From Mines and Oil Fields

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CONSERVATION PROBLEM TO RECEIVE OPPOSITION

Editor Fox of Oil World Declares Meeting Thursday Night Was One-Sided

In the opinion of Charles P. Fox, editor of the California Oil World, who is at present in this city, the meeting of oil men held Thursday night in the chamber of commerce rooms was not representative of the whole body of those engaged in the business of producing oil in this state.

"As a matter of fact," declared Mr. Fox yesterday, "I believe that the sentitments expressed at this meeting which I attended are anything but representative of the beliefs and ideas of the oil men of California. The burden of the speeches made at the meeting, that by Chairman Graham and those by L. C. Gates and Senator Bulla, was 'conservation,' and the letter read from Col. Tim Spellacy was of the same tenor. There was no word said against the policy of conserving the oil lands of the west, and hence, the only justifiable inference to be made by the reporters was that the oil men by silent assent committed themselves to this policy. In reality, my observation leads me to believe that the great majority are not in favor of conserving the oil lands of California along the lines suggested by those who are the policy's best known advocates. The majority of the oil men of this state, including stock investors, who should be taken into consideration in this matter, are developing lands which have not yet proceeded to patent. It is folly, therefore, to say that these men are convinced that an act which would deprive them of all hope of reward for their efforts and money expended has their sanction.

HAVE NO INTEREST IN LANDS

"Thursday night's meeting, the keynote of which was conservation, was largely made up of men from the fields of Southern California, where all operations are carried on upon patented land. Southern Californian operators have no interests whatever, aside from their interests as citizens, in the action of the government toward the oil lands in the withdrawn district. To be sure, these men were oil men, but conservation will neither benefit them greatly nor injure them at all, and the fact that they favor a governmental policy should not be looked upon as indicating that all other oil men are inclined to the same opinion.

'I will go further and assert that the sentiments of Mr. Graham, Mr. Gates, Mr. Bulla and Mr. Spellacy are not the sentiments of the majority of those in attendance at the gathering. The views of the four men declaring themselves do not coincide, I venture, with the majority of those present, notwithstanding the fact that the audience was composed largely of operators in local fields. If, then, these views are contrary to the views held by the majority of those present at the meeting, how much less apt those views to be the expression of the opinion held by the thousands of persons who will be disastrously affected by the institution of the plan of conservation, as so far outlined by its sponsors?"

LOOKS LIKE SPELLACY WILL WIN DAMAGE SUIT

BAKERSFIELD, Aug. 19.—Victory for Timothy Spellacy is indicated in the general conclusions expressed by Judge Monroe, at the close of evidence in the suit brought by C. S. Young, oil operator, asking for judgment of $2,140,000 and damages of $500,000, on account of their partnership operations in the Kern county oil fields from 1901 to 1906.

The claim for $500,000 damages was voluntarily abandoned by Young. He asked that his present interest in the Mascot and Illinois Crude Oil companies be based on his showing of an original investment with Timothy Spellacy of $24,000. Spellacy contended that he was forced to accept Spellacy's figures. This will allow Young a one-eighth interest in the Mascot Oil company, a $2,500,000 corporation and a one-twelfth interest in the Illinois Crude, a $500,000 corporation, all arising from the $8000 investment.

The exact amount to be given to Young will be determined August 24, when the court passes upon the list of expenditures and disbursements made by Spellacy and Young in the conduct of their joint business interests.

GOLDFIELD CON. PREPARES FOR HEAVY DIVIDEND

GOLDFIELD, Aug. 19.—Directors of the Goldfield Consolidated Mines company will hold the next quarterly meeting of that company in San Francisco Thursday, August 25, for the purpose of declaring another dividend. The disbursement will probably be at the same rate that has prevailed on the last three, at 30 cents regular and an extra 20 cents per share. The treasury of the company now contains more than $2,000,000 cash, and this is being added to at a rate that will bring it up to nearly double that figure when the next dividend is paid.

The company has paid into the sheriff's office $51,437.13 as bullion tax for the quarter ending June 30. The statement filed therewith shows a production of 36,826 tons of ore, the gross yield of which was $2,789,342. Cost of extraction was $351,388.33; transportation, $14,403.18; reduction, $679,918.72; net yield, $1,743,631.77.

