

FINANCE, OIL AND GAS

Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 22.—Locally gas stocks were buoyant and three new high records were reached—Cane River, at 45, an increase of a point; Columbia Oil and Gas, at 48 1/2, an increase of 1 1/2; and Ohio Fuel Supply, at 59 1/2. This latter stock later declared, however, to 57, a loss of 2 1/2 points.

Summary table with columns: High, Low, and various stock symbols like 210 A W G, 245 A W G M pf, etc.

Bonds table with columns: Bonds, and symbols like 47,555, 33,000 Ind Brew 6s, etc.

Grain and Produce.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Seemingly lack of any urgent export buying of wheat in the United States tended to offset bullish foreign advices. Largely as a result the market closed unsettled, 7/8c off to 1/2c up, as compared with yesterday's finish. Corn showed a loss of 1/4c to 1/2c net and oats of 1/4c to 3/8c. In provisions the outcome varied from 1/2c decline to a rise of 40c.

New York

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Stocks were in free supply during the early and final stages of yesterday's irregular market, which scattered strength between times. Concessions were most general and severe in copper and other issues which recently registered greatest gains.

Oil and Gas.

Operators are devoting a good deal of time to discussing the oil market. From the trend of conversation it would seem that an advance is expected. When asked for an explanation of why an advance is due at this time the answer is not specific further than to point out that which all of the work under way and the great number of completions the volume of new production is very small. All of the late wells are light pumps and located in old territory.

heirs' farm through the same formation with the same result. In the Dent's run pool, Minnington district, Marion county, W. Va., Bartlett has drilled No. 4 on the Z. E. Barton farm through the Big Injun sand and found it barren. It is now drilling to the 30-foot sand, the formation that furnishes the gushers in that district. No. 1 on this farm completed last spring, is now for the first time below 100 barrels a day. No. 3 is holding up at 430 barrels. When first drilled in this well had a production of 2,100 barrels. The Delmar Oil company's Nos. 24 and 25, John L. Hays, are producing 90 and 110 barrels, respectively.

B. & O. President to Visit Fairmont

President Daniel Willard of the Baltimore and Ohio lines is scheduled to make a special inspection of the Monongah Division lines in West Virginia next week. His itinerary calls for a trip from Gratton to Belington, Belington to Tygart Junction, Tygart Junction to Buckhannon, Buckhannon to Weston, Weston to Richwood, Richwood to Clarksburg via Weston on the return down the West Virginia and Pittsburgh railroad.

THE LETTER LIST

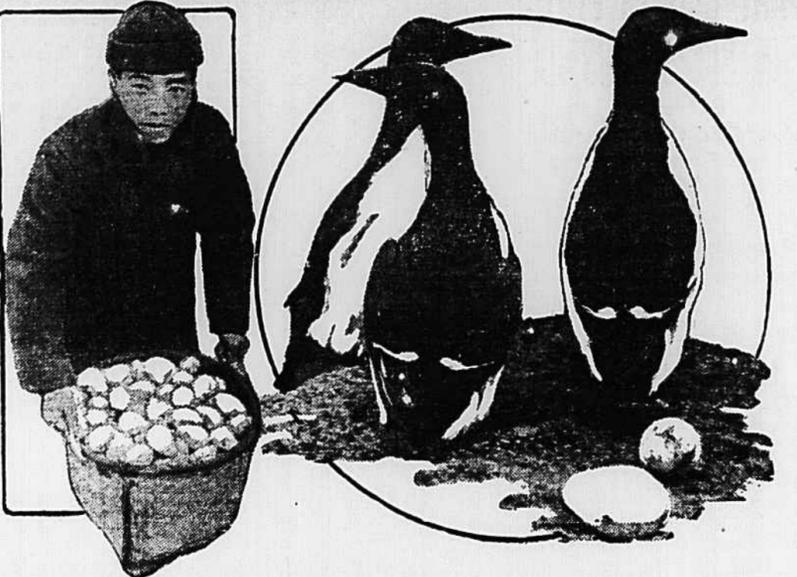
ADVERTISED LETTERS. Unclaimed letters at this office for the week ending November 18, 1916: Bowman, Mr. and Litchell, J. W. Brock, Mac Boyd, Mrs. Eliza Lewis, Henry Brooks, E. W. Martin, Lewis Barron, C. L. Moore, Lawrence G. Baker, Fred Beekwith, W. M. Moore, B. R. Murphy, Ambrose McVicker, Edgar Brown, W. C. Morgan, C. J. Beekwith, W. C. Morgan, Mr. Ellen Bates, Walter Ooster, H. J. Custer, J. W. Craft, Master J. W. Murray, V. M. Kenneth McCulley, Miss Cawthon, Miss A. S. Florence Mayne, Theo. Cathell, John Caldwell, Wm. Conwell, W. F. Carter, Wash. Evans, Chas. H. Delaney, Jas. T. Fry, Harry Petty, Joseph Fleming, Myrtle Pluharty, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Friddle, D. A. Fazio, Francesco Fake, Beatrice Fernhuter, Bernard Ford, Mrs. Nora Fairmont Plate Glass Co. Supply Co. Floyd, Amos C. Frost, G. S. Curles, Mrs. Amer. Gibson, D. C. Gordon, George D. Gallher, Mrs. J. S. Hampton, W. H. Hedges, Miss Ruby Elsen, S. F. Harts, Brady Co. Hall, Mrs. H. O. Helfrich, Glenna Heck, Festes Hammond, David Harthine, Amy Hawkins, Mrs. Bell Harrison County Coal Co. Heter, Mrs. J. L. Higgins, Miss Stella Hammer, W. H. High, W. E. Jackson, William Jones, George E. Jaynes, Glenn Jamison, Asa Johnson, Vergil H. Jackson, George Jones, Frank Jopson, H. S. Johnson, Mrs. M. Jackson, Chester Jetz, C. A. Jackson, Chas. Jenkins, C. L. Jones, Creed Jones, W. M. Shaw, Mrs. Jessie Kennedy, Thos. L. Kowalsky, P. J. Kelley, W. M. Kelly, Mrs. S. T. Lang, Oscar LeMasters, Dr. Lee Lynch, A. V. Lutton, Harry L. Lewis, Hugh Lemley, Day Lindson, V. D. LeRoy, Frank Lee, Wm. Washington, John Linn, Albert G.

