WORLD MARKET PAGE

PUBLIC INDUCES STOCK ACTIVITY

Flood of Outside Orders Scares Many Shorts to Covering

NEW YORK, Aug. 30—Active and widespread public participation, apparently induced by market improvement in the industrial and railroad strike situation, was largely responsible for the continued rise of prices in today's stock market.

Floor traders and professional speculators were inclined to be bearish but the flood of outside buying orders scared many shorts into covering, which accelerated the advance. Nearly two score issues established new peak prices for the year. Reports of increased car loadings, indications that bituminous coal production was nearing normal and expectation of unprecedent freight traffic this fall, resulted in a broad inquiry for the standard rails. Canadian Pacific was especially strong, advancing 2½ points, with gains of 1 point or more being recorded by Atlantic Coast line, Chicago & Northwestern, Illinois Central, Louisville & Nashville, New Haven, Reading second preferred and Frisco preferred. Renewed hopes for an early settlement of the anthracite strike, also imparted buoyancy to the shares of hard coal carriers, especially Lackana and Lehigh Valley.

Chicago & Alton issues were under heavy pressure because of disquieting reports concerning impending reorganization. The common receded 1 3-8 points and the preferred dropped 3 5-8.

Independent Steels also suffered a severe setback upon circulation of reports that the federal trade commission was about to render an unfavorable decision on the two pending independent mergers, but later Washington advices indicated that no complaints had been filed against the proposed Midvale-Island-Republic combination. Republic Steel closed with a net loss of 3 1-8 points. Lackawanna was off 1 point and Midvale 5-8. United States Steel closed fractionally higher on a fairly extensive turnover. Sales managers of the steel corporations are now in session here and Wall street expects an announcement of higher prices upon the return to the city next of Elbert H. Gray, chairman of the board.

Public utilities issues continued to be active participants in the upward swing of prices. Several high records for the year were made in this group, notably by Detroit Edison, Brooklyn, Union Gas, Columbia Gas, American Telephone, Pacific Gas, Montana Power and McCalay Co., Endicott Johnson advanced nearly 2 points today in expectation of extra dividend disbursements, when the directors meet on Thursday. Postum Cereal established a new high price for the year on reports of increased earnings. United States Cantron pipe broke over 2 points on the announcement of an official of the company that contradicted current reports of substantially improved business conditions.

Total sales approximated 987,000 shares.

Call money opened and renewed at 3 3-4 per cent but hardened to 4 and thence to 4 1-3 in response to the demand for first of the month requirements. "Outside" call money was quoted as high as 5 per cent. Time money rates continued unchanged with little business being transacted.

Foreign exchange rates opened weak as the result of unsettlement in foreign centers but they steadied in later trading. There was a sharp break in German marks in early trading but they recovered later with the rest of the list. Demand sterling sold near 2c below yesterday's rate while other allied rates showed fractional improvement. Canadian exchange touched par today for the first time since August, 1915.

The sharp break in Chicago & Alton bonds, the 3s declining 5 1-2 points and the 3 1-2s 7 1-2s featuring today's irregular bond market.

The precipitous drop in these two issues was even greater than the decline in stock prices and was occasioned by unconfirmed reports that the road was to be reorganized.

Local traction issues, which advanced 2 points or more provided the strong spot in the domestic list.

American Telephone & Telegraph convertible 4s were up nearly three points in sympathy with the rise in that company's stock, while Cerro de Pasco 8s and Bethlehem Steel refunding 5s also made substantial gains.

High grade railroad mortgages also showed slight improvement while some of the speculative lines, like Seaboard consolidated 6s and adjustment 5s, Rio Grande refunding 4s and 5s and "Katy" adjustments advanced moderately in response to a better and more widespread demand.

French issues continued to recover from their recent heaviness, gains of a point or more being recorded by the French 7 1-2s, Franco-American 7 1-2s and the 6 per cent issues of Bordeaux, Lyons, Soissons and Marseilles. Mexican 5s advanced 1 1-2 points.

