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ERIE AND READING ADVANCE SENSATION OF STOCK MARKET.

BOTH STOCKS GO UP TO A NEW HIGH RECORD.

Pool Which Has Been Operating Issues for a Year Reveals Its Intentions, and Flurry Follows.

New York, Aug. 22.—All other events in to-day's stock markets were completely overshadowed by sensational upward movements in Reading and Erie. On an enormous volume of trading Reading advanced 3½ points to a new high record in the first hour, soon lost much of its gain but as speedily recovered and closed with a net advance of 2⅞ points.

Erie on very heavy trading advanced 2⅞ to 51½, also a new high record and closed at 51⅜. It would be idle to advance any special reason for the movements in Reading. A pool of considerable proportions has been operating in it for almost a year and its advance in that period has probably exceeded that of any other stock in its class.

Ever since Reading crossed par there has existed a good sized short interest and to-day's early upward rush was strongly suggestive of a drive against this interest. In the opinion of shrew observers, however, this but partly explains Reading's phenomenal rise.

Rumors that the stock is to come in for an increased dividend at an early date were current to-day as was also a report that the road is to figure advantageously in a deal in progress of formation, but neither of these stories rose above the level of board room gossip. Much of the buying of Reading during the past few weeks has come from out of town, according to reports, Philadelphia and Pittsburg houses being prominent on the long side.

Operations in Reading aggregated almost 20 per cent of the day's entire business. The rise in Reading served to stimulate the balance of the list for awhile, but a reverse movement soon set in. The Pacific, New York Central, Atchison, Delaware and Hudson and some of the more active industrials yielded a point or more. The reaction was checked by a further rise in Reading. In the last hour operations centered largely around such stocks as Delaware and Hudson, Lackawanna and others.

The grangers were neglected the greater part of the day. St. Paul being the only steady stock in this group. Aside from some latent strength in American Smelting, the industrials were without feature, the steel stocks displaying heaviness throughout. The market broadened in the final dealings, trading switching from Reading to the Eries and other coalers.

Purchases of the Eries seemed to come from the same interests responsible for the early rise in Reading. London was a small factor, selling slightly on balance.

Her early purchases of Reading were soon exchanged for profits. Americans in London were slightly lower in sympathy with the break in Russian and Japanese bonds. The Government's weekly crop summary bore out recent forecasts as to conditions at Western and Northwestern points. Some damage to corn was reported from the Middle West and Southwest. The local money market continues very easy, with no increased demand.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,824,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

New York Curb Market.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Aug. 22.—Curb securities were somewhat irregular to-day. Moving in sympathy with the course of prices on the exchange, as a rule active issues sold off at the close. Business was poorly distributed. Chicago Subway was again the feature of mere speculation. The stock was active, opening fractions lower and was freely distributed. It closed ⅞ lower at 43½. American Can became easier, the common selling down from 6⅞ to 11⅝, and the preferred from 90⅝ to 90⅛. Cleveland Cliffs Iron preferred fell off to 90. Japanese new 4½ per cent bonds were under pressure as the result of the unofficial news as to the outcome of the peace negotiations. They sold down from 92½ to 92, closing at 92⅛. Northern Pacific Trust closed unchanged at 235. Mackay Companies were quiet but strong. Standard Oil, on limited transactions declined from 659 to 657.

St. Louis Money Market.

The volume of transactions at St. Louis banks and trust companies was large. Demands for all purposes are reported good. Discount rates held firm at from 4 to 5½ per cent.

Yesterday's Bank Clearings.

Yesterday's Clearing-house statement showed clearings $7,094,722, balances $969,369.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Available cash balance $153,389,172; gold coin and bullion $83,194,921; gold certificates $21,769,029.

New York Money Market.

New York, Aug. 22.—Money on call steady, 2@2½ per cent; closing bid 2; offered at 2½. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85@4.8520 for demand and at 4.8625@4.8650 for sixty-day bills; posted rates 4.85 and 4.87; commercial bills 4.84⅞. Mexican dollars 47c. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Aug. 22.—United States Government bonds closed firm, with recent advances maintained. In the general bond market prices were irregular, with the principal dealings in Japanese issues, Erie convertible 4s, Mexican Central 4s incomes and Union Pacific convertible 4s.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Close To-day.	Yesterday.
2s, registered, 1930	104⅝@107	104⅝@108
2s, coupon, 1930	104⅝@105	104⅝@105
3s, registered, 1908	103⅝@104⅛	103⅝@104⅛
3s, coupon, 1908	103⅝@104⅛	103⅝@104⅛
3s, small bonds	103 @	103 @
4s, registered, 1907	104⅝@105	104⅝@105
4s, coupon, 1907	104⅝@105	104⅝@105
4s, registered, 1925	133 @134	133 @134
4s, coupon, 1925	133 @134	133 @134
D. C. 3.65s	117 @	117 @
Philippine 4s	100⅝@	100⅝@

STOCK EXCHANGE BOND TRANSACTIONS.

