OO HEAVY STOCKS.

Bears Use This Fact to Pound Down the Prices of Wheat.

Longs Sell to Take Profits, and Help Force Values Down.

Better Prices Abroad and Decreasing Receipts Had Little Effect.

Stocks Hold Up Well in the Face of Heavy Hammering.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—A big club to pound prices was what the heavy stocks of wheat proved today. The market ruled weak, and, notwithstanding a rally on decreasing receipts and on bullish advices from abroad, the cereal closed with a loss of ¼c. Corn and oats are also off ¼c each. John Cudahy openly buying pork sent that article up 17½c, and caused lard and ribs at the close to show a gain of 5c and 2½c respectively.

The wheat market opened extremely slow and decidedly weak. Shorts had covered very freely on yesterday's excitement, and there was little demand from that source, while longs who had a profit were making active efforts to sell and secure it. Then, too, there was prospect of another generous increase in the visible supply. Perhaps the weakest feature, or at least the most depressing one, was the persistent short selling by Pardridge and other leading bears. The pressure of these offerings on the market with trade so dull and narrow was most demoralizing. Later there was a substantial rally on the advance in the closing cables and the small receipts at primary points.

The opening was weaker and prices about ⅛@⅛c lower, but recovered. December advancing ⅜c and May ¼c, then became weaker again and declined ⅛c for December and ⅝@⅞c May, rallied ⅜c for December and ⅛c for May, fluctuated some and closed ⅜c lower for December and ⅜c for May than yesterday. The most prevalent guess on the visible supply for Monday was that it would show an increase of less than 2,000,000 bushels, but Pardridge was offering to bet and give odds that it would increase 3,000,000 or more.

Corn, though a fraction higher early, soon became weak and lost ¾c, part of which was finally recovered. The early strength was attributed to the bullish nature of Phelps's report, which reiterated what has been so often said before, that the results of the huskings were everywhere disappointing, and added that the crop would not equal in weight 70 per cent of an average. However, heavy realizing and free short selling overcame every other consideration, and weakness and depression ruled. There was some upward movement later, but the prevailing sentiment was bearish.

Oats were heavy in the face of some very bullish sentiments in Prime's report. There was good selling on the strong spots, longs taking profits.

Hog products opened weak and lower on the 50@10c drop in the price of live hogs at the yards; but Cudahy turned an aggressive buyer and the shorts got frightened and put prices up sharply on all products. An easier feeling ruled during the closing hours.

Freights were weaker and ¼c lower at 2¾d to Liverpool and ⅞c for corn to Buffalo. Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 210 cars; corn, 250 cars; oats, 140 cars; hogs, 25,000.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—				
November	72⅜	73	72¼	72⅜
December	73⅝@½	74	73¼	73⅜
May	79¼	79⅝	78⅞@79	79¼
Corn, No. 2—				
November	41⅞	41⅞	41⅜	41⅜@⅞
December	42	42⅛	41⅝	42@41⅝
May	47½@¾	47¾	47	47⅜
Oats, No. 2—				
November	31⅜	31⅜	31	31⅛
December	32⅜	32⅜	32@31⅞	32¼
May	36½@⅝	36¾	36⅜	36½
Mess Pork—				
January	13 40	13 70	13 40	13 65
May	13 20	13 55	13 20	13 47½
Lard—				
November	8 65	8 85	8 65	8 85
January	7 72½	7 82½	7 72½	7 82½
May	7 80	7 87½	7 80	7 87½
Short Ribs—				
January	6 75	6 90	6 75	6 87½
May	6 95	7 02½	6 95	7 0⅛

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; winter patents, $3.50@4.00; winter straights, $3.20@3.40; spring patents, $4.70@4.10; spring straights, $3.25@3.50; bakers', $2.50@3. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 75⅞c; No. 3 spring, 66@68c; No. 2 red, 74⅞c. Corn—No. 2, 41¾c. Oats—No. 2, 31½@31¾c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 35@36c; No. 4 white, 33@34c. Rye—No. 2, 56c. Barley—No. 2, 63@64c; No. 3, f. o. b., 56@63c; No. 4, 40@45c. Flaxseed—No. 1, $1.09. Timothy Seed—Prime, $1.48. Mess Pork—Per bbl, $13.40@13.40. Lard—Per 100 lbs, $8. Short Ribs—Sides (loose), $6@6.75. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), $7.37½@7.75. Short clear sides (boxed), $8@8.05. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods, per gal, $1.15. Sugars—Cut loaf, 5½@5¾c; granulated, 5¼c; standard "A," 5⅛c. Receipts—Flour, 19,000 bbls; wheat, 19,000 bu; corn, 177,000 bu; oats, 184,000 bu; rye, 11,000 bu; barley, 91,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 15,000 bbls; wheat, 152,000 bu; corn, 255,000 bu; oats, 160,000 bu; rye, 11,000 bu; barley, 49,000 bu. On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 21@30c; dairy, 20@27c. Eggs firm; strictly fresh, 21½@22c.

