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A GLEAM OF HOPE.

Bradstreet Reports a Better Outlook in the Industrial World.

Bradstreets says: The month of September closes with a rather better outlook in the industrial world than was apparent a week or 10 days ago. The reports as to the probability of a settlement of the anthracite coal strike which have been current for a couple of days seem to have a basis of fact and there is more than a likelihood that the most disturbing feature in the industrial situation for some time, is in process of elimination.

An encouraging feature in the iron and steel situation, is the number and character of foreign inquiries.

The demand for structural material continues steady and prices are firm. The fact that the tin plate scale remains unsettled produces but little effect. But little of significance is to be extracted from the movement of prices.

Wheat has been somewhat irregular, and prices shift listlessly, being about where they were this time last week. Absence of foreign demand owing probably to larger Russian shipments, coupled with higher freights, tended to the unsettlement.

Spot cotton is up on the week, but the general market had fluctuated nervously, influenced on the one hand by heavy port receipts, and on the other by apparent famine conditions. A satisfactory activity in distributive trade checked to some extent in certain localities by unseasonable weather and in others by a tendency to curtail operations pending the outcome of the electoral contest is disclosed by telegraphic advices.

Wheat, including flour shipments, for the week aggregated 4,242,810 bushels against 3,535,857 last week.

From July 1, to date, this season, wheat exports are 42,762,500 bushels, against 50,516,015 bushels last season.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Seattle Markets.

Onions, new, 1¼c.
Lettuce, hot house, $1 per crate.
Potatoes, new, $15.
Beets, per sack, 85c@$1.
Turnips, per sack, 75c.
Beans, wax, 4c.
Squash—4c.
Carrots, per sack, $1.00
Parsnips, per sack, $1.25.
Cauliflower, native, 75c.
Cucumbers—10@20c.
Cabbage, native and California, 2c per pounds.
Tomatoes—30@50c.
Butter—Creamery, 26c; dairy, 16@19c; ranch, 16c pound.
Eggs—26c.
Cheese—12c.
Poultry—12c; dressed, 14c; spring, 13@15c.
Hay—Puget Sound timothy, $12.00@13.00; choice Eastern Washington timothy, $19.00.
Corn—Whole, $23.00; cracked, $25; feed meal, $25.
Barley—Rolled or ground, per ton, $20.
Flour—Patent, per barrel, $3.50; blended straights, $3.25; California, $3.25; buckwheat flour, $6.00; graham, per barrel, $3.00; whole wheat flour, $3.25; rye flour, $3.80@4.00.
Millstuffs—Bran, per ton, $12.00; shorts, per ton, $14.00.
Feed—Chopped feed, $19.00 per ton; middlings, per ton, $20; oil cake meal, per ton, $30.00.
Fresh Meats—Choice dressed beef steers, price 7½c; cows, 7c; mutton 7½; pork, 8c; trimmed, 9c; veal, 9@11c.
Hams—Large, 13c; small, 13¼; breakfast bacon, 12c; dry salt sides, 8½c.

Portland Market.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 55@56c; Valley, 59c; Bluestem, 59c per bushel.
Flour—Best grades, $3.10; graham, $2.50.
Oats—Choice white, 42c; choice gray, 40c per bushel.
Barley—Feed barley, $15.00@15.50; brewing, $16.00 per ton.
Millstuffs—Bran, $14.50 ton; middlings, $20; shorts, $16; chop, $15 per ton.
Hay—Timothy, $12@13; clover, $7@7.50; Oregon wild hay, $6@7 per ton.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 45@55c; store, 30c.
Eggs—20c per dozen.
Cheese—Oregon full cream, 13c; Young America, 14c; new cheese 10c per pound.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, $2.50@3.50 per dozen; hens, $4.00; springs, $2.00@3.00; geese, $6.00@8.00 doz; ducks, $3.00@5.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 14c per pound.
Potatoes—40@55c per sack; sweets, 1¾c per pound.
Vegetables—Beets, $1; turnips, $1; per sack; garlic, 7c per pound; cabbage, 2c per pound; parsnips, 85c; onions, $1; carrots, $1.
Hops—New crop, 12½@14c per pound.
Wool—Valley, 15@16c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 10@13c; mohair, 25 per pound.
Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 3½c; dressed mutton, 6½@7c per pound.
Hogs—Gross, choice heavy, $5.75; light and feeders, $5.00; dressed, $6.00@6.50 per 100 pounds.
Beef—Gross, top steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $3.00@3.50; dressed beef, 6@7c per pound.
Veal—Large, 6½@7½c; small, 8@8½c per pound.

