New York Stock Market

New York, June 5.—The stream of liquidation was checked to-day, and efforts were made to support the stocks which form the backbone of the market. The street was still on edge as a result of the tension of the last few days, and there were periods of pronounced weakness, but the market showed increasing recuperative powers. Increased pressure in the final dealings put the list well below yesterday's close, but losses were considerably smaller than on the preceding day. The market for stocks was better, although not keen. There was some buying of stocks on the theory that a rally was due. Selling by London in this market, which has been of large influence in the recent slump, continued to-day. About 25,000 shares were disposed of here in the early trading for long account, and it was chiefly because of these offerings that the market began the day with many losses of 1 to 2 points. After a sharp rebound the market grew dull, holding firmly on the higher level until a spirited bear drive upset the list in the early afternoon. Vigorous buying served to prop up the leaders, but the tone was unsettled until the close. Some stocks were under severe pressure. This was particularly true of the tobacco shares. American Tobacco losing nearly twelve points on top of yesterday's seventeen points break. Baltimore and Ohio, Chesapeake and Ohio, Can and Smelting, preferred, also were distinctly heavy.

The bond market was heavy, with especial weakness among some of the 5 per cent issues; Missouri Pacific convertibles losing one-half, and Denver and Rio Grande Refunding fives 2 1-2. Northern Pacific threes fell back 2 1-2.

United States threes and Panama threes advanced 1-8 on call.

Total sales were 530,700 shares.

New York, June 5.—Money on call steady 2 3-4@3 per cent; ruling rate 2 3-4; last bid 2 1-2; offered at 2 3-4. Time loans stronger; sixty days 4 per cent, ninety days 4 1-4; six months 5@5 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 per cent; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.83 for sixty-day bills and at $4.8685 for demand. Commercial bills $4.82 1-2. Bar silver 60 1-8; Mexican dollars 48; government bonds firm, railroad bonds weak.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

By Caskie G. Burch & Co., Stock and Bond Broker, 1015 E. Main Street.

Richmond, Va., June 5, 1913.

SALES AT BOARD.

Virginia Railway and Power Co. pfd.—10 at 93.

STATE SECURITIES.	Bid.	Asked.
Virginia 3s, Old, C. and R., 1932	83	...
Va. Centuries, 2-3, C. and R., 1991	81	81½
RAILROAD BONDS.		
A. C. L. R. R. Con. Tr. 4 p. c.	91	...
Georgia, Sou. and Fla., 1945	102	...
Georgia and Ala. Con. 5s, 1945	102	...
Seaboard Air Line 4s, 1950	82	...
Seaboard Adjustment 5s, 1949	70	...
Southern Railway 1st 5s, 1994	103	...
So. R. Dev. and G. M. 4s, 1956	75	...
STREET RY. STOCKS.	Par.	
Va. Ry. and Power Co. pfd.	100 92½	95½
Va. Ry. and Power Co. com.	100 54	56
RAILROAD STOCKS.	Par.	
Atlantic Coast Line com.	100 117	...
Chesapeake and Ohio	100 60	...
Norfolk and Western com.	100 103	...
Seaboard Air Line pfd.	100 40	...
Seaboard Air Line com.	100 16	...
Southern Railway pfd.	100 76	...
Southern Railway com.	100 21	...
BANK AND TRUST CO. STOCKS.		
Central National Bank	100 138	...
Planters National Bank	100 $25	...
Richmond Bank and Trust Co.	25 25½	26½
Richmond Trust and Savs. Co.	100 ..	100½
Savings Bank of Richmond	25 94	...
Virginia Trust Company	100 158	...
West End Bank	25 43	45
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Va.-Car. Chem. pfd. 5 p. c.	100 100	...

Quotations for interest-paying bonds are at a price to which interest must be added. Income bonds and certificates of indebtedness are flat.