Articles. Open. Close. Wheat—December 1.82 1.81 1/2. May 1.85 1.85. Corn—December 95 1/2 93. May 97 1/2 95. Oats—December 57 58 1/2. January 62 1/2 62.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

B. D. Satterfield, administrator personal estate of E. D. Wade, deceased. James H. Barrett, administrator de bono non estate of William Worle, deceased; Carpenter Satterfield, deceased; John H. Satterfield, deceased; Jeremiah L. Simpson, deceased; Dennis Springer, deceased; Ishmael Robb, non estate of William Work, deceased; S. P. Nixon, deceased; Jesse Miller, deceased; John A. Lloyd, deceased; Robert Linn, deceased; Isaiah Krontz, deceased; Thomas Hough, deceased; Henry Haugh, deceased; Raynear H. J. Dood, deceased; James T. Dood, deceased; Isaac Courtney, deceased; Abraham Barnes, deceased; James Burns, deceased.

Most Colossal Incubator in the World Where Millions of Birds Hatch Yearly



Bird life on Walrus Island, Alaska. Member of U. S. S. Unalga crew gathering basket of eggs.

BY JACK JUNGMEYER (Staff Correspondent) WALRUS ISLAND, Alaska, Nov. 21.—A colossal incubator where millions of wild sea birds' eggs are hatched every year. To keep it such an asylum for the feathered folk of Bering sea, the U. S. government carefully guards this rockbound, isolated reserve. Murres, cormorant, auk, gull, sea parrot and smaller bird eggs literally carpet the ground here—eggs of the most gorgeous colors. So populous is the island the smallest of the Fribolot group with feathered creatures that the birds actually sit shoulder to shoulder around the two-mile rim of cliffs during the hatching season.

Occasionally the natives from St. Paul Island are permitted to come here and gather a boatload of this bounty. A certain area is first cleared of all the eggs, their degree of incubation being uncertain, and a few days later the fresh eggs laid in this space are taken for food. The fecundity of the birds is amazing. Uncountable hords of young rise annually from this rocky reef to swell the clouds of wild fowl haunting the smoky Bering. No human or animal enemies disturb them here. The various species live in intimate amity, though nesting space is often disputed where space is so precious. And almost socialistic sharing of paternal burdens.

When disturbed, as they seldom are, their cries are deafening. And the murre and auks, clumsy fliers, can be picked up with ease from the crude nests they leave with greatest reluctance. I was permitted to visit Walrus Island as a guest aboard the U. S. S. Unalga, a patrolling cutter. With in a few minutes members of the crew had gathered 12 bushel baskets of murre and gull eggs—as edible as duck or turkey eggs. We had omelets, shirred, boiled, fried and scrambled eggs in the mess for days afterward.

For the Poultry Fancier

Information Which Will Help the Man Who Raises Chickens for Pleasure to Realize a Profit.

