

NO RELIEF FROM HIGH COST OF LIVING

Further Increases in Many Lines in Month of July Noted in Board's Report. Agricultural Outlook Reported Favorable.

Washington, Aug. 1.—No relief from present high prices is forecast in the federal reserve board's monthly review of business conditions, issued today which notes that July saw further increases in many lines.

"In general," the review said, "there is a disposition to accept present price levels and to expect a continuation of the prevailing level for some time to come."

In many districts high prices have not served to check demand, but the possibility of obtaining goods was found to be of greater moment to the buyer than the price fixed. On the other hand, the board said, the "very great" price increases which have taken place in certain lines have made buyers more cautious, care being taken not to increase unduly stocks acquired at the present price level, for fear a decline might occur.

Continued high prices, along with constant growth in trade, both wholesale and retail and increased activity in some of the basic industries, sustained confidence in the industrial situation has led to expansion in many lines. Almost the only complaints heard concern shortage of raw materials, and in a few districts, labor troubles, although a majority of the districts report normal labor conditions.

"Instead of a fear of unemployment, which had been expressed during the early part of the year," the board said, "the reports received manifest the fear of an impending shortage of labor." The exodus of alien workers was blamed in part.

The agricultural outlook on the whole was reported favorable, with indications that the cotton crop would be much shorter than previously indicated. Manufacturing contin-

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- U. S. Army aluminum cups, 15c each, per dozen \$1.50
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- U. S. Army enamel plates, 10c each, per dozen \$1.00
- U. S. Army enamel pudding pans, 35c each, per dozen \$3.75
- U. S. Army enamel pudding pans, 45c each, per dozen \$4.75
- U. S. Army enamel pitchers, 25c each, per dozen \$2.75
- U. S. Army double wheel harness, per set \$50.00
- U. S. Army double lead harness, per set \$45.00
- U. S. Army khaki breeches, washed, good condition, per pair 95c, per dozen \$9.00
- U. S. Army wool breeches, serviceable condition \$1.95 each, per dozen \$14.50
- U. S. Army wool shirts, serviceable condition \$1.95 each, per dozen \$14.50
- U. S. Army refrigerators, almost new, Grand Rapids, two large compartments, each 6 ft high, 21 inches wide and 21 inches deep, 50 lb. ice capacity, worth \$350, our special price F. O. B. Greenville, excellent condition, each \$112.75
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- U. S. Army axes, good condition, each 50c, 65c, 75c and 95c
- U. S. Army camp supplies of all kinds at bargain prices.
- English knife bayonets; may be ground into an excellent butcher, carving or fish knife, each 50c
- Steel scabbard to fit above bayonets, each 50c
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ues active, marked advances in prices having occurred in cotton goods, with many mills oversold. Export orders were said to be large. Raw wool still is in heavy demand and revival in building has continued.

Turning to the financial situation, the board declared that while speculation continued at an unprecedentedly high level, an investment demand for stocks has revealed itself, leading to the withdrawal of an unusual amount of shares from the market. The banking situation was reported sound, credit and collection conditions good and failures small and few.

Conditions by districts:
Boston: "There is apparently no abatement in the general industrial activity in the New England district. The raw material market and the labor unrest have made the problem which our manufacturers face increasingly difficult."

New York: "Commercial activity which commonly reaches its climax in May has been continued into the early summer and a favorable outlook is noted."

Richmond: "The rising tide of activity in all lines and confidence in the general stability of business may be regarded as 're-established.'"

Atlanta: "Practically all lines of business increasingly active, although the agricultural outlook, especially as regards cotton, is not as encouraging as a month ago."

Chicago: "While merchandising and manufacturing are active, there has developed a rather decided feeling of labor unrest, especially in Chicago."

St. Louis: "The business situation continues excellent; wholesalers and retailers in most lines are doing an active, in some cases a record business."

Kansas City: "Business and industrial activity which prevailed in the month of June is extended through July and there is no indication of a slowing down of this activity for many weeks or months to come."

Dallas: "There has been practically no summer dullness in trade and financial circles this year; this unusual condition being attributable largely to the petroleum industry, which has exerted a very favorable influence on trade."

San Francisco: "July estimates of agricultural production are slightly below June figures, while industrial activity is increasing."

LANFORD NEWS.

Lanford, Aug. 1.—The series of meetings at the Methodist church conducted by W. P. B. Kinard, closed Sunday after a very inspiring meeting and much good accomplished. Rev. Williams will be assisted by Dr. D. P. Montgomery in the meeting at the Baptist church this week. All are cordially invited to attend all these services.

Mrs. W. D. Patterson delightfully entertained her Sunday School class last Saturday afternoon with a picnic.

Mr. Bobo DeShields and family of Cross Anchor visited Mr. J. M. DeShields and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Drummond, of Waterloo, were visitors in our midst Sunday afternoon.

