MINING IN THE BLACK HILLS

Bear Lodge District is Rapidly Becoming Settled Up.

NO STAMPEDE HAS SET IN YET

Horseshoe Company Has Its Big Five Hundred-Ton Mill Almost Completed and is Getting Ready for a Profitable Business.

DEADWOOD, S. D., June 28.—(Special.)—Quite a number of prospecting outfits have left within the last week for the Bear Lodge mountains, but as yet nothing in the nature of a stampede has ensued. That country, however, is rapidly settling up and in a few weeks it will be difficult to get a piece of ground within the known ore belt. The Bear Lodge, however, is a big country and the present find in the vicinity of Warren's peak is not the only one which will be made in that range of mountains.

Since its reorganization the Horseshoe company has been doing a lot of work along lines which should soon place that company on a paying basis. Its big 500-ton mill at Terry is rapidly nearing completion and when finished will be one of the most complete in the Black Hills. It will be a wet-crushing plant, and it is expected that one-half of its stamps and batteries will go into commission by next August. Some idea of the immensity of the new plant may be had when it is stated that the main building is 424x168 feet and fifty feet high, that it contains twenty-four mortars of five stamps each, engines, boilers and leaching and solution tanks, besides other machinery necessary for so large a plant. Forty feet west from the main building is the crusher building, which is equipped with two No. 5 Gates rotary crushers, with engines and two boilers of 100 horse-power each, and has a bin capacity for the storage of 3,000 tons of ore. The ore from these bins is delivered to the stamps automatically, and coal is delivered in the same manner to the boilers in the crusher building and the stamp mill. The mill bins have a storage capacity for 7,500 tons of ore.

Avoids Transportation Expense.

This big plant occupies a commanding position near the Mogul mine in Terry and one of the greatest expenses in the treatment of its ores, transportation, has been avoided by its location there. The company will begin work shortly on its present plant at Pluma and convert it from a dry-crushing plant into a wet-crushing mill, substituting a battery of sixty stamps for the rolls now in use, and giving it a capacity of 250 tons a day. There can be no question as to the company's mines being able to keep this large plant supplied with ore as well as the one at Pluma, for in the old workings and in the new which have been put in during the last six months there has been exposed ore sufficient to supply a great deal larger milling capacity than the company at present possesses. It has never been the fault of the Horseshoe mines that the property did not pay in the past, it was the fault of the management, but under the new condition of affairs this has been remedied, for the new manager, W. L. McLaughlin, aside from being one of the best business men in the Hills, is also one of the most successful mining men, and he has surrounded himself by a corps of able assistants in both mines and mill

The Redfern Mining company, the ground of which is located along the line of the Burlington road in Bennington county, will shortly increase the present force of miners at work upon the property and make numerous improvements during the present summer. The company owns a large acreage of ground near Redfern, upon which some very good showings of gold ore have been made. On the ground is a small five-stamp mill, which was erected for experimental purposes, and so successful has it been that the company will soon begin the building of a large mill, the ore having proven to be rich enough to warrant it. The company has recently bonded the King Solomon and the Bengal Tiger properties, which adjoin its property, and it is expected that these bonds will be taken up in a few weeks. Both of these mines have been famous in the mining annals of the Black Hills as the producers of very rich ore. The company is composed almost entirely of local capitalists, who are working it for what there is in the ground, and from present indications and prospects they are destined to make it one of the successful mining ventures of the Hills.

Dakota Will Start Its Mill.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Dakota Mining company, held in Deadwood this week, the following board of directors was elected: James Hartgering, John Hunter, J. M. Rickle, J. Goldberg, Deadwood, and J. Van Arsdol, Coin, Ia. At the meeting the matter of resuming work in the company's mill was discussed and it is probable that the plant, which has been idle for a month or more, will again be running on ore from the company's Bald Mountain properties. During the time that the mill has remained closed down the work at the mines has progressed, and they are in good condition to furnish a large amount of ore daily. The Dakota has been one of the most successful mining propositions in the Hills, but internal dissensions resulted in closing down its Deadwood plant. It is understood now that all of this trouble has been adjusted and that work in the mill will again be resumed.

Another large milling plant is to be located on Whitewood creek, below Deadwood, and work upon it will begin before the summer has passed. The Columbus Mining company has had plans drawn for a wet-crushing cyanide plant, having a daily capacity of 1,000 tons, and it is said that the contract for doing the work of construction will be awarded within the next few weeks. The company, by the payment of something over $200,000 a short time ago, removed the last cent of indebtedness against it, and now has a perfect title to 645 acres of land on the northern extension of the Homestake system of veins. This property has received development for years and has the best showing of ore of any company in the Hills, outside of the Homestake, which company it adjoins. The company has in operation now a wet-crushing cyanide plant of eighty tons daily capacity, running on ores from the silicious ore shoots found upon its ground, but the new mill is intended for the treatment of the great verticals of ore found in the Columbus mine, one of the properties of the company. These verticals, five in number, have received a great deal of development and their extent and richness have been proven for a depth of 300 feet.

Work of the Clover Leaf.

