LOCAL AND GENERAL MARKET REPORTS

HIGH MONEY FAILS TO RETARD MARKET

Bank Statement and Rates for Cash Not Reflected in Dealings.

AGGRESSIVE BUYING CONTINUES

So-called Gould-Rockefeller Properties Figure on Long Side.

MISSOURI PACIFIC LEADS

Many Railways Score Material Improvements on Limited Trading—Net Gains in Amalgamated Copper and Other Industrials—Sterling Exchange Drops.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Notwithstanding Saturday's unfavorable bank statement and further large losses sustained by the banks to the subtreasury, which were reflected in an extreme high rate of 10 and an average figure of 7 per cent, for call money, the securities market made further decided progress upward today on a large volume of dealings.

The high rates for money were to an extent counterbalanced by a sharp decline in foreign exchange, due to a large accumulation of wheat and cotton bills over Sunday, sterling touching 4.86.20. The favorable weather reports caused a further reactionary tendency in the grain markets, of which advantage was taken by exporters of wheat to engage a large line, 67 loads, for shipment.

Gold Imports Assured.

The general impression in financial circles seems to be that imports of gold to this country from Europe in the near future are assured, owing to our high credit, the phenomenal crop prospects in this country, and Europe's need of our cereals.

The strength of the stock market today was partly attributable to further aggressive operations on the long side, particularly in some of the principal so-called Gould-Rockefeller properties, notably Missouri Pacific and St. Paul, and persistent reports of an impending "settlement" of the anthracite coal strike.

Missouri Pacific accounted for one-sixth of the total transactions, amounting to about 900,000 shares, and retained about all of an extreme advance of 3 per cent. St. Paul was considerably less active, and at a reaction of nearly a point from the highest price, finishing 1⅛ per cent above Saturday's final figure. The strong features in the usually active railroad list included Wabash preferred, Union Pacific, Texas and Pacific, Southern Pacific, and Atchison common, at net improvements ranging from substantial fractions to 2 per cent or thereabouts. Brooklyn Rapid Transit and Baltimore and Ohio were fairly active, but left off practically unchanged. Detroit Southern issues were favorably influenced by reports of the probable acquisition of the property by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Railways Improve.

A feature of the market was the number of material improvements that occurred in many railway issues upon limited trading. These included Rock Island and Chicago and Eastern Illinois, which gained 4½ per cent each; Evansville and Terre Haute, Kansas City Southern preferred, St. Louis and San Francisco common, Minneapolis and St. Louis common, Soo common, and Chesapeake and Ohio. The last mentioned was favorably influenced by the reported collapse of the soft coal strike in the Kanawha and New River districts.

In the miscellaneous stocks, Western Union rose nearly a point, closing at the highest prices, and Pacific Coast issues scored net gains of 2⅝ and 2 per cent, respectively, for the common and preferred.

In the industrial list a number of issues were conspicuously strong. Amalgamated Copper, on dealings in excess of 41,000 shares, scored a net improvement of 2 per cent, and final gains of 1 to 2 per cent and over were established in Sugar Refining, American Smelting common, General Electric, Pressed Steel Car issues, Railway Steel Spring issues, Republic Iron and Steel common, Rubber Goods issues, U. S. Rubber preferred, and U. S. Reduction and Refining issues.

The railway bond market was well up to the recent average of activity, and displayed almost general strength.

The Late News.

Late news developments included re- f an increasing movement of cot- d a declining tendency in the for the staple, a slight recovery ling exchange, due to the cover- short contracts, remitters having sterred early by the high money and a resumption of transfers of through the subtreasury. There warded $350,000 to New Orleans. curb market developed consider- rength in the usually more active near the close. The stock market strong and active at not far from t prices.