BOND LIST

Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s (asked) 91½
Atlantic Coast Line-L. and N. 4s 87⅝
A. C. L. conv. 4s (in Baltimore) 82
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s 82
Chesapeake and Ohio conv. 4½s 83½
Lykes and Myers 5s 96½
Lykes and Myers 6s 113⅞
Lorillard Company 5s (asked) 96
Lorillard Company 7s (asked) 118½
Norfolk and Western conv. 4½s (asked) 103
Seaboard Air Line guaranteed 4s (bid) 84
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s 69½
Southern Railway 4s 74⅞
Southern Railway 5s 103
United States Red 2nd 5s 99½
United States registered 2s, 1930 (bid) 100
United States registered 3s, 1918 (bid) 102¾
United States Panama 3s (bid) 103
Virginia-Brown Bros. ctfs. (bid) 44
Virginia-Car Chem. 1st 5s (asked) 95
Va.-Car. Chem. and Power Co. 5s (asked) 92½
Wabash deb. 4s (bid) 52
Wabash-Pitts. Term. 1st 4s (asked) 14½

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, June 5.—The strength of old crop months was the feature of the cotton market to-day and July continued over October from 40 points at the close last night to about 55 points as shown at one time in the afternoon trading. The closing was steady and from 20@25 points net higher. The market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 2 points which was about in line with the Liverpool cables. Reports of excessive temperatures in Texas and Oklahoma had helped some covering in the English market, but seemed to make no material impression on sentiment here, and about the only feature during the early trading was an active demand for July contracts. Within the first half hour one of the prominent local brokers was credited with buying fully 15,000 bales of July against sales of new crop months and there was also an active demand for that position from foreign and American houses who were supposed to be selling in Liverpool in expectation of a shrinkage in the differences between the two markets and of continued shipments from the local stock. This buying, combined with reports of an increased demand from spinners, seemed to result in July becoming easy, and that position shot up rapidly with the price finally reaching 11.59 in the late trading, or about 35 points over the closing level of yesterday.ديفرد weather reports were considered favorable, as they showed rains in the Carolinas and lower temperatures in Texas this morning, but there were reports that cut worms were damaging the crop in Arkansas while South Texas was said to be suffering from grasshoppers and while other crop reports were generally favorable new crop positions were about 10@14 points net higher on covering and in sympathy with old crop strength. Offerings of July increased above the 11½ cent level and was said to be taken partly against low grade cotton in the South. October was offered more freely in the late trading, and the close showed slight reactions.

Cotton futures closed steady:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	11.04	11.04	11.03	11.12
February	...	...	...	11.15
March	11.14	11.15	11.14	11.25
May	11.15	...	...	11.35
June	11.45	11.50	11.44	11.47
July	11.47	11.59	11.47	11.58
August	11.28	11.38	11.28	11.32
September	...	...	...	11.24
October	11.07	11.20	11.07	11.19
November	...	...	...	11.16
December	11.06	11.19	11.06	11.19

Spot cotton closed quiet, 20 points up, middling uplands, 11.30.

Cotton, quiet; middling, 11.9; net receipts 56 bales; gross 1,623 bales; sales 190 bales; stock, 61,615 bales; export to Great Britain, 6,585 bales; to the Continent, 1,884 bales; Coastwise, 507 bales.

Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 8,692 bales; export to Great Britain, 16,515 bales; to the Continent, 1,439 bales; stock, 334,056 bales.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 49,884 bales; export to Great Britain, 33,026 bales; to France, 49 bales; to the Continent, 1,928 bales; to Japan, 7,831 bales; to Mexico, 700 bales.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 3,576,461 bales; export to Great Britain, 3,381,531 bales; to France, 948,639 bales; to the Continent, 3,394,709 bales; to Mexico, 11,566 bales.

New Orleans, June 5.—During the greater part of to-day's session the cotton market was quiet but very steady. In the afternoon the trade livened up, ring traders taking the long side for a turn. Much bullish gossip was circulated regarding the intentions of the bulls concerning the July position. On the rise that took place there was much profit-taking by scalping longs, which cared the advance down. Spot cotton steady and unchanged; middling, 12 3-16c.; sales on the spot 300 bales and 620 to arrive. Cotton futures closed: January, 11.28; March, 11.37; June, 12.10 nominal; July, 12.06; August, 11.66; September, 11.40; October, 11.26; December, 11.26.

