

# MARKET IMPROVES OVER FRIDAY

## PRESSURE DIRECTED AT AMALGAMATED COPPER AND ALLIED INTERESTS.

New York, July 6.—Some improvement over yesterday's weak close was manifested by today's stock market. The opening was irregular with declines in the anthracite shares, Canadian Pacific and Brooklyn Transit, but most of these losses were effaced in the first half hour with general strength elsewhere.

United States Steel was again the most active of the leaders and held its partial recovery. Amalgamated Copper and allied interests, American Smelting, excepted, continued to reflect pressure, probably in anticipation of an adverse report by the producers next week.

Hill shares held firm with unusual activity in the Southern Railway issues, the preferred gaining materially on prospects of an increased dividend. Inter-Metropolitan preferred, General Electric, Tennessee Copper, American Tobacco and American Snuff, all closed with net gains.

Another low record for Consolidated was reported from London, where money was easier and discounts harder. The bank statement met the most unfavorable expectations. An actual cash loss of \$24,000,000, a loan increase of more than \$11,000,000 and a decrease of \$26,000,000 net deposits reduced aggregate cash reserves from \$438,453,000 to practically \$429,000,000, wiped out the \$12,546,000 of last week's cash reserves and created a deficit of \$5,415,000. The bond market was irregular. Total sales (par value), \$902,000.

Government bonds were unchanged on the week.

New York Closing Stocks.	
Amalgamated Copper	83%
American Beet Sugar	73%
American Cotton Oil	53%
American Smelt & Ref	84%
American Sugar Refining	139
American Tel & Tel	145 1/4
Anacosta Mining Co	117
Atchafalaya	108 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line (bid)	129 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio (bid)	164 1/4
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92 1/2
Canadian Pacific	266 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	80 1/4
Chicago & Northwestern	137 1/2
Chicago, Mil & St Paul	105 1/4
Colorado Fuel & Iron	31 1/4
Colorado & Southern	38 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	167 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	19 1/4
Eric	153 1/2
General Electric	180
Great Northern pref	157 1/2
Great Northern Ore Cfts	44
Illinois Central	125 1/4
Interborough-Met	21 1/2
do preferred	60 1/2
International Harvester	121
Louisville & Nashville	160
Missouri Pacific	26 1/2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas (bid)	27 1/4
Lehigh Valley	168
National Lead	59
New York Central	117
Norfolk & Western	115
Northern Pacific	122 1/2
Pennsylvania	124
People's Gas	115 1/2
Pullman Palace Car (bid)	141
Reading	165 1/2
Rock Island Co. (bid)	24 1/2
do preferred	50 1/2
Southern Pacific	109 1/2
Southern Railway	29 1/2
Union Pacific	168 1/2
United States Steel	70 1/2
do preferred	112 1/2
Wabash	4 1/2
Western Union	82

New York Mining Stocks.	
Alice	150
Comstock Tunnel Stock	19
Comstock Tunnel Bonds (old)	15
Con Cal & Va	45
Iron Silver	150
Leadville Consolidated	10
Little Chief	3
Mexican	275
Ontario	150
Ophir	105
Standard	30
Yellow Jacket	30

Boston Mining Stocks.	
Albion	46
Amalgamated Copper	83 1/2
American Zinc Lead & Sm	31 1/2
Arizona Commercial	5 1/2
Bos & Corb Cop & Sm Mg	7 1/2
Calumet & Arizona	75
Calumet & Hecla	530
Centennial	22
Copper Range Con Co	58 1/2
East Butte Copper Mine	13 1/2
Franklin	11 1/2
Giroux Consolidated	5
Greenb Canyon	54 1/2
Greene Cananea	110
Ile Royale (copper)	35 1/2
Kerr Lake	2 1/2
Lake Copper	38
La Salle Copper	7 1/2
Miami Copper	27 1/2
Mohawk	70
Nevada Consolidated	21 1/2
Nipissing Mines	71 1/2
North Butte	30 1/2
North Lake	8 1/2
Old Dominion	57
Osceola	110
Quincy	91 1/2
Shannon	16 1/2
Superior	45
Superior & Boston Mining	2
Tamarack	30 1/2
U S Sm Ref & Min	49
do preferred	49 1/2
Utah Consolidated	10
Utah Copper Co.	62 1/2
Winona	5 1/2
Wolverine	110

Chicago, July 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 400 head; market steady. Beeves, \$5.75@6.70; Texas steers, \$5.80@7.40; western steers, \$6.25@7.70; stockers and feeders, \$4@6.65; cows and heifers, \$2.70@3.35; calves, \$5.50@8.40. Hogs—Receipts 5,600 head; market strong to be higher. Light, \$7.10@7.60; mixed, \$7.00@7.60; heavy, \$6.95@7.60; rough, \$4.95@7.15; pigs, \$5.30

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000 head; market strong. Native, \$3.10@5.15; western, \$3.40@5.25; yearlings, \$4.25@6.70; lambs, native, \$3.75@5; western, \$4.25@6.8.

