

A QUIET DAY ON THE EXCHANGE

Advances and Declines Cut a Small Figure

THE EFFECT OF LOANS

When Those Which Carry Over Until Tuesday Were Made at Nine Per Cent, the Market Promptly Weakened and the Advances Were Lost.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Aug. 31.—Speculation was quiet and at the outset there was a little irregularity in prices. Neither the advances or declines amounted to much, aside from a gain of a point in Union Pacific. The coal stocks were easier, including Reading and Pennsylvania.

A moderate demand arose and St. Paul, Union Pacific and New York Central advanced 1/2, Reading 1 and the general market to a good fraction above yesterday's closing. Subsequently when the loans which carry over until Tuesday were made at 9 per cent the market promptly weakened and advances were quite generally lost. Anaconda and Great Northern preferred, fell 2 1/2 under last night's price and Reading, Northwestern, Wabash preferred and General Electric 1 to 1 1/2. Around 11 o'clock the market was showing steadiness but business was quite light.

Monetary conditions had a repressive effect on the general stock trading and business was exceptionally small. Union Pacific was pushed up over 2 points to 190 1/2 in the face of the 10 per cent money rate. Other stocks reflected the concern felt over money from time to time, but in the main made a better showing than would be generally expected. Delaware and Hudson, Northern Pacific, Erie, Rock Island preferred and American Car preferred declined 1 to 1 1/2. The market was in a semi-stagnant condition at noon. Bonds were steady.

BRIEF Business in stocks became progressively smaller as call money rates advanced, 11 per cent ruling at 1 o'clock. The active list fluctuated within a narrow limit, but maintained a good undertone. One hundred shares of Adams Express sold at 200 compared with 250, the preceding sale on May 17. Pullman jumped 5 points.

In the late afternoon when Union Pacific moved slowly upward to 191 1/2 other stocks began to show moderate sympathy with the movement and St. Paul, Southern Pacific, Reading and Amalgamated Copper recovered to their high prices of the morning. Pullman extended its rise to 8 points, touching 250.

Traders who were reluctant to carry stocks over until Tuesday closed out in the last hour and this selling wiped out the day's rise in St. Paul and Reading and clipped off 1 1/2 of the advance in Union Pacific. The general market was about as inert as at any time during the day since the money situation became dominant. The closing of the market was lifeless and fairly steady.

New York Closing Stock List.

Aetna	106 3/4
American pref.	101
Baltimore & Ohio	117 3/4
Canadian Pacific	173 3/4
Chicago & Northwest	210
Chicago & Northwestern pref.	230
Colorado Southern	37 3/4
Denver & Rio Grande	43 3/4
Denver & Rio Grande pref.	85 3/4
Erie	45 3/4
Illinois Central	173
Louisville & Nashville	148 3/4
Manhattan	176 3/4
Metropolitan St. Rwy.	117 1/2
Mexican Central	21
Missouri Pacific	97
New York Central	143 3/4
Pennsylvania	141 3/4
Reading	136 1/2
Rock Island	27 3/4
Rock Island pref.	65 1/4
St. Paul	176 1/4
Southern Pacific	90 3/4
Southern Railway	38
Union Pacific	191 1/2
Union Pacific pref.	94
Wabash	20
Wisconsin Central	25
Northern Pacific	215
Great Northern pref.	327 3/4
Interborough-Met.	38
Interborough-Met. pref.	78 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	143
Chesapeake & Ohio	64 1/2
Norfolk & Western	93
Southern Railway pref.	100
Miscellaneous:	
Amalgamated Copper	109 3/4
American Car and Foundry	40
American Locomotive	71 3/4
Am. Smelting and Refining	156 3/4
Am. Smelting and Refining pref.	116 3/4
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	75 3/4
Colorado Fuel and Iron	55
International Paper	39
National Biscuit	67 3/4
National Lead	78
Northern Securities	68
Pacific Mail	37 3/4
People's Gas	91 3/4
Pressed Steel Car	53 3/4
Pullman Palace Car	248 1/2
Standard Oil	602
Sugar	130 3/4
Tennessee Coal and Iron	156
United States Steel	46 3/4
United States Steel pref.	106 3/4

