

PAST WEEK GOOD ONE FOR BUSINESS

Sale of \$50,000,000 of New York Bonds Oversubscribed Six Times.

EXPORT TRADE BEATS RECORD

Former Secretary Shaw Gives His Idea On Currency—Situation Locally Very Encouraging.

The past week has been a good one for general business interests, though in some quarters the unseasonably high thermometer is retarding trade. The banking situation has been quiet, with, however, assurances of rapidly returning confidence. The cashiers' checks and clearing house certificates have disappeared, leaving currency transactions as before the financial stress. Advice from New York reports interest rates centralized on the sale of the New York municipal bonds of \$50,000,000, with bids amounting to 1.15, oversubscribing the issue nearly six times. The weakness and low prices of the Gould stocks occasions considerable comment. But there are slight gains in trade conditions, though the metal markets are reported lower, owing to attempts of sellers to find a basis on which more liberal trades can be made. The outlook for copper is particularly favorable, as the home trade is narrow and foreign buying small.

Export reports show that since the panic the United States has lost abroad in corn, cotton and other staple products to the value of \$376,542,000—a record claimed never before paralleled in any three months of the country's history. It is pointed out that the export markets over the country are likely to be comparatively dull and featureless until uncertainties as to coming crops and the presidential election are cleared up.

SECY. SHAW'S IDEA.

Local financiers are interested in a recent statement on the currency situation by former Secretary of the Treasury, Leslie M. Shaw, in which occurs the following paragraph:

"The plan which to my mind presents the fewest objections is to allow our national banks to issue a limited volume of supplemental currency, subject to a tax of five per cent or six per cent during the period of its maintenance. I deem it important that the supplemental currency shall be identical in form with our money regularly in circulation; otherwise its presence would alarm, and do more harm than good. I deem it important that the supplemental currency be redeemable in gold by the government. I realize that this is illogical, but the American people have been schooled to believe in government currency, and they will not accept of anything else. I believe that the government should meet with very general distrust fatal to commerce. I therefore deem it wise to supersede the statement on the present bank note, this note is secured by United States bonds, with the statement, 'this note is guaranteed by the government.' With this change the supplemental currency issued by the national banks can be identical with that which is secured by a deposit of bonds. So generally, so well-nigh universally solvent are our banking institutions that the government would be taking slight risk to guarantee the ultimate redemption of all this supplemental currency and the proposed tax would many-fold cover the risk."

CLEARINGS INCREASE.

The local clearing house returns continue to improve, showing a steady volume of business, and the increase of bank accounts and the clearing of checks are signs of recovery. The trouble at the Utah National bank has ceased to attract any special attention, the disposition of the public being to drop the matter and move on. The clearing house is uncovering the long standing mystery. President Knox of the Bank of the Republic is on the ocean en route to Europe on a trip, and President B. H. Smith of the Bank of the Republic is spending some time in southern California.

EVENT IN REALTY.

In the real estate market, the event of the week was the placing of a \$150,000 mortgage on the Railroad Exchange building, by Mrs. Mary Judge, the owner, to secure means to complete the structure, according to the plans for so elegant an interior. At the Nevada house building, the steel is nearly up for the eleventh story, and the brick and stone work for the lower stories is well under way. J. A. Earls has bought the Clifton hotel, on corner of Brigham street for \$9,000, where he is expecting later in the year to erect an apartment house. There is need of such accommodations, as, judging from the number of inquiries in local real estate.

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tate offices, it is not drawing a long bow to say that the market is not only filled up at once on completion, but applicants for accommodations are filed long before the houses are built. At the corner of D street and First avenue, a large apartment house is fairly under way, and there are already applications for eleven of the suites. Apartment houses are money makers in Salt Lake, so there is promise of a goodly number of them for the current year. Realty men report inquiries for houses to give much encouragement. As a general thing, property owners hold stiffly to valuations, evidently having no fear of the assessor before their eyes; but this position is upheld by real estate men who claim such valuations are justified by market conditions.

WORK ON SHORT LINE DEPOT.