LOCAL MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by Levy Commission Co., Commission Merchants, Richmond, Va.)

Richmond, Va., June 5, 1913.

ACTUAL WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS OF MARKET.

LIVE POULTRY.			
Chickens, springers, lb.	26	@	28
Hens, lb.		@	15
Roosters, each		@	40
Ducks, large, young, lb.		@	15
Ducks, small, young, lb.		@	12½
EGGS—Crated.			
In crates, nearby, fresh, doz.	21	@	...
In crates, other sections, doz.	20	@	21
BUTTER.			
Family, choice, fresh, lb.	22	@	24
Merchants', fair, lb.	20	@	...
LIVE STOCK.			
Veals, choice to fancy, lb.	8	@	8½
Veals, poor to fair, lb.	6	@	7½
Calves, runners, lb.		@	5
Sheep, lb.	4	@	5
Lambs, spring, lb.	7	@	8
Cattle, fair to prime, lb.	4	@	6½
Hogs, lb.	8	@	8½
COUNTRY-CURED BACON.			
Hams, well smoked, small, lb.		@	20
Hams, well smoked, large, lb.	16	@	18
Sides, well smoked, lb.		@	14
Shoulders, wel ismoked, lb.		@	13
HIDES.			
Dry flint, lb.		@	20
Dry salted, lb.		@	18
Green, salted, lb.		@	11½
Green, lb.		@	10½
Green, damaged, lb.	$	@	7
Tallow, lb.		@	6
Beeswax, lb.		@	28
WOOL.			
Bright, No. 1, tubwashed, lb.		@	28
Bright, No. 2, tubwashed, lb.		@	22
Ch., unwashed, free of burr		@	19
Ch., unwashed, lightly burrys.		@	16
Ch., unwashed, medium burry		@	14
Ch., unwashed, heavy burry	10	@	12
Merino	13	@	15

MARKET CONDITIONS.

Poultry—Market about steady. Eggs—Stock scarce; market active. Butter, Veals, Bacon, Wool, etc.—Active at quotations.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 5.—Flour—Quiet and unchanged. Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, nominal; No. 1 Northern, Duluth, $1.00½. Corn—Firm. Wool—Steady. Hides—Steady. Turpentine—Easy. Rosin—Quiet. Rice and Molasses—Steady. Sugar—Raw, easy; muscovado, $2.89; 7.83; centrifugal, $3.39@3.35; refined, steady. Coffee—Spot steady; Rio, No. 7, 10½c.; Santos, No. 4, 12½@12¾c.; mild, quiet; Cordova, 14@17c. nominal. Butter—Easier. Cheese—Firm and unchanged. Potatoes—Easy; Bermuda, new, $3.50@4.50; Southern, white, $1.75@3.00; Southern, red, $1.75@2.75. Cabbages—Steady and unchanged. Peanuts—Steady and unchanged. Freights—Steady and unchanged.

Cottonseed oil was firm for near months on buying of July by refiners and new speculative demand, induced by the strength in cotton and lard. Late months were barely steady in absence of outside support. Closing prices were 2 points higher to 3 net lower. Sales 15,600 barrels. Prime crude, nominal; do. summer yellow, 7.21@7.55; June, 7.35; July, 7.49; August, 7.54; September, 7.62; October, 6.90; November, 6.43; December-January, 6.32; prime winter yellow, 7.25@8.00; do. summer white, 7.45.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., June 5.—Large sales of cash wheat to-day for prompt shipment over of Chicago had a rallying effect on deferred deliveries. Although the market closed weak, latest prices ranged from ½c. off to ¼@¾c. net advance. Corn finished ⅛@¼c. to ⅛@¼c. up, oats closing a shade to ⅛@¼c., and provisions increased in cost 2½@15c.

