THE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

Weakness in Wheat Partially Offset by Weather Reports and Liberal Buying Orders.

Corn Experiences a Fractional Advance, Oats and Provisions Being Exceptionally Dull.

Financial Operations in the Money Marts---The General Quotations.

Special to the Globe.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—The action of the wheat market was very erratic. December opened at 90½, advanced very slowly to 91¼ cents, declined a trifle, went up to 92 with a bound, then back to 91½ on realizing, up to 92 cents on a second bulge, and again back to 91½ cents. The pit was active and excited on the bulges, and dull when the declines were on. There was no special change in wheat at the close of the regular session, when December rested at 91⅞ or 1⅛c over the lowest and closing point yesterday. There were few, if any, new influences in the corn pit. The trade in futures was governed somewhat as on Tuesday by the demand for cash corn. To this was added on the bull side some reports which gave rise to fear of frost. The market was strong all day, and though the range was narrow, the closing price of October was ⅜c better than last night. Oats were very dull, and at times almost neglected by the speculative trading. In provisions it was dull most of the long session. Pork opened at $14.35 for October, 5c under last night's close, and declined another 10c. January pork sold down to $13.95, closing at $14, with October at $14.40, a loss for the former of 7½c. Lard was quiet and a shade easier. Ribs eased off, under selling by Armour, 10c for the nearer futures. Receipts of grain were 126 cars winter wheat, 67 cars spring, 371 cars corn and 175 cars oats by rail, and 31,100 bu corn and 14,500 bu oats by canal. Withdrawals from store were 40,212 bu winter wheat, 15,205 bu spring, 150,334 bu corn and 61,208 oats.

THE ROUTINE REPORT.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—There was a pretty fair trade in the aggregate in wheat, though at times the market ruled quiet. While the feeling was more or less unsettled, there nevertheless appeared to be more disposition to buy on the recent break. At least, operators manifested more confidence. There was fair outside buying, though some parties were of the opinion that trading was largely on local account. The opening was weak and prices almost immediately touched at put 1⅛@⅛c below yesterday's closing—influenced by the dull and weak foreign advices, reported fine weather abroad and the estimated increase of 1,460,000 bu of wheat on ocean passage. At the reduction, good buying checked further decline. Quite a number of outside orders received, and some buying was credited to foreign account, though the amount was not large, and claimed to have been on Canadian account, taken on for a small reaction. The demand, nevertheless, had a strengthening effect, as did also the report that the French president had submitted resolution to the chamber of deputies asking for a reduction of the duty on wheat. Prices advanced 1½c, then receded ½c and closed ½@⅝c higher than yesterday. At 1 o'clock, near the close, a rumor was circulated that the Canadian government was contemplating the removal of its wheat duty, which caused a scramble to buy and an advance. There were few, if any, new influences in the corn pit. The trade in futures was governed somewhat as on Tuesday, by the demand for cash corn. To this was added on the bull side some reports which gave rise to fear of frost. The market was strong all day, and though the range was narrow, the closing price of October was ⅜c better than last night. Oats were very dull, and at times almost neglected by the speculative trade. In provisions, it was dull most of the long session. Pork opened at $14.35 for October, 5c under last night's close and declined another 10c. January sold down to $13.95, a loss of 7½c. Lard was quiet and a shade easier. October short ribs showed a loss of 15c, which January scored a small gain. At the afternoon session, wheat was irregular; December sold up to 92⅛@92¼c, off to 91⅝c, closing at 91¾c. Corn was quiet and easy, October closing about ¼c lower than 1 o'clock. Oats remained steady. Pork closed 2½c easier for September and October, with January unchanged. Lard was strong for October, which arose 2½c, though January was 2½c easier. Short ribs were quiet and steady, without quotable changes.

THE QUOTATIONS.

