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HOGS ARE AGAIN LOWER

TOTAL DROP FOR THE WEEK AMOUNTS TO 50 CENTS

Butcher Cattle Hold Up Well Compared With Other Points—Good Quality Stock and Feeding Cattle in Excellent Demand—Lambs Sell Higher — Sheep Steady.

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Aug. 15.—Estimated receipts at the Union Stockyards today: Cattle, 125; calves, 25; hogs, 550; sheep, 450; cars, 17.

The following table shows the receipts from Jan. 1, 1902, to date, as compared with the same period in 1901:

Date.	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
1902	102,497	29,518	389,393	189,155	10,156
1901	72,000	26,882	333,876	92,179	8,169
Inc	30,497	2,636	55,517	96,976	1,987

The following table shows the receipts thus far in August as compared with the same period in 1901:

Year.	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
1902	6,945	433	8,301	13,424	514
1901	3,477	696	11,274	4,966	346
Inc	3,468	...	...	8,458	168
Dec	...	263	2,973	...	...

Official receipts for the past week are as follows:

Year.	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
Aug 8	219	20	442	4	16
Aug 9	195	7	582	4,733	43
Aug 11	2,653	53	1,330	962	148
Aug 12	912	110	1,131	843	52
Aug 13	351	41	481	18	20
Aug 14	362	32	650	5,435	44

Disposition of stock Thursday, Aug. 14, 1902:

Firm—	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Swift & Co	83	650	1,021
W. E. McCormick	1	...	8
W. G. Bronson	1	...	...
King Bros	5	...	...
Leo Gottfried	...	...	7
Elliott & Co., Duluth	28	...	...
City butchers	12	...	...
Country buyers	270	...	435
Totals	400	650	1,471

Cattle—Receipts of all kinds very light. Butcher cattle move readily, but at barely steady prices. Stock and feeding stuff moves readily at firm prices. Veals strong. Milch cows fully steady. Representative sales:

No.	Wt.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Price.
Butcher steers—					
*10	1162	$4.80	*6	1117	$4.80
*6	1115	4.40	*1	1040	4.00
Butcher Cows and Heifers—					
*3	990	$3.65	2	825	$3.25
3	937	3.00	2	785	3.00
Cutters and Canners—					
1	1080	$2.75	1	900	$1.75
2	880	2.60	2	850	1.50
4	1025	2.25	4	952	2.00
Butcher Bulls—					
1	1240	$2.90	1	750	$2.50
1	1100	2.75	1	1200	2.70
Veal Calves—					
4	137	$5.50	3	133	$5.50
Stock and Feeding Steers—					
*10	788	$3.75	7	462	$2.50
*7	908	3.50	25	593	3.40
5	822	3.25	4	467	2.75
Stock Cows and Heifers—					
5	692	$2.55	4	430	$2.40
1	500	2.25			
Heifer Calves—					
3	373	$2.50			

Milch Cows and Springers—

3 cows and 2 calves	$105.00
1 springer	34.00

*North Dakota.

Hogs—Prices 10c lower. Offerings averaged much better in quality than on Thursday, so that sales on paper do not show the decline. Price range, $6.40@6.75; bulk, $6.50@6.65; rough sorts, $6@6.10. Representative sales:

No.	Wt.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Price.
Hogs—					
32	282	$6.40	63	271	$6.50
20	190	6.60	57	233	6.65
62	252	6.70	12	180	6.75
Stags and Boars—					
1	570	$5.50	1	320	$3.00

Sheep—Lambs sell 10@15c higher than yesterday. Total advance for the week, 25@50c. Sheep steady, only a part of today's receipts on sale. Representative sales:

No.	Kind.	Weight.	Price.
Killing Sheep and Lambs—			
39	lambs	72	$5.50
16	ewes	113	3.50
105	lambs	62	5.40
7	lambs	56	4.00
Stock and Feeding Sheep and Lambs—			
12	ewes	104	$2.25

Among the shippers on the market were: J. Tenney, George Schaub, Wabasha; J. S. Green, Red Wing; J. D. Watson, Selby; C. S. Howard, Edgerton; W. E. Davis, Boyceville; C. Weiseman, Elwood; Carter & Courtney, Chester; D. Barnes, Cresco; Hawley Bros., Swanville; G. F. Putnam, Big Lake; William Montford, Rolla; W. O'Brien, Arlington; J. H. Termath, Le Sueur; S. H. Pettis, St. Peter; J. J. Lenertz, Darfur.

Midway Horse Market.

Minnesota Transfer, St. Paul, Minn.—Barrett & Zimmerman report a noticed increase in demand of heavy drafters and drivers. Local as well as out of town buyers were on the market, and although buying on retail basis the bulk of business was, considering the time of year, of a large volume.

	Values.
Drafters, extra	$160@225
Drafters, choice	140@160
Drafters, common to good	120@140
Farm mares, extra	125@140
Farm mares, choice	100@125
Farm mares, common to good	50@100
Delivery horses	100@135

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500, including 1,400 Texans and 500 Westerns; market steady; good to prime steers, nominal, $8@9; poor to medium, $4.25@7.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50@5.50; cows, $1.50@5.50; heifers, $2.50@6; canners, $1.50@2.50; bulls, $2.50@5; calves, $3.50@7.25; Texas steers, $3@5; Western steers, $4.75@6.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 32,000; tomorrow, 15,000; left over, 2,500; opened 10c lower, closed active; mixed and butchers, $6.40@6.95; good to choice, $6.80@7.10; rough heavy, $6.25@6.60; light, $6.25@6.80; bulk of sales, $6.40@6.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; sheep and lambs steady to lower; good to choice wethers, $3.50@4.25; fair to choice mixed, $2.50@3.75; Western sheep, $2.50@4.25;

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References — Stock Yards bank, South St. Paul; Security bank, Zumbrota; Hon. A. T. Koerner, state treasurer, Capitol building, St. Paul; A. C. Anderson, cashier, St. Paul National bank, St. Paul.

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native lambs, $3.50@6.75; Western lambs, $6.40, top price.

