THE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

The Fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade Were Extremely Slight.

There Was No News to Influence Either Speculative Judgment or Prices.

Transactions in the Financial Circles of Wall Street---The General Quotations.

Special to the Globe.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 11.—According to the inspection sheets this morning, the receipts for grain of all kinds for Sunday and Monday were 1,578 cars, of which 194 cars were wheat, 896 cars were corn, and 368 were oats. The receipts of hogs were 18,000 head. The grain markets opened a shade off and seemingly rather weak, especially wheat and oats. Provisions were dull and steady, with a firm undertone, and the market remained featureless throughout nearly the whole of the forenoon, with a very light business passing. Fluctuations in wheat and corn were within limits and outside orders were not numerous. Wheat is too low for the bears to stay short, and it does not display vitality enough to stimulate bulls. Speculation, stagnation, or at best, light scalping markets, are the result. Wheat has been clubbed for so long a time that it's afraid to lift its head. There has not been a year in the past decade when millers have been so generally busy and when they have been so profitably employed as this fall.

THERE IS A GOOD NIBBLING

for export at Western points these days, but advancing lake and ocean freights act as a bar to activity in the shipping line. The product of the wheat finds ready sale, however, and at good prices. The range of prices to-day was 72⅛@72½c for December and 77½@77⅞c for May, with the highest quotation near the close. Corn was exceedingly dull in a speculative way, though the cash market ruled active and firm.

Receipts were large, but the movement is on a diminishing scale, to-morrow's estimates being under 400 cars. The shipping demand keeps up well, and stocks do not accumulate. The bulls may not be making any money, but neither are the bears, and unless a bear gets quick returns he is disgusted. The bull who can keep even is happy. During the forenoon November ranged 41⅞@42¼c and May 44¾@45¼c.

Oats were steady and provisions are almost stagnant. Price changes are so slight that hardly a ripple can be seen on the waters. Lake engagements to-day, 65,000 bu of corn, 400,000 bu of oats and 25,000 bu of flax seed.

THE ROUTINE REPORT.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—A market with the slightest possible fluctuations and without news or happenings sufficient to influence either judgment or prices was what the grain traders had to struggle with during the greater part of the morning session. The opening in wheat was fractionally lower. The first public cable gave spot grain and futures steady with unchanged prices. Receipts here exactly fulfilled the estimate of 195 cars, of which 140 cars were spring and 16 graded No. 2, but of these 11 cars were old wheat, leaving but 5 cars of contract grade in the 129 cars of new spring arriving. Late foreign markets firmed the market and sent some local shorts to cover during the last half hour of the morning session, resulting in a gain of ⅛c in November and ⅜c in December and May from opening figures. The close was strong at the highest point of the day, which was touched just as the bell tapped. November, 70⅝c; December, 72⅛c; May, 77⅞c. The corn market was generally dull. There was not a large business in a speculative way, and of the news the good about offset the bad in such manner as to cause but little change in prices, the entire range of the day being about ⅜c. The speculative market for October shared in the general dullness today, and trading all through the regular session was of light scalping order and almost entirely local. In provisions there were no developments to relieve the monotony of a dull day. Trading in both cash and future property was restricted; fluctuations were confined to limits too narrow to awaken any interest and the market failed to receive even ordinary attention. Dullness was the most prominent, if not the only feature apparent, yet the feeling was strong, and excepting lard and short ribs for cash and near delivery, yesterday's prices were well supported.

THE QUOTATIONS.

The leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat—No. 2 October, opened at 69¼c, closing at 69½c; November, 70¾, closing at 70¾c; December, 72½c, closing at 72⅜c; January, 72⅝c, closing at 72⅞c. Corn—No. 2, October opened at 42⅛c, closing at 42⅛c; November, 42c, closing at 42⅛c; December, 41⅝, closing at 41¾c; May 45c, closing at 45¼c. Oats—No. 2 October opened at 25¾c, closing at 25¾c; November, 26c, closing at 26c; May, 29⅝c, closing at 29¾c. Mess Pork, per bbl—Year opened at $12, closing at 12c; January, $12.30, closing at $12.27½. Lard, Per 100 lbs—October opened at $6.40, closing at $6.37½; November, $6.32½, closing at $6.30; January, $6.40, closing at $6.37½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs.—October opened at $7.25, closing at $7.22½; January, $6.25, closing at $6.22½. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Steady, unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 69⅜@68⅝c; No. 3 spring, 66@66½c; No. 2 red, 72c. Corn—No. 2, 42⅜c. Oats—No. 2, 25¾c. Rye—No. 2, 49c. Barley, No. 2, 66c. Flaxseed—$1.07; prime timothy seed, $2.23; mess pork, per bbl., $13.50@14; lard per 100 lbs., $6.42½; short ribs, sides, (loose) $7.25; dry salted shoulders, (boxed) 5.60@5.70; short clear sides, (boxed) $7.70@7.75. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.10. Receipts—Flour, bbls., 26,000; wheat, bu., 55,000; corn, bu., 416,000; oats, bu., 267,000; rye, bu., 7,000; barley, bu., 93,000. Shipments—Flour, bbls., 28,000; wheat, bu., 13,000; corn, bu., 294,000; oats, bu., 92,000; rye, bu., 1,000; barley, bu., 18,000. On the produce exchange to-day the butter market was steady; creamery, 18@26c; dairy, 16@22c. Eggs, fresh northern, 17@17½c.

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Duluth Wheat.

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 11.—There was little new in wheat today. Gossip was scarce, and the movement showed little change from other days of late. Business here was good with prices fluctuating frequently, but in narrow range. There were a good many sellers on the market most of the morning. At the close little was doing. Prices were easy, but at a slight advance were inside figures. The receipts this morning do not show up so well here as was expected from the number of cars on track yesterday morning. They were very liberal, however. The receipts at four spring wheat points were 503,891 bu, and shipments 250,225 bu. With Minneapolis and Milwaukee mills busy. This movement does not show any accumulation at these points. Winter wheat points receipts were light, reaching only 121,020 bu, while shipments from the same points were 185,982 bu. Seaboard points received 306,924 bu, while clearances were only 32,916 bu. Foreign markets were all quiet. Liverpool reports wheat rather weak and corn in fair inquiry. Paris wheat and flower were unchanged. English country markets were unchanged and French slow. cargoes off coast were quiet and on passage in very little inquiry. Cash wheat, No. 1 hard, closed at 71c nominal. Sales were: No. 1 hard, 71c; No. 1 Northern, 67½c; No. 2 Northern, 64½c; No. 3, 61c; October sold at 71c, neglected later; November sold at 71¼c, neglected at the close; December opened at 72⅜c, dropped back to 72c, fluctuated from that up to 72¼c for the same time, closing at 72¼c bid. May opened at 78⅞c, declined to 78⅝c, fluctuated and finally closed at 78⅝c bid. Afternoon Board—The market was very quiet but firm. December sold and closed at 72¼c; May closed at 78¾c.

