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Annual Meetings

Annual Meetings

OFFICE OF THE UNITED GAS DAPENOVEMENT CO.

N. W. corner Broad and Arch sta.
Philadelphia, April 11, 1919.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the United Gas Improvement Company will be held at the office of the company, northwest corner of Broad and Arch sta.
Philadelphia, Manday, May 5, 1819, at 12 scheek noon, when an election will be held for a president and six (6) directors to serve for the ensuing year, and such other business will be transacted as may be brought lafare the meeting.

The stock transfer books will be closed from 8 p. m., Wudnesday, April 23, 1919.

Buttl 10 a. m., Tuesday, May 6, 1919.

G. W. CURRAN, Secretary,

PRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK
Chestnot Street West of Broad
Philadelphia, April 21, 1919.
At the regular meeting of the Board of
Directors of this Bank held this day a semiannual dividend of 10% and an extra dividend of 5% were declared, free of tax, and
sayable May I, 1919, to stockholders of
record at the close of business April 30,
1916. Checks will be mailed.

J. WM. HAEDT, Cashier

THE SIXTH NATIONAL 25, 1919. Philadelphia, April 25, 1919. The directors have this day declared a semiannual dividend of 5 per cent and one per cent extra, mayable May 1 to stocknowledge of record of April 25. Checks will be mailed. SALTER. Cashier. THE SIXTH NATIONAL BANK

THE GIRARD NATIONAL BANK
Pulladelphia, April 22, 1919,
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RENERSHIPS N.S. IS BERRERY GIVEN OF THE straight of the Britis of John M. Faults in 1423 Surface Garden at., William Spails arveng refreed August 1st.

WIDE GAINS SCORED EARLY ON NEW YORK STOCK'CHANGE

Royal Dutch Issues Attract Most Attention, Making Large Advances-Baldwin Locomotive Becomes Prominent

New York, April 28,- There was excited trading in many stocks with the beginning of business this morning, movements including advances ranging from fractions to more than 4 points, with the Royal Dutch issues unking the greatest gains. Royal Dutch New York, which closed on

Saturday at $105\%_1$, opened with sales at $107\%_2$ and $108\%_2$ and then moved up to 110 and the American shares advanced $4\%_4$ to 112. United States Steel common was in moderate supply at the start, yielding by to 100%, followed by a recovery of this loss.

Buldwin Locomotive made a gain of 114 to 92%, and American Locomotive advanced 11, to 7712. There was another vigorous buying movement in the railroad stocks,

Missouri Pacific making a gain of 1 point to 20%, and Northern Pacific uthern Pacific continued its upward movement, advancing % to 10912. Texas Pacific was exceptionally weak, dropping 21% points to 44%.

Financial Briefs

000 from the banks on Saturday, mak-

ing a cash net gain since Friday of

The Standard Oil Company of New

York reports for the year ended De-

ember 31 net carnings after deprecia-

carned in 1917. Net earnings for the

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

International Harvester Corporation, quar-terly of 1% per cent on preferred, payable June 2 to stock of record May 10.

BAR SILVER

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET

offerings were well taken by trade in-

terests and commission houses, and the

City Market Report

Abundant-Potatoes, scallious, lettuce,

ormal-Parsnips, radishes, oranges,

Scarce-Cabbage, celery, carrots, sweet

N. J. GUARDS TO CAMP

Trenton, April 28 .- The annual en-

militia will be held at Camp Edge, Sea

ARMY IN AIR CONGRESS

berian Railway.

gars are unchanged at 9c, less 2 per

cent, for cash. Moderate activity con-

tinues. Raws are unchanged at 7.28c,

potatoes, apples, strawberries, grape-

beats, lemons, spinach.

fruit, onions asparagus.

turnins, rhubarh

New York, April 28.—The coffee Chesa & Ohio market was a little irregular at the Chi & Alton pf

opening today and first prices were 1 Chi Great West

point higher on December and un-changed to 5 points lower for the other positions.

The Rio market was again higher and Chi R 1 & Pac

The Rio market was again higher and this seemed to have a steadying in-this seemed to have a steadying in-fluence, and while there appeared to Chile Copper 2354 Chino Copper 3554

understone of the market appeared to Colorado South . 27

CORN PRICES WEAKEN UNDER LEAD OF MAY The New York Treasury gained 879.