Liberty issues were slightly lower. Total sales (par value) were $13,100,000.

Two $2,000,000 bond issues were offered during the day. They were an issue of 30-year Pacific coast joint stock and land bank 5 1-2s and an issue of 15-year first mortgage 7 per cent convertible gold bonds, series A of Mantel Mills, Inc.

Wichita Livestock.

WICHITA, Aug. 30.—Hogs—Receipts 900; steady; top $8.75, bulk $8.60@8.75. Cattle—Receipts 1,200, steady, beef steers $8.60@8.75, beef cows and heifers $6@6.50, bulls $2.75@3.50 veal calves $9@9.50, stockers and feeders $3.00@ [illegible].

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Call Money—Firm; high 4½, low 3¾, ruling rate 3¾, closing bid 4¼, offered 4¾, last loan 4½.

Loans—Against acceptances 3½@ [illegible]. Loans—Firm; steady, mixed collateral 30 to 90-day 4@4¼, 4 to 6-month [illegible].

Commercial Paper—Prime 4@4¼.

Chicago Futures.

	Open	High	Low	Close
[illegible]	1.01	1.01⅝	1.00⅝	1.01
	1.02⅝	1.02⅝	1.01⅝	1.01⅝
	1.07⅛	1.07⅛	1.06⅝	1.06⅝
Sept.	.59	.59⅛	.58⅝	.59¼
Dec.	.53⅜	.54⅛	.53⅜	.54⅛
May	.57⅛	.57⅝	.56⅞	.57½
Oats—				
Sept.	.32⅛	.32¼	.32⅛	.31⅞
Dec.	.33⅝	.33⅝	.33⅜	.33⅝
May	.37⅝	.37	.36¾	.37¼

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 30.—No very decided trend was shown by cotton today, although prices were at small net declines the greater part of the session. Belief in a low condition report from the government Friday, prevented aggressive selling but at the same time the complaints of fuel shortage among southern cotton mills seemed to restrict operations on the long side. Some little selling came from liquidating longs and helped to hold the market down. The close was at net losses on the day of 8 to 13 points with October at 22.16c.

In the early trading there was a drop at levels of 9 to 14 points under the close of yesterday as the result of poor cables and complaints from points in both South Carolina and Georgia that many mills were without coal and that some were being forced to burn wood. The decline was checked by weather reports, showing that the drought still continued over Texas and Oklahoma, and by a private bureau report on condition of 56.7 indicating deterioration for the month of 16.4 points.

The weekly weather and crop reports from the government were considered highly favorable and carried prices to the highest of the day on the near months, rising to 22.35c. Here the strongest months were 9 to 11 up. Liquidation of long cotton increased and after the market sagged, standing at one time 12 to 14 points under the close of yesterday.

Daily Cotton Table.

Port Movement	Middling	Receipts	Sales	Stock
New Orleans	23.00c	574	184	45,724
Galveston	22.50	3,782	906	91,959
Mobile	21.62	282	172	1,413
Savannah	22.25	3,196	67	44,739
Charleston	....	3	....	22,240
Wilmington	....	29	....	12,253
Texas City	....	....	....	214
Norfolk	22.38	79	11	23,247
Baltimore	....	....	....	1,556
Boston	22.85	....	....	10,268
Philadelphia	....	....	....	4,000
New York	22.80	....	....	14,254
Minor ports	....	12,824	....	4,433
Total today		26,621		280,666
Total for week		37,942		.....
Total for season		110,864		.....
Interior Movement—				
Houston	22.40	9,354	6,761	74,157
Memphis	22.50	339	500	24,096
Augusta	22.31	1,317	239	29,639
St. Louis	22.00	1,066	....	10,943
Atlanta	22.35	....	....	.....
Little Rock	21.75	39	160	14,748
Dallas	22.10	....	4,472	.....
Montgomery	21.62	....	150	.....
Total today		12,293		205,849

Cottonseed Oil.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Cottonseed oil started about steady but subsequently turned easy under liquidating sales in September and for want of new buying incentive. September closed 22 points lower, October 14 lower and the balance 3 to 6 net lower. Sales 9,000 barrels. No tenders were put out thus far on September contracts. Prime crude 7.25 nominal, prime summer yellow spot 9.30 bid, September 9.11, December 7.89, March 7.92 all bid.

