PRICES CRUMBLE IN CLOSING HOUR

AFTER ANIMATED TRADING IN VARIOUS SECURITIES

Reading Scores Another High Record. Speculative Interest Centered in the Group of Coalers. Money Is Easy

STOCK FLUCTUATION

Mixed changes marked the opening sales in the stock market yesterday. Heavy sales of Reading sent the price to 127⅛, a new record, and an advance of 2⅝ over Tuesday. Steady liquidation of Rock Island sent the preferred to a drop of 1⅝ and the common a large fraction.

The coal stocks in general were the strongest features. Delaware & Hudson improved 1¾, Central of New Jersey 1½, Sugar 1⅜ and New York Central, Locomotive and Pacific Mail 1.

Chicago & Alton preferred dropped 3, Northern Pacific 1⅜ and Hide and Leather preferred 1.

Delaware & Hudson extended its rise to 6; Lackawanna got up to 5, Canada Southern 2½, P. C. C. & St. L., and C. C. & St. Louis and N. & L. and American Woolen 1½, St. Paul, Amalgamated Copper 1.

Free selling of local tractions weakened the market and St. Paul, L. & N., and Union Pacific lost about all their rise. Metropolitan Street Railway declined 2, Metropolitan Securities 1½, Allis-Chalmers preferred 1¾ and Wisconsin Central 1⅜.

Later Rock Island lost 1½, the preferred 2, the Metropolitan stocks 3½, and Brooklyn Transit 1¾ Other notable losses established were Wisconsin Central preferred and Colorado Fuel 2, Hide and Leather preferred 2¼ and L. & N., New York Central, Kansas City Southern, Tennessee Coal, Smelting and others 1 to 16. Reading and Locomotive reacted 2 and Delaware & Hudson 3.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Today's active market was irregular and uneven up to the abrupt general fall in prices in the final hour of trading and the conflicting currents in the market were so striking at times as to give it a decidedly feverish tone.

Speculative interest centered on the group of coalers, in which there was some degree of excitement and an advance to record prices in important members of the group, including Reading, Delaware & Hudson and Central Railroad of New Jersey. A conspicuous leadership in the operation was held by operators on the floor of the exchange who have figured prominently in the transactions in Reading for many months past.

No actual news was forthcoming to explain the movement beyond general consideration bearing upon the trade, but many surmises were afloat as a result of the large demand for Lehigh Valley in Philadelphia. That company's recent purchase of Coxe Brothers company and the accompanying movement in the other coalers gave rise to the conjecture that more effective combinations are working out in this group of properties.

The specialties received further attention, but there was a marked disposition to discriminate among the members of this group, which was a result of the uneasiness caused by the low grade of some of the stocks which have been stirred up into prominence lately. Some of these were influenced by special consideration.

A temporary advance in Sugar was due to a suggestion of a possible coming distribution of surplus earnings.

The rise in Pacific Mail was explained by the return from an oriental trip of the head of the company.

The advance in the coalers had some sympathetic effect in the railroad list, but it did not extend far and did not persist.

There were points of weakness among minor stocks throughout, some of the low priced issues suffering sharply from movements to take profits.

Money continued relatively easy, but as a result of this condition foreign exchange made a further advance to within the immediate neighborhood of gold export point. A decline in sterling exchange at Paris and a further rise in the discount rate at Berlin were additional factors making toward gold exports. New York exchange at Chicago also fell to a discount.

The special weakness of the Metropolitan stocks was commented upon. The fall in those stocks and the heavy selling of Rock Island were the principal factors in breaking the market and in causing the decline of the last hour, which carried prices comprehensively below last night's level.

Hasty coverings of shorts by the bears induced a sharp rally and the irregular closing tone left price changes very irregular and not important except in a less number of stocks.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,170,000.

United States 2s declined ⅛ per cent on call.

New York Stocks

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The following were the quotations for stocks and bonds on the stock exchange today:

