

IS JOGGING ALONG BUT THAT IS ALL

Financial World Sees Nothing to Stir it Up During the Week.

BUILDING OUTLOOK IS GOOD.

Fullness of Trade, Not Uncommon for January, Seems to be the Feature in All Commercial Lines.

Financial conditions during the past week are very similar to the former's, merely jogging along. There has been practically no change here or in the wider markets of the country. If there has been any change it is in the direction of an increased sluggishness, and the immediate future is not promising any unusual activity, although the outlook is hopeful in the building line in Salt Lake. That phase of industrial activity seems unabated. Henry Clews says in his last circular: A most unsatisfactory feature at the moment is the universal dullness of trade. January is proving a decided disappointment in this respect and the volume of business will unquestionably be considered below that of December. The iron trade is exceedingly quiet, and not employed to more than half of its capacity. Railroads have ceased placing orders mainly because they have satisfied present requirements and are inclined to postpone further orders in expectation of securing further concessions in value. Railroad traffic returns, are not satisfactory. The number shown by the continued large number of unemployed cars. Tariff agitation is also a deterrent to business, such as there is, and is not desired, but there are many who hesitate about making future commitments so long as there is uncertainty in this respect. It carries little weight with many, but tariff changes are possible within six months, or that the tariff will be revised by its friends and at a time when our industries were never so little in need of protection. Some of our industries have been so overworked for years that the mere suggestion of the withdrawal of support causes a shiver.

Time, however, will show that no injurious changes will be made and that ample period will be given for readjustment. With the close of March a new administration comes in, and Mr. Taft will undoubtedly call a special session of Congress to consider tariff changes, this being imperative for the readjustment of party pledges. Discussion may easily last until June or July, and new tariff acts do not usually go into effect until six months after passage. Judging by developments, the present tariff hearings a stiff fight will be made against injurious reductions, and because of weak Democratic opposition such efforts are likely to succeed. Nevertheless, in the eyes of many it will be a period of uncertainty and postponement, and right or wrong, such ideas will temporarily govern. Meanwhile, some of the largest industrial concerns dependent on the tariff are going along accepting all the orders they can secure without regard to tariff possibilities. It is also significant that importers' shelves are unusually bare of supplies; and large imports are expected in spite of possibly lower duties. The brightest spot in business at present is in cotton goods, for which there has been a good demand from the interior. The prevailing indications, however, are for a period of quiet and readjustment in general business which may last until tariff is settled, or some idea is obtainable regarding the next harvest.

HARDWARE.
The hardware trade is gratified with present conditions, and the outlook. Business for the month just closing is reported as \$1.3 per cent heavier than for the corresponding month of the previous year, and trade is more steady. Prospects are encouraging, and confidence continues to increase, though somewhat slowly as eastern capital is taking its time in drifting once more this way. Spring goods and general hardware are being shipped out, with ranges also, though for stores the season is past. Staple goods are in demand, and hardware, especially tools, tinware, builders' hardware, sheet metal goods, fencing in carload lots, with mining machinery doing better as time progresses, though somewhat slowly as yet. Collections are fair. Prices are likely to be a little lower for the next 20 or 30 days, as the products of the country are not being moved as readily as they would were the trade better.

LUMBER.
The lumber trade reports that the slump in the northwest during the last two weeks has seriously crippled mill operations; so that at present, 75 to 90 per cent of the mills have shut down. The result is that shipments are slow, and it does not look as though they would be resumed under 10 days to two weeks, in normal size. This, of course, affects the market. It is expected the mills are trying to get better prices, with the market softening perceptibly. Higher figures may therefore be anticipated for this lumber and shingles in the next week. Saw and shingle mills are already at a point where one can not tell what to expect in the next 24 hours.

