FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

MONEY 8 PER CENT., NEW YORK EXCHANGE SELLING AT PAR.

Cotton Firm—Middling, 8 7-8c—Sales Yesterday, 2100 Bales.

Money rules in strong demand at 8 per cent. Local securities continue steady.

The local cotton market was easy yesterday at unchanged quotations; middling, 8⅞c. Sales, 2100 bales. At New York spots closed dull; middling, 9⅛c. Futures barely steady; October, 9.10@9 11c.

A leading New York circular on cotton futures says: "The opening was weak, with rather free offering and further decline of 2@3 points. The posting of official crop reports show much less favorable condition than expected, changed the whole tenor of the market, and on a general scramble to repurchase recently sold long contracts and to cover in shorts, there was a rapid advance of about 12 points, with a large business, but with the more anxious buyers supplied there was 2 or 3 points set back, and easy feeling at the close."

At New Orleans yesterday spots were quiet and 1-16c lower; middling, 8 15-16c; futures quiet and steady; October, 8.80@8.83.

At Liverpool spots were dull in buyers' favor and 1-16c lower; middling, 5⅛d; futures were weak; October, 5 7-64d.

In the general market hog products were firm and advancing; bulk pork, clear sides ⅛c higher, 7⅞c; clear rib sides, 7⅛@7¼c; long clear, 7c. Eggs quiet at 15@16c. Corn 1c lower; white, in bulk, 43c; in sacks, 46c; mixed, in bulk, 41c; in sacks, 44½c. Other articles unchanged.

IMPORTS.

Two hundred and seventy-two brls apples, 51 pkgs butter, 500 rolls bagging, 139 pkgs bacon, 198 pkgs boots and shoes, 3500 bu corn, 325 sks coffee, 10 cars cotton seed, 1000 sks cotton seed, 800 bundles cotton ties, 251 pkgs dry goods, 51 pkgs eggs, 100 bales hay, 42 pkgs hams, 30 hd cattle, 72 hd horses and mules, 128 pkgs lard, 29 pkgs liquors, 26 brls meal, 300 kgs nails, 25 brls potatoes, 35 brls sugar and 362 pkgs tobacco.

ELEVATOR REPORTS

The following shows the amount of grain received, withdrawn and in store by regular elevators, as reported to the Merchants' Exchange yesterday: Wheat, none received or withdrawn; in store, 1045 bu. Corn received, none; withdrawn, 134 bu; in store, 8529 bu. Oats received, 2505 bu; withdrawn, 2479 bu; in store, 164,256 bu.

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FINANCE.

Money in active demand at 8 per cent. The Clearing House report is as follows:

CLEARINGS.

Saturday, October 9th, $227,246 43; total this week, $1,473,635 37; total last week, $1,147,219 61; corresponding time in 1885, $1,437,856 61; corresponding time in 1884, $1,122,555 48.

BALANCES.

Saturday, October 9th, $12 748 06; total this week, $293,151 45; total last week, $365,988 17; corresponding time in 1885, $216,381 32; corresponding time in 1884, $229 319 17.

EXCHANGE

New York sight on all points, ½ discount buying, par selling; New England demand, ½ discount buying; New England sight, ⅜ discount; New Orleans, ½ discount buying, par selling.

BANK STOCKS.

Bank of Commerce	146 bid, 149 asked
First National	160 bid, 165 asked
German Bank	195 bid, 200 asked
State National	145 bid, 150 asked
Union and Planters	150 bid, 153 asked
Mercantile Bank	135 bid, 137½ asked

INSURANCE STOCKS.

Bluff City	100 bid, ... asked
Hernando	100 bid, ... asked
Home	75 bid, 80 asked
Memphis City	102½ bid, 103 asked
Peoples	80 bid, 83 asked
Phœnix	98 bid, 100 asked
Planters	107 bid, ... asked
Vanderbilt	22 bid, 26 asked
Arlington	38 bid, ... asked
Factors	... 20 asked

MISCELLANEOUS.