York Stock Exchange, Sept. 8.

ollowing table shows the highest, and last prices of all stocks sold stock exchange today in amounts shares or more, and the net s from Saturday's closing prices:

	High.	Low.	Last.	Ch'g's.
Copper	70⅝	69	70⅝	+2
icycle	2¼	2	2	— ¼
r & Foun	35½	35	35¼	+ ¼
otton Oil	53¾	53½	53¾	+ ½
ass Twine	61¾	61¼	61¼	— ¼
e	11⅝	11	11	— ⅝
e pf	40	37½	37½	—3⅝
comotive	33⅞	33⅛	33⅛	— ⅝
lting pf	28	27	27	— ⅝
melting	48	45⅞	47⅜	+2⅛
melting pf	97½	97	97½	+ ½
gar	129⅞	128½	129⅝	+ ⅞
on	95⅞	94½	95⅝	+ ⅝
on pf	105⅜	104¼	105¼	+ ¼
ore & Ohio	115⅞	114½	114⅞	

	High.	Low.	Last.	Ch'g's.
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	71¼	70½	70⅝	— ⅛
Butterick Co.	53	51⅝	52⅞	— ⅛
Canadian Pacific	141¼	140	140⅞	— ⅜
Chesa. & Ohio	57¼	56⅜	57	+ ⅜
Chicago & Alton	42¼	41½	42	— ¼
Chic. & Alton pf	76½	76	76½	+ ½
Chic. & East. Ill.	214½	208	214½	+4½
Chic. Gt. West	33⅝	33	33⅛	— ¼
Ch., M. & St. P.	192	189⅞	191⅜	+1⅜
Ch., M. & St. P. pf.	197	196	196½	+ ½
Chic., R. I. & Pac.	197½	193	196½	+4½
Chic. Term. Tr	24	23½	23⅞	+ ⅜
Ch. Term. Tr. pf	42¼	41½	42	+ ½
Chic. Un. Tr	18¼	17⅝	18	+ ½
Col. Fuel & Iron	81½	81	81½	+ ½
Col. South	33⅞	33¼	33¼	+ ½
Consolidated Gas	224¼	223½	223¾	+ ⅛
Corn Products	36½	36	36	+ ¼
Den. & R. Gr	49½	48¾	49½	+ ½
Den. & R. Gr. pf	95	94⅛	95	+ ⅝
Detroit South	24¾	23¼	23¾	+ ⅛
Detroit South. pf	45⅝	44½	45⅛	+ ⅛
Dist. of Am. tr	5	4¾	5	
D., S. S. & At	21¾	21	21¾	— ¼
Erie	42½	41⅝	42¼	+ ¾
Erie 1st pf	71¼	70⅜	71	+ ⅞
Erie 2d pf	57⅞	56¾	57½	+1
Gt. Northern pf	200	200	200	— ½
Illinois Central	172	171½	172	
Inter. Paper	20½	20	20	+ ¼
Iowa Central	49½	49⅜	49½	+ ⅜
Kan. C. & South	38	37¼	37¾	— ¼
Kan. C. & So. pf	61⅜	59½	61⅜	+1⅜
K. C., F. S. & M. pf.	86	85	85¼	— ¼
Louisville & Nash.	152¼	151½	152	
Man. Con	137⅝	137	137½	
Met. St. Ry	148	147	147¼	— ¾
Minn. & St. L	114⅞	114	114⅞	+1⅛
