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Hotel Sample Rooms Are Well Filled by Commercial Travelers

Sample rooms occupied and registrations at Great Falls with the approach of the summer buying season show that the number of representatives of standard commercial houses in this year as large as usual, but that the fly-by-nighter-the-house whose trade rides only the crest of prosperity waves is not generally making the rounds. Nearly all of the hotel sample rooms in Great Falls were occupied June 1 and at one of the larger hotels there was a waiting list.

A short vanvas among the commercial men brought out the fact that business is somewhat above 1920 with some houses, and that all traveling men report a fair trade. There are few commercial men who are not optimistic concerning the prospects for an early improvement and there are instances where an emphatic betterment of conditions has been noted.

A representative of a Minneapolis automobile concern stated that his house is now consigning over 600 cars a day to western points, as against 200 cars daily a short time ago. Similar reports are made on other lines of business and house representatives cite numerous reasons for expecting a continuation of the trend towards normal. Reduced prices, lower costs of materials and increased employment are steadily bringing about better conditions in the retail trade, half a dozen traveling men stated Wednesday.

Body From France of Roy O. Perley

Roy O. Perley, a brother of Mrs. E. A. Young, 915 Sixth avenue south, and formerly a steel worker in Great Falls, was buried two weeks ago at Wasioja, Minn. Mr. Perley, who was known to his friends in Great Falls as "Red" or "Slim" Perley, was gassed in France in October, 1918 and died in a Belgian hospital November 2, 1918.

LOAFING ON RIVER BANK BRINGS VAGRANCY CHARGE

Lounging along the banks of the Missouri river is not as safe a pastime as one would think. William Jackson, 20, and Joe Marcetti, 31, were arrested Thursday afternoon by Captain of Police Locker and Officer Finch as they were idly watching the waters go by. Charges of vagrancy will be preferred against them at the next session of police court.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

WOOLLEY—Funeral services for F. R. Woolley will be held from the family home, 1109 Eighth avenue south, at 8:30 o'clock this morning and at St. Ann's cathedral at 9 o'clock, where high mass will be said by the Rev. Father M. T. O'Brien. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

FRENCH—The body of Bennie French arrived in the city last evening from France and was taken to the W. H. George Co. chapel where the funeral will be held at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. The Rev. E. E. Francis of the Christian church will officiate. Burial will be in Highland cemetery. The services will be under the auspices of the Odd Fellow lodge and the American Legion and burial will be with military honors.

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TRIBUNE FINANCIAL PAGE—STOCKS—BONDS—MARKETS

Stock Market as seen by Bulls & Bears

Reported by H. B. Lake & Co.