Cash grain closed: Wheat—No. 2, 99½@$1.01; No. 2 hard, 92@93½c.; No. 1 northern, 91½@95½; No. 2 northern, 90@92c.; No. 3 spring, 90@91c.; velvet chaff, 90@94c.; durum, 85@95c. Corn—No. 2, 59½@60½c.; No. 2 white, 60½@61½c. No. 2 yellow, 59½@60c. Oats—No. 2, 38@38½c.; No. 2 white, 41@42c.; standard, 41c.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
July	89⅝	90⅝	89⅝	90
Sept.	89⅝	90⅝	89⅝	89⅝
Dec.	91⅝	92½	91⅝	92⅛
CORN—				
July	58⅝	59	58⅛	58⅝
Sept.	59	59⅝	58⅝	59⅛
Dec.	56⅝	57½	56⅝	57⅛
OATS—				
July	38⅝	38⅞	37⅞	38½
Sept.	38	38⅛	38⅛	38
Dec.	38⅛	39⅛	38⅛	38⅝
MESS PORK—Per bbl.				
July	20.07	20.25	20.00	20.20
Sept.	19.55	19.80	19.60	19.77
LARD—Per 100 lbs.				
July	10.87	11.00	10.87	10.95
Sept.	11.00	11.10	10.97	11.05
Jan.	10.97	10.95	10.85	10.92
SHORT RIBS—Per 100 lbs.				
July	11.57	11.62	11.55	11.62
Sept.	11.27	11.35	11.25	11.32
Oct.	11.02	11.05	10.97	11.02

Baltimore, Md., June 5.—Wheat—Quiet and steady. Corn—Dull at 82c. nominal. Oats—Steady; standard white, 43@43½c. Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western, export, 66@66½c.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

Richmond, Va., June 5, 1913.

WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS ON CHANGE.

WHEAT—Car lots.			
No. 2 red, Western	$ 1.12	@	$ 1.13
No. 2 red, Virginia		@	1.11
No. 3 red		@	1.08
Virginia, bag lots	1.01	@	1.07
CORN—Car lots.			
No. 2 white		@	70
No. 3 white		@	69
No. 2 mixed		@	68
No. 3 mixed		@	67
Virginia, bag lots	70	@	...
Cotton in the cob	70	@	...
OATS—Car lots.			
No. 2 mixed		@	44
No. 3 mixed		@	43
No. 2 white		@	46
No. 3 white		@	45
No. 2			Nominal
No. 3			Nominal
Virginia, bag lots			Nominal

CATTLE MARKETS.

New York, June 5.—Beeves—Steady feeling. Calves—Steady. Common to prime veals, $8.50@11.25; culls, $6.50@8.00; buttermilks and fed calves, $7@8.00. Sheep—Steady; heavy, weak; lambs, easier to 15c. lower; yearlings, steady. Ewes, $3.75@5.25; culls, $2.50@3.50; lambs, $7.50@9.00; yearlings, $5.50@7.50. Hogs—Steady at $9@10.00; coarse Virginia hogs sold at $8.80.

Chicago, Ill., June 5.—Hogs—Strong. Bulk of sales, $8.40@8.80; pigs, $6.50@8.15. Cattle—Steady; cows and heifers, $7@8.00; calves, $8@11.00. Sheep—Steady; lambs, $5.50@7.40.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

DRY GOODS MARKETS.

New York, June 5.—The dry goods markets are generally steady; Lonesdale, 4-4 bleached cottons have been priced at 7½c. Prints rule quiet. Arrangements are being made for especial sales in jobbing houses next week to clear up wash goods and fancy cotton lines. Agents representing Englishmen's wear mills are canvassing the trade for orders for spring.

NAVAL STORES.

Wilmington, N. C., June 5.—Spirits Turpentine—Firm at 36c.; receipts 2 casks. Rosin—Steady at $2.45; receipts 77 barrels. Tar—Firm at $2.35@3.50.

