RALLY ON N. Y. MARKET

Pick Up in Stocks Follows Tiding Over of Foreign Troubles.

THE FEELING IS MUCH EASIER

United States Bonds Unchanged on Call—As to Other Securities.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—With the fear of a rupture between Russia and Great Britain relieved, stocks scored a sharp recovery to-day. There was an assertion of the recovered bull control of the market and excursions were made into the list to develop new points of strength. The efforts met with success.

The striking feature of the market, however, was the decline in interest at the higher levels and the lapse into actual dullness at times. The market was the smallest of the week. In the early dealings Union Pacific maintained well its recent prominence in the market, the impelling factor being the definite decision on the part of the Oregon Short Line directors to avail themselves of the privilege under the mortgage to retire the participating bonds at 102 1-2. In spite of all official declaimers, the speculative element sees in this a certain indication that the Northern Securities settlement is being worked out to extend the community of interest in the transcontinental railroad field.

was as effective as anything in the day's ers and other quarters of the list. Lackawanna was especially conspicuous, soaring to new record levels on small transactions and by jumps of several points between sales at 320. The renewed strength of United States Steel preferred was as effective as anything in th day's market in restoring speculative confidence, as the heaviness of the steel securities may be said almost to have shared with the war scare as a cause of the week's break in the market.

The decrease in the foreign tension afforded some relief here to the exchange market, and no further engagements were made of gold for export to-morrow, as had been anticipated. The occasional fluctuations of the market gave way to a recovery in the final dealings and the closing was firm and generally at the best prices.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $6,205,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Total sales of stocks to-day were 1,406,900 shares.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE—CLOSE: Money on call, steady, 2@2 1-2 per cent.; lowest, 2; ruling rate, 2 1-4; last loan, 2 1-2; closing b d, 2; offered at 2 1-4.

Time loans, easy and dull; 60 days, 3 per cent.; 90 days and six months, 3 1-4@3 1-2.

Prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent.; sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers' bills, at $486.75@$486.20 for demand and at $483.95@$484 for sixty days bills. Posted rates, $484 1-2@$485 and $487@1-2. Commercial bills, $483 3-4. Bar silver, 58 1-8. Mexican, dollars, 46 1-4.

Wall Street Gossip.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, October 28.—The stock market showed a generally more cheerful tone at the opening, responding readily to the advance in London. There was a fair volume of arbitrage buying, and commission houses seemed to be taking a little more stock for their customers than in the past few days.

Union Pacific was one of the strong stocks on the list in the early trading. The retirement of the Oregon Short Line bonds was regarded favorably, and a rather old story in a new form of the adjustment of the Northern Securities matter by purchase of Union Pacific holdings by a Hill syndicate had some circulation.

Up to 11 A. M., no further gold had been engaged at the Assay Office for shipment by Saturday's steamer outside of the $2,600,000 already announced. Several inquiries have been made for next Tuesday's steamer.

After midday the market continued very firm with activity confined to a limited number of issues. Union Pacific and Erie were still the market leaders, and there was a good professional following for movements, although commission house business was light.

Western houses who have been among the heavy sellers Wednesday and Thursday, were good buyers throughout the morning.

Morgan brokers bought stock here, paying special attention to Eries, Steel and Southern Railway. The Canadian and Minneapolis following of President Lowry of Twin City, were good buyers of "Soo."

The principal movements of currency this week indicate that the banks lost thereby $17,700. The gain from the interior almost offset the loss to the subtreasury.

Atchison gross earnings for the month of September increased $285,526. Net earnings for the month of September increased $19,029.

After the reaction, good support appeared, and the market rallied very easily in the afternoon, and looks as if it will be higher in the morning.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 28, 1904.

SALES.

Virginia 3s—5,500 at 96¾.
Virginia Centuries—10,000 at 97; 1,000 at 97; 1,000 at 97; 5,000 at 97¼; 1,000 at 97¼.
Seaboard Air Line 4s—1,000 at 81⅝.
First National Bank—15 at 215.

