CONDENSED MILK UP

Advances in the Leading Oregon Brands.

FROM 10 TO 25 CENTS CASE

Another Rise May Put This Commodity Out of the 10-Cents-at-Retail Class—Exporters Are Again Buying Wheat.

Condensed milk, as well as fresh milk, is moving upward in price. Last week Pioneer milk was raised 25 cents a case to $4.35 and yesterday there was a 10-cent advance in Carnation to $4.15 a case. Holly and Buttercup also went up 10 cents to the price of Carnation.

As the condensed milk factories all report more orders on hand than they can fill and as the supply of the raw material can be expected to decrease rather than increase during the coming Winter, a very strong market position is shown.

These latest advances are about as far as the market can go without putting this commodity out of the 10 cents at retail class. Condensed milk at more than 10 cents in the stores is hardly to be expected, yet it may come to pass if the price of fresh milk is lifted higher.

EXPORTERS OPERATING IN WHEAT.

Weaker Feeling in Valley Oats—Barley Quiet and Unchanged.

A fairly active business was reported in the country wheat markets at the lower level of prices established last week. The weakness was more pronounced in bluestem than in the other varieties. Export wheat was steady, the foreign markets showing improvement, but there was a decline in the East.

Oats were quoted weak. There was trading in white valley oats at $27 and in grays at $26. California red oats were offered on the market at $25@27. Barley was quiet and unchanged.

Local receipts, in cars, were reported by the Merchants Exchange as follows:

	Wheat	Barley	Flour	Oats	Hay
Monday	119	3	17	13	19
Year ago	211	38	9	15	22
Season to date	2250	137	671	373	846
Year ago	2835	452	846	316	733

The weekly wheat statistics of the Merchants Exchange follow:

American Visible Supply—

		Bushels.	Increase.
October 3,	1910	34,968,000	2,725,000
October 4,	1909	19,442,000	2,981,000
October 5,	1908	43,281,000	4,337,000
October 7,	1907	43,597,000	*1,160,000
October 8,	1906	34,652,000	1,500,000
October 9,	1905	20,762,000	2,857,000
October 10,	1904	20,830,000	3,292,000
October 5,	1903	19,379,000	2,250,000
October 6,	1902	26,624,000	782,000
October 7,	1901	24,474,000	2,170,000
October 8,	1900	33,401,000	*8,000

*Decrease.

Quantities on Passage—

For	Week ending Oct. 1 Bushels	Week ending Sept. 24 Bushels	Week ending Oct. 2, '09 Bushels
U. K.	18,240,000	18,560,000	10,880,000
Continent	20,400,000	21,840,000	13,840,000
Totals	38,640,000	40,400,000	24,720,000

World's Shipments, Flour Included—

From	Week ending Oct. 1 Bushels	Week ending Sept. 24 Bushels	Week ending Oct. 2, '09 Bushels
U. S. Can.	2,127,000	1,584,000	3,323,000
Argentina	744,000	1,008,000	184,000
Australia	1,000,000	840,000	400,000
Dan. ports	2,360,000	4,136,000	360,000
Russia	6,152,000	6,544,000	7,136,000
India	1,296,000	864,000	328,000
Totals	13,687,000	15,536,000	11,731,000

Crop and market conditions abroad are summarized by the Liverpool Corn Trade News as follows:

United Kingdom—Opinions regarding the harvest state that the condition is better than previously expected and that the outlook is mostly good.

France—Rain is needed to enable plowing to be carried on. Farmers' offerings are light, although threshing results are very favorable.

Germany—The weather is favorable for plowing, although there is much vermin. The potato and late crops have shown some improvement.

Russia—The weather is seasonable. Arrivals are large and stocks are increasing.

Roumania—Seeding is progressing slowly, being delayed by the cattle disease.

Italy—The revised official report makes the wheat crop 132,324,000 bushels, against 183,600,000 bushels last year.

Australia—The Minister of Finance predicts a record crop this season. According to an unofficial report the weather is good and the crops are fair.

India—Seeding prospects are good.

LACHMUND'S PURCHASE 2000 BALES.