Twenty stamps in the Clover Leaf mill are now dropping, the company employing the greater part of its force in development work, but it is believed that the other forty stamps of the mill will be at work in a short time, as the work on the 600 and 700-foot levels of the mine has proved to be of such a character as will warrant the placing of the rest of the stamps in commission. The large pump which the company ordered some time ago is now in position in the shaft, and sinking to the 800-foot level and lower can be resumed at any time. The company last week brought in a cleanup, the result of a two weeks' run of a part of the mill on ore taken from the 600 and 700-foot levels, and while the exact figures would not be given out, it is known that it was almost as large as some of the richest ever made from the mill, which would look as though the rich ore which has made the Clover Leaf one of the most productive gold mines in the Hills, is still in the mine.

The Anaconda Mining company is putting down the big working shaft which it started on its ground on Elk creek, with remarkable rapidity, and will soon be ready to begin crosscutting and drifting on the vein. This company owns several hundred acres of ground on the creek a mile and a half northwest of the Clover Leaf, and has one of the best propositions in that section of the country. Its new machinery, the hoist, compressor plant and power drills, have been installed and the work is making better progress than ever before, and it is more than likely that a treatment plant will be erected on the ground before the year is out. The other properties in this vicinity on which work is being done are showing up in excellent shape, and the district is receiving the best development, when everything is considered, of any in the Hills outside of that around Lead and Central City.

Machinery is Being Placed.

Machinery for the Pennsylvania Mining company, the location of whose ground is on Deadwood creek, a short distance above Central City, has arrived and is being placed in position. The machinery consists of a hoist, boilers and an air compressor plant and drills and a complete pumping plant. The company owns 300 acres of land on Deadwood gulch, and from it has taken a great deal of rich ore, shipping it for treatment to an eastern plant, and paying all the expenses of mining and other work on the property. The Pennsylvania is one of the greatest producers on the phonolite belt, and its owners are endeavoring to make it one of the greatest in the Hills. The ore is rich, averaging better than $14 a ton, while some of it goes away up into the hundreds of dollars. The vein is about twelve feet wide and has been opened up for a considerable depth and by numerous tunnels. The Big Four Mining company, on the same belt and in the same vicinity, has also purchased a similar equipment of hoists and compressor plants, and the machinery is being delivered on the ground. On the Big Four there is a shaft 100 feet deep, following down a strong vertical of phonolitic ore, and this shaft will be sunk to the 500-foot level just so soon as the hoist and other machinery can be put in place. Like the Pennsylvania vein, that on the Big Four also shows high gold values and is regarded as a very good proposition by mining men.

Three carloads of machinery for the Lexington Hill Gold Mining company, consisting of boilers and mill supplies, have arrived and will be delivered to the company at its ground in Spruce gulch. The company is replacing the present power plant at its mill and will enlarge the plant, it being the intention to make it one of several hundreds tons daily capacity. The Lexington Hill company owns a large amount of very good ore in the Spruce gulch district, much of which has been productive for a long time.

CHURCH SERVICE AT JACKSON

Militia Puts a Stop to the Usual Saturday Night Shooting Matinee.

JACKSON, Ky., June 28.—For the first time in many months evening church services were held here tonight. Prior to this time the citizens were afraid to leave their homes after dark. Tom Tharp, who introduced the usual Saturday night shooting carnival was arrested by provost guards after a two-mile chase over the mountains. This incident had a quieting effect tonight and today.

Joe Crawford and Ed Tharp, the men accused of burning Ewen's hotel, were released in $1,000 bail each and will return to work for Judge James Hargis. The cases will be taken up by the special grand jury July 20.

In a feud fight last night near Daisy Dell, Breathitt county, Hiram Barnett was killed and John Henry Hecker and Joseph Hecker were seriously wounded. The men, with Samuel and Silas Barnett, met at the home of Miss Lelia Burns, niece of Burns Fitzpatrick, who was the only juror against the conviction of Curtis Jett. While describing the course of Juror Fitzpatrick, John Henry Hecker, the friend of Miss Burns, resented what was said and all soon began shooting. There has been no arrests and no one can tell who fired the shots taking effect.

WAITING FOR THE TEACHERS

Boston Expects Twenty-Five Thousand of Them at the Convention.

BOSTON, June 28.—Before the present week is ended special trains from all over the country will be speeding to Boston with thousands of school teachers, who will come to attend the forty-second convention of the National Educational convention, which opens its session July 16. Already the vanguard of the 25,000 teachers expected has arrived. The permanent secretary, Dr. Irwin Sheppard of Winona, Minn., is in town with a corps of registration experts.

One body is coming here from Seattle by special train with the avowed purpose of capturing the next convention of the National Educational association. St. Louis is another city desirous of the honor.

Advance notices are to the effect that among the American delegations will come the following: Omaha, 125; Denver, 75; Topeka, 100, Las Vegas, N. M., 25; Chicago, about 1,000; New York, 1,500.

BUILDING AT A STANDSTILL

No Present Prospect of a Settlement of the Trouble in New York.