Metal Market. New York, July 6.—In the absence of London advices, metal markets were neglected and practically nominal. Lake copper, 17 1/2@17 3/4; electrolytic, 17 1/2@17 3/4; casting, \$17@17 1/4. Iron steady, unchanged.

Money Market. New York, July 6.—Money on call nominal. Time loans, firm; 60 days, 2 per cent; 90 days, 2 1/4 per cent; six months, 4@4 1/4 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4 to 4 1/4 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 48 for 60-day bills and at 48 1/2 for demand.

Commercial bills, 48 1/4. Bar silver, 61c. Mexican dollars, 48c. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, irregular.

Grain and revisions. Chicago, July 6.—Grain holders encountered today the most disastrous market of the week. The entire list became demoralized. Wheat for the first time in a long while fell below the dollar level, closing heavy. Wheat speculators who had been attempting to lift quotations, found themselves facing weather conditions that suggested a larger crop than last year.

At one time profit-taking by shorts rallied wheat prices a little, but the bulge proved brief. Selling assumed proportions altogether too large to credit to miscellaneous commission sources. Some brokers were of the opinion that the most important bull interest had been getting out of all the July wheat possible and buying September at 4 1/4 cents difference. The most burdensome liquidation in wheat came in the last hour. One leading house surprised the pit with sales of 1,000,000 bushels. It was at this point that September whirled down to 1/2 cent below the dollar mark.

Although weather was not ideal for the growing crop of corn, it held up much better than wheat. Later the influence of wheat weakness proved more than could be withstood. Oats reached the lowest level of the season. Provisions suffered with the grain list.

Wheat: July—Opened, \$1.05 1/4 to \$1.05 1/2; high, \$1.05 1/2; low, \$1.04; close, \$1.04 1/4. Corn: July—Opened, 70c to 70 1/2c; high, 71c; low, 69 1/2c; close, 69 1/2c. Oats—July: Opened, 42 1/2c; high, 43 1/2c; low, 40 1/2c; close, 40 1/2c.

PROSPECTUS OF THE Stoney Creek Coal Co. A Corporation.

This company owns a group of coal mines consisting of 800 acres all held under United States Government patent. There are no adverse claims, pending law suits, or litigation of any kind.

This property is situated in the north part of township 15 north range 22 west of the principle meridian of Montana in the county of Missoula.

The present working are four miles northeast from the mouth of Nine Mile creek, and 28 miles west from the town of Missoula. This coal is now hauled to Stoudan, a station on the Milwaukee railroad. There is a gentle grade from the mine to the station just suited for a spur and from there it can be shipped anywhere.

The coal analysis is as follows: Moisture, 9.50 per cent; ash, 9.27 per cent; volatile matter, 40.30 per cent; fixed carbon, 40.93 per cent. It has no clinkers, bone or slate. Its fixed carbon and volatile matter bears comparison with the best bituminous coal shipped in from the east as shown by the analysis. It is higher in fixed carbon than Sheridan, Carney, Bear Creek, Hoffman, Acme, Monarch, and Rocky Fork, and less in ash than Vulcan, Bear Creek, Hoffman and Rocky Fork, according to analysis.

The present depth of the mine from the surface is 45 feet and the coal is 12 feet thick from the pavement to the roof, all bright, black coal—it is not lignite, but bituminous. The property is stocked for \$500,000, divided into 500,000 shares of the par value of one dollar a share; 80,000 shares of this stock are set aside as treasury stock. The directors now offer for sale for a limited time 40,000 shares of this treasury stock at 20 cents a share to obtain funds to use in equipping the mine, but not for hunting the coal—we have the coal already—but if 40,000 shares, or less brings enough to equip the mine, the rest of the 80,000 shares will be reserved as treasury stock anyway, to use in case of accidents. It may not take more than \$5,000 to equip it sufficiently to load railroad cars, and will take less than half that equipment to be able to deliver coal at Missoula. The land has timber for all requirements.

