MARKETS—MONEY, STOCKS, BONDS, PRODUCE, COTTON, AND LIVE STOCK

A MORGAN MARKET

BUYING STOCKS BASED ON THE FINANCIER'S RETURN.

CLOSE ACTIVE AND IRREGULAR

Profit-Taking General in the Last Hour—Tone of Money During the Day Easier—Ruling Rate for Call Loans 4 Per Cent.

NEW YORK, August 20.—To-day's market was broader and more active than that of yesterday, and was generally strong, but the strength was very unevenly divided, and was consistently maintained. The hand of the professional was quite manifest in the market. After one group of stocks had been pushed up to a certain extent they would meet selling orders to realize at the moment that aggressive appearance of strength was developing in some new quarter, thus encouraging continued buying by outside speculators in the stocks already advanced, and facilitating the realizing.

It was distinctly a Morgan market. That is to say, the buying of stocks was based upon the assumption that Mr. Morgan has returned to Wall Street ready to take up the broken continuity of many important projects which he had under way when he left for his vacation. Some of these projects have got into a snarl, legal, financial, or speculative. Professional speculators in the street have an abiding faith that Mr. Morgan will promptly settle them all. His immediate appearance at his office, going directly there from the steamship, gave additional strength to the conviction that he would give immediate attention to pressing problems.

EXPECTATIONS ABSURD.

It is needless to say, however, that some of the expectations expressed by the active speculators in the market as to the scope and the promptitude of Mr. Morgan's measures reached a degree of absurdity. The undeniably strengthening effect upon confidence of this capitalist's return to active direction of affairs, was promptly taken advantage of by various speculative pools to make demonstrations in their favorite stocks by rapidly advancing prices. A distinctly easier tone to the money market facilitated the operation of the advance. The ruling rate for call loans was 4 per cent., as against 4¾ yesterday, and the market for time loans was also called easier. The foreign exchange market naturally hardened, in consequence. Continued selling of stocks for London account was also a factor in the demand for exchange. Unfavorable crop weather, the futility of the coal confidence to effect a strike settlement, and the violent break in Colorado Fuel on account of the internal conflict of the company, were ignored. The special strength of some Colorado railroad stocks was supposed to be connected with the liquidation of Colorado Fuel.

Recent rumors of a merger of southern railroads, of Canadian Pacific's alleged intention to secure an entrance to Chicago, and of a prospective absorption by some railroad systems of sundry small systems, were all manifest influences in the market. Profit-taking was general during the last hour, and the closing was active and irregular.

BONDS FIRM.

Bonds were generally firm. Total sales, par value, $2,500,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 884,700 shares.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Close—Money on call steady at 3@4 per cent; closing offered at 3 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5 per cent.

Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87.10 for demand and at $4.84.35 for sixty days. Posted rates, $4.85@$4.85 1-2 and $4.88; commercial bills, $4.83¾@$4.84¾.

Bar silver, 52 1-2. Silver certificates, 11,000 ounces sold at 52¾. Mexican dollars, 41 1-4.

Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds firm.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Quotations furnished by Thomas Branch & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Members New York Stock and Cotton Exchanges.

