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## MARKET MOVEMENTS

### IMPROVE

#### PROMISE OF WIDER SPECULATIVE INTEREST IF FULFILLED DURING THE DAY.

New York, March 29.—The stock market today fulfilled the promise of a wider speculative interest which was contained in the sudden revival on Saturday. The volume of the market was run up by noon to half a million shares, thus rather exceeding the recent average for a full day's business. When the market opened brokers and themselves with orders on their hands for purchase of anywhere from a hundred to five thousand shares of stock. Moreover, these orders were for purchase "at the market," in some cases, that is, without limitation on the price. This state of affairs was responsible for the buoyant upshot of opening prices. First quotations in United States Steel and Union Pacific being wide or at simultaneously prices varying a fraction. Foreign markets contributed the influence of the definite settlement of the dispute between Austria and Serbia reported in the morning dispatches. This relieved the London and European markets from quite a weight of depression and combined with the brightening money outlook to stimulate a speculative revival abroad.

The effect was seen in large receipts of orders for the purchase of American securities in New York, estimated of London's buying for the day running from 75,000 to 100,000 shares. Discounts receded in all the foreign money markets, presaging the expected accumulation of funds which will follow the April settlements and the increase in confidence resulting from the Balkan settlement. The speculative element continued to lay much stress on the early return to the financial district intended by E. H. Harriman and the references which have taken place between that gentleman and President Louis Hill of the Great Northern.

The Harriman stocks were prominent features of strength. Southern Pacific, in fact, selling at the highest price on record, while Union Pacific touched a price within a small fraction of the highest made since the panic. Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$5,758,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

**New York Closing Stocks.**

Amalgamated Copper	74 3/4
American Car & Foundry	50
American Locomotive	54 1/2
American Smelting & Refining	88
Do preferred	109 3/4
American Sugar	121 1/2
Anaconda Mining Co.	47 1/2
Aetna	105 1/2
Do preferred, Md.	104
Baltimore & Ohio	112 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	74 1/2
Canadian Pacific	171 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	69 1/2
Chicago Northwestern	131 1/2
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Delaware & Hudson	176
Denver & Rio Grande	46
Do preferred	87 1/2
Erie	27 1/2
Great Northern prd.	145 1/2
Great Northern Ore Cts.	68
Illinois Central	145 1/2
International Paper	93 1/2
Interborough-Met.	13
Do preferred	40 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	131 1/2
Missouri Pacific	73
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	42 1/2
National Biscuit	194 1/2
National Lead	130 1/2
New York Central	82 1/2
Northern Pacific	142 1/2
Pacific Mail	33
Pennsylvania	132 1/2
People's Gas	112 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	37 1/2
Pullman Palace Car	172 1/2
Reading	134 1/2
Rock Island Co.	25
Do preferred	41 1/2
Southern Railway	123
Southern Railway	26 1/2
United States Steel	184 1/2
Do preferred	47 1/2
Wabash	18 1/2
Western Union	95 1/2
Standard Oil	65 1/2

**Boston Mining Stocks.**

Adventure	8
Albion	35 1/2
Amalgamated	74 1/2
Arizona Commercial	38 1/2
Atlantic	134 1/2
Butte Coalition	24 1/2
Calumet & Arizona	101
Calumet & Hecla	63 1/2
Centennial	30
Copper Range	77
Daly West	104 1/2
Franklin	14 1/2
Granby	95
Greene Cananea	104 1/2
Isle Royale	26 1/2
Mass. Mining	56
Michigan	104 1/2
Montana Coal & Coke	25 1/2
Nevada	19 1/2
Old Dominion	51
Oscoda	128
Parrot	33
Shannon	87 1/2
Tamarack	78 1/2
Trinity	145 1/2
United Copper	134 1/2
United States Mining	43
United States Oil	31 1/2
Utah	42 1/2
Victoria	44 1/2
Wolverine	142
North Butte	72 1/2

**New York Mining Stocks.**

Alice	175
Comstock Tunnel Stock	22
Comstock Tunnel Bonds	17
Brunswick Con.	6
Con. Cal. & Va.	60
Horn Silver	190
Iron Silver	100
Leadville Con.	45
Little Chief	10
Mexican	65
Ontario	550
Standard	130
Yellow Jacket	57

**San Francisco Mining Stocks.**

Alpha Con.	4
Andes	13
Belcher	47
Best & Belcher	42
Bullion	10
Caledonia	17
Challenge Con.	18
Chollar	15
Confidence	66
Con. Cal. & Va.	65
Con. Imperial	2
Crown Point	32
Eschbacher	18
Gould & Gurrle	9
Hale & Norcross	16
Kentuck Con.	70
Mexican	5
Occidental Con.	17
Ophir	105
Overman	10
Potosi	13
Savage	13
Scorpion	4
Sag Belcher	4
Sierra Nevada	23
Silver Hill	9