This coal mine is of great value both on account of its immense quantity, its fine quality, and on account of the saving of freight. Bituminous coal from further east cannot be sold at a rate as low and make a profit. We can make a profit by selling at \$4.75 a ton. This coal property was formerly owned, prior to incorporation, by W. J. Stephens alone. He shipped a carload into Missoula from the mine, the most of which he distributed among the people to test and they all say it is excellent coal.

There are millions of tons of coal in sight. The incorporators are W. M. Bickford, W. J. Stephens, Tom H. Thibodeau, W. B. Glasscock, and Charles A. Schrage. Subscription books are now open at the office of the Blackfoot Land company, 108 Montana building, Missoula, Mont, and also at Flat No. 215, Bowland flats, South Fourth street, west, at the residence of W. J. Stephens. Larry Stephens is authorized to sell stock also.

We, the undersigned, have seen the

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18-inch bleached toweling, yard	<b>6c</b>
64-inch mercerized damask, yard	<b>35c</b>
Mill ends of linen damask, yard	<b>75c</b>
2-yard round damask cloths, each	<b>\$3</b>
1 1/4 square scalloped cloths, each	<b>\$2</b>
All linen damask scarfs, each	<b>39c</b>

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42 or 45-in. hemstitched cases, each	<b>15c</b>
42 or 45-in. scalloped cases, each	<b>18c</b>
72x90 hemmed sheets, each	<b>50c</b>
81x90 hemmed sheets, each	<b>70c</b>
72x90 Pequot sheets, each	<b>80c</b>
81x90 Piquot sheets, each	<b>85c</b>

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mine and the coal, and believe the above is not overstated: John M. Keith; R. R. Jones; Fred A. McDonald; Tom H. Thibodeau; W. B. Glasscock.

### AS THEY SEE US

Anacosta Standard, Scout Roberts of the Hostons watched the games from the press box and saw Dell and Zamioch fight it out. One has been up and the other is going for a try with the big ones.

"When Dell is right, it's a win, if he keeps working. He has a change of pace and saves his arm with a fast ball.

"Carman was so peeved when he became the tenth victim of Dell's offerings that he kicked at a strike. The big fellow talked long and strong enough to draw \$5. Bassey had trouble with Hurlbert in the first game and was chased, after having \$5 plastered on his cheek. Blankenship also grew peevish and had the Butte players watching from the clubhouse chased. He said they were tipping off his signals.

"Mathes robbed Missoula of a run in the second game. Running at top speed, he speared Orle's long fly with his left hand. Dockstader made a pretty catch in the second game. Carman broke up a run when he grabbed Dell's liner on a jump.

## Officers of the Federation of Women's Clubs



MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS. Nine hundred thousand American club women were represented at the eleventh biennial convention of the general federation of women's clubs, in session at San Francisco. Two thousand delegates, hailing from every section of the country, were in attendance. In the accompanying photograph are seen the members of the board of directors of the federation. In the top row, from left to right, are: Mrs. J. C. Mathews, of New Orleans; Mrs. Debra Breckinridge, Lexington, Ky.; Mrs. Alvin R. Bailey, Newton, Mass.; Mrs. Frank White, Valley City; Mrs. Eugene Redley, Charlotte, N. C.; lower row, Mrs. Charles H. McMahon, Salt Lake City; Mrs. Harry L. Keefe, Waltham, Mass.; Mrs. J. E. Cowles, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Frank N. Shiek, Long Beach, Cal.; Mrs. Philip N. Moore, St. Louis; Mrs. George D. Welch, Ferguson Falls, Minn.; Mrs. L. L. Blankenburg, Philadelphia.

### AN OLD-TIME YARN IS REVIVED AGAIN

Harken to this wild and woolly baseball yarn, ye fans, hot off the bat, says the Cleveland Leader. Clarke Griffith, the Washington manager, tells the story and vouches for its truthfulness.

The scene was at Butte, back in the nineties, and the story resulted from a baseball game between Missoula and Butte at the latter town. There were a lot of gamblers in Butte who wanted to back the team, so about \$5,000 was bet on the game, in which Griffith was to pitch for Missoula. Everything went along nicely for a while, with a monster crowd on hand hollering for everything it was worth for Butte to win.

In the ninth inning Missoula was leading by one run, but after two were out, Butte got a man on third and then the catcher let the ball get away from him. It rolled a short distance, but when the catcher went to retrieve it one bug leaped over the stand with a six-shooter in his hand. "Touch that ball and you are dead," he shouted.

And the catcher stood stock still in his tracks. Griff said that all the players were scared stiff while the tying run scored, but Missoula finally won in the tenth inning by a 5 to 4 score. TRY A MISSOULIAN CLASS AD