NEW YORK, June 28.—Employer and employe in New York's labor seem to still be far apart. The conciliation plan of the Civic Federation to bring the warring forces together has made no progress. The employers say they will not permit work to resume until the employes have accepted their plan, while the union men say they will not resume until conditions prevailing before the strike and lockouts were declared are restored. Seventy men, representing sixteen strong unions in the building trades, met today, and after a long discussion issued a statement to the effect that they would not discuss arbitration until the lockout was lifted.

Changes on New York Central.

NEW YORK, June 28.—A. H. Smith and J. H. Bradfield have been appointed general manager and general superintendent, respectively, of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad, with headquarters in this city.

MEYER GOES TO MANEUVERS

Ambassador Visits Kiel in Response to Invitation from the Kaiser.

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ROME, June 28.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—Before leaving Rome yesterday United States Ambassador Meyer said to the World correspondent:

"I am going to Hamburg, where my wife and daughters are spending part of the summer. From Hamburg I shall go to Kiel on an invitation to witness the naval maneuvers, which I received from Emperor William when he was here. The emperor was extremely cordial during his short stay here and spoke of the United States in the most friendly and admiring terms, expressing the hope that the slight misunderstandings which have occasionally arisen between Germany and the United States will be dispelled when the real sentiments of Germany are understood."

Mr. Meyer's family will visit the United States in August, but the ambassador said emphatically that he should return to Rome.

First Secretary Iddings will be charge d'affaires during the ambassador's absence.

URGES BIG TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Lord Rosebery Asks London Council for an Appropriation to Maintain It.

LONDON, June 28.—The earl of Rosebery has written to the chairman of the London county council, submitting a plan for the establishment of a great institution for advanced scientific and technological education at a cost of $1,500,000, toward which sum Wernher, Beit & Co., the well known diamond firm, and others offer large contributions. A site for the institution has also practically been secured. Lord Rosebery asks the council for an annual grant of $150,000 for the maintenance of the institution, upon securing which the whole scheme depends. In his letter submitting the proposal Lord Rosebery says:

> It is short of scandalous that our ambitious youths should be obliged to resort to the United States and Germany for technical training.

He points out that English industries are suffering in consequence of the neglect of this important branch of education in the United Kingdom.

SEEK ADVICE OF COCKRAN

British Free Traders Consult the Noted New York Advocate.

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LONDON, June 28.—(New York World Cablegram — Special Telegram.) — Bourke Cockran is being consulted by the free trade leaders in Britain about Joseph Chamberlain's proposed preferential tariff scheme, and he has given them valuable suggestions and information upon the American aspect of the question. He has been invited to address a special meeting of the National Liberal club next Tuesday on the subject under the presidency of Earl Carrington. Sir Edward Grey, the most probable future leader of the liberal party, is also to speak.

Bourke Cockran has much prolonged his stay on this side of the ocean, owing to the deep interest he takes in the protectionist struggle now inaugurated by Mr. Chamberlain. He has been in the distinguished strangers' gallery of the House of Commons every time the subject was under discussion.

PUTS A CURB ON THE CLUBS

Paris Prefect of Police Lays Down Some Rules for Their Guidance.

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PARIS, June 28.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—There was a great scare in clubdom this week when Police Prefect Lepine summoned the managers of many clubs to the prefecture. It was supposed that he meant to put a stop to gambling in clubs, but he explained that such was not his intention, but that he would no longer permit persons to be elected members of clubs in a quarter of an hour.

He insisted that they must be posted ten days and then duly balloted on. He also insisted that members must pay initiation and dues, refusing to permit a club to be supported any longer by a rake-off from the gaming tables.

RECONCILING KING AND POPE

Evidences of Better Understanding Between Civil Ruler and Head of Church.

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ROME, June 28.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—A better understanding between the pope and the royal family of Italy seems at hand. It has been noticed that during a recent visit of the queen mother, Marguerite, to Assise, the bishop of that place asked for an audience with her, and presented himself at the appointed hour, accompanied by a numerous ecclesiastical suite.

The Osservatore Romano, the official organ of the holy see, recently chronicled the visit of the king of Italy and Queen Marguerita to Mont Cassin and the sentiments that caused them to make the visit were warmly praised.

DONKEYS RENDER OVERTURE

Appropriate Introduction of a Novel Show Held at Florence.

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FLORENCE, June 28.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—A donkey show has just been held here with great success. An American millionaire named Ford, who has made Florence his home for several years, conceived an idea, which resulted in the collecting of more than 300 varieties of the genus donkey from the different parts of Europe.

At the opening ceremony the donkeys, apparently by preconcerted arrangement, took the onus of the formalities upon themselves and "hee-hawed" a chorus of greetings that made the welkin ring.

PROTECTING THE EDELWEISS

Swiss Police Adopt Measures to Prevent Extirpation of the Flower.

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GENEVA, June 28.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—The prefect of the High Alps has just taken action to curb the vandals whose depredations are tending to extirpate the edelweiss. In future it will be a punishable offense to tear up the flower by the roots, to peddle or sell it.

There will be no more sentimental romances with a man, a maid and the edelweiss as the centerpiece and the Alps the background. The prefect will interpose an unsentimental law.

Riot at Nationalist Meeting.

