SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S TRANSACTIONS IN THE MARKETS

LIQUIDATION KEEPS WHEAT LEVEL DOWN

Price Falls Two Cents on Market Full of Bear News

Wheat was weak all day on continued short selling and liquidation.

Stocks were nervous and easier in spots.

What the Brokers Say

M. Doran & Co.'s grain letter:

Wheat—There was no change in the tone of wheat. Market continued weak, particularly the December, which broke a further 2c a bushel. Buying was wholly by shorts, satisfied with their profits. News was limited and of little influence. Liverpool opened easier with a further slump towards the close, making a loss for the day of ⅜@⅞d. Receipts in the Northwest and total at all primary points were large. Kansas City reported slack cash demand, and there was little of encouragement to buyers in the Northwestern news, except fair sales of flour made yesterday. Manitoba estimates being raised as result of better threshing returns.

Country movement in spring wheat belt is falling off, but interior elevators are rushing wheat to primary markets and no immediate decrease in receipts is looked for. Estimated cars tomorrow, 48.

Corn—The inevitable break occurred today, the May declining over 2c a bushel at one time, with small reaction towards the close. The December was relatively firm. The frost shown on the morning's map and that predicted for tomorrow did not affect sentiment in the least. The trade has evidently come to the conclusion that the crop is made, and it is a large one. Every bushel of long corn now shows a serious loss. Forced selling was a feature throughout the session. There is still large line to be liquidated, and this is the weakest factor in the speculative market. The country selling of new corn continues and purchases were even made of the old crop, which may be taken as reflecting views of producer. The Missouri crop is officially estimated at 175,000,000, with a gain of 2 points in condition past month. The Price Current places the total yield at upwards of 2,400,000,000. Sell May corn short in preference to December, which is liable to be affected by scarcity of old corn and possible bad weather, which would prevent grading of new crop. Liverpool ⅜d lower. Estimated cars, 78.

Oats followed corn with more or less early selling by cash houses. On break there was fair demand for May. We consider the weakness in oats largely a sympathetic one and do not look for any serious break and would prefer buying on weak days. Estimated cars, 112.

Provisions—The trade was rather slow, but market was firm, led by good buying of lard by one of the influential packers. Stocks since first of the month show a decrease of 13,000 bbls pork, 10,000 tcs lard and 170,000 lbs ribs. Estimated hogs, 14,000.

J. C. Geraghty & Co.'s New York stock advices:

Logan & Bryan—Market shows little less activity today, some hesitation and also a little irregularity. The reactions are, however, unimportant and denote nothing more than scattered profit taking on a moderate scale. The public is gradually getting in and gradually accumulating holdings. They are not, we think, yet sufficient to make anything more than moderate reactions likely. On the weak spots stocks are still well bought and confidence still expanding. We see nothing in general conditions or prospects yet to invite a look at the other side of the market. Pauses and reactions are of course possible. We look for ultimately higher prices.

Walker Bros.—The market this morning started off with considerable strength, Southern Pacific on a much higher London price showing especial buoyancy. Towards the close under strength in B. R. T. and A. C. P. and Reading, there was heavy realizing in the rest of the market which continued until the close, which was at about the lowest price of the day. The steel stocks showed the effect of heavy realizing sales. There was no news of special importance and the decline is but a natural reaction from the high prices of the past two days.

O'Connor & Van Bergen's stock letters: With the exception of Reading the market presents little new. The strength of the stock is accompanied by very confident talk of higher figures, based principally on the scarcity of the shares and the idea that important interests familiar with the property are gradually accumulating the floating supply, basing their judgment on the intrinsic worth and what the company is now and has been earning for several months past. In other parts of the list there is a fair degree of strength in places, but taken as a whole the market has had a sort of weary look, operators being more inclined to rest after their recent activity and count profits perhaps, rather than take part in each little stir which puts in an appearance.

The volume of business fell off today and the general tone was easy with the tendency toward lower prices held in check by strength in specialties such as D. & H. on rumor of a lease at 8 per cent, and in Reading of a dividend in January. The trading reflected a two-sided sentiment with disposition to sell somewhat stronger than that to make new purchases. This became more pronounced in the last hour, when the tone was heavy. Indications accumulate that this bull movement as a whole has culminated and a reaction is in order. The distribution of stocks in past three days is sufficient cause in itself, but in addition the possibility of a political scare between now and election is receiving more consideration. The close was soft at about lowest prices for the general market.

HIDES, PELTS AND SUNDRIES

Quotations furnished by D. Bergman & Co.:

Hides

Green Salted—	No. 1	No. 2
Native hides, free of brands, 25 lbs and up...	$0.09	@$0.08
Branded hides, all weights, 25 lbs and up	.08	@ .07
Bulls, stags and oxen	.07½	@ .06½
Veal calfskins, 8 to 15 lbs.	.11½	@ .10
Veal kip skins, 15 to 25 lbs	.09	@ .07½
Deacons, under 8 lbs	.50	@ .40
Long-haired kip, 8 to 25 lbs	.08	@ .07
Slunk skins	.20	
Glue stock	.03	
Free of brands, tare, 3 lbs each	.07	@ .06
Branded, all weights, tare, 3 lbs each	.06¾	@ .05¾
Bulls, stags and old oxen, tare, 3 lbs each	.06½	@ .05½
Long-haired kip, or runners	.07	@ .06
Veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs	.10	@ .08½
Veal kip, 15 to 25 lbs	.08	@ .06½
Green-salted horse hides, with tail and mane, large	3.00	@ 1.75
Green-salted horse hides, with tail and mane, ponies and small	1.50	@ .80
Dry Flint Montana—		
Heavy butcher hides, short trimmed	.14½	@ .15½
Light butcher hides, short trimmed, under 18 lbs	.12	@ .13

Coffee and Sugar

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices. Later the market became active and easier under active liquidation that was believed to be for Wall street account. There was enough demand to absorb the offerings at a decline of 10@15 points and the market closed steady on that basis. Sales were reported of 104,500 bags, including October, 6.55c; November, 6.40c; December, $6.70@6.90c; March, 7.05@7.20c; May, 7.25@7.40c; July, 7.35@7.50c; September, 7.50@7.65c. Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8⅜c; mild quiet.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses sugar, 3½c; refined quiet.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—Butter steady; creameries, 14@20c; dairies, 13@17c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 14@17¾c. Cheese firm; daisies, 10¼@10½c; twins, 10c; Young Americas, 10@10½c. Poultry—Live easy; turkeys, 12c; chickens, 9½c; springs, 10c.