M., S. P. & S. S. M.	82	80½	81⅝	+1¾
Mo., Kan. & T	33¾	33	33⅞	+ ½
Mo., Kan. & T. pf.	67½	66½	67½	— ⅛
Missouri Pacific	122¾	119½	122⅝	+2⅞
National Biscuit	48¾	48¼	48¼	+ ¼
National Lead Co.	24⅜	24	24	— ⅜
Nat. R. of Mex	21½	20¾	21⅛	+ ½
New Cent. Coal	45	45	45	
New York Central	165	164	164¾	+ ¼
N. Y., O. & W	37⅝	36⅞	37⅝	+ ½
Norfolk & West	76⅞	75¾	76¾	+ ½
Pacific Coast Co	80⅝	79	80¼	+3
Pac. Coast 2d pf	84¾	82½	84½	+2⅜
Pacific Mail	47⅛	46¼	46¼	— ⅜
Pennsylvania	168	166¾	167½	+ ½
People's Gas of C.	108⅞	107¾	108½	+ ¼
Pressed Steel Car	54⅞	53¾	54⅛	+ ⅜
Pressed St. Car pf.	91¼	88⅞	89½	+ ¾
Quicksilver Min	3	3	3	
Ry. St. Spring	34⅞	32¾	34⅝	+1⅞
Reading	75¼	73½	75	+2
Reading 1st pf	89⅛	88½	89	+ ⅝
Reading 2d pf	78½	77½	78¾	+ ⅞
Republic Steel	24¾	23¼	23¾	+ ⅜
Republic Steel pf	83⅛	82	82¼	+ ¼
Rubber Goods	22⅛	21½	22	+1
St. L. & San. F	82	80	81¾	+1¾
St. L. & S.F. 2d pf.	77	76¼	77	+ ½
St. Louis S. W	36½	36¼	36⅜	—1
St. L. S. W. pf	78¼	77¾	78	
Sloss.-Shef. Steel	80¾	78	78⅛	—2⅜
Sloss.-Shef. St. pf.	95	95	95	+1
Southern Pacific	80	78⅝	80	+1
Southern Ry	39⅝	38⅞	39½	+ ½
Southern Ry. pf	96⅝	96⅜	96⅜	— ⅛
Tenn. Coal & Iron	71	70	70½	
Texas Pacific	53½	51¾	53¼	+ ¾
Tol., St. L. & W	31¾	31¼	31½	+ ½
T., St. L. & W. pf.	48	47½	47½	— ¼
Twin City R. T	127½	127½	127½	
Union Bag & P	15⅞	15⅜	15⅜	+ ⅛
Union Pacific	111¾	110½	111⅜	+1
Union Pacific pf	92	91¾	91¾	
U. S. C. I. P. & F.	16⅞	16	16	
U.S.C.I.P. & F. pf.	57	56	56	—1
U. S. Express	150	148	150	+2
U. S. Leather	14⅛	13¾	13⅞	+ ¼
U. S. R. & Ref	36½	36	36½	+2¾
U. S. Rubber	17½	16⅝	17	+ ½
U. S. Rubber pf	58⅞	55¾	58½	+2½
U. S. Steel	41⅜	41⅛	41¼	
U. S. Steel pf	91	90⅞	91	+ ¼
Va.-Caro. Chem	72¾	71¾	72⅛	— ⅛
Wabash	37⅛	36	37⅛	+ ⅞
Wabash pf	51¾	49¾	51½	+1⅞
West. Union Tel	95½	95	95½	+ ⅜
Wh. & Lake E	29½	28½	29⅜	+ ½
Wisconsin Central	29½	29	29⅜	+ ⅛
Wis. Central pf	55⅝	55	55	— ⅜

