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The Financial Situation

ITH the single exception of the Works Progress Administration, which is now expending over \$7,000,000 each business day, the spending-for-recovery program laid out by the President last spring and finally enacted into law late in June has not as yet begun to prime the pump. Yet, thanks in large part to the rapid rise in the rate of operations in the steel industry, most of the current indexes of business

activity are definitely rising, and forecasts of further substantial increases in the volume of business transacted have grown common. The more optimistic in the business community are beginning to tell their friends that real recovery is now quite indisputably under way. Stocks of finished goods and of materials in process, and often of raw materials in possession of manufacturers, have been in a number of cases drastically reduced by the process of abstaining from production for an extended period of time. A spirit of greater popular optimism seems to be spreading to lay a foundation for freer spending on the part of those who have funds, and the pump-priming activities of the Federal Government are presumably about to increase substantially and, according to New Deal planners, place purchasing power in the hands that count.

All this is said to be immensely pleasing to those in Washington who assert readily enough that they had planned it that way. So far as the improvement in industry and trade is in response to natural forces and no small part of the improvement in evidence is to be attributed to that cause—it is heartening to all thoughtful people with

the interests of their country at heart. To be sure, further destructive steps may be taken at Washington at almost any moment to cause the bestlaid schemes of mice and men to go agley, but in the absence of such impediments as these, further improvement of appreciable proportions seems to be ahead of us during the months immediately to come, notwithstanding that anything in the nature of a real recovery will soon be faced by the necessity of grappling with problems certain to arise out of the wage-hour law and out of whatever the so-called monopoly inquiry brings forth by the end of the vear.

Recovery Problems

There are, however, a number of problems confronting us which either are inherent in recovery of the kind now being predicted or which owe their origin to phenomena closely associated with it in public comment. The careful executive, it may be

assumed will not fail to take notice of some of these at this stage in the procedure, for proper consideration and appraisal of them now will almost certainly pay handsome dividends in the future. Contrary to the theories current in Washington, one of the most potent hazards which the business community must face during the next twelve months is that inherent in any such pump-priming program as is now about to getfully into action. Nor is this solely a matter of the enormous deficit that is inevitable during the current fiscal year and of the resulting debt position of the Federal Government. This aspect of the matter is serious enough in its own right, but it is immensely more disturbing when viewed in conjunction with the circumstances in which this deficit seems certain to come into ex-What these ciristence. cumstances are more or less certain to be are easily discerned from a rather brief analysis of the plans of the spenders in their relation to the existing business situation.

At this time total Federal expenditures are running at about the rate of \$24,250,000 per business day, as compared with about \$21,000,000 a year ago, excluding public debt retirements and transfers

to trust accounts. By no means all of this increase is, however, to be attributed to planned pumppriming as such. Indeed, a large part of it is found in general fund expenditures, which have for years been steadily mounting, year in and year out, quite regardless of the state of business or the supposed need of stimulating industry and trade. The Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1938 placed in the hands of the Works Progress Administration the sum of \$1,425,000,000 to be expended by the Administrator during the period from July 1, 1938

A Seminar in Washington?

A "secret memorandum" recently submitted on request to the so-called monopoly committee now at work in Washington by a well-publicized New Dealer, one Adolph A. Berle, Jr., has now become fully available for public inspection. From it we take the following summary of observations submitted:

"First, the general scope of the investigation ought to be a search for an organization of business that actually works;

"Second, the standard must be whether it supplies the existing and developing wants of the people as they appear;

the people as they appear;
"Third, that this involves the provision of

an adequate supply of goods;
"Fourth, and a distribution system that takes these goods towards known wants to

the maximum degree possible;

"Fifth, that the system must provide a maximum number of people with means of satisfying those wants through a contribution to the system."

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"Sixth, that the system must provide the people engaged in the process with a manner of life which at least tends to satisfy a fair proportion of their wants;

"Seventh, the system must evolve a method of organization that does not interfere unduly, actually or potentially, with the liberty of the individual: i. e., that its controls must release more individuality than they suppress:

Eighth, that there is no need to assume that these tests will be met by any single sy

tem or any single standard of size or set of practices at any given point."

The writer of the memorandum then proceeds to call up in review about all the controversial questions in the set of the s ceeds to call up in review about all the controversial questions in economic and social philosophy and to call into question very nearly all of the supposedly established ideas of the economists and philosophers. Nothing, he says in effect, is to be taken for granted; every conventional assumption or "pre-conception" must be tested by thorough inquiry; many may well be found to be false.

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many fields in which it could compete with private enterprise. Mr. Berle now suggests another—the university. He would have the Government set up a seminar to settle most of the questions that perplex mankind, and it is by no means certain that his advice is needed. To many it would appear that what Mr. Berle suggests is already under way.

Such inquiry into first principles would do no harm—it might be helpful—if action destructive of the system already in existence is deferred until such time as these questions

deferred until such time as these questions are reasonably resolved—that is at the Greek Kalends.

to Feb. 28, 1939. Within certain limits the Administration was instructed by Congress to apportion this money throughout that period on the basis of the assumption that no more funds would be forthcoming for that period. There were those who had hoped that plans would be framed in such a way that the bulk of these expenditures would fall during the months before the slower-moving agencies, such as the Public Works Administration, were able to get well under way. Nothing of the sort is, however, now in process, or, so far as may be judged, in prospect. If we assume that the full \$1,425,000,000, plus funds brought over from the previous year, is to be expended during the designated period at approximately an even rate, daily disbursements would be about \$7,250,000. The rate during the period since June 30 is somewhat under that figure on the average, and outlays have not yet reached that daily figure. It may be that they will be greatly further increased during the next month or two before the other pump-priming expenditures assume large proportions, and then be permitted to taper off as other agencies become active spenders, presumably two or three months hence, but of such a course there is no evidence at the moment. It does not appear likely that expenditures by the Works Progress Administration will for any great length of time prior to the end of next February fall much below the rate of about \$7,250,000 per day.

Now the same Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1938 passed last June appropriated \$175,-000,000 to the Department of Agriculture to be expended by the Farm Security Administration during the current fiscal year. Some \$22,160,000 was brought forward to augment this sum. If these expenditures were evenly distributed over the entire twelve months they would amount to about \$650,000 per business day. So far they have averaged a little less than \$430,000 per day, although during the month of August they have been only about \$320,000 per day. The Public Works Administration was given \$965,000,000 to be spent on projects to be started prior to the end of this year and substantially completed by the middle of 1940. An even distribution of these outlays over this eighteenmonth period would mean a working day average of some \$2,100,000. Practically none of these funds have as yet been actually expended. Suppose something like an average rate of \$2,100,000 daily outlay is reached by next February, and assume that the Farm Security Administration has got into full stride by that time and the several other agencies that have been voted various additional amounts with which to prime the business pump are in full swing by that time. We should then, with the Works Progress Administration, have not less than \$10,000,-000 daily expenditures on "made work" of one kind or another going along regularly, to say nothing of outlays by such agencies as the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the Commodity Credit Corporation and the Federal Housing Authority which now either in large part raise their own funds by direct public borrowing with Government guarantee or else induce expenditures by affording Treasury guarantees of obligations.

How It Adds Up

Add to the picture thus presented the fact that ordinary expenditures of the Federal Government are now, and are scheduled to be, much larger than

last year, and the circumstance that tax collections can not possibly be expected to be nearly so large as last year, and we have a situation that is doubly hazardous. It is replete with danger, in the first place because it spells an enormous deficit, and in the second place because it will either create an artificial business boom which will fall the moment its support is withdrawn, or it will fail to achieve its purpose and dash all hope of curtailing the enormous outlays that were inspired in the first place by depression. In either case it would be difficult indeed to point to anything of importance that had been gained by this highly touted campaign to induce recovery—and it would be very easy to list several serious if not disastrous consequences of the effort.

It is, of course, quite idle to talk, as Washington planners constantly talk, of planning public outlays in such a way as to produce prosperity without a boom and of reducing it while there is yet time to do so without bursting the bubble. The truth is that such bubbles are sustained by the gases with which they have been distended. If they are overextended they burst. If the gases within them are withdrawn they collapse. To drop the metaphor, the pump-priming activities of the Federal Government may be offset by other activities of the same Government which inevitably curtail or even eliminate profits and destroy confidence. In this case, we should have only moderate improvement in business at best with a steadily and rapidly worsening fiscal situation. If improvement is rapid and extended, it will be a result of inflationary activities and must sooner or later collapse as all such movements always do-and at a time when the credit of the Federal Government may be impaired and certainly will be no stronger than it is today.

Immediate Problems

We feel constrained to call all this to the attention of our readers at this time at the risk of being accused of throwing cold water on the return of confidence. The business man, particularly the executive who must operate his enterprise in the complex, often highly mechanized, modern industrial system, must lay his plans considerably in advance. In one degree or another, he must actually enter into commitments running substantialy into the future. Nowhere perhaps is this more true than in the matter of capital equipment. It also obtains respecting inventories of various kinds, although one must suppose that recent experience will tend to cause caution in building stocks of both materials and finished goods. But any very substantial enlargement of current demand for goods would be almost certain quickly to raise the question of plant improvement and enlargement in many branches of business. Investment in additional or better plant facilities is either wise or inexpedient, depending in large measure upon whether the increased demand is to be relatively enduring or to be substantially transitory. Moreover, plant improvement presents the problem of finding funds for that purpose. From all appearances plant investment from funds already in hand is no longer possible to the extent obtaining three years ago. New offerings of securities during the past few months have in much larger degree been undertaken for the purpose of providing "new money" than was the case at the beginning of the 1935-36 upward movement, or even than was the case after that movement had got well under way. Improvements and expansion in much larger degree now involve approach to the capital market. For this purpose, industry needs a market in which junior issues are in demand. There is no such market at present. On the contrary, such a market as now exists places vigorous but not particularly well established enterprises under a definite handicap and provides other and better established enterprises with a dangerous incentive to overload themselves with senior issues. Thus it is to be seen that even a moderate revival of business under existing conditions brings problems which are best kept actively in mind from the very beginning.

Federal Reserve Bank Statement

TDLE credit resources of the country again are on the increase, according to the official banking statistics, and they are likely to continue the expansion save for such interruptions as may be occasioned by large Federal drafts on the market for new money. Member bank reserve balances with the Federal Reserve banks advanced \$70,839,000 in the week ended Aug. 24, mainly because of a decline of \$31,320,000 in the Treasury general account with the regional institutions, a drop of \$37,536,000 in "other" balances, and a \$15,000,000 decline of all currency in circulation. Excess reserves over legal requirements increased \$50,000,000 to \$2,980,-000,000. It appears, moreover, that at least the beginnings of demand for business accommodation are being felt here in New York. The statement covering weekly reporting member banks in New York City reflects a gain of \$10,000,000 in commercial, industrial and agricultural loans. This is the third successive weekly increase, and the gain since business loans here were at their low of the year early in August now is \$37,000,000. It is significant, however, that these business loans still are \$321,000,000 under the total current a year ago, and even at that time they were very modest. Brokers' loans on security collateral here fell \$1,000,000 in the week to Aug. 24, indicating that credit demand for speculative purposes is small indeed. In their search for earnings assets, local reporting banks added \$39,000,000 this week to their holdings of direct Treasury securities, and \$24,000,000 to their holdings of Treasury-guaranteed obligations.

Monetary gold stocks of the country advanced a further \$27,000,000 in the statement week, to a fresh record of \$13,079,000,000. The Treasury again refrained from reimbursing itself for the acquisition. Gold certificate holdings of the 12 Federal Reserve banks, combined, increased \$4,000 to \$10,-632,411,000, while the return flow of currency to the banks made for a larger advance of total reserves of the regional institutions, the increase of \$6,299,000 placing the aggregate at \$11,038,416,000. Federal Reserve notes in actual circulation dropped \$5,454,000 to \$4,144,760,000. Total deposits with the regional institutions moved up \$5,282,000 to \$9,241,649,000, with the account variations consisting of a gain of member bank balances by \$70,-839,000 to \$8,156,037,000; a drop in the Treasury general account balance by \$31,320,000 to \$770,-784,000; an increase of foreign bank balances by \$3,299,000 to \$119,166,000, and a decline of other deposits by \$37,536,000 to \$195,662,000. The reserve ratio moved up to 82.5% from 89.4%. Discounts by

the regional institutions moved up \$109,000 to \$6,741,000. Industrial advances increased \$36,000 to \$15,852,000, but commitments to make such advances fell \$56,000 to \$13,684,000. Open market holdings of bankers' bills fell \$3,000 to \$537,000, but holdings of United States Treasury securities were quite unchanged at \$2,564,015,000.

The New York Stock Market

CENTIMENT regarding the stock market im-D proved markedly this week, and sizable gains were recorded in almost all important groups of equities. The New York Stock Exchange reflected dulness and uncertainty last Saturday and again on Monday, but an irregular upward movement started on Tuesday that carried prices of leading issues up 2 to 4 points for the week. This upswing was not continuous, for the late trading on Wednesday brought a sharp reaction, and the general trend yesterday also was downward. But the increases outweighed such liquidating spells, and the market performance on the whole appeared to be a healthy Trading volume remained rather small and much under what might be considered normal in view of the large aggregate of listed equities. On Monday the turnover was less than 400,000 shares, but in the four subsequent full sessions of the week the average was close to the 1,000,000 share mark. Much of the activity was concentrated in the motor stocks, for these important companies now are completing plans for introducing new models, and there is general hopefulness that a busy season impends. Railroad equities were turned over in good volume late in the week.

Advancing tendencies on the stock market were readily traceable to the favorable expectations regarding the motor industry, and incidental benefits to all aspects of American economic life that a busy manufacturing period would entail. There were numerous reports on Tuesday that extensive preparations were being made by large and small companies alike, and the motor shares surged forward on such statements. Tire stocks and issues of other companies allied to the automobile business joined the upswing, as did steel and other metal shares. Some liquidation developed as the movement progressed, but it was readily absorbed and left prices as a whole materially better for the week. On Thursday the railroad group forged to the front, partly because of indications that unusual expedients are being employed in some instances to prevent forced reorganizations of carriers temporarily embarrassed. Lehigh Valley announced a plan whereunder cash assets will be conserved with the approval of some large institutional holders of its bonds, and Baltimore & Ohio sought to make similar arrangements. But the plain implications of such procedures aided in making the stock market uneasy yesterday. Business reports in general reflected modest gains, and added to the demand for stocks. The foreign situation remained perturbing, but this is far from a new development.

In the listed bond market, United States Treasury and other money market obligations were well maintained. Investment bankers placed a number of sizable issues of high grade bonds on the market and found the institutional demand excellent. Among the speculative group of railroad bonds a general upward trend was apparent, but recessions interrupted the advance at times. Local traction

issues were variable. The foreign dollar bond section In the commodity remained dull at all times. markets, leading grains were I weak and firm by. turns, with the net changes for the week not very large. The low prices remain a restraining influence on securities. Base metals were steady throughout. Foreign exchanges were firm in the first half of the week, but the dollar came into demand thereafter on increasingly pessimistic political reports from Europe.

On the New York Stock, Exchange 117 stocks touched new high levels for the year while 5 stocks touched new low levels. On the New York Curb Exchange 64 stocks touched new high levels and 8 stocks touched new low levels. Call loans on the New York Stock Exchange remained unchanged at

On the New York Stock Exchange the sales at the half-day session on Saturday last, were 245,580 shares; on Monday they were 396,620 shares; on Tuesday, 1,076,510 shares; on Wednesday, $1,235,1\overline{60}$ shares; on Thursday, 826,570 shares, and on Friday, 820,110 shares. On the New York Curb Exchange the sales last Saturday were 35,060 shares; on Monday, 65,800 shares; on Tuesday, 107,710 shares; on Wednesday, 146,630 shares; on Thursday, 102,670 shares, and on Friday, 104,560 shares.

Although sales turnover in the stock market on Saturday last was very small, the price trend pointed slightly upward, and higher fractional changes were noted among the motor stocks, which have been moving forward the entire week. Somewhat higher figures for steel production were predicted for the present week, and this naturally exerted a steadying influence on steel shares. market taken as a whole, however, reflected negligible net changes for the day. On Monday trading practically came to a standstill, and equities on an extremely small volume of transactions showed irregularly lower price changes. Whatever favorable news the day provided, its effect was lost on a market in the throes of a deep stupor. Expectations of a good fall revival helped to stimulate business on Tuesday, and by gradual steps the market worked itself out of its lethargy. Prices advanced briskly under the leadership of the motor and auto accessory stocks, and share volume advanced to over 1,000,000 shares as against 396,000 Improvement was general the day previous. throughout the list, and net gains of one to three points were in evidence. The forward movement was extended on Wednesday, and in the morning session stocks enjoyed advances of one to two points, but subsequently softening tendencies developed and equities closed irregularly higher on the day. Sales volume tapered off on Thursday and prices moved within narrow confines. Traders continue to look with favor upon the ultimate outcome of the business situation, but prefer to let caution guide their actions. In the closing hour the market evinced a tendency toward firmness, and prices ended the session irregularly higher. Uneasiness was a feature of trading yesterday, and the price level of equities came in for some downward readjustment of values. After a firm start, share prices moved upward, but later sold off on realizing sales, and closed below the previous day's levels. Closing prices yesterday were improved as against those of Friday one week ago. General Electric closed yesterday at 421/8 against 421/8 on Friday of last

week; Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. at 28% against 261/2; Columbia Gas & Elec. at 7 against 63/4; Public Service of N. J. at 293/4 against 293/4; J. I. Case Threshing Machine at 90½ against 91; International Harvester at 60 against 58; Sears, Roebuck & Co. at 723/4 against 73; Montgomery Ward & Co. at 473/4 against 467/8; Woolworth at 461/4 against 451/8, and American Tel. & Tel. at 145 against 1411/8. Western Union closed yesterday at 30 against 271/4 on Friday of last week; Allied Chemical & Dye at 1811/2 against 1791/2; E. I. du Pont de Nemours at 133 % against 130 1/2; National Cash Register at 281/4 against 281/2; National Dairy Products at 131/2 against 133/4; National Biscuit at 25% against 251/2; Texas Gulf Sulphur at 36% against 35; Continental Can at 423/4 against 44; Eastman Kodak at 174 against 174; Standard Brands at 73/4 against 73/4; Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. at 104 against 1023/4; Lorillard at 201/4 against 20; Canada Dry at 185/8 against 183/4; Schenley Distillers at 181/2 against 18, and National Distillers at 25 against 24.

The steel stocks closed at substantially higher levels this week. United States Steel closed yesterday at 601/4 against 583/8 on Friday of last week; Inland Steel at 76 against 721/4; Bethlehem Steel at 591/4 against 565/8, and Youngstown Sheet & Tube at 38% against 35%. In the motor stocks, Auburn Auto closed yesterday at 4% against 4 on Friday of last week; General Motors at 49% against 47%; Chrysler at 75% against 725%, and Hupp Motors at 11/4 against 11/8. In the rubber group, Goodyear Tire & Rubber closed yesterday at 29 against 281/4 on Friday of last week; United States Rubber at 461/4 against 45%, and B. F. Goodrich at 241/2 against 24%. The railroad shares extended their gains of the previous week. Pennsylvania RR. closed yesterday at 20% against 20% on Friday of last week; Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe at 37% against 361/2; New York Central at 193/8 against 181/2; Union Pacific at 92 against 89; Southern Pacific at 191/2 against 181/2; Southern Railway at 141/8 against 121/8, and Northern Pacific at 123/4 against 121/4. Among the oil stocks, Standard Oil of N. J. closed yesterday at 541/8 against 543/4 on Friday of last week; Shell Union Oil at 161/4 against 161/2, and Atlantic Refining at 221/4 against 233/8. In the copper group, Anaconda Copper closed yesterday at 34% against 341/4 on Friday of last week; American Smelting & Refining at 48 against 471/2, and Phelps Dodge at 36 % against 35 %.

Leading trade and industrial indices reflect modest advances, and these indications of seasonal gains were bolstered by larger commercial loans in New York City. Steel production for the week ending today was estimated by the American Iron and Steel Institute at 42.8% of capacity against 40.4% a week ago, 37.0% a month ago, and 83.8% at this time last year. Electric power output is reported by the Edison Electric Institute at 2,138,517,000 kilowatt hours for the week ended Aug. 20 against 2,133,641,000 kilowatt hours in the preceding week and 2,304,032,000 kilowatt hours at this time last year. Car loadings of revenue freight in the week to Aug. 20 are reported at 597,918 cars by the Association of American Railroads. This is an increase of 8,357 cars over the preceding week, but a decline of 179,232 cars from the total for the corre-

sponding week of 1937.

As indicating the course of the commodity markets, the September option for wheat in Chicago closed yesterday at 62½c. as against 64½c. the close on Friday of last week. September corn at Chicago closed yesterday at 52c. as against 53½c. the close on Friday of last week. September oats at Chicago closed yesterday at 23½c. against 23½c. the close on Friday of last week.

The spot price for cotton here in New York closed yesterday at 8.46c. as against 8.42c. the close on Friday of last week. The spot price for rubber yesterday was 16.57c. as against 16.32c. the close on Friday of last week. Domestic copper closed yesterday at 10½c., the close on Friday of last week.

In London the price of bar silver yesterday was 19 5/16 pence per ounce as against 19% pence per ounce on Friday of last week, and spot silver in New York closed yesterday at 42% c., the close on Friday of last week.

In the matter of the foreign exchanges, cable transfers on London closed yesterday at \$4.87 7/16 as against \$4.88½ the close on Friday of last week, and cable transfers on Paris closed yesterday at 2.73 7/16c. as against 2.73½c. the close on Friday of last week.

European Stock Markets

INSETTLED conditions prevailed this week on stock exchanges in the leading European financial centers, with declines rather more pronounced than the occasional rallies. One of the features of the week was the reopening on Monday of the Rome market, after the midsummer 20-day suspension. General European tendencies were reflected in sharply reduced quotations at Rome, with the declines attributed in good part to liquidation by Jewish holders who naturally fear the growing anti-Semitism that is spreading from Germany to Italy. On the ondon Stock Exchange prices were firm and soft by turns, with net changes of the week not important. The French market was nervous throughout, while Berlin reported further large swings in quotations. Political uncertainty was universal and unquestionably affected all the foreign markets. Gold hoarding in London increased as the possibilities were contemplated of a general war resulting either from the Central European impasse or the international war in Spain. Official French moves toward amelioration of the social reform program of the Left Front aided the Paris Bourse briefly, but such considerations waned in importance as the international atmosphere thickened. Developments on the New York market were observed with care by the foreign markets, but not much encouragement was afforded by American tendencies. There were indications that the depression which started in the United States a year ago was making inroads on business in England, France and other countries and investor aloofness from the securities markets was one consequence.

Not much business was done on the London Stock Exchange last Monday, but the tendency was steady. Gilt-edged securities and home industrial stocks held to former levels, while small gains were the rule among gold, base metal and other commodity securities. Anglo-American favorites were firm in the international section, but securities originating in Continental European countries declined. After early unsettlement on Tuesday, prices improved on

the London market and net changes were small. The gilt-edged group showed gains, while industrial issues remained idle. Mining and oil stocks were dull, but international securities reflected mild demand. The tone on Wednesday was more cheerful. with gilt-edged obligations again in general demand. while home industrial issues slowly advanced. Commodity shares joined the modest upswing, and fresh gains appeared in international issues. The turnover on Thursday was small, with gilt-edged stocks steady and most other sections soft. British industrial shares and most commodity issues drifted slightly lower, and a similar downward tendency prevailed among Anglo-American favorites and other international securities. British funds and home industrials were quiet and steady in a dull session yesterday. International securities were firm.

Trading on the Paris Bourse was dominated early last Monday by the appeal of Premier Daladier for abandonment of the 40-hour week, but the recovery was nipped in the bud later in the session, when it developed that several Ministers preferred to resign rather than go along with M. Daladier in his proposed modification of the Left Front "social re-Early price gains quickly were canceled on the indications of Cabinet difficulties, and net changes at the close were quite insignificant. Rentes reflected small fractional gains, while French equities and international securities were mostly unchanged. The session on Tuesday reflected a renewal of the optimism, owing to the quick settlement of the Cabinet troubles. Rentes remained in demand, and inquiry also spread to French equities. Most international issues likewise improved. With reports from other centers fairly optimistic, prices on the Bourse again tended to advance Wednesday. Rentes and French equities reflected the belief that the plea for more work and changes in the 40-hour law would be accepted, but international issues were in better demand than domestic securities. trend on Thursday was irregular, with rentes well maintained while French industrial, utility and other stocks drifted lower. International securities also followed an uncertain course. Rentes and equities were well maintained yesterday, but international issues drifted downward.

The Berlin Boerse was active and higher at the start last Monday, but mild liquidation soon reversed the trend and only small net gains were the rule at the close of the session. All important groups were better, however, in continuation of the gains that were recorded late last week. The dealings on Tuesday were dull until near the end, when a sharp break occurred which carried levels of leading securities down 2 to 3 points for the day. Mining and machinery stocks suffered more than others, with uncertainties about the international situation contributing to the unsettlement. Fixed-interest issues lost only a little ground. Nervousness continued early on Wednesday, but as the session progressed dealings became calmer and a rally developed. Losses were more numerous than gains at the end, but only in a few specialties were the recessions important. Trading was dull Thursday, and prices varied only fractionally in most instances. The trend was firm and weak by turns, and at the end previous levels were approximated in almost all issues. The fixed-income group drifted lower. Little business was done yesterday on the Boerse, and prices slowly receded.

Pact of Paris

XACTLY ten years ago today, representatives L of fifteen nations affixed their signatures in Paris to the Kellogg-Briand treaty renouncing war as an instrument of national policy. The group of signatories expanded steadily and rapidly, until it embraced 63 countries, or virtually every civilized area on the globe. Despite the admirable intentions expressed in the treaty, not much notice was taken anywhere as the tenth anniversary of its promulgation approached, this week. The accord was designed to inaugurate an era of world peace and unexampled international harmony. But any illusions that it may have created quickly were dispelled, and on this tenth anniversary it is plain that the new era it occasioned in international relations is far different from the one envisioned by Aristide Briand, Foreign Minister of France, and Frank B. Kellogg, Secretary of State. Intead of preventing wars, the document merely stripped away what little honor there is in a frank and formal declaration of warfare between nations. It helped to bring into being undeclared and indirect wars, with all their attendant diplomatic difficulties and dangers.

Japan considered the pact no obstacle when Manchuria was invaded in 1931 and eventually detached from China to form the Japanese puppet-State of Manchukuo. Both Japan and China were signatories, and the Tokio Government, lagging behind its militarists, not only neglected to declare war but promptly developed the technique of the "pacification incident" which now is in use on a broad scale in the attempted conquest of China proper. The bloody three-year war over the Chaco area between Bolivia and Paraguay, which ended in 1935, was pursued with no regard to the pact. Slightly less than three years ago, Italy invaded Ethiopia on flimsy pretext and brought that ancient land under the heel of Rome, without a war declaration. Soon after the start of the Spanish civil war in July, 1936, Italy and Germany were participating on one side and Russia on the other. Russia and Japan recently engaged in a "local war" on the border of Siberia and Manchukuo, while lesser border clashes have been frequent throughout the world during the existence of the Pact of Paris. The evidence is clear that this pious expression of a desire for universal peace accomplished little or nothing, and may, indeed, have contributed to the mischief of latter-day international relations.

Ottawa and Washington

CONJECTURE continued this week regarding the real significance of the personal assurance extended to Canada by President Roosevelt on Aug. 18 that the people of the United States will not stand idly by if domination of Canadian soil is threatened from non-British sources. The world assumption appeared to be that oblique assurances were extended to Great Britain, in this fashion, of support in the event of hostilities embracing the British Empire. But some curious statements by Mr. Roosevelt throw doubt even upon this natural conclusion. The presidential declaration was interpreted everywhere as extending the Monroe Doctrine to Canada, which it plainly does in the light of all the circumstances surrounding that Doctrine.

Irked by such comments, Mr. Roosevelt disputed the contention late last week and in disregard of many weighty authorities held that the Doctine embraced Canada from the beginning. Much less important than the substance of this dispute is the fact that it occurred, for it throws doubt upon the belief that a genuinely statesmanlike utterance was intended originally by the President.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King added a mite to the general uncertainty last Saturday, by extending a complementary assurance to the United States. An attack upon Canada is so improbable that President Roosevelt's assurances occasioned audible wonderment in some European quarters as to whether the United States possibly intended to protect Canada against an invasion by polar bears. If there is anything less likely than an attack upon the Dominion, it is surely an attack upon the United Matching Mr. Roosevelt's disregard of realities, Mr. Mackenzie King declared at Woodbridge, Ont., that the presidential address increased, rather than decreased, the need for Canadian defenses, so that no hostile Power could strike at the United States through Canada. It is possible that the Prime Minister spoke with his tongue in his cheek. If not, then he at least introduced a naive note in the international chorus that bases the need for armaments increases on home defense requirements, for no similar claim that a powerful neighbor must be defended can readily be recalled.

Social Reform in France

RENCH internal politics once again were thrown into turmoil last Sunday when Premier Edouard Daladier took a bold and proper but politically dangerous stand against a so-called social reform under which the entire country has been suffering in recent years. The able leader of the moderate Radical-Socialist party has endeavored steadily to restore the financial confidence sacrificed by the several Left Front regimes. His assurances against further franc depreciation and other unfortunate expedients did not suffice, however, to prevent fresh capital exports, owing to the domestic strains caused by laws that favored labor unduly, at the expense of capital. In pursuance of his middle-of-the-road program, M. Daladier last Sunday declared that the 40-hour week legislation would have to be modified to strengthen national defenses and bolster the franc in the face of war dangers. "The road to safety is work," the Premier said. "The 40-hour week must be changed as much because of national necessity as because of the general European situation. As long as the international situation remains delicate it is necessary to work more than 40, and up to 48 hours in industries devoted to the national defense. It also is necessary that without formality and interminable delay any industry that has need may be able to employ workers not merely 40 hours a week, but the hours necessary to its activities."

Although M. Daladier put the best possible face on this obvious requirement by citing the labor conscription of Germany and other Continental States, which presumably has aided the military power of such countries, it quickly appeared that the Premier had invaded ground sacred to the French New Deal. He emphasized his plea by using troops at Marseilles, over the week-end, to unload ships that other-

wise would have remained idle. On Monday, however, two Ministers of the Cabinet resigned because they disagreed with the diagnosis of French economic ills and the suggested cure. Paul Ramadier. Minister of Labor, and Louis-Oscar Frossard, Minister of Public Works, left the Cabinet, and M. Daladier complimented them for having the courage of their convictions. The two Ministers are members of the Socialist and Republican Union, and they promptly were replaced by representatives of the same faction. Charles Pomaret was named Minister of Labor, and Senator Anatole de Monzie was appointed Minister of Public Works. Whether Premier Daladier will retain the support of the faction by this maneuver remains to be seen. Clamor promptly arose in France for an early resumption of the parliamentary session and termination of the rule of Premier Daladier by decree powers. But M. Daladier gained support from unexpected quarters, on Tuesday, when Leon Blum, leader of the Popular Front, took a mildly critical stand toward the modification of French "social reforms" suggested by the Premier, and failed to voice the expected denunciation which could only lead to fall of the Cabinet when the Parliament convenes. It remains possible, in these circumstances, that M. Daladier will be able to engineer a much-needed swing back toward moderation in French affairs.

Central Europe

ERMANY continued to set the diplomatic pace G in Europe this week, partly through a display of amity with Hungary and partly through the huge army games that patently are intended to impress upon Czechoslovakia the might of the Reich. The Hungarian incident proved especially interesting. for it demonstrated not only the steady progress of Germany down the Danube, but also revealed once more the defects of Little Entente maneuvers. Admiral Nicholas Horthy, Regent of Hungary, paid a visit of State to Germany this week, accompanied by a large entourage of officials well prepared to do diplomatic business. The party was greeted with great pomp by Chancellor Hitler and his fellow Nazis, and for a time early this week the Hungarian ruler reviewed the German fleet and indulged in his favorite occupation of treading the quarter-deck. There was plenty of time during these maneuvers for political conversations, and European reports suggest that much progress was made toward a general German-Hungarian understanding. At a formal function in Berlin, Wednesday, Admiral Horthy spoke glowingly of the parallel interests of his country with those of the Reich and Italy. Chancellor Hitler stressed the same point and added a formal guarantee in behalf of the Reich of Hungarian frontiers. The Little Entente, meanwhile, hastened frantically to make a last-minute attempt to appease Hungary and prevent too close an attachment between that country and Germany. right to rearm was extended Hungary on Tuesday, and it was announced at the same time that mutual pledges of non-aggression had been given. Admiral Horthy remained in Berlin and on Thursday reviewed a tremendous array of German military units.

As the German military maneuvers increased in scope the difficulties between the Reich and Czechoslovakia regarding the Sudeten German minority

began to come to a head. It was indicated in Prague over the last week-end that genuine concessions to the minority would be made, if they would content the Henlein faction. But the Czech Nazis, who take their orders from Berlin, merely countered with their usual demands for greater concessions still, that would amount to virtual autonomy for the Sudetens. It was confirmed on Tuesday that Viscount Runciman, the semi-official British mediator, had talked at length with Konrad Henlein, and from British sources the impression was conveyed that Herr Henlein was quite unprepared to make commitments until after consultation with his German masters. Prague dispatches on Wednesday stated that a show-down was near, and the report received a measure of confirmation in London, Thursday, when Viscount Runciman's chief aide hastily returned to the British capital for fresh instructions. Significantly enough, the new instructions were said to concern means of putting pressure upon the Czechs to meet the German demands. Hasty consultations with French authorities followed, and intimations were given in London that authoritative statements might be made over the current week-end.

Spanish War

ALTHOUGH fighting was intense and furious in the Spanish civil war, these military activities were overshadowed this week by diplomatic developments incident to the so-called non-intervention program elaborated by the British authorities and accepted by the loyalist regime. After long deliberation, General Francisco Franco replied last Sunday to the proposal for proportionate withdrawals of foreign "volunteers" from either side in Spain, and the answer was a barely qualified negative. The long and laborious note called for equal withdrawals from the opposing armies, and an immediate grant of belligerent rights. Suggestions for maritime control of Spanish ports and air supervision of the borders were rejected as well. This rebuff to the London Government is a most serious one, that well may occasion endless delay in any settlement of the foreign aspects of the Spanish war and therefore in the effectiveness of the Anglo-Italian treaty of amity. A calm view, nevertheless, was taken in London, where patient attempts again were started to find some way out of the impasse.

The difficulty admittedly is serious, however, for it is held fairly obvious that General Franco took his stand at the behest of the Italian and German Governments, and this consideration in turn brings up the question of fascist aims in this dubious bit of international diplomatic intrigue. The British authorities inclined to the belief that a hold-up was in progress, with the terms of capitulation by General Franco most likely to be revealed in Central European events of the next few days or weeks. The disturbing consideration intervenes that General Franco can have little real authority for his frequent assurances of independence from his fascist supporters and his assertions that there will be no grants of territory or Spanish possessions if he succeeds in his aims. The whole non-intervention scheme once again was demonstrated as farcical, moreover, through Italian admissions that fresh troops and supplies are being rushed to the insurgents as "replacements" for casualties and worn-out

materials. Renewed agitation was noted in France for reopening of the frontier to aid for the Spanish loyalists, and the threat of a general European war developing from the Spanish conflict thus took on added force.

Military operations within Spain were carried on with a desperate disregard of costs, for the insurgents are badly in need of a victory and the loyalists are determined to prevent any further gains by General Franco and his fascist allies. Intense and unremitting efforts were made by the insurgents to recapture the Ebro River salient carried by the loyalists and held grimly despite badly hampered communications. Assault after assault was launched by General Franco against the Government lines, but only small gains could be claimed, and the loyalists had the satisfaction on Thursday of reporting a diminution of the furious attacks, apparently because the insurgents are running out of men and materials. In Southwestern Spain the insurgents were similarly unable to make more than small dents in the loyalist lines, and the important mining area of Almaden remains in Government hands. Sporadic fighting developed elsewhere along the extended lines, but the engagements occasioned little more than displays of insurgent superiority in the The airplanes supplied so liberally by Italy and Germany also were used by General Franco once again to bomb civilians in the heavily populated centers. Military experts now are inclined to believe that the war will continue to drag out for months to come.

China and Japan

TAPANESE invaders of China are redoubling their efforts to capture the important inland center of Hankow, if military indications that appeared this week are a reliable guide. It is generally assumed that the Nipponese militarists who forced the undeclared war upon China will halt their advance with the capture of Hankow and turn to consolidations of their immense territorial gains. Two main drives now are in progress, one toward Nanchang, 100 miles south of Kiukiang, and another directly westward in North Central China, with the Peiping-Hankow Railway as the goal. moves succeed the invaders will be in a position to close the pincers from north and south upon the Wuhan area, and interfere with the flow of supplies to the Chinese from Russia overland and from the rest of the world via Hongkong and Canton. But there are said to be fully 1,000,000 Chinese troops deployed fanwise around Hankow, and a successful conclusion of the Japanese drive necessarily will be an expensive matter. Unfortunately, the Japanese may possibly gain some aid from a renewal of political discord among the defenders. nese Generalissimo, Chiang Kai-shek, was reported Tuesday as issuing orders suppressing student and other organizations tinged with communism. called communist leaders have been helpful during the last 13 months of warfare in checking the

Whatever the military outcome of the struggle now in progress, it appears likely that the troubles of the invaders are only beginning. Chinese guerrilla activities are reported steadily increasing, and even in the immediate neighborhood of such centers as Peiping and Shanghai, large-scale military opera-

tions recently were found necessary by the Japanese command to counter such opposition. nomic difficulties of the Japanese are known to be worsening, and are reflected in Tokio reports of Monday that better relations will be sought with the Western Powers. The activities of the Japanese air force are not calculated to stimulate any rapprochement, however, for airplane bombing of helpless civilians continues, and on Wednesday the doughty Japanese fliers attacked and downed a passenger transport airplane near Hongkong. The obviously undefended ship, owned jointly by American and Chinese, not only was forced to land by five Japanese military airplanes, but then was machine-gunned and most of its passengers killed. There was no open renewal this week of the Russo-Japanese hostilities along the border of Siberia and Manchukuo, but the possibility of fresh incidents is known to be of profound concern to the Japanese Government and military command. patches of Monday suggested increasing strain in the diplomatic relations between Great Britain and Japan, which also may prove to be a factor in the conflict.

Mexican Land Expropriation

IPLOMATIC conversations between Mexico and the United States were resumed this week, with respect to the agricultural land expropriations of Mexico, ranging back almost 25 years, for which no payment ever was made to United States owners. In a tart and lengthy note, dispatched by Secretary of State Cordell Hull on Monday and published yesterday, the Mexican contentions of Aug. 3 are effectively countered. Mr. Hull finally comes to grips with the base realities of the situation and labels as "unadulterated confiscation" the Mexican practice of expropriation without effective compensation. The curious Mexican contention that international law sanctions the practices under dispute are revealed in the note as specious pleading, and a demand again is made for arbitration in either of two ways. The force of the document is somewhat dispelled, of course, by the long period during which the expropriations were permitted to continue, but a demand at length is made for cessation of the highly questionable Mexican measures. Although the communication is confined to agricultural land expropriations, its bearing on the recent oil land action is sufficiently obvious.

Previous contentions were repeated in the long communication, and Mr. Hull also summarized the Mexican rejoinder. He denied unequivocally the Mexican claims that payment for foreign-owned properties can be withheld on the basis of local laws, and because the Mexican Government is not in a position to make effective payment. Some of the sharpest words were reserved, however, for the peculiar Mexican interpretation of international law. The Mexican contention that such law sanctions the uncompensated seizures because they are "general and impersonal" brought the reply from Mr. Hull that "this is the first occasion in the history of the Western Hemisphere that such a theory has been seriously advanced." It was further asserted that "the doctrine so proposed runs counter to the basic precepts of international law and of the law of every American republic, as well as to every principle of right and justice," and is "a contention alien to the history, the spirit and the ideals of democracy as practiced throughout the independent life of all the nations of this continent."

The policy of expropriation without any payment as required by law and equity and justice places the United States Government in a situation, said Mr. Hull, where it must either assert and maintain with all vigor the doctrine of just compensation, or else acquiesce in the repudiation and abolition of that doctrine. The latter course is unthinkable, the Secretary made clear. "The vital interest of all governments and all peoples in this question, and the imperative need of all countries to maintain unimpaired the structure of common justice embodied in international as well as in basic national law, lead me particularly to appeal most earnestly to the Mexican Government to refrain from persisting in a policy and example which, if generally pursued, would seriously jeopardize the interests of all peoples throughout the world," he added. Mere further discussion of the matter was discountenanced on the ground that past experience has shown the uselessness of this method. Two methods of adjustment were suggested, either through the arbitration previously proposed, or through a joint commission with an international arbitrator to be named under the terms of the Gondra treaty. Mexico was urged, meanwhile, to set aside monthly sums for compensation.

Discount Rates of Foreign Central Banks

THERE have been no changes during the week in the discount rates of any of the foreign central banks. Present rates at the leading centers are shown in the table which follows:

Country	Rate in Effect Aug 26	Date	Pre- vious Rate	Country	Rate in Effect Aug 26	Date	Pre- vious Rate
Argentina	31/2	Mar. 1 1936		Hungary	4	Aug. 24 1935	41/2
Batavia	4	July 1 1935	436	India	3	Nov. 29 1935	31/2
Belgium	3	May 30 1938	4	Ireland	3	June 30 1932	3 1/2
Bulgaria	6	Aug. 15 1935	7	Italy		May 18 1936	5
Canada	21/2	Mar. 11 1935	4 3 2	Japan	3.29	Apr. 6 1936	3.65
Chile		Jan. 24 1935	416	Java	3	Jan. 14 1937	
Colombia	4	July 18 1933	5	Jugoslavia _	5	Feb. 1 1935	4
Czechoslo-				Lithuania		July 1 1936	61/2
vakia	3	Jan. 1 1936	314	Morocco			6
Danzig	4	Jan. 2 1937	5	Norway		May 28 1935	41/2
Denmark	4	Oct. 19 1936	314	Poland		Jan. 5 1938	4
England	2	June 30 1932	214		41/2	Dec. 17 1937	. 5
Estonia		Sept. 25 1934	51/2	Portugal	4	Aug. 11 1937	416
Finland	4	Dec. 4 1934				Dec. 7 1934	6
France		May 12 1938	41/2	South Africa		May 15 1933	4
Germany		Sept. 30 1932	5	Spain		July 10 1935	51/2
Greece			7.	Sweden		Dec. 1 1933	3
Holland		Jan. 4 1937 Dec. 2 1936	21/2	Switzerland	11/2	Nov. 25 1936	2

Foreign Money Rates

IN LONDON open market discount rates for short bills on Friday were 9-16%, as against 9-16% on Friday of last week, and 9-16% for three-months bills, as against 9-16% on Friday of last week. Money on call at London on Friday was $\frac{1}{2}$ %. At Paris the open market rate remains at $2\frac{1}{2}$ % and in Switzerland at 1%.

Bank of England Statement

THE statement for the week ended Aug. 24 showed another gain in bullion of £50,710, which brought the total up to £327,647,577, compared with £327,861,436 a year ago. As the increase in gold was attended by a loss in note circulation of £3,925,000, the reserve increase amounted to £3,975,000. Public deposits rose £3,852,000 while other deposits declined £4,156,737. The latter consists of bankers accounts which decreased £4,162,846 and other accounts which gained only £6,139. The reserve proportion rose to 30.6% from 28.01% a week ago; last year it was 25.6%. Loans on government securities de-

creased £2,730,000 and those on other securities £2,544,799. The latter consists of "discounts and advances" and "securities" which fell off £194,799 and £1,350,000 respectively. The discount rate remains unchanged at 2%. Below we show the different items with comparisons for previous years:

BANK OF ENGLAND'S COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

	Aug. 24, 1938	Aug. 25, 1937	Augl 26. 1936	Aug. 28, 1935	Aug. 29, 1934
	£	£	£	£	f
Circulation	478,698,000	488,266,998	443.409,298	399.564.647	379.283.726
Public deposits	23,959,000	25,376,710	17,229,570	9,359,708	
Other deposits	135,632,931	128,816,892	138,751,659	133,388,938	
	101,559,981	92,819,213	100,911,403	96,935,098	83,746.689
Other accounts	34,072,950	35,997 679	37,840.256		35,216,025
Gov't securities	101,911,164	108,837,487	84,758,310		
Other securities	26,909,085	23,960,361	27.015.752	25,195,136	14,959,223
Disct. & advances.	6,267,277			12,934,587	5.615.506
Securities	20,641,808	19.642,715	17,814,100	12,260,549	9.343.717
Reserve notes & coin	48,948,000	39,594,438	62,435,184	54,518,914	73.052.127
Coin and bullion	327.647.577	327,861,436	245.844.482	194,083,561	192,335,853
Proportion of reserve			,0, 10	202,000,002	202,000,000
to liabilities	30.6%	25.6%	40.00%	38.19%	47.75%
Bank rate	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

Bank of France Statement

HE statement for the week ended Aug. 18 showed a further decline in note circulation of 885,000,000 francs, which brought the total down to 99,339,965,327 francs. Notes outstanding a year ago totaled 88,216,281,780 francs and the year before 83,617,299,440 francs. French commercial bills discounted, advances against securities and creditor current accounts recorded increases of 658,000,000 francs, 18,000,000 francs and 1,428,000,000 francs respectively. The Bank's gold holdings remain unchanged at 55,808,328,520 francs; last year it was 55,717,154,399 francs and the previous year 54,-674,051,812 francs. The reserve ratio stands at 47.19%, compared with 53.14% a year ago and 59.30% two years ago. Below we show the various items with comparisons for previous years:

BANK OF FRANCE'S COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

	Changes for Week	Aug. 18, 1938	Aug. 19, 1937	Aug. 21, 1936
Gold holdings Credit bals, abroad_ a French commerc'l		Francs 55,808,328,520 22,899,339	Francs 55,717,154,399 16,004,790	Francs 54,674,051,812 7,720,354
bills discounted b Bills bought abr'd Adv. against securs_ Note circulation Credit current accts. c Temp. advs. with-	+658,000,000 No change +18,000,000 -885,000,000 +1,428,000,000	743,650,652 3,606,091,203 99,339,965,327	898,358,191 3,890,154,905 88,216,281,780	3,464,239,951 83,617,299,440
out int. to State Propor'n of gold on hand to sight liab_	No change	40,133,974,773 47.19%		8,736,332,300 59.30%

a Includes bills purchased in France. b Includes bills discounted abroad. c Authorized by convention of June 18, 1936, laws of June 23, 1936, convention of June 30, 1937, and decree of June 29, 1938. The last increased the June 30, 1937, allowance of 20,000,000,000 francs to 30,000,000,000 francs, of which 18,050,000,000 francs have been taken.

Since the statement of June 29, 1937, gold valuation has been at rate of 43 mg, gold, 0.9 fine, per franc; previous to that time and subsequent to Sept. 26, 1936, gold valuation was 49 mg. per franc; prior to Sept. 26, 1936, there were 65.5 mg. of gold to the franc.

Bank of Germany Statement

HE statement for the third quarter of August showed a decrease in note circulation of 147,-200,000 marks, which brought the total down to 6,143,200,000 marks. Notes outstanding a year ago aggregated 4,590,226,000 marks and the year before 4,138,442,000 marks. Reserves in foreign currency, silver and other coin, investments, other daily maturing obligations, and other liabilities recorded increases of 226,000 marks, 30,351,000 marks, 167,000 marks, 114,276,000 marks and 4,459,000 marks respectively. No change was shown in the Bank's gold, the total remaining at 70,773,000 marks, compared with 69,529,000 marks last year. A loss appeared in bills of exchange and checks of 36,055,000 marks, in advances of 5,381,000 marks and other assets of 17,763,000 marks. The reserve ratio is now at 1.24%; compared with 1.65% a year ago and 1.83% two years ago. Following we furnish the different items with comparisons for previous years:

REICHSBANK'S COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

	Changes for Week	Aug. 23, 1938	Aug. 23, 1937	Aug. 23, 1936
Assets— Gold and bullion Of which depos, abr'd Res've in for 'n currency Bills of exch. & checks Silver and other coin Advances Investments Other assets	+30,351,000 -5,381,000 +167,000	5,790,197,000 207,115,000 27,883,000	19,672,000 6,208,000 4,696,045,000 221,993,000 33,739,000 403,421,000	22,531,000 5,527,000 4,268,732,000 196,342,000 41,484,000 529,162,000
Labilities— Notes in circulation Oth. daily matur.oblig. Other liabilities.— Propor'n of gold & for'n curr. to note circul'n.	-147,200,000 +114,276,000 +4,459,000	977,317,000 304,780,000	248,400.000	217,119,000

New York Money Market

ITTLE more than routine business was done this week in the New York money market. Although commercial loans by banks tend to advance seasonally, the gains so far recorded are small and make no dent in the tremendous total of available credit resources. Bankers' bill and commercial paper dealings were small and at unchanged rates. The Treasury sold last Monday a further issue of \$100,000,000 discount bills due in 91 days, and awards were at 0.048% average, computed on an annual bank discount basis. Call loans on the New York Stock Exchange held to 1% for all transactions, and time loans again were 11/4% for maturities to 90 days, and 11/2% for four to six months' datings.

New York Money Rates

EALING in detail with call loan rates on the Stock Exchange from day to day, 1% was the ruling quotation all through the week for both new loans and renewals. The market for time money continues quiet, no transactions having been reported this week. Rates continued nominal at 11/4% up to 90 days and $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ for four to six months maturities. The demand for prime commercial paper has been good this week, but transactions have been limited to the supply of paper available, which continues Rates are quoted at 34%@1% for all very light. maturities.

Bankers' Acceptances

HE market for prime bankers' acceptances has been extremely quiet this week. Prime bills are scarce and the demand has been very light. There has been no change in rates. Dealers' rates as reported by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for bills up to and including 90 days are $\frac{1}{2}\%$ bid and 7-16% asked; for bills running for four months, 9-16% bid and ½% asked; for five and six months, 5/8% bid and 9-16% asked. The billbuying rate of the New York Reserve Bank is 1/2% for bills running from 1 to 90 days. The Federal Reserve Bank's holdings of acceptances decreased from \$540,000 to \$537,000.

Discount Rates of the Federal Reserve Banks

HERE have been no changes this week in the rediscount rates of the Federal Reserve banks. The following is the schedule of rates now in effect for the various classes of paper at the different Reserve banks:

DISCOUNT RATES OF FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS

Federal Reserve Bank	Rate in Effect on Aug. 26	Date Established	Previous Rate
Boston	1½ 1 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½	Sept. 2, 1937 Aug. 27, 1937 Sept. 4, 1937 May 11, 1935 Aug. 27, 1937 Aug. 21, 1937 Aug. 21, 1937 Sept. 2, 1937 Aug. 24, 1937 Sept. 3, 1937 Aug. 31, 1937 Sept. 3, 1937 Sept. 3, 1937 Sept. 3, 1937	2 1½ 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

Course of Sterling Exchange

CTERLING exchange shows little change from previous weeks. The pound is perhaps a little steadier, but London and Paris are still under pressure, thus affecting all major Continental currencies, for the dollar is still in demand although there is not the same excitement in the London gold market as has prevailed for many weeks. The range for sterling this week has been between \$4.877-16 and \$4.88 7-16 for bankers' sight bills, compared with a range of between \$4.87 1-16 and \$4.883/8 last week. The range for cable transfers has been between \$4.87 9-16 and \$4.881/2, compared with a range of between \$4.871/8 and \$4.88 7-16 a week ago.

It is now the time when under normal trade conditions autumn pressure on sterling should rapidly approach its peak and exchange should favor the dollar until after the turn of the year. Tourist requirements for foreign exchange must swiftly decrease during September. However, as frequently pointed out, commercial and other seasonal factors have had little or no effect upon exchange quotations in recent years.

Political disturbances abroad and the constantly recurring war scares are the most important factors affecting exchange rates and the movements of currencies from one center to another. appearance of steadiness the market displays from time to time in foreign exchange is due entirely to the intervention of the equalization funds and the exchange controls in the various countries. Even the great resources of the exchange equalization funds working secretly and in close harmony have proved ineffective to prevent wide variations in rates and these agencies appear to enter the market only when exceedingly sharp declines or advances are immediately impending. The general business position of Great Britain continues adverse, although recent London bank publications and other official analyses of the business situation have a more optimistic tone, derived largely from hopes of a sharp upturn in business on this side upon which, according to all British reviewers, the prosperity of other countries depends.

Industrial production of Great Britain for the second quarter of 1938 was 7.8% less than in the first quarter and 8.7% below the second quarter of 1937. The Board of Trade index, based on 1930 as 100, shows that industrial activity in the second quarter of this year fell slightly below that for the second quarter of 1936. The indices for these two periods being 122.1 and 122.3 respectively. The heaviest declines are shown in textiles-21%; in iron and steel, 20.5%; in non-ferrous metals, 11.5%. Railroad earnings and provincial bank clearings continue to decline.

The British business world has taken new encouragement from semi-official reports originating simultaneously on Tuesday in London, Washington, and Ottawa that the United States and Great Britain are in near accord on the trade agreement. London financial circles indicate that a tentative list of concessions is already agreed upon, while responsible sources in Ottawa say that the agreement is imminent and that Ottawa authorities hope it will be followed by a similar agreement between Canada and the United States.

Barclay's Bank, Ltd. review for August declares that "While the volume of new business has been

relatively small, there have at times been indications of an improvement in inquiry, and a somewhat better feeling in regard to the outlook appears to have gained ground. An important factor contributing to this development doubtless has been the evidence of a slightly more favorable trend in business activity in the United States."

Lloyd's Bank, Ltd., in its August review said: "Looking back over the summer as a whole it seems fair to say that the recession has received a definite check, for the business curve is no longer moving downward as rapidly as in the earlier part of the

Discussing trade prospects in its quarterly review of international conditions, J. Henry Schroder & Co. comments: "It remains to be seen whether the more confident tone of the security markets will check the recession in British trade lately indicated by decreased railway receipts, provincial bank clearings, and employment figures. The improvement already noted in the commodity markets is a favorable symptom from this point of view. Stocks in the hands of merchants and manufacturers are said to have been brought down to a point at which replenishment orders may now be expected; and any movement that increases the purchasing power of primary producers is a powerful stimulant to trade activity. Throughout the recent period of gloom, of which it may be hoped that we have seen the end, unfavorable features in the position have had an exaggerated effect, while the underlying conditions which make for progress have been largely ignored."

Money continues abundant in Lombard Street. Call money against bills is in supply at ½%. Two-, three-, and four-months' bills contine at 9-16%, and six-months' bills at 19-32%. All the gold on offer in the London open market continues to be taken for "unknown destination," thoroughly understood to be principally for individual hoarding interests. On Saturday last there was on offer at the time of price fixing £442,000, on Monday £610,000, on Tuesday £1,431,000, on Wednesday £690,000, on Thursday £1,034,000, and on Friday £1,029,000.

At the Port of New York the gold movement for the week ended Aug. 24, as reported by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, was as follows:

GOLD MOVEMENT AT NEW YORK, AUG. 18-AUG. 24, INCLUSIVE

Imports \$15,598,000 from England 4,387,000 from Canada 6,000 from El Salvador

None

\$19,991,000 total

Net Change in Gold Earmarked for Foreign Account

Note—We have been notified that approximately \$763,000 of gold was received at San Francisco from Hongkong.

The above figures are for the week eneded on Wednesday. On Thursday there were no imports or exports of the metal or change in gold held earmarked for foreign account. On Friday \$5,226,000 of gold was received of which \$2,699,000 came from Canada and \$2,527,000 from England. There were no exports of the metal or change in gold held earmarked for foreign account. It was reported on Friday that \$5,847,000 of gold was received at San Francisco from Japan.

Canadian exchange is relatively steady. Montreal funds ranged during the week between a discount of $\frac{3}{8}\%$ and a discount of 7-32%.

The following tables show the mean London check rate on Paris, the open market gold price, and the price paid for gold by the United States:

MEAN LONDON CH	IECK RATE ON PARIS
Monday, Aug. 22178.47 Tuesday, Aug. 23178.43	Wednesday, Aug. 24
	ARKET GOLD PRICE

Saturday, Aug. 20____142s. 5½d. | Wednesday, Aug. 24___142s. 6d. Monday, Aug. 22____142s. 5d. | Thursday, Aug. 25___142s. 5½d. Thursday, Aug. 26___142s. 7d.

PRICE PAID FOR GOLD BY THE UNITES STATES (FEDERAL RESERVE BANK)

Referring to day-to-day rates sterling exchange on Saturday last was steady in limited trading, slightly firmer than at previous close. sight was \$4.87 15-16@\$4.88½; cable transfers \$4.88 @\$4.88 3-16. On Monday sterling was steady with a slightly firmer tone. Bankers' sight was \$4.87 15-16 @\$4.88 1-16 and cable transfers were \$4.88@ \$4.88 3-16. On Tuesday the pound was steady in a quiet market. The range was \$4.87 13-16@ 4.88 - 16 for bankers' sight and 4.87%for cable transfers. On Wednesday exchange was inclined to favor the dollar. Bankers' sight was \$4.87 15-16@\$4.88 7-16; cable transfers \$4.88 @ \$4.88½. On Thursday exchange on London was steady in quiet trading. The range was \$4.87 13-16 @\$4.88\\dot{4} for bankers' sight and \$4.87\%@\$4.88 5-16 for cable transfers. On Friday sterling was steady in limited trading. The range was \$4.877-16@ 4.87% for bankers' sight and 4.879-16@4.8715-16for cable transfers. Closing quotations on Friday

Cotton and grain for payment closed at \$4.877-16. Continental and Other Foreign Exchange

were $$4.87\frac{1}{2}$ for demand and \$4.879-16 for cable

\$4.87 3-16, 60-day bills at \$4.86 7-16, 90-day bills at

 $$4.86\frac{1}{8}$, documents for payment (60 days) at \$4.86 7-16, and seven-day grain bills at \$4.86 15-16.

Commercial sight bills finished at

RENCH francs are ruling firmer, although still relatively weak in terms of the dollar. franc ruled during the week in terms of sterling close to 178.40 francs to the pound, as compared with the minimum rate since devaluation of 179 francs. Last week the franc ranged between 178.80 and 178.90. The lower the rate is as compared with the stabilized minimum, the firmer the franc. The dollar de facto rate of the franc should be calculated at 2.79. In this case the lower the rate, the weaker the franc. This week the range was between 2.73 and 2.74. This compares with last week's range of between $2.72\frac{3}{8}$ and $2.73\frac{1}{8}$. The discount on future france has narrowed by almost one half since last week.

The improvement in the franc is attributed to the firm stand taken by Premier Daladier on the dock strikes and on the necessity for extending the hours of labor where necessary. The Premier's attitude has doubtless had much to do with curtailing the movement of French funds into dollars and gold which had persisted for some weeks. It is understood that both the British equalization fund and the French fund were active in maintaining the position of the franc.

The Leftist parties in special meetings were loud in condemnation of M. Daladier's position with respect to labor and hours. Press dispatches from abroad emphasized this feature of opposition, but it should be pointed out that French political observers have long been used to the vocal violence of French politics. The net result appears to be in the present instance that M. Daladier found more real strength

than opposition to his policies. The Premier's opposition to the 40-hour law was based chiefly on the necessity of increasing national production. French Parliament is in recess until November. recess makes it impracticable to put into effect certain monetary measures which might perhaps strengthen the Premier's position.

M. Daladier gave as one of his reasons for the firmer measures the mobilization of the German military forces for autumn maneuvers. He said among other things: "France must be ready immediately, not in a year, not even in six months. We must begin to produce more immediately—in several days.

It is difficult to see how any increase in French production can improve the situation as France is caught like all other countries in the renewed international trade recession. During July and August international trade has shown no improvement over June. On the contrary, except in spots and special classes trade has declined.

The League of Nations monthly statistics disclose that the gold value of world trade in June reached the lowest level since September, 1936 and for the first half of this year showed a 10% decrease from the first six months of 1937. The survey revealed that living costs have had a slight general rise; of the 22 countries showing advances the largest was recorded for China with 27% increase; Japan was next with 16%, while France recorded a 14% rise in living costs.

The National Industrial Conference Board (United States) analyzing industrial production in June, showed that activity continued to drop off in Canada, France, Belgium, Holland, and Poland, while a full fledged depression developed in Mexico and the first decline in Italian industrial production in recent years became clearly manifest.

The Belgian currency has been ruling steadier, close to 16.87. This is due largely to improvement in the franc.

The German exchange control has held the socalled free or gold mark in close relationship to sterling around 40.05 cents. The business situation in the Reich seems to be extremely disturbed by the prospect of increased taxes. Business figures given out in Berlin cannot be accepted as authoritative. It is understood that the Government is still spending at the rate of more than 1,000,000,000 marks monthly above its income. It is understood that the Reich debt rose from 19,100,000,000 marks on April 1 to 22,450,000,000 marks on July 1. Of the total increase 1,265,000,000 marks is represented by new Treasury notes and 1,967,000,000 marks by the proceeds of the last public loan floated in April.

The development of this public loan throws a revealing light on authoritarian government finance. The original amount first announced was 1,000,-000,000 marks. Because of "oversubscription and the urgent demand for additional Government bonds" it was successively raised to 1,600,000,000 marks and then proclaimed to be the biggest peace-time loan ever floated and the final proof of public confidence in the Government's economic policy. announcement on April 20 casually revealed that an additional 367,000,000 marks of this loan had been floated "in connection with further accountings with Reichsbank and with the indemnification of stockholders of the Austrian National Bank."

It is believed that the Government's debt is now nearly 57,000,000,000 marks.

As a foreign exchange item it is interesting to note a ruling made in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn a few days ago wherein Justice Steinbrink awarded to the Pan-American Securities Corporation of New York a summary judgment of \$188,947, with interest and costs, against Frederich Krupp, Inc., of Essen, Germany, manufacturer of steel products and munitions.

Referring to the German "devisen" laws Justice Steinbrink said: "Their function is to submit all German foreign exchange transactions to the supervision of the German Government. Their effect is to impose restrictions on certain classes of foreign No currency may be taken out of investments. Germany without permission of the German Government. In that sense all accounts in Germany are deemed 'blocked.' Under the devisen laws all resident German creditors receive the full amount of their investments, whether the investment was made in Germany or in a foreign country.

"While the devisen laws are plainly intended to discriminate against non-resident German creditors to the undeserved advantage of resident German debtors, and as such are highly repugnant to our sense of honor and decency and reflect financial sadism at its worst, inquiry must first be directed to the applicability of these laws to the bonds in suit." The court then held that the bonds referred to were to have been paid in Holland in guilders.

The following table show the relation of the leading European currencies to the United States dollar:

	Old Dollar Parity	New Dollar Parity a	Range This Week
b c France (franc)		6.63	2.73 to 2.74
Belgium (belga)		16.95	16.84½ to 16.89¼
Italy (lira)		8.91	5.261/8 to 5.261/2
Switzerland (franc)		32.67	22.91 to 22.93½
Holland (guilder)	40.20	68.06	54.67½ to 54.74½

a New dollar parity as before devaluation of the European currencies between Sept. 30 and Oct. 3, 1936.

b Franc cut from gold and allowed to "float" on June 30, 1937.

c On May 5, 1938 the franc was devalued on a de facto basis of 179 franc to the pound, or 2.79 cents a franc.

The London check rate on Paris closed on Friday at 178.33, against 178.78 on Friday of last week. In New York sight bills on the French center finished at 2.73 7-16, against 2.73; cable transfers at 2.73 7-16, against 2.731/s. Antwerp belgas closed at 16.89 for bankers' sight bills and at 16.89 for cable transfers, against 16.841/4 and 16.841/4. Final quotations for Berlin marks were 40.09½ for bankers' sight bills and $40.09\frac{1}{2}$ for cable transfers, in comparison with 40.10and 40.12. Italian lire closed at 5.261/8 for bankers' sight bills and at 5.261/4 for cable transfers, against 5.26 and 5.261/4. Exchange on Czechoslovakia finished at 3.46, against 3.453/8. On Bucharest at 0.74½, against 0.74½; on Poland at 18.87, against 18.87; and on Finland at 2.16, against 2.161/2. Greek exchange closed at 0.89½, against 0.89½.

XCHANGE on the countries neutral during the E war presents no new features of importance. The currencies move in close sympathy with sterling and this fact accounts for whatever ease the units show in terms of the dollar. The Holland guilder is steadier than last week, although Amsterdam reports a consistent demand for United States securities.

Bankers' sight on Amsterdam finished on Friday at 54.67, against 54.69 on Friday of last week; cable transfers at 54.67, against 54.70; and commercial sight bills at 54.62, against 54.65. francs closed at 22.91 for checks and at 22.91 for cable transfers, against 22.94 and 22.94. Copenhagen.

checks finished at 21.761/2 and cable transfers at 21.76½, against 21.79 and 21.79. Checks on Sweden closed at 25.131/2 and cable transfers at 25.131/2, against 25.16½ and 25.16½, while checks on Norway finished at 24.50 and cable transfers at 24.50, against 24.53 and 24.53.

XCHANGE on the South American countries presents no new features of importance. These units have been uniformly steady. Wherever there is the least freedom in exchange, as in Argentina, the quotations move in sympathy with sterlingdollar fluctuations, while in Brazil, Chile, and Peru the rates are kept steady by arbitrary exchange control.

Argentine paper pesos closed on Friday at 32.50 for bankers' sight bills, against 32.52 on Friday of last week; cable transfers at 32.50, against 32.52. The unofficial or free market close was 25.65@25.70. against 25.60@25.65. Brazilian milreis are quoted at 5.90 (official), against 5.90. Chilean exchange is quoted at 5.19 (official), against 5.19. Peru is nominally quoted at 21.25, against 22.30.

EXCHANGE on the Far Eastern countries follows the trends in evidence since the beginning of the Sino-Japanese war. Approximately \$84,000,000 in gold has been segregated by Japan in a revolving fund for the financing of its foreign trade. Some of the gold has already been transferred to this country. In a few recent shipments of gold to the United States the amounts have failed to appear in the gold tables of the Federal Government. The presumption is that this gold is earmarked for the account of the Bank of Japan. On July 19 the Bank of Japan released 300,000,000 yen from its gold reserves, leaving 501,000,000 yen to cover note issue. The 300,000,000 yen immediately became a revolving foreign exchange fund to be used, according to official language, "to facilitate the importation of raw materials for manufactures to be exported."

Closing quotations for yen checks yesterday were 28.44, against 28.47 on Friday of last week. Hongkong closed at $30\,9\text{-}16@30\frac{5}{8}$, against $30.58@30\frac{5}{8}$; Shanghai at 171/2, against 17.27@171/2; Manila at 49.85, against 49.85; Singapore at 56.90, against 56.94; Bombay at 36.23, against 36.41; and Calcutta at 36.23, against 36.41.

Gold Bullion in European Banks

HE following table indicates the amounts of gold bullion (converted into pounds sterling at par of exchange) in the principal European banks as of respective dates of most recent statements, reported to us by special cable yesterday (Friday); comparisons are shown for the corresponding dates in the previous four years:

Banks of-	1938	1937	1936	1935	1934
England France Germany b Spain Italy Netherlands Nat. Belg'm Switzerland Sweden Denmark Norway	c63,667,000 a25,232,000 123,380,000 87,022,000	83,403.000 25,890.000	£ 245,844,482 437,392,414 2,297,000 88,092,000 42,575,000 54,900,000 106,714,000 49,811,000 24,081,000 6,553,000 6,604,000	572,869,175 3,230,950 90,772,000 54,694,000 48,818,000 100,606,000 45,554,000 19,817,000 7,394,000	
Total week.	1,080,746,386 1,077,810,676	1.066.088.049	1 064 962 900	6,602,000 1,144,440,686	$\frac{6,577,000}{1,248,337,320}$

a Amount held Dec. 31, 1936, latest figures available. b Gold holdings of the Bank of Germany are exclusive of gold held abroad, the amount of which is now reported at £530.050. c As of April 30, 1938, latest figure available. Also first report since Aug. 1, 1936.

The gold of the Bank of France was revalued on July 23, 1937, at 43 milligrams of gold 0.9 fine, equal to one franc; this was the second change in the gold's value within less than a year, the previous revaluation took place on Sept. 26, 1936. when the gold was given a value of 49 milligrams to the franc as compared with 66.5 mgs, previously. On the basis of 65.5 mgs., approximately 125 francs equaled £1 sterling at par; on basis of 49 mgs., about 165 francs equaled £1 sterling, and at 43 mgs., there are about 190 francs to £1.

The Drive Against Tax Exemptions

One of the subjects that seems certain to be pressed upon the attention of the next Congress is the abolition of the exemption from taxation which government securities, whether Federal, State or local, now enjoy in the assessment of income taxes, and of the similar exemption which is accorded to the salaries of holders of public offices. The impetus to the demand was given by President Roosevelt in a special message to Congress on April 25, and since the program as then outlined is essentially the one around which an increasing volume of discussion and criticism has centered, its proposals may properly be summarized.

"Fairly construed," Mr. Roosevelt said, the "plain language" of the Sixteenth Amendment, impowering Congress "to lay and collect taxes on incomes from whatever source derived," "would seem to authorize taxation of income derived from State and municipal as well as Federal bonds, and also income derived from State and municipal as well as Federal offices." The courts, however, have not followed this construction, but have "read into" the Amendment "a policy of reciprocal tax immunity." Any advantages which such reciprocity may have had in the past, Mr. Roosevelt declared, "have long ago disappeared." Not only has there been created "a vast reservoir of tax-exempt securities in the hands of the very persons who equitably should not be relieved of taxes on their incomes," but neither the Federal Government nor the States received "any adequate, compensating advantage" for the immunity which they reciprocally granted. A similar problem, he continued, was created "by the exemption from State or Federal taxation of a great army of State and Federal officers and employees," and the problem was the more serious because of increasing reliance, by both the States and the Federal Government, upon graduated income taxes for revenue.

Mr. Roosevelt did not agree with the view that the situation could be changed only by "that cumbersome and uncertain remedy" of a constitutional amendment. "Expressions in recent judicial opinions," he said, "lead us to hope that the assumptions underlying these doctrines are being questioned by the [Supreme] Court itself, and that these tax immunities are not inexorable requirements under the Constitution itself but are the result of judicial decision. . . . The doctrine was originally evolved out of a totally different set of economic circumstances from those which now exist. It is a familiar principle of law that decisions lose their binding force when the reasons supporting them no longer are pertinent."

He accordingly recommended prompt action by Congress to end such tax exemptions for the future. The States, it was proposed, should be given the same powers with respect to the taxation of future issues of Federal bonds as are given to the Federal Government in the taxation of future issues of State or municipal bonds, and the same reciprocal grants of power should end the exemption from taxation of Federal, State or local government salaries. A "short and simple statute," he suggested, would suffice to achieve a reform which, he declared, "is a matter not of politics but of principle."

Mr. Roosevelt's proposals, it will be observed, fall under three heads: a reciprocal right in the Federal Government and the States to tax future issues of Federal, State or local securities, a similar reciprocal right of taxing the incomes of Federal or State officers and employees, and the accomplishment of both these objects by a Federal statute instead of by a constitutional amendment. The developments since the message was sent in touch all of these points.

On May 23 the Supreme Court, in a five to two decision, held that the salaries of the officers of the Port of New York Authority were subject to the Federal income tax. The decision, which overruled decisions of the Board of Tax Appeals and the Circuit Court, held that the taxes challenged were imposed upon the net income of persons "from their employment in common occupations not shown to be different in their methods or duties from those of similar employees in private industry. . . . The basis upon which constitutional tax immunity of a State has been supported is the protection which it affords to the continued existence of the State." The Court did not find that such continued existence was imperiled by the tax, and further thought it "plain" that employees of the Port Authority "are not employees of the State or a political subdivision of it within the meaning of the tax regulation as originally promulgated."

The decision, which attracted wide attention, was particularly disturbing because of the possibility that under it the Treasury might demand the payment of back taxes—a demand which, in the case of the Port of New York Authority, would run back to the creation of the Authority in 1926. An eventual intimation from the Treasury that back taxes in this case might not be sought appears to have been aided by a vigorous protest from Attorneys General of a number of States, members of interstate organizations similar to the New York Port Authority, and municipal representatives who convened shortly after the decision at Washington. On June 10 a stay order, issued by Associate Justice Roberts of the Supreme Court, postponed action under the decision until the October term, when an application for a rehearing of the Port Authority case will be heard.

The ruling that the salaries of officers of the Port of New York Authority were not exempt from the Federal income tax opened the possibility of Federal levies upon the salaries of hundreds of thousands of State employees in a wide variety of occupations. The seriousness of the outlook led to the meeting of a Conference on State Defense, comprising Attorneys General and other officers of 26 States, which on July 5 issued a call for a national organization to resist the encroachment of the Federal Government upon the revenues and rights of the States. The Treasury Department, it was reported, while willing to await the action of the next Congress, had declined to approve any legislative proposal that would prevent the collection of back taxes from State employees. At a meeting of the National Association of Attorneys General at Cleveland, on July 26, Henry Epstein, Solicitor General of New York, called vigorously for resistance to the centralizing trend of the Federal Government, and declared that a statement of the Department of Justice, cited by Roswell Magill, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, that the Constitution does not "shield the States against the delegated and su-

preme taxing power of the central government" was "the most shocking assertion, the claim most destructive of every concept of our Constitution and of the reserved rights of the States" that he had "ever read in a Federal document."

Unfortunately, the protests from State authorities appear to have been without much effect at Washington. The Treasury Department is reported to be preparing more or less comprehensive plans of tax revision which, among other things, will subject future issues of Federal, State and municipal bonds to Federal taxation, and also permit State taxation of future issues of Federal bonds, the changes to be accomplished by an Act of Congress. A reciprocal taxation of Federal and State salaries is also believed to be included in the program. A special committee of the Senate, created at the last session, has also been at work on the problem, and its Chairman, Senator Prentiss M. Brown, Democrat, of Michigan, was reported on Wednesday as expecting that the Committee would recommend a bill embodying President Roosevelt's proposals, and that Congress would enact the measure, even if there were doubt about its constitutionality, in order to test the opinion of the Supreme Court.

As the matter now stands, the Department of Justice appears to hold that the Federal Government has a constitutional right to tax the States and their employees, notwithstanding that the States have no corresponding right to tax Federal property or securities or the salaries of Federal employees. The Treasury Department, accepting this view, declines to commit itself against claims to back taxes from State employees, although the demand might be ruinous to the persons assessed. Both departments appear disposed to support Mr. Roosevelt's demand for legislation which will remove existing exemptions and subject to Federal or State taxation on a reciprocal basis future security issues and the salaries of employees of the respective governments.

There are two things to be said about this situation. The first is that it constitutes a body drive, deliberate as well as serious, at the constitutional rights of the States, and hence at the whole Federal system which the Constitution establishes. If the Administration proposal is to prevail, it will leave the States, as the meeting of Attorneys General at Cleveland declared, "in the status of counties or provinces of a central government" and "in effect destroy the form of State and local government and of dual sovereignty under which the people of the United States have lived and prospered for over a century and a half." There can be no assurance, moreover, that the removal of the exemption, in the case of Federal taxation of State or municipal bonds, would long be limited to future issues, for the tax revenue derivable from future issues of State or municipal securities would be relatively small, for a number of years at least, in comparison with that derivable from the "vast reservoir," as Mr. Roosevelt described it, of such securities already outstanding. The eager search by a spendthrift Government for new sources of revenue would endanger every State or municipal bond once the right to tax was conceded, and every other source of State or municipal revenue would be equally imperiled.

The second thing to be said, although it would seem to be so obvious as hardly to need saying, is

that if the present reciprocal exemptions are to be done away with, it should be through a constitutional amendment and not by a statute. For Congress to pass, or for the Supreme Court to uphold, a statute deliberately intended not only to set aside the meaning of a constitutional amendment which was clearly and generally understood when the amendment was proposed, but also to reverse a long line of judicial decisions in which the principle of reciprocal tax exemptions has been maintained. would be a long step toward the breaking down of constitutional restrictions upon Federal authority which the New Deal has persistently sought. The situation is not one that concerns merely the present or prospective holders of public securities; it is of vital concern also to every taxable person who derives any part of his income from Federal, State or municipal governments or their agencies, and to every citizen who cares for the integrity of the American federal system. Merely on grounds of good faith and a decent respect for public opinion. the end that is sought demands the authority of a constitutional amendment.

British Policy Meets a Rebuff

The reply which General Franco made on Sunday to the British proposal for the withdrawal of foreign troops from Spain is the most serious rebuff in foreign policy that the Chamberlain Government has received. Neither the concessions which General Franco is willing to make, nor the courteous phrases in which some of his criticisms and rejections are couched, avail to hide the fact that the British proposals have been turned down hard, and that the whole question of non-intervention in the Spanish war, and specifically that of the status of the Non-Intervention Committee at London, are back where they were months ago before the Chamberlain Government, in a desperate attempt to bring the Anglo-Italian treaty into effect, submitted the proposals which General Franco has now

The note in which the rejection was conveyed seemed at first to promise some practical accord. The National Government, the note stated, having already accepted the Committee's proposal of 3,000 as the number of foreign volunteers on each side to be withdrawn at the outset, was prepared to raise the figure to 10,000, subject to suitable reciprocity on the part of the Red or Loyalist "faction," proper guarantees that those withdrawn on either side should not return to Spain, "and on the basis of a prior grant of belligerent rights." It further offered, "as an extraordinary concession," to recognize two safety ports in the enemy zone for the entrance of vessels carrying foodstuffs, and also to cooperate in defining and limiting, "as far as may be practicable," the idea of military objectives in aerial bombardment so as to cause "the least possible damage both to neutral nations and to the Spanish civilian population."

There, however, agreement and concession stopped. The note reiterated the demand of the National Government, in its note of Nov. 18, 1937, for a grant of belligerent rights—a grant to which it was entitled, the note declared, by its possession and "full control" of a much larger part of Spain than was held by the Loyalists, a legal and regular gov-

ernment in de facto operation, and organized and disciplined military and naval forces. No partial or conditional grant of belligerent status, the note continued, could be considered or accepted, but the grant must be made "in all its fullness."

The proportional withdrawal of foreign volunteers which the Non-Intervention Committee had proposed was found by General Franco to be impracticable. Foreigners, the note pointed out, recruited in various ways by Loyalists, had been given Spanish names and Loyalist passports, and had been distributed among different combatant units, they lacked distinguishing marks by which they could be identified, they could be distributed temporarily among civilian populations, and those in advanced fighting positions could not easily be reached. An enumeration in such circumstances, it was urged, was out of the question. Moreover, according to the Committee's plan, the proposed enumeration would not include the nationals of countries not represented in the Committee-an exclusion which, the note remarked, covered "the whole world with the exception of Europe (exclusive of Switzerland)" and "approximately 50 per cent of the total number of foreign volunteers." Cooperation in the supervision and closing of frontiers was offered, but experience had shown that observation in ships and permanent commissions in ports was inadequate and that air observations were both impracticable and unacceptable. On the other hand, if full belligerent rights were accorded, the factions, "as interested parties, would stop on their own behalf all contraband and, without doubt, would act with zeal which nothing could surpass.'

The note concluded with the assurance that if the Non-Intervention Committee's aim was to remove the danger that the war might spread to other countries (an aim regarding which no doubt was expressed), the National Government was ready to extend all facilities "compatible with respect for its sovereignty and its rights which cannot be waived." "National Spain," however, the note declared, "is fighting for the defense of Western civilization," and "it cannot depart from the path which its obligations impose upon it." It took the opportunity to make known "to the Committee and to the world" its solemn reiteration of its former affirmations "that it is fighting for the greatness and independence of the country," that neither its territory nor its economic life would be mortgaged, and that its territory, including its protectorates and colonies, would be defended "at all times to the last handful."

Where does this rebuff leave the British Government and Mr. Chamberlain's plans for a general European "appeasement"? To begin with the Non-Intervention Committee, it seems hardly worth while now to expect anything useful from that organization. If it is not practicable to withdraw foreign volunteers from Spain (and the Franco note makes it clear that the task, on the Loyalist side, is well nigh insuperable), that subject might as well be dropped from the Committee's agenda. The closing and supervision of the Spanish frontiers is possible, but even if both Spanish parties were willing to cooperate, some neighboring countries are not at all anxious to see that step taken. The plain fact of the matter is that non-intervention has been from the beginning a mere pretense. No one of the greater

Powers has really wished to see the Spanish factions left to fight out their quarrel for themselves without help or intervention from anybody. Great Britain has come nearer than any other Power to observing neutrality, but Italy, Germany and Russia have openly intervened at one time or another, France has served as a convenient avenue of supplies for the Loyalists, and adventurers from many countries have found no great difficulty in enlisting. Now that the British effort from which most was hoped has failed, the Committee, which never had any genuine interest back of it, might as well be allowed to dissolve.

With the breakdown of the British plan, however, there is no longer any hope of shortening the Spanish war by negotiation, and with the disappearance of that hope the British Government faces the question of the Italian treaty. At the special suggestion of the British the treaty was to go into effect when the war in Spain had ended, and it was confidently expected, apparently, by the British Government that the end would be hastened by the Anglo-Italian accord. The treaty with Italy was the basis of Mr. Chamberlain's "appeasement" policy, and he has shown extraordinary forbearance under Italian acts which have been difficult to reconcile with respect for the treaty and which to many have seemed provocative. Now, however, with General Franco's rebuff, the going into effect of the treaty has been indefinitely postponed. It would be possible, of course, to change the terms of the treaty and provide for an earlier or unconditional operation, but press dispatches from Rome indicate that the Franco note proved entirely acceptable in Italian Government circles, and it is unlikely that Italy will now care to terminate or materially lessen the aid which it has been giving to the National Government.

It is fortunate for Mr. Chamberlain that at the moment Parliament is not in session, for in addition to a serious check to his Italian policy he has in hand an increasingly dangerous situation in Czechoslovakia. If the Runciman mission has had as yet any success, no one has been able to point out wherein the success consists. There have been interviews and conversations, conferences, proposals and counter-proposals, but no real progress, as far

as is publicly known, toward a settlement. Hitler, busy with his military maneuvers and his negotiations with Admiral Horthy, the Hungarian dictator, has seemed disposed to let the Czechoslovak situation "ride" and see what may come out of it. The presence of Lord Runciman, however, is in itself provocative to Germany, which is unable to see any sufficient basis for British interference, and it is not clear that a grant of autonomy to the Sudeten Germans, a step which Great Britain is reported to be pressing upon the Government at Prague, would have anything more than a temporary effect upon Hitler's plans.

Mr. Chamberlain has staked his political fortunes, as far as European policy is concerned, upon three things. He has made a treaty with Italy intended to settle differences in the Mediterranean and the Near East, and has tied the treaty to the outcome of the civil war in Spain. He has sought to cultivate friendly relations with both Italy and Germany, hoping, apparently, that he might thereby check aggression by dictatorships, keep Europe at peace and weaken somewhat the strength, perhaps not very great at best, of the Berlin-Rome axis. He has intervened, in a left-handed way, in a political controversy in Czechoslovakia after declining to assure that country of British support in case of attack, again in the hope of averting a war in which, while Czechoslovakia would probably be the loser, a number of other countries might become involved. At no one of these points has he had, thus far, any marked success. The Italian treaty, delayed for months while awaiting developments in Spain, has now been hung up indefinitely by the Franco note. No tangible results have come out of the intervention in Czechoslovakia, and relations with Germany and Italy, while in general friendly, are no more obviously friendly than they were when Mr. Chamberlain took office. He has now to show whether, faced with what his political opponents will be quick to call a failure, he can keep the Italian treaty alive and give it effect, exert any influence that the two parties in Spain will respond to, and bring about a solution of the Czechoslovak problem acceptable to those most vitally interested in the controversy.

The Business Man's Bookshelf

The Evolution of Finance Capitalism

By George W. Edwards. 429 pages. New York: Longmans, Green & Co. \$4.

title "finance capitalism," Professor Edwards reminds his readers at the outset, is "a concession to popular what his book is concerned with being "an inquiry into the nature of the non-financial and the financial institutions of security capitalism," which he regards as the more accurate term. The scope of the inquiry is wide and the approach is historical, comparative and statistical. Part I traces the evolution of world security capitalism in Great Britain, France, Germany and Europe generally; Part II follows the same evolution in the United States, while Part III discusses various problems of American security capitalism-financial organization, corporate and government investment, security policies, the make-up of a financial statement, public control and reconstruction. Appendices give a mass of statistical data regarding security capitalism, national debts, the financial position of national banks and railroads, and the proportion of security investments to total assets of financial institutions for 1890-1935. There are also 42 tables scattered through the text.

There can be nothing but praise for the thoroughness with which Professor Edwards has covered his large field, or for the great practical usefulness of the book for whoever wants a well-balanced summary view, critical as well as comprehensive, of the development with which the book deals. The reader who wishes to learn the author's critical opinions regarding present situations will be likely, perhaps, to turn first to the chapters on public control and reconstruction. Government control of security capitalism since the World War is regarded by Professor Edwards as of varied effective-"Legislation aiming to bring about business revival and the relief of the debt burden by monetary action rested on a misconception of the debtor class." The Banking Act of 1935, on the other hand, is commended as checking the speculative use of credit by commercial banks and correcting a number of unsound practices in the commercial banking system. Both of the premises on which the Securities Act was based, however, are regarded by Professor Edwards as "questionable," the previous loss through fraudulent securities being small in comparison with the total volume of securities issued, while a study of prospectuses appearing in New York City newspapers between 1925 and 1929, inclusive, "showed that the investing public did receive truthful and adequate information which disclosed the inherent weaknesses in most of the bonds eventually in default."

Looking at the future, Professor Edwards concludes that security capitalism in the United States will be best served by maintaining and strengthening the democratic system. He sees no likelihood that the United States will keep out of the next war, but he would have it join with other nations in removing such political or economic factors as tend to produce another conflict. In the monetary field he finds stabilization "desirable and essential." Production, whether agricultural or manufacturing, and plant expansion must be adjusted to meet market conditions, which in turn are affected by a decline in population. A clash between banking and industrial security capitalism should, if possible, be avoided, the role of the Federal Reserve System should be active and not passive, stock exchange regulation "should be directed toward checking as far as possible price fluctuations," "close international banking cooperation" should be promoted, and government must realize "that the safety promoted, and government must realize "that the safety of the banking system is dependent upon the soundness of public credit." Moreover, since security capitalism has become increasingly public, "any program of control must be extended to the regulation not only of corporate but also of public securities," but "bankers in Wall Street as well as Main Street, and legislators on Pennsylvania Avenue" are reminded that it is necessary to understand the distinction "between democratically controlled capitalism and authoritarian capitalism." A number of detailed suggestions are made for the improvement of the Federal Reserve System. Professor Edwards's book is to be cordially commended

Professor Edwards's book is to be cordially commended as a substantial contribution to economic literature and to the practical treatment of economic problems.

The Course of the Bond Market

A moderate rally in the bond market has resulted in gains for many bonds of second grade and has kept the high-grade list firm this week. The U.S. Government average of 8 long-term issues, after advancing to a new 1938 high, is at 112.38, or 0.40 under the January 1937 high.

High-grade railroad bonds have recorded fractionally higher prices. Atchison gen. 4s, 1995, at 106½ were up ½; Virginian 3¾s, 1966, have gained ¾ at 104; Union Pacific 1st 4s, 1947, at 111½ gained ¼ point. Medium-grade and speculative railroad bonds have also gained. Kansas City Southern 5s, 1950, are up 1¼ points at 71¼; Delaware & Hudson 4s, 1943, however, lost 1 point at 55; Pittsburgh & West Virginia 4½s, 1960, have advanced 5 points to 48.

All investment types of utility bonds have made fractional advances. Cincinnati Gas & Electric 3½s, 1966, at 107 have gained ¾; New York Edison 3½s, 1966, have advanced ½ to 106. Affected by developments of a special sort, the Central Power 5s, 1957, which closed at 91, up 8½; Tennessee Public Service 5s, 1970, which advanced 35½ to par, and bonds of the New York traction companies were the most active in the utility group. Interborough Rapid Transit 5s, 1966, have lost 4¾ at 59¼. New financing has been fairly substantial, with offerings of \$33,000,000 Commonwealth Edison 3½s, 1968, and \$20,000,000 Lone Star Gas 3½s, 1953.

Changes have been narrow in the industrial bond group this week, a mixed trend being in evidence on the average. Among steel bonds, Jones & Laughlin Steel 4½s, 1961, have receded ½ point to 96½, while Otis Steel 4½s, 1962, have fallen 1 to 74½. Oil issues have been fractionally lower for the most part. Building bonds, on the other hand, have been stronger, the Certainteed Products 5½s, 1948, rising 2¾ to 78¾. Studebaker conv. 6s, 1945, have advanced sharply, rising 6¾ to 84½. Meat packing issues have strengthened slightly, the Armour 4s, 1955, advancing ¾ to 99¼.

The foreign bond market has exhibited further lack of speculative interest as trading has continued at slightly changed prices. Japanese bonds, being as usual the most active group, closed mixed with gains of $2\frac{1}{2}$ points to 72 in the $6\frac{1}{2}$ s, and a drop of $3\frac{1}{4}$ points to $51\frac{1}{4}$ for the $5\frac{1}{2}$ s. Italian 7s have lost $\frac{1}{8}$ at $73\frac{1}{2}$. Among defaulted South American issues, the State of Sao Paulo 7s, 1940, at 25 have lost $3\frac{1}{2}$ points.

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Moody's computed bond prices and bond yield averages are given in the following tables:

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ug.26'36	110.89	102.84	115,14	110.63	100.35	88.36	96.61	102.66	109.84	2 Years Ago— Aug. 26, 1936	3.84	3,21	3.43	3.98	4.73	4.20	3.85	3.47

* These prices are computed from average yields on the basis of one "typical" bond (4% coupon, maturing in 30 years), and do not purport to show either the average level or the average movement of actual price quotations. They merely serve to illustrate in a more comprehensive way the relative levels and the relative movement of yield averages, the latter being the truer picture of the bond market.

† The latest complete list of bonds used in computing these indexes was published in the issue of July 23, 1938, page 488.

Indications of Business Activity

THE STATE OF TRADE-COMMERCIAL EPITOME

Friday Night, Aug. 26, 1938.
Business activity continues its upward trend, with the outlook increasingly favorable as the fall season nears. For the sixth consecutive week the "Journal of Commerce" the sixth consecutive week the "Journal of Commerce" weekly index of business activity shows a gain. Last week the index figure rose to 78.4, and compares with a revised figure of 77.6 for the preceding week and 101.8 for the corresponding period of 1937. Steel operations continue at 1938 peak levels, and merchandise loadings and electric output showed further expansion. Bituminous coal production was heavier, while petroleum runs-to-stills and automotive activity contracted, according to above-mentioned authority. Realization of the extent of the July pick-up, brought about by publication of the Federal Reserve Board index for that month, set industrial statisticians to thinking that they may have been under-estimating the probable velocity of the current recovery movement. The broad scope of the upturn in industrial activity continues to confound most careful statisticians. That the Federal Reserve Board index of industrial output may cross the 90 mark by October, at least, is the conclusion reached by not a few October, at least, is the conclusion reached by not a few expert observers. In fact, present prospects indicate to some that the production index may average around the 90 mark for the entire second half of the year. A broadensome that the production index may average around the 90 mark for the entire second half of the year. A broadening demand from miscellaneous steel consumers has lifted the national ingot rate two points to 43% of capacity, but any immediate betterment in volume depends on automobile buying, according to the weekly summary of "Iron Age." New business at Pittsburgh is reported at 18% to 25% above July bookings, while last week's orders were approximately 10% better than the week before. "Expectations of a continuing upward trend in steel operations are based on the following factors," says the trade journal. "New orders before mid-September from automobile companies and parts makers for production runs on new models; an increase in rolling specifications against contracts recently closed for building steel, and further additions to backlogs; more buying by farmers after crops have been converted into cash, and the possibility of some buying of equipment and rails by the railroads. The most uncertain factor in the present steel situation is that relating to wages and prices. With steel operations at their present low point, steel companies are sustaining larger losses, a situation that may not be rectified on the basis of present costs and selling prices until operations have reached 60% or higher." For the week ended Aug. 20 production of electricity by the electric light and power industry concosts and selling prices until operations have reached 60% or higher." For the week ended Aug. 20 production of electricity by the electric light and power industry continued the upward trend which began in the week ended July 16, but just missed matching output of the first week in January, the best week this year. Production for the current week aggregated 2,138,517,000 kilowatt hours, or 7.2% below the corresponding week a year ago, the Edison Electric Institute reveals. This compares with 2,139,582,000 kilowatt hours in the week ended Jan. 2, a decrease of 1,065,000 kilowatt hours. In the week of Aug. 20 output showed a gain of 4,876,000 kilowatt hours over the previous week, when it stood at 2,133,641,000 kilowatt hours, but was 165,515,000 kilowatt hours below the total of 2,304,032,000 kilowatt hours in the corresponding week a year ago. Engiweek, when it stood at 2,133,641,000 kilowatt hours, but was 165,515,000 kilowatt hours below the total of 2,304,032,000 kilowatt hours in the corresponding week a year ago. Engineering construction awards for the week, \$57,907,000, are 30% above last week and 55% above the corresponding week in 1937, "Engineering News-Record" reveals. This week's volume brings the 1938 total to \$1,714,535,000, an increase of 2.3% over the \$1,675,497,000 for the 34-week period in 1937, it states. Public construction, 31% above a week ago and 134% above the 1937 week, is aided materially by large Federal projects getting under way. Private construction tops last week by 28%, but drops 39% below the 1937 week. An increase in factory employment of 40,000 persons and in weekly payrolls of nearly \$500,000 during July was reported recently by Secretary of Labor Perkins. The Association of American Railroads reported today 597,918 cars of revenue freight were loaded during the week ending last Saturday. This was an increase of \$357 cars, or 1.4% compared with the preceding week; a decrease of 179,232 cars, or 23.1% compared with a year ago, and a decrease of \$24,905 cars, or 35.2% compared with 1930. Production of automobiles and trucks in the United States this week, because of temporary discontinuance of operations by one of the larger manufacturers, totaled only 18,700 units, according to Ward's Automotive Reports, Inc. This is a decrease of 64,610 from the 83,310 units in the like week of 1937, and 5,240 units under the preceding week. It is stated that operations are being rapidly resumed, and advancing output in the near future can be anticipated. The service expressed the belief that a solid foundation has been built for steadily gaining activity and estimates that about \$60,000,000 has been spent by the automobile production. With the relief from excessive heat and prevalence of more comfortable weather, retail sales totals made substantial gains in most distribution centers this week, Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., reported today. T kilowatt hours in the corresponding week a year ago.

many fronts, and encouraged expectations of further improvement in the near future. For the country as a whole, the decline in retail volume from the corresponding 1937 week was narrowed 2% to 9%, the agency reports. There was nothing very outstanding in the weather developments of the past week. Following a few days of respite from the persistently warm weather in the Midwest during the first part of the week, there was a return to abnormally high temperatures near its close. Again a large trans-Mississippi area had maximum temperatures ranging from 100 degrees to 104 degrees. In fact, all sections east of the Rocky Mountains had maxima as high as the middle 90's, except some Appalachian Mountain sections, the extreme Northeast, the Lake region, and the extreme northwestern Great many fronts, and encouraged expectations of further imeast, the Lake region, and the extreme northwestern Great Plains. East of the Rocky Mountains the highest tempera-ture reported was 104 degrees, at Valentine, Neb., and Huron, S. Dak., on Aug. 22, while on the same date Phoenix, Ariz., reported 110 degrees. In much of the Great Plains and Rocky Mountain areas continued absence of material rainfall, the warm weather, and much sunshine have intensified droughty conditions, especially in much of New Mexico, parts of Oklahoma, and rather generally in Nebraska, South Dakota, Wyoming and Colorado. East of the Mississippi River conditions continue favorable. In the New York sippi River conditions continue favorable. In the New York City area the weather during most of the week has been exceptionally fine and cool. Today it was fair and warm here, with temperatures ranging from 61 to 76 degrees. The forecast was for partly cloudy, not much change in temperature tonight and Saturday. Overnight at Boston it was 60 to 76 degrees; Baltimore, 62 to 80; Pittsburgh, 58 to 74; Portland, Me., 58 to 78; Chicago, 62 to 70; Cincinnati, 60 to 80; Cleveland, 58 to 70; Detroit, 58 to 74; Charleston, 80 to 94; Milwaukee, 60 to 68; Savannah, 78 to 98; Dallas, 80 to 98; Kansas City, 72 to 100; Springfield, Mo., 72 to 100; Oklahoma City, 74 to 100; Salt Lake City, 64 to 90; Seattle, 52 to 70; Montreal, 58 to 72, and Winnipeg, 50 to 70. peg, 50 to 70.

Revenue Freight Car Loadings in Week Ended Aug. 20 Total 597,918 Cars

Loadings of revenue freight for the week ended Aug. 20 Loadings of revenue freight for the week ended Aug. 20, 1938, totaled 597,918 cars, an increase of 8,357 cars or 1.4% from the preceding week, a decrease of 179,232 cars, or 23.1% from the total for the like week a year ago, and a drop of 137,558 cars, or 18.7%, from the total loadings for the corresponding week two years ago. For the week ended Aug. 13, 1938, loadings were 23.8% below those for the like week of 1937, and 19.9% below those for the corresponding week of 1936. Loadings for the week ended Aug. 6, 1938, showed a loss of 23.8% when compared with 1937 and a drop of 19.8% when comparison is made with the same week of 1936. k of 1936

week of 1936.

The first 18 major railroads to report for the week ended Aug. 20, 1938, loaded a total of 282,979 cars of revenue freight on their own lines, compared with 279,932 cars in the preceding week and 357,973 cars in the seven days ended Aug. 21, 1938. A comparative table follows:

REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM CONNECTIONS

		d on Own eks Ende		Received from Connections Weeks Ended—			
	Aug. 20 1938	Aug. 13 1938	Aug. 21 1937	Aug. 20 1938	Aug. 13 1938	Aug. 21 1937	
Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Ry.	18,401	18,768	23,617				
Baltimore & Ohio RR	24,577	23,884	33,857	13,274	13,063		
Chesapeake & Ohio Ry	20,427	19,439	23,539	8,668	8,269		
Chicago Burlington & Quincy RR.	14,603	15,304	16,824				
Chicago Milw. St. Paul & Pac.Ry		19,683	21,868				
Chicago & North Western Ry		14,572	16,968	8,797			
Gulf Coast Lines	2,297	2,375	3,149	1,201	1,364		
International Great Northern RR				1,747	1,825	2,429	
Missouri-Kansas-Texas RR	3,922				2,370	2,973	
Missouri Pacific RR	12,457			6,887	6,644	8,900	
New York Central Lines	30.878		41,898	30,523	30,376	39,035	
N. Y. Chicago & St. Louis Ry	4,885	4.495	5,522	7,894	8,152	9,670	
Norfolk & Western Ry	19,431		23,194	4,055	3,670	4,677	
Pennsylvania RR				33,114	33,309	44,107	
Pere Marquette Ry	4,006			3,721	3,730	4,577	
Pittsburgh & Lake Erie RR	4.289			3,963	3,992	6,814	
Southern Pacific Lines	29,121	28,250					
Wabash Ry	4,849				6,524	8,14	
Total	282,979	279,932	357,973	158,813	158,165	202,320	

TOTAL LOADINGS AND RECEIPTS FROM CONNECTIONS

		Week Ended-	
	Aug. 20, 1938	Aug. 13, 1938	Aug. 21, 1937
Chicago Rock sland & Pacific Ry Illinois Central System St. Louis-San Francisco Ry	Not stated 27,119 11,394	23,243 26,646 11,441	Not stated 31,913 14,451
Total	38,513	61.330	46.364

The Association of American Railroads, in reviewing the week ended Aug. 13, reported as follows:

Loading of revenue freight for the week ended Aug. 13 totaled 589,561 cars. This was a decrease of 184,221 cars or 23.8% below the corresponding week in 1937 and a decrease of 314,596 cars or 34.8% below the same week in 1930.

Loading of revenue freight for the week of Aug. 13 was an increase of 5.511 cars or 0.9 of 1% above the preceding week.

Miscellaneous freight loading totaled 230,917 cars, an increase of 6.212 cars above the preceding week, but a decrease of 77.384 cars below the corresponding week in 1937.

Loading of merchandise less-than-carload-lot freight totaled 148,536 cars, a decrease of 707 cars below the preceding week, and a decrease of 18,146 cars below the corresponding week in 1937.

Coal loading amounted to 91,517 cars, an increase of 590 cars above the preceding week, but a decrease of 24,808 cars below the corresponding week in 1937.

Grain and grain products loading totaled 47,896 cars, a decrease of 3,623 cars below the preceding week, but an increase of 4,914 cars above the corresponding week in 1937. In the Western districts alone grain and grain products loading for the week of Aug. 13 totaled 34,806 cars, a decrease of 2,335 cars below the preceding week, but an increase of 4,658 cars above the corresponding week in 1937.

Livestock loading amounted to 11,945 cars, an increase of 669 cars above the preceding week, but a decrease of 2,634 cars below the corresponding week in 1937. In the Western districts alone, loading of livestock for the week of Aug. 13 totaled 8,895 cars, an increase of 398 cars above the preceding week, but a decrease of 2,664 cars below the corresponding week in 1937.

Forest products loading totaled 29,724 cars, an increase of 829 cars above the preceding week, but a decrease of 11,025 cars below the corresponding week in 1937.

Ore loading amounted to 24,798 cars, an increase of 1,800 cars above the preceding week, but a decrease of 49,690 cars below the corresponding week in 1937.

Coke loading amounted to 4,228 cars, a decrease of 259 cars below the preceding week, and a decrease of 5,448 cars below the corresponding a decrease of 259 cars below

week in 1937.

All districts reported decreases compared with the corresponding weeks in 1937 and 1930.

	1938	1937	1930
Four weeks in January	2,256,423	2,714,449	3.347.717
Four weeks in February	2,155,451	2,763,457	3.506.236
Four weeks in March	2.222.864	2,986,166	3.529,907
Five weeks in April	2.649.894	3.712.906	4.504.284
Four weeks in May	2.185,822	3.098.632	3.733.385
Four weeks in June	2,170,984	2.962.219	3.642.357
Five weeks in July	2.861.762	3.794,249	4.492.300
Week of Aug. 6	584.050	766.182	919.781
Week of Aug. 13	589,561	773,782	904,157
Total	17.676.811	23,572,042	28,580,12

In the following we undertake to show also the loadings for separate roads and systems for the week ended Aug. 13, 1938. During this period only 12 roads showed increases when compared with the same week last year.

REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM CONNECTIONS (NUMBER OF CARS)—WEEK ENDED AUGUST 13

RaUroads		Total Reven Treight Load			ds Received nnections	Rattroads	1	Total Reven	ue ded	Total Load	is Received
	1938	1 1937	1936	1938	1 1937		1938	1 1937	1 1936	1938	1 1937
Eastern District— Ann Arbor Bangor & Aroostook Boston & Mcine Chicago Indianapolis & Louis Central Indiana Central Vermont Delaware & Hudson Delaware Lackawanna & West	793 6,637 1,612 20 1,173 3,241 7,096	489 813 8,326 1,672 27 1,441 4,806 9,366	531 929 8,041 1,702 28 1,076 4,479 8,772	904 201 7,630 1,611 69 1,666 5,878 4,888	1,096 294 8,983 2,262 113 2,005 6,940 6,395	Southern District—(Concl.) Mobile & Ohio Nashville Chattanoga & St. L. Norfolk Southern Pledmont Northern Richmond Fred. & Potomac Seaboard Air Line Southern System Tennessee Central Winston-Salem Southbound	986 364	1,906 2,681 990 346 416 8,073 20,865 460	1,701 3,098 950 380 345 7,252 20,761 456	2,154 2,020 1,065 893 2,609 3,276 12,343 483	1,883 2,036 1,038 984 2,609 3,651 13,917 678
Detroit & Mackinac Detroit Toledo & Ironton Detroit & Toledo Shore Line	1,171 167	2,614 338	1,795 286	130 680 1,562	114 1,287 2,398			170	177	796	871
Crand Trunk Western Lehigh & Hudson River Lehigh & New England Lehigh Valley. Maine Central Monongahela Montour New York Central Lines. N. Y. N. H. & Hartford. New York Ontario & Western N. Y. Chicago & St. Louis Pittsburgh & Lake Erle. Pere Marquette. Pittsburgh & Shawmut Pittsburgh & Shawmut Pittsburgh & Shawmut	11,096 2,828 167 1,111 5,957 2,372 2,801 1,632 31,002 8,120 790 4,495 4,548 3,948 3,948	13,506 4,831 1,66 1,088 7,220 2,953 4,263 2,528 42,155 10,737 992 5,559 6,663 5,969 327 1,036 632	13,722 3,103 1,69 1,491 8,615 2,982 3,728 2,371 40,813 10,442 1,531 5,498 6,759 5,053 345 1,279 646	9,699 4,694 1,433 850 5,789 1,613 218 19 30,376 8,628 1,459 8,152 3,970 3,730 1,57 1,378	13,914 6,563 1,871 1,005 7,941 1,680 227 23 38,623 10,693 1,648 9,675 7,155 4,762 246 2,008 1,000	Northwestern District— Chicago & North Western Chicago Great Western Chicago Milw. St. P. & Pacific Chicago St. P. Minn. & Omaha Duluth Missabe & I. R Duluth South Shore & Atlantic Eighn Jollet & Eastern Ft. Dodge Des Moines & South Great Northern Green Bay & Western Lake Superior & Ishpeming Minneapolis & St. Louis Minn: St. Paul & S. S. M Northern Pacific Spokane International	16,194 2,466 19,492 3,620 7,349 653 4,258 518 518 2,007 5,786 9,749	98,288 22,440 2,728 21,022 4,376 20,282 1,063 8,675 530 27,440 562 3,546 2,211 7,852 11,348 336	98,250 21,146 2,880 23,114 4,485 15,545 1,354 7,323 471 21,659 571 2,514 2,197 8,092 10,551 359	54,270 8,956 2,346 7,135 3,615 166 360 3,476 529 55 1,615 2,144 3,336 3,336 3,12	10,874 3,023 8,593 4,508 296 483 7,056 3,323 513 85 1,591 2,705 4,10¢
Rutland	5,142 3,396	5,774 4,850	5,742 4,811	6,524 2,186	8,039 3,605	Spokane Portland & Seattle Total	2,185 93,110	1,896	1,418	38,829	1,645
Total		151,966	147,375	116,919	152,594	Central Western District—			7 7 7 7 7		
Alleghany District Alton Canton & Youngstown Baltimore & Ohlo Bessemer & Lake Erle Buffalo Creek & Gauley Cambria & Indiana Central RR. of New Jersey Cornwall Cumberland & Pennsylvania Ligonier Valley Long Island Penn-Reading Seashore Lines. Pennsylvania System Reading Co Union (Pittsburgh) West Virginia Northern Western Maryland	421 23,884 2,711 298 4,454 562 177 60 1,110 51,007 10,674 4,876 2,908	577 33,259 6,752 190 6,286 565 240 136 670 1,442 71,051 13,010 17,470 28 3,646	32,640 5,866 360 1,300 5,888 827 312 82 82 82 82 13,651 13,992 33 3,544	554 13,063 1,380 7 11 8,752 50 23 30 1,880 1,137 33,309 13,070 2,459 0 4,410	761 16,015 3,443 9 15 10,127 51 43 17 1,366 44,447 15,895 7,509 5,911	Atch. Top. & Santa Fe System. Alton. Bingham & Garfield. Chleago Burlington & Quincy- Chicago & Illinois Midland. Chicago & Eastern Illinois. Colorado & Eastern Illinois. Colorado & Southern. Denver & Rio Grande Western. Denver & Salt Lake. Fort Worth & Denver City. Illinois Terminal. Missouri-Illinois. Nevada Northern. North Western Pacific. Peoria & Pekin Union. Southern Pacific (Pacific). Toledo Peoria & Western. Union Pacific System. Utah.	23 23,721 257 13,488 174	24,229 3,650 604 17,011 2,345 14,074 2,582 905 3,311 440 1,128 2,027 7,755 1,974 1,105 117 26,699 293 15,416 361	20,473 3,212 305 16,436 1,428 12,926 2,814 1,035 3,145 517 981 1,327 1,717 1,218 204 24,260 349 14,373	4,759 1,690 1,690 685 6,984 1,945 1,416 2,515 927 1,055 324 82 479 0 4,211 1,113 8,127	5,934 2,318 117 8,301 692 8,096 2,685 1,773 3,044 1,518 371 111 111 649 47 5,565 1,301 8,795
Pocahontas District—	70.400	00 500				Utah Western Pacific	1,807	1,624	1,884	2,267	2,331
Chesapeake & Ohio Norfolk & Western Virginian Total	19,439 18,699 4,504 42,642	23,708 23,527 4,475 51,710	23,813 23,145 3,908 50,960	8,269 3,670 1,037	10,438 4,301 920 15,659	Southwestern District— Burlington-Rock Island	163	205	149	45,490	307
Southern District— Alabama Tennessee & Northern Atl. & W. P. — W. RR. of Ala Atlanta Birmingham & Coast Atlantic Coast Line. Central of Georgia Charleston & Western Carolina Clinchfield Columbus & Greenville Durham & Southern Florida East Coast Gainsville Midland Georgia Georgia & Florida. Gulf Mobile & Northern Illinois Central System Louisville & Nashville Magon Dublin & Suspana	180 639 754 7,818 3,477 407 1,119 254 169 422 30 840 765 1,418 18,399 18,328	308 721 777 8,041 4,175 441 1,430 314 155 453 36 993 710 1,826 21,148 20,365	204 843 936 8,019 3,832 361 1,277 321 170 460 41 885 692 1,677 21,619 21,451	149 1,243 578 4,279 2,206 970 1,459 517 479 57 1,305 480 878 8,760 4,261	172 1,200 634 4,081 2,286 978 1,771 323 551 444 93 1,440 526 1,067 11,602 4,867 276	Fort Smith & Western. Guif Coast Lines. International-Great Northern. Kansas Oklahoma & Guif. Kansas City Southern. Louisiana & Arkansas. Luuisiana & Arkansas. Luuisiana Arkansas. Litchfield & Madison. Midland Valley. Missouri & Arkansas. Missouri & Arkansas. Missouri & Arkansas. Missouri Pacific. Quanah Acme & Pacific. St. Louis-San Francisco. Miscouri Arkansas. Texas & Pacific. Wichita Falis & Southern. Wetherford M. W. & N. W.	129 2,375 1,970 155 1,811 1,670 111 243 589 123 3,822 13,077 6,428 2,308 2,308 2,308 2,312 238	173 3,492 2,249 200 2,073 1,573 120 114 836 275 5,174 16,740 8,644 2,765 8,447 4,863 276 38	156 2,599 2,318 190 2,088 1,430 154 243 692 155 4,729 16,462 8,640 2,373 6,931 4,197 281 32	191 1,364 1,825 884 1,405 990 413 751 183 257 2,370 6,644 90 3,557 1,809 2,430 2,887 107	236 1,539 2,288 1,213 2,206 1,051 523 308 308 2,979 8,785 2,367 3,151 3,844 755 33
Mississippi Central	142 113	163 225	175 167	245 276	276 388	Total	45,004	58,370	54,070	28,482	36,537

Note-Previous year's figures revised. * Previous figures.

New Freight Cars on Order Aug. 1 Reach 10,234

Class I railroads on Aug. 1 had more new freight cars on order than at any time so far this year, the Association of American Railroads announced on Aug. 22.

The number of new freight cars on Aug. 1 totaled 10,234 compared with 5,021 on July 1 this year. New freight cars on order on Aug. 1, last year, totaled 38,089, and on Aug. 1, 1936, there were 27,151.

New steam locometives on Aug. 1 totaled 28,089.

New steam locomotives on Aug. 1 totaled 26 compared with 37 on July 1, this year, and 283 on Aug. 1, 1937. New steam locomotives on order on Aug. 1, 1936, totaled 65. New electric and Diesel locomotives on order on Aug. 1, this year,

totaled 23 compared with 26 on July 1, this year, and 29 on

Aug. 1, 1937. Two years ago there were 20 or order.

Class I railroads in the first seven months this year installed 6,927 new freight cars. In the same period last year, 41,630 were put in service, and in the same period two years ago the number was 14,914. New steam locomotives put in service in the same period this year. tives put in service in the seven months' period this year totaled 136, compared with 198 in the corresponding period last year, and 26 in the corresponding period two years ago. New electric and Diesel locomotives installed in the first seven months of 1938 totaled 82, compared with 25 last year and 14 two years ago.

New freight cars and locomotives leased or otherwise acquired are not included in the above figures.

Moody's Commodity Index Declines Slightly

Moody's Commodity Index declined from 143.8 a week ago to 143.6 this Friday. Silk, rubber, cotton, coffee and sugar prices were higher. Cocoa, wheat, corn, hogs and steel scrap declined, while there were no net changes for hides, silver, copper, lead and wool.

The movement of the Index during the week was as follows:

"Annalist" Weekly Index of Wholesale Commodity Prices Advanced 0.6 Point During Week Ended Aug. 20

A more cheerful tone prevailed in commodity markets in the week ended Aug. 20, and virtually all items moved into the week ended Aug. 20, and virtually all items moved into higher ground, according to an announcement issued by the "Annalist" of Aug. 22. The "Annalist" weekly index of wholesale commodity prices advanced 0.6 of a point to 79.9 on Saturday, Aug. 20. Prices are now fractionally above the lows for the past four years, and compare with 94.6 a year ago. The announcement went on to say:

Farm and food products made the best showing, with the most important recovery taking place in the grain and livestock markets. Steers and hogs scored small advances, while an average of good and choice lamb prices jumped to \$9.13 per hundredweight as compared with \$8.18 last week. Wheat and corn both advanced slightly, although there seemed to be considerable pressure on the market. Among the minor commodities rubber was the best performer, since that item advanced to a new high for the year.

THE ANNALIST WEEKLY INDEX OF WHOLESALE COMMODITY PRICES (1926—100)

	Aug. 20, 1938 (Saturday)	Aug. 13, 1938 (Saturday)	Aug. 17, 1937 (Wednesday
Farm products	75.8	74.8	100.4
Food products	71.8	70.7	86.5
Textile products	*58.7	x58.8	74.4
Fuels	85.8	85.8	90.7
Metals	96.5	96.5	109.2
Building materials	69.1	69.1	70.4
Chemicals		87.4	89.5
Miscellaneous	71.6	71.4	79.4
All commodities		79.3	94.6

* Preliminary. x Revised.

Wholesale Commodity Prices Declined Slightly During Week Ended Aug. 20, According to National Fertilizer Association

The wholesale price level was slightly lower last week, according to the commodity price index compiled by the National Fertilizer Association. This index in the week ended Aug. 20 was 72.9, against 73.1 in the preceding week, 74.6 a month ago, and 87.2 a year ago, based on the 1926-28 average as 100. The index is now at the lowest level reached since late 1934, says the Association's announcement, issued Avg. 22, which continued: issued Aug. 22, which continued:

ISSUED AUG. 22, WHICH CONTINUED:

Six of the principal commodity group averages declined last week while only three advanced. The food price index fell to the lowest point recorded in the current recession, with 15 declines in the group against seven advances. There was a moderate recovery in the prices of farm products last week, with the principal increases in corn, wheat, and hogs. Fractional declines were registered by the group indexes representing the prices of textiles, metals, fertilizer materials, farm machinery, and miscellaneous commodities. Increases were noted in the building material and fertilizer

Thirty-six price series included in the index declined during the week and 19 advanced; in the preceding week there were 39 declines and eight advances; in the second preceding week there were 36 declines and 18

WEEKLY WHOLESALE COMMODITY PRICE INDEX
Compiled by the National Fertilizer Association. (1926-1928-100)

Per Cent Each Group Bears to the Total Index	Group	Latest Week Aug. 20, 1938	Preced'g Week Aug. 13, 1938	Month Ago July 23, 1938	Year Ago Aug. 21 1937
25.3	Foods	71.1	72.0	73.6	86.0
	Fats and oils	59.3	59.3	63.3	72.0
1 10	Cottonseed oil	77.5	77.1	83.1	76.4
23.0	Farm products	64.0	63.7	68.0	85.1
	Cotton	46.3	47.2	49.5	55.5
5.7 1 1	Grains	52.0	50.5	57.5	89.3
	Livestock	71.3	71.0	75.7	91.2
17.3	Fuels	78.9	78.9	78.7	86.5
10.8	Miscellaneous commodities	77.1	77.5	77.7	86.2
8.2	Textiles	58.8	759.0	59.2	74.1
7.1	Metals	89.0	89.1	88.4	106.2
6.1	Building materials	79.1	78.8	79.5	87.5
1.3	Chemirals and drugs	94.2	94.2	94.2	95.6
.3	Fertilizer materials	69.7	69.9	69.8	72.3
.3	Fertilizers	78.0	77.1	77.1	79.9
.3	Farm machinery	97.6	97.9	97.9	96.4
100.0	All groups combined	72.9	73.1	74.6	87.2

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Index of Wholesale Commodity Prices of United States Department of Labor Declined 0.6% During Week Ended Aug. 20

The United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics' wholesale commodity price index declined 0.6% during the week ended Aug. 20 to the lowest level reached since December, 1934. Further weakness in prices of farm

products, principally livestock, largely accounted for the decine. Commissioner Lubin announced on Aug. 25. "The decrease brought the all-commodity index of over 800 price series to 77.4% of the 1926 average," Mr. Lubin said. "It is 1.7% lower than it was a month ago and 11.3% lower than it was for the corresponding week of August, 1937." Commissioner Lubin also stated:

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Minor declines were registered by the foods, textile products, fuel and lighting materials, chemicals and drugs, and miscellaneous groups. Hides and leather products, metals and metal products, building materials and housefurnishing goods remained unchanged at last week's level.

The index for the raw materials group fell 1.1% because of lower prices for agricultural commodities, kip skins; raw silk, hemp, jute, scrap steel, crude rubber, bananas and pepper. The group index, 70.3, is down 2.6% and 17.3% from a month ago and a year ago respectively.

The semi-manufactured commodity group declined 0.3%. The index is 0.4% below the corresponding week of July and 14.4% below the index for the week ended Aug. 21, 1937.

Wholesale prices of finished products, that is, fully manufactured commodities, dropped 0.4% during the week to the lowest point reached since early in October, 1936. The group index, 81.7, is 1.3% lower than it was at this time last month and 8.1% lower than it was a year ago.

According to the index for "all commodities other than farm products" non-agricultural commodity prices declined 0.4%. They are down 1.0% from a month ago and are 8.4% lower than they were a year ago.

Industrial commodity prices, as measured by the index for "all commodities other than farm products and foods," decreased 0.2% to equal the July 23 level. They are 5.0% below their level for the week ended Aug. 21, 1937.

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The announcement issued Aug. 25 by the Department of Labor, quoting Commissioner Lubin as above, also stated:

Largely because of a decrease of 5.3% in the livestock and poultry subgroup, the farm products group declined 1.6% to the lowest point reached in the past 4 years. Quotations were lower for cows, steers, hogs, lambs, wethers, live poultry, lemons, clover hay, alfalfa and clover seeds, dried beans, onions and white potatoes (Chicago). Following the sharp decline registered last week, grains advanced 1.4%. Higher prices were reported for corn, oats, rye, wheat calves, cotton, eggs, fresh apples, oranges, timothy seed, sweet potatoes and white potatoes (Portland, Oregon). This week's farm products index, 65.9, is 4.9% lower than it was for the corresponding week of last month and 24.3% lower than it was at this time last year.

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The second largest group decrease, 0.5%, was recorded for the fuel and lighting materials group. Lower prices for kerosene caused the decline. Average wholesale prices of bituminous coal advanced slightly and anthracite and coke were steady.

Wholesale market prices of foods dropped 0.3%, largely as a result of decreases of 0.8% for cereal products and meats. Among the individual food items for which price declines were reported were cheese, wheat flour, canned peaches, bananas, canned string beans and peas, fresh beef, cured pork, dressed poultry, lard, oleomargarine, pepper, corn starch and cotonseed oil. The fruit and vegetable subgroup advanced 1.8%. Higher prices were reported for dried apricots, raisins, most fresh fruits and vegetables, rye flour, hominy grits, corn meal, fresh pork, cocoa beans and coffee. The food group index, 72.0, is 3.1% below the level of a month ago and 17.1% lower than it was a year ago.

Falling prices for cotton textiles, raw silk, silk yarns, burlap, manila hemp and raw jute caused the index for the textile products group to decline 0.3%. No changes were reported in prices of clothing, hosiery and underwear and woolen and worsted goods.

Cattle feed prices dropped 5.1% and crude rubber declined 0.6% during the week. Automobile tires and tubes and paper and pulp remained steady. Weakening prices for fats and oils were responsible for the decline of 0.1% in the chemicals and drugs group index. Average wholesale prices of fertilizer materials and mixed fertilizers were unchanged from last week. In the hides and leather products group an advance of 0.9% in hide and skin prices was offset by a decline of 0.7% in leather, with the result that the index for the group remained unchanged at 92.5. No changes were reported in prices of shoes and other leather manufactures.

Very little fluctuation has been registered in prices of metals

were reported in prices of scrap steel, quicksilver and pig tin during the week anded Aug. 20.

The index of wholesale prices of building materials remained uncha

at 89.3 for the third consecutive week. Prices for yellow pine lath and timbers and turpentine were slightly lower, and yellow pine flooring advanced. Average prices for brick and tile, cement, and structural steel were firm. The index for the housefurnishing goods group remained unchanged at 87.8. Average wholesale prices of both furniture and furnishings were

stationary

The following table shows index numbers for the main groups of commodities for the past 5 weeks and for Aug. 21, 1937, Aug. 22, 1936, Aug. 24,

			-				10 1	-	-
Commodity Groups	Aug. 20 1938	Aug. 13 1938	Aug. 6 1938	July 30 1938	July 23 1938	21	Aug. 22 1936	Aug. 24 1935	25
All commodities	77.4	77.9	78.4	78.€	78.7	87.3	81.5	80.8	76.9
Farm products	65.9 72.0	67.0 72.2	68.7 73.5	68.6 74.1	69.3 74.3	87.1 86.8	84.6 82.8	80.7 86.1	
Hides and leather products Textile products	92.5 65.3	$92.5 \\ 65.5$	$92.2 \\ 65.5$	$92.5 \\ 65.7$	65.8		$94.3 \\ 70.4$	$\frac{90.2}{70.7}$	71.1
Fuel and lighting materials Metals and metal products	77.6 95.5	78.0 95.5	77.7 95.5	77.3 95.4	77.4 95.3	78.9 95.5		75.4 86.0	75.2 85.9
Building materials Chemicals and drugs Housefurnishing goods	89.3 77.1 87.8	89.3 77.2 87.8	89.3 77.4 87.9	89.2 77.6 87.9	89.3 77.0 87.9	96.4 81.7 92.7	86.9 79.5 82.6	85.1 79.3 81.7	86.4 76.0 82.9
MiscellaneousRaw materials	72.1	72.3 71.1	72.3 72.0	72.5 71.7		77.2 85.0	71.6 81.8	67.2	
Semi-manufactured articles Finished products	74.1 81.7	74.3 82.0	74.4 82.4	74.4 82.8	74.4	86.6		*	*
All commodities other than farm products_	80.0	80.3	80 6	80.8	80.8	87.3	80.8	80.7	77.
All commodities other than farm products and foods		81.8	81.7	81.6	81.6	85.9	79.7	78.1	78.

* Not computed.

Electric Output for Week Ended Aug. 20, 1938, 7.2% Below a Year Ago

The Edison Electric Institute, in its current weekly report, estimated that production of electricity by the electric light and power industry of the United States for the week

ended Aug. 20, 1938, was 2,138,517,000 kwh. This is a decrease of 7.2% from the output for the corresponding week of 1937, when production totaled 2,304,032,000 kwh. The output for the week ended Aug. 13, 1938, was estimated to be 2,133,641,000 kwh., a decrease of 7.3% from the like week a year ago.

PERCENTAGE DECREASE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR

Major Geographic Regions	Week Ended Aug. 20, 1938	Week Ended Aug. 13, 1938	Week Ended Aug. 6, 1938	Week Ended July 30, 1938
New England	5.3	7.6	7.7	6.6
Middle Atlantic	1.0	1.6	x1.1	0.3
Central Industrial	13.6	13.6	13.2	13.5
West Central	6.0	4.3	4.3	3.8
Southern States	4.0	4.6	6.7	4.5
Rocky Mountain	19.8	17.2	14.4	17.3
Pacific Coast	5.2	4.9	2.6	3.9
Total United States.	7.2	7.3	6.4	7.2

DATA FOR RECENT WEEKS (THOUSANDS OF KILOWATT-HOURS)

Week Ended.	1938	1937	Percent Change 1938 from 1937	1936	1932	1929
June 4	1,878,851	2,131,092	-11.8	1,922,108	1,381,452	1,615,085
June 11 June 18	1,991,787 1,991,115	2,214,166 $2,213,783$	-10.0 -10.1	1,945.018 1,989.798	1,435,471	1,689,925
June 25	2.019.036	2,238,332	-9.8	2.005.243	1,441,532 1,440,541	1,699,227
July 2	2.014.702	2,238,268	-10.0	2,029,639	1,456,961	1.702,051 $1.723.428$
July 9	1.881.298	2.096,266	-10.3	1.956,230	1,341,730	1,592,075
July 16	2.084,457	2,298,005	-9.3	2,029,704	1,415,704	1.711.625
July 23	2,084.763	2,258,776	-7.7	2,099,712	1,433,993	1.727,225
uly 30	2,093,907	2.256,335	-7.2	2,088,284	1,440,386	1,723,031
Aug. 6	2,115,847	2,261,725	-6.4	2,079,137	1.426.98"	1,724,728
Aug. 13	2,133.641	2,300,547	-7.3	2,079,149	1,415,122	1,729,667
Aug. 20	2,138,517	2,304,032	-7.2	2,093,928	1,431,910	1,733,110
Aug. 27	7 14	2,294.713		2,125,502	1,436,440	1,750,056
Sept. 3	100	2,320,982		2,135,598	1,464,700	1,761,594
Sept. 10		2,154,276	10 m	2,098,924	1,423,977	1,674,588

DATA FOR RECENT MONTHS (THOUSANDS OF KILOWATT-HOURS)

Month of	1938	1937	Per Cent Change 1938 from 1937	1936	1932	1929
January	9,300,383	9,785,174	-5.0	8,634,336	7.041.926	7.585.334
February	8,405,129	8,922,551	5.8	8,029,046	6.502,755	
March	9,137,970	9,930,252	-8.0	8,351,233	6.787.923	7,380,263
April	8.617,372	9,589,639	-10.1	8,371,498	6.320.551	7.285,359
May	8,800,414	9,699,161	9.3	8,536,837	6,240,381	7,486,635
June	8,934.086	9,791,569	-8.8	8,706,984	6.168.781	7,220,279
July		10,074,083		9,239,027	6,175,627	7,484,727
August		10,366,839	10 m	9,359,167	6,339,283	7.773.878
September		9,962,122	1 1 1	9.256,053	6,277,419	7.523.395
October		10.111.605		9,662,847	6,596,023	8,133,485
November	8 20 20	9,534,868		9,293,742	6.488.507	7.681.822
December	200	9,719,582	250	9,968,343	6,625,298	7,871,121
Total	By Agreem	117487 445	7.7	107409 113	77.574 474	90 277 153

Slight Decline in World Industrial Production During June Reported by National Industrial Conference Board

World industrial production declined slightly in June, 1938, but there is some evidence that the momentum of the decline is decreasing, according to recent study by the statistical division of the National Industrial Conference Board. In a statement issued Aug. 17 bearing on its review

Board. In a statement issued Aug. 17 bearing on its review the Conference Board also said:

In Great Britain and the United States indexes of production rose, while in Germany and the Scandinavian countries output was well maintained. Latin American business, except for Mexico, showed little change. Activity continued to drop off, however, in Canada, France, Belgium, Holland and Poland. Noteworthy were the full-fledged depression in Mexico and the first decline in Italian industrial production in recent years.

British business showed a one-point rise, with five component indexes advancing during June. Losses occurred in iron and steel production, output of machinery, construction, and value of exports and imports. A hopeful indication has been a 4% rise in the index of raw material prices.

prices.

In France a further recession in the heavy industries contributed to a continued fall in production, while the dollar quotations on the franc touched a new all-time low on Aug. 13.

Business activity in Canada declined for the second consecutive month, but it is believed that the rise in industrial production in the United States will tend to improve Canadian business.

During June the general wholesale price level reversed its downward trend for the first time in several months. The gold value of world trade, seasonally adjusted, continued to decline.

Reasons advanced for the progressive weakness of the pound sterling, a weakness characteristic of all leading foreign currencies, were the adverse British trade balance, growing anxiety over prospects of a European war, and large-scale hoarding of gold in London.

July Business Activity in California Recovered Highest Level Since Early 1938, Reports W Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co., San Francisco Wells

Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co., San Francisco
July business activity in California recovered to the highest level since early 1938, according to the current "Business Outlook" published by the Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co., San Francisco. The bank's index, which measures California's business in terms of the 1923-25 average, rose to 97.7% in July as against 94.2% in June and 112.6% in July, 1937. The July gain over the previous month resulted from increases in three factors of the index (industrial production, car loadings and bank debits), while the fourth factor (department store sales) dropped slightly. slightly.

June Statistics of the Electric Light and Power Industry

The following statistics for the month of June, covering 100% of the electric light and power industry, were released on Aug. 23 by the Edison Electric Institute:

SOURCE AND DISPOSAL OF ENERGY DURING MONTH OF JUNE Source of Energy

	1938	1937	Per Ct. Change
Kilowatt-hours generated (net): By fuel-burning plants By water power	5,293,700,000 3,434,974,000	6,099,477,000 3,509,046,000	-13.2 -2.1
Total generation	8,728,674,000	9,608,523,000	-9.2
Net purchases: From other sources Net international imports	298,784,000 92,537,000	267,184,000 108,145,000	+11.8 -14.4
Total purchased power (net)	391,321,000	375,329,000	+4.3
Total input	9,119,995,000	9,983,852,000	-8.7

Disposal of Energy					
	1938	1937	Per Ct.		
Total sales	7,436,930,000	8,261,249,000	а		
Energy not reported as sold: Used in electric railway departments Used in electric and other departments Furnished free or exchanged in kind	30,479,000 147,217,000 8,213,000	45,560,000 146,723,000 Not shown			
Total not reported as sold	185,909,000	192,283,000	а		
Total energy accounted for Losses and energy unaccounted for	7,622,839,000 1,497,156,000	8,453,532,000 1,530,320,000	-9.8 -2.2		
Total output (to check above "input")	9.119.995.000	9.983.852.000	-8.7		

Classification of Kilowatt-Hour Sales (In Thousands of Kilowatt-Hours)

Rased on FPC Classificat June, 1938	The first of	Based on EEI Classificati June, 1937	ton
Residential or domestic		Domestic	1,337,963
Commercial and industrial	5,185,490	Small light and power	1.403.879
Public street & h'way lighting.	125,301	Large light and power	4,855,688
Other public authorities	193,079	Municipal street lighting	151,748
Sales to railroad & railways	413,743	Street & interurban railways	330,855
Inter-departmental	33,705	Electrified steam railroads	97,450
Other sales	4,984	Municipal and miscellaneous	83,666
Total sales	7.436.930	Sales to ultimate metamers	8 961 940

Allocated to other classes.

Classification	of Customers
Based on FPC Classification June 30, 1938	Based on EEI Classification June 30, 1937
Residential or domestic 22,825,921	Domestic22.105.787
Rural *	Commercial—
Commercial and industrial 4,556,707 Public street & h'way lighting 25,995 Other public authorities 74,253	
	Street & interurban railways 328
	Electrified steam railroads 26
	Municipal and miscellaneous 35,930
Total customers27.486.979	Total ultimate customers 26 576 647

* Allocated to other classes.

Revenue (b)

Based on FPC Classification	Based on EEI Classification
June, 1938	June, 1937
Revenue from sales, excl. sales to other public utils_\$172,319,600 Other revenue1,951,400	
Total revenue \$174 271 000	

Estimated Domestic Electric Service Ratios

	12 Months Ended June 30				
	1938	1 1937	1 % Change		
Kilowatt-hours per customer Average annual bill Revenue per kilowatt-hour	\$29 \$35.73 4.31c	766 \$34.64 4.52e	+8.2 +3.2 -4.6		

a Data for two years not strictly comparable. b Data not comparable because of an unascertainable amount of "revenue" in me, 1938 which may or may not have been included in the 1937 data.

Monthly Business Indexes of Board of Governors of Federal Reserve System

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System issued on Aug. 24 its monthly indexes of industrial production, factory employment, &c., as follows:

BUSINESS INDEXES (1923-1925 average=100)

		djusted j nal Vari		Without Seasonal Adjustment			
	July, 1938	June, 1938	July, 1937	July, 1938	June, 1938	July, 1937	
Industrial production—Total	p83	77	114	p81	- 77	111	
Manufactures	p81	74	114	p78	75	110	
Minerals	p93	92	112	p93	91	115	
Construction contracts, value-Total-	p54	54	67	p59 ·	63	75	
Residential	p46	42	44	p47	46	45	
All other	p60	64	86	p69	76	99	
Factory employment—Total	p77.6	76.3	103.0	p76.4	75.9	101.4	
Durable goods	p64.9	65.2	100.1	p64.2	65.8	98.9	
Non-durable goods	p91.3	88.1	106.2	p89.4	86.7	104.1	
Factory payrolls—Total				p67.5	67.2	100.4	
Durable goods				p55.6	58.1	100.7	
Non-durable goods				p82.6	78.8	100.0	
Freight-car loadings	61	58	80	62	58	82	
Department store sales, value	85	82	94	58	79	65	
Department store stocks, value	67	68	77	61	65	69	

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-Production, carloadings and department store sales indexes based on daily

Note—Production, carloadings and department store sales indexes based on daily averages.

Construction contract indexes based on three-month moving average of F. W. Dodge data for 37 Eastern States.

Employment index, without seasonal adjustment and payrolls index compiled by Bureau of Labor Statistics.

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION (1923-1925 average=100)

		djusted j onal Var		Season	Without tal Adju	
	July, 1938	June, 1938	July, 1937	July, 1938	June, 1938	July, 1937
Manufactures Durable Goods						
Iron and steel	62	46	140	58	46	130
	42	36	121	39	36	115
Pig iron	64	47	141	59	47	131
Steel ingots	43	46	129	45	52	132
Automobiles	43		25	*	14	25
Locomotives	7 . 20	14		87	86	92
Cement	71	69	75			185
Plate glass	77	80	206	69	72	
Tin deliveries				68	73	100
Beehive coke	p5	5	32	p4	5	25
Non-durable Goods		12.64		alter in		
Textiles	p98	87	111	p90	83	103
Cotton consumption	101	88	125	92	85	114
Silk deliveries	105	101	97	100	90	92
Slaughtering and meat packing	83	81	70	79	80	67
Hogs	62	58	44	56	60	39
Cattle	107	108	99	106	101	98
Calves	112	110	129	109	114	125
Sheep.	152	151	139	152	148	139
	98	98	91	95	86	88
Wheat flour	85	78	91	104	93	111
Sugar meltings	54	51	64	53	52	62
Newsprint production		122	140	111	121	124
Newsprint consumption	124				86	114
Leather and products	p100	90	115	p99	73	93
Tanning	275 y To	74		*		88
Cattle hide leathers	*	74	91	*	72	
Calf and kip leathers	*	74	68		71	79
Goat and kid leathers	*	74	127	*	74	118
Petroleum refining	*	192	206	*	191	206
Gasoline		1	5 32270	*	248	261
Kerosene	*	117	119	*	109	110
Fuel oil				*	123	139
Lubricating oil				*	103	124
Tobacco products	154	154	164	167	169	178
Cigars	71	73	78	74	80	82
Cigarettes	219	219	233	241	241	256
Manufactured tobacco	84	84	86	84	86	86
Minerals	Page 1			N. L.		100
Bituminous coal	260	57	79	255	51	72
		71	48	239	62	740
Anthracite		153	174	p166	156	177
Petroleum, crude	54	64	82	52	65	79
Lead		70	112	64	68	104
Zinc	69			8	89	126
Silver	1 76	91	148	10.75		245
Iron ore	38	34	1 121	78	67	1 24

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FACTORY EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS (1923-1925 Average=100) Data not yet available

	Employment							РаутоШ	8
	Adjusted for Seasonal Varia'n			Without Sea- sonal Adjustm't			Without Sea- sonal Adjustm't		
	July 1938			July 1938		July 1937	July 1938	June 1938	
Durable Goods	(a Y	A Property	4/1						
Iron and steel	72.7		108.3			107.6			113.5
Machinery	83.9		131.5			129.9			133.6
Transportation equipment	59.1		123.5			119.9			117.5
Automobiles	58.4	59.8	135.8			130.4			123.6
Railroad repair shops	40.8	39.7							63.5
Nonferrous metals	81.2	80.4	115.4	78.2		111.5			105.3
Lumber and products	54.2	53.7	72.9	54.2	54.2				
Stone, clay and glass	54.4	54.3	70.4	55.7	57.2	71.7	48.3	51.3	66.1
Non-durable Goods									*1) F
Textiles and products	87.9	81.7	106.2	82.5	80.2	100.0			
A. Fabrics	83.0	77.7	102.0	79.7				62.0	
B. Wearing apparel	97.1		113 1		86.9	102.0	58.9	54.6	
Leather products	85.6	80.4	95.2	86.7	78.5				
Food products	111.3	109.2	119.4	115.8	107.3	124.9	117.7	111.1	128.3
Tobacco products	57.7		61.3		60.3				
Paper and printing	98.0		107.3		97.2	106.0	91.6	91.4	101.6
Chemicals & petroleum prods.				104.1	103.9	124.3	114.2	114.8	136.8
A. Chemicals group, except		American State of the State of	100	HATE.	11.00	1550	1. 3	12 3 4	1.0
petroleum refining	104 7	104.7	128.1	100.6	100.6	123.5	107.7	108.0	134.9
B. Petroleum refining	117.3	117.0	126.2	118.5	117.6	127.5	135.4	136.6	143.1
Rubber products	68.4	69.9	96.6	68.1	70.6	96.2	62.6	63.2	96.8

Note—Indexes of factory employment and payrolls are for payroll nearest the middle of the month. July, 1938 figures are preliminary.

Bank Debits 11% Lower Than Last Year

Debits to individual accounts, as reported by banks in leading cities for the week ended Aug. 17, aggregated \$7,310,000,000, or 16% above the total reported for the preceding week and 11% below the total for the corresponding week of last year.

Aggregate debits for the 141 cities for which a separate total has been maintained since January, 1919, amounted to \$6,713,000,000, compared with \$5,775,000,000 the preceding week and \$7,555,000,000 the week ended Aug. 18 of last year.

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These figures are as reported on Aug. 22, 1938, by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

SUMMARY BY FFDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS

	No. of		Week Ended-	
Federal Reserve District	Centers Incl.	Aug. 17, 1938	Aug. 10, 1938	Aug. 18, 1937
1—Boston	17	\$399,497,000	\$357,498,000	\$460,250,000
2-New York	15	3,165,934,000	2,651,259,000	3,332,798,000
3-Philadelphia	18	368.896.000	320,232,000	378,270,000
4—Cleveland	25	429,924,000	385,355,000	587,277,000
5-Richmond	24	267.231.000	246,419,000	289,834,000
6-Atlanta	26	214.896.000	201,102,000	227,823,000
7—Chicago	41	981.584.000	856,617,000	1,214,570,000
8—St. Louis	16	216,622,000	195.041,000	253.863,000
9-Minneapolis	17	161.221,000	135,512,000	179,413,000
10-Kansas City	28	272,536,000	245,041,000	326,775,000
11—Dallas	18	187.524.000	165.761.000	214,726,000
12—San Francisco	29	643,942,000	566,100,000	782,499,000
Total	274	\$7,309,807,000	\$6,325,937,000	\$8,248,098,000

Far Western Business Index for July Slightly Lower than June, According to Bank of America (Calif.)

As a measure of general business Bank of America's (California) preliminary July Far Western index stood at

67.6%, according to the current issue of the bank's "Business Review." This was slightly higher than in either April or May of this year and a decline of only .7 of 1% from the revised June level of 68.1. However, gains were recorded in several departments of business activity from June to July. The following is also from the bank's announcement in the matter: in the matter:

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Bank debits, adjusted to a daily average basis, were up 10.5%; the value of building permits for all types of construction gained 3%; carloadings, adjusted for seasonal variation, gained 4%.

Bank debits in 30 principal far western cities rose in July to their highest value for any month since January of this year. The gain over June amounted to 10.5% after adjusting for one less trading day in July than in June. Additional evidence that business in general is improving, the Review notes, is provided in figures showing that fewer business failures were reported in the 11 western States during June than reported in any other month since December, 1937. The June failures decreased 19% from the previous month. Liabilities of failing firms in June were about 57% less than the months averaged for the first five months of the year.

The decline in July retail sales in western department and apparel stores compared with a year ago was less than the national average. Western sales were only 10% less in value while the national decline was 12%.

Country's Foreign Trade in July-Imports and Exports

The Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce at Washington on Aug. 25 issued its statement on the foreign trade of the United States for July and the seven months ended with July, with comparisons by months back of 1933. The report is as follows:

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Both exports and imports of the United States in July were slightly lower in value than in June. This represents the usual seasonal movement, for our foreign merchandise trade generally declines in July to the low point of the year. Exports fell off 2% as compared with June while general imports were reduced by about 3%.

In comparison with the corresponding month of 1937, exports were 15% less in value in July, a somewhat greater decrease than was shown in June. More than half of this decline was accounted for by the lower price level; on a volume basis, our foreign sales continued to make a relatively favorable showing. Import trade exhibited no further reduction as compared with a year ago; the value of general imports was 47% less than in July, 1937, as compared with a decrease of 49% in June.

In July, goods withdrawn for consumption from bonded warehouses were again larger than those that entered warehouses. As a result, the value of imports for consumption was approximately as large in July as in the preceding month, in contrast with the decline shown for general imports. The excess of withdrawals over entries of approximately 7 million dollars was the largest such figure recorded since August, 1936.

Exports, including reexports, amounted to \$2227,780,000 in July, 1938, as compared with \$232,686,000 in June, 1938, and \$268,184,000 in July, 1937.

1937. The value of general imports (goods entered for storage in bonded warehouses, plus goods which entered merchandising channels immediately upon arrival in the country) amounted to \$140,836,000 in July as compared with \$145,898,000 in June, 1938, and with \$265,214,000 in June, 1937. Imports for consumption (goods which entered merchandising channels immediately upon arrival in this country, plus withdrawals for consumption from warehouse) amounted to \$147,797,000 in July as compared with \$147,-938,000 in June, 1938, and with \$262,919,000 in July, 1937.

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It was mainly because of the relatively large exports of Crude foodstuffs that total exports were maintained at a high level in July. Exports of this class of commodities amounted to \$24,556,000 as compared with \$20,988,000 in June, 1938, and with \$5,925,000 in July, 1937. Larger shipments of grain were the chief factor in the expansion in value over a year ago, although fruit shipments were also moderately expanded.

Manufactured foodstuffs exports of \$13,473,000 in July were approximately as large in value as in June and about \$2,000,000 larger than in July, 1937. Meat products showed the largest increase in value among the various manufactured foods; lard, fish, wheat flour, dried fruit and canned fruit exports were also larger as compared with a year ago.

Crude materials exports declined from a value of \$34,340,000 in July, 1937, and \$34,498,000 in June, 1938, to \$32,899,000. Agricultural crude

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Crude materials exports declined from a value of \$34,340,000 in July, 1937, and \$34,498,000 in June, 1938, to \$32,809,000. Agricultural crude materials were exported in relatively large value in July, since unmanufactured cotton increased from 79,915,000 pounds in July, 1937, and 103,258,000 pounds in June, 1938, to 115,883,000 pounds. The decline in the value of crude materials in comparison with a year ago, resulted mainly from a reduction in shipments of non-agricultural commodities—especially coal, which totaled 1,069,000 tons as compared with 1,564,000 tons in July, 1937, and timber which amounted to 10,497,000 board feet as compared with 23,028,000 board feet.

Exports of Semi-manufactured products in July, 1938, were valued at \$37,270,000, about the same figure as in June, but not much more than half of the value in the corresponding month of 1937. These exports, the principal class in which a marked reduction occurred, accounted for 16.6% of total export trade in July, whereas in July, 1937, they contributed 26% of the total. Exports of iron and steel scrap were valued at \$1,667,00 as against \$8,834,000 in July, 1937, and those of other steel semi-manufacturers at \$5,972,000 as against \$19,357,000. Exports of wood pulp-naval stores, lumber, crude sulphur, and leather were also drastically reduced from those of a year ago. Gas oil and fuel oil, copper, and industrial chemicals were prominent among the leading items in this class which were exported in relatively large volume and value in July.

Exports of Finished manufactures, which declined moderately in July for the third successive month, were valued at \$117,003,000 as compared with \$123,447,000 in June, 1938, and \$143,977,000 in July, 1937. The decline from June was accounted for principally by a decrease in shipments of metal-working machinery and of aircraft, but in each case the July value was far above that for July, 1937. The reduction from a year ago is explained mainly by sma

Merchandise Import Trade

Crude materials was the principal category of imported goods to register an increase in value in July as compared with June. These imports rose approximately 5 million dollars over June to a value of \$43,236,000. While remaining much smaller both in quantity and value than in July, 1937, when they totaled \$77,576,000, crude materials represented about the same proportion—29%—of our total imports as in that period. Imports of some

principal products, for example, crude rubber, hides and skins, raw wool, and fur skins continued much smaller in quantity and in value than a year ago. A few imports were, however, larger in July; these included unmanufactured cotton, leaf tobacco, raw silk and rough diamonds.

Imports of Crude foodstuffs, which remained at approximately the same figure in July as in June—\$20,344,000—were little more than half as large in value as in July, 1937. The fact that imports of grain have dropped to negligible figures and that prices of cocoa and coffee are much lower this year account mainly for the reduction in value. A larger quantity of both coffee and cocoa was imported last July than in July, 1937.

Imports of Manufactured foodstuffs, valued at \$23,711,000, were about three million dollars smaller than in June and 16 million dollars less than in July, 1937. Although imports of Cuban sugar for consumption increased as compared with June, imports from the Philippine Islands fell off materially. Total sugar imports were considerably smaller in value than in July, 1937,

sompared with June, imports from the Philippine Islands fell off materially. Total sugar imports were considerably smaller in value than in July, 1937, and the same was true of imports of other leading manufactured products—especially of meats, feeds, vegetable oils, and alcoholic beverages.

Semi-manufactured imports were valued at \$29,607,000 in July, 1938, as against \$59,041,000 in July, 1937, while their share in total imports was 20%-as against 22.5%. The lower prices of commodities this July—particularly for copper and tim—accounted for an important part of this change in value, although practically all commodities in this class, which include inedible vegetable oils, tin, nickel, copper, diamonds, wood pulp and lumber, were from a third to one-half smaller in quantity than in July, 1937.

Imports of Finished manufactures, valued at \$30,899,000 in July, comprised 20.9% of the total imports as compared with \$48,778,000, or 18.6% in July, 1937. The principal manufactured import—newsprint—was 30% lower in value and approximately 42% smaller in quantity than a year before. Burlap imports were reduced 33% in quantity and 44% in value and most other textile manufactures from 40 to 45%. Importations of shingles from Canada, which were resumed in July under the second half year's quota, were more than twice the figure reported for July, 1937.

MERCHANDISE TRADE BY MONTHS

		July				Mo	nths 1	Endir	ng July		ncrease(+) ecrease()	
Ezports and Imports	1937 1,000 Dollar)	1938 1,000 Dollar		1,00		00		1938 1,000 Dollars		1,000 Dollars	
ExportsImports	268,18 265,21		227,7 140,8				,747 ,636		18,368 01,846		+13.621 -846.790	
Excess of exports		0	86,9	44		143	,890	7	16,522			
Month or Persod	1933	1	1934	1	198	35	19	36	1937		1938	
Exports, Including Re-exports— January February March April May June June July August September October November December	1,000 Dollars 120,589 101,513 108,015 105,217 114,203 119,790 144,109 131,473 160,119 193,069 184,256 192,638	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	70,000 00llars 72,222 62,75 90,938 79,42 60,19 70,519 61,67 71,98 91,313 94,712 70,65	77777	163 185 164 165 170 173 172 198 221 269		182 193 200 183 180 178 220 264 226		233,1 256,5 268,9 289,9 265,3 268,1 277,0 296,5 332,7 314,6	78 665 25 665 422 41 84 131 79 10	262,067	
7 mos. ended July12 mos. ended Dec1	813,438 ,674,994	1,1 2,1	97,721 32,800	1,:	197 282	,340 ,874	1,335 2,455	,351 ,978	1,804,7 3,349,1	47 67	1,818,368	
General Imports January February March April May June July August September October November December	96,006 83,748 94,860 88,412 106,869 122,197 142,980 154,918 146,643 150,867 128,541 133,518	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	35,706 32,756 58,106 46,523 54,647 36,106 27,226 19,513 31,658 29,638 50,918 32,258		152 177 170 170 156 176 169 161 189	.832 .491 .356 .500 .533 .754 .631 .030 .647 .357 .385	192 198 202 191 191 193 215 212	7,482 2,774 3,701 2,779 ,697 ,076 ,073 ,701 2,692 4,400	277,7 307,4 286,8 284,7 286,2 265,2 245,6 233,1 224,2	09 74 37 35 24 14 68 42 99	162,895 173,385	
7 mos. ended July12 mos. ended Dec1	735,072 ,449,559	9	91,072 55.055	1,1	71	098	1,359	.565	1,948,6	36 68	1,101,846	

Exports of	United	States	Merchandise	and	Imports	for	Consumption
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Exports and Imports

7 Months Ended July Increase (+)

	1937	1 1938	193	37	1938	Decreuse(—)	
Exports (U. S. mdse.) Imports for consumption	1,000 1,000 Dollars Dolla 264,613 225,1 1,000 Dollars Dollar 1,000 Dollars Dollar		78 Doll 11 1,771	979 1,7	,000 ollars 95,028 91.017	1,000 Dollars +23,049 -793,651	
Month or Period	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	
Ezports—U. S. Merchandise— January February March April May June July August September October November December	1,000 Dollars 118,559 99,423 106,293 103,265 111,845 117,517 141,573 129,315 157,490 190,842 181,291 189,808	167,902 159,128 169,851 188,860	160,312 181 667 160,511 159,791 167,278 167,865 169,683 196,040 218,184 267,258	179,381 192,405 189,574 197,020 181,386 177,006 175,825 217,925 262,173	229.67 252,44 264.62 285.08 256.48 264.61 273.56 293.37 329.37 311,21	3 285,951 1 259,292 3 270,034 271,51 1 253,615 1 229,515 3 225,111 4 4 3	
7 mos. ended July 12 mos. ended Dec	798,475 ,647,220	1,177,292 2,100,135	1,170,985 2,243,081	1,312,460 2,418,969	1,771,97 3,298,92	9 1,795,028	
Imports for Consumption January February March April May June June July August September October November December	92,718 84,164 91,893 88,107 109,141 123,931 141,108 152,714 147,599 149,288 125,269 127,170	128.976 125,047 153,396 141,247 147,467 135,067 124,010 117,262 149,893 137,975	168,482 152,246 175,485 166,070 166,756 155,313 173,096 180,381 168,683 189,806 162,828	186,377 189,590 194,296 199,776 189,008 194,311 197,458 200,783 218,425 213,419 200,304	228,68 260,04 295,70 280,89 278,11 278,30 262,91 248,73 233,95 226,47 212,38	0 163,495 7 155,924 9 155,313 8 147,240 0 147,938 9 147,797 0 9	
7 mos. ended July	730,972 ,433,013	955,211 1.636,003	1,157,447 2,038,905	1,350.817 2,423,977	1,884,66 3,009,85	8 1,091,017	

GOLD AND SILVER BY MONTHS Exports, Imports and Net Balan

Towards and Towards	J	uly	7 Months 1	Increase(+)		
Exports and Imports	*1937	1938	*1937	1938	Decrease(-)	
Gold— Exports Imports	1,000 Dollars 206 175,624	1,000 Dollars 65 63,880	1,000 Dollars 354 1,204,951	1,000 Dollars 5,815 311,854	1,000 Dollars +5,460 -893,097	
Excess of imports	175,417	63.815	1,204,596	306,039	PEC II	
Süver— Exports Imports	214 4,476	193 18,326	10,336 39,001	1,793 129,858	8,543 +90,857	
Excess of imports	4.261	18.133	28.664	128,065	11.00	

		G	old			St	ver	
Month or Period	1935	1936	1937	1938	1935	*1936	*1937	1938
Ezports—	1,000 Dollars	1.000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
January		338	11	5.067		1.753	2,112	
February		23,637	The Property	174			1.811	
March	540	2,315	39			2,337	1,546	
April		51	13				1,668	
May	49		4	212			1.841	317
June		77	81				1.144	
July		695					214	
August		32	169	0.0	2,009		278	190
September		42	129	. 1	1.472	1,704	285	
October	76			124, 10	260	1.468	380	
November	242		30,084	5 5 6 4	512	1,611	527	
December	170	99	15.052		769	536	236	
Docombot			20,002		- 100	- 000	200	
7 mos. end. July	1,284	27,118	354	5.815	13,779	6.504	10.336	1.793
12 mos.end. Dec.	1,960	27,534	46,020		18,801	11,965	12,042	
Imports-		2.07				400		
January	149.755		121,336		19,085	58,483	2,846	28,708
February	122,817	7.002	120,326	8,211	16,351	17.536	14.080	
March	13,543		154,371	52,947	20,842	8,115	5,589	14.440
April	148,670	28,106	215,825	71,236	11.002	4,490	2,821	15.757
May	(140,065		155,366	52,987	13,501	4,989	3,165	
June		277.851		55,438	10.444	23,981	6,025	
July	16,287		175,624	63,880	30,230	6.574	4.476	18,326
August	46,085		105,013	370	30,820	16.637	4.964	
September		171,866		7 8 6	45,689	8,363	8,427	1500
	315,424	218,929		14 To A.	48,898	26,931	5.701	
November	210,810	75,962		and the	60,065	4,451	10,633	4394
December	190.180	57.070	33,033	5. 34.	47,603	2,267	23,151	1.0
7 mos. end. July	821.676	552.766	1204951	311.854	121 456	124 168	39 001	129.858
12 mos.end. Dec.	1740979	1144117	1021502		354,531			

^{*} Adjusted to include exported silver pesos coined for the Government of Cuba, not included in previous current reports (value in American dollars).

Bureau of Agricultural Economics Reports Moderate Improvement in Consumer Buying Power and Demand for Farm Products in Prospect for Fall and Winter Months

A moderate improvement in consumer buying power and A moderate improvement in consumer buying power and demand for farm products is in prospect for the fall and winter months, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture, said on Aug. 17 in its current analysis of the demand and price situation for farm commodities. The Bureau analysts point out that definite improvement in industrial activity and further depletion of inventories occurred during July. Though these factors indicate further increases in the output of consumfactors indicate further increases in the output of consumers' goods and services, no large amount of forward buying is in prospect for the near future. This should help to sustain the improvement in future months, it was stated, but also implies a less sharp initial upswing than has

but also implies a less sharp initial upswing than has occurred in many recovery periods, the Bureau said, adding:

The Bureau lists some of the uncertain factors "which could seriously interrupt" the upward trend in business activity, but cites several favorable conditions "pointing to a continuation of the initial recovery movement."

The latter include (1) the gradual increase in Government expenditure as new construction projects get under way; (2) increased needs for durable consumers' and producers' goods; (3) a favorable residential building situation; (4) the relatively small amount of financial deflation which occurred during the recession as compared with other similar periods.

The Bureau further pointed out that increased demand for most farm products must await actual improvement in consumer incomes. "And recognizing that consumer incomes lag behind and change less erratically than industrial activity, it appears that moderate improvement in consumer buying power and the domestic demand for farm products will be experienced during the fall and winter."

Prices and Income

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To date the prospective improvement in consumer purchasing power and demand in this country has been reflected only in small measure in the prices of farm products. Since mid-July prices received by farmers for grains, cotton, hogs and some of the other products have declined considerably. But it is believed that the effects of these declines on the general index of farm prices will be offset, at least in part, by the marked increase in the relative importance of tobacco in computing the price index for August as compared with that for July, and by the currently high prices for tobacco in relation to the pre-war average.

Summary of Business Conditions in United States by Board of Governors of Federal Reserve System— Industrial Activity Increased in July and Advanced Further in First Three Weeks of August

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System issued on Aug. 25 its monthly summary of general business and financial conditions in the United States, based upon statistics for July and the first three weeks of August, in which it stated that "industrial activity increased in July, when there is usually a considerable decline, and rose somewhat further in the first three weeks of August." The Board, in its summary, also stated:

Production

Volume of industrial production increased from 77% of the 1923-25 average in June to 83% in July, according to the Board's index which is adjusted for changes in the number of working days and for usual seasonal variations. Steel output rose sharply, lumber production also increased, and output of cement and glass was maintained. Automobile production declined somewhat further. In the first three weeks of August activity at steel mills was at a rate of around 40% of capacity as compared with an average of 35% in July, while in the automobile industry there was more than the usual seasonal reduction in output as producers closed plants comewhat earlier than in other recent years to presence for the shift to new somewhat earlier than in other recent years to prepare for the shift to new

model production.
At textile mills activity in July showed a further rise, marked incre being reported in mill consumption of cotton and wool and in shipments of rayon yarn. Shoe production also increased substantially, following a

decline in June.

Bituminous coal production advanced somewhat in July, and output crude petroleum was at a much higher rate, reflecting chiefly a return to production on a six-day week basis in Texas. Anthracite production decreased sharply following a considerable volume of output during May and

Value of construction contracts awarded in 37 eastern States showed little Value of construction contracts awarded in 3/ eastern states showed note change from June to July, according to figures of the E. W. Dodge Corp. Contracts for residential building continued to increase, and there was an increase also in commercial building, reflecting the award of a contract for a large office building. Factory construction remained at a low level and declines were reported in most other types of construction.

Employment

Factory employment and payrolls, which usually decline at this season, increased somewhat from the middle of June to the middle of July. There were substantial increases in the number employed at textile mills, clothing establishments, and shoe factories, and at railroad repair shops there was a slight increase. In the machinery and automobile industries employment declined somewhat further. In non-manufacturing industries the principal changes in employment were a decrease at mines and an increase on the

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A domestic cotton crop of 12,000,000 bales was indicated on Aug. 1. according to the Department of Agriculture. Last season the crop was 19,000,000 bales and, with world consumption of American cotton about 11,000,000 bales, the carryover increased sharply to 13,500,000 bales. The wheat crop was forecast at 956,000,000 bushels, as compared with 874,000,000 bushels harvested last year and usual domestic consumption of about 670,000,000 bushels. Production estimates for most other major crops were slightly under the large harvests of a year ago. Preliminary estimates by the Department of Agriculture indicate that cash farm income, including Government payments, will total \$7.500,000,000 for the calendar including Government payments, will total \$7.500,000,000 for the calendar year 1938, a decline of 12% from last year, which was the highest since 1929.

Distribution

In July department store sales declined by less than the usual seasonal amount, while sales at variety stores and mail-order houses decreased seasonally. Retail sales of automobiles increased somewhat, although there is ordinarily a decline in July. In the first half of August sales at department stores showed less than the usual seasonal rise.

Freight-car loadings increased from June to July, reflecting chiefly larger shipments of grain, coal, and miscellaneous freight.

Commodity Prices

Prices of grains, cotton, livestock, and meats were lower in the third week of August than in the middle of July, while prices of most industrial commodities were unchanged. Steel scrap advanced further in July, then declined somewhat in the first half of August. Cotton grey goods also declined in the early part of August, while prices of copper and rubber were maintained, following increases in the latter part of July.

Bank Credit

Excess reserves of member banks declined by about \$230,000,000 in the five weeks ending Aug. 17 to a total of \$2,930,000,000, following a steady growth from the middle of April to a peak on July 13. The decline in reserves was largely the result of an increase in Treasury deposits with the Reserve banks, reflecting receipts from weekly Treasury bill offerings in excess of maturities and a sale of Reconstruction Finance Corporation notes. Most of the decrease in excess reserves was at city banks.

Following substantial declines since the autumn of last year, commercial loans and brokers' loans at reporting member banks in 101 leading cities increased somewhat during the first half of August. Member banks in leading cities added about \$170,000,000 to their holdings of investments in the middle of July, mainly United States Government guaranteed obligations, but thereafter their holdings showed little change.

Weekly Report of Lumber Movement Week Ended Aug. 13, 1938

The lumber industry during the week ended Aug. 13, 1938, stood at 66% of the 1929 weekly average of production and 67% of average 1929 shipments. Production was about 64% of the corresponding week of 1929; shipments, about 72% of that week's shipments; new orders, about 69% of that week's orders, according to reports to the National Lumber Manufacturers Association from regional associations covering the operations of important softwood and hardwood mills. Reported production in the week ended Aug. 13, 1938, continued to increase and was the highest of the year to date. Shipments again dropped slightly below from the preceding week. New orders were lower than any time during the preceding six weeks, which, however, included the peak weeks for the past 12 months. New orders in the week ended Aug. 13, 1938, were 7% below the corresponding week of last year. New business was 6% below output in the week ended Aug. 13; shipments were 1% below production. Production and shipments were, respectively, 19%, and 12% lower than during corresponding week of in the week ended Aug. 13; shipments were 1% below production. Production and shipments were, respectively, 19% and 12% lower than during corresponding week of 1937. National production reported for the week ended Aug. 13 by 4% fewer mills was 2% above the output (revised figure) of the preceding week; shipments were 1% below shipments; new orders were 8% below orders of the previous week. The Association further reported:

During the week ended Aug. 13, 1938, 519 mills produced 220,524,000 feet of softwoods and hardwoods combined; shipped 218,404,000 feet; booked orders of 207,700,000 feet. Revised figures for the preceding week were: Mills, 540; production, 217,141,000 feet; shipments, 220,680,000 feet orders 226,800,000 feet.

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Southern Pine, West Coast, California Redwood and Southern and Northern Hardwood regions reported new orders above production in the week ended Aug. 13, 1938. The same regions except California Redwood reported shipments above output. All regions but Western Pine and California Redwood reported orders below those of corresponding week of 1937; all regions reported shipments below the same week of 1937; all regions but Northern Hemlock reported production below the 1937 week.

Lumber orders reported for the week ended Aug. 13, 1937, by 448 softwood mills totaled 200,822,000 feet, or 7% below the production of the same mills. Shipments as reported for the same week were 211,999,000 feet, or 2% below production. Production was 215,362,000 feet, or 33% above production. Shipments as reported for the same week were 6,405,000 feet, or 24% above production. Production was 5,162,000 feet.

Identical Mill Reports

Last week's production of 482 identical softwood mills was 212,654,000 feet, and a year ago it was 263,604,000 feet; shipments were, respectively, 209,756,000 feet and 237,587,000 feet, and orders received, 198,429,000 feet and 213,334,000 feet.

Cost of Living in United States Increased 0.4% from March 15 to June 15, According to Secretary of Labor Perkins

The cost of living for families of wage earners and lowersalaried workers in 32 large cities of the United States increased 0.4% during the quarter ending June 15, 1938, Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins announced Aug. 21. "Food costs were largely responsible for this increase, although rental costs and items of the miscellaneous group contributed to the general rise," Secretary Perkins said. "Clothing, fuel and light, and housefurnishing goods cost

"Clothing, fuel and light, and housefurnishing goods cost less on June 15 than on March 15." Miss Perkins added:

The Bureau of Labor Statistics index of the cost of all goods purchased by wage earners and lower-salaried workers in the 32 cities combined, based on costs in 1923-25 as 100, was 83.3 on June 15 as compared with 83.0 on March 15. Average living costs were 1.4% lower than they were a year ago, but were 11.9% higher than at the low point in June, 1933. They were 16.4% lower than in December, 1929.

Total costs advanced in 19 of the 32 cities during the quarter. Chicago was the only city reporting a rise of more than 1% (1.4%) due largely to increased food and rental costs. Of the 13 cities in which declines were noted, only two, Buffalo and Richmond, reported decreases of as much as 1.0%.

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Food costs, as averaged for 51 cities, were 2.0% higher in June than in March. Sharply increased costs of fresh fruits, vegetables, eggs and meats were partially counterbalanced by the lowered cost of all other groups of foods. On the average, prices for fresh fruits and vegetables were 15.3% higher than in March. This increase was in part due to the rise in prices of potatoes and apples which generally occurs in the spring, and in part to an increase in the prices of lettuce, as well as carrots, oranges and celery. Eggs advanced 10.6%.

Of the 32 cities for which the Bureau prepares indexes of the cost of all goods purchased by wage earners and lower-salaried workers, 27 reported increased food costs during the last quarter; five reported declines. In Kansas City, Indianapolis and Minneapolis food costs, Richmond showed the largest net decline, 2.1%, due largely to the decreases for butter and pork products.

Average clothing costs in the 32 cities were 0.7% lower on June 15 than on March 15, reflecting declines in each of the 32 cities. Most items in this group dropped, with men's and women's shoes and boys suits showing the most significant declines. Six cities, led by Jackson-ville, Fla. (1.5%), reported clothing costs lower by 1.0% or more.

Average rental costs increased 0.4%, due to increases in 15 cities and decreases in 17. The largest advances were noted in Chicago (3.8%), and in Pittsburgh (1.4%). In the three-month period ending June 15, as in the preceding quarter, Detroit was again the only city reporting a drop in rental costs of more than 1% (1.6%).

Fuel and light costs were lower in each of the 32 cities, chiefly because of the seasonal decline in the cost of coal. On the average, fuel and light costs fell 2.8%. In Atlanta, where they dropped 8.0%, bituminous coal was selling for 15% less than in March. The decreases of 6.6%, bituminous coal costs, as well as to a decline in electricity rates in the latter city. The

The 5.1% decrease in Houston was the result of the lowered cost of wood, and the 5.0% drop in Portland, Me., was due to the decline in the cost of anthracite.

The cost of housefurnishing goods decreased 1.0%. Textile furnishings, rugs and suites of furniture were largely responsible for the decrease which occurred in 30 of the 32 cities. Scranton reported the biggest drop in the cost of furnishings, where prices for most items, particularly suites of furniture, mattresses and chairs contributed to the 4.0% decrease. Items in the miscellaneous group changed very little in most cities, increasing on the average 0.2%. In the 22 cities reporting a lower cost for this group of items, the largest declines occurred in Buffalo and Portland, Ore., where the drop was 1.9%. In Buffalo this was largely due to lowered prices for motion picture admissions and to decreased cost of medical service. In Portland, Ore., movie prices also declined. Street car fares were raised in San Francisco and Los Angeles, accounting for most of the 1.7% and 1.2% advances in those cities. In Philadelphia, the only other city reporting an increased cost of miscellaneous items of nore than 1%, the 1.5% rise was largely due to an advance in the price of newspapers.

Percentage changes in the cost of goods purchased by wage earners and lower-salaried clerical workers from March 15, 1933, to June 15, 1938, are shown in Table 1 for 32 large cities of the United States, by groups of items.

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Table 2 presents indexes based on average costs in the years 1923-25 as 100, by groups of items, for each of these cities and for the cities combined. Group indexes with costs in 1913 taken as 100, for the 32 cities combined, are also presented in Table 2. The index of the cost of all goods on the 1913 base was 145.2 on June 15, 1938, as compared with 144.6 on March 15, 1938.

TABLE 1—PERCENTAGE CHANGES FROM MARCH 15, 1938 TO JUNE 15, 1938 IN THE COST OF GOODS PURCHASED BY WAGE EARNERS AND LOWER-SALARIED WORKERS IN 22 LARGE CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY GROUPS OF ITEMS

Area and Cuy	All Items	Food	Cloth- ing	Rent	Fuel and LAght	House- furnish- ing Goods	
New England:		J. Ven	100	12 ()		1.0	1. 0.1
Boston	+0.7	+2.9	-0.6	-0.1	-1.8	-0.7	-0.1
Portland, Me Middle Atlantic:	+0.1	+2.2	-0.8	-0.2	-5.0	-0.4	-0.1
Buffalo	-1.0	-0.6	-1.0	-0.1	-1.9	-1.2	-1.9
New York	+0.3	+1.2	-0.7	+0.1	-2.3	+0.2	+0.7
Philadelphia	+0.8	+2.8	-0.8	+0.2	-4.5	-2.9	+1.5
Pittsburgh	+0.6	+1.8	-0.1	+1.4	1.7	-0.6	-0.1
East North Central:	+0.1	+2.2	-0.5	-0.2	-4.8	-4.1	-0.1
Chicago	+1.4	+3.3	-0.5	+3.8	-3.7	-0.8	+0.1
Cincinnati	+0.5	+3.1	-0.9	-0.2	-2.9	-2.0	-0.2
Cleveland	+0.3	+2.4	-0.4	-0.8	-0.7	+0.1	-0.1
Detroit	-0.5	+1.5	-0.8	-1.6	-4.2	-2.6	-0.1
Indianapolis West North Central:	+0.6	+4.0	-0.8	-0.5	-4.6	-0.1	+0.1
Kansas City	+0.7	+4.3	-0.6	-0.1	-5.7	-1.7	b
Minneapolis	+0.9	+4.0	-0.8	+0.5	-1.7	-1.2	-0.2
St. Louis	+0.4	+2.8	-0.9	-0.1	-3.5	-0.1	-0.4
South Atlantic:	70.4	72.0	-0.0	-0.1	-0.0	-0.1	-0.4
Atlanta	-0.3	+1.4	-0.6	b	-8.0	-1.0	-0.1
Baltimore	+0.4	+1.6	-0.1	b	-0.6	-0.8	-0.1
Jacksonville	-0.2	+1.1	-1.5	-0.7	-1.1	-2.1	c
Norfolk.	-0.8	-1.9	-0.6	b.	-2.1	-08	c
	-1.0	-2.1	-1.0	+0.1	-2.6	-0.6	-0.2
Richmond Savannah	-0.3	+1.1	-1.2	$+0.1 \\ +0.2$	-0.9	-1.8	-0.7
	+0.1	$+1.1 \\ +1.3$	-0.2	-0.3	-2.6	-0.9	-0.4
Washington East South Central:	+0.1	+1.3	0.2	-0.8	-2.0	-0.9	-0.4
Birmingham	-0.4	+0.4	-0.6	-0.2	-6.6	c	-0.1
Memphis	b	+0.5	-0.2	-0.3	-0.4	-0.1	b
Mobile	-0.1	+0.4	-0.4	+0.1	-2.6	-0.3	-0.1
West South Central:			0.2	10.2	2.0	0.0	
Houston	-0.8	1.4	-1.0	+0.3	-5.1	-0.4	c
New Orleans	-0.8	-1.0	-0.9	c	-2.9	-1.5	-0.5
Mountain:	0.0	2.0	0.0	1.	2.0	1.0	0.0
Denver	+0.4	+2.0	-0.7	-0.1	-0.2	-1.6	b
Pacific:	1 0.2	1 2.0	0.,	0.1	0.2	1.0	
Los Angeles	+0.7	+1.1	-0.6	+0.2	-0.4	-0.3	+1.2
Portland, Ore	-0.7	+0.8	-0.4	-0.2	-2.4	-1.2	-1.9
San Francisco	+0.5	+0.3	-0.7	+0.5	-1.8	-0.3	+1.7
Seattle	-0.1	+0.6	-1.3	+0.1	-1.0	-0.2	+0.1
Average-32 large cities							
of the United States	+0.4	a+2.0	-0.7	+0.4	-2.8	-1.0	+0.2

a Covers 51 cities. b Increase less than 0.05%. c Decrease less than 0.05%. BLE 2—INDEXES OF THE COST OF GOODS PURCHASED BY WAGE EARNERS AND LOWER-SALARIED WORKERS IN 32 LARGE CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY GROUPS OF ITEMS, JUNE 15, 1938

(Average 1923-25=100)

Area and Cuy	All Items	Food	Cloth- ing	Rent	Fuel and Light	House- furnish- ing Goods	M iscel- laneous
New England:				19.1			
Boston	83.0	76.1	87.0	76.5	83.7	83.4	98.6
Portland, Me	85.1	79.3	82.3	76.5	79.6	91.3	103.5
Middle Atlantic:		1.0		100			377777733
Buffalo	84.1	77.6	80.6	73.7	96.3	92.1	98.5
New York	84.3	80.8	80.1	77.3	84.4	79.4	99.7
Philadelphia	83.1	82.2	79.5	69.1	78.6	83.0	97.8
Pittsburgh	82.9	79.6	81.4	70.2	99.7	84.5	96.2
Scranton	82.1	77.1	83.0	72.5	73.1	86.8	97.1
East North Central:		× × ×					
Chicago	80.5	82.5	75.3	60.6	91.9	75.8	100.7
Cincinnati.	87.2	81.9	82.0	77.6	95.5	94.3	101.3
Cleveland	86.3	81.7	85.4	69.4	100.3	80.8	104.3
Detroit	81.5	81.4	83.3	68.4	76.8	82.8	95.1
Indianapolis	82.4	81.3	80.3	65.7	83.3	88.4	93.6
West North Central:					J	0.0	
Kansas City	82.6	82.0	81.7	61.7	79.4	80.3	100.2
Minneapolis	85.6	87.4	80.3	71.6	89.3	88.3	97.6
St. Louis	83.8	85.9	82.2	58.5	84.5	90.6	101.5
South Atlantic:			1			J 1	
Atlanta	80.3	72.5	85.7	65.8	69.4	90.1	95.4
Baltimore	.86.7	84.2	82.3	76.2	80.9	86.1	104.3
Jacksonville	79.8	76.8	81.1	59.6	87.9	82.0	90.7
Norfolk	84.4	74.7	89.2	64.7	80.0	87.3	104.0
Richmond	83.1	70.7	90.3	73.1	80.4	93.0	99.3
Savannah	81.2	78.4	85.1	63.8	84.3	86.4	91.5
Washington	87.2	80.6	83.8	87.7	82.1	90.3	99.9
East South Central:			100				
Birmingham	77.2	68.6	88.1	60.0	78.0	81.7	93.0
Memphis	81.7	75.3	88.5	63.1	88.1	94.2	95.0
Mobile	83.4	75.3	90.0	66.9	70.4	90.1	99.5
West South Central:			. 4		1000		
Houston	82.0	76.5	77.7	73.8	76.3	93.8	94.5
New Orleans	83.2	81.7	82.2	72.5	75.3	95.3	92.1
Mountain:							
Denver	84.4	85.7	78.9	64.3	79.3	90.7	100.2
Pacific:			-				
Los Angeles	78.6	72.2	86.4	55.4	81.6	82.8	95.0
Portland, Ore	83.7	80.9	81.9	62.2	84.8	85.0	100.1
San Francisco	88.2	81.3	93.0	73.6	78.7	90.7	106.4
Seattle	87.5	79.6	89.4	71.3	97.3	92.8	101.2
Average -32 large cities	-						7 7 7
		100	1. 7. 1	9124	. 45		
of the United States	83.3	a80.2	82.3	69.7	85.5	84.6	18.7
(Average 1913=100)	00.0	400.2	04.3	09.7	85.5	04.0	10.7
Average 32 large cities				7.0			
of the United States	145.2	a127.0	147.7	113.4	158.4	177.3	196.9

a Covers 51 cities.