Larger Receipts, Unsettled 82.144.000. Weather and Decline in Hogs Have Bearish Influence

tion, sundry reserves and federal taxes \$28,642,387, equal to \$38.19 a share on \$75,000,000 capital stock, against net GRAIN BELT WEATHER PORECAST carnings of \$30,000,673, or \$30 a share year decreased \$1,358,286. -unchanged; in London at 48%d, a de

Chicago, April 28,-Operators in corn ere inclined to place a dual interpre-ition on the statement made by Herat C. Hoover, permanent chairman of he food section of the supreme econoconneil, as to Europe's food im sorts, but prices were weaker under he lead of May, which sold at a dis-int under July. The volume of busiess was only fair.

Local interests favored selling, while be a good deal of December for sale dission houses were on both sides. Receipts were larger, despite unsettled weather, and this affected May particu-The arrivals here today were be very steady. A decline in hogs also had a bearish influence May opened at \$1.69 to \$1.68, against

\$1.70 at the close Saturday. July started at \$1.68% to \$1.69, against \$1,63 at the close Saturday. September was quoted at \$1.6415 to \$1.6375 at the outset, against \$1.6412 at the end Onts showed independent firmness on

enttered buying by commission houses. Offerings were light. Trade was small. The receipts here today were 122 cars. May opened at 72% to 73c, against 721/10 at the end Saturday. July started at 72% to 72%, ngaist 72% at the close Saturday. September opened at 69%, to 70c, against 69%c, Saturday's last price.

The receipts of wheat at Minucapolis today were 164 cars, against 321 cars last year; at Duluth 2 cars, against 4 cars; at Chicago 16 cars, against 7 ars; at Winnepeg 221 cars, against component of the New Jersey state

Shipments of wheat from North Girt, on the following dates, according Interboro Consol. 324 ... Interboro Con pf. 1374 ... Inter Agricul pf. 7334 ... Inter America for the week were 9,394,000 to orders announced by Adjutant Genbushels, of which 5.054,000 bushels eral Gilkyson today;

went out as flour.

uary. 13.91d.

LOCAL MEAT MARKET

The following report on the western send fresh meat trade in Philadelphia is misshed by the bonal divesteds and near interactions of the contribution of Agriculture. FIRESH HEEF.—Receipts moderate market endy to strong on all grades at Friday's one demand borth good.

STERES — Receipts moderate market plant at \$20 to \$25 demand tair.

COWS—herefled light market steady at the to \$21 demand quiet. Cows—herefled number of an end and trade at the southeastern neronautical congress at Macon, Ga., May 2-10. Major General to \$25 to \$25 demand quiet. Charles B. Menoher, director of the air service, and Brigadier General William Polike—Herefled market strong at \$20 to \$25 demand good.

LIVESTOCK QUOTATIONS

Clicago, April 28—HOGS—Receipts of the movement among municipalities for stabilishment of landing fields suitable for military or postal terminals.

The air service announcement said it.

Clecage, April 28 - HOGS - Receipts 61,-000 head, left over, 4145 head, Slow, First sales mostly 169 20c lower Early (20 00 Average cost Saturday, \$20.88, (ATTIE-Receipts, 15,000 head,

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NEW YORK STOCK SALES

Adams Express 20% 30½ 30½ 30½ 30½ 1 Advance Rumely 32 Advance Rumely 32 Advance Rumely 32 Advance Rumely 56% 60% 60% 61% 60% 1 Alaska Gold M 31% 38% 28, 35% 1 Allis-Chalm Mfg 37% 38 38 38 38 U S Rity & I Co. 45% 374 34 374 38 Westligh E & M. L0 [51]
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Willys-Overland 3, 3:2 Am Hide & Lea Am H & Lea pf . 111 Am Ice Am Linseed Willys-Overland . 3.) Willys-Overld pf. 95 Am Linseed of Am Locomotive .. 76% Am Loco pf ... 104% Am Maiting 254 25, 25, 25, 25, 27, Am Ist pf c of d. 555; Am Smelt & Ref. 716 72 72 72 72 Am Steel F'dries 96 96 95 55, 96 Am Sugar Refn. 1284, 1.94, 1.94, 1294, Am Sugar Ref pf. 1185, Am Sumatra Tob. 1054, Am Left B. 1284, 1284, Am Tel. 6 724, 1284 *Ex dividend—United Cuar Stores, 2% American Zinc pref. 1%

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Chandler Motor .152

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U. S. Fliers Will Participate in Ex- N Y Dock 26 315 315 315

for military or postal terminals.