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Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 12.—Flour quiet. Wheat steady; December, 67⅞c; No. 2 spring, 67c; No. 1 northern, 75½c. Corn steady; No. 3, 42c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 34½@36c; No. 3 white, 33½@34½c. Barley quiet; No. 3, 67½c; sample, 4 @62c. Rye lower; No. 1, 81@81½c. Pork—January, $13.45. Lard—January, $7.82½. Receipts—Flour, 11,400 bbls; wheat, 58,900 bu; barley, 48,400 bu. Shipments—Flour, 2,300 bbls; wheat, 3,300 bu; barley, 60,600 bu.

Duluth Wheat.

DULUTH, Nov. 12.—The wheat market was very strong here at the opening, at an advance of 1c on cash, 3c on May. The cause of this was the government report, which makes the wheat production of the entire country 569,000,000 bu, against 515,000,000 bu, the estimate of the government report for October. Prices were firm during the early hours and trade was active. Cash No. 1 hard sold at the start for 77c, and later at 74¾c in the forenoon. December was very dull, without trades. Cash No. 1 northern started with sellers at 70¾c and went up to 71c; May No. 1 northern started at 76¾c, and fluctuated between that figure and 77c during the early hours; sales were made in large round lots on the advance. The latter part of the session was very quiet and the close dull and steady at ⅛@⅛c advance over yesterday's close, as follows: Cash No. 1 hard, 74¾c; No. 1 northern, 73¾c; No. 2 northern, 65c; No. 3 northern, 61c; rejected, 51c. November: No. 1 hard, 74¼c; No. 1 northern, 70¾c. December: No. 1 hard, 74c; No. 1 northern, 70¾c; No. 2 northern, 65c. May: No. 1 hard, 80c; No. 1 northern, 77c.

Car Inspection for Day—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 52 cars; No. 1 northern, 319 cars; No. 2 northern, 45 cars; No. 3 spring, 2 cars; rejected, 4 cars; rye, 2 cars; flax, 3 cars; barley, 2 cars; total, 429 cars.

Receipts—Wheat, 269,654 bu; barley, 1,479 bu; rye, 701 bu; flax, 15,661 bu; flour, 7,867 bbls.

Shipments—Wheat, 78,001 bu.

Cars on Track—St. Paul & Duluth, 99 cars; Northern Pacific, 109 cars; Great Northern, 126 cars; Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, 3 cars; total, 337 cars. Corresponding date last year, 576 cars.

