

STOCK MARKETS FEEL BETTER AS EXCHANGE RISES

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 20.—Speculative interests, as represented by powerful bull pools, were in control of this week's very active and stronger stock market, there being no visible signs of more than moderate public participation.

Sentiment was favorably influenced by the passing of the taxpayment period without strain to the money market, further substantial recovery of British exchange and the belief that congress may adopt liberal measures bearing upon excess profits taxes.

This latter feeling was engendered by the recommendations of the secretary of the treasury and went far towards dissipating the fear that laws might be enacted to tax present and prospective stock dividends.

The further rise of exchange on London was especially interesting and significant in connection with the February trade report which revealed a very large contraction of this country's overseas trade, the total being the smallest since last October.

CHICAGO, March 20.—Grain and packing house products went skyward in value this week. Announcement that eastern railroads were to supply Chicago shippers with 3,000 cars was immediately responsible. New top-record prices, however, led to subsequent weakness. Compared with a week ago, corn quotations this morning showed a net advance of 3 1/4c to 5 1/4c. oats were up 5c to 23c and provisions dearer by 2c to \$2.40.

Belgian "Copperhead" is Given Posthumous Honor

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, March 20.—Awards have just been made to two Belgian women, Madame Clement and her sister, Mlle Marie D'Have and Posthumously to the "father," Theophile D'Have, for giving to the Belgian general staff details of the first German gas mask.

Posing as a pro-German, M. D'Have was able to send one of his daughters to Havre, then the Belgian great headquarters, with a design of the mask concealed in her dress.

She went by way of Holland and at the Dutch frontier she was searched for four hours in vain. Had the document been found she would have been shot. Altogether Mlle D'Have crossed the frontier fifty times until, at the end of 1915 she thought it would be safer to remain in Holland.

So well did the father pose as a pro-German that his neighbors hated him and their behavior to him hastened his death from heart disease. At the time of the armistice a crowd tried to burn down his house.

Standard Oil Co. Leases Huge New York Building

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 20.—The Standard Oil company, it was learned today, has acquired a 99 year lease on the nine story Welles building at 14-20 Broadway which with its present holdings and property for which negotiations are reported to be well under way would give it a 528,10 foot Broadway frontage—the greatest in the financial district.

Rental of the Welles building and plot was stated to be \$250,000 yearly, or nearly \$25,000,000 for the full term.

Completion of other reported negotiations would give the company possession of all of the block bounded by Broadway, Beaver and New streets and Exchange place with the exception of two plots.

No information as to possible plans for a building project were obtainable today.

Sarah Hyde David, 76, Dies at Home on Chester Pike

Sarah Hyde David, 76 years old, died at her home on the Chester pike at 6 a. m. Saturday. She was born in Ohio but spent most of her life at Aledo, Ill., only living in Wayne county for 10 years. She is survived by one brother, J. W. Ferguson, of this city.

Funeral services will be held at the home of the brother at 2 p. m. Sunday. Burial will be in Aledo, Ill., to which place the body will be shipped Sunday night.

Screening Plant Bought by County Commissioners

The county commissioners Saturday ordered county auditor Brooks to advertise for bids for one portable gravel, leading and screening plant for use on the county highways. The plant, according to officials will cost approximately \$2,500.

Owing to the scarcity of labor and leading trucks and teams, it has been urged that the county purchase a plant of this sort," said W. O. Jones, county road commissioner. The county roads are not in the best of shape because of bad weather and heavy traffic, but with the new plant they will be speedily overhauled, said Jones.

INDIANAPOLIS TEAMS TAKE ALLEYS AT PEOORIA

PEORIA, Ill., March 20.—Fourteen Chicago teams bringing into action many of the best bowlers from that city, competed in the championships of the American Bowling congress today. Four teams from Indianapolis, two from Cincinnati, two from Flint, Mich., five from Milwaukee and one from Beloit were others to invade the tournament.

Chicago, Louisville, Racine, Columbus, Omaha and St. Paul bowlers rolled in the individuals and two men events. Several state and sectional champions were on the drives and high scores were expected. A steady attack for three days has failed to bring a new leader.

