New York Stock Market

NEW YORK, June 16.—The unsettlement in the stock market, which started yesterday, proceeded to such a length to-day as to bring out from great banking interests and others interested in maintaining values forcible measures for the protection of prices. United States Steel was the centre of the disturbance and activity in the dealings. Reports overnight seemed to confirm the rumor current for several days that the effort to secure the admission of United States Steel to the Paris Bourse had failed through the refusal of the government official whose consent is necessary. The disturbing effect of this report and the acute weakness of United States Steel particularly was contested by powerful buying orders for the stock designed to support the price and by renewed assurances from J. P. Morgan & Company of their confidence that the plan for introducing United States Steel to the Paris Bourse, while delayed and encountering some opposition, would be carried out.

The great stress which has been laid on this project in connection with the speculation in United States Steel left no room for escape from an unfavorable effect from the reported defeat of the plan, whatever may be the actual bearing on the prospective value of the United States Steel shares. The open pressure on those shares forced them down to 65 7-8, which is 1 3-8 lower than yesterday's closing price and 4 points below the high level touched on Monday. The effect was not confined to that stock, the whole list showing sharp declines during the morning and being subjected to pronounced pressure of liquidation.

The professional bear organization, which came into prominence yesterday, was active again. Large liquidation was forced upon the market by the mere fall in prices, which induced speculative holders to throw over stocks to save profits or to limit losses. The bears continued to force the decline as long as this condition continued. The support, which checked the decline in itself, put a stop to much of the selling, and the scramble of the bears to cover aided materially in the purpose of those seeking to protect prices.

The effect of the Paris news on United States Steel was enhanced by reports of a determination of tin plate workers with the corporation to strike. The expected message of President Taft, which proved to have been quite accurately outlined in the news, was dwelt on by some of the sellers of stocks as a possible opening for a renewed agitation in Congress on the whole subject of corporation control. The proposed 2 per cent. tax on net earnings of corporations and the recommendation to submit a constitutional amendment permitting a tax on incomes were not especially relished in themselves in the prevailing stock market view. Sensitiveness on the subject of corporation pursuit has grown keener with the widespread discussion given to the affairs of the American Sugar Refining Company in connection with its settlement with the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company. There is some apprehension that this discussion and agitation may prejudice the final settlement of the tariff schedules.

Declines in copper in London and at the New York Metal Exchange were incidents of the day that worked toward depression of speculative sentiment. A good effect was produced by the quick sale reported by the purchasing bankers of the $25,000,000 St. Paul debentures bonds. A spurt in Reading to above 155 was the sustaining factor in the late dealings, but it was not announced until after the market had closed that the dividend on the stock had been left unchanged.

The activity of the market was much curtailed at the partly restored prices of the latter part of the day, and the closing tone was irregular.

Bonds were easy; total sales, $4,894,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Money on call easy; 1 3-4@2 per cent.; ruling rate, 1 7-8; closing bid, 1 1-2; offered at 1 1-2. Time loans firm and quiet; sixty days, 2 1-4@2 1-2; ninety days, 2 1-2@2 3-4 per cent.; six months, 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3@3 1-2@4 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86@$4.8605 for sixty day bills, and at $4.8745 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.85 1-4@$4.85 3-4. Bar silver, 52 3-8. Mexican dollars, 44. Government bonds steady.

OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By THOMAS BRANCH & CO., Bankers and Brokers.

