CROP WILL BE LIGHT

English Hop Yield Cut Down by Wet Weather.

LETTER FROM KOLA NEIS

Estimates the Yield at Not to Exceed 300,000 Hundredweight--Carmichael Buys Gilbert & Patterson Lot.

Kola Neis writes to The Oregonian from London under date of July 27 of hop crop conditions in England as follows:

"The continued cool and rainy weather has kept back the growth of the vines and, therefore, hops have not armed out as well as expected. It is now too late for the bine to make sufficient growth to produce a heavy crop. The bine is uneven and while they look very well in some gardens, in others hops show sickness in bine.

"This Summer there has been not so much washing done as usual, but there is some vermin in all districts. Since last week there has been a little increase in vermin.

"I do not think that the yield is likely to exceed 300,000 cwts. under favorable conditions. Some dealers estimate the crop at 270,000 cwts., but should unfavorable weather continue the yield will fall considerably short of this figure.

"There has been a little more business done during the last few days, but the market is not quotably higher. The unfavorable reports have the effect of checking the further decline of prices."

It was reported in the local market yesterday that John Carmichael bought the Gilbert & Patterson lot of 211 bales of 1909s at Salem at 12¾ cents. No surprise would be occasioned if a considerable block of spot hops were taken in the near future by exporters. There are 2500 bales or more of good export quality available. Yesterday's English cables reported the weather unsettled and the market unchanged.

A California letter announced that picking would begin in the Sacramento Valley on August 12. The market for spot Californians was dull and a shade weaker, but contracts, as in this state, were unobtainable at current rates.

PLENTY OF FRUIT OF ALL KINDS.

Front Street Heavily Stocked but Demand Is Good.

Front street was again heavily loaded with fruit yesterday, what amounted to practically two days' shipments coming in on top of the big stock carried over from Saturday. There was a brisk demand, however, and steady prices were maintained on all sound offerings. Soft stuff went at buyers' prices.

Over a car of Ashland early Crawford peaches arrived, and the quality being good, they sold well. The large sizes brought 75 cents. Three cars of California peaches were also received. Other arrivals included three cars of bananas in good condition and a car of California cantaloupes. The latter were quoted at $1.75@2.25 per crate.

Grapes of all kinds were plentiful. Early Oregon and California apples were in large supply and hard to move.

California Fruit Shipments.

The movement of California deciduous fruit is reported by the California Fruit Distributors as follows:

Peaches—As predicted last week, there has been a considerable falling off in the shipment of this variety of fruit during the past week and there will be a further decline in the coming week. There will be a reasonable quantity of fruit available, but the large supplies for the season have been exhausted. There will be ample supplies of our finest Yellow Clings available during the next two or three weeks.

Plums—A slight decline in shipments is to be noted, but not as great as was expected. The same varieties are going forward as were being shipped last week. It is not expected that plum shipments will keep up in volume for more than a few days.

Pears—Over 100 cars less of pears went out this last week than the preceding one. There will be a further decline during the coming week. Fall and Winter pears are reported as being a light crop.

Grapes—Nearly three times as many grapes went forward this week as during the preceding seven days. Varieties continue the same as last week. Increased quantities of Malagas are now going forward, and beginning the latter part of the week some fine Black Prince will be available in carlots. Grapes have been of unusually good quality so far and this is expected to prove true throughout the season.

EXPORTERS BUYING CLUB WHEAT.

Some Operations in Forty-Fold Are Also Reported—Bluestem Situation.

Exporters appeared in the market for club wheat yesterday and bought considerable quantities in the country on the tide water basis of 85 cents. There were also purchases of forty-fold by exporters at 87 cents. The bluestem situation is still strained. A few buyers continued to operate in the Walla Walla country close to the dollar mark, which keeps the country market for this variety excited. In some sections, farmers are said to be offering wheat more freely, but in general the disposition of growers is to hold back.

