REVIEW OF TRADE CONDITIONS.

The Large Export Demand to This Country's Interests

Illustrated by the Improved Tone and Prices of Wheat and Flour.

Better Foreign Buying, Induced by Less Favorable Russian Crop Reports—Trade in the South Adversely Affected by Low Prices of Cotton and the Yellow Fever Quarantine.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say:

Favorable trade developments manifest themselves chiefly along the lines previously noted. The importance of a large export demand to the country's domestic interests is illustrated by the improved tone and prices of wheat and flour this week, growing out of the better foreign buying, induced by less favorable Russian crop reports, smaller shipments from that country and apparently continued careful selling by American producers.

Raw cotton, on the other hand, reflects probabilities of continued plentiful supply, and gather slow demand in quotations, lower than the lowest point reached in the year of depression, 1894, when a large yield was conceded with poorer trade, industrial troubles and tight money.

From the West and Northwest advices continue largely in the former cheerful strain. Some retaliation in activity is perceptible in some lines at large markets, but the volume of trade as a whole is evidently equal to any previous record. At the South low priced cotton and yellow fever quarantine affect trade adversely, improvement in one section being counterbalanced by less favorable advices from others.

Favorable conditions on the Pacific Coast are most numerously reported in the States of Oregon and Washington. Conservative management earlier in the year, however, has resulted in fairly good conditions in California, where crops were less favorable than further north, and failures are down to a minimum. At the East the least favorable reports continue to come from the textile industries.

Wool is quiet, and manufacturers are not encouraged to buy heavily in view of the very moderate trade in woolen goods. Cotton goods are in better distribution, but prices betray the unsettling influences of low prices for the raw material and print cloths are slightly weaker. Activity in iron and steel manufacture continues unabated, and similar conditions are reported abroad. Talk of further moderate advances in prices has increased, particularly as this country is the cheapest market for iron and steel in the world.

The export trade in pig iron from Southern points continues very heavy and another advance of 25 cents is reported by some large Southern concerns.

An improved foreign demand for American cereals is shown in the enlarged shipments this week. Wheat (including flour) shipments aggregate 4,991,353 bushels, against 3,675,291 bushels last week, 5,570,825 bushels in the corresponding week of 1897, 3,930,466 bushels in 1896, 3,151,907 bushels in 1895 and 2,562,500 bushels in 1894. July 1st, this year, exports of wheat aggregate 41,160,444 bushels, against 50,130,525 bushels last year.

Business failures in the United States for the week number 182, against 173 last week, compared with 237 in the week a year ago; 321 in 1896, 198 in 1895, and 204 in 1894. Business failures in the Dominion of Canada number 19, against 20 last week, 35 in this week one year ago, and 34 in 1896.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" will say to-morrow:

Europe will have to consider possible American needs for money much more anxiously in the future. Doubtless there has been for many years a feeling that the new continent could not be put off with promises. But the control of this country over money markets in the Old World is coming to be that of a master. Our banks lend over there heavily when it is the most convenient market for them, but they draw on Europe whenever they want money and no longer have occasion to limit their drafts.

This country is not drawing on Europe as largely to pay for breadstuffs as it did a year ago, and wheat exports for the week, flour included, have been 3,963,204 bushels from Atlantic ports, against 3,677,868 bushels last year, and 543,417 from Pacific ports, against 1,094,893 last year, making for the three weeks 10,203,941 bushels from both coasts, flour included, against 15,569,124 bushels last year. Prices have risen sharply, about 4 cents for the week, and exports of corn, though not as large as last year, have been heavy in comparison with any other year. The price is slightly advanced.

Reports from different cities disclose a wonderful activity at the chief centers of Western trade, the dispatches from Chicago, St. Paul and St. Louis being especially significant. To Eastern dealers it may be hard to realize that such extraordinary activity exists at the West, although their own trade is excellent. Even in Eastern markets it is commonly said that no larger trade has ever been known, unless in 1892, but the Western cities are running things much after their own taste this year, having greater advantages than ever before in heavy bank balances, and, while the exchanges for the week fall below those of last year, three to five per cent., they are 13.1 per cent. larger than in the same week in 1892.