REAL ESTATE.
The real estate market seems to have been a case, this week, of "nothing doing," and dealers are resting on their laurels, waiting as they claim until the legislature does something on the liquor question. The brick makers report their anticipations of a very heavy building year.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.
The defection of the wholesale dry goods market as to cotton goods has become so marked in the east, that Manager J. W. W. of Z. C. M. I. Wholesale dry goods department has gone to New York to attend auction sales of special lines of cottons by a number of mills which found themselves stocked up on really fine cottons.

Bad Taste

in your mouth removed while you wait—that's true. A Cascaet taken when the tongue is thick-coated with the nasty squamous feeling in stomach, brings relief. It's easy, natural way to help nature help you.

CASCARETS—see box—work a treatment. All druggists. Biggest seller in the world. Millions boxes a month.

One of the Essentials

of the happy homes of to-day is a vast fund of information as to the best methods of promoting health and happiness and right living and knowledge of the world's best products.

Products of actual excellence and reasonable claims truthfully presented and which have attained to world-wide acceptance through the approval of the Well-Informed of the World; not of individuals only, but of the many who have the happy faculty of selecting and obtaining the best the world affords.

One of the products of that class, of known component parts, an Ethical remedy, approved by physicians and commended by the Well-Informed of the World as a valuable and wholesome family laxative is the well-known Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

BUSINESS NOTES

The week has been somewhat dull in local stocks, but brokers are not in believing that with the steady loosening of money the price of the dividend payers will advance. But few changes have been noted since last week's quotations. The leading event of near-by interest is the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Consolidated Wagon & Machine Co., set for February 8, at which the question of increasing the capital stock and retiring the common stock will be considered. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Home Fire Insurance company occurs Monday next.

Following are the latest quotations:
Amalgamated Sugar Co., pfd. \$5.00
Beneficial Life Insurance Co., 180.00
Con. Wagon & Mach. Co., pfd. 112.00
Con. Wagon & Mach. Co., com. 34.00
Commercial National bank 125.00
Deseret National bank 200.00
Deseret Savings bank 350.00
First National bank, Ogden 210.00
Home Fire Insurance Co. 197.00
Heber J. Grant & Co. 130.00
Leviston Sugar Co. 15.00
National Bank of the Republic 140.00
Ogden Savings bank 250.00
Provo Com. & Savings bank 148.00
Rocky Mountain Bell Tel. Co. 60.00
State Bank of Utah 282.00
Sugar City Trust Co. 105.00
Thatcher Bros. Banking Co. 147.00
Utah-Idaho Sugar Co., pfd. 8.75
Utah-Idaho Sugar Co., com. 3.00
Utah National bank 125.00
Utah Savings & Trust Co. 110.00
Western Loan & Savings 106.00
Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co. 400.00
Z. C. M. I. 204.00

BONDS.
Salt Lake City Railroad 101.00
Sumpter Valley Railroad 103.00
Utah Co. Light & Power Co. 101.50
Utah Sugar Co. 105.00

EVERY MOTHER
Is or should be worried when the little ones have a cough or cold. It may lead to croup or pneumonia, or even to something more serious. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure the cough or cold, prevent complications, and is sold by Z. C. M. I. Drug Store, 112 and 114 South Main St.

UTAH RAISES LARGE FUND.

Total Contributed for Earthquake Sufferers Will Probably Reach \$10,000.

The total amount received on behalf of the Italian earthquake sufferers from the people in Utah was \$1,165.29, according to the figures compiled by Secretary J. E. Caine, yesterday. The committees at work in the mining camps throughout the state have asked that the fund be kept open until Monday, and it is expected that the total will be materially enlarged when these reports are received. A meeting of the general committee will be held at the Commercial club Tuesday night, when arrangements will be made for forwarding the money to Rome. It is believed that Utah's offering will run to more than \$10,000, which would be more than any other state in the intermountain country has given.

Teachers: The constant nervous strain of the schoolroom in low crows, feet, and colds, and the consequent ill health of the children, makes clear complexion, bright eyes, rosy lips, steady nerves, Tea or Tablets, 25 cents, and the Pitts Drug Co.

