THE MARKETS.

A Boom for Western Union Stock Following the Decision at Albany.

The Big Room Traders Bullish Because the Whole Market Is Oversold.

GOSSIP.

Special Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Telegraph was 80½ bid after closing upon inside buying, based upon report of a favorable court decision this morning. Brokers report large short interest in general market, especially Northern Pacific preferred, and the most of Villards sold yesterday were for short account. The largest room traders are bullish, they say because the whole market is oversold, and if the Northern Pacific stocks were off the list there would be a big jump all around. The largest sellers of Northern Pacific yesterday were Brandon and Slayback, also one or two commission brokers. The largest houses say the general market has no special outlook at present, but indicates a bull market soon. The leading Windsor hotel bears think there will be a great railway war in the southwest between the Gould lines and the Texas and St. Louis Narrow Guage road. Vice President Hopkins says the main cause for reduction to 3 cents per mile by the Iron Mountain road yesterday was to satisfy people of Missouri and Arkansas, who claim they were entitled to as low rates as the Texans, and this policy was therefore decided upon to avert hostile legislation.

It is reported that Ballou & Co. will probably resume this week.

WALL STREET.

The market opened dull but firmer, lending rates for stocks unchanged. Money harder at 3 bid. Bird bought Northern Pacific preferred and Fanshawe sold. S. V. White bought Lake Shore. Large orders for Western Union are in the room. The Boston *Transcript* says Oregon short line of Union Pacific will be finished for $20,000 a mile, saving $5,000 per mile on the estimate and mortgage rate.

Mr. Gould says the decision of the court of appeals was unanimous, except by two of the judges, who were disqualified. This decision definitely establishes the validity of $15,000,000 worth of stock, and removes all injunctions against the stock and the dividends.

The largest buyers of Western Union this morning were H. I. Nicholas, Hitchkiss & Burnham, Newcombs, Hollister, Content, Sheldon, and Dunan. The sellers were Bissell, Boyd, Brandon, and Motley. Government bonds—lower numbers of 3s—are scarce and in improved demand.

A Philadelphia telegram says Reading's and Jersey Central's September earnings are nearly as large as in August, and the proportion of profits to Reading stockholders will be equal to 1½ per cent.

The Philadelphia market to-day is firmer, with good buying of Pacifics and Reading. It is reported that one Philadelphia firm is loaning 15,000 shares of Reading flat in New York.

Brokers say business is very light, not even a broker's market. The Western Union decision fell flat, partly because generally anticipated and known in advance.

Considerable interest centers in New York Central, and the feeling on it rather bearish on expectation of open warfare soon with the West Shore road.

The selling of New York Central has been rather better than the buying.

REVIEW.

The only feature in the morning was telegraph, which rose 1½ to 81⅞ on decision in the Hatch-Williams suit. So far as this was expected to impart a buoyant feeling to the general list the announcement may be said to have fallen flat, as stocks were very dull during the morning hours and only steady. It is believed that the Gould people were sellers of telegraph at the topfigures. Money on call was harder, and 3 bid.

Lending rates from stocks unchanged. Sterling unchanged. Governments firm, low numbered 3's being scarce and in better demand. The Reading Coal and Iron company advanced prices 10 cents per ton on all put pea. The Western demand is greater than it can meet, and the company refuses orders.

Earnings of Reading and Jersey for September will be as large as August, and Reading stockholders proportion equal 1½ per cent. The fluctuations during the forenoon were inside of 3 per cent. aside from Western Union, and at 12 o'clock values were firm and fractionally higher than the opening. Considerable bearish feeling against New York Central on belief that war will soon burst out between it and the West Shore. Alton and Terre Haute dropped 4½ points to-day on sales by Van Emburgh. The market was rather more active early in the last hour and ⅜ to ½ lower for Western Union. The Villards and the Vanderbilts at close of the market were a trifle more active, but the undertone was inclined to weakness.

