tion resulted in a profit which is now invested in 2,000 shares of the common stock of C. G. Gunther's Sons. The profits so evidenced were turned over to the Associated Merchants' Company and are now its property. The plant of H. O'Neill & Co. is in process of radical improvement, and before winter it will transact its business under favorable conditions. The company has no indebtedness.

Newark Bank Merger.

The consolidation of the National Newark Banking Company and the Essex County National Bank is now a certainty, for the number of consents to the merger required by law have been procured. The officers and directors of the two banks wish to get the consent of every stockholder, so the actual consolidation may not take place for several weeks. The indications are that President Thomas W. Crooks, of the Essex, will be president of the new concern, and President Edward Campbell, of the National Newark Banking Company, vice president.

Western Union Gets Injunction.

WILMINGTON, Del., Friday.—In the United States Circuit Court to-day Judge Bradford issued an injunction temporarily restraining the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company, the Delaware Railroad Company and the Delaware, Maryland and Virginia Railroad Company from interfering with the property of the Western Union Telegraph Company on the right of way of these railroad companies.

The order of Judge Bradford will remain in force until the question has been finally decided by the United States Supreme Court or until the local court makes a further order.

Imports of Dry Goods.

Imports of dry goods at the port of New York for the week were valued at $2,614,856, as against $2,638,000 for the previous week and $2,650,517 for the corresponding week last year. The value of the dry goods marketed was $2,691,948, as against $2,593,891 for the previous week and $2,717,466 for the corresponding week last year.

Financial News Notes.

The Baltimore and Ohio has signed contracts for 50,000 tons of eighty-five pound steel rails for 1904 delivery. The Carnegie Company will furnish 28,000 tons, Cambria 12,000, and Maryland Steel Company 10,000.

The Southern Pacific has made an offer to furnish money to the United States government to build a tobacco dry warehouse at Nacogdoches, Texas.

L. J. Hammond, of Cleveland, Ohio, was appointed receiver for the General Automobile and Manufacturing Company yesterday upon application of the W. M. Pattison Supply Company. The petition states that the concern owes $50,000.

Railroad Earnings.

Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville:—		
Second week of August.	$110,411 Inc..	$10,931
From July 1.....	682,484 Inc..	93,832
Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo:—		
First week August..	10,621 Inc..	2,907
From July 1.....	38,976 Inc..	17,558

TROUBLES IN THE BUSINESS WORLD

Dealers in Scrap Iron and Steel Make an Assignment—Bankruptcy Matters.

Grant & Williams, a corporation, dealers in scrap iron and steel at No. 21 Park row, made an assignment yesterday to Albert L. Phillips. Robert Grant is president. Frank E. Williams, who was formerly the president, is said to have disposed of his stock in the company a month ago. On June 1 the company's statement showed assets, $145,600 and liabilities $95,600. Mr. Phillips, the assignee, said that the assignment was caused by the depreciation in the price of iron, poor collections on contracts and the expected loss of about $5,000 on an account. The liabilities are about $100,000 and he could not give any figures as to assets. Later in the day a petition in bankruptcy was filed against the corporation, and Judge Holt, of the United States District Court, appointed Charles L. Jones receiver of the assets.

Deputy Sheriff Fogarty has received an execution against the Standard Briquette Company, at Seventh avenue and Twelfth street, for $1,280 in favor of François Chailly. A judgment has also been obtained against the company for $600 by Charles C. Eddey. The company was incorporated in May, 1901, with a capital stock of $500,000 and had patents for compressing culm or coal dust, which process was invented by Mr. Chailly.

Judge Holt has appointed Charles S. Collyer receiver of the assets of Campbell & Woodbury, corporation, managers of the Hotel Cadillac, at Broadway and Forty-third street. It was stated that the assets are $3,000, while the liabilities exceed $25,000.

Judgments.

The following judgments for $500 or more were filed yesterday, August 21, 1903, the first name in each case being that of the debtor:—

Bedell, Eugene, and William Stedman—G. C. Rich and another, $610.

Campbell & Woodbury—G. E. Barton, $151.

De Castano, Isabel R.—W. M. Crane and another, $1,912.

Datwyler, Jacob, and Jacob, Jr.—J. & M. Brewing Company, $1,657.

Kane, Margaret A.—E. P. Hatch, $1,059.

MacNulty, Alexander C.—Gansevoort Bank, $621.

Alliance Protection Corporation—Great Eastern Casualty and Indemnity Company of New York, $545.