PROFIT IN CAPON INDUSTRY

Prevailing Scarcity of Meat Creating Demand for Fowls—Necessary Operation is Simple. The capon industry which now can be carried on profitably is sure to develop rapidly, in the opinion of N. L. Harris, superintendent of the poultry plant at the Kansas State Agricultural college. Where capons are raised in large numbers, says Harris, it now is possible to ship them direct to large cities where there is a ready sale at good prices. Owing to the prevailing scarcity of meat-producing animals it is probable that the capon will find a permanent place on many of the farms of the middle West and will be a source of constant profit. Numerous buyers in small towns have made quotations in the last season ranging from 14 to 18 cents a pound live weight, depending upon the size of the capon. If capons are raised on the farm this allows a good margin for profit. The operation necessary to produce capons is simple and can be performed by anyone after a little practice. The capon does not as a rule grow much more rapidly than the cockerel but puts on more pounds of meat for the amount of food consumed.

NATURE'S WAY FOR CHICKENS

Follow That Rule as Far as Possible in Feeding and Caring for Young Animals. We should follow nature—or rather let nature have her own way as nearly as possible—in feeding and caring for any young animal. Who ever heard of a chicken having bowel, or any other trouble, when the old hen found most of its food, and cared for it as only a hen can? When we assume to take nature's place in feeding and caring for animals, we are on dangerous ground.

PREVENT LICE AND CHOLERA

Both Flourish in Hot Weather, and May Be Avoided by Little Work Before Trouble Begins. Lice and cholera germs flourish in hot weather, and both by a little work may be prevented. Running for remedies and cleaning up when a flock is down with contagious disease is certainly a ridiculous and fruitless proceeding and exhibition of how not to do it.

QUIET DELL

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Vincent, of Gladly Creek, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rem Rudy. Mrs. Mary E. Rudy was calling on Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Linn Sunday afternoon. Miss Goldie Henderson, of Fairmont, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Avis Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Linn were calling at John L. Rudy's Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Rem Rudy and Lee Rudy called on Mr. and Mrs. Avis Henderson one night last week.

SELECTION OF GOOD LAYERS

Pullet Should Have Fine Head, Alert Eyes and Comb and Face and Wattles of Fine Texture. Judging poultry is said to be finer art than the selection of other farm animals, but the man or woman who picks pullets with fine heads alert eyes and combs, faces and wattles of fine texture has taken the first step toward increased egg production. Good pullets should stand square on their feet, with legs wide apart, with the front end of the body slightly higher than the posterior end, and with a long back and tail carried rather high. The body should be wedge shaped, yielding ample room for the reproductive and digestive organs.

CONVENIENT SITE FOR HOUSE

As Women Usually Look After Chickens Flock It is Well to Have Coop Near Farm Dwelling. The women usually look after the chickens. If a man wants to help his wife he can do so by locating the chicken coop not too far from the house and in a handy location and by building it for convenience with feed hoppers, shell hoppers, water dishes and alfalfa racks.

BATTELLE TEACHERS MEET

Battelle District Institute will be held at Valley Chapel church November 25. The program is as follows: 10:00, song service; 10:45, devotional, Rev. Stephen White; 10:45, Rural Life and Education, Olen Rutan, Marsh Westfall, Joseph I. Steele, Miss Cecyl Cowell; 11:45, business session; 12:00, adjournment; 1:30, song service; 1:45, address, Rev. Mrs. L. J. Pack; 2:30, address, Dr. A. J. Steele; 3:30, adjournment; 7:30, song, Battelle H. S. Glee club; 7:45, devotional; 7:55, song, Battelle H. S. Glee club; 8:15, address, Dr. A. J. Steele. C. M. Koon, chairman; Mary E. DeGurra, secretary.

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Swollen Ankles and Feet Are Indications of Kidney Trouble

Swollen ankles and feet are forms of a dropsical condition, due to disordered kidneys. Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists; or under the eyes in bag-like formations. It is just as necessary to keep the kidneys acting properly as to keep the bowels active, says an eminent physician. When one is sick the first thing to be done is to thoroughly test the kidney secretions. The very best possible way to take care of yourself is to take a little "Anurie" with the meals. In this way it is readily dissolved with the food, picked up by the blood and finally reaches the kidneys, where it has a tonic effect in rebuilding these organs. "Anurie" was recently discovered by Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y.; it has been thoroughly tested in his laboratory as well as in his Invalids' Hotel. Everyone can quickly associate Dr. Pierce with his great herbal restorative tonic, his "Favorite Prescription," universally known as an invigorator for womanly ills. A different person daily offers his or her words of praise of "Anurie." Now Mr. W. R. Bray speaks: "I am appealing to those who are bothered with backache and a constant tired, worn-out feeling to give 'Anurie' a trial. I suffered from backache, swelling of hands and feet, frequent excretion from the kidneys and many other symptoms. Was unable to work, but after taking just one box of Doctor Pierce's Anurie, according to directions, I am again able and 'O. K.'" Step into the drug store and ask for a 50c package of "Anurie," or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial package. "Anurie" is 37 times more potent than lithia.



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