Western Union	91 3/4
Mackay Co.'s	73 1/4
American Tobacco pref.	71 3/4
American Tobacco 4's	78 1/4
American Tobacco 6's	112 3/4
Sloss-Sheffield	77
Va.-Car. Chemical	38 1/2
Va.-Car. Chemical pref.	36 1/2
American Woolen	36 1/2
American Woolen pref.	36 1/2

New York Cotton Market.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Aug. 31.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of 5/64 points, and after the call rallied 2 or 3 points on buying for a turn. There was no aggressive support, however. The weather was good, private crop reports bearish, and a tendency to sell on slight improvements soon eased the market off. During the middle of the forenoon prices were barely steady and about 8 3/8 points net lower. Trading was comparatively quiet.

Cotton futures opened steady, September 8 5/8; October 8 3/8; November 8 1/8; December 8 1/8; January 8 1/8; February 9 1/8 bid; March 9 1/8; April 9 1/8 bid; May 9 3/8.

New York, Aug. 31.—Cotton futures closed barely steady. Closing bids—September 8 5/8; October 8 3/8; November 8 1/8; December 8 1/8; January 9 1/8; February 9 1/4; March 9 1/4; April 9 1/4; May 9 3/8.

The market was quiet but steady late in the morning and prices at midday were within 2 or 3 points of last night's final on covering of shorts. Spot cotton, quiet; middling uplands 9 5/8; middling gulf 10 5/8.

Cotton, spot closed; middling uplands 9.50; middling gulf 10.05. Sales 600 bales.			
Estimated receipts at the ports today were 17,000 bales against 9,361 last week and 16,938 last year. For the week 72,000 bales against 49,714 last week and 83,629 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 788 bales against none last year, and at Houston 8,553 bales against 9,770 last year.			
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August	Open.	Close.	Close.
September	8.68	8.65	8.75
October	8.89	8.82	8.94
November	9.04	8.92	9.04
December	9.04	9.01	9.14
January	9.15	9.09	9.21
February	9.16	9.14	9.26
March	9.27	9.22	9.35
April	9.29	9.23	9.36
May	9.36	9.30	9.42

Liverpool Cotton Market.

(By the Associated Press.) Liverpool, Aug. 31.—Cotton spot dull; prices 2 points higher; American middling fair 5 1/2; good middling 5 3/8; middling 5 1/4; low middling 5 1/8; ordinary 4 3/4; ordinary 4 1/4. The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 400 were for speculation and export and included 3,400 American. Receipts 8,000 bales, including 5,300 American.

Futures opened steady and closed steady. American middling good ordinary clause September 5 1/4; September-October 4 3/4; October-November 4 3/8; November-December 4 3/8; December-January 4 3/8; January-February 4 3/8; February-March 4 3/8; March-April 5 1/8; April-May 5 1/8; May-June 5 3/8; June-July 5 1/8.

Raleigh Spot Market.

(Reported by Chas. E. Johnson & Company.) Strict good middling, 10%. Good middling, 10%. Strict middling, 9 1/2%. Middling, 9 1/4%.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Wheat was steady at the opening today, chiefly because of predictions of a rise for today and tonight in the northwest. Commission houses were good buyers of September, December opened 1-8 lower at 73 1/2 and sold at 73 3/4.

A slight rally occurred about the middle of the day on covering by shorts, December advancing to 74 1-8. The close was steady, with December a shade higher at 73 5-8 @ 74. In sympathy with wheat December corn steadied at 43 5-8 @ 44. The market remained steady all day, the range of prices being confined to 1-4c. The high point for December was 43 7-8. The close was steady, with December down a shade at 43 5-8 @ 44. December oats were quiet and steady at 30 1/4.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

(By the Associated Press.) Chicago, Aug. 31.—Cattle—Receipts 15,000; market strong; beefs 3.90 @ 6.85; cows and heifers 1.40 @ 5.20; stockers and feeders 2.40 @ 4.30; Texans 3.65 @ 4.50; westerns 3.60 @ 5.20; calves 5.50 @ 7.50. Hogs—Receipts 12,000; market 10c. higher. Mixed and butchers 5.85 @ 6.45; good heavy 5.90 @ 6.35; rough heavy 5.35 @ 5.70; light 5.85 @ 6.45; pigs 5.25 @ 6.15; bulk of sales 5.95 @ 6.35. Sheep—Receipts 10,000; market strong; sheep 3.60 @ 5.60; lambs 4.75 @ 7.75.

