

MOVEMENTS IN STOCK MARKET

Losses Prevailed at Opening, With a Few Gains

DEMAND FOR READING

Call Money Rose to 6 1-2 Per Cent. But Did Not Break the Rally. Independent Movements at Intervals Helped to Revive the Bull Confidence—Closing Dull Strong

New York, Sept. 29.—A few gains were mingled with the prevailing losses at the opening of the stock market and the volumes of dealing were steady. Apart from a quite general demonstration of weakness, there was little feature to the first hour's business, and trading was the smallest feature.

Loans were reached at 6 1/2 per cent, but the rate was disputed and afterward reported cancelled. The call money rate fell back to below 6 per cent, and pressure on stocks was relieved. Prices hardened, but activity almost died out. Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Tennessee Coal, Great Northern preferred and Baltimore and Ohio preferred about a point.

A considerable factor in the rally was the heavy demand for the Reading stocks. Reading second preferred moved up 3/8, Consolidated Gas 1/8, Westinghouse Electric 1/4 and Reading, Illinois Central, Colorado Fuel, Railway Steel Spring stocks and Rubber Goods 1/4. A renewed rise in call money to 6 1/2 per cent did not cause stock to waver.

Independent movements which were made at intervals assisted in reviving the bull confidence, despite the prevailing high money rates. While the advance for the most part was only a fraction, many leaders rose substantially. Reading second preferred gained nearly a point. Rubber Goods sold up 1/4, New York Central 1/4 and Northern Pacific, Central Railroad of New Jersey, Louisville and Nashville, Colorado and Southern second and Metropolitan Securities 1/4. The closing was dull and strong.

New York Stock and Bond Quotations

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes items like American Locomotive, American Smelting, etc.

Table with columns for Southern Railway, Tennessee Coal and Iron, Texas Pacific, etc.

Table with columns for Government Bonds, Bid Asked, 2 per cent registered, etc.

Table with columns for New York Spot Cotton, New York Sept. 29.—Spot cotton declined 5 points, etc.

Table with columns for Futures in New Orleans, Open, High, Low, Close, etc.

The pressing on the cotton of the unprecedented amount of 150,000 bales tendered on October contracts, while not at all times a depressing factor, in the end certainly caused a decline, which was accelerated in no small degree by a bear foray at the expense of the smaller holders, who sold out in large numbers.

Cotton Futures

Table with columns for New York, Sept. 29.—Cotton futures opened steady and were as follows: Open, High, Low, Close.

Cotton Receipts

New York, Sept. 29.—New Orleans 1,491; Galveston 19,021; Mobile 1,491; Savannah 8,959; Charleston 2,693; Norfolk 4,648.

Raleigh Cotton Market

Receipts yesterday 200 bales. Prices yesterday 10 1/4 to 10 3/4. Receipts this date last year 357 bales. Prices this date last year 3 1/2 to 10c.

New York Provision Market

New York, Sept. 29.—Rye—Firm; No. 2 western new crop 67 c. i. f. Buffalo. Barley—Steady; unchanged. Wheat—Spot dull; no sales; No. 2 red winter 88 1/2; futures closed 7 1/2 lower; sales 1,200,000 bushels; September 90; December 89 1/2; May 89 1/2.

George Sexton's Murderess

Buffalo, Sept. 29.—At Portland today Dr. A. C. Rideout was tried before a justice of the peace on the charge of assault preferred by his wife. They have not been dwelling in harmony and the local gossips were expecting some interesting revelations, but they were dumfounded when the cross-examination developed the fact that the woman was none other than Mrs. Ann Eliza George, who had been acquitted at Canton, O., for the murder of George Sexton, brother-in-law of the late President McKinley.

Move Town on Wheels

Mason City, Ia., Sept. 29.—The town of Emory, the site of the power plant of the Mason City and Clear Lake Electric Railway, will be picked up, put on wheels and moved to Mason City, a distance of five miles in a few weeks. The town has hundreds of inhabitants, many dwelling houses and a number of stores and shops and all these will be transported to Mason City. The power plant of the electric railway will also be moved here.

