Issues Boosted to Banner Prices on Stock Market

Railroad Average Elevated to Highest Level in Eight Years — Steel Continues to Rise.

New York, Jan. 9.—Speculation in stocks was resumed on a large scale today when three score issues, including a number of standard industrials and railroad shares, were lifted to their highest prices in a year or more and total sales fell just short of 2,000,000 shares. The general railroad average was elevated to the highest level in eight years.

Continuance of easy money rates, a further rise in sterling exchange and reports of steady improvement in several lines of trade inspired a revival of pool operations in several specialties which were given added impetus by the growing investment demand for high-grade issues. Net gains of 1 to 3 points were common, with nearly a score issues showing advances of 3 to 7 points at the close.

U. S. Steel Advances.

U. S. Steel common, which was in brisk demand at the close of Thursday's market, opened with a sale of 6,000 shares at the spread day opening price of 124-124 3-8. It later moved up to 124 1-2, the highest price since 1917, when it crossed 136. Baldwin touched 136 1-2, the highest price in two years, and then slipped back to 135 3-4, where it was up 2 3-8 points on the day.

Among the many other industrial issues to reach their highest prices in a long time were Adams Express, Sears-Roebuck, Montgomery Ward, Invincible Oil, Louisiana Oil, Nash Motors, White Motors, Fisher Body, Famous Players, Coco Cola, Savage Arms and Certainteed products, the gains running as high as 5 1-2 points.

Rails Continue Upward.

The upward movement in rails was more uniform. Southern Pacific was lifted more than 2 points above 108 in anticipation of an early increase in the dividend rate. Denver & Rio Grande Western preferred, which also is expected to be in line for favorable dividend action this year, added another 5 points to its price by touching 54. "Nickel Plate" common also advanced 5 points, touching a new top at 130. Good buying also took place in Rock Island, Lehigh Valley, Baltimore & Ohio preferred and Western Pacific preferred, which closed from 2 to 3 1-2 points higher.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Before you boast be sure you know
That you have got the fish to show.
—Old Mother Nature.

A Fish Disappears.

At the place where the big brook, down which Little Joe Otter and his family had traveled, enters the Big River the latter never freezes over. Little Joe Otter knew this. You see he had been there before more than once. He knew that there was good fishing there, and that if no trapper discovered them they would not be disturbed. No men lived near that part of the Big River. There was green forest on both banks. There were snug, dry, hiding places, and Little Joe knew them all. They would stay there until spring and then work down the Big River and so return to Laughing Brook from which they had started.

The young Otters liked this place. They soon had a fine slippery slide on which to play when they were not sleeping or fishing. It was fun to explore under the ice along the banks of the Big River. It was fun to catch a fish and climb out on the ice to eat it. There was nothing to worry about. There were no enemies about. By day as well as by night they felt perfectly safe.

One day the young Otter, who had lost his toe, caught an extra big fish. It was the biggest fish he had ever caught. He was very proud of it as he climbed out on the ice. Now he had caught that fish more for the fun of catching it than because he was hungry. The fact is, he wasn't hungry. Fish were plentiful, and he had already eaten about all he could. So he merely took a couple of bites from what he considered was the best part—just back of the head. Then he saw his sister over on the slippery slide, and went over to join her, leaving the big fish on the ice. He wanted to tell her about that big fish. He wanted to boast a little. He was sure that it was a bigger fish than she had ever caught. So when he got over to the slippery slide he at once began to boast. His sister stood it as long as she could. Then she declared that she didn't believe he had such a wonderful fish.

"Come on over and I'll show it to twice as big as any fish you've ever caught."

"I don't believe it," declared his sister. "I'll have to see it before I'll believe it."

"All right, come on!" cried her brother, and down the slippery slide he glided into the water. Flat on her stomach behind him went his sister. Together they climbed out on the ice where the big fish had been left.

"Here it"——began the young Otter, and stopped abruptly.