5,000 Va dfd ss B Bros & Co ctfs 15⅞
10,000 do 15⅞

Sales of foreign bonds were:

13,000	Imperial Jap ster loan 6s	100⅞	
20,000	do	100⅞	
21,000	do	100⅞	
4,000	do	100⅞	
5,000	do	101	
10,000	do	101⅛	
1,000	do	101	
4,000	do	101⅛	
2,000	do	100⅞	
10,000	do, 2d ser 6s	99⅞	
2,000	do	99⅞	
500	do	99⅞	
50,000	do	99½	
10,000	do	99⅝	
4,000	do	99½	
25,000	do ster loan 4½s K L & Co ctfs	90⅛	
16,000	do	90⅛	
36,000	do	90	
4,000	do	90⅛	
50,000	do	90	
1,000	do	90⅛	
2,000	do	90	
20,000	do	89⅞	
5,000	do	89⅞	
20,000	do	89	
1,000	do	89⅞	
2,000	do	89	
113,000	do	89⅛	
102,000	do	89⅛	
18,000	do	90⅛	

Sales of domestic bonds were:

1,000	Am Ice deb 6s	80½	
20,000	Am Tob 4s	76⅛	
2,000	do	76	
1,000	do	76⅛	
1,000	Ann Arbor 4s	99⅞	
10,000	Atch T & S F gold 4s	104⅛	
1,000	do adj 4s	98⅞	
1,000	do	98⅞	
4,000	do adj 4s	98⅞	
21,000	do ctf 4s 2d ins 62½ per cent paid	105⅛	
2,000	B & O P L 4½s	95⅞	
1,500	B & O gold 4s	102⅛	
20,000	C P L E & W Va 4s	100⅛	
12,000	B R T cvt 4s	90⅞	
10,000	Can Ga 2d inc	50⅛	
8,000	do 3d inc	79⅞	
10,000	Cen Leather 5s	120	
2,000	C & O gen 4½s	116½	
1,000	do R & A div 1st con	110½	
22,000	C & A 3s	90⅛	
10,000	C B & Q deb 5s	107⅛	
1,000	do Ill div 3½s	85⅞	
47,000	C B & Q 4s int bds	101⅞	
1,000	do	101⅞	
5,000	do	101⅞	
7,000	C R I & P rfg 4s	96⅞	
1,000	do col 5s	102½	
25,000	do col 4s	94⅛	
50,000	do	95⅞	
1,000	do col 4s 1917s	96⅛	
2,000	C C C & St L gen 4s	102⅞	
5,000	do	102⅞	
6,000	Col Indus col 4s ser B	73⅞	
10,000	Col Mid 4s	51⅛	
2,000	Col & So 4s	94⅛	
43,000	Con Gas cvt 6s	173	
1,000	Del So Ohio 5s	100⅞	
1,000	do div 4s	95⅞	
2,000	do	95⅞	
10,000	Dist Sec Corp 5s	81⅛	
17,000	do	81⅛	
2,000	Erie 1st con 4s	102	
43,000	Erie cvt 4s	102⅞	
17,000	do	110⅛	
1,000	do	110⅛	
12,000	do	110⅛	
5,000	do	110⅛	
2,000	do	110⅛	
25,000	do	111	
1,000	do	110⅞	
1,000	do	110⅞	
10,000	Erie-Penn Coal col tr 4s	96⅛	
4,000	G H & H 4s	99	
5,000	Int Paper cvt 5s	95	
11,000	do	95⅛	
2,000	K C Ft S & M 4s	90	
4,000	K C & Pac 4s	97⅛	
1,000	L S & M S gen 4s	102⅛	
1,000	L & N uni 4s	104	
8,000	do col tr 4s	97⅞	
1,000	Mex Cen con 4s	70	
43,000	do	70⅛	

Total sales $1,647,000, against $1,769,000 yesterday, $1,027,000 a week ago, and $3,185,000 a year ago.