Total sales of stocks, 911,183 shares.
+Advance. —Decline.

Government Bonds.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—The following shows today's closing quotations for Government bonds, as compared with Saturday:

	Sept. 8. Bid.	Asked.	Sept. 6. Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s, reg. 1930	108¼	109¼	108¼	109¼
U. S. 2s, cou. 1930	108¾	109¾	108¾	109¾
U. S. 3s, reg. 1918	106¾	107¾	106¾	107¾
U. S. 3s, cou. 1918	106¾	107¾	106¾	107¾
U. S. 3s, S. B. 1918	106¾	107¾	106¾	107¾
U. S. 4s, reg. 1907	109⅝	...	109½	109¾
U. S. 4s, cou. 1907	110⅜	...	110½	110¾
U. S. 4s, reg. 1925	136½	...	135	136
U. S. 4s, cou. 1925	136½	...	134¾	136
U. S. 5s, reg. 1904	105	106	105	105
U. S. 5s, cou. 1904	105	106	105	106
D. C. 3-65s	123	—	123	—

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Money on call at the stock exchange today opened at 8 per cent, highest 10, lowest 6, closing at 8. Most of the day's loans were at 7 per cent.

Time money was not offered at the opening, the attractive rate for call loans absorbing the attention of lenders. Demand was good, and 6 per cent would be paid for short time loans. Rates 5@6 per cent for sixty days to four months, 5@5½ per cent for longer dates, regulated according to the class of securities.

Mercantile paper was almost dead. It was dull here, and only a very moderate amount was placed out of town. Supply was quite large, and further increase was retarded only by the want of buyers. Rates, 5@5½ per cent for high-grade, 6, and in some cases higher, for names not so well known.

Loans between banks at Boston in the clearing house settlements advanced from 5 to 6 per cent. Street rates took a wider range. Some old call loans remained out around 5 per cent, but new money advanced 1 per cent for call and declined ½ per cent for time. Quotations at four important points reported by telegraph today were as follows:

	Call.	Time.
Boston	6@6½	4½@6
Chicago	4	4½@5
Philadelphia	5	5@6
Baltimore	5	5

Call money in London ¼c higher at 2¼@2½ per cent; short bills weaker and ⅛c lower at 2 11-16 per cent; three months' bills 1-16 higher at 2 13-16 per cent.

Hamburg money rates advanced ¼c, and Berlin and Frankfort ⅛ per cent today. Open market and bank rates at important Continental centers reported by special dispatches today as follows:

	Market.	Bank.
Paris	1⅞	3
Berlin	1⅞	3
Hamburg	2	3
Frankfort	1⅞	3
Amsterdam	2½	3
Vienna	2⅝	3½
Brussels	2¼	3

New York clearing-house exchanges today were $122,431,984; balances, $6,016,584; United States Treasury's credit balance, $600,402. The last credit balance was $15,177, last Tuesday.

Domestic exchange—Chicago exchange on New York city 20 cents discount per $1,000, unchanged from Saturday and par a year ago. Boston exchange 20 and 25 cents discount, against 20 cents discount.

Foreign exchange—The market for sterling opened weak with sixty days ¼c and demand ¼c lower. Most bankers reduced posted rates ½ per cent. The close was steady, but at the lowest figures reached in the course of the decline.

Rates for actual business were as follows: Sixty days, $4.83½@4.83⅝; demand, 4.86¼; cables, 4.87. Commercial bills were 4.83@4.84¼. The supply of grain and cotton bills was fairly good.

Continental bills were quoted as follows: Francs, 5.19⅜ and 5.17½ less 1-16 @5.18⅛; reichsmarks, 94¾ and 94 15-16 @95; guilders, 39⅞ and 40 1-16.

Following are the posted rates of the leading drawers of foreign exchange:

	60 days.	Demand.
Sterling	4.84½	4.87
France, francs	5.18¾	5.16¼
Switzerland, francs	5.20⅜	5.20⅛
Belgium, francs	5.19⅜	5.16⅞
Germany, reichsmarks	94⅞	95¼
Holland, guilders	40	40¼

Silver—Bar silver in London quiet and 1-16 higher at 23 15-16 pence per ounce. Today's New York price for commercial bars slightly firmer, at 51⅞@53 cents. Government assay bars ¼ higher at 52¼@53½. Mexican dollars unchanged at 40½@42½.

Pixley & Abell report as follows on London's trade in silver during the week ended August 28:

Exports.		Imports.	
To Bombay	£125,225	From Australia	£19,000
To Hongkong	23,500	From U. S. A.	80,000
To Calcutta	5,000	From Chili	5,000
		From Riv.Plate	1,000
		From W. Indies	9,000
Total	£153,725	Total	£114,000

Exports of silver from London to the East from January 1 to August 28, reported by today's London mail, compare as follows:

To India	£4,208,000	£5,095,000	£3,605,372
To China	135,850	525,512	567,548
To the Straits	155,820	81,526	400,744
Total	£4,499,730	£5,702,448	£4,669,664

Foreign Gold Premiums.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The gold premium at Buenos Ayres today was quoted at 129.20, against 129.40 Saturday; at Madrid, 35.92, against 36.15; at Lisbon, 28, unchanged.