Misses Carrie and Lillie Wolfe, of Anderson, spent the week with friends and relatives, attending the meeting.

Mr. J. Lee Langston and family of Laurens, visited Mrs. Alice Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patterson will leave this week with a party of young people, to enjoy a camping trip through the mountains of North Carolina.

Mr. Baxter DeShields, of Spartanburg is spending awhile with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. DeShields.

Mrs. Doughton and daughters and son, from Troy, visited Mrs. M. W. Fowler and Miss Carry Fowler this past week.

Mr. Arthur Parson has put up a garage and expects to do a good business in the automobile repair work in this section of extremely good roads.

Miss Pearle Page, of Augusta, Ga., and Miss Winnie Jeans are visiting Miss Grace DeShields.

Mr. J. O. Garrett and family attended services Sunday morning.

Mr. Clarence Crow returned home from overseas. He has many friends who are glad to welcome him home.

Misses Etolia and Florrie Lanford and brother spent the week-end with Mr. L. M. Cannon.

Mr. Harper Higgins, of Buffalo, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Higgins.

Miss Elizabeth Martin, of Ora, spent a few days with Miss Carrie Fowler.

Mr. Leon Patterson is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Patterson.

Mr. James Fleming has returned home after spending some time in the harvest fields of Kansas and reports a delightful trip.

HEARING HELD ON POTASH EMBARGO

Senator Smith Urges that Potash from Europe be Permitted to be Shipped.

Washington, July 31.—Tronah potash came up for a hearing today before Vance McCormick, chairman of the war industries board. Mr. McCormick reserved his decision, but appeared very much impressed with the argument of Senator E. D. Smith and of Senator Freylinghuysen, of New Jersey, both of whom advocated lifting the embargo so that potash from Alsace and from Germany might be shipped into this country.

Attorneys and officers of the combination of companies manufacturing domestic potash appeared and presented their case strongly. They stated that they had been induced to put \$50,000,000 into the manufacture because there was no potash available when we went to war with Germany. They asked for the embargo to be kept in force for at least three months longer.

Potato growers from Maine and New Jersey were present in number

to protest against American potash having a monopoly. They said that they were compelled to have the imported potash, and that many potato growers had retired from business because they could not get the proper kind of salts.

Senator Smith presented photographs made by the South Carolina department of agriculture to show how tobacco and cotton fields had been ruined by the application of tronah potash. He argued that all of the product of the domestic plants plus the amount that could be shipped into the country would not be enough to supply the farmers of the south, whose lands are greatly in need of potash. He thought the needs of hundreds of thousands of farmers should be considered before the complaints of the manufacturers.

Sullivan Reunion.
The reunion of the Sullivan family connection and friends will be held at Lebanon church, Greenville county, on August 7, 1919.
G. W. SULLIVAN, Chairman.
G. S. GOODGION, Secretary.

ANNOUNCEMENT

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No. 7. The F. D. Clark place, 225 acres, six miles from Gray Court on the Woodruff road, 175 acres in cultivation, level land with clay subsoil, five-room finished house, three barns, three tenant houses, close to school and church, running water, four wells. Price \$105 an acre.

No. 31. The Ernest Garrett Farm just South of Fountain Inn, excellent plastered house, fine outbuildings, usually considered the best farm in the upper half of Laurens county. This is a money-maker. Soil is enriched by many years of cattle feeding. Price \$225 an acre.

No. 16. The J. H. Drummond farm of 232 acres, 125 clear, six-room house, two barns, two tenant houses, four miles from Fountain Inn on Woodruff road. Price \$60 an acre.

No. 27. The E. S. Sandel Farm two and one-half miles South of Fountain Inn, 132 acres, 100 acres in cultivation, eight-room house; two barns, two tenant houses. A good investment at \$105 an acre.

No. 26. The Old Garrett Place near Harmony, one and one-half miles South of Fountain Inn, 70 acres, 50 acres in cultivation, five-room ceiled house, good new barn, fine pasture. Price \$100 an acre.

No. 39. The H. V. Wood Farm of 33 acres, four-room house, three-stall barn, four miles from town near Greenpond section. A nice little farm at \$210 an acre.

No. 64. The J. C. Holcombe farm of 83 acres near Harmony, three miles South of Fountain Inn, eight-room ceiled house, four-stall barn, cow barn, tenant house, numerous good outbuildings, an unusually good farm. Price \$200 an acre.

No. 48. J. G. Woodside's farm seven miles West of Fountain Inn, six-room house, ten-stall barn, 62 acres, woodland, fenced pasture, near school and church. Price \$6,825.

No. 22. The Jas. Todd Place of 48 acres on main highway, one and one-half miles from Gray Court, eight-room house, lights and water in house, two barns, tenant house, fine orchard, level soil. A very good buy at \$210 an acre.

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