New York, June 2.—Conspicuous weakness was observable in several sections of the stock list today. The passing of the dividend on South Porto Rico Sugar common yesterday and the belief that unfavorable dividend action will be taken by the other companies engaged in this line accelerated the selling movement in practically all of the sugar issues. The steel stocks were also depressed as were also some of the equipments. Call money loaned as high as 8 per cent today and the unexpected hardening in rates for accommodations of late is an additional factor that deters a broader demand for stocks. Scattering liquidation continues to make its appearance in various departments and dragging tendencies may be observable for a while.—Logan & Bryan.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Sales
Am. Beet Sug.	26¼	26⅝	24¾	24⅞	
Amer. Can	30	30¼	29½	29¼	1400
Am. Car Fdy.	125	125	123½	123½	600
Am. Int. Cp.	45	45¼	42¼	42½	7100
Am. Locomot.	84¼	85	83¾	83⅞	1300
Am. T. & T.	104⅝	104⅝	104¼	104¼	2500
Am. Wool cn	73¼	75	72½	72⅝	6600
DO pfd				96	
Am. S. & R.	42¼	42¾	42¼	42	500
Am. Zinc	9	9¼	9	9	200
Anaconda	39¾	40½	39¾	39⅞	1500
Baldwin Loc.	82¾	83¾	80½	80¾	35000
B. & O.	41¼	41¾	40¾	40¾	
Bth. Steel"B"	55½	56⅝	54⅞	56	8200
Brk. Rap. Tr.				12	
B. & S.	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13	100
Can. Pacific	112¼	113	112¼	112	
Cen. Leather.	37	37⅝	36¾	36⅞	2100
Cerro d'Pasco	28¼	28½	28	28	500
Chandler Mts.	62¼	63	61¼	61½	2400
C. M. & S. P.	28¼	28¾	28¼	28	2400
Chili Copper	11⅝	11½	11⅝	11⅝	
Chino Copper				24½	
C. F. & I.				29	
Corn Pd. Ref.	68⅝	69⅝	65½	65¾	9000
Crucible Steel	64½	65½	63¼	63¾	24100
Cuba C. S. cn	17½	17½	16¾	16¾	1400
DO pfd	53¾	53¾	52¾	52¾	2600
Erie	14	14¼	13⅞	13¾	1000
G., W. & W.	1¼	1½	1¼	1¼	400
Gen. Electric	134	135	134	134¾	900
Gen. Motors	10⅝	10¾	10½	10½	8800
Goodrich	36	36⅛	36	35⅞	2200
Gt. Northern	68¾	70¼	68¾	69	1600
G. N. Ore cts				28	
Greene Can.				22½	
Island Oil	3⅞	4	3⅞	3¾	1900
Int. Callahan.	4⅝	5	4⅝	4¾	1600
Ill. Central	90	90	88¼	88¼	200
Int. Harvester	89	89	87½	87½	500
Inspiration				34½	
Int. Motors				33	
K. C. Sn. Ry.	27⅜	27¾	26⅞	27	2200
Kennecott	20½	20½	20¼	20¼	500
Lacka. Steel	46¼	46½	46	46¾	1300
Marine pfd	53	53½	49¾	49¾	2400
Max. Motors	4¾	4¾	4	4	700
Mex. Petrol.	149½	150⅞	148¼	149	
Miami	22	22⅛	22	22	300
Montg.-W.	20	21	19¼	19	1100
Midvale	26¾	27	26⅝	26¾	1300
Mo. Pacific	21⅞	22	21⅞	21¾	1200
Mont. Power.				23	
Nev. Con.	11½	11½	11¼	11	1800
New Haven	19⅝	19½	18¾	18⅞	
N. Y. Central	69	69	68¾	68¾	500
Nor. Pacific	71¼	72⅞	71⅛	71⅝	5800
Pure Oil	30⅞	31¼	30⅞	31	1200
Pan Am. Oil.	65¾	66¾	65¼	65¼	7000
Pennsylvania	34⅞	35	34⅞	34⅞	1400
Pr. Steel Car.				81	
Punta Sugar.	30¾	31¼	30¾	30½	1600
Rep. S. & I.	55½	56⅝	54⅝	55¾	5800
Replogle	24	24⅛	24	24	200
Ry. Steel Spg.	84	84	83⅝	83⅝	
Ray Con.	13¾	13⅞	13¾	13⅝	800
Reading	72¾	73	71⅝	71⅝	
Retail Stores.	59⅝	59⅞	58¼	58¼	
R. I. "C. T."	38¾	34⅛	33⅝	33½	7900
Sinclaire Oil	23½	24	23⅛	23¼	8200
Sn. Pacific	75⅛	75⅞	74⅝	75	8300
Sn. Railway	21	21¼	20⅝	20½	1400
Studebaker	72¼	78¾	72¼	72½	69100
Stromberg		38	37¼		300
Tenn. Copper.	8¾			8¾	300
Texas Oil	35⅝	36¼	35½	35⅝	6000
Texas Pacific	24¼	24½	23⅝	23¾	2100
Union Pacific	118½	119¼	118½	118	900
U. S. In. Alc.	65½	65½	60	60½	
U. S. R. & I.	52¾	52¾	52¼	52½	400
U. S. Rubber	67⅝	68½	66¾	66¾	
U. S. Steel	80	80⅝	79¼	79⅝	20000
U.S. Smelting				32	
Utah Copper.	53⅞	53⅞	53	53	1200
Va. Car. Ch.	30	30¾	29⅝	30	500
Vanadium	31	31¼	30½	30¾	
Wabash "A".	22¼	22⅝	22¼	22	2100
Wn. Union	88			87⅝	200
Westnghouse	46½	46½	46	45¾	300
Willys-Ov.	8⅛	8¼	8	8⅛	3400
Wilson Pack.	38½	38½	38½	38¼	100
Ajax Rubber.	29¼	29¼	28	28¼	800
Pierce Arrow	22½	23⅝	21⅞	21⅞	12100
Famus Playrs	71¾	73	71	72¼	4600
Middle St. Oil	13¼	13¼	13	13⅛	1900
Cuba Am. Sg.	19¾	20	19½	19¾	500
KellySpgfield	40	41⅝	39½	40	6200
Pan Am. B	60	60¼	59	59	