Greene Consolidated Copper Company—M. Schiffer, $4,147.

Porterfield, Charles R.—R. Burdette, $622.

The Concord Motor Carriage Company—C. F. Splitdorf, $852.

Ullmer, William—E. S. Thomas, trustee, $514.

Failures of the Week.

Bradstreet's reports 166 failures in the United States during the week, against 160 for the previous week, and 181, 181, 135 and 154 for the corresponding weeks of 1902 to 1899. The Middle States had 45, New England 31, Southern 25, Western 40, Northwestern 13, Pacific 10 and Territories 2. Canada had 14, against 17 for the preceding week. About 88 per cent of the total number of concerns failing had capital of $5,000 or less, and 6 per cent had from $5,000 to $20,000 capital.

COMMERCIAL MARKETS.

Cotton a Professional Affair—Coffee Closes Steady and Higher—Advance in Wheat and Corn.

While transactions in cotton yesterday were somewhat larger than of late, the day's business was almost entirely in the hands of semi-professional interests, the feature of the day being the increased activity of August. The market opened steady at unchanged prices on all months, except August and September, to a decline of 2 points, and closed net 5 to 18 points higher. For most of the session coffee was quiet and featureless, but in the late trading it became active, and closed steady and net unchanged to 10 points higher. Under bullish influences wheat scored a sharp advance and closed ⅛c. net higher. Under covering and firmness in the cash market corn, though weak at the opening, displayed an advancing tendency. Provisions were firm. Cash prices:—

	Aug. 21.	Aug. 20.
Iron, Northern No. 1 foundry..	$17.75	$17.75
Lead	4.25	4.25
Steel rails.....	28.00	28.00
Copper, lake ingot.....	13.80	13.70
Wheat, No. 2 red.....	.80⅞	.80½
Corn, No. 2 mixed.....	.59½	.59
Oats, No. 2 mixed.....	.39	.39
Cotton, middling.....	12.75	12.75
Coffee, No. 7 Rio.....	.05⅛	.05⅛
Flour, Minnesota patents.....	5.00	5.00
Lard, prime.....	7.87½	7.85
Molasses, O. K. prime.....	.42	.42
Tallow, dressed.....	.05⅜	.05⅜
Tallow, prime	.04⅝	.04⅝
Pork, mess.....	15.00	15.00
Beef, family.....	19.50	19.50
Beef hams.....	22.25	22.25
Sugar, granulated.....	5.00	5.00

Better Business in Cotton.

COTTON.—The volume of transactions yesterday was a little larger, but commission houses had only orders in the trading, seemed still confined very largely to the operations of semi-professional interests. The feature early in the day was the increased activity of August. That position opened at 12.20c., a net decline of 4 points. On the call it sold at 12.22c. and afterward declined to 12.15c., from which it advanced to 12.20c.; broke again to 12.16c. and was finally quoted at 12.23c., a net decline of 1 point. August notices were issued, it was said, to the amount of some 6,000 bales, and the increased activity may have been due to sales by small longs unwilling to accept actual cotton.

The balance of the list, after opening steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 2 points on all months except September, which was 2 points higher, ruled very quiet within a very few points of the initial figures, until well along in the afternoon, when they were rallied sharply by clique buying and closed at the best level of the day, or net 5 to 16 points higher. Sales were estimated at 150,000 bales.

The local market for spot cotton closed steady at unchanged prices on the basis of 12.75c. for middling uplands and 13c. for middling Gulf. Sales were 1,408 bales to spinners and 1,600 delivered on contract. Sales were made straight to spinners of 7,500 bales not given in yesterday's report.

The total crop movement to date for 335 days this season, against 356 days in 1901-1902.

The range of contract prices in the local market yesterday was as follows:—

Mos.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Thursday.
Aug.	12.20	12.25	12.15	12.23 a 12.24	12.24 a 12.23
Sep.	10.74	10.85	10.72	10.83 a 10.89	10.72 a 10.73
Oct.	10.08	10.09	10.03	10.05 a 10.06	10.04 a 10.05
Nov.	9.76	9.83	9.76	9.85 a 9.87	9.78 a 9.80
Dec.	9.75	9.85	9.75	9.84 a 9.85	9.77 a 9.78
Jan.	9.78	9.86	9.78	9.86 a —	9.79 a 9.80
Feb.	9.77	9.77	9.77	9.83 a 9.84	9.77 a 9.78
Mar.	—	—	—	9.83 a 9.84	9.78 a 9.79

Late Activity in Coffee.