Official yesterday: Receipts—Cattle, 10,093; hogs, 21,312; sheep, 11,286. Shipments—Cattle, 4,460; hogs, 6,284; sheep, 3,184.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Sioux City, Iowa—Cattle—Receipts, 200; stockers steady; fat cattle strong to 10c higher; beeves, $6@2; cows, bulls and mixed, $2@4.40; feeders, $3.25@4.50; yearlings and calves, $3@4.30. Hogs—Receipts, 2,800; market weak to 5c lower, selling $6.45@6.70; bulk, $6.45@6.55; strong demand for feeding sheep.

Kansas City, Mo.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; beef steers, $4.85@8.25; Texans, $4@4.75; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.25@5.60. Hogs—Receipts, 400; market weak to 5c lower; heavy, $6.87½@6.95; packers, $6.70@6.85; medium, $6.75@6.90; yorkers, $6.70@6.75; pigs, $6.40@6.55. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; steady; sheep, $3.40@4.25; lambs, $3.75@5.90.

South Omaha, Neb.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200; steady; beef steers, $4.75@8.25; cows and heifers, $3.25@5.25; Western steers, $4@6.35; Texans, $4.25@5.40; canners, $1.75@3; stockers and feeders, $2.75@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,900; market 5c lower; heavy, $6.60@6.80; mixed, $6.60@6.75; pigs, $5.75@6.50. Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; steady; lambs strong; sheep, $3.65@4; lambs, $3.50@5.75.

HIDES, PELTS AND WOOL.

Quotations furnished by D. Bergman & Co., 186-188 East Third street, St. Paul, Minn.:

Hides—	No. 1.	No. 2.
G. S. hides, 25 lbs and up	$0.08¼	$0.07¼
G. S. bulls and stags	.07¾	.06¾
G. S. branded	.07½	.06½
G. S. long-haired kip, 8 to 25 lbs	.07¾	.06¾
G. S. veal calfskins, 8 to 15 lbs	.12½	.09
G. S. veal kip, 15 to 25 lbs	.08¼	.06¾

Green hides and skins not salted 1@1½c per lb less then above.

Dry hides and calfskins, flint	.12 @	.14
Dry hides and calfskins, salted	.10 @	.12
Pelts—		
Dry sheep pelts, native, per lb	.08 @	.10
Dry sheep pelts, territory, per lb	.09 @	.12
Dry shearlings, native and territory, each	.05 @	.10
Green sheep pelts, late take off, each	.30 @	.50
Tallow—		
No. 1, in cakes or bbls	.05¾ @	.06
No. 2, in cakes or bbls	.05 @	.06
Wool—Wisconsin, Eastern Iowa and Southeastern Minnesota—Bright wools—Unwashed—		
Fine heavy	.10 @	.12
Fine light	.12 @	.13
Medium ½ and ⅜ blood	.15 @	.17
Coarse, low, ¼ blood	.14 @	.16
Very coarse, braid	.13 @	.15
Cotted, burry, seedy or chaffy		.13
Average lots, fine out		.15
Western Iowa and Minnesota—Unwashed—		
Fine heavy	.09 @	.11
Fine light	.10 @	.13
Medium	.14 @	.16
Coarse	.13 @	.15
Cotted, burry, seedy or chaffy		.11
Average lots, fine out	.13 @	.14
North and South Dakota—Unwashed—	Light.	Heavy.
Fine	.12	.09
Medium	.14	.12
Coarse	.13	.11
Cotted, burry, seedy, chaffy or frowsy	.11	.10
Montana—Unwashed—		
Fine, light		.12
Medium	.14 @	.16
Coarse	.13 @	.14

HAY AND GRAIN.

Prices Established in Open Trade On St. Paul Board.

St. Paul Board of Trade, Aug. 15.—Receipts: Hay, 5 cars.

Hay—Sales—	
4 cars No. 1 upland	$8.00
1 car choice upland	8.50
Oats—Sales—	
1 car No. 3 white	33c
Corn—Sales—	
1 car No. 3 yellow	60c
Barley—Sales—	
1 car No. 5	38c
Bran—Sales—	
1 car	$12.50

Cash Trade.

Wheat—No. 1 northern on spot, 76⅝@77⅛c; No. 1 northern, to arrive, 75⅝@76⅝c; No. 2 northern, on spot, 74⅝@75⅝c; No. 3, 72⅝@73⅝c; no grade, 66⅝@71⅝c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow on spot, 59@59½c; No. 3, on spot, 58@58½c.

Rye—	
No. 2 to arrive	46@47c
Barley—	
Malting grades	45@60c
Feed grades	35@45c
Flax—	
No. 1	$1.39@1.40
Rejected	1.35@1.36
Feed and Cornmeal—	
Coarse cornmeal and cracked corn	$21.50@21.75
Ground feed, No. 1, two-thirds corn, one-third oats	22.50@22.75
Ground feed, No. 2, one-half corn, one-half oats	23.50@23.75
Ground feed, No. 3, one-third corn, two-thirds oats	24.50@24.75
Bran and Shorts—	
Bran in bulk	$11.00@11.25
Bran in sacks, 200 lbs	11.50@11.75
Bran in sacks, 100 lbs	12.00@12.25
Standard middlings in bulk	13.00@13.25
Standard middlings 200-lb sacks	13.50@13.75
Standard middlings, 100-lb sacks	14.00@14.75
Middlings, flour in bulk	17.50@17.75
Middlings in sacks, 200-lbs	18.00@18.25
Middlings in sacks, 100-lbs	18.50@18.75
Flour—	
Patents, firsts	$3.65@3.85
Patents, seconds	3.45@3.65
Clears, firsts	2.75@2.85
Clears, seconds, in sacks	2.10@2.25
Red dog, per ton, 140-lb sacks	19.65@19.75

The following quotations are in cotton sacks, 98 and 49 lbs:

Granulated cornmeal, white	$2.90@3.00
Granulated cornmeal, yellow	2.80@2.90
Pure family rye flour	2.40@2.50
Best XXX rye flour	2.10@2.20
Standard white rye flour	2.15@2.25
Swedish rye flour	2.50@2.60
Pure rye meal and rye graham	2.15@2.30
Pure wheat graham flour	2.90@3.10
Standard graham flour	2.50@2.70
Entire wheat flour	3.10@3.20
Pure buckwheat flour	5.10@5.20

JUST LIKE OTHERS.