New York Produce.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Flour—Receipts, 410,600 pkgs; exports, 5,110 bbls, 7,800 sacks; fair demand, firm; sales, 10,300 bbls; low extras, $2@2.75; winter wheat, low grades, $2@2.75; fair to fancy, $2.75@3.75; patents, $4@4.25; Minnesota clear, $3@3.25; straights, $3.45@4.15; patents $4.25@4.80; rye mixtures, $3@4. Cornmeal quiet, steady; yellow Western, $3@3.10. Wheat—Receipts, 321,650 bu; exports, 109,334 bu; sales, 1,210,000 bu futures, $4,000 bu spot; spots dull, easier; No. 2 red, 76@76¼c store and elevator, 76½@76¾c afloat, 77¼@78c f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 69c; ungraded red, 70@77c; No. 1 northern, 84@84¼c; No. 2 northern, 79@79¼c; options opened weak and declined ⅜@⅞c on foreign selling and sailing, closed dull, with the trading chiefly cable switching; No. 2 red, December, 77 11-16c, closing at 77⅛c; January, 78¾c@78⅞c, closing at 78¾c; March, 81⅞@82 3-16c, closing at 81⅞c; May, 84⅛@84 7-16c, closing at 84¼c. Rye dull, steady; Western, 58@59c. Barley dull; Western, 66@75c; No. 2 Toronto, 85c. Barley malt quiet; Western, 70@80c; Canada, 85@95c; city-made Canadian, $1@1.05. Corn—Receipts, 69,000 bu; exports, 65,889 bu; sales, 320,000 bu futures, 44,000 bu spot; spot steady, dull; No. 2, 53¼c in elevator, 51½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 46½@54½c; options declined early ⅛@½c with wheat and the West, reacted ¼c on covering, closed dull, with November and December ⅛@¼c up; other months ⅛@½c down; December, 51¾@51c, closing at 51c; January, 51⅛@51⅛c, closing at 51⅛c; May, 52@53½c, closing at 53¼c. Oats—Receipts, 64,000 bu; exports, 285 bu; sales, 170,000 bu futures, 68,000 bu spots; spots dull, lower; options dull, lower; closing steady; December, 36½@36⅞c, closing at 36½c; January, 37⅛@37¼c, closing at 37⅛c; May, 41@41¼c, closing at 41½c; spot No. 2 white, 39@39½c; mixed Western, 37@38c; white Western, 38@45c; No. 2 Chicago, 37c. Hay dull, steady; shipping, 65@75c; good choice, 75@85c. Hops dull, weak; state common to choice, 18@23c; Pacific coast, 18@24½c. Coffee — Options opened steady, unchanged to 5 points up, closed firm, 15@20c up; sales, 64,250 bags; including: November, 15.05c; December, 15.50@15.60c; January, 15.30@15.40c; February, 15.25c; March, 15@15.15c; May, 14.85@14.95c; July, 14.65c; September, 14.5 @14.5½c; Rio on spot quiet; No. 7, 14½c. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining, 2⅞c; centrifugals, 96-test, 3⅜c; refined fairly active, steady; off A, 4 5-16@4 9-16c; mould A, 4 15-16@5⅛c; standard A, 4 11-16@4⅞c; confectioners' A, 4 9-16@4¾c; cut loaf, 5 5-16@5½c; crushed, 5.5-16@5½c; powdered, 4 13-16@5⅛c; granulated, 4 11-16@5c; cubes, 4 15-16@5c. Molasses—New Orleans dull, steady; open kettle, good to choice, 2 @35c; new, 28@42c. Rice steady, fair demand; domestic, fair to extra, 4@5¾c; Japan, 4½@5c. Petroleum dull, steady; crude in bbls, Parker's $3.25; crude, in bulk, $2.35; refined, New York, $5.80; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $5.75; do in bulk, $2.2 @2.30; United, no sales. Cottonseed oil stronger, quiet; crude, 28; yellow, 30c. Tallow strong; city (4c for pkgs), 5c bid. Rosin dull, steady; strained common to good, $1.27½@1.32½. Turpentine quiet, steady at 33@34½. Eggs firm, fair demand; Western prime, 26½@27c. Hides quiet, steady; wet salted New Orleans selected, 47@50 lbs, at 56@7c; Texas selected; 50@60 lbs, 5@6c. Pork steady; old mess, $12.25@12.50; new mess, $13.37@13.50; extra prime, $12.50@13.50. Cut meats firm, quiet; pickled bellies, 8⅝@9c; pickled shoulders, 8@8½c; pickled hams, 11@11½c; middles dull; short clear, November, $8.45. Lard opened weak, closed firm; Western steam closed at $9.60; sales, none; options sales, none; November, $9.30 asked; December, $8.40; January, $8.12 bid. Butter quiet, firm; Western dairy, 10@22c; Western creamery, 20@30½c; Western factory, 14½@17½; Elgin, 30@31½c. Cheese quiet, firm; part skims, 3@9½c. Pig Iron—Fairly active, steady; American, $12@16.50. Copper dull; lake, $11.70@11.80. Lead quiet; domestic, $3.80@3.95. Tin steady, quiet; straits, $20.55@20.65.