"Well where is it?" demanded his sister.

Her brother simply stared all about him with such a foolish look on his

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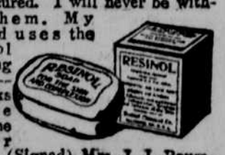
face. There was no fish there! What could mave become of it? He knew that he had killed it and so it couldn't possibly have flopped back into the water. He ran all around with his nose on the ice, but there was no scent of Reddy Fox or of any one else.

"I don't believe you caught a big fish," declared his sister. "You must have dreamed it. If you caught it where is it?"

The next story: "The Living Heap of Snow."

After months of suffering
Baby's skin trouble healed in one week

South Hills, Pittsburg, Pa., March 22:—"I certainly bless the day I started to use Resinol Soap and Ointment. I tried for four or five months to cure my baby of a skin and scalp trouble—tried nearly everything—but nothing did any good. Finally, a neighbor recommended Resinol and after using the soap and ointment on baby for three days, all the scabs fell off and in one week's time the trouble was entirely cured. I will never be without them. My husband uses the Resinol Shaving Stick—he thinks it's the best he ever used." (Signed) Mrs. J. J. Baumgarten, Box #50—R. D. #9.



Silver Jubilee Motor Show Most Successful Ever Held, Makers Say

Trend Toward Coaches, Motion Toward Eight-in-Line Motor and Improvement in Body Finishes Are Outstanding Developments This Year.

By ROY C. HAYES,
Universal Service Automobile Editor.

New York, Jan. 9.—Motordom's silver jubilee motor show goes into history Saturday night with the close of the great exhibition in the 258th field artillery armory in the Bronx.

Basing their opinion on orders placed by dealers for late winter and spring deliveries, motor car makers declare that this year's show was easily the most successful ever held. Projected sales for the year will approach, if not surpass, those of 1924, the second greatest year on record, according to best opinion.

The show offered three outstanding developments—the trend toward coaches, 14 of which were shown; the motion toward the eight-in-line motor, 10 representatives of which were displayed, and a vast improvement in paint jobs and body finishes.

Prices are the lowest on record, a tribute to engineering and production methods which have enabled the manufacturer, year by year, to shave something off the cost.

MUSICIANS HEARD BY LUNCHEON CLUB

Misses Marguerite and Othelia Kinder favored members of the Continental club at Friday luncheon in Hotel Fontenelle with a program of vocal and piano numbers.

The musicians were presented by L. M. Holliday, chairman of the January program group.

The opening of an attendance contest by teams led by Homer V. Knouse and Oliver C. Smith, resulted in the Smith team winning the first lap by one point.

L. C. Oberlies, member of the state board of control, will speak to the club on Friday, January 23.

DETECTIVE HURT BY OWN REVOLVER

William Davis, police detective, heerafter will take the shells from his .38 caliber revolver when he cleans it.

Late Friday afternoon, Davis received a flesh wound on the small finger of his right left hand when the revolver accidently discharged as he "broke it."

Davis had his injuries attended to by a police surgeon.

Charles Gardner Speaks at Banquet in Falls City

Falls City, Jan. 9.—E. E. James, one of the leading poultry shippers of the middle west, was installed as president of the Falls City Chamber of Commerce at the annual banquet of that organization held in the dining room of the Presbyterian church. R. A. Neitzel was installed as vice president and W. L. Redwood as treasurer.

Charles Gardner, Omaha, secretary of Ak-Sar-Ben, delivered the principal address.

Bishop Shayler to Hold Mission at Falls City

Falls City, Jan. 9.—Rt. Rev. E. V. Shayler, bishop of the Episcopal church of Nebraska, will conduct an eight-day preaching mission at the St. Thomas Episcopal church here, beginning Sunday. Every afternoon, except Saturday, during his stay he will conduct classes in personal religion at the various homes of parishioners.

Columbus Limits Extended.