Local receipts in cars were reported by the Merchants' Exchange as follows:

	Wheat.	Barley.	Flour.	Oats.	Hay.
Monday	29	..	18	11	11
Year ago	22	1	2	4	22
Season to date	342	27	218	63	241
Year ago	94	8	133	49	72

The weekly grain statistics of the Merchants' Exchange follow:

American Visible Supply—

		Bushels.	Increase. Bushels.
Aug. 8,	1910	14,798,000	2,129,000
Aug. 9,	1909	8,193,000	585,000
Aug. 10,	1908	16,008,000	824,000
Aug. 12,	1907	48,183,000	168,000
Aug. 13,	1906	31,723,000	2,039,000
Aug. 14,	1905	12,809,000	134,000
Aug. 15,	1904	12,538,000	42,000
Aug. 10,	1903	12,190,000	*315,000
Aug. 11,	1902	21,773,000	*209,000
Aug. 12,	1901	28,219,000	*2,230,000
Aug. 13,	1900	48,218,000	683,000

*Decrease.

Quantities on Passage—

For	Week ending Aug. 6.	Week ending July 30.	Week ending Aug. 7, 09.
United King.	21,060,000	22,230,000	18,720,000
Continent	8,640,000	8,900,000	12,880,000
Totals	30,240,000	29,980,000	31,600,000

World's shipments principal exporting countries (flour included).

From	Week ending Aug. 6.	Week ending July 30.	Week ending Aug. 7, 09.
U. S. & Can.	1,276,000	1,247,000	1,434,000
Argentina	1,336,000	1,056,000	680,000
Australia	520,000	560,000	192,000
Danube Ports	1,168,000	840,000	1,616,000
Russia	1,752,000	2,760,000	1,880,000
India	1,752,000	2,000,000	2,776,000
Totals	9,136,000	7,263,000	8,498,000

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$1,522,554	$219,367
Seattle	1,782,989	148,553
Tacoma	1,037,955	55,870
Spokane	811,147	89,443

Poultry and Dairy Produce Firm.

There were fair receipts of poultry yesterday for Monday, but the demand was good and everything cleaned up at Saturday's prices. Eggs were steady at 28@28½ cents.

The cheese market is firm and local conditions would justify an advance, but for the check in the Eastern market. Butter is active and firm.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—Bluestem, 96@98c; club, 85@87c; red Russian, 84c; Valley, 92c; 40-fold, 87@88c; Turkey red, 90c.

FLOUR — Patents, $5.25 per barrel; straights, $4.30@4.95; export, $4; Valley, $3.40; graham, $3; whole wheat, quarters, $3.20.

HAY—Track prices: Timothy, Willamette Valley, $18@19 per ton; Eastern Oregon, $20@22; alfalfa, new, $12@15; grain hay, $15.

BARLEY—Feed and brewing, $24.50@25 per ton.

CORN—Whole, $32; cracked, $33 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $20 per ton; middlings, $30; shorts, $21@22; rolled barley, $25@26.

OATS—No. 1 white, $31@33 per ton.

Vegetables and Fruits.

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, new, 50c@$1.50 per box; apricots, $1@1.25 per box; plums, 75c@$1 per box; pears, $1.50@2 per box; peaches, 50c@$1.25 per box; grapes, 75c@$1.75; blackberries, $1.75 per crate; loganberries, $1.50 per crate.

MELONS—Watermelons, 90c@$1.25 per hundred; cantaloupes, $1.50@2.25 per crate.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, Valencias, $4.50@4.75; lemons, $7@8; grapefruit, $4@4.50 per box; bananas, 5½c per pound; pineapples, 6c per pound.

VEGETABLES—Beans, 3@5c pound; cabbage, 2½@2½c pound; cauliflower, $1.50 per doz; celery, 90c per dozen; corn, 25c per dozen; cucumbers, 50c per box; egg plant, 8@10c per pound; garlic, 8@10c per pound; green onions, 15c per dozen; peppers, 50c per box; radishes, 15@20c per dozen; squash, 50c per crate; tomatoes, 65c@$1 per box.

SACK VEGETABLES—Carrots, $1@1.25; beets, $1.50; parsnips, $1@1.25; turnips, $1.

POTATOES—New, $1.15@1.25 per hundred; sweet potatoes, 4½@5c per pound.

ONIONS—Walla Walla, $2.50 per sack. Oregon, $2@2.25 per sack.