He said: "If I had money
I'd be happy every day
Giving gladness to the orphans,
Driving poor men's woes away.'

By chance he won a fortune,
Then he gravely shook his head;
Having ceased to think of orphans,
And with wise conviction said:

"Wealth imposes care! My fortune
Is a trust consigned to me;
They are foolish, yea, and sinful,
Who distribute carelessly.

"God has said that man must labor;
When you give, ambition dies—
Go, you beggars! Cease imploring,
I am weary of your cries."

—Chicago Record-Herald.

A FLURRY IN MONEY

CALL RATE GOES TO 6 PER CENT, AFFECTING THE STOCK MARKET

NEW OREGON SHORT LINE COLLATERAL BONDS

Maturity of Subscriptions Therefor Is Responsible for the Sharp Advance in Money—Stocks Influenced by Reports of Damaging Rains in the Spring Wheat Harvest Region.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The solicitude felt over the possible stringency of money was exemplified by the effect upon the stock market of a flurry in the call money rate to 6 per cent. The fact that stock exchange loans made on Friday carry over until the following Monday makes the customary demand on Friday somewhat more urgent than on other days.

The special cause offered to explain today's sharp advance was the maturity of subscriptions for the new Oregon Short Line collateral bonds, secured by deposit of Northern Securities stock. The payment called for about $15,000,000, and necessitated considerable shifting of loans to requirement. The rate dropped back to near 4 per cent near the close, after the demand had been satisfied. There have been a number of other syndicate operations during the week which may upset calculations as to the bank statement tomorrow.

Bank Statement Forecast.

Among these were the payment of subscriptions to the United States Shipbuilding company, the payment of dividends by the United States Steel preferred, payable today. So far as the indicated cash changes promise, tomorrow's bank statemen will not be unfavorable. The movement of currency with the interior seems to be in favor of New York still, the receipts on balance during the week amounting to $1,500,000, against the loss to the subtreasury of $633,000. New York exchange at Chicago fell to par today, compared with 10c premium yesterday and 20c premium on Wednesday. This is an index of the growth of the pressure from the interior upon New York for funds. Rates for time money also are advanced today to a uniform 5 per cent for all periods. In response to the higher money market there were additional large offerings in the exchange market of loan bills, as of grain bills for September, October and November delivery. The exchange market was in consequence weak.

An incidental influence upon the weakness of stocks was the report of rains in the spring wheat harvest region, which affected the grain markets as well.

Selling Pressure Acute.

As was to be expected, the selling pressure was most acute upon those stocks which have advanced most conspicuously of late. Missouri Pacific fell a full 2 points below last night, and other Gould stocks and the grangers and Pacifics generally were affected in sympathy. Southern Pacific resisted the decline, but yielded its opening gain, recovering again to about the best in the closing rally upon enormous dealings. St. Louis Southwestern preferred also moved up 2 points over last night, just at the close. Pennsylvania, Louisville & Rock Island had periods of strength. The newest favorites in the rumors of deals were the Toledo, St. Louis & Western stocks, which were bought in a demonstrative way by the Western speculative party, closing at the top. The market generally closed firm.

The bond market was generally easier. Total sales, par value, $2,385,000. United States refunding 2s advanced ⅛, the old 4s registered and 5s registered ¼, and 5s coupon ½ per cent on the last call.

Stocks.

