2.00 a crate; watermelons, 45a60 each; cantaloupes, Florida, 2.50a4.50 per crate; blackberries, 7a10 per quart.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, 19.00a20.00; No. 2, 18.00a18.50; No. 1 mixed, 16.00a17.00; No. 2, 14.00a15.00.

SEEDS—Red clover, per bushel, 12.00; alsike clover, per bushel, 13.00a12.50; crimson clover, per bushel, 10.00a11.00; timothy, per bushel, 3.75a3.90; red top, per bushel, 12.50a13.00; bluegrass, per bushel, 1.75a2.00; orchard grass, per bushel, 2.40a2.75; white clover, per lb., 50; alfalfa clover, per lb., 16a17; cow peas, 3.75a4.00.

NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, June 18.—Money on call at the Stock Exchange opened at 6 per cent; high, 6 per cent; low, 5½ per cent; close, 6 per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 6 per cent.

Time money was unchanged in general conditions at the opening of the week. It was firmly held and was in fair demand. Rates on mixed collateral, 5a5½ per cent for all maturities from sixty days to six months. On industrial collateral the rates were 5½a6 per cent for all dates. Mercantile paper was very dull.

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New York Stock Market Quotations

New York, June 18.

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Sales.		High.	Low.	Close.
300	Allis-Chalmers	28	27	27½
500	Allis-Chalmers, pfd	86	86	86
1,000	Amer. Beet Sugar	95	94	94
2,900	American Can	49¾	48	48
1,100	Amer. Car & Fdy	72¾	71¾	71¾
600	Amer. Hide & L.	14½	14	14
600	Amer. Ice Securities	28	28	28
900	American Linseed	33¼	32¾	32¾
1,600	American Locomotive	71¾	69¾	69¾
4,200	American Smelting	107¾	105½	105¾
938	Amer. Steel F'dry	72½	71½	71½
6,000	American Sugar	121¾	118¾	118¾
600	American Sumatra	33¾	33	33¼
3,300	American Woolen	54¼	52	52
15,300	Anaconda	84	81¾	82¾
4,600	Atl., G. & W. I.	113	108½	108½
6,200	Baldwin Locomotive	65¾	61¾	62
1,400	Baltimore & Ohio	73¼	72½	72¾
600	Barrett Co.	115½	115	115
32,900	Bethlehem Steel	147½	140¾	141
500	Burns Bros.	100	99	99
900	Brunswick	13¼	12	12
600	Butte & Superior	41¾	41¼	41¼
700	California Petroleum	21¾	20¼	20¼
600	Calif. Petroleum, pfd.	52½	51½	51½
14,400	Central Leather	96	92¼	92½
1,000	Chesapeake & Ohio	69½	68¾	69¾
3,800	C., R. I. & P., f. pfd.	65½	65½	65½
1,100	C., R. I. & P., w. i.	36¼	35½	35½
1,300	C., R. I. & P., 6% pfd.	68½	67½	67½
900	C., R. I. & P., 7% pfd	78	77½	77½
2,700	Chile Copper	22	22	22
2,600	China Con. Copper	57¾	56	56
1,000	Col. Fuel & Iron	63¼	60¾	60¾
600	Col. Gas & Elec.	41¼	40¾	40¾
500	Continental Can	99	98¼	98¼
10,300	Corn Products	32¼	30¾	31
33,700	Crucible Steel	82¾	79¾	79¾
8,600	Cuba Cane Sugar	44¾	43½	43¾
3,600	Delaware & Hudson	112¾	111¼	111¼
1,200	Dome Mines	10¼	9¾	9¾
3,200	Distillers' Securities	22¾	20¼	20¼
1,400	Elk Horn	37¾	36¼	36½
1,200	Erie	28	26¾	26¾
500	General Electric	159	157¼	157¼
9,100	Gen. Mot. Corp.	114	110¾	110¾
500	Gt. Northern, pfd	108	107¼	107¼
700	Gt. North. Ore. Subs.	33¾	32¾	32¾
1,000	Gulf & Steel	126	123	123
1,200	Int. Agriculture, pfd.	82	81¼	82