The leading quotations ranged as follows: Wheat—No. 2 September closed at 90⅞c; October, 89⅝c, closing at 90⅜c; December, 90½c, closing at 91¾c; May, 95¼c, closing 95⅝c. Corn—No. 2 September opened at 45½c, closing at 45½c; October, 45⅜c, closing at 45⅛c; December, 39⅝c, closing at 39⅝c; May, 39½c, closing at 39⅝c. Oats—No. 2 September opened at 24⅜c, closing at 24⅜c; October, 24⅜c, closing at 24½c; year, 24⅜c, closing at 24⅜c; May, 28⅜c, closing at 28⅝c. Mess Pork per bbl—September closed at $14.37½, October $14.35, closing at $14.37½; year opened at $13.85; January, $14.10, closing at $14. Lard per 100 lbs—September opened at $9.97½, closing at $9.97½; October, $9.97½, closing at $9.97½; year, $8.45, closing at $8.40; January, $8.30, closing at $8.22½. Short ribs per 100 lbs—September opened at $8.70, closing at $8.70; October, $8.77½, closing at $8.70; January, $7.20, closing at $7.17½. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 90½@90⅝c; No. 3 spring, 83@85c; No. 2 red, 93¾c. Corn—No. 2, 45⅜c. Oats—No. 2, 24½c. Rye—No. 2, 54½c. Barley—No. 2, 70@72c. Flax seed—No. 1, $1.28. Timothy seed—Prime, $1.75@1.77. Mess pork, per bbl—$14.37@14.40. Lard, per 100 lbs—$10. Short ribs, (loose)—$8.67½@8.70. Dry salted shoulders (boxed)—$7.62½@7.75. Short clear sides (boxed)—$9@9.25. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gal—$1.20. Sugar—Cut loaf, 8⅛@8⅝c; granulated, 7⅜c; standard A, 7½c. Receipts—Flour, 19,542 bbls; wheat, 157,999 bu; corn, 351,251 bu; oats, 256,253 bu; rye, 21,890 bu; barley, 213,589 bu. Shipments—Flour, 28,321 bbls; wheat, 79,015 bu; corn, 403,171 bu; oats, 136,291 bu; rye, 9,343 bu; barley, 26,958 bu. On the produce exchange to-day, the butter market was steady; creamery, Elgin, 22@23½c; choice Western, 21@22c; dairy, fancy, 16@16½c; fair to good, 15@18½c. Eggs firm; choice Western, 15½@16c½.

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Duluth Grain.

Special to the Globe.

DULUTH, Sept. 12.—Sales of cash wheat were active to-day. No. 1 northern went up to 90@90¾c; No. 2 northern, at 86c; rejected, at 76c. September opened at ¼c up, at 90½c; closed nominally at 90¾c. Sellers Dec ber started ⅜c off to 94⅜c, fell ⅛c, advanced to 95c and closed there. December opened at 93½c, sold at 94¼c, next fluctuated about 94½c, and closed at 94½c bid.

THE DULUTH UNION NATIONAL BANK,
DULUTH, MINN.
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CAPITAL $200,000
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Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 12.—Flour, easier. Wheat, nervous; cash, October, 87⅜c. Corn steady; No. 3, 43½c. Oats steady; No. 2, white, 29c. Rye lower; No. 1, 54½c. Barley unsettled; No. 2, September and October, 67c. Provisions firm; pork, cash and September, $14.40. Lard—Cash, $9.95; October, $9.97½. Butter steady; dairy, 15@17c. Eggs steady; fresh, 14½@15c. Cheese unchanged; cheddars, 8½@9c. Receipts—Flour, 6,000 bbls; wheat, 18,200 bu; barley, 27,800 bu. Shipments—Flour, 16,600 bbls; wheat, 1,700 bu; barley, 7,800 bu.

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St. Louis Produce.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 12.—Flour quiet but firm. Wheat higher; the opening was ½@⅞c lower on dull and easy cables and reports of sharp declines elsewhere, but good buying and improvement in other markets caused a strong feeling and gradual recovery, and the close was strong at 1⅝@1¾c above yesterday. No. 2 red, cash, 91½c; October, 91½c bid; December, 92⅛@92⅜c, closing at 94⅜c; May, 97⅞@98⅜c, closing at 98⅜c bid. Corn higher and firm; No. 2 cash, 42⅜@42½c; October, 41⅝@41¾c, closing at 41¾c; year, 31½c; January, 33⅜@33⅞c, closing at 33¾c; May, 33¾@35⅜, closing at 35¾c. Oats steady and firmer; No. 2 cash, 25@25⅛c; September, 23⅞c; May, 28½c; October, 23⅞c bid; year, 23½c bid. Rye lower; No. 2, 52c. Hay dull. Afternoon Board—Wheat strong and ⅛@¼c higher early, but fell off. Corn was dull. Oats firm.

