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SUGAR'S MARKED DECLINE.

LOSSES IN INDUSTRIALS ARE CHECKED AND TRADING IS WELL DISTRIBUTED.

STERLING EXCHANGE EASIER.

Lead Heavy and Tobacco as Erratic as Ever—Bond Market Active.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Except for a brief period of depression in the opening trading and some slight reactions in the last hour, the general market was strong today. At the opening there was a renewal of yesterday's selling of the international specialties, principally of St. Paul, but this stock, as well as the other grangers and the entire railway list, was well supported by the home traders and the only material declines were in the industrial group, Sugar being the chief sufferer with a break of 1¾ per cent. Unfavorable trade conditions were the causes which led to the decline in Sugar, inducing a heavy selling movement, for some of which the bears were responsible, but there were also liberal liquidations. Buying of the grangers checked the decline before the end of the first quarter of an hour and the business was gradually distributed, bringing about an advancing tendency which gained force as the day advanced and which reached its height before delivery hour.

The continued ease of the sterling exchange market, the absence of bills drawn against prospective gold shipments, and the fact that there were no engagements of the yellow metal for shipment to Europe by Saturday's steamer, were the factors in the appreciation of the share values. The principal gains were Lake Erie & Western pfd, 4¾; Lake Erie & Western common, 1¾; Sugar, 2¾; Chicago Gas, 2⅝; Rubber, 1⅝; Leather pfd, 1½; Northwest, 1⅜; Distilling and Minneapolis & St. Louis, 1¼, Minneapolis & St. Louis pfd, 1¼, and Colorado Fuel, 1 per cent. In the later trading realizing sales caused small reactions in part of the list, which were mainly recovered except in the case of Lake Erie & Western pfd, which closed 1¼ per cent below the high figure of the day, but 3¾ higher than last night's closing price.

The Lead shares were heavy and made losses of 1 per cent for the common and 2½ for the preferred, sales thereof being induced by the failure of the directors of the company at their meeting today to advance the price of white lead, as it was expected they would. Tobacco moved in its accustomed erratic course, receding ¼ per cent to 93½ and advancing to 96, reacting to 93½, selling up to 96½, and closing at 95⅞. During the last hour there was selling of National Linseed and Cotton Oil, which fell off 2¼ and 1¼ per cent respectively. New England lost 2¼ per cent on the day's transactions, and Chicago & Eastern Illinois pfd, 1 per cent. The general market closed strong and in the main at advances on yesterday's final figures.

Bonds were active and firm. Houston & Texas Central debenture 6s rose 9 per cent; Oregon Short Line consol 5s, 2¾; Oregon Short Line trust receipts, 1; Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio 1sts, 2; St. Paul, C. & M. 5s, 1¾; International and Great Northern 2ds, 1½, and Missouri, Kansas & Eastern 1sts, 1 per cent. The sales were $1,768,000.

The total sales of stocks today were 261,745, including: American Sugar, 8,200; Tobacco, 41,400; Atchison, 4,400; Burlington, 4,500; Chesapeake & Ohio, 3,500; Chicago Gas, 23,200; Distilling and Cattle Feeding Co., 8,700; Lake Erie & Western, 3,300; Missouri Pacific 4,300; Reading, 4,500; Rock Island, 14,000; St. Paul, 26,100.

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The following table shows the fluctuations of the leading railway and industrial stocks yesterday:

	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
Am. Tobacco	94	96½	93¾	95⅞
Atchison	17½	17⅞	17½	17⅝
Am. Cotton Oil	25¾	25⅞	24⅞	25
C., B. & Q.	90¾	91	90½	90¾
C., C., C. & St. L.	49	49⅝	49	48¾
Ches. & Ohio	21⅛	21⅛	20	20⅝
Chicago Gas	60⅝	61⅞	59½	61⅝
Cordage	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
Del. & Hudson				131
D. & G. F. Co.	20⅝	21⅞	20½	21
Erie	8½	8½	8	8¾
do pfd				20½
General Electric	37	37	35⅞	36⅝
Hocking Valley	25	25	24½	24¼
Illinois Central				101
Jersey Central	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
Lead	35½	35½	34⅝	35
Louis. & Nash.	61	61¼	61	61⅛
Lake Shore	151⅛	152	151½	152
Manhattan Con.	114½	115	114½	114¼
Missouri Pacific	38	38¼	37¾	38
N. P. pfd	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
N. Y. Central	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞
Northwestern	102½	103¾	102⅝	103⅜
N. Y. & N. E.	59⅞	60	59½	60⅛
North American	5⅜	5¾	5⅝	5¾
Omaha	42	42⅝	42	42
do pfd				178
Oil	28⅞	28⅞	28½	28½
Reading	18⅜	18¾	18¼	18⅜
Rock Island	81¼	82	81⅛	81¾
Southern Ry.	13½	13⅝	13½	13½
do pfd	40½	40½	40	40
Sugar Refinery	107½	110⅛	106¾	110¼
do pfd	102	102	101¼	101¾
St. Paul	72⅜	72⅞	72⅜	72
Tennessee Coal	35⅝	35⅝	35⅛	35½
Union Pacific	13⅝	13⅝	13⅜	13½
Western Union	93⅞	93⅞	93¾	93¾
Wabash				9
do pfd	21½	21⅞	21¼	21½
M.& St.L.1st pfd				85
do second pfd				57

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Following are the closing prices of other stocks as reported by the Associated Press:

Adams Ex.	147	N. Y. & N. E.	60⅛
American Ex.	113½	Oregon Imp.	8
Bal. & Ohio	24¼	Oregon Nav.	20
Canada Pac.	53	O. S.L.& U.N.	10
Cen. Pacific	18⅛	Rio G. W.	17½
Ches. & Ohio	20⅛	do pfd	40
Chicago & Alt.	160	Rock Island	81¾
C., B. & Q.	90¾	St. Paul	72½
Con. Gas	142⅞	do pfd	178
C.,C.,C.& S.L.	48¾	Tenn. C. & I.	35½
Col. C. & I.	62	Texas Pacific	12
Del. & Hud.	131	T. & O. C. pfd	78
Del., L. & W.	162½	U. S. Express	43
D. & R.G. pfd	47¼	Wells-F. Ex.	109
Erie pfd	20½	W. & A. E.	14¼
Fort Wayne	163	do pfd	50½
Gt. Nth'n pfd	125	M. & St. L.	2¼
C. & E. I pfd	163¼	D. & R. G.	14¾
Hock. Valley	24¼	Col. F. & I.	37
Illinois Cent.	101	do pfd	92
St. Paul & D.	78½	H. & T. Cent.	2¾
Kan. & Tpkd.	3⅞	T.A.A.& N.M	1½
Louis. & Nash	61⅛	T.S.L.& K.C.	7
Louis.& N. A.	83	do pfd	14½
Mobile & Ohio	21½	Southern	13⅜
Nash & Chat.	70	do pfd	40⅞
Nor. & W.pfd.	13¼	Tobacco	95⅞
U. P., D. & G.	6	do pfd	106½
N. W. pfd	146	St. P.,M. & M	115½

Bonds.