Union Con.	24
Utah Con.	1
Yellow Jacket	60

**Silver and Drafts.**  
Silver bars, 50%; Mexican dollars, 44%. Drafts, sight, 4 per cent; telegraph, 6 per cent.

**Grain and Provisions.**  
Chicago, March 29.—Weekly statistics show the chief reason for the buoyant tone that was manifested in the wheat pit during the greater part of the day. Sentiment was a trifle bearish at the start because of the poor response of the Liverpool market to the local advance Saturday, but the buying of May by a few scattered shorts soon caused a rally. Toward midday the market became quite weak again for a short time, but soon rallied once more on buying brought up by the improvement in the cash situation. The close was strong at net gains for May of 1/4 to 1/2 c. and July of 1/4 to 1/2 c. and July of 1/4 to 1/2 c. The close was dull, with net gains of 3/4 to 1/2 c. with May at 54 1/2 and July at 47 1/2. Provisions were rather weak early, but closed 2 1/2 to 1 1/2 above Saturday's close.

**Treasury Statement.**  
Washington, March 29.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund shows: Available cash balance, \$132,519,737; gold coin and bullion, \$42,139,814; gold certificates, \$46,146,264.

**Wool Market.**  
St. Louis, March 29.—Wool nominal. Medium grades, combed and clothing, 26 1/2 to 27 1/2; light fine, 19 1/2 to 20 1/2; heavy fine, 10 1/2 to 11 1/2; tub washed, 26 1/2 to 27 1/2.

**Metal Market.**  
New York, March 29.—The London tin market was higher today, with spot quoted at \$132 1/2 and futures at \$132 1/2 to \$133. The local market was firm and higher at \$29 1/2 to \$30. Copper advanced to 158 1/2 for spot and 157 1/2 for futures in London. The local market was firm. Lake, \$122 1/2 to \$123 1/2; electrolytic, \$125.50 to \$126.25; and casting at \$123 1/2 to \$125. Lead advanced to \$13 1/2 in London and the local market was firm at \$14 1/2 to \$15. Spelter was unchanged at \$21 7/8 to \$22 in London and remained quiet at \$4 7/8 to \$4 7/4 locally.

**Chicago Livestock.**  
Chicago, March 29.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 24,000; market steady, a shade lower; heaves, \$4.00 to \$4.10; Texas steers, \$4.00 to \$4.50; western steers, \$4.00 to \$4.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.40 to \$3.50; cows and heifers, \$1.90 to \$2.00; calves, \$5.75 to \$6.00.  
Hogs—Receipts estimated at 40,000; market steady; light, \$6.50 to \$7.00; mixed, \$6.75 to \$7.00; heavy, \$6.75 to \$7.15; rough, \$6.75 to \$6.90; good to choice heavy, \$6.90 to \$7.15; pigs, \$5.00 to \$5.50; bulk of sales, \$6.50 to \$7.00.  
Sheep—Receipts estimated at 18,000; market strong. Native \$3.00 to \$3.15; western, \$3.00 to \$3.15; western, \$3.00 to \$3.15; yearlings, \$6.20 to \$7.25; lambs, native, \$5.75 to \$6.10; western, \$5.75 to \$6.25.

**KILLED WITH AN AXE.**  
Grand Rapids, March 29.—A double murder was committed in Antrim county last night, when the wife and infant child of George Hopper, a farmer, were hacked to death with an axe. Their dead bodies were found in bed today. A posse found Hopper, the husband and father, hiding in the woods. He was placed under arrest. It is understood that there had been domestic trouble.

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# The WORLD OF SPORT

## OVATION TENDERED JOHNSON

THE CHAMPION HEAVYWEIGHT IS GREETED ENTHUSIASTICALLY BY NEW YORKERS.

New York, March 29.—Nearly 1,000 men greeted Jack Johnson, the pugilist, when he arrived here today. The crowd was made up for the most part of negroes and they cheered lustily as they first got sight of the man of their race who won the championship of the prize ring.

Johnson, pleased with his welcome, held an impromptu reception on the platform of the railroad station. He was greeted by delegations from sporting clubs and organizations of colored people.

The reception to Johnson was arranged by Harron Wilkens and Edward Byrd, proprietors of a hotel where Johnson planned to stop while in New York, and the program included a parade to the hotel.

Several sightseeing automobiles, heavily loaded with admirers of the fighter, were waiting outside the station, and Johnson, with his immediate friends, occupied a machine at the head of the line.

The procession passed through West Forty-second street and down Broadway. All along the route the sidewalks were lined by curious observers and sports, who cheered the champion as he passed. Several hundred persons gathered at a West Forty-third street hotel to meet Johnson. Johnson appeared on a second floor balcony and made a little speech.

