

BEARS BEATEN OFF AFTER HARD FIGHT

Liquidation Decrease and Some Issues Close at Higher Quotations

NEW YORK, April 12.—(AP)—The stock market struggled to regain its equilibrium today and the effort was fairly successful. Helped by a noticeable lessening of liquidation, a good representation of industrial and utility issues closed higher.

Rails, less responsive to occasional rallies in other directions, nevertheless finished above their lows; some cancelled early losses. Volume drifted back toward the low levels of activity attained last month, amounting to 1,562,180 shares.

Net gains ranging from a fraction to more than a point for U. S. Steel, American Can, General Electric, General Motors, Case, Woolworth, North American, Sears Roebuck, Peoples Gas, International Telephone, United Corporation and American Telephone provided a pleasing contrast to recent market behavior of these leaders. Chemical and oil shares were somewhat less enthusiastic, especially Standard Oil of New Jersey, off 2 and duPont, off 1 1/2.

Corn Producers, Continental Baking preferred, Drug, Ingersoll Rand and Pacific Lighting weakened from 1 to 3 points.

Santa Fe Railroad, after a 2-point rise in the morning, flopped 4 net to 4 1/2 and then halved its loss. The price sold at 50, off 4. Union Pacific sold at 50 where it was down 2 1/2, but cut that decline in two. New York Central's bottom was 18 1/2. It came back to 13, still a point lower. Southern Pacific dipped under 12, losing 1 1/2 net.

IMPROVED DEMAND FOR SEED APPEARS

CORVALLIS, Ore., April 12.—(AP)—An improved late demand for seed, particularly clover and alfalfa, a decline in potato prices and lighter importations of shell and filberts were reported today in weekly market reviews by the Oregon State college extension service and the U. S. D. A. bureau of agricultural economics.

Seed markets have been benefited by the advent of mild weather and prices firmed up over the previous week, the reports said. Red clover and alfalfa supplies are being worked down and stocks on hand now are about average in volume. Potato prices showed some decline during the week while loadings from Oregon and Washington decreased in volume. Shipments up to the close of last week from 19 surplus states were 31 thousand cars short of the same date a year ago, or about 13 per cent.

While importations of unshelled filberts showed some increase this season over last, foreign shipments of shelled filberts to this country decreased sharply from 1384 tons to 660 tons, latest figures show. Preliminary data from the Mediterranean countries show the present remaining available supply of filberts for export to be at least as large as last year.

GIRL SCOUTS MEET

KRIZER, April 12.—Mrs. Harry Oldenburg was hostess to the older Girls Scout troop Saturday at her home in North Kelso. A dainty luncheon was served after which the crafty pull and games were enjoyed. Present were Mrs. Roy Melson, Miss Ruth Rulifson, Mrs. Raymond Kites, Harriet Minturn, Dorothy Ackman, Dorothy Rulifson and Usuna Claggett.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE PHILADELPHIA ASSOCIATION OF PHILADELPHIA

Table with financial data including: Amount of capital paid up stock, Net premiums received during the year, Interest, dividends and rents received during the year, Total income, Disbursements, Total liabilities, etc.

Radio Programs

Table listing radio programs: 7:15—Organ, NBO; 7:30—Good Morning Meditations, led by Rev. Edward McConnell; 7:45—Getting up Exercises, directed by Amy T. Gill; 8:00—Religious; 8:15—Remedies from the Endocrine Glands, U. S. Public Health Service; 8:30—Farm Hour.

WHEAT CONTINUES UPWARD CLIMB CO-OP MILK PRICE IS CUT 3 CENTS

Records Back to Feb. 26 Beaten; Crop Outlook Worse

CHICAGO, April 12.—(AP)—In a fresh burst of strength, wheat prices today outdid high price records as far back as Feb. 26 last.

Kansas and Nebraska crop reports today were more bullish than at any time heretofore this season. Field advice from the south central part of Kansas in particular contrasted sensationally with the fact that up to April 1 the region reported to have the best crop prospect in the state. Nebraska's official statistician predicted abandonment of wheat acreage would be the largest since 1917.

Wheat closed nervous, 1 to 1 1/2 cents above yesterday's finish, corn 1/4 to 5-8 advanced, oats 1-8 to 1-4 up.

Today's closing quotations: Wheat: May 69 7-8 to 61; July old 63 1/2 to 64, new 63 1/2; Sept old 66 to 66 1/2, new 65 7-8.

Corn: May, 34 1/2 to 7-8; July 38 1-8 to 1/4; Sept., 40 1/2 to 5-8.

Oats: May, 24 1/4; July 24 5-8 to 1/2; Sept., 25 1-4 to 3-8.