STATE SECURITIES.	Bid.	Asked.
North Carolina 6s, C., 1910	102½	...
North Carolina 6s, C., 1919	132	...
Va. 3s, New, C. and R., 1932	96¼	96½
Va. Centuries, 2-3, C. and R., 1991	97	97¼
CITY SECURITIES.		
Richmond City, 1938	107½	...
RAILROAD BONDS.		
Atlanta and Char. 1st 7s, R., 1907	107	...
A. C. L. of C. C. Cor. of Ind. 5 p. c.	116	...
A. C. L. of C. Cer. of Ind. 4 p. c.	94	...
A. C. L. R. R. Con. Tr. 4 p. c.	86½	...
A. C. L. Certificates of Ind 4 p. c.	90	...
Georgia Pacific 1st 6s, C., 1916	122	...
Ga., So. and Fla. 1st 5s, 1945	114	...
Georgia and Ala. Con. 5s, 1945	109	...
N. and W. Ry. 4s, 1996	100	...
N. and W. Ry. Pocahontas 4s	94	...
Rich. and Meck. 1st 4s, 1948	88	...
Florida Southern, 1945	95½	96
Western, N. C. 1st 6s C., 1914	115	...
S. A. L. Con. 1st 4s, 1950	81⅝	81½
RAILROAD STOCKS	Par.	
Atlanta and Charlotte	100	160
Atlantic Coast Line "A"	100	139
Atlantic Coast Line pfd	100	119
Atlantic Coast Line com	100	138½
Atlantic Coast Line of Conn	100	295
Chesapeake and Ohio	100	45
Ga., So. and Fla. 1st pfd	100	90
Ga., So. and Fla. 2d pfd	100	63
Ga., So. and Fla. com	100	30
Norfolk and Western com	100	71½
N., F. and P. Div. Oblig	100	283
R., F. and P. 6 p. c. guar	100	283
R., F. and P. 7 p. c. guar	100	288
Seaboard Air Line pfd	100	33