The iron and steel trade expands with a rapidity which throws into the shade all expectations, with a steel famine in Germany and Great Britain in the market for 10,000 tons plates, and the American works crowded for months ahead. New orders at Chicago cover 30,000 tons tin plate bars, besides 7,000 tons sold at Philadelphia. Rails are in such demand that the makers are unable to meet with the expectation of advancing prices, some sales having been made from Chicago below agreed quotations for delivery at the far West.

Plates are strong everywhere, but on account of car construction, especially strong at Chicago and the demand for bars on the same account is heavy, with one order at Chicago for 1,000 and several others for 500 cars each. Prices have slightly advanced for plates, bars and wide nails, which are in much better demand than heretofore.

Coke production increases, the output at Connellsville for the week having been 140,658 tons, against 137,171 tons for the previous week, and tin is somewhat stronger at 16.15, reflecting an advance at London. Lead is comparatively inactive at 4 cents. Tin plates are selling at 2.82½ for full weight Bessemer.

The copper production in August was 19,508 tons domestic, against 6,900 foreign, and the lead production, as officially reported, has been 156,163 tons for the half year, against 289,598 tons for the full year 1897.

Failures for the week have been 174 in the United States, against 209 last year, and sixteen in Canada, against twenty-eight last year.

BRYAN'S REGIMENT.

Will Not be Mustered Out Except on Gen. Lee's Recommendation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Colonel Bryan of the Third Nebraska, Governor Holcomb and Representative Stark were again at the War Department to-day and called on General Corbin. Colonel Bryan submitted a few more papers, requesting the discharge of members of his regiment.

It is stated at the department that all the applications for discharge submitted by Colonel Bryan yesterday and to-day will have to pass through the regular military channels, and the final determination will be the recommendation of the corps commander, who is Major General Lee. The party later had another interview with President McKinley. At the close Governor Holcomb said:

"We did not confine our representations to the Third Regiment, but included all the Nebraska troops in the field. Nebraska raised three regiments for the war. Of these the First Regiment is at Manila, the second is on furlough, and the third, which is the regiment commanded by Colonel Bryan, is in Florida. Leaving the second regiment out of consideration, we have 2,652 soldiers in the field. This exceeds our quota about 700 men, on the basis of an army of 100,000. We have asked that the force be so reduced so as to bring it down to somewhere near the correct proportion. All companies are of the maximum strength of 106 men, and we have suggested to the President the advisability of reducing them to the minimum of 86. This would make a reduction of 600 in the two regiments, and bring the Nebraska representation in the army almost to its proper place."

Governor Holcomb added that the requests were made on behalf of the enlisted men only, and not in the interest of officers. "They have the privilege of resigning if they desire to get out of the service," he said.

The Governor stated that no representations had been made concerning the attitude of Colonel Bryan personally, and he could not say whether the Colonel would seek to resign or to secure a furlough.

The President took the representations of the delegation under consideration, promising to give his response at an early date.

BASEBALL.

Results of Games Played on Eastern Diamonds.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23. — Score: Washington 3, hits 8, errors 2; Cincinnati 1, hits 4, errors 2. Batteries—Baker and Farrell; Breitenstein and Wood.

Second game: Washington 6, hits 14, errors 3; Cincinnati 10, hits 14, errors 2. Batteries—Williams and Casey; Hawley, Dammann and Wook.

AT BROOKLYN.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 23.—Score: Brooklyn 4, hits 9, errors 1; St. Louis 3, hits 7, errors 0. Batteries—Kennedy and Ryan; Taylor and Clements.

AT NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Score: New York 3, hits 7, errors 2; Louisville 6, hits 8, errors 1. Batteries—Carrick and Warner; Magee and Kittredge.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 23.—Score: Philadelphia 5, hits 12, errors 0; Cleveland 1, hits 8, errors 2. Batteries—Orth and McFarland; Young and Criger.

AT BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 23.—Score: Baltimore 0, hits 9, errors 1; Chicago 2, hits 8, errors 0. Batteries—Maul and Robinson; Callahan and Donohue.

AT BOSTON.

BOSTON, Sept. 23.—To-day's game was a pitcher's battle, in which honors were about evenly divided. Score: Boston 2, hits 9, errors 0; Pittsburg 1, hits 4, errors 1. Batteries—Willis and Bergen; Tannehill and Bowerman. Umpire—Gaffney.