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Standard copper quiet; spot, August, September, October and November, $12.30@12.50. London, quiet; spot, £56 5s; futures, £56 18s 9d.

Arrivals reported at New York today, 315 tons. Customs house returns showed exports of 17,648 tons so far this month. Local dealers report a firm, if not active, market and quote lake copper at $12.37½@13; electrolytic, $12.62½@12.75, and casting at $12.25@12.50.

Tin—Firm; spot, $33.70@33.77½; August, $33.70@33.80; September, $33.75@33.80; October, $33.55@33.75; November, December, $33.50@33.75.

Sales, five tons; September, $33.75.

London closed dull; spot, £154 7s; futures, £153 10s.

Lead—Steady, $4.40@4.50, New York; $5.15@5.20, East St. Louis. Sales, 100,000 pounds August delivery, East St. Louis, $5.17½. London, spot, £22 15s.

Iron—Cleveland warrants, 49s 10½d in London. Locally the market was quiet. No. 1 foundry northern, $16.25@16.50; No. 2, $15.50@16; No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, $15.75@16.25.

DAILY OIL OUTPUT BY DOHENY OUTFIT MAKES HUGE TOTAL

A total of 47,700 barrels of oil is the daily production of four companies which have their offices at 606 Security building and of which E. L. Doheny is president, as follows:

American Petroleum, 34 wells, Coalinga, 10,100.

American Oilfields, 9 wells, Midway, 20,000.

Mexican Petroleum, 18 wells, San Luis Potosi, Mexico, 7000.

Huasteca Petroleum, 3 wells, Casiano, Mexico, 10,600.

The American Oilfields has four wells which produce 19,250 barrels daily, as follows: No. 79, 15,000; No. 73, 2000; No. 67, 1000; No. 68, 1250. No. 73 is the company's oldest well, and would flow 3500 to 4000 barrels daily if it should be cleaned out. This is not done because the company is now producing as much oil as it can care for with its present facilities. It has five other producing wells on the section, one of which is capped, and is drilling five more, making a total of 15. On other properties it is drilling a total of twelve wells.

The American Petroleum has produced this month at the daily rate of 12,115 barrels, of which it has sold 10,600 daily. It is drilling fourteen wells in the Coalinga field, five on 16, one on 19, and eight on 30. Four are 2074 to 2615 feet deep, and the others range in depth from 75 to 1500 feet.

MINING QUOTATIONS

NEVADA STOCKS

Exclusive dispatch to The Herald by L. A. Crisler & Co., members of Los Angeles stock exchange, 200-201 I. W. Hellman building, Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 19.—The bears had the mining market well in hand today. Jumbo Extension seemed to be the center of the raid, and it dropped to sales at 50 cents, at one time 38 cents was the best bid, but none sold at this figure. At the close 54 cents was bid, a loss of 8 points for the day. Florence was down 12½ points, Fraction 4, Oro 2, Atlanta 1, Red Hills 1 and Daisy 1.

Among the Tonopahs, Belmont dropped 7½ points and West End 4.

Following were the closing quotations:

GOLDFIELD DISTRICT

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Adams	1	2	Fr Moh	4	..
Atlanta	15	16	G'ldfield Con.	847½	850
Booth	13	14	Kewanas	8	9
B B Exten.	..	1	Great Bend.	3	4
Blue Bull	7	9	Gt Bend An.	..	1
Blue Bell	2	3	Grandma	3	4
B B Bon	..	2	Jumbo Ex	54	56
Col Mtn	..	2	Kendall	3	..
Comb Frac.	45	50	Lone Star	4	5
Crackerjack	2	3	Lou Dillon	..	2
Daisy	4	5	Oro	..	9
Triangle	..	1	Red Top Ex.	5	6
D B B Con.	..	1	Red Hills	4	6
Dixie	..	1	Sandstorm	5	6
Empire	..	1	St Ives	20	..
Florence	225	230	Silver Pick	9	10
Florence Ex.	1	2	Yellow Tiger.	6	8

