

Stocks Rally But Buying on Moderate Side

NEW YORK, Sept. 18 (AP)—A more hopeful view of the nation's labor disputes helped the stock market rally one to four points today although buying was on the moderate side throughout.

Schwollenbach Given New Power to Avert Labor Strife

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18 (AP)—President Truman today merged three labor agencies into one and named Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwollenbach broad powers to cope with postwar industrial strife.

William H. Davis, shaggy-headed new dealer who had served previously as war labor board chairman, Davis' duties were handed over to reversion director John W. Snyder.

Schwollenbach, genial, bespectacled former senate colleague of the president's, was given unprecedented authority to speak for the government in future labor troubles.

His first act was to appoint 42-year-old Edgar L. Warren, chairman of the Chicago regional WLB, as head of the U.S. conciliation service, which Schwollenbach will build to new stature.

Truman announced the U. S. employment service, once a part of the labor department but more recently under the war manpower commission, would be returned to Schwollenbach's agency.

But Schwollenbach said the fair employment practice committee (FEPC), once under WMC, would not be absorbed by the labor department. He also was uncertain whether the unemployment compensation service, now under the social security board, would be transferred to him.

Pastors Name Leaders for Coming Year

The first meeting of the 1945-46 term of the Salem Ministerial association was held Tuesday in the First Christian church with Rev. Max Getzenander of the United Lutheran church taking over the president's chair from Rev. Dudley Strain, Rev. Chester Hamblin of the First Presbyterian church is the newly elected vice president and Rev. Charles Tate of the Foursquare church is secretary.

Standing committees were named as follows: service in the institutions, Dr. Irving Fox, chairman; civic and social reform, Rev. Willard B. Hall, chairman; social relations, Rev. Clay Pomroy, chairman; public relations, Dr. Charles Durden, Rev. Dudley Strain, Rev. S. Raynor Smith; felicitations, Rev. J. F. Othoff, Rev. H. A. Schletter, Rev. P. B. Shoemaker; public school census, Rev. Chester Hamblin and Rev. Dudley Strain.

The group voted to hold monthly meetings at the First Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Irving Fox reported on last summer's bible school which had an average daily attendance of 700.

Members of the religious education in the public school committee were selected as follows: Harold Davis, Mrs. Lyle Rea, Walter Snider, Ralph Johnson, Rev. Chester Hamblin and Rev. S. Raynor Smith.

Price Controls on Potatoes Removed

Price controls on Irish potatoes were removed last Friday and will remain off until October 26, the Salem war price and rationing board has been notified. The controls are off at all levels, A. A. Guetfroy, chief clerk for the OPA here, said, which means that there is no regulation as to the price for which the farmer, the wholesaler or the grocer may sell them.

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Counties to Seek Income For Welfare

While counties remain largely dependent upon land taxation, they cannot hope to cope with ever-increasing public welfare demands, members of county courts of Marion, Polk, Linn, Lane, Lincoln and Benton counties agreed at a district meeting of the Association of Oregon Counties.

A variety of business occupied the group ranging from the federal legislation proposed by public land counties to the processes to be followed by the governor's interim tax study commission, the state highway commission's plans for cooperating in market road development, and possible new sources of income.

Attorney Forest Cooper told of plans to urge federal legislation to pay county taxes on U.S. forest lands and then to seek payments in lieu of taxation on other federally-held lands.

A general speed-up in highway work may be anticipated after this winter, Oscar Cutler, market road engineer for the state highway committee, reported. No public roads administration approval has come through for projects selected by counties under the 15-year federal aid road program and approved by the state.

With F. L. Phipps, executive secretary for the Association of Oregon Counties, the district representatives discussed the seven recommendations made by the association's executive committee to the tax study commission and gave their approval. A suggestion that the county assessor be authorized to require building permits for construction in the county as a way of keeping records on improvements will come before the association, Phipps promised.

