

BEARS IN CONTROL.

They Work the Cholera Sale With Considerable Success.

READING AND ST. PAUL STRONG.

But Nearly Everything Else Feels Readily to Pressure.

A WEAK CLOSE AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

New York, Aug. 21.—Dullness continues to be the principal characteristic of the market, except in a few stocks affected by particular influences.

The market opened with a firm temper and generally at higher figures than the previous day, but just after the beginning of business it became known that Mr. Goetz repudiated the use of his name in the directory of New England and announced his refusal to serve in that capacity.

The trading was entirely professional and while there was some liquidation in the early dealings the bulk of the selling was still for short account and the bears were very aggressive, working the cholera scare for all it was worth.

The bond list was affected by the drive at stocks, and while during the forenoon the usual and slight rise in the market was seen, there was a yielding later over the entire market and many of the active issues were driven down many points.

Government bonds were dull and steady. Close of the list: U. S. 4 1/2 per cent 104 1/2, U. S. 4 1/4 per cent 104 1/2, U. S. 4 1/8 per cent 104 1/2.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks in the New York market. Each stock is listed with its name and price.

Table with columns: Name, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Am. Cotton Oil, Am. Sugar Ref., etc.

Weakness in Chicago. Reports of the Cholera's Progress Cause Grain and Provisions to Decline.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—There was weakness and depression in all the pits on the Board of Trade today, as a result of the cholera scare.

CHOLERA BUOYANCY.

Cholera Reports Cause Weakness East and West.

A FEW STRONG POINTS LOCALLY.

But the General Tone of the Market is Unsettled.

LOCAL AND GENERAL FINANCIAL NEWS.

Wednesday, Aug. 21.—The August transactions in local securities on Change aggregated 15,654 shares of stock and \$96,000.

Cholera Reports Cause Uneasiness. The report that the cholera had arrived at New York via the steamship Moravia, from Hamburg, caused considerable uneasiness on Fourth avenue this afternoon.

Trading on Change today was about the same as yesterday and the day before, but the tone of the market was generally weak.

Among the Industrials Airbrake was strongest. It closed at 21 1/2, having advanced 1/2 point.

Grand Rapids and Indiana. Rumors were in circulation yesterday (Monday), says the W-I Street News, to the effect that the management of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad Company had decided to default on the interest due on its bonds.

Financial Notes. Westinghouse Electric second preferred closed at 37 1/2, asked and at 37 3/4.

St. Louis.—Wheat opened lower but continued to decline. The market was generally weak.

St. Paul.—Wheat lower; No. 2 red, old, 85c; No. 2 white, 84c.

Wheat market summary. Chicago market summary. Grain and provisions market summary.

BIG DEAL IN COAL LAND.

Near the Closing Point—Pittsburg Capitalists Reaching Out for New Fields of Black Diamonds—Latest Gossip—Permits and Sales.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 21.

Negotiations for the sale of about 1,500 acres of coal land situated in northeastern Pennsylvania, just a short distance from the Allegheny county line, to a company of Pittsburgh capitalists are on, and from present indications the deal will be closed shortly.

Mr. John Wesley is building some very fine dwellings in his plan of lots at Wilkinsburg. The houses are mostly frame, and few brick structures will be erected.

The following permits were issued today: Mrs. Helen Cole, a frame two-story dwelling, corner Thirty-eighth and Millin streets.

John K. Ewing & Co. sold to Mrs. Kate B. W. Herman a lot of 30x123 on Norwood avenue, being No. 61 in Mayfield plan, Tenth ward.

New York, Aug. 21.—Money on call at 2 1/2 per cent. Clearing house balances \$1,898,715. Rate 3 per cent. Call loans 3 1/2 per cent.

Foreign Financiers. London, Aug. 21.—Amount of bullion going to Bank of England on balance to-day, £24,000.

Closing Philadelphia Quotations. Westinghouse Electric, Bid, asked. 37 1/2, 37 3/4.

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RANGE OF THE MARKET.

The following quotations for grain, feed, hay and straw are for arrivals on track, unless otherwise stated.

Table with columns: Item, Price. Lists various commodities like wheat, corn, oats, hay, etc.

Some of the sales. Following are a portion of the transactions of Monday, August 18, 1914.

John Hecker & Co. sold 25 head of cattle, weighing 2,200 lb., at \$1.10 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 15 head of cattle, weighing 1,800 lb., at \$1.00 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 10 head of cattle, weighing 1,500 lb., at \$1.00 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 5 head of cattle, weighing 1,200 lb., at \$1.00 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 3 head of cattle, weighing 1,000 lb., at \$1.00 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 2 head of cattle, weighing 800 lb., at \$1.00 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 1 head of cattle, weighing 600 lb., at \$1.00 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 1 head of cattle, weighing 500 lb., at \$1.00 per head.

Walter H. & Co. sold 1 head of cattle, weighing 400 lb., at \$1.00 per head.