

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Chino-Japanese Situation Looms Large on the Financial Horizon During Session.

SEVERE REVERSAL OF PRICES

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Chino-Japanese situation looked large on the financial horizon today and resulted in another severe reversal of market prices, the second of the week. Net losses in the speculative favorites ran from two to four points, while "near specialists" suffered in greater degree.

The effect of today's sellings, which savored more than a little of urgent liquidation, was to reduce by one-half some of the more extensive gains of the past six weeks. Today's weakness came after an early period of inactivity and irregularity, in which the only striking features were strengthening of Bethlehem steel and Amalgamated copper, for which there were well defined reasons and the weakness of Reading and some other high grade industrial shares, which lacked explanation.

Local traders helped the declining tendency by the fresh commitments for the short account. The ease with which the market yielded was proof of its technical weakness on the constructive side.

From the advices from the orient much of the day was taken up with the import. Trade authorities stated that the steel industry showed confidence and a large order for rails being shipped to Russia was accepted as a forerunner of other foreign orders.

Total sales of stocks amounted to 312,000 shares. Bonds were heavy, with few selling of various speculative issues. Total sales par value aggregated \$4,522,000.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Alaska Gold, Amalgamated Copper, American Steel, etc.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET. NEW YORK, May 5.—PRIME MERCANTILE 144 DAYS, 6 1/2 per cent. REBILING EXCHANGE—100 day, 6 1/2 per cent.

WEST GETTING HIGHEST PRICE IN YEARS FOR WOOL. The three roads tapping the sheep raising country of the west, the Northwest, Burlington and Union Pacific, have begun moving the wool clip to the east.

PERSIAN VICTORY CONSOLES RUSSIA

Slavs Win Battle Against Turks, but This Small Cheer in View of Galicia Defeat.

GERMANS GAIN IN THE WEST

LONDON, May 5.—The Russians have had at least partial revenge for the defeat inflicted upon them in western Galicia by the Austrians and Germans, by badly beating the Turks, who had invaded Persia.

The defeat took place in a three days' battle near the frontier, and Petrograd reports that the Russians inflicted heavy losses on the Ottomans. If the success of the Muscovites has been followed up, military observers declare that Persia now should be free of its uninvited guests.

This battle, however, was a small affair when compared with what Germany and Austria claim they have done to the Russians in Galicia. Their reports tonight state that some 30,000 Russians were captured and that a large number of guns were taken.

No Mention of Towns. There is no mention, however, of any towns, such as Gorlice and Tarnow, which were close to the front, being captured, which leads the British military critics to the conclusion that while the German allies have won important local successes, they have not driven the Russians very far back.

In Belgium, thus far the fighting has been confined to the Ypres region, where the Germans claim to have captured some villages which the British say they evacuated in the process of readjusting their line.

The rumors concerning the operations against the Dardanelles were confirmed tonight when the British war office and admiralty issued reports stating that after beating off Turkish attacks, the allied forces had taken the offensive on the Gallipoli peninsula and now were advancing into the interior.

The result of the German submarine warfare today was the sinking of the steamer Minterne and two trawlers. Apartments, flats, houses and cottages can be rent cheaply and by a "For Rent" ad.

Bank Clearings. OMAHA, May 5.—Bank clearings for Omaha today were \$6,627,763.13, and for the corresponding day last year \$1,074,002.12.

TURNED DOWN BY NAVY. IOWA MAN JOINS ARMY. James E. Clarke of Le Mars, Ia., was so anxious to enter Uncle Sam's military service that when he was turned down by the naval recruiting officers, because of a minor physical defect, he applied at army headquarters and was accepted.

Ladies' Prettiest Mile Golfers Hold Their Annual Social

Members of the Ladies' Prettiest Mile Golf club entertained their husbands at the annual social meeting, last night at the home of Mrs. Fred M. Crane, 314 Florence boulevard. About 150 were present.

The Ladies' Prettiest Mile club plays on the links of Miller park and holds meetings on the first Tuesday in each month. This year the big event of the season will be a contest with the Prettiest Mile Golf club, an organization consisting of men. The men will, of course, allow the women handicaps, and the reward will be a banquet which the losers will provide for the victors.