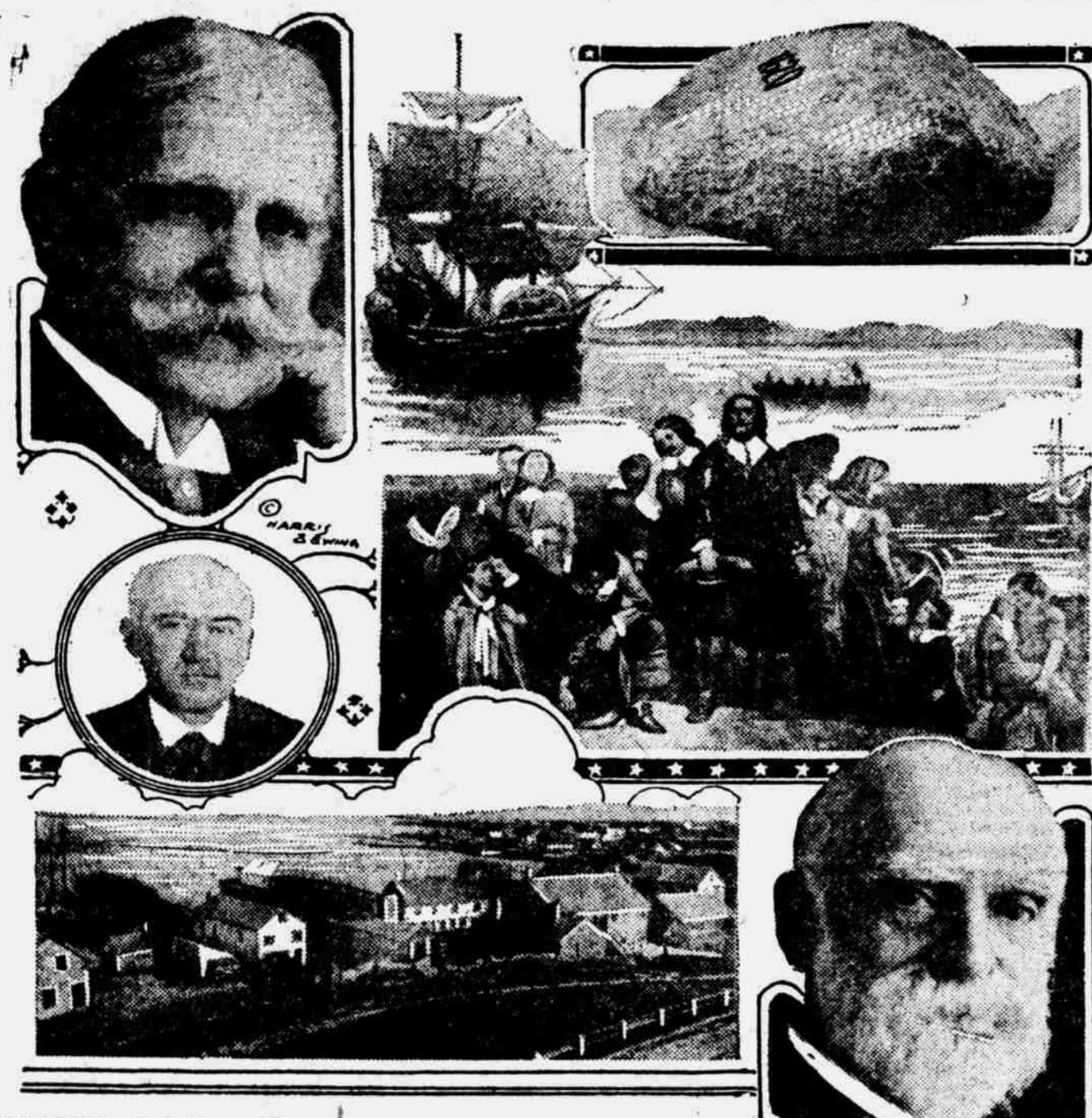
Circuit Court

Agnes McDonald was granted a divorce from John McDonald, on the grounds of failure to provide and abandon.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
Jay W. Townsend, electrician, Richmond, to Leila Cox, at home, Richmond.

L. W. Hill, knitter, Richmond, to Inoa Dubbs, at home, Richmond.

Britain and Holland and U. S., to Celebrate Pilgrims' Tercentenary



Scenes from top to bottom: Plymouth rock; the Mayflower in Plymouth harbor; the landing of the Pilgrims, and Plymouth, Mass., as it looks today. The men, from top to bottom: Henry Van Dyke, John A. Stewart and Viscount Bryce.

NEW YORK, March 20.—A nation-wide celebration commemorating the landing of the Pilgrims 300 years ago will mark the present year. But, indicating its deeper importance, is the fact that the United States alone will not celebrate this important event in its early history. All English-speaking people, as well as Holland, will participate in official, institutional and community exercises, and will take part in commemorating what the Pilgrims stood for.

Beginning with the 1st of May in England, according to the plans of the Sulgrave Institution, the activities will commence, later at the old port of Leyden, Holland, and then in the United States. Again the Mayflower will sail from England, following the route of the Pilgrims of old, touching at Leyden and next at Provincetown, Mass., in August, will be the scene of celebrations. Later Ply-

mouth, Mass., will hold the center of the stage.

