# IMPROVING SEATTLE TEAM

## MANAGER DUGDALE BRINGING IN TALENT FROM THE OUTSIDE.

### Affairs of the League Were Discussed at a Meeting Held in Tacoma Yesterday.

TACOMA, Wash., June 14.—A brief meeting of the Pacific Northwest League was held this afternoon, at which the affairs of the league in general were discussed and suggestions for improvement made. Concerning the Seattle team, Manager Dugdale announces that it is to be materially strengthened within the week. He has now en route from Kansas City Gus Klepf, a well-known short-stop, who won the pennant for Kansas City; also Ellis, a California South-Paw, and a promising right-handed pitcher, named King. Stovall will also be in next week's games. Manager Dugdale has other talent in view, and insists that his team will be one of the best within a short time. J. J. O'Connell, the California umpire, who has been signed to fill McDermott's place, arrived today, and was presented to the managers. He will umpire tomorrow's game between Seattle and Portland. The league decided that hereafter no rain checks will be issued after the third inning. The May report of the treasurer was presented, audited and approved, showing the league to be in good financial condition.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

#### New York Won an Interesting Game From Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 14. — Taylor's clever pitching and gilt-edged support were too much for the locals today, New York winning an interesting game. Attendance 1200. Score:

| | R | H | E | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 6 | 3 | New York | 4 | 10 | 1 |

Batteries—Meneffee and Kahoe; Taylor and Warner. Umpire—Cunningham.

#### Boston Beat Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, June 14.—There was nothing much to the game except Boston's hitting. Willis had Pittsburg at his mercy and received excellent support. Attendance 1800. Score:

| | R | H | E | | R | H | E |
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| Pittsburg | 1 | 6 | 2 | Boston | 7 | 14 | 0 |

Batteries — Leever and Zimmer; Willis and Moran. Umpire—Dwyer.

#### St. Louis Beat Brooklyn.

ST. LOUIS, June 14.—St. Louis had a batting feast at the expense of the Brooklyn team today. Attendance 3500. Score:

| | R | H | E | | R | H | E |
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| St. Louis | 10 | 12 | 0 | Brooklyn | 2 | 10 | 2 |

Batteries—Sudhoff and Nichols; Donovan, Kennedy and McGuire. Umpire—Emslie.

#### Game Postponed.

CINCINNATI, June 14.—Cincinnati-Philadelphia game postponed; wet grounds.

#### National League Standing.

| | Won. | Lost. | Per ct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 21 | 15 | .583 |
| Pittsburg | 25 | 18 | .581 |
| Cincinnati | 20 | 18 | .526 |
| St. Louis | 22 | 20 | .524 |
| Brooklyn | 20 | 2. | .488 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 20 | .487 |
| Boston | 15 | 19 | .429 |
| Chicago | 16 | 19 | .356 |

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

#### Philadelphia Gave Milwaukee a Second Shut-Out.

PHILADELPHIA, June 14.—Milwaukee was treated to another shut-out today, the combined efforts of Frazer and Lajoie being responsible. Attendance 2160. Score:

| | R | H | E | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Milwaukee | 0 | 5 | 2 | Philadelphia | 7 | 11 | 0 |

Batteries — Hawley and Connor; Frazer and Powers.

#### Chicago Beat Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, June 14. — The crippled Baltimore team fell easy victims to Chicago in the third game of the series here today. Attendance 992. Score:

| | R | H | E | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 5 | 11 | 4 | Chicago | 10 | 14 | 2 |

Batteries—Howell, McGinnity, Foreman and Robinson; Callahan and Sugden.

#### Boston Beat Detroit.

BOSTON, June 14.—Today's game was a batting contest, in which Boston excelled. Attendance 3100. Score:

| | R | H | E | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 16 | 18 | 1 | Detroit | 7 | 9 | 6 |

Batteries—Kellum, Young and Schreck; Cronin, Frisk and Buelow.

#### American League Standing.

| | Won. | Lost. | Per ct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 30 | 14 | .682 |
| Detroit | 23 | 19 | .548 |
| Washington | 19 | 16 | .543 |
| Boston | 20 | 17 | .541 |
| Baltimore | 18 | 19 | .486 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 23 | .452 |
| Cleveland | 15 | 24 | .385 |
| Milwaukee | 14 | 28 | .333 |

#### Baseball League Movement.

BAKER CITY, June 14.—There is a movement on foot to organize a baseball league, to include the clubs of Pendleton, Baker City, La Grande, Huntington, Sumpter and Boise, Idaho.

