

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS
Chicago Market Report and New York
Cotton Market.
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Amalg. Copper	79 7/8	79 7/8
Anacosta	48 1/2	48 1/2
Am. Sugar Refs.	132 1/2	132 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Rfr.	91 1/2	91 1/2
Am. Car. Foundry	40 1/2	40 1/2
Am. Woolen	25 1/2	25 1/2
Atchafalpa	37 1/2	37 1/2
Am. Locomotive	57 1/2	57 1/2
Brook. Rfd. Trst.	52 1/2	52 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	91 1/2	91 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	48 1/2	48 1/2
Canadian Pacific	127 1/2	127 1/2
Chl. and G. West.	74 1/2	74 1/2
Colo. P. and Iron	39 1/2	39 1/2
Consolidated Gas	139 1/2	139 1/2
Gen. Electric Co.	146 1/2	146 1/2
Erle	24 1/2	24 1/2
Erle, First Pfd.	30 1/2	30 1/2
Erle, Second Pfd.	30 1/2	30 1/2
Illinois Central	141 1/2	141 1/2
Kansas and Texas	33 1/2	33 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	137 1/2	137 1/2
Louis and Nashville	109 1/2	109 1/2
Soo	119 1/2	119 1/2
Missouri Pacific	57 1/2	57 1/2
Nor. and Western	78 1/2	78 1/2
N. Y. Central	108 1/2	108 1/2
North West.	161 1/2	161 1/2
Ont. and Western	42 1/2	42 1/2
Pacific Mail	24 1/2	24 1/2
Tex. C. and Gas Co.	94 1/2	94 1/2
Reading	123 1/2	123 1/2
Republic Steel	63 1/2	63 1/2
Sloss-Sherfield	63 1/2	63 1/2
Pennsylvania	123 1/2	123 1/2
Rock Island	141 1/2	141 1/2
St. Paul	111 1/2	111 1/2
Rock Island	18 1/2	18 1/2
Southern Ry.	51 1/2	51 1/2
Southern Pacific	94 1/2	94 1/2
Northern Pacific	142 1/2	142 1/2
Union Pacific	158 1/2	158 1/2
U. S. Rubber	34 1/2	34 1/2
U. S. Steel	46 1/2	46 1/2
Wabash	13 1/2	13 1/2
Western Union	56 1/2	56 1/2

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Sept. corn	75 1/2	75 1/2
"wheat	93 1/2	93 1/2
"oats	49 1/2	49 1/2
Dec. corn	64 1/2	64 1/2
"wheat	93 1/2	93 1/2
"oats	49 1/2	49 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

Dom. Coal	60	59 1/2
Dom. Iron and Steel	15 1/2	15 1/2
Dom. L. and S.	44 1/2	44 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	48 1/2	48 1/2
C. P. R.	127 1/2	127 1/2
Twins	127 1/2	127 1/2
Twins City	127 1/2	127 1/2
Montreal Power	95 1/2	95 1/2
Rich. and Ont. Navg.	74 1/2	74 1/2
Det. United	70 1/2	70 1/2
MacKay Co.	70 1/2	70 1/2
Tele. Ry. and Light	9 1/2	9 1/2
U. Trac. pfd.	87 1/2	87 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