STOCKS AND BONDS AT BOSTON.

Boston, Aug. 22.—Closing quotations to-day for money, bonds, stocks and mining shares were as follows:

MONEY.

Call loans 2½@3½ per cent, time loans 3½@4½ per cent.

BONDS.

Atchison adj 4s	97⅛	Mex. Central 4s	70
do 4s	102⅛		

RAILROAD STOCKS.

Atchison	83⅛	Pittsburg pfd	145⅛
do pfd	98⅛	Mexican Central	16⅛
Boston & Albany	258	Boston & N H & H	200
Boston & Maine	174	*Pere Marquette	96
Boston Elevated	156	Union Pacific	134⅛

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Am. Agr. Chem. pfd	94	General Electric	182
Am. Pneu. Tube	7⅛	Mass. Electric	11⅛
Am. Sugar	144⅛	do pfd	45
do pfd	119	New Gas	43⅛
Am. Tel & Tel	142⅛	United Shoe Mach.	34⅛
Am. Woolen	37	do pfd	34⅛
do pfd	94	U. S. Steel	36⅛
Dom. Iron & Steel	32	do pfd	104⅛
Edison Elec. Ill.	298⅛	Westinghouse Com.	83⅛

MINING SHARES.

Adventure	3⅛	Mohawk	57⅛
Allouez	17⅛	Mont. Coal & Coke	3⅛
Amalgamated	65⅛	Old Dominion	54⅛
Arn. Con. Zinc	1⅛	Osceola	120
Atlantic	14	*Parrot	3⅛
Bingham	30⅛	Quincy	127
Cal. & Hecla	640⅛	Shannon	6⅛
Centennial	18⅛	Tamarack	175
Copper Range	47	Trinity	12
Daly-West	14⅛	United Copper	23⅛
Elsemlom Cons.	1⅛	do pfd	75⅛
Franklin	12⅛	U. S. Oil	10
Granby	90⅛	do pfd	90
Isle Royale	32	Victoria	7⅛
Mass. Mining	8⅛	Winona	1⅛
Michigan	8⅛	*Wolverine	136

*Bid. †Asked.

Mining Stocks at New York.

New York, Aug. 22.—Closing quotations to-day for mining stocks were as follows:

Adams Con	25	Little Chief	1
Allouez	63	Ontario	36
Breece	40	Ophir	470
Brunswick Con	12	Phoenix	1
Comstock Tunnel	2	Potosi	4
Con. Cal. & Va.	1 15	Savage	14
Horn Silver	175	Sierra Nevada	32
Iron Silver	240	Small Hopes	30
Leadville Con.	6	Standard	135

Domestic Exchange.

Reported by Whitaker & Co., exchange brokers, 216 North Fourth street.

	Bid.	Asked.
New York	15c dis	15c dis
Chicago	10c dis	par
Cincinnati	25c dis	par
Louisville	25c dis	par
New Orleans	25c dis	par

Foreign Exchange.

Reported by the Mercantile Trust Company.

Cable Transfer, London	4.88⅞
Check, London	4.86⅞
Sixty days London	4.84⅞
Check, Germany	95⅛
Check, Paris	5.19⅞
Check, Switzerland	5.19⅞
Check, Belgium	5.19⅞
Check, Austria	5.17⅞
Check, Holland	40⅛

Market barely steady.

LOCAL SECURITIES STRONG IN FEATURELESS MARKET.

TRACTIONS ARE PRACTICALLY NEGLECTED.

Banking and Trust Company Issues and Miscellaneous List Receive Best Support.

Yesterday's session of the St. Louis Stock Exchange was unmarked by any feature to promote activity. Stocks were generally firm and in several issues real strength developed. The volume of trading was only fairly large and most of it of a professional nature. As during the preceding few days, a feeling of strength prevailed and there was no inclination to liquidate.

Third National scored a fractional advance, the stock selling up to $130.50. For National Bank of Commerce $265 was bid, but no transfers were made. Tractions were neglected almost completely, the only sale in that list being 1,000 United Railways 4s at $86.75. Candy common was active and the weak point was Simmons second preferred, which sold at $124.75 the last sale being at $128.50.

YESTERDAY'S SESSION.

Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
United Railways pfd.	$ 81.25	$ 81.50
Do. com.	20.25	20.37½
Do. 4s	86.75	86.87½
Browns Sale	4.00	4.25
Fourth National Bank	230.00	.....
Mechanics-American Bank	224.25	224.37½
National Bank of Commerce	265.00	265.00
Third National Bank	220.00	221.00
Commonwealth Trust	236.00	.....
Mississippi Valley Trust	272.00	280.00
Missouri-Lincoln	146.75	147.00
Title Guaranty Trust	60.00	.....
National Candy com.	5.50	7.00
Do. 2d pfd.	.....	50.00
American Credit Indemnity	179.75	.....
Simmons Hardware Co. com.	115.25	117.50
Do. 1st pfd.	.....	130.50
Do. 2d pfd.	124.50	.....
East St. Louis & Sub. 5s	191.75	192.12½
Alton Bridge 4s	94.00	.....
Brewing Association 6s	100.75	101.00
Granite-Bi-Metallic	.15	.17½
St. Joseph Lead	15.50	16.00
Chicago Rys. Equipment	75.00	76.00
Cotton Compress	54.00	55.25
Kansas City Tel.	70.00	71.25
Alton Granite	.....	98.00
Alton Granite stock	.....	65.00

Sales:

1,000 United Railways 4s at ..... $ 86.75
25 Missouri-Lincoln Trust at 146.50
25 Mechanics-American at 224.00
10 Third National at 130.50
6 Third National at 130.25
10 American Credit-Indemnity at 179.50
25 American Credit-Indemnity at 179.00
25 National Candy com. at 7.25
25 National Candy com. at 6.75
25 National Candy com. at 7.00
10 Simmons Hardware 2d pfd. at 124.75

New York Stock Quotations.

New York, Aug. 22.—Following are opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations for stocks on the Stock Exchange to-day, with the amount of sales:

Stocks.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Adams Express					240
Amalgamated Copper	24,000	65⅞	66⅞	65⅛	66⅛
Am. Car & Fdy.	200	37⅞	38	37⅞	37⅞
Do. pfd.	200	102	102	101⅞	102
Am. Cotton Oil	.....	.....	.....	.....	60
Do. pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....	92⅛
Am. Express	.....	.....	.....	.....	250
Am. Hide & L. pfd.	100	29	29	28⅞	28⅞
Am. Ice	100	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛
American Linseed Oil	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	40
Am. Locomotive	7,000	54⅞	55⅞	53⅞	55⅞
Do. pfd.	2,300	114⅞	114⅞	113⅞	113
Am. Smlg & Rfng	41,000	129⅞	130⅞	129⅞	129⅞
Do. pfd.	1,900	122	122⅞	121	121⅞
Am. Sugar Refining	3,200	145	145⅞	144⅞	144⅞
Am. Tobacco, pfd cer	1,300	102	102⅞	102	102⅞
Anaconda Mining Co	900	115⅞	115⅞	115⅞	115
Atchison	7,700	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞
Do. pfd	100	104	104	104	104
Atlantic Coast Line	600	166	166	165⅞	165⅞
B. & O.	25,600	113	114⅞	113	113⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	94
Brooklyn R. T.	3,500	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	69
Canadian Pacific	3,400	159⅞	160	159⅞	159⅞
Cent. of N. J.	600	218	219	218	218
C. & O.	6,300	56⅞	57⅞	56⅞	56⅞
Do. pfd.	100	81	81	81	78
Chi. Great Western	31,600	22⅞	22⅞	21⅞	22⅞
Chi. & Northwestn	300	222	222	222	222⅞
C. M. & St. P.	26,700	185⅞	186⅞	185⅞	185⅞
Chi. Ter. & Trans	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	39
C. C., C. & St. L.	.....	.....	.....	.....	101⅞
Colo. Fuel & Iron	2,500	47⅞	47⅞	46	46
Colo. & Southern	10,000	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
Do. 1st pfd.	100	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞
Do. 2d pfd.	3,500	41⅞	41⅞	41	41⅞
Consolidated Gas	200	196⅞	196⅞	196⅞	196⅞
Corn Products	.....	.....	.....	.....	13⅞
Do. pfd.	200	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	88
Del. & Hudson	7,300	223⅞	227	223⅞	222
D., L. & W.	100	450	450	450	450
Denv. & Rio Grande	100	35	35	35	34⅞
Do. pfd.	300	88⅞	88⅞	88⅞	88
Distillers' Securities	200	42⅞	42⅞	42⅞	42⅞
Erie	183,200	49⅞	51⅞	48⅞	51⅞
Do. 1st pfd.	13,500	83⅞	83⅞	83⅞	83
Erie 2d pfd.	20,400	73⅞	74	73⅞	73⅞
General Electric	100	182	182	182⅞	182
Hocking Valley	100	93	93	93	92
Illinois Central	1,900	177⅞	177⅞	177⅞	177⅞
Internat'l Paper	600	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	97⅞
International Pump	.....	.....	.....	.....	37⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	93
Iowa Central	100	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	29
Do. pfd.	700	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞	67
Kansas City South'n	.....	.....	.....	.....	29
Do. pfd.	200	59	59	59	58
L. & N.	2,000	150⅞	150⅞	149⅞	149⅞
Manhattan L.	600	166⅞	166⅞	166⅞	166⅞
Metropolitan Sec.	1,700	83⅞	83⅞	83	83
Metropolitan St. Ry.	1,300	134⅞	135⅞	134⅞	135
Mexican Central	2,900	24⅞	24⅞	23⅞	23⅞
Minn. & St. Louis	200	79⅞	79⅞	79⅞	79
M., St. P. & S. S. M	600	149	149	149⅞	148
Do. pfd.	200	167⅞	167⅞	167⅞	167⅞
Missouri Pacific	20,300	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
M., K. & T.	2,000	33⅞	33⅞	32⅞	33
Do. pfd.	200	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞
National Lead	2,100	43⅞	44⅞	43⅞	44
Nat. R. R. of M. pfd	200	88	88	88	88
N. Y. Central	6,200	154⅞	155⅞	154⅞	155⅞
N. Y. O. & W.	20,200	56⅞	57	55⅞	55⅞
Norfolk & Western	1,200	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	90
North American	1,600	104⅞	105⅞	103	103
Pacific Mail	1,000	43⅞	43⅞	43	43
Pennsylvania	66,100	145⅞	146⅞	145⅞	146⅞
People's Gas	1,200	104⅞	105⅞	104⅞	104
P., C. C. & St. L.	500	82	82	82	82
Pressed Steel Car	1,300	46⅞	47	46⅞	46⅞
Do. pfd.	100	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
Pullman Palace Car	100	251	251	251	250
Reading	351,200	112⅞	119⅞	118⅞	118
Do. 1st pfd.	700	95	95⅞	95	95⅞
Do. 2d pfd.	1,000	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞
Republic Steel	100	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
Do. pfd.	2,800	95⅞	95⅞	95⅞	95⅞
Rock Island Co.	1,200	34⅞	34⅞	33⅞	33⅞
Do. pfd.	4,200	79⅞	80⅞	79⅞	79⅞
Rubber Goods	.....	.....	.....	.....	34⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	75
St. L. S. F. 2d pfd	700	69⅞	69⅞	69	69⅞
St. Louis Southwestn.	1,100	27⅞	27⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Do. pfd.	800	64⅞	64⅞	64	64⅞
Southern Pacific	12,200	67	67⅞	66⅞	66⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	117⅞
Southern Railway	1,900	35	35⅞	35	35
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	97⅞
Tenn. Coal & Iron	2,100	92⅞	93⅞	92⅞	93⅞
Texas & Pacific	2,200	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞
T., S. L. & W.	.....	.....	.....	.....	25
Do. pfd.	200	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞
Union Pacific	60,800	135⅞	135⅞	134⅞	134⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	98
United States Express	.....	.....	.....	.....	40
United States Realty	.....	.....	.....	.....	125
U. S. Rubber	1,000	50⅞	50⅞	.....	49⅞
Do. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....	108
United States Steel	51,500	34⅞	36⅞	34	36⅞
Do. pfd.	17,200	104⅞	104⅞	104	104⅞
Vir. Car. Chemical	100	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞
Do. pfd.	100	106	106	106	106
Wabash	700	23	23⅞	21⅞	21⅞
Do. pfd.	1,600	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
Wells Fargo Express	.....	.....	.....	.....	240
Westinghouse Electric	.....	.....	.....	.....	150
Western Union	300	94⅞	94⅞	93⅞	94⅞
Wheeling & L. Erie	100	16	16	16	16
Wisconsin Central	1,800	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞	22
Do. pfd.	1,000	61	61⅞	61	62
Northern Pacific	4,400	214⅞	217	212⅞	215⅞
Cent. Sea	200	42⅞	42⅞	42	42⅞
Do. pfd.	200	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞	104
Sloss-Sheffield	100	50	50	50	50
U. S. C. I. Pipe	800	20⅞	21	20⅞	21
Do. pfd.	4,400	97⅞	98	97⅞	98⅞

Total sales for the day, 1,863,200 shares.