### THE SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

#### Ethelbert Is the Favorite for the Great Race Today.

NEW YORK, June 14.—The suburban handicap will be run tomorrow. It may be run tomorrow. It may be that there are other races worth more money and a better class of horses entered, but the suburban has always been and always will be one of the great races of the year. The field this time will be a good one, although the winner of the Brooklyn handicap, Conroy, and probably Prince of Melbourne, winner of the realization last year, may not appear. The list of entries with the jockeys, as far as could be learned tonight, follows:

| Horse. | Weight. | Jockey. |
|---|---|---|
| Ethelbert | 126 | O'Connor |
| Alcedo | 112 | Walsh |
| Star Bright | 110 | Burns |
| Sidney Lucas | 110 | McCue |
| Prince McClurg | 108 | |
| Beau Gallant | 105 | Slack |
| Procession | 104 | |
| Killogram | 103 | Spencer |
| Watercure | 100 | Shaw |
| Toddy | 100 | Smith |
| Kamara | 100 | Odom |
| Blues | 98 | Cochran |
| All Gold | 97 | |
| Alfonso | 97 | |
| Alsike | 87 | D. O'Connor |

The prospects are for a fast track, so that the race will not be won by a fluke and scratches will not be many. Of course, there is no doubt of the favoritism of Ethelbert. He has been pointed up to this race since the opening of the season, and, although he has run in one race at Gravesend, it was only to get him out before the big event. His owner, Perry Belmont, is on his way to this country, after a trip to the English Derby, fully expecting to see his favorite win. It is more than likely that fully 90 per cent of the people at the track will expect to see the son of Eothin carry off the prize, and those who want to speculate on him will have to do so at about even money, providing Prince of Melbourne does not start. His last work for the race was fine, and his mile and a half in 2:36 with 129 pounds up is good enough to beat the best of them. Next in order of favoritism is Prince of Melbourne, as many expect to see him at the post. He was a good colt last year until he went amiss, but he is now sound and well. Star Bright is sure to have a following on his race when he covered a mile and a quarter in 2:06 4-5, with five pounds more on his back than he will have to carry tomorrow. Blues is down for support, which he would not have had if a 3-year-old had not won the Brooklyn handicap.

#### Winners at Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—Favorites succeeded in landing three events at Oakland today. The season will close tomorrow with a programme of seven events. Results:

Six furlongs, selling—Beau Monde won, Parsifal second, Senator Matts third; time, 1:15.

Four and a half furlongs, purse—Miss Wandelohr won, Marque second, Bandero third; time, 0:56.

One mile—Battus won, South Breeze second, Albert F. Dewey third; time, 1:41.

Mile and a quarter, over five hurdles—Mr. Rose won, Colonial Dame second, Titus third; time, 2:20½.

Mile and a sixteenth — Skillman won, Belle Simpson second, Amelia Strathmore third; time, 1:48½.

Seven furlongs—Granfor won, Verify second, Cogswell third; time, 1:27¾.

#### Races at Gravesend.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Gravesend summary:

About six furlongs, selling—Military won, His Royal Highness second, Candling third; time, 1:11 1-5.

Mile and 70 yards—The Puritan won, Collegian second, Alfonso third; time, 1:45 1-5.

Five furlongs—Rossignot won, Destitute second, Lady Mag third; time, 1:02 1-5.

Mile and an eighth—All Gold won, First Whip second, Rochester third; time, 1:53 4-5.

Five furlongs—Northern Star won, The Dancer second, Byrne of Roscoe third; time, 1:01 4-5.

Mile and a sixteenth—Andronicus won, Margravate second, Scurry third; time, 1:46 4-5.

#### Races at Newport.

CINCINNATI, June 14.—Newport summary:

Six furlongs, selling—Fucino won, Alice Scorpion second, Major Bell third; time, 1:19.

Five furlongs—Auchendrayne won, Durrell second, Nancy Dobyns third; time, 1:04¾.

Four and a half furlongs—Edna Kenner won, Rose Red second, Handrail third; time, 0:57¾.

Selling, mile and 70 yards—Baffled won, Hinsdale second, Charles Estes third; time, 1:45½.

Seven furlongs—Uledi won, Uterp second, Doja Seay third; time, 1:32¾.

Six furlongs, selling—Isaac won, Blenheim second, Pretty Rosie third; time, 1:18½.

#### Races at Harlem.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Harlem summary:

Five furlongs—Fred Ackerman won, Flaneur second, Mary Moore third; time, 1:02 3-5.

Four and a half furlongs—Jaubert won, Hargis second, Henry Zitt third; time, :56 3-5.

Steeplechase, short course—Filon d'Or won, Isen second; time, 3:45 4-5. No others finished.

Mile and an eighth—Lake Mills won, Plead second, Advance Guard third; time, 1:58.