Mrs. E. J. Branigar Dies in Woodburn

WOODBURN, Sept. 18 — Mrs. Emma Jane Branigar, late resident of 279 Harrison st., died at a Woodburn rest home early Tuesday, after a week's illness.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday from the Ringo chapel, with Rev. George R. Cromley officiating. Interment will be in Belle Passel cemetery.

Born at Crawfordville, Iowa, April 9, 1861, she moved to Woodburn 54 years ago. She was a member of the Presbyterian church. Surviving are five children, Ralph of Mill City, Ore., Willard T. of Woodburn, and Walter, also of Woodburn, Mrs. W. S. Zimmerman, Oswego, Ore., and Mrs. H. B. St. Clair of Portland. Also one sister, Mrs. Maude Hicks, of Eugene, and two grandchildren, Nancy Jane St. Clair, of Portland, and Harley Branigar, in the armed forces in the south Pacific.

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Education Costs To Rise, Reports Board Secretary

Dr. Chales Byrne, secretary of the state board of higher education, told the state tax study commission Monday, that Oregon's eight institutions of higher learning will need much larger appropriations to support the vastly increased enrollment expected in the next few years.

Byrne said board estimates show that there will be 15,800 students enrolled in 1950 compared with 11,500 last year. He said there will be 21,500 students in 1960.

Army estimates show that about 10,000 Oregon veterans will get further education, mostly in higher institutions, he added. The enrollment of girls this fall, will be the largest in history, figures show.

Bush Pasture Development Being Planned

A topographical map of Bush pasture is to be finished within a few weeks and by the first of the year, after consultations regarding Willamette university's 10-acre portion have been finished, a suggested program for development by units should be ready, the Salem Kiwanis club was told Tuesday by C. A. McClure, planning engineer.

The Portland man, who was obtained by the chamber of commerce's long-range planning commission for a thorough study of Salem and its immediate environs, also told the club he expected the Southern Pacific tracks—"now a nuisance and bother both to the city and the railroad"—would be relocated either just east or west of the state institution at the eastern city limits. He said the main north-south Pacific highway might be adjacent to the tracks, if planning surveys are implemented, and that a separate truck highway was possible east of the city.

A tendency for residential expansion to the east, and industrial growth north and south, also was noted.

McClure said it was essential that Salem developed a basic plan to prevent grief in the future as the city grew, and expressed hope that the long-range program would be accepted and carried out.

Senate Approves Morse Change

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18 (AP)—The senate today approved assignment of Senator Morse (R-Ore.) to the naval affairs committee as a transfer from the post offices committee.

The appointment gave the northwest new representation on the naval affairs committee and reflected greater concentration of naval activity in the northwest states of Washington and Oregon.

Electric Co-op Takes New Name

Changing the name from Salem Electric Cooperative association to simply Salem Electric, supplementary articles of association incorporation were filed in the Marion county clerk's office Tuesday by directors of the Bonneville distributing agency here.

Cost of membership is also changed in the articles from \$1 to one cent, with an additional one cent listed as cost for each additional service tie-in. Signers are L. V. Benson, Sidney L. Stevens, Glenn Hogg, E. C. Burke and L. L. Sloper.

New Classes in Home Nursing To Start Soon

New classes in home nursing will begin soon for the Marion county chapter, American Red Cross, and all women interested in this vital phase of work have been asked to register as soon as possible by calling 9277 in order that the schedule of classes may be made up.

Those registering are asked to designate whether they could come for morning, afternoon, or evening classes. Two courses will be available, one a six-lesson class, the other a 12-lesson class. The six-lesson one would run for three weeks, meeting twice weekly. The 12-lesson course would continue for 12 weeks, meeting for two hours each week.

Last year, the Marion county chapter made a record in its home nursing work, 21 classes having been conducted from November 15 to the end of May. The plan is to cover areas of the county not previously served the past year, too, so that all parts of the county will have been reached once in two years since the fall of 1943.