"I'm glad to get back home again," he said. "When I left I did not wear the crown that I now wear, and while I wear this crown I'll do my best to defeat all comers. I am willing to fight anybody and won't ask the money in advance as Burns did when he fought me. My sole purpose in coming to New York today was to force Jim Jeffries into a match. During the day I am going to post a forfeit of \$5,000 for a match for \$10,000. I am willing to fight any man in the world." Renewed cheering greeted the close of Champion Johnson's speech and he retired into the hotel.

Asked if he would fight Ketchel, the colored champion said: "I'll fight the first man that covers the money if Jeffries refuses to fight. Ketchel is not too small and Corbett is not too old." Johnson said he was going abroad again, but he does not know when. A number of receptions and entertainments have been planned for him during the week.

## GOING TO OGDEN.

Helena, March 29.—Manager Jack Huston of the Helena baseball club will leave here the first of the week for Ogden, Utah, where the Helena team will train and where he expects to arrange for hotel accommodations and exhibition games. His team will report at Ogden April 10, and will immediately begin active practice. Butte will train at Nampa, and will open the season at Boise.

The Helena manager has practically completed his team.

## GANS HAS TUBERCULOSIS.

Denver, March 29.—The Post today asserts that Joe Gans, former world's lightweight champion pugilist, has developed tuberculosis of the lungs, and may never be seen again in the ring. Referee Charles White is quoted as being responsible for the statement. Fifteen minutes before Gans went into the ring in the recent battle with Jake White, the English pugilist, he had such a severe coughing spell that for a time it was feared that he would not be able to enter the ring at all.

## WILL MANAGE FERGUSON.

Boston, March 29.—Hugh McLean of Chelsea, holder of the world's middle distance motor-paced bicycle championship and of the world's record for one and two miles, motor paced, announces his retirement from the bicycle track today. Hereafter it is understood he will manage the boxing career of Sandy Ferguson. From retirement among his projects was the winning of the all-nations race in Paris in 1905, a distance of 31 1/2 miles.

## RENOUNCES RIGHTS AS NATIVE AMERICAN

Seattle, March 29.—Mrs. Gunjro Aoki, who was married to a Japanese last Saturday, renounced all rights as a native born American woman when she stood at the altar of the Trinity Episcopal church. The laws of the United States provide that when an American woman marries a foreigner she becomes a subject of the governing power to which her husband owes allegiance. In this case Helen Aoki becomes a subject of the emperor of Japan.

## LACKS CALIBER FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

KETCHEL FAILS TO SHOW CLASS IN FIGHT WITH O'BRIEN, ALTHOUGH VICTOR.

Ringside reports of the Ketchel-O'Brien fight in New York on Friday night fail to show that Ketchel had any the wits of the round, when O'Brien went down more from the effect of his own efforts during the fight than from any fistic excellence of the Michigan man. It is evident that Ketchel, though a rugged fighter of the slugger type, was at sea before the shifty Philadelphia fighter, and unable to show any of the prowess which characterized his actions when he faced Papke and Kelly.

In the initial period O'Brien, after being forced around the ring, stopped Ketchel with a series of hard blows to the heart and jaw and had the middleweight champion backing up when the going soured. In the second round Ketchel showed wonderful lack of ring generalship and was clearly deficient in gauging distance. He was short with left and right swings and O'Brien showed him up in the matter of hand and foot work. In this round O'Brien began to show lack of condition and was blowing hard.

Ketchel landed a fearful right swing on O'Brien's eye, and had the Philadelphia holding on at the bell. In the third round the only blows struck were delivered by the puffing O'Brien, who hugged for rest. The fourth round opened with Ketchel rushing his opponent to the ropes and landing a staggering blow on O'Brien's damaged optic. O'Brien landed three left hooks on Ketchel's jaw and had the ex-Butte man groggy. Ketchel, however, fought back hard and stopped O'Brien. The round closed with O'Brien landing two rights to the jaw. In the fifth round O'Brien outgeneraled Ketchel and landed six telling blows to one from Ketchel, sending the latter groggy to his corner. The men in the sixth, hammered each other at close quarters, Ketchel showing up much the slower, although he stuck gamely at his task. O'Brien sent left and right hooks to the jaw at the bell. Both fighters were swinging wildly during the early moments of the seventh round, Ketchel sending two hard lefts to the face and following them up with a hard left to the stomach. O'Brien uppercut Ketchel heavily on the face, but backed up as Ketchel forced the fighting. A right and left to the jaw stopped the Michiganander and a right uppercut followed by a left to the face and two right swings to the jaw turned the tide of battle against the younger man, who staggered to his corner. When round 8th opened O'Brien was clearly exhausted from his own efforts, but he swung two staggering blows to the jaw which nearly toppled Ketchel over. The Philadelphia was too tired to follow up his advantage, but by a remarkable display of ring generalship he was able to keep Ketchel backing up and managed to land a hard swing on the nose before the bell rang. The ninth round opened with Ketchel swinging his arms like flails. O'Brien hooked his left to jaw and then fell down after receiving a clout in the wind. Ketchel seemed to recuperate and took advantage of his tired opponent, showing rights and lefts on the staggering O'Brien. Ketchel was the quicker of the two at the 10th round and with a succession of blows, which landed anywhere and everywhere, he put O'Brien down three times as fast as the Philadelphia fighter could get up. The third time O'Brien stuck to the mat for four seconds and the gong closed the fight.