Five furlongs, selling—Altona won, Lord Quex second, Major Tenny third; time, 1:03 2-5.

One mile—Impromptu won, John Drake second, Hylo third; time, 1:45 4-5.

#### Races at Sandowne Park.

LONDON, June 14. — Warren's Sweet Dixie, ridden by Reiff, won the Wadham plate at the Sandowne Park first Summer meeting today. The Bishop won the Sandringham foal stakes; Volpone (Jenkins) was second and Hastoe third. Seven horses started.

#### Spider Kelly Defeated.

DENVER, June 14.—Buddy King, colored, of Denver, was given the decision over Spider Kelly, of San Francisco, at the end of the sixth round at the Colorado Athletic Club tonight. The contest was to have been 10 rounds, but Kelly's seconds threw up the sponge at the end of the sixth, claiming Kelly had sustained a fractured rib in the fourth round. Both men were evenly matched, and neither had the advantage until the fifth, when King rushed Kelly to the ropes, where he landed at will, though with apparently little damage.

In the preliminaries, Ray Streaton, of Colorado Springs, lost the decision to Dave Barry, of Chicago, at the end of a six-round go. Jim Humphreys was given the decision over Bob Watkins, colored, at the end of the 10th round.

#### Downey Defeated Butler.

WORCESTER, Mass., June 14.—Harry Downey, of San Jose, Cal., won the 15-mile motor-paced race at the Coliseum tonight in hollow style from Tom Butler, of Cambridge. Time, 25:13 1-3.

#### Golf at Islay.

LONDON, June 15.—In the golf tournament in Islay, J. H. Taylor yesterday beat James Braid by one hole. Taylor thus gains the record prize of £100.


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#### His Life a Failure.

NEW YORK, June 14.—William Herford, an aged German, of Williamsburg, is dead by his own hand, having shot himself by the side of a workbench in his carpenter shop after realizing that at the end of 30 years' struggle to find the secret of perpetual motion he was as far as ever from the goal he sought. He was found with a bullet through his brain, his pipe clenched between his set teeth, and his head resting upon a piece of planking.

# FIVE NEW RECORDS MADE

## WORK OF ATHLETES IN THE BUFFALO STADIUM.

### Honors of the Day Went to the Detroit Athletic Club—The Meeting Will Close Today.

BUFFALO, June 14.—Five new American records for junior athletes were established on the stadium track and field today in a series of splendidly contested games arranged by the Amateur Athletic Union. The successful men and the nature and time of the performances were as follows:

Clark M. Liebbe, of Detroit Athletic Club, ran 100 yards in 10 1-5 seconds, cutting 1-5 of a second off the time of P. J. Walsh, of New York Athletic Club, ex-champion; Howard M. Hayes, of Detroit, ran 440 yards in 51 3-5 seconds, beating the record of W. G. Edwards, K. A. C., New York, of 52 1-5 seconds; F. R. Moulton, the Yale sprinter, running under the New York Athletic Club colors, went 220 yards in 22 2-5 seconds, beating the time of A. H. Kent, Pastime Athletic Club, New York, which was 23 1-5 seconds; J. J. Newson, of Detroit Athletic Club, ran the 220-yard hurdles in 26 2-5 seconds, which was 2-5 of a second better than the record of H. Arnold, Union Settlement Athletic Club, New York; both Leo T. Deming, of the American School of Osteopathy, with 21 feet 2½ inches, and W. J. Feldkamp, of Pastime Athletic Club, New York, with 21 feet 2¼ inches, beat the running broad jump record held by R. J. Inerney, of Pastime Athletic Club, New York, who went 20 feet 10 inches.

The honors of the day went to Detroit Athletic Club, whose men were foremost in the record-breaking and event winning. The meeting will close tomorrow with the senior American champions. The summary:

100-yard run, first heat, first and second men competing in final—J. S. Westney won, F. A. Sharpley, Central A. C., second; time, 10 3-5.

Second heat—Clark M. Liebbe, Detroit A. C., won; F. R. Houlton, N. Y. A. C., second; time, 10 2-5 seconds.

880-yard run—H. E. Hastings, N. Y. A. C., won; Irvine Orton, Toronto La Crosse Club, second; A. Mackenzie, Pastime A. C., New York, third; time, 2:03 1-5.

100-yard final heat—Clark Liebbe won, J. S. Westney second, F. R. Moulton third; time, 10 1-5 seconds. This is a new record for juniors.

120-yard hurdle—Walter Fishleigh won, W. J. Feldkamp second, Walter H. Powers third; time, 16 4-5 seconds.

