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STOCK LEADERS TAKE BACK SEAT IN TRADE

Specialties and Pools Hold Upper Hand in Dealings on New York Exchange Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Trade in stocks today was dominated to a greater extent than at any recent period by the unrestrained operations of pools in specialties, particularly miscellaneous issues of comparatively obscure origin.

Dealings in stocks of that description frequently overshadowed the demand for recognized leaders.

For the first time this week, the money market tended to relax. Call loans opened at yesterday's ruling rate of 10 per cent, but dropped to 8 per cent when a prominent local bank offered large sums at the latter figure. Time funds held firm at 7 per cent bid, but so far as could be learned no loans were made at that quotation, even for the shorter dates, although commercial paper was freely purchased at 5¼ to 5½ per cent. Better known industrials, motors and specialties were represented by Pierce-Arrow, Stutz, General Motors, American Woolen, Hide and Leather preferred, Central Leather, Industrial Alcohol and National Lead.

Shippings were active, mainly on the strength of Atlantic, Gulf and United Fruit. Sales amounted to 1,325,000 shares.

Liberty bonds were lower on decline of the 3½s and the domestic list as a whole was irregular, foreign issues holding steady. Sales, par value, aggregated $12,750,000.

New York Stock List.

Sales in Hundreds	High	Low	Close
15 A. D. S.	97½	96½	97
4 Am. Ex. Div.	82	68½	68½
1 Am. E. F.	124	124½	124
5 Am. H. L. pfd.	140½	136	139½
1 Am. Int. C.	127½	121½	122
1 Am. Loco.	108	111½	111½
1 Am. Linseed	84	80½	79
2 Am. S. S.	39	74½	74½
1 Am. Sugar	144	141½	142½
1 Am. Tob.	60	108½	108½
1 Am. T. & T.	99	99½	99½
Am. Tob.	14	308½	302	307
Am. Can	32	68½	68½	68½
Atchison	12	91½	90½	91½
A. C. F.	3	94	92½	92½
A. G. & W. I.	218	191½	185	187½
B. Loco.	504	144½	142½	143½
B. & O.	10	41	40½	40½
B. Sug. "B"	348	105	103	104½
Can. Pacific	8	151	149½	151
C. Leather	92	105½	102½	104½
C. & O.	10	58½	58	58
C. M. & St. P.	14	43½	43	43½
C. R. I. & P.	12	28½	28	28½
Chino Copper	6	43½	43	43½
C. F. & I.	2	44½	44½	44½
Colo. Fuel	165	90½	89½	89½
C. Steel	15	238	233	235½
C. C. Sugar	50	42½	42½	42½
Erie	8	15½	15½	15½
Gen. Electric	41	164½	164½	164½
Gen. Motors	92	306½	301½	303½
G. N. pfd.	18	86	85½	86
N. Ore ctfs.	6	44	43½	43½
U. S. Steel	60	78	74½	75½
Illi. Central	4	94½	94½	94½
Inspiration Copper	6	61	60½	61
M. M. pfd.	58	117½	115	115
Int. Nickel	28	29½	28½	29
Int. Paper	22	65	64	64
Kay Copper	11	35½	35	35½
L. A. S.	3	108	108	108
Max. Motors	22	50½	49½	49½
Mex. Pet.	242	245	250½	251½
Miami Cop.	3	27	26½	27
Mid. Steel	20	51½	51	51½
Mo. Pacific	28	29½	28½	28½
N. Y. Central	24	72½	72½	72½
N. Y. A. H.	13	32½	32½	32½
N. R. W.	10	101½	101½	101½
N. Pacific	14	86½	86	86½
P. C. Cos.	238	55½	55	55½
P. R. R.	87	10	9½	10
P. S. Pet.	248	134½	132½	133½
Pennsylvania	38	43½	43½	43½
P. & W. Va.	4	32½	32½	32½
Ref. C. Cop.	4	23½	23½	23½
Reading	18	82½	81½	82½
R. I. & P.	14	99½	98½	99½
R. I. & S. W.	121	104½	103½	103½
Sinclair				19½
S. P. pfd.	2	18½	18½	18½
S. R. S.	146	60	59½	59½
S. S. & I.	5	67	67	67
Southern Pacific	108	110½	107½	109½
Southern Ry.	10	26	25½	25½
S. R. S. pfd.	1	62½	62½	62½
S. Pacific	448	151	150½	150½
Tenn. Copper	4	12½	12½	12½
Texas Co.	15	248	242	244
Texas & Pac.	14	104½	103½	103½
Union Pacific	108	124	123½	124
U. S. R.	448	115	112½	114
United Fruit	18	194½	192	194
U. S. Rubber	10	88½	87½	88
U. S. Alcohol	64	162½	157	159½
U. S. Rubber 1st	117	122½	120½	122½
U. S. Steel	816	108½	107½	108½
Utah Copper	48	115½	115½	115½
Vanadium	8	34½	34½	34½
Wabash	8	8	7½	7½
Westinghouse	10	35½	35½	35½
Western Union	103	51½	51	51½
Worth. Locos.	1,302,200			

New York Bonds.

Liberty 3s registered			x100
Liberty 3s coupon			x100
Liberty 3s registered 1st			x100
Liberty 3s coupon 1st			x100
Liberty 4s registered 2d			x100
Liberty 4s coupon 2d			x100
Liberty 4s registered 1st			x100
Liberty 4