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CALL LOANS AND ACCEPTANCES OF OTHER BANKS.	6,016,539.33
Time Deposits Due from Banks	209,579.17
SECURITIES CALLED OR MATURING WITHIN 1 YEAR	
Valued at Cost or Market whichever Lower	806,690.66
LOANS AND ADVANCES	18,769,982.85
Marketable Bonds and Stocks	
Valued at Cost or Market whichever Lower	8,878,551.27
OTHER INVESTMENTS	18,933.46
CUSTOMERS' LIABILITY ON ACCEPTANCES	11,701,649.57
Other Assets	220,166.95
	\$105,644,030.71
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United States obligations	. 261,850,622.20
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc	. 143.338.076.85
Banking House	
Cash and due from Federal Reserve Bank \$206,218,008.2	21
Exchanges	
Due from banks	8
	- 227,540,183.75
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LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$ 10,000,000.00
Surplus	
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 Dividend payable July 1, 1939

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 \$177,333,915.63

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 395,469,574.19
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### **CURRENT NOTICES**

—Bristol & Willett, 115 Broadway, New York City, are distributing the July issue of their Over-the-Counter-Review.

—Clark, Kohl & Eyman have moved to 55 Liberty St., New York City.

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### The Financial Situation

ALTHOUGH the President, by consenting to a further increase in the mal-odorous silver subsidy, has succeeded in having his own way regarding his dollar devaluation powers and the stabilization fund (albeit with serious question about the validity of the action taken), political observers of long experience profess to see very considerable political significance in the stand made by the Senate. Apparently the President himself is in general agreement with the idea that those who oppose him are gathering strength, since, according to what appear to be semi-official reports, he has begun a campaign designed to marshal popular support for himself and his policies and pro-

grams, an effort which will in reality inaugurate the political struggles destined to come to a climax in the autumn of next year. His immediate objective will doubtless be to establish control over his own party in advance of its convention early next summer, or, in political parlance, arrange to have the delegates go to this gathering committed to whatever he dictates. He refuses to go on record as to whether he will become a candidate for a third time—which is doubtless normal political strategy—but he does not hesitate to let it be known that he intends to have his party stay thoroughly New Deal if he can impose his will upon it.

This seems to afford the President once more the distinct political advantage of having a program, a fact which should be carefully noted by the opposition before it is too late. program is one in which it is difficult to understand how any sensible person could have any substantial degree of confidence, and

one in which without doubt many are losing faith daily, but nevertheless it is a program of fairly definite form and substance, and in times such as now exist it is usually easier to rally the people with a program of action, even though it may not bear full analysis, than it is to arouse enthusiasm with what the older Roosevelt used to call "weasel words" or "pussyfooting." An "opposition" which contents itself with opposing, and for that matter is not always consistent and thorough-going in its opposition, and which "winces and relents and refrains" when asked bluntly what it would do if placed in power, is at a distinct and substantial disadvantage in any campaign of the sort destined to be waged in this country during the next twelve months and more.

### Now a Matter of Log-Rolling

Another fact which must be faced fully and frankly at once, if the Presidential offensive is to be successfully parried, is the circumstance that the nature of the appeal of the New Deal program has in substantial measure suffered alteration during the past five or six years. The fine phrases, the roseate promises of a new heaven and a new earth, and all those appeals made on the basis of an "awakened social conscience" served the President and his supporters remarkably well in the early days. A great many who should have known better were swept from their feet by all this evangelical fervor. The people, or many of

### They Will Survive, but-

Lewis E. Pierson, Honorary Chairman of the Irving Trust Co. and Chairman of the Board of Regents of The Graduate School of Banking conducted by the American Bankers Association at Rutgers University, in pre-senting diplomas to graduates on June 30,

said:
"I have been in the banking business for over fifty years. Just stop for a moment and consider what violent changes have occurred consider what violent changes have occurred in that period and what a transformation has taken place in American business and banking. There have been many periods of bad business and several discouragingly severe depressions. Businesses, once prosperous, have disappeared; individual industries have grown to maturity and declined; we have had great waves of population out of our cities and then back into them; we have experienced the most devastating war of all time, with its inevitable sequel of distress; we have had a great inflation of commodity prices and one of the most serious deflations that a

have had a great inflation of commodity prices and one of the most serious deflations that a nation has ever experienced: we have had booms in real estate, in commodity prices, in bond prices, in stock prices, and in fact in almost everything.

"During the period of my experience we have built a new legal framework of banking, we have adapted ourselves to a new Federal Reserve System which has been subject to almost constant change, and we have seen the growth of new credit agencies which compete with our banks. It has been a hectic period. Let no one tell you that those of us who have lived through it have had an easy time of it. Not once, but many times, I have heard the prophets of disaster say that banking was finished, but always the answer

have heard the prophets of disaster say that banking was finished, but always the answer was the same. Banks have continued their indispensable services to the people."

Yes, banking—and business—have survived it all, and since they have, we have not lost one jot or one tittle of our faith that they will survive what they now endure.

But what a useless waste of energy and resources!

resources!

them, with the madness of the New Era and the resulting crash still fresh in mind, were suffering pangs of conscience. They felt the need of doing penance. They had been prepared for many of the ideas of the New Deal by half-baked "economists" who, prior to 1933, and even prior to 1929, had begun to appear on all sides and whose numbers, or at least whose influence, greatly increased with the first inauguration of Mr. Roosevelt. To be sure, there lay behind it all a rather cold, calculated program of appealing to this and that element in the population with special favors at the hands of Congress, the President and the Secretary of the Treasury, but no one who lived through the mad years from 1933 to, say, 1937 or 1938, can for a moment doubt the authenticity of the emotional wave which seemed to sweep this country from shore to shore, a fevered state of mind which saw "reform" and "humanitarianism" in any proposal born of the great

prophet in the White House and christened "good" by him. It was in those days that President Roosevelt spoke of a "new moral atmosphere" in this country.

No small number—who ought to know better particularly in the light of experience now gainedare still inclined to accept the contention that most of the so-called reforms of the Roosevelt Administration were "over-due" and must be retained, albeit under better and more understanding managements, are even now able somehow to summon hope, if not faith, that if the pump is only primed long enough results of a desirable sort will be forthcoming. They comfortably assume that the "times have changed," and that "modern" conditions require strange public policies, perhaps not quite those now pursued by the

New Deal managers, but others not fundamentally different. However, all this is today a much less important factor than it was six years or even four years ago. The problem today is not so much one of effectively refuting the wholly fallacious arguments of an ambitious President, utterly wanting in thorough understanding of economic problems, but possessed of large popular appeal, as of effectively resisting the factions which are today euphemistically termed "pressure groups," but which in the elder days of the art were called "log-rollers," "lobbyists," or "vested interests," and as such were roundly condemned. What six long years of the New Deal reform has conspicuously succeeded in doing is to create, to nourish, and bring to full flower a new series of groups which have grown to feel that regular feeding at the public trough is their right.

The danger is not so much that the President in his pilgrimage westward and in any other efforts in behalf of the New Deal and his own status will reclaim the confidence of those who look upon his policies dispassionately and without purchased bias, or that he will stem the tide which apparently is running against him steadily among such elements as these in the population, as it is that he will succeed in convincing the more radical elements among the wage earners led by Mr. Lewis and his associates that he butters their bread more liberally than any one else is likely to do; in giving the farmer the impression that he has found and will continue to find the New Deal more liberal in its distribution of other people's money than its opponents are likely to be; in causing the recipients of relief, whose name, verily, is legion, to conclude that to desert the President would be to invite a situation in which they must assume responsibility for earning their own living; and in creating uneasiness in the breasts of those who fondly imagine that the President, with his social insurance program, has made it unnecessary for them to worry about their old age. It is now not so much what the New Deal has done or has not done to make it possible for the "under-privileged" to earn their own living or to earn a better living, as it is what it has done, is doing, and will do to make it unnecessary for them to earn their own living, that counts at the polls; and the same is true of the various other subsidized groups.

Political Strategy

Nothing in all this is new to the politician, of course, least of all the New Deal politician who discusses the situation in these terms with remarkable readiness (in private) when the occasion arises. He naturally chooses his own words, and tells himself doubtless that largesse and favoritism is the due of these politically powerful groups, but the fact remains that the New Deal managers are repeatedly quoted from day to day in the public press as being convinced that continued political life depends upon the extension and liberalization of the measures which are universally recognized as specially designed to provide for those groups whose votes are desired, since this is thought the best, if not the only, way of retaining the support of these groups selected for New Deal blessings. No one who has closely studied the course of the so-called opposition can for a moment doubt that those who would dethrone the Administration next year are also well aware of this state of affairs. They have on occasion joined hands with others in going further even than the President in trying to propitiate some of these elements, and they have repeatedly

given ground when the crucial moment arrived in efforts to take away clearly unwarranted grants of one sort or another to this or that group. They have engaged in many more sham battles than real ones in the course of the past half year.

It may be that the action of the Senate in the matter of the President's monetary and kindred powers, and other recent developments indicate, as some observers believe, that the opposition is growing stronger. For our part, we could wish that the evidence were much more convincing, and, in particular, that the vigor of the attack were much more clearly directed at the New Deal as a whole and all New Deal-like policies and programs. Actually, the opposition has been blustering, wordy, sporadic, and experimental, endeavoring apparently to feel its way forward, choosing issues for that purpose which were believed most likely to offer an opportunity to marshal popular support. It has most of the time appeared to be seeking political ammunition for next year's campaigning, and to be building a record of rather vague attitudes and consciously wasted votes to further that purpose. These are familiar political tactics, but they do not bespeak statesmanship. If continued, and if no substantial record of achievement or forthright statement of objectives is forthcoming prior to the campaigns next summer and fall, the voter who views the situation intelligently will be obliged to choose between outspoken New Dealers and an opposition from which he may hope for something somewhat better but from which he cannot be certain of anything. Any party or combination of groups elected to office on the basis of a campaign designed to lead intelligent voters to hope for abler management of public affairs and at the same time to assure vested interests that their largesse will not be appreciably reduced must, of course, find itself faced by a difficult problem of holding these diverse and conflicting elements of support together.

A more competent, business-like, and understanding administration of many of the measures taken to the statute books by the New Deal would be helpful, as would also legislative action to remove some of the more glaring defects of the laws-although it is not altogether easy to feel assured of even this much from an opposition so vacillating and uncertain of its own mind as that we have seen in action in Washington during the past half year -but these are not enough. Indeed, they might even be quite dangerous so long as the present inflationary situation is left without change. Sooner or later we shall have to shake off this moral and intellectual lethargy which seems to have descended upon us, and it must be sooner rather than later if we are to avoid consequences upleasant to contemplate. We have just closed a fiscal year in which the budgeted expenditures reached above nine and a quarter billions of dollars, and we are now entered upon one in which they will in all probability be larger, much larger possibly if extrabudgetary outlays so accounted for as not to appear in the Treasury statements are considered. Business is so shackled by regulations and restrictions, and by various forms of governmental competition and what not that it is proving out of the question to raise even epproximately the amounts needed by taxation despite innumerable imposts and unprecedented rates.

Prompt, intelligent and vigorous action can yet, no doubt, save us from national bankruptcy, or its equivalent, but no nation, not even the United States with its unparalleled wealth of resources, can stand this gaff a great deal longer. The road we are traveling leads straight to disaster. To dawdle and "play politics" in this situation and with this situation is but little less than criminal negligence. The times call for a party and a leader who will after the manner of a Grover Cleveland speak the truth and the full truth in "straight flung words and few." The President has in effect invited this kind of opposition with his plans to the stump at this time. The farmer, the wage-earner, the man on relief, and the rest need to be told without equivocation that the goose that has been laying their golden eggs is approaching the point where it can lay no more. The whole country needs to hear from responsible aspirants for office that our economic salvation lies not in continued shackling of business but in its liberation. We are convinced that the time has come when a suitable man or a recognized party approaching the public in this spirit could marshal very substantial support from those who, whether they are feeding at the public trough or not, will know that it is the naked truth that is being spoken. We are equally certain that we shall make slow headway at best against the difficulties by which we are faced in the absence of such a leader or such a party around which to rally the common sense of the people.

### Federal Reserve Bank Statement

FFICIAL banking statistics this week reflect chiefly the usual influences of the holiday period, but there also are some less ordinary items to be noted. All currency in circulation advanced \$138,000,000 in the weekly period to July 5, which included both the month-end and the Independence Day requirements for hand-to-hand money. This advance naturally is a restrictive influence on credit, but in the present circumstances of an overflowing credit reservoir it means comparatively little. It was more than offset, moreover, by a further gold increase of \$43,000,000, which raised our monetary gold stocks to \$16,136,000,000, and by a decline of the Treasury general account with the 12 Member bank reserve Federal Reserve banks. balances actually increased \$35,309,000. Excess reserves over legal requirements advanced \$50,000,000, to an officially estimated aggregate of \$4,290,000,-000, which is only \$10,000,000 under the record. Essentials of the credit position thus remain what they have been for many weeks and months. There is, on the other hand, a modest indication of greater demand for accommodation. The condition statement of the weekly reporting member banks in New York City reflects an advance of \$21,000,000 in business loans, to \$1,405,000,000. Brokers' loans on security collateral, however, moved downward by \$1,000,000 to \$495,000,000.

Two other aspects of the banking statistics are of particular interest. There was no repetition this week of the reduction of open market holdings of United States Government securities, such as occurred last week by reason of technical conditions in the Treasury bill market. The open market holdings of Treasury obligations were maintained at \$2,550,637,000, and open market holdings of bankers' bills were similarly motionless at \$556,000. Of some

interest was a reduction of foreign bank deposits with the 12 regional institutions by \$53,830,000 to \$297,265,000, while "other deposits" were advancing \$54,166,000 to \$380,299,000. To all appearances, this reflects the temporary lapse of the Treasury's stabilization fund authority, and use by the foreign controls of their own money exclusively, in the management of their currencies. The banking statements in other respects are colorless. The Treasury deposited with the 12 regional banks \$29,000,000 gold certificates, raising their holdings to \$13,534,719,-000. There was a sharp drop of other cash, however, and total reserves of the 12 banks fell \$20,-502,000 to \$13,860,887,000. Federal Reserve notes in actual circulation advanced \$93,871,000 to \$4,-543,177,000. Total deposits with the 12 regional banks fell \$106,241,000 to \$11,648,825,000, the changes in foreign bank and other deposits just about balancing out, while member bank deposits moved up \$35,309,000 to 10,151,053,000, and United States Treasury general balances fell \$141,886,000 to \$820,208,000. The reserve ratio dropped to 85.6%from 85.7%. Discounts by the 12 regional institutions dropped \$732,000 to \$4,638,000. Industrial advances were down \$122,000 to \$12,318,000, while commitments to make such advances fell \$197,000 to \$10,978,000.

### The New York Stock Market

SMALL advances were recorded this week in stock prices on the New York prices on the New York market, but dealings were on so small a scale that records had to be searched for 17 years to find a parallel. The Independence Day suspension on Tuesday naturally exercised a dampening effect on trading volume for the week. Apart from the holiday factor, however, financial markets seem steadily to be sinking further into lethargy. The attitude of the Administration toward business men is the primary influence that makes the markets ever less active. Nor is there any indication of a change in Washington, for President Roosevelt now has managed by a good deal of political maneuvering to retain his unprecedented power over money, while spending-lending measures are being formulated in Congress which will transfer to Federal authorities ever greater control over the ordinary private business affairs of the country. Continuous agitation about a third term for Mr. Roosevelt likewise spreads gloom in business and financial circles and dampens the spirit of enterprise. It is not surprising, in these circumstances, to note that stock trading last Monday was the smallest for any full session in 17 years. Not in any session was even the diminutive 500,000-share mark approached.

Modest buying of stocks in the thin markets now prevalent made possible small gains in leading issues. The improvement was spasmodic, but it sufficed to lift quotations a point or two in leading issues, while others showed fractional advances. European war rumors were hardly beneficial, but their effect was modified by the sheer continuance of such reports. Industrial production appears to be rather well maintained in the United States, but spreading strikes in the motor industry offset this factor to a degree. Restoration by Congress on Wednesday of President Roosevelt's monetary controls aided silver stocks, owing to the fixed price of 71.11c. an ounce stipulated in the legislation for Treasury purchases of domestically-mined silver. Base metal stocks in general firmed, as copper was advanced modestly. Sporadic buying was apparent in airplane stocks and a few other special groups.

In the listed bond market a modest tendency toward improvement was evident. United States Treasury obligations rallied and best rated corporation bonds also were steadily in demand. The speculative railroad bonds showed small advances, as did local traction issues and other groups. The foreign dollar section was highly irregular, owing to the varying reports of developments abroad. Brazilian issues stood out favorably, because of the announced transfer of \$1,000,000 which represents initial debt service under the program elaborated in Washington last March. Commodity markets were uncertain, grains moving lower while cotton was well maintained. Domestic silver advanced under the new price set by Congress, while foreign silver fell as the Treasury lowered its buying figure. Copper was moved a fraction of a cent higher, which aided the stocks of copper producers. Foreign exchanges held fairly steady, despite the monetary uncertainty regarding monetary controls here. The Cuban peso was an exception, as a sharp fall took place which subsequently was modified.

On the New York Stock Exchange 28 stocks touched new high levels for the year while 37 stocks touched new low levels. On the New York Curb Exchange 22 stocks touched new high levels and 31 stocks touched new low levels. Call loans on the New York Stock Exchange remained unchanged at 1%.

On the New York Stock Exchange the sales at the half-day session on Saturday last were 185,400 shares; on Monday they were 235,140 shares; Tuesday was Independence Day and a holiday on the country's Exchanges; on Wednesday, 351,900 shares; on Thursday, 413,700 shares, and on Friday, 328,070 shares.

On the New York Curb Exchange the sales on Saturday last were 28,320 shares; on Monday, 40,185 shares; on Wednesday, 59,595 shares; on Thursday, 62,685 shares, and on Friday, 64,035 shares.

The stock market made a strong showing at the start on Saturday last, with caution dogging its movements up to the closing, when equities spurted forward to reach their high point for the day. Market leaders recorded gains of one point on the average, while advances in the chemical group ranged up to 21/2 points. Activity on Monday, due to the extended week-end caused by the Independence Day holiday falling on Tuesday, resulted in many traders absenting themselves from the market, and sales turnover, in turn, fell to the lowest level in 17 years. A general state of apathy existed most of the day, although in early dealings there was a slight inclination on the part of equities to edge Closing time found the trend of stocks steady but extremely dull. A renewal of confidence and calm in foreign markets on Wednesday replaced fear and pessimism over the political situation in Europe. Our own securities market presented a better showing at the opening, and continued to rule firm to the close, with active stocks up a couple of points. Silver shares were the highlight of trading on Thursday, a day of slack trading accompanied by very narrow price movements for the general list. Favored by a continuation of the Government's subsidy to silver producers, stocks

in this group moved up in early transactions from fractions to three points, reflecting strength throughout. Industrial leaders had their prices shaded a bit, but other groups were lifted to their best levels at midday, only to idle without change through the remainder of the session. Indecision caused equities yesterday to move in a listless fashion and end the day with the trend mixed. Whatever price changes did occur proved to be of a purely fractional nature.

As compared with the close on Friday of last week, closing prices yesterday were higher, notwith. standing the extreme dulness that gripped the market this week. General Electric closed yesterday at 341/2 against 321/2 on Friday of last week; Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. at 301/8 against 291/4; Columbia Gas & Elec. at 53/4 against 51/2; Public Service of N. J. at 37 against 36%; J. I. Case Threshing Machine at 711/8 bid against 71; International Harvester at 541/2 against 537/8; Sears, Roebuck & Co. at 75% against 741/8; Montgomery Ward & Co. at 493/4 against 48; Woolworth at 465/8 against 46, and American Tel. & Tel. at 1611/4 against 1571/4. Western Union closed yesterday at 18½ against 17¾ on Friday of last week; Allied Chemical & Dye at 161 against 160; E. I. du Pont de Nemours at 149 against 147; National Cash Register at 17½ against 16½; National Dairy Products at 15½ against 14½; National Biscuit at 263/4 against 257/8; Texas Gulf Sulphur at 27 against 26%; Continental Can at 36% against 35½; Eastman Kodak at 163¾ against 159; Standard Brands at 63/4 against 61/4; Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. at 96 against 94; Lorillard at 223/4 against 221/8; Canada Dry at 171/4 against 161/4; Schenley Distillers at 111/8 against 111/8, and National Distillers at 251/2 against 25. In the rubber group, Goodyear Tire & Rubber closed yesterday at 26 against 251/8 on Friday of last week; B. F. Goodrich at 16 against 15¾, and United States Rubber at 395% against 38¾. The railroad shares advanced in a fractional manner this week. Pennsylvania RR. closed yesterday at 16% against 161/4 on Friday of last week; Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe at 26 against 251/4; New York Central at 13% against 131/8; Union Pacific at 941/2 bid against 901/2; Southern Pacific at 121/2 against 111/2; Southern Railway at 141/8 against 13, and Northern Pacific at 73/4 against 73/8. The steel stocks touched moderately higher levels the present week. United States Steel closed yesterday at 451/4 against 441/2 on Friday of last week; Inland Steel at 69% against 703/4; Bethlehem Steel at 521/4 against 517/8, and Youngstown Sheet & Tube at 34 against 32 1/8. In the motor group, Auburn Auto closed yesterday at 2 against 13/4 on Friday of last week; General Motors at 42% against 41%; Chrysler at 691/4 against 67%; Packard at 3 against 3, and Hupp Motors at 11/8 against 11/8. Among the oil stocks, Standard Oil of N. J. closed yesterday at 413/4 against 40% on Friday of last week; Shell Union Oil at 103/4 against 103/8, and Atlantic Refining at 19% against 19%. In the copper group, Anaconda Copper closed yesterday at 23% against 221/2 on Friday of last week; American Smelting & Refining at 401/4 against 381/4, and Phelps Dodge at 333/4 against 32.

Trade and industrial reports indicate little real change in conditions from previous weeks. Steel operations for the week ending today were estimated by American Iron and Steel Institute at 38.5%, against 54.3% last week, 54.2% a month ago, and 22.4% at this time last year. The sharp fall for the current week naturally reflects the Independence Day suspension and the start of the vacation season. Production of electric power for the week to July 1 was reported by Edison Electric Institute at 2,300,268,000 kwh. against 2,285,083,000 kwh. in the previous week and 2,014,702,000 kwh. in the corresponding week of 1938. Car loadings of revenue freight for the week to July 1 amounted to 665,528 cars, according to the Association of American Railroads. This was an increase of 22,541 cars over the preceding week and a gain of 76,648 cars over the similar week of last year.

As indicating the course of the commodity markets, the July option for wheat in Chicago closed yesterday at 67%c. against 70½c. the close on Friday of last week. July corn at Chicago closed yesterday at 47c. against 46%c. the close on Friday of last week. July oats at Chicago closed yesterday at 30½c. against 31%c. the close on Friday of last week.

The spot price for cotton here in New York closed yesterday at 9.96c. against 9.71c. the close on Friday of last week. The spot price for rubber yesterday was 16.36c. against 16.43c. the close on Friday of last week. Domestic copper closed yesterday at 10½c. against 10c. the closing price on Friday of last week. In London the price of bar silver yesterday closed at 17¾ pence per ounce against 18 pence per ounce the close on Friday of last week, and spot silver in New York closed yesterday at 36½c. against 37¾c. the close on Friday of last week.

In the matter of the foreign exchanges, cable transfers on London closed yesterday at \$4.681/4 against \$4.681/8 the close on Friday of last week, and cable transfers on Paris closed yesterday at 2.65c. against 2.647/8c. the close on Friday of last week

European Stock Markets

OLL trading and irregular price changes were reported this week on stock exchanges in the principal European financial centers, with the international political problem clearly the dominant factor. The London market appeared to be especially fearful of developments in Danzig which might lead to a general European war. The British financial community remained aloof, in these circumstances, and only minor price variations were noted at London. The Paris Bourse likewise was influenced by the war rumors, and the small upward and downward variations left prices little changed for the week. On the German market a modest upswing developed, with dealings exceedingly small. For a brief period the European markets were uncertain regarding American monetary developments, but this matter merely made for idleness until Mr. Roosevelt again was voted on Thursday his unprecedented power over the dollar. Business reports indicate great activity in all European industrial countries, largely on the basis of the armaments additions. British unemployment was reported on Monday at only 1,349,579, against 1,-492,282 a month earlier, but the industrial advances are not reflected in the securities markets because taxation is likely to absorb most of the benefits.

Although a new fortnightly account was started at London, Monday, dealings were at a minimum,

owing to fears of an early military clash over the question of Danzig. Gilt-edged stocks and industrial issues drifted lower, while copper and other mining shares were irregular. The international section reflected better prices for Anglo-American issues, and lower levels for all others. The tone improved on Tuesday, largely because of unconfirmed rumors that the proposed Anglo-Russian anti-aggression pact was ready for signature. Giltedged stock led the advance, and sizable gains appeared also in industrial shares and mining issues. International securities were modestly better. Changes were inconsequential on Wednesday, as traders and investors awaited further light on developments. Only small fractional variations were noted in gilt-edged and industrial stocks, while mining issues softened. Anglo-American favorites were steady in the foreign group. The situation was unchanged Thursday, as small upward and downward changes again were reported in British bonds and shares. International securities were uneven, with interest at a minimum. Small declines were the rule yesterday in an idle market. Gilt-edged industrial and international issues all receded.

After a good start on Monday, prices tended to drift lower on the Paris Bourse, owing to the gloomy reports about international developments. Net changes for the day were quite unimportant in rentes, but French equities managed to hold part of their initial gains. Foreign securities were neglected. The tone improved on Tuesday, merely because the pessimistic forecasts on the Danzig problem were not borne out. Rentes and French equities were marked sharply higher, and modest demand was noted also for international issues. gains were registered at Paris on Wednesday, partly because of short-covering. Rentes and French equities were marked a little higher. International securities did well, with the exception of Suez Canal shares, which dropped sharply. The small dealings on Thursday occasioned only modest price variations in either direction. Rentes and French equities were virtually motionless, and international issues lost a little ground. Modest gains were recorded yesterday at Paris, but irregularity persisted in the international group.

The Berlin Boerse started the trading of the week with a quiet tone, dealings being confined chiefly to the small group of speculative issues. Price variations were of little moment, as pronounced changes were confined to a few specialties. Gains and losses were equally numerous in equities and fixed-income issues. Better levels were established Tuesday, but the gains were attributed to buying on the part of the large banking institutions. The advances ranged from fractions to three points in equities, while fixed-interest issues were neglected. Fresh gains were noted Wednesday, on the Boerse, with equities and bonds alike in demand. Dealings were on so small a scale, however, as to rob the advance of significance. The Boerse was dull on Thursday, with price changes small and irregular, both in equities and fixed-income issues. Changes yesterday were inconsequential, with trading still dull.

### Countervailing Duties

ACTION was taken by the United States Treasury on Wednesday toward imposing countervailing import duties on silk importations from Italy, the amount of the extra impost to be carefully cal-

culated to offset the bounty or subsidy said to be paid by the Italian Government to shippers. It was rumored last month that such measures were under consideration in Washington, and it appears that an investigation was made by commercial representatives of the United States Government in Italy before the decision was reached. The extra import duties are to become effective Aug. 13, and they will be assessed in accordance with the precise silk components of yarns and materials. Importers are to deposit sums estimated to cover the maximum of the duties, and after determination of the silk component adjustments will be This is the second recent occasion on which the Treasury has utilized its powers to imposts on goods from other countries, toward which been applied last April on dutiable German merchandise. It is to be hoped that political considerations were not permitted to influence the decisions, and are not preventing similar imposes on goods from other countries, toward which the Administration happens to feel more amiable. The point is worthy of emphasis, for some Washington reports depict the countervailing duties as a warning to the Rome-Berlin axis of further economic measures or "sanctions," designed to check aggression. If the reports have any validity whatever, then the purely protective function of countervailing duties is being distorted into an instrument of international political pressure, which easily might entail repercussions of a disastrous \_ nature.

### European War Preparations

STEADILY and ever more rapidly the principal countries of Europe are preparing for a test of armed strength which each and every one specifically declares is unwanted. The latest attack of European war nerves has something of a synthetic quality, for it revolves around the small and indubitably Germanic city of Danzig. The aim of the German Nazi authorities to resume sovereignty over the city, by fair means or foul, needs no underscoring. There is still some uncertainty as to the attitude of Poland, which has important interests in the Free City. France is standing by with fatalistic resignation, determined to fight by the side of Poland if necessary. From London comes an amazing stream of reports regarding official warnings against German aggression and the preparations being made to meet an emergency that Great Britain obviously expects to terminate in war. If any ordinary diplomatic endeavors are being made to meet the problem of Danzig, there is no hint of them in dispatches from any European capital. War fever, on the other hand, is being whipped up with prodigious speed and rather more sharply in England than anywhere else. In the meantime little progress is reported with the plan to bring Russia into the Grand Alliance against aggression.

To all appearances the decision as to a general European conflagration rests entirely with the Polish Government and its ultimate reaction to the German intention of reincorporating Danzig in the Reich. The larger Powers have made this incredible situation possible by taking stands on the minor matter from which retreat is exceedingly difficult. That the problem is relatively insignificant is hardly open to dispute, for even the Poles have been so thoroughly convinced of an ultimate return of

Danzig to the Reich that they constructed, years ago, the rival port of Gydnia on Corridor soil. After the German Nazis showed their real intentions of conquest by taking the alien Provinces of Moravia and Bohemia, the question of the Free City of Danzig and the Polish Corridor arose. Poland made abundantly clear its intention of fighting to preserve the Corridor and access to the sea. Of late the issue has been narrowed entirely to the Free City, with rumors more prevalent than facts.

Expectations clearly were entertained in many parts of Europe that the last week-end would see developments in Danzig leading to a general outbreak of hostilities. But the week-end passed quietly enough, save for the flood of unconfirmed reports. From Paris came statements that Chancellor Hitler planned a trip to Danzig later this month, the journey to coincide with a declaration by the Danzig Burgomeisters that they wished to rejoin the Reich. Berlin issued a laconic denial of the reported intentions of Herr Hitler. Both London and Paris assured the world that a Putsch was being manufactured in Danzig, but officials of the Free City scoffed at the reports. That able observer for the New York "Times," Frederick T. Birchall, reported from Danzig on Tuesday that the Free City "is exercising its normal activities and doing its normal business, just as if it were not the focus of a bitter political controversy that inevitably must produce a new European crisis; the tension is all elsewhere." Mr. Birchall also indicated, however, that the armed forces of the Free City were being augmented, possibly in part from the Reich. He estimated that 10,000 to 11,000 troops were under arms there. Polish authorities stated late last week that any move in the Free City, whether originating within or without its borders, would result in a a "counter-action." There was no indication, however, of the nature of such counter-action. In Berlin an "authorized spokesman" made on Monday what the Associated Press called one of the clearest utterances any German official has given since the start of the latest Danzig incident. "We have no desire to go against the territorial integrity of Poland," said the spokesman, who denied that German soldiers were going into Danzig under the guise of tourists. It was indicated that Germany is ready to consider proposals from Poland for settlement of Danzig and Corridor questions. Poland made no protest to Germany regarding the rumored incursions of Reich troops in the Free City.

British anxieties regarding the threat of German aggression were acute at all times. Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, held a midnight press conference last Saturday, in which he indicated that a "final solution" had been decided upon by the German Government. The British Labor party made a radio appeal to German workers, over the last week-end, to influence Nazi officials pacifically. Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain spoke over the radio, Sunday, and he promised to throw all of Great Britain's strength into the struggle against aggression, whether aimed at Great Britain herself or those now covered by the British system of guaranties. Debate in the House of Commons, Monday, occasioned the statement by Mr. Chamberlain that the British Government are maintaining close contacts with France and Poland regarding Danzig, but he refused to declare the internal developments

in Danzig illegal. Fresh assurances to Poland were reported in preparation by the British Cabinet this week, and on Wednesday it was indicated that large sums would be advanced to the new British allies, so that they might augment their defenses. It was also indicated in London that military games, or mock warfare, would be in almost continual progress this summer, the fleet to conduct its maneuvers in July, the air force in August, and the army in September. As an impressive demonstration of Anglo-French solidarity, 52 British airplanes next week are to participate in the French celebration of Bastille Day.

### **Armaments Economics**

ALTOGETHER timely and appropriate is a suggestion by the Factoria gestion by the Economic Committee of the League of Nations that a full study be made of the economic repercussions of armaments production, including its influence on standards of living. This proposal of the League committee, made to the Council, was published in Geneva last Tuesday, and it so happens that brief but stimulating comments on British and German experiences under the heightened armaments production schedules of these times were made available concurrently. The reports from the various European centers were submitted independently and obviously without prior consultation. They indicate the more clearly, therefore, that a good deal of concern exists regarding what one observer calls the "cannon booms" of European countries. Certain fundamentals are sufficiently obvious and need not wait upon any study by the League economic section. The psychological effect of huge and bristling armaments in every corner of Europe is perhaps the most important, for the temptation to declare war is immensely enhanced by a readiness to fight. On the purely financial side, the overwhelming fact is that immense and recurring deficits are being incurred because taxation no longer suffices to cover the real or assumed needs of armaments programs. The problems involved also are significant for the United States, even though our armaments expansion has not the relative importance of the European programs.

The League Economic Committee, according to a Geneva dispatch to the New York "Times," considered it regrettable that at a time when many urgent problems are crying for remedies, most of mankind's best energies and thoughts are being devoted to problems which will not ultimately contribute to human welfare. Armaments programs admittedly furnish an immediate stimulus, but it is argued that continuation of the present tendencies must inevitably result in a fall in the living standards of the peoples concerned. "Many governments," the report states, "already are occupied with this aspect of rearmaments and the consequences likely to arise as production of armaments impinges more and more on the output of other goods. To these factors must be added the effect on living standards of policies aiming at rendering a country as selfsufficient as possible in wartime, particularly policies of agricultural protection." Among the problems being stored up for the future, moreover, is that of transition from war economies to a peacetime basis, the report notes. "The problem will be to effect this without seriously impairing economic activity as a whole," it is contended. "Many diffi-

cult problems will have to be faced when a return of political confidence permits the nations now arming with such appalling rapidity to revert to conditions of peacetime production. Modern armaments, even on a moderate scale, require a expenditure of very large resources of labor, material and capital. When so large a proportion of the national income in so many States is being diverted to these unproductive ends, and when so many men are being withdrawn from the normal occupations of a peaceful world, it is unnecessary to enter any elaborate economic arguments for the purpose of showing that a difficult period of transition lies ahead some time in the future."

The comments of the League committee are buttressed by a London report to the Associated Press, published here on Wednesday, regarding the British business revival now in progress and likely to develop much further. "Rearmament on a colossal scale is the accepted cornerstone of recovery, however temporary and ultimately unsettling it may prove to be," the dispatch notes. "Great Britain is spending \$2,948,400,000 on rearmanent in one year alone in its new budget, and Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has cautioned the House of Commons that even this astronomical figure may be increased." Some British observers contend, it is remarked, that the armaments outlays will prove a spreading influence on the general economy which will bring into play normal and sound bases for recovery. But the critics, some of them Members of Parliament, hold that the matter is not quite so simple and may give rise to extraordinary problems of employment dislocation, when workers in the armaments industries are ultimately Answering the parliamentary critics, Oliver Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, asserts that the current business improvement in England is not based merely on armaments, but on many other factors as well. Mr. Stanley argued, moreover, that curtailment of armaments production, if and when it proves possible, will be accompanied by a general increase of confidence and a stimulation of other industries on a scale sufficient to absorb the industrial workers displaced by the loss of arms orders.

German economic experience, under a concentration of resources for armaments production, is discussed with some frankness in the semi-annual survey of the Reichs-Kredit-Gesellschaft, one of the leading German banks. This study was made available in Berlin on Tuesday, and apparently it was worded with the care necessary in the Nazi Reich. The facts set forth, however, lead to the conclusion that a good deal of tension has been created in the Reich economics system by the feverish armaments activities. There is an increasing shortage of general merchandise, which is attributed chiefly to a rise in total working income by 64.2% from 1933 to 1938, while the production of consumption goods advanced only 29.5%. Much of the increased income of the working group is taken by the State through added taxation, but purchasing power, nevertheless, is said to have advanced far more than the production of general goods. Building construction figures for Germany reveal clearly that State financed activities, even in this sphere, furnish almost all improvement. The survey leads to the conclusion, a report to the New York "Herald Tribune" states, that German employment is nearing its peak and that the withdrawal of workers by mobilization in wartime would make it almost impossible to maintain current output in essential industries and agriculture. Even the absorption of Austria and Czechoslovakia has not relieved a labor shortage estimated at 1,000,000 workers. "Gigantic new armaments unequivocally provided the motor for this upturn," the survey says about the German business improvement. But it also is sugguardedly, that tension is increasing through credit expansion and public borrowing.

### Brazilian Dollar Debts

BRAZILIAN authorities effected, last Saturday, a sort of "token payment" of \$1,000,000 by way of service on some \$400,000,000 of their Federal, State and municipal dollar bonds and accumulated unpaid interest. This action clearly is a stopgap expedient, designed to bridge the difficulty occasioned by Foreign Minister Oswaldo Aranha's promise of last March to resume debt service July 1. The visit of the Minister to Washington, it will be recalled, terminated in an exchange of letters with our State Department, calling for the extension of a credit of \$19,200,000 to Brazil for liquidation of blocked dollar balances in that country, a further gold loan of \$50,000,000 from our excessive stocks of the metal, and other benefits. Brazil promised little more than a resumption of dollar bond debt service on a transitional basis, with negotiations to follow for a permanent settlement. It is instructive to note that the financial performance on the part of the United States Government so far has been limited to the \$19,200,000 credit, which was extended by the official Export-Import Bank, and which is said to have been insufficient for the liquidation of all the American blocked accounts. The remaining financial aid promised to Brazil apparently depends upon congressional acceptance of President Roosevelt's newest spendinglending expedient, which includes \$500,000,000 of so-called self-liquidating advances to foreign governments. Debates in the United States Senate throw considerable doubt upon this aspect of Mr. Roosevelt's \$3,860,000,000 spending-lending proposal, for stern objections have been voiced.

All the evidence thus points to a temporizing on the part of the Brazilian Government, on the question of its external obligations, in the hope that the aid promised last March will soon be forthcoming. When the \$1,000,000 transfer was announced Dr. Aranha admitted that the payment is small, but he maintained that it involved a great effort for Brazil, the gesture being designed "to show the desire of my Government to face its difficulties with American creditors." It appears, moreover, that the Brazilians now expect the Foreign Bondholders Protective Council to send a representative to Brazil for further negotiations, although delinquent debtors traditionally ought to approach the creditors or their representatives. The incident, it may be added, is highly involved and, being still in flux, is not readily subject to competent analysis. There are, however, certain considerations which are not sufficiently regarded. These relate to the obligation of debtors to apply all available resources to the liquidation of their pledges, especially when the full faith, credit and taxing power of a sovereign regime stand behind the obligations. In the case of Brazil, it is well known that full payment of all

its foreign indebtedness would exceed the current capacity of the country. But a better effort assuredly could have been made than is indicated by the \$1,000,000 transfer now announced.

### Far East

WO years of continuous and ever-widening warfare between Japanese militarists and the Chinese people were rounded out yesterday, with the Japanese in nominal possession of a vast area of China and the Chinese unswerving in their opposition to the aggression. How long this struggle can be continued is beyond prediction. It has already caused immense destruction of lives and property, and has occasioned many obvious and esoteric changes in Oriental affairs, and also in the relations of Occidental countries with the combatants. The Japanese apparently are loath to stretch their thin military lines any farther, for their striking powers rest mainly upon mechanized forces, while manpower is lacking for genuinely effective occupation of the vast area wrested from the peaceful inhabitants. The Nationalist Government, retreating ever deeper into the Chinese interior, continues to mobilize its immense resources of soldiery, but manages to equip them but poorly. A sort of stalemate has existed for months in the Sino-Japanese conflict, and all immediate indications point to its continuance. Far Eastern events, however, always are unpredictable.

Incidental difficulties experienced by the Japanese militarists with other Powers remained foremost, as the Sino-Japanese war drew toward the end of its second year. The blockade of the British and French concessions at Tientsin was continued, and efforts again were made to force Occidental nations out of the other treaty ports. Japanese soldiers in Tientsin again treated British subjects with the greatest indignity. The British Government remained more occupied with European war threats, however, and consultations finally were started at Tokio, Thursday, for an adjustment of the Anglo-Japanese difficulties. Tokio again insisted that Great Britain must adjust her attitude toward the "China incident," but there were no indications in London of such tendencies. Clear evidence was available, as the week progressed, of a great struggle on the border of Manchukuo and Outer Mongolia, which may well explain the lack of fresh Japanese demands on Western Powers. Outer Mongolia is a Russian protectorate, and for some weeks airplane combats have been reported there between Russian and Japanese forces. It was reported on Wednesday, from Shanghai, that great numbers of Japanese troops are flooding the hospital facilities of Harbin and other Manchukuoan towns, the number of wounded far exceeding the facilities. This suggests that another undeclared war is in progress, which may or may not eventuate in the sort of draw that ended the Changkufeng incident of a year ago.

Foreign Money Rates

NILONDON open market discount rates for short bills on Friday were 11-16@3/4% as against 11-16@3/4%, on Friday of last week, and 13-16@7/8% for three-months' bills as against 13-16@% on Friday of last week. Money on call at London on Friday was ½%. At Paris the open market rate remains at 21/4% and in Switzerland at 1%.

### Discount Rates of Foreign Central Banks

HERE 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 July 7	Date Established	Pre- vious Rate	Country	Rate in Effect July 7	Date Established	Pre- vious Rate
Argentina	31/2	Mar. 1 1936	1. 150,749	Holland	2	Dec. 2 1936	214
Batavia	4	July 1 1935		Hungary	4	Aug. 29 1935	414
Belgium	4	Apr. 17 1939	21/2	India	3	Nov. 28 1935	314
Bulgaria	6	Aug. 15 1935	7	Italy	41/2	May 18 1936	5
Canada	214	Mar. 11 1935	112.011	Japan	3.29	Apr. 6 1936	3.65
Chile		Dec. 16 1936	4	Java	3	Jan. 14 1937	4
Colombia	4	July 18 1933	5	Lithuania	7	May 15 1939	5
Czechoslo-	7 1			Morocco	614	May 28 1935	414
vakia	3	Jan. 1 1936	31/2	Norway	31/2	Jan. 5 1938	4
Danzig	4	Jan. 2 1937	5	Poland	41/2	Dec. 17 1937	5
Denmark	314	Feb. 23 1939	4	Portugal	4	Aug. 11 1937	41/2
Eire	3	June 30 1932	314	Rumania		May 5 1938	416
England		June 30 1932	214	South Africa		May 15 1933	414
Estonia	416	Oct. 1 1935	5	Spain	5	July 15 1935	5
Finland	4	Dec. 3 1934	41/2	Sweden	21/2	Dec. 1 1933	3
France	2	Jan. 2 1939	21/2	Switzerland	11/2	Nov. 25 1936	2
Germany		Sept. 22 1932	5	Yugoslavia.	5	Feb. 1 1935	614
Greece		Jan. 4 1937	7	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	Section 1		

### Bank of England Statement

Note circulation of the Bank of England showed a further expansion of £6,742,000 in the week ended July 5 which raised the outstanding to £505,722,000, within easy reach of the record high of £509,315,646 reached during the Christmas holiday expansion, on Dec. 22, 1937. The total note expansion in the last two statement weeks has amounted to £11,051,000, which compares with a rise of £4,958,761 in the like period of 1938. As of July 6, 1938 circulation stood at £488,230,991. The Bank's gold holdings declined £49,434 in the latest week; there was no change in the Bank's valuation which remained 148s. 6d., ½d. below the market. The changes in circulation and bullion, together brought about a reduction of £6,-791,000 in reserves and the proportion of reserves to deposit liabilities dropped sharply to 13.9%, the lowest it has been since Oct. 5, 1938, directly after the partitioning of Czechoslovakia, when it dropped to 13.8%, the lowest in the thirteen years preceding. A week ago the proportion was 18.3% and last year, 23.8%. Public deposits increased £3,916,000 and other deposits fell off £4,359,760. The latter consists of bankers accounts, which decreased £4,965,229 and other accounts which rose £605,469. Government securities increased £4,850,000 and other securities, £1,539,030. Other securities consist of discounts and advances which rose £1,952,040, and securities which decreased £413,010. We show below the different items with comparable figures for the preceding years:

	July 5, 1939	July 6, 1938	July 7, 1937	July 8, 1936	July 10, 1935
4/4	£	£	£	£	£
Circulation	505,722,000	488,230,991	494,424,620	443,106,123	400,652,245
Public deposits		12,545,991		10,520,796	
Other deposits		151,652,325	125,696,203	135,069,927	144,959,228
Bankers' accounts_		115,663,218	88,541,017	96,703,728	108,593,215
Other accounts		35,989,107		38,366,199	
Govt. securities		111,891,164		96,758,310	
Other securities	31,253,426				22,954,400
Disct. & advances_	8,788,891				10,372,619
Securities	22,464,535		20,433,379	17,436,025	
Reserve notes & coin			32,869,914	43,461,110	52,619,595
Coin and bullion	227,085,302	327,402,052	327,294,534	226,567,233	193,271,840
Proportion of reserve					
to liabilities		23.8%			
Bank rate	2%		2%	2%	2%
Gold val. per fine oz.	1488.6d.	84s. 11 1/4d.	848. 11 1/d.	84s. 11 1/d.	84s. 11 1/2 d.

### Bank of France Statement

The statement for the week ended June 29 showed an expansion in note circulation of 2,723,000,000 francs, which brought the total outstanding up to 122,610,000,000 francs. Notes in circulation a year ago aggregated 102,087,207,470 francs and the year before 88,686,728,180 francs. An increase was also recorded in French commercial bills discounted, namely 220,000,000 francs and in advances against securities of 67,000,000 francs. The Bank's gold holdings now total 92,266,003,211 francs, compared

with the pre-devalued holdings of 55,808,148,617 francs last year. A loss of 1,917,000,000 francs appeared in creditor current accounts, while temporary advances to State remained unchanged at 20,576,-820,960 francs. The proportion of gold to liabilities fell off to 63.76%; a year ago it was 47.25%. A comparison of the different items for previous years is furnished below:

BANK OF FRANCE'S COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

og det e	Changes for Week	June 29, 1939	June 30, 1938	July 1, 1937
Gold holdingsCredit bals. abroad_	Francs - 3,013	Francs 92,266,003,211 *14,125,446	Francs 55,808,148,617 26,801,493	Francs 48,859,221,333 17,248,375
a French commercial bills discounted b Bills bought abr'd Adv. against securs_ Note circulation Credit current accts.	+220,000,000 $+67,000,000$ $+2,723,000,000$ $-1,917,000,000$	122610,000,000	776,906,394	88,686,728,180
c Temp. advs. with- out int. to State	No change	20,576,820,960	40,133,974,773	23,926,269,384
Propor'n of gold on hand to sight liab.		63.76%	47.25%	47.53%

\* Figures as of June 22, 1939.

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a Includes bills purchased in France. b Includes bills discounted abroad. c In the process of revaluing the Bank's gold under the decree of Nov. 13, 1938, the three entries on the Bank's books representing temporary advances to the State were wiped out and the unsatisfied balance of such loans was transferred to a new entry of non-interest-bearing loans to the State.

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Revaluation of the Bank's gold (at 27.5 mg. gold 0.9 fine per frane .under the decree of Nov. 13. 1938, was effected in the statement of Nov 17. 1938; prior to that date and from June 20. 1937, valuation had been at the rate of 43 mg. gold 0.9 fine per franc; previous to that time and subsequent to Sept. 26. 1936, the value was 49 mg. per franc, and before Sept. 26, 1936, there were 65.5 mg. of gold to

### Bank of Germany Statement

The statement for the last quarter of June showed a large increase in note circulation of 835,700,000 marks, which brought the total outstanding up to a new record high of 8,731,137,000 marks. Notes in circulation the corresponding period last year totaled 6,439,974,000 marks. An increase was also shown in bills of exchange and checks of 680,300,000 marks, in advances of 16,400,000 marks and in other assets of 388,328,000 marks. The Bank's gold holdings recorded a loss of 215,000 marks, which left the total at 76,703,000 marks, compared with 70,773,000 marks a year ago. Silver and other coin, and other liabilities also revaled decreases, namely 79,563,000 marks and 197,421,000 marks respectively. proportion of gold and foreign currency to note circution fell off to 0.88%; last year it was 1.18% and the year before 1.58%. Below we furnish the various items with comparisons for back years:

REICHSBANK'S COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

	Changes for Week	June 30, 1939	June 30, 1938	June 30, 1937
Assets-	Reichsmarks	Reichsmarks	Reichsmarks	Reichsmarks
Gold and bullion	-215,000	76.703.000	70,773,000	68,954,000
Of which depos. abr'd		* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	20,333,000	19,359,000
Resve. in for'n currency			5,663,300	5,786,000
Bills of exch. & checks.	+680,300,000	8,158,900,000	6,174,847,000	5,322,731,000
Silver and other coin	-79,563,000	129,707,000	160,731,000	162,184,000
Advances	+16,400,000	47,700,000	71,338,000	54,561,000
Investments		a 921,406,000		
Other assets	+388,328,000	1,514,090,000	1,161,336,000	716,178,000
Notes in circulation	+835,700,000	8.731,137,000	6,439,974,000	4,991,599,000
Other dally matur, oblig	Charles and Charles	a 984.581,000	1,119,282,000	880,335,000
Other liabilities Propor. of gold & for'n	-197,421,000	400,356,000	267,618,000	219,477,000
curr. to note circul'n_	-0.9%	0.88%	1.18%	1.58%

\* "Reserves in foreign currencles" and "Deposits abroad" are included in Gold coin and bullion.

### New York Money Market

LL sections of the New York money market were A stagnant this week, with the holiday on Tuesday contributing to the listlessness. Bankers' bills and commercial paper rates were unchanged, hardly any transactions being reported. Treasury sold its usual issue of \$100,000,000 discount bills late the previous week, with awards at 0.014% average, computed on an annual bank discount basis. Call loans on the New York Stock Exchange held to 1%, and time loans again were

 $1\frac{1}{4}\%$  for maturities to 90 days, and  $1\frac{1}{2}\%$  for four to six months' datings.

### New York Money Rates

DEALING 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. Rates continued nominal at 1¼% up to 90 days and 1½% for four to six months' maturities. The market for prime commercial paper has been inactive this week. The demand has fallen off and high class paper has been in light supply. Ruling rates are  $\frac{5}{8}$ @¾% for all maturities.

### Bankers' Acceptances

THE market for prime bankers' acceptances has shown little activity this week. Prime bills are scarce and the demand has been 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 ½% bid and 7-16% asked; for bills running for four months 9-16% bid and ½% asked; for five and six months, 5%% bid and 9-16% asked. The bill buying rate of the New York Reserve Bank is ½% for bills running from 1 to 90 days. The Federal Reserve Bank's holdings of acceptances remain unchanged at \$556,000.

### Discount Rates of the Federal Reserve Banks

THERE 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 July 7	Date Established	Previous Rate
Boston	11/2	Sept. 2, 1937 Aug. 27, 1937	2 11/4
Philadelphia	114 114	Sept. 4, 1937 May 11, 1935	2 2
Richmond	11/2	Aug. 27, 1937 Aug. 21, 1937	2
Chicago	11/4	Aug. 21, 1937	2
St. Louis	11/2	Sept. 2, 1937 Aug. 24, 1937	2 2
Kansas City	11/4	Sept. 3, 1937 Aug. 31, 1937	2 2
San Francisco	11/2	Sept. 3, 1937	2

### Course of Sterling Exchange

STERLING exchange during the past ten days has been showing signs of pressure. However, at the moment the pressure has greatly diminished. On Thursday and Friday of last week heavy selling swept over the foreign exchange market as commercials here and abroad sought to transfer funds to New York to guard against adverse developments in Europe. Active intervention on the part of the controls was necessary to support most of the major currencies, with selling pressure directed chiefly against sterling. On several occasions it seemed as though the pound would break through the \$4.681/8 level at which it had been lately pegged. The spot rate remained fairly steady owing to the action of the exchange controls, but the forward discount widened. In New York the banks were closed on Saturday and confined to routine operations on Monday, and there was no market on Tuesday, Independence Day. Currently the discount on 30-day sterling is quoted at 5/8 points under spot, and the discount on 90-day sterling is 2 points against 1 5-16 on June 27. range for sterling this week has been between \$4.67% and \$4.683-16 for bankers' sight bills, compared with a range of between 4.67% and \$4.681/4 last week.

The range for cable transfers has been between  $$4.68\ 1-16$  and  $$4.68\ 5-16$  compared with a range of between  $$4.68\ 1-16$  and  $$4.68\frac{3}{8}$  a week ago.

The new monetary measures passed by the United States Congress on July 5 are of only passing interest to foreign exchange operators. The President's power to devalue the dollar is continued, as is the \$2,000,000,000 exchange equalization fund. The price of domestically mined silver is fixed at 71.11 cents and authority is granted to continue to purchase foreign silver. The London silver market will doubltess advance in response to this renewal. The currencies of Mexico, Cuba, and Peru are also expected to show greater firmness.

General uneasiness over conditions abroad, particularly with respect to the Danzig situation, precipitated a heavy offering of all foreign currencies last week. Commercial and other interests on June 28, 29 and 30 showed eagerness to transfer funds to New York to guard against any European eventuality during the long holiday period here. The pressure was more evident in the forward contracts which never receive support from the exchange controls. At the time of going to press nervousness in the financial markets due to war fears appears to have subsided.

The decline of £138,000,000 in British gold stocks between September, 1938 and March, 1939 disclosed by the British Treasury's statement of June 29 seems to have caused no real surprise or anxiety in financial circles in London, because the extensive exodus of foreign capital from London after the Munich crisis has left an insufficient volume of foreign funds in London to depress the market in the event of further withdrawals. It is believed that the British gold stocks, which at the end of March stood at £593,700,000, have remained virtually intact. Present gold holdings are considered abundant to meet any new emergency and provide a reassuring backing for the currency.

British business, which gave definite signs of strong revival in the first half of June, has undoubtedly suffered a setback because of the tension in Danzig last week. New financing, which was experiencing a recovery, was abruptly halted. London financial markets have given full weight to the grave warnings sounded successively by Premier Daladier, Winston Churchill and Lord Halifax. Business in the stock market has dwindled to extremely small proportions.

Following large oversubscriptions to several gilt-edged issues for several weeks, the offering last week of £7,500,000 of stock by the London County Council, the country's premier municipality, was an almost complete failure, the underwriters having to take up not less than 94%. The extent to which activity was reviving in this direction can be judged by the fact that new capital offers in June amounted to £23,-858,000, against only £6,612,000 in May and £8,509,-000 in June, 1938.

Despite these adverse factors in the stock market, and the fact that the British stock and bond indices are currently lower, general business in Britian gives no sign of unusual nervousness. On the contrary, improvement continues. By reason of declining imports and slightly expanding exports during the first half of the year, Great Britain was able to reduce its adverse foreign trade balance substantially. Exceptional stability has been maintained in sterling exchange and as a result overseas trade has been benefited. So far as can be foreseen at the present junc-

ture, the stability of exchange promises to continue for an encouraging period.

However, even in the most optimistic view as to the future of international trade movements, a return to the normal trade currents which existed before the World War may not be envisaged.

The report of Sir Herbert A. Lawrence, Chairman of the Ottoman Bank, on conditions in the Near East, is equally applicable to all other regions. Sir Herbert told his stockholders at the annual general meeting held in London a few days ago:

"The business of the bank and its subsidiaries and allied institutions was faced with difficulties of a special nature, working as they did in countries which are exporters of primary commodities and therefore dependent upon world prices. Moreover, some of the countries in the Near East exported commodities for which sufficient markets could not be found, even at world prices, in countries with a free exchange. As a result they have been forced to look to Germany and to a lesser degree to Italy to find a remunerative outlet for their products, and have concluded with those two totalitarian powers a whole network of clearing agreements. Meanwhile, until a remedy is found, these countries are more and more involved in the regime of restriction, control, and autarchy which the States in question had adopted as the means of mobilizing permanently their resources of every kind. It is no more possible to withdraw funds from Turkey than from Greece, Iran, Yugoslavia, or Rumania, or to make a transfer from one account to another without permission of the authorities."

Too much emphasis might easily be placed upon/ the heavy gold shipments from Europe, especially from England, in the past few years. The extensive earmarkings of gold work distinctly in favor of the shipping countries. Gold held under earmark here for foreign governments now exceeds \$1,150,000,000. The major part of this gold is for official British account.

A new feature of foreign central bank earmarking in the past few years is the transfer of gold for safety to other centers than New York, notably to Canada and South Africa. The British authorities hold large earmarked stocks in both these countries.

Figures published by the Bank of Canada in the current issue of its monthly statistical survey show that a net amount of 4,721,000 fine ounces of gold worth \$165,235,000 was set aside for account of foreign holders during May. At the end of April 4,702,000 ounces were thus held under earmark. Canada now ranks as one of the world's major depositories of foreign owned gold. Something in excess of \$350,000,000 is now earmarked in Canada. Figures for South Africa are not available at present. Most of this earmarked gold is for British official account.

However, Canada and South Africa both earmark gold for private individual or firm account. Many private hoarders have removed their gold from London to Ottawa. In the United States only central banks and governments may earmark gold. Individuals and firms shipping gold to the United States are obliged to sell the metal to the Treasury and receive only dollar balances.

London open market money rates continue extremely easy, with two-months bills at 23-32%, three-months bills at 27-32%, four-months bills 29-32% and six-months bills  $1\frac{3}{8}\%$ .

Gold on offer in the London open market this week was as follows: On Saturday last £39,000, on Monday £110,000, on Tuesday £71,000, on Wednesday £526,000, on Thursday £235,000 and on Friday £327,000.

At the Port of New York the gold movement for the week ended July 5, as reported by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, was as follows:

GOLD MOVEMENT AT NEW YORK, JUNE 29-JULY 5, INCLUSIVE

Imports	Exports
\$38,864,000 from England	
14,921,000 from Holland	
1,846,000 from Mexico	None
610,000 from India	
\$56,241,000 total	Programme and the second sections of the section section section section sections of the section section section section sections of the section section section section sec

Net Change in Gold Earmarked for Foreign Account Increase: \$21,396,000

 $\it Note$ —We have been notified that approximately \$169,000 of gold was received at San Francisco from China.

The above figures are for the week ended on Wednesday. On Thursday \$7,870,000 of gold was received, of which \$5,062,000 came from England and \$2,808,000 from Switzerland. There were no exports of the metal. On Friday, \$5,029,000 of gold was received, of which \$4,276,000 came from Canada, \$748,000 from England and \$5,000 from Guatamala. There were no exports of the metal. It was reported on Friday that \$5,510,000 of gold was received at San Francisco from China.

Canadian exchange continues to rule at a discount in terms of New York. Montreal funds ranged during the week between a discount of 5-16% and a discount of 15-64%.

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

### MEAN LONDON CHECK RATE ON PARIS

Saturday, July 1176.74	Wednesday, July 5176.72
Monday, July 3176.73	Thursday, July 6176.72
Tuesday, July 4176.72	
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### LONDON OPEN MARKET GOLD PRICE

Saturday, July 1148s. 6½d.	Wednesday, July 5148s. 61/2d.
Monday, July 3148s. 6½d.	Thursday, July 6148s. 6d.
Tuesday, July $4_{148s.6}$ 6½d.	Friday, July 7147s .6d.

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

Saturday, July 1\$35.00	Wednesday, July 5\$35.00
Monday, July 3 35.00	Thursday, July 6 35.00
Tuesday, July 4Holiday	Friday, July 7 35.00

Referring to day-to-day rates sterling exchange on Saturday last was under pressure, demand being entirely for the dollar. New York banks were closed. On Monday the market was quiet and quotations were nominal. Bankers' sight was \$4.67\%@\$4.68\% and cable transfers were \$4.68 1-16@\$4.681/4. On Tuesday, Independence Day, the New York market was closed. On Wednesday sterling was steady but the demand was entirely for the United States dollar. The range was 4.68@4.68% for bankers' sight and \$4.68 1-16@\$4.68 3-16 for cable transfers. On Thursday the tone and character of the market continued unchanged. Bankers' sight was \$4.68@\$4.681/8; cable transfers were \$4.68\\[ &\) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) Friday rates \( \) were held steady through the intervention of the exchange equalization funds. The range was \$4.68@  $$4.68 \ 3-16$  for bankers' sight and  $$4.68 \ \frac{1}{8} \ \frac{3}{6} \ 5-16$ for cable transfers. Closing quotations on Friday were \$4.681/8 for demand and \$4.681/4 for cable transfers. Commercial sight bills finished at \$4.673/4, 60-day bills at \$4.66\frac{7}{8}, 90-day bills at \$4.66\frac{1}{2}, documents for payment (60 days) at \$4.66%, and seven-day grain bills at \$4.673/4. Cotton and grain for payment closed at \$4.673/4.

### Continental and Other Foreign Exchange

RENCH francs continue firm, fluctuating within narrow limits. The French financial and economic position is giving great satisfaction to the authorities in Paris. Finance Minister Reynaud, discussing the improved situation prior to a ministerial conference for stimulating activity in non-armament lines and for controlling the over rapid rise in prices, said that the amount of gold which entered France during June was double that received in May. The position of the French Treasury, he said, is better than at any time this year, after meeting June maturities which are always the heaviest of the 12-month period. For the first time in 10 years ordinary budgetary income and expenditure have been balanced halfway through the financial year. Increase in general business activity is demonstrated by the fact that 33% of French workers, excluding miners, are now working overtime, as compared with only 3% in November, and the number of unemployed is smaller.

Publication of the combined gold stocks of the Bank of England and the British Exchange Equalization Fund as of March 31 compared with the figures of the gold stocks of the Bank of France and the French Exchange Fund as of Feb. 28, makes it appear that the French stocks are now higher than those of the British. The British total of 79,900,000 ounces is equivalent to 2,265 fine metric tons. The French total amounted to 2,573 fine metric tons. Therefore if there are no hidden British reserves, the French stock exceeded that of the British by 308 fine metric tons.

Belgian currency continues firm, ruling in New York well above dollar parity of 16.95. However, as in most of the European countries, futures are at a discount, indicating lingering doubts in the minds of speculators and the general market.

On July 5 the Belgian Government took measures to increase the export trade. Its program is designed to stimulate domestic recovery through wider use of cheaper central bank credit. The first step was the reduction in the rediscount rate of the Bank of Belgium to  $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ . A rate of  $1\frac{1}{2}\%$  discount for paper based upon exports of Belgian goods was put into effect. At the same time there was established a  $1\frac{1}{2}\%$  discount rate for treasury paper having a maturity of four months or less in order to broaden the market for Government issues.

Under the new system an export bill of exchange may be discounted at the National Bank of Belgium at a charge of  $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ , while  $2\frac{1}{2}\%$  is charged for purely domestic paper. By this means Belgium avoids the odium of an outright cash subsidy, although the net effect is the same as far as the foreign cost of the Belgian article is concerned, because lower financing charges mean lower production costs, which in turn permit the quotation of lower prices abroad. The National Bank of Belgium's statement for the week ended June 29 showed total gold stock of 3,186,700,000 belgas, a ratio of gold to notes of 73.98%, and a ratio of gold to total sight liabilities of 68.68%.

German marks show no change from past months. The so-called free or gold mark is held in strict alignment with sterling and the neighboring currencies through Reichsbank control. All classes of internal and blocked marks, while theoretically of the same parity as the gold mark, 40.33, rule at varying severe discounts. The Reichsbank statement as of June 30

showed that note circulation had reached the highest level since the post-war period, at 8,731,137,000 marks. A year ago circulation was reported as 6,439,974,000 marks. The new high compares with the previous high of 8,525,426,000 marks on May 31. The reserve ratio is at a new low of 0.88%.

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

	Old Dollar	New Dollar	Range
	Parity	Parity a	This Week
b c France (franc)	3.92	6.63	2.64% to 2.65
Belgium (belga)	13.90	16.95	16.99½ to 17.00½
Italy (lira)	- 5.26	8.91	5.261/2 to 5.261/2
Switzerland (franc)	19.36	32.67	22.54 to 22.551/4
Holland (guilder)	40.20	68.06	53.07½ to 53.09

a New dollar parity as before devaluation of the European currencies.

b Franc cut from gold and allowed to "float" on June 20, 1937.

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

The London check rate on Paris closed on Friday at 176.72, against 176.75 on Friday of last week. In New York sight bills on the French center finished on Friday at 2.64 15-16, against 2.6434 on Friday of last week; cable transfers at 2.65, against 2.641/8. Antwerp belgas closed at 17.00 for bankers' sight bills and at 17.00 for cable transfers, against 16.991/4 and 16.991/4. Final quotations for Berlin marks were 40.13 for bankers' sight bills and 40.13 for cable transfers, in comparison with 40.12 and 40.12. Italian lire closed at 5.261/4 for bankers' sight bills and at  $5.26\frac{1}{4}$  for cable transfers, against  $5.26\frac{1}{8}$  and  $5.26\frac{1}{4}$ . Exchange on Czechoslovakia is nominally quoted but most banks refuse to make commitments in Czech currency. Exchange on Bucharest closed at 0.72 against 0.72; on Poland at 18.85, against 18.85; and on Finland at 2.07, against 2.07. Greek exchange closed at 0.85\%, against 0.85\%.

EXCHANGE on the countries neutral during the war presents no new features. These currencies are steady, moving in close sympathy with sterling. Thus far the political crisis which developed in Holland last week has had no effect on guilder quotations. The Cabinet dissension which resulted in the resignation of Premier Colijn arose from a clash between the advocates of an orthodox financial policy and the proponents of a more liberal lending and spending program. Premier Colijn wished to reach budget equilibrium by 1940 by means of economies to offset increased defense and other expenditures. In opposition other members, especially those of the Roman Catholic Party, clung to a program of social measures which required the expenditure of millions of guilders. It is still believed that Premier Colijn may succeed in forming a new orthodox cabinet.

Bankers' sight on Amsterdam finished on Friday at 53.08, against 53.08 on Friday of last week; cable transfers at 53.09, against 53.08½; and commercial sight bills at 53.04, against 53.03. Swiss francs closed at 22.54½ for checks and at 22.54½ for cable transfers, against 22,52½ and 22.52½. Copenhagen checks finished at 20.90 and cable transfers at 20.90, against 20.90½ and 20.90½. Checks on Sweden closed at 24.11½ and cable transfers at 24.11½, against 24.11 and 24.11; while checks on Norway finished at 23.52½ and cable transfers at 23.52½, against 23.52½ and 23.52½.

EXCHANGE on the South American countries continues steady and presents no new features of importance. For the most part the strict exchange controls in the various republics hold the currencies steady in terms of the dollar.

Argentine paper pesos closed on Friday at 31.21 for bankers' sight bills, against 31.21 on Friday of last week; cable transfers at 31.21, against 31.21. unofficial or free market rate was 231/4, against 231/4. Brazilian milreis are quoted at 6.06 (official), against 6.06. Chilean exchange is quoted at 5.19 (official), against 5.19. Peru is nominally quoted at 1814, against  $17\frac{1}{2}$ .

XCHANGE on the Far Eastern countries follows the trends in evidence since the Japanese invasion of China. By far the greater part of these units are held in close relation to sterling. Shanghai dollar continues in a precarious position owing to the efforts of Japan to force the adoption of the Japanese sponsored currency of North China. Recently a new Japanese bank with alleged reserves in Chinese currency has been set up at Shanghai and has begun issuing notes. This situation was largely responsible for the collapse of the yuan in June, when the Anglo-Chinese Stabilization Committee at Shanghai decided to cease operations. Shanghai banks, both foreign and native, are in constant fear that the Japanese may seize the silver stocks there. It would seem that most of the silver which Japan has sold to the United States in the past year or more was seized from Chinese sources.

Closing quotations for yen checks yesterday were 27.31 against 27.30 on Friday of last week. Hongkong closed at 28 15-16@29 1-16, against 28 15-16@ 291/8; Shanghai at 12 15-16, against 12.90; Manila at 49.85, against 49.85; Singapore at 54.92, against 54 13-16; Bombay at 34.92, against 34.94; and Calcutta at 34.92, against 34.94.

### Gold Bullion in European Banks

HE following table indicates the amounts of gold bullion (converted into pounds sterling at the British statutory rate, 84s. 111/2d. per fine ounce) in the principal European banks as of respective date 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-	1939	1938	1937	1938	1937
	£	£	£	£	£
England	*129.915.501	327,402,052	327,294,534	226,567,233	193,271,840
France	311.709.184	293.727.299	296.116.493	434,720,003	570,179,351
Germany	b3,835,150	2,522,000	2,481,450	2,372,300	3,185,750
Spain	c63.667.000	63,667,000	87,323,000	88,092,000	90,780,000
Italy	a23,400,000	25,232,000	25,232,000	42,575,000	63,047,000
Netherlands	97.916.000	123,436,000	102,265,000	49,517,000	54,836,000
Nat. Belg	91,048,000	80,520,000	105,377,000	107,490,000	102,574,000
Switzerland		72,588,000	83,597,000	49,292,000	45,125,000
Sweden	34.167.000	29,151,000	25,821,000	24,007,000	19,737,000
Denmark	6,555,000	6,540,000	6.548,000	6,553,000	7,390,400
Norway	6,666,000	7,442,000	6,602,000	6,604,000	6,602,000
Total week.	867,724,835	1.032.227.351	1,068,657,477	1,037,789,536	1,156,741,941
Prev. week_	870.501.876	1.031.000.078	1.013.996.811	1,028,268,000	1,152,409,899

Prev. week. 87,561,1032,227,351 | 1,068,657,477 | 1,037,789,536 | 1,156,741,941 |
Prev. week. 87,561,876 | 031,000,078 | 1,03,996,811 | 1,028,268,000 | 1,152,409,899 |

\* Pursuant to the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1939, the Bank of England statements for March 1, 1939 and since have carried the gold holdings of the Bank at the market value current as of the statement date, instead of the statutory price, which was formerly the basis of value. On the market price basis (1488, 6d.; per fine ounce), the Bank reported holdings of £227,085,302 equivalent, however, to only about £129,915,501 at the statutory rate (84s, 1136d. per fine ounce), according to our calculations. In order to make the current figure comparable with former periods as well as with the figures for other countries in the tabulation, we show English holdings in the above in statutory pounds.

a Amount held Dec. 31, 1938, latest figures available. b Gold holdings of the Bank of Germany includes "deposits held abroad" and "reserves in foreign currencies.". c As of April 30, 1938, latest figure available. Also first report subsequent to Aug. 1, 1936.

The value of gold held by the Bank of France is presently calculated, in accordance with the decree of Nov. 13, 1938, at the rate of 27.5 mg, gold, 0.9 fine, equals one franc, previously and subsequent to July 23, 1937, gold in the Bank was valued at 43 mg. gold, 0.9 fine, per franc; before then and after Sept. 26, 1936, there were 49 mg. to the franc; prior to Sept. 26, 1936, 6.5 mg. gold 0.9 fine equaled one franc. Taking the pound sterling at the rate at which the Bank of England values its gold holdings (7,9881 gr. gold 11-12ths fine equals £1 sterling), the sterling equivalent of 296 france gold in the Bank of France is now just about £1; when there were 43 mg. gold to the franc the rate was about 190 francs to the £1; when 49 mg., about 165 france per £1 when 65.5 mg. about 125 francs equaled £1.

### The War in the East

An article in the June 10 issue of "The Statist," an English financial weekly, entitled "The Case for Japan," although too short for an adequate discus-

sion of the subject, merits consideration by Americans because of its evident willingness to accept at its face value Japan's claim that she is not seeking colonial expansion in China, but wishes to secure and develop the Chinese market without undue prejudice to other Powers with economic interests Recent events may have tended to cast there. doubts upon the accuracy of this statement of Japan's position, at least in some of its implications, but it seems highly significant that an English financial organ should treat so sympathetically Japan's need to find new means of subsistence for its rapidly growing population. Although this constitutes, of course, no real evidence, it at least indicates the possible existence among London business men of a realistic desire to accommodate themselves to any new order of things in China, and not to offend any new element, which may influence, or control, the march of events there. Such a standpoint, if widely held in England, may also have its reflection on the eventual attitude of the British Government in its relations with Japan, if, ineeed, it does not itself constitute a reaction to that government's real view, and a token of its real intentions in China.

That war is hell is the profound conviction of the American people. While we have ourselves waged war as fiercely and unremittingly as any other nation, for motives not always understood or approved abroad, and undoubtedly reserve the right to do so again for reasons we find sufficient, we, nevertheless, condemn the initiation and waging by others of war with all its cruelties and horrors. As a guide for our own conduct that viewpoint is excellent. However, unless we propose to do something definite and substantial against the party we believe to be guilty, it would seem wisest to look realistically at events, protect our own interests in the light of the law of nations, and apply to developments the fundamental principle of neutralitynamely, friendship to both sides.

Since we evidently do not propose to fight Japan in the interests of China, such a course should be the one we adopt. In the meantime one or two popular misconceptions have arisen as to our rights and their incidents, under principles of international law applicable to the Chinese situation, which are worth discussing.

It has been repeatedly stated in our press that in order to declase an effective legal blockade of the Chinese coast Japan would have to declare war on China. This overlooks the fact that for the last 200 years and over the majority of wars have not been initiated by declaration. As a general principle, Moore's International Law Digest (Vol. VII, page 171) states: "It is universally admitted that a formal declaration is not necessary to constitute a state of war." A blockade is a belligerent right, and any recognized belligerent has the authority to exercise it (Vol. VII, pages 780-785). In the case of a civil war, such as the recent occurrence in Spain, the question of the recognition of bellgierency depends on a number of factors. Where, however, as in the case of the hostilities between China and Japan, two independent nations are concerned, the recognition should be automatic when the existence of a state of war is manifest. Thereupon the parties become entitled to exercise the rights of belligerents. Since there can be no doubt of the existence of a state of war between China and Japan, and since there are no binding bilateral or multilateral treaties requiring Japan to declare war, she was under no obligation to do so in order to be entitled to belligerent rights. While Japan might, in the avowed exercise of the rights of war, blockade such parts of the Chinese coast as she could effectively, she has preferred to declare what has been called a "peaceful blockade" against Chinese ships only, although she has supplemented this with a more comprehensive blockade at Tientsin.

In last Sunday's issue of the New York "Times" it is stated: "If Japan had declared war in 1937 she could have exercised the rights of a conqueror and occupied the settlements." It is not fact that such rights would depend upon an outright declaration of war by Japan. They would depend, rather, upon whether or not she had conquered China, or a part thereof. For, if the sovereignty of any part of China should pass by conquest or otherwise to Japan, or any other foreign power, the extra-territorial rights there previously existing under treaties with China would necessarily cease to exist. Incidentally, it is well to note that Japan, unlike China, has been recognized (since approximately the turn of the century) as a "fully independent sovereign Power." The principle involved was recognized by the United States when Madagascar was conquered by France in 1896. Secretary of State Olney, in his instructions to our Ambassador in Paris, said (Moore, Vol. 1, page 308): "The establishment of French sovereignty and civil jurisdiction over the island of Madagascar puts an end to the extra-territorial rights of the United States in that country, and to the judicial powers of our Consul dependent thereon."

Of course the question as to when the conquest has been consummated offers opportunity for differences of opinion between the nations concerned, and consequent negotiations, as well as delays. Especially is this true in this case, for the time being, at least, since, from all accounts, even the coastal regions of China are not fully occupied by Japanese troops, except in the centers of population and along the railways and principal roads.

The pending negotiations between Great Britain and Japan are, according to newspaper reports from Japanese sources, to include the question of foreign rights in the settlements. It is probable that the extent to which the British will go to meet the Japanese views will depend largely on their estimate of the permanency and area of the territorial holdings and rights which Japan is likely to acquire in China. Such an estimate must depend on innumerable considerations.

Since the hostilities have assumed the character of a war of endurance or attrition the national character and situation of the parties require consideration. About 70,000,000 Japanese live on islands with a total area of about three times the size of the State of New York, which has approximately 14,000,000 inhabitants. While Japan has made astounding industrial progress since the beginning of the century, agriculture is still the leading economic activity. Nearly half of the population depend on agriculture for their subsistence. In 1936, 27,000,000 Japanese were thus directly dependent. Agriculture viewed as an industry is the largest in Japan, engaging nearly half the nation's industrial capital, of which it represents an investment equal to more than half as much again as manufacturing and commerce combined.

Notwithstanding this importance of agriculture in the nation's economic life, only 16% of the area (some 15,000,000 acres) is under cultivation, and only a small amount of additional land is suitable for agricultural expansion. Many of the farms are minute, 33% of the arable land being cultivated in units of less than 21/2 acres. Absentee landlordism is prevalent. In 1936 about 48% of the arable land was rented. The rents are usually paid in kind and are high, the minimum being 55% of the crops—the tenant usually assuming the burden of all expenses except taxes. The farm debts averaged in 1936 over 1,000 yen per farm family. The interest rates are high, the minimum being 7%, and 51% of the loans bear interest at rates from 10% to 15%. The average aggregate yearly agricultural debt interest burden has been reckoned at 31% of the net aggregate annual average value of the agricultural production of Japan.

In the effort to encourage industry and commence, an unfair portion of the tax burden has been placed on agriculture. Not only has the farmer's indirect tax load on the goods he must buy been increased by the high tariffs enacted to enable industry to expand, but his portion of the direct taxes is much higher. The Imperial Agricultural Society estimated in 1934 that on a given income a Japanese farmer paid 35% in taxes, a trader 12½%, and a manufacturer 1½%.

As the result of these and other factors there is much agrarian discontent, and the average Japanese farmer is impoverished. His grievances are, however, recognized by the Japanese people generally, and though comparatively little has been done to alleviate the agrarian load since the Manchurian adventure began in 1931, undoubtedly, as soon as the situation becomes normal a substantial effort will be made to improve the farmer's condition. This is guaranteed by the fact that the army, of which about one-half of the soldiers and officers come from farm families, is determined to exert its great political influence in an attempt to solve the agrarian problem.

In the field of manufacture and trade the greater part of Japanese economy is still represented by small units, largely family businesses, operating on a small scale, with little technical proficiency and meager returns. The great industrial units, competently technical as they are, and with the advantages of low labor costs and a depreciated currency, lack domestic sources of necessary raw material. Japan must, in fact, import all of her cotton, nickel and mercury, 90% of the lead and oil, 80% of the zinc, 65% of the iron, 60% of the aluminum, and 50% of the machinery she needs.

It is not surprising, therefore, that, in view of all these difficulties and limitations of resources, this proud, high-strung, dynamic people, whose oriental impassivity is only a surface trait, worried as to the future, should have determined, some 10 years ago, in this world of high tariffs and other restrictions on imports, that Japan would be obliged, in order to maintain her achievements, to extend them further, in line with the progress of other great dynamic Powers in the last century. As a necessary basis for this development it was, and is, obvious to all Japanese that Japan must develop her markets and acquire the means of obtaining on stable terms the raw materials required for her industries. That the objective involved some form of economic expansion on the adjacent mainland, implemented by the form of treaty arrangements or even political infiltration (the so-called "peaceful expansion") necessary to secure the cooperation of the comparatively economically backward inhabitants of those regions, was realized by most Japanese. It was only on questions of means and degree that there was ever any substantial differences of opinion in Japan.

When the Manchurian affair began in 1931 it is probable that most Japanese did not anticipate the desperate life-and-death struggle with China which is now under way. So far as China, as distinguished from Manchukuo, is concerned, Japan has not finally committed herself to any definite objective. Originally Japan's aim seems to have been the employment of her superior technical competency in developing, with the cooperation of China, that part of Asia into a Japan-Manchukuo-China economic bloc. Finding the Chinese definitely unresponsive, quick to render any step taken by Japan as unprofitable to her as possible, and resisting all advances made by Japan in its position with respect to China, Japan was obliged to choose between abandoning all hope of consummating her plans for economic development on a broad basis, which to her would spell a disastrous acceptance of permanent economic inferiority in the world, in view especially of her growing population, which has more than doubled in the last 50 years, and enlarging her objectives, progressively consolidating the advances made by her in attaining them. She has chosen the latter alternative.

The result has been the hostilities in 1931 in Manchuria and of 1933 in North China, as well as the war now in course; for naturally the Chinese people have revolted at accepting either voluntarily or through force the "cooperation," economic or otherwise, which Japan would have them undertake. The Chinese are also a proud people, with a very ancient culture, and resent the assumption of any superiority, even technical, by the Japanese. It is true, however, that while there is much mineral wealth in China, particularly in the north, and great agricultural resources, there has been comparatively little development under modern conditions, and industry is largely confined to areas to which foreigners have access. Thus the Chinese, now some 425,000,000 in number, have inhabited a huge land since the dawn of history, and have developed its vast potential resources only enough to secure the barest living for the enormous mass of

There have been within the last 10 or 20 years signs of a new energy and effort to accept the

terms of modern life on the part of many Chinese. However, the essentially amorphous nature of this vast geographical entity still endures fundamentally, though it cannot be doubted that the great mass of Chinese are heart and soul for resistance to Japan and hope eventually in their own way to cause her to withdraw from their land. Whether this unity of purpose will crystallize, if the Chinese effort is successful, into a great forward movement for the development of the nation can only be a matter of conjecture.

Observers report that the war is popular with the Chinese people, though it may be questioned how far anyone is entitled to speak of the state of mind of so vast a population scattered over so huge a territory, with such imperfect means of communication, such disorganized administrative control, and such diversity of languages. Many believe that the Chinese reaction to the events of 1931 to 1937 made the present war inevitable. General Chiang Kai-shek foresaw it about three years before it began. He is said to have wished to see it deferred anywhere from two to seven years; but many observers say he would have lost his prestige, and most probably his life, if he had not accepted the Japanese challenge when he did.

The Chinese leader planned the war from the beginning in three stages. The first was the defensive, mainly by large units, so conceived as to draw the foe out on extended lines. While the Chinese inflicted during this stage one important defeat on a Japanese army—the greatest ever suffered by Japan—the three great key battles of the campaign were won by the Japanese. In spite of these defeats General Chiang Kai-shek has consistently refused even to discuss peace terms. stage, now in course, is to be a period of guerrilla warfare to harass the enemy's now widely extended lines, and to prevent Japan from organizing the economic activities of the regions occupied sufficiently to recoup any part of the cost of the war. The third stage, if reached, is to be a counter offensive by the Chinese. It now seems fairly evident that Japan cannot be driven out of China, unless the Chinese secure the cooperation of some foreign Power, which their leader is said to count upon. He is believed to have been confident, at one time, of the eventual support of the British.

The most widely held opinion is that the best chance of victory for the Chinese is for them to continue their present guerrilla tactics, making the struggle as prolonged and as costly as possible for the Japanese until economic exhaustion compels them to withdraw from China. This seems to be General Chiang Kai-shek's present recourse, and all the circumstances make the attempt to rely on it logical. Thus this desperate struggle is resolving itself into a bitter test of endurance between the morale of the Chinese people, whose genius for non-cooperation can also be here turned to the creation of obstacles for the Japanese, and the economic recuperative powers of the latter.

Before this war more than one-half of the Chinese Government's resources were derived from custom duties and the salt tax. Since the Chinese ports of entry are now substantially all in Japanese hands the custom duties are largely wiped out. A large part of the salt tax returns have also been lost. However, other taxes have been enacted, and the sales of silver to the United States, the gifts

of loyal Chinese throughout the world, and British support of the Chinese currency enabled General Chiang Kai-shek to carry on. While the revenues of the Chinese Government are not relatively large, the cost of maintaining the guerrilla farfare is not out of line. Chinese armies are traditionally accustomed to live on the essentially agricultural countryside. Moreover, much of this kind of fighting is carried on by irregulars. Though General Chiang is believed to have accumulated large reserves of munitions and supplies, his great problem is to secure and transport replenishments. Communications with Burma and Soviet Russia are both difficult and costly. China lost her largest arsenal, located in Manchuria, as far back as 1931, and since then has been deprived of many others. However, there are rumors that General Chiang has built a considerable number in localities not divulged. Altogether, the Chinese appear to be in position to continue guerrilla fighting over a long period, or as long as their morale lasts, and there is no sign of its deteriorating.

The determination of the Japanese to carry on the war appears also unshaken. Until a short time ago there were many prophecies of the imminent economic collapse of Japan. The recent experience of Germany, and perhaps even more so that of Italy, has proved that hitherto unprecedented financial effort for considerable periods can be effected by peoples willing to make the necessary secrifices. It seems to be largely a question of tightening the belt. The technique of preventing currency inflation seems now to be well understood, provided the people concerned are willing to be subjected to the necessary burdensome restrictions. Japan has to a consireable extent restricted during this war the free operation of her economy, and in spite of dislike by influential circles there of totalitarianism and their fear of the social effects of even its temporary application, it is probable that she will use all the resources of modern governmental science or practice to carry on the war to the bitter end.

From all accounts the average Japanese at home does not appear to be suffering severe privations. There is no food shortage. However, the national debt rose from 6,000,000,000 yen in 1931 to about 18,000,000,000 yen at the end of 1938, and by April, 1940, will probably amount to more than 23,000,-000,000. This compares with a conservative estimate of the national income of Japan as being 18,000,000,000 yen for 1938. The liberal estimate for the same period is 20,000,000,000. The cost of living index rose from 185 in 1936 to 207 in 1938, and in December of the latter year reached 212, being most marked in fuel, light, clothing, and food. There is also evidence of strain in bond assimilation, note circulation, volume of production, price structure and living standards. In the international field, by dint of restrictions, direct and indirect, on imports the 1937 unfavorable merchandise trade balance of 608,000,000 yen was turned into an export balance of 26,000,000 yen. figures are, however, deceptive as they include Japan's trade with the so-called "yen-bloc" countries, such as Manchukuo and, in 1938, North China, which do not provide Japan with any substantial amount of free foreign exchange. Omitting the yen bloc, the unfavorable balance of 1937 was 926,-000,000 yen, and that of 1938 was 574,000,000 yen. The figures for the early months of 1939 show a

continued decline of exports to free exchange countries while the imports held to about the 1938 levels.

In 1937-1938 75% of Japan's available gold stocks were shipped abroad to meet its foreign payments. Japan, on Jan. 1, 1938, had a gold reserve of only 500,000,000 yen, with a prospect of new gold production of about 200,000,000 yen for 1939. A large part, if not all, of this reserve appears to be destined to cover the international balances for 1939. However, Japan has not yet employed many expedients and economies availed of by some European countries, and, therefore, those who expect her collapse and withdrawal from China in the near future, by reason of economic exhaustion, may well be disappointed.

The results of the pending negotiations between the United Kingdom and Japan, if it is true that the entire position is to be considered, may afford some evidence of the estimate made by a highly interested and experienced third party of Japan's chances of acquiring an enduring hold on a large part or the whole of China. For, most probably the United Kingdom will not make large concessions to Japan unless she feels that Japan's tenure on the parts of China in which Englishmen are most interested, is likely to last.

### "Lest We Forget"

President Roosevelt addressing Congress on Mar. 10, 1933 on the state of the Nation with, he asserted, "the utmost seriousness," in behalf of "courageous, frank, and prompt action," delivered the following message, supplemented here by parenthetical notes bringing the "information on the state of the Union" up to date, as of June 30, 1939.

"For three long years (now nine long years) the Federal Government has been on the road toward bankruptcy. "For the fiscal year 1931, the deficit was \$462,000,000 (for 1938, it was \$1,449,625,881).

"For the fiscal year 1932, it was \$2,472,000,000 (for the fiscal year 1939, it was \$3,600,514,404).

"For the fiscal year 1933, it will probably exceed \$1,200,000,000. (If President Roosevelt's latest 'spending-lending' program is approved, the expenditures will increase our already huge deficit making it the largest in our history.)

"Thus we have piled up an accumulated deficit of \$5,000,000,000 (the accumulated deficit had reached \$23,500,000,000 on June 30, 1939).

"With the utmost seriousness, I point out to the Congress the profound effect of this fact upon our national economy.
... It has accentuated the stagnation of the economic life of our people. It has added to the ranks of the unemployed. (This may have been true under President Hoover, when deficits were principally attributable to suddenly depleted tax receipts and genuine retrenchment in Federal expenditures was bravely attempted and reasonably effective; it is certainly true in 1939, when tax collections are at least one-half greater than during any year in which Mr. Hoover was in office, when retrenchment and economy have been thrown out of the window, and when profligacy, waste and inexcusable recklessness in administration run riot in Washington and Federal expenses have attained the highest peace-time altitude of all time.)

"Upon the unimpaired credit of the United States Government rest the safety of deposits, the security of insurance policies, the activity of industrial enterprises, the value of our agricultural products, and the availability of employment... It, therefore, becomes our first concern to make secure the foundation. National recovery depends upon it (in 1939, this has been demonstrated, at least to the extent that every informed person now knows that the United States, since 1933, has enjoyed neither Federal economy nor recovery, but, on the contrary, has had to deplore increasing Federal extravagance and continued industrial stagnation, with little, if any, diminution of unemployment).

"... the Congress and I are pledged to immediate economy (the failure to perform that pledge must remain one of the monumental catastrophes of civilization, for it has postponed recovery, continued suffering throughout the United States and will penalize posterity during unnumbered generations, while having disastrous repercussions in every continent of the world)."

The quoted address to Congress, with its detailed recommendations, resulted in almost immediate legislation establishing all the economies and broad discretionary powers for which the President asked. Mr. Roosevelt has asserted that it caused a saving in the normal budget of but \$242,972,200, but it was speedily negatived by administration and by additional legislation, and it was actually the beginning and the end of any pretense of economy. While it lasted, it was, however, a very short and very insufficient step in accordance with the Democratic National platform of 1932, which Mr. Roosevelt, as the candidate, had accepted, as he said, "one hundred per cent." That platform contained the following:

"We advocate an immediate and drastic reduction of governmental expenditures, by abolishing useless commissions and offices, consolidating departments and bureaus, and eliminating extravagances, to accomplish a saving of not less than 25% in the cost of Federal Government."

The President, indeed, has characterized everything that was thus temporarily achieved, and so soon reversed and abandoned, as only a "first step in the fulfillment of that pledge."—Public Papers and Addresses, Vol. II, p. 52. Nevertheless, this imperfect first step was the last step as well.

Mr. Roosevelt was even more explicit concerning economy, in his campaign speech delivered at Pittsburgh, on October 19, 1932, under, as Raymond Moley now relates, the urgent prodding of the late Colonel Louis McHenry Howe. Then he said, in part:

"If the Nation is living within its income, its credit is good. If, in some crisis, it lives beyond its income for a year or two, it can usually borrow, temporarily, at reasonable rates. But if, like a spendthrift, it throws discretion to the winds, and is willing to make no sacrifice at all in spending; if it extends its taxing to the limit of the people's power to pay and continues to pile up deficits, then it is on the road to bankruptcy."

Nevertheless, under the leadership and urging of President Roosevelt, both increasing taxation and expanding deficits have continued without interruption for more than six years, and if there was ever any presidential effort to avoid them it speedily diminished and long ago wholly disappeared. In its place appeared recommendations and urgings towards novel and additional expenditures, each more extravagant and wasteful than the last.

The campaign speech, with its promises, express and implied, continued:

"The most obvious effect of extravagant Government spending is its burden on farm and industrial activity... But when we come to consider prodigality and extravagance in the Federal Government ... we are talking about something even more dangerous. For upon the financial stability of the United States Government depends the stability of trade and employment, and of the entire banking, savings, and insurance system of the Nation... Our Federal extravagance and improvidence bear a double evil; first, our people and our business cannot carry these excessive burdens of taxation; second, our credit structure is impaired by the unorthodox Federal financing made necessary by the unprecedented magnitude of these deficits...

The truth is that the banks are financing these great deficits... All this is highly undesirable and wholly unnecessary. It arises from one cause only, and that is the unbalanced budget... the unnecessary muddle that has accumulated and is still accumulating in Washington."

Such were among the reasons that Mr. Roosevelt, as a partisan condidate, advanced for the rejection of President Hoover and his own election. He did more. He promised immediate reversal of fiscal methods which he vehemently condemned, rigid and unrelenting economy, and an "honestly balanced budget." And he stated plainly the truth that these aims were not by any possibility attainable without curtailment of functions which he strongly intimated had been unnecessarily and improvidently assumed by the general Government. He declared, in the same Pittsburgh speech, that failure to achieve "any important economy" under Mr. Hoover, was because his Administration was:

"... committed to the idea that we ought to center control of everything in Washington as rapidly as possible. Federal control, that was the idea that increased the cost of Government. . . . Ever since the days of Thomas Jefferson, that has been the exact reverse of the Democratic concept, . . . In the latter philosophy . . . I shall approach the problem of carrying out the plain precept of our Party, which is to reduce the cost of current Federal Government operations by 25%. . . . I regard reduction in Federal spending as one of the most important issues of this campaign. In my opinion, it is the most direct and effective contribution that Government can make to business. In accordance with this fundamental policy is equally necessary to eliminate, from all Federal budget-making during this emergency, all new items except such as relate to direct relief of unemployment."

The record of almost seven years following these pledges has now been made up. No informed person is unaware of the fact that the Federal bureaucracy, which Mr. Roosevelt condemned in the 1932 campaign, as grossly over-expanded and overexigent, has, during his six and one-half years in office, been vastly enlarged and its interference in the daily lives and conduct of all citizens goes much further into details and is much more demanding and imperious than was anywhere dreamed of before March 4, 1933. And, as to taxation and expenditures, only a bare statement of the figures is necessary to demonstrate complete failure to keep the smallest fraction of the broad pledges so vigorously and so definitely proclaimed during the months of the condidacy.

Years Ended	Federal	Federal	Federal Debt
June 30	Receipts	Expenditures	on June 30
1933 4 1934 1935 1936 1937 1938 1938 1939	\$2,079,696,742	\$5,142,953,627	\$22,538,672,164
	3,115,554,050	7,105,050,085	27,053,141,414
	3,790,045,732	7,375,825,166	28,700,892,624
	4,115,956,615	8,879,798,258	33,778,543,494
	5,293,840,237	8,105,158,537	36,424,613,732
	6,241,661,227	7,766,374,277	37,164,740,315
	5,667,823,625	9,268,338,030	40,439,532,411
Increase 1933-39: Amount	\$3,588,126,883	\$4,125,384,403	\$17,900,860,247
	172.5	80.2	79.4

The plainest fact, demonstrated beyond controversy by the foregoing figures, is that the process of continuous additions to the revenues (taxes), expenses, and debt of the Federal Government cannot continue. Nor can any one of these three items much longer expand at the rate of growth under President Roosevelt. It is impossible. If such further expansion were possible, in but a short period, the entire resources and income of the Nation would be absorbed and exceeded, the whole wealth of the American people, and more than that wealth, would be in the beneficial ownership of its creditors.

There must be, as Mr. Roosevelt said in 1932 and 1933, immediate and drastic retrenchment. President of the United States he has revealed himself to be completely incapable of achieving even the smallest economies, unwilling to attempt any saving in respect to any matter or function that he desires to prosecute, willfully blind to limitations of sound discretion which he perceived clearly as a candidate and in 1933, or else which were admirably expressed in public statements prepared for him by men of sounder ideas whose views he adopted for the purposes of his condidature. Wherever the truth may repose, it is still true, as the President said in the quoted message to Congress of 1933:

"Too often in recent history liberal governments have been wrecked on the rocks of loose fiscal policy. We must avoid this danger.

"It is too late for a leisurely approach to this problem... We must move with a direct and resolute purpose now."

After all, the matter is in the hands of Congress and of the people. The leadership and the powers that have for over six years been surrendered to the Chief Executive by Congress can be and forthwith ought to be resumed by that body. Not a dollar can be expended against its will, when that will is constitutionally expressed and the authority entrusted to its representative discretion is not improperly delegated to an executive officer or subserviently exercised in accordance with unauthorized presidential dictation. If Congress declines to resume its proper place in the American system of government the plain remedy is with the electorate and the day of reckoning is fast approaching. Representatives and Senators who look to the White House for direction in matters of purely legislative discretion ought not to be able to look to an intelligent citizenship for continuance in office.

### The Capital Flotations in the United States During the Month of June and for the Six Months of the Calendar Year 1939

Large-scale refunding operations featured corporate financing operations in June, but the volume of issues for new capital purposes did not even equal the inconsiderable average of the first five months. The total of all corporate issues disposed of during the month aggregated \$282,039,488, the greatest of any month this year. However, \$251,798,424 of the total was for refunding existing issues, while only \$30,241,064 represented new capital. It is hardly significant that last month's volume of new capital issues exceeded May by 50%, for the May total was the third smallest in the period 1937 to 1939, inclusive, and the June figure exceeded only five monthly amounts in the same period. In May there was a total of \$182,492,443 of new issues brought out, of which but \$20,990,443 was for new capital and \$161,502,000 which but \$20,990,443 was for new capital and \$161,502,000 for refunding purposes. In June, 1938, a very different picture was presented, for in that month a sharp recovery in corporate financing brought the total volume for the month almost as high as the total for the preceding five months. Indeed, the amount intended for new capital exceeded the total of that type of issue placed in the January to May, 1938, period. Of a total of \$301,106,995 floated in June,

1938, \$202,315,995 was for new capital and \$98,791,000 for refunding.

for refunding.

Privately-placed corporate issues did not reach anything like the proportion of the total bond and note issues which they did in May. Eight of 27 issues sold during the month went directly to the ultimate holder. These eight represented a volume of \$67,288,000, compared with a volume of \$271,041,000 of all bond and note issues floated in the month. In May, \$148,400,000 of a total of \$159,030,000 long and short-term obligations was placed privately; and even if the \$114,500,000 private issue of Commonwealth Edison Co. were excluded, private placements would have represented three-quarters of the remainder.

The following tabulation of figures since January, 1937,

three-quarters of the remainder.

The following tabulation of figures since January, 1937, shows the different monthly amounts of corporate financing as revised to date. Further revision of the 1938, as well as the 1939, figures will undoubtedly be necessary from time to time, particularly as additional private financing is brought to light in annual reports and other places. Footnotes to the table indicate the nature of revisions reflected in the figures and not previsibly reported.

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SUMMARY	OF	CORPORATE	FIGURES	BY	MONTHS,	1939.	1938	AND	1937	
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	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	
JanuaryFebruaryMarch	\$ 5,827,032 23,570,572 52,965,274	\$ 10,386,300 136,115,000 46,688,660	\$ 16,213,332 159,685,572 99,653,934	\$ 46,364,596 40,851,910 23,995,213	\$ 4,141,400 62,224,590 58,643,000	\$ 50,505,996 103,076,500 82,638,213	\$ 96,594,477 154,587,030 139,243,338	\$ 203,646,962 240,020,551 181,055,483	\$ 300,241,439 394,607,581 320,298,821	
First quarter	82,362,878	193,189,960	275,552,838	111,211,719	125,008,990	236,220,709	390,424,845	624,722,996	1,015,147,841	
April May June	77,060,042 20,990,443 30,241,064	181.749,350 161.502,000 251,798,424]	258,809,392 182,492,443 282,039,488	11,683,361 37,574,800 202,315,995	66,750.000 25,691,650 98,791,000	78,433,361 63,266,450 301,106,995	79,401,795 83,010,572 276,128,467	88,128,403 92,220,363 155,373,179	167,530,198 175,230,935 431,501,646	
Second quarter	128,291,549	595,049,774	723,341,323	251,574,156	191,232,650	442,806,806	438,540,834	335,721,945	774,262,779	
Six months	210,654,427	788,239,734	998,894,161	362,785,875	316,241,640	679,027,515	828,965,679	960,444,941	1,789,410,620	
July August September			<b>3555</b>	130,275,506 127,013,570 84,937,241	55,545,325 211,140,930 65,135,600	185,820,831 338,154,500 150,072,841	81,745,046 50,872,836 113,745,862	58,130,528 57,194,072 39,385,636	139,875,574 108,066,908 153,131,498	
Third quarter				342,226,317	331,821,855	674,048,172	246,363,744	154,710,236	401,073,980	
Nine months				705,012,192	648,063,495	1,353,075,687	1,075,329,423	1,115,155,177	2,190,484,600	
October November December				63,921,610 43,520,873 59,544,275	274,237,144 107,701,800 250,493,300	338,158,754 151,222,673 310,037,575	66,986,500 36,088,768 46,607,522	71,552,500 1,120,000 20,852,269	138,539,000 37,208,768 67,459,791	
Fourth quarter				166,986,758	632,432,244	799,419,002	149,682,790	93,524,769	243,207,559	
Twelve months				871,998,950	1,280,495,739	2,152,494,689	1,225,012,213	1,208,679,946	2,433,692,159	

### Results for the Half Year

The dollar volume of all securities disposed of in the United States during the first half of 1939, excepting only direct obligations of the United States Government, was just about double the figure for the corresponding period of 1938, and the largest for the period since 1936. Before drawing too favorable conclusions from these comparisons, however, it should be observed that of the total only about 30% represented securities of business enterprises, the balance being obligations of governmental units and agencies of the Federal Government; included, also, was a very small percentage of Canadian issues. Further examination reveals that of the total financing carried out by business organizations in the period, only one-fifth was for the purpose of supplying new capital needs, the balance merely going to refund existing issues. The dollar volume of all securities disposed of in the United issues.

It develops, therefore, that the item of greatest significance, insofar as it denotes the progress of industry, compares very poorly with the years preceding, declining 42% from 1938, 74% from 1937 and 54% from 1936. Only \$210,654,427 of issues for new capital was floated in the first six months of 1939, in comparison with \$362,785,875 in the same period of 1938, \$828,965,679 in the first half-year of 1937 and \$462,583,840 in 1936. It deserves to be noted that the 1938 figures owe more than half their volume to the sharply 1938 figures owe more than half their volume to the sharply expanded operations in June of that year; the figures for the first five months of 1938 were inferior to those for the same

period of 1939.

The record of State and municipal financing in the first six months differed vastly from the corporate experience as respects new capital, or, in this instance, more accurately, new indebtedness. \$637,435,066 of a total of \$745,758,849

securities disposed of in the period, represented new indebtedness. Both the total and the portion classified as new were the largest for any corresponding period since 1931.

The Government agency figures are discussed in some detail further on in this article.

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Refunding operations of corporate entities were on a substantial scale in the first half of 1939, totaling \$788,239,734 in comparison with \$316,241,640 in 1938 and \$960,444,941 in 1937. It is hardly necessary to look beyond the extreme and increasing ease of the bond market for an explanation. Only this week Moody's index of Aaa bond yields dropped to another in a series of record lows for the period that they have been computing the figures, since January, 1919. The low reached the current week was no more than 2.89%. Interest rates have declined so sharply that there are instances of bonds brought out at the very low rates of only a few years ago now being profitably refunded.

Private sales of corporate obligations continued an im-

Private sales of corporate obligations continued an important factor in the new issues market, during the first half of 1939. A total of 61 such issues, involving \$301,530,000, were disposed of during the period, as compared with 51 issues for \$229,828,780 in the first half of 1938, and 64 issues for \$305,991,000 in the like part of 1937. As frequently noted in the past, the chief incentive for such issues from the standpoint of the issuer is the avoidance of the cost and liability involved in registering under the Federal Securities Act of 1933, while large holders of idle funds (chiefly insurance companies) lend encouragement to the practice because of the scarcity of suitable outlets for their excess cash.

The tabulations below indicate the volume of corporate financing carried out in the first half of each year since 1932, and also the amount of the total placed privately for each half-year period since 1937:

DOMESTIC COPPORATE ISSUES IAN 1 TO TUNE 20

DOMESTIC	CORIORATI	E ISSUES JA	IN. I TO JON	E 30
	1939	1938	1937	1936
Bonds and notes Preferred stocks Common stocks	\$794,300,500 91,839,240 49,754,421	\$643,868,695 29,962,725 5,133,595	314,457,663	
Total	\$935,894,161	\$678,965,015	\$1,789,410,620	\$2,545,747,098
	1935	1934	1933	1932
Bonds and notes Preferred stocks Common stocks	\$536,909,000 26,496,800 6,079,000	\$171,455,100 2,908,800 26,096,485		
Total	\$569,484,800	\$200,460,385	\$217,443,478	\$249.823.295

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN CORPORATE ISSUES-JAN. 1 TO JUNE 30

	1939	1938	1937	1936
Bonds and notes Preferred stocks Common stocks	\$857,300,500 91,839,240 49,754,421	\$643,868,695 29,962,725 5,196,095		
Total	\$998,894,161	\$679,027,515	\$1,789,410,620	\$2,583,747,098
	1935	1934	1933	1932
Bonds and notes Preferred stocks	\$536,909,000 26,496,800 6,079,000	\$172,655,100 2,908,800 26,096,485		
Total	\$569,484,800	\$201,660,385	\$219,043,478	\$249,823,295

PRIVATE CORPORATE FINANCING

	1939				1938			1937		
	No. Is- sues	Volume	% Tot. Vol.	No. Is- sues	Volume	Tot. Vol.	No. Is- sues	Volume	% Tot. Vol.	
June 1st 6 mos Last 6 mos_	8 61	\$ 67,288,000 301,530,000	23.9 30.2	21 51 73	\$ 91,885,000 229,828,780 463,933,000	30.5 33.8 31.5	9 64 53	\$ 109,485,000 305,991,000 150,311,094	25.1 17.1 23.3	

### The Foreign Issues Placed in the United States

Canadian issues were the only foreign corporate or government securities placed in the American market during the first half of 1939. Of the total of \$100,500,000 of such issues, \$37,500,000 represented financing of the Dominion Government of the Dominion Governme

first half of 1939. Of the total of \$100,500,000 of such issues, \$37,500,000 represented financing of the Dominion Government and its political subdivisions, and the balance of \$63,000,000 was corporate. The latter consisted of a \$10,500,000 refunding issue of Montreal Light, Heat & Power Consolidated, brought out in May, and a \$52,500,000 refunding issue of Gatineau Power Co., sold in April. It was the first time since 1936 that any Canadian corporations financed in this market; in fact, no foreign corporate issues were sold here in either 1938 or 1937 with the exception of an inconsequential Cuban issue of \$62,500 sold last year.

Considering totals of all types of foreign issues placed in the United States during the first half-year, the 1939 volume of \$100,500,000 compares with no more than \$62,500 in the same period of 1938, \$219,000,000 in the first six months of 1937, and \$141,000,000 in that portion of 1936.

The expansion of loans abroad which started after the World War reached its greatest height in 1928, when \$1,176,537,750 was sold in this market, of which \$935,088,837 was for new capital purposes. The volume remained large in 1929 and 1930, but then dropped sharply, amounting to absolutely nil in 1932 and 1935. Of course, for the past few years many countries have been ineligible to float securities in this market because of the provisions of the Johnson Act, relating to defaulters; but in addition, the state of world affairs has left few foreign nations desirable debtors for the American investing public.

We summarize below the volume of foreign issues placed here since 1919:

GRAND SUMMARY OF FOREIGN ISSUES PLACED IN UNITED STATES

	New Capital	Refunding	Total
Canada, its Provinces and municipalities Other foreign government	\$29,250,000	\$8,250,000	\$37,500,000
Total foreign governmentCanadian corporate issuesOther foreign corporate issues	\$29,250,000	\$8,250,000 63,000,000	\$37,500,000 63,000,000
Grand total, first half of 1939	\$29,250,000	\$71,250,000	\$100,500,000
First half of 1938	\$62,500 8,000,000	\$219,000,000 133,000,000	\$62,500 219,000,000 141,000,000
First half of 1935 First half of 1934 First half of 1933		1,200,000 61,600,000	
First half of 1932 First half of 1931 First half of 1930	203,722,000 758,561,000	14,500,000 54,658,000	218,222,000 813,219,000
First half of 1929 First half of 1928 First half of 1927	563,788,730 935,088,837 701,947,425	20,432,717 241,448,913 90,979,000	584,221,447 1,176,537,750 792,926,425
First half of 1926First half of 1925First half of 1924	524,707,740 456,734,000 230,087,562	91,750,300 110,272,000 154,650,000	616,458,040 567,006,000 384,737,562
First half of 1923First half of 1922First half of 1922First half of 1921	172,704,600 507,576,650 213,224,000	20,941,679 119,500,000 50,000,000	193,646,279 627,076,650 263,224,000
First half of 1920	214,860,000 69,535,300		223,358,000 104,514,300

### Large Domestic Corporate Issues During the Half Year

Below we list the principal issues of securities placed during the first half of 1939, giving at the same time (in parenthesis) the purpose of the issue:

### JANUARY No large issue

FEBRUARY
\$12,000,000 Cincinnati Union Terminal Co. 1st mtge. 3%s, series E, Feb. 1, 1969, priced at 107.38 (refunding).
20,000,000 North American Co. 3½% debentures, due 1949, priced at 101½ (refunding).
25,000,000 North American Co. 3½% debentures, due 1954, priced at 101 (refunding).

25,000,000 North American Co. 4% debentures, due 1959, priced at 10! 1/4 (refunding).

10! ¼ (refunding).

34,829,000 North American Co. preferred stock, 5¾% series (par \$50) priced at \$52 per share (refunding).

11,500,000 Cleveland Cliffs Iron Co. 1st mtge. & coll. trust 3⅓s, due 1951, placed privately at par (refunding).

10,000,000 American Can Co. 2¾% debentures, due 1949, placed privately (new capital).

MARCH \$17,500,000 Northern States Power Co. (Wis.) 1st mtge. 3½s, 1964, priced at 106 (refunding \$15,605,057). 22,500,000 National Distillers Products Corp. 10-year 3½% conv. debs., 1949, priced at 100½ (refunding \$13,677,803).

\$25,283,300 Commonwealth Edison Co. conv. debs. 3½% series, 1958, priced at par (refunding).

52,500,000 Gatineau Power Co. 1st mtge. 3¼s, 1967, priced at 98¼ (refunding).

50,000,000 National Steel Corp. first coll. mtge. 3s, 1965, priced at 99 (refunding).

(refunding).

15,000,000 National Steel Corp. serial notes, 1940-49, priced at 100 (refunding \$10,000,000).

40,000,000 Texas Corp. 3% debs., 1959, priced at 101 (working capital).

22,306,300 Consolidated Gas Electric Light & Power Co. of Baltimore 4½% cum. pref. stock, series B, priced at 100 (refunding).

28,699,230 Eastman Kodak Co. common stock (252,092 shares, no par), priced at \$127.50 a share (new capital).

MAY

114,500,000 Commonwealth Edison Co. 40-year 31/s, due 1979, placed privately (refunding).

10,500,000 Montreal Light Heat & Power Co. Consolidated 1st mtge. & coll. trust 4s, 1969, placed privately (refunding).

15,000,000 Marshall Field & Co. 20-year 3-6% bonds, placed privately (new capital).

20,400.000 Pacific Lighting Co.

20,400,000 Pacific Lighting Corp. \$5 pref. stock (200,000 shares, no par), priced at 102 (refunding).

JUNE

Domestic corporate offerings of exceptional size during this month are mentioned in detail at the foot of this article.

### Treasury Financing in June and the Half Year

Treasury Financing in June and the Half Year

Financing operations of the Federal Government in the first half of 1939 did not include a single public offering of securities for new money, while in the same period \$4,771,-888,683 of maturing issues were refunded. This is not to say, however, that no money came into the Treasury through the issuance of securities during the period, for "baby bond" sales, the volume of which is determined by the demands of investors, aggregated \$470,385,883, and sales of certificates and notes to the various trust accounts, &c., totaled \$613,-844,000 net. Additional funds were acquired through the financing operations of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the United States Housing Authority. The former retired over \$300,000,000 of its notes held by the Treasury out of funds derived from the public sale of its own securities, guaranteed by the Treasury. In the same manner the USHA repaid to the Treasury about \$114,000,000. In all, the Treasury was the recipient of about \$1,500,000,000 on account of the issuance of its own and its agencies' obligations.

June's financing differed from that of most other months this year only in respect of the need to refund the greater maturities which occur around the quarterly tax dates. The notes which matured June 15 had been anticipated by the Treasury last March, when an offer of exchange was successfully made; so in June an exchange offer was made for

notes maturing next September, and \$415,619,500 of the

\$426,554,600 maturing Sept. 15 accepted the exchange.

Beyond this, the month's financing comprised weekly offerings of Treasury bills in amounts of about \$100,000,000 weekly, approximately the amounts of the weekly maturities.

In the tabulations which follow we give a very complete outline of the Treasury's financing activities in the first six months of 1939:

UNITED STATES TREASURY FINANCING DURING THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1939

Date Offered	Dated	Due	Amount Applied for	Amount Accepted	Price	Yield
D 07			\$	\$ 000		
Dec. 27		91 days	488,825,000	100,722,000	I	Nii
Jan. 5		91 days	373,987,000	101,341,000	•	Nil
Jan. 12		91 days	294,753,000	101,152,000	y	*0.007%
Jan. 19		91 days	250,496,000	100,441,000	99.998	
Jan 1-31	Jan. 1	10 years	145,826,772	145,826,772	75	*2.90%
Janua	ry total			549,482,772		
Jan. 26		91 days	302,689,000	100,587,000	99.999	*0.002%
	Feb. 8	91 days	302,135,000	101,287,000	99.999	*0.004%
	Feb. 15	91 days	263,368,000	100,378,000	99.999	*0.005%
Feb. 16	Feb. 23	90 days	321,469,000	100,782,000	99.999	*0.004%
Feb1-28	Feb. 1	10 years	68,340,413	68,340,413	75	*2.90%
Febru	ary tota	I		471,374,413		
Feb. 23	Mar. 1	91 days	301,524,000	101,953,000	99.999	*0.004%
		91 days	323,242,000	100,487,000	2 Z	0.001/6
Mar. 6	Dec. 15 1938	) 5 years	53,113,200	53,113,200	101	0.89%
Mar. 6	Sept. 15 1938	12-14 yrs	319,444,500	319,444,500	1021/2	2.25%
Mar. 6	Dec. 15	22-27 yrs	894,415,600	894,415,600	1023%	2.60%
Mar. 9	Mar. 15	91 days	302.584.000	100,369,000	y	У
Mar. 16	Mar. 22	91 days	342,142,000	101,448,000	y	y
Mar. 23	Mar. 29	91 days	320,261,000	100,495,000	У	y
M'r1-31	Mar. 1	10 years	66,256,144	66,256,144	75	*2.90%
Marc	h total.			1,837,981,444		
Mar. 30	Apr. 5	91 days	256,754,000	100,287,000	99,996	*0.016%
	Apr. 12	91 days	207,502,000	100,167,000	99.994	*0.025%
Apr. 13	Apr. 19	91 days	222,809,000	100,444,000	99.994	*0.023%
	Apr. 26	91 days	315,356,000	100,204,000	99.996	*0.016%
Apr1-30		10 years	57,907,517	57,907,517	75	*2.90%
April	total			459,009,517		
Apr. 27	May 3	91 days	377.474.000	100,384,000	99,997	*0.012%
	May 10	91 days			99.998	*0.009%
			417,718,000 414,368,000	101,918,000	99.999	*0.005%
May 11	May 17	91 days	414,308,000	100,241,000		
May 18	May 24 May 31	91 days	397,220,000	101,001,000	99.999	*0.005%
Mayl-31		91 days 10 years	392,040,000 62,105,047	62,105,047	75	*2.90%
May	total			566,170,047		
			004 804 000	100 010 000	00.000	
	June 7	91 days	304,724,000	100,912,000	99.999	*0.004%
	June 15	5 years	415,619,500		100	*0 004
	June 14	91 days	311,441,000	100,342,000	99.999	*0.004%
	June 21	91 days	281,705,000	100,938,000	99.999	*0.003%
June 22	June 28	91 days	236,069,000	100,109,000	99.999	*0.005%
Jne 1-30	June 1	10 years	69,949,990	69,949,990	75	*2.90%
June	total			887,870,490		
Total	6 mos	40 340 Grad		4,771,888,683		

Average rate on a bank discount basis. \*\*At par and slightly above par, fractionally under par; bids ranged from slightly above par down to 99,999; % at par and 4% at 99,999. a \$385,000 at par; balance at 99,999.

### USE OF FUNDS

Dated	Type of Security	Total Amount Accepted	Refunding	New Indebtedness
		•	\$	9
Jan. 4	91-day Treas, bills	100,722,000	100,722,000	
Jan. 11	Ol day Trees, bills	101.341.000	101,341,000	
	91-day Treas, bills 91-day Treas, bills		101,152,000	
Jan. 18	91-day Treas, bills	101,152,000		
Jan. 25	91-day Treas, bills	100,441,000	100,441,000	
Jan. 1	U. S. Savings bonds	145,826,772		145,826,772
January total		549,482,772	403,656,000	145,826,772
Feb. 1	91-day Treas. bills	100,587,000	100,587,000	
Feb. 8	91-day Treas, bills	101,287,000	101,287,000	
Feb. 15	91-day Treas. bills 91-day Treas. bills	100,378,000	100,378,000	
Feb. 23	90-day Treas. bills	100,782,000	100,782,000	
	U. S. Savings bonds	68,340,413	200	68,340,413
February tot	al	471,374,413	403,034,000	68,340,413
Mar. 1	91-day Treas, bills	101,953,000	101,953,000	
Mar. 8	91-day Treas, bills	100,487,000	100,487,000	
Dec. 15 1938	11/2 Treas'y notes	53,113,200	53,113,200	
Sept 15 1938	21/2% Treas'y bonds	319,444,500	319,444,500	
Dec 15 1938	2 % % Treas'y bonds	894,415,600	894.415.600	
Mor 15	Ol-day Troop bills	100,369,000	100,369,000	
Mor 99	91-day Treas, bills 91-day Treas, bills	101,448,000	101,448,000	
Mar. 22	of day freas, bills	100,495,000	100,495,000	
Mar. 29	91-day Treas, bills			66,256, 144
Mar. I	U. S. Savings bonds	66,256,144		66,256, 144
March total.		1,837,981,444	1,771,725,300	66,256,144
Apr. 5	91-day Treas. bills	100,287,000	100,287,000	
Apr. 12	91-day Treas. bills	100,167,000	100,167,000	
Apr. 19		100,444,000	100,444,000	
Apr. 26	91-day Treas. bills	100,204,000	100,204,000	
Apr. 1		57,907,517		57,907,517
	O. D. Davings bonds			
April total		459,009,517	401,102,000	57,907,517
May 3	91-day Treas. bills	100,384,000	100.384.000	4 121111
May 10		101,918,000	101,918,000	
May 17		100,241,000	100,241,000	
	91-day Treas. bills	101,001,000	101,001,000	
May 24	91-day Treas. bills	100,521,000	100,521,000	
May 31				
May 1	U. S. Savings bonds	62,105,047		62,105,047
May total		566,170,047	504,065,000	62,105,047
June 7		100,912,000	100,912,000	
June 15	34 % Treas. notes	415,619,500	415,619,500	
June 14	91-day Treas, bills	100,342,000	100,342,000	
June 21		100,938,000	100,938,000	
June 28		100,109,000	100,109,000	
	U. S. Savings bonds	69,949,990		69,949,990
June total		887,870,490	817,920,500	69,949,990
Total 6 mont	hs	4.771.888.683	4,301,502,800	470,385,883

### \* INTERGOVERNMENT FINANCING

1939	Issued	Retired	Net Issued
January— CertificatesNotes	\$ 38,000,000 51,500,000	\$ 27,700,000 2,650,000	\$ 10,300,000 48,850,000
January total	89,500,000	30,350,000	59,150,000
February— Certificates Notes	111,000,000 58,510,000	500,000 2,381,000	110,500,000 56,129,000
February total	169,510,000	2,881,000	166,629,000
March— Certificates Notes	14,000,000 75,100,000	14,500,000 2,244,000	x500,000 72.856,000
March total	89.100.000	16,744.000	72,356,000
April— Certificates Notes	68,000,000	14,000,000 15,958,000	x14,000,000 52,042,000
April total	68,000,000	29,958,000	38,042,000
May Certificates Notes	108,000,000 77,800,000	11,958,000	108,000,000 65,842,000
May total	185,800,000	11,958,000	173,842,000
June— CertificatesNotes	1,267,000,000 146,814,000	1,281,000,000 28,989,000	x14,000,000 117,825,000
June total	1,413,814,000	1,309,989,000	103,825,000
Total 6 months	2,015,724,000	1,401,880,000	613,844,000

<sup>\*</sup> Comprises sales of special series certificates and notes; certificates sold to Adjusted Service Certificate Fund and Unemployment Trust Fund, and notes to Old Age Reserve Account, Railroad Retirement Account, Civil Service Retirement Fund, Foreign Service Retirement Fund, Canal Zone Retirement Fund, Alaska Railroad Retirement Fund, Postal Savings System and Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. x Excess of retirements.

### Farm Loan and Government Agency Issues

Government agency and Farm Loan issues reached the greatest aggregate in the first half of 1939 of any similar period on record. Of the \$1,550,498,325 such issues placed in the first six months of the current year, \$436,061,000 represented new capital and \$1,114,437,325 was for refunding. The separate items of new capital and refunding likewise established record totals for the period. In the first half of 1938 financing of this group was in an aggregate amount of \$462,035,000, and in 1937, \$163,314,000; the largest total previously recorded in the first half-year was \$850,593,700, in 1935. Of course, prior to the post 1929 depression, and especially before the advent of the Roosevelt Administration, the financing of this group was on a far smaller scale and was carried out nearly exclusively by Farm

smaller scale and was carried out nearly exclusively by Farm Loan agencies.

In the latest half-year period, however, Federal Intermediate Credit Bank debenture sales of \$115,400,000, and sales of \$3,646,000 bonds of several of the Joint Stock Land banks, compare with figures of non-farm agencies of \$1,007,216,325 for the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, \$310,090,000 for the RFC and \$114,146,000 for the USHA. The HOLC financing was for refunding securities of the Corporation held publicly, while the proceeds of the RFC and USHA issues went to retire securities of these agencies held by the U. S. Treasury. These last two transactions, we regard as new capital operations, for we do not include sales of securities to the Treasury, and therefore cannot consider the retirement of the same securities as a refunding operation. Also, considering the Government and its agencies as a unit, there has been an increase in the indebtedness of the entity. Of course, in these two instances the actual recipient of the Of course, in these two instances the actual recipient of the new funds was the U.S. Treasury.

### Issues Not Representing New Financing

It happens from time to time that owners of large blocks of securities which have been outstanding for some time, desiring to liquidate all or part of their holdings, prefer to do so by making a public offering of the securities involved. Of course, the transaction is no different, in effect, from the sale of such securities on one of the exchanges or in the overthe-counter market, and the company whose securities are involved receives no part of the proceeds of the sale. Such offerings as these have, of course, no place in our compilation of new issues, but we have tabulated them separately for whatever interest they may have on their own account, and present the results in the table below:

ISSUES NOT REPRESENTING NEW FINANCING

	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935
January	\$9,919,270 1,702,750	\$611,334	\$8,008,000 4,641,113	\$12,746,795 534,375	
March	2,525,696 5,721,524	22,096,368 4,318,088	12,451,695		1,585,000
April	3,162,305	1,025,000	4,287,175	11,736,424	2,144,135
June	12,199,818	3,965,000			\$20,034,435

In the comprehensive tables on the succeeding pages we compare the June and six months figures with those for the

corresponding periods in the four years preceding, thus affording a five-year comparison.

Following the full-page tables, we give complete details of the capital flotations during June, including every issue of any kind brought out in that month.

# SUMMARY OF CORPORATE, FOREIGN GOVERNMENT, FARM LOAN AND MUNICIPAL FINANCING FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE FOR FIVE YEARS

MONTH OF JUNE		1939			1938			1937			1936			1935	
Corporate	New Capital   Refunding	Refunding	Total	New Capital	New Capital   Refunding   Total	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding 1	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total
Domestic-		\$ 000	\$70.501	100 594 105	\$ 00	2000		\$ 000	9	S	8	*	69	61	64
Long-term bonds and notes.		249,402,893	21,128,147 249,462,853 270,591,000	Ž	98,041,000	750,000	150,571,420	130,538,080	287,109,500	121,271,295	324,827,705	446,099,000	13,676,000	115,488,000	129.164.00
Short-term.	1	0 225 571	7 7 7 7 7 7		000,000	0 208 300	000,000,000	0,560,920	000,000,000	000,040,00	000,000	2,345,000			
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Common stocks	3,023,343		0,000,340	41.000		1000'0'E	106,000,00	1,034,443	22,343,390	010,072,01	3,381,250	13,656,765		1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
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Common stocks					1 1 1 1 1 1 1		1 1 1 1								
Total corporate	30.241.064	251.798.424	282.039.488	202,315,995	98.791.000	301.106.995	276.128.467	155.373.179	431.501.646	151 874 160	275 755 755	597 690 015	19 676 000	115 400 000	00 101 001
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Inited States Possessions	8			- 1	2010		070111110	010,000,01	200,000,411	1,000,000	1,100,124	100,097,733	41,781,111	22,954,774	64,735,88
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CHARACTER AND GROUPING OF NEW CORPORATE ISSUES IN THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE FOR FIVE YEARS

		1939	=		1938			1937			1936	-		1935	
MONTH OF JUNE	New Capital	Refunding 1	Totai	New Capital,	Refunding ,	Total	New Capital,	Refunding ,	Total	New Capital,	Refunding .	Total	New Canital	Refunding	Total
Long-Term Bonds and Notes-	66		S	60	69		59	1	1	96	1	-			
Railroads	2.700,000	9,438,000	12,138,000	6,330,000		6.330,000	11.810.000	3.600.000	15.410.000	80.795.000		106.795.000	5 000 000	7 500 000	19 570 000
Public utilities	9,738,147		169,123,000	50,254,195	94,284,000	144,538,195	22,156,920		139,574,000	13.762.375	160.973.625	174,736,000	500.000	87 664 000	88 164 000
Iron, steel, coal, copper, &c	3,600,000		25,000,000	100,000,000		100,007,000	20,285,000		20,285,000	300,000		500,000	7.676,000	17.324.000	25,000,000
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Oil.	3.340.000		60,000,000	30,000,000			75.845.500	000,010,0	75,845,500	000,000,01	1000,000,001	100,000	non'one	3,000,000	3,500,000
Land, buildings, &c.		830,000	830,000	350,000		350,000	905,000	2,540,000	3,445,000	1.419.000		1.658.000	1		
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Total	21,128,147	249,462,853	270,591,000	192,534,195	98,041,000	290,575,195	156,571,420	130,538,080	287,109,500	121,271,295	324,827,705	446.099.000	13.676.000	115.488.000	129.164.000
Short-I erm Bonds and Notes-											٧.				
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Public utilities		1 1 1 1 1 1		1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1	2,676,080	13,573,920	16,250,000	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	600.000	600.000			
Iron, steel, coal, copper, &c	450,000	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	450,000		120,000	750,000	1 1 1 1 1		1 1 1 1 1	1					
Equipment manufacturers.	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1					
Motors and accessories	1	1		1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1		-	1 1 1 1 1 1					1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Other industrial and manufacturing	1 1 1 1 1 1												1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
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Total	450,000		450,000		750,000	750,000	37,676,080	13,573,920	51,250,000	1,745,000	[000,009	2.345.000			
Stocks						The state of the state of				1			n i		Service Control of the Control of th
Railroads		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1			111111111	1	1 1 1 1 1		1 1 1						
Public utilities	2,927,600	800,000	3,727,600	1,521,000		1,521,000	111111	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	2.200,000	7.800.000	10.000.0001			
Iron, steel, coal, copper, &c								714,029	714,029		111111111111111111111111111111111111111				
Equipment manufacturers.	1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1111111	1 1 1 1 1 1 1		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	111111111111111111111111111111111111111	1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1			
Motors and accessories	420,000	1	420,000	1111111				1	1				20 日本 日本 日本の		
Other industrial and manufacturing	2.637.866		2,637,866	8.073,300	111111111111111111111111111111111111111	8,073,300	78,575,027	10.547.150	89,122,177	15.436.365	19.906.250	35.342.615			
Oil				187.500		187.500				400,000		400.000			
Land, buildings, &c.												)		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Rubber							1.293.940		1.293.940			1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1			1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
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Inv. trusts, trading, holding, &c														1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
Miscellaneous	2.677.451	1.535.571	4.213.022				2.012.000		2.012.000	10.821.500	22.621.800	33.443.300		1	
Total	2 689 017	9 22 8 871	10 000 488	0 781 800		0 781 800	81 880 067	11 961 170	02 149 146	99 957 965	50 298 050	70 185 015			
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Railroads	2 700 000	9 438 000	12 138 000	6 330 000		6 330 000	11 810 000	3 600 000	15 410 000	80 705 000	98 000 000	106 705 000	2000 000	4 500 000	10 500 000
Public utilities	12.665.747	160 184 853	172.850.600	51,775,195		146.059.195	24 833 000	130,991,000	155,854,000	15 969 375	160 373 695	185 336 000	000.000	27.564.000	000,000,000
Iron, steel, coal, copper, &c.	4.050.000	21.400.000	25.450.000	100,000,000	757,000	100,757,000	20.285.000	714.029	20,999,029	300.000	200,000	500.000	7.676,000	17.324.000	25,000,000
Equipment manufacturers							1,100,000		1.100.000	1.002,000	19.718.000	20.720.000			
Motors and accessories	420,000		420,000					1							
Other industrial and manufacturing	4,387,866	1,750,000	6,137,866	13,073,300	3,750,000	16,823,300	85,257,027	16,865,150	102,122,177	28,929,285	37,603,330	66,532,615	200,000	3,000,000	3,500,000
Oilleaning	3,340,000		000,000,09	30,187,500		30,187,500	75,845,500	b.	75,845,500	11,900,000	100,000,000	111,900,000			***************************************
Land, buildings, &c.			830,000	350,000		350,000	905,000	2,540,000	3,445,000	1,664,000	239,000	1,903,000			
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Miscellaneous	2.677.451	1.535.571	4.213.022	000,000		000,000	54.799.000	663,000	55.462.000	11.321.500	22.621.800	33 943 300			1
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# SUMMARY OF CORPORATE, FOREIGN GOVERNMENT, FARM LOAN AND MUNICIPAL FINANCING FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30 FOR FIVE YEARS

6 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30		1939			1938			1937			1936			1935	
Corporate	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total
Domestic-	147 420 737	634 329 763	781 750 500	326 007 855	319 460 840	638 468 605	502 945 879	860 005 698	-	\$ 000	\$ 000 707 000	\$ 980 880 000	70 000 004	40E 000 866	\$ 000 000
Short-term.	3,050,000	9,500,000	12,550,000	2,642,000	2,758,000	5,400,000	45.076,080	20,823,920	65.900.000	18.707.500	33.762.500 52.470	52.470.000	8.485.000	23,615,000	32,100,000
Preferred stocks	10,738,369	81,100,871	91,839,240	28,939,925	1,022,800	29,962,725	120,922,361	193,535,302		31,292,788	117,272,738	148,565,526	7.125.000	19.371.800	26,496,800
Common stocks	49,445,321	309,100	49,754,421	5,133,595		5,133,595	159,721,366	160,060,92		74,200,649	9,630,023	83,830,672	6,079,000		6,079,000
Long-term bonds and notes.		63,000,000	63,000,000	1						8.000.000	30.000.000	38,000,000			
Short-term		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1													
Preferred stocks											-				
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Other foreign—					1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		-								
Long-term bonds and notes.															
Short-term						11111111	1								
Preferred stocks		111111		1 1 1 1 1 1 1			1 1 1 1 1 1								
Common stocks	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1		62,500		62,500		1			1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1			
Total corporate	210,654,427	788,239,734	191,468,866	362,785,875	316,241,640	679,027,515	828,965,679	960,444,941	1,789,410,620	462,583,840 2.	121,163,258	.583,747,098	100,569,334	468,915,466	569,484,800
Canadian Government	29,250,000	8,250,000	37,500,000	1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1			85,000,000	85,000,000		48,000,000	48,000,000			
Other foreign government	1	1			1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1	134,000,000	,000		55,000,000	55,000,000		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
Farm Loan and Govt. agencies	436,061,000 1	,114,437,325	,550,498,325	201,000,000	261,035,000	462,035,000	43,000,000	120,314,000	163,314,000	21,900,000	311,318,600	333,218,600	9,500,000	841,093,700	850,593,700
*Municipal-States, cities, &c.	637,435,066 108,323,783 745,758,849	108,323,783	745,758,849	437,872,264	70,760,728	508,632,992	427,075,270	129,730,865	806,	377,971,497	236,474,916	614,446,413	364.064,041	235,946,421	600,010,462
United States Possessions	450,000		450,000	4,280,000	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	4,280,000	1111111		1111111	1,075,000	000,067,1	000,628,2	433,000	1 1 1 1 1 1	433,000
Grand total [1.313.850.493/2.019.250.842/3.333.101.335/1.005.944.139/ 648.037.368/1.653.981	1.313.850.493'2	.019.250.842	333,101,335	1.005.944.139	648.037.368	653 981 507	299 040 949 1 429 489 806 2 728 530 755	429 489 806 5	728 530 755	863 530 337	863 530 337 9 773 706 774 3 637 937 11	637 937 111	474 566 375	1 545 955 587 2 020 521 962	020 521 969

\* These figures do not include funds obtained by States and municipalities from any agency of the Federal Government.

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6 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30	New Capital	Refunding	Totat	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding	Total	New Capital	Refunding 1	Total
erm Bonds and Notes-	69	69	<b>₩</b>		so.		*		••	59	**	1		••	*
Railroads	34,335,000	23,438,000	57,773,000		10,000,000	22,105,000	210,142,000		314,474,000	151,214,000	408,414,900			58,200,000	85,080,000
Public utilities	16,424,090	484,236,210	200,660,300	157,248,255	243,479,940	400,728,195	57,106,302	448,721,698	505,828,000	58,934,206	956,890,2941	1,015,824,500	9,278,000	243,373,000	252,651,000
Fourth weet, court copper, &c.	000,000,0	000,000,10	000,000,001		000,	100,000,000	000,000,00		000,000,000	00,230,243	190,914,792			000'065'10	000,000,61
Motors and accessories			1			1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1,100,000		10,000,000	1,000,2000	19,110,000			0 441 000	7 041 000
Other industrial and manufacturing	27.066.647	20,902,553	47.969.200		11.956.900	33.645.000	37,589,220	37,839,780	75 429 000	94 599 419	193 779 088		19,720,000	52,580,000	79,300,000
Oil	43,340,000	56,660,000	100,000,000			30,000,000	122,897,500		150 245 500	23 958 037	240.041.963			7.500,000	7.500.000
38. &	1,105,000	2,688,000	3,793,000	2,066,500	1,127,000	3,193,500	6,552,000		25,095,000	3,567,000	3,739,000	7,306,000	893,000		893,000
Rubber	1	1			45,000,000	45,000,000	350,000		320,000						
Shipping	10		1000	10000	1 1 1 1 1 1	- 11	2001251			000,009		000,009			
Inv. trusts, trading, holding, &c	1,000,000	12,755,000	13,755,000	1,000,000	11 11 11 11 11	1,000,000	250,000		250,000	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1			
Miscellaneous	15,550,000		17,300,000	1,900,000	890,000	9	26,384,500	3,200,500	29,585,000	2,300,000	11,000,000	13,300,000		444,000	444,000
Total	147,420,737	697,329,763	844,750,500	326,007,855	312,460,840	638.468.695	503.245.872	669,995,628	173.241.500	338 382 903	1 960 497 997 2	2.298.880.900	78.880.334	425.928.666	504.809.000
Railroads		9.500.000	9.500.000				4 350.000	1 450 000	5 800 000	15 000 000		30 000 000			
Public utilities				000 000 6	1	000 000 6	080 9226	18,573,090	91,350,000	1 950,000	000,000	1,050,000	111111111	000 000 01	10,000,000
Iron steel coal conner &c	550 000		550 000	200,000,1	750 000	750.000	600,000	070,010,01	000,009	000,002,1		000,000,1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	000,000,01	10,000,000
Equipment manufacturers					2000		000	1111111	000,000	1		1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	11111111	
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Other industrial and manufacturing		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		30.000	150 000	150.000	1 400 000	800 000	0 500 000	11111111	0 195 000	000 201 9	0000,000	1 615 000	1000,000
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### LONG TERM BONDS AND NOTES (ISSUES MATURING LATER THAN FIVE YEARS)

### RAILROADS

- \*\$1,600,000 Atlanta Terminal Co. 1st mtge, 4s, series A, due Aug. 1, 1969.
  Purpose, refunding (\$1,200,000), pay debt owed stockholders
  (\$213,486), capital expenditures now contemplated (\$186,514).
  Placed privately by Dick & Merle-Smith, who purchased the issue at 100.512 and interest.
  - 2,300,000 Western Maryland Ry. 2% equipment trust certificates, series G, due annually. \$230,000 Aug. 1, 1940-49. Purpose, new equipment. Offered at prices to yield from 0.50% to 2%, according to maturity, by Harriman Ripley & Co., Inc., Blyth & Co., Inc., Laurence M, Marks & Co. and Alex. Brown & Sons.
- \*5,250,000 Wheeling & Lake Eric Ry. ref. mtge. bonds, 31/8%, series F, due 1966. Purpose, refunding. Sold at par and int. to Mellon Securities Co.
- \*2,188,000 Wheeling & Lake Eric Ry. ref. mtgc. bonds, 21% % series E. due 1940-1949. Purpose, refunding. Sold at par and int. to Union Trust Co. of Pittsburgh.
  - 800,000 Winston-Salem Terminal Co. 3½% bonds, due Sept. 1, 1970.
    Purpose, refunding. Priced to yield 2,90% to maturity.
    Offered by Dick & Merle-Smith.

\$12,138,000

### PUBLIC UTILITIES

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  \$14,750,000 Central Illinois Electric & Gas Co. 1st mtge. bonds, 3½% series, due 1964. Purpose, refunding and additions and improvements (\$248,536). Price, 100½ and int. Offered by Harris, Hall & Co., Inc.; Central Republic Co.; Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.; Bonbright & Co., Inc.; H. M. Byllesby & Co., Inc.; Kidder, Peabody & Co.; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.; A. G. Becker & Co., Inc.; Glore, Forgan & Co.; Lee Higginson Corp.; Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc.; Coffin & Burr, Inc.; F. S. Moseley & Co.; Whiting, Weeks & Stubbs, Inc.; The Illinois Co. of Chicago; The Wisconsin Co.; Bodell & Co.; Starkweather & Co., and Granbery, Marache & Lord.
  - 3,000,000 Central Illinois Electric & Cas Co. 3, 3½ and 4% serial debentures, due Dec. 1, 1939-June 1, 1949. Purpose, refunding. Priced to yield from 0.75% to 4%, according to maturity. Offered by same bankers as offered the 1st mtge. 3½s (see above).
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    7,000,000 Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Co. of Baltimore 30-year series P 3% 1st ref. mtge. sinking fund bonds, due June 1, 1969. Purpose, \$3,505,000 for refunding purposes and \$3,495,000 for capital expenditures and general corporate purposes. Price, 105 and interest. Offered by White, Weld & Co.; The First Boston Corp.; Minsch, Monell & Co., Inc.; Joseph W. Gross & Co.; Lee Higginson Corp.; Alex. Brown & Sons; Baker, Watts & Co.; Mackubin, Legg & Co.; Robert Garrett & Sons, and W. W. Lanahan & Co.
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  27,300,000 Gulf States Utilities Co. 1st mtge. & ref. bonds, series D, 3½%, due May 1, 1969. Purpose, refunding. Price, 106½ and int. Offered by Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc.; First Boston Corp.; Harriman, Ripley & Co., Inc.; Blyth & Co., Inc.; Kidder, Peabody & Co., Bonbright & Co., Inc.; Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.; Lehman Bros.; Mellon Securities Corp.; Schroder, Rockefeller & Co., Inc.; Ginth, Barney & Co.; Coffin & Burr, Inc.; Glore, Forgan & Co.; Goldman, Sachs & Co.; Harris, Hall & Co. (Inc.); Hayden, Stone & Co.; W. C. Langley & Co.; Lazard Freres & Co.; Union Securities Corp.; Bosworth, Chanute, Loughridge & Co.; H. M. Byllesby & Co., Inc.; White, Weld & Co., Blair & Co., Inc.; Central Republic Co.; Estabrook & Co.; Riter & Co.; Spencer Trask & Co.; Paine, Webber & Co.; A. G. Becker & Co., Inc.; Graham, Parsons & Co.; Tucker, Anthony & Co.; Fahnestock & Co., and G. M.-P. Murphy & Co.
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  \*22,500,000 Indiana & Michigan Electric Co. 1st mtge. bonds, 34% series, due 1969. Purpose, refunding. Price, 103. Sold privately to Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.; Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U. S.; Northwestern Mutual Life Ins. Co.; New York Life Ins. Co.; Prudential Ins. Co. of America; Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada; Mutual Life Ins. Co. of N. Y.; Aetna Life Ins. Co.; Massachusetts Mutual Life Ins. Co.; Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.; New England Mutual Life Ins. Co.; Penn Mutual Life Ins. Co.; Connecticut Mutual Life Ins. Co.; Phoenix Mutual Life Ins. Co. and State Mutual Life Assurance Co. Sale arranged through The First Boston Corp. as agent.

  1,000,000 Kankakee Water Co. 1st mtge bonds series A 44% due
- 1,000,000 Kankakee Water Co. 1st mtge. bonds, series A, 4¼%, due July 1, 1959. Purpose, refunding (\$738,000), payment of promissory notes (\$95,242), property additions, &c. (\$166,758). Price, 102 and int. Offered by H. M. Payson & Co. and W. C. Langley & Co.
- \*1,800,000 Lexington Telephone Co. 1st mtge. 4% series A bonds, due 1964. Purpose, refunding and working capital (\$52,832). Placed privately at 103 and int. with John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co.
  - 300,000 Maine Consolidated Power Co. 1st mtge. 4s. series A, due July 1, 1964. Purpose, refunding. Price, 102½ and int. Offered by Frederick M. Swan & Co., Bond & Goodwin, Inc., Morton, Hall & Rounds, Inc., and Kennedy, Spence & Co.
- Morton, Hall & Rounds, Inc., and Kennedy, Spence & Co. 13,000,000 New York State Electric & Gas Corp. 1st mtge. bonds, 3½ % series, due May 1, 1964. Purpose, refunding (\$8,850.-556) and pay off 4 and 4½ % notes (\$4,149,444). Price, 102 and int. Offered by The First Boston Corp.; Glore, Forgan & Co.; Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.; Lehman Bros.; Lazard Freres & Co.; W. C. Langley & Co.; Harris, Hall & Co., Inc.; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.; A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc.; Graham, Parsons & Co.; Bodell & Co.; Granbery, Marache & Lord; Paine, Webber & Co.; Schoellkopf, Hutton & Pomeroy, Inc.; Spencer Trask & Co.; Starkweather & Co.; Tucker, Anthony & Co.; Whiting, Weeks & Stubbs, Inc.; Ballou, Adams & Whittemore, Inc.; Coffin & Burr, Inc.; Henphill, Noyes & Co.; The Illinois Co. of Chicago; Janney & Co.; Arthur Perry & Co., Inc., and Sage, Rutty & Co., Inc.
- 8,323,000 Rochester Gas & Electric Corp. gen. mtge. 3¼ % bonds, series J. due 1969. Purpose, refunding. Price, 105½ and int. Offered by The First Boston Corp.; Smith, Barney & Co.; Goldman, Sachs & Co.; Harris, Hall & Co. (Inc.); W. C. Langley & Co.; Sage, Rutty & Co., Inc.; and Little & Hopkins, Inc.
  - 150,000 Shawnee-Mission Water Co. 1st mtge. 5s, series A, due
    Nov. 1, 1953. Purpose, refunding (\$50,000); balance to pay
    bank loans, additions and betterments. Price, 100 and int.
    Offered by Martin-Holloway-Purcell.
- 22,000,000 Washington Water Power Co. 1st mtge. bonds, 3½% series due 1964. Purpose, refunding (\$20,569,665), to reimburse treasury for extensions and improvements, construction, &c. (\$1,430,335). Price, 105 and int. Offered by White, Weld & Co., Bonbright & Co., Inc.; Dillon, Read & Co., First Boston Corp.; Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.; Harriman, Ripley & Co., Inc.; W. O. Langley & Co.; Union Securities Corp.; Shields & Co., Smith, Barney & Co.; Union Securities Corp.; Blyth & Co., Inc.; Coffin & Burr, Inc.; Ferris & Hardgrove; Goldman, Sachs & Co.; Jackson & Curtis; Lee Higginson Corp.; Lehman Bros.; Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc.; Clark, Dodge & Co.; Hayden, Stone & Co.; Hornblower & Weeks; Murphey, Favre & Co.; Tucker, Anthony & Co.; Dean Witter & Co.; Dominick & Dominick; Schroder, Rockfeller & Co., Inc.; Paine-Rice & Co.; R. W. Pressprich & Co.; Richards & Blum, Inc.; Washburn & Co., Inc., and Minsch, Monell & Co.

- \*30,000,000 Southern California Edison Co., Ltd., 25-year 3¼% bonds, due 1964. Purpose, refunding. Price, 104.37 and int. Placed privately with five insurance companies.
- Placed privately with five insurance companies.

  18,000,000 West Texas Utilities Co. 1st mtge. bonds, series A, 3¾ %; due May 1, 1969. Purpose, refunding. Price, 101¾ and int. Offered by Harris, Hall & Co. (Inc.); Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.; Glore, Forgan & Co.; A. G. Becker & Co., Inc.; Bonbright & Co., Inc.; Harman, Ripley & Co., Inc.; The First Boston Corp.; Blyth & Co., Inc.; Central Republic Co.; Kidder, Peabody & Co.; Lazard Freres & Co.; Lee Higginson Corp.; Lehman Brothers; F. S. Moseley & Co.; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.; Smith, Barney & Co.; Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc.; Tucker, Anthony & Co.; A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc.; Hemphill, Noyes & Co.; Paine, Webber & Co.; The Ranson-Davidson Investment Co.; Stern, Wampler & Co., Inc.; White, Weld & Co.; The Wisconsin Co.; Dean Witter & Co.; Bacon, Whipple & Co.; Blar, Bonner & Co.; H. M. Byllesby & Co., Inc.; The Illinois Co. of Chicago; Arthur Perry & Co., Inc.; William N. Edwards & Co.; Rauscher, Pierce & Co., Inc.; Mahan, Dittmar & Co.; A. S. Huyck & Co.; Dewar, Robertson & Pancoast; R. K. Dunbar & Co.; Moroney & Co.; Pitman & Co.; Russ, Roe & Co., and R. A. Underwood & Co., Inc.

\$169,123,000

### IRON, STEEL, COAL, COPPER, &c.

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\$25,000,000 Bethlehem Steel Corp. consol. mige. 20-year sinking fund 314% bonds, series F, due July 1, 1959. Purpose, replace working capital as result of retirement of underlying bonds (\$21,400,000); provide additions, betterments to properties, working capital, &c. (\$3,600,000). Price, 99 and interest. Offered by Kuhn, Loeb & Co.; Smith, Barney & Co.; Mellon Securities Corp.; Harriman Ripley & Co., Inc.; The First Boston Corp.; Union Securities Corp.; G. M.-P. Murphy & Co.; Bonbright & Co., Inc.; Goldman, Sachs & Co.; Kidder, Peabody & Co.; Lazard Freres & Co.; Lee Higginson Corp.; Lehman Bros.; Dean Witter & Co.; Clark, Dodge & Co.; Glore, Forgan & Co.; Halgarten & Co.; Hayden, Stone & Co.; Hemphill. Noyes & Co.; W. E. Hutton & Co.; White, Weld & Co.; Parrish & Co.; Blyth & Co., Inc., and Dillon, Read & Co.

### OTHER INDUSTRIAL AND MANUFACTURING

\*\$3,500,000 Marathon Paper Mills Co. 4½% 15-year bonds. Purpose, to retire \$1,750,000 5½s and \$1,750,000 bank loans, &c. Placed privately with Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States. Sale arranged by Merrill, Lynch & Co., Inc., The Wisconsin Co. and Blair, Bonner & Co.

### OIL

- \$10,000,000 Houston Oil Co. of Texas 15-year 4½% sinking fund debentures, due 1954. Purpose, to refund 5½% sinking fund debentures of 1940 (\$6,660,000), to be added to general funds (\$3,340,000). Price, 100 and int. Offered by Mackubin, Legg & Co.; Whitaker & Co.; Paine, Webber & Co.; Otis & Co.; White, Weld & Co.; Nichols, Terry & Dickinson; Inc.; Estabrook & Co.; Baker, Watts & Co.; Francis, Bro. & Co.; Metropolitan St. Louis Co.; Smith, Moore & Co.; I. M. Simon & Co.; Gregory, Eddleman & Abercrombie; Beckett, Gilbert & Co., Inc.; Wm. Cavalier & Co.; Crago, Smith & Conavan; Mahan, Dittmar & Co.; Minsch, Monell & Co., Inc.; Stix & Co.; Dewar, Robertson & Pancoast; A. W. Snyder & Co.; Gilbert & Co.; Co.; Robert Garrett & Sons; J. A. Hogle & Co.; Edward D. Jones & Co.; Kalman & Co.; W. W. Lanahan & Co.; Mason-Hagan, Inc.; Mitchell, Herrick & Co.; Reinholdt & Gardner and Stein Bros. & Boyce.
- 50,000,000 Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., 25-year. 3% debentures, due July 1, 1964. Purpose, refunding. Price, 104 and int., to yield about 2.77%. Offered by Salomon Bros. & Hutzler.

\$60,000,000

### LAND, BUILDINGS, &c.

- \$150,000 Holy Family Roman Catholic Congregation of Dayton, Ohio, 1st mtge. 4% bonds, due May 1, 1951. Purpose, refunding. Price, on application. Offered by Dempsey-Tegeler & Co.
- 160,000 The Ladies of Loretto (Loretto Academy of the Immaculate Conception), Chicago, 1st & ref. mtge. serial real estate. 3%, 3½% and 4% bonds, due annually, May 10, 1940-1951. Purpose, refunding. Price on application. Offered by Dempsey-Tegeler & Co.
- 520,000 St. Vincent's Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind., 1st mtge. 3% serial real estate bonds, due Oct. 1, 1939-Jan. 1, 1946. Purpose, refunding. Price on application. Offered by Dempsey-Tegeler & Co.

\$830,000

### SHORT-TERM BONDS AND NOTES (ISSUES MATURING UP TO AND INCLUDING FIVE YEARS)

IRON, STEEL, COAL, COPPER, &c.

\*\$450,000 Birdsboro Steel Foundry & Machine Co. 5-year 4% seria notes. Purpose, to reimburse treasury for improvements made and to be made to plants. Placed privately.

### STOCKS

(Preferred stocks of a stated par value are taken at par, while preferred stocks of no par value and all classes of common stock are computed at their offering prices.)

### PUBLIC UTILITIES

- \$800,000 Lexington Telephone Co. 6% cumulative preferred stock (par \$100). Purpose, refunding. Price, 100 and div. Offered by J. D. Van Hooser & Co.; Security & Bond Co.; Almstedt Bros.; Bankers' Bond Co., and Bacon, Whipple & Co.
- 2,927,600 New York State Electric & Gas Corp. 29,276 shares of 5½% cumulative preferred stock (par \$100). Purpose, to pay notes, expenditures for additional property. Price, par and div. Offered by same syndicate as offered bonds, with exception of Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.

\$3,727,600

### MOTORS AND ACCESSORIES

\$420,000 Hayes Body Corp. 120,000 shares of common stock (par \$2). Purpose, working capital. Price, market (approximately 3½). Offered by A. W. Porter, Inc.

### OTHER INDUSTRIAL AND MANUFACTURING

- \$200,000 (W. L.) Maxson Corp. 40,000 shares of capital stock (par 25 cents). Purpose, repayment of loan, additional plant equipment, working capital. Price, \$5 per share. Offered by F. Eberstadt & Co., Inc.
- 2,400,000 Northrop Aircraft, Inc., 400,000 shs. class A com. stock (par \$1) and warrants for purchase of 80,000 shares of class A stock. Purpose, to erect modern building, equip factory with modern machinery and working capital. Price, \$30 per unit (5 shares of class A stock and 1 detached warrant). Offered by Banks, Huntley & Co.; Cohu Brothers & Georgeson; O'Brian, Potter & Co.; Lester & Co.; Air Investors, Inc., and Hartley, Rogers, Lyon & Co.
  - 37,866 Wheatley Mayonnaise Co. 6.311 shares of capital stock (par \$5). Purpose, working capital. Price, \$6 per share. Offered by Urban J. Alexander Co., Inc.

\$2,637,866

### MISCELLANEOUS

\$4,000,000 American Investment Co. of Illinois 5% cumulative convertible preferred stock (par \$50). Purpose, retire existing preferred stock (\$1,535,571), general corporate purposes (\$2,464,429). Price, \$50 per share. Offered by Alex. Brown & Sons; Francis Bro. & Co.; Laurence M. Marks & Co.; Bacon, Whipple & Co.; Central Republic Co.; Stern, Wampler & Co., Inc.; Mitchum, Tully & Co.; Piper, Jaffray & Hopwood; Hayden, Miller & Co.; I. M. Simon & Co.; Whitaker & Co., and Kidder, Peabody & Co.

100.000 Fleming-Wilson Mercantile Co., Topeka, Kan., 6% cumulative preferred stock (par \$100). Purpose, increase working capital. Price, 103 and divs. Offered by Estes, Snyder & Co. (Inc.).

113,022 Time Finance Co. (Ky.) 4,347 units (unit consisting of 2 shs. of 6% cum. pref. stock, par \$10, and 3 shs. of common stock, par \$1). Purpose, increase working capital. Pr ce. \$26 per unit. Offered by W. L. Lyons & Co.; Urban J. Alexander Co.; Dering & Co.; Berwyn T. Moore & Co.; Dunlap, Wakefield & Co.; Wakefield & Co., and J. C. Willson & Co.

\$4,213,022

### FARM LOAN AND GOVERNMENT AGENCY ISSUES

\$20,950,000 Federal Intermediate Credit Banks 1% consolidated debentures, dated June 15, 1939, and due in 5½ and 11½ months. Purpose, refunding. Price, slightly above par. Offered by Charles R. Dunn, New York, fiscal agent.

### ISSUES NOT REPRESENTING NEW FINANCING

\$1,018,750 Beneficial Industrial Loan Corp. 50,000 shares of common stock (no par). Price, \$20.37½ per share. Offered by Eastman, Dillon & Co.; Blair & Co., Inc.; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.; Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co.; Alex. Brown & Sons, Hayden, Stone & Co.; Hemphill, Noyes & Co.; Riter & Co.; Hornblower & Weeks; Whiting, Weeks & Stubbs, Inc.; Stroud & Co., Inc.; Putnam & Co.; Piper, Jaffray & Hopwood; Mitchum, Tully & Co.; Rogers & Tracy, Inc., and Clarence Hodson & Co., Inc.

Hodson & Co., Inc.

3,383,000 Brown & Sharpe Manufacturing Co. 34,000 shares of capital stock (par \$50). Price, \$99.50 per share. Offered by Lee Higginson Corp.; Brown, Lisle & Marshall; Harriman Ripley & Co.; Iline; Smith, Barney & Co.; Blyth & Co., Inc.; Goldman, Sachs & Co.; W. E. Hutton & Co.; Kidder, Peabody & Co.; Hornblower & Weeks; Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc.; Hayden, Stone & Co.; Paine, Webber & Co.; Estabrook & Co.; Graham, Parsons & Co.; Whiting, Weeks & Stubbs, Inc.; Bacon, Whipple & Co.; Blair, Bonner & Co., and Pearson, Erhard & Co., Inc.

75,000 City Title Insurance Co. (N. Y.) 10,000 shares capital stock (par \$5). Price, \$7.50 per share. Offered by First Bowling Green Corp.

685,500 Continental Can Co. 6,000 shares (no par) \$4.50 preferred stock. Price, \$114¼ (plus commission). Offered by Lazard Freres & Co. and Union Securities Corp.

2,120,000 Cuneo Press, Inc., 40,000 shares of common stock (no par).
Price, \$53 per share. Offered by Hemphill, Noyes & Co.
62,500 (W. L.) Maxson Corp. 12,500 shares of capital stock (par 25 cents). Price, \$5 per share. Offered by F. Eberstadt & Co., Inc.

1,266,668 Mississippi Valley Barge Line Co. 266,667 shares common stock (par \$1). Price, \$4.75 per share. Offered by Francis, Bro. & Co.; D. M. S. Hegarty & Co., Inc., and Smith, Moore Bro. &

3,072,400 New York State Electric & Gas Corp. 30,724 shares of 5½% cumulative preferred stock (par \$100). Price, 100 and div. Offered by same syndicate as offered the \$13,000,000 3½% bonds, with exception of Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.

120,000 Schmidt Brewing Co. 60,000 shares of common stock (par \$1)-Price, \$2.00 per share. Offered by Alison & Co., R. C. O'Donnell & Co., and Ferriss, Wagner & Miller.

396,000 United States Tobacco Co. 12,000 shares common stock (no par). Price, \$35.50 per share. Offered by Smith, Bar-(no par). ney & Co.

\$12,199,818

### New Capital Issues in Great Britain

The following statistics have been compiled by the Midland Bank, Ltd. These compilations of issues of new capital, which are subject to revision, exclude all borrowings by the British Government for purely financial purposes; shares issued to vendors; allotments arising from the capitalization of reserve funds and undivided profits; sales of already issued securities which add nothing to the capital resources of the company whose securities have been offered; issues for conversion or redemption of securities previously held in the United Kingdom; short-dated bills sold in anticipation of long-term borrowings; and loans of municipal and county authorities which are not specifically limited. In all cases the figures are based upon the prices of issue.

SUMMARY TABLE OF NEW CAPITAL ISSUES IN THE UNITED KINGDOM [Compiled by the Midland Bank, Limited]

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1-2	Month of June	6 Mos. to June 30	United Kingdom	Overseas Countries	Total
1919	£16.823.000	£80,299,000	£97,780,000	£35,035,000	£132.815.000
1920	27,560,000	241,232,000	330,524,000	67,950,000	
1921	33,919,000	124,221,000	174,913,000	92,287,000	
1922	21,990,000	168.147.000	102,221,000	157,501,000	259.722.000
1923	34,763,000	123,525,000	68,747,000	122,300,000	191,046,000
1924	19,322,000	106,215,000	74,459,000	111,911,000	
1925	23,652,000	124,354,000	134,722,000	106,963,000	241,685,000
1926	29,222,000	131,636,000	115,374,000	111,804,000	227,178,000
1927	19,965,000	159,694,000	175,334,000	105,991,000	281.325.000
1928	41,372,000	202,616,000	190,390,000	167,246,000	357,636,000
1929	25,398,000	195,543,000	225,961,000	129,485,000	355,447,000
1930	13,225,000	141,860,000	108,993,000	91,072,000	200.066,000
1931	12,832,000	70,915,000	81,595,000	83,620,000	165,215,000
1932	17,468,000	74,772,000	69,061,000	23,462,000	92,523,000
1933	17,541,000	69,328,000	87,165,000	20,429,000	107,595,000
1934	12,048,000	69,022,000	84,424,000	48,139,000	132,563,000
1935	20,610,000	86,045,000	136,655,000	30,557,000	167,212,000
1936	18,411,000	108,984,000	184,668,000	21,094,000	205,762,000
1937	24,515,000	97,416,000	171,736,000	33,917,000	205,653,000
1938	8,509,000	74,051,000	114,246,000	33,295,000	147,541,000
1939	23,858,000	57,145,000	76,513,000	24,678,000	101.191.000

NEW CAPITAL ISSUES IN THE UNITED KINGDOM BY MONTHS [Compiled by the Midland Bank Limited]

(1) 1 HAS 1 HAS	1936	1937	1938	1939
January February March April May June	£ 33,963,149 19,687,120 6,961,500 10,456,037 19,505,122 18,410,698	£ 27.614,265 10,671,858 11,257,125 11,947,382 11,410,592 24,514,648	£ 7,464,872 19,248,438 6,301,772 5,113,715 27,322,880 8,509,247	£ 13,858,372 8,132,058 2,896,764 1,788,505 6,611,207 23,857,867
6 months	108,983,626	97,415,870	74,050,924	57,144,773
July	24,402,925 6,194,413 9,546,101 26,943,859 20,939,125 20,211,176	20,305,459 7,141,184 1,963,697 13,855,183 12,400,174 17,824,624	15,188,116 2,184,057 1,648,504 2,627,853 12,802,202 9,595,909	
Year	217,221,225	170,906,191	118,097,565	

GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION OF NEW CAPITAL ISSUES IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, BY MONTHS [Compiled by the Midland Bank Limited]

	United Kingdom	India and Ceylon	Other British Countries	Foreign Countries	Total
1937—	£	£	£	£	£
January	24.802.000	F. K	2,405,000	407,000	27,614,000
February	8,043,000	31,000	2.581.000	17,000	10,672,000
March	9,756,000	34,000	1,467,000	**,000	11,257.000
April	7,135,000	04,000	4,792,000	20,000	11.947.000
May	8.313.000	1.000,000	2,097,000	20,000	11.411.000
June	22,611,000	396,000	830,000	678,000	24,515,000
	22,011,000	390,000	830,000	078,000	24,313,000
6 months	80,661,000	1,461,000	14,172,000	1,122,000	97,416,000
July	14.558,000	141,000	4.481.000	1.125,000	20,305,000
August	6,503,000		580,000	53,000	7,141,000
September	1,867,000		00 000		1.964.000
October	13,141,000	32,000	680,000	2,000	13,855,000
November	11,372,000	02,000	1,015,000	13,000	12,400,000
December	10.667.000		2,273,000	4,885,000	17,825,000
December	10,007,000		2,213,000	7,000,000	17,020,000
Year	138,768,000	1,634,000	23,304,000	7,200,000	170,906,000
1938—					4 1 2 A 1 To
January	6,520,000		945,000		7,465,000
February	13,847,000		3,000,000	2,402,000	19,248,000
March	6.305,000		87,000		6,392,000
April	4.803.000		311,000		5,114,000
May	16,516,000		10,213,000	594,000	27.323.000
June	8,149,000		360,000		8,500,000
6 months	56,139,000		14,916,000	2,996,000	74,951,000
July	11 900 000	27,000	3,931,000	28,000	15,188,000
	11,202,000	27,000	3,931,000		2.184.000
August	1,763,000		000	421,000	
September	1,611,000		37,000		1,648,000
October	1,781,000	331,000		400 000	2,628,000
November	10,928,000	100,000		622,000	12,802,000
December	9,322,000		274,000		9,596,000
Year	92,746,000	458,000	20,826,000	4,067,000	118,098,000
1939—	1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -		The State of the S	MARKET AND THE	
January	10,274,000		3.584,000		13.858.000
February	6.973,000		1.159.000		8,132,000
March	2,649,000		26.000	221,000	2,897,000
	1.150.000		638.000	221,000	1789.000
April			5.128.000		6.611.000
May	1,483,000	474.000			23,858,000
June	17,377,000	474,000	6,007,000		23,838,000
6 months	39,906,000	474,000	16.543.000	221,000	57,145,000

### The Business Man's Bookshelf

### U. S. Supreme Court Business Law Decisions, 1938-1939

222 Pages. Chicago and New York: Commerce Clearing House, Inc. Heavy paper covers, \$1.00

This new book, the fifth annual edition in a series begun in 1935, brings together in handy form the full texts of important decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States affecting business, with the exception of taxation. The opinions featured in this edition were handed down by the highest court of the land during the October term, 1938—covering the period of October, 1938 to June, 1939.

Among the decisions collected in this convenient book

will be found the "TVA" case, "Milk Price" cases, "Motor Carrier Act" cases, "Gold Clause" cases, "National Labor Relations Board" cases, "Railroad Reorganization" case, "Public Utility Rate" cases, "Connally Oil Act" case, and many others, some of which are epochal pronouncements of the Nation's greatest tribunal.

The significance of these decisions lies not only in their far-reaching effects on vitally important economic and business problems, but also in the new trends of thought revealed therein, resulting in part, no doubt, from the changes in the court's membership during the past two years. some cases precedents of long standing were reversed.

An analytical table of contents, besides classifying the cases alphabetically in their proper legal categories, helpfully identifies many of them with their popular names.

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates privately placed issues.

### The Course of the Bond Market

Moderate recovery has been witnessed in bond prices this United States Governments made a definite aboutface after four weeks' decline, gaining 0.45 point on the average, since the low of last Saturday. Unlike Governments, high-grade corporates have not suffered any decline in recent weeks, the average of Aaa's advancing on Friday to higher levels than this average has seen in many years. Firmness has pervaded the lower-grade bond market.

High-grade railroad bonds have displayed a mixed trend. Atchison Cal.-Ariz. 41/2s, 1962, declined 1/8 to 1111/2, while Norfolk & Western 4s, 1996, gained 1/4 at 1221/2. Mediumgrade and speculative railroad issues have displayed wide price recoveries. Great Northern "G" 4s, 1946, at 95 were up 11/4 points, while Delaware & Hudson 4s, 1943, advanced 3 points to 56. For the week ending July 1 car loadings were reported at a fourth consecutive new 1939 high of 665,528 cars. Coal shipments bolstered the car loadings considerably, perhaps indicating that industry is stocking up in anticipation of higher prices effective Oct. 1, as announced by the Department of the Interior.

High-grade utility bonds, although not selling at topmost prices, have recovered somewhat from the moderate setback sustained in recent weeks. Second-grade issues such as Broad River Pow. 5s, 1954, at 984, up 34; Portland Gas & Coke 5s, 1940, up 2 at 741/2, and Puget Sound Power & Light 5s, 1950, at 90, up 21/2, have been strong, advancing noticeably. Speculative issues have also participated in the general trend, but activity in the debentures of Associated Gas & Electric Co. and New England Gas & Electric Association has been most pronounced following settlement of a Federal tax controversy.

The industrial section has recovered this week, along with the bond market as a whole, from the declines of last Steel company obligations have been steady to higher, petroleum company bonds have been mixed, with changes fractional. Announcement has been made, without comment, that the Tidewater refunding would be temporarily delayed. Paper company obligations have been firm to moderately higher, and in the automobile section of the list, the Studebaker 6s, 1945, gained 7½ points at 86½, or better than covering the loss of last week. Another speculative obligation to show strength has been the Childs Co. 5s, 1943, up 31/4 points at 731/4. Rubber and meat packing company bonds showed strength, and amusement company obligations have been generally steady. In the latter section, however, the Paramount Broadway 3s, 1955, sold at 50 for a decline of 4 points from the last sale, Among speculative which was about two weeks ago. tobacco company obligations, the Porto Rican American Tobacco Co. 6s, 1942 (stamped), were down 141/4 points at 25 from the last sale, which occurred a few weeks ago.

There has been some improvement in sentiment in the foreign bond market as apprehensions of an early political coup in Europe subsided. Turnover in European bonds has been light, but prices have been firmer for Belgium and Scandinavian issues after their notable weakness last week. Some fractional gains have also been recorded by German and Italian bonds. Brazilian bonds attracted renewed attention in connection with a possible token payment; however, they relinquished part of their advance in later dealings. Australian obligations, with the exception of the issues of the City of Brisbane, displayed some strength, while Japanese bonds moved within narrow limits.

