

Financial

WALL STREET STOCK EXCHANGE REPORTS

Wall Street, 10:30 a. m.—Foreign advices prompted extensive short covering at the opening of today's stock market. High grade oils were particularly strong with independent metals, equipments and motors. In shipping a sharp recovery in Atlantic Gulf was neutralized by the heaviness of Marine Pfd. and American Can. Ralls also lacked a definite trend Union Pacific and New Haven gaining a point each, while most low priced shares were fractionally lower.

Wall street 1:30 p. m.—Renewing their attempts to depress prices the shorts again attacked the sugar group at mid-day, those issues declining 1 to 3 points. Oils, steels and equipments reached about a point from best quotations of the morning and rails also yielded moderately.

Sales approximated 300,000 shares, registered highest prices of the day in the more active dealings of the final hour. The list made irregular gains. The closing was strong.

Sales approximated 60,000 shares. (New York Stock Exchange quotations furnished by Richter & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange).

	Aug. 19, 1920	High	Low	Close
Allis-Chalmers	29 1/2	29 3/4	29 1/2	29 3/4
Am Beet Sugar	73 1/2	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2
Am Can	33	33 1/2	32 3/4	33 1/2
Am Car & Fdy	133	133 1/2	132 3/4	133 1/2
Am H & Leather	13 1/2	13 3/4	13 1/2	13 3/4
Am Loco	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
Am Smelt & Ref	55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Am Sug Ref com	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/2	114 1/2
Am Sumat Tob	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
Am Tel & Tel	96	96 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2
Am Woolen	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
Amacop Copper	51 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2
Atch Top & S F	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
At Gulf & West I	124 1/2	125 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2
Baldwin Loco	105	105 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
Balt & Ohio	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
Barrett Co	135	135 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2
Beth Steel B	73 1/2	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2
Canadian Pac	118 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
Central Leather	53 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Ghi Mil & St P	33	33 1/2	32 3/4	33 1/2
Ghi Rock I & P	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2
Chile Copper	13 1/2	14 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2
Chino Copper	25 1/2	26 1/2	25 1/2	26 1/2
Cons Gas	78	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
Corn Prod Ref	88 1/2	89 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2
Crucible Steel	135 1/2	136 1/2	135 1/2	136 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	37 1/2	38 1/2	37 1/2	38 1/2
Enrico-Johnson	70 1/2	71 1/2	70 1/2	71 1/2
Erie	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	13 1/2
Erie Ist pfd	19	19 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2
Gaston, W & W	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/2	8 3/4
Gen Electric	189 1/2	190 1/2	189 1/2	190 1/2
Gen Motors	21 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	22 1/2
Goodrich (B F) Co	54	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Gt Nor pfd	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Illinois Central	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Ins Copper	45	45 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2
Interboro	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2	3 3/4
Interboro pfd	9	9 1/2	8 1/2	9 1/2
Int Mer Mar	24 1/2	25 1/2	24 1/2	25 1/2
Int Mer Mar pfd	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Int Nickel	19 1/2	20 1/2	19 1/2	20 1/2
Int Paper	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
Kelly Springfield	74	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2
Kennec Copper	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	24 1/2
Lack Steel	66 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2
Max Petroleum	154 1/2	155 1/2	154 1/2	155 1/2
Midvale Steel	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
Missouri Pac	25	25 1/2	24 1/2	25 1/2
Nat Lead	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
New Cons	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4
N Y Air Brake	93	93 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2
N Y Central	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
N Y N H & H R R	33	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2
North American	50	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Northern Pac	73 1/2	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2
Pure Oil	39	39 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2
Pan Am P & T	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Penn R R	40 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
Pittsburgh Coal	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2

Pressed Steel Car	92 1/2	93 1/2	92 1/2
Ray Cons	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2
Reading	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2
Rep I & S	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2
Royal D. N. Y.	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2
Sinclair Oil Ref	26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2
Sloss-S Steel & I	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2
Southern Pac	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/2
Southern Ry	27	27 1/2	27
Studebaker	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2
Texas Co	46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2
Texas & Pac	34	34 1/2	34
Tobacco Prod	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2
Union Pac	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2
United Fruit	186 1/2	187 1/2	186 1/2
United Retail St	66 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2
U S Food Prod	58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/2
U S Indus Alco	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2
U S Rubber Co	85	85 1/2	85
U S Steel	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2
U S Steel pfd	106 1/2	107 1/2	106 1/2
Utah Copper	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2
Willys Overland	16 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2

LOCAL STOCK MARKET QUOTED

	Bid	Asked
Hid Elec Light	128	142
Southern N E Tel	92	96
Am Hardware	134	136
Am Hosiery	105	105
Am Brass	184	190
Bristol Brass	25	28
Billings & Spencer	65	75
Colt's Arms	42	47
Eagle Lock	100	106
L F & C	60	63
N B Machine	40	45
Niles-B-Pond com	88	92
N & J	75	78
Peck, Stew & Wilcox	42	44
Stanley Works	52	55
Standard Screw com	360	370
Scovill Mfg Co	350	400
Traut & Hine	30	36
Union Mfg Co	52	58

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT

New York, Aug. 19.—New York Clearing House statement:

Receives	\$701,553,175
Paid	\$77,581,209

TO TEST VALIDITY

Waterbury Ordinance Restricting Jitneys to Certain Streets Will Not Go Into Effect for Present.

