

PRICES WENT DOWNWARD

There Was No Definite Reason for Decline.

PROFESSIONALS AT LIMIT

They Have Been Bidding Up Prices, and Find Themselves Without Company—Market Closed Steady, but Low—Bonds Irregular.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 7.—Prices went downward on the Stock Exchange to-day without any very clear reason, although the theories current for the decline took a wide range over the whole financial field...

MONEY AND EXCHANGE—CLOSURE: Money on call easy at 2 1/2 per cent; closing offered at 2 1/2 per cent; time money 2 1/2 per cent; six months 2 1/2 per cent; three months 2 1/2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4 1/2 per cent.

EDITORS' VIEWS

What New York Afternoon Papers Say of the Market.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEW YORK, May 7.—The Evening Post says: Without any very immediate cause, prices were lower for stocks to-day, both here and in London.

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CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS. Chicago and Northwestern, Chicago, Rock Island and Pac. 4 1/2, etc.

taken up again, and in fact, that it was practically closed. The Commercial-Advertiser says: To-day's stock market opened under a feeling of disappointment at the fact that the market had failed to reduce its discount rate.

CHICAGO UNION TRACTION: The Chicago Record-Herald is authorizing for the report that legal proceedings are to be begun to enforce a stockholders' liability of twenty million dollars against the promoters of the Union Traction and the original subscribers.

WALDORF CROWD SELLERS: The Waldorf-Astoria crowd seemed to be selling stocks, especially in the afternoon, and the call did not get out of the market.

WANTED SOME ATCHISON: Somebody must have wanted some Atchison stock, as the top bid in that street was printed and distributed all over the street.

THE CLOSURE: The close was dull and featureless, and upon the whole the day's decline seemed to have brought out very little long stock.

COTTON MARKETS: NEW YORK, May 7.—The cotton market opened firm on an advance of 2 1/2 points, and the selling was not very active.

NEW YORK, May 7.—FLOUR—Dull and about steady. Rye—Firm. Corn—Meal—Steady. Rye—Steady. No. 2 Western—Steady.

PRODUCE MARKETS: NEW YORK, May 7.—FLOUR—Dull and about steady. Rye—Firm. Corn—Meal—Steady. Rye—Steady. No. 2 Western—Steady.

CHICAGO, ILL., May 7.—HEAVY LIQUIDATION IN WHEAT BY PROMINENT HOLDERS resulted in a decidedly weak market to-day, and closing prices were low for the highest.

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LABOR MEN HAVE FEAST. The concluding sessions were held yesterday morning and afternoon, and with all business of hand the delegates were ready when night came to enter into the spirit of the farewell banquet.

MISS SCHLEY AT THE JEFFERSON. Daughter of the Admiral suffering from Attack of the Sore Throat.

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