HOG MARKET GOES HIGHER

Receipts Were Fairly Good for a Monday.

TOP PRICE WAS $7.85

Cattle Sold at Steady to Strong Price.

Hog receipts were not very large yesterday, but the supply was considered fair for a Monday, and especially after the two holidays. The heavy rain of Sunday night kept the farmers at home yesterday and the local deliveries were light. The market took another move upward and a 10-cent advance was scored, which puts the market to a dizzy height. Kansas City reached the $8 mark and the top price here was $7.85. Everything sold above $7. Colonel Garrett, buyer for Armour, was back on the market, but Cudahy was so anxious for hogs that he cleared the yards and would have taken more hogs if they had been offered. The packers seem to want the hogs at present prices just the same as when they were several dollars cheaper, but people realize that prices are now very high and there is plenty of room for them to come down, but for all that some of the buyers and sellers are predicting still higher prices.

HOG SALES.

No.		Dock.	Av. Wt.	Price.
83		—	260	$7 85
67		—	298	7 70
93		—	302	7 65
89		—	185	7 65
2		—	250	7 50
1		—	290	7 50
4		—	195	7 40
2		—	160	7 10

CATTLE.

The supply of cattle yesterday was better than for several days past though the butcher grades were not very much in evidence, that is good fat cattle. The market was steady to strong, but cows and heifers of common to medium grades are still selling low. Some of the men who have been in the cattle business for years say that they do not remember to have ever seen such a wide difference in the prices for steers and cows and heifers.

CATTLE SALES.

No.		Av. Wt.	Price.
26	stockers	700	$4 10
27	stockers	734	4 10
2	calves	270	3 75
27	cows and heifers	874	3 52½
3	cows	1070	3 50
1	calf	360	3 40

SHIPPERS AND NOTES.

Most things in this world have their ups and downs, but the hog market goes up forever.

Seven dollars and eighty-five cents is a pretty good price for live hogs this near to the center of the United States.

The banks of Chisholm creek in the neighborhood of the stockyards and the packing houses were sufficiently high yesterday to hold the water, but the east branch was overflowing its banks.

Grass cattle are beginning to make their appearance on the market but they are not fat enough to bring down the price of butterine even though it is not colored.

A. H. Ringley of Curtis, Oklahoma, marketed two car loads of stockers yesterday and he was satisfied with the price his cattle brought here.

John Ratcliff of Cunningham had a car of cattle and one of hogs on the market. His hogs topped the market and his cattle brought a good price.

Col. John Garret has returned from Kansas City where he spent his Fourth of July and he is now waiting for some good hogs to come in so he can buy them at a good high price.

Dick Parsons was at the stockyards yesterday looking over the ground of his former battles. It seems sore of natural to see him in the alleys looking over into the hog pens.

W. R. Johnston of Enid had another car load of hogs on the market yesterday. He is one of the most regular shippers in the land that will soon be the great state of Oklahoma.

Horton & Campbell of Caldwell marketed a car of hogs yesterday. Mr. Horton was in charge and it was the first time that he has been at the yards since he had his leg broken in a runaway last March. He still uses crutches. Everybody about the yards was glad to see him back.

W. W. Johnston of Pond Creek consigned a car load of light hogs to this market yesterday that brought good money for porkers of their weights.

OTHER LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

Chicago.

Chicago, July 7.—Receipts 18,000, including 1,500 Texans. Market steady. Good to prime steers, $5.70@8.20; poor to medium $3.70@5.60; stockers and feeders $2.50@5.00; cows $1.40@5.00; heifers $2.00@5.25; canners $1.40@2.90; bulls $2.50@5.50; calves $2.50@8.00; Texas fed steers $4.00@5.75.

Hogs—Receipts today 22,000; tomorrow, 15,000; left over 4,700. Market 10c higher. Mixed and butchers $7.60@8.00; good to choice heavy $7.60@7.85; rough heavy $7.25@7.60; light $7.50@7.82½; bulk of sales $7.60@7.80.