Unconfirmed Rumor of Further Buying at Independence.

Over 2000 bales of hops have been bought by Louis Lachmund to date, according to the best available information. Among the lots not previously reported was that of William Bagley, at Hillsboro, amounting to 280 bales. It was said yesterday that Lachmund had secured two blocks of 500 bales each from two of the largest Independence growers, but this could not be confirmed.

In other quarters there was not much doing. Only a few buyers besides Lachmund have been operating, and they were not active yesterday.

The Eastern trade has been apprised of the late buying in this state and is beginning to show interest. Numerous inquiries as to conditions and prices at which hops can be bought were received from Eastern dealers yesterday.

California wires reported that market beginning to show life after two weeks' inactivity. London cabled a dull market. The press cable on yearling Pacifics was steady at 70 to 90 shillings, a decline of 10 shillings since last week.

BETTER DEMAND FOR POULTRY.

Prices Are Firm Throughout the List—Butter Unchanged.

The poultry market opened better than it closed last week. The Jewish holidays provided a good demand and prices were firm throughout. Receipts were small and the stock carried over from Saturday was cleaned up. Chickens did not sell under 16 cents. Ducks brought 17½ cents and good geese 12½ cents.

Oregon eggs held at the old price and Eastern eggs were quoted firmer.

There was no change in the butter situation except that the feeling was steadier in view of yesterday's advance at San Francisco.

LOCAL GRAPE MARKET OPENS WELL.

Concords Clean Up at Better Prices Than Was Expected.

The grape market was in good shape yesterday. Concords, which it was feared would have to sell at 10 cents, were in firm demand at 15 cents and cleaned up. California grapes were steady at last week's prices. Otherwise the fruit market was slow. There were light receipts of peaches, which were in small demand. A car of bananas arrived.

Tomatoes are selling at all kinds of prices, with but little stock bringing over 25 cents. Sprouts are easier and other vegetables steady.

Sugar Is 25 Cents Lower.

The Federal Sugar Refining Company last week dropped its price on sugar 20 cents a hundred, and yesterday the California refineries met the cut by making a 20-cent reduction on all grades. This last decline puts the Coast market 40 cents lower than it was two weeks ago. Independently of the fight that is going on in California, the sugar market has a weak and prices because of the easy position of raw sugars on the Atlantic seaboard.

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday are as follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$2,170,215	$225,069
Seattle	2,633,716	352,070
Tacoma	1,346,809	123,281
Spokane	1,133,296	121,354

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—Track prices: Bluestem, 88@89c; club, 83c; red Russian, 81c; Valley, 88c; 40-fold, 85c; Turkey red, 82@83c.

BARLEY—Feed, $22 per ton; brewing, $23 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $23 per ton; middlings, $28; shorts, $27; rolled barley, $24.50@25.50.

FLOUR—Patents, $5.35 per barrel; straights, $4.50@4.95; export, $3.70; Valley, $3.40; graham, $3; whole wheat, quarters, $3.25.

HAY—Track prices: Timothy, Willamette Valley, $19@20 per ton; Eastern Oregon, $21@22; alfalfa, new, $15@16; grain hay, $14.

CORN—Whole, $32; cracked, $33 per ton.

OATS—White, $27 per ton; gray, $26; California red, $25@27.

Vegetables and Fruits.

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, new, 40c@$1.50 per box; pears, $1@2 per box; peaches, 40@65c per crate; grapes, 50c@$1.25 per box, 15c per basket; cranberries, $8.50 @9.50 per barrel; huckleberries, 7@8c per pound.

MELONS—Watermelons, $1 per hundred; cantaloupes, $1@1.50 per crate; casabas, $3.50 per dozen.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, Valencias, $4.50@4.75; lemons, $5@6.50; grapefruit, $4 @4.50 per box; bananas, 5½c per pound; pineapples, 6c per pound.