BANK OF MINNESOTA,
Paid Up Capital $600,000;
Surplus $100,000.
Wm. Dawson, Pres. Robt. A. Smith, V. Pres. Wm. Dawson, Jr., Cashier.

Toledo Grain.

TOLEDO, Sept. 12.—Wheat dull and firm; cash, 93½@94c; October, 94⅜c; November, 95¼c; December, 96½c. Corn dull; cash, 46½c; October, 47c; Oats quiet; No. 2 white, 27⅝c. Clover seed active and higher; cash, October, $5.25; November, $5.40; December, $5.45. Receipts—Wheat, 50,000 bu; corn, 2,000 bu; oats, 18,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 50,000 bu; corn, 3,000 bu; oats, 8,000 bu; cloverseed, 100 bags.

GERMANIA BANK,
(STATE BANK,)
PAID UP CAPITAL, - $400,000.
Surplus and undivided profits, $55,000.
ALEX. RAMSEY, President. WILLIAM BICKEL, Cashier.

Kansas City Grain.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 12.—Wheat stronger; No. 2 red, cash, 75½c bid, 77c asked; October 76½c bid, 77½c asked; December, 81¼c asked; No. 3 red, cash, 73c asked; No. 2 soft, cash, sales at 83@84c. Corn quiet; No 2, cash, 36½c bid; No. 2 white cash sales at 38c. Oats—No. 2, cash, 20½c bid, 20½c asked.

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New York Produce.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Flour, receipts, 33,446 pkgs exports, 3,552 bbls; 12,959 sacks; easy and specially winter grades; moderate business; sales, 17,200 bbls, including—Low extras, $3.05@3.50; winter wheat, low grades, $3.05@3.50; fair to fancy, $3.65@5; do patents, $4.60@5.60; Minnesota clear, $4.75; do straight, $4.15@5.10; do patents, $4.75@5.75; do rye mixtures, $3.75@4.65. Corn meal weaker and more active; yellow Western, $3@3.30. Wheat—Receipts, 162,050 bu; exports, 23,970 bu; sales, 4,920,000 bu futures, 212,000 bu spot. Spot, market unsettled, closing easy; fairly active milling, light export; No. 2 red, 98@98¼c elevator, 98¾@$1.02½ afloat, 99c@$1 f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 91c; No. 4 red, 84c; ungraded red, 78c @$1.02¾; No. 2 Milwaukee, 95¾@96c; No. No. 2 Chicago, 99c; No. 1 hard, $1.08 in store; No. 2 white, nominal, 96@96½c; options opened ⅜@¾c lower, reacted, advanced 1⅛@1¼c on manipulation, closed weaker, but ¼@⅜c above last night; No. 2 red, September closed at 98c; October, 97¾@99c, closing at 98¾c; November, 99c@$1.00¼, closing at $1; December, $1.00¼@1.01½, closing at $1.00⅛; May, $1.04¾@1.06, closing at $1.05½; June, $1.05¼@1.05⅝, closing at $1.05½. Corn—Receipts, 80,900 bu; exports, 116,676 bu; sales, 672,000 bu futures, 143,000 bu spot; spot market less active, ¼c higher and firm; No. 2, 55@55⅛c elevator, 55½@55⅞c afloat; ungraded mixed, 54@55¾c; No. 2 white, 59c; options ¼c higher, moderate business; September, 55@55⅛c, closing at 55c; October, 54⅝@54⅞c, closing at 54¾c; November, 54¾@54⅞c, closing at 54¾c; December, 52⅝@53⅛c, closing at 52⅞c; January, 50⅝@50⅞c, closing at 50¾c. Oats—Receipts, 154,000 bu; exports, 32 bu; sales, 120,000 bu futures, 132,000 bu spot, spot market irregular, less demand; mixed Western, 26@35c; white Western, 28@45c; No. 2 Chicago, 31½c. Hay quiet; choice firm. Hops strong, good demand. Coffee—Options opened steady; closed irregular; moderate business, chiefly local; sales, 80,250 bags, including September, 12.20@12.40c; October, 11.85@11.95c; November, 11.25@11.40c; December, 11@11.15c; January, 10.75@10.90c; February, 10.70@10.80c; March, 10.65@10.75c; April, 10.6 @10.70c, May, 10.60@10.70c; spot rio about steady, quiet and fair; cargoes, 15¼c. Sugar—Raw 1 16c higher; more active; refining, 5⅛c; centrifugals, 96 test, 6⅜c; refined in good demand, firm. Rice fair demand; steady. Petroleum firm and quiet; crude in barrels, 6¾@7⅜c; refined, 7⅞c; United closed at 95c. Cottonseed oil quiet and firm; crude, 41½@42c; yellow, 48c. Tallow strong and quiet, prime city, 5⅜@5½c. Rosin easy and dull; common to good strained, 95c@$1.05. Turpentine steady. Eggs about steady; moderate demand; Western, 17@19c; receipts, 2,810 packages. Pork light demand, steady; mess, $15.25@15.75. Cut meats quiet; pickled bellies, 9½c; pickled hams, 12@12½c; pickled shoulders, 7⅜@8c; middles firm. Lard—Spot, easier and dull; sales, Western steam, $10.35, closing at $10.32½@10.35. Options lower, with lighter short interest, closing steady; sales, September, $10.25, closing at $10.25; October, $10.10@10.14, closing at $10.14; November, $9.44@9.46, closing at $9.46; December, $8.78@8.80, closing at $8.78. Butter firm on fair and fair demand; Western creamery, 14@23c; Western dairy, 13@15c. Cheese—Western, 7¼@8¼c. Copper dull; lake, $17.50. Lead quiet; domestic, $5. Tin easy; straits, $23.