9,200	Inspiration Copper	64¾	61¾	62
4,900	Int. Mer. Marine	29	27¾	27¾
13,400	Int. Mer. Mar., pfd.	84¾	81	81¼
2,500	International Paper	38	36¾	37
8,800	Kennecott	46½	44¾	44¾
8,600	Lackawanna Steel	97¾	94¾	94¾
2,200	Maxwell M. Co.	51	48¾	48¾
3,100	Mexican Petroleum	98	94¾	95¼
1,100	Miami Copper	41	40½	40½
6,200	Midvale Steel	64	62	62¼
4,600	Mo. Pacific, w. i.	30	29	29
3,900	National Conduit	37	35¼	35¼
2,800	Nat. E. & S.	40	39½	39¼
600	National Lead	67	66¼	66¼
1,300	Nev. C. Copper	24¾	24	24
1,600	New York Central	92¼	91	91¼
900	Norfolk & Western	135¾	135	135
2,200	Ohio Cities Gas	137	135¾	134
600	Pennsylvania	53¾	53	53
10,400	Pitts. Coal, ctfs.	57	53¾	53¾
8,400	Pitts. & W. Va.	33¾	32¾	32¾
200	Pitts. & W. Va., pfd.	67	65	65
1,400	Pullman Pal. Car	145¼	143	143
700	Quicksilver, pfd.	1¾	1¼	1¼
1,400	Railway Steel Spring	54¼	52¼	52½
1,900	Ray Con. Copper	29¾	28½	29¼
19,300	Reading	97¾	95¾	95¾
16,000	Rep. Iron & Steel	91¼	89¾	89¾
5,800	Savage Arms	108	100½	100½
600	Saxon Motors	34	29	29
600	Sears-Roebuck	173	170	170
600	Shattuck A. C.	27	26¼	27¼
4,400	Sinclair Oil	54¼	52¾	53
700	Sloss S. S. & I.	61	59	59
700	Southern Pacific	94	93¼	93¼
1,600	Southern Railway	27¾	27	27¼
16,200	Studebaker	84	81¾	82¾
900	Stutz Motor	41¼	40¼	40¼
1,800	Texas Co.	218	216	216
600	Third Avenue	23	21	21
1,900	Tobacco Products	59¾	58	58¼
2,200	Union Pacific	137¾	136	136¼
2,100	United Cigar Stores	107¾	105¼	105¼
800	United Fruit	136	134¾	134¾
13,700	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	168	161	161
1,100	United States Rubber	60¾	60	60
500	U. S. Sm. & Ref.	60	59¾	59¾
213,600	United States Steel	130¾	127¾	127¾
3,800	Utah Copper	111¼	109¼	109¼
800	Va. Iron C. & C.	71½	70	70
1,100	Wabash, pfd. (B)	35½	35½	35½
700	Western Maryland	21¼	20¾	20¾
4,300	Westinghouse	62¾	61	61¼
1,400	Wilson & Co. Corp.	74¾	72½	72½
4,100	Wheel. & L. E.	16¾	15½	15¾
900	Wheel. & L. E., pfd.	35¾	34	34
14,600	Willys-Overland	32¼	30¾	31
600	Worth. Pump	37¾	34	34¾
1,100	Wor. Pump, pfd. (B)	63	60¼	60¼

Total sales, 746,160 shares.

BALTIMORE PRODUCE.

Baltimore, Md., June 18.—EGGS—Market easy. Maryland, Pennsylvania, and nearby firsts, per doz., 30; Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, firsts, 30; Western (Ohio) firsts, 30; West Virginia firsts, 30; Southern (North Carolina) firsts, 29; Western, fresh cases, count case, 35½; candled, 34a36.

BUTTER—Separator, extra, 40a41; firsts, 39a40. Blocks, 2 lbs., extra, 39a40; firsts, 44a41. Dairy prints, Maryland, Pennsylvania and Virginia, extras, 32a34; firsts, 31. Store-packed, firsts, 22. Rolls, Maryland and Pennsylvania, firsts, 32; do., West Virginia, firsts, 32.

LIVE POULTRY—Prices per pound unless otherwise stated. Chickens, spring, 1½ to 1½ lbs., 34a35; do., 1 lb. and less, 30; do., old hens, heavy, 24; do., small to medium, 1 lb., 23; do., old roosters, 12a13. Ducks, young Muscovy and Mongrel, 15a16; do., young White Pekings, 16a17; do., Indian Runners, 15; do., Puddle, choice, fat, 15a16; do., small, poor, 12a16. Pigeons, old, pair, 29; do., young, pair, 30.

