FULFILLED.

She drank from out her curving palms
A draught she could not see;
Full filled they were and running o'er,
There had been space for not one more—
Full filled with kisses three.

A lover's kisses, newly pressed
On soft palms, tenderly:
With thirsty lips she eager quaffed,
And smiled, until for joy she laughed
Through tears, and could not see.

ANNA C. BRACKETT, in July Scribner.

TYPE WRITTEN.

When a man has battled with poverty all his life, fearing as he fought it, feeling for its skinny throat to throttle, and yet dreading all the while the coming of the time when it would gain the mastery and throttle him—when such a man is told that he is rich it might be imagined he would receive the announcement with hilarity. When Richard Denham realized that he was wealthy he became even more sobered than usual and drew a long breath as if he had been running a race and had won it.

When Mr. Denham left his office and went out into the street everything had an unusual appearance to him. He walked along unheeding the direction. He looked at the fine residences and realized that he might have a fine residence if he wanted it.

As he was walking through the park and away from the busy streets he took off his hat and ran his fingers through his grizzled hair, looking at his hand when he had done so as if the gray, like wet paint, had come off. He thought of a girl he knew once, who perhaps would have married him if had asked her, as he was tempted to. But that had always been the mistake of the Denhams. They had all married young except himself and so sunk deeper into the mire of poverty, pressed down by a rapidly increasing progeny.

The girl had married a baker, he remembered. Yes, that was a long time ago. The clerk was not far wrong when he called him an old man. Suddenly another girl arose before his mental vision—a modern girl—very different, indeed, to the one who married the baker. She was the only woman in the world with whom he was on speaking terms, and he knew her merely because her light and nimble fingers played the business sonata of one note on his office typewriter.

Miss Gale was pretty, of course—all typewriter girls are—and it was generally understood in the office that she belonged to a good family who had come down in the world. Her somewhat independent air deepened this conviction and kept the clerks at a distance. She was a sensible girl, who realized that the typewriter paid better than the piano, and accordingly turned the expertness of her white fingers to the former instrument. Richard Denham sat down upon a park bench. "Why not?" he asked himself. There was no reason against it except that he felt he had not the courage. Nevertheless he formed a desperate resolution.

Next day business went on as usual. Letters were answered, and the time arrived when Miss Gale came in to see if he had any further commands that day. Denham hesitated. He felt vaguely that a business office was not the proper place for a proposal; yet he knew he would be at a disadvantage anywhere else. In the first place, he had no plausible excuse for calling upon the young woman at home, and in the second place, he knew if he once got there he would be stricken dumb. It must either be at his office or nowhere.

"Sit down a moment, Miss Gales," he said at last; "I want to consult you about a matter—about a business matter."

Miss Gale seated herself, and automatically placed on her knee the shorthand writing pad ready to take down his instructions. She looked up at him expectantly. Denham, in an embarrassed manner, ran his fingers through his hair.

"I am thinking," he began, "of taking a partner. The business is very prosperous now. In fact, it has been so for some time."

"Yes?" said Miss Gale, interrogatively.

"Yes. I think I should have a partner. It is about that I wanted to speak to you."

"Don't you think it would be better to consult with Mr. Rogers? He knows more about business than I. But perhaps it is to be Mr. Rogers who is to be the partner?"

"No, it is not Rogers. Rogers is a good man. But—it is not Rogers."

"Then I think in an important matter like this Mr. Rogers, or some one who knows the business as thoroughly as he does, would be able to give you advice that would be of some value."

"I don't want advice exactly. I have made up my mind to have a partner, if the partner is willing."

Denham mopped his brow. It was going to be even more difficult than he had anticipated.

"Is it, then, a question of the capital the partner is to bring in?" asked Miss Gale, anxious to help him.

"No, no. I don't wish any capital. I have enough for both. And the business is very prosperous, Miss Gale—and—and has been."

The young woman raised her eyebrows in surprise.

"You surely don't intend to share the profits with a partner who brings no capital into the business?"

"Yes—yes, I do. You see, as I said, I have no need for more capital."

"Oh, if that is the case I think you should consult Mr. Rogers before you commit yourself."

"But Rogers wouldn't understand."

"I'm afraid I don't understand, either. It seems to me a foolish thing to do—that is, if you want my advice."

"Oh, yes, I want it. But it isn't as foolish as you think. I should have had a partner long ago. That is where I made the mistake. I've made up my mind on that."

"Then I don't see that I can be of any use—if your mind is already made up."

"Oh, yes, you can. I'm a little afraid that my offer may not be accepted."

