

FINANCE, OIL AND GAS

New York

NEW YORK, June 20.—Trading in stocks yesterday was again extremely superficial, the market showing up substantial changes from the previous session, except that prices eased more generally toward the end.

Encouragement was felt at the beginning over the further check to the German drive along an important sector of the French front.

The only domestic happenings of note were the decision of the War Finance Corporation to render assistance to the Brooklyn Transit company, and the meeting of the steel producers to fix new prices, effective July 1.

Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, June 20.—Softness predominated throughout the day in the Pittsburgh stock market, and both Ohio Fuel Supply and American Window Glass Machine common were sold at declines. Machine common dropped 1 1/2 points on sales of 205 shares, and Ohio Fuel dropped 1 1/2 with 415 shares changing hands.

Midvale steel, traded in to the extent of 25 shares, sold at 52, while United States Steel, on a 10-share sale, fell 1/4 to 104. Pennsylvania Railroad also declined 1/4 to 44 1/2 on a 50-share trade.

Summary table with columns for High, Low, and various stock prices like 220 A W G Mach, 200 Ind Brew, etc.

Grain and Produce

CHICAGO, June 20.—Hot weather and drought inspiring the promise of a record breaking crop of oats had a conspicuous part yesterday in forcing sharply higher prices on grain.

Table of grain and produce prices including Corn, Oats, and Pork with open and close prices.

Oil and Gas.

Development work in Central district, Doddridge county, W. Va., is quite active. Moreover, operators are getting some fair producers in that district.

The Hope Natural Gas Company has drilled No. 4 on the Mary O'Donnell farm. Since it was put to pumping it has been producing 25 barrels a day.

In Murphy district, Ritchie county, the South Penn Oil Company drilled No. 25 on the N. W. Haught farm through the salt sand. It is a dualer in that formation, but has a light show of oil in the salt sand.

on the H. M. and A. A. Turner farm is good for 10 barrels a day in that formation. In Freemans Creek district Hatzel, Wilson & Co. have completed in the same formation No. 66 on the McDonald heirs' farm. It is a 10-barrel pumper.

BITS OF STATE NEWS

City council is contemplating asking the voters of Greater Clarkburg to ratify a bond issue of approximately \$600,000 for general improvements.

Although nothing definite had been decided it is said that council desired the bond issue to be about \$600,000, this amount to include bridges, streets and the water board. It is likely that the people will have a chance to vote on the bond issue in July or early in August.

Wheeling Rotarians at the weekly noonday luncheon Tuesday started the ball rolling for a Greater Wheeling by a merger of the eastern suburbs with that city.

Parkersburg papers say it is learned from Cincinnati that a number of St. Louis capitalists connected with the Mississippi Valley Transportation company are negotiating for water front at Cincinnati suitable for making a landing and providing storage facilities for an Ohio river branch line of concrete barges to be operated in connection with the New Orleans to St. Paul line already in operation.

The Huntington Advertiser is responsible for the following: "Charges alleging conduct unbecoming a soldier and gentleman, have been filed by L. R. Reese against Lieutenant Colonel George S. Wallace. The charges grow out of an attack that is alleged to have been made by Colonel Wallace upon Reese upon the street here on Friday of last week.

"Colonel Wallace was formerly active in the West Virginia National Guard. Soon after war was declared against Germany, he was appointed head of the state department of military census and enrollment. Later he has been connected with the judge advocate general's department. He has been in Huntington for several days awaiting assignment to service in Europe."

"Mr. Reese alleges in his charges that Col. Wallace approached him on the street, and without cause, struck and knocked him down while in conversation with Mayor Wiles of Huntington. In closing his charges to Secretary Baker Mr. Reese says: "This complainant further says, in accordance with the above informal statement of facts that the conduct of the said George S. Wallace was unbecoming a soldier and a gentleman; that he, the said L. R. Reese, had no opportunity to protect himself; that there was no indication from the said Wallace that he, the said Reese, was about to be attacked; that this complainant gave no provocation for such attack, and that the same was deliberate and unjustified."

MINING ENGINEERS GATHER AT CAPITAL

Will Learn New Ways in Which to Help Win the War.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Heads of virtually every "war work" division of the government will discuss vital war problems with 200 of the country's leading mining engineers, representing the American Institute of Mining Engineers, at a dinner here tomorrow evening.

To learn new ways in which the mining engineer can contribute his services, already great, toward the winning of the war is the aim of the gathering. There are some 700 of the Institute's membership of 6,700 devoting their entire time to war service.

