UNTHRESHED GRAIN IN NORTHWEST DAMAGED BY RAIN AND WIND

INFERIOR EASTERN STORAGE EGGS DUE

Efforts are being made by certain egg dealers to flood the Portland market with Eastern low grade eggs, and apparently sell them as first-class stock. Several cars of the inferior stock are said to be rolling this way. At this season of the year the egg market generally advances, so a handsome profit can be netted from low-priced inferior Eastern eggs, provided they can be unloaded and sold on this market as first-class stock.

A large purchase of eggs from a car of Eastern stock arriving here last week was made here and it was found upon candling that 82 1-3 per cent were ranch eggs, 2 per cent were rots and the balance were either seconds, dirtis, or baker's. The whole lot did not contain a single select egg. It is doubtful if any of the eggs can be graded here to meet the demands of the trade, as Portland people have been educated and know the value of a fresh Oregon egg.

If the eggs coming here from Kansas and Nebraska were of such superior quality, as the importers claim, it does not seem probable that New York buyers would pass up these Eastern states and come to Oregon for their supplies, and pay higher freight rates. The New York buyers would pick up the Eastern stock, if it had the quality.

Tone of the local egg market is very firm. Fancy, select eggs are scarce. Fresh hennery stock demands a premium.

Persons desiring information regarding any market, should write the Market Editor, Oregon Journal, enclosing stamp for reply.

WHOLESALE FISH PRICES DOWN

Prices on fresh salmon and halibut are dropping. The salmon season is on in good shape. Halibut is in better supply. Small fish of all kinds are very scarce, as fishermen will not go after anything except salmon while the run is on. Oyster season will open in about 30 days.

BUTTER MARKET IN GOOD SHAPE

A firm tone rules in the butter market, with scarcity of butterfat pronounced as ever, giving rise to the prediction that prices on both products may be advanced by Wednesday. Cube extras sold on the street in a limited way at 57½c per pound.

DRESSED MEATS MOVING WELL

Much better tone was displayed in the dressed meat line. Hog market was easier. Record shipment of hogs on consignment received by Swift company, 105 head arriving.

BRIEF WHOLESALE TRADE NOTES

Sugar declined $3 per hundred pounds at San Francisco. Price effective here on next shipment, about Monday.

First shipment nectarines received by Marvin & Co. Quoted at $2.50@3.00.

California Malaga grapes in lug boxes, more popular than in crates. Selling at 11½@12½c per pound.

First car Yakima Gem potatoes received by Ryan Fruit Co. Selling at 3c per pound.

Sweet potatoes down to 10c per pound.

First Ashland Elberta peaches in. Quoted at $2.50 per box.

WEATHER NOTICE FOR SHIPPERS

Weather bureau advises: Protect shipments during the next 36 hours against the following maximum temperatures: Going north, 65 degrees; northeast over S. P. & S. or O. R. & N., east to Baker, 80 degrees, and south to Ashland, 80 degrees. Maximum temperature at Portland Tuesday about 70 degrees.

WHOLESALE PRICES IN PORTLAND

These are prices retailers pay wholesalers, except as otherwise noted:

Dairy Products

BUTTER—Selling price, box lots: Creamery prime, parchment wrapped, 64c lb.; prime, firsts, 62c lb.; firsts, 61c lb.; smaller lots at an advance. Jobbing prices: Cube extras, 57c; firsts, 54c per lb.

BUTTERFAT—Portland delivery basis, 66c A grade; 63c B grade; country stations, 58@62c.

OLEOMARGARINE—Best brands, 40c; ordinary, 33½c; bakers, 33c; nutmargarine, 1-lb. cartons, 32c per lb.

CHEESE—Selling price: Tillamook, fresh Oregon fancy triplets, 33@34c per lb.; Young America, 35@36c. Prices to jobbers, f. o. b. Tillamook: Triplets, 30c; Young America, 31c. Selling prices: Cream brick, 40@42c. Selling price: Block Swiss, 48@49c; limburger, 40@42c per lb.

EGGS—Buying price: Current receipts, 48@50c; candled, selling price, 55@57c; select, 60c per dozen.