"It is sure to be if the man has any sense. No fear of such an offer being refused. Offers like that are not to be had every day. It will be accepted."

"Do you really think so Miss Gale? I am glad that is your opinion. Now, what I wanted to consult you about is the form of the offer. I would like to put it—well—delicately, you know, so that it would not be refused or give offense."

"I see. You want me to write a letter to him?"

"Exactly, exactly," cried Denham with some relief. He had no thought of sending a letter before. Now he wondered why he had not thought of it. It was so evidently the best way out of a situation that was extremely disconcerting.

"Have you spoken to him about it?"

"To him! What him?"

"To your future partner about the proposal."

"No, no. Oh, no. That is—I have spoken to nobody but you."

"And you are determined not to speak to Mr. Rogers before you write?"

"Certainly not. It's none of Rogers' business."

"Oh, very well," said Miss Gale shortly, bending over her writing pad.

It was evident that her opinion of Denham's wisdom was steadily lowering. Suddenly she looked up.

"How much shall I say the annual profits are? Or do you want that mentioned?"

"I—I don't think I would mention that. You see, I don't wish this arrangement to be carried out on a monetary basis—not altogether."

"On what basis, then?"

"Well—I can hardly say. On a personal basis perhaps. I rather hope that the person—that my partner—would, you know, like to be associated with me."

"On a friendly basis, do you mean?" asked Miss Gale, mercilessly.

"Certainly. Friendly, of course—and perhaps more than that."

Miss Gale looked up at him with a certain hopelessness of expression.

"Why not write a note inviting your future partner to call upon you here, or anywhere else that would be convenient, and then discuss the matter?"

Denham looked frightened.

"I thought of that, but it wouldn't do. No, it wouldn't do. I would much rather settle everything by correspondence."

"I am afraid I shall not be able to compose a letter that will suit you. There seem to be so many difficulties. It is very unusual."

"That is true, and that is why I knew no one but you could help me, Mise Gale. If it pleases you it will please me."

Miss Gale shook her head, but after a few moments she said, "How will this do?"

"Dear Sir—"

"Wait a moment," cried Mr. Denham. "That seems rather a formal opening, doesn't it? How would it read if you put it 'Dear Friend?'"

"If you wish it so." She crossed out the "sir" and substituted the word suggested. Then she read the letter:

"Dear Friend—I have for some time past been desirous of taking a partner, and would be glad if you would consider the question and consent to join me in this business. The business is, and has been for several years, very prosperous, and as I shall require no capital from you I think you will find my offer a very advantageous one. I will—"

"I—I don't think I would put it quite that way," said Denham, with some hesitation. "It reads as if I were offering everything, and that my partner—well, you see what I mean."

"It's the truth," said Miss Gale, definitely.

"Better put it on the friendly basis, as you suggested a moment ago."

"I didn't suggest anything, Mr. Denham. Perhaps it would be better if you would dictate the letter exactly as you want it. I knew I could not write one that would please you."

"It does please me, but I'm thinking of my future partner. You are doing first rate—better than I could do. But just put it on the friendly basis."

A moment later she read:

"— — — join me in this business. I make you this offer entirely from a friendly, and not from a financial, standpoint, hoping that you like me well enough to be associated with me."

"Anything else, Mr. Denham?"

"No; I think that covers the whole ground. It will look rather short typewritten, won't it? Perhaps you might add something to show that I shall be exceedingly disappointed if my offer is not accepted."

"No fear," said Miss Gale. "I'll add that, though. 'Yours truly, or 'Yours very truly?'"

"You might end it, 'your friend.'"

The rapid click of the typewriter was heard for a few moments in the next room, and then Miss Gale came out with the completed letter in her hand.

"Shall I have the boy copy it?" she asked.

"Oh, bless you, no!" answered Mr. Denham, with evident trepidation.

The young woman said to herself, "He doesn't want Mr. Rogers to know, and no wonder. It is a most unbusinesslike proposal."

Then she said aloud, "Shall you want me again to-day?"

"No, Miss Gale, and thank you very much."

Next morning Miss Gale came into Mr. Denham's office with a smile on her face.

"You made a funny mistake last night, Mr. Denham," she said, as she took off her wraps.

"Did I?" he asked, in alarm.

"Yes. You sent that letter to my address. I got it this morning. I opened it, for I thought it was for me, and that perhaps you did not need me to-day. But I saw at once that you put it in the wrong envelope. Did you want me to-day?"