Putting 16-pound shot—W. B. Gunn, Central A. C., Buffalo, 39 feet 5 inches; W. R. Knox, Aurelia Canoe Club, Toronto, second, 38 feet 10¾ inches; Robert W. Edgren, K. A. C., third; distance, 36 feet 6 inches.

Three-mile run—R. L. Sanford, K. A. C., New York, won; A. Mackenzie, Pastime A. C., New York, second; H. A. Allister, Central A. C., Buffalo, third; time, 14:41.

440-yard run—Howard H. Hayes, Detroit A. C., won; D. J. Brennan, Pastime A. C., New York, second; P. A. Sahles, K. A. C., New York, third; time, 0:51 2-5. This is a new record for juniors at the distance.

Pole vault—W. R. Knox, Aurelia Canoe Club, Toronto, won, 10 feet 4 inches; Henry J. Pettit, American School of Osteopathy, second, 10 feet; John Blackburn, Pastime A. C., New York, third, 10 feet. Pettit and Blackburn jumped off the tie; the former won, jumping 10 feet 4 inches.

Throwing 16-pound hammer—Robert W. Edgren, K. A. C., New York, won, 135 feet 5 inches; C. J. Dieges, Pastime A. C., New York, second, 97 feet 10 inches; James Monaghan, Pastime A. C., New York, third, 95 feet 11 inches.

Running broad jump—Leo T. Deming, American School of Osteopathy, won, 21 feet 2½ inches; W. J Feldkamp, Pastime A. C., second, 21 feet 2¼ inches; John Blackburn, Pastime A. C., third, 19 feet. Both Deming and Feldkamp broke the record.

220-yard hurdle—J. J. Newson, Detroit Athletic Club, won; time, 0:26 2-5.

Throwing the discus—D. H. Davis, Central Y. M. C. A., Buffalo, won; 103 feet 8½ inches.

220-yard run—F. R. Moulton, New York A. C., won; time, 0:22 2-5.

Throwing 38-pound weight—C. J. Dieges, Pastime A. C., New York, won; throw, 26 feet 4 inches.

Running high jump—Edward E. Mayer, Anchor A. C., Jersey City, won; 5 feet 7 inches.

Five-mile run—Jerry Pierce, Pastime, won; time, 28:55 3-5.

#### Open Golf Championship.

HAMILTON, Mass., June 14.—At the close of the first day's play in the open golf championship of the United States at the Miopia Hunt Club today, there were almost a dozen of the leading professional players in the country who are said to have a chance at one of the eight money prizes. The leader is Alexander, Smith, of Scotland, for three years professional at the Washington Park Club, Chicago. Following are the scores of the 11 who qualified:

Alexander Smith, Scotland, 164; Lawrence Auchterlone, Glenview, Chicago, 166; Willie Anderson, Pittsfield, 167; Stuart Gardiner, Garden City, N. Y., 168; Bernard Nichols, Boston, 169; David Brown, Crescent A. C., New York, 168; Willie Smith, Midlothian, Chicago, 170; A. G. Lockwood, Allston, 171; John Jones, Myopia, 171; John Park, Essex County, New Jersey, 171; George Low, Dyker Meadow, Brooklyn, 171.

## TO SAVE EXPENSE.

### Why Foreign Forces in China Are Being Reduced.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—The recent large reduction in foreign forces in China caused surprise in official quarters, but this reduction is now accounted for by the terms on which the indemnity was made up. When each country put in the amount of its claim it included an estimate of the military expenses running up to July 1 next. This was with the idea that it would take until July 1 to settle the indemnities. With the indemnity settled, each government will pay its own expenses in China after July 1. There was a natural desire, therefore, to reduce the cost of military expenses within the period covered by the indemnity, and this has led to the evacuation now going on.

### CAUSE OF BOXER TROUBLE.

#### MacDonald Says Yu Hsien Had Much to Do With the Uprising.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—In speaking of the recent troubles in China and the causes that brought about the Boxer uprising, Sir Claude MacDonald, British Minister to Japan, but formerly Minister to China, said:

"It was not due alone to the anti-missionary feeling, and the causes were far reaching. The acquisition of territory by the powers was one of the chief causes. It inflamed the minds of the officials of China, and, as they do and feel, the masses of the people follow. The people of China are a peaceful and industrious race, and do not look for trouble, but they are dominated by the Mandarins in every thought.

"In Northern China drought had existed for two years before the Boxer uprising, and many people were starving and desperate. It but needed a spark to inflame their minds against the foreign missions. The missionaries have done many things to earn the ill-will of the people. They are earnest in the cause of civilization and religion, but many of them have interfered in legal and domestic affairs of the Chinese people in their districts.