VEGETABLES—Beans, 8@5c per pound; cabbage, 1½@2c per pound; cauliflower, 50c@$1.25 per doz.; celery, 75@90c per doz.; corn, 12@15c per doz.; cucumbers, 25@40c per box; eggplant, $1@1.25 per crate; garlic, 8@ 10c per lb.; green onions, 15c per dozen; peppers, 6c per pound; pumpkins, 1½c per lb.; radishes, 15@20c per dozen; sprouts, 7½c; squash, 1½@1½c per lb.; tomatoes, 15@20c per box.

BACK VEGETABLES—Carrots, $1@1.25; hundred, $1.50; parsnips, $1@1.25; turnips, $1.

POTATOES—Oregon, $1.15@1.25 per hundred; sweet potatoes, 2½@2¾c per pound.

ONIONS—Oregon, buying price, $1.10 per hundred.

Dairy and Country Produce.

POULTRY — Hens, 16c; Springs, 16c; ducks, white, 17@17½c; geese, 11@12½c; turkeys, live, 20c; dressed, 22½@25c; squabs, $3 per dozen.

BUTTER—City creamery, solid pack, 36c per pound; prints, 37@37½c per pound; outside creamery, 33@36c per pound; butter fat, 36c per pound; country store butter, 24@26c per pound.

CHEESE—Full cream, twins, 17½@18c per pound; young America, 18½@19c.

EGGS—Oregon, candled, 34@35c per dozen; Eastern, 26@32c per dozen.

PORK—Fancy, 13c per pound.

VEAL—Good, average, 10@11c per pound.

Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, 10c per pound; currants, 13½@15c; apricots, 11@14c; dates, 7c per pound; figs, bulk, white or black, by sack, 7@8c; 5lb, $1.60@1.75; 12-12s, 85c; 20-12s, $2.25; 10-1s, 85c.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $2.10 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2.95; 1-pound flats, $2.25; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, $1; red, 1-pound talls, $1.65; sockeye, 1-pound talls, $2.

COFFEE—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; good, 16@18c; ordinary, 12½@16c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 18c per pound; Brazil nuts, 14½@16c; filberts, 16c; almonds, 17c; pecans, 18c; cocoanuts, 90c@$1 per dozen.

SALT—Granulated, $15 per ton; half-ground, 100s, $8.50 per ton; 50s, $9 per ton.

BEANS—Small white, 5c; large white, 4¾c; lima, 5¾c; pink, 7¼c; red Mexicans, 7½c; bayou, 7c.

RICE—No. 1 Japan, 4¾c; cheaper grades, $5.50@4.85; Southern head, 5½@7c.

HONEY—Choice, $3.25@3.50 per case; strained, 7½c per pound.

SUGAR—Dry granulated, fruit and berry, $5.85; beet, $5.65; extra C, $5.35; golden C, $5.25; yellow D, $5.15; cubes (barrels), $5.45; powdered, $5.10. Terms on remittances within 15 days deduct ⅛c per pound, if later than 15 and within 30 days, deduct ¼c per pound. Maple sugar, 15@18c per pound.

EASTERN TRADE BEARS

BUT SMALLER MARKETS TAKING APPLES READILY.

Northwestern Fruit Exchange Reports Sales of Winesaps, Spitz, Ganos and Other Varieties.

The daily market bulletin of the Northwestern Fruit Exchange follows:

We have made a careful inside investigation of the temper of the buying trade in New York and Chicago—that is, the large buyers—the operators who are usually large factors in the situation. Undoubtedly these operators nearly all are "bearish" on the apple situation, and there is little disposition to plunge. We, however, have not been greatly concerned on this point, as we have been able to dispose of our shipments in small blocks by effecting a very wide distribution, and reaching out into all quarters of the country, thus making ourselves practically independent of the large Eastern centers and of the large operators. We are simply giving our clients the benefit of our investigation for their own information and guidance. As our investigator expresses it, "they have cold feet."

We have to report sale of car CBQ 37803 from Cashmere, Wash., 27th, 620 boxes extra fancy Stayman Winesaps at $1.60 for 3½-tier, $1.50 for 4 and 4½-tier f. o. b. shipping point.

We sold car CBQ 28394 from Cashmere, 28th, 620 boxes fancy and extra fancy Jonathans as follows: 281 3½-tier, 203 4-tier $1.65; 148 4½-tier, 65-tier $1.40 f. o. b.