COFFEE.—The coffee market opened quiet at unchanged prices, and ruled quiet and featureless during a good part of the session, in keeping with the featureless character of the early news. Later, however, it became more active, chiefly as a result of switches from the near to the late positions, and at the close was steady net unchanged to 10 points higher. Sales were reported of 43,750 bags.

The advances were confined to the late months and were chiefly the result of buying in these positions by the parties who were selling out their September holdings, presumably for the purpose of avoiding immediate deliveries. It is understood that the shorts in the near positions are ready to deliver large amounts of coffee on September contracts, and it has been understood that a small amount of this coffee would be taken up by certain interests who have again apparently assumed a bullish attitude toward the market.

The range of contract prices in the local market yesterday was as follows:—

Mos.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Thursday.
Aug.	—	—	—	3.70 a 3.80	3.70 a 3.80
Sept.	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75 a 3.80	3.75 a 3.80
Oct.	—	—	—	3.85 a 3.90	3.85 a 3.90
Nov.	3.95	3.95	3.95	3.95 a 4.00	3.95 a 4.00
Dec.	—	—	—	4.40 a 4.45	4.35 a 4.40
Jan.	—	—	—	4.50 a 4.55	4.45 a 4.50
Feb.	—	—	—	4.60 a 4.65	4.55 a 4.60
Mar.	4.65	4.65	4.65	4.65 a 4.75	4.60 a 4.65
Apr.	—	—	—	4.70 a 4.75	4.70 a 4.75
May	4.80	4.80	4.80	4.80 a 4.85	4.75 a 4.80
June	—	—	—	4.85 a 4.90	4.80 a 4.85
July	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.90 a 4.95	4.85 a 4.90

Wheat's Sharp Advance.

GRAIN.—Wheat.—Seaboard clearances proved to be so large yesterday, and winter wheat so much lighter than expected, that the wheat market had a sharp advance at midday, the effects of which lasted throughout the afternoon, closing the market ⅞c. net higher. The significance of this advance is the more readily seen when contrasted with early weakness, which followed sharp declines in the Northwest and continued very favorable weather in all spring wheat States. The crowd on this news practically sold the market to a standstill, and was therefore caught at a disadvantage by the bullish statistical news already mentioned.

Most of the wheat was cleared from Galveston and New Orleans. This fact gave rise to some comment, as it is claimed the receipts at these points as reported from day to day have not been of sufficient volume to justify such clearances as those noted yesterday, implying that more wheat is being received than reported. Traders with connections from the Northwest contend that much the same thing holds true of Minneapolis. There was moderate commission house buying late in afternoon, while in Chicago heavy demand for September wheat attracted attention, the idea being that possibly 1,500,000 bushels had been taken by one interest.

Cables were ½ a ¾d. lower from English markets, but 5 to 15 points higher at Paris, while Argentine shipments were reported 276,000 bushels. The export business led to some conflict of opinion, only ten loads being reported by some, while others intimated that a larger trade had been accomplished.

Quotations of cash wheat, f. o. b., afloat basis, were as follows:—No. 1 Northern Duluth, 93⅝c. to arrive late September; No. 2 hard Chicago, 87½c. to arrive middle September, and No. 2 red New York, 86½c., spot.

Corn.—Although weaker again at the opening on account of higher temperature and clear weather through the West, corn was speedily rallied by covering and firmness in the local cash market, where prices showed an advancing tendency. The West reported large shipments of corn from Chicago, presumably destined for Eastern points, chiefly New England.

No. 2 corn closed 58¾c., elevator, and 59½c., f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 white, 59¾c., and No. 2 yellow, 60½c., f. o. b., afloat.

Oats.—The oats market was steady in the forenoon and firm after midday, with shipments also large from Chicago. The feature here was a firm cash market, with sales of 340,000 bushels. No. 2 mixed 39c.; No. 3, 38½c.; No. 2 white, 42c.; No. 3 white, 41½c.; track white, 41c. a 46c., and standard white, 42c.

Rye.—Market steady. No. 2 Western, 59c., f. o. b., afloat; State and Jersey rye, 56c. a 58c.