The air service announcement said it had in preparation specifications for standardized landing fields and that this data would be made public at the time of the Macon congress.

Chinese Railroad Builder Dead

Pekin, April 28.—(By A. P.)—Jeme Tien You, the Chinese engineer who

Women Fly Three Miles High
Cleveland, O., April 28.—(Ry A.
P.)—Lieutenant Charles Miller, aviator, here with the "flying circus" with Misses Vinette Young and Mildred Young as passengers, yesterday reached an altitude of 16,400 feet. A report (will be filed with the Aero Club of America in the hone that it is a new Tobacco Products. 8914 8814 8814

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Fisher Body 59 Gaston Wm & W 2014 2014 29 Gen Chemical pf 103 ... General Electric 1921 163 163 General Motors 1804 1814 179

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63% 63

New York Bonds

NEWS OF THE FINANCIAL WORLD—NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA STOCK PRICES

Am Tel & Tel ... 162° ; Am Woolen ... 67 67° 4 67° 4 67° 4 67° 4 Am Woolen pf ... 99° 99° 19° 19° 4 1 11 Anglo-Fr 5s... 163, 163, 163, 3 Bordenux 6s ..., 9912 9912 9912 10 Can Gov 5s '26 996% 96% 96% 4 C & O conv 5s 8814 1 Col Ind 5s 7419 7419 7419 Assets Real za'tn 2 Asso Dry Goods 4424 45 45 45 45 Asso D G 1st pf 75 Associated Oil 8314 8412 8114 841 5 City of Paris 6s 98%, 98%, 98% 40 Lib Bond 319s, 98,64 98,60 98,64 83% 84% 84% 84% do conv 4s... 93,38 93,38 93,38 do 4¼s 95.18 95.14 95.18 do 1st 41/s... 05.82 05.82 05.82 Atl Gulf & W I 135% 136% 136% 136% 136% 136% Baldwin Loro 91% 92% 92% 98% Baltimore & Ohio 48% 5% 48 48 Barrett Co 129 132 129% 129% Barrett Co pf 14% Beth Sti Class B, 75% 74% 74% 74% Beth Steel 8% pf 160% 93,50 93,46 93,50 do 2d 4148 ... 25312 do 4th 4148, 93,40 93,34 93,40 0014 0014 0014 4 Lyons 6s 1991/2 1991/2 1991/2 5 N Y C & H 6s. 97%, 97%, 97% Beth Sti Class B. 457 Beth Steel 8° pf. 109° Booth Fisheries . 21°2 21°4 21°4 21°5 Bridyn Rap Tran, 21 21 21 21 Bridyn RT c of d. 20°5 Butte Cop & Zinc. 714 2 Pierce Oil 1924, 10615 1061, 1061 2 Union Pac 6s... 10318 10318 10318 2 U K of G B & 1 Case (JL) Co pt. 97 Cent Leather Co. 80's 80's 80 80 Cerro de Pasco C. 43's 44's 43's 43's

BUSINESS NOTES

6215 6212 6212 Commission. Increases in these rates range from 50 cents per car to one-half cent per 100 pounds

Shipments of cured and fresh meats from Chicago for the week ended April 26 were 50,055,000 pounds, compared with 35,500,000 pounds a year ago.

Colorado South 27 29 212 29
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Colorado South 28 There was a loss in the exports of rude petroleum and its products during March, as compared with the same month last year. The total last month was 114,040,547 gallons, while the 1918 March figure was 21,949, 885 gallons. The value of the exports last month was \$20,850,911.

