ENGLISH CROP POOR

Hops in That Country Being Spoiled by Vermin.

GIVES MARKET STRENGTH

Plantation Reports Collected by the Kentish Observer Show Actual Conditions in the Producing Districts.

HOPS—Condition of English and Continental crops.
FRUIT—Watermelon season will open today.
VEGETABLES—First Florin tomatoes received.
EGGS—Hot weather checks demand.
POULTRY—Only Spring chickens wanted.
BUTTER — Front-street market weak.
CHEESE—Prices have upward tendency.

The Kentish Observer of June 28 printed detailed reports from English hop districts, showing the vine to have made good progress, but there was no decrease in the attack of vermin in spite of all efforts to check it. With these prospects of a short crop, the English market has steadily gained strength. The following plantation reports indicate the general conditions:

Canterbury—Under the influence of the warm, sunny weather the bine is growing well and in most grounds is nearing the tops of the poles and strings. There is little or no improvement in the matter of vermin, and even the grounds that have been washed are not clean.

Chilham—The hops are still infested with vermin. As soon as the fly is killed by persistent washing there is a lot of fresh fly in less than two days after. Mould has also made its appearance.

Hernhill—Hops in this neighborhood are anything but satisfactory. Where they were washed a few days ago and left fairly clean they are now black and shining with honeydew and full of fresh fly and lice. Although the weather has been of late more favorable, they have made but little progress. The outlook is bad.

Medway Valley—Aided by the warm weather, with brilliant sunshine, the bine has made considerable headway since last week, and is now about as forward as usual at this period of the season. There was a storm on Saturday night and the rain has benefited the plants, the color of which is all that could be desired. Vermin are still very troublesome. Even where washed three times the bine is still infested, and fresh arrivals of fly are reported by several growers.

Petham South and Waltham—The warm weather has induced growth and the plant looks a better color, but it has also caused the vermin to increase enormously, consequently washing has become general. Mould is reported from all quarters. The look out for hop growers is more gloomy than ever.

South Worcester—Hops improved last week during the warm days and nights, but the wind during Monday and Tuesday has knocked them about a great deal. They are still infested with blight.

Adolph Heller, of Prague, writes to the Observer under date of June 25 as follows:

The forcing weather of last week was very beneficial for the hop plant, which in all the Bohemian and other Austrian hop districts made a rapid progress in growth, and now is in most instances quite up to the usual for this time of the season. The attack of fly blight is still as severe as before, but the effects of this pest were counterchecked by the fast growth and the occasional warm rains which cleaned the plant of the honeydew. So far the prospects are much more cheerful than a week ago. The reports from those parts of the German plantations where the plant was vigorous are very similar to the Bohemian, but where the plant was weak it suffers very much of the vermin and is not likely to produce an average crop. Hop markets were not so active as the week before, but prices remain very firm.

WATERMELON SEASON OPENS TODAY.

Two Cars Will Be Received From California—Cantaloupes Overdue.

The produce trade is looking forward to the arrival of two cars of watermelons today as the real opening of the melon season. There is no doubt that the fruit will sell exceedingly well if it is in good condition. The price will probably be 2 or 3 cents a pound. The two cars of canteloupes that were overdue failed to put in an appearance. Deciduous fruits of all kinds sold well. Another lot of muscat grapes arrived from California. Fancy apricots were received from Yakima and brought $1.50 a box. The first Bartlett pears were received from San Francisco and were quoted at $2.25. A part of a car of lemons arrived.

Florin tomatoes made their appearance, but were too green to put on sale. Some corn received from The Dalles showed the effect of the heat.

Eggs Are Slow Sale.

The hot weather continues to have an adverse effect on the egg market. Buying has been checked and as the supply of Eastern eggs is plentiful, the market for the Oregon product has a downward tendency.

Spring chickens are in strong demand, but old chickens are slow sale. Receipts of all kinds are only fair.

The butter market shows no change. Stocks on Front street can only be cleaned up by making concessions. City creamery butter is steady. Cheese is strong.

Apple Line of Steamships.

The first steamship service ever operated exclusively for the exportation of American apples is now being arranged for by a firm of fruit importers of London. The ships will ply between Boston and London and Hull. Formerly it has been the custom to ship the apples on the large freight ships, but the business has grown so as to support a line of steamers. The steamships will sail every fortnight and will have a capacity of 20,000 barrels. The total exports of apples last season from all ports was 2,411,473 barrels.

Inspection of Fruit.

County Fruit Inspector Diech, accompanied by District Commissioner Reid, made the rounds of the produce district yesterday and condemned a quantity of apples unfit for sale. From now on the Inspector will keep a close watch on the supplies reaching the street as well as the fruit offered at the Italian market. This, with the field work done by the commissioners, will be of immense benefit to the fruit industry of the state.

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings of the leading cities of the Northwest yesterday were:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$ 993,252	$109,437
Seattle	1,439,680	228,908
Tacoma	699,710	69,281
Spokane	687,915	39,546

Hop Contracting Ceases.

If any hop contracts were written yesterday they were not reported in the local market. The statement by George Rose seems to have worked upon the views of growers to this extent. One prominent buyer confessed that he did not expect to get any more contracts under 11 cents, for the present at least. No transactions in spot hops have come to light since the purchases of Lachmund & Pincus, announced yesterday morning.

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

FLOUR — Patents, $4.10 per barrel; straights, $3.45; clears, $3.25@3.40; Valley, $3.50@3.65; Dakota hard wheat, patents, $5.40@5.60; clears, $4.25; graham, $3.50; whole wheat, $3.75; rye flour, local, $5; Eastern, $5.40; cornmeal, per bale, $1.90@2.20.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, city, $17; country, $18 per ton; middlings, $25.50@26; shorts, city, $18; country, $19 per ton; chop, U. S. Mills, $17.50; linseed dairy food, $18; Acalfa meal, $18 per ton.

WHEAT—Club, 70@71c; bluestem, 72@73c; red, 68@69c; Valley, 71c.

OATS—No. 1 white feed, $32; gray, $31 per ton.

BARLEY—Feed, $23.75 per ton; brewing, $24; rolled, $24.50@25.50.

RYE—$1.50 per cwt.

CEREAL FOODS—Rolled oats, cream, 90-pound sacks, $7; lower grades, $5.50@6.75; oatmeal, steel cut, 50-pound sacks, $8 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, $4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, $7.50 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, $4 per bale; split peas, $5 per 100-pound sacks; 25-pound boxes, $1.40; pearl barley, $4.25 per 100 pounds; 25-pound boxes, $1.25 per box, pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, $2.50 per bale.

HAY—Valley timothy, No. 1, $11@12.50 per ton; clover, $8.50@9; cheat, $8.50@7; grain hay, $7@8; alfalfa, $11.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

DOMESTIC FRUITS—Apples, $1.50@1.75 per box; apricots, $1.50@1.75; cherries, 4@8c per pound; currants, 9@10c; figs, black, $2; grapes, $2 per box; peaches, 75c@$1; pears, $1.50@2.25; plums, $1@1.25; Logan berries, $1.35@1.40 per crate; raspberries, $1.75@1.85; blackberries, 8c; gooseberries, 8c per pound.

