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Commercial and Financial

A Steady Improvement In Financial Situation

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Steady improvement continued today in the domestic financial situation. This was accentuated by the stronger investment demand, and the fact that foreign interests were negotiating for a loan of \$10,000,000 for six months on a 5-1-2 per cent basis. The market for numerous short term issues was active.

Exchange on London was variable, but closed under yesterday's prevailing rates. Business was comparatively light, with marked diminution of remittances for German interests. Money on time and call evinced an easier trend, considerable 30 day loans being made at 5-1-2 per cent.

Interest in stock exchange affairs was heightened because of a conference between the governing committee of that body and the representatives of the British chequer now in this country. No definite decision regarding the date for resuming local operations was reached, mainly because the reopening of the London exchange remains uncertain.

The cotton pool situation assumed another phase today when local interests announced their inability to arrive at a settlement with Liverpool brokers over contracts which were outstanding at the outbreak of the war. The financial side of the proposition was further complicated by the refusal of interior banks to join in the plan pending definite assurances from southern banking interests.

Predictions of trade improvement, as voiced by the executive of the United States Steel Corporation, were supplemented by banking and commercial interests in various sections of the country. Bank clearings showed a more irregular tendency with continued contraction at this center.

The Bank of England statement was again noteworthy, chiefly for its continued gain of precious metal, which in the past week amounted to over \$9,000,000, to which an overnight increase of \$4,750,000 should be added.

Southern Market Continues Firm

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Southern spot cotton market advices showed continued firmness today, official prices quoted being higher in several sections of the belt, while local spot brokers found it almost impossible to secure firm offers for forward shipment at any where near recent figures.

Distress cotton, it is believed, has been pretty well absorbed, and holders are evidently encouraged by the prospects for financial assistance and the talk of a further improvement in export demand.

There were several special committee meetings at the exchange during the day, and this afternoon the conference committee discussed the situation with Sir George Paish. Liverpool cables reported a further reduction in the price of January-February contracts there to 4.50d, which at the difference agreed upon last September would mean 7-1-2 cents for December contracts in New York. The exchange committee issued a notice to members that there was no objection to trading in December contracts on the curb at 7.50 or above, but that the committee still requested members to refrain from trading below that figure.

Dry Goods

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Cotton goods in the primary markets were firmer today. Yarns were more active at low prices. The attendance at the carpet auction was lighter but bidding held up steadily. Raw silk was easier.

HENS IN COLD WEATHER.

Care Should Be Exercised Not to Overcrowd Sleeping Quarters.

There is no doubt whatever that a warm roosting compartment is a tremendous aid toward maintaining poultry, both adult and young stock, in good health and, incidentally, toward encouraging a plentiful supply of eggs during the winter months. Many poultry raisers make the serious mistake, however, of overcrowding their houses very considerably, although they may have gone to the trouble of providing excellent accommodations, writes M. K. Boyer in the American Cultivator.

To do so under such conditions is merely a waste of labor and money, and the full benefit will not be felt. It is sometimes imagined that during cold weather it is a good plan to overcrowd the sleeping quarters in order to keep the birds warm, but this is quite an erroneous idea. If the house is substantially built of good material the birds will be quite warm enough without overcrowding the place and so making the air impure and vitiated. Roughly speaking, two square feet of floor space should be allowed per bird—that is to say that in a house measuring 6 by 5 feet fifteen birds can be accommodated in comfort.

Ducks Need Bathing Pond.

While ducks can be successfully kept on land that has no water except for drinking purposes, yet it has been proved that those having the advantage of bathing water keep in a more healthful condition and there is greater fertility in their eggs. Bathing is the only real exercise a duck can take, for, unlike a hen, a duck cannot scratch. A few number of drakes is necessary where bathing water is supplied. The age and productiveness in a duck are about double those of the hen. Ducks have been probably bred up until seven years of age.—Kansas Farmer.

Fattening Poultry.