LONDON, June 28.—During the unveiling at Arklow, Ireland, today of a monument to the rebels who fell in the battle of Arklow in 1798, at which ceremony 30,000 nationalists were present, the latter collided with a band of street preachers, one of whom narrowly escaped death at the hands of the crowd. The house in which he took refuge was wrecked. Several hundred policemen were obliged to charge the nationalists, and stones were thrown, batons freely used and many persons were injured before the mob was mastered.

CAPTURING RUSSIAN SONGS

Phonographs to Be Used by Americans to Record the Popular Melodies.

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ST. PETERSBURG, June 28.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—A committee from American vocal societies has arrived here with phonographs to collect all the Russian popular songs.

A committee of the imperial Geographical society is planning a route through the Russian districts where the population is most musical and will arrange for the Americans a cordial reception everywhere.

JAPANESE MUCH WROUGHT UP

Determined to Safeguard Interest of Their Country in Manchuria.

LONDON, June 29.—According to the Tokio correspondent of the Times the excitement in Japan over the Manchurian problem is increasing, and the nation is plainly resolved to support the government in any measures which are deemed essential to safeguard the rights of the country. Marquis Ito and Count Yamagate, who hitherto advised a waiting policy, now, it is understood, advise resolute action by the Japanese government.

RUSSIAN SOLDIERS IN COREA

Stationed at Two Points on Corean Side of the Yalu River.

YOKOHAMA, June 28.—A dispatch from Seoul, capital of Corea, reports that a Corean military officer who has reached the Yalu river states that 150 Russian soldiers have crossed the river and are now stationed at two points on the Corean side.

Big Freight Depot Burns.

LONDON, June 28.—The freight depot of the Midland railway was destroyed by fire tonight. It was one of the largest warehouse buildings in London, and burned fiercely for several hours. The loss will be enormous, although no estimate has yet been given. Some of the contents of the warehouse were saved, but a great quantity of freight was destroyed.

Weights for Handicap.

CHICAGO, June 28.—Weights for the Great Western handicap, to be run Wednesday at Washington park, were announced tonight by Secretary Howard. Among the burdens assigned to seventy-seven horses McChesney gets the heaviest of the year. He is asked to carry 134 pounds for the mile and a half journey to 118 pounds for Alan-a-Dale, which was nearest to him in the Oakwood. Wyeth, last year's Derby winner, gets 115 pounds, while Six Shooter, which won the stake in 1902, gets in at 115 pounds. He carried 116 last year.

McChesney will have any number of lightweighted performers to contend with, some of which are likely to give any horse a good argument over a distance of ground. Of the possible, Little Scout, which ran third to McChesney Saturday, gets in at 102 pounds. Linguist, which, however, has not shown any liking for the distance, gets in at 95 pounds. Lucien Appleby will carry 106, should he start, and Judge Himes, which at least can go the distance, is assigned 102 pounds. Flying Torpedo is in at 109 pounds, while Belle's Commoner gets 114. Scintillent, which holds the world's record for a mile and three-sixteenths, is assigned 120 pounds. Bernays will have to carry 102 pounds, and Flocarline 96.

Injured in a Runaway.

SALT LAKE CITY, June 28.—Theodore Davis Boal, a prominent architect of Denver, was seriously injured this afternoon while driving with Samuel Newhouse, the millionaire mine owner of Salt Lake City and New York. The team became unmanagable. Mr. Boal climbed out on the seat to assist the driver and had the horses almost under control when the carriage ran into a rut and Mr. Boal was thrown headlong. His leg was broken below the knee and his head severely cut in two or three places. He is suffering from concussion of the brain. Mr. Newhouse was uninjured.

Robbers Make a Good Haul.

LITLE VALLEY, N. Y., June 28.—Robbers broke into a farmhouse two miles from Limestone last night and robbed James and Patrick Quinton, who lived there alone, of $4,000. The Quintons, who are bachelors, were known to be suspicious of banks and kept their house barricaded against robbers. The intruders set fire to a mass of rubbish in the yard, and when the brothers opened the door to run to the fire the robbers hit James on the head, knocking him unconscious. The other brother is a cripple. Both were bound and were not able to release themselves until early today.

Secure No Trace of Logan.

KNOXVILLE, June 28.—The posse of local officers who went in pursuit of Harvey Logan, the train robber who broke jail Saturday, returned today empty-handed, finding no trace of him after going several miles from the city. The sheriff's horse, which he rode away, arrived lame at the jail gate this morning, having found its way home. Judge D. C. Clark of the United States district court has ordered United States District Attorney Wright and Marshal Austin to make a rigid investigation of the escape.

Catch Mail Box Thief.

HARRISBURG, Pa., June 28.—Joseph Devine was arrested at Columbia last night, charged with breaking open and pilfering street mail boxes. The postal authorities have been working on this case for three months and claim to have at last captured the culprit. Postoffice Inspector Valone of this city says Devine was detected breaking open a box and the Columbia police notified. When Devine was searched one of the numerous decoy letters sent through the mail by the inspectors was found on him. Devine will be taken to Lancaster for a hearing tomorrow.