BOSTON STOCKS.

Alaska Juneau	1
Arizona Commercial	8⅝
Big Ledge	¼
Butte Copper & Zinc	4½
Caledonia	10
Calumet & Arizona	49
Calumet & Hecla	260
Centennial	7½
Consolidated Arizona Smelting	⅛
Copper Range	34½
Davis Daly	6½@6⅞
East Butte	9
Green Monster	¼
Hancock	3
Hecla	8⅛
Hupp Motor Co.	12
Lake Copper	2⅝
Midvale	1½
Mohawk	51
New Cornelia	14¾
Nipissing Silver	4½
North Butte	10⅛
Old Dominion	21
Osceola	28
Pond Creek Coal	14¼
Quincy	39
Ray Hercules	¼
Santa Fe	16
Shannon	90c
Shattuck	6
Superior	4
South Lake	1
Superior & Boston	1⅛
Swift & Co.	96½
Tuolumne	.63@65
Utah Consolidated	3⅞
Wolverine	11
Wright Martin	5
United Motors	33
United States Steamship	¼
Boston Wyoming Oil	⅛
Boone Oil	⅞
Midwest Refining Oil	141
Midwest Oil	2¼
Cosden Oil	6
Elk Basin Oil	7½@7¾
Federal Oil	1⅝
Glenrock Oil	1¼
Island Oil	3¾
United Texas Petroleum Oil	¼
Ventura Oil	17¾
Simms Petroleum	8⅝

BOSTON CURB CLOSE.

Boston & Ely	50
Boston & Montana	64
Butte & London	5
Consolidated Copper Mines	1¼
Jerome Verde	22@27
Success	2
United Verde Extension	25

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, June 2.—Raw sugar 4.77 for centrifugal. Refined 6.30 to 6.35 for fine granulated.

New York Market

FINANCIAL.

New York, June 2.—An eight per cent rate for call loans, further price revisions, and another low record of 86 for liberty 3½s bonds contributed today to the reactionary stock market.

Some speculative favorites, notably oils,, equipments and specialties of the tobacco and leather types, were intermittently active and strong. In general, however, representative stocks again reflected unsettled business conditions and lack of public support. Sales amounted to 585,000 shares.

Call money opened at 7 per cent, rose to 7½ in the first half of the session, and touched 8 in the last hour, when market prices were most confusing.

Once before this year—on February 3, when demand loans rose to nine per cent—was today's money rate exceeded. Borrowers of time funds bid 7 per cent for all dates, but only small sums were available. Banks attributed the increasing scarcity to large capital flotations, government withdrawals and reduction of local reserves by interior banks.

Factors bearing more or less directly on market values included a cut in Pittsburgh prices of wire products and marked concessions in refined sugars.

Exchange on London forfeited the better part of its recent rally and all continental rates fell 5 to 30 points. Dutch bills again sustaining the greatest reversal. Incidentallly, the Bank of England weekly report disclosed large decrease in liability reserves.

Liberty 3½'s recovered most of their loss, but the trend of that grouup as a whole was downward.