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

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Dally Averages	Govt. Bonds	Corp.*	Aaa	Aa	, A	Baa	RR.	P. U.	Indus.	Daily Averages	Corp.	Aaa	Aa	A	Baa	RR.	P. U.	Indus.
July 7 6 5	116.82 116.77 116.46	105.60 105.60 105.22	122.40 122.17 121.72	117.72 117.72 117.50	102.12 102.12 101.94	85.93 85.79 85.52	92.12 92.12 91.81	111.23 111.03 110.83	115.78 115.57 115.41	July 7 6 5	3.69 3.69 3.71	2.88 2.89 2.91	3.09 3.09 3.10	3.88 3.88 3.89	4.90 4.91 4.93	4.48 4.48 4.50	3.40 3.41 3.42	3.18 3.19 3.21
4 3 1	Stock 116.28 116.37		ge Clos 121.94 121.72		101.58 101.76	85.38 85.24	91.66 91.51	110.83 110.63	115.41 115.41	3 1	3.72 3.72	2.90 2.91	ge Clos 3.11 3.11	ed 3.91 3.90	4.94 4.95	4.51 4.52	3.42 3.43	3.21 3.21
	116.43 117.13	105.04 105.41	121.72 121.49	117.29 117.29	101.76 102.48	85.24 85.93	91.51 92.43	110.63 110.83	115.14 115.14	Weekly— June 30 23 16	3.72 3.70 3.71	2.91 2.92 2.93	3.11 3.11 3.12	3.90 3.86 3.88	4.95 4.90 4.91	4.52 4.46 4.48	3.43 3.42 3.43	3.21 3.21 3.22
9 2	116.80 117.34 117.61	$105.41 \\ 105.22$	121.27 $121.27$ $121.04$	117.07 116.86 116.64	102.12 102.66 102.84	85.79 86.21 85.52	92.12 92.59 91.97 91.05	110.63 110.83 111.23 110.83	114.93 114.72 114.30 113.68	9 2 May 26	3.70 3.71 3.75	2.93 2.94 2.95	3.13 3.14 3.15	3.85 3.84 3.88	4.88 4.93 5.00	4.45 4.49 4.55	3.42 3.40 3.42	3.23 3.25 3.28
May 26 19 12	116.98 116.97 116.37	104.48 103.56 104.11	120.59 $120.37$	116.43 115.78 116.43	102.12 101.06 101.76 101.23	84.55 83.46 83.73 83.06	89.84 90.59 89.99	110.83 110.43 110.24 109.84	113.08 113.27 113.48 112.86	19 12	3.80 3.77 3.80	2.96 2.97 2.98	3.18 3.15 3.18	3.94 3.90 3.93	5.08 5.06 5.11	4.63 4.58 4.62	3.44 3.45 3.47	3.30 3.29 3.32
28 21	115.78 115.41 115.13	103.56 102.84 102.66 102.30		115.78 115.35 114.93 114.72	100.53 100.53 100.18	82.40 82.40 81.61	89.40	109.24 109.05 108.66	112.25 112.25 111.84	Apr. 28	3.84 3.85 3.87	3.01 3.03 3.03	3.20 3.22 3.23	3.97 3.97 3.99	5.16 5.16 5.22	4.66 4.68 4.71	3.50 3.51 3.53	3.35 3.35 3.37
14 6 Mar.31 24	114.85	102.84 103.93	119.25 119.25 119.92	114.72 115.14 115.14	100.70 102.30 102.12	82.66 84.83 85.79	89.40 91.51 92.28	108.85 109.24 109.64	112.45 112.86 113.27	6 Mar. 31	3.84 3.78 3.75	3.02 3.02 2.99	3.23 3.21 3.21	3.96 3.91 3.88	5.14 4.98 4.91	4.66 4.52 4.47	3.52 3.50 3.48	3.34 3.32 3.30
17 10			119.92 120.37 120.14	114.93 114.93 114.72	102.30 102.84 102.30	86.07 87.21 85.52	92.43 93.53 91.97	109.64 110.04 109.64	113.27 113.68 113.48	17 10		2.99 2.97 2.98	3.22 3.22 3.23	3.87 3.84 3.87	4.89 4.81 4.93	4.46 4.39 4.49	3.48 3.46 3.48	3.30 3.28 3.29
Feb. 24 17 10	113.38 113.30	103.38	119.69 119.69 119.69	114.30 114.30 114.09	101.06 101.23 101.06	84.14 83.87 83.60	90.14 89.99	109.05 109.05 108.85	113.27 113.27 112.45	Feb. 24 17 10	3.81	3.00 3.00 3.00	3.25 3.25 3.26	3.94 3.93 3.94	5.03 5.05 5.07	4.61 4.62 4.64	3.51 3.51 3.52	3.30 3.30 3.29
Jan. 27.	113.16	102.84 101.94 103.20	119.47 119.03 119.69	113.68 113.07 113.48	100.88 99.83 101.06	83.19 82.00 83.87	89.10 87.93 89.55	108.66 107.88 108.66	113.48 112.86 113.48	Jan. 27 20	3.82	3.01 3.03 3.00	3.28 3.31 3.29	3.95 4.01 3.94	5.10 5.19 5.05	4.68 4.76 4.65	3.53 3.57 3.53	3.29 3.32 3.29
	112.93 112.95	102.66 102.48 105.60	119.47 119.25 122.40	113.07 112.25 117.72	100.53 100.53 103.02	83.06 83.06 87.21	89.10 88.80 93.53	107.88 107.69 111.23	113.27 112.86 115.78	13 6 High 1939	3.86	3.01 3.02 3.05	3.31 3.35 3.37	3.97 3.97 4.01	5.11 5.11 5.26	4.68 4.70 4.76	4.57 3.58 3.60	3.30 3.32 3.38
Low 1939 High 1938 Low 1938	112.59 112.81 109.58	101.94 101.76 88 80	118.60 118 60 112 45	111.84 111 43 102.66	99.83 100.18 89.10	81.09 82.27 62.76	87.93 88.36 71.15	107.30 107.11 96.11	111.64 112.05 104.30	High 1938 Low 1938	3.69 4.70 3.90	2.88 3.34 3.05	3.09 3.85 3.39	3.83 4.68 3.99	4.81 6.98 5.17	4.39 6.11 4.73	3.40 4.23 3.61	3.18 8.76 3.36
1 Yr. Ago July 7 '38 2 Yrs. Ago	112.04	96.28	114.51	106.54	95.78	75.01	79.70	103.20	109.64	1 Year Ago— July 7, 1938 2 Years Ago—	4.22	3.24	3.64	4.25	5.76	5.37	3.82	3.48
July 7 '37	108.54	102.12	113.89	110.83	101.06	85.93	96.61	100.88	109.24	July 7, 1937	3.88	3.27	3.42	3.94	4.90	4.20	3.95	3.50

\* 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 system of 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 its 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 Feb. 18, 1939 pages 939 and 940.

### Indications of Business Activity

### THE STATE OF TRADE—COMMERCIAL EPITOME

 $Friday\ Night,\ July\ 7,\ 1939.$  Business activity holds up surprisingly well, and indications of continued trade improvement are becoming more numerous. As a result business sentiment is becoming increasingly optimistic. The steel situation is especially encouraging, judging from recent reports. The labor situaencouraging, judging from recent reports. The labor situation is again looming up as a serious threat in the automotive industry, the Congress of Industrial Organizations having called a strike in a number of General Motors plants. The threat of war in Europe remains an overshadowing influence, and repercussions from Senator Borah's speech will be watched with the greatest interest. The "Journal of Commerce" index of business activity was unchanged at \$7.6 for the week ended July 1 as com-

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pared with 68.9 for the corresponding week of last year.

Small declines in steel production and automotive activity were offset by gains in the other components of the index. Sales gains were recorded for most steel products in June, compared with May, without substantial aid from the automobile, railroad and farm machinery indusfries, which normally buy about 33% of all steel, "Iron Age" reports in its current summary. Some farm implement which normally buy about 33% of all steel, "Iron Age reports in its current summary. Some farm implement plants have resumed production after vacation shut-downs, and the motor car industry is expected to return to the market with volume requirements not later than early August, the magazine states. "While the importance of the improvement in June could easily be exaggerated, as May was not a good month owing to the retarding influence of the coal strike and the acute price confusion, it is significant that the gains have been sufficiently general in character to hold forth promise for the two midsummer months," the review observes. Although steel ingot production this week has dropped sharply owing to the holiday shutdowns, and in a few cases to mass vacations, many units will be operating late this week and next week on a higher horizontal programment.

units will be operating late this week and next week on a higher basis, which may cause next week's rate to exceed the 54% average that prevailed in the pre-holiday week. Engineering construction awards for the short week due to the Fourth of July holiday total \$37,549,000, 52% below the volume for the corresponding week last year, "Engineering News-Record" reports. The current week's total brings the volume for 27 weeks of 1939 to \$1,594,773,000, an increase of 20% over the \$1,333,253,000 reported for the corresponding period a year ago. Private construction for the week is 8% below the 1938 week and public awards are 57% below a year ago, when the \$35,000,000 contracts were awarded for the Shasta Dam, a California Central Valley project.

Valley project. Production by the electric light and power industry of the United States for the week ended July 1 continued to advance for the fourth consecutive week to reach the high-est total since last Dec. 24. At the same time the advance carried the total sharply above that for the corresponding

est total since last Dec. 24. At the same time the advance carried the total sharply above that for the corresponding week a year ago, marking the largest year-to-year gain in more than two years. Output for the latest week, according to figures released by the Edison Electric Institute, amounted to 2,300,268,000 kwh., an increase of 14.2% over the 2,014,702,000 kwh. for the week ended July 2, 1938. Compared with the previous week's total of 2,285,083,000 kwh., production was up 15,185,000 kwh.

Heavy shipments of fighting planes to the United Kingdom boosted May exports of aeronautical products 40% over April and 33% over May, 1938, the Commerce Department reports. The month's shipments amounted to \$10,385,338. United Kingdom got 75 planes valued at \$3,096,055; France, 15 planes and 32 engines.

The Independence Day holiday this week cut automobile production this week about in proportion to the two-day loss in working time incurred in most plants. Ward's Automotive Reports, Inc., reported output of automobiles and trucks in the United States and Canada at 42,784 units, a decrease of 27,879 units from the preceding week, and a rise of 13,409 units above the like period of last year. While the seasonal tendency is downward at this time, Ward's forecast that production probably would hold up well enough during the current month to bring to completion about 185,000 automobiles and trucks.

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Retail stores of the country maintained this week a margin of sales volume over that of the corresponding week a year ago, but the loss of shopping days because of Independence Day made sales look trifling in comparison with the heavy volume of the previous week, Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., said today. The holiday, according to the credit agency's weekly review, was the dominant influence of business activity of all kinds this week. For the country as a whole the average increase in retail trade over a year ago was estimated at between 6% and 10%. This was smaller than the gain in any week in June, but the comparison was being made against a substantially higher level of activity for last year. Merchants in New England profited from a heavy influx of tourists, and sales were reported 5% to 8% larger than a year ago.

The outstanding feature of the weather the past week was the cloudburst that took place in eastern Kentucky. As a result of the torrential rains, mountain streams and rivers rose rapidly to inundate communities along their banks. Expressions of fear that the death toll in the mountains—many sections of which may not be accessible for days because of the many bridges washed out and poor communication facilities—may run above the 100 mark, came from Covernment and relief officials. Un to the Retail stores of the country maintained this week a mar-

for days because of the many bridges washed out and poor communication facilities—may run above the 100 mark, came from Government and relief officials. Up to the present writing the Kentucky flood toll is put at 53 dead, with 47 reported missing. According to Government reports, the week generally was characterized by moderate temperatures, mostly somewhat above normal, throughout the entire country. Moderate to fairly heavy rainfall was again rather general from the Great Plains eastward. With ample moisture in most places and continued seasonable to somewhat above-normal temperatures quite generally crops are making good to excellent growth in nearly

with ample moisture in most places and continued seasonable to somewhat above-normal temperatures quite generally, crops are making good to excellent growth in nearly all sections from the Great Plains States eastward, advices state. Good rains were decidedly helpful in the Atlantic area from the Virginias northward, where droughty conditions have been effectively relieved, except locally in New York and south central West Virginia.

The weather was sultry today, with temperatures ranging from 70 degrees to 85 degrees. The forecast is for partly cloudy and continued warm weather tonight and Saturday, with local thundershowers and cooler temperatures prevailing on Sunday.

Overnight at Boston it was 72 to 86 degrees; Baltimore, 73 to 86; Pittsburgh, 69 to 90; Portland, Me., 68 to 78; Chicago, 73 to 89; Cincinnati, 73 to 96; Cleveland, 69 to 95; Detroit, 72 to 91; Milwaukee, 73 to 88; Charleston, 72 to 87; Savannah, 72 to 90; Dallas, 74 to 100; Kansas City, 79 to 103; Springfield, Ill., 75 to 94; Oklahoma City, 74 to 99; Salt Lake City, 51 to 79; Seattle, 52 to 66; Montreal, 71 to 86, and Winnipeg, 63 to 91.

## Wholesale Commodity Prices Advanced 0.3 Point During Week Ended July 1, According to "Annalist"

Higher milk prices in the New York area, reflecting the reinstituting of government control, together with higher prices for hogs and pork loins, sent wholesale prices higher during the week ended July 1, according to an announcement issued by the "Annalist." The "Annalist" Index of Wholesale Commodity Prices advanced to 77.1 for July 1, a rise of 0.3 point from the revised index of 76.8 for the week previous. The rise for the week amounted to 0.4%; the index was, however, still 4.3% below a year ago, when it stood at 80.6. The announcement further said:

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Apart from the rise in milk, hogs and pork loins, gains were few, cocoa flour and silk being the chief other commodities to go higher. Losses, or the other hand, were more numerous, although not sufficient to offset the advances. The grains generally declined, as well as lievstock other than hogs, cotton and tin.

"ANNALIST" WEEKLY INDEX OF WHOLESALE COMMODITY PRICES

	July 1, 1939	June 24, 1939	July 2, 1938
Farm products	72.0	71.3	77.6
Food products	66.5 *61.9	65.2 a61.6	72.5 58.0
FuelsMetals	83.1 95.1	83.1 95.2	85.5 97.9
Building materials	71.1 85.4	71.1 85.4	68.7 87.4
Miscellaneous	68.8	68.8	70.8
All commodities	77.1	a76.8	80.6

\* Preliminary. a Revised.

Revenue Freight Car Loadings Up 22,541 Cars in Week Ended July 1

Loading of revenue freight for the week ended July 1 totaled 665,528 cars, the Association of American Railroads announced on July 7. This was an increase of 76,648 cars, or 13.0% above the corresponding week in 1938, but a decrease of 136,818 cars, or 17.0%, below the same week in 1937. Loading of revenue freight for the week of July 1 was an increase of 22,541 cars or 3.5% above the preceding week. The Association further reported:

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Miscellaneous freight loading totaled 258,340 cars, an increase of 3,249 cars above the preceding week, and an increase of 27,072 cars above the corresponding week in 1938.

Loading of merchandise less-than-carload-lot freight totaled 153,461 cars, an increase of 1,611 cars from the preceding week, and an increase of 6,520 cars above the corresponding week in 1938.

Coal loading amounted to 108,634 cars, an increase of 7,685 cars above the preceding week and an increase of 15,126 cars above the corresponding

the preceding week, and an increase of 15,126 cars above the corresponding week in 1938.

week in 1938.

Grain and grain products loading totaled 51,484 cars, an increase of 4,492 cars above the preceding week, and an increase of 531 cars above the corresponding week in 1938.

Livestock loading amounted to 10,415 cars, an increase of 143 cars above the preceding week, and an increase of 733 cars from the corresponding rock in 1938.

above the preceding week; and an increase of 735 cars from the corresponding week in 1938.

Forest products loading totaled 32,980 cars, an increase of 2,436 cars above the preceding week, and an increase of 5,193 cars above the corresponding week in 1938.

Ore loading amounted to 44,102 cars, an increase of 2,685 cars above the preceding week, and an increase of 19,479 cars above the corresponding week in 1938.

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Coke loading amounted to 6,104 cars, an increase of 240 cars above the preceding week, and an increase of 1,194 cars above the corresponding

The first 18 major railroads to report for the week ended July 1, 1939 loaded a total of 313,802 cars of revenue freight on their own lines, compared with 301,997 cars in the preceding week and 277,492 cars in the seven days ended July 2, 1938. A comparative table follows:

REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM CONNECTIONS

	Loaded W	on Own eeks End		Received) rom Connections Weeks Ended—		
	July 1 1939	June 24 1939	July 2 1938	July 1 1939	June 24 1939	July 2 1938
Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Ry.	27,644 28,434		25,543 22,560			4,749
Baltimore & Ohio RR	22,776		17,999			7,655
Chesapeake & Ohio Ry Chicago Burlington & Quincy RR			14.584			6,421
Chicago Milw. St. Paul & Pac. Ry	18,987		18,221	7.256	6.852	
Chicago & North Western Ry	14.493		13,565		8,878	8,669
Gulf Coast Lines	2,130		2,155	1,415	1,355	1,177
International Great Northern RR						1,747
Missouri-Kansas-Texas RR	4,502					
Missouri Pacific RR	14,266	13,298				7,300
New York Central Lines	36,445	34,557				28,742
N. Y. Chicago & St. Louis Ry	5,444		4,518			
Norfolk & Western Ry	21,720					
Pennsylvania RR	57,847					
Pere Marquette Ry	4,843	4,967				
Pittsburgh & Lake Erie RR	4,975					
Southern Pacific Lines	27,895					
Wabash Ry	5,204	4,645	5,04	8,143	8,018	6,788
Total	313,802	301,997	277,492	182,495	178,361	157,41

TOTAL LOADINGS AND RECEIPTS FROM CONNECTIONS

1	Weeks Ended-					
	July 1, 1939	June 24, 1939	July 2, 1938			
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific Ry. Illinois Central System St. Louis-San Francisco Ry	27,917 27,015 13,202	27,186 26,233 13,576	27,535 25,574 12,609			
Total	68,134	66,995	65,718			

In the following we undertake to show also the loadings for separate roads and systems for the week ended June 24,

1939. During this period 88 roads showed increases when compared with the same week last year.

### REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM CONNECTIONS (NUMBER OF CARS)—WEEK ENDED JUNE 24

	2 to 2 to 2	Freight Load	ue ded	from Con	ls Received inections	Raitroads Total Revenue Freight Loaded		Total Loads Received from Connections			
	1939	1 1938	1 1937	1939	1938		1939	1938	1937	1939	1938
Eastern District Ann Arbor Bangor & Aroostook Boston & Maine Chicago Indianspolis & Loulsv Central Indiana Central Vermont Delaware & Hudson Delaware Lackawanna & West Detroit & Mackinae	1,019 7,062 1,571 18 1,172 4,604 8,597 403	586 1,323 6,446 1,500 22 1,148 4,708 9,073 384	493 1,256 8,405 1,613 35 1,548 4,957 9,805 395	1,166 245 9,286 1,834 62 1,900 6,798 6,116 129	977 234 8,075 1,410 45 1,637 5,779 5,099 125	Southern District—(Cond.) Mobile & Ohio Nashville Chattanooga & St. L. Norfolk Southern Pledmont Northern Richmond Fred. & Potomac Seaboard Air Line Southern System Tennessee Central Winston-Salem Southbound	1,594 2,574 2,263 370 322 8,017 18,842 358 137	1,837 2,475 1,286 358 267 6,993 16,376 315	2,059 2,587 2,869 385 380 8,523 20,156 486 164	1,815 2,231 938 954 4,235 3,759 13,036 465 610	1,641 2,292 778 937 3,595 3,293 11,635 381 522
Detroit Toledo & Ironton Detroit & Toledo Shøre Line	2,021	1,467 175	2,616 404	991 1,988	746 1,750	Total	90,682	79,998	101,269	58,596	52,409
Erie	12,564 4,234 1,831 7,840 2,469 3,550 1,498 34,557 9,036 9,39 5,230 4,894 4,967 204	11,152 3,444 164 2,101 8,268 2,403 2,934 1,330 29,147 7,971 1,345 4,184 3,789 4,356 188 257 586 533 4,656	13,214 5,506 260 1,266 9,262 2,989 4,026 2,359 42,532 10,643 1,290 5,361 6,979 6,136 360 6,979 6,136 4,970	10,089 5,715 1,691 1,207 6,443 1,895 180 38 34,806 11,220 9,107 5,482 4,409 40 233 1,170 926 8,018	9,159 4,894 1,553 -982 6,590 1,563 -215 39 29,024 9,203 1,669 7,376 3,585 3,610 55 1,046	Northwestern District— Chicago & North Western. Chicago Great Western. Chicago Milw. St. P. & Pacific. Chicago Milw. St. P. & Pacific. Chicago St. P. Minn. & Omaha. Duluth Missabe & I. R. Duluth South Shore & Atlantic. Eigin Joilet & Eastern. Ft. Dodge Des Moines & South. Great Northern. Green Bay & Western. Lake Superior & Ishpenning. Minneapolis & St. Louis. Northern Pacific. Spokane International. Spokane Portland & Seattle.	16,815 2,423 17,486 3,386 12,428 806 6,086 476 16,358 547 2,119 1,675 5,579 8,922 268 1,850	14,576 2,190 16,728 3,585 6,737 683 4,087 504 12,287 563 768 1,722 4,602 7,270 325 1,587	19,394 2,462 19,552 3,643 26,048 1,329 9,952 447 25,659 602 2,204 1,537 6,682 10,086 249 1,433	8,878 2,476 6,852 3,232 159 429 3,941 183 2,911 559 61 1,684 2,296 3,614 198 1,394	8,843 2,285 6,514 2,847 173 3,941 175 2,561 493 74 1,679 1,894 2,682 1,185
Wheeling & Lake Erie	3,593	2,784	4,682	2,299	7,037 2,217	Total	97,224	78,212	131,279	38,867	35,326
Total  Allegheny District— Akron Canton & Youngstown Baltimore & Ohlo Bessemer & Lake Erle. Buffalo Creek & Gauley Cambria & Indiana Central RR. of New Jersey Cornwall Ligonier Valley Long Island Penn-Reading Seashore Lines Pennsylvania System Reading Co Union (Pittsburgh) West Virginia Northern Western Maryland  Total  Pocahontas District— Chesapeake & Ohlo	424 27,247 4,252 317 1,239 5,728 5,728 5,225 42 42 608 9,257 12,3,156 120,599	380 22,159 2,374 169 40 550 827 48,204 10,995 4,808 5 2,373 99,938	155,641   478   31,605   7,491   250   1,070   6,991   561   243   125   632   1,186   70,816   15,620   17,179   34   3,455   157,736   157,736	137,073 660 14,860 1,708 5 10 10,512 47 34 31 1,397 37,872 15,418 4,133 15,163 94,186	116,705 467 13,219 1,083 5 5 11 9,423 49 29 21 1,22,338 1,139 13,280 2,218 4,419 79,771	Central Western District— Atch. Top. & Santa Fe System Alton Bingham & Garfield. Chicago Burlington & Quincy. Chicago & Illinois Midland. Chicago Rock Island & Pacific. Chicago & 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 Western Pacific Total	28,992 2,569 396 13,067 1,414 13,990 2,010 676 1,874 1,585 1,223 1,585 1,223 1,644 753 23,308 12,505 1,629	24,689 2,751 241 13,425 1,567 13,274 1,958 621 1,839 369 2,291 1,674 207 705 788 333 21,005 231 1,011 1,388	30,939 3,010 536 14,312 1,536 15,702 2,473 710 2,769 349 2,716 1,925 558 1,762 881 160 24,795 12,913 195 15,566	4,993 2,383 65 6,661 6,19 8,723 2,317 1,229 2,529 35 860 1,156 279 74 427 04,672 1,288 4 1,969 47,846	4,395 1,798 112 6,233 7,837 1,926 1,224 2,252 39 1,340 1,023 2,92 2,92 2,92 2,92 1,689 1,689 1,689 42,173
Chesapeake & Ohio	20,655 4,517	14,526 3,429	21,580 4,118	4,280 1,213	3,843 892	Southwestern District— Burlington-Rock Island	121	143	190	261	294
Total  Southern District  Alabama Tennessee & Northern Atl. & W. P. — W. RR. of Ala. Atlanta Birmingham & Coast. Atlante 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 Macon Dublin & Savannah Mississippi Central	655 659 8,469 4,034 395 1,252 377 155 415	35,416 163 702 813 6,857 3,591 448 913 207 135 362 26 743 375 1,273 17,065 16,062 124 106	232 718 855 9,394 3,985 489 1,467 366 34 860 410 1,727 20,072 22,091 168 183	142 1,100 717 4,095 2,816 1,007 1,676 293 339 536 1,572 442 1,068 9,138 9,138 9,138 9,655 595	12,032 157 966 582 3,748 2,817 1,264 235 326 388 80 1,304 422 826 8,442 4,378 3,59 2,51	Fort Smith & Western x Gulf Coast Lines International-Great Northern Kansas Oklahoma & Gulf Kansas City Southern Louisiana & Arkansas Lutishield & Madison Midland Valley Missourl & Arkansas Missourl & Arkansas Litchfield & Madison Missourl & Pacific Quanah Acme & Pacific St. Louis-San Francisco	2,076 1,678 415 1,825 1,368 143 278 498 161 1 4,332 13,330 17,941 2,274 5,836 3,567 184 39	110 2,103 2,098 201 1,836 1,414 130 332 481 126 4,350 12,499 12,499 12,364 5,919 4,305 202 202 32 46,534	127 2,345 1,974 168 2,087 1,411 172 286 495 191 5,583 14,799 612 9,861 2,544 7,717 5,239 295 38	1,355 1,567 684 1,557 1,109 822 283 258 2,538 2,538 2,538 2,538 2,158 2,158 2,158 2,168 2,168 3,452 84 32	233 1,215 1,713 853 1,543 1,006 402 663 251 191 2,554 7,505 3,563 1,974 2,622 3,672 711 48

Note—Previous year's figures revised. \* Previous figures. x Discontinued Jan. 24, 1939.

### Moody's Commodity Index Unchanged

Moody's Daily Commodity Index this Friday was 142.8, the same as a week ago. The most important individual changes were the rise in cotton and the decline in wheat.

The movement of the index is as follows:

Fri.,	June	30142.81	Two weeks ago, June 23142.8
Sat.,	July	1*	Monta ago, June 7143.6
Mon.	July	3 142 0	Year ago, July 7145.9
Tues.	July	4 * * * *	1938 Higa—Jan. 10152.9
Wed.,	July		Low—June 1130.1
Tnurs.	July		1939 High—March 6145.8
	July	7142.8	1939 High—March 6145.8
* No		1142.8	Low—April 22138.6
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# U. S. Department of Labor Index of Wholesale Com-modity Prices Showed No Change During Week Ended July 1 from Previous Week

The general level for wholesale commodity prices during the week ended July 1 showed no change from the preceding week, Commissioner Lubin of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor, said on July 6. "The Bureau's index remained at 75.5% of the 1926 average," Mr. Lubin said. The Commissioner added:

During the week the index number for building materials advanced 0.4%; farm products and textile products each increased 0.3%, and hides and leather products and housefurnishings goods rose fractionally. Food prices, on the average, were unchanged and fuel and lighting materials, metals and metal products, chemicals and drugs, and miscellaneous commodities declined.

declined. Prices for raw materials and semi-manufactured products averaged 0.1% lower and the group of finished products remained unchanged from a week ago. Averages of both the non-agricultural and industrial groups were 0.1%

The announcement issued July 6 by the Department of Labor, quoting Commissioner Lubin as above, also stated:

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A 1.8% increase in lumber prices, caused by higher averages for yellow pine lath, flooring and timbers, and red cedar lumber, resulted in a rise of 0.4% in the building materials' index. Prices of linseed oil and turpentine were slightly lower and no changes were reported in prices for brick and tile, plumbing and heating items, and structural steel. The current index for the building materials group, 89.7, is 0.6% higher than a month ago and 0.2% above a year ago.

Market prices for farm products averaged 0.3% above last week. Important items for which higher prices were reported were wheat, calves, hogs, lambs, cotton, alfalfa hay, sweet potatoes, white potatoes (New York and Portland, O.), lemons, and wool. Lower prices were reported for corn, cats, rye, steers, live poultry, eggs, flaxseed, apples (Chicago), and white potatoes (Boston and Chicago). The group index, 62.9, is 0.3% below a month ago and 8.2% below a year ago.

Higher prices for cotton textiles, silk and rayon, burlap, and jute caused the textile products group index to advance 0.3%. The housefurnishing goods and hides and leather products groups each increased 0.1%. Higher prices were reported for gas stoves, cow hides, and sole leather.

In the foods group, dairy products declined 1.0%; fruits and vegetables decreased 0.6%, and cereal products were 0.4% lower. Average prices for meats advanced 0.9%. The index showed no change from the preceding week. Lower prices were reported for butter, cheese, rye and wheat flour, corn meal, bacon, Santos coffee, copra, lard, edible tallow, and vegetable oils. Average prices for fresh mutton, fresh pork, veal, cured herring, and aw sugar were higher. oils. Average prices for fresh mutton, fresh pork, veal, cured herring, and raw sugar were higher.

The index for the fuel and lighting materials group was down 0.5%

The index for the fuel and lighting materials group was down 0.5% because of lower prices for anthracite and bituminous coal and gasoline in the California field. The chemicals and drugs group declined 0.1% as a result of lower prices for fertilizer materials and certain chemicals. Cattle feed prices dropped 3.7%. The metals and metal products group declined 0.2% because of weakening prices for scrap steel, bar silver, and pig tin.

The following table shows index numbers for the main groups of commodities for the past five weeks and for July 2, 1038, July 3, 1037, July 4, 1036.

ities for the past five weeks and for July 2, 1938, July 3, 1937, July 4, 1936, and July 6, 1935.

Commodity Groups	July 1, 1939	June 24, 1939	17,	June 10. 1939	June 3, 1939	July 2, 1938	3,	July 4, 1936	July 6, 1935
All commodities	75.5	75.5	75.4	75.6	75.7	77.9	87.2	79.5	79.1
Farm products	62.9 67.4	62.7 67.4	62.0 67.1	62.7 67.3	63.1 67.5		89.7 85.3	80.2 80.8	78.0
Hides and leather products Textile products Fuel and lighting materials	93.1 66.9 73.7	$93.0 \\ 66.7 \\ 74.1$	93.0 66.8 74.1	92.8 66.9 73.9	92.6 66.9 74.1	91.9 65.3 77.0	106.6 77.4 78.1	94.2 69.5 76.4	89.8 69.7 74.9
Metals and metal products Building materials	93.3 89.7	93.5 89.3	93.4 89.5	93.5 89.8	89.2		95.1 96.9 83.1	85.6 85.7 78.3	85.3 84.8 79.
Chemicals and drugs Housefurnishing goods Miscellaneous	74.9 87.0 73.6	75.0 86.9 73.7	75.5 86.9 73.6	75.6 86.9 73.6	86.9	88.4 72.9	91.0 78.8	82.6 70.3	81.5 68.6
Raw materialsSemi-manufactured articles_	67.7 74.1	67.8	74.3	67.9 74.2 79.8	68.2 74.1 79.9	73.4			*
Finished productsAll commodities other than farm products	79.8 78.3	100	de l'Y	e Sugar	100	1.5	1.5.	er in- ja	79.
All commodities other than farm products and foods	.80.5	80.6	80.6	80.6	80.6	81.5	85.9	78.9	77.

<sup>\*</sup> Not computed.

### Bank Debits 9% Higher than Last Year

Debits to individual accounts, as reported by banks in leading cities for the week ended June 28, aggregated \$8,-359,000,000, or 2% below the total for the preceding week and 9% above the total for the corresponding week of last

Aggregate debits for the 141 cities for which a separate total has been maintained since January, 1919 amounted to \$7,758,000,000, compared with \$7,863,000,000 the preceding week and \$7,070,000,000 the week ended June 29

of last year.

These figures are as reported on July 5, 1939, by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

SUMMARY BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS

	No. of		Week Ended-	
Federal Reserve District	Centers Incl.	June 28, 1939	June 21, 1939	June 29, 1938
1—Boston	17	\$417,968,000	\$437,017,000	\$432,131,000
2-New York	15	3,735,937,000	3,744,781,000	3,647,180,000
3-Philadelphia	18	384,332,000	563,862,000	398,827,000
4—Cleveland	25	468,186,000	548,507,000	417,976,000
5-Richmond	24	272,812,000	313,309,000	249,489,000
6-Atlanta	26	205,891,000	239,370,000	190,590,000
7—Chicago	41	1.473.310.000	1,136,622,000	1,011,673,000
8-St. Louis	16	263,558,000	251,917,000	202,594,000
9-Minneapolis	17	139,218,000	158,831,000	129,358,000
10-Kansas City	28	242,216,000	291,295,000	232,685,000
11—Dallas	18	172,500,000	225,417,000	170,870,000
12—San Francisco	29	583,509,000	652,161,000	573,752,000
Total	274	\$8,359,437,000	\$8,563,089,000	\$7,657,125,000

### Wholesale Commodity Prices Advanced Slightly Dur-ing Week Ended July 1 According to National ing Week Ended Ju Fertilizer Association

Continuing the upward trend of the previous week, the wholesale commodity price index compiled by the National Fertilizer, during the week ended July 1, recorded a slight advance, rising to 71.9% from 71.7% in the preceding week. A month ago the index (based on the 1926-28 average of 100%) stood at 78.0%; a year ago, at 74.2% and two years ago at 88.3%. The low point for the current year and also the lowest since 1934 was 71.6%. The Association's announcement, dated July 3, continued:

Higher prices for foodstuffs were largely responsible for last week's rise in the all-commodity index. With the prices of meats, potatoes, and flour moving upward the food price index advanced to the highest point reached since the middle of May. The farm product average remained at the same level as in the preceding week, which is the lowest in the last five years. Grain prices were somewhat higher, but the effect of this was offset by a decline in cotton. The general trend of industrial commodities was slightly decreased with the lader representing the prices of all commodities was slightly downward, with the index representing the prices of all commodities except farm products and foods receding for the third consecutive week. The group averages representing the prices of metals, textiles, building materials, fertilizer materials and miscellaneous commodities were all lower for the

week.

Declines in price series included in the index outnumbered advances during the week 30 to 20, but many of the items which moved downward are relatively unimportant. In the preceding week there were 25 declines and 16 advances; in the second preceding week there were 20 declines and 27 advances. 27 advances.

WEEKLY WHOLESALE COMMODITY PRICE INDEX Compiled by The National Fertilizer Association.

Per Cent Each Group Bears to the Total Index	Group	Latest Week July 1 1939	Preced- ing Week June 24 1939	Month Ago June 3 1939	Year Ago July 2 1938
25.3	Foods	69.0	68.1	68.4	73.6
	Fats and oils	47.1	48.0	49.4	61.1
	Cottonseed Oil	61.3	61.0	62.1	78.3
23.0	Farm Products	59.8	59.8	61.6	65.8
	Cotton	52.7	53.1	52.3	49.0
	Grains	55.5	54.5	59.8	59.8
	Livestock	61.3	61.4	63.3	71.7
17.3	Fuels	77.4	77.4	76.6	78.6
10.8	Miscellaneous commodities	77.9	78.1	77.7	76.8
8.2	Textiles	62.7	62.8	62.4	58.4
7.1	Metals	87.8	87.9	87.8	91.7
6.1	Building materials	84.0	84.1	83.9	78.9
1.3	Chemicals and drugs	91.9	91.9	91.9	94.7
.3	Fertilizer materials	68.3	70.4	71.3	69.1
.3	Fertilizers	77.3	77.3	77.2	76.8
.3	Farm Machinery	.94.9	94.9	94.9	98.1
100.0	All groups combined	71.9	71.7	72.0	74.2

### Electric Output for Week Ended July\_1, 1939, 14.2% Above a Year Ago

The Edison Electric Institute in its current weekly report 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 July 1, 1939, was 2,300,268,000 kwh. The current week's output is 14.2% above the output of the corresponding week of 1938, when production totaled 2,014,702,000 kwh. The output for the week ended June 24, 1939, was estimated to be 2,285,083,000 kwh., an increase of 13.2% over the like week a year ago.

PERCENTAGE INCREASE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR

Major Geographic	Week Ended	Week Ended	Week Ended	Week Ended
Regions	July 1, 1939	June 24, 1939	June 17, 1939	June 10, 1939
New England	13.4	12.2	15.9	11.8
	11.3	10.3	13.2	12.7
	17.7	16.1	17.2	17.5
	5.9	3.4	6.2	9.3
	13.7	13.9	13.6	10.2
	19.2	20.5	13.7	13.6
	11.5	10.3	9.9	8.1
Total United States.	14.2	13.2	13.7	13.3

A FOR RECENT WEEKS (THOUSANDS OF KILOWATT-HOURS)

Week Ended	1939	1938	Percent Change 1939 from 1938	1937	1932	1929
Apr. 1	2,209,971	1,978,753	+11.7	2,146,959	1,480,208	1,679,589
Apr. 8	2,173,510	1,990,447	+9.2	2,176,368	1,465,076	1,663,291
Apr. 15	2,170,671	1,957,573	+10.9	2,173,223	1,480,738	1,696,543
Apr. 22	2,199,002	1,951,456	+12.7	2,188,124	1,469,810	1,709,331
Apr. 29	2,182,727	1,938,660	+12.6	2,193,779	1,454,505	1,699,822
May 6	2,163,538	1,939,100	+11.6	2,176,363	1,429,032	1,688,434
May 13	2,170,750	1,967,613	+10.3	2,194,620	1,436,928	1,698,492
May 20	2,170,496	1,967,807	+10.3	2,198,646	1,435,731	1,704,426
May 27	2,204,858	1,973.278	+11.7	2,206,718	1,425,151	1,705,460
June 3	2,113,887	1,878,851	+12.5	2,131,092	1,381,452	1,615,085
June 10	2,256,823		+13.3	2,214,166	1,435,471	1,689,925
June 17	2,264,719	1,991,115	+13.7	2,213,783	1,441,532	1,699,227
June 24	2,285,083	2,019,036	+13.2	2,238,332	1,440,541	1,702,501
July 1	2,300,268	2,014,702	+14.2	2,238,268	1,456,961	1,723,428
July 8	WALLEY FOR	1,881,298	S. Lander	2,096,266	1,341,730	1,592,075

### Production of Electric Energy in the United States for April and May, 1939

The production of electric energy for public use during the month of May, 1939, totaled 10,170,791,000 kwh., according to reports filed with the Federal Power Commission. This is an increase of 4.0% when compared with the previous month, and is 14% more than was produced during the same month of the previous year. The production of electric energy by electric railways, electric railroads, and other plants which generate principally for their own use totaled 167,818,000 kwh., making a total production reported to the Commission for the month of May of 10,338, 609,000 kwh.

The production by water power in May amounted to 4,147,436,000 kwh., or 41% of the total output for public use.

The total capacity of generating plants available for service amounted to approximately 39,506,000 kwh. as of May 31, 1939. This is a net increase of 149,000 kwh. reported during June, 1939, over that previously reported. This figure includes plants owned by electric railways, electric railroads, and certain miscellaneous plants which generate energy for their own use, as well as that portion of manufacturing plants which is allocated to the production of electric energy for public use. tion of electric energy for public use.

PRODUCTION OF ELECTRIC ENERGY FOR PUBLIC USE IN THE UNITED STATES ands of Kilowatt-Hours)

	By Wate	r Power	Ву	Fuels :	Total		
Division	A pril, 1939	May, 1939	A pril, 1939	May, 1939	A pril, 1939	May, 1939	
New England	323,082 900,894 318,708 201,045 709,518 428,023 30,802	729,266 289,822 231,129 550,888 450,067	1,551,873 1,941,027 398,227 429,997 71,591 497,170	1,764,172 1,986,005 433,967 633,399 80,014 558,552	2,452,767 2,259,735 599,272 1,139,515 499,614 527,972	2,493,438 2,275,887 665,096 1,184,287 530,081 575,628	
Mountain Pacific	435,652 1,024,163				520,472 1,180,649		
United States total	4,371,887	4,147,436	5,406,109	6,023,355	9,777,996	10170 791	

Production of Electric Energy for Public Use

The production of electric energy for public use by 12-month periods for each of the preceding 12 months is given below:

PRODUCTION OF ELECTRIC ENERGY FOR PUBLIC USE.

12 Months Ended—	Production Kilowatt-Hours	% Change from Previous Year
June 30, 1938	114,827,000,000	-1
July 31, 1938	114,019,000,000	-3
Aug. 31, 1938	113,566,000,000	-4
Sept. 30, 1938	113,174,000,000	-5
Oct. 31, 1938	112,990,000,000	-5
Nov. 30, 1938	113,415,000,000	5
Dec. 31, 1938	114,197,000,000	-4
Jan. 31, 1939	115,151,000,000	-3
Feb. 28, 1939	116,045,000,000	-2
Mar. 31, 1939	117,081,000,000	0
Apr. 30, 1939	118,053,000,000	+1
May 31, 1939	119,263,000,000	+3

Note—Since the above data show production by 12-month periods, all seasons of the year are included in each total, and the effect of seasonal variations is largely eliminated.

TOTAL MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF ELECTRICITY FOR PUBLIC USE IN KILOWATT HOURS.

, Produce at the			% C	hange	% Proc	% Produced by Water Power	
Months	1938	1939	1937 to	1938 to	water	Power	
			1938	1939	1938	1939	
January	9,465,000,000	10,419,000,000	5	+10	38	36	
February	8,565,000,000	9,459,000,000	5	+10	42	40	
March	9,321,000,000	10,357,000,000	-7	+11	43	43	
April	8,806,000,000	9,778,000,000	-10	+11	46	45	
May	8,961,000,000	10,171,000,000	9	+14	43	41	
June	9,081,000,000		-9		41		
July	9,405,000,000	1	8		39	Carrie Carrie	
August	10,051,000,000	a the product	4		38	4101 M.	
September	9,707,000,000		-4	100	36	9 16 7 9	
October	10,076,000,000		-2		34		
November	10,101,000,000		-4		35		
December	10,658,000,000		+8		36		
Total	114,197,000,000		-4		39		

Note—Above data are solicited from all plants engaged in generating electric energy for public use, and, in addition, from electric railways, electrified steam railroads, and certain miscellaneous plants which generate energy for their own use. Accurate data are received each month representing approximately 98% of the total production shown; the remaining 2% of the production is estimated and corrections are made as rapidly as actual figures are available. Thus, the figures shown for the current month are preliminary, while those for the preceding months are corrected in accordance with actual reports received and vary slightly from the preliminary data. from the preliminary data.

### Coal Stock and Consumption

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The total stock of coal on hand at electric utility power plants on June 1, 1939, was 7,940,170 tons. This was a decrease of 9.6% when compared with May 1, 1939, and a decrease of 17.2% from June 1, 1938. Of the total stock 6,740,269 tons were bituminous coal and 1,199,910 tons were anthracite. Bituminous coal stock decreased 11.8%, while anthracite stock increased 4.9% when compared with May 1, 1939.

Electric utility power plants consumed approximately 3,234,854 net tons of coal in May, 1939, of which 3,031,507 tons were bituminous coal and 203,347 tons were anthracite, increases of 7.4% and 15.5%, respectively, when compared with the preceding month.

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In terms of days' supply, which is calculated at the current rate of consumption, there was enough bituminous coal on hand June 1, 1939, to last 69 days, and enough anthracite for 183 days' requirements.

# June Construction Up 18%—Engineering Construction for First Six Months Highest Since 1930—Public Awards at Record High

Major engineering construction awards for the first half of 1939 total \$1,557,224,000, the highest first-half volume since 1930, and 24% above the initial six-month total last year as reported by "Engineering News-Record."

Public construction for the period, \$1,173,076,000, is the highest on record and 53% higher than last year. Of the public total, \$1,022,657,000 is State and municipal, 58% above 1938, and \$150,419,000 is Federal, 25% above last year. Private construction for the initial half totals \$384,-148,000, a decrease of 21% from 1938.

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Waterworks, sewerage, bridges, streets and roads, and public buildings reached new highs for the first half, and recorded gains over last year ranging from 135% in waterworks to 25% in streets and roads. Unclassified construction is at its highest level since 1931, and is 61% above last year. Industrial buildings are 10% higher than a year ago, but commercial building and large-scale private housing is 46% lower. Earthwork and drainage is 13% below a year ago, but tops all other years since 1934.

Geographically, the South exceeds all first-half totals on record, and tops last year by 95%. Middle West and West of Mississippi are at their highest levels since 1929, and are 93% and 30% higher, respectively, than a year ago. New England is 56% above 1938, and at its highest first-half mark since 1931. Middle Atlantic is 5% under a year ago, and Far West is 14% lower.

Heavy engineering construction awards for the five weeks of June, \$262,395,000, average \$52,479,000 per week, and are 18% higher than the June, 1938, weekly average, but 17% below the average for the four weeks of May.

Private awards for June, on the weekly average basis, are 11% above a year ago, due to the increased volume of industrial buildings, but are 31% lower than a month ago. Public construction tops last year by 19%, but is 12% under last month. Federal awards, included in the public construction total, are 119% higher than in June, 1938, and 30% higher than in May, 1939. Values of awards for the three months are:

	June, 1938	May, 1939	June, 1939
	(5 Weeks)	(4 Weeks)	(5 Weeks)
Private	\$49,158,000	\$63,480,000	\$54,509,000
	173,908,000	189,512,000	207,886,000
	152,368,000	160,604,000	160,750,000
	21,540,000	28,908,000	47,136,000
Total	\$223,066,000	\$252 002 000	8262 20E 000

Current weekly averages in each of the classified construction groups compared with those of a year ago reveal gains in public buildings of 84%; industrial buildings, 162%; bridges, 226%; waterworks, 108%; sewerage, 38%, and earthwork and drainage, 77%. Losses are in streets and roads, 21%; commercial building and large-scale private housing, 36%, and unclassified construction, 12%. Comparisons with the weekly averages for May, 1939, show increases in industrial buildings, 6%; bridges, 63%; earthwork and drainage, 175%; and decreases in streets and roads, 5%; public buildings, 57%; commercial buildings.

ing and large-scale private housing, 29%; waterworks, 3%; sewerage, 9%, and unclassified construction, 42%. Four of the six geographical sections of the Nation par-

rich of the size geographical sections of the Nation participate in the gains over last year. South is 88% higher; Middle West, 63%; Middle Atlatnic, 27%, and New England, 21% higher. Far West, however, is the only section to report an increase over last month.

### New Capital

New capital for construction purposes for June, \$116,-632,000, is 77% lower than in the corresponding month last year, when the allotments for the 1938 Public Works Administration program began. The current month's volume is made up of \$57,707,000 in United States Housing Administration loans for low-rent housing, \$42,580,000 in State and municipal bonds, \$8,202,000 in corporate security issues, \$5,931,000 in REA loans, and \$2,212,000 in Reconstruction Finance Corporation loans for public improvements.

New capital for construction purposes for the first six months, \$951,186,000, is 11% lower than in the corresponding period last year. The current volume is made up of \$320,898,000 in State and municipal bonds, \$311,427,000 in Federal relief appropriations for construction, \$146,419,000 in USIA learner for low rent slume clearance projects. in USHA loans for low-rent slum clearance projects, \$126,-264,000 in corporate security issues, \$43,732,000 in Rural Electrification Administration loans, and \$2,446,000 in RFC loans for public improvements.

### Weekly Report of Lumber Movement, Week Ended June 24, 1939

The lumber industry during the week ended June 24, 1939, stood at 66% of the seasonal weekly average of production in 1929; 69% of the seasonal weekly average of shipments in 1929; 75% of the seasonal weekly average of new business in 1929, according to reports to the National Lumber Manufacturers Association from regional associations covering the operations of important softwood and hardwood mills. Reported new orders in the week ended June 24, 1939, were 21% in excess of the seasonal weekly average of 1938 orders. Reported production was 18% above the seasonal weekly average of 1938 production, and shipments were 14% in excess of 1938 seasonal weekly shipments. Compared with the preceding week, production of the week ended June 24 was 0.4% below that week's output; shipments were 2% below shipments, and new orders were 2% below the new business of that 1939 peak week. New business (hardwoods and softwoods) was 5% above production and shipments were 2% below output in the week ended June 24. Reported production for the 25 weeks of the year to date was 19% above corresponding weeks of 1938; shipments were 15% above the shipments, and new orders were 17% above the orders of the 1938 period. New business for the 25 weeks of 1939 was 7% above output; shipments were 5% above output. The Association further reported:

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During the week ended June 24, 1939, 519 mills produced 233,085,000 feet of softwoods and hardwoods combined; shipped 228,826,000 feet; bocked orders of 245,770,000 feet. Revised figures for the preceding week were: Mills, 526; production, 233,927,000 feet; shipments, 233,508,000 feet; orders, 250,938,000 feet.

Southern Pine, West Coast, California Redwood, Southern Hardwood and Northern Hemlock regions reported new orders above production in the week ended June 24, 1939. Southern Pine, West Coast, Southern Hardwood, Northern Hemlock and Hardwood regions reported shipments above output. All regions reported orders above those of corresponding week of 1938; all reported shipments above last year. Southern Pine, West Coast, Western Pine and Southern Hardwood regions reported production above the 1938 week.

Lumber orders reported for the week ended June 24, 1939, by 436 softwood mills totaled 235,799,000 feet, or 4% above the production of the same mills. Shipments as reported for the same week were 219,-216,000 feet, or 3% below production. Production was 226,783,000 feet, or 58% above production. Shipments as reported for the same week were 9,610,000 feet, or 52% above production. Production was 6,302,000 feet.

### Identical Mill Reports

Last week's production of 433 identical softwood mills was 226,783,000 feet, and a year ago it was 191,120,000 feet; shipments were, respectively, 219,111,000 feet and 183,198,000 feet, and orders received, 235,727,000 feet and 195,253,000 feet. In the case of hardwoods, 86 identical mills reported production last week and a year ago 5,407,000 feet and 5,143,000 feet; shipments, 8,528,000 feet and 6,237,000 feet, and orders, 8,722,000 feet and 5,688,000 feet feet and 5,688,000 feet.

### Cash Income from Farm Marketings in May Estimated at \$508,000,000 by Bureau of Agricultural Economics

Farmers' cash income from marketings in May totaled Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agricultura. This amount was 10% larger than the estimate of \$463,000,000 for April and was about the same as the \$510,000,000 reported for May, 1938. The Bureau further reported:

Government payments in May amounted to \$81,000,000 compared with \$90,000,000 in April and \$44,000,000 in May last year. Including Government payments, farmers' total cash income in May is estimated at \$589,000,000 compared with \$553,000,000 for April and \$554,000,000 for May last year.

\$589,000,000 compared with \$000,000 from marketings totaled In the first five months of 1939 farmers' income from marketings totaled \$2,466,000,000 compared with \$2,570,000,000 for January-May last year. Income from marketings of grains, meat animals, vegetables, and chickens

and eggs have been large: this year, but these increases hvae been more than offset by smaller receipts from cotton, dairy products, tobacco and fruits. During the same months Government payments this year amounted to \$363,000,000 compared with \$212,000,000 a year earlier. Farm income, including Government payments, for January-May, 1939, is estimated at \$2,829,000,000 and was \$47,000,000 larger than the \$2,782,000,000 reported for these months last year. these months last year.

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Income from all marketings in May was 10% larger than the estimate for April. Income from crops was 6% smaller, but this decrease was more than offset by an 18% increase in receipts from marketings of livestock and livestock products. The increase in income from April to May was slightly larger than usual. After adjustment for usual seasonal change, the index of income from farm marketings (1924-1929 equals 100) increased from 64.5 in April to 65.0 in May.

Income from crops declined more than usual from April to May. Income from almajor groups of crops except vegetables was smaller in May than for a month earlier, and returns from vegetables were the same as in April. Smaller receipts from sales of fruits, cotton and tobacco, together with smaller income from sales and loans on corn, caused most of the decline in income from crop marketings in May.

Income from livestock and livestock products as a group increased much more than seasonally from April to May. Income from meat animals, poultry and wool increased more than seasonally, while returns from dairy marketings made about the usual seasonal increase.

Farm income in the next few months is expected to be about the same as that received in the corresponding months of last year. Income from marketings of those products which tend to move more directly into consumption will be influenced to a large extent by the trend of consumers' income, and the increase in income from these commodities may be slightly more than that which usually takes place in the summer months if the indicated moderate increase in industrial activity actually takes place. Government payments to farmers curing the summer months are expected to be larger than the amounts paid out in these months last year. expected last year.

# Bureau of Agricultural Economics Estimates Farm Population on Jan. 1, 1939 at 32,059,000—Total Was Near All-Time High

The farm population of the United States on Jan. 1, 1939, was close to the largest on record, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture, estimated on June 23. The total was 32,059,000 persons. This compares with 31,819,000 on Jan. 1, 1938, and with the all-time high of 32,077,000 on Jan. 1, 1910. From 1910 to 1927 there was a decline of almost 2,000,000 persons in the farm population. Since 1927 there has been an increase of about 2,000,000. The Bureau further reported:

Estimates by the Bureau show that the increase in farm population during 1938 was 240,000 persons. This is the largest increase reported since 1932. The total increase since the beginning of 1933 has been less

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In 1938, as in the five preceding years, more persons moved from farms to villages, towns and cities than moved to farms. It is estimated that 1,025,000 persons left farms and that 823,000 persons moved to farms. The net loss by migration was 202,000 persons. But this was more than offset by the surplus of births over deaths in the farm population. The number of births was 747,000; the number of deaths, 305,000.

The Bureau's estimates are based upon reports from 22,116 farmers in all parts of the country, supplying information for 126,529 farms.

### Special Study of Farm Income Made by D. H. Doane of Mortgage Bankers Association

A change on \$1 in farm income means a change of \$7 in national income, D. Howard Doane, agricultural consultant of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America, estimated on June 25 in a special study made for the organization's members. Wheat, cotton and citrus areas of the United States, he declared, are now on a low-income basis, and there "appears to be no immediate relief." The dairy areas are definitely headed for a lower lovel of income with the are definitely headed for a lower level of income, with the grain and livestock regions likely to show the best income for some time, according to the Association's announcement, which further said:

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Farm income, he declared, varies widely with various sections of the country. For the first three months this year farm income by States, as compared with the same period of 1938, fluctuated widely, with changes running from 38% decreases to 53% increases.

In a specially-drawn map of the United States Mr. Doane has indicated what he believes is immediately ahead for the next six to twelve months. Only a few, very small, isolated parts of the country will experience a "distinctly up" trend in farm income, while those States where some increases are to be expected are Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico, most of Wyoming and parts of Montana, Oregon and Idaho. Most of Nebraska, Iowa, the middle part of Illinois, the northern part of Missouri and most of Indiana and Ohio should also show increased income. The "little or no change" area roughly embraces, according to Mr. Doane's estimates, New England and the Atlantic States (excepting western New York) as far south as the Carolinas and the Pacific Coast section, and Michigan and Minnesota, northern Wisconsin, southwestern Texas and southern half of Missouri. Farm income in most of the South will show a decrease, the map indicates. The "distinctly down" areas are confined to the Dakotas and parts of Kansas, Oklaroma, Colorado and Montana:

### Farmers' Cooperatives Now Operate on Sounder Basis Than in 1920's, Says F. F. Hill, Governor of FCA— Now Act as Pace-Setters in Field They Operate, Instead of Trying to Control Prices

"The majority of farmers' cooperatives are now operat-"The majority of farmers' cooperatives are now operating along sounder lines than was the case back in the 1920's when many of them had the idea they could control prices if only then could control the greater part of each year's supply of the product to be marketed," said F. F. Hill, Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, on June 22, speaking before the Grange League Federation meeting in Ithaca, N. Y. "Most cooperatives," he continued, "have abandoned the price control idea and now endeavor to act as pace-setters. That is, they try to set the pace in the field in which they operate by:

"(1) Providing farmers with the kind and quality of farm supplies they neet at the lowest possible cost, and
"(2) By returning to producers as much as possible for the products

which they sell.

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"Further, they also try to provide business services to farmers at the lowest possible cost." The FCA announcement regarding Governor Hill's remarks added:

Governor Hill said that in recent years farmers' cooperatives throughout the country have quietly but none the less effectively continued to render important service. "Not infrequently," he declared, "the savings which farmers have made through their marketing and purchasing activities have made up the greater part of the returns which they have been able to show for their year's work.

"Farmers' cooperative activities," continued Governor Hill, "are running into big figures. There are now more than 15,000 cooperatives in the

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Sales of farm products and farm supplies, he said, now exceed \$2,000,000,000 annually. Speaking of the size of business of individual co-ops, Governor Hill said that nearly 300 have reported sales of \$1,000,000 or more per year, while 34 associations reported sales in excess of \$10,000,000.

Mr. Hill is also quoted as saying:

The survey by the FCA in 1937 showed that of the 10,752 marketing and purchasing cooperatives diong business in the United States in that year approximately 2,000, or more than 20%, had been doing business for more than 25 years, and nearly 7,000, or 65%, had been doing business for more than 10 years.

# Petroleum and Its Products—Federal Oil Agencies Consider Merger—Crude Oil Production Gains in Week—Texas Proration Case Discussed—California Oil Stocks Show First Drop Since 1937—Mexico to Sell Oil to Brazil

Consolidation of the five Federal agencies dealing with the petroleum industry now under the supervision of the Department of the Interior is under serious consideration in the Interior is under serious consideration in the Interior is under serious consideration. Washington, it was disclosed at week-end. Should this eventuate, it would be in line with the recent action of President Roosevelt in abolishing the independent 7-man National Bituminous Coal Commission and transferring its functions to a special division under Secretary of the Interior

Should a single unit holding control of all Federal agencies dealing with the Nation's oil industry evolve, it would mean that the Petroleum Conservation Division, which now administers the Connally Hot-oil measure the Geological Survey, the General Land Office, the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the Bureau of Mines would all be grouped in a single oil control division under the supervision of Secretary of the Interior Ickes. Information from a reliable source in Washington, the United Press reported on July 6, is that

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An increase of better than 10,000 barrels in the Nation's daily average output of crude oil during the final week of June lifted production to 3,463,000 barrels, according to the figures of the American Petroleum Institute's mid-week report. This, compared with the daily average market demand for June of 3,491,000 barrels estimated in the regular monthly forecast of the U. S. Bureau of Mines. A sharp rise in Illinois production played the principal part in the net increase over the seven days ending July 1 as Texas was the only member of the "Big Five" group of oil-producing States to show any appreciable gain in production.

An increase of 11,350 barrels in daily average production of crude oil in Illinois during the week ended July I lifted the total to 245,200 barrels, record high, and within striking distance of the 25,000,000-barrel figure which oil men had estimated would not be reached until the later part of 1939. Texas operators lifted production 3,300 barrels to a daily average of 1,312,150 barrels. Small gains were shown by Louisiana and Kansas, the fomer gaining 1,150 barrels to a daily average of 271,250 barrels while the Sunflower State was up 1,100 to 169,100 barrels to hing their daily output down to 594,000 barrels, the lowest in months. Oklahoma was off 6,800 barrels to a daily average of 271,000 barrels to principal parties. Ignoring an increase in the Federal estimate of market demand for Kansas crude oil during July, the Kansas Corporation Commission on July 4 authorized T. A. Morgan, Director of Conservation, to set the allowable for the month of July at 165,880 barrels, unchanged from the figure ruling during the previous month. The United States Bureau of Mines had estimated demand for Kansas crude at a daily

of a temporary injunction preventing the Railroad Commission from interfering.

News of the first concrete result of the drive which has been under way for months in California to reduce production and strengthen the statistical position of the West Coast oil industry came this week when it was disclosed that the first net decline in inventories of crude oil since August, 1937, came during May when withdrawals totaled 526,000 barrels. During the 20 months which saw an sustained rise in inventories, 40,716,000 barrels were added to reserves, the total being pared to 40,190,000 barrels by the May withdrawals. Further improvement of the inventory situation is expected as the export market is bettering and production has been sharply curtailed by the Central Committee of California Oil Producers.

Opening up a new market for Mexican crude oil, President Cardenas confirmed in mid-week that Petroleos Mexicanos would sell 5,500,000 barrels of crude oil annually for cash to Correo y Castro Enterprise of Brazil. The announcement was made in Mexico City by Santos Vahlis, representative of the Brazilian company. It was pointed out that it was the largest cash transaction for Mexican oil since the expropriation move in early 1938.

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Prices of Typical Crude per Barrel at Wells
(All gravitles where A. P. I. degrees are not shown)

Bradford Pa \$2.00	Eldorado, Ark., 40\$1.05
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General De 102	1 Darst Creek
Till-sta U5	Michigan crude
and clamble Oblo 40 and above 1 10	Huntington, Calli., ou and over 1.22
Rodessa, Ark., 40 and above 1.25	Kettleman Hills, os and over 1.21
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FINED PRODUCTS—SOCONY-VACUUM CUTS TANK CAR PRICES OF GASOLINE—REDUCTION FOLLOWS WEAKNESS IN GULF COAST MARKET—MOTOR FUEL INVENTORIES DIP DURING WEEK—REFINERY OPERATIONS AGAIN REFINED PRODUCTS-DIP DURING RISE

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The Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. announced on July 5 that it would reduce the tank-car price of all grades of gasoline by 2-10 cents a gallon throughout New York and New England, with the exception of Western New York, effective the following day. The company pointed out also that there will be no change in dealer prices in Boston, New York, Providence and Syracuse and other markets where the dealer tank-wagon prices have already been cut.

In announcing the reduction, the company pointed out that the lower tank-car prices were in response to the weakening of the Gulf Coast market, prices there having dropped off 1/8 cent a gallon, and the reduction in the charter rates from the Gulf Coast to the North Atlantic Seaboard ports. Other companies operating in the area affected by Socony-Vacuum's reduction followed the price slash.

A slightly better showing in inventories of finished and unfinished motor fuel was made during the figures for the long Fourth of July week-end with considerable interest. Stocks thus far this year, due mainly to excessive refinery production, have failed to show the full effects of the continued rise in consumption of motor fuel and are in none-toosteady a statistical position. The American Petroleum Institute reported that holdings at the close of the week ended July 1 were off to 81,702,000 barrels.

Despite the warnings in the trade that refinery operations must be greatly curtailed in order to permit inventories of motor fuel to show full effects of the seasonal gains in consumption, figures for the week ended July 1 showed a gain of 1.3 points in refinery operations with the reporting units working at 85.6% of capacity. Daily average runs of crude oil to stills, which have been held far too high by petroleum economists for many weeks, showed a gain of 50,000 barrels to a figure of 3,480,000 barrels.

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U. S. Gasoline (Abov	e 65 Octane), Tank Car L	ots, F.O.B. Refinery
New York— Std Oil N.J.\$ 0616-07	New York— Texas\$.07½08 Gulf08¼08¾ Shell East'n .07½08	Other Cities— Chicago \$.05051/2
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Fuel (	Oil, F.O.B. Refinery or Te   California 24 plus D   \$1.00-1.25	-minal
Gas C	il, F.O.B. Refinery or Ter	rminal
N. Y. (Bayonne)— 27 plus———\$.04	Chicago— 28-30 D\$.053	Tulsa\$.02%-03
Gasolia	ne, Service Station, Tax In   Newark	ncluded  Buffalo\$.17

### Daily Average Crude Oil Production for Week Ended July 1 up 10,200 Barrels

The American Petroleum Institute estimates that the daily average gross crude oil production for the week ended July 1, 1939, was 3,463,000 barrels. This was a rise of 10,200 barrels from the output of the previous week, and the current week's figure was below the 3,491,000 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 June. Daily average production for the four weeks ended July 1, 1939, is estimated at 3,-434,950 barrels. The daily average output for the week ended July 2, 1938, totaled 3,058,550 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 July 1 totaled 1,188,000 barrels a daily average of 169,714 barrels, compared with a daily average of 214.857 barrels for the week ended June 24 and 202,393 barrels daily for the fourweeks ended July 1.

Receive of California oil at Atlantic and Gulf Coast ports for the week

weeks ended July 1.

Receipts of California oil at Atlantic and Gulf Coast ports for the week ended July 1 totaled 100,000 barrels, a daily average of 14,286 barrels compared with a daily average of 25,286 barrels for the week ended June 24 and 20,250 barrels daily for the four-weeks ended July 1.

Reports received from refining companies owning 85.8% of the 4,268,000 barrels estimated daily potential refining capacity of the United States, indicated that the industry as a whole ran to stills, 3,480,000 barrels of crude oil daily during the week, and that all companies had in storage at refineries, bulk terminals, in transit and in pipe lines as of the end of the week, 81,102,000 barrels of finished and unfinished gasoline. The total amount of gasoline produced by all companies is estimated to have been 11,921,000 barrels during the week.

CRUDE RUNS TO STILLS AND PRODUCTION OF GASOLINE, WEEK ENDED JULY 1, 1939

(Figures in Thousands of Barrels of 42 Gallons Each)

District		Refinin <b>g</b> acity	Crude to S	Gasoline Production at Refineries	
	Potential Rate	Percent Reporting	Daily Average	Percent Operated	Inc. Natural Blended
East Coast Appalachian Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri Inland Texas Texas Gulf Louisiana Gulf North Louisiana & Arkansas Rocky Mountain California	615 149 574 419 316 1,000 149 100 118 828	100.0 85.9 89.5 81.6 50.3 89.5 97.3 55.0 54.2 90.0	548 103 508 289 117 855 135 41 37 502	89.1 80.5 98.8 84.5 73.6 95.5 93.1 74.5 57.8 67.4	1,591 387 2,094 21,045 520 2,803 336 117 203 1,424
ReportedEstimated unreported	1	85.8	3,135 345	85.6	10,520 1,401
*Estimated total U.S.: July 1, 1939 June 24, 1939	4,268 4,268		3,480 3,430		11,921 11,648
*U.S.B. of M. July 1, 1938 *Estimated Bureau of M	12000	0.00	x3,129	1	y10,324

reek's production based on the United States Bureau of Mines June, 1938 daily verage. z 12% reporting capacity did not report gasoline production.

STOCKS OF FINISHED AND UNFINISHED GASOLINE AND GAS AND FUEL OIL, WEEK ENDED JULY 1, 1939
(Figures in Thousands of Barrels of 42 Gallons Each)

	Stock of Fi	nished and d Gasoline		Gas OU stillates	Stocks of Residual Fuel Oil		
District	Total Finished	Total Finished and Unjin'd	At Refineries	At Terms. in Transit and in Pipe Lines	At Refineries	At Terms. in Transit and in Pipe Lines	
East Coast	20,508 3,047 12,413 7,009 1,341 7,860 2,126 367 1,501 13,705	21,607 3,339 13,121 7,312 1,590 9,325 2,453 461 1,580 15,114	4,226 235 2,881 1,379 326 3,881 991 269 111 8,471	5,033 66 539 49 -355 26 10	4,647 376 2,757 2,908 1,784 5,844 1,598 586 61,169	3,793  369 282  24,325	
ReportedEst. unreported	69,877 5,100	75,902 5,200	22,770 695	7,765	82,255 2,325	28,808	
*Est. total U. S.: July 1, 1939 June 24, 1939	74,977 75,730	81,102 81,733	a23,465 a22,712	7,765 7,527	a84,580 a83,104	28,808 28,622	
U. S. B. of Mines * July 1, 1938	73.612	80.408	24,761	aparability	113,241		

\*Estimated Bureau of Mines basis. a For comparability with last year tigures must be increased by stocks "At Terminals, &c." in California District.

DAILY	AVERAG	E CRUD	E OIL P. Barrels)	RODUCT	ION	
	B. of M. Calculated Requirements (June)	State Allowable June 1	Week Ended July 1, 1939	Change from Previous Week	Four Weeks Ended July 1, 1939	Week Ended July 2, 1938
Oklahoma	450,300 152,400	428,000 165,880	451,950 169,100	$\frac{-6,800}{+1,100}$	450,850 164,300	376,550 143,150
Panhandle Texas			69,000 86,200 32,500 218,900 92,300 372,800 225,500 214,950	$^{+250}_{-1,150}$ $^{-600}_{-50}$ $^{+1,650}_{-850}$	31,650 215,000 91,450 372,650 221,850 213,150	73,200 28,400 181,750 88,300 364,300 203,850 188,350
Total Texas	1,427,300	ь1330282	1,312,150	+3,300	1,299,100	1,192,450
North Louisiana Coastal Louisiana			71,650 199,600	$-1,950 \\ +3,100$		79,400 184,250
Total Louisiana	265,000	263,023	271,250	+1,150	269,900	263,650
Arkansas	54,700 174,300 106,400		245,200 98,200	$+11,350 \\ +2,600$	234,000 96,300	145,400
Michigan Wyoming Montana Colorado	53,400 73,300 17,300 5,000 117,000		68,600 67,000 15,900 4,050 106,600	+5,650 -50	63,600	61,100 13,650 3,750
Total east of Calif_ California	2.896.400	d 590,000	2,869,000	-	2,829,750	2,395,450
Total United States_	3,491,000				3,434,950	

a These are Bureau of Mines calculations of the requirements of domestic crude oil ased upon certain premises outlined in its detailed forecast for the month of June.

As requirements may be supplied either from stocks, or from new production, contemplated withdrawals from crude oil inventories must be deducted from the Bureau's estimated requirements to determine the amount of new crude to be

- b Net daily average basic allowable for the thirty (30) day period beging June 1. Shutdowns are ordered for all Saturdays and Sundays during June. c Export allowance of 4,000 barrels included.
- d 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.

Weekly Coal Production Statistics

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The National Bituminous Coal Commission in its latest weekly coal report stated that the total production of soft coal in the week ended June 24 is estimated 6,500,000 net tons, indicating little change from the output in the preceding week. Production in the corresponding week of 1938 amounted to 5,108,000 tons.

Cumulative production of soft coal in the present year to date shows a gain of 6.4% over the corresponding period of 1938; anthracite accumulation in 1939, a gain of 91.1% over the corresponding period of 1938.

The United States Bureau of Mines reported that the total estimated production of Pennsylvania anthracite for the week of June 24, amounting to 736,000 tons, decreased 17,000 tons, or a little more than 2%, from output in the week of June 17, and was nearly 24% than production in the week of June 25, 1938.

ESTIMATED UNITED STATES PRODUCTION OF SOFT COAL WITH

ESTIMATED UNITED STATES PRODUCTION OF SOFT COAL WITH COMPARABLE DATA ON PRODUCTION OF CRUDE PETROLEUM (In Thousands of Net Tons)

	W	eek Ende	d	Calendar Year to Date d		
	June 24 1939c	June 17 1939	June 25 1938	1939	1938	1929
Bituminous Coal a— Total, including mine fuel Daily average Crude Petroleum b—	6,500 1,083	6,460 1,077			146,516 988	
Coal equivalent of weekly output.	5,531	5,522	4,940	136,375	133,289	106,747

a Includes for purposes of historical comparison and statistical convenience the production of lignite. b Total barrels produced during the week converted to equivalent coal assuming 6,000,000 B.t.u. per barrel of oil and 13,100 B.t.u. per pound of coal. c Subject to revision. d Sum of 25 full weeks ended June 24, 1939, and corresponding 25 weeks of 1938 and 1929.

ESTIMATED PRODUCTION OF PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE AND BEEHIVE COKE

(In Net Tons)

	τ	Week Ended			Calendar Year to Date				
	June 24 1939	June 17 1939	June 25 1938	1939	1938c	1929c			
	736,000 122,700			25,730,000 175,600					
Commercial produc'n b  Beehive Coke—				24,443,000		31,906,000			
United States total Daily average	12,800 2,133	12,200 2,033							

a Includes washery and dredge coal, and coal shipped by truck from authorizoperations. b Excludes colliery fuel. c Adjusted to make comparable the 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 shipments and are subject to revision on receipt of monthly tonnage reports from district and State sources or of final annual returns from the operators.]

State	1000	Week Ended→						
Suite	June 17 1939	June 10 1939	June 18 1938	June 19 1937	June 15 1929	June Avge. 1923e		
Alaska	1	2	3	3	8	8		
Alabama		203	130		324	387		
Arkansas and Oklahoma		7	20	14	59	70		
Colorado	40	54	78	74	103	175		
Georgia and North Carolina	1	1	*	*	8	8		
Illinois	425		517	599	825	1,243		
Indiana		190	180	247	275	416		
Iowa	34	35	43	21	58	88		
Kansas and Missouri		38	79	67	104	128		
Kentucky—Eastern		681	497	703	876	661		
Western	73	71	86	113	191	183		
Maryland		24	19	25	55	47		
Michigan	6	14	5	3	15	12		
Montana	38	37	36	35	41	38		
New Mexico	15	14	23	36	4 45	51		
North and South Dakota	20	23	13	11	s10	s14		
Ohio	356	359	253	425	445	888		
Pennsylvania bituminous	1,590	1,665	1,131	1,931	2.802	3.613		
Tennessee	76	83	68	94	97	113		
Texas	14	14	17	18	18	21		
Utah	27	22	22	36	55	89		
Virginia	258	248	193	222	239	240		
Washington	21	29	19	30	35	44		
West Virginia—Southern a	1,660	r1,606	1,158	1,594	1,990	1,380		
Northern b	550	r502	397	500	728	856		
Wyoming	72	79	62	80	86	104		
Other Western States c	*	*	*	1	<b>s</b> 2	s5		
Total bituminous coal Pennsylvania anthracite d	6,460 753	6,403 828	5,049 726	7,115 989	9,478 1,175	10,866		
Total, all coal	7,213	7,231	5,775	8,104	10,653	12.822		

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 counties. b Rest of State, including the Panhandle District and Grant, Mineral, and Tucker counties. c Includes Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, and Oregon. d Data for Pennsylvania anthracite 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.

April Production of Natural Gasoline

The production of natural gasoline in April, 1939 continued to increase, according to a report prepared by the Bureau of Mines for Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior. The daily average in April was 5,925,000 gallons compared with 5,734,000 gallons in March, and 5,839,000 gallons in April,

1938. The chief gains occurred in the East Texas, Texas

Gulf, and Panhandle districts.

Stocks continued to increase and the total on hand at the end of the month was 230,328,000 gallons, or 32,046,000 gallons more than on the first of the month, but 29,190,000 less than the total on hand April 31, 1938.

PRODUCTION AND STOCKS OF NATURAL GASOLINE (In Thousands of Gallons)

Care of	Hall.	Produ	uction			Stocks				
	. 7 6 3				Apr. 3	0, 1939	Mar. 3	Mar. 31, 1939		
	Apr. 1939	Mar. 1939	Jan. to Apr. 1939	Jan. to Apr. 1938	At Refin- eries	At Plants & Ter- minals	At Refin- eries	At Plants & Ter- minals		
East coast	6,017 1,135 37,879 5,088 59,805 6,877 2,199 7,556 51,188	1,149 38,383 4,806 55,851 6,704 2,453 7,626	4,824 148,359 20,235 219,532 27,473 8,666 28,380	3,989 162,344 18,684 210,644 28,502 7,543	2,730 2,688 84 3,864 126 210 840	9,394 603 33,758 1,548 72,316 917 290 1,159	1,722 2,478 84 6,552 168 210	9,089 476 22,640 934 58,597 816 191 1,329 2,990		
Total Dally avge_	177,744 5,925		691,950 5,766	702,324 5,853		123,186	101,220	97,062		
Total (thousands of barrels) Daily avge_	4.232					2,933	2,410	2,311		

May Production and Shipments of Portland Cement

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The Portland cement industry in May, 1939, produced
11,126,000 barrels, shipped 12,688,000 barrels from the
mills and had in stock at the end of the month 22,275,000
barrels, according to the Bureau of Mines. Production
and shipments of Portland cement in May, 1939, showed
increases of 7.4 and 30.1%, respectively, as compared with
May, 1938. Portland cement stocks at mills were 2.6%
lower than a year ago.

The statistics here given are compiled from reports for
May received by the Bureau of Mines from all manufacturing plants except one, for which estimates have been
included in lieu of actual returns.

In the following statement of relation of production to
capacity the total output of finished cement is compared with
the estimated capacity of 161 plants at the close of May,

the estimated capacity of 161 plants at the close of May, 1938 and 1939.

RATIO OF PRODUCTION TO CAPACITY

	May 1938	May 1939	Apr. 1939	Mar. 1939	Feb. 1939
The month The 12 months ended	47.4%	50.9%	45.7%	37.4%	27.9%
	41.3%	43.8%	43.5%	42.8%	41.9%

PRODUCTION, SHIPMENTS AND STOCKS OF FINISHED PORTLAND CEMENT, BY DISTRICTS, IN MAY, 1938 AND 1939 (In Thousands of Barrels)

District	Production		Shipments		Stocks at End of Month	
	1938	1939	1938	1939	1938	1939
Eastern Pa., N. J. and Md	2,231	1,799	2,059	2,601	4,036	4,030
New York and Maine	716	637	654	741	1,581	1,633
Ohio, Western Pa., and W. Va	865	950	873	1,245	2,763	2,548
Michigan	736	798	650	970	2,102	1,861
Wis., Ill., Ind. and Ky	644	1,157	845	1.222	2.699	2,635
Va., Tenn., Ala., Ga., Fla. & La.	1,020	1.134	1.058	1.271	1,642	1.618
Eastern Mo., Ia., Minn. & S. Dak	1,009	1,009	974	1.086		2.742
W. Mo., Neb., Kan., Okla, & Ark	824	716	618	628	2.113	796
Texas	717	364	612	362	958	394
Colo., Mont., Utah, Wyo. & Ida.	279	1,092	270	1,047	460	1,273
California	1.048	610	974	664	1,327	712
Oregon and Washington	272	860	165	851	518	2,033
Total	10,361	11,126	9,752	12,688	22,875	22,275

PRODUCTION, SHIPMENTS, AND STOCKS OF FINISHED PORTLAND CEMENT, BY MONTHS

Month	Production		Ship	nents	Stock at End of Month	
102.4	1938	1939	1938	1939	1938	1939
January	4,534	5,301	4,390	5,640	25,023	23,611
February	3,916	5,506	4,575	5,043	24,361	24,092
March	5,879	8,171	7,259	8,467	22,979	23,796
April	7,983	9,674	8,691	9,654	22,262	a23,837
May	10,361	11,126	9,752	12,688	22,875	22,275
June	10,535		10,943		22,467	
uly	10,968		10,164		23,286	
August	11,007		11,823		22,534	
September	10,559		11,716		21,374	
October	11,556		12,357		20,569	
November	10,184		8,573		22,179	
December	8,066		6,281		23,954	
Total	105,548		106,524			-7125

Non-Ferrous Metals—Copper Strengthens on Large Foreign Purchases—Status of Silver in Doubt

"Metal and Mineral Markets" in its issue of July 6 reported that the feature in non-ferrous metals last week was the sudden resumption of buying in copper, inspired by heavy bookings abroad, and the market closed on a firm note, with some producers not offering the metal freely. A fair tonnage of lead and zinc was purchased, but tin remained quiet. The silver price situation became so muddled that trading here ceased, and no official quotations were issued after June 30. The publication further reported:

Copper

The market for copper came to life last week on announcement that the foreign group sold 23,985 tons on June 30, an exceptionally large tonnage for Cartel bookings for a single day. Though details of the deal were lacking, it was generally understood that a foreign government entered the market for a substantial tonnage, and France was mentioned as the buyer. Secrecy over the sales made abroad brought out a flood of rumors, and there was more than a suspicion that domestic metal was obtained by the same buyer, in addition to the tonnage of foreign copper. Sales by the Cartel for the month of June amounted to 87,000 long tons.

Buying here increased as soon as news of foreign buying in volume got out. On the same day, June 30, domestic sales involved 12,496 tons. The demand was fairly active on July 3 and again July 5, and the undertone of the market strengthened in all directions. However, the price continued at 10c., Connecticut Valley.

Domestic sales of copper for the last week totaled 25,313 tons. Sales for the month of June amounted to 66,381 tons, against 59,519 tons in May. The copper import tax of 4c. per pound was renewed for a period of two years to June 30, 1941. President Roosevelt signed the tax bill on June 29. Indicated consumption of copper in the United States during May, based on private reports by fabricators, amounted to 54,000 tons, against 53,000 tons in April.

Lead

Lead

Buying of lead was on a moderate scale during the last week, 3,037 tons being sold, against 4,524 tons in the previous week. Continued unsettlement in the London market early in the week, plus the July 4 holiday and the good buying in previous weeks, were considered factors prompting the lull in the market. The trade believes actual consumption is being maintained close to 40,000 tons per month, and on that basis requirements for July are about 75% covered and August 20%.

The price continued on the basis of 4.85c., New York, which was also the contract settling basis of the American Smelting & Refining Company, and at 4.70c., St. Louis.

Zinc

Buying of zinc during the last week was in fair volume, sales of the common grades alone totaling 4,816 tons, against 5,957 tons in the previous week. The shipments increased to 5,241 tons for the week. Undelivered contracts in the common grades now amount to 35,386 tons. The price of Prime Western continued on the basis of 4½c., St. Louis.

Tin

Little business was done in the tin trade during the last week. Little business was done in the tin trade during the last week. Prices abroad remained steady, hovering close to the 230 level for Standard tin. Tin-platers, viewing this price situation in the light of a drop in their specifications, are considered to be in no particular rush to buy metal. Tin-plate operations dropped to around 45% of capacity, due largely to the holiday this week.

The world's visible supply of tin at the end of June amounted to 30,055 long tons, which compares with 33,832 tons (corrected) in May and 29,061 tons a year ago.

tons a year ago.

Deliveries of tin in the United States for the month of June totaled 4,925 tons, against 5,905 tons in May and 4,205 tons in June last year. World deliveries during June quounted to 8,899 tons, against 10,363 tons

The spread in Chinese tin narrowed further during the last week. Quotations on Chinese, 99%, were nominally as follows: June 29th, 47.700.; 30th, 47.700.; July 1st, 47.850.; 3d, 47.700.; 4th, Holiday; 5th, 47.550c.

Domestic, Refinery   Residence   Residen	St. Louis
June 20-11-1	
July 1 9.775 9.825 48.900 4.85 4.70 July 3 9.775 9.850 48.750 4.85 4.70	4.50 4.50 4.50 4.50 Holiday 4.50

Average prices for calendar week ended July 1 are: Domestic copper, f.o.b. refinery, 9.775c.; export copper, 9.733c.; Stratts tin, 48.975c.; New York lead, 4.850c.; St. Louis lead, 4.700c.; St. Louis zinc, 4.500c.; and silver, 39.250c. 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 are reduced to net at refineries on the Atlantic seaboard. On foreign business in copper sellers usually name a c.i.f. price—Hamburg, Havre and Liverpool. The c.i.f. basis commands a premium of 0.325c. per pound above f.o.b. refinery quotation.

Daily London Prices

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	Copper, Std.				Std.	Lead		Zinc	
	Spot	3M	Electro. (Bid)	Spot	3M	Spot	3M	Spot	3M
June 29 June 30 July 3	$\begin{array}{r} 42^{3}_{16} \\ 42^{5}_{16} \\ 42^{11}_{16} \end{array}$	42½ 42¼ 42¼ 43¼	47½° 48¼ 48	229¾ 229¾ 229¾	224¼ 224¼ 224	$\begin{array}{c} 14^{7}_{16} \\ 14^{11}_{16} \\ 14^{7}_{16} \end{array}$	14½ 14 <sup>11</sup> 16 14 <sup>5</sup> %	13 7/8 13 15 16 14 1/8	14 1/8 14 3/16 14 3/4
July 4	429 <sub>16</sub> 4234	42 <sup>15</sup> 16 43 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>		22934		141/2	14 <sup>11</sup> <sub>16</sub> 14 <sup>3</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub>		141/4

Prices for lead and zinc are the official buyers' prices for the first session of the London Metal Exchange; prices for copper and tin are the official closing buyers' prices. All are in pounds sterling per long ton (2,240 lb.).

### Half-Year Steel Output 73% Above Year Ago

Production during June of 3,130,381 gross tons of openhearth and Bessemer steel ingots brought total output for the first half of 1939 to 18,629,927 tons, according to a report released July 7 by the American Iron and Steel Institute.

The six-month total was 73 per cent greater than the total of 10,788,583 tons produced in the corresponding period of 1938

Steel output in June was substantially above the May total of 2,917,876 tons, and was almost double the tonnage in June, 1938, when 1,632,843 tons were produced.

During June the steel industry operated at an average of 53.44 per cent of capacity, as against 48.24 per cent in May and 28.36 per cent in June of last year. Over the first six

months of 1939 steel operations averaged 52.74 per cent of capacity, compared with 31.08 per cent for the similar period in 1938.

Ingot production averaged 729,693 gross tons per week in June, or 11 per cent above May when the average weekly output was 658,663 gross tons. In June 1938, ingot production averaged 380,616 gross tons per week.

MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF OPEN-HEARTH AND BESSEMER STEEL INGOTS—JANUARY, 1938, TO JUNE, 1939
(Calculations based on reports of companies which in 1938 made 97.31% of the open-hearth and 99.90% of the Bessemer ingot production)

	Calculated Produ		Calculated Weekly	Number of Weeks in
	Gross Tons	Per Cent of Capacity	Production (Gross Tons)	Month
1939	0.010.050	53.18	726,107	4.43
January	3,216,653	54.60	745.503	4.00
February	2,982,011	56.14	766.596	4.43
March	3,396,021	50.14	700,590	2.20
First quarter	9,594,685	54.64	746,087	12.86
A mult	2.986.985	50.99	696,267	4.29
April	2,917,876	48.24	658,663	4.43
June	3.130.381	53.44	729,693	4.29
June	74.0			
Second quarter	9,035,242	50.86	694,484	13.01
First six months	18,629,927	52.74	720,136	25.87
1938			001 450	4.43
January	1,734,165	29.17	391,459	
February	1,697,452	31.63	424,363	4.00
March	2,004,204	33.72	452,416	4.43
First quarter	5,435,821	31.50	422,692	12.86
April	1,919,042	33.34	447,329	4.29
May	1,800,877	30.30	406,519	4.43
June	1,632,843	28.36	380,616	4.29
			411,434	13.01
Second quarter	5,352,762	30.66	411,434	13.01
First six months	10,788,583	31.08	417,031	25.87
July	1,974,317	33.29	446,678	4.42
August	2,537,102	42.68	572,709	4.43
September	2,647,129	46.09	618,488	4.28
Third quarter	7,158,548	40.63	545,205	13.13
Nine months	17,947,131	34.29	460,183	39.00
October	3,105,985	52.25	701,125	4.43
	3,558,363	61.81	829,455	4.29
November	3,130,746	52.79	708,314	4.42
Fourth quarter	9,795,094	55.55	745,441	13.14
		39.65	532,072	52.14
Total	27,742,225	1 59.65	052,072	1 02.14

Note—The percentages of capacity operated in 1939 are calculated on weekly capacities of 1,365,401 gross tons based on annual capacities as of Dec. 31, 1938 as follows: Open hearth and Bessemer ingots, 71,191,994 gross tons and in 1938 are calculated on weekly capacities of 1,341,856 gross tons based on annual capacities as of Dec. 31, 1937, as follows: Open hearth and Bessemer ingots, 69,964,356 gross tons

Steel Products Sales Higher During June—Holiday Eases Operations

The July 6 issue of the "Iron Age" reported that nearly all steel products registered sales gains in June as compared with May, some moderately, others quite substantially. While the importance of this improvement could easily be exaggerated, as May was not a good month owing to the retarding influence of the coal strike and the acute price confusion, it is significant that the gains of the past month have been sufficiently general in character to hold forth promise for the two mid-summer months. The "Iron Age" further reported: further reported:

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Some of the business of the past two weeks has been "driven in" by withdrawal of price concessions on some products; the arrival of the effective date for the announced price changes on bars, which mean \$1 more a ton to large buyers, and the pressure that some mills are exerting on customers to obtain specifications for sheets and strip against recent low-priced commitments. Although these specifications were of help in boosting aggregate steel business in June, they were much smaller than expected, which points to the probability of an increase in these orders during July and August.

Such gains as were made in sales last month were without substantial aid from the automobile industry, the railroads or the farm machinery industry, which together normally account for nearly a third of all steel consumption. Some of the farm machinery plants have resumed production after vacation shutdowns, and the automobile industry is expected to return to the market with volume requirements not later than early August.

While it is clearly out of the question for steel companies to raise prices at this juncture, there is a widespread determination to improve the mill net return by the elimination of concessions and practices that have adversely affected net returns. As this change of policy really dates from July 1, and as many buyers have taken advantage of the concessions that were held open to them before that date, it may be at least two or three weeks before the full effect on the price situation is discernible.

The elimination of abuses that have grown up under the former system of quoting plates and shapes to fabricators on fabrication-in-transit projects is one move that is growing. Pipe makers have raised the less-carload, out-of-stock prices on oil country goods to 10.6% above the carload price instead of 5% as formerly. Carbon bar prices are being firmly quoted on the new basis despite the extreme pressure from large bar buyers for a readjus

readjustment in their favor.

Although steel ingot production this week has dropped sharply owing to the holiday shutdowns and, in a few cases, to mass vacations, many units will be operating late this week and next week on a higher basis, which may cause next week's rate to exceed the 54% average that prevailed in the pre-holiday week. Owing to variations in the period of plant idleness over the holiday, the average rate for this week is difficult to estimate accurately, but is around 40%. Some steel-making departments were shut down two or three days, others for only 24 hours. Indicative of an expected improvement in steel production is the fact that two blast furnaces in the Valleys are being put into service. Pig iron production figures for in the Valleys are being put into service. Pig iron production figures for

June, to be published next week, will undoubtedly record an increase over May.

Steel scrap markets are standing by to await developments in the business outlook. While purchases by steel mills have been few in the past week, there has been no weakness in prices, which in all districts remain virtually unchanged. The "Iron Age" scrap composite price is at \$14.71 for the second week. for the second week.

Fabricated structural steel awards in the week totaled more than 21,000 tons, a fairly good record considering the holiday influence. Lettings of reinforcing bars were 9.800 tons.

Railroad equipment purchases are confined to a few locomotives. Large-scale buying is not expected this summer unless Congress passes railroad aid legislation that will encourage the carriers to borrow money on libera

and legislation that will encourage the carriers to borrow money on money the terms. This is a doubtful outlook, however, as the roads are generally averse to creating new debt without increases in revenues.

Shipbuilding activities are to be increased by the construction of 18 ships by the Maritime Commission for the Lykes Brothers Steamship Co., New York. Ten of these boats will be awarded before Sept. 1.

Abroad steel production continues at a high level despite international tension. British mills are so busy that makers are discouraging further heavy commitments.

#### THE "IRON AGE" COMPOSITE PRICES Finished Steel

July 3, 1939, 2.236c. a Lb. One week ago 2.236c. One month ago 2.236c. One year ago 2.300c.	wir	e, rails, blaced strips. T	rs, beams, tan ek pipe, sheets hese products ited States out	and hot represent
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19392.	286c.	Jan. 3	2.236c.	May 16
19382.	512c.	May 17	2.211c.	Oct. 8
19372			2.249c.	Mar. 2
19362	249c.	Dec. 28	2.016c.	Mar. 10
19352.	062c.	Oct. 1	2.056c.	Jan. 8
19342.	118c.	Apr. 24	1.945c.	Jan. 2
19331.	953c.	Oct. 3	1.792c.	May 2
19321.	915c.	Sept. 6	1.870c.	Mar. 15
19302.	192c.	Jan. 7	1.962c.	Oct. 29
19272	402c.	Jan. 4	2.212c.	Nov. 1

Pig	Iron
One week ago\$20.61	Based on average for basic iron at Valley furnace and foundry iron at Chicago,
One month ago 20.61	
One year ago 19.61	Southern iron at Cincinnati.

	L	tight.		NW.
1938	_\$23.25	June 21	\$19.61	July 6
1937	_ 23.25	Mar. 9	20.25	Feb. 16
1936	_ 19.73	Nov. 24	18.73	Aug. 11
1935	_ 18.84	Nov. 5	17.83	May 14
1934	_ 17.90	May 1	16.90	Jan. 27
1933	_ 16.90	Dec. 5	13.56	Jan. 3
1932	_ 14.81	Jan. 5	13.56	Dec. 6
1930	_ 18.21	Jan. 7	15.90	Dec. 16
1927	_ 19.71	Jan. 4	17.54	Nov. 1
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July 3, 1939, \$14.71 a Gross Ton	(Based on No. 1 heavy melting stee
One week ago\$14.71	quotations at Pittsburgh, Philadelphia
One month ago 14.58	and Chicago.
One year ago 12.58	

One year ago 12.00(	High	1	Low
1939\$15.29	Mar. 28	\$14.08	May 16
1938	Nov. 22	11.00	June 7
1937 21.92	Mar. 30	12.92	Nov. 10
1936 17.75	Dec. 21	12.67	June 9
1935 13.42	Dec. 10	10.33	Apr. 29
1934 13.00	Mar. 13	9.50	Sept. 25
1933 12.25	Aug. 8	6.75	Jan. 3
1932 8.50	Jan. 12	6.43	July 5
1930 15.00	Feb. 18	11.25	Dec. 9
1927 15.25	Jan, 17	13.08	Nov. 22

The American Iron and Steel Institute on July 3 an-The American Iron and Steel Institute on July 3 announced that telegraphic reports which it had received indicated that the operating rate of steel companies having 96% of the steel capacity of the industry will be 38.5% of capacity for the week beginning July 3, compared with 54.3% one week ago, 54.2% one month ago and 22.4% one year ago. This represents a decrease of 15.8 points or 29.1% from the estimate for the week ended June 26, 1939. Weekly indicated rates of steel operations since June 6, 1938, follow:

1938	1938—	1939—	1939—
June 626.2%	Sept. 1947.3%	Jan. 250.7%	Apr. 1750.9%
June 1327.1%			Apr. 2448.6%
June 2028.0%	Oct. 347.9%	Jan. 1652.7%	May 147.8%
June 2728.7%	Oct. 1051.4%	Jan. 2351.2%	May 8 47.0%
			May 1545.4%
			May 2248.5%
July 1836.4%			May 2952.2%
July 2537.0%			June 554.2%
			June 1253.1%
Aug. 839.4%			June 1955.0%
			June 2654.3%
			July 338.5%
		Mar. 2756.1%	
Sept. 639.9%	Dec. 1951.7%	Apr. 354.7%	
Sept. 1245.3%	Dec. 2638.8%	Apr. 1052.1%	

"Steel" of Cleveland, in its summary of the iron and steel markets, on July 2 stated:

Steel markets made a relatively good showing in June, business being steady or slightly higher compared with May. This week will see a sharp

letdown in both production and consumption, but prompt recovery from

influence of the holiday and plant vacations is indicated.

Ingot production last week was down ½-point to 54%. A year ago the

A number of metal working plants are closed until July 10 for Independence Day observance, vacations or inventory-taking. This is having a temporary retarding effect on steel shipments. However, prospects are favorable for the maintenance of steelmaking near its recent level during most of July and August.

This tendency toward firmer steel prices, as reported a week ago Instances of concessions have not disappeared entirely, but additional producers have withdrawn quotations below official levels, and there are expectations the new quarter will see prices on the most stable basis so far this year. It is recognized, of course, that heavy orders already booked at low prices accounts for much of the lifting of pressure against quotations, but there is a growing disposition to attempt to restore business to a more profitable basis.

Uncertainty over probable steel requirements of some leading consumers the next six months prevents any accurate forecast of the long-range trend in steel making. Automobile sales the past 60 days were better than was expected earlier in the year and enhance prospects for new model demand during coming months. Building, engineering construction and ship work apparently will furnish sustained demand for heavy steel products at least through third quarter. Railroad steel purchases the remainder of the year are difficult to estimate but could be a factor in stimulating operations markedly. markedly.

With several automobile plants down for model changes and others pre-paring to follow suit, assemblies last week started the expected decline. Total production of 70,663 units was a drop of more than 10,000 but re-mained well above the 40,945 units built a year ago. Ford output was practically unchanged at 19,600 and Chrysler slipped only from 22,650 to 21,810, but General Motors cut from 30,160 to 22,873 and all others curtailed from 8,560 to 6,380.

Meanwhile, steel releases from auto parts makers are growing, but total consumption by the industry will decline this month. Part of the slack will be made up by heavier shipments of flat-rolled steel to other consumers against recent orders. Movement of this tonnage recently has shown fair gains, and demand from miscellaneous buyers generally has been en-

A moderate flurry in material and equipment orders from railroads is Western Maryland has ordered 1,110 freight cars, and the Florida East Coast has placed two seven-car stainless steel passenger trains. Locomotive purchases include three steam units for the Green Bay & Western, one diesel-electric passenger locomotive for the Rock Island and one diesel switcher for the Wabash.

Burlington has bought 7,700 tons of rails and the Kansas Oklahoma & Gulf 3,200 tons. Little additional rail buying is in sight before late summer

Tin plate production is down slightly. The dip is regarded only temporary

as demand is sustained.

Fabricated structural steel booking last week held below the average for

Fabricated structural steel booking last week held below the average for the year to date. Heavy shipments still are to be made against recent orders for both shapes and concrete reinforcing bars.

Steel making was unchanged at most centers the past week. Gains of 1½ points to 51% at Chicago and 5 points to 65 at Cincinnati were slightly more than offset by losses of 4½ points to 51% at Cleveland, 3 points to 51 at Youngstown and 4½ points to 35 at Buffalo.

Unchanged districts included Pittsburgh at 47, eastern Pennsylvania at 38, Wheeling at 79, Birmingham at 71, New England at 32, Detroit at 57 and 8t. Louis at 42.

Scrap trading is quiet. Most prices are steady but a small decline at Chicago lowers the composite 8 cents to \$14.54. The finished steel composite is unchanged at \$55.70.

Steel ingot production for the week ended July 3 is placed at  $54\frac{1}{2}\%$  of capacity, according to the "Wall Street Journal" of July 7. This compares with  $55\frac{1}{2}\%$  in the previous week and  $53\frac{1}{2}\%$  two weeks ago. This "Journal" further reported: U. S. Steel is estimated at a fraction under  $48\frac{1}{2}\%$ , against  $47\frac{1}{2}\%$  in the week before and  $44\frac{1}{2}\%$  two weeks ago. Leading independents are credited with 60%, compared with 62% in the preceding week and 61% 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:

18 1 17 NO. 17 NO. 18 NO.	Industry	U. S. Steel	Independents
1939	541/4 —1	481/2 +1	60 —2
1938	24 -41/4	22 -61/2	251/2 -3
1937	705	80 —6	62 -41/2
1936	651/2 -6	61 -51/2	69 -6
1935	34 —4	32 —3	35 —5
1934	231/4 211/4	24 16	231/2 -251/2
1933	531/2 +11/2	45 +2	61 +1
1931	32 -11/2	321/2 -11/2	32 —1
1930	59 —5	64 —5	55 —5
1929	93 —1	96 —1	90 —1
1928	71 —1	75	68 —1
1927	661/2 -1	69 —1	64 —1

1932 not available.

Figures for previous years in most instances reflect Independence Day

## Current Events and Discussions

#### The Week with the Federal Reserve Banks

During the week ended July 5 member bank reserve balances increased \$35,000,000. Additions to member bank reserves arose from decreases of \$142,000,000 in Treasury deposits with Federal Reserve banks and \$5,000,000 in nonmember deposits and other Federal Reserve accounts, and increases of \$43,000,000 in gold stock and \$2,000,000 in Reserve bank credit, offset in part by increases of \$138,000,-000 in money in circulation and \$18,000,000 in Treasury cash. Excess reserves of member banks on July 5 were estimated to be approximately \$4,290,000,000, an increase of \$50,000,-000 for the week.

The statement in full for the week ended July 5 will be found on pages 218 and 219.
Changes in the amount of Reserve bank credit outstand-

ing and related items were as follows:

			or Decrease (—)
	July 5, 1939	June 28, 1939	July 6, 1938
Bills discounted	5,000,000		-3,000,000
Bills bought	1,000,000 2,551,000,000		-13,000,000
\$11,000,000 commitm'ts—July 5 Other Reserve bank credit	12.000.000		-4,000,000 -13,000,000
Total Reserve bank credit	16,136,000,000	+43,000,000	$\begin{array}{r} -34,000,000 \\ +3,169,000,000 \\ +165,000,00 \end{array}$

		S	or Decrease (—)
	July 5, 1939	June 28, 1939	July 6, 1938
Member bank reserve balances	10,151,000,000	+35,000,000	+2,077,000,000
Money in circulation	7,100,000,000	+138,000,000	+586,000,000
Treasury cash	2,577,000,000		+274,000,000
Treasury deposits with F. R. banks Non-member deposits and other Fed-		-142,000,000	+50,000,000
eral Reserve accounts		-5,000,000	+311,000,000

## Return of Member Banks in New York City and Chicago—Brokers' Loan

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

	(II	(In Millions of Dollars)					
Don't			w York C			Chicago	
		July 5 1939	June 28 1939	July 6 1938	July 5 1939	June 28 1939	July 6 1938
A 886	18—	8	8	8	\$	\$	. 8
Loans	and investments-total	8.136	8.133	7,494	2,108	2,058	1.797
Loans	-total	2,771	2.743	2,968	544		511
Con	mercial, industrial and			1.01			
88	ricultural loans	1,405	1.384	1,463	357	350	335
Ope	n market paper	126	119	130	17	16	16
Loa	ns to brokers and dealers.	495	496	537	35	34	25
Oth	er loans for purchasing or					36 E & B 7.	Constitution of the
Ca	rrying securities	200	201	195	72	72	67
	estate loans	114	113	118	13	13	12
Loa	ns to banks	45	40	92			1
	er loans	386	390	433	50	51	55
	ry bills	167	172)		230	185)	
Treasu	ry notes	823	811	2,844	236	234	859
United	States bonds	2.206	2,189		627	627	
	tions fully guaranteed by						
	ed States Government	1.094	1.087	684	136	138	123
Other	securities	1.075	1.131	998	335	338	304
Reserv	e with Fed. Res. banks	4,881	4.864	3.277	847	906	945
Cash in	n vault	69	77	53	31	30	36
Balanc	es with domestic banks	76	77	72	231	235	209
Other a	assets—net	370	379	482	46	47	49
	ilities—						
	d deposits-adjusted	7,524	7,578	6,115	1,666	1,688	1,517
Time d	eposits	628	625	655	495	493	465
United	States Govt. deposits	62	60	110	60	60	81
Inter-b	ank deposits:	1.00					
Dom	estic banks	2,940	2,891	2,435	752	741	703
Fore	gn banks	541	521	279	12	13	7
Borrow	ings						46-104-56
Other 1	labilities	360	363	308	12	15	17
	account	1.477	1.483	1.476	266	266	246

## 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 of the Reserve banks themselves 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.

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In the following will be found the comments of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System repsecting the returns of the entire body of reporting member banks of the Federal Reserve System for the week ended with the close of business June 28:

The condition statement of weekly reporting member banks in 101 leading cities shows the following principal changes for the week ended June 28: An increase of \$10,000,000 in commercial, industrial and agricultural loans; decreases of \$13,000,000 in loans to brokers and dealers in securities and \$29,000,000 in holdings of "Other Securities"; increases of \$37,000,000 in holdings of United States Government bonds and \$21,000,000 in holdings of obligations guaranteed by the United States Government; and a decrease of \$18,000,000 in demand deposits-adjusted.

Commercial, industrial and agricultural loans increased \$12,000,000 in

crease of \$18,000,000 in demand deposits-adjusted.
Commercial, industrial and agricultural loans increased \$12,000,000 in New York City and \$10,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Loans to brokers and dealers in securities decreased \$21,000,000 in New York City and \$13,000,000 at all reporting member banks.
Holdings of Treasury bills decreased \$9,000,000 and holdings of Treasury notes decreased \$9,000,000. Holdings of United States Government bonds increased \$32,000,000 in New York City and \$37,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Holdings of obligations guaranteed by the United States Government increased \$22,000,000 in New York City and \$21,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Holdings of "Other securities" decreased \$42,000,000 in New York City and \$29,000,000 at all reporting member banks.

banks.

Demand deposits-adjusted decreased \$62,000,000 in New York City, \$56,00),000 in the New York district outside New York City and \$18,000,-000 at all reporting member banks, and increased \$47,000,000 in the Chicago district, \$17,000,000 in the St. Louis district, \$15,000,000 in the Boston district and \$12,000,000 in the Cleveland district.

Deposits credited to domestic banks increased \$41,000,000 in New York City and \$27,000,000 at all reporting member banks.

Weekly reporting member banks reported no borrowings on June 28.

A summary of the principal assets and liabilities of reporting member banks, together with changes for the week and the year ended June 28, 1939, follows:

		r Decrease (—)
Assets— June 28, 1939	June 21, 1939	June 29, 1938
Loans and investments-total21,951,000,000	+28,000,000	+1,390,000,000
Commercial, industrial and agri-	+17,000,000	-232,000,000
cultural loans 3,833,000,000	+10,000,000	-103.000.000
Loans to brokers and dealers in		-37,000,000
other loans for purchasing or 648,000,000	-13,000,000	-4,000,000
carrying securities 543,000,000	+1,000,000	-40,000,000
Real estate loans 1.161.000.000		+1,000,000
Loans to banks 51,000,000		-62,000,000
Other loans 1.550.000 000		+13,000,000
Treasury bills 431,000,000		1 10,000,000
Treasury notes 2.112.000.000		+653,000,000
United States bonds 5.880.000.000		1 000,000,000

	Increase (+) o	T Decrease (—)
June 28, 1939		
- 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10	June 21, 1909	June 23, 1333
Assets—		
Obligations fully guaranteed by		
United States Government 2,148,000,000	+21,000,000	+660,000,000
Other securities 3,291,000,000	-29,000,000	+309,000,000
Reserve with Fed. Res. banks 8,479,000,000		+1.905,000,000
		+38,000,000
Balances with domestic banks 2,756,000,000	+9,000,000	+341,000,000
Liabilities—		
Demand deposits-adjusted17,220,000,000	-18,000,000	+2.184,00,0000
Time deposits 5,237,000,000	-1.000.000	-2,000,000
	71,000,000	T 80,000,000
Inter-bank deposits:		
Domestic banks 6,747,000,000		+967,000,000
Foreign banks 600,000,000	+1,000,000	+280,000,000
Borrowings		-1,000,000
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#### Brazil Makes Initial Payment on Debt to American Investors

The Brazilian Government on June 30 announced that it was making an undisclosed "initial payment" on its \$359,-000,000 debt to United States investors. The State Department was officially informed of this payment by the Brazilian Ambassador at Washington on July 5. Under date of July 5 Washington Associated Press advices said:

The money was deposited on Saturday (July 1) in Rio de Janeiro and transferred to a bank in New York to be paid to the Foreign Bondholders Protective Council in New York.

The Ambassador discussed the move in a visit to Under-Secretary Welles. The Brazilian Government was understood to have simultaneously

The Brazilian Government was understood to have simultaneously suggested that representatives of the council be sent to Brazil to negotiate conditions of future resumption of service on the debt.

The Ambassador would make no comment on the arrangement.

Settlement Reached for Payment of City of Cordoba (Argentina) 7% External Gold Bonds of 1927

The committee for holders of City of Cordoba (Argentine Republic) 7% external sinking fund gold bonds of 1927 due Aug. 1, 1957, of which Fred J. Young of F. J. Young & Co., Inc., New York, is Chairman, is notifying holders of certificates of deposit that its Argentine counsel has succeeded in negotiating a settlement with the city for the benefit of all bondholders. This settlement, according to the Committee's statement, embraces the various pending actions brought by the Committee, by bondholders suing individually and by White, Weld & Co. as fiscal agents, and has been approved by the Argentine Federal Court.

The Committee further said:
Under the terms of the settlement, there should shortly be ready for

Under the terms of the settlement, there should shortly be ready for distribution to bondholders an amount exceeding the interest coupons maturing Aug. 1, 1937 and Feb. 1, 1938. The settlement provides that all revenues to be distributed to bondholders are to be applied first to the payment in United States currency of these two coupons and thereafter to payment of interest on and principal of all bonds, except for certain commissions and expenses.

In its letter, the Committee expresses the opinion that this settlement is highly advantageous to all depositors. The Committee also states that as of July 5, 1939, \$2,391,500 principal amount of the bonds, or 56.2% of the total issue, had been deposited with it and that, in view of the settlement, no more deposits are being accepted.

A reference to where the Committee was granted judgments was noted in our issue of June 10, page 3449.

## Hungary to Redeem July 1 Coupons on Three Bond Issues at Rate of \$8.75 per \$1,000 Bond

Issues at Rate of \$8.75 per \$1,000 Bond

The Cash Office of Foreign Credits, at Budapest, Hungary, on July 3 announced through its central paying agents in New York, Schroder Trust Co., that it will redeem coupons dated July 1, 1939, on the following bonds at the rate of \$8.75 per coupon detached from a \$1,000 bond: Hungarian Consolidated Municipal Loan 20-year 7½% secured sinking fund gold bonds of 1925; Hungarian Consolidated Municipal Loan 20-year 7% secured sinking fund gold bonds, external loan of 1926; and Hungarian Discount and Exchange Bank 7% 35-year sinking fund communal gold bonds dollar issue. Coupons presented in acceptance of this offer, which expires Dec. 31, 1939 and is made only to persons resident outside of Hungary, must be transmitted to Schroder Trust Co., 46 William St., New York City.

## Market Value of Listed Stocks on New York Stock Exchange on June 30, \$41,004,995,092, Compared with \$43,229,587,173 May 31—Classification of Listed Stocks

As of the close of business on June 30, 1939, there were 1,234 stock issues aggregating 1,428,586,085 shares listed on the New York Stock Exchange with a total market value of \$41,004,995,092, the Exchange announced on July 5. This compares with 1,233 stock issues aggregating 1,426,995,729 shares listed on the Exchange on May 31 with a total market value of \$43,229,587,173, and with 1,256 stock issues aggregating 1,426,894,438 shares with a total market value of \$41,961,875,154 on June 30, 1938. In its announcement of July 5 the Stock Exchange said:

As of the close of business June 30, 1939, New York Stock Exchange

As of the close of business June 30, 1939, New York Stock Exchange member total net borrowings in New York City on collateral amounted to \$537,261,959. The ratio of these member total borrowings to the market value of all listed stocks, on this date, was therefore 1.31%. Member borrowings are not broken down to separate those only on listed share collateral from those on other collateral; thus these ratios usually will exceed the true relationship between borrowings on all listed shares and their ceed the true relationship between borrowings on all listed shares and their

As of May 31, 1939, New York Stock Exchange member total net borrowings in New York City on collateral amounted to \$545,975,980. The ratio of these member total net borrowings in New York Stock Exchange member total net borrowing the stock of the second rowings to the market value of all listed stocks, on this date, was therefore 1.26%.

In the following table listed stocks are classified by leading industrial groups with the aggregate market value and average price for each:

	June 30, 19	39	May 31, 19	39
	Market Value	A ver. Price	Market Value	Aver. Price
	s	S	8	8
Autos and accessories	2.955.033,135	25.33	3.151,368,619	27.0
Financial	868,386,940	17.45		18.30
Chemicals		61.90		63.6
Building	523,108,601	24.04		26.8
Electrical equipment manufacturing		34.74		37.9
Foods	2,825,783,504	30.91	2,906,026,300	
Foods Rubber and tires	407,490,229	38.89		41.1
Form mocking	590,739,825	44.68		47.6
Farm machinery		14.89		16.5
Amusements		3.95		4.79
Land and realty		23.19		24.8
Machinery and metals	1,462,421,447	23.56		25.1
Mining (excluding iron)	1,484,242,698		1,583,557,295	21.7
Petroleum	3,980,087,979	20.48		18.0
Paper and publishing	310,707,446	16.64		33.3
Retail merchandising	2,377,120,983	32.12		
Ry. oper. & holding co's. & eqpt.mfrs.	2,736,661,895	23.38	2,968,072,823	25.30
Steel, iron and coke	1,803,687,590	36.14		40.0
Textiles	201,742,286	17.70		
Gas and electric (operating)	2,184,995,391	27.06		27.7
Gas and electric (holding)	1,283,171,951	13.39		13.9
Communications (cable, tel. & radio)_	3,441,252,549	90.74		95.8
Miscellaneous utilities	157,528,356	14.81		16.0
Aviation	421,083,582	16.31		18.0
Business and office equipment	316,901,762	27.75	343,147,520	
Shipping services	4.967.925	2.16	6,020,133	2.6
Ship operating and building	28,995,564	9.64	33.098.617	11.0
Miscellaneous businesses		18.77	106.127.457	17.9
Leather and boots	159,957,744	23.41	161,873,538	23.6
Fobacco	1,573,476,723	56.27	1.581,156,681	56.5
Garments	33,812,972	20.16		20.0
U. S. companies operating abroad	540,302,049	16.94		18.4
Foreign companies (incl. Cuba & Can.)		26.20	1,136,158,147	28.0
All listed stocks	41.044.995.092	28.70	43,229,587,173	30.2

We give below a two-year compilation of the total market value and the average price of stocks listed on the Exchange:

	Market Value	Average Price		Market Value	A verage Price
1937—	7.50	0.131.557.5	1938—	6.4.607.54060.11	391787
June 1	\$57.323.818.936	\$41.27	June 30	\$41,961,875,154	\$29.41
July 1	54,882,327,205	39.21	July 30	44,784,224,215	31.38
Aug. 1	59.393.594.170	42.30	Aug. 31	43,526,488,215	30.55
Sept. 1	56.623.913.315	40.51	Sept. 30	43.526.688.812	30.54
Oct. 1	49,034,032,639	35.07	Oct. 31	47,001,767,212	32.96
Nov. 1	44.669.978.318	*31.77	Nov. 30	46.081.192.347	32.30
Dec. 1	40.716.032.190	28.92	Dec. 31	47,490,793,969	33.34
1938-			1939-		100
Jan. 1	38.869.140.625	27.53	Jan. 31	44.884.288.147	31.50
Feb. 1	39.242.676.837	27.59	Feb. 28	46.270.987.418	82.44
Mar. 1	41,172,861,535	28.94	Mar. 31	40,921,074,970	28.69
Apr. 1	31,858,461,871	22.32	Apr. 29	40,673,320,779	28.51
May 1	35.864.767.775	25.15	May 31	43,229,587,173	30.29
June 1	34,584,614,803	24.28	June 30	41,004,995,092	28.70

## Australia and Japan Make Agreement on Wool Imports and Textiles

and Textiles

L. R. Macgregor, Australian Government Trade Commissioner in United States, announced on June 29 he had received cabled advice from the Australian Government that arrangements have been made with Japan for the year 1939–40, under which Japan has voluntarily agreed to allot to Australia two-thirds of all the wool imported into Japan from foreign countries and will maintain orderly marketing of Japanese textiles in Australia, the quotas remaining unchanged at 51,250,000 square yards each for cotton and rayon piece goods. No reciprocal undertakings were given by Australian Government, which will, for the present, observe effects of these measures on Australian trade, particularly as regards purchases and importations of wool, it was said.

New York Curb Exchange Revokes Registration of E. P. Sykes for 30-Day Period

The Committee on Stock Transactions of the New York Curb Exchange announced on July 3 that the registration of E. P. Sykes, specialist in A. G. Spalding & Bros. first preferred stock, has been revoked for a period of 30 days commencing July 5, 1939. The Exchange explained its action as follows: tion as follows:

On July 1, subsequent to the opening Mr. Sykes made a market of 30 bid, offered at 33, in the Spalding stock. Transactions took place at 30, 28, 26, 24, 20, 16 and 15 in all of which Mr. Sykes was the purchaser.

The Committee upon investigation was of the opinion that although the public did not participate in these purchases and the error was made in good faith, Mr. Sykes did not use proper diligence in ascertaining the general market condition that existed prior to the admission of the security.

Two days prior to the admission of A. G. Spalding & Bros. first preferred stock, Mr. Sykes was advised that the stock was assigned to his post so that he might have ample opportunity to acquaint himself with the general market conditions prevailing in this stock.

# Decreases of \$8,714,020 in Outstanding Brokers' Loans on New York Stock Exchange During June—Total June 30 Reported at \$537,261,959—Amount is \$67,374,559 Above Year Ago

According to the monthly compilation of the New York Stock Exchange, issued July 5, outstanding brokers' loans on the Exchange decreased \$8,714,020 during June to \$537,-261,959 June 30 from \$545,975,979 May 31. As compared with June 30, 1938, when the loans outstanding amounted

to \$469,887,400, the figure for the end of June, 1939, represents an increase of \$67,374,559.

Demand loans outstanding on June 30 were below the May 31 figure but above the June 30, 1938 total, while time loans were lower than both a month ago and a year ago. The demand loans on June 30 totaled \$509,021,637, as compared with \$515,483,090 May 31 and \$431,926,400 at the close of June, 1938. Time loans at the latest date were reported at \$28,240,322, against \$30,492,889 and \$37,961,-000, respectively, a month and a year ago. ported at \$28,240,322, against \$50,432,000 and \$000, respectively, a month and a year ago.

The monthly compilation of the Stock Exchange for June 30, 1939, as issued July 5, follows:

New York Stock Exchange member total net borrowings on collateral contracted for and carried in New York as of the close of business June 30, 1939, aggregated \$537,261,959.

	The detailed tabulation follows:	Demand	Time
	(1) Net borrowings on collateral from New York banks or trust companies  (2) Net borrowings on collateral from private bankers,	\$471,890,137	\$27,840,322
1000	brokers, foreign bank agencies or others in the City of New York	37,131,500	400,000
	Combined total of time and demand borrowings	\$509,021,637	\$ 28,240,322 \$537,261,959
	Total face amount of "Government securities" pledged for the borrowings included in items (1) and (2) above		34,364,875

The scope of the above compilation is exactly the same as in the loan report issued by the Exchange a month ago. Below we furnish a two-year compilation of the figures:

Time Loans
\$
367,495,246
336,893,088
313,987,000
306,615,500
232,282,704
189,219,404 Demand Loans \$ 818,832,335 1,186,327,581 1,173,757,508 1,186,449,148 1,039,120,516 1938—
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1939— 597,418,040 576,961,81 521,116,919 466,766,529 459,363,905 469,887,400 493,615,933 541,490,407 524,202,538 580,741,637 619,955,270 106,464,000 84,763,000 65,567,500 53,188,500 40,873,500 37,961,000 32,498,000 40,183,000 40,302,497 42,514,100 35,199,137 490,954,040 492,198,814 455,549,419 413,578,029 418,490,405 431,926,400 459,217,333 508,992,407 484,019,538 540,439,140 577,441,170 1939—
Jan, 31.
Feb. 28.
Mar. 31.
Apr. 29.
May 31.
June 30. 33,983,537 37,254,037 37,663,739 32,269,650 \* Revised.

## Odd-Lot Trading on New York Stock Exchange During Week Ended June 24

Week Ended June 24

The Securities and Exchange Commission on June 29 made public a summary for the week ended June 24, of corrected figures showing the daily volume of stock transactions for the odd-lot account of odd-lot dealers and specialists on the New York Stock Exchange, continuing a series of current figures being published weekly by the Commission. The figures for the week ended June 17 appeared in our issue of July 1, page 32.

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

STOCK TRANSACTIONS FOR THE ODD-LOT ACCOUNT OF ODD-LOT

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Week Elited Suite 21 1800	Total for Week
Odd-lot sales by dealers (Customers' purchases):  Number of orders	12,156
Number of shares	323,530
Dollar value	313,452,222
Odd-lot purchases by dealers (Customers' sales):  Number of orders:  Customers' short sales	550 16,700
Customers' total sales	17,250
Number of shares: Customers' short sales Customers' other sales_a	13,678 365,521
Customers' total sales	379,199
Dollar value	313,301,212
Round-lot sales by dealers: Number of shares: Short sales- Other sales-b-	105,960
Total sales	105,060
Round-lot purchases by dealers: Number of shares	62,380
a Sales marked "short exempt" are reported with "other sales."	

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Sales to offset customers' odd-lot orders, and sales to liquidate a long position which is less than a round lot are reported with "other sales."

## CCC to Receive Proposals for Delivery of Cotton Under Exchange Agreement Between United States and Great Britain

Great Britain

The Commodity Credit Corporation announced on July 5 that it would receive proposals from qualified agencies to perform services necessary to make delivery of cotton under the exchange agreement with the British Government recently ratified by the United States Senate. A form of agency agreement, setting out the necessary services to be performed, will be furnished by the Washington office upon

request. All proposals must be received by the Commodity Credit Corporation by July 15, and the Corporation reserves the right to reject any part or all of any proposals. Signing of the agreement and ratification by the Senate

was reported in our July 1 issue, page 42.

## Current Joint Statement of J. P. Morgan & Co. and Drexel & Co. as of June 30 Shows Resources of \$611,321,991

According to a joint statement of condition, issued July 3, resources of J. P. Morgan & Co., New York, and Drexel & Co., Philadelphia, at the close of the first half of 1939 (June 30, 1939,) amounted to \$611,321,991. This figure compares with assets of \$570,640,379 on March 31, 1939, and with \$582,343,544 on Dec. 31, 1938. In the latest statement for June 30—cash on hand and on deposit in banks is shown for June 30—cash on nand and on deposit in at \$93,759,368 compared with \$119,590,562 and \$164,137,at \$93,759,368 compared with \$119,590,562 and \$164,137,-704, respectively, at the two earlier dates. Holdings of United States Government securities as at the close of the first half of the year are reported at \$393,023,427 against \$333,488,583 March 31 and \$298,529,130 Dec. 31, while holding of State and municipal bonds and notes (June 30) are shown to be \$63,155,113, in comparison with \$56,399,785 and \$53,310,495, respectively, at the two previous dates. Total deposits at the end of the first half of 1939 are \$555,596,806; on March 31 the deposits amounted to \$514,978,596,806; on March 31 the deposits amounted to \$514,978,594, and on Dec. 31, \$521,164,653. Capital of the two firms remains unchanged at \$25,000,000; surplus and partners' balances are now reported at \$19,034,539, compared with \$19,019,865 March 31 and \$18,988,127 Dec. 31. It is pointed out that the statement as above is exclusive of the firm's interest in the assets and liabilities of the firm of Morgan & Cie., Paris. gan & Cie., Paris.

## SEC Publishes Studies of Capital Markets and Stock Exchange Developments Since 1933—Deal with Registration and Sales of Securities Under Securities Act of 1933, Investment Banking and Flotation of Securities, &c.

The Securities and Exchange Commission announced on June 28 that the Research and Statistics Section of the Trading and Exchange Division has submitted the third of a series of studies of capital market and stock exchange developments since 1933, as reflected in statistics generally available or collected by the Section. The Commission will shortly combine these studies in one volume and make them available to the public as staff memoranda. In publishing these studies the Commission makes it clear that they are not reports adopted by the Commission. They represent studies made by the staff for the guidance and assistance of the Commission in connection with its administration of its various statutes. The studies were critically submitted to the Commission in connection with originally submitted to the Commission in connection with originally submitted to the Commission in connection with its fourth annual report, and for this reason generally cover the period up to June 30, 1938. They are made public at this time because they are believed to be of sufficient general interest. This study deals with "Registration and Sales of Securities Registered Under the Securities Act of 1933." The more pertinent facts disclosed in this [the third] study are summarized as follows by the SECC:

(1) A study was made to determine the success of small unseasoned issuers in selling securities registered under the Securities Act. The study covered 584 issuers of this type who registered \$321,000,000 of securities between July 7, 1933, and June 30, 1937. These issuers succeeded in selling only 23% of the securities registered within a year from the date the registration became effective.

(2) About one-third of these 584 issuers did not attempt to or did not succeed in selling any part of the securities registered. The remaining 393 issuers reported sales equivalent to only 34% of the amount registered.

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(3) Going concerns were considerably more successful in selling their securities than were new ventures. Of the 393 issuers reporting any sales at all, the going concerns sold 44% of the amount registered while the new ventures sold only 27%.

(4) Success or failure of these small issues was evidently determined within a relatively short period after registration. About 71% of the reported sales were made within three months after registration.

The SEC also reports that the study also included the ollowing data on registration of securities under the following data on reg Securities Act of 1933:

(5) Between July 7, 1933, and June 30, 1938, there became effective 2,387 registration statements for new securities of approximately \$12,100,000,000 and 536 registration statements for reorganization and exchange securities valued at about \$1,000,000,000.

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(6) Fixed interest bearing securities amounted to 58.5% of all registrations of new securities; common stock to 23.3%; preferred stock to 10.8%, and other securities to 7.4%.

(7) The issues registered between July, 1933 and December, 1934, were largely the new issues of investment companies and trusts. Beginning with the first half of 1935, security offerings were chiefly to raise funds for the repayment of indebtedness. Refunding operations have remained the chief purpose of the issues registered, except that in the second half of 1937 refunding issues were exceeded by new-money issues to expand plant, equipment and working capital.

(8) Approximately 76% of the securities registered between Jan. 1, 1936, and June 30, 1938, was underwritten, while 15% were to be sold through agents and 9% were to be distributed by the issuers themselves.

On June 30 the Commission published the fourth study of the series. This study deals with "Investment Banking and the Flotation of Securities," It consists of statistics of registrations of brokers and dealers under Section 15 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; tables on participations of investment banking firms in the underwriting of issues with gross proceeds of \$1,000,000 or more registered under the Securities Act of 1933; and statistics on the amount of private placings of securities. Pertinent facts disclosed in this study are summarized as follows:

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disclosed in this study are summarized as follows:

(1) Between Jan. 1, 1934, and June 30, 1938, a total of 515 different firms participated in underwriting 745 security issues of \$1,000,000 and over registered under the Securities Act, with total gross proceeds of \$7,584,000,000. New York City firms managed or originated 524 of these issues. They managed about 88% of the amount of the issues underwritten—89% of bonds, 89% of preferred stock, 74% of common stock.

(2) The five underwriting firms with the greatest amount of total participations (January, 1934, to June, 1938), were the First Boston Corp.; Brown Harriman & Co., Inc., Kuhn, Loeb & Co., Smith, Barney & Co. and Morgan Stanley & Co., Inc. These houses together accounted for about 31% of the amount of all underwriting participations. The 20 largest firms had about 66% of the amount of all participations, and managed 84% of the amount of all issues.

(3) Of nearly \$10,000,000,000 of corporate bond issues offered between January, 1934, and June, 1938, so far as is known to the staff of the Commission, nearly \$1,600,000,000, or 16%, was privately placed; about two-thirds of the proceeds of these privately-placed issues was for refunding purposes.

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(4) The bulk of privately offered issues was taken by life insurance companies. In 1934 and 1935 the life insurance companies took about 75% of the offerings for which purchasers were identified. In 1937 they took 95% of the private offerings, and in the first six months of 1938 they took over 99%.

(5) Of all private offerings, about 13% were registered under the Securities Act of 1933 either prior to or after sale; an additional 17% would have been exempt from registration even in the event of a public offering. The remaining 70% were sold without registration.

These figures on private placements were prepared by the Research and Statistics Section as part of its continuing study of the capital markets. Additional studies on this subject are being made by the Commission for the Temporary National Economic Committee.

(6) On June 30, 1938 there were registered with the Commission 6,763 domestic brokers and dealers, with 9.095 main and branch offices in the United States. One-fourth of these offices were in New York City alone; one-half were located in 92 other cities of over 100,000 population.

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(7) 4,672 firms had less than five employees each. 124 firms had 100 or more employees each. These 2% of the firms had 33,021 employees,

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(8) Only 1,559 out of the 6,763 registered brokers and dealers extended credit to customers. Commonest form of credit was margin accounts, carried by 1,055 of the firms.

The fifth study, dealing with "The Volume and Value of Trading on Securities Exchanges, 1935-1937," was made public by the SEC on July 3. It is pointed out by the SEC that it is essentially a summary of tabulations, published currently by the Commission, of the reported volume and the estimated value of trading in each of the three years, 1935, 1936 and 1937, of all issues traded on the New York Stock and Curb Exchanges; these issues accounted for about 95% of the value of all stock transactions and over 99% of the value of all bond transactions on all national

99% of the value of all bond transactions on all national securities exchanges. The Commission also says:

The tabulations provide for the first time a detailed breakdown of trading on exchanges classified by types of securities; the industry of the issuing companies; the size of the issuers as measured by their total assets; the activity of the issues as reflected in total volume or estimated value of trading; and the closing price for the issues for each year. Some of the facts disclosed in the study are, in summary, as follows, according to the Commission:

(1) The total estimated value of stock and bond trading on the New York Stock and New York Curb Exchanges amounted to about \$13,000,000,000 in 1935, \$18,800,000,000 in 1936 and \$14,600,000,000 in 1937.

(2) Common stock trading on the New York Stock Exchange averaged about 78 issues a year in 1935, 1936 and 1937, and accounted for about 75% of the value of all trading on the Exchange. The dollar value of this common stock trading was \$8,200,000,000 in 1935, \$12,400,000,000 in 1936 and \$10,500,000,000 in 1937.

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(3) Stock exchange trading was concentrated in the securities of a few large companies. Common stocks of about 220 companies each with assets of \$100,000,000 or more constituted only 15% of the issues traded in, but accounted for 40% to 45% of the share volume of trading and from 55% to 60% of the dollar value of trading. The same companies accounted for from 65% to 70% of the value of trading in preferred stocks and about 70% of the value of trading in bonds.

(4) More than half of the common stock issues had less than 100,000 shares turnover a year. There were between 100 and 140 common stock issues in which more than 1,000,000 shares per year were traded. These issues accounted for more than half the total value of common stock trading.

(5) Between 13% and 22% of the total value of bond trading each year was concentrated in between 26 and 50 bond issues. In nearly half of all the bond issues, trading totalled less than \$500,000 face amount a year, or less than two \$1,000 bonds per trading day. About one-half of the preferred stocks had a turnover of less than 10,000 shares

(6) More than half the common stock issues sold at less than \$20 a share. In 1935, 59% of all common stock issues closed the year at less than \$20 per share; in 1936 the figure fell to 51% and in 1937 it rose to react.

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(7) About 60% of the value of trading was in manufacturing securities; 16% in transportation and communication (particularly railroad) securities; 4% in each of mining and merchandising securities; 2½% in financial and investment companies. Trading in public utilities dropped from 14% in 1935 to 9% in 1937.

(8) Most popular issues among manufacturing industries were issues of transportation equipment (chiefly automobiles, auto parts and accessories), which accounted for about 14% of the total estimated value of trading.

# Guaranty Trust Co. Finds Less Progress Toward Recovery in United States Than in Any Other Country, Despite Vast Expenditures of Public Funds—Views Tax Burden Deterrent on Business

Views Tax Burden Deterrent on Business

The fact that "business in the United States, in spite of the vast amounts of public funds that have been spent to stimulate it, has been found to have shown less net progress toward recovery since the low point of the depression than business any other large country for which reasonably satisfactory data are available" is pointed out by the Guaranty Trust Co. of New York in "The Guaranty Survey," its monthly review of business and financial conditions in the United States and abroad, published June 26. Commenting on the "Rising Government Debt and Some of Its Consequences," "The Survey" says:

The end of this month will mark the close of the ninth consecutive year of deficit financing by the Federal Government. And the outlook is for an indefinite prolongation of the policy of borrowing, spending and lending by the Government, with some signs that it will be intensified rather than moderated as time goes on. Recent press reports indicate that there is under consideration a new and far-reaching plan for Government "investment" in business.

The public reaction to these proposals has been formed against the background of President Roosevelt's address last month before the Retailers' National Forum, in which the President defended the use of borrowed funds by the Government to provide purchasing power and promote business recovery, and belittled the dangers inherent in the mounting national debt. The new program, in other words, is viewed as a means of increasing the national income.

This policy has been responsible for most of the rise in the tax burden and the national debt in the last nine years—and yet there are in excess of 10,000,000 workers unemployed and about 20,000,000 individuals wholly or partially dependent of governmental relief payments, and industrial production and national income are at 77% of their respective 1929 levels.

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production and national income are at 77% of their respective 1929 levels. The outlook for balancing the budget by further increases in taxation not promising. The tax burden on the people of the United States for the support of the Federal Government alone increased more than \$2,000,000,000 between 1930 (the last year in which the budget was balanced) and 1938, but a further increase of more than \$3,000,000,000 above the 1938 total would be required to balance the budget at the present level of expenditures. Tax rates are already so high that they appear to be exerting a strong deterrent effect on business. Taxes on business concerns must either raise prices and reduce demand, or diminish profits and discourage expansion. Taxes on individuals diminish their purchasing power and lower their capacity to consume the products of industry and to finance the growth of business. It is a serious question whether the economic life of the country could bear further heavy increases in the tax burden without a disastrous impairment of productivity.

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Substantial relief must come, therefore, through reduced expenditures. Of the more than \$9,300,000,000 of expenditures in prospect for the coming fiscal year, only about \$3,300,000,000 is for the ordinary and indispensable functions of government; and this includes the extraordinarily high figure of \$1,400,000,000 for national defense. The remaining \$6,000,000,000 is for what may be broadly described as social purposes, including relief and public works, aid to agriculture, social security, and payments to veterans. Any hope of balancing the budget through substantial savings in the cost of government must lie primarily in these classifications, together with some possible reduction in expenditures for national defense.

Today we face the prospect of an indefinite continuance of debt expansion in the hope that further Government spending will raise the national income to a point where the increased tax yield will balance the budget. Experience does not encourage this hope. Events of the last few years, like those of more remote inflationary episodes, tend to show that public spending cannot possibly provide an adequate substitute for private spending, and that, once the process is begun, successive doses of the artificial stimulant are required to prevent collapse. Obviously, the process cannot go on forever. The only escape from the vicious circle that does not lead to economic chaos lies in the reestablishment of a sound fiscal policy and the removal of the burdens and restrictions that have deprived business of its incentive to expand.

## Improvement in Business Noted by National City Bank of New York, Which Finds Operations Better Than Is Usually Found with Advent of Summer— Comments on President's New Federal Lending Program

It is observed by the National City Bank of New York that "the business reports during June show that the indications of improvement which appeared in the middle of May were well founded." In its "Monthly Letter" for June

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The industries have been getting more orders, they have maintained operations better than is usually expected at the approach of summer, and in some cases have increased their schedules. According to preliminary figures, the production index for June will be back near the March level. In July automobile assemblies and cotton mill operations will be curtailed, but orders on hand suggest that otherwise the summer recession is likely to be less pronounced than usual.

Evidently the spring slackening was a matter of minor adjustments, complicated by the war menace, the coal strike, and unseasonable weather; and when these depressing influences lifted, business was in shape to regain the lost ground.

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The President's proposal for a new program of Federal lending has not so far affected the markets or business sentiment to any great extent. The program has not yet been reduced to a bill before Congress, it is not clear just how much extension of the present powers of the Federal lending agencies will be called for, and the detailed evidence relating to the various items has not yet been presented for public discussion. It is regrettable that the proposal will come up for action in the closing days of a crowded session, when the Congress may not be able to give it the study and debate that its importance warrants.

It remains to be said that the President's proposal, like all others aimed to stimulate spending and investment simply by providing new

credit facilities or adding to the supply of money . . . naturally omits other fundamental factors.

The lesson of recent years is that additional credit facilities will not of themselves bring recovery. This country has all the lending agencies that it had in 1929, and more. The real question is what will promote equity investment, and the emphasis belongs on the costs of doing business, taxes, Government interventions, and other non-monetary factors. It is sound reasoning that before accepting continuing Government lending and spending as a necessary charge in the future, an effort should be made to correct the maladjustments which are holding back private initiative and enterprise. initiative and enterprise.

Chase National Bank to Discontinue Interest on Compound Interest Accounts

The Chase National Bank of New York will discontinue the payment of interest on compound interest accounts, effective Aug. 1, it was announced July 1. The Chase Na-tional Bank has maintained a compound interest department in many of its branches as a convenience for the bank's customers, and the aggregate amount on deposit in the department, it is stated, is less than 1% of total deposits. The bank has not sought to compete with savings banks for thrift bank has not sought to compete with savings banks for thrift funds generally and the interest rates paid have been lower than savings bank rates. Since Nov. 1, 1938, the Chase National Bank has been paying 1% on compound interest account balances between \$50 and \$1,000, ½% on balances from \$1,000 to \$2,500, and no interest on balances over \$2,500. Although no interest will be paid on compound interest deposits after Aug. 1, the bank will continue to provide facilities for those customers in the compound interest department who feel that the convenience of a deposit and withdrawal account outweighs other considerations. withdrawal account outweighs other considerations

Irving Savings Bank of New York Celebrates 88th Anniversary

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On Saturday, July 1, 1939, the Irving Savings Bank of
New York City celebrated the 88th anniversary of its banking service in New York. Irving Savings Bank was chartered July 1, 1851, by the New York State Legislature. On
June 30, 1939, Irving Savings Bank paid its 210th consecutive interest dividend to its depositors, and in commenting
on the anniversary, Robert A. Barnet, President, pointed out
that deposits today amount to more than \$33,000,000. The
bank's announcement states that in 1859, eight years after it
was founded, deposits amounted to about \$436,000, this at
the height of the pre-war panic. Nevertheless, during the
Civil War, the bank deposits increased steadily until in 1864
they stood at \$1,575,000. Through boom and depression,
the bank, it is noted, has grown steadily, never failing to
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Robert A. Barnet is the 12th President of Irving Savings Bank, succeeding Hampden E. Tener, now Chairman of the Board of Trustee, who served from 1910 to 1937. Other officers of the Irving Savings Bank include Samuel S. Conover, Chairman of the Executive Committee; Walter J. Reeves, Vice-President and Secretary in charge of the 81st St. and 1st Ave. Office; and George F. J. Newmann, Vice-President in charge of Real Estate and Mortgage Department

## FHLB Retirement of \$41,500,000 Issues Reported by G. L. Bliss

The retirement on July 1, without refunding, of the \$41,500,000 issue of one-year 1% consolidated Federal Home Loan Bank debentures was reported by George L. Bliss, President of the Federal Home Loan Bank of New York on July 2. "The broad purpose of the System is to level out the peaks and valleys in the demand and supply of local funds of its member thrift and home-financing institutions,"

out the peaks and valleys in the demand and supply of local funds of its member thrift and home-financing institutions," said Mr. Bliss in noting the retirement of the current maturity of consolidated Federal Home Loan Bank debentures. He further said:

In their seven brief years of existence, the 12 Federal Home Loan banks have advanced nearly \$500,000,000 of short and long-term credits to local institutions, thus helping them to function normally in their local home-financing programs. Membership in the System has grown to some 4,000 institutions, mostly of the savings, building and loan type, with assets of approximately \$4,500,000,000, located in every State of the Union, as well as in Hawaii and Alaska.

The initial funds with which to extend credits to member institutions were provided by a subscription to the capital stock of the Federal Home Loan banks in the amount of \$124,741,000, made by the Secretary of the Treasury. This was supplemented by a requirement of the Act that each member institution subscribe to a proportionate amount of capital stock, which subscriptions, to date, have added a further \$39,362,600.

In 1937, approximately five years after the establishment of the System, the Federal Home Loan banks first entered the investment market with the sale of consolidated debentures, which are the joint and several obligations of the 12 banks. Five series have been issued in the total amount of \$112,700,000, but retirements, including the current maturity, have reduced the volume of debentures now outstanding to \$48,500,000.

For the past year or more a heavy flow of savings funds into local member institutions of the System has permitted a substantial reduction in their outstanding advances from the Federal Home Loan banks. They, in turn, have proceeded to retire their outstanding obligations. The operation of this phase of the cycle is emphasized by the fact that, in addition to reducing the amount of advances from the Federal Home Loan banks, the member institutions have been depositing their all-time high.

When the present cycle has run its course member institutions will start drawing on their deposit accounts. In due course they will again resume the use of credits made available by the System to meet the home-

financing needs of their respective communities.

## Loan Repayments to Federal Home Loan Bank New York Totaled \$5,605,749 in First Half of 19 —Advances to Members Amounted to \$4,276,900

Loan repayments to the Federal Home Loan Bank of New York by borrowing member institutions totaled \$5,605,749 in the first six months of 1939, it was announced July 4 by George MacDonald, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank. This compares with \$3,387,751 in the last six months of last year and \$6,686,832 in the first six months of last year when repayments were greater than six months of last year, when repayments were greater than in any other period. In announcing this, Mr. MacDonald

These repayments are one of our more encouraging signs of the improved condition of building, savings and loan associations in this district. It reflects improved cash balances, more ample supplies of funds for home mortgage lending. It reflects a general restoration of public confidence. Individual savers are increasingly turning to their local associations for the investment of their savings, despite a trend to lower dividend rates. Advances by the Bank to its member institutions during the last six months amounted to \$4,276,900.

Since the Federal Home Loan Bank commenced business on Nov. 15, 1932, as the central credit agency for thrift and home financing institutions in New York, New Jersey, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, one of the 12 similar banks in the country, total advances have amounted to \$52,720,050. Repayments have totaled \$35,794,044, leaving the net amount of outstanding advances at \$16,926,006.

While these advances have been used for a variety of purposes, they have in main aided the borrowing institutions to meet the needs of their communities for mortgage loans on homes, when demand for mortgage credit was running at a greater rate than the supply of local funds.

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The Bank listed 420 member institutions in its district as of June 30, compared with 419 a year ago, Mr. MacDonald added. It is also stated that member institutions together account for more than two-thirds of new home-

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Earnings of the Bank amounted to \$219,128 for the half-year just ended. Of this \$116,442 was disbursed in dividends, Mr. MacDonald announced, continuing the 1% annual dividend rate established last December. This left \$102,65% to be carried to receive and undivided profits. \$102,686 to be carried to reserves and undivided profits, and it is stated there was a 65% increase in deposits by member institutions of their surplus funds during the six months' period. The Bank held \$5,151,689 in such deposits, June 30, which compares to \$3,122,430 Dec. 30.

## Additional New York Banks to Close on Saturdays During July and August

Additional commercial banks following the lead of the New York Clearing House banks in closing on Saturdays during July and August in accordance with the Quinn law, signed by Governor Lehman June 19, are as follows:

Clinton Trust Co., Empire Trust Co., Bank of Athens Trust Co., Colonial Trust Co., Trade Bank of New York, Sterling National Bank & Trust Co. and Lafayette National Bank of Brooklyn.

The following savings banks in Brooklyn, N. Y., announce that their offices and safe deposit vaults will not be open for business on Saturdays from July 8 to Aug. 26, inclusive:

Bay Ridge Savings Bank; Brooklyn Savings Bank; City Savings Bank Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn; Flatbush Savings Bank; Fulton Savings Bank; Greater New York Savings Bank; Green Point Savings Bank; Ham-burg Savings Bank; Kings Highway Savings Bank; Prudential Savings Bank; Ridgewood Savings Bank; Roosevelt Savings Bank; South Brooklyn Savings Bank; and Williamsburgh Savings Bank.

Previous action by savings banks in New York City was noted in our issue of last week, page 33. The signing of the bill and the action of the 19 New York Clearing House banks was reported in these columns of June 24, page 3772.

## Governor James of Pennsylvania Vetoes Bill Permitting Banks to Close on Saturdays During Summer

Governor Arthur H. James of Pennsylvania on June 26 vetoed a bill providing for Saturday closings of banks during July, August and the first week of September. In his message Gov. James said:

Banks are public institutions for the accommodation of the public in facilitating the transaction of business. It seems that confusion and inconvenience would result from the fact that some banks would be closed all day

venience would result from the fact that some banks would be closed all day Saturday and others open for a half day.

Furthermore, banking institutions are not in accord on the question of closing their establishments all day on Saturday and an effort to bring about this accord should not be initiated by this sort of legislation.

If and when banking interests succeed in crystalizing sentiment among themselves and agree that the banking days during the summer months should be shortened, a general bill to that effect would be a matter of public knowledge and notice and no inconvenience and confusion would result.

It is understood that a similar act has been in effect in New Jørsey and that recently a similar act was approved in New York. It is suggested that Pennsylvania bankers observe the results of the operation of the New York and New Jørsey laws, and that possibly at some later date they may in the light of the experience gained in these States, reach an accord.

For these reasons, the bill is not approved.

The text of a New York law, signed by Governor Lehman.

The text of a New York law, signed by Governor Lehman June 19, providing for permissive closings of banks in New York State on Saturdays during July and August, was given

The decision of the Governors of the New York Stock Exchange not to close was also mentioned in our issue of last week, page 32.

Stock of Money in the Country

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The Treasury Department in Washington has issued the customary monthly statement showing the stock of money in the country and the amount in circulation after deducting the moneys held in the United States Treasury and by Federal Reserve banks and agents. The figures this time are for May 31, 1939, and show that the money in circulation at that date (including, of course, what is held in bank vaults of member banks of the Federal Reserve System) was \$6,967,395,463, as against \$6,905,036,746 on April 30, 1939, and \$6,467,227,891 on May 31, 1938, and comparing with \$5,698,214,612 on Oct. 31, 1920. Just before the outbreak of the World War, that is, on June 30, 1914, the total was only \$3,459,434,174. The following is the full statement:

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\* Revised figures.

a Does not include gold other than that held by the Treasury.

b These amounts are not included in the total, since the gold or sliver held as security against gold and sliver certificates and Treasury notes of 1890 is included under gold, standard sliver dollars, and sliver bullion, respectively.

c This total includes credits with the Treasurer of the United States payable in gold certificates in (1) the Gold Certificate Fund—Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, in the amount of \$10,502,275,120, and (2) the redemption fund for Federal Reserve notes in the amount of \$8,545.844.

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d Includes \$1.800.000.000 Exchange Stabilization Fund and \$142,351,487 balance increment resulting from reduction in weight of the gold dollar.

e Includes \$59,300,000 lawful money deposited as a reserve for Postal Savings

f The amount of gold and silver certificates and Treasury notes of 1890 should be deducted from this amount before combining with total money held in the Treasury to arrive at the total amount of money in the United States.

2 The money in circulation includes any paper currency held outside the con-nental limits of the United States.

we may make of the United States. Note—There is maintained in the Treasury—(i) as a reserve for United States otes and Treasury notes of 1890—\$156,039,431 in gold bullion; (ii) as security for reasury notes of 1890—an equal dollar amount in standard silver dollars (these

notes are being canceled and retired on receipt); (iii) as security for outstanding silver certificates—silver in bullion and standard silver dollars of a monetary value equal to the face amount of such silver certificates; and (iv) as security for gold certificates—gold bullion of a value at the legal standard equal to the face amount of such gold certificates. Federal Reserve notes are obligations of the United States and a first lien on all the assets of the issuing Federal Reserve bank. Federal Reserve notes are escured by the deposit with Federal Reserve agents of a like amount of gold certificates or of gold certificates and such discounted or purchased paper as is eligible under the terms of the Federal Reserve Act, or, until June 30, 1939, of direct obligations of the United States if so authorized by a majority vote of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. Federal Reserve banks must maintain a reserve in gold certificates of at least 40%, including the redemption fund which must be deposited with the Treasurer of the United States, against Federal Reserve notes in actual circulation. "Gold certificates" as herein used includes credits with the Treasurer of the United States payable in gold certificates. Federal Reserve bank notes and National bank notes are in process of retirement

## New York State League of Savings and Loan Associa-tions Report Increase in Home Mortgage Loans and Amount Loaned During May

Another large increase in both number of loans and Another large increase in both number of loans and amount loaned in home mortgages by all savings and loan associations of New York State was made during May, over the same month in 1938 and over the preceding month of April, according to announcement made June 26 by Zebulon V. Woodard, Executive Vice-President of the New York State League of Savings and Loan Associations. An estimated total of 1,814 mortgage loans for an amount of \$6,354,710 for May, 1939, is reached through reports of some 118 member associations of the New York State League, which report making an actual total of 1,026 loans amounting to \$3,590,232. The League's announcement further said:

This projected total, to include all 276 associations in New York State, represents an increase of 21% in the number of loans, and 34% in amount loaned over May, 1938, and a 22% increase in amount loaned over the month of April, 1939.

The 1,026 loans made by the 118 institutions were divided as follows: 687 were for the purchase or construction of new homes, in a total of \$2,790,002; 150 were refinanced, totaling \$469,386; 85 were for modernization and repairs, totaling \$108,941, while 104 other loans totaled \$221,903.

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Each month during 1939 has shown a definite upswing in the home mortgages made by the savings and loan associations of the State, May reflecting another decided increase.

## Tenders of \$282,433,000 Received to Offering of \$100,-000,000 of 91-Day Treasury Bills—\$100,563,000 Accepted at Average Rate of 0.014%

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Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr. announced on June 30 that tenders to the offering last week of \$100,000,000, or thereabouts, of 91-day Treasury bills totaled \$282,433,000, of which \$100,563,000 were accepted at an average rate of 0.014%. The Treasury bills are dated July 5 and will mature on Oct. 4, 1939. Reference to the offering appeared in our issue of July 1, page 34.

The following regarding the accepted bids to the offering is from Secretary Morgenthan's announcement of June 30:

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Total applied for, \$282,433,000 Range of accepted bids:

Total accepted, \$100,563,000

New Offering of \$100,000,000, or Thereabouts, of 91-Day Treasury Bills—To Be Dated July 12, 1939

Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr. announced on July 6 that tenders are invited to an offering of 91-day Treasury bills to the amount of \$100,000,000, or thereabouts, to be sold on a discount basis to the highest bidders. Tenders will be received at the Federal Reserve Banks, or the branches thereof up to 2 p.m. (EST), July 10, but will not be received at the Treasury Department, Washington. The Treasury bills will be dated July 12, 1939 and will mature on Oct. 11, 1939, and on the maturity date the face amount will be payable without interest. There is a maturity of a similar issue of bills on July 12 in amount of \$100,167,000. In his announcement of the offering Secretary Morgenthau also said: also said:

They (the Bills) will be issued in bearer form only, and in amounts or denominations of \$1,000, \$10,000, \$100,000, \$500,000, and \$1,000,000

(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 with not more than three decimal places, e.g., 99.125. tions must not be used.

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.

Immediately after the closing hour for receipt of tenders on July 10, 1939!

Immediately after the closing hour for receipt of tenders on July 10, 19339 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 July Federal Reserve Banks in cash or other immediately available funds on July

The Treasury bills will be exemptl 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

Treasury Department Circular No. 418, as amended, and this notice prescribe the terms of the Treasury bills and govern the conditions of their

## President Roosevelt Signs \$1,194,498,633 Farm Bill— Says Duty of Providing Additional Funds Rests with Congress

The record \$1,194,488,633 Agriculture Department approon June 30. In a statement accompanying the signing of the 1940 farm bill the President reminded Congress that it failed to enact a revenue measure to help provide funds for "parity" payments of \$225,000,000. Mr. Roosevelt said:

Because the new fiscal year begins in a few hours, I am not withholding my approval of this appropriation bill. But the situation in regard to the financing of these parity payments remains what it was last year, and no action has been taken by the Congress. It, therefore, seems clear that the duty of providing additional funds for the Treasury still rests directly with the Congress.

The bill was \$283,960,000 above Budget Bureau estimates and included about \$773,000,000 for payments to farmers. In our issue of last week, page 37, reference was made to the adoption by Congress of the conference report on the measure.

# Approval by President Roosevelt of Measures Extending Connally "Hot Oil" Act for Three Years—Secretary Ickes Expects Consumer to Benefit if Policy Announced in Act is Adopted as Permanent Legislation

As noted in our issue of July 1, page 34, President Roosevelt on June 30 signed the Act of Congress extending from June 30, 1939 to June 30, 1942 the expiration date of the so-called Connally "Hot Oil" Law, administered by the Secretary of the Interior, which was approved originally on February 22, 1935. "The extension of this law makes possible continued joint action of the Federal Government and the principal oil-producing States in the conservation of the oil and gas resources of the United States," it was stated on June 30 by Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes, who will continue to execute certain of the powers vested in the will continue to execute certain of the powers vested in the President by the law. In an announcement to this effect the Department of the Interior on June 30 said:

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The Connally Law supports the oil and gas conservation laws which have been enacted by seven States—Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas, which are now producing 72% of the total petroleum output of the United States—by prohibiting the shipment in interstate or foreign commerce of petroleum and petroleum products produced in excess of the amounts permitted under these State laws. When the similar law which was enacted recently in California becomes effective, 90% of the oil production of the United States will be subject to State conservation laws and the Connally Law. Illinois, now ranking fifth in oil production and producing State which has not adopted legislation to conserve the oil and gas resources within its borders.

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This joint action of the State and Federal Governments is preventing waste and increasing the efficiency of oil production in the United States. Our petroleum supply is being maintained to an important degree by improvements in methods of production, which make possible an increased recovery of oil from our proved reserves. By making certain that we produce oil in the United States more efficiently and with a higher recovery factor than in other countries, our oil supply can be brought closer to a parity with the oil resources of the rest of the world and we can thus postpone the time when we will have to depend upon foreign supplies or alternative fuels, both at higher prices.

By giving strong support to the State oil and gas conservation laws, the Connally Law has made a substantial contribution to the conservation of the oil and gas resources of the Nation, and the Federal and State responsibilities in this respect have been coordinated without placing any undue burden upon the consumer of petroleum products. In fact, I am convinced that the consumer will continue to benefit if the policy announced in the Connally Act of making adequate supplies of oil available at reasonable prices is adopted as permanent legislation of the United States.

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Secretary Ickes said that no changes in policy are anticipated under the extension of the Connally Law but that he favors the permanent enactment of the law as soon as possible as a step toward the protection of the needs for oil for the national defense and for the general welfare.

## President Roosevelt Signs \$293,895,547 Supplemental War Department Appropriation Bill

President Roosevelt on July 2 signed the \$293,895,547 supplemental War Department appropriation bill making available the actual funds for the emergency defense program. The bill carries \$223,398,047 in direct funds and \$70,497,500 in contract authorizations for expanding the Air Corps to 5,500 planes, strengthening the Panama Canal defenses and extending the "educational orders" program the formiliarity meanufacturers with military requirements. to familiarize manufacturers with military requirements. The Senate passed the bill on June 29, adding \$1,200,000 to the House-approved (on June 22) measure; this change was accepted by the House on June 30. Two other Senate amendments were eliminated in conference; the conference report was accepted by the Senate on June 30. Approval of the bill by the House Appropriations Committee was mentioned in these columns of June 17, page 3615. As passed by the House on June 22, on a voice vote, the bill totaled \$292,695,547. By a roll-call vote of 217 to 150 the House reversed a vote of the previous day which would have reduced by 1,283 planes the proposed expansion of the Army Air Corps to 5,500 planes.

Bill Restoring President's Monetary Powers Becomes Law—Measure Signed by Chief Executive After Senate Reverses Previous Action and Approves Conference Report Continuing Devaluation Powers and \$2,000,000,000 Stabilization Fund—Authority Had Expired June 30

Approval by the Senate on July 5 of the conference report authorizing the continuance of the President's power to devalue the dollar and to continue the \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund, was followed on July 6 by the signing of the bilization fund, was followed on July 6 by the signing of the measure by President Roosevelt, thus restoring to him the monetary powers, which had automatically expired on June 30 through a filibuster of the Senate which prevented passage of the legislation. It was not until July 5 that the Senate—by a vote of 43 to 39—approved the conference report, extending the life of the stabilization fund for two years (until June 30, 1941) continuing the President's devaluation powers and directing the Government to pay 71.11 cents are curse for domestic mined silver, against the previous years (until June 30, 1941) continuing the President's devaluation powers and directing the Government to pay 71.11 cents an ounce for domestic mined silver, against the previous price of 64.64 cents an ounce; the conference report omitted reference to foreign silver, thereby, it was noted in Associated Press of July 5, leaving the Treasury free to continue buying the metal from Mexican and other sources. The House approved the conference report on June 30, the new measure following Senate action, July 5 thus being in shape for presidential approval. Reporting the final Senate action, United Press accounts from Washington July 5 said in part: 19 Democrats deserted the Administration to join with 18 Republicans and the two Farmer-Laborites in voting against the report.

40 Democrats, one Republican (Borah, of Idaho), one Progressive and one Independent voted "aye."

In approving the report, the Senate reversed the position it took last week when "gold dollar" Republicans joined with conservative and silver State Democrats in stripping the President of his devaluation powers, banning future purchases by the Treasury of foreign silver and fixing the price of domestic silver at 77.57 cents an ounce.

President Roosevelt publicly criticized the action. He said that it would place control of the nation's currency back in Wall Street, and would weaken the national defense. Pressure was brought on the House and its conferees forced the Senate group to yield on devaluation and to foreign silver purchases, and agree to cut six cents an ounce from the proposed domestic silver price.

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stabilization fund expired.

This created a complex problem. The filibusters, led by acting Minority Leader Warren R. Austin, (R.-Vt.), contended that the powers were dead and could be survived only through new legislation. Attorney General Frank Murphy held otherwise. He ruled that the powers merely had lapsed and could be extended by adoption of the conference report. The struggle went beyond the monetary issue. It was the spearhead of the Republican drive to shear the President of all powers which Congress surrendered during the economic emergency. Republicans acknowledged

The struggle went beyond the monetary issue. It was the spearhead of the Republican drive to shear the President of all powers which Congress surrendered during the economic emergency. Republicans acknowledged over the week-end that the Chief Executive's fight against relinquishing any of these powers already had become an issue in the 1940 election. First official reaction to the Senate's action came from the Treasury, which earlier had suspended virtually all purchases of domestic and foreign silver. A spokesman said regulations will be issued covering domestic silver purchases as soon as the President signs the bill.

Under the authority which lapsed on June 30, the President had power to fix domestic silver prices up to \$1.29 an ounce. The new law requires the government to pay 71.11 cents an ounce, or an increase of 6.47 cents an ounce over the 64.64 cents paid on June 30.

The outcome of the Senate contest was in doubt until a few moments before the roll call. Reports had circulated in Senate corridors that the verdict would be delivered by one vote. This appeared to bear out the uncertainty shown by Senate Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley, (D.-Ky.), after he had conferred with the President earlier in the day.

On leaving the White House, he told reporters that he "hoped" the report would be adopted and that he had so informed the Chief Executive. It was apparent from the first that in order to win, the Administration had to drive a wedge between the silver State Democrats and the gold dollar Republicans. dollar Republicans

analysis of the vote shows that seven Senators closely associated the silver bloc supported the Administration to make the victory

Heated debate preceded the final vote. Democrats usually loyal to the Administration fired away at New Deal monetary policies, Senator Key Pittman, (D.-Nev.), voted for the report. . . . Most of the Senators had made up their minds and only a handful were present at 11 a. m., when the Senate convened.

Reference appeared in these columns July 1, page 38, to the setback in the Senate which the President's monetary powers received a week ago, through a coalition of conservative Republicans and Western Democrats, comprising the so-called "silver bloc" when the Senate on June 26 increased the Treasury price for domestically-mined silver, forbade the Treasury purchase of foreign silver, and repealed the authority of the President further to devalue the dollar. The Senate, however, in passing the monetary bill on June 26 retained in the prolongation of the \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund for a period of two years. The measure then went to conference with the House, which had previously (on April 21) passed the bill in a form acceptable to the Administration. In the House New Deal leaders regained some prestige, when on June 28, that body by a vote of 216 to 164 rejected a move to bring the Senate amendments to the House for immediate action; a roll call by the House on a resolution to send the bill to conference resulted in a vote of 209 to 161.

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The money bill earlier had received the approval of the House, 229 to 160, after Republicans in that body, by an unusual and noisy filibuster, had made sure the relief bill would be considered by the Senate before it turned to the monetary measure. This purpose they accomplished by simply delaying a vote on the monetary measure until the Senate's relief debate had begun.

House Republicans, as determined in their opposition as their Senate colleagues, thus gave the latter several valuable hours advantage. By forcing five calls of the House roll and by other strategems, they stretched what is usually a quiet 10-minute routine, into four-hour carnival of bedlam and hubub. In the end the bill was approved, 229 to 160,

Only seven of the Democrats voting went on record against the measure while only two of the Republicans who voted—Case of South Dakota and Dworshak of Idaho—favored it.

The Democrats were Coffee of Nebraska, Kilday, Kleberg, Lanham and West of Texas, Moser of Pennsylvania and Robertson of Virginia.

Although the rules of the House are so rigid that filibusters there are infrequent and generally short-lived, the Republicans found the regulations unusually productive of delay today.

They watched for every moment that might find less than a quorum on the floor, and demanded a roll call. Then while Speaker Bankhead counted the attendance, pointing the handle of his gavel to each in his turn, Republicans scurried into the cloakrooms, to make sure he would find less than the quorum number of 218 present and be forced to order a roll call. This ruse was tried three times, and each roll call was good for 40 minutes or so. Finally, the squirming Democratic leadership took action. Rep.

This ruse was tried three times, and each roll call was good for 40 minutes or so. Finally, the squirming Democratic leadership took action. Rep. Somers (Dem., N. Y.), in charge of the bill, moved that debate be ended, and the Republicans forced a roll call vote on that question. The leader-

ship won, 241 to 159.

Then, with debate ordered closed and the chair all ready to put the bill to a final vote.

With the continued filibuster of the Senate and the automatic expiration of the President's powers on June 30 Administration leaders had expressed the hope that these powers could be restored this week by Senate action, although powers could be restored this week by Senate action, although some opponents declared that the monetary devaluation power and the stabilization fund had definitely expired and could only be re-created by new legislation. A contrary opinion was given the President, however, (as indicated above) by Attorney General Murphy.

A Washington dispatch of July 1 by Turner Catledge to the New York "Times" reporting the Senate filibuster said in part:

The President's monetary powers, as well as the stabilization fund, died at midnight under the terms of the law which first set them up. The measure killed by the Senate filibuster would have prolonged them until

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Before the Senate met for the day a group of Republicans gathered in Senator Townsend's office and decided definitely to talk the Monetary Bill to death. In their announcement of this determination the Republicans declined to term their intended action a "fillouster." President Roosevelt at his press conference yesterday had declared that the public would resent a Republican fillouster.

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"The best answer to the President's charge of filibustering will be the debate itself," said Senator Austin, acting minority leader. "Just listen to it and make up your minds as to whether it is a filibuster or honest, legitimate debate." legitimate debate.

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By mid-afternoon majority and minority leaderships in both houses were engaged in a game of parliamentary chess. The Democratic leaders sought to hold the Relief Bill conference report in the House until after the Monetary Bill report could be acted upon there and sent to the Senate. Their intention was to get the money bill report up for consideration ahead of the important relief measure so that the Republicans and hard-money Democrats would have to take responsibility for stopping the new relief appropriation if they talked the monetary authority to death.

This strategy was frustrated, however, when Senator Adams, in charge of the Relief Bill in the Senate but one of the hard-money Democratic leaders, demanded to know why the WPA fund conference report was being delayed.

The strategy of the Administration managers to link the money and relief bills in the hope of breaking the delay on the former had been abandoned. The relief appropriation was taken up within the next minute, and, instead of being a good tool in the hands of the Democratic leaders, and, instead of being a good tool in the names of the Democratic leaders, became so for the Republicans. Debate on the relief items started anew when Senator Barkley asked Senator Adams to explain some of the changes in the bill. It continued into the night.

The monetary conference report, after being subjected in the House to contain the subject of the through the Senator and

four hours of delay engineered by the Republicans, reached the Senate and lay unnoticed for several hours on the Vice-President's desk.

Senator Wagner, in charge of the measure, walked in and out of the chamber powerless to do anything to insure adoption before the midnight

On July 6 Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau issued, under section 4 of the Act of July 6, 1939, "regulations providing for the receipt by the coinage mints of domestic silver mined subsequently to July 1, 1939." "Depositors," said the announcement, "will receive 71.11 cents per fine troy ounce for such silver."

President Roosevelt Signs \$1,755,000,000 Appropriation Relief Bill Following Adoption of Measure by Con-gress—Criticism by President of "Hardships Im-posed by Bill"

The Administration's relief bill, appropriating \$1,755,-000,000 (final action on which was completed by Congress on June 30), was signed by President Roosevelt late at right June 30. In affixing his signature to the legislation the President issued a statement in calling attention "to some of the hardships imposed by this bill," stated however that he could not "withhold my signature and thereby stop work relief for the needy unemployed." Reference to the agreement in conference on the provisions of the bill was made in our issue of a week ago, page 36. The Conference report was approved by the House on June 30 by a vote of 321 to 23; the Senate without a record vote also approved the report on June 30. Of the total amount which the bill appropriates (viz. \$1,-755,000,000) \$1,477,000,000 will go to Works Progress Administration; \$100,000,000 to the National Youth Administration, and \$143,000,000 for farm-tenant loans. WPA received \$2,250,221,000 during the 1939 fiscal year.

The Conference report was approved by the House after an hour's debate, said United Press accounts from Washington June 30, from which the following is also taken:

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Four and one-half hours later the report was adopted in the Senate without

record vote.

In its final form the bill appropriates substantially the amount recommended by the President, but also carries a ban on Federal theatre projects and imposes other limitations on WPA activities which the Chief Executive did not propose. It seeks to divorce politics from relief, which the President repeatedly has indorsed, and strikes at "career" reliefers by forcing them to

repeatedly has indorsed, and strikes at "career" reliefers by forcing them to take a 30-day "vacation" after they have been on relief rolls continuously for 18 months.

The bill makes no appropriation for PWA. The House sought to earmark \$125,000,000 of the fund for PWA, but it was rejected by the Senate. The President did not request money for PWA. Senate leaders said the agency would be taken care of in the new pump-priming program.

Essential provisions of the measure include:
\$1.477,000,000 for WPA.

\$100,000,000 for National Youth Administration. \$143,000,000 for the Farm Security Administration. States and cities must put up 25% of the aggregate cost of non-Federal

States and cities must put up 25% of the aggregate cost of non-Federal WPA projects in their locality.

Limits Federal contributions to non-Federal projects to \$52,000.

Substitutes the security wage for the prevailing wage.

Bans use of WPA funds in relocating mills, factories and similar business enterprises in competition with private industry.

Requires administrative and supervisory WPA employees to take an oath to support the Constitution and bars payment of funds to those who advocate the overthrow of the Government.

Requires that "relative need" be considered in placing persons on WPA rolls.

Tolls.

The cost-of-living yardstick is applied to WPA wage differentials for persons doing the same kind of work in different areas.

Only \$20,000,000 of the \$70,000,000 increase in the bill which the Senate voted in a spending spree Wednesday night [June 28] remained in the conference report. The additional money went to the Farm Security Administration. The Senate yielded also on the Federal theatre projects issue.

The House gave up its plan to create a three-man board to administer WPA and agreed to a Senate amendment which calls for Senate confirmation of WPA administrators and supervisors earning more than \$5,000

The President's statement issued with the signing of the bill, follows:

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This is another main appropriation bill for the fiscal year beginning tomorrow, July 1. It comes to me from the Congress at 10 P.M. on June 30. Obviously I cannot withhold my signature and thereby stop work relief for the needy unemployed.

The bill contains, however, a number of provisions which will work definite hardships and inequality on more than two million American citizens—about eight million if we count in their families—people who through no fault of their own are in dire need.

I call attention to some of the hardships imposed by this bill: (A) It requires that security wages in different localities shall not be varied in greater degree than is justified by differences in the cost of living. But the same provision also requires that the current national average security wage shall be maintained. The net result of this will probably impose a reduction in security wages in Northern and Western areas, and a corresponding rise in that portion of the nation which has a warmer climate.

(B) A requirement that project workers (excepting veterans) who have been continuously employed on projects for more than 18 months shall be laid off for 30 days. The Senate amendment which allowed the exercise of some discretion in the case of families in dire need, was stricken out at the insistence of the House conferees.

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insistence of the House conferees.

(C) Administrative expenses are limited to 3.4%. This is about the same percentage as overhead has been costing this year, but because the total of the relief appropriation has been cut by over half a billion dollars, it is obvious that the overhead for the smaller sum will be higher on a percentage basis than the overhead for the larger sum—that is to be main-

tained.

(D) The Federal Theatre Project is abolished. This singles out a special group of professional people for a denial of work in their own profession. It is discrimination of the worst type. I have not objected to the provision that a portion of the cost of projects for artists, musicians and writers should be paid for by local governments and sponsored by them, and the same provision could well have been applied to theatre projects. The House conferees declined to yield to the Senate, and we have, as a result an entering wedge of legislation against a specific class in the community.

## Neutrality Bill Passed by House With Arms Embargo Provision Opposed by President—Senate Com-mittee Scheduled to Act on Legislation Today

Administration leaders indicated this week that they would make strong efforts to obtain passage of the proposed revision in the neutrality law, including abolition of the arms wision in the neutrality law, including abolition of the arms embargo provision preventing shipment of munitions to belligerents. The bill is scheduled for consideration today (July 8) by the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, where sentiment toward the proposed legislation appears divided. The bill met with an unexpected setback on June 30, when the House, overriding President Roosevelt's wishes, passed the measure by a vote of 200 to 188, but only after inserting a modified form of the mandatory arms embargo contained in the present law, Administration leaders hoped the Senate would eliminate the embargo feature entirely, and that in conference the House decision might later be reversed. The conference the House decision might later be reversed. The House passed the bill at a night session June 30 and some Senators were reported to have said that the inclusion of the modified embargo killed any possibility of Senate action at

The adoption of the bill by the House on June 30 came shortly after the Administration defeated by a two-vote

margin—196 to 194—a motion to recommit by Representative George Holden Tinkham (Rep., Mass.), co-leader with Representative Hamilton Fish (Rep., N. Y.), of House isolationists and mandatory neutrality forces. United Press advices from Washington on that date went on to say:

Both Speaker William H. Bankhead (Dem., Ala.), and Majority Leader Sam Rayburn (Dem., Tex.), had stepped into the well of the House to plead personally for defeat of the arms embargo amendment which was introduced yesterday by Representative John M. Vorys (Rep., Ohio), and tentatively accepted at that time. The roll call vote on the item tonight showed 214 for it and 173 against.

The new embargo clause, like the one in the present Act, bans sale of American arms and ammunition to belligerents once the President or Congress has declared a state of war to exist. However, under Vory's amendment, American planes may be sold to the warring powers.

Isolationist Senators, who had threatened a prolonged filibuster if the Administration attempted to enact neutrality legislation without an embargo clause, hailed the House's action as presaging an end to Mr. Roosevelt's neutrality revision efforts at this session. The issue was a major threat to July 15 adjournment.

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The final vote cut across party lines and came only after Administration leaders had resorted to every known parliamentary maneuver to do away with the Vorys' amendment. . . .

The neutrality issue . . . had been debated for four days—two of the sessions lasting until nearly midnight. The final vote came after the Chamber had been in continuous session for slightly more than 12 hours. As it now stands, the bill re-enacts the expired cash-and-carry provisions of the present Neutrality Act. These provisions expired just two months ago.

Salient provisions of the measure include:
The President, or Congress by joint resolution, may declare that a state of war exists between two or more foreign states. When this is done:
Title to goods shipped from the United States to a belligerent must be

The to goods snipped from the United States to a beligerent must be transferred to the foreign purchaser before the goods are moved from port. (Cash and carry clause.)

Loans and credits to belligerents will be barred.

Solicitation and collections of funds in this country by any agency or person on behalf of a belligerent will be outlawed. This does not apply to relief, and medical aid solicitations, but all solicitations will be carefully regulated. regulated.

The use of American ports may be denied, if the President finds it neces

sary or advisable, to submarines and armed merchant vessels of belligerents.

The President may require bond from ships clearing port that they are not carrying arms and ammunition to a belligerent warship, tender or supply ship.

Administration leaders, seeking Congressional support for proposed changes in neutrality legislation, including repeal of the mandatory arms embargo, on June 27 agreed to four amendments to the Bloom bill, embodying the recommendations of President Roosevelt and the State Department. In analyzing concessions to which the Administration was said to have consented, a Washington dispatch of June 27 to the New York "Herald Tribune" said, in part:

The agreement would strip the bill of the section authorizing the President to designate "combat areas" in case of foreign wars, in which Americans and American ships would be forbidden to travel. It has been opposed on the ground that it could be used by the President in favor of one side against another.

A second amendment would modify the provision of the Bloom bill which allows the President in his discretion to extend the life of "short-term" credits which might be given to a belligerent. Instead, no credit of this character could be for more than ninety days.

A "travel-at-your-own-risk" provision would be written into Section 2 which had made it "unlawful" for any American citizens to travel on the ship of a belligerent.

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As a fourth concession to the opposition in Democratic ranks, the committee will propose elimination of a provision which would make it "unlawful" to arm American merchant ships.