"The Boxer uprising was mainly due to the absence of good officials in the Province of Shan Si. The notorious Yu Hsien was Governor of that province, and was appointed, despite the protests of the Foreign Ministers. Yu Hsien was formerly Governor of Shan Tung Province, and his hostile attitude to foreigners was so pronounced that the entire diplomatic corps asked for his removal. The Empress and her advisers placed him in charge of Shan Si Province, where the majority of the missionaries were located. No foreigner is allowed in the interior of China, outside of the missionaries. They alone are allowed to go there, treaties providing for their presence. I could not go to the interior of China. A good official in Shan Si could have stopped the Boxer uprising at the start."

#### No Prospect for Arbitration.

PARIS, June 14.—Dispatches received here from Pekin today say the foreign Ministers are considering fresh proposals from Mr. Rockhill affecting the Chinese concessions looking to the payment of the indemnity. The proposals concern minor matters, and may or may not be accepted, but until they are disposed of the Ministers will not pronounce a decision as to the manner in which China is to pay the powers, though it is evidently settled that the British proposal will be accepted, all hope of the acceptance of the United States' suggestion to submit the matter to arbitration at The Hague seeming to have disappeared.

## A NOTED MATHEMATICIAN.

### Death of Professor Truman H. Safford, of Williams College.

NEW YORK, June 14.—President Truman Henry Safford, the mathematician and astronomer, whose death has just been announced, will be buried in the college burying ground at Williamstown, Mass. Since he first suffered an attack of paralysis in 1894, Professor Safford had been conducting several elective courses at Williams College. A widow, four sons, a daughter, Mrs. F. E. Dewey, of Milwaukee, Wis., survive him.

He was born at Royalton, Vt., 65 years ago. At an early age he attracted attention by his powers of calculation. He could mentally extract the square and cube root of numbers of nine and 10 places of figures, and could multiply four figures by four figures as rapidly as it could be done upon paper. In 1845, when he was 9 years old, and nine years before he was graduated from Harvard College, he prepared an almanac, and at the age of 14 he calculated the elliptic elements of the first comet of 1849. By a method of his own he abridged by one-fourth the labor of calculating the rising and setting of the moon. After long and difficult problems had been read to him once, he could give their result without effort. Professor Benjamin Pierce said of him in 1846 that his knowledge is "accompanied with powers of abstraction and concentration rarely possessed at any age except by minds of the highest order."

He spent several years at the Harvard observatory after his graduation, and between 1850 and 1862 he computed the orbits of many planets and comets. In 1865 he was appointed professor of astronomy in the University of Chicago and director of the Dearborn observatory, in which he discovered many new nebulæ. From 1869 to 1871 he was engaged upon the great catalogue of stars then in course of preparation by the co-operation of European and American astronomers.

Interrupted in this work by the Chicago fire of 1871, he was employed in latitude and longitude work in the territories by the United States Corps of Engineers, for whom he also prepared a catalogue of stars which was published by the War Department. He was called to the chair of astronomy at Williams College in 1878.

#### General Knefler.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 14.—General Knefler, Colonel of the famous Seventy-ninth Indiana Regiment in the Civil War, died tonight.

#### Misrepresenting the Case.

NEW YORK, June 14.—A dispatch to the Herald from Caracas, Venezuela, says:

Local newspapers have published articles to the effect that Charge dAffaires W. W. Russell, of the American Legation, has been instructed to notify the Venezuelan Government that the United States had severely reproved Minister Loomis for his conduct regarding the various questions pending between the two countries. The Washington correspondent of the Herald gives what is claimed to be an authoritative statement, which disproves the claims made by the Venezuelan papers. The statement follows:

"Instead of reproving Minister Loomis, the State Department has approved all his acts. He acted under instructions while in Venezuela, and carried out these instructions, and no evidence has been discovered that he deviated from them in a single instance. After his entire conduct had been carefully reviewed and examined, the most complete satisfaction was expressed as to his course."

#### Canadian Trackmen Will Strike.

MONTREAL, June 14.—It is stated today that the grievance committee of the railroad trackmen has reached the conclusion that an agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is impossible, and that an order has been sent out for a strike at 7 o'clock Monday morning. Two members of the committee have left Montreal.

# WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

## CROP REPORTS GIVE BUSINESS GREATER CONFIDENCE.

### Retail Operations Have Been Larger All Over the Country—Iron Industry Is Busy.

NEW YORK, June 14.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Confirmation by the Agricultural Bureau of recent private estimates of the wheat crop has given to business a tone of greater confidence. Retail operations, both East and West, are larger and distribution of merchandise by the wholesale trade is increasing in dry goods, boots and shoes. The labor situation is gradually mending, with the appreciation of the fact that in some directions manufacturers will be glad of a temporary shut-down of works.