Dairy and Country Produce.

BUTTER—City creamery, solid pack, 34c per pound; butter fat, 34c per pound; country store butter, 24c per pound.

EGGS—Oregon candled, 28@28½c per dozen.

CHEESE—Full cream, twins, 17½@18c per pound; Young America, 18½@19c.

POULTRY—Hens, 18c; Springs, 18c; ducks, 13@17c; geese, 10@11½c; turkeys, live, 20c; dressed, 22½@25c; squabs, $3 per dozen.

PORK—Fancy, 12c per pound.

VEAL—Fancy, 12½@13c per pound.

Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, 10c per pound; peaches, 7c; prunes, Italians, 4@5c; prunes, French, 4@5c; currants, 10c; apricots, 14c; dates, 7c per pound; figs, fancy white, 6½c; fancy black, 7c; choice black, 5½c.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $2 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2.85; 1-pound flats, $2.10; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 90c; red, 1-pound talls, $1.45; sockeye, 1-pound talls, $2.

COFFEE—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; good, 16@18c; ordinary, 12½@16c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 15c per pound; Brazil nuts, 13½@15c; filberts, 16c; almonds, 17c; pecans, 19c; cocoanuts, 90c@$1 per dozen.

SALT—Granulated, $12 per ton; half-ground, 100s, $7.00 per ton; 50s, $11 per ton.

BEANS—Small white, 5½c; large white, 4½c; Lima, 5½c; pink, 7c, red Mexicans, 7½c; bayou, 7½c.

RICE—No. 1 Japan, 4½c; cheaper grades, $3.50@4.50c; Southern head, 5½@7c.

HONEY—Choice, $3.25@3.50 per case; strained, 7c per pound.

SUGAR—Dry granulated, fruit and berry, $6.25; beet, $6.05; extra C, $5.75; golden C, $5.65; yellow D, $5.65; cubes (barrels), $5.65; powdered, $5.30; Dominos, $10.40@$16.90 per case. Terms on remittances within 15 days deduct ⅛c per pound, if later than 15 and within 30 days, deduct ¼c per pound. Maple sugar, 15@18c per pound.

Provisions.

HAMS—10 to 12 pounds, 22c; 12 to 14 pounds, 21½c; 14 to 16 pounds, 21c; 16 to 20 pounds, none; skinned, 22c; picnics, 15c; cottage roll, 18½c.

BACON—Fancy, 30c; standard, 29½c; choice, 28½c; English, 25½@25½c.

SMOKED MEATS—Beef tongues, 75c; dried beef sets, 22c; outsides, 20c; insides, 23c; knuckles, 22c.

DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears, dry salt, 16½c; smoked, 15c, backs, light, salt, 16½c; smoked, 15c; backs, heavy, salt, 16c; smoked, 17½c; export bellies, salt, 17c; smoked, 18½c.

PICKLED GOODS—Barrels, pigs' feet, $10; regular tripe, $10; honeycomb tripe, $12; lunch tongues, $22; lambs' tongues, $10.

LARD—Tens: Kettle rendered, 16½c; standard pure, 15½c; choice, 14½c; shortening, 11½c.

Oils.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw in barrels, $1.01; kettle boiled, in barrels, $1.03; raw, in cases, $1.08; kettle boiled, in cases, $1.08. Lots of 250 gallons, 1 cent less per gallon.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 92c; in wood barrels, 79½c.

COAL OIL—Water white in drums, iron white in drums or iron barrels, 14c; union kerosene in cases 2-5s, 21c; Aurora kerosene in cases, 2-5s, 21c.

GASOLINE—Union gasoline in bulk, 18c; union gasoline in cases, 2-5s, 25c; union motor spirit in bulk, 18c; union motor spirit in cases, 2-5s, 24c; No. 1 engine distillate in iron drums, 8½c; No. 1 engine distillate in cases 2-5s, 15½c; V., M. & P. naphtha in iron drums or barrels, 15c; V. M. & P. naphtha in cases, 2-5s, 22c.

BENZINE—Union benzine in iron drums or barrels, 15c; union benzine in cases, 2-5s, 22c; union stove distillate in iron drums, 7c.

