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# FINANCIAL

Stocks, Bonds, Cotton, Grain, Provisions, Money—New York, New Orleans, Chicago and Foreign Market News.

By Associated Press.

**WALL STREET GOSSIP.**  
New York, Nov. 8.—Prices tended generally lower at the opening today. Canadian Pacific yielded a point and Southern Pacific, St. Paul, Lehigh Valley and other active issues were down materially in fractions. The few slender gains were limited to the unimportant stocks.

Fractional recoveries caused renewed selling by the professional element and some of the principal issues went lower than at the outset. Marked weakness was shown by Canadian Pacific, Louisville & Nashville, steel and beet sugar.

The market's reactionary trend yesterday became more pronounced today on mixed selling of long and short stocks. Bearish sentiment was intensified by rumors of an extra session of congress and cables from abroad.

The heaviest issues here included Louisville & Nashville, Canadian Pacific, Union Pacific, Reading, Amalgamated and Steel. In fact all stocks of speculative importance were under pressure. Beet sugar held its place as weakest of the specialties and tobacco fell abruptly.

Bonds were easy. Irregular advances occurred in the afternoon on reduced dealings, but few stocks got back to yesterday's closing.

Closed irregular. The market made further recovery in the final hour, higher money being partly offset by the favorable crop report, which was especially beneficial to the grangers.

**NEW ORLEANS COTTON.**  
New Orleans, Nov. 8.—Cotton futures opened steady, unchanged to 1 point up compared with the close of yesterday. Cables were about as due and the weather map was very favorable. The census report on ginning up to the close of business on October 31, of 5,849,898 bales was slightly smaller than expected and was seized upon by the bulls as offering a chance to put the market up. Buying became heavy after the call and not much cotton was for sale. The market quickly mounted to a level of 12 to 16 points over yesterday's close, where it stood at the end of the first half hour of business.

**LONDON STOCK MARKET.**  
London, Nov. 8.—American securities moved irregularly during the early trading today. Prices opened around parity and then eased off. Later light covering advanced part of the list. At noon values ranged from 1-4 to 1-4 below yesterday's New York closing. Canadian Pacific was weak.

Selling was renewed in the late trading. The market reacted; closed easy.

**LIVERPOOL COTTON.**  
Liverpool, Nov. 8.—Cotton spot good business done, prices steady. American middling fair 7.37; good middling 6.99; middling 6.79; low middling 6.41; good ordinary 6.15; ordinary 5.97.

Sales 10,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 96,000 American.

Receipts 25,000 bales, including 15,500 American.

Futures opened steady and closed steady. November 6.69 1/2; November-December 6.57 1/2; December-January 6.55 1/2; January-February, February-March 6.54 1/2; March-April 6.54 1/2; April-May, May-June, 6.54; June-July, July-August 6.52 1/2; August-September 6.45.

**COTTON SENSATIONALLY ACTIVE.**  
New York, Nov. 8.—After opening steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 11 points, cotton became sensationally active and firm on the ginning figures which showed only 8,449,898 bales ginned to November 1, compared with 9,970,995 last year. December had opened 11 points lower but quickly shot up about 22 points during the early trading, while later months sold from 17 to 18 points above yesterday's closing on short covering and fresh buying inspired by a feeling that the ginning returns favored the smaller estimates of the crop. Profit-taking by old hands was extremely heavy above 12 cents for March and prices later reacted several points from the best under realizing and selling for a reaction inspired by less favorable view of European politics.

The market continued active later

in the morning and fluctuations were somewhat irregular, but heavy realizing sales were absorbed by a broadening demand for long accounts and prices at midday still ruled about 10 to 12 points not higher.

Spot nominal. The market showed renewed strength during the early afternoon, making another set of new high records for the movement and selling about 28 to 31 points not higher or continued covering and further bull support. Around 12.25 for March realizing became still heavier and prices eased off 7 or 8 points from the best. New Orleans reported spots were not following the advance.

Cotton spot closed steady; middling uplands, 12.20; do. gulf 12.45. Sales 150 bales.