Pig iron production on June 1 was at the rate of 314,505 tons weekly, according to statistics compiled by the Iron Age. This is about the expected increase for May, and establishes a new high-water mark. An interesting feature of the situation is the decrease of furnaces in blast to 252, which is 44 less than were actively employed February 1, 1900, when the weekly output was 298,014. Although new orders for pig iron have been light in recent weeks, actual deliveries on old contracts must have reached a heavy total, for furnace stocks June 1 were but 407,273 tons, a decrease of 30,565 tons during May. Conditions in this industry must be satisfactory if material is taken faster than it can be produced, notwithstanding a new record of output each month. Prices are easier. Bessemer pig showing a loss of about $9 a ton compared with the quotation in February last year, when the production was near present figures. This absence of inflation in prices is the best symptom in the market, and precludes a possibility of a collapse like last year. In finished products there is great activity, owing to the large amounts of goods to be delivered July 1. There is noted especially urgency for immediate shipment by consumers of plates, bars and structural shapes, the activity in building operations showing no diminution.

Seasonable weather has somewhat aroused the dry goods market. Forwardings of footwear from Boston have averaged over 100,000 cases weekly for some time, and shops are well engaged. Prices are steady. Scarcity of heavy sole leather sustains prices, but light weights are dull and weak.

Wheat declined to a more reasonable level with withdrawal of speculative support. The Government report of conditions on June 1 was chiefly responsible. Exports from the Atlantic Coast for the week, flour included were 2,935,983 bushels, as against 4,520,144 bushels in the previous week, and 3,081,926 bushels in the same week last year.

Failures for the week numbered 179 in the United States, against 162 last year, and 23 in Canada, against 21 last year.

### BRADSTREETS' REVIEW.

#### Demand for Cereals for Export the Largest in Many Weeks.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Bradstreets tomorrow will say:

Reports to Bradstreets show a further improvement in the volume and tone of distributive trade, which had its inception in the better weather and crop conditions. Following the check given to the crop damage enthusiasm by the June crop report, which can hardly be regarded as other than brilliant for wheat, comes assurances that the conditions of June 1, good as they undoubtedly were, have been further improved. What is true of the smaller cereals is also largely the case as to corn, though the latter is backward and needs warmth. A better business is noted in some lines of men's woolens and some makes of cheaper goods are reported heavily ordered ahead.

While the cereals are lower on good crop reports, quick support has come from the export demand, which has been the largest for weeks, and the decline has been temporarily, at least, arrested. One of the most satisfactory features of all is that after quite a period of dullness pig iron has been taken more freely at leading markets, and bars and plate have sold better, the latter even noting an advance. Pig iron production is shown to be proceeding at an unprecedented rate, but consumption appears to wait promptly upon output. Railroad earnings continue in diminished volume, and the only decidedly unfavorable feature deserving attention is the failure of the machinists' strike to be amicably settled, the prospect in fact being that the contest will be a long-drawn-out one.

The feature in iron and steel is the enlarged demand for Bessemer pig iron at Pittsburg for July and August delivery, with reports that the largest interest, the United States Steel Corporation, is buying heavily in the open market. In finished lines the feature is the enlarged inquiry and demand for bars and plates at Chicago and the advance of $2 per ton noted in the latter. After a long absence agricultural implement manufacturers are in the market for some good-sized lots. Wire and wire goods are in heavy demand, and deliveries are behind hand. Machinery manufacturers are cautious as to contracting ahead in view of stock uncertainties.

Shoe shipments from Eastern markets for the week have again passed the 100,000 case mark, despite the fact that factories are about through with their work on Summer orders. For the season shipments are now 118,000 cases ahead of last year. Efforts of heavy leather manufacturers to secure advances on these goods have driven some of the trade to lighter markets, which are more active. All Western markets report heavy sole leather firm and tending upward. Hides are strong, and the margin between the raw and unfinished product is a narrow one.

Wheat, including flour, shipments for the week aggregate 4,791,107 bushels, against 6,644,644 last week, 4,678,029 in the corresponding week of 1900; 2,799,471 in 1899, and 4,296,787 in 1898. From July 1 to date this season's wheat exports are 205,623,383 bushels, against 191,534,956 bushels last season, and 218,446,758 bushels in 1898-99.

Failures for the week in the United States number 188, against 163 last week, 180 in this week a year ago, 150 in 1899; 207 in 1898, and 226 in 1897. Canadian failures for the week number 17, against 24 last week, 23 in this week a year ago, 25 in 1899, and 19 in 1898.