WHEAT BREAKS AGAIN

FOREIGN MARKETS ARE WEAK AND PRIMARY RECEIPTS INCREASE

All Support Is Apparently Withdrawn Shortly After the Opening—Material Increase in Winter Wheat Acreage Reported

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—Weakness of foreign grain markets and increasing primary receipts in the United States were causes of a break of 1½@2c in the price of wheat here today. The market closed almost at the lowest point of the day. Corn is off 1⅜@1½c. Oats are down ⅜c. Provisions are 5c lower to 7½c higher.

When trading in the wheat pit began sentiment was only a trifle easier, but as the session advanced all support was apparently withdrawn and extreme weakness developed. The influences mainly responsible for the slight decline in prices at the start were lower cables and a report by a Cincinnati trade paper alleging a material increase in the acreage sown with winter wheat. The condition of this newly sown wheat was said, moreover, to be first class as a result of recent favorable weather. Initial quotations on December were off ⅛@¼c at $1.11⅛@1.11¼. May was down ⅛@¼c to ¼@⅜c at $1.11⅛@1.11¼. For a brief period the market exhibited some signs of rallying, there being a fair demand for the May delivery from commission houses. The advance in prices, however, was small, May selling up to $1.11⅝. Meantime December sold up to $1.11½.

A reaction soon occurred on scattered selling. During the remainder of the day the tendency was toward a lower level. The downward trend was given momentum by figures showing an increase in primary receipts for the day amounting to 30 per cent compared with those for the corresponding day a year ago. Extreme weakness of corn had a depressing influence on the wheat market. As the day advanced the selling became general, many stop-loss orders coming out on the decline. The low point of the day was reached on December at $1.01⅛, the decline in this month being greater than in the May delivery owing to more liberal offerings of December. May dropped to $1.09⅜. The demand improved considerably during the last few minutes of trading, a report of good flour sales at Minneapolis furnishing the stimulus to buy. The market, however, closed weak with December at $1.09⅜. Final quotations on May were at $1.09⅞@1.10.

Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 38,300 bu. Primary receipts were 1,192,500 bu, compared with 889,900 bu a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 878 cars, against 867 cars last week and 673 a year ago.

Corn Descends

A fear that the government crop report, due Monday, will indicate a big yield caused general liquidation of corn. An estimate made by a Cincinnati trade journal of 2,400,000,000 bu as the total yield was generally considered a faithful forecast of the official figures. The market was unable to resist the selling pressure, and prices broke severely. December opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 51c to 51@51⅛c, sold between 49¼c and 51⅛c and closed at 49⅝c. Local receipts were 140 cars, with 7 of contract grade.

In sympathy with the weakness of other grains the oats market was subject to considerable selling pressure. There was some demand from commission houses, but the buying was not sufficiently urgent to prevent a decline in prices. December opened unchanged to a shade lower at 31⅛@31¼c to 31¼c, sold off to 30½c and closed at the low point. Local receipts were 203 cars.

The decline in corn had a weakening influence on the provision market, but covering of January lard by shorts nearly offset this bear factor. At the close January pork was off 2½@5c at $13.27½@13.30. Lard was up 7½c at $7.60. Ribs were unchanged at $6.90.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 48 cars; corn, 78 cars; oats, 112 cars; hogs, 14,000 head.

Range of Quotations

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Oct.	$1.09½	$1.09½	$1.07⅞	$1.07⅞
Dec.	1.11¼	1.11½	1.09⅜	1.09⅜
May	1.11¼	1.11⅝	1.09⅜	1.10
Corn—				
Oct.	....	....	....	.50⅝
Dec.	.51⅛	.51⅛	.49¼	.49⅝
May	.48⅞	.48⅞	.46⅝	.47⅛
Oats—				
Oct.	.30¾	.30¾	.30	.30
Dec.	.31¼	.31¼	.30½	.30½
May	.33½	.33½	.32¾	.32⅞
Pork—				
Oct.	11.60	11.60	11.52½	11.55
Dec.	11.65	11.65	11.62½	11.65
Jan.	13.35	13.40	13.20	13.30
Lard—				
May	7.57½	7.65	7.57½	7.65
Oct.	7.60	7.72½	7.60	7.70
Dec	7.52½	7.55	7.52½	7.55
Jan.	7.52½	7.60	7.52½	7.60
Ribs—				
Oct.	7.95	7.95	7.92½	7.92½
Jan.	6.90	6.92½	6.87½	6.90
May	7.00	7.00	6.97½	6.97½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring, $1.12@1.15; No. 3, $1.05@1.12; No. 2 red, $1.09¾@1.11⅝. Corn—No. 2, 51¾@54¾c; No. 2 yellow, 54c. Oats—No. 2, 31¼@32½c; No. 2 white, 31¾c; No. 3 white, 30¾@32c. Rye—No. 2, 76½c. Barley—Good feeding, 37c; fair to choice malting, 38@48c. Flaxseed—No. 1, $1.04@1.12; No. 1 Northwestern, $1.14. Timothy Seed—Prime, $2.40@2.50. Pork—Mess, per bbl, $11.55@11.65. Lard—Per 100 lbs, $7.87½. Short Ribs—Sides (loose), $7.90@8.10. Sides—Short clear (boxed), 8¼@8½c. Whisky—Basis of high wines, $1.26½. Clover—Contract grade, $12.25. Receipts—Flour, 38,400 bbls; wheat, 112,000 bu; corn, 153,400 bu; oats, 366,900 bu; rye, 7,000 bu; barley, 244,100 bu. Shipments—Flour, 38,200 bbls; wheat, 60,800 bu; corn, 531,600 bu; oats, 223,000 bu; rye, 8,300 bu; barley, 27,400 bu. On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 14@20c; dairies, 13@17c. Cheese firm, 10@10½c. Eggs steady, at mark, cases included, 14@17¾c; firsts, 18c; prime, 20c; extras, 22c.

