

BUSINESS ON CURB BIGGEST IN HISTORY

Nearly All the Leading Stocks Make Substantial Gains—Mid-Steel Continues Advance

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—There was an unusual demand for stocks on the Broad Street curb today, and business in that market was the largest in its history.

Nearly all the leading stocks made substantial gains, and at the same time realized gains, and at the same time realized gains, and at the same time realized gains.

Most importance was attached to the banking accumulation of Midvale Steel, which has been steadily bought since the beginning of the week and today closed at 107 1/2.

The market advanced in General Investment new stock, when issued, which rose to 160, equal to 800 for the present advance, which was traded in at 75 1/2.

State Motor rose to 75, a new high record, and advances were made in many other stocks, including Haskell & Barker, American International Corporation and International Continental Rubber.

The independent oil stocks were irregular, Metropolitan Petroleum being the strongest of this group and making a gain to 12 1/2, the report of the Mexican manager, who is now in New York.

Spinning advanced the leadership of the group, with transactions at 8 1/2 to 10, Deltex Verde dropped from 4 1/2 to 4, and others.

INDUSTRIALS Bid. Asked. ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100

OTHER OIL STOCKS Bid. Asked. ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100

MINING STOCKS Bid. Asked. ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS

GRAIN AND FLOUR Wheat—Receipts, 10,000 bush. ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100

PROVISIONS The market ruled steady with a fair jobbing demand. Quotations: City beef, in steers, smoked ... 100 100 100 100

DAIRY PRODUCTS BUTTER—The market ruled firm and in higher prices. A fair quantity of butter, which absorbed ... 100 100 100 100

POULTRY LIVERPOOL—Poultry and values were well advanced. Quotations: White chickens, per lb., ... 100 100 100 100

FRESH FRUITS Choice stock met with fair sale and values generally ruled firm. Quotations: Apples, per bush., ... 100 100 100 100

VEGETABLES Potatoes sold fairly and ruled firm. Quotations: White potatoes, per bush., ... 100 100 100 100

DIVIDENDS DECLARED Union Switch and Signal Company, regular quarterly dividend of \$1.50 on common and \$1.50 on preferred stock, payable October 14 to stockholders.

RATES FOR MONEY Call Money, 3 1/2% ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100

BANK CLEARINGS Bank clearings today compared with corresponding last two years: ... 100 100 100 100 ... 100 100 100 100

Financial Briefs The National City Company, of Philadelphia and New York, and Halsey, Stuart & Co., of Chicago, are offering \$1,620,000 of bonds.

COTTON ADVANCES ON BETTER CABLES

Lower Temperatures in South and Heavy Consumption Figures Also Add Strength

COTTON BELT WEATHER CONDITIONS NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Bates and general in the cotton belt this morning, with some heavy showers.

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Liverpool Cotton LIVERPOOL, Sept. 14.—There was a fair business doing in spot cotton today with prices 7 points higher, on the basis of 5.54 for American middling.

Cotton Buyers and Sellers NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—October—Lowenstein bought; Geran, Hagedorn and Hess sold.

Cotton Consumption Grows WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—A report issued today by the Commerce Department showed cotton consumed during August, exclusive of linters, 558,517 running bales, against 454,192 in 1915.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—The market for coffee futures opened at a decline of 2 to 3 points. Trading on the call was moderately active with sales of \$800 bags.

Fine Granulated Sugar Unchanged NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Fine granulated sugar was quoted at 6.40, by all the refiners this morning, excepting Warner, who is asking 7c.

BAR SILVER Bar silver was quoted at 22 1/2 in London today, up 1/2.

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WHEAT GOES DOWN ON HEAVY SELLING

Strength Is Shown at Start by Longs Adding to Their Holdings—Clearances Small

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Heavy selling broke the wheat market today after it had shown strength. Early in the session long added to their holdings, having derived encouragement from a continued demand for the cash article at stiff premiums in all markets.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—HOGS—Receipts, 12,000 head. Market higher. Mixed and butchers, \$9.75 to \$11.40.

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RAILROAD EARNINGS CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN First week September, \$310,536

NEW YORK BUTTER AND EGGS NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—BUTTER—Receipts, 830 tons. Consignments trading with market for smoking, \$24.50; for table, \$25.00.

Freehold Gas Companies Merge TRENTON, Sept. 14.—An agreement of merger and consolidation and a stock issue of \$50,000 by the Freehold Gas Company and Standard Gas Company, under the name of the Standard Gas Company, has been approved by the New Jersey Utility Commission.

Victrolas and Records BELLAK Chestnut St. 1129

BAND SEASON IS OVER, BUT WHY SHOULD PHONOGRAPH FANS WORRY?

Recent Recordings Furnish Fine Program Material for Concerts These Cool Autumn Evenings—Variety of Numbers Described—More Listed in Catalogs

Although the park concert band season ended with Labor Day, owners of phonographs have the opportunity always at hand to have their band programs at home these early autumn evenings when the chill in the air makes the veranda too cool for comfort.

A very interesting record is "Euy Blas Overture," played by the band of H. M. Grenadier Guards, which has just been issued by the Columbia Company.

The American Symphony Orchestra plays a double Edison record, inclusive of the three parts of Alexander Luginin's "Ballet Egyptian," which was danced here in spectacular fashion by Pavlova and her corps de ballet at the Metropolitan Opera House at the opening of the last musical season.

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