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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Thursday, Sept. 16.
(Direct private wires of J. M. Robinson & Sons, bankers.)

Yesterday's Closing	Today's Closing	Today's No.
Amalgamated	82 1/2	82 1/2
Am. Can. Foundry	60 1/2	60 1/2
Am. Locomotive	60 1/2	60 1/2
Am. Sugar	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. Tobacco	137 1/2	137 1/2
Am. Trust	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. Wire	28 1/2	28 1/2
Brook. Rapid Transit	78 1/2	78 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	118 1/2	118 1/2
Can. Pac. Ry.	18 1/2	18 1/2
New York Central	138 1/2	138 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	37 1/2	37 1/2
Colorado P. & P.	45 1/2	45 1/2
Den. & Rio Grande	47 1/2	47 1/2
Delaware & H. C.	35 1/2	35 1/2
Erie	28 1/2	28 1/2
Erie 1st Pref.	32 1/2	32 1/2
Consolidated Gas	16 1/2	16 1/2
General Electric	167 1/2	167 1/2
Gr. Northern Pac.	133 1/2	133 1/2
Illinois Central	134 1/2	134 1/2
Kansas & Texas	41 1/2	41 1/2
Louis & Nashville	152 1/2	152 1/2
National Lead	125 1/2	125 1/2
Mackay Cos.	84 1/2	84 1/2
Missouri Pacific	72 1/2	72 1/2
Norfolk & Western	94 1/2	94 1/2
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Ontario & Western	94 1/2	94 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	50 1/2	50 1/2
Pennsylvania	144 1/2	144 1/2
Reading	167 1/2	167 1/2
People's G. & L. Co.	116 1/2	116 1/2
Rep. I. & Steel	39 1/2	39 1/2
Rock Island	43 1/2	43 1/2
Rock Island Pref.	76 1/2	76 1/2
U. S. Rubber	51 1/2	51 1/2
So. Railway	114 1/2	114 1/2
Southern Pacific	128 1/2	128 1/2
St. Paul	153 1/2	153 1/2
St. Paul & Northern P.	85 1/2	85 1/2
Southern Railway	31 1/2	31 1/2
U. S. Steel	204 1/2	204 1/2
U. S. Steel Pref.	324 1/2	324 1/2
U. S. Steel Pref.	126 1/2	126 1/2
Western Union	79 1/2	79 1/2
Wabash Ry. Pref.	51 1/2	51 1/2

Sales—11 o'clock, 48,000; 12 o'clock, 63,700.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

	Sept. 15	Sept. 16
January	12.14	12.47
March	12.16	12.54
May	12.18	12.57
October	12.19	12.59
December	12.20	12.60
September	12.20	12.57

CHICAGO MARKET.

	Sept. 15	Sept. 16
Wheat	102 1/2	102 1/2
September	102 1/2	102 1/2
December	102 1/2	102 1/2
May	102 1/2	102 1/2
Corn	67 1/2	67 1/2
September	67 1/2	67 1/2
December	67 1/2	67 1/2
May	67 1/2	67 1/2
Oats	32 1/2	32 1/2
September	32 1/2	32 1/2
December	32 1/2	32 1/2
May	32 1/2	32 1/2
Pork	17.82	17.97
January	17.82	17.97
May	17.82	17.97

NEW YORK FINANCIAL BUREAU

New York, Sept. 16.—Bullish operations are likely again. Reaching from the trading area into new territory upward by several leaders affords encouragement as to broadening and convincing some skeptics. We would not climb nor would we refuse fair returns but would buy on little recessions in a discriminating way preferring good industrial and well priced stocks that are not costly to carry.

Reports come from every direction especially in steel lines of prosperity to which strong reference was made by Taft and Chicago expects a car shortage on lines running out of that section. Much encouragement has been derived from harmony shown among financiers and the

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UNITED STATES REVENUE CUTTER BAYARD OFF GROUND—WAS PURSUING OILER LEGITIMATELY

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 16.—A brand new international issue—more of many international issues playing their parts in the checked history of the sealing industry—is raised by information that has just reached Thomas Stockham of this city, the senior member of the well known West Coast firm of Stockham & Dawley, whose schooner Thomas F. Bayard, is one of the fleet despatched in the pursuit of sea otter until the time arrived for the opening of Bering Sea to the hampered sealers of British Columbia.

The Bayard, as well as several other independent craft engaged in sealing in past years and this, had special instructions as to limiting their hunting strictly to the otter until such time as sealing became legitimate under the law for British sealers.

Directions were carefully followed and yet according to the advice now to hand—the Bayard was overhauled in open water by one of the revenue cutters of the United States flag, her arms sealed up, and orders given her that she must do no more otter hunting until the 1st of August—this being in mid-July.