The home nursing committee from the Red Cross chapter met the past week to formulate plans for the new season. Mrs. W. O. Widdows is chairman of this group and she is asking all members of the committee to remain active. Mrs. Carl Emmons is acting corresponding secretary for the committee. Mrs. Wayne Gordon is chairman of the supplies committee, and Mrs. Bernice Yeary is the supervisory nurse for the county health department. Others on the committee are Mrs. A. B. MacLachlan, Mrs. Alvin Van Cleave, Mrs. Jake Fuhrer, Mrs. C. A. Lynds.

Liquor Ration Case Appealed

The question of the legality of Oregon's liquor rationing system is before the state supreme court today.

The appeal of L. E. Sandblast, Portland, who is suing the state liquor control commission for abolition of liquor rationing, was heard Tuesday by the court.

Sandblast contends that rationing, in effect since early in the war, was established without authority of law. He has appealed from a ruling of Circuit Judge Walter L. Tooze of Multnomah county, who upheld the rationing system.

Canadian Soldiers "In Dutch" With Gals

UTRECHT, Holland, Sept. 18 (AP)—A Sunday night fracas which Burgomaster Tir Pikkwijk said involved between 300 and 400 Canadian soldiers with citizens of the Vreburg district of Utrecht has caused the city to be declared out of bounds for troops.

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Dr. Benbow to Speak to Rose Growers Here

Dr. Earl William Benbow, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Dallas, will be the speaker at the Salem Rose Society meeting at the YMCA at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Dr. Benbow, who for many years was director of Westminster House on the University of Washington campus, is rated as one of the foremost rose growers in the northwest. He served several terms as secretary of the Seattle Rose Society and was on the board of directors of the American Rose Society. He has been an official judge at the Portland rose show nearly every season for the past 15 years.

Grain Futures At New High; Wheat Firm

CHICAGO, Sept. 18 (AP)—Assurances by President Truman food needs will be met, the firmness of securities, and the possibility of early frost, were factors that sent grain futures prices to new highs today.

The advance started in the rye pit, on reports of exports of wheat cereal. Wheat had a firm undertone at the opening. The highest prices were reached shortly before the close. After that profit taking accounted for small fractional recessions.

At the close wheat was 7/8 to 1 1/8 higher than yesterday's finish, September \$1.68 1/2. Corn was 1/2 to 1 1/8 higher, December \$1.16 1/2. Oats were 3/4 to 1 1/4 higher, September \$1.54 1/2-1.55 1/2. Barley was 1/2 to 1 cent higher, September \$1.10 1/2.

Air Line Plans 10-Hour Schedule Coast-to-Coast

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 18 (AP)—The United Air Lines will fly coast to coast 10-hour schedules with four-engine Douglas planes by next summer, district traffic manager, John Standish, announced today.

United has contracted for 50 of the new 300-mile-an-hour planes for use on its Seattle-Portland to New York and other coast to coast routes. Another application would schedule twin-engine planes linking 25 Pacific northwest cities, including Klamath Falls, Bend, North Bend, Coos Bay, The Dalles, Baker and Astoria, Ore.

State police were notified early Tuesday evening to be on the lookout for three Salem boys, all fourteen years of age, who had run away from their homes. The boys were Bill Olinger, John Freeman, and James Delapp.

Italian Occupation To Be Ended Soon

CASERTA, Italy, Sept. 18 (AP)—Field Marshal Sir Harold Alexander said tonight he had recommended to the combined allied chiefs of staff that the future strength of the Italian army be limited to a small, highly trained force capable of upholding "national prestige."

He said the army should be capable of defending the Italian borders, but should not constitute an "international menace." The supreme allied commander disclosed that allied occupation of Italy would end with the settlement of the dispute over Venezia Giulia territory, now being aired before the big five council.