Sargent Will be Re-elected.

TORONTO (Ont.), Sept. 23.—First Grand Master Hannahan of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen has announced that he will not be a candidate for Grand Master. This means that Mr. Sargent will be re-elected unanimously. The convention has rejected the report of the Grand Executive Board on the report of the Board of Grand Trustees. Its purport was not made public. Eugene V. Debs has come and gone, but he did not capture any office in the gift of the order. It is now asserted that Mr. Debs wanted his old position of Grand Secretary-Treasurer and editor of the "Firemen's Magazine."

Carpet Mills to Shut Down.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 23.—At a meeting of ingrain carpet yarn spinners held in this city an absolute shutdown of the mills represented was decided upon. This action is taken because of the overproduction of yarn. At the present time, owing to unusual conditions in the carpet business, a large per cent. of the ingrain looms are not running. While the looms have been shutting down, the production of yarn has kept up, with the result that there has been overproduction and a consequent tendency toward low prices. The shut-down will be indefinite.

Fatal Wreck in Wisconsin.

ASHLAND (Wis.), Sept. 23. — A frightful wreck occurred last night on the Central road near White River, a small station near Ashland. Harrison Fifield was instantly killed, Walter Sharple fatally injured, and Thomas Johnson and two tramps miraculously escaped injury. All five were riding in a boxcar from Mellen to Ashland. The train broke in two, and in going down grade the two ends came together. The boxcar the men were in was on the rear end, and it was entirely demolished. Johnson, Fifield and Sharple were all laboring men residing at Eau Claire.

A Would-be Murderer Captured.

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.), Sept. 23.—Noble Abner Kent, who shot and almost fatally wounded his brother, Will Kent, a prominent young man near Girard a few months ago because their father had disinherited Noble in favor of Will, and who fled the country, returned yesterday and again attempted to shoot his brother at his home, but the revolver missed fire. The assassin boarded a train and arrived in Springfield to-day. Alighting from the train, he ran into the arms of officers, and is now in jail.

Flag Raising at Atlanta.

ATLANTA (Ga.), Sept. 23. — Flags were raised on all public schools here to-day with ceremonies which included speeches by prominent citizens and the singing of national airs by the children. The flag-raising was in compliance with the order of the City Council passed several months ago. Immediately after the banners were launched they were swung to half-mast in honor of Miss Winnie Davis, who was buried at Richmond to-day.

To Investigate Conduct of War.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The President told his visitors to-day that the commission to investigate the conduct of the War Department had been completed, and would consist of nine members, as first announced. He has not announced the full membership.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—To-day's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $313,735,085; gold reserve, $242,390,875.

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COMMERCIAL.

A STRONG UNDERTONE TO THE WHEAT MARKET.

Light Offerings and Better Inquiry, at an Advance in Quotations.

San Francisco, Sept. 23d.

Notwithstanding easier markets East and easy cables the local Wheat market is strong at an advance, caused by light offerings and a better inquiry; there is a strong undertone; a part cargo down from Port Costa for export. Barley is firmly held at unchanged prices; futures opened higher. Oats are unchanged; the market is fairly active; Gray Oats are scarce and are wanted. Corn is still quiet and the old prices stand. No movement in Rye; not much coming in and very little wanted.

Hay is firm under a good demand and moderate arrivals; that coming in is bringing more money; there is no fancy Hay arriving; such would bring 75c@$1 per ton more than our top prices. Straw is advancing, good stock being scarce; 67½c was offered and refused to-day.

Apples are arriving more freely; Bellflowers and Pippins make more of a showing. Figs are less plentiful. Crate Grapes were in demand to-day for northern shipment; of common Grapes the supply is large and prices lower; not many Tokays here. Winter Nellis Pears are held at 85c@$1 per box. Eastern Cranberries have arrived and are held at $10 per barrel. Wine Grapes are rather lower; Missions bring about $11@12 per ton.

Butter is quite steady, especially fancy stock; prices are unchanged. Not enough store Eggs coming in to quote; some houses predict 35c for ranch Eggs shortly; Egg receipts are light.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

A Very Dull Day in Local Produce Circles Yesterday.

Sacramento, Sept. 23d.