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Michael Defiel, Vice President.
C. A. Hawks, Asst. Cashier

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 12.—Wheat dull and lower, and holders offer freely; Californian, No. 1, 8@8½s 9d per cental; red western spring, 8s 8d@7s 9d per cental. Corn firm; demand fair.

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FINANCIAL.

New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Money on call easy at 1½@2 per cent; closed offered at 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@6½. Sterling exchange dull but steady at $4.84⅜ for sixty-day bills and $4.88 for demand. Clearings, $104,213,309; balances, $5,408,301. The stock market was somewhat less active today and irregular, unsettled and feverish throughout with the general tendency of prices in a downward direction. The uncertainty in regard to the St. Paul dividend was the controlling cause of the unsettled feeling, and there was a marked indisposition to make new ventures while old accounts were closed up in many cases on both sides of the account. There was considerable pressure to sell in the early dealings, which was directed principally against the Grangers, and the rest of the list sympathized closely with the movement. A reaction was brought about by the receipt of the rumor that the Chicago, Burlington & Northern had agreed to join the Central Traffic association, but the effect of this was afterwards neutralized by the denial of the rumor and the report from Chicago that the Western connections of the Pennsylvania had reduced rates on grain, which put a damper on the bullish feeling. There was very little movement in the usually active list, except the Grangers through New England was more active than usual and was conspicuously well held when the rest of the list were weak and declining. There was a great deal of talk on the stock, but the general belief was that the shorts in it were being twisted, though the stock fluctuated only ⅝ per cent for the entire day. The coal stocks were quiet throughout and attracted very little attention, while the most marked movements were in the low priced shares, and Chesapeake & Ohio was specially active and strong, each kind of stock raising nearly 2 per cent. London prices came higher this morning, and the foreigners were buyers at the opening, which made first figures from ⅛ to ⅜ per cent above last evening's prices, but the pressure to sell quickly forced the list off, the grangers taking the lead though Lackawanna and Lake Shore were also weak. The movement was over, however, before the end of the first hour and some of the specialties were strong all the way out. On the rally which followed before noon the Northwestern led the advance and most of the list were brought up to the neighborhood of first prices, but the subsequent movements were slightly and irregular and in the last hour the market became quite dull throughout and the close was dull and heavy at small declines for the day. The final changes are almost invariably in the direction of lower figures, though Hocking Valley, which lost 1¼ per cent, was the only important decline. The railroad bond market was fairly active, the total sales reaching $1,672,000, out of which $102,000 were in Fort Worth & Denver firsts, $125,000 in West Shore fours and $107,000 in Green Bay incomes. The tone of the market was strong almost throughout, and while there were some declines most of the list are materially higher this evening. The features of the trading beside the issues named were the Chesapeake & Ohio issues and the Reading incomes. Houston & Texas general after rose 2 to 72½; New Jersey Midland firsts 2 to 115, and Richmond & Allegheny receipts 2 to 59. Among the losses was Pensacola & Atlantic firsts, 2 at 94, and Omaha & St. Louis firsts 1 at 72. State bonds were quiet and strong. Government bonds were quiet strong. State bonds were entirely neglected.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 274,825 shares, including:

Del., Lac. & W.	11,390	Reading	17,500
Erie	8,171	St. Paul	26,145
Lake Shore	12,810	Texas Pacific	7,670
Nor. & W. pfd.	1,378	Union Pacific	5,670
N. Pacific	3,078	Western Union	18,060
North'n P. pfd.	8,720	Northwestern	7,155
Oregon Trans	17,170		

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Quotations of Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Stocks and bonds closed at the following prices bid:

U. S. 4s reg	128¼	Hocking Valley	35
do 4s coup	129¼	Houston & Tex	19
do 4½s reg	106¾	Illinois Central	120
do 4½s coup	106¾	Ind., B. & W	19
Pac 6s of '95	121	Kansas & Texas	15¼
La stamped 4s	90	Lake Erie & W	18½
Missouri 6s	100	do preferred	53¾
Tenn. new set. 6s	102	Lake Shore	98⅜
do 5s	90	Louisville & N	60¼
do 3s	69¾	Louis. & N. A	40
Can. So. 2ds	91¾	Memphis & C	55
Can. Pacific 1sts	114⅞	Mich. Central	86¼
D. & R. G. 1sts	121	Mil. L. S. & W	53
do 4s	78	do preferred	90
D. & R. G. W. 1sts	81	Mpls. & St. L	7
Erie 2ds	101	do preferred	16
M., K. & T. G. 6s	67¼	Missouri Pacific	82⅞
do 5s	62	Mobile & Ohio	10
Mut. Union 6s	96¾	Nashv. & Chatt.	84¾
N. J. C. int. cert.	105⅜	N. J. Central	90
N. Pac. 1sts	116	Nor. & W. pfd	57⅜
do 2ds	112½	Northern Pac	28¾
N. W. consols	142½	do preferred	63
do deb. 5s	111½	Northwestern	115¼
Or. & Trans. 6s	102	do pfd, ex div.	143½
St. L. & I. M. G. 5s	86	N. Y. Central	109
St. L. & S. F. G. M.	115½	N. Y., C. & St. L.	18⅞
St. Paul consols	125	do preferred	72
St. P. C. & P. 1sts	118	Ohio & Miss	25⅜
T. P. L. G. T. R.	94	do preferred	79
T. P. R. G. T. R.	43⅞	Ontario & West	17¾
Union P. 1sts	113½	Oregon Imp	69
West Shore	103¼	Oregon Nav	95¾
Adams Express	145	Oregon Transc'l	30¾
Alton & T. H	47½	Pacific Mail	37
do pfd	85	Peoria, D. & E.	26½
Am. Express	110	Pittsburg	154
B., C. R. & N	20	Pullman P. Car	172
Canada Pacific	57	Reading	53½
Canada South'n	52¼	Rock Island	111½
Central Pacific	36	St. L. & San F.	32⅝
Ches. & Ohio	18⅝	do preferred	71⅝
do 1sts pfd	16½	do 1st pfd	112½
do 2ds pfd	17	St. Paul	71½
Chi. & Alton	132	do preferred	111¼
C. B. & Q.	113	St. Paul. M. & M.	106⅝
C. St. L. & P	16½	St. Paul & O	41
do preferred	38¾	do preferred	108
Chi., Sant. & Cle.	63	Tenn. Coal & I.	32¼
Cleveland & Col.	60	Texas Pacific	26
Del. & Hudson	119	T. & O. C. pf'd	45
Del., Lack & W.	143½	Union Pacific	60⅞
Denver & R. G.	20½	U. S. Express	79
East Tenn	10¼	W., St. L. & P.	15
do 1st pfd	69	do preferred	27⅜
do 2d pfd	21¾	Wells-Fargo Ex.	138
Erie	29⅛	Western Union	84½
do pfd	66	Am. Cotton Oil	38¾
Fort Wayne	152½	Colorado Coal	37½
Ft. Worth & D.	25		