New York Stocks, as Reported by Houston, Fible & Co., First National Bank Building.

Sales in Hnds. | High | Low | Close

Ajax Rubber	4	13⅝	11⅝	12⅞
Allied Chemical	27	46⅝	45¾	46⅛
Allis Chalmers	8	58	57½	58
Am. Agl. Chem.	4	49¾	46¾	48¾
Am. Beet Sugar	1	18½	17¾	18½
American Can	41	61⅛	60¾	60⅞
Am. Car & Fdy.	2	125	125	125
Am. H. & L. pfd.	2	73¾	73½	73¾
Am. Intl. Corp.	15	37	35¾	37
Am. Loco.	101	123⅝	119⅝	122⅝
Am. Linseed	1	32	....	32
Am. Smelters	25	65⅜	64¾	65⅛
Am. Steel Fdys.	25	42¾	42	42¾
Am. Sugar	7	83⅝	83½	83⅝
Am. Sumatra Tob.	6	39½	38	39
Am. T. & T.	126	127⅜	126⅜	127⅜
Am. Tobacco	4	124	123	123
Am. Woolen	23	94½	94¼	94¾
Anaconda	24	55⅝	55¼	55⅝
Atchison	21	105	103¾	104⅝
Atl. G. & W. I.	1	30¾	30	30
Baldwin Loco.	172	125⅛	123⅝	125⅛
Balt. & Ohio	37	59¾	58¾	59¾
Barnsdall "A"	23	32⅝	32	32
Beth. Steel	73	78⅝	77¾	77¾
Cal. Packing	3	....	....	85
Cal. Petroleum	43	64	63¼	63¼
Can. Pacific	83	149⅝	147⅝	148⅞
Central Leather	34	42⅝	41⅝	41⅝
Chandler	10	62	61½	61½
Ches. & Ohio	87	77¼	76	76⅝
C. M. & St. Paul	70	24⅝	23¾	23⅞
C. M. & St. P. pfd.	81	33	32¾	32¾
C. R. I. & P.	81	46½	45¾	46⅜
Chile Copper	12	23⅝	22⅝	23⅛
China Copper	5	31⅜	31	31⅜
Coca-Cola	19	71¼	70¾	70¾
Columbia Gas	64	105⅝	102½	105⅜
Corn Products	27	120	118⅝	119
Cosden	40	47⅝	47	47⅜
Crucible	64	95	93¾	93½
Cuban Am. Sugar	3	26	26	26
Cuba Cane Sugar	24	15⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Endicott-Johnson	13	....	....	59
Famous Players	25	95⅝	94	95⅜
General Asphalt	65	62⅜	61¾	62⅛
General Electric	1	....	....	151
General Motors	27	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜
Goodrich	5	36	35⅝	35⅝
Great No. Pfd.	49	85¼	84¾	84¾
Houston Oil	15	81	80	80
Hudson Motor	4	63¼	62¾	63
Inspiration Copper	4	23¼	23	23⅛
Internat. Harv.	5	111¾	110	111
Int. Mer. Mar. Pfd.	22	61	59	61
Internat. Nickel	25	18	17⅝	17⅝
Internat. Paper	8	58½	57⅝	57⅝
Invincible Oil	4	14⅛	13⅞	14⅛
K. C. Southern	6	26⅝	26⅜	26⅝
Kelly-Springfield	13	44⅝	43⅝	44⅜
Kennecott	33	37⅝	37¼	37⅛
Lack. Steel	10	80½	78	78⅝
Lehigh Valley	4	53½	52⅝	52⅝
Marland Oil	9	41⅞	40⅜	41⅛
Mex. Petroleum	272	185	182	185
Mex. Seaboard	129	23¼	21	21½
Mid. States Oil	27	13⅞	13½	13½
Midvale Steel	4	31½	30½	30½
Mo. Pacific	10	23¾	23⅜	23⅝
Mo. Pac. Pfd.	26	60⅜	59⅝	60⅛
Mont. Ward	17	23½	23	23
Natl. Enameling	6	59	58¼	58½
Natl. Lead	9	109	108	109
Nevada Copper	3	17¾	17	17¾