VEGETABLES AND GREEN FRUITS—Potatoes, white, Western Maryland and Pennsylvania, bushel, 3.50a3.75; do., New York State, bushel, 3.50a3.75; do., Eastern Shore Maryland and Virginia, No. 1, bushel, 3.50a3.75; do., nearby, bushel box, 3.50a3.75; new potatoes, Norfolk and Hampton, barrel, 6.50a7.50; do., Charleston, primes, barrel, 7.00a8.00; do., seconds, barrel, 5.00a6.00; do., culls, barrel, 2.00a3.00; do., York River, barrel, 6.00a7.00; do., Rappahannock, No 1, barrel, 6.50a7.00. Apples New York State, No. 1, bbl., 4.00a5.50; do., No. 2, bbl., 3.50a3.75; asparagus, Maryland and Virginia, No. 1, doz., 1.00a1.25; do., No. 2, doz., 60a75; beans, Charleston, green, bas., 1.75a2.25; do., pearl, bas., 1.50a1.75; do., wax, basket, 1.50a2.00; do., Norfolk, basket, 2.50a2.75; beets, Southern, bunch, 2a4; do., Rappahannock, bunch, 1½a2; blackberries, Southern, qt., 9a12; cabbage, Eastern Shore, Virginia, barrel, 1.50a1.75; do., Norfolk, barrel, 1.25a1.50; do., crate, 1.50a2.50; cherries, Maryland and Virginia, sour, red, lb., 3a5; do., sweet, red, 5a6; do., fancy white, wax, per lb., 5a7; cantaloupes, Florida, crate, 2.00a3.00; corn, Florida, crate, 2.00a2.50; cucumbers, Charleston, basket, 1.50a2.00; eggplants, Florida, crate, 2.50a3.50; grapefruit, Florida, as to size, box, 3.00a4.00; gooseberries, Maryland and Virginia, green, lb., 3a4; horseradish, native, box, 1.25a1.50; huckleberries, Southern, per qt., 10a15; kale, Norfolk, barrel, 75a1.00; do., native, bushel box, 15a25; lettuce, North Carolina, basket, 50a75; do., Virginia, basket, 25a50; do., native, bushel box, 20; onions, Texas-Bermuda, crate, 1.50a1.75; do., spring, 100 bunches, 1.00a1.50; peaches, Southern, crate, 1.50a2.75; peas, Rappahannock, ½-barrel basket, 1.25a1.50; do., Anne Arundel, bushel, 60a1.00; peppers, Florida, crate, 3.00a3.50; radishes, native, 100, white, 50a1.00; do., long red, 100, 1.50a2.00; rhubarb, nearby, 100 bunches, 1.50a2.00; squash, South Carolina, crate, 1.00a1.50; strawberries, Eastern Shore Virginia, quart, fa10; do., Rappahannock, quart, 6a8; do., Eastern Shore Maryland, quart, 6a9; do., Anne Arundel, quart, 6a10; tomatoes, Florida, fancy, carrier, 1.75a2.00; do., choice, carrier, 1.50a1.75; do., ordinary, carrier, 1.00a1.25; watermelons, Florida and Georgia, 100, 20.00a40.00.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET.

New York, June 18.

FROM 2:20 P. M. TO CLOSING.