MELONS — Cantaloupes, $2.50@3.50 per crate; watermelons, 3c per pound.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, $5@7 per box; oranges, Mediterranean sweets, $4.50; Valencias, $4.50@5; navels, $4.50@4.75; grapefruit, $4@4.50; pineapples, $3@4 per dozen; bananas, 5@5½c per pound; limes, 75c per 100.

FRESH VEGETABLES—Beans, 5@7c; cabbage, 1¾c per pound; corn, 25@35c per dozen; cucumbers, hothouse, 30@50c per dozen; field, 75c@$1 per box; egg plant, 35c per pound; lettuce, head, 25c per dozen; onions, 10@12½c per dozen; peas, 4@5c; peppers, 25c; radishes, 10@15c per dozen; rhubarb, 2@2½c per pound; spinach, 2@3c per pound; tomatoes, $1.25@2.25 per box; hothouse, $2.50@3.50; parsley, 25c; squash, $1@1.25 per crate.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, 90c@$1 per sack; carrots, $1@1.25 per sack; beets, $1.25@1.50 per sack; garlic, 10@12½c per pound.

ONIONS—New, red, 1¼@1½c per pound; new yellow, 1¾@2c per pound.

POTATOES—Buying prices: Fancy grades old Burbanks, 40@50c per sack; ordinary, nominal; new potatoes, 75c@$1.50.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 14c per pound; apricots, 13@15c; peaches, 12½@13c; pears, 11½@14c; Italian prunes, 5½@8c; California figs, white, in sacks, 5@6½c per pound; black, 4@5c; bricks, 12@14-ounce packages, 75@85c per box; Smyrna, 20c per pound, dates, Persian, 6@6½c per pound.

RAISINS—Seeded, 12-ounce packages, 8@8½c; 16-ounce, 9½@10c; loose muscatels, 2-crown, 6½@7c; 3-crown, 6¾@7¼c; 4-crown, 7@7½c; unbleached, seedless Sultanas, 6@7c; Thompson's fancy bleached, 10@11c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, $2; 2-crown, $1.75.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

BUTTER—City creameries: Extra creamery, 21½c per pound. State creameries: Fancy creamery, 17½@20c; store butter, 14@14½c.

EGGS—Oregon ranch, 21½@22c per dozen; Eastern, 20@21c.

CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 12½@13c; Young America, 13½@14c.

POULTRY—Average old hens, 12½@13c; mixed chickens, 11½@12c; fryers, 16@17c; broilers, 15@16½c; roosters, 9@10c; dressed chickens, 14@15c; turkeys, live, 16@17c; turkeys, dressed, choice, 17@22½c; geese, live, per pound, 8@8½c; ducks, 12½@13c; pigeons, $1@1.50, squabs, $1.75@2.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—Oregon, 1905, 11c; olds, 8c per pound.

WOOL—Eastern Oregon average best, 18@23½c; Valley, coarse, 22½@23½c; fine, 24c per pound.

MOHAIR—Choice, 28@30c per pound.

HIDES—Dry: No. 1, 16 pounds and up, per pound, 18@20c; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 18@21c per pound; dry salted bull and stags, one-third less than dry flint; culls, moth-eaten, badly cut, scored, murrain, hair-slipped, weatherbeaten or grubby, 2c to 3c per pound less. Salted hides: Steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, per pound, 10@11c; steers, sound, 50 to 60 pounds, 10@11c per pound; steers, sound, under 50 pounds, and cows, 9@10c per pound; stags and bulls, sound, 7c per pound, kip, sound, 15 to 30 pounds, 10c per pound; veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 11c per pound; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 11@12c per pound; green (unsalted), 1c per pound less; veals, 1c per pound less. Sheepskins: Shearlings, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 25@30c; short wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 50@60c; medium wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, $1.25@2; murrain pelts, from 10 to 20 per cent less, or 15@16c per pound. Horse hides: Salted, each, according to size, $1.50@2.50; dry, each, according to size, $1@1.50; colts' hides, each, 25@50c. Goatskins: Common, each, 15@25c, Angora, with wool on, each, 30c@$1.50.

FURS—No. 1 skins: Bearskins, as to size, each, $5@20; cubs, each, $1@3; badger, prime, each, 25@50c; cat, wild, with head perfect, 30@50c; house cat, 5@20c; fox, common gray, large prime, each, 50@70c; red, each, $3@5, cross, each, $5@15; silver and black, each, $100@300; fishers, each, $5@8; lynx, each, $4.50@6; mink, strictly No. 1, each, according to size, $1@3; marten, dark Northern, according to size and color, each, $10@15; pale pine, according to size and color, each, $2.50@4; muskrat, large, each, 12@15c; skunk, each, 40@60c; civet or pole cat, each, 5@15c; otter, large, prime skin, each, $6@10; panther with head and claws perfect, each, $2@5; raccoon, prime large, each, 50@75c; mountain wolf, with head perfect, each, $3.50@5; prairie (coyote), 60c@$1; wolverine, each, $6@8; beaver, per skin, large, $5@6; medium, $3@7; small, $1@1.50; kits, 50@75c.

BEESWAX—Good, clean and pure, 22@25c per pound.

TALLOW—Prime, per pound, 4@4½c; No. 2 and grease, 2@3c.

CASCARA SAGRADA (chittam bark)—New, 2@2½c per pound; 1904 and 1905, 3c in small lots, 3½@4c in carlots.

GRAIN BAGS—10@10¼c apiece.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

RICE—Imperial Japan No. 1, 5¼c; Southern Japan, 5.40c; head, 6.75c.

COFFEE—Mocha, 26@28c; Java, ordinary, 18@22c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; good, 16@18c; ordinary, 19@22c per pound; Columbia roast, cases, 100s, $14.75; 50s, $14.75; Arbuckle, $16.25; Lion, $14.75.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $1.75 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2.40, 1-pound flats, $1.10; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 90c; red, 1-pound talls, $1.25; sockeye, 1-pound talls, $1.70.

SUGAR—Sack basis, 100 pounds: Cube, $5.40; powdered, $5.15; dry granulated, $5.05; extra C, $4.60; golden C, $4.45; fruit sugar, $5.05. Advances over sack basis as follows: Barrels, 10c; ½-barrels, 25c, boxes, 50c per 100 pounds. Terms: On remittances within 15 days deduct ¼c per pound; if later than 15 days and within 30 days, deduct ⅛c. Sugar, granulated, $4.85 per 100 pounds; maple sugar, 15@18c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 15¾c per pound by sack; ¼c extra for less than sack; Brazil nuts, 16c; filberts, 16c; pecans, jumbos, 16c; extra large, 17c; almonds, 14½@15c; chestnuts, Italian, 12½@16c; Ohio, 20c; peanuts, raw, 7½c per pound; roasted, 9c; pinenuts, 10@12c; hictory nuts, 7½@8c; cocoanuts, 35@90c per dozen.

