

PRICES MIXED AS WALL STREET OPENS TODAY

Gain in Clearing House Reserves Causes Buying in Speculative Issues

STRONGER TONE IN MONTREAL MARKET

Several Leading Stock Issues Register Substantial Advances

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Mixed price movements marked the resumption of stock trading today, with buying of several speculative issues influenced by the larger gain in reserves recorded by the clearing house banks last week.

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Southern Railway opened a point or more higher, while short covering accounted for an initial gain of two points in Hudson Motors. Marland Oil reacted a point.

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MONTREAL, Jan. 18.—The stronger tone that developed Saturday on the local market was more pronounced when trading resumed this morning, several leaders registering substantial advances. Brazilian and Canadian Car preferred led in activity and both were stronger, the former rising 5-8 to 82-84, and the latter 1-1/2 to 1-1/2.

NEW YORK MARKET

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Current Events

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Allis Chalmers net profit \$2,841,123 after federal tax for 11 months ended Nov. 30.

Brokers Opinions

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Hornblower—"There is nothing in the situation that calls for anything more than a cautious reactionary period."

Morning Stock Letter

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A few stocks rallied strongly Saturday, most rallied weakly and a few closed right at the low. One encouraging feature, however, was that the market had its decline before the close of the day.

LIVINGSTON & CO.

OVER-ZEALOUS WORKMAN DIES

PONTIPOOL, Jan. 16.—Over-zealousness led to the death of a Pontonpool collier named Gwladin. It was stated that although it was a pit-prop, he removed a pit-prop that had to be taken away, and a fall of roof buried him.

\$7,500 FOR DANCER'S LEGS

PARIS, Jan. 18.—A Paris court has decided that the legs of a dancer are worth at least \$7,500. The dancer was Mlle. Jeanne Laugier, a star of the Paris Opera who was injured in a railway accident in 1920.

FINDS HORSE AND SLED

Police Constable Corey, at 8.15 on Saturday night, found a horse and sled on the corner of Britain and Sydney street and in the end in Edward Hogan's stable on Waterloo street.

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GOSSIP ABOUT PRINCE RECALLS LATE KING TALE

Edward VII. Fell in Love With Alexandra on Seeing Her Picture

TAX ON BETTING IS TALKED IN ENGLAND

London Letter Deals With Timely Topics in Metropolis

Correspondence of Times-Star LONDON, Dec. 31.—There must have been crumpled roses in St. James' Palace when H. R. H. saw how one of our newspapers boomed the coming visit of royalty from Stockholm.

THE CANAL ROUTE Ismailia, where a mooring-mast on the air route to India is being constructed, stands on Lake Timahor, Crocodile lake, the upper of the two great sheets of salt water through which the Suez Canal runs, and is reputed to be the pleasant station in Egypt. Before the war, ships from or for the Far East would land passengers here for an overland journey to Cairo.

WINSTON'S CHANCE The deputation urging upon the Government the taxation of betting is not quite such a desperate hope as most people assume. About Mr. Churchill's desperate need for revenue, for his next budget there is no question whatever.

RED TERROR IN THE AIR Though hitherto not one word has reached the outside public on the subject, Moscow's red terror is a reality, and among other continental experts besides our own a profound concern.

DEADLY DEVELOPMENT This cynical view may appear to be based on fantastic promises, but its existence is in itself noteworthy, as is also the quiet energy of Moscow in building up a military air equipment.

POST OFFICE AND CHRISTMAS I learn some interesting facts about Christmas operations of the post office. The most important is that the public still refuse to post their Christmas letters and parcels well ahead of the day.

Many Pay To See \$250,000,000 Crown Jewels of Russia

MOSCOW, Jan. 17.—Russian workers and peasants are flocking by the scores of thousands to enjoy the dazzling splendor of the crown jewels of the Romanoffs, now the property of the Communist Republic.

PEOPLE WIRING UP The number of homes in the United States that are wired for electrical energy has been doubled in the last four years.

EAR STITCHED ON LONDON, Jan. 18.—One of the house surgeons at the West London Hospital in an operation replaced a man's ear, which was almost severed from the head as a result of an automobile accident. It was stitched on and when healed the marks will be hardly noticeable.

ROADS MADE FROM TIRES Discarded automobile truck tires, shredded and melted, are being used to make rubber roads in Broadford, England. A secret solvent is added to the bits of rubber and the whole is poured into a mold nearly three inches thick over the concrete surface.

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SHE WON'T RIDE IN AN AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. James Parmelee, prominent society leader, is up in arms over a recent Washington ordinance barring horse-drawn vehicles from certain streets, including the street she lives on.