LIVE POULTRY—Selling price: Heavy hens, 28c; light hens, 18@20c; springs, 27@32c; old roosters, 10c per lb.; turkeys, live, (—); ducks, 30@35c lb.

Fresh Vegetables and Fruit

FRESH FRUIT—Oranges, $7.00@8.50 per box; bananas, 11½@12½c lb.; lemons, $5.25@5.75 crate; grapefruit, $3.00@3.50; casaloupes, California standard, $1.50@2.00; pony, $1.00@1.25; flat, 50@75c; Malaga grapes, $3.25@3.50 per crate; seedless grapes, $2.75; peaches, $2.00@2.50 box; plums, $1.25@2.25 crate; pears, $2.25@3.75.

APPLES—New, $1.00@2.75; crabapples, 75c@$1.00 per peach box.

DRIED FRUIT—Dates, Promedaries, $7.00@7.50; Fards, $4.00 per box; figs, $2.75@4.00.

ONIONS—Selling price to retailers: New Walla Walla, $1.50@1.75; garlic, 25c per lb.; green onions, 25@40c dozen bunches; onion sets, 7c lb.

POTATOES—Selling price: Oregon fancy, 12.25@2.75.

BERRIES—Blackberries, $3.50 crate.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, $2.50 sack; carrots, $2.50 sack; beets, 60c dozen bunches; lettuce, $1.75 crate; cucumbers, 25@50c box; tomatoes, 40@90c; eggplant, 12½c per lb.; broccoli (—); bell peppers, 75c; celery, $1.25 dozen; string beans, 5c per lb.; green corn, $1.00@1.50 sack.

Meats and Provisions

COUNTRY MEATS—Selling price: Country hogs, 22@23½c lb. for top blockers; heavy, 18c; veal, 22@23c; heavy veal, 18c lb.

SMOKED MEATS—Ham, 42@46c per lb.; breakfast bacon, 42@55c; picnics, 23c per lb.; cottage roll, 38c per lb.

LARD—Kettle rendered, 23c lb.; tierce basis, compound, 20c.

Fish and Shellfish

FRESH FISH—Salmon, fresh Chinook, 17@18c lb.; halibut, fresh, 22@24c per lb.; sturgeon (—); black cod, 10@11c lb.; kippered salmon, $2.50 per 10-lb. basket; kippered cod, $2.35; razor clams (—); crabs, $1.75@3.75 dozen; ling cod, 6@8c lb.

Groceries

SUGAR — Nominal prices, refinery basis: Cube, $19.10; fruit and berry, $18.20; D yellow, $17.60; granulated, $18.25; extra C, $17.85; golden C, $17.75.

HONEY—New, $7.00@8.00 case.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 11c; New Orleans head, (—); Blue Rose, 14½c per lb.

SALT—Coarse, half ground, 100-lb. sks., $17.25 per ton; 50s, $18.75; table dairy, 50s, $27.50; tubes, $3.30@4.00; tancy table and dairy, $34.50; lump rock, $26.50 per ton.

BEANS—Sales by jobbers: Small white, 7¼c lb.; large white, 7¼c lb.; pink, 8¼c lb.; limas, 12½c; bayou, 11¾c; red, 10¼c; Oregon beans, buying price, 5½c lb.

CANNED MILK—Carnation, $6.60; Borden, $6.50; Astor, $6.40; Eagle, $12.35; Libby, $6.50; Mount Vernon, $6.40 per case.

COFFEE—Roasted, 34@48c in sacks or drums.

SODA CRACKERS—In bulk, 20c per lb

NUTS—Walnuts, 35@40c per lb.; almonds, 38c; filberts, 32c in sack lots; peanuts, 14¾@15c; pecans, 25c; Brazils, 35c.

The MARKET BASKET
RETAIL PRICES.

Announcement of a three-dollar per hundred pounds decline in the price of sugar will be welcome news to the trade, even though it does come a little too late this season to be of much use during canning time. Many women who have preserved their fruit without sugar, figuring on cheaper sugar during the winter, are beginning to have their hopes realized.

Housewives are advised again that peaches are very scarce and high priced. There will be no cheap peaches for canning and very few Oregon peaches will be in the market, even at higher prices. Some of the trade is already flocking to plums, which are in at fairly reasonable prices.