Sheep—Receipts 22,000. Sheep and lambs steady. Good to choice wethers $4.50@5.00; fair to choice mixed $3.75@4.50; western sheep $4.00@5.75; native lambs $3.00@7.00.

Official Saturday: Receipts: Cattle, 955; hogs, 861; sheep, 1,194. Shipments: Cattle, 477; hogs, 988; sheep, 1,029.

Kansas City.

Kansas City, July 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 231 natives, 4,200 Texans, 30 calves. Quiet and native stuff steady. Inferior cattle strong; common lower; stockers and feeders slow, weak; beef stuff steady to weak. Choice export and dressed beef steers $6@6.20; fair to good $4.75@5.90; stockers and feeders $2.25@4.50; western fed steers $5.00@6.00; Texas and Indian steers, $2.10@3.50; Texas cows $1.30@2.30; native cows $2.00@5.00; native heifers, $2.00@6.60; canners, $1.50@2.00; bulls, $2.30@4.00; calves, $2.00@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts 2,000; market 10c higher with top at $8.00; bulk of sales, $7.75@8; heavy $7.80@8.10; mixed packers, $7.60@8.00; light $7.40@7.82½; yorkers $7.70@7.92½; pigs $7.10@7.30.

Sheep—Receipts 3,000; market strong, active; native lambs $4.70@6.40; western lambs $4.20@4.80; native wethers $4.00@5.80; western wethers, $3.75@4.45; fed ewes $3.40@4.40; Texas clipped yearlings, $4.00@4.80; Texas clipped sheep, $3.00@3.35; stockers and feeders $2.00@3.00.

St. Louis.

St. Louis, July 7.—Cattle—Receipts 7,000 including 4,000 Texans. Market steady. Beef steers $4.50@8.00; stockers and feeders $2.75@5.50; cows and heifers $2.25@6; Texas steers $3@6.15; cows and heifers $2.40@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts 1,500. Market 5@10c higher. Pigs and lights $7.25@7.65; packers, $7.50@7.85; butchers $7.70@8.10.

Sheep—Receipts 1,000. Market steady. Natives $3@4; lambs $4.25@7.00.

St. Joseph.

St. Joseph, July 7.—Cattle receipts 2300. Market steady. Natives $4.75@8.35; cows and heifers, $1.50@6.25; veals $2.00@6.00; stockers and feeders $3@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts 3,400; 10c higher; light and light mixed $7.60@7.95; medium and heavy $7.75@8.00; pigs, $4.25@6.75.

Sheep—Receipts 10; Market steady.

BASEBALL.

National League Games.

BROOKLYN, 5; CINCINNATI, 0.

Cincinnati, July 7.—The Cincinnati team could do nothing with Newton today. Their five scattering hits were made in the first four innings. The Cincinnati team played a miserable game in the field. Attendance 30. Score:

		R	H	E
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	5	2	
Brooklyn	0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—5	11	0	

Batteries—Thielman and Peitz; Newton and Ahearn.

PITTSBURG, 5; PHILADELPHIA, 3.

Pittsburg, July 7.—Until the eighth inning Iberg's deceptive curves kept Pittsburg puzzled effectually, then four hits won the game for the home team. Attendance 1,950. Score:

		R	H	E
Pittsburg	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—5	7	3	
Philadelphia	1 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—3	8	2	

Batteries—Tannehill and Smith; Iberg and Dooin.

American League Games.

CLEVELAND, 8; CHICAGO, 5.

Cleveland, July 7.—Cleveland outbatted Chicago and won easily. Bemis was sent to the bench for disputing one of Sheridan's decisions while Manager Clark Griffith was ordered off the field. Attendance 2,546. Score:

		R	H	E
Cleveland	4 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—8	11	4	
Chicago	1 0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0—5	7	5	

Batteries—Wright, Bemis and Wood; Patterson and Sullivan.

