

Steel, Rails Show Rally

General Share List Fails to Raise, Some up Point

NEW YORK, March 24 (AP)—Buying in steel and rails gave the stock market a pivot for a mild rally today.

Despite threat of an imminent showdown in the Balkans and the maneuvering for a boost in steel wages, speculation in securities shifted to the upside in step with a renewed advance in commodities.

Some prominent shares finished up a point or more, including American Telephone and DuPont. The general list, wedged in a narrow range for more than a month, failed to break out of the rut.

Stocks in line to benefit from higher inventory values and farm trade crept ahead with staple markets.

Rail bonds and stocks were bought on forecasts of a continued climb in traffic.

Officers were elected by ballot for the coming year. Installation will be in April.

Mrs. J. M. Sehon, principal of Central Howell, spoke of her work in art at her school and displayed some nice work her pupils had done this year.

Privilege Given The Salem office of Postal Telegraph-Cable company announced today receipt of a new regulation extending to anyone in uniform of the armed forces of the United States the privilege of sending collect telegrams.

Stocks and Bonds STOCK AVERAGES Compiled by Associated Press

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“Strictly Private”

By Quinn Hall



DEAR MOM— YOU’VE WANTED TO PRACTICE MAKING A DRAWING OF THE WHOLE CAMP TODAY. YOU CAN TELL SHE AIN’T NO ARTIST. SHE DRAWS LIKE SOME LITTLE KID WOULD DRAW... SO I HAD TO HELP HER WITH LOCATING A LOT OF THE STUFF ON THE MAP..

P.S. SHE’S A CARD, MOM... WHEN I TOLD HER WHERE THE POWDER WAS KEPT SHE THOUGHT I WAS TALKING ABOUT SOME READY PARLOR, I GUESS... MA! MA!

YOUR SON Private Peter Plink AD Feature 5-25

Closing Quotations

Table of closing quotations for various commodities like Air Reduction, Alaska Juneau, Allis Chalmers, etc.

Salem Market Quotations

Table of Salem market quotations for items like Butterfat, No. 1, 35c; No. 2, 33c; premium, 36c.

Cross Word Puzzle



Word puzzle clues for horizontal and vertical words, including 'tropical American parrot', 'prepares for publication', 'moderately warm', etc.

Wheat Prices Close Higher

Securities Attract Interest, Flour Business Small

CHICAGO, March 24 (AP)—Grain prices resumed an upward course today on the strength of quiet but persistent buying attributed to previous short sellers, investors and commercial interest, including mills and flour users.

Strength of securities and certain commodities like lard and soy beans, reports of government purchases of some produce, possibly for shipment overseas and possibility of senate committee approval of legislation which would raise loan rates of some staples, including wheat, attracted trade interest. Flour business remained on a small scale, however.

Wheat rose as much as 1 1/4 cents at times and closed 1/2-3/4 higher than Saturday, May 87 1/2-3/4, July 85 1/2-3/4.

Safety Rims Prove Value

DETROIT, March 24—Safety rims, standard equipment on all 1941 De Soto models, have taken much of the danger out of blow-outs, according to L. G. Peed, vice president of the De Soto division of Chrysler corporation.

This was demonstrated over a long experimental period by daredevil test drivers in De Soto cars who, at speeds of from 70 to 80 miles an hour, set off dynamite charges that blew holes as big as a man’s fist in tire casings. Safety rims, the tests demonstrated time after time, enabled the cars to be brought down to safe speeds, fully under control, without dangerous swerving and without “throwing” the blown-out tires.

Quotations at Portland

Produce Exchange PORTLAND, Ore., March 24 (AP)—Butter prints, 2 1/2 grade, 36 1/2 in parchment wrappers; 37 1/2 in cartons; B grade, 36 1/2 in parchment wrappers; Butterfat—First quality, maximum 30 of 1 per cent acidity, delivered Portland, 35-36 1/2 lb.; premium quality (maximum of 25 of 1 per cent acidity), 36 1/2-37 1/2 lb.; valley routes and country points 25 to 30; second quality 1 cents under first, or 34c.

Portland Grain PORTLAND, Ore., March 24 (AP)—Futures: Open High Low Close. May: 74 3/4 74 3/4 74 3/4 74 3/4. Cash Grain: Oats, No. 2, 39-40; white, 39.00; barley, No. 2, 45-46; BW, 24.25; corn, No. 2, 2Y shipments, 30.25; No. 1, 30.00.

Portland Livestock PORTLAND, Ore., March 24 (AP)—(USDA)—Hogs: Salable 1200, total 2300; market active, 25-35 higher than Friday.