M. & C. R R. shares	36 bid, ... asked
M. & T. R. R. shares	45 bid, 53 asked
M. & C. consols, 7s	119 bid, ... asked
M. & L. R. 1st m. 8s	105 bid, ... asked
Miss. & T. R. R. cs. A	111 bid, 113 asked
Miss. & T. R. R. cs. B	101½ bid, 103 asked
Tenn. wts. ser. D	90 bid, 93 asked
Tenn. wts. ser. E to J	83 bid, 85 asked
Shelby Co 6s	108 bid, 110 asked
Tax. Dist. 4, 6s	97½ bid, 98½ asked
Tax Dist. 6s	104½ bid, 105½ asked
Mem. Gas bonds	104 bid, ... asked
Mem. Water bonds	97 bid, ... asked
Hanauer Oil Works	... bid 65 asked
Am. Cot. Oil trust	64 bid, 65 asked
Pioneer Cotton Mills	25 bid, 30 asked
Mem. Stor. Com. Co	106 bid, 110 asked
Mem. Gas stock	75 bid, 80 asked

NEW YORK, October 9.—Money on call quieter at 5@7 per cent, closing at 5 asked. Prime mercantile paper 4@5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at 81¼ for 60 day bills and 484½ for demand.

The weekly statement of the associated banks shows the following changes: Reserve, decrease, $905,125; loans, increase, $3 561,200; specie, increase, $1,613,900; legal tenders, decrease, $1,726,900; deposits, increase, $3,168,500; circulation, decrease, $51,100. The banks now hold $5,508,500 in excess of the 25 per cent. rule.

Bonds—Government bonds were dull and weak. State bonds were dull and steady.

Stocks—New England stock was noticeable in the early morning for the unusual decline at which it opened and its wild fluctuations in the first fifteen minutes. These were generally attributed to the disappointment at the proceedings of the meeting yesterday afternoon. Later it settled down with the remainder of the list. The great majority of the transactions of the morning were confined to New England, Reading and Western Union, and in the afternoon Pacific Mail attracted considerable attention, and under great pressure to sell declined materially. There were rumors of a hitch in the Reading reorganization during the afternoon and the stock declined under heavy sales. The market shows evidence that the operators are again awaiting developments, and fluctuations today, except in the three weak stocks of the afternoon, were confined within a range of 1 per cent. generally. Western Union was very prominent in the trading, but remained comparatively steady throughout the day. The grangers' and trunk lines were quiet. The opening prices showed irregularities and differences being generally from ⅛ to ¼, while New England was down 3 per cent. The principal activity in the morning was in New England, Reading and Western Union, and the former, after several violent fluctuations which left it about 1 per cent. below the opening price, and having, in the meantime, touched both its highest and lowest points for the day, became heavy to weak, and Reading sympathized to a certain extent. The remainder of the list was generally firm until toward noon, when it sagged off. Pacific Mail at this time became decidedly weak and so continued until near the close, at which time a general rally took place. The market closed barely firm, close to the lowest of the day. Almost everything is lower tonight, New England being down ⅞, Pacific Mail 2, Hocking Valley 1⅛, and others fractions. The business for the week was 3,095,305 shares, against 2,532,606 for the previous week. There was the usual quiet business in railroad bonds, the special features of which were the Atlantic and Pacific incomes, which furnished $650,000, and the Texas Pacific Rio's Trust receipts, which furnished $3 0,000, out of a total day's business of $1,790,000. Prices followed the course of the share market. Closing prices show irregular changes. Sales for the week 411,778,000, against $10,094,000 for the previous week.

The total sales of stocks today were 331,657 shares, including Canada Southern, 9875; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 6350; Erie, 7010; Lake Shore, 8200; Louisville and Nashville, 5845; Michigan Central, 3200; Missouri, Kansas and Texas, 8819; New Jersey Central, 4700; Pacific Mail, 16,140; Reading, 77,400; St. Paul, 15,100; Western Union, 14,590. Closing quotations:

GOVERNMENTS.	
U. S. 3s, 100.	4s, coup, 128¾.
4¾s, coup, 111¾.	Pacific 6s of 1895, 126¼.
BONDS.	
La. stamps, 4s, 78½.	Missouri 6s, 106½.
Cent. Pac. 1sts, 116.	Den. & R. G. 1sts, 124.
Den. & R. W. 1sts, 80.	Erie seconds, 116.
M. K. & T. G. n. 6s, 98.	North. Pac 1sts, 115⅞.
North. Pac. 2sts, 101.	N. Western con., 142.
N. West deb. 5s, 109¾.	St. L. S. F Gen. M, 109¾
St Paul con., 132.	St. P., C & P. 1sts, 120
T. P. land grants, 56½.	T. P., R. G. ex cou, 72.
U. P. 1sts, 115⅝.	West Shore, 103¾.
Tenn. 6s, set'mt, 106.	Tenn. 5s, set'mt, 100.
Tenn. 3s, set'mt, 77.	
STOCKS.	
Adams Express, 142.	Morris & E., offd, 141½.
Allegheny Cen., —.	Nashville & C., 64½.
Alton & T. H., 37¾.	N. J. Central, 62.
A. & T. H. pfd., 95.	Nor. & W. pfd, 44½.
American Ex., 106½.	Northern Pac., 28⅝.
B. C. R. & N, 55	Northern P. pfd, 62⅝.
Canada Pac., 70¾	C. & N. W., 116¾.
Canada Sou., 62¾.	C. & N. W. pfd, 142.
Central Pacific, 48½.	N. Y. Central, 112¾.
Chesapeake & O., 9⅝	N. Y. C. & St. L., 16⅝.
C. & O. 1st pfd, 16½.	N. Y. C. & St. L., p, 20¾.
C. & O. 2d pfd., 11.	Ohio Central, —.
C. & A., 142¾.	Ohio & Miss., 27⅝.
C. & A. pfd., 160.	O. & Miss. pfd, 90
C. B. & Q., 138¾.	Ontario & West., 20¾.
C., St. L. & N. O., —.	Oregon Nav., 104½.
C., St. L. & P., 13½.	Oregon Trans., 33⅝.
C. St. L. & P. pfd, 30.	Oregon Imp., 29.
C. S. & C., 38.	Pacific Mail, 34¾.
C. & C., 69.	Panama, 98.
C. & H. Valley, 30¼.	Peoria, D. & E., 28¾.
Del. & Had., 104⅝.	Pittsburg, 152.
Del., L. & W., 136⅞.	Pullman P. C., 143½.
Den. & Rio G., 32⅝.	Reading, 36.
Erie, 35⅝.	Rock Island, 128
Erie pfd, 77.	St. L. & S. F., 31⅞.
New East Tenn., 11¾.	St. L. & S. F. pfd, 65½
New E. Tenn. pfd, 75⅝.	St. L. & S. F. 1st p, 114.
Fort Wayne, 146	C. M. & St. P., 94.
Hannibal & St. Jo, —.	C. M. & St. P., p, 121.
H. & St. Jo., pfd, —.	St. P., M. & M., 118⅝.
Harlem, 230.	St Paul & Omaha, 49⅞.
Houston & T., 35	St Paul & O. pfd, 112⅝
Illionis Central, 134½.	Tenn. Coal & Iron, 66.
Ind., B. & W., 21.	Texas Pacific, 19
Kansas & T., 36.	Union Pacific, 62¾.
Lake E. & W., 13.	U. S. Express, 59½.
Lake Shore, 91¾.	W., St. L. & P., 19¾.
Lou. & Nash., 50⅞.	W., St. L. & P., p., 36½.
Lou. & N. A., 53.	W. & F. Ex., 125.
M. & O. 1st pfd., —.	W. U. Tel., 77⅝.
M. & O. records, —.	Colorado Coal, 28.
Mem. & Char., 40.	Home Stake, 10½.
Mich. Cen., 91¾.	Iron Silver, 210.
Min. & St. L., 2¼	Ontario, 25.
Min. & St. L. pfd, 46¼.	Quicksilver, 6.
Missouri Pacific 115¼.	Quicksilver pfd., 24.
Mobile & Ohio, 16.	South Pacific, —.
M. L. S. & W., 67.	Sutro, 6.
M. L. S. & W. pfd, 91.	

LONDON, October 9.—Consols 100 15-16 for money, and 101 for the account. United States bonds—4s, 132½; 4½s, 115⅝.

PARIS, October 9.—Three per cent. rentes, 82f. 90c for the account.

BANK CLEARINGS.

NEW ORLEANS, LA. October 9.—Clearings of the banks, $1,118,320.

NEW YORK, October 9.—Exchanges, $126,097,942; balances, $4,985,577.

BALTIMORE, MD., October 9.—Exchanges, $2,015,569; balances, $261,808.

ST. LOUIS, MO., October 9.—Bank clearings, $3,225,799, balances, $450,491; for the week; clearings, $16,002,874, balances $2,325,834.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., October 9.—Clearings, $19,694,742; balances, $1,318,687. Clearings for the week $63,495,252; balances, $8,797,913.

CHICAGO, ILL., October 9.—The Associated Bank clearings today were $9,873,000. The total clearings for the week were $66,643,000, against $53,648,000 for the corresponding week a year ago.

BOSTON, MASS., October 9.—Exchanges, $14,110,645; balances, $1,379,587; for the week; exchanges, $93,128,653 balances, $8,616 609; for the corresponding week last year; exchanges, $72,425,489; balances, $9,351,619.

COTTON MARKETS.

