

## STOCK TRADE GROWS A MILLION A MONTH

Prosperity of North-west Cattle and Hog Raisers Is Shown by Figures.

### HIGH PRICES THE CAUSE

GAIN OF \$6,000,000 IN FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1910 OVER ANY CORRESPONDING PERIOD BRINGS TOTAL TO 25 MILLIONS.

St. Paul, Minn., July 16.—A gain of \$6,000,000 in the amount paid to the farmers of the northwest by meat packers and other buyers of live stock at South St. Paul is indicated by the figures of the Packington bank clearings for the first six months of the present year made public yesterday. From January to July, 1910, the total was \$24,340,000,25, while \$18,342,401.22 was the total for the same period in the past year.

While part of the gain in banking operations is to be attributed to the growth of South St. Paul, President J. J. Flanagan of the Stock Yards National bank ascribed by far the greater portion of the increase to the enlarged operations of the market and the high prices that packers have paid for stock purchased from the farmers. The average gain of a million dollars a month at the South St. Paul yards reflects the growing magnitude of the live stock industry in the northwest and also the of the local market.

#### Industry Is Growing.

It further indicates that farmers in general are engaging more extensively in live stock raising because of the increased profits and that confidence in the business has been restored since the 1907 season and is now more firmly fixed among the northwestern farmers.

President Flanagan said yesterday that he places no confidence in the reports that have come from some sources that the fall business at the stock yards will be materially affected by the heavy marketing of stock during June caused by the drying up of pastures. He cited similar forecasts made about this time last year with regard to the 1909 run and pointed out that the predicted falling off in business failed to materialize, but that, on the other hand all previous records for expenditures for live stock at South St. Paul for corresponding periods were shattered.

#### Highest Prices for Hogs.

Prices received by farmers for hogs during the six months period just closed were by far the highest ever paid during so extended a period of time and account in large measure for the \$6,000,000 gain. In spite of the fact that receipts of hogs during the first six months this year were only \$72,468 compared with \$48,876 last year, a loss of nearly 15 per cent, packers have paid more money for hogs than during the same time in 1909.

Cattle prices have not undergone the sharp changes which have been apparent in the swine trade, and at present are on a very satisfactory summer level from the standpoint of the stockman.

Values of sheep and lambs which have but recently worked to a low level because of heavy runs at all markets of the country, have been high during the greater part of the first half of this year and packers have paid record breaking prices for this stock also. Receipts increased about 8 per cent over last year.

### DIAMOND CHIPS

The Sunday double-header at Cincinnati with New York will start promptly at 2 o'clock and the gates will be opened at noon. After 5,000 bleacher tickets have been sold that gate will be closed, so Banny advises the regular bleacher patrons to be on hand early, with or without their lunch.

President Herrmann of the Cincinnati club will arrive early Sunday morning, coming through from Detroit on a special car, which the C. H. & D. people have provided for his exclusive use. Soon after his return he will call a meeting of the board of directors of the club to settle the question of building a new grand stand. If it is to be built in time for use next year contracts will have to be let at once so that material can be ordered and work commenced just as soon as the season closes.

Both Bill Sweeney and Cliff Curtis would like to see a deal pulled off which would make them members of the Reds, for they are practically local boys. Bill lives in Newport and Curtis makes his home in Delaware. O. So far Fred Lake has made no move with regard to a trade, though he would like to secure Hans Lobert to bolster up his infield. Griff is hiding his time, willing to talk business, but not anxious.

The enlarging fever has struck Boston, where President Dovey is supervising improvements in his grand stand and bleachers. It's a great ball town and the management is looking forward to the future, when the present fast team gets to going. It will surely draw some next season, for Fred Lake is a wise guy and will have his club well up in the race in another year.

George Magoo, the former Red second baseman, and now manager of the Savannah club in the South Atlantic league, says that Rube Benton will be a star in time. George writes: "Your club has a great pitcher in Benton. He may not show this season, but af-

### BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	45	28	.616
New York	42	30	.582
Pittsburg	38	32	.542
Cincinnati	40	36	.526
Philadelphia	35	37	.486
Brooklyn	33	40	.452
St. Louis	32	43	.427
Boston	30	49	.380

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	51	24	.680
New York	45	30	.600
Boston	45	32	.584
Toledo	45	36	.502
Kansas City	32	38	.457
Chicago	31	44	.413
Washington	30	46	.395
St. Louis	23	50	.315

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Minneapolis	60	31	.659
St. Paul	53	35	.602
Toledo	49	37	.570
Kansas City	41	42	.494
Columbus	37	45	.451
Milwaukee	36	48	.429
Indianapolis	35	52	.402
Louisville	32	53	.376

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cincinnati	5	1	
Pittsburg	8	7	
Other games postponed—Rain.			
American League.			
New York 8; Cleveland 7.			
Boston 6; Chicago 2.			
Philadelphia 2; St. Louis 0.			
Washington 7; Detroit 3.			
American Association.			
Toledo 6; St. Paul 5 (10 innings).			
Louisville 8; Milwaukee 1.			
Indianapolis 3; Kansas City 0.			
Minneapolis 5; Columbus 3.			

### GAMES TODAY.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	Miner	St. Louis	New York at Pittsburgh.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.			
New York at Pittsburgh.			
Philadelphia at Chicago.			
American League.			
St. Louis at Philadelphia.			
Washington at Detroit.			
Cleveland at New York.			
Chicago at Boston.			
American Association.			
St. Paul at Toledo.			
Milwaukee at Louisville.			
Minneapolis at Columbus.			
Kansas City at Indianapolis.			