SALT—California dairy, $11 per ton; imitation Liverpool, $12 per ton; half-ground, 100s, $9; 50s, $9.50, lump Liverpool, $17.50.

BEANS—Small white, 4¼c; large white, 4½c; pink, 2¾c; bayou, 4¾c; Lima, 5¾c; Mexican red, 4½c.

Provisions and Canned Meats.

BACON—Fancy breakfast, 20c per pound; standard breakfast, 18c; choice, 17c; English, 11 to 14 pounds, 16c; peach, 15c.

HAMS—10 to 14 pounds, 16c per pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 15½c; 18 to 20 pounds, 15½c; California (picnic), 12c; cottage, none; shoulders, 11½c; boiled, 23c; boiled picnic, boneless, 18c.

PICKLED GOODS—Pork, barrels, $21; ½-barrels, $11; beef, barrels, $11; ½-barrels, $6.00.

SAUSAGE—Ham, 13c per pound; minced ham, 10c; Summer, choice dry, 17½c; bologna, long, 7c; weinerwurst, 10c; liver, 6c; pork, 9@10c; headcheese, 6c; blood, 6c; bologna sausage, link, 4½c.

DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears, dry salt, 11¾c; smoked, 12¾c; clear backs, dry salt, 11¾c; smoked, 12¾c; clear bellies, 14 to 17 pounds average, dry salt, 11¾c; smoked 13¾c; Oregon exports, 20 to 25 pounds average, dry salt 12c, smoked 13c; Union bellies, 10 to 18 pounds average, none.

LARD—Leaf lard, kettle rendered: Tierces 11¾c, tubs, 11½c; 50s, 11½c; 20s, 11¾c; 10s, 12c; 5s, 12¼c. Standard pure: Tierces, 10¼c; tubs, 10½c; 50s, 10½c; 20s, 10¾c; 10s, 11c; 5s, 11¼c. Compound: Tierces, 7½c; tubs, 7¾c; 50s, 7¾c; 10s, 8¼c; 5s, 8½c.

Oils.

TURPENTINE—Cases, 81c per gallon.

COAL—Cases, 19c per gallon; tanks, 12½c per gallon.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7¾c; 500-pound lots, 8c; less than 500-pound lots, 8¼c. (In 25-pound tin pails, 1c above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin pails, 1c above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin cans, 100 pounds per case, 2½c per pound above keg price.)

GASOLINE—Stove, cases, 24½c; 72 test, 27½c; 88 test, 35c; iron tanks, 19c.

LINSEED—Raw, in barrels, 47c; in cases, 53c; boiled, in barrels, 50c; in cases, 55c; 25-gallon lots, 1c less.

Dressed Meats.

VEAL—Dressed, 75 to 125 pounds, 6½@7c, 125 to 50 pounds, 7c; 150 to 200 pounds, 6c; 200 pounds and up, 5½@6c.

BEEF—Dressed bulls, 3c per pound; cows, 4½@5½c; country steers, 5@6c.

MUTTON—Dressed fancy, 7@8c per pound; ordinary, 5@6c; lambs, fancy, 8@8½c.

PORK—Dressed, 100 to 150 pounds, 8@8½c; 150 to 200 pounds, 7½@8c; 200 pounds and up, 7@7¼c.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

The following livestock prices were quoted in the local markets yesterday:

CATTLE—Best steers, $3.75@3.85; medium, $3.25@3.50; cows, $2.75; second-grade cows, $2.25; bulls, $1.50@2; calves, $4@4.50.

SHEEP—Clipped, $4; lambs, $5.

HOGS—$7@7.25; light, $6.50@6.75.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Chicago, Kansas City and Omaha.

CHICAGO, July 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000. Market, strong. Beeves, 4.10@6.30; stockers and feeders, $2.60@4.50; cows and heifers, $1.25@5.20; calves, $5.00@7.00; Texas fed steers, $3.90@5.90.

Hogs—Receipts today, 18,000; estimated tomorrow, 12,000. Market, 5c lower. Mixed and butchers, $6.45@6.92½; good to choice heavy, $6.70@6.90; rough, $6.30@6.45; light, $6.45@6.90; bulk of sales, $6.75@6.87½; pigs, $5.75@6.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 8000. Market, steady. Sheep, $4.60@6.15; lambs, $5.75@8.15.

OMAHA, Neb., July 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 1100. Market, steady. Native steers, $4.40@6.00; native cows and heifers, $3.00@4.40; stockers and feeders, $2.80@4.20; Westers steers, $3.50@4.75; canners, $1.50@2.75; bulls and stags, $2.50@4.20; calves, $3.00@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 8200. Market, 5c lower. Bulk of sales, $6.55@6.60; heavy, $6.55@6.70; mixed, $6.55@6.60; light, $6.55@6.70; Yorkers, $5.75@6.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 6500. Market, steady, yearlings, $5.65@6.25; lambs, $6.25@7.75, range wethers, $5.25@5.75; fed ewes, $4.75@5.40.

SAN FRANCISCO QUOTATIONS.

Prices Paid for Products in the Bay City Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—The following prices were quoted in the produce market today:

FRUITS—Apples, choice, $1.25; common, 50c@$1; bananas, 75c@$1.75; Mexican limes, $6.50@7; California lemons, choice, $3@3.50; common, $2.50; oranges, navels, $2.50@3.50; pineapples, $1.50@4.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, 50c; garlic, 4@5c; green peas, $1@1.25, string beans, 1@3c; asparagus, $1.25@1.75; tomatoes, $1@1.25.

EGGS—Store, 18@19c; fancy ranch, 20c.

POTATOES—Oregon Burbanks, 90c@$1.85.

POULTRY—Roosters, old, $5@7.50; do young, $5@6; broilers, small, nominal; broilers, large, $2@2.50; fryers, $3@3.50; hens, $3@4.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, 22c, creamery seconds, 19c; fancy dairy, 20½c; dairy seconds, 18½c; pickled, 16½@17c.

CHEESE—Young America, 13c; Eastern, 16½c; Western, 15c.

WOOL—Fall Humboldt and Mendocino, 16@18c; mountain, 9@11c; South Plains and San Joaquin, 9@11c.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $19@20; middlings, $22.50@28.

HAY—Wheat, $10.50@17.50; wheat and oats, $10@12, barley, $7@10; alfalfa, nominal; stock, nominal; straw, 30@50c per bale.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 1110 quarter sacks; wheat, 220 centals; barley, 503 centals; oats, 1650 centals; beans, 826 sacks; potatoes, 3700 sacks; bran, 345 sacks; middlings, 260 sacks, hay, 677 tons; wool, 502 bales; hides, 160.

Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alpha Con	$ .07	Julia	$ .05
Andes	.08	Justice	.04
Belcher	.20	Mexican	.65
Best & Belcher	.72	Occidental Con.	.74
Bullion	.21	Ophir	3.50
Caledonia	.32	Overman	.12
Challenge Con.	.10	Potosi	.11
Chollar	.11	Savage	.66
Confidence	.50	Scorpion	.07
Con. Cal. & V.	.91	Seg. Belcher	.03
Crown Point	.09	Sierra Nevada	.21
Exchequer	.40	Silver Hill	.82
Gould & Curry	.08	Union Con	.27
Hale & Nor	.84	Yellow Jacket	.10

NEW YORK, July 13.—Closing quotations:

Adams Con	$ .15	Little Chief	$ .05
Alice	2.50	Ontario	2.50
Breece	.30	Ophir	3.30
Brunswick C.	.30	Phoenix	.02
Comstock Tun.	.15	Potosi	.10
Con. Cal. & V.	.80	Savage	.60
Horn Silver	1.50	Sierra Nevada	.17
Iron Silver	5.25	Small Hopes	.30
Leadville Con.	.03	Standard	2.35

BOSTON, July 13.—Closing quotations:

Adventure	$ 5.25	N. Butte	$ 82.50
Allouez	32.12½	Mont C. & C.	2.06¼
Amalgamatd	93.00	Old Dominion	33.00
Am. Zinc	9.00	Osceola	98.00
Atlantic	13.25	Parrot	23.00
Bingham	25.00	Quincy	84.50
Centennial	17.75	Shannon	8.87½
Daly West	15.50	Tamarack	93.00
Cal. & Hecla	680.00	Trinity	7.75
Franklin	15.00	United Cop.	63.50
Granby	10.12½	U. S. Mining	33.50
Greene Con.	20.00	U. S. Oil	9.75
Isle Royale	16.00	Utah	22.50
Mass. Mining	7.00	Victoria	6.00
Michigan	10.00	Winona	4.25
Mohawk	58.00	Wolverine	136.00

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The London market recovered part of its recent losses, advancing about £1 12s 6d to £166 10s for spot and 22s 6d to £166 5s for futures. Locally, the market was firm in consequence with spot quoted at 36.25@36.50c

Copper was lower in London, losing £1 2s 6d and closing at £78 2s 2d for spot and £77 18s 6d for futures. Locally, the market continued dull and nominal. Lake, 18.37½@18.75c; electrolytic, 18.12½c, and casting, 17.75@18c.

Lead was 1s 3d higher at £16 7s 6d in London, but remained unchanged at 5.75c in the local market.

Spelter was unchanged in both markets, with London closing at £26 10s and New York at 5.75@5.97½c.

Iron was a little lower in the English market with standard foundry quoted at 40s 7d and Cleveland warrants 49s 10½d. Locally, there was no change.

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The market for evaporated apples is unchanged on spot and it is reported that sales have been made for December delivery at 6c. Prime are quoted at 11@11½c; choice, 11½@11¾c; fancy, 12c.

Prunes are in small supply on spot, quotations ranging from 7½@8¾c, according to grade.

Apricots are firm. Choice, 13c; extra choice, 13½c; fancy, 14@14½c.

Peaches are quiet and prices asked seem to be above buyers' views. Stocks on spot are small, however, and the tone of the market is steady. Choice, 10¾@11c; extra choice, 11¼@11½c; fancy, 11¾@12c; extra fancy, 12@12½c.

Raisins are unchanged.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The market for coffee futures closed barely steady, under moderate offerings at unchanged prices to a decline of 10 points. Sales for the day were reported of 13,750 bags including September at 6.25@6.30c; December, 6.50@6.55c. Spot Rio, steady; No. 7, 7⅞c; mild, firm.

Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 7-32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 23-32c; molasses sugar, 2 31-32c. Refined, steady; crushed, $5.40; powdered, $4.80; granulated, $4.70.

Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, July 13.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was weaker. Creameries, 15@15½c; dairies, 15@18c. Eggs, steady, at mark cases included, 12@14½c; firsts, 14½c; prime firsts, 16c; extras, 18c. Cheese, strong, 11@11¾c.

Wool at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, July 13.—Wool—Steady; territory and Western mediums, 24@28c; fine, medium, 18@22c; fine, 16@20c.

NO SUPPORT GIVEN

Wheat Prices at Chicago Slump on Selling.

TRADERS LET GO FREELY

Crop News From the Northwest Extremely Favorable to the Bears. Spring Wheat Yield Said to Be Record-Breaker.

CHICAGO, July 13.—Early in the day the market was inclined to be bullish, because of firmness at Liverpool, which was based upon wet weather in Russia, which is said to be interfering with the harvest. Several prominent traders sold wheat freely, and as support was lacking the market slumped sharply. Crop news from the American Northwest was extremely favorable to the bears, several reports claiming that the Spring wheat crop will be the largest ever raised. The market was further weakened by a considerable increase in prairie receipts. September opened a shade to ⅛@¼c higher at 79@79⅛c, advanced to 79⅝c, declined to 77¾@78c and closed weak ⅝c off at 78⅛@78⅜c.

Corn was firm the first hour, but weakened later. September closed ⅛@⅜c lower at 52⅛@52¼c.

Oats were weak. September closed ½@⅝c lower at 35⅜@35½c.

September pork broke sharply at the opening, but on good support by packers recovered quickly. Trading in general was light. At the close pork was up 2½c, lard was a shade lower and ribs were down 5c.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
July	$ .78¾	$ .78⅛	$ .77⅝	$ .77⅞
September	.79⅛	.79⅝	.77⅞	.78⅛
December	.80⅝	.81⅛	.79⅝	.80
CORN.				
July	.52⅝	.53⅛	.52	.52¼
September	.52½	.53	.52⅛	.52¼
May	.50¼	.50⅝	.49⅞	.50
OATS.				
July	.39	.39	.38⅝	.38⅝
September	.36	.36¼	.35⅝	.35½
December	.36⅝	.37	.36⅛	.36½
May	.38½	.38⅝	.38	.38⅛
MESS PORK.				
July	19.00	19.00	18.75	18.75
September	17.05	17.40	17.05	17.40
LARD.				
July	....	....	....	9.00
September	9.10	9.15	9.10	9.12½
October	9.17½	9.17½	9.15	9.17½
SHORT RIBS.				
July	9.17½	9.47½	9.45	9.47½
September	9.45	9.45	9.40	9.42½
October	9.20	9.22½	9.17½	9.20

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Easy.

Wheat—No. 2 Spring, 79½@81c; No. 3, 76@78c; No. 2 red, 79½c.

Corn—No. 2, 52¼@52½c; No. 2 yellow, 52¾c.

Oats—No. 2, 38¾c; No. 2 white, 39¾@40¼c; No. 3 white, 37@39¾c.