Columbus, Jan. 9.—Three new additions, comprising 55 acres, were taken into the city of Columbus by the city council through the passage of an ordinance requested because of the city's constant growth and occupancy of almost all available lots in the city by homes and business houses.

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STOMACH UPSET?

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That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are attacking the real cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing the natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

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Trouble Caused by Getting Up Too Soon. Relieved by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Women can depend upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve them from ills peculiar to their sex. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Coolidge Takes Stand Against Gun Elevation

President Fears Such Move Would Be Opening Wedge to Overturn All Arms Limitation.

By Universal Service.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—President Coolidge finally and flat-footedly made known today that under no circumstances would he agree to elevation of the turret guns of America's battleships.

Would Veto Measure.

His immovable opposition to elevation, it was officially stated at the White House, is based upon the fear that such a move would be the entering wedge of a lever which would finally overturn the whole idea of arms limitation.

The emphatic nature of the White House declarations leaves virtually no doubt that even should congress, now or later, heed the pleas of navy officers and experts for the sorely needed gun elevation and appropriate the sums needed, the president would veto any measure containing them.

Plans Abandoned.

Word of the president's decision coming to members of the house committee on naval affairs caused the precipitate abandonment of all plans for putting the sea forces of the United States on a true parity with those of England. The battle fleet will remain outranged and outspeeded.

Representative Britten of Illinois, house leader in the fight for modernization of the navy reluctantly announced he would not press his demands for new legislation at the present time. He promised, however, that he would do everything in his power during the next session of congress to bring about an elevation.

Columbus Park Board Appointed by Mayor

Columbus, Jan. 9.—L. F. Rector, general agent of the Burlington; Howard Clark, cashier of the Columbus State bank, and L. F. Phillips, retired merchant, have been appointed first board of park commissioners by Mayor Julius Nichols. The commission's first duty will be to assume charge of preparing for public use the largest and most newly purchased of the four parks here, the one reserved for general public service on the banks of the Loup.

Gothenburg Editor Ill.

Gothenburg, Jan. 9.—C. W. Botkin, editor of the Gothenburg Independent, is confined to his home with a nervous breakdown. The Gothenburg Times is aiding in printing his paper until he is able to resume his duties.

Visitors to Organized Agriculture Go Home to Turn Theory Into Practice

Discussion of Rural Schools Concludes 1925 Program; J. D. Ream of Broken Bow Outlines Progress During Last 12 Months.

C. H. Blakely,
Farm Editor of The Omaha Bee.

Lincoln, Jan. 9.—The successful session of "organized agriculture" which was brought to a close today ends the work so far as the program committee here is concerned. But it's only the beginning of the real work accomplished by the state college. Going to their several homes the delegates have yet another task. The county agents who were here to represent the many local farm bureau organizations of the various counties, have a duty which is pleasant, but difficult. They must carry home the ideas gained and get them into action upon the farms.

The representatives from breed associations, livestock societies, boys and girls club workers, women's clubs, business men's organizations and the many other agents who were present this week for the expressed purpose of developing a bigger and more comprehensive program of agriculture for 1925 will go back to do the things which they have resolved to do.

Pioneer Talks.

Friday's program held the interest right up to the closing number. The principal part of Friday's work was devoted to Rural School Patrons association. A number of itneresting subjects were discussed from the angle of how to make the rural schools better.

J. D. Reams from Broken Bow gave a talk upon "The Progress of the Year." Mr. Reams is one of the pioneer farmers of Nebraska. He has done a great deal toward making Nebraska a good state in which to live. Yet he is not retiring and going to California. His face is lined with the wrinkles which are caused by exposure to wind and weather. Time has turned his hair to silver, but like a real pioneer he keeps himself fit and ready to carry on the work of building an empire. His remarks were timely and to the point. He is perhaps the one man who was at the conference who was best suited to tell of progress. He made his start in a sod house near Broken Bow. Today his modern establishment is one of the very finest in the state.

