

Peace Talk Stops Market Rise

War Shares Are Unloaded

Aircrafts Chief Sufferer in Slide; Motors, Steels Down

NEW YORK, March 12.—(AP)—Finnish-Russian truce negotiations smashed a rise in the stock market today as holders of "war baby" shares hurriedly disposed of quantities of their holdings.

Aircrafts were the chief sufferers, sliding in the last hour as much as three points to end the day more than a point below yesterday's final position.

The slide in aircrafts affected the previously buoyant steels and motors, which slipped and carried rails and copers lower.

However, the market had sufficient resilience to balance its losses with advances and the Associated Press average of 60 selected stocks was unchanged at 50.1. The turnover was the best since February 6, with 884,240 shares changing hands compared with 587,680 yesterday.

Early impetus to dealings was given by rising prices which caused many "short" traders to cover. During four hours the trend was all upward. Several stocks reached new highs for the year. Then came rumors of an armistice in the northern battle area and the slide in quotations.

Farm implements shares, including Caterpillar and Harvester, held their gains while traders watched the progress in Washington of the farm bill with its \$923,000,000 in appropriations.

Ending the day with declines were Douglas, United Aircraft, Glen Martin, Bendix, Curtiss-Wright, Sears Roebuck, Dow Chemical, American Smelting, Kennecott, American Telephone and DuPont. The last two had reached new year's peaks early in the session.

General Motors, Chrysler, U.S. Rubber, Allied Chemical, and Kroger Grocery were among those on the upside.

County's Onion Growers to Meet

LABISH CENTER—Because a number of the onion growers have urged the Marion county onion growers committee to request the federal surplus commodities corporation for a purchase of onions in addition to the 50 cars allotted to western Oregon at the present time, a meeting of all growers interested in this plan has been called for tonight at 8 p.m., at the Labish Center schoolhouse.

The third purchase last week was designated as the final one of the season on the corporation's report released about a week ago.

Return From Trips

AMITY—Mrs. J. M. Umphlette returned last week from a month's visit with relatives in San Francisco.

Mrs. May Dickey returned Wednesday from a five months' visit in Culdesac, Idaho, and in Montana with relatives and friends.

Closing Quotations

NEW YORK, March 12.—(AP)—Today's closing quotations:			
Al Chem & Dye	177 1/2	Coml Solvent	14
Allied Stores	8 1/4	Comwlth & Sou.	1 1/4
American Can	115 1/4	Consol Edison	31
Am Far Power	1 1/4	Consol Oil	7 1/4
Am Power & Lt.	3 1/4	Consol Products	62 1/4
Am Rad Std San	9	Curtiss Wright	10 1/4
Am Rail Mills	67 1/4	Douglas Aircraft	81 1/4
Am Smelt & Ref	49 1/4	Du Pont	186
Am Tel & Tel	174 1/4	Elce Power & Lt	5
Amer Tobacco	89 1/4	Erle RR	1 1/4
Am Water Wks.	9	General Electric	38 1/4
Anacosta	29	General Foods	47 1/4
Armour III	22 1/4	General Motors	54 1/4
Atchison	22 1/4	Goodyear Tires	23 1/4
Barnsdall	5 1/4	Great Northern	23 1/4
Balt & Ohio	11 1/4	Hudson Motors	6 1/4
Bendix Aviation	33 1/4	Illinois Central	11 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	77 1/4	Insp Copper	13 1/4
Boeing Air	23	Int Harvester	58
Borg Warner	22 1/4	Int Nickel Can	35 1/4
Budd Mfg	5 1/4	Int Paper & P.	4 1/4
Callahan Z-L	1 1/4	Johns Manville	72 1/4
Calumet Hec	7 1/4	Kennecott	36 1/4
Canadian Pacific	6 1/4	Libbey-O-Ford	50
J I Case	6 1/4	Lig & Myers B.	108 1/4
Caterpillar Tractor	51 1/4	Loew's	35 1/4
Celanese	31 1/4	Monty Ward	54 1/4
Certain-Teed	6 1/4	Nash Kelvinator	7
Ches & Ohio	39 1/4	Natl Biscuit	24 1/4
Chrysler	86 1/4	Natl Cash	14 1/4
Natl Dairy Prod	17	Natl Dist	25
Natl Pacific	7 1/4	Natl Power & Lt	8 1/4
Packard	3 1/4	Pharmaceuticals	39 1/4
Phillips Petrol	12 1/4	Press Steel Car.	41 1/4
Pullman	21 1/4	Pub Service NJ.	47 1/4
Safeway Stores	51 1/4	Sears Roebuck	84 1/4
Shell Union	10 1/4	Sheil Union	10 1/4
Sou Cal Edison	30	Sou Cal Edison	30
Southern Pacific	12 1/4	Standard Brands	7
Standard Oil	23 1/4	Standard Oil NJ	43 1/4
Studebaker	11 1/4	Timk Roll Bear.	50 1/4
Trans-America	6 1/4	Union Carbide	84 1/4
United Aircraft	47 1/4	United Airlines	17 1/4
US Steel	57 1/4	US Rubber	36 1/4
Western Union	24	White Motors	11 1/4
Woolworth	41 1/4		

Mickey and new Girl Friend?