BOSTON, 4; PHILADELPHIA, 2.

Boston, July 7.—Boston won today by bunching four hits in the second inning. Both pitchers were effective. Attendance 2,506; score:

		R	H	E
Boston	0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 1—4	8	2	
Philadelphia	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—2	6	4	

Batteries—Winters and Warner; Plank and Powers.

BALTIMORE, 12; WASHINGTON, 6.

Baltimore, July 7.—The Baltimore team batted orth out of the box in the second inning this afternoon, and the visitors never had a chance to win thereafter. Selbach made five clean hits, one for every time he came to bat. Attendance, 2,114. Score:

		R	H	E
Baltimore	0 7 4 0 1 0 1 0 0—12	19	3	
Washington	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	7	1	

Batteries—Howell and Robinson; Orth, Townsend and Clarke, Drill.

Western League Games.

ST. JOSEPH, 4; PEORIA, 2.

St. Joseph, July 7.—St. Joseph scored four runs in the third inning which Peoria was unable to overcome. Score:

		R	H	E
Peoria	0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—2	9	0	
St. Joseph	0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0—4	7	1	

Batteries—Hart and Wilson, McFadden and Roth.

DES MOINES, 7; COLO. SPRINGS, 4.

Des Moines, July 7.—With the game practically just the locals rallied in the eighth and assisted by the visitors loose playing won the game. Attendance 3,000. Score:

		R	H	E
Des Moines	0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 3—7	1	3	
Colorado Springs	0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0—4	11	1	

Batteries—Morrison and Hanson; Newmyer and Dixon.

OMAHA, 1; DENVER, 0.

Omaha, July 7.—Today's game resulted in a shutout for Denver. Wilson was put off the grounds for abusing the umpire. Attendance 2,000. Score:

		R	H	E
Omaha	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	2	0	
Denver	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	1	0	

Batteries—Owen and Gondier, Frisk and Wilson.

American Association Games.

MILWAUKEE, 2; KANSAS CITY, 1.

Milwaukee, July 7.—Score:	R	H	E
Milwaukee	2	10	1
Kansas City	1	11	2

LOUISVILLE, 7; TOLEDO, 0.

Louisville, July 7.—Score:	R	H	E
Louisville	7	9	1
Toledo	0	5	1

INDIANAPOLIS, 14; COLUMBUS, 0.

Indianapolis, July 7.—Score:	R	H	E
Indianapolis	14	18	1
Columbus	0	2	0

ST. PAUL, 5; MINNEAPOLIS, 4.

St. Paul, July 7.—Score:	R	H	E
St. Paul	5	10	4
Minneapolis	4	9	5

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July Speculators Caught Short and Squeezed.

WHEAT SHOWED ADVANCE

Provisions Made the Handsome Gain of 22 Cents.

Chicago, July 7.—Following early easiness the grain markets rallied today on reports of additional rains in the west. September wheat closing ½@¾c and September corn ⅝c up, while September oats closed unchanged. July corn shorts did the tied-up option to 84¾c, but got little corn fo rtheir pains. Provisions closed 10 to 22½c higher.

At the opening wheat was sold freely on the good weather of the day's record when the guard was closed. The stuff seemed to come from all sources. Under this pressure the price of September wheat went from 73⅝@73½c, the high point at the opening, to 72½c. Here the pressure from sellers eased up and the market held steadily for a little time. Reports of general rains in the west stirred up excitement later and shorts ran the market up to 74. The close was firm, ½@¾c over Thursday's close, at 73½c. Local receipts—three days—were 98 cars, nine of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 953 cars—three days—making a total for the three points of 1,051 cars. World's shipments were 6,560,000 bushels for the past three days. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 657,000 bushels for the past three days. Primary receipts—three days—were 1,320,000 bushels, as against 1,065,000 for the corresponding period a year ago.