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Dr. R. A. Folkerts of Duluth, Minn., tells of the success in treating patients: "There was a man here suffering from eczema for the last 14 years, and I applied the D. D. D. treatment. I also applied it to a man of West Duluth, Minn., who has been suffering with rheumatism for 14 years, and eczema in his feet, and the second treatment in both cases cleared the skin almost absolutely. The first application is a balm, and its soothing effect is beyond expression. I shall never be without it, and shall use it among my patients altogether." "No matter how terribly you suffer from eczema, salt rheum, ringworm, etc., you will feel instantly soothed and the itch allayed at once when a few drops of this oil of wintergreen is applied. The cures all seem to be permanent. We can recommend it with D. D. D. soap. Geo. Freishelmer.

## PAY BIG FINE.

New York, March 29.—The New York Central & Hudson River Railroad company today pleaded guilty to the charge of rebating in connection with the transportation of coopers' supplies and paid a fine of \$10,000 in the United States circuit court. The plea of guilty followed the refusal by the United States supreme court of demurrers for which the New York Central had filed to an indictment by the federal grand jury in 1907.

## It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for skin eruptions, eczema, salt rheum, boils, fever sores, burns, scalds, and piles. 25c at G. Freishelmer.

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## ARCHBISHOP EMORY RESIGNS POSITION

Oakland, Cal., March 29.—Archbishop Emory, who for almost a decade has presided over the mission-ary field of this jurisdiction, has resigned. His formal resignation, to take effect on the 1st of April, is the result of his explaining his reasons for desiring to sever his connection with the diocese of California, which has been placed in the hands of Bishop Nichols, who has, however, not seen fit to act upon it or make the letter public. The notoriety coming at this time through the marriage of his daughter, Helen Gladys Emory, to Gunjro Aoki has been a source of great worry to the clergyman and because of the interest and criticism it has excited throughout the state he thought it best to resign.

## HAY SWORN IN.

Olympia, Wash., March 29.—Lieutenant Governor M. E. Hay was sworn in as governor of Washington today to succeed the late Governor Cosgrove. Following his induction into office Governor Hay, as commander of the national guard, issued an order calling out seven companies to act as a military escort at the funeral of the late governor, which will occur here Wednesday afternoon.

## NOVELIST PASSES AWAY.

Fort Scott, Kas., March 29.—Myra D. McCrum, aged 79 years, a civil war novelist and story writer, known under the pen name of Daisy Howard, died here today at the home of her son, Benjamin McCrum. For years she was a contributor to New York magazines.

"My 3-year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wol-kush, Castler, Wis. Geo. Freishelmer, Garden City Drug Co.

## PRISONERS ESCAPE ONLY TO BE CAUGHT

Salem, Ore., March 29.—By sawing their way through the bars of a window in the basement of the building, four convicts made an attempt to escape from the penitentiary early this morning. The prison officials were cognizant of the plot, however, and with five armed guards awaiting their exit, the prisoners were held up at the points of as many guns as they made a bolt for liberty, and with hands held high in the air, all were ordered back into the prison through the same hole from which they had emerged.

John Branton, the leader and principal mover in the outbreak, lies dead in the morgue, having committed suicide by cutting his throat from ear to ear with a butcher knife. He was serving a 10-year sentence for assault with intent to kill.

## MAKES NOMINATIONS.

Washington, March 29.—The president today made the following nominations: Consul general at Singapore, Straits Settlement—James T. Dubois of Pennsylvania. Solicitor general of the United States—Lloyd W. Bowers of Illinois. Associate justice of the supreme court of New Mexico—Ira A. Abbott of Massachusetts. Assistant secretary of the treasury—Charles B. Morton of Illinois.

## BODY IS SHIPPED.

Paso Robles, Cal., March 29.—The remains of Governor Cosgrove of the state of Washington were sent to Olympia today. The body has been embalmed and a beautiful mahogany casket provided. Howard G. Cosgrove, son of the dead governor, made for arrangements as being made for a state funeral at Olympia. Mrs. Cosgrove left on the funeral train.

Notice.  
To those who contemplate joining the Fraternal Order of Eagles, there will be an initiation of 50 members or more on the third Tuesday in April. W. S. HORD, Secretary.