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New York Produce.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Flour—Receipts, 38,194 packages; exports 10,519 bbls, 14,313 sacks; weak; sales, 209,00 bbls. Wheat—Receipts, 284,900 bu; exports, 7,993 bu; sales, 3,128,000 bu futures, 402,000 bu spot; options variable, less active and irregular; opening steady, later declined ⅛@¼c, toward the close advanced ¼@⅜c on covering, closing steady; spot lots steady and fairly active, mainly for storing purposes; No. 2 spring, 82⅜@82⅝c; ungraded red, 81@84½c; No. 2 red, 82c elevator, 81¾@81½c store, 82½@84c delivered, latter fancy; No. 1 red, nominal at 87½c; No. 1 white nominal at 87½c; No. 2 red October, 80⅞@81c, closing at 81c; November, 81½@81 11-16c, closing at 81⅝c; December, 82 9-16@83c, closing at 83⅛@83¼c; May, 88¼@84⅛c, closing at 88⅛c; May, 88¼c, closing at 88¼c; June, 88⅛c, closing at 88¼c; December, 92⅜@93c, closing at 93c. Corn—Receipts, 194,700 bu; exports, 48,580 bu; sales, 896,000 bu futures, 213,000 bu spot; lower and fairly active, closing easy; ungraded, 51½@53c; No. 2, 52@52½c, store, 52½@52¾c elevator; No. 2, October, 51⅝@51⅞c, closing at 51⅝c; November, 51⅝@51⅞c, closing at 51¾c; December, 51⅞@52⅛c, closing at 52c; January, 51¾@51⅞c, closing at 51⅞c; May, 52⅜@52½c, closing at 53c. Oats—Receipts, 120,000 bu; exports 1,063; sales 340,000 bu futures, 1,000 bu spot; 1@¼c lower; mixed western 32@34c, white do 35@40c. Hay in moderate request. Hops quiet and unchanged. Coffee—Spot Rio firm 19¾c; options firm and moderately active; sales, 38,750 bags; October, $17.45; November, $17.60@17.70; December, $17.70@17.85; January, $17.70@17.80; March, $17.65@17.80; April, $17.65@17.70; May, $17.60@17.70; June, $17.55@17.65; September, $17.2 @17.30; December (1888), $16.75@16.85. Sugar quiet, firm and unchanged; refined quiet; standard "A," 5½@5¾c; powdered, 6 3-16@6¼c; granulated, 6 1-16@6⅛c. Molasses steady; new crop New Orleans, 50@60c to arrive. Petroleum firm; united, 70⅞c. Cotton seed oil quoted at 33c for crude, 43c for refined. Tallow firm. Rosin quiet. Turpentine steady. Eggs in moderate demand; receipts 5,266 packages; Western 15@20c. Wool dull; domestic fleece, 26@34c; pulled, 14@32c; Texas, 26@29c. Pork dull and somewhat nominal; sales, 50 bbls mess. Cut meats firm; pickled shoulders, 5⅞@6c. Lard a shade lower and dull, closing steady; Western steam spot, $6 80@6.82½; October closed at $6.73; November, $6.63@6.64; December, $6.60@6.63; January, $6.67@6.69; city steam, $6.70. Butter firm; Western, 13@26c; Western creamery, 16@26c. Cheese unchanged and dull. Copper steady; lake, 10½c. Lead quiet: domestic, 4½c. Tin firm. Other articles unchanged.

Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 11.—Four firm. Wheat. Steady; cash, 69¾c; November, 70⅜c; May, 77¾c. Corn easier; No. 3, 43c. Oats dull; No. 2 white, 28½c. Rye steady; No. 1, 49c. Barley higher; No. 2, 61½c. Provisions quiet; pork, October, $13.50@14. Lard, October, $6.40; November, $6.30. Butter firm; dairy, 16@18c. Eggs steady; fresh 17½@18c. Cheese steady; cheddars, 10¾@11½c. Receipts—Flour, 9,3 0 bbls; wheat, 96,500 bu; barley, 36,500 bu. Shipments—Flour, 15,000 bbls; wheat, 2,800 bu; barley, 15,500 bu.

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St. Louis Grain.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11.—Wheat opened weak but became firm and closed 4c higher with a fair market. No. 2 red, cash, 70⅝@72c; October, 70⅞@71¼c, closing 71¼c; November, 71⅜@71½c, closing 71½c; December, 72¼@72⅝c, closing 72⅝c; May, 79⅛@79¾c, closing 79½c. Corn weaker; cash, 40@40¼c; October, 39⅝@39¾c, closing 39¾c; November, 38⅝@38⅝c, closing 38½c; December, 38⅝c; May, 41⅝@41⅞c, closing 41¼c. Oats firm; cash, 24@24½c; October, 24c; November, 24½c; May, 28⅝c. Rye, 52 selling. Barley—Iowa, 65@66c; Wisconsin, 65@67c; Minnesota, 60c.

