NEW YORK STOCKS STRONG

McKinleyites Confident on Eve of the Election.

Rise in Call Loan Rate Was Only a Flurry—Quiet Day in Canadian Stocks—Strong Close in London—Notes and Gossip of a Day.

World Office,
Monday Evening, Nov. 5.

As this was a partial holiday on the Toronto Stock Exchange, trading in Canadian issues was limited. C.P.R. sold up to 87¾ in New York, and is buoyant in sympathy with American rails.

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Forget's London cable to-day quotes: G.T.R. first preferred at 84¾, second 55¾, third 30½; Hudson Bay, 22⅝; Anaconda, 9⅛.

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Montreal Railway earnings Friday, $5,[illegible]13, an increase of $568.30; Saturday, $[illegible]55.07, an increase of $1218.22; Sunday, $4667.08, an increase of $1053.95.

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Earnings of Twin City for the fourth week of October increased $6346.

On Wall Street.

There was a very ardent speculative spirit manifest in the stock market all day to-day. It was repressed at times by the difficulty of securing accommodation in the loan market, but before the day had closed the market burst into great animation after there had been a relapse in the call loan rates, and the activity continued up to the close, almost wholly ignoring recovery in the money rate to about the top rate of the morning. It was in this spirit that speculators rushed to buy stocks at the opening of the stock market. They raised prices from one to 1½ points over Saturday's level in a large number of prominent stocks within a few minutes after the opening. Then began the calling of loans by some of the banks. Loans made to-day carry over until Wednesday, and when speculators began to look about to find new accommodations with which to carry their holdings of stock over election to-day they ran call loan rate up rapidly to 25 per cent. The first loans were made at 10 per cent. One broker placed $1,000,000 at that rate, another $1,900,000 at 15 per cent., and then demanded 25 per cent. for $1,000,000 more. This suddenly checked the animation of the stock market, and was followed by a period of contemplation. A conspicuous feature of the market at this time was the large number of transactions for cash, and the small concessions from the ruling prices at which these were quoted.

The strength in the market was very general, and on the whole quite uniform. The steel stocks, the prominent industrial and the southern and southwestern railroads, especially the Atchisons and Union Pacifics, were the leaders in point of strength, with gains ranging from 2 to 2½ per cent. The rate for sterling exchange fell weakly at the time of the flurry in the money market, but became firmer again when the money rate weakened. The rate went well below the gold import during the day, but no engagements were made, owing to the feeling that the days conditions are temporary. It is the belief in Wall-street that money conditions will relax during the course of the week, and it was that reason that nothing was done toward engaging gold for import.

J. J. Dixon has the following this evening from Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co., New York:

Higher London cables and generally better feeling politically, gave the market a very strong opening, and prices in many instances showed considerable advances over Saturday's close. The transactions of the arbitrage houses were principally on the buying side, but the volume did not exceed 12,000 shares. During the noon hour a scarcity appeared in the money market, apparently caused by the desire of the banks to be as conservative as possible over election. Rates were advanced to over 20 per cent., and did not fall below 10 per cent. after the most pressing demands were satisfied. The market, however, held up very strong all the time, and, in fact, the highest prices were reached in the late trading. The close is at or near the best prices of the day. Sterling, $4.83½.

Special wire says: Advance in call money was expected and provided against by time loans to a very large extent last week. Loans made to-day go over election holiday. Understood agreement made by certain bankers last year still holds good, which was to loan freely at market if emergency should occur.

An official of Wall-street Bank says present advance in money rates is a usual ante-election flurry, not caused by any apprehension on result to-morrow.

J. & W. Seligman & Co. announce that the Anglo-California Bank has about $2,000,000 gold on the way from the East due Nov. 16.

Railroad Items.

Wabash, fourth week of October, increased $19,463.

Earnings of L. & N., fourth week of October, increased $58,460. For the month they increased $104,120.

Toronto Stocks.

