

War News Aids Stock Market

Revival Follows Early Downtrend; Gains Big in Heavy Trade

NEW YORK, Feb. 1 (AP)—Further cheering Russian war news helped prop up the stock market Monday after early profit taking on the lengthy rise had given the list a generally lower slant.

A revival of rails and motors, along with scattered blue chips, brought a last-hour shift in many leaders and, while losers were plentiful at the close, gains running to a point or so were widely distributed and there was an assortment of new highs for more than a year in evidence.

Aside from the brightening military picture, inflationary psychology and investment demand persisted as buying incentives accounts were lightened in numerous instances, however, on the thought that a technical correction of the strong recovery from the bottoms of last April was overdue.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was up 2 of a point at 44.2, a peak since July 28, 1941. Transfers, despite frequent slow-downs, amounted to 1,086,750 shares against 1,225,520 in the previous full session. It was another of the broadest markets in months, 865 individual issues being traded. Of these 395 were up and 470 down or unchanged.

Spring Planting, New Crops Topics Of Meeting Series

Crops for spring planting, pasture crops and seed crops will be discussed at a series of meetings to be held for Marion county farmers on February 3 and 4 as arranged by W. G. Nibler, assistant county agent.

Spring planting will be a problem on many farms. Lack of fall seedlings, labor shortage and new war crops such as flax seed present a complicated picture in deciding what to plant. Farmers will want to get maximum production of hay, seed and grain for the war effort.

Meetings are scheduled for Wednesday, February 3, at the St. Paul city hall at 1:30 p.m. and the Quinby Royal Neighbors hall at 7:30 p.m. On February 4, meetings are at Hubbard city hall at 1:30 p.m. and at night in the Sublimity Farmer's Union hall.

E. R. Jackman, farm crops specialist from Oregon State college who is acquainted with these new crops, will be present at all meetings to assist in the discussions.

Cpl Miller Visits

WOODBURN — Corporal Leo Miller of Ft. Lawton, near Seattle and Miss Delpha Havard of Seattle were guests Sunday and Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George V. Miller, Corporal Miller expects to be transferred to a new location in the near future. Other weekend guests at the Miller home include Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nusom and son Gerald of Portland and George Adams of Port Orford, Oregon. Geo. V. Miller is spending two weeks vacation at home.

'Asparagus'

George "Bugs" Moran, parveer of booze to Chicago's north side during prohibition years, grimaces following his arrest after police found him tussling with a coast guard ensign in a Leap street. Moran was held without charge while police investigated his record showing he was wanted for bond forfeiture. He told police he was an "asparagus salesman."—Associated Press Telegram.

'Strictly Private' By Quinn Hall



Victory Garden Production To Be Discussed Today

The Marion county extension service has called a meeting of representatives throughout the county to discuss 1943 victory gardens. The sessions will start at 1 p.m. Tuesday in the chamber of commerce.

Attending will be delegates with food or health; civilian defense, Red Cross, canners and packers, state department of agriculture, Farmers Unions, county school superintendent, Salem public schools, employment service, agriculture war board, seed dealers, county home extension committee, agriculture planning committees, service clubs, newspapers, public health and garden clubs.

The meeting is called at the suggestion of the state victory garden committee. Committees to be selected are those for the conservation of lawns, gardens and shrubs, educational procedure, planting farm and home victory gardens and conservation and preservation food besides the Salem committee.

Robert Rieder, county agent, stated Monday that the problem

Quotations at Portland

Produce Exchange PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 1 (AP)—Dressed turkeys—selling prices: Country dressed hens 34-35c; others unchanged. Butter: extras 48; standards 47 1/2; prime first 46 1/2; Buttermilk: 52-53 1/2.

Portland Produce PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 1 (AP)—Butter—Jints, A grade, 5 1/2c lb. in packages, 5c in parchment wrappers, 5 1/2c in cartons.