Furs.

FURS—Prices paid for prime No. 1 skins: Mink, Northwest Canada and Alaska, $8@10; Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho and California, $5@7.50; British Columbia and Alaska Coast, $8@10; Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, $7. Lynx, Alaska and British Columbia, $35; Pacific Coast, $25. Raccoon, $1@1.50. Skunk, Canada, $2.50; Pacific Coast, $1@2. Wolf and coyote, Canada, $3@6; Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Nevada, $1.50@3. Beaver, Oregon, Washington, Canada, Alaska, $5.50@7; Idaho, Montana, $10; Utah, Wyoming, $6.50@7; cubs, $2@2.50. Otter, Canada, Alaska, $12.50@14; Oregon, Washington, Alaska, Canada, British Columbia, $3@4.50; Pacific Coast, $1.75@2.50. Gray fox, Pacific Coast, $1.50@2. Bear, black and brown, Alaska, Canada, $10@20; cubs, $12@15; Pacific Coast, $10@15; cubs, $12@15; Pacific Coast, $10@15; cubs, $5@7; grizzly, perfect, $25@35. Badger, $2. Muskrat, Canada, Alaska, 80c; Pacific Coast, 50@60c. Fisher, British Columbia, Alaska, $15@20; Pacific Coast, $9@10. Wolverine, $6@8. Silver fox, $300@500 fox, 40c. Ermine, 60c. Mountain lion, $5@ Cross fox, $10@12. Sea otter, $200@450. Blue fox, $8@10. White fox, $12@20. Swift 10. Ringtail cat, 25@75c. Civet cat, 10@ 20c. House cat, 5@25c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—1909 crop, 8@12½c, according to quality; olds, nominal; 1910 contracts, 13½c.

WOOL—Eastern Oregon, 13@17c pound; Valley, 18@20c per pound.

MOHAIR—Choice, 32@33c per pound.

CASCARA BARK—4½c per pound.

HIDES—Salted hides, 7@7½c per pound; salted calf, 13c; salted kip, 8c; salted stags, 6c; green hides, 1c less; dry hides, 16½@17c; dry calf, 17@18c; dry stags, 11@12c.

PELTS—Dry, 10½c; salted, butchers take-off, $1.15@1.40; Spring lambs, 25@45c.

GRAIN BAGS—In carlots, 5½c each.

Dairy Produce in the East.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Butter—Firmer; creamery specials, 29@29½c; extras, 28@28½c; third to firsts, 24@27c; state dairy common to finest, 22@27½c; process second to special, 22@25½c; Western factory, 22@23½c; Western creamery, 24@25c.

Cheese—Firm; state whole milk, special, 15@16½c; fancy, 14½c; do average prime, 14@14½c; do fair to good, 12½@13½c; do common, 9½@11½c; skims, full to special, 2½@12½c.

Eggs—Firmer; fresh, extra first, 20@22c; firsts, 18½@19½c; seconds, 16@17½c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8—Butter — Steady; creameries 23½@28c; dairies, 23@26c.

Eggs—Receipts, 7462; firm at mark, cases included, 10@14c; firsts, 17c; prime firsts, 18c.

Cheese—Steady; daisies, 15¼@15½c; twins, 14½@14¾c; Young Americans, 15¾@16c; long horns, 15¾@16c.

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Evaporated apples quiet, unchanged. On the spot fancy, 10½@11½c; choice, 8½@9c; prime, 8@8¼c; common to fair, 6@7c.

Prunes quiet, but owing to the small stocks, firmly held. Quotations range from 5@9½c for Californias up to 30-40s and 8@9½c for Oregons.

Apricots quiet and steady. Choice, 9¾@10c; extra choice, 10½@11c; fancy, 11@12½c.

Peaches, firm, inactive. Choice, 6½@6¾c; extra choice, 6¾@7½c; fancy, 7¼@7½c.

Raisins quiet, firm. Loose muscatels, 2¾@5¾c; choice to fancy seeded, 3¾@6¾c; seedless, 3¾@4½c; London layers, $1.20@1.25.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Aug. 8.—Butter—Firm, 29c. Output, 918,000 pounds.