St Louis Produce.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 12.—Flour firm, but unchanged. Wheat was lower early, then recovered, but eased off again and closed a shade under yesterday: cash and November, 57⅝c; May, 73⅝c; December, 60⅛c. Corn followed wheat and closed ⅛@¼c below yesterday: cash, 41¼c; November, 40⅜c bid; December, 39⅝@39¾c; year, 39c; January, 38⅝c; May, 43⅝c. Oats—Cash, higher at 3 4c bid; May lower, 35c asked. Rye dull, 48c. Barley quiet and unchanged. Bran secure mill firm, 55c. Hay dull and unchanged. Flaxseed quiet, $1.06½.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 12. — Wheat steady; holders offer moderately. Corn quiet; mixed Western, 4s 3½d per central. Pork—Prime mess Western, fine 80s per bbl. Beef—Extra india mess, 57s 6d per tierce.

Kansas City Grain.

KANSAS CITY, NOV. 12—Wheat active and strong; No. 2 hard, 63⅞@64¼c; No. 2 red, 67@68c. Corn steady to higher; No. 2 mixed, 43c; No. 2 white, 33@33½c. Oats very strong; No. 2 mixed, 27½@28c; No. 2 white, 29@30c.

FINANCIAL.

New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The bears were in control of the stock market until the last half hour or so of business, when there was a decided chance. In the early trading the shorts resumed their tactics of yesterday, and hammered the industrials and so-called trusts mercilessly. American Sugar came in for a large share of attention, and the stock was sold by the ream until it touched 105⅞, against 106½ last night, and 107¼ shortly after the opening this morning. Close observers finally discovered that the selling was mainly for the bear account, while the brokers who took large blocks were those who do business for the Havemeyers and other insiders. The smaller shorts naturally became alarmed and near the close, under purchases to cover, a quick rise to 107¼ ensued. Brokers report an active borrowing demand for sugar, as well as Distilling and Cattle Feeding, both of which have been raised in the same interests.

The firmness of the general list while the attack was being made upon Sugar occasioned no little surprise. Burlington & Quincy alone declined as much as ½ per cent, although active manipulation was resorted to to bring about larger concessions. Near the close a much more confident feeling prevailed and Lackawanna rose ⅞ and Chicago Gas, Distilling and Cattle Feeding and General Electric each 1⅛. These were the most important changes outside of Commercial Cable, which jumped 1½ points on the last recorded sale. Reading was subjected to a sharp pressure at intervals, but the stock yielded only ⅜, and later recovered ¼. The bank statement had a good effect, as it shows that the city institutions are holding their own and have an addition to their reserves through the return flow of currency from the West. The change in surplus reserve this week is merely nominal—only $375. The market closed strong in tone.

The Post says: The change in the outlook for federal legislation has been so complete and sudden that the financial world cannot adjust its beliefs to the new expectations in a day. Capital, moreover, being proverbially timid, the mere anticipation of a change in trade policy has served to check new market undertakings. Here and there cautious holders of stock have been selling out. All this it should be observed, is due to the simple expectation of a change. Certainly it cannot be interpreted as belief that the change will be harmful; had any such general belief prevailed the market would by no means have held its own as it has done. The new policy is still to be weighed in the financial mind both as to its probable scope and as to its influence on general finances. It may be longer than either optimists or pessimists expect before prices on the stock market reflect sober and intelligent conviction.

The Total Sales of Stocks

today were 170,000 shares, including:

Atchison	2,400	Reading	32,600
Chicago Gas	10,200	St. Paul	8,500
D., L. & W.	2,200	Sugar	46,400
Distillers'	13,300	Union Pacific	2,300
New England	3,600	Western Union	2,700

Stocks—Closing.