SALES:	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid. Asked. Closing.
600 Allis-Chalmers	15½	15½	15⅝	15⅝ 16¼
2,200 Allis-Chalmers, pfd	53	53½	52½	53 53¼
29,100 Amalgamated Copper	83½	84	82¾	83⅝ 83¾
2,000 American Can	12½	12½	12¼	12¼ 12⅜
1,100 Am. Can., pfd., x 1¼%	82½	82½	82	82¼ 82¾
6,450 Amer. Car and Foundry	55⅝	56⅞	54½	55½ 55¾
310 Amer. Car and Foun., pfd	116½	117	116½	116½ 117¼
3,700 American Cotton Oil	72½	74¼	72¼	73½ 74¼
800 American Linseed Oil	17⅝	17¾	17	17½ 17¾
2,200 Amer. Linseed Oil, pfd	44¾	44¾	43½	44 44½
4,000 American Locomotive	58½	59¼	57	59 59¼
Amer. Locomotive, pfd	...	...	...	116 118
13,000 American Smelting	94	94¾	92¼	93¾ 93⅞
4,400 American Sugar	124½	125⅛	124⅛	125½ 125¾
4,400 Amer. Tel. and Tel. Co.	141½	141½	141	141¼ 141½
40 American Tobacco, com.	439	439	439	432 440
5,700 American Tobacco, pfd.	101	101	101	101 101¼
3,700 Anaconda Copper	49¾	49⅞	49¼	49⅜ 49¾
34,500 Atchison, x rights	113⅞	114⅛	113	114 114⅛
300 Atlantic Coast Line	131	131½	130½	131¼ 131½
9,200 Baltimore and Ohio	117	117½	116¾	117⅜ 117½
5,300 Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79	79⅜	78⅛	79¼ 79½
100 Canadian Pacific	182½	182½	182½	182½ 182¾
2,400 Cresapeake and Ohio	75½	75¾	75	75⅝ 75¾
3,900 Chicago Great Western	3¼	3¼	2½	3 3¼
16,000 Chi., Mil. and St. Paul	154	154¾	153¼	154⅛ 154¼
900 Chicago and Northwest	183¾	184	183¾	184½ 184½
Clev., Cin., Chi. and St. L.	...	...	...	74½ 75
2,900 Col. Hocking C. and I.	62	63	62	62½ 63
9,200 Colorado Fuel and Iron	44	44⅛	43¾	43¾ 44
500 Colorado and Southern	57½	57¾	57	57⅜ 57½
100 Col. and South., 1st pfd.	81¼	81¼	81¼	81 82
900 Col. and South., 2d pfd.	80¼	80¼	80¼	80¼ 80½
4,975 Consolidated Gas	141¾	142¾	141⅛	141 142
500 Delaware and Hudson	189½	190½	189	190 191
2,400 Den. and Rio Gran., com.	50½	51	50¼	50⅝ 51
400 Den. and Rio Gran., pfd.	88⅝	88¾	88⅝	88¼ 89
1,700 Distillers' Sec. Cor.	38½	39⅞	38½	39½ 39⅞
9,500 Erie	35½	35¾	35⅛	35⅞ 35¼
1,400 Erie, 1st pfd	53	53⅛	52¾	52⅞ 53¼
200 Erie, 2d pfd	42¾	42¾	42½	42 43¼
2,300 General Electric	160¾	162½	159½	161 162
10,500 Great Northern, pfd.	147¾	149¼	147¾	149¼ 149¾
13,600 Great Northern Ore ctfs.	76¼	76¾	75½	76¼ 76½
1,500 Illinois Central	148½	148½	147½	148½ 148¾
12,200 Int. Metropolitan	17	17¼	16⅝	16¾ 17

