MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

LIVELY SESSION OF EXCHANGE

On the Whole Today' Market for Mining Stock Was Very Satisfactory.

OHIO COPPER GOES HIGHER.

Bingham Stock in Stiff Demand at $5—Beck Tunnel Up to $2.10. Closing Quotations.

There was another lively session of the mining exchange again this morning and while there was an inclination on the part of some of the issues to soften slightly, on the whole the market behaved very satisfactorily. May Day opened strong and remained so to the finish. Colorado also maintained its equilibrium and sales were recorded at $6.40 and $6.50. South Columbus, which sold up to $3 yesterday, dropped to $2.77½ and closed with a transfer at $2.80. Beck Tunnel sold up to $2.10, while Uncle Sam did business at 83 cents.

Among the unlisteds Ohio Copper was a feature and was in strong demand at $5. A small lot was brought out at the price, closing with an offering at $5.20. It looks very much as if this stock would go very much higher. Mason valley sold at $2.05 and $2.10; Copper Glance at 14½ and 15; East Tintic at 15 and Grown Point at 76, 79, 80, 81, and 82 cents. The closing quotations and sales were:

LISTED STOCKS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Alice	$........	$ 6.00
Albion		.95
Ajax	.23	.30
Bullion Beck		3.00
Con. Mercur		.30
Columbus Con		5.50
Daly		2.00
Daly Judge	5.50	7.00
Daly West		17.00
Grand Central		4.60
Little Bell	3.80	4.00
Lower Mammoth	2.47½	2.60
Mammoth	1.40	1.60
May Day	.37½	.38
Nevada Hills	6.00	7.00
Nev. Hills Fairview	.14	.25
Ontario	3.50	
Silver King		27.00
Sacramento		.06½
Silver Shield	.13	
Star Consolidated	.33	.35
Swansea	.30	
South Swansea	.06	
Utah Mine	2.00	2.05
Uncle Sam Con	.82	.83
Victoria	1.72½	1.90
Butler Liberal	.12	.14
Beck Tunnel	2.07½	2.10
Black Jack	.45	.46
Colorado Mining	6.50	6.55
Emerald	.15	.30
Ingot		.07
Iron Blossom	1.32½	1.37½
Joe Bowers	.01	.02
Lead King	.17½	.18½
Little Chief	.10	.10½
Mountain Lake	.70	.71
New York	.16	.19
Richmond Ana	.13	.15
Seven Troughs	.58	.59
Scottish Chief	.01	.05
So. Columbus Con	2.75	2.80
Sioux Con	.40½	.41
Tetro	.08½	.10
Victor Con	.15½	.16½
Wabash		.35
Yankee Con	.59	.62

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Emma Copper	$ .16	$ .18
Ohio Copper	5.00	5.20
Crown Point	.80	.81
Copper Glance	.14½	.15
Newhouse		17.25
Ely Witch	.88	.95
Standard Copper	.56	[illegible]
Federal Ely	.56	.65
McDonald Ely	.45	
Mason Valley	2.05	2.15
Wheeler	.37	.47
East Tintic Con	.14	.15
Ohio Kentucky	3.45	3.50
Weimer		
Nevada Douglas		
Cedar	.08	.15
Seven Troughs Con	.10	

REGULAR CALL SALES.

Ajax, 100 at 25.
May Day, 4,400 at 38; 500 at 37½.
Uncle Sam Con., 100 at 81; 2,000 at 82.
Beck Tunnel, 200 at 2.05; 600 at 2.07½; 80 at 2.10.
Black Jack, 100 at 45.
Colorado, 100 at 6.40; 385 at 6.50.
Iron Blossom, 300 at 1.40; 300 at 1.37½; 300 at 1.35.
Little Chief, 1,500 at 10; 1,000 at 10½.
Mountain Lake, 1,700 at 73; 800 at 71; 300 at 70.
South Columbus Con., 400 at 2.82½.
Sioux Con., 3,000 at 40½.
Seven Troughs, 900 at 58; 300 at 60; 900 at 59.
Victor Con., 2,000 at 15½; 700 at 16.
Yankee, 100 at 59; 100 at 60.