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SALES:	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing. Bid.	Asked.
300 A. C. L., com	139	140	139	140	140¼
Amer. Grass Twine	...	...	...	7½	7½
64800 Amalgamated Copper	65¾	68	65⅞	67⅞	68
1100 Amer. Car and Foundry	25½	25¾	25½	25⅞	26
200 Amer. Cotton Oil	32¼	32¼	32¼	32	32½
Amer. Snuff	...	...	...	150	160
Amer. Snuff, pfd	...	...	...	85¾	86
1000 Amer. Can	6	6¾	6	6¼	6¼
1800 Amer. Can, pfd	47½	48	47½	47¼	47½
3800 Amer. Locomotive, com	27¼	27½	26¾	27⅜	27½
500 Amer. Locomotive, pfd	97⅞	97⅞	97	97	97½
123400 Amer. Sugar	137½	142½	137¼	142¼	142½
22500 A., T. and S. Fe, com	85¾	86½	85⅝	86⅛	86¼
2900 A., T. and S. Fe, pfd	101½	102	101⅝	101¾	102
14500 Baltimore and Ohio	93⅞	94⅝	93¼	93⅛	94
9200 Brooklyn Rapid Transit	65½	66½	65⅜	66¼	66⅝
Canada Southern	...	...	...	61¾	62
7600 Canadian Pacific	128	130	127⅞	129⅝	129¾
7200 Chesapeake and Ohio	44½	45¼	44⅝	45¼	44⅝
45500 Chi. Great Western	24½	25	24	24½	24⅝
30500 Chi., Mil. and S. P.	170½	172½	170¼	172¼	172½
10800 Colo. Fuel and Iron	41¼	42½	41¼	41⅞	42
1160 Colo. Southern, com	22½	22⅝	22¼	22½	22¾
800 Colo. Southern, 1st pfd	54	55	53¼	55	55½
700 Colo. Southern, 2d pfd	28½	29½	28¼	29¼	29¾
100 Clev., Cin., Chi. and S. L.	84½	84½	84½	84¼	84½
100 Cons. Tobacco, pfd	125¼	125¼	125¼	124¾	125¼
5700 Consolidated Gas	214⅞	216⅛	214⅞	216⅛	216¾
27000 Delaware and Hudson	179	185¼	179	185½	185½
3200 Del., Lack. and West	299	320	299	319½	319¾
189400 Erie, com	38¼	39¾	38	39½	39⅝
4600 Erie, 1st pfd	71½	72⅝	71½	72⅛	72¼
1000 Erie, 2d pfd	51¾	53	51¼	52¾	53
1100 General Electric	173½	176	174	176	176½
900 Illinois Central	143	143½	143	143¼	144
9000 Louisville and Nashville	132¾	135½	132¾	135⅝	135½
3900 Manhattan	160½	161⅞	160½	161½	162
11700 Metro. Street Railway	125¾	126	125¼	125⅞	126¼
20700 Mexican Central	17¾	18⅝	17¾	18¼	18¼
3500 Mo., Kan. and Tex., com	30½	31⅝	30⅝	31¼	31½
1600 Mo., Kan. and Tex., pfd	57½	58¼	57½	58¼	58½
14800 Missouri Pacific	103⅝	104¼	103⅝	104	104⅛
100 Nash., Chat. and S. L.	132	132	132	132	134
5700 New York Central	133⅝	134½	133½	134	134½
4500 Norfolk and Western	70½	72¼	70½	72	72½
50400 N. Y., Ont. and West	43	45¼	43½	44½	44⅝
2200 Pacific Mail	39	39¼	38½	39	39¼
54100 Pennsylvania R. R.	135½	136¾	135¼	136½	136¾
9900 People's Gas (Chicago)	107½	109¼	107½	108⅞	109
8000 Pressed Steel Car	30¼	32⅛	30¼	31¼	31⅛
600 Pressed Steel Car, pfd	80¼	80½	80	80½	80¾
400 Republic I. and S., com	11½	11¾	11½	11⅝	11¾
10 Republic I. and S., pfd	52¾	52¾	52¾	53½	53
108500 Reading, com	73¾	75½	73⅝	74¾	75¼
200 Reading, 1st pfd	87¾	87¾	87	87½	88
Reading, 2d pfd	...	...	...	79	80
62500 Rock Island, com	32½	33	32⅝	32¾	...
3800 Rock Island, pfd	73½	74¼	73	73¾	74
1000 Sloss	46½	47½	46¼	47¼	47½
Sloss, pfd	...	...	...	93	97
800 S. L. and S. F., 2d pfd	61½	62	61	61¾	62
700 S. L. and Southwest, pfd	60¼	60¼	60	49½	50
42500 Southern Pacific	61	62	61	62	62¼
20400 Southern Railway, com	33⅛	34½	33⅛	34¾	34⅛
400 Southern Railway, pfd	94½	94½	94½	94¼	94¾
Seaboard Air Line, com	...	...	...	16¼	16½
200 Seaboard Air Line, pfd	33½	33¾	33½	33¾	33⅞
7600 Tenn. Coal and Iron	55½	57½	55½	57¼	55½
3100 Texas Pacific	34⅛	35	34⅛	34¾	35
120500 Union Pacific	110½	111⅝	110⅝	111⅝	111¼
5100 United States Leather	11¾	12⅜	11⅝	12¼	12¾
23200 United States Steel	20	20¾	20	20⅝	20⅞
97500 United States Steel, pfd	80	81⅝	79¾	81⅝	81¾
4200 Va.-Car. Chemical, com	37¼	39	37¼	38	38¾
900 Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	110	111½	110½	111	111½
1600 Wabash, com	21⅜	21¾	21⅜	21½	21⅝
700 Wabash, pfd	42⅞	43⅛	42½	42¾	43¼
800 Western Union	90	91¼	90⅝	90½	90¾
2800 Wisconsin Central	22⅛	23⅛	21⅝	23	23¼
700 Wisconsin Central, pfd	45½	46	45⅝	45¾	46½

Total sales 1,406,900.

CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS.