NOT A FUNNY JOKE.

About a week ago George Stevens and Bert Sprague came in from Garfield, where they had been working and took a long walk together. While Sprague was soundly sleeping, Stevens cut open a pocket of Stevens' clothing in which was sewed a note. Stevens took pocket-book and money and left the place. Within a short time he was arrested and locked in the county jail on the charge of grand larceny. He remained in jail a week or so and yesterday afternoon was taken before Justice of the Peace Stanley A. Hankin for preliminary hearing. The complainant, Sprague, refused to testify in the case, declaring the taking of the money was only a joke. Other state witnesses made the same statement and the court could do nothing else than discharge the defendant, but did so with the remark that he could see nothing so very funny about the alleged joke.

STORE QUARTERS ARE INADEQUATE

Big Crop of Removals of Business Firms Under Way Next Month.

SOME CHANGES SCHEDULED.

New Locations for Several Old-Time Institutions Are on the Program For the Coming Season.

It is about this time of year that annual movements are made by many business establishments to new locations, and already signs, generally of considerable dimensions, call public attention to the fact, with more or less striking reasons why the public should immediately step in and purchase before the removal sale stock is sold out. A number of firms are moving from sheer necessity, by special request of property owners, and find desirable locations so scarce as to occasion serious embarrassment. The Daynes Jewelry company, which has so long occupied the premises, 24 south Main street, will move March 10, to the Daft building, No. 128 Main street, which is to be given a new front at an expense of \$2,000. The jewelry company will share the first floor with the Success Hat company, a newly incorporated concern, while the floor above and part of the third floor is to be occupied by business offices, including the Salt Lake Pressed Brick company, Dr. Boyd, the Sadler Real Estate company, Pearce Insurance company, and others. When the Daynes company moves, the Burrows clothing company will remove from the premises, No. 32 Main street, to No. 26. The Burrows store will then be occupied by the real estate department of Heber J. Grant & Co., thus giving more room in the offices of the company on the floor above.

NEW FURNITURE CO.

The Margetts Book company and the New York & Western Piano company must vacate the premises No. 7 south Main street, Feb. 1, as the Standard Furniture company, recently organized, is to occupy the place. Neither of the present tenants has been able to find desirable locations, so they must store their goods until new business locations have been secured. Barton & Co., the clothiers, at 45-47 Main street, are to move; but as there is no compulsion in their case, the company will remain in the place until a desired place of business has been discovered.

W. J. POULTON PIANO CO. MOVES.

The Parkinson Bargain store, 116 State street, will remove March 1, to No. 130, now occupied by the Walter J. Poulton Piano company, the Five and Ten Cent store on Main street to move into the premises, 115 State street. The Poulton company will occupy offices at 215 Judge building until a location has been found. There will be some difficulty in filling the great Newhouse building, notwithstanding their immense size, as prospective tenants are steadily applying for offices. But information as to just who is going in there is not given out at the south building, with the great bronze doors and bronze grilles windows.

S. L. HARDWARE MOVE.

The Salt Lake Hardware move has been referred to in the "News," the company removing from the west Second South street quarters, where it has been located for so many years, to the Union block on south Main street, which will be extensively remodeled and improved for its new tenants. The firm of Cutler Bros. is expending \$2,000 in remodeling the store front, thus affording large and elegant show window space. Formerly Cutler Bros. remained with the firm, and will give his entire time now to his business duties.

The fine new building of Callaway, Hosack & Francis will be ready by March 1, when the firm leaves the Auerbach building further down the street, where it has been for so many years.

MOVIE STORES NEEDED.

What is particularly needed here now, and it is a crying need, is an increase of store quarters. In fact, things are at the point where an overflow from Main street into the west would occur, were buildings ready there for occupancy.

