

MINNESOTA OILS IRREGULAR ON CURB Fair Inquiry for Dryden Gold. Standard of New York Cancels Gains

New York, Oct. 2.—The curb market was quiet after the opening with some irregularity in the oil group. Standard Oil of New York, after advancing 6 points, later reacted 5. Prairie Pipe moved up 3 points and Imperial Oil of Canada 1 1/2. Standard Oil of Indiana fluctuated within narrow limits. Cities Service advanced 1/2 and Gulf Oil 1. Magnolia Petroleum, after an uptick of about 1/4 point, subsequently reacted. Shares were quiet and about steady, with a fair inquiry for Dryden Gold.

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ARREST STARTS FIGHT Attack Patrolman as He Goes After House of Detention Fugitive A fight followed yesterday when Patrolman Houck, of the Thirty-ninth Precinct, arrested Wallace Fite, 19 years old, of Haverford avenue near Thirty-sixth street.

3408 FAMILIES IN COURT 6447 Domestic Relations Cases Disposed of in 1921 The annual report of the Municipal Court covering 1921 shows that during the year 3408 families appeared on the court lists for hearings and represented 6447 cases for disposal.

GERMAN GOODS TO JAPAN Tokyo, Oct. 2.—German manufacturers are making determined efforts to regain their former place in the market for Japanese goods. Their latest move was the importation of large quantities of ginseng, the wooden clogs, Japanese handkerchiefs, for the same reason, shipments of shopsticks have recently been imported from the United States, although it was not expected that shopsticks will ever rank high in the list of American export products.

Break Car-Loading Record Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 2.—Officers of the Hazleton Valley Railroad have set all records for car loadings of coal, which were broken by that line when they were broken with a tonnage of 40,000.

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

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NEWS FOR INVESTORS —Bauer, Starr & Co. announce the removal of their offices to the Land Title Building. —Martin & Co. announce that J. Shipley Dixon and Hallowell W. Morgan have been admitted to the firm as limited partners.

—The average price of twenty active industrial stocks declined 0.82 per cent on Saturday to 136.30, while twenty railroads were 0.48 per cent lower at 100.00. —The St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Company has asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to issue and sell \$5,000,000 of equipment certificate certificates at 90 per cent. The proceeds will be used for additional equipment.

—A special meeting of Victor Talking Machines Company stockholders has been called for October 23, to vote on increasing the capital stock from the present amount of \$5,000,000 to \$55,000,000. —The Briar Hill Steel Company announced closing negotiations with the Guaranty Trust Company, a subsidiary of Guaranty Trust Company of New York, for the issuance of \$10,000,000 in twenty-year 5 1/2 per cent bonds. The proceeds to be used in a large program of expansion and reconstruction of the steel company's plants.

—The Wheeling and Lake Erie Railroad applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission today for authority to issue \$25,000,000 in 5 per cent bonds which will be deposited with the treasury as security for a loan of \$20,000,000. With the money which the roads expects the Government to advance and with other funds at its disposal, maturing indebtedness of \$1,800,000 will be paid off in part, together with the balance of its indebtedness. —The Firestone Tire and Rubber Company during the summer months has done the largest business in its history for any similar period, according to a statement made by the company. A daily production of 20,000 tires has been maintained throughout the period. It also stated that "September has been as good from a sales standpoint as any summer month, and we expect October to equal September in volume."

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EARNINGS

Comparative statement for 12 months ended July 31:

Table with columns: 1922, 1916. Rows: Gross earnings, Operating expenses, Net earnings, Interest charges, Balance after interest charges, Preferred stock dividend.

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