TONOPAH DISTRICT

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Belmont	400	465	North Star	10	11
Jim Butler	25	26	Res Con	8	9
Midway	24	26	Ton Mining	835	845
Montana	89	91	Tonopah Ex.	93	..
MacNamara	27	..	West End Con	61	62

BULLFROG DISTRICT

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amethyst	..	1	Montgm Mtn	..	1
Bullfrg N B	..	1	Mayflow Con.	4	5
Bonnie Clare	5	..	Tramp Con	..	6

MANHATTAN DISTRICT

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Little Grey	..	2	Man Dexter	6	..
Man Con	4	6	Mustang	1	2
Man Mining	..	1	Thanksgiving	..	4

OHTER DISTRICTS

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Eagle's Nest	6	7	Round Mtn.	44	45
F'view Eagl	35	40	Pitts Silv Pk	..	53
Nev Hills	227½	230	Coalition	15	16

BOSTON MINING STOCKS

Special service to The Herald by J. C. Wilson, 212 West Fifth street, Los Angeles.

BOSTON, Aug. 19.—In the local list there were no changes worthy of mention except the strength in Indiana. Two diamond drills are expected to reach the lode within a week, and they are expected to produce rich ores. If the result of these drills is satisfactory a vertical shaft will be started immediately.

Quotations at the close were as follows:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Am Pneu	5	5½	Michigan	4½	5½
do pfd	..	17¼	Mohawk	50	52
Adventure	6¼	6½	Nev Con	20⅝	20¾
Allouez	42	43	North Butte	29⅞	30¼
Atlantic	6½	7	Old Dominion	37½	38
Arcadian	6	6¼	Osceola	..	130
Ariz Com	17¾	18	Parrot	..	15
Apex	3⅜	3½	Quincy	74	76
Butte Coal'n	19¼	19¾	Santa Fe	1⅝	1⅞
Calu & Ariz	61	61½	Shannon	10⅝	10⅞
Calu & Hec.	535	545	Shoe Mach	52	53
Centennial	18	19	do pfd	27	28
Con Mercur.	10	12	Sup Copper	45½	46¼
Cop Range	66¾	67½	Sup and Bos	7¼	7¾
Corbin	13¾	14	Sup and Pitt	11¾	12
Daly West	6¼	6¾	Swift	103	103¼
East Butte	7⅞	8	Tamarack	59	60
Elm River	20	..	Trinity	6½	7
Franklin	11½	12	United Fruit	196	197¾
Granby	35	36	U S Smelt	39	39½
Greene Can.	7⅝	7¾	do pfd	49	49½
Hancock	21½	22	Utah Con	24¼	25
Isle Royale	17¾	18½	Victoria	3	3⅜
Keewenaw	3½	4	Winona	8⅜	8⅞
Lake	37¾	38	Wolverine	125	130
La Salle	10½	11	Wyandot	1½	2
Mass Copper	7½	8	Mass Gas	80	80½
Mayflower	35	60	do pfd	91	92
Mex Con	48	50	North Lake	10	10½
Miami	19⅞	20⅛	Indiana	17¼	17½

NEW YORK CURB

Special service to The Herald by J. C. Wilson, 212 West Fifth street, Los Angeles.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Following were the closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Am Tobacco	405	408	Mason Valley	7¾	7⅞
B S Gas	0⅝	0¾	Miami	19½	19¾
Chicago Sub.	5¼	6	Mines of Am	5⅝	6
Havana Tob.	3	5	Nevada Utah	0⅝	0¾
Stand'rd Oil	600	615	Nipissing	11	11¼
Cns Stmp R	17	21	Ohio	1⅞	2
Butte Coal'n	19	20	Rwhide Coal.	13½	14½
Davis Daly	1¾	1⅞	Ray Central	2⅜	2½
Dolores	5	6	Ray Consol.	18½	18¾
Ely Central	0⅞	1	South Utah	1⅝	2
Ely Con	32	35	United Cop	4¾	5½
Giddfield Con.	8¼	8¾	Yukon	3⅛	4
Greene Can.	7½	7¾	Chino	14⅝	14½
Giroux	6⅞	7	Con Ariz	2¼	2¼
Inspiration	8¾	8⅞	Keystone	3¼	3⅜
Kerr Lake	6½	6⅝	El Rayo	3⅝	3⅞
La Rose	4	4⅛			

