

Stocks and Grain Higher

OIL AND UTILITIES SHARES TAKE LEAD

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—(P)—Another active stock market session today found its chief support in a brisk rally of the oil and utilities shares of the utilities. While closing prices were fairly firm in most categories, a few of the recent leaders backed up under profit taking and a majority of the rails were inclined to slip on moderate offerings. Realizing was well absorbed, however, and serious casualties were few in number.

The Associated Press advance of 50 selected shares advanced .1 of a point to 47.5, a new 1935 top. The utilities composite also registered a new year's peak with a gain of .3 of a point to 36.3. Transfers totaled 1,739,018 shares.

The revival of the petroleum section coincided with earnings statements which indicated that some of the oil companies are moving steadily forward. General Motors were among those shares edging into new high ground for the year and the company, after the close, increased the regular quarterly dividend from 25 to 50 cents and declared an extra dividend on the common. International Nickel also advanced its dividend.

Stocks up fractions to a point or so included American Telephone at 132 1/2, Commonwealth & Southern at 2 1/2, Standard Oil of California at 35 1/2, Standard Oil of New Jersey at 48 1/2, Seaboard Oil at 31, Douglas Aircraft at 29, General Motors at 39 1/2, Houston Oil at 15 1/2, North American at 24 1/2, Pacific Lighting at 42 1/2, Pacific Gas at 26 1/2 and Texas Corp. at 20 1/2. National Lead jumped 10 points to 185 on a few transfers. Commonwealth and Southern was the most active issue of the day.

FUND REQUEST TO BE GIVEN TO PWA

Senator McNary telegraphed from Washington Monday night that he was ready to present Oregon's application for state capital building funds to the public works administration as soon as it arrived there.

McNary said he had received a copy of the application but that the original had not yet reached Washington.

The original application is being prepared by C. C. Hockley, Oregon director for the public works administration.

Oregon is requesting an outright grant of 45 per cent of the \$3,500,000 required for construction operations.

The remaining 55 per cent will be raised by legislative appropriation.

Salem Markets

Grade B raw 4 per cent milk, co-op basic pool price \$1.94 per hundred.

(Milk based on semi monthly butterfat average.)

Distributor price \$2.10.

A grade butterfat—Delivered, 26c; route, 25c.

A grade prints, 28 1/2c; B grade, 27c.

Prices paid to growers by Salem buyers. (The prices shown, supplied by a local grocer, are indicative of the daily market but are not guaranteed by The Statesman.)

FRUITS	
(Buying Price)	
Blackberries, crate	1.00
Blackberries, lb. retail	.20
Blackberries, bu.	.75
Apricots, lug	.75 to .85
Grapes, Red Malaga, lug	2.50
Seedling grapes, lug	2.50
Local peaches, 3 lb. basket	.11
Fresh figs, box	.90
Loganberries, crate	1.75 to 2.00
Raspberries, 24s	1.75 to 2.00
Watermelons, lb.	.01 1/2
Cantaloupes, crate	1.75 to 2.25
Pineapple, Oahu, crate	5.00 and over
Oranges, Fairview, crate	2.50
Choice	3.00 to 3.50
Bananas, lb. on stalk	.05
Hands	.05 1/2
Lemons, fancy, 8 lb. box	10.00 to 10.50
Choice	6.25 to 8.00
Lemons, local, lb.	.45 to .50
Grapefruit, Calif., 2 1/2 to 3 lb.	2.50 to 3.00
Apples, Transparent, new crop	.40
Gravenstein, lb.	.75

VEGETABLES	
(Buying Price)	
Egg plant, flat	1.25
Drumstick, 4 lb. box	.70
Onion, doz.	.35
Corn, local, dozen	.17 to .22 1/2
Italian squash, 2 lb. box	.20
Green onions, local, dozen	.20
Onions—Walla Walla, cwt.	1.25
White Bermuda, cwt.	2.50
Calif. Red, cwt.	3.50
Asparagus, 30 lb. box	1.40
Cauliflower, Oregon, lug	.90 to 1.50
Cabbage, Oregon, lb.	.01 to .02
Carrots, local, dozen	.35
Celery, local, doz.	.30 to .45
Celery hearts, 45 lb. box	4.50 to 5.00
Cucumbers, house, box 1.25 to 1.75	
Beets, dozen	.30
Beets, local, lb.	.45 to .50
Green peppers, Oregon, lb.	.10
Lettuce, local	.75 to 1.25
Spinach, Washington	.90
New sprouts, Oregon	1.10
Local new peas	.04 to .05 1/2
Squash, local, orange crate	.85
Squash, crate	1.00
Tomatoes—	
The Dunes, 18 lb. lug	.70 to .90
California, 28-30 lb. box	.90
Turnips, dozen	.40
Radishes, local, dozen	.20
Walnuts, lb.	.18 to .20
Filberts, lb.	.12 to .15