Rye—No. 2, 59c.

Barley—Good feeding, 40@41c; fair to choice malting, 43@50c.

Flaxseed—No. 1, $1.06½; No. 1 Northwestern, $1.10.

Timothy seed—Prime, $4@4.10.

Clover—Contract grades, $11.25.

Short ribs, sides—Loose, $9.40@9.50.

Mess pork—Per barrel, $18.75@19.

Lard—Per 100 pounds, $9.

Short clear sides—Boxed, $9.75@9.87½.

Whisky—Basis of high wines, $1.29.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	21,800	20,700
Wheat, bushels	188,000	30,500
Corn, bushels	275,800	427,100
Oats, bushels	237,500	247,200
Rye, bushels	1,000	750
Barley, bushels	14,300	1,000

Grain and Produce at New York.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Flour—Receipts, 12,000. Exports, 14,900. Steady but quiet.

Wheat—Receipts, 8000. Exports, 39,000. Spot easy; No. 2 red, 83¾c nominal; No. 2 red, 83¾c nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 82½c nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, 89c nominal f. o. b. afloat. Wheat opened steady on firm cables, but reacted under commission-house selling. After a second bulge on stronger outside markets, it became very weak under more bearish Northwest crop news and increased country acceptances, but rallied on a renewal of rust talk. The close was easy and ⅝@¾c net lower. May closed 88⅝c; July closed 84⅛c, September closed 84½c, December closed 86½c.

Hops—Quiet.

Hides and wool—Steady.

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—Wheat, quiet; barley, steady.

Spot quotations—Wheat—Shipping, $1.30@1.35; milling, $1.32½@1.42½. Barley—Feed, 95c@$1; brewing, $1@1.02½. Oats—Red, $1.30@1.40; white, $1.65@1.75; black, nominal.

Call board sales—Wheat, December, 28¾c; barley, December, 95¾c; corn, large yellow, $1.40@1.42½.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 13. — Wheat — July, 77⅝c; September, 77¾c; December, 78½c; May, 82c; No. 1 hard, 80⅝c; No. 1 Northern, 79⅝c; No. 2 Northern, 78½c.

Wheat at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, July 13.—Wheat—July, 6s 7½d; September, 6s 7½d, December, 6s 7½d. Weather fine.

Wheat at Tacoma.

TACOMA, July 13.—Wheat—Unchanged. Export, bluestem, 73c; club, 71c; red, 68c.

MARKET CLOSES FEVERISH

UNCERTAIN STATE OF SPECULATIVE SENTIMENT IN STOCKS.

Prices Yield Sharply Under Selling Pressure and Then Recover Part of Loss.

NEW YORK, July 13.—An extremely uncertain state of speculative sentiment developed in the stock market today after prices had yielded sharply under a continuance of the selling in evidence yesterday and then recovered with some semblance of strength. There was no important news development to account for the decrease in the selling pressure. Most of the demand was attributed to the uncovered professional short interest. The extent of the recovery was not sufficient to force bear accounts to cover. The intense dullness of the demand which developed on the recovery did not argue a feeling of great solicitude on the part of the bears of larger caliber, whose outstanding account is now believed to have reached large dimensions.

Some stress was laid on the prospect of a favorable bank statement tomorrow. Rates for call loans were in fact easy for a Friday, which is accepted as a more reliable index of the actual money situation than the bank statement itself. A resumption today of a strong demand for loans carrying over the end of the year was a true index of the money situation. Lenders are indisposed to place money for that length of time and by keeping funds in hand or in day to day loans they conduct to the ease of the call loans market. Banks have made apparently a small gain in cash on the week, none of the accepted estimates placing the figure at over $1,000,000. Rates for foreign exchange were lower, discounts yielded in London and sterling exchange rose in Paris, all these movements being calculated to facilitate a response to New York demand for gold.

The market tone was uncertain throughout and the closing was feverish on small dealings.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value, $1,179,000. United States 2s advanced ⅛ per cent on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Adams Express	......	.....	.....	240
Amalg. Copper	106,400	94¼	93⅝	93⅞
Am. Car & Fdy	2,800	33¼	32¾	32⅞
do. preferred	200	99	98½	98½
Am. Cotton Oil	400	29	29	28⅝
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	90
American Express	......	.....	.....	220
Am. Hd. & Lr. pfd.	100	27⅝	27⅝	27½
American Ice	1,900	58½	58	57⅝
Am. Linseed Oil	......	.....	.....	17
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	38
Am. Locomotive	26,500	63½	62½	63½
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	113
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	21,200	142¾	141¼	142
do. preferred	300	115½	115⅛	115⅝
Am. Sugar Ref.	1,400	129	128	128⅝
Am. Tobacco, pfd.	400	98¼	98	98½
Anaconda Mng. Co.	17,100	227½	224½	224½
Atchison	7,800	86¼	85⅝	86
do. preferred	300	99⅝	99⅝	99
Atlantic Coast Line	900	134	133	133¾
Baltimore & Ohio	2,909	115⅝	115⅛	115⅜
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	93
Brook. Rpd. Trans.	23,700	72½	71⅝	71⅛
Canadian Pacific	2,800	158¾	159	158
Central of N. J.	......	.....	.....	218
Chespk. & Ohio	800	54⅞	54¼	54¼
Chicago Gt. West.	600	16½	16½	16½
Chicago & N. W.	800	196	193	195¼
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	30,600	174⅛	172¼	173¼
Chi. Ter. & Trans.	......	.....	.....	12
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	32
C., C., C. & St. L.	400	91½	90¾	91¼
Colo. Fuel & Iron.	10,300	46½	44⅞	46½
Colo. & Southern.	1,700	32¼	31½	31¼
do. 1st preferred	......	.....	.....	66⅝
do. 2d preferred	100	46¼	46½	46
Consolidated Gas	2,800	136⅝	136¼	136½
Corn Products	2,000	18⅝	18¼	18⅝
do. preferred	500	76½	76	75½
Del. & Hudson	200	206	206	205
Dal., Lack. & W.	......	.....	.....	520
Denver & Rio G.	1,000	38⅝	37⅞	37⅞
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	83½
Dist. Securities	26,600	52¼	54⅛	55
Erie	10,200	39	38½	38⅝
do. 1st preferred.	1,100	76½	76	76¼
do. 2d preferred	1,500	65⅝	64⅝	65½
General Electric	200	160¼	160¼	160
Hocking Valley	......	.....	.....	134
Illinois Central	400	175	174	173½
Int. Paper	100	17½	17½	17¼
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	82½
Int. Pump	......	.....	.....	40
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	83
Iowa Central	......	.....	.....	24
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	45
K. C. Southern	......	.....	.....	23¼
do. preferred	500	49⅝	49	49¼
Louis. & Nash	3,400	140¼	138½	139⅝
Mexican Central	1,500	19¼	19	19
Minn. & St. Louis.	400	64½	64	63
M., St. P. & S.S.M.	300	151⅝	150½	150
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	169
Missouri Pacific	3,100	89¼	88½	89¼
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	8,700	31¼	31	31⅝
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	66
National Lead	2,000	72	71½	71¾
Nat. R. R. of Mex.	800	39½	37½	38½
N. Y. Central	1,300	129¼	128¼	128⅝
N. Y., Ont. & W.	1,200	46¼	45¼	45⅝
Norfolk & West.	1,100	85⅞	85	85⅛
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	90
North American	200	92	91¾	91¾
Pacific Mail	100	31	31	31¼
Pennsylvania	15,900	124⅝	123⅛	124½
People's Gas	800	88⅝	88	88¼
P., C. C. & St. L.	......	.....	.....	75
Pressed Steel Car.	1,700	44½	43	43¾
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	94½
Pull. Palace Car	......	.....	.....	217
Reading	65,400	117⅞	116⅛	116¼
do. 1st preferred.	......	.....	.....	90
do. 2d preferred	......	.....	.....	95
Republic Steel	600	24⅛	24	24¼
do. preferred	300	93	92⅛	93⅝
Rock Island Co.	2,000	23⅛	22½	22⅞
do. preferred	200	60¼	60	60
St. L. & S. F.	200	42	41	40
St. Louis S. W.	100	20½	20½	20¼
do. preferred	500	49½	48	48⅝
Southern Pacific	26,100	65⅞	65⅝	65¼
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	116
Southern Ry.	2,200	33⅛	32⅝	32⅞
do. preferred	......	.....	.....	97½
Tenn. Coal & Iron.	100	142	142	141½
Texas & Pacific	900	29⅞	29¼	29⅛
Tol., St. L. & W.	300	28	28	27⅞
do. preferred	800	43¼	43	43½
Union Pacific	5,200	141⅝	140⅛	141¼
do. preferred	100	91	94	92¾
U. S. Express	......	.....	.....	118
U. S. Realty	400	79	78	78
U. S. Rubber	3,500	39¼	38	39
do. preferred	100	104⅝	104⅞	104¼
U. S. Steel	62,900	33½	32⅝	32⅞
do. preferred	17,500	100¼	99½	100
Va. Car. Chemical.	800	32¼	32	31¾
do. preferred	100	106½	106½	105½
Wabash	500	19	18⅞	18⅞
do. preferred	200	44⅞	41½	44⅞
Wells Fargo Ex.	......	.....	.....	270
Westinghouse Elec.	......	.....	.....	150
Western Union	......	.....	.....	91
Wheeling & L. E.	......	.....	.....	18½
Wis. Central	......	.....	.....	228
do. preferred	200	44½	44½	44¼
Northern Pacific	10,100	198	195	197½
Central Leather	900	36	35	35¾
do. preferred	100	101⅛	101⅛	101⅝
Schloss Sheffield	700	69	68½	69
Great Northern	2,200	286⅝	284	286
Int. Met.	1,600	35½	34⅝	35½
do. preferred	600	73½	73	73¼

