

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

New York Stock Quotations, Chicago Market Report, and New York Cotton Market, furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

Yesterday's Closing. Opening. Noon.

Amalg. Copper	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Am. Smelt. & Refining	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Am. Foundry	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Am. Woolen	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Am. Locomotive	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Am. Steel	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Canadian Pacific	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Colo. P. & Iron	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Consolidated Gas	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Gen. Electric Co.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Ill. Central	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Kansas	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Great Northern	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Louis & Nashville	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Missouri Pacific	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
N. Y. Central	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Ont. & Western	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
P. & C. Gas Co.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Reading	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Repub. Steel	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Rock Island	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
St. Paul	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Southern Ry.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Southern Ry. pfd.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
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Norfolk & Western	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
National Lead	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
U. S. Steel	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
U. S. Steel pfd.	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
Wabash	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Wabash pfd.	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Western Union	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Total sales in New York	724		

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May Corn	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
May Wheat	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
May Oats	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
July Corn	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
July Wheat	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
July Oats	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Sept. Corn	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Sept. Wheat	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Sept. Oats	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom. Iron & Steel	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Dom. Iron & Steel pfd.	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Sov. Steel	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
C. P. R.	180 1/2	180 1/2	180 1/2
Twin City	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Montreal Power	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
Toronto St. Ry.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Detroit United	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Toronto St. Ry.	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

May	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
June	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
July	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Aug.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Sept.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
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N. Y. Financial-General outlook condensed. Bullish special operations are likely in the market today. Reasonable profits should not be neglected on bulging in the general list, which is as a whole approaching the upper limits of the trading area. If the offerings around the said limits should be removed, higher prices are probable, just as in the case of United States Steel, otherwise reactions may be witnessed. Latest developments, condensed.

Signs of improving business are encouraging an expansion in the participation of outsiders in the stock market. The recent developments of an adverse kind have failed to produce liquidation and reaction, with resulting rallies, which in turn, meeting stock at 2 or 3 point advances, present vulnerability because of the removal of shortage and weight of stocks. This keeps the list in the trading area for the time being, marking time until the powers get ready to take action. The improving railroad earnings and glowing re-

ports from the steel, copper and equipment lines of business, reassure investors who need entertain no apprehension, like daily operators, over possible breaks that may be induced from time to time by technique, but which are only temporary and transitory. The Harriman meeting today may bring forth fresh developments of importance, according to gossip, although no increased news are anticipated. Press comment and market literature are tending toward optimism again more strongly.

SUMMARY.

Bank of England rate unchanged. This being Ascension Day, all European exchanges except British are closed. C. O. Atlantic Coast Line and Harriman directors meet today.

Attempted general strike in France a complete failure.

Iron Age says demand for steel has been broadening in all finished lines and markets.

Iron Trade Review says demand for finished product continues active and pig iron is holding its own fairly well.

Americans in London strong, under leadership of Reading.

Earnings will justify President Underwood's estimate of surplus for year of \$3,000,000 over fixed charges.

Some prospect of Atlantic Coast restoring six per cent. div. rate.

Kas. City reports business throughout southwest thoroughly healthy and awaiting crop developments.

Total gold exports for this year now \$1,250,000 and banks are beginning to ship gold coin.

Twelve industrials advanced .09 per cent.

Twenty active rails advanced .14 per cent.

Liverpool—Due 4 higher on May 6 higher on July and 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 higher on late months. Opened steady 5 to 8 points higher.

At 12.15 p. m. Steady 8 1/2 to 9 points higher. Spot in good demand 1 1/2 point higher. High 5.55. Sales 10,000 bales. Spec. and export 360 American 9,000. Imports 1,000 none American.

Journal of Commerce: "The wildness of the future market is putting a check on all spot business. The man who has cotton does not care to part with it when he may have a chance to deliver it on a covered month. Many holders of cotton are letting go of hedging and standing long of their cotton."

Weather—North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia, showery. Alabama, showery. Friday, fair and warmer. Missouri, fair in southern part, showers in north. Louisiana and East Texas, fair. Western fair in southern, showers in north. Arkansas partly cloudy and tomorrow, eastern, partly cloudy today and tomorrow.

London 2 p. m.—Anc. 50 3/8, C 83 1/2, D 50 1/4, P 87 1/8, E 33 3/4, F 51, K 12 1/2, M 25, N 145 3/4, C 130 1/2, G 40 1/4, P 35, R 150 3/4, R 12 3/4, S 31, S 123, S 150 3/4, U 190 1/8, U 50 7/8, U 119 1/2, W 20, W 51 1/2.

Liverpool—Wheat opened firm 1 1/4 to 2 3/8. Corn quiet. 1 3/4 p. m. Wheat unchanged to 1 3/8 up from opening. Corn 5 1/8 up.

THE WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. St. John, N. B., May 19, 1909.

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd. supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg Wheat Market: May 124 3/4; July 125 5/8; October, 106 3/4.

MARINE NEWS. American schooner J. R. Fell is loading pulp at St. George, N. B., for New York, Conn.

Schooner Vera B. Roberts is about due with a cargo of coal for Fredericton, from Port Reading.

American schooner Ralph M. Hayward, Captain French, passed City Island last Tuesday, bound to New York from this port.

German steamship Eriphia, Captain Bellmann, arrived at Queenstown last Tuesday from this port.

The New Glasgow steamship Pontiac, Captain Melke, sailed last night from New York for this port to load deals.

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SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1909.	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
May	1	2	3	4	5
June	6	7	8	9	10
July	11	12	13	14	15
Aug.	16	17	18	19	20
Sept.	21	22	23	24	25
Oct.	26	27	28	29	30
Nov.	1	2	3	4	5
Dec.	6	7	8	9	10

THE TIME USED IN ATLANTIC STANDARD.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

Steamers. Bate, old Garston, May 20. Manchester Merchant, old Manchester, May 20. Rapahannock, old London, May 11. Veraston, at New York, May 15.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. ARRIVED TODAY.

Stmr Bridgewater, 118, Landry, from Halifax and way ports, Elkins pass and mds and coal and oil. Stmr Cape Breton, 1100, McDonald, from Louisbourg, R. P. & W. F. Starr, 2,500 tons coal and oil. Coastwise—Schr Genard, 72, Sabean, Antwerp; Clara A. Benner, 36, French, Back Bay.

CLEARED TODAY.

Schr Lucia Porter (Am), 284, Sprague, from New York, A. Cushing & Co., 107,880 ft spruce plank, 1,210,500 lbs. Schr Oriskany (Am), 244, Smith, for Greenview, Conn. Alex Watson, 138,333 ft spruce plank, 600,000 lbs. Coastwise—Barge No 7, Wadman, Parnassos; Schr Susie Pearl, Clarke, St. Martins; Eastern Light, Leighton, Grand Harbor.

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Schr Clayona, 123, Berryman, from Fall River (Mass.), J. W. Smith, ballast.

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Bark Robertson (Russ), 718, Gustafson, for Bantry (Ire), John E. Moore & Co., 672,518 feet spruce deals. Schr Lord of Avon, 325, Verner, for Barbados, L. G. Crosby, 300,000 feet pine boards, 662,000 cedar shingles. Schr Theresa Wolf (Am), 244, Smith, for City Island for orders, Stetson, Cutler & Co. 272,500 feet spruce plank, 1,210,500 lbs. Schr Almada Willey (Am), 493, Hatfield, for Vineyard Haven for orders, Stetson, Cutler & Co. 1,775,000 spruce laths.

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