WALL STREET OPINION IS DIVIDED ON U. S. STEEL

Stock Market Closed Weak Under Heavy Selling Pressure.

New York, April 27.—The stock market put in an active forenoon in efforts to appraise the significance of the increase in the United States Steel dividend yesterday. There was no concensus of opinion on the inferences to be drawn from the United States Steel quarterly report and the increase in the dividend rate. Operators who bought the stock argued that the confidence in the business outlook implied by the increase was to be taken as a skilled judgment that was bound to impress the financial world at large. The bear party made much of the current reports o subsiding demand for steel products, the talk of accumulating stocks and falling demand for iron, one of the selling of the stock was attributed to liquidation seeking to take advantage of the favorable effect of the dividend action. The inference hurt the stock and, in fact, the whole market. The action of the banks in calling loans aggravated the selling pressure on the market.

The fall in prices of wheat and cotton relieved anxiety over crop damage to some extent and helped in the morning rise in stocks. This did not avail, however, to sustain prices against the late selling pressure, which closed the market weak and at declines of from 1 to 2 points for the principal active stocks.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,182,000. United States 2's registered declined ¼ per cent, on the bid price. Total sales, 892,000 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers, pfd.	26½
Amalgamated Copper	71⅞
American Agricultural	44
American Beet Sugar	36⅝
American Can	9½
American Car & Foundry	59½
American Cotton Oil	68
American Hide & Leather, pfd	32
American Ice Securities	25½
American Linseed	13⅛
American Locomotive	48½
American Smelting & Refining	78⅛
Amer Smelting & Refining, pfd.	104½
American Steel Foundries	58
American Sugar Refining	122
American Tel. & Tel.	134⅞
American Tobacco, pfd.	95
American Woolen	34¼
Anaconda Mining Co.	43
Atchison	109⅞
Atchison, pfd.	102⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	124½
Baltimore & Ohio	106⅝
Bethlehem Steel	29
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77½
Canadian Pacific	181⅞
Central Leather	42⅛
Central Leather, pfd.	107
Central of New Jersey	250
Chesapeake & Ohio	84
Chicago & Alton	50⅝
Chicago Great Western	27½
Chicago Great Western, pfd.	5
Chicago & North Western	149
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	128
C. C., C. & St. Louis	73½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	32½
Colorado & Southern	57⅞
Consolidated Gas	137
Corn Products	15⅛
Delaware & Hudson	169½
Denver & Rio Grande	39⅛
Denver & Rio Grande, pfd.	78⅝
Distillers' Securities	28½
Erie	27⅝
Erie, 1st pfd.	44½
Erie, 2d pfd.	33½
General Electric	148
Great Northern, pfd.	132⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	64
Illinois Central	136½
Interborough-Metropolitan	20⅝
Interborough-Metropolitan, pfd.	54⅝
Inter-Harvester	92⅝
International Paper	12⅛
International Pump	42⅝
Iowa Central	21
Kansas City Southern	30
Kansas City Southern, pfd.	64
Laclede Gas	100⅞
Louisville & Nashville	145⅝
Minneapolis & St. Louis	32
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	136
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	40⅛
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, pfd.	71½
Missouri Pacific	53½
National Biscuit	106
National Lead	78⅛
National Rys. of Mexico, 2d pfd.	27
New York Central	119⅞
New York, Ontario & Western	42⅛
Norfolk & Western	101½
North American	72½
Northern Pacific	131½
Pacific Mail	26½
Pennsylvania	133⅛
People's Gas	108½
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	100½
Pittsburg Coal	18⅝
Pressed Steel Car	39
Pullman Palace Car	188
Railway Steel Spring	38⅝
Reading	159⅝
Republic Steel	33⅝
Republic Steel, pfd.	98⅛
Rock Island Co.	43
Rock Island Co., pfd.	84
St. Louis & San Fran., 2d pfd	45½
St. Louis Southwestern	29
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd.	71⅝
Sloss-Sheffield Steel & Iron	73½
Southern Pacific	121⅞
Southern Railway	25
Southern Railway, pfd.	68
Tennessee Copper	34½
Texas & Pacific	21
Toledo, St. Louis & West	18
Toledo, St. Louis & West, pfd.	41½
Union Pacific	180⅞
Union Pacific, pfd.	95½
United States Realty	72½
United States Rubber	41½
United States Steel	62
United States Steel, pfd.	119½
Utah Copper	42⅝
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	57⅝
Wabash	19½
Wabash, pfd.	41
Western Maryland	43
Westinghouse Electric	62½
Western Union	69
Wheeling & Lake Erie	31½