....	Adams Ex....	....	....	230
30,400	Amal Copper..	86	84⅞	85
7,500	Am C & F....	42¼	41⅛	41½
....	do pfd....	....	....	101½
500	Am Cot Oil..	32¾	32¼	32
....	do pfd....	....	....	94
....	Am Ex....	....	....	227
3,700	Am H & L pfd	33	30⅞	31
700	Am Ice....	27¼	27¼	27¼
....	Am Lin Oil..	....	....	18
200	do pfd....	40¼	40¼	40
43,700	Am Locomo..	71	68¼	69⅝
1,500	do pfd....	116¾	116½	116½
28,400	Am Smel & R.	131¼	129⅝	130¼
....	do pfd....	....	....	122
14,102	Am Sug Ref..	144½	142⅛	143
300	Am Tob p c..	102½	102⅜	102⅛
3,000	Ana Min Co...	120	118¾	119⅝
14,200	Atchison	89¼	88⅝	88⅝
500	do pfd....	105⅛	105	105
900	Atlantic C L..	165	163½	163
22,400	B & O....	113⅞	112½	113
400	do pfd....	98	97⅝	97½
50,000	Brook R T....	77⅜	76¼	76¾
7,800	Can Pac....	172⅝	171⅛	172⅜
2,900	Cent of N J..	234½	231½	233
7,600	Ches & O....	58	56¾	56⅞
....	C & A....	....	....	34
300	do pfd....	77	75	76
900	Chicago G W.	22	21½	21⅝
200	Chi & N W....	220½	219½	218
13,100	C M & St P...	182⅜	180¾	181
200	Chi Ter & T..	18	17	18
400	do pfd....	40	40	40¼
3,400	CCC & St L...	101⅝	100	100
3,000	Col Fuel & I.	46½	44½	45½
900	Col & South..	28	27⅝	27⅝
400	do 1st pfd..	62¼	62	62
100	do 2d pfd..	44	44	43½
400	Consol Gas....	185¾	185	183½
2,400	Corn Pro....	14½	14	14⅛
1,400	do pfd....	56	54¼	54½
10,600	Del & Hud...	232⅞	232	235½
100	Del L & W...	485	485	484
200	Den & R G...	34¾	34¾	33⅞
....	do pfd....	....	....	87¼
4,600	Dis Sec....	45⅝	44¾	44¾
34,300	Erie	49¾	48⅝	48
2,500	do 1st pfd..	81⅞	81¼	81½
700	do 2d pfd..	73	72⅞	72¼
1,200	Gen Elec....	189¼	188	188¾
100	Hock Val....	92	92	91⅝
800	Ill Central....	181	180¼	180
4,200	Inter Paper..	23⅞	23	23¼
1,100	do pfd....	82⅜	82	81¾
....	Inter Pump...	....	....	28
100	do pfd....	84⅞	84⅞	84
....	Iowa Cent....	....	....	28½
....	do pfd....	....	....	58
1,500	K C South....	26¼	25	25¼
1,000	do pfd....	57	55½	55½
19,200	L & N....	154½	152	152¾
....	Manhat L....	....	....	165½
19,900	Met Sec....	80¼	77¼	78¼
29,300	Met St Ry....	126¼	122¼	123
2,200	Mex Cent....	24⅞	24	24⅛
....	Minn & St L..	....	....	80
....	MStP&SltStM.	....	....	136
....	do pfd....	....	....	162½
4,500	Mo Pac....	104½	103⅞	104
1,100	M K & T....	33	32⅞	32¾
100	do pfd....	68½	68½	68½
4,000	Nat Lead....	47½	46¾	46
400	N RR of M pfd	37	37	36¾
13,700	N Y Cent....	154	152	152⅜
31,700	N Y Ont & W.	56¼	54⅝	55
24,600	Nor & W....	88⅜	87¼	87¾
....	do pfd....	....	....	90
100	North Am....	98	98	97⅛
22,300	Pac Mail....	50¾	48⅝	50¼
43,500	Pennsylvania	145¾	144¾	144⅞
4,100	Peo Gas....	105⅝	104½	104⅝
200	Pitts CC & StL	82	80½	81½
12,400	Pressed S C..	53⅜	51¾	52¼
1,100	do pfd....	101½	101	100¾
....	Pullman P C..	....	....	250
226,900	Reading	127¾	124¾	126¼
....	do 1st pfd..	....	....	93⅜
200	do 2d pfd..	98¼	98¼	96½
4,900	Repub Steel..	26⅝	25⅞	26⅛
1,900	do pfd....	97¼	95⅞	95
5,400	Rock Is Co...	31¼	29¾	30
11,200	do pfd....	74¾	72½	73
....	Rubber Gds..	....	....	36½
....	do pfd....	....	....	104
800	StL&SF 2d pfd	68	67½	67¼
1,200	St L S W....	23⅞	23½	23½
100	do pfd....	60	60	60
22,600	South Pac....	72⅛	71	71⅝
300	do pfd....	120¼	119¾	119
8,700	South Ry....	37¼	36¾	36¾
200	do pfd....	99¾	99½	99
1,700	Tenn C & I...	89	87¼	88½
400	Tex & Pac....	35	35	34½
400	Tol StL & W..	39½	39	38½
100	do pfd....	58½	58½	58¼
63,500	Union Pac....	135	133½	135⅛
100	do pfd....	96⅝	96⅝	95¾
....	U S Ex....	....	....	122
100	U S Rlty....	88	88	87½
1,700	U S Rubber..	54	53½	53
300	do pfd....	110⅞	110⅝	110½
53,200	U S Steel....	39	38¼	38½
18,100	do pfd....	105½	104¾	104⅞
1,200	Va C Chem...	34	33	33
500	do pfd....	102⅝	107⅛	106½
1,600	Wabash	22⅛	21¾	21¾
400	do pfd....	42⅛	41¾	41½
....	Wells F Ex..	....	....	230
400	West Elec....	176	174	174
....	West Union...	....	....	93
....	Wheel & L E..	....	....	17
200	Wis Cent....	31	30½	30
1,000	do pfd....	62½	61½	61¼
1,100	Nor Pac....	204	202½	202⅛
2,500	Cent Lea....	46⅞	45½	45⅞
400	do pfd....	105⅛	104⅜	104⅝
1,200	Sloss Sheff....	72½	72	71½

Total sales for the day, 1,215,400 shares.

FRUIT PRICES IN THE EAST

Special to The Herald.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Four carloads of oranges and one of lemons were sold today. Valencia oranges were firm and lemons were somewhat easier but realized good values. Brands averaged:

Valencias—Old Missions (fancy), $8.37; choice, $4.80@7.05, average $6.45; Golden Eagle, $2.95@6.05, average $5.31; Shamrock, $5.50@7.00, average $6.52; Albion, $3.10@5.75, average $5.09; Cambria, $3.10@5.00, average $4.04; Golden Orange, $4.50@7.87, average $7.35; halves, $2.37@3.62, average $3.23; Squirrel, $3.87 @4.25, average $4.10; Colton Terrace, $3.12@5.62, average $4.91.

Lemons—Purity, $5.40@6.30, average $5.86; Bridal Wreath, $4.95@5.70, average $5.39; Majestic (half-boxes), $1.80@2.55, average $2.01.

Quotations as given above are according to grades of brands as they are registered in California in the citrus brand register.