Automobile Output in July

Factory sales of automobiles manufactured in the United States (including foreign assemblies from parts made in the United States and reported as complete units or vehicles) for July 1938 consisted of 141,437 vehicles, of which 106,841 were passenger cars and 34,596 were commercial cars, trucks and road tractors, as compared with 174,667 vehicles in June 1938, 438,968 vehicles in July 1937 and 440,731 vehicles in July 1936. These statistics, comprising data for the entire industry, were released today by Director William L. Austin, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. Statistics for the months of 1938 are based on data received from 74 manufacturers in the United States, 23 making passenger cars and 63 making commercial cars, trucks and road tractors (12 of the 23 passenger car manufacturers also making commercial cars, trucks and road tractors). It should be noted that those making both passenger cars and commercial cars, trucks and road tractors have been included Factory sales of automobiles manufactured in the United

in the number shown as making passenger cars or commercial in the number shown as making passenger cars or commercial cars, trucks and road tractors respectively. The figures for passenger cars include those for taxicabs. The figures for commercial cars, trucks and road tractors include those for ambulances, funeral cars, fire apparatus, street sweepers and buses, but the number of special purpose vehicles is very small and hence a negligible factor in any analysis for which the figures might be used. Canadian production figures are supplied by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Figures of automobile production in June, 1938, 1937 and 1936 appeared in the July 30 issue of the "Chronicle," page 644.

NUMBER OF VEHICLES (INCLUDING CHASSIS)

	United St	ates (Factor)	y Sales)	Canada (Production)			
Year and Month	Total (All Vehicles)	Passenger Cars	Trucks,	Total	Pas- senger Cars	Comm'l Cars & Trucks	
1938— June July	174,667 141,437	136,531 106,841	38,136 34,596	14,732 9,007	11,014 5,273	3,718 3,734	
Total 7 mos. end. July	1,345,311	1,043,358	301,953	111,165	81,375	29,790	
1937— June	497,312 438,968	411,414 360,400	85,898 78,568	23,841 17,941	17,919 12,513	5,922 5,428	
Total 7 mos. end. July	3,227,266	2,647,387	579,879	146,512	109,336	27,176	
June July	452,968 440 731	375,337 371,922	77,631 68,809	16,400 10,475	12,846 7,901	3,554 2,574	
Total 7 mos. end. July	2,929,291	2,413,384	515,907	116,423	92,866	23,557	

Bank of Montreal Reports Further Delay in Harvesting of Crops Although Cutting Is Well Advanced

In its weekly report on the condition of Canadian crops, issued Aug. 25, the Bank of Montreal states that "in the Prairie Provinces of Canada fairly general rains have caused further delay in harvesting operations, although cutting is well advanced over most of Saskatchewan and Southern Alberta and threshing has become general in Manitoba," Continuing the bear says: Continuing the bank says:

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A period of warm, dry weather is now required, particularly in Alberta, to facilitate the harvesting of the crops. In Manitoba wheat yields will be fairly satisfactory and early marketings of rust-resistant wheat are grading well. In Saskatchewan crops show a wide variation and yields and grades have been generally lowered as a result of rust and drought. In Alberta crops generally continue promising. In the Province of Queber harvesting operations have been hampered to some extent by heavy rains but crops continue to give promise of abundant yields. In Ontario there are heavy crops of the main staples and good progress is being made in harvesting. In the Maritime Provinces the crops have been showing satisfactory growth but in some districts excessive moisture has damaged potatoes and grain. In British Columbia occasional showers at the coast and heavy rains in the interior came too late to benefit grain and hay and yields of these will be below average, but roots generally and tree fruits are doing well.

k of Montreal Reports Favorable Harvest Con-ditions Helping Business Outlook for Coming Autumn and Winter

Favorable harvest conditions in all Canadian provinces Favorable harvest conditions in all Canadian provinces are brightening the outlook for business in the approaching autumn and winter, according to the monthly "Business Summary" of the Bank of Montreal, dated Aug. 23. Business operations in Canada, while reflecting the American depression to some extent, have at no time reached the same low level and are responding now to the slight betterment noticeable to the south, as well as to domestic economic influences. Harvesting is now general in the Prairie provinces, where late rains have been beneficial in improving the quality of grain that had been ripened rather too rapidly. In its "Summary," the Bank also had the following to say:

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A number of business indices have moved upward during the past month, but others have hung back or even receded. However, the Government at Ottawa, by fixing a minimum price of 80c. for wheat, has removed one element of uncertainty and ensured a substantial increase of rural purchasing power in the Prairie provinces.

There is some indication of a general increase in purchasing power, as in June the dollar value of consumer purchasing for 12 lines of retail trade gained 5% over the May volume and was only 1% lower than in June, 1937.

In the manufacturing field conditions are variable. The demand for durable goods has fallen off and some of the heavier industries have been short of orders. The textile mills have been operating well below capacity but have now prospects of greater activity with firming prices. The newsprint industry has not emerged from its difficulties but shipments in July, 205,490 tons, again exceeded production which was 202,546 tons as compared with 201,694 tons in June and 316,194 tons in July, 1937. The demand for all varieties of pulp has picked up with rising prices.

AAA Decision Not to Reallocate Beet Sugar Deficits Balances Statistical Position, Says B. W. Dyer & Co.

Decision of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration not to reallocate beet deficits approximately balances the statistical position, according to B. W. Dyer & Co., New York, sugar economists and brokers, whose report continues:

If beets deliver the utmost that they have ever delivered in the last five months of any year, and this is by no means assured, the deficit would be about 315,000 tons. If we add to this figure the expected full duty and Virgin Island deficit of about 53,000 tons, the total deficit would be about 368,000 tons. This, deducted from the total of 6,780,000

tons, leaves an effective quota of 6,412,000 tons, which certainly would not allow for any surplus of consequence, particularly if indications later this year favor, as we believe they will, a bullish quota for 1939 with resultant building up of invisibles.

We list below deliveries for previous years from August to December to give a theoretical indication of the deficit if beet deliveries are equivalent to the years shown:

Year—	AugDec. Deliveries	*Beet Deficit	Year—	AugDec. Deliveries	*Theoreti cal Beet Deficit
1937	506.054	458,624	1931	622,266	342,412
1936	a649.288	b315,390	1930	459,713	504,865
1935	642,885	321,793	1929	b402,010	a562,668
1934	538,446	426,232	1928	556,180	408,498
1933	541,780	422,898	1927	403,900	560,778
1932	508,730	455,948	7 19 1 1 1 1 1		

* This year if deliveries equal to years shown. a High. b Low.

The average theoretical deficit of all the years shown would be 434,564 tons. It will be noted that the high point occurred in 1936 and the low in 1929. Should beet deliveries during the last five months of this year equal deliveries of 1936, the deficit would amount to 315,309 tons, while if based on the year 1929, the deficit would be 562,668 tons.

Beet Sugar Allotments to Farmers Forecast by B. W. Dyer & Co.

Acreage allotments to farmers are forecast by B. W. Dyer & Co., New York, sugar economists and brokers, whose report states:

The current beet crop, estimated at about 1,750,000 tons, compares with the current quota of 1,572,000 tons. We believe this surely means that the Administration will issue acreage allotments to farmers. Otherwise, they risk unwieldly surpluses. Plantings start on the Pacific Coast in November/December, and as contracts with growers are made prior to that time, it would seem that allotments should be made some time in September. Past experience with acreage allotments indicates the tendency to decrease the size of th crop beyond the original objective. No one can plant more than his allotment, and everyone does not plant his full allotment.

To forecast what the acreage allotment will indicate in the way of a total crop is impossible, but it seems a fair presumption that the crop will be calculated not to exceed the quota minimum of 1,550,000 tons. Otherwise, why make allotments? We believe it will be lower because of the anticipated large carryover. The point we make of all this is that the smaller the allotments, the more likely beet processors are to hold sugar over to next year, which would increase the beet deficit this year.

Sugar Production in Java to July 1 Increased 57,050 Tons Above Same Period Last Year

Sugar production in Java since the start of the campaign in April to July 1 amounted to 376,124 long tons as compared with 319,074 tons during the corresponding period in 1937, an increase of 57,050 tons, according to advices received by Lamborn & Co., New York. The firm further

This year's Java sugar crop is limited to 1,400,000 tons by Government decree. Last year's production, also restricted to 1,400,000 tons, outturned 1,392,146 tons.

Exports during the current April-June period amounted to 277,770 tons as compared with 247,478 tons in the corresponding period last year, an increase of 30,292 tons. Sugar stocks on hand in Java on July 1 this year totaled 332,590 tons as against 238,229 tons on hand on the same date last year.

Coffee Exports from Haiti During July Decreased Below June

Exports of coffee from Haiti in July, 1938 amounted to 1,676,774 kilos, of which 653,089 kilos were consigned to the United States compared with June exports of 1,788,844 kilos of which 281,364 were consigned to the United States, according to a report from the American Consulate at Portau-Prince, made public by the Department of Commerce, Aug. 22, which further stated:

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Exports increased considerably over July, 1937, when foreign shipments of coffee amounted to 760,904 kilos of which 44,000 kilos were consigned to the United States, it was stated:

On July 11, 1938, a French-Haitian Commercial Treaty became effective, under which Haiti received an annual coffee quota in France of 12,000,000 kilos (150,000 sacks of 80 kilos each). This treaty accounts for a sharp increase in coffee exports to France which totalled 12,000 kilos in July, 1937, compared with 413,205 kilos in July, 1938.

It is estimated that coffee exports from Haiti for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, will be between 25,000,000 and 28,000,000 kilos, according to the report.

1937 Agricultural Conservation Program Expenditures Totaled \$333,352,382 to July 1, 1938 Reports AAA— Payments to Farmers Amounted to \$315,569,403

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration announced Aug. 20 that payments to farmers in all parts of the country under the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program, together under the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program, together with county, State and national administrative costs up to July 1, 1938, totaled \$333,352,382. The announcement gave distribution, by States and regions, of payments already made or due to farmers who participated in the 1937 conservation program. Out of \$333,352,382 of expenditures under the program, the AAA said, payments to farmers, including county expenses, totaled \$315,569,403. As of June 30, 1938, there was a total of \$32,268,111 in unpaid obligations, and \$283,301,292 had been actually paid to farmers. State office expense from July 1, 1937, to July 1, 1938, amounted to \$10,835,701. The Washington administrative expense was \$5,087,946. Other offices of the Department of Agriculture were allocated \$1,013,832, and \$835,500 was transferred to the General Accounting Office and the Treasury. Treasury.

AAA Announces Policy Regarding Beet Sugar Deficit— No Reallotments to Be Made On Aug. 19 the Agricultural Adjustment Administration

announced that unless unusual circumstances which cannot now be foreseen arise between now and the end of the year, no determination of a beet sugar deficit is contemplated for 1938 and consequently no reallotment thereof will be

for 1938 and consequently no reallotment thereof will be made to other producing areas. Last year the deficit in marketings of the sugar beet producing area was 395,219 short tons, raw value. The AAA announcement continued: At the present time the quoted wholesale seaboard price of cane sugar is \$4.30 a hundred pounds, including the excise tax of one-half cent per pound, as compared to an average of approximately \$4.70 during the year preceding and the first year following the Sugar Act of 1937. Thus, the return to the processor of sugar at current prices is about 90c. per 100 pounds less than the average return in the year preceding the Act, when there was no tax.

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Cane sugar supplies for the balance of the year, including refiner stocks, are approximately equal to those for the corresponding period last year, but beet sugar stocks are higher than those a year ago.

Petroleum and Its Products—East Texas Crude Prices Cut by Independents—Major Units Fail to Follow Slash—Two-Day Shutdown Order in Texas Seen for September—Daily Average Crude Oil Output Up—Texas Cancels Tender on Mexican Oil—Crude Oil Stocks Lower

Despite a 15-cent barrel reduction in the price of East Texas crude oil posted on Aug. 21 by the East Texas Refining Co. and followed by several other independent units, the

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A price of \$1.20 a barrel for East Texas crude was established by the 15-cent reduction in the posted price of the East Texas Refining Co. which was followed by similar action on the part of the Danciger Oil and Refineries Co. and several other independents. Increases in imports of foreign crude and the shipping of Louisiana and Arkansas crude (at much lower price levels) to East Texas refineries were responsible for the reduction.

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"This company," the statement continued, "in common with other independent purchasers similiarly situated, has continued to suffer these inequalities in the hope that the unfair differentials in the crude oil price structure would be corrected. However, since prices in other fields were not advanced then it was necessary to institute lower prices for crude produced in the East Texas field in order to iron out the differential." In addition to the two companies named above, Premier Refining and Grogan Oil met the cut.

Although no definite action was settled at the monthly proration meeting of the Texas Railroad Commission held early in the week, it was the general opinion in oil circles, accentuated by the East Texas price cut, that the five-day production week would return to the Lone Star State's oil industry when the Commission issued its September proration orders. With independent companies paying only \$1.20 a barrel for East Texas crude, the majors apparently are holding off on any reduction at this time in the hope that the price cut will strengthen the chances of the return of the five-day production week to Texas. C. V. Terrell, Chairman of the Commission, said a day or so after the price cut was announced, that it was the "unanimous view of the Commission that a return to the Saturday-Sunday shutdown schedule was very probable."

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Daily average production of crude oil in the United States during the week ended Aug. 20 rose 32,800 barrels over the previous period to 3,392,700 barrels, which is approximately 45,000 barrels under the Federal market demand estimate for the month, according to the American Petroleum Institute reports. California led the upturn with an increase of 14,100 barrels in its daily average to 683,300 barrels. Oklahoma was up 3,800 barrels to a daily average of 443,400 barrels. An increase of 5,800 barrels in Texas lifted the total there to 1,393,650 barrels. Louisiana gained 5,050 barrels to 261,050 barrels while Kansas was up 2,900 barrels to 168,100 barrels.

C. V. Terrell, Chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, on Aug. 22 canceled a tender covering 100,000 barrels of crude oil shipped from Mexico to the Eastern State Petroleum Co. on the grounds that import of Mexican oil into Texas was an "outrage." He regretted that the Railroad Commission could not prevent the oil imports but held that this was something that only the Federal oil authorities could handle. "Tenders were issued on the Mexican crude but after the shipment was tested we found that it was 49 also gravity and 66% gasoline and the tender was canceled.

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of Mexican crude, accepts the oil products tender, the company will pay \$109,000 customs instead of the \$21,000 duty for 100,000 barrels of crude." he added. In commenting on the question of importing Mexican oil at this time, he pointed out that "we are already having our own difficulties. A cut of production of crude oil must come because stocks of crude and gasoline are not being reduced as fast as they should be at this season of the year. Reports of a general cut in the crude oil structure are beside the mark. Two independents have cut the price of East Texas crude but it is not likely that the majors will follow suit. The shipment of oil into Texas from other nations should be stopped but the Railroad Commission has no power to regulate such shipments. It is a matter for Federal regulation, and we think something should be done about it."

Eastern States Petroleum officials issued a statement in Houston on Aug. 24 disclosing that the first cargo of crude oil purchased under its contract with the Mexican Government had been delivered. "The cargo," it was continued, "consisted of approximately 40,000 barrels of Poza Rica crude oil of about 29 gravity. The crude oil in question was produced from wells of the Petromex, the Mexican Government's own producing company has ever had production in this field. The Eastern States Petroleum Co., which continuing to operate largely on Texas crude, is importing a substantial quantity of this Poza Rica crude oil."

From Amsterdam, Havas News Agency reported on Aug. 24 that the embargo on two lighters carrying 1,500 tons of Mexican oil which have been held by Netherlands authorities since Aug. 18 pending a claim lodged by the Britishowned Mexican Eagle Oil Co. was lifted by the Dordrecht Tribunal. The court held that the company had failed to prove its ownership of the crude oil, which Mexican Eagle claimed had been taken from its oil holdings recently seized by the Mexican Government.

Inventories of domestic and foreign crude oil held in the United States dropped 1,155,

Prices of Typical Crudes per Barrel at Wells (All gravities where A. P. I. degrees are not show

Bradford, Pa\$1.:			
Lima (Ohio Oil Co.) 1.:	25	Rusk, Texas, 40 and over 1.20-	1.35
Corning, Pa 1.	17	Darst Creek	1.09
Illinois 1.3	35	Central Field, Mich.	1.42
Western Kentucky 1.3			
Mod-Cont't, Okla., 40 and above 1.3	30	Huntington, Calif., 30 and over	1.22
Rodessa, Ark., 40 and above 1.5			
Smackover, Ark., 24 and over			

REFINED PRODUCTS-MOTOR FUEL STOCKS LOWER-RE-FINERY RUNS OF CRUDE SLUMP—FUEL OIL INVENTORIES MOUNT-PRICE STRUCTURE STEADY

Holdings of finished and unfinished gasoline dropped 1,678,000 barrels during the week ended Aug. 20 to 72,709,-000 barrels, according to the American Petroleum Institute. While this is some 4,500,000 barrels above the total held on the same date a year ago, it is more than 20,000,000 barrels under the record all-time high which was established this March

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Refinery holdings were off 1,304,000 barrels to 40,045,000 barrels while bulk terminal stocks showed a decline of 306,000 barrels to 25,805,000 barrels. Inventories of unfinished gasoline declined 68,000 barrels during the Aug. 20 period to hit 6,859,000 barrels. Production of gasoline, straight run and cracked, was 9,612,000 barrels, off 182,000 barrels, against a gain of 469,000 barrels in the previous week. A small fractional decline in refinery operations was shown in the report, refineries running at 79.6% of capacity, off 0.8% from the year's high rate established in the Aug. 13 period. Daily average runs of crude oil to stills dropped 30,000 barrels to a daily total of 3,265,000 barrels. Stocks of gas and fuel oils continued their rise, the decline in industrial demand and steady gain in production lifting the total to 147,180,000 barrels, up 919,000 barrels.

Prices of refined products in the major marketing areas throughout the country were steady. Some slight broadening of interest in kerosene and fuel oils as the summer draws near its end was noticeable in the New York market.

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U. S. Gasoline (Above 65 Octane), Tank Car Lots, F.O.B. Refinery

Stand. Oil N. J\$.07½ Socony-Vacuum	Shell Eastern08½ Shell Eastern07½	Other Cities— Chicago\$.0505½ New Orleans .06½07 Gulf ports05½ Tulsa04¾04¾
Warner-Quinlan071/2		1 434222222 10276 1027

Kerosene, 41-43 Water White, Tank Car, F.O.B. Refinery New York— | North Texas \$.04 | New Orleans \$.05¼-.05½ (Bayonne) \$.04½ | Los Angeles03½-.05 | Tulsa03½-.04

		Oil, F.O.B. Refinery or Te	rminal
N. Y. (Bayonne)— Bunker C Diesel	-\$0.95	\$1.00-1.25	New Orleans C\$0.90 Phila., Bunker C 0.95

Gas Oil, F.O.B. Refinery or Terminal
N. Y. (Bayonne)— Chicago— 27 plus————————————————————————————————————

 Z New York
 \$195 | Newark
 \$159 | Buffalo
 \$.17

 z Brooklyn
 .195 | Boston
 .185 | Philadelphia
 .18

 z Not including 2% city sales tax
 .185 | Philadelphia
 .18

Daily Average Crude Oil Production During Week Ended Aug. 20, 1938, Placed at 3,392,700 Barrels

The American Petroleum Institute estimates that The American Petroleum Institute estimates that the daily average gross crude oil production for the week ended Aug. 20, 1938, was 3,392,700 barrels. This was a gain of 32,800 barrels from the output of the previous week, and the current week's figure was below the 3,438,100 barrels calculated by the United States Department of the Interior to be the total of the restrictions imposed by the various oil-producing States during August. Daily average production for the four weeks ended Aug. 20, 1938, is estimated at 3,346,700 barrels. The daily average output for the week ended Aug. 21, 1937, totaled 3,729,350 barrels. Further details as reported by the Institute follow:

Imports of petroleum for domestic use and receipts in bond at principal United States ports for the week ended Aug. 20 totaled 941,000 barrels, a daily average of 134,429 barrels, compared with a daily average of 178,000 barrels for the week ended Aug. 13 and 148,607 barrels daily for the four weeks ended Aug. 20.

There were no receipts of California oil at Atlantic and Gulf Coast ports for the week ended Aug. 20 compared with a daily average of 19,143 barrels in the week ended Aug. 13 and 20,786 barrels daily in the four weeks ended Aug. 20.

Aug. 20.

Reports received from refining companies owning 89.0% of the 4,159,000 barrel estimated daily potential refining capacity of the United States indicate that the industry as a whole ran to stills, on a Bureau of Mines basis, 3,265,000 barrels of crude oil daily during the week, and that al' companies had in storage at refineries, bulk terminals, in transit and in pipe lines as of the end of the week, 72,709,000 barrels of finished and unfinished gasoline and 147,180,000 barrels of gas and fuel oil.

Total gasoline production by companies owning 88.1% of the total daily refinery capacity of the country amounted to 9,612,000 barrels.

DAILY AVERAGE CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION (Figures in Barrels)

	B. of M., Dept. of Interior Calcu- tations (August)	State Allowable Aug. 1	Week Ended Aug. 20 1938	Change from Previous Week	Four Weeks Ended Aug. 20 1938	Week Ended Aug. 21 1937
Oklahoma Kansas	529,700 169,300	428,000 165,500				
Panhandle Texas North Texas West Central Texas West Creas East Central Texas East Texas East Texas Southwest Texas Coastal Texas			75,400 74,950 29,700 220,050 97,800 440,800 236,950 218,000	+400 +1,100 +250 +300 +100	76,750 29,350 219,400 98,900 440,250 237,300	75,250 33,700 242,750 128,450 472,400
Total Texas	1,377,800	b1614805	1,393,650	+5,800	1,391,100	1,540,250
North Louisiana			78,750 182,300	-3,450 +8,500	81.250 180,800	86,800 176,300
Total Louisiana	256,100	256,715	261,050	+5,050	262,050	263,100
Arkansas Eastern Michigan Wyoming Montana Colorado	53,900 148,100 60,000 62,200 13,900 5,500		55,800 151,600 49,150 63,050 12,750 3,850	+200 +200 +1,100 -950 +250		45,500 60,500
New Mexico	112,300	107,000		+350	105,450	113,950
Total east of Calif California	2,788,800 649,300	c615,000	2,709,400 683,300	$+18,700 \\ +14,100$	2,682,800 663,900	3,054.350 675,000
Total United States.	3,438,100		3,392,700	+32,800	3,346,700	3,729,350

a These are Bureau of Mines' calculations of the demand for domestic crude oil based upon certain premises outlined in its detailed forecast for the month of August. As demand may be supplied either from stocks or from new production, contemplated withdrawals from crude oil stocks must be deducted from the Bureau's estimate of demand to determine the amount of new crude oil to be produced. b Effective Aug. 1. Sunday shutdowns continued through August. c Recommendation of Central Committee of California Oil Producers. Note—The figures indicated above do not include any estimate of any oil which might have been surreptitiously produced.

CRUDE RUNS TO STILLS AND STOCKS OF FINISHED AND UNFINISHED GASOLINE AND GAS AND FUEL OIL, WEEK ENDED AUG. 20, 1938 (Figures in Thousands of Barrels of 42 Gallons Each)

		Daily Refining Capacuty			Crude Runs to Stills		Stocks of Finished and Unfinished Gasoline			
District	Poten- 1	Reporti	na	Daily	P. C.	Fini	shed	Unfin'd	Gas and	
	tial Rate	Total	-	Aver- age	Oper- ated	At Re- fineries	Terms., &c.	Nap'tha Distil.	Fuel	
East Coast.	669		100.0	511	76.4	5,870	12,993	1.037	14,642	
Appalachian.	146	129	88.4	107	82.9	1,042	1,813	264	1,059	
Ind., Ill., Ky Okla., Kan.,	529	489		410	83.8	6,502	4,296		9,334	
Mo	452	383		279	72.8	3,180	2,724		4,342	
Inland Texas	355	201	56.6	145	72.1	1,695	92			
Texas Gulf	833	797	95.7	763	95.7	7,283	276		12,884	
La. Gulf	174	168		123	73.2	1.169	594	401	3,382	
No. LaArk.	91	58		42	72.4	312	165		856	
Rocky Mtn. California	89 821	62 746		56 510	90.3 68.4	1.238 8,984	2,222	95 1,217	94.871	
Reported Est. unreptd.		3,702 457		2,946 319	79.6	37,275 2,770	25,175 630		144,190 2,990	
xEst.tot.TT.S		1	7.817					194		
Aug. 20 '38 Aug. 13 '38		4,159 4,159		3,265 3,295		40,045 41,349	25,805 26,111		147,180 146,261	
U.S. B. of M. xAug. 20 '37			2	y3,395		37,096	23,574	7.359	110.747	

x Estimated Bureau of Mines' basis. z August, 1937, daily average.

Weekly Coal Production Statistics

The National Bituminous Coal Commission in its current the National Bituminous Coal Commission in its current weekly report stated that the total production of soft coal in the week of Aug. 13 is estimated at 5,994,000 net tons. This is a gain of 184,000 tons, or 3.2%, over the preceding week, and is in comparison with 7,691,000 tons in the corresponding week of 1937.

The cumulative production of soft coal in 1938 to date is 30.8% lower than in the corresponding period of 1937; the cumulation of hard and soft coal combined, 29.2% lower than in 1937

The United States Bureau of Mines in its statement said that the estimated production of Pennsylvania anthracite for the week ended Aug. 13 amounted to 428,000 tons, the second lowest weekly record for the year. In comparison with the week of Aug. 6 there was a decrease of 118,000 tons, or 21.6%; compared with the same week of 1937 there was a loss of 23.3%.

ESTIMATED UNITED STATES PRODUCTION OF SOFT COAL (In Thousands of Net Tons)

	W	eek Ende	d	b Calen	dar Year	to Date
	Aug. 13 1938	Aug. 6 1938	Aug. 14 1937	1938 с	1937	1929
Bituminous Coal a— Total, including mine fuel Daily average	5,994 999	5,810 968	7,691 1,282		268,575 1,418	314,893 1,663

a Includes for purposes of historical comparison and statistical convenience the production of lighte, semi-anthracite and anthracite outside of Pennsylvania. b Sum of 32 full weeks ended Aug. 13, 1938, and corresponding 32 weeks of 1937 and 1929. c Total for 1938 is subject to current revision.

ESTIMATED PRODUCTION OF PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE AND BEEHIVE COKE (In Net Tons)

	V	Veek Ended	i	Calendar Year to Date				
Penn. Anthractte	Aug. 13, 1938	Aug. 6, 1938 c	Aug. 14, 1937	1938	1937 d	1929 d		
Total, incl. colliery fuel a Daily average	428,000 71,300	546.000 91,000	558,000 93,000		31,569,000 167,500	41,838,000 222,000		
Commercial pro- duction_b	407,000	519,000	530,000	26,260,000	29,591,000	38,826,000		
Beehive Coke— United States total Daily average.	10.700 1,783	11,700 1,950	61,100 10,183			4,265,600 22,217		

a Includes washery and dredge coal, and coal shipped by truck from authori operations. b Excludes colliery fuel. c Revised. d Adjusted to make comparathe number of working days in the three years.

ESTIMATED WEEKLY PRODUCTION OF COAL, BY STATES
(In Thousands of Net Tons)

(The current weekly estimates are based on railroad carloadings and river ship-ents and are subject to revision on receipt of monthly tonnage reports from district and State sources or of final annual returns from the operators.)

		W	eek Ende	ed		Aug.
State	Aug. 6 1938p	July 30 1938 p	Aug. 7 1937 r	Aug. 8 1936 r	Aug. 3 1929	Ange. 1923 e
Alaska	54.5.1	1	1	3	8	8
Alabama	180	197	252	225	335	397
Arkansas and Oklahoma	36	42	60	35	88	81
Colorado Co	69	72	90	81	129	173
Georgia and North Carolina	*	1	*	1	8	8
Georgia and North Caronna	598	600	630	823	925	1,363
Illinois	202	208	228	258	296	440
ndiana	45	44	37	54	58	100
lowaKansas and Missouri	82	82	91	98	104	145
		639	671	692	843	765
Kentucky—Eastern	107	115			204	217
Western		25	27		44	44
Maryland		3	7		15	21
Michigan		38	43		49	50
Montana New Mexico	23	22			40	40
New Mexico	14				s12	820
North and South Dakota	265				434	871
Ohio	1.326		2,002		2,630	3,734
Pennsylvania bituminous	72	84			98	118
Tennessee	14	14	19		23	24
Texas			45		67	83
Utah		248			222	248
Virginia	29	27	31		33	47
Washington		1.332			1,967	1.518
West Virginia-Southern a		364			687	87
Northern b		75			91	154
Wyoming	84	* 10	* 90	°i	s2	84
Other Western States c		7 W.	1025 P. July			
Total bituminous coal	5.810	5,900			9,396	
Pennsylvania anthracite d	540		435	653	1,243	1,926
Grand total	6,350	6,900	7.865	8,377	10,639	13,464

P'a Includes operations on the N. & W., C. & O., Virginian, K. & M., B. C. & G., and on the B. & O. in Kanawha, Mason, and Clay countles. b Rest of State, including the Panhandle District and Grant, Mineral, and Tueker countles. c Includes Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, and Oregon. d Data for Pennsylvania antractic from published records of the Bureau of Mines. e Average weekly rate for entire month. p Preliminary. r Revised. s Alaska, Georgia, North Carolina, and South Dakota included with "other Western States." * Less than 1,000 tons,

9,118 Tons of Tin Exported During July Under International Tin Agreement

The New York office of the International Tin Research and Development Council announced on Aug. 24 that the International Tin Committee reported exports of tin during July under the International Tin Agreement as follows:

D. Verle	3,539 1,663	Nigeria	Tons 646 679 *
* Not yet reported.	1,1		

World Production of Tin During First Half of Year Below Last Year-World Consumption 171/2% Below Last Year-World Below First Half of 1937

Statistics published in the August "Bulletin" of the International Tin Research and Development Council, issued by The Hague Statistical Office, show that 82,600 tons of tin were produced in the first half of the current year against 94,600 tons in the first half of last year. World production in July is estimated at 11,600 tons, the average over the first six months being 13,770 tons. World apparent consumption of tin in the first half of this year, at 80,900 tons, was about 17½% below the figure for the first half of

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1937, said an announcement issued in the matter on Aug. 24 by the New York office of the Council, which added:

The most severe decrease was in the United States of America, where tin consumption fell by 42.1% as compared with the first half of 1937. In the United Kingdom there was a decrease of 29.3%. Consumption in Russia increased by 32.7%, and in Japan by 13.6%, while there were slight increases in Germany and France. The tin consumption of the principal countries is compared in the following table, the figures being in tons of 2,240 pounds:

	First Half	First Half	Percentage
	1938	1937	Inc. or Dec.
United States Union of Soviet Socialist Republics United Kingdom Germany Japan France Other countries	26,539	45,803	-42.1
	10,843	8,173	+32.7
	9,294	13,148	-29.3
	6,329	6,128	+3.3
	5,145	4,531	+13.6
	4,900	4,948	+0.8
	17,760	15,469	+14.8
World total	80,900	98,200	-17.6

Tin consumption in Canada decreased by 17.9% to 1,153 tons in the first half of 1938, but there was an increase of 35.1% in Italy to 2,400 tons, an increase of 47.7%, in British India to 1,700 tons, and of 49.5% in Sweden to 1,450 tons.

Consuming Industries

World production of tinplate in the first half of 1938 was 1,416,000 tons, showing a decrease of 37% on the total of 2,250,000 tons in the first half of 1937. The estimated production in July, 1938, is 214,000 tons against 378,000 tons in July, 1937.

The output of the world motor industry fell by 44½% from 3,600,000 vehicles in the first half of 1937 to 2,002,000 vehicles in the first half

World Stocks of Tin

World visible stocks of tin increased by 1,935 tons during July last to 29,447 tons at the end of the month against 25,042 tons at the end of July, 1937. A comparison of the statistics of apparent consumption and consumption in manufacture indicates that consumers' stocks have increased by over 7,000 tons in the first half of this year, making a total increase since the beginning of 1937 of around 30,000 tons.

Non-Ferrous Metals—Quiet Week in Metals—High London Market Firms Domestic Lead and Zinc

"Metal and Mineral Markets," in its issue of Aug. 25, reported that buying of major non-ferrous metals during the reported that buying of major non-ferrous metals during the last week was inactive, but there was a better undertone because of a slightly firmer London market. Statistics released here during the week pointed to a larger movement of metals into consumption. The operating rate of the steel industry made a new high for the movement. Prices for copper, lead, zinc and tin were steady. Antimony was advanced one-half cent a pound on the domestic grade. Refined platinum advanced to \$39 per ounce, effective Aug. 22. Quicksilver was slightly lower. The publication further reported: tion further reported:

Copper

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Domestic buying of copper was quiet during the last week, sales for the period involving 3,754 tons against 4,618 tons in the previous week and 5,676 tons two weeks ago. Producers believe ample copper has been bought by consumers during June and July to cover a large part of their requirements for the remainder of the year. The trade estimates actual consumption of copper now at the rate of 45,000 tons per month against 39,000 tons in June. The quotation remained firm at 10½c., Valley.

Prices abroad during the week were steady. Yesterday's (Aug. 24) rise in price abroad reflected the improved sentiment in Wall Street and fair buying by European and Oriental interests.

Lead

Sellers of lead were relieved last ween in the firmer prices at London. On the second call on Aug. 24 the London equivalent for lead was 3.19c. per pound against the recent low of 3.03c. A move is on foot to revive the foreign lead Cartel, but only preliminary conversations have been held. The domestic market, in spite of the uncertainty about London prices, did a little better in the last week, sales in the open market totaling 3,460 tons against 2,600 tons in the week previous. Producers were satisfied with the trend in consumption, and some are convinced that deliveries for August will be as good as, and possibly better than, in July. Stocks of refined metal were reduced 9,115 tons during July, and another reduction is expected for August. The August position of consumers is about covered, with September requirements provided for to the extent of 40%. the extent of 40%.

Lead in New York held at 4.90c., which was contract settling basis of the American Smelting & Refining Co., and the St. Louis market con-

Domestic lead shipments for the first seven months of 1938 totaled 224,017 tons, which compares with 360,367 tons in the same period last year. Shipments in the January-July periods of 1937 and 1938, by months, compare as follows, in tons:

compare	-January	Tune_	-Januar	y-June-
JanuaryFebruary	1937 45,718 50,375 63,425	$1938 \\ 34,923$	June42,710 July47,727	1938 35,343 40,601
March	55,200 55,212	25,952 26,011		224,017

Improvement in prices for zinc in the London market last week removed apprehension of producers here that the domestic quotation might be forced to lower levels. During this tense period consumers have shown little interest in buying, but the trade continues to be impressed by the steady volume of shipments of the common grades to consumers, which last week totaled 4,350 tons against 5,348 tons in the previous week and 3,031 tons two weeks ago. Sales for the week in common zinc totaled a little under 1,000 tons. Operations of galvanizers are now reported to be above 52% of capacity against 50% last week. Some in the industry expect further improvement in the near future. Sellers of High-Grade zinc report better sales to the automobile industry. Quotations remained firm at 4.75c., St. Louis, for Prime Western.

Tin

The London tin market moved higher, particularly on Aug. 24, on improved sentiment in Wall Street and the hope that a showing of strength

would bring in some buying of consequence. Demand here was quiet most of the week. Uncertainty over the new price to be named on tin plate for the last quarter of the year continues to cast a shadow over the market. The tin-plate mills are still operating at around 30% of capacity. Chinese tin sold during the week as much as 1½c. under Straits. Spot Straits settled on Aug. 24 at 43.60c., or slightly higher than a week ago. Chinese tin, 99%, was nominally as follows: Aug. 18, 41.500c.; Aug. 29, 41.500c.; Aug. 22, 41.50c.; Aug. 23, 41.500c.; Aug. 24, 42.100c.

DAILY PRICES OF METALS ("E. & M. J." QUOTATIONS)

	Electrolyt	tc Copper	Straits Tin	Le	ađ	Zinc
	Dom., Refy.	Exp., Refy.	New York	New York	St. Louis	St. Louis
Aug 18	9.900	9.675	43.000	4.90	4.75	4.75
Aug. 19	9.900	9.700	43.000	4.90	4.75	4.75
Aug. 20	9.900	9.700	43.000	4.90	4.75	4.75
Aug. 22	9.900	9.700	42.925	4.90	4.75	4.75
Aug. 23	9.900	9.675	42.875	4.90	4.75	4.75
Aug. 24	9.900	9.725	43.600	4.90	4.75	4.75
Average	9.900	9,696	43.067	4.90	4.75	4.75

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Average prices for calendar week ended Aug. 20 are: Domestic copper, 1.0.b. refinery, 9.900c.; export copper, 9.679c.; Straits tin, 43.013c.; New York lead, 4.900c.; St. Louis lead, 4.750c.; St. Louis zinc, 4.750c.; and silver, 42.750c.

The above quotations are "M. & M. M.'s" appraisal of the major United States markets, based on sales reported by producers and agencies. They are reduced to the basis of cash, New York or St. Louis, as noted. All prices are in cents per pound. Copper, lead and zinc quotations are based on sales for both prompt and future deliveries; tin quotations are for prompt delivery only.

In the trade, domestic copper prices are quoted on a delivered basis; that is, delivered at consumers' plants. As delivery charges vary with the destination, the figures shown above are net prices at refineries on the Atlantic seaboard. Delivered prices in New England average 0.225c. per pound above the refinery basis.

Export quotations for copper selera usually name a c.l.f. price—Hamburg, Havre, and Liverpool. The c.l.f. basis commands a premium of 0.325c. per pound above f.o.b. refinery quotation.

Daily	London	Price

Coppe	r. Std.		Tin,	Std.	Le	ad	Zt	nc
Spot	3М	(Bid)	Spot	3М	Spot	3M	Spot	3M
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for lead and zinc are the official buyers' prices for the first session Metal Exchange; prices for copper and tin are the official closing All are in pounds sterling per long ton (2,240 lb.).

Steel Ingot Rate for Country Advances to 43%

The "Iron Age" in its issue of Aug. 25 reported that supported mainly by a broadening demand from miscellaneous consumers, steel ingot production has gained two points this week to 43% of the country's capacity. The publication further stated:

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Pittsburgh operations have gained three points to 33%, while the nearby Wheeling-Weirton area is up to 79%, far exceeding the highest rates elsewhere. Chicago output is two points higher at 38%, Cleveland-Loraln has gained five points to 45%, the Youngstown district one point to 43%. Buffalo six points to 45%, the Youngstown district one point to 43%. Buffalo six points to 45%, the Youngstown district one point to 43%. Confirming the betterment in steel production in Pittsburgh and nearby districts, the Pittsburgh steel scrap market has recovered its loss of last week, 25c, a ton. This brings the "Iron Age" scrap composite price up to \$14.50, which is 9c, above last week's average, but 33c, below the recent high point of \$14.83. The undertone of scrap markets is strong despite some current weakness in prices, and higher quotations would accompany any market improvement in the volume of mill purchases.

The automobile industry offers the most immediate prospect for further improvement in steel volume. While there may be temporary dip in motor car assemblies this week owing to cessation of work by Chevrolet on 1938 n odels, the industry is quickly swinging over to 1939 cars, on which it may be in full production by mid-September. A press preview of the Chrysler line took place on Aug. 19, one of the earliest showings on record. Detroit's erployrent index jumped last week from 47.8 to 57.

Building construction, in which private projects form only a small part, continues to build up mill backlogs of structural steel, reinforcing bars and sheet pilling. The week's awards were 33,600 tons, including 16,750 tons of scapes and piling for the New York City aqueduct from the Delaware River; 2,200 tons for a subway in Brooklyn, 3,500 tons for two bridges in Lousiana and 1,175 tons for a shop at the Navy Yark at Norfolk. New projects of nearly 21,000 tons are

THE "IRON AGE" COMPOSITE PRICES

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			Mar. 10
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		1.945c	Jan. 2
		1.792c.	May 2
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	· I	Tigh	·	ow
1938	\$23.25	June 21	\$19.61	July 6
1937		Mar. 9		Feb. 16
1936	19.73	Nov. 24	18.73	Aug. 11
1935		Nov. 5	17.83	May 14
1934		May 1	16 90	Jan. 27
1933	16.90	Dec. 5		Jan. 3
1932	14.81	Jan. 5	13.56	Dec. 6
1930	18.21	Jan. 7	15.90	Dec. 16
1927	10 71	Ton 4	17.54	

Steel Scrap Aug. 23, 1938, \$14.50 a Gross Ton Based on No. 1 heavy melting steel ne week ago ________\$14.41{ quotations at Pittsburgh, Philadelphia

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	High	Z	Corp
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1935	2 Dec. 10	10.33	Apr. 23
1933	5 Aug. 8	9.50 6.75	Sept. 25 Jan. 3

The American Iron and Steel Institute on Aug. 22 an nounced that telegraphic reports which it had received indicated that the operating rate of steel companies having 98% of the steel capacity of the industry will be 42.8% of capacity for the week beginning Aug. 22, compared with 40.4% one week ago, 37.0% one month ago, and 83.8% one year ago. This represents an increase of 2.4 points, or 5.9%, from the estimate for the week ended Aug. 15, 1938. Weekly indicated rates of steel operations since Aug. 2, 1937, follow:

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Nov. 8 41.0%	Feb. 1431.0%	May 31 26 19	

"Steel" of Cleveland, in its summary of the iron and steel markets, on Aug. 22 stated:

Receiving its principal support from miscellaneous buyers and from structural shape and plate work, activity in steel markets is holding recent

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Additional improvement is slight, in contrast to the sharp July rise, but production has edged up 1½ points, to 41½%, and prospects are favorable for better business in some directions next month.

Plates, shapes and reinforcing bars make a relatively better showing than most other products, and their outlook is enhanced by the large number of public projects now pending. Automobile production, still restricted by model changing, will account for heavier shipments of steel next month. Automotive steel buying for 1939 models so far has been light, but substantially larger orders are seen for the coming several weeks.

Automobile production increased sharply last week, due to resumption of Ford operations. Total output by the industry was 23,940 units, highest in three weeks and gain of 10,150 units over the preceding week. Ford produced 11,000, against none the week before; General Motors increased from 9,800 to 10,300; Chrysler dropped from 1,100 to 900; while all other makers curtailed from 2,890 to 1,740.

While the rate of improvement in steel purchases and production has slowed down materially since a month ago, this was more or less anticipated by the industry. Nevertheless, operations thus far in August have risen somewhat more rapidly than would be expected on the basis of the usual seasonal trend for this month. Predictions vary as to the extent of subsequent gains in steel production during the balance of the year, with the automotive industry thought likely to be the principal factor in determining the trend.

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An encouraging volume of building and heavy construction work is active, and recent orders for fabricated steel have been the heaviset in many weeks. Outstanding is the placing of contracts of 21,000 tons of shapes, piling, and reinforcing bars for the Delaware aqueduct project, New York. Other large awards include 2,300 tons for a Brooklyn subway, 2.075 tons for a Des Moines, Iowa, office building, and 3,415 tons for three bridges in the South.

Bids will be taken next month on 11,400 tons of plates and shapes for two Navy ship tenders.

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With the steel industry yet to move into the zone of profitable operations, speculation continues regarding possible revisions in wages and prices, or both, in order to alleviate present losses. Consumers generally are satisfied that increases in quotations the balance of the year are unlikely and continue to place orders in line with current needs.

Scrap prices have eased further. Recent weakness is attributed more to the belief that the recent rise was too rapid rather than to disappointment over failure of scrap consumption to continue to expand at its July pace. Reductions at several centers lowers the scrap composite 29 cents to \$14.29. Exactly one-half of the 12 leading steel-making districts contributed to last week's upturn in the national production rate to 41½%, highest for

the year to date. Chicago operations rose 2½ points to 36%; Cleveland gained 2 points to 43%; Buffalo was up 2 points to 44%; Birmingham increased 3 points to 53%; New England expanded 10 points to 50%; and St. Louis rose 6 points to 36%. Other centers were unchanged, including Pittsburgh at 30%, Youngstown at 43%, Wheeling at 54, Cincinnati at 65, Detroit at 52, and eastern Pennsylvania at 30.

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cinnati at 65, Detroit at 52, and eastern Pennsylvania at 30.

Steel prices generally are steady at recently reduced levels, although some producers note adverse effects from the new basing point system through loss of business in distant markets. Certain railroads also note with disfavor the loss of long-haul tonnage. The latter leads to speculation as to whether some revised freight rates might not be put into effect.

The finished steel composite was unchanged last week at \$57.20, while the iron and steel composite was reduced 2 cents by weakness in scrap to \$36.40

\$36.49.

Steel ingot production for the week ended Aug. 22, according to the "Wall Street Journal" of Aug. 25 rose two points above the previous week. The entire gain was due to a sharp spurt about the middle of last week by subsidiaries of the U. S. Steel Corp., causing an increase of 2½ points by these units over the estimated schedule for the period, and a rain of five points in actual output over the praceding week gain of five points in actual output over the preceding week.

Leading independents, included in the compilation, recorded a drop of 1½ points. The "Journal" further reported:

For the industry as a whole the rate is placed at 42%, compared with 40% in the two previous weeks. U. S. Steel is estimated at 34½%, against 29½% in the week before and 32% two weeks ago. Leading independents are credited with 48½%, compared with 50% in the preceding week and 47% two weeks ago.

The following table gives a comparison of the percentage of production with the nearest corresponding week of previous years, together with the approximate changes, in points, from the week immediately preceding:

	Industry	U. S. Steel 1 + 1	Independents
1938 1937 1936 1935 1934 1933	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	48½ -1½ 84½ +1 75½ +1½ 57 +2 ± 20½ -2 ± 50½ -2½
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Current Events and Discussions

The Week with the Federal Reserve Banks

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During the week ended Aug. 24 member bank reserve balances increased \$71,000,000. Additions to member bank reserves arose from decreases of \$34,000,000 in nonmember deposits and other Federal Reserve accounts, \$31,000,000 in Treasury deposits with Federal Reserve banks, \$15,000,000 in money in circulation, and increases of \$27,000,000 in gold stock and \$3,000,000 in Treasury currency, offset in part by an increase of \$31,000,000 in Treasury cash and a decrease of \$8,000,000 in Reserve bank credit. Excess reserves of member banks on Aug. 24 were estimated to be approximately \$2,980,000,000, an increase of \$50,000,000 for the week.

The statement in full for the week ended Aug. 24 will be found on pages 1292 and 1293.

Changes in the amount of Reserve bank credit outstanding and related items were as follows:

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 Member bank reserve balances
 8,156,000,000

 Money in circulation
 6,470,000,000

 Treasury cash
 2,417,000,000

 Treasury deposits with F. R. bank
 771,000,000

 Non-member deposits and other Federal Reserve accounts
 571,000,000

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Returns of Member Banks in New York City and Chicago—Brokers' Loans

Below is the statement of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System for the New York City member banks and also for the Chicago member banks for the current week, issued in advance of full statements of the member banks, which will not be available until the coming Monday: ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF WEEKLY REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN CENTRAL RESERVE CITIES

New York City	(I1	a Million	s of Doll	lars)			
1938 1938 1937 1938		-New York City-Chicago-)
Assets		Aug. 24	Aug. 17	Aug. 25	Aug. 24	Aug. 17	Aug. 25
Loans and Investments—total		1938	1938	1937	1938	1938	1937
Loans - total	Assets-	\$	8	\$	S	\$	8
Loans - total	Loans and investments-total	7.613	7.542	8.340	1.847	1.848	2.010
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Complete Returns of Member Banks of the Federal Reserve System for the Preceding Week

As explained above, the statements of the New York and Chicago member banks are given out on Thursday, simultaneously with the figures for the Reserve banks them-

selves and covering the same week, instead of being held until the following Monday, before which time the statistics covering the entire body of reporting member banks in 101 cities cannot be compiled.

In the following will be found the comments of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System respecting the returns of the entire body of reporting member banks of the Federal Reserve System for the week ended with the close of business Aug. 17:

The condition statement of weekly reporting member banks in 101 leading cities shows the following principal changes for the week ended Aug. 17: Increases of \$11,000,000 in commercial, industrial and agricultural loans, \$10,000,000 in loans to brokers and dealers in securities, and of \$14,000,000 in "other securities"; decreases of \$22,000,000 in holdings of obligations fully guaranteed by the United States Government and of \$12,000,000 in "other loans"; and increases of \$72,000,000 in balances with donestic banks, \$22,000,000 in time deposits, and \$64,000,000 in deposits credited to dome tic banks.
Commercial, industrial and agricultural loans increased \$10.000,000 in

New York City, \$6,000,000 in the Chicago district and \$11,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Loans to brokers and dealers increased \$9,000,000 in New York City and loans to banks \$10,000,000. "Other loans" declined \$8,000,000 in New York City and \$12,000,000 at all reporting

declined \$8,000,000 in New York City and \$12,000,000 at all reporting member banks.

Holdings of United States Government direct obligations increased \$5,000,000. Holdings of obligations fully guaranteed by the United States Government declined \$13,000,000 in New York City, \$6,000,000 in the Cleveland district, and \$22,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Holdings of "other securities" increased \$14,000,000.

Demand deposits-adjusted increased \$14,000,000 in the Kansas City district, \$11,000,000 in the Dallas district and \$10,000,000 in the Ean Francisco district, and declined in roots of the other districts.

district, \$11,000,000 in the Datas district and \$10,000,000 in the ean Francisco district, and declined in most of the other districts, all reporting rember banks showing a net increase of \$11,000,000. Time deposits increased \$22,000,000 in New York City. Government deposits declined \$5,000,000. Deposits credited to domestic banks increased \$32,000,000 in New York City and \$64,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Deposits credited to foreign banks increased \$6,000,000.

Borrowings of weekly reporting member banks amounted to \$1,000,000 on Aug. 17.

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A summary of the principal assets and liabilities of the reporting member banks, together with changes for the week and year ended Aug. 17, 1938, follows:

		Since (+) or Decrease ()			
Aug. 17, 193					
Assets—	\$	\$			
Loans and investments-total20.632.000.0	00 +21,000,000	-1.671,000,000			
Loans-total		-1,710,000,000			
Commercial, industrial and agri-	1 = 2,000,000	-11.1010001000			
cultural loans 3,900,000.0	00 +11.000.000	-680,000,000			
Open market paper 337,000,0					
Loans to brokers and dealers in	1 2,000,000	-02/000/000			
securities 632,000,0	00 + 10,000,000	-718,000,000			
Other loans for purchasing or					
carrying securities 578,000,0	4.000 000	-119,000,000			
Real estate loans 1,160,000.0		-5,000,000			
Loans to banks 115,000.0		-24.000,000			
Other loans 1.501.000.0	-12,000,000	-33,000,000			
U. S. Govt. direct obligations 7,674,000.0	+5,000,000	557.000.000			
Obligations fully guaranteed by					
United States Government 1,628,000,0	00 -22,000,000	+489,000,000			
Other securities 3,107,000.0	00 + 14,000,000	+107,000,000			
Reserve with Fed. Res. banks 6,568,000,0	+18,000.000	+1.374.000,000			
Cash in vault 382,000,0	-11,000,000	+90,000,000			
Balances with domestic banks 2,437,000,0	+72,000,000	+728.000,000			
Liabilities—					
Demand deposits-adjusted15.020,000,0	+11,000,000				
Time deposits 5.215,000.0					
United States Government deposits 425,000,0	-5,000,000	107,000,000			
Inter-bank deposits:					
Domestic banks 5,953,000.0					
Foreign banks 320,000,0					
Borrowings 1,000,0	+1,000,000	-38,000,000			

General Franco Rejects British Proposals for Withdrawal of Foreign Troops from Spain—Note Accepts Principle of Nonintervention Committee's Plan, but Objects to Specific Suggestions—Spanish Loyalists and Insurgents in Continued Deadlock

As Spanish Government and nationalist troops this week continued in a deadlock on the Ebro River front, prospects of an international agreement that might facilitate the conclusion of the Spanish civil war were materially lessened on Aug. 21 when General Francisco Franco replied to a British plan for withdrawal of foreign forces from Spain

by rejecting the proposal. General Franco said that he accepted the principle of withdrawal, but he actually objected to all the principal suggestions of the Spanish Nonlected to all the principal suggestions of the Spanish Non-Intervention Committee, which had been agreed to by the Spanish Government. As a result, the Anglo-Italian friendship treaty, concluded last spring, will probably not come into effect until after the end of the war in Spain.

The Spanish civil war was referred to in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, page 1118. In reporting General Franco's rejection of the British proposals, Associated Press London advices of Aug. 21 said:

of the British proposals, Associated Press London advices of Aug. 21 said:

The immediate effect was that the committee was confronted with the difficult task of finding another proposal, with the likelihood of a new series of delays like those which have beset the group since its first meeting nearly two years ago, on Sept. 9, 1936.

This, in turn, will mean another delay in enforcement of the British pact with Italy, signed on April 16, unless Prime Minister Chamberlain acts to alter its provision for withdrawal of Italian fighters from Spain at the end of the war or before.

Mr. Chamberlain and his Foreign Minister, Viscount Halifax, hurried back from the country to confer on the turn of events today.

There were some in diplomatic quarters here who felt the war would be ended before any new proposal could be agreed upon for withdrawal of foreign fighters, whose presence in Spain the Non-Intervention Committee regards as a danger to world peace.

There were some also who thought that Premier Mussolini of Italy was fully aware of General Franco's stand, and that the two had joined hands to harass the British Government.

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These persons argued that, in effect, General Franco had killed the chances of the Anglo-Italian pact. Parls reports of last week were recalled in this connection, that General Franco had decided to cast his lot with Italy and Germany even at the risk of losing connections with Great Britain.

Great Britain and insurgent Spain have exchanged, in effect, consular

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General Franco, in his note made public yesterday, stated insurgent Spain's wish to assist the committee in "insuring that the Spanish problem shall not disturb the peace of Europe," and accepted "willingly withdrawals of volunteers, subject to conditions indicated above."

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These main conditions were that belligerent rights be granted to Spanish insurgents at once, and that volunteers be withdrawn in equal numbers from each army.

The committee had proposed the withdrawal of volunteers in proportion to their total number in each army after a survey had been made and that belligerent rights be given General Franco after the withdrawals had been effected. effected.

been effected.

Belligerent rights would permit insurgent Spain to blockade Government Spain's ports legally and would give General Franco's regime the status of an established nation at war.

Having thus rejected the two basic features of the plan, General Franco offered, "as an extraordinary concession, to respect the establishment of two safety ports in the enemy zone" for vessels carrying foodstuffs, and to cooperate in "defining and limiting, so far as may be practicable, the conception of military objectives in relation to aerial bombardments,"

General Franco, moreover, demanded to know what guaranties the committee Powers could give him of Government Spain's integrity, and reserved the right to make other objections he considered "useless to make at this stage."

The deadlock between Spanish Government and insurgent forces was reported in the following Associated Press dispatch of Aug. 22 from Hendaye, on the Franco-Spanish frontier:

patch of Aug. 22 from Hendaye, on the Franco-Spanish frontier:

Smashing insurgent offensives on three fronts were beaten back today, in bitter fighting, by intrenched Spanish Government troops.

Insurgent forces unleashed one offensive at Villalba de los Arcos, seven miles north of Gandesa in Catalonia, another on the Balaguer front between Balaguer and Tremp, about 55 miles north of Gandesa, and a third on the Estremadura front, in southwest Spain, at a point south of Puebla de Larzobispo, on the border between Toledo and Caceres Provinces.

At Villalba de los Arcos the insurgents attempted to encircle the Government-held village. Insurgents dominating two sides of Lascomas Mountain, northeast of the village, attacked with 30 tanks and nearly 100 airplanes, but the defenders held their ground under an avalanche of aerial bombs and artillery shells.

On the Balaguer front several insurgent columns, preceded by tanks and 15 warplanes, tried to cross the Segre River near the Camarosa dam, north of Balaguer. Government troops, advised by scouts that insurgents were massing troops in the vicinity, greeted the advancing columns with heavy fire from machine guns and trench mortars.

As the insurgents arrived at the bridgehead, preceded by tanks, Government fighters opened fire with anti-tank guns, crippling two of the insurgent machines and forcing the others to retreat. Government dispatches said loyalist anti-aircraft batteries had shot down a German-made pursuit plane on the Ebro front, leading to capture of a German pilot after he bailed out.

On the Estremadura front the insurgents attacked Government positions

plane on the Euro front, leading to capture of a German price and bailed out.

On the Estremadura front the insurgents attacked Government positions south of Puebla de Larzobispo with an offensive which started from Val de la Casa, Villar del Pedroso and Corros-Calejo.

The offensive was designed to carry the insurgents over the Huso River.

Japan Protests to Russia Against Alleged Crossing of Korean Border by Soviet Planes—Japanese Troops Advance on Hankow—Japanese Attack Passenger Plane-Protest by U.S.

New protests to Soviet Russia against alleged crossing of the Korean border by Soviet planes were made by Japan the Korean border by Soviet planes were made by Japan on Aug. 23, while reports of occasional clashes between Japanese and Soviet troops near the Manchukuoan boundary were received this week. Nevertheless, the situation between Japan and Russia, which threatened actual war recently, was believed to be steadily improving. Recent negotiations between the two countries were described in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, pages 1118-19. A Tokio dispatch of Aug. 23 to the New York "Times" reported the latest "incidents" as follows:

The Tokio Foreign Office spokesman announced yesterday that Mamoru Shigemitsu, Japanese Ambassador to Moscow, had protested vigorously to

Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet Foreign Commissar, against a recurrence of Soviet airplane flights over Manchukuoun and Korean border lines as a violation of the truce agreement. The Japanese spokesman said:
"In connection with the border issue Japan has made a proposal to the Soviet Union, presenting a concrete plan for the establishment of a border demarcation commission on the basis of a peaceful settlement in the area in question. In the concrete plan Japan presented such items as are generally dealt with by such a commission, namely an agenda with a system and method.
"Owing to a difference of views in connection with the data, no agreement at present has been reached, but it has been decided to continue the Soviet-Japanese negotiations by taking into consideration Japan's concrete proposal. The Soviet remained adamant that the data, including the treaty, with annexed map, concluded between Russia and China alone, should be employed, while Japan insisted that Japan's new data must also be included."

The Japanese Consulate General at Khabarovsk and consulate at Blago-

The Japanese Consulate General at Khabarovsk and consulate at Blagoveshchensk have been closed upon the Societ Union's insistence that the same number of consular offices be maintained by each country following the closing of the Soviet consulates at Kobe and Otaru.

Japanese planes on Aug. 24 attacked a large Chinese-American-owned passenger land plane, forcing it down on a small river near the south China coast. It was reported that 14 of the 19 persons abroad were killed.

"Emphatic objection" to the attack has been made to Japan by the United States, according to Associated Press

on instruction from Secretary Hull, American Ambassador Joseph C.
Grew, in Tokio, presented the Japanese Government with a note which

"My Government desires to express its emphatic objection to the jeop-ardizing in this way of the lives of American as well as other non-combatant occupants of unarmed civilian planes engaged in clearly recognized and established commercial services over a regularly scheduled air route. "This attack upon the plane has aroused public feeling in the United States."

The pilot of the plane was an American, Hugh L. Wood, Winfield, Kan., who was one of the three survivors.

The American note declared that "Not only was the life of an American

national directly imperiled but loss was also occasioned to American property interests as the Pan-American Airways has a very substantial interest in the China National Aviation Corp." (The company which owned the airliner.)

From Tokio, Aug. 26, United Press accounts stated:

The Foreign Office spokesman said today that the Japanese attack on e airliner was justified because it "suspiciously attempted to evade the airliner

In describing the attack, Associated Press advices of Aug. 24 from Hongkong said:

Aug. 24 from Hongkong said:

H. L. Woods, of Winfield, Kan., the pilot, who was the only American aboard, reported that Japanese airmen riddled the plane as it sank. Besides Woods, the known survivors were his radio operator, Joe Loh; C. N. Lou, a passenger, and two unidentified passengers. Those aboard were a baby, a small child, two women and eleven men as passengers, and the crew of four. All except Woods were Chinese.

The plane was owned by the China National Aviation Corporation. American interests hold a 45 per cent share of the corporation and the Chinese government holds the rest.

Corporation officials said the Japanese probably thought the plane was carrying Dr. Sun Fo, head of the Legislative Council of China, who had just returned from Europe, where he had sought foreign aid against the Japanese. However, Dr. Sun had canceled his reservation over night and flown to Hankow, where he arrived at noon. He is the son of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen, first President of the Chinese Republic.

Survivors of the attack said two Japanese planes opened fire on the air liner soon after it took off from Hongkong for Chungking. The pilot veered south from his westward course to shake off the attackers. A little later, five pureuit planes attacked, diving and zooming so close to the large plane that it was forced down between Macao and Canton.

C. N. Lou, who reached a Macao hospital with a bullet wound in his neck, said some of his fellow passengers were wounded while the plane still was in the air, others while trying to swim ashore.

"I fear I am one of the few survivors among the passengers," Mr. Lou said, "because the Japanese planes, after machine-gunning us while in the air, continued to do so while we were attempting to go ashore.

"The Japanese pilots seemed determined to kill everybody. Our pilot had the choice of landing on a rice paddy or the river, and chose the latter.

latter.

"Before we could really get clear of the plane the Japanese returned, not once, but again and again, machine-gunning us mercillessly. It was a scene of utter confusion, with bullets spattering in the water around us.

"I was hit by a bullet in the neck and could do no more than swim and run blindly under the diving airplanes. My impression is that many passengers never had a chance even to get out of the plane. I managed to get clear and found a sampan to take me to Shekki."

Woods and Loh escaped serious injury. Woods was taken aboard the United States gunboat Mindanao at Macao.

Japanese troops meanwhile this week continued their drive on the Chinese provisional capital of Hankow, with steady advances through the Yangtze River sector. We quote a summary of the military situation, as given in Associated Press Shanghai advices of Aug. 22:

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The invaders aimed particularly at smashing Chinese lines to open pathways to Nanchang, Kiangsi Province capital 100 miles south of Kiukiang, Yangtze River base for Japanese operations 135 miles downstream from Hankow.

To get at Nanchang the Japanese opened a wide-circling overland drive on which they plan to go south and west around Lake Poyang, which lies south and slightly east of Kiukiang, and proceed up to Nanchang, on the southwest corner of the lake. The final drive is expected to be timed with a simulaneous drive southward to Nanchang along the railway from Kiukiang.

Kinkiang.

While Japanese forces on both banks of the Yangtze attempted to advance up the river under the protecting fire of warships, with severe fighting around Red Lake, 20 miles west of Kinkiang, a Japanese column just landed on Lake Poyang's eastern shore threatened Tuchang, about 50 miles southeast of Kinkiang. The Chinese admitted Japanese troops had succeeded in landing near Matsun and that Chinese lines had been forced back toward Tuchang.

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In attacking Tuchang the invaders were on the first lap of their round-the-lake movement. Towns and cities to be attacked included Kingtehchen, site of the famous imperial potteries; Poyang, Loping, Yukan and Tsinsien.

On this roundabout path the Japanese will be forced to fight against Chinese in strong defense positions on the Chang and Loan Rivers, flowing into Lake Poyang from the east, and the Kwangsin River, entering the lake

from the southeast.

On the Shansi Province front, 300 miles to the north, Japanese columns were engaged in drives designed to wipe out Chinese defenders and regain control of strategic points on the north bank of the Yellow River, from which the Japanese were driven by floods in June.

League Loans Committee Announces Acceptance Pro-portions on Various Tranches of State Loan of Kingdom of Hungary 1924

The League Loans Committee (London) issued the following communique on Aug. 17 regarding the State loan of the Kingdom of Hungary, 1924:

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The Royal Hungarian Minister of Finance hereby announces, with reference to the Royal Hungarian Government's offer for the permanent settlement of the future service of the State loan of the Kingdom of Hungary, 1924, which was contained in the communiques issued by the League Loans Committee (London) on June 29 and Sept. 28, 1937, and in the Government's memorandum dated Sept. 17, 1937, that bonds corresponding to the following proportions of the outstanding capital of the various tranches

Holland 97.0% Switzerland 97.1% Hungary. 94.9% United States of America. 91.5% In view of the fact that these proportions aggregate more than 96% of the total outstanding capital of the loan, thus representing almost the entirety of the bondholders, the Royal Hungarian Minister of Finance requested the National Bank of Hungary to hold at the free disposal of the Hungarian Government, in pursuance of Clause 2, Paragraph (ii), of the communique of June 29, 1937, and of Clause 3 of the communique of Sept. 28, 1937, the pengo Treasury bills deposited in connection with the loan service from Aug. 1, 1933, until July 31, 1937, as well as interest thereon accrued, and the untransferred service moneys accumulated in pengo during the years 1932 and 1933. At the same time the Royal Hungarian Minister of Finance requested the National Bank of Hungary to set aside out of the pengo amounts so released, in accordance with Clause 12 of the memorandum, an amount in pengo sufficient to reconstitute a reserve fund in foreign exchange and the National Bank of Hungary has carried out this request. The Royal Hungarian Minister of Finance also declared that he would make available out of the pengo amounts so released a further sum of 7.5 million pengo, as provided for in Clause 3 of the communique of Sept. 28, 1937, for the purpose of making purchases of bonds of the loan in excess of ordinary amortization requirements. Budapest, Aug. 1, 1938.

The League Loans Committee announces that they have been informed of the steps which the Hungarian Government has taken, as stated above, with regard to certain cash pengoes and pengo Treasury bills held at the National Bank of Hungary. The proposed disposition of these sums is in accordance with the terms of the settlement recommended by the committee to the bondholders on June 29 and Sept. 28, 1937.

Reference to the June 29 communique of the League Loans Committee was made in our issue of July 3, 1937, page 33.

Complete Ownership of Bank of Canada by Dominion Government Effected

Complete ownership of the Bank of Canada by the Dominion of Canada was effected on Aug. 15 when the Treasminion of Canada was effected on Aug. 15 when the Treasury redeemed at \$59.20 per share the 100,000 class A \$50 par shares held by the public. The intention of the Canadian Government to acquire complete ownership of the Bank of Canada was noted in these columns June 11, page 3736. The necessary legislation enabling the Government to take over the Bank's ownership had since been enacted. Ottawa advices in the Toronto "Globe and Mail," showing the figures of the weekly statement of the Bank of Canada as they appeared following the assumption of control by the Government, stated: the Government, stated:

Taking over by the Dominion Government of the complete ownership of the Bank of Canada was responsible for several of the major changes in the Bank's statement for Aug. 17 compared with Aug. 10. The paid-up capital of \$10,100,000 was reduced to \$5,000,000 by the purchase of shares with a par value of \$5,000,000 from the public and cancellation of another \$100,000 worth, which gave the Government a majority holding in the former setup.

of another \$100,000 worth, which gave the Government a majority holding in the former set-up.

An increase of \$7,027,000 in deposits by chartered banks and \$4,249,000 in all other liabilities, which include float, were partly a reflection of the capital decrease, and Dominion Government deposits were at the same time lightened by \$4,837,000. An increase of \$2,286,000 in the Central Bank's holdings of short-term securities also affected chartered bank deposits or float.

Principal securities in the statement for the week ended Aug. 17 follow, with comparisons.

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In addition to the item in our June 11 issue, reference to Government ownership of the Bank also appeared on page 503 of our July 23 issue.

Premier Hepburn of Ontario Opposed to St. Lawrence River Waterway Project, Development of Which President Roosevelt Said Lies at Door, of Two Governments—Views of Mr. Hepburn Made Known to Prime Minister Mackenzie King

The opposition of Premier Hepburn of Ontario to the St. Lawrence River waterway project on "economic grounds," was made known in a letter to Prime Minister grounds," was made known in a letter to Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada, in a letter within a day after President Roosevelt, at the dedication, on Aug. 18, of the Thousand Islands International Bridge had stated that responsibility for the development of the waterway project "lies plainly" at the doors of the two governments. The President's address was given in these columns Aug. 20, page 1122. Mr. Hepburn, in his letter to Mr. King, said that "you may rest assured that this (Ontario) Government will regist any effort to force us to expend public funds in will resist any effort to force us to expend public funds in such an unwarranted manner or to foist upon the people of Optorio an additional hunder of debt and toyation." Cons Ontario an additional burden of debt and taxation dian Press advices from Ontario, Aug. 19, in quoting Mr. Hepburn as above, said that his letter was in answer to a communication from the United States State Department to the Dominion Prime Minister, which Mr. King forwarded to Mr. Hepburn without comment.
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The Ontario Premier contended that no accurate estimate has been made of the cost of the entire project and warned of the effect a rival transportation system might have on Canada's railroads.

He said, in part:

"The fact is well known to you that Ontario has an ample supply (of power) for many years to come—indeed, a huge surplus—for which it must pay and receive no benefit.

"This unsatisfactory condition would not obtain at this moment had you granted us, when you had the opportunity, the right to export the surplus at a profit.

"I have on various occasions ventured the opinion that the St. Lawrence waterways project could not be justified on economic grounds. We are also interested in the railway situation, which has not been improved since you have been the head of the Administration at Ottawa.

"Until such time as you solve what is considered to be one of the major problems of Canada—that of the National Railway deficits—I cannot conceive how you could seriously consider spending public money for the purpose of creating another public, competitive avenue of transportation."

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On the previous day (Aug. 18) Premier Hepburn, commenting after a Cabinet meeting on President Roosevelt's plea for joint action by the United States and Canada in developing the river, was quoted as follows by the Canadian

There can be no development of power on the St. Lawrence River without the consent of the governments concerned. There will be no consent from this Government.

We don't need the power. When the time comes, and I do not foresee it for a long time, the problem will be handled by an extension of the present policy of public ownership. When the time comes, and I do not force

France Fixes Price of 1938 Wheat Crop at \$1.541/2

The price of wheat in France was set on Aug. 24 at 204 francs a quintal (220.46 pounds) or approximately \$1.54½ a bushel, it is learned from Paris advices to the "Wall Street Journal" of Aug. 25, which also had the following to say:

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The price on new crop compares with 199 francs, which is being paid on current crop and was set last September on a gradually increasing scale from a level of 188 francs.

The 1938 wheat crop at the same time was estimated at 90,000,000 quintals (324,900,000 bushels) and the surplus at 20,000,000 quintals (72,200,000 bushels). Recent private estimates on the present crop ranged from 312,000,000 to as high as 360,000,000 bushels and while harvesting operations progressed under favorable weather conditions, it is intimated that the final outturn might be in excess of the official figure.

Last year a crop of 253,537,000 bushels was harvested compared with 254,618,000 the previous year and a 5-year average of 316,681,000 bushels. The wheat office recently estimated that ordinary consumption is about 255,000,000 bushels and placed the August 1 carryover at 11,000,000 bushels, which has been partially sold.

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Ratification by Paraguay and Bolivia of Treaty for Adjustment of Chaco Boundary Dispute

The treaty providing for the submission to arbitration of the Chaco boundary dispute was approved by Paraguay on Aug. 10 by a 10-to-1 vote in a plebiscite, according to Asso-ciated Press advices from Asuncion (Paraguay), which

said: The Ministry of the Interior announced tonight the total vote was: for ratification, 113,309; against, 11,825.

The Bolivian Constitutional Congress ratified the treaty on the same day, the vote by the Assembly being 109 to 2. Under date of Aug. 8, Associated Press advices from Buenos Aires, referring to the proposed ratification proceedings on Aug. 10, said:

Voting in Bolivia will be by the Constituent Assembly and in Paraguat by plebiscite, because that nation is ruled by a provisional Government and because that nation is ruled by a provisional Government and

nas no assembly.

A final settlement of the disputed boundary by Oct. 10—two months from the date of ratisfication—is demanded by the terms of the treaty, signed on July 21 after mediation by a conference of neutral nations, including the United States.

The signing of the treaty on July 21 in Buenos Aires by Foreign Minister Eduardo Diez de Medina and Dr. Cecilio Baez, Paraguayan Foreign Minister, was noted in our issue of July 23, page 504. A message of President Roosevelt, expressing gratification at the signing of the accord, was referred to in these columns July 30, page 655.

Mexican Import Duties Reduced on Wide Range of Products—Duties on Passenger Automobiles Increased

Marican decree, published in the Diario Oficial of Aug. 15, and effective Aug. 30, reduced the import duties on an extensive list of products, principally raw materials, restored the rates of duty on passenger automobiles to the higher levels which were in force from Jan. 18 to May 1 of this year, and doubled the import duty on buses, according to a report received in the Department of Commerce from the Office of the American Commercial Attache, Mexico City, and announced on Aug. 19 by the Department which says:

The duties on six and eight cylinder passenger automobiles were increased from 600 to 700 pasos each, while the rate on buses was increased from 1000 to 2000 paso each, and a number of modifications were introduced in the rates of duty on material and parts used in the assembly of automobiles in

Mexico.

The duty reductions embrace a wide range of crude and semi-manufactured products, including principally rayon yarns, crude and artificial rubber, fertilizers of all kinds, miscellaneous chemical products, glues and sizes, plastic materials and manufactures thereof, mechanical wood pulp and cellulose pulp, unmanufactured metals and certain canned vegetables. Included among these duty reductions were a number of items on which the Mexican import duties had been sharply increased by the decree of Dec. 31, 1937, and on which intermediate rates of duty have been in effect since May 1 of this year. since May 1 of this year.

Valuations of Products for Collection of New Mexican Export Tax of 12%

Export Tax of 12%

The valuations of Mexican export commodities for the purpose of levying the export tax of 12% ad valorem have been announced by the Mexican valuation committee, effective from promulgation in the Diario Oficial on Aug. 10 to Səpt. 20, 1938, according to a report of Aug. 11 from the Office of the American Commercial Attache, Mexico City, said an announcement by the Department of Commerce at Washington on Aug. 19. The list of valuations will be revised periodically by the Committee, existing valuations remaining in force until amended by subsequent announcements. According to the Commerce Department which said:

The following valuations are estabslished for petroleum and its deriva-

The following valuations are established for petroleum and its derivatives, at 20 degrees centigrade, per cubic meter; crude petroleum, with a density of 0.96 or less, 32.43; crude petroleum with a density of more than 0.96, 22.50; combustible petroleum, 30.46; gas oil, 37.20; crude gasoline, 46.74; refined gasoline, 71.60; crude kerosene, 44.28; refined kerosene,

46.74; refined gasoline, 71.60; crude kerosene, 44.28; refined kerosene, 59.37; and lubricating oil, 250.93. For metals and compounds, the tax is based upon the metallic content at the following valuations per net kilogram; gold, 4707.50; silver, 32.52; copper, 0.269; antimony, 0.515; and zinc, 0.050.

From the information made available by the Commerce Department we also quote:

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The valuations established by the committee embrace practically all of the commodities listed in the Mexican export tariff schedule, and include the following major products exported from Mexico to the United States (valuations are expressed in Mexican pesos per gross kilogram unless otherwise noted): Cattle (male), 27.00 per head; cattle (female), 29.00 per head; goat skins, 2.80; kid skins (weighing up to 300 grams), 1.06; raw cotton, ginned, 0.79; raw cotton, unginned, 1.40; henequen, 0.27; ixtle (maguey), 0.32; ixtle (lechuguilla), 0.50; ixtle (palma), 0.17; other rigid vegetable fibers, 0.58; ixtle fiber, scraped, cut, and prepared, 0.88; cordage, ropes, and all manufactures of henequen, 0.38; cordage, ropes, and all manufactures of ixtle and similar fibers, 0.76; chicle, 2.38 to 3.75 (according to proportion of domestic fiber used in containers); fresh tomatoes (exempt from tax); bananas, 1.14 to 2.21 per 100 gross kilos (according to containers); unhulled coffee, 0.74 to 1.65 (according to containers); and hulled coffee, 0.62 to 0.94 (according to containers).

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An item bearing on the 12% export tax appeared in our Aug. 20 issue, page 1119.

Colombian Bondholders Committee Advised by Law-rence Hoover, Executive Secretary, to Delay Court

Lawrence E. de S. Hoover, Executive Secretary of the Bondholders Committee for Republic of Colombia Dollar Bonds, on his recent return from a six-weeks visit to Bogota, Colombia, relating to various suits brought, or contemplated, by the Committee in the Colombian courts in behalf of American bondholders, advised the Committee not to press their contemplated suits at this time. From an announcement by the Committee Aug. 23 we quote:

Mr. Hoover was so impressed with the sincerity of the new Administration of Doctor Eduardo Santos, President, that he advised the Bondholders Committee for Republic of Colombia that in his judgment the Committee should not now press their contemplated suits, in deference to the new Administration in whose high purpose of a good neighbor policy he reposes confidence.

There is good reason to expect the new Administration—as soon as the loan contracts and the fiscal position of the government can be studied—to take up the negotiation of a debt settlement with the legal representatives

of the bondholders.

The Committee was impressed with the report made by the Executive Secretary, who found that it was the consensus of opinion of responsible citizens, attorneys, and public men in Colombia that it is the sincere desire of the Colombian people and their new Administration to deal with this matter with sincerity and justice.

The Committee desires to afford the new Administration the convenient opportunity to thoroughly study the matter and not to have the Adminis-

tration put in the position of being subjected to any pressure through court procedure. The Committee relies with confidence upon the new Administration not to permit any legislative obstruction of the judicial

New York Stock Exchange Calls Attention to Semi-Weekly Settlement of Transactions Which Be-comes Effective Sept. 1—No Change in New York Curb, Exchange Clearance

On Aug. 25 the Committee on Stock List of the New York On Aug. 25 the Committee on Stock List of the New York Stock Exchange, through its director, John Haskell, sent a letter to the Presidents of Corporations having stock listed on the Exchange calling attention to the new plan of semi-weekly settlement of transactions of all listed stocks, which goes into effect Sept. 1. The letter, in part, follows:

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Pursuant to this arrangement, each week will be divided into two terms: viz., (1) Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; and (2) Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Transactions in stocks made in the Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday term will be settled on Friday, and transactions made in the Thursday-Friday-Saturday term will be settled on the next Tuesday, unless settlement days are postponed because of intervening holidays.

Transactions in stocks will be ex-dividend or ex-rights on the first business day of the term whose term settlement date is subsequent to the date of record or of the closing of transfer books set by the Corporation. Therefore transactions in stocks will be ex-dividend or ex-rights from one to six days before the record date, depending upon the day of the week selected as the record date and whether the intervention of a holiday necessitates the advancement of the "ex" date.

We are inviting your attention to this change in procedure in order that its effect may be taken into consideration in fixing a date of record for your stockholders at the time of the declaration of dividends, offering of rights to subscribe, etc. As a rule, the selection of either a Tuesday or a Friday as a record date would be most helpful to the Exchange and to the public, as thus a long interval between the "ex" date and the record date will be avoided. We trust that, where convenient, your corporation will select either of these days as a date of record for its listed stock.

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An item relating to the adoption of the new procedure appeared in our July 16 issue, page 349.

The Board of Directors of the New York Curb Exchange Securities Clearing Corporation has given "extensive consideration" to the matter of a semi-weekly settlement, it was stated in the Exchange's "Bulletin" of Aug. 20, and has decided to make no change at this time in the present form of clearance. Members will receive ample advance notice of any future change which may be adopted.

Odd-Lot Trading on New York Stock Exchange During Weeks Ended Aug. 13 and Aug. 20

The Securities and Exchange Commission on Aug. 19 made public a summary for the week ended Aug. 13, 1938, of the daily corrected figures on odd-lot transactions of oddof the daily corrected figures on odd-lot transactions of odd-lot dealers and specialists in stocks, rights and warrants on the New York Stock Exchange, continuing a series of current figures being published weekly by the Commission. The figures for the week ended Aug. 6 were given in our issue of Aug. 13, page 966. We also incorporate the figures for the week ended Aug. 20, which were released Aug. 25.

The data published are based upon reports filed daily with the Commission by add-lot dealers and specialists.

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ODD-LOT TRANSACTIONS OF ODD-LOT DEALERS AND SPECIALISTS IN STOCKS, RIGHTS AND WARRANTS ON THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE—WEEKS ENDED AUG. 13 AND AUG. 20, 1938

Trade Date	(Custon	SALES ners' Orde	ts to Buy)	PURCHASES (Customers' Orders to Sell)			
	No. Ord.	Shares	Value	No. Ord.	Shares	Value	
Aug. 8	5,370	145,864	\$5,167,836	6,345	157,225	\$5,353,735	
Aug. 9	4,945	130,154	4,888,570	5,683	148,199		
Aug. 10	4,365	119,154			131,445		
Aug. 11	6.254	173,266		5,904	162,016		
Aug. 12 and 13	11,747	319,819	10,111,021	13,337	366,382		
Total for week	32,681	888,257	\$30,222,151	36,392	965,266	\$31,164,623	
Aug. 15	3,806	100.108	\$3,440,839	4.092	105,509	\$3,262,290	
Aug. 16	3,185	88.098		3,816	94,382	3,090,765	
Aug. 17	3,519	93,740		4.081	101,904	3,558,742	
Aug. 18	2,619	67,576		3,062	72,382		
Aug. 19 and 20	5,332	138,966		6,829	174,673	6,080,154	
Total for week	18,4615	488,488	\$17,342,893	21,880	548,850	\$18,319,195	

Member Trading on New York Stock and New York Curb Exchanges During Week Ended Aug. 6

During the week ended Aug. 6 the percentage of trading for the account of all members of the New York Stock Exchange (except odd-lot dealers) and of the New York Curb Exchange to total transactions in each instance was below the preceding week ended July 30, it was made known by the Securities and Exchange Commission yesterday (Aug. 26). by the S (Aug. 26).

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Trading on the Stock Exchange for the account of all members during the week ended Aug. 6 (in round-lot transactions) totaled 2,056,877 shares, which amount was 19.76% of total transactions on the Exchange of 5,206,620 shares. This compares with member trading during the previous week ended July 30 of 3,631,597 shares, or 20.90% of total trading of 8,686,900 shares. On the New York Curb Exchange member trading during the week ended Aug. 6 amounted to 242,285 shares, or 18.70% of the total volume on that Exchange of 647,765 shares; during the preceding week trading for the account of Curb members of 437,715 shares was 21.07% of total trading of 1,038,645 shares.

The data issued by the SEC are in the series of current figures being published weekly in accordance with its pro-

gram embodied in its report to Congress in June, 1936 on the "Feasibility and Advisability of the Complete Segrega-tion of the Functions of Broker and Dealer." The figures for the week ended July 30 were given in these columns of Aug. 20, page 1120. The Commission, in making available the data for the week ended Aug. 6, said:

The data published are based upon weekly reports filed with the New York Stock Exchange and the New York Curb Exchange by their respective members. These reports are classified as follows:

	New York Stock Exchange	New York Curb Exchange
Number of reports received	. 1,084	830
Reports showing transactions: As specialists *	205	105
Other than as specialists:	245	39
Initiated off floor		80
Reports showing no transactions	531	619

Note—On the New York Curb Exchange the round-lot transactions of specialists "in stocks in which registered" are not strictly comparable with data similarly designated for the New York Stock Exchange, since specialists on the New York Curb Exchange perform the functions of the New York Stock Exchange odd-lot dealer as well as those of the specialist.

The number of reports in the various classifications may total more than the number of reports received because, at times, a single report may carry entries in more than one classification.

STOCK TRANSACTIONS ON THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE FOR ACCOUNT OF MEMBERS (SHARES) Week Ended Aug. 6, 1938

Total for Week 5,206,620 570,240 532,420 1.102.660 10.59 624,495 6.00 Other transactions initiated off the floor—Bought_____ 167,110 162,612 3.17 329,722 4. Total—Bought..... Total_____ 2,056,877 Transactions for the odd-lot accounts of specialists and oddlot dealers:
1. In round lots—Bought_______
Sold_______ 294,920 2.83 Total_____ 2. In odd lots—Bought______ 1.459.723 STOCK TRANSACTIONS ON THE NEW YORK CURB EXCHANGE FOR

ACCOUNT OF MEMBERS (SHARES) Week Ended Aug. 6, 1938		
Total round-lot volume	Total for Week 647,765	Per Cent a
Round-lot transactions for account of members:		
1. Transactions of specialists in stocks in which they are registered—BoughtSold	78,765 94,875	
Total	173,640	13.40
2. Other transactions initiated on the floor—Bought Sold	14,300 10,825	
Total	25,125	1.94
3. Other transactions initiated off the floor—Bought Sold	21,360 22,160	
Total	43,520	3.36
4. Total—Bought	114,425 127,860	
Total	242,285	18.70
Odd-lot transactions for account of specialists—Bought	64,921 39,795	
Total	104,716	

Semi-Weekly Settlement Plan for Clearance of Stocks Adopted by San Francisco Stock Exchange

Acting on a recommendation of the Clearing House Committee, the Governing Board of the San Francisco Stock Exchange announced Aug. 24 the adoption of a semi-weekly settlement plan for the clearing of stocks. The new plan,

settlement plan for the clearing of stocks. The new plan, which will go into effect Sept. 1, divides the business week into two "terms": (1) Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and (2) Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The Exchange's announcement further explained:

Transactions made in the first term will be settled on Friday: transactions made in the second term will be settled on Tuesday. Regular settlement days will thus be Tuesday and Friday (except in the event of weekday holidays when the settlement day may be postponed), whereas there are at the present time five settlement days, under the present arrangement of settling transactions on the second full business day following the date of the transaction.

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In a notice to members, the exchange pointed out that transactions for "cash," bond transactions and "seller's option" transactions will not be affected. In an explanatory leaflet prepared by the exchange for the benefit of customers of member firms, it is pointed out that the new settlement plan does not affect margin accounts, and that the change is essentially one of a mechanical nature involving brokerage procedure.

New York Stock Exchange Submits Incorporation Plans to Members—Board of Governors Will Hold Hearings on Proposals—Capital Increase is Advocated

The Board of Governors of the New York Stock Exchange on Aug. 24 sent to all members two reports on permissive incorporation of member firms and recommended that non-member general partners of allied partners be placed under the control of the Exchange. Members were asked to vote on the merits of the proposals and were advised that the Board of Governors would hold hearings at which members and partners of member firms might express their views, offer objections and suggest revisions. The Stock Exchange, in announcing the proposals, said in part:

Following a meeting of its Board of Governors today, the New York Stock Exchange announced that the suggestions and comments of members and partners in member firms would be sought in considering two pending proposals, one relating to the advisability of permitting member firms, which wish to do so, to incorporate, and the other contemplating the classification of all nonmember general partners as allied members who would be directly responsible to the Exchange and directly subject to Exchange control and discipline.

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The proposals were submitted to the Board of Governors in the form of preliminary reports. The study of permissive incorporation was prepared by a special committee appointed by the Board of Governors on July 13. The report referring to allied members resulted from a study by the Exchange's Committee on Member Firms. On the basis of these reports and the recommendations contained therein, the Board of Governors authorized the helding of bearings at which may be so the Frechange and partners of the recommendations contained therein, the Board of Governors authorized the holding of hearings at which members of the Exchange and partners of member firms will have a full opportunity to express their views as to the advisability and feasibility of the proposals, to present any objections and to suggest any revisions. The Board will withhold final action pending the holding of these hearings and will await a further report from the two committees which have the two plans in hand.

Meanwhile, the Exchange will distribute copies of the reports of the two committees and other explanatory material relating to the proposals to members and member firms for their consideration. Because of the close interrelation between the proposal for permissive incorporation and that for allied members, the Exchange plans to have the views of members and partners with respect to both subjects presented at joint hearings. It is expected that these hearings will begin within a few days.

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Included, for the information of members and member firms, is a schedule of amendments to the Constitution of the Exchange which would be necessary to permit the incorporation of members and member firms. These amendments are presented merely for information and will not be voted upon at this time.

The material to be sent to members and member firms will, also, include an outline of suggested rules governing member corporations. This, also, is for information purposes only and is subject to possible revision, in the event permissive incorporation is adopted. A statement of corporate purposes is submitted as a further guide to the members and member firms in passing judgment upon the advisability of permissive incorporation as an Exchange policy. Another annex includes a suggested agreement which, should the permissive incorporation plan be adopted, would be required by the Exchange of registered corporations.

The report of the special committee on Permissive Incorporation, copy of which is attached, emphasizes that corporations and their stockholders, under the plan proposed, would be subject to control as effective and as complete as that now exercised by the Exchange over member firms. "The only control which the Exchange has today over its member firms," it is pointed out, "is its ability to end the privileges which those member firms by the ability of the Exchange to end the privileges which the r

by the committee as a basis of discussion are:

Every member corporation shall be organized as a business corporation under the laws of the State of New York.

Every stockholder of a member corporation must at all times be a member or an allied member of the Exchange in good standing or a person approved

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Every member corporation must at all times have among its stockholders one or more seat owners of the Exchange, owning in his or their own right, in the aggregate, at least 5% of the common stock of the corporation.

A member corporation may not have any more than 35 stockholders of all classes. Every director and every principal officer of the corporation must at all times be the owner in his own right of stock of the corporation having a par value of at least \$10,000.

The aggregate par value of the outstanding common stock shall be at least 55% of the aggregate par value of the outstanding stock of all classes.

A member corporation must file with the Exchange every six months a statement of condition in such form and detail as may be prescribed by the Committee on Member Firms, together with a list of the stockholders of the corporation.

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A registered corporation would be required to enter into an agreement with the Exchange, providing, among other things, that the business of the corporation shall at all times be conducted in accordance with the constitution and rules of the Exchange.

The report of the Committee on Member Firms, in proposing the creation of a new class of allied members, points out that the present control of the

Exchange over the conduct of its member firms, which is based on the relationship which exists between the Exchange and these partners owning relationship which exists between the Exchange and these partners owning actual membership, has created difficulties and possible injustice. This is particularly true in cases in which disciplinary action has been taken by the Exchange against an Exchange member or members because of the actions of their partners for which they themselves were not in fact entirely responsible and over which they could not have exercised full control. The committee in its report referred to the recommendation of the Committee for the Study of the Organization and Administration of the New York Stock Exchange, known as the Conway committee, which suggested "that a study be made of the advisability of bringing the nonmember partners of member firms more definitely within the disciplinary control of the Exchange."

change."

The recommendation contemplates that all nonmember general partners shall become allied members of the Exchange. They would not be subject to initiation fee or dues, and would have no interest in the property of the Exchange, no rights on the floor, no vote in connection with Exchange affairs, no right to reduced commissions on Exchange transactions, and no rights in the gratuity fund. The privileges which would be enjoyed by allied members are the same privileges as are now enjoyed by nonmember general partners of member firms.

SEC Reports Sales on National Securities Exchanges During July Increased 84.9% Over June and 25.6% Over July, 1937

Announcement was made on Aug. 25 by the Securities and Exchange Commission that the dollar value of sales on all registered securities exchanges in July, 1938, amounted to \$1,778,734,356, an increase of \$4.9% over the value of sales in June, and an increase of 25.6% over July, 1937. Stock sales, including rights and warrants, had a value of \$1,621,-364,335, an increase of 92.5% over June. Bond sales were valued at \$157,369,789, an increase of 31.3% over June. The Commission added:

Total sales of stock, including rights and warrants, in July were 70,650,820 shares, or 77.2% over June's total. Total principal amount of bonds sold was \$232,147,200, an increase of 37.3% over June.

The two leading New York exchanges accounted for 96.0% of the value of all sales, 95.7% of stock sales, and 99.9% of bond sales on registered

exchanges.

The total value of sales on all exempt exchanges was \$725,859, an increase of 31.7% over June.

Registration of 37 New Issues Totaling \$223,897,000 Under Securities Act Became Effective During July

The Securities and Exchange Commission on Aug. 26 made public its monthly analysis of effective registration statements, prepared by its Research Division. Analysis of statements registered under the Securities Act of 1933 during July, 1938, shows that an aggregate of \$223,897,000 of new securities became fully effective. The net total, exclusive of issues registered solely for reserve against conversion of other securities having convertible features, was \$222,595,000. This net figure compares with \$231,123,000 registered during June, 1938 and \$205,389,000 registered during July, 1937. In its announcement of Aug. 26 the SEC stated: The Securities and Exchange Commission on Aug.

More than 65% of the July, 1938. total was accounted for by the following large issues: Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey \$50,000,000 15-year 24% debentures, due 1953 and \$35,000,000 1½% -2½% serial notes, due from 1943 to 1947; Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. \$30,000,000 first and refunding mortgage 3% bonds, series C, due 1968; Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. \$8,100,000 first mortgage bonds, series B, 4%, due serially from 1940 to 1946 and \$5,400,000 first mortgage bonds, series B 4½%, due serially from 1947 to 1950; Crown Cork & Seal Co., Inc., \$10,000,000 10-year 4½% sinking fund debentures, due 1948; and Industrial Rayon Corp., \$7,500,000 first mortgage sinking fund 4½% bonds, series A, due 1948. About 30% of the month's registrations was represented by investment and trading companies' issues.

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According to the registrants, approximately \$106,918,000, or 50.6% of the estimated net cash proceeds from the sale of the securities registered during the month, were intended for "new money" uses as follows: \$101,-415,000 or 48.0%, for expenditures for plant and equipment (including the \$\$2,973,000 entire net proceeds of the Standard Oil issues*) and \$5,503,-000 or 2.6% for additional working capital. This is the second consecutive month that funds proposed for "new money" uses (or for repayment of bank loans recently made for such purposes) had exceeded \$100,000,000. Only \$9.365,000 or 4.4% of the proceeds, were intended for the repayment of indebtedness, but approximately \$25,053,000 or 11.9% were to be used in connection with the retirement of an outstanding preferred stock issue, the first large case of this type since last August. In addition, \$62,979,000 or 29.8% were to be used (assuming complete sale of the investment and trading company securities) for the purchase of securities for investment. Largely as the result of the bond, note and debenture issues enumerated above, 66.8% of all securities registered during the month, exclusive of issues reserved for conversion, were of the fixed interest-bearing type. Approximately \$3,913,000 of the securities registered during the month were intended for numerous the securities registered during the month were intended for numerous the securities registered during the month were intended for numerous the securities registered during the month were intended for numerous the securities registered during the month were intended for numerous the securities registered during the month

preferred stocks.

Approximately \$3,913,000 of the securities registered during the month were intended for purposes other than immediate cash offering for the account of the registrants. Of this amount, \$1,302,000 were registered for reserve against conversion, \$2,250,000 for reserve against options, \$310,000 were registered for the "account of others" and \$51,000 were registered for acquisition of various assets, payment of claims and for subsequent issuance.

After deducting the above amounts, there remained \$219,984,000 of registered securities proposed to be offered for sale for the account of the registrants. Of these securities \$199,172,000 represented issues of already-established companies while \$20,812,000 (inclusive of \$18,012,000 of

investment and trading company issues) were proposed offerings of newlyorganized enterprises. In connection with the sale of the securities, the
registrants estimated that expenses of 4.0% would be incurred: 3.5% for
commissions and discounts to underwriters and agents and 0.5% for other
expenses of flotation and issuance. After payment of these expenses, the
registrants estimated that they would retain, as net proceeds. \$211,172,000.
Of the \$219,984,000 of securities proposed for cash offering for the
account of the registrants, 58.5% was to be offered by underwriters under
firm commitments; 37.9% (largely consisting of the investment and trading
company issues) by various selling agents, and 3.6% by the registrants
themselves. The registrants indicated that 90.7% of the securities was
to be publicly offered while 9.3% was to be sold to "others," who this
month consisted almost entirely of banks, insurance companies and trust
funds.

TYPES OF NEW SECURITIES INCLUDED IN 24 REGISTRATION STATE-MENTS THAT BECAME FULLY EFFECTIVE DURING JULY, 1938

	T	otal Securities 1	Registered
Type of Security	No. of Issues	No. Units of Stock, &c., Face Amt. of Bonds, &c.	Gross Amount
Common stock	14	\$9,407,922 51,900	\$20,916.663 2,790,026
Certificates of participation, beneficial int-		Jeffer 197	
terest, warrants, &c	9	12,028,798	51,509,626
Secured bonds	7	54,392,000	54,280,635
Debentures	3	95,000,000	94,400,000
Short-term notes			
Total	37	7.364.65	\$223,896,950

Type of Security	Total, Less Securities Reserved for Conversion	Total (After Other Deduc- tions (proposed to Be Offered for Sale for Cash for Account of Registrants	Per Cent of Total Less Securities Reserved for Conversion		
	Gross	G7088	July,	June,	July,
	Amount	Amount	1938	1938	1937
Common stock Preferred stock Ctfs. of partic., beneficial in-	\$19,614,365	\$17,195,600	8.8	5.2	30.1
	2,790,026	2,744,980	1.3	1.4	41.2
terest, warrants, &c	51,509,626	51,509,626	23.1	3.9	12.4
Secured bonds	54,280,635	54,133,635	24.4	14.7	14.6
Debentures	94,400,000	94,400,000	42.4	74.8	1.7
Short-term notes					
Total	\$222,594,652	\$219,983,841	100.0	100.0	100.0

In addition to the new issues there were effectively registered during the month two bond issues of the Republic of Uruguay proposed to be issued in exchange for outstanding securities of the City of Montevideo valued at \$1,727,178.

THE TYPES OF SECURITIES INCLUDED IN REGISTRATION STATE-MENTS FOR REORGANIZATION AND EXCHANGE* ISSUES WHICH BECAME FULLY EFFECTIVE DURING JULY, 1938

		Approximate Market Value a			
Type of Security	No. of Issues	July, 1938	June, 1938	July, 1937	
Common stock Preferred stock Certificate of participation, beneficial	3		2,012		
interest, &cSecured bondsDebentures		\$1,727,178	\$55,148,534	====	
Short-term notes Certificates of deposit Voting trust certificates	Ξ		100,000 306,479	9,211,595 2,076,704	
Total	2	\$1,727,178	\$55,557,025	\$11,288,299	

^{*} Refers to securities to be issued in exchange for existing securities. x Represents actual market value or 1-3 of face value where market was not available.

N. Y. State Insurance Department Advises Insurance Companies as to Association Book of Security

The New York State Insurance Department on Aug. 25 announced to insurance companies and societies that "The Association Book of Security Values for use in your statement as of the end of this year will be prepared and published by Moody's Investors Service, 65 Broadway, New York, N. Y. "In order that work may be started immediately," said the Department, "it is important that you send to Moody's Investors Service, within the next few days, a list of bonds and stocks acquired by your company this year to of bonds and stocks acquired by your company this year to

Tenders of \$245,680,000 Received to Offering of \$100,-000,000 of 91-Day Treasury Bills Dated Aug. 24—\$100,057,000 Accepted at Average Rate of 0.048%

A total of \$245,680,000 was tendered to the offering of \$100,000,000 or thereabouts of 91-day Treasury bills dated Aug. 24 and maturing Nov. 23, 1938, it was announced on Aug. 22 by the Treasury Department. Of this amount, the Treasury said, \$100,057,000 was accepted at an average rate of 0.048%.

The tenders to the offering of Treasury bills were received at the Federal Reserve banks and the branches thereof up to 2 p. m., Eastern Standard Time, Aug. 22. Reference to the offering appeared in our Aug. 20 issue, page 1122. The following regarding the accepted bids to the offering is from the Treasurys' announcement of Aug. 22:

Total applied for, \$245,680,000

Total accepted, \$100,057,000

Range of accepted bids:

99.990; equivalent rate approximately 0.040% . 99.987; equivalent rate approximately 0.051% . High.

Low.

Average price, 99.988; equivalent rate approximately 0.048%. (49% of the amount bid for at the low price was accepted.)

^{*}The Standard Oil Co. makes no specific allocation in its registration statement of proposed uses of the net proceeds from its note and debenture issues, but states that the proceeds will be made available for capital expenditures, for financing inventories and receivables, and for other purposes. The company continues by stating that "the program now under study contemplates capital expenditures of approximately \$175,000,000 during 1938 of which approximately \$39,000,000 had been spent to March 31.

New Offering of \$100,000,000 of 91-Day Treasury Bills-to be Dated Aug. 31, 1938

Tenders were invited on Aug. 25 by the Treasury Department to a new offering of \$100,000,000, or thereabouts, of 91-day Treasury bills, to be sold on a discount basis to the highest bidders. The bids will be received at the Federal Reserve banks, or the branches thereof, up to 2 p. m., Eastern Standard time, Monday, Aug. 29, but not at the Treasury Department, Washington.

The new bills will be dated Aug. 31, 1938, and will mature on Nov. 30, 1938. On the maturity date the face amount of the bills will be payable without interest. An issue of similar securities in amount of \$50,020,000 will mature on Aug. 31. The following regarding the new offering of bills is from the Treasury Department's announcement of Aug. 25:

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(maturity value).

No tender for an amount less than \$1,000 will be considered. Each tender must be in multiples of \$1,000. The price offered must be expressed on the basis of 100, with not more than three decimal places, e.g., 99.125. Fractions must not be used.

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Tenders will be accepted without cash deposit from incorporated banks and trust companies and from responsible and recognized dealers in investment securities. Tenders from others must be accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the face amount of Treasury bills applied for, unless the tenders are accompanied by an express guaranty of payment by an incorporated bank or trust company.

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Immediately after the closing hour for receipt of tenders on Aug. 29, 1938, all tenders received at the Federal Reserve Banks or branches thereof up to the closing hour will be opened and public announcement of the acceptable prices will follow as soon as possible thereafter, probably on the following morning. The Secretary of the Treasury expressly reserves the right to reject any or all tenders or parts of tenders, and to allot less than the amount applied for, and his action in any such respect shall be final Those submitting tenders will be advised of the acceptance or rejection thereof. Payment at the price offered for Treasury bills allotted must be made at the Federal Reserve Banks in cash or other immediately available funds on Aug. 31, 1938.

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The Treasury bills will be exempt, as to principal and interest, and any gain from the sale or other disposition thereof will also be exempt, from all taxation, except estate and inheritance taxes. (Attention is invited to Treasury Decision 4550, ruling that Treasury bills are not exempt from the gift tax.) No loss from the sale or other disposition of the Treasury bills shall be allowed as a deduction, or otherwise recognized, for the purposes of any tax now, or hereafter imposed by the United States or any of its of any tax now or hereafter imposed by the United States or any of its

prescribe the terms of the Treasury bills and govern the conditions of their

Necessity of Changes in Wagner Labor Act Conceded by President Roosevelt-Confers with William

William Green, President of the American Federation of Labor, prepared this week to tell the Federation's Executive Council that President Roosevelt agrees that the National Labor Relations Act is in need of some changes. Mr. Green conferred with Mr. Roosevelt at the Hyde Park, N. Y., home of the latter on Aug. 20, and later said that "while no definite changes were decided up, we were in accord on the necessity of making some changes." The A. F. of L. Executive Council met this week at Atlantic City, N. J., and reference to the meeting appears in another item in this issue. After reporting the conference between Mr. Green and Mr. Roosevelt, an Atlantic City dispatch of Aug. 21 to the New York "Journal of Commerce" said:

The Council opens a 10-day session here tomorrow and Mr. Green went to Hyde Park to get the President's opinion on the law in order to convey it to the organization's executive body. The Federation head also said that he journeyed to the summer White House to complain against the manner in which the law has been administered by the National Labor Relations Board. The A. F. of L. has frequently protested that the Board has favored the Committee for Industrial Organization in its decisions.

After his conference with the President, Saturday, Mr. Green said: "We discussed the advisability of making certain changes in the law. While nothing definite was agreed upon, I think I can say that we were in accord as to the urgent necessity of making some changes."

Mr. Green said that he had placed before the President specific cases which he felt had been handled by the Board "in a manner clearly in conflict with the letter and spirit of the law."

He asserted that he favored changes in the Act which either impose specific limitations on the Board's authority or clarify its powers more definitely. William Green, President of the American Federation of

definitely.

On Aug. 23 President Roosevelt gave his own carefully-worded version of his conference earlier in the week with Mr. Green, said John C. O'Brien, a staff correspondent of the New York "Herald Tribune," whose further account of the President's comments at Hyde Park on Aug. 23 follows:

The President's comments at Hyder Park on Rds. 20 for on the proposition that the Wagner Labor Relations Act needed modification was correct, but he warned that no one should get the impression that he had concurred in the specific criticism of the Act and of its administration by the National Labor Relations Board which has been voiced by the Fed-

eration.

Certain ambiguous language in the Wagner Act, the President said, had not been cleared up by court decisions, and unquestionably an attempt to clarify the Act by amendments would be made in the next Congress.

Before such amendments were drafted, he explained, there would be consultation with the Labor Board itself, with representatives of all labor groups, including the Committee for Industrial Organization, and with employers and legal advisers.

What he and Mr. Green agreed on, the President said, was that any new law creating a new agency must necessarily be amended from time to time to cover situations and conditions not foreseen by the drafters, Three years of administration of the Wagner Act, he added, had developed ambiguities, some of which the courts had clarified.

President Green Assails Partisanship

Mr. Green's complaint to the President dealt chiefly with alleged partisanship in favor of the C. I. O. in the administration of the law by the Labor Board and assumption of authority not specifically conferred by the law. He appeared to have come away from the conference at the summer White House confident that the President believed there was ground for his dissatisfaction.

President Roosevelt Reappoints Donald W. Smith as Member of NLRB

Member of NLRB

Yesterday (Aug. 26) it was made known that President Roosevelt has reappointed Donald Wakefield Smith of Pennsylvania as a member of the National Labor Relations Board. Mr. Smith, whose term expires Aug. 27, will serve a term of five years. The announcement of the appointment came the day after William Green of the A. F. of L. had sent a telegram to President Roosevelt expressing it as the opinion of the Executive Council of the Federation that Mr. Smith "lacks the necessary qualifications to continue to serve as a member of the NLRB." In expressing opposition to the reappointment of Mr. Smith the telegram said:

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We respectfully call upon you Mr. President to select some capable qualified person in whom the millions of workers represented by the A. F. of L. have confidence as a fair and judicial minded administrator of the Labor Relations Act.

Opposition to Mr. Smith was indicated at the Annual Convention this week in Atlantic City of the A. F. of L., to which we refer elsewhere.

Dies Committee Asks President for Aid in Investigat-ing Un-American Activities—Seeks Assistance from Other Government Agencies

Other Government Agencies

The House Committee Investigating Un-American Activities, headed by Representative Dies of Texas, on Aug. 23 asked President Roosevelt to request Government departments to "lend" the Committee attorneys, investigators and clerical and stenographic assistance. Creation of the Committee was reported in the "Chronicle" of June 11, page 3750. The request was voted by the Committee after a final session in Washington, devoted to an inquiry into Communistic activities. Martin Meyer, Professor of chemistry at Brooklyn College, New York, told the Committee that efforts of some students to establish an R. O. T. C. Club had been unsuccessful.

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A Washington dispatch of Aug. 23 to the New York "Times" quoted from the letter to President Roosevelt, asking assistance from other Government agencies; as given in the "Times" the letter follows in part:

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In a letter to the President accompanying the request for aid, Representative Dies, Chairman of the Committee, asserted that when an original appropriation of \$100,000 was proposed for the present investigation the House Committee on Accounts reduced the amount to \$25,000, because the use of "special investigators, attorneys and clerical help" would be accorded to the investigating committee by departments of the Government.

Thurman Arnold, the Acting Attorney General, refused June 27, Mr. Dies reported in his letter, to assign any special agents of the Bureau of Investigation or any attorney of the Department of Justice.

"The Committee has definite proof," the letter proceeded, "that the Department of Justuce and the Works Progress Administration have been carrying on their payrolls investigators for the La Follette committee. It is, therefore, clear that the Department of Justice and the Works Progress Administration to place upon their payrolls the names of twelve investigators, which we will submit to them, and several stenographers, and at least one attorney.

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grams we are receiving from all parts of the country.

"Unless we receive this aid, which has been extended to another committee, we will be greatly handicapped in the prosecution of this inquiry. The Committee only has four investigators, but does not have any paid secretary or clerks.

Secretary Hull Calls Upon Mexico to Either Arbitrate Claims in Case of Expropriated Lands or to Submit Issue for Adjustment Under Gondra Treaty of 1923

Indicating that the United States is unable to acquiesce in the reasons advanced by Mexico, in its note of Aug. 3 for refusal to accept the proposed arbitration of the claims in the case of expropriated lands, Secretary of State Hull, under date of Aug. 22, urges on behalf of the U. S. Government that the Mexican Government "reconsider the position which it has taken and to agree to submit to the proposed which it has taken, and to agree to submit to the proposed arbitration the questions at issue between the two governments, as formulated in my note to Your Excellency of July 21."

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The Mexican Government rejects the proposal of the Government of the
United States that there be submitted to arbitration, in the terms of the
general arbitration treaty signed at Washington on Jan. 5, 1929, the two
following points.
First, whether there has been compliance by the Government of Mexico
with the rule of compensation as prescribed by international law in the case
of American citizens whose farms and agrarian interests in Mexico have
been expropriated by the Mexican Government since Aug. 30, 1927, and
Second, if not, the amount of and terms under which compensation should
be made by the Government of Mexico.

Consideration of Mexico.

Secretary Hull in his latest note addressed to Francisco Castillo Najero, Mexican Ambassador, also says in part:

My government, in its desire to expedite and to facilitate a fair solution of this question in every possible and proper manner, without, however, in any way altering its position as above set forth, will be willing, should the Government of Mexico refuse to agree to resort to arbitration as herein-

before proposed, to reiterate the proposal contained in the informal communication from Under-Secretary Welles to you under date of June 29.

Your Excellency will recall that to that communication was attached an itemized list of the claims of American property owners referred to in my note of July 21. It was then suggested that the amount of compensation, together with any subsidiary questions such as the extent of the area expropriated, be determined by agreement by two commissioners, one appointed by the Government of Mexico, the other by the Government of the United States, and that, in the event of disagreement between the two commissioners regarding the amount of compensation due in any case, or of any other question necessary for a determination of value, these questions be decided by a sole arbitrator selected by the Permanent Commission at Washington provided for by the so-called Gondra Treaty, signed at Santiago, May 3, 1923, to which both our governments are parties.

It was likewise suggested that in order to advance a settlement of the matter the governments of Mexico and of the United States name immediately their respective commissioners and request the Permanent Com-

diately their respective commissioners and request the Permanent Com-mission to name concurrently the sole arbitrator. This Govern nent further proposed that as an indispensable part of the act of expropriation and compensation, the Government of Mexico should set aside monthly in escrow in some agreed upon depositary a define amount set aside monthly in escrow in some agreed upon depositary a define amount for the exclusive purpose of making compensation for expropriated property as and when definite determinations of value have been arrived at in each case; and that should the determination of compensation, show a reduction from the amounts now claimed, the monthly deposits should be scaled

If the Government of Mexico considers that negotiations for a settlement of these claims have not in fact been exhausted and desires to find an equitable and friendly solution to the question as indicated in the last portion of the note of the Mexican Government of Aug. 3, the most practical evidence of the desire of the Mexican Government to find a fair, friendly and impartial solution would be manifested by its willingness to accept the proposal contained in the communications of the Under Serverness. sal contained in the communications of the Under-Secretary of June 29,

Impartial solution would be manifested by its willingness to accept the proposal contained in the communications of the Under-Secretary of June 29, and now hereinbefore reiterated.

If, on the other hand, the Mexican Government is not desirous of adopting the procedure just outlined embodying safeguards to insure payment and prevent fruitless negotiation, it would surely seem to be appropriate and fitting, and strictly within the purview of the obligation contracted by both countries under the terms of the Treaty of Inter-American Arbitration for the Governments of Mexico and of the United States to submit their controversy to arbitration in the manner suggested in my note of July 21.

"In either such case," continues Secretary Hull in his Aug. 22nd note, "my Government fells justified in requesting that, during the proposed arbitration, or during the proposed settlement suggested in the communication of June 29, the Mexican Government should agree that no further taking of the properties of American nationals should take place unless accompanied by arrangements for adequate, prompt and effective payment."

Secretary Hull's note of July 21 was referred to in these columns July 23, page 508, and July 30, page 651, while the Mexican reply of Aug. 3 mentioned on page 826 of our Aug. 6 issue. In his note of Aug. 22, Secretary Hull stated:

The policy of expropriation of these lands without any payment, as required by law and equity and instance and instance and contraction of these lands without any payment, as required by law and equity and instance and contractions of these lands without any payment, as required by law and equity and instance and contractions of these lands without any payment, as required by law and equity and instance and contractions of these lands without any payment, as required by law and equity and instance and contractions of the second and contractions and instance and contractions and instance and contractions of the second and contractions and contractions of the second and contraction

The policy of expropriation of these lands without any payment, as required by law and equity and justice, places this government in a situation where it must either assert and maintain with all vigor the doctrine of just compensation, or else acquiesce in the repudiation and abolition of that doctrine. Obviously it cannot adopt the latter course. To do so would make it a party to an undermining of the integrity which would characterize the normal relations between all nations and their peoples.

Suggestion by Germany for Trade Agreement with United States Opposed by Secretary Hull—Pro-posal by Dr Brinckmann, Who Discussed Debt Issue and Cotton Purchases

Issue and Cotton Purchases

The view that it is most difficult to find a basis for a trade agreement with Germany was expressed by Secretary of State Cordell Hull at a press conference in Washington on Aug. 18, in commenting on an address in Berlin the previous day by Dr. Rudolf Brinckmann, Secretary of State in the German Economics Ministry, before the American Chamber of Commerce in Germany. Moreover, Secretary Hull explained, according to Washington advices to the Baltimore "Sun," that the system of bilateral agreements and barter arrangements, upon which Germany operates, runs directly contrary to the program followed by the United States. Experience shows, he added, that the balancing of trade between two nations by bilateral agreements results in a balance at the lower and not the higher of the two trade totals, and thus does not act to increase world trade. world trade.

From the Baltimore "Sun" we also quote:

Dr. Brinckmann appealed for better economic relations between the two countries and expressed the hope that the United States would "depart from rigid dogma" in its trade with Germany and give more consideration to bilateral pacts.

Would Welcome Sound Basis

Secretary Hull's response was regarded as a polite refusal to indorse the bilateral and barter system. He noted, however, that he would be pleased if a sound basis could be found for rehabilitating German-American trade and pointed out that in the past this trade was highly beneficial to both countries.

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According to the Administration's viewpoint, the two different policies of international trade and finance, as exemplified by the methods of Germany and of the United States, differ in many important ways.

The bilateral method, it is held, is based on discriminations and at the same time eliminates triangular and multi-lateral trade, which makes up a large portion of the total of world commerce.

Policy Pursued by Secretary Hull

The multi-lateral policy which Secretary Hull is pursuing, it is explained, is based on mutually profitable trading arrangements between nations, and emphasizes the principle of equality among nations instead of discrimination.

discrimination.

This method, as the Administration sees it, offers the only possible way in which the United States can attempt to unsnarl the network of trade restrictions and obstructions to commerce and finance that exist today.

It tends to drive down trade barriers and to make possible a gradual and sound increase in the flow of commerce.

At the same time the Administration is ready to consider any type of trading which does not materially affect its general policy. In the case of Dr. Brinckmann's proposal, there was no official disposition to comment until more details are available.

Other Questions Involved

Presumably Germany might offer a certain percentage of payments in goods and a certain percentage in blocked marks, as it has done in the case of South American countries. But also figuring in the matter, so far as the United States is concerned, would be the question as to whether discrimination against other countries or anti-dumping laws were involved

Dr. Brinckmann, in his address, expressed the hope that the United States will give more consideration to the viewpoint that "the State which wishes cash interest and
amortization must give its debtors the opportunity of earning such interest and amortization." United Press advices
from Berlin, from which we quote, also said:

Dr. Brinckmann added that he hoped "in the end a solution will be
found that will permit improvement in the service of our debt to the

United States."

United States."

He suggested that "Germany could easily buy three to four million bales of cotton from the United States each year, surely a quantity which would mean something to the American producer," but indicated that both resumption of Germany's debt service and large purchases of cotton and other goods from the United States presupposed American willingness to buy more goods from Germany.

Dr. Brinckmann denied that the German debt policy was discriminatory against the United States or that Germany had engaged in dumping on the world market.

Warren Lee Pierson of Export-Import Bank in South America—Seeks to Expand United States Trade with Latin America

A visit to all the major countries in South America during A visit to all the major countries in South America during a "two months' exploratory trip" is planned by Warren Lee Pierson, President of the Export-Import Bank, who left Washington on Aug. 11 for Miami, Fla., where, on Aug. 16, he boarded a plane for South America. Mr. Pierson's trip is part of the bank's long-range campaign to assist American exporters to participate more fully in Latin American trade, said special advices from Miami to the New York "Journal of Commerce," in which it was also stated:

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He said that Miami's strategic location as a gateway point between the Latin. American nations and the United States "will prove very valuable, and the hoped-for expansion of trade with South America should make Miami an important port of call for ships plying between the North and South." The role Miami already plays in the Latin American trade picture is indicated by customs figures which show that gross cargo tonnage cleared through this port has increased six times in the last five years. five years.

Rail Equipment

The Bank, which for several years has concentrated its efforts on stimulating trade with European nations, is now turning its attention with increasing vigor to Latin American trade possibilities. One of its recent moves was to arrange for the discounting of \$5,000,000 in notes of the Haitian Government, the proceeds of which will be used to purchase American-made building supplies for the Haitian public works program

Despite the comparative nearness of the United States to the South American market, this country the last few years has supplied only about one-third of the aggregate imports of the 20 Latin American republics,

according to Department of Commerce statistics.

Recovery of Foreign Markets Revolves Around Three Major Items, According to Committee of National Association of Manufacturers—Shrinkage in Ex-ports of Grain, Meat, and Cotton Account for 85% Decrease in United States Agricultural Exports

The recovery of foreign markets for United States farm The recovery of foreign markets for United States farm products may depend pretty largely on what hoppens to three major agricultural items, according to a report by the Agricultural Committee of the National Association of Manufacturers, made public Aug. 22. In a study of "Foreign Trade in Agricultural Products," the committee says that the shrinkage in exports of grains, meat and cotton account for over 85% of the decrease in United States farm exports. "Therefore," says the report, "unless reciprocal trade agreements can increase exports in these three fields, in each of which a special condition prevails, it is difficult to see how they can materially increase our total farm exports."

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Ten years ago, says the report, agricultural exports were valued at \$1,907,780,000 and formed over 16% of the total gross farm income. In the crop year 1936-37, agricultural exports had shrunk to \$732,826,000 and formed only about ryports had shrunk to \$732,826,000 and formed only about 7½% of total farm income. Part of this decrease of \$1,200,-000,000, the committee says, was due to the fact that prices for all goods were much lower in 1936-37 than in 1926-27. "But of far more importance," it says, "is the fact that \$1,018,647,000, or approximately 87%, of this decrease was accounted for by cotton, wheat and meat." Further observations in the report are indicated as follows by the Association: ciation:

Cotton exports have decreased from \$866,924,000 in 1926-27 to \$382,-Cotton exports have decreased from \$856,924,000 in 1920-27 to \$552,795,000 last year. This shrinkage of \$484,125,000, the study points out, is over 40% of the net decrease for all agricultural exports. "Cause of this," says the report, "seems largely due to our domestic policy of curtailing production and pricing our cotton out of line with world

Ten years ago, it is pointed out, exports of grains (largely wheat and flour) were valued at \$406,382,000, but last year were only \$35,414,000, a drop of almost \$400,000,000. This, with the cotton, accounts for over 70% of the total decrease.

"But the decrease in grain exports," says the report, "was almost colly due to the series of drought years in the great plains areas, hether we shall be able to recover the export market for grains depends wholly due to Whether we sh

Whether we shall be able to recover the export market for grains depends almost entirely on production and marketing control and on loan and price features of the new Agricultural Adjustment Act."

In meat products, the bulletin says, exports in 1926-27 acunted to \$203,431,000, while 10 years later they were down to \$39,881,000. "Here," says the report, "a third situation is involved. Exports of meats have declined steadily from war days as our own population increased. Now we have no surplus. Indeed, during the last five years we have had less than normal for our own use, due partly to the drought and partly to our population increase. It seems likely that we may not again become a meat exporting country, and may even import livestock or meat, unless substantial domestic expansion takes place—exceeding the largest production in our history."

Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Denied Stay of SLRB Order Requiring Company to Bargain Collectively With Union—Justice Stever of New York Supreme Court Rules, However, It May Bargain Individually With Agents Who Do Not Desire to Be Represented

In the New York Supreme Court on Aug. 24 a ruling was handed down by Justice Steuer interpreting a final order of the State Labor Relations Board to mean that the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. may bargain individually with industrial agents who do not want to be represented by Local 30 of the Industrial Insurance Agents, an affiliate of the Committee for Industrial Organization and the United Office and Professional Workers of America. The New York "Herald Tribune" of Aug. 25, in reporting this as above, further stated: further stated:

The court, however, refused to give the company a stay of the Board's order directing it to bargain collectively with the union. The company had sought a stay pending appeal.

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Ordered that the motion of the petitioner (Metropolitan Life) to modify, vacate and set aside orders and decisions of the New York State Labor Relations Board be and it hereby is denied, and the coross motion of respondents (Labor Relations Board and the union) to enforce in whole the order of said Board dated June 7, 1938, be, and it hereby is, granted, with the condition that the direction of the retitioner in the order of the New York State Labor Relations Board dated June 7, 1938, in so far as it directs that negotiations be carried on exclusively with Local 30, is deemed to mean with no other person as a representative of another, but not to prevent negotiations between the petitioner and any of its employees each acting for himself, and with the foregoing interpretation petitioner is directed to carry out the order of said Board of June 7, 1938.

Samuel Seabury, as counsel to the Metropolitan, filed notice of appear immediately.

The order of the State Labor Relations Board was referred ti in our issue of June 18, page 3890 and on page 657 of our July 30 issue the action of Justice Steuer in sustaining the Board was noted.

Signing in Washington of Federal-State Milk Pact Fixing Minimum Prices to Producers in New York Metropolitan Area

A Federal-State marketing order fixing minimum prices to producers for milk in the New York metropolitan market was signed in the office of Secretary Wallace, in Washington yesterday (Aug. 26). Mr. Wallace and the New York State Agriculture Commissioner, Holton V. Noyes, signed the document in the presence of a delegation of producers representing the Metropolitan Cooperative Milk Producers Bargaining Agency of New York, the prime mover in the demand for a marketing agreement, according to the Associated Press advices from Washington, which also stated:

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The order affects more than 60,000 dairymen in seven States serv New York metropolitan area, the richest milk market in the world

The Federal and State agencies announced the diarymen had voted overwhelmingly in favor of the order in a referendum conducted last week in New York and parts of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, Connecticut, Massachusetts and Vermont.

Under the Federal marketing act approval of two-thirds of the dairymen was necessary to make the Federal order effective and 75% of the State dairymen had to approve to make the complementary State order effective.

Secretary Wallace Denies Reports that Agricultural Conditions are "Back to 1932"

Reports that the agricultural situation is "back to 1932" brought from Secretary of Agriculture Wallace on Aug. 24 a rejoinder which we quote as follows from Washington advices to the New York "Journal of Commerce."

"I think we should take a very well rounded view of the situation" he said today. "We are not back to 1932 in any sense, but it is conceivable that there could be a combination of a series of years of good weather and a series of bad business conditions, which would put the country back to 1932, but I am rather surprised that so many people assume we are now in that strait. It is not true.

Mr. Wallace's comments were made at his weekly press conference, according to Clarence L. Linz, Washington correspondent to the "Journal of Commerce," who reported that the Secretary said that statistics showed the farmer in far better position than was the case in the earlier year. From the same advices we quote:

Total agricultural income for this year will approximate \$7,500,000, he said, compared with \$4,328,000,000 in 1932. He admitted that the farmer's dollar would not go quite as far now as in the latter period, but the index of farm purchasing power in non-agricultural commodities was 125 in May, compared with 107 in that month six yers ago.

It is conceivable that if we do not keep ourselves continually in a position to meet the effects of business and weather upon agriculture, we could easily get back to 1932. But it is not true yet, and it has not begun to be true. And that does not mean that the farmers should not be always alert.

Advices Aug. 24 from Washington to the New York "Times" had the following to say in part:

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As far back as 1935, Mr. Wallace said he had warned the Congress that unless a crop control program was substituted for the invalidated Agricultural Adjustment Act, huge crops and low prices would result.

Further additions to the crop control Act may be necessary to carry out his program for raising farm prices, Mr. Wallace said. The future, he went on, always brings new eventualities and "we must keep our program flexible enough to meet them."

Taking to task a number of newspapers which had implied conditions now approached those of 1932, Mr. Wallace said "their hatred must have overcome their desire for profit"; for, he argued, their advertising volume is dependent to a large extent upon the prosperity of the farmer and the expectation business men have of selling their products.

Cites Prices for Crops

The wheat crop his year will bring the farmers \$490,000,000, as against \$179.000,000 in 1932, he reported. Cotton, he estimated, will bring the Southern farmers \$876,000,000 this year, as compared with \$460,000,000 this year, while in 1932. Tobacco, Mr. Wallace said, will give an income of \$289,000,000 this year, while in 1932 farmers received only \$115,000,000 for their crop. He did not have ready the figures on corn, but gave a few totals for some of the States.

The 1938 calendar year income included price adjustment and soil conservation payments of several hundred million dollars.

As for this wheat export plan, Mr. Wallace said he would probably announce it later this week and would discuss it more fully in a speech he is to make in Montreal Saturday morning.

Purchase of Surplus Wheat by U. S. to Begin at Once

Announcement by the U. S. Department of Agriculture that it will begin this week and Monday the purchase of surplus American wheat for export and domestic relief purposes was made yesterday (Aug. 26). Advices (Associated Press) from Washington yesterday said:

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The Department said it was undetermined yet how much of the bread grain the Government intended to buy. The Department asked grain dealers in telegraphic messages today to submit offers.

The purchases will be the first step in a program designed to place 100,000,000 bushels of the surplus grain into foreign markets through a subsidy. The purchases will be made by the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation from customs receipts made available to it to bolster farm prices by means of export subsidies and the distribution of surpluses to persons on relief.

The Government will buy the following grades of wheat: No. 2 dark hard Winter, No. 1 hard Winter, No. 1 dark hard Winter, mainly in the Southwest; and No. 1 hard Winter, No. 1 soft white and No. 1 western white, in the Pacific Northwest.

Railroads Ask ICC to Continue Higher Soft Coal Rates

Because of their desperate need for additional revenue, Class I railroads in a petition filed through the Association of American Railroads on Aug. 19 asked the Interstate Commerce Commission to continue in effect the increases in freight rates on bituminous coal which were granted Oct. 19, 1937, but which terminate on Dec. 31, next.

railroads however, are not asking for any new increases.

The increases which the railroads seek to keep in effect amount to three cents per net ton in rates of 75 cents or less, five cents in rates from 76 cents to one dollar and ten cents in rates over one dollar, and, in the case of rates within and to Western territory, an increase of 15 cents in rates over two dollars.

The railroads in their petition pointed out that costs are on a higher level and traffic is on a much lower level than in

CAA Begins Regulation of Civil Aviation—President Roosevelt Appoints National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics—Issuance of Executive Order Transferring Federal Aviation Employees to Juris-diction of Authority

The new Civil Aeronautics Authority assumed control of civil aviation in the United States on Aug. 22 and began its regulation of the aviation industry. The Authority, which was created at the last session of Congress, will administer the regulatory functions over civil aviation formerly handled by the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Burcau of Air Commerce of the Department of Commerce, and the Post Office Department. On Aug. 23 President Roosevelt, by executive order, officially transferred all personnel, facilities and appropriations of the Bureau of Air Commerce and the air mail bureau of the Interstate Commerce Commission to the new Civil Aeronautics Authority, said a dispatch from Washington to the New York "Herald Tribune," which also stated, in part:

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Under the order, control of all civil aviation activities in the United States and under the American flag abroad are vested in the new five-man Authority created by the last Congress in the Civil Aeronautics Act, which went into effect yesterday.

Today's order affects more than 3,000 employees of the two aviation organizations in Washington and in the field.

Although the Authority also will take over certain duties of the Post Office Department relating to financial record of air-mail contractors, no transfer of employees or equipment from the Post Office is involved.

The Authority is made up of a five-man board, headed by Edward J. Noble of Connecticut, the other members being: Harllee Branch, Vice-Chairman, of Georgia; G. Grant Mason of Washington, D. C.; Oswald Ryan of Indiana, and Robert Hinckley of Utah. Clinton M. Hester of Montana is Administrator of the Authority, which will also have the assistance of a three-man Air Safety Board. Two members of the new Safety Board, Colonel W. Sempter Smith and Thomas Hardin, were sworn into office on

Aug. 22. President Roosevelt has not as yet named the

third member.

On Aug. 17 President Roosevelt reappointed Orville Wright, Joseph S. Ames, Edward P. Warner, Charles A. Lindbergh and Jerome C. Hunsaker as members of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. The President also named as additional members of the National Advisory Committee Messrs. Noble and Hester, and Prof. Vannevan Bush of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. An item bearing on the members of the new Aeronautics Authority appeared in our Aug. 13 issue, page 980.

\$8,745,000 Made Available by CCC for Loans on 1938 Prune Crop

The Commodity Credit Corporation announced Aug. 25 that \$8,745,000 had been made available for loans on the 1938 prune crop at the rate of 1½ cents per pound basis price for Three District Type prunes. A reduction of ¼ cent per pound will be made on outside District prunes. The basis price is for prunes of a size 80 to the pound and such basis price will be increased or decreased, as the case may be, at the rate of \$1.00 per ton for each point larger or smaller than 80, according to the Corporation's announcement, which went on to say: than 80, according to which went on to say:

The loans will be made through the Prune Credit Corporation of California, San Francisco, California, to producers or associations of producers and will be available until June 1, 1939, upon the security of standard quality natural condition prunes represented by warehouse receipts issued by approved warehouses.

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The loan program is conditioned upon the prune industry, through a Program Committee operating under authority of the California Agricultural Prorate Commission, establishing a prorate covering the 1938 crop which will provide that the total available supply of prunes for the marketing year Sept. 1, 1938, to Sept. 1, 1939, will not exceed 235,000 tons. All prunes produced in excess of this tonnage, which come under the control of the Program Committee, are to be pledged as additional security for the loans made by Commodity Credit Corporation, and such surplus prunes may be sold after Oct. 31, 1938, by the Corporation if the loans have not been fully liquidated by that date.

The loans will be made without recourse and will bear interest at the rate of 4% and mature Oct. 1, 1939. Producers may obtain the release of all prunes delivered prior to June 1, 1939. After such date all prunes will be pooled and held as security to all indebtedness.

Products Marketing Association for Purchase of Butter with View to Stabilizing Prices 87.250.000 to the

Approval of additional loans up to \$7,250,000 to the Dairy Products Marketing Association at Chicago for buying up to 25,000,000 pounds of butter to help stabilize dairy prices was announced by the Agricultural Adjustment Association on Aug. 20, according to Associated Press advices from Washington on that date, which added:

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In June the Government lent \$14,500,000 to the Association for purchase of 50,000,000 pounds of butter. Through Aug. 19, the Association had bought about 43,000,000 pounds.

Purchases by the Association are available for resale in the open market when prices improve sufficiently to cover the purchase price, costs of handling and storage and a small additional amount.

The Dairy Products Marketing Association is a non-profit organization of producer-owned and producer controlled regional dairy co-operative marketing associations.

F. R. Wilcox, AAA marketing official, said the supply of butter withdrawn from the market by the "Association during the present record production period would be available for sale later if the market improved enough to absorb the butter at reasonable price levels. Loans made to the Association expire April 30, 1939.

Price Adjustment Payment to Cotton Growers Totaling Approximately \$127,000,000 to Begin Next Month Cotton price adjustment payments averaging about 2.89 cents per pound will begin next month to farmers who planted within their 1938 acreage allotments, it was announced on Aug. 22 by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. The payments, totaling approximately \$127,000,000 are provided for in an appropriation of \$130,000,000 made by Congress in 1937. About 1,400,000 applications will be handled, covering about 14,648,000 bales, said Washington advices Aug. 22 to the New York "Times" which also stated in part:

Cotton price adjustment payments, under the law, are applicable to the base production of all farms on which cotton was grown in 1937, but it is provided that no payments are to be made in case the producer or producers knowingly overplanted their 1938 cotton acreage allotments. The maximum amount of 1937 cotton on which the producers on a farm may receive payment is 60% of the base production, and in case the amount produced in 1937 was less than 60% of the farm's base production, payment will not be made on more than the amount actually produced, except where failure to produce 60% of the base production as due to crop failures from specified causes.

1937 Base Production

The 1937 base production of a farm was the adjusted normal production of its base acreage, the base acreage representing the normal devoted to cotton, adjusted to bring the base acreage of all such farms within State

cotton, adjusted to bring the base acreage of all such farms within State and county allotments.

Under the payment legislation as originally passed, the rate of payment on eligible cotton was established as the amount by which the average price of %-inch middling cotton on the 10 designated spot markets in the South was below 12 cents a pound on the date of the sale of the cotton by the producer, the rate not to exceed 3 cents a pound in any case.

An amendment later provided that the maximum rate of 3 cents a pound would apply to eligible cotton produced in 1937 and not sold by the producer prior to Sept. 10, 1937, the date on which the spot market average fell below 9 cents in the 1937-38 marketing season.

Elmer F. Andrews, Administrator of Wage-Hour Law, Decides on Committee of 21 to Draft Regulations for Textile Industry Following Meeting with Representatives of Industry and Labor

Following his assumption, on Aug. 16, of the office of Administrator of the Federal wage and hour law, Elmer F. Andrews announced that his first conference would have reference to the textile industry. This conference, at which employer and labor representatives of the textile industry, as well as representatives of the public, were present, was held on Aug. 19, at which time a statement issued by Mr. Andrews said:

Varying views were expressed by those present as to what branches of the textile industry should be covered by a textile industry committee, when it is appointed, and whether the coverage should be by separate committees with limited jurisdiction or by a general committee with representation from the different branches.

It was made known on Aug. 22 by Administrator Andrews that a committee of 21 would draft the hour and wage regulations for the industry. In announcing this, Mr. Andrews said:

After considering the views expressed at last Friday's meeting [Aug. 19] of representatives of employers, labor and the public, and after further conferences with representatives of the Cotton Textile Institute and rayon

conferences with representatives of the Cotton Textile Institute and rayon and silk organizations, I am happy to announce that all are in agreement that the work of the textile industry committee should include establishment of minimum wages for the manufacture of all three products.

While I hoped to keep the committee as small as 15, five representing employers, five representing employees, and five representing the public, I am increasing the number to 21, in order that New England may have another representative and who at the same time will be principally a manufacturer of rayon, while the South will have another cotton textile manufacturer. There will be one representative of the silk industry.

In addition to the main committee for textiles, Mr. Andrews (we quote from the Associated Press) said that to keep the size of the group within flexible limits "it is planned to have technical committees which will assist" the main committee. Those subcommittees would represent such branches of the industry as finishers, mercerizers and silk throwesters. silk throwsters.

Headed by Donald M. Nelson, Vice-President of Sears, Roebuck & Co., Chairman-designate of the Textile Industry Committee, the meeting on Aug. 19, according to Washington advices to the New York "Journal of Commerce,"

ington advices to the New York "Journal of Commerce," was attended by:
John Abt, Textile Workers' Organizing Committee, New York City;
Miss Irene Blunt, National Federation of Textiles, Inc., New York City;
May A. Cheney, Underwear Institute, New York City.
Also C. W. Dall, President, National Rayon Weavers' Association, New York City; Goldthwaite H. Dorr, Cotton Textile Institute, Washington, D. C.; R. E. Henry, Duncan Mills, Greenville, S. C.; Sidney Hillman, general President, Amalgamated Clothing Workers of América, New York City; Fred Morrison, counsel, Cotton Textile Institute, Washington, D. C.; Claudius Murchison, Cotton Textile Institute, Washington, D. C., Also H. A. Schrader, International Association of Machinists, Washington, D. C.; Robert T. Stevens, J. P. Stevens & Co., Inc., New York City, and Robert West, Dan River Cotton Mills, Danville, Va.

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From its Washington bureau, Aug. 19, the New York "Herald Tribune" had the following to say, in part:

As administration of the Wage-Hour Act passed the preliminary stage, Sidney Hillman, Vice-Chairman of the Committee for Industrial Organization, disclosed the appointment of John J. Abt of Chicago as special counsel and head of the Wage-Hour Bureau of the C. I. O.

Mr. Abt resigned as special assistant to Attorney General Homer S. Cumnings in charge of the Department of Justice anti-trust division to accept his new post with the C. I. O. Mr. Abt, prior to his affiliation with the Justice Department, had been associated in legal capacities with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Works Progress Administration and was special counsel to the Securities and Exchange Commission in preparation of its case against Electric Bond & Share in the famous holding company court fight.

The C. I. O.'s new bureau is being organized by Mr. Hillman to assist and advise unions affiliated with the John L. Lewis union in securing "maximum benefits under the wage-hour law," he said.

The new bureau of the C. I. O. will assist in the preparation and presentation of the case for wages in excess of the 25c. minimum for textile and cotton garment workers. A similar service will be offered by the bureau to other C. I. O. unions as industry committees are appointed for industries in which they are organized.

Action toward the naming of a committee for the tobacco

Action toward the naming of a committee for the tobacco industry will follow that of the completion of arrangements for the regulation of the textile industry, it is stated. The taking of the oath of office by Mr. Andrews as Administrator of the new Fair Labor Standards Act—the wage and hour law—was noted in our issue of a week ago, 1134

L. A. Kelly of Office of Comptroller of Currency Dis-cusses Investment and Regulatory Policy of Federal Banking Supervisory Agencies Before Arkansas Banking Seminar

Arkansas Banking Seminar

Despite recent changes in banking laws, the primary function of bank supervision is still the protection of the depositors' funds, Linus A. Kelly of the office of the Comptroller of the Currency, told the Arkansas Bankers Seminar Meeting on Aug. 18, at Fayetteville, Ark., at the University of Arkansas. The absence of public fear regarding banks, Mr. Kelly said, depends upon the maintenance of confidence in the soundness of the concept of bank deposit insurance. "In the last analysis," he said, "the maintenance of a sound banking structure depends upon competent bank management," which "can be provided only by the bankers themment," which "can be provided only by the bankers them-selves." In discussing the problem of whether there should

be a reallocation of the powers, functions and duties of the respective Federal banking agencies, Mr. Kelly said:

Would it contribute to a sound banking structure in the Nation to make the examination of banks for all purposes of the Federal Government, the execution of all Federal banking laws and the insurance of bank deposits, serve as instruments of the monetary and credit control agency? Before reaching an answer to that question, your inquiries naturally will include the consideration of the latent possibilities of the use of such supervisory and insuring powers by the monetary and credit control agency to enforce compliance with its monetary and credit control agency to enforce compliance with its monetary and credit policies. Your inquiries will include also the consideration of the conflicts of interest present in a situation where the same agency is responsible for the protection of depositors in banks and, at the same time, is itself interested in the same banks as their insurer and/or creditor.

Would it contribute to a sound banking structure in the Nation to place the examination of banks for all purposes of the Federal Government and the execution of all Federal banking laws in one Federal supervisory agency, which is independent of the insurer of bank deposits and independent of the monetary and credit control agency?

Why does the law provide for the examination of banks? So as to accurately inform the supervising authority on the condition of the institutions under his supervision. This is necessary so that he may intelligently perform those obligations which the law imposes upon him. On the basis of the fact disclosed by the examination, the supervisory authority determines what recommendations, if any, he shall make to the directors of the bank, or what action it may be necessary for him to take in the performance of his legal responsibilities.

An examination of a bank is made primarily for the information of the supervisory authority. The practice has developed of furnishing copies of exa

Amendments to Wage and Hour Law to Be Sought by A. F. of L.—Also Seeks to Amend National Labor Relations Act—At Meeting in Atlantic City Executive Council Also Acts to Establish Integrated Maritime Department

At its meeting in Atlantic City, N. J., on Aug. 23, the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor agreed to propose to Congress amendments to the wage-andhour law, to curtail, it is said, some of the discretionary powers lodged with the Administrator of the Act. William Green, President of the Federation, is quoted as saying:

The wage-hour law as now written leaves the impression the Administrator has dictatorial powers. We will prepare and introduce in the next Congress amendments designed to overcome its defects.

The legislation was passed at the recent session of Congress and, as noted in these columns a week ago, page 1134, Elmer F. Andrews on Aug. 16 took the oath of office as Administrator of the law, which is designated the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938. In Associated Press accounts from Atlantic City, Aug. 23, it was stated:

The agreement to seek changes in the Wage-Hour Act highlighted the day's session of the Council, which included a review of purported "inconsistencies" in Labor Relations Board decisions involving A. F. of L. craftunions, and a discussion with John P. Frey, the metals trade department chief, of his congressional committee testimony about alleged Communist activities in the Committee for Industrial Organization.

In outlining the Council's attitude toward amending the Wage-Hour Act, Mr. Green said the Federation's proposals were no criticism of the Act's new Administrator, Elmer F. Andrews.

"We have great confidence in Mr. Andrews," he said.

The A. F. of L. leader, however, was less complimentary in his reference to the two Smiths on the National Labor Relations Board, Edwin S. Smith and Donald Wakefield Smith.

In discussing an analysis of Labor Board decisions presented to the Council by Joseph A. Padway, chief A. F. of L. legal adviser, Mr. Green said:

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Questioned about the Federation's attitude toward Board Chairman J. Warren Madden, Mr. Green said:

"Mr. Madden has shown a better attitude and a better understanding the Act."

of the Act."

The Council next week will consider suggested amendments to the National Labor Relations Act, either to curb the powers vested in the Board or to define them more clearly to meet A. F. of L. criticism of

Board rulings.

Mr. Padway's analysis, President Green said, "showed that the whole Board setup and administrative staff was hostile to the A. F. of L."

Yesterday (Aug. 26), as we note in another item in this issue, President Roosevelt reappointed Donald W. Smith as a member of the NLRB, despite the request to the President that someone other than Mr. Smith be named.

In another item in this issue reference is made to Mr. Green's conference with President Roosevelt on Aug. 20, and Mr. Green's statement that "we were in accord on the necessity of some changes" in the National Labor Relations Act.

The Federation's Executive Council at its Atlantic City meeting on Aug. 22 authorized the establishment of an integrated maritime department to cover 500,000 seamen, longshoremen, truckmen, radio telegraphers and other classes of maritime workers on all coasts. In reporting the action, an Atlantic City dispatch of Aug. 22 to the New York "Times" from a staff correspondent said:

William Green, President of the A. F. of L., predicted that the inclusive character of the new organization would make it impossible for such C. I. O. affiliates as Joseph Curran's National Maritime Union and Harry Bridges's International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union to continue to function.

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With every one from ship captains to dock workers and fishermen under the technical jurisdiction of the A. F. of L. maritime department, it would be impossible for employers to deal with one or more units of the C. I. O. without facing a tie-up of all parts of their service under A. F. of L. control, Mr. Green indicated.

Geographic boundaries that impeded past efforts by the A. F. of L. to organize sea workers will be dropped in the new set-up. Instead of having separate organizations for the Atlantic and Gulf regions, the Pacific Coast and the Great Lakes, the A. F. of L. will charter a single sailors' union. Mr. Green reported.

Coast and the Great Lakes, the A. F. of L. will consider a union, Mr. Green reported.

Sharing interest with the maritime situation at the first meeting of the Executive Council was a summary by Mr. Green of his talk with President Roosevelt on Saturday about the desirability of amending the Wagner Act. While the A. F. of L. head declined to divulge the nature of his report, he said that his associates "appreciated very greatly" the information he had given them. had given them.

Mr. Green said on Aug. 24 that he would not attend the Mr. Green said on Aug. 24 that he would not attend the Latin American Trade Union Congress in Mexico City because it would be composed of "extreme leftists and Communists." Mr. Green's remarks were reported as follows in United Press advices of Aug. 24 from Atlantic City:

Mr. Green said he would not accept an invitation from Vicente Lombardo Toledano, general secretary of the Confederation of Mexican Workers, to attend the meeting at which plans for the formation of a new Pan-American labor organization are scheduled to be discussed. A similar organization was formed twenty years ago by Samuel Gompers.

"I hear that the C. I. O. will be represented there and it is reported to me that those at the conference are extreme leftists," Mr. Green said. In the New York "Times" of Aug. 24 it was stated that the National Maritime Union, C. I. O. affiliate of seamen, accepted on Aug. 23 the challenge to a battle for control of the seamen of the American merchant marine which was

the seamen of the American merchant marine which was issued in Atlantic City by President Green of the A. F. of L.

The "Times" said:

In a statement issued at the offices of his union, 126 Eleventh Avenue, Joseph Curran, national President of the N. M. U., said the seamen who quit the A. F. of L. seamen's union in May, 1937, to form the N. M. U. remembered too well their unsuccessful efforts to obtain democratic control of their affairs to return now to the A. F. of L.

Report to NLRB Urges Ford Motor Co. Be Directed to Reinstate 400 Strikers and Bargain with C. I. O. Union—Examiner Asks Recognition of U. A. W. A.

A trial examiner for the National Labor Relations Board on Aug. 22 recommended that the Board order the Ford Motor Co. to reinstate 400 strikers at its Long Beach, Calif., assembly plant, and grant sole collective bargaining rights to the United Automobile Workers of America, an affiliate of the Committee for Industriai Organization. Previous legal action in connection with NLRB charges against the company was referred to in the "Chronicle" of June 18, page 3890. In summarizing the recommendations to the Board, on Aug. 22, a Washington dispatch of that date to the United Press said:

The examiner, R. N. Denham, ruled that the company had violated the Wagner Act by refusing on three occasions to bargain with the U. A. W., which, he said, represented a majority of the company's employees.

He recommended that the company be required to withdraw all recognition from the unaffiliated Independent Auto Workers as a collective bargaining agency of its workers and "completely disestablish" the organization "as such representative, either in its present form or in any other form identified with or traceable to its present roganization, management of administration."

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Mr. Denham's report marked the fifth Ford case in which either the Board itself or one of its examiners had found the company guilty of violating the labor relations statute.

The C. I. O. union called a strike in the Long Beach plant, April 15, 1938, after the company had refused to meet with its bargaining committee to discuss seniority provisions and proposed layoffs, Mr. Denham said.

The examiner's report was made public by the Board a few hours after it had taken under advisement the sole issue in the "little steel" strike of 1937—whether the Wagner Act required an employer to sign a union contract if agreement was reached in collective bargaining.

Attorneys for the Inland Steel Co., the C. I. O.'s Steel Workers Organizing Committee and the unaffiliated Steel Workers' Independent Union presented conflicting views on the question during three and one-half hours of oral argument before J. Warren Madden, NLRB Chairman, and Donald Wakefield Smith, Board member.

Ernest S. Ballard, chief counsel for Inland, challenged the Board's constitutional authority to require it to grant sole bargaining rights to the S. W. O. C. and to sign a contract with that organization for a definite term if agreement was reached during negotiations.

Mr. Ballard said that if the Board were correct in condemning Inland's "anti-union reasons" for not signing a contract "it has a right to condemn anti-union reasons for not raising wages."

"What, may we ask, does the Board mean by 'anti-union reasons'?" Mr. Ballard asked. "If this expression means anything it means that, on the question of a signed agreement, an employer has no right to bargain in the employees' interest.

"Why is that not equally true of wages, hours and working conditions? If the employee must be actuated by pro-union reasons in determining whether to sign or not, must he not also be actuated by pro-union reasons in determining whether to increase wages or not? He has a legal right to bargain as to signing just as he has a legal right to bargain as to signing just

Asserting that its constitutional rights had been violated by a prejudiced trial examiner, Ford Motor Co. on Aug. 15 asked the NLRB to dismiss a complaint that it had violated the Wagner Act in its St. Louis, Mo., assembly plant. United Press advices from Washington on that date, from which we also quote, added, in part:

The company denied all law violations charged by Trial Examiner Tilford E. Dudley's intermediate report and disputed Mr. Dudley's finding that the C. I. O.'s United Automobile Workers of America had been designated as bargaining representative by a majority of Ford's St. Louis workers.

The company, represented by three law firms, filed 573 exceptions, covering 321 pages, in opposition to the trial examiner's report, which recommended reinstatement of 192 workers, 96 of them with back pay, and placing of another 57 former employees on a preferential employ-

At the same time, the company filed a motion requesting 60 days additional to prepare briefs and oral argument on Mr. Dudley's recommendations. This was taken under advisement.

The company took exception particularly to Mr. Dudley's ruling that it violated the labor law through Henry Ford's newspaper interviews in which he opposed labor unions, and through the distribution of "Fordisms" to Ford employees.

NLRB Chooses New Trial Examiner for Weirton Steel Co. Hearing—Republic Steel Corp. Counsel De-clares National Labor Relations Act Unconsti-

tutional

It was announced on Aug. 24 that the National Labor Relations Board has chosen James C. Batten of Camden, N. J., to preside over hearings of the Board's case against the Weirton Steel Co. Mr. Batten will succeed Edward G. Smith as trial examiner when the hearing reopens on Sept. 12. Another steel case before the NLRB attracted attention on Aug. 11 when Luther A. Day, attorney for the Republic Steel Corp., charged that the National Labor Relations Act is unconstitutional. His arguments were described in the following Associated Press Washington advices of Aug. 11:

Attorneys for Republic and the Committee for Industrial Organization clashed during oral argument on exceptions which both groups had filed to the Board's proposed order in connection with unfair labor charges growing out of last year's "Little Steel" strike.

The Board took the case under advisement before issuing its second decision in the matter. It withdrew the first one to make a change in procedure.

procedure.

Despite Supreme Court decisions to the contrary, the corporation declared the Wagner Labor Relations Act was unconstitutional, as construed by the Board, and the Board therefore had no jurisdiction in

Demurring against the Board's proposal that the company reinstate about 5,000 strikers with back pay, Luther Day, Republic counsel, protested that constituted injection of a new issue because no strikers had been

tested that constituted injection of a new issue because no strikers had been involved previously except 27 named specifically in the union's complaint. Anthony Wayne Smith, C. I. O. attorney, told the Board that many of the strikers had been on Government and union relief rolls since the strike and urged that the Board word its order so that back pay for the men would accrue from the date they applied for reinstatement. "The order should be worked so that there will be some possibility of lifting from the public the cost of the respondent's unlawful actions," Mr. Smith declared.

"If the company is going to fight the order, there will be no possibility of settling the reinstatement problem without a court order under which we can impose penalties of some sort."

Mr. Smith pledged C. I. O. cooperation in effecting the reinstatements if the corporation showed a similar disposition. He asserted, however, that the men could not be expected to bear any additional cost which might result. result.

Another Associated Press Washington dispatch, dated Aug. 20, discussed the Weirton case as follows:

Aug. 20, discussed the Weirton case as follows:

The Board announced last night that it had relieved Examiner Edward
G. Smith at his request.

The Board subsequently removed the hearing to Pittsburgh and ordered
it recessed until Aug. 24. Meanwhile, Mr. Armstrong appealed his ouster
to the Board which upheld Mr. Smith's ruling. The steel firm then asked
more time for new counsel to prepare its case.

The Weirton case was based on charges of unfair labor practices brought
by the C. I. O.

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An item in which it was reported that the NLRB on July 25 upheld a ruling by Trial Examiner Edward G. Smith barring Clyde A. Armstrong, chief counsel of the Weirton Steel Co., from further participation in the action by the Board against the company appeared in our July 30 issue, page 661. page 661.

Proposed Strike Settlement Rejected by 10,800 "Philco" Employees—Wage Cut and Job Reclassification Among Suggestions Turned Down

10,800 Philadelphia Storage Battery Co. employees this week rejected the basic provisions of a proposed contract designed to end a strike which has affected the company's plants for more than three months. The strikers, members of an affiliate of the Committee for Industrial Organization, refused to accord a way and with resulting the strikers. of an affiliate of the Committee for Industrial Organization, refused to accept a wage reduction, reclassification of jobs, a preferential instead of a closed shop, and the purchase of radio parts from outside companies instead of their manufacture by the parent firm. In outlining the issues of the strike, the Philadelphia "Record" of Aug. 24 said:

The management, nevertheless, informed union representatives it will not budge from its stand on disputed points.

United States May Step In

With neither side willing to give ground, the opinion was expressed unofficially that the time has arrived for the intercession of a Federal labor mediator. Neither management nor the union would express an official opinion on the suggestion.

Shortly after the dispute began May 1, the Philco management refused to accept Governor Earle's offer of mediation, but it is understood the stand of the union has convinced the management that the only hope for

a solution of the difficulty that has kept thousands from jobs and closed the plant lies in that direction.

A report also was circulated yesterday that Philco was prepared to start production on the manufacture of 30,000 radios for the European trade, but that the order was withdrawn at 5 p. m. Monday, shortly after the vote

Neither the management nor the union would discuss the report, nor would either side admit that negotiations, which were resumed immediately after Monday's meeting, were continuing.

Pact Denounced

Local 102, meeting in Labor Lyceum, 2nd and Cambria Sts., was even more emphatic than Local 101 in rejecting the principal provisions of the proposed agreement. Scores of speakers denounced the entire contract, and only one urged its acceptance.

Closer Co-operation Between Industry and Labor Urged by Gov. Lehman Before New York State Branch of A. F. of L.—Convention Disapproves Administration of NLRB

Delegates to the annual meeting of the New York State Federation of Labor at Buffalo, N. Y., on Aug. 24, voted to repudiate the American Labor Party as "the political adjunct of a rule-or-ruin minority group," and to create a State-wide non-partisan committee to indorse political candidates. On Aug. 25 the State Federation recorded its opposition

to the administration of the NLRB-its resolution declaring:

Resolved. That this convention of the New York State Federation of Labor roundly condemns the present administration of the National Labor Relations Board and proclaims itself thoroughly in harmony with the attitude of the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor on this subject.

Speaking before the convention on Aug. 23, Governor Lehman of New York had urged closer cooperation between industry and labor. In a summary of Governor Lehman's speech, United Press advices of Aug. 23 from Buffalo said:

He said "prosperity and progress can come only through a determination on the part of industry, labor and government to cooperate intelligently with each other in a mutually productive partnership."

The Governor's program:

1. "Legitimate and reasonable profits for capital and management."

2. "Fair wages to workers and a greater opportunity for them to participate in the benefits that come through their efforts in increasing production and profits."

3. "A determination by government to hold a fair belove between the

3. "A determination by government to hold a fair balance between industry and labor, safeguarding the fundamental rights of both and encouraging increased production and consumption."

"Government, industry and labor together," he said, "should encourage production which is the enly source of employment, wages and profits. But production is, obviously, limited by the field of distribution.

"In my opinion, the greatest problem both of industry and of agriculture today is distribution. In this, we unfortunately have made far less progress in recent decades than in production. The solution of the problem of distribution is one that calls for the utmost efforts and through government, management and worker.

"In this State," he said, "I am happy to report that business and labor have cooperated. We have been signally free of major conflicts and strikes. Our employers and workers have learned how to adjust many of their differences by rational methods. Much of the economic wastage to industry, workers, consumers, government and society that comes in the wake of

Our employers and workers have learned how to adjust many of their differences by rational methods. Much of the economic wastage to industry, workers, consumers, government and society that comes in the wake of labor conflict has been avoided."

He said the State had issued more than 7,500,000 checks to 850,000 unemployed. Employers have contributed approximately \$180,000,000 since 1936, and \$62,000,000 has been distributed since Jan. 29.

Attorney General John J. Bennett Jr., warned labor in the words of Samuel Gompers, founder of the American Federation of Labor against "forming its own political party." At the same time, Mr. Bennett, in his address to the convention, boomed his candidacy for Governor.

In another speech before the convention, Senator Robert F. Wagner urged the formation of a government-directed national health policy.

Apparently striking at the American Labor Party, which has been criticized by George Meany, President of the State Federation, as a "tool of John L. Lewis and the C. I. O." Mr. Bennett declared:

"To the last your great leader, Samuel Gompers, warned labor against forming its own political party. He knew the dangers and pitfalls of such a movement. Samuel Gompers always advised labor never to become partisan, but with an eye only to the welfare of labor, to support and elect to office officials who and administrations which, would give labor a square deal."

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In support of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor, the Attorney General pointed to his record as "attorney for all State departments for eight years."

"In previous years, I have had the privilege of reporting to your convention on the work of my office with reference to labor. On every occasion I have supported progressive labor legislation. Before all the courts I have supported interpretations of laws designed to better the conditions of labor."

Senator Wagner, after summing up the gains of labor through legislation in recent years, pointed out that "we are approaching the problem of health and medical care."

"The medical society of our State," he said, "has adopted as a first principle that 'the health of the people is a direct concern of the government, and a national health policy, directed toward all groups of the population, should be formulated."

"We are only now realizing the extent of our failure to make our resources in this field serve the greatest good of the greatest number. So we are going ahead, planning and working to round out our social security program in a field while touches the well-being of us all."

As to the adoption of resolutions by the State convention which the fo Aug. 24 said: the following Associated Press Buffalo advices of

A short, but bitter debate from the floor preceded adoption of the anti-American Labor Party resolution in the second day of the State conclave. Earlier in the day Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia, in a speech, urged the settlement of labor's internal difficulties.

Questionnaire to Be Sent to Insurance and Trade Organizations Incident to Congressional Inquiry into Monopolies—Memorandum of Assistant Sec-retary of State Berle Points to Public Misconcep-tions of Problem—Refers to New Deal as Indulging in "Shotgun" Regulation

In a "confidential memorandum" incident to the investigation by a congressional committee into monopolies, A. A. Berle Jr., Assistant Secretary of State, asserts that "all investigations of this kind have commonly commenced with a set of preconceptions," and he adds: "There is reason to believe that the present investigation may be in danger of doing the same thing. It is appropriate," he said, "to note a few of them." In Washington advices, Aug. 18, to the New York "Times" it was stated:

Not only did he point to public misconceptions of the problem, but he did not spare the New Deal and some of the pet panaceas of its leaders from the critical examination to which he subjected the situation. His memorandum appeared to be an effort to put the committee on a constructive path by discrediting fallacious economic thinking. . . .

Some of these "unwarranted assumptions" which Mr. Berle attacked were contradicted in sub-titles as follows: "Small Business Is Not Necessarily Competitive" and "Small Business Is By No Means Necessarily Humane."

He pointed out also that it is incorrect to hold dogmatically that large-scale enterprise is more efficient, or that as an enterprise grows larger it becomes less efficient.

Hits "Leading Family" Theory

"The problem is," said Mr. Berle, "whether a few large-scale competing units are socially more desirable than a relatively large number of small-scale monopolies dominating the lives of a particular district. "Much of the thinking today tends toward the feeling that local monopolies would be preferable, but a close study of the life of, say, West Virginia, compared to the life of, say, Toledo and Flint, might lead to a revision of the theory."

In presenting his memorandum Mr. Berle is reported as stating that he was acting unofficially and not as Assistant Secretary of State. It is further said that it was not intended that the memorandum should become public, to quote from the "Times." Mr. Berle, disturbed by the piecemeal appearance of parts of his memorandum in the news-meal appearance of parts of his memorandum.

meal appearance of parts of his memorandum in the newspapers, made a limited number of copies of the memorandum available to the press on Aug. 18.

The memorandum was prepared by Mr. Berle at the request of two members of the temporary National Economics Committee, said advices to the New York "Journal of Commerce" from its Washington bureau, on Aug. 17, from which we also quote in part as follows: we also quote, in part, as follows:

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Summarizing his observations, Mr. Berle said it seemed to him that:
"First, the general scope of the investigation ought to be a search for an organization of business that actually works;
"Second, the standard must be whether it supplies the existing and developing wants of the people as they appear;
"Third, that this involves the provision of an adequate supply of goods;
"Fourth, and a distribution system that takes these goods toward known wants to the maximum degree possible;
"Fifth, that the system must provide a maximum number of people with means of satisfying those wants through a contribution to the system;
"Sixth, that the system must provide the people engaged in the process with a manner of life, which at least tends to satisfy a fair proportion of their wants;

of their wants;
"Seventh, the system must evolve a method of organization that does not interfere unduly, actually or potentially with the liberty of the individual (that its controls must release more individuality than they suppress),

"Eighth, that there is no need to assume that those tests will be met by any single system or any single standard of size or set of practices at any given point."

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Mr. Berle declared that mere interruption of habits and social machinery means nothing unless an equivalent or better machinery is simultaneously provided or suggested. Discussing the O'Mahoney bill to license corporations, he declared that "the individual licensing corporations would be merely an economic dictator; we should merely replace a more or less management control by a more or less responsible political control unless very careful standards are laid down.

"A fair criticism of the technique of the New Deal has been that it indulged shotgun imposition of regulation without adequate definition of standard," he declared. "The possibility of recapture or perversion of an agency like the Securities and Exchange Commission, for example, gives pause for thought. By consequence, before the problem of ultimate control is taken up, the purpose and design ought to be definitely worked out, so that the normal method of enforcement can cover the great bulk of the area, leaving administrative processes to deal with the doubtful, the experimental, and the cloudy areas."

There should be an investigation of the way the commercial banking system works in extending short-term credit in each of the industries investigated, Mr. Berle continued. It would be found that certain companies have access to short-term credit, others do not, he said. This is in part due to relationship of management to the banks, the assets and size of the company, and the success of the company. However, the larger the corporation, the less it relies on short-term credit machinery, at least directly, though it frequently does so indirectly by pushing the burden of carrying inventory onto its agents or selling outlets. He advocates a real system of capital credit banks, backed by a capital reserve bank (presumably a division of the Federal Reserve Bank), able to create credit, and to join in contracting it when necessary.

"Until this is done it is mere waste of time to grouch about Wall Street," he said. "The Wall Street

In Associated Press accounts from Washington it was

Mr. Berle said any governmental attempt to control monopoly should seek to:

"Provide more goods, better grades and cheaper goods.
"Provide more jobs, better paying and steadier jobs.
"Provide continuous ready access to capital financing needed to create

d maintain additional plants.
"Provide for the continuous development of the arts."

Reference to the inquiry to be undertaken by the Congressional Committee was made in these columns June 18, page 3884; July 9, page 210; and July 16, page 364. The Committee, it is stated, plans to send questionnaires to trade associations as well as insurance companies, to secure information deemed necessary in furtherance of the investiinformation deemed necessary in furtherance of the investigation. The "Journal of Commerce" reporting from Washington Aug. 23 said:

As in the case of insurance questionnaires which are to be sent out by SEC, the query to trade associations will not be handled by the Committee itself, but by the Department of Commerce.

The questionnaire method will not be the sole method used by the Committee, but will be used in conjunction with other methods such

as public and private hearings.

Study by National Industrial Conference Board Reveals One Person of Every 16 Employed Held Federal State or Local Government Position in June, 1938 Sharp Rise in Federal Employment Since 1933

Although total employment has dropped off by 3,340,000 persons in June, 1938, as contrasted with September, 1937, the recovery high, during the same period 79,000 employees were added to regular Federal, State and local government payrolls, according to a recent study by the Statistical Division of the National Industrial Conference Board. Since 1929, while total employment has varied with changes in business conditions, total government employment has risen steadily, until in June, 1938, approximately 1 person in every 16 is regularly employed by the Federal government, or by State or local governments, said an announcement issued by the Board on Aug. 16, which went on to say:

Total employment in the United States reached its highest level in 1929, Total employment in the United States reached its highest level in 1929, when government employment accounted for 2,070,000 individuals. In June, 1938, when total employment figures showed 4,930,000 fewer workers than in 1929, government employment showed the opposite tendency, rising to a new high of 2,590,000 employees, and increase of 25.1% over 1929. The employment of State and local government workers has more closely paralleled the trends of general employment, even though State and local governments increased their payrolls in recent months in contrast to the decline in total employment.

Regular Federal employment.

Regular Federal employees, excluding the emergency workers of the Works Progress Administration and Civilian Conservation Corps, who are not considered at all in these totals, have been more numerous every year since 1929. The most rapid rise in regular Federal employment figures has occurred since 1934, and the total of regular Federal employees, 1,-194,000 in June, 1938, is 43.3% over Federal employment in 1929.

The rapid extension of Federal authority in agriculture, manufacturing and all the other fields of industry is reflected in the sharp rise in regular Federal employment since 1933. The increase in the regular Federal payrolls indicates both an extension and centralization of government authority as the recent trend, shown in the table below.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND TOTAL EMPLOYMENT

	Regular Federal	State and Local	Total Government	Total Employment	Government as Per Cent of Total Employment
1929	833,000	1,237,000	2.070,000	47.885.000	4.3%
1930	846,000	1,277,000	2,123,000	45,176,000	4.7
1931	855,000	1,251,000	2,106,000	41,516,000	5.1
1932	845,000	1.237.000	2,082,000	37,666,000	5.5
1933	841,000	1,187,000	2,028,000	38,057,000	5.3
1934	928,000	1,208,000	2,136,000	40,901,000	5.2
1935	1.018.000	1,240,000	2,258,000	42,208,000	5.3
1936	1,104,000	1,292,000	2,396,000	44,545,000	5.4
1937	1,167,000	1,344,000	2,511,000	46,295,000	5.4
1938, June	1.194.000	1,396,000	2,590,000	42,955,000	6.0

National Industrial Conference Board Surveys Executive Opinion of Big Business—Maintains Free Competition and Working of Economic Laws Will Control Size of Big Business

Free competition and the working of economic laws will adequately control the size of big business, while the government should step in only where monopolistic practices and price-fixing agreements exist, according to the consensus of opinion of business executives revealed in a recent study by the Economic Research Division of the National Industrial the Economic Research Division of the National Industrial Conference Board. As to the opinions expressed, the Conference Board's announcement, made public Aug. 22, had the following to say:

The survey of executive opinion about large-scale business enterprises showed that many business men agree that large operating units have certain definite advantages. Mass marketing, with more extensive advertising and advantages in reciprocity, leads to increased sales by big business' Also, the greater stability, mass purchasing power and assembly-line production techniques of large companies often result in lower prices to the consumer. It was generally thought that large operations showed greater price stability, with tax economies and more efficient management contributing to substantial profits and a net gain in the national income. Big business finds it easier to obtain capital and also to deal with labor organizations, according to executive opinion. From the investor's standpoint, large enterprises are often favored because of the diversification represented. Practically all executives agreed that big business has rendered a definite service to the public in fostering research, and that industrial progress would be hampered without the large sums spent on research and technical development by big companies.

Many business men, however, cited bad features in the operation of large-scale enterprise. Big business, with its concentration of power, tends to disregard public opinion and to sap the independent spirit of individually controlled business, while big companies spend lavishly on public relations to influence popular esteem, according to some opinions expressed

to the Conference Board. Among executives there was much criticism of the management of big business. It was pictured as inefficient, overpaid, hampered by red tape, too prone to be influenced by company politics, and too self-satisfied, with a corresponding decrease in progressive thinking. A general opinion expressed was that big business offers serious disadvantages in absentee management, unfamiliar with local conditions, that top executives have little or no contact with employees, and that in labor relations and flexibility of control smaller business units offer decided advantages. Some business executives also thought that many of the peaks and valleys in production, with attendant problems of employee rutnover and unemployment, could be blamed on big business. It was generally agreed that as the size of business units increases, the trend is toward business collectivism, and the next step is governmental collectivism or control of all business activity.

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As to the extent to which governmental control should exist, various suggestions were made by business men. The dissolution of big business into smaller units should be accomplished by governmental coercion, if business does not act voluntarily; the government should formulate a code of industrial ethics to control labor policies, monopolistic practices, surplus profits and executives' earnings; maintenance of free competition and abolition of price-fixing agreements are governmental functions. Other business men maintained that free competition and economic laws are sufficient to purge industry of undesirable elements, without the intervention of

It was the majority opinion that large-scale enterprise offers many advantages and economies, particularly in industries such as the steel or automotive where a large capital investment is required, but that in many activities business has grown unwieldy and uneconomical. Most business men are apparently alive to the danger of government collectivism or socialism, if business units in all fields tend to reach the size of public rather than private enterprises. than private enterprises.

Voters Who Enter Primaries of Another Party Are Criticized by President Roosevelt—Mentions Idaho, Maryland and Georgia

President Roosevelt at his press conference on Aug. 23 President Roosevelt at his press conference on Aug. 23 criticized the intervention of one party in the primary of another as a viclation of public morality and an attack on the principle of the direct primary. He charged that the Republicans had entered the Democratic primaries in Idaho and that they were planning to help Democratic enemies of the New Deal in Georgia and Maryland. Mr. Roosevelt said that his objections would apply equally if Republicans would enter a Democratic primary in any State to aid a close friend of his.