Deny & R Gr pl. 22 Dome Mines ... 14 13% 13% 13% Elec Storage Bat 70% 17% 17% 17% Erle ... 17% 17% 29% 29% Large quantities of lubricating oil are needed by the Bulgarian state railroad system to replenish the carriers' oil stocks, Department of Commerce reports declare. According to a list the oil needs of the railroads are (one kile equals 2.2 pounds). Engine oil. 1300 kilos : cylinder oil, 500,000 kilos; superheated cylinder Dates for Instruction at Sea Girt Great North P. 1324 4314 4334 4334 4334 oil, 200,000 kilos; axle oil, 600,000 kilos; gas oil, 200,000 kilos; colza, 50,000 kilos; linsced oil, 50,000 kilos; Ali other resogrees. kilos; gas oil, 200,000 kilos; colza, 50,000 kilos; linseed oil, 50,000 kilos; kerosene, 50,000 eases, and benzine.

HAILROAD EARNINGS

LEHIGH VALLEY

1919

March gross 1942 19.073

March gross 1942 19.073

LONG ISLAND

March gross 41.47.094

March gross 21.47.794

LONG ISLAND

March gross 41.47.094

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ferred to the fact that out of the num-ber in the service but one had lost his life, Harold Hines, of 3043 Coral street. was drowned in a beating accident on was drowned in a beauty and the second of the second of the second of the second of them have been promoted and mentioned for bravery on the battlefield.

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The address of the occasion was delivered by the Rev. John Watchorn, who spoke along patriotic lines. The choir rendered a special program and led the congregation, which filled the editice, in the singing of patriotic hymns.

Accompanied by 100 members of the Sunday-school bearing flags, who marched to the front of the main audi-

marched to the front of the main audi-torium, where the tablet is located, Mrs. torium, where the tablet is located, Mrs.
William Lyons, president of the Ladies
Aid Society, unveiled the tablet. It
was the Ladies' Aid Society that planned the presentation and erection of the
memorial. The services were attended
by the members of the families of the
men as well as by some of the men
whose names appear on the tablet.

The market was generally steady under
moderate offerings and a fair demand. Quotifus Siles (10.50). Greening, 190 10.50; Russets,
15.50 Apples, Pennsylvania and Virginia,
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16.50 Apples, Penn whose names appear on the tablet.

NO \$1 SHORE EXCURSIONS Resort Chamber of Commerce Lead-

ers Decline to Ask Rate Atlantic City. April 28. — Shore Chamber of Commerce leaders virtually have sounded the knell of \$1 excursions have sounded the knell of \$1 excursions from Philadelphia to Atlantic City the coming summer by declining to join in a movement launched by the Fourth Ward Business Men's Association to reduce the rate from \$1.25 and was tax, which makes a consider a consideration.

which makes a one-day excursion ticket cost \$1.35. In defining its position the Chamber of Commerce states:

Philadelphia Stocks

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& Elec. 8314 8314 8315 ... 5000 Phila Co cons 5s 8614 8614 8614 ...

MONEY-LENDING RATES

PHILADELPHIA—Call, 5% per

Reserve Banks' Discount Rates Official discount rates at the twelve Federal Reserve banks were as fol-

(The first column gives the rates for all periods up to and including a fifteen-day maturity to ninety days. The third and fourth columns are the rates for rediscounts of collateral loans sesured by government bonds or notes.)

Com'l paper Gov't, paper 16 to 90 16 to 90 15 days days

Combined Reserve Bank Report Washington, April 28,-The weekly

Increased switching charges to be paid report of the combined condition of the tap lines by the trunk lines out of rates twelve Federal Reserve banks, at the other animals. When Patrolman Doyle on interstate shipments of lumber and close of business on Friday, April 25. happened along the street Piccolo was forest products effective June 1 have announced by the Federal Reserve fondling some pups in the window been granted by the Interstate Commerce Board, is as follows, (oco omitted): RESOURCES

5	April 18	April 25	ŀ
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0	\$958,510	Total gold held by banks 2045,831	Į
,	1.085,519	serve agents 1,109,949	ŀ
4	118,128	with U.S. Treasury. 113.436	
7	\$2,162,157	Total gold reserves, \$2,169,216 legal tender, silver cer-	ŀ
2	68.702	coin	ŀ
a	\$2,280,859	Total reserves \$2,240,152	Ì
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•	190.887	market	Į
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11	655,446	ductions from gross de-	١