**NEW YORK PROVISIONS.**  
New York, Nov. 8.—Butter firm; receipts 7171 tubs; creamery, held seconds 27 1/2 @ 28.

Cheese quiet, unchanged; receipts 2048 boxes.

Eggs steady unchanged; receipts 9086 cases.

**CHICAGO PROVISIONS.**  
Chicago, Nov. 8.—Butter steady; creameries 28 @ 32 1/2; dairies 25 @ 30; eggs, steady; receipts 2399 cases; at m.r.k. cases included 20 @ 21; ordinary firsts 23; firsts 24; cheese steady; Dulcetes 17 1/2 @ 18; Twins 16 1/2 @ 17; Young Americans 16 1/2 @ 17; Long Horns 16 1/2 @ 17; potatoes steady; receipts 60 cars; Michigan 48 @ 53; Minnesota 47 @ 50; poultry, live weak; turkeys 15c; chickens 11; springs 12 1/2; veal steady, 9 @ 14.

**GRAIN OPENS HIGHER.**  
Chicago, Nov. 8.—Fear of Balkan complications lifted wheat. Opened 1/4 @ 1/2 to 3/4 higher. December started at 89 1/2 to 90; a gain of 1/2 to 3/4; and rose to 89 1/2.

Small receipts firm corn. December opened unchanged to a shade off at 50 to 50 1/2 and ascended to 50 1/2. Oats trailed upward. December started unchanged at 31 1/2 and advanced to 31 1/2.

Provisions hardened on higher figures for cereals and hogs. Opening sales varied from 2 1/2 lower to 2 1/2 @ 5c higher with January at 18.60 for pork, 10.57 1/2 to 10.60 for lard and at 10.05 for ribs.

Cash grain: Wheat No. 2 red 1.04 @ 1.07; No. 2 hard 89 1/2 @ 92; No. 1 northern 90 @ 91; No. 2 northern 88 @ 89 1/2; No. 2 spring 87 @ 89; velvet chaff and durum.

Corn: No. 2, 57 @ 58; No. 2 white 59; No. 2 yellow 58 @ 60.

Oats: No. 2, 31 1/2; No. 2 white 34 @ 35; standard 32 1/2 @ 33 1/2.

Rye: No. 2, 66 @ 67.

Timothy: 3.00 @ 3.85.

Barley: 48 @ 52.

Clover: 13.00 @ 18.00.

**CHICAGO MEAT MARKET.**  
Chicago, Nov. 8.—Cattle: Receipts 20000; market slow steady; beefs 8.20 @ 10.65; Texas steers 4.35 @ 6.65; western steers 5.50 @ 9.20; stockers and feeders 4.15 @ 7.15; cows and heifers 2.75 @ 7.40; calves 6.50 @ 10.75; hogs, receipts, 15,000; market slow 5c higher; light 7.55 @ 8.20; mixed 7.70 @ 8.30; heavy 7.55 @ 8.30; rough 5.50 @ 7.55; pigs 1.50 @ 7.10; bulk of sales 7.90 @ 8.20; sheep, receipts 12,000; market steady; native 3.50 @ 4.50; western 3.60 @ 4.50; yearling 4.70 @ 5.85; lambs, native 5.50 @ 7.50; western 7.50 @ 8.50.

**MONEY.**  
New York, Nov. 8.—Close: Prime mercantile paper six per cent.

Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.81 1/2 and 4.81 1/2 for 60 day bills and at 4.85.50 for demand.

Commercial bills 4.81.

Bar silver 62 1/2.

Mexican dollars 48 1/2.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds easy.

Money on call firm 5 @ 6 per cent; ruling rate 5 1/2; closing bid 5 1/2; offered at 6. 7.55; 60 days 6 per cent; 90 days 5 1/2; 6 months 5 1/2.