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Atchison	15700	93½	92⅛	92¾
do pfd	4000	103⅛	102½	102¾
xBaltimore & Ohio	17600	110	109⅛	109¾
xdo pfd	...	...	...	94½
Canadian Pacific	6600	139	137⅞	138½
Canada Southern	...	...	...	90½
Chesapeake & Ohio	3800	55	54¼	54⅝
Chicago & Alton	4100	43⅞	42⅞	43
do pfd	100	77	77	76¼
Chi., Ind. & Louis.	100	76½	76½	75
do pfd	...	...	...	90
Chi. & East. Illinois	...	...	...	217
Chi. Gt. Western	8950	33	32⅝	32¾
do A pfd	200	89½	89½	89¼
do B pfd	2900	51	50	50¼
Chicago & N.-W	100	243¼	243¼	241
C., R. I. & P.	2900	185¾	184¼	184¼
Chi. Term. & Trans.	600	22⅞	22¾	22¾
do pfd	6100	40⅞	40¼	40⅜
C., C., C. & St. L.	500	106⅜	105½	105½
Colorado Southern	1900	33¾	33¾	33⅜
do 1st pfd	...	...	...	78½
do 2d pfd	800	52	51½	51½
Delaware & Hudson	...	...	...	178½
Del., Lack. & West.	100	278	278	275
Denver & R. Grande	900	45⅜	44½	45¼
do pfd	600	93⅝	93½	93¼
Erie	7400	40	39⅜	39⅝
do 1st pfd	900	69	68¾	68¾
do 2d pfd	300	53⅝	53¾	53
Gt. Nor. pfd	700	192⅞	192½	192¼
Hocking Valley	7000	102	100½	101¼
do pfd	500	94½	94	94
Ilinois Central	4300	170	168¼	168⅝
Iowa Central	2600	50½	50¼	50¼
do pfd	3200	88⅛	87¼	87¾
Lake Erie & West.	...	...	...	64
do pfd	...	...	...	125
Louis. & Nash	30200	152¾	151½	151⅞
Manhattan L	3100	135¼	134¾	134½
Metropolitan St. Ry.	700	148½	148½	148
Mexican Central	3800	30⅜	29¾	29⅞
Mexican National	...	...	...	18½
Minneapolis & St. L.	100	112⅞	112⅞	112¼
Missouri Pacific	36800	119⅜	117¼	117⅝
Mo., Kan. & Texas	1400	32⅜	31⅝	31⅞
do pfd	2700	64½	63¾	64
N. J. Central	...	...	...	184
N. Y. Central	7100	165⅜	164	164⅜
Norfolk & Western	14900	70¾	69½	70
do pfd	...	...	...	90
Ontario & Western	800	34	33¾	33⅞
Pennsylvania	33500	161⅜	159¾	160¼
Reading	6100	67	66⅜	66¾
do 1st pfd	400	86¼	86¼	86
do 2d pfd	1100	73⅛	73	73
St. L. & S. F	1800	81	80¼	80
do 1st pfd	...	...	...	87
xdo 2d pfd	200	77¼	77	77
St. Louis S. W	3100	39	38⅜	38⅜
do pfd	13900	76¼	73½	76⅛
St. Paul	10200	186⅞	185⅝	185¾
Southern Pacific	111750	72⅝	71¾	72⅜
Southern Railway	16730	40⅜	39¾	40
do pfd	1200	97⅞	97⅝	97⅝
Texas & Pacific	36500	52	50⅜	50⅝
T., St. L. & West.	14700	29	24½	28⅞
do pfd	17300	45¼	44⅞	44⅞
Union Pacific	21000	109½	108¼	108¾
do pfd	400	92⅜	92⅜	92½
Wabash	3000	32¼	31½	31½
do pfd	5200	48¼	47¼	47¼
Wheeling & L. E.	3200	25½	24½	24¾
do pfd	700	39½	38½	38
Wisconsin Central	2300	28¾	28½	28½
do pfd	1200	52⅜	51⅞	51¾
Adams	500	220	215	210
American	...	...	...	245
United States	100	132	132	130
Wells Fargo	...	...	...	230
Amal. Copper	8500	65⅞	65	65⅝
Am. Car & Found.	1400	34⅛	33⅝	33¾
do pfd	100	92¾	92⅜	92
Am. Linseed Oil	200	24¾	24¾	24
do pfd	...	...	...	50
Am. Smelt. & Refin.	2800	48	48	47¾
do pfd	...	...	...	97½
Anaconda Min.	...	...	...	102
Brook. Rap. Tran.	2700	67¾	67⅛	67
Col. Fuel & Iron	2300	91¼	90	90
Consolidated Gas	1900	223⅞	223	223⅛
Continental Tob.	100	121⅛	121⅛	121⅛
General Electric	200	185⅜	185	184
Hocking Coal	200	21⅛	21⅛	20
Int. Paper	1100	22⅛	21½	21½
do pfd	200	74½	74¼	74½
Laclede Gas	...	...	...	88
National Biscuit	...	...	...	47¼
National Lead	2600	25¾	25¼	25⅜
North American	100	122¼	122¼	122¼
Pacific Coast	700	75	74	73¾
Pacific Mail	200	40¾	40¾	40½
People's Gas	...	...	...	103⅛
Pressed Steel Car	1000	49	48½	48¾
do pfd	200	86¼	86¼	86
Pullman Pal. Car	100	245	245	243
Republic Steel	300	19¼	19⅛	19
do pfd	200	76¾	76¾	76½
Sugar	2400	133⅜	132¼	132½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	2200	68⅞	68¼	68¼
Union B. & P. Co.	700	15¾	15¼	15½
do pfd	...	...	...	79¾
U. S. Leather	2100	13⅛	13⅛	13
do pfd	200	86¾	86¾	86⅝
U. S. Rubber	...	...	...	15
do pfd	...	...	...	55
U. S. Steel	10600	41	40⅝	40¾
do pfd	6200	90¾	90¼	90¼
Western Union	13500	93¾	92½	92⅝
Am. Locomotive	1000	32½	31¾	31¾
do pfd	200	93	93	93
K. C. Southern	1000	36¾	36	36
do pfd	400	59¾	59¾	59¾

Total sales for the day, 627,900 shares.

xEx-dividend.

New York Bonds.

U. S. 2s ref	107⅜	L. & N. uni. 4s	101⅞
do 2s coup	107⅜	Mex. Cent. 4s	82½
do 3s ref	105⅜	do 1st inc	32¼
do 3s coup	105⅜	M. & St. L. 4s	105¼
do n. 4s reg	132¼	M., K. & T. 4s	99¾
do n. 4s coup	132⅜	do 2ds	84⅛
do old 4s reg	108¼	N. Y. C. 1sts	101⅝
do o. 4s coup	108¼	do gen. 3½s	107
do 5s reg	104¼	N. J. C. gen. 5s	136
do 5s coup	104½	Nor. Pac. 4s	104⅜
Atch. gen 4s	103⅛	do 3s	71½
do adj. 4s	96¾	N. & W. con. 4s	101⅞

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C M & StP g 4s	113	T St L & W 4s	83⅞
C & N-W c 7s	132¾	Union Pac. 4s	104⅜
C R I & P 4s	108¾	do conv. 4s	109¼
CCC & StL g 4s	102	Wabash 1sts	118⅞
Chi. Term. 4s	89½	do 2ds	110
Col. So. 4s	95	do deb. B	77⅝
D. & R. G. 4s	102¼	West Shore 4s	113½
Erie p. l. 4s	99½	W. & L. E. 4s	95
do gen. 4s	86⅝	Wis. Cent. 4s	92½
F W & D C 1st	114	Con. Tob. 4s	64⅞
Hock. Val. 4½s	109¼		

London Closing Stocks.

Anaconda	5¼	do pfd	94
Atchison	95½	Ont. & W.	34¾
do pfd	105½	Pennsylvania	81⅞
B. & O.	112¼	Reading	34¼
Can. Pacific	142½	do 1st pfd	43½
C. & Ohio	56½	do 2d pfd	37
C. G. W.	34	So. Railway	41¼
C., M. & St. P.	191½	do pfd	100
D. & R. G.	46⅜	So. Pacific	74¼
do pfd	96¼	Union Pacific	112
Erie	40⅞	do pfd	95
do 1st pfd	70⅝	U. S. Steel	41⅞
do 2d pfd	55½	do pfd	92¾
Ill. Central	173½	Wabash	32½
L. & Nash.	156	do pfd	49
M. K. & T.	32⅞	Spanish 4s	80½
do pfd	64½	Rand mines	11¾
N. Y. Central	168¼	De Beers	23⅛
N. & W.	72½		

Consols for money, 95 9-16; do for account, 95 9-16. Bar silver, quiet, 24 3-16d per ounce; money, 2½@2¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 9-6@2⅝ per cent; for three months' bills, 2⅝@2¾ per cent.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	$0.20	Little Chief	$0.11
Alice	.30	Ontario	8.50
Breece	.30	Ophir	1.10
Brunswick Con.	.06	Phoenix	.06
Comstock Tun.	.05	Potosi	.12
Con. Cal. & Va	1.10	Savage	.02
Deadwood Ter.	1.00	Sierra Nev	.10
Horn Silver	1.25	Small Hopes	.40
Iron Silver	.80	Standard	3.45
Leadville Con.	.03		