Closing prices of the most active stocks, as compared with yesterday, show the following changes: Advanced—Western Union, ¼; Wabash common, ¼; Canada Pacific, ½. Declined—Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, ¼; Central Pacific, ⅛; New York Central, ⅛; Erie, ¼; Michigan Central, ¼; Lake Shore, ⅞; Louisville and Nashville, ½; Northwestern, ½; Union Pacific, ½; Jersey Central, ½; St. Paul, 1; Wabash preferred, ⅛; Missouri Pacific, ¼; Denver, ⅛; Delaware, Lackawanna, 1; Oregon Transcontinental, ⅞; Northern Pacific, 1; Northern Pacific preferred, 1⅛; Canada Southern, 1⅛; Kansas and Texas, ⅛; Reading, ⅞; Pacific Mail, ⅛; Rochester and Pittsburg, ⅛; Ohio Central, 1½.

LONDON, 12:30—United States 4s ¼ lower; Erie, ¼ higher; New York Central, ⅛ lower; Illinois Central, 1 lower; Pennsylvania Central, ¼ higher; Reading unchanged; Ontario and Western, ⅛ higher; St. Paul, ¼ higher.

STOCKS.

The following are the opening, highest, lowest, and closing prices of the principal stocks for the day, as corrected by special wire reports received by Bateman & Co., bankers, No. 1411 F street northwest:

Name of stock.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Delaware and Hudson	.....	.....	.....	107
Western Union	80⅝	81⅞	80⅞	80⅞
Central Pacific	67⅛	67⅛	66⅞	67⅛
New York Central	116	116⅛	114⅞	114⅞
Erie	31⅛	31⅛	31	31⅛
Michigan Central	87	88	87⅛	87⅛
Lake Shore	103	103⅛	102⅞	99⅞
Louisville and Nashville	56⅛	56⅛	52⅞	53
Chicago and Northwestern	125	125⅛	120⅞	123⅞
Union Pacific	89⅛	89⅞	88	88
Central of New Jersey	81⅛	81⅞	80⅞	80⅞
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. P.	102⅞	103	101⅞	101⅞
Michigan St. L. and Pacific	20⅞	21⅛	20⅞	21⅛
Wabash, St. L. and Pacific pref.	33⅞	34⅛	33⅞	33⅞
Missouri Pacific	97⅛	97⅛	97	96⅞
Denver and Rio Grande	27⅞	27⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Delaware, Lack. and Western	121⅞	122⅛	120⅞	120⅞
Philadelphia and Reading	52⅞	52⅞	51⅛	51⅞
Northern Pacific	54	54⅛	53⅞	53⅞
Northern Pacific preferred	64⅞	64	63⅞	63⅞
Chicago, St. P., M. and O.	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞
Chicago St. P., M. and O. pref.	100	100⅛	99⅞	99⅞
Canada Southern	.....	53	52⅞	52⅞
Texas Pacific	28⅞	28⅞	27⅞	27⅞
Kansas and Texas	26	26⅛	25⅞	25⅞
Chicago, Burlington and Q.	118⅛	118⅛	118⅛	118⅛
Illinois Central	27⅞	27⅞	27	27⅞
Oregon Transcontinental	53⅞	54⅛	52⅞	52⅞
Rochester and Pittsburg	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
Ontario and Western	23⅞	23⅞	23	.....
Richmond Terminal	26⅞	.....	.....	26⅞
Richmond and Danville	.....	.....	.....	97⅞
East Tennessee	8	.....	.....	8
East Tennessee pref.	15	.....	.....	14⅞
Ohio Central	3⅛	.....	.....	3
Lake Erie and Western	21	.....	.....	20
Minneapolis & St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	23⅞
Pullman Car company	36	.....	.....	36⅞
Bankers and Merchants' Tel.	132	.....	.....	132
Canada Pacific	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞
West Shore	74⅞	.....	.....	74
Memphis and Charleston	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pacific Mail	138⅞	138⅞	138⅞	138⅞
Mutual Union	18	19	18⅞	18⅞
Rock Island	120⅞	.....	.....	120⅞

†Ex dividend—100½ highest, 99½ lowest.