MINNEAPOLIS

Wheat—Close:	Thurs.	Wed.
Minneapolis, December	$1.10⅞	$1.12½
Minneapolis, May	1.11⅞	1.13½
Chicago, December	1.09⅜	1.11⅜
Chicago, May	1.10	1.11½
Duluth, December	1.09¼	1.11⅛
Duluth, May	1.07¼	1.12¾
Kansas City, December	1.00⅛	1.10¾
Kansas City, May	1.00⅝	1.01⅞
St. Louis, December	1.14⅜	1.15⅝
St. Louis, May	1.14⅝	1.15⅝
New York, December	1.13¼	1.14⅝
New York, May	1.11¼	1.12¾

Minneapolis—Wheat just about held its own through the early part of the session. That it did this was surprising, and encouraging to the bulls, for there were bear news and statistics enough to break the market several cents ordinarily. To begin with, wheat piled into Minneapolis again, and 528 cars were posted against 263 last year. Stocks were shown to have increased 675,000 bushels for five days. Trade was light and every foreign market lower. The weather prediction contained the saving clause of "rising temperatures tonight." Corn reports were bearish. These things did no good to wheat, yet it was hard to force the market lower, although one bit of gossip said that Armour was the big seller in Chicago, and his influence was against the price. Something of strengthening import was found in the Missouri state report, which makes the wheat area sown for the next crop 5 per cent less than last year and the condition 92. Following was the range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	—Close— Thurs.	Wed.
Sept...	.....	.....	.....	$0.93	.....
Dec...	$1.12⅛	$1.12¾	$1.11⅜	1.11⅞	$1.13½
May...	1.13¾	1.13¾	1.10⅝	1.10⅝	1.12½

On Track—No. 1 hard, $1.13¾; No. 1 northern, $1.11⅞; to arrive, $1.11⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.08⅞; to arrive, $1.08⅜; No. 3 wheat, $1.00⅝@1.02⅝; No. 1 durum, 92c; No. 3 yellow corn, 50c; No. 3 corn, 49½c; No. 4 corn, 49½@49¾c; No. 3 white oats, 28¾c; No. 3 oats, 27¾c; rye, 76¾c; barley, 32c to 45c; flax, $1.13¼.

Flour—Business is better. There is considerable talk of export sales, and some export business is being done, but it is light. Fair domestic demand is reported, and orders from the East are holding up well. Shipments, 61,862 bbls. First patents, $6.20@6.30; second patents, $6.05@6.15; first clears, $4.60@4.70, wood; second clears, $3.10@3.20, f o b in Minneapolis, in wood.

Privileges

Puts on December wheat, sellers..$1.09
Calls on December wheat..........$1.11⅝

State Grain Inspection

Railroads—	Northern. No.1.	No.2.	No.3.	No.4.	Rej.	N.G.
G. Northern	16	45	53	78	46	17
Milwaukee	2	9	28	38	51	2
M. & St. L.	6	15	6	10	1	..
Soo Line	31	28	23	5	7	6
Nor. Pacific	4	11	25	15	16	1
Omaha	6	8	6	5	6	..
Total	65	116	141	151	127	26

Other Grains—Winter wheat, 55 cars; durum wheat, 2; mixed wheat, 4; Western wheat, 11; No. 3 corn, 1; No. 1 oats, 1; No. 2 oats, 16; No. 3 oats, 77; No. 4 northern oats, 37; no grade oats, 10; No. 2 rye, 8; No. 3 rye, 8; No. 3 barley, 5; No. 4 barley, 77; No. 1 feed barley, 23; No. 2 feed barley, 15; no grade barley, 5; No. 1 flax, 43; No. 1 northern flax, 33; rejected flax, 1; no grade flax, 1.

Cars Inspected Out—No. 1 hard, 1; No. 1 northrn, 29; No. 2 northern, 10; No. 3, 27; No. 4, 26; rejected, 11; no grade, 1; macaroni, 3; winter wheat, 1; No. 3 corn, 1; No. 2 oats, 2; No. 3 oats, 3; No. 2 rye, 3; No. 4 barley, 2; No. 1 feed barley, 7; No. 1 flax, 4.

DULUTH

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 6.—At the close today the cash wheat prices were lowered 2c, No. 1 northern dropping to December price and No. 2 northern to 5c under. Durum wheat also lost 2c. The shippers find little demand for wheat and receipts and prospects for wheat to come are held to justify no premium at this time. Trading was fairly active in options. December opened ⅛c lower at $1.11, sold up to $1.11⅝ and fell to $1.09¼, closing there, a loss of 1⅞c. Flax was very active and lower. October and November lost 1¼c and December and May 1c. Oats fell ⅝c and rye ¼c. The close: Wheat—To arrive, No. 1 hard, $1.11¼; No. 1 northern, $1.09; No. 2 northern, $1.04¼; on track, No. 1 northern, $1.08¼; No. 2 northern, $1.04¼; durum, 92c; No. 2, 91c; December, $1.09¼; May, $1.10⅞. Flax—To arrive, $1.14; on track, $1.14; October, $1.14; November, $1.14; December, $1.14; May, $1.17½. Oats—To arrive, 30⅛c; on track, 30⅛c. Rye—To arrive, 79c; on track, 79c. Barley, 30@45c. Cars Inspected—Wheat, 269, last year 309; oats, 70; rye, 19; barley, 102; flax, 55; last year, 155. Receipts—Wheat 387,020 bu; oats, 184,979; barley, 194,875; rye, 9,256; flax, 55,556. Shipments—Wheat, 156,413; oats, 108,812; barley, 22,834; flax, 93,812.