UNITED STATES BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s, reg.	100⅝
U. S. refunding 2s, cou.	100⅝
U. S. 3s, reg.	102½
U. S. 3s, cou.	102½
U. S. 4s, reg.	114½
U. S. 4s, cou.	114½

TREASURY STATEMENT.

Washington, April 27.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust Funds.

Gold coin	$853,723,869
Silver dollars	489,930,000
Silver dollars of 1890	3,759,000
Silver certificates outstanding	489,930,000

General Fund.

Standard silver dollars in general fund	$ 1,887,723
Current liabilities	105,927,628
Working balance in treasury offices	19,546,853
In banks to credit of treasurer of the United States	35,782,441
Subsidiary silver coin	2,573,769
Minor coin	1,148,221
Total balance in general fund	79,652,970

NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, April 27.—Money on call firm and higher, 2¾@4 per cent, ruling rate, 2½ per cent, closing bid 2½ per cent; offered at 2½ per cent; time loans firm, 60 days, 2¾ per cent, 90 days, 2¾@3 per cent; six months, 3@3½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 484.50@484.60 for sixty day bills and at 486 for demand; commercial bills, 484@484½; bar silver, 54½; Mexican dollars, 44.

NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, April 27.—Turpentine firm at 58@59½; sales, 1,078; receipts (two days), 1,141; shipments, 209; stock, 4,-858. Rosin, firm; sales, 2,579; receipts (two days), 2,652; shipments, 930; stock 37,783.

Quote: B, 4.02½@4.15; D, 4.20@4.40; E, 4.25@4.72½; F, 5.00@5.05; G, 5.05@5.10; H, 5.20@5.25; I, 5.35; K, 5.60; M, 5.70; N, 5.90; W G, 5.95; W W, 6.00@6.12½.

Charleston, April 27.—Trpentine firm 49. Rosin, firm.

Quote: A, B, C, 4.27½; D, 4.37½; E, 4.45@4.70; F, 5.02½@5.05; G, 5.10@5.17½; H, 5.25; I, 5.35; K, 5.60; M, 5.70; N, 5.90; W G, 5.95@6.00; W W, 6.00@6.10.

NEW CROP MONTHS WERE STRONG; MAY WAS WEAK

Abandoned Wheat Acreage Reports Help Grain Prices.

Chicago, April 27.—Official announcement today that 1,942,000 acres of wheat in Kansas had been abandoned as hopeless, made the price here leap briskly upward. Although there had been a sharp break early following a decline the day previous, the market closed ⅝@¾c up for the new crop months. May wheat rallied 1 cent from the bottom, but finished with a net loss of ½@1c. Corn closed ⅜@½c lower to ⅛@¼c higher and oats ⅛@¼c to ¼@⅜c lower. Provisions scored a gain of 10 to 30@37½c.

Cash wheat closed: No. 2 red, 1.08½@1.09½; No. 2 red, 1.04@1.08; No. 3 hard, 1.08@1.09; No. 3 hard, 1.02@1.07½; No. 2 northern, 1.08½@1.09½; No. 2 spring, 1.08@1.09.

Corn: No. 2, 59; No. 2 white, 62½; No. 2 yellow, 60½@61; No. 3, 58@58½; No. 3 white, 61½@62; No. 3 yellow, 59@60; No. 4, 57@58; No. 4 white, 57@59; No. 4 yellow, 57½@58.