We sold one car fancy 4-tier Rhode Island Greenings at $1 f. o. b.

We sold one car fancy 4-tier Bellfleur apples at $1.70 f. o. b.

Our traveling salesman in Alabama sold an assorted car of 4-tier Winesaps at $1.75, Ganos $1.25, Black Twigs $1.35, Baldwins $1.25, Arkansas Beauties $1.30.

We have booked orders for an Eastern buyer for two car Rome Beauties to include 70 per cent 4½-tier, balance 4-tier at a straight price of $1.40; four cars extra fancy Winesaps, half each 4 and 4½-tier at $1.75 and $1.50 respectively.

We sold a car of assorted apples to a wholesale grocery house in Iowa, sale made by one of our traveling salesmen, as follows: 4-tier Spitzenberg $2.15, 4½-tier Spitzenberg $2, 4-tier Staymans $1.50, 4½-tier Staymans $1.35, Rome Beauties (class as they run) $1.25.

We have not heard from the Eastern auction markets today but as we are not playing the auction game we are in no hurry for this report, which will reach us in the morning.

We have a wire from our agent in Idaho advising that high winds have caused damage to the extent of 10 per cent of the crop. Don't get excited. These reports are usually exaggerated. We will advise you further.

Government Cotton Report.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The Census Bureau's cotton report issued today shows 2,302,211 bales, counting round bales as half bales, were gathered from the growth of 1910 to September 25, as compared with 2,568,150 for 1909, 2,590,639 for 1908, and 1,632,602 for 1907. There were 37,767 round bales included. The number of Sea Island bales included were 7112.

The average condition of the cotton crop on September 25 was 65.9 per cent of normal, as compared with 72.1 a month ago, 58.5 a year ago, 69.7 in 1908, and 66.6, the average of the past ten years on September 25, as estimated by the crop-reporting board of the Department of Agriculture.

In Oklahoma and Texas the number of bales ginned with comparison for the previous year follows: Texas, 1,258,339, against 1,061,558 in 1909; Oklahoma, 110,444, against 134,377 in 1909.

Wool at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 3.—Wool—Steady. Territory and Western mediums, 18@20c; fine mediums, 17@20c; fine, 14@17c.

Hops at London.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 3.—Hops at London: Pacific Coast, steady, £3 10s@£4 10s.

STOCK RUN HEAVY

Over Four Thousand Head Received at Local Yard.

DEMAND OPENS BRISKLY

Prices Cover a Wide Range According to the Quality of the Offering—Big Sales of Feeder Lambs Reported.

Trade opened up briskly at the North Portland yards yesterday. There was a big run of stock, 4142 head, and a good all-around demand.

The quality of the offerings, as usual, varied widely, as is shown by the list of sales. Steers ranged, for the most part, from $4 to $5, and cows from $3 to $4. Calves brought from $3.50 to $7. A single load of hogs sold at $10.20. Two big bunches of feeder lambs brought $4.10 and $4.25.

Receipts for Sunday and Monday were 959 cattle, 144 calves, 1596 sheep and 1350 hogs.

Shippers of the stock were: Asterson & Willy, of Wallowa, 4 cars of sheep; H. R. Peacock, of Nampa, 2 cars of cattle and calves; K. D. Huston, of Shaniko, 3 cars of cattle; L. Durbin, of Shaniko, 4 cars of sheep; E. E. Laughlin, of Shaniko, 3 cars of cattle; H. R. Peacock, of Mountain Home, Idaho, 2 cars of cattle; Fred Burns, of Pendleton, 4 cars of cattle; Armstrong & Son, of Nebraska, 6 cars of hogs; W. R. Cochran, of Ione, 1 car of hogs; Henline & Ohlinger, of Nebraska, 4 cars of hogs; Lind & Van Ausdeln, of Filer, Idaho, 2 cars of hogs; R. M. Stanfield, of Baker City, 2 cars of sheep; E. H. Howard, of Baker City, 1 car of cattle; D. W. Blackwell, of Weiser, 2 cars of cattle; Kidwell & Caswell, 17 cars of cattle from Baker City and Pendleton; T. J. Brown, of Hunt, 1 car of cattle and calves, and W. I. Dishman, of Union, 1 car of cattle and calves.