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Toledo Grain.

TOLEDO, Oct. 11.—Wheat firmer; cash, October 75½c; December, 77⅝c; May, 83¾c. Corn—Dull; cash October, 44¾c; May, 46c. Oats—Nominal. Clover seed—Active, and higher; cash October, $4.10; December, $4.20; February, $4.32½. Receipts—Wheat, 46,000; corn, 7,000; oats, 1,000. Shipments—Wheat, 49,000; corn, 18,000.

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Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 11.—Wheat quiet; demand fair; holders offer moderately; California No. 1, 6s 3d@6s 4d per cental; red Western spring, 6s 3d@6s 4d; red Western winter, 6s 3d@6s 4d. The receipts of wheat for the past three days were 79,009 centals, including 52,000 American. Corn firm; nothing offering. The receipts of American corn for the past three days were 12,900 centals.

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FINANCIAL.

New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Money on call easy at 3 to 5 per cent; last loan at 4; closed offered at 4. Prime mercantile paper 6 to 7c. Sterling exchange active and strong at $4.80¼ for sixty-day bills, and $4.84½ for demand.

To-day's stock market was active and strong from the opening almost to the close, leaving prices materially higher than at the close yesterday. Good buying orders early appeared in the room, and while the bears resisted the advance with vigor, the dealings in a few stocks were attended with some excitement and became to a certain extent feverish and irregular. Reading quickly became the special feature by reason of its large transactions and decided strength. Rumors of a settlement with the first fives party were freely circulated; the story that a purchase of the non-assenting bonds by friends of the syndicate being given most prominence. The purchasing power, however, was evidently of a better character than had been seen for some time, while rumors of coming developments were not without their effect. Union Pacific was selected by the bears as the special object of their attacks, and it was forced over 2 per cent., but its influence on the remainder was not of special significance. The weak stocks of yesterday all made material gains, though in few cases were the losses entirely made up. The opening was somewhat irregular, but generally weak, and New York Central was down 1 per cent.; the market was firm from the first sales, however, and while the gains were confined to fractions, steady progress was made. Union Pacific became the one weak spot and in the first hour was depressed 1 per cent. A further advance was brought about in the afternoon and though a slight recession from the best figures was made in the last hour, the close was steady to firm at or near the highest prices of the day. A majority of the active list are higher to-night and while most changes are for fractions only, Reading and Jersey Central are up 1⅝ each, Colorado coal 1⅜ and Pacific Mail 1, while Union Pacific is down 1 lb. Railroad bonds were a shade more active. Sales $774,000. The dealings were irregular, but the general tone was heavy and closing prices are lower in a majority of cases. Louisiana and Missouri river firsts lost 3½ at 119; St. Paul, Wisconsin and Minnesota division 5s 2 at 103; Louisville, New Albany & Chicago consols 3 at 90, and Alton & Terre Haute second incomes 2 at 105. Government bonds were dull but firm, especially for the 4s. State bonds were dull and steady. The total sales of stocks to-day were 388,916 shares, including

D., L. & W.	14,600	N. Y. Central	3,629
Erie	29,945	N. P. pfd.	3,410
Kansas & Tex.	4,060	Oregon Trans.	3,730
Lake Shore	19,800	Reading	134,790
Louisville & N.	14,770	St. Paul	30,840
Mo. Pacific	6,000	Texas Pacific	3,180
Northwestern	11,565	Union Pacific	34,660
N. J. Central	4,600	W. Union	24,465

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CLOSING PRICES.