N. Y. Central	26	99⅝	99	99¼
New Haven	216	33¾	32½	33¾
N. & W.	18	119⅝	119½	119⅝
Nor. Pacific	57	89⅞	89	89⅛
Okla. P. & R.	2	27⅞	28	28
Pacific Oil	64	57⅝	57¼	57⅜
Pan-American	114	81⅞	80⅝	80⅞
Pennsylvania	36	42⅜	42	42⅛
People's Gas	2	94¼	94	94
Pere Marquette	41	40⅜	39½	39½
Phillips Petroleum	34	49⅜	48⅝	48⅝
Pierce Arrow	2	....	....	11½
Pierce Oil	16	7¾	7¼	7¼
Pittsburgh Coal	72	89⅛	88	88⅝
Prod. & Ref. Corp.	46	44⅞	44¼	44⅝
Pressed Steel Car	14	86	82	86
Pullman	113	130	127	130
Punta Alegre Sugar	7	50	49¼	49¾
Pure Oil	77	32⅝	32¼	32⅝
Reading	152	69½	68¾	69⅛
Republic	6	33⅜	32⅝	33⅜
Repub. I. & Steel	11	72¾	68¾	69
Royal Dutch N. Y.	81	58⅝	56¾	56¾
S. L. & San F.	19	31⅛	31	31⅛
Sears Roebuck	10	90½	90	90
Sinclair Oil	93	23⅝	23	23¼
Skelly	12	10½	10⅜	10½
Sloss Sheffield	5	52	51	51
Southern Pacific	84	95¼	94⅜	95¼
Southern Ry.	31	27⅞	27	27
Stand. Oil Calif.	30	111⅛	110¼	111
Stand. Oil N. J.	15	184	182¼	183⅝
Stromberg	3	....	....	53
Studebaker	85	125⅜	123	125
Texas Company	41	45¾	44¾	45¼
Texas & Pacific	9	23⅝	23⅜	23⅝
Tex. Pac. Coal & O.	14	25⅝	25¼	25¼
Tob. Products	72	86⅝	85¾	86⅛
Trans. Oil	24	15⅝	14¾	14⅝
Union Oil Del.	21	79½	78¾	79⅛
Union Pacific	15	151¾	150⅝	151¼
United Ret. Stores	56	79⅝	76¾	76¾
U. S. Food Products	40	7⅞	7⅝	8¼
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	12	67	66¾	66⅝
U. S. Realty	2	71	70½	70½
U. S. Rubber	13	58	57½	57⅝
U. S. Steel	265	104⅝	103¼	104⅝
Utah Copper	30	65¾	65	65
Vanadium Steel	142	53⅝	51⅝	52½
Virginia-Car. Chem.	2	29¾	29¾	29¾
Wabash Pfd. "A"	16	34⅝	34¼	34
Westinghouse	37	64¼	63¾	63⅝
Western Union	14	120¼	119	119
White Motors	1	....	....	45½
White Oil	2	8½	8	8⅛
Willys-Overland	8	7	6¾	7
Worthington Pump	3	42½	42¼	42¾

New York Cotton.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Spot cotton quiet, middling 22.80c.

PRICES OF WHEAT AVERAGE LOWER

Sentiment Is Bearish and There Is Lack of Aggression

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Wheat prices averaged lower today. Sentiment was bearish and there was lack of aggressive buying. Short covering furnished the bulk of the support. At the finish wheat showed a net loss of 3-4c to 1 1-8c, with September $1.01 to 1-8 and December $1.01 3-4 to 7-8; corn was 1-4c higher to a like amount lower. Oats were unchanged to 1-4c off and provisions were unchanged to 12 1-2c down.