This was a dull day in local produce circles, there being scarcely anything doing during the afternoon, and but little in the earlier part of the day.

Following are the retail prices for the various articles mentioned:

FLOUR—Family Extras, $2.50 per 100 lbs; $1.25 for 50 lbs.

FRUIT—Oranges, Seedlings, 20@30c per dozen; Limes, 12½c; Lemons, 25@40c; Cocoanuts, 10c each; Bananas, 25c dozen; Cantaloupes, 5@10c; Grapes, 3c per lb; Bartlett Pears, 3c per lb; Dearborn Pears, 3c per lb; Strawberries, 12½c lb; Apples, $1.25 per box; Peaches, 3@4c per lb; Melons, 10@25c.

VEGETABLES—Tomatoes, 2c per lb; Celery, 5c per head; Cauliflower, 10c per head; Cucumbers, 10c per dozen; Potatoes, $1 per sack; Turnips, Beets, Parsnips, Carrots, Lettuce, Radishes, Leek and Green Onions, 12½c per dozen bunches; Onions, 2c per lb; Remain, 2 for 5c; Peas, 7c; Beans, 5c per lb; Summer Squash, 2½c per lb; Green Peppers, 5c per lb; Green Corn, 25c per dozen; Egg Plant, 5c; Gumbo, 5c; Lima Beans, 8c; Shell Beans, 5c.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter—Pickle, 30c per lb; Mountain, 20c; Valley Roll, 20c; Petaluma, 50c per roll; Creamery, 60c per roll. Cheese—California, 15c per lb; Young America, 17c; Eastern Creamery, 15@20c; Genuine Swiss, 40c; American Cheese, 20c; Neufchatel, 10c.

NUTS—New Walnuts, 15c per lb; New Almonds, 12½c; New Brazils, 12½c; Pecans, 16c; Filberts, 15c; Chestnuts, 15c per lb; Pine Nuts, 25c.

MEATS—Beef—Prime Rib Roast, 12½c@15c; Loin Steak, 12½@15c; Rump Steak, 10c; Chuck Roast, 10c; Rump, 8c; Brisket, 8c; Chuck Steak, 10c. Veal—Loin and Rib Chops, 15c; Roast Veal, 12c. Mutton—Leg, 11@12½c; Loin and Rib Chops, 12½c; Mutton Stew, 8c; Shoulder Chops, 8c. Pork—8@12c per lb. Corned Beef, 8@12½c; Sausage, 12½c; Vienna Sausage, 15c; Bacon, 8@13½c; Ham, 12½@13½c.

POULTRY—Hens, 60c each; Spring, 50c each; Broilers, 25@40c each; Tame Geese, $1.50 each; Tame Ducks, 50@65c each; Turkeys, 15c for live and 17c for dressed per lb.

EGGS—California, 25c per dozen.

HAY AND GRAIN—Oat or Wheat Hay, 90c@$1; Alfalfa, 70@75c; Whole Barley, $1.35; Ground Barley, $1.45; Feed Oats, $1.50@1.60; Middlings, $1.05; Shorts, 95c; Bran, 90c; Straw, 60@65c; Corn, large, $1.30; small, $1.35; Cracked Corn, $1.40; Ground Corn, $1.35; Red Russian Oats, $1.60.

GRANITE MINING CANDLES—10 oz, 6¼c; 12 oz, 7c; 14 oz, 7½c; 16 oz, 8¼c.

COAL OIL—Eagle (cases), 17c; Star, 17c; Eocene, 19c; Extra Star, 21c; Elaine, 23c; Water White (bulk), 12c.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CANDLES—10 oz, 4½c; 12 oz, 5½c; 14 oz, 6¼c; 16 oz, 7½c.

Closing Grain Quotations.

Chicago, Sept. 23d.

WHEAT—September, 67c; December, 63⅞c; May, 65⅛c.

New York, Sept. 23d.

WHEAT—September, 73⅞c; December, 60¼c; May, 69⅝c.

San Francisco, Sept. 23d.

WHEAT—December, $1.23¾.
BARLEY—December, $1.24¾.
CORN—Large Yellow, $1.05@1.10.
BRAN—$14.50@15.50.

California Fruit Sales.

