

FIRE CONCENTRATES ON MOTOR STOCKS

United Is the Leader—Independent Oil Issues All Active and Strong

NEW YORK, May 31.—Nearly all the interest on the curb today was concentrated in the motor stocks. The trading in United Motors is following closely along the lines established by Midvale Steel and others, when these issues were active and strong.

Clearing arrangements have been arranged for United Motors just as they were in those issues was at its heaviest volume. These arrangements were accompanied by another report of United Motors this morning, on which it rose to about 34, but efforts to distribute the stock caused a sharp break to 29.

The opinion prevails now that the upward movement in it has about run its course, and efforts to distribute may be expected to become more urgent.

White Motor was in scant supply, and some interests identified with the property appeared as buyers, putting the price up from 50 to 54 1/2.

Chevrolet continued in good demand with part of the buying apparently of a manipulative character. Sales were made ranging from 240 to 245.

The independent oil stocks were all active and strong with Metropolitan Petroleum advancing from 21 1/2 to 22 1/2. Oilman producing from 7 to 7 1/2 and Condon & Condon from 25 1/2 to 26, followed by a reaction to 25. United Western Oil sold at 14 1/2.

There was a strong tone in Submarine in response to news from Washington of the amended bill providing for the construction of 60 submarines.

Flintish Lynn was firm with sales at 74 1/2. The company is preparing a balance sheet which will be published in a few days. At the same time the composition of the Board of Directors will be made public.

Marion Motors advanced on news advertising from 8 1/2 to 9. Zinc Concentrating sold at 4 1/2. Cuba Cane Sugar ranged from 10 to 10 1/2 and Midvale Steel was traded in at 8 1/2 to 8 3/4.

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PHILADELPHIA MARKETS

GRAIN AND FLOUR

WHEAT—Receipts, 100,000 bush. The market declined. Quoted: No. 1 red, 1.02; No. 2 red, 1.01; No. 3 red, 1.00; No. 4 red, 99c; No. 1 white, 1.01; No. 2 white, 1.00; No. 3 white, 99c; No. 4 white, 98c.

CORN—Receipts, 45,000 bush. Trade was quiet. Quoted: No. 1 yellow, 78c; No. 2 yellow, 77c; No. 3 yellow, 76c; No. 4 yellow, 75c; No. 1 white, 79c; No. 2 white, 78c; No. 3 white, 77c; No. 4 white, 76c.

RYE FLOUR—Market quiet but steady under light offerings. Quoted: No. 1, 2.00; No. 2, 1.95; No. 3, 1.90; No. 4, 1.85.

PROVISIONS—There was a fair jobbing inquiry and values were steady. Quoted: Pork, 11.00; Beef, 10.00; Lard, 9.00; Butter, 25.00; Eggs, 20.00.

REFINED SUGARS—The market was quiet but steady. Quoted: No. 1, 11.00; No. 2, 10.50; No. 3, 10.00; No. 4, 9.50.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Cheese—Offerings were moderate and the market ruled steady. Quoted: Cheddar, 10.00; Swiss, 11.00; American, 12.00.

POULTRY—LIVE—The market ruled firm under moderate offerings. Quoted: Chickens, 10.00; Turkeys, 15.00; Ducks, 8.00.

FRESH FRUITS—The market ruled steady under moderate offerings. Quoted: Apples, 1.00; Oranges, 1.50; Peaches, 1.20; Berries, 2.00.

VEGETABLES—The market ruled steady under moderate offerings. Quoted: Potatoes, 1.00; Cabbages, 1.50; Carrots, 1.20; Beans, 1.00.

MINING STOCKS—The market ruled steady under moderate offerings. Quoted: American Lead, 10.00; American Zinc, 15.00; American Copper, 20.00.

SECURITIES AT AUCTION—The following securities were sold at auction by Barnes & Loeb: Philadelphia Life Insurance, 10.00; American Tobacco, 15.00.

FAVORABLE WEATHER HOLDS COTTON MARKET IN CHECK—Prices Take a Drop—Crop Prospects Good Over Atlantic States Belt

NEW YORK, May 31.—Good Liverpool cables were offset by favorable weather conditions in the South, which held the cotton market in check, and the opening prices were 3 points higher to 1 point lower, with the market ruling steady.

Trading was light, and after the start there was some pressure from scattered sources which forced the market to a point but July liquidation became more active toward the middle of the morning, while general business was comparatively quiet, but July liquidation tapered off to 11.65.

The decline carried July contracts off to 11.65 or back to within 2 points of last week's low level, while October sold at 12.85, compared with 12.75 the recent low, and the market was 9 to 11 points from Monday's closing figures and the market was quiet during the noon hour with prices showing rallies of 2 or 3 points from the lowest.