To fatten poultry for market remove from the yards and place, without overcrowding, in a coop, which should be provided with a canvas cover to draw down and keep the inmates in darkness. Do not feed for about six hours after placing in the coop and then feed all they will eat. Feed three times a day and keep fresh water and a basin of grit always before them.

A Specious Plea.

"Your honor, if we can show that serious errors were made in the choosing of the jury, would you grant us a new trial?" "That depends. What serious errors were made?" "There were twelve of them. We thought we were selecting men who would acquit our client."

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice for Letters of Administration. Whereas, Jas. E. Richey and B. N. Wyatt made suit to me to grant him letters of administration de bonis non of the estate and effects of Jas. N. Richey, deceased.

These are therefore to site and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Jas. N. Richey, deceased, that they may appear before me in the Court of Probate, to be held at Anderson, Court House, Anderson, S. C., on the 6th of November, next, to show cause, if any, why said administration should not be granted.

W. P. NICHOLSON, Judge of Probate.

Delinquent Road Tax Notice.

All delinquent road tax collectors are provided with an official receipt book with numbers and stub labels attached. Pay no money to collectors unless you get the official receipt as above provided.

J. MACK KING, County Supervisor.

SECOND CASE WAS TRIED YESTERDAY

TOOK THE JURY TWO MINUTES TO DECIDE CASE

ERDICT OF JURY

Considerable Time Was Consumed When Court Convened in Securing Jury.

It required the jury in the trial of the second case against J. E. Derrick, tried yesterday, for selling intoxicating liquor to M. C. Baxter on the 24th of October, but two minutes to return a verdict of guilty. Considerable time was consumed yesterday morning when court convened at 9:30 o'clock in securing a jury. It was remarked that the jury was on trial, as counsel for the defense was very particular. Finally they came to Mr. R. A. Mayfield, the last juror to be examined, and after a wrangle for some time between the attorneys, and Mr. Mayfield to ascertain whether or not he had "formed or expressed an opinion as to the guilt of the defendant," the matter was settled by Mr. Mayfield's request that he be excused as he did not wish to embarrass counsel or the defendant by sitting after what had been said. Counsel then agreed on Mr. W. E. Cason, and a recess was taken till Mr. Cason could be secured. The trial then proceeded being completed before the recess for dinner, except the arguments by counsel.

As in the case of the day previous, there was a large crowd present, and much interest was shown in the proceedings. Derrick was represented by Mr. A. H. Dagnall, and the city by Mr. G. Cullen Sullivan. Mr. Dagnall demurred to the jurisdiction of the court as he did in the trial of the case against Derrick yesterday, contending that W. H. Frieron had been removed from office illegally by indirect action having been elected for a term of four years under the act of the general assembly and that the city council was not empowered to abolish the office and then recreate it. Overruled by recorder. Mr. Dagnall then demurred to the warrant on the ground that it had been sworn to before the mayor J. H. Godfrey, whom he claimed had absolutely no authority to issue warrants; that it was the duty of the recorder. Recorder admitted amendment to the warrant by allowing the same to be sworn to by the recorder. Mr. Dagnall then demurred to the selection of the jury claiming that all jurors should have been put on their voir dire. Overruled by recorder.

Mr. Dagnall called for a new jury contending that it was in effect a new charge and that he was entitled to a new jury and that the jury at hand was not qualified to hear this case since the court had held that it was amendatory. He was overruled and the case went to trial.

The jury was composed of J. C. Holder, J. W. Erskine, E. W. Masters, W. C. Babb, F. B. Gaines and W. E. Cason.

Mr. Dagnall then dictated an affidavit claiming that when he accepted the juror by the name of R. A. Mayfield, he thought he was accepting P. E. Mayfield, claiming that he never had passed him if he had known that it was R. A. Mayfield. Recorder held that R. A. Mayfield was competent juror having been legally selected. Mr. Dagnall excepted to the ruling.

Mr. Dagnall then moved that the jury be sworn upon their voir dire, which was granted so far as the juror, R. A. Mayfield, was concerned, since he later withdrew his request for voir dire as to the other jurors.