Through Whole U. S.

It is thought that the events marking this tercentenary will be distributed throughout all parts of the United States, and will touch all sections and classes of people, from highest of officialdom down to little private groups of people, social clubs, embracing in that downward sweep institutions, schools, organizations and societies.

Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts will naturally make a rush for the Indian drama, Indian games and dances with national organizations. Schools and colleges will devote themselves to impressive pageants. Churches and religious institutions will find that the entertainment to raise money for the fund for this or that must include "A Little Pilgrim Progress," which is a one-act play with Pilgrim setting.

Celebrations in England are being arranged by the Sulgrave Institution, which takes its name from the ancient seat of the Washington family, Sulgrave Manor, North Hants, England. At this manor a special celebration will mark the tercentenary. The English committee includes the Archbishop of Canterbury, Viscount Bryce, Cardinal Grey, David Lloyd George, Cardinal Bourne and the lord mayor of London.

A resolution calling upon the Indiana general assembly to take prompt, definite and generous action at the coming special session of the legislature for the erection of a world war memorial building in Indianapolis was adopted.

Charles F. Coffin of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, was elected president and John B. Reynolds, secretary of the Chamber, was elected secretary.

An executive committee, containing representatives from congressional districts, was chosen as follows:

First district, John J. Nolan, of Evansville; Second district, Quincy J. Mitchell, of Linton; Third district, T. Brooks of Bedford; Fourth district, Walter W. Bonner, of Greensburg; Fifth district, James S. Royce, of Terra Haute; Sixth district, Lewis G. Reynolds, of Richmond; Seventh district, Mayor Jewett, of Indianapolis; Eighth district, Charles A. Wood, of Munroe; Ninth district, O. M. Booher, of Kokomo; and the Eleventh district, Archer Price, of Marion.

N. Y. POLICE COMMISSIONER IS INDICTED BY JURY

NEW YORK, March 20.—Third Deputy Police Commissioner Porter was indicted Friday by grand jury which has been investigating police methods in connection with the suppression of vice. He is charged with neglect of duty. A bench warrant was issued for his arrest, and he was notified to surrender.

He estimated that the United States holds Canadian securities valued at \$1,200,000,000, the annual interest charge being \$65,000,000.

GENERAL VON LUETTWITZ REVIEWS THE BALTIC TROOPS WHO ARE LATER USED TO OVERTURN EBERT GOVERNMENT



Cross marks General von Luettwitz, reviewing Baltic troops.

This photograph, recently received from Germany, is significant in view of late events in the German capital. General von Luettwitz was a Lieutenant of Noske under the Ebert regime. He

took a prominent part in the training of troops for the Baltic region. These were the troops, according to dispatches, used by von Luettwitz and other royalists in overturning Ebert. Von Luettwitz is

the new commander-in-chief of Germany's military forces. It will be noted in the accompanying photograph that he does not require the once famous "goose step" from his troops.

MARCH

New Friendless Matron to Be Named April 1; Mrs. Brown Ill, Has Resigned

The appointment of a successor to Mrs. Hannah Brown, matron of the Home of the Friendless, will not be made by the county commissioners until April 1, authorities said Saturday.

Mrs. Brown, who has served as matron of the home for over a year, tendered her resignation Friday to the county to become effective immediately. Sickness is the cause of the resignation, as the former matron has been confined to her bed for six weeks with pneumonia.

Short News of City

BOYS' CLASS ELECTS.

The Busy Boys' Class of the United Brethren Sunday School, of which Roy L. Babylon is teacher, held a meeting at the home of John Lacey Friday evening, at which time the following officers were elected: Raymond Stuart, president; John Lacey, vice-president; James Lacey, secretary; Roland Sharp, treasurer. The following were present: Rubard Tibbet, Robert Sharp, Malcolm Ernest, Roland Sharp, James Lacey, Harold Nuss, Keith Harris, Charles Tibbet, Raymond Stuart, Charles Rogers, Mark Lancaster, David Lacey, John Lacey, and Willard Mattix.

TWO ARE IN TAMPA.

F. W. and P. W. Stephens, of Richmond, are Indiana folks in Tampa.—Tampa Times.

TWELVE GET DIPLOMAS.

The Rev. Mr. Mitchell, of the South Eighth Street Friends church has presented 12 members of the Teachers' training class of the St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school with their international diplomas last Sunday. Several short talks were given by officials of the church. Those receiving diplomas were Mark Heitbrink, Clara Getz, Katherine Kamp, Mildred Klute, Marie Koenigkramer, Anna Lineman, Margaret McKinley, Agnes and Louise Meerhoff, Gertrude Petering, Julia Von Pein and Marie Schuetze.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEET.