	Nov. 3. Close. Ask.	Bid.	Nov. 5. Close. Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	235	...	236	...
Ontario	126½	126	126½	126
Toronto	...	237	...	238
Merchants'	...	156	...	156
Commerce	155	152¾	153½	153½
Imperial	219½	218	219½	218
Dominion	233	231½	233	231½
Standard	...	216	...	213
Hamilton	191	187	191	187
Nova Scotia	230	225½	230	226
Ottawa	207	205	207	205
Traders'	113	111½	112¾	111½
British America	103	100	103	100
West. Assurance	117	115	116	115
Imperial Life	...	146	...	146
National Trust	139	134½	139	134½
Tor. Gen. Trusts	152	150	153	149½
do. part paid	...	...	146	...
Consumers' Gas	216	212	215½	212
Montreal Gas	199½	198½	199½	197½
Ont. & Qu'Appelle	62	59	62	59
C N W L Co. pr.	50	48	50	48
C P R Stock	88⅞	86⅞	87½	87
Toronto Elec. L.	136	132⅞	...	132¼
General Electric	171½	170⅞	172	170
do. pref.	108	107	108	106
London Elec. L.	...	113¾	115	113¾
Com Cable	170	169½	170	169½
do. coup. bonds	101½	101	101½	101
do., reg. bonds	101½	101	101½	101
Dom. Telegraph	...	...	...	116
Bell Telephone	...	168	...	168
Richelieu & Ont.	109½	108¼	109½	107
Ham. Steamboat	...	98	...	98
Toronto Railway	108½	107¾	108½	108⅛
London St. Ry.	...	135	...	135
Halifax Elec. Tram.	100	...	98	...
Twin City Ry.	61	59½	61	60
Luxfer Prism, pr.	105	...	105	...
Cycle & Motor	85	78	90	79½
Carter-Crume	105	104½	107	104⅝
Dunlop Tire, pr.	102	100¾	105	101¾
War Eagle	105	102½	105	102½
Republic	72	67	70	69½
Payne Mining	86	85	88	86
Cariboo (McK.)	75	60	85	...
Golden Star	2	1½	2	1¾
Virtue	40	37	45	38
Crow's Nest Coal	195	182	192	188
North Star	95	90	95	90
Canada Life	...	450	...	...
Brit Can L & I	60	...	...	...
Can. Land. & N.I.	80	...	...	...
Can. Per. & W.C.	111	110	...	...
Canadian S. & L.	...	115	...	...
Dom. S. & I. Soc.	75	...	...	...
Hamilton Provident	...	111	...	...
Huron & Erie	...	173	...	...
Imperial L. & I.	86	...	...	...
Landed B. & L.	...	111	...	...
London & Canada	85	...	...	...
London Loan	...	100	...	...
Manitoba Loan	...	40	...	...
Ontario L. & D.	...	122	...	...
do., 20 p. c.	...	112	...	...
People's Loan	35	...	...	...
Real Estate L & D.	...	67½	...	...
Toronto Sav. & L.	...	126	...	...
Toronto Mortgage	80	77½	...	...

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Bank of Commerce 20, 4 at 155, 20 at 152¾; Imperial Bank, 5 at 218½; Hamilton, 3 at 187; British Amer., 50 at 100; Western Assurance, 50 at 115; C.P.R., 10, 7 at 87¾; Dominion Telegraph, 12 at 116¼; Bell Telephone, 5 at 168; Tor. Railway, 25 at 108½; Carter-Crume, 25 at 104¾; Dunlop Tire, 20 at 101; War Eagle, 1000, 500, 1000 at 102; Deer Trail No. 2, 10,000, 20,000 at 3, 5000 at 3¼, 2000 at 3¼.

Montreal Stocks.

Montreal, Nov. 5.—Closing quotations today: C.P.R., 87½ and 87¾; Duluth, 5 and 4; Duluth, pref., 16 and 13; Montreal Ry., 280 and 279½; Montreal (new), 271 and 270; Halifax Railway, 95¼ and 94½; Toronto Railway, 108¼ and 108; St. John Railway, 110½ asked; Twin City, 61½ and 60¾; Rich., xd., 109 and 108¼; Montreal Gas, 198½ and 198¼; Royal Electric, 205 and 204¾; Mont. Tel., 175 and 168; Cable, 170 and 169¾; Bell Telephone, 175 and 168; Montreal Cot., 150 and 137¼; Canada Cotton, 88 and 82; Dominion Cotton, 98 and 97; War Eagle, 110 and 100; Payne, 85 and 84; Republic, 70 and 68; Virtue, 37 and 36; North Star, 95 and 90; Bank of Montreal, 265 and 257; Ontario Bank, 124 asked; Molsons Bank, 190 and 184; Merchants' Bank, 165 and 157; Merchants' Bank (Halifax), 180 offered; Nova Scotia, 230 and 224; B.N.A. Bank, 124 asked; Quebec, 124 and 123; Commerce, 150 asked; Hochelaga, 140 offered; Inter. Coal, 55 and 40; do., pref., 75 and 50; Cable, coupon bonds, 100 asked; H. & L. bonds, 80 offered; Halifax Railway bonds, 104 and 100; Canada Cotton bonds, 100 offered; Land Grant bonds, 109 asked; Dom. Coal bonds, 110¾ asked.