SAN FRANCISCO OIL STOCKS

Service to The Los Angeles Herald by L. A. Crisler & Co., members Los Angeles stock exchange, 200-201 H. W. Hellman building, Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Following were today's quotations on the San Francisco stock exchange:

	—Opening—		—Closing—	
	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	41.50	42.25	42.50	43.00
Brookshire	1.50	...	1.45	1.55
Mascot Oil	2.00	3.00	2.00	3.00
Monte Cristo	3.25	3.35	3.20	3.40
New Pennsyl	.80	....	....	.95
Palmer Oil	1.45	1.50	1.45	1.47½
Premier	.85	....	.90	....
Silver Tip	1.80	2.00	1.80	2.00

Sales—12 Associated 41.00; 500 Premier .90; 200 do 96; 200 Yellow Stone .27.

Informal sales—280 Associated 40.00.

PRICES OF METALS IN NEW YORK MARKET

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Copper quiet; standard spot and Sept. $12.30@12.50. Lead steady, $4.40@4.50. Bar silver, 53c.

ELECTRIC LINE WILL BE EXTENDED TO LUCKY BOY

Company Building Plant on Mono Lake Expects to Tap Progressive Camp

GOLDFIELD, Aug. 19.—In speaking of the Lucky Boy mine recently, J. H. Miller, president of the Goldfield Alamo M. & L. company, who is operating the property, says that the mines at Lucky Boy are looking especially good, and that the new gold camp of Ramona is coming along in encouraging fashion, says the Western Nevada Miner.

More ore than ever before is in sight in the Alamo company workings. The 650-level is into the outer edge of the big ore shoot that has been followed downward some distance by a winze from the 550-level, west of the shaft and it shows a foot of the highest grade ore ever found in the mine.

A nice streak of ore is being followed west on the 550-level, and now close to the Silver Moon lease ground, so that it seems most probable that the Silver Moon will catch bonanza ore at this depth. East of the shaft the Alamo workings are also showing good ore, but the strongest ore bodies in the company workings are west of the shaft in the lower levels, as the shoots seem to take to the west. Sinking is still in progress.

Another rich strike has been made during the last couple of days in the Broken Hills lease, in addition to the rich ore discovered last week on the 300-level by cross-cutting from the foot to the hanging wall. The latest discovery is on the 125-level, where a foot of rich ore that was heretofore unknown has been opened by crosscutting in the same manner as on the 300-level.

Mr. Miller anticipates the power line of the Pacific Hydro Electric Power company, which is now installing a big plant near Mono lake, will be extended into Lucky Boy in September cutting across the country from Aurora, and possibly hitting Ramona or close thereto. A proposition has been made to the Alamo company to take $25,000 worth of the bonds of the power company, and if a satisfactory understanding can be arrived at Mr. Miller is favorable to accept the opportunity for getting electric power into Lucky Boy.

Rapid work is being pushed on the power plant at Jordan, near Mono lake, and on the lines into Bedie and Aurora. Nearly all of the material has been delivered and work is being pushed energetically to get the juice flowing at the earliest possible moment.

GOLD STRIKE IS MADE IN BLACK BUCK MINE

Sample Taken to Prescott Shows Rich Values—Ore Attracts Wide Attention

PRESCOTT, Aug. 19.—J. M. Cook, president of the Columbus Copper company, located in the Black Hills, near the Arizona Copper company's camp, brought to the city a 300-pound sample of ore taken from recent development on the Black Buck claim, that is attracting considerable interest among mining men who have inspected it. The strike, which carries silver, copper, gold and lead, was made in a shaft 60 feet deep, while the company was performing its annual assessment work, and through the results accomplished, it is the purpose of the company to continue a plan at once for the beginning of development on an extensive scale.

Assays taken from the shaft previous to the striking of this new ore condition ranged from $5.80 to $64 a ton, in a vein that measured six feet through. The new ore body is over two feet thick, while the vein carries mineral values at least six feet across.