In reporting the President's remarks, a Hyde Park, N. Y., dispatch of Aug. 23 to the New York "Herald Tribune" from John C. O'Brien said:

The "Tory" press came in for a share of the Presidential castigation for having failed, as the President put it, to protest against the destruction

for having falled, as the President put it, to protest against the destruction of the direct primary principle.

The President declined to say whether he would answer what he seemed to construe as a Republican challenge by coming to the aid of Senator James P. Pope, the defeated New Deal candidate in the Idaho primary, or by further enorms to Connor.

Only Two Dates So Far or by further efforts to defeat Senator Millard E. Tydings of Maryland and

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To repeated promptings that he disclose his plans, the President replied that he had but two engagements for next month, the 150th anniversary celebration here on Sept. 17 of the adoption of the Constitution by New York, and an anniversary celebration of the battles of Chickamauga and Lookout Mountain, at Chattanooga, Tenn., on Sept. 21.

As to the Idaho situation, he pointed out that Senator Pope had not yet announced whether he would run independently in the fall election against Representative D. Worth Clark, the victor in the Democratic primary, and the Republican candidate. A question as to whether Senator Pope would have his help if he decided to run, the President turned aside as an "if" question.

The President admitted that he had had many telegrams from New Deal supporters in Maryland urging him to come to Baltimore on Labor Day and answer Senator Tydings's accusation that he was playing the role of carpet-bagger in intervening in the Maryland primary. The President recently made clear in a press conference statement his preference for Representative David J. Lewis, 100% New Dealer, in Maryland, and for James H. Fay, New Deal opponent of Representative O'Connor in New York.

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Although the President insisted his plans were uncertain, the belief persisted among his associates that he would go into Maryland and give Senator Tydings substantially the same kind of treatment he gave Senator Walter F. George in Georgia several days ago.

It was a question as to what went on at that conference that started the President off on the ethics of intervention in primarles. He said the chief question involved public morality. He recalled that 28 years ago, when he first entered public life as a member of the State Senate, the burning issue in the State was whether a direct primary law should be enacted.

The President pointed out that he had taken a great interest in the objective of the direct primary, which was, as he put it, the very simple one of getting rid of the old-fashioned boss-controlled conventions. The primary, he noted, gave the actual voters within a party the right to choose their candidates for public office.

Representative O'Connor Replies to President Roose velt's "Purge" Challenge—Says Executive Is Takin Road to Dictatorship Says Executive Is Taking

Representative John J. O'Connor, Chairman of the House Rules Committee, who was included by President Roosevelt in his recent list of Democrats in Congress whom he had placed on his "purge" list, declared on Aug. 18 in a nation-wide radio address that the President's attacks on Democratic Senators and Representatives constitute a challenge to the American form of government. Mr. Roosevelt's challenge, he said, was "an escalator to a dictatorship." Mr. Roosevelt's opposition to Mr. O'Connor in the primaries was mentioned in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, pages 1132-33. In reporting Representative O'Connor's reply, the New York "Sun" of Aug. 19 said: "Sun" of Aug. 19 said:

"It is not the challenge to me personally that matters," he said. "The President's attacks on me and other members of Congress is a challenge

to America and its present form of government. It is a challenge to our established system of representative government. It is an escalator to a dictatorship."

The Congressman, who as Chairman of the powerful House Rules Committee had a great deal to do with the defeat of the President's reorganization bill, and thus drew down upon his head the wrath of the New Deal high command, scoffed at denials that the President intended to become a dictator and argued, in effect, that a dictator is as a dictator does, and

up to the present time, he [Mr. O'Connor] continued, the independence of thought and action of governmental representatives has never been challenged, while differences of opinion, even within a particular party, have contributed greatly to the solution of national problems. He sees in the President's purge a deadly attack on this independence of thought and action, and likens it to the trend toward dictatorship already noted in other countries.

No Control Over Legislature

"Current history records," he explained, "that the first step of the dictator is to abolish, or make impotent, the legislative branch of the government. That step is indispensable to the fulfillment of his program."

Referring to the statement, adopted by the President from a newspaper editorial in his recent attack on the Representative, that he is the 'responsible head' of the Nation, Mr. O'Connor denied that the Chief Executive had any control over the judicial or legislative branches.

"A Representative has no responsibility to the President," he told his listeners. The responsibility of a Representative is to the people whom he represents and his country. He is elected directly by the people—to them only is he accountable—and this is so whether or not the Chief Executive is a member of the same political party."

Senator Tydings Says President Roosevelt's Intervention in Democratic Primaries Threatens States' Rights

Interference by President Roosevelt in a move to curtail States' rights was alleged on Aug. 21 by Senator Tydings of Maryland, who is one of the objects of the President's current "purge" directed at certain Democratic Senators current "purge" directed at certain Democratic Senators and Representatives seeking renomination in primaries during the next few weeks. The remarks of the President regarding Senator Tydings were reported in our Aug. 20 is sue, pages 1132-33. In his reply, Senator Tydings declared in a nation-wide radio broadcast from Baltimore that the President's intervention is reminiscent of the "carpet-bagging" days of the Civil War reconstruction period. The speech of Senator Tydings was summarized, in part, as follows in a Washington dispatch of Aug. 21 to the New York "Herald Tribune": "Herald Tribune":

Senator Tydings compared the New Deal activities against off-the-reserva-tion Democrats in the current "purge" with the coercion of Southern voters exercised by military forces during the reconstruction period which followed the Civil War, and called on Democrats of Maryland to preserve the sovereignty of the "free State" by renominating him.

Warns Voters of Rights

His opponent, Representative David J. Lewis, whom President Roosevelt has publicly indorsed for the nomination, he emphasized, had not intended to seek the senatorial nomination until urged from Washington to change his plans. . . If Representative Lewis is nominated to displace him, he warned, he would be merely losing an office, but the State would be losing its constitutional right to choose its own Representatives and Senators. Senators.

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"If we lose that right," he said, "we surrender the sovereign authority of our State; we destroy its traditions; we create a precedent which will weaken other States. We place the representative branch of the Government under the Chief Executive."

The President's intervention in the Maryland primary, he said, has "brought about a situation where I am not running against the candidate who seeks on principle to represent the Demicratic voters of Maryland, but where I am running against the power of the Federal Government directed against me by the Chief Executive and his advisers."

Warns of Flag "Purging"

Predicting that "Maryland will not permit her star in the flag to be 'purged' from the constellation of the States," Senator Tydings said:

"I believe the day will come when President Roosevelt will realize that neither he nor any other executive, Federal or State, should attempt to destroy the independence and usefulness of other branches of the Government." ernment

The Maryland Senator challenged the President's right under the Con-The Maryland Senator challenged the President's right under the Constitution to enter a State primary. Against Mr. Roosevelt's declaration of a right, as head of the party, to work for the selection of party members sympathetic toward his policies and against those who have shown resistance to them, the Senator declared that by the terms of the Constitution "he is required to advise Congress from time to time on the state of the Nation and to recommend such legislation as he may deem beneficial to the country. This is the limit of the President's authority," he contended. contended.

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Senator Tydings's answer to the President's attack on him was delivered tonight over a network of the National Broadcasting System from Baltimore. Representative Lewis, meanwhile, had engaged a network of Maryland radio stations for a period three hours later to broadcast a reply to the State's voters, also from Baltimore.

The Maryland Senator's active counter-attack coincided with release here of a pledge of support from a major American Federation of Labor union to Representative O'Connor, whom President Roosevelt denounced as one of the most effective New Deal oppositionists at the same time he denounced Senator Tydings. The labor support for Mr. O'Connor followed the announcement by Mayor F. H. LaGuardia, after a talk with President Roosevelt yesterday at Hyde Park, that he and the American Labor party would oppose the renomination of the House Rules Committee Chairman in his New York contest.

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President Roosevelt was expected to speak in Baltimore on Labor Day against Senator Tydings. A Hyde Park, N. Y., dispatch of Aug. 22 to the New York "Times" said:

The President is expected to go to Baltimore on Labor Day to denounce the Senator in much the same terms as he used against Senator George of Georgia.

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of Georgia.

The President plans to leave Hyde Park Monday night to return to the capital and has no engagements other than the Baltimore appearance which might cause him to interrupt his stay here.

Should Mr. Roosevelt carry out his present plan and go to the Monumental City, he will give his unqualified endorsement to Representative David J. Lewis, whom he has hailed as a progressive and "one of the American pioneers in the cause of social security."

Charles West, former Assistant Secretary of the Interior, was one of the President's callers today. From him President Roosevelt received a first-hand report on Democratic prospects in about thirty States west of New York which he said he had visited during the past few months. Mr. West said he would soon return to Ohio to take an active part in the campaigns on behalf of the Democratic Senatorial and Gubernatorial candidates, Senator Robert Bulkley and Lieutenant Governor Charles Sawyer.

Jesse H. Jones Requests Employees of RFC to Take No Active Part in Political Campaigns

The Reconstruction Finance Corporation on Aug. 20 made public the following letter dated Aug. 1, 1938, and addressed by Jesse H. Jones, Chairman, at the direction of the Board to the managers of its loan agencies throughout the country:

The RFC is a bi-partisan Government Agency and its employees, re-cardless of their political affiliation, are requested to take no active part, uside from voting their convictions, either in the primaries or the Fall

This applies to candidates seeking nomination by the same political party,

well as to nominees opposing each other in the general elections.

Please convey this request to everyone connected with your agency,

including attorneys on retainer.

An item bearing on the resignation of Edgar B. Dunlap, as Counsel of the RFC Loan Agency at Atlanta, Ga., incident to political activities was noted in our issue of last week, page 1134.

Further Business Activity Looked for in September by United States Chamber of Commerce Unless by United States Cham Thwarted by Politicians

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Some further results in the way of improvement in business may be looked for in September unless "the politicians manage to thwart them," according to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, which in a summary of business conditions, issued Aug. 20, said:

Over the years statistics show that, in the absence of a disturbing influence of major proportions, invariably a turn comes during the dog days, and activity ascends into September, at least. There was such a turn last year, but it unfortunately went into reverse before September was out.

"Any attempt to forecast the probable course of business activity during the autumn must take into account what has happened in recent months," the Chamber observes, and it

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happened in recent months," the Chamber observes, and it goes on to say:

This has been as unusual as the course of manufacturing production in the spring of 1937. For three months manufacturing then maintained an unusually even volume at a high level. This activity was protracted in the face of adverse influences which had been brought to bear and persisted until it was literally beaten down.

In the corresponding months of 1938 industrial activity was at a level at least a third lower and had a tendency to go down. This continued into June, when apparently this trend ran its course. For all indications point to an upturn in July that has since persisted. It is to be expected that when data have been collected and analyzed, and are made public later in August, they will make clear there was an increase in industrial production in July.

There are not many years in which such an increase has occurred. Normally activities decline further in July.

Before all of the statistics have been compiled there are pretty sure indications of what has been occurring. Activity of cotton mills, both in the South and in the North, was higher in July than in June. The figures for use of electric power have now been rising for six weeks or more. If the rise should continue at its recent pace, use of electric power will later in the year exceed all earlier records. During the same period shipments of package freight by rail have shown as strong an increase as last year, which was unusual in this respect. There has appeared a tendency in the output of bituminous coal to rise from its low level of the spring. In general, statistics which become available week by week show improvement, frequently contra-seasonal. ment, frequently contra-seasonal.

W. L. Willkie Regrets Company Failed to Give More Funds in Fight Against TVA—Head of Common-wealth & Southern Issues Statement—Hearings Congressional Committee Investigating Before TVA

The Congressional Committee investigating the Tennessee The Congressional Committee investigating the Tennessee Valley Authority this week continued its hearings at Knoxville, Tenn., as Wendell L. Willkie, President of the Commonwealth & Southern Corporation, admitted in New York that his company had participated in the Chattanooga, Tenn., power referendum in 1935, and expressed regret that the concern had not made additional contributions, if they would have defeated Federally subsidized competition. Previous hearings by the Committee were reported in the "Chronicle" of July 30, page 656. In describing Mr. Willkie's statement, the New York "Herald Tribune" of Aug 23 said, in part:

"We have in the past and we expect to continue in the future," Mr. Willkie emphasized, "to do all that we legitimately and frankly can to prevent the destruction of these properties by government to which last year we paid over \$19,000,000 in taxes."

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On Tuesday Francis Biddle, chief TVA counsel, called attention to the fact that Commonwealth & Southern in 1935 had contributed \$20,000 in an unsuccessful drive to defeat a referendum on an 88,000,000 bond issue to provide for a municipal distribution plant.

In explaining the company's position, Mr. Wilkie said:
"Immediately prior to the municipal ownership election in Chattanooga in the spring of 1935, the Federal Government and the TVA, in order to induce citizens of Chattanooga to vote for municipal ownership, offered to give Chattanooga and other cities through the Public Works Administration, absolutely free, 45% of the cost of building an electric distribution system duplicating those of the private companies operating in such cities.

"The TVA within a few weeks of the election announced establishment of the Electric Home & Farm headquarters at Chattanooga, employing a large force of persons, although immediately after the election these head-

quarters were closed.

"It was likewise proclaimed in the public press that only in the event that Chattanooga voted in favor of municipal ownership could Chicamauga Dam be built on the outskirts of Chattanooga, involving expenditures of up-

Dam be built on the outskirts of Chattanooga, involving expenditures of upward of \$25,000,000.

"Relief workers and others under obligation to the Federal Government were urged to vote in favor of the proposal.

"A committee of citizens opposed to municipal ownership and the subsidized TVA power program was formed to present to the voters of Chattanooga the facts."

Senator Berry of Tennessee appeared before the Committee Aug. 16 and charged that the TVA violated the Federal Constitution in handling his claims for \$5,000,000 damages to marble deposits covered by the reservoir of the TVA Norris Dam. United Press advices of Aug. 16 from Known Norris Dam. United Press advices of Aug. 16 from Knoxville said:

Berry read a 12-page statement to a Congressional committee investigating TVA, but he did not specify the exact manner in which TVA had violated the Constitution.

The Senator, who was defeated recently for renomination, again denied that his claims for damages had been fraudulent.

Berry said the "trouble" over his claims was due "primarily" to dissension among TVA directors—including Dr. E. A. Morgan, who then still was Chairman.

still was Chairman.

The Senator had contended that his claims were valid when he testified before a U. S. District Court Commission which finally decided in a condemnation suit that the marble covered by Berry's leases was worthless.

Berry contended TVA, by entering into a conciliation agreement—which was not carried out—with him, had admitted his marble to be of

He charged TVA finally had "boycotted" his marble because the authority did not wish to acknowledge its quality.

In reporting the Committee hearing on Aug. 24, an Associated Press dispatch of that date from Chattanooga said:

Francis H. Biddle, Counsel for the TVA Congressional Investigating Committee, delved today into efforts of citizens to block the erection of public-owned power facilities while minority members of the Committee objected to methods of his investigators in examining private bank ac-

L. J. Wilhoite, head of the Chattanooga Electric Power Board, which is erecting a publicly-owned transmission system, told the committee that negotiations involving possible sale of Commonwealth and Southern Corporation Tennessee properties to the TVA did not justify delay in the munici-

Fred B. Frazier, head of the Citizens and Taxpayers Association formed to fight public power, denied that he had, as a witness charged today, discussed the distribution of liquor to voters or spent money for it.

Holland House Corporation Formed to Develop Closer Business and Financial Relations Between Am-sterdam and New York—F. B. Turck Jr. Elected President

Holland House Corp. of the Netherlands, recently formed by leading Dutch and American commercial and banking interests with the support of the Dutch Government, announced on Aug. 23 plans to develop a closer business and financial relationship between Amsterdam and New York. The corporation, which will function as a non-profit organization of the property of the International property of the International ization, has engaged temporary quarters in the International Building, Rockefeller Center, pending completion of plans for a permanent home. Offices also will be opened in

Amsterdam.

This was revealed coincident with the announcement of the election of Fenton B. Turck Jr., Vice-President of American Radiator & Standard Sanitary Corp., as President of Holland House Corp. Mr. Turck will function as administrator of Holland House without salary, retaining his executive post with American Radiator.

Among the directors are: Winthrop W. Aldrich, Chairman of Chase National Bank of New York.

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O. L. Alexander, Chairman, American Enka Corp.
Henry L. Doherty, President, Cities Service Co.
G. A. Dunlop, Managing Director, Netherlands Indies Commercial Bank.
W. S. Farish, President, Standard Oil Co. (New Jersey).
H. R. Jolles, Vice-President, Brown Harriman & Co., Inc.
Howard C. Shepard, Vice-President, National City Bank of New York.
Robert Stanley, President, International Nickel Co. of Canada, Ltd.
G. S. Walden, Chairman, Standard-Vacuum Oil Co.
Thomas J. Watson, President, International Business Machines Corp.
R. G. A. van der Woude, President, Shell Union Oil Corp.
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J. C. Rovensky, Vice-President, Chase National Bank, New York.
H. Dundas, Vice-President, Standard-Vacuum Oil Co.
W. Alton Jones, First Vice-President, Cities Service Co.
J. E. Crane, Assistant Treasurer in charge of Foreign Finance, Standard
Oil Co. (New Jersey).
F. W. Nichol, Vice-President, International Business Machines Corp.
Dr. John F. Thompson, Vice-President, International Nickel Co. of
Canada, Ltd.
H. R. Hawthorne, Vice-President, Pocahontas Fuel Co., Inc.
E. F. Regan, Assistant Vice-President, National City Bank of New York.
R. Cortesi, Manager Foreign Department, Brown Harriman & Co., Inc.
Adrian D. Stevenson, White & Case.
Dr. Hendrick W. Van Loon.

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J. L. Quinn, New York Representative Standard Oil Co. of California.
P. J. Koolman, Bigham, Englar, Jones & Houston.
J. A. G. Sandberg, Director, Heldring & Pierson.
Dr. R. H. von Baumhauer, Netherlands American Chamber of Com-

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J. A. de Lanoy, Purchasing Director, Asiatic Petroleum Co.
Dr. J. C. A. Everwyn, former Netherlands Minister at Washington.
W. van Doorn, Assistant Commissioner-General and President of the
Work Committee, Netherlands New York World's Fair Committee.

Prof. Dr. A. J. Barnouw, Queen Wilhelmina Professor, Columbia Uni-

wersity.
W. M. Meserole, President, the Holland Society of New York.

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G. Evans Hubbard, the Netherland-America Foundation, Inc.
A. Ph. von Hemert, Vice-President, the Netherland Club.
C. R. T. Baron Krayenhoff, President, the Tourist Propaganda Com-

Dr. P. van den Toorn, Manager, Holland-America Line, New York. F. B. Loomis, Standard Oil Co. of California.
Floris W. ter Meulen, Cities Service Co.
Mitchell B. Carroll.

L. von Munching. John T. Scheepers. Messrs. Turck, Pyzel, Van Zelm, de Monchy, Six, and van Royen.

In announcing the organization's plans, Mr. Turck stated: A principal purpose of Holland House will be to develop between the United States and the Netherlands a community of interest comparable to that which now exists between Great Britain and Netherlands. From the commercial standpoint, these countries are the three great trading nations of the world; and New York, London and Amsterdam are the

nations of the world; and New York, London and Amsterdam are the three great capital markets.

Common traditions and a common viewpoint have brought London and Amsterdam into a close working arrangement, expressed in sharing opportunities and in innumerable transactions engaged in for joint profit, to the mutual advantage of British and Dutch business. Between New York and London there has been developing in recent years a similar trend toward American and British interests acting as co-partners in joint enterprises, but comparatively little such intercourse now exists between New York and Amsterdam.

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With both the United States and the Netherlands aggressively trade-minded—with both amply supplied with capital in contrast to an earlier period when the Dutch were called upon to contribute substantially to building American railroads, the directors and other sponsors of Holland House, with the support of the Dutch Government, believe that the time is opportune for effecting a more intimate association of the two countries in trade and finance.

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Holland House will serve as a clearing house for trade and financial transactions between the two countries, providing a focal point, heretofore lacking, for the establishment of contacts and for initiating and carrying on negotiations.

W. H. de Monchy, Managing Director of Holland-America Line; D. Pyzel, Vice-President, Shell Union Oil Corp., and J. Louis van Zelm, President of the Netherlands Chamber of Commerce in New York, Inc., have been elected Vice-Presidents of Holland House; Jonkheer P. J. Six, Secretary of Netherlands American Chamber of Commerce, Amster-dam, has been named Treasurer, and Dr. R. D. van Royen, Sacretary

Secretary.
W. P. Montyn, Consul-General of the Netherlands, New York; B. Kleijn Holekamp, Commercial Counsellor of the Netherlands Legation, Washington, D. C., and E. C. Zimmerman, Trade Commissioner for the Netherlands Indies, have been elected Honorary Directors.

Group of 300 British Metal Men to Visit United States in October—To Make Tour of Iron and Steel Plants—Committees Formed to Welcome Delegation

Leaders of the steel industry in this country will serve on local committees which will welcome to the principal steel producing cities in October a group of nearly 300 prominent British industrialists, engineers and metallurgists, it was announced Aug. 23 by the American Iron and Steel Institute. The itinerary of the visitors was also announced by the Institute. The visiting group, consisting of members of the Iron and Steel Institute and the Institute of Metals, both of Great Britain, is coming here at the joint invitation of he American Iron and Steel Institute and the American of he American Iron and Steel Institute and the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers. The visitors will make an extensive tour of iron and steel plants and non-ferrous metal works, after holding a joint meeting in New York with the two American Institutes on Oct. 3 and 4.

The chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements in New York City is W. A. Irvin, Vice-Chairman of United States Steel Corp. Other members of this committee are:
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C. M. Schwab and E. G. Grace, respectively Chairman and President of Bethlehem Steel Corp.
F. B. Hufnagel, Chairman of Crucible Steel Co. of America. Arthur Roeder, President of Colorado Fuel & Iron Corp.
E. T. Weir, Chairman of National Steel Corp.
C. R. Hook, President of the American Rolling Mill Co.

The following regarding the group's itinerary is from the Institute's announcement:

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In Pittsburgh, which will be visited Oct. 10, 11 and 12, the welcoming committee will be headed by B. F. Fairless and will include W. F. Detwiler, F. R. Frost, B. F. Harris, W. W. Holloway, W. F. Ingals, H. E. Lewis, T. E. Millsop, E. L. Parker, J. L. Perry, L. F. Rains and H. A. Roemer. A banquet for the visitors will be held there at the William Penn Hotel, Oct. 11.

Youngstown will be visited Oct. 13, and Cleveland Oct. 14 and 15. The committee for both cities will be headed by H. G. Dalton, Chairman of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co., and will include T. M. Girdler, C. F. Hood, Elton Hoyt II, G. M. Humphrey, E. J. Kulas, Frank Purnell, H. H. Timken and R. J. Wysor.

Detroit will be visited Oct. 16, 17 and 18. The committee in this city will be headed by G. R. Fink, President of Great Lakes Steel Corp., and will include A. J. Bopp, C. P. Craine, D. B. McLouth, H. M. Naugle and W. C. Schrage. On Oct. 18 the visiting group will attend a banquet given by the metals division of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers at the Book-Cadillac Hotel in Detroit.

One group of the visitors, on its way back to New York, will inspect industrial plants in Buffalo on Oct. 19. The main gruop will be in Chicago from Oct. 20 to 25. L. E. Block, Chairman of the Inland Steel Co., will be Chairman of the committee in this city. Other members of the committee are: P. D. Block, C. D. Caldwell, A. T. Clarage, W. E. Hadley, W. I. Howland Jr., G. C. Kimball, Hayward Niedringhaus, R. H. Norton, G. E. Rose and E. L. Ryerson Jr. A Banquet wil be held here at the Palmer House on Oct. 20.

The group will return to New York Oct. 25.

New Division of International Communications Created in State Department at Washington — Thomas Burke Head of Division

The establishment in the State Department at Washing-The establishment in the State Department at wasnington of a new Division of International Communications was announced on Aug. 19 by Secretary of State Hull. Thomas Burke, who has been chief of Specialties Division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, was named chief of the new division, with Jesse Spacetal of State Department staff as assistant which Commerce, was named chief of the new division, with Jesse E. Saugstad,, of State Department staff, as assistant chief. Associated Press advices from Washington, Aug. 19, said: Setting up of the new division was described by Secretary Hull as last of a series of major changes which have been made in organization of the Department in the last 18 months.

The Secretary said the division would handle international aspects of problems connected with tele-communications (radio, cable, telegraph and telephone communication). aviation and shipping.

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Secretary of Treasury Morgenthau Sails for United States after Vacation in France and Switzerland

Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr. sailed for New York on Aug. 24 aboard the liner "Normandie" after spending a month's vacation in France and Switzerland. Mr. Morgenthau was accompanied by his family.

R. B. Caldwell Appointed Deputy Chairman of Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System on Aug. 24 announced the appointment of R. B. Caldwell, member of the law firm of McCune, Caldwell & Downing, Kansas City, Mo., as Deputy Chairman of the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City for the remainder of the current

Roswell Magill Resigns Effective Sept. 15 as Under-Secretary of Treasury—President Roosevelt Ex-presses Regret

President Roosevelt on Aug. 24 accepted the resignation of Roswell Magill as Under-Secretary of the Treasury with "very genuine regret." Mr. Magill, in his letter to the President, pointed out that he had accepted the appointment in January, 1937, with the understanding that he would return to his law professorship in Columbia University, New York, in September, 1938. He also stated that if the occasion arose where he might serve the Treasury again he hoped the President would call upon him. In his reply the occasion aross where he might serve the Treasury again he hoped the President would call upon him. In his reply, the President expressed his appreciation for the time Mr. Magill gave to the Treasury and of his offer to serve again "on call." The resignation becomes effective Sept. 15, 1938. Mr. Magill's letter, made public by the President on Aug. 24 at his Hyde Park, N. Y. home, follows:

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My Dear Mr. President:
You will recall that when I accepted appointment as Under-Secretary of the Treasury in January, 1937, I arranged for a leave of absence from Columbia University Law School to permit me to serve until September, 1938. I, therefore, desire to submit my resignation as Under-Secretary, to be effective as of September 15, next.
I have thoroughly enjoyed my services in the Treasury, and in particular the privilege of association with you and with Secretary Morgenthau. The attainment of the ideals of a fair and adequate Federal tax system, coordinated with the revenue system of the States; and of a tax administration organized to determine the citizens' liability promptly and economically, is a complex task, requiring planning on a broad front, and co-operation among many Governmental agencies and officials. Problems of this sort cannot be quickly solved, or indeed solved once and for all, but they must be constantly attacked. I am glad to have had an opportunity to participate in the Treasury's work upon them.

If occasion arises when I may serve you again, I hope you will call upon me.

The President replied:

My Dear Ross:

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It is with very genuine regret that I accept your tendered resignation, effective as of September 15, 1938.

I want you to know how much I appreciate your giving the time you have, and your generous offer to serve again "on call." It has been grand having you work with us rendering such splendid service to the Government.

F. Fischerauer, Former Austrian Consulate General in New York City, Sails for Europe

Friedrich Fischerauer, former Austrian Consul General in New York City, sailed for Europe on Aug. 24 aboard the Cunard White Star liner "Queen Mary." Mr. Fischerauer is returning to Vienna after having served in New York since the World War. He said he expects to retire since the Austrian consulate has been closed. Reference to the annexation of Austria by Germany appeared in these columns of March 19, page 1797.

enneth Condit Appointed Executive Assistant to President of National Industrial Conference Board

Appointment of Kenneth H. Condit as executive assistant to the President of the National Industrial Conference Board was announced on Aug. 17 by Dr. Virgil Jordan, President of the Conference Board. Mr. Condit has been

editor of "American Machinist" for over 17 years, was the first editor of "Product Engineering," both McGraw-Hill publications, and now retains a connection as consulting and now retains a connection as consulting editor of both papers.

H. G. S. Noble, Oldest Member of New York Stock Exchange, Posts Seat for Transfer to Grandson— Former President of Exchange Held Membership Former Pres for 56 Years

H. G. S. Noble, senior member of the New York Stock Exchange and a former President, has posted his membership for transfer to his grandson, Henry Stebbins Noble, the Exchange announced on Aug. 25. Mr. Noble, who is 79 years of age, was active in the management of the Exchange until his retirement as a Governor three years ago. He has maintained an office at De Coppet & Doreums since his withdrawal in 1928 as a partner of the firm. The Exchange further announced: further announced:

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H. G. S. Noble has been a member of the Stock Exchange since April 20, 1882, at which time he inherited the membership of his grandfather, Henry G. Stebbins, who joined the Exchange in 1831. He was President of the Exchange during the World War period, serving from May, 1914, to May, 1919. His grandfather, Mr. Stebbins, also served as President of the Exchange during a war period, having been President in 1863, as well as in 1851 and 1858. Mr. Noble served as a Governor of the Exchange for more than 37 of the 56 years of his membership, retiring as an active Governor in 1935.

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If elected to membership, Henry Stebbins Noble will make his office at the odd lot firm of De Coppet & Doremus, with which firm he has been associated for the last several months.

B. B. Elmer Appointed a Governor of New York Stock Exchange—Fills Vacancy Created by Election of E. E. Bartlett Jr. as Chairman

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The Board of Governors of the New York Stock Exchange, at its meeting on Aug. 24, appointed Basil B. Elmer, Exchange member of Eastman, Dillon & Co., as a Governor of the Exchange, to fill, until the next annual election, the vacancy created by the election of Edward E. Bartlett Jr., to Chairman of the Board. Mr. Elmer has been a member of the Exchange since Aug. 7, 1930, and the board member of Eastman, Dillon & Co. since May 1, 1938. In 1919 he became associated with the Northern Trust Co., in Chicago, and from 1923 to 1930 was an officer of the Bank of Manhattan Co., in New York. hattan Co., in New York.

ITEMS ABOUT BANKS, TRUST COMPANIES, &c.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chemical Bank & Trust Company of New York, held Aug. 25, John Frank Wood was appointed an Assistant Trust Officer in the Personal Trust Department.

James E. Thompson, President of the Phenix National Bank of Providence, R. I., died of a heart attack on Aug. 20. He was 73 years old. Mr. Thompson began his banking career as a clerk and in 1904 after 24 years of service was elected Cashier of the bank. In 1910 he was named a Director and twelve years later was elected Vice-President and Cashier. He held this position until 1033 when he He held this position until 1933 when he and Cashier. became President.

George H. Kirchner, President of the Union Guardian Trust Co., Detroit, Mich., died on Aug. 22 at the age of 72. A native of Detroit, Mr. Kirchner was appointed conservator of the Union Guardian Trust Co. in March, 1933 by Governor Comstock and in May, 1934 when the bank was reopened, was elected President. The following regarding Mr. Kirchner's career is from the Detroit "Free Press" of Aug. 23:

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Mr. Kirchner became a teller in the City Savings Bank in 1889, holding that position until 1894 when he became Assistant Cashier of the old German-American Bank. Its name was changed to the First State Bank of Detroit in 1917. In 1897 he was made a Director, in 1901, Cashier, and in 1912 was elevated to the Presidency.

When the First State Bank's stock control was sold to the Griswold National Bank in 1927, Mr. Kirchner became Chairman of the Board of the combined institutions, called the Griswold-First State Bank, In March. 1929, he retired from executive positions in the commercial and savings bank fields to become Chairman of the Board of the Bankers' Securities Co.

Milton L. Bouden, Director of Publicity of the Whitney National Bank, New Orleans, La., died on Aug. 20 in a hospital in New Rochelle, N. Y. He was 69 years old and had been on his vacation when he became ill with pneumonia. Mr. Bouden, who had been associated with the bank for the past 28 years, was also Manager of the Whitney National Bank building at the time of his death. He was a brother of the late John E. Bouden, former President of the Whitney National Bank, and of W. W. Bouden who is Vice-President of the Bank. of the Bank.

The Directors of the Rapides Bank & Trust Co. of Alexandria, La. has elected J. G. Thompson as a Director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of his father, the late Ben F. Thompson. The Directors did not elect a successor to the elder Mr. Thompson as Chairman of the Board, said Alexandria advices Aug. 17 to the New Orleans "Times-Picayune," which stated that officers of the Rapides Bank are James C. Bolton, President; F. P. Bolton, R. S. Thornton, and John W. Hathorn, Vice-Presidents; Robert H. Bolton, Cashier, and Roy Albert, Assistant Cashier.

Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association (California), has inaugurated an advertising campaign to explain the comprehensive lending services for individuals, commerce and industry that the bank makes available. A. P. Giannini, Chairman of the Board of Directors, stated:

The lending policy of Bank of America is to provide the soundest type of credit best suited to the need of every individual and of every established business no matter how large or small.

If any man or woman of good character and proved ability requires money for any worthy purpose—for business or for personal uses, no matter how specialized the need, Bank of America has, or will endeavor to provide, the type of credit that will be most helpful.

Regarding the broadened services the bank now makes available, an announcement in the matter said:

Profiting from its large-scale success in the field of personal loans and

automobile financing, the bank has applied similar methods in the field of loans to business and industry.

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For large firms there is provided a convenient method of making amortized loans in bond or note form, such loans being particularly fitted for expansion of operations or the refinancing of present indebtedness.

For small businesses, term loans are available in amounts from \$500 to \$5,000, repayable in from one to five years, depending upon the circumstances. Primary purpose of these loans is to furnish working capital for established businesses, not to finance new ventures or liquidate past-due indebtedness to creditors. They do not replace ordinary seasonal financing, which will be handled as in the past.

An "accounts receivable" plan also is offered, to provide working capital in any amount to manufacturers, wholesalers and jobbers.

Charles W. Parcell, Assistant Vice-President of the United States National Bank of Portland, Ore., since 1934, died on Aug. 17, following an emergency operation. Mr. Parcell, who was 44 years old, had worked up to the position he held at the bank after starting as a messenger in 1913, and successively conved as tellow or differences in the property of the property and successively served as teller, credit manager, Assistant Cashier and finally as Assistant Vice-President.

THE CURB EXCHANGE

Price movements on the New York Curb Exchange were dull and irregular during the fore part of the week but the trend gradually shifted upward, and as prices strengthened, many active issues, particularly those among the preferred stocks in the public utility list, the industrial specialties and the aluminum group, moved smartly forward to higher levels. Prices were erratic at times but as interest increased, the requires of sales slowly improved. Some slow weight

levels. Prices were erratic at times but as interest increased, the volume of sales slowly improved. Some slow moving shares appeared on the tape from time to time at higher prices but the sales were generally small.

Public utility stocks, particularly those in the preferred section, moved briskly forward during the abbreviated session on Saturday. There were occasional soft spots scattered through the list but the market at the close was somewhat higher though the gains were small and without special significance. The aluminum stocks were in moderate demand and closed somewhat higher. Industrial specialties were quiet and oil issues made comparatively little change either way. The volume of sales was light, the total transfers dropping to 35,000 shares with only 172 issues traded in. The advances and declines in the general list were largely in minor fractions.

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Light trading and small price changes were the outstanding characteristics of the curb market dealings on Monday. The initial hour was particularly dull the transfers falling off all along the line. As the session progressed price movements continued mixed and without definite trend, and while there were a few moderately strong spots, these were generally among the preferred stocks of the public utilities and industrial specialties. The transfers for the day totaled approximately 65,900 shares. Prominent among the stocks closing on the side of the advance were Aluminum Co. of America, 1 point to 113; Georgia Power \$6. pref., 3 points to 77; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 2 points to 54 and United Gas pref., 1% points to 97½. Bell Tel. of Canada was down 2½ points to 163½ and Consolidated Gas & Electric of Baltimore dipped 1 point to 71.

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Curb market stocks moved briskly forward on Tuesday, and while price movements were somewhat mixed at times, there were a number of slow moving issues that continued in good demand throughout the session and kept the trend pointing upward. Industrial specialties attracted some buying, Pepperell Manufacturing Co. climbing upward 7¾ points to 77¾, while Pittsburgh Plate Glass surged forward 2 points to 99¾. The transfers for the day were approximately 107,610 shares as compared with 65,900 on Monday. The gains included among others Brown Co., pref., 3 points to 28; Celanese 1st pref., 4 points to 81; Gulf Oil Corp., 1½ points to 44½; Jones & Laughlin Steel, 2¼ points to 32¼; United Shoe Machinery 2¾ points to 43; Consolidated Gas & Electric of Baltimore, 2 points to 73 and Montgomery Ward A, 5½ points to 156.

Renewed buying was apparent all along the line on Wednesday as trading followed a rapid pace with many active stocks moving into new high ground. The aluminum issues again led the upward push followed by the industrial specialties which were in good demand at higher prices. The volume of sales totaled 147,130 shares against 107,610 on Tuesday. Outstanding in the general advance were Royal Typewriter which moved up 4 points to 52 on a small turnover, Pittsburgh Plate Glass gained 2½ points to 1025% and Benson & Hedges forged ahead 4 points to 15½. Automotive issues were stronger and some of the more active

stocks in the public utility group registered substantial advances as the market closed.

Irregularly lower prices prevailed as the market came to a close on Thursday. There was comparatively little selling pressure apparent during the day, and while trading was lighter, there were a number of moderately strong spots scattered through the list that held price movements to nearly even levels for the greater part of the day. Fisk Rubber Corp. reached a new top as it moved up to 8½. Ford of Canada A also reached new high ground for 1938 as it advanced to 21. Other noteworthy gains were Axton-Fisher A 2 points to 35; Singer Manufacturing Co., 3 points to 347; Bell Tel. of Canada, 1½ points to 165; Celluloid 1 pref. 2½ points to 55½; G. A. Fuller Co., 3 points to 18; General Tire & Rubber pref. A 5 points to 88 and Mead Johnson, 2½ points to 123½.

Moderate trading and mixed price movements were the outstanding characteristics of the curb market dealings on Friday. Price swings were small and despite the occasional rallies, the trend continued to point downward. Scattered through the list were a number of slow moving stocks that worked against the trend but the market, as a whole, was lower at the close. As compared with Friday of last week prices were generally higher, Aluminum Co. of America closing last night at 115½ against 113¼ on Friday a week ago; Aluminium Ltd. at 125 against 121½; American Cyanamid B at 22½ against 22½; Electric Bond & Share at 7½ against 7¼; Fisk Rubber Corp. at 8¾ against 73. Ford of Canada A at 21 against 19½; Gulf Oil Corp. at 425 against 42 and Newmont Mining Corp. at 74¾ against 73.

DAILY TRANSACTIONS AT THE NEW YORK CURB E

	Stocks (Number -			Bonds (P	ar Value)				
Week Ended Aug. 26, 1938	of Shares)	Domestic				oreign ernment			Total
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Sales at New York Curb	Week Ended Aug. 26			Jan. 1 to Aug. 26			. 26		
Exchange	1938	1937	, No	1938		1937			
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Total	\$5,946,000	\$5,304,0	000	\$227,2	97,000	8:	311.379.000		

THE LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Quotations of representative stocks as received by cable each day of the past week:

	Sat., Aug. 20	Mon., Aug. 22	Tues., Aug. 23	Wed., Aug. 24	Thurs., Aug. 25	Fri., Aug. 26	
Boots Pure Drugs		40 /-	39/101/2		40/-	£47	
British Amer Tobacco.		101/101/2	100/9	102/-			
Cable & Wordinary		£47	£4634		103/-	102/6	
Canadian Marconi		5/-	5/3	£471/2	£4714	£47	
Central Min & Invest.		£23 ¼		5/9	5/9	5/6	
Cons Goldfields of S A.			£23 ¼	£231/4	£2314	£231/4	
Courtaulds S & Co		75/-	75/-	75/-	75/-	75/-	
		31/-	30/9	31/3	31/6	31/3	
De Beers		£834	£81/2	£8516	£87/8	£834	
Distillers Co		96/9	96/9	97/-	97/3	97/6	
Electric & Musical Ind.		11/101/2		12/-	12/6	12/9	
Ford Ltd	HOLI-	17/41/2	17/41/2	17/6	17/3	17/-	
Gaumont Pictures ord.	DAY	4/9	4/9	4/9	4/6	4/6	
A		1/9	1/9	1/9	1/6	1/6	
Hudsons Bay Co		21/6	21 /-	21/-	21/-	21/-	
Imp Tob of G B & I		140/-	139/6	140/6	141/3	140/-	
London Midland Ry		£131/4	£131/4	£1314	£131/2	£1334	
Metal Box		75/-	75/9	75/6	75/-	75/-	
Rand Mines		£91/4	£914	£9516	£914		
Rio Tinto			£13 5%	£14	£13%	£93%	
Roan Antelope Cop'M.		17/3	17/6	17/6		£13 1/8	
Rolls Royce		98/9	98/9		18/-	18/-	
Royal Dutch Co		£371/8	£38	98/9	98/9	98/9	
Shell Transport		£4716		£38 3/8	£38 3/8	£38716	
Unilever Ltd.			£4 1/2	£41732	£41/2	£41/2	
United Molasses		38/-	38/6	38/6	38/3	38/-	
Vickors		21/9	21/6	22/-	21/9	21/6	
Vickers		19/71/2	19/101/2	19/101/2	20 /-	20 /3	
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Areas		£7	£7	£71/8	£73/8	£7816	

ENGLISH FINANCIAL MARKET—PER CABLE

The daily closing quotations for securities, &c., at London, as reported by cable, have been as follows the past week:

	Aug. 20	Mon., Aug. 22	Tues., Aug. 23	Wed., Aug. 24	Thurs., Aug. 25	Frt., Aug. 26	
Silver, per oz.	19 5-16d.	19 5-16d.		1916d.	19¼d.	19 5-16d.	
Consols, 21/2% - British 31/2%	Holiday	£751/8	1428.61/d. £75%	£75 7-16	142s.51/d. £751/4	142s.7d. £75½	
War Loan British 4%	Holiday	£102¾	£102¾	£1023%	£1021/8	£1027/8	
1960-90		£113 7/8	£113 7/8	£114	£114	£114	
The pric States on the	e of sil	ver per days ha	ounce (in cents	s) in the	United	
Bar N.Y.(for'n) U. S. Treasury	Closed	4234	4234	4234	4234	4234	
(newly mined)	64.64	64.64	64.64	64 64	RA RA	84 84	

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 522 of the Tariff Act of 1930, the Federal Reserve Bank is now certifying daily to the Secretary of the Treasury the buying rate for cable transfers in the different countries of the world. Following we give a record for the week just passed:

Bankers, manufacturers, merchants interested in trade abroad will find it advanta-geous to use our world-wide banking facilities.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE RAFES CERFIFIED BY FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS TO TREASURY UNDER TARIFF ACT OF 1930 AUG. 20, 1938, TO AUG. 26, 1938, INCLUSIVE

Country and Monetar		n Buying Valu	kate for (d ie in Uni	ted States	Money	York
Unti	Aug. 20	Aug. 22	Aug. 23	Aug. 24	Aug. 25	Aug. 26
Europe-	8	8	8	8	3	8 .
Belgium, belga	i .168406	.168511	.168655	.168666	1.168722	.168841
Bulgaria, lev		.012350	* .012350	* .012375	.012350	
Czechoslov'ia, koruna		.034507	.034514	.034516	.034553	.034558
Denmark, krone	.217803	.217800	.217771	.217822	.217837	.217656
Engl'd, pound sterl's		4.879652	4.878680	4.881666	4.881111	4.876597
Finland, markka		.021491	.021490	.021491	.021500	.021468
France, franc		.027321	.027340	.027368	.027363	.027346
Germany, reichsmark		.400766	400605	.400744	.400825	400766
Greece, drachma						
Hungary, pengo	196650					
Itely, lira		.052601	.052600	.052604	.052606	.052616
Netherlands, guilder.	.546816	.546983	.546933	1 .547150	.547100	546772
Norway, krone	.245175	.245178	.245121	.245205	.245231	.245006
Poland, zloty	188375	.188450	.188300	.188366	.188366	.188333
Portugal, escudo		.044191	.044191	.044191	.044183	.044183
Rumania, leu	.007335					
Spain, peseta	.057500					
Sweden, krons	057500					
Switzerland, franc		.251553	.251500	.251594	.251618	.251400
Vuguelente di	.229227	.229077	.229077	.229155	.229175	.229100
Yugoslavia, dinar	.023175*	.023150*	.023120*	.023125*	.023100*	.023125*
China-						
Chefoo (yuan) dol'r						
Hankow (yuan) dol						
Shanghai (yuan) dol						
Tientsin (yuan) dol.					.170812*	
Hongkong, dollar.	.304578	.304578	.304656	.304968	.304812	.304812
British India, rupee	.363818	.363681	.363178	.362882	.362729	.361976
Japan, yen	.284351	.284375	.284208	.284339	.284421	.284143
Str-its Settlem'ts, dol Australasia—	tope a year	.568312	.568500	.568625	.568625	.568000
	3.889765	3.888046	3.887812	3.889218	3.889375	3.885208
New Zealand, pound. Africa—		3.917937	3.916750		3.919531	3.916458
South Africa, pound. North America—		4.832500	4.833000	4.833125	4.832812	4.829062
Canada, dollar	.996116	.996230	.996269	.996428	.997167	.997675
Cuba, peso	.999333	.999333	.999333	.999333	.999333	.999333
Mexico, peso	.198000*	.198500*	.199000*	.198750*	.196666*	.194166*
Newfoundl'd, dollar_ South America—	.993671	.993789	.993906	.993945	.994726	.995234
Argentina, peso	.325265*	.325360*	.325280*	.325400*	.325380*	.325100*
Brazil, milreis	.058540*	.058240*	.058625*	.058500*	.058440*	.058440*
Chile, peso-official.	.051766*	.051766*	.051766*	.051820*	.051766*	.051766*
" export.	.040000*	.040000*		.040000*	.040000*	.040000*
Colombia, peso	.566600*	.567400*		.566600*	.567400*	.568200*
Uruguay, peso	.642164*					.642100*
	.0.22101	.022200	.0.22000	*012210	.012200	.077100.

COURSE OF BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings this week will again show a decrease compared with a year ago. Preliminary figures compiled by us, based upon telegraphic advices from the chief cities of the country, indicate that for the week ended today (Saturday, Aug. 27) bank clearings from all cities of the United States from which it is possible to obtain weekly returns will be 15.4% below those for the corresponding week last year. Our preliminary total stands at \$4,474,893,597, against \$5,287,037,151 for the same week in 1937. At this center there is a loss for the week ended Friday of 15.4%. comparative summary for the week follows:

Clearings—Returns by Telegraph Week Ending Aug. 27	1938	1937	Per Cent
New York	\$1,985,525,001	\$2,348,142,755	-15.4
Chicago	192,842,286	248,388,479	-22,4
Philadelphia	252,000,000	261,000,000	-3.4
Boston	135,253,433	149,374,000	-9.5
Kansas City	62,347,099	82,705,510	-24.6
St. Louis	58,200,000	70,100,000	-17.0
Dan Francisco	102,940,000	124,672,000	-17.4
Pittsburgh	76,046,242	111,445,525	-31.8
Detroit	59,637,074	84,141,275	-29.1
Cleveland	59,846,659	81,649,473	-26.7
Baltimore	41,587,349	49,023,957	-15.2
Eleven cities, five days	\$3,026,225,143	\$3,610,642,974	-16.2
Other cities, five days,	702,852,855	698,898,570	+0.6
Total all cities, five days	\$3,729,077,998	\$4,309,541,544	-13.5
All cities, one day	745,815,599	977,495,607	-23.7
Total all cities for week	\$4,474,893,597	\$5,287,037,151	-15.4

Complete and exact details for the week covered by the foregoing will appear in our issue of next week. We cannot furnish them today, inasmuch as the week ends today (Saturday) and the Saturday figures will not be available

until noon today. Accordingly in the above the last day of the week in all cases has to be estimated.

In the elaborate detailed statement, however, which we present further below, we are able to give final and complete results for the week previous—the week ended Aug. 20. For that week there was a decrease of 8.5%, the aggregate of clearings for the whole country having amounted to \$5,006,648,914, against \$5,469,373,775 in the same week in

1937. Outside of this city there was a decrease of 13.4%, the bank clearings at this center having recorded a loss of 4.0%. We group the cities according to the Federal Reserve districts in which they are located, and from this tappears that in the New York Reserve District (including this city) the totals show a decrease of 4.3%, in the Boston Reserve District of 12.5% and in the Philadelphia Reserve District of 0.8%. In the Cleveland Reserve District the totals have fallen behind by 22.5%, in the Richmond Reserve District by 5.9% and in the Atlanta Reserve District by 8.5%. In the Chicago Reserve District the totals record a loss of 19.9%, in the St. Louis Reserve District of 11.5% and in the Minneapolis Reserve District of 7.7%. The Kansas City Reserve District registers a falling off of 16.9%, the Dallas Reserve District of 4.2% and the San Francisco Reserve District of 18.9%.

In the following we furnish a summary by Federal Reserve districts:

districts:

SUMMARY	OF	BANK	CLEARINGS

Week End. Aug. 20, 1938	1938	1937	Inc.or Dec.	1936	1935
Federal Reserve Dists.	8	\$	%	S	
1st Boston 12 cities	208,526,355	238,247,382	-12.5	222,247,303	193,380,509
2nd New York 13 "	2.854,203,327	2,983,936,919	-4.3	2,815,441,296	3,042,037,004
3rd Philadelphia10 "	359,915,442	362,814,135	-0.8	331,883,923	315,868,865
4th Cleveland 5 "	236,379,200	304,852,631	-22.5	266,797,666	201,356,465
5th Richmond 6 "	122,772,558	130,494,478	5.9	124,299,152	101,461,356
6th Atlanta 10 "	144,829,895	158,264,576	8.5	138,800,474	109,329,028
7th Chicago18 "	394,394,961	492,368,722	-19.9	445,151,131	353,877,515
8th St. Louis 4 "	128,209,610	144,813,200	-11.5	131,592,805	109,434,650
9th Minneapolis 7 "	112,542,038	121,888,989	-7.7	114,313,118	93,453,269
10th Kansas City 10 "	129,166,700	155,497,156	-16.9	144,519,223	136,131,245
11th Dallas 6 "	68,393,030	71,404,163	-42	52,860,349	40,073,673
12th San Fran_11 "	247,315,798	304,791,424	-18.9	254,563,448	218,713,722
Total112 cities	5,006,648,914	5,469,373,775	-8.5	5,042,469,888	4,915.117,301
Outside N. Y. City	2,251,000,729	2,599,004,058		2,326,921,670	1,967,806,282
Canada32 cities	283,829,126	364,970,589	-22.2	337,685,615	314,401,967

We now add our detailed statement showing last week's figures for each city separately for the four years:

Clearings at—			Inc. or	1	100.5
	1938	1937	Dec.	1936	1935
First Federal	\$ Reserve Dist	ş rict—Boston	%	\$	\$
MeBangor	519,806	517.652	+0.4	574,414 1,986,770 191,712,024	476,827 1,487,756
Portland	1,560,950	1,993,986	-21.7	1,986,770	1,487,756
MassBoston	179.388,663	206,145,000	-13.0	191,712,024	167,411,935
Fall River	511,013	586,262	-12.8	665,541	497,626 258,238
Lowell	354,483 681,226 2,726,856	392,504	-9.7 -17.5	309,967 737,997	559,083
New Bedford Springfield	9 798 958	825,686 2,793,936	-2.4	2,532,918	2,137.161
Worcester	1,626,869	1.849.338	-12.0	1,715,246	1,020,760
Conn.—Hartford	8,992,132	1,849,338 9,861,308	8.8	9.375.651	8,999,916
New Haven	3,516,174	3,661,632	-4.0	3,134,366	2,768,496
R.I.—Providence N.H.—Manches'r	8,165,100 483,083	9,158,400 461,678	$-10.8 \\ +4.6$	3,134,366 9,147,100 355,309	7,408,900 353,811
Total (12 cities)	208,526,355	238,247,382	-12.5	222,247,303	193,380,509
Second Feder	al Reserve D	istrict—New	York-		
N. Y.—Albany	9,047,338 1,079,711	6,302,758 1,247,480	+43.5	4,413,574	5,175,114
Binghamton	1,079,711	1,247,480	-13.4	965,001	794,639
Buffalo	31,000,000	35.100.000	-11.7	32,200,000	25,900,000
Elmira	401,576 626,715	482 342 735,370	-16.7	636,877	460.371 454,397
Jamestown	020,715	2,870,369,717	-14.8 -4.0	542,952 2,715,548,218	2,947,311,109
New York	6,104,716	7,696,912		6,467,932	5,486,155
Rochester	3,248,443	5,101,964	-36.3	3.693,116	3,469,968
WestchesterCo.	3,440,377	2,731,007	+26.0	2,366,327 3,421,716	1,980.536
Conn Stamford	3,877,823	4,689,456	-17.3	3,421,716	4,376,099
N. J.—Montclair Newark	403,404	288,435	+39.9	*400,000	350,000
Newark Northern N. J.	14,737,390 24,587,649	17,488,495 31,702,983	-15.7 -22.4	16,512,035 28,273,548	13,515,164 32,763,542
Total (13 cities)				2,815,441,296	3,042,037,004
Third Federal	Reserve Dis	trict-Phila	delphi	a	
PaAltoona	364.597	485,747	-24.9	362,962	267,417
Bethlehem	473,398	529,611	-10.6	*400,000	218,180
Chester	388,478	306,463	+26.8	269,374	248,182 879,223
Lancaster	1,234,752	1,467,179	-15.8 -0.9	1,127,877 321.000,000	306,000,000
Philadelphia	348,000,000 1,299,954	351,000,000 1,205,854		961,200	982 840
Reading	1,964,292	2,284,817		2,111,120	982 840 1,789,274 854,706
Wilkes-Barre	738,023	1,302,117	-45.8	1,478,434	854,706
York	1,503,548	1,711,347	-12.1	1,279,956	1,086,043 3,543,000
N. J.—Trenton	3,948,400				
Total (10 cities) Fourth Feder	17 F 18 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		Mail ow.	001,080,920	310,000,000
Ohio-Canton	T X	X	X	x	X X
Cincinnati	49,578,026 80,902,761	61,111,141	-18.9	52,984,599	41,678,011
Cleveland	80,902,761	104,747,655	-22.8 -19.3	83,423,857 9,120,100	59,720,761 8,664.500
Columbus Mansfield	7,963,100 1,566,575	9,868,900		1,880,078	1,279,890
Youngstown	x,000,010	X X	X	x	x
Pa.—Pittsburgh	96,368,738	127,062,959	-24.2	119,389,032	90,013 303
Total (5 cities)	236 379,200	304,852,631	-22.5	266,797,666	201,356,465
Fifth Federal		rict—Richm 459,494	ond— —21.3	324,700	142,865
W.Va.—Hunt'ton Va.—Norfolk	361,405 2,006,000	2,564,000	-21.8	2,563,000	1,844,000
VaNorfolk Richmond	42,760,986	39,321,372	+8.7	40,523,556	36,258,267
S. C.—Charleston		1.104.311	-20.6	845,480	844.444
Md.—Baltimore			-12.8	62,341,842 17,700,574	47,356,156
D. C.—Wash'g'r	19,143,919	20,946,359	-8.6	17,700,574	15,015,624
Total (6 cities)	122,772,558		1	124,299,152	101,461,356
Sixth Federal Tenn.—Knoxville	Reserve Dist		a- -13.6	3,391,652	2,731,003
Nashville	16,695,317	17,174,987		14,904,550	
GaAtlanta	56,400,000	56,900,000	-0.9	53,700,000	41,100,000
Augusta	868.624	1,068,620	-18.7	929,540	953,483
	*775.000	858,221	9.7	804,988	782,255
Fla.—Jack'nville. Ala.—Birm'ham.	15,277,000 16,663,828	19,576,000	-22.0	14,090,000	12,848,000
AlaBirm'ham.	16,663,828	20,446,731 1,628,298	-18.5	18,142,438	14,500,851
Mobile	1,315,072	1,628,298	-19.2	1,243,733	1,118,457
MissJackson	117,280	136,896		149,805	
			11 -14.0		00,900
Vicksburg La.—New Orleans			-8.8	31,443,768	23,580,275

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Clearings at-	1938		Inc. or	1936	1935
		S	%	\$	\$
Seventh Feder a Mich.—Ann Arbor Detroit	346,026 74,758,626	406,628 96,202,285	—14.9 —22.3	297,432 94,705,941	353,030 74,133,977
Grand Rapids_ Lansing	2,438,029 1,217,184	3,875,244 1,586,575	-37.1 -23.3	2,530,267 1,466.182	2,259,280 1,091,278 671,132
Ind.—Ft. Wayne Indianapolis	2,011,611 15,756,000	1,096,408 15,850,000	+83.5 -0.6	1,045,381 14,533,000	671,132 11,862,000
South Bend	1,189,259	1,469,722 4,437,780	19.1	1,213,505 4,555,073	794,324 4,204,437
Terre Haute Wis.—Milwaukee	4,035,323 18,108,277	20,349,917	-9.1 -11.0	20,681,039	14,181,230
Ia.—Ced. Rapids Des Moines	944,134 7,529,007	1,107,659 8,453,292	-14.8 -10.9	1,113,737 8,581,300	929,865 6,581 874 2,882,715
Sioux City Ill.—Bloomington	3 109,199 357,023	3,225,425 287,450	$\frac{-3.6}{+24.2}$	3,437,193 364,712	2,882,715 271,120
Chicago	256.342.835	327,142,033	-21.6	283,574,568 750,245	229,272,031 539,227
Peoria Peoria	652,690 3,536,231	777,144 3,608,308	$\frac{-16.0}{-2.0}$	3.941,493	2,318,016
Rockford Springfield	3,536,231 963,741 1,099,766	1,277,850 1,215,002	$-24.6 \\ -9.5$	1,209,962 1,150,101	649,573 882,406
Total (18 cities)	394,394,961	492,368,722	-19.9	445,151,131	353,877,515
Eighth Federa	Reserve Dis	rict—St Lo	uis—	00 000 000	73,700,000
Mo.—St. Louis Ky.—Louisville	82,400,000 30,786,107	93,200,000 34,403,625	-11.6 -10.5	88,600,000 28,038,117	23,693,350
Tenn.—Memphis Ill.—Jacksonville	14,523,503	16,612,575	-12.6	14,434,688 x	11,649,300 x
Quincy	500,000	597,000	-16.2	520,000	392,000
Total (4 cities)	128,209,610	144,813,200	11.5	131,592,805	109,434,650
Ninth Federal	Reserve Dis	trict—Minn	eapolis	3,487,591	2,554,199
Minneapolis	3,970,975 71,063,853	3,739,379 83,484,854	$+6.2 \\ -14.9$	78,829,917	62,826,348
St. Paul	31,352,676 2,185,857	28,087,736 2,226,066	+11.6 -1.8	25,546,418 2,262,515	22,515,709 1,799,729
N. D.—Fargo S. D.—Aberdeen Mont.—Billings	836,719	841,561	-0.6 -13.1	704,327 691,124	688,801 572,194
Helena	689,893 2,442.065	793,863 2,715,530		2,791,226	2,496,289
Total (7 cities) _	112,542,038	121,888,989	-7.7	114,313,118	93,453,269
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Tenth Federal Neb.—Fremont	86,134	107,924	as City -20.2	108,900	112,348
Hastings	146,097 2,263,565	149,239 2,704,695	-2.1 -16.3	138,214 2,509,778	99,429 2,177,414 31,306,733
Omaha	29,074,200	32,626,267	-10.9	32,177,415 2,285,196	31,306,733 1,736,444
Kan.—Topeka Wichita	2,308,923 2,562,929	2,982,251 2,923,314	-12.3	3,500,465	2,586,910 93,888,269
Mo.—Kan. City_ St. Joseph	89,101,377 2,640,869	109,335,408 3,315,628	-20.4	99,393,740 2,993,828	3,151,980
Colo.—Col. Sprgs	644,037 338,569	692,186 660,247		701,320 710,367	587,130 484,588
Total (10 cities)	129,166,700	155,497,156	-	144,519,223	136,131,245
Eleventh Fede Texas—Austin	ral Reserve 1,324,938	District— Da 1,469,043	-9.8	895,210	723,201
Dallas	52,161,099	53,437,841 7,926,749	-2.4	40,006,669 5,736,216	30,160,323 5,312,312
Ft. Worth Galveston	3,723,000	3,855,000	-3.4	2,366,000	1,348,000 641,361
Wichita Falls La.—Shreveport_	888,542 3,204,517	950,078 3,765,458	$\begin{array}{c c} -6.5 \\ -14.9 \end{array}$	642,954 3,213,300	1,888,476
Total (6 cities) _	68,393,030	71,404,16	-4.2	52,860,349	40,073,673
		latelat Sa	Franc	isco	
Twelfth Feder Wash.—Seattle	35,852,709	46,250,573	-22.5	37,384,082	
Spokane Yakima	8,326,000 925,728	10,039,000 906,94		9,787,000 841,551	494,306
OrePortland	31,402,673	39,058,950 16,936,029	-19.6	32,595,367 15,045,756	13.444.205
Utah—S. L. City Calif.—L'g Beach	4,170,030	4.181.92	-0.3	3,653,093	3,359,039
Pasadena San Francisco.	3,335,034 142,691,000	3,844,47 176 073,000	-19.0	2,957,928 145,502,367	126,797,073
San Jose Santa Barbara	2,770,404	3,519,874 1,591,990		3,110,407 1,554,242	2,575,583 1,031,829
Stockton	2,237,658	2,388,660		2,131,655	
Total (11 cities)	247,315,798	304,791,42	1 -18.9	254,563,448	218,713,722
Grand total (112 cities)	5,006,648,914	5,469,373,77	-8.5	5,042,469,888	4,915,117,301
Outside NewYork	2,251,000,729	2,599,004,05	3 -13.4	2,326,921,670	1,967,806,282
		Week	Ended A	ug. 18	
Clearings at—	1938	1937	Inc. or Dec.	1936	1935
Canada—	8	8	%	8	\$ 01 100 010
Toronto	98,526,930	112,364,63 107,634,46	4 12.3		91,190,818 87,443,019
Winnipeg	23,733,713	68,411,93	4 -65.3	55,046,437	68,411,934
Vancouver Ottawa	13,821,087	14,439,82	8 -4.3	13,608,576	13,892,160
Quebec Halifax	4,672,528	4,815,57 2,374,53	$\begin{vmatrix} 9 & -3.0 \\ 4 & -2.8 \end{vmatrix}$	2,136,987	2,076,557
Hamilton	4.780.212	5,383,23	$\begin{vmatrix} 8 & -11.2 \\ 9 & -5.1 \end{vmatrix}$		
St. John	1,784,723	1,896,81 1,726,14	3 -5.8	1.728.178	1.866.648
Victoria		2,807,62	3 -5.3	2,757,319	2,595,487
Edmondon	3,790,132		8 -1.5	4,733.05	3,064,153
Brandon	346,353	301,86	4 +14.7	431,56	2 414,712
Lethbridge Saskatoon	1,158,100	457,45 1,187,92	0 -2.1	1,522,65	2 1,361,773
Moose Jaw	781,949	884,49	2 -11.6	31 809.01	0/1,041
Fort William New Westminste	761,778 612,856	726,93	4 +4.8	823,60	682,148 518,648
Medicine Hat	179,72	234,06	1 -23.2	263,29 644,53	9 251,769 1 540,989
Peterborough Sherbrooke	641,60	567,81	6 +13.0	566,45	9 547,519
Kitchener Windsor	970.227	3,007,86	9 -21.	2,370,53	1,859,530
Prince Albert	296,912	379,36	$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -21.7 \\ 0 & -7.7 \end{vmatrix}$	345.40 757.93	4 319,742
MonetonKingston	522,201	537,97	3 -2.9	528,34	0 484,486
Chatham	407,950	442,55	5 -7.8	422,89	1 473,663
Sudbury	1,007,394	959,62			_
Total (32 cities	283,829,126	364,970,58	9 -22.5	037,685,61	012,401,801

^{*} Estimated. x No figures available.

THE ENGLISH GOLD AND SILVER MARKETS

We reprint the following from the weekly circular of Samuel Montagu & Co. of London, written under date of Aug. 10, 1938:

GOLD

GOLD

The Bank of England gold reserve against notes amounted to £326,411,750 on Aug. 3 showing no change as compared with the previous Wednesday.

Business in the open market assumed abnormal proportions, demand from the Continent during the past week absorbing about £10,180,000 of bar gold offered at the daily fixing, mainly from official quarters; there were also operations on a large scale after fixing. With a flight of funds to the dollar and the consequent firmness of that exchange, the sterling price of gold rese sharply vesterday's quartation of 142s, 74cd, being the highest of gold rose sharply, yesterday's quotation of 142s. 71/d. being the highest since March 1937.

Quotations:	Fine Oz.
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The following were the United Kingdom imports and exports of gold, registered from midday on the 30th ulto. to midday on the 8th inst.:

Imports Imports East Africa	3 A 7 Net 2 Fra 3 Swi	Exports ited States of merica herlands nce tzerland	412,840 502,293 93,679
Germany 8,1 Netherlands 55,8 France 33,7	8 Swe 5 Fin 1 Mo	tzerland eden land rocco	$\begin{array}{r} 93,679 \\ 775,578 \\ 22,671 \\ 3,877 \end{array}$
8witzerland 14,4 Venezuela 6,3 Other countries 8,6 £4,890,8	0	er countries	0,001
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The SS. Ranpura which sailed from Bombay on Aug. 6 carries gold to the value of about £529.000.

The Southern Rhodesian gold output for June, 1938 amounted to 68,383 fine ounces as compared with 68,988 fine ounces for May, 1938 and 66,330 fine ounces for June, 1937.

SILVER

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Prices have fluctuated only within narrow limits and rather quiet conditions have ruled during the past week. Buyers were more reluctant at the higher rates, so that on occasion prices eased slightly in the absence of buying, but the firmness of the dollar exerted a steadying influence on the market and quotations show a small improvement on the week.

The Indian Bazaars continued to give support, although resales were made by the same quarter and further supplies were provided by sales on Continental account.

Continental account.

The tone appears fairly steady and for the immediate future the market is likely to reflect the tendency of the dollar.

The following were the United Kingdom imports and exports of silver, registered from midday on the 30th ult. to midday on the 8th inst.:

Imports		Exports	
France Eire British Guiana Belgium Germany Czechoslovakia Other countries	a3,162 a1,000 19,282 9.058 14,100	Kenya Canada Germany Netherlands Sweden Other cuontries	8,520 1,408 2,020
	£331 473		010 550

a Coin of legal tender in the United Kingdom. b Coin not of legal tend in the United Kingdom. c Including £280,199 in coin not of legal tender in the United Kingdom.

Quotations during the week:

IN LONDON (Bar Silver)	per Oz. Std.)	IN NEW YORK (Per Ounce .999 Fine)	
Cash Aug. 4. 19½d. Aug. 5. 19%d. Aug. 6. 197-16d. Aug. 8. 19¾d. Aug. 9. 19½d. Aug. 9. 19½d. Aug. 10. 199-16d. Average. 19.458d.	2 Mos. 19 %d. 19 ¼d. 19 5-16d. 19 ¼d. 19 %d. 19 7-16d. 19.333d.	Aug. 3 43 Aug. 4 43 Aug. 5 43 Aug. 6 43 Aug. 8 43 Aug. 9 43	cents cents cents

The highest rate of exchange on New York recorded during the period from Aug. 4 to Aug. 10 was \$4.901/4 and the lowest \$4.871/8.

NATIONAL BANKS

The following information regarding National banks is from the office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Treasury Department:

CHARTER ISSUED

Aug. 15—The Farmers National Bank of Belvidere, Belvidere, III. \$100,000 Capital stock consists of \$100,000, all common stock. Presidebt, Hugh K. Funderburg: Cashier, E. Charles Harvey, Conversion of the Farmers State Bank of Belvidere, III.

COMMON CAPITAL STOCK REDUCED

Aug. 18—The Memorial National Bank of Collingswood, Collingswood, N. J. From \$50,000 to \$25,000

COMMON CAPITAL STOCK INCREASED

CHANGES IN NATIONAL BANK NOTES

The following shows the amount of National bank notes afloat (all of which are secured by legal tender deposits) at the beginning of July and August, and the amount of the decrease in notes afloat during the month of July, for the current year and last year:

Net decrease during July	-,	1937 \$272,164,454 6,072,295
Amount of bank notes afloat Aug. 1	*\$217,301,510	*\$266,092,159

Includes proceeds for called bonds redeemed by Secretary of the Treasury Note—\$2,235,026.50 Federal Reserve bank notes outstanding Aug. 1, 1938, ecured by lawful money, against \$2,279,182 on Aug. 1, 1937.

LLS AND SINKING FUND NOTICES REDEMPTION CALLS

Below will be found a list of bonds, notes and preferred stocks of corporations called for redemption, together with sinking fund notices. The date indicates the redemption or last date for making tenders, and the page number gives the location in which the details were given in the "Chronicle":

	Company and Issue—	Date	Page
	Allentown-Bethlehem Gas Co., 1st mtge. 3 %s, 1965	Sept. 1	727
	Daton house electric Co. Sh breighted	Sont 19	1330
	Dear Mountain Hudson River Bridge Co., 1st mtge 7g	Oct 1	727
	*Chesapeake & Potomac Telep, Co. of Va. 1st M. bonds	Nov 1	1332
			108
	Cleveland-Cillis fron Co. 1st nitge 43/g 1050	Cont 1	566
			x3332
	Des Moines Gas Co., 5% bonds, 1956	Sept. 1	736
	Detroit Edison Co., 5% bonds series E. 1952	Oct. 1	736
	Des Moines Gas Co., 5% bonds, 1956 Detroit Edison Co., 5% bonds series E, 1952 Diamond State Telephone Co. 634% pref. stock Dominion Gas Co. 5% cold trust bonds	Oct. 15	111
		Jan. 1. '39	1034
	East St. Louis & Interurban Water Co.—		13/1/2006
	First mortgage bonds, series A & B	Jan. 1. '39	268
	East St. Louis & Interurban Water Co.— First mortgage bonds, series A & B.———————————————————————————————————		
			1030
	Firestone Cotton Mills, 20-year 5s	Sept. 1	890
	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. of Calif., 15-year 5s	Sept. 1	890
	Gelsenkirchen Mining Corp . 6-year 6% notes	Sept. 1	890
	Tour States Utilities Co. 10-year 4½s, 1946	Oct. 1	1340
	Gulf States Utilities Co. 10-year 0% notes. Hamilton Cotton Co., Ltd., 1st mtge., 5½s, 1946.	Sept. 19	741
	Mazieton Water Co. 1st mtge. 5s,	Sept. 1	113
	Hazleton Water Co. 1st mtge. 5s, (Walter E.) Heller & Co. 7% cum. pref. stock and 10-year		
	4% notes Indianapolis Power & Light Co., 1st mtge. 5s, 1957.	Sept. 14	573
1	Langendorf United Paleonica Inc. 61/67 1-1-1-1	Oct. 11	1038
-	Langendorf United Bakeries, Inc., 6 % % 1st mtge. bonds	Sept. 1	272
-	Luzerne County Gas & Electric Corp., 1st mtge. 6s, '54_Mc Coll Frontenac Oil Co., Ltd., 6% 20-year bonds	sept. 1	1040
1	Mengel Co. let mige 41/2	Oct. 1	1040
1	Mengel Co. 1st mtge. 4½s. Morgan Engineering Co., 1st mtge. 8s, 1941.	Sept. 1	424
1	*New York Steam Corp.—	sept. 1	896
	1st mtge. 6s, 1947	More 1	1040
	1gt mtge 5g 1051	AT 1	1349
	1st mtge, 5s, 1956	Nov. 1	1349
1	Nord Railway Co. 614g 1050	Nov. 1	1349
	1st mtge, 5s, 1956. 1st mtge, 5s, 1956. *Ord Railway Co., 6 %s, 1956. *Ord Roilway Co., 6 %s, 1956. Ottawa Lt., Heat & Pow. Co., Ltd., 5% ref. mtge, bonds Pearl River Valley Lumber Co., cef. in bonds of the control of the cont	Sont 15	1044
-	Ottawa Lt., Heat & Pow Co. Ltd. 507 ref. mtga bonda	Oct 1	1349 751
1	Pearl River Valley Lumber Co. ref. inc. bonds, 1945	Sept. 1	x2383
3	*Provincial Paper, Ltd., 20-year 1st mtge. 5½s	Nov. 1	1349
- 1	rubile service Co. of Nor. III. 1st & ref mice bonds	Oat 1	901
8	San Antonio Public Service Co 1st mtge. 6s	Ian 1 '20	x3679
8	San Antonio Gas & Electric Co. 11st mtge 5s. 1949	Sent 1	1206
			1200
8	Scott Paper Co. 3 1/2 % deb. bonds, 1952	Sent. 1	584
8	Southern California Edison Co., Ltd., debs. series 1940	Sopo.	
	Scott Paper Co. 3 % % deb. bonds, 1952 Southern California Edison Co., Ltd., debs. series 1940 and 1945. — Collities, Inc., 1st mtge, 6 % , 1929 Southern Gas Utilities, Inc., 1st mtge, 6 % , 1929 Southern Light & Traction Co. 5 % bords, 1929	Sept. 1	755
8	Southern Gas Utilities, Inc., 1st mtge. 6 ks, 1939	Sept. 1	904
			585
			905
	LOIGUO EUISON CO ISE MEGA, honds, 1962	Oat 12	1209
(Raphael) Well & Co., 8% preferred stock	Sept. 1	×1898
١	Raphael) Weill & Co., 8% preferred stock Wheeling & Lake Erie Ry., series D ref. bonds, 1966	Sept. 1	137
	* Announcements this week x Pages in Vol. 146.		
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AUCTION SALES

The following securities were sold at auction on Wednesday of the current week:

By R. L. Day & Co., Boston:

Shares Stocks 8 per Share
6 2-8 West Boylston Mfg. Co. common 834
6-10 Sierra Pacific Power Co
Bonds-
\$1,000 Dallas Ry. & Terminal 6s. July. 1951
\$250 Robert Gair Co., Inc., 6s, April, 197253 1/2 flat
By Crockett & Co., Boston:

Shares Stocks
1 Ludlow Manufacturing Associates, ex-dividend_______
12 Draper Corp_______
10 Graton & Knight Co. common________

DIVIDENDS

Dividends are grouped in two separate tables. In the first we bring together all the dividends announced the current week. Then we follow with a second table in which we show the dividends previously announced, but which have not yet been paid. Further details and record of past dividend payments in many cases are given under the comdividend payments in many cases are given under the company name in our "General Corporation and Investment News Department" in the week when declared.

The dividends announced this week are:

Name of Company	Share		Holders of Record
Abbott Laboratories common (quar.)	40c	Sept. 30	Sept. 14
Preferred (quar.) Aero Supply Mfg. class A (quar.)	\$11/8	Oct. 15	Oct. 1
Aero Supply Mfg. class A (quar.)	37½c	Oct. 1	Sept. 16
Alexander & Baldwin, Ltd. (reduced) American Cities Power & Light class A pref	\$11/2	Sept. 15	Sept. 5
American Cities Power & Light class A pref	34 3/8c	Oct. 1	Sept. 10
Unitional div. at rate of 1-39d sh. for each sh	held .		-
American Factors Ltd. (monthly)	10c	Sept. 10	Aug. 31
American Hawalian Steam Ship Co. (quar.)	2.5C		Sept. 15
American Home Products Corn (monthly)	1 20c		Sept. 14*
American ice Co. preferred	2.5c	Sept. 24	Sept. 7
American News Co. (bi-monthly)	25c	Sept. 15	Sept. 5
American Power & Light Co., \$6 preferred	†75c	Oct. 1	Sept. 8
\$5 preferred	+62160	Oct. 1	Sept. 8
American Shiphuilding Co	†62½c 50c	Oct. 1 Nov. 1	Oct 15
\$5 preferred American Shipbuilding Co American States Insurance (Ind.) (quar.)	30c	Oct. 1	Cont 15
American Sumetre Telesco (Ind.) (quar.)	25c	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
American Sumatra Tobacco Corp. (quar.) American Toll Bridge (dividend passed)	250	Sept. 15	Sept. 1
American Trust Co. (San Francisco) (quar.)	40c	Sept. 15	Aug 21
Armour & Co. of Del. 7% pref. gtd. (quar.)	\$134	Oct. 1	Sept. 10
Armour & Co. of Ill. (no action taken on commo	D 07 DF	of. 1	Sept. 10
Arnold Constable Com	101/0	Cont OO	Comt 10
Arnold Constable Corp Associated Breweries of Canada com. (quar.)	12½c	Sept. 20	Sept. 10
7 of proformed (cases)	20c	Sept. 30 Oct. 1	Sept. 15
7% preferred (quar.) Atlantic Building Trust (Boston) (sa.)	\$134	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
Polderic Cuilding Trust (Boston) (sa.)	50c	Sept. 15	Aug. 31
bald will Co. series A pref. (duar.)	1 31 1/2	Sept. 15	Aug. 31
0 % preferred (duar.)	\$11/2	Oct. 15	Sept. 30
No action on common stock.			
Balfour Building v. t. c. (quar.)	\$11/4	Aug. 31	Aug. 20
Daton Rouge Elec. So Dref. (final)	20c	Sept. 12	Sept. 12
Beech Creek RR. Co. (quar)	50c	Oct. 1	Sent 15
Bell Telephone of Canada (quar.)	\$2	Oct. 15 Oct. 15	Sept. 23
Bell Telen, Co. of Penna 61/97 prof (gu)	\$15%	Oct. 15	Sept. 20
Black & Decker Mfg	25c	Sept. 24	Sept. 10
Black & Decker Mfg Boston & Albany RR. (quar.)	\$2	Sept. 30	Ang 31
		Oct. 1	Sent. 10
Brazilian Traction, Lt. & Pow., pref. (quar.)	\$11/2	Oct. 1 Oct. 1	Sept. 15
British-American Tobacco Co., Ltd.	10d.	Sept. 30	popu. 10

Perferred (quar.) \$1.06 \$1.96 \$1.08	Name of Company	Per Share	When Payable	Holders of Record
California Buk Co. (quar.)	Bright (T. G.) & Co., Ltd. (quar.)	7½c	Sept. 15	Aug. 31
California Buk Co. (quar.)	Budd Wheel \$7 partic, pref. (quar.)	\$134	Sept. 30	Sept.16
California Ink Co. (quar.) California Ink Co. (quar.) Candad Permanent Mortgage (Toronto) (quar.) Sept. 20 S	Calamba Sugar Estate common (extra)	40c	Oct. I	Sept. 15
Capital Wire Cloth & Mig. Co., Ltd. Carpital Wire Cloth & Mig. Co., 14. Carpital Steel & Wire Co., 6% pref. (quar.). Central Steel & Wire Co., 6% pref. (quar.). Capital Steel & Wire Co., 6% pref. (quar.). Commonwell (quar.). Preferred (quar.). Commonwell & Southern & Frederick (quar.). Consolidated Biscutt (mcressed). Consolidated Biscutt (mcressed). Consolidated Biscutt (mcressed). Consolidated Biscutt (mcressed). Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$1, 50 ct. 18. Consolidated Robert & Gregorick (quar.). \$1, 50 ct. 18. \$		50c	Sent 20	Sept. 8
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Commercial Credit Co. (quar.)	Capital Wire Cloth & Mfg. Co., Ltd.—			
Commercial Credit Co. (quar.)	Carpenter Steel Co. (interim) Central Steel & Wire Co., 6% pref. (quar.)	10c 75c	Sept. 20 Sept. 20	Sept. 10 Sept. 10
Commercial Credit Co. (quar.)	Champion Hardware (quar.) Cleveland Theatre \$4 partic, preferred	\$2 \$4	Aug. 15 Aug. 29	Aug. 5 Aug. 24
Commercial Credit Co. (quar.)	Clorox Chemical (quar.) Cluett, Peabody & Co., Inc. (interim)	75c 15c	Sept. 25 Sept. 26	Sept. 15 Sept. 15
Sall Commonwealth New Southern \$5 preferred Sall Cot. Sept. 10 Commonwealth & Southern \$5 preferred 756 Sept. 23 Sept. 23 Sept. 25 Sept. 26 S	Preferred (quar.) Commercial Credit Co. (quar.)	\$134	000	Sept. 9
Continental Telep, 7% partic, pref. (quar.)	Commercial Investment Trust Corp. (quar.)	\$1.0614	Oct. 1	Sept. 10*
Continental Telep. 7% partic. pref. (quar.)	Commonwealth & Southern \$6 preferred	†75c	Oct. 1	Sept. 9
Continental Telep. 7% partic. pref. (quar.)	Consolidated Biscuit (increased)	15c	Sept. 23	Sept. 1
Continental Telep, 7% partic, pref. (quar.)	Consumers Power \$5 pref. (quar.)	\$114	Oct. 1	Sept. 10
Class A (quar.). — Crowed Fundament Co. Co	Continental Telep. 7% partic. pref. (quar.)	\$134 \$15%	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
Class A (quar.). — Crowed Fundament Co. Co	Creameries of America, Inc. (quar.)	10c		
Eastern Gas & Fuel Assoc. 44% pref. (omitted) Eilotrard Oil Works (quar.)	Class A (quar.)	†25c	Oct. 1 Sept. 24	Sept. 10 Sept. 14
Eastern Gas & Fuel Assoc. 44% pref. (omitted) Eilotrard Oil Works (quar.)	David & Frere, Ltd., class A (quar.) Extra, payable in cash or class B stock	15c 10c	18ept. 30	Sept. 15
Eastern Gas & Fuel Assoc. 4½% pref. (omtited) Ellectric Controller & Mig. Ellectric Controller & Mig. Ellectric Controller & Mig. Emporium Capwell Corp. common (quar.) 25c East non-cum, class A (quar.) Ex-Cell-O Corn. Frie & Pittsburgh RR. (quar.) Ex-Cell-O Corn. East onn-cum, class A (quar.) Ex-Cell-O Corn. Ex-Cell-O Corn. Ex-Cell-O Corn. Fries be the Stuburgh RR. (quar.) Ex-Cell-O Corn. Fries chain & Fower & Corn. Ex-Cell-O Corn. Foreign Light & Power & W. Ist pref. (quar.) Foreign Light & Power & W. Ist pref. (quar.) Foreign Light & Power & W. Ist pref. (quar.) Ex-Cell-O Corn. Foreign Light & Power & W. Ist pref. (quar.) Foreign Light & Power & W. Ist pref. (quar.) Gament Co. 86 conv. pref. (quar.) Gament Co. 86 conv. pref. (quar.) Gas Securities Co. (monthly) General Box Co. (quar.) Glidden Co. 4½% conv. pref. (quar.) Glidden Co. 4½% conv. pref. (quar.) Globe & Rutteers Fire Insurance 5% duref. Globe & Rutteers Fire Insurance 5% duref. Golde & Stock Teleg. Co. (quar.) Golde & Stock Teleg. Co. (quar.) Gold & Stock Teleg. Co. (quar.) Hollinger Cons. Gold Mines. Ltd. Hollinger Cons. Hollinger Cons. Hollinger Cons. Holli	De Long Hook & Eye Co. (quar.) Dewey & Almy Chemical Co.—	\$11/4		
Eastern Gas & Fuel Assoc. 44% pref. (omitted) Eilotrard Oil Works (quar.)	\$7 prior preferred (quar.) \$7 preferred B (quar.)	\$1 34 \$1 34	Sept. 15	Sept. 8
Eastern Gas & Fuel Assoc. 44% pref. (omitted) Eilotrard Oil Works (quar.)	Dominion Tar & Chemical preferred (quar.) Dominion Textile Co. (quar.)	\$13% \$\$1¼	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
Eastern Gas & Fuel Assoc. 44% pref. (omitted) Eilotrard Oil Works (quar.)	Preferred (quarterly) Dover & Rockaway RR, Co. (sa.)	\$134	Oct. 1	Sept. 30
Falconbridge Nickel Mines (quar.)	Draper Corp. (quer.) Eastern Gas & Fuel Assoc. 4½% pref. (omitted)	75c	Marche et	d a dear
Falconbridge Nickel Mines (quar.)	El Dorado Oil Works (quar.) Electric Controller & Mfg	75c	Oct. 1	Sept. 20
Falconbridge Nickel Mines (quar.)	Emportum Capwell Corp. common (quar.) English Electric Co. of Canada, Ltd.—	+co1/a		2.5
Falconbridge Nickel Mines (quar.)	Erie & Pittsburgh RR. (quar.)	87 ½c	Sept. 10	Aug. 31
Section Sept. Se	Falconbridge Nickel Mines (quar.)	17½c	Sept. 29	Sept. 14
Foundation Petroleum Ltd. (Increased)	Foreign Light & Power 6% 1st pref. (quar.)	\$11/2	Oct.	Sept. 20
Gamett Co. \$6 cony pref (quar.) 68 Sperferred (monthly) 68 Sperferred (monthly) 69 preferred (monthly) 60 preferred (monthly) 60 preferred (monthly) 60 preferred (quar.) 61 preferred (quar.) 62 preferred (quar.) 63 preferred (quar.) 64 preferred (quar.) 65 preferred (quar.) 66 preferred (quar.) 67 preferred (quar.) 68 preferred (quar.) 69 preferred (quar.) 69 preferred (quar.) 60 pref	Foster & Kleiser, preferred (quar.)	01720	Oct.	Sept. 15
Semeral Reinsurance Corp. (quar.)	Gamewell Co., \$6 conv. pref. (quar.)	\$11/2	Sept. 1.	Sept. 3
Semeral Reinsurance Corp. (quar.)	Gas Securities Co. (monthly)	1/2 % 50c	Sept.	Aug. 15 Aug. 15
Gillette Safety Razor (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Gillette Safety Razor (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Gillette Safety Razor (quar.) Gillette Rutsers Fire Insurance 5% 'd reref. Gillette Rutsers Fire Insurance 5% 'd reref. Gobel Brewing Co. Gold & Stock Teleg. Co. (quar.) Gobel Brewing Co. Gold & Stock Teleg. Co. (quar.) Hollinger Cons. Gold Mines, Ltd. Hollinger Cons. Gold Mines, Ltd. Homolulu Plantation (dividend passed) Idaho-Marviend Mines Corp. Illinois Bell Telephone. Illinois Water Service 6% pref. (quar.) International Ocean Teleg. Co. (quar.) Gowner Corpered (quar.) Johns-Manville, preferred (quar.) Johns-Manville, preferred (quar.) Kansas City Power & Light Co. §6 1st preferred series B (quar.) Kansas City Tower & Light Co. §6 1st preferred series B (quar.) Kansas City Tower & Light Co. §6 1st preferred (quar.) Kansas City Structural Steel 6% preferred Kimberly-Clark common (quar.) 6% preferred, series O (quar.) 15% preferred, series D (quar.) 15% preferred series B (quar.) 15% preferred series B (quar.) 15% preferred (General Box Co. (quar.) General Reinsurance Corp. (quar.)	1c 25c	Sept. 1	Sept. 8
Group No. 1 Oil Corp	Extra Gillette Safety Razor (quar.)	25c 15c	Sept. 13	olsept. 8
Gold & Stock Teleg. Co. (quar.) \$140 Sept. 30 S	Preferred (quar.)	\$1¼ 4·)c	Nov. Oct.	1 Oct. 1 Sept. 15
Group No. 1 Oil Corp	Glidden Co. 4½% conv. pref. (quar.)	56 1/c	Oct. Sept.	Sept. 16 Aug. 22
Group No. 1 Oil Corp	Globe-Wernicke Co., 7% preferred (quar.)	\$1 34 5c	Sept. 3	Sept. 20 Sept. 10
Illinois Water Service 6% pref. (quar.)	Gold & Stock Teleg. Co. (quar.)	\$1½ \$100	Sept. 3	Sept. 30 Sept. 19
Illinois Water Service 6% pref. (quar.)	Hollinger Cons. Gold Mines, Ltd.	15c	Sept.	9 Aug. 26
Illinois Water Service 6 % pref. (quar.)	Honolulu Plantation (dividend passed)	51 72	Sent 2	
Joslyn Mfg. & Supply Freferred (quarterly) Substitute Substitu	Illinois Wester Service 6 (7 prof. (Guar.)	\$2	Sept. 3	0 Sept. 19
Joslyn Mfg. & Supply Freferred (quarterly) Substitute Substitu	Imperial Paper & Color Corp. (sa.)	75c	Oct.	1 Sept. 20
Joslyn Mfg. & Supply Freferred (quarterly) Substitute Substitu	6% preferred (quar.)	\$11/2	Oct.	11Sept. 6
Joslyn Mfg. & Supply Springered (quarterly) Sumanazoo Vegetable Parchment (quar.) Sily Sept. 15 Sept. 16 Sept. 1	International Salt Co. (quar.)	371/20 \$134	Oct.	1 Sept. 15 1 Sept. 16
Kings County Ltg. 7% preferred B (quar.). 5% preferred, series D (quar.). 5% preferred, series D (quar.). Lang (J. A.) & Sons, Ltd. (quar.). Lehigh Power Securities Corp. Lessing's, Inc. (quar.). Liggett & Myers Tobacco preferred (quar.). Liggett & Myers Tobacco preferred (quar.). Extra 7% preferred (quar.). 6% preferred (quar.). 144 % Sept. 12 Aug. 3 7% preferred (quar.). 158 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 17% c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 17% c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 184 % Sept. 12 Aug. 3 185 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 186 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 187 c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 188 c Sept	Common (omitted) Joslyn Mfg. & Supply	50c	Sept. 1	
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Kings County Ltg. 7% preferred B (quar.). 5% preferred, series D (quar.). 5% preferred, series D (quar.). Lang (J. A.) & Sons, Ltd. (quar.). Lehigh Power Securities Corp. Lessing's, Inc. (quar.). Liggett & Myers Tobacco preferred (quar.). Liggett & Myers Tobacco preferred (quar.). Extra 7% preferred (quar.). 6% preferred (quar.). 144 % Sept. 12 Aug. 3 7% preferred (quar.). 158 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 17% c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 17% c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 184 % Sept. 12 Aug. 3 185 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 186 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 187 c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 188 c Sept	Kansas City Power & Light Co.— \$6 1st preferred series B (quar.)	\$11/2		1 Sept. 14
Kings County Ltg. 7% preferred B (quar.). 5% preferred, series D (quar.). 5% preferred, series D (quar.). Lang (J. A.) & Sons, Ltd. (quar.). Lehigh Power Securities Corp. Lessing's, Inc. (quar.). Liggett & Myers Tobacco preferred (quar.). Liggett & Myers Tobacco preferred (quar.). Extra 7% preferred (quar.). 6% preferred (quar.). 144 % Sept. 12 Aug. 3 7% preferred (quar.). 158 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 17% c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 17% c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 184 % Sept. 12 Aug. 3 185 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 186 bpt. 12 Aug. 3 187 c Sept. 12 Aug. 3 188 c Sept	Kansas City Structural Steel 6% preferred Kimberly-Clark common (quar.)	- 184 25c	Oct.	1 Sept. 12
State	6% preferred (quar.) Kings County Ltg. 7% preferred B (quar.)	- \$1 ½ - \$1 ¾	Oct.	1 Sept. 12
State	6% preferred, series C (quar.) 5% preferred, series D (quar.)	- \$114	Oct.	1 Sept. 15
State	Lang (J. A.) & Sons, Ltd. (quar.)	117 12c	Oct.	1 Sept. 15
Lincoln Service Corp. (quar.) 25c Sept. 12 Aug. 25c Sept.	Lessing's, Inc. (quar.)	5c	Sept. 1	0 Sept. 3
Registry	Lincoln Service Corp. (quar.)	- 25c	Sept. 1	2 Aug. 31
Liquid Carbonic Co. Liquid Carbonic Co. Liquid Carbonic Co. Lindsay Light & Chemical Co. pref. (quar.) Little Long Lac Gold Mines, Ltd. Long Island Ltg. 7% preferred A (quar.) 6% preferred, series B (quar.). Marsn (M) & Sons. Inc. (quar.) Marsn (M) & Sons. Inc. (quar.) Mathleson Alkali Works (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Memphis Natural Gas, preferred (quar.) Mercantile Trust & Savings Bank (Chic.) quar. Mercantile Trust & Savings Bank (Chic.) quar. Mercantile Trust & Savings Bank (Chic.) Mergenthaler Linotype Co. Mergenthaler Linotype Co. Mergenthaler Linotype Co. Sons Sept. 26 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 2 Sept. 15 Aug. 1 Sept. 2 Sept. 3 Sept. 2 Sept. 3 Sept. 2 Sept. 3 Sept.	7% preferred (quar.)	871/20	Sept. 1	2 Aug. 31
Little Long Lac Gold Mines, Ltd.	Liquid Carbonic CoLiquid Carbonic Co	134 %	Sept. 2	6 Sept. 19 0 Sept. 3
6% preferred, series B (quar.)	Little Long Lac Gold Mines, Ltd	110c	Sept. 1	Aug. 31 1 Sept. 15
Marsn (M.) & Sons, Inc. (quar.) 4(c) Oct. 1 Sept. 30 Sept. Mathleson Alkali Works (quar.) 37½c Sept. 30 Sept. 30 Sept.	6% preferred, series B (quar.) Magnin (I.) & Co. (quar.)	25c	Oct. Sept. 1	1 Sept. 15 5 Aug. 31
Preferred (quar.)	Marsn (M.) & Sons, Inc. (quar.) Mathieson Alkali Works (quar.)	37 1/20	Oct. Sept. 3	1 Sept. 17 0 Sept. 7
Mercantile Trust & Savings Bank (Chic.) quar. Soc. Aug. 15	Preferred (quar.) Memphis Natural Gas, preferred (quar.)	- \$134 \$134	Sept. 3	1 Sept. 20
Mergenthaler Linotype Co	Mercantile Trust & Savings Bank (Chic.) qual Merchants Fire Ins. (Denver) (quar.)	300	Sept. 3	5 Aug. 9
8% preferred (quar.) Mesta Machine Co. Metropolitan Edison Co. \$7 prior pref. (quar.). \$6 prior preferred (quar.). \$7 cum. preferred (quar.). \$8 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$3 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 cum. preferred (quar.). \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 doct. 1 Aug. \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 doct. 1 Aug. \$3 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$2 doct. 1 Aug. \$4 doct. 1 Aug. \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$5 cum. preferred (quar.). \$1 doct. 1 Aug. \$1 doc	Mergenthaler Linotype Co	250	Sept. 2	1 Aug. 24
Metropolitan Edison Co. \$\frac{1}{2} \) prior pref. (quar.) \$1\frac{1}{2} \] Oct. Aug. \$2\frac{1}{2} \] Sprior preferred (quar.) \$1\frac{1}{2} \] Oct. Aug. \$1\frac{1}{2} \] Oct. \$1\fr	8% preferred (quar.)	500	Oct.	1 Aug. 24 1 Sept. 16
\$5 prior preferred (quar.)	Metropolitan Edison Co. \$7 prior pref. (quar.) \$6 prior preferred (quar.)	- \$1%	Oct.	1 Aug. 31
Special Content of C	\$5 prior preferred (quar.) \$7 cum. preferred (quar.)	- \$134	Oct.	1 Aug. 31
Midvale Co. Mid-West Rubber Reclaiming Co.— \$1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Midwake Gas Lt. 7% preferred A (quar.) Milwaukee Gas Lt. 7% preferred A (quar.) Minneapolis Gas Light Co. (Del.)—	\$5 cum. preferred (quar.)	\$114	Oct.	1 Aug. 31
\$4 preferred (quar.) Milwaukee Gas Lt. 7% preferred A (quar.) Mineapolis Gas Light Co. (Del.) \$1 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$1 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$1 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$2 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$3 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$4 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$5 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$6 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 Sept	Meyer (H. H.) Packing Co. 6½% prei. (quar Midvale Co.	- \$1%	Oct.	1 Sept. 17
Minneapolis Gas Light Co. (Del.)—	Milwaukoe Gas I t. 7% preferred A (quar)	- S13/	Sept.	1 Aug. 20 1 Aug. 25
6% preferred (quar.) 1 %1 % (Sept. 11Aug.)	Minneapolis Gas Light Co. (Del.)—	\$114	Sept.	
5% preferred (quar.) \$1% Sept. 1 Aug. 2 \$1% Sept. 2 \$1% S	5½% preferred (quar.)	- \$13/ \$11/	Sept.	1 Aug. 25 1 Aug. 25 1 Aug. 25 1 Aug. 25

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Monarch Life Insurance (Mass.) sa	\$1¼ ‡1c 50c 50c \$1¾ 50c 6c 20c \$1¾	Sept. 15 Sept. 3 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Oct. 15 Oct. 15 Sept. 21 Sept. 21	Aug. 20 Sept. 1
5% preferred & (quar.) National Bond & Share (stock dividend)— One add 1sh. com. for each share held National Breweries, Ltd. (quar.) Preferred (quar.) National Cash Register National Funding Corp. 6% A preferred (quar.) National Oil Products (interim) New Jersey Pow. & Lt. Co. \$6 preferred (quar.) **Sö preferred (quar.) Newport Trust Co. (R. I.) sa. Niagara Share Corp. 6% pref. A (quar.) Northwestern Utilities, Ltd.— 6% prior preferred (quarterly) Oakland Title Insur. & Guar. Co. (Calif.) (qu.) Ohio Confection Co., class A.	50c 44c 25c 37½c 20c \$1½ \$1¼ \$4 \$1½ 50c	Sept. 21	Sept. 15 Sept. 30 Aug. 31 Sept. 20 Aug. 31 Aug. 31
6% prior preferred (quarterly) Oakland Title Insur. & Guar. Co. (Calif.) (qu.) Ohio Confection Co., class A. Ohio Edison Co. \$5 preferred (quar.) \$6 preferred (quar.) \$7 preferred (quar.) \$7 preferred (quar.) Ohio Finance Co. (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Ohio Water Service Co. A Oklahoma Gas & Electric Co.— 7% preferred (quarterly) 6% preferred (quarterly) Outboard Marine & Mfg. Pacific Indemnity (quar.) Extra.	\$1 \\\ \frac{1}{2} \\	Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1	Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15
Oklahoma Gas & Electric Co.— 7% preferred (quarterly). 6% preferred (quarterly). Pacific Finance Corp. Pacific Indemnity (quar.) Extra. Paraffine Companies, Inc. 4% convertible preferred. Park & Tilford, Inc., common (omitted).	\$134 \$112 75c 30c 40c 10c 50c \$1	Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 27 Oct. 1	, , , , ,
Paraffine Companies, Inc. 4% convertible preferred. Park & Tilford, Inc., common (omitted). Preferred (quarterly) Penn-Federal Corp., common (resumed). Pennsylvania Glass Sand, oref. (quar.). Pennsylvania Power Co. \$6 preferred (quar.). \$6.60 preferred (monthly). \$6.60 preferred (monthly). Pennsylvania Telephone, 6% pref. (quar.). Peoples Thrift & Imvestment Co., Ltd.— 7% preferred (accumulated).	75c 12c \$1¾ \$1½ \$55c 55c 55c \$1½	Dec. Oct. Nov. Dec. Oct.	Sept. 15 Nov. 21 Sept. 20 Oct. 20 Nov. 21 Sept. 15
7% preferred (accumulated) Philadelphia Co., \$5 preferred (quar.) \$6 preferred Prarie Royalties, Ltd. Publication Corp., voting common Non-voting common 7% preferred (quar.) Original preferred (quarterly) Public Service Co. of Oklahoma—	\$1 \(\)2 \(\)31 \(\)2 \(\)3 \(\)2 \(\)5 \(\)2 \(\)5 \(\)0 \(\)5 \(\)2 \(\)5 \(\)2 \(\)5 \(\)2 \(\)5 \(\)2 \(\)5 \(\)2 \(\)5 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)3 \(\)5 \(\)6 \(\)5 \(\)7 \(\)5 \(\)7 \(\)5 \(\)7 \(\)	Oct. Oct. Sept. 2 Sept. 2 Sept. 1 Oct.	5 July 30 1 Sept. 1 1 Sept. 1 3 Aug. 20 8 Sept. 14 8 Sept. 28 5 Sept. 6 1 Sept. 20
7% preferred (accumulated) Philadelphia Co., \$5 preferred (quar.) \$6 preferred. Prarie Royalties, Ltd. Prablication Corp., voting common. Non-voting common. 7% preferred (quar.) Original preferred (quarterly) Public Service Co. of Oklahoma— 7% prior lien (quarterly) 6% prior lien (quarterly) 90 preferred (quarterly) Quaker Oats Co., common (quar.) Preferred (quarterly) Reliance Steel Corp. \$1½ conv. pref. (quar.) Remington Rand, Inc. common (interim) \$4.50 preferred (quarterly) Robertson (H. H.) Co. (reduced) St. Louis Screw & Bolt, 7% preferred. San Gabriel River Improvement (monthly) San Jose Water Works Savannah Gas Co. 7% preferred (quar.) Selby Shoe (quarterly) Sherwood Swan & Co., Ltd.— 6% participating preferred A (quar.) Siscoe Gold Mines, Ltd. (quar.) Smith (H.) Paper Mills, preferred (quar.) Southwestern Light & Power \$6 pref. (quar.)	\$1 \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\	Sept. 1 Sept. Sept. Aug. 2 Sept.	1 Sept. 20 1 Sept. 20 4 Sept. 1 6 Nov. 1 1 Aug. 25 1 Sept. 9 1 Sept. 9 1 Aug. 25 1 Aug. 22 1 Aug. 24 1 Aug. 24 1 Aug. 25 6 Aug. 25
Sterchi Bros. Stores 1st preferred (quar.)	603/0	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. Oct. Sept. 3 Oct.	5 Sept. 5 5 Aug. 31 5 Sept. 30 1 Sept. 15 1 ept. 20 0 Sept. 20 1 Sept. 5
Class B (quar.) Class B (quar.) Class B (extra). Sutherland Paper (quar.) Texas Corp. (quar.) Texon Oil & Land (quar.) Thatcher Manufacturing Co. Troy Sunshade Co. Union Carbide & Carbon Corp. Union Investment Co., preferred (quar.)	250 500 400 500 150 250 250 400 - 950	Aug. 2 Sept. 3 Oct. Sept. 3 Oct. Aug. 2 Oct. Oct. Oct. Oct.	5 Sept. 4 5 Sept. 4 6 Aug. 16 5 Sept. 3 1 Sept. 9 1 Sept. 15 3 Aug. 20 1 Sept. 2 1 Sept. 2 1 Sept. 2 1 Sept. 3 28 Sept. 3
7% preferred (quar.). Veeder-Root Inc. (quar.). Extra. Victor-Monaghan Co. 7% pref. (quar.). Waldorf System, Inc. Walker (H.)-Gooderham & Worts, Ltd.	- \$134 - 250 250 - \$134 - 100 - \$81 - 250	Sept. 2 Sept. 1 Oct. Oct. Sept. 1 Sept. 1	28 Sept. 20 58 Sept. 1 15 Sept. 1 1 Sept. 20 1 Sept. 20 15 Aug. 26 15 Aug. 26 27 Aug. 19 20 Sept. 15 1 Sept. 15 1 Aug. 20
Washington Water Power pref. (quar.) Welch Grape Juice Western Exploration Co. (quar.) Weston (Geo.), Ltd. (quar.) Willson Products Inc. Winter & Hirsch 7% pref. (quar.) Wisconsin Power & Light 7% pref. 6% preferred Yellow Truck & Coach Mfg. 7% pref Below we give the dividends annou	\$1.31 \$1.31 \$1.31 \$1.34 nced ir	Sept.	15 Aug. 31 3 Sept. 15

Below we give the dividends announced in previous weeks and not yet paid. The list *does not* include dividends announced this week, these being given in the preceding table.

Name of Company	Per Share	When Payable	Holders of Record
Abbott's Dairies, Inc. (quar.) Acme Steel Co. (quarterly) Addressograph-Multigraph (quar.) Agnew-Surpass Shoe Stores (sa.) Extra Preferred (quar.) Agricultural Insurance Co. (Watertown, N. Y.) Alabama & Vicksburg Ry. Co. (semi-ann.) Alabama Water Service, &6 pref. (quar.)	25c 25c 35c 30c 20c \$1.84	Sept. 1 Sept. 12 Sept. 22 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 22 Sept. 2
Allied Laboratories, Inc. (quar.) Allied Products Corp., class A com. (quar.) Allied Stores Corp., 5% pref. (quar.) Allegheny Steel Co., preferred (quar.) Alpha Portland Cement Aluminium Ltd., pref. (quar.) Aluminum Mfrs., Inc. (quar.) Quarterly 7% preferred (quarterly) 7% preferred (quarterly)	43 %c \$1 ¼ \$1 ¾ 25c \$1 ½ 50c 50c \$1 ¾ \$1 ¾	Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 24 Sept. 1 Sept. 30 Dec. 31	Sept. 14 Sept. 16 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 15 Dec. 15 Sept. 15

Name of Company	Per Share	When Payable	Holders of Record
American Arch Co	- 25c		Aug. 19 Aug. 18 Aug. 15
American Box Board Co., 7% preferred (quar.) American Business Shares. American Can Co., pref. (quar.). American Cabital Corp., prior pref. (quar.). American Chiain & Cabie. 5% conv. preferred (quar.). American Chicle Co. (quar.). American Cigarette & Cigar (stock dividend). Payable 1-40th sh. of Amer. Tobacco Co. com. for each sh. of Am. Cigarette & Cigar hele Preferred (quar.).	- \$134	Sept. 1 Oct. 1	ISent. 16
American Capital Corp., prior pret. (quar.) 5% conv. preferred (quar.)	\$1 34 \$1 36 15c \$1 14 \$1	Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Aug. 15 Sept. 6 Sept. 6 Sept. 1
American Chicle Co. (quar.) American Cigarette & Cigar (stock dividend) Payable 1-40th shoof Amer Tobacca Co	\$1	Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Sept. 1 Sept. 2
com. for each sh. of Am.Cigarette & Cigar hele Preferred (quar.)	i \$1½	Sept. 30	Sept. 15
Preferred (quar.) American Dock Co. 8% preferred (quar.) American General Corp. \$2 preferred (quar.) \$2½ preferred (quar.)	\$1½ \$2 50c	Aug. 30 Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Aug. 17
\$3 preferred (quar.) American Elec. Secur. Corp. partic. pref	62½c 75c 5c	Isent. 1	Aug. 17 Aug. 17 Aug. 20*
American Envelope Co., 7% pref. A (qu.) 7% preferred A (quarterly) American Forging & Socket Co	\$134 \$134	Sept. 1	Aug. 25
\$2 ½ preferred (quar.). \$3 preferred (quar.). American Elec. Secur. Corp. partic. pref. American Envelope Co., 7% pref. A (qu.). 7% preferred A (quarterly). American Forging & Socket Co. American Home Products Corp. (monthly). American Indemnity (increased). American Insurance (Newark) (sa.). Extra.	12½c 20c 97½c 25c	Sept. 1 Oct. 1	Nov. 25 Aug. 15 Aug. 15* Sept. 15
Extra American Investment Co (III.) (quar.)	25c 5c 40c	Oct. 1	Sept. 6 Sept. 6 Aug. 20
Extra. American Investment Co (III.) (quar.) American Laundry Machinery (quar.) American Metal Co., Ltd. 6% Preferred (quar.) American Radiator & Standard Sanitary—No ac Preferred (quar.)	20c 25c	Sept. 1	Aug. 19 Aug. 19
American Radiator & Standard Sanitary—No ac Preferred (quar.)	\$1½ tion \$1¾		
American Kadator & Standard Sanitary—No ac Preferred (quar.) American Safety Razor (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	40c 50c	Sept. 1 Sept. 30 Aug. 31 Oct. 3	Aug. 5
American Telephone & Telegraph (quar.) American Tobacco Co. com. & com. B (quar.)	50c \$134 \$214 \$114 ‡15c	Oct. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Sept. 15 Aug. 10
American Tobacco Co. com. & com. B (quar.). Anglo-Canadian Telephone, class A. Archer-Daniels-Midland. Armstrong Cork Co. 4% preferred (initial)	250	Sept. 15	Aug. 20
Asbestos Corp., Ltd. (quar.)	5000	Sept. 1 Sept. 30 Sept. 30 Sept. 30	Aug. 15 Sept. 15
Extra Associated Dry Goods 7% preferred 6% preferred (quar.)	†\$1 %4 \$1 ½ 50c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 30	
Associated Dry Goods 7% preferred. 6% preferred (quar.) Associates Investment (quar.) 5% preferred w. w. (quar.) 5% preferred ex-w. Atlantic Refining Co. Atlas Corp., 6% pref. (quar.) Atlas Powder Co. Avery (B. F.) & Sons.	\$114	Sept. 20	Sept. 15
Atlas Corp., 6% pref. (quar.)	\$114 25c 75c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Aug. 22 Aug. 20
Avery (B. F.) & Sons. Baldwin Locomotive Works preferred (sa.) Bangor & Aroostook RR. Co 5% cony, preferred	50c 40c \$1.05	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Aug. 20
	63c \$114 \$134	Oct. 1	Aug. 31 Aug. 31
6% preferred (quar.) Barlow & Seelig Mfg. class A (quar.) Bayuk Cigars, Inc	\$134 \$112 300	Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Oct. 15	Sept. 10 Sept. 10 Aug. 18
lst preferred (quar.) Beech-Nut Packing Co. (quar.)	18% c \$1% \$1	Sept. 15 Oct. 15 Oct. 1	
Extra Belding Heminway Co Bellows & Co. class A (quar)	25c 12½c	Oct. 18	Sept. 10 Aug. 3
Class A (quar.) Berghoff Brewing (quar.)	25c 25c	Oct. 18 Aug. 31 Sept 16 Dec. 16 Sept. 15 Oct. 18	Dec. 1 Sept. 2
5% preferred (quar.) B-G Foods, Inc., 7% preferred	\$1 % 25c +\$3 %	Oct. 1 S Oct. 1 S Oct. 1 S Sept. 1	
Bird & Son, Inc., 5% pref. (quar.) Birmingham Water Works, 6% pref. (quar.) Blue Ridge Corp., \$3 pref. (quar.)	\$1 1/2 \$1 1/2	Sept. 15	ept. I
Opt. div. of 1-32 sh. of com. or cash. Borden Co., common (interim)	30c	Sept. 1 2 Sept. 15	
Bristol-Myers Co. (quar.) Brooklyn Edison Co. (quar.)	60c \$2	Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 31 A	lug. 15
Brown Fence & Wire class A (sa.) Brown Oil Corp., 6% cum. pref. (sa.)	\$1 1/4 \$1 \$3	Sept. 1 A	lug. 22 lug. 15
Bangor Hydro-Electric Co. 7% pref. (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.) Barlow & Seelig M.fg. class A (quar.) Bayuk Cigars, Inc. 1st preferred (quar.) Beech-Nut Packing Co. (quar.) Eextra Belding Heminway Co Bellows & Co. class A (quar.) Class A (quar.) Berghoff Brewing (quar.) Bird & Son. Inc., 7% preferred Bird & Son. Inc., 5% pref. (quar.) Birmingham Water Works, 6% pref. (quar.) Birmingham Water Works, 6% pref. (quar.) Birmingham Water Works, 6% pref. (quar.) Birdingham Water Works, 6% pref. (quar.) Brigss & Stratton Corp. (quar.) Brigss & Stratton Corp. (quar.) Brooklyn Teleg. & Messenger Co. (quar.) Brown Oil Corp., 6% cum. pref. (sa.) Brown Pence & Wire class A (sa.) Brown Oil Corp., 6% cum. pref. (sa.) Brown Shoe Co., Inc. Buckeye Pipe Line Co. Buffalo Niagara & Eastern Power, pref. (quar.) First preferred (quar.) Burnoughs Adding Machine. Buller Bros., 5% pref. (quar.) Burlowsh Adding Machine. Butler Water Co., 7% pref. (quar.) Calamba Sugar Estates (quar.) Canadian Fairbanks Morse (resumed) Canadian Int'l Investors Trust, 5% preferred. Canadian Int'l Investors Trust, 5% preferred. Canadian Int Il Investors Trust, 5% preferred. Canadian Mire & Cable, preferred (quar.) Canadian Mire & Cable, preferred (quar.) Canadian More (Cable, preferred (quar.)	25c 25c	Aug. 31 Aug. 3	ug. 20 ug. 26
First preferred (quar.) Bullock's, Inc.	\$114 50c	Nov. 1 C Sept. 1	oct. 15 Lug. 11
Bunte Bros., 5% pref. (quar.) 5% pref. (quar.)	\$114 \$114	Sept. 1 A	ug. 26
Burma Corp., Ltd., Amer. dep. rec. (final) Burroughs Adding Machine Butler Bros. 5% conv. pref (quar.)	4 annas	Oct. 5 A Sept. 6 J Sept. 1 A Sept. 15 S	ug. 12 uly 30
Butler Water Co., 7% pref. (quar.) Calamba Sugar Estates (quar.)	\$134 40c	Sept. 15 S Oct. 1 S Sept. 1 A	ept. 1 ept. 15
Cambria Iron Co. (semi-annual) Canada Cement Co., 6½% preferred	\$1 \$1 \$1	Sept. 1 A Oct. 1 S Sept. 20 A	ept. 15
Canadian Fairbanks Morse (resumed) Canadian Industries, Ltd. A & R	112½c	Sept. 1 A	ug. 15
Preferred (quar.) Canadian Int'l Investors Trust, 5% preferred	#\$1 % ##\$1 %	Oct. 1 S Sept. 20 A Sept. 30 A Oct. 31 S Oct. 15 S Sept. 1 A	ept. 30 ept. 30 ug. 15
Canadian Western Natural Gas, Lt., Ht. & Pow- 6% preferred (quar.)	‡\$1½	Oct. 1 S Sept. 1 A	Op0. 20
6% preferred (quar.). Canadian Wire & Cable, preferred (quar.). Canfield Oil Co. 7% preferred (quar.). Carman & Co., class A. Case (J. I.) Co., preferred (quar.). Central Arkansas Public Service 7% pref. Central Cold Storage Co. (quar.). Central Illinois Public Service \$6 pref. 6 % preferred. Central Ohio Steel Products.	181 1	Sont 11A	ug. 31 ept. 20
Case (J. I.) Co., preferred (quar.) Central Arkansas Public Service 7% pref Central Cold Storage Co. (quar.)	31 %	Sept. 1 A	ug. 15
Oentral Illinois Public Service \$6 pref 6% preferred	25c †\$1 †\$1 25c	Sept. 15 S Sept. 15 A Sept. 15 A	ug. 20 ug. 20
Centuri fural Pipe Corp (quar.) Century Ribbon Mills, preferred (quar.)	25c 10c \$1 3/	Sept. 15 A Sept. 15 A Sept. 15 A Nov. 15 N Sept. 1 A Oct. 1 S	ug. 10
Champion Paper & Fiber Co. 6% pref. (quar.)—Chartered Investors, pref. (quar.)—Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co.	Q1 /4	Bobo. Ily	ug. I
6% preferred. Central Ohio Steel Products. Centrifugal Pipe Corp. (quar.) Century Ribbon Mills, preferred (quar.) Champion Paper & Fiber Co. 6% pref. (quar.) Chartered Investors, pref. (quar.) Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co Preferred A (quar.) Chesebrough Mig Co. (quar.) Extra.		Oat 110	ept. 8 ept. 8 ept. 2
Extra. Chestnut Hill RR. (quar.) Chicago Corp., preference Chicago District Electric Generating Corp.— \$6 preferred (quar.) Chicago Flexible Shaft (quar.) Chicago Rivet & Machine Chicago Yellow Cab Co. (quar.) Christiana Securities Co Chrysler Corp. Churngold Corp. Churngold Corp.	50c 75c 50c	Sept. 26 S Sept. 26 S Sept. 6 A Sept. 1 A	ug. 20 ug. 15
sto preferred (quar.) Chicago Flexible Shaft (quar.) Chicago Rivet & Machine	\$1 ½ \$1 10c	Sept. 1 A Sept. 30 S Sept. 15 A Sept. 1 A Sept. 15 A Sept. 14 A Sept. 30 Sept. 30 Se	ug. 15 ept. 20
Chicago Yellow Cab Co. (quar.) Christiana Securities Co.	\$13 ½ 25c \$13 ½ 25c	Sept. 15 A Sept. 15 A Sept. 15 A	ug. 29 ug. 19 ug. 22
Cincinnati Now Orleans & The	25c 25c	Sept. 14 A Sept. 30 Se	ug. 16 pt. 15
Cincinnati Union Terminal For	011/	Sept. 1 A	ug. 15
Cltizens Finance (Lowell) (quar.) City Ice & Fuel 6 1/2 % pref. (quar.)	\$114 \$114 \$1 \$1 \$15/8 \$11/2 25c	Jan. 1 D Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A	ug. 20 ug. 22
Clark (D. L.) Co. (irregular) Cleveland & Pittsb. RR. Co., reg. guar. (quar.)	01 220 1	Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A	ug. 20 ug. 20 ug. 10
5% preferred (quar.). Cltizens Finance (Lowell) (quar.). Cltizens Finance (Lowell) (quar.). Cltiz (ak Fuel 6½% pref. (quar.). Clty (ce & Fuel 6½% pref. (quar.). Clark (D. L.) Co. (irregular). Cleveland & Pttsb. RR. Co., reg. guar. (quar.). Special guaranteed (quarterly). Regular guaranteed (quarterly). Special (guaranteed) (quarterly).	50c 87⅓c	Sept. 1 A Dec. 1 N	ug. 10 ov. 10 ov. 10
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Name of Company	Per Share		Holders e of Record
Clark Equipment Co., preferred (quar.). Coast Counties Gas & Electric, 6% pref. (quar.)	\$134 \$114 756 \$5.80	Sept. 15	Aug. 31 Aug. 15
Coca-Cola Co	\$5.80	Oct. 1	Sept. 12 Sept. 12
Coca-Cola International Corp. Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co., 6% pref. Collins & Aikman Corp. (quar.) 5% conv. preferred (quar.)	\$1½ 250	Sept. 1	Sept. 6 Aug. 19
Columbia Broadcasting A & B. Columbia Pictures Corp. v.t.c (payable in stock)	\$114 250 21/2 %	Sept. 9 Sept. 16	Aug. 19 Aug. 26 Sept. 2
Columbia Broadcasting A & B Columbia Pictures Corp. v.t.c (payable in stock) Columbian Carbon Co. (quar.) Columbus & Xenia RR	\$1.10	Sept. 10	Aug. 19 Aug. 25
Commonwealth Utilities \$7 preferred A (quar.). \$6 preferred B (quar.). \$6½ preferred C (quar.).	\$134 \$112 \$15%	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
\$6½ preferred C (quar.) Compania Swift Internacional (quar.) Confederation Life Assoc. (Toronto) (quar.)	\$1 % 50c	Dec. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 30	Nov. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 25
Quarterly	1 181	Dec. 31	Dec. 25
Connecticut Light & Power common	75c \$1%	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Sept. 15 Aug. 15
5½% preferred (quar.). Connecticut Power Co. (quar.). Consolidated Cigar Corp. preferred (quar.). Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. Inc. Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. Inc.	\$1 % 62 ½ c \$1 % 50 c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 15 Aug. 12 Sept. 15
Consolidated Gas of Balt. (quar.) Preferred A (quar.)	90c \$11/4	IClet 1	Sept. 15
Preferred A (quar.) Consolidated Oil Corp., \$5 pref. (quar.) Continental Can Co., Inc., \$4½ pref. (quar.) Continental Oil Co. Continental Steel pref. (quar.)	\$1¼ \$1¼ \$1½ 25c	Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 30	Aug. 15
Continental Oil Co- Continental Steel pref (quar.) Cook Paint & Varnish (quar.)	\$134 15c	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
Preferred (quar.) Copperweld Steel Co	\$1 30c	ISept. 1	Aug. 19 Aug. 19
Cosmos Imperial Mills Ltd 507 prof (quar)	1 4211/	Oat 15	Sept. 30
Crane Co., 5% cum. conv. preferred (quar.)— Creameries of America, Inc., preferred (quar.)— Crown Cork & Seal Co., Ltd., \$24% pref. (qu.) Crown Zellerbach Corp. \$5 pref. (quar.)— (Arterior)	87 ½c 56 ¼c	Sept. 1 Sept. 15	Aug. 10
Crown Zellerbach Corp. \$5 pref. (quar.) (interim)	\$1 ½ 87 ½c 56 ¼c \$1 ¼ 12 ½c 30c	Sept. 1 Oct. 1	Aug. 31 Aug. 13 Sept. 13 Aug. 19 Sept. 20
(Interim) Crum & Forster Insurance Shares A & B Crum & Forster pref. (quar.)	30c \$2	Aug. 31 Sept. 30	Aug. 19 Sept. 20
Curtis Publishing Co. \$7 preferred	\$1 1 1 1 2 5 c	Sept. 30 Sept. 15 Oct. 1	Aug. 31
Crum & Forster pref. (quar.) Curtes Press, Inc. pref. (quar.) Curtis Publishing Co. \$7 preferred Cushman's Sons 7% preferred Dayton Power & Light Co., 4½% pref. Deere & Co., preferred (quar.) Delaware Fund. Inc. (initial)	87½c \$1½ 35c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 20
Delaware Fund, Inc. (initial) Dentist's Supply Co. of N. Y. (quar.) Quarterly 7% preferred (quar.)	15c 75c	Sent 15	Sept. 1
Quarterly 7% preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.)	75c 75c 8114	IUCU. II	OCU.
7% preferred (quar.) Denver Union Stockyards pref. (quar.)	\$1% \$1% \$1%	Sept. 1	Dec. 23 Aug. 20
Denver Union Stockyards pref. (quar.) Detroit Gasket & Mfg. preferred (quar.) Detroit Gray Iron Foundry (semi-annual) Devonian Oil Co.	30c	Sept. 1 Jan. 5	Aug. 15 Dec. 20
Diamond Match Company (quar.)	25c 25c	Sept. 15	Aug. 31
Quarterly Partic, preferred Partic, preferred Partic, preferred	25c 75c 75c	Sept. 1	Nov. 10 Aug. 10
Dictaphone Corp Preferred (quar.) Dixie-Vortex Co., class A (quar.) Dr. Pepper Co. (quar.)	25c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	2 10-39 Aug. 12 Aug. 12
Dixie-Vortex Co., class A (quar.) Dr. Pepper Co. (quar.)	62½c 25c	Oct. 1	Sept. 10 Aug. 18
Dominguez Oil Fields (monthly)	25c	Aug. 31	Nov. 18 Aug. 22
Dominion-Scottish Investors 5% preferred	‡\$1½ †‡50c	Sept. 1	Aug. 20
Preferred (quar.) Debenture stock (quar.)	75c \$11/8	Sept. 14 Oct. 25 Oct. 25	Oct. 10
Preferred (quar.) Debenture stock (quar.) Duquesne Light Co. (quar.) Early & Daniel Co., pref. (quar.) Preferred (quar.)	\$114	Oct. 15 Sept. 30	Sept. 15 Sept. 20
Preferred (quar.)	\$11/4 \$11/4 \$11/4 \$11/4 \$11/4 \$11/4 \$11/4	Dec. 31 3-31-39 6-30-39	
Eastern Shore Public Service, \$6 pref. (quar.)	\$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 5/8 36c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Oct. 15	6-20-39 Aug. 10
Eastern Township Telephone Eastman Kodak Co, common (quar.)	36c	Oct. 15 Oct. 1	Sent. 3
Preferred (quar.)	\$1½ \$1½		Sept. 3 Sept. 3
7% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.)	\$1 1/2 25c 25c	Sept. 1 Sept. 10 Sept. 24 Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Aug. 20
Edison Bros. Stores, Inc. (quar.)	25c	Sept. 10	Aug. 31
Preferred (quar.) 2satern Shore Public Service, \$6 pref. (quar.) \$6!4 preferred (quar.) 2satern Township Telephone. 2satern Town	62½c \$1½	Sept. 1	Aug. 5
Preferred (quar.)	25c \$1 34 40c	Sept. 1	Aug. 22 Aug. 22
Preferred (quar.) Elgin National Watch Co Elizabeth & Trenton RR. Co. (semi-ann.)	25c	Sept. 15	Aug. 15 Aug. 31
Elizabeth & Trenton RR. Co. (semi-ann.) 5% preferred (semi-ann.) El Paso Natural Gas Co., 7% preferred (quar.) Ely & Walker Dry Goods (quar.) Empire Casualty (Dallas) (quar.) Empire Power Corp., \$6 cum. preferred (quar.) Participating stock Emporium Capwell Corp. 44% pref A (quar.) 44% preferred A (quar.) Guity Corp \$3 preferred (quar.) Squire-Coronet. Inc. (quar.) Saprice Coronet. Inc. (quar.) Saprice Coronet. Guity Corp. Aber. Coe & Gregg. Inc. (quar.) Sairbanks, Morse & Co., 6% conv. pref. Sairdo Sugar Co. (Porto Rico)	\$1 \$1¼ \$1¾ 25c	Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Sept. 20 Sept. 20
Cly & Walker Dry Goods (quar.)		Sept. 1	Aug. 20
Empire Power Corp., \$6 cum. preferred (quar.) Participating stock	\$11/2		
4 % pref A (quar.)	25c 56 14 c	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
43% preferred A (quar.) Equity Corp \$3 preferred (quar.)	56 14 c 56 14 c 75 c 30 c	Sept. 10: 0 Cot. 1: 0 Sept. 10: 3-3-39: 1 Sept. 11 Sept. 12 Sept. 12 Sept. 14 Oct. 1: Sept. 14 Oct. 1: Sept. 15	Dec. 24 Aug. 15
Faber, Coe & Gregg, Inc. (quar.)	50c	Sept. 30	Aug. 15
'ajardo Sugar Co. (Porto Rico)	\$1½ 50c 50c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
agardo Sugar Co. (Porto Rico) Extra alstaff Brewing Corp, preferred (s,-a,) arm rs & Traders Life Insurance (Syracuse) ederal Compress & Warehouse (quar.). ederal Insurance Co. (J. C., N. J.) (quar.). ederal Mining & Smelting, pref. (quar.) eltman & Curme Shoe Shop, preferred (quar.) ifth Avenue Coach linance Co. of Amer. (Palt.) class A & E. (quar.)	3c \$21/4	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
ederal Compress & Warehouse (quar.) federal Insurance Co. (J. C., N. J.) (quar.)	\$2½ 40c 35c	Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Sept. 20
ederal Light & Traction \$6 pref. (quar.)	\$1 ½ \$1 ¾	Sept. 15	Aug. 15 Aug. 25
ifth Avenue Coach	35c \$1½ \$1¾ 87½c 50c	Sept. 30	Sept. 15
Class A preferred (quar.) irestone Tire & Rubber 6% pref. A (quar.)	15c 834c \$116	Sept. 15 A Sept. 30 S Sept. 30 S Sept. 30 S Sept. 1 A Oct. 1 S Sept. 15 A	Sept. 20
irst National Stores, Inc. (quar.)	8 % c \$1 ½ 62 ½ c 2 ½ %	Oct. 1 Sept. 15	Sept. 10 Aug. 15
'eitman & Curme Shoe Shop, preferred (quar.) 'ifth Avenue Coach			- 1
isiman (M. H.) Co. (quar.) lorida Power Corp. 7% preferred A (quar.)	15c \$134	Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A Sept. 1 A Nov. 1 C	Aug. 15
ord Motor Co., Ltd. (Canada) A & B (quar.)	\$1¾ 87½c ‡25c \$2¾ 62½c	Sept. 1	Aug. 27
ranklin Rayon Corn. \$2 % prior pref (quar.)	62 1/3 c	Nov. 1	Oct. 25
reeport Sulphur common (quar)	\$134 \$1½	Oct 1 Sept. 15	Sept. 22 Sept. 5
reeport Sulphur common (quar.) uller (Geo. A.) 7% pref. (quar.) amewell Co., preferred (quar.)	000	Sept. 15	Aug. 20 Sept. 1
reeport Sulphur common (quar.) uller (Geo. A.) 7% pref. (quar.) amewell Co., preferred (quar.) amewell co., preferred (quar.) Freferred (quar.)	\$114	Oct. He	oper A
reeport Sulphur common (quar.) uller (Geo. A.) 7% pref. (quar.) amewell Co., preferred (quar.) atineau Power Co. (initial quar.) Preferred (quar.) aylord Container Corp 5 \(\frac{9}{2} \) % convertible preferred	20c \$114 25c 6834c	Sept. 15 A	lug. 31
on bank and insurance stock series, ishman (M. H.) Co. (quar.) lorlda Power Corp. 7% preferred A (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) 7% pref. (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) 7% pre	\$1 ½ 25c 68 ¾ c 50c \$1 ¾ 25c	Sept. 15 A Sept. 16 A Sept. 17 A	Aug. 31 Aug. 31 Aug. 26 Aug. 16
reeport Sulphur common (quar.) uller (Geo. A.) 7 % pref. (quar.) amewell Co., preferred (quar.) attineau Power Co. (initial quar.) Preferred (quar.) aylord Container Corp 55 4 % convertible preferred eneral Cigar Co. Preferred eneral Candy Corp., class A (quar.) eneral Candy Corp., class A (quar.) ereorgia Power Co. \$6 pref. (quar.) \$5 preferred eorgia Power Co. \$6 pref. (quar.) \$5 preferred (quar.)	206 \$1 14 25c 68 34c 50c \$1 34 25c 25c \$1 14 \$1 14 \$1 14	Sept. 15 A Sept. 15 A Sept. 15 A Sept. 16 A Sept. 12 A Sept. 12 A Nov. 1 O Oct. 1 S Oct. 1 S	Aug. 31 Aug. 31 Aug. 26 Aug. 16 Sept. 10 Aug. 11 Oct. 10

Name of Company	Per Share	When Payable	Holders of Recur
ilobe Democrat Pub. Co. 7% pref. (quar.)	\$134 \$134 \$1	Oct 1	Aug. 20 Sept. 20
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. \$5 conv. pref. (qu.)	\$1 1/4	Sept. 10 Sept. 15	Aug. 31 Aug. 15 Sept. 1
orham Mfg. Co ossard (H. W.) Co	\$1 ¼ 25c 25c	Sept. 15	Aug. 15
rand Union Co. \$3 conv. preferred	3% 25c \$1	Sept. 1	Aug. 19
olden Cycle Corp. oodyear Tire & Rubber Co. \$5 conv. pref. (qu.) ordyear Tire & Rubber Co. \$5 conv. pref. (qu.) ordyear Tire & Rubber Co. \$5 conv. pref. (qu.) ossard (H. W.) Co. race National Bank (N. Y.) rrand Union Co. \$3 conv. preferred. reat Atlantic & Pacific Tea. Preferred (quar.) reat Northern Paper (quar.). Extra.	\$134 25c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 19 Aug. 20
reat Southern Life Insurance Co (quar.)	12c 35c	Sept. 1 Oct. 10	Aug. 20 Oct. 1
reat Western Electro-Chemical Co —	30c	Oct. 1	Sept. 20
6% preferred (quar.) riggs Cooper & Co. 7% pref. (quar.) ulf States Utilities \$6 pref. (quar.)	†\$1½ \$1¾ \$1½	Oct. 1	Aug. 15 Oct. 1 Aug. 31 Aug. 31 Sept. 16 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1
\$5½ preferred (quar.)	\$ 1 %	Sept. 15	Aug. 31 Sept. 16
# S5½ preferred (quar.) lackensack Water Co. 7% preferred (quar.) lale Bros. Stores (quar.) laloid Co. (resumed)	43 % c 25 c 40 c	Sept. 1 Sept. 15	Aug. 15 Sept. 1
lale Bros. Stores (quar.)	†50c 25c	Sept. 15	Sept. 2
6% Preferred (quar.)	\$1 ½ 25c 50c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
lancock Oil (Calif.) class A & B (quar.) Class A & R (extra) Lanes (P. H.) Knitting Co. (quar.) Class B (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) Lanna (M. A.) Co., \$5 preferred. Larbison-Walker Refractories Co. 6% pf. (qu.) Larrisburg Gas Co., 7% pref. (quar.) Lart-Carter Co. conv. preferred (quar.) Lart-Carter Co., conv. preferred (quar.)	15c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 22 Aug. 22
7% preferred (quar.)	\$134	(Oct. 1	ISept. 20
arbison-Walker Refractories Co. 6% pf. (qu.)	. \$1 %	Oct. 26 Oct. 15	Aug. 18 Oct. 6 Sept. 30
Iart-Carter Co. conv. preferred (quar.) Iartman Tobacco Co., pref. (quar.)	50c \$1 \$1 1/4	Sept. 15	Sept.
lart-Carter Co. conv. preferred (quar.) lartman Tobacco Co., pref. (quar.) lazel-Atlas Glass Co. (quar.) lazeltine Corp. (quar.) lecia Mining Co. lein-Werner Motor Parts Corp.	10C	Sept. 1	Sept.
lecia Mining Co lein-Werner Motor Parts Corp	5c 15c 10c	Sept. 16	Aug. 1: Sept. Aug. 2
Joydon (hemical Corn (interim)	30c 15c	Sept. 30	Aug. 22 Sept. 20
Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett & Co. (monthly) Hires (Chas. E.) Co., class A com. (quar.) Class A common (quar.)	50c 50c	Sept. Dec.	Nov. 1
Class A common (quar.) Class B common & management stock Hobart Mfg, classA (quar.)	3716c 10c	Sept.	Aug. 16
Hobart Mfg. classA (quar.) Holt (Henry) & Co. participating A Honolulu Oil Corp	25c	Sept. 1.	Sept.
Hooker Electrochemical Co. (reduced)	\$114	Sept.	Aug. 1
forn (A.C.) Co.,7% non-cum.pr. partic pr.(qu.) 6% non-cum. 2d partic. preferred (quar.)	\$1¼ 8¾c 45c \$1¼	Sept. Sept. Sept.	Aug. 1 Sept. 2 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1
dooker Electrochemical Co. (reduced) Hooven & Allison Co. 5% preferred (quar.) Horn (A.C.) Co.,7% non-cum.pr. partic.pf. (qu.) 6% non-cum. 2d partic. preferred (quar.) Horn & Hardart (N. Y.) pref. (quar.) Hoskins Mfg. Co. Humble Oil & Refining Huntington Water Co., 7% pref. (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.)	10c 62 %c	Sept. 26	Sept. 1 Sept.
funtington Water Co., 7% pref. (quar.)	62½c \$1¾ \$1½	Sept.	Aug. 19
mperial Life Assurance Co. (Canada) (quar.)	+-01	Oct.	Sept. 1.
Quarterly indianapolis Water Co., 5% pref. A (quar.)	\$1 14	Oct.	1 Sept. 1
nland Steel Co	\$11/4 \$11/2 50c	Sept.	1 Aug. 1
nternational Business Machines Corp. (quar.) nternational Harvester Preferred (quar.)	\$134	Oct. 1.	Sept. 2
Preferred (quar.). International Mining International Nickel Co. (Canada)	110c 150c	Sept. 2	1 Aug. 1 0 Sept. 2 5 Sept. 2 1 Aug. 1 0 Aug. 3 0 Aug. 3
ron Fireman Mfg. v. t. c. conv. (quar.)	30c 30c	Dec.	liNov. 1
international Safety Razor, class A (quar.)	60c 37½c	Sept. 1	1 Aug. 2 5 Aug. 3
vtc com, quarterly vtc conv. (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	\$1,4	Sept. 2	Sept.
lantzen Knitting Mills pref. (quar.) lewel Tea Co., Inc. (quar.) katz Drug Co., pref. (quar.) Katz Drug Co., pref. (quar.) Katz Co., pref. (quar.) Kaufmann Dept. Stores, pref. (quar.) Keith-Albee-Orpheum 7% conv. preferred Kemper-Thomas, 7% special pref. (quar.) 7% special preferred (quar.) Kendall Co. cum. pref. series A (quar.) Kendall Co. cum. pref. series A (quar.) Kennecott Copper Corp Kerlyn Oil Co. class A (quar.) Kimberly-Clark Corp. (quar.) 6% Preferred (quar.) Kobacker Stores, 7% pref. (quar.) 6% Class A preferred (quar.) Kresge (S. S.) Co. Kroehler Mig. Co. 6% class A pref. (quar.) 6% class A preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) 12ke of Woods Milling, pref. (quar.) 12ke Superior District Power, 7% pf. (quar.) 14ke Superior District Power, 7% pf. (quar.) 15% preferred (quar.) 17% preferred (quar.) 17% preferred (quar.) 17% preferred (quar.) 18 preferred (quar.) 19% preferred (quar.) 10% preferred (q	37½cc \$1¼ \$1,4 \$1,8 \$1,8 \$1,8 \$1,8 \$1,8 \$1,8 \$1,9 \$1,2 \$1,2 \$1,2 \$1,2 \$1,2 \$1,2 \$1,2 \$1,2	Sept. 3	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1
Kemper-Thomas, 7% special pref. (quar.)	\$1%	Sept.	1 Aug 2 1 Nov. 2
Kendall Co. cum. pref. series A (quar.)	\$1½ 25c	Sept. 3	1 Aug. 1
Kerlyn Oil Co. class A (quar.) Kimberly-Clark Corp. (quar.)	834c 25c	Oct.	1 Sept. 1 1 Sept. 1
6% Preferred (quar.) Kobacker Stores, 7% pref. (quar.)	\$1 1/2 \$1 3/4	Sent.	1 Sept. 1 1 Aug 2 1 Nov. 2 1 Aug. 1 1 Sept. 1 1 Sept. 1 1 Sept. 1 1 Aug. 2 2 Sept.
Kresge (S. S.) Co- Kroehler Mfg. Co. 6% class A pref. (quar.)	30c \$1½ \$1½ 40c \$1½ \$1¾ \$1¾ \$1¾ \$1¼ \$1½	Sept. 3	2 Sept. 2 2 Sept. 2 3 Aug. 1 4 Sept. 2 4 Aug. 1 5 Sept. 3 5 Nov. 5 5 Dec. 2 6 Aug. 1 7 Sept. 1
6% class A preferred (quar.)	40c	Sept.	1 Aug. 1 1 Sept. 2
7% preferred (quar.)	\$134	Nov. Sept.	1 Oct. 2 1 Aug 1
Lake Shore Mines, Ltd. (quar.) Lake Superior District Power, 7% pf. (quar.)	\$134	Sept. 1 Sept.	5 Sept. 1 Aug. 1
6% preferred (quar.)Landis Machine (quar.)	\$1 ½ 25c	Nov. 1	1 Aug. 1 5 Nov.
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1 34 \$1 34 \$1 34 \$2 1/2 \$1 30	Dec. 1	5 Dec.
Langley's, Ltd., 1% conv. pret	\$1 3c	Aug. 3 Sept. 3	1 Aug. 1 Sept. 1
Leath & Co., pref. (quar.)	62½c \$1	Oct.	1 Sept. 1 1 Sept. 1
Leslie Salt Co (quar.) Le Tourneau (R. G.) (quar.)	65c 25c	Sept. 1 Sept.	5 Aug. 3 1 Aug. 1 5 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 5 Aug. 3
Lexington Utilities Co. \$6½ pref. (quar.) Lexington Water Co., 7% pref. (quar.)	\$1 5/8 \$1 3/4 25c	Sept. 1	5 Sept. 1 Aug. 2
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass Life & Casualty Insurance Co. (Tenn.)	12c 12c 40c	Oct.	1 Sept. 1
Special Care Telegrap (Quar.)	40c 40c \$1	Sept.	1 Aug
Class B (quar.)	371/20	Sept.	1 Aug. 1
Lincoln National Life Insurance (Ft. Wayne) Lincoln Stores. Inc. (quar.)	37½0 300 250	Nov. Sept.	5 Aug. 3 1 Sept. 1 1 Aug. 1 1 Aug. 1 1 Aug. 1 5 Sept. 1 1 Oct. 2 1 Aug. 2 1 Aug. 2
7% preferred (quar.) Link Belt Co	\$1 3/4 250	Sept.	1 Aug. 2
Life & Casualty Insurance Co. (Tenn.) Life Savers Corp. (quar.) Special Liggett & Myers Tobacco (quar.) Lily-Tulin Cup Lincoln National Life Insurance (Ft. Wayne) Lincoln Stores, Inc. (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) Link Belt Co. Preferred (quar.) Little Miami RR. special guaranteed (quar.) Original capital Original capital Loblaw Groceterias class A and B (quar.) Lock Joint Pipe (monthly) Monthly Monthly Monthly Monthly Monthly Monthly Monthly Monthly Sw preferred (quarterly) Loew's Boston Theatres (extra) Lone Star Cement Corp. Longhorn Portland Cement Co. 5% refunding participating pref. (quar.) Extra Extra Fy refunding participating pref. (quar.) Extra Fy refunding participating pref. (quar.) Extra Fy refunding participating pref. (quar.)	\$1 % 500	Oct. Sept. 1	1 Sept 1 Sept 10 Aug. 2 10 Nov. 2 10 Nov. 2
Special guaranteed (quar.)	\$1.10 \$1.10	Sept. 1	O Aug.
Original capital Lollaw Groceterias class A and B (quar.)	250 - \$3 ½ - 670	Sept.	1 Aug.
Lock Joint Pipe (monthly)	670	Aug. 3	1 Aug. 10 Sept 3 10 Aug. 10 Sept.
Monthly	670	Oct. 3	Oct.
Monthly 8% preferred (quarterly)	666 \$2 \$2	Dec. 3 Oct	Oct. Nov. Dec. Sept
8% preferred (quarterly)Loew's Inc. common	\$1	Aug S	5 Ang
Loew's Boston Theatres (extra) Lone Star Cement Corp.	\$1.35 750	Sept. 2	Sept.
5% refunding participating pref. (quar.)	\$1 ½ 250	Sept.	1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Nov
Extra 5% refunding participating pref (quar.)	\$1½ 250	Dec.	

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Lord & Taylor 1st preferred (quar.)	\$1½ \$1½	Sept. 1 Aug. 17 Sept. 1 Aug. 13 Sept. 24 Aug. 31 Sept. 15 Sept. 1*
Ludiow Mig. Associates Louisville Gas & Electric A & B (quar.) Louisville Gas & Electric A & B (quar.) Louisville Gas & Exploration Co. (quar.) Lunkenheimer Co. 6½% pref. (quar.) 6½% preferred (quarterly) McClacket Newspapers 7% pref. (quar.)	37 ½c 10c \$15% \$15% 43¾c	Sept. 24 Aug. 31 Sept. 15 Sept. 1* Oct. 1 Sept. 21
6 14 % preferred (quarterly) McClatchy Newspapers 7 % pref. (quar.)	\$1 % 43 % C	Jan. 1 Dec. 21 Aug. 31 Aug. 30 Nov 30 Nov 29
7% preferred (quarterly) McColl-Frontenac Oil (quar.) McIntypre Porcubine Mines Ltd. McKenzie Red Lake Gold Mines (quar.)	10c	Sept. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 1
McKenzie Red Lake Gold Mines (quar.) McKesson & Robbins preferred (quar.)		Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 1
McKeszon & Robbins preferred (quar.). **3 preferred MacKinson & Robbins preferred (quar.). **3 preferred MacKinnon Steel Corp., 7% cum. pref. MacMinon Steel Corp., 7% cum. pref. Macassa Mines. Ltd. (quar.) Macy (R. H.) & Co (quar.). Madison Square Garden Magma Copper Co Magnin (I.) & Co. 6% pref. (quar.). Manhattan Shirt Co. Maryland Fund, Inc. Masonite Corp. (extra). Preferred (quar.) May Hosiery Mills, class A (quar.). **4 Preferred (quar.). Mayer (O.) & Co., Inc. 8% preferred (quar.). 8% preferred (quar.). Mead Corp. & Foreferred A (quar.). **5½ preferred B (quar.). Mead Toxtile Corp., partic. pref. (quar.). Metal Toxtile Corp., partic. pref. (quar.). Michigan Cities Natural Gas (quar.). Michigan Cities Natural Gas (quar.). Milhor, Inc.	†\$134 5c 50c	Sept. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Aug. 31 Sept. 15 Aug. 31 Sept. 14 Aug. 12 Aug. 31 Aug. 16 Sept. 15 Aug. 31 Nov. 15 Nov. 5 Sept. 19 Nov. 5
Macy (R. H.) & Co (quar.) Madison Square Garden Magma Copper Co	20c 25c	Aug. 31 Aug. 16 Sept. 15 Aug. 31
Magnin (I.) & Co. 6% pref. (quar.)	\$1½ 20c 2c	O - 4 15 A 21
Masonite Corp. (extra)	\$114 75c	Sept. 13 Aug. 31 Sept. 1 Aug. 10 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Aug. 30 Aug. 24 Aug. 30 Aug. 24 Sept. 1 Aug. 24
May Hosiery Mills, class A (quar.) \$4 Preferred (quar.)	50c \$1	Aug. 30 Aug. 24 Aug. 30 Aug. 24
Mayer (O.) & Co., Inc	25c \$2 25c	Sept. 1 Aug. 24 Sept. 1 Aug. 24 Sept. 1 Aug. 24
Mead Corp. \$6 preferred A (quar.)	\$13/8 \$13/8	Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 20
Michigan Cities Natural Gas (quar.)	81¼c 2c 75c	Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 24 Sept. 1 Aug. 24
Michigan Cities Natural Gas (quar.). Middlesex Water Co. (quar.). Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator— 4% class B preferred (quar.). Mock Judson Voehringer common Preferred (quar.). Monarch Machine Tool Monsanto Chemical Co. \$4 % class A pref. (qu.) Moore (W. R.) Dry Goods (quar.).	10c \$1 15c	Sept. 1 Aug. 20
Mock Judson Voehringer common Preferred (quar.) Monard Machine Tool	\$134 25c	Sept. 12 Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 23
Monsanto Chemical Co. \$4 % class A pref. (qu.) Moore (W. R.) Dry Goods (quar.)	\$134 25c \$214 \$11/2 \$11/2	Dec. 1 Nov. 10 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Jan. 2 Jan. 2
Morris (Philip) & Co., Ltd., Inc.— 5% conv cum preferred series A (initial)	84c	Sent 1 Aug 15
Morris Plan Insurance Society (quar.) Quarterly Morristown Securities Corp. Mt. Diablo Oil Mining & Development. Motor Finance Corp. (quar.). Muncie Water Works Co., 8% pref. (quar.). Murphy (G. C.) Co. Muskogee Co. 6% cum. pref. (quar.). Mutual Chemical Co. of Am. 6% pref. (quar.). 6% preferred (quar.)	\$1 \$1 10c	Sept. 1 Aug. 27 Dec. 1 Nov. 26 Oct. 3 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Aug. 31 Aug. 19 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 20
Mt. Diablo Oil Mining & Development Motor Finance Corp. (quar.) Muncie Water Works Co., 8% pref. (quar.)	1c 25c \$2	Aug. 31 Aug. 19 Sept. 15 Sept. 1
Murphy (G. C.) Co. Muskogee Co. 6% cum. pref. (quar.). Mutual Chemical Co. of Am. 6% pref. (quar.).	75c \$11/2 \$11/2	Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 1 Aug. 9 Sept. 28 Sept. 15
6% preferred (quar.) Mutual Telephone (Hawaii) (quar.)	\$1½ 20c 40c	Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 1 Aug. 9 Sept. 28 Sept. 15 Dec. 28 Dec. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 6 Aug. 15 Sept. 16 Aug. 31 Aug. 12* Sept. 1 Aug. 10
7% preferred (quar.) National Container Corp. (Del.)	\$134 5c 20c	Aug. 31 Aug. 12* Sept. 1 Aug. 10 Oct. 1 Sept. 1
National Dairy Products Preferred A and B (quar.) National Lead Co	\$134 12½c	Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 30 Sept. 16 Sept. 15 Sept. 2
Preferred A (quar.) Preferred B (quar.) National Oats Co. (quar.)	\$134 12½c \$134 \$134 \$1½ 25c 15c	Sept. 15 Sept. 2 Nov. 1 Oct. 14 Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 1 Aug. 1
National Power & Light Co., (quar.) Nebraska Power Co. 7% pref. (quar.)	15c \$134 \$112 25c	
Mutual Chemical Co. Or Alin. 0% prot. (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.) National Biscuit Co. common. 7% preferred (quar.) National Container Corp. (Del.) National Dairy Products Preferred A and B (quar.) National Lead Co. Preferred A (quar.) Preferred B (quar.) National Oats Co. (quar.) National Power & Light Co., (quar.) Nebraska Power Co. 7% pref. (quar.) Neisner Bros., Inc. Newberry (J. J.) Co. (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Newmont Mining Corp. Newmont Mining Corp.	25c 50c	Oct. 1 Sept. 16
Preferred (quar.) Newmont Mining Corp New Amsterdam (Casualty (semi-annual) New England Telep. & Teleg. (quar.)	\$1 \frac{1}{4} \\ 500 \\ 32 \frac{1}{2} \\ \$1 \f	Sept. 15 Aug. 31
New England Telep. & Teleg. (quar.) New Jersey Zinc Co New York & Queens Electric Light & Power Preferred (quar.)	- \$1 \frac{1}{2} \\ 500 \\ \$2	Sept. 10 Aug. 19 Sept. 14 Sept. 2
Niles-Bement-Pond Co	500	Sept. 15 Sept. 5
Nineteen Hundred Corp. class A (quar.). Norfolk & Western Ry. (quar.). North American Edison Co., pref. (quar.). Northeastern Water & Electric Co. pref. (quar.) North River Insurance (N. Y.). Northwestern Public Service, 7% pref. 6% preferred. Northwestern Yeast (liquidating).	\$2½ \$1½ \$1½	Sept. 19 Aug. 31 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 10
Northeastern Water & Electric Co. pref. (quat. North River Insurance (N. Y.)———————————————————————————————————	25c - \$134	Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 25 Sept. 10 Aug. 25 Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 15
6% preferred Northwestern Yeast (liquidating) Liquidating	\$1 34 \$1 ½ \$2 \$2	Sept. 15 Dec. 15
Liquidating Nova Scotia Light & Power pref. (quar.) Oahu Ry, & Land Co. (monthly)	\$1½ 15c 10c	Sept. 15 Sept. 12 Sept. 15 Sept. 5
Ogilvie Flour Mills preferred (quar.) Ohio Oil Co. preferred (quar.)	\$134 \$112 \$116	Sept. 1 Aug. 19 Sept. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 8
Ohio Power Co. preterred (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	41 2-30 50c	Sept. 1 Aug. 8 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 15
7% preferred (monthly) Omnibus Corp. 8% pref. A (quar.)	121/20	Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Aug. 31 Sept. 15 Aug. 31
7% preferred (quar.) Oshkosh B'Gosh, Inc. (quar.)	- 43% c	Sept. 15 Aug. 31 Sept. 1 Aug. 19 Sept. 1 Aug. 19
otis Elevator Co 6% Preferred_(quar.)	- \$1 ½	Sept. 1 Aug. 19 Sept. 1 Aug. 19 Sept. 20 Aug. 31 Sept. 20 Aug. 31 Sept. 27 Sept. 10 Oct. 15 Oct. 1
Paraffine Cos., Inc	\$1 250	Oct. 15 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 15
Parker Rust-Proof Co- Parkersburg Rig & Reel (quar.)	- 400 \$136	Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 1 Aug. 20
Paton Mfg. Co. 7% preferred (quar.) Patterson Sargent Co. (quar.)	250	Sept. 1 Aug. 1 0 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 0 Sept. 1 Aug. 2 0 Sept. 15 Aug. 3 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 1 5 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 5 Sept. 1
Peerless Corp- Pender (D.) Grocery, class A (quar.)	87½0 750	Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Jan. 1 Dec. 15
Peninsular Telephone Co. common (quar.)	- 400 400 \$134	Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Jan. 1 Dec. 15 Nov 15 Nov. 5 Sept. 1 Aug. 20
Pennsylvania Electric Service, class A (quar.)	- \$13/4 - 300 \$11/4	Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 20
Northwestern Yeast (Indudating) Liquidating Nova Scotia Light & Power pref. (quar.) Oahu Ry, & Land Co. (monthly) Oahu Sugar Co., Ltd. (monthly) Oglivie Flour Mills preferred (quar.) Ohio Oil Co. preferred (quar.) Ohio Power Co. preferred (quar.) Ohio Power Co. preferred (quar.) Ohio Public Service Co. 5% pref. (monthly) 6% preferred (monthly) 7% preferred (monthly) Omnibus Corp. 8% pref. A (quar.) Oneida, Ltd. (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) Oshkosh B'Gosh, Inc. (quar.) \$2 conv. preferred (quar.) Otis Elevator Co. 6% Preferred (quar.) Paraffine Cos., Inc. Preferred (quar.) Parker Pen Co. (quar.) Parker Pen Co. (quar.) Parker Bust-Proof Co. Parkersburg Rig & Reel (quar.) Paton Mfg. Co., 7% preferred (quar.) Paton Mfg. Co., 7% preferred (quar.) Paton Mfg. Co., 7% preferred (quar.) Paton Sargent Co. (quar.) Paterson Sargent Co. (quar.) Peerless Corp. Pender (D.) Grocery, class A (quar.) Pennes Corp. Pennsylvania Electric Service, class A (quar.) Pennsylvania Salt Mfg.	550	Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 15 Aug. 31 Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Oct. 1 Sept. 15
Preferred (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Peoples Drug Stores (quar.)	\$1 \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	C Oct. 1 Sept. 8
6½% Preferred (quarterly) Peoples Gas Light & Coke Co Peoples Telephone Co. (Butler, Pa.)—	- \$1%	Sept. 1 Aug. 10
6% preferred (quar.) Peoples Water & Gas \$6 preferred	\$1 \\ \$1\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	Sept. 1 Aug. 31 Sept. 1 Aug. 19 C Oct. 1 Sept. 10
S6.60 preferred (monthly) Pennsylvania Salt Mfg Pennsylvania Salt Mfg Pennsylvania Water & Power (quar.) Peoples Drug Stores (quar.) 6½% Preferred (quar.) Peoples Gas Light & Coke Co Peoples Telephone Co. (Butler, Pa.) 6% Preferred (quar.) Peoples Water & Gas \$6 preferred Pet Milk Co. (quar.) Petroleum Corp. of Amer. (stock dividend) Payable at the rate of one share of Conso Oil Corp. com. for each five share of Petr leum Corp. of America held.	\$13	C Oct. 1 Sept. 10 Oct. 1 Sept. 24 Sept. 26 Aug. 22
Oil Corp. com. for each five share of Petroleum Corp. of America held.	\$11	Sept. 1 Aug. 20
leum Corp. of America neid. Pfaudier Co. 6% preferred (quar.) Phelps Dodge Corp. Philadelphia Germantown & Norristown RR Common (quar.)	\$13	Sept. 9 Aug. 19
Common (quar.)		

Name of Company	Per Share	When Payable	Holders of Record
Philadelphia Co., \$5 preferred (quar.) \$6 preferred (quar.)	\$1½ \$1½		Sept. 1 Sept. 1
Preferred (quar.) Preferred (semi-annual) Philadelphia Electric Power 8% pref. (quar.) Philadelphia Suburban Water, 6% pref.	\$1½ 25c 50c	Igant 1	I A vece Tes
Philips Petroleum Co. Phoenix Hosiery Co., 7% preferred. Photo-Engraving & Electrotypers, Ltd.	\$1½ 50c 87½c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Sept. 9 Aug. 12 July 29 Aug. 19 Aug. 15
Photo-Engraving & Electrotypers, Ltd	50c 40c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 15
Pioneer Gold Mines of British Columbia Pittsburgh Bessemer & Lake Erie (sa.)		Oct. 1	Sept. 15 Aug. 19
Pioneer Gold Mines of British Columbia—Pittsburgh Bessemer & Lake Erie (sa.). Pittsburgh Coke & Iron, \$5 pref. (quar.)—7% preferred	75c \$11/4	2 .	1
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1% \$1% \$1%	1-3-39	Sept 10 12-10-38 3-10-39
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1 % \$1 % \$1 %	4-1-39 7-1-39 10-1-39	6-10-39 9-10-39
7% preferred (quar) Pittsburgh Youngstown & Ashtabula Ry.—	\$1%	10-1-39 1-2-40	12-10-39
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1%	Sept. 1	MI OI
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1% \$1% \$1% 50c	Dec. 15	Dec. 15
Potash Co. of America (increased) Preferred (semi-annual)	50c 30c	Oct. 1 Oct. 1	Sept. 15 Dec. 15 Aug. 20 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Aug. 15
Potomac Electric Power Co. 6% pref. (quar.) 5 1/2% preferred (quar.)	\$1 ½ \$1 3/8		
\$3 preferred (quar.)	70c 75c \$1¼ \$1½ \$1½	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 15	Aug. 19 Aug. 19
Public Electric Light Co., 6% pref. (quar.) Public Finance Service, Inc., \$6 pref. (quar.)	\$1 ½ \$1½	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Aug. 31
Potash Co. of America (increased) Preferred (semi-annual) Potomac Electric Power Co. 6% pref. (quar.) Prehice-hail, Inc. (quar.) \$3 preferred (quar.) Procter & Gamble 5% pref. (quar.) Public Electric Light Co., 6% pref. (quar.) Public Finance Service, Inc., \$6 pref. (quar.) Public National Bank & Trust (N. Y.) (quar.) Public Service of Colorado 7% pref. (monthly) 6% preferred (monthly)	37 ½c 58 1-3c	Oct. 10 Sept. 1	Aug. 19 Aug. 25 Aug. 20 Aug. 31 Sept. 20 Aug. 15
5% preferred (monthly)	41 2-3c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 31 Aug. 31 Sept. 1 Aug. 15
\$5 preferred (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	\$11/2	Sept. 30 Sept. 15	Sept. 1 Aug. 31
\$5 preferred (quar.)Public Service of New Jersey	\$1 1/4 50c	Sept. 15 Sept. 30	Aug. 31 Sept. 1
8% preferred (quar.)	\$2 \$134 \$114 50c		
Public Service Electric & Gas., 7% pref. (quar.) \$5 preferred (quar.). \$5 preferred (quar.). \$5 preferred (quar.). \$% preferred (quar.). \$% preferred (quar.). \$5 preferred (quar.). \$5 preferred (quar.). \$6 preferred (quar.). 6% preferred (monthly). 6 pullman, Inc.	50c	Sept. 15	Aug. 15 Aug. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 15 Aug. 24 Aug. 15
Pullman, Inc Purity Bakeries Corp. (quar.)	37 ½c 15c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 31	Aug. 24 Aug. 15
Quaker Oats Co. pref. (quar.)	\$114 \$114 871/20 150	Oct. 1	Sept. 14
6 % preferred (monthly) Pullman, Inc. Purity Bakeries Corp. (quar.) Quaker Oats Co. pref. (quar.) \$3.5° conv. 1st pref. (quar.) Raybestos-Manhattan, Inc. Reading Co., 1st preferred (quar.) 2nd preferred (quar.) Regent Knitting Mills, \$2 pref. (quar.) Reves (Daniel) Inc. (quar.) Copt. div. cash or 1 sh. pref. for each \$100 div. Reynolds Netals Co. 5½% conv. pref. (quar.) Rheem Mfg. Co. (quar.)	15c 50c		Sept. 7 Aug. 31
2nd preferred (quar.) Regent Knitting Mills, \$2 pref. (quar.)	50c 40c	Sept. 13 Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Sept. 22 Aug. 15
Reeves (Daniel) Inc. (quar.) Opt. div. cash or 1 sh. pref. for each \$100 div.	12½c		
Rheem Mfg. Co. (quar.) —— Rheem Mfg. Co. (quar.) —— Rich's Inc. 61407, preferred (quar.)	\$1 % 20c	Sept. 15	Sept. 20*
Rochester Button Co. preferred (quar.)	\$1 1/4 37 1/4 \$1 1/4 \$1 1/4	Sept. 30 Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 19 Aug. 12 Aug. 12
Reynords Wetais Co. 5/2 % conv. pref. (quar.). Rheem Mg. Co. (quar.) Rich's, Inc., 6/2 % preferred (quar.) Rochester Button Co. preferred (quar.) Rochester Gas & Electric 5 % pref. (quar.) 6 % preferred C & D (quar.) Rolland Paper Co., Ltd., 6 % pref. (quar.) Roxborough Knitting Mills, Inc Participating preferred (quar.)	\$1½ \$1½	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 12 Aug. 15
di dicipating prototion (quali)	8c	Sept. 1	Aug. 26
Ruberoid Co. (no action). Russell & Co. Payment is made to common stockholders of	25c	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
Russell & Co Payment is made to common stockholders of South Porto Rico Sugar Co. Rustiess Iron & Steel, pref. (quar.) St. Joseph Lead Co St. Joseph Water Co., 6 % pref. (quar.) San Francisco Remedial Loan Assn. (quar.)	62½c 25c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
St. Joseph Lead Co. St. Joseph Water Co., 6% pref. (quar.)	25c \$1½	Sept. 1 Sept. 20 Sept. 1 Sept. 30	Sept. 9 Aug. 19
Quarterly San Joaquin Light & Power 7%, prior pref A(qu)	75c	Dec. 15	Nov. 30
7% prior preferred (quar.) 6% prior preferred A (quar.)	\$1 34	Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Aug. 31 Aug. 31
6% preferred B (quar.) Savannah Electric & Power 8% deb. A (quar.)	\$11/2	Sept. 15 Oct. 1	Aug. 31 Sept. 15
San Francisco Remedial Loan Assn. (quar.) Quarterly an Joaquin Light & Power 7% prior pref. A(qui) 7% prior preferred (quar.) 6% prior preferred A (quar.) 6% prior preferred A (quar.) 6% preferred B (quar.) 7½% debenture B (quar.) 7½% debenture C (quar.) 6½% debenture D (quar.) 6½% debenture D (quar.) 6½% preferred (quarterly) 5½% preferred (quarterly) chiff Co. (quarterly) 7% proferred (quarterly) cott Paper Co. (quar.) 6½% preferred (quarterly) cott Paper Co. (quar.) 6aboard Oil Co. (Del.) (quar.) 6econd Investors Corp. (R. I.), \$3 pref. (quar.) 6econd Investors Corp. (R. I.), \$3 pref. (quar.) 6elby Shoe Co. (quar.) 6elby Shoe Co. (quar.) 6elby Shoe Co. (quar.) 6ervel, Inc. 7erferred (quarterly) 6erred (quarterly) 7erferred (quarterly) 8ervel, Inc. 8ervel, In	75c 75c 8134 8114 8114 812 814 814 815 815 815 815	Sept. 30 Dec. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1	Sept. 15 Sept. 15
Schenley Distillers (no action). 5½% Preferred (quarterly)	\$1 3/8 25c	Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 16 Sept. 17 Sept.	Sept. 22
7% preferred (quar.)	25c \$134	Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Aug. 31 Aug. 31
Cott Paper Co. (quarterly)	\$13/4 \$13/8 40c	Sept. 15 Sept. 15.	Aug. 3 Sept. 1
sears, Roebuck & Co (quar.) second Canadian Investment Co, preferred	75c	Sept. 10 Sept. 1	Aug. 26
econd Investors Corp. (R. I.), \$3 pref. (quar.) econd (L.) Candy Shops (quar.)	75c 75c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 15
seeman Bros., Inc. (quar.) Selby Shoe Co. (quar.)	40c 25c 75c 110c 75c 75c 62 1/2 c 25c 25c	Sept. 15 Sept. 6	Aug. 25
Preferred (quarterly)	\$1 1/4	Oct. 1	Sept. 15 Dec. 17
hattuck (Frank G.) (quar.) henango Valley Water 6% pref. (quar.)	10c \$1½ \$1¼	Sept. 22 Sept. 1	Sept. 2 Aug. 20
in w n-Williams Co. 5% pref. (quar.)	\$1 ¼ 2c 2c	Sept. 1 Aug. 31	Aug. 15 Aug. 18
simonds Saw & Steel mith (S. Morgan) Co. (quar.)	10c	Sept. 15	Aug. 18 Aug. 27
ocony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc. onotone Corp. pref. (quar.)	\$1 25c 15c	Sept. 15 Oct. 1	Aug. 18 Sept. 12
ontag Chain Stores Co., Ltd. (quar.)	25c 30c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Aug. 15
outh Porto Rico Sugar Co. (quar.)	\$1½ 25c \$2	Oct. 1 Sept. 20 Sept. 20 Sept. 1	Sept. 15 Sept. 2
ocony-vacuum Oil Co., Inc. onotone Corp., pref. (quar.) ontag Chain Stores Co., Ltd. (quar.) outh Bend Lathe Works (quar.) outh Carolina Power Co. \$6 pref. (quar.) outh Porto Rico Sugar Co. (quar.) 8% Preferred (quar.) outh Shore Utilities Assoc., \$1½ pref. (quar.) outhesastern Greyhound Lines 6% noncony preferred (quar.)	37½c	Sept. 1	Aug. 19
6% non-conv. preferred (quar.) Southern California Edison Co., Ltd.—	30c	Sept. 1	Aug. 20
outhern Pipe Line Co.	37½c 15c	Sept. 15	Aug. 20
pear & Co. 1st & 2d preferred (quar.) pencer Kellogg & Sons, Inc. (quar.)	\$1 3/4 30c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1 Sept. 0	Aug. 31 Aug. 15 Aug. 94
piegel, Inc., \$4½ conv. pref. (quar.) taley (A. E.) Mfg Co. cum. pref. (quar.)	30c \$11/8 \$11/4 \$11/8	Sept. 15 Sept. 20	Sept. 1
trandard Brands, Inc., \$4.50 pref. (quar.)	\$1 1/8 40c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Sept. 1 Aug. 15
outheastern Greyhound Lines— 6% non-conv. preferred (quar.) outhern California Edison Co., Ltd.— 6% preferred series B (quar.) outhern Creation Co. outhind Royalty Co. pear & Co. 1st & 2d preferred (quar.) pencer Kellogg & Sons, Inc. (quar.) pencer Kellogg & Sons, Inc. (quar.) pencer Kellogg & Conv. pref. (quar.) taley (A. E.) Mfg Co. cum. pref. (quar.) tandard Brands. Inc., \$4.50 pref. (quar.) tandard Gap & Seal (quar.) Preferred (quar.) tandard Dreuging Co. preferred (quar.) tandard Dreuging Co. preferred (quar.) tandard Dreuging Co. preferred (quar.)	40c 40c 40c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
Extra standard Oil Co. (of Indiana) (quar.)	25c 10c 25c	Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Aug. 15 Aug. 15
standard Oil Co. (Ky.) (quar.) standard Oil Co. (Ohio) common (quar.)	25c 25c	Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Aug. 31 Aug. 31
tonling Drowers In-	\$114 10c	Oct. 15 Sept. 15	Sept. 1
sterling Products, Inc. (quar.)	050	Sent	
itandard Oil Co. (of Indiana) (quar.) ttandard Oil Co. (Ky.) (quar.) ttandard Oil Co. (Ohio) common (quar.) 5% cum. preferred (quar.) tterling Brewers, Inc. tterling Products, Inc. (quar.) tterling Furniture trawbridge & Clothier prior pref. A tromberg-Carlson Teleg. Mfg. pref. (quar.) ttuart (D. A.) Oil, Ltd., partic. pref. A	95c 12½c \$1½ \$1½ \$1%	Sept. 1 Aug. 30 Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Aug. 25 Aug. 31 Aug. 15 Aug. 31 Sept. 10 Sept. 11 Aug. 15

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Sun Oil Co. (quar.) 6% Preferred (quar.) Superheater Co. Sutherland Paper Co.		25c \$1½ 12½c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Aug. 28 Aug. 10
Superheater CoSutherland Paper Co		12½c 40c	Sept. 1 Oct. 15 Sept. 15	Sept. 3
Swift & Co. (quar.) Swift International Co., deposit certificate	32	30c 50c	Sept. 1	Sept. 1
Sutherland Paper Co. Swift & Co. (quar.) Swift International Co., deposit certificates Sylvanite Gold Mines (registered). Tacony-Palmyra Bridge (quar.) Class A (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Talcott (James), Inc. First preferred (quar.) Tampa Gas Co. 8% preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) Tennessee Electric Power Co. 5% pref. (qua.6% preferred (quar.)		5c 5c	Sept. 30 Sept. 30 Sept. 30	Aug. 20
Tacony-Palmyra Bridge (quar.)		75c 75c	Sept. 30	Sept. 15
Preferred (quar.) Talcott (James), Inc		\$114 15c	Nov. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1	Sept. 17 Sept. 15
First preferred (quar.) Tampa Gas Co. 8% preferred (quar.)		68¾c \$2	Sent. 1	Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Aug. 20
7% preferred (quar.) Tennessee Electric Power Co. 5% pref. (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.) 7.% preferred (quar.) 7.2% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred (monthly) 6% preferred (monthly) 7.2% preferred (monthly) Terre Haute Water Works Corp., 7% pref. Texas Gulf Sulphur (quar.) Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. (quar.) Thew Shovel Co., preferred (quar.) Tidewater Assoc. Oil Co. (quar.) Tidewater Assoc. Oil Co. (quar.) Timken Bortoit Axle pref. (quar.) Timken Roller Bearing Co. Title Insurance Corp. of St. Louis Toledo Edison Co. 7% pref. (monthly) 6% preferred (monthly) 5% preferred (monthly) Trane Co. preferred (quar.) Troy & Greenbush R.R. Assoc. (sa.) 208 So. La Salle St. Corp. (quar.) Union Gas Co. of Canada (quar.) Union Gas Co. of Canada (quar.) Union Bearn (quar.) United Biscuit Co. of Amer. (quar.) United Biscuit Co. of Amer. (quar.) United Puel Investment. Ltd., 6% prefer	r.)	\$134 \$114 \$115	Sept. 1 Oct. 1	Sept. 15 Sept. 15
6% preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.)		\$134 \$1.80	Oct. 1	Sept. 13
6% preferred (quar.)		50c	Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Oct. 1	Aug. 15
7.2% preferred (monthly)		50c 60c	Sept. I	Aug. 10
7.2% preferred (monthly) Terre Haute Water Works Corp., 7% pref.		\$134	Sept. 1	Sept. 18 Aug. 20
Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. (quar.)		50c 10c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Aug. 1
Tidewater Assoc. Oil Co (quar.)		\$1 34 25c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Aug. 19
Tilo Roofing Co. (quar.)		\$1 ½ 25c	Sent. 15	A119 . 25
Timken Detroit Axie pref. (quar.)		\$134 25c	Sept. 1 Sept. 6	Aug. 17
Toledo Edison Co. 7% pref. (monthly)		25c 12½c 58 1-3c 50c 41 2-3c \$1½ \$1½ \$134	Sept. 6 Aug. 31 Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 15
6% preferred (monthly)		41 2-3c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
Trane Co. preferred (quar.) Truax-Traer Coal 6% pref. (quar.)		\$1 1/2	Sept. 15	Sept. 1
5½% preferred (quar.) Froy & Greenbush RR. Assoc. (sa.)		\$1 %	Sept. 15 Dec. 15	Dec. 1
208 So. La Salle St. Corp. (quar.) Underwood Elliott Fisher Co. (quar.)	:::::	50c 50c	Oct. 1 Sept. 30 Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Sept 17 Sept. 12
Union Gas Co. of Canada (quar.) Union Tank Car Co. (quar.)		20c 30c	Sept. 15 Sept. 1	Aug. 20 Aug. 15
United Biscuit Co. of Amer. (quar.) Preferred (quar.)		25c \$1¾	Nov. 1	Oct. 14
United Dyewood Corp. pref. (quar) Preferred (quarterly)		\$134 \$134 \$134	Jan. 3	Sept. 9
United Fuel Investment, Ltd., 6% prefer United Gas & Electric Corp. common (quar	.)	†\$1 50c	Sept. 1 Sept. 7	Aug. 15 Sept. 1
United Dyewood Corp. pref. (quar)— Preferred (quarterly) United Fuel Investment, Ltd., 6% prefer United Gas & Electric Corp. common (quar Preferred (quar.)— United Elastic Corp. United Gas Corp., \$7 preferred (quar.)— United Gas Improvement (quar.)— Preferred (quar.) United Elight & Railways, 7% prior pref. (r		\$134 10c	Jan. 3 Sept. 1 Sept. 7 Sept. 15 Sept. 24	Sept. 1
United Gas Corp., \$7 preferred (quar.) United Gas Improvement (quar.)		\$134 25c	Sept. 30 Sept. 30 Sept. 30	Aug. 12 Aug. 31
Preferred (quar.) United Light & Railways, 7% prior pref. (r	no.)_	\$1 1/4 58 1-3c	pebr. II	Aug. 10
United Gas Improvement (quar.) Preferred (quar.) United Light & Railways, 7% prior pref. (r 7% prior preterred (monthly) 6.36% prior preterred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly) United New Jersey Railroad & Canal (qua United States Envelope preferred (sa.) United States Gypsum Co. (quar.) Preferred (quar.)		58 1-3c 53c	Oct. 1	Sept. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 15
6.36% prior preferred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly)		53c 50c	Sent. 11	Aug. 15
6% prior preferred (monthly) United New Jersey Railroad & Canal (qua	r.)	50c	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
United States Envelope preferred (sa.) United States Gypsum Co. (quar.)		\$3½ 50c	Sept. 1 Oct. 1	Aug. 15 Sept. 15
Preferred (quar.)United States Guarantee (quar.)		\$134 30c	Oct. 1 Sept. 30	Sept. 18 Sept. 18
Preferred (quar.) United States Guarantee (quar.) United States Guarantee (quar.) Common (quarterly) United States Playing Card (quar.) Extra	uar.)	50c 50c	Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 30 Sept. 20 Dec. 20	Aug 31 Nov. 30
United States Playing Card (quar.) Extra		25c 25c	Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Sept. 1.
United States Plywood Corp. conv. pref United States Tobacco common Preferred United Verde Extension Mining		37½c 32c	Sept. 1 Sept. 15	Aug. 20 Aug. 29
PreferredUnited Verde Extension Mining		43¾c	Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Aug. 26 Aug. 20
Liquidating dividend. Universal Insurance Co. (quar.)		25c	Sept. 1	Aug. 1
Jpressit Metal Cap Corp. 8% pref. (quar.)		\$2	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
6% preferred (quar.)		\$1 16	Nov. 1 Feb. 1	
Liquidating dividend. Universal Insurance Co. (quar.) Upressit Metal Cap Corp. 8% pref. (quar.) Uppers Michigan Power & Light Co. 6% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.) 1sh Power & Light, 7% preferred. 6% preferred. 1sh Power & Light, 7% prior pref. (quar.) 1sh Power & Light, 7% prior pref. (quar.) 1sh Power & Light, 7% prior pref. (quar.) 2sh Norman Machine Tool Co. 2sh Raalte Co., Inc. 7% preferred (quar.) 2spor Car Heating Co., Inc., 7% pref. (quar.) 2sk Preferred (quar.) 2sk Preferred (quar.) 2sk Chemical Co. (quar.) 2sk Chemical Co. (quar.) 2sk Chemical Co. (quar.) 2sk Stra. 2stra.	†	\$1.16 2-3 †\$1	Nov. 1 Feb. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 1	Sept. 1 Sept. 1
Valley Mould & Iron, \$5½ prior pref. (qua	r.)	\$13/8 40C	Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 20 Sept. 1 Sept. 10 Dec. 10 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Sept. 1 Aug. 20 Sept. 9
Van Raalte Co., Inc		50c	Sept. 1	Aug. 17
Apor Car Heating Co., Inc., 7% pref. (qu	ar.)_	\$132	Sept. 10	Sept. 1
Vick Chemical Co. (quar.)		50c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
Vicksburg, Shreveport & Pacific Ry		\$2½ \$2½ 25c	Oct 11	Sept. 8
Vick Chemical Co. (quar.). Extra. Vicksburg. Shreveport & Pacific Ry. Preferred (ga.). Viking Pump Co. Preferred (quarterly) Virginia Electric & Power, \$6 pref. (quar.). Virginia Fire & Marine Insurance. Virginia Public Service, 7% preferred (quar.) Vulcan Detinning Co. pref. (quar.). Valalua Agricultural Co. Walgreen Co., 4½% pref. with warrants. Walker (H.) Gooderham & Worts, Ltd. Preferred.		25c 60c	Sept. 15	Sept. 1
Virginia Electric & Power, \$6 pref. (quar.)		\$1 ½ 50c	Sept. 15 Sept. 20	Aug. 31
Virginia Public Service, 7% preferred (qua	r.)	\$1 3/4 \$1 3/4 20c \$1 1/6 \$1 25c	Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 20 Aug. 31 Sept. 15	Sept. 10
Valalua Agricultural Co		20c	Aug. 31	Aug. 20
Valker (H.) Gooderham & Worts, Ltd Preferred		\$1	Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Oct. 3 Oct. 3 Sept. 1 Aug. 31 Sept. 1 Dec. 1 Dec. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 26
Waltham Watch Co. 6% pref. (quar.)		\$1 1/2	Oct. 3	Sept. 24
Varren (Northam) Corp. \$3 pref. (quar.)		\$1½ \$1¾ 75c	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
5% preferred (quar.)		\$1 14	Sept. 1	Aug. 15
5% preferred (quar.)		\$114 \$114 \$214 \$4	Dec. 1	Nov. 15
Weisbaum BrosBrower		10c	Sept. 1	Aug. 16
Vest Coast Telephone Co. 6% preferred		10c	Sept. 1	Aug. 20
West virginia water service Co. 56 pref. (quality of the control o		†75c \$1½ 25c 25c	Sept. 1	Aug. 19
Valker (H.) Goodernam & Worts, Ltd.— Preferred (alar.) Prior preferred (quar.) Varren (Northam) Corp. \$3 pref. (quar.) Vashington Railway & Electric Co. 5% preferred (quar.) 5% preferred (quar.) 5% preferred (alar.) 5% preferred (sa.) Weill (Raphael) & Co. 8% pref. (sa.) Weill (Raphael) & Co. 8% pref. (sa.) Weishaum Bros.—Brower Westworth Mfg. Co. (resumed) West Coast Telephone Co. 6% preferred West Virginia Water Service Co. \$6 pref. (qu Western Auto Supply Co. Westinghouse Ali Brake Co., quarterly Westinghouse Electric & Mfg Preferred Westmoreland, Inc. (quar.)		50c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 10 Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Oct. 31 Aug. 31	Aug.
Vestmoreland, Inc. (quar.)		87 ½c 25c 25c	Aug. 31 Aug. 31 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 1 Nov. 1 Nov. 1 Aug. 31 Sept. 1	Sept. 15
Whitaker Paper Co. 7% pref. (quar.)		\$134 \$2	Oct. 1	Sept. 17
Preterred. Westmoreland, Inc. (quar.) Westwaco Chlorine Products, (quar.) Whitaker Paper Co. 7% pref. (quar.) Will & Baumer Candle Co., Inc., pref. (qua Williamsport Water Co., \$6 pref. (quar.) Winsted Hosier Co (quarterly)		\$1 ½ \$1 ½ \$1 ½	Sept. 1	Aug. 20
Extra Extra Lincol Too		50c	Nov. 1	Oct. 18
7% preferred (quar.)		35c	Sept. 1	Aug. 18
Worthington Pump & Mach. 4½% pr. pref.	(qu)	60c \$1 \frac{1}{8} \$1 \frac{1}{8}	Sept. 1 Sept. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 15	Sept. 6
72 % conv. prior pref. (quar.) Vright-Hargreaves Mines, Ltd. (quar.)		\$1½ 10c	Sept. 15 Oct. 1	Sept. 6 Aug. 26 Aug. 26
Winsted Hosler Co (quarterly) Extra. Winter & Hirsch, Inc. 7% preferred (quar.) Woolworth (F. W.) Co. (quar.) Worthington Pump & Mach. 4½% pr. pref. 4½% conv. prior pref. (quar.) Wright-Hargreaves Mines, Ltd. (quar.) Extra. Wrigley (Wm.) Jr. Co. (monthly) Monthly Monthly Yale & Towne Manufacturing Co. Yellow Truck & Coach Mfg., preferred. Youngstown Sheet & Tube, pref. A (quar.)		5c 25c	Sept. 1	Aug. 20
Vale & Towne Manufacturing Co		25c 25c 15c	Oct. 1	Aug. 20 Sept. 20 Sept. 9 Sept. 5
	- 1	\$13/4 \$13/8	Oct. 5	sept. 5

^{*} Transfer books not closed for this dividend.
† On account of accumulated dividends.
‡ Payable in Canadian funds, and in the case of non-residents of Canada; deduction of a tax of 5% of the amount of such dividend will be made.