Storm Does Much Damage.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., June 28.—Great damages are reported today from the storm over the southern portion of West Virginia. The wires are down and it is impossible to get details. A number of buildings were struck by lightning here, one being the city hall. The telephone service was damaged and the fire alarm system is down. An inch and a half of rain fell here in an hour and twenty minutes.

Arrested as a Fugitive.

NEW YORK, June 28.—When the Cunard liner Umbria docked today a United States marshal, at the request of the Norwegian consul, arrested Gustaf Erikson, who, it is said, is wanted by the authorities at Christiania, Norway, for forgery. No further particulars as to the charges against Erikson were mentioned in the cable advices to the consul. Proceedings for the man's extradition will be begun tomorrow.

Larue Quits in Eighteenth.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 28.—Hugh McMahon of St. Paul and Larue, a colored fighter from Minneapolis, today fought near here in Wisconsin for a purse and the middleweight championship of the northwest. Larue put up a plucky fight, but McMahon had the better of the contest throughout and Larue's seconds threw up the sponge in the eighteenth round.

Manchester Textiles.

MANCHESTER, June 28.—Trading in the cloth market last week showed no improvement. There were occasional transactions for minor eastern outlets. Goods were reported to be moving more freely in China at rates far below the cost of replacing. There was small miscellaneous business in other departments. Prices were firm and generally beyond the reach of buyers. A further curtailment of production appears inevitable.

The situation in the yarn trade was deplorable. Stock is accumulating in spite of the reduced output and it is suggested that four days' stoppage of the mills and two days' work would be more satisfactory than the present arrangement.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

All Desirable Grades of Beef Cattle About Steady for the Week.

HOGS 25C LOWER THAN A WEEK AGO

Sheep Receipts Light and Quality Rather Common, but Prices Have Been Going Steadily Downward at All Points.

SOUTH OMAHA, June 27.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	2,865	7,010	5,447
Official Tuesday	5,557	18,847	2,975
Official Wednesday	5,585	13,803	1,155
Official Thursday	4,292	7,164	3,258
Official Friday	1,591	6,840	455
Official Saturday	38	7,029	....
Total this week	19,928	60,393	13,290
Week ending June 20	29,552	70,572	5,491
Week ending June 13	18,440	63,376	10,292
Week ending June 6	24,548	64,250	6,792
Week ending May 30	16,966	61,675	11,411
Same week last year	8,563	56,268	19,463

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE.

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date and comparisons with last year:

	1903.	1902.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	493,989	363,148	130,834	......
Hogs	1,246,948	1,319,962	....	73,014
Sheep	541,324	413,774	137,550	......

Average price paid for hogs at South Omaha for the last several days with comparisons:

Date.	1903.	1902.	1901.	1900.	1899.	1898.	1897.
June 1	5 93⅝	*	5 70	4 88	3 50	4 21	3 40
June 2	6 07	7 07	*	4 83	3 58	4 12	3 32
June 3	5 99⅝	7 13	5 70	*	3 59	4 08	3 36
June 4	5 85⅝	7 16	5 71	4 83	*	4 10	3 32
June 5	5 75⅝	7 21	5 70	4 91	3 58	*	3 31
June 6	5 77½	7 19	5 71	[illegible]	3 55	4 01	*
June 7	*	7 18	5 75	4 95	3 67	3 88	3 30
June 8	5 80⅝	*	5 78	5 02	3 60	3 87	3 31
June 9	5 80	7 21	*	5 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	3 29
June 10	6 00½	7 27	5 83	*	3 59	3 98	3 27
June 11	6 03¼	7 36	5 91	5 00	*	3 86	3 21
June 12	[illegible]	[illegible]	5 89	4 92	3 57	*	3 31
June 13	6 07	7 36	5 85	4 86	3 64	3 71	*
June 14	*	7 31	5 81	4 85	3 66	3 79	3 29
June 15	5 98½	*	5 86	4 89	3 64	3 77	3 32
June 16	6 01⅝	7 25	*	4 95	3 62	3 90	3 22
June 17	5 94½	7 24	5 83	*	3 63	3 84	3 18
June 18	5 97	7 26	5 89	5 03	*	3 80	3 21
June 19	5 94	7 31	5 92	5 06	3 64	*	3 15
June 20	5 88⅝	7 41	5 89	4 94	3 71	3 80	*
June 21	*	7 44	5 91	4 95	3 64	3 81	3 15
June 22	5 63¾	*	5 89	5 00	3 65	3 72	3 21
June 23	5 77½	7 50	*	5 13	3 63	3 72	3 21
June 24	5 57½	7 59	5 93	*	3 62	3 68	3 26
June 25	5 57	7 57	5 99	5 17	*	3 69	3 23
June 26	5 70⅝	7 51	5 93	5 10	3 63	*	3 15
June 27	5 65½	7 52	5 91	5 03	3 64	3 62	*

* Indicates Sunday.