October	9.83	9.83
December	9.34	9.33
January	9.32	9.27
March	9.34	9.30

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Private Wire Telegram.
Morning Sales, Aug. 5.
Mont. Power - 25 1/2; 130 1/2;
Mexican Elec - 100 1/2; 50 1/2;
Mexican Pfd - 50 1/2;
Illinois Pfd - 25 1/2;
Twins - 127 1/2;
C. P. R. - 127 1/2; 100 1/2; 120 1/2;
50 1/2; 35 1/2;
MacKay - 127 1/2; 100 1/2;
Lombard Coal - 49 1/2; 50 1/2;
75 1/2;
Lake Woods Pfd - 60 1/2;
Mont. Street - 40 1/2;
Dom. Iron Pfd - 20 1/2; 20 1/2;
Toronto Elec - 150 1/2; 25 1/2;
N. S. Steel Coal - 50 1/2; 20 1/2;
Detroit Elec - 75 1/2; 75 1/2;
Lake Woods - 100 1/2; 25 1/2;
Dom. Iron - 90 1/2; 100 1/2;
Soo - 100 1/2; 175 1/2; 100 1/2;
Morning Cotton Letter - While an ap-
parent effort to take the profits on a small
proportion of the contracts in the last
hour yesterday, eased prices of cotton
in the south, the developments of the day,
as a whole, reflected the continued con-
trol of the bull clique and increasing
nervousness on the part of the short
interest. It seems an encouraging in-
dication from a bullish standpoint that
the southwestern markets, Galveston
and Houston, instead of continuing the
downward tendency recently noted,
were both 11-15c. higher yesterday. It
is in the southwest that the new crop
is first available in volume and the fact
that the decline there has been appar-
ently checked may show that the early
movement will have much less of a
depressing influence on the market
than has been counted upon by those
who have sold October contracts so
greely at a price nearly a cent under
a parity with the southern spot mar-
kets and at a season of thayer when
the new crop is by no means assured.
Light stocks of raw supplies in the
hands of spinners the world over, to-
gether with the independence of grow-
ers in the matter of marketing their
supplies - an independence which has
been so prominent a feature during the
past three seasons - factors which
should be taken into account in at-
tempting to calculate the probable ef-
fect on spot prices of the early mar-
ket season.

DETAILED STOCK GOSSIP-Northern Pa-

cific is reported on the verge of a
sharp rise. Southern Pacific displays
strong upward tendency. Information
on Union Pacific and Reading is still
favorable to improvement. A drive at
St. Paul shorts is rumored imminent.
Predictions from Guggenheim quar-
ters favor higher prices for Smelter
on which we have been bullish since
the removal of 89 stock. Boston
advice continue to favor Amalg. Rock
Island Pfd may move up any time
now, according to reports lately re-
ceived. Information is still favorable to

ZEPPELIN CAME DOWN THIS MORNING TO MAKE REPAIRS

STUTTGART, Aug. 5.—Count Zepp-
lin's airship descended on a plateau
near the village of Echterdingen, five
miles south of this city shortly before
8 o'clock this morning, owing to a de-
fect in one of the motors. After an ex-
amination of the machinery Count Zepp-
lin decided to send to Friedrichshafen
for mechanics to make the necessary
repairs and for that reason the craft
will probably be delayed here until 6
this evening. Two companies of gren-
adiers have been sent to picket a space
around the airship to keep off the
crowding villagers and country people,
anxious to obtain a close view of the
novel craft. The airship passed over
this city at 2.30 a. m. The enthusiasm
of the country people who watched the
flight was indescribable.

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Aug. 5.—The
many thousands people who had waited
since daybreak for the return of Count
Zeppelin's airship from its record
breaking voyage, were greatly disap-
pointed when it became known shortly
after ten o'clock that the airship had
been compelled to come down at Ech-
terdingen. The Prince of Wurtemberg,
who was one of those who had come
out to the floating shed to which the
balloon was expected to return, as-
signed personally to the people in the
balloon and boats swarming around
the shed that the balloon could not be
expected back before tonight or tomor-
row morning. It is reported that the
balloon lacks gas. From a reliable
source, the information was obtained,
however, that a defective motor was
really responsible for the landing.

According to Herr Duerer, the en-
gineer of the motor that showed a de-
fect, the airship cannot be made ready
to resume its flight today. The reason
why the ship came down are two, the
overheating of the piston box of the
forward motor, and the escape of con-
siderable gas, owing to the fact that
the count took the airship to a height
of about 6,000 feet.

BOY WITH THE MUMPS

IS KEPT IN THE JAIL

Young Akierley Pleads Guilty to Theft of a
Street Car Fare Box.