CATTLE SALES GOOD

Trade at North Portland Yards on Active Scale.

PRICES HOLD STEADY

Receipts Are Liberal and Demand Satisfactory—Quality Generally Is Good—Hogs Sell at Top Prices.

The week opened with a good run of livestock of all kinds at the North Portland yards. A good demand developed and cattle sales were on an active scale. Hogs again sold at full values.

The bulk of the trading was in cattle. Several loads of good steers sold at $5.50 and there was one sale of a bunch of 31 head at $5.60, which was the best price paid during the day. Other lots moved at $5.25 and $5 and nothing went lower.

Cows had a range $4 and $4.50, while bulls sold at $4 and $5.

Three lots of hogs were disposed of, one bunch of 40 head bringing the top of the market, $10.25. The others sold at $10 and $10.20.

Receipts for Sunday and Monday were 716 cattle, 2440 sheep, 309 hogs and 1 horse.

Shippers of the stock were: William Shepherd, who drove in 1341 sheep; F. R. Howard, who drove in 8 hogs; McKinnon & Chandler, of Hilgard, 3 cars of sheep; M. Albertson, of Bellevue, Idaho, 3 cars of cattle; Jon Kennedy, of Bellevue, 7 cars of cattle; E. E. Willard, of Nampa, 2 cars of cattle; Masterson & Wiley, of Wallowa, 1 car of cattle and hogs; C. F. Walker, 7 cars of cattle from Enterprise, Joseph and Union; Kidwell & Caswell, of Durkee, 3 cars of cattle; C. G. Adams, of Lebanon, 1 car of hogs; C. Deering, of Salem, 1 horse; L. E. West, of Oakland, 1 car of cattle; O. W. Griffin, of Deer Island, 1 car of cattle, and A. D. Jones, by boat, 105 hogs.

The day's sales were as follows:

	Wt.	Price.
19 steers	1082	$5.50
1 steer	1050	5.50
1 steer	1250	5.50
18 steers	1421	5.50
22 cows	938	4.50
6 cows	973	4.50
18 cows	966	4.00
8 cows	976	4.00
2 steers	1080	3.50
18 steers	1192	5.50
5 steers	1147	5.50
5 steers	1163	5.50
1 bull	1300	4.00
52 steers	1085	5.25
7 steers	1098	5.25
1 cow	940	4.00
17 steers	1069	5.50
8 steers	1121	5.50
14 bulls	1281	4.00
2 bulls	1535	4.00
51 bulls	1348	5.00
1 steer	900	5.00
3 steers	1060	5.00
2 steers	1120	5.25
24 steers	1002	5.25
2 steers	975	5.25
22 cows	1432	4.25
4 cows	912	4.25
20 steers	1020	5.00
51 steers	1112	5.00
5 cows	1018	4.25
1 cow	1010	4.50
15 cows	1019	4.10
16 hogs	210	10.20
105 hogs	230	10.00
40 hogs	184	10.25
17 cows	1068	4.50

Prices quoted on the various classes of stock at the North Portland yards yesterday were as follows:

Beef steers, good to choice, $5.50@$5.75
Beef steers, fair to medium, 4.50@5.00
Cows and heifers, good to choice, 4.40@4.90
Cows and heifers, fair to medium, 3.60@4.15
Bulls, 3.00@3.75
Stags, 2.50@4.50
Calves, light, 5.75@6.75
Calves, heavy, 3.50@5.00
Hogs, top, 10.00@10.25
Hogs, fair to medium, 8.60@9.75
Sheep, best Mt. Adams wethers, 4.25@4.35
Sheep, best Valley wethers, 3.75@4.00
Sheep, fair to good wethers, 3.50@3.75
Sheep, best Valley ewes, 3.25@3.75
Lambs, choice Mt. Adams, 5.90@6.00
Lambs, choice Valley, 5.50@5.75

Eastern Livestock Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Cattle—Estimated receipts, 23,000. Market, steady to 10c up. Beeves, $4.90@8.35; Texas steers, $3.50@5.65; Western steers, $4.00@6.75; stockers and feeders, $4.06@6.25; cows and heifers, $2.70@6.65; calves, $6.50@8.50.