Total sales for the day, 554,500 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Closing quotations:

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	104	D. & R. G. 4s.	100½
do coupon	104	N. Y. C. G. 3½s.	96
U. S. 3s cshrdluetaoin		Nor. Pacific 3s.	76¾
do coupon	102¾	Nor. Pacific 4s.	104
U. S. new 4s reg.	128¾	So. Pacific 4s.	91¾
do coupon	129¼	Union Pacific 4s.	103¾
U. S. old 4s reg.	102¾	Wis. Central 4s.	89
do coupon	102¾	Jap. 4½s, 2d ser.	90⅞
Atchison Adj. 4s	95	Jap. 6s, 2d ser.	99

Stocks at London.

LONDON, July 13.—Consols for money, 87 13-16; consols for account, 87 15-16.

Anaconda	11⅝	Norfolk & West.	88¾
Atchison	88¾	do preferred	94
do preferred	106	Ontario & West.	48
Baltimore & O.	119¼	Pennsylvania	64¾
Can. Pacific	164	Rand Mines	5⅝
Ches. & Ohio	56¾	Reading	60¼
C. Gt. Western	17¾	do 1st pref.	46
C., M. & St. P.	178½	do 2d pref.	43
De Beers	17¼	So. Railway	34
D. & R. Grande	40	do preferred	102½
do preferred	87	So. Pacific	66¼
Erie	40	Union Pacific	145¼
do 1st pref.	80¼	do preferred	97½
do 2d pref.	69	U. S. Steel	34¾
Illinois Central	179½	do preferred	103¼
Louis. & Nash.	144½	Wabash	20
Mo., Kas. & T.	32¾	do preferred	46
N. Y. Central	132½	Spanish Fours	93

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Money on call, steady; highest, 3 per cent; lowest, 2¼ per cent; ruling rate, 2⅝ per cent; last loan, 2¾ per cent; closing bid, 2½ per cent; offered at 2¾ per cent. Time loans, strong; 60 days, 4½ per cent; 90 days, 4½@5 per cent; six months, 5½@5¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent.

Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.84.55@4.84.60 for demand, and at $4.81.80@4.81.85 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, $4.82½@4.85½. Commercial bills, $4.81⅝.

Mar silver, 65¼c.

Mexican dollars, 50¼c.

Bonds—Government, strong; railroad, irregular.

LONDON, July 13.—Bar silver, firm, 30⅛d per ounce. Money, 1¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3 1-16 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—Silver bars, 65¼c; Mexican dollars, 52c; sight drafts, 5c; telegraph drafts, 6c. Sterling on London, 60 days, $4.82⅝. Sterling on London, sight, $4.85.

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund shows:

Available cash balance, $172,300,823; gold coin and bullion, $95,735,395; gold certificates, $43,989,410.

New York Cotton Markets.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Cotton futures closed steady; July, 10.22c; August, 10.33c; September, 10.39c; November, 10.43c; December, 10.49c; January, 10.54c; February, 10.55c; March, 10.63c.

Imports of Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Total imports of dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending today were valued at $2,863,889.

Cannery Price of Royal Annes.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—(Special.)—The cannery price of Royal Anne cherries today was 6 cents a pound.

Bill Posters Taboo Devil.

CHICAGO, July 13.—The National Bill Posters' Association, at its meeting here yesterday, decided to eliminate devils in all forms from advertising matter distributed by the association. The principal reason given for the action taken was that such pictures "suggest evil." H. G. Sanders, of Pittsburg, made the only objection, saying that his interest lay entirely in his desire to oppose the sacrifice of so large a fund of artistic material as that made available by pictures of his Satanic majesty.

Benson Sails for Panama.

WASHINGTON, July 13. — Ernest S. Benson, general auditor for the Isthmian Canal Commission, will sail for the Isthmus today on the steamer Colon from New York.

TRAFFIC IS LARGER

June Railway Earnings 10 Per Cent Over Last Year's.