Other domestic, as well as international issues, were responsive in variable degrees to the money flurry. Total sales, (par value) were $19,775,000.

LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, June 2.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s $86.06; first 4s $87.70 bid; second 4s $87.34; first 4¼s $87.50; second 4¼s $86.72; third 4¼s $90.80; fourth 4¼s $86.78; Victory 3¾s $98.12; Victory 4¾s $87.12.

MONEY.

New York, June 2.—Prime mercantile paper 6¾@7. Exchange weak.

Sterling—Demand 3.88¾; cables 3.89½.

Francs—Demand 8.30; cables 8.32.

Beglian francs—Demand 8.29; cables 8.31.

Guilders—Demand 34.25; cables 34.35.

Lire—Demand 5.24; cables 5.26.

Marks—Demand 1.55; cables 1.56.

Greece—Demand 5.83.

Sweden—Demand 22.95.

Norway—Demand 15.20.

Argentine—Demand 32.18.

Brazilian—Demand 13.50.

New York exchange on Montreal 11 1-16 per cent discount.

Time loans—Firmer; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 7 per cent.

Call money—Firmer; high, offered at and last loan 8; low, ruling rate and closing bid 7.

METALS.

New York, June 2.—Copper—Quiet; electrolytic spot and nearby 13¼@13½; futures 13¼@13⅝.

Tin—Easier; spot and nearby 31@31.25; futures 31⅝31.25.

Iron—Nominal; No. 2 northern 24.

Lead—Spot 5.

Zinc—Quiet; East St. Louis delivery spot 4.60@4.75.

Antimony—Spot 5.25.

SILVER.

New York, June 2.—Bar silver—Domestic 99¼c; foreign 57⅞c; Mexican dollars 44¾c.

London, June 2.—Bar silver 33½d per ounce. Money 4½ per cent. Discount rates—Short bills 5½ per cent.

NORTHWEST BANKS.

Portland, June 2.—Clearings $4,630,538; balances $437,396.

Tacoma, June 2.—Clearings $628,184; balances $80,519.

Seattle, June 2.—Clearings $5,008,353; balances $948,207.

Spokane, June 2.—Clearings $2,107,914; balances $395,705.

Queen Elizabeth had a Flemish porter seven feet six inches tall.

REALTY TRANSFERS.

Great Falls Townsite Co. to Ed Willington, lot 5, block 330, Great Falls. $400.

Charles Wegner, administrator of the estate of Ella Murdy, to Joseph Epstein, lot 8, block 456, Great Falls, $5050.

HIS AUTHORITY.

Frenzied Orator—These aren't my own figures I'm quoting. They're the figures of a man 'oo knows wot 'e's talkin' about!—The Passing Show (London).

Chicago Market

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, June 2.—Big export business and bullish crop estimates lifted the wheat market today to a new high price record for the season. Closing quotations were nervous at 3¼ to 3¾ net advance, July $1.40½ to $1.40¾. Corn gained ¼ to ½. Oats lost ⅛ to ¼, and provisions finished unchanged to 20 cents higher.

Seaboard interests were heavy buyers in the wheat pit, and it was said that as much as 2,500,000 bushels had been worked for export. Gossip was also current that exporters at Kansas City were taking all offerings, and were competing with domestic mills. Moreover, a statement from a leading authority here indicated a yield of only 258,000,000 government May returns. In view of the scantiness of the visible supply and of the activity of exporters, declines which resulted from gains were without any lasting influence as price making factors, although the last dry spot in Kansas was reported to have been thoroughly soaked. The topmost point reached today by the July delivery, $1.41¼, showed an advance of about 40 cents a bushel since April.

Corn derived its firmness from wheat and from report that Holland was a buyer of corn to the extent of 500,000 bushels. Better crop reports tended to ease the oats market.

Provisions rallied with wheat and corn after being depressed earlier by announcement of huge increase of the stock of lard here.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
July	$1.37½	$1.41½	$1.36	$1.40½
Corn—				
July	.67	.67⅝	.66	.67
Sept.	.68⅞	.69¼	.67⅝	.68¾
Oats—				
July	.42⅛	.42¼	.41¾	.41⅞
Sept.	.43⅝	.44	.43	.43⅛

CHICAGO CASH PRICES.