Hogs—Estimated receipts, 23,000. Market, 10c higher. Light, $8.40@9.00; mixed, $7.80@8.80; heavy, $7.45@8.85; rough, $7.45@7.65; good to choice heavy, $7.65@8.35; pigs, $8.40@9.05; bulk of sales, $7.85@8.20.

Sheep—Estimated receipts, 28,000. Market, steady. Native, $2.60@4.60; Western, $2.75@4.60; yearlings, $4.50@5.70; lambs, native, $4.50@7.15; Western, $4.75@7.15.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000. Market, steady. Native steers, $4.50@8.00; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.50; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.50; bulls, $3.00@4.00; calves, $3.75@7.00; Western steers, $4.00@7.20; Western cows, $2.50@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 5000. Market, 10c higher. Bulk of sales, $8.10@8.40; heavy, $8.00@8.25; packers and butchers, $8.10@8.45; light, $8.30@8.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 6000. Market, steady. Muttons, $3.75@4.50; lambs, $6.25@7.00; fed wethers and yearlings, $5.50@5.00; fed Western ewes, $5.00@4.00.

OMAHA, Aug. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 8300; market, steady. Native steers, $4.75@7.75; cows and heifers, $3@4.85; Western steers, $3.50@6.25; range cows and heifers, $2.75@4.00; canners, $2.25@3.25; stockers and feeders $3@5.65; calves, $3.50@6.50; bulls, stags, etc., $3.25@5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 2900; market, 10c to 15c higher. Heavy, $7.50@7.95; mixed, $7.80@8; light, $8@8.35; pigs, $7@8; bulk of sales, $7.75@8.

Sheep—Receipts, 24,000; market, steady to 10c lower. Yearlings, $4.50@5.20; wethers, $3.50@4.25; ewes, $3@4; lambs, $6@7.

STOCKS ARE AFFECTED

CROP REPORT AND COPPER STATISTICS CAUSE CONFUSION.

Prices Fluctuate Feverishly, but Rally Near the Close With Good Support.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The Government report on condition of grain crops on August 1 and July statistics of the Copper Producers' Association were the two items of news which attracted the greatest amount of attention in the financial district today. The effect was more of repression than of stimulation on speculative activity, as the appearance of the two reports did not occur until the session of the stock exchange was well advanced. The first effect of the Government crop report was to depress prices sharply, but a rally followed.

The Copper Producers' report was well received, more from its contrast with predictions of its contents than from positive betterment in trade conditions to be inferred from its showing. The impression had got abroad that a substantial increase in the surplus stocks on hand would be shown by the report. An increase of only 2,255,661 pounds was accepted, therefore, as an agreeable disappointment. A reduction in the month's production of 8,849,185 pounds compared with June indicated an extremely moderate restriction of output.

The rise in the copper stocks in response to the report was belated, following a long pause after the statistics were first published. The stocks broke again later, in common with the whole market, but showed vigorous resistance.

The confusion of sentiment over the actual situation in the stock market was accurately reflected in the feverish fluctuations which followed the appearance of the crop report in the last half hour of the stock market. But support was accorded the market and the rallying power of the coppers helped in sustaining the general list at the last. The more favorable weather conditions which have existed since the date of the report, both in the corn belt and in the Spring wheat region, neutralized the effect to some extent.