BASEBALL GAMES

American League New York, Sept. 29.—Turner's single and Barbee's triple gave the Clevelanders the only run scored in today's game. Both Rhodes and Clarkson pitched effectively. The fielding of Hess, Bay and Hahn was a feature.

Philadelphia, Sept. 29.—The Chicago Athletics walked away with the game. The score: R.H.E. Chicago 00000000-1 8 3 Philadelphia 01034300-11 12 1 Batteries: Altrock, Walsh, Smith and McFarland; Bender and Schreck. Umpires, Hurst and O'Loughlin.

Washington, Sept. 29.—St. Louis hammered three of Washington's pitchers and piled up eleven runs in an uninteresting game. The score: R.H.E. St. Louis 300700100-11 10 1 Washington 012000210-6 8 3 Batteries: Buchanan and Spencer; Adams, Manuel, Hardy and Heyden. Umpire, McCarty.

Chicago Produce Markets

Table with columns for WHEAT, September, December, May, etc.

December Wheat

Table with columns for New York, St. Louis, Toledo, etc.

May Wheat

Table with columns for New York, St. Louis, Toledo, etc.

December Corn

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May Corn

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Naval Stores

New York, Sept. 29.—Stocks rosin 22.170 barrels; spirits turpentine 1,297 barrels; tar 1,425 barrels.

GAMBLING JOINT RAIDED

About 25 Men, Mostly Colored, Badly Beaten With Clubs

New York, Sept. 29.—Inspector Schmittberger and Captain Dooley led an raid today on Johnny Jones' Bon Ton Social Club at 118 West Thirty-first street. No arrests were made, but the place looked as though a Kansas cyclone had wandered in, and many of the inmates, white and black, were so badly beaten that they had to be carried home by their friends.

The Bon Ton Club occupied the three upper floors of a four-story brick building. The club, which has been in existence several years, has been suspected of aiding a pool room to its social features, and it was twice raided in the reign of Captain Cottrell.

In the melee Johnny Jones received a split head, "Big" Kelly, the bartender, had an arm broken and Tom Jones of West Thirty-second street was so badly used up that he had to be carried home. About twenty-five men were colored, but there were a few whites present.

After the clubbing the cops chopped the billiard tables to bits. The captain took the names and addresses of those found in the rooms. The police captured and took away for "evidence" a telephone, three electric calls and a megaphone.

Another raid, of which no record could be obtained from the station house, was rumored to have taken place at 52 West Twenty-eighth street earlier in the afternoon.

For Moonshining

Dunn, N. C., Sept. 29.—Special—L. M. Ryals, a deputy sheriff of Banner township, was arrested and brought here yesterday before Commissioner Wilson a charge of retailing without license. The case was continued until October 3d.

W. H. Griffin Dead

New Bern, N. C., Sept. 29.—Special. Died in this city this evening at 6:30 o'clock Mr. W. H. Griffin, the former road-master for the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company. Mr. Griffin was 53 years of age. He leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter. He was stricken two weeks ago with typhoid fever, which ended his life. The funeral services will be announced later.

Not Enthusiastic

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 29.—Special. No enthusiasm is shown by the Wilmington Light Infantry over the coming of President Roosevelt to North Carolina next month. An invitation to go to Raleigh has been received by the company, but no haste will be made in reaching a decision. The invitation will probably not be formally considered until the latter part of next week.

Funeral of Capt. Price

Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 29.—Special. The remains of the late Captain Chas. Price, who died at his home here yesterday, were interred in this city this afternoon. A party of distinguished visitors from Raleigh, Greensboro and other points, headed by Governor R. B. Glenn, attended the obsequies.