U. S. 4s, reg.	122¼	C. P. 1sts,	95.102
do coup	122¼	D. & R. G. 7s.	115
do 5s, reg.	115⅝	do 4s	89
do 5s, coup.	115⅝	Erie seconds.	68½
do 4s, reg.	112¼	G.,H.& S.A.	68.107
do 4s, coup.	112½	do 7s	104½
do 2s, reg.	96½	H. & T. C. 5s,	111
Pacific 6s,	95.100	do 6s	110
Ala., Class A.	108	M.,K.& T.1st4s	89½
do B	108	do second 4s.	64⅞
do C	99	Mut. Union 6s.	110
do Currency.	99	N. J. C. G. 5s.	118
La. new 4s	99	N. P. 1sts	117¾
Missouri 6s	100	do seconds	102
N. C. 6s	125	N. W. Cons.	141¾
do 4s	103	do S.F.deb.5s	112½
S.C.Non-Fund	1¼	R. G. W. 1sts.	76½
Tenn. new 6s	99	St. P. C. 7s	127
do 5s	105	do C.&P.W.5s	116
do old 6s	60	S.L.& I.M.G.5s	84½
Va. Centuries.	63½	S.L.& S.F.G.6s	110
do dfd	6	T. P. 1sts	93
Atchison 4s	89¾	do seconds	28
do second A.	33⅝	U. P. 1sts,	96.106¾
Can. So. 2ds	108¾	West Shore 4s.	107½
O.R.& N. 1sts.	111½	Southern 5s	96

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New York Money.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Money on call easy at 1 per cent; last loan, 1; closed, 1. Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4½. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.90@4.90¼ for demand and $4.89@4.89¼ for sixty days. Posted rates, $4.89½@4.90 and $4.90½@4.91. Commercial bills, $4.88@4.88½. Silver certificates, 66¾@67c.

Chicago Money.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Clearings, $13,894,000. Money easy at 4@4½ per cent for call loans and 5@5½ for commercial paper. New York exchange 65c discount. Bankers' (London) sterling, $4.90 and $4.89.

New York Bonds.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds firm.

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London Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The Evening Post's London cable says: "Of this week's increase in the Bank of England's coin and bullion £1,067,000 was gold imported, the details being £953,000 bars bought from the cape, America and elsewhere; £1,000 sovereigns imported from Australia; 49,000 from Bombay, and 14,000 from Paris. The return is nearly the strongest on record, and has weakened the discount market. The large efflux of gold to South America today is believed to be for Chili and Argentina. The stock markets were idle but firmer; Americans were irregular; Northern Pacific bonds were flat, and St. Paul was strong on crop prospects. Prices closed at the best, but with no dealings here. Kaffirs are monopolizing attention. The decline in exchange had a good effect, but the heavy trade balance against the United States is urged by bears as in their favor. Is this phase of the question which carries weight too, in the money market.

Bank of England's Statement.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England issued today shows the following changes as compared with the previous account: Total reserve, increase, £1,360,000; circulation, increase, £30,000; bullion, increase, £1,385,489; other securities, increase, £396,000; other deposits, increase, £292,000; public deposits, increase, £1,432,000; notes reserve, increase, £1,326,000; government securities unchanged. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability, which last week was 58.51 per cent, is now 59.17.

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LIVE STOCK.

Only a Fair Demand for Cattle—Market Steady.

UNION STOCK YARDS—Receipts—Hogs, 200 head; cattle, 300 head; calves, 20 head; sheep, 143 head.

Hogs—Market steady. There was a very light run, and all sold to city butchers at good prices. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
10	264	$4 45	15	181	$4 50
3	200	4 45	59	270	4 50

Cattle—Market steady with Wednesday. There was only a fair demand for butcher cattle, and trading was rather slow. Stockers and feeders in good demand, and light stockers about steady with last week. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
5	canners	992 $2 00	10	cows	919 $2 35
3	canners	953 1 65	1	cow	980 2 15
1	bull	1210 1 85	2	cows	885 2 25
1	bulls	1075 1 85	5	cows	920 2 00
1	bull	920 2 00	21	cows	1055 2 85
6	bulls	1128 2 15	1	calf	160 4 50
2	bulls	950 1 95	3	calves	120 4 50
6	bulls	1140 2 15	2	calves	145 4 00
1	bull	930 1 75	1	c and c for	27 50
1	bull	1030 1 75	1	c and c for	20 00
1	bull	1190 1 70	2	mixed	755 1 75
5	oxen	1494 2 50	2	mixed	402 1 80
1	ox	1450 2 00	15	mixed	408 1 80
2	oxen	1600 2 00	5	stockers	580 2 50
3	oxen	1596 2 70	5	stockers	736 2 65
2	oxen	1725 2 80	2	stockers	870 2 75
10	oxen	177 3 00	1	stocker	850 2 40
1	heifer	770 2 35	4	stockers	925 2 50
1	heifer	870 2 90	18	st'kers	572 2 40
1	heifer	860 2 15	13	st'kers	814 2 60
5	cows	1018 2 15	17	feeders	1027 2 85
1	cow	690 2 25	9	feeders	916 2 80
19	cows	855 2 15	1	feeder	970 3 00
11	cows	1019 2 25	1	steer	1110 3 60
1	cow	1010 2 00			