General Markets

PORTLAND, Ore., April 12.—(AP)—Produce exchange net prices: butter, extra 100 lbs. 62.50; prima 100 lbs. 60.00; firsts 100 lbs. 57.50; fresh extras 14; fresh mediums 18.

Portland Grain

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Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, Ore., April 12.—(AP)—Steers 600-900 lbs., good 6.25-7.00; medium 5.00-6.25; common 3.75-5.00; 900-100 lbs. steers 6.25-7.00; medium 5.00-6.25; common 3.75-5.00.

Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., April 12.—(AP)—Butter—prima, 22 cents or better, 21-22; standards, 20-22c carton.

Fruits, Vegetables

PORTLAND, Ore., April 12.—(AP)—Oranges—California, extra, wrapped fancy, 83-87; choice 82.25-85.00 box. Grapefruit—California, 82.25-85.00; Florida, 82.25-85.00.

Salem Markets

Grade B raw is \$1.66 With Surplus, Also Factory Lower

Lower quotations on milk were announced yesterday, with the co-op pool price on Grade B raw, 4 per cent, quoted at \$1.66, a drop of three cents.

SPITTLE BUG FOUND ON STRAWBERRIES

WOODBURN, April 12.—Spittle bugs which have caused serious damage to the strawberry crop the past two seasons have started to appear again this year in large numbers according to R. E. Burnett, vocational agricultural instructor of Woodburn high school.

The insect damages the crop by sucking the sap from stems and leaves of the plant, thus preventing proper development of the ripening berries.

Trials conducted by entomologists from the state experiment station last year on the Charles Brant place east of town showed that dusting with hydrated lime increased the yield of Marshall strawberries approximately one half ton per acre.

This dust should be applied at once as it is much easier to control the pest before much foam is formed than later and complete coverage is essential according to Burnett.

Eldridge Juniors Win Attendance Flag

ELDRIDGE, April 12.—Eldridge pupils were presented the junior banner for largest attendance at the Hayesville district Sunday school convention held Sunday at Fruitland church.

MICKEY MOUSE



THIMBLE THEATRE—Starring Popeye



LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY



TOOTS AND CASPER



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"This holds true," Judge McMahan said, "be the man searched a hobo or wealthy citizen, saint or sinner."

Judge McMahan continued that when two Salem police officers searched C. M. Steele, transient, and charged him with carrying a concealed weapon, they exceeded their authority. A revolver was found on Steele's person.

"To approve this action," Judge McMahan said, "would be to sanction a gross and lawless assault upon the constitutional rights of all citizens."

The case came up in circuit court on information of the district attorney and was submitted on a point of law. Judge McMahan indicated that he would enter final order in the proceeding later. Lee Crawford is Steele's attorney.

"The officers were acting upon information and belief only," Judge McMahan's opinion read. "Even upon information and belief. No arrest could have been legally made without a warrant, and no search of a misdemeanor before arrest is legal."

"In this case the arrest was illegal, because no crime was committed in the presence of the officers. The right to be free from unreasonable search is a constitutional right, which cannot be taken from any citizen under any law."

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CORRIGAN REPORTS ENFORCEMENT TAX

Confers With Governor and State Police Head on Need of Wardens

Matt Corrigan of McMinnville, chairman of the state game commission, conferred with Governor Meier and Charles Pray, superintendent of state police here Tuesday with relation to better enforcement of the game laws.

Game wardens who previously operated under the state game commission now work out of the state police department.

Corrigan intimated that game wardens had increased materially during the past few months, and that some action should be taken to remedy the situation. He attributed the numerous law violations to lack of sufficient operatives, and not to any delinquency on the part of Mr. Pray or his men.

A plan may be worked out whereby the game commission will nominate a number of additional game wardens for service during the summer months. These men, under the proposal, could be approved by Superintendent Pray of the state police department and paid out of his funds. It was said that such a plan would meet with all the requirements of the law.

Corrigan declared that the present game warden force is too small to handle the situation, and that additional operatives are needed to meet the emergency.

Any action that will be taken by Governor Meier and Mr. Pray probably will not be announced for several days.

Joseph Leiter, Capitalist and Horseman, Dies

CHICAGO, April 11.—(AP)—Joseph Leiter, capitalist and horse fancier, died Monday. He was 63 years old.

The world of commerce still remembers his first venture in business: the memorable wheat corner of 1898 that was broken by old P. D. Armour, nipping \$12,000,000 from the millions amassed by Joseph's father, Levi Leiter, merchandising magnate and once partner of the first Marshall Field.

By WALT DISNEY



By SEGAR



By DARRELL McCLURE



By JIMMY MURPHY