OTHER GRAIN MARKETS

Milwaukee, Wis.—Flour weaker. Wheat 1½c lower; No. 1 northern, $1.15; No. 2 northern, $1.10½@1.12; May, $1.10; puts, $1.09 bid; calls, $1.11 bid. Rye, ½c higher; No. 1, 81c. Barley steady; No. 2, 55c; samples, 31@52c. Oats easier; standard, 32@32½c. Corn easier; No. 3, 51½@53½c; May, 47⅛c bid; puts, 46¾c bid; calls, 47½c.

Kansas City, Mo.—Wheat steady to higher; December, $1.00⅛; May, $1.00⅝; cash No. 2 hard, $1.04@1.08; No. 4, $1@1.03; No. 4, 85@99c; rejected, 85@90c; No. 2 red, $1.10@1.12; No. 3, $1.06@1.09; No. 4, 95c@$1.05. Corn higher; December, 43c; May, 42½@42⅝c; cash No. 2 mixed, 50c; No. 3, 49½c; No. 2 white, 52@52½c; No. 3, 52c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 31½c; No. 2 mixed, 30½c.

St. Louis, Mo.—Wheat lower; No. 2 red, cash elevator, $1.14¾; track, $1.19; No. 2 hard, $1.11@1.13; December, $1.14¾; May, $1.14⅝@1.14¾. Corn lower; No. 2 cash, 52c; track, 54½c; December, 45⅞c; May, 45¾c. Oats lower; No. 2 cash, 31½c; track, 32½@33c; December, 31½c; May, 33¼c; No. 2 white, 34@34½c.

Liverpool—Spot wheat nominal; futures dull; December, 7s 6d; March, 7s 7¼d. Spot corn, American mixed, quiet, 4s 5¾d; futures dull; December, 4s 6⅛d.

New York Butter

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Butter steady, unchanged; receipts, 6,575; street price, extra creamery, 20½@21c; official price, creamery, common to extra, 13@20c.

PRODUCE AND WHEAT

Ruling Prices at Yesterday's Meeting of the St. Paul Commission Men

ST. PAUL, Oct. 6.—Trade in the open market at today's meeting of the Produce exchange established the following prices, with the demand good:

Butter—Creameries—			
Extras	.20	@	.20½
Firsts	.17	@	.18
Renovated	.16	@	.16½
Dairies—			
Extras	.16½	@	.17
Firsts	.13	@	.13½
Packing stock			.12
Grease			.04
Cheese—			
Twins			.11
Young Americas	.11½	@	.12
Brick, No. 1	.10½	@	.11
Brick, No. 2	.08½	@	.09
Limburger, No. 1, new			.11
Primost, No. 1			.07½
Swiss cheese, block, new	.11	@	.14
Swiss cheese, wheel	.13	@	.15
Eggs—Better demand.			
Strictly fresh, at mark, cases included	.17	@	.19
Dressed Meats—			
Veal	.05	@	.08
Mutton	.04½	@	.07½
Fall lambs (round dressed)	.07	@	.08
Live Poultry—			
Hens			.10
Spring chickens	.10	@	.10½
Cocks, old			.06
Ducks	.07	@	.09
Turkeys			.09
Pigeons, dozen			.85
Squabs, dozen			1.50
Fish—			
Pickerel	.04½	@	.05
Pike			.06½
Sunfish, perch, etc			.04½
Crappies, medium	.05	@	.06
Crappies, large			.08
Frog legs, per dozen	.06	@	.10

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

Beans—			
Navy, per bu	1.90	@	2.15
Brown, per bu	1.75	@	2.75
Peas—			
Green peas	1.35	@	1.45
Potatoes—			
New, bu	.32	@	.35
Jerseys, sweets			3.25
Onions—			
Dry, bu			.50
Grapes—			
Tokay			1.75
Concords			.19
Bananas—			
Jumbos	2.25	@	2.50
Large	2.00	@	2.25
Medium			1.75
Lemons—			
Fancy	3.50	@	4.00
California, fancy, box			4.25
California, choice, box			4.00
Peaches			1.00
Plums			.85
Pears	2.25	@	2.50
Cranberries, bbl			6.00
Cocoanuts			3.50
Apples—			
Cooking apples			2.25
Fancy varieties	2.50	@	3.00
Oranges—			
Valencias	4.00	@	4.50
Vegetables—			
Carrots, bu			.50
Cauliflower, bu			.75
Celery, dozen	.20	@	.25
Cucumbers, bu	.75	@	1.00

$13—St. Louis and Return $13—Via Rock Island System

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On Sept. 6, 13, 20, 27 and Oct. 11 the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell round trip tickets at one fare plus $2.00 to points in Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky. Good returning 30 days from date of sale. For further information apply to J. N. Storr, General Agent, corner Fifth and Robert streets, St. Paul.

The Old Rip

Slowly the fact filtered into Rip Van Winkle's mind that he had been sleeping in the open air twenty years.

"Vell," he exclaimed in his best imitation of the Weber and Fields dialect, as he looked at his ragged clothes and the ruins of his once trusty gun, "I don't appearance dot vay, but dot's de best layout nobody effer had, py graciousness!"—Chicago Tribune.

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HOGS ABOUT STEADY

RECEIPTS LIGHT—QUALITY ABOUT SAME AS YESTERDAY

Cattle Supply Light—Market Steady—Sheep Receipts Liberal—Market Not Quotably Changed

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 6.—Estimated receipts at the Union stock yards today: Cattle, 770; calves, 110; hogs, 1,595; sheep, 2,810; cars, 63.

