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WHEAT WAS BEARISH

RAPID ACCUMULATION OF STOCKS AND POOR EXPERT DEMAND ENCOURAGED LIQUIDATION

CORN LOST EARLY ADVANCE

Wheat Opened Easy, Following Indifferent Foreign Markets and Large Argentine Shipments—Demand Was Light, and More Generous Short Selling Started Prices on the Down Grade—Oats Dull.

	Close.	Prev. day.
Dec. wheat, Minneapolis	68½	69⅛
Dec. wheat, Chicago	72¼	73
Dec. wheat, New York	76⅞	77½
Dec. wheat, Duluth	69⅜	69⅝

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—The rapid accumulation of stocks, together with a poor export demand, encouraged liquidation in wheat today and December closed with a loss of ⅜c. Corn lost an early advance on profit taking and closed practically unchanged. Oats declined ⅛@⅜c. Provisions were dull and closed a shade lower.

Wheat opened easy, following indifferent foreign markets and large Argentine shipments. The demand was light and more generous short selling soon started the market on the down grade. About the middle of the session reports of damage by drouth and insects to the new crop in the Southwest caused a slight rally, but the market was soon weighed down again by a resumption of short selling and liquidation induced by steadily increasing stocks all over the world.

There was a slight rally near the close on buying by shorts who put out several long lines of wheat on the early bulge and took advantage of the bulge to buy in and secure profits and the market closed with buyers in the majority. December opened a shade lower at 72½@72⅝c, declined to 72⅜c, rose to 72⅝c, sold off again to 72c and closed with buyers at 72¼c.

Chicago receipts, 194 cars, three of which graded contract. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts, including two days' receipts at the former, were 1,164 cars, against 1,244 for one day at both places a year ago. Total primary receipts were 1,396,000 bushels, as compared with 1,495,000 bushels last year. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour equaled 673,000 bushels. Argentine shipments for this week were heavy, amounting to 1,176,000 bushels, making over 52,000,000 bushels so far since Jan. 1 of last season's crop, and the visible supply in that country was reported to amount to 5,838,000 bushels, as against 560,000 the same time last year. Minneapolis and Duluth stocks of wheat were estimated to have increased 1,700,000 bushels during the past week, and Chicago stocks over 500,000 bushels. New York reported thirty-two boat loads sold for export, but the cash demand here was very slow.

Corn ruled active and stronger early, influenced by higher cables and an excellent demand. Later, however, the market turned weak with wheat. The decline was hastened by liquidation and profit taking. Receipts were 688 cars. Exports from Atlantic ports for the day were 650,000 bushels, and New York reported sixty boat loads disposed of for export. December opened a shade higher at 31⅜@31½c, advanced to 31¾c, declined to 31⅛c and closed at 31¼c.

Oats ruled dull and lower, in sympathy with wheat and corn. Longs sold freely. Receipts heavy, 308 cars. Cash demand fair; December opened unchanged at 23¼@23⅜c, declined to 22⅞c and closed at 23c.

Liquidation weakened provisions early, but the decline was fully recovered near the end on buying by commission houses with English connections. The foreign demand for cut meats was greater than packers were inclined to fill at the nominal price. January pork and ribs closed unchanged at $9.57½ and $5 respectively. January lard closed a shade lower at $5.30@5.32½.

Estimates for Saturday: Wheat, 170 cars, corn, 640; oats, 300; hogs, 17,000.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—				
October	70⅛	70⅝	70	70¼
December	72½-⅝	72⅝	72	72¼
May	75½-⅝	75⅝-¾	75-75⅛	75⅝
Corn—				
October	32-⅛	32¼	31⅞	31⅞
December	31⅝-½	31¾	31⅛	31¼
May	32½	32⅝	32⅛	32¼
Oats—				
December	23¼-⅜	23¼-⅜	22⅞	23
May	24¾-⅞	24⅞	24⅜	24½
Pork—				
December	8 10	8 12½	8 02½	8 12½
January	9 55	9 57½	9 50	9 57½
Lard—				
December	5 32½	5 32½	5 30	5 32½
January	5 45	5 45	5 40	5 45
Ribs—				
December	4 85	4 87½	4 85	4 87½
January	4 97½	5 00	4 95	5 00

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Steady. Wheat—No. 3 spring, 67½@68c; No. 2 red, 73¼c. Corn—No. 2, 32½c; No. 2 yellow, 32½@32¾c. Oats—No. 2, 23c; No. 2 white, 26¾c; No. 3 white, 24¾c. Rye—No. 2, 55½c. Barley—No. 2, 38¾@45c. Flaxseed—Northwest, $1.24½@1.25. Clover Seed—$7.50. Timothy—Prime, $2.35. Pork—Mess, per bbl, $8@8.05. Lard—Per 100 lbs, $5.30@5.35. Ribs—Short sides (loose), $4.85@5.25. Shoulders—Dry salted (boxed), 6@6¼c. Sides—Short clear (boxed), $5.50@5.60. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.22. Sugar—Cut loaf, 5.70c; granulated, 5.18c. Receipts—Flour, 21,000 bbls; wheat, 150,000 bu; corn, 628,000 bu; oats, 342,000 bu; rye, 15,000 bu; barley, 149,000. Shipments—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 15,000 bu; corn, 624,000 bu; oats, 259,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 14,000 bu. On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 15@23c; dairies, 13½@19c. Eggs—Steady; fresh, 16½c. Cheese—Strong; creams, 11¾@12¼c.

MINNEAPOLIS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 13.—Wheat opened lower.

December wheat opened at 68¾c, against 69⅛c, Wednesday's close, lost 1-16c, advanced to 68¾@68⅞c, sold at 68⅝@68¾c, dropped to 68½c, advanced to 68½@68⅝c, declined to 68⅜c, firmed up to 68⅝c, lost 1-16c by 11:25 a. m., and by noon held at 68¼@68⅜c.

May wheat opened at 72c, being ⅛c under Wednesday's close, gained ⅛c, sold at 71⅞c, firmed up to 72c, sold down to 71½@71⅝c, firmed up to 71⅝@71¾c by 11:25, and by noon held at 71⅜@71½c.

The cash wheat market was very slow, especially for anything under No. 1 northern, and at noon it looked as though a larger quantity than usual would have to be carried over unless material concessions are made. No. 1 ordinary sold at December price. Choice would probably bring a premium, but there is no urgent demand for even this.

The market was a little stronger during the noon hour on large clearances and a reported improvement in the foreign demand.

October wheat closed at 69c, December at 68½c, and May at 71⅝c.