Morning sales: C.P.R., 3, 75 at 87½, 15 at 87¾, 50 at 87¼; Montreal Railway, xd., 25 at 270, 25, 50, 175 at 279½, 25, 25 at 280, 50 at 279¾; do., new, xd., 25 at 271; Toronto Railway, 20 at 108, 50 at 108¼, 25, 5 at 108½; Twin City, 50 at 60; Mont. Gas, 15, 75 at 199, 12 at 198¾, 8 at 199½, 50 at 199¼, 25 at 198¾; Royal Electric, 75 at 204, 25 at 204¾, 125 at 204½; Dominion Cotton, 50 at 96½; Can. Colored Cotton, 100 at 84, 1 at 90; Republic, 200 at 70, 1000 at 69½; Payne, 500 at 84.

Afternoon sales: C.P.R., 25, 10, 25, 75 at 87½, 25 at 87¾; Montreal Railway, 50 at 279½; Toronto Railway, 50, 25 at 108½, 100 at 108, 50 at 107¾; Twin City, 25 at 61; Cable, 200 at 169¾; Montreal Gas, 50 at 198½; Royal Electric, 25 at 204¾, 25 at 204¾, 150 at 205; Dominion Cotton, 50 at 97½; Payne, 3000, 1000 at 84; Virtue, 5000 at 37, 5000 at 36; Canada Colored Cotton bonds, 500 at 99.

New York Stocks.

Thompson & Heron, 16 West King-street, report the fluctuations on Wall-street to day as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amer. Cot. Oil	36	36	36	36
Amer. Sugar, com.	125	126⅝	124⅝	126⅝
Amer. Tobacco	97½	99	97½	98
Am. S. & W., com.	35½	36½	35½	36⅝
Atchison, com.	32½	34¼	32½	33⅝
Atchison, pref.	74⅞	76	74⅞	75¾
Anaconda Cop.	46	47¼	46	47
B. R. T.	62¼	62⅝	61⅞	62
B. & O., com.	75¾	76⅞	75⅝	76¼
B. & O., pref.	81½	82¼	81½	82
Ches. & Ohio	30⅝	31⅛	30⅝	31
C.C.C. & St. L.	63	63¾	63	63¾
Cont. Tobacco	29¼	29½	29¼	29½
C., B. & Q.	129	130	129	129⅞
Chic., Gt. W.	12	12	12	12
Chic., M. & St. P.	116⅝	118½	116⅝	117¾
Federal Steel, com.	40¼	41¼	40¼	41
Federal Steel, pr.	69¼	69⅞	69¼	69⅞
General Electric	142	143	142	142
Louis. & Nash.	76¾	77	76¾	77
Missouri Pacific	56	57	55⅞	57
M., K. & T., pr.	31⅝	32⅜	31⅝	32¼
Manhattan	97¼	98¼	97	97¾
Met. St. Ry.	159½	160	159⅝	159½
N. Y. Central	132¾	133½	132⅝	133
Nor. & W., com.	37⅝	37½	37	37¼
North. Pacific, com.	57⅞	58½	57¾	58½
North. Pacific, pr.	73⅞	73½	73	73½
N. J. Central	135	136	135	136
Ont. & West	22	22⅝	22	22⅝
Penn. R. R.	133	133¼	132⅝	133½
People's Gas	94⅝	95⅝	94	94⅝
Pacific Mail	43⅝	44½	43⅝	44½
Rock Island	110	110¼	109½	110⅛
Reading, 1st pr.	57⅞	59¼	57⅞	58⅝
South. Ry., com.	13	13½	13	13½
Southern Ry., pr.	56⅞	58	56⅞	58
Southern Pacific	38⅝	39	38⅝	38⅞
Texas Pacific	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Tenn. C. & I.	56¾	57½	56½	57½
U.S. Leather, com.	11¾	12⅛	11¾	12⅛
U.S. Leather, pr.	71⅞	72⅞	71⅞	72¼
U.S. Rubber, com.	32	33	31½	32
Union Pacific, com.	62	63⅝	62	63⅝
Union Pacific, pr.	76¼	76⅞	75¾	76⅞
Wabash, pref.	19½	19½	19⅜	19½
Western Union	81	82	80½	80½

London Stock Market.