Portland Produce PORTLAND, Ore., March 24 (AP)—Country meats: Selling price retail. Country hams, 12-15; vealers, 17-18; light-hin, 12-15; heavy 12-15.

Farm Society Has Election

State Camp Fire Head Visits Woodburn Girls’ Group

WOODBURN — Charles Filbin was elected president of the local chapter of Future Farmers of America at a meeting held during activity period Thursday.

Other officers are vice president, Bill McFollock; secretary, John Garber; treasurer, Myron Harper; reporter, Clem Dryden. The officers will take over in April. Henry Pavlek is the chapter’s advisor.

WOODBURN—The Camp Fire Girls held their meeting at the home of their guardian, Mrs. Henry Pavlek. Election of officers was held with the following results: President, Angela Smith; vice president, Betty Miller; secretary, Barbara Fisher; treasurer, Shirley Rockefeller; scribe, Jean Bentley.

Auburn Club Has Meet

AUBURN—The Auburn Woman’s club met at the home of Mrs. T. C. Morgan, with Mrs. Helen Eckstine assisting. Mrs. Endresen presided over the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Thomas Teeson.

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MT. ANGEL—Members of the Mt. Angel council of the Knights of Columbus went to Woodburn Sunday, to help the Knights there organize a Woodburn council.

The Mt. Angel Knights exemplified the ritualistic work for the charter members. The program began at 1 p.m.

At 7 p.m. there was a turkey banquet for local and visiting knights and their ladies. During the afternoon business sessions the wives of the visiting knights were entertained by the Woodburn women.

LOANS advertisement from STATE FINANCE CO. with contact information: 344 State, CHILDS & MILLER OFFICE, Phone 8261.

THE LONE RANGER comic strip panel showing the hero on horseback.

A Hunted Man Goes Hunting comic strip panel with dialogue about a man being hunted.

LOANS advertisement panel with text about business emergency loans.

Church Group Makes Trip comic strip panel showing a group of people.

POLLY AND HER PALS comic strip panel with dialogue about a late dinner.

Public Thoroughfare comic strip panel with dialogue about a man being proposed to.

EVERYTHIN’ SET FER TH’ NIGHT, PAW? comic strip panel with dialogue about a cat.

MEANWHILE, THE SHERIFF STARTS A POSSE TO HUNT THE LONE RANGER. comic strip panel showing a posse.

MICKY MOUSE comic strip panel with dialogue about understanding a vine.

WHEN I CAME BACK IT WAS FASTER ON THE OTHER SIDE... YOU COULDN’T HAVE USED IT! comic strip panel with dialogue about a car.

SHOULD YOU? IT’S THE ONLY WAY TO GET IN! comic strip panel with dialogue about a fire escape.

SEE WHAT I MEAN? GOOD GOSH! HAS THAT LADDER BEEN THERE A WHILE? comic strip panel with dialogue about a ladder.

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY comic strip panel with dialogue about orange juice.

OUR CUSTOMERS WOULD BE ASHAMED TO IMPOSE ON A KIND-HEARTED KID AND THE PEOPLE ANNIE HELPS HUNDREDS ANY MONEY FOR ORANGE JUICE comic strip panel with dialogue about orange juice.

THE ORANGES SHE USES ARE CUTS, THROW-OUTS, ETC.—ANNIE GETS THEM FREE—OF COURSE. SHE HAS TO PICK, WASH AND SQUEEZE ‘EM—IT’S HARD WORK FOR A KID, BUT... comic strip panel with dialogue about oranges.

WHY, YOU SHEET LITTLE GIRL... YOU MAKE ME REALIZE HOW MUCH GOOD ONE UNSELFISH PERSON CAN DO IN THE WORLD. G’WAN, YOU’RE RIGHT ME... IT’S JUST LIKE PLAYING A GAME—HONESTY IS A HAWN LOTSA FUN comic strip panel with dialogue about a game.

POPEYE PHONED AND SAID HE WOULD BE RIGHT OVER. HIS VOICE SEEMED STRANGE comic strip panel with dialogue about Popeye.

OLIVE, I HAVE COMED TO SAY GOOD-BYE, I’M GOING ON DANGEROUS VOYAGE. YES? WHO IS THE SEA GOON? NOBODY KNOWS! comic strip panel with dialogue about Olive and a sea goon.

THE ‘SEA GOON’ SOUNDS HORRIBLE. I WANT YOU TO TAKE SOMETHING ALONG TO BRING YOU GOOD LUCK. OKAY comic strip panel with dialogue about good luck.

WHAT IS IT THAT WILL BRING GOOD LUCK, OLIVE? ME comic strip panel with dialogue about good luck.

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