The continuation of work on the Short Line depot site is encouraging, and the belief is gaining ground that active operations will not be much longer delayed on the Gould passenger station, now that the labor and material are cheaper. Members of labor unions claim they can not afford to work for lower wages while the cost of living is so high. But there is evidence that this high cost will not continue, as several grocery and marketmen have started to cutting the long maintained high prices, a movement that will be long bringing the others down the scale. The realty men are considering a proposition to build an automobile speedway along the Salt Lake right of way, or at least to extend their moral support if not positively active interest; also, to advertise the town further by board advertising along the road approaches to cities in the middle states.

HARDWARE IN DEMAND.

The hardware trade is in good spirits, owing to the continued increase in business, and noticeably the demand for mining camp supplies and mining machinery. Builders' hardware is also being sold for more as spring approaches, with indications of weather favorable for building. The trade reports a steady call for agricultural implements, wire fencing, sporting goods, and the whole line of seasonable goods. Harnesses are being called for by the farmers, also a wide line of wire fencing, sporting goods, and the whole line of seasonable goods. Harnesses are being called for by the farmers, also a wide line of wire fencing, sporting goods, and the whole line of seasonable goods.

PRICES OF BRICK LOW.

The brick men say brick was never lower than at present, when compared with prices of other material. They report a steady demand that convinces them that there are good times coming, for the construction work for the current year. Brick is quoted at \$7 to \$24 per thousand, the latter price being for the fine shale, specially ordered article.

LUMBER PICKING UP.

Lumber trade reports interest centralized at present on Tacoma, where three lumber associations are holding annual conventions. There is a large representation from Utah and Idaho. The local market is marked by the large number of inquiries as to prices for material, as there is a disposition by corporations to take advantage of low prices, indicating the approaching close of several large deals, with mining and coal companies as the prospective buyers. Inquiries of importance are being received from Nevada, where there is a renaissance reported in mining. One coal company is calling for approximately 300,000 feet of timber, a mining company wants 150,000 feet, and another one is on the way for 250,000 feet, much of this being for 6 by 12, 10 by 10, and 10 by 12 inch bracing timbers. The price of such material is from \$22 to \$27 per thousand. There promises to be a marked competition this spring, with profit margins very close.

THE DRY GOODS TRADE.

In wholesale dry goods, local jobbers report a satisfactory week, with stocks well up, and goods going out to retailers for spring and summer trade. Suitings and wash goods and staples are principally called for. There is no complaint now of delays in transit from New York. Jobbers also report the dress goods market as held firmly for the past 10 days, with stocks small through the curtailment of the mills. The cloak and suit trade has greatly improved, but men's wear has a dubious outlook, with clothes ordering lengths instead of by the piece. However, sellers of dress goods maintain a healthy one, holding that with the primary market and the jobbers short of stock there will be no difficulty in maintaining prices. The repeat orders for spring and summer lines of woollens, worsteds and manipulated goods, the prices are no lower, and buyers who have delayed placing orders in hopes of securing cheaper ones are now finding it advisable to order anyhow. Fancy worsteds are in much better shape, and check, plaid and striped effects are now all in favor. Mills are making prompt deliveries. There is a large percentage of their machinery idle, and orders can be turned out with greater promptness than heretofore. Fall lines are not selling in the usual quantity, being largely unemployed that are usually turning out heavy weight goods from the first of February. In general, orders on fall lines have been little more than samples. Mills will not turn on specification, even on broadcloths that are the first choice of all buyers. Bonafide orders are required on fall orders. Serges, panamas, batistes and diagonal worsteds are reported in fair demand, with orders well distributed over the country. Plain fabrics have to date been the only styles on which buyers have done more than place sample orders. On imported lines of fancy cloaking sellers have secured some sample orders, but the business as compared with last year, is flat.

EASTER BUYING SLOW.

In the retail trade, it is largely a case of "between hay and grass," a condition likely to exist for the next two or three weeks. Easter is due to the waning of winter, this year, while there has been a light trade the past week, as it is the last week in the month, and many purchasers don't buy that week, as bills for the same are due the following week, whereas if they wait until after the first of the month, bills will not show up until the first of the ensuing month. So buying is a sort of hunt for the Easter goods, and a majority of such things are absolutely necessary. In the matter of gloves, the ladies are waiting until they get their

spring suits; then they will buy gloves to match.

IN MEN'S WEAR.