Weekly Return of the New York City Clearing House

The weekly statement issued by the New York City Clearing House is given in full below:

STATEMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK CLEARING HOUSE ASSOCIATION FOR THE WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, AUG. 20, 1938

Clearing House Members	* Capital	* Surplus and Undivided Profits	Net Demand Deposits Average	Time Deposits, Average
	8	S	\$	S
Bank of New York	6,000,000	13,479,700	145 135 000	9,103,000
Bank of Manhattan Co.	20,000,000	25.920.500	409,167,000	39,659,000
National City Bank	77.500,000	f58,700,000	a1,468,176,000	171,124,000
Chem Bank & Trust Co.	20,000,000	54.904,400	483,650,000	7,530,000
Guaranty Trust Co	90,000,000	182,010,400	b1,326,031,000	57,759,000
Manufacturers Trust Co	42,355,000	45,129,400	477 448,000	91,683,000
Cent Hanover Bk&Tr Co	21,000,000	71,027,500	c744,499,000	48,436,000
Corn Exch Bank Tr Co.	15,000,000	18,409,400	248,292,000	24,560,000
First National Bank	10,000,000	108,772,300	497,448,000	2,824,000
Irving Trust Co	50,000,000	61,411,100	467,353,000	5,429,000
Continental Bk & Tr Co.	4.000,000	4,238,900	39,854,000	2,822,000
Chase National Bank	100,270,000		d2,009,123,000	68,994,000
Fifth Avenue Bank	509,000	3,705,900	44,638,000	2,295,000
Bankers Trust Co	25,000.000	77 650,900		42,952,000
Title Guar & Trust Co	10,000,000	1,086,700		2,395,000
Marine Midland Tr Co	5,000,000	9,058,600		8,130,000
New York Trust Co	12,500,000	27,846,700		28,899,000
Comm'l Nat Bk & Tr Co	7,000,000	8,176,500		2,300,000
Public Nat Bk & Tr Co.	7,000, 00	9,084,100	81,210,000	49,910,00
Totals	523,125,000	912.881,700	9,701.663.000	666,804,00

^{*} As per official reports: National, June 30, 1938; State, June 30, 1938; trust compa ies. June 30, 1938. f As of July 5, 1938.

Includes deposits in foreign branches as follows: a \$266,644.000; \$86,946,000; c\$7,479,000: a \$122,497,000: e \$37,463,000.

The New York "Times" publishes regularly each week returns of a number of banks and trust companies which are not members of the New York Clearing House. The following are the figures for the week ended Aug. 19:

INSTITUTIONS NOT IN CLEARING HOUSE WITH THE CLOSING OF BUSINESS FOR THE WEEK ENDED FRIDAY, AUG. 12, 1938 NATIONAL AND STATE BANKS—AVERAGE FIGURES

	Loans, Disc. and Investments	Other Cash, Including Bank Notes	Res. Dep., N. Y. and Elsewhere	Dep. Other Banks and Trust Cos.	Gross Deposits
Manhattan—	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Grace National	21.416 600	145.700	6.886,400	2,764,100	27,254,700
Sterling National	21,081,000	468,000	6,387,000	2,323,000	26,559,000
Trade Bank of N. Y.	4,995,713		1,839,236	178,060	6,082,410
Brooklyn— Lafayette National People's National	6,805,200 4,979,000		1,510,000 602,000	375,900 704,000	8,097,000 5,707,000

TRUST COMPANIES—AVERAGE FIGURES

	Loans, Disc. and Investments	Cash	Res. Dep., N. Y. and Elsewhere	Dep. Other Banks and Trust Cos.	Gross Deposits
Manhattan-	8	8	s	8	\$
Empire	50.213.500	*8,313,500	12.330.700	3,249,500	64,954,500
Federation	9,592,763	186,835	1,492,479	1.514,492	10,746,823
Fiduciary	12,419,817	*1.378.642		24,801	11,741,275
	18,759,400	*5,354,200	1,025,500	336,100	21,035,900
FultonLawyers	27,343,700	*9,927,000			35,830,200
United States	64,879,918		*44,613,200		80,015,864
Brooklyn-	77,200,000	3.013.000	37,935,000	62,000	110,608,000
Kings County	32,926,510	2,238,128			39,816,328

^{*} Includes amount with Federal Reserve as follows: Empire, \$6,371,200; Fiduciary, \$728,876; Fulton, \$5,044,400; Lawyers, \$9,344,100; United States, \$27,424,123

Condition of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York

The following shows the condition of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York at the close of business Aug. 24, 1938, in comparison with the previous week and the corresponding date last year:

	Aug. 24, 1938	Aug. 17, 1938	Aug. 25, 1937
	\$	\$	\$
Assets— Gold certificates on hand and due from United States Treasury_x Redemption fund—F. R. notes Other cash †	4,551,115,000 1,237,000 113,890,000	4,543,941,000 1,237,000 110,289,000	3,289,867,000 1,555,000 76,445,000
Total reserves	4,666,242,000	4,655,467,000	3,367,867,000
Bills discounted: Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations, direct or fully guaranteed Other bills discounted	1,443,000 362,000	1,494,000 294,000	6,406,000 5,238,000
Total bills discounted	1,805,000	1,788,000	11,644,000
Bills bought in open marketIndustrial advances	210,000 3,687,000	213,000 3,690,000	
United States Government securities: Bonds	226,408,000 363,960,000 189,779,000	363,960,000	332,270,000
Total U.S. Government securities	780,147,000	780,147,000	725,029,000
Total bills and securities	785,849,000	785,838,000	743,187,000
Due from foreign banks Federal Reserve notes of other banks Uncollected items Bank premises All other assets	70,000 4,565,000 121,133,000 9,857,000 15,630,000	4,225,000 149,134,000 9,857,000	6,020,000 135,034,000 10,038,000
Total assets	5,603,346,000	5,619,956,000	4,274,969,000
Labilities— F. R. notes in actual circulation Deposits—Member bank reserve acc't U. S. Treasurer—General account Foreign bank Other deposits	42,526,000	41,044,000	72,216,000
Total deposits	4,454,445,00	4,444,478,000	3,084,646,000
Deferred availability items Capital paid in Surplus (Section 7) Surplus (Section 13-B) Reserve for contingencies	50,956,00 51,943,00 7,744,00	50,959,00 51,943,00 7,744,00 8,210,00	51,072,000 51,474,000 7,744,000 9,117,000
Total liabilities	5,603,346,00	5,619,956,00	0 4,274,969,000
Ratio of total reserve to deposit and F, R. note liabilities combined	87.09	Now and the	
Commitments to make industrial ad	3,853,00	3.878.00	5,338,00

Weekly Return for the Member Banks of the Federal Reserve System

Following is the weekly statement issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, giving the principal items of the resources and liabilities of the reporting member banks in 101 leading cities from which weekly returns are obtained. These figures are always a week behind those for the Reserve banks themselves. The comment of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System upon the figures for the latest week appears in our department of "Current Events and Discussions," immediately preceding which we also give the figures of New York and Chicago reporting member banks for a week later.

Commencing with the statement of May 19, 1937, various changes were made in the breakdown of loans as reported in this statement, which were described in an announcement of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York of April 20, 1937, as follows:

The changes in the report form are confined to the classification of loans and discounts. This classification has been changed primarily to show the amounts of (1) commercial, industrial and agricultural loans, and (2) loans (other than to brokers and dealers) for the purpose of purchasing or carrying securities. The revised form also eliminates the distinction between loans to brokers and dealers in securities located in New York City and those located outside New York City. Provision has been made also to include "acceptances of own bank purchased or discounted" with "acceptances and commercial paper bought in open market" under the revised caption "open market paper," instead of in "all other loans," as formerly.

Subscient to the above announcement, it was made known that the new terms "commercial industrial and agricultural loans" and "other loans."

Subsequent to the above announcement, it was made known that the new items "commercial, industrial and agricultural loans" and "other loans" would each be segregated as "on securities" and "otherwise secured and unsecured." A more detailed explanation of the revisions was published in the May 29, 1937, issue of the "Chronicle," page 3590.

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF WEEKLY REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN 101 LEADING CITIES BY DISTRICTS ON AUG. 17, 1938 (In Millions of Dollars)

Federal Reserve Districts—	Total	Boston	New York	Phila.	Cleveland	Richmond	Atlanta	Chicago	St. Louis	Minneap.	Kan. City	Dallas	San Fran.
ASSETS Loans and investments—total Loans—total. Commercial, indus. and agricul. loans Open market paper. Loans to brokers and dealers in securs.	\$ 20,632 8,223 3,900 337 632	\$ 1,106 583 271 63 21	3.332 1,583	\$ 1,133 419 193 20 16	\$ 1,765 662 255 11 21	\$ 608 229 99 11 3	\$ 551 282 154 3 5	\$ 2,865 830 474 34 31	\$ 655 284 175 5	153	\$ 624 245 151 16 4	\$ 491 227 144 2 2	\$ 2,122 977 330 23 10
other loans for purchasing or carrying securities. Real estate loans. Loans to banks Other loans. United States Government obligations Obligations fully guar. by U. S. Govt. Other securities. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank. Cash in vault. Balances with domestic banks. Other assets—net.	578 1,160 115 1,501 7,674 1,628 3,107 6,568 382 2,437 1,268	31 82 31 363 30 130 349 123 134 74	89 517 3,001 820 1,205 3,471 65 163	34 58 2 96 337 94 283 224 16 161 82	36 172 2 165 745 91 267 367 36 268 105	16 32 1 67 283 34 62 148 17 144 33	15 27 4 74 142 43 84 103 11 133 39	93 4 115 1,352 224 459 1,060 59 428	48 6 32 210 63 98 164	62 147 14 40 81 5	209 47 123 159 11 302	14 21 1 43 172 40 52 102 223 26	378 2 179 713 128 304 340 19 231
LIABILITIES Demand deposits—adjusted——— Time deposits—United States Government deposits— Inter-bank deposits: Domestic banks———— Foreign banks————— Cother liabilities———————————————————————————————————	15,020 5,215 425 5,953 320 1 697	1,018 257 8 232 11	1,052 112 2,523 281 1 292	751 294 20 305 5	1 17	413 199 13 211 21 93	335 186 23 196 1	909 7	186 15 272	128 128	144 18 363	411 132 25 197	1,023 92 266 13

es given by the United States Treasury for the gold taken anks when the dollar was, on Jan. 31, 1934, devalued from s, these certificates being worth less to the extent of the tself having been appropriated as profit by the Treasury the Gold Reserve Act of 1934. x These are certificate ver from the Reserve to 00 cents to 59.06 cents ifference, the difference

Weekly Return of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

The following was issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System on Thursday afternoon, Aug 25, The following was issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System on Thursday afternoon, Aug 25, showing the condition of the 12 Reserve banks at the close of business on Wednesday. The first table presents the results for the System as a whole in comparison with the figures for the eight preceding weeks and with those of the corresponding week last year. The second table shows the resources and liabilities separately for each of the 12 banks. The Federal Reserve note statement (third table following) gives details regarding transactions in Federal Reserve notes between the Reserve Agents and the Federal Reserve banks. The comments of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System upon the returns for the latest week appear in our department of "Current Events and Discussions."

COMBINED RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS AUG. 24 1938

Three Ciphers (000) Omitted	Aug. 24, 1938	Aug. 17, 1938	Aug. 10, 1938	Aug. 3, 1938	July 27, 1938	July 20, 1938	July 13. 1938	July 6, 1938	June 29, 1938	Aug. 25, 1937
ASSETS Gold etts. on hand and due from U. S. Treas. x. Redemption fund (Federal Reserve notes) Other cash *	\$ 10,632,411 9,112 396,893	9,112	\$ 10,632,907 8,680 †394,085	\$ 10,632,904 9,437 397,013	\$ 10,633,400 9,098 421,229	\$ 10,633,423 9,996 406,959	\$ 10,634,922 9,884 401,129	\$ 10,634,927 9,884 374,414	\$ 10,635,929 9,387 406,523	\$,831,948 9,423 308,865
Total reserves	11,038,416	11,032,117	†11,035,672	11,039,354	11,063,727	11,050,378	11,045,935	11,019,225	11,051,839	9,150,236
Bills discounted: Secured by U. S. Government obligations, direct or fully guaranteed Other bills discounted	3,699 3,042	3,724 2,908	3,775 3,099	3,339 3,127	† 4,16 2 † 3, 160	4,467 3,118	6,005 3,261	4,704 3,254	6,111 3,580	11,312 7,391
Total bills discounted	6,741	6,632	6,874	6,466	7,322	7,585	9,266	7,958	9,691	18,703
Bills bought in open market	537 15,852	540 15,816	540 15,965	539 15,647	539 16,308	540 16,214	540 16,274	537 16,361	537 16,590	3,077 20,929
United States Government securities—Bonds	744,105 1,196,188 623,722	744,105 1,196,188 623,722	744,105 1,196,188 623,722	744,105 1,196,188 623,722	744,105 1,190,870 629,040	744,105 1,174,105 645,805	744,105 1,174,105 645,805	744,105 1,165,105 654,805	744,105 1,165,105 654,805	737,073 1,157,713 631,404
Total U. S. Government securities	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,526,190
Other securities				====						
Total bills and securities	2,587,145	2,587,003	2,587,394	2,586,667	2,588,184	2,588,354	2,590,095	2,588,871	2,590,833	2,568,899
Gold held abroad	184 24,955 501,237 44,462 51,950	180 23,032 589,565 44,486 51,280	180 23,587 507,628 44,486 *50,674	181 22,948 547,727 44,486 49,585	181 23,516 534,141 44,559 49,113	180 26,602 593,833 44,581 47,486	180 25,552 644,090 44,578 46,027	183 20,252 585,567 44,577 44,837	183 19,505 520,057 44,616 44,953	220 24,200 580,791 45,479 44,726
Total assets	14,248,349	14,327,663	14,249,621	14,290,948	14,303,421	14,351,414	14,396,457	14,303,512	14,271,986	12,414,551
LIABILITIES Federal Reserve notes in actual circulation	4,144,760	4,150,214	4,135,656	4,138,706	4,109,643	4,124,138	4,134,161	4,174,869	4,124,442	4,234,680
Deposits—Member banks' reserve account United States 'Treasurer—General account_ Foreign banks	8,156,037 770,784 119,166 195,662	8,085,198 802,104 115,867 233,198	8,045,525 838,820 117,267 247,425	8,074,340 774,757 123,956 267,742	8,187,723 732,462 125,243	8,201,896 723,989 126,908	8,273,069 627,928 128,957	8,073,675 770,193 134,865	8,040,951 863,897 138,612	6,729,546 160,885 200,205
Total deposits	9,241,649	9,236,367	9,249,037	9,240,795	9,302,883	9,279,311	9,272,770	9,206,730	9,270,901	7,246,695
Defected availability items	509,855 133,991 147,739 27,683 32,775	589,541 133,953 147,739 27,683 32,774	513,223 133,829 147,739 27,683 32,809	560,292 133,814 147,739 27,682 32,810	539,276 133,785 147,739 27,683 32,810	597,151 133,760 147,739 27,683 32,810	638,000 133,706 147,739 27,683 32,845	571,624 133,667 147,739 27,683 32,846	521,301 133,570 147,739 27,683 32,846	584,978 132,531 145,854 27,490 35,838
All other liabilities Total liabilities	9,897	9,392	9,645	9,110	9,602	8,822	9,553	8,354	13,504	6,485
Ratio of total reserves to deposits and Federal Reserve note liabilities combined. Contingent liability on bills purchased for foreign correspondents.	82.5% 604	82.4% 697	82.4% 704	14,290,948 82.5% 727	82.5% 879	82.4% 975	82.4%	82.3%	82.5%	79.7%
Commitments to make industrial advances	13,684	13,740	13,767	13,809	13,731	13,432	1,097	1,368	1,506 13,649	1,932 15,179
Maturity Distribution of Bills and Short-Term Securities— 1-15 days bills discounted. 16-30 days bills discounted. 31-60 days bills discounted. 31-90 days bills discounted. Over 90 days bills discounted.	4,980 418 824 373 146	5,031 325 743 411 122	5,340 302 694 383 155	4,916 255 426 628 241	5,478 529 418 613 284	5,662 612 417 570 324	7,369 418 536 528 415	6,286 247 527 503	7,807 471 477 355 581	16,546 362 914 742
Total bills discounted	6,741	6,632	6,874	6,466	7,322	7,585	9,266	7,958	9,691	18,703
1-15 days bills bought in open market 16-30 days bills bought in open market 31-60 days bills bought in open market 61-90 days bills bought in open market Over 90 days bills bought in open market	137 118 282	125 117 23 275	201 137 	105 125 70 239	307 105 90 37	239 168 23 110	69 275 86 110	107 216 83 131	110 69 229 129	569 ,333 391 784
Total bills bought in open market	537	540	540	539	539	540	540	537	537	3,077
I-15 days industrial advances 16-30 days industrial advances 31-60 days industrial advances 61-90 days industrial advances Over 90 days industrial advances	1,241 132 584 762 13,133	1,201 184 563 767 13,101	1,046 249 614 569 13,487	1,123 193 469 730 13,132	1,728 47 380 626 13,527	1,885 58 367 611 13,293	1,233 277 283 1,150 13,331	1,269 305 229 1,034 13,524	1,239 171 286 934 13,960	936 224 649 564 18,556
Total industrial advances	15,852	15,816	15,965	15,647	16,308	16,214	16,274	16,361	16;590	20,929
1-15 days U. S. Government securities 16-30 days U. S. Government securities 31-60 days U. S. Government securities 61-90 days U. S. Government securities Over 90 days U. S. Government securities	83,330 131,150 207,279 159,113 1,983,143	88,950 103,830 213,650 172,432 1,985,153	87,710 83,330 237,520 160,187 1,995,268	92,335 88,950 215,480 193,257 1,973,993	86,493 87,710 215,480 223,779 1,950,553	81,361 92,335 192,780 229,401 1,968,138	92,271 86,493 171,040 236,036 1,978,175	118,893 81,361 181,285 215,480 1,966,996	106,776 112,246 174,203 215,480 1,955,310	28,546 106,880 54,736 59,729 2,276,299
Total U. S. Government securities	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,526,190
1-15 days other securities 10-30 days other securities 13-160 days other securities 61-90 days other securities Over 90 days other securities 19-30 days other securities								<i></i>		
Total other securities										
Federal Reserve Notes— Issued to Federal Reserve Bank by F. R. Agent Held by Federal Reserve Bank————————————————————————————————————	4,443,342 298,582	4,448,170 297,956	4,445,959 310,303	4,431,040 292,334	4,433,662 324,019	4,455,659 331,521	4,472,648 338,487	4,458,193 283,324	4,418,328 293,886	4,560,971 326,291
In actual circulation	4,144,760	4,150,214	4,135,656	4,138,706	4,109,643	4,124,138	4,134,161	4,174,869	4,124,442	4,234,680
Collateral Held by Agent as Security for Notes Issued to Bank— Gold cits. on hand and due from U. S. Treas. By eligible paper. United States Government securities	4,544,632 5,727	4,539,632 5,629	4. 539,632 5. 694	4,528,632 5,449	4,528,632 6,292	4,528,632 6,615	4,542,632 8,267	4,543,632 6,9 8 6	4,533,632 7,810	4,594,632 18,277 20,000
* "Other cash" does not include Federal R	4.550.359	4.545.261	4,545,326	4,534.081	4,534,924	4,535,247	4,550,899	4,550,618	4,541,442	4,632,909

clude Federal Reserve notes † Revised figure

These are certificates given by the United States Treasury for the gold taken over from the Reserve banks when the dollar was devalued from 100 cents to 59.06 ents on Jan. 31, 1934, these certificates being worthless to the extent of the difference, the difference itself having been appropriated as profit thy the Treasury under provisions of the Gold Reserve Act of 1934.

Weekly Return of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Concluded)

WEEKLY STATEMENT OF RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES OF EACH OF THE 12 FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS AUG. 24, 1938

Three Ciphers (000) Omitted Federal Reserve Agent at—	Total	Boston	New York	Phila.	Cleveland	Richmond	Atlanta	Chicago	St. Louis	Minneap.	Kan. City	Dallas	San Fran.
ASSETS	\$	8	8	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Gold certificates on hand and due from United States Treasury Redemption fund—Fed. Res. notes Other cash *	10,632,411 . 9,112 396,893	613,786 827 41,507	4,551,115 1,237 113,890	463,632 992 31,386	714,655 1,151 25,104	313,886 901 22,414	231,710 635 14,527	2,031,244 577 51,503	309,556 368 15,565	219,331 814 9,621	291,362 202 18,770	182,966 315 13,476	709,168 1,093 39,130
Total reservesBills discounted:	11,038,416	656,120	4,666,242	496,010	740,910	337,201	246,872	2,083,324	325,489	229,766	310,334	196,757	749,391
Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations direct and (or) fully guaranteed. Other bills discounted.	3,699 3,042	90 40	1,443 362	439 597	343 140		93 584	165	120 60	73 56		257 406	278 245
Total bills discounted	6,741	130	1,805	1,036	483	750	677	165	180	129	200	663	523
Bills bought in open marketIndustrial advancesU. S. Government securities—Bonds Treasury notes	537 15,852 744,105 1,196,188 623,722	2,373 56,940 91,535 47,728	363,960	55 3,302 66,972 107,662 56,137	49 735 69,727 112,089 58,446	1,476 36,921 59,355	19 115 32,270 51,876 27,050	80,920 130,083	53,375	21,310 34,257	34,428 55,345	16 846 24,657 39,638 20,668	38 1,197 60,348 97,013 50,585
Total U. S. Govt. securities	2,564,015	196,203	780,147	230,771	240,262	127,224	111,196	278,831	114,411	73,430	118,631	84,963	207,946
Total bills and securities Due from foreign banks Fed. Res. notes of other banks Uncollected items Bank premises All other assets	24,955 501,237	198,746 14 1,893 50,281 2,968 3,417	70 4,565 121,133 9,857	235,164 18 1,573 40,085 4,741 5,029	1,239 56,032 6,117	1,446 44,935 2,654	2,341 17,165 2,090	2,573 64,530 4,518	1,724 22,014 2,314	1,572 14,894 1,545	1,705 27,116 3,115	86,488 5 512 19,889 1,266 1,692	3,812 23,163 3,277
Total assets	14,248,349	913,439	5,603,346	782,620	1,051,263	518,859	382,898	2,439,469	468,339	324,083	463,770	306,609	993,654
F. R. notes in actual circulation	4,144,760	355,518	907,629	302,136	408,70	196,093	139,805	957,124	70.50			75,583	
Deposits: Member bank reserve account U. S. Treasurer—General account. Foreign bank Other deposits	119,166	443,468 26,518 8,609 4,711	42,526	351,668 42,031 11,717 2,263	29,825 11,000	31,429 5,141	37,449 4,185	78,869 14,228	27,707 3,587	43,359	26,937 3,467	164,649 26,596 3,467 2,184	38,828 8,489
Total deposits		483,303	4,454,445	407,679	553,383	263,285	213,049	1,370,856	263,029	167,719	259,382	196,896	608,623
Deferred availability items Capital paid in Surplus (Section 7) Surplus (Section 13-B) Reserve for contingencies All other liabilities	509,855 133,991 147,739 27,683		119,714 50,956 51,943 7,744 8,210	39,958 12,215 13,466 4,411 2,000 755	13,388 14,323 1,000 3,170	4,988 4,964 7 3,409 6 1,401	4,478 5,626 730 1,603	13,267 22,387 1,429 7,118	3,918 4,667 548 1,218	2.900 7 3,153 5 1,000 1,894 5 565	3,613 1,142 934 2 462	22,956 3,938 3,892 1,270 1,776 298	10,342 9,803 2,12 2,000 75
Total liabilities Contingent liability on bills purchased for foreign correspondents Commitments to make indus. advs	604	4:	5,603,346 3,853	782,620 59 340		5 26	2		1	8 1	1 18	18	3 4

^{* &}quot;Other cash" does not include Federal Reserve notes

FEDERAL RESERVE NOTE STATEMENT

Three Ciphers (000) Omitted Federal Reserve Bank of—	Total	Boston	New York	Phila.	Cleveland	Richmond	Atlanta	Chicago	St. Louis	Minneap.	Kan. City	Dallas	San Ftan.
Federal Reserve notes: Issued to F. R. Bank by F. R. Agent Held by Federal Reserve Bank	\$ 4,443,342 298,582	\$ 379,630 24,112	\$ 1,002,640 95,011	\$ 321,274 19,138	\$ 430,178 21,471		\$ 157,641 17,836	\$ 984,927 27,803	\$ 184,952 13,758		\$ 175,450 10,277	\$ 82,650 7,067	\$ 380,923 47,225
In actual circulation	4,144,760	355,518	907,629	302,136	408,707	196,093	139,805	957,124	171,194	132,100	165,173	75,583	333,698
Gold certificates on hand and due from United States Treasury Eligible paper	4,544,632 5,727	390,000 90	1,010,000 1,775				164,000 534	1,010,000 165				85,500 663	404,000 523
Total collateral	4,550,359	390,090	1,011,775	327,546	434,383	210,631	164,534	1,010,165	188,752	141,606	180,191	86,163	404,523

United States Treasury Bills—Friday, Aug. 26 Rates quoted are for discount at purchase.

	Bid	Asked		Bid	Asked
Aug. 31 1938	0.08%		Oct. 19 1938	0.09%	
Sept. 7 1938	0.08%		Oct. 26 1938	0.09%	
Sept. 14 1938	0.08%		Nov. 2 1938	0.09%	
Sept. 21 1938	0.08%		Nov. 9 1938	0.09%	
Sept. 28 1938	0.08%	2	Nov. 16 1938	0.07%	
Oct. 5 1938	0.09%		Nov. 23 1938	0.09%	
Oet. 13 1938	0.09%		4 4 4 4	Wall Aurel	18 1874

Quotations for United States Treasury Notes-Friday, Aug. 26

Figures after decimal point represent one or more 32ds of a point.

Maturity	Int. Rate	Bid	Asked	Maturity	Int. Rate	Bid	Asked
June 15 1943 Dec. 15 1938 Dec. 15 1941 Sept. 15 1939 Dec. 15 1939 June 15 1941 Mar. 15 1939 Mar. 15 1941	1%% 1%% 1%% 1%% 1%% 1%%	101.14 101.21 102.16 101.25 101.27 102.17 101.23 102.22	101.26 102.18 101.27 102.29 102.19 101.25	June 15 1940 Dec. 15 1940 Mar. 15 1942 Mar. 15 1942 Dec. 15 1942 Sept. 15 1942 June 15 1939 Sept. 15 1938	1147 1147 1147 1147 1147 2147 2147	102.12 102.16 102.13 103.18 103.30 104.3 102.11 100.3	102.14 102.18 102.15 103.20 104 105.1 102.13

THE BERLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

Closing prices of representative stocks as received by cable each day of the past week:

	Aug.	Aug.	Aug. 23	Aug. 24	Aug. 25	Aug. 26
			Per Cen	t of Par		
Allgemeine Elektrizitaets-Gesellschaft (4%)	108	108	107	106	106	105
Berliner Kraft u. Licht (8%)	145	145	144	144	143	143
Deutsche Bank (6%)	113	113	113	113	113	113
Deutsche Reichsbahn (German Rys.pf.7%).	122	122	122	122	122	122
Dresdner Bank (5%)	106	106	106	106	106	106
		147	146	146	145	144
Mannesmann Roehren (5%)	105	105	102	101	101	101
Reichsbanks (8%)	178	179	180	179	179	178
Siemens & Halske (8%)	182	179	177	176	176	175
Vereinigte Stahlwerke (5%)	101	101	99	98	98	98

United States Government Securities on the New York Stock Exchange—See following page.

Transactions at the New York Stock Exchange, Daily, Weekly and Yearly—See page 1309.

Stock and Bond Averages—See page 1309.

THE PARIS BOURSE

Quotations of representative stocks as received by cable each day of the past week:

	Aug. 20 Francs	Aug. 22 Francs		Aug. 24 Francs	Aug. 25 Francs	
	1 / 0/1000	6,700	6,700	6,700	6.660	6.600
Bank of France		1,205	1,224	1,230	1,202	
Banque de Paris et Des Pays Bas		459	460	459	452	
Banque de l'Union Parisienne		232	232	237	234	233
Canadian Pacific	·ya o	21,300	21,200	21,300	21,100	20,800
Canal de Suez cap		632	635	627	628	
Cie Distr d'Electricite	•	1.330	1,340	1.360	1.310	1.300
Cie Generale d'Electricite	94 H.S.	27	28	28	28	
Cle Generale Transatlantique		514	508	508	509	
Citroen B.		766	765	767	765	
Comptoir Nationale d'Escompte	,	200	200	200	200	200
Coty S A		226	231	230	225	4
Courriere		560	460	459	458	
Credit Commercial de France		1.560	1,570	1,570	1,550	1.540
Credit Lyonnaise		1,320	1.340	1,330	1,320	1,310
Eaux des Lyonnaise cap		289	280	280	280	-,
Energie Electrique du Nord	et oo i j	498		495	482	
Energie Electrique du Littoral		640	648	648		
Kuhlmann	HOLT-		1,230	1,230		
L'Air Liquide	DAY	775	778	775		
Lvon (P L M)	. DILL	747		744		
Nord Ry		371	371	371	373	
Orleans Ry 6%		30	30	30		
Pathe Capital	•	1.571	1.606			
Pechiney	•	74.10				
Rentes Perpetual 3%		72.10				
Rentes 4% . 1917	18	70.90				
Rentes 4%. 1918	•	77.90				
Rentes 41/2 %. 1932. A		78.00				79.40
Rentes 41/2 %. 1932, B		97.00				98.10
Rentes, 5%. 1920		6.810				6.810
Royal Dutch		2,010				
Saint Gobain C & C	•	1,038				
Schneider & Cle	•	69				
Societe Francaise Ford	•	74			70	
Societe Generale Fonciere	September 1	1.325				
Societe I yonnaise	10000	562				
Societe Marseilles	•	127			125	
Tubize Artificial Silk preferred.	•	400			395	
Union d'Electricite	_	85			84	

Aug. 27, 1938

Stock and Bond Sales—New York Stock Exchange DAILY, WEEKLY AND YEARLY

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NOTICE—Cash and deferred delivery sales are disregarded in the day's range, unless they are the only transaction of the day. No count is taken of such sales in computing the range for the year.

United States Government Securities on the New York Stock Exchange

Below we furnish a daily record of the transactions in Treasury, Home Owners' Loan and Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation bonds on the New York Stock Exchange during the current week.

Quotations after decimal point represent one or more 32ds of a point.

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Daily Record of U.S. Bond Prices	Aug. 20	Aug. 22	Aug. 23	Aug. 24	Aug. 25	Aug. 26	Daily Record of U. S. Bond Prices		Aug. 22	Aug. 23	Aug. 24	Aug. 25	Aug. 26
Treasury 4 1/4 8, 1947-52	119.5 119.2	119.3 119.3		119.3 119.3	119.4 119.4	119.5 119.5	Treasury High Low Close			====	105.6 105.5 105.5		
Total sales in \$1,000 units	119.5	119.3		119.8	119.4	119.5 119.5 2	Total sales in \$1,000 units				5		
4s, 1944-54		114.18					2 1/2 s, 1951-54		103.25	103.22 103.22 103.22			103.23 103.23 103.23
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units		114.18 2	114.16	7777			Total sales in \$1,000 units		6				103.2
3 1/4 s., 1946-56				140 40			23/48, 1956-59{Low_	103.7	103.6 103.6	103.4	103.2		103.2
Total sales in \$1,000 units				113.12 1			Total sales in \$1,000 units	103.7	103.6	103.4 1	103.2 *1		103.2
3%s, 1940-43		106 105.31					2 % s. 1958-63 Low.	102.11	102.11	102.11 102.7	102.8	102.10	102.9
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units		105.31 6		::::			Total sales in \$1,000 units	102.11 55	102.11	102.7 103	102.10 48	102.10 160	
3%s, 1941-43{Low_		107.12 107.12	107.14 107.14			107.10 107.10	2½s, 1945{Low_		106.3		106.2 106	106.2 106.2	
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units		107.12				107.10	Close Total sales in \$1,000 units	:::::	106.3 5		106	106.2 150	
3%s. 1943-47{Low.		110.7 110.7		110.8 110.7		110.8 110.8	High 21/28, 1948{Close		104.26 104.26	104.26 104.26			
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units						110.8	Total sales in \$1,000 units		1	104.26			
31/48, 1941						107.25 107.25	21/28, 1949-53 Low_	102.9 102.9 102.9	102.9 102.9 102.9	102.9 102.6 102.8	102.8 102.7 102.7	102.9 102.9 102.9	102.8 102.7 102.7
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units.				====			Total sales in \$1,000 units. Federal Farm Mortgage (High	107.6	30	7	14	5	16
31/2 1943-45 High	109.27 109.27	109.27 109.27				109.27 109.26	3 1/4 s. 1944-64	107.6					
3¼s, 1943-45 Low- Close Total sales in \$1 000 units	109.27		109.26	===	109.27	109.26	Federal Farm Mortgage High 3s, 1944-49Low.		106.15 106.13		106.13 106.13	::::	106.14 106.14
3½s. 1944-46	109.29 109.28	109.28 109.28		109.31 109.31		109.29 109.26	Total sales in \$1 000 units Federal Farm Mortgage [High]	====	106.13 19 106.2		106.13		106.14 5 106.3
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units	109.28 12	109.28		109.31		109.26	38, 1942-47Low.		106.2 106.2	100.1			106.3 106.3
31/48, 1946-49	108.28	108.28 108.28	108.29 108.29	108.28 108.28		108.28 108.28	Total sales in \$1,000 units Federal Farm Mortgage High 23/48, 1942-47. Low		3	2	====		105.2 105.2
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units	108.28	108.28	108.29		108.29		Total sales in \$1,000 units						105.2 2
31/ss, 1949-52{Low. Close							Home Owners' Loan 3s, series A, 1944-52 High Close		106.11	106.10	106.11 106.11 106.11		106.12 106.12
Total sales in \$1,000 units				====			Total sales in \$1,000 units Home Owners' Loan High 234s, series B, 1939-49_ Low_		7	102.27	102.28	102.28	102.28
3s, 1946-48{Low.		108.9	108.9				234s, series B, 1939-49{Close Close Total sales in \$1,000 units				102.25		102.28 102.28
Total sales in \$1,000 units		108.7 108.9 30	108.9 108.9 5				Home Owners' Loan High	104.4	104.6	104.4	104.1	104.5	104.5
3s, 1951-55{Low_		106.23		106.24		106.24	Total sales in \$1,000 units	104.4	104.6 10	104.4	104.5	104.5	104.5
Total ales in \$1,000 units		106.23 106.23 2		106.21 106.24 15		106.24 106.24 *2	* Odd lot sales. † Deferred del			on1	gol	of o	
21/s, 1955-60	104.7	104.9			104.11	104.10	Note—The above tab bonds. Transactions in	registe	ered b	onds	were:		
Close	104.7	104.8	104.6	104.6	104.8	104.7	5 Treasury 4s, 1944-1946					114.15 to	114.15

United States Treasury Bills—See previous page. United States Treasury Notes, &c.—See previous page.

New York Stock Record

Saturday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday			Sales for	NEW YORK STOCK	Range Sin On Basis of 1	ce Jan. 1 00-Share Lots	Range for Year	
Aug. 20	Aug. 22	Aug. 23	Aug. 24	Thursday Aug. 25	Friday Aug. 26	the Week	EXCHANGE	Lowest	Highest	Lowest	Highest
*3934 44 *3912 44 *3912 4118 111 2014 2014 2024 283 6134 622 *1 11	52 52 52 4 *116 1234 44 4 *3994 44 4 *3992 41 2 11 1 13 4 *2018 2134 8 *2838 29 6212 6234 8 *11 11 1 1	*20\s 21\ 29\s 29\s 62\sq 29\s 62\sq 26\sq 1\sq 1\sq 1\sq 1\sq 1\sq 1\sq 1\sq 1	*118 12334 *3934 44 *3934 44 *393 411 *1134 1214 *2018 21 299 29 6378 6438 118 118	$\begin{array}{c} *118 & 1232\\ 3934 & 3934\\ 3934 & 3934\\ 112 & 1218\\ *2018 & 21\\ 29 & 29\\ 63 & 6312\\ 118 & 118\\ \hline 00000000000000000000000000000000000$	*118 1238 *35 44 *35 44 *35 44 *36 41 1218 1214 *2012 21 29 29 4*1 118	200 2,800 1,000 1,000 1,000 5,800 3,700 400 4,700 5,200 1,400 23,400 9,700 1,300 2,000 1,200 2,800 2,800	Acme Steel Co. 25 Adams Express. No par Adams-Millis. No par Address-Multigr Corp. 10 Alr Reduction Inc. No par Air Reduction Inc. No par Alabama & Vicksby Ry Co 100 Alaska Juneau Gold Min. 10 Albany & Susq RR. 100 51½ % pf A with \$30 war. 100 51½ % pf A with \$30 war. 100 51½ % pf A with \$40 war. 100 51½ % pf A with \$40 war. 100 \$2.50 prior conv pref. No par Alghny Lud Sti Corp. No par Allen Industries Inc. 1 Allied Kid Co. 55 Allied Mills Co Inc. No par Allied Mills Co Inc. No par Allied Mills Co Inc. No par Allied Stores Corp. No par Allied Mills Co Inc. No par Allied Stores Corp. No par Amalgam Leather Co Inc. 1 6% conv preferred. 50 Amerada Corp. No par American Bank Note. 10 6% preferred. 50	3014 Mar 23 28 June 28 3614 Mar 30 1412 Mar 31 1636 Mar 31 40 May 2 5 Mar 30 67 Aug 3 84 Mar 31 95 Apr 16 76 Mar 30 512 June 17 744 June 18 77 Mar 31 77 Mar 31 77 Mar 31 77 Mar 31 74 Mar 26 38 Mar 38 88 Mar 38 114 Apr 1 114 Mar 26 10 Mar 30 10 Mar 30 10 Mar 30 114 Mar 26 10 Mar 30 10 Mar 30 114 Mar 26 10 Mar 30 10 Mar 30	523, Aug 26 1193, July 2. 4212 Aug 1 522 Aug 9 1234 July 19 22 Aug 9 124 July 19 23 Aug 9 135 July 11 67 Aug 3 1338 Feb 2 993, July 25 133 Jan 7 1778 Jan 12 1774 Jan 12 1772 Jan 12 1778 July 26 1414 July 20 1478 July 27 158 July 19 6818 July 19 6818 July 19 6818 July 19 6818 July 19 78 July 13 843, Aug 65 2318 July 19	37 Nov 4334 Dec 778 Nov 1712 Oct 1612 Oct 12 Oct 140 Oct 1 Oct 1 Oct 1 Oct 1 Oct 11 Oct 11 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 145 Nov 714 Dec 10 Oct 612 Oct 145 Nov 714 Dec 10 Oct 619 Oct 11 Oct 12 Oct 13 Oct 145 Nov 714 Dec 10 Oct 619 Oct 11 Oct 12 Oct 13 Oct 14 Oct 15 Nov 714 Dec 16 Oct 17 Oct 18 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 11 Oct 12 Oct 13 Oct 14 Oct 15 Nov 71 Oct 16 Oct 17 Oct 18 Oct 19 Oct 19 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 11 Oct 11 Oct 12 Oct 13 Oct 14 Oct 15 Oct 16 Oct 17 Oct 18 Oct 19 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 11 Oct 10 Oct 11 Oct 11 Oct 12 Oct 13 Oct 14 Oct 15 Oct 16 Oct 17 Oct 18 Oct 19 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 11 Oct 11 Oct 12 Oct 13 Oct 14 Oct 15 Oct 15 Oct 16 Oct 17 Oct 18 Oct 19 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 11 Oct 11 Oct 11 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 10 Oct 11 Oct 10 Oct	55 Mar 69 Mar 85 Aug 28% Feb 36 Jan 8014 Jan 1524 Feb 166 Aug 578 Feb 578 Feb 5218 Feb 5218 Feb 5218 Feb 5218 Aug 3318 Jan 3318 Jan 3418 Mar 1524 Mar 178 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Mar 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Mar 179 Feb 179 Feb

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* Bid and asked prices; no sales on this day

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE Bond Record, Friday, Weekly and Yearly

NOTICE—Prices are "and interest"—except for income and defaulted bonds. Cash and deferred delivery sales are disregarded in the week's range, income step are the only transactions of the week, and when selling outside of the regular weekly range are shown in a footnote in the week in which they income. No account is taken of such sales in computing the range for the year.

N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended Aug. 26	Interes	Last Sale Price	Week's Range or Friday's But & Asked	Bonds	Range Since Jan. 1	N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended Aug. 26	Interest	Friday Last Sale Price	Week's Range or Friday's Bid & Ask	Bonds	Range Since Jan. 1
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Notice—Cash and deferred delivery sales are disregarded in the week's range unless they are the only transactions of the week, and when selling outside of the regular weekly range are shown in a footnote in the week in which they occur. No account is taken of such sales in computing the range for the year.

In the following extensive list we furnish a complete record of the transactions on the New York Curb Exchange for the week beginning on Saturday last (Aug. 20, 1938) and ending the present Friday (Aug. 26, 1938). It is compiled entirely from the daily reports of the Curb Exchange itself, and is intended to include every security, whether stock or bond, in which any dealings occurred during the week covered:

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Almonium Disputerie come 1	6% preference100	115½	1031/4 106	450	93 Apr	1061 Jan	Preferred100	7	7 73/8	1,200	76 May	88 Mar
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Clase B. B	Class B				1% Mar	3¼ Jan	\$6 preferred*				40 May	40 May
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Associated Elec Intestrey	Art Metal Works com5				5 Mar	9 July	Cent Hud G & E com*	561/2	53 561/2	280	10% Mar	69 Jan 14 May
1	Associated Elec Industries Amer deposit rcts£1	4 72	4 1/2 4 1/8	2,100			Cent N Y Pow 5% pref. 100 Cent Ohio Steel Prod	II			75% Apr	92 June
14	Assoc Gas & Elec— Common1	916		600	1/2 Aug		Cent Pow & Lt 7% pref100 Cent & South West Util 50c		80 80	25	64 @Mar	83 June
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Austin Silver Mines 1	Atlas Corp warrants		22½ 23 1 1½	700	34 Mar	11/2 Jan			61/2 61/2	100	5 Mar	7% Jan
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Barling Stanless Steel 1	Bardstown Distill Inc1				4 Mar 34 June	9% Jan 1% Jan	Claude Neon Lights Inc. 1 Clayton & Lambert Mfg. *	11/4	11/4 13/8	1,900	1 Jan 214 Mar	2% Jan
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State Stat	Bath Iron Works Corp1 Baumann (L) & Co com*	81/4	71/4 81/4	1,400	414 May	91/4 July	Clinchfield Coal Corp_100 Club Alum Utensii Co*				1 June 1 Mar	314 Jan 21/8 Aug
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Benson & Heages com	Bellanca Aircraft com		6 634	4,900	81/4 Mar 21/4 Mar	71/4 Aug	Columbia Gas & Elec-				47% June	60 Jan
Com pref. — 14½ Mar 29½ Aug Berkey & Gay Furniture.1 — 3½ 34 300 ½ May 1½ Jan Purchase warrants. — 5½ ½ 16 300 % May 1½ Jan 9½ Mar 11 July Selectorist in common. • 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25	Benson & Hedges com*	18			1131/2 July	119% Feb	Commonwealth & Southern	3 %				
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Interstate Power \$7 pref* Investors Royalty1 Iron Fireman Mfg v t c10	4%	4½ 5 3% 3% 17 17½	150 1,200 300	2¼ Mar *10 May 11% Mar	7% July 14 Jan 19 Aug	Nat Auto Fibre com1 9 National Baking Co com_1 Nat Bellas Hess com1	9 978 8 58 1516	1,300	31/4 Mar 4 June 5/4 Mar	1 Jan
Irving Aur Chute1 Italian Superpower A* Jacobs (F.L.) Co1	133/8	11 1/4 13 1/4 4 1/4 5 1/4	2,200 8,600	7% Mar % Mar 2 May	13% Aug % Jan 7% Jan	National City Lines com_1 \$3 conv pref50 National Container (Del)_1	634 7	400	6% Apr 25 Apr 5% June	11½ Jan 37 Jan 9 Fel
Jeannette Glass Co Jersey Central Pow & Lt- 514% preferred100	2	134 2	800	5214 Apr	67½ Aug	National Fuel Gas* 12 Nat Mig & Stores com* National Oil Products4 33	3134 3314	1,400 500	115% Aug 2 Mar 15 Mar	14 % Jan 3% Au 38 Jul
6% preferred100 7% preferred100 Jones & Laughlin Steel_100 Julian & Kokenge com*	82	71 75 81 82¼ 29¾ 33	350 1,900	61 Apr 68 Apr 21 Mar 24 Aug	75 Aug 85 Jan 4314 Jan 321/2 Aug	National P & L \$6 pref* National Refining Co25 Nat Rubber Mach* Nat Service common1	62¾ 63 5½ 7½	150 5,900	3814 Mar 3 May 214 Mar 116 Mar	64½ July 4¾ Jan 7½ Au
Kansas G & E 7% pref_100 Kennedy's Inc5 Ken-Rad Tule & Lamp A *		51/4 61/4	400	106 May 4 Mar 5% Apr	32½ Aug 111 July 7½ Mar 11¾ Jan	Conv part preferred* National Steel Car Ltd* National Sugar Refining * 13	1 1 65% 65% 4 11½ 14½	300 25 3,900	1 Aug 32 Mar 10% May	2 Fel 65¾ Au 18¼ Jai
Kimberly-Clark 6% pi_100 Kingsbury Brewerles1 Kings Co Ltg 7% pi B 100	44	39 44	80	106 Aug 16 Feb 281 Mar	106 Aug Jan 44 Aug	Nat Tunnel & Mines 2	75/8 81/8 2 21/8 13 ₁₆ 13 ₁₆	900 100	7¼ June 1¼ Jan ¼ Mar	9½ Jan 3 Jan 1% July
5% preferre D100 Kingston Products1 Kirby Petroleum1 Kirkl'd Lake G M Co Ltd 1	3 3 1/2	2¾ 3 3½ 3¾	1,100 800	22 Mar 1% June 3 June	33 July 31 Jan 5 Feb	Navarro Oli Co 16 Nebel (Oscar) Co com* Nebraska Pow 7% pref_100	1093/ 1093/	1,000	1216 May 110 Feb 105 May	17 July 16 Ma 111 Jan
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Knott Corp common1 Koppers Co 6% pref100 Kresge Dept Stores 4% conv 1st pref100	98%	981/2 993/4	175	95 Mar 37½ June	1021 Jun 371 June	Neptune Meter class A* Nestle Le Mur Co cl A* Nevada Calif Elec com 100 7% preferred 100		25	3% Aug 5 Aug 45 June	5½ Ap 51 July
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Lake Shores Mines Ltd1 Lakey Foundry & Mach1 Lane Bryant 7% pref100 Langendorf United Bak—	52 2%	52 53½ 2½ 2½ 2.56	6,500 900	4514 Mar 114 Mar 6314 July	5814 Feb 314 Jan 8514 Jan	New Haven Clock Co* New Idea Inc com New Jersey Zinc20 New Mex & Ariz Land1		300 300 1,650	4 16 Mar 12 May 45 16 Mar	10 Jan 14 July 7214 Jan
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Lipton (Thos J) class A1 6% preferred25 Lit Brothers common* Locke Steel Chain5	21/2	21/8 21/2	500	1014 Jan 1914 Apr 1 Mar	14 Feb 25 Jan 3 July	Founders shares 1 New York Transit Co 5 N Y Water Serv 6% pf. 100	1		5 Mar 4 Jan 1016 Mar	914 Jan 414 Jan 2014 July
Lockheed Aircraft	16 14 9¾	14¼ 16¼ 14¼ 15 9¾ 9¾	3,250 7,300 1,100	7½ Mar 5½ Mar 6% Mar	16¼ Aug 16¼ Aug 10¼ July	Niagara Hudson Power— Common 10 7: 5% 1st pref. 100 5% 2d preferred 100	5 7½ 7¾ - 80% 81½	4,000 525	534 Mar 70 Mar 60 May	9¼ July 89¼ July 70 July
7% preferred100 6% pref class B100	11/4	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	1,400 70 200	1 Mar 28½ Aug 23½ Aug	1% Jan 42 Jan 34% Jan	Class A opt warr Class B opt warr Niagara Share	8 36 ³ 16	1,200	₩ Feb % Apr	1 3/6 Jun
Louisiana I and & Explor-1 Louisiana P & L \$6 pref*	7½	1¾ 1¾ 7¼ 7¾	200 1,600	1% Mar 5% Mar 88 July	2% Jan 9% Jan 88 July	Class B common	39 421/4	1,900	31/4 Mar 80 July 241/4 Apr	7¼ July 89¼ Jan 42¼ Au
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•	United Industrial 6 1/28 '41 •1st s f 6s1945		271/2	27½ 32	1,000	24 23	Feb Jan	271/2	June Mar
1	United Lt & Pow 6s1975 6½s1974	70 ½ 73 ½	70	70 1/2 73 1/2	10,000 1,000	56	Mar		July July
,	5½81959 Un Lt & Rys (Del) 5½8 '52	803%	104 7934	104 1/2	15,000 18,000	5714 9414 6414	Feb Feb	1051/2	Aug July
1	United Lt & Rys (Me)— 6s series A1952	0078	1081/2		4,000	96	Feb		July
1	6s series A1973 Utah Pow & Lt 6s A2022	82	70	70 82	1,000 7,000	53 1/2 64	Jan Feb	80	July Aug
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1	Waldorf-Astoria Hotel— •5s income deb1954	100	23	24	15,000	1216	Mar		July
1	Wash Gas & Light 5s_1958 Wash Ry & Elec 4s1951			106¼ 109	4,000 14,000	103 1/8	Apr		July July
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	Wheeling Elec Co 5s_1941 Wise-Minn Lt & Pow 5s '44		106 106 1/2	106	5,000	106	June	108	May July
1	Wisc Pow & Lt 4s1966 Yadkin River Power 5s '41		97	971/4	8,000 23,000 21,000	8614 96	Apr	107¾ 97¾ 105¾	July Feb
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1	FOREIGN GOVERNMENT		007						
1	AND MUNICIPALITIES-	1.6.							
1	Agricultural Mtge Bk (Col) \$20-year 7sApr 1946	3	. ‡25	26		17%	Jan	24	July
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3	Mtge Bk of Bogota 7s_194 •Issue of May 1927		243	25 30	4,00	0 21	Feb	25	Aug
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*No par value. a Deferred delivery sales not included in year's range. n Unde the rule sales not included in year's range. r Cash sales not included in year' range. z Ex-dividend.

† Friday's bid and asked price. No sales were transacted during current week

* Bonds being traded flat.

† Reported in receivership.

† The following is a list of the New York Curb bond issues which have been called in their entirety;

Empire Oil & Ref. 5½s 1942, Oct. 5 at 101.

Firestone Tire & Rubber 5s 1942, Sept. 1 at 101.

Indianapolis Pow. & Lt. 5s 1957, Oct. 11 at 104.

Pub. Serv. of Nor. 111. 5s 1956, Oct. 1, at 110.

Toledo Edison 5s 1942, Oct. 13 at 105.

c Cash sales transacted during the current week and not included in weekly or yearly range:

No sales.

y Under-the-rule sales transacted during the current week and not included in weekly or yearly range:

No sales.

z Deferred delivery sales transacted during the current week and not included in weekly or yearly range:

No sales.

Abbreviations Used Above—"cod." certificates of deposit: "cons," consolidated cum," cumulative: "conv," convertible: "M," mortgage: "n-v," non-voting stock" "y t c," voting trust certific tes; "w i," when issued; "w w," with warranta: "x-w" without warrants.

Other Stock Exchanges

New York Real Estate Securities Exchange Closing bid and asked quotations, Friday, Aug. 26

Unlisted Bonds	Bid	Ask	Unlisted Bonds	Bid	Ask
B'way 38th St Bldg 7s 1945 Bryant Park Bldg 6½s '45 11 West 42d St Bldg— 6½s unstamped1945	75 24 33		Internat Commerce Bldg—6 ½s	4 6 77	=

Baltimore Stock Exchange

Aug. 20 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's	Range rices	Sales for Week	Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1938
Stocks— Par		Low	High	Shares	Lo	w	Hi	gh
Arundel Corp*		19	101/4	205		Mar	195%	July
Balt Transit Co com v t c.*		1/2		5		Apr	1	Jan
lst pref v t c*				121	3/8	Mar	214	Apr
Black & Decker com*	201/4	19%		255	91/8		2014	Aug
Consol Gas E L & Pow *		71	72	39	55 1/8	Mar	731/2	July
5% preferred100	1141/2	114	1141/2	124	11214	Apr	116	June
Eastern Sugar Assoc com_1		7	734	100	4 3/4		10%	July
Fidelity & Deposit20		110	11014	37	75%	Mar	112	Aug
Fidelity & Guar FireCorp10		301/2		51	27%		351/6	Jan
Finance Co of Am A com_5		978		104	93%	May	10	Aug
Houston Oil pref100		18	181/8	1,125	111%		181	July
Mfrs Finance com v t*		1/8	3/8	7	1/8	Apr	16	Jan
Mfrs Finance 1st pref 25		8	8	155	6	June	8	Aug
Second pref*		1/2		15		May	3/8	Jan
Mar Tex Oil1	134	1 1%		1,992	1 1/8		3′°	Jan
Martin (Glen L) Co com1		241/8	241/8	25		June	26 1/8	July
Mercantile Trust Co50	217		217	10	215	Apr	220	June
Merch & Miners Transp *		13	131/8	80	10	Mar	1634	Jan
MtVern-Woodb M com 100	134	1%	134	13	114	Apr	3	Jan
Preferred100	40	40	40	53	35	June	471/2	Jan
New Amsterdam Casualty 5	12	115%	12	811	714	Mar		
North Amer Oil com1	13%	13%	13%	1.625	1	June	121/2	July
Northern Central Ry 50	. 178	83	83	1,028	72		15%	Jan
Ownings Mills Distillery_1						June	9434	Jan
Penna Water & Pow com_*	69	6714	69	100	14	Aug	72	Jan
					5916	Apr	75	Jan
Seaboard Comml com10		131/2	131/2	15	121/2	June	131/2	Aug
Preferred25		341/2	341/2	30	341/2	Aug	37	Jan
		153/8	161/2	1,018	81/8	Mar	17%	July
Western National Bank_50		32	32	85	30	Mar	33	Jan
Bonds-		344						1
Baltimore City Bonds—		Section 1	1.65					
Balt Transit 4s flat_1975		19	1914	\$4,500	15	Mar	2334	Jan
A 5s flat1975		213/8	22	2,000	151/2	Mar	27	Jan

Boston Stock Exchange
Aug. 20 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's	Range	Sales for Week	Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1938
Stocks— Par	Price	Low	High	Shares	Lo	10	H	gh
Amer Pneumatic Ser com.* 6% non-cum pref50 Amer Tel & Tel100 Bigelow-Sanf Carpet com.* Preferred100 Boston & Albany100 Boston Edison Co100 Boston Herald Traveler* Boston & Maine*	144% 86 131% 50% 16%	450 13% 1403% 2334 72 86 13034 503% 1634	1½ 146¼ 24⅓ 72 88 131⅓ 50¼	50 135 1,374 95 10 693 233 210	32e 1 1101/4 17 72 60 108 481/4 131/2	Mar Apr Mar June Aug Mar Apr Jan Mar	80c 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Feb Mar Jan July Jan Jan July May Jan
Prior pref 100 Class A 1st pref (stpd) 100 Class A 1st pref . 100 Ist pref class B 100 Class D 1st pref (stpd) 100 Boston Personal Prop Tr.*	10 27/8 35/8	10 2¾ 2½ 2 3% 12½	10 1/4 3 2 1/8 2 3 5/8 12 1/2	221 45 30 7 10 150	5½ 1¼ 1 1¼ 2¾ 8½	Mar Mar Mar Apr June Apr	12 4 1/8 3 3/4 3 1/2 5 1/2 12 1/2	Jan July July July July Jan
Calumet & Hecia25 Cliff Mining Co25 Copper Range2f East Gas & Fuel Assn—	5¾	7 1/2 5 5/8	8 ½ 1½ 6	190 270 230		Mar July May	10% 7%	Jan June Jan
Common * 4½% prior pref - 100 6% preferred - 100 East Mass St Ry - 100	281/8	1 1/8 28 1/8 12	35¼ 15	50 557 57	33 111	June June June	3 52 301/8	Jan May Jan
Common 100 1st pref 100 Eastern Steamship L com * Employers Group 20 Georgian Ind el A pref 20 Gilchrist Co * Gillette Safety Razor 4 Hathaway Bakerles 4	100	31 3 % 18 % 6 1/2 9 5/8	31 3½ 20 1¾ 7¼ 10	28 20 400 394 35 190 119	13% 2½ 15% 1¾ 4¾	July Apr Apr Apr July June June	1 3/4 33 3 3/4 20 1 5/8 7 1/2 11	Feb Aug Jan Mar Feb Jan Feb
Class A * Class B * Preferred * * Preferred _ 18le Royal Copper Co _ 15 Loew 's Theatres (Boston) 25 Maine Central com _ 100 Mass Utilities Assoc v t c 1	2 %	5½ 45c 38 2½ 13 5 2½ 25½	5¼ 45c 38 25% 14 5 2½ 26¼	200 100 100 350 43 25 947 155	10	Feb Jan Mar June June June Mar Mar	5½ 60c 40 3½ 18 9 2½ 28	Aug July Aug July Feb Jan Aug July
Inc	5 16 104½ 	434 16 10334 156 48c	5 16 105 15% 52c	1,125 10 191 25 1,800	3 % 16 81 1 37c	Ján Aug Mar June Mar	6 23 109 % 2 % 79c	July Feb July Jan Jan
Old Colony RR	20¾ 3⅓ 11¾ 10¾ 25¼ 80 42¼	2½ 1½ 41c 14½ 19½ 3 10½ 24½ 20 77 41¼ 88c 55c 7½ 3½	2½ 1¼ 41c 14½ 21½ 11¾ 11 25% 20 42¼ 90c 55% 3¾	40 20 40 10 584 460 1,220 555 577 25 623 110 600 54 600 30	30c 9½ 13½ 1¼ 8 5% 17 15 50 38% 55c 55c 5%	Apr May Jan May May June May Mar Apr Apr Mar Jan Mar Apr Mar Mar Mar	19 %4 24 3% 4 3% 11 3% 12 28 22 3% 80 1/2	Jan Jan May July Jan Jan Aug July July July July July July July July
Eastern Mass Street Ry— Series B 5s1948		72	73	\$1,500	50	Apr	75	Jan

CHICAGO SECURITIES Listed and Unlisted

Paul H.Davis & Go.

Chicago Stock Exchange
Aug. 20 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

10 So. La Salle St., CHICAGO

-	- 10 Aug 1 A	Friday	1		Sales		
.		Last Sale	Week's	Range	for Week	Range Since	Jan. 1, 1938
	Stocks— Par	Price	Low	High		Low	High
	Abbott Laboratories— Common (new)*		51 7/8	521/2	710	36¼ Apr	
1	Common (new)* Adams Oil & Gas com* Advanced Alum Castings 5	10 3¼	734	10½ 3¼	1,600 600	478 Mar 2 Mar	10½ Aug
	Aetna Ball Bearing com1		7	7	50	4 Mar	4% Jan 8 July
1	Allied Laboratories com* Allied Products com10	111	97/8	11 111/8	50 750	7 June 6 June	11½ Aug 11½ Aug
	Class A25 Amer Pub Serv pref100	1914	1914	191/4	50	12% Mar	19¼ Aug
1	Amer Pub Serv pret100 Amer Tel & Tel Co cap_100	144%	59 141 %	59 146½	10 724	45 Apr 140¾ Aug	62 July 146½ Aug
	Amer Tel & Tel Co cap. 100 Armour & Co common5	534	534	51/8	960	31/2 Mar	61/8 Jan
1	Aro Equip Corp com1 Asbestos Mfg Co com1	81/4	8¼ 1⅓	8 1 1/8	300 100	5¼ Apr ¼ Mar	8% Aug 1% Jan
	Associates Invest com* Athey Truss Wheel cap4		351/4	3514	100 50	27 Mar 2¾ June	36 % Jan
1	Automatic Products com_5	134	11/4	11/8	850	1 Mar	1 1/8 July
	Aviation & Trans C cap_1		21/8	21/8	700	11/2 Mar	2½ July
1	Backstay Welt Co com* Bastian-Blessing com*	9	9 10½	9 11¼	50	8½ Jan 8 Mar	10 Jan
1	Beiden Mfg Co com10	11	101/2	1114	250 200	6% June	13 Jan 13 Jan
	Bendix Aviation com5 Berghoff Brewing Co1	24 7¾	22¾ 7¾	24 % 7 %	10,650	8% Mar 5% Mar	24% Aug 8½ May
	Bliss & Laughlin inc com_5	191/2	1912	21	1,000	12½ Mar	22½ Jan
1	Borg Warner Corp— (New) common5	35	32 .	36	6,500	16½ Mar	36 Aug
-	Brown Fence & Wire—		19%	19%	50	5¼ Jan	8 Mar
1	Class A* Bruce Co (EL) com5	151/2	13	151/2	1,050	6 May	22¼ Jan 15½ Aug
1	Burd Piston Ring com1 Butler Brothers10	834	31/8 81/4	31/8 81/8	100 2,050	2 % May 5 % Mar	5½ Jan 10 July
1	5% conv pref30 Campbell Wyant & Can cap*		21 %	221/8	72	17½ Mar	241/2 July
	Castle & Co (A M) com10	23	191/2	20 23	340 50	16 July 14 Apr	20 Aug 25 Jan
1	Central III Sec com1	551/4	53	551/2	1,000	41½ Mar % Aug	57½ June
1	\$1½ conv pref*	6 7/9	6 1/8	7 8	200	3½ June	1½ July 7¾ July
-	Central S W— Common1	134	1 5/8	134	1,450	1 Mar	21/2 Jan
1	Preferred * Chain Belt Co com *		41 14½	41 15	20 100	25½ June 12 Mar	50 July 1614 July
1	Cherry-Burrell Corp com_5	13 7/8	121/8	13 1/8	50	121/2 June	21 1/8 Jan
	Chicago Corp common* Preferred*	35	331/4	35	11,450 650	1% Mar 25% Mar	214 June 35 Aug
L	Chic Flexible Shaft com5 Chicago-Yellow Cab cap*	69	69 101/8	73	450 32	3814 Jan 8 Mar	80% July
	Cities Service Co-						1
1	(New) com10 Commonwealth Edison— New capital25	8	71/8	81/4	550	7% June	10% May
1	New capital25 Rights (Sept debs)	263/8 26c	26¼ 24c	26 1/8 27c	1,700	22 Mar 24c Aug	28 May
1	Compressed Ind Gases cap*	16%	1634	17%	500	12 May	27c Aug 25 Jan
1	Consolidated Biscuit com_1 Consumers Co—	73/8	6 5/8	71/2	2,450	3% Mar	7½ Aug
•	vtc pref part shares50		85/8 11/4	834	30 50	4 Feb	11½ July
1	V t c B conv part shs* Container Corp of Amer. 20	163/8	1614	161/2	300	34 Feb 143% Aug	2 July 17½ July
L	Continental Steel— Common *		15%	15%	100	10 Mar	18% July
	Cudahy Packing pre!100 Cunningham Drug com2½	65	65	65	10 50	48 May	73 July
Ι.		1014		100	4.00		100
1 3	Dayton Rubber Mtg com_* Deere & Co com*	131/4	131/4	1334	800 150	5¼ Mar 18% Aug	14 July 20 % Aug
	Dixle-Vortex Co.com *		12 32	12 32	50 100	11¼ Aug 29 May	16¾ Jan 34 Jan
1	Class A * Eddy Paper Corp com * Elec Household Util cap 5 Elgin National Watch 15		16	16	450	101/4 Mar	21 Feb
11	Elgin National Watch15	201/2	201/2	53/8	4,050 350	15 Mari	5% Aug 24 Jan
	Fitz Sim & Con D & D cm* Fox (Peter) Brewing com_5		8 97/8	8 97/8	50 100	4½ Apr 8 Mar	8½ July 11½ June
1 3	Four Wheel Dr Auto cap 10	5	. 5	5	150	45% Aug	6% Mar
1	Fuller Mfg Co com1 Gardner-Denver com*	2 12	$\frac{2}{12}$	21/4 121/2	.200	1½ Mar 10 Mar	234 Jan 16 Jan
١,	Gen Finance Corp com1		23/4	234	100	21/2 June	4½ Jan
	Common*	11/8	1.5	11%	1,400	1 May	2¾ Jan
1	Goodyear T & Rub com*	29	15 28 5/8	15 303/8	1,153	13 June 28 Aug	23½ Jan 30¾ Aug
. (Gossard Co (H W) com* Great Lakes D & D com*	2014	9	91/4	3,200	6 Mar 1216 Mar	91/4 Aug
1	Iall Printing Co com 10 -	20%	81/2	834	250	5 Mar	10 1/8 July
I	Harnischfeger Corp com_10 Heileman Brew Co G cap_1		63%	634	650	5½ Mar 5¼ Jan	8½ June 7½ Apr
1	Hein-Werner Motor Parts 3	71/2	7 ½ 14 5%	17 17	200 8,300	4 Mar	7½ Aug
1	Houdallle-Hershey of B* Hubbell, Harvey Inccom_5	16 5/8	1134	1134	50	8½ Mar	17 Aug 12 July
1	Hupp Motors com1	11/4	11/8	11/4	650	1/2 June	2 Jan
	llinois Brick Co cap10 llinois Central RR com 100	71/4	6	75/8 133/8	1,100	5 Mar 6½ Mar	8¼ Jan 14 July
1	llinois Nor Utilities pfd 100	1101/4		11014	30	100 Mar	1101/4 Aug
1	nland Steel Co cap *		721/8	761/8	200 402	3¼ June 69% July	7 Jan 761% Aug
I	nternational Harvest com* ron Fireman Mfg v t c*		57 3/8 17	6034	381 100	55% Aug 12¼ May	60% Aug
j	farvis (W B) Co cap1 Katz Drug Co com1	18	1634	181/2	2,050	10% June	18% Jan
F	Katz Drug Co com1 Kellogg Switchboard com_*	4	75/8	81/4	3,000	3 Mar 51/2 Mar	5½ Jan 8½ July
1	Preferred 100 Kentucky Util jr cum pf 50	73	73 23 34	73 24 1/2	20 220	65 Feb	81 July
١.,	6% cumul pref100		68	68	10	20 Mar 53 Apr	28½ Jan 70 Aug
ŀ	Kerlyn Oil ol A com5		3 1/8	4 34	1,400 150	3½ June ¾ Feb	5 Mar 1% Mar
1	a Salle Ext Univ com5	31/	21/8	21/4 31/2	350	1 1/2 May	31/8 Feb
· T	ibby McNeill & Libby *	3 ½ 7 ½	31/2	714	650	6 Mar	9 Jan
1	\$316 div pref		3 1/8 30 1/2	301/2	300	2 Apr 241/8 Mar	4% Aug
I	Jon Oil Ref Co com		23 36	23 1/2	150 50	16¼ Mar 24% Mar	251/8 Aug
_	,	1	0.0	30 1	. 001	/5 Midf	38 July

	Friday Last	Week's		Sales	Range S	ince J	an. 1,	1938
Stocks (Concluded) Par	Sale Price	of Pro	ces H t gh	Week Shares	Lou		H i gi	,
Manhatt-Dearborn com* Marshall Field com* McCord Rad & Mig A* Mer & Mirs Sec cl A com. 1 Partic pref*	13 11¼	12 ³ / ₄ 11 ¹ / ₄ 5 ³ / ₈ 27	13 ½ 12 ½ 12 ½ 5 5% 27	400 4,900 220 2,150 20	51/4 51/4 27/8 193/4	Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar	1 1/4 14 3/8 14 1/2 5 3/4 28 1/2	Jan July Jan Aug Aug
Mickelberry's Food Prod— Common————1 Middle West Corp cap——5 Stock purchase warrants Midland United Co—	61/2	3½ 6½ ½	3 5/8 6 1/2 1/2	550 2,450 750	1% 4% %	Mar Mar Mar	41/6 71/6 2	July July Jan
Conv preferred A*	6	5 1/8	6 14	1,250 1,250	3 1/8	July Feb	634	Jan July
Midland Util— 6% prior lien100 7% prior lien100 Minn Brewing Co com1 Modine Mfg com* Montgomery Ward—	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1/8 1 1/4 6 1/4 24 3/4	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	30 50 100 150	1 1 51/2 18	Feb Mar Aug Apr	2 7 271/2	May Jan July Jan
Common*	481/8	46%	50	1,050	451/8	Aug	50	Aug
Nachman-Springfilled em * National Battery Co pref. * National Standard com _ 10 Noblitt-Sparks Ind com _ 5 Northwest Bancorp com _ 5 Northwest Eng Co cap _ * Northw Util 7% pref _ 100 7% prior lien 100 Omnibus Corp (The) vt c. *	26 20 25 ³ / ₄ 7	8¾ 24½ 18½ 22% 7 14 14½ 44 17%	8¾ 26 20 26 7¼ 14 14½ 46 17¾	50 530 150 2,000 950 50 10 70 25	12 5 8½ 8½ 18½	Apr Mar Apr Mar Mar Mar Mar Apr Aug	9 28 25 26¼ 8¼ 15½ 19¼ 46 19¼	Aug July July Jan July May Aug July
Peabody Coal Co cl B com 5 Penn Gas & Elec A com* Pennsylvania RR cap Peoples G Lt&Coke cap 100 Perfect Circle Co com* Pictorial Paper Pakeg cm 5 Pines Winterfront Co com1 Potter Co com	3 3/4 5/8	28	78 4 21¼ 35¾ 28 3¾ 1 9	100 250 386 111 50 150 250 300 285	3 141/8 241/8 22 3 1/2 5/8	Apr June Mar Mar May Mar Mar May Aug	1 9 1/8 24 1/2 36 1/4 29 4 1/4 1 1/2 10 5/8	Jan Jan July Jan Jan Jan Jan Jan July
Quaker Oats Co common.* Preferred100 Rath Packing Co com10	151		109½ 151 24½	270 100 100	129	Mar Mar Jan	109½ 151 24½	Aug Aug Aug
Raytheon Mig Co— Common v t c	21/2	111/8	3 11% 12% 21% 24% 12% 75	7,050 50	7 % 7 % 15 % 6 % 6 %	Mar Jan Mar Mar Mar May Mar	4¾ 1¾ 14 2¼ 27¼ 13¾ 75¼	July July Aug Aug July Jan July
Serrick Corp cl B com	15%	121/2	3 % 15 % 12 ½ 19 ½ 103 ½	100 50 750	8 10 10 13 12	Mar Mar May Mar Apr	5 % 17 ½ 14 19 ½ 104 ½	Jan Aug Aug
Standard Dredge— Common	113 273	13½ 35% 11 26¾	2 ½ 14 ¼ 3 ½ 11 ¾ 28 19	500	7 14 1 2 1/2 0 7 1/4 0 22 1/8	Apr	3¼ 14¼ 5⅓ 13 29 19⅓	July Jan Jan July
Thompson (J R) com2/ Trane Co (The) common. Union Carb & Carbon cap US Gypsum Co com2/ Utah Radio Products com	173	16 8134 9438	95%	14	0 14 14 9 63 14 7 77 16	Mar	5½ 17½ 86½ 95¾	July July Aug
Utility & Ind. Corp— Convertible pref Viking Pump Co com	13	17 17	15/s 17	20		Mar Mar	2 18	Feb
Walgreen Co common Wayne Pump Co cap Western Un Teleg com. 100 W'house El & Mfg com. 50 Wleboldt Stores Inc com. Wisconsin Bankshares com Woodall Ind Inc com Zenith Radio Corp com	2 47	17¼ 29⅓ 27⅙ 102 10¼ 4¾ 4⅓ 20¼	293 305 1053 103 43	1 13 6 5	0 29 ½ 5 26 5 99 ¾ 0 9 ½ 0 3 ½ 0 2 ¾	Aug Aug Aug June May Mar	20 % 29 % 30 % 106 % 12 % 5 % 25 %	Aug Aug Aug Jan Jan
Bends— Chicage Rys 5s etfs192	7 49	4634	49	\$10,00	0 413	July	49	Aug

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Cincinnati Stock Exchange

Aug. 29 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last	Week's of Pr		Sales for Week	Range	Since .	Jan. 1,	1938
Stocks— Par	Sale Price	Low	High		Los	w	Hig	h
Baldwin8		3	3	3	3	Aug	5	Mar
Burger Brewing*	11/6	11/2	11/2	200	11/2	Feb		July
Champ Paper & Fibre *		25	25	30	181/2	May		Jan
Preferred100	9734	9734	9734	5	94	June	1051/2	Mar
Churngold*			91/2	112	61/2	Feb	91/2	Apr
Cin Advertising Prod *		7	7	10				Jan
Cin Gas & Elec pref 100	971/2	941/2	971/2	306	96	Apr	1001/4	
Cincinnati Street Ry 50		3	31/2	61	3	May	5	Jan
Cincinnati Telephone 50		82	84	61	75	Jan	85	July
Dow Drug*		31/2	31/2	103		May		Jan
Eagle-Picher10	113/8		1134	300		Mar		Jan
Forly & Daniel *		27	27	25		Apr	. 27	Aug
Early & Daniel* Gibson Art*	261/2	261/2	27	10	221/2	Apr	28	July
Hilton-Davis		16	161/2	65	141/4	Apr		Jan
Kahn*	8	8	81/4	50		Apr	91/2	
1st preferred100		93	93	10	92	Jan	100	Feb
Kroger*	171/2	17	171/2	320	12 5/8	Mar	177/8	Aug
National Pumps*		21/2	21/2	10	21/2	Mar		Jan
Procter & Gamble*	5656			295	39 1/8	Mar	575%	Aug
8% preferred100	3070	215	215	1	211	Jan	217	Apr
Dandoll D	1			25	11/8	June	5	June
Randall B* Rapid*		17	17	5	131/2	June	. 27	Jan
U S Playing Card10	31	31	3114	55				Aug
U S Playing Card10	9	9	9	42				July
Wurlitzer10	1 "	00	90	8		Aug		Aug

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Ohio Listed and Unlisted Securities Members Cleveland Stock Exchange



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Cleveland Stock Exchange

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	Friday Last	Week's		Sales for	Range Since Jan. 1, 1938				
Stocks— Po	Sale Price	of Pr Low	ices High	Week Shares	Lor	0	Hig	h ·	
Airway Electric pref10	00	81/2	10	60	478	Apr	13	July	
City Ice & Fuel	* 95%	95/8	10	101	95/8	Aug	1234	Jan	
Clark Controller	1 1514	151/4	161/2	110	14	June	201/8	Jan	
Cleve Builders Realty	*	21/8	21/4	118	21/8	Aug	21/2	July	
Cleve Cliffs Iron pref		53 1/8	55	89	411/4	June	641/8	Jan	
Cleveland Railway10	00 24	23	24	135	19	May	32	Jan	
Cliffs Corp v t c	* 1834	181/4	19	585	11	Mar	21	July	
Colonial Finance	1 121/2	121/8	121/2	215	10	May	13	Mar	
Dow Chemical pref1	00	115	115	5	109	Jan	1173/2	July	
Elect Controller & Mfg	*	65	65	5	60	Jan	75	July	
Halle Bros	5	15	15	100		May	17%	Jan	
Harbauer Co			51/2	10	5	Jan	61/2	Jan	
Kelley Isld Lime & Tr	*		17	35		June	181/2	Jan	
Lamson & Sessions		5	51/4	200		Mar	61/4	Jan	
Lima Cord Sole & Heel	1 314	3	31/4	420	2	Apr	4	Jan	
McKee (A G) B	*	29	29	35			31	Jan	
Medusa Ptld Cement	*	. 19	19	40		Mar	20%	July	
Metro Paving Brick	.* 3	3	. 3	100		Mar	334	Apr	
Murray Ohio Mfg		11	11	150	51/2	Mar	12	July	
National Refining	25	334					434	Jan	
National Tile	*	2	21/2				31/4	June	
Patterson-Sargent	*	161/2				Aug	191/2	Feb	
Peerless Corp	_3 81/4	8	81/4			Mar	81/4	Aug	
Reliance Electric	-5 11	11	11	10			13	July	
Richman Bros	_* 36	351/2	361/	474	30	Mar	39	July	
Seiberling Rubber	*	31/2	31/	58		Mar	41/4	July	
8% cum pref1	00 38	331/4	38	180		Apr	38	Aug	
Troxel Mfg		4	4	28		Aug	5 1/8		
Upson-Walton	_1	43/4				June		Feb	
Van Dorn Iron Works	*	3	3	68					
Weinberger Drug Inc	*	143/	14%	20	14	July	20	Jan	

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Detroit Stock Exchange
Aug. 20 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last	Week's		Sales for Week	Range	Since .	Tan. 1,	1938
Stocks— Par	Sale Price	Low Pr	High	Shares	Lov	0	Hig	h
Allen Electric com1	75 15	11/2	15%	465	1316	Jan	15/8	Aug
Auto City Brew com1		42c	45c	200		June	3/4	Jar
Baldwin Rubber com1	81/8	81/8	83/8	2,964	4 3/4	Mar	91/4	Jan
Bower Roller5		251/2	25%	815	123/8	Mar	25%	Aug
Drigge Mfg com	364	33	371/4	4,288	131/2	Mar	371/4	Aug
Burroughs Add Mach*	19%	187/8	201/4	2,440	1514	June	213/8	July
Burry Biscuit com121/2	31/2	33/8	35/8	1,055	15/8	June	334	July
Brown McLaren	15%	5	15%	1,975	1	May	221/2	Jul
Casco Prod com*	221/2	22	221/2	350	11	Mar	7634	Au
Chrysler Corp com5		72	7634	2,724	36 121/4	Aug	155%	Fel
Consolidated Paper com_10	121/4	121/4	12 1/8	1,360 772		May	11/2	Jun
Consumers Stl	13/8	1¼ 95c	1.00	495	95c	Aug	17/8	Jai
Det & Cleve Nav com 10	103	103	104	116	77	Mar	108	Jai
Detroit Edison com100	100	15%	134	525	11/4	Mar	21/8	Jul
Det Gray Iron com5 Det-Mich Stove com1	25/8	21/2	25%	650	13/8	May	31/4	Jai
Det Paper Prod com1		278	27/8	535	134	June	37/8	Jul
Det Steel Corp com		13	13	200	10	May	16	Jai
Ex-Cell-O Aircraft com3		151/4	16	425	9	Mar	16	Au
Tindowel Morrel com		14	14	395	6	Mar	14	Au
Fed Motor Truck com*		51/2	55%	225	21/4	Mar	55/8	Au
Frankenmuth Brew com1	15/8	15/8	1 1 1/8	400	1	Mar	2	Jul
Gar Wood Ind com	7	61/2	71/8	1,460	41/4	Mar	734	Jul
General Finance com1		2 1/8	3	286	2534	June Mar	50	Au
General Motors com10	491/2	481/8	. 50	5,979	23%	May	37/8	Ja
Goebel Brewing com		25/8	234	901 1,350		June	17/8	Ja
Graham-Paige com	11/4					Aug	70c	Fe
Grand Valley Brew com 1	500	234	234	100		Mar	31/2	Ja
Hall Lamp comKoskins Mfg com	17	1678	17	220		Feb	1714	Au
Houdaille-Hershey B	16%	1434	17	5,898		Mar	17	Au
Hudson Motor Car com	10/8		97/8	605		Apr	97/8	Ja
Hurd Lock & Mfg com	620			1,400	37c	Apr	. 3/4	Ja
Kingston Prod com		02/	2 1/8	590		Mar	31/2	Ja
Kinsel Drug com			57c				3/4	Ja
Kresge (S S) com1)	191/4		545		Mar	195%	Jul
Lakey Fdy & Mach com	25/8	25/8	23/4	350	11/2	Mar	31/4	Ja
Masco Screw Prod com 1	1 3%					June	15/8	Ja
McAleer Mig com	990					Mar	55	A
McClanahan Oil com	1 400					Mar	11/4	JE
McClanahan Ref com	700					May	834	Au
Mich Steel Tube Prod _2.50		834				Mar	3/4	Ja
Mich Sugar com	500	500					416	Fe
Micromatic Hone com		13%				June		Ja
Mid-West Abrasive com50	*	2134	22	245	11	Mar		Ju
Motor Products com Motor Wheel com	15	141/2		1,357	81/2		15	Au
Murray Corp com1	97		10	3,483			101/8	
Packard Motor Car com	*	51/8			31/4		53/4	Ju
Parke Davis com	*	40	401/4				41	Au
Parker Rust-Proof com 2.50	18	18	18	100	14 1/8		201/4	Ja
Parker Wolverine com	1 95	93/8	91/	523			12	Ja
Penin Metal Prod com	1 21/4	21/4	23/		11/4	May		Ju
De-188es December com	* 71	714	714	410	4 7/8	Mar	0 72	o u

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Stocks (Concluded) Par Price		High		Lo	w	Hig	ih \	
Reo Motor com5 23		21/8	264	11/2	Mar	21/8	Jan	
Rickel (H W) com2 River Raisin Paper com _ *	31/2	35%	215	27/8	Mar	4	Jan	
Scotten-Dillon com10	26	33/8	300 202	22	Mar	43/8	Jan	
Standard Tube B com 1 35		35%	3.010	17%	Jan Apr	27	Feb	
Timken-Det Axle com 10	15	16	1.005	814	Mar	16	July	
Tivoli Brewing com 33	314	31/2	1,873	234	June	41/2	Mar	
Union Investment com *	4	4	720	316	May	61/8	Jan	
United Shirt Dist com *		334	275	21/2	Apr	5.	Jan	
United Specialties1	51/8	51/8	150	51/8	Aug	51/8	Aug	
Universal Cooler B*		134	1.300	11/2	Mar	31/2	Jan	
Warner Aircraft com 1 70		70c	375	65c	Mar	13%	Jan	
Wayne Screw Prod com_4		21/2	400	11/8	June	314	Jan	
Wolverine Brew com1	20c	20c	200	18c	July	8/8	Jan	

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Stocks— Par	Friday Last Sale Price	Week's	Range rices High	Sales for Week	1	Jan. 1, 1938
Bandini Petroleum Co1 Barnhart-Morrow Cons1 Bolss-Chica Oli A com10 Central Invest Corp10 Chrysler Corp20 Claude Neon Elee Prods* Consolidated Oli Corp* Preferred20 Creamerles of Amer v t c.1 Emsco Derrick & Equip5 Exeter Oli Co A com10 Gladding-McBean & Co20 Gloodyear Tire & Rub Co*	4 1/8 266 3 % 16 1/2 75 % 9 % 9 % 4 4 % 9 % 1.05 49 1/2 10 3/4 6 % 29 %	4 ½ 250 3 ½ 16 ½ 16 ½ 9 ½ 9 ½ 9 ½ 9 ½ 9 ½ 9 ½ 9 ½ 10 ½ 10 ¾ 5 ½ 10 ¾ 5 ½ 29 ½ 8	41/8 26c 41/4	300 400 5,400 1,5 300 1,300 200 200 200 200 200 14,100 700 600 100	2½ May 25c Api 1¾ Mai 10 Api 36 Mar 6½ Mar 2½ Mar 2½ Mar 6½ Mar 52c May 25¼ Mar 7 Jan 3¼ Mar 7 Jan 3¼ Mar 7 Jan 3¼ Mar	45c Jan 4¼ Aug 18 Jan 76¼ Aug 9¾ July 10¾ July 6 July 11½ July 4¾ Jan 10¾ July 1.10 Aug
Hancock Oil Co A com. * Holly Development Co. 1 Hupp Motor Car Corp. 1 Intercoast Pete Corp. 1 Jade Oil Co. 1 Lincoin Petroleum Co. 10c Kinner Airpi & Motor. 1 Lincoin Petroleum Co. 10c Lockheed Aircraft Corp. 1 Los Ang Industries Inc. 2 Los Ang Investment Co. 10 Menaseo Mfg Co. 1 Merchants Petroleum Co. 1 Nordon Corp Ltd. 1 Cocidental Petroleum 1 Oceanic Oil Co. 1	38¼ 1.15 1.25 35c 8c 5c 10c 14½ 2½ 4½ 2½ 50c 11c 22c 95c	38 ½ 1.10 1.25 35c 7c 5c 10c 14 ¾ 2½ 2¾ 4 ½ 2½ 31c 11c 22c 90c	39 1.15 1.25 35c 8c 5c 11c 145% 3 4.95 2.5% 50c 12c 22c 95c	700 2,600 100 500 2,000 1,100 2,200 900 100 1,800 600 2,000 1,500 400	25 May 65c Mar 50c June 36c June 5c Jan 2c May 10c Apr 5¾ June 80c Mar 25c Aug 6c May 18c June 75c May	41 Aug 1.25 Aug 1.50 Jan 57½c Apr 8c Aug 12c Apr 18c Jan 15¾ Aug 3¼ Mar 6¼ July 3¾ July 50c Aug 21c July 30c Jan 1.20 Jan
Pacific Clay Products * Pacific Distillers Inc1 Pacific Finance Corp com10 Pacific Gas & Elec—	9 40c 13¾	9 40c 13¾	9 40c 14	300 200 200	5 Jan 30c Mar 9¼ Mar	9½ July 49c Jan 15% July
6% 1st pref. 25 545% 1st pred. 25 545% 1st pred. 25 545% 1st pred. 25 6% preferred. * 6% preferred. * Republic Petroleum com. 1* Richfield Oil Corp com. * Richfield Oil Corpwarrants Roberts Public Markets. 2 Ryan Aeronautical Co. 1 San J L & P 7% pr pref. 100 6% prior pref 100 Security Co units ben int. *	30 1/8 27 3/4 26 1/8 38 1/4 107 5 8 2 1/2 3 1/4 2 1/2 117 106 29		30¼ 27¾ 26⅓ 38¼ 107 5⅓ 8⅓ 2½ 3¼ 2¾ 118½ 106 29	200 100 200 100 10 400 1,400 200 400 1,100 195 25 19	28 Mai 26½ Apr 18½ Mar 32¾ Mar 301¼ Mar 5 Mar 1.10 Mar 1.10 Mar 1.05 Mar 1.2 Jan 104¼ Aug 23½ Mar	30¼ July 27% Jan 26% Aug 41 Jan 107 Aug 6% July 25% Aug 31 July 120 Aug 106 Aug 31 July
Sierra Trading Corp	16c 31 10 1/8 22 1/4 28 1/2 19 5/8 30 1/8 20 1/8 10 5/8 20 1/4 17 1/4 9 5 4	10c 31 10 1/8 22 28 30 1/2 18 1/2 2 1/8 43 10 1/4 20 3/4 17 3/8 9	16c 31¼ 10¼ 22½ 28½ 30¼ 20¼ 31¼ 44 10¾ 21¼ 19½ 9	37,000 200 200 800 1,100 300 1,500 1,800 600 200 1,000 1,500 1,200 200 205	5c Mar 18 May 7½ Jan 19½ Mar 25½ Apr 9½ Mar 25½ Mar 2½ June 26 Mar 17¼ Mar 17¼ Mar 65% Mar 35% Apr	12c Jan 33¼ Aug 10 ¼ Aug 24¼ July 28¼ July 28¼ Jan 30% Aug 21¾ Jan 34 Jun 12¼ Jan 22¼ July 20¼ Aug 9 July 5 July 6¼ Jan
Mining— Blk Mammoth Cons M10c Calumet Gold Mines10c Cardinal Gold Mining1 Imperial Development_25c Zenda Gold1	25c 13c 9c 1½c 4c	25c 12c 9c 1½c 4c	26c 14½c 10c 1½c 4c	2,000 11,000 600 1,000 3,000	12c Mar 1/2c May 6c June 1c Mar 3c Mar	39c Aug 16½c Aug 22c Jan 3½c Apr 9c Jan
Unlisted —	35 34 36 5 43 1/8 8 1/2 49 1/8 20 9 3/4	35¼ 33 5 43⅓ 8½ 47¾ 19¾ 9¾	35 3/4 36 5 43 1/8 8 1/2 49 1/8 20 1/4 9 3/4	200 300 300 100 100 200 700 400	21½ May 30 July 3½ Mar 28 Mar 5½ Mar 29 Mar 10¼ Mar 6 Mar	36½ Jan 32½ July 6 July 45% Jan 10 July 49 July 21¼ July 11 July
Packard Motor Car Co* Paramount Pictures Inc1 Radio Corp of Amer* Radio-Keith-Orpheum * Republic Steel Corp* Standard Brands Inc* Studebaker Corp* Studebaker Corp	5 % 10 ½ 77% 2¼ 18 % 77% 8 % 13 ½ 2 ¼ 46 61 ¼ 6 % 319.	5 93% 734 214 1834 77% 814 1316 29% 46 6114 57%	5 % 10 ½ 8 2 ¼ 18 % 8 5 % 13 % 2 ¾ 46 61 ¼ 6 ¼	300 800 800 100 100 300 200 200 100 400	3 % Mar 6 % Apr 5 Mar 1 % June 13 May 7 May 5 Apr 10 % Mar 2 % June 38 % Mar 3 % Mar	5½ July 11¾ July 8 Aug 5½ July 9½ Jan 854 Aug 15½ July 3½ July 42¾ July 63¼ July 8 July

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	Friday Last Sale	Week's		Sales for Week	Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1938
Stocks— Par	Price	Low	High		Lo	w	Hi	gh
American Stores*		734	81/8	55	616	Mar	115%	Jan
American Tel & Tel 100	144 7/8	1413/8	14614		1111/8		1495%	Jan
Bell Tel Co of Pa pref 100	1161/2	1151/2	1161/2	201	11234		1191/8	Jan
Budd (E G) Mfg Co*		51/4			4 34	Aug	65%	Jan
Budd Wheel Co*		4 3/4	5 5/8			Mar	55%	Aug
Chrysler Corp5	745%	7234	773/8	1.782		Mar	773%	Aug
Curtis Pub Co common*		8	8	20		Mar	81/8	Aug
Elec Storage Battery 100		293/8	30 5%	221	21%	Mar	31 3/8	Mar
General Motors10	4914	46 %	50 1/8			Mar	50 1/8	Aug
Lehigh Coal & Nav*		45%	45%	100	3	May	51/8	July
Lehigh Valley50	534	5	51/2	234	3	Mar	714	July
Nat'l Power & Light *	7	63/8	73/8	300	476	Mar	814	Jan
Pennroad Corp v t c1		17/8	21/8		11/2	Mar	27/8	Jan
Pennsylvania RR50	21	1976	2114		141/8		301/4	Jan
Phila Elec of Pa \$5 pref *	1171/2	117	1171/2		112	Feb	1171/2	Aug
Phila Rapid Transit 50	11/2	11/2	134		11/4	Apr	21/2	July
Reo Motor Car Co5		21/8	21/8		134	Apr	25%	July
Salt Dome Oil Corp1	19%	18%	20	1.046	10%	Jan	27 1/8	May
Scott Paper*	48 7/8	475%	49	292	3514		49	Aug
Tonopah-Belmont Devel_1		110	116	1.000	116		1/8	Feb
Tonopah Mining1		1116		100		May	11/2	Jan
Transit Invest Corp.		5/8	3/4		1/2	Mar	11/6	July
Preferred		7/8	11/8		3/8	Apr	21/8	Mar
Union Traction50		23/8	21/2	243	15%	Jan	31/8	Mar
United Corp common * Preferred *		21/2	2 3/8		17%	Mar	35%	Jan
Preferred*		30 5/8	32 3/8	401	221/2	Mar	335/8	July
United Gas Improv com*	101/4	9 7/8	103%	5,436	85%	Mar	111/2	Jan
Preferred*		1081/8		150	9978	Mar	110	Aug
Boads-						100		
Elec & Pepls tr ctfs 4s_1945		51/2	6	\$11,000	5	Aug	7	Jan

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Stocks— Par	Price	Low	High	Shares	Los	w	Hig	h
Allegheny Steel com*	195%	18	19 5/8	215		Mar	217/8	Jan
Armstrong Cork Co*	451/8	40	451/8	329	2434	Mar	475/8	July
Blaw-Knox Co*		177/8	1778	70	10 %	Mar	191/8	July
Byers (A M) common **		. 11	131/4	167	614	Mar	133/8	July
Carnegie Metals Co1		65c	65c	500		May	134	Jan
Clark (D L) Candy Co*		634	7	285	334	Jan	71/2	July
Columbia Gas & Electric.*		61/2	71/4	453	5	Mar	91/2	Jan
Copperweld Steel10	291/8	287/8	291/8	20	19	June	301/8	Aug
Devonian Oil10		19	19	100	17	Mar	20	Feb
Duquesne Brewing com5		121/2	121/2	161	8	Apr	14	Jan
Follansbee Bros pref100		8	8	100	5	Mar	111/	June
Fort Pitt Brewing		90c	90c	300	70c	Feb	95c	
Jones & Laughling Stl pf100		65	65	2	54	Apr	73 1/2	Jan
Koppers Gas & Coke pf 100	99	. 99	9934	669	96	Apr	105	Jan
Lone Star Gas Co*	97/8	934	97/8	881	65%	Mar		July
McKinney Mfg Co*	0/0	11/8	11/8	100	900	Apr	11/2	Feb
Mountain Fuel Supply10		45/8	45%	300		Apr	65/8	
Nat Fireproofing Corp 5	2 1/8	234	27/8	500		Mar	35/8	July
Penn Federal Corp*		11/4	114	50	. 1	May	11/2	Mar
Phoenix Oil common25c		20	2c	2,500		May	5c	
Pittsburgh Brewing pref*		26	26	125		Mar	30	July
Pittsburgh Plate Glass25		97	10134	75	56	Apr	1061/4	July
Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt.*	81/4	81/8	83/8	245		May		
Plymouth Oil Co5	0/4	231/8	23 1/8	140		Mar	91/8 251/8	July
Renner Co1		80c	80c	100		May		
Shamrock Oil & Gas1		21/2	25/8	300			11/4	Jan Jan
United Engine & Foundry 5		351/8	36	105	22	Mar	361/8	July
United States Glass Co _ 25		50c	50c	400	50c	Aug		Jan
Vanadium Alloy Steel *		26	26	10	26		11/2	
Victor Brewing Co1		40c	50c	370		Aug	.45	Jan
Westinghouse Air Brake_*	247/8	241/4	2514	150	157/		65c	Feb
Westinghouse El & Mfg_50	21/8				151/8	Mar	281/8	July
		1033/8	103%	170	621/4	Mar	107 %	Jan
Unlisted— Lone Star Gas 6 ½ % pf_100	1101/	1102/	11027	005	100	7		
-020 Star Gas 0 72 76 Pr. 100	110%	110%	110%	265	108	Apr	112	Jan

St. Louis Stock Exchange

	Last Week's Range		Sales for Week	Range	Range Since Jan. 1, 1938			
Stocks— Par		Low	High		Lo	w	Hig	7h
A S Aloe Co pfd	25 34 23	109 25 33 ⁸ / ₄ 32 17	109½ 25½ 34 32 23	40 315 40 25 487	103 20 27½ 29 10⅓	Aug June May Feb June	109½ 25½ 40½ 32 23	Aug Jan Aug Aug
Chic & Sou Air L pref10 Coca-Cola Bottling com1 Columbia Brew com5 Dr Pepper com*		3316	6½ 33½ 35% 27	150 65 130 100	3¾ 26 25% 23⅓	Apr Jan Jan Jan	7½ 35½ 4½ 33½	June Aug July Ma

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	Friday Last	Week's		Sales for	Range i	Since J	an. 1,	1938
Stocks (Concluded) Par	Sale Price	of Pr Low	High	Week Shares	Low		Hig	h
Ely & Walker D G 2d pf 100		102	102	10	95	July	102	Aug
Emerson Electric pfd100		70	70	5	60	May	70	Aug
Falstaff Brew com1		7%	8	180	61/2	Mar	10	Apr
Griesedieck-West Brw cm-*		45	4714	97	275/8	Jan	471/4	Aug
Hamilton-Brown Shoe cm-*	7	61/2	7	2,380	1	Apr	7	Aug
Hussmann-Ligonier com_*		12	12	112	11	June	141/2	Jan
Hyde Park Brew com10	50	481/2	50	85	27	Jan	50	Aug
International Shoe com *	33	33	33	50		May	36	Jan
Johnson-S-S Shoe com *		10	10	25		Mar	13	Jan
Knapp Monarch com *	11	11	11	218		Jan	113/8	Mar
Laclede-Christy Cl Pd cm-*		91/2	91/2	30	61/2	May	11	Jan
Laclede Steel com20		18	18	100	14	June	201/2	July
Meyer Blanke com*	14	14	14	10	14	Aug	14	Aug
Mo Prtland Cement cm. 25		12	12	36	9	June	131/2	July
Natl Candy com*	814	814	81/4	115		Mar	10	July
Rice-Stix D Gds 1st pfd-100		105%	105%	.5	99	June	106	Aug
St Louis Bk Bdg Eqpt cm-*		21/2	21/2	100		June	3	Jan
Scruggs-V-B Inc com5		7	7	100		Apr	7	Aug
Scullin Steel common*	Section .	75%	8	98		Apr	91/4	July
Sterling Alum com1	71/2		71/2	260		June		Jan
Stix. Baer & Fuller com_10		7	7	115	7	Aug	81/2	Feb
Scullin Steel warrants	200	85c	85c	40	45c	June	1.23	Jan
Wagner Electric com15	33	33	35	610	161/2	June	3634	Aug
		Marie Control		36 F 6 F	1.325.75	Acres and		

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Stocks- Par	Sale Price	of Pre	High	Week Shares	Lou	0	Hig	h
Anglo Amer Min Corp1 Assoc Insur Fund Inc10 Atlas Imp Diesel Engine5 Bank of California N A.80 Byron Jackson Co*	30c 4 1/8 8 3/8 196 19 1/2	27c 4 1/8 8 196 191/2	30c 5 83% 196 1934	475 • 560 713 30 530	16c 2¾ 4½ 171 13½	June Jan Jan Mar Mar	45c 5½ 10 197 22	Jan Aug May Aug July
Calamba Sugar com 20 Calif-Engels Mining 20 Calif-Engels Mining 20 Calif Packing Corp com 4 Preferred 20 Carson Hill Gold Min cap 1 Caterpillar Tractor com 4 Central Eureka Mining 1 Preferred 1 Chrysler Corp com 2 Cons Chem Ind A 4 Creameries of Am Ino vtc. 1 Crown Zellerbach com 5 Preferred 2 Cypress Abbey Co 2	20 20c 20 50 25c 50½ 2.50 2.50 76 24¾ 4¾ 13 77½ 75c	20 20c 20 50 23c 50¼ 2.20 2.20 75 24½ 4¾ 12¾ 75 75c	20 20c 21½ 50½ 25c 50½ 2.75 2.80 77¼ 25 4¾ 13½ 77½ 75c	550 1,400 384 220 1,400 1,400 1,735 5,421 1,333 1,032 500 1,778 170 500	1534 451/2 15c 30 1.65 1.65 371/2	Mar June Mar Apr Mar Jan Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar July	21 37c 24 52 30c 57½ 2.85 2.80 77¼ 33 45% 14¾ 82½ 95c	Jan Jan July Jan July Aug Aug Aug July July July July July
Di Giorgio Fruit pref100 Emporium Capwell Corp.* Preferred (w w)	23 12½ 32¼ 9½ 38 82 2.00 10¾ 49 8% 28 12 4¾	23 12½ 32¼ 9½ 38 82 2.00 10¾ 45% 8 27 10¾ 45%	23 13¼ 35½ 9½ 38 83¼ 2.00 10¾ 50½ 8¾ 28 12 5½	40 1,360 160 189 54 160 125 3,937 980 120 709 3,963	33 62	Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar	28 141/8 37 105/8 371/2 88 2.60 113/4 495/8 10 28 121/4 41/8	Jan July July Feb July June July Aug July Aug July Mar July July
Hancock Oil Co of Calif A* Hawailan Pine Co Ltd* Holly Develop Co	14	22 95% 75c 17 40 103/2 40 273/4 14 53/2	38½ 21¾ 1.15 22 95% 75c 17¼ 40½ 105% 40 27¾ 14⅙ 5½ 50c	515 40 1,636 3 0 215 2,033 100	13¾ 8 75c 12 35¾ 3¼ 32½ 13 5¾ 5	Mar Apr June Mar Feb Apr June Apr Apr Mar Mar June June	39 % 29 ¼ 1.20 24 9 ¼ 1.50 17 ½ 41 10 ½ 40 29 ¾ 16 5 ½ 55c	July Jan Aug July Jan Aug Jan Aug Aug July
Magnavox Co Ltd	15 14% 916	1434	60c 15¼ 14¾ 9½	1,114	8% 9¼	Jan Mar Feb Mar	1.13 161/2 161/2	
Menasco Mfg Co com	9½ 12 34 12 26¼	2.40 834 1178 32 12 2614 21c	2.65 91/8 12 34 12 261/4	3,877 4,149 560 40 266 50 200	80c 3¼ 7% 23 9% 23 17c	Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar	43 135% 2814 300	July Aug Feb Jan
Paauhau Sugar Plant 15 _acific Can Co com * Pacific Coast Aggregates Pacific Gas & Elec com 25 6% 1st pref 25 5½% 1st pref 25 Pac Light Corp com * Pac Pub Ser non-v com * Ist preferred * Pac Tel & Tel com 100 Philips Petroleum rts wi 10	8 1.80 26½ 30 27½ 36¾ 7 18½ 116½	26¼ 29⅓ 27½ 36¾ 7 17½ 116½ 90⅓	6 8 1.90 27 30¼ 27½ 375% 7½ 116½ 90½ 2264	3,732 2,129 441 1,070 707 469 130	4 ¾ 1.40 23 27 25 ¼ 32 ¼ 3 % 13 % 87 ½ 89	Mar Jan Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Apr	2.05 2934 3034 28 4134 734 1934 11934	Jan Aug July July July July July July July July

	Friday Last	Week's Range	Sales for	Range Since Jan. 1, 1938			
Stocks (Concluded) Par	Sale Price	of Prices Low High	Week Shares	Low	High		
R E & R Co Ltd com * Preferred	53/8 34 127/8 283/4 51/8 8 2.30 2.40 1063/8	5 % 5 % 34 34 ¼ 12 % 13 ½ 20 % 4 5 5 % 5 % 2 30 2 30 2 40 106 106 %	182 40 557 1,682 858 1,990 500 400 31	5 Jan 34 Aug 8 May 17½ June 2½ Mar 4½ Mar 1.25 Mar 1.05 Apr 102½ Apr	6½ Feb 56½ Feb 25 June 29% Jan 6% July 8% Aug 2.30 Aug 3 00 July 106 Aug		
7% preferred25 Shell Union Oil com* Signal Oil & Gas Co A* Soundview Pulp com5 So Cal Gas Co pref ser A.25 Southern Pacific Co100 So Pac Gold Gate Co A* Standard Oil Co of Calif* Super Mold Corp cap10	5¼ 16⅓ 31⅓ 22 30⅙ 20⅓ 60c 30¾ 21⅓	5¼ 5¼ 16% 16% 31% 32½ 21 22 30% 30% 19¼ 20% 60c 60c 30% 31% 21½ 21½	80 362 520 625 110 2,835 200 2,577 125	3 Apr 10 Apr 18 May 11½ Mar 28 Apr 9½ Mar 10c July 25¼ Mar 13 Mar	6 ½ July 18 July 33 ¼ Aug 25 % Aug 30 ¾ Aug 22 ¼ Jan 70c Aug 34 ¾ July 23 ½ June		
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lue. 6 2nd Liq. Div. Pay. Endorsed. b Ex-stock divide -Not included in range for year. 2 Ex-dividend. y Ex-rights. * No par value.
r Cash sale—No

z Listed. † In default,

CURRENT NOTICES

The Security Traders Association of New York is formulating plans for the inauguration of a program of publicity for its employment council in the various financial trade journals. The results obtained by the council since its formation in 1937 in securing positions for members of the association have been sufficient, in the opinion of the association's officers and directors, to warrant carrying on the work with considerably greater aggressiveness in the future, particularly in view of the anticipated improvement in prevailing market conditions this fall.

The announcement is made by William A. Titus Jr., of John Melady & Co., first Vice-President of the association and Chairman of the employment council, who states that the publicity program will in all likelihood be followed by a campaign of advertising.

"The development of this public relations program," Mr. Titus says, "marks a definite step forward in the efforts of the Security Traders Association to cooperate with the suggestions of governmental agencies and officials that industry do everything in its power to take up the existing unemployment slack. The program will also serve to familiarize the industry and the public with the facilities offered by the employment council

unemployment slack. The program will also serve to familiarize the industry and the public with the facilities offered by the employment council and the work accomplished to date."

The Security Traders employment council was formed in the fall of 1937, some eight months prior to the recent organization of a similar body by the New York Stock Exchange. The council maintains contact with the employment group of the stock exchange and that of the New York Curb Exchange and follows a policy of exchanging information with these agencies.

—Continued expansion of Burr & Co., Inc., 57 William St., New York, N. Y., was revealed with the announcement that F. Lawson Bennett will represent the company in Syracuse, N. Y. with an office in the State Tower

Building.

With the recent acquisition of the retail sales organization of Chandler & Co. and Eli T. Watson & Co., the Burr organization is now one of the largest retail security houses in the East. Through the new Syracuse office, the facilities of Burr & Co. on utility, municipal, industrial and real estate securities will be made available to security holders in Syracuse and surrounding territoties.

Mr. Bennett has been in the securities business for a number of years and comes to Burr & Co. from Schlater, Noyes and Gardner. He is recognized as an authority on municipal and corporate bonds.

—Donald K. Stevenson has become associated with G. M.-P. Murphy & Co. as manager of their Municipal Bond Department.

Canadian Markets

Provincial and Municipal Issues Closing bid and asked quotations, Friday, Aug. 26

Province of Alberta-	Bla	Ask .	Province of Ontario-	Bid	Ask
58Jan 1 1948	f61	62 1/2	58Oct 1 1942		11134
4½8Oct 1 1956	160	61	6sSept 15 1943	1161/	11734
Prov of British Columbia-			5sMay 1 1959		
5sJuly 12 1949	100	101	4sJune 1 1962		
41/28Oct 1 1953	961/2	971/2	4½8Jan 15 1965		
Province of Manitoba-		100		777	
41/28Aug 1 1941	97	99	Province of Quebec-		
58June 15 1954	931/2	951/2	4148 Mar 2 1950	109	110
5sDec 2 1959	94	951/2	4sFeb 1 1958	10814	10914
Prov of New Brunswick-			41/s May 1 1961		
4½8Apr 15 1960	10614	10714			
41/28 Apr 15 1961	10334	10414	Prov of Saskatchewan-	x 2 3	
Province of Nova Scotia-			58June 15 1943	8514	87
41/48Sept 15 1952	1091	111	51/8 Nov 15 1946	86 14	
58Mar 1 1960	117		41/28Oct 1 1951	80	82

Railway Bonds

Canadian Pacific Ry—		Ask	Canadian Pacific Dw-	- 1	Bid	
4s perpetual debentures. 6sSept 15 1942 4½sDec 15 1944 5sJuly 1 1944	103%	80 104¾	4½8Sept 11 58Dec 11	946	9814	987/8

Dominion Government Guaranteed Bonds

			Bid	Ask .	1 10 10 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Bid .	Ask
1	Canadian National	Ry-			Canadian Northern Ry-	- 7	
	41/28Sept	1 1951	115	1151/2	6 1/48July 1 1946	125	12516
	4348June	15 1955/	118	111816)		****	-20/2
	41/28Feb	1 1956	11578	1163%	Grand Trunk Pacific Ry-		
	41/28July	1 1957	115	1151/2	4sJan 1 1962	109	
	58July	1 1969	116%	1171/4	3sJan 1 1962		98%
	58Oct	1 1969		112034			00,0
	58Feb	1 1970	120	120%			

Montreal Stock Exchange

Aug. 20 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's Range of Prices	Sales for Week	Range Since	Jan. 1, 1938
Stocks- Par	Price	Low High	Shares	Low	High
Agnew-Surpass Shoe* Preferred100		10 11	40	9½ Apr	11 Jan
Preferred100	107	107 107	21	107 July	1071/2 July
Alberta Pacific Grain A *	San	4 4	.10	2 Mar	5 July
Alberta Pac Gr pref100 Amal Electric Corp* Amal Elec Corp pref50	2714	2714 2714	20	12 Jan	
Amai Electric Corp.	234	2¾ 2¾ 25 25	35	2 Apr	
Associated Breweries * Assoc Tel & Tel pref * Associate Power & Paper A* Bathurst Power & Paper A* Bawlf (N) Grain * Bell Telephone 100 Brazillan Tr Lt & Power * British Col Power Corp A. *		25 25 16 16	283	26 Mar	
Assoc Tel & Tel pref *		37 37	25	111 Apr 34 May	16 July 43½ Jan
Bathurst Power & Paper A*	984	08/ 10	535	614 June	43½ Jan 11¼ July
Bawlf (N) Grain*	074	1.50 1.75	175	1.15 Mar	2¾ July
Bell Telephone 100			400	147 Mar	166 Jan
Brazilian Tr Lt & Power_*	11%	11% 12%	867	736 Mar	1416 July
British Col Power Corp A.*	301/2	301/4 31	769	27% Apr	33 % Feb
Barrels Cills Mills		334 334	30	3½ Mar	51/8 July
Druck Silk Mills	4	4 4	570	21/2 June	4½ July
Calgary Power 100		54 54 85 85	80	38 Apr	60 Aug
## B	101/4	10% 10%	30	85 Aug 7½ Mar	85 Aug 12¾ Jan
Preferred100	10/4	96 96	330	87 June	110 Jan
Can Northern Power	17	17 17	139	16% Aug	1914 Jan
Canada Steamship (new) .*	314	314 31/2	30	2 Mar	45% June
Preferred50		141/2 141/2	286	2 Mar 7 Mar	163% July
Can wire & Cable cl A*		50 50	10	48 Aug	50 Aug
Canadian Bronze*		40 40	60	30 Mar	41 J_1
Canadian Bronze pref_100		103 103	2	103 Aug	105¼ Mar
Canadian Car & Foundry * Preferred25 Canadian Celanese * Preferred 7%100	16¾ 29⅓	16% 18	4,550	7¼ Mar	181/a July
Canadian Celanese *	1416	28¾ 29¾ 14 14¼	895	1814 Mar	30 July
Preferred 7% 100		14 14½ 96 96	210 95	9 June 90 July	20 Jan 106 Jan
Rights		18 18	25	90 July 16% Mar	20 Jan
Canadian Cottons pref. 100	99	99 99	10	99 Aug	108 Jan
Cndn Foreign Invest*		14 14 16	125	11 June	19 Feb
Canadian Indus Alcohol*	21/8	25% 234	1,055	21% Mar	4½ Jan
Class B*	8	21/8 21/4	400	1.50 Mar	4 Jan
Canadian Locomotive ** Canadian Pacific Ry ** Canadian Pacific Ry ** Canadian Pacific Ry ** 25	8	- 8 - 8	5	6 Mar	101/2 Mar
Cookshutt Diam	65%	63% 634	2,887	5 Mar	81/2 Jan
Cockshutt Plow ** Con Min & Smelt new 25	59	101/2 103/4	310	6% Mar	131/4 July
Crown Cork & Seal Co*		59 60 1914 1914	1,431	47 Mar	6414 Jan
Distill Corn Saggrama *	17	19½ 19½ 15% 17	720	16 Mar 11 Mar	1934 July
Dominion Bridge **	361/2	3434 3738	940	21 Mar	171/8 July 39 July
Dominion Bridge* Dominion Coal pref25 Dominion Glass100 Dominion Steel & Coal B 25	. 18	18 1814	311	16 Mar	20 Jan
Dominion Glass 100		105 105	5	96% June	108 Jan
Dominion Steel & Coal B 25	141/8	13½ 14½ 7½ 8	2,966	9 Mar	16% July
	8	71/2 8	455	4% Mar	10 Jan
Preferred100 Dominion Textile* Dryden Paper*		80 80	10	75 June	84 Feb
Dryden Peper	64	64 64	75	58 May	70 Jan
Eastern Dairies * Electrolux Corp 1 English Electric * Foundation Co of Can * Gatineau * Preferred 100		8 8 1.00 1.00 ₁	10	4 Mar	814 Jan
Electrolux Corp	151/2		270	55c Apr	1.35 Jan
English Electric *	10/2	15½ 15½ 7¾ 7¾	50	11% Mar 7 Jan	17 July 11 July
Foundation Co of Can *		14 14	70	. 8% Mar	16 July
Gatineau*	127/8	12% 13%	186	714 Mar	138/ Ang
Preferred100	434	84 84	333	75 Mar	861 June
Rights General Steel Wares Preferred 100	4%	4% 5	275	3 June	51/8 Aug
Professed Wares	81/2	81/2 87/8	345	5 Mar	10½ July
Goodyear T prof inc. 197 50	75	75 75	195	45 Mar	80 July
Goodyear T pref inc '27_50 Gurd (Charles)		56 1/2 56 1/2	55	53 Mar	561/2 Aug
Gypsum Lime & Alabas *	61/2	7 7 63% 63%	75 525	5 Mar	8¼ June
Gypsum Lime & Alabas_* Hamilton Bridge*	. 072	8 8	35	4 Mar 5 Mar	8% Jan 9% July
	151/4	15 1514	1,995	5 Mar 1114 Mar	1514 Aug
Howard Smith Paper *		151/2 151/2	91	1014 Mar	18 June
Preferred100		91 91	30	90 Mar	98 Feb
Howard Smith Paper ** Preferred **		30 311/4	276	2014 Mar	311/4 Aug
Imperial Tobacco of Con	1714	17 1714	1,642	15 Mar	193% Feb
		15% 151/2	4,435	131/4 Jan	15% July
Intl Nickel of Canada *	50	31 31 49¼ 50¾	75	23 Apr	311/2 Aug
Intl Nickel of Canada * Internat Pet Co Ltd *	2614	2614 2614	4.069	37 Mar 23¾ Mar	5234 Feb
		2074 2072	1,147	23 1/4 Mar	31¼ Mar
Preferred100		80 80	10	74 May	84 Feb
Jamaica Public Serv Ltd*		37 37	10	32 Mar	36 Aug
Lake of the Woods*		14 141/2	210	101/4 Mar	171 July
Lang & Sons Ltd (J A)*		121/2 121/2	15	9 Mar	13 June
Magaz Borria		11 11	85	71/2 Aug	11 Aug
Preferred 100 Jamaica Public Serv Ltd Lake of the Woods Lang & Sons Ltd (J A) Legare pref Massey-Harris McColl-Frontense Oil	81/4	7% 81/2	650	4% Mar	101/2 July
MICOUL-LIQUIGUNG (MITTER)		1034 11	1,722	10 June	14 Feb

Montreal Stock Exchange

	Friday Last Sale	Week &		Sales for Week	Range	Since	Jan. 1.	1938
Stocks (Concluded) Par	Price	Low Hw		Shares			H	gh
Mont L H & P Consol *	30%	301/4	31	4,021	27	Mar	31	Jar
Mont Loan & Mtge25		27	27	113	27	July	28	May
Montreal Telegraph 40		58	687/8	15	56	Jan	62	Jan
Montreal Tramways100		69	69	89	7436	Aug	89	Feb
National Breweries*	421/2	42	4214	2,440	34%	Apr	43	
Preferred25	43	43						Aug
National Steel Car Corp. *	62	62	43	95	38	Mar	43	July
			66	3,705	31	Mar	67	Aug
Niagara Wire Weaving *	34	34	34	50	24	June	34	Aug
Noranda Mines*	7434	74	751/4	5,378	48	Mar	7514	Aug
Oglivie Flour Mills*	29 1/8	29	30	672	23	Mar	31	Feb
Preferred100		154	155	760	150	Mar	155 1/2	Aug
Ottawa Electric Ry*		16	16	104	25	June	331/4	Mar
Ottawa L H & P 100		81	81	10	80	Mar	86	Jan
Penmans*		46	46 1/2	20	4616	Aug	49	July
Power Corp of Canada *	15	1416	15%	380	914	Mar	1616	Jan
Price Bros & Co Ltd*	1814	1714	19	2,121	85/8	Mar	20	July
5% preferred100	54	53	54	205	34	Mar	551/8	July
Quebec Power *		171/2	18	36	14	Mar	19	July
Rolland Paper v t	13%	13%	13%	10	121/2		1736	Feb
Preferred100	1074	99	99	35	99	Apr	102 1/2	Feb
Saguenay Power pref 100	102	101	102	40	95			
St Lawrence Corp*	51/2	53/8	578		25%	Feb	102 34	Aug
A preferred50	19			2,341		Mar	63/8	July
		17%	1934	2,090	814	Mar	2014	Aug
St Lawrence Paper pref 100	54	51	53	626	24	Apr	5814	July
Shawinigan W & Pow*	21	2034	21	1,315	17%	Mar	23	July
Sherwin-Williams of Can_*		141/2	141/2	110	10	Mar	17	July
Preferred100		108	108	30	108	Aug	1081/2	Aug
Southern Canada Power*	12	12	121/2	225	111/2	Mar	15	June
Steel Co of Canada*	69	69	7034	395	56	Mar	71	Aug
Preferred25		671/2	671/2	5	5416	Mar	68	Aug
Tuckett Tobacco pref100		159	159	5	150	Apr	160	July
United Steel Corp*	534	5 5/8	6	195	3	Mar	7	July
Wabasso Cotton*		17	17	50	15	Jan	20	Jan
Western Grocers pref100	107		107	2	107	Aug	107	Aug
Windsor Hotel pref100	-0.	5	5	50	5	Aug	8	Jan
Winnipeg Electric A*	2	2	21/4	25	1.50	Apr	3	Jan
B*		2	2	85	1.25	Mar	234	June
		r fer	4	00	1.20	Mar	274	June
Banks-	E .					.83		
Commerce100	175		177	130	160	Apr	178	Jan
Montreal100		212	213	147	197	Mar	223	July
Nova Scotia100		310	310	52	295	June	310	Aug
Royal100	188		190	185	170	Mar	191%	Jan

Canadian Government Municipal Public Utility and Industrial Bonds

HANSON BROS., Inc.
Established 1883

255 St. James St., Montreal
56 Sparks St., Ottawa 330 Bay Street, Toronto

Montreal Curb Market

Aug. 20 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's		Sates for Week	Ranos	Since	Jan. 1.	1938
Stocks- Par	Price	Low	H&gh	Shares	Los	w ou	Hu	h
Abitibi Pow & Paper Co *	31/4	31/8	31/2	9,639	1.00	Mar	434	July
6% cum'pref100	251/2	25	27	825	914	Mar	29	June
Ashestos Corn Ltd *	89%	82	91 1/2	8,284	47	Mar	901/2	Aug
Bathurst P&PLtdB*		4	4	70	2	June	43%	June
Beaunarnois Pow Corp*	3	3	3 5/8	1,842		Mar	55%	Jan
Brewers & Distill of Van_5	5	5	514	415	5	May	7 5/8	Feb
Brit Amer Oil Co Ltd *	21 3/8	211/8		1,290	17	Mar	21 34	July
British Columbia Packers *	14	14	14	577	10	Jan	141/2	Aug
Canada & Dom Sug (new) *	2634	261/2	27	1,335	261/2	Aug	2734	Aug
Canada Malting Co Ltd *		30 1/2	31 1/2	19	2914	Apr	36	Jan
Can Nor P 7% cum pf_100		109	110	50	103	Jan	110	Feb
Can Brewerles Ltd*		2	21/8	900	1.10	Mar		June
Preferred*	201/2	201/2	211/4	425	141/4	Apr	22	June
Cndn Intl Inv Trust Ltd *		1.00	1.00	50		Mar		Mar
Cndn Light & Pow Co100		1.20	1.25	75	14	Jan	15	Feb
Cndn Pow & Paper Inv* Can Vickers Ltd*	1.05	1.00	1.05	96	1.00	Jan	2.00	Jan
Catelli Fd Prods5%cm pf15		81/2	9	145	3	Mar	1136	July
City Gas & Elec Corp Ltd *	25c	10 25e	10 25c	50	7	Apr	10	Aug
Claude Neon Gen Adv *	250	15e	20c	100		May	70c	Mar
	1.25	1.25	1.35	500 150		Mar	35c 1.85	Jan
Consol Bakeries of Can*	91/	81/8	834	6.816	13	Mar May	145%	July Feb
David & Frere Ltee A*	9	8	9	85	3	Apr	8	Aug
Dom Eng Works Ltd *		41	41	100	21	May	4814	July
Dominion Stores Ltd *		51/4	514	5		June	834	Jan
Donnacona Paper A *	71/4	714	732	425	314	Mar	814	July
Donnacona Paper B *	65%	614	6 5/8	235	3	Mar	734	July
Eastern Dairies 7 % cm pf 100	0/8	614	634	5	31/2	Apr	71/2	Jan
Fairchild Aircraft Ltd5	61/4	614	61/2	1,420	3	Mar	814	July
Fleet Aircraft Ltd*		12	121/2	500	416	Jan	15	July
Ford Motor Co of Can A.*	213/8	195%	213%	2,025	14%	Mar	21	Aug
Foreign Power Sec Corp*		50c	50c	100	40c	Feb	50c	Feb
Fraser Companies Ltd *		17	17	31	9	Mar	20	Aug
Voting trust ctfs*	19	18	1934	815	10	Mar	211/4	July
Goodyear T & Rub of Can*		65	65	30	64	July	65	July
Intl Paints (Can) Ltd A* International Utilities A*		3	3	5		Mar	45/8	July
International Utilities A*		-8	914	95	6	Mar	914	Aug
Intl Utilities Corp B1		80	80	50	55e		1.00	Jan
Lake Sulphite*	35/8	35/8	35/8	25	23/4	Mar	12 1/8	Jan
Mackangle Ata Constant		26	26	4 100	13	Mar	34	June
Mackenzie Air Service* MacLaren Pow & Paper*	1007	1.20	1.30	1,180	7	Mar Mar		July
Massey-Har 5% cum pf 100	13¾	13¾ 57	1334	325			17	Jan
McColl-Fron 6% cm pf_100	100	99	59¾ 100	362 80	3214	Apr	63	July
Melchers Distillers Ltd pf*	100	5%	51/8	283	87½ 5¼	June	61/2	July
Mitchell (Robt) Co Ltd*	191/2	191/2	2014	1,037	71/2		21	Jan
Page-Hersey Tubes *	93	93	93	70	78	Apr	96	Aug
Power Corp of Canada	00	00	00	10	.0	ZZDI	00	July
6 % cum 1st pref100		100	100	97	92	Mar	100	Aug
			45	50	44	June	45	Aug
Provincial Trans		684	634	30	634	July	71/4	July
Provincial Trans Quebec Tel & Power A * Reliance Grain Co *	41/6	414	41/2	95		May	43%	Jan
Reliance Grain Co*		61/2	612	15	5	May	71/2	July
* No par value.						-		

Canadian Markets-Listed and Unlisted

	Friday Last Sale	Week's	Range	Sales for Week	Range	Since .	Tan. 1.	1938
Stocks (Concluded) Par	Price	Low	High	Shares	Los	w	Hig	ħ
Sarnia Bridge Co Ltd A*		71/2	71/2	25	61/2		11	Ja
Sou Can Pow 6% cm pf 100		107	107	23	104	June	106	Au
Inited Securities Ltd100		81/2	81/2	15	10	May	15 2	Ma
Walkerville Brewery* H) Walk-Gooder & Worts*		1.60	1.75	250 50	1.10	Apr	45	Jul
Walker Good & Worts(H)*		4234	441/4	50	3474	Mar	40	Jui
\$1 cum pref*		193/8	19%	105	1716	May	19%	Au
Mines—								
Aldermae Copper Corp*	49c		50c	4,903	426	Mar	67c	Ja
MM Gold		12c 17c	15c 17c	2,000	12c	Aug	24c 33c	Fe
Beaufor Gold1	30½c		30 1/2 c	1,300 2,500	24140	Feb	46c	
Bidgood-Kirk Gold1 Big Missouri Mines1	31c	31c		1,025	24½ c 32e	June	57c	Ja
Bouscadillac Gold1	6c	60		7,300	60	Aug	1312c	Fe
Brazil Gold & Diamond1		7c	8c	1,200	3c	May	8c	Fe
Bornwiee Mines (1936)1		40	4c	100	30	June	10c	Fe
Sornwice Mines (1936) 5 Sulolo Gold Dredging 5 Endn Malartic Gold * Capitol-Rouyn Gold 1	281/4	281/4	281/2	3,129	2414	June	30	Ja
ndn Malartic Gold*		93c	1.03	2,400	770	Mar	1.27	Fe
Capitol-Rouyn Gold1 Cartier-Malartic G.M Ltd 1		3¼ c	31/4 c 6c	5,000 300	3c	July Jan	9¼c	Ja Fe
Central Cadillac Gold1	32e	320	340	6,750		Mar	62c	
Coniaurum Mines*	1.40	1.40	1.40	300		May	1.71	Ja
Cons Chibougamau Glfds.1		30c	30c	1,400	20c		41c	Fe
Dome Mines Ltd*	341/4	3414	3414	774	27 34	June	35	At
Duparquet Mining Co1	4c	40	4c	5,700	31/8C	Aug	612c	Au
Cast Malartic Mines1	2.10	2.00	2.20	13,500	1.05	Jan	2.37	At
Eldorado Gold M Ltd1	2.40	2.25	2.40	2,700		Mar	3.25	M
Falconbridge Nickel* Francoeur Gold M Ltd*		5.85	5.85	270		Mar	6.95	Ja
nspiration	40c	34c 40c	35c 45c	1,600 3,700	28c	Mar	55 1/2 c 45 c	Fe
J-M Consol Gold(New)	11c			1,864	100	July June	1516e	Ma
Kirkland Gold Rand Ltd.1	8c			1,100	6160	Aug	27c	Fe
Kirkland Lake Gold1		1.27	1.30	1.100	990	Mar	1.50	JE
Lake Shore Mines1	53 1/2	53 3/8	53 1/2	1,245	4614	Mar	5814	Fe
Lapa-Cadillac		48c		2,500	480	Aug	620	A
Lee Gold1 Macassa Mines1	25%c	2½c	25%c	2,500	11/4 c	Mar	25%c	At
Macassa Mines1		5.25	5.30	1,600		Mar	5.50	JE
Mackenzie-Red Lake1 McIntyre-Porcupine5		1.20	1.20	50	730	June	1.27	Ju
O'Brien Gold1		3.60		1,525 825		Mar	5.40	JE
Pamour-Porcupine*	4.50	4.45	4.50	1,900		Mar	4.65	Ju
Pandora Cad1	180			5,500	170	Aug	62c	Ji
Pandora Cad1 Pato Consol Gd Dredging 1	2.45	2.30	2.45	2,200	1.55	Apr	2.70	J
Pend-Oreille M & M Co1		1.90	1.90	400	1.37	May	2.65	J
Perron Gold Mines Ltd1	1.42		1.50	4,200	1.02	Jan	1.77	F
Pickle Crow Gd M Ltd1	5.05			1,500	3.90	Mar	5.25	
Placer Development1		151/2	151/2	1,000		Mar	1714	F
Preston-East Dome1 Read Authier Mine1	1.60				2.50	Mar	1.93	A
Red Crest Gold1	80					June	4.50 42c	
Reward Mining Co1		31/20	31/20	1,000	31/20	Apr	61/20	
Ritchie Gold 1	to it is	1 1160	11/20	500	11/20	Aug	30	
Showkey Cold		51/20	51/20	3,400	434	Aug		M
Sherritt-Gordon		1.30	1.33	900	91360	May	1.78	
Siscoe Gold Mines Ltd!	2.06	2.06	2.15	6,345	2.00) Aug	3.40	J
Sherritt-Gordon Siscoe Gold Mines Ltd Siaden Mal Stadacona (new) Sullivan Consolidated Sullivan Consolidated	930	860	1.07	46.325	88c	Mar		
Stadacona (new)	460	460	491/20	6,012	390	June	78c	M
Sullvanita Cold	1.0		3 1.11	2,728	80c	Mar		
Sylvanite Gold		3.28	3.28	178	4.4) Mar) Apr		
Thompson Cad	25	220		79,110	19	e Mar	386	j
Teck-Hughes Gold	23 1/2	c 23	c 27	23,400	20	c July	43c	J
Wright Hargreaves		7.9	5 7.9	37	0.5	5 Mar	8.10)]
Oil— Brown Oil		32	e 33	c 1,100	24	c June	5814	0 1
Brown Oil	*	48		1,100	40	c Mar		0 1
Foundation Pete		1814				c Aug		
		0 1.1.			95c	Mar	1.4	5 . 4
Okalta Oils Ltd RoyalitefOll Co	*	1.3	0 1.3	60	1.0	8 June	2.20	
Royalite@Oll Co	* 46	46	47	520		Mar		J

	Last Sale	Week's		for Week	Range	Since .	Tan. 1,	1938
Stocks— Par	Price	Low High		Shares	Lot	0 1	Htq	h
Abitibi*	31/4	3	31/2	4,405		Mar	4%	July
6% preferred100		251/4	2634	315	814	Mar	29	July
Atton Mines Ltd1	3c	3c	31/4 C	10,000	1360	June	41/20	Mar
Ajax Oil & Gas1	20c	20c	20 ½c	1,000	18c	June	32c	Apr
Alberta Pacific Grain *		378	4	35	2	Apr	51/8	Aug
Alberta Pacific Grain-	500				107 m 1	1100	Miss Co.	
Preferred100	271/4	271/4	29	222	1014	Jan	29	Aug
Amm Gold Mines1	13 1/2 C	10c	16c	64,100	100	Aug	33c	June
Angle Can Hold Dev*	1.38	1.38	1.40	2,550	95c	Mar	1.65	Jar
Anglo-Huronian*	3.25	3.20	3.30	1,413	2.90	June	4.15	Jar
Arntfield Gold1		15c	161/8c	2,300	15c	Apr	33c	Ma
ABDIEY GOID	100	9c	10½c	50,650	5e	Mar	11c	Aug
Astoria Quebec Mines1		60	6c	2,400	41/40	Aug	7c	Aus
Augite Porcupine Gold 1	280		32c	38,300	20c	Mar	44e	Fel
Bagamac Mines1		19c	20c	4.250	13c	Mar	276	Jai
Bankfield Cons		61c	63c	5,839	61c	Aug	1.03	Fel
Bank of Montreal100		212	215	69	195	Mar	22214	Jul
Fank of Nova Scotia 100		3065%	306 5%	3	285	June	306 %	Au
Bank of Toronto 100				12	227	May	249	Fe
Base Metals Corp*	1 3 1 A 1	32c		1,400		Mar	45c	
Base Metals Corp* Bathurst Power A*		934	10	85		June	1114	Jul
Beattle Gold	1.27			9,400		May	1.45	Ja
Beatty Bros 1st pref100	1011/			10		Apr	106	Ja
Beauharnols.	33%		31/2	118		Mar	5 5%	Ja
Bell Tel Co of Canada 100	16614		16614	377	14614		16614	Ja
Bidgood Kirkland1						Feb	50c	Fe
Big Missouri1		210				Mar	58e	Ja
Biltmore Hats.	8	8	8	45		Aug	11%	Ma
Bobio Mines	110					Mar	14% c	Jul
Breiorne Mines	9.55					Mar	10.25	
Brail Tracticn	115%			1.022		Mar	141/2	Jul
Brewers & Distillers	5	5	51/4	904		June		Fe
Pritish American Oil			211/2	4.772			71/4	
Brit Col Power A	2172	301/4		225		Apr	22 34	Jul
Brit Columbia Power B.		35%	35%	21		June	5	Ja
Brown Oil	300					Aug	68140	Jul
Buffaio Ankerite		1534		396		Mar		
Buttale Canadian	30						171/20	
Buffelo Canadian	00	55	56	14,500		Mar	6140	
Building Products	101/	10½c	100			Apr	60	Au
Dunker Bill	10/20						22e	Ja
Burlington Steel		22				Mar	141/2	Jul
Eurt (F N)2	9 90		23	180		May	25	Au
Calgary & Edmonton					1.80	Mar	3.10	
Calmont Oils						June	62c	Js
Canada Bread B50			49	50		June	50	Αι
Cs nada Cement		10	101/8			Mar	13	Ja
Preferred100		9514		100		June	108	Ja
Canada Malting	32	301/4		135		Apr	36	Ja
Can North Power		.1 17	17	20	17	Aug	20	M٤

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-		Friday Last	Week's Range	Sales for Week	Range Since	Jan. 1, 1938
1	Stocks (Continued) Par	Sate Price	of Prices Low High		Low	High
1	Canada Packers* Canada Permanent100	71¾ 136	70½ 71¾ 136 136	16	58 Mar 128 May	72 Jan 150 Jan
1	Canada Steamships50	31/2	3½ 3½ 13½ 14½	49	2 Mar 6½ Apr	4¼ June 16¼ July
1	Canadian Breweries	1.75	17 17 1.75 2.00	25 1,615	15 June 1.15 Mar	22 Jan 2.60 May
1	Preferred ** Cndn Bk of Commerce 100	20¾ 174 5½	20¾ -21¼ 174 175½ 5½ 5¾	550 108 200	14½ Mar 157 Mar 4 Apr	21½ Aug 177 Jan 6 Aug
1	Canadian Canners 1st pf 20	181/2	18¼ 18¾ 8 8½	200 200 135	16 Apr 61 Apr	19 July 9 Jan
1	2d preferred * Can Car & Foundry * Preferred 25 Canadian Dredge *	16¾ 29½	163% 18 29 30	2,715 730	7¼ Mar 18¼ Mar	1814 July 30 July
1	Canadian Locomotive 100	22	22 23 8 8	160 20	21 July 6 June	35 Jan 10 July
1	Canadian Malartic ** Canadian Oil ** C P R ** 25	94c 12½	93c 1.03 12½ 12½	25	74c Mar 10 May	1.28 Feb
1	Canadian Wineries ** Cdn Wirebound Box **	6½ 3	63/8 63/4 3 3 20 20	4,390 25 20	5 Mar 2 Apr 17 May	814 Jan 314 July 20 Feb
1	Caribou Gold1		2.45 2.55 102½ 104½		1.65 Jan 98½ Jan	2.60 July 104½ Aug
1	Castle-Trethewey1 Central Patricia1	95e 2.52	90c 1.00 2.52 2.62	2,900 7,000	54c Mar 2.10 Jan	1.19 July 3.20 Feb
١	Chesterville-Larder Lake 1	10½c 1.11	10c 10 1/2c 1.10 1.23	23,100 16,750	8½c Mar 1.18 Aug	15c Feb 1.73 July
1	Cockshutt Plow *		65c 70c	360	35c June 7 Mar	800 Aug 131/4 July
1	Cons Bakeries *	1.40	1.32 1.45 14½ 14¾ 32c 32c	150	1.10 Mar 111 Mar 20c Mar	1.84 Jan 16 Jan 42c Feb
	Consol Chibougama1 Cons Smelters5 Consumers Gas100 Crows Nest Coal100	5914	58½ 60 178 179	1,529 135	46½ Mar 176 June	64½ Jan 199 Jan
	Darkwater1		32½ 32½ 9c 9½0	50	29 Apr 9c June	38 Feb 23½c Feb
	Davies Petroleum* Denison Nickel Mines	20c	31c 31c 20c 21c	9,200	30 June 17c June	73 Mar 46e Jan
1	Distillers Seagrams *	17	15¾ 17 75¼ 77½	2,530 92	11 Mar 66½ Jan 2714 June	17% Aug 78 Aug
-	Preferred 100 Dome Mines (new) * Dominion Bank 100 Dominion Coal pref 25	34	33¼ 34¾ 209 209 18 18¼	7	27½ June 189 Apr 16 Apr	34% Aug 212 Aug 19% Feb
1	Dominion Explorers*	3 1/4 c 42		2 500 446	31/20 June 251/2 Jan	7c Mar 44 June
1	Dominion Steel Coal B_25	141/8	33 33 13½ 14½	50 857	29 Apr 9 Mar	33 Aug 16½ July
	Dominion Stores* Dominion Tar pref100	5	5 5 79 79	25	73 May	8¼ Jan 84 July
	Dorval Siscoe 1 East Crest Oil * East Malartic 1	71/40	6c 61/2	1,000	6c Aug	15c Jan
5	Easy Washing ** Economic Invest ** 25	2.09	3¼ 3½ 24 26		25% Mar	5 Feb
1	Eldoredo 1	2 3	2.26 2.4	2 20,30	2 1.97 May	3.25 Mar 6.95 Jan
r	Falconbridge ** Fanny Farmer ** Faulkenham Lake Gold 1	24	19¾ 20 22c 24	c 15,40	5 16 Mai 0 22c Aug	24c Aug
7	Federal-Kirkland1 Fernland Gold1	23	e 23e 25		0 18c July	30c May
b n	Ford A	211	19% 213	8 4,57	6 14% Mai	21 Aug
n	Foundation Petroluem		34c 34	c 7,770 c 60 s 12	0 27c Mai	53c Feb
L	Gatineau Power		83 1 84 84 1 4 1 4 1	7		861 June
r	Rights General Steel Wares Gillies Lake Gold	14	8 85 c 13½c 17½	6 191.90	3 5 Mar 0 8c Mar	10½ July 32c Apr
g	1 Glenora	1	3c 3¼	e 10,36	0 2c June 1 31c Mar 0 14c Mar	68c Jan
n y	God's Lake Goldale Mines Gold Eagle Goodfish Mining	231/2	c 23c 25 ½ c 18c 25 - 4c 4 ½	2c 14,10	0 16c May	40c Feb
	Goodyear Tire pref56 Graham-Bousquet	56	56 56		3 51 1/4 Mai	58 June
s	Granda Mines	11 11	c 10½c 14 c 5c 5½	c 105,33 c 5,50	7 50 Mai 0 50 June	14c Aug
3	Preferred	23	22 23	30 63	4 4% Mai	33 Jan
-			_ 20 20	1	5 20 Au	25 Mar
у	Preferred 50 Greening Wire 50 Grull-Wijksne Gunnar Gold		01/-	c 2.00	0 31/2c Aug	10c Jan
y	Gunnar Gold	1 3 2 4 4	6 6 6	88	5 414 Ma	8¼ Jan
g	Halcrow-Swayze Hard Rock Harker	2.1	c 3½c 4 5 2.12 2.2		5 1 10 Jan	2.93 July
g	HarkerHedley-Mascot	111/2	c 10% c 11% - 1.16 1.2 - 10c 10	20 1,20	0 1.00 May	1.40 Feb
n	Hedley-Mascot Highwood-Sarcee Hinde & Dauch Hollinger Consolidated	151	10c 10 15 15 151/6 15	1 29	01 13% Ap	17½ July 15¼ June
g	Homestead Oil	241/2	200 24 1	21 1,33 6c 24.50	5 91c May	1.47 Apr
b	Howey Gold Hudson Bay Min & Sm	26	30 31	5,35 4 97	0 22c Ma 6 20 Ma	7 311/4 Aug
b	Howey Gold Hudson Bay Min & Sm. Hunts B Huron & Erie 20 % 10 Imperial Bank 10 Imperial Oil 10 Imperial Tobacco 1nspiration 1nter, Metals A	*	5 5 9 1/2 9	1/2 2	5 6½ Ma	91/2 Aug
ig eb	Imperial Oil	# 17!	210 212 17 17 15 15 15	14 3,17	6 15 Ma	r 1916 Ma
y	Inspiration	1 8	3934 45	2,00	38c Jul 30 41/8 Ma	y 49c June gr 9¼ Jan
in	A preferred 10	0 75	75 75	14	10 65 Jun	e 81 Aug
n	Intl Milling pref10	(11	- 101 101 49 50	% 6,38	6 98% Ma 83 37 Ma	r 52% Feb
ar	International Nickel International Pete Int! Utilities A	* 26 * 9	8 9	14 19	90 5 Ma	y 91/4 Aug
ly ne	Jack Waite Jacola Mines	1 3	6c 36c 4	0c 10,20 1c 16,4	00 32c Fe	b 60c July
ly eb	Jellicoe Cons	1 407	43c 48 10 1/2 11 1	4c 72,9	20 33c Au 42 9%c Jur	g 820 Mar 160 May
ly an	Kerr Addison	1 2.0	06 1.95 2. 51c 8	15 43,1 1c 6	11 1.25 Jul 00 50c At	ne 2.50 Aug 55c June
ly an eb	Kirkland-Hudson	1 6	0c 60c 6 25 1.25 1.	0c 4.0 37 20.6	00 55c At 85 95c M	ng 1.50 Jan ar 1.50 Jan
ug	Laguna Cold	1 52	34 5234 53	7c 7,3	00 25c At	ar 58% Feb
ly	Lamaque Contact	3	31/sc 3!	%c 1,1	25 2 M: 00 23/c Ju 00 371/c Js	ly 5c Feb
an	Laura Secord	* 9	63 63 0c 90c 9	5c 5.7	10 56 Ma 00 85c A	ar 65 Aug or 1.13 Feb
ug	Lebel Oro	1 61 23	6c 61/2c	7c 9,2 5c 6,5	00 5 3 5 Ju	ne 15c Jan ne 3%c Aug
an an	Legare Ltd pref2	51	101/2 10	1/2	25 7½ At	
a	* No par value.		17 17 17 1		- C.	

Canadian Markets—Listed and Unlisted

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1010	1110	Stock	LACII	ange	
Stocks (Continued) Par	Last Sais	Week's Ran	Week	-	Jan. 1, 1938
Leitch Gold1		Low Hi	9c 21,150	-	H1gh
Little Long Lac ** Loblaw A **	3.50	3.45 3. 23 23	60 7,078	3.20 Aug	6.00 Feb
B. ** Macassa Mines1	21 5.20	2034 21	1/8 316	18 Mar	21½ Jar
MacLeod Cockshutt1	3.60		40 8,780 70 26,680	1.30 Jan	4.45 July
Madsen Red Lake1 Malartic Gold1	45 % c	50c 5 45c 5	6c 48.778	25c Mar 45c Aug	57c Aug
Manitoba & Eastern* Maple Leaf Milling*		2c 23	3,000 360	11/20 Aug	4c Jan
Preferred * Maralgo Mines 1	4½ 11c		34 163	3 Apr	6 May
Massey Harris ** Preferred ** 100	83%	8 . 8	1,360	4% Mar	10¼ July
McColl Frontenac **	60 11	56 60 10% 11	2,560	10 June	63 July 14 Fet
McColi Frontenac ** Preferred 100 McIntyre Mines 5	99 48½	98½ 100 46% 48	145 7,503	351/2 Mar	101 July 48¾ Aug
McKenzie Red Lake1	1.21 14c	1.20 1.3	9,125 6c 4.750	69c Mar	1.29 July 24c Mar
McKinley Mines 1 McWatters Gold*	050		7c 5,350	32c Jan	82c Aug
Meriand Oil * Mining Corp * Monarch Oils 25c Moneta Porcupine 1 Moore Corp *	2.10	1.90 2.	0 10,340	1.45 Mar	2.49 Jan
Moneta Porcupine1	1.55	12c 1:	77 39,930	1.45 Aug	20c Apr 2.56 Mar
Moneta For cupine 11 Moore Corp * A 100 B 100 Morris-Kirkland 1 Murphy Gold 1	160	36½ 37 160 160	70 31	143 Apr	38 Aug 160 Aug
Morris-Kirkland1		216 216 9c 16	c 2,200		216 Aug 15c July
Murphy Gold1		1%c	2c 4,000		3½c July
National Brewing pref. 100 National Grocers*	4. 5.7.	42½ 42 5½ 5	½ 5 % 90		42½ Aug 7½ Feb
National Grocers prof 1001	193	118 118	40	115 Apr	126½ Jan
National Trust 100 Naybob Gold 1 Newbec Mines * New Golden Rose 1	59c	193 193 55c 6	re 104,450	13 1/2 Apr	79c July
New Golden Rose1	16c	5c 734	c 6,800 c 7,600	2c May 12c May	11½c July 38c Mar
Noranda Mines	1.75 74¾	1.70 1.7 73½ 75		1.65 Mar 48 Mar	2.15 Jan 75¼ Aug
Nordon Oil 1 Norgold Mines 1	6c	12c 12	c 1,000 c 4,500	7c Apr 2c Mar	19c July
Normetal *	74c	74c 77	c 10,990	50c Mar	1.14 Jan
Northern Canada * Northern Empires Mines 1	35c 8.60	35c 37 8.60 8.6	5 1,200	27c Apr 7.50 May	40c July 8.95 Aug
North Star Oil * Preferred 5 O'Brien Gold 1	31/2	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	5 150 275	1.00 May 3¼ Aug	1.50 Feb 3¾ Aug
O'Brien Gold	$\frac{3.50}{1.25}$	$\begin{array}{cccc} 3.50 & 3.8 \\ 1.20 & 1.3 \end{array}$	0 3,800	2.75 Mar 1.07 June	5.45 Jan 2.30 Jan
Olga Gas* Omega Gold1	55c	21/2 21/4	c 1.000	2c June 31c Mar	5%c Jan
Oro Plata*	63c	55c 57 ½ 60c 70	c 15,400	46c Jan	68c Aug 1.45 Mar
Pacalta Oils		6c 7	c 7,050	6c June	17e Feb
Page-Hersey* Pamour Porcupine*	93	93 933 4.40 4.5	5 12,735	78 Apr 2.90 Mar	98 Aug 4.65 July
Pandora-Cadillac 1 Partanen-Malartic 1	19c 11¼c	19c 19 11c 15	c 500	7½c Jan	63c Feb 24½c July
Paulore Gold 1 Paymaster Cons 1 Payore Gold 1	8½c 48½c	8c 9 48c 50	c 3,000,	5c June 38c Mar	220 Mar
Payore Gold1	13½c	13c 13 1/2	c 18,000	12c June	23c Mar
Perron Gold 1 Pete-Cobalt 1	1.41	$\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 40 & 1.4 \\ 1.00 & 1.2 \end{array}$	5 4,000	1.02 Jap 50c Mar	1.76 Feb 1.75 Jan
Pete-Cobalt 1 Pickle Crow 1 Pioneer Gold 1	5.00 3.00	5.00 5.30 3.00 3.10	4,585	3.80 Mar 2.80 Mar	5.30 Aug 3.30 Mar
	2.43 15	2.40 2.60 14¾ 15	21,800	1.37 Mar 9 % Apr	2.65 July 16% July
Power Corp. * Prairie Royalties25c Premier	31c 2.52	31c 34 2.32 2.5	7 500	30c Mar 1.81 Mar	52c Apr
Premier1 Pressed Metals* Preston E Dome1	22 1.60	22 22	100	10 Mar	2.52 Aug 23 Aug
	1.00		170,590	67c May	1.90 Aug
Read Authler1		55c 55 2.65 2.7	1,950	41c Mar 2.55 July	70c July 4.55 Jan
TOOL OLEST		2 8c 8	30	1 1/2 Aug	45c Jan 21/8 Feb
Reno Gold1	40c 11½c	36c 44 1/2		36c Aug 9c June	64c Feb 24c Mar
Royal Bank 100 Royalite Oil *	188	187 189 46½ 47	36 345	170 Feb 3414 Mar	190 Jan 48% Jan
St Anthony1	53/8	13c 13c 55%	2,000	10c Mar	20c Mar
St Lawrence A50		19 191	75	3 June 12½ June 1.11 Mar	6½ July 19½ Aug
Shawkey Gold1	1.27 5¼ c	1.25 1.29 51/4 c 51/2	4,000	4% C Aug	1.55 Jan 34c Mar
Sherritt-Gordon 1	95c 1.26	95c 97c 1,25 1,35	5,750	91c May 91c May	1.21 Feb 1.80 Jan
Silverwoods pref *	334	1.00 1.23 3¼ 3¾	150	1.00 Aug 134 May	1.25 Aug
Silverwoods * Silverwoods pref * Simpsons pref 100 Siscoe Gold 1	2.05	77 78 2.04 2.16	110	71 Apr	95 Jan
Sladen Malartic 1 Slave Lake 1	93c	84c 1.0	141,545	2.00 May 84c Aug	3.40 Jan 1.38 Mar
	7¾c	7½c 9¾c 40c 40c	800	7c Apr 40c Aug	24c Jan 70c Jan
Standard Chemical	46c	46c 50 1/20 8 8	60	39½c May 4 Mar	77c May 8 Aug
Standard Paving * Preferred 100 Steel of Canada *	3 23	3 3½ 23 23½	285 15	2 Mar 12 Mar	4¼ Jan 27 July
Steel of Canada* Preferred	69 67	69 71 67 68½	720	56 Mar	71 Aug
Straw Lake Beach *	10 ½c	10c 12c	44.150	6c Apr	15% Jan
B Preferred 25 Straw Lake Beach * Sudbury Basin * Sudbury Contact 1	2.66 13c	2.66 2.66 12c 13 %	4,900	2.00 Mar 10c Mar	3.80 Jan 19c Mar
Sullivan 1 Supersilk A * Sylvanite Gold 1	21/4	1.06 1.10 2¼ 2¼		85c Mar 1¼ Mar	1.25 Aug 21/4 Aug
	3.30	3.25 3.3	2,865	2.60 Mar	3.60 Feb
Tamblyns * Teck Hughes * Texas Canadian *	13 4.80	12¾ 13 4.75 4.88	75 5,470	12½ Aug 4.40 Mar	16 Jan 5.70 Jan
	1.40	1.36 1.40	1,750	1.05 June	1.68 July
Toburn 1 Toronto Elevators *	2.05	105 108 2.05 2.10		100 June 1.78 Mar	108 Aug 2.90 Jan
Freierren	16¼ 44	15 16¼ 43 44	170	12 Mar 40 June	18⅓ July 48 Feb
Uchi Gold 1 Union Gas *	2.15	2.10 2.31 14 14¼	13,650	90c Jan 11 Mar	2.45 Aug 15¼ Jan
United Oil * United Steel * Ventures * Walte Amulet *	534	12c 12 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2	1,200	12c Aug 3 Mar	26c Jan 7 July
Ventures* Waite Amulet*	5.75	5.70 5.80	1,165	4.00 Mar	7.40 Jan
Preferred	43 1/2	421/4 441/4	1.719	1.02 Mar 3014 Mar	8.50 July 45 July
Western Canada W	19¼ 14c	19¼ 19½ 14c 14½	5,400	17 Mar 8c June	19½ Aug 20c June
Wendigo 1 Western Canada Flour * Preferred 100 WestflankiOii *	35_	5 5 35 35	100	2 Mai 28 May	5 July 37 July
A con I or Her Left Oledin 906	7c	7c 9c 9c 96	1,000	6c Aug	34c Jan 1416c Apr
Westons *	1234 90	12½ 12½ 90 90	651	9 Mar 74 Apr	13¼ July 90 Aug
Whitewater		1e 1¼0	4,500	1c Aug	31/20 Apr
Wiltsey-Coghlan 1	11½c	11c 13c	2,500 17,200	4c May 3c Apr	8c Jan 18c July

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	Friday Last Sale	Week's		Sales for Week	Range	Since J	an. 1,	1938
Stocks (Concluded) Par		Low			Lo	w 1	Hig	h
Winnipeg Electric A* B. Preferred 100	21/4	2¼ 1½ 11%	2½ 2¼ 11%	70 79 20	11/4	May Mar May	31/8 23/4 16	Jan July Jan
Preferred 100 Wood-Cadillac 1 Wright Hargreaves * Ymir Yankee Girl *	23c 7.80 141/4 c	23c 7.80	27c 7.95 16c	17,100 11,227	6.50	July	43c 8.20 30c	Jan Feb Feb

Toronto Stock Exchange—Curb Section

Aug. 20 to Aug. 26, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

Friday Last	Week's		Sales for	Range Since Jan. 1,			1938
Drice	Low	H4gh	Shares	Lo	w	Ht	h
2½c	21/20	234c	8,500	2½c	Aug	12c	Jan
					May	45/8	Aug
	4 3/4	5		43/4	Aug	9	Jan
	16	16		15	June	171/2	Feb
	1.25	1.25	425	90c	June	1.65	July
	2.60	2.60	140	2.00	June	4.00	Jan
	1 c	1 1/2 c	10,700	34 C	June	1%c	Mar
	10	10	5	10	Aug	15	Jan
81/4	81/4	81/2	2.353	31/2	Mar	91/8	July
45c	45c	45c	800	40c	June	69c	Jan
36 1/2	34	371/2	614	2134	Mar	39	July
	71/2	734	95	5	Mar	91/2	July
100	16	18	50	12	Mar	201/2	Feb
	12 1/2 c	12 1/2c	525	121/2c	Aug	23c	Jan
			1.500			2c	July
1 000			4.800			24c	Jan
	30		105	27	Mar	31	Mar
62	62		3.327	32	Mar	67	Aug
100	3	3	1.000	21/2	June	41/4	Apr
14c	14c	14c		5c	Mar	16c	Jan
	11/sc	11/sc		1c	July	2c	July
				1.30	Mar	2.62	Jan
						3c	Jan
						2%c	Feb
							Aug
Appropriate to	4						Aug
	2016						July
							Aug
							Jan
4							Aug
							July
1.50		1.50	5				July
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Industrial and Public Utility Bonds

Closing bid and asked quotations, Friday, Aug. 26

	Bid .	Ask	1	Bid	Ask
Abitibi P & Pap ctfs 5s 1953	681/4	69	MacLaren-Que Pr 51/28 '61	103	103%
Alberta Pac Grain 681946	87	88	Manitoba Power 51/48_1951	71	
Beauharnois Pr Corp 5s '73	95 1/2	96	Maple Leaf Milling-		
Bell Tel Co of Can 5s_1955	1121/2	1125%	23/s to '38-51/s to '49	48	50
Burns & Co 581958	63	65	Massey-Harris Co 5s1947	991/2	100 1/2
Calgary Power Co 5s1960	9934	10034	Minn & Ont Paper 6s_1945	f38	38%
Canada Bread 6s1941	106		Montreal Island Pr 51/8 '57	103 1/2	1041/2
Canada North Pow 5s_1953	10314	104	Montreal L H & P (\$50		
Canadian Inter Pap 6s 1949	9734	981/2	par value) 3s1939	49%	50
Canadian Lt & Pow 5s 1949	100	102	31/481956	10114	1021/4
Canadian Vickers Co 6s '47	99	100	31/481973	951/2	9614
Cedar Rapids M & P 58 '53	113	11436		993%	99%
Consol Pap Corp 51/28 1961	511/2	53			1 7 7
51/28 ex-stock1961	54		Ottawa Valley Pow 51/28 '70	105	106
Dom Gas & Elec 6 1/28_1945	87	87 3/4	Power Corp. of Can 41/28'59	100	102
Donnacona Paper Co-	76		58Dec 1 1957	102	103
481956	751/2	761/2	Price Brothers 1st 5s1957	97	98
East Kootenay Pow 7s 1942	96		2nd conv deb 4s1957	96	97
Eastern Dairies 6s1949	53	55	Provincial Pap Ltd 5 1/48 '47	1001/2	
Fraser Co 6sJan 1 1950	9814	9936	Saguenay Power 41/48 A '66	10334	10414
Gatineau Power 5s1956	104	10436	4 1/4 s series B1966	1031/2	
Gt Lakes Pap Co 1st 5s '55	891/2	901/2	Shawinigan W & P 41/48 '67	10334	10414
Int Pr & Pap of Nfld 58 '68	101		Smith H Pa Mills 41/28 '51	97	98
Lake St John Pr & Pap Co	-		United Grain Grow 5s_1948	93	95
51/81961	9114	921/2		64	65
681951	62		Winnipeg Elec 6s Oct 2 '54	721/2	

^{*} No par value. f Flat price. n Nominal.

CURRENT NOTICES

—Hartley Rogers & Co., Inc., 14 Wall St., N. Y. C., has prepared an analysis entitled "New York Hotel Bonds and the 1939 World's Fair." The analysis contains a point-by-point summary of many major factors, favorable and unfavorable, affecting the New York hotel business and its securities. It evaluates the probable effect of World's Fair business on the securities of different hotel companies. The leading hotel securities are compared statistically, and specific conclusions are reached and recommendations made.

—J. Vander Moere & Co., Grand Rapids, Mich., announce that they have moved from their old Ionia Avenue address to new and larger quarters in the Peoples National Bank Building. The following men have been added to their sales organization: Walter Nitz, Fred Vander Perel and Raymond Renehan, all formerly associated with Thompson, Ross Securities Co., and Homer Schrier and Clarence Roetman, both formerly with Roger Verseput & Co.

—Barney Johnson & Co. announce that they have purchased the assets and good will of the Fred W. Reeve Co. of Winona, Minn., which firm has been their correspondents for the past five years. Mr. Reeve is retiring and the office is to be under the supervision of A. B. Youmans, who previously was Mr. Reeve's associate.

—F. M. Gentry & Co., Inc., has opened offices at 42 Broadway, New York City, to transact a general securities business including corporate underwriting. Frank M. Gentry is President and Russell A. Spalding is Manager of the trading and retail sales department.

—James Talcott, Inc., has been appointed factor for Cherokee Candlewicks, Inc., Calhoun, Ga., manufacturers of candlewick bedspreads and for Murray Mills, Germantown, Pa., manufacturers of nets and laces.

—Hartshorne, Fales & Co., 71 Broadway, New York City, have issued an analysis on "Continental Baking Corp.—A Stock" and will send a copy to all those interested on requested.

—Morse Bros. & Co., Inc., announce that Harry J. Peiser has become associated with the firm. Mr. Peiser will specialize in New Jersey municipal securities.