Statement of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows:

Available cash balance	$204,989,567
Gold	104,941,068
Silver	25,750,845
U. S. notes	8,626,705
Treasury notes	59,947,000
National bank notes	13,251,150
Total receipts this day	1,377,494
Total receipts this month	24,304,467
Total receipts this year	73,610,158
Total expenditures this day	1,690,000
Total expenditures this month	26,740,000
Total expenditures this year	82,553,567
Deposits in national banks	126,204,612

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Money on call firm, 5@6 per cent; last loan at 5. Prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5 per cent; sterling exchange weak at $4.87@3.75 for demand and $4.84@8.75 for sixty days; bills posted, $4.86@4.88½; commercial bills, $4.84¼@4.85¼; bar silver, 52½c; Mexican dollars, 41¼c; government bonds strong; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds easier.

STOCKS AND MONEY ABROAD.

Cheerfulness in London Sustained—Conditions More Healthful.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The cheerfulness of yesterday was maintained today. Brokers agree that the recent liquidation has left the market in a more healthy condition than at any time since the beginning of the Boer war, though real activity can hardly be expected till the late autumn. Consols sold at 95 9-16. American stocks responded to higher parities, with Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and Baltimore & Ohio the features on New York support. Prices wavered in the afternoon on fears that the statement of the New York associated banks might be unfavorable. The finish was dull. Discount hardened to 2 11-16 on the fall in American exchange. The Bank of England has bought £61,000 gold in bars.

The amount of bullion taken into the Bank of England on balance today was £61,000.

Berlin—Discount rates, short bills, 1½ per cent; three months' bills, 1⅞ per cent.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Flour—Receipts, 16,800 bbls; exports, 8,893 bbls; market quiet.

Rye Flour—Dull; fair to good, $3.20@3.40; choice to fancy, $3.55@3.70.

Cornmeal—Quiet; yellow western, $1.28; city, $1.26; Brandywine, $3.45@3.55.

Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western, 60c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2, 60@61c track; state, 56½@57c c. i. f. New York.

Barley—Steady; feeding, 54c c. i. f. Buffalo.

Wheat—Receipts, 185,000 bu; spot steady; No. 2 red, 75¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 77c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 81c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 85¼c f. o. b. afloat. Another sharp upturn in September wheat, impelled by poor grading at Chicago and showers through the Northwest, affected the entire market today, promoting general activity and strength in all options. Shorts led the buying, while foreign houses sold. Near the close it eased off slightly, through disappointing export business, and was finally ⅜@½c net higher. May, 74¾@75⅛c, closed at 75c; September, 74⅛@74 11-16, closed at 74¼c; December, 72¾@73⅜c, closed at 73⅛c

Corn—Receipts, 1,050 bu; exports, 5,612 bu; spot easy. No. 2, 63½c elevator and 65c afloat. Option market at first sold up with wheat on covering, due to small Argentine shipments and light Western receipts, but later met enough unloading to produce reactions. The close was ½c net higher on September, but unchanged otherwise; May, 44@44⅛c, closed at 44c; September, 57¼@57½c, closed at 57½c; December, 46½@46⅞c, closed at 46½c.

Oats—Receipts, 111,000 bu; exports, 100 bu; spot unsettled; No. 2, 39@41c; No. 3 nominal; No. 2 white, new, 62@65c; No. 3 white, nominal; others nominal. Option market was strong on September during the forenoon, but later sold off with corn.

Hay, firm; hops, firm; hides, firm; leather, firm; wool, quiet; beef, steady; cut meats, quiet; pickled shoulders, 8¾@9c; pickled hams, 11½@12c. Lard, easy; western steamed, $10.50@10.55, nominal; refined, easy. Pork, quiet; tallow, easy; city ($2 per package), 6¼@6½c; country (packages free), 6⅜@6⅝c; cottonseed oil, quiet; petroleum, steady; rosin, steady; turpentine, quiet, 46¾@47¼c; rice, firm; molasses, steady. Coffee—Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5⅛c; mold, quiet; Cordova, 8@11½c. Sugar—Raw, about steady; fair refining, 2 15-16; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅜c; Molasses sugar, 2 11-16c; refined, steady. Butter—Receipts, 6,515 packages; market barely steady; state dairy, 16½@20; state creamery, 16½@20½c; renovated, 15½@18c; factory, 14@16c; imitation creamery, 15@17½c. Cheese—Receipts, 2,344 packages; market steady to firm; new state, full cream, small, colored, fancy, 9½@9⅝c; small white, 9¼@9⅝c; large, colored, 9⅝c; large, white, 9⅝c. Eggs—Receipts, 6,808 packages; market quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 20@20½c; western candled, 17½@19c; western, uncandled, 15@17½c.

Ever Thus in Childhood's Hour.

Teacher—Why did you do that?

Pupil—Oh, just for fun.

Teacher—But didn't you know it was against the rules?

Pupil—Sure, that's where the fun of it came in.—Philadelphia Press.

SHORTS ARE SQUEEZED

MANIPULATION AND WEATHER BRINGS GOOD BULGES TO GRAIN

Most of the Conditions Are Against An Upturn and Recessions Follow the Pushing Up of Prices—Wheat and Oats Close Higher and Corn Unchanged.

CHICAGO Aug. 15.—Manipulation and the weather started good bulges in grains today, and as a result September shorts were squeezed once more. Contract wheat was scarce, and there was some congestion in corn and oats. Other conditions, however, were all against an upturn. After the manipulators had pushed up prices well, liquidation from the same hands brought recessions. In the end September wheat closed 1c up; September corn unchanged and September oats 1¼c higher. Provisions closed 5c lower to 5c higher.

Wheat spurted early on the fears of shorts and rains in the spring harvests. Congestion in contract stocks was marked, with one house practically in control. The opening was somewhat wild with everybody wanting stuff and offerings very light. That manipulation was practically the entire cause for the upturn seemed reasonable from the fact that receipts—primary, local, Northwest and Southwest—were much heavier; that Argentine shipments were increased; that the Hungarian and Roumanian crops were large and that exports offered freely with few takers.