LIVERPOOL COTTON—LIVERPOOL, May 31.—Spot cotton today was in good demand and 4 points higher as compared with Monday, on the basis of 8.8d. for mid-land. The sales aggregated 10,000 bales including 10,000 bales American, the imports were 10,000 bales American including 4000 bales American. The market for futures closed barely steady and net unchanged to 4 points higher.

NEW YORK BUTTER AND EGGS—NEW YORK, May 31.—BUTTER—Supply increasing and prices steady. Quoted: No. 1, 25.00; No. 2, 24.00; No. 3, 23.00.

PHILADELPHIA'S MAY CLEARINGS BIGGEST—Durian for the fifth time in any month has cleared the largest amount of the month being in exact figures 1,008,494.32. April, March, January and December were also more than any month in the history of the clearing house. The last previous record having been 918,511.74 last December.

DEATHS

DUYON.—At Ashbury Park, N. J., on May 29, 1916, at the age of 60 years, Robert DUYON, formerly of Philadelphia, Pa., died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. DUYON, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

EKERT.—On May 30, 1916, AGNES MUSHER, wife of Samuel B. Ekert, died at the residence of her husband, 230 E. 12th St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

EDGE.—On May 30, 1916, SARAH BARRETT, wife of John D. Edge, died at the residence of her husband, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

FARRIS.—On May 30, 1916, HERMAN H. FARRIS, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. FARRIS, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

GILBERT.—On May 30, 1916, JOHN M. GILBERT, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. GILBERT, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

HEBERT.—On May 30, 1916, ROBERT H. HEBERT, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. HEBERT, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

HILTON.—On May 30, 1916, JONATHAN K. HILTON, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. HILTON, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

LUKENS.—On May 30, 1916, at Princeton, N. J., CHARLES F. LUKENS, formerly of Philadelphia, Pa., died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. LUKENS, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

NOBLE.—On May 30, 1916, HANNAH, widow of Martin Noble, died at the residence of her husband, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

OSWALD.—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Oswald, on May 30, 1916, MARY A. OSWALD, died at the residence of her husband, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

PLATT.—On May 30, 1916, the Rev. Dr. WARD PLATT, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. PLATT, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

ROSS.—On May 30, 1916, AUGUSTUS H. ROSS, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. ROSS, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

SABOLD.—On May 30, 1916, ELLIS K. SABOLD, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. SABOLD, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

SMITH.—At his residence, 1712 North 10th St., on May 30, 1916, JOHN S. SMITH, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. SMITH, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

SOVER.—On May 30, 1916, MARGARET A. SOVER, died at the residence of her husband, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

STEVENS.—On May 30, 1916, DAVID L. STEVENS, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. STEVENS, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

STOKER.—On May 30, 1916, EARL J. STOKER, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. STOKER, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

SWITZER.—On May 30, 1916, ROBERT N. SWITZER, died at the residence of his wife, Mrs. SWITZER, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa., at the age of 60 years.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS, exp. who are accustomed to making garments out and out, want work. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

STATE MANAGER—\$100 monthly to lady capable of handling general correspondence. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

WEAVER, experienced, on power loom, 30 inches, narrow, willing to learn. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

RELIALE white women, to take care of domestic work for summer. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

TEACHERS WANTED—High school, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

HELP WANTED—MALE—AUTO REPAIRMEN AND MECHANICS, capable of overhauling and rebuilding autotrucks. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

BOOKKEEPER—Maritime house requires the services of a competent bookkeeper as assistant manager of a large office. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

DRIVERS wanted for drop-top wagon, good wages, steady work. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

DRIVERS wanted for double team, good wages, steady work. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

LEAD BURNERS—1st-class men only wanted, good wages, steady work. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

MACHINE OPERATORS, EXPERIENCED ON GRINDING AND MILLING MACHINES. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

MACHINE HANDS, EXPERIENCED ON SMITH DOUBLE END TENONER. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

MEN, young, over 16 years of age, to assemble and pack. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMAN to call on physicians; established trade; experience; good salary. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

TOOL AND GAUGE MAKERS, tool grinders, tool makers, machine operators. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

TOOLMAKERS wanted, best wages in the city to first-class men only. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS—WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO. 1501 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE—CHAMBERMAID, also waitress—Two competent ladies to go away for the summer, private residence. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

BOOKKEEPER, typist, computer, operator, general office work. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

COOK and domestic woman, capable of general housework. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Smith, 1000 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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AUTOMOBILES

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