It was on his tongue to say, "I want you every day," but he merely held out his hand for the letter and looked at it as if he could not account for its having gone astray.

The next day Miss Gale came in late and she looked frightened. It was evident that Denham was losing his mind. She put the letter down before him and said:

"You addressed that to me the second time, Mr. Denham."

There was a look of haggard anxiety about Denham that gave color to her suspicions. He felt that it was now or never.

"Then, why don't you answer it, Miss Gale?" he said, gruffly.

She backed away from him.

"Answer it?" she repeated, faintly.

"Certainly. If I got a letter twice I would answer it."

"What do you mean?" she cried, with her hand on the doorknob.

"Exactly what the letter says. I want you for my partner. I want to marry you, and—financial considerations—"

"Oh!" cried Miss Gale, in a long-drawn, quivering sigh. She was doubtless shocked at the word he had used and fled to her typewriting room, closing the door behind her.

Richard Denham paced up and down the floor for a few moments, then rapped lightly at her door, but there was no response. He put on his hat and then went out into the street. After a long and aimless walk he again found himself at his place of business. When he went in Rogers said to him:

"Miss Gale has left, sir."

"Has she?"

"Yes, and she has given notice. Says she is not coming back, sir."

"Very well."

He went into his own room and found a letter marked "personal" on his desk. He tore it open and read its neatly typewritten characters.

"I have resigned my place as typewriter girl, having been offered a better situation. I am offered a partnership in the house of Richard Denham. I have decided to accept the position, not so much on account of its financial attractions as because I shall be glad, on a friendly basis, to be associated with the gentleman I have named. Why did you put me to all that worry writing that idiotic letter when a few words would have saved ever so much bother? You evidently need a partner. My mother will be pleased to meet you any time you call. You have the address. Your friend,

"MARGARET GALE."

"Rogers!" shouted Denham, joyfully.

"Yes, sir," answered that estimable man, putting his head into the door.

"Advertise for another typewriter girl, Rogers."

"Yes, sir," said Rogers.—London Idler.

Making Sunday More Sacred.

Courier des Etats-Unis.

The Belgian postoffice is about to issue what is called a special Sunday stamp.

It will be a 10-centime (2 cent) stamp, and at one end will have a little flap. This can be torn off or left intact at the user's will, and will carry in French and Dutch these words: "Ne pas livres le dimanche." "Niet bestellen op zontag," which means in English, "The postman is not to deliver on Sunday the letter bearing this stamp."

This novelty is intended to start a popular agitation against Sunday Government work in Belgium, which is to be stopped if possible in the future.

It is said that a large number of people will post letters unnecessarily on Sunday mornings in order to give expression to their sentiments.

It will be interesting to hear how many of these stamps are used.

In 1863 measurements of many thousands of men in the United States army showed that the average height of men born in the United States was 67.8 inches; of Englishmen, 66.7; of Irishmen, 67; Frenchmen, 66.5; Germans, 66.7.

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THEY WERE TRIPLETS.

So Much Alike That Even Their Lovers Could Not Tell Them Apart.

Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.

Mrs. Henrietta Mitchell, widow of Daniel Mitchell, who for years held the position of tipstaff in the Alleghany County Courthouse, is lying at the point of death at the home of relatives at Smith's Ferry, Beaver County. The lady is 86 years of age, and sixty-five years of her life was spent in Pittsburg. The history of her many days were remarkable as well as romantic.

Mrs. Mitchell was the daughter of the Rev. James Geisenheinner, first pastor of the old German Evangelical Lutheran Church, which has since his pastorate been newly erected, and is now located at Sixth avenue and Smithfield street. Her father was one of the first settlers in Pittsburg, and he preached the gospel at times when there were only three or four listeners. In 1807 he removed to Chester, Pa. It was at this place that the career of Mrs. Mitchell commenced. She was born the same year of her father's removal to Chester, but not alone, as two sisters blessed the home of the minister on the same day, and were named Henrietta, Mary and Sophia.

The three children were always together, and from infancy to womanhood they were looked upon by the residents of Chester as a remarkable trio. In appearance they were the same, and one could scarcely be distinguished from the other. Their voices were alike, and even in height and weight they were the same. To add to the similarity of the three sisters they always dressed alike, and this custom grew on them so strongly that even in middle life and old age they always wore garments of the same pattern and material.

When the Rev. Mr. Geisenheinner removed back to Pittsburg, in 1825, the three daughters accompanied him. Their lovemaking in early youth was prolific of much amusement. When one had an objectionable lover she recommended a sister to him. In this manner one relieved the other without the young man being any the wiser, and he ran the gauntlet in this manner until finally objected to by the trio.

