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LONDON, Sept. 19.—Notwithstanding the renewed advance in New York exchange there was an indisposition in the market to-day to permit discounts to decline, though money was abundant and cheap.

Business on the Stock Exchange was inanimate, owing to the holiday to-morrow and the fact that the settlement immediately follows. Consols hardened on the improved money situation. Americans hesitated, were inactive, improved, and closed firm. Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul was the feature. Other sections were featureless.

Closing prices:

Consols for money, 93½; Consols for account, 93 9-16; Anaconda, 5¾; Atchison, 97; Atchison preferred, 106¼; Baltimore and Ohio, 117; Canadian Pacific, 145¾; Chesapeake and Ohio, 57; Chicago Great Western, 34¾; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 198; De Beers deferred, 21½; Denver and Rio Grande, 51½; Denver and Rio Grande preferred, 97¼; Erie, 44g; Erie 1st preferred, 72; Erie 2d preferred, 58; Illinois Central, 176¾; Louisville and Nashville, 158; Missouri, Kansas and Texas, 37¼; Missouri, Kansas and Texas preferred, 60½; New York Central, 168½; Norfolk and Western, 77¾; Norfolk and Western preferred, 95½; Ontario and Western, 36½; Pennsylvania, 86½; Rand Mines, 11¾; Reading, 37¾; Reading 1st preferred, 45; Reading 2d preferred, 40¼; Southern Railway, 41; Southern Railway preferred, 90½; Southern Pacific, 81¾; Union Pacific, 113½; Union Pacific preferred, 95; United States Steel, 42½; United States Steel preferred, 93¼; Wabash, 38; Wabash preferred, 55; Spanish Fours, 85.

Bar silver weak, 23¾d per ounce.

Money, 2@2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 15-16@3 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2 15-16@3 per cent.

On the Street, after the close of the Stock Exchange, Americans were buoyant, Canadian Pacific being quoted at 147 and Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul at 202.

Gold premiums are quoted as follows: Buenos Ayres, 128.30; Madrid, 35.37; Lisbon, 27; Rome, 20.

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