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THE EYES OF THE LORD—"For the eyes of the Lord run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to show himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him." 2 Chron. 16:9.

RAIL ISSUES GO UP IN EXCHANGE

Industrials Advance Some—Market Closes Strong

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP).—Widespread activity in railroad shares, embracing both the second grade and seasoned dividend paying issue, featured resumption of the upward movement in today's stock market.

Industrials did not advance to the same extent as rails, but pool activity was apparent in a number of issues. Consolidated Clear was bid up three points, Pullman moved up 2 1/2 and several others advanced a point or two.

Canadian Pacific assumed leadership of the railroad group by soaring over 7 points. Norfolk and Western, Pere Marquette and Wheeling and Lake Erie common each extended their gains to four points or more.

Operations for the rise assumed broader proportions in the final hour when a number of popular industrials and specialties rose two to four points, including General Motors, American Can, Marine Petroleum and Eureka Vacuum Cleaner. Total sales approximated 1,600,000 shares. The closing was strong.

New "Bath Tub" Party Comes to Light in South

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 2 (AP).—Investigation of charges that whiskey was served at a party given by the Cooperative club, Atlanta, featured by a "bath tub" scene was begun today by the Fulton county grand jury.

The grand jury was called into special session after published charges had been made that the "bath tub" feature was put on by the Cooperative club at a dinner given in honor of Carl H. Langnecht, of Kansas City, International president at the Ansley hotel, here Jan. 4. It also was charged that whiskey was served at the party.

Negro Girl Figures—The charges allege that the "bath tub" scene in which a negro girl was the principal character, climaxed the party.

Edward Stephens, assistant solicitor general, said today that the grand jury would go into the charges exhaustively. Those who attended the party have been summoned to appear before the grand jury as witnesses. It was said that about 200 guests were present.

Al H. Bailey, vice president of the club, alleged to have prepared the party program was one of the witnesses subpoenaed before the grand jury. Another witness called was Walter Candler, Atlanta, capitalist.

Bank's Officials Drop From Sight

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP).—The state bank superintendent's office here today was without information concerning the whereabouts of Henry L. Bergman, president of the Florence State bank, and Miss Harriett Weatherston, cashier of the institution, which was robbed in a holdup of more than \$12,000 last Thursday.

The superintendent's office announced that an investigation of the Florence bank was begun as is usual in cases of robberies or other disturbances at state banks.

Bergman and Miss Weatherston went to Eugene Monday and reported concerning the bank robbery to the county offices. Late yesterday they could not be located.

Herbert P. Clarke, an examiner of the state banking department, who has been at Florence, was reported on his way to Eugene and was expected to make a report on his arrival this afternoon.

Explosion Injures One Man Seriously

PASADENA, Cal., Feb. 2 (AP).—Explosion of a high pressure tank on the estate of Miss Mary McCormick, daughter of the first vice president of the Chicago Harvesters' family who died in 1884, wrecked a garage near here today and resulted in serious injury to one man who was brought here for medical attention.

Police began a search in the ruins for the body of another man said to be missing.

Harry Hirsch, of Pomona, the injured man, sustained a fractured skull. With a helper, who is missing, he was installing a pump on the new Oak Noll estate of Miss McCormick.

Today in Washington

Congress meets at noon. Senate proceeds with milk transportation bill. House receives bills from territories committee. Foreign relations committee meets on Nicaragua and possibly China. Government tax recovery suit against old Ford minority continues at treasury. Elections committee considers request of Frank L. Smith for senate seat now and investigation later.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May	141 1/2	142 1/2	141 1/2	142 1/2 @ 1/4
July	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2 @ 1/4
Sept	129 1/2	130 1/2	129 1/2	130 1/2 @ 1/4

PORTLAND WHEAT
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP).—Wheat—BBB hard white, \$1.37; hard white bluestem, hard, \$1.36; federation, soft white, western white, \$1.34 1/2; hard winter, \$1.33; northern spring, \$1.35; western red, \$1.30.

Today's car receipts—Wheat, 73; flour, 5; corn, 1; oats, 1; hay, 8.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT
LIVERPOOL, Feb. 2 (AP).—Close: Wheat 1/2 to 1d higher; March 10s, 7 1/2d; May 10s, 8 1/2d; July 10s, 4 1/2d.

CHICAGO CASE
CHICAGO, Feb. 2 (AP).—Cash: Wheat—No. 5 mixed, \$1.15; No. 2 hard, \$1.13.

Corn—No. 4 mixed, 67c; No. 4 yellow, 65 1/2c; 71c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 47 1/2c; No. 2 do, 42 1/2c.

Rye—No. 2, \$1.07 1/2.

Barley—64 1/2c.

Timothy seed—\$5.00 @ 5.75.

Clover seed—\$27.00 @ 33.00.

Lard—\$12.35.

Tibs—\$16.25.

Bellies—\$18.50.

Wheat Unsettled But Some Higher

CHICAGO, Feb. 2 (AP).—Shipping unchanged to 1/2c higher; wheat advanced a little and then scored 1/4c advance all around.