Atchison	35⅝	Norfolk & W. pfd	40
Adams Express	149	North Am. Co	12½
Alton & Terre H.	33	Northern Pacific	18
do pfd	130	do pfd	51
American Ex	120	U. P. D. & Gulf	17¾
Balti. & Ohio	95⅝	Northwestern	116¼
Canad'n Pacific	87¾	do pfd	141
Can. Southern	57⅝	N. Central	111⅝
Cen. Pacific	29½	N. Y. & N. Eng	44⅛
Ches. & Ohio	23⅝	Ont. & Western	19⅝
Chicago & Alton	144	Oregon Imp	21
C., B. & Q.	107¼	Oregon Nav	73
Chicago Gas	67¾	O. S. L. & U. N.	23
Consol. Gas	122½	Pacific Mail	41
C., C. C. & St. L.	63	P., D. & E.	17
Colo. Coal & Iron	39	Pittsburg	154
Cotton Oil Cert's.	45⅞	Pullman P. Car	197
Del. & Hudson	133	Reading	56¾
Del., L. & W.	153⅝	Richmond Ter.	9
D. & R. G. pfd.	54	do pfd	38
Distillers & C. F.	68¾	Rio G. Western	30
East Tennessee	4⅝	do pfd	68½
Erie	25⅝	Rock Island	83
do pfd	62¾	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd	75
Fort Wayne	153	St. Paul	80⅝
Great Nor. pfd.	134	do pfd	124
Chi. & E. Ill. pfd.	90	St. Paul & Omaha	51½
Hocking Valley	29	do pfd	119
Illinois Central	103½	Southern Pacific	36
St. Paul & Duluth	43	Sugar Refinery	107⅛
Kan. & Tex. pfd.	25½	Tenn. C. & I.	37
Lake Erie & W.	24⅝	Texas Pacific	10½
do pfd	77½	Tol. & O. Cen. pfd	75
Lake Shore	133⅝	Union Pacific	40¼
Lead Trust	45½	U. S. Express	57
Louisville & N.	76¾	Wab., St. L. & P.	11⅝
Louisville & N. A.	25⅞	do pfd	26½
Manhattan Con.	133	Wells-Fargo Ex	145
Memphis & Chas.	50	Western Union	93¾
Mich. Central	108¾	Wheeling & L. E.	22⅞
Missouri Pacific	61¼	do pfd	63⅝
Mobile & Ohio	35½	Mpls & St. Louis	17¼
Nashville & Chat.	84	D. & R. G.	17⅝
Nat. Cordage	134	Gen. Electric	114⅝
do pfd	112½	Nat'l Linseed	38¾
N. J. Central	126½		

Government and State Bonds.

Government bonds steady. State bonds dull.

U. S. 4s reg.	114½	M. K. & T. Gen. 5s.	48
do 4s coup.	114½	Mut. Union 6s	110
do 2s reg.	101¼	N. J. C. int. cert.	111
Pacific 6s of '95	107½	N. Pacific 1sts	117⅜
La. stamped 4s	93¾	do 2ds	112
Missouri 6s	102½	N. W. consols	136
Tenn. new set, 6s	102	do deb. 5s	105
do 5s	101	St. L. & I. M. G. 5s	83⅞
do 3s	75½	St. L. & S. F. G. M.	108½
Canada So. 2ds	101½	St. Paul consols	128¼
Cen. Pacific 1sts	108	St. P., C. & P. 1sts	117
D. & R. G. 1sts	115½	T. P. L. G. Tr. R.	83¾
do 4s	85¾	T. P. R. G. Tr. R.	88
R. G. West. 1sts	79¾	Union Pac. 1sts	107½
Erie 2ds	107	West Shore	103½
M. K. & T. Gen. 6s.	81¼		

Money Markets.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—New York exchange sold at 60c premium. Sterling exchange quiet: sixty-day bills, $4.83½; demand, $4.86½. Money a little easier at 6 per cent.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Money on call has been easy at 4 per cent, closing offered at 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange has been dull with actual business at $4.83¾@4.83¾ for sixty-day bills, and $4.86¼@4.86½ for demand. Posted rates, $4.84½@4.87½.

New York Mining Stocks—West.

Crown Point	$1 10	Ophir	$2 75
Con. Cal. & Va.	3 00	Plymouth	0 50
Deadwood	1 00	Sierra Nevada	1 10
Gould & Curry	90	Standard	1 30
Hale & Norcross	1 45	Union Con.	1 00
Homestake	13 50	Yellow Jacket	85
Independence	65	Iron Silver	40
Mexican	1 25	Quicksilver	3 00
*North Star	6 50	do pfd	17 00
Ontario	35 50		

*Asked.

San Francisco Mining Shares.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	$0 25	Ophir	$2 80
Bulwer	15	Potosi	1 40
Best & Belcher	1 70	Savage	1 45
Bodie Con.	25	Sierra Nevada	1 20
Challar	95	Union Con.	1 15
Con. Cal. & Va.	3 05	Utah	15
Crown Point	1 15	Yellow Jacket	85
Eureka Con	1 50	Commonwealth	20
Gould & Curry	95	Nevada Queen	5
Hale & Norcross	1 65	Belle Isle	5
Mexican	1 40	North Belle Isle	50
Mono	25	Belcher	1 50

New York Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The weekly statement of the associated banks shows the following changes: Reserve, increase, $375; loans, decrease, $3,000; specie, increase, $1,473,000; legal tenders, increase, $2,531,400; deposits, decrease, $4,235,100; circulation, decrease, $44,600. The banks now hold $2,678,200 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent rule.