PACIFIC COAST AND MINING STOCKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—The following were the closing prices of mining stocks to-day:

Alpha	2.35	Hale and Norcross	2.50
Alta	1.07½	Mexican	2.12½
Belcher	1.12½	Navajo	2.05½
Bodie Isle	.30	Northern Belle	.87½
Best and Belcher	3.12½	Ophir	2.37½
Bodie	.90	Potosi	.85
California	.10	Savage	1.37½
Chollar	2.87½	Sierra Nevada	3.50
Consolidated Va.	.40	Union Con.	2.87½
Eureka Con.	6.50	Utah	1.75
Gould and Curry	2.25	Yellow Jacket	3.00

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United States 4½s, 1891, registered	114	114
United States 4½s, 1891, coupon	114	114
United States 4s, 1907, registered	127½	128½
United States 4s, 1907, coupon	129½	129½
United States 3s	101	.....
Exchange	$4 [illegible]	$4 [illegible]

WASHINGTON STOCK EXCHANGE.

District of Columbia.

Permanent improvement 6s, 1891, coin	115½	114½
Permanent improvement 7s, 1891, cur'y	117½	115
Market stock 7s, 1892, currency	118	.....
Water stock 7s, 1901, currency	127	.....
Water stock 7s, 1903, currency	127	.....
Fifty-year funded 3.65, 1924, currency	109½	110
Twenty-year funded 5s, 1899, currency	.....	115
Twenty-year funded 6s, 1902, coin	118½	114½
Thirty-year funded 6s, 1903, coin	120½	121½
Fire Insurance and Gas-Light Companies.		
Washington City Gas-Light ..... par 20	31½	35½
Firemen's Insurance 20	24½	.....
National Union Insurance 50	18	20½
Arlington Insurance 100	125	.....
Columbia Insurance 5	7½	8½
Railroad stocks.		
Washington & Georgetown—bonds	108	.....
Metropolitan 50	.....	70
North Capitol and O street 50	34	.....
Free list.		
Board of public works	.....	96
Washington Market Co.—stock 50	12½	15
Bank of Washington 20	29	.....
Bank of Washington 10	20	.....
National Metropolitan bank 100	1.55	.....
National Bank of the Republic 100	150	.....
Farmers & Mechanic's Nat. bank 100	1.40	.....
Citizens' National bank 100	90	.....
Second National bank 100	101	.....
Central National bank 100	125	.....
Great Falls ice company 100	.....	75
Land warrants, war of 1812 ..... per acre	1.15	.....
Land warrants, other wars ..... per acre	1.12	.....
Soldiers' additionals	.....	75.00
Valentine scrip ..... per acre	.....	60.00
Sioux half-breed scrip	.....	25.00
Real Estate Title Insurance Co.	.....	83
Pennsylvania Telephone Co.	.....	73
Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone	.....	105

COTTON MARKET.

The following were the opening and closing prices:

	Opening.	Closing.
October	10.48	10.42
November	10.81	10.81
December	10.73	10.67
January	10.84	10.80
February	10.99	10.94
March	11.13	11.08
April	11.25	11.20
May	11.38	11.31
June	11.47	11.41
July	11.57	11.50

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Following are opening, highest, lowest, and closing prices on Chicago board of trade, as corrected by special wire reports to Cooke & Co., brokers:

	Wh't.	Corn.	Oats.	Pork.	Lard.
Opening—Oct.	$ 95½	55	27⅞	10 50	$7 77½
Nov.	97½	43½	28⅛	10 52½	7 62½
Year	98½	56⅞	27⅞	10 37½	7 52½
Highest—Oct.	95½	47	27⅞	10 55	7 82½
Nov.	97½	48½	28⅞	10 55	7 62½
Year	99½	48⅞	27⅞	10 37½	7 60
Lowest—Oct.	95	45⅛	27⅞	10 37½	7 67½
Nov.	97	47⅛	28	10 37½	7 55
Year	95⅛	46⅛	27⅞	10 30	7 52½
Closing—Oct.	95⅞	48⅛	27⅞	10 47½	7 82½
Nov.	97⅞	47⅞	28⅛	10 50	7 62½
Year	98⅛	46⅞	27⅞	10 37½	7 67½