U. S. refunding 2s, registered	104⅝	Chicago, R. I. and Pacific col. 5s	93½	Norfolk and Western con. 4s	100½
U. S. refunding 2s, coupon	104⅝	C., C., C. and St. Louis gen. 4s	102	Oregon Short Line 4s and Partic	102½
U. S. 3s, registered	109⅝	Chicago Terminal 4s	82	Pennsylvania conv. 3½s	103
U. S. 3s, coupon	109⅝	Consolidated Tobacco 4s	73¼	Reading General 4s	102
U. S. New 4s, registered	139½	Colorado and Southern 4s	83¾	St. Louis and Iron Mountain con. 5s	116
U. S. New 4s, coupon	131⅞	Denver and Rio Grande 4s	101¼	St. Louis and San Francisco fg. 4s	86½
U. S. Old 4s registered	106½	Erie prior line 4s	101⅛	St. Louis Southwestern 1sts	90½
U. S. Old 4s, coupon	106½	Erie General 4s	88½	Seaboard Air Line 4s	81
Atchison general 4s	102⅝	Fort Worth and Denver City 1sts	111¾	Southern Pacific 4s	94½
Atchison adjustment 4s	97	Hocking Valley 4½s	109	Southern Railway 5s	115⅝
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	93⅝	Louisville and Nashville Unified 4s	102½	Texas and Pacific 1sts	119
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	102	Manhattan consol gold 4s	106	Toledo, St. L. and Western 4s	81⅝
Baltimore and Ohio 3½s	96	Mexican Central 4s	73½	Union Pacific 4s	105
Central of Georgia 5s	113¾	Mexican Central 1st Inc	22⅝	Union Pacific conv. 4s	113¼
Central of Georgia 1st Inc	88½	Minn. and St. Louis 4s	96½	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	87⅞
Chesapeake anr Ohio 4½s	106¾	Missouri, Kansas and Texas 4s	102	Wabash 1sts	119
Chicago and Alton 3½s	83	Missouri, Kansas and Texas 2ds	85	Wabash Deb. B s	66
Chicago, B. and Quincy new 4s	98⅝	National R. R. of Mexico con. 4s	80	Wheeling and Lake Erie 4s	90¾
Chicago, M. and St. Paul gen. 4s	106⅝	New York Central gen. 3½s	100½	Wisconsin Central 4s	92
Chicago and Northwestern con. 7s	138⅝	New Jersey Central gen. 5s	105¼	Colorado Fuel conv. 5s	81¾
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific 4s	78	Northern Pacific 4s	75¾	M. and O. Collateral Trust 4s	96
		Northern Pacific 3s	73¾	Central of Georgia 2d Inc	62½

Seaboard Air Line com	100	16	16½		
BANK AND TRUST COMPANIES.					
Bread Street Bank	25	26	...		
First National	100	215	...		
Merchants National	100	350	...		
Petersburg Savs. and Ins	20	70	76		
Union Bank of Richmond	50	163	...		
Virginia Trust Co.	100	100	100		
Bank of Richmond	100	119	...		
INSURANCE COMPANIES.					
Virginia Fire and Marine	25	...	40		
MISCELLANEOUS.					
American Locomotive pfd	100	97	...		
Consolidated Tob. 4 p. c. bonds	100	74	...		
Old Dominion S. S. Co.	100	120	125		
S. L. and S. Co. 1st bonds, 6 p. c.	100	...	...		
Va.-Car Chem. pfd., $ p. c.	100	109	111		
Virginia-Carolina Chem. com	100	27	...		
Va.-Car. C. Co. Col. Tr. 5 p. c.	...	98	98¼		

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

BALTIMORE, MD., Oct. 28.—Seaboard Air Line common, 16¼@16⅝; do. preferred, 33¾@33⅞. Atlantic Coast Line common, 138@141.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—It was a very quiet, but generally steady day in the cotton market. The opening was firm at unchanged prices to an advance of 7 points, or rather better than due on the cables as a result of more optimistic views of the European situation and reports of more or less general frosts in the central and western belts. There was comparatively little cotton for sale, and following the call the market continued to advance on a steady demand through wire and commission houses and covering of room shorts. The larger operators did not appear to be taking any very active part in the trading. Some of the New Orleans operators were evidently buying in a moderate way, as though testing the remaining short interest. Cables continued steady after the locap opening, and when it was seen that interior receipts were running a little lighter local prices increased their gain. The highest point was in the late trading, when January sold at 9.80 and March at 9.89. The close was a little down from the best, but steady at a net advance of 6@12 points. Sales were estimated at 150,000 bales.