**NEW YORK STOCK LIST.**

Amalgamated Copper ..... 85 1/2  
Amer. Sugar Beet ..... 58 1/2  
Amer. Cotton Oil ..... 84 1/2  
Amer. Smelting & Refining ..... 83 1/2  
Amer. Sugar Refining ..... 122 1/2  
Amer. Tel. & Tel. .... 142 1/2  
Anaconda Mining Co. .... 44 1/2  
Atchafalpa ..... 108 1/2  
Atlantic Coast Line ..... 139 1/2  
Baltimore & Ohio ..... 107 1/2  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit ..... 90 1/2  
Canadian Pacific ..... 264 1/2  
Chesapeake & Ohio ..... 82 1/2  
Chicago & North Western ..... 141

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul ..... 116 1/2  
Colorado Fuel & Iron ..... 37 1/2  
Colorado & Southern ..... bid  
Delaware & Hudson ..... 168 1/2  
Denver & Rio Grande ..... bid  
Erie ..... 35 1/2  
General Electric ..... 188 1/2  
Great Northern pfd ..... 140 1/2  
Great Northern Ore cts ..... 48  
Illinois Central ..... 129  
Interborough-Met. .... 20 1/2  
Interborough-Met. pfd ..... 65 1/2  
Inter Harvester ..... bid  
Louisville & Nashville ..... 148 1/2  
Missouri Pacific ..... 45 1/2  
Missouri, Kansas & Texas ..... 29  
Lehigh Valley ..... 176 1/2  
National Lead ..... 63 1/2  
New York Central ..... 118 1/2  
Norfolk & Western ..... 115 1/2  
Northern Pacific ..... 126 1/2  
Pennsylvania ..... 123 1/2  
People's Gas ..... 117 1/2  
Pullman Palace Car ..... 166 1/2  
Reading ..... 172 1/2  
Rock Island Co. pfd ..... 26 1/2  
Rock Island Co. pfd ..... 51  
Southern Railway ..... 112  
Southern Railway ..... 80 1/2  
Union Pacific ..... 174  
U. S. Steel ..... 76 1/2  
U. S. Steel pfd ..... 113 1/2  
Wabash ..... bid  
Western Union ..... 79

**CHICAGO GRAIN.**

**WHEAT—** One. Close.  
December ..... 89 1/2  
May ..... 94 1/2  
July ..... 90 1/2  
CORN—  
December ..... 50  
May ..... 49 1/2  
July ..... 49 1/2

**OATS—**  
December ..... 31 1/2  
May ..... 32 1/2  
July ..... 32 1/2

**MESS PORK, per bu.—**  
January ..... 18.60  
May ..... 18.20  
LARD, per 100 lbs.—  
May ..... 10.27 1/2  
December ..... 10.72 1/2  
January ..... 10.57 1/2  
SPORT RIBS, per 100 lbs.—  
November ..... 10.60  
January ..... 10.95  
May ..... 9.85

**NEW YORK COTTON.**

Open. Close.  
November ..... 11.60 @ 62  
December ..... 11.53 @ 84  
January ..... 11.59 @ 94  
March ..... 11.93 @ 118  
May ..... 12.02 @ 128  
July ..... 12.04 @ 122

## BALKAN WAR LESSONS

Analysis of military organization of Nations Engaged by Brigadier General Allison.

By Associated Press.  
New York, Nov. 8.—The forthcoming issue of the Journal of the Military Institution of the United States, published on Governor's Island by officers of the army, will contain an analysis of the military organization of Turkey and the Balkan states by Brigadier-General John S. Allison. General Allison estimates that the Turkish army, with a "paper strength" of 1,350,000 men, was able to put not more than 600,000 soldiers in the field. The war strength of the allies he places at 680,000, of whom Bulgaria furnishes 350,000, Serbia 150,000, Greece 100,000 and Montenegro 80,000. The Balkan states have given the world a tremendous lesson in rapid and complete mobilization, General Allison thinks, while the secrecy with which the movement was accomplished is unprecedented. He gives much space to the work of the artillery and cavalry which he declares have played a large part in the success of the allies.

## Mandot to Box Rivers.

By Associated Press.  
New Orleans, Nov. 8.—Joe Mandot, the local lightweight who fought a 10-round non-decision bout here last Monday night with Ad Wolgast and by a majority of the newspapers was declared the winner, left today for Los Angeles where on Thanksgiving day he will again meet Joe Rivers in a 10-round bout. Last Labor day he was given the decision over Rivers at New Orleans in a fight of the same number of rounds.

