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Mr. Chapin went to Florida last month for his health. Previous to that time he stayed at the home of his sister, Minnie Chapin, at 5 Grant place northwest. He had lived in Washington practically all his life.

The body will arrive here tonight and be taken to the W. R. Speare Company funeral parlors. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow at the Waugh M. E. Church, Third and A streets northeast. The body will then be sent to Harndon, Va., for burial.

MRS. FLORENCE C. BROOKE.

Funeral services for Mrs. Florence Contee Brooke, seventy-eight years old, a resident of Washington for over thirty years, who died suddenly Tuesday at her home in the Portner, will be held at St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church in Prince George's county, Maryland, tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Brooke was the widow of T. Blake Brooke, of Prince George's county, and the daughter of Lieut John Contee, U. S. N. Both her father and grandfather were naval officers. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mary Plummer, of this city.

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The speculation comes as the aftermath of war and the ease with which it has been possible to establish credits, according to the Federal Reserve Board. The mushroom industries of the war, the rich strikes in oil in the West, and the general release of money from war time pressure have all contributed.

The Federal Reserve Board has taken steps to check loans by banks and to restrict the speculative wave, for warning has been given that this year will find the investment markets making large demands upon the nation's finances for carrying the railroads through the transition period from Government to private control, and for financing rapidly expanding foreign trade.

Congress is also turning its attention to speculation. In the House, Congressmen from cotton States are making special efforts to have enacted legislation which will prevent speculation in cotton. Congressman Hudspeth of Texas has introduced a bill making it unlawful for any person, corporation or association to sell any contract for future delivery of cotton unless such seller is the legitimate and actual owner of the cotton contracted for future delivery at the time the sale is made. Penalties for violation of the proposed law are fines of $1,000 and $5,000, and two years' imprisonment.

Various private organizations are making a drive against speculation which they maintain is the cause of high prices. The All-American-Labor-Farmer Commission has for one of its set purposes legislation which will wipe out speculation. The various forms of the Plumb plan are also based on contentions that speculation is paid for by the people.

60 MILLIONS LOST BY ROADS IN NOVEMBER

Railroads during November, 1919, were operated at a loss of approximately $60,000,000 to the Government, according to statistics given out by the Interstate Commerce Commission today.

The net profits for the month were $29,242,530, against $60,152,379 for November, 1918, a drop of more than 100 per cent. The decrease is attributed to the coal strike, which necessitated a curtailment in railroad service.

Railway operating revenue for the month was $438,138,834, against $440,915,188 for November, 1918. After deducting operating expenses, tax accruals, and uncollected railway revenues, the Government was left with a net profit of $29,242,530.

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WALL STREET MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Prices were irregular at the stock market opening today. U. S. Steel opened at 106¼, up ¼; Crucible 216, unchanged; Studebaker 110⅝, off ⅝; Mexican Petroleum 211½, unchanged; Bethlehem B 98⅝, unchanged; Texas Company 222, unchanged; Republic 118⅝, off ⅝; Cuba Cane 53⅝, up ⅜; and Industrial Alcohol 113½, up ¼.