Amer. Snuff, com. (asked)	....	120
American Snuff, pref.	97¾	97
American Can, com.	11¾	11¾
American Can, pref.	52¾	52½
Amer. Cotton Oil, com.	50⅛	50⅛
American Loco., com.	32¼	32½
American Loco., pref.	93⅞	93¾
American Sugar	132½	132⅝
American Smelters Co.	46⅞	46¾
Amalgamated Copper	66	66
Anaconda Mining Co.	....	102
Atchison, common	92⅞	92¾
Atchison, preferred	102¾	102¼
Baltimore and Ohio	110	109½
Baltimore and Ohio, pref.	96	94½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	67¼	66¾
Canada Southern	90⅞	89½
Chesapeake and Ohio	54¾	54¼
Chi. and Great Western	35	34½
Chi., Mil. and St. Paul	186	186½
Chi., R. Island and Pacific	183	183¼
C., C., C. and St. L.	105½	105⅞
Colorado Fuel and Iron	88	83
Colo. and Southern, com.	34⅛	34⅜
Colo. and Southern, 1st pref.	78½	78⅝
Colo. and Southern, 2d pref.	52¼	52½
Consolidated Gas	222¾	222¾
Con. Tob., 4 p. c.	64½	64½
Con. Tob., pref.	121⅛	121⅛
Delaware and Hudson	179½	179
Erie, common	39⅞	40
Erie, 1st preferred	69¾	69¼
General Electric	184½	184
Illinois Central	169¾	168⅞
J. and M.	50	49½
Louisville and Nashville	159	157⅞
Manhattan Elevated	135⅝	135
Metropolitan	148	147½
Mexican Central	29¾	29⅜
Mex. Central, 1st incomes	32	32
Missouri Pacific	117½	117¼
Mo., Kan. and Texas, pref.	64⅝	64½
New York Central	163¾	163¾
N. Y., Ont. and Western	34½	34½
Norfolk and Western	70½	70⅛
Nor. and W., pref. (closed)	....	91
North Amer. Co.	123½	122¼
Pacific Mail	44½	44¼
Pennsylvania	160	160⅛
People's Gas	104¼	104⅝
Reading	67⅛	67½
Reading, 1st preferred	86½	86
Reading, 2d preferred	73	73¼
San Francisco	80⅝	80¾
San Francisco, 2d pref.	77¼	76½
St. L. Southwestern, pref.	77⅝	77¾
Southern Pacific	78¾	78¾
Southern Railway	40⅝	41⅛
Southern Railway, pref.	98	98
Tennessee Coal and Iron	69	69½
Texas and Pacific	51½	53
Union Pacific, common	109¼	109
Union Pacific, preferred	92¼	92¼
United States Leather, com.	13¼	13¼
United States Steel, com.	40⅞	41¼
United States Steel, pref.	90¼	90¼
Va.-Car. Chem., com.	68	68⅝
Va.-Car. Chem., pref. (offered at close, but no sales)	....	128
Standard Oil	670	675
Wabash, preferred	48¼	48⅝

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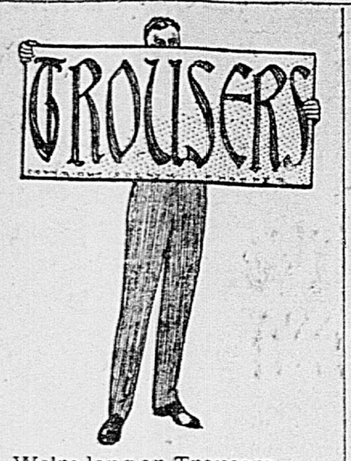

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United States refunding 2's, reg.	....	107½
United States refunding 2's, coupon	....	107½
United States 3's, registered	....	105¾
United States 3's, coupon	....	105¾
United States new 4's, registered	....	132½
United States new 4's, coupon	....	132½
United States old 4's, registered	....	108¼
United States, old 4's, coupon	....	108¼
United States 5's, registered	....	104¼
United States 5's, coupon	....	104¼
Atchison, general 4's	....	103¾
Atchison, adjustment 4's	....	96½
Baltimore and Ohio 4's	....	103¾
Baltimore and Ohio 3½'s	....	95
Baltimore and Ohio conv. 4's	....	112
Con. Tob. 4's	....	64½
Canada Southern 2's (off'd)	....	110½
Central of Georgia 5's	....	110¾
Central of Georgia, 1st incomes	....	75½
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½'s	....	108½
Chicago and Alton 3½'s	....	82
Chi., B. and Quincy new 4's	....	95¾
Chi., M. and St. Paul gen. 4's	....	113
Chi. and Northwestern con. 7's	....	134
Chi., R. Island and Pacific 4's	....	109
C., C., C. and St. Louis gen. 4's	....	102
Chicago Terminal 4's	....	90
Colorado and Southern 4's	....	96¾
Denver and Rio Grande 4's	....	102½
Erie, prior lien 4's	....	100
Erie general 4's	....	86½
Fort Worth and Denver City 1st	....	114
Hocking Valley 4½'s	....	109
Louisville and Nash. unified 4's	....	101¼
Mexican Central 4's	....	82¼
Mexican Central 1st incomes	....	31½
Minn. and St. Louis 4's	....	103
Missouri, Kansas and Texas 4's	....	100
Missouri, Kansas and Texas 2ds	....	84½
New York Central 1sts	....	101⅝
New York Central gen. 3½'s	....	107
New Jersey Central general 5's	....	136
Northern Pacific 4's	....	104¼
Northern Pacific 3's	....	74¾
Norfolk and Western consol 4's	....	101½
Reading general 4's	....	96⅜
St. Louis and Iron Moun. consol 5's	....	117
St. Louis and San Francisco 4's	....	96½
St. Louis Southwestern 1sts	....	99½
St. Louis Southwestern 2's	....	90
San Antonio and Aransas Pass 4's	....	88½
Southern Pacific 4's	....	94⅛
Southern Railway 5s	....	121½
Texas and Pacific 1sts	....	119
Toledo, St. L. and Western 4's	....	84
Union Pacific 4's	....	105
Union Pacific conv. 4's	....	109½
Wabash 1sts	....	118¾
Wabash 2's	....	109
Wabash Deb. B	....	77¼
West Shore 4's	....	114¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie 4's	....	95½
Wisconsin Central 4's	....	93
Mobile and Ohio col. tr. 4's	....	99
Central of Georgia, 2d incomes	....	38⅞