San Francisco Market.

Wool—Spring—Nevada, 11@13c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 10@14c; Valley, 16@18c; Northern, 9@10c.
Hops—Crop, 1900, 12@14c.
Butter—Fancy creamery 28c; do seconds, 26@27½c; fancy dairy, 25c; do seconds, 23c per pound.
Eggs—Store, 23c; fancy ranch, 33c.
Millstuffs — Middlings, $18.00 @ 22.00; bran, $15.50@16.50.
Hay—Wheat $8½@12½; wheat and oat $8.00@10.10; best barley $9.00 alfalfa, $6.50@7.50 per ton; straw, 25@37½c per bale.
Potatoes—Early Rose, 30@75c; Salinas Burbanks, 70c@$1.05; river Burbanks, 30@65c; new, 75c@$1.25.
Citrus Fruit—Oranges, Valencia, $2.75@3.25; Mexican limes, $4.00@5.00; California lemons 75c@$1.50; do choice $1.75@2.00 per box.
Tropical Fruits—Bananas, $1.50@2.50 per bunch; pineapples, nominal; Persian dates, 6@6¾c per pound.

HELD THE FORT.

John Barleycorn Proved Too Much for a Band of Hostile Indians.

An adventure with hostile Indians, seldom surpassed in critical peril and exciting situation, was that of a French Canadian some years ago at Fort Pierre au Calumet, on Lake Athabasca. One day, when the chief trader was absent on a visit to York factory, and the other men employed in the station were playing lacrosse upon the ice, this man and an Irishman named McTaggart were the only persons left in the fort.

Just then forty Chippewa "braves" who had pretended to have furs to sell, but who had really been watching an opportunity to plunder, came up to the fort and poured inside the stockade. Pierre, the Frenchman, had barely time to bar the main door when they rushed against it, showing plainly their unfriendly purpose. A parley with the chief, through a small side-trap, resulted in the withdrawal of the Indians outside the stockade and an agreement to admit the chief alone, with the furs. Pierre thus relates what followed:

I instructed my man, McTaggart, to watch when the Indians were well out of the yard, and when the chief came in to make a dash and fasten the outer gate. I then opened the door. McTaggart slipped out, but had not made one step when the chief struck him with his tomahawk, killing him instantly. The savage then darted through the half-open door, and, parrying a blow I aimed at him, he seized the bar which fastened the door and threw it outside.

I had by this time got hold of one of my pistols and pulled it at him as he came toward me, flourishing his bloody tomahawk. The bullet took effect, for the savage, with a frightful yell, staggered through the doorway, where his cries soon gathered his band about him.

Before I could fasten the door the whole gang had burst into the fort. I sprang behind some casks and hid myself there, feeling, however, sure that they would find and kill me. There can be no doubt about my fate if the savages had not been more eager for plunder and whisky than they were for vengeance.

As it was, one of them at once rushed to a cask of whisky, the head of which he stove in with his hatchet, and with the greatest eagerness the whole crowd began to help themselves to the contents.

That they would drink themselves drunk was now my only hope and opportunity, and I quietly kept out of sight behind the empty barrels to await events.

The idiotic abandon and general "cutting up" of the savages as they came under the influence of the whisky was very ludicrous; but you may be sure I kept my laughter to myself. In an hour all were hopelessly intoxicated, except one big fellow who seemed to have a stronger head than the rest.