Porter Brothers' Company sold yesterday at open auction California fruit at the following prices:

At Chicago: Pears—Bartlett, $1.75@3.05 per box and $1.10 per half box. Grapes—Tokay, $1.85@2.65 per double crate and 90c@$1.50 per single crate; Muscat, 90c per single crate. Four cars of California fruit on the Chicago market, of which Porter Brothers' Company sold one car.

At Philadelphia: Peaches—Freestones, $1.15 per box; Salway, 70@75c.

At New York: Pears—Bartlett, $1.80@2.90 per box; Beurre Hardy, $1.80. Grapes—Tokay, $1.65@1.80 per single crate; Muscat, 85c@$1.25; Purple Damascus, $1.25. Prunes—Hungarian, $1.25@1.70 per single crate. Peaches—Salway, 75c@$1.05 per box. Six cars of California fruit on the New York market, of which Porter Brothers' Company sold three cars.

The Earl Fruit Company auctioned California fruit yesterday with the following results:

At Chicago: Tokay, 70c@$1.60, average, $1.11; Malaga, $1.15@1.40, average, $1.35; Bartlett, $2.40@3, average, $2.45. Four cars sold. Weather cool.

At New York: Malaga, $1.15@1.40, average, $1.20; Bartlett Pears, average $2.50; De Anjou, $1.70; Beurre Hardy, $1.95; Comice, $2.40@2.70, average, $2.56. Six cars sold. Weather rainy.

California Dried Fruit.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—California Dried Fruits, steady. Evaporated Apples—Common, 6@8c; prime wire tray, 8½c; choice, 9c; fancy, 9½c. Prunes, 4@8¼c. Apricots—Royal, 11@13c; Moorpark, 12@16c. Peaches—Unpeeled, 7@9c; peeled, 12@15c.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

San Francisco, Sept. 23d.

Morning Session—Andes, 10c; Con Cal & Va, 72c; G & C, 24c; Justice, 12c; Savage, 14c; Sierra Nev, 80c.

Closing Quotations—Alta, 7c; Alpha Con, 3c; Andes, 9c; Belcher, 18c; Best & Bel, 31c; Bullion, 3c; Caledonia, 29c; Chal Con, 20c; Chollar, 18c; Confidence, 51c; Con Cal & Va, 76c; Con Imperial, 1c; Crown Point, 16c; Exchequer, 2c; G & C, 24c; Hale & Nor, 81c; Julia, 1c; Justice, 11c; Kentuck Con, 2c; Mexican, 25c; Occidental Con, 88c; Ophir, 59c; Overman, 5c; Potosi, 20c; Savage, 14c; Scorpion, 3c; Sierra Nev, 84c; Union Con, 25c; Utah Con, 7c; Yellow Jacket, 22c; Standard, $1.60.

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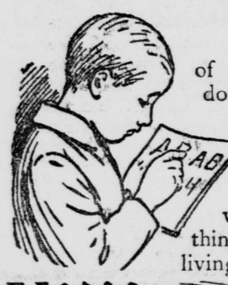

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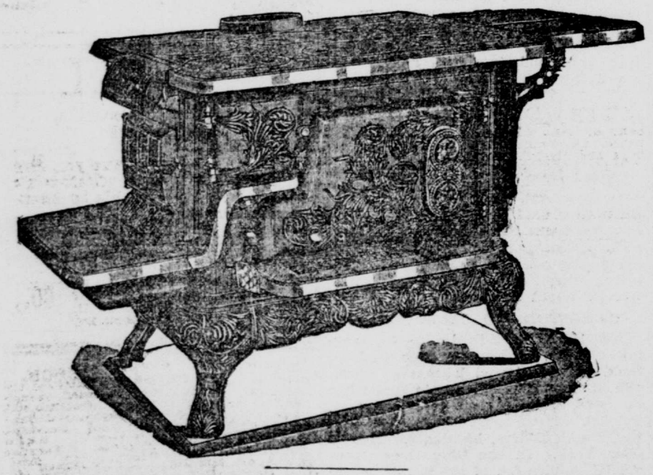