Substantial buying power was lacking in the wheat market, while increased selling was noted on all rallies. Offerings were fairly well taken on the declines by commission houses. News from Canada and weak cables had a depressing influence here. Receipts of wheat here were reported as 100 cars and the world's available stocks showed an increase of 1,728,000 bushels last week, bringing the total amount to 97,197,000 bushels, compared with 114,158,000 bushels a year ago.

Corn averaged lower with September showing the most weakness because of scattered liquidation. Rains were predicted for the western part of the belt. Country offerings were smaller of new corn but fair of old corn, and complaints of car shortage were few.

Oats followed the trend of other grains.

Provisions were irregular.

Standard Oil.

Closing bid and asked prices of Standard oil stocks as reported by Strandberg, McGreevy & Co.:

	Bid	Asked
McIlreevy & Co.		
Anglo-American	19¾	20
Atlantic Ref. Com.	1800	1825
Atlantic Ref. Pfd.	116	118
Borne-Scrymser	410	420
Buckeye Pipe	98	99
Chesebrough Cons.	198	200
Chesebrough Pfd.	110	115
Cont'l Oil	128	140
Crescent Pipe L.	34	36
Cumberland Pipe L.	145	155
Eureka Pipe Line	91	94
Galena Signal Com.	68	72
Galena Signal Pfd.	110	115
Illinois Pipe	167	170
Indiana Pipe	96	98
National Transit	28	29
New York Transit	165	170
Northern Pipe	100	102
Ohio Oil	284	286
Penn-Mex.	37	39
Prairie O. & G.	656	665
Solar Refining	250	255
Prairie Pipe	263	268
Southern Pipe	94	96
Southern Pa. Oil	210	215
Southern Pa. Pipe	69	69
Standard of Ind.	113¾	114
Standard of Kansas	253	255
Standard of Kentucky	192½	196
Standard of Nebraska	179	185
*Standard of N. J. Com.	.....	183½
*Standard of N. J. Pfd.	.....	116¾
Standard of New York	438	441
Standard of Ohio	459	460
Swan & Finch	39	54
Union Tank Line	189	195
Vacuum Oil	462	475
Washington Oil	22	29

*Close.

Independents.

Closing bid and asked prices of Independent oil stocks on the New York curb as reported by Strandberg, McGreevy & Co.:

	Bid	Asked
Arkansas Natural Gas	10	11
Federal Oil	1 1-16	1⅛
Gilliland Com.	4½	4¾
Glenrock	1⅞	2
Livingston	1¼	1⅜
Magna	1⅝	2
Margay	1⅛	1⅜
Merritt	1⅝	1⅞
Midwest Oil	1⅝	1⅞
Midwest Pfd.	5	6
Mutual	10⅝	10¾
Pennock	6¾	6⅞
Sapulpa	4⅝	4¾
Savoy	5	5⅛
*Skelly	10⅛	10⅜

*Close.

Range of Prices.

	High	Low	Close
Pure Oil	32⅝	32¼	32⅝
Okla. P. & R.	28	28	28
Sinclair	23⅝	23¼	23⅝
Texas Co.	45¾	45¾	45¾
Cosden	47½	47	47⅜
Magnolia	130	129	130
Arkansas Gas	10½	10½	10½
Boston Wyoming	80	72	74
Boone	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Carib	7	7	7
Construction Copper	9	9	9
Federal Oil	1⅛	1 1-16	1⅛
Gilliland	5	4¾	5
Glenrock	1 5-16	1⅛	1⅛
Int. Pet.	32⅝	32	32⅝
Livingston	1¼	1¼	1¼
Magnolia	1	....	....
Md. Mex.	5¾	5	5
Mutual	10¾	10½	10¾
N. A. O. R.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Ryan	1⅛	1	1⅛
Sapulpa	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Sims	8¾	8¾	8¾
So. Ind.	114⅝	113⅝	113⅝
Kentucky	106⅝	104⅝	106
Wayne	3	3	3
Eureka	95	95	95
Galena	82	82	82
Prairie Pipe	262	261	261
So. Pipe	94	94	94
Indiana	117⅝	115⅝	115⅝
New York	441	440	440