Grimes Dies After Casting His Ballot

J. W. Grimes, 2121 Burdette street, died at his home Tuesday morning, immediately after returning home from the polls. Mr. Grimes was 61 years of age and a personal friend of Mayor Dahlman.

Mr. Grimes had been ailing for about two months and his death is supposed to have resulted from a suffocating spell, to which he had been subjected for some time. He was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic and had served under General Custer.

EXAMINER BELL IS HERE FOR FREIGHT RATE HEARING

Examiner George T. Bell of the Interstate Commerce commission arrived in Omaha Tuesday to hold a two days' hearing on certain freight rate matters at the Federal building. Wednesday he is to hear testimony in the wind-up of the old yellow pine rate case, in which certain lumber dealers are still seeking reparation for overcharges in freight rates.

ED HOWELL IS GAINING STRENGTH IN HOSPITAL

Ed E. Howell, who underwent an operation for gall stones at the Presbyterian hospital, was reported last night to be gaining strength, although not yet out of danger.

Dr. Cook Will Try to Climb Mount Everest

CHICAGO, May 5.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook announced today that he will attempt to climb Mount Everest in the Himalayas, the highest mountain in the world, this summer. He will sail from San Francisco with a party of twelve persons on May 27, he stated, and expects to reach Nepal in northern India, in July. The expedition, he said, will require seven months.

POSTAL CLERKS EAT THE PRETZELS THEMSELVES

Postal clerks have been eating quantities of pretzels lately, but the fact is said to have nothing to do with the advent of hook beer, for abstinence is a requisite of all employees of the post-office. After L. S. Mole, clerk in charge of the information bureau, had been sufficiently urged, he explained that the supply of pretzels had been given the clerks by a South Dakota man, after the latter had mailed them to a person in Omaha and the package could not be delivered.

Boy or Girl? Great Question!



This brings to many minds an old and tried family remedy—an external application known as "Mother's Friend." During the period of expectancy it is applied to the abdominal muscles and is designed to soothe the intricate network of nerves involved. In this manner it has such a splendid influence as to justify its use in all cases of coming motherhood. It has been generally recommended for years and years and those who have used it speak in highest praise of the immense relief it affords.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have. Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-known Ohio Physician.

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 12 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During those years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, you will know them by their olive color.

Thousands of women, as well as men, take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel—30c and 50c per box. All druggists. The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

HAYDEN'S LADIES' CHAMOISETTE GLOVES, to 75c values, in white and two-toned, back strap effects, big special purchase, choice, pair 25c. Smart Waists AND BLOUSES OF ALL TYPES GREATLY UNDERPRICED THURSDAY.

A Multitude of Charming Designs at Surprising Little Prices. Stylish new designs for every type of figure—full or slender, variety in its widest scope, authentic distinction in every graceful line—the entire purchase divided into three big lots for Thursday's sale, every one a splendid bargain.

Novelty Emb'dered Flouncings at About Half. Another big lot of choice Embroideries from the Receivers' Sale. Importers' Sample Pieces of Highest Grade Novelties. Just the thing for graduation gowns, bridal gowns, party dresses, etc., distinctive designs with very few duplicates. See them.

Big Special Grocery Sale for Thursday and Friday. Quality Goods and a Saving of 25 per cent to 50 per cent. 16-lb. best Granulated Sugar \$1.00. 4-lb. sack best high grade Diamond H Flour...

Auction! -- Auction! \$25,000 Jewelry Stock. Remember this is a CASH RAISING Jewelry Sale and our object is to give to the people the benefit by letting them buy at really their own price this fine line of High Grade Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, etc. All goods warranted as represented. Sale Starts Thursday, 2 P. M.

THE OLD RELIABLE Mezz Beer. Bee readers are too intelligent to overlook the opportunities in the "Want ad" columns. They're worth while reading.

OUR ANNUAL MAY SALE of MUSLINWEAR STARTS SATURDAY J.L. BRANDEIS & SONS

What Will My Automobile Parts Cost? How Are They Built? The above questions, vital to every purchaser of an automobile, are thoroughly answered in the window display of the Francis-Cullis Auto Company, at 2024 Farnam Street.