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PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF a certain deed of trust, executed by WILLIAM KERN and Margaret M. Kern, his wife, both of the county of Placer, State of California, to William Beckman and J. L. Huntoon, both of the county of Sacramento, city of Sacramento, State aforesaid, as trustees, dated October 15, 1892, and recorded on October 18, 1892, in the office of the County Recorder of the county of Placer, State of California, in book "58" of deeds, at page "30," and on application of the holder and owner of the promissory note secured to be paid by said deed of trust, and because default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured to be paid by said deed of trust, the undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash, in United States gold coin, at the front of the courthouse of the county of Sacramento, in the city of Sacramento, State of California, on Wednesday, the 5th day of October, 1898, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 m. (said sale commencing at the said hour of 10 a. m. of said day), the following described real estate, with the improvements thereon, situated in the county of Placer, State of California, to-wit:

The north half of the northeast quarter, and the north half of the northwest quarter of section number twenty-two, township number twelve north, range number seven east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, together with all water, water rights and ditches now used or that which may be hereafter acquired for the purpose of irrigating and draining said lands.

(Seal.) WM. BECKMAN, Trustee.
(Seal.) J. L. HUNTOON, Trustee.
Sacramento, Cal., September 15, 1898.
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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Charles B. Strong, Commissioner of the Superior Court of the County of Sacramento, State of California, in the action wherein Maurice Leavitt is plaintiff and Mary E. Howard, as the administratrix of the estate of Madison Howard, deceased, is defendant, that in pursuance of a decree of said court made and entered in said cause on the 19th day of August, 1898, and an order of sale issued out of said court in said action directed to me as such Commissioner, wherein and whereby I was directed to sell the property hereinafter described in satisfaction of said judgment, which said judgment directs the payment of my costs and expenses and fees, and the costs of said action, amounting to $16.70 and $150 attorney's fees allowed plaintiff therein, and also $3,363.43 due to plaintiff, together with the interest thereon from the date of said decree at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum. I will on MONDAY, the 26th day of September, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the County Courthouse, northwest corner of Seventh and I streets, Sacramento City, California, sell at public auction for cash in gold coin of the United States, the lands and premises described in the said decree, to wit:

The northeast quarter and the southeast diagonal half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, in township seven north, range five east, Mt. Diablo base and meridian, together with the improvements thereon, and the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

Dated Sacramento, September 2, 1898.
CHARLES B. STRONG,
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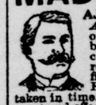

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7. Grand selection, "Rob Roy". ... De Koven
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at 10c yd

This includes the balance of our stock of No. 9, 12 and 16 all-silk moire ribbons, in a good variety of colors.

We also offer a pretty line of all-silk bayadere stripe ribbons, in 9, 12 and 16 widths, which we formerly sold at 15c to 25c yard.

And yet another is the residue of a sale lot of fancy hat ribbons; originally 25c grades.

at 25c yd

This offering includes a few pieces of white and cream all-silk satin ribbons and some of our regular 50c and 75c values in fancy hat and neck ribbons. There are only 25 pieces in this lot, which is a very select one, so you had better come early to take advantage of this offering.

at 35c yd

Probably the best in this entire offering is this of heavy black all-silk moire ribbon, of rich, lustrous finish and extra width—5 inches; suitable for sashes.

ladies' walking gloves 79c pr

We made a heavy under-value purchase of ladies' 4-button English walking gloves, of strong, serviceable kid, with pique seams. Ordinarily they would be worth $1.25 a pair, but the exceptional terms on which we secured them enables us to offer them at 79c pair.

white chamois gloves 50c pr

These gloves are made of soft, pliable chamois and fit the hand as a glove should; can be washed without injury; 2-clasp style. You will find these an excellent value.

Pointers for the Economical.

Men's hats, $1.
Men's wool underwear, 50c.
Men's golf shirts, 38c.
Boys' all-wool school suits, $3.45.
Children's handkerchiefs, 2½c each.
Ladies' hose, 10c pair.
Satem finished pillow cases, 50x36, 12c each.
Woolen blankets, $3.25 pair.
Children's school shoes, $1 pair.

Read our advertisement in Sunday's "Record-Union" and learn the conditions of our prize offer for school children.

Hale's corner,
Ninth and K.

CITY OFFICIAL ADVERTISING.

ORDINANCE NO. 445.

