

Stock Market Rise Is Sharp

Railroad Stocks Buoyed
by Prospect of Wage
Issue Settlement

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Stocks jumped to the highest since March, influenced in part by weather conditions. Early reports of freight movement last week foreshadowed a further gain in total shipments for the week.

Railroad shares experienced the sharpest rise in months, and some Wall Street circles said buying was in part predicated on hopes of a satisfactory adjustment of the roads' plea for a 15 percent wage cut, which is slated for discussion between labor leaders and management July 20.

Utilities, which lagged last week, also joined the upward trek.

Prompt Action on Project Required

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and "failures to comply may result in cancellation of the allotment."

The letter also stated preference would be given applicants who could comply with the spirit and letter of the PWA act. The court had been informed it had 15 days from Monday in which to accept the grant offer and 11 weeks in which to start construction. The act sets September 30 as deadline on applications and January 1 for start of work.

Since the county now has preliminary plans for a new courthouse and its architects are under contract for detailed plans and specifications on order of the court, the county is in a position to rush construction if the voters authorize it.

Accompanying the Hockley letter was a statement from Washington, D.C., emphasizing not the erection of buildings but "creation of employment quickly" was the ultimate purpose of the new program.

Commissioner Roy S. Nelson said he felt the court should act to save the grant so that the people could express their opinion at an election as to whether a courthouse should be built. The matter of calling an election, however, is one for interested citizens and not the court to promote, he added.

Langer Gains but Nye Still Leading

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H. H. Thoresen, candidate for Governor on Nye's progressive-republican ticket against John N. Hagan, Langer League, 114c Nye's was whittled to close proportions. In 1,404 precincts, the vote stood: Hagan, 58,873; Thoresen, 60,072.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—(AP)—A suggestion that absentee ballots were used improperly in the republican senatorial primary in North Dakota Tuesday brought that contest under the scrutiny of the senate campaign funds committee tonight.

Chairman Sheppard (D-Tex.) announced that at the request of Senator Nye (R-ND) all of the state's county auditors would be questioned immediately on the extent to which such ballots were used.

Mockmore of Corvallis Officer, National Body For Engineering Study

COLLEGE STATION, Tex., June 29.—(AP)—Karl T. Compton of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology was elected president of the society for promotion of engineering education here today. C. A. Mockmore, professor of civil engineering at Oregon State college, was named a member of the executive council.

100 CCC Youths Rushed To Fight Forest Blaze

HOOD RIVER, June 29.—(AP)—More than 100 CCC enrollees were rushed today to the middle fork of the Hood river, between Parkdale and Dee, where a fire broke out in logged-over land and green timber.

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\$45,000 Swimming Pool Is Voted by The Dalles

THE DALLES, June 29.—(AP)—With a \$25,000 surplus available, the city council voted to seek construction of a \$45,000 natatorium on the Columbia river highway west of Mill creek. Aid of the federal government will be sought for the remaining funds needed.

B. H. Bennett Hurt When Car Strikes

Struck down by an automobile in the intersection of 12th and State streets shortly before 11 o'clock last night, B. H. Bennett, 65, was hospitalized at the Salem general hospital with a compound fracture of the leg and possible fractured ribs.

Bennett, said by an investigating officer not to have been in a pedestrian lane, was hit by a car driven by Robert Stiffler, 586 North 20th street, Stiffler, according to the officer, was driving west on State and said he did not see Bennett until his car struck him.

The Salem Taxi ambulance took the injured man, who resides at 925 South 21st, to the hospital.

Blue and Gray in Gettysburg Camp

GETTYSBURG, Pa., June 29.—(AP)—More than 1,500 old soldiers camped together tonight where many of them met in battle 75 years ago.

Their tents, where the blue and gray fighting "boys" of long ago latched and chatted together, were within sight of the memorable battlefields.