This morning young Harry Akierley
was taken into the police court for the
purpose of being committed to the
jail. The boy's face and neck are
quite badly swollen and it is said that
he was guilty of the crime of steal-
ing a fare box from a street car.

New York financial bureau—Bullish
operations seem likely to continue to-
day in the stock market. Removal of
offerings at so called "upper trading
limits" in one stock after another in the
last day or two, shows the general
condition of the market is upward.
Purchases on recessions of which there
should be many, will give daily oper-
ators content with turns, the best re-
sults.

News reports this morning present
practically nothing of additional inter-
est as materially affecting the stock
shows money rates still extremely low
with increasing investment. The re-
ports continue to include damage re-
ports which private advices say are
exaggerated.

Political developments are not im-
portant and the situation in this re-
spect is remarkably quiet. There is
clear sky temporarily and it should be
plain sailing for the bull element until
the technical position shows an over-
bought condition in the general list.
The continued rise in the stock mar-
ket has eliminated the shortage to a
large extent and now absorption is de-
pendent upon to supply the deficiency.

Thus far, the result of the manipula-
tion has been good, as far as we can
learn. Skepticism has prevented heavy
marking up and induced some opposi-
tion on advance side. The part of the
market that is the most active, the
literature has been a contributory
factor in this respect. As we see it, the
market is at present discounting a good
government report to be published
on Saturday. It may be said, how-
ever, that the strongest support of the
market and one that will render futile
professional attacks that have been
and are likely to be made, is the phe-
nomenon money condition. We suggest
the maintenance of the conservative
bull position as a rule.

SAY THAT KAISER'S SON WAS FAVORED

He Was Able to Take a University Degree
in Two Years

BERLIN, Aug. 5.—The independent
press criticizes the abbreviation of the
university course in the case of "Dol-
phus August Wilhelm," the fourth son
of the Kaiser, who this week got the
degree of doctor of political science at
Strasbourg University after a course of
two instead of the usual three years.
The Minister of Education in the
German Reichstag has declared that the
degree of weakness of character. It is
pointed out that it is impossible for
even an unusually talented student to
obtain a degree in so short a term.
Also "undue favoritism" is openly
charged against the university exam-
iners.

Berliners generally do not seem to
agree with Prof. Brandt, who recently
declared there was nothing to choose
between an Englishman's and an Am-
erican's English. Berlin's most famous
tourist recently exhibited in its windows
what it hoped would be a great attrac-
tion to Anglo-Saxon and other tourists
in the shape of a large picture frame
containing photographs of its salesmen
who are familiar with foreign lan-
guages. Under each was depicted the flag
of the country whose language the
salesman spoke.

Here lay the ground for an American
protest. Under one group of salesmen
was the Union Jack. Under quite a
separate group appeared the Stars and
Stripes. The salesmen of the second group
were completely American. The protest
of the American and English, while
those of the first group presumably
were helpless to interpret the needs of
the Americans. The protests of women
customers against the indignity to
American speech were so vigorous that
the offending sign was removed.

HIRED TO BARK LIKE A DOG

Because dog owners evaded the dog
tax by denying they owned the animals
revenue authorities have engaged men
who can imitate a dog bark. These
men promenade the streets at night
and bark outside of suspected houses.
If a dog is within it invariably re-
plies, thus betraying its owner. The
next day a collector gathers the tax.
The human barkers get \$30 a month.
Paris Cor. Philadelphia North Ameri-
can.

'I HAD TO SHOOT,' SAYS FARMHAND WHO SHOT MAN WAVING A KNIFE

Victim Once Before Had Beaten His
Slayer and Frequently Insulted Him

WEST CHESTER, Pa., Aug. 5.—
"When he came running at me with a
knife in his hand I pulled my revolver
and shot him. I fired three times. If I
could have seen any other way out, I
would not have killed him, but I believe
he intended to take my life."
Stated in his cell in the Chester county
jail here, Henry D. Howe, who yester-
day shot and killed Edward Runner in
the field on "William Evans' farm"
near Steelville, talked calmly tonight of
the reasons which had impelled him to
kill his fellow workman.