Seaboard Air-Line Securities.

BALTIMORE, August 20.—Seaboard, common, 34@34¼; Seaboard, preferred, 53⅞@54; Seaboard bonds, 4's, 88¾@89.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE.

Richmond, Va., August 20, 1902.

State Securities—	Bid.	Asked.
North Carolina 4's, C. 1910	104	
Virginia 3's (new), C. & R. 1932	...	96
Virginia Cent., 2-3, C. & R. 1991	96⅝	96½
City Securities—		
Richmond City 5s, R. 1920-1922	117	
Richmond city 4's, R. 1920-1930	108	
Railroad Bonds—		
At. and Char. 1st 7's, R. 1907	112	
C. & O., R. & A. Div. 1st. 1989	104	
C. & O., R. & A. Div. 2d. 1989	104	
C. & O., R. & A. G. M. 4½'s. 1992	108	
Col. and G'ville, 1st 6's, C. 1916	118	
Ga. Pacific 1st 6's, C. 1922	126	
Georgia, So. and Fla. 1945	114	
Ga., So. and Fla., con. 5's. 1945	113	
Nor. and Western Ry. 4's. 1996	101	
N. & W. Ry. Pocahontas 4's	94	
Peters'g Class A 5's, R. C. 1926	118	
Peters'g Class B 6's, R. C. 1926	128	
R. F. and P. con. 4½ p. c. 1940	110	
Rich. and Meck. 1st 4's. 1948	88	
Seab. Air-Line con. 1st 4's. 1950	...	90
Seab. Air-line col. tr. 5's. 1911	104	
Western N. C. 1st 6's, C. 1914	118	
Railroad Stocks—	**Par.**	
Atlanta and Charlotte	100	168
Atlantic-Coast Line "A"	100	160
Atlantic-Coast Line, pref.	100	117½ 119
Atlantic-Coast Line, com.	100	160
Nor. and Western, com.	100	70½
North Carolina	100	170
R., F. and P., div. obli.	100	230
Seaboard Air-Line, pref.	100	54½ 54¾
Seaboard Air-Line, com.	100	34⅛ 34⅝
Southern Railway, pref.	100	97
Southern Railway, com.	100	40
Bank and Trust Co. Stocks—		
American National	100	120
Broad-Street Bank	25	25¾ 26
City	25	33
First National	100	199
Merchants' National	100	300
National Bank of Va.	100	125
Rich. Trust and S. D. Co.	100	163½ 166
State Bank of Virginia	100	160
Southern Trust Company	100	112
Union Bank of Richmond	50	163
Virginia Trust Co.	100	128
Insurance Companies.		
Virginia Fire and Marine	25	36¼ 37
Virginia State	25	26
Miscellaneous—		
American Loco., pref.	100	95½ 94½
American Loco., com.	100	32
Old Dominion S. S. Co.	100	135 140
Va.-Car. Chem., pref., 8 p. c.	100	129¼ 129½
Va.-Car. Chemical, com.	100	68 68½

SALES BEFORE THE BOARD.