The local cotton market opened quiet and steady and closed easy; middling, 8⅞c. Sales, 2100 bales, 1400 to exporters and 700 to spinners.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

	Yesterday.	Friday.
Ordinary	Nom.	Nom.
Good Ordinary	Nom.	Nom.
Low Middling	8½	8½
Middling	8⅞	8⅞
Good Middling	9½	9½
Middling Fair	9⅞	9⅞
Fair	Nom.	Nom.

COTTON STATEMENT.

MEMPHIS, October 9, 1886.

Stock Sept. 1, 1886	4,009	
Received today	3,329	
Received previously	31,905	39,241
Shipped today	1,048	
Shipped previously	11,332	
Home consumption to date	205	12,585
Stock running account		26,656

Imports.

Thus far this week	3,329
Thus far last week	2,279
Since September 1st	35,232
M. and C. R. R.	513
M. & T. R. R.	613
L. and N. R. R.	534
M. & L. R. R.	694
C., O. & S. W. R. R.	268
L., N. O. & T. R. R.	11
K. C., S. & M. R. R.	123
M., S. & B. R. R.	107
Steamers	266
Wagons and other sources	200
Total	3,329

Exports.

Thus far this week	1,048
Thus far last week	1,136
Since September 1st	12,380
M. & C. R. R.	50
L. & N. R. R.	364
C., O. & S. W. R. R.	302
M. S. & B. R. R.	16
Steamers North	316
Total	1,048

New York spots opened quiet, and closed dull and lower. Middling, 9⅛c. Sales, 154 bales. Quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Friday.
Ordinary	6¾	6¾
Good ordinary	8½	8½
Low middling	8 15-16	8 15-16
Middling	9⅛	9⅛
Good middling	9¾	9¾
Middling fair	10 7-16	10 7-16
Fair	11 1-16	11 1-16

New York futures opened steady and closed barely steady and 4 to 7 points higher. Sales, 53,400 bales. The closing quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Friday.
October	9.10@ 9.11	9.04@ 9.05
November	9.10@ 9.11	9.06@ 9.07
December	9.15@ 9.16	9.09@ .....
January	9.22@ 9.23	9.16@ 9.17
February	9.30@ 9.31	9.23@ 9.24
March	9.37@ 9.38	9.31@ 9.32
April	9.46@	9.39@ 9.40
May	9.54@	9.48@ 9.49
June	9.62@ 9.64	9.56@ 9.57
July	9.69@	9.62@ 9.63
August	9.75@ 9.77	9.70@ 9.71

The New Orleans spot market opened weak, and closed quiet and 1-16c lower. Middling, 8 15-16c. Sales, 1500 bales. Quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Friday.
Ordinary	6 13-16	6⅞
Good Ordinary	7 9-16	7⅞
Low Middling	8 7-16	8½
Middling	8 15-16	9
Good Middling	9¼	9¼

The New Orleans future market opened steady, and closed quiet and steady at quotations. Sales, 27,200 bales. Quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Friday.
October	8 80@ 8 83	8.80@ 8 82
November	8.70@ 8.71	8 66@ 8.67
December	8.72@ 8 73	8.68@ 8 69
January	8.80@ 8 81	8 76@ 8 77
February	8.91@ 8.92	8 87@ 8.89
March	9.02@ 9 03	9.97@ 9.98
April	9 12@ 9.13	9.08@ 9.09
May	9.23@ 9.24	9.18@ 9.20
June	9.34@ 9.35	9.28@ 9.30
July	9.43@ 9.45	9.38@ 9 39

DAILY PORT AND INTERIOR MARKETS.

	Tone	Rec.	Ptcks	Stock.
Galveston	weak.	4,522	9	71,318
N. Orleans	q'a s'y	8,703	9	67,367
Mobile	quiet.	705	8⅞	5,928
Savannah	easy.	7,619	8 11-16	8,954
Charl'ston	quiet.	5,800	8⅝	45,610
Wilm'ton	dull.	1,369	8¼	16,332
Norfolk	steady	2,725	8½	3,318
Baltimore	dull.	.....	9¼	5,768
New York	dull.	.....	9⅜	97,584
Boston	quiet.	181	9¼	.....
Philad'a	firm.	52	9⅜	2,982
St. Louis	.....	1,966	8 15 16	12,460
Augusta	quiet.	2,095	8⅝	.....

Receipts at ports, this day, 1886..33,914
Receipts at ports, this day, 1885..32,139

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT.

	1884.	1885.	1886.
R'ts U. S p'rts 1 day	33,914	32,139	32,181
Ex. Gr. B	16,300	5,019	10,108
Stck	409,970	411,151	372,942
R'ts Sept. 1	619 083	658,363	658,942
For'gn Ex.	263,204	214 766	278,466

Decrease in receipts this year ...39,280

At noon: Liverpool spots were dull in buyers' favor, all American grades off 1-16d. Sales, 7000 bales, of which American 58,00 bales. Receipts, none.