Corn, oats and provisions, however, easy, corn opening unchanged to 1/4c off and subsequently averaging lower.

Wheat closed unsettled 1/2 to 1c net higher; corn 1/2 to 5/8c up; oats at a shade to 5c gain; and provisions, 7 1/2 to 17c down.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO, Feb. 2 (AP).—U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Hogs—13,000; slow; generally steady; top, \$12.15; bulk better grades, 150 to 210 lb. averages, \$12.05 @ 12.15.

Cattle—7,000; good and choice fed steers with weight 25c higher; other grades strong; 1600 lb. long fed steers, \$12.75; numerous loads heavier, \$11.25 @ 11.75; medium weight, \$12.00; best yearlings, \$11.50; bulk fed steers, \$9.00 @ 11.00; vealers, \$12.00 @ 14.00.

Sheep—13,000; fairly active; F. lamba steady to strong; top 160 westerns to yard traders, \$13.25; early bulk woolled lambs, \$12.00 @ 13.00; heavy lambs and good natives mostly \$12.50 @ 12.85; sheep weight, \$11.55 @ 11.85; sheep strong; good and choice ewes, \$7.50 @ 8.50; feeding lambs steady; desirable kind, \$12.50 @ 13.00; medium weight, \$11.50 @ 12.00; heavier around \$12.25.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP).—Cattle and sheep nominally steady; no receipts.

Hogs nominally steady; no receipts. Feeder and stocker pigs, 170 to 150 lbs., medium, good and choice, \$13.00 @ 14.00.

FRISCO FRUIT
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2 (AP).—Federal State Market News Service.

Apples—Four-tier boxes, Northwestern: Winesaps XE, \$2.25 @ 2.50; fancy, \$1.90 @ 2.15.

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Easier Feeling Noted in Oregon Produce Market

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP).—An easier feeling was shown in country dressed markets in the local market today with a break in prices considered not far distant. Receipts are improving and buyers are drawing down. They refuse to consider the extreme levels. So far choice light calves will still bring 18 cents and top hogs 17 cents, but the bulk of the business is at levels ranging from a half cent below these figures.

No change is shown in butter and egg quotations for the day, although both markets are displaying an easier undertone. Egg receipts Tuesday were lighter at 42 1/2 cases. Receipts of surplus butter from the country also showed a falling off at 10.50 pounds. Potato trading in the country is quiet. Buyers are loath to go over \$1.40 for the best Burbanks available now, while on the other hand few growers who have a good commercial grade are holding for \$1.50 or better. In the Yakima section the markets are quiet with \$20 to \$24 a ton the ruling price to the grower for combination grade Netted Gems. Local wholesale prices range from \$2.00 to \$2.25 for U. S. No. 1 Burbanks.

The onion market is slow and inactive. Wholesale prices along the street range from \$2.50 to \$2.75 for good yellow stock, with buying prices in the country ranging from \$2 to \$3.50 per hundred. The general feeling is that prices will not hold much longer, in the face of better weather conditions throughout the country.

PORTLAND PRODUCE
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP).—Hides to farmer.

Milk steady. Best churning cream 48c in valley, 49c net, shipper's track in zone 1. Cream delivered Portland, 50c @ 52c per pound. Raw milk (4 per cent), \$2.00 cwt. f.o.b. Portland.

Eggs steady. Current receipts, 34c; fresh medium, 25c; fresh standard firsts, 24c; fresh standard, 23c.

Poultry firm. Heavy hens, 25 @ 26c; light, 20 @ 21c; springs, nominal; broilers, 30 @ 31c; Pekin white ducks, 30c; colored, nominal; turkeys, live, 35c; dressed, 40 @ 41c.

Potatoes quiet, \$1.25 @ 1.50.

Onions quiet; local, \$2.75 @ 3.00.

Butter steady. Extra cubes, city, 45c; standard, 45c; prime firsts, 45c; firsts, 45c; prints, 50c; castles, 51c.

SUMMONS
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union county.

Nell E. Thacker, Plaintiff,
vs.
Emma Young and Toy Young, Defendants.

To Emma Young and Toy Young, Defendants above named:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed by the plaintiff

against you and Toy Young, your husband, in the above entitled court and suit, on or before six weeks from the 18th day of January, 1927, the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit, on or before March 1, 1927, and if you fail to answer or otherwise plead to said complaint on or before such time the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint herein.

The relief prayed for is that the plaintiff have judgment against the defendants herein for the sum of \$1,720.00 and interest on \$1,500.00 at eight per centum per annum from December 9th, 1925, till paid, \$170.00 attorney fee and her costs and disbursements herein; and that that certain mortgage given by you on the 27th day of February, 1924, and recorded in the records of Union County, Oregon, on "Tract 'U' in Cogan's Second Addition to La Grande, and on lot 2 of block 72 in Honan's Addition to La Grande,

made and entered on Jan. 18, 1927, foreclosed, and that you and all persons claiming under, by, or through you be forever barred of all right, title and interest in said premises, and that the same be sold at public auction, and the proceeds applied on plaintiff's claims in the manner provided by law, after paying the expenses of such sale.

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