Wheat.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing Fri.	Closing Wed.
May	72	72⅛	71⅜-½	71⅝	72⅛
October	....	....	....	69	69⅝
December	68¾	68¾-⅞	68¼-⅜	68½	69⅛

On Track—No. 1 hard, 70¼c; No. 1 northern, 68¼c; No. 2 northern, 65½c; October oats, 22⅞c; October corn, 29¾c; flaxseed, $1.16¾.

Curb on December wheat, sellers, 69½c.

Puts on December wheat, 69¼@69⅜c.

Calls on December wheat, 69⅝@69¾c.

Flour—The flour market is said by millers to be flat and unprofitable, but they keep on grinding and selling their output. First patents, $3.85@3.95; second patents, $3.65@3.75; first clears, $2.80@2.90; second clears, $2.30@2.35.

Following are the quotations in cotton sacks, 98 and 49 lbs: Rye flour, per bbl, pure, $2.60; rye flour, per bbl, XXX, $2.40; rye flour, per bbl, Standard, $2.80; graham flour, per bbl, $2.75.

Bran in bulk, $10.50@10.75; shorts in bulk, $10.50@10.75; middlings in bulk, $12@12.50.

Corn—No. 3 corn, 29½@30c for yellow.

Oats—No. 3 oats, 22¾@23⅛c; No. 3 white, 23@23⅝c for choice.

Rye—No. 2 rye quoted at 54c.

Barley ranges from 38@40c. Choice malting held a little higher.

Feed—Trade is growing better, and from now on should increase gradually. Coarse corn meal and cracked corn in sacks, per ton, sacks extra, to jobbers only, $12.25@12.50; No. 1 ground feed, 2-3 corn, 1-3 oats, 80-lb sacks, sacks extra, $12.75@13; No. 2 ground feed, ½ corn, ½ oats, 75-lb sacks, sacks extra, $13.25@13.50; No. 3 ground feed, 2-3 oats, 75-lb sacks, sacks extra, $13.75@14.

SAMPLE SALES.

No. 1 hard, 1 car, 70¼c.
No. 1 northern, 11 cars, 68¾c.
No. 1 northern, 7 cars, 68½c.
No. 1 northern, 11 cars, 68⅝c.
No. 1 northern, 6 cars, 69c.
No. 1 northern, 3 cars, choice, 69¾c.
No. 1 northern, 1 car, 68⅞c.
No. 1 northern, 1 car, fancy, 70¼c.
No. 1 northern, 6 cars, choice, 69¼c.
No. 1 northern, 8 cars, fancy, 69⅝c.
No. 1 northern, 33 cars, 66½c.
No. 2 northern, 10 cars, fancy, 67¾c.

OTHER GRAIN MARKETS.

GRAIN GOSSIP—Gossip by private wire to C. H. F. Smith & Co. St. Paul, members of the New York stock exchange and Chicago board of trade. Modern Miller: "The features of this week's news are drouth in the Southwest and injury to the growing plant in sections in Illinois and Missouri by worms and grasshoppers, and the outturn of the wheat crop in the far Northwest. The drouth is unbroken, and the injury of pests, although not extensive, continue to multiply. The Modern Miller's correspondent at Portland has just completed his complied report, which gives Oregon, Washington and Idaho 35,000,000 bu of wheat against 52,000,000 bu last year. Ten per cent of this last year's crop will be no better than feed flour; trade is fair, the high prices at country points has induced fair deliveries of wheat." Argentine shipments. This week, previous week, and last year: Total wheat, 1,248,000 bu; previous week, 1,344,000 bu; last year none. Total corn, 1,552,000 bu; previous week 592,000 bu; last year, 504,000 bu. London, 1:30 p. m: Wheat cargoes firm: options, ⅜d up. Argentine wheat shipments, 1,240,000 bu; Argentine corn shipments, 1,552,000 bu."

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Flour—Receipts, 23,203 bbls; exports, 15,225 bbls. Fairly active and firm, especially for low grades, which were still very scarce and closed with an upward tendency all around. Rye flour active. Buckwheat flour steady. Buckwheat quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 305,-650 bu; exports, 340,332 bu; spot quiet; No. 2 red, 76⅞c f. o. b., afloat, spot; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 79⅞c; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 82⅛c to arrive; No. 2 red, 74¾c elevator. Options opened easy at ¼c decline under unsatisfactory cables and reported selling by exporters. Rallied ⅛c on local covering and war news, but again turned easier and sold off on renewed liquidation following forecasts of large increase in visible supply by Monday's statement. At the close the market was steady at ⅛@¼c net decline. March, 80¼@80½c, closed at 80¼c; May, 79 13-16@80¼c, closed at 80c; December, 76¾@77 3-16c, closed at 76⅞c. Corn—Receipts, 179,925 bu; exports, 285,042; spot easy; No. 2, 41½c f. o. b., afloat, 41c elevator. Options closed easy, unchanged to ¼c lower; May, 38⅛@38 7-16c, closed at 38⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 140,900 bu; exports, 31,919 bu; spot dull; No. 2, 29c; No. 3, 28½c; No. 2 white, 31c; No. 3 white, 30c; track mixed Western, 27½@30½c; track white, 30½@35c. Options inactive and nominal.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 13.—Flour dull. Wheat lower; No. 1 northern, 71¼@71¾c; No. 2 northern, 68@69c. Oats easy at 24¼@25¼c. Rye lower; No. 1, 58½@58¾c. Barley firm; No. 2, 46c; sample, 38@44c.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 13.—Wheat quiet but unchanged; March, 6s 2½d; May, 6s 2¾d. Corn firm at ¼@⅜d higher; October, 3s 10¼d; November, 3s 10¼d; December, 3s 1⅛d; January, 3s 8¾d; February, 3s 7⅜d.

BANK CLEARINGS.

St. Paul—$709,856.49.
Minneapolis—$3,464,827.
Chicago—$25,084,160.
New York—$192,681,667.
Boston—$25,020,055.

BEARS IN CONTROL

TEMPER OF THE STOCK MARKET WAS ALL IN THEIR FAVOR DURING DEALINGS

CALL MONEY WAS EASIER

Industrials Were More Affected Than the Railroads in the Declines That Were Sustained Throughout the Day—There Were Some Wide Movements in Several Stocks—Bonds Were Active.

	Close.	Prev. Day.
Bar silver, New York	58⅜	58⅛
Call money, New York	4@5½	7

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The temper of speculation was determinedly bearish today, and all favorable incidents were persistently ignored. The reactionary spirit found its chief vent by selling Brooklyn Transit. That stock was easily the leader of the market in point of activity, and although the dealings did not approach the higher water mark of a few weeks ago, the unsupported condition of the stock, and the large blocks offered, suggested a resumption of late conditions. Metropolitan Street Railway seemed to show acute sympathy. Manhattan was little affected, and the New York Gas stocks were firm in tone. There were some wide movements in stocks not usually prominent, but the market as a whole at no time awoke from a condition of lethargy. New York Air Brake made a characteristic fall of 9 points, and the Flower group, as a whole, except Rock Island, was notably weak in sympathy with Brooklyn Transit. Offerings of Sugar and Tobacco were greater than could be absorbed, and both stocks showed sharp net declines. The American Malting stocks were acutely depressed.