## Human Kindness.

Many a story that isn't funny gets laughed at because there's no use of hurting the feelings of a man who doesn't mean any harm.—Washington Star.

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51 Patton Ave.

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# Peerless-Fashion Store

51 Patton Ave.

# Special Sale

SATURDAY

Values out of the ordinary will be displayed for Saturday's selling. Watch our window displays. They tell part of the story.

## Profit by These Reductions

- 85 Children's Sweaters, ages 2 years to 10 years, colors, gray, white and blue. Regular \$1.25 value, Saturday ..... 89c
- 25 Black Serge Suits, all this season's models, sizes for everybody, \$12.50 value, in suit section ..... \$9.40
- Bleached Turkish Bath Towel, a good value at 12 1-2c. Special for Saturday selling ..... 9c
- 200 Separate Skirts in black and blue material, also gray whipcord. This season's models ..... \$2.75
- 500 yds. Apron Ginghams, regular 7 1-2c value Special for Saturday selling ..... 5c

## 200 Winter Long Coats for Women and Misses, \$12.50 and \$15 Values

See Windows \$9.75 See Displays

## House Furnishing Goods

- 25 dozen Pepperell sheets, 81x90 inches, regular price 80c. Special for Saturday ..... 69c

100 Slightly Spotted Kid Gloves, \$1 and \$1.50 Values, for Saturday Selling. Extra Special ..... 25c

- Women's Fleece Pants and Vests, all this season's new underwear, 25c sellers ..... 19c

## Blankets! Blankets!! Blankets!!!

Cold weather calls for warm covering, here are a few timely values in blankets worth your while. A 11-4 Wool Blanket, a regular \$5.50 value—Saturday ..... \$3.98

Other Blankets ranging in price from \$1.98, \$3.98 \$4.98, all worth a great deal more. Come and judge for yourself.

69c BED SPREADS. Here is a good value for Saturday's selling, bed spread ..... 69c

## Shoes for the Family

- One lot of women's button and lace tan shoes for winter wear, regular \$3 value, Special Saturday ..... \$2.48
- One lot of gun metal shoes women, tan and button. This season's styles, \$3.00 value, Saturday ..... \$2.48
- Women's black velvet button shoes. This season's style, formerly priced \$3.00. Special at Saturday's sale ..... \$2.48

## Women's Patent Leather Shoes with White Kid Top

A big shipment of this desirable fad for fall, a very attractive winter shoe. Goes well with the new suits and dresses, worth \$3.50. Sale price ..... \$2.48

## Exclusive Agents for Buster Brown Hose

## 200 Sample Coat Suits

Our buyers are now in the market and here comes the first fruit of their Special Trip. 200 suits from a high class maker of women's and misses' suits came by express. All the smart models and choice materials to choose from. Values ranging from \$25 to \$32.50 and they show it too—

Today and Saturday \$16.95

## See Our Window Display

This winter's trimmed hats, in felts, velvets and other of the much wanted shapes. Some trimmed with real willow plumes. \$10.00 values. Special for Saturday ..... \$4.95

A very fine quality plush coat trimmed with pony material shawl collar and cuffs, a regular \$20 seller. Special at ..... \$15.75

Good quality broadcloth long coat, trimmed throughout with Skinner's satin lining. A regular \$18 value. Specially priced at ..... \$15.00

## 25 Evening Dresses \$9.95

A dainty simply tailored chiffon dress in yellow, lavender and light gray, a regular \$15 value, Saturday special ..... \$9.95

Other evening dresses priced specially from \$14.80 to \$19.75. Worth from \$25 to \$40.

**MOTHERS**—We have some great values in boys' suits and overcoats for winter, all this season's models to pick from. Every smart and stylish tailored design is in this assortment. Norfolk Jackets and Knickerbocker Pants. Suits, a regular \$8.50 value, Saturday ..... \$5.98

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