The day's sales were as follows:

	Weight.	Price.
151 hogs	195	$10.20
499 lambs, feeders	54	4.10
78 cows	879	3.50
6 cows	936	3.60
11 cows	1049	3.85
6 calves	250	5.75
72 cows	959	4.00
7 steers, feeders	964	4.75
1 bull	1320	3.25
24 cows	819	3.50
28 cows	1071	4.25
1 bull	1280	3.25
26 calves	240	3.50
7 steers	1069	4.40
2 steers	1250	4.40
5 steers	806	4.00
15 cows	959	3.75
4 steers	907	4.00
11 calves	168	7.00
2 calves	125	4.00
6 cows	888	4.00
1 bull	1380	3.25
1 steers	980	4.00
18 steers	1126	5.00
2 steers	940	5.00
28 steers	984	4.90
2 steers	1210	5.75
2 steers	1250	5.70
601 lambs, feeders	58	4.25

Prices current on the various classes of stock at the Portland Union Stockyards were as follows:

Beef steers, good to choice	$ 5.00@$ 5.25
Beef steers, fair to medium	4.25@ 4.75
Choice spayed heifers	4.50@ 4.75
Good to choice beef cows	4.25@ 4.50
Medium to good beef cows	3.50@ 4.00
Common beef cows	2.00@ 3.50
Bulls	3.50@ 4.00
Stags, good to choice	4.00@ 4.50
Calves, light	6.75@ 7.00
Calves, heavy	5.75@ 6.00
Hogs, light	10.25@ 10.50
Sheep, best Valley wethers	3.25@ 3.50
Sheep, fair to good wethers	3.00@ 3.25
Sheep, best Mt. Adams wethers	4.00@ 4.25
Sheep, best Valley ewes	3.00@ 3.50
Lambs, choice Mt. Adams	5.25@ 5.50
Lambs, choice Valley	5.00@ 5.25

Eastern Livestock Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 3. — Cattle—Receipts, 30,000; market, 10c lower. Native steers, $3@7.75; native cows and heifers, $2.60@6.90; stockers and feeders, $3.25@6.75; bulls, $3.25@4.25; calves, $3.75@8.25; Western steers, $4@6.85; Western cows, $2.75@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 4000; market, 5c to 10c lower. Bulk of sales, $8.40@8.80; heavy, $8.30@8.85; packers and butchers, $8.50@8.80; light, $8.30@8.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market, steady to weak. Muttons, $3.50@4.25; lambs, $5.60@6.60; fed wethers and yearlings, $3.75@5.00.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated, 2000; market steady to 10c lower. Beeves, $4.60@7.90; Texas steers, $3.40@5.00; Western steers, $4@5.75; stockers and feeders, $4.10@6.80; cows and heifers, $2.20@6.30; calves, $7.25@9.75.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated, 28,000; market, dull, 10c lower. Light, $8.70@9.15; mixed, $8.25@8.75; heavy, $8.20@8.40; rough, $8.20@8.40; good to choice heavy, $8.40@9; pigs, $8.25@9; bulk of sales, $8.50@8.80.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated, 60,000; market, 10c lower. Native, $2.40@4.15; Western, $2.75 @4.10; yearlings, $4.50@5.40; lambs, native, $4.50@7.00.

OMAHA, Oct. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,400; market, slow to 10c lower. Native steers, $4.50 @7.40; cows and heifers, $3@5.50; Western steers, $3.50@6.40; range cows and heifers, $2.80@4.60; canners, $2.70@3.40; stockers and feeders, $3@6; calves, $3.50@7; bulls, stags, etc., $3@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 1600; market, 10c to 15c lower. Heavy, $8.15@8.60; mixed, $8.30@8.45; light, $8.60@8.70; pigs, $8@8.70; bulk of sales, $8.35@8.45.

