

Sinking Spell Led by Steels

3 or More Points Lost by Market, Outlook Appears Gloomy

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Led by steels, the stock market suffered another sinking spell today, declining fractions to 3 or more points.

U. S. Steel, second most active issue, lost 4 1/4 at 104 3/8. Pressure on this and other steels was prompted, Wall Street men said, by the not-too-cholesterol midweek report of "iron age."

Construction has been declining and new projects in sight do not promise near-term revival, while railroad buyback importance has faded to develop, the review noted.

In the background of these more or less specific explanations for the market's lethargy and lack of energy, analysts cited as bearish factors recent declines in commodities, indications far eastern strife might be long protracted and fears in some quarters higher retail prices may check the speed of retail turnover in some lines.

The Associated Press average of 60 shares was down 1.8 to 84, the largest decline since June 14. The average of rail issues was up 1.2 to 24.4, lowest since July 7, 1936. Transactions totaled \$18,910 shares against 533,710 Tuesday.

State Poultryman Convention Soon

CORVALLIS—The fourteenth annual poultrymen's convention, consisting of an international program sponsored and arranged by the poultry department at Oregon State college, will be held Tuesday, September 14, in the Memorial Union building here.

announces H. E. Cosby, head of the department. The program will consist of

Salem Market Quotations

Table of market quotations for various commodities including wheat, flour, and oils. Columns list item names and prices per unit.

Wheat's Rally Proves Futile

Advance Caused by More Buying Power Halted, All Gains Lost

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—A non rally propelled by enlarged buying power lifted wheat prices out of the week's rife whither today, and when it subsided into quiet trading with all gains lost.

The flurry of buying was attributed partly to reports of food demand in northwestern markets, particularly at Winnipeg, and indicated export wheat business on the Canadian market of about 250,000 bushels. Flour trade here was reported gratifying.

An advance of 2 cents in rye at one stage on reports of export business helped sentiment in wheat and more notice was taken of international complications in the far east.

Quotations at Portland

Table of commodity prices at Portland for various goods such as produce, grain, and livestock. Columns list item names and prices.

Gardeners' and Ranchers' Mart

Portland, Sept. 1.—Receipts on the gardeners' and ranchers' market were heavier today, but prices held firm under good demand.

Watermelons moved slowly with dealers cutting prices as much as 25c a hundred weight. Grapes and Utah celery were lower, with Bartlett pears down 10c a box.

Light supplies of apricots brought 55-60c for 15-lb. boxes. Loose packs of Grevenstien sold for as high as \$1.19.

Week Brings Rain Frost, Dry Spell

Oregon's Crops Undergo Variety of Weather, Federal Report

PORTLAND, Sept. 1.—Oregon crop developments featured frost, dry weather and rain for the week ending August 31, the department of agriculture said today in summarizing crop conditions.

Pastures were benefited by good rains at the start and close of the week. Harvesting of early peaches is completed and the main crops are rapidly approaching maturity. Bartlett pear pickers have made good progress. Fruit began coloring in the Willamette valley. Northeastern counties continued their prune harvest.

"The Captive Bride" — By Barrett Willoughby

CHAPTER XLIV "Coward!" Van was on his feet, his eyes blazing with anger and outrage into the green flame of her. "Yes! Coward! Quitter! You've given up! You've—" "Little fool! You don't know what you're talking about! You've never in your life!" Denny cut in, holding up her right hand on which the burn stood out, red and swollen.

MARY ROBL RECOVERS

VICTOR POINT—Mary Faith Robl, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory A. Robl, is recovering satisfactorily from an operation for appendicitis. She was operated on in Silvertown and has been moved to her home here.