There were rumors circulating in the afternoon that the Fall River strike had been broken and that the mills there were to start on full time after the first of the month. This rumor was not confirmed from official sources.

Receipts at the ports to-day were 63,098 bales against 61,662 last week and 67,821 last year; for the week 230,000 bales against 293,909 bales last week and 491,912 last year; to-day's receipts at New Orleans were 10,538 bales against 15,179 last year, and at Houston 10,593 bales against 19,884 last year.

Cotton futures opened firm and closed steady:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
October	9.47	9.60	9.42	9.51
November	9.47	9.52	9.41	9.48
December	9.53	9.70	9.58	9.65
January	9.68	9.80	9.68	9.75
February	...	9.80	9.80	9.80
March	9.80	9.89	9.79	9.87
April	9.85	9.87	9.85	9.85
May	9.89	9.94	9.85	9.93
June	...	...	...	9.15

Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points advance; middling uplands, 9.95; middling gulf, 10.20; sales, 2,100 bales.

Cotton quiet; middling, 9.25; net receipts, 727 bales; gross, 4,369 bales; sales, 2,100 bales; stock, 71,574 bales.

Total to-day at all seaports—Net receipts, 63,098 bales; export to Great Britain, 17,718 bales; to France, 700 bales; to the Continent, 22,393 bales; stock, 725,429 bales.

Consolidated at all seaports—Net receipts, 235,871 bales; export to Great Britain, 32,737 bales; to France, 42,638 bales; to the Continent, 152,896 bales; to Mexico, 3,806 bales.

Total since September 1st at all seaports—Net receipts, 2,659,312 bales; export to Great Britain, 903,698 bales; to France, 199,616 bales; to the Continent, 630,834 bales; to Japan, 10,233 bales; to Mexico, 6,806 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Oct. 28.—COTTON—Spot cotton quiet; sales 4,400 bales, including 2,300 to arrive. Quotations unchanged.

Futures opened quiet but steady, at an advance of 5@8 points. Both New Orleans and New York had a fairly good tone on cables from Liverpool, stating that the crisis in the trouble between Great Britain and Russia had been passed and that a peaceful settlement was probable. December opened 8 points higher at 9.52, sold up to 9.56, declined to 9.47 and finally recovered to 9.56. The market closed quiet with net gains of 10@12 points.

November, 9.51@9.52; December, 9.56@9.57; January, 9.65@9.66; February, 9.72@9.74; March, 9.80@9.81; April, 9.83@9.85; May, 9.91@9.92.

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

(Corrected daily. Unless otherwise stated these quotations are wholesale prices.)

POULTRY (live)—Fairly active. Quotations: Chickens, large, per pound, 13@14c.; medium, per pound, 11@12c.; small, per pound, 10c; hens, per pound, 11c.; ducks, large, per pound, 12@13c.; ducks, small, per pound, 10@11c.; roosters, per piece, 25c. Turkeys—Active at 13c.; large, 12@13c.; small, 10@11c.; fat turkeys in active demand; receipts light.

BUTTER—Choice family packed, per pound, 17@18c.; fancy dairy packed, per pound, 17@18c.; choice dairy packed, per pound, 15@16c.; choice store packed, per pound, 15@16c.; medium, per pound, 13@14c.; common, per pound, 8@9c.; choice yellow rolls, 16@17c. per pound; mixed, white and yellow, 14@16c. per pound.

