FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Market Reports From All Quarters and Business Centres.

CONDITION OF THE GRAIN MARKET.

Stocks, Bonds, and all Other Securities—How the Regular Fight Between the Bulls and Bears Was Waged Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Money closed at 3½ per cent.; the highest, 4; lowest, 2. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 482@485; actual rates, 480@480 for sixty-day bills and 483½@484 for demand. Government bonds closed steady; currency 6's, 111 bid; 4's, coupon, 116¾ bid; extended 2's registered, 100 bid.

Trading during the two hours this morning was confined to a very few stocks, and even in those the trading was not of any great magnitude. The stocks were St. Paul, Atchison, Reading, Erie, Jersey Central, New York Central, Consolidated Gas and Manitoba. Prices were strong during the greater part of the morning session. With few exceptions values opened fractionally higher and further advanced in the early part of the last hour. Toward 11 o'clock there was some reaction, but it was all recovered by 12, when values were ½@1½ per cent. higher than they closed yesterday. The great improvement was in St. Paul, which was especially strong. The sales for the morning amounted to 121,300 shares. The market was less active after 12 o'clock with prices somewhat irregular. St. Paul lost a part of the early advance and a number of others also suffered declines but in the main the feeling was firm. A feature in the afternoon's trading was a sharp rally in Richmond and West Point Terminal on the favorable report of its earnings for September. The early strength of St. Paul was attributed to buying by a pool formed for the purpose of advancing the price of the stock. There was considerable buying of Reading at times to-day, said to be for insiders. Manitoba was almost the strongest stock on the list, advancing 2¼ per cent. by the close to 112. The final figures for the general market were irregularly and slightly changed from those of last evening. The sales to-day were 225,227 shares.

	Bid.		Bid.
Tenn. new set 6's	100	Lake E. & W.	21
do 5's	95	do. pref	66
do 3's	69	L. & N.	78¾
Virginia 6's	50	Pacific Mail	36½
Virginia ex-matured coupons	35	Reading	41¾
W. U. T.	81¾	Rock Island	86¾
Adams Express	142	Omaha	33⅛
American Express	116½	do. pref	91
U. S. Express	52	St. Paul	79¾
Wells-Fargo	128	do. pref	117½
C. C. C. & St. L.	73¾	N. and C.	79
N. Y.	113	M. L. S.	14
N. J. C.	117¼	Wabash	28⅛
Central	103½	R. & Q.	92½
Mich. Central	103½	Oregon	100½
N. C. Pacific	28¾	Alabama—Class A	100
do. pref	71½	Alabama—Class B	106¾
Missouri Pacific	60¼	Alabama—Class C	94½
Manhat. El.	101½	Louisiana con.	86½
Can. Southern	51½	Tennessee old	62
Can. Pacific	88½	N. C. 4's	97
Chi. & Alt.	137½	N. C. 6's	120
Chi. and Hudson	170½	S. C. Browns	97
D. L. & W.	143	R. & W. P.	14⅛
Erie	30¼	N. & W. pref	53
do. pref	60½	E. T.	6⅛
E. and T.	17½	E. T. pref	47
Lake Shore	124⅛	M. & O.	45¾

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

RICHMOND, VA., October 23, 1891.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 4's, R. & C., 1907	116	....
STATE SECURITIES.		
North Carolina 4's, C., 1910	99¾	....
North Carolina 6's, C., 1919	121	....
Virginia 6's, new, C. & R., 1932	65	65½
Virginia consol coupons, fundable	32	....
Virginia consol coupons, non-fundable	21	....
Virginia consol ten-forties, non-fundable	21	....
CITY SECURITIES.		
Richmond City 6's, R., 1904-1910	112	114
Richmond City 5's, R., 1889-1896	....	102
Richmond City 5's, R., 1921 and later	107½	....
Richmond City 4's, R., 1921	97	99
RAILROAD BONDS.		
A. & C. 1st 7's, R., 1907	116	....
A. & C. G. 1st in 6's, R., 1900	....	102
Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley A	101	....
Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley B	101	....
Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley C	101	....
Char., Colum. & Aug. 1st 7's, C., 1895	105	....
Char., Colum. & Aug. 2d 7's, C., 1910	114	....
Char., Colum. & Aug. 6's, C., 1893	....	104
C. & O. 6's, C., 1908	101	....
C. & O. 2d 6's, C., 1908	73	....
Georgia Pacific 1st 6's, R., C., 1922	....	99½
Georgia Pacific consolidated 5's, 1923	53	55
Georgia Pacific incomes, 1923	....	16
Petersburg, class A 6's, R., C., 1926	105	....
Petersburg, class B 6's, R., C., 1926	105	....
Richm. York River & Ches. 1st 8's, 1894	....	106
Western N. C. 1st 6's, C., guar.	....	96
Western N. C. 1st 6's, C., 1914	....	94
RAILROAD STOCKS.		
Petersburg	75	80
R., F. & P. div. obligation	114	115
BANK STOCKS.		
Merchants' & Planters' Nat.	....	17
MISCELLANEOUS.		
West End Land and Imp. Co.	23¼	25