St. Paul Banks—National German American bank, $1.25 bid, $1.26 asked; St. Paul National bank, $1.11 bid, $1.15 asked; First National bank, $1.82 bid; Second National bank, $2.55 bid; Third National bank, $1.15 asked; Merchants National bank, $1.65 bid, $1.75 asked; Commercial National bank, $1.19 bid, $1.21 asked; Bank of Minnesota, $1.30 bid, $1.40 asked; Capital bank, $1.50 asked; Germania bank, $1.25 bid; The Peoples' bank, $1.10 bid; Seven Corners bank, $1.01 bid, $1.05 asked; West Side bank, $1.01 bid, $1.08 asked; Savings Bank of St. Paul, $1.40 bid; Scandinavian American, $1.01 bid, $1.05 asked; First National bank, Stillwater, $1.10 bid, $1.30 asked; Lumbermans' National bank, Stillwater, $1.25 bid; $1.40 asked.

Minneapolis Banks—Bank of Minneapolis, 110 bid, 130 asked; City bank, 105 bid, 115 asked; the Commercial bank, 103 bid, 112 asked; Union National bank, 102 bid, 105 asked; First National bank, 135 bid; German-American bank, 100 bid, 125 asked; Hennepin County Savings bank, 150 bid; National Bank of Commerce, 105 bid, 115 asked; Nicollet National bank, 106 bid, 120 asked; Northwestern National bank, 125 bid; People's bank, 105 bid, 120 asked; Candia bank, 125 bid, 140 asked; State bank, 107 bid, 110 asked; the Security bank, 130 bid, 140 asked; First National Bank of Morris, 100 asked.

Miscellaneous Stocks—St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance company, 125 bid, 135 asked; St. Paul Trust company, 105 asked; St. Paul Real Estate Title Insurance company, 105 bid, 110 asked; Minnesota Security company (par 50), 32 bid, 55 asked; St. Paul Land company (par 100), 105 asked; Union Land company (par 100), 70 asked; Warrendale Improvement company, 60 bid, 65 asked; Minnesota Scale company, 50 asked; Ramsey County Land and Loan company, 30 bid, 40 asked; St. Anthony Park North company (par 100), 62 asked; West Publishing company (par 50), 57 bid, 60 asked; North St. Paul Land company, 90 asked; Como Heights Land and Improvement company, 100 asked; St. Paul Plow works, 5 bid; Ballard's express, 4½ bid; Minnesota Electric company, 7¾ asked; St. Paul Opera house, 100 bid; Capitol Real Estate & Improvement company, 50 asked; Marvin Land & Loan company, 105 asked.

Mining Stocks—Abacus Iron, .07 asked; Galena Silver, .50 bid, .65 asked; United Iron & Land Syndicate, .16 bid, .23 asked; St. Paul & Dunn Co. Mining company, 3.25 bid, 4.70 asked; Alidor Iron (assessable), .16 bid, 20 asked; Golden Hope (assessable), .15 bid, .35 asked; Creston Iron (assessable), .35 bid, .45 asked; Lochiel Iron Mining company, .45 bid, .50 asked; St. Croix Mining company, 1.25 bid, 1.30 asked.

Quotations of Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Bonds closed at the following prices bid:

U. S. 4s coup	124⅞	Kansas & Texas	22⅜
do 4½s coup	108	Lake Erie & W.	15½
Pac. 6s of '95	121	Lake Shore	91½
La. stamped 4s	87⅝	L. & N.	58⅛
Missouri 6s	101	L. & N. A.	35
Ten. 6s set'mts	103	Memphis & C.	49
do 5s do	101	Michigan Cen.	83½
do 3s do	69¼	Min. & St. L.	2¾
Cen. Pac. 1sts	115	do preferred	23½
Den. & R. G. 1sts	119¾	Mo. Pacific	92¾
D. & R. G. W. 1sts	70	Mobile & Ohio	11½
Erie 2ds	97	*Morris & Essex	138
M. K. & T. gen. 6's	88¾	Nash & Chat.	70½
N. Pac. 1sts	115	N. J. Central	73
do 2ds	98	Nor. & W. pfd	38
N. W. consols	137⅛	Northern Pac.	22
do deb 5s	107¾	do preferred	46⅜
St. L. & S. F. G. M.	113½	Chicago & N. W.	109⅝
St. Paul consols	125	do preferred	139¾
St. P., C. & P. 1sts	117	N. Y. Central	108⅞
Tex. Pac. L. G.	46	Ohio & M.	23
T. P. R. G. ex. c.	62¾	do preferred	85
Union Pac. 1sts	113	Ont. & W.	15⅛
West Shore	98⅞	Or. R'y & Nav.	86
Adams Express	140	Or. Transc'l	18¾
Alton & T. H.	31	do Imp. Co.	38
do preferred	70	Pacific Mail	36⅜
American Ex.	107	Peoria, D. & E.	19½
B., C. R. & N.	35	Pittsburg	152
Canada Pacific	50⅞	Pullman P. Car	149¼
Can. Southern	53⅛	Reading	61¾
Central Pacific	31	Rock Island	114¼
Chesapeake & O.	4	St. L. & S. F.	34
do pfd 1sts	9	do 1st pfd	110
do 2ds	4½	C., M. & St. P.	74½
Chicago & A.	110	do preferred	113½
do preferred	150	St. P., M. & M.	100
C., B. & Q.	131	St. P. & Omaha	40½
C., St. L. & P.	13¾	do preferred	163
do preferred	34⅛	Texas Pacific	22¼
C., S. & C.	56½	Union Pacific	48⅞
Cleveland Col.	50	U. S. Express	68
Delaware & H.	98	Wab., St. L. & P.	16
Del., L. & W.	125¾	do preferred	29½
D. & R. G.	22	Wells-Fargo Ex.	125
Erie	26⅛	W. U. Telegraph	77⅛
do preferred	62	Colorado Coal	33
East Tenn	10½	N. Y., C. & St. L.	16¼
do preferred	55	do preferred	28½
Fort Wayne	149	Mil., L. S. & W.	82¾
Harlem	200	do preferred	104
Houston & Tex.	36	T. C. & I. R'y	23½
Illinois Central	115½	Col's., H. V. & T.	22
Ind., B. & W.	13½	Ft. W. & D.	47¾
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Cin., San. & C.	18	Calumet & Hec.	197
Eastern R. R.	106	Franklin	10
Flint & Pere M.	26½	Osceola	23
do pfd.	97½	Quincy	50
Mex. Cen. com.	13	Bell Telephone	222
do 1st mortg.		Boston Land	7
bonds	66	Water Power	7½
Tamarack	100	S. D. L. Co.	55

NEW YORK.

Amador	120	Mono	160
Bodie	100	Savage	750
Brunswick	155	Standard	150
Caledonia B. H.	140	Sutro Tunnel	34
Eureka	600	Security	100
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Chollar	5 12½	Potosi	5 50
Con. Cal. & Va.	16 62½	Savage	7 75
Crown Point	8 00	Sierra Nevada	*4 12½
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OTHER MARKETS.

Whisky.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 11.—Whisky steady; sales 1,258 bbls; finished goods on basis $1.05.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The movement was much in excess of the demand through forwarding on old engagements. The market was quiet as usual to the date of the season, with the much longer inquiry for spring stocks.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Cotton options showed a less active and finally easier market. Some 3 or 4 points were bid up early in the day with a firm tone for awhile, but weakened after the noon call with rice unloading, under which cost settled off rapidly. At the close rates were 2@3 points below last evening, and the tone only about steady.

Petroleum.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 11.—Petroleum fairly and firm; National Transit certificates opened at 69⅛c; closed at 70⅞c; highest, 70⅞c; lowest, 69⅞c.