Closing quotations were as follows: Ordinary, 4⅜d; good ordinary, 4⅜d; low middling, 5 3 16d; good middling, 5 11-16d; middling uplands, 5⅛d, middling Orleans, 5⅜d.

[*The prices are given in pence and 64ths, thus:* 4 63 *means* 4 63-64*d; and* 5 01 *means* 5 1 64*d.*]

At noon: Liverpool futures were dull at decline: October, 5 08@5 07d; October-November, 5 01@5d; November-December, 5@4 63d; December-January, 5@4 63d; January-February, 5@4 63d; February-March, 5 01@5d; March-April, 5 03@5 02d; April-May, 5 0 @5 04; May-June, 5 07@5 06d.

At 1 p.m.: Liverpool futures were weak; October, 5 07d, sellers; October-November 5d, sellers; November-December, 4 62d, buyers; December-January, 4 62d, sellers; January-February, 4 62d, sellers; February-March, 5d, sellers; March-April, 5 02d, sellers; April-May, 5 04d, sellers; May-June, 5 06d, value.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT, OCTOBER 9, 1886.

Receipts this week	138,121
Same week in 1885	124,413
Same week in 1884	109 840
Increase compared with 1885	13 708
Increase compared with 1884	28,281
Shipments this week	99,200
Same week in 1885	106,510
Same week in 1884	91,229
Increase compared with 1885	7,310
Increase compared with 1884	7,971
Stock this week	114,575
Same week in 1885	89,785
Same week in 1884	68,108
Increase compared with 1885	21,790
Increase compared with 1884	43,467

PLANTATION MOVEMENT.

1886	235,036
1885	209,800
1884	222,108

WORLD'S VISIBLE SUPPLY.

The New York *Financial Chronicle* of October 9th gives the following figures: Total visible supply, 1,337,333 bales, against 1,320,212 in 1885. These figures indicate an increase of cotton in sight of 17,121 bales, as compared with the same date in 1885, and a decrease of 248 832 bales as compared with same date in 1884.

GENERAL TRADE.

BREADSTUFFS.

CORNMEAL—Standard, $2 20@2 25; pearl, $3 25@3 35; roller, $2 45.

HAY—Choice, from store, 75c; car load from levee or depot, $12@13; prime, from store, 65@70c; car load from levee or depot, $11@12; prairie, from store 50c.; car load from levee or depot, $7.

CORN—From store, white, 50c; mixed, 48c, from levee or depot; white, in bulk, 43c; in sacks, 46c; mixed, in bulk, 41c; in sacks, 44½c.

OATS—From store, white, 37c; mixed, 35c: from levee or depot, white, in bulk, 32c; in sacks, 34½c; mixed, in bulk, 31c; in sacks, 33c.

BRAN—From store, 70c; from levee or depot, $13 10.

FLOUR—From store, No. 3, $3@3 25; family, $3 50@3 75; choice, $3 75@4; fancy, $4@4 25; extra fancy, $4 25@4 50; patents, $5@5 50.

BEANS—Navy, $2; medium, $1 50@1 75; common, $1 25; German millet, $1 20@1 40.

RICE—Louisiana, 4@5½c; Carolina 5½@6½c.

OATMEAL—In half-barrels, $3@3 25 from store.

CRACKERS—Soda, extra, 4½c; soda, treble extra, 5c; extra, 7c; ginger snaps, extra, 5@6c; assorted jumbles, 9@11c.

CRACKED WHEAT—In half-barrels, $4 25 from store.

HOMINY AND GRITS—From store, $3 15@3 25.

KANSAS CITY, MO., October 9—Wheat weaker; No. 2 red, cash, 59½c bid; November, 60½c bid; May, 70c. Corn lower; No. 2, cash, 29½c; November, 30½c bid; December, 31c. Oats nominal; 24½c bid cash.