President Roosevelt told a press conference on July 4 that he was desirous of having the Senate Foreign Relations Committee proceed with consideration of the bill in the interest of preventing war. He said he desired Senate action at this session and declared that the first policy of the Administration is to prevent armed conflict in any part of the world. His remarks were reported as follows in United Press advices of July 4 from Hyde Park: of July 4 from Hyde Park:

He said that he is wholeheartedly in favor of the neutrality objectives set forth by Secretary of State Cordell C. Hull in letters to Congressman Sol Bloom and Senator Key Pittman and indicated that an attempt may be made in the Senate to obtain a neutrality measure more to the Administration likes. Objectives of the arms to be senated in the Senate to obtain a neutrality measure more to the Administration liking. Objectives often can be attained by the stressing of certain

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Throughout his conference the President emphasized his desire for a bill that will be a war preventive. He does not feel that such a guarantee is contained in the House bill with its proviso that the sale of lethal weapons be prohibited to all warring nations.

The embargo clause, he is said to feel, would be a body blow to Britain and France in event they come to grips with Germany and Italy.

Asked what he thought of reports that a Senate group was prepared to fillibuster the neutrality bill, the President replied that its course of action was the responsibility of the Senate and that the membership had full discretion under the rules.

For the fourth consecutive time action on the Administration's neutrality proposals were postponed on July 5 until today (July 8) by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Senator Pittman was reported on that day to have expressed his conviction that there will be no adjournment of Congress until the neutrality measure is disposed of. The Washington "Post" of July 6 indicating this further said:

Senate Majority Leader Barkley is understood to have given similar assurances to President Roosevelt earlier at a White House conference. Barkley told reporters he would make no forecast on what kind of bill will come out of the Committee, but said he is convinced a majority of the Committee favors settling the issue.

"I presume the Committee will proceed with the House bill as a basis, and offer amendments to bring it into line with their own views" said

and offer amendments to bring it into line with their own views," said Senator Barkley. "The bill was only messaged from the House today, and was not before the Committee this morning."

## FSCC Purchased 122,000,000 Pounds of Surplus Butter at Cost of \$34,500,000 in Fiscal Year Ended June 30

The Department of Agriculture announced on July 1 that the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation bought a total of about 122,000,000 pounds of surplus butter during the fiscal year which ended June 30, 1939. The purchases were made at a total cost of about \$34,500,000 including handling charges. The announcement went on to say:

The purchases included 26,000,000 pounds bought in butter markets, and about 96,000,000 pounds bought from the Dairy Products Marketing Association out of the total of 114,000,000 pounds bought and stored under government loans by the DPMA during the 1938-39 season under the butter stabilization program.

The FSCC purchases were made with Section 32 funds (allocated from customs receipts.). In addition to purchase authorizations totaling 115,-

customs receipts.). In addition to purchase authorizations totaling 115,-000,000 pounds previously announced, an increase in the authorization providing for additional purchases from DPMA on June 30 brought the total purchases by the FSCC up to 122,000,000 pounds for the fiscal year. The DPMA, which is composed of eight regional diary marketing cooperatives organized under government sponsorship, bought butter from the trade for resale later either to the trade if prices showed seasonal improvement or to the FSCC for relief distribution. The DPMA purchases were made under a loan arrangement with the Commodity Credit Corporation. The butter bought by the FSCC is given to State welfare agencies for distribution to families on relief rolls. This distribution of butter during recent months has been at the rate of 10,000,000 to 13,000,000 pounds a month.

# Treasury Department Authorizes New District Setup for Consolidation of Lighthouse Service into United States Coast Guard

United States Coast Guard

To facilitate the consolidation on July 1 of the 150-year-old Lighthouse Service into the United States Coast Guard, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Stephen B. Gibbons authorized a new district setup for the combined maritime safety, rescue and enforcement organization. The consolidation becomes effective under the President's Reorganization Plan No. 2. From the nine Coast Guard divisions, the general order adjusting the former regional organization of the Lighthouse Service with the Treasury agency establishes 13 new districts. The announcement issued by the Treasury Department further said:

The Treasury order provides that the duties and functions of the Commissioner of Lighthouses shall be taken over by the Commandant of the Coast Guard, Rear Admiral R. R. Waesche. Lighthouse personnel in Weshington is consolidated with Coast Guard headquarters personnel. Lighthouse Service employees who perform legal services are made part of the General Counsel's office. Lighthouse personnel in the field and on vessels is consolidated with Coast Guard personnel, by assignment of the Commandant.

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The Coast Guard, one of the Treasury's oldest services, developed from the Revenue Cutter Service, organized to suppress smuggling and other violations of law in coastal waters, and from the Life Saving Service, established to maintain rescue stations at places of danger on the nation's

The Coast Guard will celebrate its sesquicentennial next year, August 4

1940. Its parent, the Revenue Cutter Service, was organized Aug. 4, 1790. The lighthouse service began with the Lighthouse Establishment, Aug. 7, 1789. Originally a Treasury agency, the Bureau of Lighthouses since 1903 has been administered in the Department of Commerce.

The text of President Roosevelt's second reorganization plan was given in our issue of May 13, page 2823-2825.

# Transfer of REA to Department of Agriculture is Step of Utmost Significance, Says Secretary Wallace— Agricultural Marketing Service Becomes New Bureau of Department—Office of Foreign Agri-cultural Service Also Established

Bureau of Department—Office of Foreign Agricultural Service Also Established

Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace said on July 1, that the transfer of the Rural Electrification Administration to the Department of Agriculture, effective July 1, is a step of the utmost significance both for the Department and for the Federal rural electrification program. It holds promise of widening the usefulness of electric service for farmers. As an administration within the Department of Agriculture. Secretary Wallace added, REA will continue to make loans for self-liquidating rural electrification projects designed to bring urban advantages to farm homes, to lighten the burden of farm drudgery, and to provide the farmer with new opportunities for efficient and economical production. We will take electric service to all the farms we can.

With the opening of the new fiscal year, the final step has been taken in the establishment of the Agricultural Marketing Service. The organization of the Service was announced last October by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace as one of the major changes to be made in the structure of the Department in order to expedite its services to the public. Under the direction of C. W. Kitchen, Chief, the Agricultural Marketing Service administers related activities transferred from four Bureaus of the Department:

1. From the Bureau of Agricultural Economics—market research, service and regulatory work in connection with cotton, dairy and poultry products, fruits and vegetables, grain, livestock, meats and wool, hay, feed and seed, tobacco, warehousing, market news service, and all of the work on crop and livestock estimates:

2. From the Bureau of Animal Industry—administration of the Federal

and Stockyards Act;

3. From the Bureau of Plant Industry-administration of the Federal

Seed Act; and
4. From the Bureau of Dairy Industry—administration of the Dairy Exports Act

Though these activities were transferred to the new agency by order of the Secretary dated Oct. 6, 1939, they have been conducted during the past few months in the names of the Bureaus to which the appropriations were previously made.

Secretary Wallace announced on June 30 the establishmen Secretary Wallace announced on June 30 the establishmen as of July 1, of the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations as a part of the Office of the Secretary. The Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations will take over the functions and personnel of the Foreign Agricultural Service not transferred to the Department of State under the terms of the President's Reorganization Plan No. II. L. A. Wheeler, Chief of the Foreign Agricultural Service, has been designated Director of the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations. The personnel of the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations will consist of the Washington staff of the Foreign Agricultural Service and certain commodity specialists who will be assigned alternatively in Washington and on special commodity investigations abroad. The Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations will be charged with the following primary functions:

The collection, through the Foreign Service of the United States, the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome and other sources, of information on foreign agricultural production, foreign markets, foreign trade formation on foreign agricultural production, foreign markets, foreign trade and related matters of significance to American agriculture and the dissemination of this information to all branches of the Department interested and to the public. The weekly mimeographed report "Foreign Crops and Markets" and the monthly review "Foreign Agriculture" will be issued by the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations.

President Roosevelt's signing of the resolution putting the two reorganization plans into effect on July 1, the beginning of the new fiscal year, instead of 60 days after their submission to Congress, as provided in the Reorganization Act, was reported in our issue of June 10, page 3472.

RFC Authorized 6,185 Loans, Aggregating \$1,201,348,507, from Feb. 19, 1938 to June 23, 1939, Jesse Jones Reports—5,413 of These Loans, Amounting to \$255,763,630, Were to Business

Jesse Jones, Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, announced on June 26 that since the RFC resumed lending during February, 1938, it has authorized 6,185 loans, aggregating \$1,201,348,506.89. 5,413 of these loans, aggregating \$255,763,629.58, were to business, including \$7,619,729.58 later taken up by braks. Banks participated in these business loans to the extent of \$61,733,629.14, making \$2\$ total of \$309,877,592.14 loans to business.

The Federal National Mortgage Association has bought 31,513 FHA insured mortgages, aggregating \$127,045,312.92, and has commitments to buy 2,241 additional mortgages, aggregating \$10,017,465.54. It has authorized 12 large-scale housing loans aggregating \$2,925,500.

AUTHORIZATIONS FROM FEB. 19, 1938, TO JUNE 23, 1939, INCLUSIVE

	No. of Loans	Amount Authorized
Loans to open banks Loans to aid in the reorganization or liquidation of	7	\$480,782.50
closed banks	98	19,058,730.33
Loans to building and loan associations	25	8,173,105.25
Loans to insurance companies.	2	1,432,891.91
Loans to Joint Stock Land banks	6	2,363,786.45
Loans to Federal national mortgage association	3	100,000,000.00
Loans to reilroads	33	151.711.112.30
Loans to business	5.413	255.763.629.58
Loans to mortgage loan companies	15	13,753,031.67
Loans for mining, milling or smelting or ores	20	2,634,000.00
Loan to self-liquidating project under Section 201-a,		
Emergency Relief and Construction Act of 1932	. 1	125,000.00
Loans to public bodies under Section 5-d, as amended	106	156,949,327.81
Commitments to Commodity Credit Corporation	5	212,250,000.00
Other loans for financing of agricultural commodities		00 010 000 00
or livestock	3	30,210,000.00
Loans to the RFC Mortgage Company	4	36,300,487.79
Loans to drainage, levee and irrigation districts	168	3,978,075.96
Loans to public school districts	2	129,500.00
Loan to Rural Electrification Administration		100,000,000.00
Loan on preferred stock of an insurance company	_1	100,000.00
Loans on subscriptions for preferred stock of banks	75	99,148,600.00
Purchase of debentures of banks	12	1,588,900.00
Purchase of securities from PWA	185	5,197,545.34
	6,185	\$1,201,348,506.89

## Report on Investment Trusts in Great Britain Sub-mitted to Congress by SEC—Claims for Superior Administration Not Fully Justified, Say Those Making Study

The Securities and Exchange Commission, in connection with its study of investment trusts and investment companies which it has conducted pursuant to Section 30 of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, transmitted to Congress on June 29 a report on investment trusts in Capacita. This report which supplements the Company and the Company of in Great Britain. This report, which supplements the Commission's over-all study of investment trusts and investment companies in this country, was prepared in London for the Commission by Dr. Thomas Balogh and Dr. Ernest Doblin. The report covers:

(1) Management investment trusts, which broadly correspond to the Commission's category of management investment companies proper, and (2) So-called unit trusts, which resemble in many ways the fixed and semi-fixed trusts and, in more recent cases, the open-end investment companies in the United States.

The report does not include the British finance companies, some of which resembled certain types of invest-ment-holding companies in this country, says the SEC, which announces that the authors, in discussing the per-

formance of British management investment trusts, stated:

The claim of the investment trusts to have administered the national savings in better and more secure fashion than the average investor over a long period does not seem to be fully justified by the facts. Neither the course of profits nor the movement of capital values affords conclusive evidence in favor of the investment trusts.

After comparing the trend of earnings of British industrial and mercantile corporations, during the period 1913 to 1935, with that of British investment trusts, the authors stated:

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Divided into four stages, the comparative development of earnings shows the following features. From the outbreak of the war up to 1925 the profits rose for the industrial concerns 168%; for the trusts, only 51%. The next period (1925-29) brought some compensation for the trusts with an increase in the earnings of 55% against 14% in the industrial group. From the peak of the boom to the bottom of the crisis (1932) the trusts' profits fell 33%; industrial profits, 26%. In the recovery (1932-35) the industrial concerns regained 39%; the trusts, however, only 7%.

Secondly, the claim of steadier income, so far as it was justified, was also offset by smaller earnings. An original investment in the average of industrial companies producing £100 in 1913 would have earned almost 50% more during the period than an investment producing originally the same sum from investment trust securities.

Comparing the course of market prices of investment trust shares with that of the published indices of general

trust shares with that of the published indices of general security prices, the authors stated:

It is impossible to say which investment—a theoretical fixed trust consisting of investment trust shares or another of industrial shares—would have been more profitable for investors. Much depends upon the period of comparison and the selection of the underlying shares made. The narrow base on which the investment trust index is calculated—necessitated by the length of the period covered—indicates that the comparison attempted here should not be pressed too far. It affords prima facie evidence, however, in support of the view that the claim of the British investment trusts to provide a steady appreciation for their share-holders in not unchallengeable and that the appreciation, when it occurred, has often been smaller than that experienced by the holder of British industrial shares. industrial shares.

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The report shows, however, that during the years of depression, beginning with 1930, not a single one of the 200 British management investment trusts found it necessary or advisable to liquidate, and only a few were obliged to reorganize by reductions of capital, &c. In 1933, the worst depression year, only seven pre-war trusts, holding not more than 3% of the value of total investments in that group, had to pass their common dividends; and over half of the post-war companies found it possible to continue common dividends in some amount. The rate of dividend payments on all management investment trusts' preferred stock fell only to 3.8% in 1932 and 1934 from a maximum of 4.4% in 1929.

#### Income and Management Expenses

The dividend and interest income of British investment trusts ranged between  $4\,\%$  and  $5\,\%$  of assets in the '20's and declined to only  $3\,\%$  in 1933.

Management expenses of management investment trusts amounted to about four-tenths of 1% of their capital in 1935 and averaged about 8% of earnings from 1932 to 1935.

#### Unit Trusts

British unit trusts, which are a recent development in that country, first resembled in structure the American fixed and semi-fixed investment trusts, but later adopted a number of characteristics associated with American open-end investment companies. The first British unit investment trust was organized in 1931, and by the spring of 1936 total net sales of unit shares were estimated to have reached about \$250,000,000.

The Commission submitted this report as prepared by the commission submitted this report as prepared by the authors except for typographical and other changes of a minor nature; and indicated that any facts cited or any opinions expressed in the report are solely those of the authors. From the information supplied by the SEC we

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#### Number and Assets of Management Investment Trusts in Great Britain

The authors indicate that in Great Britain, at the end of 1935, after approximately 70 years of development, there were 199 management investment trusts as compared with about 70 at the beginning of the century and about 110 in 1920. Almost one-half of the number—94 investment trusts—accounting for 58 of the paid-up capital of all trusts—were organized before 1914. The remaining 105 trusts were formed in the past-war period. At the end of 1935 the total investments of investment trusts of the

management type in Great Britain were approximately \$1,500,000,000. In addition, the British unit type trusts had by July, 1936, estimated sales of around \$250,000,000. As of the middle of 1937 there were 72 unit trusts in Great Britain, of which 39 would be classed as fixed trusts, 12 as semi-fixed trusts, and 21 as open-end management investment

companies.

The usual size of the management investment trusts in Great Britain, measured by balance sheet totals, at the end of 1935, was between \$2,500,000 and \$15,000,000, but nearly one-third of all these management investment trusts had total assets between about \$5,000,000 and \$7,500,000. investment trusts had total assets between about \$5,000,000 and \$7,500,000. With one exception, only pre-war trusts had gross assets of \$20,000,000 or more. The assets of almost all the trusts organized between 1929 and 1935 were below \$7,500,000, whereas the assets of the companies in the group organized from 1919 to 1928 were widespread over all size groups below \$20,000,000. At the end of 1935 no British management investment trust had total capital of over \$50,000,000, the largest trust having a total capital of about \$35,000,000; and very few had total capital of less than half a million dollars. than half a million dollars.

## Capitalization of Management Investment Trusts

As of December, 1935, the \$1,500,000,000 total capital of British investment trusts consisted of debentures, 40%; preference stocks, 32%, and common stocks, 28%. Management investment trusts with only common stock in the capital structure are rare, only four trusts out of a total of 199 having this capital structure.

The report shows that for all British management investment trusts as a group a rough parallelism has existed between the capital structure

of the trusts and the distribution of their assets among the various types of portfolio securities. Thus the proportion of debentures in the capital structure was 40% in 1935 and the proportion of debentures in the portfolio was 32%. However, common stocks in general represented a somewhat larger proportion of the portfolio than of the capitalization, while the reverse was true of preferred stocks. The rough parallelism between capitalization and portfolio structure, however, is much less apparent for a number of individual companies than for the industry as a whole. In recent years the tendency for common stocks to account for a larger proportion of the portfolio than of the capitalization has apparently increased and a far larger proportion of recent new investment trust issues have been investment trust debentures.

\*\*Methods of Distribution\*\*

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The authors, in discussing the methods of distribution, indicated that the raising of capital by the investment trusts differed from that employed by the ordinary issuer in the British market. Issues of new capital by investment trusts are not customarily underwritten; instead, the trusts arrange the distribution of their securities themselves, thus saving the usual underwriting commission. During 1934 and 1935, out of 56 investment trust issues, only three were underwritten.

### Groups and Sponsorship

A considerable part of all British management investment trusts are associated in groups with common directorates. The report estimated that 11 such groups have included 100 trusts with about 60% of the entire capital invested in all British management investment trusts. The capital controlled by each of these groups varies between about \$45,000,000 to \$125,000,000. A few groups are managed by or associated with investment banking houses; most of them, however, are largely independent of banking and brokerage influence.

### Investment Policies

Individual investments in the published portfolios of the management investment trusts in Great Britain ranged, as of 1935, between 174 and 930 different issues. The typical portfolio contains slightly over 500 securities with an average value per issue of about \$20,000. In 1933 almost 60% of the investments of the British investment trusts were in enterprises outside Great Britain and 43% were outside the British Empire. The distribution of investments by principal categories shows that industrial investments constitute as much as two-hirds of the book value of the whole portfolio. Government and realways sequrities about value of the whole portfolio, Government and railway securities about one-eighth each, and public utilities less than one-tenth.

# Need of Cooperation by Bank Supervisory Authorities in Lending by Banks Urged by Chairman Jones of RFC Brings Reply from New York Superintendent William R. White—Criticism "Without Justifica-tion" Says Mr. White

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The recent remarks made by Jesse H. Jones, Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in which, in speaking of loans to banks he stated that "most banks want to lend and are trying to lend" and that "a little more cooperation from bank supervisory authorities would help," has drawn from William R. White, New York State Superintendent of Banks, a letter to Mr. Jones in which he says, "I believe that your contention that 'banks are frequently subjected to out-moded, unintelligent and officious examiner criticism' is wholly without justification." The remarks of Chairman Jones were contained in a statement he made before the Senate Banking and Currency Committee on June 29 in presenting his views on the Mead Bill, calling for Government insurance of bank loans to business; Mr. Jones' statement was referred to in our issue of a week ago, page 40. Mr. White, who is also Chairman of the Executive Committee of the National Association addressed Mr. Jones in that capacity. His letter follows:

#### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SUPERVISORS OF STATE BANKS

Washington, D. C.

June. 30, 1939

Honorable Jesse H. Jones, Chairman, Řeconstruction Finance Corporation, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Jones,

The morning papers report that in testifying before the Senate Banking and Currency Committee yesterday you said,

Undoubtedly, most banks want to lend, and are trying to lend. Many of them are willing to make loans on different kinds of security and for much longer periods than has been their custom or training, but they are frequently subject to outmoded, unintelligent and officious examiner criticism.

quently subject to outmoded, unintelligent and officious examiner criticism. You are also quoted as saying that "a little more cooperation from bank supervisory authorities would help."

As Superintendent of Banks, I am in constant touch with the banks of the State of New York and I believe that I am familiar with their policies and their problems. I am unaware of any instance in which the management of banks subject to the supervision of this Department has contended that it is restrained by the State's examining policy from satisfying legitimate credit requirements.

Through my frequent contacts with other members of the National As-Through my frequent contacts with other memoers of the National Association of Supervisors of State Banks, I am generally familiar with policies of other State bank supervisors. Upon the basis of my own experience and from my association with other State bank supervisors throughout the nation, I believe that your contention that "banks are frequently subject to outmoded, unintelligent and officious examiner criticism" is wholly without justification.

Apparently you are not familiar with the revised and modernized examina Apparently you are not tamiliar with the revised and modernized examination procedure developed last year through the cooperation of Federal and State bank supervisors; an achievement acclaimed in Washington as one which would facilitate the extension of bank credit. If after reviewing this new procedure you can suggest improvements, your views will be welcomed by our Association. Likewise, I invite you to bring to my attention any facts in your possession which indicate that banks in this or any State are being restrained by examiners from making loans which in your opinion would constitute a proper use of bank funds.

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a holder of preferred stock or debentures, will doubtless be surprised to read of your criticism of bank examiners. I believe it is the distinct impression of such bank officials from their contacts with the Corporation, of which

you are the head, that you insist upon a careful and a conservative policy in making loans and selecting investments. They feel that their services may be terminated if losses are experienced as a result of their management. I am not criticising you for a policy, which I realize is intended to protect the government funds invested through the RFC. I do wish to emphasize, however, that the responsibility of bank examiners to insist upon sound loan and investment policies in order to protect the depositing public is no less important than your responsibility to safeguard the funds of the Federal Government.

Very truly yours,
William R. White, Chairman

# No Authority Under Glass-Steagall Bill to Lend Money to "Little Business" Jesse H. Jones of RFC Stated at Hearing on Mead Bill Before Senate Banking

While some of the comments by Jesse H. Jones on the Mead bill for Government insurance of bank loans to business Mead bill for Government insurance of bank loans to business was noted in our issue of a week ago (page 40) we are here making room for other of his observations at the hearing on the bill before the Senate Banking and Currency Committee in Washington on June 29. Among other things brought out by Mr. Jones, who is Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is that despite the belief that had been current, the Glass-Steagall Law of 1938, "made no reference to little business, nor did it increase our lending authority by a single penny." The bill he said "reinstated our authority to make loans to public bodies, including loans for self-liquidating projects." In addition to the extracts from Mr. Jones' statement which we give on page 40, we quote the other portion of his June 29 statement to the Committee as follows: follows:

In considering new legislation for loans to business, we should recall something of the experience of government lending in this field, and the

something of the eaper reasons therefor.

Because of the weakened condition of many businesses in 1933 and '34, it was necessary that credit be made available to many of them, if they were to survive. We had improvised means to assist some of those in distress to survive. We had improvised means to assist some of those in distress was early as October, 1933, by allowing a number of borrowers to organize community mortgage companies through which to borrow, but this was not satisfactory. In June 1934 Congress authorized the Federal Reserve Banks to make direct loans to industrial and commercial businesses for working capital. The RFC was authorized at the same time to lend directly to business and industry, where credit was not available at banks, which would include Federal Reserve Banks.

To enable and encourage the Federal Reserve Banks to make these loans, the Secretary of the Treasury was authorized to pay the banks an aggregate amount up to \$139,299,556.99 as the loans were made, which was the amount of the capital stock of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation the banks had previously been required by congressional action to subscribe.

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Under the Act a revolving loan fund of approximately \$280,000,000 was authorized for the banks, this being the amount of the combined surpluses of all the Federal Reserve Banks, including their investments in the capital stock of the FDIC.

The law specified that industrial advisory committees, composed of men engaged in industry, were to be set up in each Federal Reserve district, to recommend the loans.

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The very small amount the Federal Reserve Banks have loaned under this authority would indicate that there has been no great demand for working capital by business and industry which has not been met.

However, the RFC has approved business loans aggregating something over \$510,000,000. Of this amount \$308,000,000, including bank participations.

tions, has been approved since the President authorized us to resume lending

Feb. 18 of last year.

After the Glass-Steagall bill became law in April 1938, we had a flood of inquiries and requests for loans from people who had been led to believe by the publicity that the Glass-Steagall bill authorized us to lend a very large amount of money to little business, without regard to security. It was frequently carried in the Press that we had been given \$1,500,000,000 for this purpose. Actually the Glass-Steagall bill made no reference to little business, nor did it increase our lending authority by a single penny. It gave us greater latitude as to how we could lend to business, and for what length of time, but retained the requirement that loans should be so secured as reasonably to assure their repayment. The bill reinstated our authority to make loans to public bodies, including loans for self-liquidating projects. We have authorized more than \$150,000,000 in these loans since the bill was passed. All told, we have authorized \$557,000,000 in self-liquidating loans. \$80,000,000 of these were cancelled. \$355,000,000 has been distursed, and \$304,000,000 of this amount sold at a premium of \$17,404,000. We have bought \$605,000,000 of these at a premium of \$13,422,000.

We have bought \$605,000,000 self-liquidating loans from FWA, and have sold or collected \$487,000,000 of these at a premium of \$13,422,000.

The great majority of these inquiries and applications for business loans came from applicants with promotional ideas, with no successful record of a business experience, and little prospect of success or earnings. In most cases there was no economic justification for the loan sought, and which if made would only have had the effect of aiding one business at the expense of

Sifting the applications to find those that can be approved is done with great pains and care, always in the hope of being able to make a loan that will encourage employment and promote the economic stability of the

country. After passage of the Glass-Steagall bill we re-worked our plan for lending in cooperation with banks, the RFC and the bank sharing in the security and repayments in proportion to their respective participation in the loan. Participations that banks have taken in these loans range from 10% to 75% of a loan. Where the bank takes as much as one-half of a loan for its own of a loan. Where the bank takes as much as one-half of a loan for its own account but wishes to carry the entire loan, we guarantee or insure the other half for 1% per annum on the amount guaranteed. Where the bank takes as much as 25% of a loan, but less than 50%, we charge 1½% per annum on the amount we insure. Where the participation is between 10% and 25%, our charge is 2% per annum.

Banks have agreed to take participations in more than 2,000 loans, their share aggregating \$71,000,000.

This arrangement gives the banks government guaranteed loans, bearing from 3% to 5% interest, which the bank can cash at any time by calling upon the RFC, whether the loan is due or not, and should be sufficient inducement to secure their cooperation in making these loans, when there is a reasonable likelihood of the loan being repaid, particularly since the banks so sorely need to lend.

so sorely need to lead. 37% in number of all our business loans have been for \$5,000 or less, 71% for \$25,000 or less, 83% for \$50,000 or less, and 91% for \$100,000 or less.

Our average loan to business has been \$55,000. We have never regarded a million dollar loan a small loan, and have had very few applications of

a million dollar loan a small loan, and have had very few applications of this size.

Our interest rate to business generally has been 5%, but effective April 1 of this year, we reduced most of their rates of 4%, notwithstanding the greater expense in making and administering this character of loan.

In addition to the loans we have authorized directly and in cooperation with banks, we have assisted a great many borrowers in getting credit, and in re-arranging their indebtedness, without ourselves making the loan. We have been able to suggest to applicants changes in their debt situation, and in their operating methods, which enabled them to obtain credit locally. The directors and executive force of the RFC are most sympathetic to the problem of loans to distressed business. We live with it day and night, Sundays and hoildays, and could not be otherwise. Any deserving borrower, who can furnish security that will reasonably assure repayment of his loan, can have a loan, if he will apply to the RFC for it, and on very generous terms, provided the loan will serve a useful purpose and is consistent with the law.

Much has been said about character loans, and I should like to add that most of our industrial loans are, in great measure, character loans. The security offered may be sufficient in quantity to meet the requirements of the law, but when an applicant presents a record showing continuous losses over a period of years, and right up to the time the loan is being considered, it requires not only great sympathy with the applicant, and the purpose of the law, but great faith in American business for us to approve the loan. I am glad to say we have that faith in the future of our country Should Congress authorize us to make our insure loans on a different basis than we are now doing, we will administer the law to the best of our ability.

## Several State Legislatures Reject Interstate Trade Barrier Bills, Reports Bureau of Agricultural Economics

Interstate trade barrier bills were rejected by a dozen or more State legislatures at their 1939 sessions, it was reported July 5 by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Existing barriers were lowered or repealed in some States. Few States enacted new trade barrier legislation. The Bureau further explained:

Bureau officials acclaimed the corrective action by State legislatures. They declared that the 1939 record is the best in many years. They pointed out that hundreds of barrier laws are still on the books, but said "the record of the past year indicates there has been a halt in the alarming growth of interstate trade interference." The hope was expressed that in 1941, when most State legislatures meet again, many of the worst barriers will be removed.

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Investigations by the Bureau during the last two years revealed a "maze" of internal trade barriers erected by the States. Restrictions of all sorts—State an municipal—were found to be "limiting distribution and raising costs" on practically every food product—milk, butter, eggs, poultry, meats, fruits and vegetables.

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A detailed report was issued, in which Secretary Wallace said that "today, we cannot say that we have free trade between the States." Action was urged to remove the barriers at the 1939 session of State legislatures. Many Governors, legislators and other State officials—notably the State agricultural department officials—pledged their cooperation to this end.

# Stamp Plan for Disposal of Surplus Food Discussed by Milo Perkins of FSCC—Addresses National Retail Grocers' Association Convention—Seattle, Wash., Is Third City to Try Plan—Seven Commodities Added to List

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The "Stamp Plan" of the Department of Agriculture, designed to aid in the disposal of surplus food commodities to needy persons on relief, was analyzed on June 21 by Milo Perkins, President of the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation, in an address before the National Association of Retail Grocers at Kansas City. Mr. Perkins briefly outlined the details of the plan and said that in Rochester, N. Y., and Dayton, Ohio, where it has already been tried experimentally, the results have been "most encouraging." After noting the experience in Rochester, Mr. Perkins said:

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encouraging." After noting the experience in Rochester, Mr. Perkins said:

The Stamp Plan has been in operation in Rochester for about a month, while it has been working in Dayton for only a couple of weeks. It is too early, therefore, to tell you much about its results. I do, however, want to give you a picture of participation in Rochester where the plan has been in operation over two pay periods. There are 10,500 cases eligible to buy orange stamps and 3,500 Works Progress Administration workers eligible to ask that the cost of the orange stamps be deducted from their pay checks. Nearly 15% of these cases are single persons, and since the Stamp Plan is best suited to families, we would consider that we had complete participation in Rochester if 3,000 WPA families bought the stamps and 9,000 families in other categories of public assistance purchased them. Seven hundred and sixty-one WPA families bought them during the first pay period, which covered the last half of May, although there were only a few days in which to ask for payroll deductions. During the second pay period, which covered the first half of June, 1,568 WPA families took advantage of the plan. Four thousand nine hundred families out, of a possible 9,000 other eligible families bought them during the first pay period, which covered the first half voluntary, increased by about 40%, therefore, during the second pay period. Since the proof of the pudding is said to be in the eating, we are inclined to feel very encouraged, although we realize that more time will be required to establish a definite trend.

Apparently the Stamp Plan will bring a net sales increase of over a million dollars a year to the grocers of Rochester so far as blue stamp purchases of surplus foods are concerned. That's only half the story, however. The grocers are making an aggressive effort to sell surplus foods to all housewives, and if they succeed in increasing their sales to non-relief families, they will be rendering an enormous service to the farmers of the country. We

have learned a great deal on minor points both in Rochester and Dayton which will enable us to do a more effective job in other cities. During the next few months we shall learn a great deal more. I know that many of you would like to know how fast we can extend the program—how long it will be before the Stamp Plan comes to your home town. I wish I could tell you, but I can't because no one knows the answer to this question now in terms of exact dates. We must make up our minds as we go along as we study results and as we learn to do our job

this question now in terms of exact dates. We must make up our minds as we go along, as we study results, and as we learn to do our job more effectively.

Learning to live with abundance is a wholly new job for us as a people. This is not the place to discuss ways and means of getting the jobless back to work, but I want to point out that we are not limited like the people of China or India. The relation of people to land in those ccuntries is such that they can never have what we like to think of as an American standard of living. We, on the other hand, are the most fortunate people on the face of the earth, and I think sometimes that our greatest difficulty lies in the fact that we do not appreciate it.

Mr. Perkins explained, as follows, the way the plan works:

1. Studies indicate that persons getting public assistance spend an average of about \$1 a week per person for food.

2. On a voluntary basis, such persons may buy a minimum of \$1's worth of orange stamps a week for each member of the family. These are good

of orange stamps a week for each member of the family. These are good for any food at any grocery store.

3. Persons buying orange stamps receive half again as many blue stamps free. They receive these in place of the commodities they formerly got at food depots. These blue stamps also are good at any grocery store, but only for foods found to be "in surplus" by the Secretary of Agriculture (chiefly dairy and poultry products, fruits and vegetables; meats could be easily handled by this method, however, if it became necessary to do so). to do so).

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4. Grocers paste the stamps, each worth 25c., on \$5 cards and redeem them largely through their banks. The Government pays the banks for both colored stamps; the blue stamps are redeemed from the same funds that are now used to purchase surplus commodities directly.

5. Under the Stamp Plan, therefore, persons receiving public aid can get surplus foods at the corner grocery store. They will have 7½c. to spend for each meal rather than the 5c. a meal they are spending now. That will improve farm income as well as the public health. The idea is to eat the surplus—that is, the part that can be consumed in this country.

That is the essence of it, although, of course, there are variations which give us the necessary flexibility to meet different local conditions.

The inauguration of the plan in Rochester and Dayton was noted in our issue of May 20, page 2988. On July 1 the "stamp plan" went into effect in Seattle, Wash., the third city of its trial. It was announced July 6 that the Department of Agriculture added seven commodities to the plan. Effective July 16, rice, cabbage, fresh peaches, fresh tomatoes, fresh garden peas and onions will become available under the program. Fresh pears will be added, effective Aug. 1. Oranges and grapefruit, now on the current surplus list, will be removed, it is stated, on July 16. Other commodities on the surplus list include butter, eggs, corn meal, prunes, dried beans and flour.

Bror Dahlberg, President of Celotex Corp., Declares
That We Still Need Important Things Which the
Western Frontier Did for Us, Including Spirit of
Confidence in Future of Country—Finds Necessity
of 20,000,000 New Homes in United States—Address
Before Harvard Business School Club

In an address before the Harvard Business School Club in New York City on June 8 Bror Dahlberg, President of the Celotex Corp., stated that "the four important things the Western frontier did for us we still need:

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1. Opportunity for youth.
2. Investment for savings.
3. A spirit of hope and confidence in the future of the country.
4. An opportunity for the hard pressed to win a way on their own.

"Today," Mr. Dahlberg added, "we are not going to find these four things on any geographical frontier. But there is one vast, unlimited frontier where there are no boundaries to block us—and that is UP." In his address, delivered tunder the title of "The Building Industry of Tomorrow," Mr. Dahlberg declared that there is a need in the United States for 20,000,000 new homes or family units, and to fill this need would require the efforts of everybody willing to work for many years. The industry, he said, has shown "amazing genius in the invention and development of material and equipment for making houses of comfort and convenience, but we have been slow in learning how to give these venience, but we have been slow in learning how to give these benefits to the people as a whole on terms they can afford." He added, in part:

It is not for me this evening to expound about the social importance of good housing. We all, I think, appreciate that need and that desire. But I do want to discuss the practical matter of home building and to emphasize the tremendous magnitude of the jobs to be provided, the payrolls to be created, the business to be done in bringing the United States up to a proper housing standard. By its sheer weight this need in the building industry can be made an important—very important—very important. be made an important-very important-factor in forward national

people as a whole, and conditions around them, are on the match approach, and nothing can stop them.

Now and then in our history single industries have played a major part in starting new levels of general prosperity. The railroads did it in the 1860's and 70's. The automotive industry did it in the 1910's and 20's. But the reason the railroads could do it then was that they were the instruments for

opening up the great, unsettled West. The reason the automotive industry could give tonic and lift to our whole economic life was that it linked synchronized industrial operations with the magic of the age of scientific discovery and development.

When the automotive industry modernized itself, it worked out a program that at first looked fantastic. In those early days when only the distinguished few had the use of horse and carriage, I recall many leading that at first looked fantastic. In those early days when only the distinguished few had the use of horse and carriage, I recall many leading bankers and learned economists proving with charts and figures to themselves and others that the idea of any general use of automobiles for the people was an impossibility, that there never could be available the necessary artisans to build them, the needed fuel and other supplies to operate them, or the roads over which to run them. They pointed out that only to build 10,000,000 cars to sell at \$1,000 per car would entrap the tremendous capital investment of \$10,000,000,000—an unheard of sum impossible to devote to pleasure vehicles. The whole thing was just an idle, physical and financial impossibility, the mere consideration of which threatened to bankrupt the country and all in it.

When finally, however, the problem was solved, there had been worked out an operation that revolutionized the business of the Nation and brought into being an entirely new method of production and distribution. It was all really simple—after it was done. The key to the whole business was that industry was learning to take advantage of technical development and finding out how to create mass production and arrange mass distribution. That made possible all the rest—higher wages distributed among more people—lower prices—greater volume of sales—more people able and willing to buy—more work and greater returns for everybody.

But there is one industry that has not yet learned fully to get into swim with the tide—and that is the building industry. What other industries have learned, the building industry must learn before housing can play its full part in the economic and social enrichment of American life.

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There are three underlying costs involved in building a house—labor cost, materials cost and financing cost. It may not be discreet for me to say it, but all three of these costs are too high today. There are those who think they are a friend of labor if they boost the hourly wage rate, but a boosted hourly rate in the building industry does not help the worker if there are too few hours of work. There are those who think they are a friend of business if they keep the prices of materials up, but high prices for materials do not help the business man if too few people build houses. There are those who think they are a friend of lending agencies if they keep the interest rates up. But high interest rates do not help the lender if too few are willing to borrow. Both for social and economic reasons all three of these major costs must come down.

## "Ruinous" Economic Policies of Government, Business and Labor Have Nullified Technological Progress of Last Two Decades, Samuel O. Dunn Tells Convention of Mechanical Division of Association of American Railroads

All great technological progress made in the United All great technological progress made in the United States during the past 20 years has been unproductive because the contribution it should have made to public welfare has been prevented by Government, business and labor "with the most ignorant, stupid and ruinous economic policies ever suffered by a great Nation," Samuel O. Dunn, editor of "Railway Age," said on June 28 in an address opening the annual convention of the Mechanical Division of the Association of American Railroads in New York City. Mr. Dunn said, in part:

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Before the war we had both technological and economic progress. We have since had only technological progress. There is much talk implying they are the same thing; but they are widely different things. If a factory employing 100 men increases its output 50% per man by improving its machinery, that is technical progress. If it also increases its production and sales 50%, that is economic progress. But if it does not increase its production and sales, and consequently throws one-third of its employees out of work, there is economic retrogression. And that is actually the way in which, during the last two decades, we have simultaneously made technical progress and economic retrogression in this country.

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You and other technical men have done your work splendidly. In spite of all the aspersions regarding lack of research and so on, engineering work of every kind has been as well done on the railroads as in any other American industry. It made it possible during the 20 years before the war for the railways to double the amount of traffic they handled per dollar of investment, per employee, per locomotive and per car. The lack since the war of such economic progress as occurred before has been due entirely to unsound economic policies followed by business, political and labor leaders.

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Technical men have worked in accordance with physical laws. Business, political and labor leaders have nullified all technical men have done by trying to disregard or override economic laws. All human experience has shown it can't be done—and never so conclusively as in the United States during the last decade. Unsound economic policies have ruined many more great nations than war. Whenever they unearth the ruins of a great nation anywhere, you may depend on it that it was ruined more by its own unsound economic policies than by its enemies; because sound economic policies are as necessary in war as sound military policies, while unsound economic policies are about equally ruinous in either peace or war.

Great Britain suffered vastly more from the great war than this country; but, as compared with the period before the war, Great Britain is now relatively much more prosperous than the United States. Why? Because during the depression Great Britain's business, its labor and its government have followed the ecenomic policies that pulled both Great Britain and the United States out of all previous industrial depressions, while we have followed entirely different policies. Hence our economic revolution—backward.

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Who started this economic revolution? Business—and it has since been Who started this economic revolution? Business—and it has since been ably assisted by politicians and labor leaders. Business started it when, before the war, in addition to railway regulation to stop unfair discriminations, it got regulation to curtail railway profits. Business continued it when it got out Federal and State governments spending billions of dollars a year on waterways and highways to subsidize competition with the railways and thereby more effectively beat down their rates and profits. Our transportation situation, and especially our railway situation, have been among the principal causes of the depression and its long continuance.

In conclusion Mr. Dunn said:

Only when business, labor and government begin again to act in accordance with the economic laws and principles that the entire experience

of the human race has demonstrated must be observed can technical progress begin again to contribute to our economic progress and prosperity as it formerly did. Continuing to tinker with the effects of the depression will simply continue to prolong it. We must remove the causes of it—which are, I repeat, the most ignorant, stupid and ruinous economic policies ever suffered by a great nation.

Venture-Capital" if Encouraged, Is Force that Will End Business Depression, According to O. J. Arnold of Northwestern National Life Insurance Co. of Minneapolis—Addressing Joint Meeting of Cleveland Chamber of Commerce and Life Underwriters Association

This country's pent-up energies can be quickly released, with a sharp increase in activity and employment, if the function of "venture-capital" is only recognized and is encouraged to exercise that function, O. J. Arnold, President of the Northwestern National Life Insurance Co. of Minneapolis and Vice-President of the United States Chamber of Commerce, said on June 30 in an address before a joint meeting of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce and the Life Underwriters Association. He defined "venture-capital" as the force that starts and gets under way any genuine and long-lived upward movement after a depression. He said that it must not be confused with the savings This country's pent-up energies can be quickly released, genuine and long-fived appears movement after a depression. He said that it must not be confused with the savings or deposits of the public. An official summary of his address said, in part:

"It is the function of venture-capital to take risks in the hope of substantial gains," Mr. Arnold stated. "Industry has stored up in recent years new knowledge and new potential means of comfort and well-being for the people. Capital is straining in an effort to find new channels of employment."

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But when the promotion of new enterprises is too hazardous, he declared, venture-capital simply will not take chances that are heavily loaded in favor of loss; it cannot be driven into taking such top-heavy risks, any more than water can be made to flow uphill.

"Venture-capital can only be enticed into action," he said, "when there is sufficient certainty and confidence in the long time future to give some assurance that it will have an opportunity to get enterprises going, on their feet, and paying a return commensurate with the risk involved. A breathing spell is not enough; it implies both too brief a period, and the promise of some now form of harassment when the spell is spent. period, and the spell is spent.

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"Since true venture-capital will not be harassed into action, any attempt to force the development of new enterprise is likely only to force into the risks of new enterprise the savings and deposits of people whose funds do not belong there. It is the function of savings institutions to keep savings out of risky adventures in business. Surely 1929 is not so far behind us that we can lose sight of this fact."

Venture-capital, Mr. Arnold pointed out, is the advance guard of enterprise, which runs the risks of a reconnoitering squad, and finds where the main body of enterprise itself may safely move forward to create more wealth, more employment, and more substance and security for the people. He offered two concrete suggestions to solve the problem of reviving enterprise and creating new employment for men and dollars:

"The first," he said, "is to recognize and accept the fact that venture-capital is as a satute in its field as Government is astute in its field; that the absence of venture-capital has too little confidence in the present state of affairs in our national economy.

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"The second follows without recourse: The proper solution to present problems lies not in attempting to force savings and deposits, or the taxpayers' money, into risks which private capital refuses, but in removing in so far as Government is able the threats which keep venture-capital at a standstill."

# J. Stewart Baker in Radio Address Says Governmental Activities and Expenditures Must Be Curtailed to Enable Country to Work Way Out of Tax De-

J. Stewart Baker, Chairman of the Board of the Bank of Manhattan Company of New York, delivered an address over station WJZ on June 29 in the "What Helpa Business Helps You" campaign which is being conducted by The Merchants Association of New York, Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, New York Board of Trade, Bronx Board of Trade, Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce, The Chamber of Commerce of the Borough of Queens, and the Staten Island Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Baker said that "we are in the midst of a tax depression due to extravagant and wasteful Government spending" and that "business enterprise is working almost solely to get the money to pay wages and taxes." He took issue with the theory that the Government can "spend its way out of this tax depression," wages and taxes." He took issue with the theory that the Government can "spend its way out of this tax depression,"

Government can "spend its way out of this tax depression, and in his address said:

If you stopped any man on the street and asked him if he wanted to see business improve, the incomes of our people rise, and the unemployed get jobs—you would know before you askeed that the answer would be "yes." With everybody agreeing—we might ask ourselves what is holding us back—what and where is the trouble—why don't we go ahead? The answer is a simple one if we will only realize that we are in the midst of a tax depression due to extravagant and wasteful Government spending that imposes an ever-growing burden of taxation on business and the individual. And that this tax burden is one of the greatest factors in our failure to recover from this depression as rapidly as we have from others. from others.

have from others.

We are a resilient people. As a nation we have a great capacity for endurance but even that capacity has a limit. The tax burden that we are carrying today has cut down our buying power as consumers to a point where we cannot support business in its job of serving our needs and wants. Our income, over and above our daily living needs, has been diverted to Government spending, with too little left for the natural, healthful expansion of business.

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You, as an individual consumer, are working at least one-quarter of ery day for Government before you can start to work for yourself. Isiness "enterprise" on its part is working almost solely to get the

money to pay wages and taxes. In the present situation no business man dares to increase pay rolls by hiring more workers or take risks in starting new ventures—for the very good reason that business cannot foresee what may happen to one item of expense—taxes. For taxes come first as a charge on every operation of business.

That is one side of the tax burden story. In addition to the tax burden itself—many of the taxes are so inequitable in the manner in which they are imposed, or are so discriminating that in their operation they are like an airbrake in holding business back.

Bankruptcy is no novelty in nations that overstep the rules of sound finance and embark on wild orgies of spending of the people's money, collected through excess taxes. When hard times force us, personally or our businesses, to trim our financial sails to the size of our incomes, we do so as a matter of common sense. But the very logic of this may be too much for political-minded Government. Instead of following the sound practice of economy in the face of an ever-growing deficit, our Government—using your money and my money—is trying to spend its way out of this tax depression. It is trying to cure an economic ill by more borrowing—by assuring us that a blood transfusion will make everything right—but that we must use our own blood to do the job. That does not make sense.

What can we, as citizens vitally concerned, do to change this situation?

First, we must lighten the tax load. And that can be done only by cutting down Government spending. To get tax relief we must get relief from excess Government spending. To get tax relief we must get relief from excess Government activity. It will not help us to complain about taxes and at the same time encourage new and enlarged Government activities in which we have a special interest. We must—through our elected representatives—stop voting new expenditures for additional activities. And we must cut down on existing governmental outlays.

Your remedy lies in the hands of your elected represe

# John W. Hanes Estimates Federal Government Is Losing Over \$179,000,000 in Revenue Because of Tax Exemptions—Under Secretary of Treasury Heard Before House Committee on Bill to Discontinue Tax Exempt Securities

Present tax exemptions on securities of Federal, State and local Governments are "obviously inconsistent with the purpose of progressive income taxation, that is, to impose taxes in accordance with the principle of ability to pay," John W. Hanes, Under-Secretary of the Treasury, said in a statement on June 28 before the House Ways and Means Committee, which began hearings on a bill designed to remove the tax exemption feature from Government securities in order to release additional capital for private Temove the tax exemption relate from Government securities in order to release additional capital for private industry. His testimony was briefly noted in our issue of July 1, page 40. Mr. Hanes estimated that the Federal Government is losing between \$179,000,000 and \$337,000,000 in revenues because of tax exemptions. In his statement Mr. Hanes discussed almost every phase of the question of tax exemption, and said that the Government's fight to remove this feature is not an innovation. Mr. Hanes also

remove this feature is not an innovation. Mr. Hanes also discussed some facts bearing on the reexamination of surtaxes mentioned by Secretary Morgenthau a month ago. In part we quote as follows from Mr. Hanes' statement:

In 1922 former Secretary of the Treasury, Mellon, writing to the Acting Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, referred to the "almost grotesque" and "anomalous situation" when "taxapayers have only to buy tax-exempt securities to make the surtaxes ineffective."

With the passage of years the "anomalous situation" noted by Secretary Mellon has become vastly more anomalous. In the interim the magnitude of the tax-exempt problem has greatly increased. Consider only the changes which have taken place during the last decade. In the middle of 1929 the gross volume of Federal, State and local tax-exempt securities was \$35,428,000,000. By the middle of last year it had risen to \$63,884,000,000. In 1929 the Federal surtax rates on individual income, which one could avoid by the purchase of tax-exempt securities, ranged from 1% to 20%. Today they range from 4% to 75%. In 1929 individual income was taxed in 14 States with rates in no case exceeding 6%. Today individual income is taxed in 34 States with rates ranging as high as 15%.

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That persons with large incomes take extensive advantage of the possibility of tax saving through tax-exempt securities is clearly indicated by the available evidence. We have made an analysis of the cases of 25 individuals, each of whom in 1937 reported net income in excess of \$1,000,000. These 25 individuals reported almost \$7,000,000 of wholly tax-exempt interest. Assuming that they reported all their tax-exempt interest receipts, it was found that these 25 taxpayers had approximately one-third more net income after paying their income taxes than they would have had if the tax-exempt securities had yielded 15% more interest but had been subject to taxation. In one case an individual had 145% more net income than he would have had and other percentages ranged from 90% down to no increase in the case of 5 individuals. These 25 people as a group were profiting very substantially from tax-exemption. This table shows clearly that large taxpayers do hold large blocks of tully tax-exempt securities, that they are deriving large benefits from holding such securities and that the progressive income tax rates are correspondingly nullified.

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The tax saving to persons with large incomes due to the ownership of tax-exempt securities is directly reflected in a loss of revenue to Governments imposing income taxes. The loss in revenue to State Governments is less than the loss to the Federal Government because their income tax structures are not so steeply progressive nor are the rates imposed so high. The actual loss in revenue to State Governments cannot be readily estimated because of the wide diversity in the structure of the various State income tax laws and because of deficient information as to the distribution of holdings of tax-exempt securities. At the present time 14 States have no income taxes. In those States which impose taxes the revenue loss depends upon a variety of factors in addition to the rate structure. Generally, the wealthy States whose residents are large holders of Government bonds lose relatively more revenue because of the tax-exemption feature of governmental securities than do the States with relatively low wealth and income. Generally speaking, there is no direct revenue loss to political subdivisions of the States since they do not impose income taxes though some would be affected through their shares in State-imposed income taxes.

The loss to the Federal Government alone is estimated between \$179,-

000,000 and \$337,000,000.

The individual income tax, which is the major progressive element in our tax system, yields relatively too small a proportion of the total tax revenue. In 1938 it accounted for less than 10% of total Federal,

tax revenue. In 1938 it accounted for less than 10% of total Federal, State and local revenues.

The availability of tax-exempt securities and the consequent avoidance of income taxes may have had an important bearing on the character of the income tax rate schedule itself. For example, the surtax rates may be higher than would otherwise have been imposed, especially since one factor in setting the surtax rates appears to be the desire to collect from the taxable income of an individual some tax to make up for his tax-exempt interest. Such a method of setting rates results in great discrimination between taxapayers.

Tax savings by individuals from tax-exempt interest result also in gain to Governments in the form of lower interest rates, since such individuals will pay for the tax-exemption privilege if they are obliged to do so. As has been pointed out, the difference in interest rates due to tax exemption is relatively small due to the large volume of tax-exempt securities available. The differential in yield between public and private securities is often attributable only in small part to tax-exemption. The remaining portion of the difference in yield between public and private securities is due, in general, to the superiority of the public securities in safety, assurance of income and marketability. From the best evidence available we estimate that the difference in yield due to complete tax exemption varies from zero, or practically zero, for the shortest maturities up to about ¼ to ½ of 1% for the longest. The yield differential of long-term partially tax-exempt Federal securities, that is, those that are exempt only from the Federal normal income tax, as compared with completely taxable securities of equal quality, is estimated at from 5/100 to 15/100 of 1%.

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Since in the higher brackets the Federal income tax is far heavier than any State income tax, and since the interest on practically all long-term Federal securities is subject to the Federal surtax, the gain in lower interest rates is primarily to State and local Governments. We estimate that the annual saving in interest costs to the Federal Government and Federal instrumentalities due to tax exemption is from \$19,000,000 to \$50,000,000 and that the saving to State and local Governments ranges from \$40,000,000 to \$105,000,000...

The effect of tax-exempt securities on the willingness of persons with large incomes to assume the risks of industrial undertakings is particularly unfortunate because of recent investment developments. In the past half-century institutional investment through insurance companies, banks and other investment organizations has expanded. Such institutions are unwilling to risk the money of their depositors and policyholders in equity capital. Our laws have, in fact, prevented them from so doing. As a result, the equity capital necessary to attract savings into investment as senior capital has been lacking. Persons with large incomes are the logical source of such equity capital. The attractiveness of tax-exempt securities combined with the high surtax rates has greatly diminished the willingness of persons with large incomes to risk their capital since the return after tax is likely to be no greater and may be less than can be derived from tax-exempt securities...

High surtaxes are sometimes defended on the grounds that persons with large incomes heard their funds persons.

In our item of a week ago (page 40) we also noted the views of Morris S. Tremaine, New York State Comptroller, opposing the proposal to prohibit the future issuance of tax-exempt securities and to subject the income from State bonds to the Federal income tax.

## Louis H. Pink, New York Superintendent, at Convention of National Association of Insurance Commissioners, Defends State Rights Against Government Supervision in Insurance

The Federal Government should deal with problems it has already handled before it takes on the regulation of the huge insurance business, Louis H. Pink, New York ciation of Insurance Commissioners at San Francisco. Mr. ciation of insurance Commissioners at San Francisco. Mr. Pink said that it is an important question whether the insurance supervision should be taken away from the States before the Federal Government "has fully digested and worked out satisfactorily its most distressing problems—unemployment, the budget, agriculture and the railroads." He continued, in part:

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In the United States insurance has grown up from the smallest beginnings to the huge institution which we now have under the supervision of the several States. We have had State supervision for more than 80 years, and yet now, when insurance was never so strong or so well regarded by the general public, there is talk of injecting some measure of national control. State supervisors of insurance/are not hostile to the Federal investigation now in progress. Our National Association of Insurance Commissioners has offered its cooperation. It is often desirable that any large financial institution be looked over critically from the outside. Periodic studies of public bodies and public functions are helpful in avoiding ruts and in keeping those in charge abreast with new demands. We expect to profit from constructive criticism, and shall be alert to make any changes in State law or practice which may seem wise and in the public interest.

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We who supervise insurance fully realize that there should be substantial uniformity of law, of taxation, and the closest cooperation between the Commissioners of the 48 States. Through our National Association now in session in San Francisco we attempt to unify, harmonize and coordinate insurance throughout the country. In the last analysis State supervision can persist only if it is the best possible supervision.

Because of economic conditions the Federal Government was obliged to extend its control and its power into many fields and undertake the regulation of industry on a scale never before contemplated. I am not one of those who question necessary extension of Federal control over

industry to protect and preserve the economic structure of the Nation. I believe in the great social and economic advances which have been made by the Federal Administration. But this is a union of the several States. It was contemplated that there be a clear division of powers between the States and the Federal Government. It was contemplated that the Federal Government exercise only those powers which are expressly given and are not reserved to the States.

While we freely admit that the Federal Government must exercise greater power than in the past, and that there must be larger concentration of power in the Nation, the great majority of the people of this country undoubtedly believe that the Federal Government should do only those things which it can carry on better than the States, or which the States cannot do adequately for themselves.

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connected in one way or another with the control of business and industry. Great strides have been made and considerable efficiency has been developed despite tremendous obstacles, but considering the unusual burdens now thrust upon the Federal Government and the difficulty of handling them, is it logical that there should be thought of taking over the supervision of this great institution, and assuming a new and unnecessary burden of the first magnitude?

Policyholders may well ask whether the supervision of insurance should be taken away from the States before the Federal Government has fully digested and worked out satisfactorily its most pressing problems—unemployment, the budget, agriculture and the railroads. The fact that Federal supervision would not eliminate State supervision, but would, to a considerable extent, result in duplication of effort and create an added burden for the policyholder to carry, must be given weight in coming to a decision.

We believe that the insurance supervision in this country has in the ain been effective. We know that it is being constantly perfected. who supervise it in the various States are seeking to make it fully responsive to the needs of the American people.

# Medical Indemnity Corporations Under New, New York State Insurance Code Explained by J. Donald Whelehan—Revised State Insurance Law Also Explained by George H. Jamison

The new medical indemnity corporations authorized by the recently enacted insurance code of New York State will be non-profit corporations licensed by the State Insurance Department, the State Deputy Superintendent of Insurance, J. Donald Whelehan, said on June 23 in an address over a New York City radio station. "Perhaps the most important feature," he said, "is that the subscriber will be allowed to select his own physician, so that the personal relationship between the doctor and the patient will be preserved." Mr. Whelehan admonished policyholders in general to proceed cautiously in either dropping or making changes in their policies. "Whenever you give up or change what you have you are, in almost every case, losing something," he said. "By the change you may or may not be gaining more than you have lost. Satisfy yourself that you will have a net gain and not a net loss." Mr. Whelehan spoke on "Insurance in the 'World of Tomorrow.'" In part, he said: will be non-profit corporations licensed by the State Insur-

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There are nine voluntary non-profit associations now operating in this State. Perhaps if I refer to them as the Three-Cents-a-Day plans, you will be more familiar with the type of organization about which I am speaking. The first such corporation to be formed was the Associated Hospital Service of New York, which commenced business on April 15, 1935. It is by far the largest of those corporations, having a membership of about 1,400,000 persons.

It was realized that many people of moderate means experienced great difficulty in meeting their hospital bills. With a view to making it easier, and perhaps even possible for those people to receive adequate hospital care, the hospital associations and the insurance companies now provide insurance which can be paid for at the rate of a few dollars per year, and which enables those covered to go to hospitals of their own selection and obtain necessary hospital care.

The difficulty that existed with respect to meeting hospital bills also existed as to doctor bills. Policies issued by some insurance companies did include medical expense provisions, but it was felt the field should be broadened. As a result, the committee appointed by the Superintendent to revise our insurance laws included in the new law which was signed by Governor Lehman last week a provision permitting the formation of medical indemnity corporations. They will be non-profit corporations licensed by this Department. Perhaps the most important feature is that the subscriber will be allowed to select his own physician, so that the personal relationship between the doctor and the patient will be preserved. They will provide their subscribers with insurance covering doctor bills, just as the hospital associations provide insurance against hospital expense. An individual, by paying \$1 or \$2 per month, will become entitled to a credit of perhaps \$150-8300 per year for his doctor bills, in most cases, be insured against the cost of his medica

hospital care.

It is believed that these new medical indemnity corporations, as well as the coverage provided in policies of regular insurance companies, will be of material help to you in meeting your medical needs. We expect that insurance of all kinds will continue to progress, and that your Insurance Department will not only remain of service to you but will become of greater service. Do not hesitate to call on us with your problems, because we shall gladly help you if possible, and there will be no charge for anything we do.

Provisions of the revised New York State insurance law were also explained on June 30 in a radio broadcast by George H. Jamison, Deputy State Superintendent of Insurance. He said that the outstanding feature of the new law is the provisions for non-profit medical and indemnity corporations. Mr. Jamison pointed out that combination policies may be issued providing protection by both types of organizations, and the policyholder will thus be able to get both kinds of coverage under the same contract. Mr. Jamison continued, in part:

igitized for FRASER tp://fraser.stlouisfed.org/ The new law has been drafted with due regard to the latest ideas in the regulation of the procedure of administrative officers. The most recent decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States and of the Court of Appeals of New York have been taken account of in preserving safeguards for individuals' rights which are in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Constitution and of the Constitution of New York. Among the more important provisions of this type are those as to notice and hearing, which are designed to give every person, firm or corporation affected by the exercise of administrative power an opportunity to be heard before the administrative decision is made. These general provisions as to notice and hearing are supplemented by numerous provisions, inserted in connection with particular administrative powers, which require that the Superintendent of Insurance shall give notice and a hearing before exercising such powers. There is also a general section as to judicial review of the acts of the Superintendent of Insurance, and specific provisions throughout the law which give to persons affected by administrative action a statutory right to have a court of competent jurisdiction review such action. While the State of New York has been fortunate in the infrequency of resort to litigation with respect to the administrative acts of the Superintendent of Insurance, yet these safeguards are available for those who may fear arbitrary or bureaucratic action.

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At the same time the new law strengthens the administrative powers of the Superintendent of Insurance in such a way as to enable him to deal more effectively with the difficult tasks with which he is confronted almost daily. The new law provides that orders of the Superintendent shall not be effective, unless in writing. It also gives the Superintendent the power to make official regulations, which are not inconsistent with the statute itself. This power to make regulations is necessary in many situations because the variety of circumstances and the rapid change in the activities of the insurance business make it impossible for the Legislature to foresee all of the detailed situations to which the law may be the activities of the insurance business make it impossible to the Eggis-lature to foresee all of the detailed situations to which the law may be applicable, much less all of the detailed regulations which are desirable in order to make the legal regulation of the business both flexible and fair to the insuring public.

## National Association of Manufacturers Urges Denial of Labor Act Privileges to Labor Organizations Engaging in "Unfair" Conduct

Denial for a limited period of privileges under the National Denial for a limited period of privileges under the National Labor Relations Act of labor organizations engaging in "clearly unfair" conduct either to employers or workers was proposed on June 19 by the National Association of Manufacturers in urging amendment of the Act. Appearing before the Senate Committee on Education and Labor, which is considering amendments to the Act, John C. Gall, the Association's counsel, pointed out that while the N. L. R. A. places restraints upon employer practices against employees, it imposes "no restraints of any character" on employees, their organizations, or the agents of such organizations. organizations, or the agents of such organizations Mr. Gall said:

Where employees or labor organizations have engaged in conduct which is clearly unfair, either to employers or to employees, they should be denied for a limited period the right to invoke the machinery of the (National Labor Relations) Board and the benefits of the Act. There is nothing novel about the suggestion that benefits of a statute be withheld under certain conditions, because that form of penalty has been applied to employers in numerous cases. ployers in numerous cases.

The Association's representative cited numerous provisions of law on this point, including those contained in a number of Acts as far back as the National Recovery Act. Arguments by opponents of such an amendment to the Act on the grounds that such conduct is subject to correction by local authorities were turned aside by Mr. Gall, who said:

The National Labor Relations Act itself was passed in large part upon the theory that the States were either not capable of protecting the rights of labor to organize and bargain collectively, or that they had not done so. Yet at no time have those who sponsored the Act indicated a willingness that where a State had met its obligation in this respect, the National Act would not be invoked.

# Semi-annual Survey of Real Estate Market by National Association of Real Estate Boards—New Pattern in Capital Supply Established—Sales Activity Is as High as Last Year, But Prices Lag

Evidence of a new pattern in real estate capital supply one that has grown up in the past few years, is seen in reports from 262 cities made to the National Association of Real Estate Boards in its thirty-third semi-annual survey of the real estate market, issued June 17. The Association's announcement, bearing on its survey, continued:

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1. The availability of mortgage money is coming to be a matter of the activities and investment opportunities of the various geographical sections of the country, rather than simply of their nearness to money centers.

2. Real estate sales activity is as high as last year at this time in more than three-quarters of the cities, higher than it was a year ago in almost 40% of the cities. But prices have softened in 29% of the cities. Outlook for the remainder of the year is for a higher sales volume in 48% of the cities, while only 13% look for declining volume.

3. New suburban development begins again to emerge. "Subdivision activity greater than last year" is the predominant report. This is the first time this has been the case in these surveys since midyear 1937.

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As was predicted in the Association's January forecast for real estate
in 1939 prices show an increasing differential between new construction
and old, especially between new houses and large old houses. A split in
price trend is noticeable between good properties and less desirable
properties, especially in business locations.

With price trends discounted somewhat by the weeks of public suspense
over war crises, the January forecast is standing up, item by item.

In general, large cities register more awakening of the subdivision
market than do the small cities. Demand for home-sites is expected to
increase as the year goes on in 55% of the reporting cities.

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Interest rates are lower than last year, and the outlook in 25% of the reporting cities is for still lower rates to come.

Business property sees prospect of price advance in 11% of the cities, and of increasing construction in 22% of the cities. Modernization is expected. Industrial property is very generally still static.

Outlook is for higher real estate taxes in 42% of cities reporting, but in 9% of the cities there is reasonable hope of lower taxes. High taxes are reported in one of the largest cities to be causing industries to leave the community. Projected United States Housing Authority construction is frequently reported as deterring new home and apartment building. In some cities Federal Housing Administration apartment projects are felt to have come too fast for best balance of the residential market. Geographically, the Great Lakes region makes the best report on market conditions, with 46% of its cities showing a more active market and only 18% a less active market than last year. But this region reports that in 42% of its cities selling prices are lower than last year, indicating that lowered selling prices at this time mad mean a more active market.

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Other "up" sections: The Southeast, with 45% of its cities showing a more active market and only 7% a less active market; the North Central, with 45% in the up column, and 22% on the down side.

#### Money Supply-Interest Rates

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Plentiful mortgage money supply is a common story. Some cities say, "Excess supply." Occasionally the report comes, "Leans are being made on a more conservative basis." In 82% of the cities capital is seeking loans. In only 8% are loans seeking capital.

In every geographical section the dominant report is of capital seeking loans. In three sections more than 90% of the cities show excess of capital over loans. These are the North Central section (94%), the Great Lakes section (92%), and the South Central section (91%). In contrast, the greatest percentages of loans seeking capital are found in the Central Atlantic States (where 13% so report), and in the Northwest (where 13% so report). (In the Central Atlantic section 75% of cities have capital seeking loans, in the Northwest, 60%.) The survey thus reflects a distribution situation as to real estate capital that is now to the country's financial history.

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Falling interest rates are shown in 42% of the cities and rising rates in only 2%. No city of more than 100,000 population has rising rates. Falling rates are most frequent in the South Central section (49% of the cities), Great Lakes region (46%), New England (45%), and the Southeast section (42%).

## New York Chamber of Commerce Urges Enactment of Bill to Keep Politics Out of Relief

The Hatch bill, designed to keep politics out of relief, should be enacted "without any elimination of its teeth," the executive committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York urged on June 28 in an interim report which was sent to President Roosevelt and members of Congress. The announcement by the Chamber says:

The measure, which was passed by the Senate unanimously, would ban various political activities by persons in Federal administrative positions to influence elections. It would prohibit intimidation or coercion of voters, interference in elections by any official receiving Federal funds, soliciting contributions from persons on relief, the use of relief workers for political ends, and of promises of jobs or other Federal benefits for political activities, etc.

Under date of June 30 the Associated Press said that the bill emerged from the House Judiciary Committee on that day, but in such a form that its author, Senator Carl A. Hatch (Dem.) of New Mexico declared that the measure had been "emasculated." The Associated Press further said:

Reporting to his colleagues that the House Committee had eliminated a ction restricting political activity by Federal employees, Mr. Hatch told

the Senate:

"This action by the Committee presents an open, direct and positive challenge to the leadership of the Democratic Party. That leadership, having openly declared in favor of the objectives, is now confronted with the opportunity of writing its professed beliefs into law."

President Roosevelt recently told a press conference that everyone was agreed on the objectives of the bill, but that the measure was badly drawn and that the House Committee was redrafting it.

Republicans had raised the question whether Administration leaders intended to block the measure, which passed the Senate April 24.

Senator Hatch said Rep. John J. Dempsey (D., N. M.) had announced that he would seek to amend the bill on the floor to restore the stricken section.

On July 6, according to Washington advices to the New York "Times" the House Rules Committee reported the bill.

# Voters in New York State Show Trend Against President Roosevelt—Majority Participating in "Straw Vote" Indicate They Would Favor Thomas E. Dewey as Opposed to President

In the event that President Roosevelt should run for a third term against Thomas E. Dewey, a majority of voters in New York State would favor Mr. Dewey, it was indicated in a survey made public by Dr. George Gallup, Director of the American Institute of Public Opinion on July 5. Approximately 57% of those who replied to the State-wide pollare said to have favored Mr. Dewey and 43% favored Mr. Roosevelt. In another survey, made public by the Institute on July 1, it was also reported that most of the voters in the State would not vote for Mr. Roosevelt if he ran for a third term in 1940. In describing the result of this poll, the New York "Times" of July 1 added:

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Among Democrats a substantial majority supports the President for a third term, the survey indicated, but in case the President does not run, Vice-President John N. Garner would be the leading choice of New York State Democrats; James A. Farley, Democratic National Chairman, second choice, and Secretary Cordell Hull, third choice. District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey is indicated to be the favorite son of the State's Republicans.

New York State's 47 electoral votes make it the richest prize and this weight in the electoral college, together with the fact that it was a border-line State in the 1938 elections when the voters gave Governor Lehman a small majotiry over District Attorney Dewey and will likely be a borderline State again in 1940, makes the State indispensable in a close race, it

#### Some of the Highlights

As an indication of what has been happening in the State since last November's election and showing merely how things stand today when the 1940 balloting is still more than a year off and candidates have not yet been selected nor the issues defined, the following highlights from State-wide studies by the institute were noted:

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"First, the Institute's surveys of rank-and-file voters show that New York State is leaning to the Republican side at the present time. 53% of those interviewed in a carefully selected cross-section of the State's voting population say they would like to see the Republican party win the Presidency next year. Since the Institute's cross-section included Democrats, Republicans and third-party voters in correct proportions, the vote points to a substantial Republican gain since 1936 and even since last November's Congressional and gubernatorial elections.

"Second, although a majority of New Yorkers still support Franklin D. Roosevelt as of today, only about four voters in ten say—at this time—that they would support President Roosevelt if he runs again. This New York vote is slightly larger than the vote President Roosevelt receives throughout the country, but it shows how difficult the third-term hurdle might be—even in the President's own State.

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"New York State gave President Roosevelt a healthy majority (60%) of the combined Democratic-Republican vote in 1936, but the Republicans began to gain in the Winter of 1936-37—a trend confirmed by G. O. P. strength in last November's elections.

"The following figures show how Republican sentiment has increased at the present time, as indicated in the institute's New York survey just completed:

"Which party would you like to see win the Presidential election in 1940?"

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New York State— Republican party\_\_ Democratic party\_\_

Democratic party\_\_\_\_\_\_\_47%
"It is too early for the Republicans to start counting their chickens in New York State, because Institute surveys have found marked see-saws in the State's sentiment before. Much will depend, for instance, on who gets the nominations when the Democrats and Republicans meet a year

from now.

"As of today, however, a majority of New Yorkers seem to be cold to a third term for Roosevelt. The Institute asked: 'If President Roosevelt "The vote on the question is:

Will vote for Him\_\_\_\_\_ Will not vote for Him\_\_\_\_\_

"Only about one voter in 16 said he was undecided on how he would vote in such circumstances."

## WPA Building Workers in New York City Strike Against Reduced Wage Scale

A strike of Works Progress Administration building workers on projects in New York City went into effect yesterday (July 7) after having been unanimously voted the day before by the Building & Construction Trades Council, union affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The union estimated that 60,000 skilled workers left their jobs. According to last night's press advices, other parts of the country are participating in the strike movement, which is said to be gaining momentum. The complaint of the relief workers is that under the new Federal relief Act, workrelief workers is that under the new Federal relief Act, working hours of skilled construction workers have been increased with little additional pay. The strike is said to be without precedent in that, it is, in effect, a strike against the Federal Government, since the WPA has no choice but to carry out the mandates of Congress.

Col. F. C. Harrington, National Work Projects Commissioner, has warned that all who remain away from their jobs five days, without a valid excuse, will be removed from the rolls. New York City and State relief officials declared that home relief would be given to no one who refused to accept a WPA job.

The New York "Times" of July 7, reporting the strike, said:

Formal instructions to quit work were issued to nearly 30,000 union members employed as skilled mechanics on WPA projects here, after a meeting of the Building & Construction Trades Council in its offices, 176 Madison Avenue. Officials of the Council predicted that the walkout of skilled workers would necessitate a virtually complete suspension of work by 95,928 WPA construction employees on projects throughout the city.

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Mr. Murray said the strike was directed solely against Congress. Although stoppages have been ordered in the past against orders of administrative officers of the United States, this was believed to be the first time that any group of A. F. of L unions had called a strike to force Congress and the President to reverse themselves on a national law.

"We recognize," Mr. Murray said, "that the WPA administration has no discretion in this situation. We all know that it is the law, and that the only ones who can change the law are the people who made it.

"Congress has not had the foresight to envisage the effect of the change in WPA wage scales. The best way to demonstrate that effect is by the action taken here today. We will strike to a finish on all WPA work."

Little likelihood that the A. F. of L. would call a Nation-wide strike to enforce the demand of its local affiliates for restoration of the old WPA wage scale was envisaged by labor officials in Washington.

Herbert Rivers, National Secretary-Treasurer of the Building Trades Department of the A. F. of L., said the question of strike action was being left in the hands of local councils and that he did not believe a national walkout would be called, despite "considerable pressure" from local groups for such a move.

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Mr. Rivers, who is the ranking executive of the Building Trades Department in the absence of its President, Joseph A. McInerney, who is ill, said he would confer with Colonel Harrington today. He will also discuss the WPA situation with William Green, President of the A. F. of L., when he latter returns to Washington today.

No steps for reopening of the wage clause by Congress have yet been taken, Mr. Rivers said, but he added that action to have Congress revise the new bill might be sought soon. Mr. Green and the Building Trades Department urged retention of the prevailing wage scale when the bill was reading.

a free hand by their national officers on the calling of strik unions from Florida to Oregon instructed their members on WPA not to work. Where there were no instructions, many men refused to work anyway and union officials made clear that the walkouts had their tacit sympathy. Incomplete reports indicated that between 50,000 and 100,000 construction workers laid down their tools during the day.

## Strike Closes Nine General Motors Plants, Leaving 6,000 Idle—Corporation Asks NLRB to Intervene

Nine plants of the General Motors Corp. were closed July 7 by a strike of tool and die makers, engineers, and maintenance men, called by the United Automobile Workers, affiliated with the Congress for Industrial Organizations. The strike call, which was issued July 5, resulted in a walkout of 800 employees of Fisher Body Plant 21 in Detroit the same day; on the day following the strike spread to three other Detroit plants and one located at Pontiac, employing, in all, 2,900 men; yesterday (July 7) four additional plants were closed, and the total idle rose to 6,000. The break-up on July 2 of a conference, arranged by Labor Department Conciliator, James F. Dewey, to negotiate union demands, including wage and over-time adjustments, is said to have precipitated the strike. General Motors Corp. has taken the stand that it cannot negotiate with either the C. I. O. or American Federation of Labor.-U. A. W. until the National Labor Relations Board or the courts determine which is to be recognized as bargaining agent.

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Associated Press advices from Detroit July 7, bearing on the strike, said:

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Wage increases of at least 10 cents an hour and adjustments in working conditions are sought by the strikers, members of the C. I. O.-U. A. W. Today's action came as James F. Dewey, Federal labor concillator, sought to bring company and union officials together.

Headquarters of the C. I. O.-U. A. W. announced that tool and die workers, maintenance and power house employees in the Buick and AC spark plug divisions of the corporation were preparing to take strike votes. Buick employees will vote on Tuesday and AC employees on Thursday.

Mr. Dewey conferred separately with both sides yesterday, but said that settlement of the strike, affecting tool and die, engineering and maintenance employees, still appeared remote.

A strike called at General Motors plants last month by the A. F. of L. faction of the U. A. W., was referred to in our issue of June 17, page 3626.

Referring to the request of General Motors Corp. for intervention of the NLRB, the "Wall Street Journal" of July

NLRB is giving "routine attention" to the unprecedented request of General Motors Corp. asking NLRB intervention in the strike of the U. A. W. (C. I. O.) against the corporation's tool and die plants.

The strike is well advanced and threatens, according to William S. Knudsen, President of General Motors, to throw 100,000 production workers out of jobs.

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General Motors' petition for intervention was the first to be filed by a corporation, the NLRB's previous rulings having limited such petitions to organized labor. Filed Saturday, (July 1), the petition merely outlined the causes and possible consequences of the threatened strike, and asked the NLRB to intervene, since the primary cause of the strike threat was the fight for power between the C. I. O. and the A. F. of L. factions of the U. A. W.

## Internal Union Controversy Results in Strike Sus-pension of Work on Queens Tunnel Construction

A controversy between Locals 147 and 60 of the Compressed Air, Free Air, Tunnel, Caisson, Subway, Coffer Dam, and Sewer Construction Workers (American Federa-Dam, and Sewer Construction Workers (American Federation of Labor) as to jurisdiction over union members working on the New York City Delaware Aqueduct project in Westchester resulted in Local 147 calling a strike on the construction of the Queens-Midtown Tunnel in New York City on July 3. Work on the tunnel stopped when 2,000 men left their jobs in response to the strike call. The connection between the Westchester and New York City projects arises from the fact that the Walsh Construction Co. holds the contracts for both jobs. Local 147 contends that the construction company entered an agreement with Local 60, covering the Westchester job, providing for a wage scale lower than that established by Local 147. Rioting attending the Westchester dispute has resulted in the local police recruiting a specially organized unit, equipped with a large riot arsenal, in an effort to maintain order.

Reporting the strike on the Queens tunnel job, the New York "Times" of July 4 said:

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The work on the Queens vehicular tunnel was interrupted when the day shift, beginning at 8 a.m., refused to work, followed by the 4 p.m. to midnight shift.

Two years ago, the Walsh company signed a contract with Local 147 for the Queens tunnel job. At the same time, through an affiliate, the Associated Contractors, Inc., the company, entered into an agreement with Local 60 for the Delaware aqueduct work. Both contracts continued in operation until Saturday, when John S. MacDonald, chief engineer for the Walsh company, was informed that unless Local 147 received jurisdiction over the work of Local 60, which is centered in Westchester, work on the Queens tunnel would stop and both jobs would be picketed. The threat

was carried out yesterday, when the company took the position that it felt obliged to abide by the agreement with Local 60.

In fighting Local 60, Local 147 finds itself also in conflict with the International Hod Carriers Union, its parent organization, which chartered Local 60. Local 147 says its jurisdiction over several States has been recognized by the courts. Only ten days ago Supreme Court Justice-William T. Collins issued an injunction restraining the International Hod Carriers Union from interfering with the activities of Local 147.

## Palestine Economic Corporation Issues 12th Annual Report—Shows Economic Progress Through Aid of American Capital

Fourteen hundred Americans have participated in the economic rehabilitation of Palestine through the Palestine Economic Corporation during the past year, according to the 12th annual report of the Corporation, published in New York, June 21. Basing its help on a business basis rather than on charity, the Palestine Economic Corporation is an outgrowth of a group which met originally in 1920 under the leadership of United States Supreme Court Justice Louis D. Brandeis. Among its founders were New York's Governor, Herbert H. Lehman, and the late Felix M. Warburg. Regarding the report an announcement in the matter said: Fourteen hundred Americans have participated burg.

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The American capital of the Corporation has been devoted to the revival of farming; to drilling wells and providing water for domestic, agricultural and industrial uses; to hydro-electric plants and the distribution of light and power; to transportation; to the building of homes, cooperative apartments and factories; to the planned extension of the City of Haifa; and to provide banking and credit facilities generally throughout Palestine. Current assets of the Palestine Economic Corporation are \$3,600,000. Through its various subsidiaries the Corporation has issued loans aggregating \$25,000,000. Despite subordinating the making of profits to the encouragement of constructive and productive enterprise, and despite the political disorders of the past two years, the Corporation now has an operating surplus of \$500,000.

Among companies in which the Palestine Economic Corporation has a substantial interest is Palestine Potash, Ltd., which holds the concession for the exclusive exploitation of the salts in the Dead Sea, granted by the Governments of Palestine and Transjordan until the year 2004. Chemicals secured from Dead Sea waters include potash, magnesium, bromide, magnesium chloride, calcium chloride and common salt.

The benefits of the Palestine Economic Corporation activities have not been restricted to Jews. Palestine's Jewish population grew from about 50,000 after the World War to an estimated 450,000 in 1938. The Arab population in Palestine also increased by about 400,000 during this period. This is in striking contrast to the static Arab population in Transjordan where Jews are not permitted to settle.

Aided by American and European capital, Jewish farmers in Palestine have increased wheat yields from 600 pounds to 1,200 pounds per acre, increased annual milk production per cow from 700 quarts to 4,000 quarts, doubled egg production, and made it possible to support a family on six acre

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Bernard Flexner, Chairman of the Board of Directors.
Julius Simon, President; Benjamin V. Cohen, Vice-President; Robert
Szold, Vice-President; Moses A. Leavitt, Vice-President and Secretary.
Walter E. Meyer, Treasurer.
Lawrence H. Marks, Assistant Treasurer.
Julius Weiss, Counsel.
Bernard J. Reis, C. P. A., Auditor.
Paul Singer, London Representative.

## Foreign Commissioners General of 57 Nations Participating in New York World's Fair Given Dinner by Grover A. Whalen

Grover A. Whalen, President of the New York World's Fair Corp., was host at a dinner on July 3 in Perylon Hall, attended by about 150 guests, in honor of the Commissioners General, representing the 57 Nations participating in the Fair. In a brief talk Mr. Whalen paid tribute to the Governments and presented a de luxe volume of "The Book of Nations," issued under the auspices of the Association of Foreign Commissioners General. Each edition was inscribed to the head of the Government represented to the head of the Government represented.

## Rhodesia's Exhibit at New York World's Fair to Remain

The following is from the New York "Times" of July 4:

Normal Yule, Commissioner General for the exhibit of South Rhodesia at the World's Fair, who will leave for Toronto tonight to receive for his Government an invitation to place an exhibit similar to the Victoria Falls Building at the Fair in the Canadian National exhibition during August and September, termed "incorrect" a report that the Falls exhibit here would

be ended.

Mr. Yule said that as far as he knew the exhibit would not be terminated. He pointed out that another reproduction of the world-famous Falls could be placed in the Canadian exhibition without touching the one here. He added that at this time it was impossible to say whether the Canadian invitation would be accepted.

The flag and name of South Rhodesia as well as its coat of arms, whose motto Mr. Yule translated as "live in the dignity of the name," were removed from the Victoria Falls exhibit last Monday because the home Government objected to the character of the amusement area entertainments which surround it. The Canadian offer followed.

Reference to Southern Rhodesia's exhibit at the Fair appeared in these columns July 1, page 46.

#### Finland Day at New York World's Fair-Observance of Sweden's Day

Finland Day at the New York World's Fair was observed on June 24 and Hjalmar Procope, Finnish Minister to the United States, and his official party were welcomed with a 15-gun salute as they entered the grounds. In a speech in the Court of Peace the Finnish Minister discussed his country's foreign policy. Regarding this address the New York "Herald Tribune" of June 25 said:

Mr. Procope made it clear in his address that Finland was on the side of international amity. He made it equally certain that his nation would not stand encroachment from any side. He said that "Finland is a part of the nothern bloc of Europe and belongs to the orbit of Western civilization." He added that "nobody can dispute the Finnish borders, and Finland has no aggressive inclinations, nor does she in any way, constitute a menace to

anybody."

He made his theme on the statement: "Finland wishes to live her own life in co-operation with other nations, improving, according to the best of her ability, both the spirtual and material conditions of the country. In her relations to other countries, Finland respects their rights and their integrity. Finland expects the same from others."

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on June 25 Sweden's day at the World's Fair was celebrated with addresses delivered by Gustav Moller, Swedish Minister of Commerce, and Representative Frank Carlson of Kansas. The official party reviewed the Army, Navy and Marine contingents stationed at Camp George Washington on the Fair grounds and were guests of Grover A. Whalen, President of the Fair Corp., at a luncheon in Perylon Hall. Count Folke Bernadotte, Swedish Commissioner General to the Fair, presided at the ceremonies and Martin J. Kastengren, Swedish Consul General in New York, introduced Mr. Moller. The following bearing on the speeches is from the New York "Herald Tribune" of June 26:

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Speaking of the high esteem in which liberty and democracy are held in Sweden, Mr. Molier said: "I think I have the right to say that I would pity the man who would seriously attempt to set himself up over the Swedish people as a dictator and try to deprive them of that share of their birthright, which is liberty."

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Although there may have been many in his audience "who left their native land because they despaired of being able to gain for themselves a decent livelihood," Mr. Moller continued, "the fact is that in the lifetime of the generation to which I myself belong, Sweden has passed through what might be called an economic and social revolution."

Despite the great progress made toward providing economic opportunity and stability for all sections of the population, Mr. Moller said, "we are firmly determined to solve the remaining social problems in our land."...

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In his address, Mr. Carlson, after recalling the names of several Swedes and Swedish-Americans who had a conspicuous place in American history, said that "the three outstanding inheritances that we have received as a nation from the Swedish pioneers are first, religious tolerance; second, a policy of peace and fair dealing, and third, respect for minority groups."

## British Poster Exhibit at World Trade Center-sored by National Foreign Trade Council

The National Foreign Trade Council is sponsoring an attractive poster exhibit at the World Trade Center of the New York World's Fair. This display, it is pointed out, represents the best types of the British lithographers' art, and includes a wide selection portraying British life and industry. Included in this collection are a rotogravure section illustrating famous British and Irish monuments, castles, manor houses, parks and cathedrals, and a selection of interesting photographs loaned by the British Post Office Department, which depict British life and industry. The announcement of the Foreign Trade Council says:

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This exhibit will continue from June 30 to July 7 at the World Trade Center and is the first of a series of appropriate programs organized by the National Foreign Trade Council. Cooperating with the Council in the plans for this interesting British collection of travel posters, &c., are the Associated British and Irish Railways; the British Empire Chamber of Commerce in the United States; the British Library of Information, New York; Manchester Ship Canal Co.; and The Travel and Industrial Development Association of Great British axhibit is a bas-relief map of the Manchester Ship Canal, which is regarded as one of the best types of informative media for exhibition purposes. It shows the ports, maufacturing sites and efficient shipping facilities of this important British industrial center.

## Death of Claude A. Swanson, Secretary of the Navy President Roosevelt Pays Tribute

Claude A. Swanson, Secretary of the Navy, died yester-day (July 7) at the Rapidan Camp in Virginia. He was 77 years old. Secretary Swanson's death was announced in Washington by President Roosevelt who issued the following statement:

It is with profound sorrow that I have learned of the death today at the Rapidan Camp, Virginia, of the greatly loved Secretary of the Navy Claude

A. Swanson.

I join with the entire country in mourning him as one whose many years of faithful service to the nation have endeared him to all. His wise counsel and his philosophic understanding of human problems will live after him in the hearts and minds of those of us who have had the privilege of being

As associates.

He brought to the public service not only ability and integrity but a loyalty to principle and to duty from which no consideration could move him. By his example he had provided an inspiration for all public servants. I personally mourn the passing of a steadfast and intimate friend for more than a quarter of a century.

The following regarding Mr. Swanson's career is from the New York "World-Telegram" of July 7:

Secretary Swanson was born in Swansonville, Va., on March 31, 1862, in the midst of the Civil War. He helped work his way through school by

clerking in a grocery store and by teaching country school. After graduating from Randolph-Macon College and the University of Virginia Law School he practiced law at Chatham, Va., until he was sent to Congress

In 1993.

In 1906 he resigned as a Representative following election to a four-year term as Governor. A few months after his term expired in 1910 he was appointed to the Senate for an unexpired term, and thereafter remained in the Senate until President Roosevelt named him head of the Navy Department on March 4, 1933.

Death of Representative H. W. Griswold of Wisconsin—
Was Serving First Term in House
Representative Harry W. Griswold, of Wisconsin, died of a heart attack on July 4 in Washington. Mr. Griswold, a Republican, was 53 years old and was serving his first term in Congress, having been elected to represent the 3rd Wisconsin district. From Washington advices of July 4 to the New York "Herald Tribune" the following regarding Representative Griswold is taken:

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The Representative was born on the farm he operated near West Salem, Wis. He was educated in the West Salem schools and the University of Wisconsin College of Agriculture. He had held several offices in the Wisconsin Guernsey Breeders Association and the Lacrosse and Monroe County Holstein Breeders Association. A member of the Wisconsin Board of Vocational Education, 1930-36, he was elected to the State Senate in 1932 and served four years.

## Death of W. C. Miller, Former President of National Association of Real Estate Boards

William C. Miller of Washington, D. C., President of the National ssociation of Real Estate Boards during 1933, died on June 16. Mr. Miller, head of the firm of W. C. and A. N. Miller, was a member of the Washington Board of Trade and of the President's Conference on Home Building and Home Ownership held in 1932.

## New York Savings Banks Association Organizes Public Relations Forum—To Act as Clearing House for Discussion, Research and Information

The Savings Banks Association of the State of New York announces the formation of a Public Relations Forum to serve as a clearing house for discussion, research and information on such matters as customer relations, employee relations, new services, advertising and publicity, according to a statement issued July 7 by Albert S. Embler, President of the Association and President of the Walden Savings Bank, Walden, N. Y. Mr. Embler said:

The organization of the Public Relations Forum is another evidence of cooperation in the public interest among mutual savings banks. Our voluntary cooperative organizations such as the Association's Committees and the Forums established by our auditors, real estate men, investment specialists, and others have proved of immense value in developing added service and better systems through research into the needs of the people we serve and the experience of individual banks. It is through these groups that the favorable experiences of one bank either in internal operations or in better service to depositors are adapted and transmitted for use by many.

According to the announcement, it is expected that the first meeting of the Forum will be held in conjunction with the Association's Annual Convention at Virginia Hot Springs in October. A recent poll of the banks, it is said, reveals that those subjects of greatest interest are those of improving and broadening services offered to those who can logically best be served by savings banks and a constructive program of employee relations. These closely associated subjects will receive the first attention of the Forum. Although the Forum is just getting under way 33 banks throughout the State have already enrolled as members and it is expected that many more will take an active part.

## New Supplement to "Clearing and Payments Agreements" Published by International Chamber of Commerce

The International Chamber of Commerce recently published a new series of supplements to its work on "Clearing and Payments Agreements". This series contains a detailed analysis (in three languages) of seven new agreements and of five amended agreements. The new agreements follow: follow:

Argentine-Brazil. Argentine—Denmark, Estonia—Netherlands, France—Latvia,

Germany-Slovakia.

Germany (Protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia)—Slovakia, Greece—Poland;

The five amended agreements are:

Bulgaria—Rumania, France—Poland, France—Rumania, Germany—Uruguay, Switzerland—Jugoslavia

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The total number of clearing and/or payments agreements in force in the world was 184 on June 1, 1939. The working of all these is described in the volume published by the Chamber, the special object of which is to furnish a practical guide for exporters and importers. It also contains a synoptic table showing for each country the number of agreements of either category by which it is bound to the other countries, and the action of the agreement between it and the countries.

as well as the nature of the agreement between it and each other country.

A previous series of supplementary pages was noted in our Feb. 11 issue, page 823. Duke of Kent Praises Welcome Given British King and Queen on Visit to United States

At the annual Fourth of July dinner of the American Society in London, the Duke of Kent declared that the reception accorded King George VI and Queen Elizabeth on their recent visit to the United States "made me feel very proud as an Englishman." From a cablegram from London, July 4, to the New York "Times" we quote further as follows: follows:

"President Roosevelt has done every one a good turn by inviting Their Majesties to Washington, while the tremendous enthusiasm which greeted them was a demonstration of true friendship," he added.

"In times of tension such as we are now experiencing this spontaneous expression of friendship gives one the greatest encouragement. It proves beyond a shadow of doubt that the ideal of peace can be achieved. It should enable every country to continue to work for peace in full knowledge that the possibility for one country to live in harmony with another is an established possibility."

United States Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy said his impression of the royal visit to the United States was that the King and Queen had "made more friends for their nation than any other two people in history."

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## Crown Prince and Princess of Norway Sail for Home After Two and a Half Months' Tour of United States

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Crown Prince Olav and Princess Martha of Norway sailed for home on July 6 after a visit of two and one-half months in the United States during which they toured the country. Before sailing on the Norwegian-American liner Stavanger-fjord, the royal couple dedicated a monument of Leif Eiriksson, the explorer, in Brooklyn, N. Y. On June 27 the royal party were welcomed in Washington by Secretary of State Cordell Hull and during a three-day stay visited President Roosevelt at the White House, and also paid visits to the Supreme Court, Library of Congress, the Capitol, Mount Vernon and Arlington National Cemetery. The Crown Prince and Princess made an unofficial return trip to the New York World's Fair on July 5 where they visited the Scandinavian exhibits of Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Iceland. Their previous visit to the World's Fair on May 1, when they dedicated the Norwegian pavilion, was reported in our issue of May 6, page 2683. In that item it was also noted that the royal couple were the guests of President and Mrs. Roosevelt at their Hyde Park, N. Y., home the latter part of April. On his final day in this country the Crown Prince granted an interview to the press in which he said:

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We have met the American people at work and at play. We have had the extreme pleasure of visiting your President and we have broken bread with many of the Governors of the various States and with Mayors of many cities. Wherever it has been our good fortune to come we have been received with friendliness and understanding.

#### J. P. Morgan Sails for Vacation in England and Scotland

J. P. Morgan, head of the international banking firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., sailed on the Cunard White Star liner "Queen Mary" on July 5 for his annual holiday in England and Scotland. The following regarding his interview with reporters is from the New York "Times" of July 6:

"I am feeling first rate," Mr. Morgan said. "I am going across for my usual rest and holiday, and a little grouse shooting in Scotland—I hope. It depends a little on war, in fact, a great deal on war,"

His present plan is to remain abroad several months, but he would not say how long.

## C. Mooney Appointed Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue—N. D. Cann Heads New York Division of Bureau's Technical Staff and V. Bean Heads Pacific Division

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Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau announced on June 26 the appointment, effective July 1, of Timothy C. Mooney, head of the New York Division of the Bureau of Internal Revenue Technical Staff, to be Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue, in charge of the Income Tax Unit of the Bureau. He will fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of John R. Kirk. Succeeding Mr. Mooeny at New York on July 1 will be Norman D. Cann, who for the past year has been head of the Pacific Division of the Technical Staff. Mr. Cann in turn will be replaced at San Francisco by Virgil Bean, who has been Assistant Head of the New York Technical Staff Division.

## T. C. Blaisdell Resigns as Director of SEC Monopoly Study—To Become Research Director for National Resources Committee

Resources Committee

On June 30 the Securities and Exchange Commission announced the resignation of Thomas C. Blaisdell Jr. as Director of the Monopoly Study. Mr. Blaisdell has resigned to accept an appointment as Director of Research for the National Resources Committee. He was formerly a member of the Industrial Committee of the National Resources Committee. Although Mr. Blaisdell's resignation was effective as of June 29, the SEC said he will continue for a time to act as Director of the Monopoly Study on loan from the National Resources Committee. Mr. Blaisdell was appointed Director of the Monopoly Study Division on July 6, 1938.

## New York State Chamber of Commerce Appoints 15 Special Committees

Special Committees

In our issue of last week, page 3777, we noted the appointment by the New York State Chamber of Commerce of a Special Committee on Corporate Management with Frederick J. Lisman, head of the Lisman Corp., as Chairman and of a new standing committee—Public Health and Welfare—of which H. Boardman Spalding, a Director of A. G. Spalding, is Chairman. Others appointed on the Public Health and Welfare Committee were:

Edward V. Otis, President, British Type Investors, Inc.; George O. Tamblyn, scnior partner, Tamblyn & Tamblyn; John P. H. Perry, Vice-President, Turner Construction Co.; George A. Soper, consulting engineer; Matthew G. Ely, President, Horace E. Ely & Co., and Frank V. Quigley, partner, John C. Niemeyer & Co.

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The new committee replaced the Committee on Sanitation, the activities of which were limited to matters pertaining to the city's water supply and to disposal of sewage. Mr. Spalding's committee, in addition to taking over the duties of its predecessor, has authority to consider all matters bearing on the health of the people of the city and affecting public

Other special committees of the Chamber appointed on June 22 to supplement the work of the standing committees

Conservation of State Waters, Lands and Forests—Guy Du Val, Chairman; J. Richmond Pitman, Francis Louis Slade, Eric Pierson Swenson, Farnham Yardley.

Industrial Problems and Relations—Lewis R. Gwyn, Chairman; Frederick Coykendall, Fred B. Dalzell, Jeremiah R. Van Brunt, Frederic T.

Wood.
Advisory to the School of Business of Columbia University—Charles L. Bernheimer, Thomas A. Buckner, Frederick Coykendall, John M. Davis, Charles T. Gwynne, Willard V. King.
Aviation—Albert C. Lord, Chairman; Sherman M. Fairchild, John S. Burke, John J. Ide, Fremont C. Peck.
Immigration and Naturalization—John B. Trevor, Chairman; Edward L. Beck, Francis K. Stevens, Henry R. Sutphen.
Housing—Charles G. Meyer, Chairman; Duncan G. Harris, George McAneny, Francis K. Stevens, Alfred V. S. Olcott, Leclanche Moen.
World's Fair—Lawrence B. Elliman, Chairman; Alfred L. Aiken, Herman B. Baruch, Walter H. Bennett, Harvey W. Corbett, Thomas Darlington, Joseph P. Day, Ernest Iselin, George McAneny, Arthur M. Reis, Paul Schwarz, Hugh Grant Straus, D. L. Tilly, Frederick T. Wood, Clarence M. Woolley.

Schwarz, Hugh Gland Chang, Woolley.

Law-Reform—John D. Dunlop, Chairman; Howard Ayres, Richard G. Babbage, Charles L. Bernheimer, Lawrence B. Ellman, H. Boardman Spalding, Robert D. Sterling, Charles A. Weil.

Membership—Robert H. Mackey, Chairman; Paul Cushman, Vice-Chairman

Speakers and Publications-Joseph H. McMullen, Chairman; Kenneth C. Hogate, Roswell C. McCrea.
Portraits—Henry Schultheis, Chairman; Harvey W. Corbett, Alexander

McM. Welch.

House—Carl F. Ahlstrom, Chairman; G. Hinman Barrett, Richard D. Bleom, Grosvenor Farwell, Gustave A. Johnson, Ernest E. Quantrell, C. Everett Bacon, Vice-Chairman.

Economical and Efficient Education—Frederick J. Lisman, Chairman; Howard C. Smith, A. Wellington Taylor, John R. Todd, Thomas F. Weodleck.

Tourist Industry—Frederick P. Small, Chairman; Lucius M. Boomer

John M. Franklin, Nelson A. Loomis.
Certiorari Proceedings in Tax Assessment Cases—Lawrence B. Elliman,
Chairman; Richard G. Babbage, Philip A. Benson, Bernard P. Day,
Frederick W. Ecker, Peter Grimm, Duncan G. Harris, Robert L. Hoguet.

## Senate Confirms Appointment of Leland Olds to Federal Power Commission

The Senate on June 22 confirmed the President's nomination of Leland Olds as a member of the Federal Power Commission for the term expiring June 22, 1944. Reference to Mr. Roosevelt's nomination was made in our June 17 issue, page 3631.

Four Appointed Advisors to Board of Governors of Chicago Stock Exchange

Chicago Stock Exchange

Sewell L. Avery, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Montgomery Ward & Co.; Newton P. Frye, President Central Republic Co.; and Herman Waldeck, President of the Chicago Bank Clearing House Association, have accepted appointment, and Sheldon Clark, Vice-President Consolidated Oil Co., has accepted reappointment as Advisors to the Board of Governors of the Chicago Stock Exchange, it was announced June 30 by Arthur M. Betts, Chairman, at a luncheon held at the Chicago Club in their honor and in honor of four former Advisors. They succeed the following Advisors who served within the past two years:

Britton I. Budd, President of the Public Service Co. of Northern Illinois

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Mr. Betts commented as follows:

The willingness of these men to identify themselves with the affairs of the Chicago Stock Exchange is a clear recognition of the important public service rendered by the Chicago Stock Exchange to investors, industry and

## A. B. A. School of Banking Graduates 172 Bank Officers at Third Annual Commencement Exercises

The Graduate School of Banking conducted by the American Bankers Association at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J., held its third annual commencement exercises on June 30, graduating 172 bank officers from 33 States and the District of Columbia. In order to receive

a graduation diploma bank officers must complete 180 hours of classroom work at intensive two-week resident sessions at Rutgers University for three successive years, and two years of extension work at home. The work of the school cover a broad range of practical subjects in commercial banking, investments, economics, business law, trusts, savings banking, and related fields. The courses are given by a faculty consisting of university professors, practical bank operating officers, and Government officials. This year the school had a resident body of 647 bank officers.

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Roger W. Adams, Cashier and Trust Officer of the State National Bank of Frankfort, Ky., is President of the class of 1939, and Melville M. Parker, Assistant Cashier of the First National Bank of Lebanon, Pa., is Secretary of the class. On behalf of the class, Robert E. MacDougall, Assistant Trust Officer of the Provident Trust Co., Philadelphia, Pa., presented Rutgers University with a gift of \$850 to add to the fund created by the classes of 1937 and 1938 for the establishment of a financial library at the university. Dr. Robert C. Clothier, President of the university, accepted the gift. The Right Rev. James E. Freeman, D.D., LL.D., D.C.L., Bishop of the Episcopal Church at Washington, D. C., was the commencement speaker.

Dr. Lewis E. Pierson, Honorary Chairman of the Irving Trust Co. of New York and Chairman of the Board of Regents of the Graduate School of Banking, awarded the diplomas and certificates. Reference to an address by Colonel Leonard P. Ayres, Vice-President of the Cleveland Trust Co., at the sessions was made in our July 1 issue, page 43.

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## School for Savings and Loan Executives to Be Conducted at Fayetteville, Ark., July 24-28

The Federal Home Loan Banks of Little Rock and Topeka will conduct a School for Savings and Loan Executives in conjunction with the College of Business Administration of the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Ark., during the week of July 24-28. About 200 savings and loan officers from 10 Southwestern States are expected to be in attendance.

## Life Insurance Research Bureau Concludes Two-Weeks School in Agency Management at Chattanooga,

Tenn.

The Life Insurance Sales Research Bureau of Hartford, Conn., concluded a two-week school in Agency Management at Chattanooga, Tenn., on June 23. Described as one of the most successful schools the Bureau has ever conducted in the South, it had a capacity enrollment of 44 general agents, managers and home office agency officials representing 17 companies. One of the features of the two weeks' course was a talk on "A Philosophy of Agency Management" given at the June 22 session by Jerome Clark, Vice-President, Union Central, and a member of the Bureau's Executive Committee. At the June 15 session Frank Limont, Superintendent of Agents, Pan-American Life Insurance Co., discussed the important subject of prospecting.

### ITEMS ABOUT BANKS, TRUST COMPANIES, &c.

Arrangements were completed June 30 for the sale of a membership in the Chicago Stock Exchange at \$1,600, down \$200 from the last previous sale.

The statement of condition of the United States Trust Co. of New York for June 30 shows total resources of \$135,807,313 against \$131,522,225 on March 31. Cash in banks at the latest date totaled \$64,842,287 compared with \$58,865,057 March 31, while loans at the latest date are given at \$24,407,754 against \$27,441,459 on the earlier date. At the end of the first half of the year the bank had deposits of \$103,629,283, an increase over those on March 31 of \$99,340,330. Capital and surplus are unchanged at \$2,000,000 and \$26,000,000, respectively, while undivided profits increased to \$2,805,337 June 30 from \$2,796,925 March 31.

As of June 30, 1939, the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Co. New York, reports total deposits of \$309,995,362 and total resources of \$345,478,223 compared, respectively, with \$309,286,804 and \$344,391,374 at the end of the first quarter. Holdings of United States Government securities, June 30, are shown as \$112,191,104 against \$106,072,507 on March 31, while cash in yaults and due from hanks at the end of the while cash in vaults and due from banks at the end of the first half of 1939 is reported at \$121,512,007 compared with \$129,644,772 on March 31. Capital is unchanged at \$15,000,000, and surplus and undivided profits increased to \$20,482,861 from \$20,104,570 at the end of the first quarter.

The statement of condition of the National City Bank of New York, as of June 30, shows \$2,062,823,359 in deposits compared with \$1,967,755,199 at the end of March. Resources are reported at \$2,232,773,791, an increase as compared with the March 31 figure of \$2,138,607,494. According to the statement, the principal assets at the close of June were: Cash and due from banks and bankers, \$824,543,860 against \$716,104,732 on March 31; United States Government obligations (direct and fully guaranteed), \$626,450,839 compared with \$619,014,734, and loans,

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discounts and bankers' acceptances, \$488,144,878 as compared with \$491,670,970. Capital remains unchanged at \$77,500,000, but surplus was increased \$500,000 from the previous quarter to \$47,000,000, while undivided profits now amount to \$13,670,186 against \$14,883,114 three months ago.

Henry Sayler, Chairman of the Board and former President of the Citizens Savings Bank of New York, died at his home in Rockville Centre, Long Island, N. Y., on July 6. He was 82 years old. A native New Yorker, Mr. Sayler began his career with the Citizens Savings Bank 68 years ago as an office boy. He was elected Assistant Secretary in 1899, Secretary in 1902, President in 1920, and Chairman of the Board in 1934. Mr. Sayler had one of the longest records of continuous employment with a metropolitan bank.

Manufacturers Trust Co., New York, is distributing a pamphlet, "Revenue Act of 1939 With Explanations," which contains the text of the new bill recently signed by the President, together with a summary of its important provisions and explanatory tables.

Alfred L. Dennis, a partner since 1894 of the New York Stock Exchange firm of Post & Flagg, died on July 6 at his residence in Newark, N. J. He was 83 years of age. Graduated from Princeton University in 1879, Mr. Dennis was a former President of the Mount Prospect National Bank of Newark, and a director of the Sussex and Merchants Bank of Newton, N. J.

A membership on the New York Cotton Exchange was sold July 7 for \$6,000, the lowest price since 1906 and a decline of \$1,500 from the previous transaction.

The First National Bank of the City of New York, in its statement of condition covering the quarter ended June 30, shows total rescurces of \$696,800,669 and total deposits of \$572,803,490, compared, respectively, with \$689,885,633 and \$567,312,249 on Mar. 31. Undivided profits are shown (June 30) at \$9,782,839 after making provision for the July 1 dividend of \$2,500,000 against \$8,757,085 (Mar. 31) after providing for the April 1 dividend of \$2,500,000. Loans and discounts increased to \$59,071,786 on June 30 from \$54,958,422 on Mar. 31, and holdings of United States Government securities amounted to \$261,850,622 on June 30 against \$256,437,413 on Mar. 31. Cash and due from banks was \$227,540,184 at the latest date as compared with \$226,130,361, Mar. 31. The bank's capital and surplus is unchanged at \$10,000,000 and \$100,000,000, respectively.

The statement of condition of the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., New York, as of June 30, 1939, shows total deposits of \$1,009,017,917 as compared with \$950,043,630 on Mar. 31. Resources totaling \$1,113,968,859 on June 30 compare with \$1,052,185,172 on Mar. 31. Cash on hand and defrom banks amounted to \$560,320,600, against \$516,632,659; holdings of United States Government securities to \$303,728,314, against \$281,961,283, and loans and bills purchased to \$175,341,117, against \$170,171,516. Capital and surplus remain unchanged at \$21,000,000 and \$60,000,000, respectively, and undivided profits increased to \$11,802,346, against \$11,647,938 on Mar. 31 last.

Frederick J. Griesmer, former Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Irving Trust Company, New York, died at his home in Brooklyn on July 2 at the age of 68. A native of New York City, Mr. Griesmer started his banking career as a messenger for the old Mercantile National Bank in 1888. Following the merger of this institution with the Irving in 1912 he was engaged in the credit branch and in 1919 was made Assistant Secretary. From 1923 until his retirement last March Mr. Griesmer was Secretary of the Irving Trust's Board of Directors.

The statement of The Chase National Bank of New York for June 30, 1939, was made public July 6 showing deposits on that date of \$2,696,486,000 compared with \$2,594,437,000 on March 31, 1939, and \$2,152,228,000 on June 30, 1938. Total resources indicated as \$2,983,435,000 compared with \$2,888,271,000 on March 31, 1939 and \$2,449,267,000 on June 30, 1938; cash in the bank's vaults and on deposit with the Federal Reserve Bank and other banks, reported at \$1,208,138,000 compares with \$1,229,179,000 and \$801,270,000 on the respective dates; investments in United States Government securities, \$835,045,000 compared with \$650,330,000 and \$626,756,000; loans and discounts, \$575,427,000 compared with \$608,609,000 and \$654,027,000. On June 30, 1939, the capital of the bank was \$100,270,000 and the surplus \$100,270,000, both amounts unchanged. The undivided profits account on June 30, 1939, amounts to \$30,819,000, after deducting from that account \$5,180,000 for payment of a semi-annual dividend on Aug. 1, 1939. A year ago the dividend was declared in July and consequently three semi-annual dividends have been charged to undivided profits between June 30, 1938 and June 30, 1939. Undivided profits on March 31, 1939,

amounted to \$33,266,000 and on June 30 a year ago were \$31,999,000.

The financial statement as of June 30, 1939 of Brown Prothers Harriman & Co., private bankers of New York City, shows an increase in total assets to \$105,644,031 compared with \$102,222,409 on March 31, 1939 and \$78,800,458 a year ago. Deposits increased to \$79,200,988 against \$75,134,895 on March 31 and \$53,368,747 on June 30, 1938; while capital and surplus increased to \$13,165,272 compared with \$13,145,225 three months ago and \$13,054,960 a year ago. Loans and advances are \$18,769,983 against \$19,437,448 on March 31 and \$16,192,025 on June 30, 1938. Other asset items compare as follows with the figures for three months go and a year ago: Cash, \$27,165,367 against \$25,182,962 and \$21,471,462, respectively; United States Government securities (valued at lower of cost or market), \$31,856,571 against \$29,065,246 and \$14,982,072; marketable bonds and stocks (valued at lower of cost or market), \$8,878,551 against \$8,868,403 and \$7,039,812; customers' liability on acceptances, \$11,701,650 against \$12,401,347 and \$10,860,370.

The statement of condition of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York as of June 30, 1939, published July 5 shows total resources and deposits higher than those in any previously published statement during the Company's history. The record total of resources as of June 30, 1939, \$2,215,168,135, compares with total resources of \$1,816,207,890 on June 30 a year ago, an increase of \$398,960,245. Deposits of \$1,898,035,302, compare with deposits of \$1,496,430,798 on June 30, 1938, an increase of \$401,604,504. Holdings of United States Government obligations are shown at \$636,527,767, an increase of \$42,001,053 over the figure of \$594,526,714, reported on the corresponding date a year ago. Cash on hand, in Federal Reserve Bank, and due from banks and bankers is shown at \$1,013,232,650 in the currently published statement, which compares with \$567,402,506 on June 30, 1938. The Company's total capital funds of \$272,957,601 consist of capital \$90,000,000; surplus fund \$170,000,000; and undivided profits of \$12,957,601.

In its statement of condition for June 30, the Chemical Bank & Trust Co., New York, reported total deposits of \$646,826,916 against \$619,778,644 on Mar. 31, and total assets of \$736,484,825 compared with \$710,912,007 three months ago. Cash and due from banks amounted to \$289,438,341 on June 30 compared with \$266,500,826; United States Government obligations (direct and fully guaranteed) to \$185,784,003 against \$168,900,744, and loans and discounts to \$157,849,331 against \$170,182,306. Capital and surplus were unchanged at \$70,000,000, while undivided profits increased to \$6,010,855 from \$5,868,726 at the time of the first quarter of 1939. The bank showed indicated earnings for the second quarter ending June 30 of 52 cents per share as compared with 57 cents for the first quarter of 1939 and with 58 cents a share in the second quarter of 1938.

The statement of condition as of June 30, 1939 of Manufacturers Trust Company of New York shows: Deposits of \$735,645,748 and Resources of \$851,180,426. This compares with Deposits of \$690,205,471 and Resources of \$805,683,547 shown on March 31, 1939. Cash and Due from Banks is listed at \$252,770,947, as against \$220,352,990 on March 31. United States Government Securities stands at \$270,278,537; three months ago it was \$239,721,353. Loans and Bills Purchased are reported as \$199,306,522 which compares with \$208,880,033 at the end of the previous quarter. Preferred Stock is \$9,228,520 as compared with \$9,244,520 at the close of the previous quarter and Common Stock is \$32,998,440 and remains unchanged. Net Operating Earnings for the quarter ending June 30, 1939, after amortization, taxes, etc., as well as dividends on preferred stock, amounted to \$1,453,463.

The statement of condition of the Brooklyn Trust Co. of Brooklyn, N. Y., as of June 30, issued this week, shows total deposits of \$119,038,508 and total resources of \$134,454,784, comparing with \$118,844,916 and \$134,063,188, respectively, on March 31 last. Holdings of United States Government securities showed a considerable increase during the preceding three months, being \$40,826,422 against \$31,920,096 on March 31. The increase was offset by decreases in holdings of cash and other securities. Cash on hand and due from banks was \$42,657,997 against \$48,592,348, while holdings of State and municipal bonds were \$2,735,078 against \$5,360,297 three months ago, and holdings of other securities were \$8,445,231 against \$9,165,430. Total loans and discounts were \$32,556,839 against \$32-179,530. According to the June 30 statement, undivided profits are now \$1,388,034 against \$1,419,046 on March 31. Capital and surplus are unchanged.

The Continental Bank & Trust Co. of New York reported as of June 30 an increase in deposits to \$64,382,214 and total assets to \$74,982,726 from \$61,519,133 and \$72,965,226,

respectively, on March 31. Cash on hand and due from banks amounted to \$28,160,141 against \$25,376,905; holdings of United States Government securities were unchanged at \$7,150,000. Loans and discounts amounted to \$12,205,882 compared with \$11,838,746; collateral loans, \$7,711,059 against \$7,496,599, and call loans to brokers, \$6,082,468 against \$7,444,127. Capital and surplus were unchanged at \$4,000,000 and \$3,000,000, respectively, and undivided profits at the end of June were \$1,359,810 compared with \$1,332,396 at the end of March.

The Schroder Trust Co., New York, in its statement of condition as of June 30, reports total deposits of \$21,081,442 and total assets of \$24,664,173 compared; respectively, with \$19,743,700 and \$23,176,200 on March 29. Cash on hand and due from banks amounted to \$6,760,165 against \$6,388,200 on March 29; holdings of United States Government securities to \$12,287,235 against \$12,278,200; loans and discounts to \$1,348,383 against \$787,000 three months ago. Capital remains unchanged at \$1,000,000 and surplus and undivided profits were \$1,701,875 on June 30 as compared with \$1,840,100 on March 29.

Fulton Trust Co. of New York reports aggregate resources as of June 30, 1939, of \$27,562,036, an increase from \$25,584,911 a year ago and from \$26,211,218 at the end of March, 1939. The company, which does exclusively a personal trust and banking business, lists deposits at \$22,434,121 as against \$20,403,863 on June 30, 1938, and \$21,080,741 on March 31 of this year. Capital and surplus remain unchanged at \$2,000,000 each, with undivided profits, after providing \$50,000 for the dividend, at \$836,136 as compared with \$751,743 a year ago and \$825,802 at the end of the first quarter. Cash items, United States Government securities and demand loans secured by collateral aggregate, it is stated, \$17,713,146 as compared with \$14,127,537 on June 30, 1938, and \$15,897,900 on March 31 of this year. This increase resulted in large part from the increase in holdings of United States Government securithis year. This increase resulted in large part from the increase in holdings of United States Government securities, which now stand at \$9,928,722 as compared with \$6,921,186 a year ago and \$8,761,186 three months ago. state and municipal bonds held by the company are listed at \$2,572,654 as compared with \$2,699,095 on June 30, 1938, and with \$2,991,949, while other securities total \$5,029,606 as against \$6,421,159 a year ago and \$5,024,742 three months ago.

According to the June 30 statement of condition, total resources of the Bank of New York, New York, were \$224,318,653 against \$218,851,263 on March 31. The bank reported cash on hand, due from banks and other cash items at \$68,267,247 compared with \$76,398,760, and holditems at \$68,267,247 compared with \$76,398,760, and holdings of United States Government securities of \$92,317,790 in comparison with \$73,683,333. Loans and discounts amounted to \$41,522,791 on June 30 against \$45,434,949 on March 31. Capital and surplus of the institution were unchanged at \$6,000,000 and \$9,000,000, respectively; undivided profits increased to \$4,782,460 on June 30 from \$4,746,918 on March 31, and total deposits were reported at \$200,320,032 as compared with \$194,965,614 three months ago months ago.

The Bankers Trust Co., New York, reports as of June 30 total deposits of \$1,099,948,475 and total assets of \$1,217,282,983 compared, respectively, with \$984,016,001 and \$1,111,602,383 on March 31. Cash and due from banks amounted to \$493,307,049 against \$411,820,286; holdings of United States Government securities to \$444,872,269 against \$393,093,225, and loans and discounts to \$191,314,020 against \$195,945,367. Capital and surplus were unchanged at \$25,000,000 and \$50,000,000, respectively, and undivided profits increased to \$30,095,403 from \$29,755,522 on March 31. March 31.

Resources of the Public National Bank & Trust Co. of Resources of the Public National Bank & Trust Co. of New York amounted to \$167,606,131 on June 30 compared with \$166,887,545 on March 31. Cash and due from banks totaled \$52,751,121 at the end of the first half of 1939 against \$52,189,211 on the earlier date, while holdings of United States Government obligations increased to \$43,-253,733 from \$38,319,280. The bank's capital and surplus are unchanged at \$7,000,000 each, and its undivided profits are now shown at \$2,461,694 against \$2,497,777 three months ago. The latest statement shows total deposits on June 30 at \$147,288,296 compared with \$147,061,032.

In its statement of condition as of June 30 the Irving Trust Co., New York, shows total assets of \$763,189,801 compared with \$720,558,240 on March 31. Cash on hand and due from Federal Reserve Bank and other banks is shown at \$385,484,494 against \$332,369,882, while holdings of United States Government securities at the end of the second quarter were in amount of \$161,068,423, contrasting with \$169,216,299 March 31. Deposits increased to \$650,918,898 from \$607,641,328 at the end of the first quarter. Capital stock is unchanged at \$50,000,000, while surplus and undivided profits increased to \$53,061,484 on June 30 from \$53,011,169 on March 31.

The directors of the Orange County Trust Co. of Middletown, N. Y., announce the death on July 4 of James H. Smith, Chairman of the Board. Mr. Smith had been associated with the institution since 1896 as Director, Vice-Provident President and Chairman of the Resident Chairman of the Resident President and Chairman of the Resident Resident President, President and Chairman of the Board, the office he held at his death. He was 82 years old.

Payments to depositors of the Hamilton Trust Co. of Paterson, N. J., which was closed June 17 when the directors voted to turn the institution over to the banking department for liquidation, were begun June 28 by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. A total of \$2,800,000 will be paid to 19,226 depositors. In noting this, Paterson advices on the date named to the Newark "News" added, in part.

The Philadelphia National Bank, Philadelphia, Pa., in its statement of condition as of June 30, 1939, shows total deposits of \$516,748,501 and total resources of \$567,919,204 as compared, respectively, with \$434,448,142 and \$486,078,430 on Dec. 31 last. In the current statement, cash and due from banks amounts to \$255,138,558 (as compared with \$177,633,431 on Dec. 31); holdings of United States Government securities to \$165,883,134 (against \$158,587,884, and loans and discounts to \$76,838,726 (against \$74,885,468 on the earlier date). The bank's capital remains the same at \$14,000,000, but surplus and net profits have risen to \$27,309,690 from \$26,225,987 on Dec. 31. The institution was established in 1803. Joseph Wayne Jr. is President.

The Pennsylvania Co. for Insurances on Lives & Granting Annuities of Philadelphia, Pa., in its condition report as of June 30, 1939, shows total deposits of \$239,101,714 and total resources of \$266,424,431, comparing, respectively, with \$245,196,152 and \$272,231,038 on March 31 last. The chief items making up the assets in the current statement are: Cash and due from banks, \$102,443,069 (comparing with \$100,027,570 on the continue data): heldings of United are: Cash and due from banks, \$102,443,069 (comparing with \$109,937,579 on the earlier date); holdings of United States Government securities, \$41,704,118 (against \$41,-100,691); loans upon collateral, \$39,187,433 (against \$40,-043,038); commercial loans, \$32,999,498 (comparing with \$30,787,236), and other investment securities, \$18,489,018 (down from \$19,674,285 on the earlier date). The company's capital and surplus remain the same at \$8,400,000 and \$12,000,000, respectively, but undivided profits have risen to \$2,636,126 from \$2,614,764 on March 31.

In its condition statement as of June 30, the Girard Trust Co. of Philadelphia, Pa., shows total deposits of \$104,-856,936 and total resources of \$121,049,897 as compared with \$101,447,791 and \$117,021,954, respectively, on March 25, 1939. The principal items comprising the assets in the current statement are: United States Government obligations, direct or fully guaranteed, \$39,323,995 (against \$50,553,423 on March 25); cash, reserves and due from banks, \$33,603,076 (up from \$21,624,962); other securities (including stocks of office buildings), \$24,655,295 (against \$22,561,961), and loans, \$16,823,049 (comparing with \$15,-545,282). The company's capital and surplus remain the same at \$4,000,000 and \$9,000,000, respectively, but undivided profits have risen to \$1,215,527 from \$1,081,678 on the earlier date. the earlier date.

The Harris Trust & Savings Bank of Chicago, Ill., in its statement of condition as of June 30, 1939, reports total deposits of \$247,571,221 and total assets of \$269,710,070 as deposits of \$247,571,221 and total assets of \$269,710,070 as compared with \$227,871,386 and \$249,593,546, respectively, on March 29 last. The principal items making up the resources in the current statement are: Cash on hand in Federal Reserve Bank and due from banks and bankers, \$89,421,122 (a gain of \$74,941,106 since March 29); United States Government securities at par and accrued interest, \$45,584,091 (against \$45,305,960); State and municipal securities, not exceeding market value, \$42,970,968 (against \$41,001,869); other bonds and investments, not exceeding \$41,001,869); other bonds and investments, not exceeding market value, \$35,571,368 (compared with \$31,093,796), and time loans and bills discounted, \$48,007,164 (comparing with \$46,618,213). The company's capital and surplus remain unchanged at \$6,000,000 and \$7,000,000, respectively, but undivided profits have risen to \$4,236,416 from \$3,-973,453 three months ago.

Total resources of \$1,084,990,881 are reported by the First National Bank of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., in its statement of condition as of June 30, 1939 (contrasting with assets of \$926,287,716 on March 29 last), of which the principal items are: Cash and due from banks, \$425,955,148 (against \$257,989,945 on March 29); United States obligations, direct and fully guaranteed, \$340,346,641 (against \$346,592,415); loans and discounts, \$229,004,985 (compared

with \$229,353,900), and other bonds and securities, \$75,611,515 (against \$77,666,779). Total deposits are shown at \$1,012,865,375 (as compared with \$853,910,566 on March 29). No change is shown in the bank's capital and surplus, which stand at \$30,000,000 and \$32,500,000, respectively, but other undivided profits increased to \$4,766,525 on June 30 from \$3,562,537 three months ago.

The Continental Illinois National Bank & Trust Co. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill., reports in its condition statement as of June 30, 1939, total assets of \$1,350,093,576 (as against 1,232,039,050 on March 29 last), of which the principal items are: Cash and due from banks, \$500,949,503 (comparing with \$446,033,621 on March 29); United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed, \$610,128,780 (against \$536,774,200), and loans and discounts, \$159,634,236 (against \$163,350,225 previously). Total deposits are shown as \$1,212,371,248 (contrasting with \$1,098,976,307 on the earlier date. The bank's capital remains at \$75,000,000, and its surplus at \$20,000,000, but undivided profits have risen to \$22,250,288 from \$16,736,729 three months ago. The Continental Illinois National Bank & Trust Co. of 736,729 three months ago.

H. D. Ivey, President of the Citizens National Trust & Savings Bank of Los Angeles, announces that Irvin Borders, Los Angeles newspaper and advertising man, has been appointed advertising manager of the bank, effective July 1. Mr. Borders succeeds the late E. C. Anderson, who for many years held the office. The announcement goes on

Mr. Borders, a native of Mississippi, is a graduate of the University of Missouri and a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity, and is also active in alumni circles of Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalistic fraternity. He entered the advertising field in Kansas City, and has spent several years in newspaper work in Houston, Miami, and New York City. At one time he was director of publicity and radio activities for the Los Angeles office of J. Walter Thompson Co.

Reflecting the growth of all California, the Bank of America National Trust & Savings Association (head office San Francisco) has again exceeded all previous high marks San Francisco) has again exceeded all previous high marks in capital funds, loans outstanding, and earnings, according to the bank's mid-year statement of condition as of June 30, 1939. It shows capital, surplus and undivided profits as standing at \$117,370,000 as compared with \$112,-231,000 reported June 30, 1938, an increase of \$5,139,000 for the 12 months, after payment in the same period of dividends amounting to \$9,600,000. The aggregate of loans outstanding is \$695,102,000, or \$65,977,000 more than on the same date a year ago. Deposits total \$1,408,306,000, an increase of \$50,528,000 over June 30, 1938, while total resources stand at \$1,549,824,000, a gain of \$51,297,000 for the same period. The bank's announcement continued:

Earnings for the first six months of 1939 are \$14,777,000. Dividends paid out in the same period at the annual rate of \$2.40 a share on 4,000,000 shares outstanding amounted to \$4,800,000. There was added to surplus and undivided profits accounts the amount of \$3,312,000 after provision of \$2,100,000 reserve for depreciation on banking premises, amortization of bond premiums, &c., and \$3,967,000 reserves applied to reduce carrying value of assets.

Cable advices received this week from London by the New York representative of Barclays Bank, Ltd. (head office London), state that for the first six months of 1939 the Board of Directors has declared interim dividends of 5% (10% per annum) on the A shares, and of 7% (14% per annum) on the B and C shares. These rates are identical with those paid by the bank for many years.

#### THE CURB EXCHANGE

Curb market trading has been very quiet this week with few major price changes and many active issues frequently absent from the tape. Public utilities were neglected during the fore part of the week but the preferred group made a good comback on Wednesday and registered moderate gains. Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. nv. stock continued its forward movement and there was considerable activity apparent in the aluminum issues. Oil shares were quiet and mining and metal stocks registered few changes. Aircraft issues displayed moderate improvement as bids were opened for the new war planes. The volume of transfers has been very light. very light.

Pre-holiday conditions prevailed on the Curb Exchange during the brief session on Saturday. Customer's rooms were practically deserted and the volume of transfers was down to 28,320 shares the bottom for the year, the previous low mark being established on May 20 when the total sales dropped to approximately 31,000 shares. Price variations were generally in minor fractions, and while there were occasional exceptions, the main part of the list was below the previous close. Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.nv. stock was one of the strong shares as it climbed 4 points to 109. Aluminium Ltd. moved upward 3 points to 123 and Pittsburgh Plate Glass, 2 points to 101. There were only 143 issues traded in, of which 52 closed on the side of the advance and 39 declined, with 52 unchanged.

Narrow price changes and quiet trading were the features of the dealings on the Curb Exchange on Monday. The volume of transfers was down to approximately 40,000

shares, the lowest level for the full session in more than a year due to the fact that many active traders were absent enjoying an extra day in connection with the Fourth of July enjoying an extra day in connection with the Fourth of July holiday. Setbacks were apparent in many of the public utilities and recessions were prominent in the low priced stocks, particularly those in the slow moving group. Industrial specialties were off, but there was a very modest pickup among the aviation shares due to the opening of bids for a large number of war planes. Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. nv. stock continued its advance and closed at 110. Oil issues were quiet.

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The New York Curb Exchange, the New York Stock

The New York Curb Exchange, the New York Stock Exchange and the commodity markets were closed on Tuesday in observance of the Fourth of July.

Renewed trading interest was apparent as the Curb Exchange resumed its session on Wednesday, and while the dealings were not particularly heavy, the pickup was noteworthy for the increased demand for the public utilities and other trading favorites. Aluminum stocks were active at higher prices and some of the specialties moved into new high ground. Aircraft shares were in light demand and oil stocks and mining and metal issues worked upward to higher levels. Transfers climbed up to 59,905 shares againt 40,085 on Monday.

Transfers climbed up to 59,905 snares again.

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Public utilities continued in the foreground on Thursday and some modest gains including a number of new tops were registered in this group. In other parts of the list the advances outnumbered the recessions but the changes were generally in minor fractions. The aluminum stocks were mixed and mining and metal shares recorded some small gains. In the specialties group Singer Manufacturing Co. was active and moved forward 3 points to 170; Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. nv. stock advanced 2½ points to 113½; Childs pref. improved 1½ points to 47 and Sherwin-Williams moved forward 1¼ points to 87¾. In the aircraft group Bell was active at slightly higher prices but in other sections of the group prices were unchanged.

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Dull trading and irregular price movements were the chief characteristics of the curb dealings on Friday. There were a few strong spots scattered through the list but the market few strong spots scattered through the list but the market as a whole, was inclined to move downward. Montgomery Ward A was active and advanced 3½ points to 168¾, Koppers (6) pref. moved up 2 points to 57 and Godchaux Sugar pref. climbed up 4 points to 95. As compared with Friday of last week prices were moderately higher, Aluminum Co. of America closing last night at 106 against 101 on Friday a week ago, Aluminium Ltd. at 125 against 120; American Gas & Electric at 35 against 33¾, Childs Co. pref. at 45¼ against 42½, Creole Petroleum at 18 against 17⅓, Humble Oil (new) at 58 against 57¾, Lake Shore Mines at 39½ against 38¼, Lockheed Aircraft at 25¾ against 24½, and United Shoe Machinery at 82 against 79½.

DAILY TRANSACTIONS AT THE NEW YORK CURB EXCHANGE

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	Stocks (Number		Bonds (Par	Value)	
Week Ended July 7, 1939	of Shares)	Domestic	Foreign Government	Foreign Corporate	Total
Saturday	28,320 40,185			\$6,000 9,000	\$433,000 616,000
Wednesday Thursday Friday	59,595 62,685 64,035	1,238,000 1,613,000 2,017,000	3,000 10,000 22,000	14,000 7,000 3,000	
Total	254,820	\$5.877,000	\$60,000	\$39,000	\$5,976,000

Sales at	Week End	ed July 7.	Jan, 1 to July 7	
New York Curb Exchange	1939	1938	1939	1938
Stocks-No. of shares.	254,820	1,283,963	19,729,783	22,352,274
Domestic Foreign government Foreign corporate	\$5,877,000 60,000 39,000	\$7,314,000 97,000 97,000	\$238,400,000 2,615,000 3,108,000	\$172,093,000 3,685,000 3,394,000
Total	\$5,976,000	\$7,508,000	\$244,123,000	\$179,172,000

### THE ENGLISH GOLD AND SILVER MARKETS

We reprint the following from the weekly circular of Samuel Montagu & Co. of London, written under date of June 21, 1939:

GOLD

The Bank of England cold reserve against notes on June 14 was £226,-287,061 at 148s. 5d. per fine ounce, as compared with £226,160,005 at 148s. 4d. per fine ounce on the previous Wednesday.

In the open market the amount of gold which changed hands at the daily fixing was about £2,340,000, most of which was provided by the authorities. There was some general demand but the larger proportion of the gold available was secured for shipment to New York.

Quotations-	Per Fine Ounce	Quotations—	Per Fine Ounce
	148s. 5½d.	June 20	
	148s. 6½d.	June 21	
June 17		Average	148s. 5.83d.
June 19	148s. 6d.		

The following were the United Kingdom imports and exports of gold,

registered from midday of	ii the 12th in	st. to midday on the 19th mst	
Imports		Exports	
Union of South Africa		United States of Amer £6,834,89	7
British West Africa	180,515	British India 26,21	0
British East Africa		Netherlands 30.37	5
Southern Rhodesia	176,476	France 21.51	8
British India		Swtizerland 12.99	0
British Guiana		Other countries 5.33	4
Netherlands			
France	2,433		
Swtizerland			
Other countries	6,128		

£2,763,390 £6,931,324 The SS. President Hayes, which sailed from Bombay during the week under review, carries gold to the value of about £202,500, consigned to New York.

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The following are the details of United Kingdom imports and exports of gold for the month of May, 1939:

Of Rold for the month of pray, 1000.	Imports	Exports
Union of South Africa		£26,610
Union of South Africa		
Southern Rhodesia	1.016,448	
British West Africa	113,669	
British East Africa	652,977	17,490
British India		17,450
Australia	30,475	
New Zealand	75,760	
British West India Islands and British Guiana.	23,490	405-500
Eire		497,789
Canada	5,113	30,955,380
United States of America	950	61,472,124
Central and South America (foreign)		42.656
Venezuela	14.706	
V enezuera	105,950	
Peru	120,000	77777
Channel Islands	1.202.894	77777
Soviet Union	858.211	
Germany	10.763.089	295,020
Netherlands		2.648
Belgium	431,543	
France	89,267	145,271
Poland	230,493	
Sweden	18,247	810,271
Switzerland	7,340,106	307,529
Syria		45,316
Siam	21.255	
Slam	35,354	
Egypt	20,641	53.151
Other countries		
Total	£31,851,106	£94,671,255
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SILVER

During the past week the market has reflected the growing nervousness regarding the future course of American silver policy and prices have declined heavily; quotations today at 19d. for cash and 18 13-16d. for two months delivery show falls of respectively 15-16d. and %d. on the week and are the lowest recorded since last September.

General selling, which included sales by the Indian Bazaars and others to cover bull commitments, met with little resistance; buyers, in the circumstances, held back, although there was some inquiry from America, but only for silver for prompt shipment to New York.

No definite news is available, but the various rumors received from America have rather added to the uncertainty and pending some authentic information the outlook must remain very obscure.

The following were the United Kingdom imports and exports of silver,

x Coin not of legal tender in the Unite	£254,84
Quotations during the week:	a ningaom. 2, summ, som
IN LONDON	IN NEW YORK

(Bar Silver per Ound Cash	e Std.) 2 Mos.	(per Ounce .999 Fine)
June 1519 1/8 d.	19%d.	June 1443 cents
June 1619¾d.	197-16d.	June 1543 cents
June 1719 11-16d.	197-16d.	June 1643 cents
June 1919 %d.	19%d.	June 1743 cents
June 2019 1/8 d.	18 15-16d.	June 1943 cents
June 2119d.	18 13-16d.	June 2043 cents
Average19.510d.	19.271d.	

The highest rate of exchange on New York recorded during the period from June 15 to June 21, 1939, was \$4.68\%, and the lowest \$4.68.

### 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. We give below a record for the week just passed:

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES CERTIFIED BY FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS TO TREASURY UNDER TARIFF ACT OF 1930 JULY 1, 1939, TO JULY 7, 1939, INCLUSIVE

Country and Monetary	Noon Buying Rate for Cable Transfers in New York Value in United States Money						
Unit	July 1	July 3	July 4	July 5	July 6	July 7	
Europe-	\$	8	s	8	4 8	8	
Belgium belge	0.000	.169933		.169961	.169933	.169922	
Bulgaria, lev		.012075*		.012075*	.012250*	.012125*	
Czechoslov'ia, koruna		a		a	a	а	
Denmark, krone		.208912		.208925	.208943	.208937	
Engl'd, pound sterl'g		4.680555		1.680694	4.681111	4.681250	
Finland, markka		.020541		.020533	.020533	.020533	
France, franc		.026482		.026486	.026487	.026488	
Germany, reichsmark		.401066		.401062	.401087	.401072*	
Greece, drachma		.008564*	16. N. 23.	.008564*	.008562*	.008564*	
Hungary, pengo		.195750*	and the	.195750*	.195750*	.195750	
Italy, lira.		.052604		.052607	.052607	.052607	
Netherlands, guilder.		.530738		.530755	.530766	.530744	
Norway, krone		.235168		.235178	.235193	.235200	
Poland, zloty	to was	.188080		.188100	.188100	.188060	
Portugal, escudo		.042415		.042472	.042472	.042472	
Rumania leu		.007035*		.007035*	.007035*	.007035*	
Spein posses		1.110225*		1 .110225*		.110225*	
Spain, peseta Sweden, krona				.241025	.241046	.241078	
Switzerland, franc		.240993		.225425	.225386	.225386	
Vugosland, Irane					.022680	.022680	
Yugoslavia, dinar	*****	.022640	*****	.022680	.022080	.022000	
China-	HOLI-		HOLI-	100	Style, a seed	* 1. The state of	
Chotos (	DAY	1011004	DAY	104000+	100500+	.124250*	
Chefoo (yuan) dol'r		.121100*		.124900*		.123000*	
Hankow (yuan) doi		.120475*		.124275*	.123187*	.127550*	
Shanghai (yuan) doi		.126150*		.127983*			
Tientsin (yuan) dol.		.111983*		.116391*		.105333*	
Hongkong, dollar.		.287718		.288406	.287937	.288250	
British India, rupee. Japan, yen.		.349135		.348937	.348825	.348843	
Straits Settlem'ts, dol	Ser Harris M. J.	.272785		.272757	.272725	.272757	
Australasia—		.547637		.548312	.547500	.547462	
Australia, pound		0 700 (07 )				0 720105	
New Zealand, pound.	S 25 19 C	3.730437		3.730437	3.730625	3.730125	
Africa-	A	3.745187*		3.744187*	3.745375*	3.744875	
Union South Africa &		4.631562		4.631875	4.632000	4.632000	
North America-	100	1.001002		2.0010.0	2.002000	1.002000	
Canada, dollar	The star	.996835		.997050	.997226	.997363	
Cuba, peso	a late of	.999500		.999500	.999500	.999500	
MEXICO, Deso	1. Jan 1	.176333*		.171666*			
Newfoundl'd, dollar	1. 1. 1.	.994296		.994609	.994726	.994882	
South America-			04 (4.12)	1001000	1001120		
Argentina, peso		.312056*		.312085*	.312095*	.312095	
Brazil, milrels official	Fred Co.	.060586*	Charles and	.060586			
" free	1 x	.050560*	200	.050500			
Chile, peso-official	1. 1. 1	.051733*	1.00	.051733			
** export	1 3 1 1	.040000*		.040000			
Colombia, peso	1 3000	.569850*		.569800			
Uruguay, peso, contr	100	.615928*		.615957			
Non-controlled	1 1 3 8	.356417*		.358328			

## 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: Wed., Thurs., July 5 July 6 18d. 17 7-16d. 148s.6½d. 148s. 6d. £67½ £67½ Sat., July 1 Mon., July 3 Tues., July 4 Frt., July 7 Silver, per oz.\_ 18 1-16d. Gold, p. fine oz.148s. 6d. Consols, 2½%\_ Holiday British 3½% War Loan 18 5-16d. 17 %d. 148s.6 ½d. 148s.6 ½d. £66 % £67 ½ 17 % d. 148s.6d. £67 % States on the same days have Jeen: Holiday 3734 361/2 36 1/2 Bar. N.Y. (for.) Closed U. S. Treasury (newly mined) 64.64 3734

### **AUCTION SALES**

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The following securities were sold at auction on Wednesday of the current week:

By R. L. Day & Co., Boston:	
	\$ per Share
& Machinists National Bank, Taunton, par \$50	230
a Casten & Whight Co preferred Dar \$100	
a Cantan & Whight Co prior preferred	19½
1 Sierra Pacific Power common, par \$15	1072
\$5,000 Bancroft Hotel (Worcester) 5s, August, 1943	80 & int.
By Crockett & Co., Boston:	
Charge Stocks	\$ per Share
CO My at among Mills	5
co Thombshire Fine Spinning Associates common	43/8-41/4
1 Dector Athonorum Dar \$300	200
4 New England Power Association preferred, par \$100	68

4 New England Power Association preserved, par \$100
By Barnes & Lofland, Philadelphia:
10 Second & Third Sts. Pass. Rv. Co., par \$50 4 at 35 4 and 6 at 34
E Morris & Essay RR Co. Dar \$50
12 Camden & Burlington County Ry. Co., par \$25 28 34
e Timire & Williamsport RR. Co. preferred, par \$50 00%
9 Philadelphia Germantown & Norristown RR, Co., par \$50111 34
12 Central-Penn National Bank, par \$10
15 Girard Trust Co., par \$105634
7 Germantown Passenger Ry., par \$50151/4
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## Course of Bank Clearings

Bank clearings this week will show an increase compared Bank clearings this week will show an increase 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, July 8) clearings from all cities of the United States from which it is possible to obtain weekly clearings will be 17.2% above those for the corresponding week last year. Our preliminary total stands at \$5,386,301,370, against \$4,593,967,848 for the same week in 1938. At this center there is a gain for the week ended Friday of 60.3%. Our comparative summary for the week follows:

Clearings—Returns by Telegraph Week Ending July 8	1939	1938	Per Cent
New York	\$3,266,938,598	\$2,037,571,770	+60.3
New York	206,581,933	199,795,615	+3.4
Philadelphia	279,000,000	236,000,000	+18.2
Boston	152,512,769	144,541,155	+5.5
Kansas City	68.294.314	64,157,854	+6.4
St. Louis.	63,000,000	54,600,000	+15.4
San Francisco	94,268,000	100,288,000	-6.0
Pittsburgh	87,294,875	72,340,987	+20.7
Detroit	61,329,742	51,899,182	+18.2
Cleveland	67,776,297	60,590,019	+11.9
Baltimore	49,034,944	54,976,291	-10.8
Eleven cities, five days.	\$4,396,031,472	\$3,076,760,873	+42.9
Other cities, five days	633,009,624	598,518,960	+5.8
Total all cities, five days	\$5,029,041,096	\$3,675,279,833	+36.8
All cities, one day	357,260,274	918,688,015	-61.1
Total all cities for week	\$5,386,301,370	\$4,593,967,848	+17.2

We also furnish today a summary of the clearings for the month of June. For that month there was a decrease for the entire body of clearing houses of 3.0%, the 1939 aggregate of clearings being \$25,502,350,016 and the 1938 aggregate \$26,286,691,262. In the New York Reserve District the totals register a loss of 10.4%, but in the Boston Reserve District the totals show a gain of 6.5% and in the Philadelphia Reserve District of 13.5%. In the Cleveland Reserve District the totals record an improvement of 9.7%, in the Richmond Reserve District of 9.9%, and in the Atlanta Reserve District of 12.8%. The Chicago Reserve District registers an increase of 7.9%, the St. Louis Reserve District of 10.8%, and the Minneapolis Reserve District of 11.3%. In the Kansas City Reserve District there is an increase of 5.9%, in the Dallas Reserve District there is an increase of 5.9%, in the Dallas Reserve District of 10.5%, and in the San Francisco Reserve District of 3.0%.

#### SUMMARY OF BANK CLEARINGS

Week Ended July 1, 1939	1939	1938	Inc.or Dec.	1937	1936
Federal Reserve Dists.	8	\$	%	8	\$
1st Boston 12 cities	246,984,292	262,853,148		300,983,991	280,596,120
2d New York 13 "	2,606,686,157	3,959,736,813	-34.2	5,049,667,849	4,362,722,484
3d Philadelphia10 "	383,070,377	392,109,177	-2.3	459,410,897	369,998,066
4th Cleveland 7 "	276,362,404	274,445,841	+0.7	362,514,134	308,404,568
5th Richmond 6 "	139,658,871	120,385,904	+16.0	144,984,125	129,541,232
6th Atlanta10 "	153,826,631	138,741,236	+10.9	150,135,792	125,426,733
7th Chicago 18 "	481,523,816	455,504,547	+5.5	583,657,747	537,727,450
8th St. Louis 4 "	136,294,069	123,819,420	+10.1	155,101,109	119,257,805
9th Minneapolis 7 "	94,676,259	91,657,507	+3.3	109,594,321	93,696,010
10th Kansas City10 "	135,891,266	127,079,789	+6.9	165,830,818	126,269,670
11th Dallas 6 "	61,065,709	57,545,127	+6.1	66,428,099	49,410,804
12th San Fran10 "	220,586,861	225,069,092	-2.0	265,208,946	206,542,379
Total113 cities	4,936,626,712	6,229,947,601	-20.8	7,813,518,629	6,709,593,321
Outside N. Y. City	2,440,744,019	2,389,190,185	+2.2	2,923,138,880	2,473,851,723
Canada32 cities	292,421,65	334,634,720	-12.6	280.828,125	322,074,577

Complete and exact details for the week covered by the We cannot foregoing will appear in our issue of next week. 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 July 1. For that week there was a decrease of 20.8%, the aggregate of clearings for the whole country having amounted to \$4,936,626,712, against \$6,229,947,601 in the same week in 1938. This decrease, however, is due largely to the fact that many banks in New York State were closed on Saturday, and partly to the fact that last year's figures included the end of the month's transactions, which the present year will appear in the following week. Outside of this city there was an increase of 2.2%, the bank clearings at this center having recorded a loss of 35.0%. We group the cities according to the Federal Reserve districts in which they are located, and from this it appears that in the New York Reserve District (including this city) the totals show a drop Reserve District (including this city) the totals show a drop of 34.2%, in the Boston Reserve District of 6.0%, and in the Philadelphia Reserve District of 2.3%. In the Cleveland Reserve District there is a gain of 1.7%, in the Richmond Reserve District of 16.0%, and in the Atlanta Reserve District of 10.9%. In the Chicago Reserve District the totals are larger by 5.5%, in the St. Louis Reserve District by 10.1%, and in the Minneapolis Reserve District by 3.3%. In the Kansas City Reserve District the totals show a gain of 6.9%, and in the Dallas Reserve District of 6.1%, but in the San Francisco Reserve District the totals register a loss of 2.0%. loss of 2.0%

In the following table we furnish a summary by Federal Reserve districts:

1 1 1 1	June, 1939	June, 1938	Inc.or Dec.	June, 1937	June, 1936
Federal Reserve Dists.	8	8	%	\$	\$
1st Boston 14 cities	1,073,241,752	1.008.198.571	+6.5	1,145,389,507	1,111,324,820
2d New York15 "	14,542,310,709	16,236,173,470	-10.4	16,877,239,529	17,839,030,506
3d Philadelphia17 "	1,823,529,473	1,606,519,223	+13.5	1,779,157,251	1,646,184,687
4th Cleveland 19 "	1,281,286,115	1,168,358,677	+9.7	1,550,336,590	1,338,811,351
5th Richmond 9 "	612,664,622	557,706,320	+9.9	661,468,263	598,627,612
6th Atlanta16 "	684,943,198	607,163,919	+12.8	667,606,083	590,858,219
7th Chicago 31 "	2,104,205,060	1,950,852,059	+7.9	2,301,081,800	2,167,692,266
8th St. Louis 7 "	611,057,095	551,474,516	+10.8	664,415,857	597,016,841
9th Minneapolis16 "	473,743,942		+11.3	496,627,273	469,762,388
10th Kansas City 18 "	759,332,646	717,258,253	+5.9	844,164,262	761,815,516
11th Dallas 11 "	505,944,558	457,880,395		505,553,188	424,847,146
12th San Fran19 "	1,030,090,846	999,631,232	+3.0	1,203,496,620	1,053,723,100
Total192 citles	25,502,350,016	26,286,691,262	-3.0	28,696,536,223	28,599,694,452
Outside N. Y. City	11,445,056,872	10,535,289,421	+8.6	12,420,319,897	11,274,260,853
Canada32 cities	1,487,012,088	1,486,260,485	+0.1	1,547,820,798	1,627,349,611

We append another table showing the clearings by Federal Reserve districts for the six months for four years:

	6 Months 1939	6 Months 1938	Inc.or Dec.	6 Months 1937	6 Months 1936	
Federal Reserve Dists.		8	%	8	\$	
1st Boston 14 cities	6,535,319,273	5,921,345,942		7,339,992,584	6,693,267,637	
2d New York 15 "	86,535,603,690	83,016,246,386	+4.2	102,130,232,347	100,741,600,191	
3d Philadelphia17 "	10,061,738,683	9,233,302,566	+9.0	10,847,962,806	9,558,536,635	
4th Cleveland 19 "	7,307,248,050	6,872,824,176	+6.3	8,853,051,846		
5th Richmond 9 "	3,411,831,065	3,223,722,608	+5.8	3,748,539,290	3,171,824,941	
6th Atlanta 16 "	4,243,436,779	3,828,535,489	+10.8	4,264,460,568	3,427,798,404	
7th Chicago 31 "	11,796,314,425	11,114,166,374	+6.1	13,819,090,028	11,920,212,415	
8th St. Louis 7 "	3,504,078,917	3,308,431,743	+5.9	3,832,925,847	3,333,949,068	
9th Minneapolis16 "	2,529,167,859	2,407,220,855	+5.1	2,670,092,257	2,367,063,006	
10th Kansas City 18 "	4,300,436,376	4,134,758,022	+4.0	4,884,550,133	4,280,593,878	
11th Dallas11 "	2,971,550,167	2,754,638,571	+7.9	2,899,553,852	2,386,339,596	
12th San Fran19 "	6,095,731,366	5,860,465,793	+4.0	7,067,520,892	6,098,223,412	
Total192 cities	149,292,456,650	141,675,658,525	+5.4	172,357,972,450	161,131,502,607	
Outside N. Y. City	65,522,609,631	61,424,265,060	+6.7			
Canada32 citles	8,355,972,424	8,118,072,466	+2.7	9,478,870,734	9,140,088,058	

The volume of transactions in share properties on the New York Stock Exchange for the first six months of the years 1936 to 1939 is indicated in the following:

	1939	1938	1937	1936
	No. Shares	No. Shares	No. Shares	No. Shares
Month of January February March	25,182,350	24,151,931	58,671,416	67,201,745
	13,873,323	14,526,094	50,248,010	60,884,392
	25,564,174	22,995,770	50,346,280	51,016,548
First quarter	63,618,847	61,673,795	159,265,706	179,102,685
Month of April	20,246,238	17,119,104	34,606,839	39,609,538
	12,935,210	14,004,244	18,549,189	20,613,670
	11,963,790	24,368,040	16,449,193	21,428,647
Second quarter	45,145,238	55,491,388	69,605,221	81,651,855
Six months	108,764,085	117,165,183	228,870,927	260,754,540

Our usual monthly detailed statement of transactions on the New York Stock Exchange is appended. The results for June and the six months of 1939 and 1938 follow:

	Month	of June	Six Months		
Description	1939	1938	1939	1938	
Stock, number of shares_	11,963,790	24,368,040	108,764,085	117,165,183	
Railroad & miscell. bonds			\$662,129,000	\$668,874,000	
State, foreign, &c., bonds			128,455,000	121,856,000	
U. S. Government bonds	6,821,000	9,729,000	46,011,000	77,897,000	
Total bonds	\$126,570,000	\$144,821,000	\$836,595,000	\$868,627,000	

The following compilation covers the clearings by months since Jan. 1, 1939 and 1938:

#### MONTHLY CLEARINGS

Month	Cleari	ngs, Total All	1	Clearings Outside New York			
	1939	1938	7.5	1939	1938		
Feb	21,841,023,069	\$ 24,241,479,798 19,632,071,812 25,194,752,704	+11.3	\$ 11,075,944,789 9,618,307,704 11,449,535,393	9,069,291,125	$^{\%}_{+2.3}$ $^{+6.1}$ $^{+6.5}$	
1st qu.	74,993,323,106	69,068,304,314	+8.6	32,143,787,886	30,651,686,696	+4.9	
May	24,639,897,726	23,968,927,209 22,351,735,740 26,286,691,262	+10.2		10,268,704,270 9,968,584,673 10,535,289,421	+4.9 +12.0 +8.6	
2d qu	74,299,133,544	72,607,354,211	+2.3	33,378,821,745	30,772,578,364	+8.5	
6 mos_	149292 456,650	141675 658,525	+5.4	65,522,609,631	61,424,265,060	+6.7	

The course of bank clearings at leading cities of the country for the month of June and since Jan. 1 in each of the last four years is shown in the subjoined statement:

				The section			Salada -	
BANK	CLEA	RINGS	AT L	EADIN		ES IN J		ind .
(000,000		Month	of Jun	e		Jan. 1 t		
omitted)	1939	1938	1937	1936	1939	1938	1937	1936
	8	\$	8		\$	\$	\$	\$
New York	14,057	15,751	16,276	17,325	83,770		98,749	97,823
Chicago			1,409	1,354	7,358			
Boston					5,586	5,012	6,276	
Philadelphia		1,518	1,674	1,547	9,543	8,737	10,280	
St. Louis		348	423		2,163	2,047	2,414	2,140
Pittsburgh		459	664	586	2,817	2,724	3,771	3,094
San Francisco		569	627	574	3,465	3,368	3,869	
Baltimore		278	320	303	1,696	1,595	1,817	1,562
Cincinnati		226	281	247				1,34
Kansas City	390	368	451	389	2,188	2,110	2,588	2,198
Cleveland		363	442	361	2,299	2,046		1,934
Minneapolis		264	315	295	1,579	1,502	1,702	1,479
New Orleans		140	151	129	976	904	952	768
Detroit		350	519	472	2,381	2,097	3,046	2,574
Louisville			157	132	858	790	894	768
Omaha		116	128	135	746	695	784	802
Providence		- 44	50	42	260	250	289	253
Milwaukee		83	92	87	503	490	551	493
Buffalo			167	142	793	755		789
St. Paul		103	112	113	619	604	639	593
Denver		121	137	125	725	683	802	673
Indianapolis		73	84	71	464	422	488	398
Richmond		148	165	147	932	883	983	809
Memphis		65	77	66	444	434	483	395
Seattle		144	181	143	852	813	967	798
Salt Lake City		56	71	63	363	332	413	346
Hartford	48	43		50	283	275	327	302
marword			-					
Total	23 067	24.021	25.991	26.240	135.084	128,309	156,750	147,981

Total 23,067 24,021 25,391 20,240 150,064 128,005 150,160 171,551 Other cities 2,435 2,266 2,706 2,360 14,208 13,367 15,608 13,151 Total all.......25,502 26,287 28,697 28,600 149,292 141,676 172,358 161,132 Outside New York.11,445 10,535 12,420 11,274 65,523 61,424 73,608 63,309

We now add our detailed statement showing the figures for each city separately for June and since Jan. 1 for two years and for the week ended July 1 for four years:

## CLEARINGS FOR JUNE, SINCE JANUARY 1, AND FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 1

	Mont	nth of June		Six Mouths Ended June 30			Week Ended July 1				
Clearings at—	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1937	1936
	8	8	%	8	8	0%	\$	8	%	\$	\$
First Federal Rese	rve District-	Boston-				9. 19. 6			7-1-2	4.5	
Maine-Bangor	2,243,941	2,431,759	-7.7	12,442,015	13,184,250	-5.6	521,153	727,279	-28.3	900,773	897,031
Portland	8.757.213	8.149,268	+7.5	49,627,418	47.614.801	+4.2	2,122,684	1,946,032	+9.1	2,359,002	2,100,910
Mass.—Boston	911,092,413	854,733,245	+6.6	5.586,178,702	5,011,940,014	+11.5	208,446,537	223,353,840	-6.7	255,244,212	241,365,491
Fall River	2.986.346	2.850.528	+4.8	17,219,090	15,594,298	+10.4	784,723	794,597	-1.2	729,211	593,811
Holyoke	1,450,016	1,448,752	+0.1	8.851.974	8,955,822	-1.2					
Lowell	2,044,410	1,716,381	+19.1	11,031,686	9,819,436	+12.3	425,548	342,631	+24.2	391,732	327,332
New Bedford	2,203,055	2.879,600	-23.5	16,454,125	16,028,860	+2.7	661,458	597,275	+10.7	642,020	711,301
Springfield	13,714,223	12,974,995	+5.7	79,976,382	76,496,684	+4.5	3,212,291	3,472,213	-7.5	3,669,568	3,160,168
Worcester	8,072,716		+5.1	47,579,480	45,204,163	+5.3	1,976,402	1,822,050	+8.5	2,514,695	1,839,170
Conn.—Hartford	47,564,668	42,941,549		283,326,756	275,168,918	+3.0	12,880,649	12,131,803	+6.2	15,286,651	13,296,384
New Haven	18,324,623	17,402,973	+5.3	106,724,431	100.128,730	+6.6	4,184,292	4,621,228	-9.5	5,351,952	4,505,589
Waterbury	7,785,200	7.166,900	+8.6	41.354.900	38,686,900	+6.9			7.244		
R. I.—Providence	44,349,200	43,513,000	+1.9	260,201,400	250,084,300		10,490,900	11,591,000	-9.5	12.836.700	10,439,500
N. H.—Manchester	2,653,728		+15.1	14,350,914	12,438,766		1,277,655	1,453,200	-12.1	1,057,475	1,359,433
Total (14 cities)	1,073,241,752	1,008,198,571	+6.5	6,535,319,273	5,921,345,942	+10.4	246,984,292	262,853,148	-6.0	300,983,991	280,596,120

## CLEARINGS (Continued)

	Mon	th of June		Siz Mont)	rs Ended June 30	)		Week	Ended J	uly 1	and a little of
Clearings at—	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1937	1936
Second Federal Res N. Y.—Albany. Binghamton Buffalo. Elmira Jamestown. New York Rochester Syracuse Utlea. Westchester County. Conn.—Stamford N. J.—Montclair Newark. Northern New Jersey	41,730,562 5,351,308 145,648,983 2,303,239 3,537,310 14,057,293,144 37,40,824 3,743,841 18,122,520 20,237,734 1,870,484 79,699,999 103,532,893	48,072,310 4,676,939 126,097,203 2,369,522 2,936,862 15,751,401,841 32,352,001 16,460,506 3,620,306 15,757,119 22,540,568 1,986,654 79,329,415 124,861,096	% -13.2 +14.4 +15.5 -2.8 +20.4 -10.8 +26.0 +3.4 +15.0 -10.2 -5.8 +0.5 -17.1	203,235,170 108,033,052 20,695,243 100,119,077 108,382,735 11,322,725 451,536,872 630,027,311	\$ 272,731,911 29,993,994 755,422,880 13,973,339 17,358,120 80,251,393,465 192,290,595 105,242,176 19,048,829 92,303,239 104,720,404 10,494,665 465,163,163 663,366,733	+4.4 +5.7 +2.7 +8.6 +8.5 +7.9 -2.9 -5.0	8,333,443 4,253,394 4,318,230	\$ 18,622,192 1,384,598 30,800,000 670,427 696,004 3,840,757,416 9,210,556 4,732,556 4,732,556 1,708,941 26,787,043	% -22.3 -19.5 +2.6 -32.0 +1.2 -35.0 -9.5 -10.1 -2.6 -9.5 -7.7 -5.0	\$ 16,477,290 1,536,519 41,800,000 750,182 764,406 4,890,379,749 11,594,985 5,066,461 3,358,632 4,605,273 606,366 26,507,442 46,220,544	\$ 12,319,018 1,150,374 32,200,000 768,200 500,581 4,235,741,588 8,666,104 3,911,680 2,694,597 3,983,525 *380,000 19,709,376 40,697,303
Oranges Total (15 cities)	2,973,495		$\frac{-19.9}{-10.4}$	21,403,435 86,535,603,690	22,743,073 83,016,246,386	$\frac{-5.9}{+4.2}$	2,606,686,157	3,959,736,813		5,049,667,849	4,362,722,484
Third Federal Rese Pa.—Altoona Bethlehem Chester Harrisburg Laneaster Lebanon Norristown Philadelphia Reading Scranton Wilkes-Barre York Pottsville Du Bois Hazleton Del.—Wilmington N. J.—Trenton Total (17 cities)	rve District— 1,894,794 y2,130,705 1,540,160 8,967,270 5,184,453 1,927,561 2,245,685 1,729,000,000 6,168,885 10,662,792 3,857,010 5,785,632 1,099,344 619,446 2,447,522 19,208,214 20,810,000  1,823,529,473	Philadelphia 1,571,014 y1,595,400 1,412,703 9,111,574 5,016,854 1,992,637 1,991,700 1,518,000,000 5,821,362 9,702,593 3,819,323 6,147,343 1,141,384 481,883 2,383,086 19,154,169 17,247,190	+20.6 +33.6 +9.0 -1.7 +0.3 +0.3 +12.8 +13.9 +6.0 +9.8 +1.0 -5.9 -3.7 +28.5 +20.7 +13.5	11,361,916 14,104,646 8,909,905 55,063,430 31,849,431 11,564,684 10,482,331 9,543,000,000 37,533,559 59,483,501 23,622,963 30,014,844 6,598,317 3,377,661 14,730,840 91,603,355 108,438,300	10,097,559 10,689,200 8,011,952 56,866,245 29,700,349 10,809,172,472 8,737,000,000 35,007,653 56,116,173 22,718,829 36,306,105 7,473,817 3,069,002 13,711,463 89,140,115 96,872,460	+12.5 +32.0 +111.2 -3.2 +7.2 +7.9 +9.2 +7.9 +9.2 -17.3 -11/7 +16.1 +7.4 +2.8	\$06,706 *565,000 395,635 1,221,514 	420,319 540,273 348,752 1,173,927	+20.6 +4.6 +13.4 +4.1 -2.7 -9.7 -9.3 -1.3 -20.4 	669,949 461,660 610,819 824,542 440,000,000 1,972,053 2,955,624 1,575,679 1,814,771 8,525,800 459,410,897	649,283 535,496 397,513 1,258,478 356,000,000 1,409,856 2,222,001 1,797,659 1,519,780 4,208,000 369,998,066
Fourth Federal Re Ohlo—Canton Cincinnati Cleveland. Columbus Hamilton Lorain Mansfield Youngstown Newark Toledo Pa.—Beaver County Franklin Greensburg Pittsburgh Erie. Oil City Warren Ky.—Lexington W. Va.—Wheeling Total (19 cities)	9,519,573 247,219,657 410,077,385	Cleveland- 7,047,134 226,354,993 362,950,645 42,225,100 2,224,764 859,967 6,098,480 8,759,924 5,112,625 19,243,216 717,343 347,942 45,889,237 5,933,667 8,355,491 5,410,036 6,564,636	+35.1 +9.2 +13.0 +13.0 +15.9 +16.5 +18.1 +14.1 +12.2 +21.4 +11.4 +6.7 +8.4 +11.2 +7.0 -2.2 +9.7	51,373,499 1,421,379,819 2,298,957,66,500 12,738,415 5,557,612 41,594,954 59,210,569 32,250,114 110,464,084 4,717,162 2,112,874 3,649,273 2,817,435,697 38,595,958 56,095,647 3,610,345 41,928,055 41,319,311 7,307,248,050	47,424,640 1,368,580,961 2,046,026,560 257,092,900 12,515,457 6,602,071 36,375,113 50,854,435 30,153,301 105,591,710 4,511,338 2,235,685 4,159,263 2,724,237,272 36,471,712 57,584,517 3,916,578 40,528,434 37,962,229 6,872,824,176	+3.9	1,810,644 50,948,119 92,012,373 10,987,100 1,494,048 1,940,226 	1,576,374 53,908,850 83,523,932 10,843,900 1,194,933 1,418,232	+14.9 -5.5 +10.2 +1.3 -25.0 +36.8  -3.9  +0.7	2,198,859 66,097,038 108,229,700 12,856,100 1,891,513 2,325,042 	2,124,175 54,166,150 77,734,840 9,742,500 1,797,718 2,616,388 160,222,743 308,404,568
Fifth Federal Rese W. Va.—Huntington. Va.—Norfolk. Rlehmond S. C.—Charleston. Columbia. Greenville. Md.—Baltimore. Frederick. D. C.—Washington Total (9 cities)	rve District— 1,643,884 11,530,000 166,493,025 y5,030,975 8,055,734 4,521,897 305,365,579 1,576,677 108,446,851	Richmond— 1,394,414 10,168,000 148,046,487 4,701,881 8,044,248 3,722,168 278,319,952 1,467,346 101,841,824 557,906,320	$\begin{array}{c} +17.9 \\ +13.4 \\ +12.5 \\ +7.0 \\ +0.1 \\ +21.5 \\ +9.7 \\ +7.5 \\ +6.5 \\ \hline \end{array}$	9,421,746 63,696,000 931,785,249 31,167,696 53,196,496 29,876,500 1,696,062,290 8,977,105 587,647,983	7,970,596 61,690,000 882,896,082 28,970,351 47,696,930 24,514,767 1,595,033,481 8,894,970 566,055,431	$+3.3 \\ +5.5 \\ +7.6 \\ +11.5 \\ +21.9 \\ +6.3$	421,764 2,622,000 42,222,967 *1,550,000 	307,355 2,664,000 36,534,137 1,337,324 53,516,139 26,026,949 120,385,904	+37.2 $-1.6$ $+15.6$ $+15.9$ $-2.5$ $+2.5$ $+16.0$	476,323 3,428,000 42,528,863 1,659,066 	324,245 2,663,000 31,993,821 1,005,097 69,736,800 23,818,269
Sixth Federal Rese Tenn.—Knoxville.— Nashville. Ga.—Atlanta. Augusta. Columbus. Macon. Fla.—Jacksonville. Tampa. Ala.—Birmingham. Mobile. Montgomery. Miss.—Hattiesburg. Jackson. Meridian. Vicksburg. La.—New Orleans.  Total (16 cities)	rve District— 16,040,893 76,669,091 232,515,107 4,698,576 3,903,840 4,548,180 75,433,825 5,018,991 85,313,171 7,730,105 3,528,850 4,224,000 6,405,334 1,406,405 579,773 156,927,057	Atlanta— 14,710,713 70,430,280 205,683,334 4,504,625 3,138,339 3,462,828 66,476,345 4,608,214 73,489,387 6,047,764 2,994,659 3,631,000 6,045,309 1,171,712 526,976 140,242,434	+9.0 +8.9 +13.0 +4.3 +24.4 +31.3 +13.5 +16.1 +27.8 +16.3 +6.0 +20.0 +11.9 +12.8	106,508,209 459,494,732 1,425,715,107 22,766,359 23,906,807 499,181,986 30,724,703 518,227,021 44,487,115 21,604,933 28,112,000 44,816,702 9,381,514 3,520,654 976,103,185	98,692,066 436,422,688 1,259,232,736 26,511,630 19,163,127 21,082,398 454,969,538 30,014,288 445,835,193 37,823,706 19,044,236 24,588,000 39,022,326 8,437,125 3,637,931 904,078,501	+7.9 +5.3 +13.2 +9.0 +18.8 +13.4 +14.2 +17.6 +13.4 +14.4 +14.4 +14.4 +11.2 -3.2 +8.0 +10.8	3,529,819 16,474,839 55,100,000 1,016,834 792,781 15,960,000 1,656,981 1,27,710 40,333,807	3,690,985 18,188,765 46,700,000 1,041,692 904,627 13,618,000 16,006,404 1,442,870 x 157,833 36,900,060	-4.4 -9.4 +18.0 -2.4 +17.2 +17.2 +17.0 +14.8 	3,803,737 18,948,462 52,500,000 1,178,783 981,624 16,575,000 18,112,655 1,885,056 x 183,648 35,966,827	2,875,421 14,193,612 43,100,000 893,174 821,503 15,606,000 14,775,723 1,181,664 
Seventh Federal Re Mich.—Ann Arbor.— Detroit.— Filint. Grand Rapids. Jackson. Lansing. Muskegon Bay City. Ind.—Ft. Wayne. Gary Indianapolis. South Bend. Terre Haute. Wis.—Madison. Milwaukee. Oshkosh. Sheboygan. Watertown. Manitowoc. Jowa—Cedar Rapids. Des Moines. Sloux City. Ames. Ill.—Aurora. Bloomington.	1,689,380 396,944,808 37,74,532 14,400,190 1,643,583 6,747,899 2,287,954 2,575,129 4,471,189 14,132,094 77,478,422 6,924,488 22,631,342 6,396,824 87,742,851 1,438,417 3,050,296 486,948 1,148,212	19,763,870 5,206,811 82,903,583 1,344,007 2,703,451 474,267 1,232,480 4,959,287 34,592,814 13,936,950	+9.7 +13.3 +45.4 +121.8 +19.3 -2.5 -2.5 +16.6 +27.1 +5.6 +45.2 +14.5 +22.7 +12.8 +2.7 +12.8 +4.8 +14.8 +14.9 +9.3	10,869,349 2,380,861,702 25,014,337 73,087,757 11,506,167 37,289,443 14,081,798 13,957,857 25,446,488 79,562,031 463,521,227 38,864,567 127,038,458 33,969,861 503,307,830 8,243,432 2,575,610 7,035,974 29,718,286 236,481,115 89,677,219	9,732,647 2,096,727,807 24,415,486 60,944,614 10,428,209 35,081,122 12,812,805 14,867,383 23,537,781 66,159,169 421,709,000 31,211,463 110,437,751 31,143,172 489,548,202 8,260,119 15,856,784 2,815,182 7,261,048 27,775,499 210,152,605 80,936,213	$^{+9.9}_{-6.1}$ $^{+8.1}_{+20.3}$ $^{+9.9}_{+24.5}$ $^{+9.1}_{+2.8}$ $^{-0.2}_{-3.1}$ $^{+7.0}_{+10.8}$	290,987 97,652,378 3,002,179 1,143,070 	281,337 81,550,701 2,506,227 1,598,784 	+3.4 $+19.7$ $+19.8$ $-28.5$ $-28.5$ $+0.4$ $+63.6$ $+2.1$ $+1.7$ $-11.6$ $+2.7$	350,880 136,747,615 3,313,942 2,033,460 1,165,973 22,482,000 2,079,322 6,617,314 23,187,895 1,359,995 9,589,797 3,211,762	204,897 120,907,612 2,335,470 1,655,896 897,601 16,469,000 1,492,146 5,711,253 19,962,265 1,124,049 7,785,152 3,319,171
Ames. III.—Aurora. Bloomington. Chicago. Decatur. Peorla. Rockford. Springfield. Sterling. Total (31 citles)	1,349,195,839 4,173,545 16,927,038 5,994,687 6,430,614 624,458	758,161 2,053,704 1,988,024 1,277,975,900 4,204,207 15,117,454 5,515,812 6,099,596 614,151	+31.9 $+1.1$ $-4.2$ $+5.6$ $-0.7$ $+12.0$ $+8.7$ $+5.4$ $+1.7$ $-7.9$	5,552,763 11,137,517 9,025,597 7,358,122,057 24,281,022 95,071,203 28,978,606 32,656,477 3,357,006	80,936,213 4,622,271 10,122,704 10,807,463 7,121,330,336 23,110,993 88,468,490 29,280,887 31,360,780 3,247,889	+20.1 +10.0 -16.5 +3.3 +5.1 +7.5 -1.0 +4.1 +3.4 +6.1	341,611 308,593,766 911,680 3,968,274 1,320,621 1,161,739 481,523,816	317,831 301,478,123 1,192,732 3,409,084 1,436,803 1,320,971 456,504,547	+7.5 +2.4 -23.6 +16.4 -8.1 -12.1 	319,867 362,623,460 978,339 4,437,836 1,706,853 1,451,437 583,657,747	383,405 346,574,314 742,012 5,562,237 1,498,101 1,102,869

## OLEARINGS (Concluded)

<i>7</i>	Mont	h of June		Six Month	Ended Ju ne 30	)		Week	Ended J	uly 1	
Clearings at—	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1937	1936
	\$	8	%	8	8	070	S	\$	%	\$	\$
Eighth Federal Re Mo.—St. Louis Cape Girardeau	387,056,195 3,552,289	—St. Louis— 347,867,307 3,134,684	$^{+11.3}_{+13.3}$	2,162,640,764 20,553,893	2,047,135,506 18,223,136	$^{+5.6}_{+12.8}$	84,600,000	79,400,000	+6.5	99,400,000	76,100,000
Independence Ky.—Louisville	498,783 143,361,394	462,343	$^{+7.9}_{+8.3}$	2,974,887 858,076,766	2,638,072 789,999,559	$+12.8 \\ +8.6$	33,980,726	30,215,069	+12.5	38,226,228	27,295,81
Fenn.—Memphis	73,697,080		$^{+14.1}_{-20.7}$	444,057,325 1,670,282	434,449,260 1,778,210	+2.2	17,260,343	13,569,351	+27.2 x	16,784,881 x	15,279,98 x
ll.—Jacksonville	282,354 2,609,000	2,709,000	-3.7	14,105,000	14,208,000	-0.7	453,000	635,000	-28.7	690,000	582,000
Total (7 cities) Ninth Federal Rese	611,057,095	551,474,516 Minneapolis -	+10.8	3,504,078,917	3,308,431,743	+5.9	136,294,069	123,819,420	+10.1	155,101,109	119,257,80
Minn.—Duluth	17,994,093 298,705,657	16,582,444 263,622,641	$^{+8.5}_{+13.3}$	72,949,890 1,579,468,444	73,279,869 1.502,441,585	$-0.5 \\ +5.1$	3,045,023 59,612,871	2,527,413 59,706,455	$^{+20.5}_{-0.2}$	4,199,969 73,017,924	4,082,86 62,641,34
Minneapolis Rochester	1,411,666	1.295.654	+9.0	8,006,734 618,722,254	1,502,441,585 7,578,542 603,911,265	$+5.7 \\ +2.5$	25,516,711	23,942,856	+6.6	25,998,838	21,139,79
St. Paul	109,360,764 1,526,620	103,387,485 1,833,144	+5.8 $-16.7$	9,397,216	8,953,279 2,841,828	$+5.0 \\ +8.0$	20,010,111				
N. D.—Fargo	601,932 9,536,964	547,542 9,292,248 930,000	$^{+9.9}_{+2.6}$	3,068,631 55,508,387	51,447,430	+7.9	2,213,880	1,978,364	+11.9	2,218,927	1,971,44
Grand Forks	1,085,000 884,794	768,270	$^{+16.7}_{+15.2}$	5,878,000 4,397,067	5,060,000 4,454,950	-1.3			. 1272	702.017	621,62
Minot 5. D.—Aberdeen Sioux Falls	3,426,240 7,216,858	3,154,307	+8.6 +8.8	18,219,183 40,216,887	16,104,713 37,974,381	+5.9	781,401	663,826	+17.7	703,617	021,02
Huron Mont.—Billings	839,100 3,127,553	693,400	$^{+21.0}_{+5.3}$	4,325,600 17,215,119	3,254,175 15,861,441	$+32.9 \\ +8.5$	622,500	664,278	-6.3	683,779	416,76
Great Falls	3,875,232	3,134,592	$^{+23.6}_{+32.7}$	19,361,059 70,921,157	16,204,014 56,764,812	+19.5	2,883,873	2,174,315	+32.6	2,771,258	2,822,17
Helena Lewistown	13,823,454 328,015		+56.0	1,512,231	1,088,571	+38.9	2,000,010				
Total (16 cities) Tenth Federal Rese	473,743,942	425,474,627	+11.3	2,529,167,859	2,407,220,855	+5.1	94,676,259	91,657,507	+3.3	109,594,312	93,696,01
Neb.—Fremont	418,378	390,720	+7.1	2,511,544	2,381,323 3,232,874	$+5.5 \\ +6.9$	89,479 151,043	77,839 157,295	+15.0 $-4.0$	106,670 155,123	120,72 99,53
Hastings	633,125 11,598,119	10,744,465	$^{+9.7}_{+7.9}$	3,454,656 66,798,391	60,522,434	+10.4	2,169,856 30,228,827	2,613,865 28,557,706	-17.0	2,968,150 32,374,393	2,693,72 28,901,55
Omaha Kan.—Kansas City	125,370,544 20,047,045	17,417,661	$^{+8.0}_{+15.1}$	66,798,391 745,743,054 99,911,481	694,741,992 93,012,020	+7.4			+5.9	02,014,000	20,001,00
Manhattan	624.543	565,862	$^{+10.4}_{-10.7}$	3,816,662 5,233,164	3,485,502 5,273,453	+9.5 $-0.8$					
Topeka	10,482,456 13,457,792	10,269,494	+2.1	59,551,090 71,295,229	58,502,406 77,075,262	+1.8	2,370,113 3,641,992	2,279,353 4,204,961	$^{+4.0}_{-13.4}$	2,378,901 7,533,427	3,486,67 4,058,17
Parsons Topeka Wichita Mo.—Joplin	2,206,289	1,855,563	+18.9	11,706,865 2,187,768,733	11,728,881 2,110,224,240	-0.2	93,688,452	86,169,254	+8.7	116,335,166	82,947,46
St. Joseph	13,409,086	11,266,313		76,130,447	68,791,030	+10.7	2,802,885	2,204,091	+27.2	2,910,077	2,980,18
Carthage Okla.—Tulsa	478,861 35,332,732	374,983 37,151,493	-4.9	3,073,159 198,829,554	2,960,315 222,913,958	-10.8	********		777.0	400,000	220.20
Colo.—Colo. Springs Denver	2,875,568 127,070,685	2,841,835	$^{+1.2}_{+5.4}$	15,290,797 724,569,484	15,585,264 683,481,641	+6.0	139,981	267,358	-47.6	406,060	320,29
Pueblo Wyo.—Casper	2,816,874 1,526,900	2,462,867 1,457,375	+14.4 +4.8	16,134,417 8,617,649	13,536,036 7,309,391	$^{+19.2}_{+17.9}$	608,638	548,067	+11.1	662,851	661,34
Total (18 cities)	759,332,646		+5.9	4,300,436,376	4,134,758,022	+4.0	135,891,266	.127,079,789	+6.9	165,830,818	126,269,67
Eleventh Federal R Texas—Austin		t-Dallas-	+30.0	45,885,918	38,752,457	+18.4	1,759,299	1,346,856	+30.6	1,400,754	945,57
Beaumont	3,928,830	4,065,333	-3.4	24,253,241 1,297,438,453	25,507,843 1,209,774,303	$-4.9 \\ +7.2$	46,854,039	43,594,348	+7.5	47,305,350	37,386,25
Dallas El Paso	18,494,308	18,514,645 33,713,883	-0.1 -2.8	117,373,651 178,372,406	115,446,657 171,825,918	+1.7	7,147,622	6,878,737	+3.9	10,295,919	6,277,96
Fort Worth	9,039,000	10,200,000	-11.4	58,359,000 1,124,379,796	64,016,000 997,898,481	$-8.8 \\ +12.7$	2,024,000	2,134,000	-5.2	2,995,000	1,772,00
Port Arthur	1,946,658	165,197,318 1,757,972	+10.7	10,840,046	11,281,977	-3.9		962,222	-15.3	1,132,842	798,72
Wichita Falls Texarkana	4,068,183 1,089,630	928,354	-8.1 + 17.4	24,040,277 7,369,854	26,901,298 6,526,449	+12.9	814,580			3,299,044	2,230,28
La.—Shreveport	13,383,093		-1.7	83,237,525	86,707,188		2,466,169	2,628,964	-6.2		49,410,8
Total (11 cities) Twelfth Federal Re	505,944,558 serve District	457,880,395 —San Franci	sco-	2,971,550,167	2,754,638,571	+7.9	61,065,709	57,545,127	+6.1	66,428,909	48,410,0
Wash.—Bellingham Seattle	2,141,953	1,508,778	$+42.0 \\ +5.6$	10,083,975 851,689,300	9,683,390 813,370,645	$^{+4.1}_{+4.7}$	33,125,465	32,423,847	+2.2	39,800,729	28,862,06
Yakima	3,974,650	3,626,204	+9.6	22,869,048 28,413,164	20,883,833 28,702,990	+9.5	1,068,766	931,968	+14.7	1,145,283	931,90
Idaho—Boise Ore.—Eugene	1,195,000	1,018,967	+17.3	6,319,000	5,816,967 713,080,372	$^{+8.6}_{+6.1}$		27,286,680		32,366,866	24,392,27
Portland Utah—Ogden	2,575,806	2 257 021	+6.7 + 14.1	756,356,534 14,967,058	14.535.381	+3.0		12,689,865	+8.5	17,029,584	13,166,17
Salt Lake City Ariz.—Phoenix		56,296,525 12,182,166 8,602,779 7,117,009	$+12.5 \\ +7.8$	363,241,240 79,466,675	331,618,706 76,572,253	$+9.5 \\ +3.8$		12,000,000	7		
Calif.—Bakersfield Berkeley	7.057,402	8,602,779 7,117,009	$-18.0 \\ -3.5$	46,399,054 44,636,130	76,572,253 48,948,962 40,306,845	-5.2 + 10.7				7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	3,821,47
Long Beach	19,079,174	18.424.210	+0.0	110,469,606	104,123,668 18,795,000	+6.1	3,675,048	4,156,186	11.6	4,164,959	
Modesto Pasadena	15,237,030	16,381,631	+0.4 $-7.0$	95,651,246	94.080.411	+1.7	3,184,435	4,458,494	-28.6	4,532,858	3,133,06
Riverside San Francisco	576,838,655	568.728.125	-7.6 + 1.4	21,106,752 3,465,213,998	20,225,579 3,368,226,415	+2.9	131,903,190	136,795,000 2,780,847	-3.6 -11.5	158,911,000 2,975,768	125,984,35 2,287,27
San JoseSanta Barbara	10,616,356	10,976,045 5,940,539	$-3.3 \\ +6.8$	66,984,326 38,842,563	62,926,109 36,782,348 51,785,919	$+6.4 \\ +5.6$	1,161,284	1,451,029	-20.0	1,515,765	2,287,27 1,759,89
Stockton	9,100,164	9,714,248	-6.3	53,063,697		-	1,846,970	2,095,176	-11.8		2,203,90
Total (19 cities)	1,030,090,846	999,631,232	+3.0	6,095,731,366	5,860,465,793		220,586,861	225,069,092	-2.0		
Grand total (192 cities)	25,502,350,016	26,286,691,262		149,292,456,650						7,813,518,629	
Outside New York	11,445,056,872	10,535,289,421	+8.6	65,522,609,631	61,424,265,060	+6.7	2,440,744,019	2,389,190,185	1 +2.2	2,923,138,880	2,473,851,72

## CANADIAN CLEARINGS FOR JUNE, SINCE JANUARY 1, AND FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 29

	Mon	nth of June	. 42	Six Month	s Ended June 30	)	Carlotte & B	Week	Ended Ju	ne 29	
Clearings at—	1939	1938	Inc. or	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1939	1938	Inc. or Dec.	1937	1936
Canada—	s	8	%	s	\$	%	8	8	%	8	8
Toronto	507,905,392	543,545,822	-6.6	2.875,500,277	2.864,418,740	+0.4	93,443,325	119,189,440	-21.6	90,209,214	105,939,435
	478,742,255	478,516,667	+0.1	2,671,197,795	2,526,841,613	+5.7	92,155,619	119,251,547	-22.7	90,737,275	98,946,493
Montreal	170,742,200	117.510,636		771,925,154	699,805,627	+10.3	34,929,107	24,028,388	+45.4	31,231,897	42,891,050
Winnipeg	153,702,968		+30.8		407.273.608	+6.9	16,440,343	16,152,037	+1.8	15,916,151	17,684,688
Vancouver	76,288,561	70,617,497	+8.0	435,404,657		+3.0	15,674,074	14,825,174	+5.7	13.300.890	15,417,201
Ottawa	78,987,358	79,026,120	-0.1	526,387,773	510,968,122	-4.9	4,231,816	3,660,089	+15.6	3,957,958	4,329,204
QuebecHalifax	21,701,871	21,157,425	+2.6	114,663,210	120,624,715	-0.2	2,254,320	2,249,786	+0.2	2.033,388	4,329,204 2,013,633
Halifax	10,692,932	11,303,151	-5.4	61,424,905	61,527,766	-4.1	4,801,590	4.983,164	-3.6	4.608.127	4,407,928
Hamilton	23,156,786	22,521,194		120,718,920	125,885,519		4,127,760	4.860,041	-15.1	4.749,360	5,449,798
Calgary	19,627,184	21,434,510	-8.4	114,198,431	117,952,038			1,639,671	+6.6	1,477,058	1,594,905
St. John	7,783,083	8,207,941	-5.2	44,316,979	45,939,586		1,747,996	1,666,282	+1.7	1,410,136	1,504,802
Victoria.	7,965,286	7,462,165	+6.7	43,478,200	41,236,352		1,695,069			1,913,578	2,686,479
Hamilton Calgary St. John Victoria London	11.302.120	13,973,595	-19.1	61.399.565	67,587,380	-9.2	2,061,605	2,813,796	-26.7	4.216.677	3,468,941
Edmonton	16,132,828	16,820,506		89,927,384	95,707,988	-6.0	3,396,895	3,630,151	-6.4		2,913,620
Regina		13,116,364		75,802,440	83,677,327	-9.4	2,260,434	2,641,080	-14.4	3,080,135	
Brendon	1,387,907	1,457,833		7,105,426	7,668,687	-7.3	291,659	339,242	-14.0	254,925	271,646
Brandon Lethbridge	1,911,491	1,772,365	+7.8	10,749,717	10,370,855	+3.7	432,936	372,322	+16.3	345,747	417,733
Saskatoon	4.768,495	4,911,722		28,266,620	29,139,085		947,759	1,080,481	-12.3	1,000,727	1,291,547
Moose Jaw	2,365,396	2.016.721	+17.3	13.540.472	12,587,008		500,002	414,119	+20.7	412,569	533,460
	3,766,749	3,998,047	-5.8	21,359,176	22 759 355		930,092	898,499	+3.5	763,125	597,312
Brantford	2,956,947	3,245,799		14,599,726	22,759,355 18,130,903	-19.5	676,945	608,788	+11.2	626,066	690,273
Fort William		2.732,247		16.070.321	15.542.890	+3.4	784,325	656,981	+19.4	630,407	701,775
New Westminster	3,106,402 943,834	827,118		5,123,708	4,764,955		204.978	182,210	+12.5	180,726	179,122
Medicine Hat					14,911,934	-2.6	723,448	588.496	+22.9	519,726	614,584
Peterborough	3,050,199	2,594,377	+17.6	14,525,359	17,423,806	-4.8	697,510	647,057	+7.8	669,603	628,454
Sherbrooke	3,170,092	3,263,903	-2.9	16,579,248	27,823,736		948,315	964,433	-1.7	822,537	1,028,261
Kitchener	4,469,526	4,575,679		24,775,524			2,294,933	2,568,331	-10.6	2,591,709	2,549,699
Windsor	12,072,052	12,834,604		69,810,181	74,977,900	-6.0	263,994	262,994	+0.4	261,347	261,380
Prince Albert	1,160,576	1,227,590		6,882,988	7,321,697		917.936	921,806	-0.4	883,543	784,043
Moneton	3,334,322	3,590,994		17,277,816	18,117,831	-4.6	520.907	507,438	+2.7	387.809	682,257
Kingston	2,462,020	2,494,572		13,397,812	13,701,481	-2.2		490,686	+6.5	499,553	498,533
Chatham	2,479,549	2,514,467	-1.4	14,276,430	14,685,349	-2.8	522,351	411,523	+1.7	*300,000	269,130
Sarnia	2,295,332	2,396,213		11,632,835	14,538,236	-20.0	418,424				827,191
Sudbury	4,355,035	4,592,641	-5.2	23,653,375	24,160,377	-2.1	1,125,187	1,128,668	-0.3	846,162	
Total (32 cities)	1 487 012 088	1 486 260 485	+0.1	8,335,972,424	8,118,072,466	+2.7	292,421,654	334,634,720	-12.6	280,838,125	322,074,577

y Calculated on basis of weekly figures.