Sheep — Receipts, 36,000; market, steady. Yearlings, $4.30@5.35; wethers, $3.60@4.30; ewes, $3@4.80; lambs, $4.25@6.85.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Coffee closed steady at a net advance of 4 to 6 points. Sales, 77,000 bags. October, November and December, 9.05c; January, 8.97c; February, 8.99c; March and April, 9c; May and June, 9.01c; July, 9.02c; August, 9.03c; September, 9.04c. Spot coffee firm. No. 7 Rio, 11c; No. 4 Santos, 11¼@12c; mild coffee firm: Cordova, 11¾@13½c.

Raw sugar, steady; Muscovado, 3.45c; centrifugal, 3.93c; molasses sugar, 3.20c; refined, steady.

MARKET SHOWS BREADTH

STOCK TRADING IN HANDS OF LARGER OPERATORS.

Prices Are Not Well Held and Close Weak—Call Loan Rate Steady. Bonds Firm.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The stock market today gave further evidence of passing out of the hands of the narrow element of board room traders which has engrossed the dealings for many weeks. There were signs of an entry of operators of larger resources and of a broader scope in method.

The reappearance on the tape of blocks of 1000 to 7500 shares of United States Steel was regarded as suggestive in this direction. The appearance of growing breadth, which was a feature of last week's market, was altered as the day progressed and the concentration in United States Steel, Reading and Union Pacific became more pronounced. Prices were not well held in the latter part of the day and the closing was rather weak.

The first quotations for call loans was at 2½ per cent and the fixing of the renewal figure at that rate quieted any apprehension caused by the $5,000,000 figure to which the actual surplus had sunk in the Saturday bank statement.