E. R. BARDEN,
GRAIN COMMISSION,
Wheat, Corn, Oats, Barley, Baled Hay,
14 Chamber of Commerce, St. Paul.

LOCAL MARKETS.

St. Paul.

Wheat is considerably off in Eastern markets, but the prices here are kept up to the advance noted two or three days ago. Corn unchanged. Oats were firm, and No. 2 mixed and No. 2 white advanced ½c. "Millstuffs quiet. Hay very dull and very weak. Eggs steady. The call:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 96c bid; No. 1 northern, 91½c bid; No. 2 northern, 89c bid.

Corn—No. 2, 43c bid; 44½c asked; September, 41c bid.

Oats—No. 2, mixed, 26c bid; No. 2 white, 27c bid; No. 3, 26c bid.

Barley—No. 2, 55c bid: No. 3, 40c bid.

Ground Feed—$16.25 asked.

Corn Meal—Unbolted, $16.25 asked.

Bran—Bulk, $10.50 bid.

Hay—No. 1, $6.25 asked; No. 1, upland prairie, $7 asked; timothy, $9.50 asked.

Flax Seed—$1.18 bid.

Eggs—15½c bid; 16c asked.

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Local receipts were 220 cars on all roads, and 82 cars were shipped out. City and county millers were in the market for grain to grind, but were holding off for lower figures, claiming that a 5c drop in outside markets should weaken prices here some. Sales were effected at a slightly lower range, but for old wheat very little reduction was made. Duluth reported 40 cars on track. Following are the closing quotations: No. 1 hard, cash, in store, 98c; September, 98c; October, 98¼ old, on track, 99c; new, 95½; No. 1 northern, cash, in store, 96c; September, 96c; October, 96c; old, on track, 97c; new, 92@93c; No. 2 northern, cash, in store, 92½c; September, 92½c; October, 92½c; old, on track, 94c; new, 88@89c.
Note—Sales are of new wheat unless specified.
Sales included: 60,000 bu October No. 1 hard, 94½c; 20,000 Nov. No. 1 northern, 92c. Car lot sales by samples: 2 cars No. 1 hard, o. w. b., 96½c; 1 car No. 1 hard, o. t., 95½c; 2 cars No. 1 hard, f. o. b., 96c; 2 cars No. 1 hard, f. o. b., 96¼c; 1 car No. 1 hard delivered, 95½c; 3 cars No. 1 hard f. o. b., 99c; 1 car No. 1 northern, 92c; 2 cars No. 1 northern, o. t., 91½c; 1 car No. 1 northern, f. o. b., 93½; 2 cars No. 1 northern, o. w. b., 93c; 8 cars No. 1 northern, f. o. b., 93c; 1 car No. 1 northern, delivered, 93c; 1 car No. 1 northern, f. o. b., 92½c; 1 car No. 1 northern, delivered, 93½c; 4 cars No. 1 northern, delivered, 92½c; 1 car No. 1 northern, f. o. b., 93c; 1 car No. 2 northern, delivered, 89c; 2 cars No. 2 northern, f. o. b., 88½c; 1 car No. 2 northern,, 88c; 1 car No. 2 northern, old, 92c; 2 cars No. 2 northern, f. o. b., 98c; 2 cars No. 2 northern, 88½; 2 cars No. 2 northern, o. w. b., 90c; 2 cars No. 3, delivered, 86; 1 car No. 3, delivered, 84½c; 1 car rejected, delivered, 81c; 1 car rejected, delivered, 76½c; 2 cars sample, delivered, 91½c; 2 cars no grade, o. t., 73c; 1 car no grade, 85¾c; 3 cars frosted, 8c; 1 car oats, 26c; 1 car hay, $6; 1 car oats, 27c; 1 car oats, 26½c; 1 car no grade, 84c.