SALES	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing. Bid. Asked.
16,700 Int. Metropolitan, pfd.	48½	49½	48	48½ 48⅞
Int. Mer. Marine, com.	...	...	...	7½ 7⅞
600 Int. Mer. Marine, pfd.	24	24	23¾	23¾ 24
3,200 International Paper	15⅛	15½	14¾	15⅞ 15½
1,200 Int. Paper, pfd.	61	61½	61	61½ 62
1,750 Kan. City South., com.	46¾	46¾	45	45¼ 45½
400 Kansas City South., pfd	72⅝	72⅝	72½	72¼ 73
400 Louisville and Nashville	142	142	141¾	141¾ 142
Manhattan	...	...	...	142 146
115 Metro. Street Railway	27¾	27¾	27⅝	27 30
500 Mo., Kan. and Texas	42	42½	42	42¼ 42½
200 Mo., Kan. and Tex., pfd.	73½	73½	73½	73 75
2,900 Missouri Pacific	74½	75	74	75 75¼
1,800 National Lead	84½	84½	84	84⅝ 85
6,700 New York Central	131	133	130⅞	132⅛ 133
8,400 N. Y. Ont. and Western	53⅝	54½	53⅛	54¼ 54⅝
100 Norfolk and Western	90½	90½	90½	90 90½
21,300 Northern Pacific	150½	151⅝	150	151⅝ 151⅞
200 Pacific Mail	29¼	29½	29¼	29¼ 29¾
13,640 Pennsylvania	136⅛	137	136	136⅞ 137
People's Gas	...	...	...	114½ 115
1,860 Pressed Steel Car	42	43	42	42¾ 43
Pressed Steel Car, pfd.	...	...	...	103½ 104
700 Ry. Steel Spring, com.	43½	43½	42⅞	44¼ 44¾
137,000 Reading	154	155⅞	152¼	154½ 154⅝
2,700 Republic Iron and Steel	30½	31	30½	30¾ 31
1,350 Republic I. and S., pfd.	106	106½	105¾	106½ 107
19,800 Rock Island	31	31⅞	30¼	31¾ 31⅞
2,600 Rock Island, pfd.	69¼	70	69¼	69¾ 70
500 Sloss-Sheffield	81¾	82	81½	82 83
45,700 Southern Pacific	129½	130¾	129⅛	130⅜ 130½
3,750 Southern Railway	31	31¼	30⅝	31⅛ 31¼
800 Southern Railway, pfd.	68¾	68¾	68¼	68½ 68¾
106 Standard Oil	688	688	686	684 689
860 Tennessee Copper	40¼	40¼	40	39¾ 40½
4,000 Texas Pacific	34¾	35½	34¾	35⅛ 35½
68,500 Union Pacific	191	192½	190⅞	192⅛ 192¼
1,000 United States Rubber	39	39¼	38¼	38¾ 39¼
190,900 United States Steel	66¼	67¾	65⅞	67¼ 67¾
14,300 United States Steel, pfd	123	124¼	122¼	123¾ 123⅞
4,500 Va.-Car. Chemical	54½	55¼	53⅞	54⅝ 55
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd.	...	...	...	120 123
4,750 Wabash	22¾	23½	22⅞	23 23¼
27,800 Wabash, pfd.	59½	60⅞	59¼	60⅜ 60½
300 Western Union	74½	74⅝	74½	74½ 74¾

Total sales for day, 931,900 shares.

CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS.