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The wheat market was strong, with an early advance, caused by covering. The local receipts were full, which prevented strength based upon them. But it is reported that winter wheat movement is very much less from farms. Cables were firm, and Liverpool closed slightly higher, with unchanged prices at Paris. English farm deliveries were smaller, with the country markets slow. Shipments from both coasts were 3,8 bu, all but wheat and flour. On the early rise the realizing sales were large, and values were forced below early figures. Recovering later, the market was steady. The following are the closing quotations: No. 1 hard—On track, 72c. No. 1 Northern—November, 69¼c; December, 69⅝c; May, 75⅝c; on track, 70½c. No. 2 Northern—On track, 67@67c.

FLOUR AND COARSE GRAINS.

Flour—Receipts, 995 bbls; shipments, 22,742 bbls. Quoted at $3.75@4.10 for first patents, $3.75 for second patents, $2.60@2.90 for fancy and export bakers, $1.70@1.60 for low grades in bags, including red dog.

Bran and Shorts—Quoted at $7.75@8 for bran, $8.50@9 for shorts, $10.40@10.50 for middlings.

Corn—Receipts, 5,200 bu; shipments, none; quoted at 36@36c for No. 3, and no. 2 yellow at 39c; corn very dull, receipts light and demand also light. See sales.

Oats—Receipts, 13,120 bu; shipments, 12,230 bu; quoted at 31@32½c for No. 3 white, 28½@30c for No. 3 oats. See sales for other grades.

Barley—Receipts, 7,300 bu; shipments, 8,470 bu; quoted at 35@55c for No. 3; really choice No. 2 barley will bring 50@55c per bu. See sales.

Rye—Receipts, none; shipments, none; No. 2 rye sold today at 45c f. o. b.; demand light, receipts small.

Flax—The market is based on Chicago market less the freight. Flax closed at $1.00½; timothy, $1.78.

Feed—Millers held at $15@16 per ton; less than car lots, $15@16.25; with cornmeal at $13.50@14 per ton; granulated meal, $20.

Hay—Receipts, 50 tons. The market is steady for choice upland at about $8.50@9.

Some Sample Sales—No. 1 northern, 61 cars, 70¾c; No. 1 northern, 19 cars, 70½c; No. 1 northern, 47 cars, 71c; No. 1 northern, 20 cars, to arrive, 70¾c; No. 2 northern, 4 cars, 66c; No. 2 northern, 19 cars, 67½c; No. 2 northern, 1 car, 66c; No. 2 northern, 36 cars, 67c; No. 2 northern, 9 cars, 65c; No. 2 northern, 11 cars, 67¼c.

STATE GRAIN INSPECTION.

Following 260 cars are previous day's local state grain inspection by the different railways:

RAILWAYS.	No. 1 Hard.	No. 1 North'n	No. 2	No. 3	Rejected.	No Grade.
G. N.—Breck. Div.	66	20	3	5	2	
G. N.—F. F. Div.	17	12	11	5	1	4
C. M. & St. P.	62	18	10	11	2	
Mpls. & St. Louis	13	27	10	5		
Soo line	9	4				
Northern Pacific	5	4	2	1	4	
C., St. P., M. & O.	59	44	18	4		
Minnesota Trans.				1		1
Total	222	134	43	37	13	

Other Grains—No. 1 winter, 1 car; No. 3 corn, 4 cars; No. 3 corn, 2 cars; No. 2 oats 2 cars; No. 3, 8 cars; No. 3 barley, 9 cars; No. 4, 10 cars; no grade, 1 car; No. 1 flax, 23 cars.

Cars Inspected Out—No. 1 northern, 105 cars; No. 2. northern, 91 cars; No. 3 northern, 9 cars; rejected, 9 cars; no grade, 1 cars; No. 2 oats, 12 cars; No. 2 rye, 2 cars; No. 2 barley, 1 car; No. 1 flax, 2 cars.

Wheat Movement—C., M. & St. P., 100; Omaha, 117; St. Louis, 62; Great Northern, 111; N. P., 16; Soo Line, 20.