WASHINGTON STOCK MARKET

Sales—Met. R. R. "A," $5,253@108; Met. R. R. "B," $10,000@108; Cap. Traction, 5@125½, 20@125½; People's Ins., 50@106½, 33@106½; Mergenthaler, 10@189¼, 10@188¾, 10@188¾, 10@189, 10@189¼, 20@190 buyer 6; Greene Copper, 100@29, 100@28⅞, 100@29, 100@28⅞.

After call—Union Trust, 3@106 Lanston, 10@12¼; Cap. Traction, 3@125¾; Mergenthaler, 10@188⅞, 10@190, 3@190, 10@189½, 10@189¾, 10@189¾, 10@189¾.

RAILROAD BONDS.	Bid.	Asked.
Capital Traction R. R. 6's	108	...
Met. R. R. 5's, 1925	119¾	119¾
Met. R. R. Cert. indebtedness A	107	109
Met. R. R. Cert. indebtedness B	107	109
Columbia R. R. 6's, 1914	123	...
Columbia R. R. 2d mort. 5's	108	111
Wash. Street Railway 4's	83	86
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.		
Wash. Gas Co., ser A. 6's 1902-27	110	...
Wash. Gas Co., ser B, 6's 1904-'27	110	...
U. S. Elec. Light, Deb. Imp, 1902	106	...
U. S. Elec. Light, Cert. Indebt	106	...
Ches. & Pot. Tel., Com, 5's	107½	107
American Security & Trust, 4's	100	...
Wash. Market Co., 1st 6's, 1892-1911, Q. J.	108½	...
$7,000 retired annually.		
Masonic Hall Ass'n 5's, C, 1908	104	...
American Graphophone Deb. 5's	94½	...
SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST STOCKS.		
National Safe Deposit and Trust	170	...
Washington Loan and Trust	220	240
American Security and Trust	218	230
Washington Safe Deposit	58	...
Union Trust and Storage	105¼	...
Wash. Savings Bank	100	110
RAILROAD STOCKS.		
Capital Traction	125½	126
Wash. Street Ry. pf.	...	57
Wash. Street Ry. com	18	...
NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.		
Bank of Washington	375	...
Metropolitan	700	...
Central	250	...
Farmers and Mechanics'	240	...
Second	170	...
Citizens'	150	183
Columbia	190	...
Capital	150	...
West End	136	...
Traders'	150	155
Lincoln	124	135
Riggs	725	775
INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Firemen	25	50
Franklin	49½	...
Metropolitan	75	90
Corcoran	72	...
Potomac	62	...
Arlington	30	32
German American	265	...
National Union	7¾	9
Columbia	11	12
Riggs	8	8¾
People's	6	9
Commercial	5	...
Colonial	90	100
TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Real Estate Title	88	91
Columbia Title	4½	5
Washington Title	2	4
TELEPHONE AND GRAPHOPHONE STOCKS.		
Chesapeake and Potomac	45	46¼
American Graphophone	4⅝	5
American Graphophone, pfd	8¾	9¾
GAS STOCKS.		
Washington Gas	73	75½
Georgetown Gas	75	...
TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.		
Mergenthaler Linotype	189¼	189¾
Lanston Monotype	12	12¾
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
Greene Copper	28¾	29
Washington Market	16	...
Norfolk & Washington	180	...

THE CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—Wheat was very weak on a rather formidable array of bearish news, but recovered some of the lost ground later, and closed fairly steady for distant months, though showing some little loss for September. Foreign markets were easier; the weather both at home and abroad was very fine; the world's shipments ran up to 11,276,000 bushels, against 7,478,000 bushels a year ago. Primary market receipts today were 1,300,000 bushels, against 1,962,000 bushels the corresponding day last year. Out of 286 cars received here today only one was contract. Estimates for tomorrow, 400 cars. The seaboard reported export sales at 62 loads, which contributed to the strength at the close.

Corn was very weak early, but distant months closed at a slight net gain for the day, and the September recovered ½ cent of the lost ground. Cash corn declined 2½ cents on account of increased offerings by the country, mainly Illinois. Actual receipts for the day were 125 cars, or ten more than expected. Estimates for tomorrow, 290 cars. Smaller shipments in September continued to cover. The local trade estimates were that 500,000 bushels of old corn had been bought at country points over Sunday on the bids sent out from here Saturday night.