There was heavy selling of September corn early on the improvement in the weather map. While this option was weak, however, May and December were firm. Later September rallied to steady on the rain reports and reacted under fairly active buying, chiefly for the short account. This option sold between 61 and 62½ and closed ⅝c up at 62¼c. July corn, which is controlled absolutely by a coterie of speculators, which had a fit of hysterics for a very slight cause. There was lyittle trade in the delivery and such as there was in the smallest possible lots. The market opened unchanged to 2½c up at 77 to 78½c and remained neglected around the top of this range most of the forenoon. The advices of rains, however, frightened a few shorts with small lines to cover and they ran the price up to 84¾c before their wants were satisfied. July closed 7c up at 84. The incident of importance only as furnishing further evidence of what the controlling party can do if it wishes with those who are short of July. So far as can be learned the big shorts have not covered. This may have been done in individual cases, however, without the public learning of the facts. Meanwhile this delivery is liable to execute wild fluctuations every time some belated short tried to cover a five or ten thousand bushel lot, as was the case today. Local receipts for three days were 235 cars.

Oats were "sick" early, getting ⅜@1⅛c under Thursday, but the far months recovery late in the day in the corn strength and predicted showers. July closed 1c lower in sympathy with a drop in cash prices. Opening trades were over a wide range, and while the flurry lasted selling was carried onward. This was due chiefly to the improved weather of Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The rain today and yesterday, with predictions of more, caused buying later and a little recovery, shorts coming in freely. The easiness of the cash market, however, worked against such advances as were scored in wheat and corn. September sold between 34⅝@33⅞c, and closed unchanged at 34¼c. Receipts were 100 cars for the three days.

Provisions opened strong and in the main ruled that way throughout the day. A sharp advance at the yards, together with the high price of corn and wheat, were the influence. The advance disclosed a considerable short interest, which did most of the bidding. September pork and September ribs closed 10c higher, while September lard, the strongest on the list, showed a closing gain of 22½c.

Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 70 cars; corn, 200 cars, oats, 190 cars; hogs, 18,000 head.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Chicago.

Chicago, July 7.—The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
July	74¼@75	75	73½	73⅞
Sept	72⅝@73½	74	72⅝	73⅝
Dec	73⅝@74¼	74⅝	73¼	74⅝
Corn—				
July	77 @77½	84¾	75	84
Sept	61 @61⅛	62¼	61	62¼
Dec	47 @47⅛	48⅛	47	48
May	44½@44⅝	45⅛	44½	44⅞
Oats—				
July, old	41⅛	41⅜	41⅛	41⅜
July, new	40⅛@40¼	41⅛	40⅛	40⅞
Sept., old	40⅛	34⅜	33	33⅝
Sept., new	33⅛@33⅛	34⅛	33⅛	34 @34⅛
Dec., new	33⅛@33⅞	34¼	33⅛	34⅛
Pork—				
July	18 67½	18 72½	18 40	18 65
Sept	18 80	18 87	18 47½	18 77½
Lard—				
July	10 80	11 00	10 90	10 97½
Sept	10 80	11 02½	10 90	10 95
Ribs—				
July	10 37½	10 37½	10 22½	10 22½
Sept	10 40	10 47½	10 32½	10 42½

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour—Steady.

Wheat—No. 2, 76@76c; No. 3 red 73@75c.

Corn—No. 2, 78@80½c; No. 2 yellow 80½c.

Oats—No. 2 41@41½c; No. 2 white 43½@44½c; No. 3, white 42@42½c.

Rye—No. 2, 56½c.

Flaxseed—No. 1 $1.12; No. 1 Northwestern $1.18.

Prime timothy seed, $3.75.

Mess pork, per barrel, $18.65@18.90.

Lard, per 100 pounds, $10.95.

Short ribs sides, (loose) $10.12½@10.37½.