EGGS—Crates, nearby, fresh laid, 22@23c. per dozen, crates, other sections, 22c. per dozen; barrels and boxes, 20@21c. per dozen; guinea, 12c. per dozen.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—Apples, per barrel, fancy handpacked, $3.25@2.50 per barrel; choice handpacked, $1.75@2 per barrel; medium, handpacked, $1.50@1.75 per barrel; bulk, $1@1.50. Beans—Navy, No. 1 white, $1.70@1.80; common to good, $1.50@1.60; mixed, per bushel, $1.50@1.60; colored, $1.25@1.50; blackeye peas, $1.40@1.50 bushel. Onions, bushel, 70@80c. Potatoes, Virginia, 40@50c. per bus.; Western, 55@60c. Peanuts—Farmers, per pound, 3½@3¾c. Hams—small, 15@16c.; hams, large, 13@14c.; sides, smoked, 10@11c.; shoulders, smoked, 9@10c. Veals—Best, 6½@7c. per pound; runners, 4@5c.; lambs, 3½@5c. hogs, 5¾@6¼c.; live hogs, 5½@5¾c.; deer, 10@11c. Game wanted.

FLOUR—Winter superfine, $2.75@3.00; winter extra, $4.50@4.75; winter clear, $3@3.40; winter straight, $3.60@3.75; winter patent, $5.05@5.10. Buckwheat, per pound, 3½@3c. Cornmeal, city sacked, 70@75½c.; country bolted, sacked, 62½@65c. Millfeed—Shipstuff, per ton, $21.50@22.00; bran, $19.50@21.00.

Other Produce Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—FLOUR—Market dull and shade lower. Minnesota patents, $5.20@5.50. Rye Flour—Quiet. Buckwheat Flour—Steady at $2.10@2.25. Cornmeal—Quiet. Rye—Nominal. Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Spot irregular. No. 2 red, $1.21½. Options declined at the start on more peaceful reports from abroad. They rallied on covering, but later broke under big receipts to steady, up again and finally recovered on war talk. The close was unchanged to ⅝c. net lower. May closed at $1.13½; December, $1.18 7-16c.

Corn—Spot easy; No. 2, 59⅝c. Options quiet all day and generally weak in response to big Western liquidation and lack of full support, closing ⅝@1¼c. net lower. May closed at 51⅝c.; December, 56⅝c. Oats—Spot dull; mixed, 34½@35½c. Options nominal.

Beef—Steady. Cut Meats—Irregular; pickled bellies, 8¾@10½c. per pound; pickled shoulders, 9½@11c. per pound. Lard—Easy; Western, steamed, $7.55; October closed at $7.55 nominal; refined, easy; Continent, $7.80. Pork—Steady. Tallow—Barely steady. Rosin—Firm; strained, common to good, $2.90. Turpentine—Steady at 54½@55½c.

Sugar—Spot Rio, steady; No. 7 invoice, 8⅝c.; mild, quiet. The market for coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 5@10 points. The close was steady at a net advance of 10 points. Sales 36,000 bags. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3⅜c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 4⅛c.; molasses sugar, 3⅛c.; refined, steady. Confectioners' A, $4.80; mould A, $5.40; cut loaf, $5.75; crushed, $5.75; powdered, $5.15; granulated, $5.05; cubes, $5.20. Rice—Firm. Molasses—Steady.

Butter—Firm; creamery, extra, 19@21c. Cheese—Quiet and unchanged. Eggs—Quiet and unchanged.

Potatoes—Firm; Long Island, $1.75@2.00; State and Western, $1.50@1.75; Jersey sweets, $1.25@1.75. Peanuts—Dull; fancy handpicked, 5¾@5¾c.; other domestic, 3¾@4¼c. Cabbages—Steady; per barrel, 50@75c. Cotton—By steam to Liverpool, 15c.

CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 28.—Dispersal of European war clouds resulted in liberal liquidation of wheat to-day. In consequence prices showed a material decline, December wheat being off 3⅝@⅞c. at the close. May was down ½@¾c.; corn is precisely 1c. lower than yesterday's final figures; oats are off ⅝c., and provisions a shade to 12½c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—No. 2.				
Oct.	...	...	...	1.12⅞
Dec.	1.13¾	1.13¾	1.13	1.13⅝
May	1.12½	1.12⅝	1.11½	1.12⅝
July	98	98	97	97½
CORN—No. 2.				
Oct.	...	...	...	53
Dec.	50	50	48⅞	49½
May	46⅝	46⅝	45½	45⅝
OATS—No. 2.				
Oct.	...	...	...	29⅝
Dec.	29¾	29¾	28⅞	29⅛
May	31½	31½	31⅛	31⅝
MESS PORK—Per bbl.				
Oct.	10.85	10.90	10.85	10.90
Jan.	12.37	12.52½	12.37½	12.42½
May	12.60	12.65	12.45	12.47½
LARD—Per 100 lbs				
Oct.	...	...	...	7.05
Jan.	7.10	7.12½	7.02½	7.05
May	7.17½	7.20	7.15	7.15
SHORT RIBS—Per 100 lbs.				
Oct.	7.15	7.15	7.15	7.15
Jan.	6.47½	6.50	6.45	6.45
May	6.60	6.62½	6.57½	6.60

Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR—Easier. No. 2 spring wheat, $1.17; No. 3, $1.03@1.15; No. 2 red, $1.17@1.19⅞. No. 2 corn, 55½c.; No. 2 yellow, 57@57¼c. No. 2 oats, 30⅝c.; No. 2 white, 31½@31¾c.; No. 3 white, 29¾@31½c. No. 2 rye, 79½c. Good feeding barley, 37½c.; fair to choice malting, 42@52c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1.10; No. 1 northwestern, $1.16½; prime timothy seed, $2.60. Mess pork, per barrel, $10.90@11.00; lard per 100 pounds, $7.02½@7.05; short ribs sides (loose), $7.12½@7.25; dry salted shoulders, net quote; short clear sides (boxed), $7.37½@7.50. Whiskey, basis of high wines, $1.25. Clover, contract grade, $12.15. Butter—Firm; creameries, 15@21½c.; dairies, 13@18c. Cheese—Easy at 10¼@10½c. Eggs—Firm at mark, cases included, 16½@18¼c.; firsts, 18½c.; prime firsts, 21½c.; extras, 23½c.

BALTIMORE, MD., Oct. 28.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged. Wheat—Weak; spot, contract, $1.15@1.15¼; No. 2 red, Western, $1.17@1.17¼; Southern by sample, 85c.@$1.16. Corn—Dull; the year, 51¼c. bid; January, 50@50¼c.; new southern white corn, 47@53c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 33¾@34c. Rye—Firm; No. 2 Western, 90@91c. Butter—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 17@18c. do. creamery, 22½@23c.; do., ladle, 16@16c.; store-packed, 12@14c. Eggs—Firm and unchanged at 21c. Cheese—Steady and unchanged. Sugar—Unchanged.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 28, 1904.

QUOTATIONS.

WHEAT—		
Longberry (car lots)	$1.17	@$1.18
Mixed (car lots)	1.17	@ 1.18
Shortberry (car lots)	1.17	@ 1.18
No. 2 red (car lots)	1.19	
Va. bag lots	1.00	@ 1.18
Va. bag lots for seed	1.18	
CORN—		
White, Va.	61	@ 62
New, white, on cob	60	@ 63
No. 2 white (car lots)	61½	@ 62
No. 3 white (car lots)	60	@ 61
No. 2 mixed (car lots)	60	@ 61½
No. 3 mixed (car lots)	59	@ 59½
OATS—		
No. 2 mixed (car lots)	34½	
No. 3 mixed (car lots)	34	
No. 2 white (car lots)	35	
Winter seed	45	@ 50
RYE	85	@ 90

CATTLE MARKETS.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Yards.)

Richmond, Va., Oct. 28, 1904.