Oats: No. 2 white, 43@43½; No. 3 white, 40½@42½; No. 4 white, 40@42; standard, 43¾@43½.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.07½	1.07⅝	1.06½	1.07½
July	1.01	1.01⅛	1.00	1.00⅞
Sept	99⅝	1.00½	98⅞	1.00⅝
Corn—				
May	58	59	58⅝	58⅝
July	61⅞	62⅝	61⅞	62⅛
Sept	62⅝	63⅝	62⅛	62⅛
Oats—				
May	42	42⅛	41⅝	42
July	39⅞	40⅛	39⅝	40
Sept	38⅛	38⅝	37⅞	38⅛
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	20.97½	21.27½	20.95	21.27½
July	21.20	21.60	21.07½	21.60
Sept	21.15	21.62½	21.07½	21.60
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	12.10	12.27½	12.07½	12.27½
July	11.92½	12.07½	11.90	12.07½
Sept	11.90	12.07½	11.90	12.07½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	11.90	11.97½	11.80	11.97½
July	11.72½	11.87½	11.65	11.87½
Sept	11.67½	11.85	11.62½	11.85

BALTIMORE PRODUCE.

Baltimore, April 27.—Wheat, quiet; southern on grade, 99½@1.06⅝.

Corn: Quiet; spot, 61½@61⅝.

Oats: Nominal; No. 2 white, 48½@49½; No. 2 mixed, 47@47½.

Rye: Dull; No. 2 western domestic, $1½@$6.

COFFEE MARKET.

New ork, April 27.—Coffee futures closed steady at a net advance of 7 to 10 points. Spot coffee, quiet; Rio No. 7, 8⅝; Santos No. 4, 9¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 9½@12¾.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 27.—Drills and sheetings were firmer during the day and an advance of ⅛c a yard was announced in some lines. The demand for goods is scattered but generally improved. Hosiery and underwear are quiet. Silks are being bought moderately for fall.

Local Markets

[These prices are strictly wholesale, and represent prices obtained on actual sales.]

Provisions.
(By The Patterson Co.)

Fat back, 13½; hams, sugar cured, covered, per pound, 20c.

Lard: Pure, tierce, 14c; compound, tierces, 11½.

Dried Fruits.

Apples, per pound, evaporated, 9c; sun dried, 8c.

Raisins, $1.35@1.50.

Dates: 60-pound box, 4½c.

Groceries.

Flour: Fancy patent spring wheat, $6.50 per barrel; fancy patent winter wheat, $6.50 per barrel; choice straight, $6.00 per barrel.

Meal: Best bolted water ground steady, per bag of 96 pounds, $1.30.

Grain, Hay, Etc.

Corn: White, 92½; mixed, 90c.

Oats: 63c.

Wheat: $1.20@1.30.

Hay: No. 1 timothy, $25; No. 1 mixed, $24; mill feed, bran, $32.00@33.00; shipstuff, $32.

Country Produce.
(By Forsyth & Co.)

Chickens, per pound, 12@15c, young spring chickens, 25c per pound; old hens (each), 50@60c; butter, 20@35c; eggs, 17@18c; country hams, 18c per pound; beeswax, 26c per pound; tallow, 4c per pound.

Pink beans, $3.25; white beans, $2.75; country colored beans, $2.75; white peas, $2.00; colored peas, $1.75.

Hides.
(By Forsyth & Co.)

Green sides, per pound, 8c; G. S. hides, 8c per pound, dry salt, 12@15c per pound; dry flint, 14@17c per pound; sheepskins, 25@40c each; goatskins, 15c; pelts, 10@15c.

Truck.
(By W. I. Anderson & Co.)

Potatoes, per one-half bag, $1.75.

Sweet potatoes, per barrel, $1.75@$2.00.

Onions, $3.00 per sack.

Cabbage: South Carolina, $2.00 per crate.

New Florida snapp beans, $2.75 per crate.