The industrials were more affected than the railroads, the movement in the latter being confined to narrow limits except for a few stocks. Laclede Gas rose conspicuously 4 points, and Great Northern preferred over a point. The markett seemed rather firm for a time during the morning, but a persistent weakness of Brooklyn Transit broke through the resistance.

Call loans were decidedly easier again, the maximum rate not exceeding 5½ per cent, and the majority of the day's loans being made at 5 per cent or below. This did not prevent a slight reaction in sterling exchange rates in sympathy with the easier tone of foreign money markets, thus dissipating fears of immediate gold exports. Preliminary estimates of the week's movement of money give prospect of a slightly improved condition in tomorrow's bank statement.

The disbursements of cash by the subtreasury on account of government payments have almost exactly offset its receipts on account of revenues. But the banks have deposited at the subtreasury for telegraphic transfer to the interior $1,052,000. So far as the money movements by express is concerned the banks are estimated to have lost less than $1,500,000. The heavy outward movement early in the week has been partly offset by large receipts later in the week. This would indicate a loss on the interior movement of about $2,500,000. Against this there have been receipts of $2,800,000 of foreign gold and about $750,000 by cashing of drafts of the San Francisco mint on the subtreasury, making a total of about $3,550,000. This would indicate a net gain to the cash reserves of the bank of over $1,000,000. The banks have further reduced their loans, so that there is a fair prospect of a moderate increase in the surplus reserves. The first payment of anticipated interest on government bonds will be made on Monday at the subtreasury, but the prospects do not indicate that application will be made on a large scale, although this payment is without rebate.

Bonds were moderately active, but price changes were mixed. Total sales, par value, $1,765,000. United States 3s declined ⅛, and new 4s advanced ⅛ in bid price.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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	S'l's	High	Low	Closing 13	Closing 12
American Malt	.....	13	11½	11½	14½
do pfd	.....	58	53	53½	60
Am. Steel & Wire	7800	52⅝	51¼	51½	52½
do pfd	800	95½	94¾	94½	95¾
A. Mining Co	.....	48½	47⅝	48	48
Am. Express	.....	.....	.....	150	150
Am. Tobacco	17900	121	119¼	119½	120⅞
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	145¼	145¼
Am. Tin Plate	.....	37¾	37⅛	37¼	37⅛
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	85½	85½
Am. Cotton Oil	1300	44⅝	44	44	44¼
do pfd	300	95⅛	95	95	95
Am. Spirits	.....	.....	.....	4½	3
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	20	20
Adams Express	.....	.....	.....	116	116
A. Hoop	600	43	42⅝	42½	43
do pfd	300	84	84	83⅞	84½
Atch., T. & S. F	14600	20¼	20	20	20⅛
do pfd	.....	62½	61⅝	61⅞	62¼
Am. Linseed Oil	.....	10¼	10⅛	10	10
do pfd	.....	50¾	50	49⅞	50
A. D. T	.....	.....	.....	35	35
B. & O. new	1600	50¼	49¾	49¾	49⅛
do pfd new	.....	70¼	69½	69½	69¾
B. R. T	75600	86¼	81⅞	82¼	85⅞
B. U. G	.....	139½	139½	138½	138
Bag & Paper	.....	.....	.....	27¼	27½
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	80	80⅛
B., R. & P	.....	.....	.....	40¼	40¼
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	86	86
Brunswick Co	.....	15	15	15	16
C., B. & Q	7700	129¾	128¾	128⅞	129⅜
Can. Southern	.....	.....	.....	51⅞	52
Can. Pacific	.....	.....	.....	91	91
Car & Foundry	.....	.....	.....	15¼	16¼
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	60¼	61
C., C., C. & St. L	1700	58⅞	56⅞	57⅜	57¼
do pfd	.....	100	99¼	98¼	99½
C. & H. V	.....	.....	.....	18	18
C. Tobacco Co	2300	41½	41	41½	41⅝
do pfd	2100	92⅞	91½	91½	92½
Chesapeake & O	1300	.....	.....	25	25⅛
C. & E. Ill	.....	97	95¼	95	96¼
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	125	125
Central Pacific	.....	.....	.....	57⅛	57⅛
Col. Southern	.....	5	4¾	4½	5
do 1st pfd	.....	44½	43	43	44½
do 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	15½	15¾
Col. Mid	.....	.....	.....	6	6
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	21	21
E. & T. H	.....	43	42	42	43
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	95¼	96
Col. F. & I	.....	54½	53	53	54¼
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	122	122

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WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

South St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 13, 1899.

CATTLE—The supply of cattle has been liberal at all principal markets this week, and prices 10 to 15c lower than last week on fair to good stock cattle of all classes. The 700 to 900-pound steers were the hardest to move. There is very little demand for this class of cattle just at present. Yearling steers of good quality, good calves and heifers moved freely. The stock bull market was good until Thursday, when all orders seemed to be filled and prices declined 15 to 20c. Milch cows and springers are ready sale for the good kinds; others dull and hard to sell, except by weight as canners. Best stock calves sold early in week at $4.75, but selling today at $4.50. Fair to good ones, $3.50 to $4.25.

Butcher cows have sold better than last week. Range feeders not so good. Bulls going at $4 to $4.25; choice heavy feeders, $4.40 to $4.60. Best fat steers, $4.40 to $4.85.

There have been many common to fair 600 to 900 Minnesota steers on the market this week, and such are selling at $3 to $3.40. Tailings as low as $2.50. The feeders will not buy this class of stock when they can get better. We look for continued liberal receipts at all markets and do not expect much improvement in prices as long as the heavy receipts continue. The demand is for light stuff or heavy fleshy feeders that can be finished off quickly. So shippers should govern themselves accordingly.

HOGS—Hog prices have been on the down grade all week. Today the top was $4.55 for prime, light, sorted hogs that sold to local butchers. The bulk of the light hogs sold for $4.30 to $4.40. These prices are from 30 to 40 cents lower than the highest prices on Monday. Heavy hogs are selling from $4 to $4.35. There is every indication that there will be very little, if any, improvement in the market and we would advise shippers to be very conservative.

SHEEP—The market has been slow and dragging for the past three days. Prices on fat sheep and fat lambs are off from 10 to 20 cents and the demand is very light. Stock sheep and lambs are in fair demand, but at lower prices. Buck lambs are suffering the most and are selling fully 50 cents a hundred lower. Westerns are in best demand and sell at an advance of 25 to 40 cents over natives.