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was:

Roads.	Cattle.	Hogs.	H'es.
C., M. & St. P.	..	15	..
Wabash	..	2	..
Mo. Pac.	..	1	..
Union Pacific system	..	14	3
C. & N. W.	1	6	..
F., E. & M. V.	..	22	..
C., St. P., M. & O.	..	7	..
B. & M.	..	23	3
C., B. & Q.	..	2	..
C., R. I. & P., east	..	5	..
C., R. I. & P., west	..	1	..
Illinois Central	..	4	..
Total receipts	1	102	6

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

Buyers.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	....	856	....
Swift and Company	1	1,296	....
Armour & Co.	....	1,696	....
Cudahy Packing Co.	....	2,559	11
Armour, Sioux City	24	750	....
Others buyers	2	....	....
Totals	27	7,157	11

CATTLE—There were practically no cattle on sale today, but for the week receipts have been very liberal for this time of the year. As compared with the corresponding week of last year, there is an increase amounting to about 11,000 head. As compared with the enormous run of last week, however, there is a decrease amounting to about 9,000 head.

The beef steer market has been fluctuating back and forth this week at a rapid rate. On Monday there was an advance amounting to about a dime, but on Tuesday and Wednesday receipts were very heavy and on those two days there was a break of 20@30c. On Thursday and Friday, however, prices advanced about 15@20c, which took the market back to about where it was at the close of last week, or a dime lower than on Monday. The bulk of the fair to good cattle are now selling from $4.50 to $4.90, with the choice grades from $4.90 to $5.25. The part fat kinds sell largely from $4.40 down.

The cow market has followed very much the same course as steers. The best grades of corn feds are just about steady with the close of last week and are selling largely from $3.60 to $4.25, with an occasional choice bunch above that figure. Grass cows are beginning to come in quite freely and, as usual at this time of the year, packers are very bearish on that class of stock. It does not kill out to good advantage and the prices paid show a good deal of variation, but they are undoubtedly considerably lower than a week ago. The bulk of the fair to good grass cows are selling around $3.00@3.25, with choice bunches from that up. Canners have been very hard to dispose of all the week and sell largely from $1.75 to $2.25, with an occasional sale as high as $2.50.

Good fat bulls have held about steady for the week, but the medium grades and those that show grass have been slow sale and are considerably lower. Veal calves have been selling very unevenly. Some days they sell well, best grades bringing as high as $6.50, and then again they have to sell down to $6. The less desirable grades sell from $4.00 to $5.50.

Receipts of stockers and feeders have been extremely light all the week, but so also has the demand, and the market is now at about the low point reached so far this season. The fair to good kinds are selling mostly from $3.85 to $4.25, with something strictly fancy a little above that. The commoner kinds are extremely slow sale and considerably lower for the week. The best demand is for cattle weighing around 850 pounds.

HOGS—Receipts today were just about normal for a Saturday, but as other markets were quoted lower prices here also eased off a little. The market opened about a nickel lower than yesterday. Trading was very active, especially toward the close, when the market was if anything a shade stronger than at the opening. The big bulk of the hogs sold at $5.65, with a few loads at $5.62½ and a few of the choicer loads sold from $5.67½ to $5.72½. Everything was sold before the middle of the forenoon.

The receipts for the week have been quite liberal, as there is an increase over the same week of last year amounting to about 4,000 head. As compared with the big run a week ago, however, there is a decrease of about 10,000 head. Prices have fluctuated back and forth to quite an extent during the week, but the general tendency has been decidedly downward. The net loss amounts to about 23c. As compared with a year ago the market is $1.85 lower and 30c lower than two years ago. As compared with three years ago, however, the market is about 55c higher and $2 higher than four years ago. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
74	218	80	5 62½	82	222	...	5 65
68	229	160	5 62½	138	271	80	5 65
56	246	40	5 62½	68	245	200	5 65
67	261	120	5 62½	65	236	...	5 65
66	223	40	5 62½	76	242	...	5 65
67	226	120	5 62½	72	218	...	5 65
57	224	200	5 62½	74	230	...	5 65
66	242	160	5 62½	58	209	80	5 65
81	217	...	5 62½	76	244	160	5 65
67	217	80	5 62½	64	270	160	5 65
67	261	120	5 62½	47	309	...	5 65
71	240	200	5 65	50	271	...	5 65
57	252	120	5 65	61	260	80	5 65
161	293	280	5 65	62	269	40	5 65
59	277	...	5 65	76	259	120	5 65
73	244	160	5 65	72	227	...	5 65
62	231	400	5 65	60	237	...	5 65
61	256	240	5 65	126	267	120	5 65
71	254	120	5 65	59	260	40	5 65
35	253	...	5 65	68	266	160	5 65
47	252	80	5 65	77	230	160	5 65
31	253	...	5 65	57	248	...	5 65
71	264	160	5 65	83	211	...	5 65
79	228	120	5 65	72	215	40	5 65
42	273	...	5 65	70	255	240	5 65
67	236	...	5 65	51	252	120	5 65
71	244	120	5 65	74	252	120	5 65
57	246	...	5 65	61	250	40	5 65
93	273	80	5 65	66	229	80	5 65
67	259	40	5 65	64	249	...	5 65
81	190	...	5 65	68	244	80	5 65
24	231	...	5 65	65	250	120	5 67½
60	253	160	5 65	50	283	160	5 67½
70	226	...	5 65	68	265	80	5 67½
71	202	...	5 65	66	268	80	5 67½
63	250	160	5 65	71	255	80	5 67½
68	260	120	5 65	61	282	...	5 67½
67	241	80	5 65	59	290	20	5 67½
60	276	80	5 65	75	223	160	5 67½
76	211	80	5 65	62	294	80	5 67½
72	252	...	5 65	62	310	...	5 70
60	259	40	5 65	50	270	...	5 70
67	259	40	5 65	56	294	120	5 70
62	245	120	5 65	61	264	...	5 70
81	249	320	5 65	55	340	80	5 72½

SHEEP—Receipts of sheep this week have been more liberal than last, the increase amounting to about 5,000 head. As compared with the corresponding week of last year, however, the decrease amounts to about 6,000 head. The increase in receipts for the year to date is about 128,000 head.