OPEN BOARD SALES.

Beck Tunnel, 200 at 2.10.
Lower Mammoth, 100 at 2.50.
May Day, 2,500 at 38; 100 at 37½; 500 at 38½, buyer 60.
South Columbus Con., 200 at 2.77½; 400 at 2.80.
Star Con., 500 at 34.
Uncle Sam, 100 at 83.

RECAPITULATION.

	Shares.	Value.
Regular call	26,385	$22,129.75
Open board	15,100	12,330.50
Forenoon totals	41,485	$34,460.25

AFTERNOON QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Albion		[illegible]
Ajax	.19	
Bullion Beck		
Creole		
Con. Mercur		
Daly		
Daly Judge	5.50	
Daly West		
Grand Central	4.50	
Little Bell		
Lower Mammoth		
Mammoth	1.40	[illegible]
May Day	[illegible]	
Nevada Hills	6.25	
Nevada Hills Fairview		
Ontario		
Silver King		
Sacramento		
Silver Shield		
Star Consolidated		
Swansea		
South Swansea		
Utah Mine		
Boston Consolidated		
Butler Liberal		
Beck Tunnel	2.07½	2.12½
Black Jack		
Bullock		
Cyclone		
Colorado Mining	6.90	[illegible]
Emerald		
Ingot		
Iron Blossom	1.42½	[illegible]
Lead King		
Little Chief		

Today's Metal Quotations.

Local settling prices as reported by the American Smelting and Refining company:

SILVER	67⅜
Copper, casting	.21⅜
Copper, cathodes	.22
Lead	5.75

NEW YORK QUOTATIONS.

LEAD	5.70@5.80
COPPER, Steady	23.25@24.00

Mountain Lake	.69	.71
New York	.15½	.17
Richmond Anaconda	.12½	.15½
Scottish Chief	.01	.05
South Columbus	2.77½	2.85
Seven Troughs	.56	.57
Tetro		.09
Utah Michigan	.02	
Victor Con	.15½	.16
Wabash		.35
Yankee Con	.61	.62

AFTER SMELTER TRUST.

"Senator" Harry Joseph Talks Fight To a Denver Post Reporter.

Harry Joseph, speaker of the house of representatives of the last legislature of Utah, has been interviewed by a representative of the Denver Post. It can be inferred from what he had to say that he has donned his fighting regalia and is ready to wage war on the American Smelting & Refining company, which is commonly referred to as the "smelter trust."

Mr. Joseph and George W. Riter went to the Colorado capital last week on matters pertaining to the American Mining congress, both being members of a committee appointed to probe into the methods and practises of the "smelter trust"—particularly that portion appertaining to the making of metal quotations. The Denver paper quotes "Senator" Joseph as follows:

"I'm a fighter," said "Senator" Josephs of Utah yesterday morning in the meeting of the chamber of commerce. He was the speaker of the Utah legislature when he tried to have certain reforms in favor of the ore producers made legal.

"I have thrown down the gauntlet to the American Smelting & Refining company people and I challenge them to a public discussion of the matter. We'll whip them till they promise to be good. Tell me, if you can, how any business that purports to be on the square can pay the salaries that they do, which amount to $1,000,000 per year, and in addition to that pay on the profit-sharing plan that Senator De La Vergne has very properly termed 'the reward of merit for dishonesty,' the enormous sum of $400,000, and further pay a dividend of 60 per cent of the actual cash valuation of the business?"

All this friction came up as the result of a discussion at the last session of the American mining congress, and the committee now at work was appointed to investigate the methods of the smelter trust. George W. Riter of Salt Lake City is one of the committee and he also put the pertinent query:

"Why does the ore producer never get paid for the full amount of ore that he ships?"

Both "Senator" Josephs and Mr. Riter are ore producers.

"Moreover," continued the "senator," "we want to know why the producer never gets paid the full market price? And we are going to put out of business these people who publish fictitious quotations only to mislead and hoodwink the ore producer. Whenever the secretary of the United States treasury purchases silver for the mint he pays prices away in advance of the prices printed in all the daily newspapers of the country.