In men's wear, jobbers report prices at the mills down close to those of last year. In some instances fancy all-worsted have been ordered liberally, but in the main buyers have exercised great caution. Low grade woollens and manipulated goods are reported on a fair price basis, though they have failed to attract many buyers. Sales on medium grade woollens and fancy worsteds also have been small, which has spurred traveling men to get additional orders so the mills can turn out 1908 fall samples at some profit. On overcoatings the market has shown no improvement during the past month, leaving lines of most mills in poor shape. Fancy overcoatings for the fall of 1908 have not made a showing that compares with recent seasons. Mercerized goods for men's wear, and boy's suit trade have sold indifferently for the fall; and on the spring repeat orders, mercerized cloths have not come in for anything like their share of the business. Small orders are being placed on dress goods for the fall, and the situation does not look as bright as at the opening of low grade fabrics. The movement on glass-faced fabrics of the seilian and mohair types has taken the trade by surprise, as many buyers are ordering as fast as they can in a normal year. Cloakings are moving slowly for fall, and staples are about the only fabrics that have appealed to buyers. In the jobbing trade sales in general are reported up to the record of last February on staples, while novelties, all worsteds and all woollen goods are selling with greater freedom to out of town retailers.

HATS AND SHOES.

Spring hats are selling well already, and if the warm weather continues, straw may be expected earlier than usual.

The shoe market is quiet but firm. Dealers say there will be no lessening of prices. The present fine weather is not favorable to heavy sales.

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BUSINESS NOTES

Active inquiries for the leading stocks have developed during the week, and a large number of transactions in the preferred stock of the Utah-Idaho Sugar company are reported by Brokers Cutler, Burton, Badger and Cannon. The bonds of this company are also in active demand, the figures named below representing the high point of the season, as the semi-annual dividend period occurs Monday; payment on the issue, the coupons amounting to \$2,000 will be made through Zion's Savings Bank & Trust company. Mr. Burton also made a large sale of street railroad bonds. Brokers are also bidding for Consolidated Western & Machine Co. preferred at \$106, but no transactions are recorded. Beneficial Life pays its first dividend of 4 per cent today, and stands \$112 bid. after payment.

The following are the latest quotations:

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| Amalgamated Sugar Co., pfd. | \$3.00 |
| Amalgamated Sugar Co., com. | 155.00 |
| Beneficial Life Co., pfd. | 12.00 |
| Con. Wagon & Machine Co., pfd. | 107.00 |
| Con. Wagon & Machine Co., com. | 95.00 |
| Commercial National bank | 140.00 |
| Deseret National bank | 155.00 |
| Deseret Savings Bank | 50.00 |
| First National bank, Ogden | 22.00 |
| Home Fire Insurance Co. | 182.50 |
| Heber J. Grant & Co. | 135.00 |
| Lewiston Sugar Co. | 12.00 |
| National Bank of the Republic | 145.00 |
| Ogden Savings bank | 240.00 |
| Provo Com. & Savings bank | 148.00 |
| Rocky Mtn. Bell Tel. Co. | 55.00 |
| State Bank of Utah | 125.00 |
| Sugar City Townsite Co. | 125.00 |
| Thatcher Bros. Banking Co. | 147.00 |
| Utah-Idaho Sugar Co., pfd. | 8.30 |
| Utah-Idaho Sugar Co., com. | 1.10 |
| Utah National bank | 120.00 |
| Utah Savings & Trust Co. | 109.00 |
| Western Loan & Savings | 106.00 |
| Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co. | 300.00 |
| Z. C. M. Co. | 195.00 |

Salt Lake City railroad..... 101.00
Sumpter Valley railroad..... 101.00
Utah County Light & Power Co. 100.00
Utah Sugar Co..... 103.50

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

New York, Feb. 28.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Distribution of staple goods by jobbers tends to increase as the spring buying season advances and the large numbers of buyers' excursions draw merchants to the market, but there is a concurrent opinion that buying is in a high degree conservative and that staple goods and what may be classed as necessities comprise the heavier part of the business done. Retail trade is very quiet, except where price reductions on winter weight goods tempt buyers, and final distributive demand unquestionably feels the reduced purchasing power of the public. The business of the week ending Feb. 27 number 254, against 224 last week, 194 in the like week of 1907, 189 in 1906, 206 in 1905 and 195 in 1904. Failures in Canada for the week number 35, against 44 last week and 42 in this week a year ago.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending Feb. 27 aggregated 34,248,322 bushels, against 32,910,041 bushels last week; 3,357,400 this week last week; 3,234,540 in 1902. For the 25 weeks of the fiscal year the exports are 156,149,258 bushels, against 151,673,662 in 1906-07 and 170,425,646 in 1901-02.