Grain and Cotton Exchange.

RICHMOND, VA., October 23, 1891.

OFFERINGS.

Wheat—2,928 bushels.
Corn—1,800 bushels.
Oats—3,000 bushels.

SALES.

Wheat—1,326 bushels.
Corn—700 bushels.

QUOTATIONS.

Wheat—Longberry, $1 to $1.07; mixed, 98c. to $1.03; shortberry, 96c. to $1.06; No. 2 red, $1.05.
Corn—White, Virginia, new, 65c. to 73c.; No. 2 white, 72c. to 73c.; No. 2 mixed, 69c. to 70c.
Oats—No. 2, 34c. to 35c.; No. 3, 30c. to 33c.; winter, for seed, 40c. to 50c.
Rye—90c. to 95c.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Wheat—Wheat showed considerable strength to-day on higher cables and Baltimore. There was a fair amount of investment buying on the theory that a reaction is in order. Closing prices were 1c. higher. Receipts, 300 cars.

Corn—Corn improved ⅛@⅜c on heavy purchases to cover short sales. Receipts, 229 cars.

Oats—Oats advanced ⅜@½c, on the continued good export demand. Receipts, 219 cars.

Provisions—Provisions were very dull and weak; pork declined 7½c., lard 2½@5c., and ribs [illegible]

	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—October	94	93¾
November	94¾	94⅛
December	95¾	95⅛
Year	91	90¾
May	$1.02¾	$1.02
Corn—October	55½	54¾
November	51	50½
Year	45	44½
May	42¾	42½
Oats—November	30¼	30½
December	30¼	29¾
May	32½	32
Pork—December	8.90	8.82½
January	11.37½	11.32½
May	11.70	11.65
Lard—November	6.27½	6.27½
December	6.35	6.27½
January	6.42½	6.37½
Ribs—November	6.05	6.02½
December	5.90	5.90
January	5.92½	5.90

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Messrs. Hubbard, Price & Co. in their cotton circular to-night, say: "The market in Liverpool this morning was 4.64 above yesterday's close. Spot sales were 10,000 bales. Half of the improvement was lost at the close, which was barely steady. This market, in response to Liverpool, opened about three points up last evening, but the advance was not sustained, and prices quickly declined. A fitful recovery followed this when the interior movement commenced to come in, and some of the smaller towns received lighter receipts than last week, but when it became apparent that the total movement would be up to the average the market again eased away, and at 2 o'clock was about seven points under the highest. The long interest in the market has been so largely increased in the expectation of higher receipts that it is time to be feared that any disappointment in this respect means a sharp liquidation. On the other hand, cables from Liverpool to-day advise that spinners are becoming uneasy and may buy freely soon. Port receipts promise to be 37,000 bales, against 41,000 last year. The weekly statement of Liverpool stocks shows that the total supply of cotton for the market has increased during the week 55,000 bales, and is now 30,000 bales larger than last year. The supply of American cotton is 177,000 bales over last year."

Futures closed steady: receipts at the ports for the week point to 375,000 bales, against 312,000 last year. The interior movement is 160,000 bales, against 127,000 a year ago, and the receipts direct from plantations indicate 425,000 bales, against 373,000 last year. October, 8.12@8.14; November, 8.21@8.22; December, 8.37@8.38; January, 8.35@8.36; February, 8.71@8.72; March, 8.85@8.86. Sales, 115,000 bales.