Season is almost here for pears, in fact, the market is now well supplied with pears a little green, which are just right for home canning purposes. Whether or not the price will go lower is problematical.

Fresh eggs are very scarce and high priced.

Chickens are also scarce, as farmers are too busy harvesting to spend any time getting chickens ready for market.

The butter market is very firm and an advance in the price is anticipated by some creameries.

The following prices rule generally in retail shops for good quality. Some values are fractionally higher and inferior stuff fractionally lower.

Butter—Best creamery, 65@70c.

Eggs—Fresh laid, 60c per dozen; fancy fresh, 60c per dozen.

Poultry—Chickens, dressed, 30@40c per lb.

Fish—Salmon, 25c per lb.; halibut, 30c lb.

Flour—Best local patent, $8.20@4.30 per sack, 49 lbs.

Potatoes—Burbanks, 4@5c.

Onions—Dried, 3½@4c.

Strawberries—Oregon, 20c per box.

Blackberries—20c per box.

Green corn—30@50c per dozen.

Trade Dull, Forcing Grain Prices Down

Chicago, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Trading in grain was slow at lower levels on the board of trade today. Cash corn broke an extreme of 13c and this, aided by absence of export demand for wheat, induced selling that caused breaks of around 4c in September corn and December wheat.

Oats clung close to Saturday's final prices most of the session, but weakened further in the final half hour.

Wheat was easy from the start under selling by cash houses, presumed to be hedging purchases in the country.

Increased receipts led to the break in cash corn and the subsequent decline in September.

Demand for September and October lard was fair at the opening and prices advanced readily in sympathy with the higher hog market, but easiness in other pits brought on realizing by stockyards interests that sent all divisions to lower levels.

At the close December wheat was off 3⅜@4c and March 2⅞c. September corn was 3⅜@3¾c lower; December 1⅝c, and May 1⅞@1½c.

Oats lost ⅝c for September, ⅜ to ½c for December, and ⅛c for May. September rye was off 2 to 2½c, and December down 1½c. Barley lost ¼c for September, but gained ½c for December.

Pork declined 65 to 85c, lard 5 to 12½c and ribs 15c.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—With a small trade, wheat started ¼c lower for December and ⅛ off for March. Corn was unchanged to ⅛ lower for September, ⅛ to ⅛ off for December, and ¼ to ⅜ lower for May. Trade was light.

September oats were unchanged to ¼ lower for September and unchanged to ⅛ higher for December. Trade was dull and awaiting developments.

Encouraged by the advance in hogs, provisions opened firm. Buying was scattered.

Range of Chicago prices furnished by the United Press:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT				
Dec.	236½	236⅜	232	233
March	232	232	229	229⅛
CORN				
Sept.	144	144	140	140
Dec.	119⅝	119⅝	118	118¼
OATS				
Sept.	67½	67½	66⅝	66⅝
Dec.	67⅝	67⅝	66⅝	66⅝
PORK				
Sept.	2510	2510	2410	2410
Oct.	2580	2585	2510	2520
LARD				
Sept.	1850	1862	1837	1845
Oct.	1895	1900	1875	1882
RIBS				
Sept.	1525	1530	1505	1505
Oct.	1582	1582	1550	1550

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES

Chicago Hogs $16.00

Chicago, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; 15c to 25c higher. Bulk, $14.15@15.85; top, $16.00; heavyweight, $14.50@15.65; medium weight, $15.10@16.00; lightweight, $15.25@16.00; light lights, $14.75@15.75; heavy packing sows, smooth, $14.10@14.40; packing sows, rough, $13.75@14.10; pigs, $13.50@15.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 28,000; 25c to 50c lower. Beef steers: Medium and heavyweight, $16.75@17.75; choice and prime, $16.75@17.75; medium and good, $12.25@16.65; lightweight, $14.25@17.50; common and medium, $9.00@14.00. Butcher cattle: Heifers, $6.50@15.00; cows, $6.00@12.75; bulls, $5.00@11.50. Canners and cutters: Cows and heifers, $4.00@6.00; canner steers, $4.50@7.50; veal calves (light and handy weight), $15.50@17.25; feeder steers, $7.50@12.25; stocker steers, $5.50@10.50; stocker cows and heifers, $5.00@9.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 28,000; steady to 25c lower. Lambs (84 lbs. down) $12.00@14.75; culls and common, $8.50@11.75; yearling wethers, $9.00@10.75; ewes, $6.75@8.00; culls and common, $3.00@7.50; breeding ewes, $6.00@11.00; feeder lambs, $12.00@13.25.