A regular role of the father upon visitors to his house was to surprise them with his three treasures. After introducing the girls he would have them retire from the room, and later return again. In every case the visitor would be puzzled, and in no instance was any guest ever known to distinguish them apart.

When mistaken on the street the girls never disclosed their identity. By force of habit, caused from such frequent occurences, they always conversed with their sister's friend without making explanation, and in this manner they were able to keep posted regarding each other's affairs.

Strange as it may seem, the three survived to old age, and their appearance was always the same. In their old age their grandchildren delighted in listening to the tales of their grandmothers' youthful engagements.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PALACE HOTEL.

D N Andrews, Colo — E Elermayer, Chicago
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TG Haywood, Denmison — J H Thatcher, Portland
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W Smith, England — G E Leons, Chicago
J C Smith, England — C Barr, Mexico
F Reich, Nuremberg — P H Griffith, Los Ang
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W Chase, Portland — E H Clark, St Louis
W W Finley, Seattle — W E Simpson, St Louis
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D Enloate, Visalia — F C Schmidt, New Orlns
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Eli Myers, Washington — D Kearney, Fort Bragg
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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Louise Hardie to Elizabeth Coffee, lot on NE corner of Ellis and Laguna streets, E 75 by N 24; $10.

John Coop and James W. Smith to Albert Hansen, lot on S line of Waller street, 96:10½ W of Clayton, W 25 by S 108:9; $10.

Leon H. Adams to William W. Farriss, lot on E line of Tremont avenue, 293:6 S of Frederick, S 25 by E 80; $10.

Mary A. Tobin, Mary E. Von Schroeder and Annie Donahue to Mission Turn Verein, lot on SW corner of Eighteenth and Lapidge streets, W 63:8¾, S 95, E 13, NE 60, N 65; $5.

Julia and May Robinson and Hannah Leonard to John and Mary McCluskey, lot on W line of Dupont street, 113:9 S of Bay, S 24 by W 91:6; $100.

Otto Hammer to J. J. Rauer, lot on E line of Midway street, 89:6 S of Bay, S 38x91:8; $10.

John B. McCloskey to Henry Quigg, lot on SE line of Milton street, 275 NE of Sixth, NE 20 by SE 160; $10.

Ann, Daniel, Louis and Thomas Jones to Hugh Jones, lot on E line of Old San Jose road, 175 S of Brook street, E 98, N 37, W 105:6, S 37, P. V. lot 397; $10.

R. C. De Boom and wife to Annie Connolly, lot on W line of Cuvier street, 100 S of Bosworth, S 50 by W 100, block 9, De Boom Tract; $10.

Andrew W. Turpin to F. L. Turpin, undivided half of lot on NE corner of Douglass and Twenty-fifth streets, 80 on Twenty-fifth by 114; also undivided third of lot on NE corner of Douglass and Twenty-third streets, 218:6 on Twenty-third by 165; $10.

Frank H. Powers to Annie Painter, lot on W line of Castro street, 125 N of State, N 45 by W 100, block 14, Flint Tract Hd.; $10.

M. E. Finn to Mary A. Finn, lot on N line of Java street 225 W of Savannah, W 50 by N 100, block 403; $10.

ALAMEDA COUNTY.

Albert W. and Ella A. Craig to L. H. Sly, lot on S line of Eighth street, 45 W of Jackson, W 30 by S 100, being the W 30 feet of lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, block 81, Oakland; $10.

Georgirie O. Larsen of Oakland to Erasmus Olsen of Oakland, lot on S line of Eighth street, 51 W of Alice, W 74, S 100, E 50, N 26, E 24, N 74 to beginning, Oakland; $10.

Joel J. Fisk to Julia E. Brown, lot on N line of Thirteenth street, 193:4 W of West, W 86:8 by N 100, Oakland; $1.

Mary A. Landregan of Oakland Township to William J. Landregan of Oakland Township, lot on SW corner of San Pablo and Ocean avenues, S 57 by W 100, lot 4, block 12, Landregan Tract, Oakland Township; $10.

J. W. Crawford of Golden Gate to Louisa Bromley (wife of E. R.) of Golden Gate, lot on S line of Felton street, 257.94 W of Baker, W 50 by S 162.45, lot 13, block B, J. W. Crawford Tract, Oakland Township; $10.

M. W. and Jennie D. Connor of San Francisco to P. E. and Z. C. Gillette of Alameda, lot 3, block K, Golden Gate Tract, Oakland Township; $10.