PRODUCE.

Flour—Flour closed strong, with a moderate amount of trading: fine grades, $2.90@3.65; do. winter, $3.15@3.60; superfine spring, $3.20@3.40; do. winter, $3.65@3.90; extra No. 1 spring, $4.25@5; do. winter, $4@5; extra No. 2 spring, $3.[illegible]

4.10; do. winter, $3.90@4.10; city mill extras, $5.10@5.35. Southern flour closed weak and less active; trade and family extras, $4.40@5.10.

Wheat—Wheat options opened firm and fractionally higher on cables of firmer markets abroad and a report of a further shortage of grain in Russia. Prices continued firm during the greater part of the day. Late cables from Liverpool reported fractional advances in both wheat and corn and this market closed strong and 1 to 1⅛c. higher. Spot lots closed firm: No. 2 red winter, cash, $1.04½; do. October, $1.03¾; November, $1.04; December, $1.05⅛; January, $1.07¾.

Corn—Corn options were fairly active and irregular, closing firm at ⅛@⅜c. advance. Spot lots closed firm; No. 2, mixed, cash, 66½@67c.; October, 65c.; November, 63c.; December, 56¼c.; January, 53½c.

Oats—Oats options were moderately active and strong, closing ¼@⅜c. higher. Spot lots closed dull, business checked by high prices. Spot sales of No. 1 white, 39c.; No. 2 do., 38c.; No. 1 mixed, 35c.; No. 2 do., 37@37½c.; No. 2 mixed, October or November, 36½c.; December, 36¾c.

Pork—Pork moderately active and firm; new mess, $11.

Lard—Lard closed lower: October, $6.58; November, $6.60; December, $6.63.

Sugars—Raw sugar steady, with some demand for centrifugal. Centrifugal, 96 test, 3¼@3 5-16c.; Muscovado, 89 test, 3c. Refined sugar in fair demand, with prices easier; cut loaf and crushed 5¼c.; powdered cubes or mould A, 4 5-16c.; granulated, 4 3-16@4 5-16c.; confectioners A, 4 1-16c.

Coffee—Spot lots coffee closed dull; fair Rio cargoes, 15½c. Futures closed lower: Rio or Santos, No. 7, October, $11.75; do. November, $11.30; do. December, $10.85.

Petroleum—Pipe Line certificates were moderately active to-day and prices fairly steady. Sales, 85,000 barrels; Consolidated Exchange; November opened, 59¾c.; highest, 60⅝c.; lowest, 59⅝c.; closing, 60⅝c.

Naval stores—Spirits turpentine has not varied for the day, ruling quiet and about steady, 36½@37¼c.; rosin in moderate request; sales, 400 barrels at $3.65 for W. G., and $4.21 for W. W.; strained, $1.32½; good strained, $1.37½.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 23.—Flour steady, unchanged; receipts, 8,795 barrels; shipments, 1,346 barrels; sales, 790 barrels. Wheat inactive and firmer; No. 2 red spot, $1.01@1.01¼; October, $1.01@1.01¼; December, $1.04@1.04¼; May, $1.10@1.10½; steamer No. 2 red, 97@97¾c.; receipts, 16,265 bushels; shipments, 20,000 bushels; stock, 1,401,767 bushels; sales, 209,000 bushels; Southern wheat firm; Fultz, 98c.@$1.05; longberry, $1@1.05. Corn strong; mixed spot, 65c.; year, 53@53½c.; January, 52½@52¾c.; February, 52¼c.; March, 52¼c.; receipts, 6,513 bushels; stock, 26,813 bushels; sales, 123,000 bushels; Southern corn—White firm at 70@72c.; yellow easy at 65@66c. Oats strong, higher, fairly active; No. 2 white Western, 37½@38c.; No. 2 mixed Western, 36@36½c; receipts, 3,225 bushels; stock, 172,508 bushels. Rye quiet; No. 2, 95½c.; receipts, 600 bushels; stock, 238,532 bushels. Hay steady to firm; good to choice timothy, $13@14. Grain freights firm and unchanged. Cotton nominal middling, 8⅝c. Provisions steady and unchanged. Butter firm, active and unchanged. Eggs active at 23c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, fair, 16½c.; No. 7, 13c. Sugar steady; granulated, 4 1-16c. Copper steady and unchanged. Whisky firm and unchanged. Peanuts unchanged.