POLLY AND HER PALS



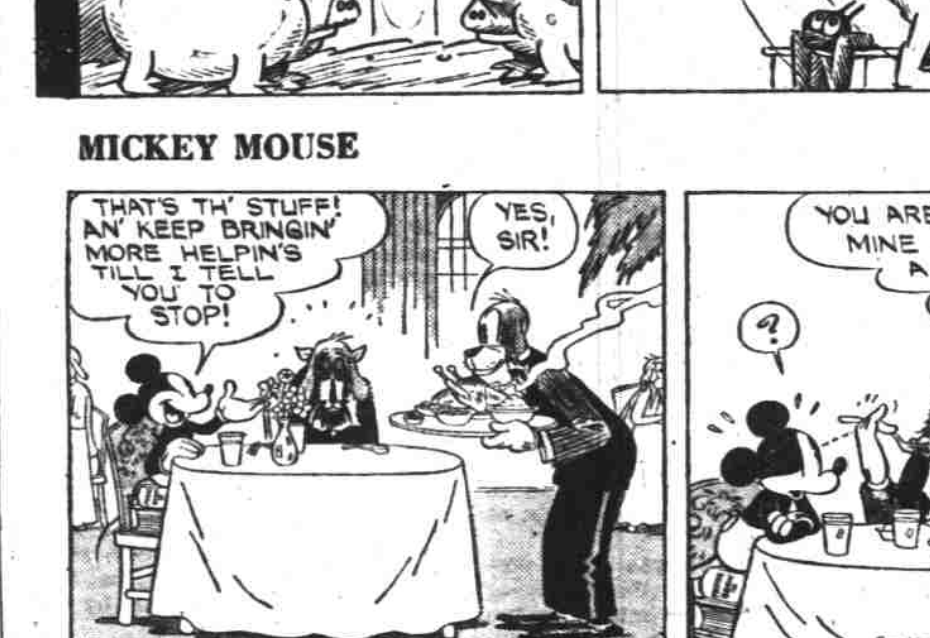
More Deadly Than the Male



MICKEY MOUSE



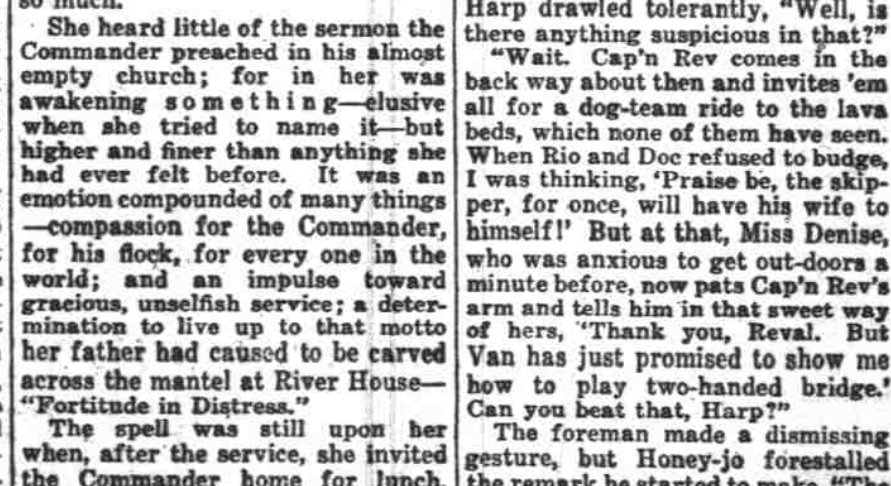
LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY



TOOTS AND CASPER



THIMBLE THEATRE—Starring Popeye



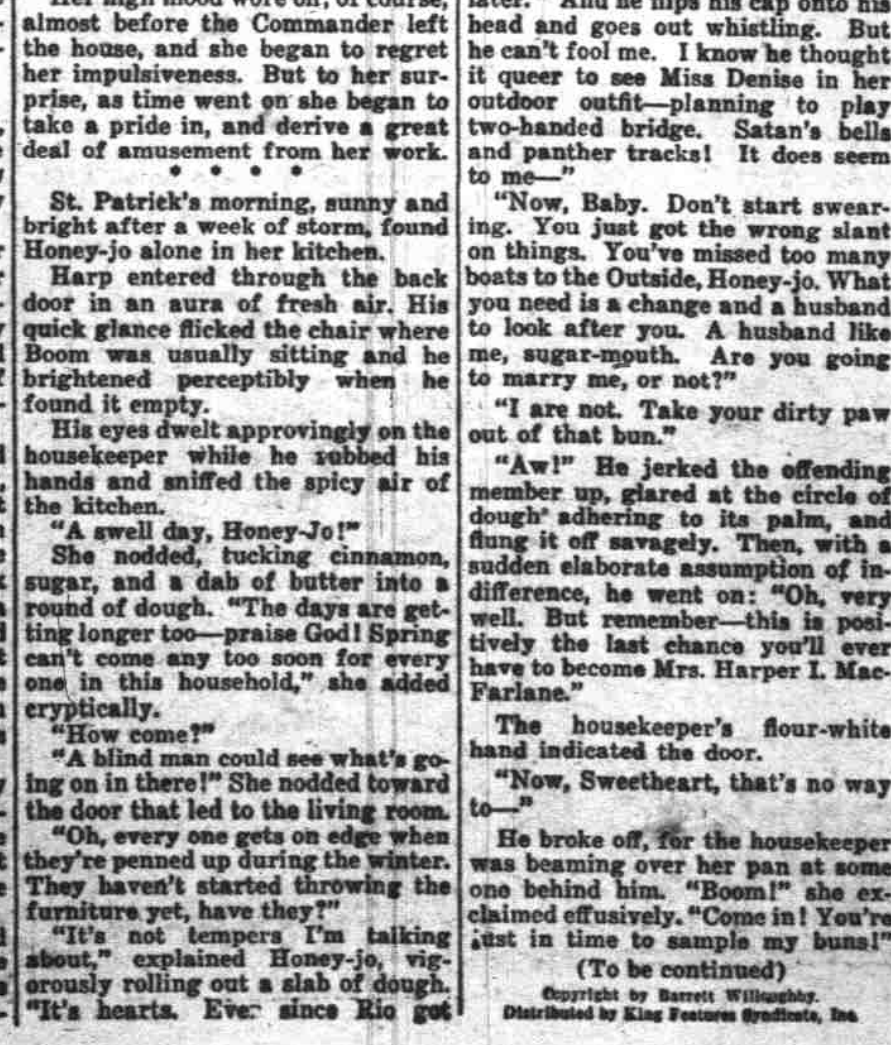
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