Mickey Rooney and Rita Quigley

Is Rita Quigley, juvenile screen player, Mickey Rooney's new heart interest? We wouldn't know, but here is Mickey with the young lady. It is said the two are frequently in each other's company. Mickey is the No. 1 boxoffice attraction in the films right now.

Drama in Courtroom



A coroner's jury in Los Angeles returns a verdict of "excusable homicide" in the case against Gordon Whisenhunt, 23, accidental slayer of his brother in an argument, and Mrs. Arthur Whisenhunt, the boy's mother, collapses and cries pitifully. Her husband is shown supporting her. The dead boy, Lyndville, 17, died after being knocked unconscious during a struggle with Gordon over use of the "family car."

Salem Market Quotations

(Buying Prices)		Grade B raw 4 per cent milk, Dairy Co-op price to distributors, \$1.80.	
(Selling Prices)		Butterfat, No. 1, 80 1/4 c; No. 2, 28 1/4 c; premium 81 1/4 c.	
VEGETABLES		A grade print, 84 1/4 c; B grade 82 1/4 c; quarters 84 1/4 c.	
Beets, doz.	35	White Leghorns, light	.08
Cabbage, doz.	40	Old roosters	.05
Carrots, Calif., doz.	40	Heavy fryers, 1 1/2 lbs.	.13 and .12
Canflower, local	1.15	(Buying Prices of Marion Creamery)	
Celery	2.25	Overalls A	.17
Letts, Calif.	3.25	Specials, large	.16
Onions, 50 lbs.	.50	Grade A large doz.	.15
Green onions, doz.	.40	Grade A medium doz.	.13
Peppers, green	.25	Grade B large doz.	.14
Potatoes, local, wt. No. 1	1.40	Undergrades and chex	.11
50 lb. bags	.40	Pullets	.09
Radishes	.14	Leghorns, hens	.10
Spinach, Seattle, box	1.25	Leghorn fryers, 1 1/2 lbs.	.14
Turnips, doz.	.40	Colored fryers, 2 1/2 lbs.	.12
Rhubarb, fancy	.90	Colored hens	.12
Broccoli, doz.	.50	Old roosters	.06
Radishes, doz.	.40		
Mustard Greens	.50		
GRAIN, HAY AND SEEDS		HOPS	
Wheat, ba. No. 1, delivered	.75 to .80	(Buying Prices)	
Oats, ton	nominal	1938, lb.	.20
Feed barley, ton	20.00	1939	.20 to .23
Clover hay, ton	10.00		
Alfalfa hay, ton	14.00		
Egg mash, No. 1 grade, 80 lb. bag	1.80		
Dairy feed, 80 lb. bag	1.45		
Hen scratch feed	1.85		
Cracked corn	1.85		
Wheat	1.60		
EGGS AND POULTRY		LIVESTOCK	
(Buying Prices of Anderson's)		(Buying prices for No. 1 stock, based on conditions and sales reported up to 4 p.m.)	
Grade A large, doz.	.35	Lamb, yearlings	5.50 to 6.00
Grade A medium, doz.	.33	Lamb, 1939, top	9.00
Grade B large, doz.	.31	Hogs, top, 160-220 lbs.	5.80 to 6.00
Grade B medium, doz.	.29	Sows	3.75 to 4.25
Colored hens	.12	Beef cows	2.25 to 5.75
Colored fryers	.10	Bulls	5.00 to 6.50
White Leghorn, heavy	.10	Heifers	5.00 to 6.50
White Leghorn fryers	.11	Dairy cows	4.50 to 5.25
		Live veal, lb.	.10
		Dressed veal, lb.	.14

Quotations at Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., March 12.—(AP)—		125 to 150 lb. 7 1/2 c; ewers, fancy,	
lamb exchange:		15-15 1/2 lb.; light (thin), 10-11 lb.; heavy,	
Butter: Extras 30; standards 29 1/4;		10-11 lb.; spring lamb, 15c lb.; ewes 4 to	
prime firsts 28; firsts 28 1/4.		6 c; good cutter, 9 1/2 c; 10 lb. canner,	
Cattle: Extras 17; standards 16 1/2;		8 1/2 c; 12 lb. canner, 10 1/2 c.	
milkfat 21-21 1/2.		Live poultry — Buying prices:	
Hens: Large extras 18; standards 17;		Leghorn broilers, 1 to 1 1/2 lbs., 16c lb.;	
medium 16 1/2; small 16; 10 lb. canner,		1 1/2 to 2 lbs., 16c lb.; 2 to 3 lbs., 16c lb.;	
16c lb.; do 3 to 4 lbs., 16c lb.; roasters,		over 4 lbs., 16c lb.; 4 to 5 lbs., 16c lb.;	
over 5 lbs., 16c lb.; colored hens, 4 lbs.		under 8 1/2 lbs., 16c lb.; over 8 1/2 lbs.,	
16c lb.; do 8 1/2 to 9 lbs., 16c lb.;		16c lb.; No. 2, 16c lb.	
Turkeys—Selling prices: Hens, 16c;		17c lb.; toms, 15c lb. Buying prices:	
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