Corn exports for the week are 2,451,394 bushels, against 1,589,282 last week and 3,360,456 in 1907. For the fiscal year to date the exports are 37,123,821 bushels, against 42,634,611 in 1906-07.

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Mr. Fillmore is a resident of Rigby, Idaho, aged 62 years, and well known. He says: "I have been a sick man for 15 years. I have suffered terribly with Catarrh in the Head and throat—and with my Stomach and Kidneys. I could not draw a long breath I hawked and spit all night and could not sleep. My Stomach distressed me constantly and my kidneys and liver also bothered me considerably. I tried treatment and medicines without substantial relief—until I began Dr. Shores' treatment one month ago. Today I feel like a new man—my head is clear—my breathing easy—Kidneys and Stomach better and I feel good all over for the first time in many years. I am well pleased with Dr. Shores' treatment and think I have done wonderfully well for one month. Dr. Shores have cured several of my friends—besides helping me so much that I am glad to endorse these Doctors to sick people everywhere. Signed, "EDGAR FILLMORE."

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DO YOU HAVE CATARRH?

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Many Folks Do Have Catarrh and Don't Know It.

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This form of catarrh is most common—resulting from neglected colds—quickly cured with little cost by Dr. Shores' famous treatment. "Is your nose stopped up?" "Do you have a discharge?" "Is your nose sore and tender?" "Is there pain in front of the head?" "Do you hawk to clean the throat?" "Is your throat dry in the morning?" "Do you sleep with your mouth open?" "Do you cough or easily cured now?" Let it run into complications.

THE BRONCHIAL TUBES.

When catarrh of the head or throat is neglected or wrong treatment is extended down the windpipe into the bronchial tubes, and after awhile the lungs are quickly cured with little cost by Dr. Shores' famous treatment. "Have you a cough?" "Do you talk cold easily?" "Have you pain in the side?" "Do you raise frothy matter?" "Do you spit up little cheesy lumps?" "Do you feel you are growing weaker?"

OF THE EARS.

Catarrh extends from the throat along the eustachian tubes into the ears, causing partial or complete deafness, quickly cured with little cost by Dr. Shores' famous treatment. "Is your hearing falling?" "Do your ears discharge?" "Is the wax drying in your ears?" "Do you hear better some days than others?" "Is your hearing worse when you have a cold?" Don't neglect this until your hearing is irreparably destroyed.

OF THE STOMACH.

Catarrh of the stomach is usually caused by swallowing poisonous mucus which drops down from the head and throat at night. Quickly cured at little cost by Dr. Shores' famous treatment. "Do you burp up gas?" "Are you constipated?" "Is your tongue coated?" "Do you burp up after eating?" "Do you have a constant bad taste in the mouth?" Now is the time to be permanently cured. Dr. Shores are curing hundreds every year.

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DUN'S TRADE REVIEW.

New York, Feb. 28.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review tomorrow will say:

Business holds the ground recently recovered from the point of greatest depression, but reports of further progress are sporadic. Geographically the best news is received from the west and south, and more idle machinery has resumed at the steel mills than in any other leading industry. Many manufacturers and orders scarce, and there is a complaint of high prices while in jobbing and wholesale departments the large attendance of country merchants is not accompanied by the customary volume of business. Dealers operate most conservatively, they providing only for urgent needs, but low

stocks supply a strong statistical position that must eventually produce activity in all departments. Considering the storms and holidays, February compares very favorably with the month preceding.

Contracts for finished steel products continue small in size, but are numerous, and the aggregate tonnage of new business is larger for the month of February than in the previous month, which in turn was slightly better than in December. Quotations are not materially reduced in order to obtain contracts. Flat prices ruling steady, and if concessions are made they do not appear in reports, so that the markets remain nominally unchanged. No improvement has occurred in the demand for hides, and prices have declined still further.

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