Condition of National Banks March 29, 1939—The statement of condition of the National banks under the Comptroller's call of March 29, 1939, has just been issued and is summarized below. For purposes of comparison, like details for previous calls back to and including March 7, 1938, are included.

ABSTRACT OF REPORT OF CONDITION OF NATIONAL BANKS IN THE UNITED STATES ON MARCH 7, JUNE 30, SEPT. 28, DEC. 31, 1938 AND MARCH 29, 1939

DEC. 31, 1938	AND MARCH	29, 1939			
	Mar. 7, 1938 (5,256 Banks)	June 30, 1938 (5,248 Banks)	Sept. 28, 1938 (5,245 Banks)	Dec. 31, 1938 (5,230 Banks)	Mar. 29, 1939 (5,218 Banks)
Assets— Loans and discounts, including overdrafts_ United States Government securities, direct obligations Obligations guaranteed by United States Government Obligations of States and political subdivisions Other bonds, notes, and debentures Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve banks	\$,631,366,000 6,771,752,000 1,320,410,000 1,460,976,000 1,986,355,000 275,396,000	1,477,359,000 1,426,881,000 1,954,393,000 275,286,000	1,566,812,000 1,502,756,000 1,996,602,000 277,334,000	7,172,471,000 1,533,488,000 1,607,129,000 1,918,693,000 227,412,000	1,712,207,000 1,665,911,000 1,889,166,000 226,435,000
Total loans and investments.  Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection.  Bank premises owned, furniture and fixtures.  Real estate owned other than bank premises.  Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises over the present of the premises.	8,378,756,000 633,953,000 155,534,000	9,450,555,000 629,398,000 153,975,000			20,823,776,000 10,014,766,000 615,093,000 144,952,000
Customers' liability on acceptances outstanding	67,325,000 <b>b</b>	<b>a</b> 54,621,000 <b>b</b>	ь	69,522,000 64,404,000 60,600.000	70,388,000 56,045,000 65,017,000
not collected	122,600,000 e29,804,423,000	110,111,000 e30,377,560,000	110,788,000 e30,710,946,000	52,517,000 31,666,177,000	54,359,000 31,844,396,000
Liabilities—  Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations  Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations  Deposits of United States Government, including postal savings  Deposits of States and political subdivisions  Deposits of banks  Other deposits (certified and cashiers' checks, &c.)	11,893,101,000 7,531,158,000 574,899,000 2,044,926,000 3,922,807,000 271,351,000	12,138,047,000 7,548,899,000 467,338,000 2,106,342,000 4,211,101,000 344,167,000	12,651,771,000 7,493,723,000 515,508,000 1,942,976,000 4,211,007,000 288,896,000	12,962,084,000 7,519,544,000 584,932,000 2,138,982,000 4,500,636,000 344,498,000	12,762,685,000 7,582,235,000 580,995,000 2,175,390,000 4,777,667,000 290,279,000
Total deposits	26,238,242,000 14,243,000 c	26,815,894,000 9,586,000 c	27,103,881,000 10,333,000 c	28,050,626,000 5,608,000 293,000	5,980,000 153,000
standing	74,409,000 d 55,817,000 164,352,000	49,129,000 168,177,000	60,439,000 168,472,000	40,960,000 139,423,000	*61,303,000 32,411,000 56,704,000 157,395,000
Total liabilities	26,547,063,000 1,575,898,000 1,106,495,000 f397,532,000 177,435,000		The Walter and	1,570.662,000 1,149,005,000 419,654,000 188,863,000	28,483,197,000 1,565,333,000 1,159,886,000 444,576,000 191,404,000
Total capital account	3,257,360,000	3,273,819,000	3,305,575,000	3,328,144,000	3,361,199,000
Total liabilities and capital account	<u>e29,804,423,000</u>	<u>e30,377,560,000</u>	e30,710,946,000	31,666,177,000	31,844,396,000
Par value of capital stock: Class A preferred stock Class B preferred stock Common stock	251,833,000 17,210,000 1,310,987,000	248,885,000 17,210,000 1,311,326,000	242,897,000 17,171,000 1,313,364,000	1,317,658,00 <b>0</b>	233,759,000 16,844,000 1,318,552,000
TotalRetirable value of preferred capital stock:	1,580,030,000	1,577,421,000	1,573,432,000	1,575,095,000	1,569,155,000
Retirable value of preferred capital stock: Class A preferred stock Class B preferred stock	269,890,000 19,060,000	266,936,000 19,070,000	260,985,000 19,031,000		264,892,000 18,805,000
Total	288,950,000 6,173,000 11,970,000	286,006,000 5,597,000 14,030,000	7,082,000 12,789,000		283,697,000 6,181,000 5,138,000 13,283,000
Reserves for contingencies, &c  Total	159,292,000	159,309,000	164,189,000	159,293,000	166,802,000
Pledged assets and securities loaned:  United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities.  Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities, including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement.  Assets pledged to qualify for exercise of fiduciary or corporate powers, and for purposes other than to secure habilities.  Securities loaned.	2,676,911,000	2,603,966,000	2,608,400,000	2,269,758,000	2,182,942,000 575,384,000 93,676,000 14,520,000
Total Secured liabilities:	2,676,911,000 2,176,884,000	2,603,966,000	2,608,400,000	2,958,071,000	2,866,522,000
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law Borrowings secured by pledged assets, including rediscounts and repurchase agreements	2,170,884,000 c	2,130,455,000 c	2,055,831,000 e	2,387,371,000 4,858,000 1,123,000	
Total.	2,176,884,000	2,130,455,000	2,055,831,000	2,393,352,000	2,330,747,000
Details of demand deposits:  Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations————————————————————————————————————	3,039,034,000	12,138,047,000 394,272,000 1,752,256,000 3,952,789,000	per la live supplier a securities -		12,762,685,000 524,189,000 1,830,237,000 4,402,990,000
to own foreign branches)  Certified and cashiers' checks (including dividend checks), letters of credit and travelers' checks sold for cash, and amounts due to Federal Reserve banks (transit account)	171,430,000 271,351,000	150,137,000 344,167,000	204,163,000 288,896,000	227,003,000 344,498,000	269,648,000 290,279,000
Total demand deposits	18,153,196,000	18,731,668,000	19,103,484,000		20,080,028,000
Savings deposite Dertificates of deposit Repayment on instalment loans not applied directly to loans Christmas savings and similar accounts Open accounts	6,658,001,000 584,652,000 <b>g</b> 40,233,000 248,272,000			30,172,000 14,601,000	6,716,423,000 552,947,000 29,070,000 44,710,000 239,085,000
Total	7,531,158,000 79,270,000 362,295,000 102,802,000	7,548,899,000	7,493,723,000 60,345,000 340,704,000	7,519,544,000 b52,017,000 363,005,000	7,582,235,000 <b>b</b> 56,806,000
amounts due to own foreign branches)  Total time deposits.	9,521,000				
Ratio of required reserves to net demand plus time deposits: Total, Central Reserve city banks Total, Reserve city banks Total, Country banks Total, all member National banks	23.77%	8,084,226,000 20.88% 16,25% 8.09% 13.52%	17 J. SA 12 S. F. A 12 S. S.		CHARLES ENGLISHED

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#### NATIONAL BANKS

The following information regarding National banks is from the office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Treasury

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Department: CHARTERS ISSUED	Amount
June 28—Central National Bank of Mattoon, Mattoon, Ill. Capital stock consists of \$100,000, all com. stock. President, John F. Brewster. Cashier, W. C. Shy. Conversion of Central Illinois Trust & Savings Bank, Mattoon, Ill.	\$100,000
June 30—Farmers National Bank of Fairbury, Fairbury, Ill. Capital stock consists of \$50,000, all common stock. President, Joe Gerber. Cashier, Ora A. Shanks. Conversion of Farmers State Bank of Fairbury, Ill.	50,000
June 30—Peoples National Bank of Kewanee, Kewanee, Ill. Capital stock consists of \$100,000, all common stock. President, Charles D. Terry. Cashier, Charles S. Eastman. Conversion of Peoples State Savings Bank of Kewanee, Ill.	100,000
June 30—Mercantile National Bank of Chicago, Chicago, Ill. Capital stock consists of \$600,000, all common stock. President, W. W. Farrell. Cashier, D. V. Benner. Conversion of Mercantile Trust & Savings Bank of Chicago, Ill.	600,000
COMMON CAPITAL STOCK INCREASED	nt. of Inc.
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June 24—Peoples National Bank of Washington in Seattle, Seattle, Wash. From \$1,350,000 to \$1,500,000	\$150,000

June 24—Peoples National Bank of Washington in Seattle, Seattle, Wash. From \$1,350,000 to \$1,500,000	\$150,000
June 29—The First National Trust & Savings Bank of San Diego, San Diego, Calif. From \$500,000 to \$750,000	250,000
VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION	

VOLUNIARI LIQUIDATION	Amount
June 27-The North Syracuse National Bank, North Syracuse.	111110411
N. Y. Common stock, \$45,000; preferred stock, \$25,000. Effective June 20, 1939. Liquidating agent, Joseph S. Spaid,	
care of First Securities Corp., Syracuse, N. Y. No absorbing or succeeding bank	70,000

	PREFERRED	STOCK "A"	DECREASED	Amet of Dog
June 30-The	Long Island Na	tional Bank of	Hicksville, Hic	Amt. of Dec

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ne 30—The ville, N. Y.	Long Island N From \$90,000 t	ational Bank of \$45,000	Hicksville, Hicks	\$45,000
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		PREFERRED	STOCK	"B"	DECREASED		

From \$30,000 to \$15,000	15,000
COMMON CAPITAL STOCK REDUCED	

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			Amt. of Reduct.
June 30—The	Long Island	National Bank of Hicksville, 10 to \$40,000	Hicks- \$20,000
vine, Iv. I.	F10III \$00,00	O to \$10,000	\$20,000

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June \$50	23—First ,000 to \$65	National	Bank i	n Clarion,	Clarion,	Pa.	From	\$15,000

## BRANCH AUTHORIZED

June 30—West Hudson National Bank of Harrison, Harrison, N. J. Location of branch, 240 Kearny Ave. in the town of Kearny, Hudson County, N. J. Certificate No. 1434A.

CONSOLIDATION	1 7 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
June 30—Kearny National Bank, Kearny, N. J	Amount \$715,000
Preferred stock B 250,000 Common stock 40,000	
The West Hudson County Trust Co., Harrison, N. J. Preferred stock. \$600,000	\$800,000
Common stock 200,000	

Consolidated today under the provisions of the Act of Nov. 7, 1918, as amended, under the charter of Kearny National Bank, Charter No. 13537, the location of which has been changed to Harrison, Hudson County, and the title of which has been changed to 'West Hudson National Bank of Harrison.'' The capital of the consolidated association is \$774,000, consisting of \$600,000 par value of preferred stock (RFC), and \$174,000 par value of common stock.

The consolidation became effective at the close of business this date,

#### REDEMPTION CALLS AND SINKING FUND NOTICES

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 1ssue— Date	Page
American Colortype Co. 6% bondsAug. 1	x96
Associates Investment Co., 10-year 3% debsAug. 9	3525
* Atlantic Beach Bridge Corp. 1st mtge. 61/2sAug. 1	x254
Bates Valve Bay Corp. 6% debentures Aug. 1	x98
Bates Valve Bay Corp. 6% debenturesAug. 1 Buckeye Steel Castings Co. prior pref. stockAug. 1	3837
* Bush Terminal Co. 1st mtge. 4sJuly 27	x255
Central Illinois Electric & Gas Co. 1st mtge. bondsSept. 1	x100
Chicago Union Station Co. 31/2 % guaranteed bondsSept. 1	x102
Cincinnati Gas & Electric Co. 1st mtge. 31/48Aug. 1	x102
Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co. 6% pref. stockAug. 1	2892
* Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Co. of Balt.—	2002
1st mortgage bondsAug. 1	x256
1st mortgage bonds Aug. 1 Cuban Telephone Co. 1st mtge. bonds Sept. 1	1474
* Dominion Textile Co., Ltd. 1st mtge. 41/sSept. 1	x258
Finance Co. of America at Baltimore 7% pref. stockJuly 10	3531
General Motors Acceptance Corp. 3% debenturesAug 1	3376
(B. F.) Goodrich Co. 6% conv. debenturesAug 2	
* Culf States It lities Co. 1st man As	3377 x261
* Gulf States Utilities Co. 1st mtge. 4sJuly 31 Houston Oil Co. of Texas 10-year 51/s, series AAug. 16	
	3690
	x261
International Salt to 1st mtge. 5s July 17 * Iowa Power & Light Co. 1st mtge. 4½s Sept. 1	440
Towa Power & Light Co. 1st Intge. 4½8	x262
Kansas City Gas Co. 1st mtge. 5s	3379
Kirby Lumber Corp., 1st mige. bonds July 16 Marshall Field & Co. 7% pref. stock Sept. 30	3535
Marshall Field & Co. 7% pref. stockSept. 30	3853
Memphis Power & Light Co.— 1st & refunding mtge. 5s	
1st & refunding mtge. 5sJuly 27	x114
1st & refunding mige. 4½s. Aug. 1 * Nashville Railway & Light Co. 50-year 5% bonds. July 31 Nord Railway Co. 6½% bonds. Oct. 1 Northeastern Water & Electric Co. coll. trust 6s. Aug. 1	x114
Nashville Rallway & Light Co. 50-year 5% bondsJuly 31	x263
Nord Railway Co. 63 % bonds.	1176
Northeastern water & Electric Co. coll. trust osAug.	887
* North Texas Co. 1st coll, lien bonds	x265
Oklahoma Power & Water Co. 1st mtge. 5sAug. 1	3855
Pacific Coast Power Co. 1st mtge. 5sJuly 20	x118
Pacific Lighting Corp. \$6 pref. stockJuly 15	3079
* Paramount Pictures, Inc. 6% debsJuly 31	x266
Paris-Orieans R. 6. 5 % bonds Sept. 1	1179
Paris-Orleans RR. 514% bonds Sept. 1 Pekin Water Works Co. Series A bonds July 20	3855
Series B bondsJuly 20	3855

Company and Issue— Date	Page
Peoples Drug Stores, Inc., 6½% pref. stockSept. 15	x119
Philadelphia Electric Power Co. 1st mtge. 51/28Aug. 1	x119
Poli New England Theatres, Inc., 1st mtge. bondsJuly 20	3855
* Reliance Mfg. Co. preferred stockSept. 1	x267
Robertson Paper Box Co. 6% pref. stockJuly 15	3082
* Rochester Gas & Electric Corp. gen. mtge. 5sSept. 1	x267
* Safe Harbor Water Power Corp. 1st mtge. 41/28Aug. 4	x267
St. Joseph Ry., Light, Heat & Power Co. 1st mtge. 41/2s. Aug. 1	x122
(Robert) Simpson Co. Ltd. 1st mtge. 5sJan 1	3388
(Robert) Simpson Co., Ltd., 1st mtge, 6sJan, 1'40	3388
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., 15-year 31/28July 21	3243
* Southern California Edison Co., Ltd., 1st & ref. mtge. 4s. Sept. 1	x268
(A. E.) Staley Mfg. Co. 1st mtge. 4sAug. 1	x124
Sunray Oil Corp., 5% debenturesJuly 31	3700
Tennessee Corp. 6% debs. series B & C Sept. 1	x124
* United Cigar-Whelan Stores Corp. 5% bondsJuly 27	x270
United States Cold Storage Co. (K. C.) 1st mtge. 6sAug. 1	3547
West Texas Utilities Co., 1st mtge. 5sJuly 13	3703
Wheeling & Lake Erie Ry, ref. mtge, bondsSept. 1	3860
	x128
Winston-Salem Terminal Co. 1st mtge. 5s Oct. 1 Woodward Iron Co. 2nd mtge. 5s Sept. 1	3398
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Announcements this week. x Volume 149.

#### **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 company name in our "General Corporation and Investment News Department" in the week when declared.

The dividends announced this week are:

Name of Company	Per Share	When Payable	Holders of Record
Adams (J. D.) Mfg. (quar.) Agnew-Surpass Shoe Stores (semi-annual)	15c ‡30c	Sept. 1	July 15 Aug. 15
Bonus Preference (quarterly)	\$1 % % \$1 % \$1 % \$1 % \$1 % \$1 % \$1 % \$1	Sept. 1 Oct. 2	Aug. 15 Sept. 15
Preference (quarterly) Allegheny Ludlum Steel, pref. (quar.) American Alliance Insurance Co., N. Y. (quar.)	**\$1%	Oct. 2 Sept. 1	Aug. 15
American Alliance Insurance Co., N. Y. (quar.)	\$1 ½	July 15 July 15	Aug. 15 July 6 June 30 Sept. 1
American Art Works, Inc., 6% pref. (quar.)  American Chicle Co. (quar.)  American General Equipment (quar.)	\$1	Sept. 15	Sept. 1
American Machine & Foundry Co	1½c 20c		July 5 July 17
American Oak Leather Co. 5% pref. (quar.)	\$1 1/4 75c	July 1 Aug. 1	July 17
American General Equipment (quar.). American Machine & Foundry Co. American Reserve Insurance Co., N. Y. American Reserve Insurance Co., N. Y. American Reserve Insurance Co., N. Y. American Strip Bullding Co. American Strip Bullding Co. American Stores Co. Amsterdam Trading Co. (final). Animal Trap of America pref. (quar.). Archer-Daniels-Midland Co. pref. (quar.). Arkansas Fuel Oil Co., 6% pref. (quar.).	75c	Aug. 1	July 17
American Screw Co. (quar.)	20c 50c	July 1 Aug. 1	June 19 July 17
American Steamship Co. (quar.)	25c	July 1 July 28	June 28 July 15
Amsterdam Trading Co. (final)	\$1.12	July 15	July 10
Animal Trap of America pref. (quar.)	87 ½c 1¾ % 15c		July 25 July 21
Arkansas Fuel Oil Co., 6% pref. (quar.) Atlantic Safe Deposit Co., N. Y Atlas Powder Co. preferred (quar.) Ault & Wiborg Proprietary, Ltd., 5½% pref. Automatic Fibres preferred (quar.)	15c	July 1	June 22
Atlas Powder Co. preferred (quar.)	\$1 14	July 15 Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 20
Ault & Wiborg Proprietary, Ltd., 5½% pref-	37½c \$1½		July 15 July 24
		Aug. 15	July 31
Extra Barnsdall Oil Co. (quar.)	25c	Aug. 15 Aug. 1	July 15
Belt RR. & Stockyards Co. (quar.)	75c	July 1 July 1	June 20 June 20
Blue Ridge Corp. \$3 pref. (quar.)	75c 75c	Sept. 1	Aug. 4
Extra Barnsdall Oil Co. (quar.) Belt RR. & Stockyards Co. (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.) Blue Ridge Corp. \$3 pref. (quar.) Opt. div. of 1-32d sh. of com. or cash. Bobbs-Merrill Co., 4½% pref. (quar.) Boston Safe Deposit & Trust (sa.)	\$116	July 1	June 16
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust (sa.)	\$1 1/8 \$4	July 15	June 30
		Tuly 1	June 30 June 27
Brandon Corp., 7% pref. (semi-annual) Brooklyn Teleg. & Messenger (quar.)	\$3½ \$1¼	Sept. 1	Aug. 21
Brobalyn Feig. & Messeinger (unit.)  Buchanan Realty (initial)  Calgary Power Co., preferred (quar.)  Canadian Bronze Co., Ltd. (quar.)  Preferred (quar.)  Carborundum Co.  Central Investors Corp.	\$11/2	July 1 Aug. 1	Aug. 21 June 23 July 15 July 20 July 20 July 20
Canadian Bronze Co., Ltd. (quar.)	137 12C	Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 20 July 20
Carborundum Co	75c	June 30	June 20
Central Investors Corp.  Cerro de Pasco Copper.	6C \$1	Aug. 1	June 30 July 18
Central Arizona Light & Power, \$7 pref. (quar.)	\$134	June 30 July 20 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 17
\$6 preferred (quar.) Central Franklin Process Co., 7% pref. (quar.)	\$1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1 %1	July 3	June 30 July 7
Central Franklin Process Co., 7% pref. (quar.) — Central Republic Co. Central Wharf & wet Dock Corp. (sa.) Centruy Ribbon Mills, pref. (quar.) Chemical Products Corp., 7% preferred (quar.) Chester Pure Silk Hoslery 6% cumulative preferred (quar.) Clark Equipment Irregular Preferred (quar.) Cocc. Cola Bottling (los Angeles) (initial)	15c	July 3 July 15 July 1	July 7 June 16
Century Ribbon Mills, pref. (quar.)	\$134 \$134	Sept. 1	Aug. 21 June 20
Chester Pure Silk Hosiery	10c	July 1	June 26
6% cumulative preferred (quar.)	15c 25c	July 1 Aug. 1	June 26 July 17
Irregular	25c	Sept. 15	Aug. 30
		Sept. 15 July 20	July 10
Collins (O. (quar.)	\$1 1/2	July 15 July 10	June 29 July 1
7% preferred (quar.)	17½c 40c	July 10	July 1
Commonwealth Edison Co.	40c 5c	Aug. 1 July 25	July 14 July 15
Coon (W. B.) (quar.)	15c	Aug.	July 15
Corn Exchange Bank Trust (quar.)	\$134 75c	Aug. 1	July 15 July 21
Cunningham Drug Stores, Inc. (quar.)	25c \$1 1/2	July 20 July 20	July 10 July 10
6% preferred A (semi-annual)	\$1½ \$3 50c	July 1	June 30 July 15
Commercial Discount Co., 8% pref. (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) Commonwealth Edison Co. Consolidated Royalty Oil Co. (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) Corn Exchange Bank Trust (quar.) Cunningham Drug Stores, Inc. (quar.) 6% preferred B (quar.) 6% preferred A (semi-annual) Dayton Rubber Mfg., class A (quar.) Dempster Mills Mfg. (quar.) Deposited Insurance Shares, series A Series B	\$114	July 1	June 24
Deposited Insurance Shares, series A Series B	\$1 1/4 63/4 c 50	Aug. 1	July 1
District Bond Co. (Los Angeles), 6% pref. (qu.)	37½c	July 1	July 1 June 30 July 1
Dixie Home Stores (quar.)	15c \$1	Sept. 1	Aug. 21
Employers Group Associates (gliar.)	25c \$2	Sept. 1 July 31 Aug. 1	
Eppens, Smith Co. (semi-annual)Fall River Electric Light (quar.). Farmers & Traders Life Insurance Co	<b>Q1</b>	July 1	June 30
Farmers & Traders Life Insurance Co	\$2½ \$1½ 10c	Aug. 1	July 15
First Mutual Trust Fund	10c	July 15	June 30
Farmers & Traders Life Insurance Co- Fiberboard Products, Inc., 6% pr. pref. (qu.) First Mutual Trust Fund Franklin Process Co. (quar.) Frick Co. (irregular) 6% preferred (quar.) General Stoel Wares, preferred Gibralter Fire & Marine Insurance (sa.)	50c \$1	July 1	June 30 June 10 July 15 June 30 June 22 June 21 June 21
6% preferred (quar.)	75c 25c	July 1 July 31	June 21
General Steel Wares, preferred	\$134 50c	Aug. 1	June 21 July 17 July 20 Aug. 15 Aug. 15 July 6 July 8 July 25
	50c 20c	Sept. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 15 Aug. 15
Extra Great American Insurance Co., N. Y. (quar.)	20c 25c 60c	July 15	July 6
Harris (A.) & Co., 7% pref. (quar.)	\$134 6834c		
Hartford Times, Inc., 5½% pref. (quar.)	68¾c 50c	Aug. 1	July 15
Halle Bros. Co. pref. (quar.) Harris (A.) & Co., 7% pref. (quar.) Harris (A.) & Co., 7% pref. (quar.) Hires (Chas. E.) Co. class A (quar.) Homestake Mining Co. (monthly) Honolulu Gas Co. (quar.) Homestake Layesting Corp. \$7 preferred	37½c 45c	July 25	July 20
Hutchins Investing Corp., \$7 preferred	†\$1	July 20 July 15	July 12 July 7

, Name of Company	Per Share	When Payable	Holders of Record
Incorporated InvestorsInternational Cigar Machinery CoInternational Metal Industries, Ltd.—	15c 50c	July 31 Aug. 1	July 5 July 17
International Metal Industries, Preferred and preferred A.  Iowa Electric Light & Power, 7% pref. A.  6 % preferred B.  6 % preferred C.  Ironrite Ironer, preferred (quar.)  Jewel Tea Co., Inc.	\$1½ †87½c †81¼c †75c	July 20	July 15 June 30 June 30
6½% preferred B	†75c	July 20	June 30
Ironrite Ironer, preferred (quar.) Jewel Tea Co., Inc	\$1	Aug. 1 Sept. 20	July 20 Sept. 6
opecial Co 707 mor (angr)	21 8/	July 1	July 18 June 20 June 20
6% preferred (quar.)	\$1 ½ 1c	July 1 July 1	June 20 June 17 June 30
Kansas Power & Light Co. 1 % prei (quar). 6% preferred (quar). Karstadt (R.), Inc. (interim). Keystone Custodian Fund B-1 (sa.). Kroger Grocery & Baking Co.	-1 100	Sept. 1	Aug. 8
Extra	25c \$134	Sept. 1 Nov. 1	Aug. 8
6% preferred (quar.)	\$1½ 21¼c	Oct. 2 July 1	Sont 20
Kroger Grocery & Baking Co— Extra— 7% preferred (quar.)— 6% preferred (quar.)— Lewis (E. P.) & Sons, preferred (quar.)— Loew's, Inc., \$6½ cum. pref. (quar.)— Longhorn Portland Cement Co— Manhattan Bond Fund, Inc. (quar.)—	\$1 ½ 21 ¼ c \$1 ½ 25 c	Aug. 15 July 1	June 20 July 28 June 24
Manhattan Bond Fund, Inc. (quar.)	11c	July 15 July 15	July 5
Extra.  Marathon Paper Mills Co., 6% pref. (quar.).  Marquette Cement Mfg. Co., 6% pref. (quar.).  Maytag Co. \$6 pref. (quar.).  \$3 preferred (quar.).  Mel ville Shoe Corp.  Mortgage Corp. of Nova Scotia (quar.).  Nachman-Springfilled Corp.  Vational Automotive Fibres, Inc	2c - \$1½ - \$1½ - \$1½ - 75c - 75c	July 1 July 1	June 24 June 30
Marquette Cement Mig. Co., 0% pict. (quar.)	\$11/2	Aug. 1	July 15
#3 preferred (quar.)	75c	Aug. 1	July 15 July 14
Middlesex Products Corp. (quar.)	25c \$1½ 25c	July 1 Aug. 1	June 20 July 24
Nachman-Springfilled Corp	- 25c	July 20	and the
Tational Clare Donle of M V (g -a)	50c	A me 1	July 24 July 11
National Liberty Insurance Co. (semi-annual)	- 10c - 10c	Aug. 15 Aug. 15	July 11 July 31 July 31
National Money Corp., class A	- 10c - 37½c	July 15 July 15	July 31 July 31 June 30 June 30
Neisner Bros. 434% pref. (quar.)	37½c \$1.18¾		July 15 July 3
New Britain Machine Co.	- 87½c - 25c	June 30	June 21 June 22
New York Merchandise (quar.)	\$134 15c 75c	Aug. 1	July 20
New York Mutual Telep. Co. (semi-annual) == New York Trap Rock pref. (quar.) ==========	\$134 40c	July 1 July 1	July 20 June 30 June 29 June 21
Northwestern States Portland Cement (quar.) Nunn-Bush Shoe	25c	July 29	July 15
National Liberty Insurance Co. (semi-annual) Extra National Money Corp., class A. \$1½ preferred (quar.). Neisner Bros. 4¾ pref. (quar.). New Bedford Gas & Edison Light Co. New Bertain Machine Co. 7% preferred A (quar.). New York Merchandise (quar.). New York Merchandise (quar.). New York Mutual Telep. Co. (semi-annual). New York Trap Rock pref. (quar.). Northwestern States Portland Cement (quar.). Nunn-Bush Shoe. 5% preferred (quar.). Dio Loan & Discount Co. (quar.). 6% partic. preferred (quar.). 5% preferred (quar.).	\$1¼ 10c	July 29 July 1	July 15 June 30
6% partic. preferred (quar.)	- \$1½ - \$1¼	July 1 July 1	June 30 June 30
Ohio Public Service Co. 7% pref. (mo.)	- 58 1-3c - 50c	Aug. 2 Aug. 2	Tuly 15
5% preferred (monthly)	41 2-3c \$1 3/8	Aug. 2 Aug. 2	July 15 July 15 July 15 July 15
Outlet Co. (quar.)	75c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 20 July 20
2nd preferred (quar.)	- \$1½ 75c	Aug. 1 Aug. 15	July 20
Parkersburg Rig & Reel Co. \$5½ pref. (qu.)	\$13/8	Sept. 1 Sept. 15	Aug. 21 Aug. 31 Sept. 17
Phelps Dodge Corp	25c	Sept. 13	Sept. 17
7% preferred (monthly)	58 1-3c	Aug. 2 Aug. 2	July 15
6% preferred (monthly)	41 2-3c.	Aug. 2 Aug. 2	July 15 July 15
Riverside Cement preferred (quar.)	- \$1½ 25c	Aug. 15 Aug. 15	July 14 July 5
Rolland Paper Preferred (quar.)	- 13c - \$1½	Aug. 15 Sept. 15	Aug. 15 Aug. 15
Roses 5-10-25c. Stores (quar.)	- 20c - f30	Aug. 1 July 3	Aug. 15 July 20
5% preferred (quar.)  6% partic, preferred (quar.)  6% partic, preferred (quar.)  5% preferred (quar.)  6% preferred (quar.)  6% preferred (monthly)  5½ preferred (monthly)  5½ preferred (monthly)  5½ preferred (quar.)  7% preferred (quar.)  7% preferred (quar.)  2nd preferred (monthly)  2ncific Lighting Corp. (quar.)  2ncific Li	f3 \$3	July 3	June 30
dedalia Water preferred (quar.)	- \$134	July 15	Tasles 1
south Frankin Process Co., 1% pref. (quar.)-	- \$134	July 10	June 30
Preferred (quar.)	\$11/2 \$13/4 - 15c - \$11/8 - \$21/2	Sept. 15 July 10 Aug. 1 Sept. 15 July 15 July 27 July 20 July 20 Aug. 2	Sept. 1
Preferred (quar.) trathmore Paper Co., 6% preferred	- T\$2 1/2 50	July 15	June 30 July 17
Super-Mold Corp. (Calif.) increased (quar.) Extra	- 50c - \$11/2 - 581-3c	July 20 July 20	July 11 July 11
Foledo Edison Co. 7% preferred (mo.)	- 58 1-3c - 50c	Aug 2	July 15
super-Mold Corp. (Calif.) increased (quar.) Extra Coledo Edison Co. 7% preferred (mo.) 6% preferred (monthly) 5% preferred (monthly) Transamerica Corp.	- 41 2-3c - 25c	Aug. 2 July 31	July 15 July 14
Pransamerica Corp. Union Electric Co. of Mo. \$5 pref. (qu.) United Corp. \$3 preferred (quar.) United States Rubber Co.—	\$114 85c	Aug. 15	July 15 July 14 July 31 July 10
United States Rubber Co.—	900	200	1. July 12 Vol.
8% non-cum. 1st preferred. %anette Hoseiry Mills (initial) Ventures, Ltd. (irregular). Virginia Coal & Iron Co. (quar.).	2% 20c	Sept. 22 July 1	June 15 July 18
Virginia Coal & Iron Co. (quar.)	25c		
Walker (H.)-Gooderham & Worts, Ltd	50c	Sept. 15	June 29 Aug. 25 Aug 25 July 15 July 31
Preserved (quar.)	131 125c 37½c 37½c \$1½ \$2½	Sept. 15 Aug. 1	Aug 25 July 15
Cum. conv. preferred (quar.) Wilson Line, Inc., 5% 1st preferred (sa.)			

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		Holders of Record
Abbott Laboratories 41/2 % conv. pref. (quar.)	\$11/8	July 15	July 1
Abraham & Straus Administered Fund Second	50c	July 25	July 15
Administered Fund Second	- 6c	July 20	June 30
Addressograph-Multigraph (quar.)	. 35c	July 10	June 26
Affiliated Fund, Inc	. 6c		June 30
Affiliated Fund, Inc. Air Reduction (quarterly) Alabama Power Co. \$5 pref. (quar.)	25c	July 15	June 30
Alabama Power Co. \$5 pref. (quar.)	\$114	Aug. 1	July 20
Alaska Juneau Gold Mining	15c	Aug. 1	July 3
Alaska Juneau Gold Mining  Allentown Bethlehem Gas pref (quar)	87½c	Aug 10	July 31
Allied International Investing Corp.—	1		
\$3 conv. preferred (quar.)	- †50c	Aug. 1	July 15
Alpha Portland Cement	25c	Sept. 25	Sept. 1
Aluminum Goods Mfg. Co. (quar.)	20c	Oct. 2	Sept. 15*
Aluminum Mfg. Co., Inc. (quar.)	- 50c	Sept. 30 Dec. 31	Sept. 15
Quarterly	50c	Dec. 31	Dec. 15
7% preferred (quar.)	- \$134	Sept. 30	Sept. 15
7% preferred (quar.)	\$134	Dec. 31	Dec. 15
Amalgamated Sugar 5% pref. (quar.)	12½c	Aug. 1	July 17
Amerada Corn (duar )	E0-	July 31	July 15*
American Asphalt Roof Corp. 6% pref. (quar.)	70c	Aug. 1	July 12
American Asphalt Roof Corp. 6% pref. (quar.).	- \$11/2	July 15	June 30
American Can Co. (diar.)	-  \$1	Aug. 15	July 25*
Opt. div. 1-32d sh. of cl. B stk. or cash.	5 6/2		
Class A Opt. div. 1-64th sh. of cl. B stk. or cash.	- †37½c	Aug. 1	July 11
Opt. div. 1-32d sh. of cl. B stk. or cash.	- 34%c	Aug. 1	July 11
American District Telegraph of N. J—		12 4 12	4
Preferred (quarterly) American Factors, Ltd. (monthly)	- \$134	July 15	June 15
American factors, Ltd. (monthly)	_ 10c	July 10	June 30

Name of Company	Per Share		Holders of Record
American Envelope Co. 7% pref. A (quar.) 7% preferred A (quar.)	\$134 \$134	Sept. 1 Dec. 1	Aug. 25 Nov. 25
American Envelope Co. 7% Irel: A (quar.)—7% preferred A (quar.)—American Export Lines stock div of 3-10th of a share of Am. Exp. Air Lines for each share held. American Fidelity & Casualty Co., Inc. (qu.)—American Fork & Hoe (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	15c	July 15 July 10	July 1 June 30
American Fork & Hoe (quar.)	15c \$1½	Sept. 15 July 15 July 15	Sept. 5 July 5 July 14
Preferred (quar.) American Furniture Co. 7% pref. (quar.) American Gas & Electric Co. pref. (quar.) American Home Products Corp. (monthly)	\$1½ \$1¾ \$1½ 20c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 8 July 14*
American Light & Traction (quar.)	30c 37½c 25c	mus. I	July 11
American News Co. American Paper Goods Co., 7% pref. (quar.)	\$134	Dec. 15	July 5 Sept. 5 Dec. 5
Amer. Radiator & Standard Sanitary, pref. (qu.) American Seal Kap Corp	\$1% 12c	Sept. 1	Aug. 25 June 30
American Seal Kap Corp. American Smelting & Refining Co	50c \$134 \$214 25c	Aug. 31 July 31 July 15	Aug. 4 July 7 June 15
American Thermos Bottle Co. common Common (extra)	25c 50c	Aug. 1	July 20 July 20 June 30 July 7 July 7
American Thermos Bottle Co. common Common (extra) Anchor Hocking Glass Co Andes Copper Mining Co Appleton Co. (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Associated Telephone Co., Ltd., pref. (quar.) Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. 5% pref. Atlantic Refining Co., 4% pref. A (quar.) Badger Paper Mills, Inc., 6% pref. (quar.) Baldwin Co., 6% pref. (quar.) Baldwin Rubber Co., common (resumed) Common (resumed) Bangor Hydro-Electric Co., (quar.)	15c 25c 50c	July 15 July 14 Aug. 1	July 7 July 20
Preferred (quar.)Associated Telephone Co., Ltd., pref. (quar.)	\$134 314c \$214 \$1	Aug. 1	July 20
Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. 5% pret Atlantic Refining Co., 4% pref. A (quar.) Padger Paper Mills Inc. 6% pref. (quar.)	\$1 75c	Aug. 1	June 23 July 5 July 20
Baldwin Co., 6% pref. (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	\$1½ 12½c 12½c 30c	July 15 July 20	June 30 July 15
Common (resumed) Bangor Hydro-Electric Co., (quar.) Bayuk Cigars, Inc., 1st pref. (quar.) Beattie Bros. Ltd., 1st pref. (quar.)	30c \$134	Aug. 1 July 15	July 20 June 30 July 15 Sept. 15 July 10 June 30 July 15 July 31 June 23 June 20
Beattie Bros. Ltd., 1st pref. (quar.) Beattie Gold Mines	5c	Aug. 1 Aug. 15	July 15 July 31
Beattle Bros. Ldd., 180 ptel. (quar.) Beattle Gold Mines. Bell Telephone of Canada (quar.) Bell Telephone of Penna., 6½% pref. (quar.) Berland Shoe Stores. Preferred (quar.)	9154	July 15 July 15 Aug. 1	June 23 June 20 July 20
Preferred (quar.)	12½c \$1¾ 25c	Aug. 1 July 15	June 23 June 20 July 20 July 20 June 30 July 14 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 10 July 10 July 10
Preferred (quar.). Bittmore Hat Ltd. (semi-ann.) Birtman Electric Co. (quar.). Preferred (quar.) Bloomingdale Bros. Bon Ami class A (quar.). Class B (quar.).	25c 25c \$1¾ 18¾c \$1 62½c	Aug. 1	July 14 July 14
Bon Ami class A (quar.)	\$1 62½c	July 31 July 31	July 15 July 15
Bon Ami class A (quar.) Class B (quar.) Bond Stores, Inc., common (quar.) Boston Edison Co. (quar.) Boston Personal Property Trust (Boston) (qu.) Boston Personal Property Trust (Boston) (qu.)	\$2	Sept. 15 Aug. 1	Sept. 8 July 10
Braiothe bimes, Etd. (quat.)	16c 20c 10c	July 15 July 15 July 15	June 30 June 30 June 30
Extra Brautford Cordage Co., Ltd., 1st pref. (quar.) Bridgeport Hydraulic Co. (quar.) Bridgeport Machine, 7% preferred (quar.) British Columbia Electric Ry. 5% prior pref. British Columbia Power, class A (quar.) British Columbia Telep. 6% 2nd pref. (quar.) Brookline Oil Co. (resumed) Brookline Borough Gas Co., common (quar.)	32 ½c 40c	July 15 July 15	June 30 June 30 June 20 June 30
Bridgeport Machine, 7% preferred (quar.) British Columbia Electric Ry. 5% prior pref	\$134 \$234% \$50c	Dur 10	July 1 July 3 June 30
British Columbia Telep. 6% 2nd pref. (quar.)— Brookline Oil Co. (resumed)	‡\$1½ 1c		
Brooklyn Borough Gas Co., common (quar.) Brooklyn National Corp	75c 25c 25c	July 10 July 15	July 10 June 30 June 30 July 3
Brooklyn National Corp. Brooklyn National Corp. Brooklyn Union Gas Co. (resumed) Buckeye Steel Castings Co.— 64% preferred (quarterly)		7.50	June 30
6% preferred (quarterly)Buffalo Ankerite Gold.Mines	\$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/4 \$1 1/4 \$1 1/4	Aug. 15	Aug. 1
Buffalo, Niagara & Eastern Pow. \$5 1st pr. (qu.) Bullock's, Inc., preferred (quar.)	\$114	Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Sept. 1	July 15 July 11 Aug. 26
6½% preferred (quarterly). 6% preferred (quarterly). Buffalo Ankerite Gold. Mines Buffalo, Niagara & Eastern Pow. \$5 1st pf. (qu.) Bullock's, Inc., preferred (quar.). Bunte Bros., 5% preferred (quar.). 5% preferred (quar.). Burdine's, Inc., \$2.80 pref. (quar.). Burgess Battery Co. Byers (A. M.) preferred (a) \$2.20 15-16. Represents div. of \$1.75 due May 1, 1939, and accrued int. on div. of 45 15-16 cents up to Aux. 1, 1939.	\$11/4 70c	July 10	July 11 Aug. 26 Nov. 24 May 31
Burgess Battery Co	\$1½ (a)	July 10 Aug. 1	June 30 July 10
May 1, 1939, and accrued int. on div. of 45 15-16 cents up to Aug. 1, 1939.			
	\$11/2	July 15	June 30
7% preferred [1921 selies] California Packing 5% pref. (quar.)	\$1½ \$1½ \$1¾ 52½c ‡20c	July 15 Aug. 15	June 30 June 30 June 30 July 31 July 5
California Oregon Power Co.— 6% preferred 6% preferred (1927 series) 7% preferred. California Packing 5% pref. (quar.) Canada Bud Breweries, Ltd. Canada & Dominion Sugar Co., Ltd.— New (quar.) New (quar.) Canada Northern Power Corp. (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.)	‡20c		
New (quar.) Canada Northern Power Corp. (quar.)	371/4c 371/4c 130c 175c	Dec. 1 July 25	Aug. 15 Nov. 15 June 30 June 30 June 30 Aug. 31
7% preferred (quar.) Canada Southern Ry. (semi-annual)	\$75c \$1½	July 15 Aug. 1	June 30 June 30
Canada Northern Power Corp. (quar.). 7% preferred (quar.). Canada Southern Ry. (semi-annual). Canada Wire & Cable, class A (quar.) Canadian Breweries, pref. (quar.). Canadian Fairbanks Morse 6% pref. (quar.). Canadian Foreign Investment, Ltd., Coupon stock (quarterly) coupon No. 44	\$1½ ±\$1 ±\$1 50c	Dec. 10	Nov. 30 July 7
Canadian Fairbanks Morse 6% pref. (quar.) Canadian Foreign Investment, Ltd.,—	‡\$1½	July 15	June 30
Coupon stock (dam toris), conferme	1017-	July 15 July 15 July 31	June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 26 July 18 July 10 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30
Registered stock (quarterly) coupon No. 44—Canadian Industries, Ltd. 7% preferred (quar.)—Canadian Light & Power Co. (semi-annual)—Canadian Malartic Gold Mines—Canadian Wallpaper Mfrs. A & B (final)—Carolina Clinchfield & Ohio RR. (quar.)—Central Hudson Gas & Electric (quar.)—Central Kanasa Power Co. 7% pref. (quar.)—6% preferred (quar.)—6% preferred (quar.)—6%	1\$134 50c	July 15 July 15	June 30 June 26
Canadian Malartic Gold Mines Canadian Wallpaper Mfrs. A & B (final)	3c ‡50c	Aug. 4 July 11 July 20	July 18 July 4
Central Hudson Gas & Electric (quar.) Central Kansas Power Co. 7% pref. (quar.)	\$1 1/4 20c \$1 3/4	Aug. 1 July 15	June 30 June 30
6% preferred (quar.) Central New York Power pref. (quar.)	\$114	July 15 July 15 Aug. 1 July 15	June 30 July 10
6% preferred (quar.) Central New York Power pref. (quar.) Central Power Co. (Del.) 6% preferred 7% preferred Central Power & Light Co. 7% cum. pref	†\$3½ \$1¾	July 15 Aug. 1	June 30 July 15
6% cum. preferred. Chain Store Invest. Trust (Boston) Chase National Bank (N. Y.) Chemical Fund, Inc.	20c \$134 \$114 \$134 †\$33 †\$314 \$114 \$114	Aug. 1 July 15	July 15 July 15 June 15 July 10* June 30 July 5
Chase National Bank (N. Y.)	700	Aug. 1 July 15 July 15	July 10* June 30
Onemical Fund, Inc. Chilton Co. Cincinnati Postal Terminal & Realty Co.— 614% preferred (quar.). Cincinnati Union Terminal 5% pref. (quar.). 5% preferred (quar.). City Baking Co. pref. (quar.).	100	July 15	July 5
Cincinnati Union Terminal 5% pref. (quar.)	\$15/8 \$11/4 \$11/4 \$13/4	Oct. 1	Sept. 18
Cleve Cin Chic & St. Louis common (sa.)	12½c	Aug. 1 July 20 July 31	July 15 July 21
5% preferred (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	\$1¼ \$1¾ 25c 25c	July 31 July 31 July 15	July 25 July 25 July 25 July 21 July 21 July 1 July 10 July 15
Coca-Cola Bottling Co., St. Louis (quar.)	25c	July 20 July 20 Aug. 1	July 10 July 10 July 15
Columbus & Southern Ohio Elec. 6½% pf. (qu.) Commercial Alcohols, Ltd., 8% pref. (quar.) Commonwealth Investment Co. (quar.) Commonwealth Utilities, 6½% pref. O (quar.) Concord Ges. Co. 7% preferred.	‡10c 4c	July 15	July 3
Commonwealth Utilities 616 % pref. C (quar.)		Sept. 1 Aug. 15	July 14 Aug. 15 July 31 July 29 July 24 Sept. 15
		Aug. 10	July 29 July 24
	15c	Oct. 1	Sept. 15
Coniagras Mines. Coniaurum Mines, Ltd. (interim) Connecticut Light & Power (quar.)	12½c 15c 75c \$1¾ \$3	Aug. 1	July 1
Coniagas Mines. Coniaurum Mines, Ltd. (interim) Connecticut Light & Power (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Conn. & Passumpsic Rivers RR. 6% pref. (sa.) Connecticut River Power 6% pref. (quar.).	\$3	Aug. 1 Sept. 1 July 15	July 1 Aug. 15 June 30
Coniagras Mines. Coniaurum Mines, Ltd. (interim) Connecticut Light & Power (quar.)	\$1 \frac{1}{2}\$ \$1 \frac{1}{2}\$ 75c \$1 \frac{1}{2}\$	Aug. 1 Sept. 1 July 15 Sept. 1 Aug. 1	July 1 Aug. 15 June 30 Aug. 15 July 15

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Consolidated Oil (quar.) Consolidated Retail Stores, 8% pref. (quar.) Consolidated Reyalties 6% preferred (quar.) Consolidated Traction Co. of N. J. (sa.) Continental Insurance Co. (sa.) Corn Products Refining Co	20c \$2	Aug. 15 Oct. 2	July 15 Sept. 19
Consolidated Royalties 6% preferred (quar.) Consolidated Traction Co. of N. J. (sa.)	15c \$2 80c	July 15 July 15 July 10	June 30
Corn Products Refining Co	75c \$134	July 20 July 15	July 5 July 5
7% preferred (quar.) Cosmos Imperial Mills 5% pref. (quar.) Creamery Package Mfg. (quar.) Crowell-Collier Publishers 7% pref. (sa.)	75c \$1¾ \$1¼ 30c \$3½ 25c	July 15 July 10	June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 July 5 July 5 June 30 June 30
Crowell-Collier Publishers 7% pref. (sa.)	\$31/2 25c \$2	July 15	July 5
Crum & Forster Preferred (quar.) Cuban Atlantic Sugar Co Cuban Tobacco 5% preferred Cumulative Trust Shares Cuneo Press Preferred (quar.) Curtiss-Wright class A Cvpress Abbey	\$2½ †\$2½	July 14 July 31	Sept. 20 July 10 July 12
Cumulative Trust Shares Cuneo Press	†\$2½ 8.4c 75c \$1%	July 15 Aug. 1	July 20
Preferred (quar.) Curtiss-Wright class A Cypress Abbey	50c 2c		June 30 June 30
Cypress Abbey Daniels & Fisher Stores Co. (quar.) Davidson Bros. (increased quar.) Dennison Mfg. Co. debenture stock (quar.) Dennison Mfg. Co. debenture stock (quar.) Denver Union Stock Yards, 5½% pref. (quar.) Detroit Edison Co. Detroit Gasket & Mfg. Detroit River Tunnel (sa.) Detroit Steel Products Co. Diamond Match Co., common. Common. Participating preferred (sa.) Participating preferred (sa.) Distillers CorpSeagrams, Ltd., 5% pf. (quar.) Dr. Pepper Co. (increased quar.) Quartery Dominguez Oil Fields (mo.) Dominion Tar & Chem. Ltd. 5½% pref. (qu.) Dominion Textile, Ltd. pref. (quar.) Dominion Textile, Ltd. pref. (quar.)	5∪c 7½c	Sept. 15 July 20 Aug. 1 Sept. 1 July 15	Sept. 5 July 14
Denvison Mfg. Co. debenture stock (quar.) Denver Union Stock Yards, 5½% pref. (quar.)	\$1.371/2	Aug. 1 Sept. 1	July 20 Aug. 20
Detroit Gasket & Mfg Detroit River Tunnel (8 -a.)	25c	July 20 July 15	July 5 July 7
Detroit Steel Products Co Diamond Match Co., common	25c 25c	July 10 Sept. 1	Aug. 10
Common Participating preferred (sa.)	25c 75c	Dec. 1 Sept. 1	Nov. 10 Aug. 10
Distillers CorpSeagrams, Ltd., 5% pf. (quar.) Dr. Pepper Co. (increased quar.)	‡\$1¼ 30c	Aug. 1 Sept. 1	Aug. 10 2-10-40 July 15 Aug. 18
Quarterly_ Dome Mines, Ltd. (quar.)	30c 50c	Dec. 1 July 20	June 30
Dominion Tar & Chem. Ltd. 5½% pref. (qu.)	\$1.37½	July 31 Aug. 1	
Dow Chemical Co	75c 1¼% 15c	Aug. 1 July 15 Aug. 15 Aug. 15 July 10 Aug. 15 July 25	July 29 July 29
Dow Chemical Co. Preferred (quar.) Driver-Harris Co. (increased) Duplan Silk Corp. du Pont (E. I.) deNemours, \$4.50 pref. (quar.).	15c 5uc	July 10 Aug. 15	June 30 Aug. 4
du Pont (E. I.) deNemours, \$4.50 pref. (quar.)_ 6% debenture (quar.)	\$11/8 \$11/2 \$11/4	July 25 July 25	July 10 July 10 June 15
East Pennsylvania RR. (sa.)  Eastern Theatres, I.td., 7% preferred (Sa.)	\$11/2	July 15 July 18 July 31	July 8 June 30
Elgin National Watch Co Electric Bond & Share Co. \$6 pref. (quar.)	25c \$1½	July 18 July 31 Sept. 23 Aug. 1 Aug. 1	Sept. 9 July 10
du Pont (E. I.) deNemours, \$4.50 pref. (quar.). 6% debenture (quar.). Duquesne Light Co. 5% 1st preferred (Auar.). East Pennsylvania RR. (sa.). Eastern Theatres, Ltd., 7% preferred (sa.). Elgin National Watch Co. Electric Bond & Share Co. \$6 pref. (quar.). \$5 preferred (quar.). El Paso Electric Co. (Del.) 7% pref. A (quar.). El Paso Electric Co. (Texas) \$6 pref. (quar.). Ely & Walker Dry Goods 1st pref. (sa.). 2d preferred (sa.).	\$3.50 25c \$1½ \$1½ \$1½ \$1½	Aug. 1 July 15	July 10 June 30 June 30
El Paso Electric Co. (Texas) \$6 pref. (quar.) Ely & Walker Dry Goods 1st pref. (sa.)	\$3 /2 \$3 /2 \$3	JULY 15	July 3
Emporium Canwell Corp. 416 % pref. A (quar.)	56 4 c	July 15 Oct. 2 1-2-40	
41% preferred A (quar.) 7% preferred (semi-ann.) Eureka Pipe Line Co. Falstaff Brewing Corp. (quar.)	\$31/2 50c	Sept. 23	Sept. 13 July 15* Aug. 16
Preferred (sa.)  Fansteel Metallurgical Corp. pref. (quar.)	30	Nov. 1 Sept. 30	Sent. 15
Preferred (quar.) Federal Insurance Co. (N. J.) (quar.) Federal Services Finance Corp. (Wash., D. C.)	\$1¼ \$1¼ 35c	Dec. 18	Dec. 15 Sept. 21
Federal Services Finance Corp. (Wash., D. C.) Common (quarterly)		A CONTROL OF THE PARTY OF THE P	All and the second
Common (quarterly) 6% preferred (quarterly) Federated Dept. Stores, Inc 44% conv. preferred (quar.) Fidelity Phenix Fire Insurance Co. (sa.)	25c \$1.061/	July 15 July 31 July 31	June 30 June 30 July 21 July 21 June 30
Fidelity Phenix Fire Insurance Co. (sa.) Filene's (Wm.) Sons Co	80c 25c	July 10 July 25	June 30 July 15
Preferred (quar.) Firemans Fund Ins. (San Fran., Calif.) (quar.) Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. Fishman(M. H.) Co., 5% com. conv. pref. (quar.) Fisk Rubber preferred (quar.) Fort Wayne & Jackson KR., pref. (semi-annual) Froedtert Grain & Malting.	\$1.1834	July 25 July 25 July 15 July 15 July 20 July 20 Sept. 1 July 24 July 24 July 24 July 25 July 20 July 15 July 20 July 15 July 21 July 15	July 21 July 5
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. Fishman (M. H.) Co., 5% com. conv. pref. (quar.)	25c \$114	July 20 July 15	July 5 June 30
Fort Wayne & Jackson RR., pref. (semi-annual) Froedtert Grain & Malting	\$11/4 \$11/2 \$23/4 25c	Sept. 1 July 24	Aug. 19 July 15
Preferred (quar.) Fyr-Fyter Co., class A	30c 25c	July 24 July 15	July 15 June 30
\$3 convertible preferred (quar.)	25c 75c \$4	Aug. 1	July 10 July 20
General Capital Corp. (Boston)	24C 25C	July 10 July 25	June 30 June 23
General Finance Corporation General Foods Corp., \$4½ preferred (quar.)	\$1½ \$1½	July 15 Aug. 1	July 1 July 10
General Motors Corp., \$5 pref. (quar.)	87½c \$1¼ \$1½ 25c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1 July 14 Oct. 1 July 12 Aug. 1 July 25 Sept. 15 Sept. 15	July 10* July 10* July 10 July 15
General Theatres Equipment Corp	25c 50c	July 14 Oct. 1	July 7 Sept. 20
Gilbert (A. C.) Co. preferred (quar.)	87½c \$1¼ \$1½ 25c	July 12 Aug. 1	July 5 July 3
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co	25c 25c	Sept. 15	Aug. 15
Gotham Credit Corp., class B (quar.) Gotham Silk Hosiery, 7% pref. (quar.)	\$1¼ 9¾c \$1¾ 15c	July 24	June 10
Great Lakes Engineering Works (quar.) Great Lakes Power Co., Ltd., A pref. (quar.)	\$134 35c	Aug. 1 July 15 July 10	July 12 July 24 June 30 July 1 July 15
Fisk Rubber preferred (quar.) Fort Wayne & Jackson KR., pref. (semi-annual) Froedtert Grain & Malting Preferred (quar.) Fyr-Fyter Co., class A Gardner-Denver Co. (quar.) \$3 convertible preferred (quar.) General Capital Corp. (Boston) General Finance Corporation General Finance Corporation General Finance Corporation General Mills, Inc. common General Mills, Inc. common General Motors Corp., \$4 ½ preferred (quar.) General Motors Corp., \$5 pref. (quar.) General Theatres Equipment Corp Gibson Art Co. (quar.) Gilbert (A. C.) Co. preferred (quar.) Gillbert (A. C.) Co. preferred (quar.) Gillbert (Bros., \$6 pref. (quar.) Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. \$5 convertible preferred (quar.) Gotham Credit Corp., class B (quar.) Gotham Credit Corp., class B (quar.) Great Lakes Engineering Works (quar.) Great Lakes Engineering Works (quar.) Great Southern Life Insurance (quar.) Great Southern Life Insurance (quar.) Green (H. L.) Co. (quar.) Gresonick-Western Brewery  5½ % convertible prefrred (quar.) Guarantee Co. of North Amer. (quar.) Extra Guardian Realty Co. (Canada) 7% pref.	40c	Aug. 1	July 15
5½% convertible prefrred (quar.) Guarantee Co. of North Amer. (quar.)	34%c 1\$1½	Sept. 1 July 15	June 30
Guarantee Co. of North Amer. (quar.). Extra  Guardian Realty Co. (Canada) 7% pref. Harbison-Walker Refractories Co 6% pref.(qu.). Hatrisburg Gas Co., 7% pref. (quar.). Hat Corp. of America, 6½% pref. (quar.). Hecker Froducts Corp. (quar.). Hercules Powder Co., pref. (quar.). Hershey Chocolate (quar.). Preferred (quar.). Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett & Co. (mo.). Monthly. Monthly. Hollinger Consol. Gold Mines (monthly).	1\$1½ 1\$2½ 1†5,c	July 15 July 15	June 30 June 30
Harrisburg Gas Co., 7% pref. (quar.)  Hat Corn of America 64% pref. (quar.)	\$1 \frac{1}{5} \cdot C \\ \$1 \frac{1}{5} \cd	July 20 July 15	July 6 June 30
Hecker Products Corp. (quar.) Hercules Powder Co., pref. (quar.)	15c \$1½	Aug. 1 Aug. 15	July 10 Aug. 4
Hershey Chocolate (quar.) Preferred (quar.)	\$1½ 75c \$1	Aug. 15 Aug. 15	July 25 July 25
Monthly	15c 15c 15c	July 28 Aug. 25	July 18 Aug. 15
Hollinger Consol. Gold Mines (monthly)	‡5c ‡5c	July 15 July 15	June 30
Holly Development Co. (quar.) Holly Sugar Corp., 7% pref. (quar.)	1c \$134 50c	July 25 Aug. 1	June 30 July 15
Preferred (quar.)	\$11/4	Sept. 1	July 12 Aug. 12
5% preferred (quar.) Huttig Sash & Door Co. (resumed)	\$1 ¼ \$1 \$1 ¼ 25c	July 15 Sept. 30	June 30 Sept. 22
Preferred (quar.) Preferred (quar.)	\$134 \$134	Sept. 15 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 20 July 15 Aug. 11 Aug. 15 Aug. 15 Aug. 15 July 28 Aug. 15 July 28 Sept. 29 July 15 July	Sept. 22 Dec. 22
Hyde Park Breweries Assoc., Inc. (irregular)	50c	July 15 July 21	July 1 July 11
Hollinger Consol. Gold Mines (monthly)  Extra.  Holly Development Co. (quar.)  Holly Sugar Corp., 7% pref. (quar.)  Horn & Hardart (N. Y.) (quar.)  Preferred (quar.)  Household Finance, common (quar.)  5% preferred (quar.)  Huttig Sash & Door Co. (resumed)  Preferred (quar.)  Preferred (quar.)  Preferred (quar.)  Hyde Park Breweries Assoc., Inc. (irregular)  Idaho Maryland Mines Corp. (monthly)  Illuminating & Power Secur. Corp., com. (quar.)  7% preferred (quarterly)  Imperial Life Assurance (Can.) (quar.)  Quarterly	\$1 \$134 \$334 \$134 \$134 \$1	Aug. 10 Oct.	July 31 Sept 20
Quarterly.  Insurance Co. of North America (sa.)  Interallied Investment Corp., class A (sa.)	\$\$1 % \$1	1-2-40 July 15	Dec. 30 June 30
Interchemical Corp., pref. (quar.)	35c \$1½	July 15 July 21 Aug. 10 Aug. 15 Oct. 2 1-2-40 July 15 July 10	July 10 July 20
Interchemical Corp., pref. (quar.). International Bronze Powders, Ltd. (quar.). 6% cum. partic preferred (quar.). International Business Machine. (Qquarterly)	‡37½c	July 15 Oct. 10	June 30 Sept. 22
(Qquarterly)	\$113	July 10	June 22

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International Harvester Co. (quar.)—International Invest. Corp., \$3 conv. pref. International Milling Co. 5% pref. (quar.)—International Nickel Co. Canada, Ltd. 7% pref. International Products Corp., \$6% pref. (s-a.) Interstate Dept. Stores, Inc., 7% pref. Interstate Home Equipment (quar.)—Interstate Home Equipment (quar.)—Investment Foundation Ltd. 6% pref. (accum.)—Investment Foundation Ltd. 6% pref. (accum.)—Investors Fund C.	40c †50c	July 15 June 20 Aug. 1 July 15 July 15 June 30
International Milling Co., 5% pref. (quar.)————————————————————————————————————	\$1¼ \$1¾ \$3	July 15 June 30 Aug. 1 July 3 July 15 June 30
Interstate Dept. Stores, Inc., 7% pref Interstate Home Equipment (quar.)	\$134 1214c 20c	Aug. 1 July 18
Intertype Corp. (irregular). Investment Foundation Ltd. 6% pref. (accum.) Investors Fund C	20c ‡\$1 10c	July 15 July 1 July 15 June 30 July 15 June 30 July 15 June 30
Iron Fireman Mfg. Co. (quar.)	30c 30c	Sept. 1 Aug. 10 Dec. 1 Nov. 10
Iron Fireman Mfg. Co. (quar.) Quarterly I X L Mining Co. (block shares) Jarvis (W. B.) new (initial) Jefferson Lake Oil Co., Inc. Joplin Water Works 6% preferred (quar.) Julian & Kokenge Co. Kalamazoo Stove & Furnace Kaufman Dept. Stores, common Kellogg Switchborard & Supply Preferred (quar.) Remuer-Thomas, 7% special pref. (quar.) 7% special preferred (quar.) Kennedy's, Inc., pref. (quar.) Kennedy's, Inc., pref. (quar.) Kentucky Utilities 6% preferred (quar.) Keystone Watch Case (resumed) Knott Corporation, common	20c 25c	July 15 June 30 July 14 June 30
Joplin Water Works 6% preferred (quar.) Julian & Kokenge Co	12½c \$1½ \$1¼	July 15 July 1
Kalamazoo Stove & Furnace Kaufman Dept. Stores, common	12 13c	Aug. 1 July 20 July 28 July 10
Preferred (quar.) Kemper-Thomas, 7% special pref. (quar.)	15c \$114 \$114	July 31 July 11 July 31 July 11 Sept. 1 Aug. 22
7% special preferred (quar.) Kennedy's, Inc., pref. (quar.)	\$1% \$1% 31% \$1% \$1%	July 15 June 30
Keystone Watch Case (resumed)  Knott Corporation, common	50c 10c	July 15 June 30 July 10 July 13 July 15 June 20
Kroger Grocery & Baking Co. 7% pref. (quar.)	30c \$134	Sept. 13 Aug. 31
Landis Machine Co. (quar.) Quarterly Lawrence Gas & Electric (quar.)	25c 25c 75c	Aug. 15 Aug. 5 Nov. 15 Nov. 4 July 13 June 30
Quarterly Lawrence Gas & Electric (quar.) Lee Rubber & Tire Corp. Lehigh Portland Cement Co. (quar.) 4% preferred (quar.) Lerner Stores Corp. (quar.) 4 % preferred (quar.) Le Roi Co. Lincon National Life Insurance (quar.) Quarterly	75c 37½c \$1	Aug. 1 July 14
4% preferred (quar.) Lerner Stores Corp. (quar.)	50c	Oct. 2 Sept. 14 July 15 July 5 Aug. 1 July 20
Le Roi Co. Lincoin National Life Insurance (quar.)	\$1½ 25c 30c 30c	July 15 July 8
Lincoln Printing Co., pref. (quar.)	30c 87⅓c	Aug. 1 July 27 Nov. 1 Oct. 27 Aug. 1 July 17
Lincoin Telephone & Telegraph Co. (Del.) Class A (quar.). Class B (quar.). 6% preferred (quar.). Line Material Co. Link Belt Co. Preferred (quar.). Lion Oil Refining Co. Little Mlami Rk., original capital (quar.). Original capital (quar.). Special guaranteed (quar.).	50c 25c	July 10 June 30 July 10 June 30
6% preferred (quar.) Line Material Co	15c	July 10 June 30 July 20 July 10
Preferred (quar.)	\$1 1 1 1 2 5 c \$1 1 1 8 2 5 c	Sept. 1 Aug. 10 Oct. 2 Sept. 15 July 25 July 5
Little Miami RR., original capital (quar.) Original capital (quar.)	\$1.10	Sept. 9 Aug. 24 Dec. 9 Aug. 24
Special guaranteed (guar )	50c 50c	Sept. 9 Aug. 24
Little Schuylkill Navigation RR. & Coal Lockhart Power Co., 7% preferred (semi-ann.) Lone Star Gas Co. Longhorn Portland Cement Co.—	\$1.05 \$3½ 20c	July 15 June 16 Sept. 25 Sept. 25 Aug. 21 July 20
5% retunding partic, preferred (quar.)	\$1¼ 25c	Sept. 1 Aug. 21
Extra 5% refunding partic. preferred (quar.) Extra	\$1¼ 25c 25c	Dec. 1 Nov. 20 Dec. 1 Nov. 20
Loose-Wiles Discoutt Co	25c \$11/4	Aug. 1 July 18 Oct. 1 Sept. 18
5% preferred (quar.)  Lord & Taylor, 2d preferred (quar.)  Louisville Gas & Electric Co. (Ky.)—  7% cumulative preferred (quar.)  6% cumulative preferred (quar.)  5% cumulative preferred (quar.)  Louisville Henderson & St. Louis RR. (sa.)	\$2 134%	Aug. 1 July 17 July 15 June 30
6% cumulative preferred (quar.) 5% cumulative preferred (quar.)	1%% 1%% 1%%	July 15 June 30 July 15 June 30
	Que	Aug. 15 Aug. 1 Aug. 15 Aug. 1 July 13 June 30
Lowell Electric Light Corp. (quar.) Lunkenheimer Co pref. (quar.) Preferred (quar.). Luzerne County Gas & Electric, \$7 pref. (quar.)	\$1 % \$1 %	Oct. 1 Sept. 22 1-2-40 Dec. 23
So preferred (quar.) So preferred (quar.) MacAndrews & Forbes, common	\$134 \$112 500	Aug. 15 July 31 Aug. 15 July 31 July 15 June 30
Macfadden Publications Inc. preferred (quar)	\$1½ \$1½ 25c	July 15 June 30
McCall Corp. (quar.)  McClatchy Newspapers, 7% pref. (quar.)  7% preferred (quar.)  Mc Coll-Frontenac Oil, pref. (quar.)  McCorp Stores Corp. 6% pref. (quar.)  McGraw Electric Co.  McGlaus Stores Co. preferred (quar.)	43 % c	Aug. 1 July 14 Aug. 31 Aug. 30 Nov. 30 Nov. 29 July 15 June 30
Mc Coll-Frontenac Oil, pref.(quar.) McCrory Stores Corp. 6% pref. (quar.)	43 % c 43 % c 1\$1 ½ \$1 ½ 25c	Aug. 1 July 20
McCrory Stores Corp. 6% pref. (quar.)	25c \$1½ 25c 25c 25c	Aug. 1 July 11
Magma Copper Co Magnin (I.) & Co., pref. (quar.)	25c \$1½	Aug. 15 Aug. 5
Preferred (quar.) Mahon (R. C.) Co., \$2 class A preferred (quar.)	\$1½ \$1½ 50c 55c	July 15 June 30
Manufacturers Trust Co. preferred (quar.) Marchant Calculating Machine (quar.)	50c 25c	July 15 June 30 July 15 July 1 July 15 June 30 July 10 June 20
Margay Oil Corp. (quar.)  Maritime Telep & Teleg Co, Ltd (quar)	25c 25c 17½c 17½c 5c	July 10 June 20 July 15 June 20
7% preferred (quar) Maryland Fund, Inc. (quar.) Ouarterly	oc.	July 15 June 20 July 15 June 20 Sept. 15 Aug. 31 Dec. 15 Nov. 30
Marchant Calculating Machine (quar.)	\$11/4	Sept. 1 Aug. 20
Massachusetts Investors Trust (quar.)— Massachusetts Utilities Assoc. 5% pref. (qu.)— Massawippi Valley RR. Co. (sa.)———————————————————————————————————	62½c \$3 75c 75c 7½c †\$1¾ †\$1½	July 20 June 30 July 15 June 30 Aug. 1 July 1
May Department Stores Co. common (quar.) Melville Shoe Corp. (quar.)	75c 75c	Sept. 1 Aug. 16 Aug. 1 July 14
Melville Shoe Corp. (quar.)  Preferred (quar.)  Michigan Public Service, 7% preferred  6% preferred  Michigan Seamless Tube Co.  Midwest Piping & Supply (quar.)  Midwest Rubber Reclaiming  Preferred (quar.)	†\$1% †\$1%	Aug. 1 July 14 Aug. 1 July 15 Aug. 1 July 15
Michigan Seamless Tube Co Midwest Piping & Supply (quar.)	100	July 10 June 30
Midwest Rubber Reclaiming Preferred (quar)	\$1 \$1 \$1 \$1	Sept 1 Aug 19 July 13 July 1
Midwest Rubber Rechaining Preferred (quar) Mill Creek & Mine Hill Nav. RR. (sa.) Mississippi Valley Utilities (liquidating) Model Oils, Ltd. Moneta Porcupine Mines, Ltd. Monongahela Valley Water Co., 7% pf. (quar.) Monsanto Chemical Co., \$4½ pref. A (sa.) Preferred R (sa.)	30c	July 19 June 24 July 15 June 20
Moneta Porcupine Mines, Ltd	\$134	July 15 June 30 July 15 July 1
Monsanto Chemical Co., \$4½ pref. A (sa.) Preferred B (sa.) Montana Power Co. pref. (quar.)	\$134 \$214 \$214 \$114 25c 38c	July 15 July 1 Dec. 1 Nov. 10 Dec. 1 Nov. 10 Aug. 1 July 12 July 15 June 9 July 15 June 30 July 15 July 4 Sept. 30 Sept. 30 2-2-40 2-2-40 July 25 July 4
Montgomery Ward & Co	25c 38c	July 15 June 9 July 31 June 30
Montreal Transways (quar., reduced)		July 15 July 4 Sept. 30 Sept. 30
Quarterly Morrell (John) & Co	\$11/2 \$11/2 \$11/2 50c 75c	2-2-40 2-2-40 July 25 July 3
Morris (Philip) & Co., Ltd., Inc. (quar.)	75c \$11/4 \$11/4 1c	Sept. 1 Aug. 15
Preferred B (sa.)  Montana Power Co pref. (quar.)  Montana Power Co pref. (quar.)  Montana Light, Heat & Power Consol. (quar.)  Montreal Telegraph.  Montreal Tramways (quar., reduced).  Moore (Wm. R.) Dry Goods (quar.)  Quarterly.  Morrell (John) & Co.  Morris (Philip) & Co., Ltd., Inc. (quar.)  5%, conv. pref. A (quar.)  Mt. Carbon & Port Carbon RR. (semi-ann.)  Mt. Diablo Min. & Dev. (quar.)  Mountain States Telep. & Teleg. (quar.)  Muula Chemical Co. of Amer., 6% pref. (quar.)  6% preferred (quar.)	1c \$134	2-2-40 2-2-40 July 25 July 3 July 15 June 30 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 July 13 July 1 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 July 15 June 30
Mutual Chemical Co. of Amer., 6% pref. (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.)	\$134 \$134 \$134 10c	Dec. 28 Dec. 21
6% preferred (quar.) Mutual Investment Fund Shares Mutual System, Inc., pref. (quar.) Common Nachman Spring-Filled (quar.) National Aviation Corp Nat. Bearing Metals Corp. 7% pref. (quar.) National Bond & Share Corp	50c 6c	July 15 June 30 July 15 June 30
Nachman Spring-Filled (quar.) National Aviation Corp	25c 25c	July 20 July 10 July 14 June 30
Nat. Bearing Metals Corp. 1% pref. (quar.) National Bond & Share Corp	\$134 15c	July 15 June 30

	Per	When	Holders
Name of Company  National Biscuit Co., common	Share 40c		Sept. 12
Preferred (quar.)	\$134 25c 75c	Aug. 31 July 15	Sept. 12 Aug. 15 June 30 July 15
National City Lines, \$3 pref. (quar.) Class A (quarterly)	75c 50c	Aug. 1	July 15 July 15
Preferred (quar.) National Cash Register National City Lines, \$3 pref. (quar.) Class A (quarterly) National Cylinder Gas Co National Distillers Products (quar.)	10c 50c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 July 21 Aug. 1 July 15 July 20 July 20 July 20 July 20 Aug. 1	July 15 July 15 June 30
National Fishers Produces (quar.)  National Fuel Gas Co.  National Funding Corp class A and B (qu).  Class A and B (extra).  National Investors Corp.  National Power & Light Co. \$6 pref. (quar.).  National Steel Car Corp. (quar.)	25c 17½c 17½c 5c	July 20 July 20	June 30 June 30
National Investors Corp	\$1½ 50c	July 20 Aug. 1 July 15	July 30 June 27
National Power & Light Co. \$6 pref. (quar.) National Steel Car Corp. (quar.) Neisner Bros., preferred (quar.) Newberry (J. J.) Realty, 6½% pref. A (quar.) 6% preferred B (quar.) New Brunswick Telephone Co Niagara Hudson Power Corp 1st 5% preferred (quar.)	\$1.1834 \$1.58 \$152	Aug. 1	June 30 July 15 July 15
6% preferred B (quar.)	\$1½ 12½c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1 July 15	July 15
Niagara Hudson Power Corp.— 1st 5% preferred (quar.) 2d 5% preferred series A & B (quar.)	\$11/4 \$11/4	Aug. 1	July 14
2d 5% preferred series A & B (quar.) 1900 Corp., class A (quar.)	50c 50c	Ang 15	July 14 Aug. 1
2 d 5% Breterier Series A & D (quar.) 1900 Corp., class A (quar.) Class A (quar.) Norfolk & Western Ry. (quar.)	\$21/2	Nov. 15 Sept. 19 Aug. 19 July 12 July 25	Aug. 31 July 31
Preferred (quar.) North America, Aviation, Inc. (irregular) North American Co. 6% preferred (quar.) North American Trust Shares (1956)	40c \$\$1.50	ours Lo	June 20 June 30
North American Trust Shares (1956)	5.4c 5c	July 15 July 15	June 30
Northern American Oil Co	5.4c 3c \$2	July 15 July 20 July 15	July 10 June 30
1958. 1955. Northern American Oil Co. Northern Central Ry. (sa.). Northern Ontario Power Co. (quar.). 6% preferred (quar.). Northern Illinois Finance Corp. Preferred (quar.). Northern Indiana Public Service Co.—	\$60c \$11½ 25c	July 15 July 15 July 20 July 15 July 25 July 25 July 25	July 10 June 30 June 30 June 30 July 15
Northern Illinois Finance Corp Preferred (quar.) Northern Indiana Public Service Co.—	37½c	Aug. 1	July 15 July 15
7% preferred (quar.)	\$134 \$112 \$138 †\$1.314 †\$14 25c	July 14 July 14	June 30 June 30
7% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.) 5/% preferred (quar.) Northern states Power (Del.), 7% pref.	\$138 †\$1.3114	July 14 July 20	June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30 June 30
U/O PICICITORIE	†\$1½ \$1¼	July 20 July 10	June 30 June 30
Northwest Engineering Co	5c 25c	Aug. 1 July 15 July 15	
Oliver United Filters, class A (quar.) Pacific Finance Corp. of Cal. 8% pref. A (quar.)	50c 20c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 6 July 1 July 21 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 15
614 % Preferred C (quarterly) 5% preferred (quarterly)	16¼c \$1¼ 2% 62½c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 15 July 15
Pacific Gas & Electric Co Pacific Lighting Corp. \$5 pref	62½°C	July 10	June 30* June 30
Northern States Power (Minn.) 5% pref. (quar.) Northwest Engineering Co Oahu Sugar Co., Ltd. (monthly). Oid Colony Trust Associates (increased). Oliver United Filters, class A (quar.). Pacific Finance Corp. of Cal. 8% pref. A (quar.) 6½% Preferred C (quarterly). 5% preferred (quarterly). Pacific Gas & Electric Co Pacific Lighting Corp. \$5 pref. For a period rom May 15 to June 30. Pacific Public Service \$1.30 1st pref. (quar.). Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co. 6% pref. (qu.) Packer Corp. (quar.).	32½c \$1½	Aug. 1 July 15	July 15 June 30
Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co.6% pref. (qu.) Packer Corp. (quar.) Paraffine Cos., Inc. 4% conv. pref. (quar.) Paramount Pictures, Inc. Pennsular Telephone Preferred A (quar.) Preferred A (quar.) Pennsuls, Ltd. (quar.) Pennsuls, Ltd. (quar.) Penn Traffic Co. (sa.) Penn Traffic Co. (sa.) Pennsylvania Power Co. \$5 preferred (quar.) Peoples Gas Light & Coke Co. Peoples Telep. Corp. (Butler, Pa.) (quar.) Permutit Co.	25c \$1	July 15 July 15	July 5 July 3 June 30 July 20
Paramount Pictures, Inc. Pearson Co., Inc., 5% pref. A (quar.)	15c 31¼c 50c	July 15 Aug. 1 Oct. 1	July 20 Sept. 15
Preferred A (quar.)	\$1 3/4 \$1 3/4 75c	ATATE 1E	
Penman's, Ltd. (quar.) Preferred (quar.)	75c \$1½	Aug. 15 Aug. 1	Aug. 5 July 21
Penn Traffic Co. (sa.) Pennsylvania Power Co. \$5 preferred (quar.)	\$1½ 7½c \$1¼ 50c	Aug. 1	July 11 July 15 June 21
Peoples Telep. Corp. (Butler, Pa.) (quar.)	\$2 25c	Aug. 15 Aug. 15 Aug. 1 July 25 Aug. 1 July 15 July 15 July 20 Oct. 2	June 30 July 10
Peternorollyn R.R. (g.=a.)	3 94	Oct. 2 July 25	Sept. 25 July 1 July 10
Philadelphia Co. (quar.) Philadelphia Electric Co., \$5 pref. (quar.) Philadelphia & Trenton RR. (quar.) Pilot Full Fashion Mills, Inc.—	\$1 ½ \$2 ½	Aug. 1 July 10	July 10
6½% cum. preferred (sa.)	65c	1. 1. T. C. a. C.	Sept. 15
(Semi-annual) Pittsburgh Cin. Chic. & St. Louis RR. (sa.) Pitts. Ft. Wayne & Chicago 7% pref. (quar.)	75c \$2½ \$1¾	Oct. 1 July 20	Sept. 15 July 10
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1% 15c	Oct. 4 1-4-40 July 15	Sept. 10 12-10-39 June 30
Plymouth Rubber Co., Inc., 7% pref. (quar.) Plymouth Cordage (quar.)	\$134 \$114	July 15 July 20	June 1 June 30
Pitts. Ft. Wayne & Chicago 7% pref. (quar.)- 7% preferred (quar.) Plomb Tool 6% preferred (quar.) Plymouth Rubber Co., Inc., 7% pref. (quar.)- Plymouth Cordage (quar.) Pollock Paper & Box, 7% pref. (quar.)- 7% preferred (quar.) Power Corp. of Canada (interim) 1st preferred (quar.) 2nd preferred (quar.) Premier Gold Ming Co. (quar.) Premier Gold Ming Co. (quar.) Premier Geo.) Mfg. (quar.) Extra. Procter & Gamble 8% preferred (quar.) Prosperty Co. preferred (quar.) Prudential Investors \$6 preferred (quar.) Public Service Corp. of N. J. 6% pref. (monthly) Public Service Corp. of N. J., com. (increased) 8% preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.)	\$134 15c \$134 \$134 \$134 \$134	Oct. 4 1-4-40 July 15 July 15 July 25 Sept. 15 Dec. 15 July 25 July 15 July 15	Sept. 15 Dec. 15
1st preferred (quar.)	‡\$1½ ‡75c	July 15 July 15	June 30 June 30
Premier Gold Ming Co. (quar.) Premier Shares Inc. (sa.)	‡3c 7c	July 15 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 15	July 16 June 30
Prentice (Geo.) Mfg. (quar.) Extra	50c \$1 \$2	July 15 July 15	July 1 July 1
Prosperity Co. preferred (quar.)	\$114	July 15 July 15 July 15	July 5 June 30
Public National Bank & Trust Co. (N. Y.) (qu.) Public Service Co. of N. J. 6% pref. (monthly)	\$1 1/4 \$1 1/2 37 1/2 c 50 c	Oct. 2 July 15	Sept. 20 June 16
Public Service Corp. of N. J., com. (increased)  8% preferred (quar.)	65c \$2	Sept. 30 Sept. 15	Sept. 1 Aug. 15
5% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred (monthly)	\$134 \$114 50c	Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Aug. 15	Aug. 15 July 15
Public Service Corp. of N. J., com. (increased) 8% preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) 5% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred (monthly) 6% preferred (monthly) 9% preferred (monthly) Public Utility Engineering & Service, pref. (qu.) Putnam (George) Fund of Boston (irregular) Quaker Oats Co. pref. (quar.)	50c 50c	July 15 Oct. 2 July 15 Sept. 30 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Aug. 15 Sept. 15 Oct. 14 July 15	Aug. 15 Sept. 15
Public Utility Engineering & Service, pref. (qu.) Putnam (George) Fund of Boston (irregular)	\$134 15c	July 15 July 15 Aug. 31 Nov. 1 July 20 July 20 July 20 July 20 July 10 Aug. 10	June 30 June 30
Quaker Oats Co. pref. (quar.).  Quarterly Income Shares Inc. (reduced) (quar.)  Railroad Employees Corp., class A	\$1½ 20c 20c	Nov. 1 July 20	Oct. 15 June 30
Class B80c. preferred (quar.)	20c 20c 20c 20c	July 20 July 20	June 30 June 30
Participating preferred A & B	10c 10c	July 10 Aug. 10	July 7 Aug. 7
Randall Co. class A (quar.)	10c 50c 25c	Aug. 1	July 20 July 13
1st preferred (quar.) 2d preferred (quar.)	50c 50c	Sept. 14 Oct. 12	Aug. 24 Sept. 21
Reinsurance Corp. (N. Y.)	†50c 7½c 10c	Aug. 10 Sept. 10 Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 10 Sept. 14 Oct. 12 Aug. 1 July 15	July 20 July 5 July 21
Class B.  80c. preferred (quar.) Rainier Brewing Co., partic. pref. A & B. Participating preferred A & B. Participating preferred A & B. Randall Co. class A (quar.) Reading Co. (quar.) 1st preferred (quar.) 2d preferred (quar.) Reed (C. A.) Co. pref. A. Reinsurance Corp. (N. Y.) Reliance Mfg. Co. (III.) Rhode Island Public Service class A (quar.) \$2 preferred (quar.) \$2 preferred (quar.)	\$1 50c	Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1	July 21 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 1 July 1 July 26 July 11 July 21 July 3 July 8 Aug. 19
Richel (H. W.) & Co. (sa.) Extra	8c 7c 5 c 15c	July 15 July 15	July 1 July 1
\$2 preferred (quar.) Richel (H. W.) & Co. (sa.) Extra Rich's, Inc. (quarterly) Richmond Insurance (N. Y.) (quar.) Rick-Kumler Co	5 C 15C	Aug. 1 Aug. 1 July 17	July 26 July 11 July 3
	50c 25c 37½c \$1½c	July 20 Sept. 1	July 8 Aug. 19
Roos Bros., Inc., preferred (quar.) Royal Typewriter Co., Inc.	/ ac	Aug. 1 July 15	Aug. 19 July 15 July 5 July 5
\$1.50 conv. preferred (quar.) Roos Bros., Inc., preferred (quar.) Royal Typewriter Co., Inc. Preferred (quar.) Safety Car Heating & Lighting Co. Saguenay Power Co., Ltd.— 54% preferred (quarterly)	\$1 <sup>3</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> \$1	sept. 1	Aug. 10
G+ G-1-DG-	\$1.37½ \$1	Aug. 1 July 15	July 14 July 8
St. Joseph Lead (quar.). St. Joseph Lead (quar.). San Diego Consol. Gas & Electric pref. (quar.). Schumacher Wall Board Corp. \$2 pref. Schuylkill Valley Navigation & RR. (sa.). Scott Paper Co., \$4½ cum. pref. (quar.)	25c \$134	ijuiy 15i	June 30
Schuylkill Valley Navigation & RR. (sa.) Scott Paper Co., \$4½ cum. pref. (muar)	†50c \$11/4 \$11/8	July 15	Aug. 5 July 1 July 20*
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Name of Company	Per Share	When Holders Payable of Record
Seaboard Oil Co. (Del.) Security Storage Co. (quar.) Servel, Inc., preferred (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Sheep Creek Gold Mines, Ltd. (quar.)	25c \$1¼ \$1¾	Sept. 15 Sept. 1 July 10 July 5 Oct. 1 Sept. 15
Servel, Inc., preferred (quar.)  Preferred (quar.)  Show Crook Gold Mines Ltd. (quar.)	\$134 3c	
Extra. Shell Union Oil Corp.	1c 25c	July 15 June 30 July 20 July 11
Extra. Shell Union Oil Corp. Sierra Pac. Power Co., 6% pref. (quar.). Silbak Premier Mines. Simms Petroleum (liquidating).	\$1½ 4c	1-3-40 Dec. 15 July 15 June 30 July 15 June 30 July 20 July 11 Aug. 1 June 20 July 25 July 5 July 11 June 27 Aug. 1 July 19 Aug. 1 July 19 Aug. 1 July 5
Simms Petroleum (liquidating) Simpsons, Ltd., 63% preferred (accumulations) Skelly oil Co. 6% preferred (quar.) Smith Howard Paper Mills, pref. (quar.)	50c \$114	Aug. 1 July 19 Aug. 1 July 5
Smith Howard Paper Mills, pref. (quar.)	\$11/4 \$11/2 \$11/2 50	July 15 June 30
Sonotone Corp. (irregular) South Pittsburgh Water Co. 5% pref. (sa.) 7% preferred (quar.)		July 15 July 1
6% preferred Southern Calif. Edison Co., Ltd.—	\$11/2	July 15 July 1 July 15 June 20
7% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred. Southern Calif. Edison Co., Ltd.— 5% original preferred (quar.) 51% pref. series O (quar.) Southern California Gas Co.— 8outhern California Gas Co.—	37½c 34%c	July 15 June 20
Southern California Gas Co.— 6% preferred (quarterly) Preferred A (quar.) Southern Canada Power (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Southern Indiana Gas & El. Co. 4.8% pref. (qu.) Southern Indiana Gas & El. Co. 4.8% pref. (qu.) Southern New England Telephone. Southwestern Portland Cement. 8% pf. (quar.) 8% preferred (quarterly) Spicer Mfs. \$3 preferred (quar.) \$3 preferred (quar.) \$4.50 preferred (quar.) Standard Brands, Inc., \$4.50 preferred (quar.)	37½c 37½c	July 15 June 30 July 15 June 30 Aug. 15 July 31 July 15 June 20 Aug. 1 July 15
Southern Canada Power (quar.)	120c 1\$1½	July 15 June 20
Southern New England Telephone	\$134	July 15 June 30 Sept. 15 Sept. 14
8% preferred (quarterly)	\$2 50c	Sept. 15 Dec. 14 July 15 Dec. 14 July 15 July 15 July 15 July 15 Aug. 1 July 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 1 July 12 June 12 July 22 July 15 July 15 June 30 Aug. 15 Aug. 2
\$3 preferred (quar.) Squibb (E. R.) & Sons, 1st 6% pref. (quar.)	75c \$1½	July 15 July 15 Aug. 1 July 15
Standard Brands, Inc., \$4.50 preferred (quar.) Standard Chemical Co., Ltd. (resumed)	\$1½ \$1½ 50c 75c	July 12 June 12
Standard Oil of Ohio, 5% preferredStandard Works 5% pref (quar.)	\$1¼ 31¼c 50c	July 15 June 30 Aug. 15 Aug. 3
State Street Investment (quar.) Steel Co. of Canada, 7% pref. (quar.)	50c ‡43¾c	Tuly 15 Inna 30
8% preferred (quarterly)  Spicer Mfg. \$3 preferred (quar.)  Squibb (E. R.) & Sons, 1st 6% pref. (quar.)  Standard Brands, Inc., \$4.50 preferred (quar.)  Standard Fire Insurance (Trenton, N. J.) (quar.)  Standard Fire Insurance (Trenton, N. J.) (quar.)  Standard Oil of Ohlo, 5% preferred  Stanley Works 5% pref. (quar.)  State Street Investment (quar.)  Steel Co. of Canada, 7% pref. (quar.)  Common (quarterly)  Sterling Aluminum Products  Sun Glow Industries (quar.)  Sun Ray Drug  Preferred (quar.)  Superior Portland Cement class B  Supervised Shares, Inc. (quar.)  Superior Water Light & Power class B  Tacony-Palmyra Bridge pPref. (quar.)  Technicolor, Inc. (irregular)  Technicolor, Inc. (irregular)  Technicolor, Inc. (irregular)  Telautograph Corp  Thatcher Mfg., conv. pref. (quar.)  Towle Mfg. Co  Trade Bank of New York (quar.)	143 % c 143 % c 25c	Aug. 1 July 1 Aug. 1 July 7 July 10 June 30 July 15 June 30 Aug. 1 July 20
Sun Giow Industries (quar.)	12½c 20c 37½c	Aug. Houry 20
Superheater Co. (quar.)Superior Portland Cement class B	37½c 12½c 50c	July 15 July 5 July 15 July 5 July 15 June 30
Supervised Shares, Inc. (quar.)	8c 50c	July 15 June 30 July 15 July 1
Tacony-Palmyra Bridge pPref. (quar.) Technicolor, Inc. (irregular)	\$1¼ 35c 5c	July 15 July 1 July 15 July 1 July 17 July 7 July 17 July 7 Aug. 1 July 15 Aug. 15 July 31
Thatcher Mfg., conv. pref. (quar.)	90c 5c	
Towle Mfg. Co Trade Bank of New York (quar.)	\$1½ 15c	July 15 July 7 Aug. 1 July 20
Tuckett Tobacco Ltd., pref. (quar.) Union Gas Co. of Canada (quar.)	\$134 20c	July 15 June 30 Sept. 15 Aug. 19 July 17 July 8
Union Oil Co. (Calif.)	10c 25c	July 17 July 8 Aug. 10 July 10
Tivoil Brewing (quar.) Towle Mg. Co Trade Bank of New York (quar.) Tuckett Tobacco Ltd., pref. (quar.) Union Gas Co. of Canada (quar.) Union Investment Co Union Oil Co. (Calif.) United Biscuit Co. of America— 7% preferred (quar.) United Bond & Share Corp., Ltd. (quar.) Ouarterly	\$134 150	Aug. 1 July 17 July 15 June 39 Oct. 16 Sept. 30
Quarterly United-Carr Fastener Corp. (quar.) United Corporations, Ltd., \$1.50 class A (quar.)	15c 20c	Oct. 16 Sept. 30 Sept. 15 Sept. 5
		July 15 June 22 Sept. 30 Aug. 31
Preferred (quar.)	\$1¼ 58 1-3c	Sept. 15 Sept. 5 Aug. 15 July 31 July 15 June 22 Sept. 30 Aug. 31 Sept. 30 Aug. 31 Aug. 1 July 14 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Oct. 2 Sept. 15
7% prior preferred (monthly) 7% prior preferred (monthly)	58 1-3c 58 1-3c	Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Oct. 2 Sept. 15
6.36% prior preferred (monthly)	53c 53c	Aug. 1 July 14 Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Oct. 2 Sept. 15
6% prior preferred (monthly)	50c	Aug. 1 July 14 Sept. 1 Aug. 15
6% prior preferred (monthly) United New Jersey RR. & Canal (quar.)	50c \$2½	Oct. 2 Sept. 15 July 10 June 20
United States Fidelity & Guaranty (quar.) United States Hoffman Machine pref. (quar.)	68%c	Sept. 1 Aug. 15 Oct. 2 Sept. 15 July 10 June 20 July 17 June 30 Aug. 15 Aug. 5 Dec. 15 Dec. 5 Sept. 20 Aug. 31
United Gas Improvement (quar.) Preferred (quar.) United Light & Rys., 7% pripr pref. (mo.) 7% prior preferred (monthly) 7% prior preferred (monthly) 6.36% prior preferred (monthly) 6.36% prior preferred (monthly) 6.36% prior preferred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly) 6% prior preferred (monthly) United New Jersey RR. & Canal (quar.) United States Hoffman Machine pref. (quar.) United States Hoffman Machine pref. (quar.) United States Pipe & Foundry Co. (quar.)	1c 50c	Dec. 15 Dec. 5 Sept 20 Aug. 31
Quarterly U. S. Smelting Refining & Mining common	50c \$1	Sept 20 Aug. 31 Dec. 20 Nov. 29 July 15 June 28 July 15 June 28 July 15 June 29 July 15 June 29 July 15 June 29
U. S. Smelting Refining & Mining common	\$1 87½c \$1¼	July 15 June 28 July 15 July 5
United Stockyards conv. preferred (quar.) Universal Leaf Tobacco Co., Inc. (quar.)	17½c \$1 \$1	Aug. 1 July 12 Aug. 1 July 12
Upper Michigan Power & Light— 6% preferred (quar.)	\$11/2	
7% preferred (quar.) United States Sugar Corp. preferred (quar.) United Stockyards conv. preferred (quar.) Universal Leaf Tobacco Co., Inc. (quar.) Common (extra) Upper Michigan Power & Light— 6% preferred (quar.) 6% preferred (quar.) 10 pressit Metal Cap Corp., 8% pref. Van Sciver (J. B.) Co., 7% preferred. Vapor Car Heating Co., 7% preferred. 7% preferred (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.) Vertientes-Camaguey Sugar Virginian Ry., 6% pref. (quar.) Preferred (quar.) Walgreen Co. (quar.) Walgreen Co. (quar.) Quarterly (div. represents new rate & dates) Preferred (quar.) Washington Oil Welch Grape Julce Co., preferred (quar.) West Lewert & Seabour RE (combannal)	\$11/2 \$11/2 \$11/2 †\$2	Aug. 1 July 29 Nov. 1 Oct. 28 2-1-40 1-29-40 Oct. 2 Sept. 15 July 15 July 1 Sept. 9 Sept. 1 Dec. 9 Dec. 1
Van Sciver (J. B.) Co., 7% preferred	†\$134 \$134 \$134	July 15 July 1 Sept. 9 Sept. 1
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1 % 10c	July 15 July 1 Sept. 9 Sept. 1 Dec. 9 Dec. 1 Aug. 1 July 15 Aug. 1 July 15 Aug. 1 July 10 Oct. 20 Oct. 10 Aug. 1 July 10 Sept. 20 Aug. 20 Sept. 15 Aug. 24 July 10 July 5 Aug. 31 Aug. 15 July 15 July 1 Aug. 15 July 21 Aug. 1 July 5 July 15 July 2 July 15 June 20 July 15 June 20 July 31 June 30 July 31 June 30
Virginian Ry., 6% pref. (quar.) Vulcan Detinning Co. pref. (quar.)	\$1½ \$1¾ \$1¾ 25c 40c	Aug. 1 July 15 July 20 July 10
Preferred (quar.) Walgreen Co. (quar.)	25c 40c	Aug. 1 July 10 Sept. 20 Aug. 20
Preferred (quar.) Washington Oil	\$1½ 25c	Sept. 15 Aug. 24 July 10 July 5
Washington Oil Welch Grape Julee Co., preferred (quar.) West Jersey & Seashore RR. (semi-annual) West Penn Electric Co., 6% pref. (quar.)	\$11/2	Aug. 31 Aug. 15 July 15 July 1
West Penn Electric Co., 6% pref. (quar.) 7% preferred (quar.)	\$134	Aug. 15 July 21 Aug. 15 July 21
7% preferred (quar.)	\$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/2 \$1 1/2	Aug. 1 July 5 July 15 June 20
Preferred (quar.) Western Pipe & Steel pref. (sa.)	\$134 35c	July 15 June 20 July 15 June 30
THE RESIDENCE OF THE PROPERTY	12½c 25c	July 31 June 30 Nov. 1 Oct. 15 Oct. 2 Sept. 15
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<sup>\*</sup> 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.

#### 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 July 5, 1939, in comparison with the previous week and the corresponding date last year:

	July 5, 1939	June 28, 1939	July 6, 1938
Assets— Gold certificates on hand and due from United States Treasury x	6,413,028,000 1,040,000	1,169,000	
Other casht	85,796,000		
Total reserves Bills discounted: Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations, direct or fully guaranteed Other bills discounted		747,000	2,252,000
Total bills discounted Bills bought in open market Industrial advances_ United States Government securities;	1,403,000 216,000 2,833,000	213,000	210,000
Bonds Treasury notes Treasury bills	269,030,000 347,285,000 136,846,000	256,076,000 330,565,000 130,257,000	226,407,000 354,504,000 199,236,000
Total U.S. Government securities	753,161,000	716,898,000	780,147,000
Total bills and securities	757,613,000	721,744,000	787,338,000
Due from foreign banks	156,213,000	4,677,000 144,245,000 8,959,000	143,427,000
Total assets	7,440,086,000	7.408,080,000	5,453,433,000
Ltabilities—  F. R. notes in actual circulation———— Deposits—Member bank reserve acctt_ U. S. Treasurer—General account—— Foreign bank————————————————————————————————————	5,488,628,000 137,139,000	5,433,249,000 252,366,000 125,206,000	913,591,000 3,783,408,000 272,215,000 48,395,000 177,994,000
Total deposits	6,021,273,000	6,044,156,000	4,282,012,000
Deferred availability itemsOther liabilities, incl. accrued dividends_	156,747,000 862,000	136,847,000 2,677,000	136,874,000 350,000
Total liabilities	7,320,874,000	7,288,883,000	5,332,827,000
Capital Accounts— Capital pald in. Surplus (Section 7). Surplus (Section 13-b). Other capital accounts.	52,463,000	52,463,000 7,457,000	51,943,000 7,744,000
Total liabilities and capital accounts_	7,440,086,000	7,408,080,000	5,453,433,000
Ratio of total reserve to deposit and F. R. note liabilities combinedContingent liability on bills purchased for foreign correspondents	90.7%	91.1%	86.5% 491,000
Commitments to make industrial advances	2,222,000	2,232,000	3,957,000

 $<sup>\</sup>dagger$  "Other cash" does not include Federal Reserve notes or a bank's own Federal eserve bank notes.

#### Weekly Return of the New York City Clearing House

The weekly statement issued by the New York City Clearing House on Friday afternoon is given in full below:

STATEMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK CLEARING HOUSE ASSOCIATION AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS THURSDAY, JULY 6, 1939

Clearing House Members	* Capital	* Surplus and Undivided Profits	Net Demand Deposits, Average	Time Deposits, Average
Bank of New York	\$ 6,000,000	. \$ 13.782,500	\$ 172,126,000	\$ 10,926,000
Bank of Manhattan Co.	20,000,000			47.580,000
National City Bank	77,500,000		a1.758,266,000	166,686,000
Chem Bank & Trust Co.	20,000,000			5,321,000
Guaranty Trust Co	90,000,000		b1,751,966,000	54,145,000
Manufacturers Trust Co	42,277,000	45,129,400		97,973,000
Cent Hanover Bk&Tr Co	21,000,000			45,908,000
Corn Exch Bank Tr Co.	15,000,000	20,482,900		26,044,000
First National Bank	10,000,000	109,782,800		3,361,000
Irving Trust Co	50,000,000			5,881,000
Continental Bk & Tr Co.	4,000,000	4,359,800	54,808,000	1,123,000
Chase National Bank	100,270,000	131,089,400		47,593,000
Fifth Avenue Bank	500,000			4,035,000
Bankers Trust Co	25,000,000	80,095,400	e992,209,000	34,478,000
Title Guar & Trust Co	6,000,000	2,497,400		2,944,000
Marine Midland Tr Co	5,000,000	9,271,800		3,208,000
New York Trust Co	12,500,000	27,920,400		26,744,000
Comm'l Nat Bk & Tr Co	7,000,000			2,444,000
Public Nat Bk & Tr Co-	7,000,000	9,461,700	83,109,000	50,997,000
Totals	518,997,000	916,981,200	11,700,427,000	637,391,000

<sup>\*</sup> As per official reports: National, June 30, 1939; State, June 30, 1939; trust companies, June 30, 1939.

#### THE LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Quotations of representative stocks as received by cable each day of the past week:

	Sat.,	Mon.,	Tues.,	Wed.,	Thurs.,	Fri.,
	Tuly 1	July 3	July 4	July 5	July 6	July 7
Boots Pure Drugs		40 /-	40/3	40/3	40/6	40/6
British Amer Tobacco.		94/3	95/71/2	95/-	94/41/2	94/-
Cable & Wire ordinary_		£4834	£50	£59 5/8	£49 7/8	£50
Canadian Marconi		4/-		4/-	4/-	4/-
Central Min & Invest.		£14	£141/8	£141/8	£141/4	£141/4
Cons Goldfields of S A.		56/3	58/11/2	58/11/2	58/11/2	
Courtaulds 8 & Co		25/-	25/6	25/11/2	26/11/2	26/3
De Beers		£6116		£61/4		£61/4
Distillers Co		97/-		94/-	94/6	94/-
Electric & Musical Ind.		9/-		9/71/2	9/9	9/9
Ford Ltd		15/3	15/6	15/6	15/71/2	15/3
Gaumont Pictures ord.	HOLI-	2/6		2/9	2/6	2/6
A	DAY	1/-		1/-	1/-	1/-
Hudsons Bay Co		19/3	19/3	19/3	19/3	19/3
Imp Tob of G B & I		126/3	126/101/2	127/6	127/6	127/-
London Midland Ry		£123/4	£1334	£141/4	£141/4	£14
Metal Box		73 /-		69/-	69 /-	69/-
Rand Mines		£7 5/8	£734	£73/4	£73/4	£73/4
Rio Tinto		£11	£11¼	£113/8	£113/8	£113%
Roan Antelope Cop M.		14/3		14/9	14/9	15/3
Rolls Royce		101/3	101/101/2	102/6	103/9	103/3
Royal Dutch Co		£33 5/8	£33 ¾	£335/8	£341/4	£34
Shell Transport		£41/8	£4 1/8	£41/8	£41/8	£41/8
Swedish Match B		23/6	23/6	23/6	23/9	23/9
Unilever Ltd		35/6		35/3	35/-	35/-
United Molasses		23/3	23 /71/2	24/-	23 /9	23/9
Vickers		18/11/2	18/6	18/41/2	18/6	18/41/2
West Witwatersrand						
Areas		£411 <sub>16</sub>	£434	£43/4	£4 7/8	£4 7/8

#### 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 of carrying 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 JUNE 28, 1939 (In Millions of Dollars)

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF WEEKLY REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN 101 LEADING CITIES BY DISTRICTS ON JUNE 28, 1939 (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	\$ 21,951	\$ 1150	\$ 8,961	\$ 1.118	\$ 1.889	\$ 670	<b>\$</b> 599	\$ 3,150	\$ 688	\$ 371	\$ 648	\$ 514	\$ 2.191
Loans—total	8.089	1,152 574	3,097	411	662	242	308	863	309		263	255	945
Commercial, indus. and agricul. loans	3,833	259		186	237	103	178	492	184	80	157	167	303
Open market paper	303	63		24	- 6	10	3	30	• 3	3	17	2	16
Loans to brokers and dealers in securs	648	26		21	20	3	7	39	6	1	4	5	14
Other loans for purchasing or carrying		学品或100万		7.477	15 7 T. S.			4.14.000		A. 0. 17.14			40
securities	543	22		32	. 26		12		12	7	10 25	15 21	49 384
Real estate loans	1,161	80		53	170	36	30	103	50	8	25	21	904
Loans to banks	51	2	40	1	4		1	116	51	61	50	45	179
Other loans	1,550	122		94	199	75	77	192	01	01	30	28	
Treasury bills	431		172		15	172	33	421	49	34	76	48	
Treasury notes	2,112	53		40	221			911	152			81	
United States bonds	5,880 2,148	340 48		300 102	600 102	53	58	270	64			46	
Obligations fully guar. by U.S. Govt.	3,291	137		265			91	493	105			56	
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.	8,479	396		350								113	
Cash in vault	455	141		18	43		13		12	8	15	12	
Balances with domestic banks	2,756	151		201	288		180	498	150	121		248	
Other assets—net	1,241	78		103	103	34	48	81	23	19	22	29	244
LIABILITIES										177			
Demand deposits—adjusted	17,220			853	1,215	446	379	2,479			498	449	
Time deposits	5,237	251	1,003	280	740	200	183		190			137	
United States Government deposits	555	16	79	53	42	28	41	108	22	1 - 1	23	32	109
Inter-bank deposits:			1000	WALLEY SEL		0.47	244	977	297	130	379	208	287
Domestic banks	6,747	273		351	382	247	244	14	297	130	919	200	20
Foreign banks	600	26	523	13	2		1	14		1 132			20
Borrowings.	808	23	370			26		20			3		305
Other liabilities	3 715	244		16	17	97	94		93	55	101	8	340

x These are certificates given by the United States Treasury for the gold taken over from the Reserve panks when the dollar was, on Jan. 31, 1934, devalued from 100 cents to 59,06 cents, these certificates being worth less to the extent of the difference, the difference itself having been appropriated as profit by the ireasury under the provisions of the Gold Reserve Act of 1934.

Includes deposits in foreign branches as follows: a \$278,018,000; b \$96,335,000; c \$7,332,000; a \$97,988,000; c \$35,521,000.

### 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, July 6, 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 JULY 5, 1939

Three Ciphers (000) Omitted	July 5, 1939	June 28, 1939	June 21. 1939	June 14, 1939	June 7, 1939	May 31, 1939	May 24, 1939	May 17, 1939	May 10, 1939	Jult 6, 1938
ASSETS Gold ctis. on hand and due from U. S. Treas. x. Redemption fund (Federal Reserve notes) Other cash *	\$ 13,534,719 8,412 317,756	\$ 13,505,719 8,313 367,357	8.721	\$ 14,420,719 9,467 375,874	\$ 13,391,719 9,273 349,876	\$ 13,317,722 8,547 346,667	\$ 13,282,718 9,372 382,078	\$ 13,222,730 9,372 365,383	\$ 13,198,718 9,076 359,825	\$ 10,634,925 9,884 374,414
Total reserves	13,860,887	13,881,389	13,841,405	13,806,060	13,750,869	13,672,936	13,674,168	13,597,485	13,567,619	11,019,22
Bills discounted: Secured by U. S. Government obligations, direct or fully guaranteed Other bills discounted	940 3,698	1,575 3,795	1,081 3,712	1,447 1,690	1,808 1,659	2,084 1,974	2,207 1,848	1,668 1,946	2,114 1,958	4,704 3,254
Total bills discounted	4,638	5,370	4,793	3,137	3,467	4,058	4,055	3,614	4,072	7,958
Bills bought in open marketIndustrial advances	556 12,318	556 12,440		561 12,469	561 12,429	561 12,487	561 12,825	562 12,796	562 12,810	537 16,361
United States Government securities—Bonds	911,090 1,176,109 463,438	911,090 1,176,109 463,438	911,090 1,176,109 476,816	744,105 1,165,105 654,805						
Total U. S. Government securities	2,550,637	2,550,637	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015
Other securitiesForeign loans on gold										
Total bills and securities	2,568,149	2,569,003	2,581,741	2,580,182	2,580,472	2,581,121	2,581,456	2,580,987	2,581,459	2,588,871
Gold held abroad	167 20,218 590,799 42,356 47,377	167 18,886 583,822 42,405 46,718	167 20,577 641,188 42,427 45,723	162 21,684 762,610 42,452 61,182	161 19,612 579,855 42,453 56,990	161 19,494 551,229 42,464 54,138	161 19,807 593,886 42,523 53,092	161 19,450 683,343 42,552 52,171	161 18,991 549,526 42,549 51,619	183 20,252 585,567 44,577 44,837
Total assets	17,129,953	17,142,390	17,173,228	17,274,332	17,030,411	16,921,543	16,965,093	16,976,149	16,811,924	14,303,512
LIABILITIES Federal Reserve notes in actual circulation	4,543,177	4,449,306	4,429,306	4,437,703	4,476,310	4,476,764	4,446,379	4,463,349	4,459,364	4,174,869
Deposits—Member banks' reserve account United States Treasurer—General account Foreign banksOther deposits	10,151,053 820,208 297,265 380,299	10,115,744 962,094 351,095 326,133	10,099,163 941,004 354,298 359,797	10,100,929 927,989 351,029 363,444	10,052,643 934,964 309,600 320,4±1	10,029,054 920,325 284,806 301,130	10,096,622 915,385 281,541 276,227	10,005,034 926,636 272,959 269,917	9,966,905 959,289 250,495 270,220	8,073,675 770,193 134,865 227,997
Total deposits		11,755,066	11,754,262		11,617,648	11,535,315		11,474,546	11,446,909	9,206,730
Deferred availability items y Other liabilities, incl. accrued dividends	590,412 2,181	585,798 6,666	638,637 5,621	737,472 10,334	584,207 6,827	. 559,681 5,325	599,244 4,961	688,655 5,285	556,182 5,051	571,624 1,978
Total liabilities	16,784,595	16,796,836	16,827,826	16,928,900	16,684,992	16,577,085	16,620,359	16,631,835	16,467,506	13,955,201
Capital paid in Surplus (Section 7) Surplus (Section 13-b) Y Other capital accounts	135,053 149,152 27,264 33,889	135,037 149,152 27,264 34,101	135,011 149,152 27,264 33,975	134,969 149,152 27,264 34,047	134,953 149,152 27,264 34,050	134,945 149,152 27,264 33,097	134,948 149,152 27,264 33,370	135,003 149,152 27,264 32,895	134,982 149,152 27,264 33,020	133,667 147,739 27,683 39,222
Total liabilities and capital accounts Ratio of total reserves to deposits and Federal	17,129,953	17,142,390	17,173,228	17,274,332	17,030,411	16,921,543	16,965,093	16,976,149	16,811,924	14,303,512
Reserve note liabilities combined	85.6%	85.7%	85.5%	85.3%	85.4%	85.4%	85.4%	85.3%	85.3%	82.3%
foreign correspondents Commitments to make industrial advances	10,978	11,175	11,338	11,388	11,473	11,530	11,635	11,688	11,686	1,368 13,468
Maturity Distribution of Bills and	25 25 99				74.5					
Short-Term Securities— 1-15 days bills discounted 16-30 days bills discounted 31-60 days bills discounted 61-90 days bills discounted Over 90 days bills discounted	1,571 238 183 2,185 461	2,200 258 157 2,200 555	1,647 197 195 2,182 572	2,052 190 244 150 501	2,492 161 275 111 428	2,938 107 320 129 564	2,732 321 360 159 483	2,364 263 283 255 449	2,858 212 399 230 373	6,286 247 527 503 395
Total bills discounted	4,638	5,370	4,793	3,137	3,467	4,058	4,055	3,614	4,072	7,958
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	233 227 31 65	89 370 74 23	66 233 234 23	90 443 28	56 252 253	28 308 225	70 190 301	242 	207 47 23 285	107 216 83 131
Total bills bought in open market	556	556	556	561	561	561	561	562	562	537
1-15 days industrial advances	1,713 938 152 547 8,968	1,716 151 990 229 9,354	1,739 145 1,028 233 9,232	1,352 621 1,032 198 9,266	1,333 628 1,052 166 9,250	1,367 526 359 900 9,335	1,629 147 743 985 9,321	1,635 156 712 1,017 9,276	1,685 99 748 1,028 9,250	1,269 305 229 1,034 13,524
Total industrial advances	12,318	12,440	12,377	12,469	12,429	12,487	12,825	12,796	12,810	16,361
1-15 days U. S. Government securities	72,137 74,218 170,495 127,675 2,106,112	54,413 76,055 163,095 139,875 2,117,199	63,798 72,137 159,573 145,765 2,122,742	80,428 54,413 155,360 161,415 2,112,399	69,693 63,798 137,405 170,495 2,122,624	67,450 82,553 130,468 154,145 2,129,399	75,673 69,520 138,060 150,623 2,130,139	85,813 67,450 136,793 145,910 2,128,049	85,440 75,673 134,293 137,405 2,131,204	118,893 81,361 181,285 215,480 1,966,996
Total U. S. Government securities	2,550,637	2,550,637	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015	2,564,015
Total other securities			1 4		4/2022		~ <u></u>			
Federal Reserve Notes— Issued to Federal Reserve Bank by F. R. Agent Held by Federal Reserve Bank	4,805,166 261,989	4,742,375 293,069	4,733,260 303,954	4,727,517 289,814	4,750,019 273,709	4,738,919 262,155	4,746,943 300,564	4,750,545 287,196	4,750,139 290,775	4,458,193 283,324
In actual circulation	4,543,177	4,449,306	4,429,306	4,437,703	4,476,310	4,476,764	4,446,379	4,463,349	4,459,364	4,174,869
Collateral Held by Agent as Security for Notes Issued to Bank- Gold etts. on hand and due from U.S. Treas_ By eligible paper_ United States Government securities	4,898,500 2,430	4,867,500 3,173	4,865.500 2,701	4,865,500 3,064	4,869,500 3,367	4,872,500 3,838	4,872,500 3,941	4,872,500 3,491	4,872,500 3,846	4,543,632 6,986
Total collateral	4,900,930	4,870,673	4,868,201	4,868,564	4,872,867	4,876,338	4,876,441	4,875,991	4,876,346	4,550,618

<sup>&</sup>quot;Other cash" does not include Federal Reserve notes.

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\* 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 cents on Jan. 31, 1934, these certificates being worth less to the extent of the difference, the difference itself having been appropriated as profit by the Treasury under provisions of the Gold Reserve Act of 1934.

\* With the statement of Jan. 4, 1939 two new items appeared, "Other liabilities, including accrued dividends." and "Other capital accounts." The total of these two items corresponds exactly to the total of two items formerly in the statement but now excluded, viz.: "All other liabilities," and "Reserve for contingencies." The statement for July 6, 1938 has been revised on the new basis and is shown accordingly.

### 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 JULY 5, 1939

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	\$	\$	\$	S	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	S	\$
Gold certificates on hand and due from United States Treasury Redemption fund—Fed. Res. notes Other cash *	13,534,719 8,412 317,756	774,317 548 19,127		671,862 1,100 26,105	833,772 692 24,381	330,659 506 19,634	283,365 326 18,577	2,276,637 1,308 39,304	366,682 534 17,178	418	336,801 206 17,530	217,811 527 13,215	778,938 1,207 28,574
Total reserves Bills discounted: Secured by U. S. Goyt, obligations.	13,860,887	793,992	6,499,864	699,067	858,845		302,268	2,317,249	384,394	259,600		231,553	
Other bills discounted	940 3,698	104 37		125 221	33 240	195 347	20 101	272	178	63	24 333	67 282	30 563
Total bills discounted	4,638	141	1,403	346	273	542	121	272	178	63	357	349	593
Bills bought in open market	556 12,318	42 1,617		2,483	52 370	24 1,154	20 774	70 454	2 4	903	16 207	16 575	40 944
Bonds Treasury notes Treasury bills	911,090 1,176,109 463,438	66,826 86,263 33,992	347,285	77,376 99,883 39,358	91,288 117,843 46,435	50,404 65,065 25,639	38,373 49,536 19,519		41,513 53,588 21,116			34,465 44,489 17,531	
Total U. S. Govt. securities	2,550,637	187,081	753,161	216,617	255,566	141,108	107,428	275,298	116,217	71,743	124,738	96,485	205,195
Total bills and securities	167 20,218 590,799 42,356	188,881 12 188 54,856 2,917 2,945	8,942	219,502 17 1,200 41,473 4,636 4,224	256,261 15 1,668 66,496 5,943 5,300	142,828 7 1,733 54,374 2,583 3,129	108,343 6 1,823 21,780 2,055 1,984	3,908	116,401 2 1,705 25,947 2,268 1,886	72,711 2 1,467 15,915 1,510 1,392		97,425 5 634 22,306 1,233 1,730	206,772 12 1,886 24,996 3,191 3,881
Total assets				970,119	1,194,528	555,453		2,682,158	532,603		516,016	354,886	1,049,457
LIABILITIES F. R. notes in actual circulation Deposits:	4,543,177	388,995	1,141,992	318,440	418,830	1 (0.17)	149,387	999,789	179,939		STATE OF THE	77,717	366,520
Member bank reserve accountU.S. Treasurer—General account Foreign_bankOther_deposits	10,151,053 820,208 297,265 380,299	512,734 39,202 21,396 4,952	106,121	501,072 38,877 28,828 10,744	565,779 70,677 27,639 11,570	47,089 12,779	191,101 47,303 10,402 7,287	1,299,744 206,430 35,961 14,510	248,656 52,200 8,619 6,354	48,584 6,836	45,384	184,573 46,458 8,619 2,317	40,865 21,446
Total deposits	11,648,825	578,284	6,021,273	579,521	675,665	292,223	256,093	1,556,645	315,829	194,473	302,272	241,967	633,580
Deferred availability itemsOther liabilities, incl. accrued divs	590,412 2,181	52,391 250	156,747 862	39,686 241	67,342 164	52,448 12	20,067 94	90,916 168	26,287 37	14,422 84	31,449 194	24,115 51	24,542 24
Total liabilities	16,784,595	1,019,920	7,320,874	937,888	1,162,001	540,662	425,641	2,637,518	522,092	343,489	505,994	343,850	1,024,666
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS Capital paid in	135,053 149,152 27,264 33,889	9,403 10,083 2,874 1,511	50,852 52,463 7,457 8,440	12,058 13,696 4,416 2,061	13,663 14,323 1,007 3,534	5,079 4,983 3,293 1,436	4,529 5,630 713 1,746	22,666 1,429	3,987 4,685 545 1,294	1,001	4,265 3,613 1,142 1,002	4,030 3,892 1,266 1,848	9,965 2,121
Total liabilities and capital accounts Commitments to make indus. advs	17,129,953 10,978	1,043,791 563	7,440,086 2,222	970,119 1,553		555,453 990	438,259 140	2,682,158 63	532,603 436		516,016 635	354,886	1,049,457 2,850

<sup>\* &</sup>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 Fran.
Federal Reserve notes: Issued to F. R. Bank by F. R. Agent Held by Federal Reserve Bank	\$ 4,805,166 261,989	\$ 408,277 19,282	\$ 1,222,449 80,457	\$ 336,270 17,830			\$ 159,980 10,593	\$ 1,031,398 31,609				\$ 84,251 6,804	\$ 409,406 42,886
In actual circulationCollateral held by Agent as security for notes issued to banks: Gold certificates on hand and due from United States Treasury	4,543,177		1,141,992 1,240,000	318,440			149,387 169,000	999,789 1,035,000			182,000	86,500	
Eligible paper Total collateral	4,900,930	121	1,240,514	125 345,125	437.583		160,040	1,035,027	196,022	143,516	$-\frac{299}{182,299}$	86.791	434,447

## United States Treasury Bills—Friday, July 7

Rates quoted are for discount at purchase.

	Bid	Asked		Bid	Asked
July 12 1939	0.05%		Aug. 30 1939	0.05%	
July 19 1939i	0.05%		Sept. 6 1939	0.05%	
July 26 1939	0.05%		Sept. 13 1939	0.05%	
Aug. 2 1939	0.05%		Sept. 20 1939	0.05%	
Aug. 9 1939	0.05%		Sept. 27 1939	0.05%	
Aug. 16 1939	0.05%		Oct. 4 1939	0.05%	
Aug. 23 1939	0.05%				27 102 2 2 2

#### Quotations for United States Treasury Notes-Friday, July 7

Figures after decimal point represent one or more 32ds of a point.

Maturity	Int. Rate	Bid	Asked	Maturity	Int. Rate	Bid	Asked
Sept. 15 1939 Dec. 15 1939	136%	100.5 101.16		Dec. 15 1941 Mar. 15 1942	11/4 %	102.25 104.3	102.27
Mar. 15 1940 June 15 1940	1%%	101.24 101.24	101.26	Sept. 15 1942 Dec. 15 1942	2%	105.12 104.25	105.14 104.27
Dec. 15 1940 Mar. 15 1941	114%	102.6 102.15	102.8	June 15 1943 Dec. 15 1943	11/4 %	102.10 102.14	102.12
June 15 1941	13/8%	102.16		June 15 1944	134 %	100.21	100.23

### THE BERLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

Closing prices of representative stocks as received by cable

each day of the past week:	Tuly	July 3	4	July 5	6	July 7	
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Allgemeine Elektrizitaets-Gesellschaft (6%)	107	108		112	112	111	
Berliner Kraft u. Licht (8%)1		160		161	161	161	
Commerz-und Privat-Bank A. G. 6%1		105		105	105	105	
Deutsche Bank (6%)	111	111		111	111	111	
Deutsche Reichsban (German Rys. pf. 7%) _1	122	122		122	122	122	
	105	105		105	105	105	
Farbenindustrie I. G. (7%)1	142	144		145	145	144	
Reichsbank (8%)	185	x180		180	180	180	
Siemens & Halske (8%)1	184	185		188	188	187	
Vereinigte Stahlwerke (6%)	98	98		100	100	99	
x Ex-Dividend.							

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 235.

Stock and Bond Averages—See page 235.

### THE PARIS BOURSE

Quotations of representative stocks as received by cable each day of the past week:

	July 1 Francs	July 3 Francs	July 4 Francs	July 5 Francs	July 6 Francs	July 7 Francs
Bank of France		7.400	7.475	7.500	7.400	7,400
Banque de Paris et Des Pays Bas		1,082	1.095	1,104	1.093	
Banque de l'Union Parisienne		424	426	431	431	
Canadian Pacific		158		165	164	162
Canal de Suez cap		13,500	13,630	13,600	13,300	13,400
Cle Distr d'Electricite		739	747	755	755	
Cie Generale d'Electricite		1.460	1,490	1,510	1,520	1,530
Cie Generale Transatlantique B		38	41	44	43	43
Citroen B		504	508	518	522	
Comptoir Nationale d'Escompte		797	797	798	802	
Coty S A		230	237	230	240	240
Courriere		203	206	233	237	
Credit Commercial de France		506	512	518	515	
Credit Lyonnaise		1,550	1,553	1,600	1,580	1,580
Eaux des Lyonnaise cap		1,430		1,470	1,460	1,460
Energie Electrique du Nord		328	325	334	319	
Energie Electrique du Littoral		552	562	565	525	
Kuhlmann		605	612	623	621	
L'Air Liquide		1,080	1,098	1,110	1,110	1,100
Lyon (P L M)	HOLI-	885	885	885	865	
Nord Ry	DAY	878	878	886	863	
Orleans Ry 6%		415		414	415	420
Pathe Capital		47	46	44	44	
Pechiney		1,641	1,662	1,673	1,668	
Rentes Perpetual 3%		75.40	75.80	76.20	76.20	76.10
Rentes 4%, 1917		78.40		79.10	79.10	79.30
Rentes 4%, 1918		77.40	05.00	78.30	78.30	78.60
Rentes 41/2%, 1932, A	. 4	85.30	85.80	86.00	86.10	86.00
Rentes 4 1/2 %, 1932, B	30. 27.	83.30	100.00	84.25	84.25	84.20
Rentes, 5%, 1920		108.10	108.60	108.40	109.30	109.30
Royal Dutch		5,910	1 000	6,040	6,060	6,050
Saint Gobain C & C		1,940	1,975	1,990	1,995	
Schneider & Cle		1,320	1,350	1,369	1,369	81
Societe Franciase Ford		79		80	82	
Societe Generale Fonciere		64	65	1 472	65	
Societe Lyonnaise		1,435	1,464 629	1,473 629	1,460 629	
Societe Marsellles		625				
Tubize Artificial Silk preferred		78	79 562	80 565	81 542	
Union d'Electricite		550	61	64	63	
Wagon-Lits		60	. 01	04	00	

# Stock and Bond Sales—New York Stock Exchange DAILY, WEEKLY AND YEARLY

Occupying Altogether Sixteen Pages—Page One and deferred delivery sales are disregarded in the day's range, unless they are the only transactions of the day. No ch 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.

Daily Record of U. S. Bond Prices	July 1	July 3	July 4	July 5	July 6	July 7
Treasury (High				121.7		121.12
4148, 1947-52 Low-			0 75 3	121.7		121.12
Close Total sales in \$1,000 units				121.7		121.12 1
				1100		115.00
4s, 1944-54High Low_			A 1 1	116.2 115.28	116 116	115.28 115.28
48, 1944-54Close		2222	F 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	116.2	116	115.28
Total sales in \$1,000 units			100	4	5	1
(High			110			
3¾s, 1946-56 Low- Close			21			
Total sales in \$1,000 units			100			
(High	103.14	103.10		103.13	102 12	103.15
3%s, 1940-43Low_	103.14	103.10		103.13	103.13 $103.13$	103.15
Close	103.14	103.10	1	103.13	103.13	103.15
Total sales in \$1,000 units (High	3	6		3	105.19	.5
3%s, 1941-43Low_					105.19	
Close					105.19	
Total sales in \$1,000 units (High				110.14		
3%s, 1943-47 Low_			- 45	110.14		
Total sales in \$1,000 units				110.14		
(High			100	106.15		106.15
31/4s, 1941Low_Close			4 17%	106.15 106.15		106.15 106.15
Total sales in \$1,000 units			HOLI-	1		1
(High	110.11	110.8	DAY			110.12
3½s, 1943-45Low_Close	110.11 110.11	110.8 110.8		7777	2777	$110.10 \\ 110.12$
Total sales in \$1,000 units	1	2		110.00		4
3½s, 1944-46{Low_		110.25 $110.25$	3000	$110.30 \\ 110.24$	$\frac{110.29}{110.27}$	110.29 $110.29$
Close		110.25		110.30	110.29	110.29
Total sales in \$1,000 units (High		111.21		111.22	111.24	1
31/88, 1946-49Low_		111.21		111.21	111.22	
Total sales in \$1,000 units		111.21 26		111.22	111.22	
(High)		112.18		112.22		
31/88, 1949-52Low_		112.18	7	112.22		
Total sales in \$1,000 units		112.18	1	112.22 5		,
(High			10	111.3		
3s, 1946-48Low_Close			1	111.1 111.3		
Total sales in \$1,000 units,			2 . Na l	4	1	
3s, 1951-55{Low_		110.29 $110.29$		$111.5 \\ 110.31$	111.15 111.15	111.25 111.25
Close		110.29		111.5	111.15	111.25
Total sales in \$1,000 units (High	100 01	108.20	14 ( a d	109	30 109.14	109.13
27/s, 1955-60 Low_	$\frac{108.21}{108.21}$	108.20		108.22	109.8	109.11
Total sales in \$1,000 units	108.21	108.20		109	109.12	109.13
(High	109.10	109.10	Visite 21	109.14	105	109.13
234s, 1945-47{Low_	109.10	109.8		109.14		109.13
Total sales in \$1,000 units	109.10	109.10 26		109.14		109.13
(High		108.30	5 1,12	108.31	2222	14.1
2%s, 1948-51Low_ Close		$\frac{108.30}{108.30}$		108.31 108.31		
Total sales in \$1,000 units	2202	1	1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -	5	0222	
23/4s, 1951-54		$107.26 \\ 107.26$		108.3 108	$\frac{108.12}{108.12}$	
Close		107.26		108.3	108.12	
Total sales in \$1,000 units	107.15	*1		30	1	
2%s, 1956-59 [High Low]	107.10 107.8	107.6 107.6		107.17 $107.17$	108 108	
Close	107.10	107.6		107.17	108	1111
Total sales in \$1,000 units	5!	21	Frank III	61	11	

oally Record of U. S. Bond Pre	ices Ju	ly 1	July 3	July 4	July 5	July 6	July 7
					107.5		
	w_		1000	- di	107.5		S 200
2748, 1930-03	ose .				107.5	d Amil	100
Total sales in \$1,000 units.				- 4	6		
Total sales in \$1,000 unus	mb 10	6.28		1	106.31	107.18	107.1
		6.28			106.31	107.14	107.1
		6.28			106.31	107.16	107.1
		10			100.01	6	
Total sales in \$1,000 units					V 100 0 5	7.5	108.2
(Hi							108.2
2½8, 1945Lo							108.2
[CI				4			100.2
Total sales in \$1,000 units.				1	108.12	108.19	
(Hi					108.12	108.19	
2½s, 1948{Lo	W_			- 1		108.19	
	ose .				108.12	108.19	
Total sales in \$1,000 units.		-==	100		106.1	106.18	
(Hi	gh 10.	5.31	106				
2½8, 1949-53[Lo		5.31	105.28		105.28	106.18	
Cle		5.31	105.28	- 1	106.1	106.18	
Total sales in \$1,000 units.		5	3	- 1	100 4	100 001	100.0
(Hi			105.28		106.5	106.20	106.2
2½8, 1950-52 Lo			105.28		105.30	106.17	106.2
Cl	ose .		105.28	1	106.5	106.20	106.2
Total sales in \$1,000 units.			1	- 1	9	2	
(Hi	gh -			- 1	105.10		
2s, 1947Lo	w.			- 1	105.10		
Cle	ose -			- 1	105.10		
Total sales in \$1,000 units.			!	- 1	5		
					7 t e *		
ederal Farm Mortgage (Hi	gh .					1	
31/4s, 1944-64{Lo	W			HOLI-			
Cle	osel -	1		DAY			
Total sales in \$1,000 units.		1					
(Hi	gh -				108.26		108.3
08, 1944-49	W-1 -			1	108.26		108.3
Cle	ose -			- 1	108.26		108.3
Total sales in \$1,000 units				- 1	1		40
(Hi	gh .		106				
3s, 1942-47{Lo	w.		106				
	ose -		106				
			3				
(Hi	gh		4 2000	· 1			
Total sales in \$1,000 units  23/4s, 1942-47 Lo	w					550	
Cle	nge			- 1			
Total sales in \$1,000 units.				- 1			
				- 1			
ome Owners' Loan (Hi	gh		108.21		108.26	108.31	108.2
3s, series A, 1944-52 Lo	w	4	108.20	. 1	108.26	108.28	108.2
Cle	oge		108.20		108.26	108.28	108.2
Total sales in \$1,000 units.	000		7		100	12	*
(Hi	gh		100.2				100.3
2%s, series B, 1939-49 Lo			100.2				100.3
	ose		100.2				100.3
Total sales in \$1,000 units			*2	300			
(Hi			104.24			-5555	105.1
21/s, 1942-44 Lo	w -		104.24				105.1
Clo			104.24	- 1			105.1
			104.24				100,1
Total sales in \$1,000 units			1		101.30	102.3	102.4
1½s, 1945-47{Lo						100 0 1	102.4
1½s, 1945-47{Lo					$101.22 \\ 101.30$	102.3	102.4
Total sales in \$1,000 units	ose .			1	118	102.0	102.1

Odd lot sales. † Deferred delivery sale. ‡ Cash sale.

-The above table includes only sales of coupon Transactions in registered bonds were: bonds.

Treasury 31/4s, 1943-1945\_\_\_\_\_

United States Treasury Bills—See previous page. United States Treasury Notes, &c.—See previous page.

## **New York Stock Record**

LOW AND HIGH SALE PRICES—PER SHARE, NOT PER CENT Saturday   Monday   Twesday   Wednesday   Thursday   Eriday			Sales for	for NEW YORK STOCK	Range Since Jan. 1 On Basis of 100-Share Lots		Range for Previous Year 1938				
July 1	Monday July 3	Tuesday July 4	Wednesday July 5	July 6	Friday July 7	Week Week	EXCHANGE	Lowest Highest		Lowest	Highest
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¶ Called for redemption

\* Bid and asked prices: no sales on this day.

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323<sub>4</sub>
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		ICES—PER SHARE,		Sales for	STOCKS NEW YORK STOCK	Range Since On Basis of 100-		Range for Year 1		
July 1	July 3 Tues July 3 July		hursday Friday July 6 July 7	the Week	EXCHANGE	Lowest	Highest	Lowest	Highest	
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## Bond Record—New York Stock Exchange

### 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, 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.

	*	Friday	Week's					Friday	ı Week'	V.		
BONDS N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended July 7	Interes	Last Sale	Range of Friday's Bid & Asked	Bonds	Range Since Jan. 1	BONDS N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended July 7	Interest	Last Sale Price	Range Friday Bid & A	or   spu	Range Since Jan, 1	
U. S. Government			Low High	No.	Low High	Foreign Govt. & Mun. (Con.)			Low	High No.	Low H	<b>It</b> gh
Treasury 4 1/8 1947-1952 Treasury 4 8 1944-1954 Treasury 3 4/8 1946-1956		115 98	115 00 110 0	2 10	118.26 122.13 114.17 116.19 113.10 116.5	Chile Mtge Bank (Concluded)  •Guar sink fund 6s1961  •6s assented1961	A O	11 5/8	11 8	115% 6	11 1	614
Treasury 3½8	M B	103.15	103.10 103.15 n.05.19 nl05.19	1	103.10 105.8 105.16 106.27	•Guar sink fund 6s1962 •6s assented1962	MN		11 *7½	8 11 1 1 8 ½	11 1 7 1	4¾ 6¼ 4¼
Treasury 3½5 1940-1943 Treasury 3½5 1941-1943 Treasury 3½5 1943-1947 Treasury 3½5 1943-1945 Treasury 3½5 1944-1946 Treasury 3½5 1944-1946	FA	106.15 $110.12$	110.14 110.14 106.15 106.15 110.8 110.12	1 2 7	106.15 107 12 109.22 111.9	Chilean Cons Munic 7s1960     Chinese (Hukuang Ry) 5s1951     Cologne (City) Germany 6 \( \frac{1}{2} \)s_1950	1 D			9¼ 1 17 19	12 2	4 1/6 0 9 1/2
Treasury 3 1/48	JD	110.29	110.24 110.30 111.21 111.24 112.18 112.22	32 6	109.22 111.27 109.11 112.21 109.2 114.5	Colombia (Republic of)—  *6s of 1928Oct 1961  *6s extl sf gold of 1927_Jan 1961	2000			25 3/8 45 25 3/4 26	19% 2 19% 2	8
Treasury 3s	M S M S	111.25 109.13	111.1 111.21 110.29 111.25 108.20 109.14	4 44 142	108.19 111.31 107.4 112.26 104.12 110.9	Colombia Mtge Bank 6 1/8 1947     Sinking fund 7s of 1926 1946     Sinking fund 7s of 1927 1947	A O M N		*261/8 -	27	25 2	6 5% 7 3%
Treasury 2 4 8	M S M S J D	109.13	109.8 109.14 108.30 108.31 107.26 108.12	35 6 32	107 110.6 105.19109.31	Copenhagen (City) 5s1952 25 year gold 4 1/4s1953 §*Cordoba (City) 7s unstamped 1957	MN	81 1/2	81 5/8 80	83¾ 14 81½ 8 63 1	7614 9	6%
Treasury 2 % s	M S J D J D	107.18	107.6 108 107.5 107.5 106.28 107.18	14 6 22	104 109.21 103.4 109 102.20 108.23 102.20 108.16	\$*7s stamped1957 Cordoba (Prov) Argentina 7s_1942	FA		55	55¼ 2 74½ 3	40 5	5¾ 0¾
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Treasury 2 ½8	M S J D	106.21	105.28 106.21 105.10 105.10	14 5	102.16 107.22 102 106.3	External 5s of 1914 ser A1949 External loan 4 1/18 ser C1949 4 1/18 external debt1977 Sinking fund 5 1/18Jan 15 1953	FA		252	02 1/8 1 53 % 11	99 10 52 6	216
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38 series AMay 1 1944-1952 ¶2¼s series BAug 1 1939-1949 2¼s series G1942-1944 1½s series M1945-1947	FA	100.3 105.1	e100.3 100.3 104.24 105.1	9 2	106.26 109.17 100.6 102.22 104.1 105.18	External gold 5 1/8	A O M B	901/4	80¾ *90⅓	90 ¼ 13 83 ¾ 26 92 ⅙	65 7	736
	3 D	102.4	101.22 102.4	121	101.22 102.12	1st ser 5 1/2s of 19261940 2d series sink fund 5 1/2s1940 Customs Admins 5 1/2s 2d ser_1961	M S		*69 - 70½ -	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	65 7 66 7	15%
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Bulgaria (Kingdom of) —  *Secured s f 7s1967  *Stabilisation loan 7 1/4s1968	4 24 6	A. 18	*17 20 19 19	2	131/2 29	*Leipzig (Germany) s f 7s1947 *Lower Austria (Province) 7 1/8 1950	F A	28 		2234	16 16 2 21 1/4 2	3
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5s 1952 10-year 21/5 Aug 15 1945 25-year 31/5 1961 7-year 23/5 1944	1 1	104¼ 104¾	1041/4 1041/4	10 25 1	101 1/2 104 7/4	*4½ s stmp assented1943 *Mexico (US) extl 5s of 1899 £_1945 *Assenting 5s of 1890	M N Q J		*1½ - *1½ - *1½ - *5%	134	1 1/2	13% 13%
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•6s Oct coupon on1960 •Chile (Rep)—Extl s f 7s1942	MN		*18 29 *12½ *8½		21 27 1/4 18 23 1/4 12 18 1/8 8 1/4 16	*Assenting 4s of 1910 small \$*Treas 6s of '13 assent (large) '33 \$*Small	1 1		*11/8	78 17 138	11/8 11/4	1 1/8 1 1/8 1 1/6
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N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended July 7	Friday Last R Sale F Price Bid	Week's Range of Proday's & Asked	Range Since Jan. 1	BONDS N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended July 7	Friday Last Sale Price	Range or Friday's Bid & Asked	Range Since Jan. 1
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BONDS N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended July 7	Friday Last Sale Price	Range or Friday's	Bonds	Range Since Jan. 1	BONDS N. Y STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended July 7	Friday Last Sale Price	D	Bonds	Range Since Jan. 1
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Jnion Electric (Mo) 3¾s1962 §*Union Elev Ry (Chic) 5s1945 Jnion Oil of Calif 68 series A 1942 I	A O	106¾	106 *10¼ 114½	1071/8 11 1141/2	36	106 110 914 13 11414 11614 10614 10914
3½s debentures 1952 Julon Pac RR 1st & 1d gr 4s 1947 1st lien & ref 4s June 2008 1st lien & ref 5s June 2008	M B	114	108 1135/8 1073/4 1117/8	1081/8 1143/8 1083/4 1113/8	12 72 19 1	108% 109% 111% 115 104% 110% 110 116%
34-year 31/48 deb1970 A 35-year 31/48 debenture1971 No. 1050 A	MN	741/8	98½ 98½ 108½	98½ 98¾ 108½	1 17 1	94 100 1 93 100 1 107 109 1
### District Cligar-Whelan Sts 58	N S N S	781/2	73 1/8 78 *109 1/2 29 1/2	74 1/8 78 3/4 110 29 5/8	8 32 	70 833 69 81 109 1103 241 303
#Sec   Corp 3 % 8 de   1948   1948   1951   1951   1952   1953   1954   1954   1954   1954   1954   1954   1954   1954   1954   1955	1000	106	105½ 36¼ *38	106 36¼ 38½ 38	47 1	104 106 36 50 37 50 35 4 50 4
Inited Stockyards 4 1/8 w w 1951 A tah Lt & Trac 1st & ref 5s 1944 A tah Power & Light 1st 5s 1944 B \$*Util Pow & Light 5 1/2 1947 J \$*Debenture 5s 1959 F	. 0	99¾ 100¾ 72	100½ 70%	88 100¾ 72⅓	1 62 54 16	83½ 90 93 100½ 93¼ 101 66 72½
anadium Corp of Am conv 5s_1941 A andalia cons g 4s series A1955 F Cons s f 4s series B1957 M	OA	72 100	70 5% 100 *108 ½ *108 5%	72 % 100 % 109 ½	21 12	96 103½ 106¾ 108½ 106¾ 109½
era Cruz & Pacific RR— \$*43/s July coupon off1934 J \$*43/s assented1934 J a Elec & Pow 33/s ser B1968 J a Iron Coal & Coke lat g51949 h a & Southwest 1st gu 5s2033				1001/		100 % 109 % 107 % 111
a Iron Coal & Coke 1st g 5 1949 h	1 8	1091/2	109 *30 *50	109 1/2	80 '	107% 111 27% 35 72 72

BONDS N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE Week Ended July 7	Interes	Friday Last Sale Price	We Ran Frid Bid &	ay's	Bonds	Since Jan. 1	
Virginian Ry 3½s series A	M A J J J O S S A O O D O O O S S A M A A D D O	37½ 15%	Low 108 34 15 % * *48 *11 *11 1 *11 1 *41 1 *43 *6 % *6 *104 % 60 *58 1 *40 *30 *30 *30 *30 *30 *30 *30 *30 *30 *3	#19h 108 1/4 37 1/4 16 16 14 18 14 18 16 1/4 6 1/4 6 1/4 10 16 6 16 6 16 6 16 6 16 6 16 6 16 6	No. 211 5 2	Low H49/ 1053/ 1093/ 1053/ 1094/ 15 283/ 243/ 284 48 52 4123/ 173/ 403/ 43 5 123/ 6 13 1043/ 1073/ 56 663/ 73 806 88 91 35 47 40 40 67 109 107 1093/ 128/ 128/ 1053/ 128 1053/ 128	
Western Maryland 1st 4s 1952  1st & ref 5½s series A 1977  West N Y & Pa gen gold 4s 1943  *5s assented  Western Union Teleg 2 4½s 1951  25-year gold 5s 1951  30-year 5s 1960  Westphalia Un El Power 5s 1951  30-year 5s 2361  Registered 2361  Wheeling & L E Ry 4s ser D 1966  RR 1st consol 4s 1949  Wheeling Steel 4½s series A 1964  **Wilkes Barre & East gu 5s 1942  Wilking Barre & East gu 5s 1942  Wilson & Co 1st M 4s series A 1955  Cony deb 3½s 1942	J AJAMMMJMJJJSSARDJC	107% 83 1/8 15 1/2 59 3/4 63 3/4 63 3/4 47 94	*110 % 107 ½ 82 ¼ 89 % 107 15 *14 % 63 62 ½ 21 *7 13 ½ 93 % *103 ½ 91 % 94	83 1/4 89 1/4 107 15 1/2 18 59 3/4 63 3/6 63 3/6 21 47 46 	25 3 11 9 8 5 46 16 3 16	1103/4 1123/4 1105/6 11073/4 1123/4 1073/4 1073/4 1073/4 1073/4 133/4 233/4 133/4 233/4 133/4 233/4 133/4 233/4 133/4 233/4 133/4 233/4 10	
Winston-Salem S B 1st 44 1940  1 Winston-Salem S B 1st 44 1940  2 Wils Cent 50-yr 1st gen 4s 1949	MN	108¾ 	94 114 8 *7 *4¾ *107¾ 108¾ *9	94½ 114 8½ 11 5½ 108¾ 108¾ 108¼ 106½	7 2 5 5 13 1 1 57 27	88½ 97½ 110 114 7 111¼ 6½ 9½ 4½ 7 4½ 5½ 106½ 110¼ 5 9¾ 100 110 103½ 107½	

e Odd-lot sales transacted during the current week and not included in the yearly range:

Home Owners 2¾s 1949, July 3 at 100.2.

\*\*Cash sale; only transaction during current week. \*\*a Deferred delivery sale; only transaction during current week. \*\*n Odd lot sale, not included in year's range.

\*\*a Ex-interest. \*\*s Negotiability impaired by maturity. \*\*† The price represented is the dolfar quotation per 200-pound unit of bonds. Accrued interest payable at exchange rate of \$4.8484.

\*\*§ The following is a list of the New York Stock Exchange bond issues which have been called in their entirety:

Commercial Credit 2¾s 1942, July 6 at 101.

General Motors Accept. 38 1946, Aug. 1 at 100.

Goodrich (B F) 68 1945, Aug. 2 at 103.

Home Owners' 2¾s 1949, Aug. 1 at 100.

Nord Rys 6½s 1950. Oot 1 at 102.

Parls Orleans 5½s 1968, Sept. 1 at 100.

Socony-Vacuum Oll 3½s 1950. July 21 at 102½

Wheeling & Lake Erie 4s 1966, Sept. 1 at 105.

‡ Companies reported as being in bankruptoy, receivership, or reorganized under Section 77 of the Bankruptoy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.

\* Friday's bid and asked price. No sales transacted during current week.

\* Bonds selling flat.

\* Deferred delivery seles transacted during the current week and not included in the yearly range:

Cuba 4½s 1977. July 6 at 51½.

ne yearly range: Cuba 4½s 1977, July 6 at 51½.

## Transactions at the New York Stock Exchange, Daily, Weekly and Yearly

Week Ended July 7 1939	Stocks, Number of Shares	Ratiroad & Miscell. Bonds	State, Municipal & For'n Bonds	United States Bonds	Total Bond Sales
Saturday Monday	185,400 234,140	\$1,155,000 1,954,000	482,000	\$41,000 95,000	\$1,493,000 2,531,000
Tuesday Wednesday Thursday	351,900 413,700	3,122,000 4,033,000		339,000 182,000	4,108,000 5,077,000
Friday	328,070	3,834,000		64,000	4,636,000
Total	1.514.210	\$14,098,000	\$3,026,000	\$721,000	\$17,845,000

Sales at	Week End	ed July 7	Jan. 1 to July 7				
New York Stocd Exchange	1939	1938	1939	1938			
Stocks-No. of shares _	1,514,210	9,326,840	110,278,295	128,516,943			
Government	\$721,000	\$1,779,000	\$46,732,000	\$79,803,000			
State and foreign	3,026,000	4,272,000	131,481,000	127,018,000			
Railroad and industrial	14,098,000	33,470,000	676,227,000	709,061,000			
Total	\$17,845,000	\$39,521,000	\$854,440,000	\$915,882,000			

#### Stock and Bond Averages

Below are the daily closing averages of representative stocks and bonds listed on the New York Stock Exchange as compiled by Dow, Jones & Co.:

		Sto	cks		Bonds (						
Date	30 Indus trials	20 Rail- roads	15 Utili- ties	Total 65 Stocks	10 Indus- trials	10 First Grade Rails	10 Second Grade Rails	10 Utili- ties	Total 40 Bonds		
July 7	133.22	26.75	23.61	44.63	107.85	92.45	47.09	108.51	88.98		
July 6	133.58	26.70	23.60	44.69	107.59	92.44	46.88	108.40	88.83		
July 5	133.68	26.67	23.50	44.68	107.44	92.19	46.40	.108.51	88.64		
July 4	7 0 1	HOLI	DAY		HOLI	DAY		HOLI			
July 3	131.93	26.17	23.18	44.05	107.54	92.02	46.05	108.37	88.50		
July 1	131.73	25.93	23.09		107.24			108.45			

New York Curb Exchange—Weekly and Yearly Record

NOTICE—Cash and deterred 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 (July 1, 1939) and ending the present Friday (July 7, 1939). 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.

STOCKS Par	Last Sale Price	Week's	1CP3	Sales for Week Shares	Range S				STOCKS (Continued) Par	Friday Last Sale Price	Week's Ran of Prices Low Hi	Week	Range Since .	High
Acme Wire Co common 10 Aero Supply Mfg— New class B	Last   Sate   Price	### Week's for Pr Low 14 1/8 14 1/8 14 1/8 15 1/8 15 1/8 15 1/8 15 1/8 16 1/8 17 17 19 1/8 11 1/8 17 17 19 1/8 17 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18	14% H40h 14% 64 64 7 14 66 64 7 14 66 67 7 14 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66	for	Low  14 %  18 %  18 %  18 %  14 %  16 %  14 %  16 %  17 %  17 %  10 %  1	July Feb June Apr June June Apr June June Apr June Apr June June Apr Apr June Apr Apr June Apr	### ### ### ### ### ### ### ### ### ##	May Jan	Berkey & Gay Furniture.1 Purchase warrants Bickfords Inc com	Last   Sale   Price	of Prices Low H  14% 15  14% 15  18		Low	### ### ### ### ### ### ### ### ### ##
Atlastic Rayon Corp. 1 Atlas Corp warrants. Atlas Drop Forge com	13½ 13½ 2½ 45% 18¾ 5½ 18¾ 5½ 18¾	13 214 214 214 41 1834 1834 194 194 194 514 514 514 514 514 514 514 51	13 1/4 1/4 2 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4	900 200 3,100 600	344 546 236 1218 1566 2376 1442 256 3544 456 2745 1445 1554 518 303 314 1546	Feb Apr June June Jan Apr Apr Apr May June June Mar Apr	41/4 1 3 25 1/4 3/6 3 8 8/4 4 8/4 16 1/4 15 1 1/4 4	Jan Jan June Jan Jan Jan Apr Jan Feb Jan May Jan Mar Feb Jan Mar Feb Jan Mar Feb Jan Mar Jan Jan Feb Jan	Conv preferred. 100 Conv pref or test 29,100 Centrifugal Pipe. 29,100 Centrifugal Pipe. 100 Chamberlin Metal Weather Strip Co. 100 Cherry-Burrell common. 5 Chesebrough Mfg. 25 Chicago Flexible Shaft Co 5	7 70 45¼ 56¾ 5½ 69½	4 1/4 4 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	34 1000 300 2000 34 1,1000 34 1,1000 34 1,1000 34 1,100 34 3,1000 31 100 31 120 31 120	2¾ Apr 3¾ May 4 Apr 5¾ July 212 Apr 62 Jan 110 Apr 62 Jan 5¼ Apr 5¼ July 43¼ Mar 43¼ Mar 55¼ July 43¼ Jan 44¼ Jan 16 Jan 10 Ja	4 1 Ja. 4 1 Ja. 7 1 Ja. 7 Jul. 15 Ja. 130 Ja. 79 Fe. 8 Ja.