Armour & Co. 4½s, W. I.	95½	Col. and Southern ref. and ext. 4½s	99¼	Northern Pacific 3s	74¾
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	86⅞	Delaware and Hudson cv. 4s	105	Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s	94¾
American Agricultural 5s	101¼	Del. and Hud. 1st ref. 4s (bid)	102	Pennsylvania cv. 3½s (1915)	96⅞
American Tel. and Tel. cv. 4s	104⅝	Denver and Rio Grande 4s	97½	Pennsylvania consol 4s	104½
American Tobacco 4s	79⅞	Denver and Rio Grande rfdg. 5s	93¼	Reading General 4s	100⅛
American Tobacco 6s	112	Distillers 5s	76⅞	St. Louis and San Fran. fg. 4s	86
Atchison general 4s	100¾	Erie prior lien 4s	90	St. L. S'western con. 4s (asked)	80½
Atchison Short Line 1st 4s	95	Erie General 4s	78	St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	94⅝
Atchison conv. 4s	113¾	Erie cv. 4s, series "A"	85¾	Seaboard Air Line 4s	87⅝
Atchison conv. 5s	113½	Erie cv. 4s, series "B"	75½	Southern Pacific col. 4s	92½
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	96½	General Electric cv. 5s	147⅛	Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	95
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	100	Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	100	Southern Pacific conv. 4s	102¾
Baltimore and Ohio 3½s (bid)	94	Interborough Metro. 4½s	79⅛	Southern Railway 5s	113¼
Baltimore and Ohio S. W. 3½s	91	Inter. Merc. Marine 4½s	72¾	Southern Railway, gen. 4s	83
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	87	Japan 4s	87½	United States refunding 2s, registered	101½
Canada Southern 1st 6s	106½	Japan 4½s	93⅜	United States refunding 2s, coupon	101¾
Central of Georgia 5s	110	Japan 4½s, 2nd series	93	United States 3s, registered	102½
Central Leather 5s	98¾	Kansas City Southern 1st 5s	74¾	United States 3s, coupon	102
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s (bid)	127	Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	95¼	United States 4s, registered	118½
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s (bid)	103½	Louisville and Nashville Un. 4s	100	United States 4s, coupon	121
Chesapeake and Ohio rfdg. 4s	101¼	Mo., Kan. and Tex. 1st 4s (bid)	90½	Union Pacific 4s	102¾
Chicago and Alton 3½s	76	Mo., Kan. and Tex. 1st and ref. 4s	86⅞	Union Pacific conv. 4s	110
Chicago, B. and Quincy joint 4s	97¾	Mo., Kan. and Texas gen. 4½s	91¼	Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	99⅞
Chicago, Mil. and St. P. gen. 3½s (bid)	90	Missouri Pacific 4s	82¾	United States Rubber 6s	105⅛
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. R. R. col. 4s	80¼	New York Central gen. 3½s (bid)	92¾	United States Steel 2nd 5s	105½
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. R. R. col. 5s	93	New York Central deb. 4s	95⅝	Virginia-Car. Chem. 5s	99
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry. rfdg. 4s	91½	New York City 4½s (new)	111½	Wabash 1st 5s	112¾
C., C., C. and St. L. gen. 4s (bid)	97½	N. Y., N. H. and Hartford cv. 6s	138⅝	Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	78⅞
Colorado Industrial 5s	77½	Norfolk and Western 1st con. 4s	99	Western Md. 4s	84½
Colorado Midland 4s (asked)	82¾	Norfolk and Western cv. 4s	98¼	Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	91½
		Northern Pacific 4s	102½	Wisconsin Central 4s	95¾

Virginia Trust Company	100	85 ...

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Virginia Fire and Marine	...	65 ...

MISCELLANEOUS.

American Tob. pfd. 6 p. ct.	100	101 ...
American Locomotive pfd.	...	117 ...
American Locomotive com.	...	58 ...
American Tob. 4 p. ct. bonds	...	80 ...
American Tob. 6 p. ct. bonds	100	112 ...
Va.-Car. Chem. pfd. 8 p. ct.	100	120 121
Va.-Car. Chem. com.	100	54½ ...
Va.-Car. Chem. 1st Mort. 5s, 1923	99	100

Quotations for interest-paying bonds are at a price, to which interest must be added. Income bonds and certificates of indebtedness are flat.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, June 16.—After early firmness and new high records for the late positions the cotton market weakened in the late trading with the close steady, net 2 points lower to 3 points higher. The opening was steady at an advance of 3@6 points in response to better cables than expected. Excellent weather conditions caused realizing and offerings were very heavy around 10.95 for October. For a time this held the upward movement in check, but the cotton was gradually absorbed by increased commission buying, bull support and covering, which was probably promoted by bullish spot market advices and expectations of a bullish private crop report at 1 o'clock. Before his report was issued the market had sold up to 10.98 for October and 11.04 for December, or 9@10 points net higher, and at the highest prices reached this season for December and later positions. The expected crop report made the condition as of June 11, 79.4 per cent, against the government's report of 81.1 per cent. as of May 25, the deterioration being attributed to excessive moisture, particularly in the Central belt. It seemed, however, this this report had been discounted by the previous advance, and during the last hour realizing became general with prices reaching the lowest level of the day. The close was only a point or two up from the bottom. Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to ⅛c. higher. The receipts are running much smaller and many reports are being received indicating that the amount of unsold cotton in the South is now very small.

Receipts at the ports to-day were 4,161 bales against 10,647 last week and 9,956 last year. For the week 35,000 bales against 51,323 last week and 53,997 last year.

To-day's receipts at New Orleans 1,447 bales against 4,588 last year.