In speaking of general mining conditions prevailing in that immediate vicinity, Mr. Cook says more active development is noticeable than in many years past, the good showing on the Shylock, with the Little Daisy established as one of the big mines, conveying the belief that the Black Hills field to the south carries identical geological conditions to those prevailing in the neighborhood of the Jerome bonanza. Many investors are also visiting that section, and all are very deeply impressed and predict many big mines with development.

STORY OF GUSHER IN THE ELK HILLS A FAKE

BAKERSFIELD, Aug. 19.—Operators were very much excited this week over a story printed in a local paper of a big gusher said to have been brought in by the Midway Valley Oil company on section 12, 31-24, Elk Hills. Captain Schofield of the Eagle Creek and L. P. St. Clair, president of the Independent Agency, sent representatives to the scene who reported that the story was unfounded.

A gusher in the Elk Hills would prove up a vast area of land which is in high favor with big operators, hence the interest displayed.

MIDWAY OUTPUT GROWS

TAFT, Aug. 19.—Successful development of section 36, 31-22 has greatly increased the Midway output of the Santa Fe railroad's oil department, which has increased 150 per cent, to more than 100,000 barrels for the month of July. The company is diligently at work constructing a giant cement lined reservoir to take care of the big wells on this section, of which it owns the southeast quarter. The activity of Doheny's American Oilfields on the other three quarters of the section, makes it necessary for the railroad to get its big gushers on production as soon as possible. At present most of them are bridged over.

LETS CONTRACT

MARICOPA, Aug. 19.—The Esperanza Consolidated has let a contract for drilling the northwest quarter of section 35, 11-23, formerly the Sunset Security, and well No. 1 has just spudded. On the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter a rotary is down 950 feet and will finish the well. The company is also putting in a rotary on the southeast quarter of 6, 11-23

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Shipping News

SAN PEDRO, Aug. 19.—Arrived—Steamers Santa Rosa from San Francisco via Redondo and Santa Barbara; Watson from Seattle via San Francisco; steam schooner National City from San Diego; steam schooner Helen P. Drew from Greenwood; steam schooner J. B. Stetson from Portland via San Francisco; steam schooner Noyo from Mendocino via San Francisco; steam schooner Willapa from Wilapa Harbor via Santa Barbara.

Sailed—Steam schooner Aurelia from Eureka via Santa Barbara; steam schooner Carlos for Raymond via San Francisco; steam schooner Helen P. Drew for San Diego; steam schooner National City for Fort Bragg via San Francisco.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

The steamer J. B. Stetson, Capt. Sears, arrived today from Columbia river with a full cargo of lumber and piling for the E. K. Wood Lumber company. The piling is for the Outer Harbor and Dock company and was discharged on the Mine fill. The Stetson was chartered at $4 per thousand feet to bring the cargo from Columbia river with the privilege of three different loading places. This is the lowest charter rate reported for more than a year. She will sail for return Monday via San Francisco with passengers.

The steamer Watson, Capt. Griffiths, arrived today from San Francisco and Seattle with passengers and freight for the Alaska-Pacific Steamship company.

The steamer Carlos, Capt. Roberts, sailed today for Raymond via San Francisco with passengers and to reload.

The steamer National City, Capt. Higgins, arrived today from San Diego and after discharging a partial cargo proceeded to Fort Bragg to reload.

The steamer Noyo, Capt. Linder, arrived today from Fort Bragg with 8000 ties for the Southern Pacific.

The steamer Helen P. Drew, Capt. Gunderson, discharged 170,000 feet of lumber for the Southern California Lumber company upon arrival today from Greenwood and proceeded to San Diego with balance of cargo.

The steamer Willapa, Capt. Johnson, arrived today from South Bend with $50,000 feet of lumber for various wholesalers.

The steamer Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexander, arrived tonight from San Francisco via Santa Barbara and Redondo Beach with passengers and freight and will proceed down the coast to San Diego tomorrow.