Banquet Held.

Consolidation was discussed by Frank Weaver from Waverly, Neb., J. J. Hedges from Walton, Mrs. Charles Jacobson of Eagle and W. D. Lindscott of Filly.

The banquet, which was held last night in the dining room of the Hotel Lincoln, was well attended There was an attendance of 252, and many could not find room at the tables. The evening was taken up by a good fellow session under the auspices of the livestock breeders of the state. The program follows:

Toastmaster, S. R. McKelvie, Lincoln
"Blue Milk and Spotted Cows"....C. L. Burlingham, Brandon, Vt.
"An Egg a Day Keeps the Doctor Away"..N. E. Chapman, St. Paul, Minn.
"A Song or Two"..Mrs. Altinas Tullis
"Always a Head"..Walter W. Head, Omaha
"Kicks by a Missouri Mule"..S. D. Gromer, Columbia, Mo.
"Just for Fun"..Rev. and Mrs. Jack Leonard, Lincoln
By Gum, I'm Ready for a Full Day's Work, C. E. Olmstead, Lincoln
"One Foot on the Rail"....Carl R. Gray, Omaha

WORLD ALMANAC IS OUT FOR 1924

America's standard annual is now in its 40th year. The World Almanac and Book of Facts for 1925, just published, has promptly fallen into its accustomed place as the one indespensable book of reference ready at your hand. Ask the question, here's your answer.

Compressed into its 900 pages is the history of the United States and of the whole world, in fact, for 1924. The index points the way to a million facts. The multitude of carefully revised tabulated statistics are up to date, as are all its well-tested familiar features.

The World Almanac is published by the New York World. Price, 50 cents, postpaid. Readers who appreciate the advantage of keeping the series on their bookshelves will welcome the cloth-bound copies at 90 cents.

McGee Re-Elected Columbus Superintendent of Schools

Columbus, Jan. 9.—Acting on a sickbed request made by Karl Kramer, 80, president of the Columbus board of education, the school board has re-elected R. R. McGee, for the last three years superintendent of schools here, for another term of three years. Mr. McGee is also the president of District No. 2, Northeast Nebraska State Teachers' association.

TRY Quaker Bread

Farmers Oppose Child Labor Act

Compulsory School Law Will Serve Same End, Cass Bureau Declares.

Atlantic, Ia., Jan. 9.—The Cass county farm bureau, at its recent annual meeting, went on record as opposed to the child labor amendment to the federal constitution. The resolution declares that the compulsory school law will serve the same end.

The bureau also went on record favoring a 2 cents a gallon gasoline tax, provided the money is used on primary roads only.

The bureau pledged its support to the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation and the American Farm Bureau Federation, and commended the work of the state agricultural college extension department and the assistance rendered by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The bureau's faith in the merits of the co-operative marketing of farm products as a means of stabilizing agriculture on a profitable basis, who reiterated. The McNary-Haugen bill was endorsed by the members.

A petition to congress to pass legislation requiring the labeling of woolen good showing the amount of shoddy, silk, cotton and other fabircs, which they contain, and a declaration that St. Lawrence-Great Lakes waterway should be removed from the state of arbitration, where it now resides, to effective operation, were adopted.

MARGARET BUEL GRANTED DIVORCE

Margaret Buel was granted a divorce from James M. Buel by District Judge Day Friday afternoon on grounds of cruelty. She was given custody of their two children and their home at 1204 South Twenty-fifth avenue.

The Buels were married in Omaha in 1899. She testified he left home last August, but that he spent little time at their home even prior to this.

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High School and Prep Suits, now $16.75
Choice entire stock 2-pant high school and prep long pant suits. Sizes 30 to 38. Regular $25 to $30 suits.

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Suits and Overcoats, now $16.75
Choice any suit or overcoat that we originally sold at $20 to $25. The suits all have 2 pairs of trousers. All sizes and all colors.