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Par	Dividend in Dollars	Bid	Asked
Alabama & Vicksburg (Illinois Central)100	6.00	65	70
Albany & Susquehanna (Delaware & Hudson)100	10.50	115	11914
Allegheny & Western (Buff Roch & Pitts)100	6.00	43	46
Beech Creek (New York Central)50	2.00	28	31
Boston & Albany (New York Central)100	8.75	86	881
Boston & Providence (New Haven)100	8.50	20	25
Canada Southern (New York Central)100	2.85	441/2	4716
Carolina Clinchfield & Ohio com (L & N-A C L)100	5.00	8014	84
Cleve Cinn Chicago & St Louis pref (N Y Central)100	5.00	6814	
Cleveland & Pittsburgh (Pennsylvania)50	3.50	72	75
Betterment stock50	2.00	41	43
Delaware (Pennsylvania)25	2.00	38	41
Fort Wayne & Jackson pref (N Y Central)100	5.50	55	60
Georgia RR & Banking (L & N-A C L)	9.00		153
Lackawanna RR of N J (Del Lack & Western)100	4.00	1473	50
		47	
Michigan Central (New York Central)100	50.00	600	800
Morris & Essex (Del Lack & Western)50	3.875	36	. 38
New York Lackawanna & Western (D L & W)100	5.00	61	64
Northern Central (Pennsylvania)50	4.00	83	87
Oswego & Syracuse (Del Lack & Western)50	4.50	41	45
Pittsburgh Bessemer & Lake Erie (U S Steel)50	1.50	40	43
Preferred50	3.00	79	83
Pittsburgh Fort Wayne & Chicago (Pennsylvania) 100	7.00	140	150
Preferred100	7.00	155	159
Pgh Ygtn & Ashtabula pref (Penn)100		136 14	
Rensselaer & Saratoga (Delaware & Hudson)100	6.82	66	70
St Louis Bridge 1st pref (Terminal RR)100	6.00	120	125
Second preferred100	3.00	60	63
Tunnel RR St Louis (Terminal RR)100	6.00	120	125
United New Jersey RR & Canal (Pennsylvania) 100	10.00	215	220
Utica Chenango & Susquehanna (D L & W)100	6.00	54	58
Valley (Delaware Lackawanna & Western)100	5.00	65	70
Vicksburg Shreveport & Pacific (Illinois Central) 100	5.00	53	58
Preferred100	5.00	55	60
Warren RR of N J (Del Lack & Western)50	3.50	31	34
West Jersey & Sesshore (Penn-Reading) 50			
West Jersey & Seashore (Penn-Reading)50	3.00 1	49	52

Public Utility Stocks

Par	Bid	Ask	Par	Bid	Ask
Alabama Power \$7 pref*	651/2	67	Mississippi Power \$6 pref *	47	5016
Arkansas Pr & Lt 7% pref *	74%	763%	\$7 preferred*	5014	
Associated Gas & Electric	2000		Mississippi P & L \$6 pref. *	593/8	
Original preferred*	21/2	314	Miss Riv Pow 6% pref. 100	115	117
\$6.50 preferred*	514	614	Missouri Kan Pipe Line_5	45%	53%
\$7 preferred*	514	7	Monongahela West Penn	1/8	078
Atlantic City El 6% pref. *	108%		Pub Serv 7% pref25	2414	26
Birmingham Elec \$7 pref_*	65%	6714	Mountain States Power—	2272	20
Buffalo Niagara & Electern		0.70	7% preferred100	25	27%
\$1.60 preferred25	2014	21	Nassau & Suf Ltg 7% pf 100	111%	1436
Carolina Pr & Lt \$7 pref*	801/2	8216	Nebraska Pow 7% pref_100	109%	1111
6% preferred*	703	7214	Newark Consol Gas 100	128	/-
Central Maine Power-			New Eng G & E 51/2 % pf. *	1416	16
7% preferred100	7914	81%	New Eng Pub Serv Co-	**/3	
\$6 preferred100	6914	71%	\$7 prior lien pref*	2814	30
Cent Pr & Lt 7% pref100	7934	8114	New Orl Pub Serv \$7 pf*	83 14	85
Consol Elec & Gas \$6 pref *	4	6	New York Power & Light—	00 72	00
Consol Traction (N J). 100	411%	4514	\$6 cum preferred*	9416	96
Consumers Power \$5 pref*	9636	9736	7% cum preferred100	1041	
Continental Gas & El-	0078	0178	Northern States Power—	10173	10073
7% preferred100	72%	74%	(Del) 7% pref100	56 14	5814
Dallas Pr & Lt 7% pref_100	1151/2	1 2/4	(Minn) 5% pref*	9514	9614
Derby Gas & El \$7 pref _ *	22	27	Ohio Edison \$6 pref*	93	9416
Essex Hudson Gas100	193		\$7 preferred*	100	101 16
Federal Water Serv Corp-	-00		Ohio Power 6% pref 100		114
\$6 cum preferred	20	211/2	Ohio Pub Serv 6% pf100	96%	98
\$6.50 cum preferred*	21	2216	7% preferred100	102	103%
\$7 cum preferred*	23	25	Okla G & E 7% pref 100		10414
Gas & Elec of Bergen100	128		Pacific Pr & Lt 7% pf100	6014	6214
Hudson County Gas 100	193		Penn Pow & Lt \$7 pref *	88	8914
Idaho Power-	-00		Queens Borough G & E-	.00	0074
\$6 preferred*	103		6% preferred100	19	2136
7% preferred100	111		Republic Natural Gas1	414	514
Interstate Natural Gas *	2234	2434	Rochester Gas & Elec-	276	376
Interstate Power \$7 pref. *	436	6	6% preferred D100	93%	9516
Iowa Southern Utilities-	-/2	0	Sloux City G & E \$7 pf_100	88	9014
7% preferred100	33 1/2	35	Southern Calif Edison—	00,	9074
Jamaica Water Supply-	. 00 72	30		27%	901/
71/2 % preferred 50	53	5514	6% pref series B25	193	28%
Jer Cent P & L 7% pf 100	811/2	83			573%
Kan Gas & El 7% pref. 100	112	00	Tenn Elec Pow 6% pf. 100	5618	
Kings Co Ltg 7% pref_100	43 14	4616	7% preferred100	611/2	62%
Long Island Ltg 6% pr. 100	27	28 14	Texas Pow & Lt 7% pf_100	9714	99
7% preferred100	3214	3414	Toledo Edison 7% of A_100	105	1063
Mass Utilities Associates-	0479	0472	United Gas & El (Conn)—	80	771
5% conv partic pref 50	27	29	7% preferred100	68	71
Memphis Pr & Lt \$7 pref_*	61%	63%	Utah Pow & Lt \$7 pref *	741%	43
	0174	03%	Virginian Ry100	132	137
		•			1.5

Chain Store Stocks

Par	Bid	Ask	Par	Bid	Ask
Berland Shoe Stores	7 75 11/4 111/2 33 2 14 100 73/4	234	Kobacker Stores 7% preferred100 Kress (S H) 6% pref	68 1134 4 17 106 98	75 1234 634 22 110

Sugar Stocks

Par	Bid	Ask	Par	Bid	Ask
Cunan Atlantic Sugar10 Eastern Sugar Assoc1		1014	Savannah Sug Ref com1	30¾	33 1/2
Freferred1	16	18	West Indies Sugar Corp1	33%	

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Railroad Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Akron Canton and Youngstown 51/281945	30	35
681945		35
Atlantic Coast Line 4s1939		
Baltimore & Ohio 41/481939	35	36
Boston & Albany 4½8	72	75
Boston & Maine 58	33	1
4¼1944	28	
Cambria & Clearfield 48 1955	95	9634
Chicago Indiana & Southern 4s1956	69	
Chicago St. Louis & New Orleans 581951	70	
Chicago Stock Yards 5s1961	951/2	1 2277
Cleveland Terminal & Valley 4s1995	37	381/2
Connecting Railway of Philadelphia 4s1951	1061/2	
Duluth Missabe & Iron Range 1st 31/28	10214	102%
Florida Southern 4s1945	69	72
Illinois Central—	11-11-1	1. 4 6 6
Louisville Div. & Terminal 3½s1953	54	
Indiana Illinois & Iowa 4s	72	78
Kansas Oklahoma & Gulf 5s	91	92
Memphis Union Station 581959	109	1101/2
New London Northern 4s1940	99	101
New York & Harlem 31/28	100	102
New York Philadelphia & Norfolk 4s1948	9016	9214
Norwich & Worcester 4½81947	80	0-/2
Pennsylvania & New York Canal 5s	61	63
Philadelphia & Reading Terminal 5s1941	10314	104
Pittsburgh Bessemer & Lake Erie 5s	11416	
Pitterburgh Dessemer & Dake Erie os	841/2	
Portland Terminal 48		
Providence & Worcester 4s1947	62	100
Terre Haute & Pecoria 5s1942	1001/2	102
Toledo Peoria & Western 4s1967	88	.====
Toledo Terminal 41/28	105	106
Toronto Hamilton & Buffalo 4s1946	95	971/2
United New Jersey Railroad & Canal 31/281951	10416	
Vermont Valley 41/281940	67	
Washingto County Ry 31/2s1954	39	41
West Virginia & Pittsburgh 4s1990	36	38

Railroad Equipment Bonds

	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Atlantic Coast Line 41/28	b2.25	1.75	New Orl Tex & Mex 41/28	£4 75	3.50
Baltimore & Ohio 41/28	b7.50	6.501	New York Central 41/28	b3.50	2.75
	b7.50	8 50	Ea	b2.25	1.25
Boston & Maine 4½s	b5.25	4.00	N Y Chic & St L 41/28	b5.75	5.00
	b5.25	4.00	1 1 Cine & St L 4728		
58		4.00	58 N Y N H & Hartf 41/28	b5.75	5.00
3½s Dec 1 1936-1944	b5.00	4.00	NYNH&Harti41/28	66.00	5.00
C W 37-411 41/-	b3.10	0 10	58	66.00	5.00
Canadian National 41/28		2.50	Northern Pacific 41/28	b2.50	1.75
58	b3.10	2.50			·
Canadian Pacific 41/28	63.00	2.25	Pennsylvania RR 41/28	b2.25	1.50
Cent RR New Jersey 41/28.	b5.50	4.50	58	b1.75	1.10
Chesapeake & Ohio-	1	1 1	4s series E due		4.77
41/28	b2.50	2.00	Jan & July 1937-49	b2.75	2.10
58	b1.50	1.00	2 % s series G non-call		
Chicago & Nor West 41/8.	b6.50	5.25	Dec 1 1937-50	b2.75	2.10
58	b6.50	5.25	Pere Marquette 41/28	b3.25	2.65
Chic Milw & St Paul 41/48.	67.00	6.00			
58	b7.00	6.00	Reading Co 41/28	b3.00	2.25
Chicago R I & Pacific-			58	b2.50	2.00
Trustees' ctfs 31/28	82	85	St Louis-San Fran 4s	90	94
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Denver & R G West 41/28	b6.25	5.25	St Louis Southwestern 5s	b5.50	4.50
58	b6.25	5.25	5½8	b5.50	4.50
51/28	b6.25	5.25	Southern Pacific 41/48	b3.50	2.25
Erie RR 6s	94	98	58	b3.00	2.50
Al/a	90	95	Southern Ry 4½8		3.50
4½8	90	95		64.50	
Great Northern 41/48			58	64.50	3.50
	b2.00	1.50			0 ==
58	b1.80	1.25	Texas Pacific 4s	b3.25	2.75
Hocking Valley 5s	b1.75	1.00	4½s	b3.25	2.75
		1 100	58	b2.25	1.50
Illinois Central 41/28	b4.50	3,50	Union Pacific 41/28	b1.50	1.00
Internat Great Nor 41/28	b5.00	4.00	59	b1.50	1.00
Long Island 41/28	64.25	3.25			2.3
58	b4.25	3.25	Virginia Ry 41/28	b1.70	1.00
Louisv & Nash 41/28	b1.75	1.10	58	b1.70	1.00
58	b1.75	1.10	Wabash Ry 41/28	75	85
	1 20		58	75	85
Maine Central 5s	64.40	3.50	51/28	75	85
51/28	b4.40	3.50	68	75	85
Missouri Pacific 41/48	b4.75	3 50	Western Maryland 414s	62.50	1.50
58	b4 75	3 50	Western Pacific 5s	66.00	5.00
51/28	04.75	3.50		66.00	5.00
0720	02.73	0.00	51/28	00.00	0.00

Public Utility Bonds

Pu	ıblic	Ut	ility Bonds		
	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Amer Gas & Power 3-5s '53	411/	43	Federated Util 51/s 1957	68	6914
Amer Utility Serv 6s_1964	67	69	Havana E'ec Ry 5s 1952	f	42
Appalachian Elec Power-	14.		Idaho Power 3 48 1967	1061/2	107
1st mtge 4s1963	107%	1081	Indianapolis Pow & Lt-		and the same
s f debenture 41/481948	10314	103%	3 %s w 11968	103 14	103%
Associated Electric 5s_1961	4814	4914	Inland Gas Corp 61/28_1938	14334	45%
Assoc Gas & Elec Corp-	7.	-	Kan City Pub Serv 4s, 1957	24 14	2614
Income deb 31/281978	2234	2314	Kan Pow & Lt 1st 41/48 '65	110	11014
Income deb 334s 1978	2334	2116	Lehigh Valley Transit 5s'60	351/8	36
Income deb 4s 1978	25%	2316	Lone Star Gas 31/4s _ 1958	103 1/4	10414
Income deb 41/81978	2814	29	Lexington Water Pow 58'68	70 16	7214
Conv deb 4s1973	45	47	Missouri Pr & Lt 3 1 s_ 1966	101%	10216
Conv deb 41/81973	4736	4914	Mtn States Pow 1st 6s.1938	8414	851/2
Conv deb 5s1973	5116	54	Mountain States Tel & Tel		
Conv deb 51/281973	56	58	Debentures 31/8 1968	t	
8-year 8s with warr_1940	83	85	Narragansett Elec 3 1/48 '66	106	1063%
8s without warrants. 1940	83	85	N Y, Pa & N J Util 5s 1956	5714	59
Assoc Gas & Elec Co-	- 00	"	N Y State Elec & Gas Corp		1.5
Cons ref deb 41/481958	26	29	491965	9414	95
Sink fund inc 4s1983	23		N Y Steam Corp 31/s 1963		100%
Sink fund inc 41/4s_1983	25		North Boston Ltg Prop's	00/8	100/4
Sink fund inc 5s1983	27		Secured notes 3 1/81947	106	10614
Sink fund ine 51/28_1983	29		Ohio Pub Service 4s_1962	104	104 %
Sink fund inc 4-5s1986	23		Old Dominion par 6s 1951	55	5634
8 f ine 41/49-51/481986	25		Peoples Light & Power	00	00%
Sink fund inc 5-6s_1986	27		1st lien 3-6s1961	7314	7514
8 f inc 51/48-61/481986	29		Portland Elec Power 6 50	113 14	
Blackstone V G & E 4s 1965	10914		Pub Serv El & Gas 3 1/8 '68	105%	
Cent Ark Pub Serv 5s. 1948	85	86	Pub Util Cons 51/48 1944	72	74
Central G & E 51/281946	7014	7214	Republic Service coll 5s '51	6714	69
1st lien coll trust 6s_1946	7534	7734	St Joseph Ry Lt Heat & Pow	0/26	09
Cent Maine Pr 4s ser G '60				103	
Central Public Utility—	1051/4	106	San Antonio Pub Serv—	100	
Income 51/49 with stk '52	412/	05/	1st mtge 4s1963	10114	1011/
Cition Courses deb for 1002	f1%	25%		100%	
Cities Service deb 5s_1963	641/2	6514	Sioux City G & E 4s_1966		
Cons Cities Lt Pow & Trac	W014		Sou Cities Util 5s A. 1958	4014	40%
581962	781%	79	S'western Bell Tel 3s.1968	100%	
Consol E & G 68 A 1962	39	40	Tel Bond & Share 5s1958	62	65
6s series B1962	39	40	Texas Public Serv 5s 1961	86	88
Crescent Public Service-			Toledo Edison 31/s1968	10236	102%
Colline 6s (w-s) 1954	38 14		Utica Gas & El Co 5s. 1957	12214	
Cumberl'd Co P&L 31/48'66	1021/2	103	Western Pub Serv 51/48 '60	82	84
Dallas Pow & Lt 314s. 1967	10814		Wisconsin G & E 3 1/4s_1966	1061	
Dallas Ry & Term 6s_1951	6214	63%	Wis Mich Pow 344 . 1961	1034	1071

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	Water Bonds			Industrial Stocks and Bonds								
11	Alabama Wat Serv 5s_1957 Ashtabula Wat Wks 5s 58	99 1013	99%	Muncle Water Works 5s '65 New Jersey Water 5s 1950	105	103	Alabama Mills Inc* American Arch*	334	311/2		13 1	41/2
	Atlantic County Wat 58 '58 Birmingham Water Wks-		101	New Rochelle Water— 58 series B————————————————————————————————————	80 84	85 88	American Cynamid— 5% conv pref10 American Hard Rubber—	111/2	1238	Petroleum Conversion1 Petroleum Heat & Power_* Pilgrim Exploration1	4½ 11	514
	5s series C	101	105	5½s1951 New York Wat Serv 58 '51 Newport Water Co 58 1953	92 98	94	8% cum pref100 American Hardware25	90 27	281/2	Pollack Manufacturing* Remington Arms com*	8 21/8	914
		105		Ohio Cities Water 5½s '53 Ohio Valley Water 5s. 1954	76 105	80	Amer Maize Products* American Mfg. 5% pref 100 Andian National Corp*		17¾ 68 41	Scovill Manufacturing 25 Singer Manufacturing 100		2376
	Chester Wat Service 4s 1961 Chester Wat Serv 41/8 '58 Citizens Wat Co (Wash)—	104¾		Ohio Water Service 5s_1958 Ore Wash Wat Serv 5s 1957 Penna State Water—	100 83½	102 86½	Art Metal Construction_10 Bankers Indus Service A.*	221/2	2414	Singer Mfg Ltd* Skenandoa Rayon Corp*	834	5
	581951 51/48 series A1951	102 103 ½	105	1st coll trust 41/4s_1966 Peoria Water Works Co—	96%	971/2	Belmont Radio Corp* Beneficial Indus Loan pf *	5314	541	standard Screw20 Stanley Works tre25 Stromberg-Carison Tel Mfg		34 1134 736
	City of New Castle Water 58	101		1st & ref 5s1950 1st consol 4s1948 1st consol 5s1948	101 99 100		Burdines Inc common1 Chic Burl & Quincy100 Chilton Co common10	41/2 42 3	46	Sylvania Indus Corp*	141/8	161/8
	5s series B	101 ½ 105		Prior lien 5s1948 Phila Suburb Wat 4s1965	104 107	10836	Columbia Baking com*	6 13½ 30½	151/2	Taylor Wharton Iron & Steel common Tennessee Products	75% 132	8%
	Community Water Service 5½s series B1946 6s series A1946	60 63	65 68	Pinelias Water Co 5 1/82 59 Pittsburgh Sub Wat 5s 58 Plainfield Union Wat 5s 61	99 101 107	101	\$7 preferred100 Dennison Mfg class A10	109	17/8	Trico Products Corp*	130 ½ 13 32 ½	3414
	Connelisville Water 5s 1939	100		Richmond W W Co 5s. 1957 Roch & L Ont Wat 5s. 1938	105 100½	:::	Deptist's Supply com10 Devoe & Raynolds B com *	33	37	Tubize Chatillon cum pf_10 United Artists Theat com_*	70	21/4
H	4½s1958 1st mtge 5s1958	96 961⁄2	100 100½	St Joseph Wat 4s ser A. '66 Scranton Gas & Water Co	106¾		Preferred 100 Dixon (Jos) Crucible 100	33 ½1 116 32		United Piece Dye Works_* Preferred100	314	4 8
	Greenwich Water & Gas— 5s series A1952	99	101	4½s1958 Scranton-Spring Brook	981/2		Douglas (W. L.) Shoe-	4¼ 60¾	514	Veeder-Root Inc com* Warren (Northam)—	4914	511/4
	5s series B1952 Hackensack Wat Co 5s. '77	98		Water Service 5s_1961 1st & ref 5s A1967 Shenango Val 4s ser B 1961	76 77 1001/4	80 80	Conv prior pref* Draper Corp* Federal Bake Shops* Preferred30	5	8 24	\$3 conv preferred* Welch Grape Juice com5	141/2	4614
	51/2s series B1977 Huntington Water—	105		South Bay Cons Wat 5s '50 South Pittsburgh Water—	721/2	751/2	Fons Oil Co*	16¾ 2½ 2½	17¾ 3½ 3½	7% preferred100 West Va Pulp & Pap com_*		16 97
	5s series B1954 6s1954	101½ 103¾ 105		1st mtge 5s1955 5s series A1960 5s series B1960	103 103 105	105 105	American shares* Garlock Packing com* Gen Fire Extinguisher*	39 13¾	41 1434	Preferred 100 West Dairies Inc com v t c 1 \$3 cum preferred *	11/8	18%
	5s1962 Illinois Water Serv 5s A '52	105		Springf City Wat 4s A '56 Terre Haute Water 5s B '56	98½ 101		Good Humor Corp1	51/8	65%	White Rock Min Spring— \$7 1st preferred———100 Wickwire Spencer Steel—*	78	75%
	Indianapolis Water — 1st mtge 3½s1966	1051/2	E mail	6s series A	103 ¼ 102 ¼ 101 ½	===	Preferred100 Great Lakes SS Co com* Great Northern Paper25	57½ 25¼ 28¾	27 31¾	Wilcox & Gibbs com50 WJR The Goodwill Sta5	11 21	14 23
	Indianapolis W W Securs— 5s1958	90	93	W Va Water Serv 4s_1961 Western N Y Water Co-	1001/2		Harrisburg Steel Corp5 Kildun Mining Corp1	7 878	8½ 10¼	Worcester Sait100 York Ice Machinery* 7% preferred100	10	49 11 5614
	Joplin W W Co 5s 1958	1041/4		5s series B1950 1st mtge 5s1951 1st mtge 51/2s1950	93½ 93 100	102	King Seeley Corp com1 Landers Frary & Clark25 Lawrence Portl Cement 100	8/8 24 1634	26½ 18¾	Young (J S) Co com100 7% preferred100	75 122	85
	Kokomo W W Co 5s1958 Long Island Wat 5 1/2s.1955 Middlesex Wat Co 5 1/2s '57	104 107		Westmoreland Water 5s '52 Wichita Water—	101	103	Long Bell Lumber* \$5 preferred100 Lord & Taylor com100	1434	151/2	Bonds— American Tobacco 4s_1951	108	
	Monmouth Consol W 5s '56 Monongaheia Valley Water	97	99	5s series B1956 5s series C1960	104 3		1st 6% preferred100)	160 100 100	200	Am Wire Fabrics 7s_1942 Chicago Stock Yds 5s.1961	85 95	90
	5½81950 Morgantown Water 5s 1965	1011/2		6s series A1949 W'msport Water 5s1952	1021/2		2d 8% preferred100 Mactadden Pub common.* Preferred*	31/4	3914	Cont'l Roll & Steel Fdy— 1st conv s f 6s1940	90 96 1/2	93 97
	Inv	esti	na (Companies	, 7, 4		Marlin Rockwell Corp1 Merck Co Inc common1 6% preferred100	33 24 113	34%	Crown Cork & Seal 4½s '48 Deep Rock Oil 781937 Haytian Corp 8s1938	f72 f91/2	73¾ 11⅓
	Pari	Bid	Ask	Par Keystone Custodian Funds	Bid	Ask	Mock Judson & Voehringer 7% preferred100	89	99	Keisey Hayes Wheel Co-	60	75
	Adminis'd Fund 2nd Inc. * Affiliated Fund Inc 1 1/4 *Amerex Holding Corp *	12.67 3.99 22½	4.41 241/4	Series R-1	25 82	24.21	Muskegon Piston Ring_21/2 National Casket*	10½ 45 108	11½ 48 111	Nat Radiator 5s1946 N Y Shipbuilding 5s1946 Phillips Petroleum 3s_1948	90 1061/8	25
	Amer & Continental Corp	3.47 6	3.83 7	Series B-3	13.82 13.78 10.93	15.22 15.16 12.14	Preferred ** Nat Paper & Type com ** 5% preferred ** 100	31/8	20%	Standard Oil of N.J.	107	1081
	Amer Gen Equities Inc 25c Am Insurance Stock Corp* Assoc. Stand Oll Shares2	57c 4½ 5½	65c 5 614	Series S-2	10.93 14.49 5.09	16.03 5.76	5% preferred100 New Britain Machine* New Haven Clock*		25 62	234s1953 Witherbee Sherman 6s 1963 Woodward Iron—	391/2	43
	Bankers Nat Invest Corp	7 3.51	2000	Series S-4	5.67 21.20	6.22	Preferred 6 1/2 % 100 Norwich Pharmacal 5 Ohio Match Co *		39½ 10¾	1st 5s1962 2d conv income 5s1962	102 102¼	1041/3
	Basic Industry Shares_10 Boston Fund Inc British Type Invest A1	15.90	17.01 44c	Nation Wide Securities— Common————25c	3.28				1			
	Broad St Invest Co Inc. 5 Bullock Fund Ltd 1	24.79	26.51 15½	Nation Wide Securities— Common	1.33 5.75 13.18	6.12		s and	Ask	e Co. Mortgage Ce	Bid	Ask
	Canadian Inv Fund Ltd1 Century Shares Trust*	$3.95 \\ 22.52$	4.30 24.21	N Y Stocks Inc-	8.14	8.81	Alden 1st 3s1957 B'way Barclay 1st 2s1956	321/2	- 1	Metropolitan Corp (Can)— 6s1947	91	95
	Commonwealth Invest1 •Continental Shares pf100	3.49 7¼ 2.33	. 8	AviationBank stockBuilding supplies	7.48	7.97	B'way & 41st Street— 1st 3s1944 Broadway Motors Bldg—		331/2	Metropol Playhouses Inc-	65%	67¾
	Corporate Trust Shares1 Series AA1 Accumulative series1	2.29		Electrical equipment Insurance stock	7.90	8.55 10.17	Broadway Motors Bldg— 4-6s————————————————————————————————————	541/2	63¾ 57⅓	N Y Majestic Corp—	23	25
	Series AA mod1 Series ACC mod1	$\frac{2.76}{2.76}$		Machinery	8.60	9.61	Colonade Constr'n 4s. 1948	47½ 34½	50	4s with stock stmp_1956 N Y Title & Mtge Co— 5½s series BK	f6 f51½	5314
	• Crum & Forster com10 • 8% preferred100 • Crum & Forster insurance	115	1000	Oils	7.36	7.97 8.54	Court & Remsen St Off Bld 1st 3 1/4 s1950 Dorset 1st & fixed 2s1957	30½ 27	331/2	5½s series C-2	f33 f491/8	34½ 51¾
	•Common B share10 •7% preferred100 Cumulative Trust Shares.*	32		No Amer Tr Shares 1953.*	52½ 2.20 2.70		Eastern Ambassador Hotel units	71/2	9½ 56	5 1/2 s series Q	f39 f19	401/2
	Cumulative Trust Shares.* Deposited Bank Shs ser A1 Deposited Insur Shs A1	3.01		Series 19561	2.65		Equit Off Bldg deb 5s_1952 Deb 5s 1952 legended 50 Bway Bldg 1st 3s inc '46	54 53 23	26	Oliver Cromwell (The)—	7.7	100
	Deposited Insur Shs ser B: Diversitied Trustee Shares	2.73	1 2 -	Series 1958l Pacific Southern Inv pref.* Class A*	31	33	500 Fifth Avenue 61/28_1949	291/2	401/2	1 St 68Nov 15 1939 1 Park Avenue	f61/4 401/4	
	C3.50 D1 Dividend Shares25c	3.65 5.70 1.26		Class B* Plymouth Fund Inc10c Putnam (Geo) Fund	14.53	53c 15.54	1st lessehold 3s_Jan 1 '52	35½ 40½ 45	44	103 E 57th St 1st 6s1941 165 Bway Bldg 1st 5½s '51	151/2	18½ 53
	Eaton & Howard Manage- ment Fund series A-1	17.32		Quarterly Inc Shares_10c 5% deb series A Representative TrustShs10	10.87	11.90	42 Bway 1st 6s1939 1400 Broadway Bldg— 1st 6½s stamped1948	62	39		591/2	
-	Equit Inv Corp (Mass) _5 Equity Corp \$3 conv pref 1 Fidelity Fund Inc*	2714	301/4	Republic Invest Fund 250	31c	34c	Fox Theatre & Off Bldg— Income 3s————1957	16	734	5s income1943	f46	481/2
	Fiscal Fund Inc— Bank stock series10c	2,33	2.58	Selected Amer Shares21/2	1	10.32	Fuller Bldg deb 6s1944 1st 216-4s (w-s)1949	33	37½ 40 72¼	1st 4s1957	55	58
	Insurance stk series 10c Fixed Trust Shares A10 B	9.53		Sovereign Investors	71c 15.69	78c	Hearst Brisbane Prop 6s '42	411/2	32½ 43½	3s with stock1956 Sherneth Corp	31	33
	B10 Foreign Bd Associates Inc_ Foundation Trust Shs A_1	6.99 4.05	4.35	Standard Am Trust Shares Standard Utilities Inc. 500	3.10		Hotel Lexington units Hotel St George 4s.: 1950	50 48	52½ 50		f22	231/2
	Fundamental Invest Inc.2 Fundamental Tr Shares A2 B		5.63	Super Corp of Am Tr ShsA	3.17		Lefcourt Manhattan Bldg 1st 4-5s extended to 1948 Lewis Morris Apt Bldg—	A. Const.		3½s1947 61 Broadway Bldg— 3½s with stock1950	393/2	4017
	General Capital Corp* General Investors Trust.*		33.31	B	3.31		1st 4s1950		79	3½s with stock1950 Syracuse Hotel (Syracuse) 1st 3s1955	4014	6814
	General Investors Trust.* Group Securities— Agricultural shares	1.12	1.22	Supervised Shares3	5.91 10.01		Loew's Theatre Rity Corp	67½ 92	72 935%	Tevtile Bldg-		
	Automobile shares	1.04 1.17	1.14	Trustee Stand Invest Shs—Series C1	2.47 2.41		London Terrace Apts— 1st & gen 3s w-s1952	1100	46	1st 4s (w-s)1958 Trinity Bldgs Corp— 1st 5½s1939 2 Park Ave Bldg 1st 4s 1946	53	44 56
-	Building shares Chemical shares Food shares	(83¢	910	Trustee Stand Oil Shs A.1 Series B	5.64		lst 5s (Bklyn) 1947	541/2		11	531/2	5814
	Investing shares Merchandise shares	79c 1.10	870 1.20	Trusteed Amer Bank Shs B Trusteed Industry Shares	580 980	65c 1.08	1st 3s 1957 w-s	32		Walbridge Bldg (Buffalo)— 3s with stock1950	171/2	
	Mining shares Petroleum shares RR equipment shares	1.35 1.06 79c	1.16	Voting shares	1.67 850		Majestic Apt Inc— 4s w-s 1948 stamped Metropolitan Chain Prop—	514	1	Westinghouse Bldg-	201/2	221/2
	Steel shares	1.18 1.04	1.29	Un N Y Bank Trust C-3. Un N Y Tr Shs ser F	2	234	6s1948	89	91	1st fee & leasehold 4s '48	681/2	
	Guardian Inv Trust com. 4/2 Wellington Fund											
	Incorporated Investors 17.79 19.13 *Bancamerica-Biair Corp.i 3% 5 Flat price. n Nominal quotation. w 4 when issued. w-s with socal first institutional Securities Ltd 4 Central Nat Corp cl A. * 32 35 dividend. y Now selling on New York Curb Exchange. z Ex-liquidating dividend. h Now listed on New York Stock Exchange. z Ex-liquidating dividend. h Now listed on New York Stock Exchange.											
	Insurance Group Shares_ Invest Co. of Amer com_10 Investors Fund C1	1.32 30 10 93	32	Schoelkopf, Hutton &	1		Quotation per 100 gold Quotation not furnished	rouble	bong.	edming terre to 11.4504 Brames o	· harage	
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Foreign Stocks, Bonds and Coupons **Inactive Exchanges**

BRAUNL & CO., INC.

52 William St., N. Y.

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Foreign Unlisted Dollar Bonds

	Bid	Ask	1	Bid	Ask
Anhalt 7s to1946	f20	22	Dortmund Mun Util 6s '48	f221/2	
Antioquia 8s1946	131		Duesseldorf 7s to1945	f20	211/2
	1	10 10 10	Duisburg 7% to1945	f20	21 1/2
Bank of Colombia 7%_1947	1241/2	26	East Prussian Pow 6s_1958	f21	223/2
781948	1241/2	26	Electric Pr (Ger'y) 6 1/28 '50	f23	241/2
Barranquilla ,8'35-40-46-48	1191/2	221/2	6 1/28 1953	f23	2434
Bavaria 6 1/28 to 1945	1201/2	211/2	European Mortgage & In-	-	
Bavarian Palatinite Cons	,		vestment 71/81966	119	22
Cities 7s to1945	f18	20	7½s income1966	111	1
Bogota (Colombia) 61/48'47	113	141/2	781967	119	22
881945	f12	13	7s income1967	fil	
Bolivia (Republic) 8s_1947	5434	51/6	16 moomorrando	122	
781958	5434	51/8	Farmers Natl Mtge 7s_'63	f11	1
781969			Frankfurt 7s to1945	1201/2	22
	1434	51/4			
681940	16	71/2	French Nat Mail SS 6s '52	19872	1021/2
Brandenburg Elec 6s_1953	f20%	2234			1 1
Brazil funding 5s_1931-51	11834	1934	German Atl Cable 7s 1945	147	
Brazil funding scrip	130		German Building & Land-		-
Bremen (Germany) 7s_1935	f18	20	bank 61/281948	f211/2	23
681940	f17	20	German Central Bank		1. 1. 1. 1.
British Hungarian Bank		1. 12. 15	Agricultural 6s1938	f29%	301/2
71/81962	f13		German Conversion Office		
Brown Coal Ind Corp-	1 12 1		Funding 3s1946	f31	311/2
61/281953	f25	× 122	German scrip	1616	63%
Buenos Aires scrip	146	49	German Dawes coupons:		
Burmeister & Wain 6s_1940			Dec 1934 stamped	175%	8
	,		Apr 15 '35 to Apr 15 '38.	f1514	16
Caldas (Colombia) 71/8 '46	11114	121/4	German Young coupons:	120/4	
Cali (Colombia) 7s1947	/18		Dec 1 '35 stamped	f10	101/2
Callao (Peru) 7 1/28 1944	1534	616	June 1 '35 to June '38	112	1216
Cauca Valley 7 1/8 1946	f1114	1214	Graz (Austria) 8s1954	f22	
				144	
Ceara (Brazil) 8s1947	121/2	4	German defaulted coupons:	***	
Central Agric Bank		1 6	July to Dec 1933	158	
see German Central Bk			Jan to June 1934	f40	
Central German Power	·	gre di	July 1934 to Dec 1936	f26	28
Madgeburg 6s1934	f25		Jan to June 1937	f2 6	28
Chile Govt 6s assented	f16		July to Dec 1937	f26	28
7s assented	f16		Jan to June 1938	f25	
Chilean Nitrate 5s1968	165	67	July to Aug 1938	f24	
City Savings Bank			Great Britain & Ireland-		1000
Budapest 781953	f11		481960-1990	110%	11134
Colombia 4s1946	146	48	Guatemala 8s1948	f20	/-
Cordoba 7s stamped1937	167	70	C 440 C 441 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	,	
Costa Rica funding 5s. '51	117	18	Hanover Harz Water Wks		Sa. 945
Costo Dice Dea Dy 71/2140	f17	18		f20	21 1/2
Costa Rica Pac Ry 71/28 '49			681957		21 72
5s1949 Cundinamarca 6 1/4s1959	f17	18	Haiti 681953	67	***
	f10	11	Hamburg Electric 6s _ 1938	f21	1000

Foreign Unlisted Dollar Bonds

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Hansa SS 6s1939			Protestant Church (Ger-		0.00
Housing & Real Imp 7s '46	f211/2		many) 781946		23
Hungarian Cent Mut 7s '37			Prov Bk Westphalia 6s '33	f21	
Hungarian Ital Bk 71/48 '32			Prov Bk Westphalia 6s '36	f21	1323
Hungarian Discount & Ex-			581941	120	
change Bank 7s1936		19.5	Rhine Westph Elec 7% '36	170	1
			6s1941	f25	
Illseder Steel 6s1948		4577	Rio de Janeiro 6% 1933	120	814
Jugoslavia 5s funding_1956		471/2		5714	
Jugoslavia 2d series 5s_1956	451/2	471/2	Rom Cath Church 6 1/28 '46	f21 1/2	23
Coupons-	King Colland	100	R C Church Welfare 7s '46		2234
Nov 1932 to May 1935	1561/2		Saarbruecken M Bk 6s '47	f21	
Nov 1935 to May 1937	1421/2		Salvador 7%1957	f1334	
Koholyt 6 1/28 1943	f22		7s ctfs of deposit_1957	f1236	1334
		4,74	4s scrip	16	10
Land M Bk Warsaw 8s '41	149		1040	f23	- FT-65
Leipzig O'land Pr 61/28 '46			8s ctfs of deposit_1948	f22	1000
Leipzig Trade Fair 78_1953			Santa Catharina (Brazil)	,	0.00
Luneberg Power Light &	122		8%1947	f13	14
Water 781948	***		Santa Fe 7s stamped_1942	69	73
Mannheim & Palat 78_1941	f22	0017			1614
	f211/2	221/2	Santander (Colom) 7s_1948	f151/4	
Meridionale Elec 7s1957	73	741/2	Sao Paulo (Brazil) 6s_1943	171/4	81/4
Montevideo scrip	140		Saxon Pub Works 7s1945	f2234	
Munich 7s to1945	f201/2	211/2	6 1/28 1951	f223/4	
Munic Bk Hessen 7s to '45	f20	211/2	Saxon State Mtge 6s1947	f25 1/2	
Municipal Gas & Elec Corp		1 10.5	Siem & Halske deb 6s_2930	1600	
Recklinghausen 7s_1947	f21	24	State Mtge Bk Jugoslavia	S 10 10	N 75 W
Nassau Landbank 61/38 '38	f28		581956	62	65
Nat Bank Panama	,20		2d series 5s1956	62	65
(A & B) 61/48_1946-1947	f91		A	02	
(C & D) 6 %s_1948-1949	191		Oct 1932 to April 1935	168	
Nat Central Savings Bk of	191		Oct 1935 to April 1937	150	
	***				24
Hungary 71/281962	f11		Stettin Pub Util 7s1946	f22	24
National Hungarian & Ind		S (588)	Stinnes 7s unstamped_1936	f72	
Mtge 7s1948	fll		Certificates 4s1936	f60	
North German Lloyd 6s '47	1981/2		7s unstamped1946	f74	
481947	651/2	6514	Certificates 4s1946	f62	
Oberpfals Elec 7s1946	1211/2		Toho Electric 781955	56	61
Oldenburg-Free State			Tolima 7s1947	110%	1134
78 to1945	f201/2		Union of Soviet Soc Repub	12.5	
Panama City 6 1/28 1952	1291/2		7% gold ruble1943	\$86.60	01 20
Panama 5% scrip	f36	40	Uruguay	400.00	01.20
Poland 381956	f27	31	Conversion scrip	f40	
Coupons 1020 1027		37			23 34
Coupons1936-1937	135		Unterelbe Electric 6s 1953	f213/4	
Porto Alegre 781968	171%	814	Vesten Elec Ry 7s1947	f21	23
			Wurtemberg 7s to1945	f201/2	22

f Flat price.

Telephone and Telegraph Stocks

Par	Bid	Ask		Bid .	Ask
Am Dist Teleg (N J) com_*	92	9614	New York Mutual Tel_100	17	21
Preferred100	118	120	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		18. 83
Bell Telep of Canada 100	163	167	Pac & Atl Telegraph25	15	18
Bell Telep of Pa pref100	114	116	Peninsular Telep com*	2414	2634
Cuban Telep 7% pref100	30	40	Preferred A100	1101/4	115
Emp & Bay State Tel100	48	55	Rochester Telephone-		
Franklin Telegraph100	27	33		111	
Gen Telep Allied Corp-			So & Atl Telegraph 25	14	19
\$6 preferred*	91%	941/2	Sou New Eng Telep100	1491/2	151 1/2
Int Ocean Telegraph 100	64	71			1.7
Mtn States Tel & Tel100	113	1117	Wisconsin Telep 7% pf. 100	115	1118

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NOTE—For mechanical reasons it is not always possible to arrange companies in exact alphabetical order.

However, they are always as near alphabetical position as possible.

FILING OF REGISTRATION STATEMENTS UNDER SECURITIES ACT

The following additional registration statements (Nos. 3790 to 3795, inclusive, and 3755, a refiling) have been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933. The total involved is approximately \$4,547,006.

Lane Wells Co. (2-3790, Form A-1), of Los Angeles, Calif., has filed a registration statement covering 308,006 shares of common stock, \$1 par. Of the shares registered 58,006 will be offered by issuer first to stockholders through pre-emptive rights and any unsubscribed for shares will be offered through underwriters. The remaining shares are outstanding and not presently to be offered. Proceeds will be used for payment of bank loans, purchase of equipment and for working capital. Blyth & Co., Inc. and others will be underwriters. W. T. Wells is President of the company. Filed Aug. 17, 1938.

Filed Aug. 17, 1938.

Forest Lawn Co. (2-3791, Form A-2), of Glendale, Calif., has filed a registration statement covering \$2,000,000 of 3% 30-year convertible sinking fund debentures, due 1968. The debentures are to be offered at par. Proceeds will be used to redeem outstanding 6% first mortgage bonds and for capital improvements and investments. According to the registration statement, holders of the debentures have the right to exchange or convert them in payment of the sales price of any grave of other services. Forest Lawn Memorial Park Association, Inc. will be underwriter. Hubert Eaton is President of the company. Filed Aug. 19, 1938.

Robot Products Corp. (2-3792, Form A-1), of Detroit, Mich., has filed a registration statement covering 62,500 shares common stock, \$1 par. Of the shares registered, 50,000 are to be offered at \$3 each, and the remaining shares will be reserved for exercise of warrants attached to the stock being offered. Proceeds will be used for payment of mortgage, plant improvements, machinery, equipment, and working capital. No underwriter was named in the registration. L. C. Benedict is President of the company. Filed Aug. 20, 1938.

Inspirator Corp. (2-3793, Form A-1), of New Haven, Conn., has filed

company. Filed Aug. 20, 1938.

Inspirator Corp. (2-3793, Form A-1), of New Haven, Conn., has filed a registration statement covering 100,000 shares capital stock \$10 par value. According to the registration statement, the company is planning to offer publicly 50,000 shares at \$10 each and keep 10,000 shares in its treasury for subsequent offering at the market, but not below the par value. The remaining 40,000 shares have been issued to Hammond Co. in exchange for patent rights. Hammond Co. has agreed not to dispose of any of the 40,000 shares for a period of six months and not to sell more than 25% of the stock within two years. Proceeds are to be used for purchase of rights, buildings, land, machinery and equipment and working capital. No underwriter was named in the registration statement. Grant Hammond is President of the company. Filed Aug. 22, 1938.

Filbert Corp. (2-3794, Form A-2), of Minneapolis, Minn., has filed a registration statement covering 50,000 shares of common stock, \$10 par, to be offered mainly to employees of Gamble Skogmo, Inc., Gamble Stores, Inc., and issuer, at book value or at a maximum of \$16 per share. Proceeds will be used for investment. No underwriter named. B. C. Gamble is President of the company. Filed Aug. 22, 1938.

Decca Records, Inc. (2-3795, Form A-1), of New York, N. Y., has filed a registration statement covering 393,325 shares of common stock, \$1fpar. Of the shares registered, 17,000 shares will be offered by issuer and 133,000 shares will be offered by two stockholders, at \$5.25 per share, through underwriters; 20,000 shares will be optioned to four directors at \$5 per share, but not to be presently offered. The remaining 223,325 shares are outstanding. Proceeds will be used for working capital. Reynolds & Co, and others will be underwriters. Jack Kapp is President of the company.—Filed Aug. 23, 1938.

Misers Chest Mining & Milling Co. Inc. (2-3755, Form AO-1, refiling), of Lordsburg, New Mexico, has filed a registration statement covering 115,000 shares of common stock, \$1 par, to be offered at par. Proceeds will be used for mill, exploration, development, leases and for working capital. H. B. Hening will be underwriter. W. H. Black is President of the company. Filed Aug. 22, 1938.

The last previous list of registration statements was given in our issue of Aug. 20, page 1180.

Advance-Rumely Corp.—Delisting Hearing—
The Securities and Exchange Commission announced Aug. 18 that a public hearing will be held Sept. 20 in the Commission's Washington office on the application of the New York Stock Exchange to strike from listing and registration the no par value common stock of this corporation.—V. 147, p. 880.

Akron Canton & Youngstown Ry.—Amended Plan of Reorganization Approved by ICC—

Reorganization Approved by ICC—

The Interstate Commerce Commission on Aug. 12 approved a plan of reorganization for the Akron Canton & Youngstown Ry. and Northern Ohio Ry., pursuant to Section 77 of the Bankruptcy Act, as amended.

The plan provides as follows:

(a) Effective date of the plan will be Oct. 1, 1938.

(b) Debtor and the intervening debtor (Northern Ohio Ry.) will be consolidated into a new corporation to be known as the Akron, Canton & Youngstown RR. Co., or other appropriate name. The lease of the intervening debtor's property assumed by the debtor, all liabilities of each to the other thereunder, and all intercorporate accounts between the debtor and the intervening debtor, will be canceled. Appropriate securities of the new company, consistent with the other provisions of the plan, with which to recompense the New York Chicago & St. Louis RR. for the debtor's and the intervening debtor's liability to it for amounts expended in the performance of its guaranty of the first mortgage bonds of the intervening debtor, shall be issued and held in treasury.

(c) The new company shall issue the trustees' certificates of indebtedness (\$266,000), the equipment-trust certificates of 1926 (\$40,000), and obligation in respect of the equipment lease of 1936 (\$18,500):

(d) The new company shall issue and deliver immediately \$1,500,000 of new consolidated mortgage 4½% series B bonds due Oct. 1, 1988; \$2.173,000 of new consolidated mortgage 4½% series B bonds due Oct. 1, 1988; 22.038 shares of new 5% preferred stock (par \$100); approximately 16,149.1 shares of new common stock (par \$100); approximately 6,393.58 class A

conditional warrants of pro rata participation in the future issue of all or any part of about 4,936,48 shares of additional common stock (par \$100): and 15,000 class B conditional warrants of pro rata participation in the future issue of all or any part of about 1,901,42 shares of additional common stock (par \$100). It should also issue immediately and hold for future delivery, as and when it shall be ascertained who shall be entitled to delivery, 6,837.9 shares of additional common stock (par \$100).

(e) Holders of general and refunding mortgage 6% bonds of the debtor shall receive in exchange for each \$1,000 bond accompanied by all interest coupons due April 1, 1935 to April, 1945, incl., \$620 of new consolidated mortgage 4½% series B bonds due Oct. 1, 1988; \$372 par value of new 5% preferred stock, and \$248 par value of new common stock; except that scrip may be issued in lieu of fractional shares and in lieu of bonds in denominations less than \$100.

Holders of general and refunding mortgage 5½% bonds of the debtor shall receive in exchange for each \$1,000 bond accompanied by all interest coupons due April 1, 1935 to April 1, 1945, incl., \$610 of new consolidated mortgage 4½% series B bonds due Oct. 1, 1988; \$366 par value of new 5% preferred stock, and \$244 par value of new common stock; except that scrip may be issued in lieu of fractional shares and in lieu of bonds in denominations less than \$100.

(f) Holders of first mortgage bonds of the intervening debtor accompanied by all interest coupons due April 1, 1935 to Oct. 1, 1945, shall receive for each \$1,000 bond, \$500 of new consolidated mortgage 4% series A bonds due Oct. 1, 1988; \$300 par value of new 5% preferred stock, and \$200 par value of new common stock. Holders of first mortgage bonds of the intervening debtor due April 1, or Oct. 1, 1935, 1936, 1937 or 1938, shall receive for each \$1,000 bond, \$500 of new consolidated mortgage 4% series A bonds due Oct. 1, 1988; \$7.50 par value of new 5% preferred stock, and \$50 par value of new common stock

thereof shall have been delivered. Acceptance of the plan may not be conditioned on any action being taken by New York, Chicago & St. Louis RR.

(g) The Railroad Credit Corporation and the banks holding obligations of the debtor, upon surrender of such obligations, the evidence thereof, and the collateral security therefor, except the notes of the A. C. & Y. Terminal Properties Co., shall each receive \$22.79 par value of new common stock and one class A conditional warrant for each \$100 of claim approved and allowed. The RCC shall be permitted to retain the notes of the A. C. & Y. Terminal Properties Co. and receive such assurances of title as may be appropriate. The RCC shall also be permitted to retain the debtor's distributive share in the fund provided in the "marshaling and distributions are made from the fund, \$22.79 par value of the new common stock and one class A conditional warrant, or the proceeds of the sale thereof, for each \$100 in cash that would otherwise be paid or placed to the credit of the new company. Class A warrants returned by the RCC shall be canceled. Stocks so returned shall be held subject to the class A and class B warrants.

The New York Chicago & St. Louis RR., upon presentation to the Treasurer of the new company of appropriate proof of loss sustained in the performance of its contract of guaranty of bonds of the intervening debtor, shall receive of the new company stock issued in reorganization and held in Treasury, for each \$100 of loss so proved, \$22.79 par value of new common stock, and shall participate equally and ratably with the holders of class A warrants in any distribution of stock pursuant thereto, each \$100 of proved loss entitling the New York Chicago & St. Louis RR. to participate in the distribution to the same extent as one class A warrant.

(h) Holders of stock of the debtor shall receive payment in full without interest in cash; and holders of the preferred stock of the intervening debtor outstanding in the hands of the preferred stock of the intervening debtor

in cash.

Reorganization managers, three in number, shall be appointed, one by the protective committee for holders of the general and refunding bonds one by the protective committee for holders of first mortgage bonds of the intervening debtor and one by the Cleveland Trust Co. and the liquidator of the Guardian Trust Co. jointly. They shall have power (a) to take such steps as may be necessary and appropriate to consummate the plan; (b) to incorporate the new company and make commitments for its account subject to confirmation by the new company; (c) to determine the terms and form of all indebtedness and other instruments provided for or required in connection with the consummation of the plan; and (d) to provide the method of participation in the plan by the security holders.

Earnings for Month of July and Year to Date

July-	1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross from railway	\$133,483	\$171,090	\$179,094	\$140,125
Net from railway	30,662	50,447	63,942	34,042
Net after rents	8,242	23,449	33,219	15,132
Gross from railway	875.037	1,306,607	1,281,253	1,117,255
Net from railway	144,820	466,929	474,844	363,946
Net after rents	def38,425	216,260	259,492	204,280

Alabama Power Co.—Earnings—

Period End. July 31— Gross revenue Oper. exps. and taxes Prov. for depreciation	1938—Mor	uth—1937	1938—12 A	### 1937
	\$1,614,582	\$1,664,662	\$19,640,269	### 20,183,088
	707,658	825,334	*8,685,584	#8,993,327
	217,690	227,325	2,664,805	2,256,081
Gross income	\$689,235	\$612,003	\$8,289,880	\$8,933,680
Int. & other fixed charges	407,630	383,065	4,829,539	4,814,157
Net income	\$281,605	\$228,937	\$3,460,341	\$4,119,522
Divs. on pref. stock	195,178	195,178	2,342,138	2,342,138
Balance	\$86,426	\$33,759	\$1,118,203	\$1,777,384

x No provision was made in 1936 for Federal surfax on undistributed profits as all taxable income was distributed. No provision was made in 1937 except for a small amount provided by a subsidiary company.—V. 147, p. 727.

Alden Hotel Corp., N. Y. City—Earnings—
Earnings of the Alden Hotel, located at the northwest corner of Central Park West and 82nd St., for the first fiscal year since reorganization, were at the rate of 4.2% on the \$2,599.000 first mortgage. During the year, according to the Amott. Baker & Co., Inc., data, the property showed a gross income of \$510,000 and a net income of \$108,000 before 3% fixed interest but after operating expenses and taxes. This 15-story hotel, containing 323 apartments, was completed in 1926 and is now assessed for \$2,710,000. Taxes are paid to date and interest was paid this month at the annual 3% rate.—V. 145, p. 3488.

Alexander & Baldwin, Ltd.—Smaller Dividend—Directors have declared a dividend of \$1.50 per share on the capital stock, payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Sept. 5. This compares with \$2.25 paid on June 15 and on March 15 last; a dividend of \$8.25 was paid on Dec. 15, 1937, and a regular quarterly dividend of \$2.25 was paid on Sept. 15, 1937.—V. 146, p. 1535.

Alleghany Corp.—To Buy Bonds—
The Guaranty Trust Co., as trustee for the 20-year collateral trust convertible 5% bonds, series of 1930, due April 1, 1950, has available \$50,000 deposited cash with which to buy the bonds in the open market at a price to be set by the vaue of the collateral under the formula agreed upon by the bondholders. Guaranty Trust Co. will start its buying operations on Aug. 29.—V. 147, p. 880.

Allegheny Ludlum Steel Co.—Unlisted Trading—
The New York Curb Exchange has admitted to unlisted trading privileges the new 7% cumulative preferred stock, \$100 par, issued, share for share, in exchange for 7% cumulative preferred stock, \$100 par, of Allegheny Steel Co., in accordance with the terms of a joint plan and agreement of

merger, dated May 17, 1938, between Allegheny Steel Co. and Ludlum Steel Co.—V. 147, p. 1181.

Allied Mills, Inc. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Net sales	$\begin{array}{c} 1938 \\ $26,068,113 \\ 22,204,203 \end{array}$	\$35,923,170		1935 ailable
Gross profit from oper. Selling expenses Administrative expenses	2,167,919	\$5,821,903 2,114,751 621,714	x\$6,030,691 1,909,555 665,756	x\$5,313,816 1,741,491 630,334
Net profit from oper Miscell. income	\$1,152,004 59,226	\$3,085,437 176,866	\$3,455,379 178,430	\$2,941,990 140,626
Total profit Depreciation Interest and exhchange _ Writedown of invest, to	\$1,211,230 402,624 15,480	\$3,262,304 377,231 20,046	\$3,633,810 361,051 27,389	\$3,082,616 362,786 55,569
quoted value Provision for taxes Prov. for contingencies_ Loss on bldgs. & mach'y	a175,201	a508,606	5,000 667,829 25,000	$\substack{6,000\\442,298\\125,000}$
abandonded	11,155	1,466	7,837	
Net profit	946,000 \$0.64		886,888	886,888 \$2.35

x After deducting all manufacturing expense, incl. reductions of inventories to lower of cost or market. z On average number of shares (886,888 shares) earnings per share was \$2.66. a Includes \$34,538 in 1938 and \$14,878 in 1937 provision for surtax on undistributed earnings.

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	1938	1937	Carrier Control	1938	1937
Assets—	\$	8	Liabilities-	\$	8
Cash	1.510.118	1.474.648	Accounts payable.	73.993	143,157
a Accts.& notes rec	1,512,864	1.829.685	Reserves	360,907	301,451
Inventories			Accrued liabilities_	215,139	260,119
Prepaid insur., &c.			Prov. for taxes	253,704	591,154
Investments, &c		40,182	c Capital stock	5,748,131	5,685,711
b Plant & equipm't	4.383,486	4,486,586	d Surplus	6,301,162	6,167,391
Total	12 953 036	13.148.984	Total	12.953.036	13.148.984

a After reserve for bad debts of \$226,048 in 1938 and \$203,693 in 1937. b After depreciation of \$2,688,403 in 1938 and \$2,394,842 in 1937. C Represented by 946,000 no par shares in 1938 and 942,879 no par shares in 1937. d Initial surplus, \$662,250 in 1938 and 1937; discount on stock purchased for treasury, \$167,323 in 1938 and 1937; earned surplus, \$5,471.589 in 1938 and \$5,337,818 in 1937.—V. 146, p. 3487.

American Agricultural Chemical Co. (Del.)-Change in Stock-

in Stock—

The directors on Aug. 3, 1938 voted to recommend to the stockholders that the 209,329 issued shares of the company be split up so that after the split-up stockholders would hold three no par shares for each no par share held prior to the split-up. This is designed to create a broader market for the shares of the company.

The board further voted to recommend to the stockholders that the authorized stock be increased from 500,000 no par shares to 700,000 no par shares. The stockholders will be asked to vote upon these recommendations at the special meeting of stockholders to be held on Sept. 21.

Consolidated Be	alance Sheet	June 30 (Inc.	l. Subsidiaries)
Assets—	1938	1937	1936	1935
x Land, bldgs., mach. & equipmentx Phosphate rock depos_	\$4,146,793 1,554,933	\$3,955,921 1,577,190	\$4,072,160 1,607,799	\$4,249,688 1,635,284
Property not required for operating purposes_x Pur, money oblig., &c. Cash. Acets. & notes receivable Inventories Brands, pats. & g'dwill_Unexp'd ins., taxes, &c.	$\substack{1,150,386\\406,765\\4,675,177\\3,087,652\\6,665,800\\1\\182,910}$	1,114,978 499,057 6,100,183 2,677,337 6,313,655 1 116,913	$\substack{1,158,681\\645,126\\5,881,750\\2,520,904\\5,130,269}\\1\\157,776}$	1,086,106 708,617 5,338,569 2,801,479 5,092,637 207,221
	\$8,373,160 10,035,542 1,121,334 1,687,951 641,767	\$8,437,280 10,230,787 1,304,945 1,685,937 615,773	\$21,174,467 \$8,549,360 9,443,500 825,607 1,676,346 595,650 84,004	\$21,119,603 \$8,969,560 9,203,851 749,284 1,611,972 547,160 37,774
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Total liabilities_____\$21,870,419 \$22,355,235 \$21,174,467 \$21,119,603 x After deducting reserves. y Represented by 209,329 shares in 1938 210,932 shares in 1937, 213,734 shares in 1936 and 224,239 in 1935, after deducting 1,605 shares in 1938, 2 shares in 1937, 10,505 shares in 1936 and

8,967 shares in 1935 held Note—Earnings for the	in treasury	for retireme	nt.	
American&Forei	gn Power	Co., Inc.	(& Subs.)	-Earns-
Period End. June 30-	1938-3 A	Ios.—1937	1938—12 1	Mos.—1937
Subsidiaries— Operating revenues———————————————————————————————————	$814,827,465 \\ 8,926,192 \\ 1,188,858$	\$16,004,347 a9,490,346 1,258,793	\$60,820,191 a37,229,925 5,336,859	\$60,041,470 a35,407,039 4,700,374
Net oper. revenues	\$4,712,415	\$5,255,208	\$18,253,407	\$19,934,057
Rent for lease of plants	5,805	9,656	46,207	45,171
Operating income Other income (net)	\$4,706,610 95,573	\$5,245,552 131,313	\$18,207,200 888,677	\$19,888,886 835,956
Gross income	\$4,802,183	\$5,376,865	\$19,095,877	\$20,724,842
Int. to public & other deductionsInt. chgd. to construct'n	911,170 Cr18,881	971,939 Cr15,860	3,860,588 Cr86,521	3,865,008 Cr65,750
Balance Pref. divs. to public	633,436	\$4,420,786 667,606		\$16,925,584 2,664,021
Portion applic. to min. interests	8,593	96,579	210,986	511,919
b Net equity of A. & & F. P. Co., Inc. in		1, 174.		
inc. of subs—before exch. adjustments—	\$3,267,865	\$3,656,601	\$12,492,967	\$13,749,644
Amer. & For. Pow. Co. Net equity in inc. of subs Other income	\$3,267,865 20,931	\$3,656,601 21,120	\$12,492,967 54,082	\$13,749,644 69,115
Total Expenses, incl. taxes Int. to pub. & oth. deds_	\$3,288,796 155,827 1,552,122	\$3,677,721 a186,670 1,601,703	a593,715	a689,714
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statement the national currency earnings generally have been calculated in United States dollars each month at an average of the daily rates of exchange for that month; these rates closely approximate the rates at which funds were transferred to New York.

	\$2,904,405 21,120	\$9,458,898 54,082	Mos.—1937 \$9,786,443 69,115
\$2,350,344 155,827	\$2,925,525 a186,670	\$9,512,980 a593,715	\$9,855,558 a689,714
1,552,122	1,601,703	6,299,569	6,710,947
or Federal sur fore exchange Surplus for the 1937	tax on undistradjustments of 12 Months.	ributed proficarried to ear	ts for periods rned surplus, 30, 1938 _\$23,247,154
ompany liqui	dated in 1937		\$25,868,316 92,138
			\$25,776,178 1937
advs. to subs osidiaries hers expense		8,731,538 63,613 3,975,057 654,990 12,708 6,852,170 6,640	\$ 517,164,251 8,250,134 63,613 4,216,524 1,657,095 7,094 6,926,921 11,068
		535,766,701	538,296,701 393,940,452 50,000,000 26,800,000
	1,552,122 1 1 \$642,395 or Federal sur ore exchange Surplus for the 937	1,552,122 1,601,703 1 1 S642,395 \$1,137,152 or Federal surtax on undists ore exchange adjustments Surplus for the 12 Months 937	1,552,122

American Chain & Cable Co., Inc.	(& Subs.)—Earns
6 Months Ended June 30— Gross sales, less discounts, returns & allowances Cost of sales (incl. shipping exp. & freight & cartage	1938 \$8,917,632	1937 \$15,228,887
cost of sales (incr. shipping exp. a reight a cartage outward). Depreciation of plants, mach. & equip	6,782,895 334,663 27,141	30,641
ProfitOther income (net)	\$62,191 137,926	\$2,025,563 251,330
Total	\$200,117 3,062 41,862	\$2,276,893 11,379 345,266
Consolidated net income Earned surplus, Jan. 1 a Refund	\$155,193 2,932,729	\$1,920,247 1,414,629 393,946
Total5% cum. conv. pref. stock divs.,Common stock dividends	\$3,087,922 143,134 394,959	\$3,728,822 90,265 710,938
Balance, earned surplus, June 30	\$2,549,830	\$2,927,619

American Cities Power & Light Corp.—Optional Div.—Directors have declared an optional dividend of 34% cents per share on the convertible class A stock, optional dividend series, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 10. Holders have the option of receiving 1-32 of a share of class B stock in lieu of the cash dividend. Dividends of 37½ cents were paid on Aug. 1 and on May 2 last and previously regular quarterly dividends of 75 cents per share were distributed.—V. 147, p. 561.

dividends of to cents ber	share were	distributed	-v. 147, p.	501.
American Gas &	Power C	o.—Earnin	ngs	
12 Months Ended June Gross revenues Operating expenses		1938 \$898,617 47,774	1937 \$786,448 29,836	1936 \$683,532 202,061
Gross income Unconditional interest Conditional interest		\$850,842 357,151 386,997	\$756,612 380,299 394,168	\$481,471 384,660 370,451
Net loss	1	orof\$106,694	\$17,856	\$273,640
American-Hawai	ian Steam	mship Co.	(& Subs.)—Earns.
Period End. July 31— Operating earnings Operating expenses	1938—Mo \$1,531,888	nth—1937 \$1.514.300	1938—7 M \$9,086.358	7.855,880
Net profit from oper Other income	\$127,039 368	\$132,485 1,220	\$341,047 18,261	\$302.323 35,412
Total profit Prov. for depreciation	\$127.407 77,681	\$133,705 67,392	\$359,308 531,483	\$337,734 455,130

income taxes. -V. 147, p. 1182.

\$49,726

\$49.726

Balance, profit

Profit on sale of securs

Exps. incident to maritime strike

Net profit before Fed.

American Ice Co.—Preferred Dividend—
The directors have declared a dividend of 25 cents per share on the 6% non-cum. pref. stock, par \$100, payable Sept. 24 to holders of record Sept. 7. Dividends of 50 cents were paid on June 25 and on March 25 last. A dividend of \$1 was paid on Dec. 20, 1937, and dividends of 50 cents per

\$66,312 loss\$172,175 loss\$117,396 15,058 5,764

\$66,312 loss\$157,118 loss\$270,214

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share were paid on Sept. 25, June 25 and March 25, 1937, Dec. 19, July 25, April 25 and Jan. 25, 1936, and on Oct. 25, 1935; prior thereto regular quarterly dividends of \$1.50 per share were distributed.—V. 147, p. 1026.

American Locomo	tive Co.	(& Subs.)—Bal. Shee	t June 30
1938 Assets— \$	1937 \$	Liabilities— \$	1937
y Cost of property 35,914,906 Investment: Gen'l	35,864,476	Preferred stock35,196,100 x Common stock 3,839,500	35,196,100
Steel Castings Other investments 5,164,423	2,500,000	Adv. pay. rec'd on contracts 31,842	
Cash 4,032,994	2,438,158	Accounts payable_ 1,347,810 Loans payable	2,662,304
Accts. & notes rec.,		Sundry acer. exps. 452,244	
after reserves 4,917,131 Other accts. rec'le 46,273			
Inventories 7,775,278 Deferred charges 531,058		Res. for conting's 2,371,936 Res. for poss. losses	
		in other sec. inv. 2,500,000 Minority interest	4,065
		Capital surplus 4,678,250 Earned surplus 8,348,542	
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----59,123,935 65,721,327 59,123,935 65,721,327 Total ___ x Represented by 767,900 no par shares. y After depreciation reserves. Note—Earnings for six months ended June 30 appeared in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, p. 1182.

American Power & Light Co.-Accumulated Dividends American rower & Light Co.—Accumutated Dividends—The directors have declared a dividend of 75 cents per share on the no par \$6 cum. pref. stock and a dividend of 62½ cents per share on the no par \$5 cum. pref. stock, both payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 8. Dividends of \$1.12½ and 93% cents per share, respectively, were paid on the \$6 and \$5 stocks on July 1, and April 1 last and on Dec. 20, 1937. See V. 146, p. 1389 for record of previous dividend payments.—V. 147, p. 263.

American Railways Corp.—Earnings-		
12 Months Ended June 30— Gross earnings Expenses and taxes	\$172,280 8,481	1937 \$196,960 5,180
Net earnings Interest on funded debt Amortization of bond discount and expense	\$163,799 97,790 3,678	\$191.780 99,613 3,739
Net income	\$62,330	\$88,427

American Smelting & Refining Co. (& Subs.)--Earns. \$11,208.173 894,735 136,356

Gross income \$10.466.686 \$19.021.991 \$14,379.172
Gen'l & adm. expenses 926,061 \$1.088.137 940,745
Research & exam. exps 241,984 564,667 170,275
Corporate taxes (incl. est. U. S. and foreign income taxes) 1,275,237 4,617,565 2,090,939
Bond interest & prem 448.450 479,590
Unamort. bond disc. & c
Deprec., obsolescence, & 2,910.735 2,678,175 2,890,095 1,146,355 909,582 313,323 2,744,971

 Net income
 \$5,112,668

 1st pref. dividends
 1,750,000

 2d pref. dividends
 3,835,421

 \$5,062,850 2,625,000 c2,484,000 \$9,624,998 1,750,000 \$7,807,529 1,750,000 460,000 3,287,504 sr\$3858,583 20,182,324 \$46,150 11,572,415 Consolidated Balance Sheet June 30

Assets—	1938	1937
Cash	10.469.669	11.289.155
U. S. Governmental securities	6.663.389	5,901,870
Accounts receivable (net)	7.551.462	
Notes receivable, due in 1937	1,001,402	718,377
Due from assoc. cos. not incl. in consolidation		307.156
Materials and supplies, at cost or less		6.157.781
b Metal stocks (not incl. metals treated on tol	1	
basis), less unearned treatment charges	46,843,560	49,220,216
f Ore and concentrates on hand	3,405,516	4,971,122
Advance to customers on ores, &c., received bu	2 001 000	0 100 050
not settled for	3,001,066	2,188,058
Notes receivable, not current	68,017	69,758
Mine examination and development expenses.	214,337	713,567
Prepaid taxes, insurance and royalties	352,039	406,775
Miscellaneous deferred charges	198,696	372,012
Interplant accounts in transit	38,113	45,789
c Property	56,135,500	53,973,403
Investments		19,878,648
Total	S	170,987,421
Accounts and drafts payable—Trade	9.396,921	9,876,049
Other	984,406	2,600,160
Wages payable	510.608	685,368
Due to assoc. cos. not incl. in consolidation, whether	er	
or not controlled	433,661	473,427
Interest accrued on bank loans	29.692	48,947
Dividends—Unclaimed	37.941	34,090
Payable on 7% preferred stock	875,000	875,000
Payable on common stock	1.095,835	1,643,752
Accrued taxes not due (U.S. and for. inc. taxes est.)	7,828,173	9,743,780
Unearned treatment charges (metals treated or	a .	
toll basis)	1,499,445	1,657,281
Miscellaneous liabilities	. d5,923,301	8,341,671
Reserves 7% cumulative preferred stock	. 17,231,530	e17,380,931
7% cumulative preferred stock	- 50,000,000	59,000,000
Common stock	43,620,430	43,620,430
Profit and loss surplus	23,669,821	24,006,536
Total	163 136 764	170 987 421

b Valued at the lower of cost or market, except that refined metals sold under firm contracts for delivery after June 30, are valued at sales contract prices.

under firm contracts for delivery after June 30, are valued at sales contract prices.

c Segregated and valued as of Dec. 31, 1934, in accordance with authority and direction of the stockholders at a special meeting held on May 21, 1935: Plants, mines and other trangible properties at Dec. 31, 1934, \$52, -087,099; less amounts included therein for properties which have been retired and (or) sold since Dec. 31, 1934, \$2,062,602; balance, \$50,024,498; additions at cost since Dec. 31, 1934, \$18,578,300; less retirements and (or) sales of additions since Dec. 31, 1934, \$100,005, balance, \$18,478,205. Total, \$68,592,703. Depreciation and depletion since Dec. 31, 1934, \$17,128,705; less depreciation since Dec. 31, 1934, on property retired and (or) sold after that date, \$427,228; net tangible property, \$51,803,226. Segregated and valued as of Dec. 31, 1934, in accordance with authority and direction of the stockholders at a special meeting held on May 21, 1935; Goodwill, patents, licenses, &c., at Dec. 31, 1934, \$4,478,391 amortization since Dec. 31, 1934, \$147,187; net intangible property, \$4,332,275; total net property, \$56,135,500.

d Bank loans, due after 1937, \$2,705,000; notes payable for peoperty purchased, due after 1938, \$200,000; notes payable six months after demand to American Smelting & Refining Co., trustee under employees' pension

\$5,906,658 202,326

\$5,704,332

plan, \$2,082,288; minority interest in subsidiary companies included in consolidation, \$202,110, and other miscellaneous liabilities, \$773,904.

e Metal stock, \$12,845,698; extraordinary obsolescence, contingencies, &c., \$2,834,191; mine and new business investigations, \$342,894, and other reserves, \$1,208,748.

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f Ores and concentrates on hand at company mines and in transit smelters, at cost of production or conservative values based on existi contracts for their sale.—V. 146, p. 2675.

American Stores Co.—Sales—

Sales______V. 147, p. 1182.

Boston & Providence RR. Corp.—Trustees Appointed—Bentley W. Warren and Charles W. Mulcahy were appointed trustees of the corporation by Judge Francis J. W. Ford in Federal court at Boston Aug. 22. Mr. Warren is President of the corporation. Judge Ford set Oct 1 as the date for filling proof of clair's against the corporation. The appointment of trustees followed filling with the court by the Provident Institution for Savings of Boston of a creditor's claim against the railroad. This bank holds \$2,170,000 Boston & Providence bonds, on which the July 1 interest payment was defaulted.—V. 147, p. 1028.

American Water Works & Electric Co., Inc. - Weekly

Aug. 20.--41,555,000 50,026,000 41,032,000 50,050,000 41,012,000 July Output— The power output of the electric subsidiaries of the American Water Works & Electric Co. for the month of July totaled 168,050,550 kilowatthours, against 216,423,756 kilowatt-hours for the corresponding month of 1937, a decrease of 22%. For the seven months ended July 31, 1938, power output totaled 1,179,322,096 kilowatt-hours, as against 1,526,423,765 kilowatt-hours for the same period last year, a decrease of 23%.—V. 147, p. 1182.

Armstrong Cork Co.—Semi-Annual Report-

Briefly summarized, the company's operations for the six-month period, with the exceptions noted, show the following results:

Companies Operating in the United States—
Net profit after interest & deprec., but before Federal income tax.__\$187,398

Reserve for Federal income tax.___33,388 Net profit for six months______\$154,010

Companies Operating Abroad (Except the Spanish Sub.)—

Net profit after interest, depreciation, taxes and all charges_____ 131,083

Total net income for first six months of 1938 (20 cents per share) _\$285,093

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The total income for the first six months of 1938 amounted to \$285,094
as against net earnings of \$3,825,031 for the first half of 1937—on a comparable basis. The domestic earnings for the first six months totaled \$154,010 in comparison with \$3,629,406 for the first half year of 1937. Foreign companies earned \$131,083 as contrasted with \$195,625 in the first six months of last year. In neither year are the operating results of the Spanish subsidiary included.

As stated in semi-annual report covering six months ended June 30, 1937, contingency reserves totaling \$\$79,117 (for miscellaneous-purposes including possible inventory write-downs) were charged against domestic operations during that period. Of these reserves, \$735,671 were returned to profits at the end of the fiscal year on Dec. 31, 1937. If these reserves had been actually applied at June 30, 1937, the earnings for the half year would have been \$3,825,031 as shown above. For the period now under review and in future, it has been decided to make a complete closing of the company's domestic books on June 30 of each year.

Increase in Capitalization—At a special meeting of the stockholders on June 13, 1938, it was voted to authorize the issuance of 60,000 shares of 4% cumulative convertible preferred stock (par \$100), and to increase the authorized common stock (no par) from 1,524,693 shares to 1,624,693 shares, of which 1,410,644 were outstanding. After such action, there remained authorized but unissued 214,049 shares of common stock which, by vote at the same meeting, were placed at the disposition of the board of directors, which was authorized to issue and dispose of the shares for such consideration and value as the board from time to time may determine. Of the new stock that was thus authorized, the only shares issued have been 34,500 shares of the Whitail Tatum Co., Millville, N. J.

Consolidated Earnings for 6 Months Ended June 30, 1938

[Inscluding domestic subsidiarie

Consolidated Earnings for 6 Months Ended June 30, 1938 ling domestic subsidiaries and operating profits of fore

Net sales. Cost of sales. Selling and administrative expenses.	\$16,507,757 12,521,730
Net profit from operationsOther income	\$815.816 160,481
Total income_ Provision for depreciation and obsolescence Provision for loss on sundry investments Federal and State capital stock and loans taxes. Provision for State income tax_ Loss on sales of marketable securities Miscellaneous charges. Provision for Federal income taxes (no surtax payable)	51,825 90,054 2,517 5,362
Net profit, domestic operations Foreign subs. (except Spanish sub.) combined net profit	\$154,010 131,083
Net income	\$285,094

Common dividends paid... 352.661

Note—The operations of Whitall Tatum Co. (acquired June 20, 1938) for the 10 days from date of acquisition to June 30, 1938 are not included in the foregoing income account.

Consolidated Balance Sheet June 30

	Consol	iuuieu Duiu	nce sheet dune 30		
	1938	1937		38	1937
Assets—	\$	\$		5	8
	3,376,383		Accts. payable and		
Notes & accts. rec.	4,257,752	5,550,506	accrued expenses 1,17	9.299	2,282,737
U. S. Govt. & oth.				6.810	236,251
securities	4.672.273	3.002.371	Prov. for State inc.		-00,201
Due from for. subs.	348,192	511,333	cap. stk. & other		
Advs.for purchases	100		taxes 40	7.801	661,495
of raw materials		76,570	Provision for Fed'l		002,200
Inventories1	2.171.008	14,964,350	income tax 37	6,196	1,055,809
Notes & accts. rec.					8,400,000
non-current	224,606				879,117
Indebt.of empl'ees		31,831	Res. for wage earns.		
Prepaid expenses_	598,032	515,599	unempl. benefits 30	0,000	300,000
Invest.in and adv.	6.0	and the same of the same of	4% cum. pf. stock 3,456		
to foreign subs	3,566,467	3,333,340	y Common stock _ 8,12:	3,465	7,623,465
Other investments	960,143	1,027,227	Paid-in surplus 27,04	2,901	18,481,901
x Prop., pl't & eq.2	0,698,844	18,246,988	Earned surplus 9,91	1,602	11,184,436
Paid-up licenses	74,373	84,990	*		
Deb. disc. & exp		870,955	and the second s		
Goodwill, &c	1	1	A 1/4		* 5
Total5	0,948,076	51,105,212	Total50,94	8,076	51,105,212

x After reserve for depreciation of \$17,662,480 in 1938 (\$14,349,599 in 1937), and less reserve for revaluations effected as of Jan. 1, 1933 of \$4,362,569 in 1938 and \$4,637,651 in 1937. y Represented by 1,410,644 no-par shares in 1938, and 1,209,124 no-par shares in 1937.

Note—The accounts of Whitall Tatum Co. whose capital stock was acquired on June 20, 1938 are included in 1938 balance sheet.—V. 147, p. 1183.

American Telephone & Telegraph Co.—Listing— The Chicago Stock Exchange has admitted to trading 18,686,794 shares of capital stock, \$100 par.—V. 147. p. 1026.

American Toll Bridge Co.—Dividend Passed—
Directors at their recent meeting took no action on the common dividend ordinarily due at this time. A regular quarterly dividend of two cents was paid on March 15, last, at which time the directors decided to pay dividends semi-annually instead of quarterly.—V. 145, p. 3489.

Associated Dry Goods Corp.—Sales—
Sales reported by subsidiary store companies for the 13-week period ended (uly 30, 1938, were \$11,182,630 compared with sales of \$12,347,793 in he corresponding period last year. Total sales for the 26-week period med July 30, 1938 were \$24,106,343, compared with sales of \$26,054,666 at the corresponding period last year, a decrease of 7.5%.—V. 147, p. 881.

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Associated Electric Co. (& Subs.)-	-Earnings-	
12 Months Ended June 30— Operating revenues Operating expenses, &c Provision for taxes	15 908 481	\$24,282,930 15,039,353 2,187,106
Operating incomeOther income (net)	\$6,978,418 330,331	\$7,056,471 496,861
Gross income	2,017,299	\$7,553,332 2,040,876
Interest on funded debt	8.808	3,550,000 $11,002$ $247,863$
Balance of income	\$1,485,815	\$1,703,591

Associated Gas & Electric Co.—Weekly Output—
For the week ended Aug. 19, Associated Gas & Electric System reports net electric output of 90,265,516 units (kwh.). This is a decline of 3,655,874 units, or 3.9% below production for the comparable week a year ago. This is the largest net output reported for any week so far this year.—V. 147, p. 1183.

Associated Gas & Electric Corp.—Earnings-

[Including Associated Gas & Electric Co.]
Statement of Consolidated Earnings and Expenses
Incl. All Subs. Regardless of Voting Trust Agreements or Other Restrictions

| Actual | Since Acquisition | Basis | 12 | Months Ended June 30 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1937 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938 | 1938
 Total operating revenues
 \$127,576,588
 \$121222,522

 Operating expenses
 57,271,007
 51,671,207

 Maintenance
 8,703,137
 91,21,015

 Provision for taxes (including Fed. inc. taxes)
 16,260,504
 14,277,996
 Net operating revenue \$45,341,939 \$46,152,303 Provision for retirements 10,961,183 10,672,881

 Balance of income
 \$10,220,467
 \$12,111,818

 Corporation interest, &c.:
 630,005
 669,158

 8% bonds, due 1940
 630,005
 669,158

 Convertible debentures, due 1973
 1,356,252
 1,539,214

 Income debentures, due 1978
 4,271,755
 3,925,694

 Amortization of debt discount and expense
 89,438
 71,094

 $3,141,307 \\ 99,790 \\ 71,997 \\ 319,203$ Balance of income_____ \$88,139 \$2,072,034

Balance of income, corporation \$3,873,015 xpenses and taxes of company 176,572

Balance Sheet	June 30, 1930	
Assets-	Liabilities—	
Invest, in & advances to	Capital stock and surplusa\$	284,446,851
Assoc. G. & E. Corp. (including entire cap. stock) \$438,484,520		27,590,695
Cash & special deposits 1,751		49,422,505
Deposits for matured int.	Scrip certificates for interest	
divs, payable, & matured	on convertible obligations	10,270,021
scrip. &c. (contra) 202,588	Funded debt	71,453,620
Unamort. debt disct. & exp. 6,627,016	Matured int., unpresented	
Miscell. items in suspense 65,802	div. checks, & matured scrip, &c. (contra)	202,588
	Accts. payable (incl. \$337,- 998 matured scrip)	620.217
	Accrued taxes	60.453
	Accrued interest	1.175,865
	Res. for taxes & miscell	138,862
Total \$445.381.678	TotalS	445.381.678

a Represented in part by unsurrendered convertible debenture certificates, &c., which have been called for conversion into stocks, as explained in previous reports.—V. 147, p. 102.

Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. System—Earnings—
[Includes Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe Ry.—Panhandle & Santa Fe Ry.

Period End. July 31— 1938—Month—1937 1938—7 Mos.—1937
Railway oper. revenues. \$16,906,929 \$18,821,711 \$85,412,499 \$99,907.032
Railway oper. expenses. 10,144,344 12,427,899 68,526,022 79,055,304
Railway tax accruals... x1,273,137 x1,808,794 y8,458,991 y7,070,851
Other debits or credits... Dr257,248 Dr26,077 Dr952,985 Dr256,840

Net ry. oper. income. \$5,232,200 \$4,558,941 \$7,474,501 \$13,514,037
x Railway tax accruals for 1938 and 1937 include \$364,152 and \$341,983.

respectively, representing accruals under the Carriers Taxing Act of 1937

and the Unemployment Insurance Acts. y Railway tax accruals for 1938 and 1937 include \$2,445,382 and \$2,248,876, respectively, representing accruals under the Carriers Taxing Act of 1937 and the Unemployment Insurance Acts, with a credit in 1937 of \$2,234,363 adjusting accruals under the Railroad Retirement Taxing Act of 1935 —V. 147, p. 728.

Associates Investment Co.—Balance Sheet June 30-[Including wholly-owned subsidiary, Associates Discount Corp.]

[Incideing	1938		1938	1937
	1900	8	Liabilities \$	8
Assets-		•	Notes payable 22,850,000 4	12.343.500
Cash on hand &	0 140 404	8,372,487	Accts. pay. & accr.	
demand deposit	8 8,140,434	70 151 000	taxes1,342,175	1 486 609
Notes receivable	48,888,740	10,151,922	to Funda withhold	*1*00,000
Repossessed autos.	. 98,384	90,444	b Funds withheld	
Accts. receivable Invests. in subs			from automobile dealers 496,041	687,717
cos. (not consol.		696,931	Res. for losses on	
a Office furn. &			recs. & reposs'd	1 745 000
equipment		119,899	autos 1,222,483	1,745,369
Deferred charges		385,672	Unearned income. 2,522,365	4,534,788
Dolcii od ona Bossa			10-year 3% deb.,	
			due Dec. 1, '46-12,000,000 1	12,000,000
			5% cum. pref. stk.	
			(\$100 par) 6,000,000	6,000,000
			c Com. stk. (incl.	
			cap. surplus) 2,796,946	2,792,338
			Earned surplus 9,201,616	8,244,988
	FO 401 607	70 925 206	Total 58 431 627 7	79.835.309

a Depreciated value. b Generally held until collection of the related notes receivable. c Represented by 418,247 no-par shares in 1938 and 418,152 no-par shares in 1937. Note—Earnings for six months ended June 30 appeared in Volume 147, page 1183.

Associated Telephone & Telegraph Co.—Earnings 6 Months Ended June 30— 1938
Dividends and Interest received a\$561,095
Operating expenses and taxes 96,800 \$464,294 373,197 \$486,875 381,021 Net earnings______Interest and other deductions_____ \$91,097 35,975

| Balance Sheet June 30, 1938 | Assets— | Labilities— | Labilities— | Labilities— | 1,095,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000

Total \$25,598,151 | Total \$25,598,151 | \$25,598,151 | \$25,598,151 | \$4,050,805; \$4 preference cum, no par, \$1,194,300; class A, cum, at \$4 & partic., no par, \$2,231,482; and com. or ordinary, \$1 par, \$1,038,308. b For general contingencies.—V. 147, p. 412.

Atlantic Refining Co. (& Subs.)-Earnings-Net oper. income \$2,689,420 \$2,712,323 \$3,153,182
Prop. earns. affil. cos.
not consolidated 282,116 969,252 681,987 \$531,905 $\frac{12,233}{417,300}$ \$961,438 335,651 370,409 Interest 105,209
Minority interest 2,816 Net profit \$2.863.511 \$3.436.756 \$3.137.391 \$2.55.378

Preferred dividends 296.000 296.000 147.325
Common dividends 1,331.999 1,331.999 1,332.000 1,332.950

Surplus \$1,235.512 \$1,808.757 \$1,658.066 df\$1.077.572
Earns, per sh. on com \$0.96 \$1.18 \$1.12 \$6.09 \$3,137,391 147,325

Note—No provision made of surtax on undistributed profits.—p. 1183.

Baltimore Transit Co.--Earnings

[Including Baitimore Coach Co.] 1— 1938—Month—1937 1938—7 Mos.—1937 \$873,102 \$940,879 \$6,712,884 \$6,969,823 794,409 838,353 5,827,949 5,849,405 Period End. July 31-Operating revenues _____ Operating expenses _____ \$102,525 90,409 \$884,934 616,353 Net oper revenues ___ \$268,581 15,173 Operating income_____ def\$11,277 Non-operating income___ 1,608 \$12,116 1,554 Gross income def\$9,668
Fixed charges 5,441 \$283,754 38,925 \$13,670 5,398 \$244,829 \$393,052 353,077 235,243 \$9,585 \$39,975 Remainder

Baltimore & Ohio RR.—Institutional Investors Take Interest Cut—Details to Be Made Public After Plan Is Filed

with ICC—

Reaching of an agreement in principle with savings banks and insurance companies for a temporary reduction in the rate of interest on the company's bonds was announced Aug. 23 at the office of the company. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation, through Jesse Jones, its Chairman, already has indicated that the adjustment will need its approval. The exact terms of the adjustment will be made public in the petition to be filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission. In view of the semi-judicial character of the Commission, it is not the intention of the B. & O. to divulge details of the adjustment in advance of the filling of the petition.

On good authority, however, it was learned that the period of interest deferment would extend eight to ten years and that the plan contemplates the setting up of a sinking fund to provide for the retirement of funded debt. The latter step is in accord with recommendations of the ICC Discussing the plan, Daniel Willard, President of the B. & O., said that 'preservation of the principal and interest of those who have invested

their money in the Baltimore & Ohio RR. is the primary duty of the management of the company and that for this reason a plan for placing son e of its interest burden on a contingent basis has been considered."

Mr. Willard pointed out also that stockholders of the road already have contributed their share to the adjustment through a total lack of dividends for n any years. He noted also that the company s stock is of \$100 par value and that its issuance is controlled rigidly by its charter.

"It would have see ed n uch easier," continued Mr. Willard, "for the railroad to have sought recourse to Section 77 of the Bankruptcy Act rather than the slower n ethod of negotiations. However, such an action would have n eant that our security holders n ight be called on to sacrifice a part of their principal and n uch of their interest.

"Also, the delays attendant on legal procedure would mean that during a long period security holders n ight receive no return on their investment. It was for this reason, Mr. Willard said, that the n anages ent believed the better course was to seek a voluntary n ethod of adjusting interest payn ents. Moreover, Mr. Willard pointed out, having inn in dthe earning capacity of the road as den onstrated in the last 35 years, it was not unreasonable to expect that all interest would be earned and paid when sone general recovery in business occurs.

Earnings for Month of July and Year to Date
Period End. July 24— 1938—Month 1938-7 Mos.-1937

Perioa Ena. July 24-	1930-1410	1001	1000	
Operating revenues: Freight Passenger Mail Express All other oper. revenues	\$9,722,324 970,144 244,630 56,844 331,371	1,220,034 $256,422$	$$61,879,579 \\ 6,182,120 \\ 1,800,374 \\ 609,335 \\ 2,466,046$	$\$89,693,989 \atop 6,710,517 \atop 1,797,412 \atop 1,067,403 \atop 3,156,539$
Railway oper, revs	311,325,313 933,512 2,166,033 373,284 4,206,738	\$14,420,491 1,626,126 3,261,978 429,072 5,196,588	\$72,937,4548 6,566,821 16,368,027 2,608,282 30,351,170	\$\frac{102,432,160}{10,225,756}\; 24,128,177\; 2,859,951\; 35,345,437
Transporta'n-water line- Miscell. operations General expenses Transptn. for investm't-	119,696 410,907 <i>Cr</i> 143	$1\overline{66}, \overline{202}$ $426,098$ $Cr108$	2,927,134 Cr5,173	988,626 3,739,025 Cr2,454
Net rev. from ry. opers Railway tax accruals Equipment rents (net) _ Joint facility rents (net) _	\$3,115,286 838,560 271,482 155,102	\$3,314,535 937,086 228,121 115,890	\$13,166,815 6,237,088 1,400,062 1,165,203	\$25,147,642 6,595,319 1,717,559 1,137,466
Net ry. oper. income_	\$1,850,142	\$1,933,438	\$4,364,462	\$15,697,298

angor & Aroostook RR.—Earnings—

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Period End. July 31— Gross oper, revenues	1938—Mo \$264,226	nth—1937 \$269,082	1938—7 <i>M</i> \$3,922,838	os.—1937 \$3,973,737
Oper. exps. (incl. maint. and depreciation)	334,466	314,623	2,620,488	2,457,289
Net rev. from opers Tax accruals	def\$70,240 17,497	def\$45,541 Cr40,287	\$1,302,350 402,343	\$1,516,448 346,965
Operating incomeOther income	def\$87,737 21,113	def\$5,254 21,440	\$900,007 Dr20,178	\$1,169,483 Dr33,770
Gross incomeInterest on funded debt_ Other deductions	def\$66,624 63,053 3,194	\$16,186 59,017 3,474	\$879,829 428,609 13,964	\$1,135,713 413,158 14,107
Net income	lef\$132.871	def\$46.305	\$437,256	\$708,448

Note—Railway tax accruals for July 1937, included adjustment account repeal of Excise Tax Act of Aug. 29, 1935, credit to cancel accruals in 1936 \$64,988, and credit adjustment in rate for six months, January-June, 1937, \$8,615, a total of \$73,602.—V. 147, p. 883.

Bangor Gas Light Co.-Earnings

Years Ended June 30— Gross operating revenues Operating expenses	1938 \$142,173 111,791	\$134,878 \$134,688	\$134,503 100,424
Net operating income	\$30,382	\$38,189	\$34,079
	1,767	684	100
Gross income	\$32,149	\$38,873	\$34,179
Interest deductions	23,634	22,776	22,037
Provision for retirem't & replacem't	8,484	6,157	5,667
Net income	\$31	\$9,939	\$6,474

Baton Rouge Electric Co.—Preferred Stock Called-Merger Completed—See Gulf States Utilities Co.

Final Dividend—
Directors have declared a final dividend of 20 cents per share on the \$6 preferred stock, payable Sept. 12 to holders of record Sept. 12. Regular quarterly dividend of \$1.50 per share was paid on June 1, last.—V. 147, p. 1028.

(Ludwig) Baumann & Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

Years Ended June 30-	1938	1937	1936	1935
Net sales\$	2.291.070	\$13,260,510		\$9,276,518
a Cost of goods sold	11.556.064	11,515,850	9,595,266	8,179,857
Depreciation	186,330	185,255	170,460	157,688
Profit from red. & resale				
of Elbeco Realty Corp.				
bonds and notes	Cr18,421	Cr8,540	Cr16,855	Cr16,725
Bad accounts written off				****
and provided for	490,234	524,957	477,698	538,844
Interest paid	271,999	264,390	319,007	323,107
Prov. for Fed. inc. tax	5,500	149,433	48,941	12,156
Surtax on undist, profits		12,441		
Over-accrual exp. in pre-				
ceding year	Cr29,000			
4. 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10		2010 700	2000 000	201 701
Net profitlo	ss\$171,637	\$616,723	\$239,989	\$81,591
Earns. per sh. on 150,000		00.00	20 17	Mil
shares (no par) com	Nil			THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY OF THE
a Including selling, op-	erating, ad	ministrative	and other ex	cpenses, less

a Including sening, operating, miscellaneous income.

Comparative Balance Sheet June 30

	Compar	ative Baia;	nce Sheet dune 30			
	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937	
Assets-	\$		Notes payable			
Cash	291,214	302,604	Notes payable	369.968	477.940	
x Accts. receivable			Accounts payable.	309,900	477,940	
Inventories	946,188	1,398,441	Prov. for contin-	PF 12 1 1 1 1 1 1		
Cash surr. val. of			gent liability	820,000		
life insurance	87.742	43.720	Provis'n for taxes.	65,738	78,415	
Lease deposit		2.500	Conv. 7% cum. 1st			
Prepaid ins., int.,			pref. stock:	1.947.500	1.947.500	
	107.713	179 744	61/2 % non-cum. 2d			
supplies, &c		112,144	pref. stock	1.189.800	1.189.800	
Net worth of El-					178,000	
beco R'lty Corp.	1,805,642		y Common stock	170,000	113,000	
Fixed assets	333,271	356,693	Surp. arising from		Wagner C.	
Goodwill	1	1	reval. of invest.			
			of Elbeco Realty			
			Corp	1,800,642	1,809,726	
			Surp. approp. for			
	•	and the second	pref. stock sink-			
The state of the s			ing fund	300,000	300.000	
			Earned surplus	2 610 461	2,972,412	
			z Treasury stock	Dr40 064	-,,	
			Z I Teasury Stock	2, 10,001		

____12.692,045 13.099,587 Total _____12.692,045 13.099,587 *After allowance for doubtful accounts of \$940,042 in 1938 and \$946.513 in 1937. y Represented by 150,000 no par shares. z 439 shares of 1st pref. stock and 231 shares of voting trust certificates for 1st pref. stock, at cost.—V. 145, p. 4110. Bath Iron Works Corp.—Earnings

Bath Iron Works Corp.—Earnings—
6 Months Ended June 30—
Net income after charges, Federal income taxes, &c \$139,921 x\$69.737
x After losses amounting to \$194,527 on construction of five fishing trawlers and a ferryboat. Profits on construction of destroyers for the United States Navy amounted to \$284,151 for the six months ended June 30, 1937.
Uncompleted contracts amounted to \$16,025,037 as of June 30, 1938, and in July 1938, the company was awarded contracts for the construction of two destroyers for the United States Navy at an aggregate price of \$10,-134,000, subject to adjustments for material and labor costs.—V. 147, p. 413

Bessemer & Lake Erie RR.—Earnings-July—

Gross from railway

Ses 5.257

Net from railway

Net after rents

From Jan. 1—

Gross from railway

324,555

Net after rents

3440,238

258,140

Net after rents

Whet from railway

358,140

Net after rents

Whet from railway

368,140

Net after rents

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P. 147, p. 729. 1937 1936 \$2,328,090 \$1,747,822 1,561,097 1,084,434 1,252,907 799,424

Black & Decker Mfg. Co.—To Pay 25-Cent Common Div. Directors have declared a dividend of 25 cents per share on the common stock, payable Sept. 24 to holders of record Sept. 10. This will be the first dividend paid since Dec. 31, 1937, when a regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents per share was distributed.—V. 147, p. 1028.

Blue Ribbo Years End. June Profit for year Depreciation Fed. & prov. inc. t	30	1938 \$157,865 65,388 25,265	$-Earnings-1937 \ \$209,525 \ 73,441 \ 27,277$	1936 \$168,894 82,687 20,001	$^{1935}_{\$102,756}_{32,211}_{11,041}$
Net income Previous surplus_		\$67,211 127,292	\$108,807 78,185	\$66,206 71,678	\$59,504 71,874
Total surplus Preferred dividen		\$194,503 59,700	\$186,992 59,700	\$137,885 59,700	\$131,378 59,700
Balance, June 3			\$127,292 ince Sheet June	\$78,185	\$71,678
Assets— Cash x Accts, receivable Inventory Stocks & bonds of cust. cos z Land, buildings, mach. & equip. Tr. marks, patent	1938 \$16,192 518,522 948,724 50,110 1,704,915 4,756	1937 \$14,353 515,875 1,025,753 50,110 1,733,434	Bank advances Accts., pay., i Federal inc tax Mtge. on land Min.int.in sub Preferred stock y Common st	\$1938 \$406,906 nel., come 209,778 sub. 87,011 129,022 1,492,500 ock 83°,067	1937 \$472,892 201,983 93,011 190,612 1,492,500 83°,067 127,292

x After reserve. y Represented by 63,475 no par snares. 2 After reserve for depreciation of \$535,178 in 1938 and \$486,109 in 1937 —V. 147, p. 563. Birmingham Electric Co.—Earnings

Period End. July 31— 1938—Month—1937
Operating revenues— \$593,957 \$628,364
Oper. exps., incl. taxes—464,642
Amort. of limited-term
investments 1938—12 Mos.—1937 \$7,562,086 \$7,330,938 5,718,348 5,473,154 $\frac{2,201}{480,000}$ $\frac{311}{50,000}$ 314 40,000 $\frac{3,715}{670,000}$ Prop. retire. res. approps \$79,004 272 \$1,375,583 5.517 \$112,933 793 \$1,170,023 5,122 Net oper. revenues... Other income (net)..... \$1,381,100 549,000 51,684 Gross income_____ Int. on mortgage bonds_ Other int. & deductions_ \$79,276 45,750 4,366 Net income______\$29,160 \$63,608

× Dividends applicable to preferred stocks for the period, whether paid or unpaid_____ \$574,019 \$780,416 429,174 429,174

baiance \$144,845 \$351,242 x Dividends accumulated and unpaid to July 31, 1938, amounted to \$250,352. Latest dividends, amounting to \$1.75 a share on \$7 preferred stock and \$1.50 a share on \$6 preferred stock, were paid on July 1, 1938. —V. 147, p. 563.

Birmingham Fire Insurance Co. of Pa.—Smaller Div.—Company paid a dividend of \$1 per share on the common stock on Aug. 20 to holders of record Aug. 10. A dividend of \$1.50 was paid on Dec. 18, 1937 and on June 19, 1937.—V. 140, p. 1303.

Birmingham Gas Co.—Earnings— 12 Months Ended June 30— Gross operating revenues———————————————————————————————————	1938 \$2,116,985 1,448,538	1937 \$2,074,299 1,503,176
Net operating incomeNon-operating income	\$668,444 19,155	\$571,123 11,047
Gross income	\$687,600 354,580 27,765 194,542 6,184 aCr65,204	\$582,171 375,686 18,726 213,602 7,747 aCr65,216
Net incomea Received on account of prior years' accruals	\$169,731 \$22,489	\$31,626 \$20,100

Boston Fund, Inc.—Earnings-

Statement of Income for Fisc [Exclusive of gains or losse Income—Dividends Interest		\$80,492 693
TotalExpenses		\$81,185 13,709
Net income	and manuschages of ganital	\$67,475
Portion of net proceeds from sales a stock representing participation in	undivided earnings	22,980
TotalUndivided earnings, Aug. 1, 1937		\$90,455 3,265
Total Distributions aggregating 68c. a share		\$93,721 68,341
Undivided earnings, July 31, 193 Balance Sheet	July 31, 1938	\$25,379
Assets— x Securities, at market quota- tions\$1,968.675	Accrued expenses	\$2,349 347
Cosh 392.058	Due to brokers	35,974 20,176 25,379 721,720 1,557,023
Total\$2,362,968		32,362,968

x Cost \$2,068,121. y Authorized 1,000,000 shares of a par value of \$5 ch; outstanding 144,344 shares. z Exclusive of undivided earnings. V. 146, p. 729.

Boston & Maine RR.—Earnings

Period End. July		Ionth1937	1938—7 M	fos.—1937
Operating revenues Operating expenses	\$3,277,571 2,425,197	\$3,851,400 2,884,009	\$22.615,458 18,219,927	\$28,128,265 20,192,891
Net operating retards. Equipment rents (1) Joint fac, rents (dr	Dr) 312,997 175,027	\$967,391 289,143 179,750 13,515	\$4,395,621 2,183,563 1,291,452 62,295	\$7,935,374 2,131,854 1,331,933 83,869
Net ry oper, inco	me \$353,086 116,207	\$484,983 143,669	\$858,311 710,578	\$4,387,718 679,376
Gross income Total deductions int. &c	(rtls.	\$628,652 623,586	\$1,568,889 4,354,259	\$5,067,094 4,407,322
Net income	def\$151,221	\$5,066	df.\$2785,370	\$659,772

Brazilian Traction, Light & Power Co., Ltd.-Earns.

Reeze Corporations, Inc.—Sales—Outlank—

Net sales for the first six months ended June 30, 1938, were \$1,290.624, excluding subsidiaries, as compared with \$772.227 for the same period of 1937; and, including subsidiaries, were \$1,526,967, as compared with \$1,204.361 for the same period of 1937.

The net sales for the seven months ended July 31, 1938 were \$1,505,728, excluding subsidiaries, as compared with \$863,775 for the same period of 1937: and, including subsidiaries, were \$1,785,913, as compared with \$1,346,541 for the same period of 1937.

The unfilled orders on hand as at June 30, 1938, for this corporation, amounted to \$1,640,441 and, including subsidiaries, were \$1,771,773.

Shipments for July, 1938, were \$215,104, excluding subsidiaries, and, including subsidiaries, were \$258,946. Shipments for July, 1937, excluding subsidiaries, were \$1,771,73.

J. Mascuch. President, says:

Business of this corporation has improved considerably for 1938 over that of 1937, and it is confidently expected that the business for the last six months of this year will show a considerable improvement over that of 1937.

The above figures do not take into consideration sales made by Breeze

that of 1957, and the six months of this year will show a considerable important page 1937.

The above figures do not take into consideration sales made by Breeze Corp. of Great Britain, Ltd., in which this corporation has a 40% interest. This corporation is preparing an amendment to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission to conform with its regulations, so that the stop order may be lifted. The listing of the shares of this corporation on the New York Curb Exchange is not affected.—V. 147, p. 1029.

Initial Preferred Dividend—

Initial Preferred Dividend—

Comparison

Brown Oil Corp.—Initial Preferred Dividend—
Directors have declared an initial semi-annual dividend of \$3 per share on the 6% cumulative preferred stock payable Agu. 31 to holders of record Aug. 22.—V. 147, p. 264.

Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co.—Options—
Company has notified the New York Stock Exchange that the options previously granted to S. E. Meyers and C. G. Bonner to purchase 500 shares each of common stock were canceled May 26, 1938, and that new options were granted to said ontionees to purchase 500 shares each of common stock at a price of \$11 per share from time to time during a period of two years from June 1, 1938, that as of the same date an option was granted to William C. Lawson to purchase 500 shares on the same terms, and that the option granted to Harold Wessel, Vice-President, to purchase 6,000 shares, of which 500 shares were taken up in 1937, expired on June 30, 1938.—V. 147, p. 1029.

Budd Wheel Co.—Participation Dividend—
The directors have declared a participating dividend of 25 cents per share in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of \$1.75 per share on the 1st pref. stock, both payable Sept. 30 to holders of record Sept. 16. Similar payments were made on June 30 and March 31, last, Dec. 31, Sept. 30 and on June 30, 1937.—V. 147, p. 1029

Bush Terminal Co.—To Return Bonds—
The Corporate Trust Department of Guaranty Trust Co. of New York is now prepared to return Bush Terminal Co. consolidated mortgage 5% gold bonds due Jan. 1, 1955, upon surrender of certificates of deposit accompanied by payment of \$12.79 for each \$1,000 principal amount of bonds so withdrawn.—V. 147, p. 730.

Calamba Sugar Estate—40-Cent Extra Dividend—
The directors have declared an extra dividend of 40 cents per share in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 40 cents per share on the common stock, par \$20, both payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 15. An extra of 60 cents was paid on Jan. 3, last. See also V. 145, p. 3341.

Cambria & India	na RR.	Earnings-	•	
July—	1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross from railway	\$83,961	\$81,322	\$98,256	\$68,403
Net from railway	22,088	13,047	27,302	4,984 54,523
Net after rents	57,598	61,529	60,386	04,020
From Jan. 1— Gross from railway	627.331	739.861	683.946	628,145
Net from railway	144.526	277,030	66,076	181,054
Net after rents	397,832	554,374	408,644	524,268
V 147 p 731				

California Water & Telephone Co.—Bonds Offered—Blyth & Co.; H. M. Byllesby & Co.; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.; Wm. Cavalier & Co., and Central Republic Co. are offering at 100 and interest \$400,000 1st mtge. bonds, 5% series of 1935.

offering at 100 and interest \$400,000 1st mtge. bonds, 5% series of 1935.

Dated Sept. 1, 1935: due Sept. 1, 1965. Interest payable M. & S. Company may at its option redeem all or any of the bonds, at any time, upon 30 days' notice, at principal amount thereof and int. to date of redemption, plus a premium of 5% of principal amount if red. on or before Sept. 1, 1940 and thereafter at a premium of 4% of principal amount reduced by 1-5 of 1% of such principal amount for each full year which shall have elapsed after Sept. 1, 1940, to date of such redemption.

**Company—Company was incorp. in California on Dec. 27, 1926, under name of Sweetwater Water Corp. On Aug. 20, 1935 name changed to California Water & Telephone Co. Company, an operating public utility, is encaged principally in the business of supplying and selling water for domestic, agricultural and industrial purposes and in the telephone business. The proportion of gross operating revenue derived from each class of business, for the year ended Dec. 31, 1937, was approximately as follows: Water service, 64%. Telephone service. 36%

The principal territories served are in four general geographical areas in California, namely, the Monterey Peninsula, parts of Los Angeles County, parts of San Bernardino and Riverside Counties, and portions of the San Diego Bay region.

**Purpose—Net proceeds, exclusive of accrued interest, to be received by the company from the saie of the bonds, after deducting the estimated expenses of the company in connection with such sale, are expected to approximate \$378.560. "Company intends to use such net proceeds for: (1) Partial reimbursement of treasury for sums expended from Jan. 1, 1935 to May 31, 1938 for net additions to plant totalling \$829,772, which net additions to the extent of \$304.401 (after making provision in the amount of \$65.625 for the instalment due the special trust fund on Juny 1, 1938) have not been used as the basis for the issuance of bonds or for any other purpose under the provisions of the Indenture secu

I		Stated Period		5 Mos End.
Operating revenues Operating expenses	\$1,274,588	\$1,397,843 752,254	\$1,422,923 803,383	May 31, '38 \$529,442
Net income from oper Other income (net)	\$529,819 1,299	\$645.589 2,899	\$619,541 2,443	\$185,360 615
TotalOther deductions	\$531,119 14,020	\$648,487 15,916	\$621,984 19,050	\$185,975 6,584
Balance Interest Amort. of debt dis. & exp Fed. tax. on bd. int. &c Charges to constr. acc. Federal income taxes.	\$517,099 225,053 4,737 1,199	\$632,572 251,109 9,909 1,015 Cr9,088 41,232	\$602,934 255,334 10,010 1,172 Cr665 34,530	\$179,391 109,651 4,234 518
Net income	nes of the senich they had noiscoicago San Franci Francisco	ve severally	agreed to p	urchase, are\$140,000\$0,000100,00040,000

Canada & Dominion Sugar Co., Ltd.—Initial Dividend on New Shares-

Directors at their recent meeting voted a dividend of 12½ cents per share on the larger amount of no par common shares now outstanding pay able Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 15.

Company's stock had recently been split up on a three-for-one basis. A regular quarterly dividend of 37½ cents per share was paid on the smaller amount of stock previously outstanding on June 1, last.—V. 147, p. 884.

Canadian National Ry.—Earnings-

Canadian Pacific Ry.—Earnings—

Earnings for Week Ended Aug. 31
1938
1937
2,617,000 \$2,562,000 Increase \$55,000

Carolina Power & Light Co.-Earnings-

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Period End. July 31— Operating revenues— Oper. exps., incl. taxes— Prop. retire, res. approp.	1938—Mon \$986,698 534,959 90,000	th—1937 \$977,487 549,020 90,000	1938—12 1 \$12,142,188 6,188,964 1,130,000	5,922,911
Net oper. revenues Other income (net)	\$361,739 194	\$338,467 764	\$4,823,224 23,195	\$4,855,348 33,020
Gross income Int. on mortgage bonds_ Other int. & deductions_ Int. charged to constr'n_	\$361,933 191,667 6,291	\$339,231 191,667 6,002	\$4,846,419 2,300,000 74,595 Cr817	\$4,888,368 2,300,000 70,036 Cr481
Net income	preferred sto	\$141,562 cks for the	\$2,472,641 1,255,237	\$2,518,813 1,255,237
Balance			\$1,217,404	\$1,263,576

Carpenter Steel Co.—Interim Dividend—
The directors have declared an interim dividend of 10 cents per share on the common stock, par \$5, payable Sept. 20 to holders of record Sept. 10. Like amounts were paid on June 20 and on March 21, last; dividends of 25 cents were paid on Dec. 20, and on Sept. 20, 1937; a final dividend of \$1 was paid on June 20, 1937, and an interim dividend of 25 cents was paid on March 20, 1937.—V. 146, p. 3662.

St was paid on June 20, 1937, and an interim dividend of 25 cents was paid on March 20, 1937.—V. 146, p. 3662.

Carrier Corp.—To Issue \$2,500,000 Debentures and Increase Capital Stock—New Directors—

Stockholders will vote on Sept. 12 on a financing program recommended by the directors, comprising an issue of \$2,500,000 of 10-year convertible debentures. Negotiations are proceeding with underwriters for distribution of the debentures, the proceeds of which will be used to pay off \$1,500,000 in bank loans and provide working capital. The debentures will be convertible into common stock.

It is proposed further to change the authorized capital stock from 500,000 shares of no par value common to 700,000 of \$1 par value to provide for conversion of debentures and for future needs. As a result of the change in par value an excess of \$4,855,986 in the capital account will be carried to capital surplus.

The company will be able to charge against capital surplus a net deficit of \$952,138 on July 31. It is expected that the changes will remove restrictions now existing against the payment of dividends on the stock, and permit dividends subject to the terms of the contemplated indenture, and as net earnings warrant.

In addition, the company proposes to charge against capital surplus \$150,000 for design, development and research accounts, and \$600,000 patent account, carried on the books at these figures since 1932 and 1930, respectively.

Herbert E. Smith, Vice-President of the United States Rubber Corj. Fred F. Hoyt, Comptroller, and M. E. Snyder, Treasurer of the Carrier Corp., have been elected directors to succeed Howard P. Ingels, Clifford Hemphill and E. O. Wampler, who resigned. No one has been elected to the vacancy on the board cussed by the resignation of Bayard F. Pope, Chairman of the Marine Midland Corp.—V. 147, p. 1029.

Caterpillar Tractor Co.—Balance Sheet July 31—

			Date Control of Control of	weg or	
F1.	1938	1937		1938	1937
Assets—	\$	\$	Liabilities—	S	8
Cash	5,846,892	4.907.248	Accts. payable	1.548.784	3,026,669
a Notes, warrants			Accrued payroll &		0,000,000
& accts. receiv1	0.079.806	15,179,272	expenses		606,223
Inventories (est.)_1	6.337.366	16.503.764	Res. for Fed taxes	1 472 381	2,415,420
Pats., trade-marks			Divs. payable		
& goodwill	1	1	5% preferred stk.	1,000,000	
b Land, bldgs			(\$100 par)	11 515 200	6 014 776
mach'y & equip_2	0.443.405	18,938,215	d Common stock	9 411 200	0 411 200
c Miscel's prop'ys_		59.765	Capital surplus	13 733 577	13 733 577
Pre'd ins., tax., &c	43,916	26,910	Earned surplus	13 528 535	20 407 310
Total5	2,751,387	55,615,176	Total	52.751.387	55 615 176
a Less reserves.	b After	PASSETVA fo	r depresention of	10 010 00	20 tm 1000
\$11,695,120 in 193	7. c At	estimated	realizable values	Donne	m 1938,
1,882,240 no par s	hares.	COULDING	rounzable values.	d Repre	sented by

Note—The income account for 12 months ended July 31 was given in "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, page 1185.—V. 147, p. 1185.

Company has been upheld by the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in two suits on its Dreyfus patent covering the manufacture of fused collars and other permanently stiff fabrics which do not need starch.

The Celanese management expects that substantial royalties and back royalty payments will be eventually received as a result of the court decision. The first sul. decided was fought by the Celanese Corp. of America against the Essley Shirt Co., in which it was charged that the defendants had inringed the Dreyfus patent. In this case the lower court upheld the pacent, but ruled that the Essley company had not infringed. The Circuit Court

likewise upheld the Dreyfus patent but reversed the lower court in the matter of infringement.

In the second suit the Circuit Court upheld the lower court in the action brought by the Trubenizing Process Corp. against F. Jaconson & Sons, in which the latter company was held to be infringing the Dreyfus patent. In both cases the majority opinions were written by Juage H. B. Chase, with Judge A. N. Hand concurring. The third member of the Court, Judge Learned Hand, filed a dissenting opinion.—V. 147, p. 884.

Central Arizona Light & Power Co.-Earnings-

Period End. July 31— Operating revenues Oper. exps. incl. taxes Amortiz, of limited-term	1938—Mot \$350,133 252,174	nth—1937 \$353,255 240,455		## 1937 \$3,747 008 2,527,487
Prop. retire't res. approp	2.913 20,000	2,979 31,500	35,026 330,200	35,765 301,270
Net oper. revenues Other income (net)	\$75,046 10,010	\$78,321 11,383	\$895,445 135,113	\$882,486 151,606
Gross income Int. on mtge. bonds Other interest Int. charged to construc_	\$85,056 18,958 1,058	\$89,704 18,958 777	\$1,030,558 227,500 11,108 Cr5,137	\$1,034,092 297,563 7,670 Cr3,293
Net income Dividends applicable to period, whether paid	preferred sto	\$69,969 ocks for the	\$797.087 108,054	\$732,152 108,054
Balance			\$689,033	\$624,098

Central Maine Power Co.—Earnings

OWEL CO.	Bull honey.	0	
1938—Mon \$570,899	**************************************	1938-12 A \$6,639,657	## 1937 \$6,870,613
	197,041 57,597	2,420,277	2,409,876 685,000
4,166 34,849	3,927 29,068	39,302 344,249	28,547 $245,021$
\$277,908 3,761	\$269,621 3,642	\$3,136,536 43,286	\$3,502,169 38,993
\$281,669 110,200 4,195 15,498	\$273.263 107,142 6,171	\$3,179,822 1,290,336 42,438	\$3,541,162 1,315,310 64,470
\$151,776	\$144,986	\$1,623,796	\$1,858,203 1,297,182
	\$38-Mor \$570,899 194,927 59,049 4,166 34,849 \$277,908 3,761 \$281,669 110,200 4,195 15,498	1938—Month—1937 \$570.899 \$557.254 194.927 197.041 59.049 57.597 4.166 3.927 34.849 29.068 \$277.908 \$269.621 3.761 3.642 \$281.669 \$273.263 110.200 107.142 4.195 6.171 15.498 \$14.964	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$

Note—Preferred dividends have been paid at one-half the regular rate since Oct. 1, 1934, and arrearage for the quarters ended Sept. 30, 1934; Dec. 31, 1934; March 31, 1935; June 30, 1935; Sept. 30, 1935; Dec. 31, 1935, and March 31, 1936, were paid on Jan. 1, 1937; April 1, 1937; July 1, 1937; Oct. 1, 1937; Jan. 1, 1938; April 1, 1938, and July 1, 1938, respectively.—V. 147, p. 1030.

Central Power Co

Period End. June 30— Operating revenues Oper. exps. & taxes	1938—3 <i>M</i> \$367,456 276,916	U	1938—12 M \$1,568,992 1,165,292	os.—a1937 \$1,539,941 1,120,898
Net oper. incomeOther income (net)	\$90,540 3	\$97,790 1	\$403,699 177	\$419,043 528
Gross income Int. & other deductions_	\$90,543 63,747	\$97,791 64,887	\$403,877 258,940	\$419,571 264,264
Net incomea Adjustments made su	\$26,796 absequent to	\$32,904 June 30, 19	\$144,937 but applie	\$155,307

periods ended that date have been given effect to in these figures

a Adjustments made subsequent to June 30, 1937, but applicable to the periods ended that date have been given effect to in these figures Offers to Sell Properties to Federal Projects—

The company partially owned by Middle West Corp., has offered to sell its electric and water properties in certain Nebraska cities to governmentally sponsored and financed power projects, provided they can meet certain terms and conditions. The company has not as yet been advised as to the willingness or ability of the projects to meet the proffered terms. In a letter which was forwarded to the Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District, the Platte Valley Public Power and Irrigation District late last month, the company outlined the conditions under which it would enter a contract of sale.

By Sept. 1 these public ownership projects were to procure consent or acquiescence of the governing bodies of Grand Island, Kearney, and Nebraska City together with that of other cities which might object to the sale. The public authorities were also to obtain approval of the sale by at least 90% of the bondholders and their deposit of the bonds in exchange for repayment at par plus accrued interest to date of repayment.

They also are to obtain consent of at least 90% of the preferred stock to he sale and the deposit of that stock in exchange for full payment thereof, plus dividends thereon from the date the last dividend was paid to the date of payment therefor but no payment is to be made for accumulated unpaid preferred dividends. The offer to sell also calls for consent of 90% of the common stockholders to the sale. Cities involved are to be given 90 days notice before any contract of sale is entered into.

Prior to making a formal offer of sale to the power and irrigation projects as to the price the former would accept for their equity interest therein.—V. 147, p. 107.

Central Vermont Public Service Corp. - Earnings-

		CI VICE CO	. P. Duin	cityo
Period End. July 31-	1938-Mon		1938-12 A	
Operating revenues Operating expenses	$$176,992 \\ 113,476$	\$180,917 107,146	\$2,157,029 1,286,325	\$2,107,397 1,117,213
State & municipal taxes_	13,013	14,406	150,888	156,878
Fed. taxes (incl. income)	1,289 7,694	8,592	14,726 93,716	8,097 60,198
Net oper. income Non-oper. income (net)_	\$41,520 912	\$49,777 573	\$611,374 3,652	\$765,011 3,500
Gross income	\$42,432	\$50,350	\$615,026	\$768,511
Bond interest	20,417	20,417	245,000	249,436
Other interest (net) Other deductions	$\frac{1,138}{1,756}$	1,830	$\frac{10,602}{21,713}$	Cr236 75,423
Net income	\$19,121	\$28,035	\$337,711	\$443,888
Pref. div. requirements. V. 147, p. 564.	18,928	18,928	227,134	227,136

Charleston Transit Co.—Interest Payment—
An instalment of contingent interest, amounting to 2½% of the principal amount, on the outstanding general mortgage and adjustment bonds has been declared due and payable in cash, at Central Trust Co., Charleston, W. Va., on Sept. 1, 1938, upon the presentation and surrender of Coupon No. 11.—V. 147, p. 416.

Chesapeake Corp.—Corrected Dividend—
Company paid a dividend of 35 cents per share on the capital stock on July 15 (not Aug. 1, as stated in the "Chronicle" of July 2, page 108) to holders of record July 11 (not July 15). Previously regular quarterly dividends of 75 cents per share had been distributed.—V. 147. p. 885.

Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. of Virginia—
Bonds Called—
This company has elected to redeem and pay off, on Nov. 1, 1938, all of its outstanding first mortgage bonds issued under and secured by the indenture executed by it to Old Dominion Trust Co., Inc., trustee, dated April 30, 1913. Payment of said bonds will be made at the principal office of State-Planters Bank & Trust Co. (fiscal agency of the company) in Richmond, Virginia, at the rate of 103 and accrued interest, as provided in said indenture.—V. 146, p. 1705.

Chicago & Illino	is Midlan	d RyE	arnings-	
July— Gross from railway	1938 \$311,102	1937 \$311,964	1936 \$328,328	\$267,026
Net from railway	95,554 59,761	91,953 69,221	141,375 119,349	76,397 63,166
From Jan. 1— Gross from railway Net from railway	1,960,759 524,359	2,254,290 759,854	2,006,183 680,388	1,894,625 562,260
Net after rents	350,946	534,906	575,733	501,455

Chicago Milwaukee St. Paul & Pacific RR.—Merger with Chicago & North Western Suggested—See latter company below.—V. 147, p. 733.

Chicago & North Western Ry.—Merger of North Western and Milwaukee Suggested by Stock Committees—

and Milwaukee Suggested by Stock Committees—
A proposal to consolidate the Chicago & North Western Ry. and the Chicago Milwaukee St. Paul & Pacific RR. into a new and closely-integrated system has been laid before the managements of both roads for comment before formal submission to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Sponsors of the merger are the committees for the North Western's common stock and for the Milwaukee road's preferred stock. Savings in operating expenses, it is estimated, would exceed \$10,000,000 under the program.

Details of the plan were withheld. It was emphasized, however, that in its present form the merger details are purely tentative, "because not only must they be criticized by the managements but by a number of other interested parties before a final draft appears."—V. 147, p. 886.

Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co.—Earnings-Period End. June 30— 1938—3 Mos.—1937 1938—6 Mos.—1937 y Net profit after all chgs \$153,908 \$440,321 \$375,192 \$861,458

y Net profit after all chgs \$153,908 \$440,321 \$370,192 \$601,320 y Before Federal surtax on undistributed profits and exclusive of profits earned in foreign countries having exchange restrictions.—V. 146, p. 3330. Chicago Rock Island & Pacific Ry.—Earnings

\$76,941 \$1,653,489

Citizens Utilities Co. (& Subs.)--Earnings [Exclusive of Central America Power Corp.]

Period End. June 30— 1938—Month—1937 1938—12 Mos.—1937

Operating revenues—— \$161,107 \$161,541 \$1,950,456 \$1,819.368

Oper. rev deductions— 112.917 119.231 1,446.746 1.354.797 \$42,310 2,188 \$503,709 10,745 \$464,571 18,572 Operating income....Other income..... \$48,189 350 \$514,455 332,906 7,977 5,219 1,341 \$44,498 27,746 \$483,143 329.853 \$48,539 27,741 9,853 8,144 5,287 137 681 400 64 Cr509 Cr1,057Net income..... * Earnings per share... \$15,706 \$0.06 \$168,067 \$0.67 \$20,161 \$0.08

V. 147, p. 265. x On 252,520 shares of common stock .-Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co. (& Subs.)—Balance Sheet

June 30				
1938 193	7 1	1938	1937	
Assets— S S	2 -	Liabilities— \$	\$	
x Land, buildings,		6% cum. pf. stock24,288,200	24,617,600	
mach. & equip20,330,635 20,166	.088	v Common stock 24,535,087	24,534,772	
Cash11,384,184 7,323		Bank loans foreign		
Marketable securs. 1,793,774 3,845		subsidiaries 522,780	494,868	
z Notes & accounts	,	Accounts payable 2,543,315	3,078,278	
receivable10,477,156 10,003			3,738,190	
Inventories 22,574,544 27,459	660	Prov. for taxes 3.190,842	3,681,949	
Deferred charges 1,420,449 1,565	151	Def. liabil. & res. 2,890,383	2,974,829	
Invest. & advs 609,596 629	.076	Minority interests 1,131,978	1,140,467	
Palmolive building 2,398,171 2,422	504	Earned surplus 7,922,100	9,153,277	
Goodwill, patents,	100-			
trademarks, &c. 1	- 1			
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____70,988,509 73,414,231 Total__ 70,988,509 73,414,231 Total 70,988,509 73,414,231 Total 70,988,509 73,414,231 After depreciation. y Represented by 1,962,807 no par shares excluding 37,163 in treasury. z After reserve for doubtful accounts of \$1.325,872 in 1938 and \$1,215,702 in 1937. Note—Ear ints for 6 months ended June 30 appeared in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20 page 1188.—V. 147 p. 1188.

Columbus & Greenville Ry.-Earnings Columbus & July—
Gross from railway
Net from railway
Net after rents
From Jan. 1—
Gross from railway
Net from railway
Net from railway
Net after rents
—V. 147, p. 734. 1938 \$93,139 13,635 7,388 1937 \$102,766 4,290 def7,013 654,435 78,457 34,030

Commonwealth Edison Co.—\$30,000,000 Bonds Offered—A Nation-wide banking group headed by Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., offered Aug. 25 \$33,000,000 1st mtge. 3½% bonds, series I, due June 1, 1968, at 103½ and accrued int. Other leading members of the group of 88 underwriters are: Brown Harriman & Co., Inc.; Glore, Forgan & Co.; Harris, Hall & Co., Inc.; Lee Higginson Corp.; Lehman Brothers; A. G. Becker & Co., Inc.; Bonbright & Co., Inc.; Central Republic Co.; The First Boston Corp.; Kidder, Peabody & Co., and F. S. Moseley & Co.

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The same group which has underwritten the \$33,000,000 first mortgage bonds is also underwriting any unsubscribed portion of \$39,250,000 convertible debentures, 3½% series due 1958, the right to subscribe to which will shortly be offered to stockholders. The debentures will be convertible after Sept. 1, 1938 and at or before maturity into shares of the company at the conversion price of \$25 per share, which price is subject to adjustment in certain cases as provided in the indenture. Subscription warrants will be issued to stockholders of record (other than Commonwealth Subsidiary Corp.) at the close of business Sept. 2, 1938 evidencing rights to subscribe for the debentures at 100 on the basis of \$5 principal amount of debentures for each share held. The subscription warrants, which will be transferable, will expire at 3:00 p. m. Chicago Daylight Saving Time, Sept. 21, 1938.

Company—Does substantially all the electric public utility business in Chicago. It also controls, through direct and indirect stock ownership, Public Service Co. of Northern Utilities Co., Super-Power Co. of Illinois, Northern Utilities Co., Super-Power Co. of Illinois, Chicago District Electric Generating Corp., Chicago & Illinois Midland Ry., and Commonwealth Subsidiary Corp.

Dated June 1, 1938; due June 1, 1968. Principal and int. (J. & D.) payable at office or agency of company in Chicago and New York. Definitive

bonds will be in coupon form in the denom. of \$1,000, registerable as to principal only, and in fully registered form in denom. of \$1,000 and authorized multiples thereof. Red. as a whole at any time, or in part from time to time, at the option of company, on 40 days' notice by payment of principal amount thereof, accrued int., and a premium of 6½% of such principal amount if redeemed on or before May 31, 1939; with successive reductions in such premium of ½ of 1% on June 1 of each of the years 1939 to and incl. the year 1962; with a further reduction in such premium of ½ of 1% on each of the dates Dec. 1, 1962 and June 1, 1963; and if redeemed on or after June 1, 1963, without premium. It is expected that bonds in definitive form will be ready for delivery on or about Aug. 31, 1938.

Issuance—Authorized by Illinois Commerce Commission.

on or after June 1, 1963, without premium. It is expected that bonds in definitive form will be ready for delivery on or about Aug. 31, 1938.

Issuance—Authorized by Illinois Commerce Commission.**

Purposes of Issues

Proceeds of the 1st Morlange 314 % Bonds, Series I—Net proceeds to company from the sale of the \$33,000,000 bonds of series I will aggregate \$33,500,000, exclusive of accrued int, but after deducting expenses estimated at \$145,000. Of such net proceeds, \$33,000,000 will be deposited in trust with the trustee under the mortgage and will be applied to the following purposes: For redemption of \$15,000,000 1st mortgage 4½ % bonds, series C. due April 1, 1956, at 110.

*For redemption of \$15,000,000 1st mortgage 4½ % bonds, series B. 16,500,000 The \$350,000 balance of such net proceeds will be placed in the general funds of the company and used for general corporate purposes.

Proceeds of the Connertible Debentures, 3½ % Series due 1958—The gross proceeds of the Connertible Debentures, 3½ % Series due 1958**—The gross proceeds will be applied toward the following purposes or to reimburse the company for funds hereafter applied to such purposes.

For redemption of \$29,410,000 bonds of Public Service Co, as follows:

8.250,000 1st & ref. mtge.5 % bonds due Oct. 1, 1956 at 110.

principal amount

8.250,000 1st lien & ref. mtge. 5% bonds, series C, due May 1, 1966 at 104—principal amount**

8.250,000 1st lien & ref. mtge. 5% bonds, series I, due July 1, 1960 at 104—principal amount**

8.250,000 1st lien & ref. mtge. 5% bonds, series I, due July 1, 1966 at 104—principal amount**

8.250,000 1st lien & ref. mtge. 5% bonds, series I, due July 1, 1966 at 104—principal amount**

8.250,000 1st lien & ref. mtge. 5% bonds, series I, due July 1, 1960 at 104—principal amount**

**8.250,000 1st lien & ref. stocks of Illinois Northern Co, held by the public as follows:

**8.250,000 1st lien & ref. stocks of Illinois Northern Co, held by the public as follows:

**8.250,00

Authorized

----7,850,320 shs.196,258,000

Preferred Stocks of Company's Substituties Held by the Public at July 31, 1938

[Adjusted to Reflect the Proposed Redemption of the Preferred Stocks of Illinois Northern Co. and Chicago District Co.]

Outstanding on

—Above Basis—
Aggregate
Shares Par Value ## Western United Co.—

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igitized for FRASER tp://fraser.stlouisfed.org/ to the issuance of any debentures upon exercise of subscription warrants with respect to any shares of the company's stock issuable after July 31, 1938, pursuant to the exchange offers or upon conversion of any of the debentures authenticated on July 1, 1938. The principal amount of debentures thus issuable with respect to shares which may be issued pursuant to exchange offers is \$3,134,425. Conversion of any of the debentures authenticated on July 1, 1938, would reduce the principal amount of debentures outstanding by more than the principal amount to be offered with respect to the shares issued upon such conversion. Accordingly, the maximum principal amount of debentures which may be outstanding upon the issuance of the debentures now being offered is \$81,499,625. c Part or all of these bonds may be redeemed by application of part of the proceeds of the debentures being offered.

Earn	Year	y for Stated I rs Ended Dec 1936	31	12 Mos. End. June 30, '38
Operating revenues Operating exp. & taxes	122,396,200 86,710,137	130,744,241 96,312,057	140,120,882 102,361,274	140,080,289 102,948,867
Net operating income_ Other income	35,686,063 1,203,469	34,432,184 1,143,701	37,759,608 1,172,869	37,131,422 1,393,713
a Gross income Consolidated Annual Int Total interest and divi	erest and Di	vidend Char	ges:	38,525,135 - \$8,277,628
Company: Net interest charges				10,402,139

Underwriters

The names of the several underwriters and the principal amount of bonds of Series I and the percentage of unsubscribed debentures agreed to be purchased by them, respectively, are as follows: Bonds Debentures

Halany Stuart & Co. Inc. Chicago	2 700 000	Depentures
Brown Harriman & Co. Inc. New York	3,700,000 2,550,000	11.28% 7.79% 3.33% 3.33%
Glore Forgan & Co. Chicago	2,550,000 1,100,000 1,100,000 1,100,000 900,000 900,000 900,000	3 3307
Harris Hall & Co. Inc. Chicago	1,100,000	3 33 6
Lee Higginson Corp. Chicago	1 100 000	3 33 %
Lehman Brothers New York	1 100 000	3 33 %
A. G. Becker & Co., Inc., Chicago	900,000	3.33% 3.33% 2.73% 2.73% 2.73% 2.73% 2.73% 1.36%
Bonbright & Co., Inc., New York	900,000	2 73%
Central Republic Co., Chicago	000,000	2 73%
First Boston Corp., New York	900,000 900,000 900,000	2 73%
Kidder, Peabody & Co., New York	900,000	2.73%
F. S. Moseley & Co., Boston	900,000	2.73%
Bacon, Whipple & Co., Chicago	450,000 450,000	1.36%
Bancamerica-Blair Corp., New York	450,000	1.36%
Blair, Bonner & Co., Chicago	450,000 450,000 450,000	1.36%
Clark, Dodge & Co., New York	459,000	1.36%
Coffin & Burr, Inc., Boston	450,000	1.36% 1.36%
Goldman, Sachs & Co., New York	450,000 450,000 450,000	1.36%
Hayden, Stone & Co., New York	459,000	$1.36\% \\ 1.36\%$
Hempfill, Noyes & Co., New York	450,000	1.36%
Hornblower & weeks, New York	450,000	1.36%
Today burg The brown & Co. March 1	450,000	1.36% 1.36%
W. C. Langley & Co., New York	450,000	1.30%
Largerd France & Co., New York	450,000	1.36%
Paine Webber & Co. Rostor	450,000	$\frac{1.36\%}{1.36\%}$
E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc. New York	450,000 450,000 450,000 450,000 450,000 450,000 450,000	1.36%
Schroder Rockefeller & Co. Inc. New York	450,000	1 3807
J. & W. Seligman & Co., New York	450,000 450,000 450,000	1.36% 1.36%
Stern, Wampler & Co., Inc., Chicago	450,000	
Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc., New York	450,000	1.36% $1.36%$ $1.36%$
G. H. Walker & Co., St. Louis	450,000	1.36%
White, Weld & Co., New York	450,000	1.36%
Dean Witter & Co., San Francisco	450,000	1.36%
Mitchell, Hutchins & Co., Chicago	250,000	.76%
A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc., Chicago	200,000	.61%
Ames, Emerich & Co., Inc., Chicago	200,000	.61%
Alex. Brown & Sons, Baltimore	200,000	.61%
H. M. Byllesby & Co., Inc., Chicago	200,000	.61%
Dominick & Dominick No., Chicago	200,000	.61%
Fetabrook & Dominick, New York	200,000	.61%
Graham Parsons & Co., New York	200,000	61%
Hallgarten & Co. New York	200,000	61%
Newton, Abbe & Co. Boston	200,000	.61%
Schoellkopf, Hutton & Pomeroy Inc. Mary York	450,000 450,000 450,000 250,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000	.61%
Schwabacher & Co., San Francisco	200,000 200,000 200,000 200,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	.61% .61%
Speyer & Co., New York	200,000	.61%
Spencer Trask & Co., New York	200,000	.61%
Wertheim & Co., New York	200,000	.61%
Babcock, Rushton & Co., Chicago	100,000	.30%
Alfred L. Baker & Co., Chicago	100,000	.30%
J. E. Baker & Co., New York	100,000	.30%
Baker, Weeks & Harden, New York	100,000	.30%
Bartlett, Knight & Co., Chicago	100,000	.30%
Cassatt & Co., Inc., Philadelphia	100,000 100,000 100,000	.30%
R. L. Day & Co., Boston	100,000	.30%
Diele & Morle Craith D., Chicago	100,000	.30%
Fastman Dillon & Co. No.	100,000	.30%
Edgar Ricker & Co., New York	100,000	.30%
Equitable Securities Corp. Markett	100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	.30%
Farwell, Chapman & Co. Chicago	100,000	.30%
First Cleveland Corn. Cleveland	100,000	.30%
Fuller, Cruttenden & Co. Chicago	100,000	.30%
Carter H. Harrison & Co., Chicago	100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	.30%
Hickey & Co., Chicago	100,000	300
Hoyne, Mellinger & Co., Chicago	100,000	30%
Jackson & Curtis, Boston	100,000	.30%
Kean, Taylor & Co., New York	100,000	.30%
Laurence M. Marks & Co., New York	100,000	.30%
Charles II May & Co., San Francisco	100,000	.30%
G. M. P. Morris & Co., Inc., Chicago	100,000	.30%
Nichols Torry & Diskinger Tork	100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	.30%
Otis & Co., Cleveland	100,000	.30%
Arthur Perry & Co. Inc. Boston	100,000	.30%
R. W. Pressprich & Co. New York	100,000	.30%
Putnam & Co., Hartford	100,000	.30%
Riter & Co., New York	100,000	.30%
Securities Co. of Milwaukee, Inc., Milwaukee	100,000	.30%
Sills, Troxell & Minton, Inc., Chicago	100,000	.30%
Smith Bros. & Co., Chicago	100,000	.30%
Straus Securities Co., Chicago	100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	.30%
Stroud & Co., Inc., Philadelphia	100,000	.30%
Thrall West Company, Minneapolis	100,000	.30%
Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., Chicago Brown Harriman & Co., Inc., New York. Glore, Forgan & Co., Chicago. Harris, Hall & Co., Inc. Chicago. Lee Higginson Corp., Chicago. Lee Higginson Corp., Chicago. Lee Higginson Corp., Chicago. Lehman Brothers, New York. A. G. Becker & Co., Inc., Chicago. Bonbright & Co., Inc., New York Central Republic Co., Chicago. First Boston Corp., New York. Kidder, Peabody & Co., Boston. Bacon, Whipple & Co., Chicago. Bancamerica-Blair Corp., New York F. S. Moseley & Co., Chicago. Bancamerica-Blair Corp., New York Blair, Bonner & Co., Chicago. Clark, Dodge & Co., New York. Goffin & Burr, Inc., Boston. Goldman, Sachs & Co., New York. Hemphill, Noyes & Co., New York. Hemphill, Noyes & Co., New York. Hornblower & Weeks, New York. Illinois Company of Chicago, Chicago. Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co., New York. W. C. Langley & Co., New York. Paine, Webber & Co., Boston. E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., New York. Paine, Webber & Co., Bostor. E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., New York. Schnoder Rockefeller & Co., Inc., New York. Stern, Wampler & Co., Inc., New York. Stern, Wampler & Co., Inc., Chicago. Stone & Webster and Bodget, Inc., New York. Stern, Wampler & Co., San Francisco Mitchell, Hutchins & Co., Chicago. Alex. Brown & Sons, Baltimore. H. Walker & Co., San Francisco Mitchell, Hutchins & Co., Chicago. Ames, Emerich & Co., Inc., Chicago. Ames, Emerich & Co., New York Bestabrook & Co., New York Castatre H. Ally Stern & Co., Chicago. Alfred L. Baker & Co., Chicago. Alfred L. Baker & Co., Chicago. Alfred L. Baker & Co., Chicago. Alfred	100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	.30%
winting, weeks & Knowles, Inc., Boston	100,000	.30%
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\$33,000,000 100.00% Consolidated Balance Sheet-June 30, 1938, (Including Subs.)

Compoundation		Liabilities—	
Assets—		Liuouues-	
a Tangible properties \$64	2,957,960	Capital stock (\$25 par)	\$195,582,975
Intangibles 2	3,138,837	Minority interests:	
Cash & securities on deposit		Common stocks	2,749,320
with trustees	771,412		312.243
	1,1,112	Preferred stocks of subs	20,370,200
Investments—at cost or less	0 010 000	Funded debt	400,101,700
	2,318,090	Funded debt	
Cash on hand and demand	9 4 2 3 1 2 1 5	Accounts payable	3,771,848
deposits 4	4,705,586	Accrued interest	5,118,335
Deposits for bond int., etc	1.563.609	Accrued taxes	19,664,213
U. S. Govt. obligs., at cost	2.192.124	Customers' deposits	1,753,264
		Pref. stock divs. of subs	315.713
		Divs. pay. on com. stocks	2,450,255
		Sundry current & def. liabs.	2,700,513
Prepaid ins., taxes & exps	993,803		
	9,746,568	Reserves—Depreciation	113,914,134
Other deferred charges	1,371,354		
	7 1 7 2 2	taxes	6,826,512
	1 1 2 2 1	Insurance & reserves	2,528,958
	100	Contribs. in aid of constrn.	996.739
		Earned surplus	28,586,770
	1	Earned out plus	20,000,110
	F F40 000	70.44	2007 742 609
Total\$80		Total	

a Including \$6,921,081 of uncompleted construction on postponed power plant projects—estimated cost to complete \$17,060,000.

Rights Given Stockholders to Subscribe to Debentures, the Total Not to Exceed \$50,208,745-

Total Not to Exceed \$50,208,745—
Directors on Aug. 18 authorized the offering to stockholders of the right to subscribe pro rata at par to not less than \$39,251,600 or more than \$50,208,745 principal amount of additional convertible debentures, 3½% series due 1958. Each \$100 of debentures will be convertible into four shares of the company's stock of the par value of \$25 each, subject to the limitations of the indenture under which the debentures will be issued. A registration statement covering the proposed issuance of the debentures has been filed with Securities and Exchange Commission. Illinois Commerce Commission has authorized the issuance of the additional debentures. Subscription warrants will be issued to stockholders of record at the close of business Sept. 2, 1938. These warrants will evidence rights to subscribe for \$5 principal amount of debentures for each share of stock held on that date. Since the debentures will not be issued in denoms, of less than \$100, subscriptions will have to be made in multiples of \$100. The rights of stockholders to subscribe will expire on Sept. 21, 1938, and subscriptions will be payable in full on or before that date.

Debenture Holders Notified of Conversion Rights—

will be payable in full on or before that date.

Debenture Holders Notified of Conversion Rights—

A notice has been sent by company to subscribers to its convertible debentures, 3½% series, due 1958 stating as follows:

Company's outstanding convertible debentures may be converted on an after Sept. 1, 1938, at the rate of four shares (par \$25) for each \$100 of debentures. Debentures may be surrendered for conversion either at the office of the company, 72 West Adams St., Chicago, Ill., or at the office of City Bank Farmers Trust Co., 22 William St., New York City. Debentures may be forwarded to either address prior to Sept. 1, 1938, with instructions to convert on that date.

Debenture holders who surrender their debentures for conversion before the close of business Sept. 2, 1938, will be stockholders of record at the close of business on that date, and thus will be entitled with other stockholders to receive warrants evidencing the right to subscribe to additional convertible debentures of the 3½% series due 1958.

Weekly Output—

Cluett, Peabody & Co., Inc.—Interim Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 15 cents per share on the common stock, no par value, payable Sept. 26 to holders of record Sept. 15. A like amount was paid on May 2, last and previously quarterly dividends of 25 cents per share were distributed.—V. 147, p. 1030.

Commonwealth Securities, IncEd	rnings-	•
6 Mos. Ended June 30— Income from dividends Interest expense General expense	1938 x\$ 18,332 16,975	1937 \$58,235 1,303 16,380
Net profit exclusive of security transactions	\$1,357	\$40,552

| Net profit exclusive of security transactions | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 | \$1,307 \$2,332,609 \$4,397,344 Total_. ---\$2,332,609 \$4,397,344

x Represented by 318,428 no par shares. y Par \$1.—V. 146, p. 1236. Commonwealth & Southern Corp. (& Subs.)—Earns.

Gross income______\$3,890,530 \$4,040,119 \$52,204,758 \$55,140,626 Int. & other fixed chgs__ 3,344,437 3,258,548 39,862,110 39,479,714 Net income_____ y Divs. on pref. stock___ \$546,093 749,796 \$781,571 \$12,34?,647 \$15,660,911 749,866 8,997,347 8,997,349

Balance def\$203,704 \$31,705 \$3,345,300 \$6,663,562 x Includes provision for Federal surtax on undistributed profits for 1936 and 1937. y Reflects deduction for full preferred stock dividend requirement at the rate of \$6 per share per annum. Dividends were paid in full Jan. 1, 1935, and at the rate of \$3 per share per annum since that date.

Accumulated Dividend—

The directors on Aug. 23 declared a dividend of 75 cents per share on the preferred stock, \$6 series, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 9. A payment of like amount (which is one-half of the regular rate) was made in each of the 13 preceding quarters.—V. 147, p. 1189.

Community Power & Light Co. - Sale of Bonds-

Community Power & Light Co.—Sale of Bands—
The Securities and Exchange Commission on Aug. 16 approved the application of Community Power & Light Co., a registered holding company and its wholly owned non-utility subsidiary, Southwestern Electric Co., for the sale of \$300,000 New Mexico Utilities Co. 5% general mortgage bonds, due Nov. 1, 1955, to William Rosenblatt, 27 William St., New York, N. Y., at 92½% net, together with accrued interest.

The applicants have stated that they desire to sell such 5% general mortgage bonds to enable Southwestern Electric Co. to pay a note given to Community Power & Light Co. for advances which were made by that

company. Community Power & Light Co. has stated that it intends to use the funds obtained through the repayment of this loan, together with other funds, to lend to its utility subsidiaries in order to enable them to carry out certain construction work. The application states that funds are to be lent to the following subsidiaries in the stated amounts: Texas-New Mexico Utilities Co., \$736,620; Missouri Utilities Co., \$229,792; The Kansas Utilities Co., \$300,170.

William Rosenblatt, the purchaser, states that he is purchasing such bonds for investment and not for resale.—V. 147, p. 1031.

Consolidated Biscuit Co.—15-Cent Dividend—
The directors have declared a dividend of 15 cents per share on the common stock, payable Sept. 23 to holders of record Sept. 1. This compares with a dividend of 10 cents per share paid in preceding quarters.—V. 147, p. 1189.

Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y., Inc. - Definitive

The City Bank Farmers Trust Co., as trustee, has announced that beginning Aug. 25, 1938, it will be prepared to deliver 10-year 31/8% debentures, series due 1948, due April 1, 1948, in definitive form against the surrender and cancellation of temporary bonds.—V. 147, p. 734.

Consolidated Rendering Co.—Pays 70-Cent Dividend—Company paid a dividend of 70 cents per share on the common stock of no par value, on Aug. 22 to holders of record Aug. 15. Trevious distributions were as follows: \$1 on Nov. 1, Oct. 4 and Sept. 7, 1937; 50 cents on June 7 and March 1, 1937; \$12 on Dec. 21, 1936; \$1.50 on Nov. 16, 1936; \$1 on Oct. 12 and Aug. 10, 1936; \$1.50 paid on Sept. 14, 1936 and 25 cents distributed on June 1 and March 2, 1936 and Dec. 2, 1935, this last being the first dividend paid since Jan. 6, 1930 when \$1 per share was distributed.—V. 146, p. 274.

Consolidated Sand & Gravel, Ltd.—Earnings— Earnings for Year Ended March 31, 1938

Net operating profitIncome from investments		\$189,537 5,617
Total income_ Reserve for depreciation and depletion Provision for income tax	0	\$195,154 61,993 21,498
Net profitPreferred_dividends		\$111,663 57,015
Surplus		\$54,648
Investments 133,556 Accrued interest on invest 1,671	Accounts payable and accrued charges. Reserve for Federal and Provincial Income taxes	\$18,607 21,400 797,000 70,000 54,648 162,951

Total \$1,124,607 Total \$1,124,607 P a After reserve for doubtful accounts of \$9,000. b After reserve against appraisal increase and for depletion and depreciation of \$1,025,622. c Represented by 70,000 no par share.—V. 147, p. 735.

Consumers Power Co.—Earnings-

Period End. July 31— Gross revenue Oper. exps. and taxes Prov. for depreciation	1938—Mon \$2,816,809 1,569,544 335,500	nth —1937 \$3,021,402 1,655,774 335,500	x19,364,454	\$35,628,003	
Gross income Int. & other fixed chgs	\$911,765 390,497	\$1,030,128 365,217	\$13,840,148 4,499,207	\$14,112,855 4,244,943	
Net income Divs. on pref. stock Amort. of pref. stk. exp_	\$521,267 285,389 65,278	\$664,911 285,532 65,278	\$9,340,941 3,413,375 783,339	\$9,867,912 4,139,708 261,113	
Ralance	\$170,600	\$314,100	\$5,144,226	\$5,467,091	

x No provision was made in 1936 or 1937 for Federal surtax on undistributed profits as all taxable income was distributed.—V. 147, p. 735.

Continental Baking Corp.—Recapitalization Postponed—
It is reported that this company is abandoning, for the time being, its plans for readjustment its capital structure. Some time ago a committee of directors was formed to consider plans for recapitalization with the idea of refunding the \$40,090,000 8% preferred so as to reduce dividend charges and if possible leave a greater equity in earnings for the class A shares.

After exploring a number of suggested plans directors were unable to find any which they believe would be acceptable to stockholders and also be of substantial benefit to the company in saving overhead charges.—V. 147, p. 735.

Continental Can Co., Inc.—Stock Offered—Blyth & Co., Inc., recently distributed a block of 15,000 shares of common stock at the Aug. 16 closing price on the New York Stock Exchange plus commission.—V. 147, p. 567.

Continental-Diamond Fibre Co.-Earnings

Period End. June 30-	1938—3 A	los.—1937	1938—6 M	081937
Sales, less returns, allow- ances, &c	\$965,305	\$1,903,054	\$1,949,833	\$3,859,566
Cost of sales exclusive of depreciation Sell., admin. & gen. exp_	875,127 $226,563$	1,392,011 266,878	1,807.066 458,609	2,799,728 533,439
LossOther income (net)	\$136,385 4,546	a\$244,165 3,715	\$315,842 9,142	a\$526,399 7,429
Loss bef. depr., &c Prov. for depreciation Prov. for income taxes Res. for adva. to partial- ly-owned subsidiary,	\$131,839 62,136 4,396	a\$247,880 71,152 32,291 2,000	\$306,700 124,130 6,296	a\$533,828 140,363 64,840 5,000
Net lossEarns, per sh. on cap.stk	\$198,371 Nil	a\$142,437 \$0.31	\$437,126 Nil	a\$323,625 \$0.71

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Net current assets on June 30, 1938 amounted to approximately \$2,-467,000 of which \$401,000 represented cash.

During the six months ended June, 1938 there were purchased, for the treasury 6,000 shares of capital stock for \$41,692. There are now 55,000 shares of stock in the treasury of the company.—V. 146, p. 3332.

Corrugated Paper Box Co., Ltd—Pref. Dividend Deferred Directors at their recent meeting decided to defer action on payment of dividend ordinarily due at this time on the 7% preferred stock. A dividend of \$1.75 per share was paid on June 1, last.—V. 143, p. 268.

Courtauld's, Ltd.—Interim Dividend—
Company paid an interim dividend of four cents per share on the American Depository Receipts for registered stock on Aug. 23 to holders of record July 19.—V. 147, p. 417.

Crowell Publishing Co.—Dividend Reduced—
Directors have declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the common stock, payable Sept. 24 to holders of record Sept. 14. Previously regular quarterly dividends of 75 cents per share were distributed.—V. 146, p. 2846.

Crown Cork International Corp.—25—Cent Class A Div.

The directors have declared a dividend of 25 cents per share on account of accumulations on the \$1 cum. class A stock, no par value, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 10. Like amount was paid on July 1 and Jan. 3 last; a dividend of 75 cents was paid on Oct. 1, 1937; dividends of 25 cents were paid in each of the six preceding quarters; on Dec. 20, Aug. 30, and May 22, 1935, and on Dec. 21, 1934, and 50 cents paid on March 30, 1934, and Nov. 1, 1933. The last regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents per share was paid on April 1, 1931.—V. 146, p. 3332.

Crown Zellerbach Corp. (& Subs.) - Earnings-

3 Months Ended July 31-	1938	1937
Sales, net of returns, discounts, allowances, outward freight, &c	\$11,732,900	\$14,172,051 357,389
TotalCost of goods sold	8,145,781 $1,417,072$	9,007,906 1,479,625 835,363
Profit from operations Dividends from Fibreboard Products, Inc	\$1,352,316 117,232	\$3,002,853 x308,880
Total Interest paid on bonds and on notes payable issued in connection with redemption of bonds and debs. Other expenses net of other income. Minority stockholders' proportion, Pacific Mills, Ltd. Provision for United States and Canadian income taxes.	220,023 36,126 10,474	106,873 17,039
Net profit for the period. Earnings per share on 2,261,199 common shares. x This amount represents the net equity in Fibreboard Products, Inc., and its subsidiaries.—	\$970.055 \$0.13 consolidated	\$2,507,711 \$0.81 earnings of

Crucible Steel Co. of America—\$10,000,000 Bonds Offered—Public offering by means of a prospectus of a new issue of \$10,000,000 of 10-year sinking fund 4½% debentures, series A, was made Aug. 24 by a banking syndicate headed by Hallgarten & Co. The debentures mature Aug. 1, 1948, and are priced at 99¼% and accrued interest. Associated with Hallgarten & Co. in the offering are Brown Harriman & Co., Inc.; Blyth & Co., Inc.; A. G. Becker & Co., Inc.; Hayden, Stone & Co., Paine, Webber & Co.; Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.; Schoellkopf, Hutton & Pomeroy, Inc.; H. M. Byllesby & Co., Inc.; Granbery, Marache & Lord; Hemphill, Noyes & Co.; G. M.-P. Murphy & Co.; Otis & Co., and Tucker, Anthony & Co.

Byllesby & Co.; Gr. M.-P. Murphy & Co.; Otis & Co., and Tucker, Anthony & Co.

Dated Aug. 1, 1938; due Aug. 1, 1948. Coupon debentures in the denom. of \$1,000, registerable as to principal. Coupon debentures and registered debentures interchangeable. Interest payable Feb. 1 and Aug. 1. Redeemable, other than for sinking fund, at company's option, as a whole at any time, or in part from time to time, on at least 30 days' notice by publication, at 105% if red. prior to Aug. 1, 1940, on and after Aug. 1, 1942, at 104%; on or after Aug. 1, 1942, and prior to Aug. 1, 1942, at 104%; on or after Aug. 1, 1944, and prior to Aug. 1, 1944, at 103%; on or after Aug. 1, 1944, and prior to Aug. 1, 1944, at 103%; on or after Aug. 1, 1944, and prior to Aug. 1, 1940, on at fitter and after Aug. 1, 1944, and prior to Aug. 1, 1940, on at least 30 days notice by publication of the sinking fund on a proper dependent of through operation of the sinking fund on proper dependent of Proper depend

forms, including not rolled and cold drawn bars, sheets that record rolled strip, forgings, wire, and specialties such as navai ordinance and magnets.

The other alloy and carbon steels are produced in open hearth furnaces and are sold in various forms, including blooms and billets; hot rolled, cold drawn and heat treated bars; rough upset forgings; rolled shapes; and specialties such as agricultural shapes, springs, and forging blanks for axles and for steering knuckles.

Substantially all of the coal and coke and all of the basic pig fron required in the steel manufacturing operations are produced by subsidiaries, and in addition surplus pig fron, coke and by-products of coke are sold. Nearly all of the iron ore requirements are purchased under contract from Snyder Minling Co., 50% of the capital stock of which is owned by the company. All of the normal limestone requirements for blast furnace operations are purchased under contract by a subsidiary from Lake Erie Limestone Co., which has no cot porate affiliation with the company but which, under the contract, is given the right to possession of the limestone quarries owned by such subsidiary. A substantial portion of the iron and steel scrap and all of the low phosphorous and Bessemer pig iron required are purchased in the open market. Other raw materials, such as tungsten, nickel, chromium, manganese, tin, copper, molybdenum, vanadium and cobalt, some of which are mined principally in foreign countries, are also purchased in the open market.

Funded Debt and Capitalization as of June 30, 1938

Earnings Summary

	Gross Sales	b Operating	Depreciation	b Operating
Calendar	Less Discounts,	Income Before	and	Income After
Years-	Returns, &c.	Deprec. & Depl.	Depletion	Depr. & Depl.
1933	\$19,427,682	\$1.597.294	\$1,228,274	\$369,020
1934	27.376.240	2.001.361	1,285,217	716.144
1935	32.713.346	3,328,361	1.345.215	1.983.146
1936	46,624,121	5.802.537	1.445.503	4.357.034
1937	59.852,703	7.269.189	1,630,886	5,638,303
1938 a	12,716,948	c590,333	771,232	c1.361.566
	s ended June 30.	b Operating in		

Hallgarten & Co., N. Y_____\$2,000,000 | Schoeilkopf, Hutton & Pome-

Dionia Laurinaum & Co., Inc.,	1 10y 1 1110, 11. Lunesusses	000,000
N. Y 2.000.00	00 H. M. Byllesby & Co., Inc.,	
Blyth & Co., Inc., N. Y 2,000,00	O Chicago	200,000
	O Granbery, Marache & Lord.	
Hayden, Stone & Co., N. Y 500.00	0 N. Y	200.000
Paine, Webber & Co., N. Y 600.00	0 Hemphill, Noyes & Co., N. Y.	200,000
Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.,	G. M. P. Murphy & Co., N.Y.	200,000
N. Y 500,00	O Otis & Co., Cleveland	200,000
	Tucker, Anthony & Co., N.Y.	200,000

Consolidated Balance Sheet June 30, 1938

Assets-	Liabilities—	
Property, plant & equipm't_a\$82,981,476	7% preferred stock	\$23,880,000
Goodwill, pats., trademarks,	Common stock	44,519,778
Inv. in & advs. to Snyder	Notes payable-banks	2.000,000
	Accounts payableAccrued accounts	895,840
	Bonds due Mar. 1, 1939	
Co.'s common stock held for	c Contingent liability	
issuance to officers & empl's 204,000 Cash 2,475,063	Reserves for fire, marine and	376.427
	accident insurance Earned surplus	
Accounts receivable b1.879,467	Capital surplus	7.250.453
Inventories 14,213,580		.,_50,100
Deferred charges 294,892		

\$106,387,592 Total____ \$106.387.592 a After depreciation of \$35,918,736 and depletion of \$1,290,191 reserve of \$271,381. c Credits relating to company's common for issuance under employment agreements.—V. 147, p. 1032. stock held

Cumberland County Power & Light Co.—Earnings-[Including Cumberland Securities Corp. and Berwick & Salmon Falls

E	lectric Co. fe	or all periods	1	
Period End. July 31-	1938-Mon	th-1937	1938-12 A	fos.—1937
Operating revenues Operating expenses State & nunicipal taxes Social security taxes Fed. taxes (incl. income)	\$369,861	\$392,348	\$4,618,085	\$4,712,425
	214,840	230,730	2,669,982	2,723,166
	31,264	30,783	365,908	364,029
	3,421	3,014	36,418	23,797
	21,100	25,848	301,798	162,703
Net oper, income	\$99,236	\$101,973	\$1,243,979	\$1,438,730
Non-oper, income (net)_	6,307	5,564	58,236	56,536
Gross income	$$105,543 \\ 32,749 \\ Cr157 \\ 12,732$	\$107,537	\$1,302,215	\$1,495,266
Bond interest		33,729	397,680	436,069
Other interest (net)		9	Cr19,986	1,989
Other deductions		11,994	174,746	269,688
Net income_	\$60,219	\$61,805	\$749,775	\$787,520
Pref. div. requirements_	29,165	24,580	319,896	281,214

Stock Dividend—
The Maine Public Utilities Commission has authorized this company to pay a stock dividend of 7,500 shares of common stock, no par value, and to charge the stock dividend against existing surplus at the rate of \$100 a share. There are 47,199 shares of common stock outstanding, over 99% of which is owned by the New England Public Service Co.—V.147, p. 570.

Dakota Power Co.—Issuance of Securities-

The Interstate Commerce Commission has approved the issuance and sale of \$250,000 of general mige. 7% gold bonds, (now first mige. bonds), \$337,000 of 4% promissory notes due April 1, 1956, and 13,222 shares of common stock (\$10 par) to General Public Utilities, Inc.—V.146, p. 3332.

David & Frere, Ltd .- Extra Dividend-

Directors have declared an extra dividend of 10 cents per share in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 15 cents per share on the class A stock, both payable Sept. 30 to holders of record Sept. 15.—V. 146, p. 1238.

Decca Records, Inc.—Registers with SEC—See list given on first page of this department.

Dallas Power & Light Co.-_Farnings_

Period End. July 31-	1938-Mon	ith-1937	1938-12 M	os.—1937
Operating revenues Oper. exps. incl. taxes Prop. retire. res. approps Accident res. approp'n	\$617,243 324,532 73,475	\$603,298 314,726 78,366	\$6,620,912 3,473,509 535,193 5,451	\$6,369,013 3,315,763 679,049
Net oper. revenues Other income	\$219,236 60	\$210,206 45	\$2,606,759 563	\$2,374,201 1,676
Gross income Int. on mtge. bonds xOther int. and deduct's	\$219,296 46,667 39,909	\$210,251 46,667 32,141	\$2,607,322 560,000 431,136	\$2,375,877 753,583 82,395
Net income Divs. applic. to pref. stks for the period, whether	\$132,720	\$131,443	\$1,616,186	\$1,539,899
paid or unpaid			507,386	507,386
Balance			\$1,108,800	\$1,032,513

x Includes amount required to amortize debt discount and expense over the life of the outstanding debt plus an additional amortization of \$34,500 and \$27,000 for the respective one month periods and \$364,500 and \$27,000 for the respective 12 month periods covered by this statement.—V. 147, p. 570.

Dallas Ry. & Terminal Co.—Earnings—

Period End. July 31—	1938—Mon	th—1937	1938—12 M	os.—1937
Operating revenues	\$239,123	\$251,521	\$2,994,967	\$3,057,514
Oper. exps. incl. taxes.	183,004	197,246	2,304,442	2,303,520
Prop. retire. res. approp	15,310	11,622	197,622	110,367
Net oper revenues Rent for lease of plant.	\$40,809	\$42,651	\$492,093	\$643,627
	15,505	15,505	186,063	186,063
Operating incomeOther income	\$25,304	\$27,146	\$306,840	\$457,564
	1,666	1,041	21,480	12 500
Gross income	\$26,970	\$28,187	\$328,320	\$470,064
Interest on mtge. bonds_	23,515	23,852	284,602	286,230
Other deductions	2,239	2,265	25,812	24,896
Net income	\$1,216	\$2,070	\$17,906 103,901	\$158,938 103,901
Balance ** Dividends accumulate	ed and unpa	aid to July	def\$85,995	\$55,037

\$493,530. Latest dividend amounting to \$1.75 a share on 7% preferred stock was paid on Nov. 1, 1933.—V. 147, p. 736.

Delaware & Hudson Co.—Sells New York Central Stock Company, it is understood, has disposed of about 90,000 New York Central RR, shares acquired in the stock market some years ago. The brings company's holdings to about 320,000 shares.—V. 147, p. 1032.

Dennison Mfg. Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

Estimated Earnings for 6 Months Ended June 30, 1938 Profit before depreciation
Provision for depreciation \$22,000 228,000 Loss ______ Dividends on debenture stock_____ Balance, deficit___ \$363,000

Assets—

Assets—

Cash. \$599,000
Finance note receivable. 100,000
Trade notes & accts. re., net. Merchandise & mat's (est.). 3,149,000
Investments, &c. | 181,000
Investments, &c. | 181,000
Goodwill, patents, trademarks, &c. (net). 1,027,000
Deferred charges. 169,000

Total. a Estimated Balance Sheet June 30, 1938 (In Nearest Even Thousand Dollars) \$20,000 552,000 187,000 8,580,000 868,000 ___\$10.207.000 Total Total \$10,207,000

Total \$10,207,000 Total \$10,207,000 a Unaudited figures prepared from books without verfication by physical inventory. b Capital stock (net outstanding, exclusive of treasury stock): Debenture, \$3,929,000; preferred, \$2,563,000; class A, \$907,000: management, \$793,000; employee, \$256,000; interim optional receipts, \$132,000, \$\$-V. 145, p. 4115.

 Detroit & Mackinac Ry.—Earnings

 July—
 1938
 1937

 ross from railway.
 \$70,889
 \$80,369

 te from railway.
 13,046
 12,818

 et after rents.
 5,389
 3,969
 Detroit & Maun.
July—
Gross from railway
Net from railway
Net after rents.
From Jun. 1—
Gross from railway
Net from railway
Net after rents.
—V. 147, p. 736.

Detroit Toledo & Ironton RR. -Earnings 1937 \$500,454 186,946 118,697 $\begin{array}{c} 1938 \\ \$346,568 \\ 103,110 \\ 71,284 \end{array}$ 1936 \$644,125 321,813 234,386

July—
Gross from railway
Net from railway
Net after rents
From Jan. 1—
Gross from railway
Net from railway
Net after rents
—V 147, p. 736. $\substack{2,792,611\\905,234\\540,000}$ Detroit & Toledo Shore Line RR.-Earnings | July - | 1938 | | 1938 | | 319,018 | | Net from railway | 39,575 | Net after rents - | def11,435 | From Jan. 1 - | Gross from railway | 1,323,950 | Net from railway | 513,200 | Net after rents - | 102,807 | - | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | | 102,807 | 1936 \$253,415 117,008 48,350 1935 \$216,647 95,339 42,030 $\substack{1937 \\ \$255,872 \\ 124,144 \\ 57,703}$ 2,305,084 1,293,817 681,106

Dewey & Almy Chemical Co.—Earnings

6 Months Ended June 30— 1938 1937
Sales \$1,764,983 \$2,291,264
Consolidated net profit after depreciation, Federal State and foreign taxes 77,620 290,700
-V. 146, p. 594; V. 145, p. 4115.

Dollar Steamship Lines, Inc., Ltd.—Plans to Resume Service—Two Loans Arranged—

Service—Two Loans Arranged—
The round-the-world service of the Dollar Line, which has been suspended for several weeks because of financial difficulties, will be resumed in midseptember after the company's ships have been renovated to conform to Federal safety requirements.

Bids have been asked of Atlantic Coast shipyards for the instalation of fire screens, fire doors and bulkheads and for the improvement of crews' quarters on the four ships which are tied up in New York. Bids will be asked on the Pacific Coast for similar work on six ships tied up there.

The Dollar Line service first encountered difficulties several months ago when the withdrawal of Federal mail subsidies reduced the company's operating funds to such an extent that the improvements required by the government's safety laws could not be financed.

The Maritime Commission announced Aug. 19 in Washington a plan calling for the transfer of Dollar securities which will give the government control of 90% of the company, the award of an operating differential which will give the line \$3,000,000 a year for five years, a loan of \$1.500,000 by the Commission and another loan of \$2.500,000 by the Reconstruction

which will give the line \$3,000,000 a year for five years, a loan of \$1.500,000 by the Commission and another loan of \$2.500,000 by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The loan by the Commission is to be used to finance the repair of the ships and the RFC loan is intended to provide working capital to supplement the company's funds, which are said to be depleted. The Dollar Line will continue to operate the ships for the government and it is expected that its organization will be continued without change.—V. 146, p. 4114.

Domestic & Foreign Investors Corp.—Earnings-

Years End. June 30— Divs. & int. received General expenses Interest paid on loans	1938 \$50,268 4,334 1,464	1937 \$65,349 3,991 3,769	1936 \$48,797 3,835 8,015	1935 \$45,535 4,440 4,924
Net profit	\$44,470	\$57,589	\$36,948	\$36,171
	Balance Sh	eet June 30	6.15 %	
Assets— 1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937
Cash \$41,544 Investments 1,139,892		Note payable		
Acct. receivable 3.411	1,596,150			
Acct. receivable 3,411		20-year 51/2 % del		
		x \$6 cum. pf. stoc		
		y Common stock		
		Deficit	_ 1,478,271	968,313
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Total \$1,184,848 \$1,621,687 Total \$1,184,848 Total

Dominion Stores, Ltd.—Sales-

Official Resigns-

W. F. Stewart has resigned as Vice-President and director of this company.—V. 147, p. 1191.

Douglas Aircraft Co.—Meeting Postponed—
Meeting of directors scheduled for Aug. 18 has been indefinitely postponed. Consideration was to be given dividend policy for the balance of the current fiscal year end ng Nov. 30.

Deferment of the meeting was stated to be due to the absence from the city of a number of directors. Present indications are that no meeting will be held until the next regular scheduled meeting in November.

Unless a special meeting is called in the meantime it now appears likely that any dividend action will be in the form of a year-end disbursement.

—V. 147, p. 418.

Duluth Missabe & Iron Range Ry.—Earnings—

July-	1938	1937	1936	1935	
Gross from railway	\$1,412,518	\$4.728.384	\$2,720,376	\$1.864.356	
Net from railway	808.974	3,674,459	1.933.019	1.196,608	
Net after rents		3.128.083	1.707.673	1.065.841	
From Jan. 1—		0,220,000	2,101,010	2,000,022	
Gross from railway	4.265.573	16.078.132	8,237,498	6.035.512	
Net from railway	292,449	10.130.971	3,891,688	2,378,924	
Net after rents	def113,363	8,214,915	2,805,873	1.807.237	
-V. 147, p. 736.		51.			

Duluth Winnipeg & Pacific Ry.—Earnings—

~ buty	1900	1937	1930	1930
Gross from railway	\$88,721	\$105,109	\$96.576	\$80.140
Net from railway	def13.642	8.360	def7.182	def19.783
Net after rents	def30,817	def6.828	def26.536	def34.127
From Jan. 1—				
Gross from railway	644.273	838.182	782.552	573,904
Net from railway	def36,830	171,810	113.979	def13,401
Net after rents	def190.074	7.173	def51.461	def105.021
-V. 147, p. 736.		.,,,,,	40101,101	dorroo,our

Duro-Test Corp.—Rights Extended—
The expiration date for the rights to subscribe to additional shares of common stock has been extended from the close of business on Aug. 29 to the close of business on Oct. 24. Accordingly, the final date for trading in such rights will be Oct. 22 instead of Aug. 27 and the rights will sell for cash on Oct. 20, 21 and 22, instead of Aug. 25, 26 and 27, the dates previously announced by the exchange.—V. 147, p. 1034.

Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates-Pref. Div. Omitted-

Trustees voted at their regular meeting to omit payment on the 4½% prior preference stock ordinarily payable Oct. 1. Dividends on this class of stock have been regularly paid since Oct. 1, 1929.

"The omission of any payment was decided upon in view of unfavorable earnings for the first seven months of 1938 and because of the uncertain immediate outlook," the trustees stated. "For the first seven months of 1938 earnings are approximately \$1,500,000 less than in the same period of 1937.

"To offset the unfavorable trend," the trustees announced, "every possible economy has been introduced including reductions in the salaries of the officers and of the office and administrative staff."—V. 147, p. 1034.

Eastern Massachusetts Street Ry.—Earnings—

Feriou Ena. July 31-	1930-Mon	<i>tn</i> -1937	1938—1 N	108.—1937
Railway oper. revenues_	\$490,547	\$524,126	\$3,727,129	\$3,913,563
Railway oper. expenses_	331,289	371,109	2,392,472	2,466.796
Net ry. oper. revenues	\$159,258	\$153,017	\$1,334,657	\$1,446,767
Taxes	41,980	41,572	302,348	286,281
Net after taxesOthe_income	\$117,278 5,655	\$111,445 5,664	\$1,032.309 35,966	\$1,160,486 43,626
Gross corp. income	\$122,933	\$117,109	\$1,068,275	\$1,204,112
Int. on fd. dt., rents, &c.	48,470	52,310	355,682	373,875
Depreciation	100,561	106,416	718,174	731,043
Net loss bef. prov. for retirement lossesV. 147, p. 737.	\$26,098	\$41,617	\$5,581	

Eastern Utilities Associates-Earnings-

12 Mos. End. July 31—	1938	1937
Operating revenues-subsidiary companies	\$8,192,940	\$8,689,332
Net earnings of subsidiary companies applicable to	***	
Eastern Utilities Associates	1.192.902	1.753.865
Other income of Eastern Utilities Associates	309.824	309.824
Balance for Eastern Utilities Assoc's divs & surplus	1.365.238	1.929.032
V 147 p 000.		

Ebasco Services, Inc.--Weekly Input-

For the week ended Aug. 18, 1938, the kilowatt-hour system input of the operating companies which are subsidiaries of American Power & Light Co., Electric Power & Light Corp. and National Power & Light Co., as compared with the corresponding week during 1937, was as follows:

compared with the corresponding	WOOD dut	me toot, non	do IUIIU Wo.	
		4.	Increase	e
Operating Subs. of—	1938	1937	Amount	%
Amer. Power & Light Co107	7.421.000	117.365.000	*9.944.000	*8.4
Elec. Power & Light Corp 57	7,222,000	61.808.000	*4,586,000	*7.4
Nat. Power & Light Co 82	2,307,000	79,034,000	3,273,000	4.1
* Decrease.—V. 147, p. 1191.				

Economy Grocery Stores Corp.—To Pay 25-Cent Div.—Directors have declared a dividend of 25 cents per share on the common stock, payable Sept. 10 to holders of record Aug. 27. A regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents per share was paid on April 15, last.—V. 147, p. 419.

Electric Bond & Share Co. -Costa RicaApproves Expropriation Plan—Cortes Favors Utility Seizure

Expropriation Plan—Cortes Favors Utility Seizure—Press dispatches from San Jose, Costa Rica, Aug. 10, had the following: "Congress passed a measure authorizing the Government to expropriate properties of the Electric Bond & Share Co. The vote was 40 to 1. The measure includes a grant of power to negotiate a loan to pay indemnity. Earlier, a Government-appointed commission from Congress had approved the porposal, which was advanced by Communist representatives. The commission said this was the only way to end difficulties with the North American corporation as a result of unification contracts which, it asserted, extend the period of new rate schedules until 1980. Several disputes have occurred between the company and the National Electric Board."

The organization in Costa Rica is the Costa Rica Electric Light & Traction Co., Ltd., owned by American & Foreign Power Co., Inc., an affiliate of the Electric Bond & Share Co. It operates in San Jose and 32 adjacent suburbs and communities, supplying light, power, transportation and telephone communication.—V. 147, p. 889.

Flectric Controller & Mfg. Co.—Dividend—

Flectric Controller & Mfg. Co.—Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 75 cents per share on the common stock no par value, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 12. Like amount was paid on July 1, last, and previously regular quarterly dividends of \$1 per share were distributed. In addition, an extra dividend of \$4 was paid on Dec. 20, 1937, and an extra dividend of \$2.50 per share was paid on Dec. 21, 1936.—V. 147, p. 889.

Emporium Capwell Corp. (& Sub.)-Earnings-

Emporium Capwell Corp. (& Sub.) — Earnings —
Period Ended July 31 — 1938—3 Mos.—1937 1938—6 Mos.—1937
Net sales of dept. stores. \$5,071,040 \$5,757,880 \$10,426,018 \$11,735,037
Net profit of units before Fed' taxes on inc.;
Department stores. loss65,276 107,079 56,883 292,564
Real estate used in depart. store operat'ns Real estate not used in dept. store operat'ns Gen'l admin. exp.—net. loss5,848 loss14,777 loss13,041 loss37,369
Gen'l admin. exp.—net. loss14,113 loss10,590 loss27,486 loss24,347

Net profit before Fed'l taxes on income____ Prov. for all Fed'l taxes (estimated) on income loss\$35,131 \$131,579 \$116,388 \$330,205 19,702 20,975 48.244 Net profit before accrd divs. to minority in-terests in subsidiary los Pref. stock of subsidiary Preference stock of sub__ s\$35,131 3,777 50,625 \$111,877 4,380 50,625 \$95,413 7,566 101,250 \$281,961 8,761 101,250 Consol. net profit___ loss\$89,533 Surplus balance begin-ning of period____ 2,722,780 \$56,872 loss\$13,403 \$171,951 3,420,191 2.652,244 3,408,326 Total Prem. on purch. of 7% pref. stk. of subsidiary Adjustm't of prior period taxes \$3,477,063 \$2,633,248 \$2,638,841 \$3,580,276 55 Cr6,580 Cr1,041 8,822

Surplus balance close of period______ \$2,536,614 \$3,365,028 \$2,536,614 \$3,365,028 \ V. 146, p. 3498. Erie RR.—Earnings-

(Inc	luding Chica	go & Erie R	(R)	
July— Gross from railway Net from railway Net after rents From Jan. 1—	1,015,698	\$7,196,897 1,985,133 1,315,971	1936 \$7,286,527 2,307,270 1,458,984	\$5,814,438 1,073,753 460,896
Gross from railway Net from railway Net after rents	5,624,376	50,612,952 15,232,698 9,640,222	47,215,865 13,578,470 8,694,646	42,137,714 10,498,744 6,445,232

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To Pay Trust Certificates

To Pay Trust Certificates—
The trustees for the road have filed petition in Federal Court, Cleveland, seeking permission to pay to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation before Aug. 25 a \$350.000 instalment and before Sept. 25 a \$153.000 instalment on the principal payment of \$503.000 due March 1 on \$11.833.000 trust certificates issued under the Erie RR. equipment trust of 1934. If payments are approved by the Court, the RFC will refrain for 90 days from Sept. 1 from taking any action to terminate leases on property covered or to accelerate maturity date of the certificates. Another principal payment of \$503.000 and dividends of \$226,600 fall due Sept. 1.—V. 147, p. 1034.

Ex-Cell-O Corp. -Dividend

Directors have declared a dividend of 10 cents per share on the common stock payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 12. Like amount was paid on July 1, last, and previously regular quar, dividends of 20 cents per share were distributed. In addition, an extra dividend of 30 cents was paid on Dec. 22, 1937. See also V. 145. p. 3496 for detailed record of previous dividend payments.—V. 147, p. 571.