"Another question that we want solved is why the producer always pays the outrageous freight rates. It stands to reason that the American Smelting & Refining company is not paying S. W. Eccles, former traffic manager of the Oregon Short Line, and now in charge of the traffic of the American Smelting company, a salary of $70,000 per year, and William Sproule, formerly the general freight agent of the Southern Pacific, now traffic manager under Eccles, a salary of $30,000.

"These men know all the ins and outs of the railroad business, and they are worth the money they are paid to make these grafters or they wouldn't pay them.

"We will fight them to the bitter end if it puts us out of business, and we are doing it as much as a labor of love as anything else. Any producer that wants to set forth a grievance will be assured of a warm welcome at our hands."

IN GOLD MOUNTAIN.

Work Resumed on the Richfield M. & M. Company's Property.

Work on the Richfield M. & M. Property on Gold Mountain was resumed last week, says the Richfield Sun. Sidney Black—the old reliable Sid—was down from the hill last week and he told Sun people that he has the greatest confidence in this property, in which so many Richfield people are interested. He reports it never looked better, and he thinks it will be no long until it begins to respond to the exploitation and development work under way. The matter of further development is going to be pushed vigorously during the summer months. The recent strikes in the Copper King and the Copper Butte, both of which are neighbors of the Richfield M. & M., having stimulated faith in all Deer creek holdings and everybody is feeling in better spirits over the outlook in every prominent property. Mr. Black made a brief visit in Richfield, hurrying back to the mine to join his co-laborers ... this season on the Richfield M. & M.

COLORADO ORE COMES TO UTAH

United States Smelting Company Now Receiving It from Ouray And Other Camps.

TREATMENT IN THIS VALLEY.

Little Attention Paid to This Territory Until Recently, But it Seems To Be a Good One.

Until very recently the United States Smelting, Refining & Mining company has paid little attention to Colorado camps, but during the past few months its agents have gone into that field to buy ore, and judging from late reports, they have been very successful.

Not long ago, Fred A. Earls, who is connected with the ore purchasing department of the big smelting concern, it was learned today, made a pilgrimage into southwestern Colorado camps and while there captured some very nice contracts, and as a result of this trip ore is coming from Silverton, Durango, Telluride, Ouray, Leadville, Breckinridge and other camps for treatment at the Big Bingham Junction plant of the United States company.

About a year ago, Managing Director Holden had an opportunity to purchase the plant of the Salida Smelting company, and it was believed by a good many for a time, that the deal would be consummated. However, it fell through, and since then nothing further has been done towards the acquisition of any of the existing plants or the construction of a new one in the Centennial state.

With its own smelters in Colorado, though, it would appear that the United States company would occupy a much more advantageous position to enter into competition with the Guggenheims or American Smelting interests in that territory.

SEVEN TROUGHS STRIKE.

Operators Experiencing First Labor Trouble—Mines Close.

The mine owners of the Seven Troughs, Nev., mining district are experiencing their first strike troubles. A report received by a well known Salt Laker who is interested in the district today conveyed the information that practically every mine in the district had been closed as a result of a strike order issued by the Vernon Miners' union, who made a demand for an increase of 50 cents a day in wages. The operators refused the demand, hence the men laid down their tools and quit.

According to one operator, no effort to adjust the trouble will be made until a conference with the high officials of the parent organization of miners can be held and the companies can be assured that the terms of settlement will hold good for a term of years. It is further stated that unless a satisfactory settlement is reached within a reasonable time, non-union miners will be imported and Seven Troughs will become a non-union district.

The membership of the Vernon union embraces all members in the Seven Troughs district, numbering about 200. Heretofore, all miners working underground were paid $4.50 and surface men $4 for an eight-hour day, the workmen eating their lunches on company time. The new scale provides for a flat rate of $5 for all men underground and $4.50 for surface men.

Although it has been generally known for several weeks that the miners intended to strike today for an increase, no operator was officially notified by the union, as far as can be learned. The operators refuse absolutely to pay the increase ... of $5 a day for all underground work.