United States Liberty 3s	100 1-5	
American Foreign Securities 5s	94¾	
Anglo-French 5s	93¼	
Canadian 5s, 1926	96½	
City of Paris 6s	93¼	
French Republic 5½s	99 1-16	
Japanese 4½s	86½	
United Kingdom 2-year 5s	97¾	
United Kingdom 5½s, 1918	99¾	
United Kingdom 5½s, 1919, new	99¼	
United Kingdom 5½s, 1921	98½	
Atchison gen. 4s	80	
Baltimore & Ohio cvt. 4½s	79¼	
Bethlehem Steel 1st 5s	100¾	
Central Leather 5s	90½	
Chesapeake & Ohio cvt. 5s	89	
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy joint 4s	90¾	
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific rfg. 4s	70	
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific deb. 5s	84	
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific deb. 5s, ctfs	73	
Chile Copper 7s	124	
Corn Products 5s, 1934	98¾	
Erie gen. Ben 4s	61½	
Grand Bay & Western deb. B	10½	
Interboro Rapid Transit rfg. 5s	83	
International Mercantile Marine 6s	91½	
Kansas City Southern 5s	86¾	
Lackawanna Steel 5s, 1923	99¾	
Lackawanna Steel 5s, 1999	104¾	
Lexington & Eastern 5s	99	
Manhattan 4s	81½	
Manhattan 4s, Series A	82¾	
Mexican Petroleum 6s, A	107½	
Montana Power sinking fund 5s	96¼	
New York Central 4s	86	
New York Telephone 4½s	94	
Pacific gen. 4½s, ctfs	90½	
Pere Marquette 5s	90	
Public Service of New Jersey 5s	87	
Republic Iron & Steel 5s	100½	
St. Louis & San Francisco inc. 4s	49½	
St. Louis & San Francisco pfd. A	78¾	
Southern Pacific cvt. 5s	99¼	
Texas Company cvt. 6s	102¾	
Third Avenue 5s	100	
United States rfg. 5s, ctfs	87	
United States Steel sinking fund 5s	104¾	
Utah Power & Light 5s	90	

The total sales of bonds today were $1,062,000.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Chicago, June 18.—HOGS—Receipts, 39,000 head; strong; 5 cents above Saturday's average. Bulk, 15.35a15.90; light, 14.75a15.85; mixed, 15.05a16.00; heavy, 15.00a16.10; rough, 15.00a15.25; pigs, 10.60a14.50.

CATTLE—Receipts, 21,000 head; weak; native beef cattle, 8.85a13.70; stockers and feeders, 7.30a10.50; cows and heifers, 5.90a11.75; calves, 10.50a15.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000 head; slow; wethers, 8.65a11.20; lambs, 10.50a15.80; springs, 13.25a17.75.

Pittsburgh, June 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,800 head; steers, 12.50a13.10; heifers, 10.00a11.00; cows, 8.00a10.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000 head; lower; heavies, 16.15a16.20; heavy Yorkers, 15.90a16.05; light Yorkers, 14.75a15.80; pigs, 14.30a14.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,000 head; higher; top sheep, 11.00; top lambs, 15.50.

CALVES—Receipts, 1,300 head; higher; top, 15.25.

OIL SECURITIES.

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	Bid.	Asked.
Solar Refining	350	550
Southwestern Pipe Line	108	115
Standard Oil of California	258	263
Standard Oil of Indiana	740	765
Standard Oil of Kansas	450	475
Standard Oil of New York	292	297
Standard Oil of Nebraska	480	500
Standard Oil of New Jersey	605	610
Standard Oil of Kentucky	535	580
Standard Oil of Ohio	425	430
Illinois Pipe Line	213	219
Ohio Oil	550	557
Southern Pennsylvania Oil	280	290
Atlantic Refining	910	930
Vacuum Oil	350	360

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, June 18.—BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 8,425 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 38¼a39; creamery extras, 92-score, 38; firsts, 36¾a37½; do., seconds, 36a36½.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 15,786 cases. Fresh-gathered extras, 33a34½; fresh-gathered storage-packed firsts, 31¼a32½; fresh-gathered firsts, 30a31; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby Western hennery whites, fine to fancy, 36a37; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby hennery browns, 35a36.

CHEESE—Weak; receipts, 2,126 boxes. State, fresh specials, 22¾a23; do., average run, 22¼a22½.

LIVE POULTRY—Unsettled; no prices quoted.

DRESSED POULTRY—Firm. Chickens, 21a29; fowls, 19¼a25½; turkeys, 26a38.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, June 18.—Wheat was under heavy selling pressure today, with spring spots showing declines of 10¼a10½ cents. The volume of trade was still small, but there was more than enough wheat on sale to be absorbed. The visible supply of wheat was again reduced 3,126,000 bushels the past week, leaving the total 20,142,000 bushels. Cash wheat at Kansas City was 12a20 cents off in price; St. Louis, 6 cents lower. Bids to arrive here were reduced to 2.06 for No. 2 red, shipment by August 15, but no sales were reported.