Dry salted shoulders (boxed) 9½@9¾c.

Short clear sides (boxed) $11.00@11.50.

Whisky, basis of high wines, $1.30.

Clover, contract grade, $9.00.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Flour, bbls.	28,000	29,000
Wheat, bu.	352,000	121,000
Corn, bu.	291,000	227,000
Oats, bu.	466,000	293,000
Rye, bu.	2,000	
Barley, bu.	19,000	2,000

On the Produce Exchange, today, the market closed as follows:

Butter—Firm. Creameries, 19@21½c; dairies, 16@18c.

Cheese—Steady, 10@10½c.

Eggs—Steady. Fresh, 17½c.

Kansas City.

Kansas City, July 7.—Wheat, July 69½c; September 69½c; cash, No. 2 hard, old 72c; new, 70c; No. 3 hard, old, 72c; new 70c; No. 3 red new 69@70c.

Corn—July 62c; September 63½c, cash, No. 2 mixed 64c; No. 2 white 65½c; oN. 3 white 64½@65c.

Oats—No. 2 white 38c.

Rye—No. 2, 56c.

Hay—Choice timothy $12@12.50; choice prairie, $9@10c.

Butter—Creamery 18@19c; fancy dairy, 18 cents.

Eggs—Fresh, 71 cars.

Receipts of wheat 71 cars.

St. Louis.

St. Louis, July 7.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red cash elevator 72½c; track, 71½@72⅝c; July 72½c; September 72⅛@72⅜c; No. 2 hard 73@73½c.

Corn—Higher; No. 2 cash 66⅝c; track 65@65½c; July 66⅝c; September 55½c; December 42½c.

Oats—Lower; No. 2 cash 40c; track 40@40c; July 35½c; September 29½c; No. 2 white, 42c.

Rye—Easier, 57c.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

New York, July 7.—There was little done in the stock market today in the way of buying and selling. Most of the professional traders took the precaution to close up their commitments last Thursday afternoon, in vie wof the possibility of unexpected developments over the three days holiday, and there was not much inclination apparent today to make new ventures. The developments in regard to the crops were considrably more favorable. The weekly statistics of railroad traffic were also promising for a continuance of large earnings. The movement of miscellaneous freight westward is reported to be maintained in an unprecedented scale, and rates to be firmly held. The so-called local traffic, too, which is so important a factor in the aggregate in the prosperity of railroads, is reported as unusually large and varied. The crop news made the grain-carrying roads prominent. The most conspicuous movement were in stocks associated with the interests that make up the so-called western contingent. Rock Island made a sensational jump of 5½ points. There were more substantial and better maintained advances in some of the other grain carriers, notably the Missouri Pacific. The disclosure by recent railroad reports that the soft coal carrying railroads are profiting materially by reason of the constant demand for soft coal since the mining of anthracite has been suspended gave another center of strength, in which Pennsylvania and Hocking Valley were the leaders. But the advances were largely restricted to the leaders in both groups and when it was perceived that the general market failed to respond in sympathy, the rise was discontinued and gave place to reaction. The closing was heavy and showed all of the animation gone out of the market. The hugging of the gold export point by foreign exchange and the interior demand for currency which sprang up over the holiday were repressive influences which were reinforced by a poor bank statement.

The bond market was quite firm and showed the influence of demand for reinvestment of July disbursements. Total sales, par value, $2,759,000. United States refunding 2's declined ¼c, the old 4's registered 2½c and old 4 coupons ½ per cent last call.