The following table shows the receipts from Jan. 1, 1904, to date, as compared with the same period in 1903:

Year.	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
1904	199,162	29,345	633,478	446,671	18,160
1903	173,927	35,766	504,181	384,355	15,966
Inc.	25,235	......	129,297	62,316	2,194
Dec.	......	6,421	......	......	......

The following table shows the receipts thus far in October, 1904, as compared with the same period in 1903:

Year.	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
1904	17,832	653	9,214	30,486	1,001
1903	8,307	359	4,386	35,715	591
Inc.	9,525	......	4,828	......	410
Dec.	......	194	......	5,229	......

Official receipts for the past seven days are as follows:

Date.	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
Sept. 28	2,947	170	1,858	4,516	167
Sept. 29	1,249	104	1,208	652	72
Sept. 30	684	39	1,648	3,772	65
Oct. 1	943	12	1,178	3,232	78
Oct. 3	9,765	238	2,625	13,491	496
Oct. 4	4,990	281	2,879	1,299	243
Oct. 5	2,224	122	2,532	12,464	184

The various railroads entering the yards reported receipts for the day, by loads, as follows: C. G. W., 2; C., M. & St. P., 15; C., St. P., M. & O., 8; G. N., 2; C., B. & Q., 1; Soo Line, 7; N. P., 28; total, 63.

Disposition of stock for Oct. 5:

Buyers.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Swift & Co.	724	2,532	168
W. E. McCormick	8	....	69
W. G. Bronson	24	....	106
City butchers	41	....	....
Slimmer & Thomas	262	....	....
P. Evans	49	....	....
J. B. Fitzgerald	108	....	....
Other buyers	....	2	....
Country buyers	1,168	....	2,898
Totals	2,384	2,534	3,241

Hogs

The following table shows the weight, cost and price range of hogs for the past seven days:

Date.	Av. Wt.	Av. Cost.	Price Range.
Sept. 29	224	$5.64	$5.40@5.85
Sept. 30	216	5.63	5.50@5.85
Oct. 1	215	5.65	5.50@5.85
Oct. 3	225	5.61	5.35@5.85
Oct. 4	220	5.66	5.45@5.85
Oct. 5	221	5.71	5.55@6.00
Oct. 6	214	5.60	5.55@5.90

Opening prices barely steady with Wednesday's closing. Close 5c lower. Receipts light. Average quality about the same as Wednesday. Price range, $5.55 to $5.90. Bulk, $5.65 to $5.75. Good to choice light and medium weight hogs are quotable from $5.80 to $5.95; fair light mixed and good to choice heavy from $5.70 to $5.80; common heavy, common mixed and rough packing sows from $5.15 to $5.65. Representative sales:

No.	Wt.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Price.
Hogs—					
60	205	$5.90	88	162	$5.85
71	228	5.80	82	196	5.80
37	153	5.80	53	259	5.80
25	217	5.75	75	195	5.75
36	143	5.70	53	228	5.70
15	243	5.60	31	262	5.55
Roughs—					
2	345	$5.25	3	366	$5.15
5	98	4.50	3	153	3.50

Cattle

Receipts rather light; beef and butcher cattle selling readily at steady prices; bulls and veal calves steady; stockers and feeders of good quality in fair demand at steady prices; others continue dull; milch cows and springers fully steady. Representative sales:

No.	Wt.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Price.
Butcher Steers—					
1	1410	$3.75	8 western	1337	$3.70
13	1120	3.60	10 western	1242	3.35
1	1000	3.35	17 western	1062	3.10
2	1100	3.00			
Butcher Cows and Heifers—					
5	980	$3.25	11 western	1065	$2.75
3	1113	2.65	41	1025	2.50
2	1010	2.40	45 western	982	2.40
2	1095	2.35	11	1040	2.25
17 western	854	2.10			
Cutters and Canners—					
2 western	1105	$2.00	8	793	$1.85
1	1050	1.75	11	930	1.60
7	815	1.50	21 western	1015	1.50
1	820	1.25			
Butcher Bulls—					
1	1380	$2.25	1 western	1360	$2.00
1	1130	1.80	1	840	1.75
1	1050	1.50			
Veal Calves—					
4	142	$5.00	1	100	$4.75
1	110	4.50	1	100	4.00
2	180	3.00	1	440	2.75
1	290	1.60			
Stock and Feeding Steers—					
3 western	1300	$2.75	11 western	1185	$2.60
16 western	980	2.50	4	825	2.50
3	776	2.45	6	928	2.20
1	820	2.00	1	790	1.90
1	570	1.50			
Stock Cows and Heifers—					
3	556	$1.75	2	480	$1.50
3	376	1.25			
Stock and Feeding Bulls—					
1	1050	$2.00	1	350	$1.60
1	700	1.50			

Milch Cows and Springers—

6 cows and 4 calves	$192.50
3 cows and 3 calves	100.00
2 cows	68.00
2 cows	65.50
1 cow	34.00
1 cow and 1 calf	31.00
1 cow and 1 calf	31.00
1 cow and 1 calf	28.00
1 cow	25.00

Sheep

Receipts fairly liberal; market but steady; western feeding lambs averaging 54 lbs sold late yesterday up to $4.25, and western wethers brought $3.40 and $3.45; common stuff slow. Representative sales:

No. Kind.	Weight.	Price.
Killing Sheep and Lambs—		
47 lambs	69	$4.65
30 lambs	75	4.50
21 lambs	80	4.50
53 lambs	70	4.40
11 lambs	70	4.00
250 w. wethers	107	3.40
11 ewes	117	3.00
243 w. ewes	97	3.15
Stock and Feeders—		
924 w. lambs	54	$4.25
300 w. lambs	41	3.50
151 w. yearling wethers	81	3.45
399 ewes	86	2.50
5 ewes	100	1.75

Among the shippers on the market were: J. C. Rise, Fertile; N. C. Wood, Grand Forks; J. L. Jefson, Sentinel Butte; N. D.; Tim Switzer, Morris, Mont.; J. W. Lockridge, Morris, Mont.; J. M. Hogan, Benson; G. Gardner, Hammond, Wis.; H. Rhinbuckle, Norwood; H. Kaye, Maiden Rock, Wis.; Dewald & H., Waterville.