F. A. and Margaretha Brown to John R. Hodge of Oakland, lots 21 and 22, block 2, map 2, Blasdel Tract, East Oakland Heights, Brooklyn Township; $10.

Same to same, lot on SW corner of East Twenty-seventh street and Twenty-fourth avenue, S 100 by W 120, lots 12 and 13, block 4, Blasdel Tract, Map 3, Brooklyn Township; $10.

Sallie R. Clark (wife of M. C.) to George Losekam of San Francisco, lot on N line of Essex street, 362:2 E of Shattuck avenue, E 100 by N 105, lots 14 and 15, block D, map of eastern portion, Newbury Tract, Berkeley; $10.

Caroline E. Dwinelle of Alameda to Mary J. Grainger (wife of Samuel) of Alameda, lot on W line of Weber street, 125 S of Central avenue, S 50 by W 120, being a portion of lot 93, Encinal Park Tract, Alameda; $1180.

Jennie M. Shannon of Alameda to Walter Mayerhofer of San Francisco, lot on S line of Central avenue, 808:4 E High, E 33:4 by S 125:6, portion of lots 28 and 29, Bawley Tract, Alameda, subject to mortgage for $500; $10.

James Ross of Alameda to F. H. Ross of Alameda, lots 5, 6 and 7, block 36, map of town of Alameda and adjacent lands Alameda; gift.

Philip Earl and Eliza L. Farrar to W. H. Higgins of Brooklyn Township, lot 21, block 31, Warner Tract, Brooklyn Township; $10.

Frederick and Sophie Dahl of Alameda to Arnold Durrey of Alameda, 4 acres, beginning in center of Central avenue, 40 in a northerly direction from NE corner of lands of Lacy and SE corner of lands of Laundry Farm, thence NW 435:6 by NE 400, Brooklyn Township; $10.

Fruitvale Land Company to Jacob Woerner of Oakland, lot on SE corner of Twelfth street and Harrison avenue, E 120 by S 50, lot 1, block L, Huntington Tract, Brooklyn Township; $620.

Same to Jason Smith of Oakland, lot on E line of Harrison avenue, 25 N of Twelfth street, N 25 by E 120, portion of lot 13, block C, Huntington Tract, Brooklyn Township; $220.

Same to Grange S. Painter of San Francisco, lot on E line of Blaine avenue, 150 S of Twelfth street, S 25 by E 125, portion of lot 4, block M, Huntington Tract, Brooklyn Township; $280.

Jefferson L. and Lettie B. Owen to Christina Weber (wife of Charles) of Oakland, lot on E line of Seminary avenue, 75 S of Virginia street, S 75 by E 110:6, lots 57, 58 and 59, Bromley Tract, subdivision of lots 1, 2, 3, 26, 27 and 28, J. Leve Sr. Tract, subject to mortgage, Brooklyn Township; $1100.

Mary N. Whidden and J. N. Harris to Lillie Harris of Alameda, lot 8, block G, J. A. Neal's revised plan of town of Pleasanton, Murray Township; $10.

Frank Munday of Oakland Township to Annie Heverin (wife of Patrick) of Oakland, lot on W line of Curtis street, 50 N of Twenty-first, N 50 by W 100, lot 10, block I, Curtis & Williams Tract, Oakland; $10.

Lucian H. and Lizzie Sly of Oakland to Louisa H. Dowdle of Oakland, lot on W line of Chestnut street, 191 N of West Twelfth, as same existed in 1868, N 30 by W 132, block 573, Oakland; $10.

Wilhelmine M. Snyder to Albert S. Woodbridge of Oakland, lots 20 and 31, Broadway Villa Tract, Oakland Township; $250.

John G. and Bernardina Klumpke to John H. and Marzaretha Goetsche, lot 4, block C, Brumagim Tract, W of Shattuck avenue, Oakland Township; $500.

Edmund Atwell of Emeryville to Margaret Smith of Emeryville, lot commencing 2548 W of San Pablo avenue and 125 S from S of Park avenue, S 50 by E 133, being a subdivision of plat 6, Rancho V. and D. Peralta, Oakland Township; $10.

James Gamble of San Francisco to Harry Pym of Oakland, lot 7, block E, Crystal Spring Tract, Berkeley; $500.

Andy L. Stone of Elmhurst to William and E. S. Fulton of San Leandro, 5017 acres, beginning at most N corner of Stone Subdivision, thence SE 11.77 chains to center line of Walnut avenue, SW 3.18 chains, NW 11.51 chains to NW line of Stone Subdivision, thence NE 5.53 chains to beginning, being lot 12, Stone Subdivision, Brooklyn Township; $10.