### INFLUENCE OF CROP REPORT.

#### Pacific and Granger Stocks Enlivened.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Bradstreet's financial review tomorrow will say:

At the beginning of the present week prices showed an inclination to sell off, the unexpectedly unfavorable bank statement of last Saturday having created a feeling of hesitation. It does not seem that this extended to the larger class of market operators, and it is well understood in banking circles that the heavy increase of $21,000,000 in the loans last week was the result of special causes. Public participation was, however, lessened and the trading element on the floor of the Stock Exchange was encouraged to sell the market to some extent.

The Government crop report, which appeared after the close on Monday, was construed favorably, and the conclusion was drawn that the Western railroads will again enjoy a season of heavy traffic and large earnings. This led to support to the granger and Pacific stocks, while the street was bullishly impressed by further intimations of coming deals in connection with important railroad properties. The fact that money failed to harden appreciably also had an effect, and while the short interest which had been created was not large, covering by the professionals appeared on a scale sufficiently large to materially help the upward movement.

Lacking as the market does any degree of outside help or public buying, it was inclined at times to become rather dull and to sell off slightly, particularly when the large interests and the bull pools temporarily suspended the active support which they had been giving to their specialties. There was, however, an absence of selling pressure, and holders of stocks seemed encouraged to keep their securities on the prospect of good crops and the abundance of capital.

### TRADE IN CANADA.

#### In Eleven Months It Has Increased $11,000,000.

NEW YORK, June 14.—A special to the Journal of Commerce from Toronto, Ont., says the trade statement issued by the customs department for the 11 months ending May 31 last shows that the aggregate trade of the Dominion increased in that time by $11,000,000 over the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year. The indications are that the year's figures when they are made up will show a grand aggregate foreign trade of nearly $400,000,000.

It is specially noted that for the past 11 months the exports of Canadian manufactured articles increased over $2,000,000, which is an increase of about 17 per cent. The aggregate trade for the 11 months was $325,026,096, as compared with $326,596,476 for the same time last year, showing an increase of $11,430,520. There was a drop in the imports from $164,801,195 in 1900, to $162,202,634 for the past 11 months, or a decrease of $2,598,662. The exports show an increase of $14,229,382 as compared with the same time last year. The figures are $173,024,662, as against $158,795,280 in 1900.

In regard to the imports it should be pointed out that the entire decrease is made up in coin and bullion, and that the total imports of dutiable and free goods show a slight increase over the 11 months last year.

#### Its Forty-third Annual Report.

NEW YORK, June 14.—The Chamber of Commerce has made public its 43d annual report. Much attention was given to the question of state and municipal taxation. The report shows the transactions of the New York Clearing-House during the last few months, and says:

"For the last three years the exchanges of the New York Clearing-House were very much in excess of those of the London Clearing-House. The exchanges at the London house for 1900 were $43,540,000,000; at the New York house they were $52,634,201,557.

#### Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, June 14.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended June 13, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