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 2.—Virginia 6s, consolidated, 40; past due coupons, 46 bid to-day.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Money easy at 2½@3 per cent., closed at 2 per cent. Foreign exchange weak at 482@482¼ for long and 484½@485 for short sight. Governments strong. In state bonds Alabama, class A, sold at 82, and do., class B, at 101. Railway bonds were about steady; West Shore firsts were weaker at 74½@74¾. This was another dull day in stock circles. At the opening the market was firm and higher, with a general advance in prices of ¼ to 1⅛ per cent., the latter in Western Union, which sold up to 81½ on the favorable decision handed down by the court of appeals today legalizing the $15,526,500 stock issued at the time of the consolidation of the American Union and Atlantic and Pacific telegraph companies with the Western Union in 1881. After 11 a. m. the market was quiet and barely steady and continued so until the afternoon, when a sharp attack was made on C. C. C. & I., carrying the stock down from 61½ to 55. This was followed by attacks on the grangers and Lackawanna. Owing to the absence of supporting orders the raids were generally successful, prices being forced down ¼ to 2 per cent., Northwestern preferred suffering the most. The common declined 1⅞ to 123½, St. Paul 1¼ to 101¾, Lackawanna to 120¾, Louisville and Nashville ⅝ to 49⅞, Michigan Central 1⅛ to 81⅞, Northern Pacific 1½ to 83½, preferred 1½ to 63¾, Oregon Transcontinental 1½ to 52¾, Omaha 1½ to 39⅞, and Western Union 1 to 80⅞. There was very little recovery at the close and the market left off weak. As compared with last night's closing prices are down ½ to 2 per cent. except for Wabash and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, which are a fraction higher. In the specialties Alton and Terre Haute broke 4½ to 50; Milwaukee, Lake Shore and Western preferred 2 to 41, Ohio Central 1½ to 2¾, and St. Louis and San Francisco preferred 1 to 47. Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburg preferred rose 1 to 47, Mutual Union 1½ to 19, and Homestake ½ to 17½. The depression in Northwestern was occasioned by rumors that the company has been selling treasury stock. These rumors have been used before, but not with as much effect as to-day. It can be authoritatively stated that the stories are without foundation in fact.

Transactions aggregated 184,000 shares, including Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 27,100; Northwestern, 7,100; Northern Pacific, 9,700; Louisville and Nashville, 9,100; St. Paul, 7,000; Western Union, 22,500; Oregon Transcontinental, 17,600; Northern Pacific preferred, 25,500; Lake Shore, ex dividend, 5,000.

BALTIMORE PRODUCE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 2.—Cotton steady; middling, 10⅞. Flour quiet and unchanged; Howard street and western superfine, $3 25@3 65; do. extra, $3 75@4 75; do. family, $5 00@6 00; city mills superfine, $4 00@5 75; do. extra, $4 00@6 25; do. Rio brands, $5 75@6 00; Patapsco family, $6 50; do. superlative patent, $7 00. Wheat—Southern steady; western lower and inactive; southern red, $1 08@1 12, do. amber, $1 10@1 13; No. 1 Maryland, $1 15¼@1 15⅝; No. 2 western winter red, spot, $1 07⅞@1 08; October, $1 08@1 08¼; November, $1 10⅛@1 10⅞; December, $1 13⅛@1 13⅝; January, $1 16@1 16⅞. Corn—Southern higher; western neglected and nominal; southern white, 65@66c; do. yellow, 66@67; western mixed, spot, 59⅞@59¾c; October, 59⅝c asked; November, 58⅞@59⅛c; year and January, 56c asked; steamer, 56c bid. Oats steady; southern, 36@40c; western white, 36@38c; do. mixed, 35@36c; Pennsylvania, 36@40c. Rye quiet at 63@64c. Hay unchanged; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $14 00@16 00. Provisions quiet, without change; mess pork, $13 50; bulk meats, shoulders and clear rib sides, packed, 7¼@7¾c; bacon, shoulders, 7¾c; clear rib sides, 8⅜c; hams, 15¾@16¾c; lard, refined, 10c. Butter firm for choice; western packed, 10@20c; creamery, 20@28c. Eggs firm at 25c. Petroleum unchanged; refined, 8⅞@8¾c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 9½@10½c. Sugar steady; A soft, 8¾c. Copper, refined strong at 14½@14¾c. Whisky quiet and steady at $1 18@1 18½. Freights to Liverpool per steamer unchanged; cotton, 11-64d.; flour, 1s. 9d.; grain, 5d. Receipts—Flour, 2,782 barrels; wheat, 95,000 bushels; corn, 7,000 bushels; oats, 18,000 bushels; rye, 900 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 47,000 bushels; corn, 72,000 bushels. Sales—Wheat, 325,000 bushels; corn, 5,000 bushels.