Sheep—Not much offered. There was a fair demand for good muttons and lambs. No inquiry for common stuff. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
34	lambs	77 $3 75	45	mixed	79 $2 75
6	muttons	98 2 50	38	lambs	67 3 70

NEW BRIGHTON.—Cattle—Market steadier and stronger; receipts, 3,680 head.

Representative Sales—

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
44	1,210	$3 75	67	1,150	$3 65

Hogs—Market weak; demand for light hogs good.

Representative Sales—

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
72	235	$4 55	69	325	$4 50

Sheep—Market higher; receipts, 4,500 head.

Representative Sales—

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
175	115	$2 75	68	115	$2 80

MINNESOTA TRANSFER—Cattle—Too few were offered today to permit of much activity. One load of North Dakotas sold at firm prices for quality. Demand is heavy, especially on the better grades.

Representative Sales—

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
10	feeders	1,000 $3 10	1	canner	885 $1 75
2	steers	1,242 3 25	3	cows	1,000 2 25
4	cows	950 2 35	2	cows, each	24 00
8	cows	980 2 35	1	springer	22 00

Hogs—Dull, with nothing to report.

Sheep—Arrivals were not offered and buyers were disappointed, as they are in need of fat sheep and lambs and will pay stiff current prices for same.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Today's cattle receipts estimated at 13,000 head. In some cases were lower; bulk of sales, $4.50@5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4; bulls, $1.80@4; cows and heifers, $1.25@4.25; veal calves, $3.75@6. About 1,500 head of Texans were received. Sales were mostly at $3@3.25 for steers.

Hogs were weak, declining 10c per 100 pounds; heavy hogs sold at $4.15@4.75; mixed lots, $4.25@4.75; common to choice light weights, $4.40@4.90; packing, $4.45@4.55; shipping lots, $4.60@4.70.

Sheep were not any lower and trade was fairly good at $1.25@3.60 for inferior to choice natives and $2.25@2.90 for Montana, Wyoming and Utah sheep. Lambs were in greater supply and had a fall of 15@25c; common to choice, $2.80@5. Receipts—Cattle, 13,000 head; calves, 800 head; hogs, 22,000 head; sheep, 14,000 head.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,600; market steady; native beef steers, $3.50@5.50; Western steers, $3.25@4.25; Texas steers, $2.50@3.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4; calves, $2@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,200 head; active and 10@15c lower; heavy, $4.40@4.55; mixed, $4.25@4.50; light, $4.30@4.55. Sheep—Receipts, 200; market steady; fair to choice natives, $2.50@3.25; fair to choice Westerns, $2.25@3.

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GROWING WEAKER.

WHEAT CONTINUES TO DROP AND LONGS ARE BADLY CAUGHT.

HEAVY EARLY REDUCTION.

SOME OF THE LOSS REGAINED BUT NOT ENOUGH OF IT.

PLENTY OF WHEAT FOR SALE.