The season of Bering Sea sealing under the restrictions of the Paris Award and subsequent agreements applying solely to the disadvantage of Canadian sealers, opens on August 1st.

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READS AND SEWS AT 98.

Winsted, Conn.—Her mind still bright and eyesight unimpaired, Mrs. Emeline Kellogg recently celebrated her ninety-ninth birthday. Aside from being a little deaf, Mrs. Kellogg is as well as she was half a century ago. Most of her time is spent in reading and sewing.

Old age should be a happy, healthy age. We all could grow old gracefully and probably live to be a hundred, did we jealously guard our most valuable possession—our health—in youth and middle age.

At the first sign of Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Kidney, Stomach or Skin Trouble, "Fruit-a-tives" should be taken. "Fruit-a-tives," or fruit juice tablets, not only cure the specific trouble, but also so strengthen and invigorate the entire system that there is a marked improvement in the general health.

A little care and "Fruit-a-tives" taken regularly are all that is needed to bring the system to a fine state of health. 50c. a box—6 for \$2.50—per trial box, 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

MORNING LOCALS

An organ recital given in St. James church last evening by J. Bayard Currie, of Malden, Mass., was greatly enjoyed.

Andrew B. Riddick had his foot jammed yesterday between two crows. He will be laid up for several days.

Harry Harrity, an employee of Stetson Cutler & Co., was injured by a piece of flying board yesterday afternoon and was taken to his home, Victoria street. The injury is not serious.

The banquet to Hon. Dr. Pugsley on Sept. 28, will likely be attended by several members of the government, and should be an unusually interesting function.

The Horticultural Society announces that the fishing privilege at Lily Lake will be for one season, from Sept. 20 to Oct. 31.

Dr. J. T. Coffin, of Fraser creek, who performed the operation on James Orr, recently shot at Master Ross, an Italian, was in the city yesterday.

A large number of people enjoyed the concert given in King Square by the City Cornet Band last evening.

Rev. J. A. Porter, of Fredericton, preached to a large congregation in the Tabernacle Baptist church last evening. He is a candidate for the pastorate of the church.

The ferry steamer Oungondy, which is to be sold at auction, was yesterday towed into Wiggins slip, where she may be inspected by intending purchasers.

Mrs. Margaret French, of Metcalf street, sprained her ankle last evening by stepping in a hole in Main street.

Johnston L. O. No. 24, paid a fraternal visit last evening to True Blue Lodge, No. 11, in the Orange Hall, St. John street.

About \$300 damage was done by a fire in the roof of a house on Millville road, owned by Hazen Mowbray, last evening. The chemical engine subdued the flames.

The suit for damages, Haley vs. Donaldson, has been settled out of court. It was withdrawn from hearing in the circuit court yesterday.

Miss Alice McDonald, on her way from Sydney, where she had buried her sister, to her home in Boston, lost her purse, containing all the money she possessed, in the depot in Truro. No trace of it has been found.

Very enjoyable time was spent at the home of Miss Molly Wilson, of St. James street, last evening, when about thirty of her friends called on her and presented to her happy remembrances of her birthday. Miss Wilson, though greatly surprised, made a brief reply of thanks.

The evening of the sports committee on C. & O. directors expect company to earn 8 per cent on stock in current fiscal year.

General market in London quiet and inclined to sag.

Renewed increase in National City Bank capital denied.

Hocking Valley annual report shows 7.63 per cent on common as against 6.85 last year.

One ore shipments from Lake Superior district continue to establish new high records, indicating steel companies expect heavy demand next year.

Regular quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share on Utah Cons.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 16.—Following an announcement that Ambassador Thompson, the United States representative in Mexico, had closed the purchase of the Pan-American Railroad, the statement that L. Neeland and the group of capitalists who sold the Mexican line to Thompson had launched the Pan-American Railroad from Central America to connect the Panama Canal with Mexico.

Ambassador Thompson's option on the Pan-American in Mexico calls for a purchase price of \$10,000,000. The new corporation, according to Neeland, will be capitalized at \$50,000,000. The Central American will extend from the Guatemala frontier to the Panama Canal, 1,400 miles. Thence north, Neeland had figured connections which will enable a passenger to make a continuous trip from the Great Lakes to Panama.

Work on the new railroad will be started at La Chorrera, Salvador, in January. Neeland expects to have the road completed in seven years. An action involving \$2,000,000 alleged to be due for services in promoting the Pan-American Railroad was begun in the superior court yesterday. The plaintiff is Henry Kennedy and the defendants J. L. Neeland and J. W. Evans.

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