Action of the corn market was erratic, and prices at the close showed losses of 1a2¾ cents. December was relatively the weakest, being under greater pressure because it is more vitally affected by the crop and weather reports. Cash corn was unchanged to 1½c lower, with local shipping sales 60,000 bushels, including 35,000 bushels for export.

Oats followed the same general movements seen in corn, ruling firm after a weak opening and later reacting again. Resting spots showed declines of 1a1¼ cents. July was relatively weak at the finish, and there was free selling of this delivery. Cash oats were ½a2 cents lower with local shipping sales of 30,000 bushels.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
July	2.19	2.20	2.11¼	2.11¼
September	1.96	1.96	1.85	1.85
CORN—				
July	1.55	1.57	1.54½	1.55
September	1.47	1.49½	1.46	1.46¾
December	1.06½	1.08¼	1.05½	1.07¼
OATS—				
July	53	65¾	63	63½
September	53	54½	52¾	52¾
December	54¾	55¾	54¼	54
PORK—				
July	38.60	38.75	38.55	38.60
September	38.85	39.05	38.85	38.95
LARD—				
July	21.67	21.72	21.60	21.67
September	21.82	21.86	21.77	21.77
RIBS—				
July	21.07	21.10	21.02	21.02
September	21.35	21.37	21.25	21.25

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, June 18.—Cotton sold at new high levels today, with scarcity of contracts and low mid-month condition figures the factors. Trade interests continued today. Business was not broad and the average commission house broker had considerable time on his hands.

The early tone here was strong and prices rose 28 to 61 points, all options selling far above the 25 cent level. Slight reactions were followed by renewed strength and still higher prices later. January contracts sold up to 24.85 around 11 o'clock, making an advance of over 1 cent a pound from Saturday's close.

During the last hours prices fluctuated within a 15-point range. Closing was steady, net advances of 64 to 90 points.

Liverpool.

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	Open.	2 p. m.	Close.	Previous close.
January-February	15.13	15.47	15.82	14.63
March-April	15.06	15.38	15.79	14.62
July-August	16.66	17.00	17.16	16.10
October-November		16.06	16.05	15.12

Middling today, 18.00. Sales, 10,000 bales.

New York.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
January	25.55	25.85	25.25	25.73	24.83
March	25.42	26.00	25.42	25.91	25.02
July	25.30	25.85	25.19	25.75	24.97
August	25.20	25.71	25.20	25.71	.....
October	25.00	25.70	24.94	25.50	24.67
December	25.20	25.82	25.20	25.70	24.78

New Orleans.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
January	24.90	25.33	24.90	25.17	24.24
March	24.99	25.43	24.99	25.43	24.42
July	24.65	25.16	24.65	25.04	24.20
October	24.60	25.06	24.51	24.91	23.92
December	24.70	25.24	24.70	25.01	24.08

NEW YORK CURB MARKET.

Furnished by W. W. Easterday & Co., Inc.

	Bid.	Asked.
American Maroon	2¾	2¾
Anglo Oil	19½	19½
Atlanta	11	12
Big Ledge Copper	3¾	3
Butte Copper & Zinc	11	11½
Caledonia	82	85
Canada Copper	2¾	2½
Chalmers Motor	.....	35
Chevolet Motor	95	99
Cosden & Co.	12¾	12¾
Cosden & Co. Bonds	97	100
Cosden Oil & Gas	12¾	12¾
Cosden Oil & Gas, preferred	4¾	4¾
Cosden Oil & Gas Bonds	100	101
Cramp Ship	84	90
Curtiss Aeroplane	45¼	44½
Emerson Motors	.....	1
Emerson Phonograph	7¾	8
Erickson Wheel	30	33
Esmeralda Oil	1 15-16	2 1-16
Federal Oil	8¾	8¾
Goldfield Merger	6½	6¾
Goldfield Consolidated	53	56
Grant Motors	3	6
Green Monster	1	1 1-16
Houston Oil	22	23
Inspiration Needles	¼	¾
International Petroleum	13¾	13¾
Jerome Verdi	1 11-16	1 13-16
Keystone Tire	16½	17
Kresge	10	11
Kresge, preferred	10½	11½
Lake Torpedo Boat	7¾	8½
Lake Torpedo Boat, 1st., pfd.	7½	8¾
Miami Merger	5-32	7-32
Magma Copper	43½	46
Mason Valley	5¾	6½
Maxim Munitions	2¾	2½
Merrit Oil	25¾	26¾
Mitchell Motors	32	33
Midwest Refining	133	136
Midwest Oil	77	79
Midwest Oil, preferred	100	103
New York Shipbuilding	43	48
Nipissing Mines	7½	7¾
Oklahoma Producing & Refining	16¾	19¾
Oklahoma Oil	8	9
Osage	8¾	8¾
Peerless Truck & Motor	16	18
Pierce-Arrow	38	42
Pierce-Arrow, preferred	95	100
Ray Portland	.....	1
Sapulpa	9¾	10
Sequoyah Oil	.....	¾
Standard Motors	12	12½
Standard Silver & Lead	11-16	¾
Submarine Boat	32¼	32½
Superstition Consolidated	22	25
Steel Alloys	6¾	7
Success	36	38
Triangle Film	1¾	2
U. S. Light & Heat, pfd.	1	1¾
U. S. Light & Heat, pfd.	1½	3
U. S. Steamship	4¾	5
United Verdi Extension	38	39
United Motors	27¾	28½
Un. Western Oil	40	45
Venture Oil	5	8
Victoria Oil	¾	1
World Film	¾	¾
Zinc Concentrating	2¾	3