HOFS	
(Buying Price)	
Clusters, 1934, lb. top	.06 1/2
Puzzles, 1934, lb. top	.06 1/2
Extras	.26
Standards	.24
Mediums	.23

WOOL AND MOHAIR	
(Buying Price)	
Mohair	.20
Medium wool	.20
Coarse and fine wool	.18

POULTRY	
(Buying Price)	
Heavy hens, 1/2 or over	.14
Colored, medium, lb.	.12
Medium Leghorns, lb.	.11
Light, lb.	.11
Stags, lb.	.08
Old roosters, lb.	.08
Colored, 1/2 lb. or over	.16
White Leghorns, 1/2 lb. or over	.12
Marion creamery buying prices—Live	
Poultry, No. 1 stock	.14
Heavy colored hens, over 6 lbs.	.13
Colored hens, under 6 lbs.	.12
Leghorn hens, all sizes	.12
Leghorn broilers, 1 1/2 up to 5 1/2 lbs.	.14
Colored fryers, over 4 lbs.	.16
Old roosters, lb.	.08
Stags	.08
Beats	.06
Eggs—Washed and graded—	
Large extras	.25

HOFS GAIN DOLLAR ON LOCAL MARKET

Hogs climbed a dollar a hundred for tops on the local market yesterday, to a high of \$11. Wheat was boosted a cent a bushel, to 68 cents on white and 67 cents on red. Eggs took the upward trend, with all a cent higher; extras, 26 cents, standards, 24 cents, and mediums, 23 cents.

Red Malaga grapes made their first appearance on the market here yesterday, quoted at \$2.50 per lug. Blackberries, evergreen or Himalaya, are bringing the producer a dollar a crate. A few raspberry and loganberries are still offered, at prices unchanged over those prevailing since the slide from the peak of the season.

Apricots were higher, at from 75 to 85 cents per lug, with indications that the only future moves would be upward.

Large standards	.28
Medium standards	.21
Small standards	.15
Extras—large eggs, 56 pounds or over, per case	.23

GRAIN AND HAY	
Wheat, western red	.67
White, No. 1	.68
Barley, feed, No. 1, ton	18.00
Malting, com	22.00
Oats, medium, ton	20.00
Feed, ton	17.00
Hay buying prices:	
Clay and vetch, ton	11.00
Alfalfa, valley	14.00

General Markets

PRODUCE EXCHANGE
PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 5.—(AP)—Produce exchange, net prices:
Butter: Extras, 26c; standards, 24 1/2c; prime firsts, 23 1/2c; firsts, 22 1/2c.
Eggs: U. S. Specials, 29c; U. S. Extras, 28c; U. S. medium, large, 26c.

Portland Grain

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PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 5.—(AP)—				
Wheat:	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept., old	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Sept., new	74	74	74	74
Dec.	75	75	75	75
Cash: Big Bend bluestem, 89c; do, 13 per cent, 93 1/2c; dark hard winter, 12 per cent, 86c; do, 11 per cent, 74 1/2c; soft white, hard winter, northern spring, 72 1/2c; western white, 73c; western red, 72 1/2c.				
Oats, No. 2 white, \$22; Corn, No. 2 E. yellow, \$9.25; Millrun standard, \$23.				

Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 5.—(AP)—Prints, A grade, 28 1/2c lb.; in parchment wrapper, 29 1/2c lb.; in cartons; B grade, parchment wrapped, 27 1/2c lb.; cartons, 28 1/2c lb.
Butterfat—Portland delivery: A grade deliveries at least two weeks, 27-28c lb.; country butter, 26-28c lb.; G grade deliveries less than two weeks, 26-26 1/2c lb.; C grade at market.
Sales to retailers: Specials, large, 30c; extras, large, 28c; standards, large, 27c; extra medium, 23c; large, 27c; medium, extra, 27c; medium, extra, small, 17c dozen.
Eggs—Buying price of wholesalers: Fresh, 24c; extra, 27c; standards, 23c; extra medium, 23c; medium firsts, 19c; undergrade, 18c; pullets, 18c dozen.
Oregon triplets, 14c; Oregon loaf, 15c. Brokers will pay 1-2c below quotations.
Milk—Contract price: A, Portland delivery, \$2.20 cwt.; B grade cream, 27 1/2c lb.; surplus basis.
Country meats—Selling price to retailers: Country killed hogs, best butchers, under 150 lbs., 16 1/2-17c; vealers, No. 1, 12 1/2-14c lb.; light and dark, 9-10c lb.; heavy, 7 1/2-9c lb.; cutter cows, 6-7 1/2c lb.; canners, 5-6c lb.; bulls, 8c lb.; spring lambs, 10 1/2-11c lb.; medium, 9-10c lb.; ewes, 4-5c lb.
Mohair—1935 buying price, 20c lb. Casaca bark—Buying price, 1935 pool, 2 1/2c lb.
Hops—1934 clusters, 6-6 1/2c lb.
Live poultry—Portland delivery, buying price: Colored hens, over 5 1/2 lbs., 14-15c lb.; under 5 1/2 lbs., 15-16c lb.; Leghorn hens, over 3 1/2 lbs., 12-13c lb.; under 3 1/2 lbs., 12-13c lb.; spring, 2 1/2 lbs. and up, 18-19c lb.; under 2 1/2 lbs., 15c lb.; under 4 lbs., 16-17c lb.; white broilers, 13-14c lb.; roosters, 9c lb.; Pekin ducks, young, 15-17c lb.
New onions—Walla Walla, 50-60c per 50 lb. bag.
New potatoes—Local, \$1.15-1.25 cental; Yakima Netted Gems, \$1.25-1.35 cental; Catalpaes—California jumbo, \$2.50; The Dunes standard, \$1.50-1.60; Yakima standards, \$2 crate; pony, \$1.25 crate.
Wool—1935 clip, nominal; Willamette valley medium, 22c lb.; coarse and braic, 20c lb.; eastern Oregon, 18-22c lb.
Hay—Buying price from producer: Alfalfa No. 1, new price, \$16-16.50; eastern Oregon Timothy, \$17; oats, \$7-10 ton; Willamette valley Timothy, \$14; clover, \$7-10 ton, Portland.

Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 5.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs: Receipts, 1200, including 150 through and direct; market active, 75-90c higher; packing, 50-75c up; feeder pigs, \$1.50 higher; good to choice 170-215 lb., weights, mostly \$11.50; lot lots up to \$11.50, highest since September, 1930; weights, 235-300 lbs., \$10.75-11.25; light hogs mostly \$10.75-11.25; packing, 50-75c; choice light feeder pigs up to \$12.50; plainer and heavier kinds downward to \$10.75.
Cattle: Receipts 2600; including 48 direct; calves, 175; better grade steers steady; in between grades weak to 25c lower; the stock active, fully 35c higher; vealers 25-30c higher; bulk grass steers, \$4.75; few loads, \$7.25-7.85; heifers mostly \$4.50-6; several loads good beef cows, \$4.50-4.85; common to medium grades, \$3.50-4.25; few cutter and cutter cows, \$2.25-3.25; bulls, \$4.50; good to choice vealers, \$6.50-7.50; select to \$8.
Sheep: Receipts 2800; market fairly active, mostly steady; fat ewes weak; good fat lambs, \$6-6.25; one double good to choice 88-lb. eastern Oregon lambs, \$6.50; common to medium grades, \$4-5.50; yearlings mostly \$4-4.50; slaughter ewes, \$1.50-2.25.

PRUNE MEN INSIST UPON 1934 PRICES

Polk District Asks Others to Concur; Profit by Code Use Noted

Prune growers in the Polk county district west of the river met at the Mountain View schoolhouse Friday night and unanimously adopted a resolution that the growers present would insist upon receiving, for prunes for canning, not less than the prices established by the Oregon Prune Control board, Inc., on May 15, last, and urged other districts to concur in this action.

The group discussed the dried fruit situation and adopted a resolution to the effect that in view of the relatively small carryover of Italian prunes in the Northwest, growers looked with extreme disfavor upon current quotations for the 1935 crop of dried prunes, and urged price ideas be kept in line with code figures of last year.

A general discussion of the prune situation was held by William Linfoot, attorney for the state marketing agreement, with remarks by J. G. Hogg, president, L. H. McBee and Fred Kurts of the board of directors, and A. M. Chapman, prune administrator. Total expenses of the Oregon prune control board in operating its code for the 1934 prune crop reached \$6477.05 to June 30, 1935, with an estimated net profit to prune growers through the marketing agreement of \$374,230.66.