Midway Horse Market

Minnesota Transfer, St. Paul, Minn.—Barrett & Zimmerman report an urgent demand for logging horses; Duluth lumbermen brought in large numbers; very little being bought by local men. Values:

Drafters, extra	$190@235
Drafters, choice	170@190
Drafters, common to good	130@170
Farm mares, extra	135@160
Farm mares, choice	120@135
Farm mares, common to good	90@120

VARIOUS LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Chicago—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000, including 3,000 westerns, 400 Texans; strong to 10c higher; good to prime steers, $5.75@6.60; poor to medium, $3.75@5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.30@4.15; cows, $1.50@4.50; heifers, $2@5.40; canners, $1.50@2.40; bulls, $2@4.50; calves, $3.50@7.50; Texas fed steers, $3@5.50; western steers, $3@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; tomorrow, 14,000; market, 5@10c lower; mixed and butchers, $5.60@6.20; good to choice heavy, $5.90@6.20; rough heavy, $5.60@5.80; light, $5.75@6.15; bulk of sales, $5.85@6.05. Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; sheep steady; lambs weaker; good to choice wethers, $3.75@4.50; fair to choice mixed, $3.25@3.70; western sheep, $3@4.15; native lambs, $4@5.85; western lambs, $4@5.40.

Kansas City, Mo.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000; market steady to strong; native steers, $4@6.10; native cows and heifers, $1.50@4.50; calves, $2.50@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market steady to 10c lower; bulk of sales, $5.60@5.90; pigs and lights, $5.50@5.80. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market strong; muttons, $3@3.80; lambs, $4@5.15.

Sioux City, Iowa—Cattle—Receipts, 500; market 10c higher; stockers strong; beeves, $3.50@5.50; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.20@3; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.60; calves and yearlings, $2.25@3. Hogs—Receipts, 1,600; market 5c lower, selling $5.50@6.70; bulk, $5.60@5.65.

South Omaha, Neb.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,100; market strong; native steers, $4@6.10; cows and heifers, $2.40@3.40; calves, $3@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 6,700; market 5c lower; light, $5.75@5.80; pigs, $5@5.60; bulk of sales, $5.70@5.75. Sheep—Receipts, 26,000; market steady to easy; sheep, $2.25@3.75; lambs, $4.40@4.90.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED

Quotations Established in Open Trade on the St. Paul Board

ST. PAUL, Oct. 6.—The following prices were established in today's trading:

Wheat—			
No. 1 on track	$1.15½	@	$1.16¼
No. 2 northern	1.12½	@	1.14
No. 3	1.00	@	1.07½
No grade	.77	@	1.02
Corn—			
No. 3	.49	@	.49½
No. 3 on track	.48	@	.48½
No. 4 on track	.47½	@	.48
Barley—			
Malting grades			.42
Feed grades	.33	@	.35
Rye—			
No. 2 on track			.74½
Flax—			
No. 1	1.15	@	1.16
Oats—			
No. 2 white	.30½	@	.31
No. 3 white	.30	@	.30½
No. 4 white	.28	@	.29
No. 3	.27	@	.28
Feed and Cornmeal—			
Coarse cornmeal and cracked corn			19.00
Ground feed, No. 1, one-third oats, two-thirds corn			19.25
Ground feed, No. 2, one-half corn, one-half oats			19.50
Ground feed, No. 3, one-third corn, two-thirds oats			19.75
Bran in bulk			15.00
Bran in sacks, 100 lbs			16.25
Bran in sacks, 200 lbs			15.75
Standard middlings, in bulk			16.00
Standard middlings, 200-lb sacks			16.75
Middlings, flour in bulk			19.00
Middlings, in sacks, 100 lbs			20.25
Oil meal, ton			26.00
Hay—Receipts, 7 cars.			
Choice			9.00
No. 1 prairie	7.75	@	8.50
No. 2 prairie	6.50	@	7.00
No. 3 prairie	5.00	@	6.00
No. 1 midland	5.25	@	6.00
No. 2 midland	4.00	@	4.50
Choice timothy			9.50
No. 1 timothy	8.50	@	9.00
No. 2 timothy	7.00	@	8.00
No. 3 timothy	5.50	@	6.50
No. 1 clover hay	6.00	@	7.50
No. 1 clover hay, mixed	5.50	@	6.50
No. 2 clover hay, mixed	4.50	@	5.00
Packing hay	3.00	@	4.00
No grade	2.50	@	3.00
Straw—			
Rye straw	5.00	@	5.50
Oats straw	3.25	@	4.00
Flour—			
Patents, first	6.20	@	6.30
Patents, second	6.00	@	6.10
Clears, first	4.40	@	4.60

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

Granulated cornmeal, white			2.70
Standard white rye flour			3.40
Pure buckwheat flour	5.00	@	5.25

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Wisconsin Central Railway Rate Bulletin

$13.00 to St. Louis and return. Coach excursion tickets on sale Mondays and Tuesdays of each week until Oct. 31.

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QUIETUDE IN STOCKS

PRINCIPAL INCENTIVES TO EXCITEMENT ARE WITHDRAWN

Lessened Activity Is Taken as an Indication of Strength and Firmness—Operators Who Have Led the Advance Become Bears

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—With prices inclined to react for St. Paul, Union Pacific and United States Steel preferred on the Stock exchange and a similar tendency manifest in Northern Securities on the curb, the stock market was deprived of the principal incentives to the speculative excitement of the previous days of this week and lapsed into a condition, by comparison, of decided quietude. The result was to lessen the activity of the trading to a marked extent. This result following a gain in prices was taken to be a technical indication of firmness and strength and sentiment towards the market continued to be governed accordingly until the break at the last. Rumors then became current of a shift to the short side for a bear campaign of important operators who have led the advance. The principal activity shifted to new quarters, and in these prices advanced. These new points of strength developed after the reaction had become fairly general.