New York Provision Market.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Aug. 31.—Flour steady and unchanged. December 81 1-4 @ 9A33vbgktqtoemfw Wheat firm; September 78 5-8 @ 78 3-4; @84 1-8. Rye—Nominal. Corn steady; September 56 1-4 @ 1-2. Beef and Pork—Steady. Lard—Steady; prime western 8.80 @ 8.90. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3 3-8 @ 1-2; centrifugal 4; molasses sugar 3 1-8 @ 4; refined steady; crushed 5.60; powdered 5.00; granulated 4.90. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio 8 3-8. Molasses—Steady; New Orleans 30 @ 38. Butter—firm; western factory, 15 @ 18; western imitation, creamery, firsts, 18 1-2 @ 19. Cheese—steady. Eggs—firm; nearby selected western firsts, 20 1-2 @ 21.

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New York Money Market.

New York, Aug. 31.—Money on call strong and higher, 8 1/2 to 9 per cent; ruling rate 9; closing bids 10; offered at 12. Time loans very strong, sixty days no loans; ninety days 7; six months 6 1-2.

Close—Prime mercantile paper 6 1/2 per cent; Sterling exchange weak at 48 2/3 @ 48 3/4 for demand, and at 48.15 @ 48.20 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 48 1-2 @ 48 3/4 and 48 1-2 @ 48 3/4. Commercial bills 47 1/2 @ 48. Bar silver 66 1/2; Mexican dollars 51 1-4; government bonds firm; railroad bonds steady.

The New York Poultry Market.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Aug. 31.—Poultry alive and steady; western chickens, 14 1-2; fowls, 14; turkeys, 14; dressed, irregular; western chickens, 13 @ 15; turkeys, 13 @ 14; fowls, 10 @ 14.

Rate On Call Money.

New York, Aug. 31.—Call money opened on the stock exchange today at 8 per cent. At 11 o'clock the quotation was 9 per cent. At 11:20 o'clock call money was lending at 10 per cent, the highest rate in several months. At 10:50 p. m.—Call money loaned at 12 per cent.

NINETEEN SOLDIERS ARE SHOT FOR MUTINY

(By the Associated Press.) London, Aug. 31.—A dispatch to a news agency from Helsingfors, Finland, today announced that 19 soldiers found guilty of participation in the recent mutiny at Sveaborg fortress, were shot today, that three civilians convicted of incitement to mutiny were hanged and that others were sentenced to prison for terms varying from five to fifteen years.

JAPS CONVICTED OF SEAL KILLING.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, Aug. 31.—The department of justice today received the following telegram from the United States attorney at Valdez, Alaska: "Six Japanese were convicted on the 29 of attempting to kill fur seals on Saint Pauls Island, five others pleaded guilty to killing seals at the same place, remaining prisoner was tried and his case is now before the jury."

SHEPHERD MADE REFEREE.

In the Case of Senator Overman Against Lanier Estate. (Special to the Evening Times.) Salisbury, N. C., Aug. 31.—Court this morning appointed ex-Chief Justice James E. Shepherd referee in the case of United States Senator Overman against the heirs of the Lanier estate for final settlement. Mr. Overman is administrator of J. B. Lanier, a wealthy distiller and cotton dealer. His heirs refused to accept the settlement and the senator brought suit. They countered with impeachment of items in the settlement and the cases were consolidated. The greatest lawyers in the state are appearing on either side. The amount involved is sixty thousand dollars.

GREAT MINING COMPANY IS IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.

(By the Associated Press.) Boston, Mass., Aug. 31.—The Tyler Park Mining Company, a Colorado corporation, capitalized for \$5,000,000 was placed in the hands of Thomas D. Goodall today, the result of charges made by Clarence H. Knight of this city, a creditor for \$5,000, who alleged that the company is hopelessly insolvent and owes \$213,000.

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