Savannah, Ga., June 5.—Turpentine—Firm at 35½c.; sales 1,312 casks; receipts 1,479 casks; shipments 1,013 casks; stock 24,821 casks. Rosin—Firm; receipts 3,571 barrels; shipments 200 barrels; stock 95,302 barrels. Quote: A, B, $4.50.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, JUNE 5, 1913.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.

Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, Norfolk and James River landings, merchandise and passengers, Virginia Navigation Company.

Steamer Aurora, Furman, Petersburg and James River landings, merchandise and passengers, Furman Line.

SAILED.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.

Steamer Aurora, Furman, Petersburg and James River landings, merchandise and passengers, Furman Line.

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Official Range and Sale of Stocks in New York

BY THOMAS BRANCH & CO., Bankers and Brokers.

Sales.	Stock.	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid. Closing.	Asked. Closing.
200	Allis-Chalmers	7	7	7	7	7½
500	Allis-Chalmers, pfd.	14¾	15	14¾	14	15
500,000	Amalgamated Copper	67¼	68¾	67	67	67¼
	Am. Agr. Chem., com.	...	...	...	47	48
2,100	Amer. Beet Sugar, com.	23	23¾	23	23	23¼
23,300	American Can	27	27⅝	26¼	26½	26⅝
1,800	American Can, pfd.	87¼	88	87	87	87⅛
800	American Car and Fdy.	43¼	43¾	44¾	43	43
600	American Cotton Oil	36½	37⅛	37	36½	35
100	Amer. Hide and Lea., pr	18	18	18	15	18½
200	American Linseed Oil	8	8	8	7⅞	8½
900	American Locomotive	29¾	30½	29½	29⅞	30¼
	Amer. Malt Co., pfd.	...	...	...	45½	67
14,900	American Smelting	60½	61½	59½	60⅛	60⅜
300	American Snuff, com.	171	172	165	160	165
3,400	American Sugar	107⅝	107⅝	106⅝	108½	108½
1,300	Amer. Tel. and Tel. Co.	127⅛	128⅛	127⅛	127½	127⅝
2,200	American Tobacco, com.	209	210½	201¼	201	203
100	American Tobacco, pfd.	101	101	101	99	101
3,500	Anaconda Copper	34	34¾	34	34⅛	34⅜
4,900	Atchison	95¾	96⅝	95⅝	95¾	96
300	Atlantic Coast Line	117½	118	117½	117½	118½
	A. C. L. of Connecticut	...	...	...	235	242
6,200	Baltimore and Ohio	93	93¾	92⅝	92½	92¾
800	Bethlehem Steel Co., com	30	30	29⅛	29	32
	Bethlehem Steel Co., pfd	...	...	...	67¼	69¼
6,200	British-Amer. Tob. Co.	21¾	21¾	21⅛	21¼	21¼
3,000	Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88⅝	89¼	88⅝	88¾	89
1,600	Central Leather, com.	18⅜	19¼	18¼	18½	18⅞
19,600	Canadian Pacific	215	217¾	214½	216¼	216½
3,900	California Petroleum	34½	35	33	33½	34
15,800	Chesapeake and Ohio	60½	61⅞	58½	58¼	58¾
1,800	Chicago Great Western	10¼	11⅛	10¼	10⅜	11
200	Chi. Great West., pfd.	25¼	25½	25¼	25½	26
5,100	Chi., Mil. and St. Paul	102¾	103¾	102⅝	102⅞	103¾
100	Crucible Steel Cor., com.	13	13	13	13	13⅛
200	Crucible Steel, pfd.	87¼	87¼	87¼	87	87½
1,600	Colorado Fuel and Iron	25½	27	25	26½	27
300	Colorado and Southern	25	25	25	24⅞	25
2,000	Consolidated Gas	129¾	130¼	129¾	129¾	130
1,300	Corn Products, com.	9⅛	9¼	9	9	9⅛
200	Den. and Rio Gran., com	15	15	15	15	15½
13,100	Erie	23⅞	24½	23½	23½	23¾