Flour—The demand for flour was less brisk as is usually the case after a break in speculative wheat markets. Millers here are of the opinion that the Northwest wheat crop is too small to meet the natural year's demand and are pushing out to secure as much of it as possible before it is diverted. For the same reason they are very stiff in their notions for future values. They express determination not to make concessions to answer to temporary fluctuations in wheat. Some fresh sales were made at the full figures asked yesterday. Patents, sacks to local dealers, $5.20; patents to ship, sacks, car lots, $4.90@5.15; in barrels, $5.10@5.25; delivered at New England points, $5.90@6; New York points, $5.80@5.90; delivered at Philadelphia and Baltimore, $5.75@5.85; bakers, here, $3.80@4.50; superfine, $2@3.50; red dog, sacks, $1.60@1.65; red dog, bbls, $1.80@1.85; rye flour, pure, per 100 lbs, $1.75.
Bran and Shorts—The bran market was very well sustained, as but few of the mills had any stuff to offer, being sold ahead. Sales were made of a few cars at $10.50@11.50; shorts, $12@13.50.
Corn—Slow at 38@42c for ordinary samples; 43c for choice No. 2 yellow.
Oats—Quiet at 28@28½c for new by sample and o. t.
Barley—This market was steady, with samples mostly ranging at 40@55c, with a few choice ranging up to 65c.
Flax—Nominal at $1.23; Chicago, $1.29.
Feed—Mixed feed selling slowly at $16@18.

STATE GRAIN INSPECTION.

The following table shows the state inspection of wheat at Minneapolis for the past twenty-four hours:

RAILWAYS	No. 1 hard.	No. 1 northern.	No. 2 northern.	No. 3	Rejected	No grade.
M. & M.—B. div	1	3	10	6	2	...
M. & M.—F. F. div	7	3	3	6	12	...
St. Paul & Duluth	...	...	...	...	...	...
C. M. & St. P	21	31	12	2	4	...
Minn. & St. Louis	...	...	...	...	...	...
Minn. & Pacific	...	2	1	...	...	...
Northern Pacific	3	8	7	10	5	...
C., St. P., M. & O	2	13	12	6	12	5
C., St. P. & K. C.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total grades	34	60	45	30	35	5
Total cars						213

New wheat, 194 cars.
Other Grains—No. 3 corn, 2 cars; No 3 oats, 5 cars; No. 3 barley, 1 car; No. 4 barley, 1 car; No. 1 flax, 2 cars.
Inspected Out—Wheat, No. 1 hard, 78 cars; No. 1 northern, 89 cars; No. 2 northern, 5 cars; No. 3, 1 car; rejected, 4 cars; no grade, 4 cars.

WHEAT MOVEMENT.

The following are the receipts and shipments of wheat to-day, reported by Pressey, Wheeler & Co., by private wire:

POINTS.	Rec'ts.	Ship'ts.
Minneapolis	125,400	46,740
Duluth	35,356	108,564
Chicago	157,999	89,045
Milwaukee	18,915	1,725
New York	162,050	23,970
Philadelphia	21,163	29,980
Baltimore	37,939	.....
Toledo	56,827	50,150
Detroit	69,924	.....
St. Louis	85,000	13,000
Kansas City	22,500	11,500
Totals	792,375	372,974

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LIVE STOCK.

Minnesota Transfer.