Another 1,000 Confederate and Union veterans are expected tomorrow for the eight-day reunion. They will join state and local groups for informal get-togethers. Then, heroes all, they will be the honored guests of the formal observance of the anniversary of the great battle, which begins Friday.

Hatfield Chosen To Head Kiwanis

SAN FRANCISCO, June 29.—(AP)—Choosing two high officers by acclamation and attacking aliens who fail to seek citizenship, Kiwanis International moved their 22nd annual convention toward conclusion in a fanfare of Anglo-American good will today.

H. Glen Hatfield, Oklahoma City wholesale coffee merchant, became president to succeed F. Trafford Taylor of St. Boniface, Manitoba, and Bennett O. Knudsen, Albert Lea, Minn., was chosen vice-president from the United States. Hatfield formerly was treasurer.

Hoppers, Drought Take Most Grain

BROOKINGS, S. D., June 29.—(AP)—Grasshoppers and drought have taken 90 per cent of the grain crop in northwestern South Dakota. It was reported today by Extension Entomologist George I. Gilbertson of the South Dakota State Agricultural college.

The central area also is badly infested with hoppers, the entomologist said, but crops are still being saved in the southwestern and eastern third of the state.

'37 Birth Record Increase Slight

WASHINGTON, June 29.—(AP)—The census bureau reported today that there were 17 births per 1,000 population in the United States last year. In 1936 the figure was 16.7.

Since 1915 the birthrate had generally been declining. The District of Columbia had increased birth rates last year. New Mexico had the highest rate, 31.4, and New Jersey the lowest, 12.5.

Olympic Peninsula Approved as Park

President Signs Measure
Setting Aside Area for
National Park

HYDE PARK, N. Y., June 29.—(AP)—President Roosevelt set aside 643,000 Olympic peninsula acres, some of the wildest and most beautiful in the nation, as a national park today.

He signed HR 10024, creating Olympic national park, climaxing three years of effort by its sponsors to set up a national playground and to preserve a mountain wilderness.

The signing, he said, gave him "great pleasure."

"This is the logical development arising out of the establishment of the Mount Olympus national monument during the administration of President Theodore Roosevelt, together with added sections from the Olympic national forest," the president said in a memorandum which accompanied announcement of the signing.

"In the future the new Olympic national park may be extended in area by adding lands acquired by gift or purchase or additional lands from the Olympic national forest."

"The establishment of this new national park will be of interest to everybody in the country. Its scenery and its remarkable tree growth are well worth seeing, and it is a worthy addition to the splendid national parks which have already been created in many parts of the country."

Title Fight Films Moved to Capitol

The overwhelming response to the Louis-Schmeling fight pictures during the early part of the week has caused Manager Carl Porter to move them from the Elsinore to the Capitol theatre where they will play today, Friday and Saturday.

As the feature attractions at the Capitol for today, Friday and Saturday, in conjunction with the fight pictures, the famed fiction detective "The Saint" makes his screen debut in "The Saint in New York" plus, as the second feature, the mad Marxes, Groucho, Chico and Harpo in "A Day At The Races."

"Tad" Shelton Recovering
County Assessor R. "Tad" Shelton, who underwent an operation for appendicitis late Tuesday, was resting well and "doing nicely" last night, Salem general hospital attendants reported. He was stricken ill after he arrived at his office Tuesday morning.

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Missing Man's Remains Found by His Brother

PENDLETON, June 29.—(AP)—Missing since Monday, William Plucker, 35, of Adams, was found dead today in Thorn Hollow canyon by his brother, C. E. Plucker. Plucker disappeared after he had gone to get his cows. Coroner Allen was investigating possibility that Plucker suffered a spasm and was killed in a fall.

Deficit Smallest In Several Years

WASHINGTON, June 29.—(AP)—For the eighth consecutive year, the treasury will enter a deficit on its books tomorrow when it concludes the 1938 fiscal year. The red ink figure of \$1,400,000,000 will be the smallest in seven years, however.

