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## Stock Market News

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.  
(Furnished by Johnston and Ward,  
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## TO-DAY'S NEW YORK OPENING.

C.P.R.	147%
American Smelters	74
Baldwin	122%
Anaconda	35%
Cuban Cane Sugar, Pfd.	62%
Great Northern	62%
Kennecott	45%
Marland Oil	33%
Marine Pfd.	38%
Maxwell Motors B.	18%
Rubber 1st Pfd.	38%
Sinclair	15%
Southern Pacific	93%
Studebaker	40%
Stewart Warner	57%
Tobacco Products	65
Union Pacific	138
U. S. Steel	108%
United Rys. Com.	20%

## Montreal Opening.

Abtibi	56%
Can. Steamships Pfd.	49%
Brazilian	51%
Montreal Power	184
Can. Steel	78
National Breweries	57%
B.E.S. 2nd Pfd.	8%
Can. Ind. Alcohol	39%
Shawinigan Power	134%

(From Boston News Bureau, Sept. 24.)

## FISK RUBBER CO.

At Least \$12 A Share Balance for First Preferred This Fiscal Year—Dividend Resumption Possible.  
Boston—Statement of Fisk Rubber Co. for the nine months ended July 31 showing a net profit of \$1,710,000, before taxes, equivalent to \$9.02 a share on the \$18,951,500 first preferred stock, furnishes tangible evidence of the manner in which this concern is being run along in the style during the summer, the July quarter developing a profit of better than 60% of the total for the previous six months. July and August, in point of fact, were the biggest months for branch business in the history of the company.

The result of the conservative production program early in the year was to pull down stocks to the lowest level in years, so that since June the company has had steadily to build up its manufacturing schedules. At present it is operating at practically capacity, or 24,000 tires a day. Next month this figure may drop down to 22,000 and hold around that level until the turn of the year, when 24,000

will be resumed. A capacity program has also been laid out for the first quarter of 1925.

Fisk has been cutting down its loans, and, with a ratio of quick assets to liabilities of 6 to 1, is in prime financial shape. The annual statement will reveal only modest borrowings. With business running as it is and finances so sound, there is an excellent chance of the directors ordering the resumption of preferred dividends, on which accruals Nov. 1 will amount to 24½% before the snow flies.

## COPPER SITUATION ENCOURAGING.

N. Y.—"Europe is most optimistic regarding copper consumption abroad as result of adoption of the Dawes-Young plan," said Joseph Glendening, director of copper sales for Guggenheim Brothers, returning from two months abroad. "Europeans know far better than we their requirements in copper in order to secure equal advantage with others in competing in world's markets and for meeting home needs."

"German industries are well equipped for re-entering world markets. Germany will, however, need considerable copper for domestic improvement as well as for export. France, England, Italy and other European countries must electrify their industries to secure lowest costs."

"European consumers cannot understand our anxiety to sell copper in view of statements to them from this side that consumption is practically on parity with production, which we know to be a fact. The effect is to discredit such statements, destroy confidence in the markets and encourage hand-to-mouth buying. Every country, except Germany, is using copper in increasing quantities. Germany will get its stride just as soon as its cash and credit position is restored, which should be determined one way or the other before long."

"A little less eagerness to sell when buyers have temporarily provided for their requirements, a little more willingness to hold, will surely result in more stable market conditions, and secure for each seller a fair share of going business as better than present prices. It will also place producers in position to get the full benefit of the changed market conditions generally expected in the not distant future."

C. C. C. DANCE—To-morrow night's Dance at C.C.C. Hall, in aid of Band Uniforms. Very interesting Dance Hits. A good time is assured all who attend. Good prizes for Elimination Dance. Admission 50c. and 75c.—Oct 6.11

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## Smallest Fish in the World

Lake Buhl in Luzon, the largest island in the Philippine group, is said to be the habitat of the smallest fish in the world. These fish are only half an inch long when full grown. They belong to the family of gobies, distinguished by a sort of sucking disk used for attaching the fish firmly to stones. These gobies are found in numbers in Lake Buhl and are the object of an important industry. They are caught uncouthly by means of cloth nets, and are not only used in the towns along the shores of the lake but are also shipped for considerable distances. Tabios, or Sinaparan, as they are called in the Bikol language, are eaten fried when freshly caught and are pressed into cakes and dried when the market is over-stocked. A hungry workman literally eats thousands of fish at a meal.

## British Fisheries

During the month of July, 1924, 835,960 cwt. of fish, valued at £200,538, were landed on the coasts of England and Wales, according to advices received by the Bankers Trust Company of New York from its English Information Service. 1,526,841 cwt. of fish, valued at £232,953, were landed on the coast of Scotland. The total value of fish, including shell fish, landed on all British coasts, exclusive of the Irish Free State, in July, 1924, amounted to \$1,351,547, comparing with a valuation of £1,487,169 for fish landed during the corresponding month of 1923.

MINARD'S LINTRETT FOR HEAD-AGE 23.

## In My Garden

## VIOLETS FOR WINTER.

Frame culture of selected violets to supply blooms during the winter is extending, and is now a part of the regular routine of flower growing in large numbers of small gardens where the scope for raising winter blooms is extremely modest.

Beautiful single violets are produced in small quantities by some people even without a frame, for they prepare a patch of sheltered soil, build it around with bricks, and place on the latter a glass covering on the lines of a frame light when the cold weather comes. Parma violets are not so hardy as the singles and their culture in this way is precarious.

Good Foundation Soil.  
But, of course, a frame is better in any case, but one that has grown cucumbers successfully is particularly useful, and the foundation soil is there already and needs only to be forked over and have an addition of mixed loam and leaf soil with a little coarse sand sufficient to bring the bed's surface nearer the light.