The market for the week has been in very uncertain condition. The quality of the bulk of the offerings has been rather inferior, but local packers have had to have some supplies, and as a result the sales here for the week have not shown a decline of more than 15@25c. At Chicago, however, where receipts were more liberal, there was a big slump in values, and consequently it is only reasonable to suppose that with more liberal supplies the decline would have been more serious at this point. The most of the receipts this week consisted of Oregon and Idaho grassers. The Idahos kept coming in all the week and were the best indication of the downward trend of prices, as they sold 25c lower the last of the week than they did the first.

There is not much to be said of the feeder situation. There is not much coming in that line except culls and the demand so far has been very limited.

Quotations: Good to choice lambs, $5.75@6.25; fair to good lambs, $5.25@5.75; good to choice yearlings, $4.75@5.00; fair to good yearlings, $4.50@4.75; good to choice wethers, $4.25@4.50; fair to good wethers, $3.75@4.25; good to choice ewes, $3.75@4.50; fair to good ewes, $3.50@3.75; feeder lambs, $2.50@3.50; feeder yearlings, $2.50@3.50; feeder wethers, $2.50@3.50; feeder ewes, $2.00@2.75. Representative sales:

9 cull wethers	82	1 50
90 cull wethers	78	2 50

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Hogs Are Dull and Weak, with Receipts of Ten Thousand Head.

CHICAGO, June 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; good to prime steers, $5.10@5.50; poor to medium, $4.25@4.90; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.75; cows and heifers, $1.60@4.85; canners, $1.60@2.80; bulls, $2.50@4.50; calves, $2.25@6.25; Texas fed steers, $3.50@4.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000 head; estimated Monday, 35,000; left over, 4,000; market dull and weak; mixed and butchers, $5.75@5.90; good to choice heavy, $5.80@5.90; rough heavy, $5.70@5.80; light, $5.80@6.00; bulk of sales, $5.80@5.90.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,500 head; market steady; good to choice wethers, $4.40@5.00; fair to choice mixed, $3.00@4.25; western sheep, $2.50@4.75; native lambs, $4.00@6.60; western lambs, $4.00@6.50.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, June 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head natives; calves, none. Market unchanged; choice export and dressed beef steers, $4.50@5.10; fair to good, $3.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.60@4.25; western fed steers, $2.75@4.80; Texas and Indian steers, $2.75@4.25; Texas cows, $2.00@3.25; native cows, $1.55@4.20; native heifers, $2.00@4.25; canners, $1.00@2.50; bulls, $2.50@4.00; calves, $2.00@6.25. Receipts for the week, 16,000 cattle and 500 calves.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000 head. Market was steady to shade lower; top, $5.72½; bulk of sales, $5.60@5.70; heavy, $5.50@5.72½; mixed packers, $5.50@5.70; light, $5.50@5.65; yorkers, $5.60@5.65; pigs, $5.55. Receipts for the week, 64,000.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, none. Market unchanged; native lambs, $4.00@6.75; western lambs, $3.50@6.25; fed ewes, $3.25@5.15; Texas clipped yearlings, $3.50@5.50; Texas clipped sheep, $3.20@5.10; stockers and feeders, $3.20@4.00. Receipts for the week, 5,900 head.

Stock in Sight.

Following were the receipts of live stock at the six principal western cities yesterday:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha	38	7,028	....
Chicago	500	10,000	1,500
Kansas City	500	3,000	....
St. Louis	500	1,800	300
St. Joseph	300	4,683	....
Sioux City	200	5,000	....
Totals	2,038	31,511	1,800

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, June 27.—WHEAT—July, 71½c; September, 68½c; cash, No. 2 hard, 72@75c; No. 3, 70@73c; No. 2 red, 74@76c; No. 3, 72@73c; receipts, 10 cars.

CORN—July, 48¼@48⅜c; September, 45c; December, 43¼c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 52c; No. 3 white, 53@54c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 48½c.

HAY—Choice timothy, $13.00@13.50; choice prairie, $11.

BUTTER—Creamery, 17@19c; fancy dairy, 16c.