Seminary Northern Corp.    1	Volume 149		Ne		ork Curl	Excha	nge—Continued—		2			237
Seminary Northern Corp.    1	(Continued)	Last Sale	of Prices	for Week			(Continued)	Last Sale	of Prices	for Week		
Section   Sect	Columbia Oil & Gas1 Columbia Pictures Corp_* Commonwealth & Southern					14 Jan	Fisk Rubber Corp10	91/4	9 91/2	1,100	6% Apr	1214 Mar
We seek the content of the content	Community P & L \$6 pref *	2516	253/8 30		11 <sub>16</sub> May 253% July	1 Feb 3614 Mar	Ford Hotels Co Inc*			250	50¼ Apr 8¼ Apr	73 Feb
State   Company   Compan				500	616 June	¾ Jan	Am deprets ord reg£1 Ford Motor of Can cl A*	31/2	$\begin{array}{ccc} 3\frac{1}{2} & 3\frac{1}{2} \\ 19 & 19\frac{1}{2} \\ 20 & 20 \end{array}$	900	16% Apr	
Seed Mine J. 2009.  Seed M	Conn Gas & Coke Secur*  \$3 preferred		151/2 151/2		37 Jan	37 Jan	Amer dep rets100 fres Fox (Peter) Brew Co					2 Мау
Seed Mine J. 2009.  Seed M	Consol Copper Mines5 Consol G E L P Bait com * 4½% series B pref100	5¾ 119¼	51% 51% 771% 78 11914 120	4,400 200	4% Apr 71 Jan	81% Jan 80% Mar	Common 1 Conv partic pref 15 Fruehauf Trailer Co 1	81/4	814 814	100	17 Jan	18% Apr
Commons	Clampal Sets & Court Yes P		0000		37 1/4 June 23/4 Apr	60 Jan 6 Jan	Fuller (Geo A) Co com1 \$3 conv stock				15½ Jan 17½ Jan	26 Mai 29 Apr
Commons	8% preferred 100 Consol Royalty Oil 10 Consol Steel Corp com **		1½ 1½ 4 4	300 100	13% Jan 3 . Apr	1% Feb 6% Jan	Gamewell Co \$6 c v pref_* Gatineau Power Co com_* 5% preferred100				12% Jan 86% Apr	83 May 16 May 89¼ May
Commons	Continental Oil of Mex_1 Cont Roll & Steel Fdy* Cook Paint & Varnish*				1/2 Mar 5 Apr	916 Mar 916 Jan	Gen Electric Co Ltd— Amer dep rets ord reg_£1 Gen Fireproofing com		% %	400	1614 Jan	19 Ma
Commons	\$4 preferred ** Cooper Bessemer com ** \$3 prior preference **		5 51/4	500	52 1/2 Jan 4 1/2 Apr 15 1/2 Jan	55½ Jan 9 Jan 20 Mar	Gen Gas & El 6% pref B* General Investment com. 1 \$6 preferred*		62 62	20	42 1/4 Jan 1/4 Jan 52 1/4 Jan	
Seeden Persolaum comm.    15	Cornucopia Gold Mines 5c	135%	13 5/8 13 5/8 1 1/2 1 1/2		1014 Apr	141/2 Feb	Warrants Gen Outdoor Adv 6% pf100 Gen Pub Serv \$6 pref*		36 36		66 Jan 33% Apr	75 May 52 Ma
Seed Petrologian	Common 1	11/4	11/4 13/4	1.300	74 Feb	90 Mar	General Shareholders Corp- Common 1		7014 7014	10	11/8 Apr	254 Fe
Sign perfered	5% conv preferred 56 Courtaulds Ltd £1 Creole Petroleum 5	18	18 181/2	400	4 Apr 4% Apr 16% June	10 June 6% Mar 23% Jan	General Tire & Rubber-	Park and	The second	100 160	46½ Apr 95¼ Jan	52½ Jan 102 Jun
Sign perfered	Crown Cent Petrol Code	41/2	414 41/2	600 200	2 Apr 2 Mar	91/4 Jan 1/4 Mar 3 Jan	\$3 preferred \$ E com 1 \$3 preferred \$ pref. \$	35¼ 93½	6 6 35¼ 35¼ 93 93½	50 150	4 Apr 31 Jan 7914 Jan	6½ Jan 87¾ Jun 96 Ma
Sign perfered	Crown Cork Internat A.*  Crown Drug Co com25e  Preferred		9½ 9½ % %	100 1,700	91/8 Apr 7/8 Apr	10% Mar 1% Feb	Gilbert (A C) common  Preferred Gilchrist Co		3¾ 3¾ 29 29	100	35% Apr 28 Feb	7 Ja 37 Fe
9.48 perferred	Crystal Oil Ref com* 6% preferred10 Cuban Tobacco com y t c.*		25/4 23/4		<sup>5</sup> 16 Apr 7 Feb	10 Jan	Glen Alden Coal	41/8	41/8 41/8 23 23 71/4 71/4	50	3% Apr 21% Apr	5¾ Ma 33 Fe
Select Store	uneo Press Inc* 61/2 preferred100 Curtis Mfg Co (Mo)5		471/8 49	600	46% Jan 108 Jan 6 Apr	110 Apr 7½ Feb	Goldfield Congol Mines 1	De la Contraction de la Contra	1/ 1/	10 300 200	91 June 1 <sub>16</sub> Mar 1½ July	98¼ Fe 11 Fe 2¾ Ja
Select Store	Davenport Hosiery Mills.* Dayton Rubber Mfg new 1 Class A	14	13% 14	300	14½ Jan 9 Apr	1814 Mar 1714 Mar	Grand Rapids variable			500	20 July 5 Apr	18 Ja 231/4 Jun
New Park Truit com.	Decca Records com 1 Dejay Stores 1 Derby Oil & Ref Corp com*		25/2 25/2		5 Apr 414 Feb	7 Jan 6¼ Feb	Non-vot com stock*	112	106 1131/2	325	6914 Jan	119 <b>J</b> ur
New-Parts Truck com.	A conv preferred ** Petroit Gasket & Mig 1 6% pref w w 20		9 9	100	35½ June 7 Apr 13¾ Jan	36 Apr 9 Mar 151 Mar	Gt Northern Paper25 Greenfield Tap & Die* Grocery Sts Proc com25c		3614 3614	100	33 Apr 434 June	39 Fe
New Park Truit com.	Detroit Gray Iron Fdy 11 Det Mich Stove Co com 11 Detroit Paper Prod 11		1% 1%	200	1 June 1½ May 1½ Apr	1% Jau 2% Jan 2% Jan	Grumman Aircraft Engr.1 Guardian Investors	15 31¾	15 15¾ 31¼ 32	2,100		22 1/8 Ja 1/4 Fe 40 Ja
New Park Truit com.	Petroit Steel Products*  Pe Vilbiss Co com		20 201/2	200	24 Jan 10 Mar	29% Apr 10 Mar	\$6 preferred Hall Lamp Co		110 110 110 110 110 110 110 110 110 110	10	95% Apr 103% Jan 1% Apr	111½ Jur 2¾ Ja
September   Sept					1¼ Apr	1% Mar	Hamilton Bridge Co com.* Hartford Elec Light25 Hartford Rayon v t c1				1¼ Apr 63 Jan ¾ Mar	4 Ma
Common	obeckmun Co common_1				3½ Apr 7 Apr x30 Jan	514 Mar 914 Mar 230 Jan	Hartman Tobacco Co* Harvard Brewing Co1 Hat Corp of Am cl B com. 1				Jan 1 Apr 4 Jan	1% Ma 6% Ma
ubullet Condenser Corp.	ominion Textue Co*		70 70		60 Jan 62 Apr	64 May 731/4 Mar	Haverty Furniture cv pid.* Hazeltine Corp* Hearn Dept Store com5		27 27 3 3	100	21 Apr 25% June	36 Ma 51/4 Ja
Common	Publiler Condenser Corp. 1 Puke Power Co100 Purham Hoslery cl B com *		71 71		11/6 Apr 64 Jan	1% Mar	Hecla Mining Co25c Helena Rubenstein*	71/4	6% 7%	3,100	6¼ Apr 3¼ Feb	9 % Ja
Common	ouro-Test Corp com1 ouval Texas Sulphur* agle Picher Lead10	2 1/8	21/8 3	200	2¾ May 5 Mar	5% Jan 7 Jan	Heller Co common2 Preferred w w25 Preferred ex-war25				6¾ Apr 23¼ Apr	916 Ja 2616 Ja
astern State Corp	Common* 4½% prior preferred_100	1616	11/8 11/8	100 175	1 Apr 16 June	1% Jan 25% Jan	Hewitt Rubber common_5 Heyden Chemical10 Hires (Chas E) Co ci A*		7¾ 7¾ 37 37	. 100	30 Apr 45 Mar	10 Ja 411 Fe 50 Fe
Selection   Corp.   1	astern Malleable Iron 25	1		200	5½ Apr	10 Jan 1½ Feb	Holinger Consol G M Holophane Co common*	15%	151/8 153/8		13% Apr 9½ Apr	15% Jul 13½ Jur
Section   10   10   10   10   10   10   10   1	asy Washing Mach B* conomy Grocery Stores.*	21/4	214 214		10¼ Apr 2½ June	19½ Jan 3½ Jan	Horder's Inc* Hormel (Geo A) & Co com* Horn (A C) Co com				11% Jan 23% Apr 2% May	12 Ja 2414 Ja 3 Ma
Sectoraphile Corp.   10%   1	\$5 Dreferred *	10-10	7 7%	8,000	6% Apr 50% Apr	12% Jan 65 Feb	Horn & Hardart 100  5% preferred 100  Hubbell (Harvey) Inc 5		35 35 111¾ 111¾ 	20	10814 Apr 914 Apr	11134 Ju 12 Fe
lectrol Ine vt 6	Option warrants1	1034			14½ June 3 Mar	29½ Jan 5¼ Jan	e Trusters of Del Inc.				3 May	514 M
Start   Color   Colo	lectrol Inc v t c1 Igin Nat Watch Co15	1	1 1	800 100	1 June 1814 Apr	1% Jan 21% Mar	7% prei stamped100				51% Mar 81% Jan	
The content	6% preferred100 6½% preferred100	68	68 68	60 10	51½ Feb 56 Feb	71 Mar 71 Mar	Hydro Electric Securities.* Hydrade Food Prod		1% 1% 25% 25%	100	4 Apr 11 Apr 20 Apr	4¾ M 2¼ Ji 29¼ M
Second   Company   Compa	8% preferred100  npire Power part stock_*		68 68	. 25	54½ Feb 21½ Feb	74 Mar 25 July			274 274	1,000 200	1414 Apr 314 Mar	25 F 614 F
Toping Referring   1	ulty Corp common10c			25	23% Apr	34 Jan 2814 Mar	Illuminating Shares A 1		14 1478	1,900	534 Apr 14 July	73/8 Ju
Apr   194   Jan   2314   Mar   194   Jan   2314   Mar   194   Jan   2314   Mar   100   Markeel Metallurgical.				100 100	15½ June	20 Jan	Britain & Ireland £1		29¾ 29¾	100	15 Apr 28 Apr	16¾ F
Scholer Mrg Co.   5   Apr   7   Jan   Apr   35   May	anny Farmer Candy com1		1% 8	200 200	9¼ Jan 7¼ Apr 19¼ Jan	16 Feb 8% June 23% Mar	Indiana Pipe Line10 Indiana Service 6% pi_100	61/2			5% May 5% Apr	15½ Ju 17 Ju
A mar deprights					5 Apr 35 May	7 Jan 35 May	New non-voting class A_1		108 108	75	18 <sub>16</sub> Apr	108 J
Insurance Co of No Am. 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	at Amer deprights1 Idello Brewery1	716			7 May	9¾ June	V t c common1		8¾ 8¼		8½ Apr	3% M 10 J
A stock purch warrants 3 3 100 2 Mar 4%							Insurance Co of No Am.10 International Cigar Mach * Internat Hydro Elec-	681/2	67 681/2	550	59 Apr 201 Apr	71¼ Ju 24¼ M
							A stock purch warrants.			100	1 <sub>16</sub> Mar	21% M % J: 4% J:
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Serial Part A. Dyes et al. 19 10 5 7 700 100 5 Apr 40 5 A	238		Ne	ew Yo	ork Cur	b Excha	nge—Continued—	-Pag	e 3		July	8, 1939
Sendar Lawren and Alley Market State	(Continued)	Last Sale	Week's Range of Prices	for Week			(Continued)	Last Sale	of Prices	for Week		
Series and Charge 1982   1982	nternat Metal Indus A_* nternat Paper & Pow warr	2	17% 2	700	1% Apr	4¼ Jan	Mock, Jud, Voehringer— Common———\$2.50		111/4 111/4	200		14% F
sementand Turny	Registered				21 June 21 Apr	27 Jan 3% May	Monogram Pictures com.	1 /2	19 20 1½ 1½		14% Apr 1½ June	23 M 31/4 J
Sentente Ference   105   505   506   506   506   506   507				100	6% Apr	10 Mar	1 Montana Dakota IItil 10		167¾ 168¾	20	5¾ Jan 152 Apr	6¾ M 172½ M
Sentente Ference   105   505   506   506   506   506   507	\$1.75 preferred* \$3.50 prior pref*	18½	18½ 18½	50	11 Jan 34 Apr	18½ July 38¼ Mar	Moody Investors part pf.*  Moody Investors part pf.*  Moore (Tom) Distillery.1		14 14	100	24¾ Apr ¼ June	30 Ju
submered May 16 1	nternational Vitamin 1 nterstate Home Equip _ 1	61/8	57/8 61/8	900	2% Apr 4% Apr	41/8 Feb 7 June	Mountain Producers10		3½ 3¾ 5 5⅓		3½ Apr 4½ Jan	6½ Ju 5½ Ju
1975 performed 100 109   50   50   50   50   50   50   50	nterstate Hoslery Mins* nterstate Power \$7 pref* nvestors Royalty1		101/ 103/		3¼ Apr ¼ Feb	7½ Feb ½ Mar	Mannes on Cta Tel & Tel 100	100	128 1281/2	20	1221/2 Apr 63/4 Apr	131 ½ Ju 10 M
1975 performed 100 109   50   50   50   50   50   50   50	talian Silberbower A "I			200	14% Mar	21% Jan	Muskogee Co com* 6% pref100				7 May 69 Mar	9½ Ju 70¾ M
Segretaries	ergay Cantral Pow & Lt-	100	11/4 11/4	200	11/8 June	21/4 Feb			6¾ 6¾ ¾ 3%	100 800	5¼ Apr	1/4 J
metery Lower and the property of the property	7% preferred100	9914	99 99%	40 50	78 Jan 86½ Jan	102½ June 107¾ June	National City Lines com_1 \$3 conv pref50 National Container (Del)_1		131/8 131/8		33 1/2 Jan 5 May	14 Ju 43 J 71/8 M
metery Lower and the property of the property	ulian & Kokenge com* (ansas G & E 7% pref_100 (eth) (Geo E) 7% 1st prf100				22¾ Mar 112¼ Mar	30 June 118¼ May	National Fuel Gas* Nat Mfg & Stores com* National Oil Products4	111/2	11½ 11½ 3 3 35 35	3,200 400 200	2 1/8 May	6 J 40 M
Section   Sect	Gennedy's Inc		41/2 41/2	100	4 Apr 514 Apr	6½ Jan 9 Mar	National P & L \$6 pref* National Refining com* Nat Rubber Mach	851/4	84 8514	125 200	69 Apr 3 May	5½ J
seuger Ferville Cot J. 100  41	ingsbury Breweries 1 ings Co Ltd 7% pf B 100 5% preferred D 100	621/	83 83 62 62 4	20	36 Apr 56 Jan	% Jan 88 June	Nat Service common1 Conv part preferred* National Steel Car Ltd*		5/8 1116	200	44 Apr	116 .J 116 J 60% J
seuger Ferville Cot J. 100  41	CIPLUIA Tobo C NE Co Ted 1			1,300	1% Apr 2¼ Apr	2% Jan 3½ Feb	National Sugar Refining.* National Tea 5½% pref.10 National Transit12.50		11 11 	100	4½ June 7¼ Jan	5% M 8% F
seuger Ferville Cot J. 100  41	Hein (D Emil) Co com* Heinert (I B) Rubber Co10 Hott Corp common1		954 10	200	11% Apr 7% Apr	13¼ Mar 8½ Apr	Nat Tunnel & Mines* Nat Union Radio Corp1 Navarro Oli Co*	3/4	1½ 1% ¾ ¾	500 1,200	¾ Apr	1¾ J
seuger Ferville Cot J. 100  41	obacker Stores Inc* oppers Co 6% pref100 resgs Dept Stores	57	9 9 55 57	100	9 Apr	10 Jan	Nebel (Oscar) Co com* Nebraska Pow 7% pref.100 Nehi Corp common*	39¾	39 3934	500	102 Jan 35 June	115 Ju
As shored Miner [44.1] 959   3814   3915   2000   2214   Mar   5915   Jan   New Mark Age   7000   700	4% conv 1st pref100 ress (S H) special pref_10 reuger Brewing Co1		12 % 12 % 4 ½ 5		11½ Jan 4¾ Apr	12½ June 7 Jan					2% Apr 4 Apr	51/2 . 53/4 N
Class A	ake Shores Mines Ltd1	391/2			32 1/2 Mar	50 % Jan	Nestle Le Mur Co ci A*				314 Mar 3614 Feb	3¼ N 40 N
Class	ane Wells Co coml	9½		200			New Engl Pow Assoc* 6% preferred100 \$2 preferred*	713/2		350	55 Apr 18 Apr	75¾ Ji 24¼ Ji
ne Material Co.	Class A				9% Apr	11 May	New England Tel & Tel 100 New Haven Clock Co* New Idea Inc common*	115	115 115 4 4 10% 10%	200 200	4 July 10¼ Apr	8 . 14 N
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Penn Mex Fuel Co	1 % 8 ¼ 105 102		1,000	2 Apr 1% June 5½ Apr 98 Jan 92½ Jan 135 Apr	2 Apr 2½ Feb 9% Jan 109 June 104½ June 167 Jan	Shreveport El Dorado Pipe Line stamped	170	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	900 300 110	1 <sub>16</sub> Feb 9% Apr 1½ Apr 1½ Apr 164 June	13½ Jan 2½ Feb 3 Jan 219 Jan
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Phillips Packing CoPhoenix Securities— CommonConv\$3 pref series A1( Plerce Governor common_eloneer Gold Mines Ltd1 Pitney-Bowes Postage Meter	43% 23	4¼ 4½ 4¾ 4¾ 23 24 2½ 2½ 7% 8½	900 150 700	2% Jan 2% Apr 16 Apr 10 Apr 2% Apr	30½ Jan 5% June 6% Jan 29 Jan 18% Feb 2% Jan 8½ June	Southern Calif Edison—5% original preferred 25 6% preferred B = 25 54% preferred B = 25 Southern Colo Pow of A 25 Southern Colo Pow of A 25 7% preferred = 100 Southern Pipe Line = 100 Southern Pipe Line = 100 Southern Union Gas. ** Preferred A = 25 Southland Royalty Co. 5		29 29½ 28½ 28½ 156 156	200 300  20	40 Apr 28 4 Jan 27 1/2 Jan 1 1/2 May 42 Jan 148 Jan 3 1/2 Jan	1% Jan 59 June 157% June 4 Feb
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Plough Inc new com. 7.50 Pneumatic Scale com. 17.50 Pneumatic Scale com. 10.70 Polaris Mining Co. 25c Potrero Sugar common. 5.5 Powdrell & Alexander. 5.7 Power Corp of Canada. ** 6% 1st preferred. 100 Pratt & Lambert Co. ** Premier Gold Mining. 1.1 Prentice-Hall Incom. **		4 4 17% 17%	500 200  300 100	8 Feb 1½ May 5 <sub>16</sub> Apr 3 Apr 9 Apr 101½ Apr	8 Feb 2% Jan 10 Jan 4% Feb 12 Mar 102 Apr 23 Mar 2% Jan	5% 1st preferred * Spanish & Gen Corp— Am dep rets ord reg £1 Spencer Shoe Co Stahl-Meyer Inc * Standard Brewing Co * Standard Cap & Seal com.1 Conv preferred 10 Standard Dredging Corp— Common 1	161/2	16½ 16½	500	116 Jan 218 Apr 114 Mar 18 Mar 14 Apr 20 Apr	*14 Mar 3 Jan 3½ Jan ½ Mar 17½ Mar 23½ Jan 2½ Jan
Pressed Metals of Am1 Producers Corp 25c Prosperity Co class B _* Pro-idence Gas * Prudential Investors * \$6 preferred *	1 <sub>16</sub>	53/8 53/8		1% June 36 Mar 7 Apr 116 Jan 3 Apr 7 Jan 5 Apr 94½ Jan	2% Jan 42 June 10½ Mar 16 Feb 5½ Jan 8½ Mar 7½ Mar 100½ Mar	\$1.60 conv preferred20 Standard Invest \$5½ pref* Standard Oil (Ky)10 Standard Oil (Neb)25 Standard Oil (Ohio) com 25 5% preferred100 Standard Pow & Lt1	18 10 1/8	11¾ 12¼ 17⅓ 18 9¼ 10⅓ 20¼ 20¼	650 2,000 1,500 200	9½ May 7 June 17½ Apr 6 Feb 17 Apr 102 Jan 58 Apr	12% Jan 12% July 18% Mar 11 June 21% Jan 106% June 1% Feb
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Puget Sound P & L—  \$5 preferred.  \$6 preferred.  Puget Sound Pulp & Tim.*  Pyle-National Co com5	54 3/8 19 3/4	51 1/8 54 3/4 18 19 3/4	325 300	101 Jan 314 Jan 34½ Jan 14 Jan 4 May 6¼ Apr	110 June 12 Jan 5814 Mar 2514 Mar 5 Jan 12 Jan	Starrett (The) Corp v t c.1 Steel Co of Canada— Ordinary shares Stein (A) & Co common— Sterin (Bros Stores.— 6% 1st preferred.——50 5% 2d preferred.——20 Sterling Aluminum Prod.1		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 3 3 1 4	200 300	1½ May 73½ June 10 May 2½ Apr 28 Jan 7½ Jan	4½ Jan 74 June 12 July 4½ Feb 35 Mar 8½ Feb
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Segal Lock & Hardware _ 1 Seiberling Rubber com _ * Selby Shoe Co _ * Selected Industries Inc— Common _ 1 Convertible stock _ 5 \$5.50 prior stock _ 25		3/8 7/16 6½ 7⅓ 5 5 58½ 58½	1,300 1,300 300 300 50	31 Mar 36 June 436 Jan 12 June 36 Apr 436 May 52 May	32% Feb 1516 Jan 8% Mar 15 Apr  1 Jan 9% Jan	United Corp warrants United Elastic Corp	1 3/4 3/8 1 3/8	\$ 16 \$ 16 \$ 16 \$ 16 \$ 18 \$ 18 \$ 18 \$ 18	100 600 1,200 2,700	14 Apr 7 Mar 154 Apr 74 Apr 80 Jan 114 July 14 June	919 Jan 7 Mar 314 Jan 9214 Mar 1819 Feb 8614 Feb 3 Jan 214 Jan
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## STOCKS (Concluded) Professor   State   Week   Price   Low   High   Shares   Low   Low   High   Shares   Low	## STOCKS   Concluded   Partic   Low   Hoph   Week   Range   Free   Pres   Low   Hoph   Range Since Jan. 1, 1939   Continued   Partic   Low   Hoph   Range Since Jan. 1, 1939   Continued   Partic   Week   Continued   Partic   Partic	210	. P-13	110	7.10	5416		-9-	Friday	Lance Comment	Sales	erine di territori	
Tritled Shoe Mach com. 26   \$2   \$35   \$2   \$275   \$72   \$Ab   \$74   \$74   \$74   \$74   \$75   \$	Protected	(Concluded)	Last Sale	of Prices	for Week  -			(Continued)	Last Sale	of Prices	fer Week		
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BONDS (Continued)	Friday Last Sale	Week's Range of Prices	Sales for Week	Range Since	Jan. 1, 1939	BONDS (Concluded)	Friday Last Sale	Weck's Range of Prices	Sales for Week	Range Since	
Par Middle States Pet 61/s '45 Midland Valley RR 5s 1943 Milw Gas Light 41/s1967	971/2	Dow High 97½ 97½ 60½ 61¾ 99¾ 100¼	3,000 2,000 30,000	93¼ Jan 58½ May 93½ Apr	98% Mar 66% Mar 101% Mar	Par Texas Power & Lt 5s1956 6s series A2022 Tide Water Power 5s1979	106 1/2	Low High 106½ 106% 112 112 96¾ 98	23,000 1,000 19,000	103 Jan 99% an 86% Jan	1071/4 June 112 June 991/4 June
finn P & L 41/48 1978 1st & ref 5s 1955 (ississippi Power 5s 1955	1021/4	101 ¾ 102 ¾ 105 105 92 94	24,000 1,000 47,000	9714 Apr 10218 Apr 8214 Jan	102¾ July 106¼ May 99¼ Feb	Tietz (L) see Leonard Twin City Rap Tr 51/28 '52 Ulen Co—	63	61% 63	36,000	50½ Jan	641% June
liss Power & Lt 5s1957 liss River Pow 1st 5s_1951 lissouri Pub Serv 5s_1960	100%	100 1/2 100 1/8 108 1/4 108 1/4 85 1/2 86 1/4	28,000 4,000 13,000	88½ Jan 108¼ Apr 73½ Jan	102¾ June 110 May 91 June 94¼ June	Conv 6s 4th stamp_1950 United Elec N J 4s1949 United El Serv 7s1956 •United Industrial 61/2s '41	45	38½ 39½ 118½ 119 43½ 45	3,000 12,000 7,000	40 % Apr	521% Jan 119 July 52 Jan 2814 July
assau & Suffolk Ltg 5s '45 at Pow & Lt 6s A2026 Deb 5s series B2030 Nat Pub Serv 5s ctfs 1978	108¾ 102%	94 94 108¾ 109¾ 102 102% 136 38	5,000 17,000 39,000	77 Jan 98 Jan 92½ Jan 33 Apr	110¼ June 105 June 38 Apr	*1st s f 6s	79 80	27½ 28½ 28 28 76 79 77½ 80	2,000 6,000 24,000 14,000	23 Apr	28¼ July 28¾ June 80½ June 82½ Mar
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5s1948 Conv deb 5s1950 ew Eng Power 3 1/4s_1961 ew Eng Pow Assn 5s_1948	72 10914	$\begin{bmatrix} 68 & 72 \\ 66 \frac{1}{2} & 72 \\ 109 \frac{1}{4} & 109 \frac{1}{4} \\ 93 \frac{3}{4} & 95 \frac{3}{4} \end{bmatrix}$	39,000 203,000 2,000 99,000	541% Jan	72½ Mar 109¾ May 96% June	Va Pub Serv 51/s A1946 1st ref 5s series B1950 6s	971/2	9734 9834	19,000 22,000 2,000		100 June 98 June 98 June
Debenture 5½s1954 ew Orleans Pub Serv— 5s stamped1942 •Income 6s series A_1949	971/2	96½ 97% 101% 102¼	25,000 5,000		99% June 102% July 100% May	Waldorf-Astoria Hotel—  *5s income deb1954 Wash Ry & Elec 4s1951 ¶Wash Water Power 5s_'60	171/2	‡108½ 109	37,000	16¼ July 107¾ Jan 1047 <sub>16</sub> July	31% Feb 109½ June 108 Mai
Y Central Elec 5 1/8 1950 Tew York Penn & Ohlo *Ext 4 1/8 stamped_1950		98 98½ ‡103 104½ 80 80	1,000	102½ Jan 79 Jan	105½ Feb 86½ Mar	West Penn Elec 5s2030 West Penn Traction 5s '60 West Newspaper Un 6s '44		104 <sup>7</sup> 16104 <sup>16</sup> 32 105 105 ‡114½ 116 56 56½	6,000 1,000 3,000	104 Jan 110½ Jan 50 Apr	106 1/4 June 115 1/2 June 63 Mai
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ark Lexington 3s1964 enn Cent L & P 41/s.1977 1st 5s1979 enn Electric 4s F1971	993/8	\$38 41 97½ 99½ 103¾ 103¾	78,000 2,000	98 Jan		*Bogota (City) 8s ctfs_194i Bogota (see Mtge Bank of *Caldas 7½s ctfs of dep_'46 *Cauca Valley 7s194i	3	‡11 20 ‡11 20 ‡14½ 15¾		15 Mar 	15 M
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831/2	15	831/2	Jan	8814	Mar
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Baltimore Stock Exchange

Boston Stock Exchange
July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's	Range	Sales for Week	Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1939
Stocks— Par	Price	Low	High	Shares	Lo	w	Ht	gh
American Pneumatic Ser Common	161 ½ 72 146 ¼ 44 17 ½	32c 1¼ 157% 71 146 44 17½	32c 1¼ 1615% 72 147 44¼ 17½	20 205 1,084 329 244 115 105	250 11/6 147/6 701/4 x127 381/6	June Jan Apr May Jan Apr Apr	600 2 170 8914 15014 56	Feb May May Feb June May Jan
Boston & Maine—	6¾ 1⅓ 	6½ 1% 1% 15 5% 3½	6% 1% 1% 15 15 5% 3½	151 55 157 25 50 50	6 1½ 1½ 9 4% 3½	Jan Jan July May Apr Apr	11 14 3 14 2 14 2 3 8 16 5 16	Mai Mai Mai Jan Jan
East Gas & Fuel Assn— Common* 4½% prior pref100 6% preferred100 Eastern Mass St Ry—	1	1 16½ 65%	$^{1}_{16\frac{3}{4}}$	80 58 72	1 16 6%	Apr June July	1¾ 25 12¾	Jan Jan Jan
Common 100  1st preferred 100  Adjustment 100  Eastern SS Lines—	73½ 3¾	1 71 3¾	1 1/8 73 1/2 3 3/4	125 10	60 3	Jan Jan Apr	77 4½	Mar Mar May
Common* Employers Group*	$21\frac{4}{4}$	$\frac{45\%}{21\frac{3}{4}}$	45/8 22	60 62	4½ 18¾	June Apr	7¾ 24	Mar Jan
General Capital Corp* Gillette Safety Razor* Hathaway Bakerles—	28 3/8	283/8 6	283/8 6	100 10	27¼ 5%	Apr Apr	32 1/8 8	Mar Jan
Preferred* Isle Royal Copper Co15 Maine Cen—	···i	26 1	26 1	10 255	20 ¾	Jan Apr	27 23/8	Mar Jan
Common100 Mass Utilities Assoc v t c_1 Narragansett Racing Asso		61/4 21/2	6 1/4 2 5/8	50 155	4½ 2	Jan Jan		Mar June
Inc1 National Tunnel & Mines * N Eng Gas & El Assn pref * New England Tel & Tel 100 New River 6% cum pfd 100	5½  116 55 35c	51/4 13/8 25 1131/2 55 32e	5½ 1¾ 25½ 116 55 35c	215 125 18 165 20 750	3¾ 1¾ 15 103¼ 42 32¢	Jan July Jan Apr May July	578 2 31 11814 58 1.00	June Jan Mar June Feb Jan
North Butte	1678 1 1018 1018	16% 5% 1% 9% 9%	17 1 11/8 101/8 101/2	286 200 52 385 170	15¾ 58 1⅓ 8⅓ 8⅓	Apr June Jan Apr Apr	243% 3 11/2 11 171/4	Jan Jan Jan Mar Jan
United Shoe Mach Corp. 25 6% cum pref25 Utah Metal & Tunnel Co. 1 Venezuela Holding Corp. 1	26¼ 82½ 75e	25¾ 80 44 72c 2	26¼ 82½ 45 78c 2	410 323 35 1,212 100	22¼ 71¾ 41¾ 50c 1½	Feb Apr Apr Apr Jan	28 14 85 14 45 85 c	Jan
Bonds— Eastern Mass St Ry—		6	6	25	51/2	Apr	7%	Feb
Series A 4½s 1948 Series B 5s 1948 Series D 6s 1948		92 94 102	93 ½ 95 ½ 102	\$2,000 2,150 1,000	80 80 91	Apr Apr Jan	94 96 102	June June July

#### CHICAGO SECURITIES

Listed and Unlisted

Paul H. Davis & Co.

Members Principal Exchanges

Bell System Teletype

Trading Dept. CGO. 405-406 Municipal Dept. CGO. 521

10 S. La Salle St., CHICAGO

Chicago Stock Exchange
July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	riday Last Sale	Week's		Sales for Week	Range	Since J	an. 1,	1939
Stocks— Par	Price	Low	High		Lot	0	Hig	h
Abbott Laboratories-	- 15	V.	de jou	. 47 17	1 22 1 2		1	
Common (new)*		571/8	6014	406	5314	Apr	64%	Mar
Adams (J D) Mfg com*	914	878	914	130	8	Jan	9	Mar
Adams Oil & Gas Co com. *	51/2	51/2	534	150	516	July	914	Jan
Advanced Alum Castings.5	11/2	11/2	11/2	100	116	July	3	Jan
Aetna Ball Bearing com1	734	734	734	50	6	Apr	87/8	Mar
Allis-Chalmers Mfg Co *		31 7/8	3178	10	28%	Apr	47%	Jan
Amer Pub Service pref_100 -		80 1/2	81	20	59	Jan	85%	June

For footnotes see page 245.

	2	Friday Last Sale	Week's	ices	Sales for Week			Jan. 1	
Stocks (Continued)		Price	Low 15784	High 161%	Shares 512	147%	Apr	1703	
Amer Tel & Tel Co ca Armour & Co commo	n5	4	1573/8	41/8	645 50	3%	( May	63	a Jar
Aro Equipment Co co	1		814 38 3514	814 38 351/2	50 100	30	June July Apr	1	Jan June
Associates Invest Co Athey Truss Wheel ca Automatic Washer co	D4 -		3 1/2	3 1/2	10 <del>0</del> 50	23	Ap	33	June
Aviation Corp (Del)	3	4	3 1/8	43/8	4,749 9,700	35	g July	85	g Jar
Aviation & Trans C	cap.1	21/8	21/8	5	350 100	5	Apr	71	Jar Feb
Barlow&Seelig Mfg A Bastian-Blessing Co	COMPI -	151/2	91/4	9¼ 15½	100 250	10	Jar	10%	Mai
Belden Mfg Co com Belmont Radio Corp_	10		8 1/8	41/2	50 100	61 41 163	Apr	63	Jan
Bendix Aviation com	5	91/2	20 7/8 9 1/2	23 9%	350 250	16 % 7 % 13 ½	Apr	103	May
Bliss & Laughlin Inc.	com_5		17	17	150	42 . 1			A 500
(New) common Brown Fence & Wire-	-		21½ 5¼	22	225 150	20	Apı		Jan Jan
Common Bruce Co (E T) com_	51	10	934 634	53/8 10 63/4	150 150 150	914		171	Jan Jan
Butler Brothers 5% conv preferred Cent Ill Pub Ser \$6 pt	30 _	711/4	2034 7012	20¾ 71½	50 530	183	Apr	23%	Mai
Central Illinois Secur-	- 0.00	1174	1072	1/4	50	25 m 1	( Мау	Brack S	
Central S W-			1	11/8	350	1	Apr	S version	18-14-5-
Preferred Prior lien preferred	:	50	50 106¼	50¼ 108	50 30	45 100	Jan Jan	55	Mar Mar
Chain Belt Co com Chicago Corp commo		11/4	16¾ 1¼	1634 138	100	15	Jan	17	June
PreferredChic Flexible Shaft co	m_5	70	33	33 70	100 100	33 62	June	383	Mar Mar
Chic & N W Ry com_ Chrysler Corp comm	100 _		673/8	70 3/8	100 365	537	Apr	1	Jan
(New) common	10		534	534	250	534	June	914	Feb
Club Aluminum Uten	sil*		23/8	23/8	250	214	Jan	31/4	Mar
New capital Compressed Ind Gases	25	29%	10	30 10	13,200 50	25 % 9	Apr	1584	July Jan
Consol Biscuit com	1 _		4 5/8 7 1/2	4 1/8 7 1/8	100 273	43/8	Apr	914	Jan
Consolidated Oil Cor Crane Co com Cudahy Packing Co pr	ef100	-51	195/8 51	20 5/8 52	255 30	195/8	May	73	Jan Mar
CunninghamDrugStor	es2 1/2 -		17	17	100	121/4			May
Dayton Rubber Mfg c Deere & Co com	om.*	18%	137/8 181/8	14 181/8	100 140	15%	Apr Jan	2334	Mar
Dixie-Vortex Co com_ Class A		311/4	10 31	10 31 ¼	100 300	934 31	July	12¼ 35¼	Feb
Elec Household Util Elgin Nati Watch Co	Cap.5	278	234 191/2	27/8 193/4	250 350	25% 1734 247%	Apr Apr	221/8	May Mar
Fairbanks-Morse com Fox (Peter) Brew com	5		263/8 14	263/8 14	101 50 <sub>1</sub>	10	Jan	431/8 15	Mar
Four-Wheel Drive Au Fuller Mig Co com Gardner Denver Co co	to_10		334 21/2	21/2	250 500	3 2	Apr Jan	41/2 23/4	Apr
General Amer Transp	comb		143/8 465/8	14 ½ 46 %	600	11 % 40 %	Apr	1434 60	Jan
General Finance Corp	com1		21/8 421/2	23/8 441/8	350 174	3634	Jan	276 45%	June
General Motors Corp. Geodyear T & Rub co Gossard Co (H W) con	101	42 1/8	251/8	26 1/2	564 220	37¼ 21¾	Apr	51 % 37 ½	Jan
Gossard Co (H W) con Great Lakes D & D co	m*	23 7/8	$10$ $22\frac{1}{2}$ $12\frac{7}{8}$	10 ¼ 23 ½	200 500	18%	Apr	2714	
Gossard Co (H W) con Great Lakes D & D co Hall Printing Co com Heileman Brew Co G of Hein-Werner Motor P Hibb-Spencer-Bart co	10 cap_1	13 8½	83/8	13 8½ 8	150 350	814 614	Jan	141/4	Mar
		35	35	35	50 60	7 34 5/8	Apr Jan	37	May Jan
Horders Inc com Houdaille-Hershey cl	B*	11/8	105/8 103/4	1034	60 15	81/8	Apr Apr	1714	Feb Jan
Houdaille-Hershey cl Hupp Motors com Illinois Central RR cor	n 100	111/4	105%	11½ 11¼	1,950 277	976	June Apr	201/2	Jan
Indian Steel Prod com.	1		161/2	16½ 2½ 70⅓	50 100	16½ 2¼ 66¾	June June	221/4	Jan Jan
Inland Steel Co cap International Harvest Interstate Power \$6 pr	com*		53 5/8	54 1/8	112 92	49 1/8	Apr	945/8 66	Jan Mar
Jarvis (W B) Co cap	er*	4	3	4	60	21/4	Jan	5 12	Feb
Jarvis (W B) Co cap New		1134	101/2	11 3/4 4 5/8	900 400	314	Anu	5 81/2	June Mar
Kentucky IItil ir cum	of 50	40	7½ 38 2½	8½ 40	1,100 410 1,200	5 29 21/8		4014	July Mar Apr
Keryln Oil el A com Kingsbury Brewing ca La Salle Ext Univ com	p1	5/8	5/8 15/8	31/8 5/8 13/4	270 300	15/8	Apr July	4 2½ 2½	Jan Jan
		25	25		50 50	22	Jan Jan	25½ 9	June Mar
Le Roi Co com Libby McNeill & Libb Liquid Carbonic com	y*		25 9 5 13¾	5¼ 14	196 20	6 % 4 13 %	Apr June	6¼ 185%	Jan Jan
	W. F L		30	30	10	25	Apr	32	Mar
McQuay-Norris Mfg co Marshall Field com Merch & Mfrs Sec —		Street Property	117/8	131/4	2,060	9 5/8	Apr	15	Feb
Class A com	m_1	31/8	37/8	31/8 31/8	350 250	3 1/8 2 1/4 5 1/2	Apr	51/8 41/8	Jan Jan
Middle West Corp cap Midland Util—	5	632	61/8	6%	100		Apr		Mar
6% prior Hen pref	_100		614	7 34	500 400	5/8 1/4	Feb Jan	7	June June
6% preferred A 7% prior lien pref 7% preferred A	-100 -100	71/8	61/4	71/8	1,500	% 14	Feb Jan	11/8	July June
Montgomery Ward-		A 3 5 5 5	181/4	1814	50	16	Apr	22	Jan
Mountain States Pre pr	#100		48 54 ½	50 1/8	462 200	40 %	Apr	00	Mar June
Nachman Springfilled of National Battery Co pr	om*		7 ½ 35 ½ 12 ½	351/2	100	30%	Apr Jan	3614	Mar June
National Bond & Inv c Nat'l Rep Invest Tr pi	om *		121/8°	1314	150 350	103%	Apr	1	Jan Jan
Nachman Springfilled of National Battery Copinational Bond & Inv control National Union Radio of Nobiltt-Sparks Ind control Vorthwest Bancorp control Northwest Burden Company (Newst Util prior lien.	om1	3/4	20 1/2	21 14	100 300	16 14 6 14	June	27	Jan Mar
Northwest Bancorp cor N'West Util prior lien.	100	81/2	501/2	85/8	900 20	401/2	Apr Jan	55	June June
Parker Pen com Penn RR capital	10		1636	17 161	50 216	1114	Apr	15¾ 24¾	Jan Jan
Penn RR capital Peoples G Lt&Coke car Perfect Circle (The) C	0 100		3434	35 25	400	30 3/8	Apr	40 16 29	Feb Mar
Pictorial Paper Pkge co Pines Winterfront com	m_5		43/8	43/8	200 450	3%	Feb	5	June Jan
Poor & Co cl B	on.*		119 1	191/2	20 60	108%	July Apr	16½ 123	Jan Mar
Rath Packing com	100 1	52	150 1	52 29¾	30 100	149¾ 27	June	157 30	Jan Mar
Peoples G Lt&Coke car Perfect Circle (The) C Pictorial Paper Pkge co Pines Winterfront com Poor & Co el B.————————————————————————————————————	*		2814	95/8 281/4	50	22 1/8	Apr	3234	Jan Mar
Sears Roebuck & Co co Signode Steel Strap— Punerred Southw't G & E 7% pre	m_*		74 %	75%	1,091	601/8	Apr	771/4	100
		10.1	261/4	2614	10	9917	Mar	2834	Term - 1

	Friday Last	Week's			Range	Since J	Jan. 1,	193
Stocks (Concluded) Par	Sale Price	of Pr	High	Week Shares	Los	w 1	Hih	ıg
Spiegel Inc com2 Standard Dredge—	11	101/4	11	125	934	June	161/6	Mar
Common1	11/4	11/4	11/4	100	114	June	21/8	Jan
Standard Oil of Ind25				933		Apr	2914	Jan
Stewart-Warner5		7	73%	199		Apr	1214	Jan
Sunstrand Mach Tool com5			8	100		Apr	10%	Mar
Swift International 15	25	24%				July	2814	Feb
Swift & Co25						Apr	19 %	Jan
Union Carb & Carbon cap *		72 1/8				Apr	903/8	Jan
United Air Lines Tr cap.5	10 1/2				71/8	Apr	13 %	Mar
U S Gypsum Co com20		8278	831/8	15	771/8	Apr	1123/8	Jan
Utah Radio Products com *	21/8	2	21/8	300	114	Apr	25%	June
Utilities & Indust pref7		11/4	11/4	50	11/8	Apr	1 1/8	
Walgreen Co common*	x2234		23 1/2			Apr	23 1/2	July
Wayne Pump Co cap1		23 1/8	23 1/8			Apr	323/8	Jar
Western Un Teleg com_100		173/8	181/2			Apr	24 %	
W'house El & Mig com 50		941/8	96	176		Apr	1193%	
Yates-Amer Mach cap5			11/4	100	11/4	July	2	Feb
Zenith Radio Corp com*	171/2	173/8	181/2	1,100	12	Apr	221/8	Jar
Bonds— Commonwealth Edison—	1	Service .			elections.			
deb 31/2s1958		1171/4	1171/4	\$2,000	105	Apr	118	June

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	Friday Last	Week's		Sales for Week	Range Since Jan. 1, 1939				
Stocks— Par	Sale Price	of Pi	High	Shares	Lo	w I	Hi	7ħ	
Aluminum Industries*		51/4	51/4	25	3	Mar	6	June	
Amer Laundry Mach 20	161/2	16	161/2	208	15	Apr	1734	Mar	
Baldwin pref100	83	83	83	8	731/2	Mar	83	July	
Burger Brewing*		21/2	216	225	11/4	Jan	21/2	July	
Champion Paper pref100	99	99	99	153	98	June	1011/2	Mar	
Cincinnati G & E pref100	10614	1051/2	1061/2	152	1031/2	Jan	1091/4	June	
Cincinnati Street Ry 50		1 7/8	2	32	11/2	June	3	Jan	
Cincinnati Telephone50	97	97	98	42	88	Jan	98	July	
Gibson Art*		271/2	28	125	25	Apr	291/2	June	
Hobart A*		39	40	31	341/2	Jan	41	Feb	
Kahn 1st pref 100		1001/2	1001/2	5	100	Jan	102	Mar	
Kroger*	26 7/8	261/4	271/4	1,111	20%	Apr	271/4	July	
Leonard*		2	2	260	2	Jan	21/4	Jan	
Nash25	18	18	18	22	18	Jan	18	Jan	
National Pumps*		3/4	1	117	1	May	21/2	Feb	
Preferred10		1	1	5	1	July	3	Jan	
Procter & Gamble *	58 1/8	57 7/8	5914	530	5016	Apr	595%	June	
5% preferred100		117	117	4	111	Mar	1181/2	June	
Rapid*		81/4	81/4	4	71/2	Mar	12	Apr	
Sport Products		11	11	35	8	Apr	111/2		
US Printing*		11/2	11/2	100	1	Feb	11/2	Feb	
Wurlitzer10		834	834	4	6	Apr	95%	June	
Preferred100		901/2	901/2	25	73	Feb	91	June	

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Cleveland Stock Exchange July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's	's Range Prices	Sales for Week	Range Since Jan. 1, 1939				
Stocks— Par		Low			Lo	w	Hi	h	
American Coach & Body_5		61/2		100	6	June	81/4	Feb	
American Home Prods1			a50 3/8	10					
Canfield Oil100				10	41	Apr	45	July	
City Ice & Fuel*		a13			9	Apr	1434		
Cleveland Ry100		17%		99	16	Apr		Jan	
Colonial Finance1			10 1/8	35	101/8	Apr	12	Jan	
Dow Chemical pref100	115	115	115	100	115	Apr	1181/2	Jan	
Eaton Mfg*		a221/8	a221/8		20 1/8	May	201/8	May	
General Tire & Rubber25		21	21	700	21	July	26 5/8	Mar	
Goodrich (B F)*		a161/4	a163/8						
Goodyear Tire & Rubber_*				125	3134	Mar	34	Feb	
Halle Bros pref100					37	May	401/2	Jan	
Interlake Steamship*		34	34	225	33	Jan	41	Mar	
Jaeger Machine*	17 1/2	171/2	171/2	25	15	Apr	221/2	Mar	
Jaeger Machine* Kelley Isld Lime & Tran_*	13	13	13	130	12	Apr	141/2	Jan	
Medusa Ptld Cement*		14	14	152	14	Apr	1714	Mar	
Monarch Machine Tool*		20	20	100	15	Apr	221/4	Mar	
National Refg pr pref 6% -* Richman Bros*		293/8	2934	70	293%	July	48	Feb	
Richman Bros*	34	331/2	34	679	30	Feb	3534	June	
Seiberling Rubber*	7	7	7	140	61/8	Jan	8	Mar	
Thompson Products Inc* Troxel Mfg1		a21 1/8	a22	30	18	Apr	273/8		
Troxel Mfg1		3		100	21/8		41/4	Jan	
Van Dorn Iron Works ***	2 6 -1	23%	23/8	205		July			
Warren Refining2		11/2	11/8			July		Jan	
White Motor 30	1. 1. 4. 1.	08	1183%	70		May		May	
Youngstown Sheet & Tube*		a33 1/8	a34 1/8	90	11.2	-	0/0		

#### **Detroit Stock Exchange**

July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's Range of Prices		Sales for Week	Range Since Jan. 1, 1939			
Stocks— Par				Shares	Low	High		
Allen Electric com1 Auto City Brew com1 Atlas Forge		1 3/8 28c	13/8 28c		1¼ Feb 25c Apr 2½ June	1 5% Jan 40c Jan 3 1/4 May		
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	Friday Last Sale	Week's of Pi		Sales for Week	Range Since	Jar. 1, 1939
Stocks (Concluded) P 7	Price	Low	High	Sh res	Low	High
Baldwin Rubber com1		6	61/8	225	5 Apr	7½ Jan
Bower Roller5		25	25	100	21 Apr	27¼ Mar
Briggs Mfg com*	191/2	193/8	191/2	910	17 Apr	31 1/8 Jan
Brown McLaren				22222	80c June	1 1 Mar
Chamb Metal Weath com 5		41/4	41/4	100	4¼ Apr	7 Jan
Chrysler Corp com5		691/2	6914	658	56 3/8 Apr	84% Mar
Consolidated Paper com_10		15	15	484	13 Jan	14 1/8 June
Crowley Milner com*		21/8	21/8	200	2 Apr	2¾ Jan
Cunningham Drug com2.50		16	16	200	14% Jan	171/2 May
Cons Steel	51c	51c		100	52c June	1.00 Jan
Det & Cleve Nav com10		75c	75c	195	70c May	1.25 Mar
Detroit Edison com 100		116	117	104	101 Jan	123 Feb
Det Gray Iron com5		13/8	13/8	450	11/8 Apr	15% Feb
Det-Mich Stove com1	11/4	114	114	400	13% Apr	2 Jan
Det Paper Prod com1		11/8	11/8	525	1 June	21/8 Jan
Frankemuth Brew com1	21/8	21/8	21/8	500	11/2 Apr	21/4 May
Gar Wood Ind com3		4	41/8	200	4 Apr	7½ Jan
General Finance com1		21/4	21/4	100	1 1/8 Apr	234 Jan
General Motors com10	42 %	42	43	1,378	38 Apr	51 1/2 Mar
Goebel Brewing com1	7.2	21/4	23/8	525	2 Mar	2 34 Jan
Graham-Paige com1	S. 18 Sec.	75c		150	75c Apr	1.25 Jan
Grand Valley Brew com1	35c	35c		300	30c Feb	45c Mar
Hoskins Mfg com*	16 1410	13	13	145	13 July	16 Jan
Hurd Lock & Mfg com1		42c	42c	200	41c June	76c Jan
Kingston Prod com1		11/2	15/8	500	1½ Apr	23/8 Jan
Kresge (S S) com10		241/8	241/8	254	20½ Jan	25 June
La Salle		11/8	11/8	300	1 Jan	13/8 Jan
Mich Silica		2	2	100	1¾ Jan	21/2 Feb
Masco Screw Prod com1		60c	60c	100	55c June	96c Mar
McClanahan Oil com1		16c	16c	200	12c Apr	30c Jan
Mich Sugar com*		32c	32c	100	30c June	50c Jan
Mid-West Abrasive com50c	35.5	90c	90c	100	90c July	1.75 Jan
Murray Corp com10		45%	45%	310	4 1/8 July	81/8 Jan
Packard Motor Car com*		3	31/8	680	3 Apr	45% Jan
Parker Wolverine com *	7.00	65/8	65%	125	5% Apr	8¼ Feb
Penin Metal Prod com1		11/8	114	875	11/8 Apr	2 3/8 Jan
Prudential Investing com_1		2	2	\$245	13% Apr	2 Mar
Rickel (H W) com2	00.000	31/4	33/8	650	2 34 Apr	31/2 May
River Raisin Paper com*	11/8	11/8	11/8	125	1 3/8 June	2½ Jan
Standard Tube B com1		114	11/4	300	1¼ Apr	2½ Jan
Sheller Mfg		334	334	150	3¾ July	5 Apr
Tivoli Brewing com1	23/8	23/8	21/2	1,300	2¼ Apr	31/8 Jan
Tom Moore Dist com1	25c	15c	25c	890	15c July	55c Jan
Union Investment com*		25/8	25%	200	2 Apr	3¾ Jan
Tininggal Chales D +	13. 1998 X	134	134	100	1½ Jan	2 34 Feb
Warner Aircraft com1		75c		250	75c July	1.50 Mar
Wayne Screw Prod com4	90c					

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		Friday Last	Week's			Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1939
Stocks-	Par	Sale Price	of Pr	rices High	Week Shares	Lot	w	Hig	jh .
Bandini Petroleum		53/4	5 5/8		465	31/4	Jan		May
Bolsa-Chica Oil A		21/8	2	21/8	700	134	Mar	314	May
Chrysler Corp		a691/8	a67 1/8	a70 1/8	175	61	Apr	83 12	
Consolidated Oil C		734	734		100	7	Apr	914	Jan
Creameries of Amer		51/8	51/8	514	300	378	Feb	51/2	May
Electrical Products		10	91/2		200	9	Apr	1178	
Emsco Derrick & E		77/8	73/8		245	634	Apr	101/2	
Exeter Oil Co A co		43c					Apr	67 140	
Farmers & Merchs		390	390	390	10	360	Jan	399	Mar
Fitzsimmons Stores		11	11	11	300		May		June
General Motors co		431/8	431/8		459		Apr		
Goodyear Tire & R		a2614		a263/8	123	24%	Apr	38	Jan
Jade Oil Co		20							June
Lincoln Petroleum		a10c						140	
Lockheed Aircraft		261/4	26	2614	200			36%	Feb
Los Ang Industries	Inc. 2	21/4	21/8		670	178	Apr	21/8	Jan
Los Angeles Invest		a41/8	a4 1/8		18		Jan	434	
Menasco Mfg Co		21/8	21/8		920	2	June	5%	
Merchants Petrolet		a16c					Apr	25c	
Oceanic Oil Co	1	49c					June	85c	
Pacific Gas & Elec		301/2	301/2		250	28	Apr	33 34	
Pacific Lighting con	m*	a463/8	a46	a46 3/8	40	43	Jan	49	June
Pacific Western Oil		a83/4	a834		50		May	1034	
Republic Petroleur	m com_1	21/8	2	21/8	890		July	334	
Richfield Oil Corp	com*	71/2	71/4	7 1/2	355		Apr	101/8	
Warrants		11/2	11/2		300			31/4	
Roberts Public Ma	arkets2	5 5/8	53/8	5 1/8	1,187	31/2	Jan	5 1/8	
Ryan Aeronautical	I Co1	51/2	51/8	51/2	1,981	5	July	71/4	Jan
Signal Oil & Gas Co	0 A*	2614	2614		300		Apr	32 1/2	
So Calif Edison Co	Ltd25	2678	26 %		530		Jan	27%	
6% preferred B.	20	291/8	29	2914	1,437	28%	Apr		June
51/2% preferred	C2	285/8	285/8		456			29	June
So Calif Gas 6% pr	ef A 25	33%	331/4		869		Mar	341/4	
Southern Pacific C	20100	123/8	12	121/2	1,020		Apr	21%	
Standard Oll Co of	Callt	26	26	261/4	735			301/8	
Sunray Oil Corp	1	2	2	2	100		Apr	21/8	
Transamerica Corp		534	5 %		1,826			734	
Union Oil of Calif.	20	163/8	161/8		819		July	19%	
Universal Consol O	M10	141/2	141/2	141/2	100	, 121/3	Apr	16%	Mar
Mining— Alaska-Juneau Gol	14 10	75%	75%	75%	100	786	June	10	Jan
Black Mommoth C	langol10c	19c					July	300	
Black Mommon	100	190							
Calumet Gold	2 3 fag 1							2 50	
Cons Chollar G & S	S Milg.1	1.25						2.50	
Imperial Developm	I't Cozoc	1 ½c	1 1/2c	1 1/2 c	7,000	l 1c	Jan	2c	Mar Mar



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Stocks (Concluded) Par			High	Shares	Lo	w	HI	7h	
Unlisted—	185	1800 400		4.5	45.266	AT -	- 1 The	P. 14	
Amer Rad & Std Sanl *	a117/8	a11 1/8		85	1114	Apr	18%	Jan	
Amer Tel & Tel Co 100		a157 5/8 6		227	149 16	Jan	1683%	June	
Anaconda Copper50	a24		a24 1/8	173	211/2	June	381/8	Jan	
Aviation Corp (The) (Del)3	4	4	4	447	5	May	83%	Jai	
Bendix Aviation Corp 5	a22 %	a221/8		40	1914	Mar	2914	Fel	
Borg-Warner Corp5	a221/8	a211/8		35	223/4	Apr	24 7/8	May	
Caterpillar Tractor Co *	42		42	165		July	5214	Ma	
Columbia Gas & Elec*	534	534	5%	150	55%	Apr	87/8	Fel	
Commercial Solvents *	a93/8	a93/8	a9 3/8	71	11	May	1234	Fel	
Curtiss-Wright Corp 1	a51/4	a5	a51/4	80	ŏ	Mar	714	Jai	
Class A1	a251/8	a2334	2251/8	30	24	Jan	27%	Jar	
General Electric Co*	a341/2	a33 3/8 6	234 1/2	170	33 5/8	June	441/8	Jar	
General Foods Corp *	a42 1/8	a42 %	242%	50	3736	Jan	45	June	
Goodrich (B F) Co*	a16%	a161/8 0	216 %	40	16%	May	24%	Jar	
Intl Nickel Co of Canada.*	246	a451/2 0		130	4514	Apr	551/8	Jai	
Kennecott Copper Corp*	a32 1/2	a32 1/2 (		50	30	May	3914	Jan	
Loew's Inc.	a41 %	a41 1/8 0		55	45%	Mar	45%	Mai	
Montgomery Ward & Co.*	a495/8	a485%.		149	45	Apr	5214	June	
New York Central RR *	131/2	131/2		300	131/2	June	2214	Jai	
Nor American Aviation1	15	15	15	215	1276	Apr	1914	Jai	
North American Co*	a211/2	a211/2 0		45	19%	Apr	2614	Fel	
Ohio Oll Co	a634	a634	a634	50	634	June	10	Jai	
Packard Motor Car Co*	3	3	3	375	3	July	41/2	Jai	
Paramount Pictures Inc_1	a81/4	a814	a814	50	9	June	1334	Jai	
Radio Corp of Amer*	578	57/8	5 1/8	235	514	Apr	816	Mai	
Republic Steel Corp*	14%	14 1/8	14 7/8	100	133%	July	25		
Sears Roebuck & Co*	751/2	751/2	751/2	199	69%	Jan	76	June	
Sears Roeduck & Co	111/2	111/2	111/2	445	1114				
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co15	a6 5/8	a63%	a65%	80		Apr	13%	Jat	
Standard Brands Inc*			65%	200	6	Apr	714	Mai	
Studebaker Corp1	6%	65%			51/2	Apr	85/8	Mai	
Texas Corp (The)25	a361/2	a36 1/2 a		100	37%	May	471/2	Jar	
Tide Water Assoc Oil Co_10	11%		11%	180	1134	Apr	141/8	Mai	
Union Carbide & Carbon_*	76		76	193	711/2	Apr	843%	Fet	
United Aircraft Corp5	a35 %	a34 % a		168	35	Apr	4178	Feb	
United States Rubber Co 10	a391/2	a39 1/8 a		160	35	May	511/2	Jan	
U S Steel Corp*	a461/8	a45 % a	4614	126	44	June!	69	Jan	

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	Friday Last Sale	Week's		Sales for Week	Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1939
Stocks— Par	Price	Low	High	Shares	Lo	w	Hu	n
American Stores*	121/4	111/8	121/4	1,410	81/8	Apr	125%	Feb
American Tel & Tel100	1611/8	157%	1613/8	472	1483/8	Apr	1701/8	Mar
Barber Co10		115%	115%	80	11	Apr	2014	Jan
Bell Tel Co of Pa pref100		121	1211/2	62	1171/2	Apr	124	Mar
Budd (E G) Mfg Co*		41/8	41/2	300	41/8	Apr	81/8	Jan
Chrysler Corp		68	701/4	138	585%	Apr		Mar
Electric Storage Battery 100		25%	261/8	140	23 1/8	Apr	301/8	Jan
General Motors10	421/2	415/8	4314	559	361/2	Apr	51%	Mar
Horn & Hardart (Phil) com *		11614	117	20	112	Apr	1251/4	Mar
Natl Power & Light* Pennroad Corp v t c1		71/2	75%	100	678	Apr	91/2	Mar
Pennroad Corp v t c1	0 13/8	11/4	11/2	1,089	1	Feb	21/8	Feb
Pennsylvania RR50	161/2	16%	171/8	1,034	15%	Apr	2414	Jan
Phila Elec of Pa \$5 pref*		1151/2	1151/2	10	115	Mar	11914	Feb
Phila Elec Pow pref25	2914	291/4	291/2	502	2914	Apr	305%	Jan
Phila Rapid Transit 50	21/8	21/8	21/8	10	13/8	Mar	23/8	Mar
7% pref50	33/8	31/4	334	128	21/2	June	41/4	Mar
Philadelphia Traction 50		81/2	834	200	63/8	Feb	91/8	Mar
Scott Paper*	501/8	50	501/2	176	435%	Apr	51%	June
Transit Invest Corp pref		3/4	7/8	1,270	3/4	June	114	Mar
Union Traction50	25/8	21/2	25/8	240	23/8	Jan	35%	Mar
United Corp com*	234	234	234	2	2	Apr	35/8	Mar
Preferred*		34%	35 7/8	142	315%	Jan	38%	Feb
United Gas improve com. *	13	123%	131/8	4.660	10 %	Apr	1314	Feb
Preferred*		11434		215	1117/8	Jan	117	June
		83/8	81/2	58	714	Apr	916	Mar
		81/8	81/2	75	8	Apr	10	Jan
Bonds—					14.10	100		
El & Peoples tr etfs 4s_1945		81/8	81/8	\$8,000	61/2	Jan'	93%	June

#### Pittsburgh Stock Exchange

July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's		Week	Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1939
Stocks— Pa		Low	High	Shares	Lo	w	Hi	n .
Allegheny Ludlum Steel	*	1514	151/4	65	14%	Apr	271/8	Jan
Arkansas Nat Gas pref_10	0	7	7	87	55%	Jan	734	May
Armstrong Cork Co	*	34 7/8	34 1/8	10	34 7/8	June	561/8	Jan
Blaw-Knox Co	93/8	93/8	93/8	60	93%	June	171/8	Jan
Byers (A M) com	*	91/8	91/2	165	71/8	Apr	125%	Jan
Carnegie Metal Co	1	30c	30c	240		June	60c	Jan
Clark (D L) Candy Co	6	6	6	200	5	Apr	61/2	Jan
Columbia Gas & Electric_	*	578	6	57	51/4	Apr	85%	Feb
Consolidated Ice Co	*	25c	25c	209	25c	Mar	25c	Mar
Preferred	*	1	1	38	1	July	116	June
Duquesne Brewing Co	1234	1234	1234	152	1114	Apr	147/8	Mar
Electric Products	*	51/2	51/2	25	5	Apr	61/8	Jan
Fort Pitt Brewing	1 13%	13%	11/2	2.320	90c	Jan	1.50	Feb
Koppers G & Coke pref-10	57	55	57	40	55	July	721/8	Jan
Lone Star Gas Co	* 9	9	9	1.218	71/8	Apr	93%	Feb
Mesta Machine Co	2734	2734	2734	25	2734	July	27%	July
Mountain Fuel Supply1	45%	4 1/8	45%	410	4	Apr	514	Jan
Natl Fireproofing Corp	*	114	11/2	602	114	July	3	Jan
Penn Federal 41/2 % pref_5	0	25	25	10	25	Mar	26	Feb
Pittsburgh Plate Glass 2		100%	103%	46	90%	Apr	11634	Mar
Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt	51/8	51/8	51/8	50	4 7/8	Apr	91/8	Jan
Plymouth Oil Co	18%	1878	18%	2	18 7/8	July	221/4	Mar
Renner Co		55c	55c	175	55c	June	80c	Jan
San Toy Mining Co	1000000	1e	1e	2,500	1c	Jan	1c	Jan
United Eng & Foundry		285%	295%	291	25 1/8	Apr	381/8	Mar
Victor Brewing Co		25c	25c	125	25c	Jan	40c	Jan
Westinghouse Air Brake	20	1934	201/4	245	18	Apr	31%	Jan
Unlisted—		1.750		100				1016
Pennroad Corp v t c	l <sup>1</sup>	11/8	11/8	10	11%	July	11%	Jan

#### St. Louis Stock Exchange

July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's	Week's Range of Prices		Range Since Jan. 1, 1939			
Stocks— Par		Low	High	Week Shares	Lo	w	Hi	7h
American Inv com*		34	34	200	27	Feb	35	June
Brown Shoe com*	35	35	35	30		Jan	36	June
Century Electric Co10		21/2	21/2	40		July	334	Jan
Chic & Sou Air L pref10		934	934	45	8	May	10	June
Coca-Cola Bottling com1		32	321/2	120	31	May	34%	Mar
Collins-Morris Shoe com_1		21/2	21/2	235	21/6	July	914	Jan
Columbia Brew com5			111/2	375	61/2	Apr	1116	July
Dr Pepper com*	311/4	311/4	311/4	60	27	Apr	3234	Mar
Elder Mfg com*		l. 9	9	2	9	June	9	June
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	Friday Last	Week's		Sales for	Range Since Jan. 1, 193				
Stocks (Concluded) P 7	Sale Price	Low P	High	Week Sh res	Lo	w	Hi	7h	
Falstaff Brew com1		71/2		10		June		June	
Hussmann-Ligonier com*	101/2	101/2	1034	100	10	Apr	12	Feb	
Huttig S & D com5	734	734	734	365		May		Mar	
Hyde Park Brew com10	56	55 1/8		25	461/2	Apr		June	
Hydraulic Pr Brick com 100		13c		130	13c			Feb	
International Shoe com*	3234	321/2	3234	240	31	May	35	Mar	
Mo Port Cement com25	10	10	101/4	235	9	Apr		Mar	
Natl Candy com*		61/4	614	40	6	Apr	10	Feb	
Scruggs-V-B Inc com5	7	6	7	238	5	Apr	73/4	June	
1st pref100		85	85	10	731/2	Feb	85	July	
	1041/2	1041/2	1041/2	5	104	Mar	105	Mar	
Stix Baer & Fuller com10		81/2	81/2	23	57/8	Jan	81/2	July	
Sedalia Water pref		90	90	50	90	July	901/2	June	
Bonds-				1		28	1000		
City & Suburb P S 5s-1934		281/2	281/2	1,000		June		Mar	
St Louis Car 6s extd		72	72	2,000	72	July	78	Apr	
Scullin Steel 3s1941	52	52	52	500	48	May	60	Mar	
†United Railway 4s1934		29	29	3,0001	241/2	Jan'	311/2	Mar	

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#### San Francisco Stock Exchange

July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Sale	Week's I		Sales for Week	Range Since	Jan. 1, 1939
Stocks- Par			High	Shares	Low	High
Alaska Juneau Gold Min 10	75/8	75%	75%	165	7¼ June	10 Jan
Anglo Amer Min Corp1	10c	10c	10c	600	10c July	
Associated Ins Fund Inc 10	4 7/8	47/8	4 1/8	195	4 Apr	
Bank of California N A80	130 3/4	130 34 1	321/4	40	124 Apr	190 Jan
Calamba Sugar pref20		201/2	201/2	50	20 Mar	21½ June
Calif-Engels Mining Co-25	22c 18¾	22c	22c	430	22c June	
Calif Packing Corp com* Preferred	525%	18 52	18 1/8 53 1/2	561 130	13% Apr 48% Mar	
Calif Water Serv pref100	1031/2	1031/2 1	0316	30	98 Jan	53½ July 103½ July
Caterpillar Tractor pf100		104 1	04	20	10234 Apr	
Cent Eureka Min Co com 1	3 7/8	35%	3 1/8	1,925	31/8 Apr	
Chrysler Corp com5			6934	235	55% Apr	85 Mar
Clorox Chemical Co10		431/2	431/2	183	35 Jan	
Coast Cos G & E 1st pf_100 Cons Chem Ind A*	21		06 21¾	110 1,368	103% June	
Creamerles of Am Inc vtc_1		51/8	51%	200	16¼ Apr 4 Jan	
Crown Zellerbach com5	95%	93%	95%	1,076	9 Apr	5% Mar 14% Jan
Preferred*	771/2	7614	77½ 2.50	280	761/4 July	91 Jan
Di Giorgio Fruit com 10		2.50	2.50	105	1.90 May	4½ Feb
Preferred100		12	12	170	8 Apr	21 Feb
Emporium Capweil Corp.* Pref (ww)50	16½ 40¾	161/2	1634	1,315	14 Jan	18 Mar
Pref (ww)50 Emsco Der & Equip Co 5	40%	40 7½	40 3/8 7 1/2	110 286	35% Jan 6½ Apr	42¾ June 10½ Jan
Fireman's Fund Ins Co25	200		90	50	6½ Apr 79¼ Apr	10½ Jan 92¾ June
Emsco Der & Equip Co_5 Fireman's Fund Ins Co_25 Gen Metals Corp cap_2½		51/2	51/6	100	5½ May	9¾ Jan
General Motors com10		431/8	43 1/8	275	3814 Apr	511/4 Mar
Golden State Co Ltd*	91/8	834	91/8	1,025	6 Apr	91/4 June
Hawaiian Pine Co Ltd*	191/2		191/2	1,030	17½ Apr	221/4 June
Holly Development1 Honolulu Oil Corp cap*	1.05	1.05 18¼	$1.05 \\ 18\frac{1}{2}$	200 285	95c Apr 18 May	1.40 Jan
Honolulu Plantation Co_20		151/2	151/2	10	18 May 12½ Feb	23½ Feb 17 May
Hutchinson Sugar Plant_15		81/2	81/2	100	8 Feb	8½ Apr
Langendorf Utd Bk A*		171/2	171/2	100	15 Apr	201/2 Mar
B*		101/4	1014	150	8¾ Jan	12% Mar
Preferred50 Lockheed Aircraft Corp_1		43½ 25½	431/2	10	38½ Jan 22¾ Apr	45 June
March Calcul Machine 5	******		25½ 16	110 252	22¾ Apr 11¾ Apr	36¾ Feb 16¼ Mar
Meier & Frank Co Inc 10	101/4		101/	450	9 Jan	16½ Mar 10½ May
Menasco Mfg Co com1	101.00	2.10	2.25	450	2.00 June	5% Jan
National Auto Fibres com 1	63/8	63/8	61/2	250	5 Apr	9¼ Jan
Natomas Co*	101/8		101/8	170	9¾ May	111/8 Mar
Occidental Petroleum 1 Pacific Can Co com **	10c	10c 11	10c	100 310	10c June	19c Jan
Pacific Coast Aggregates 10	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.541	8 Jan 1,40 Apr	121/8 June 2.40 Jan
Pacific Gas & Elec com 25	30 5%	301/2	30 5%	1,384	27% Apr	34% Mar
6% 1st pref25	341/4	33 5%	34 1/2	1,981	311/ Feb	341/2 July
6% 1st pref25 514% 1st pref25	311/4	30 34	311/4	684	28% Jan	31 1/4 July
Pacific Light Corn com			4614	779	4114 Feb	4914 Mar
\$5 div* Pac Pub Ser com*	51/2	1061/2 10	07 5½	180 1,120	105% June 5½ Mar	107 June
1st pref*	215%	21%	21 1/8	397	5½ Mar 18¾ Apr	7½ Jan 22 June
Pacific Tel & Tel com 100	128	126 1	28	20	114 Apr	133 June
RE&RCoLtd com*	51/2	51/2	51/2	127	5¼ May	101/8 Mar
Preferred100	31		32	30	31 July	60 May
Rayonier Inc com1 Rayonier Inc pref25 Rheem Mfg Co1	141/4	7	734	420 290	7 June 12% June	16¾ Jan
Rheem Mfg Co	13		1414	265	12% June 10% Apr	23 Jan 14% Jan
Richfield Oil Corp com	77%	714	7%	962	61% Apr	14% Jan 10¼ Jan
Ryan Aeronautical Co 1	55/8	514	55%	630	5 Mar	7¼ Jan
Schlesinger Co B F com*		1.60	1.60	188	1.60 July	2.00 Jan
Schlesinger Co B F com_*  7% pref25 Shell Union Oil com*		534	534	200	41/2 Mar	6 Feb
Signal Oil & Gog Co A		101/2	10½	200	10½ July	13¾ Jan
Signal Oil & Gas Co A* Soundview Pulp Co com 5	12	26 :	26 1/8 12 1/4	255	26 May 11 Apr	32 Jan
Droformod	12		87	10	11 Apr 79½ May	19½ Jan 96 Jan
SO Calli Gas pref ser A 25		33%	33 %	20	32 Jan	34% June
Southern Pacific Co100 Standard Oil Co of Calif*	125/8	111%	1256	907	10% Apr	2134 Jan
Standard Oil Co of Calif*	25 1/8	2534	261/2	1,976	251/2 June	29% Mar
Super Mold Corp capital 10		351/2	3514	320	21 Jan	35% May

	Friday Last Sale		Range	Sales for	Range	Since	Jan. 1,	1939
Stocks (Concluded) Par		Low P	High	Week Shares	Lo	w	Hi	n
Tide Wat Ass'd Oil com_10	11%	1134	1134	230	113%	Apr	141/6	Ja
Preferred*	20.00	90	91	20	90	July	95%	Ja
Transamerica Corp2	534	5 5/8	57/8	2,586	514		734	Jan
Union Oil Co of Calif25		1614	1614	349		June	19%	Jai
Union Sugar com25	17, 97, 15,	41/2	41/2	225	41/2	July	878	Fel
Victor Equip Co pref5	616	61/2	61/2	175		May	9	Ja
Wells Fargo Bk & U T 100	291	291	291	10	280	Apr	300	Ja
Yel Checker Cab ser 1_50	24	24	25	50	23	Apr	36%	Ma
Unlisted—								
Amer & Foreign Pow com_*	21/8	21/8	21/8	200	21/8	July	21/8	Jul
Am Rad & St Sntry *		111/2	111/2	100	111/2	July	17	Ma
American Tel & Tel Co_100	a1613/8	a1575/8		195	147 3/8	Apr	170	Ma
Amer Toll Bridge (Del)_1	48c	48c	48c	950	38c	Jan	67c	
Anaconda Copper Min_50		227/8	227/8	162	21 1/2	Apr	36	Ja
Anglo Nat Corp A com*	834	834	834	10	85%	Apr	111%	Ma
Aviation Corp of Del3		3 7/8	43/8	1,699	376	June	81/2	Ja
Balt & Ohio RR com100	a45%	a45%	a45/8	50	434	Apr	678	Fe
Bendix Aviation Corp. 5		225/8	225%	100	18	Apr	2914	Fe
Blair & Co Inc cap1	15%	11/2	15%	783	11/2		33%	Ja
Bunker Hill & Sullivan 2.50	1316	13 1/2	13 1/2	200	111/2	ADI	1414	Ma
Cal Ore Pwr 6% pf '27_100	1000	761/2	761/2	25	65	Apr	78	Jun
Cities Service Co com10		51/2	51/2	214	6	May	9	Fel
Consolidated Oil Corp*		a734	a734	80	714	Apr	914	Jan
Curtiss-Wright Corp 1	4.5.3.2.2	53/8	53%	165	476	Apr	714	Jai
Dominguez Oil Co * Hobbs Battery Co A *	- Charles	3516	351/2	65	31	Apr	37%	Fel
Hobbs Battery Co A **	a2.50		a2.50	44	2.50		2.50	Ma
Inti Tel & Tel Co com *	06	a55%		127	6	Apr	91/2	Fe
Italo Pet Corp of Am com 1	175 18 18 18	20c	20c	610		June	37c	Ja
Italo Pet of Amer pref1	1.55	1.55	1.55	622	1.50	Apr	2.50	Ja
Kenn Copper Corp com_*	321/4		321/4	150	29	Apr	403/8	Ja
M J & M & M Cons1	11c	110	11c	2,700		June	16c	Jan
Montgomery Ward & Co *	a49 1/8	a49 %		135	44 14	Apr	5234	Fel
Mountain City Copper 5	33/	31/2	3 34	1.030		June	61/2	Jan
Nash-Kelvinator Corp. 5	a5 7/8	a5 7/8	a5 1/8	20	534	Apr	814	Ma
North American Aviation 1		1434	1434	220	1376	Apr	1914	Fel
Oahu Sugar Co Ltd cap_20	a191/2	a191/2		5	201/8		251/2	
Pacific Ptld Cement prf 100	010/2	43	43 1/2	120	43	Jan	48	Fel
Pioneer Mill Co20	95%	95/8	95%	10	95%		111/2	Ma
Radio Corn of America *	0 78	a51/4	a6 8	53		July	814	Jai
Shasta Water Co com*		18	18	300	15%	Apr	2614	
So Calif Edison com25	a26 3/	a263/8		110	231/8	May	2714	Jan
6% preferred25	2914	2914	293/8			Jan		Ma
516 % pref 25	907/	2834	2878	376	28 7/8	Jan	295/8	Ma
So Calif Gas 6% pref25	#0 /B	3314		283 40	271/2	Jan	291/8	Jun
SO PROUDOID COLORO NOTIONI		3	3314		32	Jan	331/2	Fel
		a6 3/8	a6 3/8	20		June	4	Ja
Studebaker Corp com1				75		May	714	
Superior Ptld Cem com P	1217	634	634	200	51/2	Apr	83/8	Ma
Superior Ptld Cem com B.* United States Steel com*	10/2	131/2	131/2	200	10	Apr	147/8	Ma
Warner Bros Pictures5		44 7/8	461/8	456		May	69%	Jai
Transfer Dioser letures5	a4 1/81	a41/8	a41/81	10	41/8	Apri	65%	Ma

a Odd lot sales. b Ex-stock dividend. d Deferred delivery h sale—Not included in range for year. z Ex-dividend.

z Listed. † In default.

# Governors of New York Stock Exchange Adopt Rule Prohibiting Partners of Member Firms from En-gaging in Margin Trading After July 15

The Board of Governors of the New York Stock Exchange on June 28 adopted a rule prohibiting general partners of member firms doing a margin business with the public as well as barring them from trading on margin with their own or other member firms. In a notice accompanying the rule, which becomes effective July 15, Charles E. Saltzman, Vice-President and Secretary of the Exchange, states that the rule does not require the closing out of security positions which have been assumed prior to July 15, 1939, and which are not on a "cash" basis, but it does preclude in such accounts transactions of any but a liquidating nature. It should also be noted, Mr. Saltzman said, that the new rule does not supersede or change the minimum capital require-The Board of Governors of the New York Stock Exchange does not supersede or change the minimum capital requiredoes not supersede or enange the minimum capital requirements of the Exchange in any respect. The Committee on Member Firms, in administering the rule, will, he said "scrutinize carefully the accounts of close relatives of general partners in order to satisfy itself that the spirit of the rule being observed."

The text of the rule follows:

Rule 616 (a) No general partner of a member firm carrying margin accounts for others than members of a national securities exchange and brokers and dealers registered under the provisions of Section 15(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 shall effect or cause to be effected any transaction in securities, other than transactions entered into in error, for any account (other than an account of his own firm or an exempted account) in which he has a direct or indirect interest and which is carried by his own firm or by any broker or dealer (other than a bank which is not a member of any national securities exchange), unless such transactions are made on a "cash" basis.

(b) No member firm carrying margin accounts for others than members.

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(1) effect or cause to be effected for any account (other than an exmepted account) in which such firm has a direct or indirect interest any transaction in securities other than transactions entered into in error, or

(2) permit the withdrawal by a partner of cash or securities, if in either case such firm has or should have knowledge that as a result of if in either case such firm has or should have knowledge that as a result of such transaction or withdrawal the aggregate market value of the security positions of such firm, plus the aggregate market value of the security positions in all accounts of its general partners on the books of the firm, other than the market value of the security positions in exempted accounts firm and its general partners, would exceed the net capital of the firm as computed for the purposes of the capital requirements of the Exchange except that securities and "spot" commodities shall be credited at their full market value.

(c) The exempted accounts referred to in paragraphs (a) and (b) of the

(c) The exempted accounts referred to in paragraphs (a) and (b) Rule shall be accounts which contain only transactions or positions in securities involved in or resulting from the following:

(1) Transactions for the account of a firm or a general partner thereof while acting as a specialist, in securities in which he or his firm is registered;
(2) Transactions for the account of a firm or a general partner thereof while acting as an odd-lot dealer, in securities in which he or his firm is registered:

while acting as an odd-lot dealer, in securities in which he or his firm is registered;

(3) Transactions entered into for bona fide arbitrage;

(4) Transactions entered into in connection with a primary or secondary distribution provided:

(i) that as to a primary distribution, a registration statement under the Securities Act of 1933 is in effect as to the security, or the issuance of the security is subject to the provisions of Section 20a of the Interstate Commerce Act; or

(ii) that in the case of a secondary distribution of a listed security, it has en approved by the Committee on Member Firms; or

(iii) the Committee on Member Firms exempts the transactions as in volving a bona fide primary or secondary distribution of securities no acquired in the open market.

(5) Transactions effected for the account of a firm or a general partner thereof to enable it or him to fill an order of a customer who has agreed that cash payment in full will be promptly made for securities purchased or that securities sold will be promptly delivered;

(6) Short sales provided that, in addition to the proceeds of the sale, cash equal to the cover value of all securities short in the account, or securities having an equivalent loan value, are maintained in the account;

(7) Purchases for the account of a firm, in the regular course of its business as a dealer, of obligations or preferred stocks of an investment character for the purpose of making a merchandising profit (as opposed to the purpose of holding for appreciation or investment), and covered by the first four ratings by any of the nationally known statistical services;

(8) Transactions in securities exempted from registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 otherwise than by action of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

# Registered Employees of New York Stock Exchange Firms to Take Examination in Order to Qualify Under Amended Rules

About 2,800 employees of member firms of the New York Stock Exchange, including security salesmen and securities traders, will take a comprehensive written examination on July 10, in order to qualify under the recently amended Stock Exchange rules affecting registered employees. The amended rules, which were effective June 1, provide for more intensive control of member firm registered employees and called for their classification into two general groups, "registered representatives" and "branch office managers" in place of the previous ten classifications, which, says the Stock Exchange, were branch office manager, customer's man, junior customer's man, foreign representative, international arbitrageur, manager of foreign activities, securities salesman, securities trader, service man and travelling representative. The About 2,800 employees of member firms of the New trader, service man and travelling representative. Stock Exchange further explained:

Examinations have been given to prospective customers' men for more than three years, and other classes of registered employees also have been examined, with the exception of securities salesmen and securities traders, who heretofore have been exempt. The examination of the latter two classes of employees will be conducted in member firms' offices, under the supervision of partners or office managers.

The new rules were mentioned in these columns May 13, page 2819.

#### Distribution of Funds by Community Trusts in United States and Canada Increased 50% in 1938 over Any Previous Volume

Distributions of philanthropic funds through community trusts in the United States and Canada rose by over 50% in 1938 over any previously attained volume and reached a total of \$1,757,000 compared with \$1,151,000 in 1937, accordtotal of \$1,757,000 compared with \$1,151,000 in 1937, according to a summary of the year-end resources of community trusts and foundations published June 4 by the New York Community Trust. In the past 10 years the volume of outpayments through these agencies has more than doubled. The number of disbursing trusts was 43 in 1938, 42 in 1937, the New York institution said, continuing:

At the close of 1938 community trusts held aggregate resources of \$48,503,000, compared with \$48,020,000 at Dec. 31, 1937. During the past 12 years the funds of these trusts have trebled. Led by those in New York, Chicago and Cleveland, 13 community trusts or foundations have accumulated resources in excess of \$1,000,000. Those having the largest funds are:

New York Community Trust	\$8,600.24
Chicago Community Trust	6.846.33
Cleveland Foundation	6.190.87
Boston Permanent Charity Fund	5 069 57
Winnipeg Foundation	3.307.67
Indianapolis Foundation	2.731.00
Minneapolis Foundation	2,381,12

The largest distributor in 1938 was the Buffalo Foundation, which paid out \$723,960. The New York Community Trust was second, with appropriation of \$209,994, and the Cleveland Foundation third with \$181,358. In Boston \$180,120 was disbursed; in Chicago, \$155,645, and in Indianapolis, \$112,865.

The greatest net growth reported during 1938 was from Rochester, N. Y., where principal funds were increased by \$237,239. In Chicago there were additions of \$221,500; in Boston, \$161,262, and in Providence, \$149,240.

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## M. D. Cahn Reelected President of Chicago Stock Clearing Corporation

Morton D. Cahn was reelected President of the Chicago Stock Clearing Corp., a subsidiary of the Chicago Stock Exchange, at the annual meeting of the corporation held June 29. C. R. Bergherm was chosen Vice-President; Martin E. Nelson, Secretary and Treasurer; and R. T. Sundelius, Manager and Assistant Treasurer. Directors of the corporation for the organization for the corporation fo Directors of the corpora tion for the ensuing year are:

Morton D. Cahn, Ralph W. Davis, Warren A. Lamson, Irving E. Meyer-off, Charles C. Renshaw, Paul B. Skinner, Kenneth L. Smith and Virgil

The Executive Committee is composed of Messrs. Cahn, Lamson and Smith.

# Canadian Markets LISTED AND UNLISTED

#### Provincial and Municipal Issues

Closing bid a	nd as	ked q	uotations, Friday, Jul	7 7	100
Province of Alberta-	Bid	Ask	Province of Ontario-		Ask
58Jan 1 1948	65	67	58Oct 1 1942		1101/2
4168Oct 1 1956	63	641/2	68Sept 15 1943		11614
Prov of British Columbia-	W. 1.12	120	58May 1 1959	121	12234
58July 12 1949	104 16	106	48June 1 1962	108 1/2	110
41/8 Oct 1 1953		10314		1161/2	118
Province of Manitoba-				100	710
41/8Aug 1 1941	97	9814	Province of Quebec-	See at	2 573
58June 15 1954	951/2	97	4148Mar 2 1950	1101/2	1111%
58Dec 2 1959	96	97	46Feb 1 1958	1081/2	1091
Prov of New Brunswick-			41/8 May 1 1961	112	1131
41/8 Apr 15 1960	114	116		100	
4168 Apr 15 1961	106	10716	Prov of Baskatchewan-	Sold Little	100
Province of Nova Scotia-		1-0.10	58June 15 1943	82	84
4148Sept 15 1952	10816	11016	5 168 Nov 15 1946	82	85
58Mar 1 1960	115		41/s Oct 1 1951		81

#### Railway Bonds

The statement of the mark Mark	Bid	Ask	Canadian Pacific Ry—	Bid	Ask
4s perpetual debentures_	72 1/2	1 73/2	1 4 738 DODE 1 1940	9614	97
68Sept 15 1942 4 1/8Dec 15 1944 59 July 1 1944	90 1/2	911/2	41/sJuly 1 1960	84	851/2

#### **Dominion Government Guaranteed Bonds**

Canadian National Ry-	Bid	Ask	Canadian Northern Ry— 6½sJuly 1 1946	Bid	Ask
41/8Sept 1 195	1 115	115%	61/sJuly 1 1946	123	12334
4%8June 15 195	5 118	1181	Grand Trunk Paditic Ry-		Copies (
4168July 1 195	71 1162	6111636	48Jan 1 1902	1081/2	110%
58July 1 196 58Oct 1 196	9 116	112034	3sJan 1 1962	ยย	100
Feb 1 107	0 120	12034			2 10 4

#### Montreal Stock Exchange

July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Last Last	Week's	Range	for	Range Sine	ce Jan. 1, 1939
Stocks- Par	Sale Price	of Pr	ices High	Week Shares	Low	, High
Stocks— Par	True	Low	11 cyn	Brares		
Agnew-Surpass Shoe-	107	107	107		107 Fe	eb 107 Feb
Preferred100	107	107	10	50	614 A	
Algoma Steel Corp* Preferred100	70	67	70	55	511/2 A	pr 70 June
Ashestos Corp	2134	211/4	211/4	1,243	19 A	pr 28¼ Jan
Associated Brewerles*		1614	1614	52	15 Js	
Asbestos Corp* Associated Brewerles* Preferred100		110	110	6 150	112 Ma	pr 834 Jan
	534	53/4 15	6 15	25	5 A <sub>1</sub>	
Bawlf (N) Grain pref_100 Bell Telephone100 Brazilian Tr Lt & Power_*	175	175	1751/2	790	166 Ja	
Brasilian Tr Lt & Power *	83/8	8	91/8	3,571	7½ Ja 22½ Ja 2½ Ma	n 12% Mar
British Col Power Corpa. *		2714	2714	85	221/2 Ja	
Bruck Silk Mills* Building Products A (new)*		3	.3	10	2½ Ma 14 Ai	y 4½ Jan or 17 Mar
Building Products A (new)* Bulolo Gold Dredging Canada Cement*	17	16¾ 23½	17 23½	215 255	14 A) 23 A)	
Bulolo Gold Dredging	40 72	71/2	734	508	7 A	
Canada Cement100	. 78	94	94	107	89 A	
Canada Forgings cl A*		7	7	40	7 Jur	nel 121/6 Jan
Can North Power Corn *		161/8	161/8	65	14½ Ma	y 18 Mar
Canada Steamship (new) -*	1.60	1.60	1.60	45	1.60 Ju	ly 25% Jan 1014 Jan
Canadian Proper	******	7¾ 31	8 31	357 25	734 Ja 30 Jur	
Canadian Car & Foundry Preferred 25 Canadian Celanese Preferred 7% 100		834	91/8	525	7% Jur	
Preferred25		20	21	145	1734 Jur	ne 34 Jan
Canadian Celanese*	161/2	151/2	17	415	1034 Ja	
Preferred 7% 100	108		108	90	98 A	or 111 June ar 21 Feb
Rights* Canadian Indus Alcohol*	1.80	20 1.80	$\frac{21}{1.80}$	25 195	19½ Ma	
Class B	1.00	11/2	11/2	75	1¼ M	
Canadian Locomotive*	4	4	4	90	4 Ju	ly 8 Mar
Class B ** Canadian Locomotive ** Canadian Pacific Ry ** 25	3 1/8	31/8	41/8	2,434	3% A	pr 61% Jan
Consol Mining & Smelting 5	41 1/8	38	42	2,217	3734 Ma	
Crown Cork & Seal Co*		25 17	25 175/8	75 198	213/8 Ja 16 Ja	
Distillers Seagrams*		27	27	195	2416 A	
Dominion Coal pref 25	181/4	18	1814	425	15 Ja	
Dominion Glass100		114	114	18	108 Ja	
Distillers Seagrams	10%	162	162 1034	130 1,712	150 Ja	
	10 78	43/8	5	395	4 A	
Preferred100		80	80	10	77 Ja	in 80 June
Dom Tar & Chem ** Preferred 100 Dominion Textile 100 Preferred 100	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2	250	55 Js	
Preferred100 Dryden Paper	31/4	152 31/4	152 31/4	120	153 Ma 314 A	
	374	Sec. 25		On the said		
Electrolux Corp		91/2	934	170		pr 15 Jan ar 23¾ Apr
Famous Players C Corp. * Foundation Co of Canada *	23½ 7¾	23½ 7½	23½ 7¾	809 45		pr 11% Jan
Gatineau Power	14	14	1414	207	11% J	an 161% Mar
Preferred100	94	93	94	290	88 J	an 95 June
Rights		41/4	41/2	1,095		an 6 Mar ly 82 Jan
General SteelWares pref100 Gypsum Lime & Alabas. *	65	60	65	97 25	60 Ju	ay 6½ Jan
Hamilton Bridge*		75c	85c	145	75c Ju	ly 6 Jan
Hollinger Gold Mines5	151/2	15	151/2	990	13¾ A	pr 151/4 June
Hudson Bay Mining* Imperial Oil Ltd*	321/4	301/2	321/4	375	2516 A	pr 3514 Jan ne 1714 Mar
Imperial Tobacco of Can_5	15 16 %	141/4	15 16%	3,113	14 Ju 151 M	
Intl Bronze Powders pref2:	16%	2416	241/2	4,441 30		pr 26½ Jan
Intl Nickel of Canada*	451/2	451/2	47	3,375	4234 A	pr 56 34 Jan
Intl Bronze Powders pret2: Intl Nickel of Canada Internat Pet Co Ltd		201/2	213/8	563	20¾ Ju	
Lake of the Woods		16	16	110	13¼ A 95% Ju	pr 17½ Mar ne 12½ Jan
Massey-Harris		9¾ 4¾	10 51/8	120 540	95% Ju	pr 734 Jan
Lake of the Woods ** Lang & Sons (John A) * Massey-Harris * McCoil-Frontenac Oil * Montreal Cottons pref 100	6	51/2	6	405	516 F	eb 714 Mar
		0	91/2	10,011	100 A	pr 100 Apr
Mont LH & P Consol*	31 1/2	31	311/2	4,043		pr 33 June ar 57 Jan
Montreal Tramways100	651/2	53 651/2	6516	10 25	54 M 66 M	
National Brewerles	411/2	4014	65 1/2 41 1/2	2,273	3816 A	pr 43 Mar
National Brewerles Preferred 25	441/2	44	441/2	480	41½ J	an 45½ Feb
National Steel Car Corp *		46	46	30	43½ M	
Noranda Mines Ltd	78	781/2 251/8	78 251/2	3,106 637		pr 82 Mar pr 2914 Mar
Preferred100		160	160	2	156 M	ar 162 Mar
Ogilvie Flour Mills Preferred 100 Ottawa L H & Pow 100	14	14	14	30	14 Ju	

#### Montreal Stock Exchange

	riday Last	Week's			Range Since Jan. 1, 1939			
	Sale Price	of Prices Low High		Week Sh res	Low		High	
Power Corp of Canada* Price Bros & Co Ltd*	91/2	91/4	91/2	100 456	9 914	May Apr	1214	Jan Jan
Preferred100		40	40	15	40	May	5734	Jan
Quebec Power*	17	161/2	17	180	16	Jan	19	Mar
Regent Knitting*		2	2	15	21/8	June	41/2	Jan
Saguenay Power pref 100		106	10634	42	1031/2	Apr	107	Apr
St Lawrence Corp*	234	21/2	234	680	23%	Apr	45%	Jan
A preferred50	81/2	81/2	81/4	40	734	July	151/2	Jan
St Lawrence Paper pref_100		251/2	26	185	21	Apr	42	Jan
Shawinigan W & Power *	1934	187/8	20	1,510			221/2	Mar
Sherman-Williams Canada*		10	10	10	10	May	14 1/8	Jan
Preferred100		113	113	10	110	Jan	110	Jan
Simon (H) & Sons*			71/4	10	73/8	Jan	9	Jan
Southern Canada Power *		111/2	1134	21	101/2	Apr	12	Jan
Steel Co of Canada		731/2	74	193	67	Apr	771/4	June
Preferred25		72	73	29	661	Apr	74%	June
Tooke Bros pref100		6	6	. 35	5	Mar	7	Mar
United Steel Corp		334	334	55	31/2		7	Jan
Viau Biscuit*		3	3	213	21%	Feb	3	Jan
Winnipeg Electric A*	- 01-	1.60	1.60	145	1.50	Mar	214	Jan
B*		1.60	1.60	27	1.60		2.00	Jan
Preferred100		8	8	119	7.	Apr	10	Mar
Zellers Ltd*		8	8	50	7	Feb	9	Jan
Banks-	1.16		900 C	5 1,217		100	V. S. S.	Manks
Canadienne100		165	165	28	162	Mar	1673	Feb
Commerce100 1	1671/2		1671/2	24	160	Apr	178	Jan
Montreal100 2	213	213	213	105	203	Mar	222	Jan
Nova Scotia100		300	300	6	300	Apr	310	Feb
Royal100'		191	191	80'	178	Apr	193	May

#### **Montreal Curb Market**

July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday Last Week's Range Sale of Prices Par Price Low High		Sales for Week	Range Since Jan. 1, 1939			
Stocks- Par			Shares	Low	High		
Abitibl Pow & Paner Co		50c 55c 3¾ 4	532 120	50c May 3½ June 1.25 May	2¼ Ja 21¼ Ja		
6% cum pref100 Bathurst Pow & Paper B_* Beauharnois Pow Corp*		1.60 1.60	130	1.25 May	3.25 Ja		
Beauharnois Pow Corp*		4 41/4	697	3 Jan	4% Fe		
Beld-Corticelli 7% cmpf100		140 140	35	135 Jan	141 Ap 231 Fe		
Beld-Corticelli 7% cmpf100 Brit Amer Oil Co Ltd* British Columbia Packers.*	22¾ 13	22½ 22¾ 12½ 13	3,387 274	19% Apr 11 Jan	13 July		
Canada & Dom Sug (new) *	251/8	25% 26	565	25½ June	281 Fe		
Canada & Dom Sug (new) * Canada Malting Co Ltd*	20/8	36 36	30	3214 Jan	38 Jun		
Can Nor Pow 7% cm pf 100	1101/2	1101/2 111	16	107 Jan	112 Ja		
Janada Starch Co Ltd_100	0 1/4	6 614	85	6 June	7½ Ja		
lanada Vinegara Ltd *	120000000000000000000000000000000000000		50	12 Apr	14 Fe		
CanWire & C 6% cumpf100 Canadian Breweries Ltd*	7 1 10	107 107	70	101 May 1.00 June	107½ Jun 1.80 Ja		
Canadian Breweries Ltd*	1.10	21 2114	30	18 Apr	23 Ja		
and Industries Ltd B *		197 1/2 197 1/2	15	1.981 June	2.24 Fe		
2ndn Intl Inv Trust*		50c 50c	150	75c Jan	75c Ja		
Ondn Vickers Ltd*		21/2 21/2	70	2 June	10 Ja		
7% cum pref100		1234 1234	20	20 Apr	41 Ja		
Canadian Wineries*		31/2 31/2	10 66	3 Jan 6 Jan	3½ Ma 8½ Ma		
50% cum pref		12 12	730	11 Jan	13 Jun		
Commercial Alcohola I +4 *	1.70	1.70 1.75	275	1.50 Jan	2.50 Fe		
Preferred 5	51/4	514 514	10	4¾ Jan	5 % Ja		
Canadian Breweries Ltd.	334	35/8 4	3,614	3¾ June	7¾ Ja		
David & Frere Ltee A* Dom Engineering Works.*		121/2 121/2	10	11½ May	17 Ma		
Dom Engineering Works.*		21 21 31 31	15 15	25 May 31 June	38 Fe 33 Fe		
Dom Oilcloth & Lino *	33/8	31/ 35/	285	3 Apr	5% Ja		
Donnacona Paper A*	378	316 316	25	3 Apr	5 Ja		
		3 34 4	620	3¼ Apr	6 Jai		
fleet Aircraft Ltd*		53/8 6	375	6 Apr	10% Jan		
Rights	15	10 30	3,885	11 July	30 Jul		
Ford Motor of Can A*		19 20	300	17 Apr	23% Ja		
oreign Power Sec Corp*		20c 20c	100 25	15c Apr 7½ July	20c Jul 14¾ Ma		
Voting twist		7½ 7½ 7% 8¾	536	7½ June	17¼ Ja		
Hydro-Floe Securities *	٥	31/8 31/8	60	3½ Jan	37/8 Jul		
Floet Aircraft Ltd	3214	321/2 321/2	25	25 Apr	35 Jun		
Intl Utilities Corp A ****	8	8 8	110	8 May	9 Ja		
B1				45c Apr	70c Ja		
Lake Sulphite Pulp Co* Mackenzie Air Service*		75c 75c 50 50	75 400	75c Apr 50c Jan	3% Ja 1.05 Ja		
Mackenzie Air Service*		41 43	330	29% Apr	60½ Ja		
Massey-Harris5% cmpf 100 McColl-Fron 6% cm pf_100	72	881/2 881/2	5	83 Feb	94 Ms		
Melchers Distilleries pref 10	51/2	5 51/2	255	5 July	6½ Ja		
Page-Hersey Tubes I.td *	101	101 101	40	97 Apr	104 Ja		
Power Corp of Canada— 6% cum 1st pref100 Thrift Sts6½% cm 1st prf25				101			
6 % cum 1st pref100		104 104	73 10	101 Jan 2½ July	105 Ja 2½ Jul		
nrift Sts6½ %cm 1st prf25	1.00	2½ 2½ 1.00 1.05	260	2½ July 1.00 Jan	2½ Jul 1.40 Ja		
Walkerville Brewery* Walker-Good & Worts (H)*	1.00	43 43	70	38% Apr	50½ Ja		
\$1 cum pref*	201/4	2014 2014	15	19% June	20½ Ja		
Mines—	1			Art Salban			
Aldermac Copper Corn *		32e 32e	200	300 Apr	50c Ja		
Arno Mines Ltd* Big Missouri Mines1		26 26	1,000 637	1c Jan 8c July	2¼c Jun 28c Ja		
Code Melartic Cold		8c 10½c 72c 75c	1,500	70c Apr	1.00 Ja		
Cndn Malartic Gold* Cent Cadillac (new)1 Conjaurum Mines	200	20c 23c		17c June	25c Ma		
Conjaurum Mines	2.15	1.59 2.27	1,600	1.35 Mar	2.27 Jul		
Consurum Mines  Cons Chibougamau Gold  Dome Mines Ltd  Duparquet Mining Co  East Maiartic Mines  Ildorado Gold M Ltd		12 12	100	11c June	290 Ja		
Dome Mines Ltd		3214 3234	510	31 Apr	3314 Ja		
Duparquet Mining Co 1	2340	234c 3c	8,500	26 Apr	8c Ja 280 Ja		
East Maiartic Mines	1.15	2.43 2.50 1.10 1.15	8,000 1,600	2.10 Apr 1.04 Apr	2.80 Ja 2.35 Ja		
Eldorado Gold M Ltdl Francoeur Gold	1.15	21c 21c		16c Apr	27c Ma		
Goldale Mines	1	22c 26c	5,100	22c July	26c Jul		
		32c 32c	1,000	28c Feb	32c Jur		
Joliet-Quebec	3 1/20	3½c 3½c	1,700	3c Apr	6120 Fe		
Joliet-Quebec		1.46 1.46	200 265	1.20 Jan 34 Apr	1.74 Ma 501/4 Ja		
Lake Shore Mines Ltd	39	15c 15c	2,000	15c July	45c Ja		
Macassa Mines	4.55	4.30 4.55	810	4 10 Apr	5.80 Ja		
Macassa Mines 1 McIntyre-Porcupine 2		54 551/8	145	521/6 Jan	58¼ Ma		
McKenzie-Red Lake Gold1	1.26	1.26 1.26	100	1.07 Apr	1.33 Jur		
Montague Gold 1	40	4c 4c 25c 32c	1,000	4c June 25c May	4½c Ma 60c Ma		
New True Fissure				25c May 1.95 Apr	60c Ma 3.35 Ja		
O'Brien Gold1 Pamour-Porcupine	2.40		1,025	2.50 June	4.80 Ja		

### Canadian Markets—Listed and Unlisted

	Friday Last Sale	Week's Range		Sales for Week	Range Since Jan. 1, 1939			
Stocks (Concluded) Par		Low	High		Lo	w I	Hig	h
Pato Cons Gold Dredging 1	2.25	2.25	2.25	100	2.10	Apr	2.55	Mai
Pend-Orielle M & M1		1.23	1.30			July		Jar
Perron Gold1	1.80	1.80	1.80		1.45			June
Pickle Crow Gd M Ltd1		4.55	4.75	300	4.40	June	5.60	Mai
Premier Gold1		1.72	1.72	100	1.72	July	2.17	Feb
Preston-East Dome1		1.47	1.48	300	1.18	Apr	1.72	Jan
Reward Mining1		134 c	2c	1.000	1%c	July	51/2 C	Jan
Sherritt-Gordon Mines1	1.04	99c	1.09	8,420			1.44	Jar
Siscoe Gold Mines Ltd1	1.11	1.11	1.20	1,500	960	Apr	1.65	Jan
Sladen Mal1	40c	40c	40c	200		Apr	740	
Stadacona (new)*	44% c	43c	45c	38,384		July	1.03	Feb
Sullivan Consolidated1	- 77c	75c	77c	3,500		July	1.01	
Sylvanite Gold1	3.45	3.35	3.45	850	2.80		3.55	Jan
Teck-Hilghes (Jold Ltd. 1)	8 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	4.10	4.10			May	4.60	Mar
Ventures Ltd*		4.60	4.65	200	4.60	July	5.75	
Ventures Ltd * Walte-Amulet * Wood Cad 1		6.50	6.80	350	5.70	Apr	8.10	Jan
Wood Cad1	11c	10c	11c	3.700	8140	Apr	18160	Jan
Wright Hargreaves*		8.10	8.10	300	7.50	Apr		Mar
Oil— Anglo Canadian Oil*		93e	93c	100	80c	Apr	1.51	Jan
Brown Oil Corp*		20c	20c	800	190	Jan	310	Jan
Calgary & Edmonton *		1.85	1.85	25	1.93	Jan	2.75	Jan
Dalhousie Oil Co*		35c	36c	600	380	Jan	750	Jan
Dalhousie Oil Co* Home Oil Co*	2.10	2.05	2.16	2.025	2.00	Jan	3.70	Jan
Okalta Oils Ltd *		95c	95c	200	1.00	Apr	1.72	Jan
Okalta Oils Ltd * Royalite Oil Co*			03314	35	31 %	Apr	44%	Jan

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Stocks		Friday Last Sale	Week's Range of Prices	Sales for Week	Range Since	Jan. 1, 1939
65% preferred	Stocks— Par		Low High		Low	High
Alberta Paellie Grain. 340   340   340   350   360   3100   260   3100   262   340			55e 60e			
Alberta Paellie Grain. 340   340   340   350   360   3100   260   3100   262   340	Afton Mines Ltd1	1	2c 2c	1.000	3½ June	
Alacoma Steel Joel	Alberta Pacific Grain	1 13/	134 134	10	1 1 June	2½ Ja
### Preferred	Algema Steel	340			26c June	52c Jan
Anglo-Huronian.   2.35   2.30   2.40   7.511   2.30   July   7.756   7.587   2.30   2.40   7.511   2.30   July   7.567   2.30   2.40   2.30   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.	Preferred100		68 6814	20		6816 July
Anglo-Huronian.   2.35   2.30   2.40   7.511   2.30   July   7.756   7.587   2.30   2.40   7.511   2.30   July   7.567   2.30   2.40   2.30   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.00   5.20   3.00   3.	Amm Gold Mines1	101/20	9c 11c	17,700	81/20 June	17c Jai
Arntonia Gold  Bagalance  Bagalance  Bagalance  Bagalance  Bank of Monstreal. 100  Bank of Monstreal. 100  Bank of Toronto. 100  Bank of Toronto. 100  Base Metalss.	Anglo-Huronian 7	9 25	2 30 2 40	2,940	82c Apr	1.52 Jan
Sagana	Arntfield Gold1	91/20	9½c 10c	3,300	9½c July	17 %c Fel
Sagana	Astoria Que		3½c 3¾c	5,600	2½c May	61/20 Feb
Bankfeld Cons.			80 80	106,021	1.75 June	2.78 July
Bask of rotonto	Bankfield Cons1	20 ½c	20c 201/2c	2,034		38c Jar
Bask of rotonto	Bank of Montreal 100	213	211 214	27	203 Mar	220 Jan
Base Metals   Section	Bank of Toronto100	300 1/2				
Beart Exploration	Base Metals*			1,100	12c May	
Beat Exploration   1.25   1.20   1.25   915   1.00   Apr   1.40   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.20   1.25   915   1.00   Apr   1.40   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.20   1.25   915   1.00   Apr   1.40   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.20   1.25   915   1.00   Apr   1.40   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.20   1.25   915   1.00   Apr   1.40   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.20   1.25   915   1.00   Apr   1.40   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.20   1.25   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.25   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   Beatty A   **   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   Beatty A   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   Brands Portoupha   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   British R   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   30   Jar   British R   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   30   Jar   Brown Oll   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar   30   Jar   Brown Oll   1.25   1.25   1.25   Jar   30   Jar	Bathurst Power A*			5	5½ Apr	8¾ Jan
Beatty A	Bear Exploration1		12 % c 13c			3.00 /Feb
Beatty A	Beattle Gold*	1.25	1.20 1.25			
Brautlord Cordage pref. 25	Beatty A*		41/2 41/2	25	4½ July	8½ Jan
Brautlord Cordage pref. 25	Bell Telephone Co 100	17536	175 1753/	376		
Brautlord Cordage pref. 25	Bidgood Kirkland1		15¼c 17c		151/4c July	
Brautlord Cordage pref. 25	Blue Ribbon pref50		30 30	5	25 Jan	32½ Jan
Brantlord Cordage pref. 25   19	Bralorne *	9 1/2 C	8 10c 10c	9,800		22c Feb
Starillian Traction	Brantford Cordage pref_25		19 19	40		
Sittist American Oil	Brazilian Traction *	81/4		1,995	7½ Jan	1214 Mar
Stroulin-Porcupine	British American Oil *	9952	913/ 993/			53/8 Mar
Stown Oil	Brit Col Power A*	2278	27 27		21 1/2 Apr	2314 Jan 273/ July
Sulliding Products (new)   *   17	Brown Off	47c	401/2c 50c	93,350		75c Jan
Sulliding Products (new)   *   17	Buffalo-Ankerite	113/			18c Apr	
Salgary & Edmonton	Buffalo-Canadian *		23/4 3	6,700		
Calgary & Edmonton	Building Products (new).*	17	1634 17	500	14 Apr	17 Mar
Salmont Olls	Bunker HIII*		7e 7e	900	516 Apr	
Salmont Olls	Calgary & Edmonton *	1.90	1.90 1.98	2,525	1.81 Apr	2.80 Jan
2an Cycle & Motor pref100   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   105   105   105   104   104   104   105	Calmont Olls1			1,600	28c June	
2an Cycle & Motor pref100   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   104   105   105   105   104   104   104   105	Preferred 100				3½ May	5½ Jan
Sanada Malting	Can Cycle & Motor pref100	104				
Preferred   100   106   106   106   106   107   107   108   109	Canada Malting*	36 5/8			32 Jan	38 June
Preferred   100   106   106   106   106   107   107   108   109	Canada Permanent 100	149			66 May	
Sanada   Wire A	Canada Steamships pref. 50		71/8 8			
Sanadian Bakeries prefitor	Canada Wire A*				55 July	65 Feb
Sanadian Breweries		10%				
Preferred   100   106   106   106   106   106   106   106   107	Canadian Breweries*	1.15	1.10 1.15	25		
B.	Canadian Can	167 1/2			159 Apr	179 Mar
San Car & Foundry   834   834   944   145   634   June   18   June	B*	7				
Anadian Dredge	Can Car & Foundry*	834	834 91/8			18 Jan
Third   General   Electric   50     248   248     249	Preferred25	21			18 June	3414 Jan
Second   S						
2.04   2.05   300   2.01   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.41   June   2.41   June   2.42   June   2.47   2.37   2.48   3.080   2.05   Apr   2.75   June   June   2.48   June   2.48   June   2.48   June   J	Cndn Industrial Alcohol A*		180 190	600		
2.04   2.05   300   2.01   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.41   June   2.41   June   2.42   June   2.47   2.37   2.48   3.080   2.05   Apr   2.75   June   June   2.48   June   2.48   June   J	Canadian Malartic*		72c 75c		69c Apr	1.03 Jan
2.04   2.05   300   2.01   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.41   June   2.41   June   2.42   June   2.47   2.37   2.48   3.080   2.05   Apr   2.75   June   June   2.48   June   2.48   June   J	Preferred100					
2.04   2.05   300   2.01   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.40   June   2.41   June   2.41   June   2.42   June   2.47   2.37   2.48   3.080   2.05   Apr   2.75   June   June   2.48   June   2.48   June   J	C P R25	4	4 41/8			
arnation pref	Cariboo Wallboard A*		10 10		9 June	15 Jan
Entral Patricia			2.04 2.06	300	2.01 June	2.40 June
2.47   2.37   2.48   3.080   2.05   Apr   2.75   Jan	Carnation pref100		106 106	10	103¾ Mar	108 June
1.02   1.12   9.750   8bc Apr   1.39   Jan   Informum   56c 56c   1.10   50c 56c   3.100   50c Jan   85c	Central Patricia		2.37 2.48	3,080	2.05 Apr	2.75 Jan
ommercial Petroleum         25c         25c         35c         3100         21 ½c         Jan         36c         Jan         375         May         61         Jan         36c         Jan         375	Chesterville-Larder Lake 1			25,800		141/20 June
ockshutt         *         6½         26         25c         3,100         11% of Jan         36c         Jan           onlagas         5         1.80         1.75         2.00         1.675         1.39         May         2.00         July           ons Gmelters         5         11         1.54         2.34         113.95         1.26         Apr         1.74         May           ons Smelters         5         41½         38½         41½         1.305         37½         May         2.00         July           ons Smelters         5         11%         38½         41½         1.305         37½         May         1.74         Mar           onsumers Gas         100         107         175         178         111         1.6%         June         22         Jan           Preferred         100         30         30         30         7         27         Jan         35         Mar           arkwater         1         4c         4½         2.000         3½         June         27c         Apr         3½         Mar           arm Mines         1         12c         12c         12c         2.20	Chromium*	or other death		1,100		85c Feb
onlarum Mines         5         1.80         1.75         2.00         1.675         1.30         May         2.00         July           onsolldated Bakerles         17         1 5.54         2.34         113,965         1.26         Apr         1.74         May           ons Smelters         5         41 4         3834         41 3         13,965         1.26         Apr         1.74         May           onsumers Gas         100         177         175         178         111         175         Apr         1374         May         61         Jan           osmos         **         100         103         103         101         103         310         311         175         Apr         1374         Mus         22         Jan         35         May           rows Nest Coal         100         30         30         30         7         27         Jan         35         Mar           arkwater         1         12c         12c         12c         2,500         276c         Apr         16c         Jan           istillers Seagrams         8         18         174         18         595         15½         Apr         <				3,100	21% c Jan	36c Jan
onlarum Mines         2         211         1.54         2.34         113.965         1.26         Apr         1.74         Mar           onsolidated Bakerles         4         164         17         234         24         14         Apr         177         4         Mar           ons Melters         5         41½         38½         41½         1,305         37         May         17½         Jun           osmos         *         177         175         178         111         175         Apr         183         June           preferred         100         30         30         10         103         July         105         May           arkwater         1         28         30         30         30         36         37         27         Jan         3½         June         3½         Jan           arkwater         1         12c         12c         12c         25         300         39         27c         Apr         4pr         4bl         Jan           sittliers Seagrams         18         17½         18         59         15½         Apr         16c         Jan           orminion Fank	Coniagas5	1.80	1.75 2.00		5 Apr	814 Jan
17	Coniarum Mines*	2.11	1.54 2.34	13,965	1.26 Apr	1.74 Mar
1,305   37% May   61 Jan   1,305   37% May   1,305   37	onsolidated Bakerles*	17	161/2 17	240	14 Apr	171/4 June
06mos	Consumers Gas100	177	175 178	1,305		61 Jan
Preferred	Josmos		17 17		16% June	
30   30   30   30   30   30   30   30	Preferred 1001	-55	103 103	10	103 July	105 May
avies Petroleum	Darkwater1	30		2 000		35 Mar
enison Nickel Mines   12c   12c   12c   2,500   9½c   Apr   16c   Jan   Istillers Seagrams   18   17½   18   595   15½   Apr   20½   Mar   Ominion Bank   100	Davies Petroleum*	28½c	28c 30c	4,609	27c Apr	60c Jan
ome Mines (new)	Denison Nickel Mines1	12c	12c 12c	2,500	916c Apr	16c Jan
Ominion Coal pref25	Dome Mines (new)		1714 18	595	10 /2 Apr	20% Mar
ominion Coal pref25	Dominion Bank100		207 209	26		04 Mar
ominion Foundry * 22   22   20   100   10   Apr   25   F-1	Dominion Coal pref25	181/2	181/2 181/2	10	15½ Feb	19 June
Preferred 100 106 1/2 106 1/2 104 1/2 Jan 106 1/2 July	Preferred100	22	22 22 106 16 106 16		19 Apr	25 Feb

	Toronto Stock Exchange										
-	Stocks (Courter in -	Friday Last Sale	Week's Range of Prices	Week		Jan. 1, 1939					
	Stocks (Continued) Par Dominion Scottish Inv.	Price	Low High	Shares	Low Tune	High					
	Preferred50 Dominion Steel B2	2814	28¼ 28¼ 9¾ 10⅓	10	75c June 25 May 7½ Apr	30 Feb					
	Dom Stores Dorval Siscoe Duquesne Mines	<ul> <li>If the complete in the</li> </ul>	616 7	9,300	7½ Apr 4½ Jan 4½ June	7% May 9% o Mai					
	East Crest Oil		4½c 5c 5½c	3,700 3,600	14c Apr 5 June	27c Mai 13c Mai					
	East Crest Oil East Malartio Eastern Theatres pref 100	2.49	2.39 2.54 90 96	24,650 149	2.02 Apr 65 Jan	2.79 Mar 96 July					
	Eldorado	5 10	1.07 1.15 5.00 5.20	9,855	1.05 Apr	2.36 Jan					
	Fanny Farmer Federal-Kirkland Firestone Petroleum 250	22¾ 4¼c	22½ 22¾ 4c 4½c	590	4.50 Apr 19 Apr 31/4 C June	6.00 Mai 24 Mai 8140 Jan					
	Firestone Petroleum250 Fleet Aircraft Ford A	8c	8c 8c	500 25	8c June 5 July	8½c Jan 13c Jan 10¼ Jan					
	Francoeur	A STATE OF THE STATE OF	19 20 1/8 20 1/6 21 1/6	1 784	1614 Apr	23% Jan 26% July					
	Gatineau Power100	14 94	94 9414	95	11 Jan	16¼ Mar 95 June					
	Rights General Steel Wares Gillies Lake	4 40	414 414 514 514	1,070	2½ Jan 5 May	6 Mar 7% Jan					
	Glenora 1 God's Lake	2c	6½c 8c 2c 2c 33c 34c	1,000	1½c June	11%c Feb 4c Mar					
	Goldale Mines 1 Gold Eagle 1	21c	33c 34c 18c 26c 4½c 6c	5,420 82,233 9,500	20c Feb 15c Mar 4½c July	37c May 28c Jan					
1000	Goodfish 1	1000	1½c 2c 70 74	3,500 120	1½c July 66 Apr	13½0 Jan 3½0 Jan 78 Mar					
	Goodyear 50 Preferred 50 Graham-Bousquet 1	57 3c	57 58 3c 3c	262 500	55 May 2%c May	58¼ June 5c June					
	Granada Mines 11 Great Lakes Voting pref 2 Gunnar Gold 11 Gypsum Lime & Alabas 2		4c 434c 11½ 11¾	1,600 40	4c June 10½ May	13% o Jan 17 Jan					
	Gypsum Lime & Alabas*	50c	44c 50c 4¼ 4¼	5,700 200	40c Mar 31/8 Apr	640 Jan 614 Jan					
			1½c 1½c	3,000	1c May	3½c May					
	Halcrow-Swazey1 Halliwell1 Hamilton Theatres pref100 Harding Carpet *		60 60 3½ 3½	9,600 25	2½c May 49¼ Apr	6c Jan 58 June					
	Harding Carpet * Hard Rock 1 Harker 1 Highwood-Sarcee *	71.00 9c	3½ 3½ 98c 1.02 8c 9c	5,890 11,000	2½ Apr 94c Apr 6c May	4 June 1.95 Jan 10c Jan					
1	Hinde & Dauch	9141	15c 15c	500 40	15c Apr 8 Apr	10c Jan 35c Jan 15 Jan					
	Hollinger Consolidated 5	153/	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	3,816 7,610	13 % Apr 1.98 Jan	15½ June 3.75 Jan					
1	Home Oil Co* Homestead Oil	8c 34c	80 8½0 310 36	$2,400 \\ 22,100$	7½0 June 240 Jan	26½c Jan 31c Mar					
1	Hudson Bay Min & Sm. * Huron & Erie100		30¾ 31¾ 67 68	1,930 17	25½ Apr 64½ Feb	35¼ Jan 70¾ Mar					
1	Huron & Erie 100 Imperial Oil ** Imperial Tobacco 51	15 165/8	14¼ 15 16¼ 16¾	4,904 515	14 June 15 Apr	17¼ Mar 16¾ June					
1	Preferred         £1           Intl Metals A         *           Intl Metal pref         100           A preferred         100	434 85	7% 7% 4% 4% 80% 85	1,600	7% Mar 3% Apr	8 Feb 7¼ Mar					
1	A preferred100	85 83 45½	80 1/4 85 83 83 45 1/4 47	$\frac{30}{15}$ $4,679$	70 Apr 70 Apr 42 1/8 Apr	91½ Jan 88 Jan					
1	International Nickel* International Petroleum* Jacola Mines	21 3/8 4 1/2 c	20% 21% 4½c 5c	2,756 3,333	42 1/6 Apr 20 3/6 July 30 May	56% Jan 27½ Jan 11½c Jan					
1	Jellicoe Cons1 J M Consolidated1	6c	6c 61/2c 33/4c 33/4c	3,000 1,000	50 Mar 3%c July	13½c Jan 13½c Jan 11c Jan					
1	Keivinator* Kerr-Addison*	10 1.87	$9\frac{1}{2}$ 10 1.75 1.89	55	9 May 1.47 Apr	12 Feb 2.08 Jan					
1	Kirkland-Hudson1 Kirkland Lake1	1.49	28c 28c 1.43 1.52	18,745 700 19,125	26c June 1.15 Jan	73c Feb 1.75 Mar					
	Laguna 1	10½c	9c 10½c	35 611	7c Feb	9c Apr					
1	Lake Shore 1 Lake Sulphite ** Lamaque Gold Mines **	39 1/8 70 6.70	38 1/8 39 1/8 70 70 6.55 6.85	300	32 1/4 Mar 50c Apr	50½ Jan 3.25 Mar					
1	Lada Cadinac1	15 1/2 c 12 1/2	6.55 6.85 15c 15½c 12¾ 12¾	988 13,905	5.50 Feb 14½c June 10¾ Apr	6.85 Mar 54c Jan 1314 Jan					
1	Laura Secord (new)3 Lava Cap1 Lebel Oro1	790	68c 72c 3½c 3½c	210 2,775 4,433	1034 Apr 59c Mar 314c May	13½ Jan 85c June 8½c Jan					
1	Lebel Oro i Leitch Gold 1 Little Long Lac ** Loblaw A ** B ** Macassa Mines ** MacLeod Cockshutt 1 Madeen Red Lebe	2.78	77c 84c 2.78 2.85	1,750 2,405	63c Apr 2.60 Apr	8%c Jan 90c June 3.60 Jan					
1	Loblaw A*	24 1/8 23 1/2	24 1/2 24 1/8 23 1/2 23 1/2	814	22½ Apr 21 Apr	25 Mar 23¼ June					
1	MacLeod Cockshutt1	4.50 1.98	4.25 4.55 1.90 1.98 34c 37 1/2 c	5,220 1,700	3.85 Apr 1.70 Apr	3.20 J.n					
-	Madsen Red Lake1 Malartic Gold1 Manitoba & Eastern*		68c 70c	13,100	30c Mar 43c Jan	75c May					
	Maple Leaf Milling*		1c 1c 3½ 4	5,000	%c May 2½ Apr	1½c Jan 4¾ Mar					
1	Massey-Harris * Preferred 100 McColl Frontenac *	4134	3c 3c 4¾ 5 39 42½	1,000 685 260	2½c Apr 2½ Apr 29½ Apr	7c Jan 7½ Jan 60 Jan					
1	McColl Frontenac * Preferred 100	88	5½ 6 88 88	498	5% June 82% Feb	71/2 Mar 94 Mar					
1	McIntyre Mines5 McKenzie Red Lake1	56½ 1.28	55 56½ 1.22 1.28	1,080 4,000	49% Apr 1.03 Apr	59 Mar 1.38 May					
-	McVittle-Graham1	540	14½ 17 48c 54c	6,200	6c Mar 38c Apr	20½c June 75c Jan					
-	Mining Corp * Moneta 1 Moore Corp * A 100 Morris-Kirkland 1	1.16 1.05	$\begin{array}{cccc} 1.15 & 1.21 \\ 1.00 & 1.07 \end{array}$	900 5,930	1.05 June 89c Apr	2.05 Jan 1.45 Jau					
	Moore Corp*	38 ¾ 172	38½ 39 172 172	680	35 Mar	40 Jan 172 July					
			41 41	16,578	6c June	20c Jan					
100	National Brewing   *    National Grocers   -    Preferred   \$20   National Sewing A   *    Naybob Gold   1     Newbee Mines   *    New Gold Rose   1     Nipissing   5     Noranda Mines   7     Noranda Mines   1     Northern Canada   *    North Star   *    Pirlon Gold   1     Dinega Gold   1     Dinega Gold   1     Drange Crush   *		41 41 434 434 24 24	15 25	4¼ Apr	6¾ Jan 25 June					
	National Sewing A*		10 ½ 10 ½ 46 46 ¼	105 20 - 30		131/8 Jan					
	Naybob Gold	15c	15e 17e	34,600 10,050	15c July 21/4c July	61¼ Jan 51¼e Jan 9c Jan					
	New Gold Rose1		9c 18c 1.28 1.40	5,450 800	9c July 1.28 July	9c Jan 25c Jan 1.80 Mar					
	Noranda Mines*		76½ 78½ 4¼c 4¼c	3,565 500	31/2c June	82 Mar 6c Feb					
1	Normetal* Northern Canada*		40c 42c 51c 51c	1,700 1,550	38c Apr 44c Apr	60c Mar					
1	North Star*	2.40	75c 75c 2.35 2.50	4.380	50c Apr 2.01 Apr	1.25 Mar 3.35 Jan					
(	Okaita Oil*	34c	1.00 1.01 34c 34c	1,100 1,100	91c Apr 25c May	1.73 Jan 53c Jan					
(	Ontario Loan50 _ Orange Crush*	1	4.00 4.00	25 38	1.50 Jan	112 Jan 4.25 June 7½ June					
Į	Page-Hersey **	101 1	7 7 100 101	258	4   Jan 94   Apr	104½ Jan					
ì	Paulore Gold1	2.55	2.55 2.70 3c 3c	5,980 2,000	2.48 June 3c July	4.75 Jan 71/2 Mar					
F	erron Gold	39¼c 3	1.72 1.80	850	35c Apr 1.45 Jan	61c Jan 1.95 June					
			1/2c 1/2c 4.45 4.70 2.40 2.48	2,000 3,270 1,000	1/2 May 4.40 June	June 5.60 Jan					
F	doneer Gold	1.89	2.40 2.48 01 101 1.80 1.93	1,000 15 3,600		2.70 Jan 101 July					
-	* No par value.	*.001	-100 1.90	0,0001	1.18 Apr	2.45 Jan					

### Canadian Markets—Listed and Unlisted

#### Toronto Stock Exchange

	Friday   Last	Week's I		Sales for Week	Range &	ince J	an. 1,	1939
Stocks (Concluded) Par	Sale Price	Low	High	Shares	Lou	,	Hig	h
Power Corp*	934	91/8	934	90	9	Apr	1214	Mai
Premier		1.75	1.80	1,050	1.71		2.40	Jan
		71/4	714	5	6	Apr	10%	Mai
Preston E Dome1	1.48	1.40	1.51	8,677	1.17	Apr		Fet
Pressed Metals1 Preston E Dome1 Real Estate Loan100		32	32 5e	1,000	31/20	July	35 9c	Apr
		5c 46c	47c	4,780		Mar		Mai
Reno Gold	47c	251/2	251/2	25	221/2	Apr	28	May
Riverside Silk		5½c	6c	3,100	51/2C	May	11%c	
Royal Bank100		187	190	31	178	Apr	192	Mar
Royal Bank		33	33 1/2	151	32	Apr	4416	Jar
Royalite Oil* Russell Ind pref100			123	13	112	Feb	155	June
St Anthony1		10c	10c	2,600	916c	Apr	15%e	
San Antonio1	1.70	1.63	1.70	8,675 5,100	1.18 10c	Jan Apr	1.88 17c	Ma
Sand River Gold	110		11½c			May	4%c	
Shawkey1 Sheep Creek50c	2c	2c 1.15	2c 1.15	1,000 200	920	Jan	1.25	Jai
Sheep Creek500	1.03	86c	1.06	41,453		June	1.45	Jai
Sherritt-Gordon1	1.00	6.90	6.95	468	5.50	Jan	7.20	
Sigman Mines, Quebec Silverwoods pref*	4	35%	4	320	31/2	Apr		Fel
Silverwoods prei	4	4	4	50	3	Mar	5	June
Silverwoods prei	92	90	92	122	78	Apr		June
Siscoe Gold1	1.16	1.13	1.22	4,565		Apr	1.65	Jai
Sladen Malartic1		43c	43c	1,400		June	80c	Jai
Slave Lake1	514c	5c	5% C	8,600	5c	June	13c	Jai
Gtodoona	45C		46c	18,383	431/2C	July	1.03	Fel
Standard Chemical	734	7	734	425	3	Jan	8	June
		1.35	1.40	110	1.35	July	3.50	
Preferred100		17	17	110	15	Apr	271/4	Jun
Stedman* Steel of Canada*		20 72	20 74¾	455	16%	Apr	77%	Jan
Steel of Canada	74½ 72½	70	7234	91	65	Jan	75	Jun
Preferred25 Straw Lake Beach	3% c		4c	23,200		June	110	Jai
Sudbury Basin*	2.15		2.20	1,045	1.80	Apr	3.00	Jai
Sullivan1	76c		76c	587	75c	June	1.01	Jai
Sylvanite Gold	3.35		3.40	5,500	2.78	Apr	3.55	Jai
Teck Hughes*	4.20		4.25	2,137 325	3.80 65c	Apr	4.70 1.30	Jai
Texas Canadian1		75c	75c 1.75	200	1.74	Apr	2.30	Jai
Toburn1		81	81	10	79	June	90	Fel
Toburn 1 Toronto General Trust 100 Uchi Gold 1	1.32	1.31	1.40	4.325		Mar	1.65	Jai
Uchi Gold	131/8	135%	141/8	1,329	11	Apr	15	Jun
Union Gas* United Fuel A50	20/8	30	30	65	28	May	38	Fel
B *		31/2	31/2	10	23/8	Apr	5	Fel
B United Steel	334	35%	31/8	750	31/2	June	7	Jai
Ventures	1 0.00		5.45	3,525	4.30	Apr	5.80	Jai
Vulcan Oils		50c	50c	700		Mar	1.00	Jai
Waite Amulet	1 6.80	6.35	6.85	3,475	5.50	Apr	8.25	Jan
Walkers	483/8	43	44	1,287	38	Apr	511/4	Ja
Preferred* Wendigo1	20¼ 9c	20 8½c	20¼ 11c	872 3,550	191/8 81/20	Jan May	20½ 15c	Fe
Western Can Flour pref 100	Sec. 3	19	19	5	15	Apr	25	Jun
Westflank		5c	5c	1,000	40	May	81/2C	Ja
Westons	1114	101/2	1114	241	9%	Apr	1214	Ja
Wiltsey-Coghlin1	33/40	3%4c	4c	3,000		Mar	81/20	Ja
Wiltsey-Coghlin1 Winnipeg Elec pref100		71/8	71/8	25	7	May	11	Ma
Wood-Cadillac1		91/20	10c	1,100		Apr	18½c	Ja
Wright Hargreaves	8.15		8.15	5,185	7.30	Apr	8.90	Ma
Ymir Yankee York Knitting		5c	5c	1,000		May		Ma Ma
Voule Wnitting	4	4	4	40	4	July	4/8	wa

#### Toronto Stock Exchange—Curb Section July 1 to July 7, both inclusive, compiled from official sales lists

	Friday   Week's Range			Sales for	Range Since Jan. 1, 1939			
Stocks— Par	Sale Price	of Pi Low	ices High	Week Shares	Los	0	Hig	h
Canada Bud Brew         *           Canada Vinegars         *           Canadian Marconi         1           Cost Copper         5           Consolidated Paper         *           Dalhousie         *           Dominion Bridge         *           Honey Dew pref.         *	3¾	1.60	37/8		75c 1.50 3½ 35c	June Apr June Apr May June Apr Feb	5 14 1.25 2.50 7¾ 75c 37¼ 12	Mar Jan
Mandy Montreal L H & P Oils Selection Pend Orellie Robt Simpson pref. 100 Rogers Majestic A Shawinigan C C Temiskaming Mining Thayers 1st pref. Walkerville Brew **	2	31 2e	31 ½ 2c 1.45 136 ½ 2 ¾ 19 ½ 34 37 ½ 7c 31	5,970 70 350 210 10 25 1,000 100	29 ¼ 1½ c 1.21 115 1¾ 18 ¼ 34 35 6½ c	Apr Apr May June Feb May Apr July Apr Apr Mar June	17c 33 3¼c 1.95 137 3 22¼ 38¾ 37½ 14½c 31 1.35	May Jan Jan Apr Jan Mar Jan July Feb June

#### Industrial and Public Utility Bonds

Closing bid and asked quotations, Friday, July 7

	Bid .	Ask	e a magnetic e magnetica de	Bid	Ask
Abitibi P & Pap etfs 5s 1953	42	431/2	Manitoba Power 51/8_1951	80	
Alberta Pac Grain 6s_1946	851/2	87	51/s series B1952	80	
Beauharnois Pr Corp 5s '73	99	100	Maple Leaf Milling-		100
Bell Tel Co of Can 5s_1955	108	10834	2 1/8 to '38-5 1/8 to '49	55	57
Brown Co 1st 51/8 1946	3214	33 1/4	Montreal Island Pr 51/8 '57	1031/2	1051/2
Burns & Co 5s1958	3716		Montreal L H & P-	11.	
	200	100	31481956	1031/2	
Calgary Power Co 5s1960	104%	105%	31/81973	102	103
Canada Bread 6s1941		1081/2		98	99
Canada North Pow 5s. 1953		1031/2		0.00 Per 1993	1.0
Canadian Inter Pap 6s 1949	9034	9116	Power Corp. of Can 4 1/48'59	105	106
Canadian Lt & Pow 5s 1949		103	58Dec 1 1957	105	106
Canadian Vickers Co 6s '47	67	70	Price Brothers 1st 5s1957	89	91
Consol Pap Corp-	6.1.9		2nd conv deb 4s1957	76	79
5168 ex-stock1961	3314	3416	Provincial Pap Ltd 5 1/48 '47	1011/2	103
Dom Gas & Elec 61/8_1945	9634			- 1	120
Donnacona Paper Co-			Saguenay Power 41/8 A '66	107	1071
481956	66	68	4 % s series B1966	1061/2	
East Kootenay Pow 7s 1942	97	99	Shawinigan W & P 41/48 '67	103	104
Eastern Dairies 6s1949	45	47	Smith H Pa Mills 41/48 '51	104	105
Fraser Co 6s Jan 1 1950	90	92		25 45	17.
Gatineau Power 3%s_1969	9834	9916	United Grain Grow 5s_1948	93	95
Gt Lakes Pap Co 1st 5s '55			United Securs Ltd 51/8 '52	621/2	64
Int Pr & Pap of Nfld 58 '68	10234				1,00
Lake St John Pr & Pap Co			Winnipeg Elec 41/81960	103	
51681961	72	74	4-5s series A 1965	701/2	
581951	31	33	4-5s series B 1965		513

n Nominal

#### Canadian Business Situation Now Regarded on Satisfactory Basis Says A. E. Arscott of Canadian Bank

The general business situation in Canada may now be regarded as on a satisfactory basis, according to the monthly review issued July 6 by A. E. Arscott, General Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Toronto. "Industrial activity increased by mid-June so as to erase all the loss during the Winter season, and while a seasonal downturn is now noticeable in some groups, the long awaited upswing in the heavy units is under way." Mr. Arscott further said:

The Summer lull in certain industries is also being counteracted by the entry of tourists and by a busier season in construction than that of a year The contracts for new construction undertaken in June were  $20\,\%$ greater than those of the like month of 1938, and the work in progress is now above that at this time last year. Furthermore, foreign trade has an upward trend and crop conditions are almost uniformly good. Finally it is to be noted that many of the readjustments-reduction of excess stocks of newsprint, for example—required for progressive business have been effected.

Our index of industrial activity in Canada in mid-June was higher than at any time since its initial publication at the end of last year. The percentage of factory capacity utilized rose to 74 from the May level of 72, and activity in terms of 1937 from 88 to 92. Improvement or sustained activity was registered in all major categories, except the automotive trades, which declined about 3%. Much of the improvement was seasonal, especially in some of the food, textile and wood products industries, but there are also indications of speeding up in some lines of manufacturing which have for some months suffered from slackness.

#### Bank of Montreal Reports Moisture Conditions Satisfactory in Wheat Growing Areas of Canadian Prairie Provinces

"Moisture conditions are satisfactory over practically all the main wheat growing area of the Canadian Prairie Provinces, and recent warm bright weather is hastening growth," the Bank of Montreal states in its current crop report, issue July 6. "Early sown wheat is heading out in many sections of Manitoba and in the South and Central areas of Sackatchewan but damage to date is slight. Hail storms have occurred in the three Provinces and some damage is reported in local areas." The bank added:

In Quebec Province timely rains have improved moisture conditions, but growth has been retarded by cool weather. Haying has begun with prospects of a fairly good crop. In Ontario, crop prospects generally continue favorable, with growth stimulated by timely rains and recent warm weather. Haying is general, with prospects of a fair yield. The strawberry crop has been heavy and other small fruits promise normal yields. In the Maritime Provinces the season is still backward and warm weather is needed. Moisture conditions have improved. In British Columbia, while some fine weather was experienced for several days, a recurrence of rain has had a retarding effect and crops throughout the lower mainland are in urgent need of sunshine.

#### Canada Day at New York World's Fair Celebrated

Canada Day at the New York World's Fair was observed on July 1, Dominion Day, which this year marked the 72nd anniversary of Canadian Federation. The exercises included an address by W. D. Euler, Canadian Minister of Trade and Finance, the principal speaker, and an exhibition by the band and a cavalry troop of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Regarding Mr. Euler's remarks the New York "Herald Tribune" of July 2 said:

"Good will, friendly economic relations, respect for the needs and aspirations of other peoples, is not only a grand ideal to be pursued," said Mr. Euler, "but is, more than ever today, a practical necessity if mankind is to find an effective means of avoiding international strife and of bringing into being an order which holds within itself the promise of enduring peace and prosperity.

"This is the path the free peoples have chosen to follow. I believe that it is not too much to hope that it may yet become the pathway of all the Nations."

Dominion Day, Mr. Euler explained, marked the organization of four British North American colonies into a federal union. Canada had expanded from the Atlantic to the Pacific since that tine, he pointed out, and now was a "free and equal partner in the British Commonwealth of Nations."

Cites Welcome to Royalty

The Canadian people, Mr. Euler asserted, were deeply impressed by the welcome accorded King George and Queen Elizabeth when they visited New York and the Fair on June 10.

"We felt the deep significance of their majesties' visit," he said, "and of the Fair itself and all that it stands for, in these anxious and troubled times through which our civilization is now passing. The visit and reception which their majesties received from the people of the United States symbolished in a striking support the relationship which exists between the demoized in a striking manner the relationship which exists between the democratic nations of the world."

. No par value

f Flat price

### Quotations on Over-the-Counter Securities-Friday July 7

200	14.43		- 1 6 1 ho - 1 1	Bid	Ask	In the state of the state of	Bid	
a38	Jan	1	1977	100%		a4 1/48 Apr 1 1966	11814	
23s	Feb	1	1979	100%		a4 1/48 Apr 15 1972	1191/2	
a3 1/8	July	1	1975			a4 1/48 June 1 1974	1201/4	
	May			106 34	10814	a4 1/48 Feb 15 1976	12034	
			1954			64 1/8 Jan 1 1977	121	123
			1960			44 18 NOV 15 '78	121 1/2	
a3 148	Jan 1	5	1976			44 Mar 1 1981	123 34	
			1957			44 148 May 1 1957	119 1/2	
			1958			44 148 NOV 1 1957	11934	1211
						44 168 Mar 1 1963	1211/2	123
						44 1/48 June 1 1965	122	1231
a48	Oct	1	1980	117 16	119	44 1/48 July 1 1967	122 1/2	1241/4
a4 1/18	Sept	1	1960	117	11816	a4 1/48 Dec 15 1971	124	126
						44 16 Dec 1 1979	127	129
					119%			127

#### **New York State Bonds**

The second second second	Bid	I Ask I		Bid	Ask
3s 1974	b2.15	less 1	World War Bonus-	33	
	b2.20	less 1		b1.25	
Canal & Highway— 5s Jan & Mar 1964 to '71	30 40	1.10	Highway Improvement— 4s Mar & Sept 1958 to '67	122	
Highway Imp 41/28 Sept '63			Canal Imp 4s J&J '60 to '67	132	
Canal Imp 4 1/8 Jan 1964	141 1/2	12.7	PERSONAL PROPERTY.	19 11 11 11	
Can & High Imp 41/8 1965	139		Barge C T 41/28 Jan 1 1945_	1151/2	

#### Port of New York Authority Bonds

1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Bid	Ask	ı Bid	Ask
Port of New York-		THE A	Holland Tunnel 4 1/4 s ser E	
Gen & ref 4s Mar 1 1975.	10814	109	1939-1941M&S b	0.80%
Gen & ref 2d ser 3 1/4 8 '65			1942-1960M&S 11034	
Gen & ref 3d ser 3 1/48 '76				10000
Gen & ref 4th ser 3s 1976	101%	102%	Inland Terminal 41/4s ser D	1 11
Gen & ref 31/81977				1.00%
George Washington Bridge			1942-1960M&S 110	
4 1/48 ser B 1940-53 M&N				1

#### **United States Insular Bonds**

Philippine Government	Bid	Ask	U S Panama 3s June 1 1961	Bid 123	125
4 % 8 Oct 1959	115	117			1,000
4 148 July 1952	1111%	113	Govt of Puerto Rico-	100	
58 Apr 1955	101	103	4 1/48 July 1952	1181/2	12034
5s Feb 1952	11416	117	58 July 1948 opt 1243-	11134	112%
5168 Aug 1941	1081/2	1091/2			
	17	Salt Sant	U S conversion 3s 1946	1111%	112
Hawaii 4 1/48 Oct 1956	118	119%	Conversion 3s 1947	1111/2	1121/2

#### Federal Land Bank Bonds

	Bid	1 Ask	(1	Bid	1 Ask
3s 1955 opt 1945J&J	1071/2	108	3½s 1955 opt 1945M&N 4s 1946 opt 1944J&J	109	10914
3s 1956 opt 1946J&J	10734	10814	4s 1946 opt 1944J&J	1131/2	1131/2
3s 1956 opt 1946 M&N	108	1081/2		1.7	

### Joint Stock Land Bank Bonds

	Bid	Ask	<ul> <li>1 (2) (3) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4</li></ul>	Bid	Ask
Atlantic 3s		101	Lincoln 41/8	89	91
Burlington 5s	f23	26	58	90	92
41/18	123	26	51/48	93	
Central Illinois 5s	12116	2314	Montgomery 3s	9934	101
Chicago 4 1/8 and 4 1/8			New Orleans 5s	100	101
5s and 51/2s			New York 58	100 1/4	
Dallas 3s	10034	101%	North Carolina 3s	9934	101
Denver 3s	100 1/2	1011/	Ohio-Pennsylvania 58	100	10034
		12.00	Oregon-Washington 5s	140	43
First Carolinas 5s	100	101	Pacific Coast of Portland 58	100 14	101
First Texas of Houston 5s.	1001/4	101	Pennsylvania 2s		1001/
First Trust of Chicago-			Phoenix 41/8	10534	
41/48	.10134	1021/2	58	10714	1081
41/48	100	101	Potomac 3s	100	101
4%8	100	102			W 1
Fletcher 31/8	101 1/2	1021/2	St Louis 41/2 and 58	f22	23
Fremont 43/8	80	83	San Antonio 38	100 14	101 1
58	81	84	Southern Minnesota 5s	121/2	1334
51/48	86		Southwes 5s	83	86
Illinois Midwest 5s	9934	10034		100	17.7
Iowa of Sloux City 41/8	96	99	Union of Detroit 4 1/48	100	101
Lafayette 5s	100	101	58	100	101
41/48	98	1011	Virginian 3s	9934	

#### Joint Stock Land Bank Stocks

Par <sub>1</sub>	Bid	1 Ask	Pari	Bid	Ask
Atlanta100	65	75	New York 100	12	15
Atlantic100	50	60	North Carolina100	65	75
Dallas 100	110	120	Pennsylvania00	22	27
Denver100	40	42	Potomac100	100	110
Des Moines100	60	65	San Antonio100	74	77
First Carolinas100	7		Virginia5	134	2
Fremont100	1	21/2	Virginia-Carolina100	85	1 7
Lincoln100	2	4			1

#### Federal Intermediate Credit Bank Debentures

The State of the S	Bid	Ask	Parkari a la l	1 .	Bid	Ask
1% dueJuly 15 1939 1% dueAug 15 1939	b.20%		1% dueJan 1% dueFeb	1 1940		
1% dueSept 15 1939 1% dueOct. 16 1939 1% dueNov 1 1939	b .20%		1% dueApr 1% dueApr 1%June	1 1940	b.30%	
1% dueDec 1 1939			1%June	1 1940	0.30%	

#### Chicago & San Francisco Banks

Pari	Bid	Ask	Pari	Bid	1 Ask
American National Bank			Harris Trust & Savings 100	270	280
& Trust100	209	219	Northern Trust Co 100	528	543
Continental Illinois Natl		1			
Bank & Trust33 1-3	7734	79%	SAN FRANCISCO-		100
First National100	202	208	SAN FRANCISCO— Bk of Amer N T & S A 121/2	341/	361/

For footnotes see page 252.

Par	Bid	Ask	Par	Bid	Ask
Bank of Manhattan Co.10	1634		National Bronx Bank 50	40	44
Bank of Yorktown66 2-3	40		National City1234	26	271/2
Bensonhurst National 50	75	100	National Safety Bank_123	12	14
Chase13.55	x321/4	3416	Penn Exchange10	91/2	1136
Commercial National100	165	171	Peoples National50	47	49
	25	1.11	Public National25	281/2	30
Fifth Avenue100	700	730		1700	
First National of N Y_100	1785	1825	Sterling Nat Bank & Tr 25	24	26
Merchants Bank 100	100		Trade Bank1214	1416	1736

#### NEW YORK BANK, TRUST CO. and INSURANCE STOCKS

### Laird, Bissell & Meeds

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WILMINGTON — PHILADELPHIA
Bell System Teletype N Y-1-1248 and 1-1249

#### New York Trust Companies

Par <sub>1</sub>	Bid	1 Ask	Pari	Bid	Ask
Bank of New York 100	410	420	Fulton100	195	210
Bankers10	5034	5234	Guaranty100	259	264
Bronx County7	41/8	51/8	Irving10	1034	1134
Brooklyn100	7214		Kings County100	1510	1550
	1	150	Lawyers25	261/2	2914
Central Hanover20	9716	100 14			0777
Chemical Bank & Trust_10	4614		Manufacturers20	381/2	4016
Clinton Trust50	50	55	Preferred20	5214	5414
Colonial Trust25	9		New York25	105	108
Continental Bank & Tr_10	121/2	14			3443
Corn Exch Bk & Tr20	55	56	Title Guarantee & Tr20	4	5
			Underwriters100	80	90
Empire10	111/4	121/2		1590	1640

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#### **Insurance Companies**

Par	Bid	Ask	- Par	Bid	Ask
Aetna Cas & Surety10	104	108	Home Fire Security10	1	2
Aetna10	47	49	Homestead Fire10	18	191/2
Aetna Life10	29	301/2	Ins Co of North Amer10	6734	6914
Agricultural25	76	80	Jersey Insurance of N Y	391/2	4214
American Alliance10	21 34	23 1/4	Knickerbocker5	91/2	101/2
American Equitable5	20%	2214	Lincoln Fire5	21/4	234
American Home10	734	934	Maryland Casualty1	278	3 1/8
American of Newark 216	13	141/2	Mass Bonding & Ins 1214	5614	5814
American Re-Insurance_10	4034		Merch Fire Assur com5	41	45
American Reserve10	241/2		Merch & Mfrs Fire New'k 5	71/2	814
American Surety25	4834		Merchants (Providence)5	3	41/2
Automobile10	34 1/2		Merchants (110 vidence) ==0		272
Automobile10	04.72	00 72	National Casualty10	2634	2834
Baltimore American 21/	616	71/2	National Fire10	60	62
			National Liberty2	71/2	
Bankers & Shippers25	871/2	91	National Union Fire20	129	81/2
Boston100	625	635	National Union Fire20		135
Camden Fire	1934		New Amsterdam Cas2	1234	1414
Carolina10	261/2		New Brunswick10	31 3/4	33 3/4
City of New York10	23	241/2	New Hampshire Fire10	4514	4714
Connecticut Gen Life 10	271/4		New York Fire5	1514	1634
Continental Casualty 5	3134	3314	Northeastern5	41/4	51/4
Eagle Fire21/5	1 1%	25/8	Northern12.50	94 1/2	97 1/2
Employers Re-Insurance 10	48	50	North River2.50	24 34	2614
Excess5	814	91/2	Northwestern National_25	125	130
Federal10	4314	4416	Pacific Fire25	1151/2	119
Fidelity & Dep of Md 20	121	126	Phoenix10	75	79
Fire Assn of Phila10	631/4		Preferred Accident5	17	19
Fireman's Fd of San Fr_25	90	92	Providence-Washington_10	3314	3516
Firemen's of Newark5	91/4		-101100110		/-
Franklin Fire	2914		Reinsurance Corp (N Y)_2	71/2	834
FISHERIN FRE	2074	01/4	Republic (Texas)10	2514	27
General Reinsurance Corp 5	411/2	431/2	Revere (Paul) Fire10	25	2634
Georgia Home10	23	25	Rhode Island	3	416
Gibraltar Fire & Marine_10	243/		St Paul Fire & Marine_6214	224	229
			Seaboard Fire & Marine5	616	8
Giens Falls Fire5	38	40		30	32
Globe & Republic5	1034		Seaboard Surety10		
Globe & Rutgers Fire 15	181/2		Security New Haven10	31 1/2	
2d preferred15	66	69	Springfield Fire & Mar25	1151/2	
Great American5	261/2		Stuyvesant5	31/4	41/4
Great Amer Indemnity 1	934		Sun Life Assurance100	370	420
Halifax10	22	23 1/2	Travelers100	460	470
Hanover10	26	271/2	U S Fidelity & Guar Co2	20	21 1/2
Hartford Fire10	76	79	U S Fire4	491/2	
Hartford Steamboller 10	54 %		U S Guarantee10	591/2	
Home	311/4	3314	Westchester Fire2.50	341/4	3614

#### Surety Guaranteed Mortgage Bonds and Debentures

	Bid I	Ask I		Bid .	Ask
Arundel Bond Corp 2-5s '53	f77		Nat Union Mtge Corp-	1	
Arundel Deb Corp 3-68 '53	f72		Series A 3-6s1954	81	
Associated Mtge Cos Inc-	Will start		Series B 2-5s1954	. 95	
Debenture 3-6s1953	56	58		5 W. A.	
	4.2	11.15	Potomac Bond Corp (all		
Cont'l Inv Bd Corp 2-52 '53	84 1/2		issues) 2-5s1953	82	
Cont'l Inv DebCorp3-68 '53	67		Potomac Cons Deb Corp-		
Empire Properties Corp-	200		3-681953	52	54
2-381945	56		Potomac Deb Corp 3-6s '53	50	53
Interstate Deb Corp 2-58'55	49		Potomac Franklin Deb Co		
Mortgage Bond Co of Md			3-681953	531/2	
Inc 2-581953	98		A 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		
See a la divisió	100	20 14	Potomac Maryland Deben-		
Nat Bondholders part ctis	190	1	ture Corp 3-6s1953	90	
Central Funding		27.10	Potomac Realty Atlantic		
series B & C	f211/2	24	Deb Corp 3-6s1953	51	
series A & D		24	Realty Bond & Mortgage		
Nat Cons Bd Corp 2-5s '53	82		deb 3-6s1953	60	
Nat Deben Corp 3-6s. 1953	51		Unified Deben Corp 5s 1955	4716	49 1/2

### Quotations on Over-the-Counter Securities—Friday July 7—Continued

### Guaranteed Railroad Stocks

Joseph Walker & Sons

120 Broadway NEW YORK

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#### **Guaranteed Railroad Stocks**

(Guarantor in Parentheses)

Par	Dividend in Dollars	Bid	Asked
Alabama & Vicksburg (Illinois Central)100	6.00	691/2	721/2
Albany & Susquehanna (Delaware & Hudson)100	10.50	116	121
Allegheny & Western (Buff Roch & Pitts)100		54	58
Beech Creek (New York Central)50		27	2914
Boston & Albany (New York Central)100	8.75	7034	731/2
Boston & Providence (New Haven)100	8.50	14	18
Canada Southern (New York Central)100	3.00	461/2	49
Carolina Clinchfield & Ohio com (L & N-A C L)100	5.00	z79	81
Cleve Cinn Chicago & St Louis pref (N Y Central) 100		6514	70
Cleveland & Pittsburgh (Pennsylvania)50		751/2	771/2
Betterment stock50		46	49
Delaware (Pennsylvania)25	2.00	40	43
Fort Wayne & Jackson pref (N Y Central)100	5.50	5114	541/2
Georgia RR & Banking (L & N-A C L)100	9.00	147	01/2
Lackawanna RR of N J (Del Lack & Wertern) 100	4.00	361/2	391/4
Michigan Central (New York Central)100	50.00	650	800
Morris & Essex (Del Lack & Western)50		245%	2614
New York Lackawanna & Western (D L & W) 100		4614	
Northern Central (Pennsylvania)50		821/2	
Oswego & Syracuse (Del Lack & Western)50	4.50	331/2	371/2
Pittsburgh Bessemer & Lake Erie (U S Steel)50		41	431/2
Preferred50		82	85
Pittsburgh Fort Wayne & Chicago (Penn.) pref100		16914	17216
Pgh Ygtn & Ashtabula pref (Penn)100		141	146
Rensselaer & Saratoga (Delaware & Hudson)100		62	64
St Louis Bridge 1st pref (Terminal RR)100		133	
	6.00 3.00	65	1361/2
Second preferred100 Tunnel RR St Louis (Terminal RR)100			
United New Jersey RR & Canal (Pennsylvania)100	6.00	134	00017
	10.00	236	2391/2
Utica Chenango & Susquehanna (D L & W)100	6.00	401/2	431/2
Valley (Delaware Lackawanna & Western)100		54	58
Vicksburg Shreveport & Pacific (Illinois Central)100		521/2	56
Preferred100	5.00	55	59
Warren RR of N J (Del Lack & Western)50		221/2	2514
West Jersey & Seashore (Penn-Reading)50	3.00	491/2	521/2

#### Railroad Equipment Bonds

	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Atlantic Coast Line 4148	b2.00	1.25	New Orleans Tex & Mex-	1 172	100
Baltimore & Ohio 41/48	b4.00	3.00		b4.00	3.00
Boston & Maine 41/8	b4 25	3.50	New York Central 41/8	b2.30	1.75
58	b4.25	3.50	New York Chicago &	1	
3148 Dec 1 1936-1944	b4.00	3.00	St. Louis 41/28	b3.50	3.00
	25 70		New York New Haven &	339	0.00
Canadian National 4148	b2.30	1.75	Hartford 41/28	b3.75	3.00
58	b2.30	1.75	58	b3.00	1.50
Canadian Pacific 41/48	b2.25	1.75		b2.00	1.00
Cent RR New Jersey 41/48_	b4.25	3.25	Troi mein I acme 1728	02.00	2.00
Chesapeake & Ohio-	01.20		Pennsylvania RR 41/8	b1.50	1.00
41/48	b2.10	1.60	4s series E due	01.00	1.00
58	b1.25	0.50		b2.10	1.60
Chicago & Nor West 41/8_	b4.00	3.00		02.10	1.00
58	<b>b4.</b> 00	3.00		b2.25	1.80
Chic Milw & St Paul 41/8-	<b>b5.00</b>	4.05	Pere Marquette 41/8	b2.50	2.00
58	<b>b</b> 5.00	4.20	rere Marquette 4338	02.50	2.00
Chicago R I & Pacific—	05.00	4.25	Dondles Co 414s	b2.00	1.50
	001/	079/	Reading Co 41/48		
Trustees' ctfs 31/28	961/2	973/4	58	b2.00	1.50
Denver & R G West 41/48	b4.00	3.00	St Louis-San Francisco-		
58	b4.00	3.00	49	b4.00	3.00
	1	-	41/48	b4.00	3.00
Erie RR 41/8	b4.25	3.00	St Louis Southwestern 58	b3.25	3.00
Great Northern 41/48	b1.50	1.00		b3.75	3.00
58	b1.25	0.75	Southern Pacific 41/8	b2.25	1.85
	July 1 196	0.743	Southern Ry 41/48	b2.25	1.75
Hocking Valley 5s	71.00	0.50		0-,	
Illinois Central 41/48	b2.25	1.75	Texas Pacific 4s	b2.20	1.60
Internat Great Nor 41/48	b4.00	3.00	41/48	b2.20	1.60
		0.00	58	b1.50	1.00
Long Island 41/8	b3.50	2.50	00	01.00	1.00
58	b3.50		Virginia Ry 41/48	b1.25	0.75
	00.00	2.00	, memma 10, 1735	01.20	0.70
Maine Central 5s	b4.10	3.25	Western Maryland 41/8	b2.25	1.25
51/28	b4.10	3.25	Western Pacific 5s	b4.00	3.00
Missouri Pacific 41/48	b3.75	2.75	51/48	b4.00	3.00
58	b3.75	2.75			100

#### Miscellaneous Bonds

Late of the standards. I	Bid	Ask		Bid	1 Ask
Commodity Credit Corp		100	New York City Park-	14 15 17 11	100
% % notes Nov 2 1939.	100.9	100.11	way Authority 31/8 '68	10834	10934
Section 1997 and 1997 and 1997			3 %s revenue1944		less 1
Federal Farm Mtge Corp		N 200	3 %s revenue1949		less 1
1 1/28 Sept 1 1939	100.5		0/20 10/000001111010	2.00	TCSS .
Fed'l Home Loan Banks		1	Reconstruction Finance	1.1	18 11 1
2sDec 1940	102.8	102.12	Corp—	100	
28Apr 1 1943			% % notes July 20 1941	101.2	101.4
Federal Natl. Mtge Assn		1200.0	16 Nov 1 1941		101.3
2s May 16 1943—		1 1	%% Jan 15 1942		101.3
Call Nov16'39 at 101	101.25	101 20	78 % Jan 10 1942	101	101.2
15/8 Jan 3 1944-	101.10	101.20	Triborough Bridge-		100
Call Jan 3 '40 at 102	101 19	101.16			
Cumount 10 me 102.	101.12	101.10			113
Home Owners' Loan Corp	2 1,12	100	4s serial revenue1942	0 1.10	less 1/2
Man 15 1040	100.0	1000	4s serial revenue1968	b 3.00	less 1
785May 15 1940	100.0	8.001	U S Housing Authority—	4	
%8May 15 1941	100,14	100.16	1 1% % notes Feb 1 1944	102.12	102.14

#### Sugar Stocks

Par	Bid	Ask	Par	Bid	Ask
Cuoan Atlantic Sugar7½ Eastern Sugar Assoc1	4	61/	Savannah Sug Ref com1		3134
Preferred1	14	16	West Indies Sugar Corp1	378	47

#### Railroad Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Akron Canton and Youngstown 51/2s1945	f271/2	281/2
681945	f28	30
Atlantic Coast Line 4s1939	101	157 H2515
Baltimore & Ohio 41/28	48	491/2
Boston & Albany 41/281943	70	711/2
Boston & Maine 5s	34	37
4 1/48 1944	32	35
Cambria & Clearfield 4s1955	100	1001/2
Chicago Indiana & Southern 4s1956	64	200/2
Chicago St. Louis & New Orleans 5s1951	79	82
Chicago Stock Yards 5s1961	102	02
Cleveland Terminal & Valley 4s1995	45	49
Connecting Railway of Philadelphia 4s1951	11014	115
Cuba RR. improvement & equipment 5s1960	351/4	3634
그들이 사용되었다. 그 사람이 사용하면 그 점점이 어떤 사람이 나를 가게 되었다면 하면 되어지만 되었다.	0074	30%
Florida Southern 4s1945	691/2	74
Hoboken Ferry 5s1946	45	47
Illinois Central—Louisville Div. & Terminal 3 1/48 1953	65	
Indiana Illinois & Iowa 4s1950	68	
Kansas Oklahoma & Guif 5s1978	96	97
Memphis Union Station 5s1959	1121/2	
New London Northern 4s1940		0017
New York & Harlem 3½s2000	101	991/2
New York Philadelphia & Norfolk 48	101	10134
New York Philadelphia & Noriolk 481948	96	961/2
New Orleans Great Northern income 5s2032	f15½	171/2
New York & Hoboken Ferry 5s1946	32	
Norwich & Worcester 41/281947	80	
Pennsylvania & New York Canal 5s1939	68	100
Philadelphia & Reading Terminal 5s	103	1031/6
Pittsburgh Bessemer & Lake Erie 5s1947	1171/2	11814
Portland Terminal 4s1961	8914	110/4
Providence & Worcester 4s1947	72	741/2
그 사람들은 그 집에 가장에 가는 이번에 가게 하하는 것은 하면 모든 때가 되는 아이를 가고 있을 먹었다고 말하다.		
Ferre Haute & Peorla 5s1942	1041/2	
Toledo Peoria & Western 4s1967		991/2
Foledo Terminal 41/281957	108	
Foronto Hamilton & Buffalo 4s1946	96	99
United New Jersey Railroad & Canal 3 1/48 1951	106	
Vermont Valley 4 1/681940	65	
Vicksburgh Bridge 1st 4-6s 1968	683/6	70%
Washington County Ry. 31/281954	36	381/2
West Virginia & Pittsburgh 4s1990	45	48

DEALERS

### **PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS** Bishop Reilly & Co.

Incorporated
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Hanover 2-3888 Bell Teletype: N. Y. 1-1043
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#### **Public Utility Stocks**

Par	Bld	Ask	Par	Bid	Ask
Alabama Power \$7 pref*	8914	91	Missouri Kan Pipe Line5	51/2	63/8
Arkansas Pr & Lt 7% pref *	8914	90 %	Monongahela West Penn		
Associated Gas & Electric		1.45	Pub Serv 7% pref25	271/2	29
Original preferred*	25/8	31/2	Mountain States Power-		
\$6.50 preferred*	51/2	61/2	7% preferred100	551/2	5734
\$7 preferred*	51/2	7	Nassau & Suf Ltg 7% pf 100	22	24
Atlantic City El 6% pref. *	120	100	Nebraska Pow 7% pref_100	114	1151/2
Birmingham Elec \$7 pref_*	791/2	81 1/4	New Eng G & E 51/2 pf_ *	271/2	29
Buffalo Niagara & Electern			New Eng Pub Serv Co-	/2	-
\$1.60 preferred25	2034	21 3/8	\$7 prior lien pref*	41	4216
	17	/-	New Orl Pub Serv \$7 pf *	108	109%
Carolina Power & Light-	100	100	New York Power & Light-	100	100/4
\$7 preferred*	96	98	\$6 cum preferred*	103	104%
6% preferred*	89	91	7% cum preferred100	110	1111/2
Central Maine Power-		1	N Y State Elec & Gas-	110	11172
7% preferred100	981/2	102	5½% pref100	99%	1003/8
\$6 preferred100	89	92	Northern States Power-	0078	10078
Cent Pr & Lt 7% pref100		10234	(Del) 7% pref100	6934	7234
Consol Elec & Gas \$6 pref *	7	81/2	(Minn) 5% pref*		10912
Consol Traction (N J)_100	5234	5614	(Minn) 0 /6 prot	10072	10372
Consumers Power \$5 pref*	105	106	Ohio Edison \$6 pref*	104	1051/4
Continental Gas & El-	-00	200	\$7 preferred*	1101/2	11212
7% preferred100	881/2	901/2	Ohio Power 6% pref100	11214	114
170 Prototroussassisto	00/2	3072	Ohio Public Service	11274	114
Dallas Pr & Lt 7% pref_100	11634	100	6% preferred100	106	107
Derby Gas & El \$7 pref *	26	29	7% preferred100		11334
Federal Water Serv Corp-	20	20	Okla G & E 7% pref100	112	
\$6 cum preferred	225%	23 7/8	Pacific Ltg \$5 pref*		11334
\$6.50 cum preferred*	2314	241/2	Pacific Pr & Lt 7% pf. 100	106	00
\$7 cum preferred*	2414	2614	Penn Pow & Lt \$7 pref*	8334	86
Idaho Power—	4474	2074		1041/8	105%
\$6 preferred*	111	1000	Queens Borough G & E-	077	00
7% preferred100		1151/4	6% preferred100	27	29
Interstate Natural Gas*	23	251/2	Popublic Metural Con 1	49/	F9/
Interstate Power \$7 pref.*	41/8		Republic Natural Gas1 Rochester Gas & Elec-	43/4	5%
Jer Cent P & L 7% pf100		10014		99	1000
or court & 11 % bi-100	90%	100 74	6% preferred D100 Sierra Pacific Power com.*		100%
Kan Gas & El 7% pref_100	1151/2	1181/2	Stone City C & F 87 pt 100	181/2	1914
Kings Co Ltg 7% pref_100			Sloux City G & E \$7 pf_100	93	951/2
Long Island Lighting—	82	84	Southern Calif Edison—		
6% preferred100	2814	291/2	6% pref series B25	2834	29%
7% preferred100			Tennessee Elec Power—	00	00
Mass Utilities Associates—	31 3/4	331/4	6% preferred 100	90	92
507 convergentia prof	201/	223/	7% preferred100	92	1C4
5% conv partic pref50	331/4	3334	Texas Pow & Lt 7% pf_100	10234	
Mississippi Power \$6 pref	74	761/2	Toledo Edison 7% of A_100	11134	11334
\$7 preferred	80	83	United Gas & El (Conn)—		
Mississippi P & L \$6 pref.*	79	80 34	7% preferred100	84	8514
Miss Riv Pow 6% pref_100	115	11714	Utah Pow & Lt \$7 pref*	55	561/2
		1.	Virginian Ry100	1471/2	152

#### Chain Store Stocks

Par	Bid	Ask	Par	Bid	Ask
Berland Shoe Stores* 7% preferred100 B/G Foods Inc common* Bohack (H C) common* 7% preferred100	6 70 1½ 2½ 20	8 2 3 22	Kobacker Stores— 7% preferred100  Miller (I) Sons common5 814% preferred50	72 21/2	 4 24
Diamond Shoe pref100 Fishman (M H) Co Inc* Kress (S H) 6% pref*	108 7 111%	111 9 123/8	Reeves (Daniel) pref100 United Cigar-Whelan Stores \$5 preferred	99 15¾	17¾

### Quotations on Over-the-Counter Securities—Friday July 7—Continued

			ility Bonds	A	1 2 W 3
	Bid	Ask	II TO SEE THE SEE SEE SEE	Bid	Ask
Amer Gas & Power 3-58 '53	4534	47%		108%	
Amer Utility Serv 6s_1964	81 1/2	831/2	Lehigh Valley Transit 58'60	541/4	561
Associated Electric 5s_1961	6634	1 6734	Lexington Water Pow 58'68	861/2	87
Assoc Gas & Elec Corp-	4.1		Missouri Pr & Lt 3 4s_1966	10814	
Income deb 31/48 1978	3334	341/2	Mountain States Power-	-00/4	
Income deb 3%s1978	341/2		1st 6s1938	001/	1003
Income deb 4s1978	361/2		150 051000	0072	1007
Income deb 41/81978	41		Management Tilestale		17 40
Conv deb 481973		42	Narragansett Electric—	10000	1000
Conv deb 481978	671/2	_====	31/2s1966	108%	109%
Conv deb 41/8 1973	69	701/2	New Eng G & E Assn 5s_'62	70	
Conv deb 5s1973	73	741/2	N Y, Pa & N J Util 5s 1956	781/2	80
Conv deb 51/s 1973	81	84	N Y State Elec & Gas Corp		
8s without warrants.1940	98	991/2	481965	105%	1055
		2.745	1st 33/4s1964	104	1043
Assoc Gas & Elec Co-			Nor States Power (Wisc)-		-0-/
Cons ref deb 41/8 1958	36	38	31/481964	110	1101
Sink fund inc 41/8 1983	34	36	0/20	110	1107
Sink fund ine 581983	36	38	Ohio Power 31/8 1968	1001/	1005
G # ine 41/a #1/a 1000			Outo Lower 9 38 1809	1081/8	
8 f inc 41/8-51/81986	36	40	Old Dominion par 5s1951	71	731
Sink fund inc 5-6s1986	38	42	Parr Shoals Power 581952	102	103
		JA 18	Peoples Light & Power-		
Blackstone Valley Gas		0.32	1st lien 3-6s1961	883/8	903
& Electric 31/s 1968	110	112	Portland Electric Power-	100	
			681950	f193%	205
Cent Ark Pub Serv 5s_1948	95	9616	Public Serv Elec & Gas-	1-0/0	-07
Central Gas & Elec-		00,2	1st & ref 5s2037	+	
1st lien coll tr 51/2s_1946	8414	8534	1st & ref 8s2037	1	
1st lien coll trust 6s_1946	88		150 62 161 08	1	
Cent III El & Gas 3 % s. 1964		901/2	1st mtge 31/s1968		00-
Central Title Gas 5 % 8. 1904	99%	1001/4	Pub Util Cons 51/8 1948	82	83
Central Illinois Pub Serv—	100	on the			101.3.3
1st mtge 3 %s1968	102	1021/2	Republic Service—		
Cent Maine Pr 4s ser G '60	1081/2	10914	Collateral 5s1951	74	761
Central Public Utility—		C. Barrie	Rochester Gas & El 31/4 s '69	10714	1071
Income 51/s with stk '52	1114	21/4	CARACON SEC. SANCTOR OF PERSON	7	1
Cities Service deb 5s1963	743/8	75%	St Joseph Ry Lt Heat & Pow		
Cons Cities Lt Pow & Trac			41/81947	104	Media
581962	941/8	95%	Sloux City G & E 481966	10434	1051
Consol E & G 6: A. 1962	5234	5334			
			Sou Cities Util 5s A1958	51	52 3/4
6s series B1962	51 34	53		14.64	
Consol G El Lt & Pr (Balt)			Tel Bond & Share 5s1958	7034	731/4
1st ref mtge 3s ser P_1969	1071/4	1071/2	Texas Public Serv 5s 1961	95	97
rescent Public Service-		10.53	Toledo Edison 31/81968	1081/2	
Colline 6s (w-s)1954	5514	5734	and the state of t		0.0
Cumberl'd Co P&L 31/8'66	1081/2	109%	Utica Gas & Electric Co-	1 / Car	7
			581957	128	start.
Dallas Pow & Lt 31/8_1967	1101/2	1	Wash Wat Pow 31/2s_1964	106%	470
Dallas Ry & Term 6s_1951	70	721/2			1001
rederated Util 51/81957	80	82	West Texas Utils 3 % s_ 1969	101 3/4	1021/4
Jovena Flee De 50		04	Western Public Service-	196. 19.	
Havana Elec Ry 5s1952	f431/4	-=	5½s1960	94	95
nland Gas Corp 61/2s_1938 Can City Pub Serv 4s,1957	52½ 32¼	55 33¼	Wisconsin G & E 31/8_1966	1081/4	
			Wis Mich Pow 31/8-1961	1081/4	109

#### Real Estate Bonds and Title Co. Mortgage Certificates

	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Alden Apt 1st mtge 3s_1957	f33		Metropolitan Chain Prop-	5	
Beacon Hetel inc 4s1958	91/	11	681948	99	101
B'way Barclay inc 2s_1956	f22	241/4	Metropol Playhouses Inc-		100
B'way & 41st Street-	4.7	100	8 f deb 5s1945	68	70
1st leasehold 31/2-5s 1944	34	1		CHANGE OF	
Broadway Motors Bldg-	1		N Y Athletic Club-		May.
4-681948	641	671/2	281955	221/4	2314
Brooklyn Fox Corp-			N Y Majestic Corp-	/4	20/4
361957	17	81/2	4s with stock stmp1956	4	5
Chanin Bldg 1st mtge 4s'45	40	43	N Y Title & Mtge Co-		0
Chesebrough Bldg 1st 6s '48	491		51/s series BK	501/2	5234
Colonade Construction—	2072	01/2			
1st 4s (w-s)1948	32	35	51/28 series C-2	331/4	3514
	04	00	51/48 series F-1	53	5514
Court & Remsen St Off Bld	001/	1 00	51/28 series Q	431/4	4514
1st 31/s1950	281/2	30		ATA TO	
Dorset 1st & fixed 2s1957	26		Olicrom Corp vtc	14	5
Eastern Ambassador	t Miles	1	1 Park Avenue—	T. Santa	0.00
Hotel units	5	6	2d mtge 6s1951	50	
Equit Off Bldg deb 5s_1952	27	29	103 E 57th St 1st 6s 1941	f191/2	
Deb 5s 1952 legended	25	29	165 Bway Bldg 1st 51/28 '51	50	52
50 Bway Bldg 1st 3s inc '46	120	22	Sec s f ctfs 41/48 (w-s) '58	421/2	441/2
500 Fifth Avenue-		1			
634s (stamped 4s)1949	281/2		Prudence Secur Co-		21.0
52d & Madison Off Bldg-		11.5	51/28 stamped1961	571/2	60
1st leasehold 3s_Jan 1 '52	36	39	Realty Assoc Sec Corp-		00
Film Center Bldg 1st 4s '49	39	34.00	5s income1943	461/2	48%
40 Wall St Corp 68 1958	f22	23	Rittenhouse Plaza (Phila)	2072	2074
42 Bway 1st 6s1939	f511/2	-	21/281958	38	
1400 Broadway Bldg-	302/2		Roxy Theatre-	90	
1st 4s stamped1948	391/2	1 18. r 1		66	00
Fox Thea & Office Bldg-	0072		1st mtge 4s1957	.00	68
1st 6½s1941	f31/2	5	Gawan Diana Gana	2. 1 1	
Fuller Didg deb for 1044	921/	25	Savoy Plaza Corp—	mil	
Fuller Bldg deb 681944	23 1/2		3s with stock1956	f241/2	26
1st 214-4s (w-s)1949	36	39	Sherneth Corp-	200	
Graybar Bldg1st ishld 58'46	80	821/2	1st 5 %s (w-s)1956	f151/2	17
Harriman Bldg 1st 6s_1951	151/2	171/2	60 Park Place (Newark)—	V. V. W.	
Hearst Brisbane Prop 6s '42	431/2	451/2	1st 31/s1947	37	
Hotel St George 4s1950	43	44	61 Broadway Bldg—	100	
		45.3	31/2s with stock1950	351/2	37
Lefcourt Manhattan Bldg		11.00	616 Madison Ave-		100
1st 4-5s1948	57		3s with stock1957	30 1/2	32
Lefcourt State Bldg-		A.5	Syracuse Hotel (Syracuse)		
1st lease 4-61/4s1948	55		1st 3s1955	72	
Lewis Morris Apt Bldg-	1.0	1965			
1st 4s1951	40		Textile Bldg—	100	
Lexington Hotel units	50	52	1st 6s1958	37	381/2
Lincoln Building—		02	Trinity Bldgs Corp-	01	0072
Income 51/28 w-s1963	70	711/2		***	4-11
Loew's Theatre Rity Corp	10	4172	1st 5½s1939 2 Park Ave Bldg 1st 4-5s'46	f41	44
let Re	001/	1011/	Wellardae Didg (Butter)	49	51
Ist 6s1947	991/2	1011/4	Walbridge Bldg (Buffalo)—		
London Terrace Apts—	40		381950	15	
1st & gen 3-4s1952	42	431/2		WE KIN	Bally
Ludwig Baumann—			1st 41/2s w-s1951	1634	1914
1st 5s (Bklyn)1947	54		Westinghouse Bldg-	100	
1st 5s (L I)1951	64		1st mtge 4s1948	73	75

#### Telephone and Telegraph Stocks

at the control of the	Market Control	1 - 3			-
Par	Bid	Ask	Par	B44	Ask
Am Dist Teleg (N J) com_*	92	97	New York Mutual Tel_100	15	18
Preferred100	114	1161/2			7.75
Bell Telep of Canada 100	172	176	Pac & Atl Telegraph25	13	16
Bell Telep of Pa pref 100	120	122	Peninsular Telep com*	3314	3414
Cuban Teleph 6% prf	51		Preferred A100	111	
Emp & Bay State Tel100	46		Rochester Telephone-		1345
Franklin Telegraph 100	25		\$6.50 1st pref100	113	
Gen Telep Allied Corp—		772			215
\$6 preferred*	102	104	So & Atl Telegraph25	15	18
		1 5	Sou New Eng Telep 100	1561/2	160
Int Ocean Telegraph 100	65	70			
Mtn States Tel & Tel100	125	1128	Wisconsin Telep 7% of 100	110	191

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Adminis'd Fund 2nd Inc.*	B4d 10.78	Ask 11.47	Par Keystone Custodian Funds	Bid	Ask
Affiliated Fund Inc 114	2.91			00 50	00 10
Amerex Holding Corp*	221/2	24	Series B-2	26.59	29.10
Amer Business Shares	2.83	3.14	Series B-3	21.23	23.26
Amer Gen Equities Inc 25c	.37	.42		14.52	15.92
Am Insurance Stock Corp*	434	514	Series K-2	14.27	15.63
Assoc. Stand Oil Shares 2	1 52	53/8	Series S-2	9.02	9.99
Rankara Not Invest Coun	/0	0/8	Series S-3	13.16	14.50
Class A	65%	75%	Series S-4	9.34	10.33
Class A	3.44	. 78	Manhattan Bond Fund Inc	3.44	3.88
	14.09	15.15	Marviand Rund Inc. 100	6.77	7.47
British Type Invest A 1	13	.28		4.16	4.66
Broad St Invest Co Inc. 5	.13 23.03	24.63	Mutual Invest Fund10	19.50 9.97	20.97
Bullock Fund Ltd1	121/8	133/8		9.97	10.90
Canadian Inv Fund Ltd1	3.70	4.05	Nation Wide Securities— Common25e Voting shares	3.43	
Century Shares Trust *	23.91	25.71	Voting shares	1.14	1.2
Chemical Fund1	9.62	10.41	INSTIONAL INVESTORS Corn_I	5.45	5.80
Commonwealth Invest 1	3.17	3.45	New England Fund1 N Y Stocks Inc—	11.44	12.33
Continental Shares pf100	434	51/4	N Y Stocks Inc-	*****	
Corporate Trust Shares_1 Series AA1	2.30		AgricultureAutomobile	6.99	7.5
Series AA1	2.20		Automobile	4.45	4.8
			A Viation	0 71	9.4
Series AA mod1	2.58		Bank stock	8.74 8.23	8.90
Series AA mod 11 Series ACC mod 1	2.58		Bank stock Building supplies		6.79
Crum & Forster com10	2614	2814	Electrical equipment	6.34	6.8
Crum & Forster com10 *8% preferred100	1171/2		Electrical equipment Insurance stock	9.44	10.20
Crum & Forster insurance	100		Machinery	6.31	6.84
*Common B share10	301/4	321/4	Metals	7.61	8.2
•Common B share 10 •7% preferred 100	113		Oil8	6.90	7.4
Cumulative Trust Shares*	4.45		Railroad equipment	5.64	6.17
	10 8 3		Steel	6.20	6.72
Delaware Fund	14.83	16.03	No Amer Bond Trust ctts.	48 5/8	12.2.
Deposited Bank Shs ser A1	1.55			F	
Deposited Insur Shs A1	2.89		No Amer Tr Shares 1953.*	2.21	
Deposited Insur She ser B1	2.57		Series 19551	2.64	
Diversitied Trustee Shares	US 10 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	4.0	Series 19561	2.59	
C3.50	3.45		Series 19561 Series 19581 Plymouth Fund Inc10c	2.28	(
D.	5.40	6.05	Plymouth Fund Inc 10c	.35	.40
Dividend Shares25c	1.12	1.22	Putnam (Geo) Fund	13.40	14.5
Eaton & Howard Manage-	34.5		Quarterly inc Shares10c	7.50	8.40
ment Fund series A-1	16 81	18.07	5% deb series A	100	103
Equit Inv Corp (Mass)5 Equity Corp \$3 conv pref 1	26.12	28.09	Representative TrustShs10	9.34	9.8
Fidelity Fund Inc*	24	243/4	Republic Invest Fund_25c	.20	.23
First Mutual Trust Fund.	17.19	18.50	Selected Amer Shares216		
Fiscal Fund Inc—	6.43	7.13	Colected Income Choses	8.90	9.70
Bank stock series 10c	0.44	2.70	Sovereign Investors	3.93	
Insurance stk series_10c	2.44		Spanger Track Fund	.61	.68
Fixed Trust Shares A10	3.23	3.59	Standard Titilities The 50e	14.12	14.9
Foreign Bd Associates Inc.	8.84	77.70	estate St Towest Corn	.44	.48
Foundation Trust Shs A.1	6.89	7.59	Super Corp of Am Tr ShsA	743/4 3.39	7634
Fundamental Invest Inc 9	4.00	4.30	AA OIP OI AM II SHBA	3.39	
Fundamental Invest Inc.2 Fundamental Tr Shares A2	15.73 4.73	17.10	AA	2.35	
B*	4.28	5.42	Supervised Shares3	3.56 9.32	10.13
General Capital Corp	28.60	30.75	Trustee Stand Invest Shs-		
General Capital Corp* General Investors Trust_* Group Securities—	4.63	5.05	Series C 1 Series D 1	2.35	
Group Securities—	2.00	0.00	Series D1	2.30	
Agricultural shares	5.16	5.62	Trustee Stand Oil Shs A.1	5.18	
Automobile shares	4.15	4.53	Series B	4.85	
A vistion shares	6.97	7.57	Trusteed Amer Bank Shs B	.56	.62
Building shares	5.89	6.41	Trusteed Industry Shares.	.80	.90
Chemical shares	6.01	6.54		.00	
Food shares	4.31	4.70	U S El Lt & Pr Shares A	15%	
Investing shares	2.93	3.20	B	2.16	
Merchandise shares	5.26	3.20 5.73	Voting shares	.96	
Mining shares	5.76	6.27	Wellington Fund1	12.86	14.15
Petroleum shares	4.20	4.58		00	
RR equipment shares	3.39	3.70			
Steel shares	4.71	5.13	Investm t Banking Corp	AL PART	
Tohango gharea	5.12	5.58	Blair & Co	13/8	23/8
Huron Holding Corp1	15	.35	Blair & Co •Central Nat Corp cl A•	22 "	25
neorporated Investors *	.15 14.99	16.12		ĩ	2
Independence Trust Shs.	2.07		First Boston Corp10	173%	187
nstitutional Securities Ltd	2.01		Schoelkopf, Hutton &	2. /8	20/8
Bank Group shares	1.06	1.17	*Schoelkopf, Hutton & Pomeroy Inc com10c	1/2	11/2
Insurance Group Shares.	1.29	1.41		1. 1.	
	9.51				

### Dividends of \$95,600,000 Distributed to 6,250,000 Investors in Savings, Building and Loan Associations

The payment of \$95,600,000 dividends by savings, building and loan associations for the semi-annual period will be completed today (July 1), the United States Building and Loan League announced on June 24. The sum will be distributed to 6,250,000 individuals in more than 9,000 different communities, including the Territories of Alaska and Hawaii. The League's announcement further said:

Morton Bodfish, Executive Vice-President of the League, says that \$4,000,000 of this amount is being paid to individuals who are getting the first savings and loan dividends in their lives at this time, having made their first such investments during the past six months. Another \$2,500,000 of dividends represents increases in the earnings of people who were already investors, but put more money into the associations during the period.