10 Virginia Trust Company at 129½.

SALES AT THE BOARD.

5,000 Virginia Centuries at 96½; 29 Virginia Trust Company at 129.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, August 20.—Flour—Steadier and more active, with limits raised on spring patents; Minnesota patent, $3.80@$4.00.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Cornmeal—Quiet.

Rye—Easy; No. 2 western, 59c.

Barley—Dull.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red, 78⅝c. Trade in wheat was fairly active all day, and at generally higher prices, led by September, which was wanted by shorts. Higher cables, smaller interior receipts, the strength of outside markets, foreign buying, and poor grading of wheat were among the bull influences. The close was firm at a ⅛@⅞c. net advance. May closed 74⅝c.; September, 74¾c.; December, 72⅝c.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 65c. Option market advanced at the opening, on higher cables, small receipts, and showers West. It then reacted, under profit-taking, but finally recovered, with wheat and on a score of September shorts, later closing 1⅜c. net higher, against slight advances otherwise. May closed 44¼c., September closed 60½c., December closed 46¾c.

Oats—Spot unsettled; new No. 2, 35c. Option market was stronger West, on rains and small receipts. Option trading was revived here, for the first time in two years, a fair trade being done at advancing prices; May closed 36⅛c., December 36⅛c.

Beef—Steady.

Cut-Meats—Dull.

Lard—Firm; western steamed, $10.80; refined firmer; Continent, $11.15; South American, $11.75; compound, $8.25@$8.50.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow—Weak.

Rosin—Steady.

Turpentine—Steady.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 2⅞c.; centrifugal, 96 degree test, 3⅜c.; refined steady.

Coffee—Spot Rio firm; No. 7, invoice, 5½c.; mild firm; Cordova, 8@11c. Futures opened steady, with prices 10 to 15 points higher, on an active scare of shorts, and general speculative buying, led by Wall Street and Europe. Shorts had a bad day of it here. Prices, after the start, continued to advance, profit-taking longs and importers having about the only coffee for sale, until at the close the market was firm in tone, at a net rise of 20 to 25 points. Total sales, 78,500 bags.

Butter—Steady; creamery, 16@19½c.; State dairy, 16@19c.

Cheese—Steady to firm; new State full cream small colored fancy, 9⅞c.; small white, 9⅞c.

Eggs—Steady; State and Pennsylvania, 20@20½c.

Potatoes—Easy; Jerseys, $1.10@$1.25; Long Island, $1.00@$1.25; southern sweets, $2.00@$2.75.

Peanuts—Barely steady; fancy hand-picked, 5¼@5½c.; other domestic, 3½@5½c.

Cabbages—Weak; Long Island, per 100, $2.00@$2.50.

Cotton—By steam to Liverpool, 12½c.

CHICAGO, ILL., August 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000 head, including 500 head Texans, 7,000 head westerns; choice steady; others, 10@15c. lower; good to prime steers, $8@$9; poor to medium, $4@$7.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50@$5.50; cows, $1.50@$5.50; heifers, $2.25@$6.25; canners, $1.50@$2.50; bulls, $2.25@$5.50; calves, $5.50@$7.50; Texas-fed steers, $3@$5; western steers, $4.50@$6.75.

Hogs—Receipts to-day, 24,000 head; to-morrow, 25,000 head; left over, 3,000 head; market 5 to 10c. higher; mixed and butchers', $6.40@$7.15; good to choice, heavy, $6.90@$7.15; rough, heavy, $6.20@$6.80; light, $6.40@$7.10; bulk of sales, $6.60@$6.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 23,000 head; market lower; lambs lower; good to choice wethers, $3.50@$4; fair to choice mixed, $2.10@$3.50; native lambs, $3.50@$6.

CINCINNATI, O., August 20.—Hogs—Active and higher at $5.15@$7.

Cattle—Steady at $2@$7.10.

Sheep—Dull at $1.25@$3.50.