New York Bonds

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The following were official closing quotations for bonds today:

U S re 2s reg..	103	do 2d series ..	98
do coupon ..	103	do 4½s cer ..	91
3s registered..	103½	do 2d series....	91
do coupon ..	104¼	L & N un 4s...	104⅞
Old 4s reg ..	104¾	Man cn gld 4s..	103⅞
do coupon ..	104¾	Mex Cen 4s....	81
New 4s reg ..	133⅜	do 1st inc	25¼
do coupon ..	134⅜	M & S L 4s....	95½
Am Tob 4s	80	M K & T 4s....	101¼
do 6s	113½	do 2ds	88
Atch gen 4s ..	102⅞	N R Mx cn 4s..	83¾
do adj 4s	99	N Y C gn 3½s..	99¾
A C Line 4s..	101½	N J C gn 5s....	131½
B & O 4s....	103	Nor Pac 4s	104¾
do 3½s	95¾	do 3s	78½
Brk R T cv 4s	96	N & W cn 4s..	101⅜
Cen of Ga 5s..	106	O S L rfdg 4s..	97⅛
do 1st inc ..	96¼	Penn conv 3½s..	105¼
do 2d inc ..	82¾	Read gen 4s ...	102⅜
do 3d inc ..	78	SL & IM cn 5s..	115¾
Ch & O 4½s..	108⅝	SL & SF fg 4s..	89
Ch & Alt 3½s..	81⅝	SL SW con 4s..	83¼
C B & Q 4s..	102⅜	Sea Air Line 4s	89¾
C R I & P 4s..	82½	Sou Pac 4s	95
do col 5s	92¾	do 1st 4s cer..	97¼
CCC & SL 4s..	103½	Sou Ry 5s	120½
Col In 5s ser A	74	Tx & Pac 1sts..	125
do series B..	72½	T SL & W 4s..	84½
Col Mid 4s ..	74½	Union Pac 4s...	105
Col & Sou 4s..	94½	do conv 4s....	135½
Cuba 5s	105⅝	U S Steel 2d 5s..	99
D & R G 4s..	101⅝	Wabash 1sts ..	119¼
Dist Sec 5s ..	80¾	do Deb B ..	75½
Erie pr ln 4s..	102⅜	West Md 4s....	88
do gen 4s....	94	Wh & L E 4s..	91
Hoc Val 4½s ..	111¼	Wis Cen 4s	96½
Japan 6s	98⅛		

Boston Stocks and Bonds

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The following were official closing quotations for stocks and bonds today:

Atch adj 4s....	98	Adventure	8⅝
do 4s	102¼	Allouez	45¼
Mex Cen 4s....	80	Amalgamated ..	85⅛
Atchison	88¼	Am Zinc	9
do pfd	104½	Atlantic	27
B & Albany..	257	Bingham	3⅜
B & Maine	178	Cal & Hec..	680@685
Boston L....	153	Centennial	32¼
Fitchburg pf..	142	Copper Range..	74¼
Mex Cen	23⅞	Daly West	14
Pere Mar	101	Dom Coal	78
Union Pac	134	Franklin	18¾
Am Arg Chem	25	Isle Royale	25½
do pfd	93	Mass Mining ..	10⅛
Am Pnu Tube	6⅛	Michigan	14½
Am Sugar	142½	Mohawk	59
do pfd	139	Mon C & C ..	8¾
Am T & Tel..	137¾	Old Dominion ..	31¼
Am Woolen ..	42⅝	Osceola	112½
do pfd	104¾	Parrot	26¾
Dom I & S..	22	Quincy	106
Edison E I ..	249	Shannon	8⅛
Gen Electric..	188	Tamarack	126
Mass Electric	13	Trinity	9¼
do pfd	56	United Copper..	33½
Mass Gas	49½	U S Mining....	35⅛
United Fruit..	107½	U S Oil	10
Un Shoe Mch	73	Utah	46½
do pfd	31½	Victoria	6¾
U S Steel	38⅜	Winona	18½
do pfd	105	Wolverine	125
Westghs com.	85	North Butte	56⅛

Financial Record

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Money on call, steady, 3½@4½; closing bid, 3 per cent; offered, 4 per cent. Time money, steady; sixty and ninety days, 5; six months, 4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 5@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange, strong, closing steady, with actual busines in bankers' bills at $4.8685@4.86.90 for demand and at $4.8325@4.8330 for sixty day bills.

Posted rates, $4.83½@4.84 and $4.87½; commercial bills, $4.83@4.83⅛.

Bar silver, 62¾; Mexican dollars, 48c.

Government bonds, easy; railroad bonds, irregular.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Consols, 88¾; silver, 27⅞d.

Treasury Statement

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $130,640,857; gold coin and bullion, $75,438,638; gold certificates, $42,771,590.

U. S. Bonds Refunded

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Bonds to the amount of $1,985,600 were refunded at the treasury department today, making the total to date under the secretary's last call $30,584,600.

Credit Balances

By Associated Press.

OIL CITY, Pa., Oct. 25.—Credit balances, $1.81.

Official Stock Sales

On the Los Angeles stock exchange yesterday sales were recorded as follows:

Fullerton Oil stocks—5000 shares at 32½c a share.

Hecla Mining stock—3000 shares at 26c each.

U. S. Long Distance T. & T. Co. stock—20 shares at $60.50 each.

Union Oil stock—10 shares at $129.75 each.

Corona Power and Water Co. bonds—1 at 90.

Central Oil stock—1000 shares at 88c each.

Riverside T. & T. Co. stock—12½ shares at $45 each.

United Petroleum stock—15 shares at $215 each.

One thousand dollars was paid by Luther H. Green for exchange membership yesterday. This is the highest price ever paid for a seat in the exchange.

No Sales

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—There were no sales in the morning session of the oil exchange.

Buy Bullfrog Bundle. Ask your broker.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Wheat Strong All Through the Session—Corn and Oats Sell at Higher Figures

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—The wheat market was strong from the start to the finish. At the opening the December option was up ⅛@¼c to ¼@⅜c at 87½@87⅝c.

Strength of cash wheat at all the principal grain centers of the United States helped to stimulate bullish sentiment. At 88⅛c the December delivery touched the highest point of the day. The close was firm with December ⅜@½c up at 87¾c. May sold between 88½c and 89⅛c and closed at a gain of ⅝c at 88⅞c.