Barley.—Market quiet. Feeding was quoted 50c. a 51c., and middling, 52½c. a 55c., both c. i. f., Buffalo.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ended yesterday, according to Bradstreet's, aggregate 3,372,780 bushels, against 3,413,191 bushels last week and 5,964,759 bushels this week last year. For seven weeks of the cereal year, aggregate 79,833,233 bushels, against 81,339,769 bushels in 1902. Corn exports for the week aggregate 509,495 bushels, against 707,387 bushels last week, and 51,649 bushels a year ago. For seven weeks of the present cereal year they aggregate 7,458,975 bushels, against 639,500 in 1902.

WHEAT.	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.	Thurs-day.
Sept.	85⅜	86 3-16	85⅛	86	85⅞
Dec.	86⅛	86⅞	85 15-16	86⅞	86⅜
May	87⅝	88 1-16	87½	88⅛	88⅛
CORN.					
Sept.	57½	58⅝	57½	58¼	57⅝
Dec.	57½	58¼	57½	58¼	57⅝
OATS.					
Sept.	34½	35¼	34½	35	34⅝
Dec.	36⅝	36⅞	36½	36⅝	36⅜
May	38¼	38⅝	38 1-16	38½	38¼
LARD.					
Sept.	$8.05	$8.25	$8.02½	$8.20	$8.00
Oct.	7.62½	7.67½	7.62½	7.67½	7.60
RIBS.					
Sept.	7.65	7.72½	7.65	7.72½	7.55
Oct.	7.77½	7.80	7.72½	7.80	7.62½
PORK.					
Sept.	12.90	12.90	12.77½	12.87½	12.77½
Oct.	12.97½	12.97½	12.87½	12.97½	12.85

Firm Close to Provisions.

PROVISIONS.—Commission houses were good buyers of lard and ribs, and with receipts light, only 11,000 at Chicago, prices had an early advance. Under commission house selling at midday they eased off, but later recovered, with grain, and closed firm. Western arrivals were 37,200, including 4,000 at Kansas City and 5,000 at Omaha. Pork steady; quoted, mess, $14.75 a $15.25; family, $17.50 a $17.75; short clear, $14.50 a $16.50. Beef quiet; quoted, mess, $8 a $8.50; family, $10.25 a $10.75; packet, $9 a $9.50; extra India mess, $14 a $15. Beef hams dull; quoted, $21.50 a $22. Dressed hogs firm; quoted, bacons, 7½c.; 180 lbs., 7⅞c.; 160 lbs., 8⅛c.; 140 lbs., 8⅜c.; pigs, 9c. a 9½c. Cut meats.—Pickled bellies steady; quoted, smoking, 12c.; 10 lbs., 10½c.; 12 lbs., 9½c.; 14 lbs., 9c. Pickled shoulders dull; quoted, 6c. Pickled hams quiet; quoted, 12½c. a 13c. Tallow dull; city, 4⅝c.; country, 4⅝c. Lard firm; quoted, $7.85 a $7.90. City lard steady; quoted, 6⅞c. a 7c. Refined lard firm; quoted, South America, $8.75; Continent, $8.10; Brazil kegs, $9.75. Compound easy; quoted, 7⅛c. a 7⅜c. Stearine steady; quoted, oleo, 7c.; city lard stearine, 8½c.

Butter.—Creamery, extras, per lb., 20c.; State dairy, tubs, firsts, 17c. a 18c. Cheese.—State, full cream, small, fancy, 10⅜c. Eggs.—Western, extras, 20c.; seconds to firsts, 17c. a 19c.

Brisk Demand for Sugar.

SUGAR.—The demand for refined sugar was quite brisk, with meltings large and full list prices quoted by the American and Howell. The market is slightly oversold on certain grades, but there does not seem to be any serious delay in making shipments.

Raw sugar showed firmness, with an advancing tendency. Prices are quoted as follows:—Centrifugal, 96 test, 3 13-16c.; muscovado, 89 test, 3 5-16c., and molasses sugar, 89 test, 3 1-16c.

The Metal Market.

TIN.—Spot tin was £1 2s. 6d. higher in London, at £128 7s. 6d., and futures advanced 17s. 6d., to £125 10s. Locally tin was firm and higher, closing at 28.37½c. a 28.62½c.

COPPER.—Copper advanced 10s. in London, to £50 15s. for spot and £53 17s. for futures. Locally copper was firmer, the result, it was said, of a better demand. Lake is quoted at 13.75c. a 13.87½c.; electrolytic, at 13.62½c. a 13.75c., and casting at 13.37½c. a 13.50.