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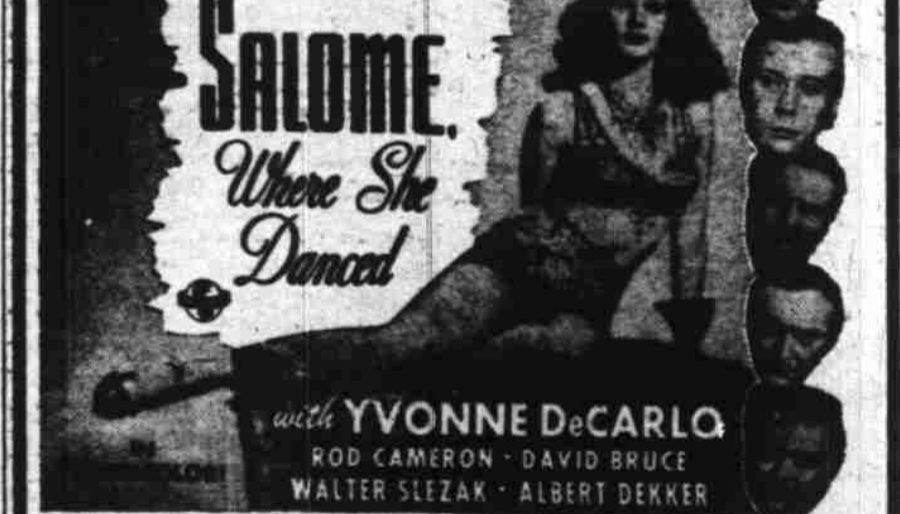


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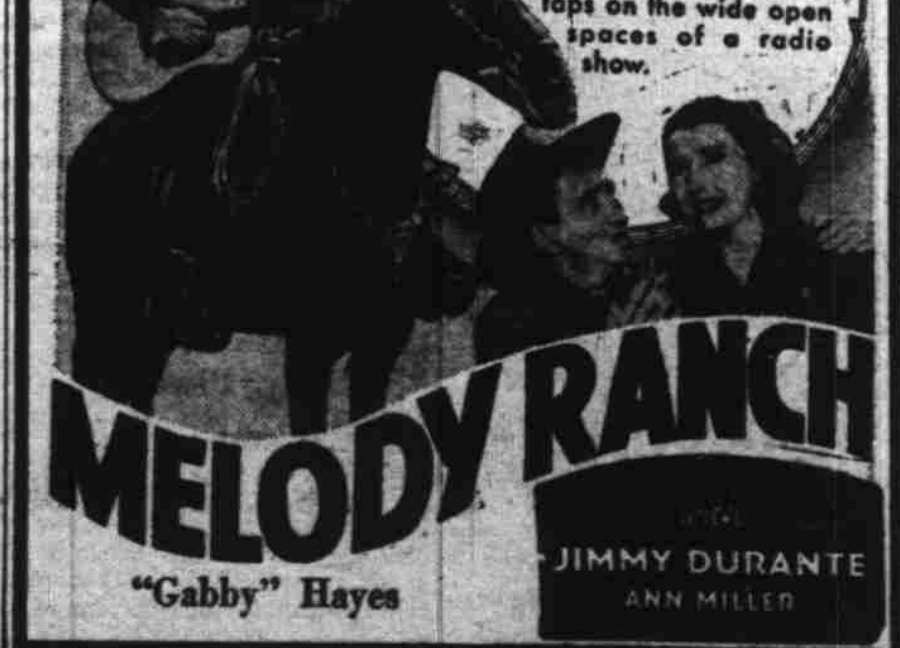


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LIBERTY advertisement for 'Black Arrow' featuring Johnny Mack Brown.

STATE advertisement for 'Walking Dead' featuring Boris Karloff.

Coca-Cola advertisement with headline 'Where's all the Coke gone, anyway?' and a 5¢ price tag.

Advertisement for Capitol Theatre featuring 'Salome' and 'Melody Ranch'.