The steamer Aurelia completed discharge of lumber cargo at the Southern Pacific wharf today and sailed for Eureka to reload.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Steamers carrying passengers are due from northern ports via San Francisco and from southern ports direct as follows:

ARRIVE

Klamath, Portland	Aug. 20
J. B. Stetson, Portland	Aug. 20
Santa Rosa, San Diego	Aug. 21
Beaver, Portland	Aug. 21
George W. Elder, Portland	Aug. 22
Governor, Seattle	Aug. 23
Hanalei, San Francisco	Aug. 23
Governor, San Diego	Aug. 25
Buckman, Seattle	Aug. 25
Bear, Portland	Aug. 26
Santa Rosa, San Francisco	Aug. 26
Roanoke, Portland	Aug. 29
President, Seattle	Aug. 30
Hanalei, San Francisco	Aug. 29
Rose City, Portland	Aug. 31
Admiral Sampson, Seattle	Sept. 1
Santa Rosa, San Francisco	Sept. 2
President, San Diego	Sept. 1

DEPART

Santa Rosa, San Diego	Aug. 20
Coronado, Aberdeen	Aug. 20
Santa Rosa, San Francisco	Aug. 21
Watson, Seattle	Aug. 21
Beaver, Portland	Aug. 22
George W. Elder, Portland	Aug. 22
J. B. Stetson, Portland	Aug. 22
James S. Higgins, Fort Bragg	Aug. 22
Governor, San Diego	Aug. 24
Hanalei, San Francisco	Aug. 24
Governor, Seattle	Aug. 25
Buckman, Seattle	Aug. 27
Bear, Portland	Aug. 27
Santa Rosa, San Diego	Aug. 27
Hanalei, San Francisco	Aug. 30
Roanoke, Portland	Aug. 30
President, San Diego	Sept. 1
Rose City, Portland	Sept. 1
President, Seattle	Sept. 2
Admiral Sampson, Seattle	Sept. 3
Santa Rosa, San Diego	Sept. 3

TIDE TABLE

(Tides are placed in order of occurrence.)

August 20	3:09	9:50	2:42	9:01
	−0.8	4.5	1.9	6.5
August 21	3:40	10:15	3:21	9:41
	−0.7	4.7	1.6	6.4
August 22	4:11	10:38	4:07	10:22
	−0.5	5.0	1.3	6.1
August 23	4:42	11:06	4:50	11:09
	0.0	5.2	1.2	5.6
August 24	5:14	11:41	5:37	11:56
	0.6	5.3	1.1	5.0

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Arrived—Steamers Olson and Mahoney, Santa Monica, San Pedro; President, San Diego.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 19.—Arrived—Steamers Thomas L. Wand and Shna Yak from San Pedro. Sailed—British steamer Kumerich for Yokohama.

UNION DIVIDEND

A monthly dividend amounting to $142,421 will be distributed today among the stockholders of the Union Oil company.

Colonel Roosevelt sends Senator LaFollette away exulted.—Journal headline.

Insurgent leader gets scant encouragement.—World headline.

You pays your penny and you takes your choice.—Puck.

TABLE OF TEMPERATURES

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Atlantic City, N. J.	78	70
Boise, Idaho	94	62
Boston, Mass.	68	66
Buffalo, N. Y.	72	58
Chicago, Ill.	72	68
Denver, Colo.	82	60
Des Moines, Iowa	76	66
Eastport, Maine	64	56
Galveston, Texas	88	80
Hatteras, N. C.	86	74
Helena, Mont.	86	54
Kansas City, Mo.	78	66
Los Angeles	80	61
Louisville, Ky.	94	72
Memphis, Tenn.	94	74
Montreal, Quebec	66	58
New Orleans, La.	90	76
New York	74	68
North Platte, Neb.	76	60
Oklahoma, Okla.	80	72
Phoenix, Ariz.	106	80
Pittsburg, Pa.	86	64
Portland, Ore.	60	58
Rapid City, S. D.	80	56
Roswell, N. M.	80	70
St. Louis, Mo.	80	66
St. Paul, Minn.	80	54
Salt Lake City	92	70
San Francisco	60	52
Sault Ste Marie, Mich.	70	48
Sheridan, Wyo.	86	48
Spokane, Wash.	90	58
Tampa, Fla.	92	74
Toledo, Ohio	72	58
Tonopah, Nev.	84	68
Washington, D. C.	84	72
Williston, N. D.	84	48
Winnipeg, Manitoba	80	56