The total of dividend payments is higher than it was on Jan. 1, because of the increase in total amounts invested by shareholders, comparing the two periods, Mr. Bodfish said. Associations are using less Federal Home Loan Bank credit and more private shareholders' money than they were at the end of December, because of the growing popularity of their share accounts with the public. Aggressive advertising programs were credited with some of the influence in that direction, since the thrift and home financing institutions are spending more money now to make themselves known than they ever did any year in the past.

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#### Foreign Unlisted Dollar Bonds

	Bid ,	Ask		Bia	Ask
Anhalt 7s to1946 Antioquia 8s1946 Bank of Colombia 7% _1947	f19		Hungarian Cent Mut 7s '37	f5	
Antioquia 881946	f48		Hungarian Ital Bk 71/8 '32	15	
Bank of Colombia 7%_1947	f26		Hungarian Discount & Ex-		
78 1948	f26		change Bank 7s1936	f10	
7s1948 Barranquilla ,s'35-40-46-48 Bavaria 6 1/2s to1945 Bayarian Balainta Cons	123	25	Jugoslavia 5s funding 1956	51	54
Darranda di /a to 1045	119	20	Jugoslavia 5s funding_1956 Jugoslavia 2d series 5s_1956	51	54
Bavaria 0718 W	119		Translated Alla	f201/2	1
Davarian Palatimite Coms		C. 158	Koholyt 6 48 1943 Land M Bk Warsaw 8s '41 Leipzig O'land Pr 6 48 '46	12072	
Cities 7s to1945	f121/2		Land M Bk Warsaw 88 41	f38	
Bogota (Colombia) 61/8 '47	f19	201/2	Leipzig O'land Pr 61/38 '46	f201/2	
1 881945	f17	1734	Leipzig Trade Fair 7s_1953	f20	
Boltvia (Republic) 8s 1947	12%	3	Luneberg Power Light &		
79 1958	121/2	27/8	Water 7s1948	1201/2	
79 1989	121/2	278			Mide food in
80 1040	1272	4	Mannheim & Palat 7s_1941	f201/2	
78 1958 78 1969 68 1940 Brandenburg Elec 68 1953	f3 f20		Manufacture Contract 10.1041	47	50
Brandenburg Elec 081903	120	22	Meridionale Elec 7s1957		
Drazii innuing 981891-01	f171/2	181/2	Montevideo scrip	f37	
Brazil funding scrip	f33		Munich 7s to1945 Munic Bk Hessen 7s to '45	f19	
Bremen (Germany) 7s_1935	f24	26	Munic Bk Hessen 7s to '45	f19	
681940	f151/2		Municipal Gas & Elec Corp	- 1, 121	
British see United Kingdom			Recklinghausen 7s1947	f2016	
British Hungarian Bank-	3.477.0	11/2	September 1. Gods, 10.75 P.C. Matter Code	Selection in	
7149 1089	f5		Nassau Landbank 61/18 '38	122	
71/8 1962 Brown Coal Ind Corp	10			,	2777
BIOWII COM THE COLD	ton	J. 1. 14 1	Nat Bank Panama—	f57	
0 381903	f22		(A & B) 481946-1947 (C & D) 481948-1949		
Duenos Aires serip	f47		(U & D) 481948-1949	f57	
Burmeister & Wain 6s_1940	1112		Nat Central Savings Bk of		
The state of the s	1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1	100	Hungary 71/81962	15	
Caldas (Colombia) 71/48 '46	f17	171/2	National Hungarian & Ind		
Call (Colombia) 781947 Callao (Peru) 71/81944 Cauca Valley 71/481946	1241/2	N. A. C. C.	Mtge 781948	f5	
Callao (Peru) 7168 1044	fR	7	Mtge 7s1948 North German Lloyd 6s '47	f100	1
Course Volley 71/s 1048	f6 f17	171/2	481947	38	41
Cauca Valley / 7181840		21/2	Oldenburg Tree Chate	00	
Ceara (Brazil) 881947	12	31/2	Oldenburg-Free State-	#10	
Central Agric Bank—	1.00		78 to1945	f19	
see German Central Bk	124.2	136.73	Oberpfals Elec 7s1946	f2033	
Central German Power		100		N X 27 /4	
Madgeburg 6s1934	f26		Panama City 6 1/8 1952	f38	
Chilean Nitrate 5s1968	f50		Panama 5% scrip	f64	66
Chilean Nitrate 5s1968 City Savings Bank			Panama 5% scrip	f18	
Budapest 781953	f5		Porto Alegre 7s 1968	f9	11
Colombia de 1046	16314		Protestant Church (Car-		10.30
Colombia 4s1946			Protestant Church (Ger-	f201/2	1. 1. 1. 1.
Cordoba 7s stamped1937	f53	1017	many) 7s1946 Prov Bk Westphalia 6s '33 Prov Bk Westphalia 6s '36	123	
Costa Rica funding 5s. '51 Costa Rica Pac Ry 71/28 '49	f17	181/2	Prov Br Westphalla os 30	120	23
Costa Rica Pac Ry 756 49	f24		Prov Bk Westphalla 68 '36	f21	23
58	f17	181/2	581941	f17	
Cundinamarca 6 1/8 1959	f16	17	The state of the s	1.73.23	
Dortmund Mun Util 6s12'48	f201/2		Rhine Westph Elec 7% '36	160	
Duesseldorf 7s to1945	f19		681941 Rio de Janeiro 6 %1933 Rom Cath Church 6 1/48 '46	f18	
Duisburg 7% to1945			Rto de Janeiro 807 1933	1736	81/2
Dansourg 1 /6 001010	210		Dom Cosh Church 61/4 '46	f201/2	100
East Prussian Pow 6s_1953	foot		Rom Cath Church 0758 40	1201/2	
			R C Church Wellare 78 40		
Electric Pr (Ger'y) 6 1/28 '50	f211/2		Rom Cath Church 61/48 '46 R C Church Welfare 78 '46 Saarbruecken M Bk 68_'47	f211/2	
6 1/28 1953	f211/2		Salvador 7%1957	f11	11
European Mortgage & In-		15-11	7s ctfs of deposit_1957	f10	11
vestment 71/81966	f16		48 SCT1D	10	
736s income1966	f5		861948	f18	
7s1967 7s income1967 Farmers Natl Mtge 7s _ 63	f5 f16		8s ctfs of deposit_1948		
7s income1967	f5		Santa Catharina (Brazil)—	100	200
Farmers Natl Mtge 7a '63	15		8%1947	19	101/2
Frankfurt 7s to 1945	f5 f19		8%	68	69 12
French Nat Mail 88 68 '52	149	140	Contender (Colom) 7- 1040	f20	21
III TTORON TIME WINT DO OR .92	143	146	Santander (Colom) 7s_1948		
Cormon Ad Cable 7 - 101-		100	Sao Paulo (Brazil) 6s1943	171/2	81/2
German Atl Cable 7s1945			Saxon Pub Works 781945	f22	
German Building & Land-		100	6 168	f22	
bank 61/281948	1201/2		Saxon State Mtge 6s_1947 Siem & Halske deb 6s_2930	f23	
German Central Bank	1	17-15	Siem & Halske deb 6s_2930	f450	
Agricultural 6s1938	123		State Mtge Bk Jugoslavia		
German Conversion Office	120		581956	51	54
Funding 3s1946	f261/2	271/2	5s1956 2d series 5s1956	51	54
German cerin	1 2072	5 72	20 Series 081900	OI.	- T
German scrip Graz (Austria) 8s1954	f41/2	5	Stettin Pub Util 781946	12072	71
Graz (Austria) 881954	117		Toho Electric 7s1955	69	
Great Britain & Ireland— See United Kingdom	1	1. 1.	Tolima 7s1947	f171/2	181/2
See United Kingdom	112.3	100		1 5 30	100 m
Guatemala 8s1948 Hanover Harz Water Wks	f30	40	United Kingdom of Great		F
Hanover Harz Water Wks	8	1	Britain & Ireland 4s_1990		991/2
68195	f17				8736
Haiti 6s1953	72	1		f37	
Hamburg Electric 6s 1938	f24				2
Hanene SS 6e 1026	97		Vector Flac Dy 7g 1045	1201/2	
Hansas SS 6s1939 Housing & Real Imp 7s '46	2001		Wurtemberg 7s to1945	12072	
Housing & Real Imb 78 4	61 f201/2		w untempers 78 to 1948	f19	

#### Industrial Stocks and Bonds

Alabama Mills Inc.	Par	Bid	Ask I	Par	Bid 1	Ask
American Cynamid— 10	Alabama Mills Inc*	11/2	21/4		19.00	
American Cynamid— 10	American Arch	3234	3634	Preferred 61/2 % 100		
American Cynamid— 5% comy pref	Amer Bemberg A com*	83/8	10 %	Norwich Pharmacal21/2		
5% conv pref	American Cynamid—		100			10
American Hard Rubber— 8% cum pref	5% sonv pref10	1114	117/8	Pan Amer Match Corp25	153/8	16%
## American Hard Rubber—  ## 8% cum pref	American Enka Corp*	2534	30 1/4	Pathe Film 7% pref*		
8%, clim pref.   885   924   Fetroleum Heat & Power.   1	American Hard Rubber-			Petroleum Conversion 1	1/8	
American Hardware	8% cum pref100	881/2		Petroleum Heat & Power_*		
Amer Maise Products	American Hardware 25			Pilgrim Exploration1		
Andidan National Corp	Amer Maize Products			Pollak Manufacturing *		
Art Metal Construction_10   13%   15%   15%   15%   16%   17%   17%   15%   15%   17%   17%   15%   15%   17%   17%   15%   15%   17%	American Mig. 5% pref 100			Remington Arms com*	21/4	31/4
Art Metal Construction_10   13%   15%   15%   15%   16%   17%   17%   15%   15%   17%   17%   15%   15%   17%   17%   15%   15%   17%	Andian National Corp *	311/2	341/2			
Burdines Inc common	Art Metal Construction_10		15%	Scovill Manufacturing 25		
Cessna Aircraft	Bankers Indus Service A.	1/2		Singer Manufacturing100		172
Chilton Co common	Burdines Inc common!	4/4		Singer Mig Ltd.		4/2
Columbia Baking com	Cessna Aircraft	21/8		Skenandoa Rayon Corp		
Stromberg-Carson Tel Mig   3%   4%   4%   19%	Chie Burl & Quincy100			Solar Aircraft		
Stromberg-Carson Tel Mig   3%   4%   4%   19%	Chilton Co common10		3/2	Standard Screw20	28/2	
Sylvama Indus Corp	Columbia Baking com	8/2		Stanley Works Inc25		
Dentist's Supply com	\$1 cum preierred	19/2		Stromberg-Carison 1 et Mig		
Devote & Raynolds B com *   21	Cowell-Collier Pub			Sylvania Indus Corp	1078	1978
Devoie & Raynoids B com   21   25   25   25   25   25   25   25		E0 72	801/	Taylor Wharton Iron &	180 357	1 6 3
Dixon (108) Cruchble   100   101   102   103	Devos & Porpolds P com #		25		21/	414
Dixon (Jos) Crucible   100   21   25   25   Domestic Finance cum pf.*   25   Domestic Finance cum pf.*   25   Domestic Finance cum pf.*   26   Domestic Finance cum pf.*   27   27   27   27   27   27   27   2	Dietarbana Corn	201/		Tennessee Products	1 78	13/
Domestic Finance cum pf.   27/3   30½   27/4   27	Direct (Iog) Crueble 100	2072		Time Inc		
Douglas (W L) Shoe				Trico Products Corn *		
Topic Corp.   13/4   25/4   Pairchild Eng & Airpl.   1   2   2   4   2   4   4   4   4   4   4		4172	3072	Triumph Explosives		276
Draper Corp		1 3/	256	Tubize Chatillon cum of 10	71 16	7916
Federal Bake Shops	Draner Corn	6816	7116	Table Chainos cam prize		
Preferred	Feirebild Eng & Airni 1	916	234	United Artists Theat com *	116	176
Preferred	Federal Rake Shone *	616	716	United Piece Dve Works *	3/6	76
Solid Co	Preferred30	21	25	Preferred100	514	616
Soundation Co For shs	Rong (NI (i)	834	934	Veeder-Root Inc com	4314	4514
American snares	Foundation Co For shs *	3/4	11%	Warren (Northam)-	4.00	
Gen Fire Extinguisher   *   37   39   Gen Fire Extinguisher   *   114   13   Good Humor Corp   1   4   13   4   5   6   Graton & Knight com   *   4   5   4   5   6   6   6   6   6   6   6   6   6		27/9	314		43	
Cen Machinery Corp com	Garlock Packing com	37	39	Welch Grape Juice com 5	1514	1634
Gen Machinery Corp com	Gen Fire Extinguisher *	1014	1114	7% preferred100	107	1222
Good Humor Corp	Gen Machinery Corp com*	1114	13	West Va Pulp & Pap com.*		117/8
Graton & Knight com	Good Humor Corp1	334	514	Preferred100		
Creat Lake 88 Co com.   2   24   26   4   26   4   4   26   4   4   26   4   4   4   26   4   4   4   4   5   4   4   4   4   4	Graton & Knight com*		51/2		11/4	21/8
Great Northern Paper	Preferred100	3134	36	\$3 cum preferred*		
Harrisburg Steel Corp.   3   4   4   4   4   4   4   4   4   4	Great Lakes SS Co com *		2614	Wickwire Spencer Steel *	43/8	
Harrisburg Steel Corp.	Great Northern Paper 25		38	Wilcox & Gibbs com50	7	9
Style="block sty	Harrisburg Steel Corp5	31/4	4%			
King Beeley Corp com   74		21/4	314	Worcester Balt100		
Ring Seeley Corp com   1   74   84   26   26   26   26   27   27   27   27	\$5 preferred	34 1/8		York ice Machinery		
Lawrence Prary & Clark	Kildun Mining Corp1	1/8	2/8	7% preferred100	29%	34%
Lawrenos Porti Cement 100  Ley (Fred T) & Co	King Beeley Corp com1	01/4	8 1/2	Ponds.		
Ley (Fred T) & Co. * 2 Long Bell Lumber		24			4491/	1431
Solution   Solution	Lawrence Porti Cement 100	15%	17%		0054	0074
\$5 preferred	Ley (Fred T) & Co	01/	10 18			2456
Macfadden Pub common   2   2   4	Long Bell Lumber	971		Corrier Corp 416	9174	8354
Preferred	\$5 preferred100			Crown Cork & Seel 41/4 '48	001/8	083/
Marlin Rockwell Corp  35% 37½   Haytian Corp 8a					1571	5034
McKesson & Robbins	Marin Dockwell Corn 1			Howtien Corn 8g 1039	11814	1776
\$3 conv preferred				Houston Oil 41/g 1954		
Merck Co Inc common1   26   27   Minn & Ont Pap 6s1945   723\%   25\%	\$2 conv preferred *	1416	151			
Socony-Vacuum Oil 3   104   105   106   107	Merck Co Inc common 1					
7% preferred	6% preferred 100		Legislan to	Nat Distillers Products—	120/8	/-
7% preferred	Mock Judson & Voehringer			Conv deh 3168 1949	1031/	103%
Muskegon Piston Ring. 2\( \)   10\( \)   12\( \)   0ld Bell Coal Inc 6s1948   29\( \)   31\( \)   Nationa' Casket	7% preferred 100	106	113	Nat Radiator 58 1948		1816
National Casket   20   25   Secovill Mrg 5 1/38   1945   108   108   108   109   101   108   109   101   108   109   1	Muskegon Piston Ring 214			Old Bell Coal inc 6s_ 1948		311/2
Preferred	National Casket			Scovill Mfg 51/8 1945		110
Nat Paper & Type com	Preferred*					
5% preferred100  18   20½  1st 5s1962  106	Nat Paper & Type com *		31/4	Woodward Iron-	West .	1
New Britain Machine 23   25    2d conv income 5s1962   1031/2   106	5% preferred100		20 1/2	1st 5s1962		
	New Britain Machine *	23	25	2d conv income 5s1962	1031/2	1106

#### **Water Bonds**

The Carlotte Late Control Services	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Alabama Wat Serv 5s_1957	10114	10134	New York Wat Serv 58 '51	94	99
Ashtabula Wat Wks 5s '58	103 1/2	5.	Newport Water Co 5s 1953	101	
Atlantic County Wat 58 '58	100	42	Control Architecture	C. Bur.	100
Manuel County Was on Do	100		Ohio Cities Water 51/45 '53	89	94
D/	1 1 1 1 1 1	E. A. 9	Ohio Valley Water 5s_1954	107	
Birmingham Water Wks-					1001
5s series C1957	1041/2	106	Ohio Water Service 5s_1958	1011/2	
5s series B1954	101		Ore-Wash Wat Serv 5s 1957	92	96
5 1/28 series A 1954	102	10234			
Butler Water Co 5s1957	105 1/2		Penna State Water-		
			1st coll trust 41/s1966	102 34	1031
Calif Water Service 4s 1961	107	1081/2	Peorla Water Works Co-	37 (30)	
			1st & ref 581950	101	
Chester Wat Serv 41/8 '58	104%	10534		101	
City of New Castle Water		at 55.9	1st consol 4s1948		
581941	101 34		1st consol 5s1948	100	
City Water (Chattanooga)	1100	19 6	Prior lien 5s1948	104	
58 series B1954	10114				1000
1st 5s series O1957	10534		Phila Suburb Wat 4s_1965	107	109
Community Water Service	20073		Pinellas Water Co 51/8_ '59	102	7.854
5 1/2 series B1946	68	73	Pittsburgh Sub Wat 5s '58	102	100 min
				107	100
6s series A1946	73	77	Plainfield Union Wat 58 '61		
Connellsville Water 5s 1939	9934		Richmond W W Co 5s_1957	10514	
		2 1	Roch & L Ont Wat 5s_1938	101	
Greenwich Water & Gas-		1 1 11	in the second of		11.7
5a series A1952	10114	1041/2	St Joseph Wat 4s ser A_'66	10634	
5s series B1952	101		Scranton Gas & Water Co	371.32	\$17.5
Huntington Water—	201		41/481958	103	104
	102	Charles and		200	-01
5s series B1954			Stranton-Spring Brook	86	
681954	103		Water Service 5s_1961		00-
581962	105		1st & ref 5s A 1967	87	92
		1	Shenango Val 4s ser B 1961	1011/2	
Indianapolis Water—	* 19		South Bay Cons Wat 5s '50	75	80
1st mtge 3 1/481966	107	109	Springf City Wat 48 A '56	103	11043
Indianapolis W W Securs-	- A			100	100
581958	99	102	Terre Haute Water 5s B '56	101	1000
				103	0.5
Joplin W W Co 581957	105 1/2		6s series A1949		
			Texarkana Wat 1st 5s_1958	1031/2	
Kokomo W W Co 5s1958	1051/2				15 00
Long Island Wat 51/8_1955	105	107	Union Water Serv 51/8 '51	103	
	144				100
Middlesex Wat Co 51/6 '57	108	108	W Va Water Serv 4s 1961	1051/2	107
Monmouth Consol W 58'56	99	102	Western N Y Water Co-		1
Monongahela Valley Water			5s series B1950	97	135
	1021		4	97	
51/81950		100000		100%	
Morgantown Water 5s 1965	10534		1st mtge 51/s1950		
Muncie Water Works 5s '65	105¾	18 70	Westmoreland Water 5s '52 Wichita Water—	1021/2	5
New Jersey Water 5s_1950	10134		5s series B1956	101	
New Rochells Water-	//	1	5s series C1960	1051/	
5s series B1951	92	97	6s series A1949	1051	
51/281951			W msport Water 5s1952		106
07231901	1 90	TOO	IIII MODOLE ITALEL DO 1804	100	±00

- \* No par value. a Interchangeable. b Basis price. d Coupon. e Ex-interest. f Flat price. z Nominal quotation. w i When issued. w-s With stock. z Exdividend. s Ex-liquidating dividend.
- † Now listed on New York Stock Exchange.
- ‡ Now selling on New York Curb Exchange.
- A Quotation not furnished by sponsor or issuer.

## General Corporation and Investment News

RAILROAD—PUBLIC UTILITY—INDUSTRIAL—INSURANCE—MISCELLANEOUS

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

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B-Ettes Corp. (2-4109, Form A-1) of New York, N. Y., has filed a registration statement covering 500,000 shares of \$1 par common stock. 38.067 shares were offered to public at \$2 per share prior to registration, and the following shares were to fore of the fore of the registration of the state of \$8.000 per share prior to registration, and the following shares were also offered to \$8.000 per share prior to registration, 250,000 shares to \$9.000 per share to 10.474 shares to Mackay Spaulding Co., Inc., for payment. 200,000 shares will be offered to the public at \$3 per share. Proceeds will be offered to ent. patents, debt, machinery and working capitals. \$8.000 per share to the company. Swart Duntze & Co. will be the underwriters of the 200,000 shares to be offered to the public. Filed June 29, 1939.

Public Service Co. of North Carolina, Inc. (2-4110, Form A-2) of Gastonia, N. C., has filed a registration statement covering \$1,250,000 of 5% first mortgage bonds of 1952. Of the total, \$167,000 are to be issued in exchange for \$97,000 of Gastonia & Suburban Gas Co. first mortgage bonds and \$70,000 for Concord & Kannapolis Gas Co. bonds. An additional payment for assets. The remainder, \$998,000, will be issued to to B. Zeigler for assets of certain companies and will be offered for sale at 90. Proceeds will be used to acquire assets of certain companies. Charles B. Zeigler is President of the company. Suran dominon stock and would be redeemable in whole or in part on not less than 20 days' notice at \$24 a share plus accrued dividends. A sinking fund equal to 15% of net earnings after taxes is applicable to retirement of the shares. Dividends on the new first preferred would be company. Underwriter to be named by amendment. Filed June 29, 1939.

Beaux Arts Apartments, Inc. (2-4112, Form A-2) of New York, N. Y., has filed a registration statement coverin

Tribune Enterprises, Inc. (2-4113, Form A-1) of New York, N. Y., has filed a registration statement covering the guaranty of \$109.779 for payment of dividends of 36,593 shares of the \$15 par \$3 cumulative prior preferred stock of Beaux Arts Apartments, Inc. for the year following effectiveness of recapitalization and registered under registration statement 2-4112. Registrant to receive 7,900 shares of \$1 par common stock of Beaux Arts Apartments, Inc. for services in connection with proposed plan. Jesse Sharp is President of the company. No underwriter. Filed June 29, 1939.

Wisconsin Gas & Electric Co. (2-4114, Form A-2) of Racine, Wis., has filed a registration statement covering 46,480 shares of 4½% cumulative preferred stock, par \$100. The stock will first be offered through underwriters to the holders of the 6% cumulative preferred stock, \$100 par, and the unsubscribed portion will be offered to the public. None of the new preferred stock will be issued unless 33,425 shares or more shares are purchased by 6% preferred stockholders. Proceeds are to be used for the redemption of the 6% cumulative preferred stock. Sylvester B. Way is President of the company. Underwriters to be named by amendment. Filed June 30, 1939.

Tide Water Associated Oil Co. (2-4115, Form A-2) of New Yeal-

Fried June 30, 1939.

Tide Water Associated Oil Co. (2-4115, Form A-2) of New York, N. Y., has filed a registration statement covering \$35,000,000 of debentures and \$15,000,000 serial notes due 1940 to 1949. Filed June 30, 1939. (See subsequent page for further details.)

Atlantic Seaboard Petroleum Corp. (2-4116, Form A-1) of Piscatawaytown, N. J., has filed a registration statement covering \$500,000 of 6% convertible coupon notes due 1941-44 and 50,000 shares of \$5 par class A common stock reserved for conversion of the notes. The notes are to be offered at \$100. Proceeds will be used for refinery improvements and working capital. Sidney W. Haley is President of the company. Associated Securities Corp. has been named underwriter. Filed July 1, 1939.

Kansas Power & Light Co. (2-4117, Form A-2) of Topeka, Kan, has filed a registration statement covering \$26,500,000 of 1st mortgage bonds, due 1969. Filed July 6, 1939. (See subsequent page for further details.)

The last previous list of registration statements was given in our issue of July 1, page 95.

Agnew-Surpass Shoe Stores, Ltd.—Extra Dividend—Directors have declared an extra dividend of 20 cents per share in addition to the regular semi-annual dividend of 30 cents per share on the common stock, no par value, both payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 15. Similar payments were made on Sept. 1 last.—V. 147, p. 1181.—Aluminium Ltd.—Removed From Unlisted Trading—The New York Curb Exchange has removed the 5% sinking fund debenture gold bonds, due July 1, 1948, from unlisted trading.—V. 148, p. 3679.

American Airlines, Inc.—Authorized Additional Route—Civil Aeronautics Authority authorized this company to begin non-stop air line service over a straight route between Washington and Chicago. The CAA in granting the authorization said the through service would result in increased advantages and would be in the public interest. American also will continue its Washington to Chicago service which includes a number of way stops, principal points being Charleston, W. Va., Cincinnati, and Indianapolis.—V. 148, p. 3832.

American Cities Power & Light Corp.—Accum. Divs.—Directors have declared the following dividends payable Aug. 1 to holders f record July 11: On the class A convertible optional stock series of 1928, dividend of 3-64 of a share of class B stock or at holder's option \$1.12\frac{1}{2}\text{er} share in cash; on the \$2.75 class A optional stock series of 1936, a Accum. Divs.-

cash dividend of 34% cents per share or at the holder's option he may obtain 1-32 of a share of class B stock.

Dividends on both issues are in arrears.—V. 148, p. 3368.

American General Corp.—Offers to Buy Utility Equities

Corporation on July 5 announced an invitation to the registered holders of \$5.50 dividend priority stock of Utility Equities Corp. to tender a total of 20,000 shares of that stock for purchase by American General Corp. at \$55 per share. The invitation is issued only to holders of record July 5 and expires at the close of business on July 25, 1939. Certificates are to be mailed to the First National Bank of Jersey City, agent for American General Corp. If more than 20,000 are tendered American General reserves the right to accept 20,000 shares on a pro rata basis.—V. 149, p. 96.

American Investment Co. of Ill.—Listing—
The New York Curb Exchange will list upon official notice of issuance 100,000 additional shares of common stock, no par.—V. 149, p. 96.

American Light & Traction Co.—New Vice-President—Harry B. Munsell, Assistant to the President, has been elected a Vice-President.—V. 148, p. 3680.

American Rys. Corp.--Earnings- 

 Calendar Years
 1938

 Gross earnings
 \$146,930

 Expenses and taxes
 10,603

 1937 \$182,311 5,430 Net earnings\_\_\_\_\_ Int, and amortization\_\_\_ \$136,327 98,690 \$176,881 102,866 \$175,822 104,971 \$107,597 105,502 Net income\_\_\_\_\_\$37,637 \$74,014

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938 \$70.851

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Investments, \$2,203,479; special deposits, \$8,667; bond discount and expense in process of amortization, \$50,550; cash, \$120,853; due from subsidiary and affiliated companies, \$4,183; prepaid accounts, \$783; total, \$2,388,516.

Liabilities—Common (par \$0.50) \$70,000

\$2,388,516. Liabilities—Common (par \$0.50), \$50,952; funded debt, \$2,025,300; accrued interest on funded debt, \$22,785; accrued general taxes, \$750; Federal income tax, \$3,474; miscellaneous current liabilities, \$432; reserve for pension fund (contra deposit), \$7,796; surplus, \$277,026; total, \$2,388,516.—V. 147, p. 1328.

American Shipbuilding Co.—To Pay 50-Cent Com. Div.
Directors on July 6 declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the common stock, payable Aug. 1 to holders of record July 17. Similar payment was made on May 1 last.

W. H. Gerhauser, President, calls attention to the fact that current dividend was declared out of earned surplus although company has not made a profit during the past fiscal year.—V. 147, p. 1916.

made a profit during the past fiscal year.—V. 147, p. 1916.

American Stores Co.—To Pay 25-Cent Dividend—
Directors on July 5 declared a dividend of 25 cents per share on the capital stock, payable July 28 to holders of record July 15. This will be the first dividend paid since Oct. 1, 1937, when a similar amount was distributed.

Decision of the board of the company to resume payment of dividends follows decision of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court on June 19 last, on the State Chain Store Tax Act in which the Court upheld a lower court opinion that the measure was unconstitutional.—V. 148, p. 3681.

American Telephone & Telegraph Co.—Gain in Phones
There was a gain of 15,720 telephones in service in the principal telephone
subsidiaries of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. included in the
Bell System during the month of June, 1939. The loss for these companies
in June, 1938, was 19,400.—V. 148, p. 3680.

American Water Works & Electric Co., Inc. - Weekly

Output of electric energy of the electric properties of American Water Works & Electric Co. for the week ended July 1, 1939, total 45,814,000 kwh., an increase of 22.1% over the output of 37,513,000 kwh. for the corresponding week of 1938.

Comparative table of weekly output of electric energy for the last five years follows:

years 1010ws: Week Ended: 1939 1938 1937 1936 1935 June 10 --- 45,105,000 38,670,000 59,718,000 44,155,000 38,100,000 June 17 --- 46,041,000 38,033,000 50,609,000 45,115,000 36,711,000 June 24 --- 45,133,000 37,879,000 49,972,000 45,661,000 36,210,00 July 1 --- 45,814,000 37,513,000 47,850,000 45,661,000 36,440,000 --- V 149, p. 97.

Amsterdam Trading Co.--Final Dividend-Directors have declared a final dividend of \$1.12 per share on the American shares payable July 15 to holders of record July 10. A final dividend of \$1.72 was paid on July 15, 1938; one of \$1.09 was paid on July 15, 1937; one of 67 cents was paid on July 15, 1936; one of 33 cents paid on July 20, 1935, and a final dividend of 42 cents per share paid on July 20, 1934.

—V. 147, p. 263.

Arkansas Natural Gas Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

Calendar Years— 1938 1937 1936 1935 Gross oper. revenues \_ \_ \$26,907,654 \$32,974,819 \$21,240,460 \$19,895,683 Oper. exps., maintenance deprec. and all taxes\_ 23,722,175 y27,914,249 x15,442,120 16,327,926

Net oper. revenue Non-operating income	\$3,185,479 245,939	\$5,060,570 285,681	\$5,798,340 685,242	\$3,567,757 697,760
Total income Interest on funded debt_ Other interest charges	698,936	\$5,346,251 390,934 652,596	\$6,483,582 572,454 547,416	\$4,265,517 794,340 456,942
Prop. of loss of controlled company for year Minority int. in subs	4,684	3,850	108,650	619,627

the figures in the above statement for 1937 are not comparable with those shown in the statement of income for the year ended Dec. 31, 1936.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31 1937 \$96,582,198 303,827 270,049 4,968,734 2,318,85 329,841 202,422 85,790 4,684,651 248,767 2,960 374,639 1110,547 1,751 681,603 1938 98,589,771 381,822 166,257 6,160,529 2,331,882 2,331,882 247,836 88,668 3,797,362 279,694 498,053 92,800 1,115 1,115 658,751 Total. \$11

Liabilities— \$2

x Common stock
y Class A common
Reserve to provide for exchange of stock of predecessor—
Minority interest in subsidiary—
Funded debt. 1

Liability to stockholders—
Notes payable to banks—
Notes payable to others—
Notes payable to others—
Current accounts, affiliated companies—
Current portion of note (secured), accounts and interest payable to parent company—
Provision for Federal income taxes—
Notes payable to others maturing after one year—
Notes payable to others maturing after one year—
Notes payable to others maturing after one year—
Drilling and lease costs and engineer's fees payable out of future production—
Customer's and line extension deposits—
Reserves—
Capital surplus—
2

Earned surplus—
2

Total. \$11 \$113,486,534 \$111,166,632 \$21,895,050 4,082,587 3,522,271  $\frac{4,080,580}{3,522,271}$ 289,955 590,235 17,818,037 22,406,832 16,240,426 22,406,832 17,289,554 Total

\$113,486,534 \$111,166,632

Refining Corp., payable in preferred stock and (or) cash of Arkansas Fuel Co.—V. 148, p. 2254.

Associated Gas & Electric Co.—\$8,700,000 Settles Gas Tax—Government Compromises on Income and Excess Profits Levies for 1927-33—

The Federal Government compromised July 5 tax claims against the Associated Gas & Electric System for \$8,700,000, ending several years of controversy over how much, if anything, that system should pay in income and excess profits taxes for 1927 through 1933.

When the Government asserted its claim a few years ago the utility's officials denied that the system had any taxable income. Thereupon the Bureau of Internal Revenue claimed a deficiency of \$80,000,000, the maximum amount which it could claim based on gross income of the company and its many subsidiaries.

The method employed by the Federal tax authorities, who were faced with the tremendous task of going through the records of many of the Associated companies, thereby put the burden upon the utility's officials to prove that they owed less than the amount claimed.

An initial payment of \$3,000,000 was made July 5 by the holding company in behalf of itself and subsidiaries, payment being made at the offices of the Collector of Internal Revenue in New York, according to officials of the Treasury. The balance will be paid within five years, with interest at 6%. To raise the amount of the initial payment the holding company borrowed from its banks, which necessitated the filling of a declaration with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The SEC was said to have held up approval of the borrowing until it was assured that the Treasury would accept the erms offered by the taxpayer. The statement was made effective last week.

Weekly Output—

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For the week ended June 30, Associated Gas & Electric System reports net electric output of 93,500,631 units (kwh.). This is an increase of 11.—084,610 units or 13,4% above production of 82,416,021 units for a year ago. Gross output, including sales to other utilities, amounted to 104,488,513 units for the current week.—V. 149, p. 97.

Atlantic Beach Bridge Corp.—Bonds Called—
All of the outstanding first mortgage s. f. 61/4 % gold bonds due Feb. 1
1942 have been called for redemption on Aug. 1 at 102 and accrued interes
payment will be made at the Marine Midland Trust Co., New York City.—
V. 148, p. 3526.

Atlas Imperial Diesel Engine Co. (8 6 Months Ended May 31— Gross sales Cost of sales, excluding depreciation Selling and administrative expense	1939 \$1,201,143	Earnings *1398 \$966,268 658,221 188,803
Operating profitOther income, interest, discount, &c	\$149,469 8,820	\$119,244 6,316
Total income Depreciation Amort. of Mattoon Development costs, 20% per	\$158,289 31,557	\$125,560 30,963
annum Interest on 6% extended notes, less interest on	3,790	3,790
notes in treasuryProvision for income taxes	16,440 22,099	16,440 11,566
Net income for period	\$84.402	\$62,802

x Recent reclassification of certain accounts results in slight changes of 1938 items, as compared with statement to shareholders covering semi-annual period ended May 31, 1938.

Note—No provision is made for undistributed profits tax upon the parent corporation from which an exemption will be claimed. A similar claim was made last year which has been allowed.

Accounts pay, and accruals\_
customers' depos.
Mortgage on property, Houston, Texas.
Conv. 6% extended notes, due Mar.
1, 1945
Deferred profit on incomplete installations.
Cap. stk. (par \$5).
Scrip for fractional shares 548,000 548,000 shares\_\_\_\_\_y Capital surplus Earned surp 421 657,188 Carned surp. from Dec. 1, 1934\_\_\_ 359.915 275.513

Total \$2,839,547 \$2,686,414 Total \$2,839,547 \$2,686,414 **x** After provision for depreciation of \$606,413 at May 31, 1939 and \$574,688 at Nov. 30, 1938, **y** Arising from reduction of stated capital, and conversion of 6% notes into capital stock; less losses to Dec. 1, 1934, and stock dividends, 1935 and 1936.—V. 148, p. 1794.

-Dividend-Atlantic Mutual Insurance Co.-

Atlantic mutual insurance Co.—Dividend—
Trustees of the company have declared a dividend of profits of 15% on (1) the net terminated premiums to Nov. 1, 1939 of cash participating policies (other than open ocean cargo policies and term policies attaching prior to Jan. 1, 1939) and (2) the net premiums of cash participating term policies which attach prior to Jan. 1, 1939, whose expiry or anniversary dates occur between Aug. 1, 1939 and Oct. 31, 1939.—V. 148, p. 722.

Atlantic Seaboard Petroleum Corp.—Registers with SEC See list given on first page of this department.

Aviation Corp.—Listing-

Aviation Corp.—Listing—
The New York Stock Exchange has authorized the listing of 925,917 additional shares of capital stock (par \$3) upon official notice of issuance pursuant to the subscription rights offered to stockholders of record June 22, and the underwriting at \$3.30 per share of such shares as shall be unsubscribed for by stockholders at the subscription price of \$3.30 per share at the expiration of subscription rights on July 6. making the total amount applied for 3.756,958 shares.

No part of the net proceeds to be derived from the sale of 925,917 shares of capital stock has been allocated to specific purposes, with the exception that \$500,000 of the net proceeds will be used to repay to its parent company, Aviation & Transportation Corp. which owns \$25.372 shares of the outstanding capital stock, a loan in the amount of \$500,000 advanced April 27, 1939, repayment of which, with interest at the rate of 3% per annum, is secured by a pledge of American Airlines, Inc. 5-year 4½% nonconvertible debentures owned by the Aviation Corp. in the amount of \$800,000.

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The loan of \$500,000 so negotiated by Aviation Corp. was made on April 27, 1939, for the purpose of temporarily providing its wholly owned subsidiary, Aviation Manufacturing Corp., with capital to finance the development of its three divisions. Between April 27 and May 20, 1939, Aviation Corp. has advanced \$250,000 to Aviation Manufacturing Corp., of which amount \$200,000 was thereupon advanced by Aviation Manufacturing Corp. to its Vultee Aircraft Division, \$25,000 to its home office, and \$25,000 to its lycoming Division, to replenish their cash resources and meet current operating and development expenses. The corporation anticipates that the balance of \$250,000 borrowed by it on April 27, 1939, will be advanced to Aviation Manufacturing Corp. before the proceeds of the sale of the new securities will be available to use for the aforesaid purposes, and the entire \$500,000 loan referred to will accordingly be repaid out of part of the proceeds of the sale of said securities.

It is contemplated that the balance of the net proceeds will be advanced by the corporation to its wholly owned subsidiary, Aviation Manufacturing Corp. to be used in furtherance of its business.

The Aviation & Transportation Corp., which owns \$25,372 shares of the outstanding 2,777,750 shares (exclusive of treasury stock) of the corporation, has agreed to exercise its subscription rights as a stockholder and to subscribe for and purchase at the subscription rights as a stockholder and to subscribe for and purchase at the subscription rights as a stockholder and to subscribe for guidence of the subscription of 275,124 shares of the additional 925,917 shares to be offered for subscription.

An underwriting group formed by Schroder Rockefeller & Co., Inc., and Em

	Percentage to
Underwriter—	Be Purchased*
Schroder Rockefeller & Co., Inc	. 15%
Emanuel & Co	. 15%
Glore, Forgan & Co	10%
Lehman Brothers	
G. MP. Murphy & Co	. 10%
Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc	. 10%
Blair & Co., Inc	71/2%
Carlton M. Higbie Corp	71/3%
A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc.	5% 5% 5%
H. M. Byllesby & Co., Inc	5%
Schoelkopf, Hutton & Pomeroy, Inc	
* Exclusive of 275 124 shares offered to the Aviation & 7	ransportation

\* Exclusive of 275,124 shares offered Corp. as a stockholder.—V. 149, p. 98.

Ayrshire Patoka Collieries Corp.—Admitted to Listing— Tue common stock, par \$1, has been admitted to listing on the New York Curb Exchange.—V. 148, p. 3681.

Baltimore American Insurance Co.—Extra Dividend—The directors have declared an extra dividend of 5 cents per share in addition to the regular semi-annual dividend of 10 cents per share on the capital stock, par \$5, both payable Aug. 15 to holders of record July 31. Similar payments were made on Feb. 15, last, Aug. 15 and Feb. 15, 1938, on Aug. 16 and Feb. 15, 1937, and on Aug. 15 and Feb. 20, 1936.—V. 148, p. 125.

Baltimore & Ohio RR .- Judge Orders Full Interest

Payment—
Municipal Court Justice J. Marks entered a summary judgment against the road in favor of a plaintiff who had sued for full payment of interest due Feb. 1, 1939, on the company's convertible 4½% bonds, due 1960.
Plaintiff, Norman C. Norman, had sued to recover the sum of \$45 semi-annual interest due on two coupons.
Under the road's plan for modification of interest charges and maturities, dated Aug. 15, 1938, interest on the conv. 4½% issue had been placed on a contingent and cumulative basis for an 8-year period. No interest was paid on Feb. 1, but on May 1, last, a payment of \$6.67 per \$1,000 bond was made in accordance with the provisions of the modification plan, payable from earnings in the period from Aug. 1, 1938, to Jan. 1, 1939.
There are \$63.031.000 4½s outstanding.
It is considered likely that the decision will be carried to higher courts by the B. & O.—V. 149, p. 98.

the B. & O.—V. 149, p.	98.			
Beatrice Creame Period End: May 31— Net sales	19393 M \$14,178,809	os.—1938	1939—12 A	Ios.—1938
Costs, expenses, ordinary taxes, interest, &c Depreciation	13,531,485	13,394,585 258,108	56,645,409 1,107,776	$\substack{60,438,183\\1,042,529}$
ProfitOther income	\$377,814	\$222,237	\$1,874,930	\$1,431,511
	75,358	64,656	178,873	175,289
Total income	\$453,172	\$286,893	\$2,053,803	\$1,606,800
Fed. inc. tax & surtax	104,000	66,500	301,730	190,312
Net profit	\$349,172	\$220,393	\$1,752,073	\$1,416,488
	378,040	378,040	378,040	378,040
	\$0.60	\$0.26	\$3.35	\$2.46

v. 140, p. 3214.			
Bell Telephone Co. of Pa.	-Earning	78—	
Period End. May 31- 1939-Mon	th-1938	1939-5 M	
Operating revenues \$6,076.158	\$5,803,858		
Uncollectible oper. rev 24,395	34,444	111,323	147,394
Operating revenues_x\$6,051,763	\$5,769,414	x\$29469,040	\$28,498,113
Operating expenses 4.178,237	3,913 910	20,161,637	19,238,059
Net oper. revenues \$1,873,526	\$1,855,504		
Operating taxes 555,469	524.086	2.637.635	2.505.944

Net operating income \$1,318,057 \$1,331,418 \$6,669,768 \$6,754,110 Net income 867,220 880,546 4.411,471 4.470,424

Net income. 867,220 880,546 4,411,471 4,470,424 **x** Includes possible refund of \$40,000 for the month and \$189,000 for the five months.—V. 148, p. 3526.

Beaux Arts Apartments, Inc.—Registers with SEC-See list given on first page of this department.-V. 148, p. 2112.

B-Ettes Corp.—Registers with SEC-

See list given on first page of this department.—V. 148, p. 1633.

Bireley's, Inc.—Earnings—

Earnings for 3 Months Ended April 30, 1939

Sales, net
Cost of goods sold  $$266,975 \\ 130,532$ \$20,520

CEdward G.) Budd Mfg. Co.—RFC Loan—
Company announced July 6 that it had completed arrangements with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for a five-year loan amounting to \$6,000.000.

The RFC has sold a 50% participation in the Budd loan to the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, the Philadelphia National Bank, the Pennsylvania Company, the Corn Exchange National Bank & Trust Co. and the First National Bank.

Officers of the company stated that approximately \$2,300,000 will be used to liquidate existing loans and that the remainder would provide additional working capital.

The company has renewed all of its existing contracts for automobile body work for the coming season. The Railway Division of the Company has recently received extensive orders. It also was reported that the volume of the company's aviation and trailer business, which is a part of its stainless steel activity, is currently expanding.—V. 148, p. 3054.

Blue Ridge Corp.—Optional Dividend—

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Directors have declared an optional dividend of 75 cents per share on the preferred stock, payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 4. Holders have the option of receiving this dividend in cash or in common stock at the rate of 1-32d share of common stock for each share of preferred stock held. Like amount was paid in four preceding quarters.—V.148, p. 2257.

#### Bradford Electric Co.-To Issue Bonds-

Gradford Electric Co.—To Issue Bonds—
Company filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission an application (File 32-159) for exemption from the requirement of filing a declaration
in connection with the issuance and sale of \$550,000 first mortgage bonds,
series A, due May 1, 1969. The interest rate is to be furnished by amendment. Part of the proceeds from the sale of the bonds will be used for the
payment in full of a 3% promissory note due May 29, 1940 payable to the
Chase National Bank, New York. The balance will be used to reimburse
the company's treasury for construction expenditures previously made and
will be available for additions and improvements to the physical property
of the company.—V. 148, p. 883.

British American Tobacco Co., Ltd.—Interim Dividend Directors have declared an interim dividend of 18½ cents per share on the merican depository receipts for ordinary shares payable (July 8 to holders record June 2.—V. 148, p. 1314.

 

 British Columbia Power Corp., Ltd.—Earnings—

 Priod End. May 31—
 1939—Month—1938
 1939—11 Mos.—1938

 Gross earnings
 \$1,237,961
 \$1,200,211
 \$14,151,909
 \$13,858,585

 Operating expenses
 772,120
 733,810
 8,435,015
 8,096,569

 Not complaint
 \$465,041
 \$465,041
 \$271,600
 \$272,000

 \$466,401 \$5,716,894 \$5,762,016 Net earnings\_\_\_\_\_\_ -V. 148, p. 3682. \$465,841

Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit Corp.—City and B.-M. T. Sign Contract on Subway Deal-

Sign Contract on Subway Deal—

A formal contract between the city and the Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit Corp. was signed June 30 for the sale of all the elevated, subway, power, bus and trolley car facilities of the corporation to the city for \$175,000,000 in city corporate stock or serial bonds, exempt from the debt limit through a constitutional amendment, or cash.

This marks the final step in the preliminaries for unification of the B.-M. T system. The contract wil become operative as soon as 90% of the bondholders and 66 2-3% of the stockholders of the company give their consent and the Transit Commission fixes a consummation date. At that time title to all the properties being purchased will be vested in the city and the price will be paid. This may occur before the end of the year. Incorporation of the I. R. T. in the city system at a price of \$151,000,000 is in the making.

Mayor LaGuardia and Comptroller Joseph D. McGoldrick signed the agreement on behalf of the city while William S. Menden, President of the B.-M. T. and its street-surface operating subsidiary, the Brooklyn & Queens Transit Corp., and Fred C. Austin, Secretary of the two companies, signed for both firms.—V. 149, p. 99.

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Brown-Forman I Years End. April 30— Net sales Cost of sales	1939 \$6,170,566 4,658,992	Co., Inc. 1938 \$6,485,016 4,465,947	(& Subs. 1937 \$8,618,141 6,103,676	$-Earns. \ ^{1936}_{5,458,505}$
Gross profit on sales Other oper. income	\$1,511,574 3,356	\$2,019,069 5,099	\$2,514,465 8,209	\$2,205,873 15,887
Gross profit Sell., adm. & gen. exps	\$1,514,930 1,277,083	\$2,024,168 1,764,450	\$2,522,674 1,828,549	\$2,221,760 1,602,053
Operating profit Income credits	\$237,847 9,900	\$259,718 12,839	\$694,125 22,038	\$619,706 21,840
Gross income	\$247,747	\$272,557	\$716,163 217,053	\$641,547
Discount allowed & in- terest paid, &c Inc., &c., taxes (est.) Spec. allow. to cust., &c_	149,434 22,762	$170,274$ $1\overline{35},\overline{546}$	145,841 64,576	79,685 86,800
Net profit Divs. on pref. stock Earns.per sh.on com.stk.	Nil -	loss\$33,263 67,500 Nil	\$288,694 90,000 \$0.71	\$475,062 90,000 \$1.92
		Balance Sheet		
Assets— 1939 Cash \$228,47 Notes rec 9,26 x Accts. rec., trade 857,75	0 2,140	Notes payable Accounts pay Accrued com	e \$509,93 able_ 262,51	
Inventories 2,976,45		taxes, &c	78,80	1 81,364
Accr. storage, misc. accts. receivable and deposits 5.71	1 00.010	Fed'l income, taxes (est.).	28,67	
and deposits 5,71 Accts. rec., officers	1 29,816	Notes pay		- 6,033
and employees 17.73	6 19,573	term		1 137,563
Life insurance 68,20		z 6% cum. pf	stk. 1,500,00	
y Land, bldgs. and equipment 1,216,51	0 1,260,217	Common stoc par value)		0 280,000
Prepd. ins. & other	0 00 001	Capital surplu		
deferred charges 59,90 Brands & tr-mks	9 60,681	Surplus	612,64	1 537,090
at cost 11,59	3 11,613			
Motol 95 451 61	4 85 640 005	Total	9E 4E1 01	4 95 040 005

Total \$5,451,614 \$5,642,825 Total \$5,451,614 \$5,642,825 After allowance for doubtful accounts of \$46,092 in 1939 and \$45,000 in 1938. y After allowance for depreciation of \$207,601 in 1939 and \$153,645 in 1938. z Represented by 15,000 no par shares.—V. 147, p. 1481.

Bush Terminal Buildings Co.—Collateral Deposited—
The Irving Trust Co., as trustee under indenture securing the first mortgage 50-year sinking fund gold bonds, due April 1, 1960, reports there has
been deposited with it 19,995 ordinary shares of Bush House Limited
(London) capital stock, par value one pound sterling.—V. 148, p. 3527.

Bush Terminal Co.—Bonds Called—
The City Bank Farmers Trust Co., will until 12 o'clock noon July 27 receive bids for the sale to it of sufficient 1st mtge. 4% 50-year gold bonds due April 1, 1952 to exhaust the sum of \$23,375 at lowest prices offered.—V. 148, p. 3682.

(A. M.) Byers Co.—Preferred Dividend—
Directors authorized a dividend of \$2.20 15-16 per share on company's 7% preferred stock, payable Aug. 1 to holders of record July 10. Of this amount \$1.75 represents the dividend due May 1, 1934 and the remainder is accrued interest on the dividend up to Aug. 1, 1939, at the rate of 5% per annum. Dividend of \$2.21 2-3 per share was paid on June 1, last.—V. 148, p. 3527.

Canada Northern Power Corp., Ltd.—Earnings—

Period End. May 31— 1939—Month—1938 1939—5 Mos.—1938
Gross earnings—— \$430,755 \$421,964 \$2,165,175 \$2,098,752
Operating expenses—— 204,124 186,537 1,024,742 938,353

Net earnings—— \$226,631 \$235,427 \$1,140,443 \$1,160,399

—V. 149, p. 100.

Canadian Eagle Oil Co., Ltd.—Dividends—
Company declared dividends of 23.88 Canadian cents per share on the participating preference and 6d. per share on the common stock, payable July 17. These distributions are the same as for the year 1937.
The company will also on the same date, under its guarantee obligation to pay to holders of the 8% participating preference shares of Mexican Eagle Oil Co., the sum of 32 cents Mexican per share in full discharge of their fixed dividend for 1938.—V. 147, p. 2861.

Canadian National Ry.—Earnings— Earnings of the System for the 9-Day Period Ended June 30

Gross revenues \$1939 1938 1938 -V. 149, p. 100. \$4,816,629 \$4,394,277

Canadian Tube & Steel Products, Ltd.—Accum. Div.-

Directors have declared a dividend of \$1 per share on account of accumulations on the 7% cumul. pref. stock, payable July 15 to holders of record July 1. Dividend of \$2 per share was paid on Dec. 15, last. Canadian Wirebound Boxes, Ltd.—Earnings—

Years End. Apr. 30— Net earnings.\_\_\_\_ Prov. for depreciation\_\_ Prov. for Fed. & Provin-cial income taxes\_\_\_\_\_ 1936 \$196,988 51,641 \$172,172 54,810 1938 \$232,414 52,144 1937 \$227,946 54,226 10.680 Net profit for period. \$106,683 a\$180,269 \$173,720 \$145,347 Divs. on class A shares. 77,826 130,441 80,929 60,936 a Before provision for Federal and Provincial income taxes of \$20,731, after making this deduction net profit for the year would be \$159,538.

\*\*Balance Sheet April 30 1029 1029

Assets—	1939	1938	Liabilities—	1939	1938
Cash	\$74.285	\$65,134	Accounts and bills		
Call loan	90,000		payable	\$60,339	\$108,323
Accts. receiv. (less			Bank advances	114,062	
reserve for bad			Sundry creditors	18,925	
debts)	121.802	171.132	Accrued expenses	15,800	19.280
Inventory	171,138	239.617	Provicion for in-		
Prepaid exps. and	1,1,100		come taxes	11.198	21,510
accrued revenue	16,543	12.045	x Capital stock	1.375,464	1.388,984
Cash sur. val. of	10,010		Earned surplus	174.518	158,625
life insurance	1.875	1.250	Special surplus	131,590	121.176
Outside investment	.,	7,77	Special Sarpitasing		274.00
and advances	162,337	24.583			
y Fixed assets	624.108	662,519			
Patents, leases, &c	639.809	641,618			1-14/11/04
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Carborundum Co.—Pays 75-Cent Dividend—
Company paid a dividend of 75 cents per share on the common stock on June 30 to holders of record June 20. This compares with 50 cents paid on March 31, last, \$1.10 paid on Dec. 24, last; 65 cents on Sept. 30, 1938; 25 cents on March 31, 1938, and a dividend of \$1.25 on Dec. 27, 1937.—V. 148, p. 1949.

Cariboo Gold Quartz Mining Co., Ltd.—Earnings-

Earnings for Three Months Ended April 30, 1939
Gross income—bullion sales less Provincial mineral taxes and mint charges.
Cost, mining, milling, development, administration and general expenses. \$378,472 expenses\_\_\_\_\_ Provision for depreciation, depletion and income taxes\_\_\_\_\_ 

Central States Electric Corp.—Accumulated Dividends—The directors have declared the following dividends all payable on acount of accumulations on June 30 to holders of record June 16.

43 % cents per share on the 7% preferred class A shares.

9% cents per share on the 6% preferred class B shares.

9% cents per share on the 6% preferred class B shares, par \$25.

10.937 cents per share on the 6% preferred class B shares, par \$25.

9% cents per share on the 6% pref. class C shares, par \$25.—V. 148, p. 1950.—V. 147, p. 4050, 2084.—V. 146, p. 4110.—V. 141, p. 911.

Champion Paper & Fibre Co.—To Expand Pulp Mill at Houston—Time, Inc., to Purchase \$1,000,000 Pref. Stock—

Champion Faper & Fibre Co.—10 Expand Tutp Mater at Houston—Time, Inc., to Purchase \$1,000,000 Pref. Stock—
The company is planning construction of an addition to its Houston, Texas, pulp mill to cost an estimated \$3,000,000. Time, Inc., already has agreed to take a substantial amount of the additional capacity.

At a special meeting called for Aug. 8, stockholders will be asked to vote on a proposed increase in authorized cumulative preferred stock, from \$5,000 shares to 115,000 shares. If the increase is approved, Time, Inc., will buy for investment \$1,000,000 of the 6% cumulative preferred stock. Company will not issue any of the additional shares except those to be sold to "Time." Company also is considering retirement of \$10,007,000 of outstanding \$4% debentures through bank loans and sale of first mortgage bonds to insurance companies. Directors have been negotiating with banks for sale of \$6,000,000 of serial notes to carry interest from 1½ to 3½% due in from one to 7 years and \$7,000,000 of first mortgage bonds to insurance companies to bear 4½%, maturing from 9 to 15 years.

Proceeds from sale of these obligations would be used to retire the debentures, the company's only funded debt, and for construction of the paper mill. Remainder would be used for working capital.

The agreement which has already been signed by Time, Inc., must be approved by the company by Aug. 30.—V. 149, p. 101.

Chicago & Erie RR.—Would Acquire Cleveland & Mahoning Valley with \$7,500,000 RFC Loan—

The company has applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for approval of a \$7,500,000 Reconstruction Finance Corporation loan for the purpose of purchasing the entire capital stock of the Cleveland & Mahoning Valley Ry. The Purchase price of the property will be \$7,900,000.

The C. & E. a wholly owned subsidiary of the Erie RR. proposes to acquire the stock from Atlantic Leased Lines, Ltd., an English corporation,

as of July 1, 1939. The C. & E. said the acquisition would reduce fixed charges. Additional savings would be anticipated in later years by the operation of the sinking fund.—V. 147, p. 1770.

#### Chicago Flexibile Shaft Co.—Earnings-

| Sales | 1939 | 1983 | 1983 | 1984 | 1984 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 | 1985 |

Chicago & North Western Ry.—Counsel Urges Holders Get Some Recognition—Asks that ICC Not Consider Wiping Out Preferred and Common Stocks—

Get Some Recognition—Asks that ICC Not Consider Wiping Out Preferred and Common Stocks—

H. S. Cady, Vice-President and general counsel of the road has urged the Interstate Commerce Commission not to wipe out the present preferred and common stocks in reorganization.

Opening oral argument in the C. & N. W. reorganization case June 29, Mr. Cady said that, in his opinion, the last two years "have marked the lighest point of the tidal wave of adversity" and that during the current year the tide seems to have commenced to ebb.

It is inconceivable, Mr. Cady said, that railroad traffic will continue at its present low level. The stockholders, despite the dismal earning record of the last few years, should not be wiped out but should be given some token of the money which they invested in the property and upon which a return may be paid in the future, if economic conditions become more stabilized. He said:

"It seems only reasonable to believe that the present ebb of the tide which has partially engulfed the debtor's capital structure is but the beginning of a recession in this flood which will leave that struture Intact and again upon solid ground."

"A strong sentiment also exists in favor of rectifying the conditions of unequal competitive opportunity existing between the railroads and other transportation means," Mr. Cady continued. "This sentiment exists both in and out of Congress."

ICC Examiner J. V. Walsh has proposed reducing the capitalization of the C. & N. W. from \$556,000.000 to \$450.000.000 and cutting fixed charges from \$16,500.000 to \$3,400.000 for the first year after reorganization. Denouncing the contention of the management that the stock should not be eliminated, Kenneth F. Burgess, representing the insurance group committee, told the commission that by no stretch of the imagination was there any value in the stock. The examiner's findings, he said, clearly showed on the basis of a complete record that the allowable new capitalization fell \$44,000.000 olso of to fermitting any participation by

Commonwealth Edison Co.—Weekly Output—
The electricity output of the Commonwealth Edison Co. group (intercompany sales deducted) for the week ended June 24, 1939 was 139,025,000 kilowatt-hours compared with 123,059,000 kilowatt-hours in the corresponding period last year.

The following are the output and percentage comparisons for the last four weeks and the corresponding periods last year:

—Kilowatt-Hour Output—Per Cent

	Kilowatt-H	Per Cen	
Week Ended—	1939	1938	Increase
June 24	139,025,000	123,059,000	13.0
June 17	132,578,000	116,940,000	13.4
June 10	138,893,000	119,683,000	16.1
June 3	126.411.000	111.615.000	13.2
-V. 149, p. 104.			

### Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, Inc.-Weekly

Company announces production of the electric plants of its system for he week ended July 2, amounting to 138,300,000 kilowatt hours, compared ith 119,900,000 kilowatt hours for the corresponding week of 1938, an acrease of 15.4%.—V. 149, p. 104.

Consolidated Gas Electric Light & Power Co. of Baltimore (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Electric oper. revenue\$		3,955,684	\$25,468,979 8,934,246	
Depreciation	5,487,303 8,040,345 1,458,629 2,371,080	\$14,860,574 7,883,652 1,438,932 2,155,306	\$35,183,758 18,730,891 3,364,954 5,197,254	\$34,813,399 18,358,030 3,200,604 5,151,989
Operating income \$ Other income	$3,617,249 \\ 276,642$	\$3,382,684 298,226	\$7,890,659 699,046	\$8,102,775 579,217
Gross income\$ Int. & amort. of discount premium & exp. on bds Other deductions	3,893,891 973,405 22,645	\$3,680,910 1,060,676 25,859	\$8,589,705 2,375,804 57,296	
Divs. on pref. stock	2,897,840 456,259 1,751,095	\$2,594,375 464,715 1,751,095	\$6,156.605 1,106,859 4,202,629	\$6,069,698 1,115,315 4,202,629
Balance		\$378,565 \$1.82 Federal norn		

Tenders-The Bankers Trust Co. will until 3 o'clock p. m. Aug. 1, receive bids for the sale to it of first refunding mortgage sinking fund bonds, series M, N, O and P, at prices not exceeding 106 for the series M; 108 for the series N; 109 for the series N; 108 for the series P bonds.—V. 148, p. 3529.

Copperweld Steel Co.—Underwriter—
Riter & Co. will head the underwriting group for 40,000 shares of 5% preferred stock (\$50 par), for which a registration statement has been filed with the Security and Exchange Commission. Bank loans will be paid off with the proceeds of this issue.

The New York Curb Exchange will list upon official notice of issuance 111,112 additional shares of common stock, par \$5.—V. 149, p. 105.

Crandall-McKenz	ie & Her	derson.	Inc.—Earn	ings-
Years End. Dec. 31— Gross profit from opers_ Sell., collection, delivery.	1938 \$210,577	1937 \$225,434	1936 \$232,614	1935 \$190,631
&c., expense General, administrative.	88,020	93.801	83.042	73,858
&c., expense	67,606	70,050	64,229	59,554
Operation profit Other income Other deductions	\$54.951 13,887 6,355	\$61,583 6,422 16,197	\$85,343 10,669 5,220	\$57,218 13,140 . 2,937
Profit Prov. for depreciation Provision for estd. Fed-	\$62,482 See y	\$51,807 See x	\$90,792 28,806	\$67,422 28,184
eral income tax	11,126	13,320	12,592	6,157
Net profit Dividend	\$51,357 29,668	\$38,487 40,853	\$49.394 40,387	\$33,081 21,565

x Provision for depreciation for the year 1937, charged against income, aggregated \$29,343. y Provision for depreciation for the year amounted to \$19,616. Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash, \$117,627; marketable securities at cost \$107,058; trade accounts receivable (net). \$29,679; operating materials, supplies, &c. \$7,992; investments and other assets, \$6,701; property, plant and equipment (net). \$286,520; deferred charges, \$10,516; total, \$566,092. Liabilities—Accounts payable, \$11,279; accrued Federal and State capital stock taxes (estd.) \$2 250; provision for Federal and State taxes on income (estd.) \$11,100; capital stock (50 000 no par shares) \$50,000; capital surplus, \$483,149; earned surplus (since Jan. 1, 1933), \$77,350; less capital

stock in treasury (10,525 shares, at cost), Dr\$69,036; total, \$566,092 -V. 147. p. 3760.

Creameries of Ar Years End. Dec. 31— Net sales	1938 \$9,765,246	1937 \$9,827,634	\$1936 \$8,512,104	1935 \$7,470,826
Cost of sales and other oper.exps.incl. deprec.	9,162,078	9,272,553	8,079,901	7,193,287
Operating profit	\$603,169 86,033	\$555,081 101,867	\$432,203 94,854	\$277,540 134,445
Total income	\$689,202	\$656,948	\$527,057	\$411,985
Prov. for Fed., State & Territorial inc. taxes_ Income deductions	124,450 109,615	118,100 111,337	94,448 112,949	59,269 86,065
Net income	\$455,137	\$427,511	\$319,659	\$266,651
Net inc. allocated to min. interest	21,269	20,078	18,225	19,632
Creameries of Amer., Inc., share of net inc.	\$433,868	\$407,433 Sheet Dec. 3	\$301,435 1.1938	\$247,019

Assets—Cash on hand and in banks, \$628,623; marketable securities, at cost (at market quotations \$20,095), \$33,811; Notes and accounts receivable, trade (net), \$620,318; inventories of finished products, raw materials and supplies (at cost, which is in the aggregate, less than market), \$386,359; other current receivables (\$13,595 partially secured), net, \$53,928; other receivables (\$150,759 partially secured) net, \$176,775; investments in real estate, securities (cost \$26,285, market quotations not available) and other assets, \$112,947; properties, plant and equipment at reduced values assigned by directors as at dates of acquisition of subsidiaries in 1930 and 1931, with subsequent additions at cost (net), \$2,594,425; trade routes and other intangible assets, at nominal value, \$1; dairy cattle (priced as in former appraisal, plus subsequent additions at cost), \$78,016; debt discount and expense (\$74,995) and other deferred charges, \$138,631; total, \$4,823,833. \*Labilities—Accounts payable, trade, \$232,430; accrued liabilities, including provision of \$123,723 for Federal, State and Territorial taxes on income, \$246,124; other current liabilities, \$401,921; 10-year sinking fund 5% debentures, due Aug. 1, 1946, \$1,150,000; minority interests in capital stock and surplus of subsidiaries, \$301,611; \$3,50 preferred shares, cumulative convertible, series A (outstanding 24,986 shares, no par), \$1,077,908; common shares (par \$1), \$382,275; paid-in surplus, \$437,823; earned surplus, \$855,471; total, \$4,823,833.—V. 148, p. 3529.

\*\*Creole Petroleum Corp.\*\*

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Creole Petroleum Corp. (	& Subs.)-	-Earnings	and the second
Calendar Years— 1938	1937	1936	1935
Gross oper. income\$28,814,699	\$30.830.143	\$24,205,143	\$20,044,553
Costs, oper. & gen. exp. 11,613,828	10.094,268	7.058.011	6.335.934
Taxes 1,613,759	x1,542,219	851.084	172.768
	4.709.681	4.587,729	3,549,306
Deprec., depl. & amort_ 3,589,459	4,100,001	7,001,120	1.871
Interest paid	0.007.000	2 150 050	
Retirements 591,484	3,335,826	3,152,050	4,496,013
Net operating income_\$11,406,169	\$11,148,149	\$8,556,267	\$5,488,661
Non-oper. income (net) 58,428		38,861	19,058
		1.320	1.347
Loss applic. to min. int_ 160	1,100	1,020	
Profit for period\$11,464,757	\$11,218,752	\$8,596,448	\$5,509,067
Shares capital stock out-	0.000.000	0.074.070	6.974.356
standing (no par) 6,974,356		6,974,356	
Tornings nor chara \$1.64	\$1.61	\$1 23	\$0.79

x Includes surtax on undistributed profits of \$4,500.

	Balance Sh	eet Dec. 31		
1938	1937		1938	1937
Assets— S	8	Liabilities-	8	\$
y Tot. fixed assets_56,966,860	52.162.880	x Capital stock	34,871,780	34,871,780
Inventories 7,249,649	7.735,247	Accounts payable.	2,003,642	2,288,404
Accts. receivable_13,966,567	14.707.969	Accrued liabilities.	3,526,686	3,523,088
Cash 842,324		Depos. by trustees	3	80 Mgs 4
Prepd. & def. chgs. 1,453,719	772,328	of thrift fund	574,730	339,667
Other assets 5,655		Capital & surplus	1	
Long-term notes.		of minority ints.		
mtges, and def'd		Capital surplus	23,262,913	23,262,913
accts. receivable 387,487	512,236	Approp. surplus	478,664	478,664
		Unap.sur. (earned)	16,138,716	11,897,246
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Total.......80,872,261 76,677,053 | Total......80,872,261 76,677,053 x Represented by 6,974,356 shares of no par value. y After deducting depreciation, depletion and amortization of \$32,642,615 in 1938 and \$29,439,103 in 1937.—V. 148, p. 2893.

#### Crown Central Petroleum Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings

	Jonsonaanea	Income Accou	unc	
Period— Net sales Cost of goods sold	Dec. 31 '38 \$7,760,106	Jan. 1 '37 to Sept. 23 '37 \$5,486,304 4,262,968	Dec. 31'37 \$3,000,290	Dec. 31 '37 \$8,486,595
Gross profit	\$290,219	\$1,223,336	\$531,309	\$1,754,645
General, administrative and selling	336,740	····* 229,530	. 113,869	343,399
Operating profitOther deductionsOther income	loss\$46,521 42,923 22,891	\$993,806 15,843 8,786	\$417,440 9,073 2,807	\$1,411,246 24,915 11,594
Depreciation	133,880	\$986,750 183,962 123,193	\$411,174 95,275 47,642	\$1,397,924 279,237 170,835
Amortization of cost of patented process	36,923	26,974	9,949	36,923
Loss on sale and abandon ment of capital assets. Federal taxes on income. Surtax on undistr. profits	3,022 x13,895	61,305 85,646 5,165	25,756 28,750 13,068	87,061 114,396 18,233
Net profitl	oss\$586,257	\$500,505	\$190,734	\$691,239

\* Federal taxes on income of subsidiary companies for 1938 estimated.

x Federal taxes on income of subsidiary companies for 1938 estimated.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash, demand deposits, \$318,783; accounts receivable—trade (net), \$182,022; inventories, \$1,318,502; investments and other assets, \$72,165; property, plant and equipment (net), \$4,917,389; patented manufacturing processes, \$313,846; deferred charges, \$17,262; total, \$7,139,929.

Liabilities—Notes payable, \$300,000; accounts payable, \$495,842; accrued taxes and insurance, \$26,359; Federal taxes on income of subsidiary companies, estimated, \$13,895; reserves, \$173,708; 5% non-cumulative voting preferred stock (par \$100), \$76,100; common stock (par \$5), \$4,126,277; capital surplus, \$2,412,052; earned surplus, [deficit] accumulated since Sept. 24, 1937, \$484,404; total, \$7,139,929.—V. 147, p. 2086.

#### rown Cork International Corn. (& Subs.)-

Crown Cork International Corp. (& Subs.)—	zai iverego
Earnings for the Year Ended Dec. 31, 1938	
Net sales	6.639.608
Cost of sales	4,624,311
Selling and general expenses	1,109,295
Int. & other deductions, less int. earned & other income	46,611
Provision for foreign income taxes	244,585
Portion of income accruing to minority ints. in subs	223,826
Net income before extraordinary items	\$390,979
Extraordinary items	x140,376
Net income	\$250,604
Class A dividends	249,156
Earns. per share on 247,258 shs. cl. A stk. (no par)	\$101

x Consolidated company portion of decline in dollar amount of net current assets in foreign countries due to translation into U. S. dollars, less \$34,533 charged to reserve previously provided from income.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash in banks and on hand, \$1,364,421; accounts and notes receivable (net), \$806,033; inventories, \$1,807,704; investments by two foreign subsidiaries in capital stock of Crown Cork & Scal Co., Inc., at less than cost (at U. S. market quotations, \$208,125), \$166,250; investment in and advances to two wholly owned unconsolidated Spanish subsidiaries (net), \$293,234; sundry investments, advances, &c., at cost or less, \$21,597; land, buildings and equipment, at cost, plus \$521,444 appreciation arising from sale of plant of an English subsidiary to a successor subsidiary (less allowance for depreciation, \$129,648 applicable to appreciation, of \$2,641, 362,2610,330; patents and trade-marks, less amortization, \$3,8476; unexpired insurance, prepaid taxes, &c., and other deferred charges, \$41,023; goodwill, \$415,286; total, \$7,564,353.

Liabilities—Payable to foreign banks by subsidiaries, \$123,496; accounts and notes payable and sundry accruals, \$550,353; U. S. capital stock and State franchise taxes, estimated, \$5,650; payable to officers and employees, \$1,511; dividends payable, \$102,257; payable to Crown Cork & Seal Co., Inc., \$32,650; payable to two unconsolidated Spanish subsidiaries, \$183,013; foreign income and other foreign taxes accrued, \$465,693; reserve for amount by which net current assets translated and included herein at current rates of exchange exceed same at former par rates, \$42,844; loan payable by a foreign subsidiary, matures in instalments to 1959, with right to lien on workmen's cottages carried at \$64,974, \$28,500; reserve for taxes payable when profits of foreign subsidiaries are remitted to the parent company, \$42,953; reserve for contingencies, \$300,000; minority interests, \$2,781,173; \$1 cumulative participating class A stock (no par), authorized 400,000 shares, outstanding 247,258 shares, at stated value, \$1,570,416; \$1 non-cumulative class B stock (no par) authorized and issued 200,000 xhares, at stated value, \$1,014,850; surplus, \$318,993

Crowell Publishing Co. (& Subs.)—Annual Report— [Including P. F. Collier & Son Corp., P. F. Collier & Son Limited and Reynolds Publishing Co. Inc.]

Years Ended Dec. 31— a Profit— Allowance for depreciation— Federal income taxes— Surtax on undistributed profits———	1938 \$1,863,499 452,564 240,516		\$3,836,519 \$3,836,519 \$78,249 512,682 65,627
BalanceAdjust. in respect of Fed. inc. taxes for prior years	\$1,170,420 	\$2,818,089	\$2,879,960 12,879
Net income Previous surplus Divs. form wholly owned subs. not consol., declared out of earnings of		\$2,818,089 4,716,184	\$2,892,839 4,103,358
prior yearsAdjustments	1,236 74,483	3,411	30,279
Total surplus	\$6,471,516	\$7,537,684	\$7,026,476
Dividends paid: On 7% cumulative preferred stock. On common stock	$^{60,970}_{1,876,450}$	60,970 2,251,336	$\substack{60,970 \\ 2,249,322}$
Balance, Dec. 31a Before charging depreciation, F			

undistributed profits.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31

[P. F. Collier & Son Corp., P. F. Collier & Son Limited and Reynolds

			Publishing	Co., Inc.]			
		1938	1937	,	1938	1937	
	Assets-	S	8	Liabilities-	8	8	
	Land, bldgs., ma-			7% cum. pref. stock	871,000	871,000	
	chinery, equip.,			x Common stock	7.891,159	7,891,159	
	furn. & goodwill	14,723,323	14,869,787	Due to wholly			
i	Book plates and			owned sub. not			
	copyrights		3,793,673	consolidated	2,038	594	
	Invest. in wholly			Trade accept. pay.	1,947,006	1,279,395	
	owned subs. not			Accounts pay, and			
	consolidated	365,000			1,570,358	1,819,442	
	Other investments	5,295	5,641				
	Due from wholly			stock	25,400	25,400	
	owned sub. not			Tax provision	362,930	674,198	
	consolidated	122,800		Prov. for book col-			
	Reacquired secur_	47,281	42,661		457,415	475,739	
	Cash	1,051,664	1,399,547				
	Postage deps. and			insurance	167,263	230,263	
	uncov. postage_	53,595					
	Accts. & bills rec	448,702			68,002	108,995	
	Install. contr. rec.		9,089,477	Def. liab. & credits	171,400	180,731	
	Inventories	2,295,439	2,208,762		8,710,331	8,883,724	
	Def. assets & ch'ges	2,510,544	2,542,362	Deprec. of bldgs.,			
				mach., equip. &			
				furniture	5,951,911	6,075,485	
	and the second			Sundry reserves	278,291	307,338	
				Surplus res. for re-			
				demp. of pref.	050 100	050 100	
				stock	958,100	958,100	
				Balance, surplus	4,534,096	5,225,377	
	-A. 100 E		05.000.010		20.000.000	05.000.010	

Total 33,966,699 35,006,942 Total 33,966,69 x Represented by 752,629 no par shares.—V. 147, p. 1335.

Crystal Oil Refining Corp.—Earnings-

Years End. Dec. 31— Sales Cost of sales Expenses	1938 \$574,858 544,705 52,152	1937 \$528,089 498,954 48,837	1936 \$644,772 605,450 50,825	\$820,333 764,122 80,088
Net loss from opers	\$22,000	\$19,701	\$11,504	\$23,877
Other inc.—rents, royal- ties, &c	23,310	22,269	40,578	19,927
Profit	\$1,310	\$2,567	\$29,074	loss\$3,950
Interest charges & dis- count on sales	3,655	3,390	22,217	5,210
Net loss	\$2,345 slance Sheet 1	\$823 Dec. 31, 193	prof\$6,857	\$9,161

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash in banks and on hand, \$40,305; notes and warrants receivable, \$32,109; accounts receivable (net), \$28,684; inventories—at cost, \$4,496; prepaid expenses—rent and insurance, \$898; other notes and accounts receivable (net), \$26,935; investments—at cost, \$79,075; property and equipment (net), \$171,811; total, \$384,314.

Liabilities—Accounts payable and accoured expenses, \$21,547; notes payable to bankers (secured per contra), \$80,000; deferred income, \$296; preferred—\$6 cumulative preferred stock (par \$10), \$250,350; common stock 102,587 shares—no par value, \$10; capital surplus, \$32,202; deficit (from Jan. 1, 1936), \$92; total, \$384,314.—V. 147, p. 2087. TAJ

Crow's Nest Pass	Coal Co.	, Lta.—E	arnings—	
Calendar Years-	1938	1937	1936	1935
Profit on coal and coke operations Executive officers' sals Counsel & legal fees Directors' fees Depreciation Depletion Bad dts.written off (net)	\$298,032 32,862 2,939 2,500 118,165 48,242	\$336,547 34,820 2,756 4,000 120,359 49,496	\$467,572 30,993 2,340 4,000 119,290 51,416 387	\$381,038 30,341 2,293 4,000 112,858 44,479
Gross profitOther income	\$93,323 54,486	\$125,116 34,996	\$259,146 62,563	\$187,066 55 367
Prof. before inc. tax  Non-recurring charges  Prov. for income tax	\$147,809 35,370 22,704	\$160,112 11,520 38,797	\$321,709 43,579	\$242,433 24,301
Profit for year Dividends	\$89,735 186,354	\$109,795 279,531	\$278,130 434,826	\$218,131 248,472

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash on hand and in banks, \$325,379; accounts receivable, \$204,480; coal and mine supplies, at cost or useful values, \$108,353; bonds and shares (market value \$957,522) at cost, \$886,370; bonds & shares (no established market value) nominal value, \$2; Imperial Bank of Canada, Fernie, dividend account, \$3,182; accounts receivable, subsidiaries, wholly owned companies, \$18,007; shares of wholly owned subsidiaries \$474,176; omines, real estate, buildings, plant and equipment at cost, less amounts written off to reserves (net), \$3,137,033; prepaid expenses, \$7,592; total, \$5,164,573.

Liabilities—Accounts payable, including accrued wages, \$77,502; accrued taxes and assessments, \$2,797; provision for Dominion of Canada 1938 income tax, \$22,704; dividend checks issued and outstanding, per contra, \$3,182; capital stock (par,\$100), \$6,212,667; deficit, Dec. 31, 1938, \$1,154,-278; total, \$5,164,573.—V, 148, p. 2739.

Cuban Tobacco Co., Inc. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Cuban Tobacco Co., Inc. (& Subs.) — Earnings—
Calendar Years—
1938
1937
1936
1935
Net earns, for the year—
Min. stockholders divs.
&their propor, of undis.
net earnings of sub.—
Prov. for int. on debs. of foreign subsidiary—
Miscell. deductions——
83,918
137,209
172,655
169,551 \$203,857 8,821 248,519 \$353,194 8,062 248,750 \$350,091 13,274 248,750 \$441,715 17,395 248,750 3.812 a2,251 a2.081 1.903 Net income\_\_\_\_\_ Previous surplus\_\_\_\_\_ loss\$57,295 2,505,134 \$94,130 2,493,504 \$85,986 2,490,018 \$173,666 2,316,351 Total surplus\_\_\_\_\_\$2,447,839 \$2,587,634 Divs. on pref. stock\_\_\_\_ 55,000 \$2,500 \$2,576,004 82,500 \$2,490,018

Earned surp. Dec. 31\_ \$2,392,839 \$2,505,134 a No provision made for Federal surtax on undistributed profits. x Includes profit of a subsidiary company on sale of investment to an affiliated company outside the consolidated group of \$44,850. y Includes \$17,822 in 1938, \$14,059 in 1937 and \$62,821 in 1936 (net) for adjustments applicable to prior years.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash, \$414.670; special cash deposit for bond interest coupons, per contra, \$3.475; accounts receivable, \$648,942; advances to planters, \$175.802; inventories at cost, \$2.803,156; investments, at cost, \$232.530; fixed assets (net), \$9,063,438; other assets and deferred charges, \$267,794; total, \$13,609,806.

\*\*Liabilities\*\*—Accounts payable and accruals, \$262,103; accrued taxes, \$87,619; bond interest coupons, per contra, \$3,475; bond interest accrued, \$20,704; preference share dividend payable by a subsidiary company, \$13,423; accrual of preference share dividend of a subsidiary company, \$13,423; accrual of preference share dividend of a subsidiary company, \$117,231; American Cigarette & Cigar Co.—current accounts, \$55,667; American Cigarette & Cigar Co.—current accounts, \$55,667; American Cigarette & Cigar Co.—4% mortgage note of a subsidiary company due in 1939, \$37,500; funded debt, \$5,725,000; reserves, \$1,169,657; minority interest in subsidiaries, \$2,441,376; 5% cumulative preferred stock (par \$100), \$1,100,000; common stock (170,000 no par shares), \$170,000; earned surplus, \$2,392,839; total, \$13,609,806.—V.

\*\*Dakota Power Co.—To Sell Bonds Privately—\*\*

Dakota Power Co.—To Sell Bonds Privately—
The Securities and Exchange Commission announced June 29 that the company had filed a declaration (File 43-226) under the Holding Company Act in connection with the proposed issue and sale of \$675,000 44% % first mortgage serial bonds and \$337,000 4% unsecured notes, due April 1, 1660

1960.
The company proposes to sell \$658,000 of the bonds at par to the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States. The remaining \$17,000 of the bonds are to be sold at par to General Public Utilities, Inc., parent. The notes are to be sold at par to the parent company.

Of the proceeds received from the sale of the bonds, \$408,500 will be applied to the redemption on Sept. 1, 1939 of a like principal amount of 7% first mortgage bonds of the company and \$266,500 will be applied to the purchase from General Public Utilities, Inc., of a like amount of 7% first mortgage bonds of the company. The proceeds from the sale of the notes will be applied to the purchase of a like principal amount of 4% unsecured notes of the company, due April 1, 1956, presently owned by the parent company.

notes of the company, due April 1, 1800, passing visited to the company. General Public Utilities, Inc. filed an application for approval of the acquisition of the securities from Dakota Power Co. and also filed an application for approval of the sale of the securities to Dakota Power Co. A hearing has been set for July 19 in the Commission's Washington offices on the declaration (File 43-226) of the company regarding the issue and sale of \$675,000 of first mortgage 4½% serial bonds.—V. 147, p. 1336.

Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.—Class A Div. Basis Changed—Directors have declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents per share on the cumulative class A shares payable Aug. 1 to holders of record July 15 eviously a regular semi-annual dividend of \$1 per share was paid on May last.—V. 148, p. 3685.

Davis Coal & Co	1938	& Subs.)— 1937 \$1,785,697	1936	
Oper. costs, sell. & gen. expenses, taxes, &c	1,641,454	1,757,348	1,824,414	1,607,810
Depletion, depreciation, royalties & amortiz'n.	100,983	68,646	69,705	75,308
Loss from operations	\$31,545	\$40,297	prof\$31,864	prof\$68,900
Net income from other sources	221,399	144,532	145,782	142,254
Profit before interest_ Prov. for Federal taxes Other charges	\$189.854 9,404 57,539	\$104,235 3,876 27,547	\$177,646 5,957 48,016	\$211,154 12,076 65,999
Net income Dividends declared	\$122,911 78,787	\$72,813 65,489	\$123,672 157,173	\$133,078 170,271
Balance, surplus	\$44,124	\$7,324	def\$33,501	def\$37,193
Shares of capital .(stock outstanding (par \$100) Earns.per sh.on cap.stk.	52,396 \$2.39	52,399 \$1.39	\$2.36	

contistanding (par \$100) 52.396 52.399 52.399 52.400 Earns.per sh.on cap.stk. \$2.39 \$1.39 \$2.36 \$2.56 \$2.54 \$2.54 \$Assets—Cash, \$782.565 marketable securities (valuation based on market quotations \$649.594), \$624.284; notes and accounts receivable (less reserve of \$29.260), \$288.532; inventories—at cost (incl. merchandise and supplies of \$134.133), \$139.711; accrued interest receivable, \$11.363; investments, \$1.188.511; contingency fund assets, \$145.248; property, ming rights. &c.—at book value (less reserves of \$2.557,105), \$5.198.250; leasehold, \$2.307.544; deferred charges, \$100.363; total, \$10.786.371. \$Liabilities—Accounts payable, \$69.254; distribution to stockholders suthorized Nov. 30, 1938—payable Jan. 16, 1939, \$1.309,911; accrued wages, \$16.191; accrued taxes, \$41.812; reserves, \$214.074; capital stock (par \$50), \$2.619,822; capital (arising principally from excess of book value of coal lands over par value of stock issued therefor), \$3.144.672; earned surplus, \$3.370.635; total, \$10.786.371.

The stockholders at a special meeting held on Nov. 30, 1938, and at which 98.54% of the outstanding capital stock was present in person or by proxy, unanimously decreased the capital stock of the company from \$6.000,000 to \$3.000.000 by reducing the par value of the stock from \$100 to \$50 a share of outstanding stock. To provide funds for this liquidation of \$50 a share by the payment of \$25 on Dec. 15, 1938, and \$25 on Jan. 16, 1939, to each share of outstanding stock. To provide funds for this liquidation of \$1,704.623 securities were sold during 1938 at a profit of \$117.502, and in January, 1939 additional securities of \$624.284 were sold at a profit of \$25.687 to Provide funds for the Jan. 16, 1939, payment.

Accordingly, a total of \$2.328.907 book value of securities were sold to furnish funds to liquidate the reduction of the capital stock, and the com-

pany had remaining as of Jan. 16, 1939, cash and securities at cost of \$1.228,513, of which \$1,004,596 were Government bonds, and the estimated market value at that time of the remaining consolidated current assets (excl. of all property and leaseholds) of The Davis Coal & Coke Co. and its subsdiairies over current liabilities was about \$1,746,209. It is believed these remaining securities, as at present invested, will produce an approximate annual income of \$30,000.—V. 137, p. 3157.

Dejay Stores, Inc. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

Years Ended Jan 31—	1939	e1938	1937
Gross sales, less disc, returns & allow_		\$2,476,929	\$2,289,857
Cost of sales		1,011,396	930,400
Gross profit on sales	\$1,179,784	\$1,465,533	\$1,359,456
	<b>b</b> 680,978	<b>b</b> 799,035	a680,649
Stores' profit	\$498,806	\$666,498	\$678,807
	170,845	169,545	144,883
	215,734	342,078	219,371
Operating profit	\$112,227	\$154,874	\$314,553
Deductions from income	2,211	1,992	1,168
Provision for Fed normal income, &c.	g13,814	d28,986	<b>c</b> 45,500
Net profit	\$96,202 42,667 \$0.67	\$123,896 114,080 \$0.87	\$267,885 29,325 99,182 \$1.87

Earns, per share on common stock... \$0.67 \$0.87 \$1.87

a No provision has been made in the operating statements for depreciation of furniture, fixtures and improvements, which are carried in the balance sheet at the value of \$1. Pursuant to the established policy of the company, expenditures for furniture, fixtures and in improvements are charged to operating expenses. Such expenditures in the fiscal year ended Jan. 31, 1937 amounted to \$26,532. b Included in stores operating expenses are: expenditures for furnture, fixtures and improvements to leased premises of \$13,462 (\$29,320 in 1938). It is the policy of the company to charge such expenditures to operating expenses. No provision has been made for depreciation on furniture, fixtures and improvements which are carried in the balance sheet at the value of \$1. c Provision for Federal normal income and excess profits taxes of \$32,579, surtax on undistributed profits of \$6,119 and contingencies of \$6,802. d Provision for Federal normal income taxes of \$24,514 and surtax of undistributed profits of \$4,472. e Includes Horman's, Inc., from March 5, 1937 to Jan. 31, 1938 a subsidiary acquired on March 5, 1937. g Includes provision for contingencies of \$5,000.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Jan. 31, 1939

Consolidated Balance Sheet Jan. 31, 1939

Assets—Cash in banks and on hand, \$108,628; accounts receivable (net), \$779,479; merchandise inventories, \$196,733; merchandise in transit, \$7,396; other assets, \$5,187; furniture, fixtures and improvements to leased premises, \$1; total, \$1,097,424.

Liabitities—Accounts payable less trade discounts, \$109,079; expenses and miscellaneous payable, \$16,856; unpaid and accrued taxes, \$25,060; reserve for contingencies (taxes), \$15,778; common stock (par \$1),\$142,061; capital surplus, \$371,874; earned surplus, \$416,716; total, \$1,097,424.

—V. 148, p. 3842.

Dennison Manufacturing Co.—Unlisted Trading—
The New York Curb Exchange has removed the 7% preferred stock, 1st series, par \$100, from unlisted trading.—V. 149, p. 106.

Denver & Rio Grande Western RR.—Equipment Trust Awarded—Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc., and Bosworth, Chanute, Loughbridge & Co. on July 6 were awarded an issue of \$1,290,000 3% equipment trust certificates of the road, maturing \$86,000 annually Aug. 1, 1940-54. on their joint bid of 101.6789. The issue was not publicly reoffered.

Other bids were as follows: L. M. Marks & Co., 100.4665; First National Bank of Chicago, 100.38; Equitable Life Insurance Society of the U. S., 100.34; Salomon Bros. & Hutzler, 100.077; Blyth & Co., Inc., 99.531. All the bids were for 3% securities.—V. 149, p. 106.

Detroit Steal Products Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Detroit Steel Products Co. (& Subs.)—Earning Earnings for Year Ended Dec. 31, 1938	ngs—
Gross profit from sales (sales less cost of products sold)	\$1,496,313 1,320,307
Operating profitOther income	\$176,007 46,162
Total income Interest paid and accrued Provision for loss on doubtful trade notes and accounts receiv Federal taxes on income, estimated	\$222,168 8,318 10,123 30,440
Net profit Dividends paid in cash Earnings per share	\$173,288 96,922 \$6.89
Note—Provision for depreciation for the year amounted to \$1	73,661.

Note—Provision for depreciation for the year amounted to \$173,661.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash on deposit and on hand, \$247,664; United States Treasury bills maturing during Jan., 1939 (aggregate quoted market price \$1,199,890), \$1,200,000; trade accounts and notes receivable (net). \$1,091,204; inventories, \$904,589; investments and other assets, \$72,562; property, plant and equipment (net). \$2,739,195; patents and contracts at nominal amount, \$1; prepaid taxes, insurance and other expenses, \$101,633; total, \$6,356,488.

Liabilities—Notes payable to bank, \$1,000,000 trade accounts payable and payrolis, \$270,384; accrued commissions and other expenses, \$49,689; 3½% first mortgage notes, payable within one year, \$100,000; Federal taxes on income of the year 1938, estimated, \$30,000; 3½% first mortgage notes, \$50,000; uncompleted orders, \$4,637; reserve for contingencies, \$79,470; capital stock (193, 844 shares, no par), \$3,284,359; earned surplus (restricted in the amount of \$213,641 representing the cost of shares held in treasury), \$1,488,308; total, \$6,356,848.—V. 147, p. 3608.

Biotanhone Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings—

Calendar Years— Profit for year— Depreciation———— Reserve for income tax— Prov. for surtax on undistributed profits———	1938 \$393,975 36,901 58;729	1937 \$1,094,163 36,680 157,902	1936 \$945,235 31,839 134,270 4,106	1935 \$712,156 57,957 92,735
Net income Cash div. on pref. stock_ Cash div. on com, stock_	\$298,345 62,992 128,004	\$895,974 62,992 765,792	\$775,020 62,992 635,990	\$561,463 70,628 380,608
Balance, surplus Previous surplus (adjust) Prem.on pref. stock red_ Amount transf. to cap.	\$107,349 1,125,921	\$67,190 1,253,475	\$76,038 877,732	\$110,227 805,135 38,180
allocable to com. stock Appr. for stk. retirement		200,000	32,535	33,426
Surplus, Dec. 31	\$1,233,271	\$1,120,665	\$921,235	\$843,755
Shs. com. stk. outstand- ing (no par) Earnings per share	128,265 \$1.83	128,102 \$6.50 Sheet Dec. 3	127,685 \$5.58	127,252 \$3.86

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash, \$504,166; accounts receivable (less reserve for doubtful accounts of \$95,144), \$571,684; inventories, at the lower of cost or market, \$946,653; net assets subject to exchange regulations of foreign countries, \$4,090; land, buildings, machinery and equipment, at cost (less reserve for depreciation of \$579,106), \$391,170; deferred charges, \$24,403; patents and trademarks, \$1; total, \$2,442,167.

Liabilities—Accounts payable, \$34,708; salaries and wages, commissions, taxes and sundry accruals, \$129,997; provision for Federal and foreign income taxes, \$56,789; 8% cumulative preferred stock (par \$100), \$1,084,-500; common stock (authorized and issued 150,000 shares, no par, including 21,735 shares held in treasury), \$200,001; earned surplus (less 2,312 shares

of preferred stock held in treasury, and 659 shares of preferred stock held in sinking fund for retirement, at par, \$297,100), \$936,171; total, \$2,-442,167.—V. 148, p. 2894.

Devonian Oil Co.—Earnings—

\$1,588,241	\$1,926,857	\$1,647,027	\$1,416,136
304,095	284,430	256,576	206,028
\$1,284,146	\$1,642,427	\$1,390,451	\$1,210,107
161,576	137,525	135,319	125,568
\$1,122,570	\$1,504,901	\$1,255,132	\$1,084,539
10,903	27,276	75,475	25,457
\$1,133,473	\$1,532,177	\$1,330,607	\$1,109,996
11,610	19,188	47,258	36,472
321,106	345,100	328,473	331,468
248,956	146,396	178,226	111,775
\$551,801	\$1,021,493	\$776,649	\$630,281
322,000	483,000	402,350	321,803
	\$1,588,241 304,095 \$1,284,146 161,576 \$1,122,570 10,903 \$1,133,473 11,610 321,106 248,956 \$551,801	\$1,588,241 \$1,926,857 284,430   \$1,284,146 \$1,642,427 161,576 137,525   \$1,122,570 \$1,504,901 27,276   \$1,133,473 \$1,532,177 11,610 321,106 345,100    248,956 146,396   \$551,801 \$1,021,493	\$1,588,241 \$1,926,857 \$1,647,027 256,576   \$1,284,146 \$1,642,427 \$1,390,451 135,319   \$1,122,570 \$1,504,901 \$1,255,132 75,475   \$1,133,473 \$1,532,175 \$1,330,607 11,610 321,106 \$321,106 \$345,100 \$28,473    248,956 \$146,396 \$178,226 \$551,801 \$1,021,493 \$776,649

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash, \$602,538; accounts receivable, \$106,138; materials and supplies—book inventory, \$27,585; investments—unlisted stocks, cost, \$7,925; fixed assets (net), \$5,345,552; deferred debit items—guaranty deposits, &c., \$3,661; total, \$6,093,399;

Liabilities—Accounts payable—trade creditors, \$36,486; accrued wages, \$16,324; accrued Federal and State income taxes for year 1938, \$10,755; capital stock (\$10 par), \$3,220,000; surplus, \$2,809,834; total, \$6,093,399.

—V. 147, p. 1637.

Distillers Co., Ltd.—Final Dividend—
Company declared a final dividend of 12½%, less tax, on the common stock for the year ended May 15, making a total of 20% for the year. In addition a bonus of 2½%, less tax, has been declared. The dividends are payable Aug. 1.

After appropriating £400,000 to reserve fund, directors propose to capitalize part of the reserve fund and issue a stock bonus in the proportion of two shares of common stock for every £5 of common stock held. This action will raise the issued common capital by £4,276,384 to £14,967,346.

—V. 148, p. 730.

Dixie-Vortex Co.—New President—
Hugh Moore has been elected President of this company, effective July 31, to succeed R. C. Fenner, resigned.
A. R. Lillicrap was elected a director to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Fenner's resignation from the Board.
Cecil F. Dawson, Vice-President and director, will assume management of the company's affairs at Chicago.—V. 148, p. 3529.

Dominion Square Corp.—Earnings—

Income Account Yea	rs Ended Ap	ril 30	
Operating income Operating expenses Taxes	1939 \$446,775 144,576 124,386	1938 \$448,565 132,820 124,416	1937 \$418,700 138,035 127,622
Operating profit Interest earned	\$177,813 623	\$191,329 1,743	\$153,042 827
Net earnings Bond interest	\$178,435 281,400	\$193,072 281,400	\$153,870 281,400
Loss before depreciation	\$102.964	\$88.328	\$127.530

Loss before depreciation	. \$102,50± \$00,020 \$121,000
Balance Sheet	April 30, 1939
Assets—	Liabilities—
Cash on hand and in bank \$205,960	Accounts payable \$5,000
x Accts. receiv. on account of	Prepayments by tenants 1,242
rentals, service chgs., &c 3,820	Funded debt and accrued in-
Rental receiv.—Peel-Windsor	terest6,058,519
Garage, Inc 16,869	61/2 % general mortgage bonds 5.270.120
Cash on deposit with trustee 10,206	7% cum., redeemable preferred
Invest.—Peel-Windsor Garage	stock (par \$100) 1,000,000
Inc	y Common stock1,000,000
Prepaid insurance 3,029	Deficit account 3,561,955
Fixed assets 9,440,252	
Bond discount and expenses _ 91,790	
Total 90 772 026	Total \$0.772.026

x After reserve for doubtful accounts and allowances of \$3,316. y Represented by 50,000 no par shares.—V. 148, p. 3685.

Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.—Earnings-

Years Ena. Mar. 31-	1939	1938	1937	1930
Net trading profits after depreciation	£\$1,092,847	x\$1,705,188	\$1,790,771	\$1,142,038
Interest on bonds	195,184	197,351	199,410	201,371
Prem. on bonds redeem.	2,450	2,350	2,200	2,150
Remuneration of execu-				
tive officers	76,750	78,988	72,555	66,912
Legal fees	12,939	18,175	50,792	1,102
Directors' fees	10,263	9,268	10,990	10,520
Provision for income tax	244,514	420,089	285,384	202,000
Net profit from opers.	\$550,748	\$978,967	\$1,169,440	\$657,982
Other income	486,234	480,059	504,097	466,978
Net profits transferred				Reference Car
to surplus account.	\$1,036,982	\$1,459,026	\$1,673,538	\$1,124,961
Divs. on pref. stock	135,842	135,842	135,842	135,842
Divs. on common stock_	1,350,000	1,350,000	1,350,000	1,350,000
Earns. per sh. on 270,000				
shs. com. stk. (no par)	\$3.34	\$4.90	\$5.69	\$3.66

After deducting \$1,002,198 (\$1,310,473 in 1938) provision for depre-Comparative Balance Sheet March 31

	1939	1938		1939	1938
Assets-	8	8	Liabilities-	\$	\$
Land, bldgs., ma-			b Common stock.		
chinery, &c	30.996.714	30.551,231	Preferred stock	1,940,600	1,940,600
Inv. in & advs. to			Bonds	4,317,000	4,366,000
subsidiaries	4.007.789	4.007,370	Cotton accept'ces_		529,311
Oth, loans & mtges		25,236	Open accts. & dep_	355,267	414,046
Bills & accts. rec			Taxes payable	288,917	454,339
Accts. receivable.	46,030	27,832	Due to sub. co	6,270	61,185
Raw cotton	1.351.737	1,652,104	Allow. for wages	174,100	217,300
Stock mfg, and in		per of the second	Interest on bonds.	16,189	16,373
process & suppl's	2.637.318	2,376,646	Preferred dividend	33,961	33,961
Cash		49,070	Reserves	14,350,923	13,348,725
Deferred charges	361.992	384,761	Profit and loss	4,905,192	5,370,803
Marketable securs		3,263,529			
Total	41.763.418	45.127.642	Total	44,763,418	45.127.642

b Represented by 270,000 shares no par.

To Issue New Securities—The company proposes to issue \$1,000,000 10-year serials at 23/4% and \$3,500,000 20-year serials at 31/4%. Both will be payable in Canadian funds.

Bonds Called Bonds Ualled—
Company has called for recemption on Sept. 1, 1939, all of its outstanding bonds amounting to \$4,317,000 par value at 105 and accrued interest. The bonds known as the 20-year first mortgage sinking bonds series A carries 4½% coupon, are dated March 31, 1935, and would have matured on March 1, 1955. They are payable in Canadian funds.—V. 146, p. 3952.

Dominion Steel ( Calendar Years— Combined profits— Prov. for deprec. & depletion of minerals—	& Coal C 1938 \$3,009,312 a1,213,838	\$2,976,696 a1,028,381	1936 \$1,460,026	\$1,295,633
regular income bonds. Other interest	275,500 <b>b</b> 188,732	275,500 <b>b</b> 131,020	982,830 y219,072	945,900 <b>z</b> 204,385
Prov. for income tax Net profit for year	\$1,239,177	\$1,310,829	\$258.125	\$145.348
x From operations and facturing, selling and add of \$212,822 and interest of z Interest on bank loans on bank loans of \$139,62 bonds of \$49,104 (\$35,937	n Seaboard a Provisi 28 (\$95,082 in 1937).	expenses.  Power Corpon for depre	y Interest or Ltd., bon- ciation only d interest or	icting manu i bank loan ds of \$6,250 b Interes in underlying
Assets— 1938	1937	alance Sheet 1 Liabilities_	- 1938 - \$	1937 \$
x Props. & plant_27,922,890 Invest. in stocks & sec. of assoc. cos. 2,178,050 Invest. in subs	3 2,177,651	Funded debt. Deferred pays on property	ments	00 500,000
Invest. in subs 5,107,357 Cash in hands of trustees for bond- holders	43,925	Bank loans Accts. payat accrued lia Wages accrue	bils 960.2	43 2,250,033
Inventories 8,472,795 Trade accts. & bills receivable 2,154,810	8,134,245	Bond int. acc Bal. pay. to I Coal Go., I	rued_ 106,6 Dom.	25 104,34
Other acets. receiv 134,443 Investments 59,064 Cash 268,892 Balance receivable from assoc, cos.	118,008 56,802	y Com. class	res_ 1,504,3; B stk25,977,0; us 6,543,7;	$\begin{array}{cccc} 38 & 1,702,296 \\ 75 & 21,044,006 \\ 29 & 6,543,729 \end{array}$
(net) Deferred charges 212,575	31,150 291,486			
Total46,510,882 <b>x</b> After reserve for depre 1937. <b>y</b> Represented by 1 —V. 146, p. 1549.	eciation of 5 ,039,083 (84	810,805,424 in 11,760 in 1937	) class B com	9,746,934 in mon shares
Duquesne Brewin Years Ended Dec. 31— Gross profit on sales Other income	ng Co. of	Pittsbur 1937 \$2,476,743 22,163	gh—Earn 1936 \$2,479,037 24,921	ings— *1935 \$1,545,891 14,343
Total income	\$2,847,501 1,438,889	\$2,498,906 1,299,817	\$2,503,958 981,515 20,265	\$1,560,234 717,005
scrapped) Interest Depreciation	73,583 78,338 262,896	$\begin{array}{c} 90,199 \\ 58,980 \\ 208,242 \end{array}$	42,088 55,424 170,680	1,296 $54,535$ $136,703$
Prov. for Fed. & State income taxes Prov. for Fed. surtax on	222,624	174,012	284,704	108,696
ndistributed income_ Net profit from opers_ Divs. on cl. A cum. conv.	\$771,170	\$601,565	\$908,367	\$541,998
preferred stock Divs. on com. stock Divs. on 1.875 shs. com. stock set aside to ex- change for Ind. Brew. Co. pref. & com. stks_	125,491	313,727	10,320 658,139	36,966 65,544
Co. pref. & com. stks_ Shs. com. stk. (par \$5) Earnings per share	313.765 \$2.46	313,765 \$1.91	317,768 \$2.90	703 181,509 \$2.78
Pennsylvania for out of \$\$561,559; other current as (less reserves for deprecial \$121,571; sinking fund (in-Liabillities—Accounts pay \$26,895; accrued interest or taxes, \$74,403; provision long-term note payable to funded debt, \$\$96,500; re 568,825; capital surplus, \$2\$1,964,192; total, \$6,442,4;	tion of \$859 hands of tryable, trade a note \$4 8 for Federal b bank (of serves, \$33 96,620; paid 34.—V. 147	9,648), \$4,56 ustee), \$193,; , \$144,791; ac [3; accrued ex and State i which \$100, 0,777; comm [-in surplus, \$ , p. 2681.	0.768; deferr 167; total, \$6 ccrued interes penses \$17,2 ncome taxes 000 current) on stock (pa 394,749; earn	ed charges, 442,434. st on bonds, 245; accrued (**, \$222,624; **, \$500.000; ur \$5), \$1, ned surplus,
Year Ended April 30— Operating revenues Operation Maintenance and repairs_ Appropriation for retireme Amortization of leaseholds			$\begin{array}{c} 30,123,156 \\ 9,167,518 \\ 2,085,390 \end{array}$	$\$30,159,766 \\ 8,727,981 \\ 2,278,466$
Amortization of leaseholds Taxes Provision for Federal and S			2.248.702	2.166.399
Net operating revenues Rents for lease of electric p			1,675,600	1,909,600 \$12,663,818
Net operating income			11 688 432	179,820 \$12,483,998
Interest revenues Miscellaneous (net) income	3		$291.769 \\ 2.831$	1,114 96,698 239,247 <i>Dr</i> 8,290
Gross income Interest on funded debt Amortization of debt discou	int and exp	ense	2,450,000 315,941	$12,812,766 \ 2,450,000 \ 315,948$
Other interest (net)Appropriation for special re Miscellaneous deductions	serve	·	Cr103,477 Cr166,667 130,136	Cr57,463 $500,000$ $130,593$
─V. 148, p. 3220.				\$9,473,689
East Kootenay Po	wer Co., 1939—Mo. \$44,398 15,179	Ltd.—Ea nth—1938 \$47,100 15,764		fos.—1938 \$92,531 30,996
Net earnings 	\$29,219	\$31,336	\$56,610	\$61,535
Eastern Gas & Fu 12 Months Ended May 31	el Assoc	iates—Ea	rnings— 1939	1938
12 Months Ended May 31 Total consolidated income Federal income taxes (estin Depreciation and depletion Interest_ Debt discount and expense. Minority interest	ated)		\$8,043,232 \$ 383,767 4,063,415 2,924,131 637,566 1,220	$     \begin{array}{r}       10,224,580 \\       465,798 \\       4,054,539 \\       2,970,645 \\       653,448 \\       1,627     \end{array} $
Net income available for c Earned per share of $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ p Note—No provision has -V. 148, p. 32 0.	lividend rec	quirements_	\$33,133	\$2,078,523
Ebasco Services In  For the week ended June the operating companies wh Co. Electric Power & Ligi compared with the correspo	e 9, 1939, ich are sub it Corp. ar nding week	the Kilowat sidiaries of A d National I during 1938	t-hour systemerican Pow Power & Lig , was as follo	m input of er & Light ht Co., as lows:

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	nerican Power & Light ectric Power & Light C tional Power & Light		- AAA 104 F		Amount 590,000 522,000 57,000	$14.0 \\ 20.8 \\ 2.7$
	To Segregate Forei	an and Do	mostic Som	nice Rusine	200	
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and	d domestic service bus According to the appl d assets of Ebasco Ser ternational Corp. The nisfer of certain propenization to another.	ications, it i	s proposed	to transfer	the prop	erty
Int tra	ernational Corp. The	e transaction	in effect, i	it is stated,	involves	the
gai	nization to another.	no transfer .	es from one	branch of	a service	or-
Int	In consideration of the consideration of the cernational Corp. will evices Inc. which, togotheresent all the capital tres of capital stock works of which will surrender	issue 6,990 s	hares of its	capital sto	sets, Eb	asco
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pre	sently being carried on	by Ebasco S	ervices Inc	nd venezuei	a, which	are
fro	m the provisions of the	Act relating	to the perfe	rmamaa of		
and I	Chasen Services Inc.	is for associa	ted compan	ies.		
qui Co	sition of the entire bus	iness, proper	ty and asset	s of Phoenix	Enginee	ring
COL	templates the complet Corp.—V. 149, p. 10	enquidation	and dissolut	ion of Phoer	ix Engin	eer-
			1 \ 7			
1	El Paso Electric 2 Months Ended May:	Co. (& Si	ubs.)—Ea	1939	193	Q
Ope x B	2 Months Ended May : erating revenues_ alance after operation	maintenance	e and taxes	\$3,201,937	\$3,169	,301
3 1	alance for dividends a	na surpius		423.116	421	155
reti	Includes non-operation rement reserve.—V. 1	48, p. 3530.	(net). y A	Iter approp	priations	for
	El Paso Natural	Gas Co. (	Del.) (& :	Subs.)—l	Earnina	s
F	Period End. May 31— oss oper. revenues	1939-Ma	mth—1938 \$362,710	1939—12 \$5,180,776	Mos 19	938
Opt	erationintenance	117,548	105,433	1.466.711	1 271	
Tax	ces (incl. Fed'l inc.)	11,693 52,653	8,826 $40,326$ $41,767$	101,390 493,444	432	,802 ,457 ,251
2017	v. for retirements	49,916		588,810		
Oth	Vet oper. income	\$181,504 1,546	\$166,358 935	\$2,530,421 12,033		,046
Ţ	otal gross income	\$183,051	\$167,293	\$2,542,453	\$2,513	.262

El Paso Natural	Gas Co. (	Del.) (&	Subs.)— $E$	Carnings-
Period End. May 31— Gross oper. revenues Operation Maintenance Taxes (incl. Fed'linc.)_ Prov. for retirements		mth—1938 \$362,710 105,433 8,826 40,326 41,767		$egin{array}{l} Mos1938 \\ \$4,887,800 \\ 1,371,244 \\ 127,802 \\ 432,457 \\ 554,251 \\ \end{array}$
Net oper. incomeOther income	\$181,504 1,546	\$166,358 935	\$2,530,421 12,033	\$2,402,046 11,216
Total gross income Interest Amortiz. of debt disct. and expense	\$183,051 28,119 698	\$167,293 33,764 2,724	\$2,542,453 367,410 21,484	\$2,513,262 391,497 33,326
Net inc. before non- recurring inc.& exp- Non-recurring income & expense	\$154,233	\$130,805	\$2,153,559 a119,088	\$1,988,439 Dr21,401
Net income Preferred stock dividend requirements	\$154,233 8,631	\$130,805 8,632	\$2.272.647 103,579	\$1,967,038 103,579
Bal. for com, divs. and surplus	\$145.602		\$2,169,068	

a Federal income tax accrual for the year 1938 was reduced by \$124.768 due to the write-off of unamortized debt expense and premium on funded debt retired by refinancing consummated Dec. 15, 1938. Adjustment was credited to non-recurring income instead of tax expense for the purpose of retaining normal comparison of operations.—V. 148, p. 3374.

Electric Shovel Coal Corp.—Suspended from Dealings—
The \$4 cumulative preferred stock, no par, has been suspended from dealings on the New York Curb Exchange.—V. 148, p. 3686.

Emerson Electric Mfg. Co.—Pref. Dividend Deferred—
Directors at their recent meeting decided to defer payment of the dividend ordinarily due at this time on the 7% cumulative preferred stock, par \$100. A regular quarterly dividend of \$1.75 per share was paid on April 1 alst.—V. 147, p. 3609.

alst.—V. 147, p. 3609.	., arracad	or write per	bharo was pa	ad on inpin 1
Engineers Publi Period End. May 31— Operating revenues Operation Maintenance Taxes	1939—Mo \$4,349,411 1,595,740 316,878	$     \begin{array}{r}             nth-1938 \\             \$4,178,700 \\             1,669,594 \\             285,501     \end{array} $	1939—12 1 53,240,599	$egin{array}{c} Mos1938 \ 52.8^{ ilde{4}}, 594 \ 20.618, 500 \ 3.670, 288 \end{array}$
Net oper. revenues Non-oper. income (net)_	1,836,094 Dr11,575	1,677,519 Dr29,979	\$23,240,880 Dr384,655	\$22,051,120 Dr532,539
BalanceInterest & amortization_	\$1,824,518 664,070	\$1,647,540 667,497	\$22,856,225 8,213,298	\$21,518,582 7,920,031
BalanceAppropriation for retirem	1,160,448 nent reserve.	\$980,043	\$14,642,926 5,821,722	\$13,598,550 5,596,009
Balance			\$8,821,204 2,322,694	8,002,542 2,234,398
BalanceCumulative pref. divs., e			\$6,498,510 1,879,932	\$5,768,143 1,569,209
BalanceAmount applicable to mi	nority intere	sts	\$4,618,578 17,793	\$4,198,934 31,397
a Balance Undeclared divs. on pref. owned by parent co., it Earnings from sub. cos. it Preferred dividends de Interest Earnings from other sour	ncluded in ch scluded in ch	arges above arges above:	\$4,600,785 22,631 175,664 99,582 102,981	\$4,167,537 55,993 81,729 87,964 131,979
TotalExpenses, taxes and inter-	est		\$5,001,643 246,543	\$4,525,202 243,271
b Balancec Allowance for loss			\$4,755,100 See f	\$4,281,931 631,121
Balance applicable to s Divs. on pref. stock of E.	Balance applicable to stocks of E. P. S. Co Divs. on pref. stock of E. P. S. Co			\$3,650,811 2,323,547
Balance for common ste Earnings per share of con e Earnings per share of co a Applicable to Enginee cumulative preferred divi	mon stock mmon stock ers Public Ser	vice Co. bet	f\$1.28 \$1.28 ore allowing	\$1,327,264 \$0.69 \$1.03

cumulative preferred dividends of a subsidiary company. b Of Earnings of parent and subsidiary companies applicable to Engineers Public Service Co. stocks before allowing for loss. c In investment in common stock of a subsidiary company, measured by cumulative dividends on preferred stocks of such company not earned within the year, les minority interest. d Includes Federal income taxes of \$941,922. e Before deducting unearned preferred dividends of a subsidiary company, less minority interest, which are not a claim against Engineers Public Service Co. or its other subsidiary companies.

\$3.11

f Engineers Public Service Co. on May 31, 1938 set up in a reserve for depreciation in investments an amount representing the estimated loss in such investments. Such reserve having provided for a considerable period in advance for loss which may be sustained because of the accrual of unearned cumulative dividends on preferred stock of a subsidiary company held by the public, it is unnecessary to make further provision through the reduction of consolidated earnings by the part of such preferred dividends as is not earned during the 12 months' period, amounting (after allowance or minority interest) to \$276,501.—V. 148, p. 3531.

Endicott Johnson Corp. (& Subs.)-Earnings-53 Wks. End. —52 Weeks Ended June 3, '39 May 28, '38 May 29, '37 \$56.850,265 \$54,265,785 \$69,149,274 55,502,863 \*33,107,314 67,136,298 Period— Sales\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cost, expenses, &c\_\_\_\_\_ \$2,012,976 140,533 Operating income\_\_\_\_\_\_\$1,347,402 Other income\_\_\_\_\_\_435,637 \$1,158,471 225,704 \$1,384,175 154,875 26,523 625 \$2,153,509 \$1,202,152 365,300 1,216,080 
 Net profit
 \$1,261,358

 Preferred dividends
 365,300

 Common dividends
 1,216,080
 \$1,563,910 304,417 1,216,080 Deficit\_\_\_\_\_\_Earns. per share on 405,360 shs. com. stock (par \$50)\_\_\_\_\_\_ \$320,022 \$379,228 sur\$43,413

x After deducting \$1,413,758 transferred from inventory reserve.

| June 3, '39 May 28, '38 | 5% pref. stock... 7 306,000 7 306,000 Notes payable... 7 5,600,000 8,000,000 Notes held by empl 520,154 613,780 Accts. payable, &c 1,113,555 1,297,801 Sundry creditors... 103,259 104,247 Accrued Federal & State tax... 278,315 256,210 Federal tax reserve 137,500 Q 55,000 Res. for work comp 250,000 250,000 Inventory reserve... 130,133 166,545 Earned surplus... 7 240,700 5,259,210

Total\_ \_46.041.360 44.181.106 x After depreciation. y Represented by 405,360 shares, par V. 148, p. 436. 46.041,360 44,181,106

Erie RR.—To Pay \$223,000 Equipments—
The company will pay \$223,000 principal amount of equipment obligations, series of 1930, which matured June 15 and \$65,227 interest, at company's office in New York on and after July 1, Eugene F. Morgenroth, Treasurer, has announced.—V. 149, p. 107.

# Fall River Electric Light Co.—Earnings— Earnings for the 12 Months Ended May 31, 1939

Gross operating revenue\_\_\_\_\_Total operating expenses (including Federal income taxes)\_\_\_\_\_ Net operating income\_\_\_\_\_ Merchandise and jobbing gross profit and other income\_\_ \$970,317 27,105 Net operating and other income\_\_\_\_\_\_ Interest charges\_\_\_\_\_\_ \$922,111 840,000 8,000 -V. 149, p. 107.

Fenton United Cleaning & Dyeing Co.—Accum. Div.—
The directors have declared a dividend of \$1.75 per share on account of accumulations on the 7% cum. pref. stock, par \$100, payable July 15 to holders of record July 10. Similar amount was paid in each of the eight preceding quarters, and a dividend of \$3.50 was paid on June 16, 1937.—V. 148, p. 1957.

#### Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern RR.--Reorganization

Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern RR.—Reorganization

The committee representing holders of the 1st mtge. 5% gold bonds, due
Dec. 1, 1938 has worked out a plan of reorganization which it believes to
be for the best interests of the bondholders. In order that the committee
might be able to successfully carry out the plan, it will be necessary for the
bondholders to deposit their bonds under the deposit agreement with First
National Bank Philadelphia.

The members of the committee are John L. Hugg Chairman, E. McLain
Watters and Walter E. Kennedy.

Description of the Company—Incorporated in 1913 in Maine, company
operates over 143.83 miles of electrified main track and 44.94 miles of
electrified spurs and sidings. 99% of the right-of-way is owned in fee. The
track of the company, running in a general northwesterly direction through
lowa from Des Moines to Boone, Fort Dodge, Ames, Webster City and
Rockwell City, has connections with eight main trunk lines crossing the
state. Company is the freight feeder for these main trunk systems from the
gypsum plants, farms, coal mines, and factories in the territory served. A
passenger schedule is maintained by the company.

Receivership—On Dec. 1, 1929 the company defaulted in the payment of
the instalment of interest then due on its 1st mtge. bonds (\$5,650.000).
Company was placed in receivership on Feb. 18, 1930, in the Boone County
Ourt, Iowa. C. H. Crooks, President of the company, was appointed
receiver..

The cause of receivership was the inability of a decreasing revenue to
meet the maturing liabilities, particularly the fixed charges of the company.
The decreases in revenue can be traced to two main sources: (A) decreases
in passenger traffic; and (B) decreases in income from freight equipment
owned by the company.

Financial Report
On Jan. 1, 1939, the debt of the company was a follows:

On Jan. 1, 1939, the debt of the company was as follows: First mortgage 5% gold bonds *	5,250,000 2,518,048
7% debenture bonds	37,768,048 315,000 211,348
United States Government loanInterest at 6%	\$526,348 200,000 110,149
General creditors' claims with interest at 6%Accrued divs. on pref. stock to date of receivership x	\$310,149 130,195 691

Gross income Deductions	1938 \$93,755 15,679	1937 \$26,326 15,715
Net profit for 12 months	\$78,075	\$10,611

These figures do not include interest on the debt of the company nor amortization of first mortgage bonds, which, if included, would create a net loss for 1938 of \$226,521.

The committee is of the opinion that net earnings can be increased by the by the purchase of used freight cars. It is reasonable to believe, however, that, after reorganization, the company will not again be faced with receivership as the fixed charges confronting the new company under this plan will be very small if any.

Digest of Plan of Reorganization

The Plan—It is proposed that, upon completion of the foreclosure proceedings in the Boone County Court, or, if necessary, of reorganization proceedings in the Federal Court, the properties of the company be conveyed through the committee to a new corporation to be organized for that purpose. The new company will issue in reorganization the following requirities:

reyed through the committee to a new company will issue in reorganization the following securities:

1st mige. bonds series A 5% bonds, due 1959 \$250,000

1st mige. bonds, series B 4% cont. int. bonds, due 1964 1,695,000

Common stock (par \$10. 120,000 shs.

The aggregate amount of securities of the new company to be issued as above indicated is based upon participation in the plan by the holders of the entire issue of outstanding first mortgage bonds and by all the general creditors (including the holders of debenture bonds). To the extent that bonds and claims of general creditors are not deposited under the plan the amount of securities to be issued will be reduced accordingly.

\*\*Distribution of New Securities\*\*

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(1) Holders of certificates of deposit representing first mortgage bonds deposited under the plan will be entitled to receive upon consummation of the plan: \$300 of 1st mtge. series B, 4% contingent interest bonds; and 20 shares of common stock represented by voting trust certificates for each \$1,000 of bonds represented by such certificate of deposit.

(2) The holders of debentures will be entitled to receive upon consummation of the plan: 10 shares of common stock represented by voting trust certificates for each \$1,000 of debenture bonds.

(3) General creditors (excluding holders of debentures) will be entitled to receive upon consummation of the plan: One share of common stock represented by voting trust certificates for each claim of the face amount (not including interest) of \$100).

To avoid the issuance of common stock in fractional shares, claims of general creditors which are in amounts of less than \$100 will be paid cash to the extent of 10% of the face amount of their claim. Claims of general creditors in a face amount greater than \$100, or any multiple thereof, will receive common stock, for such part of their claim as is a multiple of \$100, and, in addition thereto, will receive cash to the extent of 10% of the amount remaining between the multiple of \$100 and the face amount of their claim.

(4) The United States Government's claim in the principal amount of \$200,000 is secured by collateral. This collateral shall be appraised and the claim shall be paid in full if the value of the collateral securing the same at the time of payment is equal to or greater than the amount of the claim, if the collateral securing the same as the time of payment is equal to or greater than the amount of the claim will be treated as the claim of a general creditor, and the new company will issue to the U. S. Government such securities as it woul

Fort Pitt Brewing Co.—Dividends Resumed—
Directors have declared a dividend of 5 cents per share on the common stock, payable July 20 to holders of record July 10. This will be the first dividend paid by the company in some time.—V. 147, p. 3762.

Fort Smith & Western Ry.—To Examine Bids—
The U.S. District Court at its July 14 session will examine bids submitted for the purchase of the road. The maximum price of \$444.500 is indicated in the bid of Missouri Pacific Lines of \$85.000 for the Fort Smith terminal, consisting of 26 acres, tracks and buildings, in combination with offers of concerns desiring other segments of the property.

I. Chemman, Norfolk, Va., bid \$426,000 and seven metal scrap dealers entered offers.—V. 148, p. 1958.

Forty Wall Street Corp.—Segregates Assets—
The corporation filed June 30 with the New York County Clerk a general assignment of its assets not covered by a first or second mortgage to Ferdinand Eberstadt of 39 Broadway for the benefit of creditors. The company built and operated for many years the property at 38-42 Wall Street that is now in process of reorganization.

In the assignment it was explained that this procedure was adopted in accordance with a reorganization plan so as to segregate assets of the corporation either for delivery to a new company to be formed if the plan is approved or for distribution to creditors in the event that it is not.

A first mortgage on the building of \$11.489,500 is now being foreclosed by the Marine Midland Trust Co. as trustee. There is also a second mortgage of \$5.387,000. The company is also obligor on \$1,100,000 of demand notes.—V. 148, p. 3845.

# 42 Broadway Building-To Pay June 30, 1939, Interest-

42 Broadway Building—To Pay June 30, 1939, Interest—Receivership Vacated—
Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co. is notifying holders of 42 Broadway Building first mortgage 15-year 6% sinking fund gold loan certificates which matured on Jan. 1, 1939, that funds have been received for payment of interest on the \$2.55,000 of outstanding certificates at the rate of 6% per annum for the period from Jan. 1, 1939, to June 30, 1939. Payment of such interest will be made upon presentation of certificates accompanied by letters of transmittal to the bank.

In its letter to certificate holders, Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., as mortgagee, states that by reason of the failure of the present owner of the mortgaged premises to pay the real estate taxes due thereon for the period from Jan. 1, 1939, to June 30, 1939, the bank recently instituted a foreclosure action and procured the appointment of receivers. As a result of this action, the owner paid these taxes and became entitled to a dismissal of the action brought to foreclose the mortgage, which automatically vacated the receivership.

Under the New York mortgage moratorium laws no action to foreclose this mortgage may be brought solely on account of a default in the payment of principal and, according to the letter, no other defaults are known to exist at this time.—V. 147, p. 2244.

Frick Co.—To Pay \$1 Dividend—

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Directors have declared a dividend of \$1 per share on the common stock, payable July 1 to holders of record June 21. A dividend of \$2.50 was paid on Oct. 1. last; one of \$1 was paid on July 1, 1938, and one of \$1.50 per share was paid on Oct. 25, 1937.—V. 148, p. 437.

(Theodore) Gary & Co.—Accumulated Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 15 cents per share on account of accumulations on the \$1.60 cumulative first preferred stock, payable July 15 to holders of record July 3. Like amount was paid on Jan. 18, last.—V. 148, p. 278.

General Bottlers, Inc.—Stock Offered—Public offering was made July 3 of 53,500 shares of common stock by a syndicate headed by F. S. Yantis & Co., Inc., of Chicago, at \$5 per share. Other members of the underwriting group include Dempsey-Detmer & Co., Straus Securities Co., Humpries Angstrom & Co., Detroit, and Scott, McIntyre & Co., Cedar Rapids.

The company, after consummation of this financing, will own 100% of the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co. of Chicago and may acquire other bottling companies in other markets from time to time.

The latter company started in business in Chicago in 1936 and the present plant is at 2560 Eiston Avenue. It expects to open a new plant on the south side of the city around July 1.

Sales of the company have been growing rapidly in recent years and for the first five months of 1939 case sales increased over 50%.—V.148, p. 2124.

General American Investors Co., Inc. - Earnings-

	,	LC. Lui ivo	040
\$407 655	1938	1937	1936
	\$367,828	y\$621,978	\$490,055
	<b>z</b> 4.874	5.727	21,691
\$428,753 165,000 3,960	\$372,702 165,000 3,960 31,068	\$627,705 165,000 3,960 41,381	\$511,746 165,000 3,960 50,174
20,725	20,948	22,062	22,034
65,175	64,680	64,904	60,405
221.700	\$87,046	\$330,398	\$210,172
	227,700	233,250	240,000
	\$407,655 \$21,098 \$428,753 \$165,000 \$18,407 \$20,725 65,175 \$155,486 \$221,700	1939 \$407,655 \$21,098 \$24,874 \$428,753 165,000 3,960 18,407 31,068 20,725 65,175 64,680 \$155,486 \$87,046	\$407,655

y Including \$8,304 received in preferred stock, 1939 and \$3,376 in 1938 received in preferred stock, 2 Includes \$4,100 in 1939 and \$3,376 in 1938 received in preferred stock, 2 Includes \$4,100 in 1930 and \$3,376 in 1938 received in preferred stock, 2 Includes \$4,100 in 1930 and \$3,376 in 1938 received in preferred stock, 2 Includes \$4,100 in 1930 and \$3,376 in 1938 received in \$50,509; net profit credited to special account under surplus, \$537,606; (b) Aggregate unrealized depreciation or appreciation in value of securities as compared with cost: Depreciation, \$6,000,194; deduction for taxes (other than the excess profits tax) on appreciation as of Dec. 31, 1938, \$1,124,000; depreciation (after above allowance for taxes), \$4,876,194.

and the state of t	1, 1 and	Balance Sh	eet June 30	t combine		
Assets—Securs. owned (at cost)—23,5 Rec. for securities sold————————————————————————————————————	939 \$ 05,777 83,877 98,541 99,660	3,759,009 78,377	Liabilities— \$6 pref. stock a Common stock 25-yr. 5% debs Int. accr. on debs Payable for securs.     purchased Res. for taxes Pref. divs. payable Capital surplus Prof. on secs. sold. Undistributed inc. Pref. treas. stock	14,363,022	1,300,220 6,600,000 137,500 948,183 127,000 113,700 14,454,522 Dr1224,631 356,076	

Total \_\_\_\_\_\_26,987,855 26,519,501 Total \_\_\_\_\_26,987,85 a Represented by 1,300,220 no-par shares.—V. 146, p. 2124. 26,987,855 26,519,501

General Electric Co. - Investments-

The company had total investments in securities of affiliates of \$131,-898,920 on Dec. 31, 1938, according to an itemization of its investment portfolio filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Boston Stock Exchange as part of its 1938 annual report. The largest single investment, aggregating \$44,056,492, was in securities of the International General Electric Co., Inc. The list of investments in securities of affiliates as of Dec. 31, 1938, follows:

Stocks of Affiliates Consolidated— Shares Internat'l Gen. Elec. Co., Inc100,000 com.	Dollar Value \$34,056,492	Per Sh.
THICHAIL I GET. FIEC CO Inc. 100 000 707 puce	10,000,000	\$340.56
	17,880,936	$100.00 \\ 99.23$
	278,612	
Concrat Infectific Realty Corp. 73 185 com	4,222,372	36.18
General Electric A-Ray Corp 21 158 com C	2,350,971	57.69
		111.11
Walten Telechron Co 6 750 com	1,203,013 438,541	
Carboloy Co., Inc. 7 000 com	438,341	64.96
Edison Gen. Elec. Appliance 58 795 com	1,539,187	700 01
General Electric Supply Corp 150 000 com	4.685,011	$\frac{26.21}{31.23}$
Cen. Electric vapor Lamb Co 10 000 com	542,350	
LOCKE HISHIATOF COPD 40 000 com	012,000	54.23
Madua Co., Inc. 9 000 com	409,011	204 50
Monowatt Elec. Corp 14 900 com	785,493	$204.50 \\ 52.71$
Rochester Air Conditioning Corp. 130 com.	100,490	52.71
	* <u>* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * </u>	
Total	\$78,392,005	1 1 19 - 1 - 10
Stocks of Affiliates Not Consol.—	\$10,002,000	
Electrical Securities Corp. 580 000 com	\$38,327,733	\$66.08
G. E. Employees Securities Corn 80 000 com	7,021,815	87.77
G. E. Employees Securities Corp. 75,000 pref	7,550,000	100.00
East Erie Commercial Railroad 250 com	1,000,000	
Erie Improvement Co. 250 com	no-value	
Gen. Electric Contracts Corp 1 000 com	657,365	657.36
HOUSES, Inc. 1 100 com	no-value	001.00
Loughborough Mining Co., Ltd. 100 com.	1	1-)755577557
	-	
Total	\$53,506,915	
Grand total	131,898,920	
-V. 148, p. 3846; V. 149, p. 108.	202,000,020	

General Water Gas & Electric Co.—Promissory Notes—
The Securities and Exchange Commission June 30 announced that company had filed a declaration (File 43-227) under the Holding Company Act in connection with the issuance of a 6% promissory note in the amount of \$1,000,000 to International Utilities Corp. and a 3% promissory note in the amount of \$1,200,000 to the Chase National Bank, New York.

The proceeds from the notes are to be applied to the purchase of 24,142 shares of common stock of California Water Service Co. from Federal Water Service Corp. for a cash price of \$3,202,000, it is stated.

The company, a subsidiary of International Utilities Corp., also filed an application for approval of the acquisition of these securities.—V. 148, Canada Material Company Material Com

Genesee Valley Gas Co., Inc.—Reorganization—
Federal Bankruptcy Referee Oscar W. Enrhorn has reported to Federal Judge Francis G. Caffey that, in his opinion, the proposed plan of reorganization for the company is fair, equitable and feasible and should be confirmed.—V. 148, p. 0003.

(A. C.) Gilbert Co.—Accumulated Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 87½ cents per share on account of accumulations on the \$3.50 preferred stock, payable July 12 to holders of record July 5. Dividend of \$1.75 per share was paid on March 10 last, this latter being the first dividend paid since April 1, 1938 when a regular quarterly dividend of 87½ cents per share was distributed.—V. 148, p. 1324.

Gibraltar Fire & Marine Insurance Co.—Extra Div.—
Directors have declared an extra dividend of 20 cents per share in addition to the regular semi-annual dividend of 50 cents per share on the common stock, both payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 15. Like amounts were paid on March 1, last, and on Sept. 1 and March 1, 1938.—V. 148, p. 279.

Green Mountain Power Corp.—Earnings—

Operating revenues Other income	\$2,248,731 34,232	\$2,362,414 45,076	\$2,206,048 35,141	\$2,110,662 23,693
Total income. Operating expenses. Purchased elec. energy. Maintenance. Taxes. Int. on funded debt. Other interest expenses. Amort of discount.	\$2,282,963 598,371 235,466 159,932 251,638 477,559 49,077 36,530	\$2,407,490 582,648 243,117 163,536 255,611 474,650 53,368 36,445	\$2,241,189 546,982 225,194 136,548 245,723 474,650 68,843 36,445	\$2,134,355 544,130 187,848 124,208 231,167 474,650 61,857 36,445
Other chgs. against inc.  Net income  Pref. divs. at \$6 per sh.	\$288,623 277,584	\$423,941 277,650	\$368,673 277,650	\$335,416 277,650

		Balance Sh	eet Dec. 31		4.	
Assets— Cash	1938	1937 \$	Liabilities—	1938	1937	
Accts. receivable	239,055 299,913	319,172	Notes payable Advs. pay. to New		600,000	
Merch. & supplies. Prepaid charges. Accts. rec. not cur.	141,648 45,925	22,919	Accts. payable to			
Restricted deposits Securities owned.	1,573		Other accts. pay'le	40,878 55,119	14,274 71,593	
Plant & properties.1 Const. work orders	12,732 7,787,449	20,125,555	Accr. int. on f. dt. d Accrued taxes Other accr. exp	29,088 61,924 12,838	171,875 77,195 12,758	
In progress Unamort. debt dis-	99,617		Funded debt1 Res. for deprec'n_	0,368,000	9,493,000 2,867,836	1
count & expense	617,449	385,712	Susp. credits and other reserve	37,616	42,598	
			Customers' depos_ Unamortiz. prem.	29,925	12	41
			on serial notes Prov. for cum. pref	12,492		
			a \$6 cum. pref.stk. b Common stock.	4,339,718	c231,375 4,339,718	
		process	Capital surplus Surplus	1,123,951 1,979 105,483	2,107,408 238,888 371,472	4
Total 10	245 262	91 404 710				

Total 19,245,363 21,404,716 Total 19,245,363 21,404,716

a Represented by 46,264 no par shares after deducting 11 shares held in Treasury. b Represented by 12,000 no par shares in 1938 and 22,500 no par shares in 1937. c Including \$208,237 for dividends in arrears. d Including \$35,700 in 1938 and \$56,800 in 1937 provision for Federal income (TI)

(The) Granada (Hotel), Brooklyn—Sale—
The Granada, 15-story apartment hotel at Lafayette Avenue and Ashland Place, Brooklyn, was purchased June 29 for \$1,372,250 by David Phillips, operator of the Hotel Elysee at Park Avenue and 54th Street, from Louis Lorence, receiver appointed by the Continental Bank & Trust Co. which served as trustee for the bondholders of the Granada issue.

The purchase price includes \$75,000 in cash and redemption of \$17,250 to outstanding bonds to lower the first mortgage of \$1,297,250 to \$1,280,000. The new mortgage is signed by the Granada Hotel Corp., of which Mr. Phillips is President, and will run for 15 years, with 2% interest for five years and 3% interest for the remaining time. Bondholders will surrender their present holdings and receive a new issue.

Griesedieck Western Brewery Co.—Common Dividend—Directors have declared a dividend of \$1 per share on the common stock, payable July 1 to holders of record June 23. This compares with \$1.50 paid on Dec. 17, last; \$1 paid on Dec. 3 and on Sept. 30, 1938; 50 cents paid on July 5, 1938; \$1.50 on Dec. 20, 1937; 50 cents on Nov. 4 and Oct. 4, 1937; 25 cents paid on Dec. 22, 1936 and 50 cents paid on Oct. 6 and July 31, 1936.—V. 147, p. 3764.

Gulf States Utilities Co.—Bonds Called-

Company has called for redemption on July 31, 1939, all of its first mortgage and refunding bonds, series C, 4%, due Oct. 1, 1966, and outstanding in the amount of \$27,300,000, at 106% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The bonds will be redeemed upon presentation at the principal office of Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co., New York.

Arrangements have been made whereby any holder may, upon surrender of the bonds, may immediately receive the full redemption price including accrued interest to July 31, 1939.—V. 149, p. 109.

#### Hinde & Dauch Paper Co. of Canada, Ltd.-Paper Price Cut-

Since April 1, last, company has further reduced selling prices on shipping cases by 10% and has cut its principal board production another 3%, L. F. Winchell, Vice-President and General Manager stated in letter to shareholders accompanying the current quarterly dividend. While the company believes the bottom of decline on these items has been reached, it is impossible to anticipate when any relief will be felt, he said. However, the station, while most disturbing to the company, has been considerably alleviated by the plant improvements made during the past few years. "Basically we are in splendid shape," Mr. Winchell wrote, "to take fullest advantage of any recoveries effected in either price or volume and are looking forward hopefully."—V. 148, p. 3689.

Honolulu Rapid Transit Co., Ltd.—To Pay 5c. Div.—
Directors have declared a dividend of 5 cents per share on the common stock, payable June 30 to holders of record June 23. Like amount was paid on March 31, last; a dividend of 40 cents was paid on Nov. 3), last, and one of 30 cents was paid on Oct. 31, 1938, this latter being the first dividend paid sunce March 31, 1938, when 10 cents per share was distributed a dividend of 40 cents was paid on Nov. 30, 1937; 35 cents paid on Sept. 30, 1937; 30 cents on June 30, 1937, and 15 cents per share was distributed on March 31, 1937.—V. 149, p. 110.

Hook Drugs, Inc.—Pays 12½-Cent Dividend—
Company paid a dividend of 12½ cents per share on the common stock, no par value, on July 1 to holders of record June 22. This compares with dividends of 10 cents paid on April 1 and on Dec. 29, last; five cents paid on Oct. 1 and July 1, 1938, and 12½ cents paid on April 1, 1938. See also V. 147, p. 1929.

Hutchins Investing Corp.—Accumulated Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of \$1 per share on account of accumulations on the \$7 cumulative preferred stock, no per value, payable July 15 to holders of record July 7. Like amounts were paid in preceding quarters.—V. 148, p. 2271.

Incorporated Investors—15-Cent Dividend—
The board of directors on July 1 voted a dividend of 15 cents per share payable July 31 to shareholders of record July 5. Like amount was paid on April 29, last, and compares with 50 cents paid on Dec. 22, last, 15 cents paid on Oct. 31, July 30 and April 30, 1938; and 40 cents paid on Dec. 22, 1937, 25 cents on Oct. 30, 1937; 30 cents on July 30, 1937; 25 cents or per share paid on April 30, 1937, and a dividend of \$1.90 distributed on Dec. 22, 1936.
—V. 148, p. 2590.

Independence Fund of North America, Inc.—Dividend
The shareholders of First Mutual Trust Fund will receive a distribution
of 10 cents per share, payable July 15, to holders of record June 30.
Of this distribution, approximately \$.043 has emanated from dividends
and interest, and approximately \$.057 from realized profit.

This brings the total distributions for the first six months of 1939 to 20
cents a share, equivalent to an annual return of 54% on the average
offering price of the shares during the period.—V. 148, p. 883.

Indiana & Michigan Electric Co.—Bonds Called—
Company will redeem on Aug. 1, 1939, at \$1,080 for each \$1,000 bond, together with accrued interest, all of its outstanding first mortgage 50 year 5% gold bonds due Aug. 1, 1957. Holders of the bonds may obtain the full purchase price, namely \$1,105, immediately by presenting their bonds at the Corporate Trust Department of the New York Trust Co., trustee.—V. 149, p. 110.

International Metal Industries, Ltd.-Accumulated Dividend-

Directors have declared a dividend of \$1.50 per share on account of accumulations on the 6% cumul. conv. pref. stock and on the 6% cumul. conv. pref. stock series A, both payable Aug. 1 to holders of record July 15. Similar payments were made on May 1, last, and dividends of \$5.75 per share were paid on these issues on Feb. 1, last.—V. 148, p. 2273.

\$77,073 \$133,519 

International Shoe Co. (& Subs.)-Earnings-

6 Mos. End. May 31— Net sales Cost, expenses, &c Depreciation Inventory write-down	1939 \$40,525,984 36,330,167 794,926	\$35,891,632 32,739,777 820,783 1,633,301	1937 <b>y\$</b> 44475,226 39.069,238 841,278	\$37,390,464 32,547,061 837,273
Operating profit Other income	\$3,400,891 57,510	\$697,766 80,593	\$4,564,709 57,527	\$4,006,130 86,561
Total incomeFederal taxes	\$3,458,401 633,789	\$778,359 143,370	\$4,622,236 743,086	\$4,092,690 603,634
Net income * Common dividends	\$2,824,612 2,505,225	\$634,989 3,340,300		
Surplus	\$319,387	def\$2705311	\$541,275	\$150,257
Shares common stock oustanding (no par) Earnings per share	3,340,300 \$0.84	3,340,300 \$0.19	\$1.16	

x Excludes dividends on stock held by company. y Subsidiary plants during the six months of 1937 produced materials amounting to \$23, 995,448, which combined with company's sales made a total business transacted of

	Consol	idated Bala	nce Sheet May 31		
	1939	1938		1939	1938
Assets-	S	8	Liabilities-	\$	. 8
a Land, bldg., ma-	100	A second of the	c Common stock	50,250,000	50,250,000
ch'y, equip., &c. 1	8,259,002	19,379,111	Accounts payable.	2,252,515	1,718,651
Cash1					
U. S. Govt. secur_	4.068.971	3,324,785	balance & depos.		43,715
Accts, receivable1	5.013.679	14.055,214	Res. for inc. taxes_	1,265,000	1,095,000
Inventories2	6.104,378	27.312.303	Insurance reserve.	686.017	649,760
Empl. notes rec	26,642	45,396	Earned surplus	27,264,621	25,817,162
b Co.'s own stock.	248,175				5 . V
Deferred charges	245,111	283,357			
Inv. on other cos	1,268,530	1,219,941			
	-	-			

Total.......81,799,246 79,574,288 Total........81,799,246 79,574,288 a After depreciation. b Consists of 9,700 common shares at cost. c Represented by 3,350,000 no par shares.—V. 148, p. 584.

Iowa Electric Light & Power Co.—Accumulated Divs.—The directors have declared dividends on account of accumulations of 87½ cents per share on the 7% cum. pref. stock, series A; 81½ cents per share on the 6½ cum. pref. stock, series B, and 75 cents per share on the 6% cum. pref. stock, series B, and 75 cents per share on the 6% cum. pref. stock, series C, all of \$100 par value, and all payable July 20 to holders of record June 30. Similar distributions were made in each of the 16 preceding quarters.—V. 148, p. 3850.

Iowa Power & Light Co.—Bonds Called—
A total of \$117,000 first mortgage gold bonds, series A 4½%, due March 1, 1958 have been called for redemption on Sept. 1 at 103 and accrued interest. Payment will be made at the Harris Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, Ill.—V. 148, p. 2430.

Jewel Tea Co., Inc.—Special Dividend—
Directors on June 30 declared a special dividend of \$1 per share in addition to the 47th regular quarterly dividend of \$1 per share on the common stock, no par value. The special dividend will be paid on Aug. 1 to holders of record July 18 and the regular quarterly distribution will be made on Sept. 20 to holders of record Sept. 6.—V. 149, p. 111.

Kansas City Public Service Co.—Deposits—
Holders of \$6,730,200, or 55.88% of the \$12,043,800 of Kansas City
Public Service Co. 4% series C mortgage bonds have deposited their
securities with banks under terms of the plan for readjustment of capital.
—V. 148, p. 3851.

Kansas Power & Light Co.—Registers with SEC—
Company on July 6 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission alregistration statement (No. 2-4117, Form A-2) under the Securities Act of 1933 covering \$26,500,000 of first mortgage bonds, series due 1969. The interest rate is to be furnished by amendment to the registration statement.

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According to the registration statement, the net proceeds from the sale of the bonds, together with \$3,500,000 to be obtained from a bank loan, will be applied to the redemption on or about Sept. 1, 1939 at 108% of \$28,440,000 principal amount of the company's first mortgage bonds. 4½% series, due 1965. The balance of the proceeds will be used for other corporate purposes, it is stated. Interest on the bonds to be redeemed will be paid by the company out of its treasury funds.

The price at which the bonds are to be offered, the names of the underwriters, the underwriting discounts or commissions and the redemption provisions are to be furnished by amendment to the registration statement.

The prospectus states that to facilitate the offering, it is intended to stabilize the price of the bonds. This is not an assurance, it states, that the pricefor the securities will be stabilized or that the stabilization, if commenced, may not be discontinued at any time.

The company is a subsidiary of the North American Co.—V. 149, p. 112.

(R.) Karstadt, Inc.—Interim. Dividend—

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Directors have declared an interim dividend of one cent per share on the ommon stock, payable July 1 to holders of record June 17. Like amount as paid on July 12, 1938.—V. 147, p. 271.

Kaufman Department Stores, Inc. - Suspended from Dealings-

The New York Curb Exchange has suspended the 7% cum. pref. stock, par \$100, from dealings.—V. 148, p. 3851.

Key West Electric Co.—Earnings

1938 \$160,815 74,001 29,892 12 Months Ended May 31—
Operating revenues

\*\*Balance after operation, maintenance and taxes

\*\*y Balance for dividends and surplus x Includes non-operating income (net). y After appropriations retirement reserve.—V. 148, p. 3535.

Kreuger & Toll Co.—Cash Distribution—
A partial distribution of \$75.43 per \$1,000 principal amount, will be tailed on July 17, 1939, to holders of record on July 10, 1939, of Kreuger to Toll Co. uniform certificates of deposit for 5% secured sinking fund gold ebentures, due 1959.—V. 148, p. 3851.

Kroger Grocery & Baking Co.—Earnings—
24 Weeks Ended— June 17 '39 June 18 '38 June 19 '37 June 13 '36
Sales——\$110.018,922 \$107923,389
Net profit after deprec.
Federal taxes, &c.—\$2,290,846 \*\$1,615,053 \*\$1,397,810 \$984,840
Number of shs. of com.
stock outstanding——1,821,989 1,821,989 1,821,989 1,821,989
Earnings per com. share \$1.25 \$0.88 \$0.77 \$0.54

x Before surtax on undistributed profits.
The statement does not include earnings of company's subsidiary,
Piggly Wiggly Corp., which declared no dividends in the first six periods of 1939, 1938, 1937 or 1936.
Financial Condition

Current assets Kroger Grocery & Baking Co.—Earnings-

Extra Dividend—
Directors have declared an extra dividend of 25 cents per share in addion to the regular quarterly dividend of 40 cents per share on the common

stock, both payable Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 8. An extra dividend of 30 cents was paid on Dec. 20, 1938.—V. 149, p. 112.

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(The) Ladies of Loretto (Loretto Academy of the Immaculate Conception), Chicago, Ill.—Bonds Offered—An issue of \$160,000 1st & ref. mtge. serial real estate bonds is being offered by Dempsey-Tegeler & Co., St. Louis.

Dated May 10, 1939; principal payable annually May 10, 1940 through May 10, 1951. Int. (M. N.) payable at office of Mutual Bank & Trust Co., St. Louis, Mo., trustee. Bonds in coupon form—\$500 and \$1,000 denoms. Bonds may be prepald and red. on any semi-ann. int. date on 30 days notice, at par and int.

These bonds are the direct obligation of The Ladies of Loretto, a corporation duly incorporated in Illinois, and further secured by a first and refunding mortgage deed of trust on property of the Sisters, located in Chicargo, Ill., known as the Loretto Academy of the Immaculate Conception, 1447 E. 65th St. The improvements erected on this property, and include as security, consist of a large three-story brick and stone building. The school now has 262 students enrolled. The property is carried on the books of the Sisters at a valuation of \$450,000.

The payment of principal and interest of this issue is unconditionally guaranteed by the Motherhouse of this Order of Sisters.

The purpose of the issue is to refund the present outstanding indebtedness at a lower rate of interest.

\*\*After all charges. y On 3,000,000 shares.—V. 148, p. 3379.

\*\*Lebanon Steel & Iron Co.—New Name—Earnings—

Effective Sept. 24, 1938, the corporate name of the company was changed from Wrought Iron Co. to Lebanon Steel & Iron Co. by action of the shareholders at a special meeting held July 21, 1938. The change in name was made in order to express clearly to the trade the entire scope of its business, which now includes electric steel bars, rods, angles, channels, bolts, nuts, rivets and spikes, in addition to refined iron, double refined iron, engine bolt iron, bolts, nuts, rivets. spikes, &c., formerly manufactured.

Net sales (24 Manufacturi	Earnings for Fiscal Year Ended April 30, 1939 467.25 gross tons) ug cost of goods sold	9 \$1,619,203 1,438,455
	me from sales	\$180,748 3,887
_ Total prof	it	\$184,635 117,513 0 84,435
Net loss		\$17,313

Balance Sheet April 30, 1939 Balance Sheet April 30, 1939

Assets—Cash in bank and on hand, \$49,467; notes and trade acceptances receivable, \$24,483; accounts receivable (net), \$224,117; inventories, \$364,767; plant account (less depreciation of \$319,110), \$799,643; mutual insurance premium deposit, \$6,935; prepayments and deferred charges, \$2,546; total, \$1,471,958.

Liabilities—Notes payable, \$106,347; accounts payable, \$56,374; accrued payroll, \$24,542; accrued workmen's compensation insurance, \$7,584; accrued taxes, \$3,089; deferred credits, \$367; capital stock (par \$1), \$154,700; surplus, \$1,118,956; total, \$1,471,958.

Lehigh Valley RR.—Suit Threatens Success of Plan—A decision in a minority bondholders' suit which may force the road into bankruptcy if upheld on appeal and if the Wheeler-Chandler Railroad Reorganization Bill fails of passage in Congress was filed July 6 in New York Supreme Court. It was handed down by Justice Aaron J. Levy.

The ruling granted judgment to Edmund D. Read and 13 other holders of Pennsylvania & New York Canal and RR. bonds of 1888 for the face amount of their securities, which are in default. The obligations were guaranteed by the Lehigh. The holdings of the plaintiffs amounted to \$66,000 out of an outstanding issue of \$8,500.000.

In opposing the judgment, H. S. Ogden, representing the road, charged that the action was not brought in good faith. Most of the plaintiffs, he alleged, acquired their bonds with knowledge of a voluntary financial readjustment plan worked out by the road with creditors. This plan, which calls for the extension of maturities of the bonds in suit, has been approved by more than 80% of all the road's creditors and by the holders of \$9,21% of the other bonds in this issue. The readjustment plan provides that if more favorable terms are given to any other investors they must be extended to all holders of the company's obligations.

Justice Levy's decision provides for a 20-day stay of execution so that it shall not become effective if the Wheeler-Chandler bill becomes law in the meantime. The measure is now the subject of negotiation by a conference committee representing the two branches of Congress. It provides that to output and provides that to committee representing the two branches of Congress. It provides that yoluntary readjustment plans in railroad reorganization shall become liabilities.

To Appeal Decision—

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The company will appeal the decision compelling it to pay interest and principal due April 1, 1939 handed down by Supreme Court Justice Aaron Levy. The road will carry the case to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of New York State.—V. 149, p. 112.

Lehman Corp.—Annual Report—
The net asset value of the capital stock of the corporation as of June 30, 1939, valuing assets at market quotations, or, in the absence of market quotations, at fair value in the opinion of the directors, was approximately \$29.79 per share on the 2.081,580 shares of stock outstanding in the hands of the public. The corresponding net asset values as of June 30, 1938 was approximately \$30.72 per share.

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Income	Account, Yea	irs Ended Ju	ine 30 1937	1936
Interest earned Cash dividends	\$339,187 1,746,899	1938 \$318,653 2,304,511 105,333	\$304,006	\$424,778 2,138,462
Taxable divs. in secur Miscellaneous income			88,587	2,837
Total incomeFranch. & cap. stk. tax_Regis., transf., &c., exp. Other oper. expenses	\$2,086,086 f141,973 50,991 411,431	\$2,728,497 103,336 78,410 428,578	\$3,738,126 147,773 101,760 446,340	\$2,566,077 152,924 62,995 389,787
Profit Net realized loss on inv.	\$1,481,691 555,025	\$2,118,172 1,855,938	\$3,042,254 c12,358,879	\$1,960,371 c10,055,847
Net realized profit on commodity transact'ns Recovery on real estate			بالتعلق	2,042
loans & equities writ- ten off	31,284	20,328	19,691	105,319
Total income Prov. for Federal taxes_ Prov. for compensation		\$282,563	\$15,420,824 d2,015,000	\$12,123,580 a1,359,797
accrued under manage- ment agreement			e908,485	427,247
Profit for year Dividends	\$957,950 1,665,264	\$282,563 2,497,896	\$12,497,339 9,790,167	\$10,336,537 2,627,695
Balance, deficit Shs.cap.stk.out. (no par) Earnings per share	\$707,314 2,081,580 \$0.46	2,081,580	2,065,065	

Earnings per share.....\$0.46 \$0.14 \$6.05 \$15.21 a Includes \$55,000 for Federal surtax on undistributed profits. e Under the terms of the management agreement, and as shown in the report as of Dec. 31, 1936, Lehman Brothers applied \$337,865 of this amount to the purchase of shares of the capital stock of the corporation. f Provision for Federal, State and miscellaneous taxes.

Notes—(1) The net unrealized depreciation of the corporation's assets on June 30, 1939, based on market quotations, or, in the absence of market quotations, on fair value in the opinion of the directors, was approximately \$5,819,334. The net unrealized depreciation, on June 30, 1938, computed on the same basis, was approximately \$4,401,571.
(2) Under the terms of the management agreement no liability for management compensation accrued for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1939.

Statement of Surplus, Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1939

Capital surplus—

Capital surplus—
Balance June 30, 1938 and June 30, 1939 (of which \$87,710 is applicable to 5,304 shares of Treasury stock) \_\_\_\_\_\_\$83,673,396

Divs. rec. and int. 344.659 191,307 ----68,373,458 69,125,691

Total\_\_\_\_\_68,373,458 69,125,691 At cost. y Represented by 2,081,580 no par shares, excluding 5,304 es held in treasury, at cost of \$87,710.—V. 148, p. 3691.

Lee Rubber & Tire Corp.—Dividend Increased—Directors on June 29 declared a dividend of 75 cents per share on the common stock, payable Aug. 1 to holders of record July 14. This compares with 50 cents paid on Feb. 1 last, \$2 paid on Oct. 1, 1938, and dividends of 25 cents paid on Aug. 1 and Feb. 1, 1938.—V. 148, p. 3379, 2901, 2431, 129; V. 147, p. 4058.

Ludlow Valve Manufacturing Co.—Unlisted Trading— The New York Curb Exchange has removed the general stock, no par, from unlisted trading.—V. 148, p. 2593.

Massey Harris Co. (Md.)—Arranges Financing—
The company, subsidiary of Massey-Harris Co., Ltd. (Canada) has arranged a private transaction which will fund all its American bank loans and will provide additional working capital through the issue of \$2.200,000 of 8-year serials first (closed) mortgage bonds. Of this amount, \$200,000 matures in each of the first three years, 1940-1942, inclusive, \$300,000 matures each of the next four years and \$400,000 in 1947. First four maturities carry 3½% coupons and last four carry 4% coupons.

Memphis Power & Light Co.—Removed from Trading-The \$7 series preferred stock, no par, has been removed from unlitrading on the New York Curb Exchange.—V. 149, p. 114.

Metropolitan Edison Co.—Earnings—

 
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 Years Ended Dec. 31— 1938
 1936 1935

 Operating revenues
 \$11,735,357
 \$12,812,163
 \$12,220,869
 \$11,046,914

 Operating expenses
 4,901,705
 5,063,029
 4,589,194
 4,219,445

 Maintenance
 65,687
 842,889
 1,135,456
 1,059,871

 Prov. for retirements renewals & replacements of fixed capital
 1,200,000
 1,500,000
 1,400,000
 1,604,160

 Federal income tax
 901,113
 1,154,108
 705,096
 786,481

 Operating income
 \$3,533,851
 \$3,683,213
 \$3,977,408
 \$3,016,910

 Other income
 \$1,479,807
 1,547,260
 1,642,316
 1,693,417

 Gross income
 \$5,013,658
 \$5,20,474
 \$5,20,474
 \$5,20,474
 \$5,20,474
 \$5,230,474 1,752,693 51,715 133,568 130.513 117.235 2,328 3,004 \$2,620,025 1,276,317 2,109,000 196 \$3,294,825 1,276,317 2,370.000 3,572,746 1,276,317 2,490,000

	1938	1937	leet Dec. 31	1938	1937
Assets—	\$	\$	Liabilities-	8	8
Plant, prop., &c.		86,974,098	Capital stock	35,353,630	35,353,630
Investments	21,605,013	21,606,242		40,615,900	
Notes & accts.			Notes and accts.		,0-0,000
rec. from affil.			pay. to affil.co		85,197
companies	465,345	442,361	Mat'd bond int.	68.887	70.341
Deps. for mat'd			Accts. payable	470,198	490,426
bond int	68,887	70,341	Taxes accrued	1,464,232	1,545,594
Dep. with trus-			Interest accrued	542.141	548,091
tee in lieu of	Print Course	the second	Miscell. accruals	48,239	26,072
M. prop. sold	8,755	3,064	Consumers' serv.	12 I.S 13.	
Cash (incl. work-			and line deps_	271,664	319,214
ing funds)	583,608	787,619	Guar. of appl'ce		
Notes receivable	6,266	19,168	accts. rec. sold	110.729	340,498
Accts. receiv'le_	1,241,196	1,132,906	Res. and miscell.		010,100
Int. & divs. rec_	207,179	207,088	unadj. credits	16.580.078	15,590,886
Mat'ls & suppl's	496,107	511,231	Contribut'ns for		-0,000,000
Appliance accts.			extensions	93,153	88,604
receivable sold	110,729	340,498	Capital surplus_		20,187,371
Def. debit items	3,915,439	4,050,258	Earned surplus_	893,899	883,049
Total1	16,700,123	116,144,874	Total1	16,700,123	116,144,874

-V. 148. p. 2902. Michigan Bell Telephone Co.-Earnings-

Period End. May 31— 1939—Monto Operating revenues..... \$3,687,989 Uncollectible oper. rev... 10,596 th—1938 1939—5 Mo \$3,323,671 \$17,684,750 \$ 28,299 38,522 os.—1938 \$16,549,196 101,890 Operating revenues \$3,677,393 Operating expenses 2,235,813 Net oper. revenues \$1,441,580 Operating taxes 543,959 \$1,180,933 444,133 \$6,806,011 2,494,930 \$5,603,167 2,091,208 Net oper. income ... \$897,621 846,830 148, p. 3536.

Minneapolis & St. Louis Ry.—Protective Committee—
Edward C. Delaffeld and Harry Bronner, both of New York, have asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to continue to act as a protective committee for the 1st mtge. extended 6% bonds of the railway and to continue to solicit and use authorizations under a deposit agreement.—V. 149, p. 115.

Minneapolis St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Ry.—Interest The interest due July 1, 1939 on the guaranteed first refunding mortgage 5½% series B bonds due 1978 was paid on that date by the Canadian Pacific Ry., pursuant to its guarantee.—V. 149, p. 114.