I now felt that with my pistol in my hand I could fight at least on equal terms, if a fight was necessary; but the rascal precipitated matters by turning over the cask of whisky while climbing to reach some plunder that he wanted on an upper shelf. In doing this a live coal was jarred out of the stove into the liquor on the floor and the room was immediately in flames. The Indian who had caused the catastrophe sprang toward the door, but my pistol ended his career.

The whisky was soon consumed, as there was but little left, and the fire was put out without doing large damage, but many of the drunken savages on the floor were fatally burned. When the men came back from the lake and found so many dead Indians and saw the general ruin they were amazed, and supposed I deserved all the credit of the capture of the assailants, etc., when it was merely an accident that had accomplished it.

A Peter the Great "Boom."

We are about to witness the outbreak of a boom on Peter the Great similar to that which has raged for some years round the person of Napoleon. Sir Henry Irving, with all the world open to him, has chosen a play on Peter the Great, written by his son. Prof. Oscar Browning is about to publish a life of the inevitable Peter; and J. M. Graham's historical novel, "The Son of the Czar," has already attracted considerable attention, and will certainly be widely read, as it gives a powerful presentation of Russian life at the most critical epoch of Muscovite history. There is something significant in this renaissance of Peter the Great. The smaller states of Europe are vanishing, one by one, and everything points to eventual collision between the Teuton and the Slav. In the meantime everything that Holy Russia and the anointed person of the Kaiser can do to magnify their respective missions will certainly be accomplished.—Harper's Weekly.

An Original Order.

An order came to a wholesale hardware house one day last week.

That is, it was presumably an order, for it was written under a business heading and had all the general appearances.

The employe who opened the letter studied it and said it beat anything he had seen up to date.

He sent it to a member of the firm, who read it and threw up both hands.

Since then he has been showing it to his friends. It was written by a rural dealer, and is as follows:

"Gentlemen—Please send me at once two long-handled shovels, one dozen sixteen-inch hinges and two kegs of tenpenny nails. Yours truly,

"JOHN ROBINSON.

"P. S.—My son tells me we have plenty of above, so you need not send. J. R."—Chicago Tribune.

The Only One.

Miss Wellwood—Yes, I belong to the Daughters of the Revolution, and pride myself upon being the most distinguished member of the society.

Mr. Hargreaves—Indeed! I suppose you trace your lineage back to some man who was a lion in his day, eh?

Miss Wellwood—No, my great-great-grandfather was only a private, but from all that I can learn he seems to have been the only one in the whole army.—Cleveland Leader.

Curious Profession in China.

In China the detection of false coins is a skillful, prosperous profession, known as "shroffing," and is taught in special schools.

REASON OF HER LONG LIFE.

Queen Victoria's Longevity and Health Due to Regularity.

An eminent physician of this city who has recently returned from London, where he had opportunities of learning much of Queen Victoria's habits of life, is of the opinion that not only her longevity, but also her wonderful exemption from the ills and aches to which humans are ordinarily subject, are due to the fact of the extraordinary regularity which is followed in the daily routine of her majesty's life. Nothing makes a difference in this routine, for everything is arranged by rule and compass, in a fashion which no incidents whatsoever ever interfere with. The queen rises every morning at the same hour and retires at the same instant every night, her meals are served to the second, while her drives and airings are regulated with the same punctuality; indeed, the royal household of England far outlives any great public business institution for scrupulous and perfect punctuality. This state of affairs has gone on, year in, year out, ever since the death of the late lamented prince consort, whose very irregular and free and easy temperament frequently "got" a little on the queen's nerves and caused between the otherwise so united a couple a great many scenes which were the reverse of pleasant. So dear to Victoria is this abnormal punctuality that she has instilled it into all her children, and the Prince of Wales' household, for instance, is almost as noted for its accurate appreciation of time as is that of his royal mother. The prince during his entire lifetime has never as yet been known to be five minutes late for any meal, either in his own house or in anyone else's. On one occasion a very popular and well-known English duchess, famous for her unpunctuality, gave the greatest offense at Marlborough house because she was a few minutes late for dinner. As she entered the drawing-room the prince pointedly glanced at a small clock which stood on the mantel shelf. The duchess' quick eye observed the action and she knew at once that a long time would elapse before she was ever again likely to receive an invitation to dine with her future king. With a somewhat constrained laugh she exclaimed: "Why, sir, it is not that hour." "No," replied the prince, "you are only four minutes late, but I like to have all my clocks five minutes fast, for it keeps unpunctual people up to the mark."