Emily E. Barstow of San Francisco to George W. Hummel of San Francisco, lot on S line of Nicol avenue, 739.71 SE from E line of Fruitvale avenue, SE 50.01 by SW 150, lot 18 block D, De Wolf Tract, Brooklyn Township; $10.

Robert and Julia Beeching of Alameda to Marie A. Pierce (wife of J. P.) of Alameda, lot on N line of Santa Clara avenue, 400 W of Oak street, W 50 by N 207:6, lot 1, block 37, lands adjacent to Encinal, Alameda; $3500.

Amzi B. and Bessie E. Cary to Daniel Pratt of San Lorenzo, lots 13 and 14, block 48, Estudillo Tract, Eden Township; grant.

MARKET REPORTS.

MONDAY EVENING, July 3.

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

No Grain market.
Silver still firmer.
Exchange unchanged.
Treasure shipment to China.
Advance in Quicksilver.
Potatoes firm.
Yellow Onions scarce.
Butter and Cheese plentiful
Fine Eggs steady.
Eastern Poultry received.
Honey dull and weak.
Peaches scarce and higher.
Oranges dull.
Dried Fruit and Raisins weak.
Vegetables in liberal supply.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Affairs at the Stock Exchange to-day were extremely dull, transactions reaching the paltry total of 77,416 shares. Bears hammered the list at the opening and Manhattan fell off 2¾ to 122 points; Northern Pacific preferred, 2⅛ to 32⅛ points, and Union Pacific and Chicago Gas 1½ per cent. As the day advanced the market assumed a firmer tone and prices improved ½ to 1½ per cent. There was an improvement in the afternoon, largely due to a let-up in the stringency in money. The market closed firm. Governments strong. Petroleum nominally higher.

EXCHANGE, MONEY AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Money on call was easy, ranging from 3 to 25 per cent, and closed offered 3 per cent. Prime paper 6@8 per cent. Sterling exchang firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 81½@4 82 for sixty days, and $4 84½ @4 84 for demand. United States 4's, regular, $109½; do. coupon, $110; 2's, regular, 96; Pacific 6's, $103; Silver, 72c.

RAILROAD SHARES.

Atchison	21⅞	Northwestern	104
American Express	108	Do Preferred	35
Canada Pacific	21	Oregon Improvmt.	10
Canada Southern	50½	Oregon Navigaton.	55
Central Pacific	21¾	Oregon Short Line.	13
Chicago, B. & Q.	85⅞	Pacific Mail	18⅜
Del, Lack & Westn.	145¾	Pullman Palace	164
Denvr & R.G.	36⅞	Reading	14⅛
Great Northern	108	RioGrande & Wstn.	15
Illinois Central	90	Preferred	53
Kansas & Texas	19	Firsts	70
Lake Shore	20¼	Rock Island	70⅜
Louisville & Nash.	64	St. Paul	67⅞
Michigan Central	91	St. Paul & Omaha.	37
Missouri Pacific	32⅜	Texas Pacific	6¼
Mexican Central	6½	Terminal	2⅜
North American	8⅝	Union Pacific	24⅞
Northern Pacific	12½	U. S. Express	50
Do Preferred	32½	Wells-Fargo	130
N. Y. Central	100¾	Western Union	82

INDUSTRIALS.

American Sugar	83	Distillers	23⅛
Amer. Tobacco	—	General Electric	71¼
Amer. Cotton Oil.	34½	National Lead	29¾
Bell Telephone	87	National Linseed	21
Chicago Gas	68⅞	National Cordage	10¾

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, July 3.—The wheat market was quiet and remained unchanged.

CATTLE.

Cattle—Receipts, 13,500; market active and steady to a trifle higher; top steers, $5 10@5 45; others, $4 60@4 90; cornfed and greasers, $3 75@4 50; Texans, $2 70@3 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; market active at 10@15c higher; mixed, $5 90@5 85; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $5 80@6; light, $6@6 10.

Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; market active; good and useful slightly higher; others steady; stockers, $2 25@3 10; natives, $4@5 50; Texans, $4@4 30; Westerns, $4 30@4 90.

Portland's Business.

PORTLAND, Or., July 3.—Clearances, $301,000; balances, $370,000.

Foreign Markets.

WHEAT IN LIVERPOOL.