Mississippi Power & Light Co.—Earnings

Operating revenues Operating expenses, including taxes Property retirement res. appropria'ns	\$7,337,879 5,076,154 720,000	\$6,881,430 4.706,067 574,833	\$5,941,216 4,108,109 380,000
Net operating revenues Rent for lease of plant (net)	\$1.541,725	\$1,600,529 2,226	\$1,453,107 2,624
Operating incomeOther income (net)	\$1,541,725 1,663	\$1.598,303 2,099	\$1,450,483 2,110
Gross income	\$1,543,389 817,700 76,196	\$1,600,402 817,700 82,001	\$1,452,593 817,700 75,486
Net income	\$649,493 403,608	\$700,701 403,608	\$559,407 369,974

	Stock	403,008 403,008	309,974
	Balance Sh	eet Dec. 31	
Assets— 1938	1937	Liabilities— 1938	1937
Plant, prop., &c35,576,881	35,256,027	a Cap.stk.(no par) 15,399,6	41 15.399.641
Investments 723		Long-term debt 16,630,7	
Cash 427,647	332.145	Accounts payable 259,3	
Special deposits 26,090	36,612	Loan payable 190.0	
Notes receivable 1,702	4,669	Currently matur'g	
Accts. feceivable 641,901	657,122	long-term debt_ 68.5	65 65,910
Mat'ls & supplies 223,463		Maturedlong-term	10 1-1-1
Prepayments 56,327		debt & interest_ 2.3	62 5.008
Misc. cyrr. assets 82,574		Customers' deps 305.2	
Non-curr. rec's 18,641		Accrued accts, and	1- 11-1-1
Reacq. cap. stock_ 172,200		miscell. current	
Consign's (contra) 10,882	11,139	liabilities 890.3	69 765,303
Unamort. debt dis.	1 181 4 18 1	Consign's (contra) 10,8	82 11,139
and expense 463,330		Sundry credits 23,3	68 64,366
Other def'd chgs 5,500	3,685	Reserves 1,746,7	59 1,653,129
		c Contributions 21.6	16,654
	Sign of the	Earned surplus 2,158,9	71 1,883,139
Total OF FOR Can			

Total.......37,707,862 37,285,156

a Represented by \$6 pref. cum. (entitled upon liquidation to \$100 a share); authorized, 100,000 shares; outstanding, 69,000 shares; \$6 second pref. cum. (entitled upon liquidation to \$100 a share); authorized, 50,000 shares; outstanding, 35,000 shares; common, authorized, 1,500,000 shares; outstanding, 1,000,000 shares; common, authorized, 1,500,000 shs.; outstanding, 1,000,000 shs. c In aid of construction.—V. 149, p. 115.

Missouri Pacific RR.—Interest—
Interest of 2½% was paid July 1 on Pacific RR. of Missouri 2d mtge. extended gold 5% bonds, due July 1, 1938, on surrender of interest warrant No. 2.

Seeks Authority to Sell Equipments—
Guy A. Thompson, trustee, has asked the Federal Court for authority to issue invitations for bids on \$2,980,000 MOP equip. trust certificates and on \$590,000 Missouri-Illinois RR. equip. trust certificates. Tenders will be received up to noon, July 12.

The MOP equip. trusts will be dated Sept. 1 with a 10-year maturity while the Missouri-Illinois certificates will be dated Aug. 1, also with a 10-year maturity.

Funds will be used by MOP for purchase of 1,000 coal cars, 2 streamlined trains, 2 2,000-horsepower Diesel passenger locomotives, and 7 Diesel switching engines. The Missouri-Illinois equip. trusts will cover 250 box cars and 50 coal cars.

Federal Judge Moore has set July 17 for hearing on the petitions.—V. 149, p. 115.

Nashville Ry. & Light Co.—Tenders—
The Guaranty Trust Co. of New York will until 10 a. m., July 31, receive, bids for the sale to it of sufficient ref. & ext. mtge. 50-year 5% gold bonds, due July 1, 1958 to exhaust the sum of \$86,815 at prices not exceeding the maturity yield price.—V. 148, p. 284.

National Automotive Fibres, Inc.—Earnings-

\$364,194

National Battery Co. (& Subs.)--Earnings-Years End. April 20

Net profit before int., deprec., spec. chgs., &c. Miscell. charges—net—Provision for commitment losses—Provision for deprec.—Prov. for Fed. inc. tax 1939 1936 1938 1937 \$731,575 5,275 \$212,419 18,333 \$374,344 2,517 \$375,376 Cr3.134 6,500 191,630 **a**10,385 168,338 a58,379 182,280 114,372 $120,542 \\ 41,948$ Net profit carried to surplus account... \$429,648 loss\$14,429 \$145,109 \$216,020 Preferred dividends... 71,956 72,502 73,612 74,554 Common dividends... 18,663 37,326 Shares common stock... 89,606 89,929 89,929 89,929 Earnings per share... \$3.99 Nil \$0.79 \$1.57 a Includes \$193 (\$23,400 in 1937) estimated provision for surtax on undistributed profits.

\*\*Consolidated Balance Sheet April 30 1938 1938 1 Liabilities— 1939 1

perferred Income\_
x Cum. conv. pref.
stock\_\_\_\_\_
y Common stock\_\_
Capital surplus\_\_\_
Earned surplus\_\_\_
Cos. com. stock 712,885 538,638 93,111 1,035,374 719,888 538,638 93,111 687,459 stock Cos. com. stock held by sub\_\_\_\_ Drz1,921

\$3,230,555 \$2,819,410 Total. \$3,230,555 \$2,819,410 x Represented by 32,574 no par shares in 1939 and 32,894 no par shares in 1938. y Represented by 89,929 no par shares. z Cost of 322,92 shares of parent company's common stock held by subsidiary.—V. 147, p. 122.

National Bond & Investment Co.—Loans—
The company through A. C. Becker & Co., Inc., has placed with thre banks an \$8,250,000 note issue due in equal instalments in 1943, 1944, an 1945. Proceeds of the financing are to be used for additional workin capital.—V. 148, p. 2751.

National City Lines, Inc.—Acquisition—
This company which operates bus transportation systems in 26 leading cities has acquired the bus lines operated by the Mississippi Power & Light Co. in Jackson, Miss., a city of approximately 50,000 population. The purchase was made for cash.—V. 148, p. 3693.

National Funding Corp. of Calif.-Earnings-

5 Months Ended May 31— \* Net income x After all charges.—V. 149, p. 116. \$83,198

National Liberty Insurance Co. of America-Extra Dividend-

The directors have declared an extra dividend of 10 cents per share in addition to the regular semi-annual dividend of like amount on the capital stock, par \$2, both payable Aug. 15 to holders of record July 31. A similar extra was paid on Feb. 15, last, Aug. 15 and Feb. 15, 1938, Aug. 16 and

Feb. 15, 1937. and on Aug. 15 and Feb. 20, 1936. Extra dividends of 5 cents were paid on Aug. 15 and Feb. 20, 1935, and on Aug. 13, 1934.—V. 148, p. 131.

National Gas &	Electric C	Corp. (&	Subs.)—E	arnings-
Period End. May 31— Operating revenue Operation Maintenance Taxes	1939—Mont \$119,845 66,747 4,649 12,433	h—1938 \$109,042 63.102 6,341 7,405	1939—12 M \$1,343,964 770,966 65,320 115,775	\$1,272,540 707,991 69,753
Net oper. revenues	\$36,016	\$32,194	\$391,903	\$392,190
Non-oper. income (net)_	Dr41	Dr300	Dr2,253	1,125
BalanceRetirement accruals	\$35,974	\$31,894	\$389,650	\$393,315
	15,513	12,842	155,149	157,295
Gross income	\$20,461	\$19,052	\$235,501	\$236,020
Int. & amortiz., &c	8,064	8,478	99,047	95,438
Net income Dividends declared Earnings per outstanding —V. 148, p. 3537.	\$12,397 share	\$10,574	\$135,454 62,066 \$0.44	\$140,582 46,549 \$0.45

National Steel Corp.—Execution of Indenture—
City Bank Farmers Trust Co., as trustee under the mortgage trust indenture, reports the execution of a supplemental indenture dated as of June 1, 1939, purporting to convey to the trustees all of the franchises and properties belonging to Weirton Steel Co., which has been liquidated, on the date of their conveyance to National Steel Corp. The trustee also reports the release of 1,000 shares of capital stock and \$41,434,000 5% demand mortgage bonds of Weirton Steel Co. for cancellation and the deposit of \$1,000 cash, 4,000 shares Weirton Improvement Co. capital stock, and 475 shares Oak Hill Supply Co. capital stock as additional collateral under the indenture.—V. 148, p. 3854.

Neisner Brothers, Inc. - Sales -

Period End. June 30— 1939—Month—1938 1939—6 Mos.—1938 Sales.—V. 148, p. 3538.

Nevada-California Electric Calendar Years— Operating revenues———————————————————————————————————	1938 \$5,585,895 285,341	\$5,705,748 252,147 565,019 2,224,745	$\begin{array}{c} -Earnings \\ 1936 \\ \$5,683,885 \\ 175,380 \\ 533,925 \\ 2,142,049 \\ 606,250 \end{array}$
Net operating revenues	\$1,883,365	\$2,090,889 95,961	\$2,226,280 89,872
Gross incomeInterest on bonds, debentures, &c	\$1,923,636	\$2,186,850 1,354,140	\$2,316,152 1,345,872
Amort, of discount and expenses on securities  Taxes assumed on bond interest  Miscellaneous income deductions	83,786 11,112 4,223	84,621 11,111 4,001	91,188 11,164 1,103
Net income	\$431,685	\$732,977	\$866,824
Profit arising from retirement of bonds and debentures	27,476	68,672 Cr14,753	Dr15,431 19,496
Earned surplus, exclusive of items set forth in summary of consolidated surplus.  Diviends on preferred stock.  Note—In order to make proper contents of the set of t	\$415,762 315,069 omparison 1	\$816,403 735,161 936 figures (	1,050,230 as to major

items) were revised to coeffective Jan. 1, 1937. Earnings for Month and 12 Months Ended May 31 1939—Month—1938 \$510,973 \$490,459 19.875 19.570 196,005 207,557 51,531 50,803 41,877 49,980 Period End. May 31—perating revenues.... Operating revenues...

Maintenance
Other operating expenses
Taxes
Depreciation....

Net operating revenues Other income\_\_\_\_\_ \$162,549 3,042 \$165,591 119,046 \$203,292 113,145 \$1,915,069 1,376,836 \$2,141,101 1,379,597  $6.809 \\ 1.090$ 6.937 1.07582.957 14,82184,054 14,638 Net income\_\_\_\_\_ Profit on retirement of bonds and deben. (net) Other misc. debits (net)\_ \$38,532 \$440,454 \$662.812 \$82,249 43,802 8,146 1,604 5,121

Earned surplus available for redemption of bonds, divs., &c. \$36,928 \$405,965 \$698,468 \$77,128 Assets— 1938 1937 8 Prop., equip. &c.\_48,276,696 47,674,966 Invest. Inv. & ad-t vances, to con-trolled cos., &c. 597,658 556,124 Funds with trust's for redem. of bds Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31 1938 195, \$,8,468,300 10,502,300 605 1937 Liabilities-17,374 Dr1126,291 26,402,400 1,568,033 176,705 funds with trust's
for redem of bds
Funds with trust's
for construction
of add. property
Secured notes from 732.252

Secured notes from sale of property 20,000 Cur. & acer. assets 2,980,219 3,651,408 Def. debit items 43,739 58,045 Dis. on fun. debt & prem. pald in bd. redemp. being amortized 1,411,797 1,538,987 141.833

53,108 157,337 167,689 Misc. oper reserve 157,337
Contrib. in aid of construction 73,768
Surplus 1,326,594 53,330,665 54,212,513 Total \_\_\_\_53,330,665 54,212,513 Total\_\_\_\_\_53
-V. 148, p. 3381.

New York Telephone Co - Farnings

New York relephone Co	Tiew Tork Telephone Co. Burnings-					
Period End. May 31—1939—M Operating revenues——\$18,126,70 Uncollectible oper. rev. 73,83	7 \$17.181.998		\$85,266,116			
Operating revenues\$18,052,87 Operating expenses 11,911,20	74 \$17,091,262 00 11,718,529	\$87,399,174 57,859,023	\$84,846,639 57,721,855			
Net oper. revenues \$6,141,67 Operating taxes 2,808,66		\$29,540,151 13,961,577	\$27,124,784 12,859,843			
Net oper. income \$3,333,01 Net income 2,823,08 -V. 148, p. 3539.		\$15,578,574 13,912,133	\$14,264,941 12,322,717			

New England Ga	& Elec	tric Assoc	iation (&	Subs.)-
Calendar Years— Total oper. revenues——— Operating expenses—— Maintenance————	1938	1937 \$13,896,113 6,838,214 1,056,043	1936 \$13,688,385	1935
Prov. for retire., renew. & replace. of fixed cap. Federal income taxes	1,219,272 380,543	1,239,283 353,938	1,246,389 352,839	1,076,934 252,354
Fed. surtax on undis.prof Other taxes	2,124,724	7,204 2,033,616	42,107 1,878,913	1,879.512
Operating income Other income (net)	\$2,351.106 348,273	\$2.367,814 337,357	\$2,339,126 461,921	\$2,310,224 272,589
Gross income	\$2,699,379	\$2,705.171	\$2,801,047	\$2,582,813
Subsidiary companies: Misc. interest, &c Int. on long-term debt	113,488 102,215	129,951 30,000	112.061 28,333	84,816
Int. chgd. to constr'n_	Cr21,095	Cr10,794	Cr6,454	Cr11,150
Int. applic.to com.stk. held by public	38,519	56,280	73,564	92,381
N. E. G. & El. Assn.: Int. on long-term debt Other interest	2,108,666	2,111,413 31,261	2,124,766 727	2,158,220 1,537
Amort, of debt disct.	200,404	210,889	19,385	19,409
Net income Divs. on \$5.50 pref. shs.	\$157,180	\$146,169 199,988	\$448,665 99,994	\$237,599 112,504
Balance	\$157,180	def\$53,819	\$348,671	\$125,095
Cons	olidated Bale	ince Sheet De	c. 31	
1938	1937	1	1938	1937
Assets— \$ Fixed capital 91,908,614	91.461.180	Liabilities- Capital stoc	k of	
Investments 7,417,404	6,756,280	N. E. G. &		35,499,400
Deps. for mat'd		Subs. cos. co		
bond interest &divs. (contra) 77,211	92,465			
&divs. (contra) 77,211 Special deposits 1,125,302				
Cash 2,584,719				
Cash pledged		terest,	& c.	
against notes		(contra)		
pay. to banks 55,728				
Notes receivable 107,562	114,505			
Accts. receivable 1,899,304	2,085,799 4.383			
Int. & divs. rec. 4,670 Mat'ls & suppl's 751,218				
Mat'ls & suppl's 751,218 Def. debit items 2,530,836				
Del. dente frems 2,030,630	2,000,000	Reserves		11,520,974
		Capital surp Earned surp.	lus_ 9,038,545	8,275,077
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Total \_\_\_\_\_108,462,568 104,972,984 Total \_\_\_\_\_108,462,568 104,972,984 a Represented by 99,994 shares of \$5.50 dividend series preferred stock, no par, 155,000 shares of \$7 cum 2d pref. stock, no par, and 200,000 shares of common stock, no par.—V. 148, p. 2906.

#### New Orleans Texas & Mexico Ry.—Bond Interest-

New Orleans lexas & Mexico Ry.—Bond Interest—
Federal Judge George H. Moore has entered an order authorizing payment of semi-annual interest on 1st mtge. bonds and income bonds of the comInterest payment aggregates \$1,141,675 representing 1st mtge. coupons dated April 1, 1935, series A same dates, series B, Aug. 1, 1935 series C and same date series D. Interest is for back periods.—V. 149, p. 116.

New York State Electric & Gas Corp.—\$19,000,000 New York State Electric & Gas Corp.—\$19,000,000 Bond and Preferred Stock Financing Completed—Public offering of \$13,000,000 Ist mtge. 334% bonds due 1964, and 60,000 shares of 5½% cum. pref. stock was made June 30 by a group headed by the First Boston Corp. and Glore, Forgan & Co. The bonds were priced at 102 and int. and the pref. stock at \$100 per share. The bankers announced that orders have been received in excess of the amounts allotted for wholesale.

Included with the First Boston Corp. and Glore, Forgan & Co. in the offering of the bonds are: Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.; Lehman Brothers; Lazard Freres & Co.; W. C. Langley & Co.; Harris, Gall & Co. (Inc.); E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., and 17 other investment banking houses With the exception of Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., the same group engaged in offering the company's 5½% cum. pref. stock. -\$19,000,000

First Mortgage Bonds—The first mortgage bonds, 3 ½ % series due 1964, are being issued under an indenture dated as of July 1, 1921, pursuant to a supplemental indenture dated May 1, 1939 to be executed by the company with The Continental Bank & Trust Co., of New York, as trustee. Bonds will be dated May 1, 1939 due May 1, 1964. Prin. and int. (N & M) payable at office or agency of company in New York, N. Y. Definitive bonds will be issued as coupon bonds in the denomination of \$1,000 and such multiples of \$1,000 as may hereafter be authorized.

\$1,000, registerable as to principal, and as registered bonds without coupons in denom. of \$1,000 and such multiples of \$1,000 as may hereafter be authorized.

Company has agreed to use its best efforts to effect listing of the bonds on the New York Stock Exchange or the New York Curb Exchange. The bonds will be redeemable at any time prior to maturity upon at least 30 days' published notice, in whole, or in part by lot, at the option of the company, at following percentages of their principal amounts: 107% if red, on or before May 1, 1942, with reductions of ½ of 1% of the principal amount thereafter and after each succeeding May 1, to and incl. May 1, 1953; at 104% if red, after May 1, 1953 and on or before May 1, 1955, with reductions of ½ of 1% of the principal amount thereafter and after each succeeding May 1, 1962, and at 100% if red, after May 1, 1962 and prior to maturity; together, in each case with accrued interest.

Legality for Savings Banks—The bonds of the eleventh series when issued will, in the opinion of counsel for the company, qualify as legal investments for savings banks in the State of New York.

Improvement Fund—In accordance with the order of the New York P. S. Commission company will set aside from net income before payment of dividends not less than \$75,000 in July 1939 and in each month thereafter (\$900,000 per annum) and will deposit such amount in a responsible banking institution to be used solely and exclusively for either or both of (a) acquisition of bonds outstanding under the mortgage or underlying mortgages through purchase in the open market (said bonds when reacquired to be delivered to and held by the trustee under the mortgage and the interest payable thereon to be likewise deposited in such special fund until maturity in addition to the monthly deposit above described) or (b) payment for new property. The order further provides such deposits may cease when withdrawals from the special fund shall have equalled \$19,000,000.

substitution for other property. The order further provides such deposits may cease when withdrawals from the special fund shall have equalled \$19,000.000.

New Preferred Stock—The holders of the 5½% cum- pref. stock (\$100 par) will be entitled to receive, but only when and if declared, out of surplus legally available for the payment of dividends, cumulative preferential dividends in cash, at the rate of 5½% per annum, payable Q-J. The 5½% cum. pref. stock is redeemable upon not less than 30 days' notice at \$105 per share plus accrued dividends and is entitled in the event of voluntary liquidation to \$105 per share and accrued dividends and in the event of involuntary liquidation to \$100 per share and accrued dividends. Company has agreed to use its best efforts to effect the listing of the 5½% cum. pref. stock upon the New York Stock Exchange or the New York Curb Exchange.

The registrar for the 5½% cum. pref. stock is Chase National Bank, New York, and the transfer agent is Transfer and Paying Agency, 41 Trinity Place, New York, N. Y.

Application of Proceeds—The net proceeds to be received by the company estimated at \$15.610,926, exclusive of accrued interest and dividends) rom the sale of \$13,000,000 of bonds and 29,276 shares of pref. stock, re to be applied in part as follows:

company, tabulated as of Feb. 28, 1939 but reflecting the present financing, will be as follows:

Elmira Water, Light & RR. 1st consol. mtge 5% 5,000,000 \$5,000,000 N. Y. State Elec. & Gas Corp. 1st mtge. bonds:

3½% Series due 1964 5,000,000 \$5,000,000 \$5,000,000 N. Y. State Elec. & Gas Corp. 1st mtge. bonds:

3½% Series due 1965 5 13,000,000 \$5,000,000 \$1,000

		of Earnings		There is a second
		Calendar Year	rs	12 Mos. End.
Gross oper. revenue	1936 \$14,633,251	1937 \$23,347,004	1938 \$24,285,394	Feb. 28. '39
Operations Maintenance	8,291,424	13,245,318	13,514,813	13,416,716
Taxes (other than inc.	1,068,304	1,594,435	1,243,921	1,256,135
Prov. for Fed. inc. taxes	000 446	2,062,563 85,833	2,423,882 369,742	2,467,899 392,241
Operating incomeOther income (net)	\$4,085,030 284,398	\$6,358,915 280,628	\$6,733,036 249,688	\$6,987,667 247,197
Gross income rov. for retire's, re-	\$4,369,428	\$6,639,543	\$6,982,724	\$7,234,864
newals & replacem'ts_	631,054	1,403,244	1,580,638	1,640,160
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Balance of inc. before int. & other deductions \$3,738,374 \$5,236,299 \$5,402,086 \$5,594,704

Balance of inc. before
int. & other deductions \$3,738,374 \$5,236,299 \$5,402,086 \$5,594,704
The annual interest requirements on the funded debt of the company outstanding at Feb. 28, 1939 but adjusted to reflect the present financing will amount to \$2,262,622.

The annual dividend requirements on the pref. stock to be outstanding will amount to \$330,000. The aggregate of such annual pref. dividend requirements, the annual interest charges on the funded debt to be outstanding as above, other income deductions (net) of \$214,750 for the 12 months ended Feb. 28, 1939 (adjusted to eliminate interest on indebtedness to be retired in connection with the issue of the securities offered) and \$110,100 estimated annual amortization of debt discount and expense would be \$2,917,472.

History and Business—Corporation was organized in New York, Oct. 28, 1852 under the corporate name of Ithaca Gas Light Co. Company's present corporate name was adopted on Aug. 22, 1929.

Company is an operating public utility engaged principally in the production, purchase, transmission, distribution and sale of electricity and in the purchase, production, transmission, distribution and sale of natural gas and manufactured gas. It is also engaged, but to a minor extent only, in rendering steam heating service and bus transportation service. Company's properties are located entirely within the State of New York. For the calendar year 1938 approximately \$4.3% of its gross operating revenue was derived from its electric department, approximately 14.3% from its seas department. Approximately 0.8% from its transportation department. Company also controls, through stock ownership Owego Gas Corp. The Patchogue Electric Light Co., and Staten Island Edison Corp., all of which are operating public utility companies located in the State of New York, but the incoma received by the company from its investments in such subsidiaries is not significant.

The principal development of the company has taken place since 1921. During this period the company acquired

Corp. (Nov. 30, 1936); New York Central Electric Corp. (Dec. 31, 1936), and Empire Gas & Electric Co. (Dec. 31, 1936).

Slock Ownership—As of Feb. 28, 1939 NY PA NJ Utilities Co. was the owner of record and beneficially of 46, 484 shares of common stock, constituting 100% of the voting power, of the company.

Underwriters—The names of the principal underwriters of the bonds and preferred stock and the respective amounts thereof which they have severally underwritten are as follows:

and under written are as	follows:		050	
Observation of the Control of the Co		-No. Shs. of	Stk. to be Pu	rch'd From-
		N. Y. State	Associated	Gen. Utility
Name and Address-	D	El.& Gas	Power	Investors
First Boston Corp	Bonds	Corp.	Corp.	
Glore, Forgan & Co	\$1,950,000		3,072	
Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.	1,950,000	4,969	3,072	
Lehman Brothers	1,300,000	None	None	
Lazard Freres & Co	1,300,000	3,253	2,009	1,405
W. C. Langley & Co	780,000		1,205	
Harris, Hall & Co., Inc.	650,000		905	
E.H.Rollins & Sons Inc.	650,000		1,005	705
A C Allers & Sons Inc.	650,000		1,005	705
A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc.	390,000		600	425
Graham, Parsons & Co-	390,000	975	600	425
Bodell & Co	260,000	650	400	280
Granbery, Marache&Lord		650	400	280
Paine, Webber & Co	260,000	650	400	280
Schoellkopf, Hutton &	Str. Lauring		ele le contrate	
Pomeroy, Inc	260,000	650	400	280
Spencer, Trask & Co	260,000	650	400	280
Starkweather & Co	260,000	650	400	280
Tucker, Anthony & Co.	260,000	650	400	280
Whiting, Weeks &			200 F. S.	
Stubbs, Inc.	260,000	650	400	280
Ballou, Adams & Whitte-			16 ov 36	
more, Inc.	130,000	325	200	140
Coffin & Burr, Inc.	130,000	325	200	$\hat{1}\hat{4}\check{0}$
Hemphill, Noyes & Co-	130,000	325	200	140
Illinois Co. of Chicago	130,000	325	200	140
Janney & Co	130,000	325	200	140
Arthur Perry & Co., Inc.	130,000	325	200	140
Sage, Rutty & Co., Inc.	130,000	325	200	140
Total	13,000,000	29,276	18,073	12,651
-V. 149, p. 116.	,550,000	20,210	20,010	12,001

Total ——\$13,000,000 29,276 18,073 12,651

New York Title & Mortgage Co.—Distributions—
Distribution of checks totaling 5% of principal and interest to certificate holders of series D, was announced July 4 by John C. Von Glahn, trustee of the series. According to Charles L. Meckenberg, attorney for the trustee, the current payment includes a 3% reduction of principal and interest at 2%. Principal payments now total 6%. Mr. Meckenberg added that most likely another interest payment of 2% will be paid on Dec. 31, 1939, making a total of 7% in principal and interest payments for the year.
Distribution of \$45,975 of income was made on June 30 to certificate holders of the \$2.665,000 series F mtge. issue.
Holders of record at the close of business on June 15 will receive a return at the rate of 2% of the reduced principal amount of the certificates outstanding, or \$1,98 for each \$100 of original face amount of such certificates.
This is the ninth income distribution since the appointment of the trustees on June 21, 1935. Previous distributions of income by the trustees have aggregated 22%, bringing total income distributed to 24%. In addition, 2% of principal has been paid to investors.—V. 149, p. 117.

New York Trap Rock Corp.—Preferred Dividend—
Directors on March 30 declared a dividend of \$1.75 per share on the preferred stock, payable July 1 to holders of record June 29. A similar amount was paid on April 11 and Jan. 3 last. The current payment covers the three months ended June 30 and settles preferred stock dividends in full to that date. In addition the sinking fund on the corporation's 1st mtge. bonds under the terms of the supplemental agreement dated Jan. 1, 1935, and the participation payment on the corporation's 7% sinking fund gold debentures under the terms of the second mortgage dated Jan. 1, 1935, to correspond with the above-mentioned, were authorized and will be provided for.—V. 149, p. 117.

New York Westchester & Boston Ry.—Razing of Road Delayed by Court—Rehabilitation Becomes Issue as Permit Is

Denied—
The chances for rehabilitating the road were revived July 6 when Federal Judge John C. Knox declined to permit the dismantling of the line pending further consideration next Oct. 9. In doing so, he gave Councilman Joseph E. Kinsley of the Bronx time to press his suggestion that the city take over part of the line for consolidation with the Independent subway. Judge Knox refused, however, to sanction the expenditure of \$15,000 of of the company's money for a survey to determine whether the road could be rehabilitated. The survey was suggested by the Sartorius committee for the protection of bondholders of the line.

Lowell H. Brown, an engineer, had suggested that the road might be operated both in the city and Westchester, with terminals in Westchester and in either the Bronx or downtown Manhattan. The downtown terminals could be obtained by connection with the Independent subway or with an East Side elevated line, he pointed out.

Judge Knox ruled, however, that the line's liabilities so far exceeded its apparent assets that such an expenditure would not be justified.

The application for an order to permit the dismantling of the road was made last week by Edwin L. Garvin and James L. Dohr, receivers for the company—V. 147, p. 1497.

Norfolk Southern RR.—Plan Seen Committed Soon—

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Norfolk Southern RR.—Plan Seen Completed Soon—
The protective committee for the 1st & ref. 5% gold bonds, due 1961, has notified the Stock Exchange of an extension of the deposit agreement for two years from Aug. 1. The committee states that there is an early prospect of consummation of the plan of reorganization for the road.

The committee, headed by Carrol M. Shanks, states that on May 15 the court approved a reororganization agreement providing for consummation of the plan previously approved by the court, and continues:

"Amendments to such plan of reorganization agreement are about to be presented by the committee and the other committees to the court for its approval. If approved, proceedings will be instituted before the Interstate Commerce Commission for its approval of the issuance of the new securities provided for in the plan and for its approval of the soliciation by the reorganization managers of deposits under the reorganization agreement.

"The committee believes that such plan and agreement as amended, which it, together with other committees, negotiated and prepared, is fair and equitable to all security holders, and the committee knows of no opposition thereof.

"The committee regards it as necessary and desirable that it continue in existence, retain its deposits and complete the program which has thus far been successfully pursued. Much remains to be done in the interest of the bondholders before the plan and agreement can be adopted and consummated."—V. 149, p. 117.

North Boston Lighting Properties—Subsidiaries Aug.

North Texas Co.—Tenders—
This company, through its agent, the Old Colony Trust Co., has offered to purchase at prices not exceeding 65% of the principal amount and

accrued interest to July 31 a sufficient amount of its first collateral lien bonds due on July 1, 1957, to absorb \$50,000. Tenders will be received up to July 23.—V. 149, p. 117.

Northern Natural Gas Co .- Files Bonds, Notes-Bonds to Be Sold Privately-

The Securities and Exchange Commission, July 5, announced that the company filed a declaration (File 43-229) under the Holding Company Act in connection with the issuance and sale of \$16,000.000 of first mortgage and first lien bonds, series A, 3½%, due July 1, 1954 and \$6,000.000 of unsecured 2½% promissory notes. The bonds are to be sold privately at par. The notes will be issued to the Chase National Bank of the City of New York to evidence bank loans.

The proceeds to the company from the sale of the bonds will be applied to the retirement of all of its presently outstanding funded debt as follows: \$11,680,949 to the redemption at 105.0445% of \$11,120,000 of first mtge. and first lien bonds, series A, 4½%, due July 1, 1947; \$1,527.347 to the redemption at 105.0445% of \$1,454,000 of first mortgage and first lien bonds, series B, 4½%, due July 1, 1947; \$2,985,670 to the redemption at 101.9% of \$2,930.000 of 4½% debentures, due July 1, 1948. Additional funds required for premiums and for interest will be supplied out of the general fund of the company.

Of the net proceeds of the bank loans to be evidenced by the \$6,000.000 of unsecured promissory notes, \$3,600,000 will be used for the construction of approximately 240 miles of 16-inch transmission pipe line from Sloux City, Iows, to a point near Minneapolis, Minn., and \$1,200,000 will be used for compressor station property, lateral pipe lines of various sizes, distribution system property of subsidiaries and development cost, all directly incidental to the Sioux City-Minneapolis extension. The balance of the proceeds will be used to defray the cost of additions and improvements to the company's present property.—V. 147, p. 3919.

Northern States Power Co. (Del.)—Weekly Output—

Northern States Power Co. (Del.)—Weekly Output— Electric output of the Northern States Power Co. system for the week ended July 1, 1939, totaled 26,693,411 kwhs., an increase of 10.2%, com-pared with the corresponding week last year.—V. 149, p. 117.

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Northern States Power Co. (Minn.)	) (& Subs.	.)— $Earns.$
Years Ended April 30— Operating revenues Operation	1939	1938
Operating revenues	13 634 085	14 140 008
		1.544.692
Appropriation for retirement reserve and deprec-	3,097,324	
Taxes	4,900,009	
Provision for Federal and State income taxes	1,275,235	533,606
Net operating income	\$11,610,456	\$11,937,288
Net operating incomeOther income (net)	50,737	48,281
Gross Income	\$11,661,193	\$11,985,569
Gross income Interest on long-term debt	3,827,229	3,817,171
Amort, of debt discount and expense	665,195	001,918
Other interest (net)		Cr25,721 41,843
Amort, of sundry fixed assets	130,751	102,120
Balance	-	\$7,388,238
Divs. on pref. stock of Northern States Power Co	- 90,991,109	
(Wisc ) held by public	226,125	
Minority interest in net income of subsidiary cos.	_ 16,171	59,090
Net income	\$6,754,866	\$7,329,148
Notes-(1) For comparative purposes the figu		

included in the year ended April 30, 1938 figures above have been adjusted to include the income accounts of Northern States Power Co. (Wisc.) and subsidiary companies and Midland Public Service Co. which become subsidiaries of Northern States Power Co. (Minn.) effective as of Jan. 2, 1938:

1938:
(2) Northern States Power Co. (Minn.) made no provision for Federal and State income taxes for the year 1937, as it claimed as a deduction in its income tax returns for that year unamortized discount and expense and redemption premiums and expense and duplicate interest applicable to bonds redeemed during the year 1937, which deduction resulted in no taxable income for that year.—V 148, p 3539

Northwestern Bell Telephone Co.—Earnings 

 Period End. May 31—
 1939—Month—1938
 1939—5 Mos.—1938

 Operating revenues
 \$2,935,227
 \$2,820,370
 \$14,305,414
 \$13.791,639

 Uncollectible oper, rev
 7,393
 8,981
 36,928
 54,849

 Operating revenues\_\_\_ \$2,927,834 \$2,811,389 Operating expenses\_\_\_\_ 1,976,967 1,981,474 Net oper. revenues \$950,867 Operating taxes 390,616 \$560,251 225,497 Ohio Bell Telephone Co.—Earnings—

Period End. May 31—	1939—Mo	nth—1938		#17,251,967
Operating revenues	\$2,742,182	\$3,482,606		\$17,251,967
Uncollectible oper. rev	5,198	22,951		95,867
Operating revenues Operating expenses	\$3,736,984	\$3,459,655	\$18,066,222	\$17,156,100
	2,318,043	2,184,497	11,292,559	11,089,854
Net oper. revenues	\$1,418,941	\$1,275,158	\$6,773,663	\$6,066,246
Operating taxes	519,392	532,046	2,503,541	2,480,402
Net oper. income Net income —V. 148' p. 3855.	\$899,549 884,120	\$743,112 729,020	\$4,270,122 4,197,031	\$3,585,844 3,573,521
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Operating taxes	519,392	532,046	2,503,541	2,480,402
Net oper. income Net income	\$899,549 884,120	\$743,112 729,020	\$4,270,122 4,197,031	\$3,585,844 3,573,521
Oklahoma Natur	al Gas Co	.—Earnin	gs—	
12 Months Ended May 3 Operating revenues Operation Maintenance Taxes (not incl. Fed'l. sur	B1—		\$8,254,796 2,955,587 233,862 877,549	1938 \$7,956,018 2,961,417 198,235 824,024
Net operating revenues Non-operating income (ne			\$4,187,798 3,667	\$3,972,342 13,868
Balance Retirement accruals			\$4,191,465 1,082,871	\$3,986,209 1,086,676
Gross income Interest and amortization			\$3,108,594 1,472,271	\$2,899,533 1,483,966
Net income, before pro			@1 626 292	<b>Q1</b> 415 567

on undistributed profits \$1,636,323 \$1,415,567 Earned surplus—beginning of period 4,375,591 3,114,674 Total x Provision for Fed'l surtax on undistributed profits Other direct charges (net).
Dividends paid and accrued:
Convertible 6% prior preference stock.
Preferred stock.
Common stock. \$4,530,241 40,000 Cr18,550 133,200 113,812 137,496 133,200

Earned surplus—end of period \$5,490,725 \$4,375,591 x For fiscal years ended Nov. 30, 1938 and Nov. 30, 1937. Provision for this tax, subsequent to Nov. 30, 1938, is not necessary under the present Revenue Act.—V. 148, p. 3855.

Old Colony RR.—Sues Bankers Trust Co.—
The trustees filed July 3 a \$17,000,000 suit in Suffolk County (Mass.).
Superior Court against the Bankers Trust Co. of New York, individually, and as trustee under a mortgage given it by the New York, New Haven & Hartford RR.

The trustees, in their bill, said the Old Colony leased its property in 1893, together with the property of the Boston & Providence RR., which it then held under lease of 1888.

The bill averred that on Dec. 9, 1920, the New Haven transferred its leased rights to the Bankers Trust Co., with the bank and the road agreeing to pay the Old Colony 7% of dividends on Old Colony stock as rent and also as interest on the Old Colony's bonded indebtedness.

The action charges both respondents failed to pay sums from Nov. 30, 1935 to June 8, 1936, amounting to \$1,564,037 and also that they failed to maintain the Old Colony property, with a resulting damage of 9\$70,000.

They also failed to pay taxes amounting to \$1,104,618, the bill says.

The bill says that these respondents failed to return certain properties to the Old Colony, with the damage of \$4,587,627, and that they failed between Oct. 24, 1935, and June 3, 1936, to operate the railroad, furnish necessary equipment and maintain it in good condition to the amount of \$1,106,317.

From January, 1936, to June 3, 1936, the New Haven failed to pay \$100,000 as quarterly rental for the Boston & Providence, the bill states, and that the latter road was damaged to the extent of \$84,191 through lack of necessary equipment and failure to keep the road in good condition.

Other allegations include a failure to pay taxes on the Boston & Providence amounting to \$5,07,40 and the failure to pay for permanent improvements totaling \$3,101.800.—V. 148, p. 3695.

## 1161 Shakespeare Avenue Apartment Building-

Bronx County Trust Co., as successor trustee of the 1st mtge. fee 5½% serial gold bond certificates, will distribute to the holders of the 1st mtge. fee 5½% serial gold bond certificates with the Nov. 16, 1932, interest coupons and subsequently maturing interest coupons attached thereto, upon presentation thereof, for appropriate stamping, to the undersigned as trustee at its office, 2804 Third Ave., Bronx, N. Y. City on and after June 27 the following amounts: \$30 for each \$1,000 bond \$15 for each \$500 bond.

#### Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co. (& Subs.)—Earns. 5 Months Ended May 31— 1939 1938 1937 Operating revenues \$49,806,498 \$47,252,081 \$46,210,543 Expense, depreciation and taxes 40,691,948 39,463,197 36,654,504 Net operating income \$9,114,550 Other income (net) 29,214 \$7,788,884 89,402 \$9,556,039 58,189 Total income\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\$9,143,764 Interest, amortization, &c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_1,475,606 \$7,878,286 1,319,737 \$6,558,549 2,050,000 4.512,500 Net income \$7,668,158 Preferred dividends accrued 2,050,000 Common dividends accrued 5,264,583 \$8,532,857 2,050,000 6,016,667 def\$3,951 \$466,190 Surplus Earnings per share on 1,805,000 shs. of common stock —V. 148, p. 3696. \$353.575 \$2.50 \$3.59 \$3.11

Paramount Pictures, Inc.—Debentures Called—
Company has called for redemption on July 31, 1939, at par and accrued interest, all of its then outstanding 20 year 6% sinking fund debentures due Jan. 1, 1955, and payment will be made on that date at the City Bank Farmers Trust Co., trustee, 22 William St., New York.—V. 149, p. 119.

Penn Investment Co. (Philadelphia)—Accum. Div.—Directors have declared a dividend of \$2 per share on account of accumulations on the \$4 cumul. pref. stock, payable July 3 to holders of record June 30. Dividend of \$1 per share was paid on Jan. 3, last.—V. 148, p. 2753

Pennsylvania Salt Mfg Co.—\$1.25 Dividend—
The directors have declared a dividend of \$1.25 per share on the common stock, par \$50, payable Sept. 15 to holders of record Aug. 31. Dividend of \$1.75 was paid on June 15. last; one of \$1 was paid on March 15 last; \$1.25 was paid on Dec. 15 last dividends of \$1 were paid on Sept. 15 and on June 15, 1938; \$1.25 paid on March 15, 1938; \$3 paid on Dec. 15, 1937; \$2 paid on Sept. 15, 1937; \$2.50 paid on June 15, 1937, and a dividend of \$1.25 paid on March 15, 1937.—V. 148, p. 3696.

Philadelphia Co. (& Subs.)-Earnings-Ended April 30-

Philadelphia Co. (& Subs.)—Earnin	yo.	
	1939	1938
Years Ended April 30— Operating revenues	41,286,828	
Operating revenues		13.799.722
	14,175,331	
Maintenance and repairs	3,047,048	3,414,209
Appropriations for retirement and depletion res'ves	5.765.043	5,282,757
Appropriations for retirement and depiction ros	22,528	24,836
Amortization of leaseholds	3.001,892	2,922,561
Taxes	3,001,002	
Provision for Federal and State income taxes	1,878,057	2,108,067
	212 306 020	\$14,368,305
Net operating revenue	190 100	179,820
Rents for lease of electric properties	180,100	110,020
	\$13.216.829	\$14,188,485
Net operating income	Dr112,868	
Net operating incomeOther income (net)		
Gross incomeInterest on funded debt	\$13,103,961	\$14,409,680
Gross income	5 467 979	5.473.879
Interest on runded debt	509,554	509.784
Amortization of debt discount and expense		
Other interest (not)	Cr96,311	Cr64,159
Guaranteed divs. on Consolidated Gas Co. of the		sar iyo ugu eti dili. Miliki
City of Pittsburgh preferred capital stock	69,192	69,192
City of Pittsburgh preferred capital stocks	Cr166.667	
Appropriation for special reserve	265,323	
Miscellaneous deductions	200,020	200,210
Balance	\$7,054,890	\$7,654,736
Balance	1,581,562	
Divs. on capital stocks of subs. held by others.	2,001,002	
Minority int. in undistributed net income of a sub_	20,869	C/30,770
	\$5 459 450	\$6 104 256

Consolidated net income\_ Note—Excluding Pittsburgh Rys. Co. (and the companies operated by it) and Pittsburgh Motor Coach Co. and Beaver Valley Traction Co. and its subsidiaries.—V. 149, p. 119.

Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Co.-Insolvency

Kuling Asked—
The Federal court at Philadelphia was asked June 29 to declare the company insolvent and to eliminate the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Corp. from participation in any securities distribution under a proposed reorganization plan.
The corporation created as an agency of the court when the company was separated from railroad interests years ago owns all the stock of the company.
The present petition was presented by four bondholders' committees—two each in Philadelphia and New York—that have approved a reorganization plan. Special Master Howard Benton Lewis announced today that he would begin further hearings on July 14.—V. 148 p. 3855.

Pittsburgh United Corp.—Court Sanctions Distribution of Assets-

of Assets—
Judge Frank Patterson in Common Pleas Court at Pittsburgh, July 6, gave permission to trustees of the company's preferred stocks to make a distribution of one share of United States Steel Corp. common for every four shares of Pittsburgh United preferred held. No date was set for the distribution pending any exceptions that may be taken to the Court's ruling, which is to be in effect until the fall.

After this distribution there will remain in the hands of the trustees 1,200 shares of U. S. Steel common and the Court has given the trustees permission to sell this stock at a price above \$40 a share, the proceeds to be used for expense incurred. V. 148, p. 3239.

Porto Rican American Tobacco Co.—Interest— The interest due July 1, 1939, on the 15-year secured 6% convertible gold bonds, due 1942, "plain" and "stamped," was not bot paid on that date. —V. 148, p. 2912.

\$164,483 prof\$139,788

Period Ended April Sales—Net after disc	30.1	939	Earnings—3	Months	6 Months
and excise taxes  x Cost of goods sold. Selling, general and a				\$99,535 63,665 41,347	\$312,144 176,022 98,450
Operating profit Other income—Disco	unts,	rents, &c	los	s\$5,477 844	\$37,672 2,193
Net profit before in Prov. for Federal inco	ncome ta	taxes	tive tax)	s\$4,633	\$39,865 7,574
Net loss for period. Earnings per share on * Based on inventor as per books.	ries A	pril 30, 19	939 computed at	\$4,633 Nil estimate	prof\$32,291 \$0.13 I valuations
40040	00.100	mparative	Balance Sheet		
Assets— Apr. Cash \$3	4 247	Jan. 31'39	Liabilities—	Apr. 30	39 Jan. 31 '39
a Accts. and notes	4,041	\$18,000			
	5.676	119.331	Accrued expenses		7 4,573
	4.299	287.782			9 12.134
	2.848		cap. stk. (\$1 par)		
	3,173	1 006	Paid-in surplus	210.00	
	2,425		Surp. arising from	210,00	0 210,000
b Fixed assets 31	-,	011,011	appraisal		6 189,600
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b Fixed assets 31 Brands, trademks. and formulae	1	1	Earned surplus	85,29	4 89,047
b Fixed assets 31 Brands, trademks. and formulae Prepaym't & def'd	1 2,979		Earned surplus	85,29	4 89,047

a After reserve for bad debts of \$11,500 at April 30, 1939 and \$10,384 at Jan. 31, 1939. After reserve for depreciation of \$226,295 at April 30, 1939 and \$222,509 at Jan. 31, 1939.—V. 148, p. 1973.

a After reserve for bad debts of \$11,500 at April 30, 1939 and \$10,384 at Jan. 31, 1939. b After reserve for depreciation of \$226,295 at April 30, 1939 and \$1222,509 at Jan. 31, 1939.—V. 148, p. 1973.

Postal Telegraph & Cable Corp.—Court Approves Reorg. Federal Judge Alfred C. Coxe formally confirmed June 30 the plan of reorganization for the corporation and thereby brought litigation of almost five years to an end.

Representatives of a bondholders' group and the Commercial Cables Staffs Association, a labor union announced intentions to appeal from the court order to the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals. Judge Coxe ruled that the plan is fair, feasible and fequitable and does not discriminate unfairly in favor of any class of creditors or security holders.

Under the plan, the Postal organization will be divided into four units, the Postal Telegraph System, Inc., comprising the land lines: Commercial Mackay Corp., All America Sara Corp., and theta Hamerican Cable & Radio Corp. The latter company will control Commercial Mackay and All America Sara corporations.

The Court approved the directors of the four new organizations which were submitted June 28 by Eustace Seligman, counsel for the Robert Lehman and Cecil Stewart bondholders' protective committees. The court rejected the suggestion of James N. Rosenberg, representing an independent bondholders' group, to delay confirmation of the plan until ballots containing the names of some 60 prospective directors could be submitted to bondholders. Unsatisfied, Mr. Rosenberg announced his intention of appealing the confirmation proceedings.

Judge Coxe also rejected efforts of Beverly Myles, attorney for the Commercial Cables Staffs Association, to have the confirmation adjourned. The Judge said: "This court has been burdened long enough with this capital states of the plan description of the plan until ballot consideration by these properties."

After Judge said: "This court has been burdened long enough with this capital states of the plan doesn't go through now th

(Geo. E.) Prentice Mfg. Co.—Extra Dividend—
Directors have declared an extra dividend of \$1 per share in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 50 cents per share on the common stock, par \$25, both payable July 15 to holders of record July 1. Extra of \$1 was paid on Dec. 15, last.—V. 147, p. 3773.

## Pressed Metals of America, Inc. - Earnings-

Earnings for 3 Months Ended March 31, 1939 Gross sales Scrap sales Interest and other income	\$1,083,593 10.801 1,057
Gross income_ Cost of materials	208,782
<ul> <li>Net profit</li> <li>No allowance has been made for income taxes.—V. 149, p.</li> </ul>	\$140,842 120.
Public Service Co. of North Carolina, Incwith SEC-	-Registers
See list given on first page of this department.	

Puget Sound Power & Light Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings 

Radio-Keith-Orpheum Corp.—Anti-Trust Action—
Federal Judge Conger dismissed the Government's Sherman Anti-Trust law action against eight former officers and directors of the corporation. They are Cornelius N. Bliss, Edward W. Harden, DeWitt Milhauser, David Sarnoff, Maurice Goodman and Frederick Strauss, former directors; Merlin H. Aylesworth, former board chairman, and Courtland Smith, former president of Pathe News, Inc. R-K-O has agreed to substitute other defendants as soon as Federal Judge Bondy approves its new board of directors.

Federal Judge William Bondy on June 30 approved the appointment of Richard C. Patterson Jr., former assistant Secretary of Commerce, as chairman of the board of R-K-O to succeed Floyd B. Odlum, president of Atlas Corp. Mr. Patterson's appointment is to take effect upon consummation of R-K-O's reorganization plan, recently confirmed by Judge Bondy. Consummation has been held up pending determination by the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals of an appeal filed against Judge Bondy's confirmation order.—V. 148, p. 3856.

Reliance Mfg. Co.—To Redeem Preferred Shares— Company has notified the Chicago Stock Exchange it will redeem 600 shares of its \$100 par preferred stock on Sept. 1. Redemption price will be \$110 plus unpaid dividends.—V. 148, p. 3856.

Reserve Investing Corp.—Accumulated Dividend—Directors have declared a dividend of \$1.25 per share on account of accumulations on the \$7 cumulative preferred stock, no par value, payable July 15 to holders of record July 7. Similar payments were made in preceding quarters.—V. 148, p. 2284.

Rochester Gas & Electric Corp.—Bonds Called—
This corporation (formerly Rochester Ry. & Light Co.) on July 1 notified holders of its general mortgage 5% gold bonds, due 1962, series E, outstanding in the principal amount of \$8,323,000, that all of these bonds will be redeemed on Sept. 1. 1939 by the Bankers Trust Co., New York, trustee, at their principal amount with a premium of 4%, together with accrued into the redeemption date. Interest on the bonds will cease to accrue after Sept. 1, 1939. Holders of these bonds may obtain immediately the full redemption price, including Sept. 1, 1939 interest, or \$1,065 for each \$1,000 bond, at the Bankers Trust Co., Corporate Trust Department, 16 Wall Street, New York City.—V. 148, p. 3856.

Rochester Telephone Corn

 Period End. May 31— Operating revenues Uncollectible oper. rev		onth—1938 \$427,363 709	0	Aos.—1938 \$2,130,000 3,510
Operating revenues	\$448,215 309,477	\$426,654 306,765	\$2,186,707 1,514,852	\$2,126,490 1,512,187
Net operating revenue Operating taxes	\$138,738 58,770	\$119,889 56,271	\$671,855 293,881	\$614,303 280,732
Net operating income_ Net income	\$79,968 54,821	\$63,618 38,924	\$377,974 250,223	\$333.571 211.163

Rogers-Majestic Corp., Ltd. (& Subs.)—Earnings-Years Ended March 31— ross profit from sales and other revenue\_\_\_\_\_ 1939 \$821,956 873,690 Expenses

Counsel's fees and remuneration of executive directors
Depreciation
Provision (estimated) for Dominion, provincial
and municipal income taxes...... 89,175 105,282 2,168 27,813

	dated Balan	ice Sheet March 31	1 1 1
Assets— 1939	1938	Liabilities— 1939	1938
Cash \$11,108	\$17,241	x Capital stock \$2,586,991	\$2,586,991
Accts. rec., inven-		Accts. payable 143.063	
tories, &c 1,111,902		Other curr. liabils 126,002	143,042
Investments 65,915	75,387	Unearned income. 18,736	14,138
y Land, buildings,	The Control of	Deferred liabils 7,048	14,895
mach'y & equip_ 1,426,522	1,448,628		sur171,692
Def'd paym'ts, &c. 90,056	63,889		
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Total \$2.705.503	\$3 100 330	Total \$9 705 503	\$3 100 330

x Represented by 200,000 no par shares class A stock and 15,000 no par shares class B stock. y After depreciation of \$503,460 in 1939 and \$471,536 in 1938.—V. 147, p. 430.

St. Vincent's Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind.—Bonds Offered—An issue of \$520,000 1st mtge. 3% serial real estate bonds is being offered by Dempsey-Tegeler & Co., St. Louis.

bonds is being offered by Dempsey-Tegeler & Co., St. Louis. Principal and interest guaranteed by the corporation Daughters of Charty of St. Vincent de Paul, St. Louis Province, Normandy, St. Louis County, Mo. Principal and interest payable quarterly (Jan., &c.) at Mercantile-Commerce Bank & Trust Co., St. Louis, Mo. Bonds in coupon form—\$500 and \$1,000 denoms. Any or all bonds may be prepaid at the option of the maker on any interest date prior to maturity, at 100 and accrued interest on 30 days' prior notice by publication.

These bonds are the direct obligation of St. Vincent's Hospital, a corporation of Indianapolis, Ind., and are secured by a first deed of trust in the nature of a mortgage on the land and buildings. The hospital is conducted by The Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul of the Western Province, whose Motherhouse is located at Marillac Seminary, Normandy, St. Louis County, Mo. The land, buildings and equipment have been valued for loan purposes at \$1,500,000.

The purpose of the loan is to refund present outstanding obligations of the mortgagor and of The Daughters of Charity, St. Vincent de Paul, into a lower rate of interest.—V. 129, p. 3699.

Safe Harbor Water Power Corp.—Ronds Called—

Safe Harbor Water Power Corp.—Bonds Called— A total of \$92,000 first mortgage s. f. gold bonds, 4½% series due 1979, has been called for redemption on Aug. 4 at 104 and accrued interest. Pay-ment will be made at the New York Trust Co.—V. 148. p. 890.

#### Savannah Electric & Power Co.-Earnings-

12 Months Ended May 31—	1939	1938
Operating revenues	\$2,270,024	\$2,222,945
x Balance after operation, maint. & taxes	1.039.053	988,880
y Balance for dividends and surplus	397,626	360.112
x Includes non-operating income (net). y A retirement reserve.—V. 148, p. 3542.	fter approp	riations for

Servel, Inc.—Unlisted Trading—
The New York Curb Exchange has removed the 1st mtge. 20-year 5% gold bonds, due Jan. 1, 1948, from unlisted trading.—V. 148, p. 3242.

#### Shawmut Bank Investment Trust-Earnings-3 Mos. End. May 31-1939 1938

Interest and dividends	\$32,822 5,574 53,575 527	* \$30,436 5,485 54,148 954	\$39,834 6,602 56,817 2,524	\$47,917 6,236 59,894 720
Net loss Previous surplus and un-	\$26,854	\$30,151	\$26,109	\$18,933
divided profits Discount on senior deb.	def58,904	39,842	43,434	38,151
purchased by the trust	4,000	2,800	1,845	3,730
Total profit Loss on securities sold	def\$81.758 1,673	\$12,491 80,654	\$19,170 prof34.354	\$22,948 prof17,603
Deficit, May 31 x Dividends only.	. \$83,431	\$68,163	sur\$53,524	sur\$40,551

A Dividends only.				
Condensed I	Balan	ce Sheet May 31		
	38	Liabilities— Prov. for Federal	1939	1938
Accrued int. rec 900		capital stock tax	\$1.742	\$3,196
Cash 347,697 651	,113	Senior debentures.	3,283,000	3,338,000
항상 경기가 하시아 가장 그 회에 가는 사람들이 되었다.	200	Acer. int. pay. on		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
하늘 다시 살면서 하면 있다. 어떻게 되어 하는데	10.5	senior debs	39.072	39,695
		Junior notes: 6%		,
	30. 1	series A, due		
대로 등이 교육하면 동안 이 보이 없으니 그 없는 것		March 1, 1952	960,000	960,000
	1	Acer. int. pay. on	7.5	,
		junior notes	100,800	43,200
	1 7	Unreal. deprec. of	af grafia fa	3
	1, 11	secs	Dr962,711	Dr604,530
	- 1	Deficit	83 431	60 169

\$3,338,472 \$2,711,398 Total --\$3,338,472 \$2,711,398 Note—Share capital of 75,000 common shares of no par value in part issued and outstanding and the balance issuable on conversion of warrants outstanding—V. 147, p. 3923.

Sierra Paci	fic Pow	rer Co	-Earnings-	<del>la</del> nte a light a	
Period End. Ma Operating revenu Operation Maintenance	y 31— es	1939—Mon \$161,278 51,275 12,607 23,885	nth—1938 \$152,862 53,734 6,998 21,068	1939—12 M \$2,008,804 651,966 110,834 303,890	08.—1938 \$1,924,138 720,386 116,521 264,717
Taxes					
Net oper. reven Non-oper. income	ues (net)_	\$73,510 Dr197	\$71,061 Dr7	\$942,114 3,569	\$822,514 4,000
Balance Retirement accru	als	\$73,313 7,527	\$71,054 7,718	\$945,683 90,939	\$826,515 92,156
Gross income Interest & amort.	&c	\$65,786 11,334	\$63,336 11,451	\$854.744 134,443	\$734,358 131,329
Ner income Preferred dividend Common dividend —V. 148, p. 3857	is s	\$54,452	\$51,885	\$720,301 210,000 339,626	\$603,029 210,000 263,654
		Fammin			
Solar Aircr Years Ended Ap Total gross sales Discounts allowed	ril 30—	i i		1939 \$537,928 3,797	1938 \$500,259 4,191
Total net sales. Cost of goods sole	i			\$534.131 386,580	\$496,068 358,101
Gross profit Other expenses				\$147,551 111,292	\$137,967 85,348
Net operating pother income	rofit			\$36,259 2,887	\$52,619 2,530
Gross income_ Other deductions State income taxe Federal income taxes Fed. income taxes	snori	nal		\$39,146 5,794 1,225 5,363	\$55,149 23,329 1,116 3,508 4,900
Net income				\$26,764	\$22,299
	Compa	atine Balan	nce Sheet Apr	il 30	
Assets— Cash on hand and in bank Acets. receivable— Acets. rec.—empls. Subscribers to cap. stock.———— Inventories Deferred charges— y Fixed assets——	\$29,459 22,208 1,153 490 238,819 9,317 130,768	1938 \$5,423 8,062 487 113,898 2,262 65,196	Accounts pay Acceptances pay Acceptances payments du constr. conf Salaries and payable Accrd.int., in Accrd. Fed. & income tax	able_ \$102,96 ay e on racts 18,37 vages	1,284 43 3 10,499 5 494
Other assets Investments Goodwill	3,558 19,028	3,558 3,000 76,086		ngs. 3,50 par) 228,90 us. ale of 67,09	2,76 0 129,64 - 8,81 1 15,78

Southern Bell T  Period End. May 31— Operating revenues Uncollectible oper. rev	\$5,785,087	fonth—1938 \$5,291,948	1939—5 \$28,573,020	Mos1938
Operating revenues Operating expenses	\$5,763,147	\$5,268,946	\$28,471,690	\$26,544.876
	3,760,244	3,495,533	18,370,813	17,265,502
Net oper. revenues Operating taxes			\$10,100.877 4,052,655	\$9,279,374 3,657,287
Net operating income_	\$1,196,594	\$1,043,329	\$6,048,222	\$5,622,087
Net income	983,622	792,345	5,045,717	4,426.501

#### Southern Bleachery & Print Works, Inc.—Accum. Div.

Company paid a dividend of \$1.75 per share on account of accumulations on the 7% cumulative pref. stock, par \$100, on July 1 to holders of record June 20. Similar amounts were distributed in preceding quarters.—V. 148, p. 2133.

#### Southern California Edison Co., Ltd.—Bonds Called—

All of the outstanding first and refunding mortgage gold bonds, series of 4s due 1960 have been called for redemption on Sept. 1 at 108½ and accrued interest. Payment will be made at the Bankers Trust Co., New York City: Harris Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, and Security-First National Bank of Los Angeles.—V. 149, p. 123.

Southern Ry.—Earnings—
—Fourth Week of June— —Jan. 1 to June 30—
1939 1938 1939 1938
Gross earnings (est.)\_\_\_\_ \$3,338,090 \$2,809,480 \$62,272,837 \$55,183,152

To Acquire Road-

The company has applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to acquire the Northern Alabama Ry. and to dissolve that corporation by the cancellation of its outstanding securities. The Southern now owns all of the securities consisting of 19,433 shares of capital stock and \$1,650,000 of first mortgage bonds. The properties acquired would be subjected to the lien of the Southern's development general mortgage.

—V. 149, p. 124.

Southern Weaving Co.—Earnings—

Net income after all charges	1ea May 31, 1939	4.930
Earnings per share on 20,000 shares commo—V. 149, p. 124.	mstock	\$0.75
Southern Union Gas Co. (&		
Calendar Vones 1000	1027 1026 10	25

Southern Union	Gas Co.	(& Subs.	-Earning	78—
Calendar Years— Total oper. revenue Gas purchases Operating expenses	\$2,298,617 417,274 633,412	\$2,157,965 406,205 577,305	\$1,871,440 366,866 471,590	1935 \$1,558,132 311,070 470,910
Net operating profit Non-operating revenue.	\$1,247,930 45,104	\$1,174,455 86,534	\$1,032,984 15,899	\$776,151 26,229
Gross income Non-oper. rev. deduct	\$1,293,034 212,507	\$1,260,989 136,639	\$1,048,883 125,825	\$802,380 104,422
Net income before int_ Interest expense—net Retire. and(or) dep. res_ Amortization reserve	340,572 174,288	\$1,124,349 338,770 174,358 33,066	\$923,058 384,455 165,946 29,264	\$697,958 376,929 261,674 48,565
Net prof. before Fed.	\$504.160	9570 155	8242 202	\$10.700

& State inc. taxes.\_ \$504,160 \$578,155 \$343,393 \$10,790 Note—In order to put the foregoing summary on a comparative basis, certain extraordinary and non-recurring items of income and expense have been eliminated.

	Consol	idated Bala	nce Sheet Dec. 31	11 1	
	1938	1937		1938	1937
Assets-	- 8	\$	Liabilities-	. 8	\$
Fixed assets	13,035,630	13,129,228	Cum. pref. stock		
Investments		655,287	(\$25 par):		
Organiz, expenses.			Cl. A 8% cum	620,875	743,050
Cash	212,573	143,356	7% cum. stock.	124,400	134,700
Accts. receivable	586,109	629,531	\$1.75 div. series		
Inventories	246,653	280,796	stock	70,250	89,825
Indebted, of em-			a Com.stock	1,202,360	1,243,035
ployees	5,423	12,245	Allot. cert. sub-		
Indebt. of subsid.			scribed	2,800	8,500
companies		26,592	Surplus	1,715,681	1,780,759
Special deposits		42,861	Min. int. in pref.		1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -
Prepaid expenses	16,646	10,766	stock—subs	1,636,296	1,663,640
Def'd charges, &c.		304.714	Minority interest.	805,900	1,059,173
Other assets		2,832	Long-term debt	5,276,400	5,679,832
Other aboctories			Notes payable	878,700	716,158
			Accounts payable.	379,269	341,450
			L'g-term debt due	P. Parket	
			currently	55,539	
			Taxes accrued	274,875	219,966
			Interest accrued	92,088	104,330
			Other curr. liabs	16,665	20,634
			Consumers' depos.	226,779	214,351
			Res. for rate ad-		
			justment	76,820	59,062
			Retire. & deplet'n		
			reserve	1,293,503	1,159,742
Total	14.749.201	15,238,210	Total	14,749,201	15,238,210
			ares in 1938 and 2		

in 1937.—V. 147, p. 280.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.-Earnings-

Period End. May 31— Operating revenues Uncollectible oper. rev	1939—Month—1938 \$7,843,834 \$7,321,401 31,431 31,355		1939—5 Mos.—1938 \$38,141,631 \$36,241,79 158,195 158,64	
Operating revenues	\$7,812,403		\$37,983,436	\$36,083,153
Operating expenses	4,954,149		24,143,385	23,466,776
Net oper. revenues	\$2,858,254		\$13,840,051	\$12,616,377
Operating taxes	1,066,409		5,184,898	4,799,125
Net oper, income	\$1,791,845	\$1,520,374	\$8,655,153	\$7,817,252
Net income	1,553,369	1,363,157	7,435,363	7,042,916

(A. G.) Spalding & Bros., Inc. (Del.)-Admitted to Listing, & c.

The New York Curb Exchange has admitted to listing and registration the 50 year 5% debentures, due Nov. 1, 1989, the 1st preferred stock, no par, and the common stock, par \$1.—V. 148, p. 3858.

Spiegel, Inc .- To Pay 15-Cent Common Dividend-

Directors on July 6 declared a dividend of 15 cents per share on the common stock, payable Aug. 1 to holders of record July 17. This will be the first dividend paid on the common shares since Feb. 1, 1938, when 25 cents per share was distributed.—V. 148, p. 3858.

Standard Gas & Electric Co.—Weekly Output—
Electric output of the public utility operating companies in the Standard Gas & Electric Co. system for the week ended July 1, 1939, totaled 112,-901,447 kwh., an increase of 15.6% compared with the corresponding week last year.—V. 149, p. 124.

(A.) Stein & Co.—Suspended from Dealings— The New York Curb Exchange has suspended from dealings the 6½% cumulative preferred stock, par \$100.—V. 148, p. 1978.

Stott Briquet Co., Inc.—E	arnings—		and the first
Years Ended April 30— Net sales—briquets. x Cost of goods sold. y Selling, general & adminis. expenses	1939 \$807,029 693,^28 90,345	1938 \$731,863 607,250 90,350	1937 \$918,477 718,471 93,870
Profit from operationsOther income credits	\$23,656 4,647	\$34,263 5,535	\$106.136 44,999
Gross income Provision for income taxes	\$28,304 5,123	\$39,798 5,478	\$151,135 22,187
Additional Federal income tax for prior years  Loss from disposal of securities  Interest paid	1,020 1,094	1,568	3,055 199
Net income Previous earned surplus (arising after April 30, 1934)	\$21,066 118,102	\$32,752 123,159	\$125.694 93,263
Gross surplus Dividends on conver, preference stock	\$139,168 36,172	\$155,911 37,890	\$218,956 95,798
Earned surplus, April 30 Capital surplus	\$102,996 61,699	\$118,101 61,699	\$123,159 94,784
1934		×	33,085
Balance, April 30	\$61.699	\$61,699	\$61,699
Total surplus		\$179,801	

x Includes \$22,540 in 1939, \$23,416 in 1938 and \$23,084 in 1937 deprection of buildings, machinery and equipment. y Includes depreciation \$2,294 in 1939, \$1,650 in 1938 and \$1,290 in 1937.

	Conden	sed Balan	ce Sheet April 30		
Assets-	1939	1938	Liabilities-	1939	1938
Cash	\$13,157	\$34,710	Accounts payable_	\$7,539	\$12,712
U. S. Govt. Treas.		part of the	Accrued prop. and		
bills & notes, at		Wall House	inc. & cap. stock	With Still Law	
cost	325,102	228,039		9,597	10,391
z Accts, and con-	4-80 26		a Capital stock	427,520	427,520
tracts rec. (less			b Capital surplus_	61,699	61,699
reserves)	3,737	2,660	Earned surp. (aris-		
Inventories	123,114	214,212		with the	" w.2"
Value of life insur.	6,240	5,632	1934)	102,996	118,102
Oth. accts, receiv.	613	766			
y Treasury stock	38,826	21,816			
x Plant property.	10 x 10 x 4		la de el placateur e		
at cost	96,817	117,192			
Prepd. insur. prem	1,745	5,397	rivino, empli	* 20 <u>11</u>	
Total	\$609,351	\$630,424	Total	\$609,351	

x After reserves for depreciation of \$607,233 in 1939 and \$595,946 in 1938. y Represented by 2,023 (1,140 in 1938) shares of convertible preference stock at cost. z After reserve of \$5,390 in 1939 and \$5,863 in 1938 a Represented by 17,864 (18,747 in 1938) shares cumulative convertible preference stock and 65,617 shares of common stock, both of no par value b Of which \$38,826 (\$21,816 in 1938) is restricted in respect of treasury stock.

Accumulated Dividend—
The directors have declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on account of accumulations on the \$2 conv. pref. stock, payable Aug. 1 to holders of record July 22. Similar payment was made on April 26 and Feb. 1, last, Nov. 1, Aug. 1, April 26 and Feb. 1, 1938, and on Feb. 1, 1937.—
V. 148, p. 2445.

Strathmore Paper Co.—Accumulated Dividend— Directors have declared a dividend of \$2.50 per share on account of ac-cumulations on the 6% cumulative preferred stock payable July 15 to holders

of record June 30. Dividend of \$3.50 was paid on April 1, last.—V. 148, p. 2607.

Superior Portland Cement, Inc.—Dividends—
Directors have declared a dividend of 50 cents per share on the common stock, payable July 15 to holders of record July 5. Previous common distributions were as follows: 50 cents on Nov. 29, 1938, and \$1.50 per share on Nov. 29, 1937.

Directors also declared a dividend of \$2\frac{1}{2}\$ cents per share on the preferred stock, payable July 1 to holders of record June 23. Previous distributions on company's preferred stock were as follows: \$2\frac{1}{2}\$ cents on April 1, last; 55 cents on Dec. 24, 1938; 27\frac{1}{2}\$ cents on Nov. 26, 1938; 82\frac{1}{2}\$ cents paid on Oct. 1, July 1 and April 1, 1938; 27\frac{1}{2}\$ cents on Nov. 24 and on Sept. 1, 1937; \$1.10 on June 1, 1937, and a dividend of 27\frac{1}{2}\$ cents paid on March 1, 1937.

Tampa Electric Co.—Earnings—

Tampa Electric Co.—Farnings

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Period End. May 31— Operating revenues Operation Maintenance Taxes	1939—Mor \$383,352 139,934 23,236 53,676		1939—12 A \$4,486,298 1,637,764 269,984 653,143	Acs.—1938 \$4,600,206 1,781,855 269,097 591,947
Net oper revenues Non-oper inc. (net)	\$166,505	\$169,439	\$1,925,406	\$1,957,307
	164	Dr56	3,086	Dr2,299
Balance Retirement accruals	\$166,670	\$169,383	\$1,928,493	\$1,955,008
	35,833	35,833	430,000	430,000
Gross income	\$130,836	\$133,550	\$1,498,493	\$1,525,008
	592	571	8,028	10,068
Preferred dividends Common dividends V. 148, p. 3859.	\$130,244 	\$132,979	\$1,490,465 70,000 1,338,916	\$1,514,940 70,000 1,304,306

Technicolor, Inc.—Dividend Increased—
Directors on June 29 declared a dividend of 35 cents per share on the common stock payable July 17. to holders of record July 7. This compares with 15 cents paid on Dec. 28, 1938; 35 cents paid on Nov. 1, 1938; 50 cents on June 15, 1938; 25 cents paid on Dec. 23, 1937; 50 cents on Sept. 1, 1937, and an initial dividend of 50 cents paid on Dec. 26, 1936.—V. 148, p. 3545.

Teck-Hughes Gold Mines, Ltd.—Earnings-

Tennessee Electric Power Co.—F. P. C. Approves Sale— The Federal Power Commission approved June 29 the sale of Tennessee lectric Power Co. and Southern Tennessee Power Co. properties to the connessee Valley Authority and 36 municipalities and public power conneratives.

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The sale price was fixed at \$78,600,000. The F. P. C. specified that all negotiations be completed as of Dec. 31, 1939.

Officials said the sale and purchase was contingent upon Congressional action to permit the TVA to raise funds to finance its share of the purchase price. So far the House and Senare have been unable to agree on the form of such authorizing legislation.—V. 148, p. 3700.

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Terminal RR. Association of St. Louis—Morgan Stanley & Co. and Kuhn Loeb & Co. to Withdraw as Bond Underwriters—Defends Bond Sale by Negotiation—

Morgan Stanley & Co., Inc., and Kuhn, Loeb & Co. July 5 informed Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis that they were prepared to Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis that they were prepared to Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis that they were prepared to the social control of the proposed of th

(John R.) Thompson Co.—Earnings—

Quarter Ended—	Mar. 24, ————March 31——			
Net sales Net loss after taxes, de-	\$2,522,740	\$2,903,522	1937	\$2,883,777
preciation, &c	127,494	84,369	7,985	prof22,422

New President—
Directors on June 29 elected Paul Moore as President and Treasurer,
Mr. Moore, who replaces John H. Thompson Jr., has been Executive VicePresident and General Manager since last October.—V. 148, p. 3392.

Tide Water Associated Oil Co.—To Postpone Financing for Present—Registers \$50,000,000 Securities with SEC—
The directors at a meeting July 5 decided to defer "for the present" a financing program which would have provided for the issuance of \$50,000,000

of debentures and series notes. The company states that the registration statement, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission for the purpose, will not be withdrawn.

The company on June 30 filed with the SEC a registration statement (No. 2-4115, Form A-2) under the Securitiese Act of 1933 covering \$35-00,000 of debentures and \$15,000,000 serial notes due July 1, 1940-1949. The interest rates on the debentures and serial notes, and the maturity date of the debentures, are to be furnished by amendment to the registration statement.

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According to the registration statement, \$38,062,500 of the net proceeds from the sale of the debentures and notes will be applied to the redemption at 105% and accrued interest of \$36,250,000 of the company's outstanding 15-year 3½% sinking fund debentures, due Jan. 1, 1952. The balance of the proceeds, it is stated, will be used to increase working capital, to further the development and acquisition of oil reserves, the instalation of new equipment and the modernizing of plant facilities, and the extension and modernization of transportation and marketing facilities.

Kuhn Leob & Co. and Lehman Brothers, both of New York City, will be the principal underwriters. The prospectus states that to facilitate the offering, it is intended to stabilize the price of the securities being offered. This is not an assurance, it states, that the prices will be stabilized or that the stabilizing, if commenced, may not be discontinued at any time. The price at which the securities are to be offered, the underwriting discounts or commissions and the redemption provisions are to be furnished by amendment to the registration statement.—V. 148, p. 3392.

Transamerica Corp.—Dividend Reduced—

Transamerica Corp.—Dividend Reduced—

Directors on June 30 declared a semi-annual dividend of 25 cents per share on the common stock, payable July 31 to holders of record July 14. Previously regular semi-annual dividends of 37½ cents per share were distributed.

Statement by Transamerica accompanying notice of the dividend declaration said "in declaring this dividend the directors took into consideration the extraordinary expense involved in defending the unwarranted charges which the Securities and Exchange Commission saw fit to make against the corporation.

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"The Board of directors did not rescind its resolution adopted at its meeting of Jan. 3, 1938 establishing the regular annual dividend on a 75 cents per annum basis and will not do so at Board meeting to be held early in January next year, unless it is decided at that time to declare a dividend for the last 6 months of the year of less than 50 cents a share.

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\*Delisting Hearing—

The Securities and Exchange Commission announced June 30 that the public hearing in the proceeding to determine whether the registration of corporation capital stock should be suspended or withdrawn from the national securities exchanges on which it is listed will be resumed July10. In the Commission's San Francisco Regional Office. At that time the Commission's counsel will present evidence only with respect to those charges of false and misleading statements which relate to the financial statements of false and misleading statements which relate to the financial statements of false and misleading statements which relate to the financial statements of savings Association included in the registration application filed by Transamerica or which relate to transactions in which Bank of America was alleged to have participated, only in so far as such charges involve participation of the Bank of America.—V. 148, p. 3392.

Tribune Enterprises, Inc.—Registers with SEC-See list given on first page of this department.

Tri-State Telephone & Telegraph Co.—Earnings

Period End. May 31—	1939—Mon	th—1938	1939—5 M	os.—1938
Operating revenues	\$306,94	\$531,792	\$2,460,091	\$2,589,788
Uncollectible oper, rev	Cr3,634	1,063	1,702	8,249
Operating revenues Operating expenses	\$310,578	\$530,729	\$2,458,389	\$2,581,539
	403,916	377,771	1,918,514	1,891,527
Net oper. revenues	x\$93,338	\$152,958	\$539,875	\$690,012
Operating taxes	Cr12,168	47,562	198,978	255,339
Net oper. income Net income x Indicates loss.—V. 14	*\$81,170 113,794 18, p. 3393.	\$105,396 41,007	\$340,897 289,668	\$434,673 120,199

Trusteed Industry Shares-Earnings-

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Comparative	Income and	d Profit and L	088 Statement	
3 Mos. End. June 30— Capital fund: Decrease in mkt. val. of secur's owned	1939	1938	1937	1936
Net loss realized on se-		<b>*\$1,280,024</b>	\$541,097	\$106,608
curities sold	\$528,868	66,846	prof12,890	prof48,586
Gross lossExpenses	\$528,868	y\$1,213,179 1,000	\$528,207 2,996	\$58,022
Net capital loss	\$528,868	y\$1,212,179	\$531,202	\$58,022
Distribution fund: Cash dividends Sale of stk. divs. & rights	\$65,738 653	\$22,113 999	\$41,125 4,431	\$22,050 1,546
Total income	\$66,391	\$23,112	\$45,556	\$23,596
Expenses—Supervisory fee due depositor corp Capital stock tax	5,658	4,952	5,342	2,210 1,200
Net distrib. income x Income. y Profit.	\$60,732	\$18,160	\$40,214	\$20,186
Compo	arative Bala	nce Sheet Jun	e 30	
Accete 1020	1000	. Timenutia	1000	1000

Assets— 1939 Cash on deposit \$102.130	1938	Liadittes— Reserve for capital	1939	1938
xSecurities at mkt_ 4,343,363 Cash on deposit 66,592	4,164,900		\$3,104	\$5,582
Divs. receivable 13,768	6,763		5,658	4,952 15,778
	Sept.			4,876,719
		Account to the second to the s		

Total \$4,525,847 \$4,903,031 Total \$4,525,847 \$4,903,031 \*\*Cost at June 30, 1939 \$5,148,582 and at June 30, 1938 \$5,286,668. Dividends-

Company has authorized a cash distribution of one cent per share on July 5, 1939 to holders of record June 30, 1939. This distribution, which is the 25th consecutive payment, applies to the 5,641,916 shares outstanding, and compares with a cash distribution of seven mills per share paid on March 31, 1939, and three mills per share paid on June 30, 1938. Total assets of the trust based on market values as of June 29, 1939 are \$4,578,000.—V. 148, p. 2135.

Union Wine Dane Co

Union Wire Rop	e Corp.—	-Earnings-	•	15 m. "
Calendar Years— Gross sales Net sales Cost of goods sold	\$1,221,445 1,146,113 783,955	1937 \$1,691,639 1,597,618 1,078,570	\$1,250,751 1,113,488 692,082	1935 \$982,432 878,062 542,573
Gross profit Oper. profit after deprec. Net earns bef. inc. taxes. Net earns after all chgs. Cons.	\$362,158 58,389 13,102 10,051	\$519,047 242,973 210,336 176,159 ance Sheet Dec	\$421,405 187,250 139,590 97,597	\$335,488 146,246 96,137 80,903
Assets— 1938 Current assets \$671,66: Fixed assets (less depreciation) 733,76: Other assets 19,14: Deferred charges 23,176	3 703,920 24,025	Notes payable Accounts pay Accrd. exps. &	1938 \$130,000 able 167,707 ttax. 28,113 199,500 littles 25,275	1937 \$120,000 163,424 59,225 200,000 34,831 860,811
Total\$1,447,75	\$1,438,293	Total	\$1,447,757	\$1,438,293

Union Investment Co.—10-Cent Dividend—
Directors have declared a dividend of 10 cents per share on the common stock, payable July 17 to holders of record July 8. Like amount was paid on Dec. 29, last, this latter being the first distribution to be made on the common shares since Dec. 23, 1937 when an extra dividend of 25 cents in addition to a regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents per share was paid.—V. 148, p. 135.

Union Twist Drill Co.—Earnings-\$1,330,684 559,495 135,927 1935 \$912,832 423,356 135,909 

 Calendar Years—
 1938

 Manufacturing profit—
 \$1,059,481

 Selling & gen. expenses
 578,306

 Depreciation—
 141,110

 1937 \$2,409,626 745,892 170,791 \$353,567 Operating profit\_\_\_\_ Other income (int., tene-ment rents, &c.)\_\_\_\_ \$340,064 \$1,492,943 \$635,262 13,189 8,983 11,715 3,383 \$356,950 \$353.254 \$1.501.926 \$646,977 41,064 77,974 36,476 29.915 5.786 10.050 4,463 9,770 Cr57.039 Cr15.539 5,828

rectuded in inventory values—
Reserve to reduce book value of Canad. assets to United States equiv. Reserve for Federal and Canadian income tax. Res. for Fed. surtax on undistributed profits— 45,200 291,000 91,700 69,500 128,500 9,800 \$329,105 2,362 3,189,830 \$994,402 4,917 3,258,366 Net operating profit\_\_ \$231,075 Surplus credits\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3,036,088 \$520,076 3,217,474 \$4,257,686 34,250 \$3,737,550 32,567 \$3.521.297 \$3,267,163 62,592 94,729 62,592 62,592

| March | Marc Assets— \$1950
Cash ... \$673,993
Acets & notes ree. (less reserve) ... \$284,893
Mise, & supplies ... \$1,656,009
Misc, acets, and notes receivable First Nat. Bank of Athol Stock ... ... \$15,000
Athol Homes Corp. stock ... \$34,250 

Total-----\$8,446,343 \$8,841,279 \* After reserve for depreciation of \$3,159,211 in 1938 and \$3,028,095 i 1937.—V. 148, p. 3247. \$8,446,343 \$8,841,279

United Amusement Corp., Ltd.—Earnings-

Calendar Years— Total income. Admin. & general exp. Depreciation Bond and other interest. Bond underwriting exp.	1938	1937	1936	1935
	\$382,688	\$345,939	\$338,467	\$309,092
	106,062	99,814	84,199	81,293
	88,257	76,862	78,013	75,931
	75,325	62,849	68,132	71,972
	6,639	6,244	6,988	7,800
Net profitPrevious surplus	\$106,404	\$100,170	\$101,134	\$72,095
	238,296	239,937	812,225	790,866
Total surplus	\$344,700	\$340,108	\$913,359	\$862,961
Dividends	60,622	60,622	52,642	37,184
Fed. & Prov. inc. taxes_	20,937	19,390	17,980	13,552
Amount written off good- will account			500,000	
Additional amt. written off franchise for fiscal.	21,800	21,800	102,800	
Surplus end of year	\$241,342	\$238,296 Dec. 31, 1938	\$239,937	\$812,225

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Land, \$585,931; buildings and equipment (after depreciation), \$1,723,261; leasehold threatre, \$71,975; investments in and advances to associated enterprises, \$583,939; balances of sale price, \$36,400; trust funds (contra), \$16,206; supplies on hand, \$13,659; accounts receivable, \$13,173; bonds, \$111,023; cash on hand and in bank, \$91,249; deferred charges, \$177,940; goodwill and franchise, \$375,891; total, \$3,800,646.

Liabilities—5%, 1st mortgage sinking fund bonds, \$1,529,000; theat property (payable \$1,000 quarterly—due 1952), \$56,000; trust funds (contra), \$16,206; accounts payable, \$25,718; bond interest and other accrued charges, \$34,838; Federal and provincial income taxes, \$23,947; insurance reserve, \$23,870; capital stock: class A (67,708 shs), \$1,596,700; class B (13,121 shs.), \$253,025; surplus, \$241,342; total, \$3,800,646.—V.

United Chemicals, Inc. (& Subs.)-Earnings-

Years Ended—	Dec. 31, '38	Jan. 1. '38	Jan. 2. '37	Dec. 28, '35
Net sales		\$777,100	\$1,908,158	\$1,647,999
Cost of sales	615,798	626,051	1,463,965	1,246,729
Sell. & admin. expenses		85,794	205,227	186,036
Other deductions, net_		Cr92,116	11,182	60,254
Depreciation	48,411	51,453	217,498	
Taxes	_ 12,332	x14,393	28,347	15,415
Net profit for year		\$91,524	loss\$18,062	loss\$77,729
Portion of net profit ap plicable to min. int		Cr561	Cr13,368	Cr28,133
Profit	\$42,290	\$92,086	def\$4,694	
x Includes \$1,490 for	Federal surta			

x Includes \$1,490 for Federal surtax on undistributed profits.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash, \$207,933; marketable securities (at cost), \$113.554; accounts and notes receivable (less reserve), \$72,031; inventories, \$225,732; interest receivable, \$562; deferred charges to future operations, \$9.660; investments, \$1,624,605; fixed assets (after reserve for depreciation of \$370,975), \$183.010; patents and processes (at cost, less amortization), \$26,383; goodwill, \$736,943; total, \$3,200,413.

Liabilities—Accounts payable, \$37,298; reserve for Federal income and capital stock taxes, \$4,053; reserve for social security and other taxes, \$3,242; other accrued liabilities, \$1,193; reserve for compensation insurance claims, \$1,220; deferred credits, \$5,088; minority interests in subsidiary companies, \$141,392; capital, preferred \$3 cumulative (no par), outstanding 28,743 shares, \$718,575; common stock (no par), \$102,000; capital surplus, \$2,880,915; deficit, \$694,562; total, \$3,200,413.—V. 148, p. 3859.

United Cigar-Whelan Stores Corp.—Tenders—
The Manufacturers Trust Co. will until 3 p. m. July 27 receive bids for
the sale to it of sufficient 5% s. f. bonds due Oct. 1, 1952 to exhaust the
sum of \$99,791 at prices not exceeding 102½.—V. 148, p. 3546.

United Corp.—Preferred Dividend—
Directors on June 30 declared a dividend of 85 cents per share on the \$3 cumulative preference stock payable July 19, to holders of record July 10. This compares with \$1 paid on April 28, last, and a dividend of 75 cents paid on Jan. 18, 1938, this latter being the first since April 1, 1938, when a regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents was paid.

Purchases \$2,446,772 Stocks-

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George H. Howard, President, disclosed July 6 in a formal report to shareholders that the company had invested an aggregate of \$2,446,712 in the securities of non-utility companies in the period from March 17 to June 30. Most of the securities were bought on the New York Stock Exchange in the latter part of March and the early part of April.

All the securities bought in the period, consisting solely of common and capital stocks of leading industrial, chemical and chain store concerns, were acquired under the corporation's investment program in accordance with an order of the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Public Utility Holding Company Act. The SEC on March 13 approved United's program for investment of not more than \$8,000,000 of the corporation's current funds in the six months ending on Sept. 13.

The corporation did not sell or otherwise dispose of any securities in its portfolio in the period, Mr. Howard said, adding that no changes were made in the portfolio of the New York United Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary.

The purchases made by the corporation between March 17 and June 30 were as follows:

were as follows:	Cost	Company Shares	Cost
		Int. Nickel 2,600	\$126,357
American Can 1,600	\$141,891	The Nickel 2,000	
Chrysler 2,000	148,600	Phelps Dodge 3,800	
E. I. du Pont 2,000	291.866	Procter & Gamble 2,634	147,218
E. I. du Fondana	150.236	Sears, Roebuck 1,900	137.830
Eastman Kodak 900		Union Carbide 4,000	323,916
General Electric 3,700	144,069		
General Mills 1,600	128,733	United Fruit 1,900	
General Motors 3,000	141.210	F. W. Woolworth. 3,000	142,372
General Motors	138,223		
Int. Harvester 2,300	100,220		

## United Drill & Tool Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

[Formerly Witman & Barnes, Inc.]

United Drill & Tool Corp. (& Subs.)—Earnings—
[Formerly Witman & Barnes, Inc.]

Calendar Years—

1938

1937

1936

1935

Net profit for the year
after expenses......loss\$22.819

\$377,593

\$413.553

\$181,784

The consolidated income accrued for the year ended Dec. 31, 1938 follows:
Profit and Loss—Net sales, \$2,249.398; manufacturing cost, selling and
administrative expenses, including provision for depreciation \$78,498. expenditures for maintenance \$59,768, and taxes, other than Federal income
tax, \$88,047, \$2,257,820; gross operating loss, \$8,422; other income, \$23,546;
total income, \$15,124; interest paid, \$19,104; moving and rearrangement of
manufacturing facilities, \$4,605; expenses of plant not used in operations
(including depreciation \$9,028), \$14,234; net loss for year, \$22,820.

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash in banks and on hand, \$446,577; notes and acceptances
receivable after reserve for doubtful accounts and notes, \$311,152; inventories, \$1,021,773; other current assets, \$13,450; investments, \$1,405;
officers' and employees' collateral stock subscription notes, \$114,732;
other ecelvable, long-term, \$2,316; cash in hands of trustee for redemption
of first mortgage 15-year sinking fund bonds, \$227; fixed assets at cost—
Land, \$65,796; buildings, machinery and equipment (less reserve for depreciation of \$852,777), \$1,002,777; improvements to leased properties,
\$185,538; land, buildings, machinery and equipment not used in operations
and held for sale, \$87,635; goodwill, \$1; deferred charges, \$92,330; total,
\$33,345,710.

Liabilities—Accounts payable, \$117,136; accrued liabilities, \$112,989;
notes payable, \$130,516; reserve for Federal income taxes, \$9,338; first
mortgage 6% sinking fund bonds called for redemption on April 1, 1939;
notes payable, serial notes payable (less amount due July 3, 1939 included in
current liabilities above), \$437,500; capital stock, class A stock 261,859
shares and class B stock, 462,152 shares, (no par), \$1,060,075; capital surplus
\$994,821; ea

United Elastic Corp.—Earnings—

Years End. Dec. 31—Gross operating income_Cost of operationsTaxes, city and StateDepreciation	\$2,438,865 2,284,911 *71,786 94,557	\$2,326,239 2,225,343 *55,180 70,865	\$2,227,921 2,058,198 ×36,666 68,376	\$2,145,627 2,028,370 x39,023 68,599
Net profit from regular operations Inc. from invests., &c Profit on sale of securs Other credits	loss\$12,390 16,595 4,192 4,019	loss\$25,149 59,247 30,635	\$64,681 39,622 4,633	\$9,636 62,561 13,226
Total profitFederal taxes	\$12,417 7,300	\$64,732	\$108,936 9,500	\$85,423 3,000
Profit for year Surplus Jan. 1 Dividends paid Adjustment taxes	\$5,117 1,302,557 62,656 Cr8,292	\$64,732 1,128,200 101,816 Cr4,029	\$99,436 1,130,580 101,816	\$82,423 1,110,813 62,656
Surplus, Dec. 31	\$1,253,310	\$1,095,145	\$1,128,200	\$1,130,580

\* Includes Federal capital stock taxes. Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Consolidated Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash, \$258,003: accounts & acceptances receivable (less reserve), \$270,137; inventories, \$959,483; life insurance, cash surrender value, \$250,840; marketable securities (at cost), \$105,401; stocks of other companies, \$26,867; mortgages on real estate and personal property, \$19,687; restricted accounts in foreign countries, \$1,490; prepaid insurance, &c., \$36,300; plants and equipment (less reserves for depreciation of \$1,004,107), \$1,120,631; patents, amortized value, \$7,435; total, \$3,056,275.

Liabilities—Accounts payable (trade), \$71,175; advances by foreign customers against shipments, \$9,388; accrued wages and other expenses, \$20,190; Federal and State taxes, \$20,000; social security taxes, \$15,811; reserve for contingencies, \$100,000; capital stock (156,640 shs. no par), \$1,566,400; surplus, \$1,253,310; total, \$3,056,275.—V. 146, p. 1263.

United Milk Products-Earnings-Year Ended Dec. 31, 1938

Net earnings from operations	\$464,274 112,632 62,753
Net earnings from operationsLoss on disposal of fixed assets	\$288,889 11,949
Net incomeEarned surplus at Dec. 31, 1937	\$276,939 566,799
Balance	\$843,738 154,699 69,798
Earned surplus Dec. 31, 1938	\$619,242

Balance Sheet Dec. 31, 1938

Assets—Cash in banks and on hand, \$83,138; trade accounts receivable (less reserve for doubtful accounts), \$318,272; inventories, \$294,839; deferred charges and sundry other assets, \$93,271; real estate, buildings, machinery, equipment, &c. (after reserve for depreciation of \$577,712). \$1,330,723; brands and trade marks, \$1; total, \$2,920,243.

Liabilities—Dividends payable Jan. 3. 1939, \$55,637; accounts payable, \$287,090; local, State and Federal capital stock taxes accrued, \$28,052; reserve for estimated Federal income taxes, \$63,000; \$3 cumulative participating preferred stock (30,550 shares, no par), \$1,374,750; common stock (34,899 shares, no par), \$174,495; capital surplus, \$317,977; earned surplus, \$619,242; total, \$2,920,243.—V. 148, p. 3859.

Penna. Power & Light \$5, \$6 and \$7 Preferred Stocks Philadelphia Electric Co. Common Stock Phila. Suburban Water 6% Preferred Stock Phila. Electric Co. \$5 Preferred Stock United Gas Improvement \$5 Preferred Stock

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United Gas Improvement Co. Weekly Output-Week Ended— July 1, '39 June 24, '39 July 2, '38 Electric output of system (kwh.) 95,277,702 95,293,501 84,713,369 —V. 148, p. 2280.

#### United Post Offices Corp.—Earnings—

Years Ended Dec. 31-	1938	1937	1936
Total income	\$308,265	\$328,441	\$415.115
Operating and administrative exps	139,998	177,342	138,313
Interest—Mortgage bonds	*******	4777777	68,955
Income bonds (at 5½% per ann.) Gold notes	180,318	196,763	170,230
Depreciation (bldgs. & equip.)	44,498	45,413	3,790 103,527
Trusteeship expense and fees Profit on sale of capital assets	$\bar{C}\bar{r}\bar{2}\bar{1}\bar{9}$	Cr9,833	2,333
Net loss carried to surplus	\$56,328	\$81,243	\$72,033

Assets—Cash, \$68,948; accounts receivable, \$224,030; cash on deposit with trustee, \$9,450; buildings and equipment (after depreciation of \$349,074), \$1,223,525; land, \$585,427; deferred expense, \$19,063; total, \$2,130,442.

Liabilities—Accounts payable, \$3,200; interest payable on April 15, 1939, 70,726; accrued State and local property taxes, management fees, &c., \$43,434; first mortgage cumulative income bonds (less reacquired and held in treasury \$606,000) \$3,278,500; interest accrued on first mortgage cumulative income bonds (being at the rate of 4,667%), \$262,627; scrip certificates outstanding, \$327,850; common stock outstanding (\$1 par), \$34,130; surplus (deficit), \$1,890,025; contingent liabilities, none; total, \$2,130,442.

V. 148, p. 1507.

United States Playing Card Co.—Unlisted Trading— The common stock, par \$100, has been removed from unlisted trading on the New York Curb Exchange.—V. 148, p. 3547.

## United States Plywood Corp.—Earnings-

	Apr. 30, '39	4 Mos. End. Apr. 30 '37 b\$1,568,748	Dec. 31, '37	Year Ended Dec. 31, '37 \$4,554,794
allowances	See c	43,484	146,123	189.607
Net sales Cost of sales & exps	\$5,043,580 4,665,557	\$1,525,264 1,321,020	\$2,839,923 2,565,334	\$4,365,187 3,886,354
Net profit from oper Other income	\$378,022 18,050	\$204,244 3,685	\$274,589 18,145	\$478,833 21,830
Total income Int. on funded debt (re-	\$396,072	\$207,928	\$292,734	\$500,662
tired during year) Int. on notes payable Amort. of bond discount	11,101	7.984	5,939	13,924
and expenseOther interest charges Prov. for Fed. inc. taxes	7,104 69,857	$\begin{array}{c} 747 \\ 3,400 \\ 26,775 \end{array}$	453 7,329 <b>a</b> 45,335	$\substack{\substack{1,200\\10,729\\72,110}}$
Net prof. car'd to surp.	\$308,010	\$169.022	\$233.677	\$402 600

Net prof. car'd to surp. \$308.010 \$169.022 \$233.677 \$402.699
a The provision for Federal income taxes for the eight months ended
Dec. 31, 1937 includes approximately \$10.000 in excess of the estimated
normal Federal income tax, but no specific provision has been made for
surtax on undistributed profits, the amount of which cannot be determined
until the close of the company's fiscal year on April 30, 1938. b Includes
predecessor companies. c After deducting discounts, returns and allowances.

Balance Sheet April 30, 1939

Datance Sheet	April 50, 1959
Assets— Cash in banks and on hand X Notes & accts. receivable Inventories Int. in joint venture with the Mengel Co Prepaid insurance, taxes, supplies, &c Inv. in Wash. Veneer Co S248 52,48 52,48 52,48 52,48	6 Current maturities of contr'ts  payable
y Prop., plant & equip., at cost 633,12	
Total\$3.543.50	6 Total \$3 543 500

x After reserves for uncollectible accounts, discounts and freight allowances of \$93,840. y After reserves for depreciation and amortization of \$322.831. z 11,720 shares \$1.50 cumulative convertible preferred stock and 18,656 shares of common stock.—V. 148, p. 3086.

## Utilities Power & Light Corp.—Plan Amended by Atlas

Utilities Power & Light Corp.—Plan Amended by Atlas Corp.—SEC Reopens Hearings—

Atlas Corp. on June 30 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission an amended plan of reorganization for Utilities Power & Light Corp. of which it is the principle bondholder. The Commission ordered reopening of hearings on the amended reorganization plan for July 10.

The new plan amends the older proposal so as to provide in substance that a scheme of integration under Section 11 (E)5 of the holding company act shall be filed with the Commission by the new company contemplated by the reorganization plan.

The plan also provides that Interstate Power Co., Central States Utilities Corp. and Central States Power & Light Corp. (subsidiaries of Utilities Power & Light Corp., debtor), shall join in such plan of integration; that such plan of integration shall contain certain provisions more fully set forth in such amendment for the enforcement of such plan of integration; including provisions with respect to the appointment of a trustee) in the event such plan of integration shall not be consummated within two years from the date of filing thereof, plus such extensions of time as the Commission may grant.

Provisions are added to Article II of the plan "whereby all holders of outstanding debentures and allowed claims against the debtor other than Atlas Corp. and its subsidiaries may elect to take (a) in lieu of any or all shares of new common stock which they are entitled to receive under the plan, I share of new preferred instead of each \$1-3\$ shares of new common stock which they are entitled to receive under the plan, I share of new preferred instead of each \$1-3\$ shares of new common stock which they are entitled to receive under the share of new preferred stock;

"And whereby at the expiration of the time fixed for the exercise of such rights of election, Atlas Corp. and its subsidiaries shall have like right of election except that they shall exercise such rights in such a manner and to such extent that the initial capital

by it in reorganization, until all such debentures shall have been retired; thereafter the new company shall set aside 30% of the net proceeds received by it from any such sales in a sinking fund to be applied to the retirement of its preferred stock;

"(C) That the initial board of directors of the new company shall consist of nine or seven members (such number to be determined by Atas Corp. prior to the final confirmation of the plan by the court) of whom two members shall be chosen by holders of the outstanding shares of preferred stock of the debtor, with the right to vote cumulatively, and of whom the remaining members shall be chosen by holders of outstanding debentures of the debtor, with the right to vote cumulatively;

That in subsequent elections of directors, the preferred stock of the new company shall be entitled to elect two members voting as a class, the remaining members to be elected by the holders of the common stock of the new company, voting as a class, with the right of cumulative voting within each class; except that whenever there shall be dividends of \$1.87½ accumulated and unpaid on any shares of the preferred, the holders of such stock as a class shall be entitled to elect two-thirds of the directors until all arrears are paid (such right, however, not to accure until after the first dividend payment date next succeeding one year from the date from which dividends on such preferred stock shall be cumulative).

"That the common stock to be issued by the new company shall have a par value of \$4 a share.

"That no dividend shall be declared or paid on the common stock of the new company unless after the payment of such dividend the capital and surplus of the new company shall be at least equal to \$100 a share of the outstanding preferred stock of the new company, and the surplus of the new company shall be at least equal to \$100 a share of the outstanding preferred stock for the new company, and the surplus of the new company shall be at least equal to \$100 a share of the outstanding pref

Ventures, Ltd.—To Pay Five-Cent Dividend—
Director have declared a dividend of five cent per share on the common stock, payable July 29 to holders of record July 18. A dividend of 10 cents was paid on Jan. 4, 1939 and one of 12½ cents per share was distributed on July 5, 1938.—V. 144, p. 4030.

Virginia Coal & Iron Co.—Extra Dividend—
Directors have declared an extra dividend of 50 cents per share in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents per share on the common stock. The extra dividend will be paid on July 10 to holders of record June 29 and the regular quarterly distribution will be made on Sept. 1 to holders of record Aug. 21. An extra dividend of \$1.25 per share was paid on Dec. 24, last, and extras of 75 cents per share were paid on Nov. 15, 1937, Nov. 14, 1936.—V. 148, p. 136.

Virginia Electric & Power Co.—Earnings—

12 Months Ended May 31—

Operating revenues.

\*\*Balance after operation, maintenance and taxes—7,742,165—7,118,705

\*\*Balance for dividends and surplus—3,709,019—3,322,359

\*\*Includes non-operating income (net).

y After appropriations for retirement reserve.—V. 148, p. 3547.

## Wagner Baking Corp.—Earnings-

24 Weeks Ended June 17— 1939 1938

x Net profit \$45,756 loss\$41,437

x After depreciation, Federal income and capital stock taxes and other deductions.—V. 148, p. 1344.

Washington Water Power Co.—Selling Group Terminated White, Weld & Co., as head of the banking group which offered \$22,000,-000 first mortgage bonds, 3½% series due 1964, on June 28 announced that the selling group has been terminated.—V. 149, p. 126.

Wayne Pump Co. (& Subs.)-Earnings-

6 Months Ended May 31— Profit after all charges, except Federal income tax— Credit in 1938 period due to adjustments for	1939 \$484,210	1938 \$525,934
Indiana gross income tax on interstate sales	en in ege days. The <b></b>	67,236
Profit after all charges, except Federal inc. tax	\$484,210 75,000	\$593,170 x68,000
Net profit for the periodx Does not include undistributed profits tax which	\$409,210 h was not de	\$525,170 eterminable

until the end of the fiscal year.—V. 148, p. 3859.

Western Maryland Ry.—Earnings—

—Week End. June 30— Jan. 1 to June 30—
1939 1938 1939 1938

Gross earnings (est.).... \$379,205 \$307,274 \$7,081,802 \$6,422,892

—V. 149, p. 127.

#### Wesson Oil & Snowdrift Co., Inc. (& Subs.)—Earnings 9 Mos. End. May 31— 1939 1938 1937 1936 Net sales 38,346.822 \$47,452.906 \$48,405.940 \$47,163.757 Cost of sales 38,655,678 43,877,423 43,312.901 44,055,930 Deprec. & amortization 571.938 622,325 612,402 594,679 Operating profit\_\_\_\_loss\$880,794 Other income\_\_\_\_\_141,449 \$2,953,158 193,183 \$4,480,637 209,614 \$2,513,148 130,507 Total income \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 122,799 Interest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 122,799 Federal taxes \_\_\_\_\_\_ 91,480 \$3,146,341 50,558 649,152 \$4,690,251 60,462 913,758 \$2,643,655 21,947 482,655 Net profit\_\_\_\_\_loss\$953,623 Preferred dividends\_\_\_\_ 876,700 Common dividends\_\_\_\_ 510,238 \$2,446,631 878,700 1,086,000 \$3,716,031 885,910 1,461,767 \$2,139.053 886,965 878,121 Surplus\_\_\_\_\_def\$2,340,561 Shs. com. stk. (no par)\_ 579,200 Earnings per share\_\_\_\_ Nil

Cons	olidated Bai	lance Sheet May 31	
1939	1938	1939	1938
Assets— \$	\$	Liabilities— \$	8
y Real est., plant, equip., &c., less		x Capital stock20,571,786 Res. for idle plant	20,571,786
depreciation13,926,506	10,686,716	expenses 565,937	780.897
Inv. in & advs. to		Accounts payable	,
affiliated cos 534,155	175,674	& accrd. liabils_ 1,471,185	1.759.204
Inv. in co.'s own		Due affiliated cos. 45,694	
conv. pref. stock z474,111	460,972	Pref. and common	.,
Cash in banks in		divs. payable 72.891	654.300
liquidation 192,125	197,212	Res. for Fed. tax 431,650	1,032,637
Co.'s common stk.	4 25 HT.	Purch. money note	
held for employ's a245,411	389,501		42,500
Cash4,717,002	4,692,842	Bank loans 10,590,000	5,000,000
U. S. Govt. bonds	140,000	Reserve for insur-	7,000,000
Inventories 25,743,283	24,637,243		761,900
Accts. & bills rec 3,751,420	3,669,789	Paid-in surplus 3,200,000	3,200,000
Miscell, investm'ts 130,335		Capital surplus 5.239.904	6,237,465
Loans & advances_ 1,710,920	1,704,359	Earned surplus 9,125,344	8,051,551
Cash value life ins. 374,811	348,391		
Prepaid expenses 318,712	360.638		

Total.....52,118,791 48,099,432 Total... ----52,118,791 48,099,432 x Represented by 300,000 shares \$4 convertible pref. stock and 600,000 shares no par common stock. y After reserve for depreciation of \$10,-281,042 in 1939 and \$10,907.692 in 1938. z Represented by 7,900 shares at cost. a Represented by 16,871 shs. at cost.—V. 148, p. 2137.

West Penn Power Co.—Underwriters—
W. C. Langley & Co. will head a group of three underwriters for the 297,077 shares of 4½% cumulative preferred stock (\$100 par) according to amendment to the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The other underwriters are Bonbright & Co., Inc., and the First Boston Corp.—V. 149, p. 126.

#### Western Public Service Co. (& Subs.)—Earnings-

Operating reneed May 31— 1938 1938
Operating reveneues—\$2,174,887 \$2,226,024
Balance after operation, maintenance and taxes—749,470 764,221
Balance for dividends and surplus—175,083 191,914

x Includes non-operating income (net). y After appropriations for retirement reserve.—V. 148, p. 3548.

#### Wheeling & Lake Erie Ry .- Bonds Authorized-

Wheeling & Lake Erie Ry.—Bonds Authorized—

The Interstate Commerce Commission on June 23 authorized the company to issue not exceeding \$2.188.000 refunding-mortgage.serial 2½% bonds, series F, and \$5.250,000 of refunding-mortgage.serial 2½% bonds, series F, to be sold at par and accrued interest, and the proceeds used to redeem \$7.438.000 of refunding mortgage bonds, series D.

The report of the commission says in part:

The proposed series E bonds and the series F bonds will constitute new series, and will be issued under and pursuant to, and will be secured by, the refunding mortgage mentioned and a proposed second supplemental indenture to be dated as of June 15, 1939. The series E bonds will be limited to \$2.188.000, will be dated June 15, 1939, will originally be coupon bonds, registerable as to principal, will be exchangeable for other coupon bonds, registerable as to principal, will be exchangeable for other coupon bonds in the denom. of \$1.000, will bear interest at the rate of 2½% per annum, payable June 15 and Dec. 15, will be subordinate in lien to the series F bonds and to any future series of bonds issued under the refunding mortgage and any supplements thereto, except any future series of bonds authenticated and delivered to refund directly or indirectly any of the series E bonds, will be redeemable upon not less than 30 days' notice at any time in whole or in part, but not less than the entire amount of each maturity may be redeemed, and if less than all the bonds are redeemed they are to be redeemable in the inverse order of each maturity at par and accrued interest, and will mature serially semi-annually on Dec. 15 and June 15 as follows: \$100,000 on Dec. 15, 1939, and on June 15 and Dec. 15 of each year thereafter to and incl. June 15, 1942; \$105,000 on Dec. 15, 1944; \$110,000 on Dec. 15, 1944, and June 15, 1945; \$112,000 on Dec. 15, 1944, and June 15, 1945, and June 15, 1946, and June 15, 1946, and June 15, 1948, and as registered bonds without coupons in the denom. of \$1,000, dated June 15,

bonds, with the unpaid appurtenant coupons attached, taken at their principal amount, or cash, or both bonds and cash, totaling on Nov. 1, 1949, the sum of \$121.000, and on each successive semi-annual payment date thereafter and on or before May 1, 1965, a sum of \$2,000 more than the sum payable on the semi-annual payment date immediately preceding, and on Nov. 1, 1965, the sum of \$176,000, each each case out of the applicant's net income for the calendar year ending on Dec. 31 next preceding. The obligation to make such payments to the sinking fund will be cumulative and will be payable in succeeding years if payment is not made in full in any year by reason of insufficient net income during the preceding year or years, before payment of any dividends may be made to the applicant's shareholders. If the net income is not sufficient for the payment of the full amount of the sinking fund, the payment of cash or the delivery of bonds, or both, is to be to the extent of the amount of net income, but the applicant may at its option make payment of deficiencies from other available sources. All series-F bonds redeemed by the operation of the sinking fund payment, together with all unmatured coupons attached thereto, will immediately be canceled by the trustee on account of any sinking fund payment, together with all unmatured coupons attached thereto, will immediately be canceled by the trustee, and no bonds will be authenticated and delivered in lieu thereof.

The principal of the the interest on the series-E bonds and the series-F bonds will be payable in such coin or currency as at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts in the United States.

The series-E bonds have been sold to the Union Trust Co. of Pittsburgh the the series-F bonds have been sold to the Mellon Securities Corp., at par and accrued int. in each case. The proceeds, together with additional cash which the applicant has available or will make available by means of short-term bank loans, will enable it to rede

Net earnings\_\_\_\_\_\$227,299 -V. 148, p. 3704. \$211,567 \$1,317,956 \$1.209,825

Wisconsin Gas & Electric Co.—Registers with SEC-See list given on first page of this department.—V. 149, p. 128.

x Net profit \$56,929 loss\$26,429 \$237,050 \$260,961 \$200,961 \$ X After interest, depreciation, depletion and normal Federal income taxes. y On capital stock.—V. 148, p. 3398.

Wrought Iron Co.—Name Changed— See Lebanon Steel & Iron Co. above.—V. 144, p. 2851.

# The Commercial Markets and the Crops

COTTON-SUGAR-COFFEE-GRAIN

PROVISIONS-RUBBER-HIDES-DRY GOODS-WOOL-ETC.

#### COMMERCIAL EPITOME

Friday Night, July 7, 1939.

Coffee On the 3d inst. futures closed 20 to 9 points net higher for the Santos contract, with sales totaling 45 lots. The market's strength today was ascribed largely to the bullish weather reports from Brazil, where there was a recurrence of frost and low minimum temperatures at the five reporting stations of that country. Both Rio contracts were quiet, with one sale in each. The old Rio contract closed 8 to 5 points higher and the new Rio 7 to 9 points higher. The Havre market closed 2 to 21/4 francs lower, and the dollar rate in Brazil was up 20 reis at 19.930 milreis to the dollar. On the 5th inst. futures closed 1 point down to 1 point up. Transactions totaled 15 lots. Trading in coffee futures was dull. The only sales up to early afternoon were in the May Santos contract, which sold at 6.08c., off 4 points. Actuals were quiet and unchanged, with Manizales quoted at 121/2c. a pound. The Brazilian milreis was 60 reis better at 19.87 to the dollar. In Havre futures were 21/4 to 21/2 francs higher, with trading yesterday at the high figure of 22,500

On the 6th inst. futures closed 13 to 7 points net lower for the Santos contract, with sales totaling 68 lots. Trading in the Rio contract was restricted to July, which was 11 points lower at 4.03c. as the notices passed from hand to hand. Gains of 2 to 23/4 francs in the Havre market were ignored here. In Brazil milreis exchange improved to 19.86 to the dollar. Spot No. 7 Rio coffees were 100 reis higher at 13.7 milreis per 10 kilos. The coffee market appeared to be dominated by the circulation of four Santos notices and two A contract notices, the latter covering coffee from Ecuador. Early in the afternoon Santos contracts were unchanged to 7 points lower, with spot July off 7 points, at 5.83c. Today futures closed 6 points net higher for the Santos contract, with sales totaling 52 lots. Coffee futures rallied a few points on buying reported to have come from firms usually acting for Brazilian interests. In early afternoon March was selling at 6.07c., up 5 points. Sales to that time totaled 12,000 Havre futures were  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  francs lower. terday Havre advanced while New York sold off. Milreis exchange improved 10 reis to 19.85 to the dollar. In Rio de

Janeiro spot 7s were 100 reis lower. Brazilian coffee belt weather was reported as "fine" with minimum temperatures of 44 to 50 degrees. Actuals were steady.

Rio coffee prices closed as follows:

 

 July
 4.05 | December
 4.15

 September
 4.13 | March
 4.15

 Santos coffee prices closed as follows:

 July
 5.83
 March

 September
 5.93
 May

 December
 6.02

Cocoa-On the 3d inst. futures closed 4 to 6 points net lower. The opening range was 2 to 5 points net lower. Trading was light, with the market ruling within a very narrow range on hedge selling and liquidation. One large manufacturer was reported as the principal buyer. Sales totaled 64 lots, equal to 858 tons. The London actual market was unchanged to 11/2d. off, while the terminal cocoa market ruled 3 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$ d. lower, with 1,010 tons sold. Local closing: July, 4.09; Sept., 4.42; Dec., 4.26; March, 4.41. On the 5th inst. futures closed 3 points net lower. Transactions totaled 134 lots. Scattered liquidation in cocoa futures caused the market to slip off 2 to 4 points. During early afternoon September sold at 4.08c., off 4 points. Up to that time no July had been traded. Sales then totaled 95 lots. Warehouse stocks of cocoa decreased 1,800 bags over the holiday. They total 1,414,506 bags. A year ago the stocks amounted to 675,387 bags. A cable from Accra reported that exports of cocoa from the Gold Coast during June had reached 11,514 tons. A year ago, when the holding movement broke up, exports for the month amounted to 40,150 tons. Local closing: Sept., 4.09; Dec., 4.23; Jan., 4.28; March, 4.38; May, 4.48; July, 4.58.

On the 6th inst. futures closed 1 point up to 2 points lower. Transactions totaled 177 lots. Further scattered liquidation and selling of hedges by Brazil had a depressing effect on the cocoa futures market, forcing some positions down to new lows for the year. December went to 4.20 compared with a previous low of 4.21c. However, July this afternoon stood 1 point net higher at 4.04c. Sales to early afternoon totaled 125 lots. Warehouse stocks were unchanged overnight. They total 1,414,506 bags compared with 676,270 bags a year ago. Local closing: July, 4.04; Sept., 4.09; Dec., 4.22; Mar., 4.36; May, 4.46. Today futures closed 5 to 2 points net higher, with sales totaling 89 lots. Cocoa futures rallied under a little new speculative demand which found offerings limited. July this afternoon advanced 4 points to 4.08c. Sales to that time totaled only 54 lots. Warehouse stocks decreased 800 bags. They now total 1,413,774 bags, whereas a year ago stocks amounted to only 676,270 bags. Imports of cocoa during May totaled 64,710,606 bags compared with 71,796,294 bags in April. Imports during May last year were only 12,981,704 bags. Local closing: July, 4.09; Sept., 4.12; Dec., 4.25; Mar., 4.39; May, 4.49; July, 4.58.

Sugar-On the 3d. inst domestic futures closed unchanged The market was very quiet, with only six lots traded in domestic futures. These sales were all in Septem-Cheapest offerings in the raw market on Monday were Philippines for July-August shipment at 2.93c., but bids of 2.92c. would have been accepted. Refiners generally were interested at 2.90c. The world sugar contract closed ½ point lower to 1 point higher, with transactions totaling only six lots, all of which were in September at 1.27c. down to 1.25c. The London market was quiet also. Sellers of raws there were asking 8s. 4½d., equal to 1.55½c. f.o.b. Cuba for prompt shipments and 8s., equal to 1.47½c. for August shipments. Futures there were unchanged to ½d. higher. On the 5th inst. futures closed unchanged to 1 point higher for the domestic crop, with sales totaling 260 The world sugar contract closed 3 to 21/2 points down, with sales totaling 52 lots. Irregularity marked the sugar markets. Declines were ascribed to the lessening of European political tension and to word that the International Sugar Council would reallocate Russia's additional quota if the Soviets should not use it. Up to early afternoon trans-actions totaled about 2,000 tons. London futures were 2 to 3d. lower on all except July, which was 9d. lower on the bid price. The domestic sugar futures market was unchanged to 1 point higher in featureless trading. September, in which about 4,000 tons were done in the first three hours, sold at 1.09. Nothing was reported done in raws. Puerto Ricos and Philippines for July-August shipment were offered at 2.95c. Refined sugar was reported moving in good vol-A price change is momentarily expected.

On the 6th inst. futures closed 1 point up to unchanged for the domestic contract, with sales totaling 77 lots. The world sugar contract closed 6 to 3 points net higher, with sales totaling 71 lots. The sugar markets were strong today. Domestic contracts moved into new high ground for the current upswing when light buying found the market bare of offerings. During early afternoon September showed a net gain of 2 points. An advance of 3 points in the spot raw sugar price to 2.93c. late yesterday and overnight news that the President of Cuba would ask Congress to approve a measure aimed at liquidating the Warren Bros. debt, were favorable to the market. Today raw sugar was offered at 2.95c. for July and July-August shipment. In the meanwhile refined sugar was reported moving briskly. In the world sugar market trading was restricted mostly to September where covering brought an advance of 4 points to 1.26c. on about 2,750 tons. In London futures were 1/4d. lower to ½d. higher. Raws were reported to have sold at the equivalent of 1.47½c. a pound f.o.b. Cuba. futures closed 4 points lower, with sales totaling 199 lots in the domestic contract. Only 12 lots were sold in the world sugar contract. Cuban selling and scattered evening up because of approaching week-end holidays sent domestic sugar futures off about a point in the early afternoon. The raw market was at a standstill. Last sales were made at 2.93c., but most offers are at 2.95c. The refined situation remained unchanged. Day to day business is moving in substantial volume, but refiners have not taken any steps to stimulate buying. In the world sugar market prices were 1 point lower, with most of the trading restricted to the September position. During early afternoon that month was The London futures market was irregular, selling at 1.25c. 13/4d. lower to 1/4d. higher. Nearby months which are at a premium, suffered the most. The market still was without news regarding the third year quota negotiations.

Prices closed as follows:

July1	.91	March1.93
September	.9:1	May 1 00
January1	.91	1.39

#### Java Sugar Exports During May Increased 28,539 Tons Above Year Ago, According to B. W. Dyer & Co.

Exports of sugar from Java during the month of May, 1939 amounted to 94,288 long tons, according to B. W. Dyer & Co., sugar economists and brokers, an increase of 28,539 tons compared with the same month a year ago. During the first two months of their crop year (running from April, 1939 to March, 1940) exports were 175,758 tons compared with 128,998 tons during the corresponding period last year, an increase of 46,760 tons. The firm's announcement added:

According to advices received by the Dyer firm, production for the present crop is estimated at 1,515,000 long tons compared with 1,376,824 tons produced during the 1938-39 campaign. During the months of April and May, 1939, production amounted to 165,100 tons, an increase of 53,318 tons compared with the corresponding months of 1938.

Sugar stocks in Java on June 1, 1939 were 140,836 tons, the comparative figure for 1938 being 240,724 tons.

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On the 3d inst. futures closed 2 to 7 points net higher. The market started off fairly well for the beginning of the week and apparently ignored the bearish Chicago lard stocks report, which showed that supplies of lard there increased 6,078,114 pounds during the last half of June and for the entire month stocks increased 10,025,595 pounds. Trade interests were expecting an increase in the neighborhood of 10,000,000 pounds. England was reported to be an active buyer of American lard today. Export shipments of lard as reported on Saturday from the Port of New York were light and only amounted to 9,000 pounds, destined for Southampton. Liverpool lard futures today were unchanged to 3d. lower. Chicago hog prices closed 10c. higher. Western receipts totaled 60,000 head against a holiday for the same day a year ago. Sales ranged from \$6 to \$7.55. On the 5th inst. futures closed 5 to 7 points net higher. Trading was rather light after the holiday. However, prices held firm throughout most of the session, closing at about the highs of the day. Export clearances of lard from the Port of New York totaled 472,500 pounds, destined for Liverpool and London. Liverpool lard futures were unchanged from the previous day's finals. Chicago hog prices were steady and sales were reported during the day at prices ranging from \$6.75 to \$7.55. The late top price was \$7.55, unchanged from Monday's top. Western hog marketings were quite heavy and totaled 57,400 head, against 50,100 head for the same day a year ago. light and only amounted to 9,000 pounds, destined for

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On the 6th inst. futures closed 2 points up to 2 points off. The opening range was 2 points either way. Trading was light and without particular feature. Lard exports from the Port of New York were 34,830 pounds, destined for Hull and Aberdeen. Lard stocks at six of the leading Western markets showed an increase of 8,511,000 pounds in June. Liverpool lard futures closed 3d. higher. Chicago hog prices closed 10 to 15c. lower today, the late top price being \$8.45, with sales generally ranging from \$5.85 to \$7.40. Western hog marketings were quite heavy and totaled 70,400 head, against 51,200 head for the same day a year ago. Today futures closed 8 to 3 points net lower. Trading was light and without particular feature.

DALLY CLOSING PRICES OF LARD FUTURES IN CHICAGO

Sat. Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Frt.

July 5.70 5.90 5.92 0 6.00 6.00 5.92

October 5.90 5.92 0 6.00 6.00 5.92

October 5.90 5.92 0 6.00 6.05 5.97

December 6.05 6.10 6.15 6.15

January 6.07 6.12 6.17 6.15 6.12

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Pork—(Export), mess, \$19.12½ per barrel (per 200 pounds); family (40-50 pieces to barrel), \$17.50 per barrel. Beef: (export), steady. Family (export), \$22 per barrel (200 pounds), nominal. Cut meats: pickled hams: picnic, loose, c. a. f.—4 to 6 lbs., 13½c.; 6 to 8 lbs., 12½c.; 8 to 10 lbs., 11¼c. Skinned, loose, c. a. f.—14 to 16 lbs., 18½c.; 18 to 20 lbs., 16¾c. Bellies: clear, f. o. b. New York—6 to 8 lbs., 14¼c.; 8 to 10 lbs., 13¾c.; 10 to 12 lbs., 11¼c. Bellies: clear, dry salted, boxed, N. Y.—16 to 18 lbs., 8½c.; 18 to 20 lbs., 8½c.; 20 to 25 lbs., 8c.; 25 to 30 lbs., 7½c.; 18 to 20 lbs., 8½c.; 20 to 25 lbs., 8c.; 25 to 30 lbs., 7½c. Butter: creamery, firsts to higher than extra and premium marks: 22½ to 23¾c. Cheese: State, held '38, 16½ to 19c. Eggs: mixed colors, checks to special packs: 14¼ to 18¾c.

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Oils—Linseed oil business is reported as quiet, since buyers are inclined to mark time waiting the Government's crop report next week. Linseed oil in tank cars is quoted 8.5 to 8.7c. Quotations: China wood: nearby, drums—21 to 24c. Coconut: crude, Pacific Coast, spot—0.2¾c. bid. Corn: crude, West, tank, nearby—0.5½ to .05½. Olive: Denatured, drums, carlots, shipments—80 to 81c.; spot—82 to 83c. Soy bean: crude, tanks, West—0.4½c. bid; L. C. L. N. Y.—067 to .068. Edible: coconut: 76 degrees—9½c. Lard: Ex. winter prime—8½c. offer. Cod: crude, Norwegian, light filtered—29½c. offer. Turpentine: 30 to 32c. Rosins: \$4.75 to \$7.65.

Rubber—On the 3d inst. futures closed 8 points lower to 3 points higher. Transactions totaled only 170 tons. Activity was confined largely to the September delivery. The outside market also was quiet. Spot standard No. 1 ribbed smoked sheets in the trade declined 1-16c. to 16 7-16c. Stocks of crude rubber in England for the week ended July 1 was reported at 63,610 tons, an increase of 237 tons over the previous week. Local closing: July, 16.30; Sept., 16.31;

Dec., 16.38; Jan., 16.39. On the 5th inst. futures closed 1 to 5 points net higher. Transactions totaled 76 lots. Prices on the rubber futures market were steady on moderate sales which amounted to 390 tons up to early afternoon. Foreign cables were unchanged to 1-32d. lower. During early afternoon September contracts stood at 16.35c. and December at 16.40c., up 4 to 2 points, respectively. Statistics on rubber production and shipments were hailed as favorable to the bull side of the market. Local closing: July, 16.33; Sept., 16.33; Dec., 16.39; March, 16.43; May, 16.48.

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On the 6th inst. futures closed 2 to 5 points net higher. Sales totaled 155 lots. Rubber futures were steady. Factory buying of the Dec. position was reported with dealers supplying the contracts. Trading was rather light, totaling only 940 tons to early afternoon. At that time Sept. stood at 16.40c., up 7 points, and Dec. at 16.45c., up 6 points. London was quiet and steady, unchanged to 1-16d. lower. Singapore closed unchanged to 1-32d higher. Local closing: July, 16.35; Sept., 16.38; Dec., 16.43; Mar., 16.48; May, 16.50. Today futures closed 1 to 4 points net lower. Transactions totaled 175 lots. Rubber prices were firm with 16.50. Today futures closed 1 to 4 points net lower. Transactions totaled 175 lots. Rubber prices were firm with trading developing increased activity. Sept. this afternoon stood at 16.42c., up 4 points, and Dec. at 16.46, up 3 points. Sales to that time totaled 1,050 tons. Factory interest in the market was reported. The London market closed unchanged to 1-32d higher. It was estimated that United Kingdom rubber stocks had decreased 1,150 tons during the last week. Singapore was steady. Local closing: July, 16.31; Sept., 16.36; Dec., 16.42; Mar., 16.45; May, 16.49.

Hides—On the 3d inst. futures closed 12 to 15 points net higher. Transactions totaled 440,000 pounds. The opening range was unchanged to 5 points higher. The market held steady to firm, though transactions were relatively light. Certificated stocks of hides in warehouses licensed by the Exchange increased by 5,584 hides to a total of 1,401,530 hides. No sales were reported in the domestic spot hide market during the day. Local closing: Sept., 11.07; Dec., 11.35; March, 11.60; June, 11.87. On the 5th inst. futures closed unchanged to 1 point higher. Transactions totaled 44 lots. Local and commission house buying done in sympathy with the improved stock market caused hide futures to rally 5 to 13 points. During early afternoon September stood at 11.15c. and December at 11.40c. on sales of 880,000 pounds. No spot hide sales were reported over the holiday pounds. No spot hide sales were reported over the holiday but trade advices indicated that the Argentine market was somewhat easier. Local closing: Sept., 11.08; Dec., 11.35;

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On the 6th inst. futures closed 2 points down to 2 points net higher for new contracts, with sales totaling 41 lots. Raw hide futures were steady in somewhat more active trading than yesterday. Sales to early afternoon totaled 1,360,000 pounds. Lack of activity in the domestic spot market was reflected in futures. During early afternoon Sept. stood at 11.10c., up 2 points. Sales in the Argentine market yesterday were unusually large, but prices were easier. Local closing: new contracts: Sept., 11.06; Dec., 11.37; Mar., 11.63; Today futures closed 1 point up to 3 points off. Transactions totaled 29 lots. Interest in hide futures was at a low ebb, sales to early afternoon totaling only 240,000 pounds. The undertone was easy with Dec. selling at 11.35c., off 2 points. Certificated stocks of hides in licensed warehouses stand at 1,401,392 hides, while certification is pending for 57,898 hides, making a potential supply of 1,459,428 hides. A year ago certificated stocks amounted to only 806,829 hides. Local closing: Sept., 11.07; Dec., 11.35; Mar., 11.61; June, 11.86.

Ocean Freights—Chartering interest was not very active in most branches of the freight market due largely to the holiday. However, several vessels were closed for grain. Charters included: St. Lawrence to United Kingdom-Continent, July-August, basis 2s. 9d. St. Lawrence to United Kingdom-Continent, July, basis, 2s. 9d. Another steamer, the same details. Part cargo, St. Lawrence to United Kingdom-Continent, July, basis, 2s. 9d. Two loads, Montreal to Rotterdam, prompt, 14e. Scrap: Atlantic range to United Kingdom, July, 18s. North Atlantic range to Gdynia, July, 20s. 6d. North Atlantic to West Italy, July, \$5.50. Gulf to Japan, July, 20s. 3d., option Havana and Gulf loading at 20s. 9d. Grain: Gulf to United Kingdom-Continent, July 15-27, basis, 3s. 3d. Ocean Freights-Chartering interest was not very active

coal—The situation in anthracite is reported as more cuiet. The bituminous situation is also reported as more constitution. The situation in anthracite is reported as still very quiet. The bituminous situation is also reported as more or less unsettled. Hearings are scheduled to begin July 24 on the highly complex schedule of minimum prices for bituminous coal prepared by the National Bituminous Coal Commission, whose functions were taken over last Saturday by the Department of the Interior. Under this schedule some 500,000 individual prices are to be set, based upon computed average cost of production of different types of coal in the numerous producing areas. As concerns anthracite, prices quoted by the many companies have drifted slightly lower, ranging from \$4.25 to \$4.75 per ton for egg, stove and nut at tidewater. Pea coal is being offered at \$3.90 per ton at tidewater. Many mines in the Pennsylvania hard coal districts have closed down, finding it inadvisable to operate at the current low prices and because of the existing surpluses at the mines. Price competition among the operators here is still quite evident. Production

of coal has been declining gradually for the past four or five

Wool—In spite of the rather prolonged holiday, wool prices held steady. While there is no urgent demand on the part of mills, wool consumption continues considerably higher than last year, and this has been noted in each of the first five months of the current year. In view of this steady demand, some substantial manufacturer buying is looked for in the near future by most dealers. It is reported that original bag territory wools are more difficult to sell than in the early part of June and within the past few days have moved somewhat in the buyers' favor. Good Class 3 wools seem pegged for the time being at 65c. Dealers are quoting 65 to 66c. for French combing, original bag, and 62 to 64c. for average to short French combing. Some mill bids are in the market about 2c. below these asking prices. Graded territory wools weakened slightly near the close of June, it is said. It is pointed out that wools have opened the second half of 1939 in a fair recovery from the low average of the year made in February. During the past couple of weeks the rise has halted in Texas and territory wools, while the fleece and pulled wools have maintained their position and still evince a tendency to move upward. In spite of the rather prolonged holiday, wool steady. While there is no urgent demand on the Wool still evince a tendency to move upward.

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Silk—On the 3d inst. futures closed 3½ to 8c. net higher for the No. 1 contract. The market's strength was attributed largely to the decidedly bullish picture presented by the monthly statistics. Despite the fact that most of the uptown trade was away, the volume ran fairly high. Sales totaled 1,120 bales on the No. 1 contract. There were no transactions recorded in the No. 2 contract. Futures at Yokohama were 19 to 31 yen higher, while at Kobe they were 20 to 24 yen higher. Grade D closed at 1,195 yen in both markets, advancing 20 yen in Yokohama and 15 yen in Kobe. All prices are compared with Friday's closing quotations. Spot sales on Monday in both Japanese centers amounted to 475 bales, while the futures transactions equaled 4,875 bales. Local closing: Contract No. 1: July, 2.53; Aug., 2.40; Sept., 2.36½; Oct., 2.34½; Nov., 2.29½; Dec., 2.29½; Jan., 2.28½. On the 5th inst. futures closed 1½c. to 5½c. net lower. Trade buying of silk futures rallied the market after it had opened as much as 3c. lower on some positions, but 2½ to 3c. higher on others. Trading was fairly heavy, totaling 630 bales to early afternoon. The price of crack double extra silk in the uptown spot market was unchanged at \$2.57½. The Yokohama Bourse closed 9 yen lower to 3 yen higher, while the price of Grade D silk in the outside market declined 5 yen to 1,200 yen a bale. Local closing: July, 2.50; Aug., 2.38½; Sept., 2.32½; Oct., 2.29; Nov., 2.27½; Dec., 2.26; Jan., 2.23; Feb., 2.21.

On the 6th inst. futures closed 3½c. up to 1c. lower. Transactions totaled 70 lots. The raw silk futures market had a steady undertone this afternoon with active positions ½c. lower to ½c. higher. Sales on the No. 1 contract totaled 340 bales, with no sales on the No. 2. The price of crack double extra silk in the outside market remained unchanged at 1,200 yen a bale. Local closing: No. 1 contracts

June Rayon Shipments Reached 1939 Record High of 32,900,000 Pounds

June rayon yarn shipments were at the exceptionally high level of 32,900,000 pounds, compared with 25,900,000 pounds shipped in May, according to the "Rayon Organon," published by the Textile Economics Bureau, Inc., New York. Rayon shipments in June, 1938 amounted to only 18,100,000 pounds. The Bureau's announcement went on to say:

The increase in shipments from May to June was entirely drawn from producers' stocks, which decreased from 41,500,000 pounds to 32,800,000

producers' stocks, which decreased from 41,500,000 pounds to 32,800,000 pounds at mid-year.

Shipments of rayon yarn for the first half of 1939 have totaled 161,100,000 pounds, which just tops the previous record first half shipments of 160,-500,000 pounds in 1937. This new 1939 record is 62% ahead of the 99,400,-000 pounds shipped in the first six months of 1938.

#### COTTON

Friday Night, July 7, 1939
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 26,363 bales, against 30,001 bales last week and 36,239 bales the previous week, making the total receipts since Aug. 1, 1938, 3,454,453 bales, against 7,089,181 bales for the same period

of 1937-38, showing a decrease since Aug. 1, 1937, of 3,634,-728 bales.

Receipts at-	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Total
Galveston Houston Corpus Christi	1,458 621	2,584 410	-332	2,521	354 1,189	35 4,944	6,952 7,496
New Orleans Mobile Pensacola, &c	120	$1,076 \\ 594$	2,496	====	3,126 593 244	531 877	7,229 2,184 244
Savannah Norfolk Baltimore	75 75		===	$\begin{array}{c} \bar{1}\bar{5}\bar{0} \\ 20 \\ \end{array}$	74	14 1,891	174 183 1,891
Totals this week	2.281	4.691	2.828	2.691	5.580	8,592	26,363

The following table shows the week's total receipts, the total since Aug. 1, 1938, and the stocks tonight, compared with last year:

Receipts to	193	38-39	19	37-38	Sto	ck
July 7	This Week	Since Aug 1 1938	This Week	Since Aug 1 1937	1939	1938
Galveston Houston Corpus Christi Beaumont New Orleans Mobile Pensacola, &c Jacksonville Savannah Charleston Lake Charles Wilmington Norfolk New York		16,678 853,654 69,885	3,569 413	11,847 2,119,225 220,064 77,954 3,615 134,180 197,215 78,981 28,489	469,688 544,383 42,899 31,778 406,227 40,647 3,682 1,343 142,695 30,797 5,419 9,065 27,107	649,133 675,848 40,145 16,761 664,401 53,184 6,463 2,349 146,870 40,259 12,299 22,276 27,912
Boston Baltimore	1,891	28,071	$\frac{1}{94}$	26,621	1,193 1,175	3,473 1,075
Totals	26,363	3,454,453	17,684	7,089,181	1.758,198	2.362.548

In order that comparison may be made with other years, we give below the totals at leading ports for six seasons:

Receipts at-	1938-39	1937-38	1936-37	1935-36	1934-35	1933-34
Galveston Houston New Orleans Mobile Savannah Charleston Wilmington Norfolk All others	6,952 7,496 7,229 2,184 174  183 2,145	2,921 3,569 7,122 1,292 387 1,585 27 263 518	6,940 1,712 1,451	4,656 359 1,789 646 3	4,556 3,481 2,635 102	9,524 3,647
Total this wk_	26,363	17,684	17,159	13,381	13,918	34,622
Since Aug. 1	3,454,453	7.089.181	6.264.404	6.699.012	4.018.184	7 327 042

The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 27,441 bales, of which 4,642 were to Great Britain, 1,720 to France, 4,741 to Germany, 7,047 to Italy, 100 to Japan, and 9,191 to other destinations. In the corresponding week last year total exports were 44,039 bales. For the season to date aggregate exports have been 3,257,510 bales, against 5,552,767 bales in the same period of the previous season. Below are the exports for the week.

Week Ended	Exports to—								
July 7, 1939 Exports from—	Great Britain	France	Get- many	Italy	Japan	China	Other	Total	
Galveston Houston New Orleans Mobile Sayannah	602 1,710 2,330	785 35 900	994 3,420 222 105	2,433 3,091 1,523	100 	  	4,712 2,031 2,318 100 30	9,526 10,287 7,393 205 30	
Total	4,642	1,720	4,741	7,047	100		9,191	27,441	
Total 1938	9,013 6,528	1,031 5,149	9,485 4,325	8,418 3,619	6,462 16,820		9,630 6,707	44,039 43,148	

From Aug. 1, 1938 to				Export	ed to—			
July 7, 1939 Exports from—	Great Britain	France	Get- many	Italy	Japan	China	Other	Total
Galveston	69,877		139,301	91,739	286,970	22.768	221,621	932,481
Houston	127,641	86,124	130,005	116,259	209,422		199,493	
Corpus Christi	29,106	63,411	57,561	24,376	24,351	2,171		
Brownsville Beaumont	2,462 173		12,606	1,240			8,791	53,524
New Orleans_	125,303		69,023	65,484	73.611	9.071	866 125,919	
Lake Charles_	10,788	5.192	6,730	1,167	7/54 S200	1.00	12,074	
Mobile	34,955	1,464	11,517	1,066	2,152	728	7,041	
Jacksonville	944		415				61	1,420
Pensacola, &c.	10.645	360	336	295			262	
Savannah	9.778		11,673	468	1,390	7575	915	
Charleston	5,124		5,400	2 1 2 3 3	-,,,,,,	-14	500	
Norfolk	1,088	186	5,331	33		. 4.7.555	850	
Gulfport	511	714	131				155	
New York	331	66	500	179		600		
Boston	177	90	104				4,481	4.852
Baltimore	13	****		500	1 7.55		1,101	513
Philadelphia _		29		200	4 2 6 7 7 7	7777		229
Los Angeles	23,486		6.934	1.936	194,277	5,857	5,330	
San Francisco	16,601		,	-,,,,,	83.984	1,284	1,922	107,586
Seattle								107,580
Total	469,003	395,928	457,567	304,942	876,157	95,639	658,274	3257,510
Total 1937-38			881,826	533,381	658,130	91,381	1033280	5552,767
Total 1936-37	1182,942	715,629	748,150	408,906	1574,986	23,185	718.848	5372.646

NOTE—Exports to Canada—It has never been our practice to include in the above table reports of cotton shipments to Canada, the reason being that virtually all the cotton destined to the Dominion comes over land and it is impossible to give returns concerning the same from week to week, while reports from the customs districts on the Canadian border are always very slow in coming to hand. In view however, of the numerous inquiries we are receiving regarding the matter, we will say that for the month of May the exports to the Dominion the present season have been 24,637 bales. In the corresponding month of the preceding season the exports were 19.779 bales. For the 10 months ended May 31, 1939, there were 163.091 bales exported as against 211,734 bales for the 10 months of 1937-38.

In addition to above exports, our telegrams tonight also give us the following amounts of cotton on shipboard, not cleared, at the ports named:

July 8 at-	(°						
outy out—	Great Britain	France	Ger- many	Other Foreign	Coast- wise	Total	Leaving Stock
Galveston Houston New Orleans Savannah Charleston Mobile Norfolk Other ports	300 229 972  1,065	500  -299 	1,800 1,200 351	4,000 2,093 3,128	2,000 219 1,811 	8,100 4,241 6,262  1,364	461,588 540,142 399,968 142,698 30,797 39,283 27,107 96,654
Total 1939 Total 1938 Total 1937	2,566 9,787 14,443	799 2,726 3,789	3,351 4,300 1,230	9,221 16,598 3,246	4,030 3,427 1,595	36,838	1,738,231 2,325,710 1,094,983

Speculation in cotton for future delivery has been moderately active the past week, with the price trend irregular. Traders show little disposition to operate in a substantial way, especially in view of the prolonged uncertainty concerning legislation on cotton and the almost constant threat of war in Europe. Weather and crop conditions afford little encouragement to speculators on either side of the market.

cerning legislation on cotton and the almost constant threat of war in Europe. Weather and crop conditions afford little encouragement to speculators on either side of the market.

On the 1st inst. prices closed 4 to 5 points net higher. A renewal of trade buying late in the day caused cotton prices to rally moderately today after early slight losses under scattering liquidation. Trading was very light. The opening range was unchanged to 3 points off, and in the early transactions the market sold off to net losses of 4 to 6 points. In addition to July liquidation, there was some Southern offerings and selling by local ring traders and New Orleans sources. Prices touched their best levels for the day in the last few minutes of trading led by spot house buying of December. That month rose to within a point of the 8½c. level. A little week-end covering added to the demand for contracts, but generally there was little disposition to enter into commitments because of European uncertainties. Commodity Credit Corp. reported that growers had repossessed 44,538 bales of cotton from loan stocks last week. This represented the largest weekly repossession figures reported thus far. Southern spot markets on Saturday (today) were unchanged to 5 points higher. On the 3d inst. prices closed 11 to 15 points net higher. The opening range was 1 to 3 points lower in partial response to declines at Liverpool. These were the lowest levels for the day. Offerings throughout the session were light, with comparatively little hedging in evidence and less liquidation following last week's sell-off of about \$1.50 a bale. What little demand there was came principally through trade sources in nearby deliveries. In later months Bombay purchased about 10,000 bales in the March and May positions. This buying was in the face of easiness in the East Indian market. Two private crop estimates pointed to production of 12,000,000 bales or more. A local commission house based its crop indication of 12,000, no more and particle of the provious trading

absorbed fleege offerings. Final prices were 1 to 4 points higher.

On the 6th inst. prices closed 2 points net higher to 3 points net lower. After holding steady throughout the greater part of the day, cotton prices developed a mixed tone this afternoon in a moderate volume of business. Shortly before the end of the trading period the list was 2 points above to 2 points below yesterday's closing levels. At noon the market was 2 to 4 points higher. Futures advanced 2 to 4 points in moderately active trading this morning. Foreign buying and trade price-fixing furnished the principal support, while offerings came from Southern spot firms and ring professionals. There was a small amount of hedge selling in the forward positions. Bombay accounts sold July and October against purchases in March and May. There also was buying in October credited to Liverpool and Continental accounts. In the cototn belt seasonal temperatures prevailed generally, with moderate to fairly heavy rains in many localities from the Mississippi Valley eastward, according to the weekly weather report from Washington.

Today prices closed 9 to 13 points net higher. Prices for cotton futures displayed a firmer tone today in a moderate volume of sales. A short time before the close of

business active positions showed advances of 3 to 7 points above the closing levels of the previous day. Around midabove the closing levels of the previous day. Around midday the market was 3 to 6 points higher. Futures locally followed the irregularities at Liverpool and opened 1 point followed the irregularities at Liverpool and opened 1 point lower to 2 points higher in moderately active trading. Fairly liberal hedge offerings in the new crop months featured the market, with the selling accompanied by some New Orleans liquidation. Trade houses and Liverpool and Far Eastern interests were the best buyers. Ring professionals absorbed small lots in the forward positions. Trade price-fixing, coincident with large Government purchases of textiles, lent support to the nearby deliveries on the Liverpool Exchange, while Bombay interests sold.

The official quotation for middling upland cotton in the New York market each day for the past week has been:

July 1 to July 7—

Sat. Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri.

 July 1 to July 7—
 Sat. Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri.

 Middling upland
 9.71
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 9.82
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Premiums and Discounts for Grade and Staple Premiums and Discounts for Grade and Staple—The table below gives the premiums and discounts for grade and staple in relation to the grade, Basis Middling ½, established for deliveries on contract on July 13, 1939. 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 ½-inch cotton at the 10 markets on July 6:

	1/2 Inch		1 In. & Longer		1/6 Inch	15-16 Inch	1 In. & Longer
White- Mid. Fair St. Good Mid	.56 on		.88 on	St. Mid	.06 off	.09 on	.37 on .22 on
St. Mid Mid		.53 on	.69 on	*St. Low Mid *Low Mid	1.42 off	1.36 off	.42 off 1.32 off 2.10 off
St. Low Mid Low Mid *St. Good Ord.	1.36 off 2.06 off	1.28 off 2.02 off	.27 off 1.24 off 2.01 off	Good Mid St. Mid		.64 off	.30 off .54 off
*Good Ord Extra White— Good Mid	10000		2.59 off .82 on	*Mid *St. Low Mid *Low Mid	2.19 off	2.17 off	1.43 off 2.17 off 2.84 off
St. Mid Mid St. Low Mid	Even	.19 on	.69 on .34 on .27 off	Good Mid			1.00 off 1.60 off
Low Mid *St. Good Ord *Good Ord	1.36 off 2.06 off	1.28 off 2.02 off	1.24 off 2.01 off 2.59 off		2.30 off	1	2.27 off
Cook Ordens				St. Mid		.72 off	.62 off

<sup>\*</sup> Not deliverable on future contract.

New York Quotations for 32 Years
The quotations for middling upland at New York on
July 7 for each of the past 32 years have been as follows:

1939 9.96c. 1931 9.9	5c. 11923 28.05c.	1915 9.35c.
1938 9.04c. 193015.8		
193712.85c. 192918.3		
193613.28c. 192822.8	0c. 1920 41.00c.	191212.45c.
193512.30c. 192717.1	0c. 1919 34.40c.	191114.65c.
193412.10c. 192618.5	5c. 191831.80c.	191015.35c.
1933 10.30c. 1925 24.2		
1932 6.00c. 192429.6	0c. 191613.10c.	190811.20c.
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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.

		Futures	SALES			
e e n	Spot Market Closed	Market Closed	Spot	Contr'ct	Total	
Saturday Monday Tuesday Wednesday.	Nominal HOLI	Steady Steady DAY. Steady	===	-6ōō	-600	
Thursday Friday	Nominal	Steady Very steady	400		400	
Total week. Since Aug. 1			79,155	600 119,900	1,000 199,055	

Futures—The highest, lowest and closing prices at New York for the past week have been as follows:

	Saturday July 1	Monday July 3	Tuesday July 4	Wednesday July 5	Thursday July 6	Friday July 7
July (1939) Range Closing_ Aug.—	9.26- 9.36 9.35 —	9.33- 9.47 9.46- 9.47		9.42- 9.48 9.43	9.43- 9.47 9.45- 9.46	9.47- 9.56 9.56 —
Range Closing _ Sept.— Range	8.69n	8.81n		8.81n	8.82n	8.96n
Closing .	8.73n	8.85n	AL GO	8.85n	8.86n	9.00n
Range Closing _ Nov.— Range	8.57- 8.66 8.65 —	8.63- 8.77 8.77	HOLI-	8.74- 8.84 8.77 —	8.76- 8.81 8.78	8.79- 8.92 8.91- 8.92
Closing _	8.55n	8.69n	DAY.	8.68n	8.68n	8.81n
Range Closing _ Jan.(1940)	8.37- 8.49 8.46 ——	8.44- 8.63 8.61 —	100	8.57- 8.67 8.59 —	8.57- 8.62 8.59 —	8.59- 8.72 8.71- 8.72
Range Closing _ Feb.—	8.27- 8.34 8.35n	8.32- 8.38 8.49n		8.50- 8.54 8.48n	8.46- 8.51 8.48n	8.51- 8.56 8.60n
Range Closing _ Mar.—	8.31n	8.44n		8.43n	8.43n	8.54n
Range Closing _ April— Range	8.17- 8.27 8.27	8.24- 8.42 8.40		8.38- 8.46 8.39 —	8.37- 8.42 8.38 ——	8.37- 8.50 8.49- 8.50
Closing _	8.24n	8.37n		8.35n	8.34n	8.45n
Range Closing_ June—	8.12- 8.21 8.21n	8.20- 8.36 8.34		8.30- 8.41 8.32- 8.33	8.30- 8.35 8.30- 8.31	8.31- 8.43 8.42- 8.43
Range Closing_						

n Nominal.

Range for future prices at New York for the week ended July 7, 1939, and since trading began on each option:

Option for-	Range for Week	Range Since Beginning of Option
Aug. 1939 Sept. 1939 Oct. 1939 Nov. 1939 Dec. 1939 Jan. 1940	9.26 July 1 9.56 July 7 8.57 July 1 8.92 July 7 8.37 July 1 8.72 July 7 8.27 July 1 8.56 July 7	7.46 Apr. 11 1939 8.12 Oct. 3 1938 7.30 Jan. 24 1939 8.50 June 21 1939 7.26 Jan. 10 1939 8.92 July 7 1939 7.49 Feb. 23 1939 7.49 Feb. 23 1939
Feb. 1940 Mar. 1940 Apr. 1940	8.17 July 1 8.50 July 7	
May 1940 June 1940	8.12 July 1 8.43 July 7	7.58 May 22 1939 8.44 June 28 1939

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 hales of 500 lb, gross weight figures are given in bales of 500 lb. gross weight.

New York	June 30	July 1	July 3	July 4	July 5	July 6	Open Contracts July 6
July (1939) October. December January (1940) March. May Inactive months— September (1939) November.	18,100 30,700 25,300 1,300 13,700 31,800	11,800 17,200 800	14,600	HOLI-	9,100 27,700 15,400 1,500 7,400 13,700	10,800 29,800 12,700 600 3,300 11,200	365,400 418,500 54,300 183,300
Total all futures	120,900	50,400	71,100		74,800	68,400	1,401,500
New Orleans	June 28	June 29	June 30	July 1	July 3	July 4	Open Contracts July 3
July (1939) October December January (1940) March May July	1,050 10,100 4,400 50 2,000 3,100 50	550 7,650 3,050 500 2,100 4,100 150	6,050 6,650 3,400	200	300 4,100 5,700 2,500 3,500		27,450 92,500 45,050 2,800 30,950 20,900 1,150
Total all futures	20,750	18,100	24,600	12,850	16 100		220 800

<sup>\*</sup> Includes 600 bales against which notices have been issued, leaving net open contracts of 115,300 bales.

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

July 7—	1939	1938	1937	1936
Stock at Liverpoolbales	611.000	993,000	736,000	626,000
Stock at Manchester	82,000	145,000	125,000	94,000
Total Great Britain	693,000	1,138,000	861,000	720,000
Stock at Bremen	133,000	234.000	149,000	197,000
Stock at Havre	78,000		171,000	158,000
Stock at Rotterdam	11,000		10,000	12,000
Stock at Barcelona				73,000
Stock at Genoa	18.000	55,000	33,000	
Stock at Venice and Mestre	13.000		10,000	12,000
Stock at Trieste	13,000		8,000	11,000
Total Continental stocks	266,000	591,000	381,000	539,000
Total European stocks	959,000	1.729,000	1.242.000	1.259.000
India cotton afloat for Europe	97,000		110,000	
American cotton afloat for Europe	68,000			
Egypt, Brazil,&c.,afl't for Europe	250,000		183,000	
Stock in Alexandria, Egypt	260,000		116,000	142,000
	,035,000		984,000	807,000
Stock in U. S. ports1			1.119,286	1.332,713
Stock in U. S. interior towns2			903,027	1,349,502
U. S. exports today			5,326	9,028
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Total Visible supply0,922,509	0,100,400	7,101,000	0,231,240
Of the above, totals of American and oth	er descript	ions are as	follows:
American— Liverpool stock————————————————————————————————————	618,000	273,000	246,000
Manchester stock 28,000	105,000		43,000
Bremen stock 93,000			152,000
Havre stock 48,000 Other Continental stock 17,000		35,000	83,000
American afloat for Europe68,060			1,332,713
U. S. port stock1,758,198			1,349,502
U. S. interior stock2,490,599	8.371	5.326	
U. S. exports today 4,512	0,011	0,020	9,028
Total American4,685,309 East Indian, Brazil, &c.—	5,689,439	2,728,639	3,455,243
Liverpool stock 433,000	375,000	463,000	380,000
Manchester stock 54,000			51,000
Bremen stock 40,000			
Havre stock 30,000			
Other Continental stock 38,000			
Indian afloat for Europe 97,000			91,000
Egypt, Brazil, &c., afloat 250,000	245,000		180,000
Stock in Alexandria, Egypt 260,000	356,000	116,000	142,000
Stock in Bombay, India1,035,000		984,000	807,000
Total East India, &c2,237,000	2,417,000	2,033,000	1,839,000
Total American4,685,309	5,689,439	2,728,639	3,455,243
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Total visible supply6,922,309	0,100,439	4,701,039	5,294,243
	5.16d.		7.58d.
Middling uplands, New York 9.96c.			13.65c.
Egypt, good Sakel, Liverpool			
Broach, fine, Liverpool 4.29d.			
Peruvian Tanguis, g'd fair, L'pool 5.31d.			
C.P. Oomra, No. 1 stanle s'fine Liv 4 38d.	4.24d	5.91d	6.15d

Continental imports for past week have been 53,000 bales.

At the Interior Towns the movement—that is, the receipts for the week and since Aug. 1, the shipments for the week and the stocks tonight, and the same items for the corresponding period of the previous year—is set out in detail below:

4,	M	ovement to	July 7,	1939	Movement to July 8, 1938			
Towns	Receipts		Ship-	Stocks	Rec	eipts	Ship-	Stocks
	Week	Season	ments Week	July 7	Week	Season	ments Week	July 8
Ala., Birm'am	571		1,127	23,309	60	66,821	1,860	23,671
Eufaula	16	14,461	277	9,558	11	12,117		8,176
Montgom'y	322	86,853	509	52.037	3	52,895	424	48,697
Selma		44,996	377	69,873	22	69,388	75	57,699
Ark., Blythev.		132.029	127	155,116	1 3 2	171,232	438	88,576
Forest City		38,998	634	48,465	26	60,486	531	24,800
Helena	0.00	60,307	88	48,349	22	101,172	1,378	30,159
Hope		39,036	3.1.09	46,646	5	65,899	5	
Jonesboro	68		169	34,219	3	36,552	180	
Little Rock			489		167	146,215	579	
Newport		40,198	00	38,657		46,399	262	
Pine Bluff	453	138.414	2.126	101.848	178	187,410	961	
Walnut Rge	100	48.611	150	39.880		62,126	116	
Ga., Albany	279		308	12.666		17,556	304	
Athens	27		320	26,738	43	45,480	380	
Atlanta	1,476		2,004					
	1,294	132,925	3,335	77,072	438		8,669	
Augusta Columbus	400		300	124,609	342	177,850	2,498	
Macan Manager				33,100	400	33,450	200	34,900
Macon	92		658	25,486	10	47,309	314	
Rome	-555	16,952	-212	32,565		16,970		22,067
La., Shrevep't	212		249	75,333	59	147,487	1,575	55,809
Miss., Clarksd	4,848		1,656	37,326	158	260,822	790	
Columbus		30,297	668	34,199	210	40,928	249	28,074
Greenwood_	561	204,042	1,237	63,403	298	302,189	1,765	54,618
Jackson	373		1,769	26,432	105	66,198	44	
Natchez		7,887	23	15,577	A	18,831	3	10,529
Vicksburg	1	29,497	136	16,261	129	52,404	165	
Yazoo City.	56		174	40,780	. 39	76,107	86	
Mo., St. Louis	3,929		3,929	2,854	2,375	206,131	2,388	3,766
N.C., Gr'boro		6,695	27	2,159	63	9,101	314	3,042
Oklahoma-								1 7 7
15 towns *_	115	339,524	1.028	257,204	219	522.548	1,638	137,531
S. C., Gr'ville	1,547	101.872	2.450	59,206	1.108	150,269	3,033	
Tenn., Mem's	21,429	2056,512	30,752	582,982		2679,086	17,341	
Texas, Abilene	15	22,003	112.00	12.484	,0	46,035	,	7,530
Austin	36		532	3.362	7	18,051		1,438
Brenham	33		93	2.501	26	14,017	22	2,233
Dallas	45		91	39,186	25		193	
Paris	575		1,128	38.871	16	93,578		22,750
Robstown		6,479	100	644	6	15,667	6	
San Marcos		13,349		1.947				
Texarkana _	2	28,347	81	35.158	76	47,639	a	18.788
Waco	163		2,265			42,161	146	
		-		18,533	14	91,119	45	13,241
Tot 56 towns	38,966	4757,346	61.286	2490.599	21.333	6626.873	48.977	2053,529

<sup>\*</sup> Includes the combined totals of 15 towns in Oklahoma. a San Antonio.

Overland Movement for the Week and Since Aug. 1—We give below a statement showing the overland movement for the week and since Aug. 1, as made up from telegraphic reports Friday night. The results for the week and since Aug. 1 in the last two years are as follows:

31 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -	193	8-39	193	7-38
July 7—	14.	Since		Since
	Week	Aug. 1	Week	Aug. 1
Via St. Louis	3,929	h	2,388	h
Via Mounds, &c	3,725	h	2,025	h
Via Rock Island		h	94	h
Via Louisville	78	h		h
Via Virginia points		h	3,094	h
Via other routes, &c	4,911	h	12,894	h
	7 634	h	20,495	h
Deduct Shipments—		Autoback to		
Overland to N. Y., Boston, &c		h	94	h
Between interior towns	156	h	182	h
Inland, &c., from South	3,181	h	4,721	h
Total to be deducted	5.228	h	4.997	h
		- P		
Leaving total net overland *1	2,406	h	15,498	h

<sup>\*</sup> Including movement by rail to Canada. h We withhold the totals since Aug. 1 so as to allow for proper adjustment at end of crop year.

<del>1</del> 93	8-39	193	7-38
In Sight and Spinners' Takings Week Receipts at ports to July 726,363 Net overland to July 712,000 South'n consumption to July 7125,000	Since Aug. 1 h h	Week 17,684 15,498 90,000	Since Aug. 1 h h
Total marketed 163,769 Interior stocks in excess \$\frac{1}{2}\$,320 Excess of Southern mill takings	h h	$123,182 \\ *27,644$	h
over consumption to July 7	h		h
Came into sight during week141,449 Total in sight July 7	h	95,538	h h
North.spinn's' takings to July 7 22,895	h	15,945	h

<sup>\*</sup> Decrease. h We withhold the totals since Aug. 1 so as to allow for proper adjustment at the end of the crop year.

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 of the week:

Week Ended	Cl	osing Quo	tations for	Middling	Cotton on-	_
July 7	Saturday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed'day	Thursday	Friday
Galveston New Orleans Mobile	9.22 9.45 9.30	9.34 9.50 9.42		9.34 9.50 9.42	9.34 9.50 9.43	9.45
Savannah Norfolk Montgomery	9.65 9.65 9.40	9.77 9.75 9.40	HOLI- DAY.	9.77 9.75 9.40	9.78 9.75	9.56 9.91 9.85
Augusta Memphis	9.85 9.30	9.97 9.40		9.97 9.40	9.40 9.98 9.40	$9.40 \\ 10.11 \\ 9.55$
Houston Little Rock Dallas	9.25 9.05 8.88	9.35 9.15 9.00		9.35 9.15 9.00	9.35 9.20 9.01	9.45 9.30 9.14

Final Figures on Cotton Loans Made by CCC Totaled \$205,263,732 on 4,480,513 Bales—On June 30 the Commodity Credit Corporation made available the final figures with reference to loans made to producers under the 1938-39 cotton loan program, including the loans made by banks and other lending agencies. The total was \$205,263,732.49 on 4,480,513 bales of cotton, which includes loans of \$10,367,-285.04 on 231,696 bales of cotton which have been repaid and the cotton released. The loans average 8.85 cents per pound and were made upon the basis of 8.3 cents per pound for middling ½-inch cotton with appropriate adjustments in rates as to higher and lower grades.

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 July 1	Monday July 3	Tuesday July 4	Wednesday July 5	Thursday July 6	Friday July 7
July (1939) August	9.44	9.53	es de la	9.50	9.52	7.66b-9.68d
September October November	8.75	8.85- 8.86		8.86	8.89	9.00
December Jan. (1940) February	8.56 —— 8.44 ——	8.69 —	HOLI- DAY.	8.68 —— 8.555-8.56a		8.80 — 8.67 <i>b</i> -8.69 <i>a</i>
March	8.37 —	8.50		8.48 —	8.485-8.49a	8.59
May June	8.30	8.43 ——		8.41	8.40	8.51
July	8.18b-8.20a	8.30b-8.32a		8.29b-8.31a	8.28b-8.30a	8.376-8.396
SpotOptions	Dull. Steady.	Dull. Steady.		Dull. Steady.	Dull. Steady.	Dull.

New Member of New York Cotton Exchange—At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the New York Cotton Exchange held July 6, Shigeatsu Shiota, Vice-President of the Japan Cotton Co., Dallas, Texas, who do a spot cotton business, was elected to membership in the Exchange. Mr. Shiota is a member of the Dallas Cotton Exchange.

Returns by Telegraph—Telegraphic advices to us this evening denote that the weather in the western belt and in most of the eastern belt has been favorable. Showers to moderately heavy rains in many sections of the central belt and local areas in the southern portion of the eastern belt were unfavorable. Temperatures have averaged slightly above normal, which has served to check insect activity.

Rain Rainfall Thermometer—

	Rain	Rainfall	للستعشون درار	Thermom	eter-
	Days	Inches	High	Low	Mean
Texas—Galveston	. 1	0.06	91	75	83
Amarillo	î î	0.36	98	59	79
Austin	2	0.18	104	67	86
Abilene	ĩ	0.65	100	68	
Brenham	· · A	ry 0.05			84
Brownsville	· · ·		96	70	83
Corpus Chairtí	. u	ry	93	72	83
Corpus Christi	. a	ry	94	68	81
Dallas	. 2	0.73	100	69	85
El Paso	. d	ry	98	69	84
Kerrville	. 1	0.04	100	62	81
Luling	1	0.68	104	72	88
Nacogdoches	d	ry	98	66	82
Palestine	1	0.05	98	71	85
Paris	. 2	1.22	96	68	82
San Antonio	d	ry 1.22	102	68	85
Taylor	2				
Oklahoma—Oklahoma City	- 2 -	0.02	102	66	84
Okianoma—Okianoma City	a	ry	99	72	96
Arkansas—Eldorado	. 1	0.33	103	69	86
Fort Smith	. d	ry	100	71	86
Little Rock	d	ry	98	68	83
Pine Bluff	. 2	0.28	94	69	82
Louisiana-Alexandria	$\bar{2}$	1.70	96	68	82
Amite		0.53	100	67	84
New Orleans	~ a	ry	96	75	
Shrayanart	d	ry			86
Shreveport Mississippi—Meridian	. , u		100	74	87
Wississippi—Weridian		0.03	96	67	82
Vicksburg	- 1	0.15	95	72	84
Alabama—Mobile	- 3	0.57	97	70	84
Birmingham	. 1	0.02	93	65	79
Momtgomery	. 1	0.20	96	69	83
Florida—Jacksonville	2	0.06	93	70	82
Miami		3.34	88	71	80
Pensacola	î	0.31	94	73	84
Tampa	4	2.71	91	72	82
Georgia-Savannah	ě	0.52	97		
Atlanta	. 0 .	0.02		72	84
Atlanta	. u	ry	92	70	81
Augusta	. 2	2.30	97	68	83
MaconCharleston	_ a	ry	95	70	73
South Carolina—Charleston	. 1	0.05	92	.72	82
Greenwood	. 1	0.82	95	66	81
Columbia	2	1.37	94	68	81
North Carolina-Charlotte	4	0.38	92	68	80
Asheville	2	0.04	90	61	76
Raleigh	3	2.96	88	66	77
Weldon	1	3.81	89		70
Wilmington	0			66	78
Wilmington	4	0.16	86	71	79
Tennessee-Memphis	4	1.99	95	69	81
Chattanooga	d	ry	98	67	83
Nashville	dı	ry	94	75	85
Mile fellessines etateme	-4 1-	1 1-	SECTION 1	. 11	

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:

	Feet Feet	Feet 1938
New OrleansAbove zero of gauge_	6.6	7.4
MemphisAbove zero of gauge_		17.9
NashvilleAbove zero of gauge_	10.1	9.4
ShreveportAobve zero of gauge_	6.9	7.8
Vicksburg Above zero of gauge.	20.4	20.0

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 End.	Receipts at Ports			Stocks	at Interior	Towns	Receipts from Plantati ns		
Ena.	1939	1938	1937	1939	1938	1937	1939	1938	1936
Apr 7- 14- 21-	11,788 21,385 13,296	51,480 26,976 30,687	50,142 42,828 40,673	2870,759 2831,695	2362,621 2338,818 2322,171	1440,172 1387,245	Nil Nil	16,110 3,173 14,040	Nii Nii Nii
May 5	12,397 16,498	45,944 24.610	44,904		2289,937 2263,791	,.		13,710 NII	NII NII
12_ 19_ 26_	10,724 15,932 16,953	16,918 17,042 14,112	31,296 28,231 25,457	2725,840 2692,155	2237,238 2216,336 2194,843	1206,606 1162,626	Nil Nil	NII NII NII	NII
June 2- 9-	17,870 16,177	17,425 20,059	23,761 23,325	2635,929	2167,585 2138,409	1064,946	Nil	Nil	NII
16- 23.	23,331 36,239	27,019 24,113	15,944 19,653	2570.117 2541,961	2119,356 $2100,775$	998,705 964,392	Nil 8,083	Nil 7,966 5,532	NII NII NII
July 7	26,909 26,363	22,893 17,684	15,752 17,059		2081,164 2053,520	,	4.043	3,282 Nil	Nil

The above statement shows: (1) That the total receipts from the plantations since Aug. 1, 1938, are 4,405,069 bales; in 1937-38 were 8,427,704 bales, and in 1936-37 were 6,216,-

627 bales. (2) That, although the receipts at the outports the past week were 26,363 bales, the actual movement from the plantations was 4,043 bales, stock at interior towns having decreased 22,320 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:

Cotton Takings,	1938	-39	1937-38		
Week and Season	Week	Season	Week	Season	
Visible supply June 30Visible supply Aug. 1American in sight to July 7Bombay receipts to July 6Other India shipm ts to July 6Alexandria receipts to July 5Other supply to July 5 * b	7,029,265 141,449 22,000 4,000 200 8,000	h h h h h h h h	8,142,059 95,538 19,000 52,000 4,400 12,000	h h h h h h h	
Total supply Deduct— Visible supply to July 7	7,204,914 6,922,309	h h	8,324,997 8,106,439	h h	
Total takings to July 7 Of which American Of which other	282,605 193,405 89,200	h h h	218,558 178,158 40,400	h h h	

\* Embraces receipts in Europe from Brazil, Smyrna, West Indies, &c. h We withhold the totals since Aug. 1 so as to allow for proper adjustments at end of crop year. 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:

			1938	1938-39		1937-38		1936-37	
	uly 6 eipts—		Week   Since Aug. 1		Week	Since Aug. 1	Week   Since		
Bombay			22,000 2	,347.000	19,000	2,436,000	31,000	3,083,000	
	The same	For 1	he Week	. Wile		Since A	lugust 1		
Exports From—	Great Britain	Conti- nent	Jap'n & China	Total	Great Britain	Conti- nent	Janap & China	Total	
Bombay—  1938-39 1937-38 _ 1936-37 Other India—  1938-39 _ 1937-38 _ 1936-37	3,000  2,000 34,000 12,000	9,000 9,000 6,000 2,000 18,000 2,000	22,000 7,000	43,000 34,000 13,000 4,000 52,000 14,000	78,000 59,000 82,000 297,000 247,000 492,000	268,000	1490,000	1066,000	
Total all— 1938-39 1937-38 1936-37	2,000 37,000 12,000	11,000 27,000 8,000	22,000	47,000 86,000 27,000	375,000 306,000 574,000	717,000 693,000 1050,000		2313,000 1738,000 3114,000	

According to the foregoing, Bombay appears to show an increase compared with last year in the week's receipts of 3,000 bales. Exports from all India ports record a decrease of 39,000 bales during the week, and since Aug. 1 show an increase of 575,000 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, July 5	1938-39		1937-38		1936-37	
Receipts (cantars)— This week Since Aug. 1	7,8	1,000 83,596		22,000 36,162	6,000 8,834,406	
	This Week	Since Aug. 1	This Week	Since Aug. 1	This Week	Since Aug. 1
Exports (bales)— To Liverpool——— To Manchester, &c —— To Continent and India To America	2,000 19,000	169,919 179,607 680,954 27,244	3,000 5,000 15.000	181,845 179,924 720,455 25,823	2,000 3,000 9,000	190,749 205,604 724,965 42,370
Total exports	21,000	1057,724	23,000	1108,047	14.000	1163,688

Note—A cantar is 99 lbs. Egyptian bales weight about 750 lbs. This statement shows that the receipts for the week ended July 5 were 1,000 cantars and the foreign shipments 21,000 bales.