Cotton futures opened steady and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
June	...	11.07	11.01	10.97
July	10.95	11.00	10.90	10.91
August	10.99	11.02	10.92	10.93
September	10.96	11.00	10.96	10.92
October	10.94	10.98	10.88	10.90
November	...	10.92	10.92	10.92
December	10.98	11.04	10.95	10.96
January	10.95	10.99	10.90	10.91
March	10.94	10.99	10.91	10.91
May	10.94	10.98	10.91	10.91

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 11.40 middling gulf, 11.65.

Cotton, quiet; middling, 11.40; gross receipts, 1,932 bales; stock, 174,837 bales.

Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 4,161 bales; export to Great Britain, 7,860 bales; stock, 442,771 bales.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 25,537 bales; export to Great Britain, 32,320 bales; to France, 9,884 bales; to the Continent, 5,987 bales; to Japan, 228 bales.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 9,731 bales, 153 bales; export to Great Britain, 3,365,916 bales; to France, 1,000,098 bales; to the Continent, 3,350,139 bales; to Japan, 19,994 bales; to Mexico, 27,832 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., June 16.—COTTON—Spot cotton steady, unchanged; middling, 10 15-16c.; sales on the spot 235 bales and 625 to arrive. Futures opened steady at an advance of 3@6 points. The close was steady. June, 10.86; July, 11.00; August, 11.05; September, 12.00; October, 10.88; December, 10.87; January, 10.87.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, June 16.—FLOUR—Dull and lower to sell. Rye Flour and Cornmeal—Steady. Rye—Dull. Barley—Steady. Wheat—Easy; No. 2 red, old, $1.51 nominal, elevator. Options ⅞@1⅜c. net loss. July, $1.22⅞; September, $1.14¾; December, $1.13½. Corn—Steady; No. 2 old, 85c. nominal, elevator. Options ½@1¼c. lower. July, 80c.; September, 77⅞c.; December, 69c. Oats—Easier; No. 2 mixed, 62c.

Beef—Firm. Cut Meats and Pork—Steady. Lard—Easy. Tallow—Dull. Rosin and Turpentine—Quiet. Rice—Firm. Molasses—Quiet. Sugar—Raw, easy; fair refining, $3.31@3.43; Centrifugal, 96 test, $3.89@3.92; molasses sugar, $3.11@3.17; refined, quiet. Coffee—Quiet; Rio, No. 7, 7⅞@8c.; Santos, No. 4, 9c.; mild, dull; Cordova, 9¾@12¾c. Futures closed quiet, net unchanged. Butter—Steady and unchanged. Cheese—Steady; full cream, good to prime, 12@12¾c.; do. common to good, 10@11¾c. Eggs—Irregular; State, Pennsylvania and nearby, and brown and mixed, fancy, 23½@24c.; Southern, 18@20c. Potatoes—Weak; Southern, new, per barrel, $1.75@3.50. Cabbages—Steady; Southern, per crate, 25@85c. Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cottonseed Oil—Steady on further buying of July by yielding refiners, speculative buying of late months and local bull support. Big July longs displayed more confidence in their position as an improved demand for compound is looked for in the near future. June, 5.75@5.76; July, 5.77@5.79; September, 6.03@6.05; October, 6.03@6.04; prime crude, 4.67@4.73; do. summer yellow, 5.72@5.74; do. white, 6.05@6.08; do. winter yellow, 6.10@6.20.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

CHICAGO, June 16.—Wheat prices continued to sag on the Board of Trade to-day under the weight of an avalanche of bearish crop advices, the market closing almost at the bottom with net declines of ¾@1⅞c. Corn, oats and provisions also closed weak.

The wheat market was weak nearly all day, and at the low point of the session prices were nearly 2c. below the high point touched in the first half hour's trading. Crop news from this country and Europe was again of a decidedly bearish tenor. Estimates on the Kansas crop wheat are being raised daily, and the total yield was placed to-day at as high as 90,000,000 bushels. Reports from Tennessee claimed the largest crop ever produced in the State was now being harvested under ideal conditions. The selling pressure which, for the last few days had been confined to the July delivery, spread to the more deferred months, particularly September. During the day July sold between $1.14@1.15⅞ and closed at $1.14½. September ranged between $1.07⅝ and $1.09¼@1.09¾, and closed at the bottom.