Amalgamated Copper was the first point in which strength was shown. The buying of this stock was based upon the reports from the copper trade, which showed a lively demand both for foreign and domestic consumption, which was carrying prices to a higher level. The rise in Delaware & Hudson was attributed to favorable comparison between that stock and other high-priced coalers. The movement in Reading was, in some sort, a resumption of a previous campaign and was based upon proffered belief in an early dividend distribution on this stock. Ontario & Western was the only other coaler to sympathize in the movement. This Reading movement was about the only symptom of the day's market of the pursuit of the policy of rotation of support, which has been followed for a long time by the forces in control of the upward course of prices. The attempt to advance Brooklyn Rapid Transit was abandoned when the heavy selling of the Metropolitan stocks was developed by their sympathetic advance.

Attitude of Warning

The day's market did not follow any news developments beyond the growing disposition shown by all public discussion to assume an attitude of warning towards the danger of excess in the rise in prices and the commitments to the market on borrowed money based on the plethora which had obtained in the money market. There is no present movement to curtail stock market loans, but the depletion of the surplus reserve is uninterrupted and a process of loan contraction seems a question of only a short time. The inattention to the cold weather reports shows the growth of a confidence that the grain crops are practically made and increased estimates of the total yield were in circulation.

Advices from the iron and steel trade were of a pause in the demand for iron and a still moderate demand for forms of steel. The failure to declare the dividend on the Steel Foundries preferred stock and the reported $10,000,000 bond issue on the Republic Iron and Steel company were deterrent influences on the iron and steel group. The weakness of the lead and smelting stocks was due to the reported abandonment for the present of the attempted lead merger. The weak and active closing showed that the strong features of the day proved too mild a stimulant for the market in its present habit of indifference and there was little left of the few gains.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, $3,595,000. United States old 4s declined ⅛ per cent on call.

Closing List

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Atchison	25300	83⅞	82⅝	82⅝
do pfd	2500	100⅞	100	99⅞
Balt. & Ohio	9600	91⅛	90	90⅛
do pfd	100	93½	93½	93
Can. Pacific	5500	133¼	131¼	131⅞
C. of New Jersey	200	181¼	181½	181
Ches. & Ohio	600	44¼	43⅞	43⅞
Chi. & Alton	100	39½	39½	39
do pfd	....	....	....	80
Chi. Gt. Western	2100	16⅞	16⅜	16⅜
Chi. & North-W.	2900	191	187	185
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	42300	167¼	165	165
do pfd	....	....	....	182
Chi. Term. & T.	100	6¾	6¾	6¼
do pfd	100	14½	14½	14
C., C. C. & St. L.	1900	83⅛	82½	82⅞
Col. Southern	900	19	18¼	18⅞
do 1st pfd	500	51½	51	51
do 2d pfd	100	26⅜	26⅜	26
Del. & Hudson	26400	174½	170½	172
Del., L. & Western	100	294	294	293
Den. & Rio G.	....	....	....	28¼
do pfd	200	81¾	81⅜	80
Erie	46700	33⅝	32⅜	32¾
do 1st pfd	3100	69½	68¾	68½
do 2d pfd	2100	47¾	47	46⅜
Hocking Valley	200	81	80¾	80½
do pfd	....	....	....	88
Illinois Central	4400	143¾	142⅝	142¼
Iowa Central	300	25¼	25¼	24¾
do pfd	100	45¼	45¼	45
K. C. Southern	....	....	....	23¾
do pfd	100	46	46	44¾
Louis. & Nash	4200	128⅛	127¼	127¼
Manhattan L	700	154¼	154	153½
Met. Securities	75300	82⅞	80¼	80½
Met. Street Ry.	21900	120¾	118⅞	119⅜
Minn. & St. L.	200	57	57	56
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	3600	79½	77¾	78¾
do pfd	100	131	131	131
Mo. Pacific	22600	100⅜	99	99
Mo., Kan. & T.	1400	25¼	25	25
do pfd	1700	51⅜	50½	50½
Northern Securities	1500	114½	112¾	112¼
N. R. R. of M. pfd	....	....	....	39½
N. Y. Central	11200	130	128¾	128¼
Nor. & Western	2400	71⅞	71	71
do pfd	....	....	....	90
Ont. & Western	8100	35¼	34	34¼
Pennsylvania	56100	134	132¾	132¾
P., C., C. & St. L.	400	71⅞	71⅜	70½
Reading	141200	70⅞	71⅜	70½
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	85
do 2d pfd	100	78	78	77
Rock Island Co.	21900	29	28¼	28⅛
do pfd	3000	72⅜	71	71¼
S. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	700	59	58¼	58½
St. L. Southw.	600	21½	21⅜	21¼
do pfd	700	49	48¼	49½
So. Pacific	56200	59¼	58¼	58⅜
So. Railway	7100	33	32¼	32¼
do pfd	1200	94½	94	94
Texas & Pacific	1700	32⅞	32¼	32
Twin City R. T.	500	101½	101	101
T., St. L. & W.	....	....	....	30
do pfd	....	....	....	40½
Union Pacific	58200	103¾	102½	102½
do pfd	....	....	....	93½
Wabash	1800	20¼	19⅝	19½
do pfd	2300	41⅞	40¾	40⅞
W. & Lake Erie	....	....	....	17½
Wis. Central	700	20	19⅞	19¾
do pfd	600	44½	43¾	43½
Mexican Central	1500	14¼	13⅝	13⅝
Adams	....	....	....	230
American	....	....	....	210
United States	100	118	118	118
Wells-Fargo	....	....	....	237
Amal. Copper	68600	61⅜	60⅝	60⅞
Amer. Car & Found.	600	23	22⅝	22½
do pfd	400	82	81½	81¼
Amer. Cotton Oil	100	29	29	29
do pfd	....	....	....	88
Amer. Ice	1000	7⅞	7¾	7⅝
do pfd	1600	33⅞	33⅛	33⅛
Amer. Linseed Oil	....	....	....	11½
do pfd	....	....	....	30
Amer. Locomotive	800	26½	25¾	25⅞
do pfd	....	....	....	96
Amer. Smelt. & R.	4000	67	65⅞	65⅜
do pfd	1900	106½	106	106
Amer. Sugar Refin.	3300	131¾	131	131
Anaconda Min. Co.	2600	99⅞	97	97
Brooklyn Rapid T.	44600	59⅝	57¾	58⅛
Colorado Fuel & I	700	36½	35⅜	35¼
Consolidated Gas	1100	211¾	210½	210
Corn Products	1800	15⅝	15	15
do pfd	400	71	71	70¼
Distillers' Secur.	200	28¼	28¼	28
General Electric	800	173	172	171½
International Paper	....	....	....	16½
do pfd	....	....	....	76
International Pump	100	33½	33½	33½
do pfd	200	78⅜	78⅜	78½
National Lead	7600	24	22½	22½
North American	....	....	....	90
Pacific Mail	800	34½	33½	33¼
People's Gas	2100	103	101⅞	101⅞
Pressed Steel Car	1400	34	32⅜	32¼
do pfd	100	79¾	79¾	79½
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	220
Republic Steel	2200	10¾	10½	10½
do pfd	1300	51⅝	51¼	51½
Rubber Goods	800	20¾	20⅛	20⅜
do pfd	....	....	....	83½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	1900	49½	48½	48½
U. S. Leather	2500	9⅞	9½	9½
do pfd	1400	87⅜	87¼	87
U. S. Realty & Imp	1100	62¼	61⅜	61½
U. S. Rubber	1400	23⅜	23	23
do pfd	300	79¼	79¼	79
U. S. Steel	39100	18½	17¾	17⅞
do pfd	104600	75¾	74½	74½
Westinghouse Elec.	200	164½	164	164
Western Union	300	91⅞	91¾	91⅜