Corn Lower by Another Penny—Oats and Provisions Also Decline.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—All the speculative markets were lower again today. Compared with the closing prices of the day before, the following are the additional losses which the longs have to pay: Wheat, ⅝c; corn, 1c; oats, ⅛c. Provisions also declined. Lower cables and increasing receipts weakened wheat, and the other markets had troubles of their own. There was a firm feeling in wheat at the opening, which seemed to be due almost entirely to the fact that cables did not come as demoralized as expected; there was some disposition among shorts to cover and there was not much for sale. The market held comparatively firm for the first hour or so at ¼@½c above the close yesterday. But the later advices as to the foreign situation were discouraging. It was said that foreigners were reselling at the seaboard, and that offers of wheat were being constantly rejected as too high.

The deliveries in the Northwest were nearly 100 cars larger than yesterday, and the professional sentiment gradually turned bearish. A good many longs, who have been losing steadily for some days and were thoroughly discouraged, threw their holdings on the market, and sellers became active and aggressive. All this quickly caused a break, during which the price dropped 1⅛c from the high point early and ⅝@⅞c below the close yesterday. The local situation—as far as the local and primary receipts are concerned—is still bullish, but other conditions were such as to cause this feature to be ignored. September sold at 63½c up to 63⅜c, but turned downward, and finally fell to 62½c, and at noon was 62¼c. The weakness continued during the last hour, as the liquidation kept up, and September gradually sold to 61⅝@61¾c, reacted to 62c, and closed at 62⅛c.

A small fraction was added to the price of corn at the opening, but it and a large round lump besides were hammered off in the course of the day. The country was selling corn in the pit for September delivery. Receipts were 539 cars by rail and 15,799 bu by canal, and the estimated receipts for tomorrow are 70 cars. September opened at 36½c, sold as high as 36⅞c and then gradually down to 35½c, recovering to 35⅞@36c and closing at 35¾@35⅞c. May dropped from 32¾c at the opening to 32⅛c and closed at 32¼c.

Oats held steady for a time but turned weak with corn. September sold up to 20½c and fell to 19⅝c. A weaker feeling ruled during the last hour and September touched 19⅝c, closing at 19⅞c.

The provision market was weak from the opening to the close and the lowest prices of the day were current as the session was coming to an end. Compared with yesterday's final prices pork lost 22½c; lard from 7½ to 10c and ribs from 10c to 12½c. The lower live hog market and selling by packers caused the declines.

Estimates for Friday: Wheat, 100 cars; corn, 700 cars; oats, 210 cars; hogs, 16,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
Wheat No. 2—				
Aug.	62⅝	62¾	61⅛	61½
Sept.	63¼	63⅝	61¾	62⅛
Dec.	65⅝	65¾	64⅛	64½
May	69¾	70⅛	68⅞	68⅞
Corn No. 2—				
Aug.	...	...	...	35⅞
Sept.	36¾	37	35½	35¾
Dec.	31¾	31¾	31	31¼
May	32⅝	32¾	32⅛	32¼
Oats No. 2—				
Aug.	...	...	...	20
Sept.	20	20⅛	19⅝	19⅞
Oct.	19½	19¾	19¼	19½
May	23	23¼	22⅞	22⅞
Mess Pork—				
Sept.	9 75	9 77½	9 55	9 57½
Oct.	9 75	9 80	9 60	9 60
Jan.	10 07½	10 12½	9 85	9 92½
Lard—				
Sept.	6 05	6 07½	6 00	6 00
Oct.	6 12½	6 15	6 05	6 05
Jan.	6 07½	6 07½	5 97½	6 00
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	6 05	6 07½	5 97½	6 00
Oct.	6 07½	6 10	6 02½	6 02½
Jan.	5 22½	5 25	5 12½	5 12½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Weak. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 61½@62½c; No. 3 spring, 59@62½c; No. 2 red, 61½@62¾c. Corn—No. 2, 36¼@36¾c. Oats—No. 2, 20c; No. 2 white, 22¾@23½c; No. 3 white, 20½@21½c. Rye—No. 2, 43@43½c. Barley—No. 2 nominal; No. 3, 30@40c; No. 4 nominal. Flax Seed—No. 1, $1.05@1.05½. Timothy Seed—Prime, $4.15. Mess Pork—Per bbl, $9.62½@9.75. Lard—Per 100 lbs, $6.00@6.02½. Short Ribs—Sides (loose), $6@6.05. Shoulders—Dry salted (boxed), $5.58@5.58¾. Sides—Short clear (boxed), $6.58@6.58¾. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.22. Sugars—Unchanged. Receipts—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 34,000 bu; corn, 281,000 bu; oats, 182,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 4,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 4,000 bbls; wheat, 51,000 bu; corn, 151,000 bu; oats, 164,000 bu; barley, 2,000 bu. On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 11½@19½c; dairies, 9½@16½c. Eggs firm, 12@12½c. Cheese, 6¾@7¾c.