Lambs—Steady at $3@$6.25.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, August 20.—Coarse grains were strong to-day. Rainy weather was still a factor. Oats were affected by country weather reports, and ruled strong. Corn had spurts of activity on the backwardness of the maturing crop, and the possibility that it might get frosted. Wheat was helped by these factors, and at the close September wheat was ⅝@¾c. up, September corn ⅞@1c. higher, and September oats ¾c. higher. September provisions closed 7½@22½c. up.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat No. 2—				
Sept.	70⅛@⅜	70⅞	69⅞	70¾@⅞
Dec.	67⅛@⅜	67½	66⅞@67	67⅜@½
May	69⅜@⅝	69⅝	69¼	69½
Corn No. 2—				
Sept.	52⅛@⅝	52⅞	52⅛	52⅞
Dec.	41⅜@⅝	41⅝@¾	41¼	41⅝
May	39½@⅝	39⅝	39¼	39½@⅝
Oats No. 2—				
Sep. (old)	27½	27½	27	27¼
Sep. (new)	32⅞@33	33⅛	32¾@⅞	33⅜
Dec. (new)	29¾	30⅛	29⅝	30½
May	30 @¼	30⅝	30	30½
Mess Pork—Per Bbl.—				
Sept.	$16.07½	$16.25	$16.07½	$16.25
Oct.	$16.15	$16.40	$16.15	$16.40
Jan.	$14.42½	$14.52½	$14.40	$14.50
Lard—per 100 Lbs.—				
Sept.	$10.42½	$10.60	$10.42½	$10.57½
Oct.	$ 9.57½	$ 9.77½	$ 9.57½	$ 9.77½
Jan.	$ 8.35	$ 8.37½	$ 8.35	$ 8.35
Short Ribs—per 100 Lbs.—				
Sept.	$9.70	$9.90	$9.70	$9.90
Oct.	$9.22½	$9.42½	$9.22½	$9.42½
Jan.	$7.55	$7.57½	$7.55	$7.57½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 72@73c.; No. 3, 70c.; No. 2 red, 69⅞@70⅞c. No. 2 corn, 56c.; No. 2 yellow, 60½@61c. No. 3 white oats, 34@35½c. No. 2 rye, 50¼@51c. Fair to choice malting barley, 50@62c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1.39. No. 1 Northwestern, $1.45. Prime timothy seed, $5. Mess pork, per barrel, $16.15@$16.20. Lard, per 100 pounds, $10.45@$10.47½. Short ribs sides (loose), $9.70@$9.80. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), $8.75@$8.87½. Short clear sides (boxed), $10.50@$10.62½. Whiskey, basis of high wines, $1.31. Clover, contract grade, $9. Butter easy; creamery, 15@19c.; dairy, 13½@18c. Cheese steady at 10@11c. Eggs steady; fresh, 17½c.

BALTIMORE PRODUCE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, MD., August 20.—Flour—Unchanged.

Wheat—Firmer; spot and August, 72⅝@72¾c.; southern, by sample, 68@73c.

Corn—Firmer, but dull; spot, 60c. asked; souther white corn, 60@61c.

Oats—Steady at the decline; No. 2 new white, 38c.

Rye—Firm; No. 2, 59c.

Butter—Firm; fancy imitation, 18@19c.; fancy creamery, 20@21c.

Eggs—Steady and unchanged.

Cheese—Firm and unchanged.

Sugar—Firm and unchanged.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, August 20.—Closing—Cotton—Spot; moderate business; prices firmer; American middling fair, 5¼d.; good middling, 5d.; middling, 4 29-32d.; low middling, 4 13-16d.; good ordinary, 4 11-16d.; ordinary, 4 7-16d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 600 were for speculation and export, and included 5,100 American. Receipts, 500 bales, including 500 American.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet; American middling, good ordinary clause, August, 4 44-64@4 45-64d., buyers; August and September, 4 40-64d., sellers; September and October, 4 31-64@4 32-64d., buyers; October and November, 4 25-64@4 26-64d., sellers; November and December, 4 22-64@4 23-64d., buyers; December and January, 4 21-64d., buyers; January and February, 4 20-64@4 21-64d., buyers; February and March, 4 20-64@4 21-64d., sellers; March and April, 4 20-64@4 21-64d., sellers; April and May, 4 20-64@4 21-64d., sellers.