MEXICO'S SCENIC WONDER.

Waterfall of Juanacactlan a Little Known but Picturesque Cataract.

The great waterfall of Juanacatlan is one of the grandest, though least known, scenic wonders of Mexico. The immediate approach to the falls is in itself an artist's dream of rural delights. Leaving the railroad at the little station of El Castillo, one is conveyed by a native tramcar for a distance of five miles through a beautiful circular valley thousands of acres in area and resembling in the graceful curves of its surrounding hills and the delicate tints of its labyrinths of wild flowers a mammoth seashell. At frequent intervals above the tops of the long grasses and tropical shrubs glimpses are caught of the broad, winding Rio de Santiago, its waters hastening onward to the sea.

Having traversed perhaps two-thirds of this enchanting landscape, one's ear gradually becomes conscious of a low, distant murmur, which steadily increases to a deep rumble, and from that to a mighty roar, and presently the tramcar comes to a standstill at the very brink of a high precipice, from which is viewed through clouds of vaporous mist the sight of thousands of tons of water plunging over a wall of gray granite in a steady, unbroken cataract 360 feet in width for a sheer distance of sixty feet in a seething, eddying vortex below.

For a time the mind is apt to be held in rapt contemplation of the spectacle; then, by degrees, the senses are awakened to the various characteristics, the exquisite effects and weird vagaries of the foaming, falling waters. At the extreme further shore a portion of the rushing flood is turned aside by a spur of granite and hurled against the face of the confining wall, from which it rebounds in a fine veil-like cascade, while from the top of the precipice on the nearer side long trailing vines droop down and reach out their tendrils as if in vain efforts to grasp the descending torrents.

Associated with these falls is a strange and beautiful phenomenon. It is the constant presence of myriads of gorgeous butterflies, which flit in and out of the rifts of the great cascade and to and fro through the clouds of drifting vapor, seemingly attracted and fascinated by the dazzling, buffeting avalanche of foam.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Shore Cargoes that Shift.

"Once in a while we read," said Mr. Bozzle, "that the ship So-and-So or the steamer So-and-So has returned to port, or has arrived, perhaps, with 'a decided list: cargo shifted.' Sometimes we see a land craft, a truck, with cargo shifted—a big pile of boxes, towering high, shaken over to one side or the other by continued jolting along on the side of the street on the slope.

"A load thus shifted can't be shaken back by running along on the opposite slope of the road; it is like a stick of wood that has been bent and kept bent till the grain is set; whatever you do with it the crook stays in.

"If care is exercised in turning corners and in navigating generally, the shifted load can usually be carried to its destination as it is without upsetting, though it may work harder; the experienced trackman knows just what can be done with it, and whether it has shifted so far as it will go, and all that. If it is so badly shifted as to make the operation of the truck difficult or dangerous, he hauls to one side by the curb and anchors—that is to say, he halts and unloads the shifted top courses of his cargo and then reloads and makes everything trim and secure and sets out again."

If wives didn't insist on their husbands working the lawn mower overtime there might be fewer grass widows.

If a man has short legs they can't belong to him.

A Cemetery for Dogs.

In Paris there has recently been opened a special cemetery for dogs where the deceased canines can be buried with as much pomp and be marked by as pretentious a headstone as their late masters can afford. Along the front of the cemetery grounds a handsome stone wall has been erected, and within the entrance on either side are the house of the concierge and the office. Directly in front of one entering is a handsome marble monument. A heavy relief in the stone represents the dog bearing a child on his back, and commemorates the saving of a little one lost in the snow of St. Bernard pass whom a St. Bernard dog found and brought to a safe refuge.

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Neither Bright Nor Shining.