The discount rate hardened in London today, but the Bank of England secured the available gold in the London market without competition. The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany made a striking showing of the severe strain of the October settlements at that center, as well as its quick passage. With an increase in loans and discounts of $140,276,000 and an expansion of note issues of $125,597,000, the cash holdings of the Reichsbank were drawn at the same time over $40,000,000 as the result of the week's operations. Yet the private discount rate in Berlin receded ¼ to 4 per cent today.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $1,940,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Allis Chalmers pf.	.....	.....	.....	35
Amal Copper	19,700	65¾	64¾	65¼
Am Agricultural	.....	.....	.....	44¾
Am Beet Sugar	2,300	39¼	38¾	38¾
American Can	100	8¾	8¾	8¾
Am Car & Fdy	1,100	48¾	48	48¾
Am Cotton Oil	300	63	62¾	62¾
Am Hd. & Lt pf.	100	29¾	29¾	29¾
Am Ice Securi	500	18¾	18	18
Am Linseed Oil	200	12¼	12¼	11½
Am Locomotive	1,300	39¼	38¼	38½
Am Smelt & Ref.	10,600	68¾	67½	68¼
do preferred	700	101¾	101½	101½
Am Steel Fdy	700	42¾	42½	42¾
Am Sugar Ref	17,600	116	111¼	115¼
Am Tel & Tel	200	138	137¼	137¼
Am Tobacco pf	.....	.....	.....	92
Am Woolen	1,200	29¼	28¾	29
Anaconda Min Co.	1,200	40¾	40	40
Atchison	13,300	101¾	99¾	101
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	100¾
Atl Coast Line	200	114¾	112¼	114¾
Balt & Ohio	2,600	106½	106	106½
Bethlehem Steel	200	28	27½	27½
Brook Rap Tran	4,400	77¼	76¾	76¾
Canadian Pacific	1,000	194¾	194	193½
Central Leather	4,900	35½	34¾	34½
do preferred	200	104¾	104¾	104½
Central of N J	.....	.....	.....	300
Ches & Ohio	16,800	81½	79¾	80¾
Chicago & Alton	100	35	35	34
Chicago Gt West.	2,200	24¾	23¾	24¾
do preferred	1,100	48	46	48
Chicago & N W	1,500	148½	147½	147¾
C, M & St Paul	14,700	123¾	121¾	123
C, C, C & St L	100	77	77	77
Colo Fuel & Iron	1,700	33	32	32¼
Colo & Southern	700	56¾	56¾	56½
Consolidated Gas	4,800	134¾	134	134¼
Corn Products	100	15¾	15¾	15¾
Del & Hudson	300	167¾	166	165½
D & R Grande	800	32¾	32	32½
do preferred	200	73½	73½	73½
Distillers' Securit	300	30½	30	29½
Erie	7,600	27½	26¾	27¼
do 1st preferred	3,800	46¾	45¼	46
do 2d preferred	1,400	37	35¾	36
General Electric	200	146	146	145½
Gt Northern pf	4,200	127¼	127½	128
Gt Northern Ore	2,500	58	56¾	56¾
Illinois Central	100	133	133	133
Interborough Met	3,800	21¼	20¾	20½
do preferred	3,800	67	66	66¾
Inter Harvester	1,100	99½	98½	99
Inter-Marine pf	200	17½	17¼	17½
Int Paper	1,000	12½	12¼	12¼
Int Pump	600	42¼	41½	42
Iowa Central	900	17¾	16¾	17
K C Southern	1,400	31¼	29½	30¼
do preferred	400	64¾	64½	64¾
Laclede Gas	500	100½	100½	100½
Louisville & Nash	1,700	146½	145¾	145¾
Minn & St Louis	400	23¾	23½	23
M, St P & S S M.	1,000	132	131¼	132¼
Mo, Kan & Texas	7,700	33	32¾	32¾
do preferred	100	63¾	63¾	63
Missouri Pacific	1,700	55	54¾	54¼
National Biscuit	200	111¼	110¼	109½
National Lead	500	52¾	52½	52¾
Nev Nat Ry 2d pf.	200	31¾	31¾	32¾
N Y Central	7,100	114¾	113¾	114¾
N Y, Ont & West	900	42	41½	41¾
Norfolk & West	1,600	98¾	97½	98¼
North American	900	68¾	67	68
Northern Pacific	11,700	119	117½	118¾
Pacific Mail	800	32¼	32	32
Pennsylvania	8,700	130¾	129¾	130¼
People's Gas	600	107¾	107½	107¾
P, C C & St L	1,200	96	94¾	95½
Pittsburg Coal	.....	.....	.....	17½
Pressed Steel Car.	400	34½	33¾	34¼
Pullman Pal Car.	300	163½	163	163
Ry. Steel Spring.	200	34¼	34	34
Reading	104,900	148½	146¼	147½
Republic Steel	2,700	33¾	32¼	32½
do preferred	100	94	94	93½
Rock Island Co.	12,100	32¾	31¼	31¾
do preferred	1,200	64¾	64	64¼
St L & S F 2 dpf	1,000	41½	40½	41½
St L Southwestern	200	29¾	29½	29¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	71
Sloss-Sheffield	400	58½	56½	58
Southern Pacific	15,700	116¾	115	115¾
Southern Railway	800	24½	24¼	24½
do preferred	1,400	56	54¾	55¼
Tenn Copper	3,500	33½	33¼	33½
Texas & Pacific	1,100	28	27½	27¾
Tol, St L & West	1,200	25½	25¼	25
do preferred	1,200	57½	56	55½
Union Pacific	71,500	169¾	167½	168½
do preferred	700	91½	91¼	91
U S Realty	200	69¼	69¼	69½
U S Rubber	2600	37	36¼	36¾
U S Steel	121,800	70¾	69½	70½
do preferred	2,100	117¾	117	117½
Utah Copper	3,000	48½	47¾	47¾
Va-Caro Chemical	1,300	59	58	59½
Wabash	1,200	17	16¾	16½
do preferred	2,300	38¾	37½	37¾
Western Md	700	48½	48	47½
Westinghouse Elec	1,800	66½	66	66¼
Western Union	2,100	75¾	73¾	74¼
Wheel & L Erie	.....	.....	.....	5

Total sales for the day, 549,400 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Closing quotations:

U S ref 2s, reg	100¾	N Y C gen 3½s	89½
do coupon	100¾	No. Pacific 3s	71¾
U S 3s reg	101¾	do 4s	101
do coupon	101¾	Union Pac. 4s	101¼
U S new 4s reg	114¾	Wis. Cent. 4s	94
do coupon	116	Japanese 4s	89¼ B
Atchison adj 4s	95B		