New potatoes, $2.50 per crate.

Fruits.
(By W. I. Anderson & Co.)

Florida oranges, $3.00@3.25.

Apples, $4.50 per barrel.

Lemons, 360's, $4.50 per box.

Bananas, per bunch, 50c to $1.25.

California oranges, $2.90@3.00.

Florida brights and russet's, $2.50@2.75.

Sugar.
(By C. D. Kenny Co.)

Crystal Dominoes, 2-pound packages, $7.85; crystal Dominoes, 5-pound packages, $7.65; cut loaf, $6.50; cubes, $5.60; powdered, $5.25; granulated, in barrels, $5.40; granulated, in 4-25, $5.50.

Roasted Coffees.
(By C. D. Kenny Co.)

C. C. R. No. 3, $11.50; C. C. R. No. 2, $12.00; C. C. R. No. 1, $12.50; Santos No. 3, $12.50; Santos No. 2, $13.50; C. D. K. 1-pound package coffee, $13.00.

Market continues strong.

Building Material.
(By Shaw-Clapp Lumber Co.)

Short leaf framing $14.00; sixing ex-tra, long leaf framing $17.50; sixing extra, 1x5 D4S, No. 1 and 2, $25.00; 1x8 D4S, No. 1 and 2, $25.00; 1x10 D4S, $20.00; 1x10 D4S, No. 2, $27.50; 1x12 D4S, No. 1, $33.00; 1x12 D4S, No. 2, $30.00; sheathing, D. I. S., $15.00; No. 1 flooring, 12-16, $27.50; No. 2 flooring, 12-16, $22.20; No. 2 flooring, 15-16, $17.50; No. 1 7-16 ceiling, $20.00; No. 2 7-16 ceiling, $15.00; No. 3 7-16 ceiling, $12.50; No. 1 bevel siding from 4-4, $17.50; No. 2 bevel siding from 4-4, $16.00; No. 3 bevel siding from 4-4, $11.00; No. 1 bevel siding from 5-4, $20.00; No. 2 bevel siding from 5-4, $17.50; No. 3 bevel siding from 5-4, $12.50; No. 1 heart pine shingles, $4.25; No. 2 heart pine shingles, $3.25; No. 3 heart pine shingles, $1.75; mouldings, 30c per inch; plastering laths, $3.00; No. 1 juniper shingles, $5.00; No. 2 juniper shingles, $4.00; 1-8 heart No. 2 flooring, $45.00; 1-4 heart No. 1 flooring, $50.00.

ONE CONDUCTOR WHO WAS CURED.

Mr. Wilford Adams is his name, and he writes about it—"Some time ago I was confined to my bed with chronic rheumatism. I used two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy with good effect, and I resumed work as conductor on the Lexington, Ky., street railway. It gave me more relief than any medicine I had ever used and it will do all you claim in cases of rheumatism." Foley's Kidney Remedy cures rheumatism by eliminating the uric acid from the blood. Howard Gardner.

BETTER WEATHER ADVICES ENCOURAGED SHORT SALES

Reported Failure in Havre Also Depressed Values.

New York, April 27.—The cotton market was nervous and unsettled today, with prices generally lower under scattering near month liquidation and local bear pressure, which seemed to be encouraged by better weather advices, denials of insufficient seed for replanting and continued arrivals of cotton for delivery on May contracts from the south. The close was steady, but a net loss of 3 to 12 points for the day.

The market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 2 points, but this was not a full response to better Liverpool cables than expected and the showing of the English market was practically disregarded after the call, owing to belief that it reflected covering against a continental failure rather than general conditions. There was a big demand at the start and early fluctuations showed more or less irregularity, but the buying power created by the crop scare seemed to have about run its course, and prices soon weakened under such free selling of the near months as gave rise to rumors of bull clique liquidation. Notwithstanding the better weather accounts and more cheerful southern advices as to the possibility of repairing crop damage, the new crop positions were relatively steady and led a midday rally of several points, but this improvement was followed by a renewal of near month liquidation, the point of the day being reached in the late trading, with last prices only a shade up from the lowest. Rumors of bull clique liquidation were not generally credited, and it was more commonly believed that the selling of May was against cotton being brought here from the south, and in the way of scattering liquidation ahead of notices expected on Friday. A reported Havre trade failure was said to grow out of the Knight-Yancey troubles.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 20 points decline. Middling uplands, 15.05; middling gulf, 15.30; sales, 8,500 bales.