Oats were weak early, but recovered later. September closed at a net gain of ⅛ cent over Saturday's last price, while the more distant months showed very small losses. The trade was not large, but the early selling was evidently overdone. Cash oats were ½ to 1 cent lower. Local receipts were very large, at 409 cars, with 27 standard. There were also fifteen cars of standard oats out of private elevators. The visible supply increased 1,159,000 bushels, and the local stock 526,000 bushels last week.

Provisions were generally easier, although the close showed only a slight net loss for most of the distant months and slight gains for September lard. There was fair selling today by the same firm that was the most prominent on the buying side Saturday. Most of the selling was by commission houses, while the buying was by pit traders and packers. The weak start was because receipts of hogs were 7,000 more than expected, and prices were 5 to 10 cents lower. The week's exports were also less than a year ago.

The following are the quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saty.
WHEAT.					
Sept.	71½	71⅞	70¾	71⅛	71⅝
Dec.	68	68	67⅝	67¾	67¾
May	69½	69¾	69 1-16	69⅜	69½
CORN.					
Sept.	57¾	59¾	56	57¼	58½
Dec.	42⅜	42¾	42	42⅝	42⅞
May	39¼	39 7-16	39	39⅜	39¼
OATS.					
Sept.	34	34	33¼	34	33⅞
Dec.	31	31	30½	30¾	31⅛
May	31	31⅛	30¾	31	31⅛
LARD.					
Oct.	9.72½	9.77½	9.72½	9.72½	9.80
Jan.	8.35	8.37½	8.35	8.35	8.40
RIBS.					
Oct.	9.95	10.00½	9.95	10.00	10.00
Jan.	7.85	7.90	7.85	7.87½	7.90
PORK.					
Oct.	16.95	16.95	16.00	16.95	16.97½
Jan.	14.92½	14.95	14.90	14.90	14.97½

The New York Quotations.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—The following quotations were recorded upon the produce exchange today:

Cash grain—No. 2 red quoted at 2c over December, f. o. b. afloat, to arrive, export; No. 1 northern Duluth, 3½c over September, to arrive; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal; No. 2 corn, 70c, f. o. b. afloat, export; No. 2 white, 72c, and yellow, 72c; No. 2 oats, new, 34c; No. 2 Western rye, 59¾c, f. o. b. afloat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
WHEAT.					
Sept.	75 3-16	75½	75⅛	75½	75¾
Dec.	72 13-16	72⅞	72 11-16	73⅛	73⅜
May	74½	74½	74 1-16	74½	74¾
CORN.					
Sept.	67	67	65¾	65¾	68⅛
Dec.	47⅞	48¾	47¾	48⅜	48⅛
May	44⅜	44⅜	44⅛	44⅜	44½
OATS.					
Dec.	35¼	35½	35¼	35½	36
May	—	—	—	35½	36

No. 2 red, 75¼, f. o. b. afloat.
No. 1 northern Duluth, 79, f. o. b. afloat.
No. 2 corn, 70, f. o. b. afloat.

Washington Grain Market.

Quoted by S. S. Daish & Sons, proprietors Washington Grain Elevators.

Mixed oats, per bushel.....35@36
White oats, per bushel.....37@38
Clipped white oats, per bushel.....38@39
Shelled corn, yellow, per bushel.....70@71
Ear corn, per bbl.....$3.35@3.65
Bran, per ton.....$18.50@19.00
Cut hay, per ton.....$16.50@17.00
Rye straw, per ton.....$15.00@16.00
Wheat straw, per ton.....$8.00@8.50
Yellow meal, per bushel.....66@67
Cracked corn, per bushel.....67@68
White meal, per bushel.....68@69
No. 1 long hay, per ton.....$17.00@18.00
Mixed long hay, per ton.....$14.50@15.50

THE COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Prices of cotton declined, owing to heavy selling by exporters against spot purchases at the South, large receipts, declining spot markets, Texas rains, more favorable crop reports from some sections and general liquidation, partly on stop orders. Liverpool and the South sold freely, and Greek and other important interests also sold heavily, and rumors were not wanting that certain Wall Street interests, or at any rate some of their following, were likewise selling. Some doubt this, however. Wall Street was supposed to have given support to both New York and Liverpool early in the day.