The government spent slightly more than \$7,600,000,000 while its income was about \$6,200,000,000. The resulting deficit was about half of last year's.

The closer balance was due to a \$400,000,000 reduction in expenditures and a \$1,000,000,000 increase in revenue. Income taxes, totaling \$2,830,000,000, were the highest in 17 years and social security taxes also helped increase income.

During the year, the public debt reached a new high of \$37,814,017 on March 12, but because of income tax collections and the spending of previously idle gold, the debt was reduced to \$37,125,000,000 by the end of the fiscal year.

Silverton School Bond Vote Is Set

SILVERTON, June 29.—At a special meeting of the Silverton school board with the executive committee of the town planning board, agreement was reached to call a bond election July 26, asking for \$85,000 to use toward construction of a new \$150,000 high school here.

Application for a WPA grant for 45 per cent of the construction total was authorized at this meeting.

Need for a new high school has been apparent here for some time.

Third Trial Seen For J. Estabrook

Moody Says Jury Deadlock
8-4 for Conviction; Is
out 39 Hours

DALLAS, Ore., June 29.—(AP)—Ralph Moody, former assistant attorney general appointed by Governor Martin to assist District attorneys in prosecuting labor vandalism cases, said today that Jack Estabrook, formed official of the AFL warehousemen's union in Portland, would be tried again on a charge of participating in the bombing of the store of William Fugy at Rock Creek on May 30, 1935.

The second trial of Estabrook ended at Hillsboro today when a jury was dismissed after deliberating 39 hours.

"Sure, we'll try him again," Moody said. "The jury stood deadlocked at 8 to 4 for conviction."

HILLSBORO, Ore., June 29.—(AP)—For the second time a jury in the trial of Jack Estabrook failed to agree and was dismissed today, leaving the former official of an AFL warehousemen's union at Portland facing the prospect of a third trial in September.

Estabrook is charged with participation in the bombing of the William Fugy store at Rock Creek on Memorial day, 1935, the state alleging that Fugy's sale of beer made by a company which was being picketed drew down the wrath of certain union leaders.

The second jury was out 39 hours. Circuit Judge Frank Peters, after questioning the jurors and being told that an agreement was impossible, discharged them. District Attorney Russell Morgan said another trial probably would be held in September.

25,000 Pounds of Sole Caught at Marshfield

MARSHFIELD, June 29.—(AP)—Earl McCarty, commercial fisherman here, gave the devotees of sole a literal plentiful this week when he landed a catch of 25,000 pounds, the largest ever unloaded here so far as records show.

B'nai B'rith Picks SF For Convention in '39

PORTLAND, June 29.—(AP)—The 75th annual Pacific coast convention of B'nai B'rith, national Jewish organization, ended here with selection of San Francisco for next year's meeting and the election of a Portland lawyer, David Robinson, as president, succeeding Jacob J. Lieberman, Los Angeles.

Sweden's Prince Warmly Greeted

PHILADELPHIA, June 29.—(AP)—Hundreds of thousands of persons lined the shores of the Schuylkill river tonight and gave an uproarious welcome to Prince Bertil, of Sweden, at a regatta that ended a day of festivities for the broad-shouldered prince.

The crowd, estimated at more than 200,000 by city officials, was packed along both shores of the river for more than a mile. When the prince arrived at the reviewing stand, the cheers drowned out the booming of small cannon.

The prince, with his father the Crown Prince Gustaf Adolf, came to the United States with a delegation to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the first Swedish settlement in America, witnessed a majestic spectacle that ended with the flags of Sweden and the United States displayed in fireworks.

Azure-Eyed Flame Top Marshfield Candidate

MARSHFIELD, June 29.—(AP)—This city's expert on red hair, Mayor Charles H. Huggins, said Marshfield's candidate for the annual Taft Redhead Roundup would be Miss Theima Chaney. She is five feet, three inches tall, weighs 122 pounds, has blue eyes and, of course, like the mayor, has brilliant red hair.

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