ST. LOUIS, MO., October 9.—Flour dull; XXX, $2 25@2 45; family, $2 60@2 75; choice, $3 10@3 25; fancy, $3 40@3 50; extra, $3 60@3 80; patents, $4@4 35. Wheat active, but weak and lower. The market opened easy, ruled heavy, and fell off ⅞@1c; later prices improved a little, but closed easy at ⅛@¼ lower than yesterday. No. 2 red, cash, 73c; November, 73½@74½c, closed at 73⅞c; December, 75⅛@76½c, closed at 75⅞c asked; May, 84⅛@85½c, closed at 84⅞@84½c. Corn dull, weak and ⅛@½c lower; No. 2 mixed, cash, 33½c; November, 33⅜@33½c, closed at 33½c; December, 34⅛@34½c, closed at 34⅛@34½c; May, 37⅞@38½c bid, closed at 38½c bid. Oats dull and very weak, closing ⅛@1½c lower than yesterday; No. 2 mixed, cash, 25½c; October, 25½c; November, 25½c; December, 26½c; May, 30½c. Rye steady, 48½c. Barley very dull, and prices ranged 47½@58c, according to quality. Hay—market overstocked and prices weak; prairie, $8 50@9 50; timothy, $10 50@13. Flaxseed weak and lower, 95@96c. Bran weak, 47c. Cornmeal steady, $1 90. Receipts—Flour, 3000 brls; wheat, 14,000 bu; corn, 26,000 bu; oats, 43,000 bu; rye, 4000 bu; barley, 2000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 5000 brls; wheat, 4000 bu; corn, 24 000 bu; oats, 1000 bu; rye, 4000 bu; barley, 3000 bu.

CHICAGO, ILL., October 9.—The feeling was heavy in the wheat pit today and prices were the lowest on this crop and approached very nearly the lowest point at which cash No. 2 spring wheat has sold in the Chicago market for twenty years. The main influence on the market to cause the depression in wheat was the announcement of the failure of the Ferguson grain and provision firm. Foreign advices quoted dull and easy markets, while there was only a light export demand. The market finally closed ½c under that of yesterday. Influenced by the same causes as wheat and supplemented with the fine weather and liberal receipts, corn suffered another decline. Cash No. 2 declining to 33½c, which is the lowest price known for the cereal on this market for many years. Oats were weak and lower, due to larger receipts and the heaviness in the other markets. Cash oats were about 1c lower than yesterday. The following were the prices current for cash properties: No. 2 wheat, 70½@70⅞c; No. 2 red wheat, 71½c. No. 2, corn, 33⅜@33½c. No. 2 oats, 23c. No. 2 rye, 48½c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1. No. 2 barley, 52c. Common to fair timothy seed, $1 65@1 70; prime timothy, $1 72. Futures ranged as follows: Wheat—October opened at 71c; highest, 71c; lowest, 70½c; closing at 70½c. November opened at 72½c; highest, 72½c; lowest, 72½c; closing at 72½c. December opened at 74⅜c; highest, 74⅜c; lowest, 74½c; closing at 74½c. May opened at 81½c; highest, 81½c; lowest, 80½c; closing at 80½c. Corn—October opened at 33½c; highest, 33½c; lowest, 33⅜c; closing at 33⅜c. November opened at 35⅝c; highest, 35½c; lowest, 35c; closing at 35½c. December opened at 36½c; highest, 36⅝c; lowest, 36c; closing at 36½c. May opened at 40½c; highest, 40½c; lowest, 40½c; closing at 40⅝c. Oats—October opened at 22⅝c; highest, 22½c; lowest, 22⅜c; closing at 22⅜c. November opened at 24½c; highest, 24⅝c; lowest, 24½c; closing at 24½c. December opened at 25⅝c; highest, 25⅝c; lowest, 25c; closing at 25½c. May opened at 29⅝c; highest, 29⅝c; lowest, 29⅜c; closing at 29⅜c.

Receipts—Flour, 21,000 barrels; wheat, 78,000 bushels; corn, 203,000 bushels; oats, 178,000 bushels; rye, 3000 bushels; barley, 95,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 1000 barrels; wheat 13,000 bushels; corn, 123,000 bushels; oats, 138,000 bushels; rye, 2000 bushels; barley, 44 000 bushels.

PROVISIONS.

BUTTER—Butterine, 12½@13c½; creamery, 30@32c; dairy, 18@20c; country butter, 15@16c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Mess pork, $10 25; sugar cured hams, 12@12½c; breakfast bacon, 8⅞@9½c; clear rib sides bacon, 7⅛@7½c; bacon shoulders, 7½@7⅞c; bulk pork clear sides, 7⅛c; clear rib sides, 7½@7⅝c; shoulders, 6½c; long clear, 7c.

LARD—Tierces, 6½c; half-barrels and kegs, 6½c; choice kettle, 7½c.

FRESH MEATS—No. 1 beef, 7c; mutton, 8c; hind quarters of beef, 8½c; lambs, 10c.

POULTRY—Chickens, spring, $2@2 75; old hens, $2 75@3.