### ASKS FOR RECEIVER

## REFUSES TO TALK OF A THIRD TERM

Roosevelt Denies to Make a Statement Concerning Importunities of Friends.

### PITCHED HAY ALL MORNING

THE EX-PRESIDENT FILLED FOUR LARGE WAGONS BEFORE THE SUN WAS WELL UP, WHICH IS NO NATURE-FAKE.

(American News Service.)  
Oyster Bay, July 16.—Theodore Roosevelt today refused to discuss the third term boom proposed by former Ambassador David E. Thompson.

The ex-president was pitching hay when he was asked as to his attitude toward the proposal. His reply was a plain blank refusal to talk about the matter, the refusal being emphasized by a fierce scowl.

Roosevelt has received scores of letters in the last ten days, particularly since he came out in support of the insurgent candidates, urging that he allow his friends to put him forward as a receptive candidate for the presidential nomination in 1912. He knows that if he desires it, a strong sentiment can be worked up within the republican party, or at least in the insurgent element of it. Roosevelt, as far as known, has not given the slightest encouragement as yet to these importunities. The colonel was up early today with his pitchfork and by noon he had piled up four wagon loads of hay.

### Mechanic at the Vajer-Bader Factory Charges Gross Mismanagement.

### DECLARES \$250 IS DUE HIM

Alleging gross mismanagement in the affairs of the Vajer-Bader company, Henry J. Sulgrave, a mechanic employed by the company, filed suit in the circuit court this morning for the appointment of a receiver. He also demands \$250, which he avers is due him for labor since December 16, 1909. The petitioner asked that James M. Judson be appointed receiver. An order will be asked of the court to finish the business now on hand and dispose of the plant. The concern manufacturers helmets used in mines and by fire-fighters. Robert W. Stinson, the principal owner, has not been in the city for several months.

### POVERTY NO GROUNDS

Judge Fox Refuses to Grant Divorces to Wives Who Lacked Pin-Money.

### BOTH CASES DISMISSED

"Poverty is no grounds for divorce," declared Judge Fox of the circuit court this morning in refusing a decree to Georgia E. Bradway, and later to Magie Adams.

Except that William T. Bradway, a bicycle salesman and repairman, did not give his wife any spending money, no evidence was introduced by the complainant to show cause for a divorce. When the defendant was on the stand he said that he did not give his wife any pin-money because he did not have any to spare.

Practically the same talk was put up by Maggie Adams, who wants a divorce from Robert Adams. Failure to provide was aversed in both cases, but testimony of the defendants influenced the court to refuse to grant divorces to either of the petitioners.

### NAMES NEW FIREMAN

Mayor Zimmerman Appoints Martin Swisher as "Extra" in Department.

### SUCCEEDS FRANK POSTHER

Mayor W. W. Zimmerman today appointed Martin Swisher as extra in the fire department to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Frank Posther, of No. 5 hose house. Posther had been transferred from No. 5 to No. 3 and was to have begun his duties at No. 3 today. James Ogburn, who has been extra fireman, was placed at No. 3 as regular. During the vacation of James Hahn at No. 3 Swisher will be stationed there. Swisher is a democrat and put in an application last August. He was formerly a motorman.

One of the churches near the crest of Murray Hill, New York, has adopted a street number so that strangers may find it with no more difficulty than they encounter in reaching a shop they may be looking for. This church is now indicated by its number in Fifth avenue in the directory.

## Chicago Twirler Has 3 Fingers



Mordecai Brown, one of the star twirlers of the Chicago Cubs. The Miner who has but three fingers in his pitching hand has won ten games and lost six thus far this season. In the sixteen games he has struck out fifty-one men. He is well up on the average list with a record of .425.

### SPAIN IN THROES OF INTERNAL WAR

Latest Advices Say That Revolutionary Plot of Great Size Is Hatching.

### THE THRONE IS TOTTERING

ATTEMPT AT LIFE OF YOUNG MONARCH ONLY SMALL PART OF SCHEME—MARTIAL LAW MAY BE DECLARED.

(American News Service)  
London, July 16.—The discovery of a revolutionary plot affecting every important city in Spain today startled the government and a meeting of all cabinet officers was immediately called by Premier Canalejas for tomorrow.

The throne is tottering, according to authentic reports, and the government has ordered all troops in readiness for instant service.

The situation at Barcelona, chief anarchist headquarters, is for the worse, according to semi-official statements that it has been since the height of the riots following the execution of Francisco Ferrer.

The discovery of a plot on the life of King Alfonso yesterday at Valladolid, while he was enroute to Segovia, is but a part of the general revolutionary scheme, but it is on that that the order for the arrest of every known anarchist, issued today, is based.

The grounds about the palace had been doubled, and the King's personal bodyguard was today still further increased, in spite of his protestations.

The government's opposition to the Catholic church has done little to placate the extreme radicals, particularly at Barcelona, according to current reports.

Troops have been ordered to Gijon in preparation for a general strike called there, and the declaration of the martial law at several places is expected within 48 hours.

Russia ranks third among European countries in the number of cotton spindles. More than eight million are now being operated.

SEARCH IN NEW YORK.

New York, July 16.—Additional searches of incoming steamships have failed to bring any word of C