Pittsburgh Range—

Arkansas Gas	10¾	10½	10½
Lone Star	29	28½	28½
Oklahoma Gas	29	28½	28½
U. F. C.	17¾	17½	17½
Mt. Shasta	26	25	26

Chicago Produce.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Poultry—Alive higher, broilers 24c, springs 24c, roosters 14c.

Butter—Unchanged.

Eggs—Higher, receipts 8,378 cases, firsts 28@29½c, storage packed firsts 26@26½c.

Potatoes—Weak on whites, steady on early Ohios, receipts 131 cars, total United States shipments 514 cars. New Jersey sacked cobblers $1.60@1.65 cwt., sacked giants $1.20@1.30 cwt. Nebraska sacked early Ohios $1.60@1.75, Minnesota sacked early Ohios $1.60@1.80 cwt. Wisconsin sacked cobblers $1.30@1.45 cwt., Idaho sacked russets $1.25@1.35 cwt.

Live poultry firm, broilers 24c, springs 25@28c, dressed poultry irregular old roosters 16@13c.

Chicago Livestock.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Cattle—Receipts 11,000; beef steers active, strong to 15c higher, good and choice grades showing most advance, top matured steers $11.60, highest of year, bulk beef steers $8.25@10.50, she stock slow, about steady, bulls, stockers and feeders steady, veal calves strong, bulk fat she stock large-ly $4.50@7.25, bulk bologna bulls around $4.25, bulk desirable vealers early around $12.60.

Hogs—Receipts 18,000; market fairly active on lighter weights, around steady, others slow, bulk 170 to 210-pound hogs $9.50@9.65, few $9.75, 220 to 240-pound butchers $9.25@9.40, packing sows $6.75@7.00, bulk pigs around $8.60, big packers holding back, heavy $7.70@9.25, medium $8.85@9.10, light $9.40@9.75, packing sows smooth $6.50@7.25, packing sows rough $6.00@6.65, killing pigs $7.25@8.50.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000; about steady, early to native lambs $12.75 to city butchers, bulk $12.25@12.50 to packers $10.00, sheep dull, fat ewes $4.00@7.00, feeding lambs firm, desirable 61-pound feeders bid $12.85.

London Metals.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—Lead—Spot L24 5s, futures L25 12s 6d.

Zinc—Spot L30 15s, futures L30 5s.

Kansas City Produce.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 30.—Butter—Creamery 1c higher, 33c, packing unchanged, 20c.

Eggs and poultry unchanged.

Potatoes unchanged.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 30.—Cattle—Receipts 8,000; canners and calves steady, canners $2.25@2.60, best vealers $10.00@10.50, bologna bulls 10c to 15c higher, bulk around $3.50, other classes generally steady to strong with spot higher on prime steers, top heavy steers $10.75, bulk cows $3.25@4.50, cutters $3.00@3.25, common to medium stockers $4.50@6.00, early sales feeders $5.65@7.00.

Hogs—Receipts 4,000; fairly active, steady with yesterday's average, shipper top $9.15, packer top $9.00, bulk $8.40@9.10, 160 to 210-pounder $8.80@9.00, 240 to 260-pounders mostly $8.40@8.90, 260 to 320-pounders mostly $8.20@8.80, packing sows 10 to 25c higher, mostly $7.15@7.50, best $7.60, stock pigs strong to 25c higher, mostly $8.25@8.60, best $8.75.

Sheep—Receipts 4,000; best natives and Colorados $12.80, better grades natives generally $12.00@12.75, bulk around $11.00, sheep about steady, fat ewes largely $5.50@6.50.