LIVE-STOCK MARKET.

Large Native Receipts—Beef Cattle Active—Hogs Higher.

NATIVE CATTLE—Beef steers—Under a moderate run of beef steers, the general grade of which was above medium, the market had fair life and offerings sold fully steady. While there were but few medium lots included, holders of these were not satisfied to call them steady. Quite a few loads of Westerns and native Texas were included.

The top was $5.60 for very good 1,344-lb. steers, with a few odd head of coarse heavy steers weighing $5.35, with practically all sales of steers good light and heavy weight going at $4.75@5.25, while a few medium cattle went around $4.25@4.60. Pretty good branded steers brought $4.60.

BEEF AND BUTCHER STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
21	1,206	$5.40	21	1,241	$5.35	19	1,132	$5.25
21	1,246	5.25	21	1,129	5.20	23	1,203	5.10
21	1,229	5.00	19	1,129	4.90	21	1,127	4.75
1	1,140	4.62	17	1,127	4.60	21	1,125	4.35
1	980	4.25	1	980	4.00	1	740	3.40
22	1,127	5.25	21	1,272	5.20	21	1,276	5.10
1	924	5.10	20	1,276	5.10	21	1,081	4.85
1	910	4.80	19	1,129	4.75	19	1,129	4.65
9	1,001	4.75	1	1,060	4.25	1	840	4.25
7	1,078	3.60	68	1,069	3.50			

Texas Beef and Butcher Steers:

20	1,076	3.60	68	1,069	3.50

Butcher Cattle—One load of choice steers and heifers and a few good to choice cows was about the extent of the supply of desirable grades in this department and they sold readily at steady prices.

Trade on medium lots, especially those very great, was very uneven. The best medium lots did not show much change, though selling slowly, but others in places were weak to 10c lower.

The canner trade was quiet, but prices were fully steady.

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
27	650	$3.15	8	727	$3.40	1	600	$3.00
1	510	3.25	8	675	3.10	1	600	3.00
1	640	3.00	1	680	3.00	1	610	2.85
6	671	2.60	1	720	2.50	6	812	2.40
9	709	2.60	9	678	2.50	12	690	2.25
1	790	2.50	1	620	2.50	7	771	2.25
31	697	2.25						

Steers and Heifers:

17	952	$3.15	4	822	4.00	11	797	3.90
17	794	2.60						

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
12	990	$3.40	11	911	$3.25	1	1010	3.25
4	790	3.25	1	1060	3.25	16	932	3.10
1	960	3.00	19	988	2.90	11	739	2.60
19	927	2.50	1	930	2.50	12	990	2.50
8	879	2.40	16	794	2.40	1	1020	2.40
1	1170	2.40	1	1160	2.40	6	1230	2.30
1	1250	2.30	1	1050	2.30	5	1000	2.30
1	1130	2.30	1	1010	2.30	1	1020	2.30
1	1170	2.30	1	1020	2.30	1	1000	2.30
1	1160	2.30	1	1230	2.30			

BULLS.

1	1160	2.40	1	1000	2.40	1	1290	2.35
1	1250	2.35	1	1190	2.30	1	1110	2.30
1	1190	2.30	1	1020	2.30	1	1000	2.30
8	853	2.25	1	1290	2.20			

VEAL CALVES.

1	110	6.25	11	119	6.25	1	120	6.00
1	170	6.00	1	200	6.00	1	170	6.00
1	150	6.00	11	119	6.00	1	200	6.00
1	130	6.00	10	140	6.00	1	130	5.75
9	117	5.75	10	130	5.75	1	160	5.50
1	120	5.50	1	160	5.50	1	160	5.25
1	90	5.00	1	160	5.00	1	180	5.00
2	95	4.75	3	210	5.00	4	205	3.75
8	113	4.00	1	200	3.25	1	190	3.00
1	120	3.00	1	170	3.00	1	220	2.50
1	160	2.50	1	260	2.25	10	225	2.50
1	130	1.50						

STAGS.

1	1240	4.25						

MILKERS.

2	.....	$36.00	1	.....	$36.00	1	.....	$36.00
3	.....	32.00						

SOUTHERN CATTLE—There was nothing especially desirable in the steer line. A few lots of decent 900-lb. weights were available, but the general run of offerings were either on the common or fair order, while the higher-priced kind