Heine's wit was caustic. When forced into the arena to fight a silly duel, he said:

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This is so true that it is hard to understand why this popular bubble thus deftly pricked did not collapse for good and all.

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To make the Best of Things.

To make the best of things in the rightway is to let things make the best of us. My next duty may be one I do not enjoy, but for conscience' sake to do it as though I enjoyed it is to be made a better man. Something that is a great delight to me knocks at my door. To make the best of it is not only to enjoy it heartily, but "heartily as unto the Lord" who let me have it. Then by my joys I am made a better man. So with sorrow and disappointments. They are not meant to disfigure, but to transfigure me. Live with God, and all things shall be His servants, and work together for our good, and make the best of us.—S. S. Times.

Bubbles.

A bubble is bigger than a drop, but it does no more to fill the spring, for bubbles are but drops distended. Bubbles of pride, bubbles of hypocrisy and self-assertion, bubbles of outward seeming unhelped by inward worth, shine on the surface of the river of time, until God's finger touches them and they are gone. It may be well for some of us to pray that we may not be bubbles on the stream, deluding others by pretense of worth; but we need to pray also that we may not be bubble worshippers, caught by social pretense or intellectual arrogance and forgetful of the limitations of human thought and the revealing touch of the finger of God.

Sweet Breath I Love.

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Providence.

God is the Master of the scenes; we must not choose which part we shall act; it concerns us only to be careful that we do it well, always saying: "If this please God, let it be as it is;" and we who pray that God's will may be done on earth as it is Heaven must remember that the angels do whatsoever is commanded them and go wherever they are sent and refuse no circumstances; and if their employment be crossed by a higher degree, they sit down in peace and rejoice in the event.

Chinese Commercial Wealth.

The progress of China in the last 60 years is well illustratetd by the fact that when the Yangste valley was opened, about that many years ago, $500,000 represented all that the Chinese could buy or sell to foreigners, and a few small vessels carried all the freight and passengers. Now all the annual foreign trade of the Yangste is valued at over $100,000,000, and a larger fleet of ocean and local craft ply between Shanghai and Hankow than on the Columbia, Mississippi and Hudson rivers combined.

The renewing of an old orchard in the fall should be done by plowing it and turning the sod under, followed by an application of 10 bushels of air slacked lime per acre. A disk harrow may then be used, when a liberal coating of manure should be given, allowing it to remain on the surface of the ground as a mulch. Owing to the roots the plowing cannot be done close to the trees.

A Very Bad Combine is that of A Very Bad Sprain and A Very Black Bruise. It often happens, but just as often St. Jacobs Oil makes a clean, sure, prompt cure of both.

It Didn't Matter.

The Doctor—Above all things, madam, your husband musn't worry. Perhaps you'd better not show him my bill just now.

"But I did, doctor, and it didn't make any difference. He said he knew he couldn't pay it anyway.

What Will Become of China?

None can foresee the outcome of the quarrel between foreign powers over the division of China. It is interesting to watch the going to pieces of this race. Many people are also going to pieces because of dyspepsia, constipation and stomach diseases. Good health can be retained if we use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.

Some people spend so much of their time trying to be amiable that they haven't time to earn a living.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Roberts, Maple street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

Some insects, so Rev. Theodore Wood says in his recent book on the subject, have families of 40,000 children for whom life is simply one long unbroken dinner time. We are all regarded by a mosquito simply in the light of a full meal.

Nothing Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be.

This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

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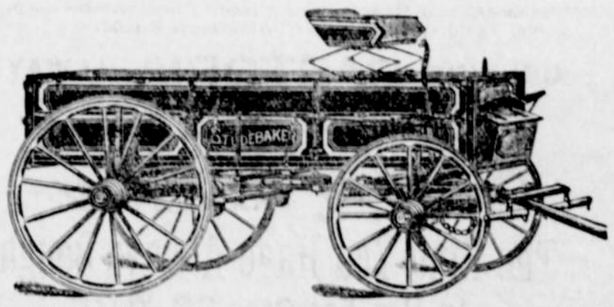

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