Those who will discuss future work for the Institute in the war are members of the Institute. They include Herbert C. Hoover, Food Administrator; Charles M. Schwab, Director General of the Emergency Fleet Corporation; John D. Ryan, Director General of the Aircraft Production Board; Vance McCormick, chairman of the War Trade Board; W. L. Saunders, chairman of the Naval Consulting Board; Mark L. Requa, head of the Oil Division of the Fuel Administration; Sidney J. Jennings, President of the American Institute of Mining Engineers; Benedict Crowell, Assistant Secretary of War; and Pope Yeaman of the War Industries Board.

Members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers are active in a wide field of war work including the Engineer Officers Reserve Corps, Ordnance and Signal Corps, Branches of the Army and Navy, Aircraft Production, Food and Fuel Administration, War Industries Board, War Trade Board, and the Department of the Interior.

EAST SIDE NEWS

Lawn Fete.

A lawn fete will be held this evening by the Epworth League of the Diamond street church on the lawn opposite the Central school building.

Returned from Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McIntyre and son, of Morgantown avenue, returned Wednesday from Pittsburgh where they spent several days.

Flag Raising.

The public is cordially invited to attend the flag raising at Hickman Run

school house this evening at eight o'clock. Rev. Dr. Stotter will deliver the address and Walter D. Barrington will sing. The flag pole has already been placed and all is in readiness for the exercise this evening.

Sunday School Conference.

A Sunday school conference will be held at the Diamond Street M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All officers and teachers of Fairmont and Union district are asked to be present.

Betsy Rees.

The Betsy Rees club will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. F. Russell, 509 View street. Persons attending will leave the Locust avenue car at Fourth street. A full attendance of the members is desired.

Miss Brand Here.

Miss Willa Brand, English instructor in the Clarkburg high school, was the guest of Mrs. S. L. Jacobs Wednesday while en route to her home at Morgantown from Grafton where she visited her sister.

At Ernschaw.

Manuel Carpenter, of Vermont avenue, has returned from Ernschaw where he attended the funeral of Cy Hirsing botham which was held at that place on Wednesday.

Spent Day Here.

Mrs. Russell Nichols and Mrs. H. O. Nichols, of Colfax, spent Wednesday with Mrs. S. J. Jacobs and her mother, Mrs. Timothy Bennett, in Guffey street.

Personals.

Frank Chippa, of Morgantown, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

W. H. Randolph and mother, Mrs. Mary Randolph, of Vermont avenue, will return this evening from a week's stay in Pittsburgh.

"How to Preserve Your Linen" is the title of a lecture now being delivered throughout Germany by speakers from the Imperial Clothing office. The object is to teach people how to use the various substitutes for soap and the chemical washing powders without unnecessary wear and tear.

Stop Itching Eczema

Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching eczema quickly by applying a little zemo furnished by any druggist for 35c. Extra large bottle, \$1.00. Healing begins the moment zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of eczema, tetter, pimples, rash, blackheads and similar skin diseases will be removed.

For clearing the skin and making it vigorously healthy, always use zemo, the penetrating, antiseptic liquid. It is not a greasy salve and it does not stain. When others fail it is the one dependable treatment for skin troubles of all kinds. The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

POLITICAL ADVERTISING TO THE REPUBLICANS OF WEST VIRGINIA.

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States Senator, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on August the sixth.

Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated. VIRGIL L. HIGHLAND, Clarkburg, W. Va.

FOR U. S. SENATE.

You are authorized to announce that Davis Elkins, of Morgantown, Monongalia county, a candidate for nomination, by the Republican party, for the United States Senate for West Virginia, subject to all the rules of the Republican party, and the laws of the state governing the primary election to be held August, 1918.

ELKINS CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE. J. H. McDERMOTT, Chairman. Morgantown, West Virginia. P. O. drawer 551, Telephone 100.

FOR UNITED STATES SENATE.

You are authorized to announce I am a candidate for nomination by the Republican party, for the United States Senate for West Virginia, subject to all the rules of the Republican party, and the laws of the state governing the primary to be held in August, 1918.

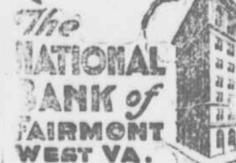
JAS. A. HUGHES, Huntington, W. Va.

Financing Tomorrow on Today's Small Capital.