An Ordinance Prohibiting the Keeping of Cows in Greater Number than Two Within Certain Limits of the City of Sacramento and Fixing a Penalty for the Violation of this Ordinance.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. No cows exceeding two in number, shall be kept or maintained by any one person or family or firm or corporation, for the purpose of selling milk or for dairy purposes, within the following limits of the city of Sacramento, to wit: South of B street, and north of R street, and west of Twenty-third street, in said city.

Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine not exceeding Three Hundred Dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of March, 1897.

Section 4. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Passed November 30, 1896.
CHARLES E. LEONARD.
President of the Board of Trustees.
Approved December 5, 1896.
C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

Repealed by Ordinance 475.

ORDINANCE NO. 446.

An Ordinance Providing for Fire Escapes on Buildings in the City of Sacramento, and Providing a Penalty for a Breach of this Ordinance.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, as owner, agent, contractor, lessee or employe, to build, construct or maintain any building of three stories or more in hight in the city of Sacramento, and occupied or used as a hotel, boarding or lodging house or tenement, dwelling, or for offices, or sleeping apartments, or for factories, mills, manufactories or workshop, unless the same be provided with good and sufficient means of egress in case of fire. Every such building shall be provided with metal fire escapes, and women and children shall not be employed above the second story of any factory, shop or printing office, unless there are two or more means of exit. All fire escapes shall be kept free of obstructions, and shall extend from the first story to at least four feet above the roof.

Section 2. Every building of three stories or more in hight, occupied or used for any of the purposes mentioned in Section 1, and having a balcony, porch or awning, shall also have an opening in the floor thereof not less than two feet wide by three feet, six inches long, and closed or protected on three sids, and there shall be communication from balcony to balcony in the form of an incline step ladder, which shall have an inclination from the perpendicular of not less than four inches to every twelve inches of rise, and it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, company or corporation, as owner, agent, contractor, lessee or employe, to build, construct or maintain any such porch, balcony or awning, unless in conformity with the provisions of Section 2 hereof.

Section 3. It shall be and is hereby made the duty of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department to see that all the provisions of this ordinance are strictly enforced.

Section 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than Three Hundred Dollars, or by imprisonment in the City Jail not exceeding three months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

Passed November 30, 1896.
CHARLES E. LEONARD,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Approved December 5, 1896.
C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

ORDINANCE NO. 450.

An Ordinance Making the Willful Non-Payment of Just Debts a Cause for the Dismissal and Removal of Employes and Appointees of the City of Sacramento.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. The willful failure or neglect of any employe or appointee of the City of Sacramento to pay his just debts or obligations, contracted while such employe or appointee, is hereby made a cause for the dismissal and removal from the service of the city of said employe or appointee.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed December 21, 1896.
CHARLES E. LEONARD,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Approved December 28, 1896.
C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

ORDINANCE NO. 453.

An Ordinance to Prevent Throwing Banana Peelings, etc., on Sidewalks and Stairs.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento do ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to throw or deposit any banana, orange, lemon or apple peeling, or any substance whatsoever liable to endanger life or limb on any sidewalk, or on the floor of any street railway car or other public conveyance in the City of Sacramento.

Section 2. Any person or persons violating the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of Five ($5) Dollars, or be imprisoned in the City Jail not to exceed two days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be published for three consecutive days in the daily papers of the city of Sacramento, and shall take effect immediately thereafter.

Passed January 4, 1897.
CHARLES E. LEONARD,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Approved January 11, 1897.
C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

ORDINANCE NO. 498.

An Ordinance to amend Section Seven of Ordinance Number One Hundred and Forty-one, regulating the time for using City water for the purposes of irrigation in the City of Sacramento, and providing that fire pressure be maintained by the City Water Works during said time.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section seven of ordinance number one hundred and forty-one is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 7. No person or persons shall use, or cause to be used, any City water for the purposes of irrigation in the City of Sacramento, except between the hours from Five to Eight o'clock a. m., and from Five to Nine o'clock p. m., except at the City Cemetery, State Capitol Grounds, Federal Building and the Plaza. And it is further provided that during the foregoing hours fixed for irrigation, the City Water Works, and the Chief Engineer thereof, shall maintain fire pressure throughout said City.

Section 2. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed August 1, 1898.
D. McKAY,
President of Board of Trustees.
Approved August 2, 1898.
WM. LAND, Mayor.