The Auerbach estate finds no trouble in running the store apartments on the Columbia street front. The difficulty is only in tenants that just suit. A fine drug store and soda fountain now occupies the eastern business space, while the western store, and the basement and apartments above the ground floor can be let or leased whenever the management of the estate desires. Manager White of the Louvre, it is understood, is an applicant for the basement, for cafe purposes, and may secure it. It is often remarked that if the unrighteousness nest on Commercial street could only be cleaned out the numerous saloons on First and Second South street to the east and west of Commercial street would move away, as their business would disappear contemporaneously with the disappearance of the dirty densities of the notorious thoroughfare. Then all that frontage would be available for legitimate business purposes, thus relieving the present congestion in more respectable quarters.

LIBERTY BELL SURELY COMING

Will be Met by School Children With Appropriate Exercises.

The famous Liberty bell, which is to visit Salt Lake next summer on its way to the Portland Rose carnival, from its present resting place in Philadelphia, will come to the city from Denver over the Rio Grande railroad, and will proceed from Salt Lake to Portland over the Oregon Short Line.

A decision to release the bell has been formally made by the Philadelphia city council, after a more or less spirited debate, which included the city papers. From the managers of the Rose carnival, who are to bring the bell west, Fisher Harris has received a communication giving the itinerary, but not the exact date of the summer on which it will arrive.

It is probable that the city school children will go in a body to the depot to hold exercises in honor of the Liberty bell, and possible that arrangements may be made to take the bell to some central location where all who wish may see it, and participate in exercises in honor of the occasion.

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Ayer's Hair Vigor

Falling Hair Dandruff
Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly destroys the germs that cause falling hair. It nourishes the hair, restores them to health. The hair stops falling out, grows more rapidly.
We wish you to positively and distinctly understand that Ayer's Hair Vigor does not affect the color of the hair, even to the slightest degree.

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AN EXPLANATION.

The reason for the popularity of the Fleur-de-Lis chocolates is that they are absolutely pure and of the very best quality. For sale at Willie's Home Drug Store, Smith Drug Store, Brigham Street Pharmacy and Halliday Drug.

New 25c Popular Music, 10c. This week. Clayton-Daynes Music Co.

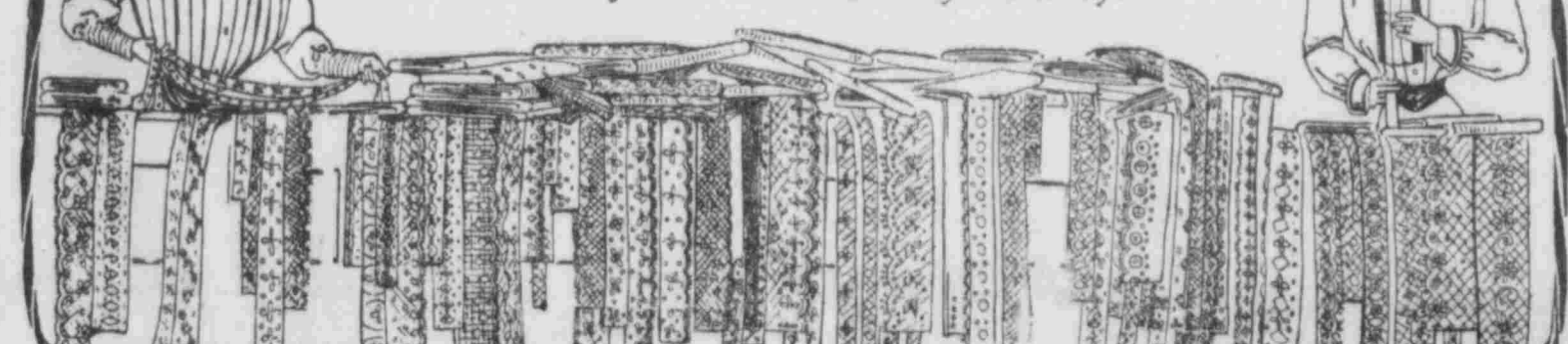
Salt Lake Photo and Supply Co. Kodaks, finishing, framing. 142 Main St.