Eastern Mining Stocks.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Closing quotations:

Allouez	42	Mohawk	48½
Amalg. Copper	64¾	Nevada Consol	20
Am. Z. L. & S.	27	Nipissing Mines	10½
Arizona Com	16¾	North Butte	28½
Atlantic	8¾	North Lake	8½
Butte Coalition	14	Old Dominion	37½
Calumet & Ariz	89	Osceola	125
Calumet & H	548	Parrot (S & C)	12½
Centennial	18	Quincy	75
Cop Range Cn Co.	66¼	Shannon	10¼
E Butte Cp M	74	Superior	60¾
Franklin	11	Sup & Bos Min.	7¾
Giroux Consol	6¾	Sup & Pitts Cop.	11¾
Granby Consol	34	Tamarack	60
Greene Cananea	6¾	U S Coal & Oil	40½
Isle Royale (Cp)	21¾	U S S R & Min.	39¾
Kerr Lake	6¾	do preferred	48¾
La Salle Copper	10	Utah Consol	23¾
Miami Copper	20	Wolverine	115

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8325 for 60-day bills and at $4.8840 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.82½@4.82¾.

Bar silver, 53¾c.

Mexican dollars, 45c.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm. Money on call firm, 2¾@3 per cent; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 3; offered at 3.

Time loans, firm; 60 days, 4¼; 90 days, 4¾@5; six months, 4½@4¾.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3.—Sterling, 60 days, $4.82¾; sight, $4.86¾.

Silver bars—53¾c.

Mexican dollars, 45½c.

Drafts—Sight, 5c; telegraph, 7½c.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Bar silver—Steady, 24¾d per ounce.

Money—2@2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2¾ per cent; three months' bills, 2¾ per cent.

Consols—For money, 80¼; for account, 80¾.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Exchange on New York, 1c discount.

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust funds—	
Gold coin	$895,327,669
Silver dollars	484,103,000
Silver dollars of 1890	3,540,000
Silver certificates outstanding	484,193,000
General fund—	
Standard silver dollars in general fund	$ 6,495,370
Current liabilities	92,569,899
Working balance in treasury offices	$4,484,752
In banks to credit of Treasurer of the United States	36,951,274
Subsidiary silver coin	18,806,359
Minor coin	853,707
Total balance in general fund	94,832,294

Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 24@28c; dairies, 23@27c.

Eggs—Receipts, 5101 cases; steady at mark, cases included, 18½@21½c; firsts, 23c; prime firsts, 22c.

Cheese—Steady; daisies, 15½@15¾c; twins, 14¾@15c; Young Americas, 15¾@16c; long horns, 15½@15¾c.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3. — Butter—Unsettled; creamery specials, 30@30½c; extras, 29c; third to firsts, 24@28c; state dairy common to finest, 23@28c; process second to special, 22@27c; factory, June 23½@24c; June current make, 22 @23c; imitation creamery, 24@25c.

Cheese—Steady; state whole milk, specials, 15@17c; do fancy, 15½c; do choice, 14¾@15c; do good to prime, 14@14½c; do common to fair, 11@13¾c; skims, full to special, 12½@ 12¾c.

Eggs—Firm; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, 33@40c; do gathered white 30@36c; do hennery brown, 30@32c; do gathered brown, 28@29c; fresh extra gathered firsts, 29@31c; firsts, 24@25c; seconds, 22@23c.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Standard copper dull. Spot and October, 12.50@12.75½c; November, 12.12½@12.17½c; December, 12.12½@12.20c. London dull. Spot, £55 5s 9d; futures, £56 5s. Custom-house returns show exports of 31,781 tons for the month. Lake copper, 12.50@12.75c; electrolytic, 12.37½@12.62½c; casting, 12.12½ @12.37½c.

Tin quiet. Spot, 34.87½@35.05½c; October, 36.20c; November, 34.37½@34.62½c; December, 34.32½@34.50c. London closed quiet.

Lead quiet at 4.20c New York and 4.20@ 4.27