LEAD.—Lead was unchanged in London at £11 8s. 9d., and locally at 4.25c. Spelter advanced 2s. 6d. in London, to £21, but remained quiet and unchanged here at 5c.

IRON.—Iron closed at 51s. 9d. in Glasgow, and at 45s. 9d. in Middlesboro. Locally iron was quiet.

Chicago Grain Markets.

CHICAGO, Friday.—Higher prices prevailed on the Board of Trade to-day, and wheat, after opening weak, closed firm, with September a shade higher. September corn was up ⅝c., oats were ⅝c. higher, while provisions were from 10c. to 20c. higher.

Estimated receipts for to-morrow:—Wheat, 165 cars; corn, 225 cars; oats, 220 cars; hogs, 9,000 head.

WHEAT.	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.	Thurs-day.
Sept.	79⅞	81	79½	80½	80⅜
Dec.	81⅛	82	80⅝	81⅞	81⅞
May	83½	84	82⅝	83⅝	83¼
CORN.					
Sept.	50⅝	52¼	50⅝	51⅝	51
Dec.	51¼	52 1-16	51¼	51⅞	51½
May	51⅞	52⅝	51¾	52⅜	51⅞
OATS.					
Sept.	34½	35¼	34½	35	34⅝
Dec.	36⅝	36⅞	36½	36⅝	36⅜
May	38¼	38⅝	38 1-16	38½	38¼
LARD.					
Sept.	$8.05	$8.25	$8.02½	$8.20	$8.00
Oct.	7.62½	7.67½	7.62½	7.67½	7.60
RIBS.					
Sept.	7.65	7.72½	7.65	7.72½	7.55
Oct.	7.77½	7.80	7.72½	7.80	7.62½
PORK.					
Sept.	12.90	12.90	12.77½	12.87½	12.77½
Oct.	12.97½	12.97½	12.87½	12.97½	12.85

Foreign Markets.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.—Spot in limited demand; prices unchanged; American middling, 6.70d.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export, and included 2,300 American. Receipts, 1,000 bales, including 600 American.

Futures opened quiet and closed steady: American middling, low c. c., August, 6.47d.; August and September, 6.39d. a 6.40d.; September, 6.39d. a 6.40d.; September and October, 5.85d.; October and November, 5.48d.; November and December, 5.37d.; December and January, 5.32d.; January and February, 5.31d.; February and March, 5.30d. a 5.31d.; March and April, 5.30d.

MANCHESTER, Friday.—Cloths steady, with a fair demand. Yarns hardening.

PRODUCE.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.—Wheat.—Spot.—No. 2 red, Western winter (new), firm, 6s. 4d.; No. 1 Northern spring strong, 6s. 10d.; No. 1 California, no stock; futures quiet; September, 6s. 5¾d.; October, 6s. 5⅝d.; December, 6s. 6d. Corn.—Spot.—American mixed, steady, 4s. 7d.; futures quiet; September, 4s. 6¾d.; October, 4s. 6¾d. Peas.—Canadian quiet, 5s. 6d. Flour.—St. Louis fancy, winter, quiet, 8s. 3d. Hops at London (Pacific Coast), firm, £6 a £6 10s.

Beef dull; extra India mess, 62s. 6d. Pork dull; prime mess, Western, 75s. Hams.—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 62s. 6d. Bacon.—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., steady, 53s. 6d.; short rib, 16 to 24 lbs., steady, 53s.; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., steady, 52s. 6d.; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., steady, 51s. 6d.; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., steady, 49s. 6d.; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., strong, 54s. Shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., steady, 37s. 6d.

Lard firm; prime Western, in tierces, 38s. 6d.; American refined, in pails, 39s. 3d. Butter.—Good United States steady, 75s. Cheese strong; American finest white, 49s. 6d.; do. colored, 51s. Tallow.—Prime city dull, 23s. 3d.; Australian in London dull, 29s. 3d.

Turpentine.—Spirits strong, 42s. Rosin.—Common quiet, 5s. 3d. Petroleum.—Refined, 6½d.

Linseed.—Linseed oil dull, 21s. 6d. Cottonseed oil.—Hull refined, spot, dull, 24s. 9d.

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Gen'l Mdse. Bus., store and dwel., blacksmith shop, North Cedar, Kan., $6,500.
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Milk Route and eqpt., Westfield, N. J., $250.
Stock of Dry Goods, Carpets, Perry, N. Y.
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