Extremely slack shipping demand for the cash grain, ideal crop conditions and the slump in wheat caused a severe break in corn prices, final quotations showing net losses for the day of ½@⅞c. Cash houses reported a decided loosening up of offerings in the country, especially in Nebraska and the movement was expected to show a decided gain within a few days. Cash corn declined ½@1c.

Liquidation was the order of the day in the oats market, and as a result prices at the close were ⅞@1⅜c. below yesterday's final figures.

Provisions developed considerable weakness because of realizing sales, following a slight advance at the start, due to small receipts of live hogs. The heaviness of grain was the principal incentive to sell. Prices at the close were 5@7½c. to 15c. below the previous close.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
July	1.15	1.15⅞	1.14	1.14½
Sept.	1.08¾	1.09¼	1.07⅝	1.07⅞
Dec.	1.07¼	1.07¾	1.06¼	1.06⅝
CORN—				
July	71⅞	72	71⅛	71¼
Sept.	69⅝	69⅞	..	69¼
Dec.	59	59	55½	58⅝
OATS—				
July	51¼	51½	50¼	50¼
Sept.	43½	43¾	52¾	42¾
Dec.	44	44⅛	43¼	43¼
MESS PORK—Per bbl.				
July	20.40	20.40	20.20	20.22
Sept.	20.65	20.65	20.30	20.42
LARD—Per 100 lbs.				
July	11.80	11.80	11.65	11.65
Sept.	11.85	11.85	11.70	11.72
SHORT RIBS—Per 100 lbs.				
July	11.07	11.10	10.95	10.97
Sept.	11.05	11.07	10.92	10.92

Receipts—Wheat, 2,600 bushels; corn, 335,000 bushels; oats, 300,500 bushels. Shipments: Wheat, 105,500 bushels; corn, 272,500 bushels; oats, 241,600 bushels.

Cash quotations were as follows: Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.50@1.60; No. 3 red, $1.45@1.50; No. 2 hard, $1.27@1.28; No. 3 hard, $1.15@1.27; No. 1 northern, $1.31@1.33; No. 2 northern, $1.28@1.29; No. 3 spring, $1.20@1.25. Corn—No. 2 white, 75@75¾c.; No. 2 yellow, 74¾@74½c.; No. 3, 74@74¼c.; No. 3 white, 75c.; No. 3 yellow, 74¼@74½c.; No. 4, 72½@74c. Oats—No. 3 white, 53@53c.; No. 4 white, 52½@56c.; standard, 57½c.

BALTIMORE, MD., June 16.—WHEAT—Weak; spot, contract, $1.59; Southern on grade, $1.55@1.59. Corn—Weak; spot, contract, 79¾@80c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 61½@62c. Rye—Firm; No. 2 Western, domestic, 91½@92c.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

Richmond, Va., June 16, 1909.

WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS ON 'CHANGE.

WHEAT—Car lots.		
No. 2 red, Western		@$1.56
No. 2 red, Virginia		@ 1.59
No. 3 red		@ 1.57
Steamer		@ 1.53
Virginia (bag lots)	1.20	@ 1.50
CORN—Car lots.		
No. 2 white		@ 84
No. 3 white	83	
No. 2 mixed	83	
No. 2 mixed	82½	
Virginia (bag lots)	82	@ 84
OATS—Car lots		
No. 2 mixed	61½	
No. 3 mixed	60½	
No. 2 white	63	
No. 3 white	61½	
RYE—Car lots		
No. 2		@ 1.00
No. 3		@ 98

CATTLE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 16.—CATTLE—Receipts estimated at 13,000 head. Market steady. Steers, $5.50@7.25; cows, $4@5.25; heifers, $3.60@6.00; bulls, $3.75@5.25; calves, $3@8.00; stockers and feeders, $3.30@5.25. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 21,000 head. Market strong to 10c. higher. Choice heavy, $8@8.15; butchers, $7.10@7.80; mixed, light, $7.50@7.70; choice light, $7.70@7.80; pigs, $5.50@7.25; bulk of sales, $7.65@7.95. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 12,000 head. Market steady to strong. Sheep, $5.10@6.25; lambs, $6.25@9.00; spring lambs, $7.50@9.40; yearlings, $6.50@7.00.

