

NEWS OF FINANCIAL WORLD—NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA STOCK QUOTATIONS

MARKET HIGHLY NERVOUS; PRICES VERY CONFUSING

Financial Community Greatly Disturbed by Criminations Made Against Prominent Market Interests

New York, Nov. 18.—To the highly nervous state of today's stock market there could be attributed several influences. Price movement continued erratic and at times confusing. At intervals the general list appeared to be on the verge of another breakdown, but the undercurrent seemed to be sufficiently strong to ward off the reactionary tide.

The only highlight of the day's operations differing from the immediate preceding sessions was the brief shifting of interest to the copper group. The strength of the railroad stocks yesterday, stood out in bold contrast against the conspicuous weakness of the other industrial groups.

The money market, however, was after all the real governing factor. The continuation of the 12 per cent call rate was ample evidence of the determination of the banking interests to force success of speculative activity, especially open pool manipulation of specialties.

One of the noteworthy developments of the day's operations, which came in for considerable comment in market circles were the freely disturbing reports concerning the position of certain prominent financial figures.

Banking Powers Determined to Stabilize Call Rate at High Figure

Undercurrent is Strong

Commitments for the Opening Accepted in the Order Received

Kansas City Gas Company 5 Per Cent Bonds

Equipment Bonds

Liberty Bonds

Philadelphia Stocks

Standard Oils

Independent Oils

Wide Fluctuations on Cotton Exchange

Bank Clearings

Money-Lending Rates

Prime Bank Acceptances

Philadelphia—Call, 6 per cent

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

Table with columns: Bid, Ask, High, Low, Today's Net Change, Div. in \$, etc. Lists various stocks like Adams Express, Advance Rummy, etc.

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LOCAL TRADING ALMOST AT COMPLETE STANDSTILL

Lack of Interest More Pronounced Than at Any Time Since Brakes Were Applied

Dealings in the local market continued of extremely small proportions and generally lacking of interest. There was the same lack of initiative noted in the immediate preceding session and price changes, as a rule, were both unimportant and meaningless.

The unsettled state, however, of the New York market situation could be counted upon to restrict market activity and put a damper upon speculative enthusiasm.

Money market conditions were the principal topic of discussion in bank parlors and brokers' offices.

RISE IN CORN PRICES

ENGINEERED BY BULLS

Excuse for Advancing Quotations

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Bulls in corn today made capital of assertions that a national freight embargo might become necessary to conserve the meager supplies of coal and prices soared material gains.

December shorts displayed great nervousness over the lack of fuel, which is threatening the movement of grain from the interior.

Beish items consisted of ideal weather, renewed weakness in foreign exchange and cheaper hogs.

Leading futures ranged as follows: Year Corn (new delivery) 72 1/2

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIBERTY AND VICTORY LOAN BONDS

Tax Free in Penna. \$85,000

Beech Creek R. R. First Mtg. 4s

Blodget & Co. 501 Real Estate Trust Bldg.

AKRON TIRE

S. S. RUSKAY & CO. Members Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York

KANSAS CITY GAS COMPANY 5 PER CENT BONDS

WILLIAM C. ORTON 25 Broad Street, New York

Equipment Bonds

LIBERTY BONDS

Samuel K. Phillips & Co. Members Philadelphia Stock Exchange

Lawrence E. Brown & Co. CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Poehontas Consolidated Collieries Company, Incorporated

THE PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC CO.

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CITIES SERVICE COMPANY 6% Cumulative Preferred Stock

McCown & Co. Members Philadelphia Stock Exchange

WEST & CO. 1417 CHESTNUT STREET

Averaging Down the Cost

LATTA INSURANCE

Harris J. Latta PENNSYLVANIA BLDG. 317 W. ANSEL PHILA.

The Securities You Own

AKRON TIRE COMPANY

J. H. DIENES & CO. Investments

U. S. Liberty Bonds

Bought and Sold \$50-\$100-\$500-\$1000

GRAHAM, PARSONS & CO. 435 CHESTNUT STREET Philadelphia

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