Receipts for the week ending Monday:

CATTLE—Receipts, 418 head; market fair. Best steers, 4½@5c.; medium to good, 3¾@4½c.; common to fair, 3@3½c.; heifers, 2½@4c.; cows, 2¼@3c.; bulls, 2@2½c.; calves, 5½@6½c.; dicks, 3@4½c.; fresh cows, $25@42.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,773 head; market active. Good hogs, 5½@5.65c.; shoats, 4¾@5½c.; roughs, 4@5c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 521 head; market strong; demand good for fat sheep and lambs and feeding sheep. Fat sheep, 3@4¼c.; good lambs, 5½@6c.; others, 3¾@5c.; feeding wethers, 3½@3¾c. No demand for stock ewes.

CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,500 head; Westerns, 1,000 head. Market slow and steady to 10c. lower. Prime steers, $5.60@6.75; poor to medium, $4@5.60; stockers and feeders, $2@4.20; cows, $1.50@4.30; heifers, $2@5.00; canners, $1.50@2.50; bulls, $2@4.15; calves, $3.50@7.00; Texas-fed steers, $3@5.50; Western steers, $3@5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000 head. Market 5@10c. lower; closed strong. Mixed and butchers', $4.90@5.35; good to choice, heavy, $5.10@5.25; rough, heavy, $4.60@5.00; light, $4.75@5.10; bulk of sales, $4.90@5.15. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head. Sheep strong; lambs steady. Good to choice wethers, $4@4.75; fair to choice mixed, $3.50@4.25; native lambs, $4.25@6.00.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—BEEVES—Receipts, 1,248 head; 12 cars on sale. Good steers firm; others slow; bulls and cows slow. Native steers, $3.50@6.10; stags, $3.40; bulls, $2.00@3.85; cows, $1.20@3.85. Calves—Receipts, 153 head. Veals and grassers steady. Veals $4.50@5.80; grass, $3.00; Westerns, nominal. Dressed calves steady. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000 head. Sheep scarce and firm; lambs slow to shade lower. Sheep, $3@4.50; culls, $2@2.60; lambs, $5@6.00; choice, $6.10; culls $3.50@4.00. Hogs—Receipts, 2,200 head. Market steady. Prime hogs, $5.60.

UNION STOCK YARDS, PITTSBURG, PA., Oct. 28.—CATTLE—Supply light; market steady. Choice, $5.40@5.00; prime, $5.10@5.30; fair, $3.25@3.75. Hogs—Market firm. Prime, $5.40@5.45; mediums, $5.20@5.30; heavy yorkers, $5.20@5.25; light yorkers, $5@5.10; pigs, $4.75@4.90; roughs, $4@4.75. Sheep—Supply fair; market slow. Prime wethers, $4.10@4.25; common, sheep, $1@2.60; spring lambs, $3.50@6.85; veal calves, $7@7.50.

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 28.—HOGS—Active, 5c. lower. Selected shippers, $5.20; selected butchers, $5.15@5.20; common, $3.25@4.55. Cattle—Steady and wak. Fair to good shippers, $4@4.75; common, 42@2.25. Sheep—Steady at $1@3.50; lambs $3@5.75.

TOBACCO MARKET.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 28, 1904.

Dark Fired Tobacco—Receipts and offerings very light and market quiet at unchanged prices; very little doing. Sun-Cured—(Old) Season over, nothing doing; (new) receipts continue light, and market active at quotations. Brights—Receipts fair, and market quiet but firm at unchanged quotations.

The quotations are as follows:

DARK FIRED TOBACCO—NEW.		
Primings	$1.50	@$ 3.00
DARK FIRED TOBACCO—REORDERED.		
Lugs	4.50	@ 5.50
Short leaf	5.50	@ 6.25
Medium leaf	6.50	@ 7.50
Long leaf	8.00	@ 12.00
Wrappers and selection	10.00	@ 14.00
BRIGHT TOBACCO.		
SMOKERS—Common	6.00	@ 8.00
Medium	8.00	@ 10.00
Fine	10.00	@ 12.00
CUTTERS—Common	10.00	@ 12.00
Medium	12.00	@ 13.00
Fine	15.00	@ 17.00
Fancy	17.00	@ 20.00
FILLERS—Common	6.00	@ 7.00
Medium	8.00	@ 9.00
Good	9.00	@ 11.00
Fine	12.00	@ 14.00
WRAPPERS—Common	14.00