NEW YORK, August 20.—Cotton—Steady; middling, 9c.; net receipts, 70 bales; gross receipts, 1,013 bales; sales, 118 bales; stock, 82,434 bales.

Totals to-day: Net receipts, 4,367 bales; Exports—To Great Britain, 1,509 bales; stock, 145,691 bales.

Consolidated: Net receipts, 14,785 bales; Exports—To Great Britain, 2,753 bales; to the Continent, 12,453 bales.

Totals since September 1st: Net receipts, 7,580,332 bales; Exports—To Great Britain, 3,011,574 bales; to France, 741,661 bales; to the Continent, 2,808,086 bales.

Cotton futures opened firm and closed steady.

	Opening.	Closing.
August	8.52	8.53
September	8.07	8.09
October	7.95	7.95
November	7.85	7.86
December	7.88	7.88
January	7.97	7.91
February	7.88	7.86
March	7.88	7.87
April (offered)	7.89	7.87
May	7.89	7.88

Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 9c.; middling Gulf, 9¼c.; sales, 118 bales.

The cotton market opened firm and 2 to 3 points higher, on active buying for both accounts, led by prominent short interests and the Wall Street bull element. It was seen that Liverpool fully responded to the firmness in the local market of the previous day, and that the high temperatures in the western belt continued general, leading to fresh expressions of alarm from that quarter. The orders from the South, Europe, and spot cotton interests nearly all went to the long side, and following the call the tendency of the market was quite steadily upward, on support from all branches of the trade.

There was a healthy growth in public operations, and the bull faction gave no sign of turning for profits. The private crop reports were very unsatisfactory, as a general thing, and demand for spot cotton in the South was officially shown to be increasing. The receipts were larger but had been discounted to a great degree. Later cables from Liverpool reflected changing sentiment in that market, where the bears for some time past have stubbornly resisted all efforts from this side to bring about a higher market.

During the afternoon the market ruled firm, in the absence of urgent selling pressure, until just before the close, when many of the smaller holders made a quick turn to secure profits. This pressure, with a falling off in public support, resulted in a reaction of 3 to 4 points, with the close, however, steady, and net unchanged to 3 points higher. The total sales were estimated at 225,000 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, August 20.—Cotton futures steady.

August	8.38@8.39
September	7.95@7.96
October	7.74@7.75
November	7.69@7.70
December	7.69@7.70
January	7.70@7.71
February	7.70@7.71
March	7.71@7.73

There was a good inquiry for spot cotton, but the scarcity of supplies checked trading. Quotations advanced 1-16c. on all grades. There was a moderately good business in contracts to-day, during the morning hours, but thereafter the market quieted down considerably, and little further interesting developments in the situation were noted. Liverpool came in with an advance on spots, and worked up 3-64c. on deliveries, eliciting a response in opening call gains of 3 to 5 points.

The market showed added strength after the first call, moving up 2 to 3 points additional, but at that level the advance was checked. Thereafter, prices merely backed and filled over a narrow range, showing at the close net gains for the day of 4 to 5 points.

LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., August 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 50 head; market steady; prime steers, $8@$8.25; fair to choice, $5@$7.75; heifers, $3.75@$6.50; cows, $3.25@$5.50; canners, $1.75@$3; bulls, $3@$5; feeders, $4@$5; stockers, $3@$4.50; stock heifers, $3@$3.50; veals, $5.50@$8.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,700 head; market active; light grades, 10@15c. higher; others strong; heavy, $7.25@$7.35; mixed, $7.25@$7.30; pigs, $7.15@$7.25; roughs, $5.25@$5.75; stags, $4.75@$5.25; grassers, $6.80@$7.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady; top lambs, $5.75@$6; a few at $6.15; fair to good, $5.50@$5.65; culls to common, $4.25@$5; yearlings, $4.25@$4.60; wethers, $4@$4.50; sheep, top mixed, $3.75@$4; fair to good, $3.50@$3.65; culls, $1.75@$3; ewes, $3@$3.50.