2,200	Erie, 1st pfd.	37½	38	36¾	35¾	36¾
	Fed. Min. and Sm., pfd.	...	...	...	33	35
400	General Electric	134	134⅞	134	134½	135
	Geo. W. Helme Tob. Co.	...	...	...	125	160
3,900	Great Northern, pfd.	122	122⅞	121½	122	122¼
1,000	Great Northern Ore Ctfs	30	31	29⅛	30	31
1,200	Illinois Central	112½	113⅛	111¼	111	113
2,000	Interboro-Met.	12½	13⅜	12¾	13	13⅛
2,300	Interboro-Met., pfd.	45	47¼	45½	46¼	46½
400	Int. Harvester, com	102	102	101	101¼	102
300	Int. Mer. Marine, com.	3¼	3¼	3	2½	3
200	International Paper	8½	8½	8¼	8⅛	8½
300	Int. Paper, pfd.	38	38	37¾	37	37½
800	Kansas City So., com.	21½	21¾	21⅜	21¼	21½
6,500	Lehigh Valley	150½	151½	150⅛	150	150¼
200	Liggett and Myers, com.	197	197	197	197	199
	Liggett and Myers, pfd.	...	...	...	108	113
200	Lorillard Tobacco, com.	160	160½	160	Asked	160
	Lorillard Tobacco, pfd.	...	...	...	108	111
800	Louisville and Nashville	129	129⅞	129	129	129½
9,800	Mexican Petroleum	62¼	62⅝	59½	59½	59⅝
600	Miami Copper	21½	21½	21	21¼	21½
300	Mo., Kan. and Texas	19	19⅛	19	19	19½
3,800	Missouri Pacific	29⅛	29¾	29	29¼	29½
	National Biscuit	...	...	...	110	113
100	National Lead	46¼	46¼	46¼	46	47½
3,500	New York Central	97¾	98½	97¾	98	98¼
2,100	N. Y., Ont. and Western	26	26½	25¾	26¼	28
100	Norfolk and Western	102½	103	102½	102½	103
4,700	Northern Pacific	108⅞	110¼	108⅞	109⅝	109¾
600	Pacific Mail	20	20	19¾	19⅞	19¾
4,100	Pennsylvania	107½	108	107½	107¾	108
200	People's Gas	106¾	103¾	105⅝	106⅝	107
200	P. C. C. and St. L., com.	90½	90½	90½	91	95
500	Pittsburgh Coal, com.	15¼	15¼	15	15¼	16
400	Pressed Steel Car	21½	22	21½	21½	23
500	Ry. Steel Spring, com.	24	24	24	23¾	24½
60,100	Reading	155¼	156½	155	155⅛	155¼
2,000	Republic Iron and Steel	19⅞	20	19⅛	19½	19¾
1,800	Republic I. and S., pfd.	79½	79⅝	77½	77½	78
3,300	Rock Island	14	14¾	13⅞	14¼	14½
3,000	Rock Island, pfd.	26⅛	26¾	25¾	25½	25¾
	Seaboard Air Line, com.	...	...	...	15	17
200	Seaboard Air Line, pfd.	40	40	40	39¾	40¾
100	St. Louis-Southw., com.	27¼	27¼	27¼	27	28
100	Sloss-Sheffield	29	29	29	28	29
8,700	Southern Pacific	92½	93⅛	92½	92⅞	93¼
2,700	Southern Railway	21½	21⅝	21	21	21½
2,000	Southern Railway, pfd.	75	75	73¾	73	73¾
	Standard Oil of N. Y.	...	...	...	693	697
700	Texas Pacific	12	12⅝	11⅞	11½	12
60,000	Union Pacific	143¼	146⅝	162¾	143⅝	143½
	U. S. Cast Iron Pipe, com	...	...	...	10½	12
5,600	United Cigar Stores	87½	87½	84¼	84¼	84½
1,600	United States Rubber	58¼	58⅝	58	58¼	58½
110,300	United States Steel	54¼	55⅛	54	54¼	54¼
2,400	United States Steel, pfd.	104⅝	104¾	104½	104¾	106¼
300	Va.-Car. Chemical	26½	26⅝	26½	26½	26¾
	Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd.	...	...	...	100	101½
	Va. Ry. and Power, com.	...	...	...	50	57
	Va. Ry. and Power, pfd.	...	...	...	92	bid.
	Wabash	...	...	...	2½	2¾
200	Wabash, pfd.	6¾	6¾	6⅝	6⅝	7
300	Western Union	63¼	63¼	63¼	63¼	63⅞
100	Weyman-Bru. Tob., com	235	235	235	235	270
4,200	Utah Copper	46⅝	47	46⅛	46⅝	46½

Total sales for day, 629,900 shares.