LIVERPOOL, July 3.—The spot market is firm at 5s 11½d. Cargoes are steady at 29s for off coast, 30s 3d for prompt shipment and 28s 9d for nearly due.

FUTURES.

The Produce Exchange cable gives the following Liverpool quotations for No. 2 Red Winter: July, 5s 7¾d; August, 5s 9d; September, 5s 9¾d; October, 5s 11d; November, 5s 11½d; December, 6s 1½d.

SECURITIES.

LONDON, July 3.—Consols, 98 15-16@99; Silver, 33½d; French rentes, 97f 97c.

Exchange and Bullion.

Sterling Exchange, 60 days	—	4 83
Sterling Exchange, sight	—	4 85
New York Exchange, sight	—	Par
New York Exchange, telegraphic	—	Par
Fine Silver, spot, ₩ ounce	—	72
Mexican Dollars		60

Treasure shipment.

The China took out a treasure list of $190,650, consisting of $159,485 in Mexican Dollars, $1,115 in Gold Coin, $50 in Gold Dust and $30,000 in Silver Bullion.

Produce Market.

POTATOES—The market is firm at a slight advance. Garnet Chiles are quotable at 75@85c; Peerless, 65@80c; Early Rose, in boxes 60c @$1 ₩ ctl; in sacks, 60@80c; Burbanks, 75c@$1 10 ₩ ctl in boxes and 60@85c in sacks.

ONIONS—Pickle Onions, $1 ₩ sack; Spanish Reds, $1. California Reds are weak at 35@45c ₩ ctl; Silverskins firm at $1@1 15.

BUTTER—Quiet and in good supply. Creamery, 20@21c; Dairy, squares, 20c; fancy Dairy rolls, 19 @19½c; good to choice, 17@18½c; common to fair, 15@16c; store Butter, 14@14½c ₩ lb. Eastern ladies-packed, 16@17c ₩ lb.

CHEESE—Easy under large stocks. Good to choice mild new is quotable at 8@9c ₩ lb; ordinary, 7@7½c; Young Americas, 8@9½c; Eastern, 14@15c ₩ lb.

POULTRY—A car of Eastern arrived yesterday. Turkeys have been scarce of late, but all other descriptions are in free supply and easy. Live Turkeys are quotable at 20c for Gobblers and 19c for Hens; Geese ₩ pair, $1@1 50; Ducks, $3@5 50; Roosters, young, $5 50@6 50; Roosters, young, $7 50@9 50; do old, $5 50@6 50; Fryers, $5@5 50; Broilers, $4@4 50 ₩ doz for large and $2@3 50 ₩ dozen for small; Pigeons, $2@2 50 ₩ dozen for old and $1 75@2 for young.

GAME—Nominal.

EGGS—Steady. There is no scarcity, however. Eastern are now quotable at 17@18½c ₩ dozen; California, 16@20c for store and 21@24c for ranch, with sales at 25c; Duck Eggs, 20@22c ₩ dozen.

HONEY—Weak at the decline. The East is not buying and trade is therefore very dull. New Comb, 12c ₩ lb; new water-white extracted, 5½c, and amber extracted, 4¾@5¼c ₩ lb.

BEESWAX—Quoted at 20@22c ₩ lb.

ORCHARD FRUITS—Peaches are scarce and much higher. Apricots are in diminished receipt and firm. Figs are weak and slow. Plums are coming in more freely. Apples are in fair demand. Black Cherries are firmer, but Royal Annes are not in favor. Plums, 50c@$1 ₩ bx; Peaches, 50c@$1 ₩ bx and 65@$1 15 ₩ bskt; Cherry Plums, 40@50c ₩ drawer; Apricots, 40 @60c ₩ box and 35@10c ₩ basket for Royals and 1@1½c ₩ lb in bulk; Red Apples, 75c@$1 25 ₩ bx, 40@50c ₩ basket; Green Apples, 25@50c ₩ small box and 25@35c ₩ basket; Green Pears, 25@40c ₩ bx and 25c ₩ basket; Cherries, in boxes, 20@35c ₩ box for common White, 35@50c for Black and 35 @50c for Royal Anne; Cherries in bulk, 1@1½c ₩ lb for White, 2½@4c for Black, and 2½@3½c for Royal Anne; Black Figs, 35@50c ₩ box for single-layer and 50c@$1 for double; White Figs, 25@ 50c ₩ drawer and 35@50c ₩ box.