PHILADELPHIA PRODUCE.

Philadelphia, June 18.—BUTTER—Sold slowly, but values were steadily held. The quotations were as follows: Western solid-packed creamery, fancy specials, 41; extra, 39a40; extra firsts, 38; firsts, 37½; seconds, 36½; nearby fancy, 42; average extras, 40a41; firsts, 38a39; seconds, 36½a37; special brand of prints jobbing at 45a48.

EGGS—Ruled firm, with demand absorbing the offerings of desirable stock. We quote: In free cases, nearby firsts, 19.20 per standard case; current receipts, 9.90 per case; Western extra firsts, 10.20 per case; firsts, 9.90 per case; fancy selected fresh jobbing at 40a41 per dozen.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls, as to quality, 24a25, roosters, 16a17; spring chickens, not Leghorns, plump, yellow-skinned, weighing 3¼a1¼ pounds apiece, 32a38; white Leghorns, weighing ¾a1¼ pounds apiece, 28a32; ducks, Pekin, 20a21; do., Indian runners, 17a18; pigeons, old, per pair, 25a28; do., young, per pair, 2a22.

DRESSED POULTRY—Fowls, 12 to box, dry-picked, milk-fed, fancy selected, 26; weighing 4 pounds and over apiece, 25½; do., 3½ pounds apiece, 24; do., 3 pounds apiece, 22a23. Fowls, in barrels, fancy, dry-picked, iced, weighing 4 pounds and over apiece, 24½; smaller sizes, 21a22; old roosters, dry-picked, 18½; broilers, Jersey, fancy, 46a50; do., other nearby, weighing 1½a2 pounds apiece, 43a46; turkeys, fresh-killed, per pound, Western, best here, 22a25, common, 20a22; squabs, per dozen, white, weighing 11a12 pounds, 4.25a4.85; do., 8a10 pounds, 3.60a4.10; do., 5 pounds, 3.00a3.10; do., 7 pounds, 2.50a2.75; do., 6a6½ pounds, 1.75a2.50; dark, 1.50a2.20; small and No. 2, 50a1.25.

SONS OF JONADAB HAVE SOCIAL MEETING

The regular monthly informal meeting of the Hope Council, Independent Order Sons of Jonadab, was held last night in the Pythian Temple, with John C. Foster presiding.

The meeting was opened by the chairman. He introduced James Spillman and John Mangum, who spoke on the evils of intoxication.

Among the features of the evening were recitations by William H. Bright and Herbert Thompson, Charles Varmillion and P. J. Niland sang. Refreshments were served.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE PROMOTES 100 BOYS

Allegiance to the flag was the keynote of the closing exercises of the junior department of St. John's College at Immaculate Conception Hall last night. An entire company of cadets gave a presentation of a tableau, "Our National Flag."

Rev. Francis J. Hurney, of the Church of the Sacred Heart, presided at the exercises and awarded certificates of promotion to more than 100 students.

Music was given by Charles Clark, Justin McCarthy, Freddie Haas, Joseph Jones, Daniel Callahan and Winford Adamson. V