CHEESE—Factory, 9c, nominal; full cream, 13@13½c; young America, 13c.

PIGS FEET—Barrels, $9 50@10; half-barrels, $4 75@5; kegs, $1 75.

ST. LOUIS, MO., October 9—Provisions fairly active and firm. Pork higher, $9 50. Lard steady, $5 55@5 60. Bulk meats strong; loose lots 5@10c higher; long clear, $6 50; short ribs, $6 50; short clear, $685; boxed lots higher; long clear and short ribs, $5 62½; short clear, $7. Bacon firmer; long clear and short ribs, $7 25; short clear, $7 50. Hams steadier, 10½@12½c. Butter fairly active and steady; creamery, 23@26c; dairy, 12@22c. Eggs in liberal supply and easy, 12@13c.

CHICAGO, ILL., October 9—Provisions were unsettled and irregular. The market for mess pork opened 10@12½c higher, broke off 25@27½c, rallied 17½@20c, and closed steady. Lard was quiet and easy, closing at about yesterday's figures. The following were the prices current for cash properties: Mess pork, $8 75@8 87½; lard, $5 65@570; short ribs sides, loose, $6 70; short clear sides, boxed, $6 65@6 70; dry salted shoulders, boxed, $5 70@5 75. Futures ranged as follows: Pork—October opened at $8 75, highest $8 87½, lowest $8 60, closing at $8 75; November opened at $8 75, highest $8 87½, lowest $8 60, closing at $8 75; January opened at $9 77½, highest $10 12½, lowest $9 75, closing at $9 95. Lard—October opened at $5 60, highest $5 62½, lowest $5 52½, closing at $5 62½; November opened at $5 65, highest $5 77½, lowest $5 65, closing at $5 75. January opened at $5 87½, highest $5 92½, lowest $5 82½, closing at $5 90. Short ribs—October opened at $6 70, highest $6 70, lowest $6 70, closing at $6 70; January opened at $5 02½, highest $5 10, lowest $5 02½, closing at $5 07½. On the Produce Exchange butter ruled steady; creamery, 18@27½c; dairy, 13@19c; packing stock, 7@9c. Eggs firm at 17@17½c.

GROCERIES.

COFFEE—Common, 10c; ordinary, 10½@11½c; prime Rio, 12½@13c; choice to fancy, 13½@14c; old government, 24@25c.

SOAP—3@5½c per pound.

CANDIES—Sticks, all sizes, in boxes, pails and barrels, 7½@9½c.

CANDLES—Full weight, 9@9½c.

SALT—$1 20 per barrel; sacks, fine, $1 35@1 45; coarse, $1 10@1 15; pockets, bleached, 2½@7c; car-loads from levee or depot, 5c cheaper.

CANNED GOODS, ETC.—Prices per dozen: Pineapples, $1 25@1 50; peaches, 2-lb, standard, $1 15@1 25; seconds, $1@1 10; tomatoes, 2-lb standard, 90@$1; 3-lb, $1@1 15; strawberries, $1 10@1 25; raspberries, $1 10@1 25; blackberries, $1@1 10; greengages, $1 60@1 75; pears, $2@2 25; plums, $1 60@1 70; asparagus, $2 60@4; green corn, $1@1 35; green peas, $1 55@1 65; cove oysters, full weight, 1-lb, $5@95c; cove oysters, full weight, 2-lb, $1 60@1 80; cove oysters, light weight, 1-lb, 60c; cove oysters, light weight, 2-lb, $1; condensed milk—Crown, $5 50@5 75; Eagle, $7 50@7 75; Daisy, $4 75.

MOLASSES—Louisana, common to fair, 18@25c; prime to choice, 30@40c; syrup, 20@40c; common to fair, 20@25c; prime to choice, 30@35c; centrifugal, fancy, 32@33c.

TOBACCO—Common, 11-inch, 27½@28c; other grades and styles, 35@85c. Snuff—Garrett's, $10 85 per case; Ralph's, $10 25 per case; R. R., $9 25@10; Gail & Ax's, $8 75.

SUGAR—Pure white, 6⅞@6⅞c; off white, 6⅝@6½c; yellow clarified, 6½@6⅝c; open kettle, 6@6½c; refined A, 6½c; granulated, 6⅞c; powdered, 7⅛@7⅜c; cut loaf, 7½@8c.

NEW YORK, October 9—Coffee—spot fair Rio dull; options unsettled and lower, fair to active: sales, 31,250 bags: December, 9.45@9.50c; January, 9 45@9.50c; February, 9 45@9 50c; March, 9.50c; April, 9.50@9 55c; May, 9 55c. Sugar dull, nominal; refined dull; standard A, 5⅞@5 7 16c; mould A, 5 15-16c. Molasses dull. Rice steady.

HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES.

APPLES—Apples, $1 50@2 50; dried apples, 2½@3½c per pound from store. Dried peaches, 2½@3½c from store.

VEGETABLES—Onions, $3 from store. Cabbage, $2 50; per head, 8@10c; $1 75 from levee or depot per crate. Kraut, brls, $5@5 75; half brls, $2 75@3. Garlic, 40@60c per 100. Turnips, 50c per bushel.

FRUIT—Oranges, per box, $5; per barrel, $9. Lemons, $6 50@7 per box. Bananas, $1 50@2 50 per bunch. Cocoanuts, $5 per 100. Peanuts—Virginia, 7½c; Tennessee, farmer's stock, 3@4c; roasted, 2½c higher; shelled 10c. Almonds, 18@20c.

RAISINS—London layers, $3 40; layers, $2 75; California, ——; Imperial, $3 50@4.

PICKLES—In jars, pints, 95c; quarts, $1 50; half-gallons, $2 75; gallons, $3 75; loose, barrels, $6 50@7; half-barrels, $3 75@4; mixed, barrels, $10 50; mixed, half-barrels, $6.

POTATOES—New, $1 25@1 50; Northern stock, $1 75@2.

CIDER—New York, $6 50@7 per barrel, and $3 75@4 per half-barrel.

VINEGAR—10@15c per gallon.

PECANS—Texas, 8@10c for small to medium, 10@14c for large; Arkansas, 3@5c.

FISH—Mackerel, half-barrels, No. 1, $5 25@5 75; No. 2 $4 75@5; No. 3, $4 25@4 75; 10-lb kit, No. 1, 90c; No. 2, 75c; 15-lb, No. 3, 65c. Dry herrings, family, 25c per box.

WALNUTS—French, 12c; Naples, 15c; Grenobles, 15c. Filberts, 12c.

GAME—Game fish, 11@12c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c.

COTTON SEED PRODUCTS.

In car load lots: Prime crude cotton seed oil, new, 28@30c; off crude cotton seed oil, old, 24@26c; prime summer yellow cotton seed oil, 35@36c; off summer yellow cotton seed oil, 32@34c; miners' summer yellow cotton seed oil, 33@35c; prime summer white cotton seed oil, 35c; choice cooking yellow cotton seed oil, 37½@40c; prime cotton seed meal, $14 50@15; off cotton seed meal, $13@14.

BAGGING AND TIES, ETC.

BAGGING—Jute, 2 lbs, 8½c; 1¾ lbs, 7¾c; 1½ lbs, 7c. Flax, 8 lbs, 9⅜c.

TIES—$1 05@1 10.

NAILS—Common, $2 20@2 25; steel, $2 35@2 50.

POWDER—Kegs, $4; half kegs, $2 25; quarter kegs, $1 25.

WOOL.

Clear tub washed, 31@36c; prime wool, 23@26c; burry wool, 13@18c.

ST. LOUIS, MO., October 9.—Wool active and firm at the recent advance; medium clothing, 22@27c; combing, 25@26c; low and coarse, 14@22c; fine light, 20@25c; heavy, 16@21c; black, 17@24c.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

COAL OIL—Prime white, wholesale lots, 11c per gallon.

CLEVELAND, O., October 9.—Petroleum quiet—s. w. 110, 7½c.

WHISKY, WINES, LIQUORS, ETC.

WHISKY—Straight Kentucky Bourbon, $1 50@5; redistilled goods from 85c to $1 50, according to proof; rye, $1 75@6.

ST. LOUIS, MO., October 9.—Whisky firm, $1 13.

CHICAGO, ILL., October 9.—Whisky steady, $1 18.

CINCINNATI, O., October 9.—Whisky quiet; sales of 398 barrels of finished goods on a basis of $1 13.

LIVE STOCK.

CATTLE—Choice, 3½@3¾c; good, 2¾@3¼c; fair to medium, 2½@2¾c; scallawags, 1@1½c.

HOGS—Choice, 4½@4¾c; good, 4@4½c; common, 3@3½c.

SHEEP—Choice, 3½@4c; medium, 3@3½c; common, $1@1 50. Choice lambs, per pound, 4½@5c.

KANSAS CITY, MO., October 9.—The *Live Stock Indicator* reports: Cattle—receipts, 1103 head; shipments, none; market firmer and more active; good to choice, $4@4 50; common to medium, $3 30@3 60; stockers, $2 25@2 75; feeders, $