Sales of Real Estate.

William P. Young, real estate broker, has made the following sales, heretofore unpublished:

For Commodore John L. Davis, lot 53, square 97, on New Hampshire avenue, north of N street, through Mr. H. D. Manley, to Commodore Isaac Casey, for $5,242.50.

For Mr. David King, par s of lots 39, 40, and 41, square 210, fronting 32 feet on Rhode Island avenue, east of Fifteenth street, to Commodore John H. Upshur, for $5,000.

For Mr. Diller B. Groff, lots 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, in square 199, on Sixteenth, between Caroline and U streets, containing 15,570 square feet, through Mr. John H. Cassin, to Messrs. J. M. Johnston and others, for $13,231.50.

For Mr. David King, lot 56, square 159, on Eighteenth, between M street and Jefferson Place, 24 by 124 feet, to Rear Admiral Thomas H. Stevens, for $7,500.

For Mr. James J. Shedd, lot 31, square 195, on the northwest corner of Rhode Island avenue and Fifteenth street, containing 4,979 square feet, to Mrs. Kate U. Moorhead, for $12,500. Mr. Shedd paid one cent per foot for this square forty years ago.

To Mr. Edward Caverly, lot 74, square 194, 20 by 100 feet, improved by the handsome three-story, basement and back building brick dwelling, No. 1505 Q street northwest, to Mr. James R. Young, for $9,000.

For Mr. John T. Lenman, through Messrs. T. J. Fisher & Co., lot 4, square 216, 28 by 129 feet on K street, opposite McPherson square, to Gen. J. A. Williamson, for $10,800.

For Mr. Lewis J. Davis, lots 44, 45 and 46, in square 182, each fronting 22.83 feet on Rhode Island avenue, west of Sixteenth street, to Mrs. Kate U. Moorhead, for $15,723.80.

For Mrs. Emma S. Andrews, lots 47 and 48 and the 3½ inches of lot 49, square 182, situated on the southwest corner of Sixteenth street and Scott statue, to Mrs. Kate U. Moorhead, for $19,908.58. The rate for this beautiful site was $5 per square foot, and no higher price has been paid for ground in this district for residence use. A large and very handsome dwelling will be erected on it.

For Mr. Charles W. Hills, parts of lots 27 and 28 square 125, improved by three story brick dwelling, on the southwest corner of Seventeenth and K streets, opposite Farragut square, to Dr. Joseph Taber Johnson, for $14,000.

For Mr. M. Sickland, through Messrs. Steiger & Lieberman, two acres east of the Middleton place and near Brooks's station, improved by a handsome frame dwelling, to Mr. Henry Farquhar, for $4,250.

For Mr. John T. Arms, lot 32, square 239, improved by three story and basement brick dwelling No. 1012 Riggs street, to Mrs. Mary E. Edmonds, for $4,500.

For Mr. Robert Johnston, lot 54, square 840, improved by three story and basement brick dwelling No. 1008 N street northwest, to Prof. A. J. Huntington, for $6,000.

For Mrs. Mary A. Dennison, the three story brick dwelling, furnished, to Mr. Richard A. Cronin, for $6,000.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Henry A. Klock, of Prince George county, Md., and Julia A. Rouzer, of this city; Thomas H. Anderson, of Philadelphia, and Mary E. Jones, of this city; John King and Lavinia Robinson; W. J. Wells and Mary Holland; Armstead Carter and Matilda Gaston; Harry G. Wagner and Louisa S. Mummert; W. J. Sniffer and Lelia M. Webb.