NEW YORK, June 16.—BEEVES—Receipts 1,265 head. Market lower. Good to choice steers, $6.20@7.15; bulls, $3.50@4.75; cows, $2.25@4.90; oxen, $4.60@5.25. Dressed beef, 9@10½c. Calves—Receipts 2,670 head. City dressed veals, 8½@12½c.; country dressed, 8@11c.; dressed buttermilks, 7@8½c. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 5,821 head. Sheep, $3.25@5.00; culls, $3; poor to prime lambs, $7@8.75; one car choice, $9; culls, $6.50. Hogs—Receipts 6,091 head. Market quoted at $7.65@8.10.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The dry goods market was steady and firm during the day with quiet prevailing on spot transactions. Spring staple hosiery is offered at 2½c. a dozen advance over last spring's opening prices. Underwear prices are irregular. Cotton goods are very firm and cotton yarns show some improvement in tone. Silk piece goods of a staple character very quiet in the preliminary market.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, JUNE 16, 1909.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.

Steamer Aurora, Furman, Petersburg, merchandise and passengers, Phillips Line.

Schooner William Russell, Davis, Charleston, Mr., fish, A. C. Young Company.

SAILED.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.

Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, Norfolk and James River landings, merchandise and passengers, Virginia Navigation Company.

Steamer Aurora, Furman, Petersburg, Va., merchandise and passengers, Phillips Line.

Barge Chowan, Barnes, James River, wood.

Schooner Kate Darlington, Hopkins, City Point, Va., light.

Condition of Treasury.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 16.—The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was as follows:

Reserve fund, gold coin and bullion, $150,000,000; trust funds to redeem outstanding certificates, gold coin, $841,827,869; silver dollars, $485,167,000; silver dollars of 1890, $4,248,030.

Total, $1,331,243,869; general fund, $148,018,295; deposits in national banks, $76,396,287; in Philippine treasury, $4,343,282; awaiting reimbursement, $21,204; current liabilities, $108,495,616.

On Foreign Exchanges

LONDON, June 16.—Money was plentiful on the market to-day, and the demand was moderate. Discounts were steady. Trading on the Stock Exchange was irregular and uncertain, and the weakness of Kaffirs and Americans was a feature. The latter was influenced by Wall Street liquidation and the disappointment regarding the listing of United States Steel common on the Paris Bourse. Home rails continue to harden on investment, but gilt-edge securities were barely maintained, and copper shares weakened in sympathy with New York.

American securities opened flat at 1-4 to 3-4 decline under bear pressure. Later the market reacted, and at noon was steady, with prices ranging from 3-8 below to 1-8 above yesterday's New York closing. This recovery continued until Wall Street sold in the afternoon. Prices relapsed and then recovered, but closed weaker, a fraction below the noon level.

PARIS, June 16.—Trading on the Bourse to-day was affected adversely on reports of the failure of the efforts to list United States Steel common on the exchange.

Three per cent. rentes 97 francs 45 centimes, ex-coupon.

Exchange on London 25 francs 20 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, June 15.—Trading on the Bourse to-day was inactive, but prices were firm, except in the case of American securities. Exchange on London 20 marks 44 pfennigs for checks. Money 3 1-2 per cent. Private discount rate 3 per cent.

Auction Sales, This Day.

By The Valentine Auction Co., Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE OF RARE OLD MAHOGANY, ENGRAVING, "BURIAL OF LATANE," OLD SILVER, WALNUT BEDROOM FURNITURE, LARGE MANTEL MIRROR, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, ETC.

THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 17, 10:30 O'CLOCK.