Urgent export demand caused strength in the corn market. December closed ¼c up at 45¾c.

A strong tone prevailed in the oats market. December closed ¼c higher at 29⅞c.

Strength of grain had a steadying effect on the provisions market. The volume of trading was small. January pork, lard and ribs each closed a shade higher.

Market Ranges

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—December, 87¾c; May, 88⅞c.

Corn, No. 2—October, 51¾c; December old, 46⅝c; December new, 45¾c; May, 45½c.

Oats, No. 2—October, 29⅞c; December, 29⅞c; May, 32⅜c.

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 86@87½c; No. 3, 77@87c; No. 2 red, 87½@88⅜c; No. 2 corn, 53@53¼c; No. 2 yellow, 54¼c; No. 2 oats, 29⅞c; No. 2 white, 30¾@31¼c; No. 3 white, 29¼@30½c; No. 2 rye, 70@71c; good feeding barley, 38c; fair to choice malting, 42@47c; No. 1 flaxseed, 92c; No. 1 northwestern, 98c; prime timothy seed, $3.20; mess pork, per bbl, $16@16.10; lard, per 100 lbs., $7.05; short ribs sides (loose), $7.45@7.50; short clear sides (boxed), $8@8.25; whisky, basis of high wines, $1.30; clover, contract grade, $13.25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.....	46,000	48,000
Wheat, bu.....	292,800	16,300
Corn, bu.....	133,000	167,100
Oats, bu.....	682,400	425,300
Rye, bu.....	28,000	4,900
Barley, bu.....	270,700	171,800

Cereals of the World

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Wheat, spot firm. Options closed steady at ⅝c net advance. May closed 92⅝c; Dec., 93¾c.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 25.—Close: Wheat, December, 7s; March, 6s 11⅞d.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Wheat, stronger; December, $1.41½; May, $1.45½. Barley, firm, December, $1.16⅜@1.16⅞; May, $1.20. Corn, large yellow, $1.40@1.45. Bran, $21.50@22.50.

GENERAL FRUIT MARKET

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Fruits—Fancy apples, $1.00; common, 40c.

Berries—Strawberries, $3.50@8.00; blackberries, $4.50@5.00; huckleberries, 8@10c; raspberries, $4.50@5.00; cranberries, $3.00@$10.50.

Grapes—Ordinary, 30c@$1.25.

Pears—Common, 75c; fancy, $1.25; Bartlett, $1.00@1.50.

Pomegranates—50@75c.

Persimmons—85c@$1.15.

Quinces—75c@$1.00.

Oranges—Navels, $3.50@4; Valencias, $3.00@5.00.

Mexican limes—$4.00.

Lemons — Common California, $1.25; fancy, $3.50.

Melons—Watermelons, $1.00@2.00; nutmegs, 40@75c; fancy cantaloupes, $1.25.

Tropical fruits — Bananas, $1.50@3.00; pineapples, $2.00@3.00; Smyrna figs, $1.00 @1.50.

Dried Fruit Prices

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The market for evaporated apples is firm and it is reported that prime fruit for late October delivery has sold at 8½c. Common to good are quoted at 5@6½c, nearly prime at 7½@8c and prime 8½c.

Prunes are quiet with comparatively little demand for forward shipment from the coast reported. Spot quotations range from 4½@7¼c.

Apricots are unchanged. Choice fruit is quoted at 8½@9c; extra choice, 9¼@9¾c; fancy, 10@11½c.

Peaches remain nominal with very little fruit available on spot.

Raisins are somewhat unsettled. It is reported that the combination has offered a limited quantity of seeded raisins slightly under the opening prices. The offerings are tentative, however, and subject to further consideration. Loose muscatels are quoted at 6⅜@7½c; seeded raisins, 5¼@8¾c; London layers, $1.15@1.20.

BIG BULGE FOR COTTON

Heavy Sales Follow the Issue of the Government Bulletin Sent From Washington

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The census bureau issued a bulletin today placing the cotton ginned in the United States up to October 18 at 4,940,728 bales, round bales being counted as half bales. The statement is based on reports made by the bureau's special agents in the field.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 25.—When the report of the census bureau was received prices in cotton spot went up 44@63 points higher than the lowest of the day, or as much as $3.15 per bale. December, at 1:10 p. m. was $10.35; January, $10.74, 44 points higher, and March, $10.93, 63 points higher. The report effectually controverted the false report sent out earlier in the day.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The report of the census bureau issued today, giving the amount of cotton ginned to October 18 as 4,940,728 bales, against 6,417,891 bales to the same date last year, caused esensational fluctuations in the late session of the cotton market today. Inside of ten minutes after the figures were published January, which had been selling as low at $10.33, shot up 37 points to $10.70. The market was feverishly excited.

On the bulge leading bears became very aggressive, however, and the market reacted almost as rapidly as it had advanced. Before the report was published a rumor was in circulation saying the report would show fully 6,000,000 bales ginned.

The closing was steady at a net advance of 18@20 points. The sales of the day were estimated at 1,500,000 bales. Following was the range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	10.45	10.75	10.30	10.71
March	10.62	10.90	10.47	10.88
May	10.75	11.02	10.57	10.99
July	10.80	11.02	10.68	10.99
October	10.25	20.45	10.00	10.42
December	10.34	10.63	10.19	10.60

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Cotton futures opened easy at a decline of 5@7 points and closed steady at a net advance of 18@20 points.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 25.—Wool, steady. Territory and western mediums, 26@27c; fine medium, 22@26c; fine, 19@21c.