The market at Minnesota Transfer yesterday was rather quiet. The arrivals consisted of four cars of cattle and two cars of hogs. The offerings were but a medium lot, many being too poor for butcher stock, and of such there quite a few held over. Sales were:

Cattle—

No.	Av. Wt.	Price
20 steers	1,019	$3 25
9 steers	1,039	2 80
11 cattle	1,095	2 40
13 cattle	897	2 25
7 cattle	888	2 25
3 cattle	966	2 25
1 cow	700	2 00
19 calves	236	3 00

Hogs—

No.	Av. Wt.	Price
28	284	$6 10
65	215	6 10
21	234	6 10
11 rough	286	6 00

Sheep—

No.	Av. Wt.	Price.
67	87	$3 40

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Receipts—19 cars hogs—1,162; 5 cars sheep—603; 21 cars cattle—505. Sales:

Hogs—

No.	Av. Wt	Price	No.	Av. Wt.	Price
53	269	$6 25	69	262	$6 20
72	242	6 17½	60	281	6 27½
66	242	6 15	62	333	6 45
32	224	6 15	64	243	6 20
63	270	6 10	65	216	6 10
21	311	6 00	52	310	6 25
58	222	6 10	72	263	6 17½
51	264	6 17½	61	256	.....
46	234	6 12½	8	257	.....
59	237	6 17½			

Cattle—

No.	Av. Wt.	Price	No.	Av. Wt.	Price
7	960	$2 85	3	1,293	.....
6	1,280	3 60	1	1,120	.....
2	1,255	2 50	1	1,410	.....
1	920	.....	2	1,000	.....
8	842	.....	7	967	.....
2	705	.....	3	893	.....
7	1,137	.....	6 calves	125	$3 00

Sheep—

No.	Av. Wt.	Price	No.	Av. Wt.	Price
31	44	$3 25	56	83	$2 85
9	77	3 60	32	80	.....
103	57	3 75	4	110	.....
165	85	3 50	1	150	.....

Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; shipments, 4,000; market steady; beeves $6.4 @6.65; steers, $3.50@6; stockers and feeders, $1.90@3.20; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.10; Texas and Indian cattle, $2@4; Western rangers, $3@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; shipments, 6,000; market opened strong; closed 10c lower; mixed, $5.95@6.50; heavy, $6.15@6.72½; light, $5.65@6.30; skips, $4@5.65. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; shipments, 2,000; market firmer; natives, $2.75@4; Westerns, $3.35@3.85; Texans, $2.60@3.25; lambs, $3.75@5.35.

Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,210; shipments, 3,913. Dressed beef and shipping steers strong; grass range weak and 5@10c lower; good Texas cows steady; natives weak and 5c lower; stockers and feeding steers steady; good to choice corn-fed, $5@5.50; common to medium, $3.20@4.75; stockers and feeding steers, $1.60@3.60; grass range steers, $1.80@3.30; cows, $1.25@3.70. Hogs—Receipts, 3,071; shipments, 1,297. Active and 5c higher; good to choice, $6.25@6.35; common to medium, $5.50@6.15. Sheep—Receipts, 1,872; shipments, 757. Good and strong; common weak; good to choice mutton, $3.75@4.25; common to medium, $1.50@3.50.

Oil Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Petroleum opened steady at 95⅜c, but after the first sales became weak and declined to 94¼c. Western buying then carried the price up 95⅛c, after which a reaction occurred on which the market closed steady at 95c. Consolidated exchange opening, 95⅜c; highest, 95½c; lowest, 94¼c, closing 95c. Stock exchange opening, 95½c; highest, 95½c; lowest, 94¼c, closing 94¾c. Total sales, 1,206,000 bbls.

OIL CITY, Pa., Sept. 12.—National Transits certificates opened at 97⅜c; highest, 95⅜c; lowest, 94⅜c; closed, 94⅜c. Sales, 896,000 bbls; clearances, 2,418,000 bbls; charters, 117,509 bbls; shipments, 97,741 bbls; runs, 46,290 bbls.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 12.—Petroleum dull but firm; National Transit certificates opened at 95⅜c; closed at 95c; highest, 95⅜c; lowest, 94¾c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—There was an improved demand at jobbing hands. Agents made very good deliveries on old engagements, but new business was moderate.

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