Wheat Receipts by Car Lots—C., M. & St. P., 40; Omaha, 13; St. Louis, 2; St. P. & D., 64; C., B. & N., 11; Soo line, 3.

Flour Shipments—C., M. & St. P., 8,030 bbls; Omaha, 5,297 bbls; St. Louis, 243 bbls; Wisconsin Central, 250 bbls; Great Northern, 4,900 bbls; St. P. & D., 3,660 bbls; Northern Pacific, 100 bbls; Kansas City, 128 bbls; Burlington, 600 bbls; Soo line, 1,265 bbls.

WHEAT MOVEMENT.

Following are the receipts and shipments of wheat today at the principal markets:

	Receipts.	Shipments
Minneapolis	276,000	84,500
Duluth	204,509	
Chicago	189,518	152,343
Milwaukee	58,850	3,300
New York	321,650	100,304
Philadelphia	115,600	2,480
Baltimore	46,782	64,000
Toledo	23,669	60,200
Detroit	26,344	82,092
St. Louis	49,000	38,000
Boston	31,290	25,092

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Receipts—Wheat, 276,000 bu; corn, 5,200 bu; oats, 13,130 bu; barley, 7,300 bu; flaxseed, 5,670 bu; flour, 995 bbls; millstuffs, 38 tons; hay, 50 tons; fruit, 445,900 lbs; merchandise, 1,908,141 lbs; lumber, 20 cars; barrel stock, 4 cars; machinery, 160,100 lbs; coal, 1,025 tons; wood, 220 cords; bricks, 83,000; lime, 8 cars; cement, 200 bbls; ties, 2 cars; stone and marble, 2 cars; live stock, 4 cars; dressed meats, 110,625 lbs; hides and pelts, 41,800 lbs; sundries, 23 cars; total car lots, 844 cars.

Shipments—Wheat, 81,500 bu; oats, 127,550 bu; barley, 8,470 bu; flaxseed, 3,710 bu; flour, 27,422 bbls; millstuffs, 1,060 tons; merchandise, 674,600 lbs; lumber, 98 cars; machinery, 23,500 lbs; coal, 15 tons; brick, 7,000; lime, 2 cars; cement, 130 bbls; stone and marble, 1 car; live stock, 9 cars; hides and pelts, 20,000 lbs; sundries, 18 cars; total car lots, 718 cars.

Union Stock Yards.

Receipts—Hogs, 905; cattle, 161; calves, 3; sheep, 3,836.

Hogs—Market opened steady, but the Chicago market broke early before much trading was done, and the bulk sold weak with yesterday. The close was still weaker, late arrivals selling 5@10c lower. All sold at $5.20@5.35; bulk, $5.25@5.30.

Cattle—Good butcher cattle were firm. buyers hung back, but finally paid about the prices asked, and the yards were well cleared at the close. While the market may be but little if any higher, there is a firm feeling. Quotations: Prime steers, $3@3.50; good steers, $2.75@3; prime cows, $2.25@2.50; good cows, $1.75@2.15; common to fair cows, 75c @$1.50; light veal calves, $3.50@4.25; heavy calves, $1.75@2.75; stockers, $1.25@2; feeders, $1.75@2.50; bulls, $1@1.75.

Sheep—Slow except on choice grades and wether feeders. Bulk were from Casper, Wyo., and went to local feeding barns. Fair mixed lots sold at $3.50@3.90. Quotations: Muttons, $3@4.15; lambs, $3@4.10; stockers and feeders, $2@4.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; shipments, 1,100; market dull, lower; good to extra natives, $4 10@5.50; others, $3.50@4; stockers, $1.85@2.25; Texans, $2.25@3.10; cows, $1.30@2.80. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; shipments, 7,500; market closed lower rough and common, $5.20@5.40; packing and mixed, $5.4 @5.65; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $5.55@5.65; light, $5.40@5.70. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 900; market steady; natives, $4.70@4.10; mixed, $3@3.75 lambs, $3.50@5.55; Mexicans, $3.50

Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, NOV. 12.—Cattle—Receipts 4,000; shipments, 4,600. Market was dull; good stock was steady and others 10@15 lower. Representative sales: Dressed beef and shipping steers, $3.50@5; cows, $1.50@2.50; Texas and Indian steers, $2.15@2.6; stockers and feeders, $2.60@3.65. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; shipments, 1,000. The market was active and steady, closing easy; all grades, $1.48@5.52½; bulk, $5.30@5.45. Sheep—Receipts, 1,600; shipments, 600. The market was unchanged; muttons, $4.15; lambs, $5.50.