Chicago Live Stock

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; market for best, strong, others, steady. Beeves, $3.70@6.30; cows and heifers, $1.15@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.10@4.30; Texans, $3.40@4.40; westerns, $3.25@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; tomorrow, 22,000; market 10c lower. Mixed and butchers', $4.85@5.40; good heavy, $5.15@5.40; rough heavy, $4.70@4.90; light, $5.35; pigs, $4.75@5.30; bulk, $4.90@5.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 30,000; market weak. Sheep, $4.00@5.30; lambs, $4.75@7.½5:

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New Departure at the Produce Exchange—Fancy Salinas Potatoes at Fancy Prices—Eggs and Butter

The statement was made yesterday by a leading member of the Los Angeles produce exchange that when the exchange became established in the new quarters in the Merchant's Bank building, which will be on November 15, on the blackboard will be posted ruling prices of all staple articles in the produce line for the information of the public and guidance of the jobbers and shippers. This plan will undoubtedly serve to provide a line on produce values. All that is now afforded by the exchange is the official quotation on eggs, although some of the members occasionally discuss values of other goods, but prices are not posted.

Eggs remain firm at 38c flat for California ranch, with a tendency to go to 39c or 40c. Fresh eastern eggs move steadily at quoted prices. With the scarcity of fancy ranch eggs at 38c the eastern goods find ready sale, and it is charged that in a number of cases eastern eggs have been sold at ranch prices. Some of the peddlers are said to be foxy in the manipulations, buying easterns, and fixing them up in straw or sawdust to look as if they had just come from the ranches and selling them at 35 and 36c a dozen, cleaning up $5 and $6 a day in such deals.

The butter market was quite active with no change in prices. Valley goods arrive daily, but not in sufficient quantity to supply the demand, so the call for storage butter is unusually heavy.

Bananas continue to sell at 5c a pound flat, with active demand.

Dealers do not agree on valuations of fancy Salinas potatoes. One firm will not sell its 300 sacks for less than $1.60 per 100 lbs, while others say the top price is $1.50. There is a difference, of course, in the quality of fancy potatoes, and the question of demand largely influences the man or firm having choice produce supplies in any line for sale.

In the vegetable market the supply was good at firm prices. Tomatoes sold at 45@55c a box; cabbage at 35@40c a sack; cucumbers at 60c a box; celery at 25@30c a dozen.

Poultry prices were firm, and fish was in good supply. Wild ducks and rabbits in light supply, with active demand.

Produce Quotations

October 24—

Eggs, cases	76
Butter, pounds	8,190
Cheese, pounds	6,045
Potatoes, sacks	1,144
Sweets, sacks	52
Onions, sacks	7
Beans, sacks	593

Following are the jobbing prices in the Los Angeles market:

BUTTER—Fancy local creamery, 2-lb. roll, 67½c; fancy valley, 65@67½c; valley storage, 52½c; eastern, 50@52½c; cooking, 22½c.

EGGS—Fresh California ranch, 38c; eastern fresh, 31@32c; eastern storage, 26@27c; seconds, 22c.

CHEESE (all per lb.)—Northern, 13½@14½; Anchor, (large), 16c; Young America, 17c; hand-made, 18c; singles, 15½c; eastern cheddars, 15c; eastern leghorns, 16c; eastern daisies, 15½c; Swiss, domestic, 19c; Swiss imported, 28@29c.

BEANS—(All per 100 lbs.)—Pink, No. 1, $2.65@2.75; No. 2, $2.00@2.50; lima, No. 1, $5.00@5.50; Lady Washington, $3.00@3.10.

POTATOES—Fancy Salinas (all per 100 pounds, $1.35@1.50; fancy Woodward islands, $1.10@1.15.

SWEET POTATOES—All grades, $1.25 @1.50.

ONIONS (per 100 pounds)—Local silver-skins, 85@90c; Danvers, $1.00.

POULTRY (per dozen)—Dealers pay live weight as follows: Broilers, 14@16c; fryers, 14@15c; old hens, 12@13c; old roosters, 7c; young roosters, 14@15c; ducks, 11c; turkeys, 16@18c.

FAMILY FLOUR—(Per bbl.) Eastern

VEGETABLES—Beans, string, 4@4½c lb; beans, wax, 4c pound; beets, 50 dozen; turnips, 50c sack; cabbage, 35@40c hard and selected California white wheat blended, $5.00@5.20; selected California white wheat, $4.80; eighth bbls. 10c per bbl. higher.

BAKERS' FLOUR—Made of eastern hard wheat. Per bbl, $5.00; blended wheat, $4.80; eastern rye, $5.25.

CEREAL GOODS—As follows:

	10 lb.	25 lb.	50 lb.
Eastern Graham	$2.80	2.75	2.70
Eastern Whole Wheat.	2.80	2.75	2.70
Graham flour	2.50	2.45	2.40
Corn Meal, W and Y	2.30	2.25	2.20
Whole Wheat	2.60	2.55	2.50
Rye	2.75	2.70	2.65
Cracked wheat	3.40	3.35	3.30
Farina	3.40	3.35	3.30

Wheat flakes, case of 36 2-lb. cartons.	3.20
Wheat flakes, per sack of 50 lbs......	1.35
Wheat flakes, per bbl. of 125 lbs. net..	4.00

GRAIN AND FEED—(Per 100 lbs).—Wheat, $1.65; wheat (100 lb. sack) $1.70; corn, $1.45; cracked corn, $1.50; feed meal, $1.55; bran, heavy, $1.30; rolled barley, $1.25, oil cake meal, $2.10; cotton seed meal, $1.85; cocoanut cake, $1.55; shorts, pounds, $1.50@1.60; fancy Woodward $1.45; white oats, $1.65; red oats, $1.45.

HAY (all per ton)—Old crop No. 1 grain, $12@14; No. 2, $9@11; alfalfa, local, $13; northern, $12.

FRUITS AND BERRIES—Bananas, 5c; strawberries, 8@18c; dew, 6c; raspberries, 8@10c; blackberries, 10c; loganberries, 4@5c.

CITRUS FRUITS—Lemons, choice $2.50, fancy $3.50 a box; oranges, sweets and St. Michaels, $3.00@3.50 a box on quality.