Chicago, June 2.—Wheat—No. 2 red $1.60½; No. 2 hard $1.64½.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 66¼c; No. 2 yellow 66@67c.

Oats—No. 2 white 41@41½c; No. 3 white 40@40½c.

Rye—No. 2 nominal.

Barley—62@73c.

Timothy seed—$4.50@6.

Clover seed—$13@18.

Pork—Nominal; lard $9.35; ribs $9.12 @9.45.

MINNEAPOLISH CASH GRAIN.

Minneapolis, June 2.—Wheat—Receipts 191 cars compared with 125 cars a year ago. Cash No. 1 northern $1.58¼ @1.68¼; July $1.38¼.

Corn—No. 3 yellow 56@67c.

Oats—No. 3 white 37⅛@37⅝c.

Barley—49@65c.

Rye—No. 2 $1.43½@1.45½.

Flax—No. 1 $1.91½@1.93½.

Flour—Unchanged to 40c higher; carload lots, family patents quoted at $9.35 @9.40 a barrel in 98 pound cotton sacks; shipments 47,431 barrels.

Bran—$16.

Grain Bulletin

Prices Paid at Points in Montana Taking 48-Cent Freight Rate to Minneapolis and Duluth.

Quotations ending noon, June 3.

Dark northern spring wheat.	Per bu.
No. 1, 58 lb. test	$1.29
No. 2, 57 lb. test	1.19
No. 3, 56 lb. test	1.09
No. 4, 54 lb. test	1.00
No. 5, 51 lb. test	.88
Northern spring wheat.	**Per bu.**
No. 1, 58 lb. test	$1.14
No. 2, 57 lb. test	1.04
No. 3, 56 lb. test	.99
No. 4, 54 lb. test	.89
No. 5, 51 lb. test	.78
Dark hard winter wheat.	**Per bu.**
No. 1, 60 lb. test	$1.24
No. 2, 58 lb. test	1.20
No. 3, 56 lb. test	1.07
No. 4, 54 lb. test	.99
No. 5, 51 lb. test	.87
Hard winter wheat.	**Per bu.**
No. 1, 60 lb. test	$1.19
No. 2, 58 lb. test	1.15
No. 3, 56 lb. test	1.02
No. 4, 54 lb. test	.94
No. 5, 51 lb. test	.82

40-49 lb. otherwise No. 5, 3c a pound less than No. 5; other light weight wheat depends on quality.

Amber durum.	Per bu.
No. 1, 60 lb. test	$1.17
No. 2, 58 lb. test	1.15
No. 3, 56 lb. test	1.07
No. 4, 54 lb. test	.98
No. 5, 51 lb. test	.88
Durum wheat.	**Per bu.**
No. 1, 60 lb. test	$1.12
No. 2, 58 lb. test	1.10
No. 3, 56 lb. test	1.03
No. 4, 54 lb. test	.93
No. 5, 51 lb. test	.83

Three cents discount per pound under 51 pounds.

Club wheat 10c under durum.

Mixed wheat 4c less predominating grain and grade.

Flax.	Per bu.
No. 1	$1.45
No. 2	1.40
No. 3	1.30

Oats.	Per bu.	Cwt.
New No. 2 white oats	$ .18	$ .56
New No. 3 white oats	.17	.53
New Nos. 3, 4 white oats	.14	.43

Barley.	Per bu.	Cwt.
No. 1 barley	$ .24	$ .50
No. 2 barley	.20	.41
No. 3 barley	.16	.33

Rye.	Per bu.	Cwt.
New milling rye	$1.05	$1.87
New feed rye	.75	1.33

DULUTH LINSEED.

Duluth, June 2.—Linseed on track and arrive $1.98.

FLAX AND BARLEY.

Minneapolis, June 2.—Barley—49@65c. Flax—No. 1 $1.91½@1.93½.

