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Unemployment and inflation were two of the topics at Jackson Hole, at the annual get-together hosted by Janet Yellen, the Chair of the US Federal Reserve.

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Crude oil prices remained trading at low levels as investors await fresh US stockpile figures while keeping an eye on geopolitical issues.

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