Immediately following the inauguration of the strike, armed guards, deputized as deputy sheriffs, were placed in charge of the Fairview mine, the property of the Seven Troughs Mining company. There is a great amount of the high grade picture ore stored in the orehouse on the property and exposed in a number of places in the workings, the value of which runs extremely high, and the armed guards have been instructed not to permit anyone on the premises. As the other rich and developed properties are not easily accessible, no guards have thus far been placed upon them.

It has been known for some time that a strike was brewing in the Seven Troughs district. Well informed mining men say that this is the principal reason some of the well developed properties have made no attempt to commence shipping. ... with the operators than is the matter of wages. While the rank and file of the miners are ... of the better class it is asserted that a number of professional high-graders went to Seven Troughs from Goldfield when the strike was on in the southern camp and have been ... to get work in properties like the Mazuma Hills and Seven Troughs. These properties will remain closed down, it is said, until they can be operated under restrictions that will enable the stockholders to get the benefit of the rich ore.

RAISES PAY OF MEN.

El Paso, July 1.—The American Smelting & Refining company today voluntarily raised all employes' wages from 8 to 15 per cent.

LAYING IN A SUPPLY.

Utah Consolidated Storing Coal for Next Winter's Use.

If all mining and smelting companies adopt the policy being carried out by Manager Risque of the Utah Consolidated Mining company there will avoid some of the annoyances experienced last winter during the fuel shortage.

The Utah Consolidated probably is the only one of the local smelting concerns in those trying times; but Mr. Risque does not propose to get caught again. He has taken every measure to keep up fires during the coming winter and a few months ago orders were placed with several of the Utah and Wyoming coal companies for fuel to be delivered during the summer. Those orders are now being filled, a part of the coal going to the mine and a part at the smelter at Bingham Junction.

It is understood that the Newhouse Mines and Smelters corporation and the Consolidated Mercur Gold Mines company are doing likewise. It will be remembered that the scarcity of fuel caused a number of the companies to close their mines during last winter's famine.

BIG COPPER OUTPUT.

United Copper Directors Arrange for This Year's Dividends.

Boston wires Pollock & Company today:

The output of several of the leading copper mines is reported as follows:

Baltic, 913 tons; Michigan, 175 tons; Tamarack, 480 tons; Mass, 150 tons; Isle Royale, 128 tons; Calumet & Hecla, 4,300 tons; Quincy, 1,300 tons; Wolverine, 548 tons; Winona, 180,000 pounds; Osceola, 1,200,000 pounds; Franklin, 517,000 tons.

The Old Dominion company of Maine declared a dividend of $1 per share payable Aug. 1 to stock of record July 19. Books close July 20, reopen Aug. 1.

The directors of the United Copper company having set aside the entire amount necessary for the payment for the regular dividends on the preferred stock during the year 1907, viz $6 per share, have declared from the profits of the company a regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on the common stock, viz $787,500 payable Aug. 6, 1907, to stockholders of record at the close of business July 24, 1907. The stock transfer books close for the payment of this dividend 3 p.m. July 24, 1907, and reopen 10 a.m. Aug. 7, 1907.

New York wires: All grades of copper advanced one-fourth of a cent today.

SOME BEAVER DRAWBACKS.

Operators Find it Difficult to Get Enough Miners.

One of the most serious drawbacks to mining progress in Beaver county at the present time is the labor problem. There isn't a mine in the entire country that is not running short handed—unless it be the Newhouse Mines & Smelters corporation and it is safe to say that if anyone drifted that way and made application to Supt. Moffatt for a job, he would get it.

Manager D. P. Rohlfing of the Frisco Contact mine said today that it has been simply impossible to get help enough to keep development going as rapidly as he would like. Under such conditions men get independent. Some will work a few days then quit and then go to Frisco, Milford or some other place to spend what they have earned, knowing that when they get hard up for ready cash it is not a difficult matter to go out and get work almost any place they might apply for it.

Another thing that works against the operator at this time of year in Beaver county is the hot weather. The average miner doesn't like to work in a hot country and men who have no family ties to hold them down usually strike out for the cooler camps in the summer time. Alta, Park City and Bingham are attractive in the summer months; but when the heavy snows and cold weather come on again these same men are ready to return to the warmer climes.