NEW YORK, August 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 493 head; demand fair; prices generally steady; steers, $4.50@$7.50; oxen, and stags, $4@$6; bulls, $3@$3.85; cows, $2@$4.50; cables weak; exports to-day, 275 head cattle and 1,300 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 2,838 head; market firm to 25c. higher; veals, $5@$8.50; grassers and buttermilks, $3.87½@$4.50; culls, $3@$3.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9,472 head. Sheep slow; prime lambs firm, others steady to 10c. lower; sheep, $2.50@$3.50; few choice, $4; culls, $2; lambs, $4.75@$7; culls, $4@$4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,325 head; market higher; State hogs, $7.25.

BALTIMORE, August 19.—Live Pigs—Demand is moderate and centered wholly on choice, sleek pigs of desirable size. All inferior, small stock dull and overlooked. Receipts ample. We quote pigs at from $1.50 to $2.25 apiece, according to size, quality, and condition. Shoats, $2.50@$3.50 apiece.

Calves—Nice, smooth veal calves find ready sale from day to day at full quotations, but included in the daily arrivals is quite a number of heavy, rough sorts, which have to be sold strictly on their merits and are therefore of irregular value. We quote as follows: Strictly choice, fat veals, per pound, 7c.; good veal, per pound, 6½@6¾c.; poor to good, per head, $4@$10.

Beef Cattle—Wharf receipts are moderate in amount and generally of poor to ordinary quality. For this reason the demand is without particular snap, and outside quotations not always realized. Market quiet and easy. We quote: Young, fat steers weighing 1,000 to 1,200 pounds, 4@4½c. per pound; steers weighing under 900 pounds, 3@3¾c. per pound; oxen, per pound, 3@3½c.; bulls, per pound, 2½@3½c.; large, young cows, per head, in good order, $18@$25; fresh cows, with calf, $20@$30 per head; poor, thin, meadow stock, $10@$15 per head.

Lambs and Sheep—Top grades of lambs and choice, fat sheep sell without difficulty, and of this grade the receipts are not excessive. Rough-looking, thin, or overweight lambs, however, are discriminated against even at reduced figures. Common sheep range low, also. Quotations are as follows: Spring lambs, choice, fat, 4½@5½c. per pound; poor, thin, or heavy, 3@4c. per pound; wool sheep, per pound, best, 2½@3c.; good, per head, $2.50@$3; inferior, per head, $1@$1.25; old bucks, per pound, 2½@3c., as to quality and weight. Clipped sheep from 2 to 3c. per pound.

EAST LIBERTY, PA., August 20.—Cattle—Steady; choice, $7.75@$8.00; prime, $7.15@$7.50; good, $5.60@$7.00.

Hogs—Prime heavy, $7.20@$7.25; medium, $7.15; heavy and light Yorkers, $7.10@$7.15; pigs, $7.00@$7.10; roughs, $5.50@$6.50.

Sheep—Steady; best wethers, $4.10@$4.25; culls and common, $1.50@$2.00; choice lambs, $5.75@$6.00.

Veal calves, $8.00@$8.50.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

NEW YORK TOBACCO MARKET.

NEW YORK, Tuesday Evening, August 19.—Wholesale prices current:

	Kentucky Light.	Heavy Western Clarksville.
Common lugs	5½@ 7	10 @12
Fine wrappers		20 @30
Wisconsin Havana seed—average		10 @15
Good	5 @ 5½	6 @ 7
Common leaf	6½@ 8½	7½@ 9
Medium	8½@ 9½	9 @10½
Good	10 @11	11 @12
Fine	11½@12	13½@14
Manufactured Tobacco—Bright Work.		
Common to medium, 10s. and ¼-lbs., in bond	17 @20	
Fair to good, 10s. and ¼-lbs., in bond	20 @30	
Fine to choice, 10s. and ¼-lbs., in bond	30 @45	
Virginia Shipping Tobacco—		
Common lugs	5½@ 6½	
Goods lugs	6½@ 7	
Common to medium leaf	8½@ 9	
Medium to good leaf, dark	9 @10	
Medium to good leaf, light	10 @11	
Good to fine leaf, dark	11½@12½	
Good to fine leaf, light	12½@14	
Seed Leaf Tobacco—		
Connecticut fillers	8 @10	
Average lots	20 @25	
Fine wrappers	50 @70	
New York State fillers	6 @ 8	
Average lots	12 @18	
Fine wrappers	40 @50	
Ohio fillers	6 @ 7	
Average lots	13 @15	
Fine wrappers	14 @20	
Pennsylvania fillers	7 @10	
Average lots	12 @17	
Manufactured Tobacco—Black Work—		
Com. to medium, lbs. and ½-lbs., in bond	12 @14	
Fair to good, lbs. and ½-lbs., in bond	16 @18	
Fine to choice, lbs. and ½-lbs., in bond	18 @24	
Foreign Tobacco—		
Havana—Common fillers	85 @ 1 00	
Fair	1 05 @ 1 20	
Fine	1 25 @ 1 35	
Yara—I. cut	90 @ 1 00	
II. cut	1 00 @ 1 25	
Average lots	1 25 @ 1 50	