Total resources\$5,252,687 \$5,248,616 LIABILITIES

Philadelphia Markets

PROVISIONS

Remembers Fifty-eight in Service
A brouze tablet containing the names of fifty-eight men who were and are still in the service was unveiled last evening in the Alleghehy Avenue Baptist Church, Frankford and Allegheny avenues. The Rev. C. H. Shaw refused in pickle loose, 34:2 service loose, 36:2 beach loose, 36:2 beach pickle Bare funds. Science of the service was unveiled last evening in the Alleghehy Avenue Baptist Church, Frankford and Allegheny avenues. The Rev. C. H. Shaw refused to the funds of the service was unveiled loose, 36:2 beach loose, 36:2 break-funds beach and service was unveiled last service was unveiled beach and service was unveiled beach and service was service was un

REFINED SUGARS

re was a moderate demand on a basis for fine granulated. DAIRY PRODUCTS

POULTRY

FRESH FRUITS

VEGETABLES

Choice stock met with a fair sale, and prices generally were well maintained, as follows: White potatoes, Maine, per 100 lbs., \$2.75@3. White potatoes, Maine, per 100 lbs., \$2.75@3. White potatoes, Pennsylvanis, No. 1. per 100 lbs., \$2.26@2.65. White potatoes, New York, per 100 lbs., \$2.50@2.70. White potatoes, Delaware and Maryland, per 100 lbs., \$2.25@2.40. Sweet potatoes, Pernsylvanis, Pernsylvanis, \$2.25@2.40. Sweet potatoes, Pernsylvanis, \$2.25@2.40. Sweet potatoes, Pernsylvanis and Maryland, per hushel hampers—No. 1, \$76.9. Sweet potatoes, Delaware and Maryland, per hushel hampers—No. 1, \$76.9. Sweet potatoes, Delaware and Maryland, per hushel hampers—No. 1, \$76.25.25.25. Cabbage, Danish seed, per ton, \$70; do, southern, perhamper, \$2.25@5.3 do, do, per crate, \$4.50@6. Onlone, yellow, per 100-lb. bag, \$5@5.50; do, Texas, new, per crate, \$3.75@5.50.

Upper Silesian Strikes Grow Berlin, April 28.—(By A. P.)—The strike movement in upper Silesia is in-

the \$1.70 rate then prevailing. It would be beneficial to Atlantic City if the further reduction were possible, but we do not think the time is ripe to even ask for it."

The whole secton is without electric lights and the iron industry is seriously affected, work being suspended in many plants. The strike movement is reported strong among railroad workers.

CRAMPS MAKES WIDE GAIN IN GENERALLY FIRM MARKET

Electric Storage Battery and General Asphalt Also Show Strength—Corn Exchange Bank Declines

Interest in today's early trading on the Philadelphia Stock Exchange was largely concentrated again in Electric Storage Battery, William Cramp trust certificates and General Asphalt, and the market was generally firm in line with the substantial initial advances recorded on the big board,

Storage Battery advanced 34, but later sold unchanged. Cramps was exceptionally strong, gaining as much as 5½ points to above 120, while General Asphalt common moved up to 68½, a gain of ½, with further talk of the strength of Royal Dutch of New York being the leading influence. The fact that Cramps showed up so favorably, notwithstanding the announcement that the Hog Island shipbuilding plant would discontinue ship construction next year, was the cause for considerable comment.

Rapid Transit trust certificates were firm, against a declining tendency last week, and Pennsylvania Railroad made a substantial gain. Lehigh Valley also showed strength, a block of Missouri Pacific came out at 29%, up there was a large turnover of Union Pacific, for the local board, at 131%, off

J. G. Brill held steady, as did United Gas Improvement and Philadelphia etric. Corn Exchange National Bank yielded 1 point on a small sale, Bonds were slow and without important changes in prices.

eent; time 5% 66 per cent. Commercial paper, three to six months, 5% 66 BEAR DOES DANSE-DE-NUIT, PATROLMAN CALLS IT RIOT

Owner Finally Closets Piccolo, Whose Festive Midnight "Shimmy" Shocked Lesser Beasts in 9th Street Store and Awed the Watchful Riley

hend the playfulness of the animal.

The bear, which neighs nearly 400 shrill calls and other noises pounds and is worth \$400 dollars, decided to visit his fellow-unimals in the store of William McFarlan, of 19 North Ninth street, where he has been making his home for several days.