BOSTON MARKET.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following, received over their private wire, this afternoon:

Bing., 16; 16; 16; 16; sales, 155.
B. & C., 25¾; 25¾; 25¼; 25¼; sales, 250.
B. Coal'n., 25½; 25¾; 25¼; 26¾; sales, 1,875.
B. & L., closed 1¾@1⅞.
C. M., closed 37@40.
Cop. Range, 80¾; 81⅛; 80½; 81¼; sales, 275.
Cum. Ely, 8; 8; 8; 8; sales, 5.
D. W., 16; 16; 16; 16; sales, 80.
E. B., 10⅛; 10¼; 10⅛; 10¼; sales, 205.
Greene-Cananea, 17; 17; 16½; 16⅝; sales, 170.
Nevada Con., closed 13¼@13¾.
Nev. Utah, 5¾; 6¼; 5⅞; 6¼; sales, 5,363.
N. B., 10; 10; 10; 10; sales, 20.
Union Copper, 6¾; 6½; 6¾; 6½; sales 400.
U. S. com., 49; 49; 48½; 49; sales 35.
U. S. S. pfd., 43; 43; 43; 43; sales 50.
Utah Con., 52; 53; 52; 52½; sales 662.
C. & A., 170; 170; 169; 169; sales 150.
Davis Daly, 12¾; 13¼; 12¾; 13¼; sales, 1,250.
Nipissing, 11¼; 11¾; 11¼; 11½; sales, 1,340.
Trinity, 23½; 29¼; 23½; 29; sales 1,250.
Balaklala, 9½; 10½; 9¼; 10; sales, 8,525.

BOSTON CLOSE.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following, received over their private wire, closing:

Bing. Cent., 15@16; B. & L., 1¾@1⅞; Dom. Cop., 7⅝@8; Giroux, 7⅛@8¼; Hancock, 8@8¼; Majestic, 1⅝@1¾; Nipissing, 11¼@11⅝; S. & P., 16¼@16¾; B. Exp., 16 bid; Cum. Ely, 8@8⅛; East Butte, 10@10½; Helvetia, 5⅝ bid; Nev. Utah, 5⅞@6⅛; Raven, 1⅝@1⅞.

REGULAR.

Zinc, 35¾@36; Royale, 21¾@21¾; La Salle, 14⅝@15; Balaklala, 10⅝@10⅞; Adventure, 2¾@3½; Arcadian, 6⅞ bid; Bingham, 15@17; C. & A., 1.68@1.69; Centennial, 25@28; Cop. Range, 81@81⅛; Elm, 1⅞@2¾; Mass., 5¾@6; N. Butte, 89@89½; Osceola, 108@110; Parrot, 25@28; Quincy, 110@119; Santa Fe, 2½@3; Tamarack, 1.06@1.17; United Cop., 63@63½; Victoria, 5@5½; Washington, 1@1½; Boston Con., 26@26½; U. S. S. com., 48½@49¼; U. S. S. pfd., 42¾@43½; Utah Con., 52½@53; Allouez, 35½@36; Amalgamated, 82⅛@82⅛; Atlantic, 13@13½; B. Coal, 26½@26¾; C. & H., 835@840; C. M., 37@40; Copper Range, 81@81⅛; Daly West, 16@16½; Franklin, 15@15½; Mexico Con., 11½@12; Nevada Con., 13¾@13⅝; Old Dominion, 47@47½; Shannon, 17⅞@18; Trinity, 28@29; Greene Con., 16⅛@16⅝; Az. Con'l, 25¾@26.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Newhouse, 17; 17; 16¾; sales 800.
Utah Copper, closed 25⅝@25¾.
Tennessee Copper, 36¼; 36⅝; 36¼; 36⅝.

POLLOCK'S COPPER LETTER.

James A. Pollock and Company, bankers and brokers, furnish the following, received over their private wire this afternoon:

Boston.—Although the local market started quietly the tone was firm after the first hour. The trading took on sudden activity and prices advanced rapidly. Tamarack went up 20 points; Trinity showed a gain of 6 points at 29½.—Hornblower and Weeks.