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	S'l's	High	Low	Closing 13	Closing 12
Chi. G. W	1400	14¼	13⅞	13⅞	14
do deb 4 per cent	200	91	91	90½	91
do pfd A	.....	.....	.....	80⅝	80⅝
do pfd B	.....	.....	.....	40⅜	40⅜
Chi., Ind. & L	.....	12	11¾	11⅜	11¾
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	43	43
Chi. Terminal	.....	.....	.....	13¾	13¾
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	43¾	44
Con. Ice	.....	.....	.....	36	36
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	83	83
Del & Hudson	600	121½	121	121	121½
Con. Gas	3000	190½	188	188½	186½
Diamond Match	.....	.....	.....	129	129
Del., L. & W	2000	188½	186½	187¾	187¼
Den. & Rio G	.....	.....	.....	20¼	20½
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	73¼	73¾
D., S. S. & A pfd	.....	.....	.....	14	14
D. M. & Ft. D	.....	.....	.....	16½	17
Erie	100	13	13	12¾	13⅛
do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	35¼	35½
do 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	17⅝	17½
Federal Steel	6100	54⅝	53⅜	53⅝	54⅛
do pfd	200	78	76¾	77	77½
F. W. & R. G	.....	.....	.....	21	21
Gen. Elec. Co	100	118½	118½	117½	117½
Gt. Nor. pfd	.....	167¾	164½	167½	163½
Glucose	.....	60	60	60½	61½
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	108	108½
Hawaiian C. & S	.....	.....	.....	55	55
Hoc. Val. Ry	.....	30	30	30	30¾
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	60¼	61
Illinois Central	100	112¼	112¼	112	112¼
Int. Paper	.....	25¼	25	25	25¾
do pfd	.....	70½	70	70¼	70
Iowa Central	.....	.....	.....	13	13
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	56	56
*Jersey Central	500	118¼	118	117½	118½
K. C., P. & G	.....	.....	.....	8	8¼
Knickerbocker Ice	.....	.....	.....	39	39
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	67	67
Laclede Gas	2200	71	67	69½	66½
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	96	96
Lake Erie & W	.....	.....	.....	18	18
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	79⅞	78
Lake Shore	.....	.....	.....	207	207
Long Island	.....	.....	.....	55	55
Louis. & Nash	21300	81¾	80½	80¾	81¼
Lead	1400	30¼	29	29⅛	30
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	110⅛	110⅛
Leather	10600	14⅛	14½	14⅞	14⅞
do pfd	1500	77⅜	76½	76½	77
Manhattan Con	5200	107½	106¼	106½	107
M., St.P. & S.St.M	.....	.....	.....	25	24
do pfd	100	63	63	61	63
Met. Traction	1600	194	191	191⅛	191
M. C. Ry	.....	13¾	13¼	13⅜	14
Mobile & Ohio	.....	.....	.....	43½	44
Minn. & St. L	100	70	70	69	70
do 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	93½	94½
M., K. & T	.....	.....	.....	12¼	12¼
do pfd	300	38	37½	37¼	37½
Missouri Pacific	4200	44	42½	42¾	43½
Nor. Pac	2800	52	51⅜	51⅝	51⅞
do pfd	900	74⅜	74	74⅛	74
N. Y. Central	1100	134	133½	133	133¾
Nat. Steel Co	.....	50⅞	50	50⅛	50⅜
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	95	95
Nat. Biscuit	.....	43	42	41¼	41¼
do pfd	.....	96½	96½	96	96½
Norfolk & West	.....	24¼	23¾	23⅞	24⅛
do pfd	200	68½	68½	68⅜	68½
Nat. Starch	.....	.....	.....	6½	6½
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	73	73
N. Y. Air Brake	.....	145	139½	141	145
N. Y., C. & St. L	.....	.....	.....	13	13
do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	70	70
do 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	31	31
Northwestern	100	165	165	164	165
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	198	201
N. American	.....	12⅞	12½	12½	12¾
Omaha	.....	.....	.....	118	116½
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	170	170
Ontario & West	2200	24¼	24	24	24⅛
Or. Ry. & Nav	.....	.....	.....	42	42
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	75	75
Pressed S. C. Co	.....	57⅝	57½	57½	57
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	89	89½
Pennsylvania Ry	200	130⅞	130⅛	130½	130¾
Pacific Mail	4700	39	37¾	37⅞	39⅛
Pacific Coast Co	.....	.....	.....	48	48
do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	83	83
do 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	66	66½
People's Gas	4500	109¾	108⅝	108⅛	109⅜
Pullman	1800	196½	194	197½	197
P., C., C. & St. L	.....	72⅛	72½	72¼	73
do pfd	.....	92¾	91¾	91½	93
Reading	500	21	20½	20½	20½
do 1st pfd	3300	57⅞	57	57⅛	52½
do 2d pfd	.....	31½	30¾	31½	31½
Rock Island	1500	112	111⅜	111⅜	111¾
R. G. & W	.....	37¼	37	37	37¼
Southern Ry	200	11½	11⅜	11¼	11½
do pfd	3500	52⅛	51¼	51⅜	51⅝
Southern Pacific	13300	36⅞	36	36¼	36¾
St. L. & S. W	.....	13¼	12½	12½	13
do pfd	.....	33	31	31¼	32⅜
St. L. & S. F	.....	.....	.....	10¾	10¾
do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	69	69
do 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	35¼	35½
Silver certificates	.....	.....	.....	59	59
Stand. R. & T	100	7⅛	7	6½	6⅝
Smelter	.....	37	36½	36¼	37
do pfd	.....	88	87	87	87¾
Stand. Dist	.....	.....	.....	8	8
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	45	45
St. P. & Duluth	.....	.....	.....	56¾	63
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	101	101
Sugar Refinery	20800	142⅜	140¼	141¼	141¾
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	115¾	115¾
St. Paul	12500	124¼	123⅜	123½	123⅝
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	170	169½
T. C. R. T	.....	.....	.....	61	61
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	135	135
T. C. & I	800	114½	113½	113½	114¾
Texas Pacific	300	.....	.....	18¼	18¼
Union Pacific	3000	43⅛	42⅞	43	43
do pfd	6000	75⅜	75	75⅜	75
U. S. Express	.....	.....	.....	51	51
*U. S. Rubber	100	47	47	46½	47½
*do pfd	.....	.....	.....	114¾	114½
Wabash	100	7¼	7¼	7⅜	7¼
do pfd	700	21¼	20⅞	21	21¼
Western Union	10200	87¾	86⅝	87⅛	87½
Wis. Central	.....	16	16	16	17
do pfd	.....	54	53½	53½	54
Wheeling & L. E	1300	11¾	11¼	11⅛	11⅜
do pfd 1st	.....	.....	.....	51	50
do pfd 2d	1200	31¼	30	30	30⅝
R. Iron & Steel	300	27½	27	27	26¾
do pfd	100	72¼	71½	71½	71

*Ex-dividend, Jersey Central, 1 per cent; U. S. Rubber, 1 per cent; U. S. Rubber preferred, 2 per cent.