Stocks—Virginia consols, ten-forties, 32 bid; do., threes, 65½ bid.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 23.—Flour weak but prices unchanged. Wheat higher; October, 92¾c. bid; November, 93⅝c., nominal; December, 95c.; May, $1.01⅝c. bid. Corn higher; October, 50½c. bid; November, 47c. bid; year, 39¾c. asked; January, 38½c. asked; May, 40c. bid. Oats higher; October, 28⅝c.; November, 29c. asked; May, 31½c. Pork—Standard mess, $9.75. Lard—Prime steam, 6¼c. Dry-salted meats—Shoulders, $5.50@5.65; clear rib, $6.62½; longs, $6.62½; shorts, $6.90@7. Bacon—Boxed shoulders, $6@6.25; longs, $7.50@7.62½; clear ribs, $7.60@7.70; shorts, $7.87½@8.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Oct. 23.—Clean rice steady; sales, 897; head, 4⅝@5¼c.; prime, 4⅜@4⅝c.; good, 4⅛@4¼c.; fair, 4⅛@4⅜c.; ordinary, 3⅝@3⅞c.; common, 3¼@3½c.; No. 2, 2 5-16c. Sugar. Open kettle nominal; centrifugal unsettled; white choice, 3 5-16@4c.; yellow, choice, 4c.; prime, 3⅝@3¾c.; off, 3⅛@3½c.; seconds, 3½c. Molasses, fair demand; open kettle prime, 38c.; good prime, 40c.; centrifugal common, 15c.; good common, 20c.

Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 23.—Cotton—Spot steady; middling uplands, 4¾; sales, 10,000 bales. Futures closed firm; October-November, 4 45-64; November-December, 4 46-64; December-January, 4 48-64; January-February, 4 50-64.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Oct. 23.—Wheat—No. 2 car lots, 98c.@$1; No. 3, 95c. Corn, from store and delivered at depot sacked, white milling, 68c.; bulk, 66c.; sacked, mixed, 65c.; bulk, 62c.; small lots, 2c. higher.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 23.—Pork—Regular, $9.12½@9.25; family, $10.75@11. Lard—Kettle-dried, 7@7½c. Bacon—Short clear sides, 7¾@8c. Whisky—Sales of 1,190 barrels at $1.18.

TOBACCO EXCHANGE.

RICHMOND, VA., Oct. 23.—No offerings of tobaccos at auction on 'Change to-day, Friday, October 23, 1891:

Private sales reported to the secretary of the Richmond Tobacco Trade to-day: Wrappers, 9 hogsheads; fillers, 211; cutters, 3; dark leaf, 26; total, 249.

The tobacco inspector reports to-day: Inspections, bright, 12 hogsheads, 5 tierces; dark 28 hogsheads. Reinspections, bright, 15 hogsheads; dark, 1 hogshead.

Virginia, Wilson's, Old Dominion, Vaughan's, Alleghany, Crenshaw's Davenports, Planters', Shelburne's, Shockoe and Seabrooke's tobacco warehouses report to-day: Receipts, 44 packages; deliveries, 236.

Office of the collector of the United States internal revenue reports collections for the city of Richmond, Va., to-day as follows: Tax paid cigars and cigarettes, $579.15; tax paid plug tobaccos, $2,766.30. Total, $3,345.45.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA—IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF HENRICO, THE 8TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1891:

Samuel Michaels.....plaintiff,
against
R. M. Chambers and Joseph Chambers, partners, trading and doing business as R. M. Chambers & Son.....defendants.

(*In case and upon an attachment returned executed.*)

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendants the sum of one hundred dollars, with interest thereon, and to attach the estate of the defendants to the payment of the same. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants are non-residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within fifteen days after the due publication of this order and do whatever may be necessary to protect their interests herein.

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