NEW YORK CURB.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following, received over their private wire this afternoon:

Newhouse, 16½@17; Utah Cop., 25⅝@25¾; Nev. Cons., 13¾@14; Cumb. Ely, 7⅞@8¼; Balk., 10⅛@10⅜; King Hwd., 1⅞@2; Nipissing, 11¼@11⅝; Giroux, 7⅞@8; G. G. & Sil., 1⅝@1⅞; Nev. Mines, 19@20; Nev. Utah, 5⅞@6⅛; Davis Daly, 13@13½; Silver Queen, 1⅝@1¾; Trinity, 28½@29; Ely Cons., [illegible]; Dom. Cop., 7⅝@8; Gibraltar, [illegible]; Mitchell, 2⅝@2¾; Montana Sho., 6⅜@6⅝; Butte & L., [illegible]; Tenn. Cop., 35⅞@36⅛.

CONCENTRATES.

Samuel Newhouse will sail for Europe from New York on the 9th inst.

Considerable development work is being done in the Dolly Varden district in eastern Nevada.

Capt. O. A. Tibbetts, the mining engineer, has returned from a pilgrimage to Arizona camps.

John G. Guerrin, president of the Rosebud Investment company, is in the city on a brief business trip.

The ore and bullion settlements reported late yesterday by McCornick & Co. were: Silver, lead, gold and copper ores, $20,000; base bullion, $67,000.

P. J. Donahue has returned from a 10 days' trip into Grant county, Oregon, where he went to examine a mining property.

A car load of mining machinery has arrived at Caliente for the Boston & Pioche Mining company and will be hauled over the desert to the mine at Pioche.

Lewis A. Jeffs has returned from a trip to western Nevada and eastern California camps. He says everything is booming in Yerington and that developments at the Nevada Douglas, Mason valley and other mines is progressing at a very favorable rate.

The Centennial-Eureka Mining company has commenced a suit in the United States court against the Bullion Beck and Champion Mining companies to confirm title to the Scold Muldoon, Silver Glance and Danger mineral claims, and to restrain the defendants from taking out ore valued at $50,000.

S. Tsubouchi, a Japanese mining engineer, has arrived from Yokohama, and will spend the next five months in studying smelting methods at the local smelters and mines. Mr. Tsubouchi says there is little danger of war breaking out between Japan and the United States and added: "My countrymen are for peace. They don't want war; they are friends of America."

The Ibapah Gold Mining company, with headquarters at Salt Lake, filed articles of incorporation in the office of the county clerk yesterday. The capital is $1,000,000 in dollar shares, of which 494,645 shares are treasury stock. The company owns a number of claims in Spring Creek mining district, Juab county. Officers are: Elzek F. Hall, president; J. W. Rookledge, vice president; L. C. Lawton, secretary-treasurer.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

RETAIL.

Timothy, per cwt	1.10
Alfalfa, per cwt	.85
Corn, per cwt	1.40
Wheat, per cwt	1.60
Oats, per cwt	1.60
Barley, rolled per cwt	1.65
Family flour, per cwt	2.60
Flour, straight grade, per cwt	2.40
Flour, high patent, per cwt	2.60
Bran and shorts	1.20
Straight shorts	1.20
Corn meal, per cwt	2.40@2.50

MEATS AND POULTRY.

Dressed beef, pound	12½@15
Dressed pork, pound	15@17½
Dressed mutton, pound	12½
Dressed lamb, pound	17½
Dressed springs, pound	.25
Dressed hens, pound	.18
Dressed veal, per pound	10½
Spring lamb, per pound	12½

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter, per pound	.30
Butter, ranch, per pound	.25
Cheese, per pound	.20@25
Eggs, per dozen	.25
Neufchatel cheese, per pound	.10
Pkg. cream cheese, two pounds for ... 20c straight	