Duluth and Superior Grain.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 22.—Futures closed ⅞c lower than yesterday. The quotations for cash and August wheat were changed today to new wheat. The close was: No. 1 hard, cash, 61¾c; August, 61⅝c; No. 1 northern, cash, 60¾c; August, 60¾c; September, 60¾c; December, 61½c; No. 2 northern, cash, 59c; No. 3, 57c; rejected, 50c. To arrive: No. 1 hard, 63⅜c; No. 1 northern, 62⅞c. New wheat to arrive: No. 1 hard, 61¾c; No. 1 northern, 60⅝c. Rye, 41c; oats, No. 2, 21½c; flax, September, $1.02¼. Receipts—Wheat, 38,378 bu; rye, 517 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 87,800, bu; oats, 3,832 bu. Car Inspection—Wheat, 105; oats, 1; rye, 3.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

Bears Have Their Own Way in Wheat Operations.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Wheat—Receipts, 77,180 bu; exports, 76,300 bu; spot market more active; No. 2 red, 67⅞c; No. 2 northern, 69⅜c; No. 1 hard, 70¼c. Options were strong during the morning on an absence of liquidation, local covering and general bullish sentiment. Outside support was lacking, however, and a bear raid at noon smashed the market, leading to liquidations, with a final upturn on export buying, closing ¼@⅜c lower; May, 72⅝@73⅜c; September, 67@68⅜c, closing at 67⅝c; December, 69@70⅜c. Flour—Receipts, 15,100 bbls; exports, 12,200 bbls; weak and more active on spring patents; winters more or less nominal, concessions being necessary to sell; winter patents, $3.55; Minnesota patents, $3.60@3.70; winter extras, $2.80@3.05; Minnesota bakers', $2.05@3.20; winter low grades, $2.15@2.70; spring low grades, $1.90@2.45; rye flour steady; cornmeal more active. Corn—Receipts, 181,900 bu; exports, 169,700 bu; spot market weak but active; No. 2, 40⅜c elevator, 44⅛c afloat; options developed extreme weakness during the day under liquidation induced by prospects of rain in the corn belt, but finally rallied on an export demand, closing ⅛@⅜c net lower; September, 41¼@42½c, closing at 41¾c; December, 38⅜@39c, closing at 38⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 20,400 bu; exports, 95,500 bu; spot dull and lower; No. 2, 25½@26c; No. 2 white, 28c nominal; options dull and weaker, closing unchanged to ¼c lower; September, 24¼@24⅜c, closing at 24¼c.

Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 22.—Wheat—Spot quiet; demand poor; No. 2 red winter, 5s 2d; No. 2 red spring, 5s 5d; No. 1 California, 5s 2d; futures opened steady with near and distant positions ¼d lower; closed steady, with near positions unchanged to ¼d lower and distant positions unchanged; business about equally distributed; August, 5s 1¾d; September, 5s 1⅜d; October, 5s 1¾d; November, 5s 2¼d; December, 5s 2¾d; January, 5s 3d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed new, 3s 9d; futures opened quiet, with near positions ¼d lower and distant positions ½d lower; closed steady, with near positions ½@¾d lower and distant positions unchanged to ¼d lower; business heaviest on early positions; August, 3s 8½d; September, 3s 8½d; October, 3s 8¾d; November, 3s 9d; December, 3s 8¾d; January, 3s 6d. Flour firm; demand poor; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 22.—Flour dull and lower. Wheat higher; No. 2 spring, 61¾c; No. 1 northern, 63c; September, 61⅝c. Corn steady; No. 3, 38c. Oats dull, lower; No. 2 white, 23½c; No. 3 white, 22½c. Barley dull; No. 2, 44c; sample, 32@41½c. Rye steady; No. 1, 46c. Provisions weaker. Pork, $9.65. Lard, $6.10.