BONDS.

U. S. 2s reg	100¼	M., K. & T. 2ds	68½
do 3s reg	107⅞	do 4s	92
do 3s coup	108⅛	N. Y. C. 1sts	111½
do new 4s reg	129¾	N. J. C. gen. 5s	119
do new 4s coup	129¾	N. C. 6s	127
do old 4s reg	111	do 4s	104
do old 4s coup	112	N. P. 6s	113
do 5s reg	111½	do gen. 3s	65¼
do 5s coup	111½	do prior 4s	101⅝
D. of C. 3 65s	117	N.Y.,C.& St.L.4s	104
Ala., class A	110	N. & W. con. 4s	91¾
do class B	110	do gen. 6s	135
do class C	103	Or. Nav. 1sts	115
do Currency	100	do 4s	103¼
Atch. gen. 4s	97⅞	O. S. L. 6s	126¾
do adj. 4s	85⅝	do con. 5s	113¾
Can. So. 2ds	108	Reading gen. 4s	86
C. & O. 4½s	95	R. G. W. 1sts	96
do 5s	118	St.L. & I.M.c.5s	109¾
C. & N. con. 7s	145	St.L. & S.F.g.6s	124¾
do S. F. deb 5s	105½	St. Paul con	168
Chi. Term. 4s	98	St.P.,C. & P.1sts	121½
D. & R. G. 1sts	103	do 5s	120¼
do 4s	99	So. Ry. 5s	108
E.T.,V. & G.1sts	103½	S. R. & T. 6s	80
Erie gen. 4s	70	Tenn. n. s. 3s	91
F.W. & D.C.1st	77½	T. & P. 1sts	114
Gen. Elec. 5s	116	do 2ds	56
G., H. & S., A.6s	103	U. P. 4s	103¼
do A 2ds	110	Wabash 1sts	115¼
H. & T. C. 5s	108	do 2ds	100
do con. 6s	108	West Shore 4s	112
Iowa Cent. 1sts	114	Wis. Cent. 1sts	75
K.C.,P. & G.1sts	70	Va. Centuries	85
La. new con. 4s	106	do deferred	5
L. & N. uni. 4s	99⅞	Col. So. 4s	85¼

WALL STREET GOSSIP—New York stock gossip, reported by H. Holbert & Son, bankers and brokers, 341 Robert street, National German-American Bank building, St. Paul: Strong, Sturgis & Co. wire us: "Our market swings a little up and down, influenced by the state of money or the news that comes from Europe. There is but little buying demand, and the room traders have the most of the market to themselves. So far as we can judge of it, we see nothing to influence prices in a favorable way for some time to come. Money must continue to be close during several more weeks, and unless we have some quite unforeseen news a bull movement is hardly possible. The wonderful earnings of very many corporations, industrials and railroad, mean great prosperity, but the borrowing capacity of the street is limited, and their buying power equally curtailed. The future of this South African question affects the gold situation, and suggests to all prudent people a conservative policy."

Bartlett, Frazier & Co., Chicago, telegraphed the following to Edwards & Bedell, stock brokers and commission merchants, 110 Endicott Arcade, St. Paul, Minn.—Davis: "We see little or no change in the situation. It is thought that the delivery of Southern Pacific shares by the syndicate, and the amount of this stock which will therefore come out on when issued contracts, may temporarily depress the price. The calling in of money to return to syndicate subscribers their deposits may effect interest rates. This is about the only feature in the market."—Morse: "London moderate buyer. Every Tom, Dick and Harry is talking bearish. This is a good time for conservative purchases on breaks."—Adams: "Sub-treasury operations show banks lost since last Friday $3,490,000."

TREASURY STATEMENT—Washington, Oct. 13.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $287,205,117; gold reserve, $257,745,906.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

HOGS SOLD TEN CENTS LOWER, EXCEPT FOR SORTED BUNCHES

THE CATTLE MARKET DULL

Demand Was Light Even for the Best Cattle—Several Cars of Good to Choice Canadians Brought Good Prices—Steer Calves and Yearlings Were in Best Demand—Sheep and Lambs Slow Sale.

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Oct. 13.—The receipts at the Union stock yards today (estimated) are: Cattle, 200; calves, 150; hogs, 1,000; sheep, 1,000; horses, none; cars, 30.

The official receipts Thursday were: Cattle, 601; calves, 291; hogs, 1,190; sheep, 2,150; horses, none; cars, 52.

The following table shows the roads over which Thursday's receipts came in and the number of cars hauled by each:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Mixed.
C. G. W	..	1	1	1
Gt. Northern	4	1	8	2
Nor. Pacific	1	..	..	3
C.,S.P.,M.& O.	2	7	..	..
C., M. & St. P.	..	4	..	2
M. & St. L.	..	..	..	1
St. P. & D.	1	..	..	..
Soo Line	12	..	..	1
Totals	20	13	9	10

The receipts thus far for the month (not including today), compared with the same period last year, show a decrease of 2,957 cattle, a decrease of 277 calves, an increase of 2,157 hogs, a decrease of 15,749 sheep, an increase of 164 horses, a decrease of 186 cars.

The receipts for the year (not including today), compared with the same period last year, are as follows:

	1899.	1898.	Gain.
Cattle	115,457	131,395	*15,938
Calves	36,522	32,231	4,291
Hogs	273,121	246,454	26,667
Sheep	247,251	256,281	*9,030
Horses	3,839	1,304	2,535
Cars	9,921	10,027	*106

*Loss.

HOGS.

Comparative receipts:

Total for today (estimated) 1,000
A week ago 1,522
A year ago 533

Quotations: Mixed, $4.15@4.30; heavy packing, $4.10@4.20; prime light and choice butchers, $4.30@4.40; prime heavy, $4.25@4.35; rough, $3.90@4; stags and boars, $1 50@2.50; pigs, $3.25@4.