Fall River Gas Works Co.—Earnings-

Period End. July 31—	1938—Mont	h—1937	1938—12 M	os.—1937
Operating revenues	\$66,104	\$66,944	\$887,965	\$867,980
Operation Maintenance Taxes	39,914 4,027 12,707	38,197 $5,724$ $11,795$	505,440 54,210 154,093	449,589 80,307 151,926
Ner oper. revenues Non-oper. inc. (net)	\$10,356	\$11,228 2	\$174,221 100	\$186,158 178
Balance	\$10,356	\$11,231	\$174,322	\$186,336
Retirem't reserv. accru_	5,000	5,000	60,000	60,000
Gross income	\$5,356	\$6,231	\$114,322	\$126.336
Interest charges	885	959	12,813	11,480
Net income Dividends declared —V. 147, p. 890.	\$4,471	\$5,271	\$101,509 105,889	

Fashion Co.—Earn	ings-		
Earnings for	6 Month	s Ended July 31, 1938	1 2
Net profit, before Federal in			\$8,902
Bala	ince Sheet	July 31, 1938	
Assets—		Liabilities-	
Cash	\$117,502	Accounts payable for purchases	
Accounts receivable (net)	189,333	expenses, &c	\$62,173
Notes receivable	6,984	Due leased departments	1,314
Merchandise inventories	103,713	Accrued taxes	23,723
Merchandise in transit	8,746	Long-term indebtedness	8,500
Securities owned	100	Preferred stock	100,000
Cash surrender value life insur.	28,974	c Common stock	398,150
Ohio sales tax stamps on hand_	2,634	Surplus	315,133
a Leaseholds at cost	334,575		
b Improvements to leaseholds,			
furniture and fixtures	110,278	Later St. Formula	
Goodwill	1		
Unexpired insur'ce premiums,			
prepaid rent & supply invent	6,153		
Total	\$908,993	Total	\$908,993

a After reserve for depreciation of \$38,501. b After reserve for depreciation of \$119,566. c 34,015 no par shares.—V. 133, p. 2769.

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Exchange Buffet Corp. Quarter Ended July 31— Profit before depreciation Depreciation	1938 loss\$1,013	1937 \$4,834 28,377	1936 \$15,151 26.825
Net loss	\$30,082	\$23,543	\$11,674
(The) Fair, Chicago-E	arnings-		
6 Mos. End. July 31— 1938 Net sales\$7,131.53	1937	1936 \$8,043,578	1935 \$7,548,637
Net loss after interest, depreciation, &c 172,54 —V. 146, p. 3668.	6,260	prof21,466	74,532
Filbert Corp.—Registers See list given on first page of the	with SEC—		
Fire Association of Phil			et June 30
1938 1937	1	1938	1937
Assets— \$ \$ Bonds and stocks 16,599,308 18,763,6 Mortgage loans 359,087 558,2	Liabilities— 374 Premium rese 295 Losses in proc	rve_ 9,030,74	\$ 9,583,846
Real estate	Reserve for missions, e	com- exps.,	5 1,317,273
Prems. in course of collection 1,286,578 1,603,1 Other assets 268,917 296,1	74 Capital		0 2,000,000
Total 20,783,870 22,470,7 -V. 146, p. 1397.	74 Total	20,783,87	0 22,470,774
First National Stores, I	nc.—Earnin	gs—	
Ouarter Ended- July 2, '3	8 June 26, '37		June 29, '35
Net profit before depree. 31:015,4 perpectation 239,2 Federal taxes 128,2	77 \$1,211,502 06 262,285 04 142,382	\$1,361.656 267,334 166,244	\$1,115,637 279,828 104,350
Net profit after depr. and Federal taxes Shs.com.stk.out.(no par) Earned per share \$647.97 \$0.70	77 \$806,835 35 817,065 79 \$0,93	\$928,078 816,567 \$1.08	\$731,459 816,067 \$0.84
Note—No provision made for E—V. 146, p. 4114.			
Fitchburg & Leominste	r Street Ry	.—Earning	qs—
Period End. June 30— 1938—3 Net profit————————————————————————————————————	Mos.—1937	1938—6 M \$6,739	
Florida East Coast Ry	-Earnings-		
July 1938 Gross from railway \$322.67 Net from railway def153,00 Net after rents def251,82	06 def119.185	1936 \$378,922 def84,472 def178,990	1935 \$307,182 def162,228 def196,260
From Jan. 1— Gross from railway—— 5,652,17 Net from railway—— 2,327,60 Net after rents——— 1,268,00	1,903,805	5,621,359 1,691,613 818,121	5,296,927 1,159,037 344,175
—V. 147, p. 737.	Jan Addin		

Flour Mills of America, Inc. - Reorganization-

Flour Mills of America, Inc.—Reorganization—
Reports indicate that the plan of reorganization is receiving satisfactory support from the security holders of the company.

The plan is being proposed in contemplation of 77B proceedings. Early in June a survey of the company was mailed to all security holders, followed on June 20 by the plan of reorganization and letter of consent and approval.

The plan provides for a first mortgage issue in an amount equal to 50% of the present 20 year 64% convertible gold notes, series A, due April 1, 1946 outstanding in the amount of \$2,677,000.

Noteholders are to receive half of their par value in the new first mortgage bonds and half in new preferred stock and, in addition, common stocks.

The plan also provides for a comparable scaling down of preferred and common stocks.

Securty hoders have been urged by the reorganization advisory committee to send in promptly their letter of consent and approval.—V. 147, p. 1035.

Fonda Johnstow	n & Glov	ersville R	R.—Earni	ngs-
Period End. July 31— Operating revenues Operating expense	1938—Mon \$28,605 ×30,015	th—1937 \$42,112 *34,384	1938—7 Mo \$257,828 252,687	\$341,098 285,239
Net revs. from oper Tax accruals	y\$1,410 x4,340	\$7,728 *7,869	\$5,141 29,723	\$55,858 28,223
Operating income Other income	y\$3,750 3,222	y \$140 6,540	y\$24,582 4,262	\$27,635 7.067
Gross income	y\$2,528	\$6,399	y\$20,320	\$34,701
z Deductions from gross income	13.083	14,112	99,649	99,322

Net deficit————\$15,612 \$7,713 \$119,970 \$64,621 x Not comparable account transfer in 1937 of retirement pension charges to taxes, ordered by Interstate Commerce Commission. y Deficit or loss. z Includes accruals on outstanding funded debt.—V. 147, p. 737.

Foreign Light & Power Co.—Accumulated Dividend—Directors have declared a dividend of \$2 per share on account of accumulations on the \$6.50 cumulative second preferred stock (70% paid) payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 20.—V. 145, p. 1585.

Forest Lawn Co.—Registers with SEC-See list given on first page of this department. ent.-V. 143, p. 110.

Fort Worth & De	nver Cit	v Ry.—Ea	rnings-	
July-	1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross from railway	\$744,267	\$1,127,630	\$553,354	\$462,063
Net from railway	358,664	697,815	211,304	124,994
Net after rents	266,803	589,537	137,127	66,406
From Jan. 1—	To the second second		8	
Gross from railway	3,919,074	4,497,096	3,251,699	2,782,563
Net from railway	1,164,467	1,853,343	926,093	503,962
Net after rents	569,023	1,384,908	478,529	113,949
-V. 147, p. 738.				

Cainesville Midland RR.—Bonds—
The Interstate Commerce Commission on Aug. 18 authorized the company to procure the authentication and delivery of not exceeding \$78,000 of first mortgage 4% bonds, to be pledged with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation as collateral security for a loan of like amount.

The report of the Commission says in part:
The company filed an application on Dec. 17, 1937, as amended June 13, 1938, requesting authority to issue \$78,000 of first mortgage 4% bonds.
Our certificate of Feb. 10, 1937, approved a loan of not exceeding \$98,805 to the applicant by the RFC. The RFC has approved a loan of \$78,000 disallowing that part of the loan which was to be used to purchase two locomotives at a cost of \$20,000, and reducing from \$21,805 to \$21,000 the part of the loan which was to be applied to the payment of receiver's indebtedness.

The applicant is a newly organized company having no assets excepsubscriptions to 4,140 shares of capital stock, authority for the issue of which was granted Jan. 19, 1937. It has, however, submitted a constructed general balance sheet giving effect to the proposed acquisition of the properties of the Gainesville Midland Ry., which it was organized to acquire, and to the issue of the proposed stock and bonds. It appears that the capitalizable assets will be sufficient to support the proposed capitalization.

To secure the proposed bonds, the applicant will create a new first mortgage on all its properties, which will be dated Jan. 1, 1938, and under which the Trust Co. of Georgia will be trustee. The bonds will be designated as first mortgage 4% bonds. The proposed mortgage provides for a sinking fund.

The proposed bonds are to be pledged with the RFC as collateral security for the loan aforesaid.—V. 144, p. 1279.

Froedtert Grain & Malting Co., Inc.—Earnings—

oz maiti	ng Co., 11	ic.—Earni	ngs-
\$10,496,735 8,397,403	9,514,969	8,469,334	1935 \$9,263,552 7.881,999 544,242
\$1,388,541	\$1,562,050 29,248	\$1,119,988 26,278	\$837,310 20,825
71,205		\$1,146.266 18,459 212,678	\$858.135 88,848 144,953
909,742 336,000	\$1,109,391 672,000	\$915,129 252,000	\$624,335 114,000
	\$437,391 1,775,580	\$663,129 1,112.451	\$510,335 722,116
\$2,762,246	\$2,212,970 24,466	\$1,775,580	\$1,232.451 120,000
\$2,762,246	\$2,188,504	\$1,775,580	\$1,112,451
\$1.76 or depreciati nd capital st	ion. y Inclu		
	\$1,388,541 24,551 \$1,388,541 24,551 \$1,413,092 71,205 432,145 909,742 336,000 \$573,742 2,188,504 \$2,762,246 \$1,76 or depreciation despital st	\$10,38 \$10,496,735 \$11,749,310 8,397,403 9,514,969 672,291 \$1,388,541 \$1,562,050 24,551 \$1,413,092 71,205 432,145 40,200 \$099,742 336,000 \$573,742 \$1,109,391 2,188,504 \$1,775,580 \$2,762,246 \$2,212,970 \$2,466 \$2,762,246 \$2,188,504 \$1,76 \$2,212,970 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504 \$2,188,504	\$10,496,735 \$11,749,310 \$10,179,756 8,397,403 9,514,969 8,469,334 710,790 672,291 590,434 \$1,388,541 \$1,562,050 \$1,119,988 24,551 29,248 26,278 \$1,413,092 \$1,591,298 \$1,146,266 71,205 71,707 18,459 432,145 410,200 212,678 909,742 \$1,109,391 \$915,129 336,000 672,000 252,000 \$573,742 \$437,391 \$663,129 2,188,504 1,775,580 1,112,451 \$2,762,246 \$2,212,970 \$1,775,580 \$2,762,246 \$2,188,504 \$1,775,580 \$1,76 \$2,24 \$1,78 for depreciation, y Including provision of depital stock tax.

		Balance Sh	eet July 31		
Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937
Cash	\$359,997	\$439,134	Notes payable		
Notes and accts.			Accounts payable_	\$22,019	46,151
receivable-trade	1,293,717	2,374,434	Stockholders' accts		37,348
1st mtge. bonds,			Accrued accounts_	90,683	134,384
due Sept. 1, 1937		20,000	Income taxes, est_	465,386	430,071
Inventories	1,375,639	1,634,912	Res. for workmen's		
Cash surr. value of			accident compen-		
ins. on lives of	Property of the second		sationt	1,164	
Messrs. K. R.			Cum. conv. partic.		
Froedtert & W.	-17.5s June 9		pref. stock	2,100,000	2,100,000
A. Teipel	114,430				
Notes & accts. rec_			Earned surplus	2,762,246	2,188,504
Investments			L W Leit Little		
Fixed assets (net)_	2,499,603		AND THE RESERVE		
Deferred charges	64,541	137,557			11 141 1
Total	95 981 408	97 981 458	Total	85 861 408	\$7 281 458

-V. 146, p. 4115.

Galveston Electr	ic Co.—Ed	rnings-		
Period End. July 31— Operating revenues— Operation Maintenance Retirement accruals Taxes—	1938—Montil \$30,688 15,790 2,295 2,402 4,569	i-1937 $$26,940$ $15,313$ $1,796$ $1,531$ $2,520$	1938—12 Me \$323,366 189,455 28,312 20,104 35,769	$\begin{array}{c} s1937 \\ \$278,051 \\ 174,625 \\ 28,130 \\ 5,723 \\ 24,694 \end{array}$
Net oper. revenues Non-oper. income (net)_	\$5,632	\$5,779	\$49,725 9,219	\$44,878 4,434
Balance Interest on equip, notes.	\$5,632 489	\$5,779 445	\$58,944 4,675	\$49,312 1,103
Net income	\$5,142	\$5,334	\$54,269	\$48,209

Net income ------ \$5,142 \$5,334 \$54,269 \$4. -V. 147, p. 572.

Garlock Packing Co. (& Subs.)—Bal. Sheet June 30-

Garrock Lacking Co. (E Bubbi, But Sheet Guno 90
Assets- 1938 193	7 . Liabilities— 1938 1937
Cash \$898,805 \$830	598 Accounts payable \$94,556 \$203,672
Receivables 392,648 636	415 Accruals 115,348 289,490
Inventories 1,489,056 1,451	775 Tax reserve 155,540 208,773
Deferred charges 215.631 208	489 1st mtge. 4 1/4 s 400,000 550,000
x Land, buildings.	10-yr. 4½ % conv.
equipment, &c 2,141,471 2,208	
Trademarks, &c. 1	1 y Common stock 213,965 213,965
	Surplus 3.294,055 3,437,003
	z Treasury stock D74,715 D74,715
	000 FF 4-1

x Less reserve for depreciation of \$2,159,264 in 1938 and \$1,952,895 in 1937. y Represented by 213,965 no-par shares. z Represented by 4,715 Note—Earnings for 6 months ended June 30, 1938 appeared in 1937.

General Gas & Electric Corp. (& S	Subs.)—I	Earnings-
12 Months Ended June 30-	1938 $324,675,556$ $13,639,859$	1937 \$23,633,482 12,365,944
Operating incomeOther income (net)	\$7,902,604 104,129	\$8,248,999 218,140
Gross income Sub. companies, deductions from income General Gas & Electric Corp.:	\$8,006,733 6,791,312	\$8,467,138 6,951,732
Int. on 5% notes and intbearing scrip Interest on unfunded debt Divs. on \$5 preferred stock	29,918 7,447 299,919	
Balance of income	\$878,136	\$1,125,884

General Insurance Guaranty Fund-Trustess Ap-

Appointment of four trustees of the General Insurance Guaranty Fund, created under the Livingston-Piper Act to serve as an advisory board for the assistance of the Superintendent of Insurance in directing the affairs of this new phase of insurance, was announced Aug. 18 by Governor Lehman, through State Superintendent of Insurance Louis H. Pink.

The men appointed are Andrew Mills Jr., President of Dry Dock Savings Bank, New York City; Edward A. Richards, Pres. of East New York Savings Bank, and Smith Sheldon, trustee of the Monroe County Savings Bank, and Smith Sheldon, trustee of the Monroe County Savings Bank, Rochester.

Paul R. Taylor, who has already been named as Deputy Superintendent in charge of savings bank life insurance, also is a trustee and will preside at the fund's meetings. These men will assume their duties at once and will serve without compensation.

In a statement accompanying the announcement, Mr. Pink revealed that practical work necessary for the setting up of these departments in such savings banks as elect to make use of this privilege is going forward in the Insurance Department's Albany office, where Mr. Taylor is in charge. He is working with Carl F. Vietor, Assistant Actuary of savings bank life insurance in Massachusetts, in the preparation of rate tables and other forms necessary for the administration of the act.

General Refractories Co.—Maturity Date of Bonds Extended—Interest Rate Reduced to 3¾%—Sinking Fund Payment Also Reduced—

Also Reduced—
Of the \$3,000,000 of first mortgage 4½% sinking fund bonds sold by General Refractories Co. in July, 1935, the company has already redeemed

\$1.050.000 of bonds and has deposited with the corporate trustee a sum sufficient to redeem an additional \$150.000 on or before Jan. 1, 1939.

Company has recently purchased \$650,000 of bonds, of which \$50,000 will be retired through the operation of the sinking fund on or before Jan. 1, 1939, after which date there will remain outstanding \$1.800,000 of which \$600,000 of bonds will belong to the company and will be head in its Treasury for retirement through the operation of the sinking fund or by cancellation, and \$1,200,000 will be outstanding in the hands of the public.

As a result of recent negotiations with the holders of all of the outstanding bonds, the maturity thereof will be extended from July 1, 1945 to Jan. 1, 1949; and beginning Jan. 1, 1939, the rate of interest will be reduced from 4½% per annum to 3½% per annum and the sinking fund payments, if earned, will be \$181,800 per annum instead of \$303,000.

Based upon bonds outstanding on Jan. 1, 1939, the above will result in an annual interest saving of \$33,250 and will reduce the annual sinking fund payments out of earnings by an additional \$121,200.—V: 147, p. 1193.

General Reinsurance Corp.—Extra Dividend—
Directors on Aug. 23 declared an extra dividend of 25 cents per share in addition to a dividend of like amount (or a total of 50 cents per share) on the capital stock, both payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Sept. 8. Like amounts were paid on June 15, last, and previously regular quarterly divs. of 50 cents per share were distributed.—V. 146, p. 3669.

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General Water Gas & Electric Co.	(& Subs.)— $Earns.$
12 Months Ended June 30— Operating revenues Operating expenses Provision for depreciation	\$2,801,145 1,414,391	\$2,816,754 1,327,827 283,907
Net operating revenuesOther income	\$1,096,881 178,870	\$1,205,020 207,528
Total income	20,865 36,304 36,000 2,508 21,172 263,305	\$1,412,548 452,639 29,997 39,633 33,582 61,983 267,365 58,888
Net income	\$380,116 \$4.98 \$0.71	\$1.10

Common stock.

Note—The operating revenues for each period are stated after deducting \$120,000 in respect of estimated annual reduction which will result if the rate case decision of the Public Service Commission of the State of New York, adverse to Consolidated Water Co. of Utica, N. Y., a subsidiary, is finally upheld. This decision has been affirmed by the Appellate Division and the Court of Appeals of the State of New York. An appear by the company to the Supreme Court of the United States has been dismissed by that Court on the ground that the company had a remedy in equity in the State Courts. The company has brought an action in equity to restrain the Public Service Commission from enforcing said order.

Cons	olidated Bala	ince Sheet June 30		
1938	1937		1938	1937
	8	Liabilities-	\$	\$
Assets—		Funded debt	15.665.600	16,429,600
x Fixed capital 20,221,19	0 367.391	Notes payable bks	394,750	080,000
Investments 1,798,22	0 301,331	Acc'ts payable	z150,413	208,757
Reacquired securs.,	570,000	Accrued interest.	104,600	110,885
par value		Accrd. taxes (other		2 -4 2 - 1 2 - 1
Special deposits 652,06	8 630,266	than Federal in-		
Investm't in States			71,289	72,570
El. & Gas Corp.	_ 1,990,000	come tax)		12,010
Cash in banks and		Prov. for Fed'l in-	63,026	50,630
on hand 301,76	5 305,200	come tax (est.)	03,020	00,000
Cash on deposit for		Accr. div. on subs.'	F 075	5.075
div. pay. July 1,	and the state of the	pref. stock	5,075	0,010
1937	57,499	Div. payable on \$3		57,499
Marketable securs. 280,49	3 513,794	preferred stock_		57,499
Accts. & notes rec.,		Funded debt call		4 700
less reserve 284,20	2 438.797	for redemption_	4,733	4,733
Unbilled revenue,		Other curr. liabils.		50,160
estimated 112,81	5 112,305			- 1 100
Accrued int. rec 17,85		deposits-refd'le	96,709	84,462
				668,902
	122,100	Pref. stk. of sub.		
Accts. receivable,	763			290,000
	52,085			
Prepaid expenses 48,27				
Deferred charges 1,181,16	01 1,140,020	surplus of subs	21,648	36,344
		y \$3 cum.pref. stk.		
		G-m eth (non \$1)		
		Com. stk. (par \$1)		
		Paid-in capital and		3,343,924
		surplus		
		Earned surplus	021,000	00011=1
			95 076 901	26 456 288
Total25,076,80	1 26,456,288	Total	20,010,001	017 007 10

x After reserve for depreciation of \$3,818,514 in 1938 and \$3,617,887 in 1937. y Represented by 76,288 no-par shares. z Including accrued expenses.—V. 146, p. 3500.

Georgia & Florida RR .- Earnings-

-Jan. 1 to Aug. 14 1938 1937 \$675,553 \$845,074 -Week Ended Aug. 14-1938 1937 \$50,550 \$49,775

Georgia Power Co.-Earnings-

Period End. July 31—Gross revenue—Oper. exps. and taxes—Prov. for depreciation—	1938—Mor \$2,262,883 1,161,391 231,250	\$2 328.212	1938—12 M \$28,510,025 x 14,717,195 2,761,250	\$28,314,907
Gross income	\$870,242	\$856,207	\$11,031,580	\$11,573,512
Int. & other fixed charges	546,275	535,468	6,622,504	6,413,803
Net income	\$323,967	\$320,740	\$4,409,076	\$5,159,709
Divs. on pref. stock	245,862	245,862	2,950,350	2,949,764
Balance	\$78,105	\$74,877	\$1,458,726	

x No provision was made in 1936 or 1937 for Federal surfax on undistributed profits as all taxable income was distributed.—V. 147, p. 740.

Goebel Brewing Co.—Five-Cent Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of five cents per share on the common stock, payable Sept. 30 to holders of record Sept. 10. Last regular quarterly dividend was paid on March 28, last; this latter also amounted to five cents per share.—V. 147, p. 1036.

Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.—Listing—
The Chicago Stock Exchange has admitted to trading 650,468 shares of \$5 cumulative convertible preferred stock, no par, and 2,059,061 shares of common stock, no par.—V. 147, p. 1193.

Grand Trunk Western RR.-Earnings Grand Irunk Western KK.—Earnings—1936
Gross from railway—\$1,416,669 \$1,982,816 \$1,902,632
Net from railway—\$146,348 \$397,816 \$31,750
Net after rents—\$def37,200 \$211,428 \$9,435
From Jan.—\$12,762 \$3,899,128 \$3,627,569
Net after rents—\$def1,207,122 \$2,033,433 \$2,224,956
—V. 147, D. 740. et after rents.... -V. 147, p. 740.

Great Lakes Dredge & Dock Co.—New President, &c.—Edward M. Markham, Major-General, U. S. A., retired, has been elected director and President of this company, it was announced on Aug. 23.

The action was taken to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of John R. Williams, former President, because of ill health.—V. 146, p. 1400.

1938	1937	1936
49,491,510	\$78,566,619 71,645,662 1,831,178	\$65,994,520 50,705,092 1,894,249
212,500	519,616	\$4,395,179 18,132 136,667
321,402	368,589	218,602
\$1,071,461	\$5,977,985	\$4,768,581
1,259,331 107,000	1,268,893 700,000	1,463,394 550,000
oss\$210,176	\$3,510,696	\$2,727,181
625	2	424
Nil	651,626 \$1.90	\$1.47
	1938 \$51,913,986 49,497,570 1,878,857 \$537,559 212,500 \$\overline{321,402}\$\$\$\$1,071,461 \$Cr84,693 1,259,331 107,000 \$625 \$css\$209,551 515,039 \$\vertil{Nil}\$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$

1937 or 1936.	011 1100					
1001 01 1000.	Conso	lidated Bala	nce Sheet June 3	0 •		
	1938	1937		1938	1937	
Assets-	\$	\$	Liabilities	\$	\$	
a Real estate &			b Common stock		44,025,837	
plants	50.144,881	50,079,060	d Pref. stock	24,721,860	24,721,872	
Inv. in and adv.			Bank loans and			
to other cos	5,130,046	6,017,186			5,451,081	
Inventory	39,355,638	51,978,297	15-yr. 6% conv.		10 700 000	
Funds held by			gold debs	19,054,200	19,798,800	
trustee under		2 × 98	Accts. payable	4,786,690	10,068,554	
indentire sec.			41/4 % 1st M. bds		27,000,000	
1st mtge, bds.			Bond. indebt. of		040.071	
41/4 % series	8,353		subsidiaries		246,971	
Pur. fd. in hands			Min. int. in subs		21,799	
of agent for re-			cSundry accrued		0 40# 000	
tire, of 15-yr.			liabilities		3,497,369	
6% conv. gold			Reserves		2,539,977	
debentures		600,000	Surplus	3,217,128	9,270,425	
Trade notes and			11.0			
accts, receiv	23,901,235	27,226,133	The Course			
Other notes and	the state of the state of		And the Auto-			
accts. receiv	1,052,269					
Cash	9,176,114	6,809,221				
Prepd. accts., &c	3,254,358	2,950,421				
Total	132,022,894	146,642,686	Total	132,022,894	146,642,686	

10tal......132,022,894 146,642,686] Total......132,022,894 146,642,686 a Real estate, buildings, machinery and equipment, after deducting depreciation and special reserves of \$45,763,967 in 1938 and \$47,157,454 in 1937. b 1,303,255 no-par shares. c Including provision for Federal taxes. d Represented by 412,031 shares of no par value.—V. 147, p. 1193; V. 146, p. 4116.

Great Northern Ry. Co.—Changes in Collateral—
The Bankers Trust Co., as trustee under the mortgage securing 1st & refunding mortgage 4½% gold bonds, due July 1, 1961, reports that it has received the following securities:

received the following securities:

1. \$40,847,000 principal amount (canceled) St. Paul Minneapolis & Manitoba Ry. Co. consolidated mortgage bonds dated May 1, 1883, matured July 1, 1933 and extended to July 1, 1943.

2. \$5,000 principal amount (canceled) St. Paul Minneapolis & Manitoba Ry. Co. consolidated mortgage bonds, dated May 1, 1883, matured July 1, 1933 (not extended).

3. \$9,998,000 principal amount (canceled) Montana Central Ry. Co. first mortgage 50-year gold bonds dated July 1, 1887, matured July 1, 1937.

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4. \$10.181.000 principal amount (canceled) St. Paul Minneapolis & Manitoba Ry. Co. (Montana Extension) first mortgage 50-year gold bonds dated June 1, 1887, matured June 1, 1937.

5. 913 shares of The Minnesota Transfer Ry. Co. capital stock (par value \$100).

6. 1,036 shares of The Saint Paul Union Depot Co. capital stock (par value \$100).

The trustee further reports that the bonds represented by Items 1, 2 and 3 have been delivered to the trustee under the respective mortgages and the latter has satisfied such mortgages and that the remainder of the securities listed as Items 4, 5 and 6 are held by the Bankers Trust Co. as additional collateral under the first and refunding gold_bond mortgage of the Great Northern Ry. Co.—V. 147, p. 740.

Group No. One Oil Corp.—To Pay \$100 Dividend—
The directors have declared a dividend of \$100 per share on the capital stock, no par value, payable Sept. 30 to holders of record Sept. 9. Like amount was paid on June 30, last and compares with \$50 paid on March 31 last; \$100 paid on Jan. 3 last; dividends of \$50 per share paid on Sept. 30, 1937 and in each of the four preceding quarters, and dividends of \$100 per share previously distributed each three months. In addition, an extra dividend of \$100 was paid on Sept. 29, 1934; an extra of \$200 paid on Dec. 31, 1932, and an extra of \$150 per share was paid on Sept. 30, 1932.—V. 147, p. 3501.

Group Securities, Inc .- Proposes "Reverse Split-up" of Shares-

A special meeting of stockholders has been called for Sept. 19 to act upon a proposal for a "reverse split-up" of shares of all classes of stock. This will be effected through a reduction of the authorized number of shares from 50,000,000 to 10,000,000 and an exchange of five shares of each class of stock now outstanding for one new share of such class.

In making the announcement, Kenneth S. Gaston, President, stated that each stockholder's relative ownership in the assets will remain unchanged, each new combined share being worth approximately five times more than each share now outstanding. It is believed by the directors, he stated, that the higher priced shares resulting from such combination will promote the growth of the fund and that such increase in the size of the fund should mean lower per share operating costs.

Stockholders will also be asked to vote at the special meeting on a proposal to create a new class of shares designated as "Fully Administered Shares." Group Securities, Inc. at present has 18 classes of stock representing various industries.—V. 147, p. 1243.

senting various industries.				
Gulf Mobile & No	rthern F	RR.—Earn	ings-	
July— Gross from railway Net from railway Net after rents	1938 \$515,623 154,047 71,127	1937 \$630,821 216,753 112,714	\$590,645 220,434 110,793	1935 \$504,164 159,169 82,993
Net from railway Net after rents	3,741,016 $1,055,058$ $372,206$	$\substack{4,456,392\\1,583,781\\825,921}$	4,024,502 1,443,880 689,578	3,308,189 1,016,348 487,179
Gulf & Ship Islan	d RR	-Earnings-		
July— Gross from railway Net from railway Net after rents	1938 \$91,230 def3,699 def28,589	1937 \$125,270 14,180 def13,737	1936 \$120,856 4,573 def20,502	1935 \$99,839 9,702 def13,916
From Jan. 1— Gross from railway—— Net from railway—— Net after rents—— U. 147, p. 741; V. 146,	737,136 38,288 lef151,204 p. 4116.	956,074 187,150 9,936	840,778 116,765 def56,884	742,362 98,452 def64,170
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Gulf States Utilities Co.—Final Consummation of Acquisition of Properties Announced—
Company has announced the final consummation on Aug. 25 of the acquisition of the properties and business of Baton Rouge Electric Co. and Louisiana Steam Generating Corp. (except the bus properties and business of Baton Rouge Electric Co. The bonds of Baton Rouge Electric Co. and Louisiana Steam Generating Corp. (except the bus properties and business of Baton Rouge Electric Co. and Louisiana Steam Generating Corp. have been assumed by Gulf States Utilities Co.
These companies, all of which were subsidiaries of Engineers Public Service Co. and operate in the Gulf coast area, have been interconnected since 1930 and their operations have been coordinated. It was deemed desirable, from the standpoint of financial strength and operating economies, that they be brought together under one corporate ownership. The Securities and Exchange Commission and the Federal Power Commission have both issued the necessary authorizations under the Public Utility Act of 1935 to enable the accomplishment of this program.

Gulf States Utilities Co. has also announced the results of the exchange offer made Aug. 11, to preferred stockholders of Baton Rouge Electric Co., under which such holders could obtain one share of Gulf States Utilities Co. preferred stock but \$20.25 per share in exchange for each share of Baton Rouge Electric Co., Se preferred stock. At the close of the offer on Aug. 23, the holders of 2.964 shares of Baton Rouge Electric Co., preferred stock, out of a total of 6.209 shares, had elected to make the exchange. The balance of the stock will be redeemed on Sept. 12, at 110 plus accrued dividends.

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Files Amendment with SEC Designating Bonds as Series C—
The company has filed an amendment with the Securities and Exchange Commission stating that its \$10,000,000 4% first mortgage & refunding bonds will mature Oct. 1, 1966. The amendment also states that the new bonds will be designated series C and Issued under the indenture of mortgage dated Sept. 1, 1926, to Chase National Bank as trustee. It was originally contemplated to designate the new bonds series D.

The bonds will be dated as of Oct. 1, 1936. They will be red. at 106 to and incl. Sept. 30, 1941; at 105 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1943; at 104 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1946; at 102 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1966; at 102 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1966; at 102 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1966; at 102 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1966; at 102 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1966; at 101 thereafter to and incl. Sept. 30, 1966; at 102 thereafter to and incl. Sept

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\$179,000 Bonds to Be Redeemed Oct. 1, 1938—
Company is notifying holders of its 10-year 4½% debentures due Oct. 1, 1946, that \$179,000 of the bonds have been drawn by lot and will be redeemed on Oct. 1, 1938 with funds held in the sinking fund, at 102½ and interest. The drawn bonds should be presented for payment at the principal office of the trustee, Bank of New York, 48 Wall St., N. Y. City.—V. 147, p. 1194.

(The)	Hancock	Oil Co.	of Calif	-Earnings—
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	Years End. June 30-	1938	1937	1936	1935
١	Gross operating income_	\$8,508,612	\$7,694,390	\$6,947,603	\$5,614,331
	a Costs, oper. & gen.exp.		6,600,801	6,049,198	4,937,496
	Intangible devel. exps	718,512	170,260	92,866	180,491
	Depreciation, depletion and abandonments Fed_income_taxes_and	452,899	395,180	352,821	280,406
	miscell, deductions	110,520	54,083	62,741	25.351
	Miscell. income	99,810	29,828	22,280	68,099
	Net income	\$1,051,228	\$503,894	\$412,256	\$258,685
	Class A & B dividends	435,118	326.342	217,559	119,657
	Balance, surplus	\$616,110	\$177,552	\$194,697	\$139.028
	Earnings per share on class A and B shares	\$4.83	\$2.32	\$1.90	\$1.19
	a Including State and	Federal gaso	line taxes.		
		Dalaman Ch.	not Tuma 20		

		Balance Sh	eet June 30		
Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937
a Plant, prop., &c	_\$2,178,707		b Class A com.stk.		\$1,161,354
Cash	_ 369,268		c Class B com.stk.		144,000
Accts. & notes rec	436,486	335,252	Accounts payable.	523,003	321,409
Inventories		744,466	Taxes payable	348,631	203,954
Deferred charges.	48,823	50,806	Capital surplus	724,058	722,254
			Earned surplus	1,202,155	586,048
		-		-	

Haverhill Gas Light Co.—Earnings-

Period End. July 31— Operating revenues—— Operation Maintenance——— Taxes————————————————————————————————————	1938—Mont	h—1937	1938—12 M	os.—1937
	\$44,569	\$46,332	\$569,184	\$565,388
	27,543	28,848	367,407	360,093
	2,635	3,477	29,661	27,090
	7,037	7,239	87,607	84,469
Net oper. revenues	\$7,353	\$6,768	\$84,508	\$93,736
Non-oper. inc. (net)		6	69	62
Balance	\$7,353	\$6,774	\$84,578	\$93,798
Retirem't res. accru	2,916	2,916	35,000	35,000
Gross income	\$4,436	\$3,858	\$49,578	\$58,798
Interest charges	124	174	2,083	2,274
Net income Dividends declared —V. 147, p. 741.	\$4,311	\$3,684	\$47,495 39,312	\$56,524 58,968

Hayes Body Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Period— Operating revenue Operating cost	3 Mos. End. June 30 '38 - \$201.281 - 203,799	12 Mos. End. June 30 '38 \$1,695,375 1,705,955
Loss Other income	\$2,518 - 304	\$10,580 3,162
Loss Other charges Depreciation Interest Net loss of subsidiaries	- 1,987 - 16,704	\$7,418 12,219 66,602 11,322 714
Net loss	\$26,950	\$98,275

Hecla Mining Co.—Earnings-

Period End. June 30-	1938-3 Mo	s.—1937	· "I	938-6 M	os.—1937
Gross income Operating expenses Taxes accrued Depreciation Depletion	×24.697	\$749,409 348,552 \$76,647 43,601 92,723			\$1,900,772 713,032 *185,872 82,013 212,383
Net income Earns. per sh. on 1,000,- 000 shs. of (par 25c.)	\$26,829	\$187,887	71	\$78,833	\$707,472
capital stock	80 02	PA 10		00.00	an Mo

x Contains no provision for undistributed profits tax. y Includes other income.—V. 147, p. 1038.

Haverty Furniture Cos., Inc.—5-Cent Dividend—Directors have declared a dividend of five cents per share on the common stock, par \$5, payable Aug. 25 to holders of record Aug. 19. Similar amounts were paid on June 24 and on May 25 last.—V. 144, p. 937.

amounts were paid on June 24 and on May 25 last.—V. 144, p. 937.

(R.) Hoe & Co., Inc.—Sale of English Sub. A pproved—
Fred L. McCarty, President of this company, announced that at a special meeting held Aug. 17 the company's stockholders by a substantial majority approved the proposed sale of the business and assets of the company's English subsidiary, R. Hoe & Co., Ltd., which for many years has manufactured printing presses of British Hoe design and printers' machinery and supplies. Mr. McCarty stated further:

"More than 79% of the stock entitled to vote was voted today in favor of the plan. Numerically, 1,570 of a total of 2,263, or approximately 70%, of the stockholders of R. Hoe & Co., Inc., entitled to vote, favored the sale at today's meeting. Consummation of the sale under the proposed contract will proceed immediately.

"Under the plan approved today, practically all assets of R. Hoe & Co., Ltd., will be sold to R. W. Crabtree & Sons, Ltd., at a price approximating £470,170 (aggregating roughly \$2,280,000), the purchaser having the option to pay £75,000 of the purchase price in notes."—V. 147, p. 573.

Hooker Electrochemical Co.—Dividend Reduced—
Directors have declared a dividend of \$1 per share on the common stock, payable Aug. 31 to holders of record Aug. 11. Dividends of \$1.50 per share were paid on May 31 last and each three months previously. In addition, a special dividend of \$2 was paid on Oct. 20, 1937.—V. 146, p. 3955.

Honolulu Plantation Co.—Dividend Omitted—
Directors have decided to pass the dividend ordinarily due on the common shares at this time. Dividends of 10 cents were paid on Aug. 10, last, and in each of the three preceding months, and previously regular monthly dividends of 15 cents per share were distributed.—V. 146, p. 2853.

Honolulu Rapid Transit Co., Ltd.—Earnings

Period End. July 31-	1938-Mo	nth-1937	1938-7 Me	s.—1937
Gross rev. from transp Operating expenses	\$116,643 73,745	\$102,163 68,878	\$780,608 514,421	\$659,119 445,165
Net rev. from transp_ Rev. other than transp	\$42,898 1,639	\$33,286 3,498	\$266,187 11,666	\$213,953 23,965
Net rev. from oper Taxes assign. to ry oper. Interest_ Depreciation_ Profit & loss_ Replacements	\$44,537 11,085 1,604 17,861 164 1,362	\$36,784 8,431 13,462	\$277,853 77,311 11,604 120,580 Cr36 4,256	\$237,918 58,424 16 87,618 <i>Cr</i> 151 5,424
Net revenue	\$12,460	\$14,890	\$64,137	\$86,587

Houston Electric Co.—Earnings-

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	Period Ended July 31-	1938-Me	mth-1937	1938-12 7	Mos.—1937
	perating revenues	\$243,053 120,791	\$234,217	\$2,965,499	\$2,657,629
	perationaintenance	32,897	117,197 34,589	1,459,685	1,309,359 370,697
R	etirement accruals	27,578	23,945	330,032	286,819
T	axes	26,864	26,113	345,001	294,566
	Net oper, revenues	\$34,922	\$32.371	\$424,433	\$396.188
	terest on bonds	15,119	15,993	187,260	201,068
	ther interest, &c	1,669	2,309	25,258	13,483
1	mortization of debt dis- count and expense	541	646	7,084	7.956
-	Net income V. 147, p. 573.	\$17,592	\$13,423	\$204,830	\$173,681

Houston Lighting & Pe

Houston Lightin	ig & row	er Co.—I	arnings-	
Period Ended July 31— Operating revenues Oper. exp., incl. taxes_ Prop. retir. res. approp_	\$1,032,828	nth—1937 \$958,588 466,629 158,190		$egin{array}{l} \textit{Mos1937} \\ \$10,273,502 \\ 4,915,638 \\ 1,518,624 \end{array}$
Net oper. revenues Other income	\$339,365 4,310	\$323,769 4,162	\$4,000,197 20,850	\$3,839,240 16,860
Gross income Int. on mortgage bonds_ Other int. & deductions_	\$343,675 80,208 12,987	\$327,931 80,208 12,360	\$4,021,047 962,500 156,790	\$3,856,100 1,130,000 121,127
Net income Dividends applicable to period, whether paid or	preferred ste	\$235,363 ocks for the		\$2,604,973 315,078
Balance			\$2,586,679	\$2,289,895

Hudson & Manhattan RR.—Earnings—

Period Ended July 31-	- 1938—M	fonth—1937	1938—7 A	$egin{array}{l} Ios1937 \ \$4.578,923 \ 2.964.169 \end{array}$
Gross oper. revenue	\$541,549	\$598,736	\$4,203,539	
Operating exp. & taxes	431,758	421,027	3,098,451	
Operating income	\$109,791	\$177,708	\$1,105,088	\$1,614,753
Non-operating income	11,970	12,791	83,303	86,072
Gross incomex Income charges	\$121,761	\$190,500	\$1,188,392	\$1,700,825
	287,528	289,898	2,015,371	2,033,763
Deficit	\$165,767	\$99,398	\$826,979	\$332,938

Idaho Power Co.	-Larning	18		
Period End. July 31—	1938—Mon	th—1937	1938—12 A	### 1937
Operating revenues	\$498,579	\$465,870	\$5,669,158	\$5,046,998
Oper. exps., incl. taxes	233,027	232,171	2,846.487	2,569,609
Prop. retire. res. approp.	37,500	44,500	431,000	467,000
Net oper, revenues	\$228,052	\$189,199	\$2,391.671	\$2,010,389
Other income (net)	935	Dr14	2,240	Dr888
Gross income	\$228,987	\$189,185	\$2,393,911	\$2,009,501
Int. on mtge. bonds	56,250	54,167	693,494	650,000
Other int. & deductions_	8,240	11,585	117,498	83,010
Int. charged to construc_	Cr597	Cr7,631	Cr30,357	Cr25,492
Net income	\$165,094	\$131,114	\$1,603,276 414,342	\$1,301,983 414,342
Balance			\$1,188,934	

Hupp Motor Car Corp.—May Increase Shares—
The company has notified the New York Stock Exchange of a proposed increase in authorized capital stock from 2,000,000 shares to 3,000,000 shares.

shares.

New President, &c.—

The Board of Directors following its meeting held Aug. 17, announced the election of S. L. Davis of Chicago as President, succeeding Thomas Bradley, resigned. Mr. Davis announced the appointment of Norman deVaux as General Manager in Charge of Operations and deVaux's election also as a member of the new Board.

Mr. Davis confirmed persistent rumors that Hupp had purchased dies, tools, jigs, fixtures and inventory representing an approximate value of more than \$1,000,000.

Announcement was also made that in addition to its present line of Sixes and Eights, which will be continued with improvements, the company plans to build two new lines of low-priced cars for 1939—these to be introduced this Fall, in accordance with the usual practice in the industry.

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Mr. Davis announced that W. A. M. n. Charge of Sales. P. L. Louks, f. John L. Cotter as Treasurer and As of Chicago, General Counsel, was elected to the Board. The Hupp Board now consists of W.	IacDonald co ormerly Assis sistant Secret elected Secre	ntinues as Vi tant Secreta ary. Edwar tary. He v	ce-President ry, succeeds rd Rothbart vas recently
The Hupp Board now consists of W Norman deVaux, of Detroit, J. Sco and S. W. Mozley, Edward Rothbart p. 1195. Illinois Central RR.—Ear			pids, Iowa; go.—V. 147,
Gross from railway \$8,375,919 Net from railway 2,240,888 Net after rents 1,343,805	\$9,109,296 1,849,378 830,416	$\begin{array}{c} 36 \\ 1936 \\ \$9,407,560 \\ 2,287,665 \\ 1,207,671 \end{array}$	\$7,368,276 1,005,149 186,669
From railway 57,973,205 Net from railway 13,893,224 Net after rents 6,945,726 Earnings of 6	65,689,528 13,820,248 7,671,702	63,075,204 14,365,772 7,149,874	54,230,469 10,458,088 5,338,065
July— 1938 Gross from railway \$7,248,958 Net from railway 1,874,747 Net after rents 1,175,024	1937 \$7,951,506 1,598,274 785,166	1936 \$8,202,071 1,991,390 1,132,293	1935 \$6,456,155 868,318 243,116
From Jan. 1— Gross from railway	56,646,843 11,079,784 6,231,680	55,057,047 12,151,774 6,409,198	47,754,501 9,236,005 5,389,767
Illinois Terminal RR. Co.			1005
July— 1938 Gross from railway \$458,250 Net from railway 142,344 Net after rents 82,368 From Jan. 1—		1936 \$458,259 149,990 88,290	1935 \$422,527 121,997 78,686
Gross from railway 2.951.513 Net from railway 788.856 Net after rents 358.882 —V. 147, p. 742.	3,616,314 1,309,879 818,104	3,377,544 1,210,108 832,259	2,898,041 863,191 573,662
Indianapolis Water Co.— 12 Months Ended July 31—	Earnings—	1938	1937
Gross revenue		587,427	\$2,624,648 806,847 517,711
Net income			$ \begin{array}{r} \$1,300,090 \\ 625,604 \\ 126,417 \\ \hline \$548,069 \\ \end{array} $
Balance Si 1938 1937	reet July 31	1938	1937
Assets——————————————————————————————————	Liabilities— Preferred stoc Common stoc Funded indel Consumers' de	**************************************	\$ 00 1,054,900 00 5,250,000 00 13,827,000
Notes receivable 261 Accts. receivable 291,336 320,035 Mat'ls & supplies 99,943 117,599 Investments—gen'! 21 420 21 872	Other current	t lia-	30 315
Investments—gen'l 21,420 21,872 Prepayments—— 8,109 12,224	Main extensio	n de-	30 38,280
Unamort, debt dis-	Accrued inter	est 56,65	29 55,354
count & expense 1,123,048 1,226,533 Undistrib. debits 318,891 258,923	Other accrd.li Reserves Corporate sur	abils. 24,86	38 25,794 32 1,717,947 47 2,263,044
Total25,351,987 24,873,744		25,351,9	
Ingersoll-Rand Co.—\$1.5 The directors have declared a divid stock, no par value, payable Sept. compares with \$1 paid on June 1, le dividend of \$1.50 per share on Dec. 1, and on Sept. 1. dividends of 50 cents per share were dividend of \$4 was paid on Dec. 24, 1 Dec. 28, 1935, and an extra of \$2 vp. 3339 Inspirator Corp.—Register See list given on first page of this Institutional Securities,	s with SEC department. Ltd.—Div	— idend—	
Directors have declared a dividend Group Shares, class A, payable Oct. 1	to holders of	s per share record Aug.	on the Bank 31.—V. 146,
International Shoe Co.— and Stifel, Nicolaus & Co. ha over-the-counter of around 1s It is understood that an add is now being offered.—V. 147	utional ble, p. 115.	ock of 5,0	00 shares
International Silver Co. Period End. June 30— 1938—3 . x Net profit \$10,276 y Earns per share Nil x After decreciation, taxes & other	Mos.—1937 \$165,404 1 \$0.67	1938—6 A loss\$111,590 Nil	fos.—1937 \$329,132 \$1.32
x After depreciation, taxes & other stock (par \$100).—V. 146, p. 3018. Interborough Rapid Tran	sit Co.	Annual Re	port—
Year Ended June 30— Gross operating revenue Operating expenses		\$52,711,967 \$7,993,907	\$54,799,020 35,713 279
Net operating revenue			
Income from operationCurrent rent deductions			\$14,777,424 5,015,185
Balance Used for purchase of assets of the ent		-	\$9,762,239 163,442
Balance, city and company Payable to city under Contract No. 3.			\$9.598,797
Company's gross income from ope Company's fixed charges			\$9,598,797
Company's net operating loss		\$8.894.822	\$4,856,312
Non-operating income		76,801	91,929
Balance. loss Deficit at beginning of year a Condemnation award Liquidation of substation insurance fu	nd_	15,423,998 Cr598,469	10,709,147 Cr71,874
rayment of pre-receivership claim	allowed by	00 070	C771.874
Adjustment for uncollectible charge Eighth & Ninth Ave. Ry. Co Miscellaneous adjustments	for power to	$\tilde{c}\tilde{r}\tilde{2}\tilde{5}\tilde{0}$	23,063 Cr721
Deficit at end of year		\$23,682,370	\$15,423.999
a Involving property heretofore uti of the 59th Street power station.	lized in conne	ection with the	ne operation

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Comparative Statement of	Resuls from	n Operations	for Years En	ded June 30
Year Ended June 30-	Manhattan	Subway Division I	Manhattan Ry. Division	Subway
Rev. from transportations Other st. ry. oper. rev.				\$39,982,400 3,611,270
Trairie	1,894,275 2,005,965 4,545	4,336,798	\$11,205,349 1,852,584 1,902,038 2,533 5,377,468 1,153,800	4,150,773
Transportation expenses General expenses	5.981,579 1,252,356	9,: 48 15,313,950 2,421,120	5,377,468 1,153,800	4 128 14,481,755 2,202,981
Net oper. revenue	a\$445,330 2,349,935	\$15,163,390 2,307,972	\$916,925 2,250,958	\$18,168,817 2,057,359
Income from operationa Current rent deductions:	\$2,795,265	\$12,855,417		
Int. on Manhattan Ry, bonds (rental)	1,808,240		1,808,240	
city bonds, contracts Nos. 1 and2 (rental) Div. rental at 7% on Manhattan guar't'd		2,624,491		
Manhattan Ry. cash rental	304.570 50,000		304,570 50,000	
Other oper, rent deduc.	50,000 230,229 \$5,188,305		227,883	
Balancea Used for purch. of assets of the enterprise		105,489	аф3,124,121	163,442
Bal.—City & company Payable to city under contract No. 3	\$5,188,305			
Company gross income	400	1		
Company's fixed charges: Interest on 5% bonds. Int. on 1st & ref. 5% bonds coll. to 7%		6,850,773	1,563,077	
notesSink. fd. on 5% bonds Lat. on 10-year 6%	1,271,800 391,482		1,271,800 547,643	1,477,650 1,608,877
notes	112,653 453,708		112,653 473,802	517,347 31,486
Company's net oper. income Non-oper. income		\$86.204	a\$7,693,703	\$2,837,391
Balance before deduct- ing 5% Manhattan dividend rentala Dividend rental at 5% on			68,288 a\$7,625,415	\$2,861,032
Manhattan modified guarantee stock (pay- able if earned)	2,782,450		2,782,450	
Balancea§ Passenger carried2	11,696,977	-	-	
Daily average passengers carried Car mileage				
a Indicates loss or defi Consolidated Bal Assets—	cit.		eceiver—June	30
Fixed capital: Subway Division— Contracts Nos. 1 and	2 and cost	of leases	1938 -\$60,652,808	1937 \$60.571.542
Manhattan Divison—			-127,927,988	127,660,004
Elevated certificates. Construction and equip. tract No. 3 and elevate Investments; Securities of associate				
Securities of associate bonds (See Note 9) United States Government City of New York	ent bonds	deposited wit	12,301,277 12,000	12,000
Real estate Holtgage Voluntary relief fund:			235,069	
Securities			- 33,511 - 126,758	10,252 $126,759$
Cash (See Note 4) Queens improvement f Investment in I. R. T. Investment in securitic Industrial Commissie	ind Co. 5% mo	rtgage bonds	2,564,747 204,943	3,492,671 695,728
				8.718
Due corporate cash from Accounts receivable inc Prepayments (insurance Deposits for specific p	luding inter	est accrued	. 709,498	560,649
Deposits for specific pure trustee, under colla Deposits for interest	with Banke teral indent on I. R. T.	ers Trust Co.	103,964 3,266,350	100,446 5,661,826
Deposits for interes under Manhattan l Sinking fund deposits wit	t and div	idend rental	8	57,033
securing the 1st and re Note 1) Receiver's 1st lien on pro- ment of Aug. 30, 1929 to	grunding o	o bonus (see	3	57,655,124
extensions enterprise, c supplies and securities dustrial Commission Investments, replacement	deposited v	material and with State In	1.461.220	1,380,122
A-C reserves: Depreciation funds (case Contract No. 3				6 674 980
Replacements—	certificate_	Tog 1 and 2	6,784,266	6,674,289 400,000
Of existing railroads, On Manhattan prope Manhattan Ry, constru Manhattan Ry, second amortization of discol	rtyction cash_	105. 1 and 2	79,224 20,937 216,834	58,618 21,537 216,834
Accounts in suspense:	is improved	nent	399,846	15,296
Capital retirements to tion reserve— Manhattan			F 19 19 3 1 1 1	
Accruals in suspense in year 6% notes			1 47 010	264,050
To many and an account	cident to d	efauit on 10-	147,919	197,032
expenses of Manhatta	orders for an Ry. Co.	efault on 10-	108,675 336,539	197,032
expenses of Manhatt Special deposit with 1 Article 7 of agreemer mission dated Aug. 30 Federal taxes paid under	orders for an Ry. Co. N. Y. Trust with Tra	efauit on 10- receivershit (see Note 7) st Co. under nsit Commis	147,919 108,675 336,539 396,013	197,032 89,775 216,328 396,013
Manhattan. Subway Accruals in suspense in year 6% notes. Payments under court expenses of Manhatt Special deposit with 1 Article 7 of agreemer mission dated Aug. 3f Federal taxes paid unde Guaranty Trust Co., refunding mortgage, property Items awaiting distribution	orders for an Ry. Co. N. Y. Trust with Truster ur protest trustee ur proceeds	receivershir (see Note 7) st Co. under nsit Commis	147,919 108,675 336,539 396,013 14,363 1 186,653 29,979	197,032 89,775 216,328 396.013 14,363

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Deferred charges:	1938	1937	
Unamortized debt discount and expense Deferred charge to income for pre-receivership	10,489,541	10,491,225	
tort claims (see Note 8). Deferred charge to profit and loss for dividend rental at 5% on Manhattan Ry. stock payable	941,514	847,104	
if and when earned Deferred accounts: Account receivable when earned by New York Rapid Transit Corp. under supplementary	21,019,008	24,596,858	
Collier Advertising Service Inc. deferred rental	5,182,946 900,000	4,714,772 378,805	
Accounts per contra: Deficits under elevated extensions certificate Deficit accruals under elevated extensions certi-			
Denoit accrease under elevated extensions certa- ficate in suspense (see Note 5). Assets of the Elevated Extensions Enterprise on which the I. R. T. Co. has 1st lien: Material and supplies. Securities deposited with State Industrial	912,765	845,941	
Material and supplies Securities deposited with State Industrial	706,800	735,122	
Deficite contract No. 2	754,420 6,525,524	1,793,289	
Deferred charges covering Transit Commission's objections to contract No. 3 (see Note 5). Assets of the contract No. 3 enterprise on which the City of New York has 1st lien:	4,801,885	4,295,147	
Material and supplies Securities deposited with State Industrial	1,497,309	1,626,399	
Commission Bankers Trust Co., trustee under collateral indenture, securing 7% notes	1,497,580		
indenture, securing 7% notes 1st and refunding mortgage 5% bonds reacquired Guaranty Trust Co., trustee in special trust under agreement dated Sept. 1, 1922	54,989,000 1,334,000	54,989,000 1,334,000	
mortgage of the Manhattan Ry. Co	6,241,000 78,922	6,241,000 78,922	
Advances to subway contribution cash— For construction and equipment— From corporate cash————————————————————————————————————	11,379,252	11,714,225	
For equipment— From Manhattan third tracking cash—— From Elevated extensions cash——	357,970	357,970 395,536	
From Mannattan division power nouse cash		53,933	
Profit and loss, deficit	23,682,370	15,423,998	
Total\$	717,255,962 1938	\$676079,491 1937	
Liabilities— Capital stock (350,000 shares at \$100 each)			
1st and refunding mortgage 5% gold bonds due Jan. 1, 1966 (see Notes 1 and 3)1 Default under collateral indenture of Sept. 1, 1922	72,683,000	172,683,000	
Default under collateral indenture of Sept. 1, 1922 securing 10-year 7% notes (see Note 3)	29,403,578	30,031,294	
securing 10-year 7% notes (see Note 3). Default under indenture of Oct. 1, 1922, providing for the issue of 10-year 6% notes (see Note 3). Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co. (see	14,546,175	13,839,472	
Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co. (see Note 9) Manhattan Ry. Co. lease account	8,731,360 377,323 56,526	7,333,458 377,323 312,704	
Accounts payable from construc, and equip, funds	56,526	312,704	
Current liabilities: Sinking fund on 1st and refunding mortgage 5%	1 110 220	1 110 220	
bonds due July 1 (see Note 2) Interest on 1st and refunding mortgage 5% bonds due July 1 (see Note 2)	1,116,330	1,116,330	
Other interest and rentals. Interest and rentals accrued under Manhattan	5,581,650 984,441	5,581,650 998,266	
lease (see Note 6)	$\substack{4,229,666\\430,923}$	2,905,235	
Outstanding checks issued prior to receivership. Accounts payable, audited vouchers and sundry	8,730	489,493 8,718 1,016,597	
open accounts Distribution in process under collateral indenture of Sept. 1, 1922 Taxes due and accrued	796,063	1,010,097	
Taxes due and accrued Interest on overdue taxes	96,642 $2,011,327$ $12,295$	6,834,108 1,105,473	
	8.061.317	137.011	
Mannatian Kaliway kax liens Trustee for voluntary relief fund Items awaiting distribution Deferred liabilities: Descreeivership tort claims	160,270 1,003,742 941,514	1,194,614 847,103	
Pre-receivership tort claims. Dividend rental at 5% per annum on Manhattan Ry. Co. stock payable if and when earned	27,379,308	24,596,858	
Deferred credits to profit and loss: Def. rental a-c New York Rapid Transit Corp.	5,182,946 900,000	4,714,772 378,806	
Deferred advertising rental Special trust bonds to be withdrawn from sinking fund under court order of July 9, 1935 (eep Note 1)	4,406,000		
(see Note 1) Accruals in suspense incident to default on 10-year 7% notes	2,936,159	2,296,271	
Reserves: For depreciation—			
Prior to operation under contract No. 3 and certificates	1,667,338 6,784,266	1,667,338 6,674,289 400,000	
certificates Contract No. 3 Elevated extensions certificate Cost of replacements 'in kind' in excess of cost of capital retired—	450,000	400,000	
ManhattanSubway	23,740 87,477	23,740 87,477	
Manhattan Subway Signals, subway For replacement of property provided by city retired from service— Contracts Nos. 1 and 2	316,132		
Contract No. 3	92,223 36,440	92,223 35,590	
Replacement of property retired	481,132 216,834	480,091 216,834	
Capital account, additions and bettermentsAmortization of debt discount and expense, second mortgage bonds		25,013	
Receipts from depreciation fund, contract No. 3 for Queens improvement	492,040		
for Queens improvement Sinking fund on 1st and refunding mortgage 5% bonds accrued prior to Jan. 1	58,715,284	53,249,123	
Accounts per contra: Deferred credit—accruals under elevated exten-			
sions certificates (see Note 5)	30,217,188	209,300,663	
agreement of Aug. 30, 1929 have become assets of the Elevated Extensions Enterprise Material and supplies. Denoit with State Industrial Commission	706,801 754,420	735,122 645,000	
Deposit with State Industrial Commission—Deferred credit—accruals under contract No. 3 Transit Commission's objections to accounting under contract No. 3 (see Note 5)	754,420 6,525,524		
Transit Commission's objections to accounting under contract No. 3 (see Note 5)	4,801,885	7,230,147	
Deposit with State Industrial Commission	1,497,309 1,497,580	1,626,399 1,263,000	
1st and refunding mortgage 5% bonds— Pledged as collateral to 10-year 7% notes— Released by Bankers Trust Co., trustee———	54 989 000	54.989.000	
Released by Bankers Trust Co., trustee Issued and held in special trust	1,334,000 6,241,000	54,989,000 1,334,000 6,241,000	
Issued and held in special trust. Contingent liability to replace Manhattan Ry. Co. property Contract No. 3 liability for advances—	78,922	78,922	
From corporate fund for construction and		11 714 005	
equipment	11,379,252	11,714,225 807,439	
equipment\$	807,439		
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Notes in Relation to the General Balance Sheet Including Qualifications Concerning the Corporate Surplus

Notes in Relation to the General Balance Sheet Including Qualifications Concerning the Corporate Surplus

Notes—(1) The amount of sinking fund deposit in excess of accruals to Jan. 1, 1938 consists of \$4,406,000 of bonds paid into the sinking fund from the special trust which under the order of the court of July 9, 1935, are to be withdrawn from the sinking fund. When and if the \$4,406,000 of special trust bonds are withdrawn from the sinking fund the outstanding bonds will be reduced by that amount, the special trust bonds will be correspondingly increased and all the special trust bonds then in the hands of the trustee under the special trust are to be returned to the Interborough Receiver under the court order of July 9, 1935. When this transaction is completed the deferred credit to profit and loss of \$4,406,000 will become an actual credit. As of June 30, 1938, there were \$75,488,000 par value of 1st and refunding mortgage 5% bonds in the sinking fund (which included the \$4,406,000 of bonds hereinabove referred to).

(2) Interest and sinking fund due July 1, 1938 on 1st and refunding mortgage 5% bonds: The total interest payable July 1, 1938 on the outstanding 5% bonds amounts to \$5,581,650. Of this amount, the court has ordered the payment of the interest due July 1, 1938 on bonds outstanding in the hands of the public and bonds pledged as collateral to 7% notes, aggregating \$3,804,600. The interest on the bonds held in the sinking fund due July 1, 1938, amounts to \$1,116,330. Of this amount the court has ordered to be paid that portion payable in cash amounting to \$174,330; the balance of the sinking fund, which may be paid either in bonds or cash, has not been ordered paid.

(3) The 1st and refunding mortgage 5% bonds, the defaulted 7% notes and the defaulted 6% notes, were issued for the following purposes:

and the defaulted 6% notes, were in	ssued for the fe	ollowing purp	oses:
To provide funds for:	5% Bonds	7% Notes	6% Notes
Construction and equip, under co tract No. 3 Manhattan third tracking	\$86.546.463	\$17,021,563 9,904,547	\$8,622,448 1,269,325
Elevated extensions	14,463,237	2,305,583	295,474
Manhattan division power pla	3,602,634	2,440,407	312,753
Refunding of prior obligations Refunding of obligations to t	52,615,000		
Rapid Transit Subway Constru-	IC-		}**- <u></u>
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\$172,683,000 \$31,672,100 \$10,500,000 (4) The separation of the cash in the hands of the receiver into separate funds in accordance with the agreement of Aug. 30, 1929, resulted as of June 30, 1938 in the following:

x Corporate Manhattan division Subway division	Actual Balances \$1,213,034 53,842 1,297,870	Current Adjustment z\$43,485 339,911 z183,675	Pre- ferential \$82,987 z82,987	y393.753
Queens improvement	\$2,564,747 204,943	\$112,750 z112,750		\$2,677,497 92,194
Total	\$2,769,690			\$2,769,690

Total \$2,769.690 \$2,769.690

x Subject to reduction upon settlement of Transit Commission's objections to accounting under contract No. 3.

y These balances are after the transfer from corporate cash to Manhattan operating cash of \$8,385,000, divided as follows: Prior to Aug. 26, 1932, \$600,000; subsequent to Aug. 26, 1932, \$7,785,000. z Indicates red figure. (5) Pending final adjudication of Transit Commission's objections Nos. 41 to 72, inclusive, with interest claimed thereon to Dec. 31, 1933, and blanket objections to items in advance, similar to those contained in the specific objections, all accounting will be maintained on the current basis modified only to the extent of reflecting in the balance sheet and the contractual accounting the transfers to suspense on account of contract No. 3 \$4,801,885, and under the elevated extensions certificate \$912,765, a total of \$5,714,650, this transfer being in accordance with the provisions of the contracts as to the items in the contract accounting which have been specifically objected to and objections in advance.

The effect on the general balance sheet is reflected only to the extent of the items objected to on both the asset and liability sides under the caption "Accounts per Contra."

(6) All payments which the court ordered be paid by Interborough Receiver covering interest on Manhattan Ry. Co. consolidated and second mortgage bonds and taxes assessed against the Manhattan Ry. Co. have been charged against the accruals of such items on the books of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. and the Receiver. These charges against the accruals are not the final disposition of the items because the court reserved the right to determine in the future the question as to what fund or property such payments with or without interest are finally to be charged pending the disposition of the items because the court reserved the right to determine in the future the Manhattan lease shall be affirmed and adopted or disaffirmed and rejected by the Receiver of the Interborough Rapi

borough Rapid Transit Co. Such pay	ments to June	e 30, 1938, ar	re as follows:
	Principal	Interest	Total
Interest on Manhattan Ry. Co. con- solidated mortgage bonds			\$8,950,260
Interest on Manhattan Ry. Co, second mortgage bonds	271,380		271,380
Real estate and special franchise taxes assessed against the Manhattan Ry.			and the load
Co	2,233,714	270,022	2,503,736
Manhattan Ry. Co	77,703	5,399	
Ninth Avenue special franchise tax	2,988	95	3,084
Compensation to City of New York under third tracking certificate	59,737	3,089	62,826
(7) The payments referred to in No	\$11,595,783 ote No. 6, are	e exclusive o	f allowances
made by the court for compensation as Receiver of the Manhattan Ry. Co	nd expenses o		\$69,000
Counsel for Receiver of the Manhat	tan Ry. Co		
Engineers for Receiver of the Manh	attan Ry. C	0	49,781
Accountants for Receiver of the Ma	nhattan Ry.	Co	20,500
Special masterAdvances to receiver for current ex			8,500
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The aggregate of these last mentioned payments is reflected in the balance sheet on the assets' side and designated as "Payments under Court Orders for Receivership Expenses of the Manhattan Ry. Co.," the court having also reserved the right to determine in the future as to what fund or property these payments are finally to be charged.

(8) The amount shown in these accounts represents the total of the pre-receivership tort claims, the settlement of which was approved by orders of the court, viz.—

Application No. 104. Order No. 248, March 20, 1026, 8847, 102 \$336,539

of the court, viz:—
Application No. 104, Order No. 248, March 30, 1936_\$847,103
Application No. 165, Order No. 348, June 23, 1938_94,411
These orders specifically provide that they are claims against the Estate of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. but not against the Receiver, and the payments are not to be made by the Receiver, but are to be subject to the further order of the court.

(9) "Securities of associated companies—stock and bonds," includes the \$12,000,000 cost of capital stock of the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co., against which is the offsetting liability "Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co." for advances, interest thereon and liquidating dividends, amounting to \$8,731,360.

July Earnings—**

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Traffic—The Subway Division during the montn of July carried 52,008,-654 passengers, a decrease of 3,694,575, or approximately 6,63%, as compared with July, 1937. All lines on the division carried less traffic than in the corresponding month of last year, with losses ranging from 3.45% on the Pelham Bay Park Line to 7.24% on the Lexington Avenue Line. The rate of traffic during the month was actually about 2% better than indicated by the above figures as the month had five Sundays as against four in July, 1937. The weather conditions during the latter part of the month were unfavorable and resulted in considerable loss in traffic.

The Manhattan Division during the month of July carried 14,572,021 passengers, a decrease of 1,791,482, or approximately 10.95%, as compared with July, 1937. All lines on the division reported less traffic than

in the corresponding month of last year. Taking into account the irregularity of the calendar, the loss was slightly over 9%. The number of passengers carried on the entire system in July was 66.580.675, a decrease of 5.486,057, or approximately 7.61%, as compared with July, 1937.

Month of July— Gross operating revenue Operating expenses	1938 \$2,931,289 2,197,298	1937 \$3,061.381 2,254,281
Net operating revenue Taxes	\$733,990 183,636	\$807,100 172,772
Income from operationCurrent rent deductions	\$550,354 218,707	\$634,327 218,707
BalanceUsed for purchase of assets of enterprise	\$331,647 37,419	\$415,620 Cr21,883
Balance—City and company Payable to city under Contract No. 3	\$294,228	\$437,503
Gross income from operation Fixed charges	\$294,228 879,324	\$437,503 848,700
Net deficit from operation Non-operating income	\$585,096 774	\$411,196 780
Balance, deficit	1938 \$805,937	\$410,416 1937 \$868,128 895,548
Net operating deficit Rental of jointly operated lines: Queensboro Line. Lexington Avenue Line. White Plains Road Line. Other rent items.	\$123,519 5,098 3,876 3,815	\$27,420 4,975 3,737 3,565 6,539
	\$19.149	\$18,817
Balance, deficit	\$142,668	\$46,237
Intercontinental Rubber Co. (& Su	bs.)—Ear	nings—

6 Months Ended June 30—	1938	1937	1936
Profit from operations	\$41,906	\$298,100	\$83,715
Gen. & sales exps. & miscell, taxes	28,180	29,327	26,591
Shut-down exps. (Mexican plants & California properties)	22,911	35,483	30,343
	\$51,091	\$64,810	\$56,934
Net inc. before taxes & deprec	loss\$9,184	\$233,289	\$26,780
Prov. for U.S. normal income tax also foreign income & other taxes	3,855	33,000	
Net income before depreciation	loss\$13,039	\$200,289	\$26,780
	64.737	45,851	33.988
Net income to surplusEarned deficit, Jan. 1	loss\$77,776	\$154,437	loss\$7,207
	sur108,742	76,172	92,542
Earned surplus, June 30	\$30,966	\$78,265	def\$99,750
Note—Above does not include any	provision 1	for U. S. ta	x on undis-

tributed profits.					
Cor	nparative (Consolidate	d Balance Sheet Ju	ne 30	
Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities—	1938	1937
Cash on hand and			Drafts payable	\$11,640	\$11,053
demand deposit_	\$508.242	\$430,655	Accounts payable.	25,929	41,702
Acctstrade accept			Sundry reserves	77,508	51,984
& notes receiv'le		74,402	Minority int.in sub	7,200	7,200
Shrub & rubber on			a Cap.stk.(no par)		
hand. &c	230,584	108.615	Intercont. Rub-		
Materials & suppl.		95,517	ber Co		2,980,020
Fixed assets (net)_	3.191,294	3,328,993	Capital surplus		1,003,312
Pat'ts, trade names			Earned surplus	30,966	78,265
&c		1			
Secs. owned	740				
Advs claims and					
deposits	31,883				
Prepaid & def. chgs	64,117	98,014			
Treas. stock (172					
shares at stated	860	860			
varuo,		100000			

Total \$4,136,576 \$4,173,538 Total \$4,136,576 \$4,173,538 A Authorized, 604,000 shares; issued to June 30, 1938, 595,578 shares (595,577 shares in 1937) remaining to be issued to complete exchanges under 1926 reorganization plan, 426 shares (427 shares in 1937); total, 596,004, shares, stated at \$5 per share.—V. 146, p. 3340.

Jacksonville Gas Co.—Earnings-12 Months Ended June 30— Gross operating revenues_____Operating expenses_____ 1938 \$588,016 355,748 \$577,996 342,906 Net operating income... Non-operating income... \$232,268 12,259 \$235,090 4,642 \$244,527 124,022 125,197 \$239,732 126,962 129,776 aCr3,176 aCr3,212 \$13,794 1,187

International Utilities Corp. (& Subs.)-Earnings-

6 Months Ended June 30— Operating revenue Other income	\$3,708,312 222,240	\$3,783,417 247,133
Total income_ Operations_ Maintenance Taxes—other than Federal and Dominion income_ Provision for bad debts_ Provision for amortization and depreciation_ Interest on funded deat of subsidiaries_ Other interest. Amortization of deot discount & expense of subs_ Provision for amort, of deferred charges of subs_ Provision for Federal and Dominion income taxes_ Dividends on preferred stocks of subsidiaries_	\$3,930,552 1,531,317 225,771 386,908 15,886 368,184 624,684 27,372	\$4,030,550 1,521,259 240,766 348,763 17,944 365,546 617,644 41,392 34,731 16,482 142,535 237,096
ProfitNon-recurr.inc.—propor. of inc. of subs. sold in '37	\$339,870	\$446,393 11,832
Total Propor. applic. to minority ints. in com.stk of subs	\$339,870 19,410	\$458,226 46,222
Consolidated net earnings Dividends paid on \$7 prior preferred stock Dividends paid on \$3.50 prior preferred stock	x\$320,459 20,466 258,480	\$412,,004 36,693 340,692

x Net income is stated exclusive of profits of \$60,166 and losses of \$23,454 on sale. of securities, and loss of \$31,257 on securities written off, which amounts have been respectively credited or charged to capital surplus, and

of profits of \$2,996 and losses of \$27,769 on sales of securities by a subsidiary, which amounts have been respectively credited or charged to reserve provided out of capital surplus in prior year.

Note—No provision has been made for any possible Federal surtax on undistributed profits.

Consolide	ated Balanc	e Sheet June 30	1 10
Assets— 1938	1937 \$	Liabilities— 1938	1937 \$
y Fixed capital 36,914,679	36,863,656	Fund. dbt. of subs.24,202,201	
Investments 4,220,393	5,713,151	Notes pay, to bks_ 815,057	
Special deposits 659,943	632,239	Munic, deb. instsl.	A MENTER
Cash 711.023	783,018	matur. within 1	
For'gn current re-		yr. & fund. debt	
strict.at est.net		matured 24,858	28,955
realizable values	28,119	Accur. int. paya 161,220	169,323
Marketable securs. 2,907,886	4,427,424	Prov. for Fed. &	
Loans rec.—securd	86,220	Dom. inc. taxes_ 205,374	199,355
Securities sold and		Other accr. taxes 190,264	191,729
undelivered	643,468	Accts. pay. & ac-	
Accts. & notes recv 897,655	913,919	crued expenses 312,686	404,817
Divs. & acer. int.		Divs. on pref. stks.	
receivable 45,556	27,588	of subs., paya. &	
Appliances instal'd		accrued 22,513	
on rent. or ap-		Other curr. iiabil 169,008	
proval, les res_ 25,052		Cons. & other re-	and other con-
Inventories 490,839	441,336		
Other rec., not cur. 48,368	26,532		
Prepaid exps. & de-		Reserves 1,001,060	853,923
ferred charges 1,655,657	1,668,703		
		subsidiaries 8,674,578	
	110 100	Capital stockx9,331,162	
		Capital surplus 479,459	
	11.0	Earned surplus 2,310,308	2,249,115
Total48,577,053	52,277,840	Total48,577,053	52,277,840
		horized, 600,000 shares w	

x Represented by prior pref. authorized. 600,000 shares without par value issued; \$7 initial series, 3,668 shares; \$3.50 series of 1931, 98,979.15 shares. Pref.: authorized, 1000,000 shares without par value; issued, \$1.75 series of 1931, 71,767.96, class A authorized, 154,708 shares without par value; issued \$9,646 shares; class B: authorized, 2,500,000 shares of \$1 par value; issued, 1,252,294 shares. y After reserves —V. 146, p. 2373.

Island Creek Coal Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

Period End. June 30— 1938—3 Mos.—1937 1938—6 Mos.—1937

X Net profit———— \$100.344 \$213.487 \$427.563 \$615.316

y Earnings per share.—— \$0.10 \$0.30 \$0.59 \$0.90

x After depreciation, depletion, Federal income taxes, &c. y On 593.865

common stock (\$1 par).—V. 147, p. 1196.

Jewel Tea Co., Inc.—Earnings—
28 Weeks Ended— July 16, 38 July 17, 37 July 11, 36 July 13, 35

Net sales	\$12,773,166	\$12,387,736	\$10,600,768	\$10,010,241
Cost of sales, exp., de- preciation, &c	11,131,399	10,698,324	8,987,350	8,796,928
Operating profitOther income	\$1,641,767 151,099	\$1,689,412 148,310	\$1,613,418 115,486	\$1,213,313 98,900
Total income Reserved for taxes Other reserves	\$1,792,866 593,041 506,304	\$1,837,722 542,451 528,199		\$1,312,213 330,217 377,307
Net profit Previous surplus	\$693,522 2,618,479	\$767,074 2,410,674	\$875,851 2,334,986	\$604,687 1,860,613
Total surplus Common dividends Adjust. aris. from sale of	\$3,312,001 830,622	\$3,177,747 827,832	\$3,210,837 681,278	\$2,465,301 405,582
com. stk. to employees		Cr50,524	Cr46,912	Cr17,335
Profit & loss surplus Earns. per sh. on 280,000		\$2,400,439	\$2,576,472	\$2,077,054
(no par) shares	\$2.48	\$2.74 ace Sheet	\$3.13	\$2.16
July16, '	38 July 17, '37	71	July16,	38 July17,'37

(no par) shares	\$2.48	\$2.74	\$3.13	\$2.16
	Balanc	e Sheet		
July16, '38	July17, '37		July16,'38	July17,'37
Assets— \$	\$	Liabilities-	- \$	8
x Capital assets 2,599,160	2,509,132	y Common stock _	4.935.462	4.935,462
Goodwill 1	1	Letters of credit &		
Inventories 2.372.361	2.960,731	acceptances	356,989	155,751
z Accts, receivable 213,151	237.274	Accounts payable_	245,248	248.676
Investments 2,440,905	1.885,701			A TO SHOW THE
Trust funds 509,607	544.514		328,904	356,015
Life insur, policies 60,801		Divs. payable	280,000	280,000
Cash 1.102.676			552,731	565.770
Com, stock held	001,021	Sundry accruals		30,835
	156,709		00,101	00,000
for employees 112,323	100,700	purchases	70.179	73.331
Miscell, invest. &	04.000			
deposits 30,573	34,200	Res. for conting	285,000	285,000
Loans to empl 12,228	7,502	Res. for auto acci-		
Deferred charges 1,094,379	1,069,853	dents and fire		
		losses	198,021	183,267
		Res. for alter., im-		
		prove. & devel'p	225,160	238,156
1일 11 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12		Surety deposits	509,607	544.514
		Surplus		2,400,439
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Total 10,548,164 10,297,218 Total 10,548,164 10,297,218 x After depreciation of \$1,512,094 in 1938 and \$1,353,038 in 1937. Represented by 280,000 shares no par value. z After deducting reserve or dubtful accounts.—V. 147, p. 894.

Joslyn Mfg. & Supply Co.--50-Cent Dividend-

Joslyn Mfg. & Supply Co.—50-Cent Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the common stock payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Sept. 3. A regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents per share was paid on March 15, last. In a letter to stockholders, M. L. Joslyn, President, stated that the company proposes no return to a regular dividend basis, until conditions are again normal, although it will consider the payment of such part of the earnings as can readily be spared from operating capital. Further consideration of dividends will be made toward the close of the year with the full year's operations in view, he stated. "Our outlook continues to be very favorable and further improvement will be reflected in our dividend record as rapidly as sound procedure warrants."—V. 147, p. 1196.

(Mead) Johnson & Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

6 Mos. End. June 30—Gross profit from opers_Shipping & selling exp_AdvertisingAdmin. & gen. expense_	1938 \$2,099,947 488,315 426,924 238,140	1937 \$1,983,658 431,303 416,346 229,366	1936 \$1,765,175 391,522 335,183 220,018	1935 \$1,491,163 352,618 330,078 199,849
Operating profit Other income	\$946,567 19,507	\$906,642 20,992	\$818,450 22,791	\$608,618 49,931
Total incomeOther deductions	\$966,074 22,760	\$927,634 40,630	\$841,241 43,148	\$658,549 23,894
Prov. for U. S. and Can. income taxes.	161,531	127,176	116,495	82,619
Loss of unconsolidated subsidiary, &c	19,590	23,640		
Net profit Preferred dividends Common dividends	\$762,193 59,500 495,000	\$736,187 59,500 495,000	\$681,599 59,500 412,500	\$552,035 59,500 330,000
Surplus	\$207,693	\$181,687	\$209,599	\$162,535
Earns, per sh. on 165,000 shs. com. stk. (no par) Note—Provision for d included in the above sta	\$4.26 lepreciation tement for 1	of property.	plant and	\$2.98 equipment,

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Land, bldgs. & eq. \$2,820,8 Cash		x Common s Accts. pay. a expenses	tock 550,0 & accr.	550,000
Invest, in sub. not consol	94 689,594	Dividends p Unpaid inst	ayable 307,0	307,000
Accts. receivable 277,3 Inventories 1,626,9 Cash val. of life ins.	49 285,688 65 1,842,446	Federal ta Reserve for i taxes	ncome 162,8	330 130,835
& premiums paid in advance 192,6 Other assets 97,8 Goodwill 192,6		Surplus	4,952,8	364 4,879,673
Trade marks, pa- tents & formulae 32,9		La Labora		
Total\$8,159,4	75 \$8,106,290			\$8,106,290
x Represented by 165 Kansas City Po				
Period End. July 31-	1938-Mo	nth—1937 \$1,453,909		Mos.—1937 \$17,370,546
Gross earnings Oper. exps. (incl. maint & gen. & property tax)	\$1,373,981 707,287	725,152	8,507,593	
Net earnings Interest charges	\$666,693 113,394	\$728,757 114,969	\$8,898,683 1,380,789	\$8,997,394 1,437,308
Amort. of disct. & prems Depreciation Amort. of limited-term	191.042	8,496 187,863	1,380,789 102,479 2,274,069	1,437,308 103,197 2,236,238
investments Miscell. inc. deductions. Fed. & State inc. taxes	2,633	3,979 5,363 78,003	24,899 67,195 850,014	20,590 69,056 579,185
Net profit and loss Earns, per share common	\$286,173 \$0.51	\$330,083 \$0.59	\$4,199,237 \$7.54	\$4,551,819
Note—No deduction is any imposed on undistri				
Kansas City Pu	blic Service	ce Co.—E		
Period Ended July 31— Operating revenues	1938— <i>Ma</i> \$501,420 435,807	mth—1937 \$530,436 446,735	1938—12 \$6.615,827	Mos.—1937 \$7,774.117 5,282,005
Operating expenses Net oper. revenue	\$65,613 22,780	\$83,701 24,912		\$1,492,111
General taxes Social security taxes	10,308	8,322	\$1,231,326 257,463 112,935	288,568 66,130
Operating income Non-operating income	\$32,523	\$50,466 130	\$860,928	\$1,137,413 10,732
Gross income Interest on funded debt_ Other fixed charges Depreciation	\$32,660 40,379 8,260 70,806	\$50,596 41,333 5,501 72,275	\$864,063 487,730 79,103 857,662	\$1,148,144 444,147 78,314 858,181
Net deficit	\$86,786	\$68,514	\$560,433	\$232,498
-V. 147, p. 576. Kansas Electric	Power Co	.—Earnin	as—	
Period End. June 30— Operating revenues	1938—3 Me \$604,678	os.—1937 \$601,931	1938—12 A \$2,491,084	Mos.—1937 \$2,434,470
Oper. exps. and taxes Net oper. income	\$159,303	\$180,607	1,794,800	1,650,538 \$783,933
Other income (net)	\$159,603	\$180,795	\$696,284 1,201 \$697,485	\$786,417
Int. & other deduc'ns Net income	\$105.193	\$2,868	208,039 \$489,446	353,435 \$432,982
Pref. stock dividends	44,682	44,682	178,729	178,729
Balance	\$60,511	\$53,245	\$310,717	\$254,253
Kansas Gas & E Period Ended July 31—				Mas -1027
Operating revenues Oper. exps., incl. taxes_ Amort. of limited-term	1938— <i>Mo</i> \$521,553 281,074	\$519,906 286,269	1938—12 1 \$6,249,719 3,342,483	\$6,084,298 3,175,976
investments Prop'y retire. res. approp	55,000	50,000	3,008 635,000	600,000
Net oper revenues Other income (net)	\$184,948 542	\$183,637 1,574	\$2,269,228 12,873	\$2,308,229 16,444
Gross income Int. on mortgage bonds_	\$185,490 60,000	\$185,211 60,000	\$2,282 101 720,000	\$2 324 673 720,000
Int. on debenture bonds Other int. & deductions_ Int. charged to construc_	15,000 9,220 Cr11,537	15,000 7,280	180,000 106,258 Cr27,583	180,000 102,492 Cr2,034
Net income Dividends applicable to	\$112.807	\$102 931	\$1,303,426	\$1,324,215
Palance	unpaid		520,784	520,784
-V. 147, p. 743.			\$782,642	\$803,431
Kansas Power C	1938-3 Ma	s —1937		fos.—1937
Oper. expenses & taxes	\$395,984 283,405	\$387,792 272,621	1938—12 A \$1,679,437 1,139,418	1,078,201
Net oper. income Other income (net)	\$112,578 129	\$115,171 191	\$540,019 841	\$512,455 951
Int. & other deductions_	\$112,708 79,078	\$115,361 76,908	\$540,860 315,330	\$513,406 306,845
Net income Pref. stock dividends	\$33,630 29,885	\$38,453 29,885	\$225,530 119,540	\$206,561 119,540
Balance	\$3,745	\$8,568	\$105,990	\$87,022
Kentucky Utilit			Earnings-	-
Period End. June 30— Operating revenues—— Oper exps. and taxes——	1938—3 Mos \$2,188,781 1,387,369	*.—a1937 \$2,129,026 1,366,580	1938—12 Me \$9,045,796 5,750,988	\$8,739,277 5,438,338
Net oper. income	\$801,412 23,098	\$762,446 25,977	\$3,294,808 159,866	\$3,300,938 113,766
Other income (net)				
Gross income Int. and other deductions	\$824,510 546,938	\$788,424 549,227	\$3,454,674 2,194,802	\$3,414,704 2,194,497
Gross income	\$824,510 546,938 \$277,572 114,016	\$788,424 549,227 \$239,196 114,016	\$3,454,674 2,194,802 \$1,259,872 456,066	\$3,414,704 2,194,497 \$1,220,207 456,066

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In	ome Accour	at (Company (Onlu)	
Period End. June 30— Operating revenues Oper. exps. and taxes	1938-3 Me		1938—12 M \$7,112,803 4,511,831	os.—a1937 \$6,789,483 4,187,475
Net oper. income Other income (net)	\$640,033 14,472	\$610,981 15,055	\$2,600,972 133,317	\$2,602,008 85,788
Gross incomeInterest and other deduc.	\$654,506 397,380	\$626,036 397,266	\$2,734,289 1,591,211	\$2,687,793 1,587,174
Net income Divs. on 6% pref. stock_	\$257,125 . 114,016	\$228,770 114,016	\$1,143,078 456,066	\$1,100,619 456,066
Balance before divs, on 7% junior pref. stk. a Adjustments made su periods ended that date h p. 271.	\$143,109 bsequent to ave been gi		\$687,012 37, but appli n these figure	\$644,553 cable to the s.—V. 147
(Julius) Kayser &		Subs.)—		
Assets— \$ 1938	1937 \$	Liabilities-	- 1938 - \$	1937 \$
a Land, bldgs.,ma- chinery & equip_ 1,750,103 Pat'ts, tradem'ks,	1,832,989	Employees' p Com. stk.(par Bonds and m	*\$5)_ 1,960.00	50 559,252 00 2,000,000
and goodwill 1,720,159 Cash 1,728,051	1,427,866 1,487,017	of affiliated Accounts pay Res. for addit	able 51,75 tional	00 4,400 54 114,822
Notes & accts. rec. (less reserve) 1,344,180 Dep. with mutual	1,234,372	duties on year's impo Res. for Fed.	rts 8,23	34 11,255
insurance cos 72,176 Sundry debtors 27.548	63,195 121,490	sundry credit	s and	95,000
Inventories 2,978,455 Deferred charges 58,117	4,190,497	liabilities ac Taxes, prior y Res. for poss.	ears. 81,87	00 416,511 0 36,212
		on for'n pur Other reserve.	rch 85,00 7,53	7
		Earned surplu	s 4,090,49 s 2,532,54	5 4.513.890
Total 9,678,790 a After depreciation of Note—Earnings for yea Aug. 20, Vol. 147, page Kentucky Power	\$6,399,356 r ended Jur 1197. & Light	in 1938 and ne 30 appear	nings—	n 1937. hronicle'' of
reriou Ena. June 30-	\$159,345	\$157,524 112,607	\$668,062 505,298	fos.—a 1937 \$657,075 511,535
Operating exp. & taxes	***************************************	-		
Net oper. income Other income	\$39,098 1,953	\$44.917 Dr42	\$162,763 3,290	\$145,540 Dr598
Operating revenues Operating exp. & taxes Net oper. income Other income Gross income Int. & other deductions	***************************************	\$44,917	\$162,763 3,290 \$166,053 150,437	Dr598
Net oper, income Other income Gross income Int. & other deductions Net income	\$39,098 1,953 \$41,052 37,212 \$3,839	\$44,917 Dr42 \$44,875 37,835 \$7,040	\$166,053 150,437 \$15,615	\$144,942 145,867
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Net oper. income Gross income Int. & other deductions_ Net income a Adjustments made suiperiods ended that date have 146, p. 3808. Keystone Steel & Years End. June 30— Net sale Net sale Net profit after deprec.	\$39,098 1,953 \$41,052 37,212 \$3,839 becquent to twe been give	\$44,917 Dr42 \$44,875 37,835 \$7,040 June 30, 193 ren effect to i	\$166.053 150,437 \$15,615 37, but applied these figur \$gs—	Dr598 \$144,942 145,867 loss\$925 cable to the es.
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Lake Superior D	strict Po	wer Co	-Earnings-	
Period End. June 30—	1938—3 M	fos.—1937	1938—6 M	os.—1937
Operating revenues	\$501,028	\$480,017	\$1,023,018	\$965,972
Oper, expenses and taxes	323,981	308,409	684,906	642,294
Net oper. income	\$177,047	\$171,608	\$338,112	\$323,678
Other income (net)	8,677	8,658	14,904	16,965
Gross income	\$185,725	\$180.266	\$353,016	\$340,643
Int. and other deductions	62,530	64,428	125,190	127,255
Net income	\$123,194	\$115,837	\$227,826	\$213,388
Pref. stock divs. paid	59,179	59,179	118,358	118,358
Bal. avail. to com. stkV. 146, p. 3506.	\$64,014	\$56,658	\$109,467	\$95,029

Lakey Foundry & Machine Co.—Earnings—

Period End. July 31— 1938—3 Mos.—1937 1938—9 Mos.—1937

Net profit.—— \$1,258 \$62,166 \$11,366 \$124,766

x After depreciation, &c., but before Federal income taxes.—V. 146, p. 3506.

Lamson & Sessions Co.—Earnings— 6 Mos. End. June 30— 1938 1937 1936 1935 Loss after exps., taxes, depreciation, &c.— \$242,676 z\$434,783 z\$101,051 \$104,340 Earns. per sh. on 274,269 shares common stock. Nil \$1.46 Nil Nil x Before Federal income taxes and before Federal surtax on undistributed profits. y Before surtax on undistributed profits. z Profits. Consolidated Balance Sheet

		onsomunea	Dutance Sheet		
Assets-	une 30 '38	Dec. 31 '37	Liabilities J	une 30 '38	Dec. 31 '37
Cash	\$200,629	\$186.018	Accounts payable_	\$86.561	\$139,479
x Accts. & notes rec			RFC payments		65,000
Inventory	1,283,359	1,657,072	Accrued liabilities_	138,541	190,955
Other assets	46,359		Long-term debt	782,000	795,000
Permanent assets.	4,245,256	4,229,474	7% cum. pf. stock	950,800	950,800
Deferred assets	19,015	16,381	Common stock		3,715,796
			Capital surplus	157,775	157,775
			Surplus	554,820	554,820
			Profit and loss		
			Treasury stock	D778,069	$D\tau 78,069$

Total......\$6,065,547 \$6,491,556 | Total......\$6,065,547 \$6,491,556 x After reserve of \$16,963.—V. 147, p. 1197.

Lane Wells Co.—Registers with SEC—
See list given on first page of this department.—V. 147, p. 272.

Lehigh Power Securities Corp.—To Pay 20-Cent Div.—
Directors have declared a dividend of 20 cents per share on the common stock, no par value, payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 22. Like amounts were paid on June 1 and on Feb. 26 last; a dividend of 10 cents was paid on Dec. 23, 1937; 20 cents paid on Sept. 1, June 1, and on March 1, 1937; 33 cents paid on Dec. 23, 1936; 20 cents paid on Oct. 1, June 1, and March 2, 1936, and on Dec. 30, 1935; 25 cents paid on Sept. 3, 1935; 34 cents paid on June 1 and March 1, 1935; 70 cents on Dec. 29, 1934, and 25 cents per share distributed on the first day of March, June, September and December of 1934, 1933, and 1932.—V. 145, p. 4119.

Lehigh Valley RR.—Plan to Avert Bankruptcy Approved by Institutional Investors and Government Agencies—

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D. J. Kerr, President, announced Aug. 25 that definite approval of its pian to avert bankruptcy or receivership had been given by Government agencies and a substantia number of institutional holders of its securities. Institutional holders include all the larger insurance companies and interested savings banks and trust companies. Agreements from the rank and file of bondholders will now be actively sought.

For some months the management of Lehigh Valley and the finance committee of its boad of directors has been considering a plan contemplating the receipt of temporary financial assistance by, but with no ultimate loss to the company's bondholders. Under this plan it is proposed to extend three of the company's subsidiary mortgages for 10 years as follows:

Pennsylvania & New York Canal & RR. mortgage, \$8,500,000, covering the line between Wilkes-Barre and the New York State line, from its maturity date, April 1, 1939, to April 1, 1949.

Lehigh Valley Rail Way 4½% mortgage, \$15,000,000, generally speaking, covering the company's line in New York State from its maturity date on July 1, 1940, to July 1, 1950.

Lehigh Valley Terminal Ry. (now Lehigh Valley RR. of N. J.) 5% mortgage, \$10,000,000, covering the line from South Plainfield to the Jersey City Terminal, from its maturity date on Oct. 1, 1941, to Oct. 1, 1951.

The plan further provides, in order to give the company immediate cash, the extension of 75% of five interest maturities on the company's gen. consol. mtge, bonds—\$72,336,000 outstanding in the hands of the public—for five years beginning with Nov. 1, 1938, in other words, 75% of the Nov. 1, 1938, May 1 and Nov. 1, 1939, and May 1 and Nov. 1, 1938, and \$2,338,000 in each of the years of 1939 and 1940.

Arrangements with the holders of the present bank and Reconstruction finance Corporation loans whereby the fixed principal amounts required to \$11,000, the remainder of the principal becoming pa

essary. "The railroad company does not have the cash to meet its obligations during the remainder of this year," Mr. Kerr stated, "and unless the plan is consummated, the management has little hope of avoiding a reorganization through receivership or bankruptcy with the delays, waste and expense incident thereto."—V. 147, p. 1039.

Lexington Utilities Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

Period End. June 30— Operating revenues Oper. exps. and taxes	1938–3 Ma \$430,696 313,107	sa1937 \$424,169 310,576	$^{1938-12}_{\$1,773,943}_{1,255,809}$	%1,819,830 1,333,671
Net oper. income	\$117,588	\$113,593	\$518,134	\$486,158
Other income (net)	9,711	10,968	41,867	45,394
Gross income	\$127,300	\$124,562	\$560,001	\$531,552.
Int. & other deductions_	69,288	70,382	278,321	276,414
Net incomePref. stock div. require'ts	\$58,012	\$54,180	\$281,680	\$255,138
	39,947	40,110	159,939	160,914

a Adjustments made subsequent to June 30, 1937, but applicable to the periods ended that date, have been given effect to in these figures.—V. 146, p. 3958.

Liberty Loan Corp.—Earnings—

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6 Months Ended June 30—	1938	1937
Gross volume of business	\$1,437,162	\$1,816,166
Net earnings after all charges, incl. prov. for Fed.		
income taxes	51.238	50.845
-V 145 p 4120		

Liquid Carbonic Corp.—20-Cent Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 20 cents per share on the capital stock, payable Sept. 26 to holders of record Sept. 19. Like amounts were paid on July 1 and on April 1, last. See V. 146, p. 3507 for record of previous dividend payments.

W. K. McIntosh, Chairman of the Board, stated that since the company is still subject in year ended Sept. 30, to the undistributed profits tax, directors will meet again Sept. 14 to consider the advisability of a special year-end dividend, also to be payable Sept. 26.—V. 147, p. 1197.

Lockheed Aircraft Corp.—Earnings

6 Mos. End. June 30-	\$151,074	1937 \$281,563	1936 \$40,213	$^{1935}_{\$152,935}$
Earns. per sh. on com- mon stock	\$0.23	\$0.43	\$0.08	\$0.37

x'After interest, depreciation, amortization of development and Federal income taxes.—V. 147, p. 118.

Loft, Inc. (& Subs.) - Earnings-

x After depreciation, amortization and setting up reserves for taxes and other charges.

Stockholders' Committee Issues Statement—
Indicating that action would be taken to attack the Phoenix options to purchase 400,000 shares of Loft, Inc., stock, the stockholders committee for Loft in a communication to stockholders responded to questions suggested by James W. Carkner, President of Loft, Inc., in a letter to stockholders dated July 27, 1938.
Referring to the attitude of the committee in respect to the litigation of Loft, Inc., against Guth, et al, involving the ownership of Pepsi-Cola Co., the letter states:

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Referring to the attitude of the committee in respect to the litigation of Loft, Inc., against Guth, et al, involving the ownership of Pepsi-Cola Co., the letter states:

(1) To make sure that any settlement of the litigation does not involve any sacrifice of stockholders' rights and interests. Because of the character of the litigation, a decision favorable to Loft may still be followed by a settlement of the many controversies between Loft, Inc., and Charles G. Guth et al, which will survive such a decision. The interests of Loft stockholders in such settlement must be independently protected. The interests of most of Loft stockholders in such a settlement are very different from those of Phoenix Securities Corp. as a creditor and as a holder of options to purchase a large amount of Loft stock at very low prices.

(2) As a result of the transactions with Phoenix Securities Corp. and as a result of the reputedly tremendous contingent counsel fees that Loft has agreed to pay out of any recovery, it appears that the stockholders of Loft Inc., will have left only a fraction of the ultimate recovery to be dvideid among themselves. Since the suit against Guth et al. is one of the principal assets of the company, stockholders at large must protect themselves against a dissipation of their interests in this asset through options conferred upon Phoenix Securities Corp. and through excessive and unconscionable counsel fees.

(3) Stockholders must be alert to prevent a dissipation of proceeds of the recovery in the Guth suit through the unfortunate management which this company has suffered for many years. The management has shown a remarkable capacity for squandering and dissipating money. Why permit it to continue its waste when new funds are obtained?

The committee is letter states further that:

"The members of the committee are not stockholders of Loft, but they were requested by stockholders as a committee be

business activity analogous to departments of the Loft business or in a field in which Loft has special problems; additional disinterested experts were hired by the committee. One of the members of the committee is a leading chain store real estate expert; another is a reputable management and financial adviser; the Chairman is probably the leading representative of security holders in the United States. These stockholders of Loft wanted expert advice with respect to business matters involving the Loft company. Obviously the qualifications of the members of this committee to act as experts are not affected by their not being owners of Loft stock."—V. 147, p. 895.

Lone Star Gas Corp.—\$20,000,000 Debentures Offered—A group of underwriters headed by Mellon Securities Corp. on Aug. 25 offered a new issue of \$20,000,000 15-year 3½% sinking fund debentures, due Aug. 1, 1953. The debentures, dated Aug. 1, 1938, were offered at 102 and accrued interest.

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Principal and interest (F. & A.) payable at principal office of Union Trust Co., Pittsburgh, trustee, or, at option of holder, at principal office of Bankers Trust Co., New York. Corporation agrees to reimburse holders of debentures for any Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or local Pennsylvania personal property taxes not exceeding 5 mills. Coupon bonds in denom. of \$1,000, registerable as to principal only. Sinking fund payments to be made, as provided in the indenture, on Dec. 20, 1942, and on each June 20 and Dec. 20 thereafter to and incl. June 20, 1953, sufficient, in the aggregate, to retire the entire amount of the issue. Debentures are redeemable for sinking fund purposes on Feb. 1, 1943, and on any interest date thereafter, by lot, upon 30 days' notice at 102 on or before Aug. 1, 1945, at 101 thereafter on or before Aug. 1, 1948, and without premium thereafter; in each case with accrued interest. Also redeemable at option of corporation, otherwise than through the sinking fund, at any time, in whole or in part on 30 days' notice at following percentages of principal amount: on or before Aug. 1, 1941, 105; thereafter on or before Aug. 1, 1944, 104; thereafter on or before Aug. 1, 1947, 103; thereafter on or before Aug. 1, 1949, 102; thereafter on or before Aug. 1, 1951, 101; thereafter without premium; in each case with accrued interest.

Any of the debentures may be converted into common stock of the corporation at any time before Aug. 1, 1945, at rate of \$13-51-73 per share. Listing—The corporation has agreed to make application, when requested by Mellon Securities Corp., for the listing of the debentures on the New York Stock Exchange and their registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Purpose—Net proceeds (approximately \$19,871,440) together with ne proceeds of \$11.300,000 new bank loan notes dated Aug. 22

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Purpose—Net proceeds (approximately \$19.871,440) together with net proceeds of \$11,300,000 new bank loan notes dated Aug. 22, 1938, will be used for following purposes:

Reden ption on or before Nov. 1, 1938, of 79.770 shares of Lone Star Gas Corp. preferred stock (6½% cum.) \$100 par at \$110 per share—

To advance to Dallas Gas Co. for redemption on or before Oct. 1, 1938, of 1,079 shares of 7% preferred stock, \$100 par, at \$110 per share—

To advance to Council Bluffs Gas Co. for redemption on or before Nov. 1, 1938, of \$951,000 1st mtge. 5% gold bonds, series of 1938 (due 1948), at 101% of principal amount thereof

To advance to County Gas Co. for redemption on or before Oct. 1, 1938, of \$1,600,000 1st mtge. 5% gold bonds, due 1946 (second series) at 105% of principal amount thereof

To advance to Dallas Gas Co. for redemption on or before Oct. 1, 1938, of \$1,783,500 1st mtge. 6% gold bonds due 1941 (second series), at 102% of principal amount thereof

To advance to Texas Cities Gas Co. for redemption on or before Oct. 1, 1938, of \$1,783,500 1st mtge. 6% gold bonds due 1941 (second series), at 102% of principal amount thereof

To advance to Texas Cities Gas Co. for redemption on or before Oct. 1, 1938, of \$3,827,000 1st mtge. 5% gold bonds, series of 1928 (due 1948), at 101% of the principal amount thereof.

Payment on or before Sept. 1, 1938 of principal amount of \$8,400,000 old bank loan notes Aug. 2, 1937, due in instal-

series of 1928 (due 1948), at 101% of the principal amount-thereof.

Payment on or before Sept. 1, 1938 of principal amount of \$8,400,000 old bank loan notes Aug. 2, 1937, due in instalments maturing Feb. 1, 1939, to Aug. 1, 1942, at 100% of the principal amount thereof.

To advance to Lone Star Gas Co. for payment on or before Sept. 1, 1938, of principal amount of \$5,100,000 old bank loan notes Aug. 2, 1937, due in instalments maturing Feb. 1, 1939, to Aug. 1, 1942, at 100% of the principal amount thereof To advance to subsidiaries for working capital purposes.

\$31,171,440 Total. \$31,171,440
Capitalization—Upon the issue and sale of the \$20,000,000 of debentures being offered and application of net proceeds together with proceeds of the \$11,300,000 new bank loan notes, dated Aug. 22, 1938, to redemption or retirement of preferred stocks and debt of the corporation and certain of its subsidiaries, the outstanding capitalization of the corporation, consolidated, tabulated as of June 30, 1938, but reflecting the issuance of the obligations as aforesaid, will be as follows:

Authorized Outstanding

as defined in the indenture shall occur.

y By resolution of directors, corporation has reserved 1,460,000 shares of its common stock for conversion of the debentures. The number of shares so reserved was determined on the assumption that the debentures would be converted into common stock on the basis of \$13 51-73 per share, the basic conversion price at which debentures are convertible.

History and Business

Corporation was incorp. Jan. 23, 1926, in Delaware. Business consists chiefly of holding and owning stocks and obligations of eight operating subsidiaries, all of the capital stock of which it owns (except directors' qualifying shares and except 1,079 shares of preferred stock of Dallas Gas Co. presently to be redeemed, and 66 shares out of 540,000 shares of outstanding common stock of Lone Star Gas Co.). Corporation also owns 30% of the capital stock of Northern Natural Gas Co.

The Lone Star System is principally engaged in the production, purchase, transmission and distribution of natural gas in portions of the States of Texas and Oklahoma and in the purchase and distribution of natural gas in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa. The System sells natural gas at retail in 293 cities and other communities, the largest of which are: Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso, Galveston, Waco, Wichita Falls, San Angelo and Abilene, Texas, and Council Bluffs, Iowa. The combined population of the communities served, as shown by the 1930 Federal census, was 1,351,423.

13	46			\boldsymbol{F}	inancial	Chronicle	Aug. 2	7, 1938
Mainte	per.revenues	(Stated Period Calendar Year 1936 \$20,086,247 915,434	\$1937 \$21.045.799	12 Mos.End. June 30, '38 \$20,048,829 1,099,326	Loomis-Sayles Second Fund, Inc.— Years Ended June 30— Income—Dividends———————————————————————————————————	1938 \$144,605 86,928	1937 \$150,454 8,229
Taxes incor Other o	(other than Fed. me) operating exps operating income_	1,288,581 6,638,547 \$8,797,696	1,373,782 7,313,171 \$10,483,860	1,494,279 7,934,397 \$10,613,271	1,621,178 8,053,666 \$9,274,659	Total income Management fees Custodian and transfer agent fees and expenses Miscellaneous expenses Prov. for Federal capital stock and Massachusetts	\$231,532 57,703 7,011 3,428	\$158,683 40,471 7,708 1,228
Tota Deprece Fed. in	l income & depletion c. taxes of subs t on customers'		\$35,202 \$11,319,062 2,519,405 494,486	\$11,665,145 2,747,977 533,978		excise taxes	\$151,489 278,023	10,110 \$99,166 Cr334,542 758
depo Other n	sits non-oper.charges_	90,643 49,055	$106,877 \\ 370,459$	112,737 209,722	112,760 307,997	Net loss Dividends paid	\$129,8861 133,064	prf.\$432,949 411,839
Interes and Amorti	t on funded debt bank loans zation of debt bunt and expense_	\$6,598,014 1,266,444 83,097	\$7,827,835 1,233,490 77,504	1,109,749 64,172	\$6,647,122 991,592 42,689	Excess (deficiency) of income and realized gains over expenses and dividends paid for the year Note—The value of securities held, based on \$256,570 below cost as of June 30, 1938 as compa cost of \$153,860 at June 30, 1937.	market quot red with an	sur\$21,110 tations, was excess over
Minori	or Fed, inc. tax ty int. in net in-	\$5,248,473 60,000 133,752	\$6,516,841 316,210 7,999	\$6,886,810 58,000 8,022	\$5,612,841 345,748 7,928	Comparative Balance Sheet June Assets— Securities at cost Cash in bank Dividends receivable Accrued interest receivable	30	\$5,144,133 168,134 12,314
	ncome plicable to capital					하는 그렇게 되는 그렇게 되는 이번 생활하는 그리고 하는 이 사기를 보였다.		7,352 \$5,331,934
\$11,300 upon the	initial annual inte 0,000 new bank loshe issuance and sa	erest charge an notes da ale of the \$2	s on the \$20 ted Aug. 22, 20,000,000 de	1938, to be ebentures wil	outstanding l amount to	Total Liabilities— Provision for Federal and State taxes Capital stock equity (par \$10)		11,833 5,320,100
retirem call of and the	ent of such obligations, ereafter to \$2,650.	ations, exclusions will amount to the control of th	usive of pred to \$2,000,0 y for the las	required for miums payab 00 annually t two years	payment or le upon the for 13 years prior to and	Capital stock equity (par \$10) Total Notes—The value of the securities of the fund, based on market quotations at the respective	\$7,585,492	\$5,331,934
Principa	ng the maturity of cipal Underwriters— al amounts of deb	-The names entures, se	of the under verally to be	writers and the	ne respective by each, are	dates, amounted to	\$6,151,318 \$36.35	\$5,297,993 \$41.30
Mellon Smith, The Fir	ws: Securities Corp., I Barney & Co., Ne	Pittsburgh_ w York New York_			\$6,000,000 2,000.000 1,500.000	The liquidating value per share, on the basis market quotations for the securities and after allowing for State tax on unrealized gains as of June 30, 1937, was	of \$36.35	\$41.28
Kidder Blyth &	Peabody & Co., & Co., Inc., New Y	New York Ork			1,250,000 1,000,000	Statement of Capital Stock Equity as of J	une 30, 1938 Capital	
Brown Halsey	Harriman & Co., Inc., Stuart & Co., Inc.	Inc., New Y	ork		1,000,000 1,000,000	Surplus— Shares Par Value Balance, June 30, 1937— 132,554 \$1,325,540	Surplus \$3,870,583	Together \$5,196,123
Ladenb W. C.	ourg, Thalmann & Langley & Co., Ne	Co., New Y	ork		500,000 500,000	Shares sold during the year ended June 30, 1938 (net) 68,603 686,030 Balance, June 30, 1938 201,157 \$2,011,570	1,825,978 \$5,696,561	2,512,008 \$7,708,131
Shields Dean V J. E. B Kuhn,	ws: Securities Corp., 1 Barney & Co., Ne st Boston Corp., 1, Peabody & Co., Co., Inc., New Y ght & Co., Inc., New Y ght & Co., Inc., New Harriman & Co., Suart & Co., In Forgan & Co., New urg, Thalmann & Langley & Co., New York Yitter & Co., New York Loeb & Co., New Loeb	Francisco York York			500,000 500,000 250,000 2,000,000	Deduct—Deficit: Excess of expenses, realized losses and divs. paid over income for the year ended June 30, 1938, as per statement attached. Less—Earned surplus balance June 30, 1937	\$262,95 123,977	
Assets		tica Datanoo	Liabilities-	-		Balance, June 30, 1938		\$138,973
tribut Franchis sets_	'n, transmission, dis- 'n, & gen. properties ses & intangible as-	8,578,363 5,842,328	Minority int. surplus of s	ed stock	66,432,907 1 114,296	Total capital stock equity as of June 30, 1938, sheet	per balance	\$7, 569,158
Special of Due from	entsdepositsn officers—not cur	241,076 199,034	& scrip call	of sub. co	68,572 7,964,000	Louisiana Power & Light Co.—Earn		foe1027
Notes, v	varrants, & accounts	3,511,660 2,428,835	Mortgage not	banks—unsec.	14,100	Period Ended July 31— 1938—Month—1937 Operating revenues	1938—12 M \$7,415.683 4,825,970	\$7.608,629 4,923,474 766,000
Appliane suppli	es for expenses ces, materials and es, &c	11,613 1,193,799 1,063,948	Dividends pa Customers' d	able yable eposits unts eprec. & delp_	1,238,438 1,921,654	Prop. retire. res. approp. 59,000 55,500 Net oper. revenues \$156,109 \$159,764 Rent from lease of plant (net)	702,500 \$1,887,213	
			Contingend Accident as	ranchises desdsurplus	10,648 189,279 234,499	Operating income \$156,109 \$159,764 Other income (net) 1.718 1,570	\$1,887,213 23,046	\$1.921,865 21,724
			Earned surpli Capital surpli	d of construct's	17,729,663 7,643,440	Gross income\$157,827 \$161,334 T1. on mortgage bonds_ Other int. & deductions_ 4,635 4,463	\$1.910,259 875,547 62,202	\$1,943,589 875,396 53.028
-V. 14	7, p. 1197.					Net income\$80,232 \$83,908 Dividends applicable to preferred stock for the	\$972,510	\$1,015,165
Receiv	ng Beach on er Appointed— d by Granting M	-Court Ho	ean, Inc. olds Nothin	(Lido C ng Could I	lub)—No Be Accom-	period, whether paid or unpaid Balance	\$615,978	\$658,633
Supr	eme Court Justice	Cuff recentl	y handed do	wn a decision rantee & Tr	in Mineola, ust Co. and	Lowell Gas Light Co.—Earnings— 12 Months Ended June 30— 1938	1937	1936
the Lid	ate holders for the tion with the ford to Club at Long Be Long Beach on the of alleged default	eclosure of each, L. I. ne Ocean, In t in interest	a mortgage The foreclosic, the Lido	for \$1,400,0 ure suit has h Realty Corp nd principal.	00 covering een brought and others	12 Months Ended June 30— 1938 676ss operating revenues \$742,685	\$747.066 438.062 47.070 139.761	\$745,402 415,955 35,021 93,691
regort o	e of alleged default is decision, Justice and said: thing will be accor-					Net operating income \$148,105 Non-operating income 17,139	\$122,172 8,940	\$200.734 6,679
regime	thing will be accordisfied that the mater dues and paid was in control I for	ei that the	situation sno	ula not be a	sturbea.	Gross income \$165,244 Interest on long-term debt 42,750	\$131,112 42,750 11,124	\$207,413 49,085
reorgan mission Justi	e is now pending he is now pending he is a control of the monature to do ice Cuff said that he is a control of the control of	efore Supre rtgage, a pl with a redu se had been	me Court Just an suggested action of inter furnished with	stice Smith a by the Mor rest and other th the copy of	plan for the rtgage Com- r changes.	Prov. for retirem'ts and replacem'ts 45,028 Amort. of debt disct and expense	28,891 600 Cr1,526	14,031 31,891 2,909 Cr3,256
been si	ent which the hote gned. The agreen benefit of certific	nent was for ate holders,	the purpose he said.	of preserving	the receipts	Utilities Associates Cr765 Net income \$68,719 Dividends on common stock 152,405	\$49,274	\$112,755 152,405
owners	asel for the certifage Commission he had agreed. The	ad suggeste agreement	d certain mo	difications t	o which the	Balance Shee: June 30 Assets— 1938 1937 Liabilities—	1938	1937
neen a	tificate holders und isposed of. ice Cuff, according on condition tha					Property, plant, equip., &c\$3,610,249 \$3,709,662 Cash in banks and Notes payable	13/2 \$950,00 es A_ \$950,00 e 51.00	60,000
errectiv	ve immediately.					on hand 17,469 15,983 Accounts pay Accts.receivable_ 178,579 110,507 Accrued liabil	able_ 60.93 ities_ 117.73 ndse.	83,186 86,627
Tho	ng Island Light directors at a meet e on the cum, pref	the state of the s	- 10 1 1	7 - 21 - 2 2 2	- C OH P	Supplies	meter 47,23	38 49,017
a share	on the cum. pref.	stock, series	B 6%, both	payable Oct.	1 to holders lar quarterly	Util. Associates 52,628 Deferred creck Reserves 4,760 4,760 Common stood	lits 815.8	1,350 795,585
July 1 distrib	e on the cum. preferon the cum	Jan. 1 last —V. 147, p	, and prior , 895.	thereto regul	ar quarterly	Legal-term appliance contracts. 37,177 40,859		14 598,469
Lo 3 M	uisiana Land onths Ended June 3 perating and royalt ysical & administra	& Explo	ration Co	.—Earning	78— 1937 \$795,900	charges64,523 43,544	\$4,043,9	72 \$4,148,284
	nceincome				\$542,100	McWilliams Dredging Co.—Corrected	Statement	-
	al income ciation and depletic				\$542,700 \$74,700	6 Mos. End. June 30— 1938 1937 Net profit after deprec., v\$130 655 v\$162.727	1936 v\$393.416	1935 \$200.381
					\$468,000	taxes, &c	y\$393,416 96,350 \$4.08	\$3.11
-V. 1	income gs per share 47, p. 1198.			. \$0.11	\$0.16	y No provision was made for Federal surtax of -V. 147, p. 1198.	n unaistribi	nea profits.

Lumbermen's	Incurance	Co of	Philadel	hia-Ralance
a diliber metro	insurance	Co. OI	I madel	Jilla Davanco
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Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities 1938	1937
Bonds and stocks_	\$3,925,502	\$4,462,353	Premium reserve\$1,431,37	1 \$1,516,685
Mortgage loans	96.395		Losses in process of	
Real estate	147,440	146.440	adjustment 156,16	3 154,927
Cash in banks &			Res. for commis-	
office		213,212	sions, exps., taxes	
Prems. in course of			& other liab 81,03	
collection		222,623	Capital 1,000,00	0 1,000,000
Other assets	28,047		Surplus 1,978,89	9 2,407,423
Total	\$4,647,466	\$5,189,977	Total\$4,647,46	6 \$5,189,977
V. 146, p. 140				

(R. H.) Macy & Co., Inc.—New Director— At a meeting of the board of directors held on Aug. 17, Edward K. raus was elected as a member of the board.—V. 146, p. 2377. Str

Manila Electric Co.—Earnings

12 Months Ended June 30— Operating revenues Operating expenses, &c Provision for taxes		1937 \$5,149,741 2,954,068 151,705
Operating incomeOther income	\$1,991,885 22,457	\$2,043,968 31,316
Gross income	1,023,742 104,100	\$2,075,284 108,422 1,008,284 104,100 Cr1,781
Balance of income	\$791,442	\$856,259

Market Street Ry.—Rehearing—
The Securities and Exchange Commission announced Aug. 19 that a rehearing will be held Sept. 7, in the Commission's San Francisco Regional Office on the application of the San Francisco Stock Exchange to extend unlisted trading privileges to the 6% cumulative prior preference stock of company. The Exchange requested a rehearing in the matter after the Commission, on Aug. 11, 1938, denied its application for unlisted trading privileges in this security.—V. 147, p. 1199.

Melville Shoe Corp.—Prices Reduced—

The price of men's shoes in the 662 Thom McAn stores were reduced on Aug. 24 from \$3.30 to \$3.15 and that of women's shoes from \$3.50 to \$3.30. Ward Melville, President expressed the conviction that increased purchasing power through lower prices would furnish the key to returning prosperity.

The new prices as compared with prices prevailing last fall show a drop of 35 cents a pair for men's shoes, an average of 17½ cents a pair for boys' and girls' shoes, and 65 cents a pair for women's, reductions which average higher than 10%.—V. 147, p. 1041.

Memphis Power & Light Co.—Earnings—

Period Ended July 31—	1938—Mos	nth—1937	1938—12 <i>M</i>	fos.—1937
Operating revenues	\$674,033	\$628,266	\$9,065,596	\$8,343,333
Oper. exp., incl. taxes	423,168	392,249	5,680,590	5,394,358
Prop. retire, res. approp.	64,583	57,850	750,838	701,662
Net oper. revenues Other income (net)	\$186,282	\$178,167	\$2,634,168	\$2,247,313
	5,767	Dr7	54,608	31,148
Gross income	\$192,049	\$178,160	\$2,688,776	\$2,278,461
Int. on mtge. bonds	61,448	61,448	737,375	737,375
Other int. & deductions_	3,050	3,093	39,211	42,564
Net income Dividends applicable to period, whether paid or	preferred st	ocks for the	\$1,912,190 394,876	\$1,498,522 394,876
Balance			\$1,517,314	\$1,103,646

Mergenthaler Linotype Co.—To Pay 50-Cent Dividend—Directors on Aug. 25 declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the capital stock, no par value, payable Sept. 20 to holders of record Aug. 31. This will be the first dividend paid in 1938. Dividends of 50 cents per share were distributed in each quarter of 1937, the last payment having been made on Dec. 15, 1937.—V. 146, p. 1247.

Mesta Machine Co.—To Pay 50-Cent Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the common stock, par \$5, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 16. Like amounts was paid on July 1 last and previously regular quarterly dividends of \$1 per share were distributed. See also V. 144, p. 3508, for detailed record of previous dividend payments.—V. 146, p. 3508.

Midland United Co.—Obituary—
John N. Shannahan co-trustee of this company and the Midland Utilities
Co. and President of this company and several subsidiaries of both companies died on Aug. 16 of a heart attack in Maine.—V. 144, p. 2488.

Midland Utilities Co.—Obituary— See Midland United Co., above.—V. 147, p. 896.

Middle West Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings—
[Exclusive of Central Illinois Public Service Co. and Lake Superior District

	Powe	r Co.]		
Period End. June 30— Operating revenues	\$14,563,222	#14,248,668	\$29,337,755	
Operation Maintenance Depreciation	4,983,721 852,113 1,930,411		10,288,119 $1,673,772$ $3,862,845$	1,654,475
State, local & miscell. Federal taxes.	1,564,477	1,456,861	3,114,350	2,892,113
Fed. & State inc. taxes: Normal tax Undistrib. profits tax_	469,611	358,353 64,792	874,477	697,387 83,019
Net oper. income Other income (net)	\$4,762,889 90,188	\$4,760,276 106,873	\$9,524,191 188,574	\$9,431,584 205,903
Gross income Int. on long-term debt General interest (net)	\$4,853,077 2,359,988 33,732	\$4,867,150 2,381,688 38,333		\$9,637,487 4,755,732 73,476
Amort, of bond discount and expenses Miscel. inc. deductions_	271,301 29,652	307,476 47,070	539,934 70,743	644,943 84,258
Net incomea Prov. for earned por-	\$2,158,403	\$2,092,581	\$4,306,118	\$4,079,078
tion of divs. on pref.	1,680,993	1,723,292	3,343,583	3,356,898
b Unearned div. require. on pref stocks	125,646	135,372	259,918	302,560
Balance of net income a Of subsidiary compa				

a of substituary companies for the period held by the public, and minority interest in net income. b Of direct subsidiary companies held by the public.

lic. Note—The above income account has been prepared on the basis of deducting dividend requirements for the periods covered on all issues of senior and junior preferred stock and does not take into consideration the prior claim on income of such senior preferred stocks that have dividends in arrears or other restrictions. Because of such restrictions net income of certain subsidiary companies, amounting to approximately \$299,000 and \$230,000 in the respective 6 months' periods, could not have been distributed to Middle West Corp.

Income Account of Company Only Period End. June 30-1938-6 Mos.-1937 Period Ena. oum Co Dividends— Sub. cos, consolidated: Preferred stocks— Common stocks— Other companies— Interest 1938-3 Mos.--1937 \$146,736 184,125 33,600 50,492 6,478 \$150,480 66,375 8,672 88,428 14,074 Interest Other income_____ Total income_ Gen. & admin. exps___ State, local & misc. Fed'l taxes___ \$439,537 \$421,431 47,470 \$328,029 36,122 2,467 28,908 10,528 38,637 Fed. normal income tax_ Undistrib. profits tax____ \$342,586 \$196,749 \$543.832 \$243,657

Midvale Co.—To Pay \$1 Dividend—

The directors have declared a dividend of \$1 per share on the capital stock, no par value, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 17. This compares with 75 cents paid on July 1 and on April 2 last; \$2.50 paid on Dec. 18 last; \$1.50 paid on Oct. 1, 1937; \$1.25 paid on July 1, 1937; 75 cents paid on April 3, 1937; \$3 on Dec. 19, 1936; \$1 on Oct. 1, 1936; 50 cents on July 1 and April 1, 1936; \$1 on Dec. 7, 1934; 50 cents on July 1 and April 1, 1936; \$1 on Dec. 7, 1935, and on Nov. 7, 1934; 50 cents on July 1, 1935; 37 cents on Oct. 1, 1932, and from Jan. 1, 1930 to and incl. July 1, 1932, quarterly distributions of \$1 per share were made.—V. 146, p. 3672.

Minneapolis Brewing Co.—Pays 25-Cent Dividend—Company paid a dividend of 25 cents per share on the common stock, par \$1, on Aug. 10 to holders of record Aug. 1. Similar payments were made on Dec. 7, 1936 and on Oct. 9, 1936, this latter being the first dividend paid since the company was organized on May 23, 1933.—V. 147, p. 578.

Minneapolis St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Ry.—Earnings

Incl	uding Wisco	nsin Central	Ry.	
July— Gross from railway	1938	1937	1936 2,443,636	1935 $2.148.717$
Net from railway	316,949	2,724,524 788,987	644,830	444,343
Net after rents	def7,637	445,958	310,236	171,743
Gross from railway	12,864,224	15,540,960	14,651,627	12,491,466
Net from railway	937,155 lef1.162,324	2,790,923 $1.247,723$	$2,635,247 \\ 612,304$	$1,376,162 \\ 325,209$
-V. 147, p. 746.				

Misers Chest Mining & Milling Co., Inc.—Registers with SEC-

See list given on first page of this department.—V. 147, p. 746.

Mississippi Centr	al RR1	Earnings-		
July—— Gross from railway	1938 \$66,225	1937 \$75,484	1936 \$83,564	1935 \$56,869
Net from railway Net after rents From Jan. 1—	18,879 10,387	9,336 11,524	26,513 18,503	$6,241 \\ 1,562$
Gross from railway Net from railway	444,539 64,462	525,158 72,152	512,627 129,666	394,636 55,688
Net after rents	def2,392	16,913	80,060	12,193

Missouri Gas & Electric Service Co.—Earnings—

Period Ended June 30—	1938—3 Me		2 Mos.End. June 30 '38
Operating revenuesOperating expenses and taxes	\$151,714 125,195	\$144.179 112,705	\$641.097 511,309
Net operating incomeOther income (net)	\$26,519	\$31,473	\$129,787 1
Gross incomeInterest deductions	\$26,519 14,351	\$31,473 15,069	\$129.789 58,082
Net income	\$12,168	\$16,405	\$71,706

Missouri-Kansas-Tevas Lines-Earnings-

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Period End. July 31—	1938—Month—1937		1938—7 Mos.—1937	
Operating revenues———	\$2,779,507 \$3,104,573		\$15,796,942 \$18,380,0	
Operating expenses———	1,870,330 2,272,373		13,088,840 13,767,7	
Income avail. for fixed chargesFixed charges	\$477,144	\$413,142	\$272,689	\$2,229,771
	363,655	352,881	2,501,328	2,453,625
Inc. after fixed chgs x Indicates deficit.—V.	\$113,489 147, p. 896		x\$2,228,638	x\$223,854

Montana Power Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Montana rower	CO. (CC D	4000)		
Period End. July 31— Operating revenues Oper. expes., incl. taxes.	1938— <i>Mo</i> \$885,249 489,633	nth—1937 \$1,233,140 621,888	\$13,653,408	Mos.—1937 \$14,819,174 6,994,797
Prop. retire. & depletion reserve appropria'ns	122,191	151,577	1,677,793	1,199,158
Net oper. revenues Other income (net)	\$273,425 Dr4,265	\$459,675 3,481	\$4,990,300 Dr34,810	\$6,625,219 24,417
Gross incomeInt. on mtge. bonds Int. on debentures Other int. & deduct's Int. charged to construct	\$269,160 160,980 44,125 33,978 Cr39,509	\$463,156 162,012 44,125 34,515 Cr20,681	\$4,955,490 1,933,116 529,495 423,874 Cr386,176	1,788,772 613,413
Net income Divs. applic. to pref. stk.	\$69,586	\$243,185	\$2,455,181	\$4,074,459
for the period, whether paid or unpaid			957,469	957,109
Balance			\$1,497,712	\$3,117,350

-V. 147, p. 896.

	Mountain States Power Co.—Earnin	igs—	
	Years Ended June 30— Operating revenues Operating expenses, maintenance and taxes	1938 \$4,187,741 2,754,723	1937 \$3,849,034 2,555,676
	Net oper . rev. (before approp. for retire, res.) Rents from lease of properties Interest on securities and notes receivable, &c Income from merchandise and jobbing (net)	\$1,433,017 243,412 1,308 Dr69,092	\$1,293,358 242,133 3,078 Dr15,554
	Net oper. rev. & other inc. (before approp. for retirement reserve	\$1,608,646 300,000	\$1,523,014 300,000
S 4 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	Gross income Rent for lease of electric property Interest on funded debt Amortization of debt discount and expense Other interest (net) Other income deductions	\$1,308,646 477,521 22,958 374,511 14,791	\$1,223,014 6,000 477,521 45,917 379,975 15,360

\$418,863 \$298,241 Net income_

Period End. June 30-

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(2) No provision has been made for Federal income tax or for surtax on andistributed profits under the Revenue Act of 1936 for the years 1936 or 1937 as it is estimated that no such taxes will be payable for those years.— V. 147, p. 425.

Missouri-Kansas Pipe Line Co. Option and Contract Refused-

Refused—
William G. Maguire, President, refused a two-year contract to act as General Manager of the company and an option to purchase 100,000 shares of the company's stock, proferred him by the board on Aug. 19.

In a letter to the board, Mr. Maguire stated that he felt that such an arrangement would be premature until certain important developments pending in connection with the company had been effected.

The option offered the company head covered a period of three years at prices ranging from \$5 to \$10 a share.

On Aug. 17 a group of Chicago stockholders, represented by Julius M. Rosenfield, wrote directors opposing the proposal which was described as illegal.

Disagreement was expressed with the view of the Chicago group by Howard E. Hodge, a stockholder, who strongly advocated "any reasonable planof compensation" for Mr. Maguire.—V. 146, p. 2399; V. 147, p. 121.

Motor Bankers Corn.—Balance Sheet June 30—

Motor Bankers Corp.—Balance Sheet June 30-

Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937	
Cash	\$244,712	\$365,224	Sundry acets. pay.	\$3.882	\$3.659	
U. S. Govt. oblig.	40,000		Accr. prop. taxes_	3,805		
Corporation bonds	16,432	84,519	Accrued Fed'l inc.			
Stocks	184.776	224,397	& cap. stk. taxes	2.475	12,953	
Notes receivable	6.276	3.614	Accr. social secur.	a exam	,,-	
Accr. int. receiv	612	2,361	taxes	. 59	35	
Claims agst. closed			Com. stk. (par \$1)	78.118	79.218	
banks	1,686	3,882	Capital surplus	604.825	488.341	
Real estate invest.	95,454	90,301	Deficit	101,304	sur186.319	
Property accounts	1,241	1.3 6		(
Prepd. ins. & exps.	670	831				
Total	\$501 980	8778 595	100		-	
			Total	9501 000	OTTO FOR	

Earnings for six months ended June 30, 1938 appeared in V. 147,

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9 Mos. End. July 31— Manufacturing profit— Expenses——————————————————————————————————	1938 \$1,493.968 606,096 63,454	1937 \$1,804,484 591,757 61,116	1936 \$1,454,282 515,926 58,507	1935 \$1,173,552 491,455 68,297
Operating profitOther income	\$824,419	\$1,151,612	\$879,849	\$613,800
	y 33,735	20,968	7,646	15,683
Total incomeFederal taxes	\$858,154	\$1,172,580	\$887,495	\$629,482
	x132,000	×185,000	128,000	91,000
Net profit Preferred dividends Common dividends Prem. on pf. stk. ret'd	\$726,154 500,000	\$987,580 550,000	\$759,495 350,000	\$538,482 7,500 240,000 25,000
Earns.per sh.on 200,000	\$226,154	\$437,580	\$409,495	\$265,982
shs.com.stk. (no par)	\$3.63	\$4.94	\$3.80	\$2.65

x No provision has been made for excess profits tax or for surtax on undistributed profits. y Includes profit on sale of U. S. Government securities, in the amount of \$14,281.—V. 146, p. 3345.

National Bond & Investment Co. -20-Cent Dividend-Directors have declared a dividend of 20 cents per share on the common stock, payable Sept. 21 to holders of record Sept. 10. Like amount was paid on June 21 last, and previously regular quarterly dividends of 36 cents per share were distributed. In addition an extra dividend of 36 cents was paid on Dec. 21, 1937.—V. 147, p. 1042.

National Bond & Share Corp.—Stock Distribution—
The distribution by company of one additional share for each share held will be made on Sept. 3 to holders of record Aug. 30.—V. 147, p. 1201.

National Cylinder Gas Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings

Consolidated Net Income and Consolidated Statement for the 12 Months Ended

Net profit from operations June 30, 1938 Other income	\$608,818 346,906
Gross income	\$955,724 102,109 108,500
Net incomeEarned surplus, July 1, 1937	\$745,115 341,407
TotalCash dividends paid	\$1,086,522 562,989
Earned surplus, June 30, 1938	\$523,533

Note—The amount of the depreciation provision deducted in computing the consolidate net income was \$329,444.—V. 147, p. 897.

National Power & Light Co. (& Subs.)-Earnings-

The state of the s				
Period End. June 30— Subsidiaries				Mos.—1937
Operating revenues Oper. exps., incl. taxes_ Prop'y retire, res. approp	12.001.888	\$20,452,268 11,583,193 1,859,501	\$84,607,320 48,912,857 7,712,343	\$81,601.032 46,734,066 7,025,746
Net oper. revenues Rent for lease of plants (net)	\$6,661,086 1,538		\$27,982,120 Cra34,258	
Operating income Other income Other inc. deductions	\$6,659,548 70,752	\$6,985,242 90,380	\$28,016,378 320,937	\$27,710,134 370,086
Gross income	95,801 \$6,634,499	77,058 \$6,998,564	\$28,062,145	
Int. to public and other deductionsInt. charged to construc_	2.968.248	3.013,912 Cr5,786	11,960,477	
Balance	1.515.416	\$3,990,438 1,515,764	\$16,119,735 6,061,782	\$15,568,508 6,063,109
nority interests	156	1,364	1,592	6,963
Net equity of Nat. Pr. & Lt. Co. in income of subsidiaries	\$2,154,731	\$2,473,310	\$10,056,361	\$9,498,436
in income of subs Other income	\$2,154,731	\$2,473,310 30,872	\$10,056,361 134,111	\$9,498,436 95,227
Total Expenses, incl. taxes Int. & other deduc'ns	112,739	\$2,504,182 37.786 338,303	248.435	\$9,593,663 210,129 1,357,734
Bal. carried to consolidated earned surplus Earns.per sh.on com.stk.	\$1,742,842 \$0.24	\$2,128,093 \$0.31	\$8,583,759 \$1.26	\$8,025,800 \$1.16

arns.per sh.on com.stk. \$0.24 \$0.31 \$1.26 \$1.16 a Addition due to reclassification of accounts. Notes—(1) The statement includes full revenues of a subsidiary without rovision for possible revenue losses, not exceeding \$120,000 for each 12-onth period, from natural gas rate reduction now involved in litigation. (2) Figures for 1936 as previously published have in certain cases been earranged in the above statement.

Statement of Income (Company Only)

From subs.—consol Other	\$1,409.674 38,829	\$1,508,133 30,872	\$7,427.734 134,111	\$6,581.281 95,227
Total income Expenses incl. taxes		\$1,539,005 37,786	\$7,561.845 248.435	\$6,676,508 210,129
Net oper. income Int. & other deduc'ns	\$1 335,764	\$1,501,219	\$7,313,410	\$6,466,379
from income	337,979	338,303	1,358.278	1.357,734
Net income Earn.per sh.on com.stk_	\$997,785 \$0.10	\$1,162,916 \$0.13	\$5,955,132 \$0.78	\$5,108,645 \$0.62

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Summary of Earned Surplus for 12 Months Ended June 30, 1938 Earned surplus July 1, 1937. \$5,988,114
Miscellaneous adjustments (net) 2,481

Balance Net income for the 12 months ended June 30, 1938

Total ______ Dividends on \$6 preferred stock_____ Dividends on common stock_____ *1,818,154 3,273,670

Earned surplus June 30, 1938. \$6,848,940

x In compliance with the uniform system of accounts for public utility holding companies promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission, the practice of accruing dividends on the \$6 preferred stock monthly has been discontinued and earned surplus is now charged when and as dividends are declared. Due to this change, the \$6 pref. stock dividend appropriation of \$1,818,154 represents dividend requirements for 13 months instead of 12 months. This is because earned surplus has been debited with the pref. stock dividends declared for the three months ended July 31, 1938, which date is one month in advance of the period covered by this statement. The pref. stock dividend requirements for 12 months amount to \$1,678,296, which is the amount that should be used in determining the balance of net income available for dividends on the common .tock for the 12 months ended June 30, 1938.

Balance Sheet June 30 (Company Only)

	1938	1937		1938	1937
Assets-	\$	\$	Liabilities-	- \$	
Investments			x Cap. stock (no		
Cash	11,239,062	10,780,042	par value)	125,839,095	125.839.095
Time deposits		250,000	6% gold debs		
Temp. cash inv_	2.196,975		series A	9.485,000	9,500,000
Short-term notes		1.497.022	5% gold debs		~
Conting. right to			series B	14.968.000	15,000,000
rec. junior sec.			Divs. declared	419,574	419,574
of Birm.El.Co		177,800	Accts: payable_		276,973
Accts. rec., subs.	5.630	644,237	Accrued acc'ts.	454,252	395,350
Accts. rec., other		4.202	Conting, liabils.		
Other cur. assets	292,872		for add'l cash		
Unamortized dt.		the state of the state of the	inv. in junior		
disc. & exp	2,559,574	2,592,917	secs. of Birm.		
Sundry debits	13,223	147,456	Electric Co		177,800
	area marketing	1 . [4.3]	Reserve	281,378	281,378
		4. 2. %	Surplus	6,848,940	5,988,114
Total	158.327.395	157 878 285	Total	158 327 305	157 878 985

x Represented by 279,716 shares \$6 pref. stock (value in liquidation \$100 a share) and 5,456,117 shares of common stock.—V. 147, p. 122.

National Gypsum Co.—Operations—
July business of this company was the best for any mouth this year, according to Melvin H. Baker. President.
"Normally July volume is 10% under May, but this year the usual experience was reversed," Mr. Baker said. "Bookings thus far in August make it appear that this month will be better than July. Building seems definitely on the upgrade." Engineering details for the company's new \$1,000,000 plant at Savannah, Ga., are being completed, and construction will get under way before long.—V. 147, p. 1201.

National Oil Products Co., Inc.—Interim Dividend—Directors have declared an interim dividend of 20 cents per share on the common stock payable Sept. 30 to holders of record Sept. 20. Like amounts were paid on June 30 and on April 15 last. See V. 146, p. 2053. for detailed record of previous dividend payments.—V. 147, p. 1042.

National Rubber Machinery Co.—Earnings

Earnings for 6 Months Ended June 30, 1938

Net income after depreciation, int., Federal income taxes, &c_Earnings per share on 154,000 shares capital stock (no par)____

V. 145, p. 1909.

National Tea Co.—Sales—
Sales for the four weeks ended Aug. 13, 1938 amounted to \$3,874.808 as compared with \$4,623,972 for the corresponding four weeks in 1937, a decrease of 16.20%.
The number of stores in operation decreased from 1,244 in 1937 to 1,108 at Aug. 13, 1938, resulting in a decrease of 6.08% in average sales per location.—V. 147, p. 748.

1936

Nehi Corp. (Del.) (& Subs.)-Earnings-6 Months Ended June 30-1938 1937

Net sales of product	\$1,909,300	\$1,664,340	a\$923,295
Cost of sales	465,398	463,323	a275.390
Gross profit	\$1,443,901	\$1,201,017	\$647.904
	968,364	a660,161	418,173
Profit from operation	\$475,537	\$540,856	\$229.730
Discount on purchases, &c	16,269	13,344	7,128
Net profit on other sales	6,182	26,479	a15,905
Total income Cash discounts allowed Allow. for possible losses on current	\$497,989	\$580,679	\$252,763
	56,100	46,231	22,067
uncoll. accepts. and acc'ts rec Prov. for Federal and State inc. taxes	110,700	124,250	9,700 42,500
Net income for the period	\$331,188	\$410,199	\$178,496
	43,314	138,388	86,625

a Reclassified.

Note—No provision made for Federal surtax on undistributed net income.

	Consol	idated Bala	nce Sheet June 30		
Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937
a Notes, acceptices	\$895,239	\$587,357	Accounts payable.	\$107,110	\$67,311
& acc'ts rec'ble.	180,452		sions, taxes, &c_	87,324	45,770
Inventories	258,519	195,596	Prov. for Fed. and		
Prepaid insurance			State inc. taves.	290.001	202,396
and taxes	9.835	9,383	Prov. for unsettled		
Advertising mat'l_	g100.585	39.287	tax claims, prior		
b Notes receivable			years	45,123	
(not current)	23,538		d 1st pref. stock	1,378,125	1,496,250
Fixed assets	332.079	329,745	\$8 conv. cum. pref.		
G'dwill, tr'marks.			stock		e507,100
&c	2.039,648	2,039,648	f Common stock	206,000	165,432
			Capital surplus	1,592,875	1,008,218
			Earned surplus	201,337	117.851
		* *	Treasury stock	Dr68,000	$D\tau 176,000$
Total	\$3,839,897	\$3,434,329	Total	3,839.897	\$3,434,329

a After allowance for doubtful notes and accounts of \$16,452 in 1938 and \$40,609 in 1937. b After allowance for doubtful notes of \$34,254 in 1938 and \$29,575 in 1937. c After reserve for decreciation of \$236,930 in 1938 and \$203,252 in 1937. d Represented by 17,500 no-par shares in 1938 and 19,000 no-par shares in 1937. c Represented by 5,071 no-par

shares. f Represented by 206,000 no-par shares in 1938 (165,432 on-par shares in 1937). g Including deferred advertising expenses.—V. 147, p. 579.

National Tea Co.-Sales-

Stores in operation—V. 147 p. 748.

| New York RR. - Earn | July - | 1938 | 1937 | \$60.283 | \$60.283 | \$60.283 | \$60.283 | \$60.283 | \$60.283 | \$60.283 | \$60.283 | \$67.618 | \$60.283 | \$67.618 | \$60.283 | \$67.618 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | \$67.579 | -Earnings—
1936
10,283 \$64,402
17,618 def8,117
17,579 def30,626

Earnings for Month of July and Year to Date

Julu—	1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross from railway	\$2,970,829	\$3,355,238	\$3,511,874	\$2,522,690
Net from railway	831,532	985.531	1.271,508	576,119
Net after rents	411,612	632,337	732,471	208,500
From Jan. 1-			10.0	Take 1
Gross from railway	19,661,702	25,240,288	23,112,518	19,092,051
Net from railway	4,701,344	8,530,127	8,175,262	5,797,153
Net after rents	1,587,661	4,991,381	4,889,917	3,232,371
-V. 147. p. 898.				

New York New Haven & Hartford RR.—Earnings—

Period End. July 31— 1938—Month—1937 1938—7 Mos.—1937

Total oper. revenue.—— \$5,974,447 \$6,846,149 \$40,676,805 \$48,131,495
Net ry oper. rev.—— a166,865 203,240 adef493,131 3,918,136

Net def. after charges b840,926 769,898 b7,649,849 2,871,283

c Net def. after charges b840,926 769,898 b7,649,849 2,871,283 a The leases of the following companies were rejected on dates stated below, but net railway operating income includes the results of operations of these properties. Old Colony RR. June 2, 1936; Hartford & Connecticut Western RR., July 31, 1936; Providence, Warren & Bristol RR., Feb. 11, 1937; Boston & Providence RR., July 19, 1938. b Effective as of those dates no charges for the stated leased rentals are included covering the Old Colony RR., Hartford & Connecticut Western RR., and Providence, Warren & Bristol RR., and Boston & Providence RR. leases. c Before guarantees on separately operated properties.—V. 147, p. 1201.

New York Ontar	io & West	tern Rv	-Earnings-	
July—	1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross from railway	\$597,146	\$580,305	\$889,427	\$743,824
Net from railway	93,969	102,679	304,553	163,577
Net after rents	156	26,724	212,315	92,595
From Jan. 1—				
Gross from railway	3,694,742	4,004,180	5,289,364	5,087,561
Net from railway	211,514	612,733	1,316,601	1,297,146
Net after rents	def378,550	35,529	747,811	769,462
-V. 147. p. 749.				

New York & Richmond Gas Co.—Earnings-

Operating revenues \$95,	805 \$		1,178,480	
Gross income after retirement accruals 27, Net income 14, V. 147, p. 1043.		20,612 6,621	300,425 142,159	278,192 124,561
New York Susquehan July— 1938		Vestern 937	RR.—Ed	rnings— 1935

New York Susqu	ehanna e	& Western	RR.—E	arnings-
July— Gross from railway Net from railway	1938 \$215,834 54,017	\$233,275 59,272	1936 \$273,774 92,201	1935 \$300,301 82,869
Net after rents From Jan. 1— Gross from railway	def14,668	10,349	39,301 1,956,423	39,851 2,191,321
Net from railway Net after rents	563,490 54,912	718,187 278,910	608,676 276,564	632,325 254,357

Norfolk & Weste	rn Ry.—Earnings—	
Period End. July 31-	1938-Month-1937	1938-7 Mos1937
Operating Revenues:		

Passenger, mail and exp_ Other transportation Incidental & joint facil	290,904 25,471 31,524	\$7,425,785 338,129 29,956 46,926	1,942,093 170,815 247,842	2,287,271 208,896 410,986
Ry. oper, revenues	\$6,015,159 614,437 1,199,845 132,479 1,526,381 16,768 172,491 Cr711	\$7,840,797 863,488 1,532,828 140,801 1,799,477 16,919 182,686 Dr1,414	968,962 10,766,315	\$55,897,791 5,958,035 10,044,753 935,172 12,359,455 124,421 1,475,333 Cr20,642
Net ry oper. rev Railway tax accruals	\$2,353,469 783.000	\$3,303,183 1,156,469	\$11,808,571 5,765,187	\$25,021,263 8,284,170
Railway oper. income_ Equip. rents (net) (Cr)_ Joint facility rents (net) (Dr.)	\$1,570,469 119,494 12,969	\$2,146,714 285,296 14,350	\$6,043,384 1,118,829 91,149	\$16,737,093 2,208,481 86,695
Net ry. oper. inc Other inc. items (bal.)	\$1,676,993 77,599	\$2,417,659 63,308	\$7,071,063 271,544	
Gross income Int. on funded debt	\$1,754,593 178,453	\$2,480,968 178,817	\$7,342,607 1,249,989	
Net income	\$1,576,139	\$2,302,151	\$6,092,618	\$18,205,071

New York Steam Corp.—Bonds Called—
Corporation through its President, David C. Johnson, announced on Aug. 4 that it has elected to redeem on Nov. 1, 1938, at 105%, all of its first mortgage gold bonds then outstanding of each of the following three series: first mortgage gold bonds, series A, 6%, due 1947; first mortgage gold bonds, 5% series due 1956. Payment will be made on Nov. 1 upon surrender of the bonds to City Bank Farmers Trust Co., 22 William Street, New York, successor trustee, or, at the option of the bondholders, these bonds may be surrendered at any time prior to the redemption date with, in the case of coupon bonds, all interest coupons maturing Nov. 1, 1938 and subsequently, for payment in full of the redemption price and the six months' interest due Nov. 1, 1938, in full.—V. 147, p. 1043.

Norfolk & Portsmouth Belt Line RR .--Notes

The Interstate Commerce Commission on Aug. 12 authorized the company to issue at par a promissory note or notes in the face amount of not exceeding \$700,000, the proceeds to be applied to the payment at maturity on Oct. 1, 1938, of \$450,000 of promissory notes, and to the redemption prior to maturity of \$250,000 of general and refunding mortgage 5% bonds, series A.—V. 146, p. 2543.

North Texas Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

12 Months Ended June 30— Operating revenues Operation Maintenance Taxes	1938 \$1,389,387 a772,899 203,868 a132,899	1937 \$1,435,019 749,954 176,510 139,755
Net operating revenuesNonoperating income—Net	\$279,720 16	\$368,799 48
Balance	\$279,736 138,373	\$368,848
Gross income Equipment note interest, &c. Int. on lst coll. lien bonds—Public Fixed int. (3%) Income interest (3%) .	53,789	Prior year's figures not comparable
Net income after income interest		j .

a Includes North Texas Co. only from date of incorporation on March 2, 1938.—V. 147, p. 125.

Northern Ohio Ry.—Reorganization— See Akron Canton & Youngstown Ry.—V. 146, p. 2703.

Northern States Power Co. (Del.)—Weekly Output— Electric output of the Northern States Power Co. system for the wee ended Aug. 20, 1938, totaled 25,407,845 kilowatt-hours, a decrease 2.5% compared with the corresponding week last year.—V. 147, p. 1202.

Northwestern Pacific RR.-Earnings-1937 \$394,836 95,870 64,453 1935 \$329,327 54,620 31,723

Northwestern Public Service Co.—Earnings-

Period End. June 30—	1938—3 M	fos.—1937	1938—12 A	Mos.—1937
Operating revenues———	\$688,998	\$676,762	\$2,869,839	\$2,799,122
Oper. expenses and taxes	495,055	494,140	2,090,627	2,019,541
Net oper. income	\$193,942	\$182,622	\$779,212	\$779,582
Other income (net)	2,139	1,816	9,160	8,501
Gross income	\$196,081	\$184,438	\$788,372	\$788,083
Int. & other deductions_	108,500	109,184	438,627	436,111
Net income	\$87,581	\$75,254	\$349,745	\$351,971
Preferred stock dividend requirements	70,463	70,463	281,853	281,853

Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co., Ltd.—Exchange of Secs. Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co., Ltd.—Exchange of Secs. Arrangements have been completed to proceed with the exchange of the 5% first mortgage bonds due July 1, 1959, with January, 1933, and later coupons attached; the 6% debenture stock, and the 8% preferred shares of the company, as set forth in the reorganization plan dated Feb. 14, 1938.

This exchange of securities may be effected upon presentation at the office of Eastern Trust Co., 184 Hollis St., Halifax, N. S. and not else where.

Holders of deposit receipts heretofore issued on behalf of the protective committee may withdraw their deposited securities pursuant to the terms of the deposit agreement, and when withdrawn have them exchanged under the reorganization plan.—V. 147, p. 899.

NY PA NJ Utilities Co. (& Subs.) - Earnings-

12 Months Ended June 30— Operating revenues. Operating expenses, &c	43,977,280	\$70,144,502 41,970,921
Operating incomeOther income (net)	\$19,067,444 1,018,480	\$19,669,286 1,469,081
Gross Income_ Income deductions (sub. cos.)_ Interest on funded debt Amortization of debt discount and expense Dividends on preferred stock	1,491,161 2,063,589 98,628	12,616,248 568,583 2,798,855 22,107
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\$3.980.929 \$5.114.158 Balance of income_ Note—This statement includes operations of all companies acquired during the above periods from dates of acquisition orly.—V. 147, p. 427.

Unio Edison Co.	-Earning	13		
Period End. July 31-	1938-Mo	nth-1937		Aos1937
Gross revenue	\$1,409,366	\$1,555,026		
Oper, exps. & taxes	701,142	749,204	x9,238,130	x9,201,015
Prov. for depreciation	200,000	200,000	2,400,000	1,900,000
Gross income Int. & other fixed chgs	\$508,224 287,374	\$605,822 256,433	\$7,187,800 3,339,271	\$8,076,146 3,271,509
Net income Divs. on pref. stock	\$220,850 155,577	\$349,389 155,577	\$3,848,529 1,866,923	\$4,804,638 1,866,923
Divs. on prer. scoenzazz	200,011	200,011	270001020	
Balance	\$65,273	\$193,812	\$1,981,606	\$2,937,715
- No provision was m	ade in 1936	or 1937 for	Federal surts	x on undis-

x No provision was made in 1936 or 1937 for Federal surfax on undeributed profits as all taxable income was distributed.—V. 147, p. 751.

Ohio Oil Co.—Preferred Stock Called—In a notice dated Aug. 15, 1938, this company called for redemption on Sept. 15, 1938, at \$110 per share, 30% of all of the issued and outstanding shares of 6% preferred stock pro rata from all preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on Aug. 15, 1938, or their assigns.

Prior to Sept. 15, 1938, stockholders may present their certificates to the Chase National Bank of the City of New York for division into stamped certificates, one representing the number of shares of the old certificate called for redemption and the other representing the number of shares of the old certificate which bear a notation to the effect that the shares represented thereby have been called for redemption may be presented to the Chase National Bank for redemption.—V.147, p. 1202.

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Oklahoma Natur 12 Months Ended July 31 Operating revenues Gross income after retirem a Net income Earnings per common sha	l— nent accruals are without	deduction fo	1938 \$8,028,211 2,945,694 1,464,226	1937 \$8,032,498 2,949,010 1,393,540
a Without deduction for fiscal year ended Nov. 30 charged to surplus.	or surtax of , 1937 (none	\$40,000 on in fiscal year	undistributed ar ended Nov	. 30, 1936),
Note—No provision has profits for the fiscal year lax cannot be determined	until the en	d of the fisc	al year.—V.	distributed ity for such [47, p. 899.
Oklahoma Power Period End. June 30— Operating revenues Oper, expenses & taxes	1938-3 Me		1938—12 M \$1,284,104 856,388	os.—1937 \$1,339,749 890,700
Net oper. income Other income (net)	\$103,819 39	\$110,076 192	\$427,716 141	\$449,049 935
Gross incomeInt. & other deductions_	\$103,858 78,276	\$110,268 78,715	\$427,857 311,874	\$449,985 324,735
Net income	\$25,582	\$31,553	\$115,982	\$125,250
Old Dominion Po	wer Co. 1938-3 Mo.	(& Subs.) sa1937	Earning:	s— osa1937
Operating revenues Oper. exps. and taxes	1938–3 Mo \$184,193 141,140	\$175,110 137,779	1938–12 Me \$775,183 602,351	\$755,878 548,825
Net oper. income Other income (net)	\$43,052 48	\$37,331 49	\$172,832 195	\$207,053 125
Gross income Int. & other deductions_	\$43,101 41,457	\$37,380 41,705	\$173,027 166,673	\$207,178 166,148
Net income a Adjustments made s he periods ended that da ligures.—V. 147, p. 428.	\$1,644 ubsequent t te have been	loss\$4,325 o June 30, n given effec	\$6,353 1937, but are t to in comp	\$41,029 oplicable to uting these
1088 Park Avenue According to a late stanott, Baker & Co., Inc. ts outstanding first mor owning the 15-story apart and 89th St., was reorganin addition to receiving ne also received shares of sto baid to date and the mana condition. The building, 82,150,000, and the first 1,850,000. The first seaw bonds Sept. 1, 1938, a sarnings are applicable to goes to 5%.—V. 143, p. 1	atistical report, the propert rtgage. The ment building zed in the Fe w first morte ck represent	ort on the orty is currently financial so glocated at deral Courts gage bonds or ling all of the present of the	et-up of this the corner of last year. En a par for pa e ownership.	er 5½% of company Park Ave Sondholders r exchange Taxes are
Outboard Marine The directors have decla non stock, payable Sept. vith 50 cents paid on Aug non Sept. 25, 1937; 75 cents 937, and an initial divide -V. 147, p. 751. Pacific Can Co.—	e & Mfg. (ared a divide 23 to holder 10, last; 36 s paid on Augend of 30 cer	Co.—To P and of 75 cents of record 0 cents paid g. 10, 1937; 4 ants per share	an 75 Comt	Din -
12 Months Ended June 3 v Net profit	hs. cap.stk. on undistributher charges	1938 \$189,772 \$0.97 ated profits. s.—V. 146,	nd	
The directors have decladdition to a quarterly ctock, par \$10, both payal payments were made in dividend of 20 cents in a hare was paid on Jan. 2,	lared an ext dividend of ble Oct. 1 to each of the ddition to a 1937.—V. 1	ra dividend 40 cents per holders of r six precedi quarterly of 46, p. 3514.	of 10 cents per share on the ecord Sept. 1 ng quarters. lividend of 3	per share in ne common 5. Similar An extra 0 cents per
Pan-American Pe Period End. June 30— Ket loss— Earns. per sh. on com. stock (par \$5)— x After depreciation, d provision for possible surt	troleum 1938—3 <i>Mo</i> \$529,840 y	& Transp s.—1937 \$1,676,438 \$0.36	ort Co. (6 1938—6 Me y\$336.500 y \$0.08	& Subs.) 0s.—1937 7\$2,545,936
Panhandle Easte J. D. Creveling, Prese revenues of the company fe 700, a gain of more than 9 ported for the preceding to the 12 months ended, against 36,183,000,000 ct p. 581. Park Utah Conso 6 Months Ended June 36 Income from ore sales	ident of thi or the 12 mor 9% as comp 12 months. July 31, 193 bic feet in olidated I	s company, this ended Ju ared with re Sales of ga 8 were 39,9 the precedir Mines Co.	announced ly 31, 1938 we venues of \$8, s by Panhane 83,000,000 cu g 12 months	
Profit on bonds called an	d sold		18,657 18,982	19,960
Mine operating and gener Charges to res. (ins., stoc				\$708,341 475,052 12,960
Earnings before depreci Depreciation (estimated)_ Net income		1	30,000 oss\$103,901	\$220,329 30,000 \$190,329
Comparative S Current Assets:	Statement of 1		Capital Dec. 31, '37	June 30, '38
Current Assets: Cash Notes and accounts rece U.S. Govt. bonds Federal Land Bank bonds Municipal bonds	eivable		\$96,076 84,849 403,656 246,250 239,779	\$229,734 35,740 403,656 246,250
			\$1,070,610 78,039	\$965,206 42,681
Net working capital Decrease in inventory	Part et al.		\$002 571	\$922.525
Decrease in working car				\$918,621
				\$73,951 . 3350.

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Pennsylvania Pow Period End. July 31—	er & Li	ght Co.—	Earnings-	
Operating revenues \$	3,061,179 1,786,079	\$3,025,514 1,718,556	1938—12 2 \$38,394,381 21,969,920	\$38,200,303 21,711,867
Amort. of limited-term	1,002 218,333		5 462	3. feb.
Prop. retire. res. approp.		210,000	2,678,333 \$13,740,666	2,415,000
Net oper. revenues \$1 Rent for lease of plant				8,620
Operating income \$1 Other income (net)	8,763	\$1,096,958 21,633	\$13,740,666 161,794	\$14,064,816 233,811
Gross income\$1 Int. on mortgage bonds_	453,750	\$1,118,591 453,750	\$13,902,460 5,445,000	\$14,298,627 5,445,000
Int. on debentures Other int. & deductions_ Int. charged to constr'n_	50,000 14,376 Cr1,641	50,000 15,789 Cr2,705	600,000 203,284 Cr12,846	600,000 219,708 Cr18,067
	\$544,761	-	\$7,667,022	\$8,051,986
Net incomeDividends applicable to properiod, whether paid or u		and the second s	3,846,546	3,846,544
Baiance			\$3,820,476	\$4,205,442
Pennsylvania RR.		al Systen		78—
		nth-1937	1938—7 A	10s.—1937
Railway oper. revenues_ 29 Railway oper. expenses_ 20	,342,117	$\frac{40,071,820}{28,601,071}$	197,559,805 146,577,809	275,013,984 205,018,427
Net rev. from ry. oper. 9	9,232,906 2,534,500 391,376 359,714 759,915	11,470,749 2,629,863	50,981,996 15,605,400	69,995,557 16,195,483
Unemploy. ins. taxes Railroad retirem't taxes_	391,376 359,714	501.528	15,605,400 2,827,027 2,564,282	2,610,510 3,507,166 1,808,670
Equip. rents— Dr . bal It. facil. rents— Dr . bal	759,915 178,419	492,449 147,867	4,524,190 965,707	1,808,670
Net ry. oper. income_ 5 -V. 147, p. 1204.	5,008,982	7,315,944	24,495,390	44,766,781
Penobscot Valley	Gas Con		ings—	1000
Years Ended June 30— Gross operating revenues	00	1938 \$20,110 14,213	1937 \$17,852 13,033	1936 \$17,027 11,499
Operating expenses and tax Net operating income		\$5,896 248	\$4,819	\$5,527
Non-operating income Gross income		\$6,144		\$5,527
Interest deductions Provision for retirem'ts & re		6.270	\$4,915 6,270 1,034	\$5,527 6,270 933
Net loss —V. 145, p. 3355.		\$1,437	\$2,388	\$1,675
Peoples Light &	Power	Co.—Sin	king Fund	l Payment
Deferred— Holders of collateral lien l	oonds, seri	ies A. due 19	61, are being	notified that
by action of the board of d	lirectors o	f this compa	ny, as perm	itted by and
subject to the provisions of	ied, the s	inking fund	narment of	\$66 250 due
which said bonds were issu	id bonda	and defermed	to Oat 1 10	28 has again
Oct. 1, 1937, in respect of sale been deferred to Oct. 1, 19	id bonds, 39, and t	and deferred he whole am	to Oct. 1, 193	38, has again sinking fund
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Peoples Railway C	o.—Ear	nings—	1938	1937
12 Months Ended June 30	o.—Ear	nings—	1938	1937
Peoples Railway C 12 Months Ended June 30 Gross earnings Operating expenses and taxe Net earnings	Ear	nings—	1938 \$470,670 411,391 \$59,280	1937 \$506,033 417,458 \$88,575
Peoples Railway C 12 Months Ended June 30 Gross earnings Operating expenses and taxe Net earnings	s	nings—	1938 \$470,670 411,391	\$506,033 417,458 \$88,575 4,382
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Volume 147			Fin	ancial
Conso	lidated Bala	nce Sheet June 30		
1938	1937		1938	1937
Assets— \$	\$	Liabilities—	\$	\$
x Real est., bldgs., mach'y & equip. 7,056,29	6 6.861,192	y Common stock 7, Minority interest	798,534	7,798,534
Goodwill	9 914,047	in subsidiaries	3,801	4,005
Cash 1.340.31	9 1.074.902	Accounts payable_ 1,		1,681,004
Accts. & notes rec. 1,468,07 Due fr. empl., &c. 17,20		Notes payable 2,	100,000	2,700,000
Due fr. empl., &c. $17,20$ Inventories $4,353,24$	8 16,380 5 5,347,072	Accrued salaries & wages	64,116	92,185
Miscel. accts. rec. 25,37	6 29,420		105,428	
Long-term notes &		Notes pay. to bks.		000 000
accts. receivable 50,66 Invests. & advs 548,50	8 81,635 3 541,463	(non-current) (Sundry acc'ts pay_	75,460	800,000 55,115
Miscell. invests 34,74	2 35,321	Divs. pay	110,399	55,116
Deferred charges 201,49		Fed. tax reserve	171,919	178,320
		Insurance reserve.	243,082	235,658
		Reserve for con- tingencies, &c	150,000	150,000
		Surplus 3,	246,044	2,871,185
x After depreciation of Represented 441,354 no Pepperell Mfg. C	o.—Earni			
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Total _____\$5,906,356 \$7,544,997 | Total _____\$5,906,356 \$7,544,997 a After reserve of \$19,000 in 1938 and \$16,800 in 1937. b After allow ance for depreciation of \$1,469,944 in 1938 and \$1,296,436 in 1937. c Represented by 475,000 no par shares. d Includes notes receivable.—V. 147 p. 278. \$5,906,356 \$7,544,997

Pillsbury Flour Mills Co.--To Vote on Refunding-

Pillsbury Flour Mills Co.—To Vote on Refunding—
Stockholders at the annual meeting Sept. 13 wil be asked to act upon a proposition to authorize a new mortgage and pledge all or substantially all or any part of the property and assets as security for a proposed bond issue of not exceeding \$7,500,000.

At the meeting stockholders will also be asked to authorize directors to fix the terms of the bond issue.

The new issue wound be used in part to refund the presently outstanding \$4,317,000 20-year 6% bonds maturing Oct. 1, 1943.

The directors pan to issue \$6,000,000 of the new bonds, maturing not earlier than 15 years from the date of issuance, for the purpose of retiring the old 6% bonds and securing additional working capitar. Accordingly directors are negotiating for the sale of the \$6,000,000 proposed bond issue at a rate not in excess of 4% per annum.

The \$1,500,000 additional bonds are included in the authorized amount in order to be made available for issuance from time to time, according to needs of the company.—V. 147, p. 1204.

Pitney-Bowes Postage Meter Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings

Pitney-Bowes Postage Meter Co. (&	& Subs.)-	-Earnings
6 Months Ended June 30— Gross income, less discts, returns and ailowances Cost of sales, oper., selling & administrative exp_ Provision for depreciation_ Development and research expense		1937 \$1,386,291 885,260 145,123 66,126
Profit from operations Profit from British affiliate and miscell. income	\$288,012 24,013	\$289,782 23,571
Profit before provision for taxesProv. for income taxes (excl. undist. profit tax)	\$312,025 59,500	\$313,353 47,325
Net profits_ Shares stock outstanding Earnings per share	\$252,525 895,277 \$0.28	*\$266,028 893,089 \$0.30

Pittsburgh & Sh	awmut R	R.—Earn	ings—	
July— Gross from railway	1938 \$29,556	1937 \$50,738	1936 \$35,460	1935 \$29,054
Net from railway	def7.455	1,913	def4,434	def7,671
Net after rents From Jan. 1—	def7,044	2,498	def2,804	def2,827
Gross from railway	272,146	367,244	300,851	396,209
Net from railway Net after rents	def45,147 def48.094	def9,542 16.387	def24,417 def16,604	37,841 53,381
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Pittsburgh Steel Co.—Options Granted—
Company has notified the New York Stock Exchange that on July 25, options were granted to 16 officers and employees of the company, none of whom had heretofore been granted any such option, to purchase 9,500 shares of common stock at \$12.50 per share on or before July 1, 1940.—V. 146, p. 3815.

Pittsburgh Term	inal Coal	Corp. (&	Subs.)-	Earnings
Period End. June 30— Net loss after taxes, de-	1938—3 M			os.—1937
preciation, &c	\$175,391	\$98,897	\$243,589	\$162,091

-V. 146, p. 3814.

Pittsburgh & West Virginia Ry.—Bonds—
The Interstate Commerce Commission on Aug. 17 authorized the company to pledge and repledge from time to time to and including June 30, 1940, as collateral security for outstanding notes, or for notes issued in renewal thereof or in substitution therefor (1) not exceeding \$3,576,000 of first mortgage gold bonds, series D, and \$8,047,000 of general mortgage 6% gold bonds, and (2) applicant's equity in such bonds.

Promissory Note of \$250,000 Authorized—

The ICC on Aug. 17 authorized the company to issue, reissue, extend, or renew, at par, a promissory note or notes in a total face amount of not exceeding \$250,000 at any time outstanding.

The report of the Commission says in part:

"To pay the past due vouchers and to retain approximately \$100,000 net cash working capital, the applicant proposes to borrow not to exceed

\$250,000 for a short period or periods. To evidence such loan or loans, the applicant seeks authority to issue, reissue, extend, or renew its short-term unsecured promissory note or notes in a total face amount of not exceeding \$250,000 at any time outstanding, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding 5% per annum, and so mature not later than two years after the date of order authorizing the issue thereof. Our order will provide that the last maturity date or dates of the note or notes shal not be later than two years from the date or dates of the original issue thereof, and not later than Aug. 31, 1940."—V. 147, p. 901.

Period End. June 30-	1938-3 M	s.)—Earni	1938—6 M	Tos —1937
x Net profit	\$625,228	\$722.677		\$1.362,996
Shares capital stock	1.017.900	1,050,000	1.017.900	
Earnings per share	\$0.62	\$0.69	\$1.31	\$1.30

Pollak Mfg. Co.—Earnings— 12 Months \$895,553 58,419 \$0.49

Pond Creek Pocahontas Co.—Earnings—

Period End. June 30— 1938—3 Mos.—1937 1938—6 Mos.—1937 iet loss after deprec., deple., taxes, &c.—— \$76,274 \$10,400 \$42,116prof\$30,249 -V. 147, p. 1205.

Porto Rican-American Tobacco Co.—Earnings 1938—6 Mos.—1937 Period End. June 30— 1938—3 Mos.—1937 Net loss after taxes, interest, &c______ \$83,290 \$88,686

a Net loss after taxes, interest, &c______ \$83,290 \$88,686 \$166,612 \$192,612 a Exclusive of company's proportionate share of net profit of its subsidiary, Congress Cigar Co., Inc.—V. 147, p. 278.

Pressed Steel Car Co., Inc. - Earnings-Earns, persh. on 415,379
shs, com. stk. (\$1 par)
Nil \$0.37
Nil \$1.14
x After depreciation, interest, normal Federal and State income taxes, but before surtax on undstributed profits. y Including non-recurring profits of \$185,073 arising from sale of patents. z Loss.—V. 147, p. 753.

Provincial Light, Heat & Power Co., Ltd.-Bonds

A total of \$60,000 first mortgage 40-year 5% bonds has been called for demption on Sept. 1 at 105 and interest. Payment will be made at the ational Trust Co., Ltd., Montreal, Canada.—V. 131, p. 1257.

Provincial Paper, Ltd.—Bonds Called—
A total of \$449,500 20-year first mortgage 5½% s. f. bonds, series A, has been called for redemption on Nov. 1 at 100½ and accrued interest. Payment will be made at any branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce or at the Bank of Montreal, in New York City.—V. 147, p. 129.

Public Service Co. of New Hampshire—Earnings-

Period End. July 31—	1938-Mon	h-1937	1938—12 M	os.—1937
Operating revenues	\$490,825	\$504,205	\$6,075,410	\$5,885,088
Operating expenses	240,683	252,435	2,916,331	2,815,062
State & munic. taxes	76,073	75,250	891,387	822,628
Social security taxes	4,915	3,761	46,735	28,416
Federal taxes (incl. inc.)	21,443	22,457	299,850	199,999
Net oper. income	\$147,711	\$150,302	\$1,921,107	\$2,018,983
Non-oper. inc. (net)	3,634	5,780	44,016	35,999
Gross income Bond interest Other interest (net) Other deductions Prov. for special reserve	\$151,345 58,361 Cr1,959 9,121	\$156,082 56,018 Cr1,750 9,297	\$1,965,123 676,900 Cr13,056 108,596	\$2,054,982 652,389 Cr1,220 112,554 50,700
Net income	52,176	\$92,517	\$1,192,683	\$1,240,559
Pref. div. requirements		52,176	624,035	602,455
Note—Figures for all		de operation	as of the for	mer wholly

owned subsidiary, Manchester Street Ry., which was merged with this company as at Dec. 1, 1937.—V. 147, p. 582.

Pullman, Inc.—Consolidated Balance Sheet June 30-

	1938	1937		1938	1937
Assets—	1930	\$	Liabilities-	\$	\$
x Prop. & equip.			Cap. stock Pull-	•	
Invs. at cost				91,009,450	191,009,500
z Cash & U. S.	12,100,021	21,100,100	Cap. stock, Pull-	02,000,200	
Govt. securs_	43,323,178	38,871,833		6.728	6,728
Accounts & notes			Accts. pay., &c-	5,717,009	13,183,346
receivable	7,730,757	9,182,737	Accrd. Federal		
Equity tr. and			income tax, &c	5,982,550	6,448,436
other car accts	8,711,735	8,260,035	Pensions, interest		
z Other market			& other res've	9,042,889	12,365,241
securities	2,067,943	2,658,925		3,350,000	3,350,000
Inv. in affil. cos.,			Defd. credits	4,648,616	3,331,483
&c	3,938,692	3,908,738	Surplus	37,808,376	43,688,799
Special deposits_	275,586	191,984			
Res. fund assets,	F FOF 00F	0 070 517			State of the state
&c	5,525,895	8,970,517			
Deferred charges	421,427	1,625,615	All Property and the second	\$1.00 B	
Total	257,565,618	273,383,533	Total2	57,565,618	273,383,533

X After depreciation. y Represented by 3,820,189 no par shares. z U. S. Government securities and other marketable securities carried at cost which in the aggregate is less than the market value.

The income statements for the 3, 6 and 12 months ended June 30 were published in V. 147, p. 1205.

Quaker State Oil Refining Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings y\$105,596 y\$1,413,777 78,627 62,162 \$173,350 47,119 y\$767,245 26,133 Loss_____Other income_____ Loss _____ Depreciation _____ Federal income taxes ___ y\$793,378 203,396 98,159 y\$184,223 y\$1,475,939 335,734 405,220 6,868 191,159 \$126,231 168,350 Cr34,730 Net loss_____ Earns. per sh. on cap. stock (par \$10)_____ y\$879,560 \$259,851 y\$491,823 \$158,379 Nil \$0.53 Nil

equal to 73 cents and 60 cents per share of common stock for the respective periods.—V. 147, p. 1205.

Raybestos-Manhattan,	Inc.	(&	Subs.	-Balance	Sheet
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	1938	1937		1938	1937	
Assets-	8	8	Liabilities—	8	8	
Cash	1,813,418	2,139,948	Accounts payable.	364,080	1,114,465	
x Market. securs	425.447	404.232	Accrued salaries &		112	
Notes, accts., &c.,			wages	86,472	332.386	
receivable	1.775.110	2.998.100	Prov. for taxes	491.424	a395.115	
Other accts, rec		19.554	Prov. for Fed. &		16.75	
Mdse, inventories_	4.373.479	5.173.997	State inc. taxes.	12.019	342,220	
Investments	306.749	342,926	Res. for conting	250,000	350,000	
Sund, rec. (non-	17.75	75/	z Capital stock	9,721,800	9.721.800	
curr.)	340,262	406.153	Surplus	7.207.646	8.063.316	
y Fixed assets	7.447.087	7.301.145	b Treas. stock	Dr906.680	Dr840.012	
Deferred charges	119,506	98,076		A 100	- Rec. (C	
Trade-name, good-						
will, &c	595,157	595,156				
					30 M SA	

Total 17,226,762 19,479,290 Total 17,226,762 19,479,290 X Market value \$440,838 in 1938 and \$452,715 in 1937. y After depreciation of \$11,006,802 in 1938, \$10,450,517 in 1937. z Represented by 676,012 shares (no par value). a Includes prior year's taxes. b Represented by 44,012 shares, at cost in 1938, and 40,512 shares, at cost in 1937. Note—Earnings for six months ended June 30, appeared in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, Vol. 147, page 1205.