BERRIES, ETC.—Berries are cheaper and more plentiful than for weeks. The reason is the canners are not operating very freely this year and the trade cannot consume all the arrivals. Blackberries are now quotable at $3@5 ₩ chest; Currants, $3@5 ₩ chest; Raspberries, $3@5 ₩ chest; Gooseberries, 2½@4c for Oregon Improved; Strawberries, $5@8 ₩ chest for Longworths and $4 50@6 ₩ chest for Sharpless.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges are still dull at 50c@$1 25 for Seedlings and $1 50@2 50 for Navels. Sicily Lemons, —; California Lemons, $1 50@2 ₩ box for common and $3@4 ₩ box for good to choice; Mexican Limes, $3 50 @4. Bananas, $1 50@2 50 ₩ bunch; Pineapples, $4@6 ₩ dozen.

VEGETABLES—The market is liberally supplied with Squash, Cucumbers and Tomatoes. Beans are dull. Corn brings good prices. Green Okra, 20c ₩ lb; Green Corn, 10@15c ₩ dozen for field and 20c for sweet; Bay Corn, 25@30c; Tomatoes, 75c@$1 25 ₩ box for Vacaville and $1 for River in small boxes. Green Peppers, 8@10c for Chiles and 15@20c ₩ lb for Bell; Cucumbers, 25@50c ₩ box for ordinary and $1@1 25 for Bay; Green Peas, 2½c ₩ lb; String Beans, 2@3c ₩ lb for Green, 2@3c for Golden Wax; Fountain Beans, 3@4c ₩ lb; Winters Summer Squash, 25@40c ₩ box; Alameda Summer Squash, 75c@$1; Asparagus, 75c@$1 50 ₩ box; Rhubarb, 50@75c ₩ box; Dry Peppers, 5c ₩ lb; Dried Okra, 15c ₩ lb; Cabbage, 60c ₩ ctl; Feed Carrots, 45@50c; Turnips, 75c; Beets, 75c; Parsnips, $1 25; Garlic 1½c ₩ lb.

General Merchandise.

QUICKSILVER—Higher at $43@43 50 ₩ flask.

Rodeo Cattle Market.

RODEO, Cal., July 3.—Report Union Stockyard Company—The market closed steady. Prime steers, $2 40@2 50; cows, $2@2 25; canners, $1 25 @1 50.

Sheep—Good fat wethers, $3@3 25; ewes, $2 75 @3; lambs, $3 75@4.

Hogs—Hard heavy grain-fed, $5 80@6 00; light, $5 75@6.

Calves—Good light weights, $3@3 50.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

MONDAY, July 3.

Flour, qr. sks	5,194	Barley, ctls	3,850
do Oregon	3,672	Corn, ctls	826
do Washington	1,412	Rye, ctls	266
Wheat, ctls	4,956	Potatoes, sks	3,202
do, Oregon, do	4,478	Onions, sks	162
do Washington	4,144	Bran, sks	1,500
Oats, ctls	622	Quicksilver, flsks.	35
do, Oregon, do	1,904	Hides, No.	139
do, Wash. do	1,784	Wine, gals	22,900

OCEAN STEAMERS.

Dates of Departure from San Francisco.

STEAMERS.	DESTINATION	SAILS.	WHRF.
Pomona	Humbldt Bay.	July 5, 9AM.	Bdwy 1
City Puebla.	Vic & Pgt Snd.	July 5, 9AM.	Bdwy 1
Corona	San Diego	July 5, 11AM	Bdwy 2
Australia	Honolulu	July 6, 2PM	Oceanic
Columbia	Portland	July 7, 10AM	Spear
Eureka	Newport	July 7, 8AM	Bdwy 2
Humboldt	Humbldt Bay.	July 8, 9AM	Washt'n
Walla Walla	Vic & Pgt Snd.	July 9, 9AM	Bdwy 1
Santa Rosa	San Diego	July 9, 11AM	Bdwy 2
Willamette	Yaquina Bay	July 10, 10AM	Seaw'l 4
State of Cal.	Portland	July 11, 10AM	Spear
Los Angeles	Newport	July 11, 8AM	Bdwy 2
Saturn	Panama	July 12,	Lombrd

Departure of Australian steamer depends on the arrival of the British mails.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE.

June	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER		SUN.		MOON.
	Large.	Small.	Small.	Large.	Rises	Sets	Rises
4	4.35P	2.08A	9.52P	9.17A	4.52	7.35	11.12P
5	5.11P	3.22A	11.01P	10.05A	4.53	7.35	11.36P

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived.

MONDAY, July 3.

Stmr Del Norte, Stockfleth, 30 hours from Crescent