January Clearance Sales Continue for Saturday

Men's
High Grade Shoes

$4.85
Shoes That Formerly Sold to $12.50
Stetson, Dr. Reed's, Strong & Garfield, Regent, J. P. Smith; some of the best makes in the country. For men and young men.

$3.50 to $4.50 Boys' Shoes $2.98
Red Goose welt sole, rubber heels school shoes; sizes 2½ to 4½.

FREE!
Children's Shoe Dept. Day at Hayden's. Free—Balloons given away with every pair of Red Goose Shoes sold.

Men's Wear Sales

$1.00 Men's Silk Four-In-Hand Ties, 29c, 4 for $1.00
Hundreds to select from; beautiful patterns; samples and surplus stock in knit ties and cut silk. Regular selling price 50c, 75c, and $1.00.

Men's Hats, $1.98 and $2.95
Your choice of all our $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 men's hats, in two lots, including velour hats and smooth felt hats; silk lined and unlined. All sizes.

Boys' Caps, 39c
Values to $1.00. Hundreds to select from. Boys' school caps with inbands to protect the ears. All colors and all sizes. In one big lot for Saturday's selling.

$2.50 Men's Caps, $1.25
Young men's caps, all colors and sizes; in one big lot for Saturday's selling. Your choice of our entire stock at $1.25.

$2.50 Men's Fleece Lined Suits, $1.48
1,200 fleece lined suits that have been selling at $1.95 to $2.50. Sizes 34 to 46. All in one lot.

39c Men's Wool Hose, 4 Pair for $1.00
Hen's heavy wool mixed socks. Assorted colors.

$5.00 and $6.00 Men's Wool Union Suits, $3.29
The famous Allen A and Wright's Health all wool union suits for men; sizes 36 to 46.

Main Floor

Closing Out at Half-Price
Every **Coat**
Every **Suit**
Every **Dress**

Fur Specials
$8.95 and $10.00 Squirrel Chokers, $5.95
Large size, natural squirrel. 100 in the lot.
$25.00 and $35.00 Fox Scarfs, $17.50
Full size fox scarfs in two shades.

Hosiery Specials for Saturday

$2.25 Heavy Silk Hose, $1.45
Featuring, Saturday, 800 pairs of Wayne Knit heavy silk hose in all wanted colors; all first quality.

Ladies' Wool and Silk and Wool Hose, 85c
All wool and silk and wool; one big lot in plain and sport ribbed styles; all first quality. Clean up price, 85c.

Children's All-Wool Hose, 85c
All wool in full and ⅞-length socks with fancy tops. $1.25 and $1.50 values.

Starting Saturday We Will Sell $5,000 Worth of
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Three-tube Crosley sets....28.95
$65.00 Crosley 3 R 3 Tryrdyne sets; very special for Saturday at....$47.50
$75.00 Crosley 3 R 3 Trydryne special sets, special for Saturday at..$57.50
$95.00 Workrite Nutrodyne sets $49.50
$125.00 5 tube Synchrodyne sets $79.50
Brandes $10.00 Loud Speakers...$8.95

Head Phones
$8.50 N. K. 4,000 ohm imported Phones, special for Saturday at only....$5.95
$6.00 Brandes head sets....$4.95
$3.50 guaranteed head sets....$2.95
$4.00 Tattler head sets....$3.25
We are also distributors for the famous Scientific 3,000 ohm head sets, at $2.95

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$2.50 guaranteed electric soldering irons, on sale Saturday at only....$1.35
$2.00 guaranteed combination sockets and rheostats, special Saturday at 49c
Glass insulators, 2 for....5c
$2.00 variometers and varicouplers, on sale Saturday at only....$1.10
$1.00 100-ft. coils of army and navy wire for aerials at only....39c
Switch points, per dozen....10c
N. P. binding posts, 2 for....5c
6-volt detector and amplifying tubes, on sale Saturday at only....$1.95
15c ground clamps, special at....10c
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