Reading Co.-Earnings

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Period End. July 31— Railway oper. revenues_ Railway oper. expenses_	1938—Mo \$3,459,593 2,689,225		\$26,991,815	fos.—1937 \$36,265,107 24,507,760
Net rev. from ry. oper. Railway tax accruals	\$770,368 182,377	\$1,223,255 267,907	\$6.261,778 1,955,639	
Railway oper. income_ Equipment rents (net)_ Joint facility rents (net)_	\$587,991 53,601 5,503	\$955,348 93,399 4,553	\$4,306,139 191,805 45,171	\$8,678,839 290,131 11,499
Net ry. oper. income. -V. 147, p. 754.	\$647,095	\$1,053,300	\$4,543,115	\$8,980,469

Real Silk Hosiery Mills, Inc. (& Subs.)—Earnings 6!Mos. End. June 30— fet loss after charges, depreciation, Fed. nor-mal income taxes____ 1938 1937 1936 1935

Reece Folding Machine Co.—Balance Sheet June 30-

Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937
Cash	\$9,131	\$9,957	Accts. payable		\$14.649
Accts, receivable	26.079		Notes payable		
Notes receivable.	2.641		Div. payable		4,535
Accrued int. rec	60		Res. for Fed. &		
Mkt. secs. at cost.	25,579	30.401	State taxes	3.712	2.206
Inventories	53,497		Capital stock		1,000,000
Other invests, at		1000	Surplus	97,581	94.166
cost (9.293 shs.					
of stk. in own			property and the second		
co.)	12,590	12,590			
x Machs, on lease	121,312	121,217	Control of the Control		
x Mach., tools &					
fixtures	24.405	22,512			
x Patents	19,300	834,304		1	
Goodwill	812,986				
x Office furn. &			March 1985 Annual Property (1985)		
fixtures	1.360	1,510			
Def. charges	150	1,703			
Total @	1 100 000	Q1 115 550	Total 6	21 100 000	01 115 550

Total......\$1,109,092 \$1,115,556 Total.....\$1,109,092 \$1,115,556 x After reserve for depreciation. Note—Earnings for six months ended June 30 appeared in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, V. 147, p. 1205. Total____\$1,109,092 \$1,115,5

Reliance Insurance Co. of Philadelphia—Balance

Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937
Bonds and stocks.\$	3,040,035	\$3,294,964	Premium reserve_	\$920,203	\$937,509
Mortgage loans	75,580	96,858	Losses in process of		1.00
Real estate	143,320	142,965	adjustment	82.168	76,238
Cash in banks and			Res've for comm.		
offices	329,519	290,790	exps., taxes and		
Prems, in course of			other liabilities_	123.551	146.468
collection	212,091	245.972	Capital	1.000,000	1.000,000
Other assets	25,043	24,877	Surplus		1,936,212
Total\$	3,825,588	\$4,096,427	Total	3.825.588	\$4,096,427

Reliance Mfg. Co. of III - Farnings

Period End. June 30—		- 0	1938—6 Mo	1027
Net profit after deprec.,	A STATE OF THE STA			31931
int. & Fed. inc. taxes_ No. of shs. of com. stock	\$114,601	loss\$6,548	loss\$60,776	\$184,194
outstanding	222,055	222,055	222,055	222,055
Earnings per share	\$0.41	Nil	Nil	\$0.61

Remington Rand, Inc. (& Subs.) - Earnings -

Quar. End. June 30—	1938	1937	1936	1935
Net income after charges and Federal taxes	\$93,152	x\$1,470,168	\$443,959	\$478,704
Earns. per sh. on com stk	Nil	\$0.81	\$0.12	\$0.13

x Before surtax on undistributed profits.

Common Dividends-

Common Dividends—
Directors have declared an interim cash dividend of 20 cents per share on the common shares payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 9. Like amount was paid on July 1, last. On March 25, last a dividend of 25 cents was paid together with an extra dividend in stock of 1-100th of a share o \$4.50 preferred stock for each share of common stock held.

A dividend of 25 cents was paid on Jan. 3, last; one of 35 cents was paid on Oct. 1, 1937; 25 cents paid on July 1, 1937; and previously, quarterly cash dividends of 15 cents and stock dividends of 1% were distributed. In addition, a special dividend of 15 cents was paid on March 26, 1937.—
V. 146, p. 3678.

V. 146, p. 3678.

Reo Motor Car Co.—Officials Resign—

Resignations of Fred Glover, President, and Earl Goodnow and M. D. Harrison, directors, were announced by Rowland Campbell, Chairman of the Board. He declared that they were due to differences of opinion on policy between these men and the other eight directors. Mr. Campbell now assumes the title of President.

A drastic economy program is under way at the Reo plant, including a substantial cut in office personnel, sale of idle machinery and plans to raze unused factory buildings. The administration building will be rented and the office force will be moved into one of the remaining factory buildings, Mr. Campbell said.

It is hoped by the management that these economies will make unnecessary the raising of new working capital. Production is at a low rate during the current inventory and change-over period. Sales of the recently-introduced new model buses, however, are reported to be encouraging.—

V. 147, p. 583, 430.

Republic Petroleum Co.—Earnings

Period End. June 30-	1938-3 M	s.—1937	1938—6 M	os.—1937
Gross sales, crude oil products Less royalties paid	\$140,864 19,725	\$254,421 37,814	\$302,794 42,515	\$450,311 68,557
Net sales	\$121,139	\$216,607	\$260,278	\$381,753
Production costs, excl. of taxes. General expense. Depletion. Depreciation.	48,880 17,209 12,685 32,192	51,169 19,149 25,622 39,583	90,230 32,079 27,060 64,361	95,443 35,216 42,035 69,516
Oper. profit before extraordinary items & taxes Other expense (net of oth Abandonments Taxes, incl. prov. for norr Profit from subsidiaries	er income)	nc. tax	\$46,548 2,039 25,575 22,356 40,099	\$139,543 9,378 9,157 17,191
x Net profitx Before tax on undistr			\$36,677 0.3678.	\$103,818

Revere Copper & Brass, Inc. (& Subs.)—Earnings 1937 6 Mos. End. June 30-1 1938 1936

Gross sales, less returns & allowances Cost of goods sold, excl.	Unavail	able	\$15,314,401 12,165,746	\$11,709,433 9,028,462
of depreciation Operating expenses			1,314,531	1,159,572
Oper. profit before de- preciationloss Non-operating income	\$838,559 47,881	\$3,756,434 113,264	\$1,834,122 70,833	\$1,521,398 78,125
Total incomeloss Non-operating charges Depreciation Interest on bonds Amort. of bond prem. &	\$790,678 148,116 670,391 180,472	\$3,869,698 323,598 652,091 189,195	\$1,904,956 144,650 641,339 197,446	\$1,599,524 147,071 605,434 .251,970
other expenses Prov. for Fed. inc. taxes_	30,052	33,976 548,000	30,889 157,200	81,450
Net profit for period_loss\$	1,819,709	\$2,122,838	\$733,430	\$513,598
Earns. per sh. on 7% pref. stock			\$7.70	\$5.39
Earns. per sh. on cl. A stock			\$1.66	\$0.75

Stock
Earns. per sh. on common stock. Nil \$2.56 Nil Nil
Note—No provision has been made for Federal surtax on undistributed
profits.—V. 147, p. 903.

Reynolds Investing Co., Inc.—New Directors—
Byrne E. Baldwin and Ralph B. Johnson of New York, stock brokers and William C. Schmidt, an investment counsellor, also of New York, were elected on Aug. 18 directors of this company, which is undergoing reorganization under Section 77-B of the Federal Bankruptcy Act.

The election was held in the offices of Furst & Furst, lawyers, at 60 Park Place, and carried out an agreement made on Aug. 16 before Federal Judge Guy Fake by representatives of holders of stock and bonds of the concern. The new directors succeed former Federal Judge Charles F. Lynch of Paterson, and Fred Stickel Jr. and Arthur T. Vanderbilt of Newark who resigned.

Irving Rossi, Vice-President of the concern, the other member of the board, was elected several months ago.—V. 146, p. 4129.

Richmond Frede	ricksburg	& Poton	nac RR.	Earnings
July— Gross from railway—— Net from railway—— Net after rents———	1938 \$558,269 116,067 46,386	1937 \$667.162 172,448 91,764	1936 \$585,985 143,102 66,585	1935 \$480,304 35,009 def18,270
From Jan. 1— Gross from railway Net from railway Net after rents	$\substack{4,724,361\\945,961\\256,231}$	5,377,854 1,599,668 797,027	4,460,873 966,161 355,357	4,022.568 766,476 286,307

(H. H.) Robertson Co.-Dividend Reduced-

Directors have declared a dividend of 121% cents per share on the common stock, payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Aug. 31. Previously regular quarterly dividends of 25 cents per share were distributed.—V. 146, p. 3355.

Robot Products Corp.—Registers with SEC— See list given on first page of this department.—V. 144, p. 1799, 465.

Rochester Button Co.—Earnings— 3 Months Ended July 31— Net sales. Cost of sales. 1938 \$247,541 \$219,425 \$28,116 66,199 \$147,269 76,782 prof\$70,486 5,693 2,531 Operating loss______Other deductions_____Other income_____ Loss____Reserve for Federal income tax___ \$49,144 prof\$67,324 15,000

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Assets-	1938	1937	Liabilities-	1938	1937
Cash	\$49,289	\$188,631	Accounts payable.	\$22,283	\$33,553
Notes receivable	425	128	Notes payable	35,000	
x Accts. receivable	136.858	211.404	Accrued accounts.	12,746	14,515
Inventory	570.090	540.179	Dividends payable	4.046	69,576
y Land, buildings.			Res. for Fed. taxes	12,966	40,741
mach'y & equip_	623,720	652,361	Pref. stk (\$20 par)	215,800	227,400
Deferred charges.	35,365	6,666	Com. stk. (\$1 par)	131,025	130,625
			Capital surplus	669,556	668,355
			Earned surplus	312,325	414,604
					01 500 000

Total \$1,415,747 \$1,599,370 Total \$1,415,747 \$1 599,370 x After allowance for doubtful accounts of \$34,727 in 1938 and \$34,290 in 1937. y After allowance for depreciation of \$248,814 in 1938 and \$198,664 in 1937.—V. 146, p. 2059.

Rome Cable Corp.—Earnings-

1938 1937 \$10,898 prof\$73,923

Safeway Stores, Inc.—Sales-

Period End. Aug. 6— 1938—4 Wks.—1937 1938—32 Wks.—1937 Sales——\$28,684,522 \$30,106,912 \$223526,242 \$231195,665 3,227 3,351 Stores in operation._
-V. 147, p. 1205.

St. Louis Screw & Bolt Co.—Accumulated Dividend—
The directors have declared a dividend of \$1.75 per share on account of accumulations on the 7% cum. pref. stock, par \$100, payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 25. A dividend of \$5.25 was paid on June 25, last; dividends of \$1.75 were paid on Feb. 1, last, Nov. 1 and on Aug. 1, 1937 a dividend of \$7 was paid on June 25, 1938, and dividends of \$1.75 were paid

on June 1, May 1, March 22 and Feb. 1, 1937; Nov. 1, Aug. 1, May 22 and Feb. 29, 1936, and on Nov. 30, 1935. Accumulations after the current

aymei	nt will	amount	to \$14	per sha	re.—V	. 146, p.	4129.
St.	Aug	ustine	Gas	Co	-Earn	inas-	

12 Months Ended June 30— Gross operating revenues Operating expenses	1938 \$84,205 56,167	1937 \$78,708 51,906
Net operating income	\$28,038	\$26,801
Nonoperating income	1,110	445
Gross incomeInterest deductionsProv. for retirements & replacements	\$29,148 6,150 4,179	\$27,246 6,056 3,843
Net income	\$18,819	\$17,347
Dividends on preferred stock	4,344	4,740
Net income after pref. dividends	\$14,475	\$12,607
Dividends on common stock	20,000	16,250

Sanford Mills—Dividend Resumed—
Directors have declared a dividend of \$1 per share on the common sto
payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 22. Previous payment was
\$2 distribution made on Nov. 26, 1937.—V. 146, p. 766.

Savannah Gas Co.—Earnings

12 Months Ended June 30— Gross operating revenues Operating expenses	1938 \$517,276 302,487	1937 \$475,309 294,398
Net operating income Non-operating income	\$214,789 12,466	\$180,910 5,012
Gross income	\$227,255 42,570 1,743 37,909 3,533	\$185,922 43,155 1,531 32,920 3,632
Net incomePreferred dividends	\$141,499 28,283	\$104,683 28,230
Net income after preferred dividends. Dividends on common stock. —V. 145, p. 3357.	\$113,215 147,000	\$76,453 56,000

Net Sales and Earnings for Calendar Years

Year-	Net Sales	b Net Earns.	Year-	Net Sales	b Net Earns.
1928	_\$6,750,437	\$761,953	1934	\$9.011.644	\$911.268
1929	- 7,761,558	893,250	1935	10,206,961	956,473
1930		986,845		11,624,476	1.014.427
1931			1937	13.843.542	1.249.280
1932			1938 (a)	8,282,805	743.627
1933	- 7,612,940	798,607			,

a 26 weeks ended July 2, 1938. b Applicable to dividends. Annual dividend charges on the proposed issue of 30,000 \$4.50 cumulative preferred shares will be \$135,000.

**PPurpose—Company intends to use the net proceeds from sale of the \$4.50 preferred shares (estimated at \$3,022,770 after deducting expenses payable by the company) for property improvements, purchase of machinery, construction, purchase of additional capital stock of Brunswick Pulp & Paper Co., and working capital.

**Capitalization—Capitalization of company as of July 2, 1938, adjusted to reflect the issuance of the preferred shares, is as follows:

Outstanding \$3,857,000 Authorized \$4,000,000

130,000 cumulative preferred shares (no par), of which 30,000 shares are presently to be issued as \$4.50 cumulative preferred shares (no par), b Not including 100,000 shares reserved for conversion of the 3½% debenture bonds and 20.98 shares reserved for exchange for outstanding, non-voting, non-participating common stock scrip covering 2,098 rights.

Underwriters—The names and addresses of the several underwriters and the several amounts underwriteten by them, respectively, are as follows: Smith, Barney & Co., Philadelphia.

14,200 shs. Cassatt & Co., Philadelphia.

2,100 shs. Janney & Co., Philadelphia.

2,100 shs. Yarnall & Co., Philadelphia.

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2,100 shs. Harper & Turner, Inc., Philadelphia.

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Consolidated Balance Sheet July 2, 1938 .

Assets—		Liabilities—		
Cash	\$862.978	Accounts payable, trade	\$711.138	
a Receivables	947,501	Accrued wages, salaries, &c.,	4,11,100	
Inventories	1.553.277	compensation	80,700	
Instalments receivable	8.573	Provision for Federal income	50,700	
Accrued int. receivable		and capital stock taxes	396,326	
Brunswick P. & P. Co. 1st 6s	216,000	Prov. for Penna. income and	000,020	
Receivable from employees	43,482	capital stock taxes	76.063	
Investments	3,474,007	Accrued bond int. payable	43,431	
Adv. pay. on plant equipment		Sinking fund instalments	249,000	
purchase contracts	23,882	31/4 % debenture bonds	3,714,000	
Plant assets (less deprecia'n)_	5,426,678	Reserves	109,331	
Pats., trademarks & goodwill	. 1	Common stock (570,005 shs.)	2,659,596	
Deferred charges	85,680	Earned surplus	4,662,762	
Total				
	12 702 348	Total	10 700 040	

a Trade acceptances receivable, \$197.381; accounts receivable, customers domestic, \$795.584; bills of exchange and accounts receivable from foreign customers, \$48.095; total, \$1,041.662; less reserves for doubtful accounts and discounts, \$93,560.—V. 147, p. 1206.

Schumacher Wall Board Corp.—Earnings-

3 Months Ended July 31— 1938
Net profit after all charges \$33,942
-V. 147, p. 1048. 1937 \$17,550

Servel, Inc. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Period Ended July 31— 1938—3 Mos.—1937 1938—9 Mos.—1937

Net profit after deprec., int. and Fed'l taxes. x\$595,252 x\$2,158,946 x\$1,231,619 x\$4,451,375
Shs.com. stk.out.(par \$1) 1,781,426 1,781,426 1,781,426 1,781,426
Earnings per share..... \$0.33 \$1.20 \$0.67 \$2.48

x After estimated undistributed profits taxes.—V. 147, p. 755.

Shepard-Niles Crane & Hoist Corp.—Smaller Dividend
The directors have declared a dividend of 25 cents per share on the common stock payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 21. This compares with 50 cents paid on June 1 and on March 1, last; and a dividend of \$1.50 was paid on Dec. 1, 1937. The company paid a stock dividend of 100% on the common stock, par \$25 in common stock on June 1, 1937 and at same date a cash dividend of \$1.50 per share was paid. Previous dividend payments were as follows: \$1 on March 1, 1937, \$3.50 on Dec. 1, 1936, and 50 cents per share paid on Sept. 1, 1936, and in each of the three preceding quarters, the Dec. 15, 1935 dividend being the first paid since 1932.—V. 147, p. 132.

Sierra Pacific Power Co.—Earnings-Period Ended July 31— 1938—Month—1937

Operating revenues Operation Maintenance Taxes	\$173,439 54,428 7,877 25,389	\$164,248 46,813 8,274 23,519	\$1,949,470 738,166 115,056 268,029	\$1,775,795 641,006 105,444 248,670
Net oper. revenues Non-oper. income (net)_	\$85,744 1,166	\$85,642 1,298	\$828,218 3,730	\$780,674 4,253
BalanceRetirement accruals	\$86,910 6,760	\$86,939 7,718	\$831,948 91,168	\$784,926 96,174
Gross income Int. & amortization, &c_	\$80,149 10,822	\$79,222 10,393	\$740,780 131,032	\$688,752 127,367
Net income	\$69,327	\$68,828	\$609,748 210,000 237,811	\$560,385 209,419 396,550
Siscoe Gold Mine 6 Months Ended June 30 Net profit after deprec., F	_		1938	1937

-V. 147, p. 1049.

Smith Agricultural Chemical Co.—Pays \$1 Dividend—Company paid a dividend of \$1 per share on the common stock, no par value, on Aug. 1 to holders of record July 21. This compares with 25 cents paid on May 1 and on Feb. 1, last; \$2 paid on Oct. 28, 1937; \$1 paid on Aug. 2, 1937, and previously dividends of 12½ cents per share were distributed each three months. In addition, an extra dividend of \$2.50 was paid on Nov. 16, 1935.—V. 145, p. 4128.

South American Gold & Platinum Co. (& Subs.)-

Earnings-Earnings—

6 Months Ended June 30—

x Net profit

x Net profit

x Separation Separation of the separat

		ubs.)—Bai. Sheet Jun	N - 100 march 10 m
1938	1937	1938	1937
Assets \$	8	Liabilities— \$	\$
x Props. & equip15,895,124	16,646,600	Capital stock 25,000,000	25.000.000
Stocks in other cos 6,446,472		Accounts payable. 1,160,782	1.521.621
Market. securs 2,087,258	2.043,929	Tax liability 422.347	
Material, mdse. &		Annuities payable	
stock oil 6.408.412	6.630,594	currently 83,188	88,181
Notes receivable 38,987	22,598	Workmans' comp.	
Accts. receivable 773,803	1,083,425		
Due from affil. cos. 162,633		currently 12,924	7,262
Other receivables 308,161		Due to contr. for	.,
Misc. stks. owned_ 3,113,076	3,119,326	deed to Dec. 31. 2.068	2,500
Cash 1,997,749	2,566,696	Deposits & accrued	2,000
Time deposits 2,566,809	2,533,501	interest 27.140	24.619
Deferred charges 12,786		Other accr'd accts 62.439	
Deletted contains		Res. for annuities	01,100
	183.0	pay. aft. Dec. 31 1,024,565	801,711
		Workman's comp.	001,111
	market and the	claims pay, after	
		Dec. 31 91,166	62,756
		Due on deed for	02,700
		contr. aft. Dec.31 29.858	33,500
	4	Surplus11,894,795	
3 - 4 c - 4 - 4 - 4 - 4 - 4 - 4 - 4 - 4 -		Surprus11,094,795	10,040,070
Total 39.811.271	41.610.702	Total 39 811 271	41.610.702

x After reserve for deprelcation and depletion of \$97,677,573 in 1938 and \$96,324,769 in 1937. Note—Barnings for six months ended June 30 appeared in the "Chronicle" of Aug. 20, V. 147, p. 1207.

 Southern Pacific Co.—Earnings—

 July—
 1938
 1937

 Gross from railway
 \$13,103,958
 \$15,298,447

 Net from railway
 3,287,794
 4,049,233

 Net after rents
 1,351,400
 1,883,172

 From Jan.
 1
 82,480,833
 100,146,401

 Net from railway
 14,119,120
 24,031,630

 Net after rents
 809,441
 11,176,466

 —V. 147, p. 1207
 100,000
 100,000

Southern Pacific SS. Lines-Earnings

July—	1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross from railway	\$602,842	\$597,196	\$487,377	\$385,730
Net from railway	105,781	22,113	def19,944	def60,272
Net after rents	91,337	4,086	def19,349	def61,112
Gross from railway	3.793.081	4,556,970	3,220.186	2,722,765
Net from railway	9,587	226,779	def98,023	def363,023
Net after rents	def99,456	53,468	135,853	def368,698

Southern Ry.—Not in Need of Financial Reorganization at This Time—RFC Loan of \$11,795,000 Approved—Loan of

Southern Ry.—Not in Need of Financial Reorganization at This Time—RFC Loan of \$11,795,000 Approved—Loan of \$12,475,204 Extended—
The Interestate Commerce Commission on Aug. 19 found the company "not to be in need of financial reorganization in the public interest at this time, and, on the basis of present and prospective carmins, reasonably to buildfull reorganization." At the same time the ICC approved a loan of \$11,795,000 to the company by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for specific purposes, and authorized the extension of the time of payment of the purposes, and authorized the extension of the time of payment of the purposes, and authorized the extension of the time of payment of the purposes, and authorized the extension of the time of payment of the purposes, and authorized the extension of the time of payment of the purposes, and authorized the extension of the time of payment of the purposes. In 1985, and requesting the extension in part:

The company, on July 18, 1938, filed an application with the RFC for a loan of \$11,795,000 to meet certain bonded indebtedness maturing Sept. 1, 1938.

The our reports and certificates of Feb. 26, 1932, Aug. 26, 1932, and April 14, 1938, we approved loans of \$7,500,000, 97,250,000 and \$4,585,000,000 April 14, 1938, we approved loans of \$7,500,000, 97,250,000 and \$4,585,000,000 April 14, 1938, we approved loans of \$7,500,000,000 April 14, 1938, we approved the purchase for leading the property and certificates of July 7, 1935, we approved the purchase for leading the Finance Ordered loans of \$7,500,000 and \$4,500,000 April 14, 1938, and a substitution of colleteral security therefor has been approved. By our report and certificate of July 7, 1935, we approved the purchase for leading the property and certificate of July 7, 1935, we approved the purchase for leading the property and certificates of the second loans and the second loans the property and certificates of the second loans and the second loans and the second loans and the second loans and the second

consideration of the application and investigation thereof, we

After consideration of the application and investigation.

1. That we should find and certify that the applicant is not at this time in need of financial reorganization in the public interest, and that it may reasonably be expected, on the basis of present and prospective earnings, to meet its fixed charges without reduction thereof through judicial reorganization.

2. That we should approve a loan to the applicant by the Finance Corporation of not to exceed \$11,795,000 for a period not exceeding five years from Sept. 1, 1938, for the purposes stated in the application and in this report.

corporation of flot or exceed \$1,793,000 for a period not exceeding live years from Sept. 1, 1938, for \$11,793,000 for a period not exceeding live this report.

3. That we should approve an extension by the Finance Corporation for the applicant, for a period ending not later than Sept. 1, 1943, through renewal, substitution of new obligations, or otherwise, of the time of payment of the loan of \$12,475,204 maturing Sept. 1, 1938.

4. That the applicant should deposit and pledge with the Finance Corporation as collateral security for the additional loan approved therein and previous loans, the following additional securities: \$4,654,000 of its first consolidated mortgage 5% bonds of 1994, \$7,839,500 of Mobile & Ohio RR. general-mortgage 4% bonds of 1938 with accrued and unpaid interest coupons attached, subject to a prior claim, if any, asserted by the Railroad Credit Corporation in a petition filed May 20, 1936, in the Mobile and Ohio RR. receivership proceedings pending before the U. S. District Court for the Southern District of Alabama, Southern Division, but not

yet passed upon by the court, \$1,528,000 of Carolina & Northwestern Ry. 1st mtge. 5% bonds of 1953, 59,794 shares of the common stock of the New Orleans & Northeastern RR., and 3,252 shares of the common stock of the Southwestern Construction Co.

5. That the applicant should agree that all collateral security now deposited with the Finance Corporation and the additional security to be deposited in accordance with the provisions of the certificate of approval, shall apply equally and ratably to secure all obligations of the applicant now or hereafter owing to, or held by, the Finance Corporation.

6. That the applicant should agree to establish from the time the credit approved herein is availed of, a sinking fund under which there would be paid annually in reduction of the principal amount of the loans from the Finance Corporation, while such loans are outstanding and unpaid, the following amounts: Pro rata for the year 1938 and annually thereafter a sum equal to the difference between the interest rate of 5% now paid by it on the Southern Railway-East Tennessee reorganization-nortgage bonds of 1938, and the rate of interest charged applicant by the Finance Corporation on the \$4,500,000 borrowed from that corporation for the purpose of retiring such bonds.

7. That the applicant should agree that commencing with the calendar year 1939 it will pay not later than Feb. 15 of the succeeding year and annually thereafter, so long as the loans from the Finance Corporation are outstanding and unpaid, in reduction of such loans from that corporation as me equal to 25% of the balance of net income as reported by the applicant to this Commission in its annual report after deduction from net income of maturing during each such calendar year.

September Maturities to Be Met—

Maturing during each such calendar year,

September Maturities to Be Met—
The principal of East Tennessee reorganization 5% bonds of Southern Ry, will be paid at maturity, Sept. 1, 1938, at the office of Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., 70 Broadway, New York. Interest coupons payable said date will be paid at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., 23 Wall Street.

The principal of Mobile & Ohio collateral 4% bonds of Southern Ry. will be paid at maturity. Sept. 1, 1938, at the office of Guaranty Trust Co., 140 Broadway, New York. Interest coupons payable said date will be paid at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co.—V. 147, p. 1207.

Southwestern As	sociated	Telephon	e Co.—Ed	arnings-
Period End. July 31— Operating revenues Uncollectible: oper. rev_	\$102,843 250	nth—1937 \$98,396 150	1938—7 Me \$716,605 1,450	\$667,918 \$667,918 850
Operating revenues Operating expenses	\$102,593 62,647	\$98,246 58,022	\$715,155 436,550	\$667,068 399,605
Net oper. revenues Operating taxes	\$39,946 11,348	\$40,224 8,410	\$278,605 64,992	\$267,463 51,399
Net oper. income	\$28,598	\$31,814	\$213,613	\$216,064

Southwestern Gas & Electric Co.-Earnings-

Period End. June 30—	1938—3 M	os.—1937	1938—12 A	## 1937
Operating revenues	\$1,821,605	\$1,761,138	\$7,649,706	\$7,056,362
Oper. exps. and taxes	1,154,774	1,048,089	4,725,855	4,131,179
Net oper. income	\$666,830	\$713,049	\$2,923,851	\$2,925,183
Other income (net)	7,222	6,652	30,038	32,502
Gross income	\$674,052	\$719,701	\$2,953,889	\$2,957,685
Int. & other deductions_	249,598	255,859	1,001,373	1,030,370
Net income	\$424,455	\$463,842	\$1,952,516	\$1,927,315
Pref. stock dividends	154,605	154,605	618,422	618,422
Balance	\$269,849	\$309,236	\$1,334,094	\$1,308,893

Southwestern Light & Power Co.—Accumulated Div.—
The directors have declared a dividend of \$1.12½ per share on account of accumulations on the \$6 cum. pref. stock, no par value, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 20. A like amount was paid on July 1 and April 1 last; a dividend of \$1.75 was paid on Dec. 18 last; dividends of \$1.12½ were paid on July 1 and on April 1, 1937; a dividend of \$1.12½ paid on Oct. 1 and July 1, 1936; 75 cents paid on April 1, 1936; dividends of 50 cents paid in each of the 1° preceding quarters; 75 cents on July 1, 1933, and \$1.50 per share previously each three months.—V. 147, p. 756.

Sparks-Withington Co. (& Subs.) - Earnings-1937 \$466,067 \$0.49

Years Ended June 30— 1938 Net profit loss \$60,581 arns. per share on common stock Nil 1936 \$154,561 \$0.15 x After depreciation, Federal and Canadian income taxes and surtax on undistributed profits.—V. 146, p. 928.

Spokane Interna	tional Rv	-Earning	78	
July—	1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross from railway	69,229	68,544	77,882	59,873
Net from railway	15.498	14,034	21,516	10,774
Net after rents From Jan. 1—	7,359	5,896	12,669	4,585
Gross from railway	404.310	459.721	415,777	303,359
Net from railway	44.930	84,136	92,117	9,646
Net after rents	def7,410	36,151	33,570	def29,125

Standard Gas & Electric Co .--Weekly Output Electric output of the public utility operating companies in the Standard sas & Electric Co. system for the week ended Aug. 20, 1938, totaled 104,-10,955 kilowatt-hours, a decrease of 7.6% compared with the corresponding week last year.—V. 147, p. 1207.

Standard Oil Co. of Ind.—Liquidates Employee Stock Plan Company has liquidated its fifth and final employees' stock-purchasing plan through distribution of 301.509 shares of stock to 12,977 employees and division of a \$187,360 cash balance.

Total cost of the shares over a three-year period was \$10.019,460, or an average of \$33,23 a share. Of this amount employees contributed \$6,086,-760, dividends of \$756,658 were earned on the stock and \$3,043,380 was provided by company contributions at the rate of 50 cents for each dollar invested by employees. A general fund of \$320,022 also accumulated as employees withdrew from the plan and relinquished their share in company contributions.

Of the 19,916 employees who at one time or another participated in the plan, 6,939 dropped out.—V. 147, p. 1207.

Standard Oil Co. of Kansas-Earnings-

Standard On Co. of Kansa	18 Dullet	040	
6 Months Ended June 30— Gross operating income Costs exp. ord. tax	1938 \$846,284 247,488	\$635,364 222,971	1936 \$602,582 206,153
Operating income	\$598,796 86,083 54,202 43,166	\$412,393 60,948 56,839 21,254	\$396,429 62,117 56,780 66,191 62,376
ProfitOther incomeProfit sale royalty, &c	\$415,345 2,101 19,108	\$273,352 3,473 332,660	\$148,965 4,590
Total income Interest paid Federal income tax	\$436,554 43,315 44,385	\$609,485 17,452 73,983	\$153,555 11,390 12,408
Net profit	\$348,854	\$518,050	\$129,757

Standard Oil Co. of La.—Valuation Protested—
This company, successor to Standard Pipe Line Co., Inc., protested the Interstate Commerce Commission as to the Commission's findings of the tentative valuation of its properties used for common carrier pur-

poses. The Commission's report of the valuation of the oil company's properties was made as of Dec. 31, 1934.

The company contended that the Commission erroneously excluded property and failed to allow cash for working capital in its valuation of the properties. Other objections to the ICC's report included failure by the Commission to make proper allowance for engineering, general expenditure and interest during construction of the property and reproduction costs of physical property and depreciation.—V. 145, p. 2560.

physical property and depreciation.—V. 145, p. 2560.

Steinway Rys.—Assets Sold—

The physical assets of the company, which operates four surface car lines in Long Island City, Queens, one of which goes over the Queensboro Bridge, were bought for \$65,000 Aug. 22 by a reorganization committee of bondholders at an auction in Queens County Counthouse, Long Island City. The sale was the result of foreclosure proceedings on the mortgage held since 1892 by the Guaranty Trust Co.

The properties will be turned over to the Queensboro Bridge Ry., which will settle claims against the Steinway company and formally seek permission to continue the present operation of trolley cars on the bridge. Later a subsidiary company, the Steinway Omnibus Corp., will seek a franchise to operate buses in Long Island City to replace the surface cars and connect with those operating across the bridge. The terms of the sale provide that the purchasers must assume all liabilities of the receivers.—V. 127, p. 1105.

Sterling Brewers, Inc.—10-Cant Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 10 cents per share on the common stock payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Sept. 1. Last previous payment was the 15 cent dividend distributed on Dec. 22, 1937.—V. 147, p. 134.

Sunset-McKee Salesbook Co.—Extra Dividend—
Directors have declared an extra dividend of 50 cents per share in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 37½ cents per share on the no par class B shares. The extra dividend will be paid on Aug. 26 to holders of record Aug. 16, and the regular dividend will be distributed on Sept. 15 to holders of record Sept. 4.—V. 145, p. 1275.

Superior Water, Light & Power Co.—Earnings—

Superior Water, Period End. July 31—	Light & P 1938—Monti		.—Earning	
Operating revenues Oper. exps., incl. taxes_ Prop. retire. res. approp.	\$81,090 63,736 4,000	\$78,075 59,944 4,000	$$1,030,910 \\ 782,352$	\$983,663 725,356 48,000
Net oper, revenues Other income	\$13,354 24	\$14,131 60	\$200,558 234	\$210,307 536
Gross income	\$13,378 454 8,505	\$14,191 454 8,467	\$200,792 5,450 100,201	\$210,843 5,450 98,544 <i>Cr</i> 25
Net income Dividends applicable to pr whether paid or unpaid_	ef. stock for	\$5,270 the period,	\$95,141 35,000	\$106,874 35,000
Balance -V. 147, p. 757.			\$60,141	\$71,874

Sylvania Industrial Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings-6 Months Ended June 30— x Net profits Shares capital stock Earnings per share 1938 \$185,903 435,066 \$0.42 \$524,426 435,091 \$1.20

x After depreciation, Federal income taxes, &c., but before provision for surtax on undistributed profits.—V. 146, p. 3681.

 Symington-Gould Corp.—Earnings—

 Period Ended July 31—
 1938—3 Mos.—1937

 x Operating loss
 \$205,610 prof \$302,602

 Other income—net
 32,449

 89,847

 1938—6 Mos.—1937 \$478.440prof\$689,957 59,209 158,687

\$173,160prof\$392,449 \$419,230prof\$848,644 x After provision for depreciation of plant, all selling and general expenses, provision for reserves, for State taxes and for Federal normal income and excess profits taxes. y Before provision for surtax on undistributed profits.

profits.

Note—The above figures are subject to adjustment and include earnings of the Symington-Gould Corp. and of Gould Coupler Corp. for the periods above stated.—V. 146, p. 3525.

Tacony-Palmyra Bridge Co.—Dividend Increased—Directors have declared dividends of 75 cents per share on the common nd class A stocks payable Sept. 30 to holders of record Sept. 15. Prejously regular quarterly dividends of 50 cents per share were distributed n these issues.—V. 147, p. 586.

Tampa Electric (Period End. July 31—	1938—Moni		1938—12 Mos.—1937	
Operating revenues	\$334,061	\$358,839	\$4,558,333	\$4,404,103
Operation	129,228	154,414	1,735,463	1,742,131
Maintenance	21,320	23,424	269,146	238,660
Taxes	52,689	46,452	604,293	542,111
Net oper revenues Non-oper inc. (net)	\$130,823	\$134,549	\$1,949,429	\$1,881,200
	963	Dr367	158	Dr2,231
BalanceRetirement accruals	\$131.786	\$134,182	\$1,949.588	\$1,878,969
	35.833	35,833	430,000	430,000
Gross income	\$95,953	\$98,349	\$1,519,588	\$1,448,969
	1,817	1,075	10,299	12,553
Preferred divs. decl Common divs. declared -V. 147, p. 757.	\$94,136	\$97,274	\$1,509,289 70,000 1,321,305	\$1,436,416 70,000 1,269,547

	1938-Mon	th-1937	1938-12 A	
Gross revenue		\$1,354,528	\$16,316,351	\$15,776,416
Oper. exps. and taxes		851,299	x 9,370,725	*9,441,598
Prov. for depreciation	105,000		1,260,000	
Gross income	\$474,127	\$398,229	\$5,685,625	\$5,074,818
Int. & other fixed charges	236,842	234,367	2,831,357	2,748,886
Net income	\$237,286	\$163,862	\$2,854,268	\$2,325,932
Divs. on pref. stock	129,399	129,359	1,550,903	1,550,846
Balance	de in 1936	or 1937 for	\$1,303,365 Federal surta ed.—V. 147,	x on undis-

Tennessee Public	Service	Co.—Earr	nings—	
Period Ended July 31—	1938-Mon		1938—12 M	
Operating revenues	\$314,599	\$320,236	\$3,860.478	\$3,749,346
Oper. exp., incl. taxes	217,181	222,585	2,598,951	2,574,631
Prop. retire. res. approp.	32,571	31,516	389,428	374.499
Net oper, revenues	\$64.847	\$66.135	\$872.099	\$800.216
Other income	1,181	1,224	16,932	12,779
Gross income	\$66,028	\$67.359	\$889,031	\$812.995
Int. on mtge, bonds	29.167	32,417	375.734	389,000
Other int. & deductions.	408	373	6,655	5,086
Net income	\$36,453	\$34,569	\$506,642	\$418,909
x Dividends applicable to		ock for the		
period, whether paid or u	mpaid		297,618	297,618
Balance			\$209.024	\$121.291

* Dividends accumulated and unpaid to July 31, 1938, amounted to 669,641. Latest dividend amounting to \$6.75_a share on the \$6 preferred tock, was paid on Dec. 9, 1937.

Bondholders Accept Knoxville Sale—Delivery Aug. 31—
The company has notified the City of Knoxville that it will be able to make delivery of its electric properties under the purchase contract on Aug. 31.

More than 80% of the company's bonds have been deposited under the purchase agreement which was conditioned upon the acceptance of at least that amount of bonds.

Under the terms of the contract of sale, the city may delay completion of the transaction by not more than 10 days from Aug. 31.—V. 147, p. 1208.

Texas Electric Service Co.—Earnings—

Period End. July 31— Operating revenues Oper. exps., incl. taxes_ Prop. retire. res. approp.	1938—Mon \$738,542 390,299 83,333	2h—1937 \$733,776 384,418 65,000	1938—12 M \$8,576,977 4,533,863 1,118,333	88,004,655 4,191,960 660,830
Net oper. revenues Other income (net)	\$264,910 522	\$284,358 536	\$2,924,781 7,296	\$3,151,865 4,387
Gross income Interest on mtge. bands_ Other interest	\$265,432 140,542 2,570	\$284,894 140,542 2,423	\$2,932,077 1,686,500 31,095	\$3,156,252 1,686,500 18,892
Net income Dividends applicable to p whether paid or unpaid	ref. stock for	\$141,929 the period,	\$1,214,482 375,678	\$1,450,860 375,678
Balance			\$838,804	\$1,075,182

Texas & Pacific Ry.—Earnings-

Period End. July 31— Operating revenues Operating expenses Railway tax accruals Equip. rentals (net) Jt. fac. rents (net)	1938—Mon \$2,246,549 1,580,217 151,095 141,815 7,161	nth —1937 \$2,623,902 1,758,183 194,127 153,526 Cr18,449	1938—7 A \$14,813,173 10,544,943 1,033,238 860,677 30,450	11,905,020 $1,331,257$ $911,327$
Net ry. opr. income	\$366,261	\$536,515	\$2,343,865	\$3,590,711
Other income	35,111	47,380	258,064	294,259
Total income	\$401,372	\$583,895	\$2,601,929	\$3,884,970
Misc. deductions	11,490	5,697	72,807	60,240
Fixed charges	327,514	333,375	2,300,636	2,313,546
Net income	\$62,368	\$244,823	\$228,486	\$1,511,184

Texas Power & Light Co - Earnings-

TOWNS TOWEL OF T	ague co.	Trul helien	0	
Oper. exps. incl. taxes	1938—Mon \$924,258 497,498	th—1937 \$947,013 446,935	\$11,453,931 5,611,468	
investments Prop. retire. res. approp	90,445	66,817	1,021 $1,139,692$	694,692
Net oper, revenues Other income (net)	\$336,170 62	\$433,261 Dr3	\$4,701,750 6,445	
Gross incomeInt. on mtge. bondsInt. on debenture bonds Other int. & deduct's	\$336,232 177,708 10,000 18,863			2,132,500 120,000
Net income	\$129,661	\$225,449	\$2,244,791 865,050	\$2,041,837 865,050
Balance —V. 147, p. 757.			\$1,379,741	\$1,176,787
	Period End. July 31— Operating revenues— Oper. exps. incl. taxes_ Amort. of limited-term investments— Prop. retire. res. approp Net oper. revenues— Other income (net)— Gross income— Int. on mtge. bonds— Int. on debenture bonds Other int. & deduct's— Net income— Divs. applic. to prefstks, for the period, whether paid or unpaid—	Special Spec	Period End. July 31— 1938—Month 1937 Operating revenues \$924.258 \$947.013 Oper. exps. incl. taxes Amort. of limited-term investments 145 Prop. retire. res. approp 90.445 66.817 Net oper. revenues \$336,170 \$433,261 Other income (net) \$336,232 \$433,258 Int. on mtge. bonds 177,708 Int. on debenture bonds 10.000 10.000 Other int. & deduct's 18,863 20.101 Net income \$129,661 \$225,449 Balance Balance Balance \$10.000 Syderical Street \$129,661 \$225,449 Operating revenues \$129,661 \$225,449 Operating revenues \$129,661 \$225,449 Operating revenues \$129,661 \$225,449 Operating revenues \$129,661 \$129,661 Operating revenues \$129,661 \$129,661 \$129,661 Operating revenues \$129,661 \$129,	Period End. July 31

Thew Shovel Co.—Earnings-

Earnings for 6 Months Ended June 30, 1938—
let income after depreciation and Federal income taxes arnings per share on 151,982 shares common stock —V. 146, p. 3034.

Tivoli Brewing Co.—Earnings-

Period End. June 30— 1938—3 Mos.—1937 a Net income_______\$85,683 \$120,509 Earnings per share_____ \$0.14 \$0.20 1938—6 Mos. \$113,181 \$0.19 a After deductions for operating expenses, other charges and Federal income taxes, but before surtax on undistributed income.—V. 147, p. 1209.

Toledo Edison Co.—Trustee—
The Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co. has been appointed trustee of the 4% sinking fund debentures due July 1, 1948, of the Toledo Edison Co. Authorized issue \$6,500,000.—V. 147, p. 1209.

Twin State Gas & Electric Co.—Earnings—

Period End. July 31-	1938-Mon	th—1937	1938—12 A	10s1937
Operating revenues	\$202,027	\$208,173	\$2,475,568	\$2,441,423
Operating expenses State & municipal taxes_	$132,777 \\ 14.667$	$146,953 \\ 15,346$	1,647,458 164,299	1,614,949 170.850
Social security taxes	1.250	884	13,649	8,177
Federal taxes (incl. inc.)	9,324	8,742	121,288	58,996
Net oper. income Non-oper. inc. (net)	\$44,009 742	\$36,248 794	\$528,874 40,867	\$588,451 14,388
Non-oper. Inc. (net)	142	101	40,007	11,000
Gross income	\$44,751	\$37,042	\$569,741	\$602,839
Bond interest	11,161	11,161	133,936	150,644
Other interest (net)	7,423	8,095	98,871	98,282
Other deductions	2,606	2,114	37,134	61,376
Net income	\$23,561	\$15,672	\$299,800	\$292,537
Pref. div. requirements.	20,790	20,790	249,475	249,475

Union Pacific RR.—Earnings-

	Period End. July 31-	1938-Mo	nth-1937	1938-7 M	os.—1937
	Freight revenue	\$10.010.611	\$10,949,918	\$58,660,627	\$71,606,032
	Passenger revenue	1,806,002	1,823,470	9,402,686	9,618,766
	Mail revenue	377,664	404,455	2.756,349	2,794,442
	Express revenue	132,681	149,711	1,140,638	1,295,000
	All other transp. revenue		448,641	2.173,642	2,409,290
	Incidental revenue	186,020	242,691	1,047,312	1,453,227
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	Railway oper.revenues		\$14,018,886	\$75,181,254	\$89,176,757
	Maint. of way & structs_	1,732,272	2,014,690	7,845,646	11,631,611
	Maint, of equipment	2.045,819	2,468,509	14,106,026	18,470,629
	Traffic expenses	352,600	417,888	2,448,340	2.659,427
	Transportation expenses	4,231,512	4,617,984	27,280,517	30,970,030
	Miscell. operations	293,036		1.845.892	2,021,085
	General expenses	423,059	444.057	2,980,544	
	Transp. for investment	Cr82	111,001	Cr3.800	
	Trump, see			-	
	Net rev. from ry. opers	\$3,802,919	\$3,677,751	\$18,678,089	\$19,852,444
	Railway tax accruals	1,148,965	1,086,456	8,659,902	
	Italinas tax accidans	2,1210,000	2,000,200	0,000,002	
	Railwayop er. income_	\$2,653,954	\$2,591,295	\$10,018,187	\$11,170,150
	Equipment rents (net)	702,141	794.043	3.941.845	
٠	Teint focility ronte (net)	67.588	41.961	339,000	
	Joint facility rents (net) _	07,000	41,501	000,600	011,000
	Net of items	\$1.884.225	\$1.755.291	\$5.737.342	\$7.087.277

Note—In July, 1937, approximately \$286,700 was credited to railway tax accruals (similar amount was credited in June, 1937), representing one-seventh of the amount (approximately \$1,801,000) charged to that account from March 1 to Dec. 31, 1936, inclusive, that would have been payable under the Taxing Act (companion to the Railroad Retriement Act of 1935)

which was released by the Carriers' Taxing Act of 1937, and one-seventh of the difference (approximately \$206,000) between the amount charged to railway tax accruals from Jan. 1 to May 31, 1937, inclusive, under the repealed act, based on a tax rate of 3½% and the amount accruing for that period under the new act, based on a tax rate of 2½%.—V. 147, p. 758.

Union Bag & Paper Corp.—Bank Loans Extended—
Alexander Calder, President, announced Aug. 23 that an agreement has been completed for the extension to Jan. 30, 1940 of \$3,681,937 outstanding bank loans and equipment notes, originally maturing before 1940; subject to sinking fund payments based on a percentage of monthly earnings, which payments start December, 1938 and carry minimum requirements starting in March, 1939. These loans were incurred in the building of the second and third units of the company's new Savannah plant.

With this postponement of maturities, the company will have no bank-

With this postponement of maturities, the company will have no bank loans with fixed maturities prior to 1940 and only \$144,354 of equipment notes due before that date.

As of Dec. 31, 1937 the company's outstanding bank loans and equipment notes totaled \$6,996,099. Since that time these obligations have been reduced by more than \$800,000. This rearrangement of indebteness, Mr. Calder stated, should give the company ample time to finance on a permanent basis, plans for which are well under way.—V. 147, p. 907.

Union Carbide & Carbon Corp.—40-Cent Dividend—Directors have declared a dividend of 40 cents per share on the common stock, payable Oct. 1 to holders of record Sept. 2. A like amount was paid on July 1, last, and previously regular quarterly dividends of 80 cents per share were distributed.—V. 147, p. 1052.

Maintenance
Depreciation
Net salvage on equipment sold
Property, franchise and other taxes
Unemployment and old age benefits taxes
Gasoline and oil taxes
Fed'l income taxes (incl. surtax on undistributed profits) Cr183.376 Cr19.499 Cr116.956 Cr82,763 14,650 61,810 56,381 15,226 $\frac{32,813}{44,666}$ $163,741 \\ 195,924$ 87,632 179,453 $\frac{48,895}{53,905}$ 109,250 \$265,567 22,537 \$79,683 19,833 \$1,281,795 79,192 \$165,503 96,971 Net loss from oper'ns_ Other income_____ Net loss_____\$243,031 —V. 147, p. 757. \$68,532 \$59.850 \$1,202,603

United States Oil & Royalties Co.—Stock Distribution—At a meeting held on July 20, 1938, the board of directors authorized a distribution out of reduction surplus in shares of U. S. Royalty Oil Corp. to be made on or after Aug. 15, to this company's stockholders of record as of July 25, on the basis of six shares of U. S. Royalty Oil Corp. stock (par value \$1 per share) on each one hundred shares of United States Oil & Royalties Co. stock held.

The authorization for the distribution provides that no fractional shares of stock of U. S. Royalty Oil Corp. will be issued and that stockholders of this company holding less than one hundred shares, and those stock-holders owning "odd lots" of shares in excess of an amount divisible by one hundred will receive a cash distribution on such excess in the amount of 6c. per share. The cash distribution, as stated above, will be paid only on the "odd lots" and is made to avoid the issuance of small or fractional share interests.

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The distribution of stock (and [or] cash) in the manner herewith set forth is not a dividend within the usual or customary meaning of the term, but is a distribution of a portion of the assets of United States Oil & Royalties Co. and is being made out of the "reduction surplus" created when the authorized capital of United States Oil & Royalties Co. was reduced from \$1,000,-000 to \$200,000, by amendment to the articles of incorporation adopted at the annual stockholders' meeting held in Salt Lake City, Utah, on April 6, 1936, at which time a change was made in the par value of the stock from 25c. to 5c. a share, and company has been advised that it is the opinion of counsel for this corporation that the same does not constitute a dividend under the California Code Section authorizing same.—V. 145, p. 2410.

United States Printing & Lithographing Co. (&

Subs.)—Earnings—
28 Weeks Ended July 16—
Net loss after depreciation, &c.
—V. 147, p. 908. \$220,010 prof\$28,392

-Earnings--1937 1938--12 Mos.--1937 \$90,669 \$1,121,845 \$1,154,542 91,394 1,131,554 1,058,119
 Utah Light & Traction Co.—Earni

 Period End. July 31—
 1938—Month—1937

 perating revenues
 \$84,226
 \$90,669

 per. exps., incl. taxes
 87,912
 91,394
 Operating revenues____ Oper. exps., incl. taxes x\$9,709 634,518 *\$3,686 55,499 Net oper. revenues___ Rent from lease of plant_ Gross income_____ Interest on mtge, bonds_ Other int, & deductions_ \$52,099 51,858 569 \$624,809 620,209 8,528 \$628,023 622,300 9,664 Balance, deficit_____ x Indicates loss. \$327 \$328 \$3.928

Note—No provision has been made in the above statement for unpaid interest on the 6% income demand note, payable if, as, and when earned, amounting to \$1,542,131 for the period from Jan. 1, 1934, to Dec. 31, 1937.—V. 147, p. 908.

Utah Power & Light Co. (& Subs.)-Earnings-

Period End. July 31-	1938-Mo	nth-1937	1938-12 7	Mos.—1937
Operating revenues	\$982,980	\$1,094,655	\$12,989,546	\$12,700,244
Oper, exps., incl. taxes	592,455	683,255	7,792,065	7,395,592
Prop. retire. res. appros.	91,125	63,942	956,784	758,965
Net oper. revenues	\$299,400	\$347,458	\$4,240,697	\$4,545,687
Other income (net)	1,002	393	3,255	4,057
Gross income	\$300,402	\$347,851	\$4,243,952	\$4,549,744
Int. on mortgage bonds	194,734	195,879	2.346,590	2,350,550
Int. on debenture bonds	25,000	25,000	300,000	300,000
Other int. & deductions_	16.069	15,801	196,334	204,960
Int, chgd. to construct'n				Cr1,645
Net income	\$64,599	\$111,171	\$1,401,028	\$1,695,879
x Dividends applicable to				
period, whether paid or	unpaid		1,704,761	1,704,761
Balance, deficit			\$303,733	\$8,882

x Dividends accumulated and unpaid to July 31, 1938, amounted to \$6,819,044. Latest dividends, amounting to \$1.162-3 a share on \$7 preferred stock and \$1 a share on \$6 preferred stock, were paid on July 1, 1938.

—V. 147, p. 1210.

Utilities Power & Light Corp.—New Plan—
The Securities and Exchange Commission announced Aug. 25 that the trustees of Public Utilities Securities Corp. and the trustee of Webster Securities Corp. have filed an amendment to their applications (File Nos. 34-8 and 52-3) for a report on and approval of a plan for the reorganization of Utilities Power & Light Corp. The applicants propose a new plan as a substitute for the plan filed on Oct. 14, 1937.
The new plan proposes that \$10,000,000 be used to retire debentures on tenders and \$1,000,000 be used to retire preferred stock on similar tenders.

The plan, in effect, provides that the remaining outstanding securities and claims shall receive the following treatment:

(1) Each \$1,000 30-year \$% debenture with Feb. 1, 1937, coupon and subsequent coupons attached shall receive 110 shares of new common stock.

(2) Each \$1,000 20-year 5½% debenture with June 1, 1937, coupons and subsequent coupons attached shall receive 109 shares of new common stock.

stock.

(3) Each holder of any other debt affected by this plan shall receive for each \$10 of debt one share of new common stock.

(4) Each holder of disputed claims (a) guaranteed notes of Utilities Power & Light Securities Corp. and interest thereon, (b) commission payable to Atlas Corp., (c) bonds of Utilities Elkhorn Coal Co., shall receive for each \$20 of original amount of such claims one share of new common stock.

(5) Each share of 7% cum. pref. stock shall receive in respect of such stock and all accrued and unpaid dividends thereon six shares of new common stock.

common stock.

(6) Each share of class A stock will receive ¼ of a share of new common

stock.

(7) Each share of class B stock will receive 1-10 of a share of new common stock and ½ of a warrant to purchase new common stock.

(8) Each share of common stock will receive 1-30 of a share of new common stock and 1-3 of a warrant to purchase new common stock. Hearings on the original applications will be held Aug. 29 at the Washington offices of the Commission, at which time hearing on the substitute plan will also be held.

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ington offices of the Commission, at which time hearing on the substitute plan will also be held.

Allas Corp. Seeks Permission to Acquire Securities of Companies Formed Through Reorganization—

The SEC announced Aug. 25 that Atlas Corp. has filed an application of Common stock and debentures of any new company formed as a result of the reorganization of Utilities Power & Light Corp., which Atlas Corp. and its subsidiaries, Wasatch Corp. and American Co., would be entitled to receive under the terms of Atlas Corp.'s plan of reorganization of Utilities Power & Light Corp. dated July 15, 1938, or under any plan of reorganization. The application also covers the acquisition of securities of any subsidiary companies of Utilities Power & Light Corp. which Atlas Corp. or American Corp. may purchase or otherwise acquire under the terms of its plan of reorganization or under any plan of reorganization.

Atlas Corp. also filed an application for exemption as a holding company for a period of three years in the event that it should become a holding company by reason of the acquisition and ownership of 10% or more of the voting securities of utilities Power & Light Corp. and any of its associate companies or of any company or companies formed as a result of the reorganization of that company.—V. 147, p. 1054.

Vadsco Sales Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

-Earnings-1936 Vadsco Sales Corp. (& Subs.)—A
6 Mos. End. June 30— x1938 1937
Net loss after taxes, depreciation, &c. \$153,419 \$20.8
x Exclusive of Vadsco Realty Corp.
The loss of Vadsco Realty Corp. a wholly-o 1935 \$20,814 \$45,854 \$92,891

x Exclusive of Vadsco Realty Corp.
The loss of Vadsco Realty Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary in first half of 1938, was \$32,526 after depreciation, against loss of \$26,310 in first half of 1937.—V. 146, p. 3531.

Veeder-Root, Inc.—Extra Dividend—
The directors have declared an extra dividend of 25 cents per share in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of like amount on the common stock, both payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Sept. 1. Similar amounts were paid on June 15 and on March 15, last, and an extra dividend of \$2 per share was paid on Dec. 15, last.—V. 147, p. 908.

Virginia Electric & Power Co .- To Consider Refunding

Directors have authorized the company's officers to consider the refunding of the first and refunding mortgage 4% bonds due 1955.—V. 147 p. 1054.

Waite Amulet Mines, Ltd.—Earnings

\$1,218,284 990,241 19,500
\$208,543 4,037
\$212,580 40,000 72,130
\$100,450 \$0.033

Washington Wat Period Ended July 31— Operating revenues Oper. exps., incl. taxes	1938—Mo \$827,778 453,733	Co. (& mth—1937 \$918,704 500,888	\$10,662,481	Zarnings— Mos.—1937 \$10,715,577 5,962,593
Property retirement re- serve appropriations.	92,411	83,486	1,071,581	1,020,445
Net oper. revenues Other income (net)	\$281,634 1,886	\$334,330 1,993	\$3,360,303 33,817	\$3,732,539 31,750
Gross income Int. on mtge. bonds Other int. & deductions_ Int. charged to construc_	\$283,520 82,963 13,086	\$336,323 82,963 12,999	\$3,394,120 995,550 57,678 Cr5,793	\$3,764,289 995,550 49,218 Cr9,797
Net income Dividends applicable to period, whether paid or	preferred st	\$240,361 ock for the	\$2,346,685 622,518	\$2,729,318 622,518
Balance 760			\$1,724,167	\$2,106,800

Wayne Pump Co.—Listing—
The Chicago Stock Exchange has admitted the 289,659 shares of capital stock, \$1 par, to trading.—V. 147, p. 286.

Stock, \$1 par, to trading.—V. 147, p. 286.

Welch Grape Juice Co.—10-Cent Dividend—
Directors have declared cash dividend of 10 cents per share on the common shares, payable Aug. 27 to holders of record Aug. 19. A stock dividend of 5% was paid on June 20, last; a cash dividend of 15 cents was paid on June 10, last; cash dividends of 25 cents per share were paid on March 21, last, and on Dec. 10, 1937 a divided of 75 cents was paid on Aug. 24 and on May 28, 1937, and cash dividends of 50 cents per share were distributed on Feb. 27, 1937, Oct. 31 and June 15, 1936, and on Dec. 15, 1935, this latter being the first dividend paid since 1933.—V. 146, p. 3532.

Wentworth Mfg. Co.—Earnings—		
Q Months Ended July 31-	1938	1937
Net profit after deprec. and Federal income taxes, but before surtax on undistributive profits	\$100,169	\$171,989
Shares common stock	410,016	409,895 \$0.34
Earnings per share	\$0.18	30.34
-V. 147, p. 1210.		

West Texas Utili			1000 10 1	1007
Period End. June 30— Operating revenues Operating exps. & taxes_	\$1,310,195	### 1937 \$1,250,818 ### 792,635	1938—12 M \$5,549,629 3,410,206	\$5,006,060 3,127,271
Net operating income_ Other income (net)	\$459.747 3,055	\$458,183 3,050	\$2,139,423 24,065	\$1,878,789 17,200
Gross income Int. & other deductions_	\$462,802 310,727	\$461,233 319,212	\$2,163,488 1,252,879	\$1,895,989 1,275,299
Net income	\$152,075	\$142,021	\$910,608	\$620,690

			\$2,296,532 181,661
å & depletion.			\$2,478,193 1,921,866
of debt expen	se		\$556,326 319,896 16,493
erve for mar t in prior yea	ketable secur	ities charged	\$219,936 11,847
			\$231,783
nd Ry.— <i>H</i> 1938— <i>Mot</i> \$1,041,826 727,670	Earnings— nth—1937 \$1,495,389 982,926	1938—7 M \$7,464,719 5,374,338	fos.—1937 \$10,613,650 6,961,496
\$314,156 71,621	\$512,463 106,621	\$2,090,381 516,349	\$3,652,154 741,349
\$242,535 10,153 10,892	\$405,842 20,808 11,058	\$1,574,032 127,194 80,255	\$2,910,805 167,445 88,617
\$241,796 11,122	\$415,592 5,373	\$1,620,971 73,264	\$2,989,633 54,285
\$252,918 276,260	\$420,965 274,684	\$1,694,235 1,926,991	\$3,043,918 1,935,019
loss\$23,342 — Week End. 1938 \$249,197		-Jan. 1 to	\$1,118,899 Aug. 14— 1937 \$11,291,129
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Wieboldt Stores, Inc.—Sales—
Net sales for quarter ended July 30, 1938, amounted to \$5,185,908, against \$6,397,086 last year, a decline of 18.9%.
For the six months ended July 30, last, sales totaled \$10,757,522, against \$12,933,555 for first six months 1937, a decrease of 16.8%.

E. F. Wieboldt, President, stated that results of operations to d make a poor comparison when contrasted with the like period la although current sales ternds are more favorable.—V. 146, p. 3683.

(S. S.) White Dental Mfg. Co. (& Sulfamerical Sulfamerica	1938 \$3,841,286 2,455,850	1937
Gross profit	\$1,385,436 1,349,400	\$1,641,235 1,249,879
BalanceOther income	\$36,036 38,972	\$391,356 50,482
Totalincome	\$75,008 611	\$441,838 70 5.015
Depreciation Federal, State and foreign income taxes	95,467 11,705	106,583 65,712
Net loss	\$32,775	pf\$264,458

Willson Products, Inc.—10-Cent Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 10 cents per share on the \$1 par common stock payable Sept. 10 to holders of record Aug. 31. This compares with a dividend of 15 cents paid on March 10, last, and previously regular quarterly dividends of 25 cents per share were distributed. In addition, a special dividend of 10 cents per share was paid on Sept. 10, 1937.
—V. 146, p. 3363.

Wisconsin Power & Light Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings

Period End. June 30-	1938-3 M	os.—1937	1938-12 Me	s.—1937
Operating revenues Oper. exps. & taxes	\$2,273,724 1,557,279	\$2,215,296 1,495,064	\$9,396,205 6,534,530	\$8,924,142 5,923,224
Net oper. income Other income (net)	\$716,444 3,036	\$720,231 3,326	\$2,861,674 12,081	\$3,000,918 11,011
Gross incomeInt. & other deductions_	\$719,481 446,091	\$723,557 450,550	\$2,873,755 1,790,902	\$3,011,929 1,812,404
Net income	\$273,390	\$273,007	\$1,082,853	\$1,199,525

Preferred Dividends—
The directors have declared a dividend of \$1.12½ per share on the 6% cum. pref. stock (par \$100), and a dividend of \$1.31½ per share on the 7% cum. pref. stock (par \$100), both payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Aug. 31. Similar amounts were paid on June 15 and March 15 last; Dec. 15, Sept. 15, June 15, and March 15, 1937. See also V. 146, p. 3683.

Yazoo & Mississippi Valley RR.—Earnings-

Yellow Truck & Coach Mfg. Co.—Corrected Pref. Div.—Directors have declared a quarterly dividend of \$1.75 per share on the 7% cum. pref. stock, par \$100, payable Oct. 3 (not Oct. 5 as stated in last week's "Chronicle" page 1211 to holders of record Sept. 15 (not Sept. 5). Arrearages now amount to \$14 per share.—V. 147, p. 910.

Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co.—Options Exercised—Company reports that during the first six months of 1938 certain officers and employees exercised options to purchase common shares held by the company to the extent of 1,513 shares, leaving 9,791 shares subject to options.—V. 147, p. 1211.

The Commercial Markets and the Crops

COTTON-SUGAR-COFFEE-GRAIN

PROVISIONS-RUBBER-HIDES-METALS-DRY GOODS-WOOL-ETC.

COMMERCIAL EPITOME

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Friday Night, Aug. 26, 1938

Coffee—On the 22d inst. futures closed 5 to 6 points lower in the Santos contract, with sales totaling 43 lots. The Rio contract closed 2 to 5 points lower, with sales totaling only 19 lots. The selling was liquidation and profit taking While the spot markets in Brazil continue firm, cost and freight offerings and mild markets here were easier. Arrival of milds accounted for the weakness in that quarter, while lack of demand forced a reduction in asking prices of cost and freights from Brazil. Cables from Brazil reported that coffee stock in Sao Paulo interior warehouses and at railways onfully 31 amounted to 5,734,000 bags, against 9,177,000 on the same date a year ago, a decrease of 3,443,000 bags. On the 23d inst. futures closed 8 to 11 points higher in the Santos contract, with sales totaling 98 lots. The Rio contract closed 6 to 10 points higher, with sales totaling 4 lots. The market in Brazil was unchanged, and cost and freight offerings to the New York market ruled between 6.75c. and 7c. for well-described coffee. Against the Brazilian and scattered local buying there was some European and local selling, the latter believed to be hedging against actual purchases. A report was said to have been received in the trade via air mail that the Brazilian Government will restrict further destruction of coffee trees. On the 24th inst. futures closed 10 to 14 points net higher in the Santos contract, with sales totaling 111 contracts. The Rio contract closed 9 to 11 points higher, with sales totaling 39 lots. The market advanced sharply in active dealings, with most months within a few points of the seasonal highs. Fresh reports of damage to the Brazilian crop was the chief cause for the upward movement. Santos was 8 to 12 points higher in the early afternoon, while Rio was up 6 to 14 points at that time. Cost and freight from Brazil were advanced as much as 20 points by some shippers, with Santos 4s at from 7.00 to 7.30c. Milds were also higher, with Manizales quot

Santos 4s was up 100 reis per 10 kilos and the price of Rio No. 7 was up a like amount. Havre futures were up 3½

No. 7 was up a like amount.
to 334 francs.
On the 25th inst. futures closed 6 to 3 points net higher,
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on the 25th inst. futures closed 6 to 3 points net higher, On the 25th inst. futures closed 6 to 3 points net higher, with sales totaling 161 lots in the Santos contract. The Rio contract closed 10 to 4 points net higher, with sales totaling 36 lots. Heavy profit taking and hedging did much to hold the coffee market down after futures had opened in new high ground. Santos was 6 to 10 points higher in the early afternoon, and Rio was up 8 to 10 points at that time. Brazilian official spot prices on hard Santos 4s were 300 reis higher, while soft 4s were up 200 reis and type 5 up 500 reis. Milds were steady. Havre prices were quiet, but nevertheless showed gains of 3½ to 4½ francs per 50 kilos. Today futures closed 1 to 6 points down in the Santos contract, with sales totaling 268 contracts. The Rio contract closed 3 to 1 point off with sales totaling 26 lots. Brazilian buying again led coffee futures into new high ground for the fifth consecutive day. Santos was 7 to 10 points higher, while Rio was 2 to 7 points higher. The market gained strength from the fact that no notices were posted against September Santos contracts. Brazilian official prices were again higher. Cost and freight offers from Brazil were firm at 7.00 and 7.50 cents asked for Santos 4s. Columbran coffees were reported scarce, with Manizles quoted at 11½. Distribution in this country continued to show a sharp increase from a year ago.

Country continued to show a sharp increase from a year ago.

Rio coffee prices closed as follows:

September 4.65 | May 4.69

December 4.63 | July 4.74

March 4.65 | Santos coffee prices closed as follows:

September 6.66 | May December 6.85 | July March 6.97 |

Cocoa—On the 22d inst. futures closed 9 to 7 points net lower. Commission houses switched out of Sept. cocoa in large volume today, and under the weight of offerings of the near month, as well as declines in the foreign markets, prices slipped as much as 13 points. Trade absorption made

for an orderly decline, however, and a 4 point recovery late in the day from the low, lifted Sept. to 5.11c. at the close. An idea of the day's switching in cocoa futures will be seen in total transactions of 688 lots, or 9,219 tons, of which 285 lots represented exchanges of Sept. for other months. First notice day on Sept. T.N.'s is set for Friday, by which time long liquidation should be about completed, according to close observers. London closed with declines of 1½d to 6d. Local closing: Sept., 5.11; Dec., 5.29; Jan. 5.35; Mar., 5.44; May, 5.54; June, 5.58; July, 5.64. On the 23d inst. futures closed 1 to 2 points net higher. After starting the session with losses of 4 to 5 points, the market firmed up moderately for the remainder of the session. Further switching out of Sept. to more distant months was conducted by commission houses, but these operations were on a smaller scale and led to some belief that liquidation of the Sept. speculative interest was nearing completion. The day's transactions on the exchange totaled 524 lots, or 7,022 tons, compared with 688 lots the day before. Warehouse stocks of cocoa increased 1,286 bags to 754,419 bags, against 1,287,908 bags one year ago and 718,552 two years ago. London was steady for both futures and actuals. Local closing: Sept., 5.14; Dec., 5.20; Jan., 5.36; Mar., 5.45; May, 5.55; July, 5.66. On the 24th inst. futures closed 4 to 2 points net higher. A large volume of transactions took place in cocoa futures today, with the market showing a decidedly steady undertone. There was continued heavy switching from the Sept. to distant deliveries. With first notice day due Friday, outside interests exchanged the near month for Dec. and pivoted 1939 positions, trade representatives absorbing the Septs. and supplying most of the forward months. The day's sales on the exchange rose to 582 lots, or 7,792 tons, compared with 524 lots on Tuesday. Local closing: Sept., 5.15; Oct., 5.21; Dec., 5.33; Jan., 5.38; Mar., 5.48; May, 5.58; June, 5.63.

On the 25th inst. futures June, 5.63

Oct., 5.21; Dec., 5.33; Jan., 5.38; Mar., 5.48; May, 5.58; June, 5.63.

On the 25th inst. futures closed 6 to 3 points net lower. Transactions totaled 565 lots. The market held steady, with the bulk of the business still consisting of switching. Prices were about unchanged to 1 point lower in the early afternoon. There was a 15,000 bag increase in New York warehouse stocks, bringing the total to 757,301 bags, a drop of 532,820 bags from the 1,290,121 a year ago. Local closing: Sept., 5.10; Dec., 5.29; March, 5.45; May, 5.55; July, 5.65. Today futures closed 1 point up to 2 points down. Transactions totaled 303 contracts. The cocoa market was steady today in a fair-sized volume of business. Prices in the afternoon were 4 to 5 points above yesterday's close, with Sept. selling at 5.15, up 5 points. There were nine notices posted this morning, first notice day, against the Sept. delivery, but they were readily absorbed. New York warehouse stocks were up 1,000 bags to 758,966 bags, compared with 1,297,706 a year ago. Local closing: Sept., 5.11; Dec., 5.27; March, 5.43; May, 5.53; July, 5.11.

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Sugar—On the 22d inst. futures closed 1 to 3 points higher in the domestic contract. As the new week opened, domestic sugar futures picked up where they left off following the late A.A.A. announcement on Friday, and moved forward again but in a smaller way. While prices at one time showed gains of 2 to 6 points, the final range was only 1 to 3 points higher. Volume continued heavy at 442 lots. In the raw market McCahan bought a cargo of Puerto Ricos for second-half September arrival at 2.80c., an advance of 5 points. As the market for raws closed, it was a trading In the raw market McCahan bought a cargo of Puerto Ricos for second-half September arrival at 2.80c., an advance of 5 points. As the market for raws closed, it was a trading affair at the 2.80c. basis. The world sugar contract closed unchanged to 1 point higher, with only 13 lots traded. London closed unchanged to ½d higher, while raws there were offered at 5s 4½d. On the 23d inst. futures closed 1 point lower to 1 point higher. After advances of 7 to 11 points from Thursday's seasonal low, domestic sugar futures appeared to be marking time pending developments in the actual market, trading during the session being relatively light. The only reported sale in the raw sugar market was 1,000 tons of Philippines, in port, at 2.80c. delivered, a new spot price, to Arbuckle. Sellers were asking 2.85c. on a cargo of Puerto Ricos and Philippines for September shipment, although the Philippines were available at slightly less on a bid. World sugar contracts continued quiet but steady, with final prices ½ to 1 point higher. Sales totaled 22 lots. In London raws were held at 5s 4½d, equal to 1.00½c. f.o.b. Cuba, and futures were ¼d higher to ¼d lower. On the 24th inst. futures closed unchanged to 1 point up in the domestic contract, with sales totaling 299 contracts. The world sugar contract closed ½ point down to ½ point up, with sales totaling 48 contracts. Domestic sugar prices ruled within an extremely narrow range. September switching into distant months and liquidation of that position continued in anticipation of tomorrow's first notice day. The raw market was again quiet, with offerings light. It is believed refiners will pay 2.80c. for shipment sugars, the price paid last night by Arbuckle for 1,000 tons of Philippines in port. The world contract continues quiet, with price range very narrow. London futures were ½d higher to ¼d lower on sales of 3,000 tons, while raws there were still offered at 5s 4½d. India's acreage is estimated at 3,335,000 acres, a drop of 460,000 from the number of acres planted to the last

 September
 1.94 | May
 2.08

 January (new)
 2.02 | July
 2.12

 March (new)
 2.04 |
 2.04

Lard—On the 22d inst. futures closed unchanged to 5 points lower. There was not much activity in lard futures and prices moved within fairly narrow limits. Opening prices were unchanged to 5 points lower. Export clearances of lard from the Port of New York were 18.750 pounds, destined for Hamburg. Liverpool lard futures were 3d to 6d lower. Closing hog prices at Chicago were unchanged to 5c. lower. Sales of hogs ranged from \$6.75 to \$8.90. The late top price was \$9. Western hog marketings totaled 54,500 head, against 47,600 head for the same day last year. On the 23rd inst. futures closed 7 to 10 points net lower. The market was heavy throughout the session, due largely to the continued downward trend of hog prices. Opening lard prices were 5 to 7 points lower, but later these declines were extended 10 to 12 points under previous final quotations. No export clearances of lard were reported. Liverpool lard prices were unchanged to 9d lower. Hog receipts at the leading Western markets today were 54,300 head against 48,500 head for the same day last year. Hog prices declined 10c. to 15c., with sales ranging from \$8 to \$8.85. On the 24th inst. futures closed 2 to 10 points net lower. The reaction in grains in the afternoon and the decline in cotion oil Lard-On the 22d inst. futures closed unchanged to 5

10c. to 15c., with sales ranging from \$8 to \$8.85. On the 24th inst. futures closed 2 to 10 points net lower. The reaction in grains in the afternoon and the decline in cotton oil prices influenced considerable selling and values declined to 10 points, from which levels the market failed to rally. Lard shipments from the Port of New York today totaled 295,680 pounds, destined for Liverpool, Manchester and London. Liverpool lard futures were unchanged to 3d lower. Chicago hog quotations on the close were 10c. to 15c. higher, with the top price reported as \$9. Sales of hogs ranged from \$8.20 to \$8.90. Western hog marketings totaled 41,700 head, against 39,000 head for the same day last year. On the 25th inst. futures closed 2 to 5 points net lower. Lower action on grains and hogs during the early part of the session influenced light selling in lard futures for speculative account. The market opened 2 to 5 points lower, these net declines being later extended to 12 points, from which level there was a slight recovery. Export shipments of lard from the Port of New York totaled 18,200 pounds, destined for Glasgow and Southampton. Liverpool lard futures were quiet, unchanged to 3d. higher. Hog quotations at Chicago today were 10c. lower, the top price registering \$8.85. Sales generally ranged from \$8 to \$8.85. Western hog marketings totaled 45,900 head, against 31,000 head for the same day last year. Today futures closed 8 points down to unchanged. The declines were registered in the September and October options, the other deliveries being unchanged.

DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF LARD FUTURES IN CHICAGO Sal. Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri.

 September
 Sal.

 October
 8.12

 December
 8.17

 January
 8.17

to Special Packs: 16c. to 241/4c.

Oils—The price of Linseed Oil is still 7.6c. as a minimum with some sellers, but lower by 1 to 2 points on desirable bids with other crushers. Quotations: China Wood: Tanks, nearby—12.8c.; Coconut: Crude, Tanks—.03 ½ to .03 36c.; Pacific Coast—.02 26c. Corn: Crude, West, tanks, nearby—.07 34c. Olive: Denatured: Spot, drums, Algerian—95c.

Soy Bean: Crude, Tanks, West—.05¼c.; L.C.L. N. Y.—7.7c. Edible: Coconut, 76 degrees—9½c. Lard: Prime—9c.; Extra winter strained—8¾c. Cod: Crude, Norwegian, light filtered—31c. Turpentine: 28½c. to 30½c. Rosins: \$4.90 to \$7.85.

Cottonseed Oil sales, including switches, 176 contracts. Crude, S. E., 6½c. Prices closed as follows:

 September
 7.90@
 January
 7.96@
 7.97

 October
 7.92@
 7.95
 February
 7.98@
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 November
 7.95@
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 March
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 December
 7.95@
 n
 April
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October 7.95% 7.95 February 7.95% n November 7.95% n March 8.00% n December 7.95% n March 8.00% n Rubber—On the 22d inst. futures closed 4 to 12 points net higher. Transactions totaled 6,620 tons. Spot standard No. 1 ribbed smoked sheets also rose to new highs for the year at 16 7-16c., up ½c. The opening call showed quotations 14 points lower to 6 points higher. Very active trading and advancing prices marked the session thereafter. Commission houses switched the September position into forward months with the trade absorbing September and selling distant months against shipment offerings in the outside market. Factories exchanged 294 May rubber contracts for the actuals. Local closing: Aug., 16.83; Sept., 16.39; Dec., 16.59; Jan., 16.59; March, 16.69; May, 16.78. On the 23d inst. futures closed unchanged to 15 points higher. Transactions totaled 6,370 tons. Spot standard No. 1 ribbed smoked sheets also moved to new highs for the year to 16 9-16c., up ½c. Opening prices in futures were 4 to 9 points lower. Although the outside market continued quiet, there was a fair amount of shipment business done today. Most of the shipment offerings were from the Far East. Local closing: Aug., 16.49; Sept., 16.54; Dec., 16.09; Jan., 16.72; March, 16.82; May, 16.91. On the 24th inst. futures closed 4 to 7 points net higher. The market advanced to further new highs on buying by houses with foreign connections and other trade operators. Futures held about 7 to 12 points higher in the early afternoon after opening up 11 to 18 points. There was some heavy profit taking by trade and commission houses, which caused a slight reaction, which was later recovered. Trading remained active, with 4,510 tons sold. Spot standard No. 1 ribbed smoked sheets in the trade advanced 1-16c. to 16%c. The outside market continued generally quiet. Local closing: Aug., 16.54; Sept., 16.58; Dec., 16.74; Jan., 16.79; March, 16.89; May, 16.95; July, 17.03.

On the 25th inst. futures closed 6 to 2 points net lower. Transactions totaled 333 contracts. Th

Transactions totaled 333 contracts. The market showed a downward tendency after advancing into new high ground in the two preceding sessions. By 1 o'clock the list was down 4 to 11 points after opening 7 to 17 points easier. Sept. sold at 16.47, off 11 points. Sales this morning totaled 2,000 tons. The London and Singapore markets closed quiet and steady respectively, with prices 1-32 to ½d. lower. Local closing: Sept., 16.52; Oct., 16.58; Dec., 16.70; March, 16.85; May, 16.93; July, 16.98. Today futures closed 5 to 8 points net higher. Transactions totaled 341 contracts. Rubber futures were 5 to 14 points higher in the early afternoon, with prices holding firm throughout most of the session. with prices holding firm throughout most of the session. There was a fair response to the action of foreign cables, and the better tone of securities. The London and Singapore markets closed steady and quiet, respectively, with prices 1-32 to ½d. higher. Local closing: Sept., 16.57; Dec., 16.78; Jan., 16.83; March, 16.92; May, 17.00; July, 17.05.

Hides—On the 22d inst. futures closed 2 points up to 5 points down in the old contract, while the new contract was unchanged to 5 points lower. Trading was relatively light, and devoid of any special feature. The old contract opened from 8 points decline to 2 points advance, while the new contract opened from 7 to 12 points lower. Trading in the old contract totaled 3,640,000 pounds, while the turnover in the new contract totaled 1,240,000 pounds. Local closing: Sept., 10.57; Dec., 10.85; March, 11.05; June, 11.10. On the 23d inst. futures closed 13 to 20 points net higher in the old contract, and 18 to 20 points net higher in the new contract. Both contracts opened weak at 5 to 15 points decline. The tone of the market revealed a marked improvement during the later dealings. The creeping advance in the securities market, which later became more pronounced, had a strengthening influence on the hide futures list. New Hides-On the 22d inst. futures closed 2 points up to 5 ment during the later dealings. The creeping advance in the securities market, which later became more pronounced, had a strengthening influence on the hide futures list. New buying orders increased steadily and the market worked steadily higher. Trading in the old contract totaled 4,200,-000 pounds, while the turnover in the new contract totaled 3,000 pounds. In the Argentine it was reported that 18,000 standard frigorifico steers sold at 10 9-16c. Local closing: Old Contract: Sept., 10.70; Dec., 10.03; March, 11.25; June, 11.30. New Contract: Dec., 11.63; March, 11.95; June 12.14. On the 24th inst. futures closed 3 to 4 points net lower in the old contract, while the new contract closed 2 points lower to 5 points higher. Opening prices ranged from unchanged to 5 points advance in the old contract, and from 8 to 15 points higher in the new contract. Trading around the local hide ring was moderate. Transactions totaled 3,600,000 pounds in the old contract, while in the new contract they aggregated 2,760,000 pounds. Business in the domestic spot hide market has increased somewhat and sales were reported of 32,600 hides at steady prices. Local closing: Old Contract: Sept., 10.67; Dec., 11.01; March, 11.22; June, 11.27. New Contract: Dec., 11.61; March, 11.94; June, 12.19.

On the 25th inst. futures closed 12 to 3 points off in the old contract, with sales totaling 93 lots. The new contract

closed 9 to 14 points net lower, with sales of 47 lots. In the early afternoon futures were 2 to 7 points lower for the old contract and 7 to 9 points lower in the new contract. Transactions to noon totaled 1,480,000 pounds in the old and 80,000 pounds in the new contract. Local closing: Old contract: Sept., 10.55; Dec., 10.92; March, 11.19. New contract: Dec., 11.52; March, 11.85; June, 12.05. To-day futures closed 2 to 7 points down in the old contract, with sales totaling 153 contracts. The new contract closed 9 to 4 points off, with sales totaling 59 contracts. Raw hide futures, after opening somewhat mixed, showed a firmer tendency late in the afternoon, with the old contract 2 to 7 points advance, and the new up 3 to 4 points. Transactions totaled 4,680,000 pounds in the old and 1,800,000 in the new. There were 5,400,000 pounds tendered for delivery against Sept. contracts. Local closing: Old contract: Sept., 10.53; Dec., 10.86 March, 11.12. New contract: Dec., 11.45; March, 11.76; June, 12.01.

March, 11.76; June, 12.01.

Ocean Freights—Shippers have been more or less on the sidelines the past week and the volume of chartering has been very light. Charters: included: Grain: St. Lawrence to United Kingdom, including Ireland, last half Sept., basis 2s. 9d. St. Lawrence to Marseilles, prompt, 18c. Sugar: Cuba to Bordeaux mid-Sept., 16s. 3d. Charters: Time—Round trip Mediterranean trade, delivery north of Hatteras, Oct., \$1.35. Round trip Amazon trade, delivery Sydney, N. S., redelivery New Orleans, Aug., \$1.10. Trip down: Trip down Canada to north of Hatteras or Gulf, early Sept., \$1. Trip across: Delivery Baltimore, redelivery United Kingdom-Continent, Sept., \$1.50. Delivery Gulf, redelivery United Kingdom-Continent, Sept., \$1.60. Sugar: Cuba to L. L. G. A. R. A., Sept., 14s. 10½d. San Domingo to Casablanca, end Aug., early Sept., 14s., 6d., option Marseilles, 15s. option Marseilles, 15s.

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Coal—According to figures furnished by the Association of American Railroads, the shipments of anthracite into eastern New York and New England for the week ended Aug. 6 have amounted to 1,678 cars as compared with 960 cars during the same week in 1937, showing an increase of 718 cars, or approximately 35,900 tons. Shipments of anthracite for the current calendar year up to and including the week ended Aug. 6 have amounted to 48,781 cars as compared with 51,534 cars during the same period in 1937, showing a decrease or close to 137,650 tons. Shipments of bituminous coal into this territory during the week ended Aug. 6 have amounted to 1,729 cars as compared with 1,592 cars during the corresponding week in 1937. Calendar year shipments of bituminous coal have amounted to 46,602 cars as compared with 61,142 cars during the same period in 1937, indicating a decrease estimated at 727,000 tons. The Board of Public Utility Commissioners of New Jersey on Wednesday asked the Interstate Commerce Commission to intervene and remove "prejudicial" freight rates on anthracite between Pennsylvania mines and New Jersey points.

Wool—Very little change has taken place in the raw wool situation the past week. Interest in raw wool shows further wood—very little change has taken place in the law wood struction at the mill end, it is reported. However, there appears no anxiety on the part of the wool trade to move their holdings, realizing that when the mills have another run on the sales of goods, they will come into the market again for substantial quantities. With a decline in demand in the last few weeks, buyers are offering figures lower than those paid before the recent movement had become slower. Some holders are unwilling to make concessions, others disposed to sell for slightly less. Meanwhile, fleece wools are very inactive and constitute, perhaps, the only weak spot on the market. With the exception of delaine, all grades are definitely easier. The fleece wool group has had a surprising advance in values during the past three months of about 23% at the highest rates and some reaction is now in progress. Prices are also easier in the country districts of middle west. Considerable interest continues in the opening of the Australian season on Monday next, with opinion general of strong rates on the opening day.

Silk—On the 22d inst. futures closed 1/c. to 2c. net higher.

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Silk—On the 22d inst. futures closed ½c. to 2c. net higher. There were only 170 lots traded, including 80 bales on the old contract, 70 bales on contract No. 1 and none on No. 2 contract. Trade hedging and scattered buying and selling made up the features on the ring. Yokohama was 3 to 10 yen up and Kobe 3 to 9 yen higher. Grade D advanced 7½ yen at Yokohama to 772½ yen, while the quotation from Kobe is being verified. Spot sales in both markets amounted to 700 bales, and futures transactions in the Japanese markets totaled 2,075 bales. Local closing: Old contract. Aug., 1.71; Sept., 1.69½; Oct., 1.68; Nov., 1.67½; Dec., 1.67½; Jan. (1939), 1.66; Feb., 1.66. No. 1 contract: Mar., 1.66. No. 2 contract: March, 1.62. On the 24th inst. futures closed ½c. higher to ½c. lower. The opening range was 1½c. to 2½c. higher. The later decline was influenced by the weakness in securities, which brought out importer selling. The trade and commission houses bought. Sales totaled 500 bales, including 190 bales on the old contract, 280 on No. 1 contract and 30 bales on No. 2 contract. Yokohama was 3 to 5 yen better, while Kobe came through 4 to 11 yen higher. Grade D closed at 775 yen in both markets, up 7½ yen at Yokohama and 5 yen up at Kobe. Spot sales in both Japanese markets totaled 1,750 bales, while futures transactions totaled 4,000 bales. Local closing:

Aug., 1.71; Sept., 1.70½; Oct., 1.70½; Nov., 1.69; Dec., 1.67½; Jan., 1.66½; Feb., 1.66. On the 23d inst. futures closed unchanged to 2½c. higher in the old contract, No. 1 contract was 1c. lower and No. 2 contract ½c. easier. The activity on the floor was confined to importer and dealer selling, trade and commission house buying and some Japanese short covering. Transactions totaled 710 bales, including 380 bales on the old contract, 290 bales on No. 1 contract and 40 bales on No. 2 contract. Yokohama was 2 to 5 yen lower, and Kobe was 1 to 5 yen off. Grade D at Yokohama declined 5 yen to 767½ yen and advanced 10 yen at Kobe to 770 yen. Spot sales in both Japanese markets totaled 650 bales, while futures transactions amounted to 1,825 bales. Local closing: Old Contract: Aug., 1.72; Sept., 1.70½; Oct., 1.71; Nov.,1.70; Jan. (1939) 1.66½; Feb., 1.66. On the 25th inst. futures closed ½c. to 1c. net higher. The market held generally steady in early dealings, with a quiet tone prevailing. Sales to noon were 240 bales in the old contract and 20 bales in the No. 1. The No. 2 contract was inactive this morning. Switching operations comprised the bulk of business. Crack double extra in the spot market was 1½ cents higher at \$1.78. The Yokohama Bourse closed 3 to 11 yen higher, while the price of grade D in the outside market was up 5 yen to 780 yen a bale. Local closing: Old contract: Sept., 1.71; Oct., 1.71; Nov., 1.69½; Dec., 1.68; Jan., 1.67; Feb., 1.67. Today futures closed ½c. to 2 cents net higher. Transactions totaled 115 lots. The No. 1 contract closed 1c. up, with sales of 19 contracts. The raw silk market was steady today after opening ½c. lower on the old contract to 1c. higher on the No. 2. Sales up to the late afternoon were 920 bales in the old contract, 70 bales in the No. 1, and no sales recorded for the No. 2. Crack XX in the spot market was up 1½ cents to \$1.79½. The Yokohama Bourse closed 1 to 6 yen higher, while Grade D in the outside market advanced 10 yen to 790 yen a bale. Local closing: Sept., 1

COTTON

Friday Night, Aug. 26, 1938

The Movement of the Crop, as indicated by our telegrams from the South tonight, is given below. For the week ending this evening the total receipts have reached 78,102 bales, against 73,033 bales last week and 51,885 bales the previous week, making the total receipts since Aug. 1, 1938, 230,568 bales, against 506,602 bales for the same period of 1937, showing a decrease since Aug. 1, 1938, of 276,034 bales.

Receipts at-	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Total
Galveston	682	1,769	934	1,884	2,450	2,768	10.487
Houston	1,839	3,863	1,985	2.716	2.585	14.591	27.579
Corpus Christi	5,973	6,790	4,183	3.965	4.441	3,667	29,019
New Orleans	619	161	2.372	1.946	778	1.029	6.905
Mobile	68	266	245	187	498	139	1,403
Pensacola, &c	1				160	100	160
Savannah	75	70	327	156	224	352	1.204
Charleston				200		93	93
Lake Charles		- (DIII)	out (Area Tr		37 3.00	553	553
Norfolk	106	AND DE	29		23	000	158
Baltimore	ALTERNATION OF THE PARTY OF THE		-		20	541	541
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Totals this week_	9,362	12,919	10,075	10,854	11,159	23,733	78,102

The following table shows the week's total receipts, the total since Aug. 1, 1938, and the stocks tonight, compared

Receipts to	1938		1937		Stock	
Aug. 26	This Week	Since Aug 1, 1938	This Week	Since Aug 1. 1937	1938	1937
Galveston Houston Corpus Christi Beaumont New Orleans Mobile Pensacola, &c Jacksonville Savannah	10,487 27,579 29,019 6,905 1,405 160 1,204	17,714 50,66, 131,226 18,802 2,712 366 1 3,591	41,882 56,722 64,844 24,511 4,433 3,922 165 9,663	64,601 114,325 222,923 96 42,933 7,471 4,248 212 14,922	589,262 633,008 167,585 16,318 590,671 61,681 5,263 1,689 147,255	349,956 313,384 186,810 13,337 256,318 42,990 7,897 1,718 136,812
Brunswick Charleston Lake Charles Wilmington Norfolk New York Boston Baltimore	93 553 158 541	153 650 1 952 3,733	5,400 9,288 226 506		30,410 11,325 14,943 27,707 100 3,324 775	24,127 27,624 8,570 18,331 100 3,176 850
Totals	78,102	230,568	221,570	506,602	2,301,316	1.392.00

In order that comparison may be made with other years, we give below the totals at leading ports for six seasons:

Receipts at-	1938	1937	1936	1935	1934	1933
Galveston	10,487	41,882	14,928	43,603	20,994	27,000
New Orleans_	27,579 6,905	56,722 24,511	17,051 33,039	16,757 27,684	38,266 12,656	73,453 20,549
Mobile Savannah	1,403	4,433 9,663	9,066	3,007 19,608	4,905 7,347	2,785 13,709
Brunswick Charleston	93	5,400	4,847	3,348	1,968	1,100 8,231
Wilmington Norfolk N'port News	ī58	226	<u>ī</u> ō	972	828 314	742 474
All others	35,273	78,725	57,951	44,159	35,255	58,576
Total this wk.	18,102	221,570	141,365	159,138	122,533	206,619
Since Aug. 1	230,568	506,602	304,770	384,248	317.364	563.513

The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 54,732 bales, of which 7,300 were to Great Britain, 8,372 to France, 9,468 to Germany, 6,229 to Italy, 14,221 to Japan, and 9,142 to other destinations. In the correspond-

ing week last year total exports were 38,712 bales. For the season to date aggregate exports have been 193,622 bales, against 179,563 bales in the same period of the previous season. Below are the exports for the week:

Week Ended Aug. 26, 1938 Exports from—	Exported to—								
	Great Britain	France	Get- many	1taly	Japan	China	Other	Total	
Galveston Houston Corpus Christi New Orleans Mobile Savannah Charleston Norfolk Los Angeles San Francisco	956 2,513 683 200 56 24 2,868	680 7.692	603 3,212 4,700 228 557	780 888 2,042 2,519	1,854 233 500 6,203 5,431		1,736 611 5,073 1,600	3,119 6,358 22,020 6,884 433 1,057 56 206 9,171 5,431	
Total	7,300	8,372	9,468	6,229	14,221		9,142	54,732	
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From Aug. 1, 1938 to	Exported to—									
Aug. 26, 1938 Exports from—	Great Britain	France	Ger- many	Italy	Japan	China	Other	Total		
Galveston	2,026	174	1.613	780	8.048	5-03-0	4,481	17.122		
Houston	5.235	689	10.478	3,301	9,363		3,422	32,488		
Corp. Christi	5,645		23,041	6.748	1,877	5333	14,212	62,565		
Brownsville		5.762	3,306	200		W7.570	1,954	11,222		
New Orleans.	9.351	2,183	3,683	4,226	7.006	5330	5,328	31,777		
Lake Charles	186		0,000		,,000	The second of	2.00	186		
Mobile	1.704		406		233		114	2.507		
Jacksonville	160				200		AL TO FEE TO	160		
Pensacola, &c.	24t						5	246		
Savannah	1.075		582	468	700		21	2,846		
Charleston	56	100	002	100		2 G. T. T. T. S.	21	56		
Norfolk	24	54	1,227	33	7.55	5.007.77.7	79	1,417		
Los Angeles	3,482	100			17,008		100	20,690		
San Francisco	1111	200			10,340		100			
Dun Timieras	100				10,540		1	10,340		
Total	29,190	20,044	44,336	15,766	54,575		29,711	193,622		
Total 1937	40.256	25,252	45,901	19,522	8,883	200	39,549	179.563		
Total 1936	45.03	17,221	31,048	8.144	26,660	200	20.965			

In addition to above exports, our telegrams tonight also give us the following amounts of cotton on shipboard, not cleared, at the ports named:

Aug. 26 at-		On Shipboard Not Cleared for—							
	Great Britain	France	Ger- many	Other Foreign	Coast- wise	Total	Leaving Stock		
Galveston Houston New Orleans_ Savannah Charleston Mobile Norfolk Other ports	200 2,656 4,000 186 	1,100 -634 -31	1,000 1,080 761		1,500 160 3,844 300	11,300 11,868 12,681 -300 287	577,962 621,140 577,990 ·147,255 30,110 61,394 27,707 221,322		
Total 1938 Total 1937 Total 1936	7,042 5,786 7,102	1,765 2,718 2,066	2,841 3,157 2,070	18,984 8,182 5,575	5,804 1,597 4,368	21,440	2,264,880 1,370,560 1,248,067		

Speculation in cotton for future delivery during the past week was moderately active, with the price trend more or less irregular and confined to a narrow range. Uncertainty concerning the Government loan provisions has done much to slow down operations in the futures market, traders generally taking to the sidelines until the situation becomes more clarified.

On the 20th inst. prices closed 1 to 2 points net lower. The closing levels represented a drop of 10 to 15 points from early highs. Hedge sales and aggressive local selling completely discouraged the early bullish demonstration, and prices ended at or about the lows of the day. Early strength of the stock market, foreign buying on balance, more or less aggressive trade fixations and further unfavorable crop accounts from various sections of the belt concerning the of the stock market, foreign buying on balance, more or less aggressive trade fixations and further unfavorable crop accounts from various sections of the belt concerning the extent of weevil infestation, all combined to bring about a gradual advance in the first hour or so, but prices yielded later when securities failed to maintain fully the gains and renewed Southern selling developed on the favorable immediate weather reports, which were regarded as nearly ideal for weevil control. Southern spot markets as officially reported, were unchanged to 4 points lower. Average price of middling at the ten designated spot markets was 8.33c. On the 22d inst. prices closed 8 to 13 points net lower. Selling from abroad was one of the chief factors in depressing cotton values today. At the opening the market registered declines of 6 to 9 points. With nothing in the news to buoy it after the initial drop, the market moved in a narrow range and closed at about the lows of the day. The foreign selling was induced by a combination of factors. First, following reports that Secretary Wallace would work for a wheat export subsidy, there was talk abroad of similar action in cotton. Such a development would of course have a tendency to narrow the spread between Liverpool and New York. cotton. Such a development would of course have a tendency to narrow the spread between Liverpool and New York. The spread today was 100 points in contract to 140 points on July 1st, using October for a comparison. The second reason for the bearishness abroad and the consequent selling here was the situation in France, as the franc reached the low level beyond which Premier Deladier said it would not be devalued. Third, the progress of foreign crops was considered a factor, along with the fact that the carryover of cotton growths in competing countries was about 10,000,000 bales or 5,000,000 larger than ever before in history. On the 23d inst. prices closed 6 to 8 points up. The market was inactive with traders awaiting an official announcement from Washington relative to a new government loan. Contracts were scarce and after an early hesitation, the market developed a steadier tone in sympathy with stocks. The opening range of prices was 2 points lower to 1 point higher. Houses with foreign connections were early sellers on differences, but otherwise contracts were scarce, as offers from the South were extremely light. Demand was not active, but firmness in stocks attracted commission house and local buying and the market worked was without entire expression. buying and the market worked up without serious opposition. Weather conditions over the belt were generally clear and unfavorable for the spread of boll weevil. Traders, however, focused their attention on the expected government loan and there was a general disposition to limit operations and await developments. Southern and markets as officially await developments. Southern spot markets, as officially reported, were 3 to 21 points higher. Average price of middling at the ten designated spot markets was 8.32c. On the 24th inst. prices closed 8 to 4 points net lower. The On the 24th inst. prices closed 8 to 4 points net lower. The market displayed a slightly irregular tone today in a limited volume of transactions. Prices were barely steady on the opening in very light dealings. During the early business the market was devoid of any particular feature, although the offerings were a shade higher. The principal feature on the buying side was trade support, partly in the way of price fixing, although local professionals gave some support to the rearry options. Commission house participated on both fixing, although local professionals gave some support to the nearby options. Commission houses participated on both sides of the market in a small way. Some Bombay selling was in evidence, but the principal foreign pressure came through houses with Liverpool affiliations. A moderate volume of contracts again were provided by New Orleans and the South. No large trades were made during the early trading. The Liverpool market did not follow the late advance in New York yesterday. In a report from Washing-ton Agricultural Adjustment Administration officials stated that the announcement on the cotton loan would be made

advance in New York yesterday. In a report from Washington Agricultural Adjustment Administration officials stated that the announcement on the cotton loan would be made either today or within the next day or two.

On the 25th inst. prices closed 5 points up to 1 point down. The market again displayed a slightly mixed tone throughout the greater part of the day, but advances in active options were more numerous than declines. Trading was light throughout most of the session. The uncertainty that prevails and the lack of incentive to operate substantially either way was reflected in a relatively dull market. Liverpool was quiet and furnished little incentive. Spot and trade houses were the principal supporters, a fair portion of which was price-fixing for mills. Commission houses were on both sides of the market, although they were slightly more active as sellers. The failure of any announcement regarding the cotton loan offset the improved demand for gray goods. New Orleans and the South sold, while some pressure from Liverpool and Bombay houses was in evidence. The weather overnight remained favorable, with scattered showers reported in Texas.

Today prices closed 9 to 16 points net higher. The cotton market displayed a strong tone today, with gains of almost \$1 a bale recorded throughout the list. A short time before the close of business active positions showed advances of 14 to 17 points from the closing levels of the previous day in a moderate volume of sales. The market opened steady, with futures 2 to 7 points above yesterday's last quotations. The strength in near contracts was the feature of the early dealings. Continued price-fixing in the October and December deliveries strengthened these months, while the hedge selling continued to go into distant options. The October position sold at a premium over the May and July contracts. Steadiness in the near deliveries attracted attention. The strength was attributed in part to the belief that the Government loan would tighten the spot situation, and also to

the Government loan would tighten the spot situation, and also to price-fixing by domestic mills coincident with a pick-up in the demand for gray goods. There was considerable short covering by the Wall Street element, and also price-fixing by the trade.

The official quotation for middling upland cotton in the New York market each day for the past week has been:

Premiums and Discounts for Grade and Staple-The table below gives the premiums and discounts for grade and staple in relation to the base grade, Middling 1/8, established for deliveries on contract on Sept. 1, 1938. Premiums and discounts for grades and staples are the average quotations of 10 markets, designated by the Secretary of Agriculture, and staple premiums represent 60% of the average premiums over $\frac{1}{3}$ -inch cotton at the 10 markets on Aug. 25.

	1/6 Inch	15-16 Inch	1 In. & Longer		1/6 Inch	15-16 Inch	1 In. & Longer
Whue-	9.744	1 10 10		Spotted-	. A. C		3/12 - 14
Mid. Fair	.62 on	.80 on	.97 on	Good Mid	.10 on	.24 on	.39 on
St. Good Mid	.56 on	.74 on	.91 on	St. Mid	.09 off	.06 on	.22 on
Good Mid	.50 on	.68 on	.85 on	Mid	.67 off	.52 off	.38 off
St. Mid	.33 on	.52 on	.68 on	*St. Low Mid	1.48 off	1.43 off	1.38 off
Mid	Basis	.18 on	.34 on	*Low Mid.	2.22 off	2.18 off	2.15 off
St. Low Mid	.62 off	.46 off	.33 off	Tinged-			
Low Mid	1.38 off	1.32 off	1.26 off	Good Mid	.51 off	.41 off	.29 off
*St. Good Ord.	2.12 off	2.07 off	2.04 off	St. Mid	.75 off	.64 off	.53 off
*Good Ord	2.77 off	2.70 off	2.67 off	*MId	1.47 off	1.41 off	1.37 off
Extra White-	1.0		1	*St. Low Mid	2.28 off	2.16 off	2.13 off
Good Mid	.50 on	.68 on	.85 on	*Low Mid	2.74 off	2.69 off	2.67 off
St. Mid	.33 on	.52 on	.68 on	Yel. Stained-		1.	12.00
Mld	Even	.18 on	.34 on	Good Mid	1.26 off		
St. Low Mid	.62 off	.46 off	.33 off	*St. Mid	1.71 off	1.66 off	1.60 off
Low Mid	1.38 off	1.32 off	1.26 off	*Mid	2.36 off	2.32 off	2,28 off
*St. Good Ord.	2,12 off	2.07 off	2.04 off	Gray-			
*Good Ord	2.77 off	2.70 off	2.67 off	Good Mid	.64 off	.52 off	.42 off
	200		100	St. Mid	.85 off	.73 off	.63 off
parks to a first				*Mid	1 30 off	1 34 off	1 27 off

^{*}Not deliverable on future contract.

New York Quotations for 32 Years

1938 8.46c.	193011.75c.	192225.35c.	1914
1937 9.73c.	192918.65c.	192115.30c.	191312.45c.
193611.88c.	192819.10c.	192033.50c.	191211.50c.
193511.05c.	192721.95c.	191932.25c.	191113.15c.
		1918 35.60c.	
		191723.20c.	
1932 8.65c.	192426.90c.	191615.80c.	1908 9.08c.
1931 7.20c.	192322.25c.	1915 9.50c.	190713.50c.

Market and Sales at New York

The total sales of cotton on the spot each day during the week at New York are indicated in the following statement. For the convenience of the reader, we also add columns which show at a glance how the market for spot and futures closed on same days.

	Grad Monday	Futures		SALES	
	Spot Market Closed	Market Closed	Spot	Contr'ct	Total
Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday	Steady, 6 pts. adv		357 300 500		357 300 500
Total week Since Aug. 1			1,157 1,357		1,157 1,357

Futures—The highest, lowest and closing prices at New York for the past week have been as follows:

	Saturday Aug. 20	Monday Aug. 22	Tuesday Aug. 23	Wednesday Aug. 24	Thursday Agu. 25	Friday Aug. 26
Sept.(1938) Range						
C.osing _	8.20n	8.07n	8.17n	8.13n	8.19n	8.29n
Range Closing_ Nov.—	8.27- 8.41 8.28- 8.29	8.20- 8.25 8.20- 8.21	8.18- 8.28 8.26 —	8.20- <u>8.29</u> 8.20 —	8.22- 8.28 8.24 —	8.27- 8.39 8.34 —
Range						
Closing _ Dec.—	8.31n	8.24n	8.30n	8.24n	8.27n	8.38n
Range Closing _ Jan.(1939)	8.34- 8.50 8.35- 8.37	8.27- 8.33 8.27 —	8.26- 8.36 8.34 —	8.28- 8.36 8.28- 8.29	8.28- 8.33 8.30 —	8.33- 8.48 8.42- 8.44
Range Closing _ Feb.—	8.40- 8.46 8.35n	8.28- 8.31 8.27n	8.26- 8.33 8.34n	8.28- 8.36 8.28n	8.27- 8.33 8.29n	8.34- 8.46 8.42- 8.43
Range Closing_	8.36n	8.27n	8.34n	8.27n	8.28n	8.41n
Range Closing - April-	8.36- 8.49 8.37n	8.28- <u>8.34</u> 8.28 —	8.26- <u>8.34</u> 8.34 —	8.26- 8.34 8.26 —	8.25- 8.31 8.27 —	8.29- 8.46 8.39- 8.40
Range Closing	8.37n	8.27n	8.35- 8.37 8.38n	8.28n	8.27n	8.39n
May— Range Closing _ June—	8.35- 8.49 8.37 —	8.27- <u>8.33</u> 8.27 —	8.25- <u>8.33</u> 8.33	8.26- 8.34 8.26 —	8.23- 8.29 8.25 —	8.28- 8.43 8.38 —
Range Closing .	8.36n	8.25n	8.32n	8.24n	8.24n	8.37n
July— Range Closing_	8.34- 8.46 8.36n	8.23- 8.31 8.23 —	8.24- 8.31 8.31 —	8.23- 8.30 8.23- 8.24		8.25- 8.41 8.35 —
Range Closing.						

n Nominal.

Range for future prices at New York for week ending Aug. 26, 1938, and since trading began on each option:

Option for-	Range for Week	Range Since Beginning of Option					
Sept. 1938 Oct. 1938 Nov. 1938	8.18 Aug. 23 8.41 Aug. 2	8.31 May 25 1938 9.39 Feb. 18 1938 7.70 May 31 1938 9.48 Feb. 23 1938					
Dec. 1938 Jan. 1939 Feb. 1939	8.26 Aug. 23 8.50 Aug. 2 8.26 Aug. 23 8.46 Aug. 2	0 7.73 May 31 1938 9.50 Feb. 23 1938 0 7.74 May 31 1938 9.51 Feb. 23 1938 8.18 June 3 1938 8.74 June 28 1938					
Mar. 1939 Apr. 1939 May 1939	8.25 Aug. 25 8.49 Aug. 2 8.35 Aug. 23 8.37 Aug. 2 8.23 Aug. 25 8.49 Aug. 2	3 8.34 May 25 1938 8.37 Aug. 23 1938					
June 1939 July 1939		0 8.22 Aug. 25 1938 9.05 July 22 1938					

Volume of Sales for Future Delivery—The Commodity Exchange Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture makes public each day the volume of sales for future delivery and open contracts on the New York Cotton Exchange and the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, from which we have compiled the following table. The figures are given in bales of 500 lb. gross weight.

New York	Aug. 19	Aug. 20	Aug. 22	Aug. 23	Aug. 24	Aug. 25	Open Contracts Aug. 25
October (1938)	15,600 20,300 1,900 11,000 8,000 5,200	29,100 600 8,400 9,400	26,900 2,700 9,700 9,700	17,400 7,000 11,900 7,300	22,500 1,500 22,000 14,900 3,200	16,400 13,300	633,500 134,800 465,600 287,800
Total all futures	62,000	68,900	68,300	73,200	84,600	100,000	2,132,400
New Orleans	Aug. 17	Aug. 18	Aug. 19	Aug. 20	Aug. 22	Aug. 23	Open Contracts Aug. 23
October (1938) December January (1939) March May	7,150 9,500 850 3,050 3,850 1,900	3,050 100 1,750 450	4,700 1,700 2,400 1,500	5,250 150 2,350 500	8,550 100 1,800 1,650	4,700 100 1,400 350	141,000 7,500 56,550
Total all futures	26,300	10,500	14,350	14,500	16,300	9,050	381,650

The Visible Supply of Cotton tonight, as made up by cable and telegraph, is as follows. Foreign stocks as well as afloat are this week's returns, and consequently all foreign

figures are brought down to Thursday evening. To make the total show the complete figures for tonight (Friday) we add the item of exports from the United States, for Friday only.

Aug. 26— 1938	1937	1936	1935
Stock at Liverpoolbales_1,014,000	621,000		
Stock at Manchester 142,000			69,000
712,000	100.000	02,000	08,000
Total Great Britain1,156,000	727.000	749 000	E10 000
Stock of Dromon 922,000	127.000	748,000	516,000
Stock at Bremen 232,000 Stock at Havre 262,000	100.000		207,000
Stock at Havre 262,000		128,000	72,000
Stock at Rotterdam 13,000	11,000	9,000	16.000
Stock at Barcelona		58,000	41.000
Stock at Genoa 45,000	17,000	50,000	
Stock at Venice and Mestre 22,000	7.000		
Stock at Trieste 15,000			
500CA at 1110500 15,000	6,000	6,000	9,000
Total Continental Stocks 589,000	277,000	410.000	424,000
			127,000
Total European stocks1,745,000	1,004,000	1,158,000	940,000
American cotton afloat for Europe 126,000	54,000	54,000	41,000
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Egypt, Brazil,&c.,afl't for Europe 219,000	147,000	202,000	
Stock in Alexandria, Egypt 243,000		202,000 93,000	166,000
Stock in Alexandria, Egypt 243,000	89,000	93,000	69,000
Stock in Bombay, India 934,000 Stock in U. S. ports 2,301,316	722,000	735,000	550,000
Stock in U. S. ports2,301,316	1,392,000	1,269,238	1,187,233
Stock in U. S. interior towns1,922,216	806,649	1,269,238 1,140,781	1,119,686
U. S. exports today 19.770	2,407	13.306	20,797
Total visible supply7,577,302	4 274 056	4 749 205	4 011 710
Of the above, totals of American and ot	her descrip	ptions are	as follows:
American—		7 25 0	
Liverpool stockbales_ 563,000	206,000	214,000	129,000
Manchester stock 85,000	33,000	34,000	19,000
Bremen stock 125,000	59,000	93,000	113,000
Havre stock 184,000		80,000	
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East Indian, Brazil, &c.—			-
Liverpool stock 451,000	415,000	452,000	318.000
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Manchester stock 57,000	73,000	48,000	50.000
Bremen stock 107,000	42,000	55,000	94.000
Havre stock 78.000	43,000	46,000	23,000
Other Continental stock 41,000	26,000	77.000	67 000
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	9.60c.	11.78c.	10.75c.
Middling uplands, New York 8.46c.			
Egypt, good Sakel, Liverpool 8.90d.		10 58d.	8.40d.
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Egypt, good Sakel, Liverpool 8.90d.	10.42d.	10 58d.	

Continental imports for past week have been 56,000 bales. The above figures for 1938 show a decrease from last week of 35,418 bales, a gain of 3,203,246 over 1937, an increase of 2,828,977 bales over 1936, and a gain of 3,365,586 bales over 1935.

At the Interior Towns the movement—that is, the receipts for the week and since Aug. 1, the shipments for the week and the stock tonight, and the same items for the corresponding period of the previous year—is set out in detail below:

	Movement to Aug. 26, 1938				Movement to Aug. 27, 1937			
Towns	Receipts		Ship- Stocks ments Aug.		Rece	eipts	Ship-	Stocks
AN OWNER OF	Week	Season	Week	26	Week	Season	ments Week	Aug. 27
Ala., Birm'am	19	67	1,205	17,461	24	730	150	13,66
Eufaula	65	266	85	5,818	214	283	187	5,67
Montgom'y	1.028	1.090	392	46,675	1.983	2,620	244	25.93
Selma	464	543	21	52,816	3,128	3,659	873	17,37
Ark., Blythev.	9	24	120	85,252	1	3	1	33,05
Forest City		38	18	24,242	3	3		2,36
Helena	98	108	1,274	26.928	171	261	178	4.03
Hope	16	17	2000		1/1	201		
Jonesboro	10	1,		23,493				3,85
Little Rock	212	6,408	200	22,645		6		7,45
· Newport	212	0,408	389	90,999	93	103	1,349	30,41
Pine Bluff	2.271	4.010		18,400	1	1		5,10
Walnut Rge		4,319	598	61,900	210	510	304	9,95
Carathut Rge	109	178		29,420			6	9,50
Ga., Albany	581	1,296	330	14,124	846	1,260	592	11,83
Athens	. 7	59	280	23,896	35	100	315	10,09
Atlanta	545	1,850	2,631	125,604	1,290	3,545	3.138	79,99
Augusta	2,729	7.351	2,941	122,163	5,102	8,181	1,319	69,34
Columbus	300	1,300	100	34,500	600	2,100	700	33,00
Macon	188	1,254	328	27,329	1.048	1,506	557	18,39
Rome	1	1	30	22.058	1	1,000	500	16.00
La., Shrevep't	829	1.018	524	53,605	2.817	3,569	530	4.73
Miss., Clarked	522	1.627	603	44,686	850	1.005	228	
Columbus.	120	227	1.260		880		228	3,61
Greenwood_	2,753	3,877		23,627	0.550	109		12,21
Jackson	30	0,877	341	52,700	3,772	4,408	478	11,04
Natchez		262	290	22,409	1,062	2,005	61	4,56
Vicksburg.	203	203	459	10,296	55	61		77
Yazoo City.	95	105	238	11,661	29	31	39	. 81
	147	176	178	23,765	1,018	1,089	14	2,35
Mo., St. Louis	2,787	11,003	2,792	2,900	1,250	4,559	1,250	1,73
N.C., Gr'boro Oklahoma—	235	271	207	1,789	12	80	214	2,27
15 towns *_	71	369	223	133,199	753	832	104	54.06
S. C., Gr'ville	1,849	6,408	3.308	70.081	2,336	4.966	2,948	54,98
Tenn., Mem's Texas, Abilene	6,014	34,049	10,387 76	490,875 7,430	4,839	15,531	6,591	123,41
Austin	162	185	. 2	1,581	1.032	1,777	766	94
Brenham	235	351	76	2,344	1.439	2,201	672	2.37
Dallas	343	631	282	32,820	2,640	3,008	900	3,98
Paris	649	955	40				900	3,98
Robstown	1,157	5,475	1.045	22,957	972	1,131	0.410	1,77
San Marcos	736	1,196		5,875	2,570	12,389	2,418	6,00
Texarkana _	6		373	801	x698	x3,660	1,065	x1,38
Waco	276	10 316	13 19	18,589 12,503	8,046	8,332	4,267	2,10 4,52
Total,56towns	27,862	94,884	33,482	1922,216	50.959	95,637	32 718	806,64

^{*} Includes the combined totals of 15 towns in Oklahoma. x San Antonio.

The above totals show that the interior stocks have increased during the week 5,620 bales and are tonight 1,115,567 bales more than at the same period last year. The receipts of all the towns have been 230,097 bales less than the same week last year.

Overland Movement for the Week and Since Aug. 1-We give below a statement showing the overland movement for the week and since Aug. I, as made up from telegraphic reports Friday night. The results for the week and since Aug. I in the last two years are as follows:

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Aug. 26— Shipped—	Week	Since Aug. 1	Week	Since Aug. 1	
Via Mounds, &c 1	1,792 1,050	11,367 7,796	1,250 850	5,366 3,570	
Via Louisville 3	164 3,541 3,299	296 618 16,220 49,318	3,586 2,016	273 14,278 11,964	
Total gross overland30 Deduct Shipments—	,846	85,615	7,797	35,451	
Overland to N. Y., Boston, &c Between interior towns1 Inland, &c., from South13	541 253 ,300	4,024 883 37,737	506 209 5,301	2,538 784 11,915	
Total to be deducted14	,094	42,644	6,016	15,237	
Leaving total net overland.*16	,752	42,971	1,781	20,214	

^{*} Including movement by rail to Canada.

The foregoing shows the week's net overland movement this year has been 16,752 bales, against 1,781 bales for the week last year, and that for the season to date the aggregate net overland exhibits an increase over a year ago of 22,757 bales.

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In Sight and Spinners' Takings Week	Since Aug. 1	Week	Since Aug. 1
Receipts at ports to Aug. 26 78,102 Net overland to Aug. 26 16,752 Southern consumption to Aug. 26_105,000	230,568 $42,971$ $370,000$	$\begin{array}{c} 221,570 \\ 1,781 \\ 135,000 \end{array}$	506,602 20,214 535,000
Total marketed199,854 Interior stocks in excess5,620	643,539 *31,907	358,351 18,241	1,061,816 *13,671
Came into sight during week205,474 Total in sight Aug. 26	611,632	376,592	1,048,145
North.spinn's's takings to Aug. 26 24,555	71,204	15,215	68,569
* Decrease. Movement into sight in previous **Week—* Bales Sin 1936—Aug. 27	ice Aug. 1—		Bales 752,541 740,521 665,069

Quotations for Middling Cotton at Other Markets—Below are the closing quotations for middling cotton at Southern and other principal cotton markets for each day

West Ended	Closing Quotations for Middling Cotton on—							
Week Ended Aug. 26	Saturday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed'day	Thursday	Friday		
Galveston New Orleans Mobile Savannah Norfolk Montgomery Augusta Memphis Houston Little Rock Dallas Fort Worth	8.28 * 8.33 * 8.03 * 8.55 * 8.20 * 8.78 * 8.30 * 8.25 * 7.99 * 7.99	8.15 8.24 7.95 8.41 8.45 8.20 8.70 8.20 8.18 8.10 7.91	8.21 8.31 8.16 8.48 8.50 8.25 8.76 8.25 8.21 8.25 7.97	8.15 8.24 8.10 8.40 8.45 8.20 8.70 8.20 8.16 8.20 7.90	8.19 8.29 8.14 8.44 8.50 8.25 8.74 8.25 8.15 7.95	8.29 8.39 8.24 8.59 8.60 8.35 8.84 8.35 8.30 8.25 8.03		

New Orleans Contract Market—The closing quotations for leading contracts in the New Orleans cotton market for the past week have been as follows:

	Saturday Aug. 20	Monday Aug. 22	Tuesday Aug. 23	Wednesday Aug. 24	Thursday Aug. 25	Friday Aug. 26
Sept(1938) October November	8.38- 8.41	8.29 —	8.36	8.29 —	8.34 —	8.44 —
December_ Jan. (1939) February	8.47- 8.50 8.45 —	8.35- 8.36 8.34 —	8.42 —	8.37 — 8.35 —	8.39 —	8.52- 8.53 8.52 —
March	847b- 848a	8.36	8.43	8.37	8.38	8.49
May	8.48	8.36	8.43	835b- 836a	8.35 —	8.47 —
July August	845b- 847a	832b- 834a	839b- 840a	832b- 834a	8.34	8.45
SpotOptions	Quiet. Barely stdy	Dull. Barely stdy	Steady. Steady.	Steady. Steady.	Steady.	Steady.

Cotton Ginned from Crop of 1938 Prior to Aug. 16—The census report issued on Aug. 23, compiled from the individual returns of the ginners, shows 313,934 running bales of cotton (counting round as half bales and excluding linters) ginned from the crop of 1938 prior to Aug. 16, compared with 514,524 bales from the crop of 1937 and 208,509 bales from the crop of 1936. Below is the report in full:

	Running Bales Counting Round as Half Bales and Excluding Linters					
State	1938	1 1937	1936			
United States	*313,934	*514,524	*208,509			
Alabama Arizona Florida Georgia Louisiana Mississippi Texas All other States	5,095 3,694 1,209 14,888 2,228 260 285,705	6,395 92 1,114 20,158 32,657 6,559 447,160 389	5,669 972 1,256 18,726 22,576 4,695 153,767 748			

^{*} Includes 157,865 bales of the crop of 1938 ginned prior to Aug. 1, which was counted in the supply for the season of 1937-38, compared with 142,983 and 41,130 bales of the crops of 1937 and 1936.

The statistics in this report include 1,000 round bales for 1938, 5,064 for 1937 and 487 for 1936.

The statistics for 1938 in this report are subject to revision when checked against the individual returns of the ginners being transmitted by mail.

Consumption, Stocks, Imports and Exports—United States
Cotton consumed during the month of July, 1938, amounted to 449,511
bales. Cotton on hand in consuming establishments on July 31 was
1,266,983 bales, and in public storages and at compresses 9,641,201 bales.
The number of active consuming cotton spindles for the month was 21,916,166. The total imports for the month of July, 1938, were 25,047 bales,
and the exports of domestic cotton, excluding linters, were 195,706 bales.

The estimated world's production of commercial cotton, exclusive of
linters, grown in 1937, as compiled from various sources, was 36,305,000
bales, counting American in running bales and foreign in bales of 478 pounds
lint, while the consumption of cotton (exclusive of linters in the United
States) for the year ended July 31, 1937, was 30,820,000 bales. The
total number of spinning cotton spindles, both active and idle, is about
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Activity in the Cotton Spinning Industry for July 1938—The Bureau of the Census announced on Aug. 20 that, according to preliminary figures, 26,376,210 cotton spinning spindles were in place in the United States on July 31, 1938, of which 21,916,166 were operated at some time during the month, compared with 21,143,988 for June, 21,341,750 for May, 21,786,054 for April, 22,288,098 for March, 22,356,638 for February and 24,394,300 for July 1937. The aggregate number of active spindle hours reported for the month was 5,919,306,582. Since the inauguration of this inquiry in 1921 the average hours of operation for the day shift for all of the mills was used in computing the monthly percentage of activity. The hours of employment and of productive machinery are not uniform throughout the industry. However, in order that the statistics may be comparable with those for earlier months and years, the same method of computing the percentage of activity has been used. Computed on this basis the cotton spindles in the United States were operated during July 1938 at 100.2% capacity on a single-shift basis. This percentage compares with 91.9 for June, 89.3 for May, 85.7 for April, 101.0 for March, 98.9 for February and 121.9 for July 1937. The average number of active spindle hours per spindle in place for the month was 224. The total number of cotton spinning spindles in place, the number active, the number of active spindle hours and the average hours per spindle in place, by States, are shown in the following statement:

	Spinning	Spindles	Active Spindle Hours for July		
State	In Place July 31	Active Dur- ing July	Total	Average per Spindle in Place	
United States	26,376.210	21,916,166	5,919,306,582	224	
Cotton growing States New England States_ All other States	18,798,244 6,777,446 800,520	16.660.094 4,684,796 571,276	4,700,371,514 1,109,858,626 109,076.442	250 164 136	
Alabama Connecticut Connecticut Maine Maine	1,883,974 596,332 3,243,128 704,924	1,439,440 478,876 2,850,228 600,832	395,184,836 93,841,932 763,944,796 180,429,297 514,983,355	210 157 236 256 137	
Massachusetts Mississippi New Hampshire New York North Carolina	3,769,828 209,016 629,330 355,388 6,049,284	2,348,764 139,640 395,622 274,160 5,331,344	52,968,944 89,939,544 52,427,320 1,376,467,374	253 143 148 228	
Rhode Island South Carolina Tennessee	978,520 5,730,948 600,068 255,098	783,726 5,382,342 554,996 217,962	205,706,234 1,663,257,991 174,876,116 71,016,184	210 290 291 278	
Texas Virginia All other States	634,064 736,308	602,486 515,748	168,963,590 115,299,069	266 157	

76,533,168 Pounds of Wool Appraised for Loans of \$13,334,328 by CCC Through Aug. 13—Commodity Credit Corporation announced that through Aug. 13 76,533,168 net grease pounds of wool had been appraised for loans aggregating \$13,334,327.97. Of this amount, loans of \$5,510,164.23 have been completed on 30,468,410 pounds of wool, the remainder being in process. The loans average 17.42 cents per grease pound.

Cotton Loans of CCC Through Aug. 18 Aggregated \$238,734,910 on 5,464,962 Bales—Announcement was made on Aug. 19 by the Commodity Credit Corporation that "Advices of Cotton Loans" received by it through Aug. 18, 1938, showed loans disbursed by the Corporation and lending agencies of \$238,734,909.81 on 5,464,962 bales of cotton. This includes loans of \$7,173,300.03 on 170,387 bales which have been paid and the cotton released. The loans average 8.39 cents per pound.

Figures showing the number of bales on which loans have

been made by States are given below:

State—	Bales	State—	Bales
Alabama	787 044	Missouri	77,128
Alabama	125 871	New Mexico	49,296
Arizona	570 307	North Carolina	126,879
Arkansas		Oklahoma	84,986
California	000	South Carolina	258,016
Florida	453 177	Tennessee	284,261
Georgia	200 652	Teyas	.645.173
Louisiana	617 114	Virginia	9.697
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Returns by Telegraph—Telegraphic advices to us this evening indicate that excessive shedding is taking place in Mississippi and Louisiana and locally in Texas. Picking is restricted largely to Texas and southern portions of Georgia and Alabama. Progress of cotton has been fair in the south and Alabama. Pro

to good in the north.	Rain	Rainfall		Thermon	reter-
	Days	Inches	High	Low	Mean
Oklahoma-Oklahoma City		ry	100 100	$\frac{72}{71}$	86 86
Arkansas-Eldorado		ry rv	100	72	86
Fort Smith		ry	102	$\begin{array}{c} 72 \\ 73 \end{array}$	87
Ding Dluff	١d	гу	103	73	- 88
Louisiana—Alexandria	1	0.10	95	73	84
Anite		0.29	100 100	66 78	83 89 88
New Orleans	- 4	ry rv	101	75	88
Shreveport		ry	100	68	84
Mississippi—Meridian	ď	ry	96	76	86

		Rain Rainfall			Thermometer-		
	Days		Inches	High	Low	Mean	
Texas—Galveston		dry		92	80	86	
Amarillo	_ 1/2s =	dry		102	66	84	
Austin	_ 1		0.62	96	70	83	
Abilene		dry		98	70	84	
Brenham		dry		98	70	84	
Brownsville	_ 2		1.56	94	74	84	
Dallas		dry		100	76	88	
El Paso		dry		100	70	85	
Henrietta		dry		108	70	89	
Kerrville			0.02	98	60	79	
			0.38	98	64	81	
Lampasas		dry	0.00	100	70	85	
Luling	1	ury	0.02	96	68	82	
Nacogdoches		dry	0.02	98	72	85	
Palestine		dry		102	70	86	
Paris		ury	0.18	96	70	83	
San Antonio			0.19	100	68	84	
Taylor		dry			70	85	
Weatherford		dry		100	71	85	
Alabama—Mobile		dry		100		85	
Birmingham		dry		102	68	87	
Montgomery	200	dry	100	102	72		
Florida—Jacksonville	1	4 100	0.01	98	70	84	
Miami		dry	Well made	90	74	82	
Pensacola	1		0.02	94	76	85	
Tampa	1		0.38	92	72	82 87	
Georgia—Savannah	. 3		0.38	101	73	87	
Atlanta		dry		98	68	83	
Augusta		dry		100	72	86	
Macon	1		0.01	102	70	86	
South Carolina—Charleston		dry	1000	99	74	87	
North Carolina—Asheville	2		0.22	90	56	73	
Charlotte			0.74	94	62	78	
			0.58	92	66	79	
Raleigh		dry	0.00	90	68	79	
Wilmington		dry		98	73	86	
Tennessee—Memphis		ury	0.20	96	58	72	
Chattanooga		dne		. 96	64	80	
Nashville		dry		90	04	00	

The following statement has also been received by telegraph, showing the heights of rivers at the points named at 8 a. m. of the dates given:

		Aug. 20, 1938 Feet	Feet Feet
New Orleans	Above zero of gar		2.2
Memphis	Above zero of ga		6.3
Nashville	Above zero of ga		9.5
Shreveport	Above zero of ga		8.9 4.1
Vicksburg	Above zero of ga	uge. 12.2	4.1

Receipts from the Plantations—The following table indicates the actual movement each week from the plantations. The figures do not include overland receipts nor Southern consumption; they are simply a statement of the weekly movement from the plantations of that part of the crop which finally reaches the market through the outports.

Week	Receipts at Ports			Stocks at Interior Towns			Receipts from Plantations		
End.	1938	1937	1936	1938	1937	1936	1938	1937	1936
May 27.	14,112	25,457	52,470	2194,843	1107,259	1594,234	Nil	Nil	NII
June	17,425	23,761	47 072	2167,585	1064.946	1554.313	NII	NII	7,151
3-	20,069	23,325	32,597		1030.520	1517,933	Nil	Nil	Nil
10- 17-	27.019	15,944	39,972			1465,362		Nil	NII
24.	24,113	19,653	21,698			1424,612		Nii	NII
July	21,210			0.532400	1000 1-11		0.000		3711
1.	22,893	15,752	21,952			1384,154		Nil	Nil Nil
8-	17,684	17,059	13,381	2053,520		1349,502		Nil	
15.	32,676	17,371	16,973	2024.282		1301.765		Nil	Nil Nil
22_	43,924	28,601	28,419			1255,364		3,764	NII
29_	53,593	55,199	39,742	1978,400	828,147	1206,417	44,437	34,411	МП
Aug.		18. 2. 6	52.4.11		011 100	1107 401	22,595	39.236	NII
5	49,379	68,215	38.915			1167,401		79.061	30,140
12_	51,885	94,093				1144,650		141,468	
19_	73,033	149,210	76,336			1132,176		239,811	
26_	78,102	221,570	1141,365	1922.216	1 800,049	1140,781	1 00,122	207,011	110,010

The above statement shows: (1) That the total receipts from the plantations since Aug. 1, 1938, are 198,661 bales; in 1937 were 492,931 bales and in 1936 were 94,002 bales. (2) That, although the receipts at the outports the past week were 78,102 bales, the actual movement from plantations was 83,722 bales, stock at interior towns having increased 5,620 bales during the week having increased 5,620 bales during the week.

World's Supply and Takings of Cotton—The following brief but comprehensive statement indicates at a glance the world's supply of cotton for the week and since Aug. 1 for the last two seasons from all sources from which statistics are obtainable; also the takings or amounts gone out of sight for the like period: sight for the like period:

Cotton Takings,	193	38	1937		
Week and Season	Week	Season	Week	Season	
Visible supply Aug. 19 Visible supply Aug. 1 American in sight to Aug. 26- Bombay receipts to Aug. 25- Other India ship'ts to Aug. 25 Alexandria receipts to Aug. 24 Other supply to Aug. 24 * b-	7,612,720 205,474 11,000 4,000 600 8,000	7,858,941 611,632 75,000 42,000 2,400 32,000	4,275,125 376,592 10,000 7,000 9,000 9,000 9,000	4,339,022 1,048,145 42,000 31,000 11,200 25,000	
Total supply Deduct— Visible supply to Aug. 26	7,841,794 7,577,302	8,621,973 7,577,302	4,686,717 4,374,056	5,496,367 4,374,056	
Total takings to Aug. 26 a Of which American Of which other	264,492 186,092 78,400		$312,661 \\ 212,661 \\ 100,000$	1,122,311 $702,511$ $419,800$	

* Embraces receipts in Europe from Brazil, Smyrna, West Indies, &c. a This total embraces since Aug. 1 the total estimated consumption by Southern mills, 370,000 bales in 1938 and 535,000 bales in 1937—takings not being available—and the aggregate amount taken by Northern and foreign spinners, 674,671 bales in 1938 and 587,311 bales in 1937, of which 325,471 bales and 167,511 bales American. b Estimated.

India Cotton Movement from All Ports—The receipts of Indian cotton at Bombay and the shipments from all India ports for the week and for the season from Aug. 1 as cabled, for three years, have been as follows:

	19	938	1	1937		936	
Aug. 25 Receipts—	Week	Since Aug. 1	Week	Since Aug. 1	Week	Stace Aug. 1	
Bombay	11,000	75,000	10,000	42,000	7,000	80,000	

Exports		For th	e Week		Since Aug. 1						
from-	Great Britain	Conti- nent	Jap'n & China	Total	Great Britain	Conti- nent	Japan & China	Total			
Bombay-											
1938	4.000	2.000		6.000	6.000	10.000	49,000	65.000			
1937		6,000	7,000	13,000	2,000	19,000	68,000	89,000			
1936	2,000	3,000	15,000	20,000	3,000	12,000	70,000	85,000			
Other India:		7,	7.		0,000	12,000	10,000	50,000			
1938	1,000	3.000		4.000	15.000	27.000	1.5	42.000			
1937	4.000	3,000		7.000	7.000	24.000		31,000			
1936	12,000	2,000		14,000	18,000	16,000		34.000			
			-					021000			
Total all—			18 1	. 1	1		A - 1				
1938	5,000	5,000		10,000	21,000	37,000	49,000	107,000			
1937	4.000	9,000	7,000	20,000	9,000	43,000	68,000	120,000			
1936	14,000	5,000	15,000	34,000	21,000	28,000	70,000	119,000			

According to the foregoing, Bombay appears to show an increase compared with last year in the week's receipts of 1,000 bales. Exports from all India ports record a decrease of 10,000 bales during the week, and since Aug. 1 show a decrease of 13,000 bales.

Alexandria Receipts and Shipments—We now receive weekly a cable of the movements of cotton at Alexandria, Egypt. The following are the receipts and shipments for the past week and for the corresponding week of the previous two years:

Alexandria, Egypt, Aug. 24	1	938	1	937	32,000 41,000		
Receipts (centars)— This week Since Aug. 1		3,000 11,800		45,000 55,000			
Exports (Bales)—	This Week	Since Aug. 1	This Week	Since Aug. 1	This Week	Since Aug. 1	
To Liverpool To Manchester, &c To Continent and India To America	3,000 13,000		2,000 2,000 5,000	3,300	2,000 3,000	6,000	
Total exports	16,000	44,70	9,000	20,250	5,000	28,000	

Note—A cantar is 99 lbs. Egyptian bales weigh about 750 lbs. This statement shows that the receipts for the week ended Aug. 24 were 3,000 cantars and the foreign shipments were 16,000 bales.

Manchester Market—Our report received by cable tonight from Manchester states that the market in both yarns and in cloths is quiet. Demand for home trade is improving. We give prices today below and leave those for previous weeks of this and last year for comparison:

		1	i.	3 1	,	1	9:	37	1								19	36			
	32s Cop Twist			8¼ Lbs. Shirt- ings, Common to Finest				Cotton Middl'g Upl'ds	32s Cop Twist		8¼ Lbs. Shirt- ings, Common to Finest				Cotton Middl'g Upl'ds						
	10	đ		40	s.	đ			8.	đ.	d.	., i	100	d.	727	s.	d.	3.	s.	d.	d.
May 27 June	9	0	91	0	9	3		@	9	6	4.46	14		@	15	10	6	@	10	9	7.36
3				9%	9	3		@	9	3	4.43	14			15	10	6	@	10	9	7.31
10	83			9%	9			@	9	3	4.54	13	4	@	14%	10	6	@	10	8	7.06
17	87			978	9			@	9	3	4.69	13	2	@	15	10	6	@	10	9	6.92
July	9	@	1	0	9	1	16	@	9	41/2	4.83	13	4	@	15	10	6	@	10	9	6.95
1	91	(0	1	01/8	9	1	16	@	9	4	4.96	131	1	a	14%	9	6	a	10	9	6.87
8				03%	9	3		0	9	6	5.16				143%		6		10	9	6.98
15				034	9	1		0	9	4	4.88				1434		6		10	9	6.85
22				01/8	9			@	9	4					1416		6		10	9	6.60
29				014	9			0	9	416					1416		47			714	
Aug.			7	-			-	9	-	-/*	*.00	1-	8	9.	1472	10	47	3 (4)	10	1 73	6.12
5	94	@	1	016	9	1	16	@	9	416	4.89	123	4	a.	14	10	414	0	10	714	6.20
12	9	@			9	-		œ	9	3					13%		3		10	6	
19	9	ã			9			@	9	3					1334		3		10	6	5.93
26	9	@			9			a a	9	3					131/8		11			416	5.78

Shipping News—As shown on a previous page, the exports of cotton from the United States the past week have reached 54,732 bales. The shipments in detail, as made up from mail and telegraphic reports, are as follows:

up from mail and telegraphic reports, are as follows:	
0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Bales
GALVESTON-To Copenhagen, Aug. 18, Trafalgar, 499	
	499
To Oslo, Aug. 18, Trafalgar, 200	780
To Gdynia, Aug. 18, Trafalgar, 223; Aug. 19, Svanhild, 54	200
To Gothenburg Aug 18 Trafalgar 540	277
To Buena Ventura, Aug. 22, Ruth Lykes, 28; Aug. 19, Mar-	540
garet Lykes 102	000
garet Lykes, 192 To Bremen, Aug. 19, Keil, 603	220 603
HOUSTON—To Genoa, Aug. 22, Mongioia, 888	
To Liverpool Aug. 22, Wongloid, 888	888
To Liverpool, Aug. 22, Lochdee, 795 To Manchester, Aug. 22, Lochdee, 161 To Current Aug. 22, Lochdee, 161	795
To Changes Aug. 22, Localdee, 101	161
To Cucusta, Aug. 20, Ruth Lykes, 29 To Rotterdam, Aug. 20, Blommerdijk, 300 To Carreian, Aug. 20, Blommerdijk, 300	29
To Gdynia Aug. 20, Blommerdijk, 300	300
To Gdynia, Aug. 20, Svanhild, 96	. 96
To Reval, Aug. 20, Blommerdijk, 27 To Antwerp, Aug. 25, Nevada, 17	27
To Ghent Aug 25 Noved 150	17
To Ghent, Aug. 25, Nevada, 150 To Havre, Aug. 25, Nevada, 648	150
To Dunkirk, Aug. 25, Nevada, 32	648
To Bremen Aug. 25, Augeburg 9 705	32
To Bremen, Aug. 25, Augsburg, 2,785 To Hamburg, Aug. 25, Augsburg, 427	2,785
CORPUS CURIOTE To Chart Ass 00 TV	427
CORPUS CHRISTI-To Ghent, Aug. 23, Waban, 450; Aug. 24,	4.
Blommersdijk, 50; Aug. 20, Antverpia, 519 To Havre, Aug. 23, Waban, 3,367; Aug. 20, Antverpia, 3,318 To Dunkijk Arg. 30	1,019
To Dunkirk Aug. 20, Waban, 3,367; Aug. 20, Antverpia, 3,318.	6,685
To Dunkirk, Aug. 20, Antverpia, 1,007	1,007
To Bremen, Aug. 24, Kiel, 4,683	4,683
To Hamburg, Aug. 24, Kiel, 17- To Rotterdam, Aug. 24, Blommersdijk, 50; Aug. 23, Waban,	17
100 Aug. 24, Blommersdijk, 50; Aug. 23, Waban,	1 70
To Enschede, Aug. 24, Blommersdijk, 250	150
	250
To Liverpool, Aug 20 Davision 1 660	2,042
To Liverpool, Aug. 20, Davisian, 1,669. To Manchester, Aug. 20, Davisian, 844. To Oslo, Aug. 20, Dradgar, 100.	1,669
To Oslo, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 100	844
To Oslo, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 100. To Gothenburg, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 50. To Norkopping, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 600. To Varburg, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 600.	100
To Norkopping, Aug. 20 Trafalgar 600	50
	600
To Karlsham, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 100	$\frac{100}{100}$
To Aalborg, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 400	400
To Aalborg, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 100 To Aalborg, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 400 To Gdynia, Aug. 20, Vasa, 1,854 To Uddayalla Aug. 20, Vasa, 50	1.854
	50
To Abo, Aug. 20, Trafalga, 200	200
To Abo, Aug. 20, Trafalga, 200 To Mantylouto, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 100	100
To Brando, Aug. 20, Trafalgar, 100	100
	100

	Bales
NEW ORLEANS-To Liverpool, Aug. 19, Lochdee, 672	672
To Manchester, Aug. 19, Lochdee, 11	11
To Genoa, Aug. 18, Mongioia, 1,993; Aug. 24, Cardonia, 100-	2 013
To Venice, Aug. 22, Livenza, 50; Aug. 24, Cordonia, 276	326
To Trieste, Aug. 22, Livenza, 100	100
To Bremen, Aug. 23, Volunteer, 125	125
To Hamburg, Aug. 23, Volunteer, 103	103
To Hardin, Aug. 24, Syanniid, 100	100
10 Gdynia, Aug. 24, Svanniid, 100	100
To Japan, Aug. 24, Anubis, 1,854	1,854
To Havana, Aug. 23, Cefalu, 300	300
To Valparaiso, Aug. 23, Cefalu, 700	700
To Arica, Aug. 23, Cefalu, 400 SAVANNAH—To Bremen, Aug. 23, Erik Frisel, 100	400
To Hamburg, Aug. 23, Erik Frisel, 457.	100
To Japan, Aug. 25, Maruto Maru, 500	457
MOBILE—To Liverpool, Aug. 20, Logician, 200	500
To Japan Aug 21 Anghis 223	200
To Japan, Aug. 21, Anubis, 233 NORFOLK—To Manchester, Aug. 24, Lehigh, 24	233
To Antwerp, Aug. 22, Blackeagle, 14	24 14
To Hamburg, Aug. 26, McKeesport, 168	168
CHARLESTON-To Liverpool, Aug. 15, Scarappa, 50	50
To Manchester, Aug. 15, Sacarappa, 6	6
SAN FRANCISCO—To Japan, (?), (?), 5,431	5.431
LOS ANGELES—To Liverpool, (?), Pacific President, 18	18
To Manchester, (?), Pacific President, 2,850	2,850
To Japan, (?), Santoa Maru, 1,350; (?), Nako Maru, 790;	-,000
(£), Kokkai Maru, 1,450; (?), Bokuyo Maru, 600; (?)	
Norfolk Maru, 2,013	6.203
To Bombay, (?), Norfolk Maru, 100	100
(Pote)	
Total	54,732

Cotton Freights—Current rates for cotton from New York, as furnished by Lambert & Barrows, Inc., are as follows, quotations being in cents per pound:

	High Density	Stand- ard		High Density	Stand- ard	High Stand- Density ard	
Liverpool	.52c.	.67c.	Trieste	d.45c.	.60c.	Piraeus .85c. 1.00	
Manchester	.52c.	.67c.	Fiume	d.45c.	.60c.	Salonica .85c. 1.00	
Antwerp	.52c.	.67c.	Barcelona	*	*	Venice d.85c. 1.00	
Havre	.52c.	.67c.	Japan	*	*	Copenhag'n.57c: .72c.	
Rotterdam	.52c.	.67c.	Shanghai	*	*	Naples d.45c60c.	
Genoa	d.45c.	.60c.	Bombay x	.50c.		Leghorn d.45c60c.	
Oslo	.58c.	.73c.	Bremen	.52c.	.67c.	Gothenb'g .57c72c.	
Stockholm	.63c.	.78c.	Hamburg	.52c.	.67c.		

* No quotations. x Only small lots. d Direct steamer.

Liverpool-Imports, stocks, &c., for past week:

	Aug. 5	Aug. 12	Aug. 19	Aug. 26
Forwarded	37,000	52.000	59,000	37,000
Total stocks1	,156,000	1,191,000	1,163,000	1.156,000
Of which American	648.000	673,000	658,000	648,000
Total imports		73,000	27,000	
Of which American	5,000	16,000	8.000	5,000
Amount afloat	136,000	122,000	22,000	136,000
Of which American	26,000	24,000	124,000	26,000

The tone of the Liverpool market for spots and futures each day of the past week and the daily closing prices of spot cotton have been as follows:

Spot	Saturday	Monday	Tuesday .	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Market, 12:15 P. M. {	More demand	Quiet	Quiet	Quiet	Dull	Dull.
Mid. upl'ds	4.76d.	4.72d.	4.68d.	4.73d.	4.71d.	4.74d.
$egin{array}{c} Futures \ \mathbf{Market} \ \mathbf{opened} \end{array} \left\{ egin{array}{c} \end{array} ight.$	St'y, 1 pt. dec. to 1 pt. adv.	Quiet at 2 to 4 pts. decline	Quiet at 3 to 5 pts. decline	2 to 3 pts.	Quiet, un- changed to 2 pts. dec.	Quiet; 1 to 2 pts. advance.
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Prices of futures at Liverpool for each day are given below:

to	Sat.	Mon.		Tues.		W	ed.	Thurs.		Fri	
	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close
New Contract October, 1938	d. 4.60	d. 4.55	d. 4.55	d. 4.51	d. 4.55	d. 4.56	d. 4.54	d. 4.54	d. 4.54	d. 4.57	d. 4.57
January, 1939 March	4.66 4.69 4.73	4.64							4.59 4.62	4.66	4.63 4.66
May July	4.77 4.79	4.68 4.72 4.74	4.68 4.72 4.74	4.64 4.67 4.69	4.67 4.70 4.72	4.68 4.71 4.73	4.70	4.66 4.69 4.71		4.70 4.73 4.75	
October December	4.76 4.78		4.72 4.74		4.70		4.69 4.70		4.68 4.69		4.72
January, 1940	4.79		4.75		4.72		4.72		4.71		4.7

BREADSTUFFS

Friday Night, Aug. 26, 1938

Flour—The flour market presented no exceptional features the past week. Consumers continue to buy on a moderate scale at prevailing prices. Exceptionally heavy flour shipments were reported recently from New York to Scandinavian ports.

Scandinavian ports.

Wheat—On the 20th inst. prices closed ½c. to ⅙c. net lower. Selling broke out in the wheat pit during the final hour today, and wiped out a fractional price advance, substituting losses of about a cent. Late selling was a combination of hedging and profit taking, according to some pit traders. The technical reaction was based on an advance of nearly 5c. a bushel since Tuesday's 5-year lows were touched. A ⅙c. to 1⅓c. advance at Liverpool, liberal export business in Canadian wheat, and buying credited to exporters and mills helped lift the market early in the session. After highs of 65½ and 67c. were reached for September and December, selling increased. Prices fell 1¾c. from the highs. A house with export connections was reported selling December wheat late in the session. There were some spreading operations between here and Minneapolis, where quotations declined as much as 1½c. Winnipeg, however, held firm. On the 22d inst. prices closed ¼c. to ½c. net lower. The wheat market took another setback today as hedging sales and some profit taking augmented the burden of liquidation absorbed in the pit. Acting very much like it did on Saturday, wheat bulged ½c. at the opening, but then dropped about a cent and held for the rest of the session at a net fractional loss.

The reaction Saturday and today from a 5c. advance last week above recent seasonal lows, was described as largely technical. Hedging from the Northwest, along with movement of new grain in the spring-wheat belt, was exerting a steady pressure on the pit, it was said, and little fresh buying support except from mills was in evidence. The United States visible supply of wheat for the week ended Aug. 20 showed an increase of only 5,717,000 bushels, as compared with an advance of 6,457,000 bushels a year ago when a much smaller spring wheat crop was being harvested. This confirms reports that farmers are showing more interest in the loan now. On the 23d inst. prices closed unchanged to \(^3\)\(^6\

English interests. Sales of Australian wheat were estimated in excess of 10,000,000 bushels.

On the 25th inst. prices closed 1/8 to 1c. net higher. After tumbling more than 1c. to within fractions of the five-year lows, wheat prices rallied today and wiped out all of the loss, substituting net gains of as much as 1c. in some cases. Previous "short" sellers turned buyers in evening up their market positions on the break, and the result was a strong rebound in prices during the final hour. Sufficient buying for mills and other commercial interests as a result of yesterday's 2c. break, appeared to absorb meager hedging sales from the Northwest, but otherwise the trade was quiet. Winnipeg, because of increased movement of wheat, was under greater hedging pressure than Chicago. Reduced marketing from this country was believed by traders to be the result of the wheat-loan program.

Today prices closed 3/8 to 3/8c. net lower. Wheat prices on the Chicago Board lost almost 1c. today in a nervous, erratic market. Speculative activity was at a minimum, with most dealers preferring to await more definite information on Government export subsidy plans. Reports from the Southwest confirmed belief that export business had dropped off sharply during the past several days.

from the Southwest confirmed belief that export business had dropped off sharply during the past several days. Lower rail rates on export grain to the East were expected to go into effect within a month. The Canadian Government announced that its present policy of "normal merchandising at competitive prices through regular channels" would be unchanged, and this chilled hopes of some traders would be unchanged, and this chilled hopes of some traders that cooperative action between Canada and the United States in exporting surplus wheat might be possible. December wheat at Winnipeg, which until recently was at a premium of 6c. over the Chicago contract, is now at a discount. Open interest in wheat at tonight's close was reported as 119,914,000 bushels.

DAILY CLOSING PRICES	OF WHEAT IN NEW YORK
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DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF	WHEAT FUTURES IN CHICAGO
September December March May	65% 65% 65% 64 64% 64
Season's High and When Made September 92% Feb 9, 193: December 84% June 15, 193 March 73% July 23, 193	Season's Low and When Made
DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF	BONDED WHEAT IN WINNIPEC

Corn—On the 20th inst. prices closed ½c. to 1c. net lower. September corn which dropped 1½c. at one stage, led a general decline in corn values. Reports of increased country offerings, with bookings totaling 80,000 bushels, and selling by cash interests, were factors in the decline. Germany was reported to have bought American corn, but no sales over night were confirmed. On the 22d inst. prices closed unchanged to ½c. lower. Trading in corn futures was relatively light, with the market's undertone fairly steady. Excellent corn crop progress is reported in some parts of the belt. A wire to Donovan states that yield will be three bushels above average in the area from LaSalle to Davenport, and that most stocks have two ears. Apparently.

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the hybrid corn is yielding very heavily, promising a very high amount per acre unless unfavorable weather develops. Reports indicate that 75,000,000 bushels of corn are under loan, sealed on farms. On the 23d inst. prices closed ½c. off to ¾c. up. Trading in this market was relatively light and without particular feature. On the 24th inst. prices closed unchanged to 1½c. lower. This market held well in the face of the pronounced weakness in wheat values, though the corn export business showed no signs of improving. The recent sharp break in Argentine corn, some traders feared, may curtail future export business because Buenos Aires prices are at the best competitive level since harvest of the small Southern Hemisphere crop early this year. There were small Southern Hemisphere crop early this year. There were reports of large German purchases of Argentine corn, but these could not be confirmed. Reports of corn damage have been received from parts of Nebraska, South Dakota, Iowa and Kansas, but many traders believed no serious revision of crop prospects will be made.

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On the 25th inst, prices closed ¾ to 1¼c, net higher. Independent strength in corn, with revived export business spurred by sales estimated as high as 1,500,000 bushels, helped sentiment among holders of this grain. Corn export business the last two days was believed around 2,000,000 bushels, mostly to the United Kingdom. Today prices closed ¼c. off to ½c. up. This market showed little change, though a steady undertone prevailed. The heavy export sales of the past few days, estimated as high as 2,500,000 bushels, has had a wholesome effect on the trade. Late reports showed further export business estimated at 300,000 bushels, bringing the week's reported total near 3,000,000 bushels. Open interest in corn totaled 39,010,000 bushels. DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF CORN IN NEW YORK

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Oats—On the 20th inst. prices closed ½c. off to ½c. up. Trading was light and of a mixed character, with the market's undertone barely steady. On the 22d inst. prices closed unchanged to ¾c. higher. There was very little to report on this market. Trading was light and without feature. On the 23d inst. prices closed ½c. to ¼c. higher. This market was fairly firm, with trading moderately active. On the 24th inst. prices closed ½c. net lower. There was very little of interest in the action of this market. On the 25th inst. prices closed unchanged to ¼c. up. There was very light trading in this grain, largely of a routine character. Today prices closed ¼ to ¼c. lower. Trading was light and without feature.

DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF OATS FUTURES IN CHICAGO

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Rye—On the 20th inst. prices closed ½c. to ½c. net lower. There was considerable hedge selling in evidence and with the wheat and corn markets lower, rye closed at the lows of the day. On the 22d inst. prices closed ½c. to ½c. net lower. The depression in rye futures was naturally influenced by the bearish weather and crop reports and the heaviness of other grains. On the 23d inst. prices closed ½c. to ½c. higher. This market held steady at fractional gains, though trading was only moderately active. On the 24th inst. prices closed ¾c. to 1c. net lower. There was no aggressive selling in evidence despite the pronounced weakness shown in the wheat markets. Rye values slid off in sympathy with the declines in the other grains, there being very little support in evidence as prices tended lower.

On the 25th inst. prices closed ¾ to 1%c. higher. The firmness of rye was attributed largely to the upward move-

firmness of rye was attributed largely to the upward move-ment in wheat and corn. Today prices closed % to %c. lower. The heaviness of rye was attributed to the reaction in wheat.

Closing quotations were as follows:
FLOUR
Spring oats, high protein 5.10@5.35 Ryeflour patents 3.60@3.75 Spring patents 4.50@4.70 Clears, first spring 4.10@4.30 Clears, first spring 4.10@4.30 Clears, first spring 4.30@3.75 Corn flour 2.15 Soft winter straights 4.30@4.50 Hard winter patents 4.50@4.70 Hard winter clears 4.50@4.450 Fancy pearl, Nos. 2.447-4.00@4.50
GRAIN
Wheat, New York— No. 2 red, c.i.f., domestic 77 Manitoba No. 1, t.o.b. N. Y. 76% Rye, No. 2 f.o.b. bond N. Y. 59% Barley, New York— Barley, New York—
Corn, New York— 47½ lbs. malting 49½ Chicago, cash 35–50

All the statements below regarding the movement of grain—receipts, exports, visible supply, &c.—are prepared by us from figures collected by the New York Produce Exchange. First we give the receipts at Western lake and river ports for the week ended last Saturday and since Aug. 1 for each of the last three years:

Receipts at-	Flour	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley
	bbls: 196 lbs	bush. 60 lbs.	bush. 56 lbs.	bush. 32 lbs.	bush.56lbs.	bush.48lbs.
Chicago	215,000	741,000		1.137,000	22,000	274,000
Minneapolis		4.944,000		2,187,000	845,000	1,446,000
Duluth		3,823,000		1.701.000	742,000	856,000
Milwaukee.	16,000	169,000	276,000	135,000	8,000	1,123,000
Toledo	10,000	171,000	29 000	215 000		1,000
Indianapolis		42,000		238,000	18.000	
St. Louis	113,000			56,000		29,000
Peoria	46,000	65,000		80,000		102,000
Kansas City	11,000	1.849,000	98,000	94,000		
Omaha	11,000	849,000		280,000		
St. Joseph	75.7657	114,000		90,000		
Wichita		180.000		2,000	F 200000	
Sioux City_		109,000	41,000	33,000	23,000	. 86,000
Buffalo		827,000		371,000		
Tot. wk. '38	401,000	14,302,000	3,890,000	6,619,000	1.680.000	4,038,000
Same wk '37	378,000	13.859.000		5,951,000	1.772.000	
Same wk '36		8,053,000		2,128,000		4,792,000
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Since Aug. 1	1 014 000	44 707 000	13,566,000	19.749.000	4 203 000	11,539,000
1938	1,214,000	44,797,000		19,753,000		7,572,000
1937	1,173,000	54,380,000				16,032,000
1936	1,768,000	50,353,000	18,823,000	23,101,000	2,402,000	10,032,000

Total receipts of flour and grain at the seaboard ports for the week ended Saturday, Aug. 20, 1938, follow:

Receipts at-	Flour	Wheat	Сотп	Oats	Rye	Barley
	bbls.196 lbs	bush. 60 lbs.	bush. 56 lbs.	bush. 32 lbs.	bush.56lbs.	bush.48lbs.
New York	- 134,000	546,000	155,000	39,000		
Philadel'ia.	33,000	175,000	2.000	4,000		3,000
Baltimore	17,000	226,000	29,000	17,000	1,000	1,000
New Orl'ns*	22,000	84,000	165,000	14,000		
Galveston		860,000	34,000			
Montreal	32,000	1,268,000	269,000	65,000	9,000	317,000
Boston	12,000	1,200,000	-00,000	14,000		
Three Riv's	12,000	116,000	333,000			
Sorel		220,000	1,683,000			
Halifax	3,000					
Tot. wk. '38	253,000	3,275,000	2,670,000	153,000	10,000	321,000
Since Jan. 1 '38	8,834,000	69,799,000	72,008,000	3,959,000	2,447,000	11,405,000
Week 1937.	225,000	2,766,000	688,000	149,000	117,000	205,000
Since Jan. 1 '37	8,804,000	52,062,000	26,695,000	3,485,000	2,788,000	1,466,000

*Receipts do not include grain passing through New Orleans for foreign ports on through bills of lading.

The exports from the several seaboard ports for the week ended Saturday, Aug. 20, 1938, are shown in the annexed statement:

Exports from-	Wheat	Corn	Flour	Oats	Rye	Barley
	Bushels	Bushels	Barrels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels
New York	160,000	170,000	35,878		15.000	
Albany	77,000	733,000				
Baltimore			1,000			
New Orleans	647,000	171,000	2,000	4,000		
Galveston	927,000					
Montreal	1,268,000	269,000	32,000	65,000	9,000	217,000
Halifax			3,000			
Sorel		1,683,000				
Three Rivers	116,000	333,000				
Total week 1938	3.195.000	3,359,000	73,878	69,000	24,000	217,000
Same week 1937	3,136,000		114.270	85,000	80,000	205,000

The destination of these exports for the week and since July 1, 1938, is as below:

	Flour		W	heat	Corn	
Exports for Week and Since July 1 to—	Week Aug. 20 1938	Since July 1 1938	Week Aug. 20 1938	Since July 1 1938	Week Aug. 20 1938	Since July 1 1938
77.74	Barrels	Barrels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels
United Kingdom.	32,000	257,133	2,746,000			15,320,000
Continent	5,863	74,250	446,000	9,673,000	1,157,000	14,025,000
So. & Cent. Amer_	9,500	80,500	2.000	32,000		1,000
West Indies	24,500	181,500	1,000	6,000		
Brit. No. Am. Col.		6,000				
Other countries	2,015	20,024				100,000
Total 1938	73,878	619,407	3.195.000	23,540,000	3,359,000	29,446,000
Total 1937	114,270	731,915	3,136,000	18,176,000	12,000	81,000

The visible supply of grain, comprising the stocks in granary at principal points of accumulation at lake and seaboard ports Saturday, Aug. 20, were as follows:

	GRA	IN STOCK	S		
	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rue	Barley
United States-	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels
Boston			1,000		
New York	26,000	265,000	11,000	4,000	
" afloat		59,000	35,000		
Philadelphia	790,000	13,000	16,000	15,000	3,000
Baltimore	1,289,000	14,000	8,000	25,000	3,000
New Orleans	384,000	530,000	100,000	13,000	
Galveston	1,640,000	12,000			16,000
Fort Worth	8,511,000	69,000	139,000	61,000	17,000
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	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley
	(bush.)	(bush.)	(bush.)	(bush.)	(bush.)
Wichita	2,462,000			2,000	
Hutchinson	6,343,000				
St. Joseph	3,580,000	97.000	129,000		9,000
Kansas City		124.000	984.000	201,000	56,000
Canada City	6.487,000	340,000	1.030,000	290,000	328,000
Omaha	. 050 000	156,000	269,000	116,000	251,000
Sloux City	6.602.000	123,000	269,000	24,000	4,000
St. Louis				22,000	x,000
Indianapolis	1,704,000	806,000	467,000		
Peoria	276,000		134,000		
Chicago	16,307,000	3,731,000	4,837,000	416,000	223,000
" afloat	552,000				
On Lakes	767,000	53,000			64,000
Milwaukee	1.652,000	248,000	360,000	23,000	747,000
Minneapolis	4.131.000	22,000	3,104,000	1.613.000	3.207.000
	6.240,000	550,000	3,013,000	1.443.000	1.775,000
Duluth			6,000	3.000	140,000
Detroit	150,000	2,000			
Buffalo	3,505,000	2,598,000		65,000	224,000
· afloat			120,000	30,000	
On Canal		670,000			
Total Aug. 20, 1938	107 400 000	10.482.000	15.346.000	4.344.000	7.067.000
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3,358,000 bushels in 1937	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rue	Barley
Canadian— Lake, bay, river & seab'd	Bushels 5,160,000	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels 170,000	Bushels 923,000
Ft. Williams & Pt. Arthur Other Can. & other elev-	4,630,000 10,801,000		$252,000 \\ 1,104,000$	515,000 307,000	733,000 2,219,000
Total Aug. 20, 1938	20,591,000 15,029,000		2,342,000 1,947,000	992,000 991,000	3,875,000 2,925,000
Total Aug. 13, 1938 Total Aug. 21, 1937	27,411,000		2,363,000	750,000	3,803,000
Summary— American1 Canadian	107,400,000 20,591,000			4,344,000 992,000	7,067,000 3,875,000
Total Aug. 20, 1938 Total Aug. 13, 1938 Total Aug. 21, 1937	116,174,000	11,497,000	14,058,000	5,336,000 4,001,000 3,478,000	10,942,000 8,472,000 9,483,000
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The world's shipment of wheat and corn, as furnished by Broomhall to the New York Produce Exchange, for the week ended Aug. 19, and since July 1, 1938, and July 1, 1937, are shown in the following:

		Wheat	444 F. J.	Corn			
Exports	Week Aug. 19, 1938	Since July 1, 1938	July 1, July 1,		Since July 1, 1938	Since July 1, 1937	
	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	
No. Amer.	4.402.000	32.099.000	22,188,000	3.020.000	31,320,000	60,000	
Black Sea-	2.816.000	15.384,000	4,600,000		779,000	2,416,000	
Argentina_	594,000	10,946,000	6.876,000	1.871.000	21,242,000	56,959,000	
Australia _	2,095,000	17,885,000	12,032,000				
India	640,000	6,288,000	5,288,000				
countries	320,000	2,520,000	3,448,000	986,000	6,421,000	9,954,000	
Total	10.867.000	85.122.000	54,432,000	5.877.000	59.762.000	69.389.000	

CCC Announces 262 Warehouses Approved for Wheat Storage Under 1938 Loan Program—On Aug. 23 the Commodity Credit Corporation announced that through Aug. 19, 1938, 262 public grain warehouses, having a capacity of 220,380,585 bushels, had been approved for wheat storage under the 1938 wheat loan program. Of the warehouses approved, 118 are large terminal warehouses and 144 are warehouses at country points. In addition, applications for approval have been received from 1,897 terminal and country warehouses having a total capacity of 153,449,896 bushels. The names and addresses of approved warehouses, together with the loan values at the respective storage points, will be available through the loan agencies of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. The CCC added: CCC added:

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Producers who are eligible for wheat loans may obtain same under regulations by CCC either on the farm, at approved country warehouses, or at approved terminal warehouses. Eligible producers can secure full information and details from their Country Conservation Committees, or any loan agency of the RFC.

Where local country warehouses have not been approved for storage, eligible producers may request any country elevators, whether approved or not, to ship wheat to any approved terminal or sub-terminal warehouse, in which case the loan value applicable at such terminal warehouse, in which case the loan value applicable at such terminal or sub-terminal will be available against warehouse receipts as required in instructions, 1938 CCC Wheat Form 1, sections eight and nine.

Corn Loans of CCC Aggregated \$21,896,968 on 45,-152,351 Bushels Through Aug. 18—The Commodity Credit Corporation announced on Aug. 19 that "Advices of Corn Loans" received by it through Aug. 18, 1938, showed loans disbursed by the Corporation and held by lending agencies on 45,152,351 bushels of corn. Such loans aggregated \$21,896,968.46, based on a loan rate of 50 cents per bushel of 2½ cubic feet of ear corn testing up to 14½% moisture; the average amount loaned per bushel determined in this manner thus far has been 48.50 cents. Figures showing the number of bushels on which loans have been made by States are given below:

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		State— Missouri	Bushels
Colorado	2.327	Missouri	1,452,006
Illinois	7.590.646	Nebraska	3,494,642
Indiana	1.035.066	Ohio	99,612
Iowa	26.513.031	South Dakota	1,227,107
Kansas	26.237	Wisconsin	4,203
Minnecote			

Weather Report for the Week Ended Aug. 24—The general summary of the weather bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture, indicating the influence of the weather for the week ended Aug. 24, follows:

Following a few days of respite from the persistently warm weather in the Miswest during the first part of the week there was a return to abnormally high temperatures near its close. Again, a large trans-Missispipi area had maximum temperatures tanging from 100 degrees to 104 degrees. In fact, all sections east of the Rocky Mountains had maxima as high as the middle 90's, except some Applachain Mountain sections, the extreme Northeast, the Lake region, and the extreme northwestern Great Plains.

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North Carolina—Raleigh: Some locally heavy rains, but not where late corn needs moisture. Otherwise, generally favorable for growing crops and harvesting those matured. Much hay and other forage saved in good condition. Progress of cotton generally good; blooming in east and south; scattered opening in southeast. Curing tobacco well advanced.

South Carolina—Columbia: Mostly fair, warm and sunshiny. Weather favorable for checking weevil, although much injury reported in some southern areas; cotton mostly good; opening rapidly at lower elevations, beginning in extreme northwest; picking and ginning good progress in south, picking begun in central; mostly moderate shedding. Haymaking and fodder pulling made favorable progress. Forage, truck and late corn need rain.

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Georgia—Atlanta: More favorable for cotton, but progress mostly poor account previous rains, weevil activity, and heavy shedding; too much stalk; little fruiting; some opening north of Atlanta; picking made good progress in south. Too dry and hot for most minor crops, especially truck, sweet potatoes, pastures, late corn, and late sorghums. Large pecan loss account scab.

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Florida—Jacksonville: Warm; light rains. Progress of cotton rather poor; condition fair; bolls opening; picking slow progress. Some corn still being harvested. Sweet potatoes mostly good. Preparing land for fall truck. Citrus groves good, but some localities need rain.

Alabama—Montgomery: Warm; light, scattered showers; much sunshine. Progress of cotton very good; condition fairly good to good, favorable for checking weevil; infestation heavy only locally; picking made good progress in south; becoming more general in middle. Corn, cane, sweet potatoes, truck and pastures good, but beginning to need rain.

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Mississippi—Vicksburg: Generally warm; little rain. Conditions moderately favorable for weevil; growth of late-planted cotton good, with fruiting poor; early planted opening well; picking and ginning slow advance. Progress of late-planted corn fair; some early planted being housed in extreme south. Miscellaneous crops fair to good advance.

Louisiana—New Orleans: Warm, dry week with abundant sunshine very favorable. Cotton opening rapidly and picking well under way; condition fair to good. Harvesting early rice and digging sweet potatoes. Good progress preparing land for fall crops. Wind and rains on 14-15th caused considerable loss of cotton in southwest and locally to central interior; early rice suffered considerable damage, but late crop only slight. Cane not seriously injured.

Texas—Houston: Warm; light rains in northwest, extreme west and in upper cost region; otherwise dry. Good progress preparing land for fall-wheat seeding in northwest. Corn matured, except late-planted which would be helped by rain. Progress and condition of cotton mostly good in south; bolling and opening rapidly in north under favorable conditions, but considerable deterioration reported due to previous frequent rains which favored insect activity and caused considerable shedding; most

cotton picked and ginned in extreme south and this work expanding nortnward. Pastures and truck good, except in extreme south where drought has injured all vegetation but cotton. Cattle good. Rice about normal; harvest well under way.

Oklahoma—Oklahoma City: Hot; moderate to excessive rains in east-central and northeast, but mostly light elsewhere; rain urgently needed in much of west and extreme south. Progress and condition of corn fair, except poor in dry areas; early being gathered. Considerable cotton deterioration in southwest and extreme south-central, but progress and condition fair to good elsewhere; opening rapidly and some picked in scattered areas; heavy shedding in extreme southwest. Pastures and minor crops need rain in much of west.

Arkansas—Little Rock: Progress of cotton fairly good to very good, due to abundant sunshine, dry weather in east and south and rains elsewhere first of week; still blooming and fruiting many localities; shedding locally in northeast; opening and picking under way, except in north; weather favorable for checking weevil most of week. Progress of late corn mostly good, due to recent rains. Favorable for pastures, rice, sweet potatoes, tomatoes and truck.

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Tennessee—Nashville: Progress and condition of corn good to excellent, early maturing rapidly, while much late just earing. Progress and condition of most cotton good; some complaint of too rapid growth; warm dry weather favorable and opening begun; slight shedding. Tobacco ripening rapidly; being cut; condition improved, but still some sweating in barns. Hay crops good to excellent. Considerable fall plowing.

THE DRY GOODS TRADE

New York, Friday Night, Aug. 26, 1938.

Improved weather conditions had a stimulating influence on the volume of retail business during the past week and loss ratios as compared with the corresponding period of 1937 narrowed further. Urban sections made the better relative narrowed further. Urban sections made the better relative showing, while business in rural districts and highly industrialized areas continued rather spotty. Cooler temperatures resulted in a moderate pickup of consumer interest in tures resulted in a moderate pickup of consumer interest in early fall apparel lines, whereas home furnishing and accessories remained neglected. Department store sales the country over for the week ended Aug. 13, according to the usual survey of the Federal Reserve Board, declined 12% from last year. For New York and Brooklyn stores the Federal Reserve Bank of New York reported a decrease in the volume amounting to 8.6%, while in Newark stores the decline was limited to 4.6%.

Trading in the wholesale dry goods markets remained quiet as merchants generally adhered to their previous policy of first awaiting the response of consumers to early fall offerings before embarking on any extended buying movement.

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Domestic Cotton Goods—Trading in the gray cloths markets commenced the period under review in its previous quiet fashion. Subsequently, however, a sharp expansion in sales developed, with the result that the weeks' volume exceeded current production by a considerable margin. While a firmer trend in the security markets and a slightly steadier undertone in raw cotton values were a factor, the chief impetus was furnished by reports that finished cottons were moving more freely and that large retail buyers displayed more willingness to cover forward requirements. Prices, after reaching new low levels early in the week, stiffened materially as mills showed little inclination to sell anything but spot shipments at present quotations. Business in fine goods continued quiet although later in the week inquiries for combed lawns broadened materially. A fair demand existed for slub poplins and voiles also moved in good volune. Closing prices in print cloths were as follows: 39-inch 80's, 6½ to 6%c.; 39 inch 72-76's, 6c.; 39-inch 68-72's, 5½c.; 38½-inch 64-60's, 4¾c.; 38½-inch 60-48's, 3½ to 4c.

Woolen Goods—Trading in men's wear fabrics remained quiet as between-season influences had a retarding effect on business. A feature of the week was the opening by a leading producer of next year's lines of tropical worsteds and gabardines with prices ranging 35c. to 40c. a yard under last year's levels. While considerable sampling was reported, little actual business developed, pending the showing of new collections by other producers. Reports from retail clothing centers made a somewhat better showing as cooler weather served to stimulate consumer interest in a number of special promotions. Business in women's wear goods was

weather served to stimulate consumer interest in a number of special promotions. Business in women's wear goods was less active, chiefly due to adverse seasonal influences. A moderate improvement was reported for dress fabrics, although the total volume of sales remained restricted. Coatings were in better demand.

Foreign Dry Goods-Trading in linens improved mod-Foreign Dry Goods—Trading in linens improved moderately as the feeling spread that an advance in prices was likely due to curtailed Russian flax exports. A factor contributing to the better sentiment was the earlier than usual start of buying of dress goods to be used in the manufacture of cruise and winter resort apparel. Business in burlap continued inactive as industrial users showed little interest in offerings, and the situation with regard to the curtailment program of Calcutta mills remained obscure. Domestically lightweights were quoted at 3.55c., heavies at 4.85c.