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Watermelons	.60@75
Strawberries, per box	.10@15
Raspberries, per box	.15
Cherries, per pound	.10@20
Citron peel, per pound	.30
Lemon peel, per pound	.25
Orange peel, per pound	.25
Cantaloupes, each	.10@15
Almonds, per pound	.30
Walnuts, per pound	.25
Pecans, per pound	.25
Filberts, per pound	.25
Oranges, per box	[illegible]@4.75
Oranges, per dozen	.30@60
Peaches, 2 pounds for	[illegible]
Lemons, per box	[illegible]@7.00
Lemons, per dozen	.30
Limes, per 100	1.50
Utah lettuce, bunch	12½
Red Currants, two boxes	.25
Turnips, two bunches	.5
Cucumbers, four for	.30@40
Cabbage, per pound	.5
Bananas, per dozen	.10@15
Honey, per pound	.15
Cocoanuts, each	.10@15
Potatoes, per bushel, new	2.25
Beets in cans, each	.20
Tomatoes, per pound	.20
New potatoes, per pound	.5
Bermuda onions, three pounds	.25
Wax beans	.15
Dewberries, per box	.15
Blackberries, per box	.15
Dates, per pound	.15@25
Pineapples, each	.35
Fresh figs, per box	.20
Washed figs, per pound	.25
Egg plant, per pound	.25
Green peas, per pound	.15@20
Canned pumpkins	.5
Saratoga chips, per pound	.35
Pop corn, three pounds	.10
Spinach, four pounds for	.25
Dill pickles, quart	.20
Sour pickles, quart	.15

MONEY WAS HIGH AND STOCKS LOW

Market Opened at Decline, the Drift of Prices Being Downward.

BUYERS NOT VERY PLENTIFUL.

U. S. Steel Heavily Bought—Some Improvement in Railroads Soon Offset by Profit-Taking.

New York, July 2.—Active stocks showed declines generally in the opening dealings, but there were scattered gains among the less prominent issues. Canadian Pacific fell 1¾, Union Pacific, Great Northern preferred, Great Northern Ore Certificates and Atchison, American Smelting and American Sugar a large fraction. Cleveland C. C. & St. Louis and Hide and Leather preferred rose 1, and the St. Louis Southwestern and Kansas City Southern preferred ⅞.

The drift of prices downward became more pronounced while the opening declines failed to attract buyers. The western railroads were the weakest features, ... of stock disposed of. High money rates pointed to a pressing feeling, opening loans being made at 6 per cent. Northern Ore Certificates fell 2¾, U. S. Realty 2, Canadian Pacific and Union Pacific 1¾, Atchison, Northern Pacific and Great Northern preferred 1½, Colorado Fuel 1¼ and St. Paul and Amalgamated Copper 1⅛. A few obscure stocks resisted the pressure.

Heavy buying of United States Steel carried that stock a point above last night's close and initiated a partial recovery in the general list. Republic Steel and National Enameling gained 1 and Pressed Steel car preferred 2. Declines resulted in Canadian Pacific 2, St. Paul 1½ and Pennsylvania, Missouri Pacific, Kansas & Texas and Chicago & Alton preferred 1.

Bonds were steady.

Some improvement in the tone of the market resulting from a moderate distribution of buying orders, and especially in the Union Pacific and Northern Pacific stocks. Both Union Pacific and Northern Pacific regained their losses, but immediately profit-taking lowered them again. Lackawanna gained 7 and Federal Mining preferred and Distillers' Securities rose 1 and 1⅛, respectively.

LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; market steady. Beeves, 4.90@7.15; cows, 1.75@4.75; heifers, 2.60@5.60; calves, 5.00@7.00; good to prime steers, 5.90@7.10; poor to medium, 4.90@5.80; stockers and feeders, 3.00@5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; market strong to 5 cents higher. Light, 6.00@6.30; mixed, 5.90@6.25; heavy, 5.65@6.12½; rough, 5.65@5.85; pigs, 5.60@6.25; bulk of sales, 6.00@6.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; market steady. Natives, 4.00@6.10; westerns, 4.00@6.10; yearlings, 5.75@7.00; lambs, 5.75@8.20; westerns, 5.00@7.70.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, July 2.—Cattle—Receipts, including 2,500 southerns; market steady. Native steers, 4.00@6.90; southern steers, 3.50@4.90; southern cows, 2.25@3.60; native cows and heifers, 2.25@6.25; stockers and feeders, 3.50@5.10; bulls, 3.00@4.75; calves, 4.00@6.00; western fed steers, 4.25@6.25; western fed cows, 3.00@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; market strong, 5 cents higher. Bulk, 5.97½@6.05; heavy, 5.95@6.00; packers, 5.97½@6.05; light, 6.00@6.07½; pigs, 5.25@5.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; market weak. Muttons, 5.00@6.00; lambs, 6.50@7.40; range wethers, 5.00@5.75; fed ewes, 4.50@5.75.