Waterbury, Aug. 19.—At the close of a conference held in the mayor's office today it was announced that no arrests would be made for violation of the city's new jitney ordinance until after a decision on the validity of the ordinance by a judge of the superior court. The ordinance is to be in effect from midnight Friday night and excludes jitneys from streets in which street railway cars operate. Counsel for the jitney men claim the ordinance is unconstitutional and on Monday they will apply for a writ of injunction to Judge Frank Haines at Middletown. Pending final decision on the issue by Judge Haines there will be no arrests for violation of the ordinance. Present at the hearing today were Mayor Sandland, Corporation Counsel U. G. Church, Superintendent Beach of the police department and two lawyers representing the Jitney men's Association.

CIGARS FOR POLICE

John A. Andrews of the J. A. Andrews company today presented a box of cigars to the police department. Early yesterday morning Patrolman Michael Flynn found a large quantity of goods on the rear platform of the building and he notified Mr. Andrews.

OIL SHIPMENT HERE

The board of public works has received a carload of oil today which will be placed on the streets of the city which are in need, at once. Because of the embargo the board has experienced much difficulty in securing oil shipments. In the car are 10,000 gallons of oil.

CITY ITEMS

Smith Business school opens Sept. First.—adv.

The Y. M. H. A. will hold a meeting tonight in its club rooms in Judd's block.

Mrs. George C. Ohlsen was painfully injured yesterday while taking up a rug in her home, when she received a scratch on her right eye. She was attended by Dr. J. H. Potts.

Miss Mabel Silliman of the Visiting Nurse Station is on duty this week at the New Britain Fresh Air camp.

Miss Anna M. O'Connell, graduate of St. Vincent's hospital in Bridgeport, has accepted a position with the local Visiting Nurses as assistant to Miss Fanny Buck in the Infant Welfare department.

Exclusive agents Stetson Shoes. Bess-Leland Co.—adv.

The Corbin Screw corporation took out a building permit this afternoon for alterations to locker-rooms to cost \$10,000. William H. Allen will do the work.

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Miss Cora Beal left today for Bradford, where she will enjoy a week's vacation.

NOT CRIMINALLY NEGLIGENT

Coroner Herman Exonerates Norman Francis—Declares Winded Roads to Be in Unsafe Condition.

Winsted, Conn., Aug. 19.—Coroner Samuel Herman today in a decision held that Norman Francis was not to be held responsible for the death of his wife, Louise, on June 25, when she was thrown from the rear seat of an automobile and killed. Mr. and Mrs. Francis, with another couple were on their way to Norfolk from Chatham, N. Y., when the automobile struck the railroad bridge abutment in Norfolk. Mrs. Francis was hurled against the abutment. Mr. Francis in descending the road to pass under the bridge had run close to the side as another vehicle was approaching.

In exonerating Mr. Francis the coroner says in his finding that the road conditions in that vicinity "are unsafe for public travel to strangers."

SHOOTING VICTIM'S FUNERAL

James Masca, Shot in Springfield, Tuesday, is Buried in New Haven

Today—Many Floral Pieces

New Haven, Aug. 19.—The funeral of James Masca, who was killed in Springfield, Mass., an incident in the feuds which are said to exist among gangs of "whiskey runners" took place today. It was one of the longest ever seen here, the vehicles requiring 15 minutes to pass a given point. Some of the floral pieces were very large in size, one being 12 feet high composed of lilies and orchids.

COOLIDGE PLEASED

Expresses Satisfaction in Tennessee Ratification of Suff. Amendment.

Boston, Aug. 19.—A reversal of the action of Tennessee in ratifying the suffrage amendment would be unfortunate said Governor Coolidge today.

"I am pleased to have the amendment ratified," he said. "I am sure that the vote of the wives and mothers of the nation would be most helpful in determining the issues of the present campaign."

"I hope Tennessee will stand by its action of yesterday. It would be most unfortunate if there should be any change in the result. It seems to be perfectly obvious that such a result is most unlikely to occur."

AMERICAN TEAM IS PILING UP POINTS

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those qualifying. C. E. Jacquith, Chicago A. A. was outclassed.

The Finn Funlos and three Swedes make up the rest of the field for the final.

England beat Holland in the tug of war final today. Holland took second, Belgium third, America fourth and Italy fifth.

Ryan's winning throw was 52.875 metres. The Olympic record is 54.74 metres, established by M. J. McGrath, of the N. Y. A. C. at Stockholm in 1912. C. Lind, Sweden, was second, 48.43; B. Bennett, Chicago A. A. third, 48.23; Svenson, Sweden, fourth, 47.29; McGrath, N. Y. A. C. fifth, 46.67; T. L. Nicholson, England, sixth, 45.70.