	Nov. 3. Close.	Nov. 5. Close.
Consols, money	98¾	...
Consols, account	99¼	...
C.P.R.	89⅝	89⅞
New York Central	...	137
Illinois Central	..	123
Pennsylvania	70	70⅝
St. Paul	119¾	120½
Louisville & Nashville	77⅝	78⅞
Northern Pacific, pref.	75	75¼
Union Pacific	63¼	64
Union Pacific, pref.	78	78½
Erie	12¼	12⅝
Erie, pref.	35⅞	36⅝
Atchison	...	34¼
Reading	...	9¼
Ontario & Western	22¾	22⅞
Wabash, pref.	19⅛	19⅝

Cotton Markets.

New York, Nov. 5.—Cotton futures opened steady at the decline. Nov. $8.98; Dec. $9.01; Jan. $9.01; Feb. $9.02; March $9.03; April $9.02; May $9.03; June $9.02 bid; July $9.00 bid; Aug. $8.96; Sept. $8.95 offered.

A SMALL ADVANCE IN WHEAT

Cables Came Strong and Argentine News Bullish.

Yesterday a Holiday in Toronto and To-Day is One in the United States—Visible Supply and Quantity Afloat—Notes and Gossip of a Day.

World Office,
Monday Evening, Nov. 5.

Liverpool wheat future to-day closed ¾d to ⅞d per cental higher than on Saturday. Maize options rose ⅜d to ½d per cental.

Chicago wheat futures advanced ⅝c per bushel, and maize options rose to the same extent to-day. To-morrow (Tuesday) is a holiday on all American exchanges.

Montreal stocks of grain in store here this morning: Wheat, 230,568; corn, 40,656; peas, 130,535; oats, 245,093; barley, 189,507; rye, 39,932; flour, 15,797; buckwheat, 147,789; oatmeal, 188.

This was observed as a khaki holiday in Toronto.

Russian maize shipments the past week, 128,000 bushels.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day, 834 cars, as against 945 cars last Monday and 1269 cars a year ago.

Visible and Afloat.

As compared with a week ago, the visible supply of wheat in Canada and the United States has increased 264,000 bushels; that of corn has decreased 161,000 bushels, and that of oats has increased 450,000 bushels. Following is a comparative statement for the week ending to-day, the preceding week and the corresponding week of last year:

	Nov. 5, '00.	Oct. 29, '00.	Nov. 4, '99.
Wheat, bu.	60,034,000	59,773,000	51,001,000
Corn, bu.	7,983,000	8,144,000	12,832,000
Oats, bu.	12,986,000	12,536,000	6,963,000

The quantity of wheat and flour afloat for the United Kingdom equals 17,680,000 bushels; the quantity afloat for the Continent, 8,560,000 bushels; corn afloat for the United Kingdom is 5,360,000 bushels; for the Continent, 4,000,000 bushels. The total quantities of cereals afloat to-day, with comparative figures for a week ago, are:

	Oct. 29.	Nov. 5.
Wheat, bush.	28,240,000	26,240,000
Corn, bush.	8,560,000	9,360,000

Thus, the wheat and flour on passage decreased 2,000,000 bushels during the past week, and corn on passage increased 800,000 bushels. The wheat and flour on passage a year ago was 24,610,000.

To recapitulate, the visible supply of wheat in Canada and the United States, together with that afloat to Europe, is 86,274,000 bushels, against 88,013,000 bushels a week ago, and 75,617,000 bushels a year ago.

Toronto Grain Stocks.

	Oct. 29. Bush.	Nov. 5. Bush.
Wheat, hard	21,243	35,779
Wheat, fall	30,101	31,201
Wheat, spring	1,180	4,762
Wheat, goose	23,332	24,750
Barley	182,580	181,895
Rye	9,236	14,804
Oats	1,000	3,605

World's Wheat Shipments.