OMAHA.

Omaha, July 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; market strong. Native steers, 4.25@6.75; cows and heifers, 3.00@5.00; western steers, 3.50@5.40; Texas steers, 3.00@4.40; cows and heifers, 2.50@4.25; canners, 2.00@3.00; stockers and feeders, 3.00@4.65; calves, 3.50@6.25; bulls and stags, 3.25@5.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 18,500; market 5@10 cents lower. Heavy, 5.75@5.85; mixed, 5.80@5.85; light, 5.85@6.00; pigs, 5.75@5.85; bulk of sales, 5.80@5.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; market stronger. Yearlings, 5.50@6.25; wethers, 5.00@5.65; ewes, 4.50@5.25; lambs, 6.00@6.50.

WOOL.

ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, July 2.—Wool, steady. Territory and western mediums, 22@26; fine mediums, 18@21; fine, 14@16.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 2.—The wheat market opened strong today with all deliveries about 1 cent higher. Commission houses were active buyers and offerings were light. Numerous reports of poor harvesting results were received from the southwest and cables were reported firm. September wheat opened ¼@⅜ lower to a shade higher at 97⅞ to 98⅛, sold up to 99⅛ and then deiclined to 98⅞.

The corn market opened strong and with a fairly good trade. The strength of wheat was the main influence. September corn opened unchanged to ⅛ higher to 54⅛@54¼ and sold at 54¾.

The oats market was quiet and prices were steady. September oats opened unchanged to ⅛ higher at 38 to 38¼ and for a time held within that range.

The provisions market was dull and trading was in fair volume. Early in the day speculators ran the price of live hogs up 5 cents but they later allowed the market to sag below the opening. September pork opened at 16.47½. Lard was 5 cents lower at 9.05. Ribs were 5 cents lower at 8.80.

Cash: Wheat—No. 2 red, 96@97½; No. 3 red, 95@96½; No. 2 hard, 96@97½; No. 3 hard, 96@96½; No. 1 northern, and No. 2 northern, nothing doing; No. 3 spring, 98@1.01.

Corn—No. 2, 54½; No. 3, 54¼@54½.

Oats—No. 2 and No. 3, nothing doing.

Close: Wheat—July, 95½; Sept., 99⅜@99½.

Corn—July, 53⅞; Sept., 54½@54⅝.

Oats—July, 41½; Sept., 48⅜.

Pork—July, 16.27½; Sept., 16.50.

Lard—July, 8.87½@8.90; Sept., 9.10.

Ribs—July, 8.60@8.62½; Sept., 8.87½.

Rye—Cash, 84½.

Barley—Cash, 56@65.

The market continued strong all day on a good demand. The high point for September was 99½. The close was stronger with September ⅜ higher at 99⅜@99½.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Chicago, July 2.—Cheese, steady, dairies, 12½@13; Young Americas, 13.

Poultry, alive, steady; turkeys, 11; chickens, 11½; springs, 18@20.

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Chicago, July 2.—Butter, steady; creameries, 19½; dairies, 17@21.

Eggs—Steady, at mark cases included, 12@13.

SUGAR AND COFFEE.

New York, July 2.—Sugar, raw, steady. Fair refining, 3.37½; centrifugal, .96 test, 3.87½; molasses sugar, 3.12½.

Refined—Steady. Crushed, 5.70; powdered, 5.10; granulated, 5.00.

Coffee—Quiet. No. 7 Rio, 6⅛; No. 4 Santos, 7¼.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN.

Liverpool, Eng., July 2.—Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 2 western winter, 7s 14d; No. 1 California, 7s 8¼d; futures, strong; July, 7s 2½d; Sept., 7s 4½d.

Corn—Spot, Hess dried, quiet, 5s ½d; old northern, steady, 5s 2½d; futures, steady; July, nominal; Sept., 4s 1d.