The engagement of additional gold in London today was in accordance with expectations. The British foreign trade statement for July, showing a considerable falling off in values of imports, does not promise well for the July statement of exports fro mthis country, which have been expected to show the June improvement in that item continued or extended.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $906,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Allis Chalmers pf.	.....	....	....	25
Amal Copper	20,700	65	63	64⅝
Am Agricultural	.....	....	....	41⅞
Am Beet Sugar	1,500	33¾	33⅛	33
American Can	900	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
Am Car & Fdy	600	45¾	45¼	45½
Am Cotton Oil	1,300	57¼	57¼	57
Am Hd & Lt pf.	200	27⅞	27⅞	27
Am Ice Securi	100	18¾	18¾	18¾
Am Linseed Oil	500	13¾	12¾	12¾
Am Locomotive	100	36	36	36
Am Smelt & Ref.	7,800	67⅞	65¼	66⅞
do preferred	.....	....	....	101½
Am Steel Fdy	100	44	44	43½
Am Sugar Ref	.....	....	....	117
Am Tel & Tel	400	132⅞	132	132⅛
Am Tobocco pf	.....	....	....	91⅛
Am Woolen	300	27⅞	27⅞	27
Anaconda Min Co.	1,400	40¼	39	39
Atchison	4,800	98	96¼	97⅝
do preferred	200	99¼	99¼	99
Atl Coast Line	200	108¾	108¾	107
Balt & Ohio	500	107	106½	107
Bethlehem Steel	.....	....	....	25
Brook Rap Tran	2,800	75⅝	74⅞	74⅞
Canadian Pacific	1,700	187½	186⅝	187⅛
Central Leather	1,200	34½	33½	33⅞
do preferred	.....	....	....	105
Central of N J	.....	....	....	280
Ches & Ohio	5,500	72½	71⅝	71⅞
Chicago & Alton	.....	....	....	40
Chicago Gt West	.....	....	....	23
do preferred	.....	....	....	43
Chicago & N W	700	142	142	141¾
C, M & St Paul	3,000	123	121⅞	122
C, C, C & St L	.....	....	....	71
Colo Fuel & Iron	500	28⅞	28	27½
Colo & Southern	.....	....	....	32
Consolidated Gas	1,100	128¼	126⅞	127½
Corn Products	100	13⅝	13⅝	13½
Del & Hudson	.....	....	....	158
D & R Grande	100	29	29	28½
do preferred	100	70	70	70
Distillers' Securi	200	27⅞	27⅞	27
Erie	1,800	24	23⅝	23⅝
do 1st preferred	300	39¼	39	38½
do 2d preferred	.....	....	....	29½
General Electric	400	142¼	141⅝	141
Gt Northern pf	3,900	124⅞	123⅛	123⅝
Gt Northern Ore	.....	....	....	52⅝
Illinois Central	.....	....	....	128½
Interborough Met	3,300	17¼	16⅞	16⅞
do preferred	1,000	47	46½	46½
Inter Harvester	3,600	90	88¼	89½
Inter-Marine pf	100	14½	14½	14½
Int Paper	.....	....	....	10
Int Pump	200	40	40	39½
Iowa Central	.....	....	....	19
K C Southern	200	27	27	26½
do preferred	100	60½	60½	59½
Laclede Gas	5,200	102⅝	101⅝	101⅝
Louisville & Nahv	400	138⅝	138⅝	138
Minn & St Louis	200	24¾	24¾	24¾
M. St P & S S M	900	131	128¾	128½
Mo, Kan & Texas	1,000	31½	31	31
do preferred	.....	....	....	62
Missouri Pacific	100	50	50	50
National Biscuit	.....	....	....	105
National Lead	600	51⅝	51	50
Mex Nat Ry 2d pf	1,000	28⅛	28	27
N Y Central	1,000	111⅝	111⅛	111
N Y, Ont & West	400	40⅛	39⅞	39
Norfolk & West	500	96½	95⅞	95⅞
North American	100	69¼	69¼	68
Northern Pacific	7,100	115⅝	114¾	114½
Pacific Mail	100	24½	24½	24½
Pennsylvania	4,300	128⅝	127⅞	127½
People's Gas	700	105½	105	105
P, C C & St L	.....	....	....	80
Pittsburg Coal	.....	....	....	14½
Pressed Steel Car	400	34	34	34
Pullman Pal Car	.....	....	....	157
Ry Steel Spring	400	30	30	29¼
Reading	81,900	139⅝	137¼	138½
Republic Steel	100	29½	29½	29¼
do preferred	100	90½	90½	90
Rock Island Co	4,200	30½	29⅛	29½
do preferred	700	62⅞	61⅝	60
St L & S F 2d pf	.....	....	....	38
St L Southwestern	.....	....	....	22
do preferred	.....	....	....	60
Sloss-Sheffield	400	58	56⅝	58
Southern Pacific	14,100	112⅝	111	112
Southern Railway	600	22½	22	22
do preferred	100	52	52	51½
Tenn Copper	700	23⅝	22½	23⅛
Texas & Pacific	200	25½	25½	25
Tol, St L & West	400	22¾	22½	22½
do preferred	400	48½	47⅞	47½
Union Pacific	47,700	164	162⅝	163¼
do preferred	400	94	94	90½
U S Realty	.....	....	....	65
U S Rubber	300	33½	33	32½
U S Steel	54,600	69	67⅞	68⅝
do preferred	1,300	115¼	114¾	114¾
Utah Copper	5,700	45½	44½	45¼
Va-Caro Chemical	400	57½	57½	57½
Wabash	400	17	16⅝	16⅝
do preferred	900	34	33¼	33⅝
Western Md	.....	....	....	42
Westinghouse Elec	100	59½	59½	58
Western Union	300	65	64⅝	64
Wheel & L Erie	.....	....	....	5¼