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NEW YORK IRON AND STEEL MARKET.

NEW YORK, Tuesday Evening, August 19.—The market for foundry iron is quieter. Many buyers have covered their most urgent wants, largely with imported material, and are now disposed to hold off in the expectation that supplies of domestic iron will be more plentiful later and that prices may be lower. Sellers show no inclination, however, to make concessions, and stock for early delivery seems to be as hard to get as ever. The foreign markets shows a further slight advance. Reports from Philadelphia state that foreign steel billets have sold at about $28.50 c. i. f. duty paid, and that other lots are likely to be engaged within the next few days at prices similar to this. Finished materials are quiet, with the exception of plates and structural shapes. Bars and sheets are particularly slow at present. Old material is rather firmer, with a good demand for steel scrap.

In the absence of regular supplies quotations on domestic iron for prompt delivery are merely nominal.

Pig-Iron at New York—		
No. 1 X foundry, northern	$22 50	@23 50
No. 2 X foundry, northern	21 50	@22 50
Gray forge, northern	21 00	@22 00
No. 1 foundry, southern	22 00	@23 00
No. 2 foundry, southern	21 00	@22 00
No. 3 foundry, southern	19 50	@20 50
No. 4 foundry, southern	18 50	@19 50
No. 1 soft, southern	22 00	@23 00
No. 2 soft, southern	21 00	@22 00
Bar Iron—		
Refined, on dock	1 95	@ 2 00
Common, on dock	1 85	@ 1 85
Rails—		
New steel rails (heavy) at mill	....	@28 00
Girder rails, at mill	33 00	@33 50
Relayers, at mill	25 00	@27 00
Old iron rails, f. o. b. New York	23 00	@24 00
Old steel rails, f. o. b. New York	21 50	@22 00
Steel billets, f. o. b. Pittsburg	33 00	@34 00
Track Fastenings (at mill)—		
Spikes	1 85	@ 2 00
Splice bars	1 75	@ 1 80
Bolts, square nuts	2 65	@ 2 70
Bolts, hex nuts	2 75	@ 2 85
Structural Materials (tidewater)—		
Beams	1 75	@ 1 95
Channels	1 75	@ 1 95
Angles	1 75	@ 1 85
Tees	1 80	@ 1 85
Zees	1 75	@ 1 95
Universal plates	1 78	@ 1 80
Scrap Iron—		
No. 1 yard wrought, f. o. b. cars	20 00	@21 00
Machinery cast, delivered at works	16 00	@17 00
Car wheels, f. o. b. cars	17 00	@18 00
Hammered car axles, delivered New York	22 00	@23 00
Wrought pipe and tubes, delivered New York	15 50	@16 00
Wrought turnings, delivered	16 50	@17 50
Cast borings, delivered	10 50	@11 00
Burnt iron, delivered	9 00	@10 00

Current prices in Pittsburg, as reported to the New York Metal Exchange, are as follows:

Bessemer iron	$21 75	@22 00
Grey forge iron	21 50	@22 00
Bessemer steel, delivered Pittsburg	31 50	@32 00
Muck bars	35 50	@36 00
Ferro manganese (80 p. c.)	52 50	@53 00
No. 1 wrought scrap iron, net ton	21 50	@22 00
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