Cotton futures opened steady and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
April	14.87	14.91	14.88	14.75
May	14.83	14.83	14.64	14.65
July	14.62	14.64	14.47	14.51
Aug.	13.90	13.96	13.82	13.83
Sept	13.14	13.14	13.04	13.03
Oct.	12.74	12.74	12.61	12.65
Dec.	12.55	12.57	12.46	12.48
Jan	12.52	12.55	12.46	12.45

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, April 27.—Closing cotton: Spot, moderate business done, prices 2 points lower. American middling fair, 8.42; good middling, 8.12; middling, 7.98; low middling, 7.88; good ordinary, 7.62; ordinary, 7.37.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 7,800 bales American. Receipts 1,000 bales, no American.

Futures opened quiet and closed quiet. April, 7.72½; April and May, 7.67; May and June, 7.63½; June and July, 7.58½; July and August, 7.54; August and September, 7.27½; September and October, 6.99½; October and November, 6.72; November and December, 6.64½; December and January, 6.62; January and February, 6.61; February and March, 6.60; March and April, 6.59.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New Orleans, April 27.—Spot cotton unchanged. Middling, 18⅝; sales on the spot, 425 bales; to arrive, 200 bales; hedged, 1,500 bales.

Cotton futures opened steady at an advance of 4 to 6 points on good cables. After the call all the more active months in both crops stood 6 points up, but at this level short selling in large volume commenced and prices fell off to a point below the level of yesterday's closing. This selling was based on rumors of a failure in Havre and on better weather reports from the cotton belt. The Havre failure was said to have had a bullish effect on Liverpool, because of the buying in of hedges, but it aroused bearish sentiment here. Reports from Texas which indicated that the damage by the recent cold wave in that state was much greater than at first thought steadied the market. In the afternoon session the market weakened under moderate but persistent bear selling, which seemed to be in the nature of an attempt to force liquidation from the long side before the first notice day for May in New York. The close was steady with the old crop months 5 to 10 points below the close yesterday and the new crop months unchanged.

Closing bids: April, 14.39 nominal; May, 14.44; July, 14.56; August, 13.90; September, 13.06; October, 12.64; December, 12.53.

PORT MOVEMENT OF COTTON.

Galveston, Quiet, middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 2,911 bales; sales, 75 bales; stock, 76,414 bales.

New Orleans, Quiet; middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 3,106 bales; stock, 121,316 bales.

Mobile, Steady; middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 28 bales; sales, 100 bales; stock, 24,617 bales.

Savannah, Quiet; middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 791 bales; sales, 305 bales; stock, 44,485 bales.

Charleston, Firm; stock, 8,582 bales.

Wilmington, Quiet; middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 161 bales; stock, 11,910 bales.

Norfolk, Quiet, middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 1,629 bales; sales, 275 bales; stock, 22,587 bales.

Baltimore, Nominal; middling, 15¼; stock, 5,817 bales.

New York, Quiet; middling, 15.05; net receipts, 203 bales; sales, 5,500 bales; stock, 223,872 bales.

Boston, Quiet, middling, 15.05; net receipts, 108 bales; stock, 9,772 bales.

Philadelphia, Steady; middling, 15.30; stock, 2,781 bales.

San Francisco, Net receipts, 2,952 bales.

Total today, at all ports, net, 12,329 bales; continent, 9,770 bales; Japan, 2,892 bales; stock, 586,353 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston, Steady; middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 1,635 bales; sales, 500 bales; stock, 45,670 bales.