GOING UP.

She—You used to say that Mary was such a sweet, pensive little girl.

He—Well, she soon got over that; you might say that she became expensive.—The Pitt Panther.

Livestock

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 2.—Cattle—Receipts 12,000; beef steers, butcher she stock, stockers and feeders opened steady; undertone weak; early top $9; prime yearlings held higher; bulk beef steers $8@8.75; bulk fat she stock $6.25@6.75; canners and cutters largely $2.50@4.50; bulls strong to 25c higher; bulk $4.50@5.75; calves 25 to 50c higher; bulk vealers $8.50@9.25.

Hogs—Receipts 22,000; fairly active; lights mostly steady; others steady to 10c higher than yesterday's average; top early $8.20; bulk $7.75@8.10; pigs 10 to 15c higher; bulk desirable $8.10@8.25.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; firm to 25c higher; shorn lamb top $12.50; bulk $10 @11.50; California springs $13.25 straight; top natives $13.25; bulk $12@13; Texas wethers $5; Texas yearlings $8.25; fat ewes largely $3.50@4.25.

AT OMAHA.

Omaha, June 2.—Hogs—Receipts 9,000; active, steady to strong; bulk 180 to 240 pound butchers $7.35@7.60; top $7.70; bulk butchers 250 pounds and over $7@7.35.

Cattle—Receipts 6,000; beef steers steady to 15c lower; top weighty steers $8.35; she stock steady to 25c lower; all other classes steady.

Sheep—Receipts 4,500; spring lambs around 50c higher; top California $12.60; other lambs and sheep 25 to 50c higher; clipped ewes $3.75; feeders steady.

AT KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Mo., June 2.—Cattle—Receipts 4,000; beef steers steady; top yearling $8.75; heavy steers $8.25; calves steady; best vealers $8.50; other classes slow and barely steady; undertone weak; most cows $4.50@5.75; choice $6.25; canners mostly around $2.00.

Hogs—Receipts 8,000; steady to strong; spots higher; top $7.65; bulk of sales $7.25@8.20; stock pigs steady to 10c higher; best $8.90.

Sheep—Receipts 4,500; sheep steady; best Texas wethers $9.15; most fat native ewes around $3.25; lambs 25 to 50c higher; clipped lambs $11.25; top native spring lambs $12.25; bulk better grades $11.50@12.

AT SOUTH ST. PAUL.

South St. Paul, June 2.—Cattle—Receipts 1,800; market slow, mostly steady to weak; common to good beef steers $6.25@8.50; bulk $6.50@7.50; best load lot early $7.75; butcher cows and heifers mostly $4.25@6.50; few up to $7.50; canners and cutters $2@2.45; bologna bulls $3.50@4.50; veal calves steady; packer top $7, few choice vealers to city butchers up to $7.50; stockers and feeders slow, about steady.

Hogs—Receipts 3,500; market steady to 25c higher; range $6.50@8; bulk $7.35 @8; pigs strong to 25c higher; top $8.75.

Sheep—Receipts 100; market strong to 25c higher; bulk of good and choice spring lambs $11.25@11.50; good to choice ewes mostly $3.50@3.75.

AT SEATTLE.

Seattle, June 2.—Hogs—Steady; no receipts; quotations unchanged.

Cattle—Weak; receipts 44; quotations unchanged.

AT PORTLAND.

Portland, June 2.—Cattle—Steady; receipts 87.

Hogs—Steady; receipts 211; feeder pigs $8.50@9.25; others unchanged.

Sheep—Steady; receipts 831; light wethers $4@4.50; heavy $3@4; others unchanged.

AT SPOKANE.

Spokane, June 2.—Hogs—Receipts 36; market steady; quotations unchanged.

Cattle—Receipts 44; market steady; quotations unchanged.

Sheep—Receipts none; market steady; quotations unchanged.

BUTTER, EGGS, PRODUCE.

Chicago, June 2.—Butter—Higher; creamery extras 28½c; firsts 23@26½c; seconds 17@22c; standards 28¼c.