Hog receipts were heavy for Friday, running nearly double the same day last year. There was another sharp decline in the market, with prices averaging about 10c lower than Thursday. A few bunches of light hogs sold up steady, but they were sorted and went to up-town butchers and packers. The general market was very slow and dragging, with the bulk of the light hogs selling at $4.35@4.40, and the heavy and mixed at $4.10@4.30. Rough sows sold at $3.95@4. Pigs were off, with the best selling at $4. Representative sales:

No.	Wt.	Dkg.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Dkg.	Price.
Mixed Hogs—							
49	216	80	$4 25	7	200	..	$4 20
49	268	80	4 27½	48	275	80	4 15
Prime Light and Choice Butchers—							
58	208	120	$4 40	79	192	..	$4 45
39	185	80	4 35	20	192	..	4 55
32	204	..	4 55	73	225	120	4 35
19	208	..	4 45	80	155	40	4 40
Prime Heavy—							
62	300	80	$4 30				
Heavy Packing—							
36	275	80	$4 15	52	305	..	$4 10
Rough—							
16	335	..	$4 00	10	325	120	$4 00
10	327	80	4 00	8	338	..	4 00
6	383	40	3 95	10	331	..	4 00
Stags and Boars—							
1	570	..	$2 50				
Pigs—							
6	120	..	$4 00	28	95	..	$4 00
37	76	..	4 00	3	100	..	4 00
2	50	..	4 00				

CATTLE.

Comparative receipts:

Total for today (estimated) 350
A week ago 1,146
A year ago 301

Quotations: Native: Choice butcher cows and heifers, $3.50@4; fair to good, $3@3.50; thin cows and canners, $2@2.75; choice butcher steers, $4.75@5.25; fair to good, $4.50@4.75; fat bulls, $3@3.50; bologna bulls, $2.50@3; veal calves, $4.50@6; choice stock cows and heifers, $3.25@3.50; fair to good, $3@3.25; common and tailings, $2.50@2.90; heifer calves, $3.25@3.50; choice stockers and feeders, $3.75@4.25; fair to good, $3.25@3.50; common and tailings, $2.75@3.25; steer calves, $4@4.75; stock and feeding bulls, $2.50@3.50; stags and oxen, $2.75@3; milkers and springers, $25@45. Western: Choice butcher cows and heifers, $3.75@4.25; fair to good, $3.25@3.75; thin cows and canners, $2@2.75; choice butcher steers, $4.50@5; fair to good, $4.25@4.50; stock cows and heifers, $3@3.50; common and tailings, $2.50@3; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.50; common and tailings, $2.75@3.25.

Cattle receipts were light, running 800 less than Friday last week and about the same as the same day a year ago. Even the best quality stuff was only in fair demand, and the common and off-colored were practically unsalable. Some good Canadian stock calves, stockers and feeders were in the market. The calves brought a high price, but the heavier cattle did not sell so well. The only butcher offerings were a few medium and thin native cows that sold at steady prices. Stock cattle moved slowly, with steer calves and feeders in best demand. There was no quotable change in prices on anything.

Natives—Representative sales:

No.	Wt.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Price.
Butcher Cows and Heifers—					
1	670	$3 00	1	920	$3 15
1	920	3 35	1	940	3 00
5	1012	3 00			
Fat and Bologna Bulls—					
2	735	$2 40	8	835	$2 40
1	920	2 25	1	1070	2 50
1	1530	3 00	1	1010	2 50
Veal Calves—					
1	110	$5 50	1	200	$5 50
1	140	4 50			
Stock Cows and Heifers—					
1	490	$3 10	4	462	$3 10
Heifer Calves—					
2	335	$3 00	3	283	$3 25
1	230	3 35			
Stockers and Feeders—					
15	564	$3 50	5	988	$4 00
2	930	3 50	10	592	3 40
26	835	3 40	8	495	3 60
25	904	4 00	2	545	3 40
6	705	3 60	1	820	3 75
8	563	3 75	3	1140	3 80
4	525	3 50	21	895	3 70
2	740	4 00	30	955	3 70
1	930	3 75	1	1070	4 00
2	955	3 80	3	540	3 65
Steer Calves—					
4	242	$4 35	87	295	$4 00
19	314	4 00			
Common and Tailings—Steers—					
3	570	$3 00	4	850	$3 00
1	520	2 50			
Stock and Feeding Bulls—					
1	1200	$3 00	1	1270	$2 65
2	595	2 50	1	1020	2 90
1	550	2 85	2	835	2 50
1	400	3 00	2	545	2 15
5	756	2 60	1	540	3 00
2	1025	2 65			
Thin Cows and Canners—					
1	990	$2 75	7	943	$2 25
1	960	2 85	2	740	2 00
2	835	2 50	4	745	2 50
5	958	2 60	2	860	2 60
3	987	2 25	1	940	2 50
1	950	2 25			
Stags and Oxen—					
2	750	$3 00	2	1660	$3 75
2	1605	3 25			

Canadians—

27 feeding steers	956	$3 90
32 feeding steers	948	3 90
3 feeding steers	963	3 75
68 steer calves	268	5 00
57 steer calves	270	5 00
36 stockers	520	4 00
8 stock heifers	545	3 00
42 heifer calves	296	4 00

SHEEP.

Comparative receipts:

Total for today (estimated) 1,000
A week ago 151
A year ago 18,437

Quotations: Fat sheep, $3.40@3.60; stock sheep, $3@3.25; fat lambs, $4.25@4.60; stock lambs, $3.50@4; buck lambs, $3; bucks, $2.50@3.

Sheep receipts were heavy, and offerings included left over stuff. Prices ranged about steady at the decline, except in buck lambs, which were lower. A few chance sales were higher than the average. Representative sales:

No. Kind.	Wt.	Price.
6 fat lambs	76	$4 50
57 feeding ewes	108	3 50
8 feeding ewes	104	3 40
6 stock lambs	70	4 00
15 feeding ewes	101	3 30
5 buck lambs	74	3 00
41 stock lambs	68	4 45
59 feeding ewes	102	3 55
333 cull ewes	88	3 00

Milch Cow Exchange—Not many cows were on the market today, while the demand was fair at steady prices. Representative sales:

No.	Price.	No.	Price.
3 cows	$145 00	1 cow	$36 00
2 cows	78 00	1 cow	30 00

The disposition of the day's receipts up to 3 o'clock, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated, was as follows:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Swift & Co	64	520	..
W. E. McCormick	..	32	..
Staples estate	5	21	6
Slimmer & Thomas	19	..	..
Hanky Bros	48	..	..
J. B. Fitzgerald	27	..	..
W. Wier	..	80	..
City butchers	..	62	..
Country buyers	451	98	425
Totals	614	813	431

Thursday's late buyings were as follows:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Swift & Co	27	255	..
W. E. McCormick	2	..	..
Slimmer & Thomas	5	..	..
Hanky Bros	55	..	..
Country buyers	217	..	46
Totals	306	255	46

The shippers on the market today were S. A. Falcome, Bismark, N. D., 2 loads cattle; C. O. Borud, Fertile, cattle; P. O'Brien, Norwood, hogs; S. S. Pendergast, Minnesota Transfer, cattle; C. D. Rice, Towner, 3 loads cattle; Evans & Crooks, McIntire, 2 loads hogs; Reinhart & Smith, Alta Vista, hogs; Spalding & Fuller, Maiden Rock, sheep; Albert Tripp, Northfield, hogs; D. C. Fairbanks, Melville, N. D., 3 loads sheep; John Perrigo, Delavan, hogs; Olsen & Taylor, Good Thunder, hogs and sheep; J. J. Jones, Lime Springs, Io., hogs; T. J. Bogan, Chester, Io., hogs; W. H. Campbell & Son, Redfield, S. D., 2 loads hogs; Peter Waltman, Stewart, sheep; G. W. Dodge, Madelia, hogs; Heaney Bros., Goodhue, hogs; W. C. Tyrell, Eagle Bend, cattle; C. E. Brady, Blue Earth, hogs; A. H. Drueke, Avoca, hogs and sheep.