World's wheat shipments the past week totalled 7,176,000 bushels, against 8,133,000 bushels the previous week, and 5,679,000 bushels the corresponding week of 1899. By countries the shipments were:

	Week Ended Nov. 5, '00. Bush.	Week Ended Nov. 4, '99. Bush.
Canada and U.S.	3,612,000	3,047,000
Russia	2,248,000	1,688,000
Danube	500,000	80,000
Argentina	424,000	792,000
India	.....	.....
Australia	332,000	72,000
Total	7,176,000	5,679,000

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing quotations to-day at important wheat centres:

	Cash.	Nov.	Dec.	May.
Chicago	$....	$....	$0 74⅛	$....
New York	....	....	0 79⅝	0 82⅞
Milwaukee	0 76	....	....	....
St. Louis	0 71½	0 71½	0 72	0 76¾
Toledo	0 77	0 77	0 78¼	0 82⅝
Detroit, red	0 77½	....	0 78½	0 82¾
do. white	0 76½	....	....	....
Minneapolis, No. 1 Northern	0 75⅝	0 75⅝	0 78¾	
Minneapolis, No. 1 hard	0 77½	....	....	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 77½	0 77¼	0 76¾	0 80¼
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 79½	....	....	....

Chicago Markets.

John J. Dixon reports the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Dec.	74	74½	70⅞	74½
" —Jan.	75	75½	74¾	74¾
Corn—Dec.	35½	35⅞	35⅝	35⅞
" —Jan.	35⅝	....	....	....
Oats—Dec.	22	22¼	22	22¼
Pork—Jan.	11 30	11 32	11 25	11 25
Lard—Jan.	6 75	6 77	6 72	6 72
S. Ribs—Jan.	6 02	6 05	6 00	6 00

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 5.—(12.30.)—Wheat, No. 1 Nor., spring, 6s 3½d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 4d; red winter, 6s 1½d; corn, new, 4s 2¼d; peas, 5s 7¼d; pork, prime western mess, 72s; lard, prime western, 37s 9d; tallow, Aus., 27s 6d; Amer., good to fine, 24s 9d; bacon, long clear, light, 46s; long clear, heavy, 44s 9d; short, clear, heavy, 42s 6d; cheese, white, 53s 6d; colored, 54s 6d; wheat steady; corn dull.

Liverpool—Open—Wheat, spot firm; No. 1 standard Cal., 6s 3d to 6s 4½d; Walla, 6s to 6s 0½d; No. 2 R.W., 5s 11½d to 6s 0½d; No. 1 Nor. spring, 6s 2½d to 6s 3½d. Futures steady: Dec. 6s 0½d, Feb. and March 6s 1¾d. Maize, spot steady; mixed American, new, 4s 2d to 4s 2½d. Futures quiet; Dec. 4s 0½d, Jan. 3s 10½d. Flour, spot Minn., 18s 9d to 20s.

London—Open—Wheat on passage quiet and steady, 3d lower. Cargoes about No. 1 Cal., iron, Dec., 30s 7½d, sellers. Cargoes Walla, iron, passage, 29s 6d, sellers. Parcels No. 1 Nor. spring, steam, passage, 31s 3d, sellers; No. 1 hard, Man., steam, Nov., 32s 9d, sellers, new. English country markets quiet. Maize on passage firm, but not active, sellers asking 6d more. Cargoes mixed American, sail, steam, Nov., 20s 7½d, sellers. Parcels, mixed American, steam, Nov., 19s 9d, sellers.

Paris—Open—Wheat quiet; Nov. 19f 70c, March and June 21f 10c. Flour quiet; Nov. 25f 30c, March and June 27f 10c. French country markets quiet.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat, spot firm; No. 1 standard Cal., 6s 3d to 6s 4½d; Walla, 6s to 6s 0½d; No. 2 R.W., 5s 11½d to 6s 0½d; No. 1 Nor. spring, 6s 2½d to 6s 3½d. Futures steady: Dec. 6s 0½d, Feb. and March 6s 1¾d. Maize, spot steady; mixed American, new, 4s 2d to 4s 2½d. Futures steady; Dec. 4s 0½d, Jan. 3s 10½d. Flour, Minn., 18s 9d to 20s.

