

NEWS OF THE FINANCIAL WORLD NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA STOCK PRICES

WALL STREET HAS STRONGER BELIEF THAT PEACE IS NEARER

Public Interest in Stock Market Larger Than in Many Months—Substantial Advances Are Recorded All Through the List

New York, Oct. 16.—The stock market was roused wholly by the general confidence in the situation in Europe and by a stronger belief that the establishment of peace is not far away. This growing confidence in peace prospects brought in many outside orders, and there was a larger degree of public interest in trading than has been shown for many months.

Advances were made all through the list, ranging from 1 to more than 5 points, but with the greatest gains due to special reasons in closely controlled stocks.

The oil shares were prominent with Mexican Petroleum making a new high record, selling at 143 1/2 in the first hour. Pierce Oil was also established at a new high level, advancing to 19, and Sinclair Oil was strong, while Texas, after an early advance, reacted sharply in the late forenoon.

Most interest must be attached to the trading in United States Steel, as that issue signifies the actual market position. This morning it advanced 3/4 to 109, but had a quick drop to 107 1/2.

J. J. Manning, one of the room traders, forced Studebaker up from 65 to above 69.

American Ice moved up 5 points to 4 1/2, with the buying coming from a pool in which market plungers are the chief members.

New York Stocks

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New York Bonds

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Philadelphia Stocks

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LOCAL STOCK TRADING IS DULL, WITH CHANGES UNIMPORTANT

Lehigh Navigation Advances—Pennsylvania Railroad and Lehigh Valley Are Lower—Loan Campaign Gets Most Attention

Early trading on the Philadelphia Stock Exchange today was dull, with price changes few and generally unimportant. This condition was somewhat of a surprise to the financial district, as there was a vigorous demand for many issues in the initial trading on the New York exchange, and many brokers expected to see a reflection of this condition through a strong local market.

An explanation of the quiet situation here was the extra efforts being put forth for record-breaking subscriptions to the fourth Liberty Loan in the Philadelphia Federal Reserve District, many of the operators, who are usually active, devoting all of their time to the sale of Government war bonds.

Prominent issues were slow in appearing and, including arbitrage stocks, only seven had appeared by the end of the first hour. Lehigh Navigation advanced 3/4, while Insurance Company of North America, Philadelphia Electric and William Crum certificates came out unchanged.

Railroad issues were soft, Pennsylvania declining 1/4 and Lehigh Valley 3/4. United States Steel common was slightly lower and developed a little momentum before midday.

In the bond division Philadelphia Electric first 5s were fairly active and unchanged.

SCATTERED SELLING LOWER COTTON PRICES

MAKES CORN EASIER CAUSED BY SELLING

Bearish Political News Causes Liverpool and Spot Houses Unload Early—Business Is Quiet

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NEW YORK INACTIVE STOCKS

Table of New York Inactive Stocks with columns for Stock Name, Price, and Change. Includes stocks like Am. Int'l. Comm., Am. Int'l. Comm., etc.

New York Curb

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INDUSTRIALS

Table of Industrial Stocks with columns for Stock Name, Price, and Change. Includes stocks like Am. Explosives, Am. Brd. Mfg., etc.

GRAIN AND FLOUR

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Advertisement for Fourth Liberty Loan, CLARKE, Morton R. Alexander, Phila. Stock Exchange Bldg.

Advertisement for BUSINESS CAREER OF PETER FLINT, A Story of Salesmanship by Harold Whitehead.

Advertisement for Furnace Pipes, The Paunee Pipeless Furnace has no pipes. All the heat goes where it is needed. None is wasted.

Advertisement for Fleck Bros. Co., Heating and Plumbing Supplies, DISPLAY ROOMS: 41 to 50 North 8th Street, 308 Arch Street.

Advertisement for LOGAN TRUST COMPANY, 1431 CHESTNUT STREET. WE WILL HELP YOU TO BUY MORE LIBERTY BONDS. In further co-operation with the Liberty Loan Committee we will loan our patrons 90% of the face value of all 4th LIBERTY LOAN BONDS purchased through us, for one year, with interest at 4 1/2%.