MIDWAY HORSE MARKET—Minnesota Transfer, St. Paul—Barrett & Zimmerman's report: The numerous consignments arrived overstocked the market with horses. Logging men were well represented and the outlet of heavy drafters large. The tone of trade is strong, with a keen interest displayed in heavy stock not only by lumbermen, but also by shippers, as the great obstacle remains with where the available horses can be found. Other classes of horses have a very moderate demand and little attention is devoted to such stock. Wisconsin and Michigan lumbermen appeared in larger number on the market than heretofore, and expect a large number or horses will be shipped to their country. Quotations:

Drafters, choice	$125@160
Drafters, common to good	85@125
Farm horses, choice	90@115
Farm horses, common to good	50@90
Delivery horses	40@50

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The offerings of cattle today were mostly made up of common natives and feeders from Western ranges, which sold slowly at easy prices. The demand for the medium grades of dressed beef has fallen off, and all of the grades except strictly choice beeves, are fully 10@15c lower than this time last week. Today's prices for good to fancy grades were $5.80@6.95; common to medium steers, $1.50@5.75; cows and bulls, $2@4.65; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.75; Texans, $3.50@4.15; calves, $4@7. There was a good demand for hogs and prices ruled steady at the recent decline. Fair to prime lots sold at $4.27½@4.60; heavy packers, $3.95@4.25; mixed lots $4.25@4.60; butchers, $4.30@4.65; common to choice light weights, $4.25@5; pigs, $4.40@4.50. There was a good slaughtering demand for sheep at unchanged prices. Sheep sold at $4@4.50; prime yearlings bringing the top price. Feeders brought $3.25@3.70, and Western rangers, $2.50@3.35; common to choice lambs, $3.25@5.10. Receipts—Cattle, 3,000; hogs, 24,000; sheep, 7,000.

SIOUX CITY, Io., Oct. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 500; Thursday, 301; shipments, 1,103; market steady. Sales: 2 cows, av 940 lbs, $2.60; 3 cows, av 1,020 lbs, $3.50; 3 stock heifers, av 696 lbs, $3.40; 12 stock heifers, av 540 lbs, $3.65; 2 bulls, av 1,020 lbs, $2.90; 3 bulls, av 980 lbs, $3; 2 bulls, av 1,120 lbs, $3.50; 7 stockers and feeders, av 834 lbs, $3.60; 34 stockers and feeders, av 962 lbs, $4.60; 10 calves, av 320 lbs, $4.50; 6 calves, av 290 lbs, $4.75; 25 yearlings, av 616 lbs, $3.90; 6 yearlings, av 500 lbs, $4. Hogs—Receipts, 1,100; Thursday, 1,288; shipments, 61; market weak, selling at $4@4.25; bulk of sales, $4@4.10.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000 head; steady; native steers, $4@6.15; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.20; stockers and feeders, $3.60@4.40. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000 head; steady to lower; bulk of sales, $4.20@4.35. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; steady to strong; lambs, $4@4.75; muttons, $3@3.80.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; steady; native steers, 3.85@6.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.75; cows and heifers, $2@5; Texas and Indian steers, $3.15@4. Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; 10c lower; pigs and lights, $4.40@4.80; packers, $4.25@4.40; butchers, $4.40@4.50. Sheep—Receipts, 300 head; firm; muttons, $3.60@4; lambs, $3.25@5.

SOUTH OMAHA, Oct. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,700; steady; native steers, $4.80@6.25; Western steers, $4.30@4.85; cows and heifers, $3.40@4.10; stockers and feeders, $3.60@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 7,300; market 5c lower; heavy, $4.10@4.25; mixed, $4.15@4.20; light and pigs, $4@4.32½; bulk of sales, $4.15@4.25. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; steady; lambs, $4@4.75.

DULUTH.

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 13.—Board adjourned an hour this morning to take part in the president's reception, and session was dull. December opened ⅛c off at 69½c, sold up to 69⅝c at 10:30, off to 69⅜c at 11:40, and closed ¼c off at 69⅜c. Wheat stocks will increase 700,000 bu this week. Cash sales were 250,000 bu at ½c under December. October flax was liveliest part of market, 500 000 bu passing. Wheat—No. 1 hard, cash, 70⅝c; No. 1 northern, cash, 69⅛c; October, 69c; December, 69⅜c; May, 72⅞c; No. 2 northern, 66⅛c; No. 3 spring, 63⅛c; to arrive, No. 1 hard, 70⅝c; No. 1 northern, 69⅛c; oats, 24@24¼c; rye, 55½c; barley, 38@42c; flax, to arrive, $1.18¾; cash, $1.18¾; October, $1.19¼; December, $1.17¾; corn, 31c. Receipts—Wheat, 306,514 bu; corn, 5,880 bu; oats, 2,279 bu; rye, 5,414 bu; barley, 48,-372 bu; flax, 134,339 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 141,244 bu; rye, 5,532 bu; flax, 15,000 bu.

ST. PAUL PRODUCE.

The following are the quotations corrected daily:

Apples—Per bbl, extra fancy eating, $4.50@5; fancy eating and cooking, $3.50@4; choice, $3@3.25; common, $2.50@2.75.

Bananas—Large bunches, $2.25@2.50; small bunches, $1.75@2.

Beans—Per Bu—Fancy hand-picked navy, $160; medium hand-picked, $1.40@1.50; dirty lots, 60@65c; brown, fancy, $1.15@1.25.

Beef—Country-dressed, fancy, 5½@6c.

Butter—Per Lb—Creameries, extras, 22c; creameries, firsts, 21c; dairies, extras, 20c; firsts, 18@19c; packing stock, 12c.

Oranges—Per Box—Mexicans, $5.

Cheese—Per Lb—Brick, No. 1, 12½@13c; brick, No. 2, 10@11c; Limburger, 8@12c; twins, fancy, Minnesota and Wisconsin, 12¼@13c; primost, 6@8c; Young America, fancy, 12c; Swiss, old, 12@14c.