STEEL MILLS RESUME

Building Operations Continue Active Without Apparent Check—Scarcity of Labor in Almost All Lines.

NEW YORK, July 13.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Railroad earnings in June were 10.8 per cent larger than in 1905 and foreign commerce at this port for the last week shows an increase of $1,899,887 in imports and a loss of $794,622 in exports as compared with last year's figures.

Temporary ease in call money did not weaken time loans, which reflect the expectation of heavy shipments of currency to the interior for crop moving in the near future.

Many iron furnace and steel mills have resumed after a brief season of idleness for repairs, inventories and settlement of wage scales, so that the production is once more very heavy.

Failures this week numbered 202 in the United States against 223 last year and 21 in Canada, compared with 26 a year ago.

BUILDING CONTINUES.

Indications Point to Early Expansion in Grain Exports.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Bradstreet's summary of the state of trade will say tomorrow:

Building continues active without apparent check; the iron and steel trades report shorter than usual Summer shut-downs probable and the likelihood of large surplus supplies of wheat and corn lead to the hope that export trade will show expansion in a short time.

Railroad interests themselves have been surprised at the immense volume of business offering which has resulted in a gain in gross earnings of over 13 per cent for June as compared with the same month a year ago. The almost universal complaints of the scarcity of all kinds of labor are confirmatory of the reports of immense activity above noted.

Business failures for the week ending July 12 number 143 against 166 in 1905.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending July 12 are 1,592,345 bushels against 1,903,304 this week last year.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended July 12, with the percentage of increase and decrease compared with the corresponding week last year:

		P.C. Inc.	P.C. Dec.
New York*	$1,785,432,329	....	2.1
Chicago*	211,687,517	8.9	....
Boston*	159,242,694	3.3	....
Philadelphia*	147,699,144	8.8	....
St. Louis*	57,422,421	3.8	....
Pittsburg	51,345,540	3.8	....
San Francisco*	37,454,268	6.3	....
Baltimore*	31,791,311	22.8	....
Cincinnati	29,576,200	7.1	....
Kansas City*	23,857,304	1.4	....
New Orleans*	17,391,613	....	14.4
Minneapolis*	19,712,995	34.0	....
Cleveland*	18,360,764	3.9	....
Louisville*	12,820,937	1.1	....
Detroit	14,284,246	11.1	....
Los Angeles*	11,803,116	....	3.0
Omaha	9,380,175	8.6	....
Milwaukee*	10,559,050	20.6	....
Providence*	7,620,000	....	4.2
Buffalo*	8,399,506	23.2	....
Indianapolis*	8,235,315	....	5.4
St. Paul*	8,111,532	27.8	....
Denver	7,026,210	11.3	....
Seattle	9,301,265	46.3	....
Memphis	4,209,205	....	10.0
Fort Worth	6,151,926	54.5	....
Richmond	7,410,712	20.1	....
Columbus	5,507,700	10.2	....
Washington	6,077,778	13.5	....
St. Joseph*	4,677,283	14.1	....
Savannah*	4,181,229	....	15.1
Portland, Or*	6,048,369	29.2	....
Albany	5,764,194	20.8	....
Salt Lake City	4,978,365	9.0	....
Toledo, O*	4,558,905	12.4	....
Rochester	3,814,836	....	4.3
Atlanta*	4,730,880	3.0	....
Tacoma	3,730,380	12.6	....
Spokane, Wash*	4,437,611	41.4	....
Hartford	4,955,414	42.9	....
Nashville	3,780,147	14.8	....
Peoria	2,692,629	....	.1
Des Moines	2,843,751	8.0	....
New Haven	2,912,660	8.9	....
Grand Rapids	2,397,880	10.2	....
Norfolk	2,293,397	5.5	....
Augusta, Ga.	1,308,165	....	41.4
Springfield, Mass	2,235,070	14.6	....
Portland, Me	2,015,876	4.1	....
Dayton	2,219,178	17.4	....
Sioux City	1,797,458	11.1	....
Evansville	2,107,414	35.4	....
Birmingham*	1,894,707	17.7	....
Worcester	1,632,416	....	9.7
Syracuse	2,055,790	23.5	....
Charleston, S. C.	1,425,958	9.1	....
Mobile	1,979,359	38.1	....
Lincoln	1,272,923	....	....
Wilmington, Del.	1,405,234	7.8	....
Wichita	1,311,503	....	15.2
Wilkesbarre	1,241,351	14.6	....
Chattanooga	1,407,254	22.5	....
Davenport	1,115,490	24.7	....
Little Rock	1,198,465	.1	....
Kalamazoo, Mich.	980,930	37.2	....
Topeka	833,859	56.2	....
Wheeling, W. Va.	1,104,998	19.3	....
Macon	597,005	....	1.5
Springfield, Ill.	895,023	2.2	....
Fall River	782,688	4.1	....
Helena	767,806	....	.9
Lexington	761,388	14.6	....
Fargo, N. D.	563,274	6.8	....
New Bedford	581,965	....	15.0
Youngstown	538,762	....	9.5
Akron	686,250	....	7.2
Rockford, Ill.	613,780	2.3	....
Cedar Rapids, Ia.	619,009	34.7	....
Canton, O.	582,708	36.9	....
Binghamton	534,200	....	6.9
Chester, Pa.	513,828	....	.1
Lowell	533,947	....	4.1
Greensburg, Pa.	664,911	43.7	....
Bloomington, Ill.	380,437	4.1	....
Springfield, O.	425,490	5.1	....
Quincy, Ill.	410,026	....	2.6
Mansfield, O.	393,090	....	5.0
Decatur, Ill.	367,786	15.4	....
Sioux Falls, S. D.	404,526	87.4	....
Jacksonville, Ill.	305,809	17.7	....
Fremont, Neb.	236,409	25.3	....
South Bend, Ind.	514,209	....	....
Houston	16,605,048	38.9	....
Galveston	10,457,000	10.8	....
Fort Wayne	964,005	2.4	....
Total, U. S.	$2,844,129,002	1.3	....
CANADA.			
Montreal	$ 33,561,868	25.8	....
Toronto	25,157,209	17.5	....
Winnipeg	10,720,948	48.0	....
Ottawa	2,844,742	12.5	....
Halifax	2,014,755	5.2	....
Vancouver, B. C.	2,594,217	51.6	....
Quebec	2,017,955	18.0	....
Hamilton	1,683,293	24.9	....
St. John, N. B.	1,461,936	25.9	....
London, Ont.	1,437,313	32.0	....
Victoria, B. C.	1,343,927	98.3	....
Calgary	1,049,628	....	....
Total, Canada	$ 86,858,167	25.7	....

*Balances paid in cash.