South Omaha Hogs $15.25

South Omaha, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs—Receipts 3600; market active, mostly 25c higher. Bulk, $14.40@14.90; top, $15.25.

Cattle—Receipts 15,000; market, beef and butcher stock, steady to 25c lower. Bulls, steady; veals, 25c to 50c higher. Stockers and feeders, steady to 25c higher.

Sheep—Receipts 25,000. Market, killing classes strong; feeders, steady.

Denver Hogs $16.00

Denver, Aug. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 1900; market strong. Steers $9.50@12.00; cows and heifers, $6.00@8.25; stockers and feeders, $7.00@9.50; calves, $8.00@13.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 1000; market, 25c higher. Top, $16.00; bulk, $15.00@15.40.

Sheep — Receipts, 4500; market strong. Lambs, $12.00@13.00; ewes, $6.00@6.25; feeder lambs, $11.00@11.50.

Kansas City Hogs $15.60

Kansas City, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle—Receipts, 24,000; mostly steady. Steers, $5.00@15.50; cows, $6.00@11.50; heifers and feeders, $6.00@12.50; calves, $9.00@13.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000; generally 25c higher. Bulk, $14.90@15.50; top, $15.60; heavies, $14.75@15.25; lights, $13.25@15.60; mediums, $15.10@15.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 32,000; steady. Lambs, $12.30@13.90; wethers, $8.25; ewes, $7.25.

Seattle Livestock Report

Seattle, Aug. 30.—Hogs—Receipts, none.

Cattle—Receipts, 497; market weaker. Prime steers, $10.25@10.75; medium to choice, $5.00@10.00; common to good, $7.00@8.00; best cows and heifers, $7.50@8.00; medium to choice, $6.00@7.00; common to good, $5.00@6.00; bulls, $5.00@6.50; calves, $7.00@13.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 827; market steady. Yearlings, $8.00@8.50; wethers, $6.00@6.50; ewes, $5.00@6.00; eastern prime lambs, $10.00@10.50; valley lambs, $9.00@9.50.

New York Wool and Hides

New York, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Wool—Market dull, nominal. Domestic fleece XX Ohio, 40@60c; domestic pulled, superfine, 60@80c; A $1.15; domestic, scoured basis, 60@$1.20.

Hides—Market quiet. Native steers, 25@28c; branded steers, 23@25c.

Dried Fruit and Beans

New York, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Beans—Market steady. Marrow, choice, offered $11.50; pea, choice, offered $7.50.

Dried fruits—Market dull. Apricots, extra choice to fancy, 16@37c; apples, evaporated, prime to fancy, 13@18½c; prunes, 30s to 60s, 17½@25c; 60s to 100s, 11½@15c; peaches, extra choice to fancy, 19½@21½c; seeded raisins, choice to fancy, 23½@25c.

New York Sugar and Coffee

New York, Aug. 30.—Coffee—No. 7 Rio, 7@8½c; No. 4 Santos, 14½@15c.

Sugar—Raw, dull; $11.60@12.04; refined, dull; granulated, $17.00@17.10.

Minneapolis Flax Market

Minneapolis, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Flax—Track, $3.00½ to $3.11½; arrive, same.

GRAIN AND CORN DAMAGED BY RAIN

HOW WHEAT BULED

		Bid.	Loss.
Hard white		$2.33	5c
Soft white		2.28	2c
White club		2.32	2c
Hard winter		2.30	2c
Northern spring		2.30	2c
Red Walla		2.27	3c

NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS

	Cars Wheat.	Barley.	Flour.	Oats.	Hay.
Portland, Mon.	120	..	..	9	4
Year ago	....	..	..	..	..
Season to date	2421	22	129	98	201
Year ago	1252	90	231	167	332
Tacoma, Sat.	21	2	6	1	7
Season to date	463	14	169	12	124
Year ago	561	45	..	36	181
Seattle, Sat.	65	2	4	1	13
Season to date	343	56	67	4	345
Year ago	489	69	83	99	239

Heavy rain over the week end was quite general throughout the Northwest, and in all section where the grain was not threshed considerable damage was done. Throughout the Willamette valley farmers were hoping the rain would hold off for another week, as there was just about one more week's work to do, except on a few farms, where operations were way behind schedule.