London—Close—Wheat cargoes arrived, off coast, firm. Wheat on passage quiet but steady. Cargoes about No. 1 Cal., iron, Oct., 30s 6d paid. Cargoes Walla, iron, Jan., 29s 4½d paid. Maize on passage firm for American and dull for Danubian. Parcels American, mixed, on passage, 19s 7d paid; Dec., 18s 9d paid, mixed American, spot, 27s 6d. Flour, spot, Minn., 20s 3d.

Mark Lane—Foreign wheat steadier and English dull. American maize nominally unchanged and Danubian quiet. American flour, nothing doing and English quiet.

Antwerp—Spot wheat steady; No. 2 R.W., 16¾f.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm; Nov. 19f 70c, March and June 21f 25c. Flour firm; Nov. 25f 40c, March and June, 27f 20c.

New York Produce Market.

New York, Nov. 5.—Flour—Receipts, 41,232 pkgs.; exports, 27,507 bbls.; sales, 8100 pkgs.; market was firmly held, but rather quiet, without noteworthy change; winter patents, $3.70 to $4; winter straights, $3.50 to $3.60; Minnesota patent, $4 to $4.35; winter extras, $2.65 to $3; Minnesota bakers, $3 to $3.40; winter low grades, $2.45 to $2.60; rye flour more active; sales, 700 bbls.; fair to good, $3 to $3.20; choice to fancy, $3.25 to $3.60; buckwheat flour dull; $2.10 to $2.20. Buckwheat—Easy; 57½c to 60c c.i.f., New York. Cornmeal—Firm; yellow western, 86c; city, 88c; Brandywine, $2.45 to $2.60. Rye—Steady; No. 2 western, 55½c, f.o.b., afloat; State—nominal, to 52c, c.i.f., New York. Barley—Dull; feeding, 42c to 46c, c.i.f., Buffalo; malting, 50c to 58c, c.i.f., Buffalo. Barley malt—Dull; western, 62c to 68c. Wheat—Receipts, 167,425 bush; exports, 165,999 bush; sales, 2,975,000 bush futures and 120,000 bush spot; spot firm; No. 2 red, 79⅝c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 red, 78½c, elevator; No. 1 Northern, Duluth, 85½c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 88¾c, f.o.b., afloat; options were generally firm and higher to-day, stimulated by large decreases in world's shipments and the quantity on passage, higher cables, foreign buying and a demand from shorts; they finally closed off a trifle under local realizing and closed steady at ⅝c net advance; sales included No. 2 red, March, 82⅞c to 83⅛c, closed 82⅞c; May, 82⅛c to 82 15-16c, closed 82⅝c; Nov., 78⅝c; Dec., 79¼c to 79⅝c, closed 79⅝c. Corn—Receipts, 33,300 bush; exports, 396,020 bush; sales, 140,000 bush futures and 100,000 bush spot; spot strong; No. 2, 60c, elevator, 46½c f.o.b. afloat; option market was stronger and fairly active on small country offerings, higher cables, local covering and fairly large clearances; finally eased off under disappointing exports and closed about steady at ⅛c net advance; May, 42 3-16c to 42⅜c, closed 42⅜c; Dec., 42⅛c to 42⅜c, closed 42⅜c. Oats—Receipts, 246,400 bush; exports, 35,077 bush; spot strong; No. 2, 25c; No. 3, 25c; No. 2 white, 27½c; No. 3 white, 27½c; track mixed western, 25c to 26½c; track white western, 27c to 33c; track white State, 27c to 33c; options quiet but steady. Butter—Firm; creamery, 16c to 23c; factory, 13c to 15½c; June creamery, 18c to 21c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18c; State dairy, 15c to 21c. Cheese—Dull; large white, 10¾c; small white, 11c; large colored, 10¾c; small colored, 11c. Eggs—Firm; State and Pennsylvania, 21c to 24c; western regular packing, at mark, 17c to 21c; western loss off, 22c. Rosin—Strong; strained to good, $1.47½ to $1.50. Molasses—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 44c to 53c. Pig iron—Quiet; Northern, $14 to $16. Southern, $13.50 to $15.50. Copper—Dull; brokers 16¾c to 16⅞c; exchange, $16.75 to $17. Lead—Dull; broker, $4; exchange, $4.37½. Tin—Firmer; Straits, $27.50 to $27.75; plates dull. Spelter—Dull; domestic, $4.10 to $4.15. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8⅝c; mild quiet; Cordova, 9½c to 10½c. Sugar—Raw, quiet; fair refining, 3⅞c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4⅛c; molasses sugar, 3⅜c, refined, dull; standard A, 5.55c; confectioners' A, 5.65c; mold A, 6c; cut loaf, 6.15c; crushed, 6.15c; powdered, 5.85c; granulated, 5.75c; cubes, 5.90c. Coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 10 points and ruled generally firm but very quiet, following small spurts of visible increase, then improved 5 points further on some positions on local covering with general speculation very tame and later phases of the market easier; the market closed steady with quotations 10 points higher; total sales, 16,000 bags, including Nov., 7.20c; March, 7.40c to 7.45c; May, 7.50c to 7.55c; Sept., 7.70c to 7.75c.

Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal, Nov. 5.—Flour—Receipts, 3000 barrels; market quiet. Patent winter, $3.70 to $3.85; patent spring, $4.50 to $4.70; straight roller, $3.30 to $3.50; extra, none; superfine, none; strong bakers', $4.20 to $4.40; Ontario, bags, $1.80 to $1.70.

Wheat, No. 2 Man. hard, 90c to 92c. Corn, 43c to 45c. Peas, 66c to 67c. Oats, 28c to 29c. Barley, 50c to 55c. Rye, 55c to 56c. Buckwheat, 52c to 54c. Oatmeal, $1.60 to $1.70. Cornmeal, 90c to $1.

Pork, $19 to $20. Lard, 7c to 8½c. Bacon, 12c to 14c. Hams, 12c to 14c. Cheese, 10c to 11c. Butter, townships, 20c to 21c; western, 17c to 18c. Eggs, 11c to 13c.

Chicago Gossip.

J. J. Dixon has the following this evening from Chicago:

Wheat has not been as strong to-day as the news warranted, altho a small advance has been maintained from the closing prices of Saturday. The visible statement was not greatly different from that expected. Strong cables and bullish Argentine news were the factors of strength. We are inclined to think there will be very few further increases in the visible and possibly no more, and that now production and want will demonstrate a sufficiently strong position to advance values after election.

Corn has ruled firm, with prices up ½ to ¾c on May, ⅜c on December, and about ⅜c on November. Elevator people and prominent traders were free buyers of November and December. Commission houses bought some May. The crowd was the best sellers. There is a good demand for old corn, but supplies are scarce.

Oats—There has been nearly ¼c fluctuation in oats to-day, with very little trade. Not much news and a decidedly uneventful market. Prices are practically where they closed Saturday. Receipts only 100 cars. Steadiness partly with corn. Shipping demand fair. Two hundred cars to-morrow.

Provisions opened strong, active and higher, on 9,000 less hogs than expected. Commission houses bought. Packers sold January product moderately. Market ruled very dull after the opening, and closes steady without material change. Fifteen thousand hogs to-morrow.

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U. S. LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 5.—Beeves—Receipts 4722; active; steers 10c to 15c higher; bulls and cows steady, to 10c higher; steers $4.40 to $5.65, oxen and stags $3.30 to $4.15, bulls $2.25 to $3.65, cows $1.50 to $3.85, stockers $3.40. Cables quote live cattle weak, at 11c to 12¾c per pound; range cattle 10½c; sheep 12c to 12¾c; refrigerator beef 9c to 9½c per lb. Shipments none.

Calves—Receipts 2641; veals, firm; grassers higher; veals $4.50 to $8.50, little calves $4 to $5, grassers $3 to $3.60, yearlings $2.50 to $2.62½.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 17,834; sheep opened firm to 20c higher; closed easy; lambs active and 25c higher; common to prime sheep $2.50 to $4, culls $2; lambs $5 to $5.75, choice to extra $5.80 to $6, culls $4, Canada lambs $5.40 to $5.75.