Oklahoma City Livestock.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 30.—Cattle—Receipts 2,100; slow, generally steady, steers $5.00@8.50, cows $4.00@4.75, heifers $5.00, butchers $5.00@5.75, canners $1.75, calves slow, top $7.00, stockers and feeders about steady.

Hogs—Receipts 1,600; slow, 10c to 15c lower, top $8.75, bulk $8.60@8.70.

Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Foreign exchange irregular.

Great Britain—Demand 4.66¼, cables 4.66⅝, 60-day bills on banks 4.61.

France—Demand 7.72, cables 7.72.

Italy—Demand 4.46⅜, cables 4.47.

Belgium—Demand 7.55, cables 7.56½.

Germany—Demand .07 4-16, cables .07 [illegible].

New York Metals.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Lead—Steady, spot $.50@$.55.

Zinc—Steady, East St. Louis spot and near-by delivery 5.25c.

Kansas City Grain.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 30.—Cash Wheat—Unchanged to 3c lower. No. 2 hard 98c @$1.00. No. 2 red $1.01@1.03.

Corn—No. 2 white 54½c, No. 2 yellow 58@58½c, No. 3 yellow 55c, No. 2 mixed 54@54½c.

Oats—Unchanged. No. 2 white 34½@35c, No. 2 mixed 32@34c, No. 2 red 42@43c.

New Orleans Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 30.—Spot cotton steady and unchanged, sales on the spot 311 bales, to arrive 473 bales; low middling 20.75c, middling 22.00c, good middling 23.00c, receipts 824 bales, stock 18,724 bales.

Fort Worth Livestock.

FORT WORTH, Aug. 30.—Cattle—Receipts 600; beeves $3.50@7.50, bulls $2.50@3.50, calves $2.00@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts 400; light $9.00@9.25, medium $9.75@9.90, heavy $8.80@8.75, pigs $5.00@7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 1,200; lambs $5.50@10.50, yearlings $4.00@4.90, feeder lambs $4.00@5.00.

Liberty Bonds.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 100.86, second 4s 100.18, first 4¼s 100.58, second 4¼s 100.12, third 4¼s 100.30, fourth 4¼s 100.40, Victory 4¾s unsalled 100.20, Victory 4¾s called 100.20.

TRAPP ARRESTED, MAKES BOND ON PERJURY CHARGE

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Darnell May Ask Recount.

A movement made its appearance here today following the Trapp arrest to probe the returns of the recent primary relating to the nomination of Trapp. It is understood that friends of William Darnell, the farmer-labor league candidate, whom Trapp defeated by only 2,342 votes have been in consultation with attorneys having in view an action asking a recount. For several days there has been talk of such an action based upon a general belief that the election machinery which leads in Trapp's office was used to his advantage. The farmer-labor leaders do not believe that Trapp was actually nominated and may have to be shown. The law firm of Lydick, Hood & Freeling was busy today on both the Trapp case and the governor's Okmulgee indictment. Lydick handled the impeachment trials during the Cruse administration and conducted the Trapp case before the state senate in 1921 when that body refused to take jurisdiction in the matter which caused today's arrest of the lieutenant governor.

Ed Hood has been prominent as counsel in the present administration and Freeling former attorney-general. As political attorneys they are considered among the best in the state, having had a large practice in affairs of the politically unfortunate and disturbed. Nothing was forthcoming from the political headquarters of either party today concerning the arrest although the lieutenant governor claimed a "republican plot." This was discounted by the fact that none of the republican leaders appeared to know anything about the matter further than that it has been a subject of speculation ever since the legislature adjourned. That the arrest was made today upon information sworn to by the county treasurer of Seminole county instead of waiting for action of the forthcoming grand jury was fully explained when it was learned that the statute of limitations would expire this week. The alleged offense as committed September 1, 1919, the date of the Trapp claim against Seminole county which will be three years ago Thursday.