The market closed easy, with quotations 11 to 19 points lower, as compared with Saturday's closing prices.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
September	8.45	8.45	8.22	8.21@8.22	8.40
October	8.40	8.41	8.18	8.18@8.19	8.37
November	8.29	8.29	8.08	8.15@8.16	8.26
December	8.31	8.31	8.13	8.13@8.14	8.27
January	8.32	8.33	8.15	8.16@8.17	8.29
February	8.11	8.13	8.09	8.06@8.07	8.19
March	8.22	8.24	8.07	8.07@8.08	8.19
April	—	—	—	8.08@8.10	8.19
May	8.25	8.25	8.09	8.09@8.10	8.23

BALTIMORE PRICE CURRENT.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 8.—The following were today's quotations in the local wholesale grain and provision markets:

Flour—The market was quiet. Winter Extra, $2.90@3.10; Winter Clear, $3.20@3.30; Winter Straight, $3.30@3.50; Winter Patent, $3.70@3.85; Spring Clear, $3.10@3.30; Spring Straight, $3.55@3.70; Spring Patent, $3.75@4.00; City Mills Best Patent, $4.50; City Mills High-Grade Patent, $4.40; City Mills High-Grade, Straight, $4.00; City Mills Choice Family, $3.75; City Mills Super, $2.90@3.00; Rio Extra, $3.60@3.70; rye flour, medium to choice, $3.20@3.50.

Rye—Market was steady. Stock in elevators, 63,117 bus; No. 2 spot, in carloads, 55½@56c; No. 3 rye, 54@54½c; No. 4 rye, 53c; No. 2 Western rye, 56½@57c, in export elevators.

Hay—Market was quiet. Old No. 1 timothy, large bales, $17.00 sales; do, small, $17.00 sales; No. 2 timothy, $16.00@16.50; No. 3 timothy, $14.00@14.50; No. 1 clover mixed, $15.00@15.50; No. 2 clover mixed, $13.00@14.00; No. 1 clover, $12.50@13.00; No. 2 clover, $11.00@12.00.

Straw—Market was quiet. Straight rye, fair to prime, $12.50@13.00; tangled rye, blocks, $8.50@9.00; wheat, $7.00@7.50; oat straw, common to prime, $9.00@9.50.

Butter—Market was firm. Creamery, separator, extra, 22@23c; extra first, 21@21½c; creamery first, 20@21c; do, imitation extra, 19@19½c; Iowa and N. W. ladle, extra, 19c; do, extra first, 18@18½c; Elgin creamery prints, ½-lb, 25@25½c; do, 1-lb, 24@24½c; do, 2-lb, 24c; Maryland and Pennsylvania creamery prints, ½-lb, 24c; 1-lb, 23@24c.

Eggs—The market is steady. Strictly fresh (candled), 20@21c; Western, 20c.

Fish, hard crabs, and clams—The market is steady. Rock, boiling, per lb, 15c; do, medium, per lb, 10@12c; do, pan, per lb, 10c; white perch, large, per lb, 10@12c; do, medium, per lb, 4@8c; perch, yellow, per lb, large, 5@6c; do, medium, per lb, 3@4c; pompanos, 12@15c; mackerel, per lb, 10@12c; flounders, per lb, 4@5c; starfish, per lb, 3@4c; catfish, per lb, 3@4c; green pike, native, per lb, 10@12c; gray trout, per lb, large, 4@5c; do, small, 2@3c; eels, per lb, 4@5c; tailors, large, per lb, 4@5c; do, small, 2@3c; clams, per 100, 50c; hard crabs, per flour bbl, $1.50@1.75; soft crabs, per doz, as to size, 25@35c; oysters, bulk stock, per bus, 65@85c.