McGrath, who had a bad knee, did not throw today but his one toss of yesterday in the qualifying round was sufficient to give him fifth place. Ryan had one throw which was better than the recorded but which was declared foul because he stepped a short distance beyond the circle.

The third heat was won by Luma-tainen, of Finland. C. T. Clibbon, England, was second, Heuet, France, third; Speroni, Italy, fourth, and J. Hutton, England, fifth. The winner's time was 32 minutes 8 2-5 seconds.

R. E. Johnson of Morgan Community, Pittsburgh, was stricken with cramps in the 15th lap and forced to quit. George Cornetta, New York A. C. was lapped and stopped on the 17th lap.

WARSAW REPORTS REDS IN RETREAT

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were not continued yesterday as agreed, owing to the fault of the Polish delegation, according to a message sent from Moscow by George Tchitcherin, soviet foreign minister, to Leo Kamenoff, soviet representative in London.

CLARK AND ROUNDS LEAD

National Roque Tournament Is in Progress in Norwich, Conn., With Large Entry List Today.

Norwich, Aug. 19.—In the national roque tournament at the close of the morning matches today National Champion Eddie Clark of Springfield, Mass., and W. A. Rounds, Cleveland, O., president of the American Roque league, led the first division with five straight wins each. Former national champion C. G. Williams of Washington, D. C., is second with four wins.

In the second division Richard Peal of Norwich, leads with three wins, and Mrs. A. L. Whitney of Portland, Me., is second, with five games won and one lost.

SOPHIE STILL WINNING

Champion Butter-Giving Jersey Cow Takes World's Record for Ninth Time—Now 15 Years of Age.

New York, Aug. 19.—Sophie 19th, nor Hood farm, Lowell, Mass., former champion Jersey cow, has come back at the age of 15 years and six months with a ninth official record that makes her champion butter cow of the world, the American Jersey Cattle club announced here today.

In nine years she is credited with having given 110,918 pounds of milk and 6,353 pounds of butter fat, an average of 12,324 pounds of milk and 706 pounds of butter fat a year.

Sophie 19th now has a clear lead of 693 pounds of butter fat over her nearest competitor, Tilly Alcanta, a Holstein, owned on a southern California farm, it was stated.

PASTOR HAMILTON RESIGNS

Recently Pastor Hamilton resigned from the pastorate of the Bristol Methodist church, his resignation to take effect at the end of the conference year. He received an appointment as pastor of the Methodist and Congregational churches in the twin villages of Marion and Rochester, Mass., with a large increase in salary.

Mr. Hamilton before entering the ministry, was employed as a foreman in one of the departments of the Wallace Barnes Co. His first pastorate was at Staffordville, this state, and from there he went to Wisconsin. Mr. Hamilton was formerly a resident of New Britain.

PLAINVILLE MAN MISSING

James Butler, of Plainville, described as being between 28 and 30 years old, was reported to the local police as missing. He was last seen last Tuesday. Butler has been acting strangely of late.

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Deaths and Funerals

William Farrell. William Farrell, aged 81 years, died at the New Britain General hospital last evening. Death was due to infirmities incident to old age. He is supposed to have been the oldest living Irish resident in New Britain having moved here from across the water over 60 years ago. He was employed at the Cooke farm in Plainville for nearly 50 years and was a familiar figure in New Britain where he became well known as a farmer. Since leaving the farm, he had lived at 182 Hartford avenue. He leaves his wife; one daughter, Mrs. P. J. Hehir; and a brother James, in Ireland. Michael Farrell of Hartford and Joseph Farrell of this city are surviving nephews and Mrs. Timothy Lynch of New Britain, Mrs. J. Glynn of Hartford, and Mrs. C. Dooley of New York are surviving nieces. The funeral will be held Friday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church with burial in St. Mary's new cemetery. Floral tributes are requested by the family to be omitted.

Gustave Westman. The funeral of Gustave Edwin Westman, who died Tuesday morning at the home of his parents on East street, was held this afternoon from his late home and from the Swedish Elm Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. J. E. Klingberg officiated and burial was in Fairview cemetery.

CANNOT INCREASE RATES

New York Railroads Denied Permission to Increase Charge for Passenger Service and Milk Trains.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 19.—The Public Service Commission for the second district today announced it had denied the application of railroads operating within the district for permission to file tariffs putting into effect increased passenger rates on August 26 under authorization of the interstate commerce commission.

The commission acted favorably upon the application relating to freight rates except as to milk and cream, it was stated.

City Meeting Wednesday Will Act On Bond Issue

Mayor Orson F. Curtis signed a call this afternoon for a special city meeting to be held Wednesday evening, August 25, at 8 o'clock in Room 201, City hall. The purpose of the session is to act upon the recommendation of the finance committee for the issuance of \$75,000 in sewer bonds and \$70,000 in subway bonds.

TEAMSTER INJURED

James McGrath of 100 Hart street an employee of the park commissioners, driving a dump cart belonging to the New Britain Ice corporation, was painfully hurt about the arms and legs this afternoon on Church street. While driving his cart out of Corbin Place, a trolley car crashed into it, knocking McGrath from the seat. The horses were somewhat injured.

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