By the Associated Press State Wire.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 30.—Lieut.-Gov. M. E. Trapp was arrested at his home here early this morning by Deputy Sheriff F. G. Frederick of Seminole county on a charge of perjury in connection with an alleged transaction with Seminole county three years ago. The lieutenant governor was victorious in the recent primary election in the race for renomination on the democratic ticket.

Papers which were served on Lieutenant Governor Trapp just as he was leaving his home for the capitol, also charge him with preparing false testimony.

He Issues Statement.

Immediately after his arrest Trapp issued a statement in which he said:

"The sheriff of Seminole county informs me that the republican treasurer of Seminole county has filed a complaint charging me with perjury on account of my transactions with Seminole county three years ago.

"This is the same matter which was made the basis of the attack upon me by the republican house of representatives two years ago. I am going to Wewoka (county seat of Seminole) with my attorney to make a further investigation into the cause of the complaint.

"It is now very apparent that the complaint was drawn as a piece of the republican blackmail, following the conference of republican leaders assembled here at the republican state convention this week. I was vindicated of these charges in the legislature nearly two years ago.

Another "Venomous Attack."

"It is only because of the fact that I was nominated again by the democrats for lieutenant governor in the August primary that the republicans deem it necessary to make upon me one of the venomous attacks that they seem to be directing to all those active in the democratic ranks and especially those who have been nominated for office. I am not worried one bit about this complaint."

Lydick Scoffs at Offer.

J. D. Lydick, retained as counsel for Lieutenant Governor Trapp, when asked if he would accept the offer of the Seminole county attorney of an immediate trial characterized the offer as "a camouflage to the press of the political purposes behind the complaint. He asserted that he had not yet seen the complaint and that he would take no action in the matter until he had had opportunity to go fully into the charges."

Attorney Lydick condemned the action of the Seminole county sheriff in sending a deputy here to arrest the lieutenant governor as "an ordinary criminal," declaring that it was an outrageous procedure.

"Mere courtesy demanded that the sheriff communicate with Trapp and advise him he was holding a warrant for his arrest. Then the state's second highest officer would not have been forced to go through the humiliation of being trailed in his every move by a deputy sheriff," Lydick said.

Charges were thrown out in Seminole county impeachment proceedings against Trapp two years ago when Chief Justice Harrison of the state supreme court recognized a demurrer to evidence introduced by house prosecutors. Full testimony was never put on in the case. Chief Justice Harrison's ruling was concurred in by all democratic members of the upper house.

ROTARIANS ARE ENTERTAINED

Feed at Killmer Establishment Best of the Year, They Say.

Mrs. Lena J. Killmer, Mrs. Ella Killmer and Mrs. Edward Jens were given an enthusiastic vote of thanks Wednesday noon. It came from the Rotary club, for which these women prepared a special luncheon served at the Killmer Paint & Glass Co., between Second and Third on Boulder.

The first mentioned hostess is the wife of W. R. Killmer, head of the company; the second is his mother, and the third is Mrs. W. R. Killmer's mother.

The luncheon was by a rising vote declared the best the Rotary club has been served this year.

Following the luncheon, Rotarians inspected the Western Union newly located traffic department in the Bank or Commerce building, Second and Main.

SHAWNEE MEN OUT ON BOND

Pair Accused of Firing at Railroad Guards Waive Preliminary.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 30.—Bond of $2,000 was made today by T. M. Timmons and J. N. Baker of Shawnee, charged with firing on deputy United States marshals on railroad strike duty at Shawnee Sunday night.

The men were brought here Tuesday night by W. D. Fossett, deputy marshal. They waived preliminary hearing.

Mortuary

Maish.

Funeral services for Fred M. Maish, 67 years old, 34 North Lewis, who died Tuesday morning, will be held from the Mowbray chapel Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Rev. W. H. Murphy, jr., officiating. Burial will be in Rose Hill.

McCarver.

Mary Jane McCarver, 75 years old, 415 South Phoenix, died Wednesday afternoon. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

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