Considerable damage to the standing corn is also reported. The rain alone would have benefited the corn, but after the rain had softened the ground, a driving wind came along and knocked the stocks over. Corn in all parts of the Willamette valley is reported to be standing at an angle of about 45 degrees.

The damage done to grain at this season of the year is small, however, compared to what it would have been 20 days sooner. Men who view crop conditions in general say the damage to grain will be more than offset by the good done potatoes and fruit trees. This rain means that every farmer should have an excellent potato crop. It also means that many fruit trees, weakened by the severe cold of last winter and the dry, hot spell of the past few weeks, will live. During the past 10 days many fruit trees have been lying loose because they lacked vitality enough to bring their crop to maturity.

FLOUR—Selling prices, mill door: Patent, $12.95; Montana spring wheat, $13.25; Willamette valley brands, $11.20; local straight, $10.80; bakers' local, $12.30@13.05; graham, $10.80; whole wheat, $11.05. Prices for city deliveries 15c extra; suburban, 20c extra.

HAY—Buying prices, nominal: Willamette timothy, fancy, $28.00@29.00 per ton; vetch, $23.00; chaff, $22.00@23.80; straw, $10.00; clover, $22.00@23.00; grain, $24.00@25.0000; alfalfa, $27.00@25.00 per ton.

GRAIN SACKS—Nominal. New crop delivery: No. 1 Calcutta, 11@13c; domestic, 12½c in car lots; less amounts higher.

MILLSTUFFS—Mill run at mill, sacked, $59.00@60.00.

OATS—Per ton, buying price: Feed, $46.00@48.00.

BARLEY—Buying price: Feed, $47.00@$48.00; milling, $46.00@47.00; rolled barley, selling price, $49.00@50.00.

SEED—Buying price: Red clover, recleaned, 30c per lb.

Merchants' Exchange bids:

	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
WHEAT			
Hard white	232	230	230
Soft white	230	230	227
White club	232	230	228
Hard winter	230	228	228
Northern Spring	230	228	228
Red Walla	228	226	224
FEED OATS	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
No. 2 white	....	4900	5000
No. 2 gray	....	4700	4600
BARLEY			
Brewing	....	4750	4750
Standard feed	....	4700	4700
CORN			
No. 3 yellow, ship.	6550	6400	6250
No. 3 Eastern, bulk	6700	6400	6200

Sales—100 tons No. 2 white feed oats, September delivery, at $51.50; 100 tons October at $52.00; 100 tons No. 3 Eastern yellow corn, September shipment, at $64.50.

Rain Hinders Prune Picking

Freewater, Aug. 30.—The hard rain experienced here last week worked a hardship on the prune growers of the valley. They were trying to get the bulk of their prunes into the packing houses and shipped before the new freight rates came into effect. This means $12 a ton less to them. Icing the refrigerator cars also took a jump. Where it used to cost $40 it now costs $60. The prices on a ton of prunes varies from $50 to $60. Buyers are not so plentiful as last year. Growers are shipping most of the fruit on consignment. Twenty-two cars of prunes were sent out Saturday. Prune packers and pickers are in great demand. When apples begin moving the freight increase on a box of apples going beyond the Montana Eastern line will be 33 cents, while any shipments going west of the Montana line will be 25 cents more.

$60,000 Damage at Walla Walla

Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 30.—Rain which fell spasmodically in torrents Saturday night and Sunday did from $45,000 to $60,000 damage to the harvested wheat in Walla County, according to grain agents here. The rain this morning attained the proportions of a cloudburst, 18 hundredths of an inch falling in five minutes. The total precipitation since 5 p. m. Saturday is 52 hundredths of an inch.

The buyers state that the precipitation of the last two days will result in the loss in weight to the farmers of approximately a pound per bushel, which means about 3 cents per bushel. The crop is but about 60 per cent harvested and this will mean that between 1,500,000 and 2,000,000 bushels are yet to be threshed this season.