DETROITS vs. Nationals to-day at 4:15.

MRS. LANGTRY'S MORTGAGES.

Her Lawyer Tells How Easily She Paid Out Eighty Thousand Dollars.

New York World.

Mr. John M. Bowers, attorney for Mrs. Langtry in her recent bond and mortgage investment, said to a reporter of the *World* yesterday:

"It is a fact that she invested $81,000 in a perfectly secure manner, but I cannot give you the entire details, because there are certain things between counsel and client that must be kept secret. I am at liberty to say how the transaction came about. Shortly before Mrs. Langtry's departure for Europe I received a note from her" (and he drew from a pile of letters a dainty envelope, with a neat crest on the flap) "requesting me to search the titles of three pieces of property on which she was desirous of advancing loans on mortgages. She had already been advised of the nature of the real estate, and my part of the work was to look the records up and see that everything was all right. On my report she sent me a check for $81,000. I don't now remember whether it was certified, but nevertheless it was duly paid on presentation at the bank. It was expended in the following way: Forty-five thousand dollars on a stone house in Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; $20,000 on a stone building on Eighth avenue, near Thirtieth street, and $16,000 on another on the same avenue, a little below Seventy-fourth street. The papers were recorded in the name of Emilie Charlotte Langtry, Island of Jersey."

"Was Mr. Langtry in any way connected in the matter?"

"No. The investment was made by her in her own name without reference to her husband or any one else, and, as her affairs are now arranged, she has absolute management and can do just as she pleases with it. In this country a married woman has more right to control her property than a man."

"Did she tell you how she obtained so much wealth?"

"No, she did not say a word I believe the public were well enough informed on her financial condition before she came to this country, and they can draw their own inference."

"Do you know Mr. Gebhard?"

"I do, slightly; but he had no hand in this transaction."

ANGLOPHOBIA.

Some of the Peculiarities of the Newporters Afflicted With the English Craze.

A Newport correspondent of the Boston *Transcript* has this hit at the English craze prevailing at the famous and fashionable resort: A good commentary on our fashion of aping the English in their manner of dress and speech was the remark of a little girl who visited the casino and looked upon its frequenters for the first time. She was from the south, but had been in England. "Why, mamma," she said, "where did all these English people come from? Isn't it fun to hear them talk just as it was in Brighton?" It is very cleverly done, this imitation of a certain style of Englishmen. A young Bostonian I know has acquired it perfectly in five weeks. I can fancy him greeting you next winter in this fashion: "Jolly cold day, he? Egad, Baston's more than hawlf nawsty this beastly weathaw. Got a new fad, I have, don't you know," &c., &c. And yet they say we are not linguists, and this fellow has acquired a new speech all in a month. It is really very clever as you will see. It smacks of the English groom, to be sure, for the manly Englishman does not talk like a fool, and they who are beginning to cultivate the socalled English pronunciation talk very much like fools, and make very funny lapses, in unconscious moments, to their native speech. "Please," said a girl to one of these ambitious young men, "say 'hawlf-pawst' or 'half-past,' and not 'hawlf-past' or 'half-pawst.'" One of our Newport swells tells this story of himself. It is his pet story. It impresses different listeners differently. Sometimes I think it does not impress them exactly as he expects it to, but it is his way of informing the world that he dresses for the evening religiously. I'll try to put it in his own words: "I'm deuced absent minded, don't you know; deuced absent minded. Did something the other morning, just like *me*, don't you know. Valet was knocked up; lighted the gas myself when I got up; deuced stubborn moustache, *mine* is—have to curl it on an iron—lighted gas to heat iron and forgot to put it out. Of course a fellah don't put on his morning clothes by gaslight, and I got into my evening suit. *By Jove!* opened the front door and stood in evening dress in broad daylight. Haven't got over it yet, Gad! upset me entirely! Felt like a waitaw or a fool. Deuced absent minded, I am, don't you know."

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