Profit in December.

Although September was the manipulated month, December profited today. After prices had been pushed up well the holders unloaded in September and unstraddled their spreads by taking on December. Still December held to its discount of over 3 cents. September started ⅜c to ⅞c higher at 70¼@70⅜c, and sold to 71¼c. There was a drop to 70⅝c, but September closed firm, 1c up, at 70⅞c. Local receipts were 318 cars, one of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 126 cars, making a total for the three points of 444 cars, against 298 last week and 442 a year ago. Primary receipts were 1,138,000 bu, against 969,000 bu last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 283,000 bu. Argentine shipments equaled 240,000 bu, against 48,000 bu last week.

Corn was helped by the strength in wheat. Trade was not especially active, yet there was a good volume. The general commission house demand was very good. Small receipts at 32 cars and rain helped the bulls somewhat. Local shorts and the Southwest covered briskly for a time, especially in December. The longs however, fed the market liberally, and prices slumped off. Cables were lower. There was no conspicuous selling. The cash demand was fair, but the crop prospects were still excellent. September sold between 51½@52c, and closed steady, unchanged, at 51⅝c.

Oats and Provisions.

Rains and the manipulation by bulls in September options lifted oats prices with some early show of excitement. There was a good demand in September by commission houses, with shorts leading. Stuff was hard to buy and the cash demand was brisk. There was some late offering on the bulge, but prices held well. September spurted from 31¾ to 33c, and closed strong, ¼c up, at 32⅝c. Grading was retarded by the rains; of 272 cars received today, only 22 were of contract grade.

Provisions were irregular and dull. Hogs were lower on liberal receipts. There was some strength in distant options, but the near-by futures were liquidated again. Some support came, especially in pork. September pork closed 5c up at $16.00; September lard, 5c off, at $10.25, and September ribs, 2½c down, at $9.60.

The estimated receipts for tomorrow are: Wheat, 300 cars; corn, 42 cars; oats, 220 care, and 15,000 head of hogs.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept	$0.70¾	$0.71¼	$0.70¼	$0.70⅞
Dec	.67½	.68⅛	.67¼	.67¾
May	.70⅛	.70¼	.69⅝	.69⅞
Corn—				
Sept	.52	.52	.51½	.51⅝
Dec	.41⅞	.42⅛	.41½	.41½
May	.39½	.31½	.39¼	.39⅜
Oats—				
Sept., old	.27	.27¾	.27	.27½
Sept., new	.32¼	.33	.31⅜	.32⅝
Dec., new	.29⅜	.29¾	.29¼	.29⅜
May	.30⅛	.30⅜	.30	.30⅛
Pork—				
Sept	15.85	16.02½	15.80	16.00
Oct	16.00	16.15	15.95	16.15
Jan	14.20	14.30	14.20	14.30
Lard—				
Sept	10.27½	10.30	10.30	10.25
Oct	9.35	9.35	9.22½	9.32½
Jan	8.22½	8.25	8.17½	8.22½
Ribs—				
Sept	9.55	9.60	9.50	9.60
Oct	9.15	9.15	9.00	9.15
Jan	7.40	7.47½	7.40	7.45

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour easy. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 72@73c; No. 3, 68@72c; No. 2 red, 70¼@71¼c. Corn—No. 2, 56c; No. 2 yellow, 60c. Oats—No. 2, 28½@29c; No. 2 white, 42c; No. 3 white, 33¾@34c. Rye—No. 2, 51½@52c. Barley—Fair to choice malting, 50@62c. Flaxseed—No. 1, $1.39; No. 1 Northwestern, $1.45. Timothy Seed—Prime, $5.10. Pork—Mess, per bbl, $15.90@15.95. Lard, per 100 lbs, $10.12½@10.15. Short Ribs—Sides (loose), $9.50@9.60. Shoulders (boxed), 8¾@8⅞c. Sides—Short clear (boxed), 10¼@10⅝c. Receipts—Flour, 15,000 bbls; wheat, 263,000 bu; corn, 76,000 bu; oats, 282,000 bu; rye, 27,000 bu; barley, 12,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 25,000 bbls; wheat, 444,000 bu; corn, 153,000 bu; oats, 224,000 bu; rye, 52,000 bu; barley, 1,000 bu. On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 15@19¾c; dairies, 14@18½c. Cheese steady, 10@11c. Eggs—Steady; fresh, 17½c.

MINNEAPOLIS.

Wheat—Closing—	Fri.	Thurs.
September, Minneapolis	66¾	66¼
December, Minneapolis	64⅞	64½
May, Minneapolis	67¾	67⅜
September, Chicago	70⅞	69⅞
December, Chicago	67¾	66⅞
May, Chicago	69⅞	69½
September, New York	74¼	73⅞
December, New York	73⅛	72⅝
May, New York	75	74⅝
September, Duluth	68⅜	68
December, Duluth	66¼	66
September, St. Louis	64⅞	63⅞
December, St. Louis	66	65⅜

Minneapolis—Wheat moved up another notch on continued covering by shorts in September wheat and some new general buying. September led again in strength and sold to 67c. Realizing carried it back to 66⅝c, but there was good support throughout. Liverpool was weak at the opening, but firmed up and closed ⅜@⅝c higher. Some new bearish gossip was in, but was more than offset by news of a nature favorable to price maintenance. Springfield, Ill., wired that the winter wheat area was 1,774,000 acres, and that the yield was fully 36,500,000 bu, or 5,400,000 bu more than last year. Argentine shipments increased to 240,000, against 48,000 last week. Last year Argentine shipped 408,000 bu. In Chicago there were two strengthening things in sight, the wet weather and the poor quality of receipts. With these there was the report that Armour is active in September and has enough September bought to control the entire stock of contract grade. This would be important as a bull card, especially if receipts continue running light and grading low. There were light rains in South Dakota, and general light rains over Nebraska and Iowa. Cables reported dry weather in Argentine and rain needed.