Make Executions Painless

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 29.—An invention which it is claimed will cause death without pain has just been patented by Dr. George McMahan of this city. The idea of the inventor is for his device to supplant execution by hanging or by electrocution. The apparatus is an iron yoke or collar which fits closely about the head and neck, allowing a person to bend the head forward or backward, but making it impossible to bend toward either side. By the yoke or collar, the head is jerked suddenly to one side by the slipping of a trigger, and in a flash the neck is broken. The electrocutor is now on exhibition at the county jail and may be used at one of several executions scheduled there for the near future.

Athletic in Army

Washington, Sept. 29.—The report of Brig-Gen. Frank D. Baldwin, commanding the southwestern division of the army for the year ending June 30, contains some interesting recommendations concerning athletics in the army. One of the suggestions made by General Baldwin is that every regiment be provided at the government's expense, with a full polo outfit, except ponies, and that the game be made a regular part of the recreation of the soldiers. General Baldwin thinks no better form of sport could be provided, especially for the cavalry arm of the service. General Baldwin lays much stress on the necessity of the athletic training of the soldier.

Fratricide in Alabama

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 29.—Information has reached here of another bloody tragedy in Kemper county, in which M. F. Evans shot and killed his brother, D. D. Evans, last night at 7 o'clock. It is said the parties were out on a camp hunt about four miles from the town of Scooba.

Several persons were in the woods, among them some sons of the Evans brothers. One of the Evans boys dropped a plate or cup and broke it, and D. D. Evans, it is reported, remonstrated with the boy, telling him he should be more careful. M. F. Evans cursed and said the plate was paid for and it made no difference. His brother told him he ought not to curse before young children when, it is alleged, M. F. Evans, who was said to be drinking, drew a 38-calibre revolver and shot his brother dead, firing three shots in all. M. F. Evans has been lodged in jail.

Neversink Hotel Burned

Reading, Pa., Sept. 29.—The Neversink Mountain Hotel, erected at a cost of \$160,000 twelve years ago on the crest of Neversink Mountain, two miles from Reading, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin tonight. The insurance is \$40,000.

Capetown, Sept. 29.—A cyclone last night laid the town of Malmesbury in ruins. A number of persons were killed. Malmesbury is about fifty miles from Capetown.

Minstrel Fair Week

One of the features of fair week will be the minstrel performances of Bob

Hayne's amateurs at Metropolitan Hall

for the benefit of the Masonic Temple construction committee. All arrangements have been made to give one of the cleanest, brightest and best minstrel performances ever given in Raleigh. With an orchestra of twelve pieces under a talented director, a gorgeous stage setting for the first part with good soloists, superb quartette funny-splitting farces and up-to-date dancing it will be an all-round good minstrel show. The troupe will parade each afternoon at 5 o'clock headed by the Third Regiment Band. Every one coming to Raleigh should see this show and get their money's worth and be helping out a good cause—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Funeral of Mrs. Horton

The funeral of the late Mrs. R. H. Horton was held yesterday morning from the residence, 712 West Jones street. Rev. W. C. Tyree, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, conducted the service. The interment was in the city cemetery. Many friends attended the funeral and the flowers were beautiful and profuse. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. T. Bishop, S. W. Brewer, Thomas H. Briggs, B. R. Lacy, T. B. Terrell and N. B. Broughton.

Celebrated Foot Ball Victory

The cadets of the A. & M. College held a great jubilee last night over the victory of the A. & M. football team over the V. M. I. at Lexington yesterday. They marched down town in a body, with horns and drums and shouting the college yell. They halted in front of the office of the Morning Post and gave "three cheers for The Post" that were much appreciated. The Baptist University, Peace Institute and St. Mary's came in for hearty salutes by the jubilant cadets.

Mr. John Sharp Dead

Mr. John Sharp died Thursday night at his home in Nash county at the advanced age of eighty. He had represented Nash in the legislature and had been active in Republican politics for years. He is survived by several children.

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