Wool in Boston BOSTON, Feb. 1 (AP)—(USDA)—Activity continues in both grease and scoured South American wools suitable for recently-issued government orders for blanket production.

Stocks and Bonds Compiled by The Associated Press STOCK AVERAGES February 1

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Portland Grain PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 1 (AP)—Wheat: No futures quoted. Cash grain: Oats No. 2-38 lb. white 30c; barley No. 2-43 lb. B.W. 31.50c. No. 1 flax 2.75.

Portland Livestock PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 1 (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle: Salable 1600, total 1600; calves salable 160, total 160; market fully steady to strong; extreme top fed steers 50 higher, mainly on quality; medium good fed steers 12.25-13.00, few

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Slack Buying Pushes All Grains Down

CHICAGO, Feb. 1 (AP)—Buying interest in grains was at a low point Monday, and as a consequence, declines were registered in all pits on scattered selling.

Wheat and rye were under most pressure, the latter grain falling more than a cent in a continuation of the slump which started Saturday when agricultural department officials were quoted as saying they could see no immediate need for rye shipments to Russia.

Final prices on wheat were 1/4-1 cent lower, May \$1.39 3/4-3/8, July \$1.39 1/2-1/4 (corn was off 1/4-3/8, May 98-98 1/2, oats declined 1/4-3/8, rye dropped 1 1/4-1 1/2 and soybeans slumped 3/4).

After the market closed, the department announced a floor under millfeed prices. The support will apply only to millfeeds derived as a by-product in the manufacture of flour for human consumption. The ruling gives millers a guaranteed price for millfeeds, and traders said, might compensate for any loss sustained by operations under floor ceilings.

The commodity credit corporation here advanced its price for milling wheat to \$1.59 a bushel, or 3 cents more than was asked in late January. The upturn resulted from the increase in parity between December 15 and January 15.

Leaders of the Allied Forces



Principal figures in historic allied war strategy conference at Casablanca, north Africa, are grouped on the lawn of the hotel where they met. (Left to right) Gen. Henri Honoré Giraud, north African high commissioner; President Roosevelt; Gen. Charles de Gaulle, Fighting French leader, and Prime Minister Churchill of Great Britain.—Associated Press Telegram.

Salem Market Quotations

Table of market quotations for various commodities including feed barley, clover hay, oat and vetch hay, wheat, butter, eggs, and poultry.

Table of market quotations for livestock including white leghorn fryers, large and medium fryers, pullets, and various types of cattle and sheep.

Comic strip 'Spirit of the Offensive' by Scorchy Smith, featuring a character in a cockpit.

Comic strip 'Barney Google' by King Features Syndicate, Inc., featuring Barney Google.

Comic strip 'I Snow!' featuring a character talking about winter weather.

Comic strip 'Attention! Airfield "K"!' featuring a character reporting on an airfield.

Comic strip 'Africa, My Eye!' featuring a character talking about Iceland.

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Comic strip 'BRRR!' featuring a character talking about cold weather.

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Comic strip 'Hi, Minnie!' featuring Mickey Mouse and Minnie Mouse.

Comic strip 'Well, I finally managed to get tickets!' featuring Mickey Mouse.

Comic strip 'Tonight?' featuring Mickey Mouse.

Comic strip 'Sniff sniff sniff sniff!' featuring Mickey Mouse.

Comic strip 'I say lay off the kid!' featuring Mickey Mouse.

Comic strip 'Who the heck wants a momma?' featuring Mickey Mouse.

Comic strip 'Ya don't know whatcha talkin' about?' featuring Mickey Mouse.

Comic strip 'When I say lay off I mean it!' featuring Mickey Mouse.

Comic strip 'Mr. Martin, get your gun!' featuring The Lone Ranger.

Comic strip 'Dan, have you gone loco?' featuring The Lone Ranger.

Comic strip 'I saw the real Lone Ranger!' featuring The Lone Ranger.

Comic strip 'He wanted to be sure the water rights would never be cut off!' featuring The Lone Ranger.

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