Eggs—Unchanged; receipts 27,092 cases.

New York, June 2.—Buttter—Steady; creamery higher; extras 29½c; creamery 29c; firsts 26@28½c.

Eggs—Irregular; firsts 25@27c; others unchanged.

Cheese—Irregular; state whole milk flats special 15½@16½c; state whole milk twins specials 15½@16c.

Portland, June 2.—Butter—Steady; extra cubes 31c; cartons 33c; prints 32c.

Butterfat—No. 1 churning cream 26@ 28c f. o. b. Portland; undergrades 24c.

San Francisco, June 2.—Eggs—Fresh extras 31c; firsts 30c; extra pullets 26c.

Cheese—Flats fancy 16c.

Butter—Unchanged.

Vegetables—Asparagus 3@10c; peas 6 @12c; lettuce nominal; artichokes $5@ 12 crate; beans, string, 10@13c; eggplant 15@20c lb.

Belgian hares 15@25c.

Seattle, June 2.—Wholesale prices to dealers: Eggs—Select local ranch, white shells 24@25; do mixed colors 23@24; pullets 18@20.

Butter—City creamery, cubes 32; bricks or prints 33; country creamery extras, cost to jobbers, in cubes 28.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, June 2.—Spot cotton—Quiet; middling $12.85.

Crops in Triangle Fine, Judge Asserts

Special to The Tribune.

Lewistown, June 1.—Judge E. K. Cheadle has returned from Judith Gap and Harlowton, covering a wide extent of territory on his trip, and states that in the great triangle the crops are looking at least as good as he ever saw them. He declares a notable fact is better farming is being carried on this year than ever before. The judge also was surprised at the large acreage of spring crops. Taken altogether, he thinks that the total acreage will compare favorably with average seasons. In the past.

Rainfall in May Two and Quarter Inches Recorded

Two and a quarter inches of rain fell in Great Falls during May. The heaviest fall was on May 9, when .47 of an inch was recorded. On May 27 was recorded .41 of an inch. Rain fell on nine days during the month.

May and June are usually the months of heaviest rainfall in Great Falls, although occasionally the greatest precipitation of the year comes in July or August.

The heaviest rainfall in May ever recorded here was in 1902, when 5.93 inches fell. The record for a month's precipitation in the history of government weather records in Great Falls was in June, 1907, when 7.46 inches fell.

$850,000 REFUNDING TRANSACTION TO BE MADE BY MONTANA

Legality of Issue of Certificates Upheld by Attorneys, First Sale Planned.

Helena, June 2.—The sale of $850,000 of treasury certificates by the state to the Montana Trust and Savings Bank of Helena has been approved by the state's attorneys in Chicago, to whom the legality of the proceedings was submitted, according to a telegram received by Charles T. Stewart, secretary of state.

The money is to be delivered to State Treasurer J. W. Walker on June 3, when the bank will receive 850 certificates of $1,000 each.

General fund warrants that are outstanding will be taken up with the money, but $700,000 more will be needed to clean the slate, it is said. The recent assembly authorized issuing $3,000,000 of treasury certificates.

Only as much of the paper as there will be tax revenues can be disposed of in a year and the opinion of the state's attorneys was that $850,000 would be the limit for 1921.

R. R. RATES MENACE STATE FARMERS; TO BE TOLD BY DAVIS

Montana Commissioner of Agriculture to Lay Conditions Before I. C. C.

Helena, June 2.—Railroads are to receive official notice from Montana that high freight rates and poor market conditions make it impossible for the farmers of the state to produce at a profit, it is announced by Chester C. Davis, state commissioner of agriculture. He makes public a plan in which his department, the railroad commission, the state livestock commission and the federal bureau of crop estimates will co-operate in presenting to the Interstate Commerce commission evidence of the need in Montana for lower freight rates.

"Montana will do all that is possible to convince the Interstate Commerce commission that present rates and unsatisfactory markets are ruining the farmers and stockmen of this state," said Mr. Davis. "The railroads will be given to understand that they can't get these prohibitive rates and get business, too. Our industries must be given a chance."