Total sales for week (four days), 2,218,500 shares.

SWALLOWS POISON TO END HIS LIFE

Norfolk, Va., June 5.—Calmly telling his wife he intended ending his life, Thomas Palmer, sixty-nine years old, swallowed the contents of a small bottle containing carbolic acid, and fell dead 200 yards from his home in State Street to-night. Palmer had been drinking, and he is said to have purchased the acid early this afternoon, telling the druggist he wanted it for disinfectant purposes. He drank the poison after walking out of his home, and threw the bottle in the street. He is survived by his widow and four children.

ASHLAND COUNCIL RECEIVES REPORT

Ashland, Va., June 4.—A special called meeting of the Ashland Town Council was held to-night to receive the report of F. W. Scarborough, civil engineer who has been employed by the town of Ashland to make a survey of the water and sewerage system, now operated by Isaac Diggs, receiver of the Ashland Gas, Sewerage and Water Company. It was the opinion of the engineer that the plant, which has been for a few years unsatisfactorily serving Ashland, is worth $32,600. This includes power-house, real estate and mains in the streets, both water and sewerage.

He estimates that it will require an outlay of $39,000 to complete an adequate system to cover the compact part of Ashland.

The matter was referred to the town attorney and a committee, consisting of Dr. A. C. Ray, C. B. Jones and E. A. Gray, was appointed to confer with him and report back to the Council his recommendations.

Colonel C. P. E. Burgwyn, engineer, who was employed by Reciever Diggs to make a survey and report to the company, has concluded his work, but figures found by him are not obtainable.

AGAINST SALOON AT STATE FAIR

Lynchburg District Conference of Methodist Church Criticizes Management.

Lynchburg, Va., June 5.—The Lynchburg District Conference of the Methodist Church, now in session at Madison Heights, Amherst County, by former resolution severely criticizes the management of the Virginia State Fair Association for maintaining a saloon on its grounds during the annual fairs, and calls upon the Methodists of the district as well as all Christians to withhold their patronage from the fair until the saloon there be abolished.

In addition to this, the conference takes the ground that the State Fair Association has no right to use the name of the State for a Richmond institution as long as it is operated on behalf of the liquor dealers. The resolution says: "It is plainly dishonest and a practice of false pretense to dominate it a State fair when three-fourths of the people of the State have outlawed the saloon, and we call upon the honorable gentlemen of Statewide reputation, who form the board of directors, either to eliminate this most offensive feature or else change the name and title of their corporation. Nothing short of this can comport with the most elementary honesty."

The report is against the dispensary and strongly resents the action of the General Assembly in refusing to pass the prohibition enabling act; endorses again the State Anti-Saloon League, and pledges its ministers to aid in its cause and in encouraging the people to back the league with their moral and financial help.

Application for Mercy.

Washington, June 5.—Bishop J. M. Horner, of Asheville, N. C., to-day appealed to President Wilson to commute the sentence of William Breese, convicted of a violation of the national banking laws at Asheville. The President took the case under advisement. Governor Craig, former Governor Glenn and Senator Simmons have appealed to the President in behalf of Mr. Breese.

Budget Plan Approved.

Washington, June 5.—The Sherley plan for a budget committee of the House to regulate appropriations, fixing a total for each session, and allotting this among the various appropriating committees was agreed to with some modifications at a meeting to-day of the special committee on budget named at a recent Democratic caucus.