Hogs—Receipts 16,388; steady, at $4.95 to $5.25, light state pigs $5.30.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Cattle—Receipts 12,500, including 1000 western and 1000 Texans; good to prime steers $5.50 to $6, poor to medium $4.50 to $5.40, selected feeders, steady, $3.80 to $4.40; mixed stockers, slow, $2.50 to $3.75; cows, good to choice, 10c higher $2.70 to $4.40; heifers, strong, except very common, $2.75 to $4.75; canners, steady, $1.50 to $2.60; bulls, steady, $2.30 to $4.40; calves $4 to $6. Texans, receipts 1000; Texas fed steers $4 to $4.85, Texas grass steers $3.35 to 4.15, Texas bulls $2.00 to $3.25.

Hogs—Receipts 28,000; top $4.95; mixed and butchers' $4.60 to $4.95, good to choice heavy $4.65 to $4.95, rough heavy $4.50 to $4.60, light $4.50 to $4.90; bulk of sales $4.70 to $4.85.

Sheep—Receipts—1100; good to choice wethers $4 to $4.25, fair to choice mixed $3.50 to $4, western sheep $4 to $4.25, Texas sheep $2.50 to $3.60, native lambs $4.50 to $5.50, western lambs $4.90 to $5.50.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, Nov. 5.—Cattle—Offerings were much lighter to-day, 156 loads, and with a fair attendance of buyers the market was generally strong and higher; good to best smooth fat export cattle, desirable quality, $5.35 to $5.60; good to best, $4.85 to $5.15; shipping steers, $4.75 to $5; extra good to prime steers, $3.90 to $4; good to choice butcher steers, $4.50 to $4.85; good to best butcher steers, $4.50 to $4.75; good to best fat bulls, $3.50 to $4; fair to good fat bulls, $3.25 to $3.50; feeder bulls, $3 to $3.25; York State bulls, $2.50 to $3; common to good Bologna bulls, $2.75 to $3.50; good to best fat heifers, $3.75 to $4.25; fair to good heifers, $3 to $3.50; fat cows, choice to extra, $3.25 to $3.50; medium fat cows, $2.25 to $2.50; fat cows, common to fair, $1.75 to $2.25; feeding steers, good to extra, $4 to $4.25; fair to good, $3 to $3.50; Canada stock steers, $3.40 to $3.65; stock calves, Michigan; choice to extra, $3 to $3.60; extra Canada calves, $3.90 to $4; do., choice, $3.50 to $4; stock bulls, $3 to $3.25; stock heifers, $2.75 to $3; common Michigan stockers, $3 to $3.50; Canada feeders, $3.60 to $4.25; Michigan heifers, $3.75 to $4.25; common good, to extra, $1.75 to $2; fair to good do., $1.40 to $1.75; cows, canners, $1.50 to $2; fresh cows, choice to extra good bag, $45 to $55; good to choice, $37 to $42; springers, choice to extra, $42 to $50; common and poor cows, $18 to $20; cows and springers, common to good, $25 to $30; calves, choice to extra, $7.75 to $8.25; good to choice, $7.25 to $7.75; heavy fed calves, $3.75 to $4.25; grassers, $3.25 to $3.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Offerings were 62 loads, two of which were left over from yesterday, and 18 loads were Canada lambs; prices were higher on choice lambs and on common; lambs, choice to extra, $5.50 to $5.70; good to choice, $5.25 to $5.50; culls, $4 to $4.50; Canada lambs sold $5.50 to $5.70 generally; mixed sheep, choice to extra, $3.85 to $4; good to choice, $3.50 to $3.75; wethers, $4 to $4.10; ewes, $3.65 to $3.85; yearlings, $4.25 to $4.50.

Hogs—Trade was in good position; prices were higher; heavy hogs sold $4.90 to $4.95; Yorkers, $4.85 to $4.90; pigs, $5; roughs, $4.35 to $4.50; stags, $3.75 to $4. Offerings cleaned up quite readily with outside reports favorable, and at the close the market was full strong.

LET DEEDS RATIFY SENTIMENT.

Ladies of Canada:

The world never saw such an exhibition of patriotic sentiment as the African war called forth.

Canadians, Australians and the splendid youth of Natal fought side by side with the British tea planters of Ceylon and India.

Australia drinks the teas of Ceylon and India, while Canada already drinks their black teas. Drinkers of Japan tea should try their green teas. Up-to-date tea merchants (the Salada Company, for instance) now sell them entirely on merit. "Middle-of-the-road men" are only waiting for supplies, while "sit-on-the-fence men" are waiting to see how the cat will