Manchester Market—Our report received by cable tonight from Manchester states that the market in both yarns and cloths is firm. Demand for home trade is good. We give prices today below and leave those for previous weeks of this and last year for comparison:

		1939		1938	
	32s Cop Twist	ings, Common M	Cotton (iddl'g 32s Cop Ipl'ds Twist	8¼ Lbs. Shirt- ings, Common to Finest	Cotton Middl'g Upl'ds
April	d.	s. d. s. d.	d. d.	s. d. s. d.	d.
7	8%@ 9%	9 @ 9	4.92 9%@11%	9 9 @10	4.79
14	814@ 914		4.93 9% @11%		4.89
21	8%@ 9%	8 9 @ 9	4.99 9% @11%		4.94
28	81/2 @ 91/2		5.00 914 @1034	9 9 @10	4 80
May			***   · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
5	8% @ 9%		5.28 94 @101/2	96@99	4.96
12	8%@ 9%		5.33 914@101/2		4.77
19	9 @10	9 @ 9 3	5.54 94 @101/2	9 41/2 @ 9 71/2	4.68
26	8%@ 9%	9 @ 9 3	5.48 9 @10	9 3 @ 9 6	4.46
June	2012 231				× 1
2	8%@ 9%		5.49 834@ 934		4.43
9	9 10 10 18		5.77 834@ 934		4.54
16	91/6010	9 @ 9 3	5.76 8% @ 9%		4.69
23	9 @10	9 @ 9 3	5.66 9 @10	9 11/2 9 4 1/2	4.83
30	9 @10	9 @ 9 3	5.62 9%@10%	9 11/2 @ 9 41/2	4.96
July	9 @10	9 @93	5.61 9%@10%		- 10
1	9 6010	0 901	5.61 9 9 610 8	93 @ 96	5.16

Shipping News—As shown on a previous page, the exports of cotton from the United States the past week have reached 27,441 bales. The shipments in detail, as made up from mail and telegraphic reports, are as follows:

	Baies
GALVESTON-To Copenhagen July 3, Kexholm, 384	384
To Oslo, July 3, Kexholm, 82. To Gdynia, July 3, Kexholm, 1,545. To Gothenburg, July 3, Kexholm, 642. To Genoa, July 1, Monbaldo, 425; July 6, Meanticutt, 512	82
To Gdynia, July 3, Kexholm, 1,545	1.545
To Gothenburg, July 3, Kexholm, 642	642
To Genoa, July 1, Monbaldo, 425; July 6, Meanticutt, 512	937
To Liverpool, July 1, West Harshaw, 259 To Manchester, July 1, West Harshaw, 343 To Ghent, Jun 30, Bruxelles, 765	259
To Manchester, July 1, West Harshaw, 343	343
To Ghent, June 30, Bruxelles, 765	765
To Ghent, June 30, Bruxelles, 763.  To Havre, June 30, Bruxelles, 100.  To Dunkirk, June 30, Bruxelles, 685.  To Trieste, June 30, Clara, 642; July 6, Meanticutt, 258.  To Venice, June 30, Clara, 196; July 6, Meanticutt 400.  To Havana, June 30, American Press, 373.	100
To Dunkirk, June 30, Bruxelles, 685	685
To Trieste, June 30, Clara, 642; July 6, Meanticutt, 258	900
To Venice, June 30, Clara, 196; July 6, Meanticutt 400	596
To Havana, June 30, American Press, 373	373
	170
To Cartagena, June 30. American Press, 751	751
To Bremen, July 6, Frankenwald, 952	952
To Hamburg, July 6, Frankenwald, 42————————————————————————————————————	42
HOUSTON—To Genoa, June 30, Monbaldo, 905; July 3, Meanti-	0 700
cut, 1,891. To Naples, June 30, Monbaldo, 24. To Havana, June 27, American Press, 187. To Barranguilla, June 27, American Press, 82.	2,796
To Naples, June 30, Mondaldo, 24	24
To Havana, June 27, American Press, 187	187
To Barranquilla, June 27, American Press, 82	82
To Cartagena, June 27, American Press, 43	43
To Liverpool. July 3, West Harshaw, 237	237
To Manchester, July 3, West Harshaw, 1,473	1,473
To Marseilles, July 3, Meanticutt, 35	35
To Bremen, July 4, Frankenwald, 2,238	2,238
To Hayana, June 27, American Fress, 82 To Barranquilla, June 27, American Press, 82 To Cartagena, June 27, American Press, 43 To Liverpool. July 3, West Harshaw, 237 To Manchester, July 3, West Harshaw, 1,473 To Marseilles, July 3, Meanticutt, 35 To Bremen, July 4, Frankenwald, 2,238 To Hamburg, July 4, Frankenwald, 2,238 To Hamburg, July 4, Frankenwald, 1,182	-1,182
To Venice, July 3, Meanticutt, 246	246
To Copenhagen, July 1, Kexholm, 291	291
To Oslo, July 1, Kexholm, 18 To Gdynia, July 1, Kexholm, 1,201	18
To Gdynia, July 1, Kexholm, 1,201	1,201
To Gothenburg, July 1, Kexholm, 209.  NEW ORLEANS—To Liverpool, July 1, Observer, 1,141  To Manchester, July 1, Observer, 1,189.	209
NEW ORLEANS—To Liverpool, July 1, Observer, 1,141	1,141
To Manchester, July 1, Observer, 1,189	1,189
To Copenhagen, July 1, Tabor, 70	70
To Gdynia, July 1, Tabor, 150 To Gothenburg, July 1, Tabor, 650	150
To Gothenburg, July 1, Tabor, 650	650
To Japan, July 1, Tasmania Maru, 100	100
To Hamburg, July 1, Frankenwald, 155	155
To Bremen, July 1, Frankenwald, 67	67
To Genoa, July 1, Montello, 1,523	1,523
To Ghent, July 1, Nasnaba, 450	450
To Havre, July 1, Nashaba, 900	900
To Rotterdam, July I, Nasnaba, 350	350
To Porto Colombia, June 27, Choluticia, 624	624
To Colon, June 27, Felda, 14	14
To Gothenburg, July 1, Tabor, 650 To Japan, July 1, Tasmain Maru, 100 To Hamburg, July 1, Frankenwald, 155 To Bremen, July 1, Frankenwald, 155 To Genoa, July 1, Montello, 1,523 To Ghent, July 1, Nashaba, 450 To Havre, July 1, Nashaba, 900 To Rotterdam, July 1, Nashaba, 350 To Porto Colombia, June 27, Choluticfa, 624 To Colon, June 27, Felda, 14 To Panama, June 27, Felda, 10 MOBILE—To Hambirg, June 29, Gateway, 105 To Rotterdam, June 28, Deryille, 100	10
MUBILE-To Hambirg, June 29. Gateway, 105	105
To Rotterdam, June 28, Iberville, 100———————————————————————————————————	100
	30
Total	97 441
Total	41,441

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-		igh nsity	Stand-		High Density	Stand- ard
Liverpool	.45c			1.45c		Piraeus	85c	1.00c
Mancheste				1.45c		Salonica	.85c	1.00c
Antwerp	.46c		Barcelona	*		Venice	d.85c	1.00c
Havre	.45c	.60c	Japan	*		Copenhager	.56c	.71c
Rotterdam	.46c	.61c	Shanghai	*	*	Naples	d.55c	.60
Genoa	d.550	.60c	Bombay x	.75c	.90c	Leghorn	d.55c	.60c
Oslo	.56c	.71c	Bremen	.46c	.61c	Gothenburg	.560	.71c
Stockholm	.61c	.76c	Hamburg	.46c	.61c	and the		

<sup>\*</sup> No quotation x Only small lots. d Direct steamer.

Liverpool—By cable from Liverpool we have the following statement of the week's imports, stocks, &c., at that port:

	June 16	June 23	June 30	July 7
Forwarded	71,000	46,000	49,000	61,000
Total stocks	733,000	700,000	712,000	694,000
Of which American	251,000	235,000	218,000	207,000
Total imports	34,000	18,000	63,000	44,000
Of which American	3,000	2,000	2,000	4,000
Amount afloat	119,000	156,000	124,000	119,000
Of which American	13,000	16,000	17.000	17,000

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.	Moderate demand.	Quiet.	Quiet.	Moderate demand.	Moderate demand.	Quiet.
Mid.Upl'ds	5.52d.	5.50d.	5.53d.	5.58d.	5.57d.	5.61d.
Market	Quiet, un- changed to 2 pts. dec.	1 to 3 pts.	1 to 3 pts.	Quiet; un- changed to 1 pt. adv.	3 to 5 pts.	Quiet; unch. to 7 pts. decl.
Market, {     4    P. M. {	Quiet; 4 to 5 pts. decline.	2 to 4 pts.	Very stdy.; 7 to 8 pts. advance.	7 to 11 pts.	changed to	unch. to 6

Prices of futures at Liverpool for each day are given below:

July 1	Sat.	Me	Mon.		Tues. Wed.		Thurs.		Fri.		
July 7	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close	Noon	Close
New Contract	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
July (1939)	4.96	4.95	4.94		5.01	5.03	5.03	5.02	5.03	5.06	5.07
October	4.59	4.56	4.55		4.63	4.65	4.66	4.64	4.65	4.67	4.68
December	4.48	23.2	4.45		4.52		4.55		4.54		4.57
January (1940)	4.48	4.46	4.45		4.52	4.54	4.55	4.53	4.53	4.54	4.54
March	4.49	4.47	4.46		4.53	4.55	4.56	4.53	4.53	4.53	4.53
May	4.49	4.47	4.46		4.53	4.55	4.56	4.53	4.53	4.52	4.52
July	4.49		4.46		4.53		4.56		4.52		4.50
October	4.48		4.45		4.52		4.53		4.47		4.41
December											
January (1941)	4.49		4.46		4.53		4.53		4.47		4.41
March	4.49		4.46		4.53		4.53		4.47	1	4.41
May	4.49		4.46		4.53		4.53		4.47		4.41

#### BREADSTUFFS

Friday Night, July 7, 1939.

Flour—Demand for flour in the local market continues relatively quiet. However, prices on all bakery grades of flour were steadily held by the leading mills owing to

the steadiness in grains. A wire from Kansas City reported that two of the leading baking companies each purchased 200,000 barrels of flour. No confirmation of these sales was obtainable in this market, however. It is reported that regular shipping instructions are running fairly heavy and the later deliveries are sufficient for consum-ers' requirements at present.

Wheat—On the 1st inst. prices closed ½ to 1c. net lower. The wheat market suffered another slump of a cent a bushel today, which just about eliminated the modest advance scored earlier in the week. Week-end liquidation and hedging sales coincident with the expansion of harvest operations in the Southwest caused the reaction. A railroad survey indicating winter wheat conditions have improved the last few weeks, had a bearish effect, and while its optimism was expected, nevertheless, it was considered a probably accurate forerunner of the July private crop estimates to be released early next week. Marketings of grain expanded, with Kansas City receiving 1,131 cars and the 12 principal interior markets getting 3,610,000 bushels, compared with 2,608,000 a week ago and 3,033,000 a year ago. The forecast indicated further local rains could be expected. The Santa Fe Railroad survey predicted 11 winter wheat States in its territory may produce approximately 320,000,000 bushels, or 12,000,000 more than forecast in the June Government report. On the 3d inst. prices closed 1½ to 1½c. net lower. The extreme decline for the day was 2c. With the harvest in the Southwest near its peak, wheat values were under heavy pressure during most of the session and closed at about the lows of the day. Marketing of new wheat, with accompanying hedge sales in the futures pit, proved to be too much for the trade to absorb without price concessions. Additional factors included weakness in foreign markets and higher private estimates of probable domestic production this season. Reflecting the harvest, domestic visible supply for a week showed its sharpest expansion in a year. The supply increased 11,964,000 bushels to 77,462,000 compared with 77,609,000 a year ago. The 12 principal interior terminals today received 7,235,000 bushels, compared with only 4,969,000 a week ago, but about half went into storage. Pre-holiday liquidation added to the selling here. A private crop report for July predicted a total domestic wheat harvest of 709,000,00 Wheat—On the 1st inst. prices closed ½ to 1c. net lower. The wheat market suffered another slump of a cent a bushel today, which just about eliminated the modest advance

for spring wheat averaged 12,000,000 bushels compared with private estimates a month ago and for winter wheat 9,000,000 bushels. The winter wheat average estimate was 525,000,000 bushels and spring wheat 196,000,000 bushels. Total wheat harvested last year was 931,000,000 bushels.

On the 6th inst. prices closed unchanged to ¼c. lower. The wheat market lost early gains of almost 1c. a bushel today and closed very little changed from yesterday's final prices. Buying on the upturn was credited to mills and to dealers acting on reports of hot weather in the spring wheat belt, curling grain in some fields, and rust in Manitoba Province. However, cooler and cloudy to unsettled weather was in prospect for the Northwest. Lower prices at Liverpool also included some late selling here and export business was slow. Disclosure that the Government

at Liverpool also included some late selling here and export business was slow. Disclosure that the Government would continue at least for the time being to subsidize the exportation of wheat and flour, which during the season just closed helped to clear approximately 115,000,000 bushels, attracted attention in the wheat pit.

Today prices closed 1½ to 1½c. net lower. Wheat prices dropped more than 1c. a bushel today to the lowest level since April and the lowest for the date in seven years. Heavy selling of wheat at Winnipeg, where prices fell more than 2c. at times, unsettled the market here. New seasonal lows established in the Canadian market reflected than 2c. at times, unsettled the market here. New seasonal lows established in the Canadian market reflected liquidation prior to the Government crop report this afternoon, which many traders expect to be bearish because of the very favorable weather. Domestic weather conditions also were favorable both for harvest and spring wheat growth. While hedging coincident with the new wheat movement, which apparently has passed its peak in the Southwest, continued to have a depressing influence, many interests were inclined to buy on price dips due to the abnormally small volume of hedging and to the fact that quotations ranged from 9 to 11c. below Government loan rates in this market. About 25% of local arrivals was reported to be going into storage and warehouse space is rapidly filling up at Southwestern points, with some mills reported selling wheat. Open interest in wheat, 83,745,000 bushels.

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Corn—On the 1st inst. prices closed unchanged to \( \frac{1}{8}\)c. corn—On the 1st inst. prices closed unchanged to \( \frac{1}{8}\)c. c. net lower. This market was relatively steady, being strengthened by unusually big week-end shipping sales to industries. On the 3d inst. prices closed \( \frac{1}{8}\) to \( \frac{1}{8}\)c. net lower. Selling of corn was largely in sympathy with wheat, but was offset somewhat by lifting of hedges in connection with sales of 155,000 bushels to be shipped out of Chicago. The first definite indication of the extent of sowing of hybrid seed was contained in the Bennet July crop report. It predicted corn production would total 2,518,000,000 bushels, compared with 2,542,000,000 last season and said approximately 53% of the acreage in leading producing central States was seeded to hybrid. The Iowa average was estimated at 79%, Indiana 60%, Illinois and Ohio 57%, with other States considerably less. On the 5th inst. prices closed \( \frac{1}{4}\)c. to \( \frac{3}{8}\)c. net higher. The firmness of wheat values had its effect on corn, and there was considerable covering of shorts in the latter contracts. The first estimate for corn production this year averaged 2,557,000,000 bushels, or 15,000,000 bushels more than were harvested last year. B. W. Snow, one of the experts said that the excellent prospects for corn was emphasized by a general condition figure that is nearly 10 points above the normal for a series of years. The extended use of hybrid seed this year, he added, further enlarges the prospective crop. Corn trade was light and prices held steady during most of the session.

On the 6th inst. prices closed unchanged to \( \frac{3}{8}\)c. higher. Announcement that the Government would extend corn

Oats—On the 1st inst. prices closed ¼ to ½c. net lower. This market ruled heavy largely in sympathy with the weakness of wheat values. On the 3d inst. prices closed ½ to 1c. net lower. Oats again felt the influence of a weak wheat market, and as a result oat prices showed a considerable drop at the close. On the 5th inst. prices closed ½ to ½c. net higher. With the corn and wheat markets higher and an improved demand for spot oats, prices moved fractionally upward for

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Rye—On the 1st inst. prices closed ½c. net lower. Trading was light, but with little support prices yielded to the slightest pressure. With arrivals expanding there was little disposition to support the market. On the 3d inst. prices closed ¾ to 1c. net higher. Strength in rye was attributed to demand for cash grain considering the premium quoted for actual rye compared with futures. This year's crop is expected to be about 37% smaller than last season's. On the 5th inst. prices closed ¾ to ½c. net higher. In sympathy with wheat and corn, rye prices moved higher.

On the 6th inst. prices closed ¾ to %c. net lower. With arrivals rather heavy and weather reports more or less bearish, some short selling was indulged, and this, with hedging against the new crop, contributed to the heaviness displayed in the rye market today. Today prices closed 1½ to 1¼c. net lower. With the wheat market showing rather pronounced weakness, the rye market for futures fell off sharply, the declines being accelerated by hedging and some short selling. There was no appreciable support.

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#### Closing quotations were as follows:

#### FLOUR

Spring pat, high protein_5.00@5.15	Rye flour patents3.85@4.05
Spring patents4.70@4.85	Seminola, bbl., Nos. 1-3-5.70@5.90
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#### GRAIN

Wheat, New York-	Oats, New York—
No. 2 red, c.i.f., domestic 8514	No. 2 white 44 1/8
Manitoba No. 1, f.o.b. N. Y. 681/8	No. 2 white 44 1/8 Rye, United States c.i.f. 61 1/4 Barley, New York—
Corn. New York-	40 lbs. feeding 53 3/4
No. 2 yellow, all rail 631/4	Chicago, cash50-75

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 56 lbs	bush 48 lbs
Chicago	212,000	272,000	1.231.000	342,000	8,000	61,000
Minneapolis		1,622,000	237,000	277,000		
Duluth		1.083.000	329,000	69,000		
Milwaukee_	15,000	2,000	152,000	14,000		
Toledo		63,000	71.000	546,000		
Indianapolis		19,000		50,000		3,000
St. Louis	121.000	863,000		36,000		
Peoria	37.000	10.000		30,000		
Kansas City	57,000	9,395,000		8,000		
Omaha		1,022,000		24,000		
St. Joseph_		1,002,000		- A. 30000		
Wichita		3,400,000		(22222		
Sioux City_		28,000		11.000	1,000	5.000
Buffalo		2,815,000		285,000	56,000	129,000
Total wk '39	442,000	21,596,000	3,666,000	1,692,000	478,000	1,213,000
Same wk '38	376,000	11,367,000		1,433,000	108,000	
Same wk '37	315,000	15,169,000		805,000	71,000	346,000
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	21,110,000	354,165,000	256,190,000	100.186.000	25 464 000	93 149 000
1937			307,036,000			
			154,482,000			

Total receipts of flour and grain at the seaboard ports for the week ended Saturday, July 1, 1939, follow:

Receipts at-	Flour	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley
	bbls 196 lbs	bush 60 lbs	bush 56 lhs	bush 32 lbs	bush 56 lbs	bush 48 lbs
New York.	151,000	110,000	285,000	96,000		
Philadelphia		26,000		2,000		
Baltimore	12,000	34,000	42,000	23,000	8,000	
New Orl'ns*	24,000	27,000	89,000	16,000		
Galveston		295,000				
Montreal	23,000	987,000	9,000	46,000		100,000
Boston	24,000					
Sorel		255,000				
Three Riv's		232,000			·	
Total wk'39	266,000	1,966,000	425,000	183,000	8,000	100,000
Since Jan. 1						10.7
1939	7,623,000	43,118,000	11,601,000	2,170,000	442,000	2,434,000
Week 1938_	299,000	2,662,000	2,127,000	125.000	57.000	454,000
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1938	7,051,000	47,890,000	51.820.000	2.563,000	1.951.000	8.751.000

<sup>\*</sup> 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, July 1, 1939, are shown in the annexed

Exports from-	Wheat	Corn	Flour	Oats	Rye.	Barley
New York	Bushels	Bushels	Barrels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels
	43,000	8,000	41,232			
Albany	56,000					
Houston	378,000	4				
New Orleans			7,000			
Galveston	325,000					
Montreal	987,000	9,000	23,000	46,000		100.000
Sorel	255,000			, -0,000		
Three Rivers	232,000					
Total week 1939	2,276,000	17 000	F1 000			
Same week 1938		17,000	71,232	46,000		100,000
Dame Meck 1899	1,000,000	2,590,000	98,654	84,000	57.000	454,000

The destination of these exports for the week and since July 1, 1938, is as below:

Wash day Wash	F	lour	R	heat	Corn	
Exports for Week and Since July 1 to—	Week July 1 1939	Since July 1 1938	Week July 1 1939	Since July 1 1938	Week July 1 1939	Since July 1. 1938
United Kingdom_ Continent So. & Cent, Amer_ West Indies	Barrels 24,535 11,417 13,000 17,000	Barrels 2,332,360 780,284 711,750 1,424,500	Bushels 1,735,000 514,000 27,000	Bushels 79,658,000 58,018,000 551,000 74,000	Bushels 9,000 8,000	Bushels 40,973,000 26,783,000 13,000
Brit. No. Am. Col. Other countries	5,280	66,000 346,099		1,377,000		3,000 703,000
Total 1939 Total 1938	71,232 98,654	5,660,993 5,304,369		139,678,000 131,443,000		68,475,000 91,942,000

The visible supply of grain, comprising the stocks in granary at principal points of accumulation at lake and seaboard ports Saturday, July 1, were as follows:

	GRA	IN STOCK	S		
	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley
United States—	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels
New York	30,000	377,000	64,000		2,000
" afloat	20,000	108,000	74,000		
Philadelphia		7.000	15,000	1.000	4,000
Baltimore	123,000		18,000	28,000	1,000
New Orleans			15,000	1,000	
Galveston	565,000		557555		
Fort Worth	7.049,000		273,000	25,000	10,000
Wichita					
Hutchinson					
St. Joseph	1,140,000		92,000	4 4 15 13 2 13	4,000
Kansas City			39,000	312,000	35,000
Omaha			105,000	58,000	98.000
St. Louis			38,000	3,000	161,000
Indianapolis			184,000	0,000	201,000
Peoria		204,000	101,000		
Chicago	3.816,000	9,971,000	1.147.000	889,000	185,000
" afloat		0,011,000	1,141,000	889,000	100,000
On Lakes					
Milwaukee		1.713.000	143,000	47,000	141,000
Minneapolis		2.553.000	1.703.000	2,770,000	2,149,000
			373,000	2,474,000	296,000
Duluth		1,920,000			160,000
Detroit		2,000	5,000	2,000	
Buffalo	2,895,000		1,297,000	802,000	393,000
afloat	994,000		202.000		
On Canal		61,000	22,000		
Sioux City	481,000	603,000	28,000	2,000	8,000
Total July 1 1939			5,635,000	7,374,000	3,647,000
Total June 24 1939	65,498,000	31,575,000	5,771,000	7,203,000	3,751,000

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Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley
Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels	Bushels
28,926,000		1,469,000	59.000	1.010.000
26,015,000		1,488,000	1,278,000	1,088,000
39,586,000		5,643,000	1,186,000	4,130,000
94,527,000		8,600,000	2.523.000	6.228.000
97,200,000		8.789.000	2.616,000	6.004,000
24,343,000		3.505.000	919,000	4.459.000
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77,513,000	29,521,000	5.635,000	7.374.000	3.647.000
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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 June 30 and since July 1, 1938, and July 1, 1937, are shown in the following:

	Marine 1	Wheat			Corn	1975 and
Exports	Week June 30, 1939	Since July 1, 1938	Since July 1, 1937	Week June 30, 1939	Since July 1, 1938	Since July 1, 1937
No. Amer. Black Sea	Bushels 3,875,000 2,160,000	Bushels 247,097,000 93,607,000	Eushels 186,857,000 80,532,000	Bushels 25,000 420,000	Bushels 71,014,000 19,183,000	Bushels 92,148,000 11,424,000
Argentina. Australia	3,696,000	115,579,000 105,561,000	67,539,000 126,274,000	5,263,000	19,183,000	193,164,000
India Other countries	896,000	7,344,000	16,560,000 25,162,000	489,000	44,419,000	79,062,000
Total	12,448,000	605,716,000	502,924,000	6,197,000	280,457,000	375,798,000

CCC Loans Under 1938-39 Corn Loan Program Amounted to \$129,657,213 on 227,716,928 Bushels—The Commodity Credit Corporation on June 30 made available the final figures with reference to loans made to producers under the 1938-39 corn loan program, including the loans made by banks and other lending agencies. The total was \$129,657,212.85 on 227,716,928 bushels of corn.

In addition, loans were made in the Fall of 1938 upon 26,791,000 bushels of 1937 corn, the major portion of which was transferred from the 1937-38 loan program. All of these loans were made upon a basis of 57 cents per bushel, the corn being stored and sealed on the farm pursuant to regulations issued by the Secretary of Agriculture Extends Corn Loan Program.

Secretary of Agriculture Extends Corn Loan Program to Aug. 1, 1940—Covers 271,315 Loans on 257,127,595 Bushels—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace announced on July 5 the extension of the current corn loan program for a year, advancing the due date on grants covering the 1937 and 1933 crops from Aug. 1, 1939, to the same date in 1940. The renewed program will be administered by Commodity Credit Corporation, and will affect 271,315 loans for which 257,127,595 bushels of farm stored corn from the two crops have been pledged as collateral. The loans will be renewed at the present rate of 57 cents per bushel and continue to draw 4% interest.

Weather Report for the Week Ended July 6—The general summary of the weather bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture, indicating the influence of the weather for the week ended July 6, follows:

The week was characterized by moderate temperatures; mostly somewhat above normal, throughout the entire country. Moderate to fairly beek as a sent and the general from the forest Plains cativard. The week as a sent and the country from the week as a sent and the country from the week as a sent and the central California. Otherwise the weekly means ranged from normal to three of four degrees above normal in all areas, except for a few widely scattered localities.

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Virginia—Richmond: Warmth and rain normal. Cutting wheat nearly done; threshing well begun. Oats ribening. Corn fair to good; uneven. Tobacco, cotton, and peanuts medium, but doing well. Weather favored high-quality apples. Southeast beans and cantaloupes late, but look good; southwest truck good. Shipping cabbage.

North Carolina—Raleigh: Favorable warmth; adequate fains generally. Condition of corn rather poor and progress poor locally in Piedmont due to dryness; elsewhere, condition very good and progress good. Cloudy weather slowed tobacco progress in central and northeast. Progress of cotton good in coastal area where condition very good; other sections progress fairly good, condition good; chopping nearly completed.

Truck and fruit favored.

South Carolina—Columbia: Favorable warmth; adequate rains locally where crops and pastures improved, but soil moisture badly depleted in some interior areas, with deterioration. Small-grain threshing and tobacco curing favored. Shipping southern watermelons and cantaloupes. Progress and condition of cotton generally good, except in extremely dry places; fruiting freely; blooming in extreme north.

Geordia—Atlanta: Mostly adequate rains, but some central counties feel lack. Cotton fairly good; weather favorable for checking weevil: blooming in south and middle. Tobacco curing favored. Sweet potatoes and most minor crops good growth. Peanuts rather poor condition, due to recent heavy rains, but past week more favorable.

Florida—Jacksonville: Favorable warmth; too much rain; soil too wet to recent heavy rains, but past week more favorable.

Florida—Jacksonville: Favorable warmth; too much rain; soil too wet to cultivate. Progress of cotton fairly good; condition poor to good; blooming freely in middle and south, begaining well to north. Miscellaneous crops being cured. Citrus considerable new growth; new fruit sizing well.

Alabama—Montgomery: Adequare rains, too much in some areas. P

nelp in most south and coast areas. Ranges drying rapidly in south, but improving generally in north. Cattle in good flesh, except rather thin in extreme west. Rice fair progress.

Oktahoma—Oklahoma City: Mostly favorable warmth, except very warm last 2 days; too much rain in northwest, west-central and central; some i owlands flooded; more rain needed in Cimarron County and locally in extreme south. Grain harvest seriously delayed; much lodging and shattering in northwest and north-central, with considerable losses in some counties; oats also damaged. Progress of corn good; condition very good to excellent; much in roasting-ear stage. Progress of cotton good, except some washed out; condition good to very good; some bloom; weather favored weevil activity in southeast and south-central. Minor crops and pastures good progress and condition.

Arkansas—Little Rock: Growth of cotton very good; condition good to very good in most south and west areas due to adequate rains; condition fair to very good elsewhere; much soil too wet to cultivate and many fields very grassy, especially in northeast. Progress of corn excellent, except where flooding rains fell; early tasseling in north, maturing in south. Minor crop growth favored. Wheat in shock and much hay damaged.

Tennesse—Nashville: Rains generally adequate, more substantial in east. Rapid progress clearing weeds. Condition of cotton only fair generally, fairly good waere properly cultivated. Much corn good to excellent, but poor in parts of west where soil formerly too wet to cultivate. Tobacco late; much small, but cultivation now up. Truck, pastures, and hay good growth; improved in east.

## THE DRY GOODS TRADE

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Following the holiday interruption, retail business made a fairly good showing, although volume comparisons with last year continued to reflect the fact that at that time general trade experienced a sharp upswing. Weather conditions were largely favorable, but, on the other hand, the continued apathy of the security markets, because of the tension abroad, served to act as a deterrent in some locations. Interest again centered in typical Summer merchandise, whereas other divisions were neglected. Department store sales, the country over, for the week ending June 24, according to the usual report of the Federal Reserve Board, were 3 per cent above the corresponding week of 1938, with the Atlanta and st. Louis districts making the best showing, with gains of 22 per cent and 10 per cent, respectively. Stores in New York and Brooklyn registered an increase of 2 per cent, while in Newark establishments a gain of 2.3 per cent was recorded. Trading in the wholesale dry goods markets, after its recent moderate spurt, slowed down perceptibly, chiefly owing to abatement of the pre-holiday rush of reorders on needed Summer merchandise. A feature of the week were the new price advances announced on percales by important producers. While the further markup reflected the material improvement in the statistical position of the market, the announcement was not followed by any marked expansion in activities, inasmuch as a considerable volume of business had been put through in anticipation of the firmer price levels. Although wholesalers showed growing interest in offerings of spot merchandise, little forward buying of Fall goods continued to be done as both retailers and wholesalers preferred to wait for a clarification of the business outlook for Fall. Business in silk goods remained quiet but prices held steady. Mildly increased interest was shown in Fall fabrics, notably in stiff silks, including satins, taffetas and moires. Trading in rayon yarns continued active with the demand coverin in stiff silks, including satins, taffetas and moires. Trading in rayon yarns continued active with the demand covering all classes of weaving counts. Growing interest was displayed in the various new type yarns, for which the demand, in some instances, was said to exceed the current output.

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Domestic Cotton Goods—Trading in the gray cloths markets continued quiet, but prices held firm. While holiday interruptions and inventory influences as well as the absorption of recent large purchases, served to limit activities, sentiment remained cheerful, mainly because of the strong belief that the drastic curtailment measures now under way, will soon or later result in accelerated buying on the part of users. Interesting features were the steady stream of requests for quick shipment of goods on order, and reports that unfilled orders for cotton goods are now in excess of stocks held by mills. Business in fine goods gave further indications of improvement, with some constructions revealing a scarcity in available supplies. Closing prices in print cloths were as follows: 39-inch 80's, 6½c., 39-inch 72-76's, 5½c., 39-inch 68-72's, 5½c., 38½-inch 64-60's, 4½c., 38½-inch 60-48's, 4¼c. inch 60-48's, 41/4c.

woolen Goods—Trading in men's wear fabrics was spotty. Little activity continued to prevail in Fall suitings, because of the fact that clothing manufacturers have covered the bulk of their requirements, but growing interest was shown in the new collections of tropical worsteds and gabardines, which were actively sampled by prospective buyers. Reports from retail clothing centers had a somewhat less cheerful appearance as holiday influences and the effect of previous heavy purchases served to slacken activities, for the time being. Business in women's wear goods continued its recent improvement, with garment manufacturers adding substantially to their commitments on various classes of fabrics, in view of the greater willingness of buyers to cover their requirements in coats and suits for Fall.

Foreign Dry Goods—Trading in linear continued quiet

Foreign Dry Goods—Trading in linens continued quiet, and transactions were limited to occasional spot lot sales. Reports from foreign primary centers were somewhat friend-lier as takings by American importers for the first five months of the year revaled a substantial gain over the corresponding period of 1938. Business in burlap remained dull but prices ruled slightly higher, in sympathy with the trend in Calcutta where lower jute crop estimates, and the further decline in stocks during June, helped sentiment. Domestically lightweights were quoted at 4.15c., heavies at 5.60c.

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Long-term financing by States and municipalities during the month of June amounted to the extraordinarily heavy total of \$292,140,462, an all-time high for disposals in any one month. The largest output previously recorded occurred in December, 1929, when the figure was \$290,827,938. The strikingly large volume of awards in the past month was due in great measure to the flotation of issues of \$100,000,000 by the State of Pennsylvania and \$71,000,000 by the California Toll Bridge Authority, California. Other offerings of material size were accounted for by the Port of New York Authority, New York, and the cities of Memphis and Nashville, Tennessee. Borrowing by the latter communities was effected in connection with acquisition of privately-owned electric and gas plants as a result of the Tennessee Valley Authority program. Bond financing for the same purpose on a greatly reduced scale was undertaken during the month by a considerable number of other Tennessee communities. The scheduled sale of an issue of \$13,200,000 by Chattanooga had to be indefinitely postponed due to failure of Congress to enact necessary legislation relating to the TVA's activities. Despite the magnitude of the sales negotiated during the month, investment bankers experienced little difficulty in placing the securities in investment account.

The huge volume of financing negotiated in the past month resulted in bringing the total borrowings for the first six months of 1939 to the remarkably high level of \$745,758,849. This compares with disposals of but \$508,632,992 in the same period in 1938; \$556,806,135 in 1937; \$614,446,413 in 1936; \$600,010,462 in 1935; \$519,570,535 in 1934, and no more than \$226,425,126 in the first half of 1933. By way of contrast, it might be noted that sales for the entire 12 months of the latter year were only \$520,478,023. With reference to the total for the first half of 1939, it is of interest to note that \$66,500,000 was accounted for by the City of New York.

The various issues in amount of \$1,000,000 or more brought out during June were as follows:

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\$100,000,000 Pennsylvania (State of) 1½% series ET tax anticipation notes, due May 31, 1941, were awarded to C. F. Childs & Co., Inc., New York, bidding alone, at a price of 102.093, a basis of about 0.45%. Reoffered at 102½, to yield 0.437%.

71,000,000 California Toll Bridge Authority, Calif., 4% revenue bonds, comprising \$39,300,000 due on Sept. 1, 1976, and \$31,700,000, maturing serially from 1940 to 1964 incl., purchased from the RFC by a nationwide banking group under the leadership of Dillon, Read & Co.; Harriman Ripley & Co.; Inc., and Blyth & Co., Inc., all of New York. The bonds are callable, pursuant to provisions contained in the indenture, prior to maturity and in selling them to the bankers at a price of 104, the Federal agency realized a profit of \$2,840,000, as it had acquired the issue from the Bridge Authority at a price of par. The banking group, in reoffering the obligations for public investment, priced the \$39,300,000 series at 106, while the yield on the \$31,700,000 serials ranged from 0.50% to 3.60%, according to maturity date.

17,500,000 Port of New York Authority, N. Y., 3% fourth series general and refunding bonds, due Dec. 15, 1976 and callable prior to that date in accordance with terms of the issue, awarded to Salomon Bros. & Hutzler of New York, bidding alone, at a price of 101.75, a net interest cost of about 2.953%. Reoffered to the investing public at a price of 102.50. These bonds were originally offered on April I1, the sale having been postponed due to unsettled conditions prevailing in the securities markets at that time as a result of political tension abroad.

17,000,000 Memphis, Tenn., series A general obligation electric plant

abroad.

17,000,000 Memphis, Tenn., series A general obligation electric plant and gas plant bonds were awarded to a syndicate managed jointly by the Bankers Trust Co. and the Chase National Bank of New York, at a price of 100.02 for a combination of \$3.855,000 3½s, due from 1940 to 1949 incl., and \$13.145,000 2.10s, or a net interest cost to the city of about 2.19%. Reoffered to yield from 0.15% to 2.30%, according to coupon rate and maturity date. Callable prior to maturity.

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15,000,000 Nashville, Tenn., electric power revenue bonds, comprising \$2,500,000 5s, due from 1942 to 1944 incl., and \$12,500,000 2.10s, maturing yearly from 1945 to 1959 incl., were awarded to Blyth & Co., Inc., Lehman Bros., and Blair & Co., Inc., all of New York, and associates, at a price of 100.30, a net interest cost of about 2.23%.

6,922,000 Detroit, Mich., non-callable series F refunding bonds, comprising \$2,884,000 33/s, due from 1940 to 1952 incl., and \$4,938,000 33/s, due from 1940 to 1952 incl., and \$4,938,000 33/s, due from 1953 to 1962 incl., purchased by the First National Bank of New York and associates, at a price of 100.002, a net interest cost to the city of about 3.55%. Reoffered from a yield of 1% to a price of 99.50, according to interest rate and maturity.

5,750,000 Buffalo, N. Y., bonds, consisting of \$3,500,000 2.10s, due from 1940 to 1949 incl., and \$2,250,000 2s, due from 1940 to 1949 incl., and \$2,250,000 2s, due from 1940 to 1959 incl., sold to the Manufacturers & Traders Trust Co., Buffalo, and associates, at a price of 100.189, a net interest cost of about 2.03%. Reoffered to yield from 0.40% to 2.25%, according to interest rate and maturity.

3,500,000 New London, Conn., 2% bonds sold to an account headed by Lehman Bros. of New York, at 102.03, a basis of about 1.85%. The bonds, due serially from 1940 to 1969 incl., were reoffered to yield from 0.15% to 2%, according to maturity.

3,235,000 Minneapolis, Minn., 1.70% bonds, due serially from 1940 to 1949 incl., purchased by Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., New York, and associates, at a net interest cost to the city of about 1.69%. Reoffered on a yield basis of from 0.25% to 1.80%, according to maturity.

2,400,000 Chicago, Ill., water system certificates of indebtedness, due from 1950 to 1958 incl., awarded to R. D. White & Co. of New York, bidding alone, as 2½s, at a price of 101.56, a basis of about 2.37%. Bankers placed the issue privately.

2,250,000 North Carolina (State of) impt. and school bonds, embracing \$300,000 1½s, due in 1942 and 1943, and \$1,950,000 1½s, due from 1943 to 1949 incl., taken by Kirchofer & Arnold, Inc. of Raleigh, at par, or a net interest cost of about 1.26%. Reoffered to yield from 0.50% to 1.40%, according to coupon rate and date of maturity.

2,246,000 Albany, N. Y., bonds, due serially from 1940 to 1979 incl., were awarded to an account managed by Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., New York, as 1.70s, at 100.25, a basis of about 1.65%. Reoffered to yield from 0.20% to 2.15%, according to maturity.

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2,000,000 Louisiana (State of) highway bonds sold as follows: 1,000,000 to Newman, Harris & Co. of New Orleans, and associates, at 100.011 for \$750,000 3s. due from 1943 to 1957 incl., and \$250,000 3 4s. due from 1958 to 1962 incl., a net interest cost of about 3.10%. The other \$1,000,000 were purchased by Blyth & Co., Inc., New York, and associates, at 100.034 for 3 4s, a basis of about 3.24%.

1,500,000 Montana (State of) highway debentures, due in 1949, optional after 1944, purchased by Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., New York, and associates, as 1 1/4 s, at 100.15, a basis of about 1.72%. Reoffered to yield 1.50% to optional date and 1.75% thereafter.

1,443,000 Tennessee (State of) bonds were awarded to Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., New York, and associates, as 1¾s and 2½s, at 100.175, a net interest cost of about 1.96%. The \$1,083,000 consolidated 1¾s, due Dec. 1, 1950, were reoffered at a price of 99.50, and the \$350,000 armory 2½s, maturing in 1955, were priced to yield 2.10%.

1,250,000 Delaware (State of) 1¾% highway bonds, due from 1940 to 1979 incl., and callable after 1940, sold to a group headed E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., New York, at a price of 101.385. Reoffered to yield from 0.10% to 1.625%, according to maturity.

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1,220,000 Arkansas (State of) non-callable refunding 3s, 3¼s, 3½s and 3¾s, due serially from 1940 to 1948 incl., purchased by A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc., Chicago, and Stifel, Nicolaus & Co., St. Louis, jointly. Reoffered to yield from 1% to 3.30%, according to maturity.

1,195,000 Swift County, Minn., 3¼% and 3½% refunding bonds, due serially from 1940 to 1964 incl., awarded to the First National Bank & Trust Co., Minneapolis, and associates, at 100.16, a net interest cost of about 3.46%.

1,170,000 Worcester, Mass., 1¼% bonds, due annually from 1940 to 1949 incl., purchased by the Second National Bank of Boston, at 101.21, a basis of about 0.98%. There was no reoffering of the bonds.

1,011,000 Greece, N. Y., 2¼% Sewer District No. 1 bonds, due serially from 1940 to 1959 incl., sold to Sage, Rutty & Co. of Rochester, at 100.239, a basis of about 2.22%.

The following is the customary record of the issues which.

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Page		Name	Int. Rate	Amount	Report
3563	9	Baker County, Fla	4%	\$50,000	Sale postponed
148		Cascade Locks, Ore	not exc. 6%	79,000	Sale postponed
149		Chattanooga, Tenn		13,200,000	Sale postponed
3726	c	Cleveland, Ohio	not exc. 4%	1,300,000	Sale canceled
3568		Cuyahoga County, Ohio	not exc. 4%	848,000	No bids
3877		Depew. N. Y		25,000	Sale post poned
286		Eunice, La	not exc. 6%	65,000	Bids rejected
		Forest Lake, Minn		10,000	Bids rejected
148		Jefferson S. D., Ohio	not exc. 6%	3,000	Sale postponed
3882		Kittitas Co. S. D. 200, Wash.	not exc. 6%	45,000	Bids rejected
144				1,000,000	Offering canceled
3878		Marshall, N. C.	not exc. 6%	23,000	No bids
3723		Muskegon, Mich	not exc. 4%	125,000	No bids
3567		Niagara S. D. 3, N. Y	not exc. 6%	45,000	Sale postponed
3881		Pelly, Texas	4%	30,000	No blds
3880		Portage Township, Pa	31/2%	15,000	No bids
3562		San Bernardino Co. (Morongo			
		S. D.), Calif	not exc. 41/2%	4,000	
143		Waterbury, Conn	X	70,000	Offering canceled
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x Rate of interest was optional with the bidder. a Date of sale was changed July 10. b Fallure to sell issue was due to delay in enactment of legislation I Congress relating to the TVA program. c Offering was canceled owing to three end litigation concerning the proposed bond issue. d New offering date is July 1 e The State awarded \$2,000,000 bonds and canceled offering of an addition \$1,000,000.

Temporary financing by municipal governments during June involved the disposal of issues aggregating \$34,359,481, of which \$22,650,000 was accounted for by the City of New York. Offerings of this character continue to attract spirited bidding and the terms achieved by borrowers vividly illustrate the frantic efforts of banks and other institutions to find a market for mounting accumulations of idle resources.

sources.
Long-term financing by Canadian municipal units amounted to \$31,789,767, which includes the public sale in the United States of \$9,250,000 Province of New Brunswick 3% and 3½% bonds due in 1944 and 1949. The financing constituted the first public offering of provincial or municipal securities in this country since the Securities and Exchange Act went into effect. The underwriting group was headed by Smith, Barney & Co. of New York and the obligations were speedily absorbed by investors. Bulk of the proceeds of the loan will be used by the Province for new capital purposes. Issues placed in Canada included an item of \$16,000,000 by the Province of Ontario. The Dominion

Government borrowed \$75,000,000 on a temporary basis during the month.

None of the United States Possessions appeared in the

United States for credit in June.

Below we furnish a comparison of all the various forms of obligations sold in June during the last five years:

r (* 1 de Frant)	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935
- Tara (1984)	S	8	8	S	\$
Perm. loans (U. S.)_	292,140,462	144.088.903	112.050.839	108.597.733	64.735,885
* Temp. loans(U.S.)_			122,477,700		83,455,000
Canada l'ns (perm.):		100		1 19 5 31	5 7 7 7 7 8
Placed in Canada.	22,539,767	955,286	33,332,163	6,233,600	36,075,000
Placed in U. S	9.250,000	None	None	None	None
General fund bonds	The state of the state of	and the second	Maria Maria	No. 384) 52 5 6	TT 42 - 1 -
(N. Y. City)	None	None	None	None	None
Bonds U. S. Poss'ns	None	2,886,000	None	2,750,000	None
Total	388 289 710	250 051 035	267 860 702	207 089 703	184 265 885

<sup>\*</sup> Includes temporary securities (revenue bonds and bills and corporate stock notes) issued by New York City: \$2,255,000 in June, 1939; \$20,000,000 in June, 1937; none in June, 1936; \$65,500,000 in June, 1935.

The number of municipalities in the United States issuing permanent bonds and the number of separate issues made during June, 1939, were 315 and 398, respectively. This contrasts with 329 and 433 for May, 1939, and 333 and 378 for June, 1938.

For comparative purposes we give the following table, showing the aggregate for June and the six months for a series of years. In these figures temporary loans and bonds issued by Canadian municipalities are excluded:

	Month of	For the		Month of	For the
	June	6 Months	Part of Agent Miller	June	6 Months
1939	292,140,462	\$745,758,849	1915	108,976,230	\$322,982,610
1938	144,088,903	508,632,992	1914	54,403,737	357,557,177
1937		556,806,135	1913	39,386,230	218,879,270
1936	108,597,733	614,446,413	1912	49,485,807	246,289,293
1935	64,735,885	600,010,462	1911	27,470,820	223,262,370
1934	115,126,622	519,570,535	1910	19,369,775	162,846,110
1933	103,399,535	226,425,126	1909	62,124,450	207,125,317
1932	88,794,393	528,469,540	1908	31,606,064	
1931	120,611,521	851,188,436	1907	21,390,486	115,347,889
1930	151,639,581	765,536,582	1906	21,686,622	102,338,245
1929	150,703,034	670.383.755	1905	19.016.754	111,723,054
1928	129,806,486	778,419,445	1904	24,245,909	137,869,155
1927	158,862,319	882,820,720	1903	16,926,619	79,576,434
1926	140,731,789	748,986,936	1902	28,417,172	87,628,395
1925	139,653,772	751,838,574	1901	13,468,098	61,223,060
1924	242,451,538	788,744,973	1900	19,670,126	77,943,665
1923	161,711,896	584,800,923	1899	29,348,742	63,345,376
1922	118,969,285	655,086,150	1898	9,704,925	44.078,547
1921	110,412,059	466,415,487	1897	16,385,065	73,275,377
1920	45,113,020	322,661,532	1896	12,792,308	43,176,964
1919	100,378,461	305,650,839	1895	15,907,441	56,991,613
1918	27,821,083	151,766,284	1894	16.359.377	66,426,992
1917	28,510,832	221,579,100	1893	1,888,935	32,663,115
1916			1892	12,249,000	49,093,291

Owing to the crowded condition of our columns, we are obliged to omit this week the customary table showing the month's bond sales in detail. It will be given later.

# News Items

State and Local Government Division Designated by Director of the Census—The Division of the Bureau of the Census which compiles and publishes data on State and local government finances and activities has been appropriately renamed the Division of State and Local Government, effective July 1, 1939, according to an announcement made on June 30 by Director William L. Austin of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

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Changes in the names previously used for the Division and its officers have occurred informally from time to time, as the scope of the Division's work has changed. The Division was separately organized in 1912 as the "Division of Statistics of Cities," in charge of a "Chief Statistician for Finance and Municipal Statistics." Later names have included "Financial Statistics of Cities," "Financial Statistics of States and Cities." "Statistics of States and Cities." "Statistics of States and Cities." and "States and Cities." The new designation, "Division of State and Local Government," Indicates the present scope of the statistical duties of the Division, and is comparable to names of other Census units, such as Division of Population, Division of Manufactures, Division of Agriculture, &c.

The decennial canvass, now called Financial Statistics of State and Local Governments, originated in 1850, with the report on "Social Statistics." The last of these decennial canvasses was in 1932, and plans are now oeing made for the 1942 survey, which will cover the more than 180,000 units of government in the United States. The Bureau of the Census was authorized to continue the annual Statistics of Cities Having a Population of Overanoment in the United States. The Bureau of Labor since 1898. Since 1932, this city series has been confined to financial statistics and has covered only cities having over 100,000 population, but a restitution to its former coverage is expected to be authorized shortly. Financial data for counties including within their boundaries a city of over 300,000 population have been compiled since 1907. Annual Financial Statistics of States were added to the Division's work in 1915, and after a temporary elimination in 1933 were restored beginning with 1937 reports. Illustrative of State on public employment and payrolls of States, cities and counties; summaries of State tax legislation; and propositions v

New York State—Numerous Changes Shown in New Legal Investment List—Issues of railroad securities aggregating \$941,864,679 have been removed from the list of securities considered eligible for purchase by savings banks, which was made available on July 1 by William R. White, New York State Superintendent of Banks.

Fifty-three issues, aggregating \$888,101,679, have been disqualified because the debtor railroads failed to earn their fixed charges last year as required by the Banking Law, and 16 issues, totaling \$53,763,000, which appeared on the July 1, 1938 list, have been removed because they have since

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"The volume of railroad securities eligible for purchase by savings banks in New York has dropped from \$7,600,000,000 in 1931 to \$2,584,507,900.

"The present figure of the second parable with that of 1931 because it includes \$1,603,450,000 of securities which are eligible for investment by a temporary moratorium provision. Actually, there are less than a billion dollars of railroad securities which, on the basis of last year's sarnings, comply with the standards prescribed by the Banking Law in 1931.

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Summary of Additions and Removals—Following are the additions and removals in the list of securities considered eligible for investment by savings banks (as of July 1, 1939), prepared by the Superintendent of Banks under the New York State Banking Law. Removals total \$1,084,524,005 and additions \$424,556,650.

ADDIT	TIONS
Municipalities	Railroads (Concluded)
Approx.	Approx.
Amounts	Amounte
West Haven, Conn\$2,443,000	Gulf Mobile & Nor. RR. Co.:
Malden, Mass 5,279,000	1st 51/2s, 1950, series B \$4,000,000
Malden, Mass 5,279,000 Burlington, N. J 768,500 Burlington County, N. J 325,000	1st 5s, 1950, series C 6,000,000
Burlington County, N. J 325,000	Paducah & Illinois RR. Co.:
Nutley, N. J 2,000,000	1st 41/2s, 1955 2,726,000
Nutley School District, N. J. 1,652,000	Pennsylvania RR. Co.: 2,726,000
Passaic, N. J	Eq tr 93/n T due to
Passaic, N. J. 16,877,000 South Orange, N. J. 2,093,000	Eq. tr. 23/4s, I, due to
South Orange, N. J 2,093,000	July 1, 1953 6,330,000
Beaver County, Pa 4,453,000	
DeIatur, III	\$22,341,000
*Decatur S. D. No. 61, Ill 767,050	Public Utilities
*Moline, Ill 729,000	Blackstone Val. G. & E. Co.:
*Rock Island County S. D.	Mtg. & coll. 31/28, 1968,
No. 40 (Moline), Ill 564,000	series D\$4,000,000
Durham, N. C 9,717,000	Brooklyn Edison Co.:
*Durham County (Durham),	Cons. 3s, 1968 4.240.000
N. C 1,568,000	Central Maine Power Co.:
	1st & gen. 31/2s, '68, ser. J. 4,500,000
\$50,059,550	Conn. Light & Power Co.:
(Note-Under the provisions of para-	1st & ref. 31/s, '68, ser. H_ 15,000,000
graph (f) of subdivision 5 of Section 235	Consol. Gas El. Lt. & Power
	Co. of Baltimore:
of the New York State Banking Law,	
obligations of places issued after the year	1st ref. 3s, 1969, series P. 7,000,000
1938 shall be legal for purchase only if the	The Gas & El. Co. of Bergen
issuing municipality has power to levy	County:
taxes on the taxable real property therein	Gen. 5s, 1954, No. 2 1,617,000
for the payment of such obligations with-	Cons. 5s, 1949 1,443,000
out limitation of rate or amount. The	Hudson County Gas Co.:
investment status of any limited tax obli-	1st 5s, 1949 10,500,000
gations issued prior to Jan. 1, 1939 is not	Newark Consol. Gas Co.:
affected by subdivision 5 (f).)	Cons. 5s, 1948 6,000,000
* Obligations, regardless of date of is-	The Newark Gas Co.:
sue, shall be legal for purchase only if the	1st 6s, 1944 3,999,700
issuing municipality has power to levy	N. Y. & Qu. El. Lt. & P. Co.:
taxes on the taxable real property therein	1st & cons. 31/4s, 1965 25,000,000
for the payment of such obligations with-	1st & cons. 31/s, 1968 10,000,000
for the payment of such obligations with	Ohio Power Co. 1st 31/s, 1968 55,000,000
out limitation of rate or amount.	Pat. & Passaic G. & El. Co.:
The second color	Cong Eg 1040
Railroads	Cons. 58, 1949 4,049,000
	P. S. El. & G. Co. of N. J.:
Subdivision 7	1st & ref. 31/4s, 1968 10,000,000
Atch. Top. & S. F. Ry. Co.:	1st & ref. 5s, 2037 8,249,000
Eq. tr. 21/8, 1937, due to	1st & ref. 8s, 2037 7,623,400
Feb. 15, 1952\$11,960,000	Rochester G. & E. Corp.:
Eq. tr. 21/s, B, due to	Gen. 4s, 1960, series F 15,000,000
Dec. 15, 1947 3,510,000	Gen. 3%s. 1966, series G 3.000.000
Ches. & Ohio Ry. Co.:	Gen. 31/28, 1967, series I 1,657,000
Ches. & Ohio Ry. Co.: Ref. & impt. 3½s, 1963,	Gen. 31/s, 1969, series J 8,323,000
series F 30,000,000	So. Jersey G. E. & Trac. Co.:
Cincinnati Union Term. Co.:	1st 5s, 1938 19,487,000
1st 3%s, 1969, series E 12,000,000	Toledo Edison Co.:
100 0780, 1000, BOLICO 13=== 12,000,000	Toledo Edison Co.: 1st 31/2s, 1968
\$57,470,000	Trenton Gas & Elec. Co.:
\$37,470,000	let 5e 1040
Co. Eddalolou P. a	1st 5s, 1949 1,998,000
Subdivision 7-a	West Penn Power Co.:
Chie. Burl. & Quincy RR. Co.:	1st 31/s, 1968, series J 71,000,000
Eq. tr. 21/28, 1937, due to	So'western Bell Telep. Co.:
Oct. 1, 1947 \$3,285,000	1st & ref. 3s, 1968, series C 30,000,000

Municipalities

#### REMOVALS 1

Railroads (Concluded)

Municipalities	10 10 10	Railroads (Concluded)	
	Approx.	Approx.	
	Amounts	Amounts	
Berkshire County, Mass	\$250,000	Northern Pacific Ry. Co.:	
Cumberland County N I	511 000	Gen lien & ld or 2s 2017 \$54 451 50	200
Cumberland County, N. J.	511,000	De lien & ld	v
Hamilton Township, N. J Hamilton Twp. S. D., N. J Rahway, N. J Trenton, N. J	1,937,943 1,303,700 2,276,733	Pr. lien & id. grant 4s, '97.106, 292, 60 Ref. & imp. 4½s, 2047, A. 20,000,0 Ref. & imp. 6s, 2047, B. 105,959,60 Ref. & imp. 5s, 2047, C. 8,702,30 Ref. & imp. 5s, 2047, D. 10,000,00 St. P. & Dul. Div. 4s, 1005	Ю
Hamilton Twp. S. D., N. J	1,303,700	Ref. & imp. 4 1/28, 2047, A. 20,000,0	ю
Rahway, N. J.	2,276,733	Ref. & imp. 68, 2047, B_105,959,60	ю
Trenton, N. J. 1	9,856,000	Ref. & imp. 58, 2047, C. 8,702.30	0
Erie County, Pa	3,760,000	Ref. & imp. 58, 2047, D 10,000,00	n
	428,000	St. P. & Dul. Div. 4s, 1996 253,00	'n
Pittston, Pa	205,000	Farr 41/4 due to Mar 140 470 00	U
Pittston Sch. Dist., Pa	385,000	Eq.tr.41/28, due to Mar. '40 470,00 Eq.tr.21/48, due to July '46 2,400,00	U
Tloga County, Pa	380,000	Eq.tr.21/4 s, due to July '46_ 2,400,00	O
New Castle County (Wilming-		Eq.tr.2% s,due to May '47. 5,841.00	0
ton), Del	3,939,000	Northern Ry, of California:	
Buchanan County (St. Jo-		Eq.tr.23/s, due to May '47 5,841.00 Northern Ry. of California: 1st 5s, 1938 4,751,00	n
seph), Mo	1,956,000	Pennsylvania RR. Co.:	
St. Joseph, Mo	4,423,000	Eq. tr. 5s, B, due to Apr.'39 1,340,00	'n
St. Joseph S. D. (St. J.), Mo-	2,722,000	St. Paul & Duluth RR. Co.:	v
St. Joseph S. D. (St. J.), MU.	6,122,000		
Cleveland City S. D. (Cleve-		1st cons. 4s, 1968 1,000,00	U
land), Ohio	9,406,250	Sewell Valley RR. Co.:	
land), Ohio	1,987,000	1st 5s, 1938 300,00 Southern Pacific Co.:	0
Charleston Independent Sch.		Southern Pacific Co.:	
Dist. (Charleston), W. Va.	1,648,000	Oregon Lines 1st 41/28, '77.	
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		Eq.tr.5s, G, due to May '39 1,176,00	0
Railroads	4.7534	Eq.tr.4 1/28, K, due to Aug'43 1,605,00	0
Arizona Eastern Ry. Co.:	38.7	Eq.tr.41/2s, L.due to J'ne'44 2.730.00	0
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Boston & Maine RR. Co.:		Mar. 1, 1952 9,724,00	0
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New York State—Legislature Set to Adopt Budget on July 10—The special session of the Legislature, in a brief meeting held on July 5, fixed the afternoon of July 10 for the return of the full legislative body for the enactment of a constitutional budget appropriation bill, according to Albany advices Albany advices.

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The Republican leadership reiterated its plans to pass the revised budget bill reducing Governor Lehman's original \$415,006,000 apppropriation by approximately \$23,000,000, after both Houses met in three minute perfunctory sessions.

It is said to have been decided to push the budget to passage in both Houses before considering the Moffat bill, authorizing payless furloughs for school teachers and educational employees throughout the State.

It is also reported the Moffat bill and the Mitchell bill, authorizing payless furloughs for New York city teachers would be "throughly discussed before any action is taken."

"We want to know just which bill we will consider, if any," he added. Leaders decided on a perfunctory session Friday because of the constitutional provision preventing adjournment for more than two days.

The conference on the budget came after leaders decided to move cautiously in adopting the new budget.

Florida—Defaults Expected as Result of Court Ruling on Road Bonds—As a result of a recent Florida Supreme Court decision to the effect that interest and sinking funds of road and bridge refunding bonds were subject to mandamus by holders of original bonds, defaults may be expected in certain of the road issues within the next few weeks, according to R. E. Crummer & Co., Inc. of Chicago.

Following the action of the Court, the State Board of Administration held that it was necessary to pay the accumulated defaults on the unexchanged original bonds before further interest could be paid on the refunding bonds or further refunding bonds retired.

To alleviate the situation the following amendments to the Municipal Bankruptcy Act have been proposed in Congress by Senators Pepper and Andrews of Florida:

1. That the expiration date of the Municipal Bankruptcy Act shall be extended from June 30, 1940, to June 30, 1942.

2. That counties and parishes shall be permitted to file petitions in bankruptcy.

3. That petitions in bankruptcy may be filed covering projects in which there have been partial exchanges, and the bonds actually exchanged under such plans may be considered as having consented to the plans of composition, thus removing the tedious requirement of obtaining actual consents in writing from holders of bonds which have been exchanged under refunding programs.

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Commenting on the situation, R. E. Crummer in a letter to holders of Florida county and special road and bridge district bonds states "every indication is that the amendments will become low during the present session of Congress in which event the counties and special road and bridge districts may immediately file petitions in bankruptcy to protect their refunding programs. Until this can be done, or some other alternative method of protection can be developed, defaults may be expected in certain of the road issues. Any move, except default, would result in materially weakening the refunding issues over a period of time because such a volume of accumulated funds would be lost. The defaults will be merely technical and have been forced by circumstances beyond the control of county officials."

Illinois—Non-Resident Estates Held Exempt from Intangible Tax Levy—We quote in part as follows from an article appearing in the Chicago "Journal of Commerce" of June 27:

appearing in the Chicago "Journal of Commerce" of June 27:
Any question of double taxation on non-resident estates in Illinois was dissipated yesterday when John E. Cassidy, Attorney General, issued a definite ruling on the subject and stated emphatically that no levy of inheritance tax-s on intangible personal property of non-resident decedents is possible under present statutes.

Something like \$500,000,000 in property was involved in the matter and financial institutions of Chicago and other sections of the State have been deluged with questions in the last several weeks. There was a grave danger that some of these non-resident holdings, not only in estates and trusts but in cash balances or securities in safe-keeping at brokerage offices or in safety deposit vaults as well, might have been transferred out of the State had not the Attorney General in cooperation with the financial institutions of the city acted promptly.

Several weeks ago the Supreme Court of the United States handed down decisions in two cases, holding that if the laws of the States so authorized death taxes might be imposed by both the State in which a trustee is located and by the State in which the creator of the trust resided at his death, upon securities and other intangible property held in trust.

Financial institutions in some States, notably New York and Massachusetts, immediately began an active campaign of notification, calling attention to the possibility of double taxation, which in many instances was taken to imply that the estates or intangible personal property should be transferred to jurisdiction of the banks in those States. The Chicago institutions became aware of this doubt and uncertainty in the minds of some of their clients by the receipt of inquiries from all over the United States, and therefore asked the Attorney General to render a clearcut ruling on the existing laws.

Rhode Island—Special Session of Legislature Called for uly 14—Governor William H. Vanderbilt has called the General Assembly into special session at 1 p. m. on July 14,

General Assembly into special session at 1 p. m. on July 14, according to Providence news dispatches.

The 1939 reorganization Act, it was said, might be the target of efforts at amendment by the same bloc, and the Providence administrative Control Act was mentioned as possibly marked for Democratic attack, perhaps with the support of Republican irregulars.

That the parking meter issue would arise in the special session was indicated by a report from Representative Herman D. Ferrara, Providence Democrat, that he was preparing a bill to authorize restoration of the meters to Providence streets. They were withdrawn under a Supreme Court ruling last spring.

Governor Vanderbilt's proclamation revealed for the first time that the Legislature had failed to extend the emergency period under the Emergency Public Works Act, as well as that of the State Unemployment Relief Act. That latter failure made it evident that banks would demur on relief loan applications from cities and towns, fearing that lack of legislative authority would make such loans illegal. By extending the emergency period, the General Assembly will eliminate this problem.

State Tax Legislation in the Early Months of 1939—

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State Tax Legislation in the Early Months of 1939—
Tax exemptions and delinquencies were subjects of particular prominence among laws relating to taxation enacted early in the 1939 sessions of State legislatures, according to a summary released by William L. Austin, Director of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. Use taxes to supplement sales taxes, and extension of various tax levies originally enacted as temporary measures, were also notable. Few new taxes of importance were enacted.

With regard to property-tax delinquencies, there was a marked tendency to extend the time for payment, permit instalment payments, and eliminate interest if back taxes were paid within a specified period of time. A new North Dakota law increases to 5% the rebate allowed on property taxes paid before due. On the other hand, an Arkansas statute requires State creditors, including employees, to show that they have paid their personal property taxes for 1937 and subsequent years before receiving money from the State treasury, and North Dakota reenacted alaw authorizing deductions from State salaries to meet delinquent personal property taxes. The Georgia Legislature removed the property-tax exemption from Federal corporations having proprietary activities.

In six States new use taxes were enacted, and seven States continued general sales or use tax Acts for at least the next biennium. The effectiveness and the supplemental states of the series of the supplemental states and the supplemental states of the supplemental states atthorized tax exemptions for fuel used in connection with farm machinery. A Tennessee enforcement measure forbade entrance into the State with more than 18 gallons of gasoline in the tank.

The most significant changes in State income taxes were those based on the Supreme Court's decision in the case of Graves vs. O'Keefe. Exemption from State levies of income derived from Federal p State Tax Legislation in the Early Months of 1939

administrator.

Acknowledgment is made of the cooperation of State officials who have aided in the preparation of this report.

After adjournment of all the State legislatures, a revised summary will be prepared to include the additional laws approved subsequently to those included in this release and laws from States for which information is not now available.

## **Bond Proposals and Negotiations ALABAMA**

HUNTSVILLE, Ala.—BOND SALE DETAILS—The \$64 000 4% refunding bonds purchased jointly by Marx & Co. Watkins, Morrow & Co., both of Birmingham and the Cumperland Securities Corp., Nashville—V. 149, p. 42—were sold to the bankers at a price of 106.55 and mature as follows: \$4,000 in 1967 and \$30,000 in 1968 and 1969. Interest cost basis about 3.63%.

TARRANT CITY, Ala.—BOND TENDERS INVITED—It is state Z. D. McGuen, City Clerk, that the city has available for the purcha public improvement refunding bonds of the issue dated April 1, 1967, the sum of \$8,647.75, and the city will receive holders of such bonds sealed tenders until Aug. 1, at noon. Such ten -It is stated by must specify the numbers of the bonds so tendered or offered for sale to the city, and the price at which the same are tendered or offered. Bidders or offerers of such bonds may stipulate, if desired, that their tenders are for the purchase of all or none of the bonds tendered. Bidders shall state in their tenders that the bonds tendered, if purchased by the city, will be delivered at the City Bank Farmers Trust Co., New York, on Aug. 15. Enclose a certified check for 1% of the face amount of the bonds tendered, payable to the city.

#### ARIZONA BONDS

Markets in all Municipal Issues

REFSNES, ELY, BECK & CO. PHOENIX, ARIZONA

#### ARIZONA

NAVAJO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 (P. O. Holbrook), Ariz.—BOND SALE—The \$1,600 improvement bonds offered July 3—V. 148 p. 3873—were sold as 6s, at par, to the First National Bank of Holbrook, the only bidder.

## ARKANSAS BONDS

Markets in all State, County & Town Issues

## SCHERCK, RICHTER COMPANY

LANDRETH BUILDING, ST. LOUIS, MO.

#### **ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS, State of—HIGHWAY DEBT REFUNDING PLAN ENGOUNTERS OBSTACLES—Governor Carl E. Bailey's plan to refund \$140,000,000 of the State's highway debt has run into several obstacles recently which probably will delay refunding of the outstanding obligations. The latest obstacle is in the form of an injunction suit filled in Chancery Court by a taxpayer who requests that the State Supreme Court delay its decision in another taxpayer's suit in connection with the proposed refunding issue. Unless restrained, the Supreme Court is expected to hand down its decision July 10.

Involved in the case now before the Supreme Court is the question of whether the State can pay interest on an issue of \$47,534,668 bonds from Oct. 1 next, date of the proposed refunding series, to Jan. 1, 1940, earliest date on which the issue is callable.

GARLAND COUNTY (P. O. Hot Springs National Park), Ark.—

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GARLAND COUNTY (P. O. Hot Springs National Park), Ark.—
BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$20,000 court house repair and county
home erection bonds have been purchased by the Arkansas Trust Co. of
Hot Springs, at a price of 107.02. Due in 1941 to 1948.

HEMPSTEAD COUNTY (P. O. Hope), Ark.—BOND SALE—The
\$110,000 issue of 4% semi-annual court house and jail construction bonds
offered for sale on June 29—V. 148, p. 3873—was awarded to C. F. Childs
& Co. of Chicago, and Pondrom & Co. of Dallas, jointly, paying a price of
106.90, according to the County Clerk. Due in 1940 to 1968.

#### CALIFORNIA MUNICIPALS

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#### CALIFORNIA

CALIFORNIA STATE WATER AUTHORITY (P. O. Sacramento) Calif.—REVENUE BOND BILL DEFEATED—It is reported by A. D Edmonston, Acting Secretary of the Authority, that the bill which would have authorized the above named Authority to issue \$170,000,000 in revenue bonds failed to receive the approval of the Assembly, although passed in the Senate.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY (P. O. Los Angeles), Calif.—SCHOOL BOND OFFERING—We are informed by L. E. Lampton, County Clerk, that he will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m. on July 11, for the purchase of a \$15,000 issue of Sulphur Springs School District bonds. Interest rate is not to exceed 5%, payable J-J. Denom. \$1,000. Dated July 1, 1939. Due \$1,000 from July 1, 1940 to 1954, incl. A certified check for not less than 3% of the bonds bid for, payable to the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, is required.

#### CONNECTICUT

ANSONIA, Conn.—BONDS DEFEATED—At an election on June 24 the voters defeated a proposed issue of \$100,000 high school construction bonds by a wide margin.

## FLORIDA BONDS

# Clyde C. Pierce Corporation Barnett National Bank Building JACKSONVILLE Branch Office: TAMPA First National Bank Building T. S. Pierce, Resident Manager

#### **FLORIDA**

DADE COUNTY SPECIAL TAX SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 14 (P. O. Miami), Fla.—OTHER BIDS—The \$125,000 4% school site and building bonds awarded to John Nuveen & Co. of Chicago, at a price of 108.423, a basis of about 3.47%—V. 149, p. 143—were also bid for as follows:

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Bidder—	Rate Bid
Mercantile National Bank of Miami Beach	- 107.94
Natco Corp. Miami	107.90
Bessemer Properties Inc.	107.70
Clyde C Pierce Corn and Folmon & Co	- 107.70

FLORIDA, State of—BOND AND NOTE TENDERS RECEIVED—In connection with the call for tenders of sealed offerings of matured or unmatured original or refunding road and bridge or highway bonds, time

warrants, certificates of indebtedness and (or) negotiable notes of various counties and special road and bridge districts, noted here on June 17—V. 148, p. 3720—it is reported by W. V. Knott, State Treasurer, that 11 parties offered bonds.

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FLORIDA, State of ATTORNEY GENERAL OUTLINES METHOD FOR BOND PAYMENT—An Associated Press dispatch from Tallahassee on June 24 reported as follows:

Attorney General George Couper Gibbs laid out today the legal paths the State Board of Administration may travel in attempting to help Florida counties solve a serious road bond problem.

Spokesmen for a group of counties told the Board this week "35 or 30" counties may have to default July 1 on refunding bonds, because of a Supreme Court decision giving original bonds an equal footing with refunding issues.

Default on refunding interest payments will cause reversion to the higher interest rate of original bonds, the spokesmen said, and bring financial chaos to a number of counties. They said the counties had insufficient funds to pay interest on both original and refunding bonds.

Mr. Gibbs said in reply to a number of questions propounded by Tresaurer W. V. Knott to obtain an opinion covering varying situations:

1. Bondholders who refused to refund may be offered payment of interest at the refunding rate if their interest certificates are returned to them with an endorsement of the partial payment.

2. Counties would not "be authorized to issue script to take the place of the unpaid part of any interest coupon upon which a partial payment was made."

3. "If sufficient funds are not available . . . past due and currently

of the unpaid part of any interest coupon upon which a partial payment was made."

3. "If sufficient funds are not available . . . past due and currently accruing interest may be paid in preference to past due principal."

4. Whether or not sufficient funds are available to pay interest on both original and refunding bonds, county commissions may not direct payment only of the refunding certificates.

5. The Board may "in the exercise of its discretionary power to minimize defaults" apply available funds to current interest on refunding and original bonds, even though there are unpaid coupons and bonds of prior maturities.

6. If amply funds are available, the Board must "simultaneously remit funds for the payment, at face value, of all past due coupons and currently maturing coupons from original bonds at the time remittance is made for currently maturing coupons on refunding bonds."

The Board of Administration handles gasoline tax revenue accruing to counties under the 1931 laws applying three cents of the seven-cent levy to retiring road bonds.

Under prescribed conditions, county commissions may direct the Board to use the money to retire bonds at less than par or meet principal and interest charges.

FLORIDA. State of—TABULATION MADE OF CAS TAX ALLOCA.

FLORIDA, State of—TABULATION MADE OF GAS TAX ALLOCATIONS—On the back of their most recent quotation circular, the Clyde C. Pierce Corp. of Jacksonville, presents a tabulation of gasoline tax funds allocated to the 67 counties of the State to be used only for debt service on their outstanding road and bridge debts. The counties are listed alphabetically and the information shown for each consists of approximate total outstanding road debt as of June 1, 1939; gas tax certified as due; repaid to April 1, 1939; amount yet to be repaid; when payment is to be completed, and the 1938 ad valorem miscellaneous collections for debt service.

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JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—BOND SALE—The \$95,000 refunding, issue of 1939, coupon bonds offered for sale on July 5—V. 148, p. 387—was awarded to the Atlantic National Bank of Jasksonville, as 2.10s, paying a premium of \$95, equal to 100.10, a basis of about 2.09%. Dated July 15, 1939. Due on July 15, 1951.

The following is an official list of the bids received:
Bidder— Rank of Jacksonville (purchaser) 2 10% \$95.00
The Barnett National Bank of Jacksonville 24% 95.00
Clyde C. Pierce Corp., Jacksonville 240% 255.55
Harris Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago; Trust Co. of Georgia, Atlanta; Mercantile Trust Co., Baltimore, and Childress & Co., Jacksonville 24% 200.00
Lazard Freres & Co., New York City 24% 200.00
MANATEE COUNTY (P. O. Bradenton), Fla.—BOND OFFERING

MANATEE COUNTY (P. O. Bradenton), Fla.—BOND OFFERING It is stated by R. R. Roadman, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, that he will receive sealed bids until noon on July 20, for the purchase of the following refunding bonds, aggregating \$142,250; \$66,250 special road and bridge district, and \$76,000 county-wide road and bridge bonds. It is reported that bids will be accepted subject to approval of the State Board of Administration.

State Board of Administration.

MELBOURNE AND WAUCHULA, Fla.—BOND ADJUSTMENT PLAN APPROVED.—Plans for the readjustment and refunding of bonds and obligations of the above cities have been adopted and approved by the Florida Municipal Bondholders' Protective Committee of which John S. Harris is chairman, it was announced on July 6. A copy of the plan relating to Melbourne has been filled with Barnett National Bank of Jackson-ville and a copy of the plan relating to Wauchula has been filled with the Florida National Bank of Jacksonville, depositaries for the committee.

HARTY A. Dunn, 406 Hildebrandt Building, Jacksonville, Florida, is Secretary of the Committee.

PINELLAS COUNTY (P. O. Clearwater), Fla.—SEEKS BOND REFUNDING PROPOSALS—The Board of County Commissioners will receive proposals until 10 a. m. on Aug. 4, at the County Courthouse, Clearwater, for refunding of \$8,780,900 bonds, as follows: \$ 351,000 county-wide general refunding bonds. 3,419,000 county-wide road and bridge refunding bonds. 5,010.900 special road and bridge refunding bonds. A complete financial report may be obtained from Ray E. Green, Clerk of the Circuit Court.

PINELLAS COUNTY SPECIAL TAX SCHOOL DISTRICTS (P. O. Clearwater), Fla.—SEEKS BOND REFUNDING PROPOSALS—The County Board of Public Instruction will receive proposals until 2 p. m. on Aug. 4, at the County Courthouse, Clearwater, for the refunding of \$4,181.750 of outstanding bonds of the special tax school districts. Financial information respecting the several Special Tax School Districts may be obtained on request from G. V. Fuguitt, County Superintendent of Public Instruction and Ex-Officio Secretary to the Board of Public Instruction.

POLK COUNTY SPECIAL ROAD AND BRIDGE DISTRICTS (P. O. Bartow), Fla.—BOND SALE—The various issues of 5½% semi-annual refunding, issue of 1938, coupon or registered bonds, aggregating \$34,000, offered for sale on July 3—V. 148, p. 3874—were awarded as follows:

\$3,000 Special Road and Bridge District No. 3, Series A bonds to S. P. James of Bartow, at a price of 101.00, a basis of about 5.40%. Due on Jan. 1, 1953.
5,000 Special Road and Bridge District No. 12 bonds to the above purchaser at a price of 101.00, a basis of about 5.30%. Due on Jan. 1, 1946.
15,000 Special Road and Bridge District No. 10 bonds to R. E. Crummer & Co. of Orlando, at a price of 98.50, a basis of about 5.74%. Due on Jan. 1 in 1946 and 1947.
11,000 Special Road and Bridge District No. 15 bonds to the Peoples Savings Bank of Lakeland at par. Due on Jan. 1 in 1947 and 1948.

#### GEORGIA

MACON, Ga.—CERTIFICATE OFFERING—It is stated by Mayor Charles L. Bowden that he will offer for sale at public auction on July 15, at noon, a \$375,000 issue of debt certificates. Interest rate is not to exceed 2%, payable J-J. Dated July 1, 1939. Due \$75,000 on July 1 in 1940 to 1944, incl. The purchaser is to furnish the legal opinion and have the certificates printed at his own expense. The form of certificates is to be approved by the Finance Committee.

#### IDAHO

BELLEVUE, Idaho—BOND OFFERING—It is reported that bids will be received until July 14, by Paul Jones, City Clerk, for the purchase of an \$18.000 issue of not to exceed 4½% semi-annual water works system improvement bonds. A certified check for 5% is required with the bid.

BOISE, Idaho—BOND SALE—The \$70,000 issue of refunding bonds offered for sale on July 5—V. 149, p. 143—was awarded to the Idaho First National Bank of Boise, as 1 1/8 s, paying a price of 100.33, according to the City Clerk.

FRANKLIN COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. (P. O. Clifton), Idaho—BOND SALE—Orson Koford, Clerk of Board Education, reports the sale of \$5,750 4% construction bonds to the State, par. Due in 20 years. Issue was voted on June 12.

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LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT (P. O. Hailey), Idaho—RFCLOAN AUTHORIZED—The following press release was made public by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation on June 30:

"A loan for completion of a dam has been authorized by the RFC for an irrigation district in Idaho, in the amount of \$72,500. This makes a total to date of \$106,930,060,46 authorizations outstanding under the provisions of Section 36, Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended. The district is, Little Wood River Irrigation District, Blaine County, Idaho, \$72,500."

OWYHEE AND CANYON COUNTIES, JOINT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. J-80 (P. O. Homedale), Idaho—BONDS VOTED—At an election held on June 17 the voters are said to have approved the issuance of \$8,000 in not to exceed 6% semi-annual construction bonds.

#### ILLINOIS

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS PARK DISTRICT, III.—PRICE PAID—The \$30,000 5% community house park bonds purchased earlier in the year by Seipp, Princell & Co. of Chicago—V. 148, p. 2778—were sold at a price of 102, a basis of about  $483\,\%$ 

LIBERTYVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT, III.—BOND SALE—The H. C. Speer & Sons Co. of Chicago purchased on June 15 an issue of \$15,000 3% coupon construction bonds at par. Dated June 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000 Due as follows: \$1,000 from 1946 to 1950, incl. and \$2,000 from 1951 to 1955, incl. Interest F-A.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—BOND SALE—Harris- Hall & Co. of Chicago, obtained award on July 5 of \$198,000 water revenue bonds as 2¼s, at par plus \$811.80 premium, equal to 100.41, a basis of about 2.21%. Dated July 1, 1939 and due July 1, 1951. Interest JJ. Second high bid of 102.747 for 2½s, was made by Farwell, Chapman & Co. of Chicago.

#### INDIANA

ETNA GREEN, Ind.—BOND SALE—The \$6,000 sewer bonds offered June 20—V. 148, p. 3563—were awarded to Raffensperger, Hughes & Co. of Indianapolis, as 2348, at a price of 100.061, a basis of about 2.24%. Dated July 1, 1939 and due as follows: \$250 July 1, 1941; \$250 Jan. 1, and July 1 from 1942 to 1952, incl. and \$250 Jan. 1, 1953.

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FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL TOWNSHIP (P. O. Roachdale), Ind.—BOND SALE—The \$7,000 2½% coupon school bonds offered June 29—V. 148, p. 3721—were awarded to the Fletcher Trust Co., Indianapolis, at par plus \$182 premium equal to 102,60, a basis of about 1.86%. Dated July 1, 1939 and due as follows: \$500 July 1, 1940; \$500 Jan. 1 and July 1 from 1941 to 1946, incl.; and \$500 Jan. 1, 1947. Other bids:

Bidder—
Raffensperger, Hughes & Co. \$166.66
Roachdale Bank & Trust Co. \$166.66
Roachdale Bank & Trust Co. \$77.00

Premium \$166.66 152.00 77.00

buy the property.

INDIANAPOLIS SCHOOL CITY, Ind.—BOND OFFERING—A. B. Good, Business Director, Board of School Commissioners, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (CST) on July 11, for the purchase of \$200,000 not to exceed 5% interest coupon school bonds. Dated July 17, 1939 Denom. \$1,000. Due \$10,000 on April 1 from 1941 to 1960, incl. Bidder to name one rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ of 1%. Principal and interest (A-O) payable at the Treasury of the Board of School Commissioners. A certified check for at least 3% of the bonds bid for, payable to order of the Board of School Commissioners, is required. Bidding form must be obtained from the Business Director.

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WHITE RIVER TOWNSHIP SCHOOL TOWNSHIP (P. O. Winchester), Ind.—BOND OFFERING—Andrew J. Davis, Trustee, will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. on July 24 for the purchase of \$50,000 4% school bonds. Dated Sept. 1, 1939. Denom. \$500. Due as follows: \$2,000, July 15, 1940; \$2,000, Jan. 15 and July 15 from 1941 to 1949 incl.; \$2,000, Jan. 15. and \$1,000 July 15, 1955; \$1,900, Jan 15 and July 15 from 1951 to 1954 incl. and \$1,000, Jan. 15, 1955. Interest J.J. Purchaser will be required to pay and provide for the printing of the bonds. They are direct obligations of the school township payable, subject only to statutory limitations, out of ad valorem taxes to be levied and collected on all of its taxable property. A certified check for not less than \$500 is required.

#### IOWA

LINCOLN TOWNSHIP CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Voorhies), Iowa—BOND OFFERING—The Board of Directors will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. on July 8 for the purchase of \$3,500 school building bonds which were authorized at an election on June 19.

ORANGE CITY, Iowa—BOND SALE—An issue of \$8,000 234% refunding bonds was sold through the C. W. Britton Co. of Sloux City.

ORANGE CITY, Iowa—BOND SALE—An issue of \$8,000 2¼% refunding bonds was sold through the C. W. Britton Co. of Sioux City.

WATERLOO, Iowa—LIST OF BIDS—In connection with the sale of the \$512,000 sewer outlet and purifying plant bonds to a syndicate headed by the Harris Trust & Savings Bank of Chicago, as 1¼s, at 100.8058, a basis of 1.67%, report of which appeared in our issue of July 1, City Clerk Knapp F. Matthews sends us the following complete list of the other bidders: Bidder—

Northern Trust Co., Chicago; Boatmen's National Bank, St. Louis, and W. D. Hanna & Co., Waterloo

Smith, Barney & Co., New York; F. S. Moseley & Co., Chicago; Illinois Co., Chicago, and Polk-Peterson Corp., Des Moines

First National Bank, Chicago, and Waterloo Savings
Bank, Waterloo

Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., Chicago.

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Lazard Freres & Co., Chicago; Mercantile-Commerce Bank & Trust Co., St. Louis, and Stern
Bros., Kansas City

Harriman Ripley & Co., Chicago, and Wheelock & Cummings, Des Moines

Lehman Bros., New York; Blyth & Co., Inc., Chicago, and Leo L. Mak, Inc., Waterloo

Phelps, Fenn & Co., New York; Central National Bank. Des Moines, and Jackley & Co., Des Moines

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Lowa Des Moines National Bank & Trust Co., Des Moines; Harris Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, and White-Phillips Corp., Davenport

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#### KENTUCKY

LAWRENCEBURG, Ky.—BONDS SOLD—We are informed by Stein Bros. & Boyce of Louisville, that they purchased recently, in conjunction with W. L. Lyons & Co. of Cincinnati a \$50.000 issue of 3% semi-annual sewer revenue bonds, paying a price of 101.27, a Jasis of about 2.89%. Denom. \$1,000. Dated July 1, 1939. Due July 1 as follows: \$1,000 in 1941 to 1945; \$2,000 in 1946 to 1960, and \$3,000 in 1961 to 1965. Callable in inverse order of maturities on interest payment date on and after July 1,

1940, and on or before July 1, 1944, at 103 and accrued interest; on or before July 1, 1949, at 102 and accrued interest; on or before July 1, 1954, at 101 and accrued interest, and thereafter at 100. Prin. and int. payable at City Treasurer's office. In the opinion of counsel these bonds constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the city payable solely from the income and revenues derived from the sewer system. Legality to be approved by Chapman & Cutler of Chicago.

BONDS OFFERED FOR INVESTMENT—The above purchasers reoffered the bonds for general subscription at prices to yield from 1.25% to 2.86%, according to maturity.

#### LOUISIANA

EUNICE, La.—BONDS NOT SOLD—The \$65,000 issue of not to exceed 6% semi-annual gas utility revenue bonds offered on June 29—V. 148, p. 3722—was not sold as all bids were rejected, according to W. H. Kessler, City Clerk. He states that the bonds will be offered for private sale. Dated July 1, 1939. Due from July 1, 1940 to 1959.

LAFAYETTE, La.—BOND OFFERING DETAILS—In connection with the offering scheduled for July 18, of the \$140,000 improvement bonds, noted here on June 25—V. 148, p. 3875—it is now reported that these bonds were approved by the voters on Sept. 30, 1938, and are being issued under Act 46 of the Extra Session of 1921. Prin. and int. payable at the Guaranty Trust Co. in New York, or at the office of the Trustee of Finance of the City.

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NEW ORLEANS, La.—PAVING CERTIFICATE REFUNDING ORDINANCE SCHEDULE FOR COURT TEST—Legality of an ordinance adopted by the Commission Council on June 30 providing for refunding at lower interest cost of \$3,686,020 of outstanding 4½% paving certificates will be tested in the courts, according to press reports. In opposing adoption of the ordinance, Jess S. Cave, Commissioner of Public Finance, reportedly gave it as his impression that the Act of 1935 which authorized the city to refund its obligations has "been exhausted" and that the city no longer has that authority. Following council meeting, City Attorney Francis P. Burns is said to have filed an application in Civil District Court for a writ of mandamus to compel Mr. Cave to sign the contract through which the refunding is to be effected. The action was characterized as a friendly suit to determine whether the city can still proceed under provisions of the 1935 act. Every effort will be made to insure a decision from the State Supreme Court as early as possible. The refunding contract will be submitted for acceptance or rejection by the New Orleans investment firm of Newman Harris & Co., it was said. If the firm elects to handle the refunding, it will post a bond of \$75,000 to guarantee performance of the contract. The ordinance, the report continued, provides for offering of the proposed refunding certificates at public auction, with the New Orleans firm barred from competing in the bidding. Should the city receive be better offer for the certificates than that guaranteed by the investment house, the latter is to receive \$45,000 as payment for its expenses and services cost incurred in preliminary phases of the transaction. It is further stipulated that the city may reject all of the bids submitted at the auction and sell the obligations to Newman Harris & Co., in which event payment of the \$45,000 will not be made.

#### MAINE

#### MARYLAND

BEL AIR, Md.—BOND SALE DETAILS—The \$36,000 refunding and improvement bonds sold to the First National Bank of Bel Air, as 1½s, at a price of 100.75—V. 149, p. 144—are dated July 1, 1939 and mature \$4,000 on July 1 from 1941 to 1949 incl. Other bids:

Bidder—

Int. Rate Rate Bid

 

 on July 1 from 1941 to 1949 incl. Other bids:
 Bidder—
 Int. Rate
 Rate Bid

 Mercantile Trust Co., Baltimore, and Stein Bros. & Boyce.
 134%
 100.019

 Alex. Brown & Sons
 2%
 101.149

 Marburg, Price & Co.
 2%
 101.089

 Baker, Watts & Co.
 2%
 100.576

 W. W. Lanahan & Co.
 2%
 100.319

 Mackubin, Legg & Co.
 2½%
 100.57

 100.019 101.149 101.089 100.576 100.319 100.57

SOMERSET COUNTY (P. O. Princess Anne), Md.—BOND SALE An issue of \$55,000 school bonds was sold to W. W. Lanahan & Co. Baltimore.

#### **MASSACHUSETTS**

AMHERST, Mass.—NOTE SALE—The Second National Bank of Boston was awarded on July 5 an issue of \$50,000 notes at 0.083% discount. Due Dec. 15, 1939.

EVERETT, Mass.—NOTE SALE—The \$500,000 revenue anticipation notes offered July 6—V. 149, p. 144—were awarded to the Middlesex County National Bank, of Everett, at 0.208% discount. Dated July 6, 1939 and due \$250,000 each on June 5 and July 5. 1940. Bond, Judge & Co. of Boston, second high bidder, named a rate of 0.218%.

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MASSACHUSETTS (State of)—NOTE OFFERING—William E, Hurley, State Treasurer, will receive bids in writing until noon (EST) on July 10 for the purchase of \$6,000,000 notes dated July 20, 1939, due July 18, 1940. Issued under the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, as amended, creating an Emergency Finance Board, being in renewal of a similar amount of notes due July 21, 1939. Award of loan is subject to the approval of the Governor and Council. The above notes are direct obligations of the Commonwealth and interest will be payable at maturity. The Commonwealth figures the interest on exact number of days on a 360-day-year basis. Boston delivery. Principal and interest payable in Boston or New York at option of purchaser.

METHUEN, Mass.—NOTESALE—The Second National Bank of Boston.

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METHUEN, Mass.—NOTESALE—The Second National Bank of Boston was awarded on July 6 an issue of \$50,000 notes at 0.278% discount. Dated July 6, 1939 and due July 5, 1940. The National Shawmut Bank of Boston, second high bidder, named a rate of 0.29%.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass.—NOTE SALE—The First National Bank of Boston was awarded on July 5 an issue of \$400,000 notes at 0.478% discount. Due June 10, 1940. As noted in—V. 149, p. 144—the city had originally announced that the notes would mature in \$100,000 instalments. Other bids:

 bids:
 Bidder—

 Leavitt & Co
 0

 Bond, Judge & Co
 0

 Lee Higginson Corp
 0

 National Shawmut Bank
 0

 Merchants National Bank of Boston
 0

\*\*Market Of Ferring—Charles G. F. Coker,

WARE, Mass.—NOTE SALE—The issue of \$50,000 notes offered July 3—V. 149, p. 145—was awarded to the Ware Trust Co., Ware, at 0.174% discount. Dated July 10, 1939 and due Dec. 20, 1939. Other bids: Second National Bank of Boston, 0.289%; Merchants National Bank of Boston, 0.29%.

WARREN, Mass.—NOTE SALE—The \$12,000 coupon and damage notes offered July 6 were awarded to the Second National Bank of Boston as 1½s, at a price of 100.59, a basis of about 1.37%. Dated July 15, 1939 and due as follows: \$2,000 in 1940 and 1941 and \$1,000 from 1942 to 1949

incl. The First National Bank of Boston, second high bidder, offered a price of 100.345 for 11/s.

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WATERTOWN, Mass.—BOND OFFERING—James H. Sheridan, Town Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 3.30 p.m. (DST) on July 11 for the purchase of \$75,000 coupon municipal relief bonds, Act of 1939. Dated July 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due July 1 as follows: \$8,000 from 1940 to 1944 incl. and \$7,000 from 1945 to 1949 incl. Bidder to name rate of interest in multiples of ½ of 1%. Principal and interest payable at the National Shawmut Bank of Boston, which will supervise the engraving of the bonds and certify as to their genuineness. Legal opinion of Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Dodge of Boston will be filed with aforementioned bank where it may be inspected.

#### MICHIGAN

ALBION, Mich.—NOTE SALE—The Commercial and Savings Bank of Albion purchased \$10,000 notes, due on or before Aug. 1, 1939.

EAST GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—BOND SALE DETAILS—Mill Kenower & Co. of Detroit were associated with Crouse & Co. of Detroin connection with the purchase of \$106,000 general faith and credit speciassessment refunding bonds as 1%s at 100.2047, a basis of about 1.70% V. 149, p. 145. Among other bidders were the following: Halsey, Stua & Co., Inc., 100.204 for 1%s; John Nuveen & Co., 100.149 for 1%s.

FLINT SCHOOL DISTRICT, Mich.—NOTE SALE—An issue of \$45,000 notes was sold to a local bank. They mature on or before Sept. 28, 1939.

GROSSE POINTE TOWNSHIP (P. O. Grosse Pointe Park), Mich.—NOTE OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by Carl Schweikart, Township Clerk, until 7 p. m. (EST) on July 10 for the purchase of \$50,000 not to exceed 4% interest tax anticipation notes, to be dated as of the date of sale and mature Feb. 1, 1940. Denom. \$10,000. All bidders shall be required to submit a commitment, agreeing to accept delivery of the notes as and when the funds are needed by the township, but not in excess of the authorized issue. The notes will be general obligations of the township, backed by its full faith and credit. Bidder will be required to furnish own legal opinion.

RIVER ROUGE, Mich.—BOND SALE—The City Sinking Fund purased \$15,000 delinquent tax bonds.

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ROYAL OAK TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7 (P. O. Berkley Branch, Royal Oak), Mich.—TENDERS WANTED—Edward Parkin, Secretary of Board of Education, will receive sealed tenders of 1937 certificates of indebtedness dated Sept. 1, 1937, until 8 p. m. (EST) on July 17. The amount on hand in the sinking fund for the retirement of the certificates is approximately \$3,000. Offerings should state certificate numbers, their par value and the amount for which they will be sold to the school district. The Board of Education reserves the right to purchase additional certificates sufficient to exhaust the amount of money available for this purpose on July 17, 1939. Offerings should be firm for two days.

#### MINNESOTA

CASS COUNTY (P. O. Walker), Minn.—MATURITY—It is now reported by the County Auditor that the \$166,000 refunding bonds sold to the Allison-Williams Co. of Minneapolis, as 4s at a price of par, as noted here —V. 149, p. 145—are due on July 1 as follows: \$3,000 in 1941; \$5,000, 1942; \$10,000, 1943 to 1945; \$11,000, 1946 to 1953; \$10,000, 1954 to 1956, and \$5,000 in 1957 and 1958.

1942; \$10,000, 1943 to 1945; \$11,000, 1946 to 1953; \$10,000, 1954 to 1956, and \$5,000 in 1957 and 1958.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn.—BOND OFFERING—It is stated by B. M. Lein, City Clerk, that he will receive scaled bids until 7:30 p. m. on July 17 for the purchase of a \$23,000 issue of coupon general obligation refunding bonds. Interest rate is not to exceed 3½%, payable J-J. Dated July 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due July 1 as follows: \$2,000 in 1941 to 1950 and \$3,000 in 1951. Any and all of the bonds which the City Council may designate shall be redeemable at the par value thereof plus accrued interest on the bonds so designated up and to the date on which the bonds are called, plus a premium of 2½% of the principal of such bond, provided, however, that no redemption of any of the bonds shall be made by the city prior to July 1, 1944, and provided further that if subsequent to July 1, 1944, the city shall elect to exercise its option of prior redemption as aforesaid it shall give notice of its intention to redeem the same in a newspaper published in the city at least 30 days prior to the date on which the bonds are called for payment, which date shall and must be any Jan. or July 1, subsequent to July 1, 1944. Prin. and int. payable at the Fergus Falls National Bank & Trust Co. No bid for less than par and accrued interest will be considered. The bonds may be registered as to principal only at the option of the purchaser or holder upon presentation of any bonds at the City Treasurer's office.

HALSTAD, Minn.—BOND OFFERING—Scaled bids will be received.

the City Treasurer's office.

HALSTAD, Minn.—BOND OFFERING—Scaled bids will be received by the Village Clerk until 8 p. m. on July 11 for the purchase of \$15,000 not to exceed 4% interest electric system bonds. Dated July 15, 1939. Due July 15 as follows: \$500 from 1942 to 1947 incl. and \$1,200 from 1948 to 1957 incl. Bonds maturing on or after July 15, 1951 will be callable on or subsequent to that date, at par and accrued interest. in 30 days' notice of such intention, specifying by number and maturity the specific bonds to be retired. Principal and interest (J-J) payable at a suitable bank or trust company designated by the successful bidder. Village will furnish executed bonds and opinion of competent counsel approving them as to legality. A certified check for \$500, payable to order of the village, is required.

STEARNS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 59 (P. O. All Minn.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported by the District Clerk that a high school addition bonds have been sold to local banks as 3s.

#### MISSISSIPPI

PASCAGOULA, Miss.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$18,000 34% refunding bonds have been purchased jointly by Dane & Weil, and Scharff & Jones, both of New Orleans, paying a price of 100.249.

MOOREVILLE CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Tupelo), Miss.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$8,000 5% semi-annual school bonds have been purchased by J. G. Hickman, Inc., of Vicksburg. Dated April 4, 1939. Legal approval by Charles & Trauernicht of St. Louis.

#### MISSOURI

DUNKLIN COUNTY SCHOOL DIST. No. 37 (P. O. Kennett), M.o,— BOND SALE—An issue of \$15,000 3½% school bonds was sold to Berger-Cohn & Co. of Sg. Louis. Dated May 1, 1939 and due \$1,000 yearly from 1941 to 1955 incl. Legality approved by Charles & Trauernicht of St. Louis.

LA BELLE, Mo.—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by David W. Wilson, District Clerk, that \$4,000 6% semi-annual street improvement bonds were purchased recently by Bennett, Piersol & Co. of Kansas City, at a price of 102.50, a basis of about 5.57%. Dated June 1, 1939. Due \$500 in 1943 to 1950, incl. Legal approval by Charles & Trauernicht of St. Louis.

MISSOURI, State of—PUBLIC BOND SALE BILL DEFEATED— note in part as follows from a newspaper dispatch out of Jefferson City one 23:

quote in part as follows from a newspaper dispatch out of Jefferson City on June 23:

Supporters of the Kinney bill to require public sales of all public bond issues of \$50,000 or more in Missouri. which failed of passage in the House of Representatives yesterday afternoon, plan to seek a reconsideration today in an effort to put the bill through to final passage before adjournment of the Legislature, now scheduled for Saturday noon.

The bill reached a vote yesterday afternoon when the House attendance was light. It lost on a vote of 68 ayes and 24 nays, the favorable vote being eight less than the 76 required for passage of a bill in the House.

This measure, which has encountered strong but not open opposition in the House, was designed to prevent a repetition of incidents such as the State private bond sale scandal of two years ago. It would require a public advertised sale of all bonds of the State, counties, municipalities, townships, school districts and other political subdivisions of the State where the authorized issue was \$50,000 or more.

## MONTANA

CARBON COUNTY (P. O. Red Lodge) Mont.—BOND OFFERING— It is stated by George J. McDonald, Clerk of the Board of County Com-missioners, that he will receive sealed bids until 1 p. m. on Aug. 1, for the purchase of an issue of \$13,500 refunding bonds. Interest rate is not to

exceed 5%, payable F-A. Amortization bonds will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the Board. If amortization bonds are sold and issued, the entire issue may be put into one single bond or divided into several bonds, as the Board may determine upon at the time of sale, both principal and interest to be payable in semi-annual instalments during a period of nine years from the date of issue. If serial bonds are issued and sold they shall be 27 bonds in the amount of \$500 each, and will be payable in numerical order \$1,500 of the bonds on Aug. 1, 1940, and a like amount on Aug. 1 of each year thereafter, until all of such bonds are paid. The bonds, whether amortization or serial bonds, will be redeemable in full five years from the date of issue and on any payment due date thereafter.

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CASCADE COUNTY (P. O. Great Falls) Mont.—BOND OFFERING—
It is stated by E. H. Carr, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, that he will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. on Aug. 1, for the purchase of an issue of \$157,000 refunding bonds. Interest rate is not to exceed 5%, payable J-J. Dated Aug. 1, 1939. Amortization bonds will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the Board. If amortization bonds are sold and issued, the entire issue may be put into a single bond or divided into several bonds as the Board may determine upon at the time of sale, both principal and interest to be payable in semi-annual instalments during a period of five 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 \$31,000 of the bonds will become payable on July 1, 1940 and a like amount on the same day each year thereafter until all of such bonds are paid, except the last instalment which will be in the amount of \$33,000. The bonds will be sold for not less than their par value with the accrued interest odate of delivery, and all bidders must state the lowest rate of interest at which they will purchase the bonds at par. The bonds are issued for the purpose of refunding registered warrants outstanding as of the close of business on Feb. 28. Enclose a certified check for \$15,000, payable to the above Clerk.

DAWSON COUNTY (P. O. Glendive) Mont.—BOND SALE—The

DAWSON COUNTY (P. O. Glendive) Mont.—BOND SALE—The \$70,747.45 coupon refunding bonds offered for sale on July 1—V. 148, p. 3565—were awarded to Peters, Writer & Christensen of Denver, as 3s, according to the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners. The purchaser is to furnish the bonds, fully printed, at their own expense. All bonds are optional after five years.

The State Land Commissioner was the only other bidder, also bidding on 3% bonds but the amortization plan of payment was specified, with the county to bear all other expenses.

GALLATIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 15 (P. O. Bozeman) Mont.—BOND SALE—The \$16,000 issue of refunding bonds offered for sale on July 1—V. 148, p. 3665—was awarded to the State Board of Land Commissioners, as 234s, according to the District Clerk.

commissioners, as 2½s, according to the District Clerk.

GARFIELD COUNTY (P. O. Jordan), Mont.—BOND OFFERING—R. A. Grant, Clerk of Board of County Commissioners. will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m. on July 17 for the purchase of \$13,165 not to exceed 5% interest refunding bonds. Dated July 1, 1939. Amortization bonds will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the Board. If amortization bonds are sold and issued, the entire issue may be put into one single bond or divided into several bonds, as the Board may determine upon at the time of sale, both principal and interest to be payable in semi-annual installments during a period of 10 years from the date of issue. If serial bonds are issued and sold, they will be in the amount of \$1,300 each, except the last bond which will be in the amount of \$1,465; the sum of \$1,300 of the serial bonds will become payable on July 1, 1940, and a like amount on the same day of each year thereafter until all of such bonds are paid (except that the last installment will be in the amount of \$1,465. The bonds, whether amortization or serial bonds, will be redeemable in full five years from the date of issue and on any payment due date thereafter. The bonds will be sold for not less than their par value with accrued interest to date of delivery, and all bidders must state the lowest rate of interest at which they will purchase the bonds at par. The bonds are issued for the purpose of obtaining funds to pay, redeem and reitre valid and subsisting warrants outstanding and unpaid on Feb. 28, 1939, and debts and liabilities, valid and subsisting as of said date, for which warrants have not been issued. Enclose a certified check for \$658.25, payable to the above Clerk.

JEFFERSON COUNTY (P. O. Boulder) Mont.—BOND OFFERING—

payable to the above Clerk.

JEFFERSON COUNTY (P. O. Boulder) Mont.—BOND OFFERING—
It is stated by James S. Flaherty, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, that he will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. on July 24, for the purchase of a \$22,750 issue of refunding bonds. Interest rate is not to exceed 5%, payable J-J. Dated July 1, 1939. Amortization bonds will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the Board. If amortization bonds are sold and issued, the entire issue may be put into one single bond or divided into several bonds, as the Board may determine upon at the time of sale, both principal and interest to be payable in semi-annual instalments during a period of five years from the date of issue.

LINCOLN COUNTY (P. O. Libby), Mont.—BOND OFFERING—Eldon J. Schuck, Clerk of Board of County Commissioners, will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m. on July 15 for the purchase of \$32,500 not to exceed 5% interest refunding bonds. Dated July 15, 1939. Amortization bonds will be the first choice and serial bonds will be the second choice of the Board. If amortization bonds are sold and issued, the entire issue may be put into one single bond or divided into several bonds, as the Board may determine upon at the time of sale, both principal and interest to be payable in annual installments during a period of five years from the date of issue. If serial bonds are issued and sold, they will be in the amount of \$50,00 of the serial bonds will become payable on July 15, 1940, and a like amount on the same day each year thereafter until all of such bonds are paid. The bonds will be sold for not less than their par value with accrued interest to date of delivery, and all bidders must state the lowest rate of interest at which they will purchase the bonds at par. The bonds are issued for the purpose of obtaining funds to pay, redeem and retire valid and subsisting warrants outstanding and unpaid on Feb, 28, 1939, and debts and liabilities, valid and outstanding as of said date, for which warrants have not been issued. Enclose a certified check of \$1,000, payable to the above Clerk.

RAVALLI COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Corvallis),

payable to the above Clerk.

RAVALLI COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Corvallis),
MONT.—BOND SALE—The \$12,000 issue of building bonds offered for sale
on June 26—V 148, p. 3414—was purchased by the Farmers State Bank of
Victor, as 2½s, paying a price of 100.10, according to the District Clerk.
BONDS NOT SOLD—He states that the \$37,700 not to exceed 4% semiannual refunding bonds scheduled for award at the same time—V. 148, p.
3414—will be readvertised for sale.
(The above report appeared incorrectly under the Oregon news reports in
our issue of July 1—V. 149, p. 148.)

BONDS REOFFERID—Sealed bids will be received until July 31 by

BONDS REOFFERED—Sealed bids will be received until July 31, by Lester Morris, District Clerk, for the purchase of \$36,174 refunding bonds. The above issue of refunding bonds was not sold because of an error in the original advertisement.

RONAN, Mont.—BOND SALE—The \$18,808 issue of refunding bonds offered for sale on July 3—V. 148, p. 3876—was purchased by the State Board of Land Commissioners, as 2½s, at par, according to the Town Clerk. No other bid was received.

#### **NEBRASKA**

LINCOLN SANITARY DISTRICT (P. O. Lincoln), Neb.—BONDS AUTHORIZED—The Board of Trustees is said to have adopted an ordinance recently calling for the issuance of \$73,000 in refunding bonds. Due from Aug. 15, 1941 to 1949, inclusive.

PLAINVIEW, Neb.—BONDS DEFEATED—At an election held on me 30 the voters failed to approve the proposed issuance of \$25,000 in unicipal auditorium bonds.

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE

HAMPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, N. H.—OTHER BIDS—The \$110,-000 high school bonds awarded to Goldman, Sachs & Co., New York, as 1½s, at 100.809, a basis of about 166%—V. 149, p. 145—were also bid for as follows: (for 1½s) Lazard Freres & Co., 100.629; (for 2s) Bond & Goodwin 101.316: Perrin, West & Winslow 101.187; Rockingham National Bank 100.92; E. H. Rollins & Sons 100.84; Chace Whiteside & Symonds 100.76; Frederick M. Swan & Co., 100.439; Ballou, Adams & Whittemore 100.381; First National Bank of Boston 100.379; (for 2½s) F. W. Horne & Co., 101.641. Perrin, West & Winslow also put in a split bid of 100.89 for 1-10 maturities at 1½s and balance as 2s.

#### **NEW JERSEY**

ATLANTIC COUNTY (P. O. Atlantic City), N. J.—BOND OF-FERING—Enoch L. Johnson, County Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until noon (DST) on July 26 for the purchase of \$2,740,000 3½% coupon or registered refunding bonds of 1939. Dated Aug. 1, 1939. Denom. \$1.000. Due \$137,000 on Aug. 1 from 1940 to 1959, Incl. The sum required to be obtained at sale of the bonds is \$2,712,000, and an additional sum of not exceeding \$999.99. The purchase price must be not less than \$2,712,000 nor more than \$2,712,999.99. Principal and interest (F-A) payable at the County Treasurer's office. The bonds are general obligations of the county, payable from unlimited taxes. A certified check for \$54.800, payable to order of the county, is required. Legal opinion of Dillon, Vandewater & Moore of New York City will be furnished the successful bidder.

FORT LEE, N. J.—HEARING ON PROPOSED CHANGES IN RE-FUNDING PLAN—In an official announcement the past week, holders of indebtedness of the borough and the school district were advised that a hearing will be held on July 18 at 10:30 a.m. (DST), in the Federal Bildg., Newark, N. J., upon changes and modifications proposed to be made in the plans of composition of the debts of the borough and school district, dated aug. 1, 1938. The proposed changes and modifications are incorporated in the plans of composition and may be inspected at the Newark office of the clerk of the U. S. District Court and copies have been malled to creditors. Exceptions, if any, to report No. 1 of a special master which is on file and may be inspected are, to be filed in the office of the clerk before the time fixed for the hearing at which time the court will consider and act upon a motion to confirm the report.

MAYWOOD N. I.—ROND SALE—The \$22,000 courses as weighted.

MAYWOOD, N. J.—BOND SALE—The \$33,000 coupon or registered street assessment bonds offered July 5—V. 148, p. 3877—were awarded to the Bergen County National Bank, of Hackensack, as 2½s, at par. Dated July 1, 1939 and due July 1 as follows: \$3,000 from 1940 to 1946 incl. and \$4,000 from 1947 to 1949 incl. Other bids.

Rate Bid 100.07 100.30 100.001

PARAMUS SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Paramus), N. J.—BOND SALE—The \$26,000 coupon or registered school bonds offered July 5—V. 149, p. 146—were awarded to MacBride, Miller & Co. of Newark, as 3s, at a price of 100.26, a basis of about 2.97%. Dated July 15, 1939 and due July 15 as follows: \$1,000 from 1940 to 1947 incl. and \$1,500 from 1948 o 1959 incl. Other bids:

t *Bidder*— Fairlawn-Radburn Trust Co.... H. L. Allen & Co... H. B. Boland & Co... Int. Rate
--- 3 ¼ %
--- 3 ¼ %
--- 3 ¼ % 100.60 100.35 100.03

the city, is required.

RIDGEFIELD, N. J.—BOND OFFERING—Otto Ehrlich, Borough Clerk, will receive sealed bids until 8:30 p.m. (DST) on July 18, for the purchase of \$39,000 not to exceed 6% interest coupon or registered park bonds. Dated July 1, 1839. Denom. \$1,000. Due July 1 as follows: \$2,000 from 1940 to 1958, incl. and \$1,000 in 1959. Bidder to name one rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ of 1%. Principal and interest (J-J) payable at the Ridgefield National Bank, Ridgefield. The sum required to be obtained at sale of the bonds is \$39,000. The bonds are unlimited tax obligations of the borough and the approving legal opinion of Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow of New York City will be furnished the successful bidder. A certified check for 2% of the bonds offered, payable to order of the borough, is required.

NEW JERSEY (State of)—LEGISLATURE APPROVES RELIEE BILLS

to order of the borough, is required.

NEW JERSEY (State of)—LEGISLATURE APPROVES RELIEF BILLS
—By a bare majority vote, the Senate on July 6 passed two Assembly bills
making \$5,000,000 available for relief. One of the measures "borrows"
\$2,000,000 from the State Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund and the
other withholds \$3,000,000 of motor fuel tax receipts from the State sinking
fund. The bills we're part of an Alssembly approved program to provide
\$13,000,000 as the State's share of this year's relief costs. The Senate is
expected to take further action next week before the recessing until fall,
but probably will go along only to the extent of another \$1,000,000 to take
care of the first half-year Upper house members and the Democratic
minority still hope the Assembly Republicans will agree to a bond issue to
supply money for next year as well as the last six months of the current year.

#### NEW MEXICO

HARDING COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICTS (P. O. Mosquero), N. Mex.—BONDS PURCHASED—The following 4½% refunding bonds aggregating \$40,500 have been sold to Boettcher & Co. of Denver: \$22,000 School District No. 5 bonds. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$1,500 from 1940 to 1943 incl. and \$2,000 from 1944 to 1951 incl.

18,500 School District No. 4 bonds. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$1,500 from 1940 to 1950 incl. and \$2,000 in 1951.

Each issue is dated Aug. 1, 1939. Interest F-A.

#### **NEW YORK**

BRUNSWICK (P. O. Troy), N. Y.—OFFERING OF MOUNTAIN VIEW SEWER DISRICT BONDS—Fred McCabe, Town Clerk, will receive sealed bids at the office of Lucien E. Clickner, 14 State St., Troy, until 1 p. m. (EST) on July 12 for the purchase of \$20,500 not to exceed 4% interest coupon or registered sewer bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1939. Due Feb. 1 as follows: \$700 from 1940 to 1942 incl. and \$800 from 1943 to 1965 incl. Bidder to name one rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of \$4 or 1-10th of 1%. Prin. and int. (F-A), payable at the Union National Bank, Troy, with New York exchange. The bonds are general obligations of the town, payable from unlimited taxes. A certified check for \$1,025, payable to order of the Town Supervisor, is required. Legal opinion of Dillon, Vandewater & Moore of N. Y. City will be furnished the successful bidder.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$110.000 coupon or registered general bonds offered July 6—V. 149, p. 146—were awarded to Tilney & Co. and C. F. Herb & Co., both of New York, in joint account, as 1.10s, at a price of 100.26, a basis of about 1.05% Dated May 1, 1939 and due \$11,000 on May 1 from 1940 to 1949 incl. The bankers, in re-offering the bonds, priced them to yield, according to maturity, as follows: 1940, 0.15%; 1941, 0.30%; 1942, 0.45%; 1943, 0.60%; 1944, 0.80%; 1945, 0.95%; 1946, 1%; 1947, 1.05%; 1948, 1-10%; 1949, 1.15%. Other bids:

Bidder— Int. Rate Ra Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc. 1.10% 10	te Bid
Haisey, Stuart & Co., Inc.	0.048
	0.004
Marine Trust Co Buffele and D 5 777	0.179
Marine Trust Co., Buffalo, and R. D. White & Co. 1.20%	0.097
	0.089
	0.000
	0.070
Dick & Merle-Smith and George P. Citter 120%	0.079
Dick & Merle-Smith and George B. Gibbons & Co1.25%	0.119
Union Securities Corp. 10	0.10
Dodumen's National Dank, St. Louis 1200	0.147
	0.22

HEMPSTEAD (P. O. Hempstead), N. Y.—OFFERING OF POINT LOOKOUT PARK DISTRICT BONDS—A. Holly Paterson, Presiding Supervisor, will receive sealed bids until 11 a. m. (DST) on July 11, for

#### New Issue

\$110,000 City of Binghamton, N. Y., Coupon 1.10% Bonds

Dated May 1, 1939. Due May 1, 1940-1949.

Prices to yield 0.15% to 1.15%

Exempt, in our opinion, from all present Federal and New York State Income Taxes. Legal investment, in our opinion, for Savings Banks and Trust Funds in New York.

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#### **NEW YORK**

the purchase of \$50,000 not to exceed 4% interest coupon or registered park bonds. Dated May 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due May 1 as follows: \$2,000 from 1940 to 1959, incl. and \$1,000 from 1960 to 1969, incl. Bidder to name a single rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ or 1-10th of 1%. Principal and interest (N-M) payable at the Second National Bank & Trust Co. Hempstead, or at the Chase National Bank, New York City. The bonds will be valid and legally binding obligations of the Town of Hempstead, payable in the first instance from a levy upon property in the Park District, but if not so paid, payable ultimately from ad valorem taxes which may be levied on all the taxable property within the town without limitation as to rate or amount. The opinion of Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow of New York City will be furnished the successful bidder. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to order of the town, is required.

Longfellow of New York City will be furnished the successful bidder. A certified check for \$1,000, payable to order of the town, is required.

MAMARONECK (Town of), N. Y.—SURVEY CITES MATERIAL REDUCTION IN OUTSTANDING DEBT—The town during the last five years when the majority of the more important municipalities were experiencing increases in their indebtedness, mainly because of relief financing, was moving in the opposite direction, according to a study made by A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc. The town has lowered its debt gradually, it is indicated, by prompt payment of maturities when due, and no resort was made to the practice of refunding all or any part of the maturing bonds, and by provision for all necessary relief for the most part in the regular budget. As of May 19, 1939, after giving effect to the balance of 1939 amortization, total town indebtedness was \$4,453,600, compared with \$4,734,188 in 1935. After allowing for total temporary loans and water debt, resulting net debt on May 19 was \$3,675,500, compared with \$4,104,500 in 1935. Another significant trend, the study shows, is the rapid retirement of overlapping net debt. On May 1, 1935, a reduction of \$3,253,844, or 25,60%. Declining debt service requirements after 1940 is cited as another significant trend in the town's improved credit position. For the last five years, the trend of debt service has been increasing, a peak being reached in 1940. Thereafter, bond principal and interest payments, including special assessments, decline progressively from a total of \$431,389 in 1940 to \$242,917 in 1949. These figures indicate, also, the rapid acceleration of debt retirement of the town.

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MORRISTOWN UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Morristown), N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$44,750 coupon or registered school bonds offered July 6—V. 149, p. 147—were awarded to E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc., New York City, as  $2\frac{1}{2}$ %, at a price of 100.41; a basis of about 2.22%. Dated July 1, 1939 and due July 1 as follows: \$1,250 in 1940 and \$1,500 from 1941 to 1969, incl. Other bids:

Bidder—

Union Securities Corp.

100.30

Roosevelt & Weigold, Inc.

2.75%

100.28

R. D. White & Co.

3%

100.229

Bidder— Union Securities Corp.\_\_\_ Roosevelt & Weigold, Inc. R. D. White & Co.\_\_\_\_

NIAGARA FALLS BRIDGE COMMISSION, N. Y.—NEW BRIDGE LEGISLATION UNDER WAY—Conferences in Washington, D. C., looking toward the acquiring of necessary funds to commence construction of the proposed "Rainbow Bridge" over the Niagara River, are expected to begin shortly between officials of the Niagara Bridge Commission and one of the Federal lending agencies. George Newberry is counsel for the Commission. On July 5 the House passed and sent to the Senate, a bill extending the time for construction of the span. The bill as passed specifically calls for the issuance of taxable bonds, amended in compliance with the suggestion as outlined in the President's veto message of an earlier bill.—V. 148, p. 3877. The first bill called for the issuance of tax-exempt bonds as contained in the original bill which became law last year. The

necessity for the legislation this year was occasioned by the lapse of deadline specifiying the date for the actual construction work. Had construction begun on the date scheduled the Commission would have been permitted to issue tax-free securities. This section in the act was "overlooked" by the President when he signed the resolution at the close of the
75th Congress. He declared, in his veto message: "In approving the Act
of June 16, 1938, is tax-exemption provisions were overlooked. I propose
to correct this oversight by withholding my approval of H. R. 6109."

NORTH DANSVILLE (P. O. Dansville), N. Y.—BOND SALE—The
\$22,000 coupon or registered land purchase bonds offered July 7—V. 149,
D. 147—were awarded to the Manufacturers & Traders Trust Co. of Buffalo,
as 2s, at 100.339. The bonds are dated June 1, 1939 and the maturity
schedule was changed as follows: \$1,000 on June 1 from 1940 to 1961 incl.
It was originally intended to mature the issue \$2,000 yearly from 1940 to
1950 incl. Second high bidder for the offering was Sherwood & Reichard,
Inc. of New York City.

PORT CHESTER. N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$140.000 coupon or

A. G. Becker & Co. 1½% Union Securities Corp. and Roosevelt & Weigold, Inc.

the purchase of \$400,000 not to exceed 5% interest coupon or registered bonds, divided as follows:

\$50.000 work relief bonds of 1939 issued to provide for city's share of Works Progress Administration projects. Due Aug. 1 as follows:

\$5,000, 1940 and 1941; \$6,000, 1942 to 1944 incl.; \$3,000, 1945 to 1949 incl.; \$2,000, 1950 to 1952 incl. and \$1,000 in 1953.

150,000 home relief bonds issued to provide for portion of city's local share of home relief in 1939 fiscal year. Due Aug. 1 as follows: \$12,000 from 1940 to 1944 incl. and \$18,000 from 1945 to 1949 incl.

200,000 general refunding bonds of 1939 issued to refund bonds maturing in 1939. Due \$10,000 on Aug. 1 from 1940 to 1959 incl.

All of the bonds will be dated Aug. 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Bidder to name one rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ or 1-10th of 1%. Prin. and int. (F-A), payable at the Fallkill National Bank & Trust Co., Poughkeepsie, or at the Chase National Bank, N. Y. City. The bonds are unlimited tax obligations of the city and the approving legal opinion of Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow of N. Y. City will be furnished the successful bidder. A certified check for \$8,000 payable to order of the city must accompany each proposal.

ROTTERDAM FIRE DISTRICT NO. 6 (P. O. Schenectady, R. D. No. 5), N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$6,500 coupon or registered fire bonds offered June 28 were awarded to the Marine Trust Co., Buffalo, as 2½x, at a price of 100.06, a basis of about 2.23%. Dated June 1, 1939. Denom. \$500. Due June 1 as follows: \$1,000 in 1940 and 1941 and \$1,000 from 1942 to 1944, incl. Principal and interest (J-D) payable at the Citizens Trust Co., Bellevue Branch, Schenectady, with New York exchange. Legality approved by Dillon, Vandewater & Moore of New York City. Other bids:

Bidder—

Int. Rate Bidder—

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Int. Rate Bid

Other bids:

Bidder—

Union National Bank, Schenectady

Union National Bank, Schenectady

Schenectady Trust Co.

Schenectady Trust Co.

30%

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Schenectady Trust Co.

34%

ROYALTON (P. O. Middleport), N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$9,001.64
coupon or registered highway bonds offered June 30 were awarded to the
Niagara County National Bank & Trust Co., Middleport, as 1.90s, at par.

Dated July 15, 1939. Due March 1 as follows: \$5,001.64 in 1941 and \$4,000 in 1942. Principal and interest (M-S) payable at aforementioned trust
company. The Middleport Savings & Loan Association bid for 2.80;
the Somerset National Bank, for 3s, while the Manufacturers & Traders
Trust Co. of Buffalo named a rate of 3.50%.

RYE AND HARRISON UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6

RYE AND HARRISON UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6 (P. O. Harrison), N. Y.—BOND SALE—The \$482,000 coupon or registered bonds offered July 6—V. 149, p. 147—were awarded to a syndicate composed of A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc.; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.; B. J. Van Ingen & Co., Inc. and Hemphill, Noyes & Co., all of New York, as 2½s, at a price of 100.567, a basis of about 2.45%. Sale consisted of: \$55,000 series A school bonds. Due July 1 as follows: \$2,000 in 1940 and 1941 and \$3,000 from 1942 to 1958, inclusive.

427,000 series B school bonds. Due July 1 as follows: \$11,000 in 1940 and 1941 and \$15,000 from 1942 to 1968, inclusive.

All of the bonds are dated July 1 1939. Re-offered to yield from 0.50%.

All of the bonds are dated July 1, 1939. Re-offered to yield from 0.50% 2.52%, according to maturity. Other bids:

SHAWANGUNK (P. O. Wallkill), N. Y.—WALLKILL SEWER DISTRICT BONDS SOLD—The \$45,000 coupon or registered sewer district bonds offered July 6—V. 148, p. 3878—were awarded to George B. Gibbons & Co., New York, as 2.30s, at 100.167, a basis of about 2.29%. Dated June 1, 1939 and due June 1 as follows: \$1,500 from 1940 to 1965, incl. and \$2,000 from 1966 to 1968, incl. Other bids:

Premium \$61.65 44.55 175.00 306.00 117.00 Int. Rate 2.30% 2.60% 2.70% Bidder—
Bernhard, Bennett & Co.
Wallkill National Bank
E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.
Marine Trust Co. of Buffalo.
Adams, McEntee & Co., Inc.

#### NORTH CAROLINA

CABARRUS COUNTY (P. O. Concord), N. C.—BONDS VOTED—At the election held on June 27 the voters are said to have approved the issuance of \$100,000 in hospital bonds.

PITT COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 4 (P. O. Greenville), N. C.—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received by F. M. Wooten, Secretary of the Board of Commissioners, until noon on July 17, for 5% semi-annual drainage bonds in an amount not to exceed \$33,000. The bonds will be issued under authority of Chapter 442, Public Laws of North Carolina, 1909, and amendments thereto, and under judgment of the Superior Court of the county in Special Proceeding No. 3773. A certified check for 1% of the bid is required.

#### NORTH DAKOTA

FARGO PARK DISTRICT (P. O. Fargo), N. Dak.—BOND SALE—The \$30,000 issue of swimming pool, general obligation coupon bonds offered for sale on June 28—V. 148, p. 3726—was awarded to H. E. Mueller of Hazen, as 11/48, paying a premium of \$60, equal to 100.20, a basis of about 1.07%. Due \$6,000 from 1941 to 1945; optional on and after three years from the date of issuance.

NELSON COUNTY (P. O. Lakota), N. Dak.—BOND ELECTION—It is reported that an election will be held on July 11 in order to vote on the issuance of \$45,000 in court house and jail bonds.

#### OHIO MUNICIPALS

#### McDONALD-COOLIDGE & CO.

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CANTON AKRON CINCINNATI COLUMBUS SPRINGFIELD

#### OHIO

CAMBRIDGE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$43 394.36 refunding notes offered July 3—V. 148 p. 3878—were awarded as 3s to the National Bank of Cambridge. The Quaker City National Bank of Quaker City second high bidder also named a rate of 3%.

CAMPBELL CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BOND SALE—The \$24,000 refunding bonds offered June 30—V. 148, p. 3568—were awarded to Fox, Einhorn & Co., Inc. of Cincinnati, as 2 1/2. Dated Feb. 1. 1939, and due Dec. 1 as follows: \$1,000 from 1940 to 1945, incl.; \$2,000 from 1946 to 1951, incl., and \$3,000 in 1952 and 1953.

1946 to 1951, incl., and \$3,000 in 1952 and 1953.

CANTON, Ohio—BOND SALE—The \$17,868.49 improvement bonds offered July 6—V. 148, p. 3879—were awarded to the First Cleveland Corp., Cleveland, as 1½s, at a price of 100.576, a basis of about 1.40%. Dated June 1, 1939 and due June 1 as follows: \$1,868.49 in 1941 and \$2,000 from 1942 to 1949 incl. The BancOhio Securities Co., Columbus, second high bidder, offered to pay 100.001 for 1½s.

CYGNET SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The Tiffin Bank of Tiffin purchased on July 3 an issue of \$4,382.89 rfunding notes as 3½s. at par. The Cynget Savings Bank Co., second high bidder, offered to pay par for 4s.

FOSTORIA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$27,739.77 refunding notes offered July 1—V. 148, p. 3879—were awarded as 2½s to the Ohio National Bank of Columbus, the only bidder.

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GALLIPOLIS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—
The \$25,793.94 refunding notes offered June 30—V. 148, p. 3879—were awarded as 4s to the Commercial & Savings Bank of Gallipolis.

GREENE TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Smith ville), Ohio—NOTES NOT SOLD—Menno Kaufman, Clerk of Board of Education, reports that no bids were received for the \$9,561.86% not to exceed 4% interest refunding notes offered on July 3.

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HAMILTON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—OPENING OF BIDS DELAYED—Bids submitted for the \$99,705.11 not to exceed 4% interest refunding notes offered July 6 (see Ohio State of Item, V. 149, p. 148), will not be opened until 7:30 p. m. on July 10, according to Charles F. Holdefer, Clerk of Board of Education.

HAMILTON COUNTY (P. O. Cincinnati), Ohio—COURT HALTS REDEMPTION OF BONDS—Judge Dennis J. Ryan of Common Pleas Court issued a declaratory judgment halting redemption by the county of approximately \$150,000 of an original issue of \$250,000 3½% memorial building bonds, dated Aug. 1, 1903. Announcement by the county of its intention to retire the debt on Feb. 1, 1939, appeared in V. 148, p. 618. The order, which will be contested by the county before the State Supreng-Court, was issued at the request of plaintiffs in support of their contention that the county is without power to redeem the obligations before the stated maturity date of Aug. 1, 1953. In issuing a call for redemption of the bonds, the county based its action on a clause reportedly contained in the instruments that they were subject to call at par and accrued interest on Aug. 1. 1933. In his ruling, Judge Ryan is reported to have upheld the plaintiffs in their argument that the optional redemption date was fixed definitely and not to any time thereafter. His opinion on this point, as contained in the order, read as follows: "On consideration of the prayer of the facts—defendants declining to plead further, the court is of the opinion that the provision which gave the county commissioners the right to call said bonds for redemption 30 years after date, and which date was fixed as Aug. 1, 1933, authorized the acceleration of the maturity of said bonds to that specific date and not to any time on or after Aug. 1, 1933 that the county commissioners might determine." It also was agreed that if the upper courts uphold Judge Ryan, th

KEITHSBURG TOWNSHIP (P. O. Keithsburg), Ohio—BONDS DEFEATED—An issue of \$10,000 road improvement bonds was defeated by the voters on June 20.

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LONDON EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—
NOTE SALE—The Madison National Bank of London was awarded on
July 5 an issue of \$14,649.36 refunding notes as 3s, at par. The Central
National Bank of London, second high bidder, offered par for 3½s.

National Bank of London, second high bidder, offered par for 3½s.

LORAIN, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Frank Ayres, City Auditor, will releve sealed bids until noon on July 25 for the purchase of \$32,754 not to exceed 3% city's portion street improvement bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1939. One bond for \$754, others \$1,000 each. Due Sept. 15 as follows: \$4,754 in 1940; \$4,000 in 1941 and \$3,000 from 1942 to 1949, incl. Rate of interest to be expressed in a multiple of ¼ of 1%. Principal and interest (M-S) payable at the office of the Sinking Fund Trustees. A complete transcript of proceedings incident to the bond issue will be furnished the purchaser upon the day of sale. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for must accompany each proposal.

BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids will be received at the same time for the purchase of \$31,267 not to exceed 3% interest special assessment street improvement bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1939. One bond for \$267, others \$1,000 each. Due Sept. 15 as follows: \$9,267 in 1940 and \$8,000 from 1941 to 1949, incl. Rate of interest to be expressed in multiples of ¼ of 1%. Principal and interest (M-S) payable at the office of the Sinking Fund Trustees. A complete transcript of proceedings had relative to the above bonds will be furnished the successful bidder at time of the award. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for is required.

LORAIN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The

bonds will be furnished the successful bidder at time of the award. A certified check for 2% of the bonds bid for is required.

LORAIN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$94,192.71 refunding notes offered July 6 were awarded to the Lorain Banking Co. of Lorain as 2½8. The Ohio National Bank of Columbus, only other bidder, named a rate of 2½%.

MAPLE HEIGHTS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Bedford), Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$16,173.03 refunding notes offered July 5—V. 148, p. 3879—were awarded to the Huntington National Bank of Huntington, as 48, at par.

MARIETTA, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Harold D. Brooker, City Auditor, will receive sealed bids until noon on July 19 for the purchase of \$25,000.3% street resurfacing bonds. Dated June 1, 1939. Denoms. \$1,000 and \$1,500. Due as follows: \$1,500 April 1 and \$1,000 Oct. 1 from 1940 incl. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ¼ of 1%. Interest A-O. A certified check for \$250, payable to order of the city, is required.

MILL TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Uhrichsville, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The Quaker City National Bank of Quaker City purchased on July 5 an issue of \$3,725.97 refunding notes as 2½s. The United Bank of Uhrichsville and the First National Bank of Dennison each bid a rate of 3½%.

MOUNT VERNON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$33,704.37 refunding notes offered July 1—V. 148, p. 3879—were

awarded as 4s to the Knox National Bank of Mount Vernon, the only bidder.

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MUNSON TOWNSHIP (P. O. Chardon), Ohio—BOND SALE DETAILS—The \$4,460 impt, special assessment bonds awarded June 19 to Saunders, Stiver & Co. of Cleveland at a bottle 2.67%, p. 148—bear 23.4% interest. Not reveland at a bottle 2.67% 22.—V. 149, p. 148—bear 23.4% interest. State 2.—V. 149, p. 148—bear 23.4% interest. State 2.—V. 149, p. 148—bear 23.4% interest. State 2.—V. 149. MUSKINGUM WATERSHED CONSENED ALTA LS—In connection with the control of the con

OHIO (State of)—NOTE OFFERINGS BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS—A record of note offerings announced by school districts in the State during the past week is given herewith. In each instance the rate of interest is not to exceed 4% and the notes will be subject to call after Nov. 30 in any year. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 1% of the total par value of the issue. The table shows the name of the district making the offering, amount of issue, the date of sale and hour set for opening of bids:

Name of School District—	Amount	Sale Date	
Allen Twp. Rural (P.O. New Weston)	\$5,299.12	July 14, 8:15 p.m.	
Bainbridge (P. O. Geauga Lake)	3.808.04	July 14, 8:00 p.m.	
Bellville	9,995.65	July 6, 8:00 p.m.	
Camden Twp. Rural (P.O. Kipton)	3,733.75	July 10, 8:00 p.m.	
Holgate	7,144.59	July 7, 8:00 pm	
Holgate Lafferty Rural	5,549.37	July 11, 7:00 p.m.	
Liberty Twp. (P.O. Bethany)	5,441.50	July 13, 8:00 p.m.	
London Exempted Village	14,649.36	July 5, 7:30 p.m.	
Malaga Special		July 11, 8:00 pm	
Middleton Twp. Rural (P. O. Haskins)		July 13, 8:00 p.m.	
	13,684.27	July 10, 8:30 p.m.	
Rush Twp. Rural (P. O. Lucasville, R. 1)		July 13, 7:30 p.m.	
ADDITIONAL OFFERINGS—Offerings of	f the same	naturesubsequently	'n
announced are as follows:		in the second second	
Name of School District—	Amount	Sale Date	
Briar Hill Ind. Rural No. 2 (P. O. Steuben-			
ville)	\$2,473.48	July 12, 7:00 p.m.	

ADDITIONAL OFFERINGS—Offerings of	of the same:	nature subsequen	uy
announced are as follows:			
Name of School District—	Amount	Sale Date	
Briar Hill Ind. Rural No. 2 (P. O. Steuben-	1 1 1 1 1 1		
ville)	\$2,473.48	July 12, 7:00 p.	m.
ville) Chester-Franklin (P. O. Chesterville)	8,862.27	July 11, 8:30 p.	m.
Eagle Rural (P. O. Fincastle)	4.426.88	July 17, 2:00 p.	
Fearing Rural (P.O. Marietta)		July 11, 8:00 p.	
Green and Sterling Rural (P. O. Mount			
Orab)	4.161.51	July 15, 2:00 p.	m.
Green Township (P.O. Sidney)	4,232.19	July 17, 9:00 p.	
Hamersville	7.343.70	July 17. 1:00 p.	
Hamersville Liberty Twp. Rural (P. O. West Union,	1,010.10	July 11, 1100 P.	
Star Route)	2.519.82	July 15, 2:00 p.	m.
Lisbon Exempted Village	19,994.73	July 8, 7:30 p.	
Luhrig Rural (P. O. Athens)	2.245.62	July 15, 6:00 p.	m.
Moorefield Rural (P. O. R. D. 6, Spring-		July 10, 0.00 P.	
field)	5.529.30	July 8, 1:00 p.	m.
field) Mount Orab	8,294.31	July 15, 8:00 p.	
Newbury Rural (P. O. Burton)	3.820.55	July 17, 8:00 p.	
	5.013.90	July 17, 8:00 p.	m.
Paint Twp. (P. O. London)	2,902.27	July 18, 2:00 p.	m.
Pike Rural (P. O. R. D. 2, Springfield)	5.527.72	July 21, 8:00 p.	m
Plaine Rural	6.095.18	July 17, 8:00 p.	m
Plains Rural  Richmond (P. O. Andover)	2.019.47	July 11, 8:30 p.	m
Rome-Canaan (P. O. Stewart)		July 12, 8:00 p	m
Springfield Rural	11,465.51	July 18, 8:00 p.	m
Sullivan Rural	8,044.31	July 12, 8:30 p	
Wayne Rural (P. O. Cherry Fork)	3,703.42		
Wellsville City	6,319.45	July 15, 9:00 a. July 11, 8:00 p.	m
	27,574.47		
NEW OFFERINGS—The following offer	erings also	have come to	our

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NEW OFFERINGS-The following off		
attention:		
Name of School District— Amherst Exempted Village	Amount	Sale Date
Amherst Exempted Village	\$10.250.97	July 14, 4.30 p.m.
Batavia	10 779 59	July 15, noon
Brown-Harris Rural (P O Malvorn)	19 109 90	July 14, 8 p. m.
Clay-Genoa (P. O. Genoa)	10.627.88	July 14, 8.30 p. m.
Fredericktown	12 065 41	July 14, noon
Hicksville Hubbard	10,753.18	July 12, noon
Hubbard	18,634.91	July 14, noon
Marshall Rural (P. O. Hillsboro)	4 680 62	July 14. 9 p. m.
Perry Rural (P. O. Cynthiana)	3.484.59	July 15, 6 p. m.
Rock Creek	6 010 27	Aug. 7, 8.30 p. m.
Russellville-Jefferson (P. O. Russellville)	6.570.69	July 15, 8 p. m.
Saltcreek Township (P. O. Tarlton)	5.181.65	July 14. 8.30 p. m.
Seven Mile	5.607.12	July 14. 8 p. m.
Sharonville	6,078.16	July 14, 8 p. m.
Trimble Township (P. O. Glouster)	16,345.00	
Valley Township Rural (P.O. Pleasant City)	10,343.00	July 14, noon
validy to mustify tout at (1.0.1 leastif City)	10,400.31	July 14, 2 p. m.

ADDITIONAL OFFERINGS—The following offeri	ngs have come to
hand:	
Name of School District— Amount	Sale Date
Beavercreek Township (P.O. Xenia, R.R.4)\$10,199.32	July 17, 8p.m.
Bratton Rural (P. O. Peebles) 2,715.50	July 15, 1 p.m.
Cass (P. O. Shiloh) 6,056.47	July 17, 8p.m.
Columbus Grove 8,604.55	July 17, 8 p. m.
Edenton Rural	July 15, 1p.m.
Edison4,637.76	July 17. 8 p.m.
Elyria 62,234.98	July 17, 11 a.m.
Florida Rural (P. O. Napoleon) 4,236.78	July 17, 9 a.m.

Goshen Township Rural (P. O. Berlin Center)
New Miami (P. O. Hamilton)
New Weston
North Troy Township Rural (P. O. Tonto-

 North Troy Township Rural (P. O. Tontogany)
 2,431.36
 July 17, 8 p.m.

 Point Isabel Rural (P. O. Moscow)
 1,349.63
 July 15, 8 p.m.

 Riley Township (P. O. Pandora)
 7,247.65
 July 17, 8 p.m.

 Wayne Township Rural (P. O. Waynesville)
 8,025.24
 July 17, 8 p.m.

ORRVILLE EXEMPTED SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The Orrville Savings Bank was awarded on July 3 an issue of \$13.485.30 refunding notes as 3s, at a price of 100.556. The National Bank of Orrville, next high bidder, offered a price of 100.48 for 3s.

PARIS TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Wayland), Ohio—NOTE SALE—The Commercial National Bank of Coshocton purchased on July 3 an issue of \$4,609.87 refunding notes as 31/4s.

PIQUA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The Citizens National Bank & Trust Co. of Piqua was awarded on July 6 an issue of \$35,223.23 refunding notes as 1½s. The First National Bank & Trust Co. of Springfield named a rate of  $2\frac{1}{2}\frac{3}{2}$ %.

PORTSMOUTH, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—James D. Williams. City Auditor, will receive sealed bids until noon on July 21, for the purchase of \$50,000 3½% series A first mortgage waterworks extension revenue bonds. Dated April 1 a 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due April 1 as follows: \$7,000 from 1941 to 1946, incl. and \$8,000 in 1947. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ of 1% and payable A-O. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$500, payable to order of the City Treasurer. Legal opinion of Peck, Shaffer, Williams & Gorman of Cincinnati, who supervised the proceedings authorizing the issue, will be furnished the successful bidder.

PORTSMOUTH CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$105,063.88 refunding notes offered July 3—V. 149, p. 3879—were awarded as 3s to the Security Central National Bank, National Bank of Portsmouth and Portsmouth Banking Co., all of Portsmouth. This was the only bid received.

PORT WASHINGTON-SALEM VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Port Washington), Ohio—NOTE SALE—The Quaker City National Bank of Quaker City was awarded on July 3 an issue of \$3,594.60 refunding notes as 2%s.

ROCK CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTES NOT SOLD. The \$6,019.37 not to exceed 4% interest refunding notes offered July 3

SANDUSKY COUNTY (P. O. Fremont), Ohio—NOTE OFFERING—Ellen Mazey, Clerk of Board of County Commissioners, will receive sealed bids until 11 a. m. on July 11, for the purchase of \$35,000 4% poor relief notes. Dated July 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due July 1 as follows: \$17,000 in 1940 and \$18,000 in 1941. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, expressed in a multiple of ½ of 1% and payable J-J. A certified check for \$500, payable to order of the Board of County Commissioneers, is required.

SHAKER HEIGHTS, Ohio—BOND CALL—E. P. Rudolph, City Clerk, has issued a call for redemption on Oct. 1, 1939, of \$620,000 44% series C refunding bonds, according to report. They are dated Oct. 1, 1934, due from 1940 to 1948, incl., and callable at par on Oct. 1 in any year from 1939 to 1947, incl.

SHAKER HEIGHTS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—BOND SALE—The \$121,000 refunding bonds offered July 3—V. 148, p. 3879—were awarded to Johnson, Kase & Co. of Cleveland as 2½s, at a price of 101.11, a basis of about 2.04%. Dated July 1, 1939 and due 0ct. 1 as follows: \$13,000, 1940; \$14,000, 1941; \$13.00, 1942; \$14,000, 1943; \$13,000, 1944; \$14,000, 1945; \$13,000, 1944; \$14,000 in 1947 and \$13,000 in 1948. Other bids:

Bidder—	nt. Kate	Premuum
Stranahan, Harris & Co., Toledo	21/4%	\$859.10
McDonald-Coolidge & Co., and Merrill, Turben & Co., Cleveland	214% 214% 214%	511.83
Van Lahr, Doll & Ishpording, Cincinnati	21/4 %	436.81
Prudden & Co., and Ryan, Sutherland & Co Toledo	21/4%	416.00
BancOhio Securities Co., Columbus	21/4%	400.00
Fox Einhorn & Co.; P. E. Kline Inc., and Wm J. Merica & Co., Cincinnati	21/4%	160.25
Braun, Bosworth & Co., and Hawley, Huller & Co., Cleveland	2½% 2½% 2½%	1,005.00
Otis & Co., Cleveland	21/2%	987.65
Field, Richards & Shepard, Cleveland.	21/2%	87.00
Middledorf & Co., and Walter, Woody & Heimer- dinger, Cincinnati	234%	726.00
Paine, Webber & Co.; Fullerton & Co.; Seasongood & Mayer, and Pohl & Co, Cleveland	234%	478.67
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SPRINGFIELD, Ohio—BOND SALE—The \$93,000 street, sewer and bridge impt. bonds offered June 30—V. 148, p. 3727—were awarded to Fulerton & Co., Columbus, and Paine, Webber & Co., Chicago, jointly, as 1½s, at par plus \$590.55 premium, equal to 100.635, a basis of about 1.07%. Dated June 1, 1939 and due Sept. 1 as follows: \$15,000 from 1940 to 1942, Incl. and \$16,000 from 1943 to 1945, incl.

Int. Rate	
11/4%	\$486.00
- 11/4 %	391.00
11/4 %	
- 11/4 %	260.40
- 11/4 %	242.00
- 11/4 %	208.00
- 114%	168.00
- 11/4 %	134.00
- 11/4 %	131.00
- 11/4 %	37.85
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- 11/2 %	356.00
- 11/2 %	276.00
- 112%	267.79
- 1/2%	167.40
1 1 1/2 %	74.40
	Int. Rate

TROY RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Burton), Ohio—NOTES NOT SOLD—The \$4,236.51 not to exceed 4% interest refunding notes offered July 3 failed to attract bids.

TRUMBULL COUNTY (P. O. Warren), Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$10,900 poor relief notes offered July 3—V. 149, p. 148—were awarded to Johnson, Kase & Co. of Cleveland as 1½s, at par plus \$34 premium, equal to 100.311, a basis of about 1.16%. Dated July 1, 1939 and due March 1, 1943. Other bids:

1943. Other bids: Bidder—	Int. Rate	Premium
Paine, Webber & Co	11/4 %	\$33.89
Ryan, Sutherland & Co	11/4 %	21.00
	114%	18.55
Seasongood & Mayer	112%	6.85
Rosenbloom & Co		Par
Union Savings & Trust Co., Warren	23/4 %	Par

TWIN RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Bourneville), Ohio—NOTE SALE—The \$12,801.97 refunding notes offered July 3—V. 148, p. 3879—were sold as 3s to Rockhold, Brown & Co. of Bainbridge.

VERSAILLES, Ohio—BOND OFFERING—Sealed bids addressed to alph Pittsenbarger, Village Clerk, will be received until 3 p. m. on July 22 or the purchase of \$15,300 4½% sanitary sewage bonds. Dated June 1,

Denom. \$900. Due \$900 on June 1 and Dec. 1 from 1940 to 1947 nd \$900 June 1, 1948. Bidder may name a different rate of interest, provided that fractional rates are expressed in a multiple of 1/2 of 1 Interest J-D. A certified check for 1% of the bonds bid for must accompa each proposal.

WHITEOAK RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Mowrystown Ohio—NOTE SALE—The First National Bank of Sardinia purchased of July 5 an issue of \$5,803.76 refunding notes as 3s.

WILLIAMSBURG VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, Ohio—NOTE SALE—The Farmers & Merchants Bank of Williamsburg purchased on July 5 an issue of \$9,197.52 refunding notes as 3s. The Peoples Bank of Williamsburg also named an interest rate of 3%.

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#### OKLAHOMA

ALTUS, Okla.—BOND SALE—The \$49,000 issue of auditorium bonds offered for sale on July 3—V. 149, p. 148—was purchased by the City Treasurer as is. No other bid was received, according to the said City Treasurer. Due \$5,000 in 1942 to 1950, and \$4,000 in 1951.

BRADLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Bradley) Okla.—BONDS OFFERED—It is reported that bids were received until 10 a. m. on July 6, by H. C. Dennis, Clerk of the Board of Education, for the purchase of \$15,000 school building bonds. Due \$1,000 from 1942 to 1956 incl.

JAY, Okla.—BOND SALE DETAILS—It is stated by the Town Clerk that the \$7,000 sanitary sewer bonds purchased by Calvert & Canfield of Oklahoma City, as noted here—V. 148, p. 3879—were sold for a premium of \$1.63, equal to 100.023, a net interest cost of about 5.89%, on the bonds divided as follows: \$5,000 as 6s, due \$1,000 from July 1, 1942, to 1946, the remaining \$2,000 as 5¾s, due \$1,000 on July 1, 1947 and 1948.

#### OREGON

COOS COUNTY (P. O. Coquille), Ore.—BOND SALE—The \$370,000 issue of refunding bonds offered for sale on July 5—V. 148, p. 3880—was awarded to a syndicate composed of Tripp & McClearey: the Baker, Fordyce, Tucker Co.; Atkinson-Jones & Co., and Merton R. De Long, all of Portland, paying a price of 100.10, a net interest cost of about 2.39% on the bonds divided as follows: \$82.000 maturing Aug. 1, \$16.000 in 1941 to 1943, \$17,000 in 1944 and 1945, as 2½s, \$218,000 maturing Aug. 1, \$18.000 in 1946 to 1948, \$19.000 in 1949 and 1956, as 2½s, and \$70,000 maturing Aug. 1, \$23,000 in 1957 and 1958, and \$24,000 in 1959, as 2½s.

VISTA HEIGHTS WATER DISTRICT (P. O. Salem), Ore.—BOND SALE—An issue of \$21,500 water system bonds was sold on June 26 to Tripp & McClearey of Portland, at a price of 100.17, a net interest cost of about 3.16%, as follows: \$11,000 3s, due \$1,000 from 1941 to 1945, incl. and \$1,500 from 1946 to 1949, incl. 10,500 3/s, due \$1,500 from 1950 to 1952, incl. and \$2,000 from 1953 to 1955, incl.

## PENNSYLVANIA

GRANVILLE TOWNSHIP (P. O. Granville), Pa.—BOND SALE—The issue of \$12,000 bonds offered July 1—V. 148, p. 3727—was awarded to Glover & MacGregor of Pittsburgh as 4s, at a price of 101.258, a basis of about 3.88%. Dated June 1. 1939 and due June 1 as follows: \$500 from 1944 to 1951 incl. and \$1,000 from 1952 to 1959 incl. The Lewistown Trust Co. of Lewistown, second high bidder, named a price of 100.50 for 4s. LANCASTER TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Lancaster), Pa.—BONDS DEFEATED—An issue of \$100,000 construction bonds was heavily rejected by the voters at an election on June 27.

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PENNSYLVANIA (State of)—SCHOOL FUND SELLS BONDS—Drexel & Co. of Philadelphia were successful bidders for the following \$1,020.000 4%, series F State highway bonds offered for sale on July 7 by the School Employees' Retirement Fund: \$751,000 bonds, due Sept. 1, 1943, were sold at a price of 113.90, 269,000 bonds, due Sept. 1, 1944, were sold at a price of 119.52.

OPTION ON DELAWARE JOINT COMMISSION BONDS—We are advised that the Retirement Fund rejected the highest bid, made by Dougherty, Corkran & Co., Philadelphia and Blair & Co., Inc., New York, for the \$1,000,000 4½% Delaware River Joint Commission (Philadelphia-Camden Bridge) bonds offered at the same time. The bankers then agreed to accept an option for one week to purchase the bonds at a higher price than their original offer. Bonds mature Sept. 1 as follows: \$125,000 in 1968 and \$875,000 in 1969. Callable at 105 on Sept. 1, 1943. Legal opinion of Thomson, Wood & Hoffman of New York City.

PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL DISTRICT. Pa.—BOND OFFERING—

in 1968 and \$875,000 in 1969. Callable at 105 on Sept. 1, 1943. Legal opinion of Thomson, Wood & Hoffman of New York City.

PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—Add. B. Anderson, Secretary of Board of Public Education, will receive sealed bids until 10:45 a. m. (EST) on July 26 for the purchase of \$3,750,000 not to exceed 4% interest school bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1939. The bonds will be in the denomination of \$1,000 each, or, at the request of the successful bidder or bidders, in the denominations of \$10,000 or \$100,000 or both. Due Aug. 1, as follows: \$170,000 in 1944 to 1946, and \$180,000 in 1947 to 1964. The bonds will be in coupon form registerable as to principal only, or in fully registered form, as requested, and bonds of the same series will be interchangeable from coupon to registered form, or from registered to coupon form and will also be interchangeable as to the denominations hereinabove set forth. Rate of interest to be in multiples of ½ of 1%. Bids will be received only for the entire issue and at any one rate of interest and no bid combining two or more different rates will be considered. Bids must be for not less than the par value of the bonds and accrued interest. Said bonds and the interest thereon will be payable without deduction for any tax or taxes, except gift, succession or inheritance taxes, which are now or may hereafter be levied or assessed thereon under any present or future law of the Commonwealth, all of which State taxes, except as above provided, the district assumes and agrees to pay. The bonds are direct and general obligations of the district, payable from ad valorem taxes within the limits imposed by law, levied on all the property taxable for school purposes within the district. Bids must be unconditional in form and must be submitted on blanks which may be obtained from the above Secretary. Bidders, however, may bid subject to the opinion of their own counsel as to except the loan. Settlement in full of the loan must be made with the Secretary on Aug. 1, at 11 a

\$37,500, payable to the district.

RIDLEY TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Woodlyn), Pa.—
BOND OFFERING—Vincent A. Mallon, Secretary of Board of School
Directors, will receive sealed bids until 7 p. m. (EST) on July 21 for the
purchase of \$40,000 1½, 1½, 2½, 2½, 2½, 2½, 3, 3¼, or 3½% coupon
operating revenue bonds. Dated July 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due
\$4,000 on July 1 from 1940 to 1949, incl. Bidder to name one rate of
interest, payable JJ. The bonds will be direct obligations of the district
and issued under authority of the Act of May 16, 1939, being Act No. 69
of 1939 Session of the State Legislature. Registerable as to principal only
and issued subject to approving legal opinion of Townsend, Elliott &
Munson of Philadelphia. A certified check for 2% of bonds bid for, payable
to order of the District Treasurer, is required.

SCRANTON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, Pa.—NOTE OFFERING—
Jacob Eckersley, Secretary of Board of School Directors, will receive sealed

bids until 8 p. m. (EST) on July 10 for the purchase of \$700,000 tax anticipation notes, series of 1940. Dated July 12, 1939 and due May 12. 1940. Denom, \$50,000. Rate of interest, payable at maturity, to be determined by the bidding. Notes will be issued subject to favorable legal opinion of Townsend, Elliott & Munson of Philadelphia. The district has no temporary indebtedness, bank loans or tax anticipation notes outstanding at this time.

SELINSGROVE, Pa.—BOND SALE—The Richfield Bank of Richfield purchased during June an issue of \$7,000 2½% sewer system bonds at 100.05, a basis of about 2.49%. Due \$1,000 on July 1 from 1940 to 1946 incl.

STONYCREEK TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Oakland, R. D. 3), Pa.—BOND OFFERING—M. Lee Gilbert, District Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 8 p. m. (EST) on July 18 for the purchase of \$15.000 4½% refunding bonds of 1939. Dated June 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due June 1 as follows: \$2,000 from 1940 to 1945 incl. and \$3,000 in 1945. Interest J-D. A certified check for \$500, payable to order of the district, is required.

YOUNGSVILLE, Pa.—BOND OFFERING—W. H. Brazee, Borough Secretary, will receive sealed bids until 7:30 p. m. on July 21 for the purchase of \$10,000 3½% coupon sewer bonds. Dated July 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due from 1944 to 1948, incl.

#### PUERTO RICO

ARECIBO, Puerto Rico—BONDS OFFERED FOR INVESTMENT—A. C. Allyn & Co., Inc. of Chicago, is offering a new issue of \$450,000 4½% port improvement bonds, due July 1, 1939 to 1963, at prices to yield from 5.0% to 3.75%, according to maturity. The bonds are interest exempt from all present Federal, State, municipal and local taxation.

## RHODE ISLAND

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—BOND OFFERING—Walter F. Fitzpatrick, City Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 2 p. m. (DST) on July 18 for the purchase of \$1,400,000 hurricane damage rehabilitation bonds. Dated Aug. 1, 1939. Due \$70,000 on Aug. 1 from 1945 to 1964, incl. Bidder to name one rate of interest and in no multiple of less than ½ of 1%. All bids must be at par, or better. Either coupon bonds of \$1,000 each, as desired, will be issued for the whole or any portion of the loan, and coupon bonds may at any time thereafter be converted into registered bonds of the thereafter be converted into registered bonds of the above denominations at the option of the holder, and when so registered they become registered as to both principal and interest. Registered bonds cannot be changed back into coupon bonds. Principal and interest (F-A) of coupon bonds payable in legal tender at the fiscal agency of the city in New York City. The city transmits by mail interest on all registered bonds, if desired. Bonds will be ready for delivery as soon after Aug. 1, as possible, and will be subject to accrued interest from Aug. 1, to date of delivery. Proceeds of the bond sale will be applied to extinguish notes already issued or to be issued for hurricane rehabilitation work under authority granted to the city to expend \$1,400,000 for this purpose. There is no controversy or litigation pending or threatened affecting the corporate existence or boundaries of the city. These bonds are payable out of unlimited ad valorem taxes, except that the tax on intangible personal property is limited by statute to 40 cents per \$100 valuation. Purchaser shall furnish own legal opinion. Enclose a certified check for 2% of the par value of the amount of bonds, payable to the City Treasurer.

#### SOUTH CAROLINA

COLUMBIA, S. C.—BOND SALE—It is stated by the City Clerk that the \$111,000 paving assessment bonds offered for sale on July 1—V. 149, p. 149—were awarded to McAlister, Smith & Pate of Greenville, as 24/s, paying a premium of \$299.70, equal to 100.27, a basis of about 2.20%. Dated July 1, 1939. Due on July 1 as follows: \$11,000 in 1940 to 1948, and \$12,000 in 1949.

ST. PHILIP'S AND ST. MICHAEL'S PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT (P. O. Charleston), S. C.—BOND OFFERING—It is reported that sealed bids will be received until July 3 by the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners, for the purchase of an issue of \$100,000 sewer bonds.

SIONERS, for the purchase of an ISSUE of \$1.00,000 sewer bonds.

ST. PHILIP'S AND ST. MICHAEL'S PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT

(P. O. Charleston), S. C.—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$100,000 sewer bonds were purchased jointly on July 3 by John Nuveen & Co. of Chicago, and McAlister, Smith & Pate of Greenville, paying a price of 100,289, a net interest cost of about 3.02%, on the bonds as follows: \$38,000 as 3½s, due on July 1; \$4,000, 1940 to 1944, \$6,000 in 1945 to 1947, the remaining \$62,000 as 3s, due on July 1; \$6,000 in 1948 to 1954, and \$4,000 in 1955 to 1959. Dated July 1, 1939.

\$4,000 in 1955 to 1959. Dated July 1, 1939.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA (P. O. Columbia), S. C.—

BOND SALE—The \$150,000 issue of coupon semi-annual revenue bonds offered for sale on July 1—V. 148, p. 3728—was awarded to Frost, Read & Co. of Charleston, as 3½ s, paying a premium of \$1,039.99, equal to 100.693, a basis of about 3.15%. Dated June 1, 1939. Due \$10,000 from June 1, 1940 to 1954, incl. The other bids were as follows:

Names of Other Bidders—

Rate Premium Equitable Securities Corp. 3½% 571.00

C. W. Haynes & Co. 3½% 571.00

R. S. Dickson & Co. 3½% 991.50

Weil, Roth & Irving Co. 3½% 1,057.00

The Milkaukee Co. 3½% 855.00

Fox. Einhorn & Co. 3½% 909.00

Lewis & Hall, Inc. 3½% 965.00

#### SOUTH DAKOTA

VOLGA, S. Dak.—BONDS VOTED—It is stated by the City Auditor that at the election held on June 27 the voters approved the issuance of \$40,000 in not to exceed 4½% semi-ann. electric light revenue bonds.

\$40,000 in not to exceed 4½% semi-ann. electric light revenue ponds.

WOONSOCKET, S. Dak.—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by F. D. Richards, City Auditor. that \$22,000 refunding bonds were sold last April to the Commercial Trust & Savings Bank, Mitchell National Bank, both of Mitchell, and the Sanborn County Bank of Woonsocket, jointly, as 3½s, paying par. Denom. \$1,000. Dated June 15, 1939. Due as follows: \$1.000 in 1944 to 1946; \$2.000, 1947 to 1951, and \$3,000 in 1952 to 1954; optional after June 15, 1949.

#### **TENNESSEE**

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—REPORT ON BOND SALE POSTPONE-MENT—In connection with the \$13,200,000 electric power revenue, series A, bonds, the sale of which was postponed indefinitely, as noted in our issue of July 1—V. 149, p. 149—S. R. Finley, Chief Engineer, states:

"All bids submitted in connection with the TVA—C. & S. purchase upon the Chattanooga Electric Power Board \$13,200,000 revenue bond issue were returned unopened. The present bidding has been canceled as it is quite evident completion of the purchase deal by June 30 cannot be accomplished. In the event a new contract completing the purchase is consummated, a new advertisement setting a new date for the receipt of bids on this bond issue will be effected."

#### **TEXAS**

BROWNFIELD, Texas—BONDS SOLD—It is stated by Mayor C. C. Coleman that \$15,000 3% semi-ann. street bonds approved by the voters on June 24, have been sold. Dated July 1, 1939. Due in 1944.

CHEROKEE COUNTY (P. O. Rusk), Texas—WARRANTS SOLD— It is reported that \$50,000 3% court house construction warrants were purchased on June 17 by the Farmers & Merchants State Bank & Trust Co. of Rusk.

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CORPUS CHRISTI INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Corpus Christi), Texas—PRE-ELECTION BOND CONTRACT—It is stated by R. B. Fischer, Superintendent of Schools, that Milton R. Underwood & Co. of Houston have contracted to purchase prior to an election to be held on July 8 a total of \$150,000 construction bonds out of the \$250,000 bonds that will be up for approval by the voters, as loted here on July 1—V. 149, p. 150.

FLORESVILLE, Texas—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that Crummer & Co. of Dallas have contracted to purchase, prior to an election scheduled for July 8, a \$20,000 issue of sanitary sewer revenue bonds, at par, as follows: 7,000 maturing \$500 in 1940 and 1941, \$1,000 in 1942 and 1943, \$1,500 in 1944 and 1945 and \$1,000 in 1947 to 1959, as 4s, semi-annual, and \$13,000 maturing \$1,000 in 1947 to 1959, as 4s, semi-annual. Dated on or about July 15, 1939. Denoms. \$1,000 and \$500. Option of prior redemption after 15 years from date.

GARLAND, Texas—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$60,000 electric, water and sewer revenue bonds have been purchased by R. E. Crummer & Co. of Dallas, as 3 1/4s, paying a price of 100.27.

Co. of Dallas, as 3½s, paying a price of 100.27.

HARDIN CONSOLIDATED COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 26 (P. O. Liberty), Liberty County, Tex.—BOND OFFERING—The Board of Trustees will receive sealed bids at the office of the County Superintendent of Public Schools, until 10 a. m. on July 21 for the purchase of \$150,000 series of 1939 schoolhouse bonds. Dated July 10, 1939. Due \$15,000 on July 10 from 1940 to 1949, incl. Bidder to name rate of interest and a price of not less than par and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids subject to option of State Board of Education as required by law. Legal opinion of Chapman & Cutler of Chicago, if desired. A certified check for 2% of amount of bid must accompany each proposal.

HOUSTON, Texas—WARRANTS OFFERED—We are informed by W. H. Maunsell, City Comptroller, that he received sealed bids until 10 a. m. on July 7, for the purchase of an issue of \$125,000 4% semi-annual airport warrants. Denom. \$1,000. Dated March 1, 1939. Due on March 1 as follows: \$12,000 in 1940 to 1944, and \$13,000 in 1945 to 1949, all incl. Legality approved by the Attorney General and Reed, Hoyt, Washburn & Clay of New York.

SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O.

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SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. San Antonio), Texas—PLRCHASERS—It is now reported that Donald O'Neill & Co. of Dallas, Elliott & Eubank of Waco, and Pitman & Co. of San Antonio, were associated with Garrett & Co. of Dallas, in the purchase at par of the \$110,000 3½% semi-annual stadium and athletic field revenue bonds, described in our issue of June 24—V. 148, p. 3882.

TEXAS, State of—LOCAL UNITS SHOW INCREASE IN DEBT—At the end of the State fiscal year, Aug. 31. 1938 the total bonded indebtedness of all political subdivisions of Texas was \$686 029,446, against which there was accumulated sinking funds of \$39.654,860, leaving a net of \$646.374,558, of which 24.1% was owing by counties, 35.5% by cities, 19.5% by school districts, and 20.9% by road and improvement districts, State Auditor Tom C. King says in his recent annual report. The report shows a net increase in the debt of political subdivisions over the previous year of \$4.907,191.

Gross collections for the fiscal year were \$138,930,887, an increase of \$6.715,385 over the preceding year; and the assessed county valuations of \$4.145,625,415 were only 47.3% of the true valuations of \$8,759,431,727. The average dollar of debt to each \$100 of assessed valuation is \$15.59, and to the true value of assessed property is \$7.38. Mr. King's report gives the figures for each county.

WEATHERFORD, Texas—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$250,000

WEATHERFORD, Texas—BONDS SOLD—It is reported that \$250,000 4% electric light plant and distribution system revenue bonds have been purchased at par by Kalman & Co. of St. Paul.

#### VERMONT

WALDEN, Vt.—BOND SALE—The \$26,000 coupon refunding bonds offered June 30—V. 149, p. 150—were awarded to Vermont Securities, Inc., of Brattleboro, as 2½s, at a price of 101.70, a basis of about 2.54%. Dated July 3, 1939, and due Jan. 1 as follows: \$1,500 from 1940 to 1951, incl. and \$1,000 from 1952 to 1959, incl. Other bids, for 3s: Montpelier National Bank, 100.30; First Boston Corp., 101.216.

#### \$25,000

PETERSBURG, VA. Improvement 41/28 Due December 1, 1962 at 3.00% basis

#### F. W. CRAIGIE & COMPANY

Richmond, Va.
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#### VIRGINIA

LYNCHBURG, VA.—FINANCIAL STATEMENT—The following information is furnished in connection with the offering scheduled for July 26 of the \$500,000 public improvement bonds, noted in our issue of July 1—V. 149, p. 150:

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Area, 13.93 square miles.  Assessed Value for 1939 Taxation,  Apprasial as of Jan. 1, 1939	1939 Rate of Taxation on per \$1,000 of Assessed value
1. Real estate 2. Public Service Corporation real estate	\$33,846,060 \$23.50
and tangible property (1938)	4,012.621 23.50
Total real estate3. Tangible personal property (esti.)	\$37.858,681 3,500,000 23.50
Total	\$41,358,681 Report

Total	Ad Valorem or	General Uncollected
Fiscal Year	Property Tax	June 1. 1939
1935	\$823.625.00	\$5.876.20
1936	870.921.00	7.360.54
1937	938,524.00	18.667.18
1938	956,105,80	65,214.30
1939*	994,414,41	994,414,41
*1st installment due July 1 to 1	5.	

Gross debt exclusive of water\_\_\_\_\_\_\$1,346,348.86 Gross sinking fund\_\_\_\_\_\_\$1,346,348.86 Less sinking fund applicable to water\_\_\_\_\_\_400,000.00 \$3.084.816.07 946.348.86

Net debt on basis of New York law.

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Pobt ratio equals 5.65%—New York limit equals 15.00%.

VIRGINIA, State of —REVENUES FOR 11 MONTHS REPORTED HIGHER— Revenues of the State for the first 11 months of the past fiscal year were \$7.632,494 above receipts for the same period of the previous fiscal year, Comptroller Leroy Hodges reported to Governor James H. Price. Expenditures were \$10,767,617 above last year, but the report showed a book surplus of \$14,440,632.

Revenues for the 11 months' period ended May 31 were \$87,093,369, compared with \$79,460,875.

Expenditures for the period amounted to \$78,098,623; compared with \$67,331,006.

## WASHINGTON

KING COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICTS (P. O. Seattle), Wash.—BOND SALE—The \$29,000 bonds offered July 3—V. 148, p. 3882—were sold as follows: \$20,000 School District No. 86 bonds to Seattle-First National Bank, as 3s, at a price of 100.625.

9,000 School District No. 222 bonds taken as 31/2s, at par, by the State, the only bidder.

OKANOGAN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 108 (P. O. Okanogan), Wash.—BOND OFFERING—V. B. White, County Treasurer, will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m. on July 26 for the purchase of \$10,500 not to exceed 4% interest school bonds. The bonds shall run for

a period of 23 years and shall be payable in the order of their issuance, lowest number first, beginning the second year after the date of issue of the bonds, and shall (as near as practicable) be in such amounts as will, together with the interest on all outstanding bonds, be met with an equal annual tax levy for the payment of the bonds and interest. Provided that the bonds shall be of a denomination of a multiple of \$100; provided further that the district reserves the right to pay or redeem the bonds, or any of them, at any time after three years from the date thereof. Principal and interest payable at the County Treasurer's office. Purchaser of the bonds will be required to furnish blank bonds and will be expected to pay the costs of examination of exhibits in connection with such issue. These bonds were authorized at the election held on Aug. 15, 1938. Enclose a certified check for 5% of the bid, payable to order of County Treasurer.

#### WISCONSIN

Annual tax levy to retire bonds.

FOX RIVER SANITARY DISTRICT NO. 1 (P. O. Green Bay), Allouez, Wis.—BONDS PUBLICLY OFFERED—Public offering of \$15,000 4% general obligation sewer bonds is being made by Heronymus & Ballschmider of Sheboygan. Dated Aug. 1, 1938. Denoms. \$1,000 and \$500. Due \$2,500 on July 1 from 1953 to 1958, incl. Principal and interest (J-J) payable at the Wisconsin State Bank, Green Bay. The district extends from the south corporate limits of the City of Green Bay to north corporate limits of City of DePere and from Ridge Road on the east to the Fox River on the west. About one-half of the Town of Allouez is within the district. These bonds, authorized and being issued for a sanitary sewer system to connect in with the Green Bay Metropolitan Sewerage District and with the sanitary sewage disposal plant and system of the City of DePere, will be, in the opinion of counsel, a direct general obligation of the entire district payable as to both principal and interest from unlimited taxes levied against all taxable property located therein. Legality approved by Chapman & Cutler of Chicago.

RACINE, Wis.—BOND SALE—The following issues of bonds.

#### WYOMING

PAVILLION SCHOOL DISTRICT (P. O. Pavillion), Wyo.—BOND OFFERING—It is reported that sealed bids will be received until 8 p. m. on July 15 by George Greathouse. Secretary of the, School Board, for the purchase of a \$12,000 issue of ouliding bonds.

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SWEETWATER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6 (P. O. Granger), Wyo.—BOND OFFERING—It is said that O. D. Elder, Clerk of the Board of Trustees, will offer for sale at public auction on July 29, at 8 p. m., a \$21,000 issue of school bonds. Interest rate is not to exceed 4%, payable semi-annually. Dated July 1, 1939. Denom. \$1,000. Due \$1,000 Oct. 1, 1940 to 1960, bonds due in 1950 and thereafter being redeemable Oct. 1, 1949. Interest payable January and July 1. Bids at less than the par value of the bonds will not be considered. A certified check for 10% of the face amount of bonds sold is required.

#### CANADA

ALBERTA (Province of)—BOND INTEREST OFFER—The Province will pay interest to bona fide holders of depentures wale 1 matured Jan. 15, 1939, at 1 e rate of 2½% per annum in respect of the nalf year ending July 15, 1939, tais being at the rate of \$12.50 for each \$1,000. Holders will be paid interest on presentation of their debentures at any branch of the Imperial Bank of Canada in the Dominion of Canada or at the Bank of The Manhattan Co., New York City.

CANADA (Dominion of)—TREASURY BILLS SOLD—An issue of \$25,000,000 Treasury pills was sold on June 29 at an average yield of 0.604%. Dated June 30, 1939, and due Sept. 29, 1939.

MONTERAL ONE—SURES BANKS FOR \$2,000,000—Instructions to

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MONTREAL, Que.—SUES BANKS FOR \$2,000,000—Instructions to lawyers of the city to enter suit for \$2,000,000 against the Bank of Montreal. La Banque Canadienne Nationale and the Royal Bank of Canada for alleged damages caused by the banks to the city's credit, were given on June 23 by Mayor Camillien Houde and the Executive Committee, according to the Montreal 'Gazette' of the following day:

Announcement of the proposed suit was made by the Mayor, who handed out a resolution of the Executive Committee to that effect. The Committee with the exception of Alderman John Kerry, K.C., was unanimous in its decision to enter suit.

Litigation was decided upon by the Executive Committee after advice from Guillaume St. Pierre, K.C., the city's attorney. Mr. St. Pierre was saked for an opinion following receipt by the Mayor of a letter signed by the three banks in which they made known their decision not to advance any untrher credit to the city unless an overdraft of \$40,000,000 was substantially reduced. V. 148, p. 3730.

The particular sentence in the letter from the banks on which the decision to sue was reached said: "You and your colleagues are aware, even better than we are, of the credit standing of the city and of the lack of confidence in City of Montreal securities manifested by the investing public..."
Text of the resolution of the Executive Committee, "acting on report of the legal department," is as follows: "Resolved to give instructions to city lawyers to take action against the Bank of Montreal. La Banque Canadienne Nationale and the Royal Bank of Canada for \$2,000,000 for damages caused to the credit of the City of Montreal."

NEWCASTLE, N. B.—BOND SALE—An issue of \$25,000 4% improvement bonds was salled to Neshitt. Thompson & Co. of Toronto. Due serially

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The issue was sold at a price of 101.125.

STREETSVILLE, Ont.—BOND SALE—The \$27,000 3½% public school bonds offered June 30—V. 149, p. 150—were awarded to Harris, MacKeen, Goss & Co. of Toronto at a price of 102.78, a basis of about 3.18%. Due serially in 20 years.