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News Items

Arizona-Election Scheduled on Homestead Exemptionthe next regular general election the voters of the State will pass on a proposal to amend the State Constitution so as to exempt from all taxation up to \$5,000 of the market value of real property used as a bona fide home, with all its necessary furnishings. The text of the new section will read as follows:

Section 2a. There shall be exempt from all taxation, other than special assessments for benefits to every head of a family who is a citizen of and resides in the State of Arizona, his and her real property used as a bona fide home and the necessary furnishings therein, up to the market value of five thousand dollars; provided however, that the title to said home may be vested in such head of a family or his lawful wife residing upon said property or in both and said title shall include the legal as well as the equitable beneficial title under bona fide contracts to purchase and the term head of a family shall include both married and single persons who actually reside on such property and that the title thereto may be held by the entireties or in common or jointly with others or as community property, but the valuation exempted to any one person or on any one parcel of property shall not exceed the market value of \$5,000.

This section shall be self-executing except that to entite such property owner to the exemption herein provided he shall file with the county and city assessor of the county and city where such property is situated an affidavit showing the facts entitling him to such exemption. The county and city assessor shall furnish the form of such affidavit, and take the oath thereto when requested, and without fees.

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Connecticut—Changes in List of Legal Investments—The following bulletin (No. 3), showing the latest revisions in the list of investments considered legal for savings banks in Connecticut, was issued by the State Bank Commissioner

Bridgeport Hydraulic Company—Series "H" 3½s, 1968
Central Illinois Light Company—First and consolidated 3½s, 1968
New York & Queens Electric Light & Power Company—
First and consolidated 3½s, 1965
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Public Service Electric & Gas Co.—First and refunding 3½s, 1968
Toledo Edison Company—First mortgage 3½s, 1968
Wilmington, Delaware.

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Indebtedness of Smaller Cities Discussed—Of 314 cities between 5,000 and 10,000 population reporting on indebtedness, eight had no debt of any kind and 18 others had no general funded debt, the International City Managers' Association reported on Aug. 24, from advance material received for a forthcoming study of American small cities.

The eight cities which have no debt are: Venice, III.; Red Oak, Ia.; Dayton, Ky.; Hastings, Mich.; Clinton and Webb City, Mo.; South Williamsport, Pa., and Menominee, Wis. The 18 cities with no general funded debt are: Prescott, Ariz.; Durango and La Junta, Colo; Cartersvine, Ga.; Batavia, Naperville and Wheaton, III.; Charlotte and Manistique, Mich.; Chillicothe, Mo.; Franklin, N. Y.; Kearney, Neb.; Galion and Greenville, Ohio; Anardarko and Stillwater, Okla., and Middetown and West York, Pa. Fourteen of the 314 small cities reported having \$1,000,000 or more general funded debt. Of these cities the following are in Florida: Bartow, Bradenton, Clearwater, Ft. Myers, Lake Worth, Miami Beach, Palatka and Winterhayen. The other cities are Haddonfield, Ocean City and Wildwood, N. J.; Bronxville and Larchmont, N. Y.; and Morristown, Tenn.

Of the cities that own and operate some utilities, 70 had no utility debt and 162 cities had a varying amount of such debt. Among the most common municipally-owned utilities are: electric light and distributing plants, gas plants, markets, sewage disposal plants and waterworks. In regard to unfunded debt 130 cities have none and 108 have some debt of this kind.

To the question, "Is special assessment debt a general obligation of cities?" 102 cities reported "Yes" and 102 cities reported "No," the others ont answering.

Personal data for 382 cities of 5,000 to 10,000 population are also given in the report with the names of the city clerks in each case and the numbers of full time police, firemen and regular officials and employees with the exception of schools. The report also gives detailed revenues and expenditures for 280

Massachusetts—Changes in List of Legal Investments— The following bulletin (No. 2), was issued as of Aug. 24 by the State Commissioner of Banks:

ADDED TO THE LIST OF JULY 1, 1938

Public Utilities—
As of Aug. 12, 1938, Indianapolis Power & Light Co. 1st mtge., 33/4s, 1968.
As of Aug. 15, 1938, the Toledo Edison Co. 1st mtge, 31/4s, 1968.

REMOVED FROM THE LIST

Gas, Electric and Water Company Bonds
Massachusetts Companies
Lawrence Gas & Electric Co., 1st mtge., 4½s, 1940, called as of Aug. 1, 1938.

New York State—Completed Constitution Approved—Ban Retained on Proportional Voting—The State Constitutional Convention on Aug. 25 approved the completed constitution, which it had consumed five months in drafting, according to Albany advices. The vote on the completed document is

said to have been 159 to 2.

Final approval was voted after a bitter fight to remove from the document the amendment sudgenly inserted last week which would declare proportional representation elections unconstitutional.

The text on removal of that nullification of the proportional representation referendum in New York City in the 1936 election was upon an appeal from

a ruling by Judge Frederick E. Crane, President of the convention, who announced, when the evening session began at 8:30, that he would not entertain a motion to reconsider proportional representation or any other provision in the assembled and printed document as it came from the Committee on Revision. Judge Crane's ruling was sustained by a vote \$5 to 75\$. with Republican adherents to the Tammqny-proportional representation deal standing their ground almost solidly, but with only six Democrats voting against the Chair.

The amendment to kill proportional representation, therefore, remains in the proposed new constitution, and the new move will be to have it submitted separately to the voters. The Committee on Submission which favored an eight-part submission, was prevented from reporting by a successful motion to adjourn until 10:30 a.m., on Aug. 26 for the purpose of consolidating the vote for a proposal to submit the constitution as a whole. There was to be a Republican conference at 10 a.m. at which the effort was to be made to accomplish rejection of the Submission committee's report. Efforts also were to be made to reestablish a sufficient Democratic alliance to that end to insure success.

The plan of convention leaders to continue on Aug. 25 until all tasks remaining before it had been cleared up were knocked into a cocked hat when William F. Bleakley, Westchester Republican, and Acting Majority Leader, made the motion to adjourn.

Half a dozen Republicans were on their feet to object, as well as several Democrats, including Senator Robert F. Wagner, Democratic Floor Leader Robert Moses, New York City Park Commissioner, demanded a slow roll call and readily obtained the 15 standees necessary to obtain such a vote. The session adjourned by a vote of 104 to 56, with 17 Republicans voting in the negative.

The following are the principal amendments proposed by the Constitutional Convention for submission to the vote of the people of the State:

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Reapportionment—Increase of the State Senate from 51 to 53 members and the Assembly from 150 to 159 members, apportioned on basis of one Assemblyman to each county and an additional Assemblyman for each 36,000 votes cast in the 1936 election for Governor. Senate districts would include no more than four counties.

Proportional Representation—Proportional representation system of elections, used only in New York City, declared unconstitutional.

Transit—New York City permitted to issue \$315,000,000 in bonds in excess of debt limit to acquire transit systems of the I. R. T. and the B.-M. T. and the Manhattan Ry., opening the way for unification.

10th Judicial District—Creation of a new judicial district, composed of Nassau and Suffolk counties, divorcing these counties from Kings, Queens and Richmond in the 2nd District. The new district will be the 10th.

Housing—Permission for the State and locality to use their credit to finance low-cost housing and slum-clearance projects, but providing protection of real estate from further burden by specifying that for every loan authorized by the Legislature taxes must be included to meet amortization charges. Authorization of a \$300,000,000 State bond issue for loans by the State for such purposes and a 2% addition to existing debt limit of cities for such purposes and a 2% addition to existing debt limit of cities for such purposes and a 2% addition to existing debt limit of cities for such purposes of the right to organize and bargain collectively; fixing of an eight-hour day, five-day week and prevailing wage rates on all public contracts.

Finance—Tightening of the State's financial set-up, giving the Governor an additional 15 days to submit his budget, requiring that he explain his estimates of revenue as well as expenditures; reducing maximum life of bonds from 50 to 40 years; permitting refund of State debts to obtain lower interest rates in bad times; broadening restriction of s

issues. Searches and Seizures—Guarantee of the right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects against unreasonable searches and seizures and against unreasonable interception of telephone and telegraph communications.

Grade Crossings—Elimination of the present constitutional provision requiring railroads to pay 50% of the cost of grade-crossing eliminations; provision that the State shall pay in the first instance but may recover from the railroad the entire cost of railroad improvements not essential to the elimination.

United States—Increase in Governmental Costs to Be Discussed—How governmental costs are increased as a result of real estate booms will be one of the principal subjects discussed at the Governmental Research Association's conference in Princeton, N. J., Sept. 7-10. Philip Cornick, of the Institute of Public Administration, New York City, a well-known authority on municipal finance and real estate taxation, will have charge of the session on this subject at the governmental research workers' conference.

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"Debt service and costs of operation and maintenance are fixed at a level which imposes onerous burdens without corresponding benefits on owners and occupants of the area. In extreme cases destitution for the owners, serious losses for the mortgagees, and municipal defaults are the almost inescapable results."

Those who have been especially invited to participate in this session are: Maurice Neufeld. Secretary of the New Jersey State Planning Board; Ernest Fisher, Director of Research of the Federal Housing Administration. Herbert S. Swan, Director of the Patterson Industrial Commission, and Homer Hoyt, of the research staff of the Federal Housing Administration. Other subjects scheduled for discussion at the Princeton meeting of the Governmental Research Association are: unemployment relief and its relationship to municipal finance; population trends and their effect on municipal and State services; planning and public housing developments, and charter and statutory controls over municipal financial and administrative practices.

Bond Proposals and Negotiations ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—BOND ELECTION—It is reported that an election will be held on Sept. 20 to have the voters pass on the proposed issuance of \$6,000,000 in bonds, divided as follows: \$4,000,000 school; \$1,420,000 city half; \$300,000 park; \$100,000 library; \$100,000 sanatorium, and \$80,000 fire station bonds.

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DECATUR, Ala.—BOND SALE—The \$312,000 issue of refunding bonds offered for sale on Aug. 18—V. 147, p. 1070—was awarded jointly to the Equitable Securities Corp. of Nashville, and King, Mohr & Co. of Birmingham, as 4s, paying a premium of \$4,035.00, equal to 101.293, according to the Assistant City Clerk,

DOTHAN, Ala.—BOND OFFERING—It is stated by I. P. Scarborough, City Clerk, that he will receive sealed bids until Sept. 6, for the purchase of an issue of \$108.000 4½% semi-ann. general obligation bonds.

TALLADEGA, Ala.—BOND SALE—J. Mills Thornton, of Montgomery, and the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, joined in purchasing on Aug. 23 an issue of \$63,000 4% school bonds of 1935 at a price of 95.65. Dated July 1, 1935 and due serially on July 1 from 1941 to 1964, incl.

ARIZONA

PIMA COUNTY (P. O. Tucson) Ariz.—BOND SALE—The two issues of bonds aggregating \$443,000, offered for sale on Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 773—were awarded to Kirby L. Vidrine & Co. of Phoenix, and associates, as divided as follows:

were awarded to Kirby L. Vidrine & Co. of Phoenix, and associates, as 234s, according to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors. The issues are divided as follows:

\$225,000 School District No. 1 bonds. Due \$28,000 from 1941 to 1947, and \$29,000 in 1948.

218,000 Tucson High School District No. 1 bonds. Due as follows: \$2,000, 1939 to 1941; \$29,000, 1942; \$30,000, 1943 to 1945, and \$31,000. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. These bonds were approved by the voters at an election held on July 14. Prin. and int. payable at the County Treasurer's office. The approving opinion of Pershing, Nye, Tallmadge, Bonds of Penver, will be furnished.

BONDS OFFERED FOR INVESTMENT—The successful bidders reoffered the above bonds for public subscription at prices to yield from 1.50% to 2.60%, according to maturity.

Successful bid was 100.27 on the above interest rate, a basis of about 2.70%. Other bids:

Bidder—

Int. Rate Rate Bid John Nuveen & Co., et al. 2.90% 100.03

Refsnes, Ely, Beck & Co., Phoenix; Boettcher & Co., 20% 100.03

Refsnes, Ely, Beck & Co., Inc. 3% 100.57

Mackey, Dunn & Co., Inc. 34% 100.26

R. W. Pressprich & Co. and Brown, Schlessman, Owen & Co., Denver ... 34% 100.569

ARKANSAS

CALIFORNIA

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY (P. O. Martinez) Calif.—SCHOOL BOND OFFERINGS—Sealed bids will be received until 11 a, m. on Sept. 6, by S. C. Wells, County Clerk, for the purchase of two issues of bonds aggregating \$77,000, divided as follows:

\$55,000 Brentwood Deer Valley Union School District bonds. Due from Aug. 15, 1943 to 1958 incl.

22,000 San Ramon Valley Union High School District bonds. Due from Aug. 15, 1939 to 1949 incl.

Denom. \$1,000. Dated Aug. 15, 1938. Said bonds will be sold to the highest and most responsible bidder for cash and lowest net interest to the district, not to exceed 4% per annum.

Said bonds will be sold for cash, lawful money of the United States, for not less than par and accrued interest to date of delivery, and each bid must state that the bidder offers par and accrued interest to date of delivery and state separately the premium, if any, offered for bonds for waich the bid is made.

Certified or Casnier's check for a sum not less than 5% of par value of bonds bid for, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the County must accompany each bid.

Said bonds will be ready for delivery on or about Oct. 1, and will be delivered at the office of the County Treasurer.

The San Ramon Valley Union High School District has been acting as a school district under the laws of the State of California continuously since Jan., 1910.

The assessed valuation of the taxable property of the San Ramon Valley Union High School District for the year 1938 is \$3,470,540.00, and that the said San Ramon Valley Union High School District has no outstanding indebtedness,

The legal opinion of Orrick, Dahlquist, Neff & Herrington of San Francisco as to the validity of said bonds, will be delivered to the successful bidder free of charge. No conditional bids will be considered.

IMPERIAL COUNTY (P. O. El Centro), Calif.—CALEXTCO SCHOOL BOND SALE—The \$25,000 issue of Calexico Union High School District bonds offered for sale on Aug. 20.—V. 147, p. 1225—was purchased by the to 1950.

KINGS COUNTY (P. O. Hanford), Calif.—CORCORAN SCHOOL BONDS PUBLICLY OFFERED.—Donnellan & Co. of San Francisco, are offering for general investment the following Corcoran High School District bonds aggregating \$158,000:

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\$143,000 3½% school bonds. Due on Aug. 15 as follows: \$5,000 in 1941;
\$6,000, 1942; \$10,000, 1943 to 1945; \$12,000, 1946, and \$15,000, 1947 to 1952.

15,000 3% school bonds. Due on Aug. 15, 1953.

Denom. \$1,000. Dated Aug. 15, 1938. Principal and interest (F. & A.) payable in lawful money at the County Treasurer's office. The bonds are being offered subject to the approving opinion of Orrick, Dahlquist, Neff & Herrington of San Francisco.

MONTEREY COUNTY (P. O. Salinas), Calif.—ALISAL SCHOOL BONDS OFFERED—The \$48,000 issue of Alisal Union School District bonds awarded on Aug. 15 to the Salinas National Bank of Salinas as 3s, at 100.647, a basis of about 2.94%, as noted here on Aug. 20—V. 147, 1225—are being offered by Heller, Bruce & Co. of San Francisco, for public subscription at prices to yield from 1.00% to 3.15%, according to maturity. Due \$2,000 from Sept. 1, 1939 to 1962, incl.

The following is an official list of the bids received on the above bonds:

NEVADA COUNTY (P. O. Nevada City), Calif.—GRASS VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL BOND SALE—The \$125,000 Grass Valley High School District bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1225—were awarded to R. H. Moulton & Co. of Los Angeles, as 3½s. for a premium of \$1,025, equal to 101.205, a basis of about 3.08%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due Sept. 1 as follows: \$4,000, 1939 to 1941 incl.; \$5,000, 1942 to 1944 incl.; \$6,000 from 1945 to 1952 incl. and \$5,000 in 1953 and 1954.

SAN FRANCISCO, (City and County), Calif.—BOND ELECTION—We are informed by David A. Barry, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, that an election will be held on Sept. 27 in order to have the voters pass on the proposed issuance of a Public Works Administration bond program totaling \$30,840,000.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.—NEW CITY TAX RATE TENTATIVELY STABLISHED—A dispatch from San Francisco to the "Wall Street Journal" of Aug. 24 reported as follows:

The City Board of Supervisors by a vote of 8 to 1, have given first passage to an ordinance establishing San Francisco tax rate for the current fiscal year at \$4.04 up 17 cents from last year. Supervisors disregarded possibility that the city may face an injunction to stop its power delivery from Hetch Hetchy plant to Pacific Gas, which it is estimated would create a deficiency in revenue equal to about 15 cents on the tax rate.

New tax rate will be given final passage two weeks hence when supervisors have voted authority to sell \$8,000,000 tax anticipation warrants.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY (P. O. Santa Barbara), Calif.—

Visors have voted authority to sell \$8,000,000 tax anticipation warrants.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY (P. O. Santa Barbara), Calif.—
WASIOJA SCHOOL BOND SALE POSTPONED—It is stated by J. E.
Lewis, County Clerk, that the sale of the \$8,000 issue of 4% semi-ann.
Wasioja School District bonds, originally scheduled for Aug. 22, as noted here—V. 147, p. 1225—will be held on Sept. 6. Dated Aug. 1, 1938.
Due \$400 from Aug. 1, 1940 to 1959 incl. A certified check for 3% of the par value of the bonds, payable to the County Treasurer, must accompany the bid.

company the bid.

TULARE COUNTY (P.O. Visalia), Calif.—EXETER SCHOOL BOND BIDS—The following is an official list of the other bids received for the \$65,000 Exeter School District bonds awarded on Aug. 16 to the Security—First National Bank of Los Angeles, as described in our issue of Aug. 20—V. 147, p. 1225:

Redfield & Co., Los Angeles, 3½%, premium of \$455; William R. Staats & Co., Los Angeles, 3½%, premium of \$505; Dean Witter & Co., San Francisco, 3¼%, premium of \$122; R. H. Moulton & Co., San Francisco, 3¼%, premium of \$122; R. H. Moulton & Co., San Francisco, 3½%, premium of \$16; Bankamerica Co., San Francisco, 3½%, premium of \$271; Donnellan & Co., and Howell, Douglass & Co., San Francisco, maturities 1940 to 1958, incl., 3½%, balance 3%, premium \$22.10; Kaiser & Co., San Francisco, maturities 1940 to 1944 incl., 5%, balance 3%, premium of \$28, and Blythe & Co., San Francisco, maturities 1940 to 1947 incl. 4%, balance 3%, premium of \$15.

TULARE COUNTY (P. O. Visalia), Calif.—VISALIA SCHOOL

TULARE COUNTY (P. O. Visalia), Calif.—VISALIA SCHOOL BOND SALE—The \$119,000 issue of Visalia School District bonds offered for sale on Aug. 24—V. 146, p. 1225—were awarded to Kaiser & Co. of San Francisco, as 3s, paying a price of 100.023, a basis of about 2.997%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due from Sept. 1, 1941 to 1961 incl.

WHITTIER, Calif.—BONDS DEFEATED—At an election held on Aug. 9 the voters rejected the proposed issuance of \$95,000 in storm drain and sewer main bonds.

COLORADO

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo.—TENTATIVE BOND SALE—The \$110, 000 issue of sewage disposal plant bonds offered for sale on Aug. 17—V. 147, p. 1070—was awarded to a group headed by Sidlo, Simons, Roberts & Co. of Denver, on a 10-day option, as 2.60s, at a price of 100.2273, a basis of about 2.57%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due from 1941 to 1953 incl Associated with the above firm in the highest bid is the J. K. Mullen Investment Co., and McCabe, Hanifen & Co., both of Denver.

Two other groups submitted bids for the bonds; the next best offer being 100.04 on 2.7us, tendered by Peters, Writer & Christensen, Inc. of Denver, and associates; the other bid an offer of 100.26 on 23/s, tendered by Sullivan & Co. of Denver, et al.

van & Co. of Denver, et al.

LARAMIE COUNTY DISTRICT NO. 5 (P. O. Fort Collins), Colo.

BOND OFFERING.—Sealed bids will be received until 4 p.m. on Aug. 29, by Harry B. McCreary, Secretary of the Board of Directors, for the purchase of a \$75,000 issue of building bonds. Interest rate is not to exceed 3%, payable M. & S.

Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 1, as follows: \$3,000 in 1943 to 1947, \$4,000 in 1948 to 1953 and \$12,000 in 1954 to 1956. These bonds were authorized at an election held on Aug. 2, by a vote of 311 to 192. Prin. and int. payable at the County Treasurer's office. The approving opinion of Myles P. Talimadge of Denver, will be furnished. Enclose a certified check for \$1,000.

CONNECTICUT

DANBURY, Conn.—BOND SALE—The \$55,000 134% high school bonds offered Aug. 20—V. 147, p. 1226—were awarded to Burr & Co., Inc., New York, at par plus a premium of \$569.95, equal to 101.036, a basis of about 1.57%. Dated Aug. 1, 1938 and due \$5,000 on Aug. 1 from 1939 to 1949 incl. Other bids:

Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc. 100.812
Maples & Goldschmidt. 100.562

MANCHESTER EIGHT SCHOOL AND UTILITIES DISTRICT, Conn.—BOND SALE.—Paine, Webber & Co. of Hartford purchased at private sale recently an issue of \$40,000 134 % sewage treatment plant bonds at par and premium of \$20, equal to 100.05. Denom. \$1,000. Due in 20 years. Principal and interest payable at the First National Bank of Boston. Legality approved by Ropes, Gray, Boyden & Perkins of Boston.

WESTON, Conn.—BOND OFFERING.—Chester G. Coley, First Selectman, will receive sealed bids until 11 a. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 30 for the purchase of \$30,000 coupon school improvement bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Registerable as a principal only or as to both principal and interest. Bonds will mature \$3,000 on Aug. 1 from 1939 to 1948 incl. Bidder to name one rate of interest in a multiple of ¼ of 1%. Principal and interest (F. & A.) payable at the First National Bank of Boston. These bonds will be valid general obligations of the town and all its taxable property will be subject to the levy of unlimited ad valorem taxes to pay both principal and interest. They will be engraved under the supervision of and authenticated as to genuineness by The First National Bank of Boston; and their legality will be approved by Ropes, Gray, Boyden & Perkins of Boston, whose opinion will be furnished the purchaser. All legal papers incident to this issue will be flew this said bank where they may be inspected. Bonds will be delivered to the purchaser on or about Sept. 9, 1938, at The First National Bank of Boston, 67 Milk Street Office, Boston, against payment in Boston funds.

Financial Statement Aug. 15, 1938

Last grand list. 190,000.00

Water debt. 190,000.00

Water debt. 190,000.00

FLORIDA

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DUVAL COUNTY (P. O. Jacksonville), Fla.—BOND ELECTION—
The Jacksonville "Times-Union" of Aug. 20 carried the following report:
"The Duval Board of County Commissioners yesterday called an election for Sept. 20 during which freeholders of the county will express their wishes as to the issuance of \$3,192,000 in public works bonds.
"If the bonds are approved, Federal gifts totaling \$4,453,281 have been assured, it was pointed out.
"The formal election call came in the adoption of five lengthy resolutions prepared for the board by County Attorney Julian E. Fant. The resolutions have been approved by the New York City and Jacksonville legal firms retained as special counsel for the bond election, it has been announced.
"The voting machines on Sept. 20 will carry the Commission's recommendations in four questions, as follows:

"Shall Duval County, Fla., issue bonds of the county in the amount of \$742,000 for the purpose of constructing paved, macadamized or other hard-surfaced highways in the county?

"Shall Duval County, Fla., issue bonds of the county in the amount of \$355,000 for the purpose of erecting an annex to the Duval County courthouse?

FLORIDA BONDS

Clyde C. Pierce Corporation

Barnett National Bank Building

JACKSONVILLE

Branch Office: TAMPA

First National Bank Building T. S. Pierce, Resident Manager

FLORIDA

Shall Duval County, Fla., issue bonds of the county in the amount \$95,000 for the purpose of enlarging the armory building in Duval

of \$95,000 for the purpose of enlarging the armoly County?

"Shall Duval County, Fla., issue bonds of the county in the amount of \$2,000,000 for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the St. Johns-River in said county from a point between Adams Street and Jessie Street in the City of Jacksonville, Fla., to a point between County Road No. 15 in the Arlington section and the mouth of the Arlington River in Duval County?"

County?"

County Proposition County (P. O. Tampa), Fla.—BOND ELECTION COUNTY (P. O. Tampa), Fla.—BOND ELECTION COUNTY (P. O. Tampa)

County?"

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY (P. O. Tampa), Fla.—BOND ELECTION CANCELED—We are informed by the County Clerk that the election which had been scheduled for Aug. 23 to vote on the issuance of \$100,000 in county hospital bonds—V. 147, p. 604—was called off.

SUMTER COUNTY (P. O. Bushnell) Fla.—BOND TENDERS INVITED—It is stated by C. M. Winton, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, that he will receive sealed offerings until Sept. 6, at 10 a, m., of road and bridge refunding bonds, dated July 1, 1932. The amount of bonds to be purchased will be determined by the above Chairman. Offerings must be firm for at least 10 days in order to be considered.

TAMPA, Fla.—BOND ISSUANCE CONTEMPLATED—It is reported that a firm of New York municipal bond attorneys have been engaged to handle the financing details incident to the issuance of sewer bonds for a project which will cost about \$5.350,000.

GEORGIA

AUGUSTA, Ga.—BOND ELECTION—It is reported that an election will be held on Sept. 9 in order to vote on the proposed issuance of \$209,000 in 3% municipal auditorium bonds.

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ROME, Ga.—BOND ELECTION—It is said that an election will be held
on Sept. 28 in order to pass on the issuance of the following bonds aggregating \$395,000, which failed of passage at an election held on Aug. 12:
\$245,000 water, and \$150,000 school bonds.

SWAINSBORO SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Swainsboro), Ga.—
BOND OFFERING—It is stated by R. H. Humphrey, District Secretary,
that he will receive bids until 11 a. m. on Sept. 5, for the purchase of a
\$60,000 issue of 4% semi-ann. school bonds. Denom. \$1,000. Dated
Oct. 1, 1938. Due \$2,000 from Oct. 1, 1939 to 1968 incl.

THOMASVILLE, Ga.—PRE-ELECTION SALE—It is reported that \$107,000 city hall bonds were purchased by the Trust Co. of Georgia, of Atlanta, subject to the outcome of an election scheduled for Sept. 20.

IDAHO

BOUNDARY COUNTY (P. O. Bonners Ferry), Idaho—BOND SALE DETAILS—It is now reported by the County Auditor that the \$50,000 court house bonds purchased by a syndicate headed by Richards & Blum of Spokane, as 3½s, and 4s, as noted here—V. 147, p. 1071—were sold for a price of 100.03, a net interest cost of about 3 87%, on the bonds divided as follows: \$10,000 as 3½s, maturing in 1944; the remaining \$40,000 as 4s, maturing in 1958.

maturing in 1958.

JEFFERSON COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.

3 (P. O. Roberts) Idaho—BOND SALE—The \$40,000 issue of high school building bonds offered for sale on Aug. 19—V. 147, p. 1226—was purchased by Ure, Pett & Morris of Salt Lake City, according to the District Clerk. No other bid was re eived. Dated July 1, 1938. Due \$2,000 from July 1, 1939 to 1958 incl. The winning offer was a bid on 34% bonds of \$27.50 premium, equal to 100.06875, a basis of about 3.74%.

ILLINOIS

CHICAGO, III.—\$4,700,000 CERTIFICATE ISSUE PUBLICLY OFFERED—Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., New York, and associates are making public offering of a new issue of \$4,700,000 3% water revenue certificates of indebtedness at prices to yield 2.50% for all maturities. Banking group's announcement appears on page VI. The certificates, awarded on Aug. 19—V. 147, p. 1226—mature \$1,100,000 on Aug. 1 in 1956 and 1957; \$500,000 on Aug. 15 in years 1955, 1956 and 1957, and \$1,000,000 Aug. 15, 1958. The securities, according to counsel to the bankers, constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the city, payable solely from revenues derived from the water works system of the city and not otherwise. The city covenants to maintain rates for water sufficient to pay the cost of maintenance and operation of the system and to pay the principal and interest upon all outstanding certificates, and pledges that such rates shall not be reduced while any certificates remain unpaid. Fixed assets of the system are carried on the city's books at a value of \$151,660,594, which figure represents actual cost. As of Aug. 19, 1933, water works system certificates of indebtedness outstanding, including current offering, amounted to \$24,792,000.

In addition to the successful bid of Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc. and associates, which was a price of 106.34, four other syndicates competed for the loan, as follows:

DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS, III.—BOND SALE—William Harris, Clerk of the Board of Education, informs us that the board recently accepted an offer from the White Phillips Corp. of Davenport, of par and interest at 2% for the \$125,000 school building bonds voted in May, 1938.

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DECATUR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61, III.—BONDS PURCHASED—An issue of \$125,000 2% building bonds was sold to the Harris Trust & Savings Bank of Chicago. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due oct. 1 as follows: \$11,000. 1941 to 1943 incl.: \$12,000. 1944; \$13,000 from 1945 to 1948 incl. and \$14,000 in 1949 and 1950. Principal and interest (A. & O.) payable at the Citizens National Bank, Decatur. Legality to be approved by Chapman & Cutler of Chicago.

DRUMMER TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Gibson City), III.—BOND SALE DETAILS—The \$14,000 3½% construction bonds mentioned in—V. 147. p. 1226—were purchased by the Midland Securities Co. of Chicago, and mature \$2,000 each year from 1941 to 1947 incl.

EDINBURG, III.—BOND SALE—The \$34,700 bonds offered Aug. 17—

EDINBURG, III.—BOND SALE—The \$34.700 bonds offered Aug. 17—. 147, p. 605—were sold to the White-Phillips Corp. of Davenport, as blows:

follows: \$16.700 5% general obligation water works bonds, at par. Due July 1 as follows: \$1,000 from 1940 to 1955 incl. and \$700 in 1956.

18,000 4% revenue water bonds, at a price of 95.12, a basis of about 4.50%. Due July 1 as follows: \$500 from 1941 to 1944 incl. and \$1,000 from 1945 to 1960 incl.

Each issue is dated July 1, 1938. Lewis, Pickett & Co., bid par for the 5s and 95 for the 4s; Municipal Bond Corp., offered prices of par and 94 for the respective issues. Ballman & Main of Chicago also competed for the

GENESEO, III.—BONDS SOLD—The \$10,000 3% hospital bonds authorized at the Aug. 19 election have been sold to a local bank.

GIFFORD GRADE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 188 (P. O. Gifford), Buttle-PluRCHASER—The White-Phillips Corp. of Davenport purchased the issue of \$20,000 3½% school building bonds mentioned in V. 147, p. 1226.

GLEN CARBON, III.—BONDS VOTED—The Village Clerk states that the proposed issue of \$16,000 water plant construction bonds carried by a vote of 254 to 58 at the Aug. 16 election. They will bear 6% interest and mature in 20 years.

JACKSONVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 117, III.—MATURITY
—The \$85,000 2½ % school bldg. bonds awarded to the Mercantile Commerce Bank & Trust Co., St. Louis at a price of 106,487 as reported in V. 147, p. 1226, mature Aug. 1 as follows: \$5,000. 1945; \$6,000, 1946; \$6,000, 1946; \$7,000, 1947; \$8,000, 1948; 9,000 in 1949, and \$10,000 from 1950 to 1954 incl. Basis cost about 2.13%.

MOUNT VERNON, III.—BOND ISSUE CONTRACT—C. W. McNear Co. of Chicago have contracted to purchase an issue of city hall building onds, subject to approval of loan at the Sept. 20 election.

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PERU, III.—BONDS OFFERED—Mayor Albert Hasse announced that sealed bids would be received at his office until 7:30 p. m. on Aug. 26 for the purchase of \$150,000 sewerage system bonds or certificates, under the following conditions:

No. 1. Certificates or bonds to be payable solely from the revenues derived from the operation of the sewerage system.

No. 2. Certificates or bonds to be payable solely from the revenues derived from the operation of the said sewerage system and from the Water Department of the City Plant.

No. 3. The bonds or certificates under No. 1 to mature in 30 years.

No. 4. The bonds or certificates under No. 1 to mature in 40 years.

No. 5. The bonds or certificates under No. 2 to mature in 30 years.

No. 6. The bonds or certificates under No. 2 to mature in 30 years.

No. 7. The bonds or certificates under No. 2 to mature in 30 years.

No. 7. The bonds or certificates to be issued in the total sum of \$150,000, interest to be payable semi-annually, and each of said bonds or certificates to have a reservation permitting the retirement thereof, in inverse order, on any interest paying date.

In submitting your bids you will submit them under the foregoing numbers for more convenient tabulations.

In submitting bids each bidder must specify that if the bonds or certificates are awarded to the bidder such bidder will have prepared all of the necessary documents of all kinds, including the ordinance or ordinances, the printing of the bonds, the coupons thereto attached, and any and all other legal documents to give the bonds or certificates legal effect, together with the opinion as to the legality of said issue as prepared by Chapman & Cutler, Esqs., of Chicago.

Further, in submitting your bids you must submit them for par, state the rate of interest you require, and the premium you will pay for the issue.

RAMSEY, III.—PRE-ELECTION SALE—An issue of \$5,000 s

RAMSEY, III.—PRE-ELECTION SALE—An issue of \$5,000 street improvement bonds was sold to the Ramsey National Bank, subject to result of election on Aug. 26.

STREATOR, III.—BOND SALE—A group composed of Paine, Webber & Co., Chicago, Stifel. Nicolaus & Co., St. Louis and C. W. McNear & Co., Chicago, purchased an issue of \$231,000 31/4% sewer disposal plant construction bonds.

SYCAMORE COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. ycamore), Ill.—BOND SALE DETAILS—The \$45,000 construction and mentioned in V. 147, p. 1226, were purchased by T. E. Joiner & Co. Chicago as 3s and mature serially from 1941 to 1953, incl.

of Chicago as 3s and mature serially from 1941 to 1953, incl.

WEST FRANKFORT SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 68, III.—BOND OFFERING—R. 8. Haff, Secretary of the Board of Education, will receive sealed bids until 7:30 p. m. on Aug. 31 for the purchase of \$55,000 4% building fund bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Due Jan. 1, 1958; optional Jan. 1 as follows: \$2,000, 1941 to 1948 incl.; \$4,000 from 1949 to 1954 incl. and \$5,000 from 1955 to 1957 incl. Interest J. & J.

WOODSTOCK, III.—CORRECTION—The City Clerk reports that an issue of \$60,000 sewage disposal plant bonds is not contemplated, as was erroneously noted in V. 147, p. 1071.

INDIANA

ALBION TOWNSHIP (P. O. Albion), Ind.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids addressed to Guy Hardenbrook, Trustee, will be received until 1 p.m. (Central Standard Tirre) on Sept. 2 for the purchase of \$37,000 not to exceed 4½% interest building bonds, divided as follows: \$20,000 School Building bonds, Denom. \$1,000. Due \$1,000 on June 30 and Dec. 30 from 1939 to 1948 incl.

17,000 Civil Building bonds. Denom. \$550. Due \$1,700 on Dec. 30 from 1939 to 1948 incl.

from 1939 to 1948 incl.

All of the bonds will be dated July 30, 1938. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a n ultiple of ½ of 1%. Interest J. & D. 30. Bonds are the direct obligations of the School and Civil Townships, respectively, payable out of unlin ited ad valorem taxes to be levied on all of the taxable property of each unit. Legal opinion of Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis will be furnished the successful bidder. Delivery of bonds will be made in about 12 days after the sale.

CROWN POINT SCHOOL CITY (P. O. Crown Point), Ind.—BOND SALE DETAILS—The Commrcial Bank of Crown Point paid a price of par for the \$25.000 2% bldg. bonds mentioned in V. 147. p. 1227. They mature \$3,000 from 1941 to 1947 Incl. and \$4,000 in 1948.

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EAST CHICAGO, Ind.—BOND OFFERING—M. A. McCorrick, City Controller, will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. (Daylight Saving Time) on Aug. 29 for the purchase of \$39,000 not to exceed 3½ % interest series A construction bonds of 1938. Dated Aug. 16, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$3,000 on Jan. 1 from 1940 to 1952, incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Interest J. & J. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to the order of the city, must accompany each proposal. The bonds are direct obligations of the city, payable out of general taxes. City will furnish the legal opinion of Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis.

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GREEN SCHOOL TOWNSHIP (P. O. R. R. 1, Martinsville), Ind.

-BOND OFFERING—Cozzie E. St. John, Trustee, will receive sealed bids
until 10:30 a. m. (Central Standard Time) on Sept. 10 for the purchase of
\$12.100 not to exceed \$4\forall \$%\$ interest school building bonds. Dated Aug. 1,
1938. One bond for \$600, others \$500 each. Due as follows: \$500,
July 1, 1939; \$500, Jan. 1 and July 1 from 1940 to 1950 incl. and \$600
Jan. 1, 1951. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in multiples of \$\forall delta fill of the township, must accompany each proposal. Legal
opinion of Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis will be furnshed the successful bidder. The bonds are direct obligations of the township, payable from unlimited taxes. No conditional bids will be received
and the bonds will be ready for delivery within 12 days after the sale.

INDIANAPOLIS SCHOOL CITY, Ind.—BOND OFFERING—A. B.

and the bonds will be ready for delivery within 12 days after the sale.

INDIANAPOLIS SCHOOL CITY, Ind.—BOND OFFERING—A. B. Good, Business Director Board of Scnool Commissioners, will receive sealed bids until noon (Central Standard Time) on Sept. 6, for the purchase of \$150,000 not to exceed 5% interest high school addition bonds. Dated Sept. 12, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due as follows: \$5,000 Jan. 1 and \$10,000 July 1, 1941; \$5,000 Jan. 1 and July 1, 1942; \$10,000 on Jan. 1 in 1944, 1945 and 1948; \$15,000 Jan. 1 from 1949 to 1952. incl.; \$10,000 Jan. 1, 1953, and \$5,000 on Jan. 1 from 1956 to 1959, incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in multiple of ½ of 1%. Interest J. & J. A certified check for 3% of the bonds, payable to the order of the Board of School Commissioners, must accompany each proposal. Successful bidder to determine validity of loan.

INDIANAPOLIS. Ind.—NOTE OFFERING—H. Nathan Swaim Acting

to determine validity of loan.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—NOTE OFFERING—H. Nathan Swaim, Acting City Controller, will receive sealed bids until 11 a. m. on Sept. 9 for the purchase of \$100,000 not to exceed 6% interest notes or warrants, to be issued on behalf of and for the use and benefit of the Sanitary District of Indianapolis and the Board of Public Works and Sanitation thereof. Obligations will include \$50,000 dated Sept. 10, 1938, and \$50,000 Oct. 11, 1938, all due on Nov. 10, 1938. Interest payable at maturity. Notes or warrants shall be payable to the bearer thereof at the County Treasurer's office, Indianapolis, or at one of the authorized depositaries in that city. They will be payable solely out of taxes actually levied and now in process of collection under Section 21 of an Act of the Indiana General Assen, bly of 1917, which deals with the creation and functions of public sanitation departments in cities of the first class.

LOGANSPORT SCHOOL CITY, Ind.—BOND OFFERING—The Board of School Trustees will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. (Central Standard Time) on Sept. 1, for the purchase of \$200,000 not to exceed 4% interest school building bonds. Dated Aug. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$6,000 Feb. 1 and Aug. 1 from 1941 to 1956, incl. and \$8,000 Feb. 1, 1957. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of \$4 of 1%. Interest F. & A. 1. A certified check for \$5,000, payable to the order of the School City, must accompany each proposal. Successful bidder to accept delivery and pay for bonds within five days after notification of award. Delivery to be made at any bank in Logansport designated by the purchaser. The bonds are direct obligations of the issuer, payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes. Legal opinion fo Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis will be furnished the successful bidder. No conditional bids will be considered.

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MADISON COUNTY (P. O. Anderson), Ind.—BOND OFFERNIG—
John J. Reddington, County Auditor, will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m.
on Sept. 12 for the purchase of \$100,000 not to exceed 3% interest series B
of 1938 advancement fund bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000.
Due \$10,000 on June 1 and Dec. 1 from 1939 to 1943, incl. Bidder to name
a single rate of interest, expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Interest J. & D.
A certified check for 3% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the
Board of County Commissioners, must accompany each proposal. Legal
opinion of Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis will be furnished the successful bidder. No conditional bids will be considered and
the bonds will be ready for delivery in about 10 days after the sale. They
are issued pursuant to Chapter 117 of Acts of 1935, to meet poor relief requirements of various townships in the county, and are the direct obligations of the county, payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes on all of its

PERRY SCHOOL TOWNSHIP (P. O. 4302 Madison Ave. Perry.

PERRY SCHOOL TOWNSHIP (P. O. 4302 Madison Ave., Perry Township), Ind.—BOND OFFERING—Leonard A. Hohlt, trustee, will receive sealed bids until 7:30 p. m. on Sept. 12, for the purchase of \$54,500 not to exceed 4½% interest school building bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due as follows: \$2,000 July 1, 1939; \$2,000 Jan. 1 and July 1 from 1940 to 1951, incl.; \$2,000 Jan. 1 and \$2,500 July 1, 1952. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in multiples of ¼ of 1%. Interest J. & J. The bonds are direct obligations of the township, payable out of ad valorem taxes within the limits prescribed by law. Legal opinion of Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis will be furnished the successful bidder. No conditional bids will be considered and delivery of bonds will be made within 10 days after the sale.

PERU, Ind.—BOND SALE—The City Securities Corp. of Indianapolis purchased an issue of \$220,000 sewage disposal plant construction bonds, according to report.

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ST. JOHN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL TOWNSHIP (P. O. Dyer), Ind.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids addressed to Paul T. Gettler, Trustee, will be received until 1 p. m. on Oct. 4 for the purchase of \$40,000 not to exceed 5% interest building bonds. Dated Sept. 15, 1938. Denom. \$500. Due July 15 as follows: \$1,500 July 15, 1940; \$1,500 Jan. 15 and \$2,500 July 15, 1945; and \$2,500 Jan. 15 and July 15 from 1946 to 1950 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of \$4 of 1%. Interest J. & J. 15. Bonds are direct obligations of the township, payable from ad valorem taxes on all of its taxable property within the limits prescribed by law. Legal opinion of Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis will be furnished the successful bidder. Bonds will be delivered about 10 days after the sale.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL TOWNSHIP (P. O. Roll), Ind.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by Trustee B. F. Alexander until 11 a. m. (Central Standard Time) on Sept. 6 for the purchase of \$31,900 not to exceed 4% interest building bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Denoms. \$600 and \$500. Due \$1,100 June 15 and Dec. 15 from 1939 to 1952, incl., and \$1,100 June 15, 1953. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in multiple of \$6 of 1%. Interest J. & D. The bonds are payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes and the approving legal opinion of Matson, Ross, McCord & Clifford of Indianapolis will be furnished the successful bidder. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to the order of the township, must accompany each proposal.

ZIONSVILLE, Ind.—BOND OFFERING—D. K. Mills, Town Clerk-Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. on Sept. 6, for the purchase of \$10,000 not to exceed 4½% interest street construction and drainage bonds. Dated July 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000.

IOWA

ALTONA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Altona), Iowa—BOND OFFERING—It is stated by the President of the Board of Education that he will receive bids until 8 p. m. on Sept. 6, for the purchase of a \$20,000 issue of school addition bonds. These bonds were approved by the voters at an election held on Aug. 10.

BLACK HAWK COUNTY (P. O. Waterloo), Iowa—BOND OFFERING—Anna M. Decker, County Treasurer, will receive bids up to 1.30 p. m. on Sept. 6, for the purchase of an issue of \$100,000 funding bonds. The bonds are to be issued to take up outstanding warrants on Sept. 1, 1938 on the following funds, estimated to be as follows: Poor fund (approximately), \$90,000 and juvenile court, \$10,000.

Bonds to be of denominations of \$1,000 each, dated Sept. 1, 1938. Interest rate will be determined at the time of making award and will be in accord with purchaser's bid. Interest payable March and September. Principal, Sept. 1.

Each bidder must file certified check or draft in favor of the County Treasurer in an amount not less than 3% of the amount of bonds offered. Successful bidder must furnish printed bonds and the legality of the issue. It is suggested that the purchaser have form of resolution which can be passed on date of sale to enable early delivery of bonds. Bonds will be delivered to purchaser at Waterloo, Iowa.

Maturities will be as follows, with all payments at the County Treasurer's office: 1940, \$3,000; 1941, \$3,000; 1943, \$2,000; 1944, \$5,000; 1946, \$5,000; 1949, \$12,000; 1950, \$10,000; 1951, \$10,000; 1952, \$10,000; 1953, \$10,000; 1954, \$10,000, 1955, \$10,000, and 1956, \$10,000.

Black Hawk County Statistics	
1937 assessed value real estate	59,318,755
Taxable value real estate	59.318.755
Taxable value monies and credits	9.337.139
Acreage	
Bonded debt Aug. 31, 1938—Miscellaneous funding	340,143
Primary road bonds	*724,000
Population, 69,146.	1,158,000
r obergerout object.	

*Sept. 1, 1938 proposed issue of \$100,000 not included.

DALLAS CENTER, Iowa—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by the Town Clerk that three issues of bonds aggregating \$17.000, were purchased on Aug. 22 by Shaw, McDermott & Sparks of Des Moines, as 3 %s, paying a premium of \$10, equal to 100.05. The issues are as follows: \$7,500 sewer; \$2,500 sewer fund, and \$7,500 sewer outlet and purifying plant bonds. Due in 1958.

DES MOINES, Iowa—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by Rex Ramsey, City Clerk, that \$50,000 fire fund bonds were offered for sale on Aug. 25 and were awarded to the Carleton D. Beh Co. of Des Moines, as 2½s, at par. Denom. \$1,000. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due on Dec. 1 as follows: \$3,000, 1940 to 1943 and 1945 to 1950; \$7,000 in 1951, and \$13,000 in 1952. HARTWICK SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Hartwick), Iowa.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$12,000 gymnasium bonds were purchased recently by the Hartwick State Bank, as 2½s, paying a price of 101.59.

IOWA COUNTY (P. O. Marengo), Iowa—BOND OFFERING—It is sported that bids will be received until Aug. 27, by the County Treasurer, r the purchase of a \$72,000 issue of refunding bonds. Due from 1942 1947.

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa—BOND SALE DETAILS—It is now reported by the City Clerk that the \$100,000 sewer bonds purchased jointly by the White-Phillips Corp. of Davenport, as 2½s, at a price of 101.00, as noted here on Aug. 20—V. 147, p. 1227— are dated Aug. 1, 1938, and mature \$10,000 from Nov. 1, 1946 to 1955, giving a basis of about 2.16%. The City Clerk also states that the \$20,000 grading fund bonds purchased by the above named as 2½s, at a price of 100.575, as noted here—V. 147,

p. 1227—are dated Aug. 1, 1938, and mature on Nov. 1 as follosw: \$1,000, 1940 to 1955, and \$2,000 in 1956 and 1957, giving a basis of about 2.44%. Denom. \$1,000. Interest payable M. & N.

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MASON CITY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Mason City), Iowa—BONDS VOTED—At the election held on Aug. 15—V. 147.

7. 776—the voters approved the issuance of the \$340,000 in high school bonds by a count of 1,138 to 309. No date has been fixed as yet for the offering, reports R. L. James, District Secretary.

RINGGOLD COUNTY (P. O. Mt. Ayr), Iowa—CERTIFICATE OFFERING—It is reported that bids will be received until 11 a. m. on Aug. 30. by Earl T. Hoover, County Treasurer, for the purchase of a \$15,000 issue of secondary road certificates.

KANSAS

ATCHISON, Kan.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$75,000 city hall bonds were purchased on Aug. 16 by Callender, Burke & Mac Donald. of Kansas City, at a rate of 134%.

The City Clerk states that the said bonds were sold for a premium of \$467.25, equal to 100.623, a basis of about 1.63%. Due \$7,500 from 1939 to 1948 incl.

DE SOTA, Kan.—BOND SALE—The issue of \$28,000 3% water works and authorized at the Aug. 19 election has been sold to the De Soto Bank.

Due in 20 years.

KANSAS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Kan.—BOND SALE—The First National Bank of Chicago purchased \$400,000 2½% school building bonds. Dated Aug. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$20,000 on Aug. 15 from 1939 to 1958 incl. Principal and interest (F. & A. 15) payable at the State Treasurer's office. The bonds are direct obligations of the district, payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes on all of its taxable property. Legality to be approved by Bowersock, Fizzell & Rhodes of Kansas City, Mo. Financial Statement

Assessed reduction 1995 (Tankita Statement	
Assessed valuation, 1937 (70%)	\$92,847,661
Total bonded debt (incl. this issue)	2,686,000
Less sinking fund, June 30, 1938	21,029
Net bonded debt	2,644,971
onulation 1030 census 121 057	2,044,971

Population, 1930 census, 121,857.

The above statement does not include the debt of other political subdivious having the power to levy taxes against the property located within the

	Tax Data		
Year	Total tax levy	Collections current year	Per cent.
1933-34	\$1,624,000.00	\$1,483,403.00	collected 91.30
1934-35	1,552,000.00	1,459,184.00	94.10
1935-36	1,488,000.00 1,490,000.00	1,343,853.00	90.30

KENTUCKY

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LOUISVILLE, Ky.—BOND SALE DETAILS—In connection with the sale of the \$375,000 (not \$360,000), library bonds to a syndicate headed by Almstedt Bros. of Louisvine, on an interest cost basis to the library board on 3% bonds of 3.24%, noted in our issue of July 30— V. 147, p. 776—it is now reported that the bonds are dated Sept. 1, 1938, and mature Sept. 1, as follows: \$10.000 in 1939 and 1940, \$12.000 in 1941, \$14.000 in 1942, \$15,000 in 1943, \$16,000 in 1944 and 1945, \$17,000 in 1941, \$14,000 in 1942, \$15,000 in 1943, \$21,000 in 1951, \$22,000 in 1952, \$23,000 in 1953 and 1954, \$24,000 in 1955 and 1956, and \$25,000 in 1957 and 1958. Principal and interest payable at the Kentucky Title Trust Co., Louisville, Legality approved by Miller & Grafton of Louisville, The bonds are callable on any interest date at 102½ for the first 10 years, 101½ for the next 9 years, and at par for the next year.

OWENSBORO, Ky.—BOND SALE DETAILS—In connection with the sale of the \$1.300,000 (not \$1.272.354) water and light plant revenue bonds to Blyth & Co. of Chicago, noted here recently—V. 147, p. 1227—it is stated by E. J. Rhodes, City Clerk, that the bonds were sold as 3s, at a price of 98.287, and mature in 30 years.

WEBSTER COUNTY (P. O. Dixon), Kv.—BONDS SOLD—It is re-

WEBSTER COUNTY (P. O. Dixon), Kv.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$40,000 434 % semi-ann. court house bonds have been purchased by the Bankers Bond Co. of Louisville. Due in 20 years.

Louisiana Municipal Bonds Bought and Sold

Whitney National Bank of New Orleans

LOUISIANA

AVOYELLES PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Marksville), La.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until Oct. 4, by L. A. Cayer, Superintendent of the Board of Education, for the purchase of a \$60,000 issue of not to exceed 6% semi-ann, auditorium and gymnasium bonds. These bonds were approved by the voters on Aug. 16.

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BOSSIER PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICTS (P. O. Benton), La.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 2 p. m. on Sept. 22, by R. V. Kerr, Secretary of the Parish School Board, for the purchase of the following issues of not to exceed 6% semi-ann, school bonds aggregating \$120,500, divided as follows:
\$82,000 School District No. 1 bonds. A certified check for \$2,000, payable to the above Secretary, must accompany this bid.
22,000 Consolidated School District No. 2 bonds. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to the Secretary is, required with this bid.
16,500 School District No. 26 bonds. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to the Secretary, is required with this bid.
Denominations \$1,000 and \$500. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Bids will also be received for bonds bearing interest at a lower rate than 6%. These bonds were approved by the voters at an election held on Aug. 16. Prin. and int. payable in Benton or at the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., New York. The approving opinion of Chapman & Cutler of Chicago, will be furnished.

BOSSIER PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 13 (P. O. Benton), La.—BOND SALE—The \$300,000 issue of coupon school building bonds offered for sale on Aug. 18—V. 147, p. 776—was awarded to Barrow, Leary & Co. of Shreveport, and associates, taking \$94,000 as 4s, maturing from 1938 to 1948; the remaining \$206,000 as 3/5s, maturing from 1938. The bonds mature as follows: \$6,000, 1939 to 1942; \$9,000, 1943 to 1945; \$10,000, 1952; \$20,000, 1947; \$17,000, 1948 and 1949; \$18,000, 1950 and 1955; \$10,000, 1952; \$20,000, 1947; \$17,000, 1948 and 1949; \$18,000, 1950 and 1955, and \$24,000 in 1957 and 1958.

CONCORDIA PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICTS (P. O. Vidalia), La.

CONCORDIA PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICTS (P. O. Vidalia), —BOND SALE—The two issues of coupon school bonds aggregating \$500, offered for sale on Aug. 18—V. 147, p. 924—were purchased by Concordia Bank & Trust Co. of Vidalia, as follows:

\$27,000 School District No. 6 bonds as 4s, paying a premium of \$12.00, equal to 100.04. Due in 8 years.

25,000 School District No. 7 bonds as 5s, paying a premium of \$12.00, equal to 100.048. Due in 20 years.

No other bid was received, according to the Secretary of the Parish School Board.

EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4 (P. O. Baton Rouge), La.—BOND SALE—The \$100,000 issue of school bonds offered for sale on Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 301—was awarded to Weil & Co. of New Orleans, as 3½s, paying a premium of \$114, equal to 100.114, a basis of about 3.49%. Due from Sept. 1, 1939 to 1958.

FRANKLIN, La.—MATURITY—It is stated by the Town Secretary that the \$30,000 public improvement bonds purchased by Scharff & Jones of New Orleans, as 31/5s, at a price of 100.29, as noted here on Aug. 20— V. 147, p. 1227—are due on Aug. 1 as follows: \$3,000, 1940 to 1942; \$1,000, 1943 to 1953, and \$2.000, 1954 to 1958, giving a basis of about 3.46%.

NEW ROADS, La.—BONDS NOT SOLD—The \$75,000 not to exceed 5% interest bonds offered Aug. 17—V. 147, p. 458—were not sold, as the bids were rejected. The offering included: \$25,000 Sewerage District No. 1 bonds. Due annually on Sept. 1 from 1940 to 1963 incl.

50,000 public improvement bonds. Due annually on Sept. 1 from 1940 to 1968 incl.

All of the bonds will be dated Sept. 1, 1938.

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ST. HELENA PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4 (P. O. Greensburg), La.—BONDS NOT SOLD—The \$45,000 issue of not to exceed 6% semi-ann. building bonds offered on Aug. 18—V. 147, p. 1228—was not sold, according to the Secretary of the Parish School Board. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due from Sept. 1, 1940 to 1958.

WINN PARISH (P. O. Winnfield), La.—BONDS DEFEATED—It is stated by the President of the Parish School Board that at the election held on Aug. 16 the voters defeated the proposal to issue \$225,000 in construction and repair bonds.

MAINE

WATERVILLE, Me.—BOND SALE—The issue of \$50,000 3% refunding bonds offered Aug. 25—V. 147, p. 1228—was awarded to Smith, White & Stanley of Waterville, at a price of 104.11, a basis of about 2.77%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due Sept. 1, 1963.

MARYLAND

MARYLAND (State of)—REPORTS SURPLUS OF \$1,387,388—The State reports a current surplus of \$1,387,388 as of July 31, 1938, end of the first 10 months of the 1938 fiscal year, which compares with \$1,895,592 on July 31, 1937, according to the monthly balance sheet issued by State Comptroller William S. Gordy, Jr. The balance sheet issued by State Comptroller William S. Gordy, Jr. The balance sheet showed a surplus of \$2,245,249 in special funds and a \$857,861 deficit in general funds, comparing with a special fund surplus of \$2,120,161 and deficit of \$224,569 in general funds on July 31, 1937.

Uncollected taxes as of July 31, last, totaled \$3,318,018 of which \$2,636,-235 is due from 1938 taxes, the balance being distributed over previous years. Delinquent taxes still outstanding for the year 1937 total \$375,853, which compares with a total of \$405,865 outstanding at the end of the preceding month. On July 31, 1937, uncollected taxes totaled \$2,928,754.

MASSACHUSETTS

CENTERVILLE-OSTERVILLE FIRE DISTRICT (P. O. Osterville), Mass.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids addressed to J. Milton Leonard District Treasurer, care of Albert W. Rockwood, Attorney, Osterville, will be received until 1 p. m. (Daylight Saving Time) on Aug. 30 for the purchase of \$275,000 coupon water loan, Act of 1937 bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$10,000 from 1941 to 1963 incl. and \$9,000 from 1964 to 1968 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, in a multiple of \$4\$ of 1%. Principal and semi-ann. interest payable at the Merchants National Bank of Boston or, at holder's option, at the Hyannis Trust Co., Hyannis. The bonds will be prepared under the supervision of and certified as to genuineness by the Merchants National Bank of Boston Legal opinion of Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Dodge of Boston will be furnished the successful bidder. Delivery of bonds to be made at the Merchants National Bank for Boston funds.

Financial Statement

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Financial Statement

Centerville-Osterville Fire District

1937 Assessed valuation _\$9,776,440 Fire tax rate 1937 ______\$1.65
1938 Assessed valuation _10,099,290 Fire tax rate 1938 ______\$2.20

Notes and Bonds Outstanding as of Aug. 23, 1938

Notes in anticipation of present water loan ______\$20,000

The town of Barnstable is divided into four fire districts, each such district being self-governing within the limits of the authority delegated to it and each such alstrict being managed by a prudential committee elected by the voters in that district.

These four fire districts are the Barnstable Fire District, covering roughly the village of Barnstable; the Hyannis Firs District covering Hyannis, Hyannisport and West Hyannisport; the Centerville-Osterville, Including Wianno and Oyster Harbors, and the Cotuit Fire District, covering all of Cotuit.

LEXINGTON, Mass.—NOTE SALE—The issue of \$50,000 notes offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1228—was awarded to the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. of Boston, at 0.10% discount, plus a premium of \$1. Due Jan. 27, 1939.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass.—NOTE SALE—An issue of \$38,000 light department notes was sold to the Marblehead Savings Bank as 0.75s, at a price of 100.03. Other bids:

MILLBURY, Mass.—BOND SALE—Goldman, Sachs & Co. of New York obtained award on Aug. 18 of \$22,000 coupon relief bonds as 1½s, a6 100.053, a basis of about 1.74%. Dated Aug. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1.000. Due Aug. 15 as follows: \$3,000 in 1939 and 1940, and \$2.000 from 1941 to 1948, incl. Principal and interest (F. & A.) payable at the Second National Bank, Boston. Legal opinion of Kenueth H. Damren of Boston. Other bids:

Int. Rate Rate Bid 2% 2% 2%

NEWBURYPORT, Mass.—BOND SALE—The \$24,000 coupon municipal relief bonds offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1228—were awarded to Whiting, Weeks & Knowles of Boston, as 1½s. at a price of 100.65, a basis about 1.62%. Dated Aug. 1, 1938 and due Aug. 1 as follows: \$3,000 from 1939 to 1942 incl. and \$2,000 from 1943 to 1948 incl. Other bids were:

Bidder—	Int. Rate	Rate Bia
First & Ocean National Bank, Newburyport	1 3/4 %	100.61
Merchants National Bank of Boston	134 %	100.57
Lee Higginson Corp	1 34 %	100.097
Tyler & Co	2%	100.90
Merchants National Bank, Newburyport	2%	100.80
Institution for Savings, Newburyport	134% 134% 134% 2% 2% 2%	Par
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NORFOLK COUNTY (P. O. Dedham), Mass.—NOTE SALE—The \$100,000 tuberculosis hospital maintenance notes offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1228—were awarded to the Norfolk County Trust Co. of Dedham, at 0.112% discount. Dated Aug. 23, 1938 and due April 6, 1939. Other Bids:

PLYMOUTH COUNTY (P. O. Plymouth), Mass.—NOTE OFFERING
—Avis E. Ewell, County Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 11 a. m.
on Aug. 30 for the purchase of \$40,000 tuberculosis hospital maintenance
notes. Dated Aug. 23, 1938. Denom. \$10,000. Payable March 22, 1939,
at the Second National Bank of Boston. Notes will be approved as to
legality by Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Dodge of Boston and certified by
the Second National Bank of Boston.

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SOMERVILLE, Mass.—CORRECTION—The \$120,000 1½% municipal relief bonds were sold to Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., New York, at 100.134, a basis of about 1.72%, not 101.34 as erroneously reported in V. 147, p. 1228.

TAUNTON, Mass.—BOND SALE—The \$68.000 coupon, registerable as to principal, municipal relief bonds offered Aug. 19 were awarded to Newton, Abbe & Co. of Boston, as 1½s, at 100.138, a basis of about 1.72%, Dated July 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due July 1 as follows: \$7,000 from 1939 to 1947, incl. and \$5,000 in 1948. Principal and interest (J. & J.) payable in Boston, or at the City Treasurer's office. Coupon bonds exchangeable for fully registered certificates, interest on which is payable at Treasurer's office. Legality approved by Ropes, Gray, Boyden & Perkins of Boston. Other bids:

Bidder—

Int. Rate Rate Bid

WELLESLEY, Mass.—NOTE SALE—The issue of \$100,000 notes offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1228—was awarded to the Wellesley Trust Co. at 0.13% discount. Due May 22, 1939. Other bids:

WINCHENDON, Mass.—BOND SALE—The \$10,000 municipal relief bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1228—were awarded to Frederick M. Swan & Co. of Boston as 0.75s, at 100.139. Due \$5,000 in 1939 and 1940. Other bids:

Bidder—	Int. Rate	Rate Bid
		100.138
Tyler & Co	0.756	100.124
Southgate & Co	0.7579	100.10
Whiting, Weeks & Knowles	1%	100.212
Lee Higginson Corp	1%	100.125
Whiting, Weeks & Knowles Lee Higginson Corp Second National Bank of Boston	1%	Par

MICHIGAN MUNICIPALS

Cray, McFawn & Petter

DETROIT Telephone Cherry 6828 A.T.T. Tel. DET 540-541

GRAND RAPIDS Telephone 9-8255 A.T.T. Tel. Grps. 7

MICHIGAN

ALLEGAN, Mich.—BOND ELECTION—An issue of \$240,000 hydroelectric plant bonds originally approved in 1934 will again be submitted to the voters on Sept. 13. The earlier vote was recently held illegal as only qualified electrors were permitted to participate in the ballotting.

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BAY CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Mich.—BOND ELECTION—On Sept. 9 the voters will be asked to approve an issue of \$273.000 bonds to provide the district's share of a projected expenditure of about \$497,000 for new school buildings. A Public Works Administration grant would provide the balance of the funds.

BUCHANAN, Mich.—OTHER BIDS—The \$35,000 sewage disposal plant bonds awarded to the Union State Bank of Buchanan, as 2s, for a premium of \$127.57, equal to 100.364, a basis of about 1.94%—V. 147, p. 1229—were also bid for as follows:

Interest Rate Premium

Premium \$361.90 18.00 10.00 49.35 352.00 110.00 7.00 103.00 36.60 106.05 17.00 41.00 191.00 103.56 117.57

2. If bonds are offered at less than par:
Yield shall be computed to the date of maturity, whether callable or nou-callable.
3. Non-callable bonds:
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Non-callable bonds shall be computed to the date of maturity.
4. Offerings:
(a) Offerings shall show the rate of interest, the date of maturity, the dollar value and the yield on each offering.
(b) Offerings will be accepted on the basis of the highest let yield to the city.
The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
No bonds maturing beyond May 1, 1947 will be accepted for the Street Railway Sinking Fund.
No bonds maturing beyond 1959 will be accepted for Water Board Sinking Fund.
Additional Call—Mr. Daley also will receive sealed offerings up to 10 a. m. on Sept. 7 (to remain firm until 1 p. m. of the following day) of callable city refunding bonds in the amount of about \$500,000 under the following conditions:
If callable bonds are offered at a premium:
(a) When the interest rate is 4½% or higher, the yield shall be computed to the second call date.
(b) When the interest rate is less than 4½%, the yield shall be computed to the fourth call date.
If bonds are offered at par or less than par:
Yield shall be computed to the date of maturity.
All tenders shall be in writing and shall be sealed.
Tenders will be accepted on the basis of the highest net yield to the City as computed from the dollar price.
Only 1962-63 maturities of callable bonds will be accepted.
The City reserves the right on bonds purchased, which are delivered subsequent to Sept. 14, 1938, to pay accrued interest up to that date only.

DETROIT, Mich.—REPORTS \$7,000,000 DEFICIT FOR RECENT FISCAL PERIOD—Financial statement of the city, exclusive of street.

The City reserves the right on bonds purchased, which are delivered subsequent to Sept. 14, 1938, to pay accrued interest up to that date only.

DETROIT, Mich.—REPORTS \$7,000,000 DEFICIT FOR RECENT FISCAL PERIOD—Financial statement of the city, exclusive of street railway, water board and sinking fund operations for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1938, shows a deficit of \$7,024,398, according to report. This amount includes \$6,622,666 short-term debt. However, \$6,849,026 of the deficit is appropriated in the current fiscal year's budget, leaving \$175,372 to be absorbed, it was said.

The budget for the 1938-39 fiscal period is \$65,992,816. Receipts for the fiscal year just ended totaled \$101,276,187 against \$103,107,265 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1937. Tax collections were \$50,205,058 compared with \$47,232,053 in the previous fiscal period. Delinquent tax collections amounted to \$9,551,062 against \$16,259,936 the year before. General operating expenses increased to \$51,423,355 from \$47,004,673 in the previous fiscal period. Interest charges decreased, totaling \$11,298,484, compared with \$13,816,247 in the 1936-37 fiscal year.

DUPLAIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2 (P. O. Elsie), Mich.—BOND SALE—The \$25,000 coupon school bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1073—were awarded to \$tranahan, Harris & Co., Inc. of Toledo, as 1%s, at par plus a premium of \$17.65, equal to 100,07; a basis of about 1.74%. Dated Aug. 15, 1938 and due \$5,000 on May 1 from 1939 to 1943 incl. Second high bid of 100.206 for 2s was made by McDonald, Moore & Hayes of Detroit.

Other bids:

Other bids: Bidder— Int. Rate	
Crouse & Co., Detroit 2½% Donovan, Gilbert & Co., Lansing 2½%	\$113.57
Donovan, Gilbert & Co., Lansing 2½%	75.00
Martin Smith & Co., Detroit 2½%	13.00

EAST LANSING, Mich.—BONP ELECTION—An issue of \$70,000 improvement bonds will be considered by the voters on Sept. 13.

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GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—BOND SALE—The \$2,255,000 coupon water revenue bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1229—were awarded jointly to Stranshan, Harris & Co., Inc., Toledo, and Paine, Webber & Co., Chicago, at a price of 100.045 for the obligations to bear interest as follows: \$1,355,000 as 38, due \$40,000 Aug. 1, 1941 to 1944 incl.; \$50,000, 1945; \$80,000 in 1946 and 1947; \$85,000 in 1948, and \$90,000 from 1949 to 1958 incl.; \$900,000 as 2½s, due \$90,000 each Aug. 1 from 1959 to 1968 incl. Net interest cost about 2.834%.

HOLLAND, Mich.—BOND ELECTION—On Sept. 13 the voters will consider an issue of \$85,000 bonds to augment a Public Works Administration grant for construction of a library-museum.

MARINE CITY AND COTTRELLVILLE TOWNSHIP FRACTIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1, Mich.—BOND OFFERING—Ervin C. Jones, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (Eastern Stsndard Time) on Sept. 1 for the purchase of \$44,000 not to exceed 4% interest coupon school bonds. Dated June 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due June 1 as follows: \$6,000 in 1940; \$8,000 in 1941, and \$10,000 from 1942 to 1944, incl. Rate of interest to be expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Sale of issue is subject to district receiving grant from the Public Works Administration. In addition to bonds being payable from ad valorem taxes on all the districts property within the limitation prescribed by the State Constitution, an additional 5-min levy has been voted for the period 1939-1943. Successful bidder to pay for printing of the bonds and approving legal opinion of Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone of Detroit. A certified check for 2% of the issue, payable to the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

MONROE COUNTY (P. O. Monroe), Mich.—NO BOND TENDERS

MONROE COUNTY (P. O. Monroe), Mich.—NO BOND TENDERS RECEIVED—F. E. Gillespie, Clerk of the Board of County Road Commissioners, reports that no offers were submitted in connection with the commission's call for tenders of various road assessment district highway refunding bonds. dated May 1, 1933.

MUSKEGON, Mich.—BOND ELECTION—On Sept. 9 the voters will decide whether to authorize bonds to cover the district's share of a proposed \$700.000 Public Works Administration building program. District's portion is estimated at \$375,000.

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ROSEVILLE, Mich.—BOND EXCHANGE URGED—Charles A. Retzlaff, refunding agent, 22552 Gratiot Ave., East Detroit, Mich., urges those who have not already done so to act immediately toward exchanging their original bonds for the new refunding securities being issued by the village. A great many bonds have already been exchanged and interest is being paid upon the May I coupons of the refunding bonds at the present time, according to Mr. Retzlaff. Bonds may be mailed to the First State Bank, East Detroit, for exchange, or may be delivered direct to the refunding agent. New securities will be delivered immediately upon receipt of the old bonds.

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ROYAL OAK TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8 (P. O. Hazel Park Station, Royal Oak), Mich.—TENDERS WANTED—Ralph Valom, Secretary of the Board of Education, will receive sealed tenders of 1936 refunding bonds, series A, dated April 1, 1936, until 7 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 10. The amount on hand in the sinking fund for the retirement of such bonds is approximately \$11.000. Offerings should state bond numbers and the amount for which they will be sold to School District. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all tenders; to waive any irregularities in said tenders; to accept the tender or tenders which in the opinion of the Board are most favorable to the District; and to purchase additional securities sufficient to exhaust the amounts of money available for this purpose on Sept. 10, 1938. Offerings should be firm for three days and should be marked on the outside of a sealed envelope "Tenders of Bonds, Series A."

Following list of tenders received in response to last previous call on May 7, was compiled by Matthew Carey, refunding agent, 2149 Union Guardian Bidg., Detroit:

			BONDS, SE		
Par	Tenders Accept	ed Cash	Par	Other Tenders Tendered	Cash
Value	at	Amount	Value	at	Amount
\$10,000	58.97 & int.	\$5,897.00	\$10,000	60.00 & int.	\$6,000
5,000	59.43 & int.	2,971.50	30,000	62.00 & int.	18.600
5,000	60.00 & int.	3,000.00	4,000 10,000 10,000	70.00 & int. 80.00 & int. 80.00 & int.	2,800 8,000 8,000
\$20,000	59.34	11,868.50	\$64,000	67.81	\$43,400

ST. CLAIR SCHOOL DISTRICT, Mich.—OTHERBIDS—The \$42,000 school issue awarded to Crouse & Co. of Detroit, as 1½s, for a premium of

37.58, equal to 100.089, a basis of about 1.48%, as previously reported in V.147, p. 1230—were also bid for as follows:

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Bilact	\$75.67
Siler Carpenter & Roose Detroit	7 134.40
Cher McFaun & Potton Detroit	216.13
oray, Micrawit & Teller, Dello Dello Dello 201	201.00
McDonald, Moore & Hayes, Inc., Detroit 276	7 115.70
Braun, Bosworth & Co., Toledo	27 60
Stranahan, Harris & Co., Toledo	% 37.00
Wright, Martin & Co., Detroit134	% 18.00
Martin Smith & Co., Detroit 2%	11.52
Ryan Sutherland & Co. Toledo 2%	120.00
Commercial and Savings Bank St Clair	5.00
Chamber Caracities Co. Chicago	56.00
Channer Securities Co., Chicago	70

MINNESOTA

CHOKIO, Minn.—BONDS TO BE SOLD—It is stated by A. J. Reichmuth, Village Clerk, that \$10,000 3% semi-annual sewer system bonds approved by the voters on Aug. 22, will be sold to the State.

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DULUTH, Minn.—BOND ELECTION—We are informed by the City Clerk that an election will be held on Sept. 26 in order to vote on the proposed issuance of a total of \$830,500 garage, auditorium and stadium bonds.

EXCELSIOR, Minn.—WARRANT SALE—The \$40,000 Sewer District No. 1 special assessment warrants offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1074—were awarded jointly to Kalman & Co. of St. Paul, and Thrall, West & Co. of Minneapolis, as 2½s, at a price of 100,62, a Jasis of about 2.14%. Dated July 10, 1938 and due \$4,000 on Jan. 1 from 1940 to 1949 incl. Second high bid of 100.31 for 2½s was made by Allison-Williams Co. of Minneapolis.

The other bids were reported officially as follows:

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Names of Other Bidders—	Price	Bia-	
Wells-Dickey Co	\$40,450	21/2%	
J. M. Dain & Co	40,250	2½% 2½% 2½% 2½% 2½% 2½%	
Allison-Williams Co	40,125	21/4%	
Piper, Jaffray & Hopwood	40,375	21/2%	
Bigelow, Webb & Co	40,400	21/2%	
First Nat. Bank & Trust Co., Minneapolis	40.075	21/4 %	
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ORTONVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Ortonville), Minn.—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by L. W. Brown, Superintendent of Schools that \$40,000 3% semi-annual building bonds approved by the voters at an election held on Aug. 16, have been purchased by the State of Minnesota.

PILLAGER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Pillager) Minn.—BOND SALE DETAILS—It is now reported by the District Clerk that the \$10,000 3% semi-ann. school bonds purchased by the State, as noted here—V. 147, p. 1074—were sold at par, and mature \$2,000 from 1954 to 1958 incl.

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REDWOOD COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.

1 (P. O. Redwood Falls) Minn.—BOND OFFERING—It is stated that both sealed and auction bids will be received until Sept. 12, at 8 p. m., by Park Sanders. District Clerk, for the purchase of an issue of \$125,000 no to exceed 2½% semi-ann, refunding bonds. Dated Oct. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1,000 Due Jan. 1, as follows: \$5,000 in 1940, \$1,000 in 1942 to 1944, \$2,000 in 1945 to 1947, \$11,000 in 1948 and \$25,000 in 1949 to 1952. All bonds maturing after Jan. 1, 1949, are subject to redemption on said date and on any interest payment date thereafter. Payabe at any suitable bank or trust company designated by the purchaser. Said maturities have been fixed in consideration of the maturities of outstanding bonds now refunded, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 331, Laws of 1927, as amended. The approving opinion of Junell, Fletcher, Dorsey, Barker & Colman, of Minneapolis, will be furnished. Said opinion to be paid by the purchaser. The purchaser will also be required to furnish the bonds. Enclose a certified check for \$2,000, payable to the district.

Financial Data

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Independent District No. 1— 1938	1937	1936
Levy\$47,500.00	\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00
Delinquent taxes, (Jan.)	*	1.251.85
Valuation non-agricultural	695.870	683,965
	131.287	131,506
Agriculturaix Personal propertyx	230,970	225,236
Personal propertyx	1.058,127	1.040,707
, Total x	236,070	201,030
Money and credit	21.423.27	22,637.38
Cash on hand	779	757
Enrollments 880		4.565
Received from State income tax z7,000	5,628	4,000
City of Redwood Falls—	A Part of the	and the constraint
Valuation, total	933,866	915,546
Debt, total Dec. 31	98,400	80,500
Less special assessments	50,900	27,000
Note done Dog 21	47,500	53,500
Net debt Dec. 31Cash on hand, Dec. 31	20,500	20,500
	20,000	
Redwood County—	10 070 000	13.239.563
Valuation, total Debt, total Dec. 31	13,273,966	
Debt. total Dec. 31	739,500	818,500
Less ditch debt	424,500	558,500
Net debt. Dec 31	315,000	
Cosh on hand Dec 31	180,900	114,600
* Not delinquent until Jan. 2, 1939. x Figures	available Oc	tober, 1938.
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SPRING GROVE, Minn.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by O. G. Ingvaldson, Town Clerk, at the offices of Duxbury & Roerkel, 110 South Kingston St., Caledonia, Minn., until 8 p. m. on Sept. 9, for the purchase of a \$20,000 issue of road and bridge bonds. Bidders to name the rate of interest. Dated June 1, 1938. Due \$2,000 in 1941 to 1950 incl. No bid for less than par and accrued interest will be considered. The approving opinion of the above-named attorneys will be furnished. A certified check for \$500, payable to the Town Clerk, must accompany the bid.

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STILLWATER, Minn.—CERTIFICATES SOLD—It is stated by the City Clerk that \$16,000 4% water works certificates of indebtedness authorized recently by the City Council, have been sold to local banks.

THIEF RIVER FALLS, Minn.—BOND OFFERING—P. G. Pederson, City Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. on Sept. 13 for the purchase of \$80,000 not to exceed 4% interest coupon sewage treatment plant bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. \$500. Due \$5,000 on Oct. 1 from 1941 to 1956 in:1. No bid for less than par and accrued interest will be considered. Interest A. & O. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for payable to the order of the City Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

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TRUMAN, Minn.—BOND SALE.—The \$50,000 issue of municipal light and power plant bonds offered for sale of Alug. 19—V. 147, p. 926—was awarded jointly to the Allison-Williams Co., and the First National Bank & Trust Co., both of Minneapolis, as 2½s, according to the Village Recorder, Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due from Sept. 1, 1941 to 1955 incl.; optional after Sept. 1, 1948.

The purchasers paid a premium of \$201.00, equal to 100.402, a basis of about 2.45%.

MISSOURI

BROOKFIELD, Mo.—BONDS DEFEATED—At the election held on Aug. 16 the voters defeated the proposal to issue the \$28,000 hospital bonds, assording to report.

CALLAWAY COUNTY (P. O. Fulton), Mo.—BOND OFFERING—It is reported that the County Clerk will receive sealed bids on Sept. 17 for the purchase of \$125,000 courthouse and jail bonds.

MOSS CREEK TOWNSHIP (P. O. Carrollton) Mo.—BOND SALE DETAILS—It is now reported by the Township Clerk that the \$43,000 3½% semi-ann. road bonds purchased by the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. of St. Louis, as noted here—V. 147, p. 1230—were soid for a price of 101.68, and mature as follows: \$2,000, 1939 to 1949, and \$3,000 from 1950 to 1956, giving a basis of about 3.30%.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—BONDS VOTED AND DEFEATED—We quote in part as follows from a news dispatch out of St. Joseph on Aug. 9:
St. Joseph today voted \$1,304,000 in bonds for a city and school improvement program. Matched with an almost equal amount of Federal funds and including work on the new Federal building, it will mean the expenditure of about \$6,000 in wages every working day for the next 15 months.

MISSOURI BONDS

Markets in all State, County & Town Issues

SCHERCK, RICHTER COMPANY

LANDRETH BUILDING, ST. LOUIS, MO.

MISSOURI

A handful of voters deprived the city of a \$240,000 Missouri River wharf. The wharf bonds were defeated by 23 votes less than the required 2-3rds majority. These bonds were the only ones of 14 proposals to fail of passage. A \$900,000 school program calling for four new buildings and improvements sailed through with a three to one majority, the most popular of all the issues.

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ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—BOND OFFERING—M. B. Morton, City Comptroller, will receive sealed bids until Sept. 6 for the purchase of various issues of general obligation bonds aggregating \$655,000. The offering will include nine separate issues, all dated Sept. 1, 1938. With the exception of one issue for \$50,000, which is an independent city project, the rest of the bonds represent 55% of the cost of the respective projects. The difference of 45% will be obtained by the city in the form of an outright grant from the Public Works Administration. The bonds to be sold at this time, together with an additional \$154,000, were authorized at an election on Aug. 9.

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ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. St. Joseph), Mo.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 7:30 p. m. on Sept. 6, by T. E. Dale, Secretary of the Board of Education, for the purchase of a \$495,000 issue of coupon school bonds. Denom. \$1,000. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due on Sept. 1 as follows: \$145,000 in 1951; \$100,000, 1951 to 1953, and \$50,000 in 1954. The first interest payment on said bonds shall be made on and not before March 1, 1940. Bidders to name rate of interest in multiples of ¼ of 1%, and must be the same for all of the bonds. Prin. and int. (M. & S.) payable at the Guaranty Trust Co., New Yorik. No bid for less than par will be accepted. Bonds, before delivered, will be certified by the State Auditor, and their legality attested by a decree of the Circuit Court of Buchanan County, Missouri, wherein said District is located. The School District operates under the education laws of the State. The bond issue is authorized under Article 4, Chapter 15, and Article 16, Chapter 57, R. S. Missouri, 1929. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. The bonds will be valid and legally binding obligations of the School District and all the taxable property within the district will be subject to a levy of ad valorem taxes to pay the bonds and interest thereon, without limitation of rate or amount. Inclose a treasurer's check for \$2,500, payaole to the District.

SULLIVAN COUNTY (P. O. Milan), Mo.—BONDS SOLD—It is said that \$75,000 court house bonds were purchased on Aug. 23 by Smith, Moore & Co. of St. Louis.

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FLATHEAD COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5 (P. O. Kalispell), Mont.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by H. J. Hunt, District Clerk, until 2 P. m. on Sept. 17 for the purchase of \$25.500 not to exceed 4% interests building bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Amortization bothe Board of Trustees may be put into one single bond or divided into several bonds, as the Board of Trustees may determine upon at the time of sale, both principal and interest to be payable in semi-annual installments during a period of twenty years from the date of issue. If serial bonds are issued and of the serial bonds will become payable Dec. 10, 1939. The sum of \$4,000 of the serial bonds will become payable Dec. 10, 1939. The sum of \$4,000 of the serial bonds will become payable Dec. 10, 1939. The sum of \$4,000 of the serial bonds will become payable Dec. 10, 1939. The sum of \$4,000 of the serial bonds will be redeemable in full on any interest paying date from and after five years from the date of issue. No bid for less than par. Enclose at after five years from the date of issue. No bid for less than par. Enclose at after five years from the date of issue. No bid for less than par. Enclose at a semi-date of the purchase of a \$65,451.10 issue of not to exceed 4% semi-ann. refunding bonds.

Dated Dec. 31, 1938. These bonds are issued for the purpose of providing necessary funds to pay and redeem the four outstanding bonds of School District No. 5, issued June 15, 1929, in the original amount of \$98,000 upon which there now remains a balance of unpaid principal in the purchase of the part of the purchase of a \$65,451.00 issue of not to exceed 4% semi-ann. Path part of the purchase of the purcha

\$376.750 civic center bonds. Amortization bonds will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the council. If amortization bonds are sold and issued the entire issue may be put into one single bond or divided into several bonds, as the council may determine upon at the time of sale, both principal and interest to be payable in semi-annual instalments during a period of 20 years from the date of issue. If serial bonds are issued and sold, they will be in the amount of \$1,000 each, except the last bond which will be in the amount of \$750. The sum of \$19,000 of said serial bonds will become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1939, and a like amount on the same day of each year thereafter, until all such bonds are paid, except that the last instalment will be in the amount of \$15,750. The bonds shall not extend beyond a period of 20 years and may be redeemable in full at the option of the city on any interest payment date from and after 10 years from date. A certified check for \$3,000, payable to the City Clerk, is required.

175,000 Administration Bldg, and airport, bds. Amortization bds, will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the council. If amortization bonds are sold and issued, the entire issue may be put into one single bond or divided into several bonds as the council may determine upon at the time of sale; both principal and interest to be paid in semi-annual instalments during a period of 20 years from the date of issue. If serial bonds are issued and sold they will be in the amount of \$1,000 each; the sum of \$9,000 of said serial bonds will become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1939, and a like amount on the same day each year thereafter until all such bonds are paid, except that the last instalment will be in the amount of \$4,000. The bonds whether amortization or serial will be redeemable at the option of the city on any interest payment date on or after July 1, 1948. A certified check for \$7,750, payable to the City Clerk, is requir

WHEATLAND COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 (P. O. Shawmut), Mont.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by John Michalski, District Clerk, until 1 p. m. on Sept. 3 for the purchase of \$2.500 not to exceed 6% interest school bonds. Dated Nov. 1, 1938. Amortization bonds will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the School Board.

NEBRASKA

MULLEN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2 (P. O. Mullen), Neb.—BOND SALE—The \$16,000 issue of construction bonds offered for sale on Aug. 20—V. 147, p. 778—was purchased by Wachob, Bender & Co. of Omaha as 34s, offering a premium of \$106.00, equal to 100.66, less the cost of printing the bonds and the legal opinion. Dated July 1, 1938. Due from 1939 to 1956, optional after five years from date of issue.

OAKLAND, Neb.—BOND SALE—The \$30,000 issue of municipal building bonds offered for sale Aug. 18—V. 147, p. 1075—was awarded to the Kirkpatrick-Pettis Co. of Omaha, as 3s, paying a price of '101.10, according to report.

RANDOLPH, Neb.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$11,500 auditorium bonds have been purchased recently by Wachob, Bender & Co. of Omaha, as 33/4s.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FRANKLIN, N. H.—BOND SALE—The \$144,000 coupon high school bonds offered Aug. 19 were awarded to Brown Harriman & Co., Inc., New York, and F. W. Horne & Co. of Hartford, jointly, as 2½s, at a price of 101.6199, a basis of about 2.07%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$8,000 from 1939 to 1942 incl. and \$7,000 from 1943 to 1958 incl. Principal and interest (M. & S.) payable at the Second National Bank of Boston. Legality approved by Ropes, Gray, Boyden & Perkins of Boston.

Bidder— Preston, Moss & Co E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc Chace, Whiteside & Co	Int Rate	Rate Bid	
Preston, Moss & Co	21/0%	101.31	
E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.	212 6	101.157	
Chace, Whiteside & Co	212 0%	101.099	
Bond, Judge & Co. and Lyons & Co.	214%	101.038	
Lee Higginson Corp	21/0	101	
Bond & Goodwin	212 07	100.888	
C. F. Childs & Co	91/07	100.766	
Perrin West & Winglow Inc	91707	100.377	
Second National Bank of Boston	214%	100.25	
Goldman, Sachs & Co	21/2 %	100.699	
First National Bank of Boston	214%	100.033	
First Boston Corp	214%	100.437	
F. M. Swan & Co	214%	100.039	
Arthur Perry & Co.	212 07	100.039	
Arthur Perry & Co. Ballou, Adams & Whittemore	212 0	100.258	
Kidder, Peabody & Co., and Lazard Freres & Co.	21/2%	101.53	
Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.	212 70		
Traisey, Didari & Co., Inc.	472 %	101.535	

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY (P. O. Manchester), N. H.—BOND SALE—The \$300,000 3 % funding bonds offered Aug. 25—V. 147, p. 1075—were awarded jointly to Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc. and the First of Michigan Corp., both of New York City, at a price of 108.919. a basis of about 2.05%, Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due \$15,000 on Sept. 1 from 1939 to 1958 incl. Second high bid of 108.299 was submitted on behalf of the First Boston Corp. and Brown Harriman & Co., Inc., both of New York. Among other bids were these:

Bidder-

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 Rate Bid

 Goldman, Sachs, & Co. and Kidder, Peabody & Co.
 108.238

 F. S. Moseley & Co. and Estabrook & Co.
 107.809

 E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., Newton, Abbe & Co. and Chace, Whiteside & Co.
 106.53

 Indianhead National Bank, Nashua
 106.479

NEW JERSEY

BOONTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, N. J.—BONDS SOLD—The State Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund purchased an issue of \$60,000 school addition bonds as 34s. They were authorized at an election last June.

DEAL, N. J.—BOND SALE POSTPONED—The sale of \$178,750 not to exceed 6% interest jetty assessment and improvement bonds, originally scheduled for Aug. 24—V. 147, p. 1075—was postponed.

scheduled for Aug. 24—V. 147, p. 1075—was postponed. HADDONFIELD, N. J.—BOND SALE—Burr & Co., Inc., New York, were the successful bidders at the offering of \$430,000 coupon or registered refunding bonds on Aug. 19—V. 147, p. 1075. Bankers bid for \$426,000 bonds, named an interest rate of $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ and paid a price of \$430,818.06, equal to 101.131, a basis of about 3.39%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due Sept. 1 as follows: \$10,000, 1939 to 1943 incl.; \$12,000 from 1944 to 1948 incl.; \$30,000 from 1949 to 1954 incl.; \$35,000 from 1955 to 1957 incl. and \$31,000 in 1958. Bankers reoffered the bonds to yield from 1.25% to 3.25% for maturities from 1939 to 1952 incl., and the balance at a price of 102.50. Other bids:

Bidder—
Blyth & Co., Inc.; Bioren & Co.; B. J.
Van Ingen & Co., Inc.; and Buckley
Bros.
E. H. Rollins & Sons Inc.; C. C. Collings
& Co.; Dougherty, Corkran & Co.;
Charles Clark & Co. and Suplee, Yeatman & Co.
M. M. Freeman & Co. and Pearce &
Co. Inc. No. Bonds Bid For Int. Rate \$430.870.00 427 31/2% 430,439.60 428 31/2%

Haddonfield National	Bank:		
Bonds Nos.	Maturing on	Bonds. Nos.	Maturing on
159 to 168	Mar. 1. 1942	587 to 598	Sept. 1, 1951
181 to 190	Sept. 1, 1942	611 to 622	Mar. 1, 1952
202 to 211	Mar 1 1943	635 to 646	Sept. 1, 1952
223 to 233	Sept. 1, 1943	659 to 670	Mar. 1, 1995
245 to 255	Mar 1 1944	684 to 694	Sept. 1, 1900
267 to 277	Sept. 1. 1944	707 and 712 to 718	_ Mar. 1, 1904
289 to 299	Mar. 1. 1945	731 to 742	Bept. 1, 1904
311 to 321	Sept. 1 1945	756 to 767	Mar. 1, 1900
333 to 343	Mar. 1. 1946	781 to 793	Sept. 1, 1955
355 to 365	Sept. 1. 1946	807 to 819	Mar. 1, 1900
377 to 387	Mar. 1. 1947	833 to 845	Sept. 1, 1956
399 to 409	_Sept. 1, 1947	860 to 871	Mar. 1, 1957
422 to 422	Mar 1 1048	1993 to 887 and	
445 to 456	Sent. 1 1948	D-25 to D-30	Sept. 1, 1957
469 to 479	Mar. 1 1940	1905 to 918	IVIal . 1, 1300
492 to 503	Sept. 1, 1949	1933 to 946	Sept. 1, 1950
516 to 526	Mar. 1, 1950	1991 to 1005	Sept. 1, 1909
539 to 550	Sept. 1, 1950	11051 to 1065	Sept. 1, 1900
563 to 574	_Mar. 1, 1951	11082 to 1096	Mar. 1, 1961
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MANVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT, N. J.—BONDS DEFEATED—An issue of \$88,000 construction bonds was rejected by the voters at the election on Aug. 16.

NEWARK, N. J.—BONDS AUTHORIZED—The City Commission on ug. 24 voted to issue \$335,000 bonds for two Works Progress Administra-Aug. 24 voted tion projects.

PISCATAWAY TOWNSHIP (P. O. New Market), N. J.—BOND OFFERING—A. G. O'Rourke, Township Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (Daylight Saving Tme) on Sept. 9 for the purchase of \$20,000 not to exceed 6 % interest coupon or registered township hall bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$1,000 on Sept. 1 from 1939 to 1958 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ¼ or 1-10th of 1%. Principal and interest (M. & S.) payable at the Peoples National Bank, New Brunswick. A certified check for 2%, payable to the order of the township, must accompany each proposal. Approving legal opinion of Maurice M. Bernstein of Newark will be furnished the successful bonds. Delivery of bonds will be made on or about Sept. 21, 1938.

SAYREVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT, N. J.—BOND SALE—The State Employees' Retirement Fund System purchased \$106,000 4% building bonds, dated Sept. 15, 1938 and due as follows: \$5,000 from 1940 to 1960 incl. and \$1,000 in 1961.

WEST CALDWELL, N. J.—PRICE PAID—The \$9,000 3% water and sewer bonds purchased by the Caldwell National Bank—V. 147, p. 1231—brought a price of 101.11, a basis of about 2.76%.

NEW MEXICO

ALBUQUERQUE, N. Mex.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids addressed to Ida V. Malone, City Clerk, will be received until 2 p. m. on Sept. 27 for the purchase of \$233,000 not to exceed 6% interest coupon bonds, divided as follows:

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\$145,000 sewage disposal bonds. Due July 1 as follows: \$8,000 from 1941 to 1957 incl. and \$9,000 in 1958.

64,000 city hall bldg. bonds. Due July 1 as follows: \$3,000 from 1941 to 1948 incl. and \$4,000 from 1949 to 1958 incl.

24,000 public playgrounds and park bonds. Due July 1 as follows: \$3,000 from 1941 to 1952 incl. and \$2,000 from 1953 to 1958 incl.

All of the bonds will be dated July 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. The entire \$233,000 bonds mature annually on July 1 as follows: \$12,000, 1941 to 1948 incl.; \$13,000, 1949 to 1952 incl.; \$14,000 from 1953 to 1957 incl. and \$15,000 in 1958. The bonds are non-registerable and will be payable as to both principal and interest (J. & J.) at the City Treasurer's office or at the Chase National Bank, N. Y. City. Separate blds may be submitted on each issue. Bidders must submit a bid specifying; (a) the lowest rate of interest and premium, if any, above par at which the bidder will purchase the bonds; or (b) the lowest rate of interest at which the bidder will purchase the bonds; or (b) the lowest rate of interest at which the bidder will purchase the bonds at par. The bonds will be prepared and printed by the city and the successful bidder will be furnished with the opinion of Thomson, Wood & Hoffman, of New York, on the sewer bonds to the effect that they constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the city and said city has power and is obligated to levy ad valorem taxes for the payment of said bonds and interest thereon upon all its taxable property within the limits prescribed by law. Enclose a certified check for 5% of the amount of the bid, payable to the city.

NEW YORK

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ARCADE, N. Y.—BOND OFFERING—N. C. Saxton, Village Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 3 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 29, for the purchase of \$22,000 not to exceed 4% interest coupon or registered community building and fire station bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denoms. \$1,000 and \$500. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$1,500 from 1939 to 1942. incl. and \$2,000 from 1943 to 1950, incl. Principal and interest (M. & S.) payable at the Citizens Bank of Arcade. The bonds are general obligations of the village, payable from unlimited taxes. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ¼ or 1-10th of 1%. A certified check for \$440, payable to the order of the village, must accompany each proposal. The approving legal opinion of Dilion, Vandewater & Moore of New York City will be furnished the successful bidder.

CLARKSTOWN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4 (P. O. New City), N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$40,000 coupon or registered school bonds offered Aug. 25—V. 147, p. 1231—were awarded to Adams, McEntee & Co., Inc., New York, as 2.20s, at a price of 100.16, a basis of about 2.18%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due \$2,000 on Sept. 1 from 1939 to 1958 incl.

DOWNSVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Downsville),

DOWNSVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Downsville), I. Y.—BONDS VOTED—An issue of \$102,300 school construction bonds as authorized at the Aug. 12 election.

ELLENBURG, ALTONA, MOOERS AND CLINTON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Ellenburg Depot), N. Y.—BOND

SALE—The \$198,000 coupon or registered school bldg, bonds offered Aug. 19—V. 147, p. 1076—were awarded to E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc. and A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc., both of New York, jointly, as 2.70s, at 100.563, a basis of about 2.65%. Dated June 1, 1938 and due June 1 as follows: \$6.000, 1940 to 1942 incl.; \$7.000 from 1943 to 1945 incl.; \$8.000 from 1946 to 1948 incl. and \$9.000 from 1949 to 1963 incl. Reoffered by the bankers to yield from 1% to 2.75%, according to maturity.

Other bids:
Bidder—
R. D. White & Co. 2.75% 100.479
R. D. White & Co. 2.80% 100.20
Bancamerica-Blair Corp 2.80% 100.20
Bancamerica-Blair Corp 2.80% 100.23
Merchants National Bank, Plattsburg. 2.90% 100.23
Merchants National Bank, Plattsburg. 2.90% 100.25
Manufacturers & Traders Trust Co. 3.40% 100.459
FORT PLAIN, N. Y.—BONDS VOTED—John E. Barker, Village Clerk, reports the approval of an issue of \$73,700 street improvement bonds at the Aug. 23 election. ■

GREENBURGH UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8 (P. O.

reports the approval of an issue of \$73,700 street improvement bonds at the Aug. 23 election.

GREENBURGH UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8 (P. O. White Plains), N. Y.—BOND OFFERING—G. E. Beilharz, District Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 1:30 p. m. (daylight saving time) on Aug. 30 for the purchase of \$288,000 not to exceed 5% interest coupon or registered school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Nov. 1 as follows: \$10,000, 1939 to 1942 incl.; \$15,000, 1943 to 1947 incl.; \$10,000. 1948 to 1952 incl.; \$15,000, 1953 to 1957 incl.; \$10,000 from 1958 to 1961 incl. and \$8,000 in 1962. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ¼ or 1-10th of 1%. Principal and interest (M. & N.) payable at the First National Bank, of Elmsford, with New York exchange. The bonds are general obligations of the district, payable from unlimited taxes. A certified check for \$5,760, payable to the order of the district, must accompany each proposal. The approving legal opinion of Dillon, Vandewater & Moore of N. Y. City will be furnished the successful bidder.

HEMPSTEAD. N. Y.—SALE OF WEST HEMPSTEAD-HEMP-STEAD GARDENS WATER DISTRICT BONDS—The issue of \$65,000 coupon or registered water system bonds offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1076—was awarded to A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc., New York as 2.20s, at a price of 100.088. a basis of about 2.19%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due Sept. 1 as follows: \$3,000 from 1939 to 1953, incl. and \$4,000 from 1954 to 1958 inclusive.

inclusive.

HEMPSTEAD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6 (P. O. Seaford), N. Y.—BOND OFFERING.—Ada M. Robertson, District Clerk' will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m. (eastern standard time) on Aug. 31 for the purchase of \$137,000 not to exceed 6% interest coupon or registered school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$4,000 from 1941 to 1943 incl. and \$5,000 from 1944 to 1968 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of \$4\$ or 1-10th of 1%. Principal and interest (M. & S.) payable at the Seaford National Bank or at the Irving Trust Co., N. Y. City. The bonds are payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the Board of Education, must accompany each proposal. The approving legal opinion of Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow of N. Y. City will be furnished the successful bidder.

HENRY HUDSON PARKWAY AUTHORITY, N. Y.—BOND CALL

of N. Y. City will be furnished the successful bidder.

HENRY HUDSON PARKWAY AUTHORITY, N. Y.—BOND CALL—It is announced that all of the Authority's 4% sinking fund bonds, series A, due April 1, 1955, and its 3½% sinking fund bonds, series B, due April 1, 1955, have been caled for redemption, pursuant to terms of issue, on Oct. 1, 1938, at the Marine Midland Trust Co., 120 Broadway, New York City. The series A bonds will be paid off at a price of 103 and the series B at 102.50, plus accrued interest in each case to call date. Interest due on the coupon bonds on Oct. 1, 1938 will be paid only upon presentation and surrendar of the coupons maturing Oct. 1, 1938. Coupon bonds surrendered for redemption must have attached all coupons maturing subsequent to Oct. 1, 1938. Registered bonds and coupon bonds registered as to principal must be in satisfactory form for transfer.

LACKAWANNA N. Y.—BOND OFFERING—Robert E. Monaghan.

LACKAWANNA, N. Y.—BOND OFFERING—Robert E. Monaghan, City Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 1 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 31 for the purchase of \$225,600 not to exceed 4% interest coupon or registered bonds, divided as follows:

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\$35,000 public library addition bonds. Denom. \$1,000. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$3,000 from 1939 to 1943 incl., and \$4,000 from 1944 to 1948 incl.

9,200 machinery bonds. One bond for \$200, others \$1,000 each. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$2,200 in 1939; \$2,000 from 1940 to 1942 incl., and \$1,000 in 1943.

8,200 playground bonds. One bond for \$200, others \$1,000 each. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$1,200 in 1939, and \$1,000 from 1940 to 1946 incl.

Aug. 1 as follows: \$1,200 in 1939, and \$1,000 from 1940 to 1946 incl. as follows: \$7,500, 1939; \$8,000 from 1940 to 1952 incl., and \$9,000 from 1953 to 1958 incl.

7,700 voting machine bonds. One bond for \$700 others \$1,000 each. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$1,700 in 1939, and \$2,000 from 1940 to 1942 incl.

All of the bonds will be dated Aug. 1, 1938. Bidder to name a single

All of the bonds will be dated Aug. 1, 1938. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ or 1-10th of 1%. Prin. and int. (F. & A.) payable at the City Treasurer's office. The bonds are direct general obligations of the city, payable from unlimited taxes. A certified check for §4.512, payable to the order of the city, must accompany each proposal. The approving legal opinion of Dillon, Vandewater & Moore of New York City, will be furnished the successful bidder.

Financial Statement

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The assessed valuation of the real property of said city subject to taxation as it appears on the last preceding assessment roll, is \$45,035,324 and the total bonded debt of said city, including the \$225,600 bonds for sale is \$2,299,456,60. No deductions. The bonded debt above stated does not include the debt of any other subdivision having power to levy taxes upon any or ail of the property subject to the taxing power of the city. The population of said city (1930 census) was 23,948.

The approving opinion of Dillon, Vandewater & Moore, Attorneys of New York City, will be furnished to the purchaser without cost.

Total amount of taxes levied for the preceding three fiscal years: 1935 \$790,438.62; 1936, \$731.179.58; 1937, \$782.283.38.

Amount of such taxes uncollected at the end of each of said fiscal years: 1935, \$59,809.27; 1936, \$44.456.01; 1937, \$35.869.99.

Amount of such taxes uncollected as of Aug. 15, 1938: 1935, \$31,100.82; 1936, \$27.562.73; 1937, \$27.978.59.

Taxes levied for the fiscal year beginning Jan. 1, 1938, amount to \$801,-039.86 of which \$391,583.10 has been collected. Said taxes are paid in equal instalments due on March 20 and Sept. 1 with penalties.

LAKEWOOD, N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$125.000 coupon or registered sewer bonds offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1232, 1076—were awarded jointly to the Marine Trust Co. of Buffalo, and R. D. White & Co., New York, as 2.60s, at 100.62, a basis of about 2.55%. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$4,000, 1939 to 1950, incl.; \$5,000 from 1951 to 1957, incl. and \$6,000 from 1958 to 1964, incl. Bonds were re-offered to yield from 0.70% to 2.55% for the maturities from 1939 to 1960, incl., with the rest priced at par.

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MOUNT MORRIS, N. Y.—MATURITY—The \$2,750 land purchase bonds sold to the Genesee River National Bank of Mount Morris—V. 147, p. 1232—bear 4% interest and mature \$275 annually from 1939 to 1948, incl.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—SALE OF \$30,000,000 REVENUE BILLS—City Comptroller Joseph D. McGoldrick on Aug. 26 sold \$30,000,000 revenue notes to 26 banks and trust companies at an interest rate of 0.35%. Dated Aug. 29, 1938, 1938, and payable Nov. 1, 1938, from Oct. 1 tax instalment. Proceeds will be used to meet current municipal requirements. Allotments were as follows: Bankers Trust Co., \$2,400,000; Bank of the Manhattan Co., \$1,170,000; Bank of New York, \$360,000; Brooklyn Trust Co., \$330,000; Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., \$2,250,000; The Chase National Bank of the City of New York, \$430,000; Chemical Bank & Trust Co., \$1,170,000; The Commercial National Bank & Trust Co., \$1,170,000; The Continental Bank & Trust Co. of New York, \$60,000; Corn Exchange Bank Trust Co., \$840,000; Empire Trust Co., \$60,000; The Fifth Avenue Bank of New York, \$210,000; The First National Bank of the City of New York, \$1,500,000; The First National Bank of the City of New York, \$1,500,000; The First National Bank of the City of New York, \$1,500,000; The First National Bank of the City of New York, \$1,500,000; The Sirts National Bank of the City of New York, \$1,500,000; Hangs County Trust Co., \$90,000; Lawyers Trust Co., \$1,20,000; Manufacturers Trust Co., \$1,290,000; The Marine Midland Trust Co. of New York, \$210,000; The National City Bank of New York, \$4.290,000;

The New York Trust Co., \$840,000; The Public National Bank & Trust Co. of New York, \$300,000; Title Guarantee & Trust Co., \$60,000; United States Trust Co. of New York, \$240,000; J. P. Morgan & Co., \$1,140,000.

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OLEAN, N. Y.—BOND OFFERING—W. T. Donigan, City Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 1 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 30 for the purchase of \$76,400 not to exceed 5% interest coupon or registered public works bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. One bond for \$400, others \$1,000 each. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$8,400, 1940; \$7,000 from 1941 to 1944 incl., and \$10,000 from 1945 to 1948 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a muttiple of ½ or 1-10th of 1%. Prin. and int. (M. & S.) payable at the Chase National Bank, New York City. The bonds are general obligations of the city, payable from unlimited taxes. Purchaser to accept delivery and pay for bonds at principal office of the Marine Trust Co. of Buffalo, on or about Sept. 14. A certified check for \$1,500, payable to the order of the city, is required. Approving legal opinion of Dillon, Vandewater & Moore of New York City will be furnished the successful bidder. (Preliminary report of this offering appeared in V. 147, p. 1232).

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Finantial Statement

The assessed valuation of the property subject to the taxing power of the city is \$23,229.855. The total bonded debt of the city, including the above mentioned bonds, is \$1,286,160. The population of the city (1930 censes) was 21,792. The bonded debt above stated does not include the debt of any other subdivision having power to levy taxes upon any or all of the property subject to the taxing power of the city. The fiscal year commences June 1. The amount of taxes levied for the fiscal years commencing June 1, 1935, June 1, 1936 and June 1, 1937, was respectively \$357,598.23, \$382,509.01 and \$346,589.97. The amount of such taxes uncollected at the end of each of said fiscal years was respectively \$44,535.93, \$30,565.31 and \$27,962.79. The amount of such taxes remaining uncellected as of Aug. 9, 1933 is respectively \$ none, \$ none, and \$26,733.15. The taxes for the fiscal year commencing June 1, 1938 amount to \$378,-352.78, of which \$329,294.72 has been collected.

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PERU, AUSABLE, SARANAC, SCHUYLER FALLS AND BLACK BROOK CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Peru), N. Y. —BOND SALE—The \$156,750 coupon or registered school building bonds offered Aus. 19—V. 147, p. 1076—were awarded to Kidder, Peabody & Co. and Roosevelt & Welgold, Inc., both of New York, jointly, as 2.60s, at a price of 100.55, a basis of about 2.57%, Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due Sept. 1 as follows: \$4,750, 1939; \$4,000 from 1940 to 1945, incl.; \$5,000 from 1946 to 1955, incl.; \$6,000 from 1956 to 1968, incl. Other bids:

Bidder—	Int. Rate	Rate Bid
Merchants National Bank of Plattsburg	- 2.60%	100.31
Sherwood & Reichard, Campbell, Phelps & Co. and	1	
Bacon, Stevenson & Co	2.70%	100.48
Marine Trust Co. of Buffalo and R. D. White & Co.	2.70%	100.40
Bancamerica-Blair Corp.: George B. Gibbons &		200.20
Co., Inc., and Adams, McEntee & Co., Inc.	2.75%	100.27
Manufacturers & Traders Trust Co., Buffalo	2.80%	100.399
E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.	2.80%	100.18
	2.00/0	100.10

ROME, N. Y.—BONDS DEFEATED—At the Aug. 12 election the voters rejected the proposed issues of \$245,000 water and \$150,000 school bonds. ROME SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 14 (P. O. Rome), N. Y.—BOND SALE—An issue of \$10,000 school bonds was sold on Aug. 16 to the Manufacturers & Traders Trust. Co. of Buffalo, as 3.90s. at a price of 100.347.

SARATOGA COUNTY (P. O. Saratoga Springs), N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$100,000 coupon or registered series 2 of 1938 highway bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1076, 1232—were awarded to the Troy Savings Bank of Troy, as 1.30s, at a price of 100.11, a basis of about 1.28%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due \$10,000 on Sept. 1 from 1939 to 1948, incl. Other bids:

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Sherwood & Reichard, and George B. Gibbons &	Int. Rate	Rate Bia
Co., Inc.	1.50%	100,149
Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.	1.50%	100.027
Manufacturers & Traders Trust Co. of Buffaio	1.90%	100.199

SENECA FALLS, N. Y.—BONDS VOTED—An issue of \$130,000 water improvement bonds carried by a vote of 363 to 79 at the election on Aug. 16.

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TRENTON, REMSEN, DEERFIELD, MARCY, FLOYD, STEUBEN, WESTERN AND RUSSIA CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Holland Patent), N. Y.—BOND OFFERING—Elmer R. Jones, District Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 1:30 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 30 for the purchase of \$12,000 not to exceed 6% interest coupon or registered school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. 1,000. Due \$2,000 on Sept. 1 from 1939 to 1944, incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of \(\frac{1}{2}\) for 1-10th of 1\(\frac{1}{2}\). Principal and interest, expressed in a multiple of \(\frac{1}{2}\) for 1-10th of 1\(\frac{1}{2}\). Principal and interest (M. & S.) payable at the First National Bank, Holland Patent or at the First National Bank, New York City. A certified check for \$200, payable to the order of George A. Jepson, District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. Legal opinion of Reed, Hoyt, Washburn & Clay of New York City will be furnished the successful bidder. Bonds are payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes on all of the district's taxable TUPPER LAKE. N. Y. ROND CALLE.

TUPPER LAKE, N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$25,000 coupon registered public improvement bonds offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1076 were awarded to J. & W. Seligman & Co. of New York City, as 2s, at 1 and premium of \$27.50, equol to 100.11, a basis of about 1.98%. Dat Aug. 15, 1938 and due Aug. 15 as follows: \$2,000 from 1939 to 1943, in and \$3,000 from 1944 to 1948, incl. Other bids:

Bidder— Manufacturers & Traders Trust Co., Buffalo— R. D. White & Co., New York City— Bancamerica-Blair Corp., New York City— Marine Trust Co. of Buffalo, Buffalo— Newburgh Savings Bank, Newburgh— Equitable Securities Corp., New York City— Sherwood & Reichard, New York City— E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., New York City— Tupper Lake National Bank, Tupper Lake—	2.20% 2.20% 2.25% 2.25% 2.30% 2.40%	Premium \$74.75 78.25 50.00 40.00 25.00 68.75 55.00 90.00
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ALBEMARLE, N. C.—BOND SALE—The two issues of bonds aggregating \$90,000, offered for sale on Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1232—were awarded to Scott, Horner & Mason of Lynchburg, as follows: \$50,000 municipal building bonds for a premium of \$32, equal to 100.064, a basis of about 3.09%, on the bonds divided as follows: \$27.000 as 3¼s, maturing on Sept. 1: \$2,000, 1941 to 1946, and \$3,000, 1947 to 1951 to 1956, and \$4,000 in 1957 and 1958.

40,000 water bonds for a premium of \$27, equal to 100.067, a basis of about 3.05%, divided as follows: \$16,000 as 3¼s, maturing on Sept. 1: \$1,000, 1941 to 1946, and \$2,000 1947 to 1951, the remaining \$24,000 as 3s, due \$2,000 from 1952 to 1963 incl.

BERTIE COUNTY (P. O. Windsor). N. C.—NOTE SALE—The

BERTIE COUNTY (P. O. Windsor), N. C.—NOTE SALE—The \$10,000 issue of bond anticipation notes offered for sale on Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1232—was purchased by the Bank of Windsor, as 4½s, at par. Dated Aug. 18, 1938. Due from July 18, 1939 to 1941.

BURLINGTON, N. C.—BOND SALE—The three issues of coupon onds aggregating \$221,000, offered for sale on Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1077—

MORGANTON, N. C.—BOND OFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 11 a. m. (E. S. T.) on Aug. 30, by W. E. Easterling, Secretary of the Local Government Commission, at his office in Raleigh, for the purchase of the following issues of not exceed 6% semi-annual coupon bonds aggregating \$350,000:

Local Government Commission, at his office in Raleigh, for the purchase of the following issues of not exceed 6% semi-annual coupon bonds aggregating \$350,000:

\$125,000 street improvement bonds. Due on Nov. 1 as follows: \$4,000, 1940 to 1949; \$5,000, 1950, and \$10,000, 1951 to 1958.

200,000 water and light bonds. Due on Nov. 1 as follows: \$3,000, 1940 to 1949; \$4,000, 1950, 300, 1951, and \$7,000 from 1952 to 1974.

25,000 sewer bonds. Due on Nov. 1 as follows: \$3,000, 1940 to 1950, and \$2,000 in 1951 to 1957.

Dated May 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. General obligations; unlimited tax; registerable as to principal alone, and delivery at place of purchaser's choice on or about Sept. 14. Principal and interest payable in New York City. A separate bid for each issue (not less than par and accrued interest) is required. Bidders are requested to name the interest rate or rates, in multiples of ¼ of 1%; each bid may name one rate for part of the bonds of any issue (having the earliest maturities) and another rate for the balance, but no bid may name more than two rates for any issue, and each bidder must specify in his bid the amount of the bonds of each rate. The bonds will be awarded to the bidder offering to purchase the bonds at the lowest interest cost to the town, such cost to be determined by deducting the total amount of the premium bid from the aggregate amount of interest upon all of the bonds until their respective maturities. Bids must be on a form to be furnished by the above Secretary. Enclose a certified check upon an incorporated bank or trust company, payable unconditionally to the order of the State Treasurer for 87,000. The approving opinion of Masslich & Mitchell of New York City, will be furnished the purchaser.

NORTH CAROLINA, State of—REPORT ON MUNICIPALA UTHOR-I2ATIONS AND SALES—A special dispatch from Raleigh to the "Wall Street Journal" of Aug. 26 reported as follows:

"The North Carolina Local Government Commission this week sold 3372,000 of municipal and county bonds and authorized new issues

SHELBY, N. C.—BOND SALE—The \$30,000 issue of municipal building bonds offered for sale on Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1232—was awarded to Scott, Horner & Mason of Lynchburg, Va., paying a premium of \$29.00, equal to 100.09, a net interest cost of about 2.82%, on the bonds divided as follows: \$15,000 as 2½s, maturing on Feb 1: \$2,000, 1941 to 1943, and \$3,000, 1944 to 1946; the remaining \$15,000 as 3s, maturing \$3,000 from Feb. 1, 1947 to 1951 incl.

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Bidaer—	Rate	Price
R. S. Dickson & Co. For the first \$21,000	314%1	
For the balance	3%	\$30.061.00
Seasongood & Mayer	314%	30.051.75
Equitable Securities Corp	314%	30.031.50
F. W. Cragie & Co	30%	30.029.10
wm. B. Greene Co	3%	30.027.55
Scott Horner & Mason, Inc. For the first \$15,000	212%1	30.029.00
) For the balance	3%	00,020.00
McAlister Smith & Pate, Inc.		
Vance Young & Hardin, Inc.	3%	30,083.10
Vance Young & Hardin, Inc. Kirchofer & Arnold, Inc. For the first \$14,000 For the balance Oscar Burnett & Co. Wachovia Bank & Trust Co.	36	30,000.00
For the balance	23/07	. 00,000,00
Oscar Burnett & Co	30%	30,136,10
Wachovia Bank & Trust Co	0 70	00,100.10
Lewis& & Hall Company	31/4%	30,090.00
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WINTON, N. C.—BOND SALE—The \$26,500 issue of coupon water and sewer bonds offered for sale on Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 1232—was awarded to Kirchofer & Arnold of Raleigh, as 5s, payaing a premium of \$29,00, equal to 100.10, a basis of about 4.99%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due from Sept. 1, 1941 to 1959 incl.

The bids were officially reported as follows:

Bidder—

S. Dickorp & G. (North first \$15,500.

Bidder—
R. S. Dickson & Co. (For the first \$16,500 For the balance
Farmers Bank of Sunbury
Kirchofer & Arnold, Inc \$26,513.30

NORTH DAKOTA

BOWMAN, N. Dak.—MATURITY—It is stated by the Village Clerk that the \$24,000 sewage disposal plant bonds purchased by the First National Bank of Dickinson, as 5s, at par, as noted here on Aug. 6—V. 147, p. 928—are due on July 1 as follows: \$1,000, 1940 to 1943; \$1,500, 1944 to 1949; \$3,000, 1950 and \$4,000 in 1951 and 1952.

FINLEY, N. Dak.—BONDS NOT SOLD—The \$5,000 issue of coupon sewer bonds offered on Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1077—was not sold as no bids were received, according to the City Auditor. Due from Aug. 1, 1940 to 1958.

MONTPELIER, N. Dak.—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors that \$1,200 funding bonds were purchased by the Alexander Co. of Jamestown, as 5s, at par.

NORTH DAKOTA (State of)—BOND OFFERED TO PUBLIC—Offering is being made of an issue of \$25,000 bonds, due 1950-60. by a banking group composed of John Nuveen & Co., Wells-Dicky Co., Allison-Williams Co., and Kalman & Co., Inc. The bonds are priced to yield

.20 to 3.30%. In connection with the offering of the bonds, direct obliations additionally secured by farm first mortgage and real estate with pproximate value of \$18,000,000, it is pointed out by the bankers that in he last 7 years the State has cut bonded debt 46.7% and has never deaulted or refunded any of its obligations.

OHIO MUNICIPALS

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ADAMS-NORTH RICHLAND TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT. Ohio—BOND ELECTION—The above district, recently created, will hold an election on Sept. 6 on the proposal to issue \$66,000 bonds to pay part of the cost of the projected \$120,000 school building. The Public Works Administration has set aside a grant of \$54,000 for the project.

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ATHENS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—
E. R. Walker, District Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m. on Sept. 10 for the purchase of \$199,000 3% school bonds. Dated Nov. 1. 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due as follows: \$2,000 June 1 and Dec. 1, 1940: \$4,000 June 1 and Dec. 1, 1941; \$5,000 June 1 and \$4,000 Dec. 1, 1942; \$4,000 June 1 and Dec. 1, 1943 to 1953 incl.; \$5,000 June 1 and \$4,000 Dec. 1, 1943 to 1953 incl.; \$5,000 June 1 and \$4,000 Dec. 1 from 1954 to 1963 incl. Bidder may name a different rate of interest. Provided that fractional rates are expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Interest J. & D. A certified check for 1% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the Board of Education, must accompany each proposal. The approving opinion of Peck, Shaffer & Williams of Cincinnati will be furnished the successful bidder.

BOWLING GREEN Ohio.—BONDS DEFE 4 TED—The voters declined.

BOWLING GREEN, Ohio—BONDS DEFEATED—The voters declined authorized a \$70,000 hospital bond issue at the Aug. 9 election.

CANFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The First leveland Corp. has purchased an issue of \$85,000 notes as 3s, at par us a premium of \$1,250.

CLEVELAND HEIGHTS, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—H. M. Kimpel. Director of Finance, will receive sealed bids until noon (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 10 for the purchase of \$231,000 3% refunding bonds, divided as follows:

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\$18,000 first series bonds, payable from taxes levied outside the 15-mil limitation. Due Oct. 1 as follows: \$4,000, 1940; \$3,000, 1941; \$4,000, 1942; \$3,000 in 1943, and \$4,000 in 1944.

213,000 second series bonds, payable from taxes levied inside the 15-mill limitation. Due Oct. 1 as follows: \$43,000, 1940; \$42,000, 1941; \$43,000, 1942; \$42,000 in 1943 and \$43,000 in 1944.

All of the bonds will be dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, provided fractional rates are expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Principal and interest (A. & O.) payable at the office of the Director of Finance, or at the legal depository of the City in Cleveland. A certified check for 3% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the Director of Finance, is required.

CUYAHOGA FALLS. Ohio—BOND OFFERING—J. E. Preston, City

order of the Director of Finance, is required.

CUYAHOGA FALLS, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—J. E. Preston, City Auditor, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 9 for the purchase of \$231,000 4%, refunding bonds, divided as follows:

\$45,000 general bonds. Dated June 1. 1938. Due as follows: \$1,000, June 1 and \$3,000, Dec. 1. 1944; \$4,000, June 1 and \$3,000, Dec. 1, 1945 to 1949 inc. and \$3,000, June 1 and Dec. 1, 1950.

186,000 special assessment bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due \$10,000, June 1 and \$0,000, Dec. 1, 1940 to 1943 incl. and \$10,000, June 1 and \$0,000, Dec. 1, 1944 to 1949, incl.

All of the bonds will be in \$1,000 denoms., with interest payable J. & D. Bidder may name a differednt rate of interest, provided that fractional rates are expressed in multiples of \$4 of 1%. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, must accompany each proposa.

EATON, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids addressed to H. N.

pany each proposal.

EATON, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids addressed to H. N. Swain, Village Clerk, will be received until noon on Sept. 6 for the purchase of \$20,000 4% elevated tank, appurtenances and piping connection bonds. Dated Aug. 15, 1938. Denom. \$500. Due as follows: \$500, Aug. 15, 1940; \$500, Feb. 15 and Aug. 15, 1941 to 1959 incl. and \$500, Feb. 15, 1960. Interest F. & A. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, provided that fractional rates are expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to the order of the Village Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

ELIDA SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BOND ISSUE DETAILS—The \$72,000 bonds purchased by the State Teachers' Retirement System bear 3% interest not 4½% as reported in—V. 147, p. 1078. Dated Oct. 1, 1938, and due semi-annually, first instalment on April 1, 1940. Denom. \$1,800. Interest A. & O.

1938, and due semi-annually, first instalment on April 1, 1940. Denom. \$1,800. Interest A. & O.

GREEN RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Greensburg), Ohio—BOND ISSUE CONTRACT—The District Clerk reports that the \$95,000 building bonds authorized at the Aug. 9 election have been contracted for.

HOPEWELL-LOUDON SCHOOL DISTRICT, Sandusky County, Ohio—BOND SALE—An issue of \$110,000 school bldg. bonds was sold on \$4.02. 17 to Seasongood & Mayer of Cincinnati, as 2½s, at par, plus a premium of \$1,651.85, equal to 101.501.

HOWARD RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BOND OFFERING Bonnie Hammond, District Clerk, will receive scaled bids until noon (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 14, for the purchase of \$46,750 not to exceed 3½% interest building bonds. Dated Sept. 15, 1938. One bond for \$750, others \$1,000 each. Due as follows: \$1,000 April 1 and oct. 1, 1940 to 1943, incl.; \$1,000 April 1 and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1944; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1945; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1945; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1945; \$1,000 April 1 and 0ct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and 0ct. 1, 1955; \$1,000 April 1 and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1955; \$1,000 April 1 and \$2,000 ct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1955; \$1,000 April 1 and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1955; \$1,000 April 1 and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1950 to 1953, incl.; \$1,000 April 1 and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1950; \$1,000 April 1 and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1950 to 1953, incl.; \$1,000 April 1, and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1950 to 1953, incl.; \$1,000 April 1, and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1 and Oct. 1, 1950 to 1953, incl.; \$1,000 April 1, and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1, and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1, and Oct. 1, 1950 to 1953, incl.; \$1,000 April 1, and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1, and Oct. 1, 1950 to 1953, incl.; \$1,000 April 1, and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1, and \$2,000 oct. 1, 1954; \$1,000 April 1, and Oct. 1, 1950 to 1953, incl.; \$1,000 Ap

HUNTINGTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Denver), Ohio—BONDS REJECTED—On Aug. 9 the voters refused to authorize an issue of \$25,000 construction bonds.

IRONTON, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Ralph F. Mittendorf, City Auditor, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 8, for the purchase of \$29,158.15 6% funding bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. One bond for \$158.15, others \$1,000 each. Due Oct. 1 as follows: \$2,158.15 in 1944. and \$3,000 from 1945 to 1953, incl. Principal and interest (A. & O.) payable at the First National Bank, Ironton. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, provided fractional rates are expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. A certified check for \$300, payable to the order of the city, must accompany each proposal.

proposal.

LORAIN COUNTY (P. O. Lorain), Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Fred C. Ruth, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 8, for the purchase of \$1.580,000 not to exceed 4% interest bridge construction bonds. Dated Sept. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due as follows: \$30,000 April 1 and 0ct. 1 from 1940 to 1948, incl.; \$30,000 April 1 and \$35.000 Oct. 1 from 1949 to 1964, incl. Rate of interest to be expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Interest A. & O. The legislation in connection with the issue has been prepared under the supervision of Squire, Sanders & Dempsey of Cleveland. Successful bidder to pay for cost of printing the bonds and, if one is desired, for the opinion approving the validity of the debt. A certified check for \$15.800, payable to the order of the county, must accompany each proposal.

MAD RIVER TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O.

MAD RIVER TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. R. F. D. No. 3), Ohio—BONDS DEFEATED—An issue of \$66,000 school bonds was defeated at the Aug. 9 election.

MANSFIELD, Ohio—BOND SALE DETAILS—The \$9,000 storm sewer onds sold to the Sinking Fund—V. 147, p. 1233—bear 3% interest, were old at par and mature \$1,800 on Oct. 1 from 1939 to 1943, inclusive.

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MASSILLON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—H. S. Zepp, Clerk of the Board of Education, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 12 for the purchase of \$473,000 not to exceed 4% interest building and equipment bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due as follows: \$10,000 April 1 and Oct. 1 from 1940 to 1944, incl.; \$10,000 April 1 and \$11,000 Oct. 1, 1945; \$11,000 April 1 and Oct. 1 from 1946 to 1961, incl. Rate of interest to be expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Principal and interest (A. & O.) payable at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education. A certified check for 1%, payable to the order of the Board, must accompany each proposal. Successful bidder will be required to furnish the legal opinion and the necessary bond blanks ready for execution at his own expense.

MONTPELIER EXEMPTED SCHOOL DISTRICT. Ohio—NOTE

MONTPELIER EXEMPTED SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE ALE—The issue of \$140,000 notes offered Aug. 22 was awarded to the ancOhio Securities Co. of Columbus, as 24/s, at a price of 102.235 ohl & Co., Inc. of Cincinnati, second high bidder, offered to pay 102.235

MONTPELIER SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BONDS VOTED—An issue of \$140,000 school bonds was approved by a vote of 1,235 to 138 on Aug. 9.

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Ashtabula), Ohio—BOND OFFERING—H. E. Fleissner, District Clerk, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 10 for the purchase of \$35,000 coupon building bonds. Dated Aug. 15, 1938. Denom. \$875. Due \$875 on Mar. 1 and Sept. 1 from 1940 to 1959, incl. Principal and interest payable in Austabula. This issue was authorized at the Aug. 9 primary election. A certified check for 5% of the bonds bid for must accompany each proposal.

ROSS COUNTY (P. O. Chillicothe), Ohio—BONDS DEFEATED At the Aug. 9 primary election the voters declined to approve an issue \$75,000 county infirmary bonds.

ST. HENRY SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. St. Henry), Ohio—BOND SALE—The \$45,000 school building bonds offered Aug. 19—V. 147, p. 1233—were awarded to Ryan, Sutherland & Co. of Toledo as 3s, at a price of 102.31. Second high bidder was the State Teachers' Retirement System, which bid a price of 102.03 fcr 3s.

SALEM CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BONDS VOTED—An issue of \$68,000 school building bonds was approved by a vote of 1,818 to 654 at the Aug. 9 election.

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SUNBURY, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Bertha Huddleston, Village Clerk, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 9 for the purchase of \$25,000 not to exceed 6% interest sewage system and treatment plant bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. \$500. Due \$2,500 on Oct. 1 from 1939 to 1948 incl. Rate of interest to be expressed in multiples of ¼ of 1%. Interest A. & O. Bonds payable from a tax outside the 10-mill limit. A certified check for 1% of the bid, payable to the order of the village, must accompany each proposal.

TOLEDO, Ohio—BOND SALE—The \$31,263 special assessment street inprovement bonds offered Aug. 23—V. 147, p. 928—were awarded to Stranshan, Harris & Co., Inc. and Ryan, Sutherland & Co., both of Toledo, jointly, as 2¾s, at par plus a premium of \$216.08, equal to 100.69, a basis of about 2.46%. Dated Aug. 1, 1938 and due Sept. 1 as foliows: \$7,263 in 1940, and \$8,000 from 1941 to 1943 incl. Second high bid of 100.58 for 2¾s was submitted by Braun, Bosworth & Co. of Toledo.

TOLEDO CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—May S. Foster, Clerk-Treasurer of the Board of Education, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 14 for the purchase of \$60,000 3% vocation high school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$3,000 on Oct. 1 from 1940 to 1959 incl. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, provided that fractional rates are expressed in a multiple of ¼ of 1%. Interest A. & O. A certified check for \$600, payable to the order of the Clerk-Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. Successful bidder may obtain at his own expense the approving legal opinion of Squire, Sanders & Dempsey of Cleveland.

WASHINGTON COUNTY (P. O. Marietta), Ohio—BOND OFFERING

Dempsey of Cleveland.

WASHINGTON COUNTY (P. O. Marietta), Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Fulton H. Quigley, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, will receive sealed bids until noon on Sept. 12 for the purchase of \$16,500 4% school building bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denoms. \$900 and \$800. Due as follows: \$900 March 1 and Sept. 1, 1940 and 1941; \$900 March 1 and \$800 Sept. 1, 1942; and \$800 March 1 and Sept. 1 from 1943 to 1949 incl. Bidder may name a different interest rate, provided that fractional rates are expressed in a multiple of ½ of 1%. Interest M. & S. A certified check for \$200, payable to the order of the Board of Commissioners, must accompany each proposal.

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ADA SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Ada), Okla.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by Frances M. Wallace, Clerk of the Board of Education, until 2 p. m. on Aug. 30 for the purchase of a \$98,500 issue of school building and equipment bonds. Due \$6,000 from 1941 to 1955, and \$8,500 in 1956. Said bonds shall be sold to the bidder bidding the lowest rate of interest the bonds shall bear and agreeing to pay par and accrued interest for the bonds. Each bidder shall submit with his bid a sum in cash or its equivalent equal to 2% of the amount of his bid.

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GRAINOLA SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Grainola), Okla.—BOND SALE—The \$18,000 issue of building bonds offered for sale on Aug. 15—
V. 147, p. 1079—was awarded to C. Edgar Honnold of Okiahoma City, taking the first \$8,000 bonds as 3%s, the remaining \$10,000 as 4s. Due \$2,000 annually from 1941 to 1949, incl. The price paid was particle and

\$2,000 annually from 1941 to 1949, incl. The price paid was par.

HOLLIS, Okla.—BOND OFFERING—It is reported that sealed bids will be received until 10 a. m. on Aug. 30, by L. Guest, City Clerk, for the purchase of a \$13,000 issue of not to exceed 6% semi-annual sewer bonds.

Due \$1,000 from 1948 to 1960 incl. Said bonds shall be sold to the bidder bidding the lowest rate of interest the bonds shall bear and agreeing to pay par and accrued interest for the bonds. Each bidder shall submit with his bid a sum in cash or its equivalent equal to 2% of the amount of his bid

LEFLORE COUNTY UNION GRADED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61 (P. O. Octavia), Okla.—BOND OFFERING—It is said that sealed bids will be received until 10 a. m. on Aug. 29, by K. M. Mowdy, District Clerk, for the purchase of a \$4,000 issue of building bonds. Bidders to name the rate of interest. Due \$500 from 1945 to 1952 incl. A certified check for 2% of the bid is required.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—BOND ELECTION CONTEMPLATED—City Council is expected to take action soon on proposal of City Manager W. A. Quinn and others to hold special election Sept. 27 on an issue of \$3,939,650 for construction of a Bluff Creek reservoir for the municipal water system, and application for grant of \$3,223,350 has been forwarded to Public Works Administration.

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OKLAHOMA, State of—NOTES OFFERED FOR INVESTMENT—Halsey, Stuart & Co. Inc. and C. Edgar Honnold, Oklahoma City, are offering \$1.713,000 2% Treasury notes, \$1,413,000 of which are dated Aug. 20, 1938, and \$300,000 Sept. 1, 1938, at prices to yield 0.50%. The notes will mature on May 1, 1939.

These notes, issued for the purpose of funding outstanding warrants, constitute, in the opinion of counsel, valid and legally binding obligations

of the State of Oklahoma. In the opinion of the bankers, the notes are legal investment for savings banks in New York, Massachusetts, Connecti-

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Assessed valuation as officially reported Aug. 16, 1938, is \$1,214,908,401, Assessed valuation as officially reported Aug. 16, 1938, is \$1,214,908,401, while total bonds and notes outstanding after giving effect to the present financing are \$16,469,100.

POWER SALE—The \$40,000 bonds offered Aug. 23—

POTEAU, Okla.—BOND SALE—The \$40,000 bonds offered Aug. 23— V. 147, p. 1079—were awarded to C. Edgar Honnold of Oklahoma City. Sale consisted of \$18,000 water works, \$9,000 sewer, \$10,000 street improvement and \$3,000 fire station issues.

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WAGONER, Okla.—BOND OFFERING DETAILS—In connection with the offering scheduled for Aug. 29 of the \$25,000 not to exceed 4% sem-annual water works improvement bonds, reported in our issue of Aug. 20–V. 147, p. 1233—we are advised by V. A. Johnson, City Clerk, that the bonds will mature \$2,000 annually from 1941 to 1952, and \$1,000 in 1953. Said bonds shall be sold to the bidder bidding the lowest rate of interest the bonds shall bear and agreeing to pay par and accrued interest for the bonds. Each bidder shall submit with his bid a sum in cash or its equivalent equal to 2% of the amount of his bid. The Mayor and City Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

OREGON

MARION COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 118 (P. O. Salem), Ore.—WARRANT OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 8 p. m. on Aug. 29 by Carl Krehblel, District Clerk, for the purchase of a \$2,000 issue of not to exceed 31/6 semi-annual warrants. Dated July 1, 1938. Due \$400 from July 1, 1939 to 1943, incl. Prin. and int. payable at the office of the County Treasurer or at the State's fiscal agency in New York. A certified check for \$100 must accompany the bid.

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AMBLER SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BOND SALE—The \$165,000 coupon, registerable as to principal only, school bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 929—were awarded jointly to Stroud & Co. and Schmidt, Poole & Co., both of Philadelphia, as 2½s, at 102.28, a basis of about 2.06%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due Sept. 1 as follows: \$7,000 from 1941 to 1959 incl. and \$8,000 from 1960 to 1963 incl. and \$8,000 from 1960 to 1963 incl. The bankers re-offered the bonds to yield 1% to 2.15%, according to maturity.

BALDWIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—To ISSUE BONDS—The district is expected to seil about Nov. 1 an issue of \$200,000 school construction bonds. They will be dated Nov. 1, 1938 and mature \$10,000 annually from 1941 to 1960 incl. Loan was authorized at the May 17 election.

BLAWNOX, Pa.—BOND SALE—The issue of \$35,000 coupon bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 929—was awarded to Singer, Deane & Scribner of Pittsburgh, as 2½s, at par plus a premium of \$215, equat to 100.614%, a basis of about 2.44%. Dated Sept. 15, 1938 and due \$5,000 on Sept. 15 from 1947 to 1953 incl. A number of other bids were submitted for the issue

BROCKWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BOND OFFERING.—D. E. Gillung, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. on Sept. 6 for the purchase of \$20,000 2, 2½, 2½, 2½, 3, 3½, 3½, 3¾ or 4% coupon, registerable as to principal only improvement bonds. Dated Oct. 1 1938. Denom. \$1 000. Due Oct. 1 as follows: \$2,000 in 1942, and \$1,000 from 1943 to 1960 incl. Bidder to name one rate of interest covering the entire issue. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

CAMBRIA COUNTY (P. O. Ebensburg), Pa.—BOND OFFERING—Henry L. Cannon, County Comptroler, will receive scaled bids until Sept. 7 for the purchase of \$207,000 not to exceed 2% interest refunding bonds, Denom, \$1,000. Due July 31 as follows: \$30,000, 1939; \$50,000, 1940; \$40,000, 1941; \$57,000 in 1942, and \$30,000 in 1944.

\$40,000, 1941; \$57,000 in 1942, and \$30,000 in 1944.

ELKLAND, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—F. L. Stedge, Borough Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 29 for the purchase of \$28,000 1 1/4s. 2, 21/4, 21/4, 21/4, 3, 31/4 or 31/6 coupon sewer bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. 1,000. Due \$2,000 on Oct. 1 from 1939 to 1952 inci. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, payable A. & O. Sale of bonds is subject to approval of the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs; any other legal opinion is to be paid for by the successfu bidder. A certified check for 2% of the bid, payable to the order of the Borough Treaurer, must accompany each proposal.

FOUNTAIN HILL PR.—BOND OFFEEDING—F. T. Suppmers, Paragraph.

FOUNTAIN HILL, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—F. T. Summers, Borough Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7 p. m. on Sept. 12 for the purchase of \$35,000 2½s, 2½ or 3% coupon or registered refunding and sanitary sewer construction bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000 Due Oct. 1, as follows: \$4,000 from 1941 to 1945, incl. and \$5,000 from 1946 to 1948 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, payable A. & O. A certified check for 2%, payable to the order of the Borough Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

GLADE TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Warren), Pa.—BONDS VOTED—The voters authorized an issue of \$20,000 building bonds at an election on Aug. 9.

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GLASSPORT, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—John P. Hester, Borough Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (Daylight Saving Time) on Sept. 12 for the purchase of \$30,000 coupon bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$2,000 on Oct. 1 1941 to 1945 incl.; 1947 and 1948, and from 1951 to 1958 incl. Bidder to name single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ¼ of 1%. Sale of bonds is subject to approval of the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs. A certified check for \$500, payable to the order of the Borough Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. The approving opinion of Burgwin, Scully & Churchill of Pittsburgh will be furnished the successful bidder.

HARMONY TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Ambridge), Pa.—TIME OF SALE—Sealed bids for purchase of the \$90,000 not to exceed 3½% school bonds scheduled for sale on Sept. 12—V. 147, p. 1234—will be opened at 6:30 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time), not 6 p. m., as previously reported.

HAZELTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—D. T. Evans, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 13 for the purchase of \$75,000 2.2½,2½,2½,3,4,3½,3½,3½,4,4,4½ or 4½% coupon, registerable as to principal only, refunding bonds. Dated Sept. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 15 as follows: \$7,000, 1939; \$8,000, 1940; \$7,000, 1941; \$8,000, 1942; \$7,000, 1943; \$8,000, 1944; \$7,000, 1945; \$8,000, 1946; \$7,000 in 1947, and \$8,000 n 1948. Bidder to name a single rate of interest on all of the bonds. Interest M. & S. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for, payable to

the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. Bonds will be sold subject to approving legal opinion of Townsend, Elliott & Munson of Philadelphia. A comprehensive report on the financial and economic status of the district has been prepared for distribution, upon request, by Palmer & Co., First National Bank Bldg., Easton, Pa.

HIGHSPIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—Bessie M. Poorman, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 6 for the purchase of \$45,000 2½, 2½, 3, 3½, 3½, 3¼, or 4% coupon, registerable as to principal only, school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom \$1,000. Due March 1 as follows: \$1,000 from 1940 to 1942 incl. and \$2,000 from 1943 to 1963 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, payable M. & S. The bonds will be issued subject to approving legal opinion of Townsend, Elliott & Munson of Philadelphia. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. (This issue was previously offered July 26, when all bids were rejected.—V. 147, p. 783.)

HOUTZDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BIDS REJECTED—The \$15,000 4% school bonds offered Aug. 20—V. 147, p. 1079—were not sold, as the bids were rejected. Dated July 1, 1938 and due \$1,000 on July 1 from 1941 to 1955 incl. Bonds due after July 1, 1947, are callable on any interest date.

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NORTH FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Washington, R. D. 6), Pa.—BOND OFFERING—Harry W. Gabby, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7:30 p. m. on Sept. 3 for the purchase of \$9,000 not to exceed 4% interest coupon school bonds. Dated Oct. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Oct. 1 as follows: \$2,000 from 1941 to 1944, incl., and \$1,000 in 1945. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ¼ of 1%. Interest A. & O. A certified check for \$250, payable to the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. Sale of bonds is subject to approval of the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs.

Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs.

PATTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Turtle Creek, R. F. D.), Pa.—BOND OFFERING—J. A. Griffith, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 7 for the purchase of \$57,000 coupon school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$3,000 on Sept. 1 from 1940 to 1958 incl. Bidder to name rate of interest, expressed in multiples of ½ of 1%. Sale of bonds is subject to approval of the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs, and the approving legal opinion of Burgwin, Scully & Churchill of Pittsburgh. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

PITTSRIEGH Pa.—NOTE SALE—The issue of \$50,000 promisers.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—NOTE SALE—The issue of \$50,000 promissory notes offered Aug. 24 was awarded to the Union Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, at 0.50% interest, plus premium of \$55. Dated June 1, 1933 and due June 1, 1939. Legality approved by Reed, Smith, Shaw & McClay of Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—NOTE OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 10 a. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 31 for the purchase of \$3,300,000 not to exceed 2½% interest public improvement notes, dated Sept. 1, 1938, in \$50,000 denoms. and due in one year. Interest payable semi-annually.

READING, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—Birch Wilson, City Clerk, will receive scaled bids until Sept. 14 for the purchase of \$500,000 1½, 1½, 2,2½,2½,2½,2½,00 on Oct. 1 from 1939 to 1958, inclusive.

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Bidder is required to name a single rate of interest on all of the bonds. Deadline for acceptance of bids is 10 a, m. (Daylight Saving Time). Issuance of bonds is subject to approval of Townsend, Elliott & Munson of Philadelphia and the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs. A certified check for 2%, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

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**SPRINGDALE*, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—John A. Stevenson, Borough Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 9 for the purchase of \$28,000 coupon borough bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$3,000 in 1943: \$5,000 in 1945, 1947, 1949, 1951 and 1953. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ of 1%. Sale of issue is subject to approval of the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to the order of the Borough Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. The approving opinion of Burgwin, Scully & Churchill of Pittsburgh will be furnished the successful bidder.

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TITUSVILLE, Pa.—BONDS NOT SOLD—The issue of \$20.000 4% bonds offered Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1080—was not sold, as the bids were rejected. They will be re-offered at a lower interest rate. Dated July 1, 1938 and due Jan. 1, 1959.

BOND OFFERING—Harry Matthews, City Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 19 for the purchase of \$65.000 2½% bonds, divided as follows:

\$20,000 general street No. 6 bonds. Due \$1,000 on Sept. 1 from 1939 to 1958 incl. This is the issue for which all bids were rejected on Aug. 22, as noted above.

45,000 general street No. 7 bonds. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$1,000 from 1939 to 1943 incl. and \$2,000 from 1944 to 1963 incl.

All of the bonds will be dated Sept. 1, 1938, Denom. \$1,000. Bids

All of the bonds will be dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Bids may be made for either or both issues and in the latter case may be conditioned upon award of all or none. A certified check for 2%, payable to the order of the city, must accompany each proposal.

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TOPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—Raymond L. Rohrbach, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Sept. 9 for the purchase of \$29,000 2, 24, 2½, 2½, 4 or 3% coupon, registerable as to principal only, refunding bonds. Dated Sept. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 15 as follows: \$3,000, 1939; \$2,000, 1940 to 1943 incl.; \$3,000, 1944; \$2,000 from 1945 to 1949 incl.; \$1,000, 1950 to 1952 incl. and \$2,000 in 1953. Since these are refunding bonds, the maturities have been fixed according to the amendment of 1937 to the School Code. Bidder to name a single rate of interest. A certified check for 2% of the bid, payable to the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal.

UNIONTOWN, Pa.—BOND SALE—The \$380,000 coupon bonds offered Aug. 19—V. 147, p. 1234—were awarded to a group composed of Dougherty, Corkran & Co., Butcher & Sherrerd, Schmidt, Poole & Co., all of Philadelphia, and Moore, Leonard & Lynch, of N. Y. City, as follows: \$330,000 sewer and disposal plant bonds were sold as 3½s at 100.56, a basis of about 3.21%. Due Oct. 1 as follows: \$5,000, 1939 to 1948, incl.; \$12,000 from 1949 to 1958, incl., and \$16,000 from 1959 to 1968, incl.

50,000 garbage disposal bonds were sold as 2½s at a price of 100.65, a basis of about 2.62%. Due \$5,000 on Oct. 1 from 1939 to 1948, inclusive.

All of the bonds are dated Oct. 1, 1938. In reoffering the bonds the bankers priced the 2¾s to yield from 1% to 2.75%, according to maturity, and the 3¼s were scaled from a 1% yield to a price of 101. Second high bidder was a group composed of E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., Singer, Deane & Scribner, Glover & MacGregor, Inc., S. K. Cunningham & Co. and George G. Applegate, which named an interest rate of 3½% in each instance and offered to pay a price of 102.122 for \$330,000 loan and 102.111 for the \$50,000.

\$50,000. YEADON SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—Louis R. Schneider, District Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) on Aug. 29 for the purchase of \$150,000 1½, 1¾, 2, 2¼, 2½, 2¾ or 3% coupon, registerable as to principal only, elementary and high school building bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$6,000 each Sept. 1 from 1939 to 1963 incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest. Prin. and int. (M. & S.) payable at the City National Bank, Philadelphia. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for, payable to the order of the District Treasurer, must accompany each proposal. The approving legal opinion of Townsend, Elliott & Munson of Phila. will be furnished the successful bidder.

RHODE ISLAND

NORTH PROVIDENCE, R. I.—ADDITIONAL BOND ISSUE DETAILS—The \$740,000 3% coupon or registered sewer bonds offered public recently by Chace, Whiteside & Co. of Boston, and Mackey, Dunn & Co., Inc., New York City—V. 147, p. 1234—are payable as to principal and interest at the First National Bank of Boston. Legal investment, in the opinion of the bankers, for savings banks and trust funds in the State

2. New York. According to counsel to the bankers, the bonds constitute direct and general obligations of the town, payable from unlimited advalorem taxes against all of its taxable property. The town, it is said, has never issued bonds for refunding purposes.

SOUTH CAROLINA

CHARLESTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 (P. O. Charleston), S. C.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$20,000 school bonds were purchased jointly by George W. McCay & Co. of Charleston, and G. H. Crawford & Co. of Columbia, as 3½s, paying a price of 102.00.

CHARLESTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4 (P. O. Charleston), S. C.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 11 a. m. on Sept. 9 by the Clerk of the Board of School Trustees for the purchase of an issue of \$140.000 coupon or registered school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due March 1 as follows: \$5,000 in 1940 to 1947 and \$10,000 in 1948 to 1957. Bidders to name the rate of interest and the bonds will be awarded at a price not less than par and accrued interest. Prin. and int. (M. & S.) payable at the Chemical Bank Trust Co., New York, or at the County Treasurer's office. The approving opinion of Nathans & Sinkler of Charleston, that the bonds are valid and legal obligations of the district, will be furnished. Enclose a certified check for \$2,500, payable to the County Treasurer.

The following statement is furnished in connection with the offering: School District No. 4, commonly called Cooper River School District so located just north of the City of Charleston and contains all that portion of Charleston County bounded on the east by the Cooper River, on the west by the Ashley River, or the south by the City of Charleston and on the north by the counties of Dorchester and Berkeley. This district is about 16 miles long and varies in width from two to six miles. The assessed valuation for taxation for the year 1937, which is the last completed assessment, is \$5,282,765; its net debt is about \$150,000.

There are 16 schools located within this district and it is due to a rapid but healthy growth that the Trustees are issuing bonds to supplement a grant from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works to modernize the schools.

OLYMPIA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4 (P. O. Columbia), S. C.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 6 n. m.

grant from the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works to modernize the schools.

OLYMPIA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4 (P. O. Columbia), S. C.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 6 p. m. (E. S. T.), on Aug. 29, by J. B. Sylvan, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, for the purchase of \$40,000 issue of not to exceed 4% coupon semi-ann. improvement bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$2,000 Sept. 1, 1939 to 1958. Rate of interest to be in multiples of ½ of 1% and must be the same for all of the bonds. No bid for less than par and accrued interest will be considered. Prin. and int. payable at the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., New York. Approving opinion of Waller Bailey, of Columbia, and Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Dodge of Boston, upon the legality of this issue will be furnished the purchasers without charge. Bids must be conditioned only upon the favorable opinion of the above mentioned bond attorneys and be accompanied by a certified check upon an incorporated bank or trust company for \$800, payable to the order of the Board of Trustees. The bonds will be prepared by and at the expense of the District, executed and ready for delivery at Citizens & Southern Bank, Columbia, on or about Sept. 3, 1938, or at sucn other place and time as may be mutually agreeable, upon the payment of the principal balance due plus accrued interest. The full faith, credit and taxing power of the District is irrevocably pledged for the prompt payment of the principal and interest as same mature. Due provision has already been made for the annual levy and collection of an unrestricted and unlimited ad valorem tax upon all property returned for taxation in said District sufficient for tnat purpose. These bonds are exempt from all State, county and municipal taxation in South Carolina. Enclose a certified check for \$800, payable to the Board of Trustees.

SUMTER CONSOLIDATED HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 34 (P. O. Sumter), S. C.—BOND SALE—The \$140,000 issue of coupon school bonds offered for sale on Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1080—was awarded to R. S. Dickson & Co. of Charlotte, James Conner & Co. of Charleston and the Southern Investment Co. of Charlotte, jointly, as 3½s, paying a premium of \$2,226.44, equal to 101.59, a basis of about 3.10%. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Due from Aug. 1, 1939 to 1958, incl.

The other bids for the bonds are officially reported as follows:

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Bidders—	Rate Bid	Price Bid
Frost, Read & Co., McAlister, Smith & Pate and C. W. Haynes & Co.	31/4%	\$141,102.00
Equitable Securities Corp., Weil, Roth & Irving Co. and Seabrooke & Karon	31/4%	140,966.00
Robinson Humphries & Co. and G. H. Crawford & Co.	31/4 %	140,533.40

SOUTH DAKOTA

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SANBORN COUNTY (P. O. Woonsocket), S. Dak.—BOND SALE—A syndicate composed of Mairs, Shaughnessy & Co. and First National Bank, both of St. Paul: Wells-Dickey Co., Allison-Williams Co., Justus F. Lowe Co. and E. J. Prescott & Co., all of Minneapolis, purchased \$260,000 bonds, divided as follows: \$110,000 31/4 % funding bonds. Due \$110,000 on July 1 from 1939 to 1948 incl.: \$12,000 from 1949 to 1957 incl. and \$7,000 in 1958. Bonds maturing in 1948 and thereafter are optional on July 1, 1948, or on any subsequent interest date.

All of the bonds are dated July 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Principal and interest (J. & J.) payable at the First National Bank & Trust Co., Minneapolis. Legality to be approved by Junell, Fletcher, Dorsey, Barker & Colman of Minneapolis.

WASTA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Wasta), S. Dak.—MATURITY—It is stated by the District Clerk that the \$10,000 school bonds purchased by the State of South Dakota, as 5s at par, as noted here recently—V. 147, p. 1081—are due in 1958.

TENNESSEE

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn.—BOND SALE—The \$138,000 issue of electric piant, general obligation bonds offered for sale on Aug. 24—V. 147, p. 1235—was purchased by the Northern Bank of Clarksville, as 3s, paying a price of 102.22, a basis of about 2.735%. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Due from Aug. 1, 1940 to 1954.

HAMILTON COUNTY (P. O. Chattanooga), Tenn.—TEMPORARY LOAN—It is reported that the Union Planters National Bank & Trust Co. of Memphis, purchased on Aug. 13, a \$500,000 temporary loan at 2½%. Due in seven months.

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FAYETTEVILLE, Tenn.—BOND SALE DETAILS—It is now reported by H. W. Mayers, Town Clerk, that Balley & Co., Inc. of Knoxville, was in joint account with A. S. Huyck & Co. of Chicago, in the purchase of the \$75,000 4% semi-annual electric plant revenue bonds, noted in our issue of Aug. 20—V. 147, p. 1235. The purchasers paid par and accrued interest but an allowance was made for attorney's fees and expenses so that the bonds were actually sold on a basis of about 5%. Due from May 1, 1941 to 1956; redeemable at par on and after May 1, 1951.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 10 a.m. on Aug. 30, by Mayor W. W. Mynatr, for the purchase of a \$6,000,000 issue of electric system revenue, Series A bonds. Denom. \$1,000. Dated July 1, 1938. Due on July 1, as follows:

1941	\$230,0001	1947	\$295,000	1953	\$375,000
1942	245,000	1948	310,000	1954	390,000
1943	255.000	1949	320,000	1955	405.000
1944	260,000	1950	330,000	1956	420,000
1945	275,000	1951	350,000	1957	435,000
1946	285.000	1952	360,000	1958	460,000
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States of America, at the office of the City Treasurer, Knoxville, or at Guaranty Trust Co. of New York, in New York, at the option of the holder. The bonds are to be issued in coupon form, but may be registered as to principal only or as to both principal and interest, with privilege or reconversion with the consent of the city and at the expense of the holder, into coupon form. Their legality will be approved by Thompson, Wood & Hoffman, New York City, whose legal opinion will state that the bonds have been authorized and issued in accordance with the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Tennessee, including the Charter of the City of Knoxville, and constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the said city payable solely from revenues to be derived from the operations of the city's municipal light and power system, and that the City of Knoxville has power and is obligated to fix rates and collect charges for electric energy and the service facilities and commodities furnished by the municipal light and power system, and that the City of Knoxville has power and is obligated to fix rates and collect charges for electric energy and the service facilities and commodities furnished by the municipal light control of the commodities furnished by the municipal light control of the commodities furnished by the municipal light of the principal of and interest on the bonds, in addition to paying as the same shall become due to enecessary expense of maintaining and operating the system and all other obligations and indebtedness payable out of the Electric Fund, and that the interest of maintaining and operating the system and all other obligations and indebtedness payable out of the Electric Fund, and that the interest of maintaining and interest are exempt from taxation under existing laws of the State of Tennessee, except inheritance, transfer and estate taxes. Such opinion will be furnished the successful bidder. Only bids on forms furnished by the city will be accepted. No bids will be accepted for less

TEXAS

BEE COUNTY (P. O. Beeville), Tex.—BOND OFFERING—County Judge R. J. Beasley will receive sealed bids on Sept. 12 for the purchase of \$275,000 road bonds, due serially in 20 years.

CROCKETT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Crockett)
Texas—ADDITIONAL INFORMATION—In connection with the sale
of the \$43,000 4% refunding bonds to Geo. V. Rotan & Co. of Houston,
noted in these columns recently—V. 147, p. 1235—we are now advised
that the bonds mature on April 1 as follows: \$1,000 in 1939 and 1940;
\$2,000 in 1941 and 1942; \$1,000 in 1943; \$2,000 in 1944; \$4,000 in 1945;
\$3,000 in 1946 and 1947; \$4,000 in 1948 and 1949; \$5,000 in 1950; \$3,000
in 1951, and \$4,000 in 1952 and 1953. Prin. and int. payable at the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., New York. Legality approved by Dillon,
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EAST BERNARD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. East Bernard), Texas—BOND OFFERING—sealed bids will be received until 2 p. m. on Sept. 1, by F. V. Urbish, President of the Board of Education, for the purchase of a \$44,000 issue of 3, 3½ or 3¾ semi-annual building bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due Sept. 1 as follows: \$1,000 in 1939 to 1948; \$2,000 in 1949 to 1959, and \$3,000 in 1960 to 1963. Bids will be considered on bonds bearing interest at the above rates or on a combination of any two of these rates. It is the intention of the district to sell the bonds at the lowest interest cost that will bring a price of approximately—but not less than—par and accrued interest. Bidders are required to name the rate or combination of two rates with their bid which is closest to par and accrued interest. Any rate or rates named must be multiples of ¼ of 1%, and bids calling for a rate higher than 3¾ % will not be considered. All bidders are required to attach to their bid a certified or cashier's check for 2% of the amount of the issue. The district will furnish the printed bonds, a copy of the legai proceedings, the approving opinion of Gibson & Gibson of Austin, or of Chapman & Cutler of Chicago, and will deliver the bonds to the bank designated, all without cost to the purchaser.

Resources: Estimated actual value of all property, \$1,650,000; assessed valuations, real property, \$878,517; personal property, \$124,100; total assessed, \$1,003,617. Average assessed value of land in district for school taxation, \$25,00 per acre. Estimated present population of district is 1,200. (This notice supplements the offering report given here on Aug.. 20— V. 147, p. 1235.)

V. 147, p. 1235.)

ELPASO, Texas—BONDS DEFEATED—At the election held on Aug. 13 the following series of 1938 bonds aggregating \$1,003.000 were defeated: \$\$4,000 water works impt. bonds. \$42,000 public library bonds. \$2,000 police station bonds. \$72,000 police station bonds. \$70,000 street improvement bonds. \$20,000 school series No. 3 bonds. \$70,000 city hall bonds. \$20,000 school series No. 3 bonds. \$70,000 city hall bonds. \$20,000 school series No. 3 bonds. \$70,000 city hall bonds. \$20,000 school series No. 3 bonds. \$70,000 city hall bonds. \$70,000 school series No. 2 bonds. \$70,000 city hall bonds. \$70,000 school series No. 3 bonds. \$70,000 school series No. 5 bonds. \$70,000 city hall bonds. \$70,000 school series No. 5 bonds. \$70,000 school series No. 5

ainst. At this time it is not known when these bonds will be offered for sale.

HIGGINS, Texas—BONDS SOLD—It is said that \$10,000 4% seminual refunding bonds were purchased recently by the First National Bank

HIDALGO COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Edinburg), Texas—BONDS VOTED—It is reported by the Assistant County Auditor that the voters approved the issuance of \$525,000 in refunding bonds at an election held on Aug. 16, by a wide margin.

LIBERTY, Texas.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$35,000 4½% semi-annual bonds approved by the voters at an election held on Aug. 16, were purchased jointly by Moroney & Co., and Milton R. Underwood & Co., both of Houston, divided as follows: \$20,000 city hall, \$10,000 paving, and \$5,000 water system bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due from Sept. 1, 1939 to 1958.

LOCKNEY, Texas—BOND TENDERS INVITED—It is stated by Mrs. Ellen Belyeu, City Secretary, that she will receive sealed tenders until Sept. 12, at 6 p. m., of refunding bonds, dated Oct. 1, 1936. Funds

in the amount of approximately 4,300 are said to be available for the purchase of bonds and only tenders of less than par and accrued interest will be considered.

McLENNAN COUNTY (P. O. Waco), Texas—BONDS DEFEATED—At the election held on Aug. 10—V. 147, p. 784—the voters rejected the proposal to issue \$330,000 in court nouse and jail bonds, the count being 1,253 "for" to 2,605 "against."

PAMPA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Pampa), Texas—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by the Business Manager of the Board of Education that \$193,000 school bonds approved by the voters at an election held on Aug. 6. have been sold as follows: \$31,000 as 2\%s, for a price of par, the remaining \$162,000 as 3s, at a price of 100.16.

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PARIS, Texas—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by Mrs. T. D. Wells, City Secretary, until 7:30 p. m. on Aug. 29 for the purchase of a \$50,000 issue of not to exceed 5% semi-ann. streetimprovement bonds. Dated Sept. 10, 1938. Due and payable serially in not to exceed 30 years from date. Payable at the City Treasurer's office. A certified check for 5% must accompany the bid.

PORT LAVACA, Texas—BOND SALE DETAILS—It is stated by the City Secretary that the \$15,000 5% semi-ann. breakwater and sea wall bonds purchased recently, as noted in our issue of Aug. 13—V. 147, p. 1081—were sold to the Ranson-Davidson Co. of San Antonio. Due on Sept. 30, 1939.

TEXAS, State of—GENERAL FUND DEFICIT SHOWS INCREASE—The "Wall Street Journal" of Aug. 26 carried the following Austin report: "The deficit in the State General Revenue Fund continues to increase at a alarming rate, according to a report made by Charley Lockhart. State Treasurer. During the period Aug. 5 to Aug. 20 the deficit rose nearly one million dollars to a total of \$14,216,596." "The deficit in the Confederate Pension Fund is \$3,876,058. Highway funds are being used to buy pension warrants through hast February if they have not been already discounted. Whether discounted or not, pension warrants through February, 1937, are being paid."

UNIVERSITY PARK (P. O. Dallas). Texas—BOND OFFERING—

UNIVERSITY PARK (P. O. Dallas), Texas—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by the City Secretary until Sept. 5, for the purchase of an issue of \$185,000 sewer and street bonds, approved by the voters at an election held on June 4.

\$15,000

PETERSBURG, VA. Improvement 41/28 Due Dec. 1, 1962, at 3.30% basis

F. W. CRAIGIE & COMPANY

Richmond, Va. A. T. T. Tel. Rich. Va. 83

VIRGINIA

PHOEBUS, Va.—BONDS VOTED—It is stated by F. C. Larrabee, City Recorder, that at the election held on Aug. 12, the voters approved the issuance of \$40,000 in not to exceed 4% semi-annual public improvement bonds by a vote of 278 to 10.

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VIRGINIA, State of—\$9,000.000 IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM PLANNED—The "Wall Street Journal" of Aug. 26 carried the following report from Richmond:

"State of Virginia is planning a building program to cost in the vicinity of \$9,000,000—a program that will cost the State approximately all of the \$5,971,320 surplus from the past biennium, plus thousands in Public Works Administration grants and in loans from the Literary Fund.

"The program, which includes a hospital for Richmond, a State library building, a \$1,500,000 project at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Lexington, a new building for the State Highway Department, and new buildings for practically all of the various State institutions, which, while costly, will furnish the State with about all of the facilities calling for capital outlays it will need for many years to come.

"Many of the projects already are under way, but some of them, including a few of the larger ones, have not yet been given grants from the PWA. These, however, are expected."

WASHINGTON

CLE ELUM, Was h.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until Sept. 12, by John J. Wargo, City Clerk, for the purchase of a \$10,000 issue of not to exceed 6% semi-annual city hall bonds. Due in 1948, optional in 1942.

FIRCREST (P. O. Tacoma), Wash.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 8 p. m. on Sept. 15, according to report, by Mayor Wood Freeman, for the purchase of a \$6,250 issue of water bonds.

LONG BEACH, Wash.—BONDS NOT SOLD—It is stated by Florence. Post, Town Clerk, that the \$2,700 issue of not to exceed 6% semi-anneral obligation bonds offered on July 18—V. 147, p. 306—was not sold was not sold.

MASON COUNTY (P. O. Shelton), Wash.—BOND SALE DETAILS—We are now informed by the Deputy County Treasurer that the \$35,000 5% coupon Public Utility District No. 3 construction bonds purchased jointly by Bramhall & Stein, and Conrad, Bruce & Co., both of Seattle, as noted in our issue of Aug. 13—V. 147, p. 1081—are dated July 1, 1938, and mature on July 1 as follows: \$3,000, 1943 to 1951, and \$4,000, 1952 and 1953. The bonds were sold at par. Denom. \$1,000. Interest payable J. & J.

YAKIMA COUNTY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 123 (P. O. Yakima), Wash.—BOND SALE.—The \$4,000 building addition bonds offered Aug. 20—V. 147, p. 1082—were sold to the State, as 3½s, at par. Dated Sept. 1, 1938 and due over a period of 10 years.

WEST VIRGINIA

ALBRIGHT, W. Va.—BOND OFFERING.—Sealed bids will be received until Sept. 15, by Clyde Foley, Town Recorder, for the purchase of an issue of \$1,000 3% semi-ann. sewer and street bonds. Dated Sept. 15, 1938. Due in from two to 11 years. These bonds were approved by the voters at an electon held on Aug. 8.

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CABELL COUNTY (P. O. Huntington), W. Va.—BOND OFFERING—We are informed by Olin C. Nutter, Secretary of the Board of Education, that he will receive sealed bids until 11 a. m. (Eastern Standard Time), on Sept. 7, for the purchase of an issue of \$849,000 school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$283,000 Sept. 1, 1939 to 1941. Bidders to name the rate of interest in multiples of ½ of 1%, and only one rate may be bid for the issue. The bonds may be registered as to principal only. Prin. and interest (M. & S.) payable at the State Treasurer's office or at the National City Bank, New York. The purchaser will be turnished with a final approving opinion of attorneys to be selected and paid by the purchaser. Enclose a certified check for 2% of the total bid, payable to the Board of Education.

The following information is furnished with the official offering notice: These bonds are issued under authority of Article 1, Chapter 13, Code of 1930 and Section 12, Article 8, Chapter 67, Acts of the Legislature, Second Extra-ordinary Session of 1933. The question of authority (1) to issue the bonds and (2) to lay the excess levies necessary to pay principal and interest were submitted to the voters Aug. 2, 1938 and received favorable vote of approximately 69% of the total votes cast. the required majority being 60%. The population of Cabell County in 1930 was 90,786 and the present estimated population is 100,000. The area of the county is 285.95 square miles. The ratio of assessed to actual valuations is approximately 80%.

Assessed Valuation and Excess Rates of Levy 1938-1939 for New Bonds

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Assessed	l Valuation	and Excess	Rates of Levy	1938-1939 for	New Bonds
Class			Valuation	Authorized Rate	s Actual Rate
††			\$11,057,180 26,911,800	8.50c.	
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IV			72,774,305	34.00c.	32.44c.

Sinking Fund Requirements 1938-1939	
Bonds \$283,000 Interest at 3% 25,470	
Total \$208.470	

Bonded Debt Existing Prior to Nov., 1932 (Huntington Independent District)

		W	Annual	Maturity	
Date	Interest Date	Outstanding	Instalment	Last Ins.	Rate
1, 1914 1, 1916	Apr. & Oct. June & Dec.	\$105,000 80,000	\$17,500 10,000	1944 1946	41/2
1, 1923	Jan. & July	448.000	32,000	1952	5
		4000 000			

Jan. 1, 1923 Jan. & July 448.000 32,000 1952 5

\$633,000 \$59,500

All issues coupon bonds. None callable. Principal and interest payable at First National Bank of New York.

Levy laid each year within constitutional limits to meet annual requirements.

District embraces Kyle and Gideon magisterial districts within the City of Huntington.

In 1933 all district boards in each county were consolidated by law into county units and the Independent District of Huntington was succeeded by the Board of Education of Cabell County.

These bonds continue to be the obligation of the original district and levies for servicing the same are laid by the Board of Education of Cabell County on property in the former Hungtington Independent District only. No default has ever occurred Li payment of principal or interest.

Bond Purchase Offer Rejected—The "Wall Street Journal" of Aug. 24 carried the following report from Richmond, Va.:

The West Virginia board of public works has rejected an offer to purchase \$984,000 worth of Cabell County school building bonds which were authorized to be issued at the primary election.

Under State statute all governmental unit bonds first must be offered to the State before being advervised for public sale. The Cabell school board, in its offer, named a 1.25% yearly interest rate for the issue. Attaches said the State making fund commission also probably would not take up the issue.

WEST VIRGINIA, State of—BOND OPTION NOT EXERCISED—It is reported that Phelps, Fenn & Co. of New York, and associates, purchasers on Aug. 16 of the \$500,000 road bonds, as reported in detail in these columns—V. 147, p. 1236—did not exercise their option to purchase an additional \$500,000 of bonds on the same conditions, which option expired on Aug. 19.

WISCONSIN

HAYWARD SCHOOL DISTRICT, Wis.—BONDS OFFERED—J. C. Davis, attorney for the Board of Education, received sealed bids on Aug. 26 for the purchase of \$35.000 31/4 % refunding and construction bonds. Dated April 1, 1938 and due \$5,000 on April 1 from 1939 to 1945 incl.

MANITOWOC, Wis.—BOND ELECTION—We are informed by the City Clerk that an election will be held on Sept. 20 in order to pass on the proposed issuance of \$500,000 in sewage disposal plant bonds.

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TOWN OF CHRISTIANNA AND CITY OF WESTBY, JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7 (P. O. Westby), Wis.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 8 p. m. (Central Standard Time), on sept. 2, by A. Elverum, District Clerk, for the purchase of an \$18,000 issue of 3% building and improvement bonds. Oral bids will be received after all sealed bids have been filed. Denominations \$1,000, \$500 and \$300. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Due \$1,800 from Abril 1, 1940 to 1949 incl. The bonds will be sold to the highest responsible bidder at not less than par and accrued interest. Principal and interest (A. & O.) payable at the Westby-Coon Valley State Bank, Westby. The approving opinion of Chapman & Cutter of Chicago, will be furnished. The purchaser will be required to furnish the brinted bonds at his own expense. A certified check for 2% of the bar value of the bonds, payable to the District Treasurer, is required with bid.

WAUSAU, Wis.—BOND SALE—The two issues of bonds aggregating \$750.000. offered for sale on Aug. 22—V. 147, p. 1082—were awarded to the Milwaukee Co. of Milwaukee, and associates, as 2s, paying a premium of \$1.920 equal to 100.256, a basis of about 1.98%. The issues are divided as follows:

as follows: \$715,000 sewer bonds. Due from Aug. 15, 1943 to 1957. 35,000 garbage disposal plant bonds. Due on Aug. 15, 1943.

	The following is an official list of the other bids rece	eived:	
	Names of Other Bidders—	nt. Rate	Premium
.]	Halsey, Stuart & Co	21/19/	\$11,250
]	Harris Trust & Savings Bank	21/2 %	13,300
-	Citizens State-Sheboygan Bank	214.0%	13,800
	Smith, Barney & Co.	21/2%	15,600
1	Lazard Freres & Co	21/2 %	17.675
]	First National Bank	2%	1,915
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WAUWATOSA, Wis.—BOND OFFERING—W. T. Whipp, City Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 7.30 p. m. on Sept. 20 for the purchase of \$187.000 not to exceed 3% interest school bonds, 21st series. Dated Sept. 15, 1938. Denom. \$1,000. Due March 15 as follows: \$10,000 from 1939 to 1945 incl. and \$9,000 from 1946 to 1958 incl. Interest M. & S. Delivery will be made at the City Treasurer's office.

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GOSHEN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2 (P. O. Lingle),
Wyo.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received until 8 p. m. on
sept. 12, by C. C. Hollingsworth, District Clerk, for the purchase of a \$46,000 issue of not to exceed 4% coupon semi-ann, building bonds. Denom,
\$1,000. Dated July 1, 1938. Due \$1,000 from January and July 1, 1939
to 1961; subject to option on any interest payment date. No bid for less
than par and accrued interest will be considered. Prin. and int. (J. & J.)
payable at the County Treasurer's office. A certified check for 5% of the
bid, payable to the District Treasurer, is required.
(These are the bonds that were originally scheduled to be sold on Aug. 22,
as noted in our issue of Aug. 6—V. 147, p. 930).

NATRONA COUNTY (P. O. Casper), Wyo.—BOND SALE—The
\$208,000 issue of memorial hospital bonds offered for sale on Aug. 18
—V. 147, p. 1082—was awarded to a syndicate composed of Seasongood
& Mayer of Cincinnati, A. S. Huyck & Co. of Chicago: Coughlin & Co.,
and Peters, Writer & Christensen, both of Denver, as 2½s, paying a price
of 100.341, a basis of about 2.71%. Dated Sept. 1, 1938. Due from 1939
to 1958, inclusive.

It is stated by the County Clerk that the Stockgrowers National Bank of
Cheyenne, offered 100.567 for 3% bonds.

BONDS OFFERED FOR INVESTMENT—The successful bidders reoffered
the above bonds for public subscription at prices to yield from 1.00% to
2.80%, according to macurity. The following is an official list of the bids
received:

Bidder—
**Peters, Writer & Christensen, Inc., Denver:

Successful bid. x First \$88,000. z \$120,000.

*Successful bid. x First \$88,000. z \$120,000.

PARK AND BIG HORN COUNTIES SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 30

(P. O. Denver), Wyo.—BOND OFFERING—Frank Robertson, District Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 3 p.m. on Sept. 17 for the purchase of \$16,500 not to exceed 5% interest school bonds. Dated July 1, 1938. One bond for \$500, others \$1,000 each. Due July 1 as follows: \$1,000 from 1948 to 1962 incl. and \$1,500 in 1963. Principal and interest J. & J.) payable at the office of the Treasurer of Big Horn County or at the State Treasurer's office. A certified check for 5% of the bid must accompany each proposal.