EGGS—Firm; Missouri and Kansas stock, cases returned, 11½c doz.; new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 12c.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, June 28.—Business on the Stock exchange last week was decidedly better than at any time during the last three months. The volume of transactions was limited, but the gilt-edged securities were favored, which gave strength to the other departments. The dealings in Americans were without interest, though indications point to increased confidence and an inclination to buy these securities at the present prices as investments.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, June 27.—CORN—Firm; No. 3, 49½c; No. 4, 48½c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 39⅝c; No. 3 white, 39c.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Fresh stock, loss off, 13@13½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 7½@8½c; spring chickens, per lb., 15@17c; roosters, according to age, 4@5c; turkeys, 13@16c; ducks, 6@7c; geese, 5@7c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 14½@15c; choice dairy, in tubs, 15@17c; separator, 21@22c.

FRESH FISH—Fresh caught trout, 9½c; pickerel, 8c; pike, 9c; perch, 8c; buffalo, 7c; bluefish, 11c; whitefish, 9c; salmon, 15c; haddock, 10c; codfish, 12c; redsnapper, 10c; lobsters, boiled, per lb., 28c; lobsters, green, per lb., 22c; bullheads, 11c; catfish, 14c; black bass, 17@20c; halibut, 10c; shad roe, 40c per pair, roe shad, $1 each; crappie, 12c; herring, 6c; perch, 6c; white bass, 10c; bluefins, 8c.

BRAN—Per ton, $15.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, $10, No. 2, $9.50; medium, $9; coarse, $8.50. Rye straw, $7. These prices are fair hay of good color and quality. Demand fair and receipts light.

CORN—45c.

OATS—40c.

RYE—No. 2, 50c.

VEGETABLES.

OLD POTATOES—Northern stock, per bu., $1.

NEW POTATOES—Southern, per lb., 2c.

PARSLEY—Per doz. bunches, 30c.

PARSNIPS—Per bu., 40c.

CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 50c; home grown, 35c.

BEANS—Home grown, wax, per bu. box, $1.50; string, per bu. box, $1.50.

CAULIFLOWER—Home grown, per doz., 50c.

CABBAGE—New California, per lb., 3c.

TOMATOES—Mississippi, per 4-basket crate, $1.25.

RHUBARB—Per lb., 1c.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., $2.50.

ONIONS—New California dry, per lb., 2c; Texas, per lb., 2c.

CELERY—Michigan, per doz., 25c.

FRUITS.

STRAWBERRIES—Hood rivers, $3.

BLACK RASPBERRIES—Per 24-pint case, $3.

RED RASPBERRIES—Per 24-pint case, $3.00.

BLACKBERRIES—Per 24-quart case, $2.50.

APRICOTS—California, per box, $1.50.

PEACHES—California, per box, $1.25.

PLUMS—California, Clyman, per box, $1.40.

CHERRIES—California, white and black, per 10-lb. box, $2.

CANTALOUPE—Florida, per crate, $3.50@4.00.

APPLES—New stock, ⅓ bu., 75c.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

FIGS—California, per 10-lb. cartons, 75c; Turkish, per 18-lb. box, 18c.

ORANGES—California navels, fancy, for 176 and smaller sizes, $4; for 150 and larger sizes, $3.25; Mediterranean, all sizes, $3.00@3.25; Jaffa, $3.25@3.50; fancy blood, per half box, $2.

LEMONS—California fancy, all sizes, $4.50@4.75; Messinas, $4.

DATES—Persian, in 70-lb. boxes, per lb., 6c; per case of 30-lb. pkgs., $3.25.

PINEAPPLES—Florida, $2.75; Cuban, $2.50.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MAPLE SUGAR—Ohio, per lb., 10c.

POPCORN—Per lb., 2c; shelled, 4c.

HIDES—No. 1 green, 6¼c; No. 2 green, 5½c; No. 1 salted, 8c; No. 2 salted, 7c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 8½c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 6½c; dry salted hides, 8@12c; sheep pelts, 25@75c; horsehides, $1.50@2.50.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 soft shell, per lb., 16c; hard shell, per lb., 14c; No. 2 soft shell, per lb., 13c; No. 2 hard shell, per lb., 12c; Brazils, per lb., 12c; filberts, per lb., 12c; almonds, soft shell, per lb., 16c; hard shell, per lb., 15c; pecans, large, per lb., 12½c; small per lb., 11c; cocoanuts, per doz., 61c; chestnuts, per lb., 10c; peanuts, per lb., 5½c; roasted peanuts, per lb., 7c; black walnuts, per bu., $1; hickory nuts, per bu., $1.50.

Sugar and Molasses.

NEW YORK, June 27.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3⅛c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2⅞c; refined, steady; No. 6, 4.45c; No. 7, 4.40c; No. 8, 4.35c; No. 9, 4.30c; No. 12, 4.15c; No. 13, 4.10c; No. 14, 5.04c; confectioners A, 4.70c; mould A, 4.50c; crushed, 5.45c; powdered, 4.85c; granulated, 4.85c; cubes, 5.10c.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 31@40c.

NEW ORLEANS, June 27.—SUGAR—Dull; open kettle, 2⅝@3 7-16c; open kettle centrifugal, 3⅛@3½c; centrifugal whites, 4 1-16c; yellows, 3⅝@3 15-16c; seconds, 2@3⅜c.

MOLASSES—Open kettle, nominal, 13@26c; centrifugal, 6@18c. Syrup, nominal, 19@24c.