Montana Oil Leases Here and Lewistown

Special to The Tribune.

Washington, June 2.—Oil leases have been authorized in Montana as follows:

Great Falls—Wilmer Jennette, 160 acres, township 24 north, range 7 west; Tony Anderson, 160, township 24 north, range 7 west; Charles Wilson, 320, township 24 north, range 7 west; Thomas O. Larson, 73, township 24 north, range 6 west; Victor L. Emerson and Quinton L. Stillman, 200, township 24 north, range 6 west; W. O. Harrington, 240, township 24 north, range 6 west.

Lewistown—Odello G. Rogge, 560, township 16 north, range 29 east; C. W. Dykin, 440, township 16 north, range 29 east; Andrew Anderson, 40, township 6 north, range 17 east; Axis Petroleum association, 39, township 15 north, range 28 east.

RETURN IS SOUGHT TO PRE-WAR STATUS BY RUSSIAN PARTY

Country Needs Help of Outside Business If It Is Reestablished.

New York.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Russian business men under the old regime, now scattered in other countries, are looking forward to being called back to take part in the regeneration of Russia. This is the view stated by Mr. Berline, formerly head of the Bank of Petrograd and now a director of an association of Russian business men and financiers who were prominent before the revolution. The organization has its headquaters in Paris, and Mr. Berline is here to advance its interests in this country.

Mr. Berline said the association embraced about 80 per cent of Russia's business men and financial interests, including representatives of all the important Russian banks, as well as captains of Russian industry and commerce.

Among the members of the association named by Mr. Berline are the Nobel brothers, who controlled the greater part of the Russian petroleum industry, and Count A. A. Bobrinsky and L. I. Brodsky, leaders of the Russian sugar industry. The association is headed by N. K. Denisov, a Russian financier.

Mr. Berline said that the association has protested to the British Prime Minister, Mr. Lloyd George, against the trade agreement afterward made between Great Britain and "the so-called soviet government" of Russia. In doing so, President Denisov informed the British premier that the power of the bolsheviki was waining before the rising wave of popular indignation although it might be prolonged for a brief period by terror and bloodshed. No future legitimate Russian government will recognize and feel bound by any agreement with the bolsheviki, Mr. Denisov told the premier.

The attitude of the members of this association of Russian business men on the subject of trade with Russia was set forth by Mr. Berline as follows:

"Realizing fully that the re-establishment of the world's economic equilibrium is impossible without Russia, we feel at the same time that trade with the bolsheviki will not, in the least, hasten Russia's re-entry into world economics. On the contrary, it would only render the word economic crisis move acute, since it would tend to prolong the bolshevist rule in Russia, and the country would continue in a state of political and economic anarchy.

"We join all the other elements of the Russian people in greeting the splendid attitude of the government and of the people of the United States towards the bolshevist overtures. There is no possibility for any considerable trade with Russia, until Russia returns to normal political and economic conditions. In order to be able to buy, Russia must sell. If Russia's production is re-established, she will be able to export again her foodstuffs and raw materials. Russia's export before the war amounted to over $750,000,000. It is only on the basis of this export that she will be able to import what she needs.

"It may be said, and quite justly, that in order to be able to re-establish production, Russia needs rolling stock and machinery from abroad. This very fact makes it necessary for Russia to return as quickly as possible to normal political conditions.

"As soon as the bolshevist tyranny is overthrown and a stable democratic government appears in Russia, a government that will enjoy the confidence of the population and will have the right and the authority to speak and act for the Russian nation, this government will esablish the credit Russia needs in order to start anew. Only such a government will have the right to grant concessions, etc., and, I am sure, only such a government will meet with the confidence of the business and financial circles abroad."

DIES OF INJURIES SUFFERED IN LUMBER CAMP ACCIDENT

Special to The Tribune.

Kalispell, June 2.—George E. Bettys died last night as the result of injuries received on May 21