"We had quarreled before," he said,
and only Friday morning he repeated-
ly insulted me. Thursday night he was
paid off and yesterday he was drink-
ing heavily. Finally an automobile be-
came such a nuisance that I thought he
was going to strike me. I went to the house
and got a revolver. When I returned he
went to work, but a few minutes later he
came running across the field cursing
me, and brandishing the knife. Then I let him have it."

Howe shot from his seat on the hay-
rack. When Runner had approached to
within twenty feet of him he fired the
first time. The bullet lodged in the ab-
domen. As Runner still came on he
shot again and this time the bullet
cut the jugular vein. The third shot
penetrated the heart.

About two months ago he and Howe
fought over some trivial matter con-
nected with the work on the farm and
attended by a physician. The boy's fa-
ther and mother were in court and the
father said the boy had been working
lately having left school when in the
sixth grade. The magistrate said that
the boy should be given all the educa-
tion possible, and perhaps he was al-
lowed to leave school too early. The
boy was remanded to jail for seven
days. The magistrate gave orders that
the boy should be kept in the jail until
he had paid to the father the sum of
\$100 or also told the boy's father to call
on the boy and if he wished another
physician to get on.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. Wm. Warwick was sworn in this
morning as a member of No. 1 Sal-
vage Corps.

At the police court this morning
James Dolan was fined \$20 for being
drunk and disorderly in the Salvation
Army shelter on Water street.

Ladies willing to aid in conducting
the Every Day Club's garden party are
asked to attend a meeting in the hall,
Waterloo street, this evening at 8
o'clock.

Sam Carson, of Broad street, was ar-
rested this afternoon on the charge of
beating his wife. The woman is said
to be in a serious condition.

Joseph Harrington has been reported
by the police for breaking windows in
Mrs. Annie Rouke's house on Carnar-
von street.

New songs and pictures at The Cedar
tonight. Prof. J. W. J. Cardin will
appear in a different act every night.
Mr. Sayce will sing the new song,
"When it's Moonlight on the Prairie."
At The Cedar tonight the great pic-
ture "Lady Audley's Secret." Admis-
sion 5c.

Chief Kerr informed The Star this
morning that the statement in a morn-
ing paper that the fire department
would take an engine with them to the
Chatham firemen's tournament in Inco-
rrect.

The members of St. George's church,
West End, are having their annual pic-
nic at Westfield today. A large crowd
went out on the early train this morn-
ing and another large party this after-
noon.

Frank Morrison, Donald Morrison,
Marion McCluskey and Roy McClus-
key were before the police magistrate
this morning charged with disorderly
conduct about Mrs. Mary Dill's house
on St. David street. The boys were
given a reprimand and on promising
to be better in the future they were
allowed to go.

The members of the Water and Sew-
erage Board are taking a trip to Mis-
sissippi this afternoon to look over the
mill there. The committee wish to
have an accurate knowledge of condi-
tions at the mill and of the condition
of the plant before settling the amount
of rental to be paid under the new
lease.

In the fire department Chief Kerr to-
day made some changes. Chas. Con-
way, now driver of the ladder truck,
has been transferred to No. 2 hose.
Harry Johnston, driver of No. 2 hose,
will take the Chief's wagon. James
McGee, driver of the Chief's wagon,
takes the ladder truck.

AIR TORPEDO TO ADD MORE HORRORS TO WAR

Formidable Weapon Invented by Swiss
Officer is Purchased by the
Krupps

BERLIN, Aug. 5.—Messrs. Krupp, of
Essen, have acquired the patent rights
of an air torpedo invented by the
Swedish Colonel Unge, subject to the
reservation that the Swedish gov-
ernment has been asked to make the
full use of this latest weapon in ev-
ery form.