VEGETABLES—Beans, string, 4½c lb; beans, wax, 4c pound; beets, 50 @55c sack; celery, fancy, 30c dozen; chiles, evaporated, 20@30c lb.; garlic, 7c lb.; lettuce, 12½@15c dozen; 55@60c sack; peas, 3@3½c lb.; spinach, 15c dozen; turnips, 50c sack; cabbage, 40c sack.

What the Consumer Pays

In the retail market the following selling prices prevail:

Butter—2-lb. rolls, 65c, 70c and 75c, according to quality.

Eggs—Fancy ranch, 42½c a dozen.

Apples—Colorado Jonathans, choice 50-lb. box, $2.50; Bellefleurs, 4-tier box, $1.25.

Oranges—50c a dozen; lemons, 20c a dozen; grapefruit, 50@85c a dozen.

Poultry—Fryers and broilers, 30c lb; young hens, 23c; old hens, 20c; ducks, 23c.

Blackberries—Three boxes for 25c; cranberries, 2 pounds for 25c; peaches, pomegranates and quinces, 2 pounds for 15c; grapes, 5c pound.

Pacific Coast Trade

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Beans—Pink, $1.75@2; lima, $3.40@3.50; small white, $2.90@3.15; large white, $2[illegible]

Potatoes—Salinas Burbanks, [illegible]@ $1.25; Merced sweets, 75c@$1.35.

Onions—Fancy, $1; common, 80c.

Various—Green peas, 5@5½c; string beans, 3½@7c; egg plant, 40@60c; green peppers, 40@65c; tomatoes, 50c@$1; summer squash, $1@1.50; dried okra, 65@75c; garlic, 5½@6c; cucumbers, 75c @$1.25.

Flour—Family extras, $4.80@5.05; bakers extras, $4.75@5.

Wheat — Shipping, $1.37½@1.42½; milling, $1.50@1.60.

Barley—Feed, $1.12½@1.15; brewing, $1.16¼@1.17½; chevalier, $1.17½@1.30.

Oats—Red, $1.15@1.50; white, $1.35@1.45; black, $1.60@1.75.

Millstuffs—Middlings, $26@28; mixed feed, $23@24; rolled barley, $24@25.

Hay—Wheat, $11.50@16.50; wheat and oat, $11@15.50; oat, wild, $7@11; oat, tame, $9@13.50; barley, $8@11; alfalfa, $65.0@9.50; straw, 30@50c.

Receipts—Flour, 9337; wheat, 4258; barley, 3813; oats, 8688; beans, 12,565; corn, 1200; potatoes, 1135; onions, 20; bran, 40,767; middlings, 130; hay, 150; Straw, 10; hops, 12; hides, 1357; wine, 15,200.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Butter—Fancy creamery, 31c; seconds, 24c.

Cheese—Eastern, 15½@16c; western, 14@14½c.

Eggs—Ranch, 40@48c; store, 23@25c; eastern, 20@27½c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 17½@22c; dairies, 17 @20c; eggs, firm at mark, cases included, 19c; cheese, steady, 11¾@12¼c.

LOCAL STOCKS AND BONDS

Bank Stocks

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	116½	...
Broadway Bank & Trust Co.	153	156
Central	205	...
Citizens National	195	...
Commercial National	105	...
Dollar Savings Bank....	135	145
Equitable Savings Bank....	165	...
Farmers & Merchants' Natl.	307	...
Federal Bank of L. A....	...	125
First National	400	430
German American	390	410
Home Savings Bk. of L. A...	75	...
Los Angeles Trust Co....	115½	...
Merchants National	340	...
Merchants Trust Co....	...	105
Mercantile Trust Svgs....	56½	65
Metropolitan B. & T. Co....	120	...
National Bank of Cal....	200	...
Security Savings Bank....	250	...
Southern California Savings.	275	...
Southwestern National	125	...
State Bank & Trust Co	101	102
United States Natl. Bank....	136	...
Union Bank of Savings....	230	...
West Side Bank	107	...

Bonds

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	90	93½
California Pacific Ry.	...	102
Corona Water Power Co	90	91½
Cucamonga Water Co....	...	100
Home Telephone	95	95½
Edison Electric Con. Co....	101⅛	...
Home T. & T. Co. of Santa Monica and Ocean Park...	80	90
L. A. Pacific 1st Con Mtgs.	111	...
L. A. Traction Co....	...	107
L. A. Railway Co....	116	...
Mission Trans. & R. Co....	94	97
Mt. Lowe Railway Co....	...	90½
Pacific Light & Power Co..	100	102
Pacific Electric Ry. Co....	111⅝	...
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	87½	...
Redlands Home T. & T. Co.	88	93
Pomona Con. Water Co....	...	98
Riverside Light & F. Co....	92	...
San Diego Home T. & T. Co	81¼	87
Santa Barbara Electric Ry..	92½	...
Seaside Water Co	98	...
United Electric G. & P. Co.	100	...
Union Transportation Co....	96	98
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co....	90	91½
Whittier Home T. & T. Co..	94½	...
Whittier Light & Fuel Co..	95	...