Green fruits and vegetables—Market was about steady. Apples, Early Harvest, per bbl, fancy, 75@90c; do, per bbl, fair to good, 50@65c; do, per bus box, 20@25c; do, New York, per bbl, $1.75@2.25; beets, native, per bunch, 1½@2c; cabbage native, per 100, Flat Dutch, $1.50@2.00; cantaloupes, Anne Arundel Gems, per bas, ripe, 30@35c; do, green, 15@20c; do, 100, large, $2@2.50; do, Eastern Shore, per carrier, 25@50c; celery, New York, per doz, 25@40c; corn, native, per doz, sugar, 6@8c; do, field, 5@7c; crabapples, Maryland and Virginia, per box, 30@50c; cucumbers, Anne Arundel, per bas, 10@15c; egg plants, native, per 100, 45@50c; damsons, Maryland and Virginia, per full bbl, $6@6.50; do, per bus box, $1.50@1.75; do, per peach bas, $1@1.25; do, per bucket, 50c; grapes, Niagara, per 5-lb bas, 14@15c; do, Concord, Western Maryland, per 5-lb bas, 12@13c; lettuce, native, per bus box, 25c; lima beans, native, per bus box, 45@50c; onions, Maryland and Pennsylvania, yellow, per bus, 70@75c; peaches, Eastern Shore, Maryland, per box, ordinary, 30@40c; do, per box, fancy red, 40@60c; do, per bas, medium, 30@35c; do, per bas, fancy yellow, 35@45c; do, per box, 40@60c; do, pie fruit, per bas, 20@25c; do, per box, 30@40c; do, White Heath, per box, 60c@$1; do, Mountain, per bas, yellows, 40@75c; do, per 10-lb bas, 20@30c; pears, Maryland and Virginia, per box, common, 30@40c; do, per bas, Bartlett, 30@40c; do, per box, Bartlett, 50@65c; do, per bas, Seckel, 25@35c; do, per box, Duchess, 25@35c; do, per bas, Duchess, 20@25c; do, per bas, Howells, 30@40c; plums, New York, per bas, 15@30c; pumpkins, native, each, 4@5c; string beans, native, per bus, green, 25@30c; tomatoes, Potomac, per peach bas, 15@20c; do, Rappahannock, per bushel box, 25@35c; do, ⅝ bas, 15c; do, Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, per bas, 15@17c; do, Anne Arundel, per ⅝ bas, 15@20c; do, per measured bus, 35@40c; watermelons, selects, per 100, $12@15; do, primes, per 100, $6@9; do, seconds, per 100, $4@5; do, culls, per 100, $2@3.

Groceries—Raw sugar firm; refined steady. Per 100-lb lots: Granulated, $4.75; cut-loaf, $5.25; Keystone "A," $4.75; yellow sugars, $3.80 to $4.05. Molasses—N. O., St. Clare, 35c; Kingsland, 30c; Sunlight, N. O., 26c; St. Vincent, P. R., 25c; St. Johns, P. R., 19c; No. 12 Sugar House, 18c. Syrups—Market was steady; Gold Medal, 27c; King (Vanilla), 29c; Rock Candy Drips, 27c; Gilt Edge, 25c; Corn, 22c; No. 12, 17c. Tea was firm; Hyson, superior to fine, 28@32c; choice to choicest, 42@46c; uncolored Japan (new crop), finest, 31@33c; choice to choicest, 32@34c; extra choice, 46c; Oolong, Amoy and Fuchow (new crop), finest, 40@43c; choice to choicest, extra finest, 30@40c.

Poultry—Market steady. Old fowls, 12c; spring chickens, 13@13½c; ducks, 9@10c; spring ducks, 10@11c; roosters each, 25@30c.

Green coffee—Market firm. No. 7 (Rio grade), 5¾c.

Package brands—E. L. C., 100-lb cases, 10½c; 60-lb cases, 10.60c; 36-lb cases, 10.70c; Lion Coffee, in 100-lb lots, 10.18c; in 60-lb lots, 10.28c.

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