The latter is important, because when the plants are put into the frame they should come as near the light as possible, leaving room so that they can grow without ultimately touching the glass.

If a bed is to be made up the soil should be light and rich, containing a good proportion of old, rotted manure. It should be made quite firm and then left for a few days before the violets are transferred to it from the plots in the open where they have grown on during the summer. It goes without saying that the frame should be placed in a warm, sunny position.

About the third week of this month double violets should be put into the frames and the single sorts two weeks later. In preparation for transference each plant to be lifted should be cut round with the spade, and watered (if necessary) and left for a few days. Cut sufficiently widely round the plants to ensure each one being lifted with a large ball of soil.

At the same time clean the lights and sides of the frame, and make in the soil within it large holes corresponding in size with the cut around the plants outside. These holes should be so arranged that when planted the violets stand a few inches clear of each other.

## Points On Planting.

At lifting time the plants should be taken carefully with the large ball of earth surrounding them and placed in the holes made ready. The soil in the frame should be nicely moist. A good watering the day before will be necessary if it be dry. Plant so that the crowns rest at the surface level in a perfectly natural way, just as they were in the open bed, and press the soil as firm as possible around them.

A slight watering through a fine hose should follow, and then in the case of Parma violets it is well to adjust the lights, though never forgetting that with these as will all other violets plenty of fresh air is desirable at all times when there is no fear of frost. It is a essential of successful violet culture.

The single violets are treated similarly, and they can be left quite uncovered until the arrival of frost. When really severe weather comes the lights should not only be shut right down, but also the precaution of laying mats over them will be necessary. Parma violets in frames are often helped through frosty weather by banking warm manure around the frames, renewing the manure now and again to maintain the added warmth thus given.

All through the winter the importance of fresh air whenever it is possible to give it must be borne in mind. Decayed leaves and any runners that appear should be snipped off and taken away, and occasionally the surface should be stirred with a small fork in order to prevent the formation of green mould.

Necessary Attention.  
Watering will not give much trouble. Little moisture should be required, but when it is given it should be early in the morning of a sunny day, and be applied overhead through a fine rose can. When the blooms come, pick them freely, and in the height of the flowering period it will help the plants if an occasional dose of weak liquid fertilizer be given them. But this must be applied direct to the soil around the roots, and the soil must be moistened just previously. Do not let fertilizer flow on to the plants themselves.

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## A Plague of 'Hoppers.

Tanganyika Territory, in Africa, is afflicted with a plague of hippopotami, these giant animals having multiplied so greatly of late that there are now thousands by the Rufiji River.

They leave the water at night, and even by day sometimes, ravaging the native grain plantations, trampling down and destroying far more than they eat. So serious has the pest become that the authorities are encouraging sportsmen to thin out the animals.

The hippopotamus as seen in a zoo is a heavy, slow-moving animal, but in its native haunts it is far from being unwieldy. It has been described as "agile as a minnow" when in the water, and a dangerous animal to anger.

The great creatures lie about in the river, which is full of shifting sandbanks, and herds of from fifty to a hundred are seen at almost every bend. They splash and snort and play, but directly they see the sportsman's boat they sink and leave nothing to indicate their presence but the tips of their ears and nostrils.

They walk on the bottom of the river, often with every part of the body covered, but they must come up at intervals for air. They can swim quite rapidly when totally submerged.

If a hippopotamus is annoyed or irritated it may charge a canoe and bite it in two, and sportsmen thrown into the waters of the Rufiji River would stand little chance of escape, for plenty of crocodiles are always lurking

## Silent Aeroplanes

## GERMAN TESTS.

German scientists are attempting to nullify the sound-locators of any air-defence scheme by making raiding aeroplanes silent.

An aeroplane which makes practically no noise as it moves high through the sky is becoming a much more feasible proposition to-day than it has been hitherto.

The whirling propellers of an aeroplane make an appreciable amount of noise, in addition to that of the motor, and the Germans are said to be reducing the length of propeller blades and experimenting with new air-screws having a number of fairly small blades instead of, say, two large ones.

Squadrons of silent aeroplane raiders baffling the new and improved listening machines, would add grave difficulties to the problem of air defence.

## Balloon to Pull a Train

Balloon power is to be used on a unique railroad in Bavaria to haul cars to the summit of a mountain peak.

The big bag fastened to a small passenger car, is sixty-six feet in diameter and has a lifting power of 10,500 pounds. The car will run on a single T-shaped rail which is anchored to the ground.

By allowing 3,300 pounds for passengers and crew 4,200 pounds for the balloon, ropes and car, a margin of 2,640 pounds is left in favor of the gas-bag "engine" so that it will not be stalled on the upward climb. In descending, gravity is the only force required and water ballast provides the necessary extra weight to make the down grade.

To-morrow night's Dance at the C.C.C. Hall (King's Beach). Follow the crowd and have the time of your life. Music by C.C. Orchestra. Admission 50c. and 75c.—Oct 6.11

## From Cape Race

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day.  
Wind northwest, fresh, weather fine; the steamers Lusitania passed west, Tiplon east, Watika and a three masted schooner passed in yesterday; several schooners passed in this a.m. Bar, 30.08, Ther, 64.

## Wasting Money in Russia

Dr. A. Veach, an American oil expert, who returned to New York in the White Star liner Majestic, recently, after flying from Moscow, told a Daily Mail reporter that the Russians would only abuse the loan if it was granted to them.

Textile and oil industries had decayed under Soviet ownership. Large sums of money have been squandered in both these industries that could never be recovered.

Any money received would only be squandered in an effort to recover the money already lost through the bad management of the country by a system that could never succeed. Good money would therefore be thrown after bad.

## McMurdo's Store News

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