Total sales for the day, 377,200 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Closing quotations:

U. S. ref 2's reg.	100⅝	N. Y. C. gn 3½s	87⅞
do coupon	100⅝	No. Pacific 3s	79½
U. S. 3s reg.	101⅛	No. Pacific 4s	100
do coupon	101¼	Union Pacific 4s	100½
U. S. new 4s reg.	114⅝	Wis. Central 4s	91⅝
do coupon	114½	Japanese 4s	89

D. & R. G. 4s, 92⅝.

Eastern Mining Stocks.

BOSTON, Aug. 8.—Closing quotations:

Allouez	40½	Nevada Con.	20½
Amalg. Copper	64½	Nipissing Mines	10½
A. Z. L. & Sm.	22½	North Butte	27⅞
Arizona Com.	18¾	North Lake	9⅝
Atlantic	6	Old Dominion	37½
B & C C & S M.	14½	Osceola	130
Butte Coalition	18¾	Parrott (S. & C.)	14
Cal. & Arizona	56⅝	Quincy	72
Cal. & Hecla	525	Shannon	10½
Centennial	17	Superior	45½
Cop. Range C. Co.	64	Sup. & Bos Min.	9
E. Butte Cp. M.	7⅝	Sup. & Pitts Cop.	12
Franklin	11½	Tamarack	97
Giroux Con.	6⅝	U. S. Coal & Oil	34
Granby Con.	32	U. S. S. R. & M.	38
Green Cananea	7⅛	do preferred	47⅝
I. Royalle (Cop.)	18⅝	Utah Con.	24
Kerr Lake	39½	Utah Copper Co.	45
La Salle Copper	11¾	Winona	8
Miami Copper	21⅝	Wolverine	116
Mohawk	48		

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Prime mercantile paper closed 5½@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8350@4.8360 for 60-day bills and at $4.8370 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.83¾@4.83⅞.

Bar silver—53c.

Mexican dollars—44c.

Government bonds steady; railroad, steady.

Money easy, 1¼@1¾ per cent; ruling rate, 1½ per cent; closing bid, 1¼ per cent; offered at 1½ per cent.

Time loans steady and dull; 60 days, 3@3¼ per cent; 90 days, 3¾@4 per cent; 6 months, 4¾@5 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—Sterling, 60 days, 4.83¾; sight, $4.86.

Silver bars—53c.

Mexican dollars, 44c.

Drafts—Sight, 4c; telegraph, 7c.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Bar silver—Steady, 24½d per ounce.

Money—1@1¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2¼ per cent; three months' bills, 2¾ per cent.

Consols—For money, $1 1-8; for account, $1 3-16.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Exchange on New York, 15c discount.

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust funds—

Gold coin	$873,842,669
Silver dollars	489,529,000
Silver dollars of 1890	3,625,000
Silver certificates outstanding	489,529,000

General fund—

Standard silver dollars in general fund	$ 2,983,483
Current liabilities	101,601,679
Working balance in treasury office	20,834,014
In banks to credit of Treasurer of the United States	38,011,258
Subsidiary silver coin	20,304,500
Minor coin	1,122,295
Total balance in general fund	22,863,920

Gold Taken for America.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—America purchased $2,000,000 out of $3,000,000 available