| | Clearings. | Inc. | Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | $1,612,914,000 | 95.0 | .... |
| Boston | 136,931,000 | 20.8 | .... |
| Chicago | 150,976,000 | 14.5 | .... |
| Philadelphia | 140,043,000 | 30.6 | .... |
| St. Louis | 43,015,000 | 33.3 | .... |
| Pittsburg | 40,152,000 | 25.4 | .... |
| Baltimore | 25,674,000 | 13.7 | .... |
| San Francisco | 20,331,081 | .... | 1.1 |
| Cincinnati | 21,550,000 | 38.5 | .... |
| Kansas City | 17,152,000 | 20.6 | .... |
| New Orleans | 9,887,000 | 21.2 | .... |
| Minneapolis | 10,745,000 | .... | 18.6 |
| Detroit | 12,324,000 | 52.4 | .... |
| Cleveland | 14,529,000 | 23.4 | .... |
| Louisville | 8,625,000 | .... | .... |
| Providence | 6,447,000 | 6.0 | .... |
| Milwaukee | 6,156,000 | 4.6 | .... |
| St. Paul | 4,963,000 | 20.3 | .... |
| Buffalo | 6,267,000 | 26.2 | .... |
| Omaha | 6,562,000 | 2.7 | .... |
| Indianapolis | 8,427,000 | 30.4 | .... |
| Columbus, O. | 6,441,000 | 24.7 | .... |
| Savannah | 2,549,000 | .... | 10.6 |
| Denver | 4,432,000 | .... | 9.9 |
| Hartford | 2,680,000 | 4.6 | .... |
| Richmond | 4,108,000 | 11.1 | .... |
| Memphis | 3,243,000 | 31.8 | .... |
| Washington | 2,844,000 | .... | 12.4 |
| Peoria | 2,432,000 | 43.2 | .... |
| Rochester | 2,843,000 | 50.1 | .... |
| New Haven | 1,750,000 | 19.0 | .... |
| Worcester | 1,445,000 | 22.1 | .... |
| Atlanta | 1,800,000 | 24.8 | .... |
| Salt Lake | 4,159,000 | 121.9 | .... |
| Springfield, Mass. | 1,558,000 | 6.7 | .... |
| Fort Worth | 3,462,000 | 85.9 | .... |
| Portland, Me. | 1,310,000 | 24.7 | .... |
| Portland, Or. | 2,101,293 | .... | .... |
| St. Joseph | 5,451,000 | .... | 2.2 |
| Los Angeles | 3,307,000 | 32.1 | .... |
| Norfolk | 1,875,000 | .... | .... |
| Syracuse | 1,109,000 | .... | 1.7 |
| Des Moines | 1,871,000 | 18.0 | .... |
| Nashville | 1,425,000 | 3.9 | .... |
| Wilmington, Del. | 1,138,000 | 9.0 | .... |
| Fall River | 810,000 | 22.3 | .... |
| Scranton | 1,271,000 | 35.4 | .... |
| Grand Rapids | 1,215,000 | 5.0 | .... |
| Augusta, Ga. | 708,000 | 16.1 | .... |
| Lowell | 674,000 | 13.4 | .... |
| Dayton, O. | 1,133,000 | .... | 6.5 |
| Seattle | 2,942,000 | 27.7 | .... |
| Tacoma | 1,105,087 | .... | 2.4 |
| Spokane | 1,165,017 | 2.6 | .... |
| Sioux City | 1,242,000 | 5.9 | .... |
| New Bedford | 518,000 | 12.1 | .... |
| Knoxville, Tenn. | 637,000 | 7.9 | .... |
| Topeka | 890,000 | 31.3 | .... |
| Birmingham | 878,000 | 7.3 | .... |
| Wichita | 490,000 | .... | .... |
| Binghamton | 382,000 | 9.7 | .... |
| Lexington, Ky. | 438,000 | 25.1 | .... |
| Jacksonville, Fla. | 350,000 | 40.8 | .... |
| Kalamazoo | 384,000 | 2.9 | .... |
| Akron | 672,000 | 47.9 | .... |
| Wilkesbarre | 708,000 | .... | .... |
| Chattanooga | 422,000 | 6.2 | .... |
| Rockford, Ill. | 386,000 | 2.8 | .... |
| Canton, O. | 375,000 | 51.1 | .... |
| Springfield, O. | 315,000 | 9.5 | .... |
| Fargo, N. D. | 345,000 | 11.6 | .... |
| Sioux Falls, S. D. | 211,000 | 61.0 | .... |
| Fremont, Neb. | 148,000 | 9.6 | .... |
| Davenport | 747,000 | .... | 14.1 |
| Toledo | 2,336,000 | 8.9 | .... |
| Galveston | 5,502,000 | 22.9 | .... |
| Houston | 7,413,000 | 40.1 | .... |
| Evansville | 710,000 | .... | 20.7 |
| Macon | 555,000 | .... | 4.3 |
| Little Rock | 514,000 | 36.9 | .... |
| Helena | 648,000 | .... | 1.4 |
| Springfield | 492,000 | 27.7 | .... |
| Youngstown, O. | 455,000 | 21.1 | .... |
| Colorado Springs | 880,000 | .... | .... |
| Wheeling | 640,000 | .... | .... |
| Bloomington | 212,000 | 32.2 | .... |
| Chester, Pa. | 275,000 | .... | .... |
| Totals U. S. | $2,419,191,949 | 26.3 | .... |
| Totals outside N. Y. | 776,770,171 | 20.7 | .... |
| DOMINION OF CANADA. | | | |
| Montreal | $ 17,727,726 | 24.4 | .... |
| Toronto | 11,710,753 | 7.3 | .... |
| Winnipeg | 2,080,125 | .... | [illegible] |
| Halifax | 1,758,727 | 19.5 | .... |
| Hamilton | 798,720 | 4.8 | .... |
| St. John, N. B. | 810,720 | 13.8 | .... |
| Quebec | 1,584,293 | .... | .... |
| Vancouver | 1,131,930 | 28.8 | .... |
| Victoria | 611,529 | 2.0 | .... |
| Totals | $ 36,553,635 | 14.2 | .... |

#### Michigan National Committeeman.

CLEVELAND, June 14.—Senator Hanna today announced the appointment of Hon. J. Lodge, of Grand Rapids, Mich., as a member of the Republican National Committee, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. William Elliott, of Michigan.


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