The Testimony. M. C. Baxter, first witness, stated that he was in the employ of the city as a detective to ferret out liquor cases; that he arrived in the city on 20th of October and went to work on the 21st; assisting Mr. Wiggins, also employed by the city; that he was introduced to J. E. Derrick by Mr. Wiggins on the morning of 21st of October, in the latter's place of business on West Whitner street below the Hotel Chiquita, upstairs.

He testified substantially the same as in a similar case tried yesterday, claiming that he had bought beer from the defendant and paid him for it.

Mr. Sullivan introduced into evidence bottles of beer which the witness testified was similar in kind, color and description to those out of which he had been served when in defendant's place of business, or saloon as he termed it. On cross examination witness stated that he drank liquor, had been drunk, and while in the detective business was not of Burns detective variety. He testified that he paid 20 cents a bottle for the beer.

The attorneys for both sides became engaged in a long wrangle as to analyzing the beer, each attorney stating that he had seen an analysis of beer. Mr. Dagnall asked the court to appoint a special chemist with recognized authority to analyze the beer, which the witness Baxter claimed of similar kind and character to that which he secured in the defendant's place of business. This motion was denied.

A. T. Wiggins, being sworn, said he arrived in city of Anderson on September 4th last, about six or seven weeks ago; that with Mr. Baxter he went to the place of the defendant and there purchased several bottles of beer, paying 20 cents for each bottle; that he became intimately connected with all blind tigers in the

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Three Boxes at Each Precinct

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A telegram was received yesterday afternoon from Senator Sullivan by Mr. W. A. Huggins, instructing him that the legislature had adopted a resolution providing that it was necessary to have only three boxes at each precinct in the general election to be held next Tuesday. According to this telegram it will be necessary to have only one box for the State ticket, one for the county, and one for all the amendments to the constitution. Under the rule prevailing in former general elections it was necessary to have six boxes for the State and county and a separate box for each constitutional amendment. The application of that rule would have rendered it necessary to have 17 boxes for each precinct at the election next Tuesday.

The commissioners of election several days ago, in order to be ready for the election, ordered 600 new boxes to be made, the contract being given to the Burriss Metal works and to the Diver Roofing company. Already 300 of these boxes have been made and will of course have to be paid for, which will give Anderson a supply of boxes sufficient to last many years.

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Got the Florist

MRS. PRESGOTT had just heard of the illness of a dear friend. She was about to leave town that morning for an extended trip. There was no time to call. Turning to the telephone, she got the florist and ordered a choice selection of roses sent with her card to the address of the invalid.

Without the telephone she would have been unable to do this little act of kindness.

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Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—Notwithstanding that wheat ruled lower most of today, considerable strength developed in the last hour owing to belief that export dealings in flour as well as wheat had assumed great size. The market closed firm, 1-3 to 1-2 above last night. Corn gained 1-4 to 1-2 net, oats finished 3-8 up, and provisions irregular, varying from 10c decline to a rise of 7-1-2.

Grain and provisions: Wheat, December 1.13 5-8; May 1.10 1-2. Corn, December 49; May 52 3-8. Cash grain: wheat, No. 1, 1.11 1-2 3-4; No. 2 hard, 1.10 3-4 1-2 1-2. Corn, No. 2 yellow, 73 1-4. Oats, standard, 47 3-4 1-2.

Mercantile Paper

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Closing: Mercantile paper 68 1-2. Sterling exchange easier; for 60 day bills 4.8650; for cables 4.9050; for demand 4.90. Bar silver 48 1-2.

Live Stock

CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—Hogs lower. Bulk 7.26 1-2; light 7.04 1-2; mixed 7.10 1-2; heavy 7.04 1-2; rough 7.04 1-2; pigs 4.50 1-2. Cattle firm. Drovers 6.25 1-2; steers 6.75 1-2; stockers 6.25 1-2; cows and heifers 5.50 1-2; calves 7.25 1-2. Sheep strong. Sheep 5.16 1-2; yearlings 5.90 1-2; lambs 6.50 1-2.

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