Carrying Alleged Forged Passports; Are Detained

WHEN the Canadian Pacific steamship Montclair arrived here last week there were three passengers on board who failed to evade the watchful eyes of the United States immigration officials.

GLoucester, Mass., Jan. 17

The schooner Columbia, originally built at a cost of \$85,000 to meet the Canadian fishing champion, the Bluenose, of Lunenburg, N. S., fetched \$10,100 at an auction to meet a mortgage.

Indians Plan Dance To Dispel Ghosts

SEATTLE, Jan. 18.—To exhort the Great Spirit to call off "ghosts" which recently have been bringing death to Indians of the Tappan Reservation, thirty miles north of here, the Indian medicine men have decided on an old-time tribal Tamananawis dance on Jan. 22.

Missouri Prisoners Vainly Ride Ice Cake

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 18.—Floating down the Missouri River on a cake of ice, two convicts attempted to escape after climbing over the wall of the Missouri penitentiary here.

Britain Wants Air Contest Deferred

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Great Britain will probably ask for a postponement of this year's Schneider Seaplane Race, which is fixed for Oct. 24, according to aviation circles.

Mae Murray Denies Marriage Plans

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Mae Murray and Rudolph Valentino are just "little sister" and "big brother" to one another, and are not planning to marry when Rudolph's wife gets the divorce now pending in Paris, Miss Murray asserted when she arrived from abroad on the Majestic.

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MONTEAL MAN, MISSING, FOUND

Disappeared in August, 1923—Discovered Walking in Sherbrooke Street

Amnesia Victim; Was Hurt in Railway Crash Three Years Ago

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—Lost since August 1923, with the sole clue furnished in March 1924 when his abandoned motor car was fished from the Lachine Canal, Leslie Grant has been found, a victim of amnesia, but taking what was his favorite walk along Sherbrooke street to Montreal West.

The circumstances of the finding were dramatic. On Wednesday night Grant was seen by a friend of the family taking a stroll along that thoroughfare and the latter immediately informed Alec Grant, a brother. On Thursday night, Alec Grant combed the Notre Dame de Grace highway for an hour and a half and then came face to face with his missing brother.

"He told me that he was from Ontario," said Alec Grant tonight describing the meeting, "where he is engaged in contracting. He said he had been in a railway accident three years ago, and that he remembered nothing prior to that. When I asked him how it was that he was in Montreal, he replied, 'I don't know.'"

GLUES FOUND IN EFFECTS. The two went to an hotel and there Alec Grant found among the other man's personal belongings some things which he recognized as being similar to those that had been possessed by his missing brother. He also identified some handwriting which he had seen on this examined and identified by an expert. Other investigations included examination of scars and altogether the result of the enquiries satisfied him that the man was Leslie Grant.

"He is entirely without memory as to happenings prior to the time he went to Ontario. He does not know us and only knows that he is at home because we have told him. He is leaving Ontario at once to return to the Ontario town where he has been working since his disappearance," said Alec Grant.

N. S. APPLE EXPORTS LARGEST IN EMPIRE

Yield Has Almost Tripled Since Before War—Producing Area Congested

HALIFAX, Jan. 17.—The export of apples from Nova Scotia is much greater than the combined apple export of the rest of the British Empire, according to Albert E. McMahon, manager of the United Fruit Company, in a recent article. In 1924, writes Mr. McMahon, the export of Nova Scotia apples exceeded by 400,000 barrels the export of apples from all the other producing sections of the British Empire. He points out also that the apple production in Nova Scotia has almost tripled since the years before the war. At that time the ordinary crop was 700,000 barrels. During the last six years the average annual production has been 1,700,000 barrels.

Nova Scotia has the most congested apple growing area in the world, according to Mr. McMahon. The entire production of this enormous crop is almost wholly confined to a stretch of country about ninety miles long and varying from three to twelve miles wide, constituting the Annapolis and Cornwallis valleys.

PARTIAL FAILURE. Occasionally the apple crop in Nova Scotia is a partial failure, and 1925 is no exception. During the year the climatic conditions were probably the worst ever experienced, says Mr. McMahon. Continuous periods of wet weather in spring and summer were conducive to orchard diseases that could not be successfully combated with the known methods, and this, coupled with low temperatures and lack of sunshine in the late summer and autumn, resulted in a greatly inferior crop. Such conditions have been rare in history and may not occur again in many years.

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The authorities decided that the old oaks, while picturesque, were useless and occupied altogether too much space for practical purposes. Canadian foresters are to have charges of the reforestation. The 1926 programme of the Government Forestry Department in addition embraces the laying out of more than 15,000 acres in England and Wales. Spruce, fir and cedar seeds have been brought from Canada and at Bedford Marsh will be created Britain's largest forest since the days of the Conqueror.

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