CITRUS FRUIT REPORT

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SHIPMENTS OF FRUIT

Carloads—	Orgs.	Lem.	Tot.
Thursday, Aug. 18	23	12	37
To date this season	24204	4243	28447
To date last season	29716	5619	35335

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Five cars sold. Market unchanged. Raining in the forenoon, clear in the afternoon. Valencias—Old Mission, fy, C. C. Chapman, $6.90; Old Mission, ch, do, $5.75; Golden Eagle, sd, do, $4.40; Pico, S. T. Exchange, $3.55; Topaz, xc, C. C. U., $3.25; Dixie, ch, do, $2.45; Vista Bonita, sd, G. A. Graham, $3.60; Lake Hemet, A. F. Exchange, $2.60; Mission Indian, do, $1.65; Red Shield, A. C. G. Exchange, $2.35; Green Crown, do, $1.50.

PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19.—Two cars Valencias sold. Valencias—Blue Globe, Riv. Exchange, Riv., $3.65; Red Globe, x, do, $3.05; Golden Pheasant, xc, Ind. Frt. Co., $2; Red Globe, Riv. Exchange, Riv., $2.55; Golden Rule, do, $2.30. St. Michaels (⅞s)—Red Globe, $1.

ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—Weather favorable. Market firm. Two cars Valencias and two cars lemons sold. Valencias—Echo, S. T. Ex., Pasadena, $2.45; Searchlight, S. S. Ex., Orange, $3.30; Arroyo, S. T. Ex., Pasadena, $2.05; S S, S. S. Ex., Orange, $2.75. Lemons—Elazar, A. C. G. Ex., Azusa, $3.80; Green Crown, do, $4.65; Red Seal, do, $3.55; Minerva, Q. C., Corona, $4.15; Justrite, do, $4.40.

BOSTON

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 19.—Three cars sold. Raining. Market firm. Valencias—Pointer, A. C. G., Ex., Azusa, $4.20; Hunter, do, $2.15; Squirrel, A. H. Arlington, $2.20; Prairie Chicken, do, $1.30; Topaz, xc, C. C. U., $2.20; El Toro, sd, do, $1.60. Grapefruit—Squirrel, A. H. Arlington, $2.65; Prairie Chicken, do, $1.85.

PITTSBURG

PITTSBURG, Aug. 19.—Two cars sold. Market steady on oranges and lemons. Cool. Valencias—Monogram, O. K. Ex., Upland, $2.30; Owl, do, $2.20. Lemons—Squirrel, A. H. Ex., Arlington, $5.50; Commercial, do, $4.50; Crestmore, do, $4.55; Palm Tree, do, $5; Ideal, do $5.25.

CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Aug. 19.—One car Valencias and one car lemons sold. Prices low on Valencias account quality, but very strong on lemons. Weather quite cool. Valencias—Tiger, S. B. Ex., Colton, $3.10; Floral, do, $2.50. Lemons—Lotus, O. K. Ex., $5.45; Monogram, do, $5.

BONNIE CLARE RAILROAD IS ABOUT READY TO START

GOLDFIELD, Aug. 19.—Equipment for the construction of the railroad from Bonnie Clare to the company mine at Gold Mountain is now arriving at Bonnie Clare station and the work of construction will be commenced at once and pushed to completion as rapidly as possible. Rails and ties are being shipped in and teams and scrapers for the grading are now on the ground. Manager Trumbo returned a day or two ago from Los Angeles where he went to complete the details in preparation for the beginning of work.

The road will be about seven miles long and will carry in addition to the product of the Bonnie Clare mine, custom ores from points in the Gold Mountain district which will be treated at the company's mill near the main line of the T. & T. railroad. The mill has been enlarged to 100 tons and is now in condition to operate though its capacity will not be taxed until the new railroad is finished.