GREEK HERO BARRED OUT

Principal Actor in Drama of Sea Has Trachoma.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Emmanuel Alexiadis, a Greek, and his young Spanish wife, Adelaida, who were wrecked in a small schooner off the Cuban coast a month ago, and subsequently brought to this port from Havana on the steamer Ripley, are held at Ellis Island, and will be deported because Emmanuel has trachoma. The couple were married six years ago in Galveston. They saved a small sum and planned to go into business at Havana, sailing for that port in a small schooner over a month ago. On the fourth day out of Galveston a squall came up and sent the schooner to the bottom.

Alexiadis, who is a powerful man, took his wife in his arms and leaped from the schooner before she sank. It was dark when he started with his wife on a two-mile swim to a small island on the west coast of Cuba. The couple reached land in safety, but were marooned for two days before a passing steamer sent out a boat and brought them to Havana. The British Consul at Havana helped Alexiadis to get passage to New York on the steamer Ripley. The Greek failed to take out naturalization papers when in Galveston, and as he is afflicted with trachoma he will be deported to Havana.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS.

Marriage Licenses.

CORTHELL-WHITE—Bert Corthell, 29; Lottie White, 25.

SMYSER-COFFEY—Clifford E. Smyser, 27, 73 Church street; Lillian Lenor Coffey, 23.

POTTER-RUSSELL—James M. Potter, 35, Seattle; Pearl H. Russell, 24.

OLSON-NELSON—John A. Olson, 27, 777 Roosevelt street; Ingoborg Nelson, 21.

COLE-COLE—Joe S. Cole, 53, Troutdale; Emma L. Cole, 40.

KANE-MILLER—Harold C. Kane, 25, 513 Rodney avenue; Maud M. Miller, 25.

Births.

JOHNSON—At Portland, July 8, to the wife of Arvid Johnson, a daughter.

SWETMAN—At Portland, July 11, to the wife of Prince W. Swetman, a daughter.

Deaths.

CEREGHINO—At 326 Front street, July 12, Giuseppe Cereghino, a native of Italy, aged 80 years, 7 months and 12 days.

KOEHLER—At 365 Twelfth street, July 12, Alice Elizabeth Koehler, a native of Oregon, aged 8 years, 9 months and 3 days.

LILLY—At St. Vincent's Hospital, July 13, Mrs. Samuel Lilly, a native of Oregon, aged 31 years, 4 months and 20 days. Remains taken to Wapato, Or., for interment.

M'GILLVARY—At 288 Fourteenth street, July 13, Napoleon B. McGillivary, a native of Canada, aged 81 years, 2 months and 15 days.

REICHARD—At 1741 East Eleventh street July 12, Jacob Reichard, a native of Ohio, aged 24 years, 4 months and 10 days.

TRAIN—At 680 East Burnside street, July 11, Mrs. Sarah V. Train, a native of Ohio, aged 72 years, 6 months and 15 days.

Building Permits.

D. RYMAN—Two-story frame barn, East Everett street, between Sixth and Seventh, $1000.

SENECA SMITH—Repair of bank, Washington street, between Second and Third, $150.

CHARLES GUERIN—Repair of dwelling, Tillamook street, between Rodney and Union, $300.

Real Estate Transfers.

I. B. Martin to Samuel Olson, lots 27, 28 and 29, block 20, Park View	$ 1,100
Roswell B. Lamson and Richard W. Montague, trustees for Helen Lamson Crary, to Thomas Papworth, 8½ lot 2 and N½ lot 3, block 26, city	30,000
George W. and Calla Kenney to Alfred Thompson, 14¼ acres section 10, T. 1 S., R. 3 E.	4,000
Bessie E. and L. H. Tarpley to W. M. Killingsworth, strip of land in section 6, T. 1 N., R. 1 E.	3,500
Title Guarantee & Trust Co. to William T. Joplin, lot 1 and E½ lot 2, block 14, Holladay Park Addition	1,050
Charles M. and Mary J. Frost to F. W. Torgler, lots 10 and 11, block 3, Delmar Shaver's Second Addition	2,450
George H. Balleray at al. to David McKeen, lot 2, block 120, East Portland	4,750
W. E. and L. J. Mitchell to Cynthia C. Richey, lots 7 and 16, block 68, Sellwood	1,500
Samuel R. and Blanche A. Sizelove to George K. Howitt, lots 5 and 6, Montavilla	2,200
The Alliance Trust Co., Ltd. to Lida B. McKitrick, undivided half of lot 5, block 21, East Portland	1,000
Antoine and Elizabeth Meyer to W. J. Patton, 19,285 square feet of land in sections 4, 5, 8 and 9, T. 1 S., R. 1 E.	1,000
Emma L. Cole to Fred Noble, parcel of land sout hside of alleyway leading from Macadam street to sawmill of Oregon & Washington Lumber Co., in South Portland	3,000
Total, including 27 minor deeds	$62,391

RAILROADS PLAN FIGHT

Will Resist Amendments to Interstate Commerce Law.

CHICAGO, July 13.—The amendments to the interstate commerce law, which were passed at the recent session of Congress, are to be discussed by general attorneys and solicitors of railroads running west of Chicago at a meeting here Monday. If it is decided to make a test case, the line of battle will be planned and all details arranged. This conference will be the outcome of several smaller ones which have been going on at the headquarters of the several great systems during this week. The Harriman conference has been in progress in the office of General Manager Stubbs, and at this representatives from each of the roads have been in attendance. Similar meetings have been held by the attorneys who represent the Rock Island-Frisco interests, the Santa Fe and the Hill lines.

The roads do not propose to surrender any of their rights to the commission without a fight, and as the law goes into effect in 60 days it was deemed advisable to consider the plan of campaign.

Charles E. Miller Ill.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Charles E. Miller, who recently resigned as a trustee of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, is seriously sick at his home in Southampton, L. I. He was a member of the old expenditures committee of that company, which passed the alleged padded bills paid to Lysander W. Lawrence & Co. and others. It was explained on their behalf that they had passed the bills as a matter of course, as they had the "O. K." of one of the vice-presidents. This, however, did not prevent the Mutual Life from bringing suit against Mr. Miller, Robert Oliphant and James C. Holden, the other members of the committee, for an accounting.

State Treasurer Beats Kansas.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 13.—In the case of the State of Kansas vs. State Treasurer Thomas T. Kelly, Judge Dana today handed down his decision for Mr. Kelly. Discrepancies and shortages in the office were alleged to have been found by a firm of accountants employed by the state. Judge Dana's decision is that if there were any discrepancies or shortages, Mr. Kelly is not liable.

Horsethief Killed in Illinois.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., July 13.—A man who gave the name of Frank Forrest, who tried to sell a horse today which he was soon after accused of having stolen, was chased through the streets by cowboys on bronchos from the stockyards, and was shot and killed by Policeman William Volts. Forrest had opened fire on the officer.

Baptist Young People Meet.

OMAHA, Neb., July 13.—The delegates to the international convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America began the programme of the day at 6:30 A. M. with three separate prayer meetings, all largely attended. Later four departmental meetings were held in various churches.

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