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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker & Broker.)

COTTON LETTER

The market closed a shade off from the best last night having shown very little response to a condition report which was bullish compared with expectations, if not as an actual indication of the crop. Some of yesterday's buyers who carried cotton over night are probably expecting to see Liverpool take quite a bullish view of the government's figures this morning. Liverpool advanced on Tuesday in response to the Journal of Commerce report making the average condition 81.4, but there has been a good deal of liquidation recently and a moderate show of firmness during the days trading would hardly be anything more than natural toward the close of the week particularly when the American markets will be closed on Friday and Saturday. While the lower condition figure, lower than expected, may restrict scattered selling for the immediate future, the figures will soon be forgotten if the weather continues favorable over the holidays and the market is likely to find little support beyond that which may be forthcoming from spot interests with reference to October contracts. Those who prefer the policy of purchases on breaks may of course run into a streak of bad weather or some other bullish news to make the position good but poor trade accounts and the approach of the new crop should otherwise make themselves felt in a sagging market.

W. W. PRICE.

LIVERPOOL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool.—Due 1 1/2 to 2 points higher on near and 4 to 4 1/2 higher on late. Opened steady 2 to 3 points higher. At 12:15 p.m. was dull and unchanged to 2 1/2 higher on near and 2 to 2 1/2 higher on late. Spot cotton dull 8 points lower, middling uplands 8.25. Sales 4,000 speculation and export 200. American 4,000. Imports 2,000 including 1,000 American.

DETAILED STOCK GOSSIP.

Reading, Nor. Pac. and So. Pac. appear to display an upward tendency though hardly perceptible as different from rest of list. We are bullish on them, believing they should be bought now and on a scale down in case of a recession. U. Pac. appears to be limited to 146 at present but the reports received are very favorable to it. The same may be said as to Amal. information. The short interest in A. R. is such that it may carry it up any time. The same may be said of St. Paul, B. R. T. and Interboro continue to be well bought as reported yesterday morning. R. I. and C. O. may be depressed especially from time to time, but purchases at such times will give good results.

UPWARD MOVEMENT EXPECTED.

New York Fin. Bureau.—The strong undertone in the stock market may develop into an upward movement of fair proportions, according to our investigations, for the technical features, crop outlook, money reviving business all favor enhancement of standard issues. Should buying opportunities be presented by professional hammering they ought not to be neglected by either daily operators of those taking securities for investment of semi-speculations. News reports this morning show nothing startling with which to rouse the market out of its anti-holiday lethargy, but these "revisions" of sentiment come when least expected, and the market seems to be over-sold the shorts may not wish to remain outstanding over the holidays which sentiment would hold the market steady to say the least. There is no excess at the moment in the Northern and Southern R. R. reversion for selling. While, on the other hand, the report of the iron trade review that the labor outlook is improving is certainly an encouraging factor, as is the column article in the News showing a sharp revival in various lines of business. Crop reports continue to reflect alluring prospects, while the monetary ease is unquestionably stimulating the investment demand that always materializes at this season of the year. We do not regard politics as a factor, though they may be made responsible next week for surface fluctuations. As a question of importance, politics will not figure in the stock market according to present plans. The general financial condition is resting on a solid foundation now and the elementary factors are beckoning to prosperity and not depression.

LONDON QUOTATIONS.

London, 2 p.m.—Consols 87 7/8, Anc 41 7/8, C 65 3/4, Atch 81 1/4, BO 80, OR 34, GW 6 1/8, CPR, 160, D 25 3/8, Erie 19 1/4, KP 34 1/2, Illa 128 1/2, KT 37 1/4, LN 104 3/4, Mxc 14 5/8, N 68 3/4, NP 136 1/2, Cen 103 3/4, OW 40 1/2, Pa 129 1/2, RE 113, RI 15 1/2, SR 14, SJ 43 3/8, SP 89 1/2, St 133 1/2, UP 145 5/8, US 37 3/4, UX 102 3/4.

SUMMARY.

Regular div. on U. S. Rubber expected to-day. Sales on Wednesday smallest for a full day since summer of 1904. Railroads will not cut wages for at least three months. B. R. T. earned about 5 per cent. on stock in past fiscal year. U. S. Steel expected to cut wages from five to ten per cent. No demand for stocks in lean crowd. M. K. & T. May deficit after charges, \$264,128, and surplus for last six months \$1,028,714, against \$3,484,011 last year. Further \$20,000,000 treasury deficit expected in July. Liverpool.—Wheat opened firm, 3 1/4 to 7 1/4 up. Corn opened quiet, 1 1/4 up. London.—Copper steady, spot 56, 56, unchanged.

New York.—Private reports received by us this morning say that foreign investment orders have been sent over for U. Pac. for the last few days and that while they are not large, insiders are encouraged over the development. Inquiries of specialists indicate that but few selling orders are on the books around the present prices. Some of them seemed to think the market could easily be raised, as support appears on every decline. Professionals are selling Balto. & Ohio on all firm spots, and that while they are sure of being reduced. This may prevail until July 9th, the date of their meeting. It is reported that good buying is occurring in Texas Pacific. We found some weeks ago prophesies made in important quarters that before the year was out the stock would be selling much higher on favorable developments.

N. Y. F. B. Bureau. Upon application of the Trust Co. of America, the Norfolk and Southern Ry. Co. has been placed in hands of receiver-ship. The trust company is holder of \$15,000,000 first refunding mortgage bonds of the railway, upon which it is charged interest has been defaulted.

BANK OF ENGLAND STATEMENT. This Week. Last Week. Circulation \$29,978,000 \$28,992,000 Public deposits 9,648,000 10,170,000 Private deposits 21,127,000 46,167,000 Gov't securities 15,251,000 15,237,000 Other securities 36,347,000 30,023,000 Reserve 27,081,000 28,861,000 Proportion of reserve to liabilities 44.37 51.17 Bullion 39,125,000 39,226,000 Bank rate, 2 1/2, unchanged.

DEATHS.

PIKE.—In this city, suddenly, on the 1st July, George E. Pike, aged eight years. Funeral from his father's residence, Queen street, Carlisle, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET.

Thursday, July 2, 1908. New York Stock Quotations. Chicago Market report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes Amalg. Copper, Anaconda, Am. Smelt & Ref., Am. Car Foundry, Am. Woolen, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes July corn, July wheat, Sept. corn, etc.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes Dom. Iron & Steel, Dom. I. & S. Pfd., Nova Scotia Steel, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes July, October, December, January.

STERLING EXCHANGE.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes Demand, 60 days, 90 days, etc.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Table with columns: Date, Sun, Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, Sat, Tide.

VESSLES BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

Table with columns: Name, Destination, Date.

ARRIVED TO-DAY.

Table with columns: Name, Origin, Date.

SAILED YESTERDAY.

Table with columns: Name, Destination, Date.

DOMINION PORTS.

Table with columns: Name, Destination, Date.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Portland, Me. June 29, 1908. Narragansett Bay, Maine. Portland Harbor, Maine.

CHURCHES JOIN FOR THE SUMMER MONTHS.

Because of the absence of quite a number of the members and families in the country for the summer, it has been decided by the congregation of St. Stephen's to suspend the services during August.

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Sale Price \$2.49

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Half Price 100 Summer Vests

Fine White Knit Vests, like real Swiss; no sleeves, half sleeves or long sleeves.

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Correct Covers, Gowns, Drawers, Underskirts 25c to \$1.45. Correct Covers for 18c. to 98c. \$1.75 to \$2.00 Gowns for \$1.25.

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