

SECURITIES WEAKER

Stocks Affected by Reported Sharp Dealings in London.

Notwithstanding Declines in Market Shows a Firm Under-tone—Sugar Lower at the Opening—Brooklyn Rapid Transit and Other Local Traction Shares Display Activity.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—The stock market opened unfavorably affected by the reported sharp dealings that appeared in American stocks in the London market and by the general selling of stocks here by foreign houses in the initial dealings.

Both of these circumstances reflected the more critical South African situation, in regard to which the morning's cable advice indicated that was inevitable between Great Britain and the Transvaal Republic.

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Table with columns: American Cotton Oil, A. & W. Wire, A. S. Wire, American Sugar, American Tobacco, etc.

The stock market declined this morning from the opening prices generally sagging off fractionally and in some cases a point or more. The higher rates for call money yesterday afternoon and a rate of 4 1/2 per cent during the morning hours today seemed to be the cause, or one of the causes, of the selling movement.

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10 to 11. Lot of little girls' percale, and ginghams and embroidery trimmed dresses, which sold up to as high as \$1, will be sold for 25c tomorrow this hour.

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11 to 12. Ladies' fast black full seamless hose, which sell at 12-1-2c, for 4-1-2c.

1 to 2. Lot ladies' muslin drawers, trimmed with tucks and have a deep hem, for 12-1-2c; equal of them cost 25c elsewhere.

2 to 3. 100 dozen cambric-finish full-size bleached pillow cases, all hemmed and hand-torn and ironed, instead of 12-1-2c for 8-3-4c.

3 to 4. Different shades of Gray Homespun Suits, made with the new habit-backs and silk-lined jackets, such as other stores advertise at \$1.95, to go this hour tomorrow for \$1.95. Hechts shall not be undersold.

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