Kansas City receipts were only 160,000 bu, against 228,000, but St. Louis showed up with 360,000 bu against 102,000. Over 1,000,000 was shipped out of Kansas City, most of it headed for Chicago. At primary points receipts were 1,138,000 bu, against 969,000 bu, and shipments 1,860,000 bu, against 422,000 bu. Wheat and flour clearances equalled 281,000 bu.

Minneapolis had only 115 cars against 293 last year, and Duluth had 11 against 31.

The Modern Miller says: Threshing returns and statements from trustworthy authorities point to a total yield of 400,000,000 bu of winter wheat. The largest yields were made by the soft wheat states of the central surplus region. Farmers are still selling off grade wheat freely, but many are holding choice grain. The milling quality of the wheat this year far surpasses that of last season, as it produces a stronger and uniformly better flour. For the week wheat and flour clearances were 4,591,000 bu, against 4,244,000 bu last week, and 9,040,000 bu a year ago.

The market sold off a little at the close on realizing, September closing at 66⅝@66¾c; December 64⅞c, and May, 67⅝@67¾c. The cash market was active. For choice old No. 1 northern, 77c was paid. Old No. 2 northern sold at 75⅛@75¾c. Five cents over September was about the basis for new No. 2. No. 3 wheat sold at 73c for old and 71c for new. Rejected brought 71c and no grade ranged from 72c down to 61c.

The folowing was the range of prices:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing. Fri.	Thurs.
May	67⅝	68	67⅝	67¾	67⅜
Sept.	66⅝	67	66½	66⅝	66¼
Dec.	64⅞	65¼	64⅝	64⅞	64½

On Track—Official closing quotations, Aug. 15: No. 1 hard, 78⅝c; No. 1 northern, old, 76⅝c; new, 72⅝@73⅝c; new to arrive, 69⅜@70⅝c; No. 2 northern, old, 74⅝c; new, to arrive, 68⅝@69⅝c; oats, 32⅝@33c; oats to arrive, 32¼c; corn, 59⅝@59½c; rye, 47c; barley, 35@65c; flax, $1.37; flax futures: August, $1.37; September, $1.30; October, $1.26¾.

Flour—Some of the local millers will cease grinding for the present. One company closed two mills last night, and another company will close about one-half its capacity tonight. This is the result of the scarcity of good milling wheat and the high premium for No. 1 northern in the cash market. Flour buyers are very conservative just at present. Meanwhile there is a good business in flour for future delvery, based on September wheat, and the outlook is for heavy grinding later on when the new wheat begins moving in more freely and the local supply situation is relieved. For the day shipments were 50,477 bbls. First patents are quotable $3.80@3.90, second patents, $3.60@3.70; first clears, $3@3.10; second clears, $2.40.

Daily Wheat Movement.

The following are the receipts and shipments at the principal primary wheat markets:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
New York	185,000	......
Philadelphia	55,696	71,250
Baltimore	68,591	40,000
Toledo	193,000	168,500
Detroit	15,570	15,610
St. Louis	360,000	104,000
Chicago	262,562	443,695
Milwaukee	24,800	......
Duluth	4,305	194,001
Minneapolis	96,600	41,860
Kansas City	160,000	96,800

State Grain Inspection.

Railroads.	Northern. No.1.	No.2.	No.3.	Rej.	No Gd.
Gt. Northern	11	3	19	1	12
C., M. & St. P.	..	9	2	3	4
M. & St. L.	..	1	1	1	..
Nor. Pacific	..	..	..	1	..
C., S. P. M. & O.	..	2	5	..	..
C., S. P. & K.C.	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	11	45	28	6	17

Other Grains—Winter wheat, 36; No. 3 corn, 5; no grade corn, 1; No. 2 oats, 3; No. 3 oats, 24; No. 4 northern oats, 3; no grade oats, 3; No. 2 rye, 5; no grade rye, 2; No. 3 barley, 6; No. 4 barley, 12; No. 5 barley, 8; no grade barley, 5; No. 1 flax, 1; No. 1 northern flax, 2; rejected flax, 2.

Cars Inspected Out—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 74; No. 2 northern, 54; No. 3, 29; rejected, 1; no grade, 4; No. 3 corn, 1; No. 2 rye, 1; No. 3 barley, 1; No. 4 barley, 1; No. 5 barley, 1; No. 1 flax, 1; rejected flax, 1.

Minneapolis Curb Aug. 15.

Curb on September wheat	66⅝c
Puts, September wheat	bid 66⅛c
Calls, September wheat	bid 67¼c

Milwaukee Curb Aug. 15.

Curb on September wheat	69⅞c
Puts, September wheat	69¼@69⅜c
Calls, September wheat	70¾@70⅞c
Puts on September corn	51c
Calls, September corn	61⅝@51¾c

DULUTH.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 15.—Wheat was higher today, but steady at the advance. Flax was higher and dull. September and December wheat opened ½c up at 68½c and 66½c, and sold all the morning within ¼c range, closing with a net advance of ⅜c for September and ¼c for December. Flax sold steadily all day at $1.29¼ for October. Receipts—Wheat, 11 cars; oats, 1; barley, 2; flax, 4. Shipments—Wheat, 194,001 bu. Close: No. 1 hard, cash, 76c; to arrive, 74c; No. 1 northern, cash, 72⅝c; to arrive, 70⅜c; September, 68⅜c; December, 66¼c; No. 2 northern, 70⅞c; No. 3, 68½c; flax, cash, $1.43; to arrive, $1.38; September, $1.32½; October, $1.29¼c; oats, September, 31⅜c; December, 28½c; cash, 34c; to arrive, 32¾c; rye, cash, 49c; September, 48½c.

OTHER GRAIN MARKETS.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Flour steady. Wheat—Firm. Close: No. 1 northern, 79c; No. 2 northern, 76@78c; September, 69⅞c. Rye—Firmer; No. 1, 51½c. Barley—Steady; No. 2, 70@74c; sample, 43@68c. Oats—Dull; standard, 37@45c. Corn—September, 51⅝c.

Toledo, Ohio—Wheat—Dull, strong; cash, 72¼c; September, 72¼c; December, 71⅝c; May, 73c. Corn—Dull, steady; cash, 60c; September, 52c; December, 40⅜c; May, 38⅜c. Oats—Dull, strong; September, 33⅛c; December, 29⅞c. Clover Seed—Active, very strong; October, $5.75; January, $5.60. Rye—No. 2, 51½c.