Augusta, Steady; middling, 14⅝; net receipts, 234 bales; sales, 25 bales; stock, 54,416 bales.

HAYWARD & CLARK'S COTTON LETTER TO J. E. LATHAM

New Orleans, April 27.—By degrees full accounts of the damage done by the cold weather are being received. According to these all cotton above ground has been killed except in the southern half of Texas and Southeastern Georgia or stands are so injured that replanting must be done. The loss of the promising early start is a very serious one, though the trade as yet has hardly realized it. It has completely changed new crop prospects. The feeling of safety in regard to the next crop has disappeared as only absolute perfect weather conditions from now on can give us a full crop. Under the circumstances new crop prices, now prevailing are badly too high and the strength in new crop positions in Liverpool shows that this view is becoming predominant, instead of 4 lower as due on New York close they were 2 to 3 higher. Complaints of lack of moisture to plant are evident here and in general from the northern half of Texas. The map shows no rain there over night. Light showers fell in the Atlantic coast districts, North Carolina and East Tennessee. Temperatures have risen everywhere, no frost is shown on the map.

New York opened disappointingly and weakened considerably during the first hour, principally on old crop positions. Liverpool had the gain and July here sold to 14.58, October to 12.60. This selling gave (is thought) to be based on the return of warm weather and the Journal of Commerce reports on Alabama and Georgia. Following the many newspaper reports of scarcity of seed, the exchange received several wires and letters from merchants offering seed.

HAYWARD & CLARK.

MILLER & CO'S DAILY COTTON LETTER TO CONE & HEDGPETH

New York, April 27.—Weather advices were of a decidedly more favorable character, and detailed reports from various localities in the belt were to the effect that the crop damage over Saturday and Sunday was not as serious as early reported.

It was this, together with considerable pressure from the professional element that brought about a lower level of prices, and even though the bull interests were active buyers on the declines the market did not evidence much of a rallying power. Port receipts 12,329 bales, against 19,293 bales last year.

Official spot quotations from the south were reported unchanged.

Liverpool is due to come ½ to 3 lower.

MILLER & CO.

CHARLOTTE COTTON.

Charlotte, April 27.—Prices paid for cotton today were as follows:

Strict middling	14.65
Good middling	14.65
Middling	14.65

Receipts today, 20 bales.

RALEIGH COTTON.

Raleigh, April 27.—Prices paid for cotton today were as follows:

Good middling	14½
Strict middling	14⅝
Middling	14¼

Receipts today, 40 bales.

COTTONSEED OIL.

New York, April 27.—The cottonseed oil market developed an easier feeling and closed at 1 to 12 points net decline under liquidation by traders who had bought on the crop damage reports. Sales for the day were 12,900 barrels. May, 7.66@7.67; July, 7.71@7.72; October, prime crude, 7.07 nominal; prime summer yellow, 7.66@7.75; prime winter yellow, 7.65@8.40; prime summer white, 8.00@8.50.

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On Wednesday, May 11, 1910.

Beginning promptly at 2.30 p. m., I will offer the public the finest opportunity to secure fine farms ever given to the citizens of this community. This is a subdivision of the large Arcuri, or Pruden farm, lying on both sides of the macadam road leading from Greensboro to Guilford College about midway between the two places.

Another survey for the contemplated trolley line from Greensboro to High Point is to be made during the summer right through this property, via Guilford College, and should this be the route finally selected, of course every acre of this tract would treble in value. But I am not selling the property on this prospect; this would be your good luck. I am selling it purely on its merits as the best located, finest farming land and in the highest state of cultivation of any in Guilford county. The crops on it now will verify this statement on the day of sale, and purchasers will get my share of them, which will far more than pay taxes and interest for a year.

The house on the main farm to be sold is beautifully located in a grove of grand old oaks; while in the rear and side yards there is a good barn all suitable out houses and a well of pure, cold water equal to any in the state.

There will be six number of smaller farms, ranging from 2 to 25 acres, all the very best land, mostly set in clover and grasses.