Selection of a re-organization committee was made at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of the Garfield school Friday night. N. C. Heironimus, principal, was named chairman of the committee, which will meet soon to make plans for the proposed reorganization.

BECK ON RECAUTION.

Postmaster C. B. Beck left Friday for a week's vacation and will visit Arkansas and other places in the south during his absence. While he is gone Superintendent of Mails Foreman will have charge of the local office.

FRIENDS BOARD MEETS.

Members of the permanent board of the Indiana yearly meeting Saturday morning at the Y. M. C. A. Routine business at the meeting was transacted and credentials for Mr. and Mrs. E. Willis Beede, who are planning to attend the London Yearly meeting were approved.

CAKE MARKET HELD.

Members of the Wayne county W. C. T. U. conducted a cake market at the South Sixth street market house Saturday. The proceeds of the market will be used for the jubilee celebration of the W. C. T. U.

RATLIFF TO CAPITAL.

Walter Ratliff left for Indianapolis Saturday morning to attend a meeting of the state ornithological society.

RYAN JENKINS HURT.

Ryan Jenkins, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Jenkins, 1903 Main street, suffered a broken thigh bone when run down by an automobile Friday afternoon. He was riding a bicycle on North Nineteenth street when struck.

HOLD ATTENDANCE CONTROL.

An attendance contest between the boys and girls in the primary department of the Sunday school of Bethel A. M. E. church, will be held Sunday. The side having the largest attendance will serve the other ice cream.

NO MEAT DELAYS.

Although the strike of express handlers in Chicago is causing a meat shortage and high prices in other towns, Richmond retail butchers are experiencing no other than customary delays in receiving meat shipments.

INDOOR PICNIC PLANNED.

An indoor picnic for colored Sunday school children of the city, under 12 years old, will be held in the assembly rooms of the Bethel A. M. E. church at 3 p. m. Sunday. The picnic is being arranged by W. H. Dennis, of the Bethel A. M. E. church.

TO ELECT CHAPERON.

Each of the four colored Sunday schools of Richmond will elect one high school boy to attend the older colored boys' conference in the Indianapolis colored Y. M. C. A. on April 2, 3 and 4. A chaperon for the boys will be elected at a meeting in the Mount Moriah Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

400 ATTEND MEETING

More than 400 church leaders of Indiana, men and women who will have charge of the united financial campaign to be conducted under the direction of the Interchurch World Movement, April 25 to May 2, attended a conference at Indianapolis Friday to consider plans for the campaign.

MURPHY TAKES OFFICE.

E. F. Murphy, newly appointed county agent, was in his office for the first time Saturday. All farmers desiring to see the new agent are requested to call at his office, in the southwest wing of the courthouse, on Saturdays.

LICENSED TO WED.

Robert W. Taylor, a musician, of Richmond, and Lucy Dennis, of this city, were granted a marriage license by the county clerk Saturday afternoon.

Spring Weather to Bow

Miss Spring In, Sunday

Real spring weather is promised for the official debut of that season Sunday. March will stop its bluster and blow for the next 24 hours, according to Weatherman Moore, to allow Miss Springtime to make a perfect entrance.

Below freezing weather is promised for tonight, but the mercury will rise tomorrow, with warm sunshine and only moderate zephyr-like breezes.

Mooreland State Bank

Robbed; Booty is \$111

(By Associated Press)

LEADS LAST TROOPS OF U. S. IN SIBERIA



Col. Charles Morrow.

The only American regiment now on duty in Siberia, according to reports, is that of Col. Charles Morrow, twin brother of Edwin P. Morrow, governor of Kentucky. The governor has had no word of his brother since the latter's troops were engaged in pacifying the Baikal district of Siberia. Colonel Morrow has seen service in the Philippines and a large part of the world. He was military governor of a Chinese province for a time. Whether Colonel Morrow and his men have ever left Siberia there is no word at his home. He is a native of Somerset, Ky.

Funeral Arrangements

Bennett—Funeral services for William Bennett will be held in St. Andrew's church at 9 a. m. Monday. Burial will be in St. Andrew's cemetery.

The Rev. F. A. Roell will officiate.

Richardson—Funeral services for Lyman K. Richardson will be held in Fountain City at 2 p. m. Sunday. Burial will be in Willow Grove cemetery.

Kindler—Funeral services for George Kindler will be held at Huntington, Ind., at 1:30 p. m. Sunday. Burial will be in the cemetery at Huntington.

Spencer—Eli J. Spencer, 75 years old, died Saturday noon at his home west of the city. He was formerly a city teamster, and is widely known throughout the city. The body was taken to the parlors of Jordan, McManus, Hunt & Walterman, where funeral services will be held.

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