Miscellaneous Stocks

	Bid.	Asked.
Edison Electric pfd	89.50	93.00
Edison Electric com	45.00	49.00
Home Telephone	69.50	.....
Home Tel., common	30.00	.....
Home Trust	68.50	.....
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co	37.00	39.50
Santa Monica H. T. & T. Co	25.00	30.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co..	30.00	.....
Seaside Water Co....	.....	96.00
Sun Drug Co.	.....	1.01
Title G. and Trust Co....	125.00	.....
Title I & Trust pref....	111.50	.....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co....	59.50	61.50

Oil Stocks

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	.56½	.57½
Central	.88	.89½
Columbia	.23	...
Continental	.23½	.25¼
Fullerton Con	.75	...
Fullerton Oil	.32½	...
Globe	.03	.06½
Home Whittier	.95	...
Mexican Petroleum	.65	.69½
Olinda Land Co	.06½	.10
Piru Oil Co....	.05½	...
Puente Oil Co....	.50	...
Reed Crude	.23½	.24⅞
Union	129.50	135.00
United Petroleum	215.00	...
Westlake	...	.01
Whittier Con. Oil	...	.01½
Western Union	110.00	200.00

Mining Stocks

	Bid.	Asked.
Bisbee West C....	.02	.05
Butte Lode	27.00	30.00
Bufa M. & M....	.92	.95
Golden Argus	14.00	25.00
Green Con	25.00	.....
Hecla Mining Co	.26	...
Jesse Bell	.01	.05
Johnnie Con. G. M.	.06½	...
Mitchell Mining	8.00	.....
New Era	.02	.....
Nevada Keystone	.03	...
Quartette	11.00	15.00
Searchlight M. & M. Co. ..	.30	.42½

Los Angeles Bank Clearings

	1905.	1904.	1903.
Oct. 23...	$1,367,744.37	$1,053,810.91	$1,044,806.44
Oct. 24...	1,424,865.19	1,033,426.21	936,621.48
Oct. 25...	1,514,343.60	1,303,274.26	979,877.10

The Metal Market

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The London tin market was somewhat irregular with spot closing at £148 12s 6d and futures at £148. Locally the market was dull and lower, with spot quotations at $32.35@32.65.

Copper was lower in London, closing at £71 15s for spot and £70 5s for futures. Locally the market was quiet, with lake quoted at $16.37½@16.75; electrolytic at $16.25@16.62½ and casting at $16.00@16.37½.

Lead was unchanged at £14 17s 6d in the London market. Locally the market is reported firm with spot supplies quoted at $5.20@5.40.

Spelter was steady at $6.15@6.25 locally, but was easier abroad at £28 12s 6d.

Iron locally was firm.

San Francisco Mining Stocks

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	3	Justice	3
Alpha Con	11	Kentuck Con	2
Andes	29	Mexican	135
Belcher	29	Occidental Con ..	87
B & Belcher....	155	Ophir	575
Bullion	37	Overman	10
Caledonia	45	Potosi	15
Chal Con	15	Savage	51
Chollar	15	Scorpion	13
Confidence	75	Sag Belcher	4
Con Cal & Va..	180	Sierra Nevada ..	33
Con Imperial ..	1	Silver Hill	92
Crown Point....	8	Union Con	52
Exchequer	52	Utah Con	4
G & Currie....	25	Yellow Jacket ..	23
H & Norcross..	120		

Sugar and Coffee

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Sugar, raw quiet; fair refining, 2 13-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2 11-16c; refined [illegible]; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c.

Coffee futures closed steady at a net loss of 20@25 points. Sales were reported of 123,000 bags, including November, 6.55@6.65c; Dec., 6.50@6.75c; Jan., 6.70c; March, 6.80@7.00c; April, 7.05c; May, 7.00@7.15c; July, 7.20@7.25c; Sept., 7.30@7.45c.

BUILDING PERMITS

Superintendent Backus yesterday issued building permits as follows:

Avenue Thirty-six, 129 East—C. F. Gilmore, 135 East Avenue Thirty-six, owner and builder; one-story frame residence; $600.

Avenue Thirty-seven, 142 East—Same as above.

Avenue Thirty-six, 125 East—Same as above.

Avenue Thirty-six, 123 East—Same as above.

Avenue Thirty-seven, 138 East—Same as above.

Bauchet street, 408—P. Gravino, 410 Bauchet, owner and builder; one-story frame residence; $300.

Blanchard street, 3109—J. R. Broswell, owner and builder; one-story frame shed; $60.

Catalina street, 1017—F. R. Wooster, 2829 West Pico, owner; R. C. Thompson, builder; one-story, four-room frame residence; $600.

Central avenue, 5608—O. B. Tayler, at lot, owner and builder; addition to building; $400.

College street, 629-631—A. S. Weiss, owner and builder; one-story frame residence; $800.

Castelar street, 804—Bishop of Los Angeles, at lot, owner; P. E. Pazzo & Sons, builders; two-story frame school building; $8000.

Crocker street, 932—E. M. Taylor, 819 East Washington, owner; W. Tuttle and company, builder; two-story, twenty-two-room frame apartment house; $3200.

Catalina street, 1208—Miss E. M. Peck, at lot, owner; R. R. Carew, builder; one-story frame residence; $500.

Eva Terrace, 523—August Biancazzi, at lot, owner; one-story frame residence; $100.

Forty-sixth street, 887 East—Hannah B. Carter, at lot, owner; Mr. Johnson, builder; addition to residence; $150.

Forty-sixth street, 877 East—C. B. Carter, at lot, owner and builder; one-story frame shed; $150.

Forty-first street, 1413 West—F. M. Kellar, at lot, owner and builder; move and alter one-story frame residence; $100.

Forty-second street, 376 North—C. E. Hogle, at lot, owner; C. Morrow, builder; one-story, five-room frame residence; $1500.

Fifth street, 408 East—Robert Hale, Wilson building; owner; William Knickrehm, builder; move and alter one-story frame building; $200.

Fifty-third street, 134 East—D. M. Wood, at lot, owner and builder; one-story frame residence; $400.

Fifth street, 145 West—H. O. Brooks, 403 South Matthews, owner and builder; change store front; $400.

Forty-ninth street, 150 West—H. Dehougne, 833 Ducommun, owner; L. Mazy, builder; one-story frame residence; $1400.

Forty-sixth street, 1215 West—A. H. Beatty, owner; Eldridge and Fallstrom, builders; one-story, five-room frame residence; $2000.

Fortieth street, 1576 East—Ella G. Magoon, 15554 East Fortieth, owner and builder; one-story, five-room frame residence; $1200.

Forty-second street, 331 West—Maude J. Morse, at lot, owner; H. C. Moore, builder; one-story frame barn; $100.