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Day's Quotations on Flour, Grain and Produce.

Wheat—No. 1 hard	64@65c
Wheat—No. 1 northern	63½@64c
Wheat—No. 2 northern	62@63
Corn—No. 3	38@39c
Corn—No. 3 yellow	39@40c
Oats—No. 3 white	22@22½c
Oats—No. 3	19@20
Rye—No. 2	39@40c
Flour—Patent	$3.90@4.20
Flour—Straight	$3.50@3.80
Flour—Bakers'	$2.50@2.80
Flour—Rye	$2.40@2.80
Cornmeal—Bolted	$2.40@2.80
Ground Feed—No. 1	$15.50@16
Ground Feed—No. 2	$15.50@16
Ground Feed—No. 3	$15.50@16
Bran—Bulk	$11@11.50
Shorts—Bulk	$13@14
Hay—No. 1 upland prairie	$7@8
Hay—No. 2 upland prairie	$6.50@7
Hay—No. 1 wild	$6.50@7
Hay—No. 1 timothy	$10.50@11
Straw	$3.50@4

Butter—Fancy separator, 18½@19c; extra creamery, 16@16½c; first creamery, 12@14c; second creamery, 11@12c; fancy dairy, 14@16c; first dairy, 11@12c; second dairy, 8@9c; common roll and print, 8@8½c; packing stock, 8@8½c; grease, 3@4c.

Cheese—Full cream, 8@9c; primost, 5@6c; brick cheese, 8½@10c; Limburger cheese, 9@10c; Young America, 9@10c; Swiss, 10@12½c; skims, 5c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, toms, 7@8c; turkeys, hens, 8@9c; chickens, 8½@3c; hens, 6½@7c; mixed, 6@6½c; cox, young, 5c; cox, old, 4c; ducks, spring, 8@9c; geese, 6@7c.

Eggs—Fresh, cases returned, 9½@10c.

Vegetables—Onions, yellow, bu, 80c@$1; onions, Minnesota, red, bu, 75@90c; onions, bu, white, $1; cauliflower, per doz, 30@40c; cabbage, doz, 12@15c; beets, bu, 30@35c; parsnips, bu, 30@40c; rutabagas, bu, 20@25c; cucumbers, per bu, 15@20c; spinach, bu, 15@20c; pie plant, per lb, 1c; string beans, bu, 20@25c; tomatoes, home-grown, bu, 25@30c; egg plant, doz, 50@60c; peas, bu, 20@25c.

Dressed Meats—Mutton, packing house stock, 6@6½c; mutton, country, 4½@5c; veal, fancy, 5½@6c; veal, medium, 4@5c; lamb, spring, 5@7c.

Pork, Beef, Hides, Hams, Etc.—Hides, steer, green, per lb, 8@8½c; hides, cow, green, per lb, 7@7½c; hides, calf, green, per lb, 13c; hides, steer, salt, per lb, 10c; hides, cow, salt, per lb, 8½c; pelts, 25@30c; wool, washed, 13@17c; wool, unwashed, 7@10c; tallow, 4@4½c; pork, mess, $12.50@13; beef, mess, $8.50@9; bacon, $9@10c; hams, $10@11; hams, picnic, $6@7; dried beef, 9½@11c; lard, $6.50@7; hops, 7@9c.