Z. C. M. I. Embroidery And White Goods Sale

Four attractive Embroidery bargains await you Monday. In addition many White Goods money-saving opportunities will be in evidence in the Staple Department. Each price quoted will appeal to the careful housewife.

Clean-Up Sale of Embroideries

Edgings and Insertions of uncommonly attractive patterns, carefully selected for their durability as well as style. Better values than you ever received before. Make your selections early Monday.



Embroidery Edgings and Insertions, values up to 12½c a yard, nice variety of widths to select from, a yard **5c**
Embroidery Edgings and Insertions values up to 20c a yard, nice variety of widths to select from, a yard **10c**
A lot of fine narrow Swiss and Nain-sook Embroidery Edgings and Insertions (baby sets), values up to 25c a yard, for **12½c**
Corset Cover Embroidery and 18 inch Flouncings, values up to 40c a yard, for **25c**

White Goods Specials

LONSDALE MUSLIN, regularly sold at 12 1-2c a yard, in this sale— 10 yards for \$1.00	INDIAN HEAD SHEETING, regularly sold at 12 1-2c a yard, in this sale— 10 yards for \$1.00	INDIA LINONS, regularly sold at 12 1-2c a yard, in this sale— 10 yards for \$1.00
HOPE MUSLIN, regularly sold at 10c a yard, in this sale— 12 yards for \$1.00	GIB L. L. SHEETING, regularly sold at 8 1-3c a yard, in this sale— 16 yards for \$1.00	INDIA LINONS, regular sold at 15c a yard, in this sale— 8 yards for \$1.00
LONSDALE CAMBRIC, regularly sold at 15c a yard, in this sale— 9 yards for \$1.00	ALL CALICOES will be sold Monday and week at— 16 yards for \$1.00	INDIA LINONS, regularly sold at 20c a yard, in this sale— 6 yards for \$1.00
HONEST WIDTH SHEETING, regularly sold at 10c a yard, in this sale— 12 yards for \$1.00	INDIA LINONS, regularly sold at 10c a yard, in this sale— 12 yards for \$1.00	INDIA LINONS, regularly sold at 25c a yard, in this sale— 5 yards for \$1.00
INDIA LINONS, regularly sold at 35c a yard, in this sale 28c	PERSIAN LAWNS, regularly sold at 35c a yard, in this sale 28c	PERSIAN LAWNS, regularly sold at 40c a yard, in this sale 32c
PERSIAN LAWNS, regularly sold at 15c a yard, in this sale 12½c	PERSIAN LAWNS, regularly sold at 20c a yard, in this sale 16½c	PERSIAN LAWNS, regularly sold at 25c a yard, in this sale 20c
PERSIAN LAWNS, regularly sold at 25c a yard, in this sale 20c	PERSIAN LAWNS, regularly sold at 30c a yard, in this sale 24c	FLAXON LINEN THREAD FINISH, regularly sold at 25c a yard, in this sale 20c
FLAXON LINEN THREAD FINISH, regularly sold at 30c a yard, in this sale 24c		

All Other Cotton White Goods in Staple Dept. Included in this Sale

ALL MERCERIZED WHITE WAISTINGS, 47 inches wide, ranging in price from 25c to 50c a yard, in this sale 20c	NO. 120 ALL PURE LINEN CRASH, regularly sold at 15c a yard, in this sale 10c
STEVENS' XX BLEACHED CRASH, regularly sold at 16c a yard, in this sale 16c	COTTON TOWEL TWEED CRASH, regularly sold at 8 1-3c a yard, in this sale 6c
STEVENS' P BLEACHED CRASH, regularly sold at 15c a yard, in this sale 12½c	PLAIN MERCERIZED COTTON TAFFETAS, suitable for Ladies' Dresses, regularly sold at 35c a yard, in this sale 25c
IMPERIAL RUSSIAN CRASH, regularly sold at 20c a yard, in this sale 15c	

Our Drug Store is at 112-114 South Main Street.