Cranberries—Cape Cod, per bbl, $6; Wisconsin and Minnesota, per bu, $1.75.

Cider—Sweet, per bbl, $5@5.50; sweet, per half bbl, $2.75@3.

Dates—Hallowee, per lb, 6c; Fard, per 12-lb package, $1.20.

Eggs—Fresh, subject to loss off, 16c; seconds, 10c.

Figs—California, 10-lb box, $1.25.

Fish—Per Lb—Pickerel, 3@3½c; croppies, 5c; trout, lake, 7c; whitefish, 8c; pike, 5c.

Grapes—California, Tokays, 4 baskets, $1.25; Concord, 10-lb basket, 20c.

Honey—White clover, 17c per lb; Golden Rod, 14c; dark, 10@12c.

Lemons—California, 300s to 360s, $4.50@5; Messinas, 300s to 600s, $4.50@5.50.

Maple Sugar—Per Lb—Ohio, in bricks, 10c; Vermont, in bricks, 10c; Western, in bricks, 10c.

Mutton — Per Lb—Country-dressed, 7@8c; milk lambs, pelts on, 10@11c.

Nuts—Almonds, new, small quantities, 16@17c; almonds, Tarragonas, sacks, 100 lbs, 16c; Tarragonas, small quantities, 17c; filberts, sacks, about 200 lbs, 9@9½c; filberts, small quantities, 10c; hickory, per bu, $1.50; peanuts, per lb, 5@6c; peanuts, roasted, 6@7c; walnuts, 8@9c; walnuts, small quantities, 9@10c; walnuts, California, soft shell, sacks, 100 to 110 lbs, 9½@10c; walnuts, hard, less quantities, 12c; black walnuts, per bu, $1.

Pears—Bartlett, $2.50@3 per bu box; other varieties, $1.75@2.

Potatoes—Burbanks, per bu, 27c; Rurals, per bu, 25c; Jersey Sweets, per bbl, $3.25; Iowa Sweets, per bbl, $2.75.

Plums—California, 4-basket crate. German, $1.25; Yellow Egg, $1.25; common, 90c@$1.25.

Poultry—Live mixed turkeys, 10c; spring, per lb, 8c; old cocks, 6c; hens, 7c; ducks, 7c; geese, 8c.

Peaches—California, ½-bu box, $1.50.

Veal—Per Lb—Coarse and thin, 6c; extra fancy, country-dressed, 8@9c.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

SEED MARKETS—Chicago, Oct. 13.—The flax seed market was greatly excited again Friday. December opened at $1.22, advanced to $1.25, declined to $1.22½, and firmed again to $1.24 by 12 o'clock. Other futures were likewise affected. Receipts here were 49 cars, 187 cars at Duluth and 100 cars at Minneapolis. Cash flax at $1.24½ sellers, October at $1.23½ bid, and December at $1.23¼ per bushel. Cash timothy seed closed at $2.32½ per 100 lbs. Clover seed closed at $7.75 per 100 lbs. Minneapolis flax seed quoted at $1.16¾ per bushel.

NEW YORK COFFEE—New York, Oct. 13.—Coffee options opened irregular with prices unchanged to 5 points lower, and showed a barely steady undertone most of the day, closing steady 5 points advance to 5 lower. Sales, 11,000 bags, including October, 4.55@4.60c; December, 4.75c; January, 4.80c; March, 4.95c; May, 5.05c; June, 5.05@5.10c; July, 5.10c; September, 5.25c. Spot coffee—Rio steady, but quieter; Mild, quiet; Cordova, 6¾@11¾c. Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, steady.

BUTTER AND EGGS—New York, Oct. 13.—Butter—Receipts, 2,852 pkgs; steady; Western creamery, 17@24c; June creamery, 19@22c; factory, 16@16c. Eggs—Receipts, 5,005 pkgs; dull; Western ungraded at mark, 15@18c.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Butter firm; creameries, 15@23c; dairies, 13½@19c. Eggs steady; fresh, 16½c.

WEEKLY BANK CLEARINGS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended Oct. 12, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

		Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,141,396,422	36.9	.....
Boston	143,065,613	30.1	.....
Chicago	130,989,330	16.0	.....
Philadelphia	89,370,634	30.3	.....
St. Louis	39,975,387	17.3	.....
Pittsburg	45,441,248	137.6	.....
Baltimore	19,337,125	.....	4.4
San Francisco	21,294,873	23.9	.....
Cincinnati	15,796,850	12.9	.....
Kansas City	17,499,075	9.4	.....
New Orleans	9,196,213	28.1	.....
Minneapolis	12,731,087	6.8	.....
Detroit	8,645,431	27.5	.....
Cleveland	11,856,639	48.8	.....
Louisville	8,220,553	11.8	.....
Providence	7,207,300	28.8	.....
Milwaukee	5,911,096	8.2	.....
St. Paul	5,144,518	.....	14.6
Buffalo	5,442,156	14.0	.....
Omaha	7,209,568	.....	7.9
Indianapolis	5,636,698	50.2	.....
Columbus, O.	5,856,200	44.9	.....
Washington	2,499,986	3.7	.....
Portland, Or.	2,256,681	.....	.....
Des Moines	1,683,049	17.3	.....
Seattle	2,654,543	96.2	.....
Tacoma	1,162,447	21.4	.....
Spokane	1,522,284	31.0	.....
Sioux City	1,384,150	31.0	.....
Fargo, N. D.	598,889	41.3	.....
Sioux Falls, S. D.	169,157	57.9	.....
Helena	709,061	11.1	.....
Totals, U. S.	$1,829,769,586	31.1	.....
Totals outside N.Y.	689,374,164	24.2	.....
DOMINION OF CANADA.			
Montreal	$16,449,604	10.8	.....
Toronto	11,550,351	27.9	.....
Winnipeg	3,015,204	51.7	.....
Halifax	1,670,501	37.4	.....
Hamilton	913,358	32.8	.....
St. John, N. B.	676,916	19.4	.....
Victoria	743,686	.....	.....
Vancouver	1,042,608	.....	.....
Totals	$34,266,937	20.7	.....

NEW YORK MONEY—New York, Oct. 13.—Money on call slightly easier at 4@5½ per cent; last loan, 4½. Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6. Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86⅝@4.86¾ for demand, and at $4.82⅝@4.83½ for sixty days; posted rates, $4.83½ and $4.87½; commercial bills, $4.81½. Silver certificates, 58@59c; bar silver, 58⅜c; Mexican dollars, 47c.

FOREIGN FINANCIAL—New York, Oct. 13.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "The markets here are now resigned to war in South Africa, and loss of gold in consequence. They opened irregular, but soon improved quietly up to the close. African mines were buoyant. Americans began dull, and remained listless to the close, which was slack."