At the direction of Mr. C. O. Campbell, we will sell in his apartments, over No. 209 East Broad Street (second and third floors), his household furniture, consisting of a number of pieces of genuine antique mahogany and other goods, viz.:

Handsome Old Mahogany Dresser, Rare Old Mahogany Chest of Drawers, with columns; Old Mahogany Table, with Egyptian Marble Slab; Mahogany Card Table; proof sheet copy of "The Burial of Latane," Large Mantel Mirror, a number of pieces of Old Silver, Walnut Bedroom Suits, Marble Top Walnut Tables, Walnut Wardrobes, Carpets, Matting, Mattresses, Springs, Oak Hat Rack, Box Couch, Toilet Set, Walnut Book Case and Secretary, Automatic Refrigerator, Oak Dining Table, Vienna Chairs, large lot of Crockery and Glassware, Gas Range, Cooking Utensils, Kitchen Tables, Chairs, etc.

Sale positive. Ladies especially invited to attend this sale.

THE VALENTINE AUCTION CO.

By Richeson & Crutchfield, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, Eleventh and Bank Streets.

COMMISSIONER'S AUCTION SALE OF

Beautiful Building Lots

FRONTING ON FLOYD AVENUE, MAIN AND CARY STREETS, BETWEEN WEST STREET AND AUBURN AVENUE, AND JUST BEYOND THE BOULEVAND.

In execution of a decree of Richmond Chancery Court, entered on June 8, 1909, in the suit of "Axsell vs. Axsell et als.," I will, as special commissioner thereby appointed, offer the above described real estate for sale at auction, on the premises, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1909,

AT FIVE (5) O'CLOCK P. M.

The property consists of seven (7) beautiful building lots, fronting on south side of Floyd Avenue, eighteen (18) lots fronting on the north and south side of Main Street, and nine (9) lots on the north side of Cary Street. On the westernmost Cary Street lot there is a two-story six (6) room brick dwelling and other improvements. This sale offers an opportunity to both home-seeker and speculator to make a most profitable investment, as property in this locality is rapidly enhancing in value.

TERMS: One-third cash, and the balance in three equal instalments, payable in six (6), twelve (12) and eighteen (18) months, respectively, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the day of sale; the deferred instalments to be evidenced by negotiable notes of the purchaser and title to be retained until full purchase price is paid and a conveyance ordered by the court, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

Plat of this property may be seen at the office of the auctioneers.

R. E. PEYTON, JR., Special Commissioner.

I certify that the bond required by the above decree of the special commissioner has been duly given. Given under my hand this 10th day of June, 1909.

Teste: CHAS. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

By N. W. Bowe & Son, Real Estate Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE OF THAT ATTRACTIVE AND WELL LOCATED RESIDENCE,

No. 3 East Clay Street

WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE PREMISES, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1909, AT 5:30 P. M.

This is a well located, three-story, eight-room dwelling, in a good neighborhood and will make an attractive home; all conveniences.

TERMS: At sale.

Auction Sales, This Day.

By A. J. Chewning Company, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.

COURT SALE OF

2517 P Street

In execution of two decrees of the Chancery Court for the city of Richmond, entered on the 9th and 11th days of June, 1909, in the suit of Frank J. Bell, etc., vs. David M. Bell, etc., we will as special commissioners thereby appointed sell, by auction, upon the premises, on

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at 6 o'clock P. M., the property numbered as above, fronting 30 feet on the south side of P Street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth Streets, and extending back within parallel lines 121 feet, bounded on the west by a wide alley. Parties in search of a comfortable home or profitable investment will find it to their interest to attend this sale.

TERMS: One-third cash; balance in two equal instalments at six and twelve months from day of sale for negotiable notes, interest added and title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid and a conveyance ordered by the court, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

SOL. CUTCHINS, JOHN B. SWARTWOUT, Special Commissioners.

The bond required by the special commissioners in the above suit has been duly given.

CHAS. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

By Pollard and Bagby.

AUCTION SALE OF

Two Desirable Brick Dwellings on Libby Hill,

NOS. 16 AND 18 NORTH THIRTIETH STREET.

We will sell at auction, on the premises on

THURSDAY, JUNE 17,

at 5 o'clock P. M., the above mentioned two desirable dwellings, one of which contains about ten rooms and the other about six rooms. They are in