Colonel Unge while satisfying his
patriotic scruples has done an excellent
stroke of business. Messrs. Krupp
have paid a large sum for the patent
of this air torpedo, which is the most
terrible instrument of destruction yet
invented.

It will shortly be introduced into the
German army and navy, which will
thereby possess a more effective equip-
ment than any other army or navy in
the world with the single exception of
Sweden.

Colonel Unge's torpedo can be fired
without producing any recoil, hence the
torpedo tube is light and easy to move
quickly from place to place.

The air torpedo tube is conveyed on a
motor car which can be speedily un-
mounted and carried to the place of use
by means of a crane and much more rap-
idly than field artillery can be brought
into position for firing.

The fact that the torpedo can be fired
without the least noise will make it dif-
ficult for the enemy to locate the pos-
ition of a torpedo battery by which it
is being attacked.

In coast defense an air torpedo could
be fired in such a way as to drop on
the decks of hostile battleships.

Colonel Unge has invented an air tor-
pedo of greater calibre for use in naval
warfare, so that henceforth warships
will be liable to be torpedoed from
quickly from place to place.

A smaller type of torpedo is con-
structed for use in mountain warfare,
where it is intended to be used in ter-
rain inaccessible to mountain artillery
of the present type.

Military experts declare that the air
torpedo is a truly epoch-making inven-
tion which adds one more horror to
modern warfare.

ESSSEN, Aug. 5.—Notwithstanding
frequent denials, the Krupp works have
apparently acquired the rights to the
air torpedo invented by Colonel Unge
of the Swedish army under conditions
giving the Swedish government use of
the device. The particulars of the war-
fare are a great secret, but it is un-
derstood that the Krupp paid a great
sum for the invention, so it is pres-
umed the project is effective. Report
says it can be used on land as well as
at sea.

UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF THE SULTAN

Coat of Mail Which He Wore Protected Him Against the Assassin's Dagger.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—A special despatch
to the Exchange Telegraph Company
from Geneva says that the Sultan of
Turkey was stabbed in the breast on
Monday night by a minor palace offi-
cial. The coat of mail which the Sul-
tan always wears deflected the blow.
The would-be assassin was arrested.
Apparently he had been hired to com-
mit the act as he had a large sum of
money in his pockets and his baggage
was packed ready for flight. The news
was received in Geneva yesterday in
a telegram from Constantinople to a
young Turk here.

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KILTS IN THE COMMONS

Celtic M.P.'s are Talking of Wearing
Them as a Protest

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Black Rod's ban-
ning of the Irish kilts in the Stran-
ger's Gallery of the House of Lords is
still a subject of resentful talk amongst
that section of the members of the
House of Commons who belong to the
Celtic fringe.

Although some members are inclined
to make light of the incident and re-
gard it as the outcome of a mistake on
the part of Sir Henry Stephenson,
which distinguished official is not
likely to repeat, there are other who
take a more serious view.

It is not unlikely, therefore, that
some action will be taken on their
part by way of protest. It is quite pos-
sible, indeed, that some of the mem-
bers of Parliament who belong to the
Celtic fringe, Irish and Scottish, may
don the kilt and take their seats in the
House wearing that picturesque garb.

At any rate, the proposal has been
seriously made by Mr. Murphy, one
of the Nationalist members. Mr. Murphy
is an ardent member of the Gaelic
League, and is consequently keenly in-
terested in the present revival of the
Irish kilt as a costume, and generally
in the growing interest in the ancient
traditions and literature of Ireland.

Mr. Murphy, we understand, will lay
before certain of his fellow members
the proposal that they should attend
the sittings of the House attired in the
Irish kilt, which has found so much
favor in the eyes of Black Rod.

"Why does the King have Highland
soldiers if he is to be tabooed in
the gallery of the House of Lords?"
said Mr. A. C. Morton, the member
for Sutherlandshire. "Why does the
King wear a kilt himself if it is so ob-
jectionable a uniform?"

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