The only benefit from the precipitation seen by farmers in this section is to the fall pasture for cattle to late fourth cuttings of alfalfa and sugar beets.

New York Produce Market

New York, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Live poultry—Market steady. Chickens, 34@40c; fowls, 34@39c; roasters, offered 25c; turkeys, offered 35c; ducks, 28@30c; geese, offered 25c.

Butter—Market barely steady. Creamery extras, 54½@59½c; firsts, 51½@57½c; higher scoring, 57½@61c; state dairy tubs, 46@57c.

Cheese — Market firm. State: Whole milk specials, 28½@29c; whole milk fancy, 27@28c. Wisconsin: Whole milk, fancy Young American, 28½@29½c. State: Skims, specials, 16½@17½c; skims, choice, 15@16c; skims, fair to good, 12@15½c.

Eggs—Market steady to firm. Nearby white, fancy, 73@75c; nearby brown, fancy, 64@68c; extra, 61@62c; firsts, 54@57c.

Frank Stone Injures Himself on Vacation

Frank Stone, member of the United Brokers' company, arrived home Sunday from the beach a sick man. He is taking down to rest he is said to have strained the muscles of his stomach. Physicians have not been able to thoroughly diagnose the case. Stone is reported to have had a small hemorrhage. E. E. Lyle took Stone home from the depot.

COTTON MARKET INFLUENCED BY UNFAVORABLE LABOR NEWS

New York, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Reflecting a weak technical condition after last week's active buying movement and with cables lower and weather favorable, the cotton market opened weak today with first prices 5 to 75 points net lower. Selling was also influenced by the unfavorable labor news.

After the opening December dropped to 28.95, representing a loss of 85 points.

In the last hour the sellers found it very difficult to dispose of contracts and prices crumbled rapidly, until the active months had reached a net decline of 200 points, where the break was attributed to the belief that the exchange rules governing fluctuations in a single day. A slight covering demand developed near the close but the market was finally weak at a net decline of 135 to 200 points.

Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke company.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	2645	2645	2515	2515
February	....	2600	2460	2490
March	2590	....	....	2470
April	....	....	....	2470
May	2575	2575	2440	2440
June	....	....	....	2440
July	2580	2580	2450	2420
September	....	2870	2810	2870
October	2925	2925	2770	2770
November	2925	2740	2730	2685
December	2940	2740	2680	2580

Spot New York cotton market quiet, 240 down.

Spot Cotton Quiet.

New York, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Spot cotton was quiet here today, 200 points lower, at 32½c. No sales.

STRIKES HOLD UP STOCK TRADING

New York, Aug. 30.—(I. N. S.)—The stock market closed irregular today. The railroad issues receded fractionally from their top levels in the final dealings. Reading closed at 82⅝, New Haven 34½, Baltimore & Ohio 46¼ and Southern Pacific 96. Steel common after selling up to 89⅛, reacted to 88⅞. Baldwin Locomotive reacted fractionally to 107⅝. Mexican Petroleum recovered most of its early loss, closing at 161¾. Studebaker rallied over 1 point to 62. Crucible Steel moved erratically, falling from 136 to 133 and then recovering to 138.

Government bonds unchanged, railway and other bonds strong.

Sales were 320,100 shares; bonds, $7,534,000.

New York, Aug. 30.—(U. P.)—Prices were generally lower at the opening of the stock market today. U. S. Steel was off ⅜ at 89¾; Sinclair 29, unchanged; Mexican Petroleum 160½, off 1¾; Baldwin 107¼, off 1⅛; Pan American Petroleum 87, off ¾; Bethlehem B 76½, unchanged; New Haven 33¾, off ½; Southern Pacific 95⅝, unchanged; Industrial Alco 86, unchanged; Tobacco Products 64, off 1; Retail Stores 68¼, unchanged; International Paper 35, up ¼.

Most of the traders were disposed to await the results of the many strikes and near strikes before taking any position in the market. As a result, trading was extremely dull.

Shortly after the opening the bear operators who have been hammering down prices ceased their bearish tactics when some fair sized buying orders came into rails. Southern Pacific was the leader in the buying and advanced to 96½, up nearly a point on the day.