The audit shows 20,882.89 tons of dried prunes were sold with an estimated increase to growers through the marketing agreement at \$15 per ton totaling \$313,243.35. On canning prunes, with 11,244.06 tons sold at an estimated increase to growers through the marketing agreement at \$6 per ton, the total was \$67,464.38.

Code is in Force
For both dried and canning prunes, the figure reaches \$380,707.71, which less the \$6477.05 cost of operating the prune code

Infant Prodigy



Meet Bobby Doug McCullough, who at 23 months, is Santa Cruz, California's infant prodigy. He has a vocabulary of 350 words, knows his Mother Goose rhymes perfectly and has just learned to say "acram".

of July 1, 1935, the next profit stands at \$374,230.66.

S. T. White, state director of agriculture, the first of this month advised persons in charge of the various codes that his department expects the code to be operated under the law, just as though no question had been raised and just as though no decision by the supreme court were being asked. The state department of agriculture will continue to support the codes and marketing agreements until the law is declared otherwise, White has declared in a letter to Prune Administrator Chapman.

OHIO PICNIC DRAWS CROWD TO HAGER'S

A crowd of former Ohio residents, totaling more than 150, gathered Sunday at Hager's grove for the annual picnic of that state. On roll call, Mrs. E. S. Kryder, 98-year-old Corvallis woman, was found to be the oldest native-born Ohioan present, and Salem attendees reported she keenly enjoyed the gathering. W. F. Neptune was president the past year and also arranged the program.

All officers elected are from Salem: A. H. Dewey, president; H. P. Grant, vice-president; Carl Miller, treasurer; Mrs. H. L. Braden, secretary; C. P. Gillis, chairman entertainment; John White, head, chairman food. Selection of the 1936 meeting place was left to the executive committee.

Program numbers include an address by H. C. Leavenworth; violin selections by Jack Mosher and awarding of prizes to Ohio natives as follows:

Oldest Ohioan present, Mrs. Kryder; woman longest away from Ohio, Mrs. Mary Watts, Corvallis; man away from Ohio longest, James W. Frank, Albany; away 52 years; couple, both Ohio born, married longest, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wire, Albany; largest family, Fred Miller, Salem; most recent arrival from Ohio, John Caszell, came in July, 1934; newest married couple, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Farres, Salem.

GOVERNOR TO TAKE PARTIAL VACATION

Governor Martin announced Monday that he would not spend as much time in his office during the next three weeks as he has in the past. The situation, he said, was due to his desire to obtain a rest.

During the past seven months Governor Martin has not been away from his office more than five or six days. The governor has made it a practice to arrive

RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR NEW ROADS TOPIC

Officials of 13 Oregon counties will appear before the state highway commission at a special meeting in Portland August 15, in connection with acquiring rights-of-way necessary under the state's federal highway aid system.

JAPANESE STUDENT DELEGATION COMES

Cordial greetings were extended to the Japanese delegation of students who were given breakfast here Sunday morning. They arrived in buses and after the breakfast went on to Eugene where they had luncheon and then on to Medford. The breakfast here was held at the Y. M. C. A. because the weather was too threatening for the campus breakfast that had been planned. Fred Harris presided at the short program following the meal. Superintendent of Public Instruction C. A. Howard and Mayor Kuhn welcomed the visitors, also a man from the Lashby colony spoke to them in their native tongue. The young man who responded used English. He told of the delights they had enjoyed on the visit to America and said he felt grateful to Columbus for discovering the new world. The students are from 22 universities and colleges of Japan. They will go as far south as San Diego and then sail for home from Los Angeles.

At the next regular meeting of the commission, to be held in Portland August 29, contracts for road road construction aggregating \$1,500,000 will be awarded. The special meeting was announced by R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer.

MASONIC PICNIC 18th

MOLALLA, Aug. 5.—The date of the Masonic and Eastern Star picnic has been changed from August 11 to August 18. It will be at the Ridings' reunion park. The point committee is composed of rs. Floyd Campton, Mrs. F. M. Henriksen, Mrs. C. C. Connett, Harold Ridings, Maurice Buxton and C. C. Connett.



By CLIFF STERRETT



By WALT DISNEY



By JIMMY MURPHY



By BRANDON WALSH



By SEGAR



Cross Word Puzzle

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