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FOREIGN FINANCES.

Condition of Money at the Trade Centers of Europe.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Discount was very easy during the past week owing to the abundant supplies and foreign competition. At the same time the low rates at which treasury bills were allotted added to the weakness, and caused a decline to ⅛ for three months, and 1¼ for short. The rates, however, are not likely to fall much lower, as any great decline would revive continental inquiry. Austria is only waiting for a cheap market to increase her stock of gold, while there are in circulation rumors that Russia is about to withdraw £2,000,000 in gold from England.

On the stock exchange business was fairly active, dealings being chiefly for investment. British and Indian funds showed a slight improvement. Foreign government securities, for the most part, had a better tone. Spanish bonds advanced one point. South Americans were well favored. Uruguayans being especially strong and advancing 1¾. Argentines and Brazilians advanced ¼. Chilians were depressed owing to the war rumors, and dropped 1½, but afterwards recovered ½. In English railway securities business was restricted. Southeasterns closed one point lower on the reported refusal to consider the proposed amalgamation with the Chatham & Dover.

Dealings in American railway securities were very cautious until after election day. Prices, however, were well maintained. When the result of the election became known prices receded, there being a general feeling that however beneficial the regime may prove, it must produce a disturbance and uncertainty inimical to the interests of business. A more confident tone supervened on Friday, and prices showed an all-round recovery, but an unsettled feeling was again dominant on Saturday, and caused appreciable losses, though most stocks were left with a slight improvement on the week. The week's variations include the following: Increases—Denver & Rio Grande preferred, 2¼; Ohio & Mississippi ordinary, Norfolk & Western preferred, Louisville & Nashville and Denver & Rio Grande common, ¾ each; Central Pacific shares, Northern Pacific preferred and Wabash preferred, ½ each.

A prominent feature during the week was the extensive buying of Canadian securities on the assumption that the election of Mr. Cleveland would lead to a modification of the McKinley law. Grand Trunk first and second preferred closed yesterday 1¾ higher, and do third preferred and guaranteed stock ¾ higher. There was an active inquiry for Argentine railways, resulting in a rise of 2 points in Buenos Ayres and Southern and Rosario. The market for mines, especially South African mines, was animated, and there was an all-round rise of from ½ to 1. Rio Tinto closed ½ higher. Reports of better business and the probability of a 5 per cent dividend caused an advance on Allsop brewery shares of 2 points.

PARIS, Nov. 13.—The dynamite outrage of Tuesday last had no effect upon prices on the bourse. Most international funds improved slightly. At the close yesterday Spanish bonds were one point higher. Suez Canal closed 20 francs lower, and Rio Tintos 7½ francs higher.

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—The fear of unfavorable movements of gold has greatly subsided, and the expected advance of money has not occurred. On the contrary, the money rates relapsed during the week, and showed a tendency to a further relapse. Consequently stocks were much firmer. Imperial and foreign loans generally were stronger, and coal and iron shares continued to advance. Spanish bonds closed yesterday 2 points higher, roubles closed 65 higher on the strength of a report that the Russian finance minister intends to visit Paris on a financial mission. The final quotations include: Prussian fours, 106.90; Austrian credit, 166.00; Deutsche bank, 161; Bochumer, 123; Harpener, 134; private discount, 2½; short exchange on London, 20.53½; long exchange on London, 20.24½.

FRANKFORT, Nov. 13.—Prices on the boerse have firmed up during the week past, and there was a general advance in international stocks. Saturday's closing quotations, including Hungarian gold rentes, 95.60; Austrian credit, 266. Private discount, ⅝.

Carriage Hire.

Boston Home Journal.

A stablekeeper had overcharged me, as I thought, and I was expostulating vigorously, when he coolly remarked:

"But, my dear sir, you had an open carriage."

"Well, what if I did? Does it take any more horses to draw any open carriage? Does it take any more men to drive one?"

"Well, perhaps not," said he; "but then you got the air and the better view."

"And do you mean to tell me," said I, "that you are charging me for the air?"

"Well, we don't put it just that way," said he, "but that is about the size of it."

So I had paid for the carriage, for the horses and for the men, as well as for