BUILDING PERMITS

Following are the permits issued since the last publication of the list and classified according to wards:

	Permits.	Values.
Second ward	9	$17,720
Third ward	3	21,375
Fourth ward	1	4,885
Fifth ward	8	19,460
Sixth ward	3	3,250
Seventh ward	1	1,800
Ninth ward	1	200
Toltals	26	$68,790

Hill street, 623-27 South—Ontario Investment company, Union Trust building, owner; Weymouth Crowell, builder; two-story business building, $20,000.

Echo Park avenue, 2017—Mrs. Hattie McKay, at lot, owner; C. A. Dickinson, builder; to finish residence, $200.

Utah street, 128 North—Lillie Fegerson, at lot, owner and builder; one-story, three-room residence, $200.

Fifteenth street, 1824 East—Barber-Bradley Construction company, at lot, owner and builder; addition to building, $1000.

Brighton avenue, 3979—P. O. Benson, 617 South Main street, owner and builder; one and one-half story, seven-room residence, $2500.

Hollywood—544 East Franklin avenue—W. Gehrkens, 536 East Franklin avenue, owner; E. L. Henck, builder; two-story, nine-room residence, $3800.

Hollywood—784 Hawthorne avenue—William Galbreath, 218 West Selma street, owner; V. E. Larson, builder; two-story, nine-room residence, $4500.

Brighton avenue, 3985—G. Swanson, 617 South Main street, owner and builder; one and one-half-story, six-room residence, $2500.

Mesquit street, 677—Union Oil Supply company, 1252-62 Palmetto street, owner; H. E. Coffey, builder; addition to building, $1800.

Alameda street, 2010 South—National Lumber company, at lot, owner and builder; one-story lumber shed, $1000.

Melrose and Scotland streets—Luciano Chaves, owner and builder; one-story, six-room residence, $500.

Third avenue and Pico street—C. W. Link, 1716 Western avenue, owner; F. E. Hartegan, builder; two-story, nine-room residence, $4800.

Hill street, 450 South—Dr. M. E. Spinks, 452½ South Hill street, owner; A. C. Trafton, builder; alterations of building, $1200.

Rampart boulevard, 206 South—F. W. Raunthwaite, at lot, owner; Universal Repair company, builder; addition to residence, $175.

Douglas street, 137—Edith G. Tunnison, 1329 East Warlington street, owner; D. W. McLean, builder; one-story, six-room residence, $1920.

Thirty-second street, 541 East—M. Save, 701 East Twenty-first street, owner; Adams Building company, builder; one-story, six-room residence, $1250.

Concord and Twenty-third streets—Paulen Wireless T. & T. Co., owner; F. O. Engstrum company, builder; wireless tower, $2755.

Euclid avenue and Olive street—M. C. Madison, 814 Euclid avenue; owner; H. F. Beauchamp, builder; one-story, five-room residence, $1400.

Leonard and Twenty-first streets—Paulen Wireless Telegraph and Telephone company, owner; F. O. Engstrum company, builder; one-story office room, $150.

Concord and Twenty-third streets—Paulen Wireless Telegraph and Telephone company, owner; F. O. Engstrum company, builder; wireless tower, $270.

Forty-second street, 1221 West—Ben F. Gubser, 1014 Gramercy place, owner and builder; one and one-half-story, eight-room residence, $2400.

Fifth avenue and Pico street; A. L. Bank, 1708 Pacific avenue, owner; J. F. Finder, builder; two-story, nine-room residence, $4985.

Hollywood—West Franklin street, 509—Charles Waring, at lot, owner; C. S. Albright, builder; one-story garage, $300.

San Pedro—652 West Seventeenth street—Charles Hanson, 650 West Seventeenth street, owner; A. Miles, builder; one and one-half-story, four-room residence, $160.

Emelita and Townsend streets—J. A. Myers, 163 Kern street, owner and builder; one-story, five-room residence, $1500.

Dracena drive and Gregory place—Mrs. Clara D. Marck, 1531 Avery street, owner; C. S. Albright, builder; two-story, eight-room residence, $3600.

SUPERSTITIONS

"You refuse me, then?" said the man on the beach.

"I certainly do," replied the summer girl.

"But I have wealth and position."

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