Yesterday Close		High	Low	1:30 P. M.
52¼	Allis-Chalmers	52⅝	51⅝	51⅝
95	Am. Beet Sugar	95	94⅝	94⅝
59	American Can	57⅝	57	57
99⅝	Am Can pf	99¼	99¼	99¼
140	Am. Car & Fdy	140¼	139¼	139¼
52	Am. Cotton Oil pf	51	51	51
28⅝	Am Hide & Lea	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
66⅛	Amer. Ice pfd	66½	66½	66½
75	Amer. Linseed	76⅛	75½	76
101⅞	Am. Locomotive	103	101⅞	101⅞
69⅝	Am. Smelting	69⅝	69⅝	69¼
98	Am. Smelt pfd A	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
45⅝	Am. Steel Fdy	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝
139⅝	American Sugar	139½	138⅛	138⅛
118¼	Amer Sugar pf	118	118	118
98½	Am. Sumatra Tob.	98¼	96½	96½
97	Am. Tel. & Tel	97⅛	97	97⅛
160	Amer. Wool	161	158¼	159
104	Am. Wool pf	104½	104	104½
58⅛	Am. Wr. Paper pf	58	58	58
18	American Zinc	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
	Amer. Zinc, pf	57⅛	57	57⅛
63¼	Anaconda	63¼	61⅝	63¼
62⅛	Asso. Dry Goods	61¾	61½	61¾
124	Associate Oil	125	125	125
84⅝	Atchison	84⅝	84⅝	84⅝
	Atchison pfd	80½	80¼	80½
83	Atlantic Coast L	93	93	93
170½	Atl. Gulf & W. I.	170	168¾	168¾
116⅞	Baldwin Loco	118½	116¾	116¾
33	Balto. & Ohio	33	33	33
48	Balt. & Ohio pf	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛
129⅛	Barrett Co	129¼	129	129
98⅞	Beth. Steel B	98⅞	98	98
113½	Beth. Steel pf	113¼	113¼	113¼
12	Brook. Rapd T	14⅝	14	14
	Booth Fisheries	13	13	13
26	Buttercik	25½	25½	25½
25¼	Butte & Superior	27	26½	26½
43⅝	California Petrol	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
132¼	Canadian Pacific	133	132½	133
59	Cerro de Pasco	58⅝	58⅛	58⅛
102⅝	Central Leather	103⅝	102¼	102¼
108	Cent. Leather pf	107	107	107
129	Chandler Motors	127½	125	125
55¼	Chesa & Ohio	55⅝	55⅛	55⅛
62	Certainteed Prod	60¼	60	60
8¼	Chicago Gt. W	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
86⅝	Chi. & Nor. West	86½	86⅛	86⅛
37⅝	Chi., Mil. & St. P	37¼	37¼	37¼
52⅞	Chi., M. & St. P. pf	53	53	53
	C., R. I. & Pac. Ry	27	26⅝	26⅝
	C., R. I. & P. 6 wi	61	61	61
71¼	C., R. I. & P. 7 wi	71	71	71
19⅝	Chile Copper	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛
40¼	Chino Con. Cop	39⅞	39¾	39¾
	Cluett Peabody	103	100	100
42¼	Col. Fuel & Iron	42⅝	42	42
19¼	C I Callahan	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝
40⅛	Coca Cola	40½	40½	40½
62⅛	Col. Graphophone	62	61	61½
64½	Col. Gas & Elec	66	64½	65⅛
86¼	Corn Products	86¾	86	86
216	Crucible Steel	216	215	215
53	Cuba C Sugar	54⅛	53¼	53¼
96⅛	Del & Hud	96	95⅝	95⅝
	Dome Mines	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
13¼	Erie	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
20⅝	Erie 1st pfd	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
19	Gaston Wms	19	18	18
73½	Gen. Cigar Co	74	72½	73
336½	Gen. Motors	333	328	329
86	Gen. Motors pf	86	86	86
82⅝	Goodrich B F	82	80⅝	81
	Granby Mining	54	54	54
40¼	Gt. North. Ore	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
79¼	Gt. North. pfd	78⅝	78⅛	78⅝
82	Gulf State S	84⅛	82½	83
60	Hask & Barker	58½	58¼	58¼
26⅝	Inter. Nickel	26¼	25½	25⅝
60⅝	Inspira Cop	60⅝	60¼	60½
85⅞	Internat. Pap	85⅞	84¼	84¼
79	Int. Pap. pf. sta.	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
4	Inter. Consol	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
47⅞	Iron Products	48	47¼	47¼
	Kan City So pfd	47	47	47
149½	Kelly-Spg. Tire	148	148	148
45	Keystone Tire	44⅛	43¼	43¼
32¼	Kennescott	32¼	32	32
89	Lacka. Steel	88⅞	87⅞	88
37½	Lee R. & Tire	37⅝	37½	37½
43½	Lehigh Valley	44	44	44
	Louis. & Nash	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝
48⅝	Marine com	48⅛	47⅝	47⅝
111	Marine pfd	110½	109⅞	110
26⅛	Mart. Parry Co	30½	29¼	30¼
33½	Maxwell M G	33⅝	33	33
	Maxwell 2d pf.	30	30	30
	May Dept. Store	124⅝	124⅝	124⅝
211½	Mexican Petrol	213½	209½	209½
50⅝	Midvale Steel	50⅝	50⅛	50⅛
25⅛	Missouri Pac	29¼	26	26
41½	Missouri Pac pf.	41¼	41¼	41¼
69½	Montana Power	68	67½	68
17	Nev. Con. Cop	17⅛	16⅝	16⅝
113	N. Y. Air Brake	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝
85	Nat. En. & Stmp	84	83½	83½
70	N Y Central	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝
27	N. Y., N. H. & H	27	26⅝	27
98¼	Norfolk & West	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
80⅛	Northern Pacific	80	79¼	79¼