Oranges—Seedlings, $2.25@2.50; Med. sweets, $2.75@3; Messinas, $3@3.25; Malas, $3@3.25.

Lemons—Extra fancy, $5.50@6; fancy, $4.50@5.

Bananas—Port Limons, $1.75@2; Honduras, No. 1, $1.50@1.75; Honduras, No. 2, $1@1.50; cocoanuts, per 100, $4@4.50; pineapples, doz, $1.75@2.

California Fruits—Peaches, box, free, 90c@$1; plums, crate, $1@1.25; plums, Minnesota, bu, $1.25@1.50; pears, Bartletts, bbl, $4@4.50; pears, Bartletts, box, $1.75@2; pears, La Belle, bbl, $2.50@2.75; pears, Sickle, bbl, $5@5.50.

Berries and Grapes—Blackberries, crate, $2@2.25; blueberries, 16-quart crate, $1.75@2; blueberries, bu, $3.50@4; grapes, Ives, basket, 20c; grapes, California, Muscat, box, $1.25@1.50; grapes, Concord, 10 lbs, 22@23c; grapes, Concord, stand, $3.50@4; grapes, Delaware, crate, $1.75@2.

Melons—Watermelons, $8@15; canteloupes, basket, 40@50c; muskmelons, per 100, $7@10.

Apples—Fancy stand, bbl, $2@2.25; fancy, bbl, $1.75@2; standard, bbl, $1.50@1.75.

Potatoes—Minnesota, bu, 17@19c.

Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, per lb, 7½@9c; peaches, peeled, 16@18c; peaches, unpealed, 7@9c; pears, 6@8c; apricots, 8@10c; raspberries, 22@24c; blackberries, 7½@9c; prunes, California, French, 5@9c; cherries, 12@15c.

Game and Fish—Black bass, 10@11c; pike, 6@7c; pickerel, 5c; croppies, 5c.

Fish—Receipts are small and demand is good. Black bass, 8c; pike, 4c; pickerel, 1@2c; small fish, 1@2c.

Minneapolis Horse Market.

Barrett & Zimmerman's report: The market is firm and steady, but the receipts and sales were very light. The demand is good and the prices quotably unchanged. Some of the sales were:

		Av.	Price.
Black mare,	6 years	1,400	$95
Bay mare,	7 years	1,400	95
Black horse,	7 years	1,350	90

New York Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The feature of the market continues to be its inherent strength from natural causes, or that of a demand equal to, if not in excess, of the supply of the much larger portion of the production. There was an order demand from all markets of the country for staple cottons, wool and cotton blankets, printed fabrics, dress goods, underwear, silks and other seasonable specialties, and the sales were large, independent of the spot demand. Printing cloths were very firm at 3c for spot and contracts, with free sales of the latter.

Real Estate Transfers.

Pauline Nininger to Henry Brown, lt 6, blk 3, Summit Park add	$1,950
Thomas H. Efield to Lizzie S. Robertson, lt 9, Hendrickson's add	2,000
William M. Smith to Maggie Smith, lt 5, blk 2, plat No. 1, St Clair st and Short Line add	1,200
William Robert and wife to Andrew P. Robert, lt 9, blk 55, Lyman Dayton's add	2,500
Sarah Milner to E. H. Hobe and G. J. Lomen, w 26 acres, lt 1, sec 11, t 30, r 22 w	2,700
Sarah E. Curtis and husband to John H. Nickel, lt 22, blk 1, Haldeman's add	2,300
City of St. Paul Building Society to John Clarkson, lts 2 and 3, Fisher's add	1,280
City of St. Paul Building Society to Thomas R. C. Taylor, lt 27, blk 15, Eastville Heights	1,650
Strella L. White and wife to Dorotha Rich, lts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, blk 5, St Anthony Park West	2,000
Walter E. White to Dorotha Rich, lts 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 22, blk 8, St. Anthony Park West	2,000
Three (3) transfers	2,050

Transfers, 13; consideration..$21,630