FERRANDINI MAY ACT

Lawyers Announce That Injunction Application Will Be Made To-Day.

Lawyers at work on the much-discussed Ferrandini application for an injunction to restrain the City Democratic Committee from placing on the ballots next week any words relating to annexation, said last night that they had enlisted in their task one of the most prominent constitutional lawyers in the city, and that the injunction would be filed without fail to-day.

The action will seek to forestall any attempt to secure from the electorate an expression of opinion on the annexation question. Frank Ferrandini, a member of the City Democratic Committee, has from the beginning taken the stand that the committee has no delegated or implied right to submit a referendum of this nature, and has asserted his intention to carry his point through the aid of the courts. Any one of the city judges has the power to grant the injunction.

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BROTHER ACCUSED OF KILLING SISTER

Charles Donaghe, Vigorously Protesting His Innocence, Is Lodged in Jail.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Staunton, Va., June 5.—A crisis has been reached in the investigation of the murder of Becky Donaghe, the aged white woman, whose dead body was found on Tuesday lying in a pool of blood in her little cabin home near Parnassus, in Augusta County. This morning her only brother and near relative, Charles Donaghe, was arrested, charged with the crime and lodged in jail. He vigorously protested his innocence and feigned to believe he was being taken to the Western State Hospital for the insane. He is nearly seventy years old, but appears younger; has a short red beard, mixed with gray, and small shifty eyes. He has the manners of a Chesterfield.

While he and his sister lived in squalor, they had a wardrobe of fine clothes, consisting of silks, satins and broadcloths, packed away in an old chest.

Those who visited the Donaghe home described it as squalid and dilapidated beyond belief for a civilized community. The hovel is a small frame affair, back from the road on a forty-acre farm, with nearly all windowpanes gone and holes in the roof sufficient to let in the elements. The house is surrounded with rank weeds and briars, and there is an air of mystery about the place. A flight of rickety steps leads to the sister's room, while a flimsy ladder led to the loft, where the brother slept. Poultry and pigs roamed the lower part of the house at will. The whole is a picture of desolation. They were once refined and in a measure educated people, the sister having taught for a number of years, and both wrote poetry and prose fluently. They were connected with a once prominent family.

There is no doubt among officials that the brother committed the crime, as they lived at dagger's points for years and never spoke to each other except in a hostile way. Pictures show that in youth both had been well dressed and handsome.

Gigantic Conspiracy Unearthed.

London, June 5.—A gigantic conspiracy to arm the Ulster Unionists for the purpose of resisting the coming home rule regime in Ireland has just been discovered by Scotland Yard detectives. When the news became known here it created a sensation, especially as the discovery of the plot follows closely upon the seizure of twelve tons of rifles and ammunition at Belfast on Monday.

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Henry Sydnor Harrison Receives Degree From Columbia University.

Among the honorary degrees conferred by Columbia University, of New York City, on Wednesday, the degree of master of arts was given to Henry Sydnor Harrison, recently of this city, and the author of "Queed" and "V. V.'s Eyes."

Mr. Harrison, who was a member of The Times-Dispatch staff for several years, graduated from Columbia in 1900.

ACADEMY FINALS

Commencement Exercises Will Be Held To-Night in Richmond College Chapel.

Commencement exercises of Richmond Academy will be held to-night at Richmond College Chapel. Rev. W. Russell Bowie, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will make the principal address. Medals and other awards will be made by Dean W. L. Prince.

Following the usual custom, the names of the prize-winners will be kept secret until announced from the platform. Among the medals to be awarded are the Pitt medal, for spelling; Thomas medal, for science; Garvin medal, for French, and two scholarship medals for upper and lower schools. In addition, there are three scholarships to Richmond College, University of Virginia and Washington and Lee University.

To one prize-winner there will be no surprise. Roger Moses Millhiser, of this city, again wins the spelling medal. For two terms he has not missed a word, and has gained the honor of being the best speller in the school ever since becoming a student in 1907. He has won the spelling medal three times, and, owing to a ruling which does not permit its award two consecutive times, has been barred