Kansas City, Mo.—Wheat—September, 63½c; December, 63c; cash, No. 2 hard, 66c; No. 2 red, 64c. Corn—September, 41⅝@41¾c; December, 33⅝@33¾c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 49@50c; No. 2 white, 55c. Oats—No. 2 white, 32@35c.

Liverpool—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 2d; No. 1 California, 6s 3½d; futures steady; September, 5s 11¾d; December, 5s 10½d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, 5s 11½d; futures quiet; September, 4s 11¼d; October, 4s 9½d; January, 3s 11⅜d.

PRODUCE AND FRUIT.

Commission Row, Aug. 15.—Trading in the open market at today's meeting of the Produce Exchange established the following prices:

Butter—Creameries—		
Extras	.19 @	.19½
Firsts	.17 @	.17½
Seconds	.16 @	.17
Dairies—		
Extras		.17
Firsts		.16
Packing stock	.12½ @	.12¾
Cheese—		
Twins fancy	.10 @	.12
Young America	.11 @	.13
Brick—No. 1	.12 @	.12½
Brick—No. 2		.10
Eggs—		
Fresh stock, cases included, loss off	.16 @	.16½
Seconds		.12
Cracked	.10½ @	.11
Dressed Meats—		
Veal, fancy		.08½
Veal, common to good	.06 @	.07½
Lambs, fall	.08 @	.09
Muttons	.05 @	.07
Country-dressed hogs	.07½ @	.08½
Live Poultry—		
Turkeys		.11
Hens		.10½
Young cocks		.06
Spring broilers	.13½ @	.14
Geese		.06
Ducks		.07
Spring ducks	.09½ @	.10
Fish—		
Sunfish and perch	.03 @	.04
Pickerel		.04
Crappies		.07½
Pike		.07

The following prices are those at which the commidities mentioned are selling in the retail trade. In large lots these prices may be shaded:

Beans—		
Fancy navy, per bu	2.10 @	2.25
Fancy, brown, per bu	1.95 @	2.10
Peas—		
Yellow peas	1.25 @	1.65
Green peas	1.50 @	1.75
Potatoes—		
New potatoes car lots	.25 @	.30
Vegetables—		
Beets, per bu		.40
Cabbage, per 100-lb crate		.75
Carrots, bu		.40
Cauliflower, per doz		.65
Celery, per doz		.25
Cucumbers, per doz		.15
Egg plant, doz		.50
Green corn, doz		.10
Lettuce, leaf, bu		.20
Lettuce, head, bu		.30
Onions green, doz bunches		.10
Onions, dry, bu		.75
Peppers, bu		.50
Peas, bu	.75 @	1.00
Parsley, doz		.20
Pieplant, 50-lb box		.50
Radishes, doz bunches		.10
Spinach, bu		.25
Turnips, bu		.40
Tomatoes, bu		1.00
Wax and string beans, bu		.50
Berries—		
Blueberries, 16-qt case	1.75 @	1.85
Apples—		
New, green, bbl	2.75 @	3.25
Lemons—		
California, per box	4.75 @	5.00
Verdelli, per box	4.50 @	5.00
Limes, per 100	1.75 @	2.00
Oranges—		
Valencias, per box	5.00 @	5.50
Miscellaneous—		
Grapes, Concord, basket		.35
Delaware, crate		1.25
Bananas, bunch	1.75 @	2.50
Peaches, Cal., hlf bu box	.90 @	1.00
Plums, Cal., 4-basket crate	.90 @	1.10
Pears, Cal., bu box	1.85 @	2.00
Honey, per lb	.11 @	.15
Pineapples, per crate	4.00 @	4.50
Fancy, dozen	2.00 @	2.25
Gem melons, basket	.40 @	.50
Canteloupe, crate		1.50
Watermelons, per 100		15.00
Nuts—		
English walnuts		.12
California walnuts, lb		.13
Peanuts, raw		.06
Brazil		.12½
Almonds		.16
Filberts		.16
Figs and Dates—		
California figs	.10 @	.14
Arabian, lb		.15
Fard dates, lb	.07 @	.08
Apple Cider—		
Sweet, per bbl		6.50
Sweet, per half bbl		3.50
Hard, per bbl		7.50

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Liverpool Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 15.—Hams—Short cut, quiet, 57s 6d. Bacon—Cumberland cut steady, 55s 6d. Short Rigs—Quiet, 59s 6d; long clear middles, light, quiet, 58s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, quiet, 58s. Lard—Prime Western, dull, 51s 6d; American refined, dull, 52s.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—There was a halt today in the steady downward trend of copper prices which has characterized the late market, no change being recorded and the market having a steadier tone, although there was not much demand for the metal and no sales were officially reported. Standard spot closed at 11@11.30c; lake, 11.50@11.70c; electrolytic, 11.40@11.50c, and casting 11.40@11.50c. For the month of July the production of copper in the United States amounted to 16,749 tons, compared with 21,985 tons for the same period a year ago. The production so far this year amounts to 167,197 tons, against 155,379 tons last year. The primary reason for the market's recent depression is attributed to this increased production and in the heavy supplies already on hand. London reported an advance of 1s 3d, spot closing at £51 12 6d, and futures at £51 17s 6d.

Tin rallied £2 10s on spot and £1 12s on futures in the London market today, private cables attributing the further recovery to bull manipulation and covering. Spot closed at £127 15s and futures at £124 12s 6d. The local response was hardly so full as expected, prices gaining but 20 points, making spot 28.40@28.60. At the close the market ruled firm and some business was reported on the foreign basis.

Lead prices were unchanged and steady. New York quoted at 4⅛c and London £11 2s 6d. Spelter continued firm at 5c here, and at £18 12s 6d at London. English iron markets were higher, Glasgow advancing 2d to 56s 5d, and Middlesboro gaining 3½d to 51s 10½d. Local markets were firm, quiet and unchanged. Warrants, nominal; No. 1 foundry, Northern, $23@25; No. 2 foundry, Northern, $22@23; No. 1 foundry, Southern, $22@23; No. 1 foundry, Southern soft, $22@23.

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