The market closed firm. Rails continued to feature the market until the close. Southern Pacific made a new high for the day at 96½. Eries were active. The first preferred and common made new highs for the move.

At the close U. S. Steel was 88⅞, off ¾; Bethlehem B, 76, off ½; Baldwin 107⅝; Southern Pacific 96, up ⅛; Union Pacific 121⅞ up ⅞.

At the close call money reached 10 per cent.

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INSCRIPTION:	Open	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	....	....	....	1⅛
Am. Agr. Chem.	76	76	75	75
Am. Beet Sugar	....	....	....	73½
Am. Can, c.	....	....	....	34⅞
Am. Car. Foundry	133	134½	133	134
Am. Cotton Oil	25	25	24¾	24¾
Am. Hide & Lea., c.	....	....	....	13½
do pfd.	....	....	....	73½
Am. Int'l Corp.	72	72⅝	72	72½
Am. Loco., c.	94½	95½	94½	95
Am. Ship & Com.	21¼	21¼	20½	20½
Am. Smelter, c.	55¼	56	55¼	55½
Am. Steel Fdy.	37	37⅜	37	37¼
Am. Sugar, c.	110	111½	109	111½
Am. Sumatra Tob.	86¾	86¾	86	86
Am. T. & T.	97¼	97⅜	97	97
Am. Tobacco	....	....	....	110
Am. Woolen, c.	79	79	78½	78½
Am. Wtg. Pap., pfd.	....	....	....	49
Am. Zinc	....	....	....	12
Anaconda Min. Co.	52⅝	52⅝	52½	52¼
Atchison, c.	82⅝	83⅝	82⅝	83
Atlantic G. & W. I.	....	....	....	137
Baldwin Loco., c.	107¼	108	106⅝	107⅝
Balt. & Ohio, c.	39⅝	41½	39½	41½
Bethlehem Steel, B.	76½	76½	75½	76½
Brook. Rapid T. c.	10½	10½	....	10
Butte & Superior	....	....	....	18½
Cal. Packers' Assn.	69	69	68½	68½
Cal. Petroleum, c.	....	....	....	27½
Canadian Pacific	120½	121½	120¾	120
Cent. Leather, c.	53⅞	54	53¾	53¾
Cerro de Pasco	39	39	38⅝	38⅝
Chandler Motors	85½	85½	85¼	85¼
Ches. & Ohio	58⅝	60¾	58½	60⅝
Chicago Gt. W., c.	8½	8½	7⅞	8½
do. pfd.	24⅞	24⅞	24½	24½
C. M. & St. P.	35	36⅞	35	36
Chicago & N. W.	72	73	71¾	72¼
Chile Copper	14⅝	14⅝	14¼	14¼
Chino Copper	28¼	29	28¼	28¾
Colo. F. & I.	....	....	....	34½
Consolidated Gas	79	79	78¾	79
Corn Products, c.	88⅞	88⅞	88½	88⅞
Crucible Steel, c.	135	137	133	134
Columbia Graph.	23⅞	23⅞	23⅝	23½
Cuban Am. Sugar	39⅞	39⅞	39½	39⅞
Cuban C. Sugar	32½	32⅝	32½	32⅝
D. & R. G., c.	4⅝	5	4¾	4⅞
do. pfd.	10⅝	10⅝	10¼	10¼
Erie, c.	14¼	14⅝	14¼	14⅞
do 1st pfd.	21½	22⅞	21½	22¾
Fisk Tire	....	....	....	26½
General Cigars	64½	64½	64	64
Gen. Electric	141	141	141	141
Gen. Motors	21¾	21¾	21⅛	21⅛
Goodrich Rubber	....	....	....	54
Granby Cons.	....	....	....	34½
Gt. Nor. Ore	31⅜	31⅜	31⅜	31½
Gt. Northern Ry.	73⅞	74¼	73¼	74
Gulf States Steel	....	....	....	53
Ice Securities	38¼	38¼	38	38
Illinois Central	86	86	86	85
Indus. Alcohol	86	86⅝	85⅝	86
Insp. Copper	45¼	45⅞	45¼	45⅜
Int. Paper	....	....	....	78⅜
Int. Harvester	123	123	122	122