Total sales for the day, 1,001,200 shares.

New York Bonds

U. S. ref. 2s reg 104¾	Man. c. gold 4s. 105½
do 2s coup 104¾	Mex. Cent. 4s. 68¼
do 3s reg 104½	do 1st inc 16⅞
do 3s coup 105¼	M. & St. L. 94¼
do n. 4s reg 131⅝	M., K. & T. 4s. 101½
do n. 4s coup. 131⅝	do 2ds 81¼
do o. 4s reg 106⅜	N. of M. c. 4s. 77¾
do o. 4s coup. 106⅝	N. Y. C. g. 3½s. 100
Atch. gen. 4s. 102	N. J. C. g. 5s. 134⅛
do adjt. 4s. 98	Nor. Pac. 4s. 104⅜
A. C. L. 4s. 98⅝	do 3s 74½
B. & O. 4s. 102¼	N. & W. c. 4s. 100⅜
do 3½s 95½	O. S. L. 4s & P. 99⅜
Cent. of Ga. 5s. 112⅝	Penn. conv. 3½s 100½
fdo 1st inc. 82¾	Reading gen. 4s. 100⅞
C. & O. 4½s. 105¼	St.L. & I.M.c.5s 115¼
C. & A. 3½s. 81	St.L. & S.F.fg.4s 86¾
C.,B. & Q.n.4s. 97⅝	St. L. S. W. 1sts 98½
C.M.& St.P.g.4s 109½	S. A. L. 4s. 81
C. & N.-W.c.7s. 128⅝	So. Pac. 4s. 94¼
C.R.I. & P.4s. 76½	So. Railway, 5s. 117¼
do col. 5s. 86½	T. & P. 1sts. 120
CCC.& St.L.g.4s 102	T.,St.L. & W.4s 79
Chi. Term. 4s. 78	Union Pac. 4s. 105⅛
Con. Tob. 4s. 72¾	do conv. 4s. 106⅝
Col. & So. 4s. 86	U. S. Steel 2d 5s 83⅞
D. & R. G. 4s. 100½	Wabash 1sts 118
Erie p. l. 4s. 99	do deb. B. 64¾
do gen. 4s. 88	W. & L. E. 4s. 90½
fF.W.& D.C.1st 110½	Wis. Cent. 4s. 90⅞
Hock. Val. 4½s 108¼	Col. Fuel c. 5s. 75
L. & N. uni. 4s. 101⅛	

fOffered.

New York Mining Stocks

Adams Con $0.20	Little Chief $0.06
Alice .35	Ontario 3.50
Breece .15	Ophir 2.60
Brunswick Con. .06	Phoenix .18
Comstock Tun. .10	Potosi .16
Con. Cal. & Va. 2.25	Savage .33
Horn Silver 1.50	Sierra Nev. .42
Iron Silver 1.95	Small Hopes .27
Leadville Con. .02	Standard 1.90

New York Money

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Money on call steady, 1¾@2 per cent; closing bid, 1⅞, offered at 2. Time loans steady; sixty days, 3 per cent; ninety days, 3¼; six months, 3½@3¾. Prime mercantile paper, 4¼@5 per cent. Sterling exchange slightly firmer, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85.30@4.85.35 for demand and at $4.83.25@4.83.30 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, $4.84 and $4.86½; commercial bills, $4.83. Bar silver, 57⅝c. Mexican dollars, 45¾c. Government bonds easy. Railroad bonds steady.

Bank Clearings

St. Paul	$958,304
Minneapolis	3,993,258

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