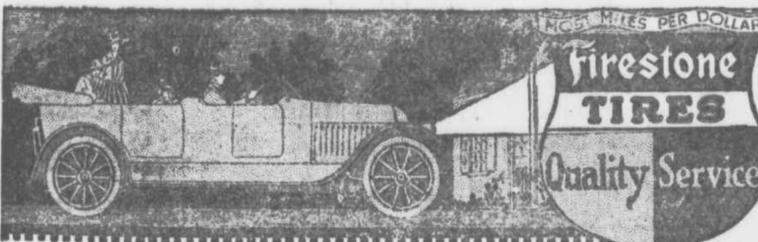
Today your capital may be a weakling that needs to be nursed along carefully. The world refuses to open up its vast store to such a mite. Yet the financing of your tomorrow depends upon how you care for the first hundred dollars.

Patience today means abundance tomorrow.

Let your capital mature on interest in a safe Federal Reserve member bank like the National Bank of Fairmont.



THE NATIONAL BANK OF FAIRMONT WEST VA.



For You Who Drive Big Cars

—we have a message that means still better service, and at lower cost for upkeep, Firestone Cord Tires.

Never before have we had so much to offer in tire value. The Firestone Cords are different, and as much better as they are different.

They are really the economical, satisfactory thing for a car of any weight, but for the hard service of a heavy car they are a necessity in these times of economy.

Their added cost is a fraction of what they save in tire mileage, fuel consumption and car repairs. Any car is more comfortable and handles easier on these tires.

Come in and see how they are constructed. We have a cross section that will interest you.

Fairmont Motor Car Co. Peoples Garage Co.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

ONE CENT A WORD CASH WITH ORDER HELP WANTED-FEMALE WANTED-Laundress. Apply Cook's Hospital. 6-19-18-4024

HELP WANTED-MALE WANTED-Men steady employment. MECHANICS-HELPERS LABORERS. Helmick Foundry Machine Company, 8th street and Belt Line, Fairmont, W. Va.

UNUSUAL opportunity open June 24 for collector and salesman. No limit to age, or salary if energetic. State age and experience if any. Call 1523-J. 6-20-18-4028

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250 VIRGINIA FARMS FOR SALE on easy terms. Special bargains. 700-acre farm, fine old colonial home, near church, school and R. D. at \$29 per acre; 1-3 cash, balance 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years. Write for catalogue, Emmett D. Gregory, Dillwyn, Va. 6-10-18-3997

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FOR SALE-One Flanders 6-cylinder 7-passenger automobile in A-1 condition. All new tires, one extra. Will sell at a bargain. Call 40-R, Fairview. 6-18-18-4027

FOR SALE-Ford cars. Call Fairmont Hospital, C. Baker. 6-19-18-4033

HOUSES FOR RENT FOR RENT-Furnished or unfurnished 4 room cottage; bath and electric lights. Inquire 733 Gaston Ave. 6-19-18-4031

ROOMS WANTED WANTED-Room and board in private family in exchange for services. Apply Box 3955, care West Virginia office. 6-7-18-3956

SPECIAL NOTICES TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Charles L. Whiteman, will on Monday, the 24th day of June, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, at the court house of Marion county, West Virginia, in the city of Fairmont, Marion county, West Virginia, make application to the Circuit Court of Marion county, West Virginia, for a state license to carry a revolver.

My name is Charles L. Whiteman; my occupation is that of paymaster and storekeeper for the Harry B. Coal company, a corporation and I reside at Highland in the county of Marion, West Virginia. Dated on this 13th day of June, 1918. CHARLES L. WHITEMAN.

PROCLAMATIONS MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION. Friday, June 28, 1918, is officially designated WAR SAVINGS DAY by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Governor of this state.

All loyal citizens will gladly take notice hereof and will devote their interest to the War Savings campaign now so auspiciously begun. Fairmont has never been behind in doing its full duty and meeting its whole requirement. Nor will it now but every citizen must at once shoulder his own responsibility in this campaign so that the work will not fall too heavily on the committee. Pash with the usual Fairmont energy, and June 28 will find us again over the top. ANTHONY BOWEN, Mayor.

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N-O-T-I-C-E Coupon bonds of Third Liberty Loan are now ready for delivery. Subscribers who paid in full on or before May 9th, 1918, may call at once and receive their bonds.

Subscribers who have paid initial payment of 5 per cent, are reminded that the second payment of 20 per cent was due and payable May 23th.

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