Int. Mer. Marine, c.	24	24	23½	23½
do pfd.	74½	75	74½	74½
Int. Nickel	20	20	19⅝	19⅝
K. C. Southern, c.	18⅝	18⅝	18¼	18¼
Kelly Springfield	75¼	75¼	75¼	75⅝
Kennecott Copper	24⅛	24⅛	24	24⅛
Keystone Tire	16⅞	16⅞	16⅝	16⅝
Lackawanna Steel	....	....	....	68½
Lasley Fn. Players	69⅝	71	69⅝	71
Lehigh Valley	45¼	45⅜	45	45
Maxwell Motors, c.	10⅝	11⅛	10⅝	10⅝
Maxwell Motors, pfd.	....	....	....	45
Middle States Oil	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Mexican Petroleum	160½	162	160¼	161½
Miami Copper	19¼	19¼	19⅛	19⅛
Midvale Steel	39¼	39⅜	39¼	39⅜
Mo. Pacific, c.	25⅜	26¼	25½	26
do. pfd.	45	46½	44⅝	46¼
National Lead	73¼	74½	72	73
Nevada Consolidated	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	10⅝
New Haven	33¾	34⅜	33¾	34¼
N. Y. Air Brake	....	....	....	96
N. Y. Central	73¼	74	72¾	73⅝
Norfolk & Western	94⅞	96	94⅞	95⅞
Northern Pacific	74⅞	75⅞	74½	75
Ohio Cities Gas	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	3⅝
Ohio. Ref. & Prod.	38⅜	38⅜	38	38
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	27½
Pan Amer. Pet., c.	87	88	86¾	87¾
Penn. Railway	41½	41½	41⅜	41⅜
Peoples Gas	29½	30	29½	30
Pierce-Arrow	37	37¼	36¼	36⅜
Pierce Oil	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	12½
Pittsburg Coal, c.	61⅞	62	61⅞	61⅞
Pullman	....	....	....	112½
Ray Cons. Copper	....	....	....	15½
Ry. Steel Springs	....	....	....	64
Reading, c.	91½	92⅜	91½	92¼
Royal Dutch	82½	83¼	82⅜	82⅝
Sloss	54¼	54⅜	53⅞	54
Republ. I. & S., c.	....	....	....	94
Retail Stores	68¼	68¼	67¼	68
Rock Island, c.	35⅜	36⅜	35⅜	36¼
Rock Island, p. "A"	75¼	75⅜	75¼	72¼
Rock Island, p. "B"	65⅜	65⅜	65	65
Shattuck Copper	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
Sinclair Cons.	29	29	28⅝	28⅝
Sloss Sheffield	....	....	....	68⅝
Southern Pacific	95⅝	96½	95¼	96
Southern Ry., c.	28	28⅝	27⅝	28¼
Stromberg Motor	72	74	72	74
Studebaker, c.	61	62¼	60⅝	61½
Shell Oil	51⅜	51⅜	51	51½
St. L. & San F.	26¼	26⅜	26¼	26¼
Tenn. Copper	9⅜	9⅜	9¼	9¼
Texas Oil	46⅝	47¼	46⅝	46⅝
Texas Pacific	35¼	36¼	35¼	36¼
Tobacco Products	64	64½	64	64¼
Transcontinental Oil	9½	9½	9¼	9¼
Union Pacific c.	121	122	120⅝	121⅝
do preferred	64¼	64¼	64⅝	64⅝
Union Oil of Del.	25¼	26	25¼	26
United Food Produ.	59½	59⅝	59⅝	59⅝
United Fruit	195½	195½	194	193½
U. S. Rubber, c.	85¼	86½	85	85⅝
U. S. Smlt. & Ref.	....	....	....	53½
*U. S. Steel, c.	89¼	89¼	88½	88⅜
do preferred	106⅝	106½	106⅝	106⅝
Utah Copper	....	62	61⅝	61½
Vanadium Steel	68½	69⅝	68¼	68½
Virginia Chem. c.	....	....	....	64
Wabash	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8¼
do A	25⅜	25⅜	25	22⅞
Western Union	83⅝	83⅝	83⅝	82½
Westinghouse Elec.	48	48	48	47½
White Motors	45⅜	45