The closing stock quotations were:

Atchison	83½	South. Pacific	65
do pfd	99½	South. Railway	37⅞
Balto. & Ohio	108⅛	do pfd	96
do pfd	96	Texas & Pacific	43½
Can. Pacific	135⅞	Tol., St. L. & W.	26½
Can. Southern	84½	do pfd	47½
Chi. & Alton	37½	Union Pacific	105⅞
do pfd	76⅞	do pfd	88¼
Chi., Ind. & L.	76	Wabash	26⅞
do pfd	87½	do pfd	46⅞
Chi. & E. Ill.	102	Wheel. & L. E.	22⅞
Chi. & G. W.	36½	do 2d pfd	22¼
do A pfd	87⅞	Wis. Central	26½
do B pfd	47½	do pfd	49
Chi. & Northw.	254	Adams Ex	157
Chi. R. I. & P.	151	Amer. Ex	225
Chi. Term. & T.	21	U. S. Ex	114
do pfd	37⅞	Wells Fargo	240
C.C.C. & St. L.	106⅞	Amal. Copper	64⅞
Colo. South	39½	Am. Car & F.	32½
do 1st pfd	77½	do pfd	91½
do 2d pfd	42½	Amer. L. S. Oil	26½
Del. & Hud.	176	do pfd	81
Del., L. & W.	278	Am. Sm. & Re.	47
Denver & R. G.	41	do pfd	97½
do pfd	90	Ana. Mining Co.	106
Erie	36½	Brook. R. Tran.	67½
do 1st pfd	68½	Colo. F. & I.	39⅞
do 2d pfd	52½	Consol. Gas	224
Gt. Nor. pfd	187	Cont. Tob. pfd	120⅞
Hock. Valley	68½	Gen. Electric	174
Iowa Central	18½	Hock. Coal	142
do pfd	87	Int. Paper	26⅞
Lake E. & W.	64	do pfd	71
do pfd	122	Int. Power	37
Louis. & Nash.	141	Laclede Gas	95
Manhattan L.	132½	Nat. Biscuit	67½
Met. St. Ry.	148⅞	Nat. Lead	21⅞
Mex. Central	20½	North Amer.	123½
Mex. National	18½	Pacific Coast	95
Minn. & St. L.	112	Pacific Mail	50½
Mo. Pacific	110½	People's Gas	101½
Mo., K. & T.	35	Press. Steel Car.	46
do pfd	59	do pfd	85
N. J. Central	182	Pull. Pal. Car.	224
N. Y. Central	152½	Republic Steel	17½
Norf. & West.	57	do pfd	79½
do pfd	97	Sugar	129½
Ont. & West.	32½	Tenn. C. & I.	61½
Pennsylvania	153½	Tex. R. & P. Co.	135
Reading	65⅞	do pfd	89
do 1st pfd	63⅞	U. S. Leather	12½
do 2d pfd	70	do pfd	84½
St. L. & S. F.	36½	U. S. Rubber	14½
do 1st pfd	82	do pfd	55
do 2d pfd	72½	U. S. Steel	38½
St. L. Southw.	34½	do pfd	90
do pfd	64	West. Union	87½
St. Paul	173½	Amer. Loco	37½
do pfd	191	do pfd	93
		K. C. South	37½
		do pfd	69½

New York Money Market.

New York, July 7.—Close: Money on call firm, 4@4 per cent; last loan 6. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm at $4.87⅞@4.88 for demand and at $4.85½ for sixty days' posted rates $4.86@4.86½@4.87. Commercial bills, $4.84½@4.85⅞.

Bar silver, 57⅞c.

Government bonds weak; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds, firm.

Chicago, July 7.—Theodore Delfosse, who yesterday murdered his wife and wounded his baby and a 11-year-old step-son, committed suicide in his cell at the police station last night.

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Russia Pledged That It Would Not Assist Bulgaria.

London, July 7.—European attention is again turning toward the Balkans. At the forthcoming conference of the dreibund foreign ministers in Carlsbad, Balkan issues will be a leading topic. This discussion synchronizes with the ratification of the dreibund renewal, and with Britain's ability to withdraw her teeth from South Africa.

Austria-Hungary is exercised over the recently concluded military convention between Russian and Bulgaria. That convention is regarded by Emperor Francis Joseph and his advisers as a grave infraction of the Austro-Russian agreement of 1897 to maintain the status quo in the Balkan peninsula at any cost.