BRADFORD, Pa., Oct. 11—National Transit certificates opened at 69¼c; closed at 70⅜c; highest, 70⅜c; lowest 69¼c; clearances, 1,166,000.

TITUSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 11.—National Transit certificates opened at 69c; highest, 71c; lowest, 69c; closed at 70⅞c.

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Buffalo slau sole, extra best, 30c; buSalo slau sole, best, 28c; buffalo Spanish sole, 25@29c; best oak sole, 35@37c; French calf, 24 to 30 lb, $1.20@1.90; French calf, 30 to 36 lb, $1.20@1.65; French kip, 60 to 80 lb, 85@$1.10; hemlock calf, 90@$1; hemlock kip veal, 70@90c; hemlock upper, per foot, 23@25c; hemlock collar, per foot, 17@19c; hemlock harness 0@32c; oak harness, 33@37c; roans, per doz, $8.50@12; pinks, per doz, $9.

Boots and Shoes.

Men's cus. French calf D. S. opera boots, per case, $50; men's cus. French kip D. S. boots, $42; men's cus. calf D. S. opera boots, $42; men's enston calf D. S. split back boots, $36; men's cus. grain crimp, 14-in. D. S. boots, $22; men's cus. grain D. S. boots, $21; misses' cus. calf S. B. pol., $1.65; misses' cus. calf S. B., pol., $1.35; children's cus. calf S. B. pol., $1. Rubber goods 40@55 off from price-list.

Finished Iron and Steel.

Common iron, $2.50; horseshoe iron, $3.50; Swedish iron, 6c; best tool steel, 12c; cast plow steel, 7c; German plow steel, 5c; spring steel, 6c; machine steel, 6c; nails 10 to 60 penny, $2.30; screws, discount, 70 per cent.; barbed wire, painted, $3.75; barbed wire, galvanized, $4.50.

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MINNEAPOLIS.

Chamber of Commerce.

There was less activity than the day before and sellers found difficulty in obtaining previous prices. The better grades of milling wheat held up better than low grades. Samples' tables were fairly well covered, the greater part of the 375 cars being offered, but business was quiet. Shipments were 118 cars. Duluth reported 197 cars.

Following are the closing quotations: No. 1 hard, in store, cash, 70c; November, 70¼c; December, 71½c; May, 77½c; o. t., 72@72½c; No. 1 Northern, in store, cash, 68c; November, 68¼c; December, 69½c; May, 75c; o. t., 68@68½c; No. 2 Northern, in store, cash, 63c; November, 63c; December, 64c; May, 70c; o. t., 63@65c.

Sales included: Two cars No. 1 hard, a 71½c; 7 cars No. 1 hard, 71c; 20 cars No. 1 Northern, 68c; 10 cars No. 1 Northern to arrive, 68c; 10 cars No. 1 Northern, 69c; 10 cars No. 1 Northern, 68½c; 4 cars No. 1 Northern, 67c; 1 car No. 2 Northern, o. t., 64¾c; 1 car No. 2 Northern, 67c; 1 car No. 2 Northern, o. t., 65c; 1 car No. 2 Northern, f. o. b., 66c; 6 cars No. 2 Northern, delivered, 65c; 2 cars No. 3, 64c; 2 cars No. 3, 62c; 1 car sample delivered, 67½c; 1 car sample, delivered, 70c; 3 cars sample, f. o. b., 64c; 4 cars sample, 70c; 2 cars sample, 60c; 1 car sample, 57c; 1 car rejected, o. t., 56c; 1 car rejected, 59½c; 2 cars rejected, 59c; 1 car rejected, 61½c; 1 car no grade, 67c; 1 car no grade, delivered, 64½c; 1 car oats, 23½c; 1 car barley, 45c.