Guilford College, one of the oldest, most reliable and best equipped colleges in the United States, is only two miles distant. You can buy one of these farms, keep your children at home and educate them better and cheaper than at any other place I know of.

This is a genuine opportunity for all who will have want a fine country place or small truck farm near Greensboro and Guilford College, and in a neighborhood unsurpassed anywhere in the country.

It will be a delightful place at which to spend the day. Go some early, look over the property thoroughly and pick out your farm before the hour of sale. I will have coffee and sandwiches served free to all at 1 o'clock.

I will neither countenance nor tolerate a lot, nor a crooked thing or anything. If you get nothing else, you will at least get a square deal. I hope my friends throughout the entire county will be on hand at this great sale.

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ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

By virtue of authority conferred upon the undersigned in a certain mortgage, dated the first day of March, 1907, and executed by O. J. Ludwick and wife, Cordia C. Ludwick, and J. R. Bame and wife, Mendy Bame, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Guilford county, in book No. 186, at page No. 534, and in the office of the register of deeds of Rowan county, in book No. 111, page No. 203, I will sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Greensboro, North Carolina, on Wednesday, the 11th day of May, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following real estate, to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land, together with the house thereon, situate, lying and being in the County of Rowan and State of North Carolina, bounded as follows, to wit:

On the west side the Charlotte road on Chestnut Hill, beginning at H. C. Cruthis's south corner, thence in a N. W. direction with the edge of the road 50 feet to Jack Mowery's corner, thence with Mowery's line in a N. W. direction 600 feet to Mowery's north corner and thence with Cruthis line 200 feet to the beginning, being lot No. 12 of the Dixie Land company's plot of the S. R. Harrison land.

The above land was conveyed to O. J. Ludwick and his wife by the Dixie Land company, a corporation of Salisbury, N. C., see book No. 101, page 204, etc., register of deeds office Rowan county, North Carolina.

And also the following personal property, to wit:

All the fixtures, wares, merchandise, stock and all other appurtenances thereunto belonging to a certain business in the city of High Point, County of Guilford and State of North Carolina, known and operated as the Acme Cafe, Ludwig and Bame proprietors, located at the corner of North Main and Broad streets, High Point, together with any or all stock, merchandise, wares, fixtures, etc., that may hereafter come into the said Acme Cafe.

Also one kitchen range, made by Lundy Stove Range company, St. Louis, Mo., and known as model No. 218, with all fixtures belonging thereto.

Also one Hunter revolving electric ceiling fan, together with the motor and all fixtures and parts belonging thereto.

Also one soda water fountain, known as the Mastel Sanitary system, together with all fixtures, glasses, silverware, spoons, glass holders, connections, plumbing and anything that is a part of the same or belongs in any way to said soda water fountain.

Also one electric banjo, made by the American Automatic Music company, New York, N. Y., and numbered 3914.

Also one Pulver chocolate penny-in-the-slot machine.

Also one show case, made by the High Point Show Case works, High Point, N. C.

Also one moving picture machine, known as a penny-in-the-slot machine.

Also one cash register, made by the National Cash Register company, Dayton, Ohio, and numbered 468,998.

Also two nickle plated coffee urns.

Also one gasolene stove known as the "Reliable."

Also one small heating stove made by Bridgeport and company, Louisville, Ky.

Also one large hat rack purchased from the Peoples' House furnishing company, High Point, N. C.

Also one refrigerator, known as a Gurney and made by the Gurney Refrigerator company, Fon Du Lac, Wis.

Also one refrigerator, known as the Puritan, made by L. H. Mace and company, New York, N. Y.

Also one electric light meter, made by the Fort Wayne Electric works, Fort Wayne, Ind., and numbered 239,408.

Also eight wall pictures, purchased from Peoples' House Furnishing company, High Point, N. C.

Also four wall mirrors, made by Ferd. Ecker, High Point, N. C.

Also 20 sets of silver ware for table, made by the Sterling Silver company.

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