Cite Old Compact

Vienna and Budapest journals assert that the chief feature of the arrangement between Count Goluchowski and the late Count Muravieff was a pledge that neither of the contracting powers should furnish Bulgaria any military assistance in any contingency. It is also alleged that Russia and Austria agreed to defend Bulgaria jointly against any assault from Constantinople.

Precisely what are the terms of the compact between St. Petersburg and Sophia has not yet leaked out. But official Austria knows their substance, and the alarm manifested in that quarter shows that developments have taken a hostile turn.

Obviously Count Lamsdorff has given to Prince Ferdinand assurances which Bulgarian statesmen consider of immense value, for the press of Sofia raise the old cry for a "greater Bulgaria"—a consummation that could be reached only by the road leading to Austrian humiliation and disaster.

It looks as if Russia, balked in her plan to create a greater Servia by uniting in a more or less direct fashion the crowns of Servia and Montenegro, had shifted her center of operations to the Bulgarian capital. Francis Joseph would not tolerate the union of Servia and Montenegro at any price. It is well known that the steady collapse of the Austro-Russian agreement, from which so much was expected, is due to Russia's shameless but abortive intrigues at Cettinje and Belgrade. Matters are now made worse by open Muscovite repudiation of a solemn partnership of peace.

Position of Britain.

Britain, which regards the dual monarchy as warden of the Balkans, could not remain indifferent to the establishment of a Russian protectorate at Belgrade, Cettinje of Sofia in opposition to the protests and interests of Vienna. On a notable occasion Lord Salisbury, referring to black possibilities in the Ottoman empire, used the phrase, "The Austrian sentinel is on the ramparts," and this metaphor has become the shibboleth of Anglo-Austrian policy.

Lord Rosebery, when foreign minister, once remarked that Britain's interests in the Balkan peninsula and at Constantinople were not distinguishable from those of Austria.

British policy clearly calls for the maintenance of the status quo in the near east and the most inflammable quarter of Europe. Austro-Hungarian statesmen place considerable reliance upon British support in the present threatening situation, and not without good cause.

Can Repay Favors.

Britain would be pleased if Austro-Hungary could reach an agreement with Turkey that would quash the scheme of Russia to establish a protectorate over the Slav states in the peninsula. She would scarcely join her arms with those of Austria-Hungary to prevent such a coup, but now that peace has been secured in South Africa, she is in a position to repay some of the diplomatic favors she has received from Austria during the last three years.

Russian tactics have made marked progress against Austria's protestations and Britain's tacit influence. At all the Balkan capitals Russian agents have acquired an enviable position. Russian gold and gifts of Russian rifles have overcome obstacles in these quarters as they have in others. The Slav population turn to Russia as their natural protector.

Talk of Reconciliation.

Talk of a reconciliation of the two Servian dynasties—the Obrenovitch and the Karageorgevitch—has been revived under the stimulus of the Russo-Bulgarian military convention. It is clear that Austro-Hungarian prestige in the whole Balan region has suffered in comparison.

Meanwhile, however, there is want of firmness in the tone of the Vienna press.

"We have had occasion twice in the last year," says the Fremdenblatt, the Austro-Hungarian official organ, "to tell all persons interested that, whether we are in the concert of Europe or join to a duet with Russia or play a solo part, we are ready to meet resolutely any emergency in the near east whenever Austro-Hungarian interests are involved. If there be any who have not heard of this intention, it is well for them now to listen and take heed."

Language like this is not capable of different interpretations.

BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, July 7.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended July 5, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

Cities.	Clearings.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,334,291,837	23.4	
Chicago	176,321,742	25.8	
Boston, Mass.	162,653,507	27.1	
Philadelphia, Pa.	120,171,625	22.1	
St. Louis, Mo.	34,422,966	26.1	
Pittsburg, Pa.	46,626,264	25.1	
Baltimore, Md.	23,207,903	29.1	
San Francisco, Cal.	22,461,454	1.6	
Cincinnati, O.	25,426,450	36.1	
Kansas City, Mo.	21,174,425		11.1
Cleveland, O.	16,127,962	24.8	
Minneapolis, Minn.	12,747,984	46.4	
New Orleans, La.	12,426,739	32.5	
Detroit, Mich.	10,207,774	4.7	
Louisville, Ky.	10,449,564	29.5	
Indianapolis, Ind.	10,775,449	49.1	
Providence, R. I.	7,174,100	22.3	
Omaha, Neb.	6,974,154	29.9	
Milwaukee, Wis.	7,597,605	26.6	
Buffalo, N. Y.	6,748,339	6.5	
St. Paul, Minn.	5,664,474	21.3	
St. Joseph, Mo.	4,017,804	22.1	
Denver, Colo.	3,396,940		4
Richmond, Va.	4,473,137	26.6	
Savannah, Ga.	2,759,675	30.7	
Salt Lake City	1,726,848		17.3
Albany, N. Y.	4,344,227	31.4	
Los Angeles, Cal.	3,196,200	12.3	
Memphis, Tenn.	3,197,261		11.4
Fort Worth, Tex.	3,267,468	13.3	
Seattle, Wash.	4,603,969	10.4	
Washington, D. C.	4,273,364	11.8	
Hartford, Conn.	3,600,573	28.3	
Peoria, Ill.	2,423,992	46.6	
Toledo, O.	2,625,604	40.5	
Portland, Ore.	3,000,000	36.8	
Rochester, N. Y.	4,094,675	46.9	
Atlanta, Ga.	3,427,140	11.1	
Des Moines, Ia.	1,205,273	37.7	
New Haven, Conn.	1,292,122	34.6	
Worcester, Mass.	1,179,893	9.7	
Nashville, Tenn.	2,126,416	34.8	
Springfield, Mass.	1,367,119	3.6	
Norfolk, Va.	1,421,849	21.1	
Grand Rapids, Mich.	1,282,422	21.1	
Scranton, Pa.	1,120,993	31.1	
Portland, Me.	1,051,167	47.4	
Sioux City, Ia.	1,152,495	38.9	
Augusta, Ga.	707,266		21.7
Syracuse, N. Y.	1,059,239	47.3	
Dayton, O.	1,176,024	45.4	
Tacoma, Wash.	1,207,153	79.1	
Spokane, Wash.	1,212,748	64.4	
Topeka, Kan.	1,296,149	44.9	
Binghamton, N. Y.	702,800		
Wilmington, Del.	1,022,143		
Knoxville, Tenn.	1,308,413	149.3	
Birmingham, Ala.	1,110,756	27.1	
Fall River, Mass.	575,486	29.6	
Macon, Ga.	604,000	23.5	
Little Rock, Ark.	962,428	29.3	
Helena, Mont.	596,272		4.4
Knoxville, Tenn.	491,224	72.4	
Lowell, Mass.	475,666	32.1	
Akron, O.	693,000	42.1	
WICHITA, KAN.	449,271	3.8	
Springfield, Ill.	625,000	30.9	
Lexington, Ky.	500,000	30.9	
New Bedford, Mass.	417,273	35.3	
Chattanooga, Tenn.	522,323	44.0	
Youngstown, O.	567,328	40.7	
Kalamazoo, Mich.	571,600	1.7	
Fargo, N. D.	394,673		
Binghamton, N. Y.	446,900	41.5	
Rockford, Ill.	354,737		2.7
Canton, O.	521,000	7.1	
Jacksonville, Fla.	475,046	42.8	
Springfield, O.	457,561	12.1	
Chester, Pa.	409,457	36.2	
Quincy, Ill.	393,629