Gates street, 145 North—T. B. Stirge, at lot, owner; Webb & Van Loenen, builder; addition to one-story frame residence; $280.

Gless street, 335 South—J. J. Connelly, 217 Bailey, owner and builder; one-story, five-room frame residence; $800.

Gertrude street, 325—Mrs. E. A. Pye, at lot, owner and builder; one-story frame shed; $100.

Grover street, 1605—Los Angeles Crematory association, owner; Weymouth Crowell, builder; one-story brick crematory; $50,000.

Grand View street, 809—B. H. Smith, at lot, owner and builder; addition to one and half story frame residence; $500.

Husted street, 2440—Peter Marcorrict, owner; Mr. Gonzales, builder; repairs to one-story frame residence; $50.

Hawley street, 1031—Will Day, owner; W. R. Wright, builder; one-story, five-room frame residence; $1500.

Jefferson street, 1700 West—Mary J. Bailey, 1314 Dewey, owner; J. Bailey, builder; one-story, six-room frame residence; $1500.

Judson street, 656—John Bertrand, 808 Howard, owner; R. A. Biddle, builder; one-story, five-room frame residence; $1200.

Kane street, 2142—G. H. Greensfitt, at lot, owner; John McNamas, builder; one-story frame residence; $200.

Lanfranco street, 2616—George Blom, at lot, owner; J. L. Herrington, builder; addition to one-story frame residence; $1000.

La Salle avenue, 2102—A. S. Heineman Co., 519 O. T. Johnson building, owner and builder; one and a half story, seven-room frame residence; $3300.

Leonard street, 3037—A. F. Millard, at lot, owner and builder; one-story frame residence; $75.

Lewis street, 525—George Williams, at lot, owner and builder; one-story frame residence; $900.

Mozart street, 1012-1014—Frank Guidera, 1019 Mozart, owner and builder; repairs to one-story frame residence; $50.

Main street, 673 North—C. J. Flower, 902 Burlington, owner and builder; one-story building; $150.

Main street, 235 South—James Black, San Francisco, owner and builder; T. A. Asbridge, builder; one-story frame building; $800.

Normandie street, 1827—V. T. Kentler, at lot, owner; E. Neff, builder; one-story frame residence; $200.

Normandie avenue, 965—M. M. St. George, builder; addition to one-story frame residence; $500.

Olive street, 115 North—C. Connel, at lot, owner; William Knickrehm, builder; new foundation; $50.

Park Grove avenue, 1938—W. T. McLeon, at lot, owner; Frank Bradley, builder; new roof; $300.

Spring street, 416 South—John Moriarity, at lot, owner; L. Harris, builder; alteration to store building; $90.

South of Alamo street, no street number—James Burt, owner and builder; addition to one-story frame residence; $600.

Sichel street, 526 South—J. H. Baetz, at lot, owner and builder; addition to one-story frame residence; $25.

Temple street, 1461 West—Cathern Burns, at lot, owner; G. B. Lawrence, builder; addition to one-story frame residence; $100.

Thirty-sixth street, 1301 West—Martha L. Zander, 3519 Budlong, owner; A. B. Nash, builder; one-story, five-room frame residence; $1500.

Twenty-first street, 1582 West—G. W. Gates, 1617 West Twenty-first street, owner and builder; one and a half story six-room frame residence; $1000.

Twenty-ninth street, 658 East—Lounsberry & Harris, 2901 San Pedro, owners and builders; addition to one-story frame building; $50.

Towne avenue, 764½—G. M. Thornburg, at lot, owner and builder; one-story frame residence; $150.

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CLEARING HOUSE BANKS

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Citizens' National Bank, N. E. Cor. Third and Spring.	R. J. WATERS, Pres. A. J. WATERS, Cashier. Capital $250,000; Surplus and Profits $150,000
Central Bank, N. E. Cor. Fourth and Broadway.	WILLIAM MEAD, Pres. W. C. DURGAN, Cashier. Capital, $100,000; Surplus and Profits, $75,000
United States National Bank, S. E. Cor. Main and Commercial	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. F. W. SMITH, Cashier. Capital, $200,000; Surplus and Profits, $50,000
Commercial National Bank, 423 South Spring.	W. A. BONYNGE, Pres. C. N. FLINT, Cashier. Capital $200,000; Surplus and Profits $16,000
Farmers & Merchants National Bank, Cor. Fourth and Main Sts.	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. CHAS. SEYLER, Cashier. Capital, $1,500,000; Surplus and Profits, $1,250,000
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Merchants' National Bank, N. E. Cor. Second and Main.	H. W. HELLMAN, Pres. W. H. HOLLIDAY, Cashier. Capital $200,000; Surplus and Profits $275,000
American National Bank, S. W. Cor. Second and Broadway.	W. F. BOTSFORD, Pres. T. W. PHELPS, Cashier. Capital, $1,000,000; Surplus and Profits, $75,000
National Bank of California, N. E. Cor. Second and Spring.	JOHN M. C. MARBLE, Pres. J. N. FISHBURN, Cashier. Capital, $200,000; Surplus and Profits, $135,000
State Bank and Trust Company, N. W. Cor. Second and Spring.	H. J. WOOLLACOTT, Pres. J. W. A. OFF, Cashier. Capital, $500,000; Surplus and Profits, $00,000

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Patrick Garrity, who has been identified with the city prison for nearly two decades, was in the height of his joy yesterday when he was taken to the city jail in the police automobile. Early in the day he had collected enough cash to enable him to buy about a quart of bad whisky. He felt so good that he disturbed the peace and quiet of the city, and as a result was given his auto ride.

"Shure an' this is foine," he told Chauffeur Murray, "I'd take twinty toimes twinty days for a roide like this be."

The annual report of the secretary of mines for Victoria shows that the amount of gold mined in that colony since its discovery in 1851 is 67,557,353 ounces, valued at $1,350,000,000.

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