Shortly after midnight he broke a bar in his cage and started to fra-ternize with the birds, dogs, cats and and playfully waved his paw at the patrolman. Then he leaped to the floor and danced up and down.

Doyle drew his reviover and stood sergeant was more cautions, besides, was free no longer.
"bears is hears." He decided the riot. Workmen today are fixing the bars of

police station, as no word was forth-coming from Doyle. Finally a patrol-later was attached to the Mahon Circus. man was sent down to see what the He drouble was. He found Doyle sitting on by McFarlan!

Piccolo, a cinnamon bear, who skates, the other side of the street, his eve dances and does many things that hu- focused on the window and his trusty mans do, threw the Eleventh and Win- gun in his right hand. The bear was ter streets police station into confusion turning somersaults and standing on his today, particularly Patrolman Doyle, head to the delight, or consternation of all because the latter failed to compre- the animal audience, who were showing their appreciation by growls, barks,

> Piping a Lay for Piccolo A moment later McFarlan appeared. You open the door," said Doyle, "and

"Shoot nothing," " replied McFarlan, "That bear cost money," and he in-serted the key in the lock, "Here, Piccolo," he shouted, strid-

ing masterfully toward the perplexed "Whatdye mean! Piccolo took one look at the "boss"

and the patrolman decided be had somersmulted enough. He started for the rear of the store and dashed through an open door into a closet. ready to shoot, but changed his mind McFarlan, who was only a few feet beand phoned for the riot squad. The hind him, slammed the door and Piccolo

squad had better not attack and in-structed Doyle to remain on guard while "Most people don't understand bears." he roused McFarlan, who lives in Cam-den.

An anxious two hours followed in the police station, as no word was forth-

was recently purchased from them

RICH HEADS CHARGED WITH SCHOOL FAULTS Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt Would

Working Class Urged by Doctor Witmer to Purge System

Acting concurrently with the competent authorities of the associated governments, the war trade board and nounces that beginning tomorrow all concernments and compiled by the war trade board will be withdrawn.

Capital paid in Surplus 49,406 10,501 100,5 "Before the demands of the laboring people, whose children constitute 50 per cent of the attendance of public schools of the city," said Doctor Witmer last night, "the Board of Education will topple over like a pite of bricks. The land and size up a man's capabilities and limitations on Board of Education is affected as a man's capabilities and limitations on Board of Education is afraid of a pub- very short acquaintance."

of Philadelphia, who are determined to of l'initiale plain, who are determined to spend no more money on our schools than they have to spend." Doctor Witmer declared the public school system of the city was \$10,000,-000 behind modern standards in the pro-

vision of necessary equipment.
"It is costing the people of Philadel-phin 88,000,000 a year to maintain inefficiency in their schools, and Mr. gun, which was tested to some extent that on the Board of Education," said during the closing stages of the war.

LONDON STOCK MARKET

Gilt-Edged Section Steady-Grand

"Conditions in Philadelphia schools

Trunks Irregular London, April 28.-With telegraph ommunication interrupted by a bliz zard, trading in securities on the stock exchange was limited today. The oil group scored further gains and showed the most strength, the mining department also was well sustained.

LET SOLDIER AID SOLDIER

Thus Manage Employment Bureaus New York, April 28 .- (By A. P.) --Direction of employment bureaus for soldiers and sailors by soldiers and sailors themselves was urged last night by Lieutenant Colone! Theodore Roosevelt and Bennett Clark, temporary offi-Dr. Lightner Witmer, professor of cials of the American Legion, Explain-

lic discussion of the facts. Unite and run these people out. You can do it."

Doctor Witner said the inefficiency he alleged to exist in the schools was due to "the ruling classes of privilege and wealth in control of the public schools to be held in St. Louis. tion to be held in St. Louis.

BRITISH GUN A WONDER

Shoots Farther Than Old Piece and

Does It Fast, Too London, April 28 .- A British field Doctor Witmer, who frequently made has now been perfected to such a point specific critical references to Simon that it is said to be the best of its Gratz, vice president of the Board of kind in the world. It is claimed the new gun will fire an eighteen and onehave retarded progress through the schools." Doctor Witmer added. half-pound shell a greater distance and with more rapidity than has ever been attained with a field gun before.

The range increase is said to be more than 3000 yards over the old field gun. The new weapon can discharge twentyeight rounds a minute.

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