Flour—The Market Record says: The trade flows in an even channel with no new features to-day. A good demand exists, though bakers have, perhaps, the widest inquiry now. There is less inquiry now for stock from the old crop. The new has been tested, and having been found equal to that from old wheat is called for when anything can be secured in the way of a few cents lower price. Some are even giving it preference at the same price, while conservative buyers are still wanting flour from old stock. Patents, sacks to local dealers, $4.15@4.25; patents to ship, sacks, car lots, $4.05@4.15; in barrels, $4.25@4.30; delivered at New England points, $4.90@5.00; New York points, $4.80@4.95; delivered at Philadelphia and Baltimore, $4.75@4.90; bakers' $3.35@3.60; superfine, $1.85@2.50; red dog, sack, $1.50@1.60; red dog, bbls., $1.75@1.85; rye flour, pure, cwt., $1.75.

Feed—Mixed feed selling at $14.25@15 o.t., $15@15.50 f. o. b.

Hay—Wild is going at $9@9.50 for good to choice with anything poorer, ranging under that according to quality. Timothy about $2 under wild.

Bran and Shorts—Bran sells to-day from first hands mostly at about $10.25, though some manufacturers are 25@50c above that. Shorts are going about $11@12 for fine and coarse respectively.

Corn—Quiet at 39@39½c o. t.

Oats—Sales of oats were running about 24@24½c for No. 3 and No. 3 white, No. 2 white went at about 25 and if choice, some at 25½c with a dull feeling.

Barley—Sales slow at 35@50c for ordinary samples without respect to grade.

Flaxseed—Sales at 99c@$1.01. Chicago $1.6½

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LIVE STOCK.

Minnesota Transfer.

The market at Minnesota Transfer yesterday was rather active. The arrivals consisted of 8 cars cattle, 2 cars hogs and 12 cars Western sheep. There was a brisk demand for cattle, but as fast as the yards got cleared out they fill again with new arrivals, and the stock held over is considerable. Hogs were steady at $4.20, and all sold. Sales were:

Cattle— No.		Av. Wt.	Price
20 steers		1,297	$3 25
20 steers		1,296	3 00
100 steers		1,178	2 80
20 steers		1,292	2 80
12 steers		1,066	2 80
9 mixed		2,158	2 40
9 mixed		1,122	2 40
7 mixed		982	2 40
8 mixed		1,000	1 75
9 cows		1,000	1 75
17 cows		822	1 60
Hogs— No.		Av. Wt.	Price
61		278	$4 20
34		264	4 20
61		256	4 20

Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; shipments, 2,000; market strong for best; others dull; shipping steers, $2.85@5; stockers and feeders, $1.80@3.10; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.20@2.70; Texas cattle, $1.50@2.60; Western rangers, $2.10@3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 19,000; shipments, 7,000; market opened higher, closed with advance lost; mixed, $4 2 @4.65; heavy, $4.40@4.75; light, $4.35@4.40; skips, $3.25@4.10. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; shipments, 1,000; market active and 10c higher; natives, $3@4.25; Western, $3@3.65; Texas, $2.50@3.50; lambs, $4.25@5.75.

BLACK WOLF!

Or Black Leprosy, is a disease which is considered incurable, but it has yielded to the curative properties of SWIFT'S SPECIFIC—now known all over the world as S. S. S. Mrs. Bailey, of West Somerville, Mass., near Boston, was attacked several years ago with this hideous black eruption, and was treated by the best medical talent, who could only say that the disease was a species of

LEPROSY—

and consequently incurable. It is impossible to describe her sufferings. Her body from the crown of her head to the soles of her feet was a mass of decay, masses of flesh rotting off and leaving great cavities. Her fingers festered and three or four nails dropped off at one time. Her limbs contracted by the fearful ulceration, and for several years she did not leave her bed. Her weight was reduced from 125 to 60 lbs. Perhaps some faint idea of her condition can be gleaned from the fact that three pounds of Compoline or ointment were used per week in dressing her sores. Finally the physicians acknowledged their defeat by this Black Wolf, and commended the sufferer to her all-wise Creator.

Her husband h