

DAILY MARKET NEWS, LOCAL AND GENERAL

Including Pendleton Prices and Associate Press Reports

Bond Values Remain Firm. NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—(A. P.)—Bond prices generally showed a firm tone in yesterday's relatively light Tuesday's closing.

United States government issues were irregular, the second 4s and the first 4 1-2s each gaining 1/8 point on \$100 and the uncallable 1-2 3/4s 1/2 cent, while the other active issues registered losses of 1/4 to 3/8 cent.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



SOME TIME DURING THE NIGHT THE TWO TRAMPS WHO HAD BEEN EATING THE TOWN INTO DEBT GOT THEIR WAY OUT OF THE JAIL WITH A PUTTY KNIFE

Marked strength of most of the Erie issues was the feature of the railroad group, gains of 1 to 1 1/2 points being registered by the consolidations 4s and the A, B and D series of the convertible 4s.

Other strong spots were Minneapolis-St. Louis refunding 4s, Iowa Central refunding 4s and St. Paul refunding 4 1-2s, with New Haven 2 1-2s of 1954 off 2 points, the only conspicuous weak spot.

In the industrial and public utility groups there was a fairly good demand for Cuba Cane 8s, Puah Terminal Building 5s, Marland Oil 8s, Bush Terminal Building 5s, Marland Oil 8s with warrants, American Telephone convertible 4s and Third Avenue refunding 4s, all up 1 to nearly 2 points.

President Harding's recommendation for a constitutional amendment to restrict tax exemption securities has resulted in a more active demand for these issues, although a long time must necessarily elapse before such an amendment could be made effective.

There was no large bond offering put out today, although marked interest was exhibited in the \$500,000 5 percent issue of the municipality of Bayamon, Porto Rico, which was sold to yield from 4.60 to 4.65 per cent.

Announcement also was made that a local syndicate, headed by the Chase securities company, was the successful bidder for the \$13,000,000 Philippine government 30-year 3 1-2 per cent bonds at 95.97. They probably will be offered next week.

Chicago Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—(U. S. department of agriculture.)—Hogs—10 receipts, 35,000 head; slow, steady to the lower; bulk 200@250-pound averages, \$8.25@8.30 early; top, \$8.30; big packers bidding \$8.10@8.20; packing sows, \$8.25@8.30; desirable pigs mostly \$8; few \$8.20; heavy hogs, \$8.10@8.25; medium, \$8.20@8.30; light, \$8.20@8.30; packing sows smooth, \$7.60@7.90; packing sows rough, \$7.35@7.65; killing pigs, \$8@8.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 14,000 head; beef steers uneven, mostly steady; killing quality plain; run late in arriving; bulk native beef steers of quality and condition to sell at \$8@10.50; best matured steers early, \$11@12.50 bid on yearlings; mixed steers and heifers, desirable beef steers active; fully steady; other grades butcher she brook slow; other classes generally steady; bulk desirable veal calves to packers early \$9.25@9.75; few upward to \$10; bulk desirable heavy bologna hogs, \$4.25@4.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000 head, fat lambs opening slowly, early sales around steady; part load prime native lambs, \$15.60 in city butchers; desirable natives to packers, \$15.35; October clip 77-pound fat lambs, \$13.75; choice horn lambs, \$13.40@13.65; feeders active; three loads 65-pound feeding lambs bid 25c higher at \$15; sheep round steady; 115 pound fat ewes, \$7.

Chicago Potato Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Wheat—Milling, \$2.25@2.30; feed, \$2.20@2.25.

Barley—Feed, \$1.45@1.47 1-2c; shipping, \$1.50@1.52 1/2c.

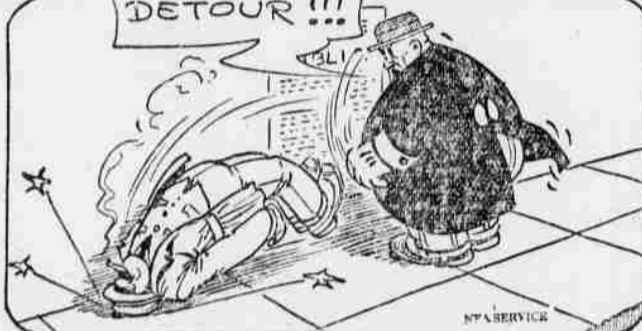
Oats—Feed, \$1.50@1.75.

Hay—Wheat, \$19.20; fair, \$18@17; tame oat, \$17@21; wild oat, \$14@16; alfalfa, \$19@21; stock, \$12@15; straw, \$11@12.

Seattle Grain Market.

SEATTLE, Dec. 14.—Wheat—Hard white, soft white, western white, \$1-

OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE



25; hard red winter, soft red winter, northern spring, western red, \$1.20; Big Bend bluestem, \$1.60. Feed and hay unchanged.

COLLEGE GIRLS DRESS DOLLS TO CHEER TOTS

DEFIANCE, Ohio, Dec. 14.—(U. N. S.)—Inquiry as to whether they have made a mistake and strayed into a nursery has been made by visitors to Crewbridge Hall, women's dormitory of Defiance College.

In every room dolls—dear celluloid babies—smile at you. Little mothers are industriously arraying their children in laces and silks, with here and there a tiny boy in overalls.

However, these college girls are not lapsing into premature second childhood. They are preparing dolls to be turned over to the Child Conservation League, of Defiance. The dolls will gladden the hearts of unfortunate youngsters on Christmas Day.

CHINAMAN WHO STRUCK FILIPINO GIRL GOES FREE

MANILA, Dec. 14.—(U. N. S.)—A Chinese passenger who struck a little Filipino girl while both were aboard the steamship President Taft probably will go scot free because of a matter of jurisdiction.

When the vessel arrived in Manila the authorities were notified and made an investigation. The incident is said to have actually occurred when the vessel was in Shanghai, China, so the authorities declared it would be necessary to transport both the Chinese and the little girl, together with witnesses, back to the Chinese city.

Under existing laws this is virtually impossible, so there is small chance of the Chinaman being tried for the offense.

OFFICE CAT



BY JUNIUS

We suggest a subscription to the Office Cat as an appropriate holiday gift.

Here are additional helpful hints: For the butcher: A leech with enough electricity charging through it to knock him on his ear every time he as much as put a finger on it.

For the milkman: A pair of wings, so we wouldn't have to listen to his horse-like foot fall coming up the back stairs in the morning.

For the janitor: A pocket radio outfit so we could locate him 'once in a while.

For the family next door: A steam trip-hammer to enable them to shake the foundations of the building in more efficient style.

And the wife: Maxim Silencer, to be put on at regular intervals so that she could come up for air.

"Does your husband give you house-keeping money or do you have to ask him for it?"

"Both."

Elna Wallace Hopper

"Are cannot suffer her, or time destroy her infinite variety." (Or words to that effect.)

Keep Painted Woodwork CLEAN. Clean wooden floors, linoleum, tile, marble, concrete, with SAPOLIO. Makes all house-cleaning easy. Large cake No waste.

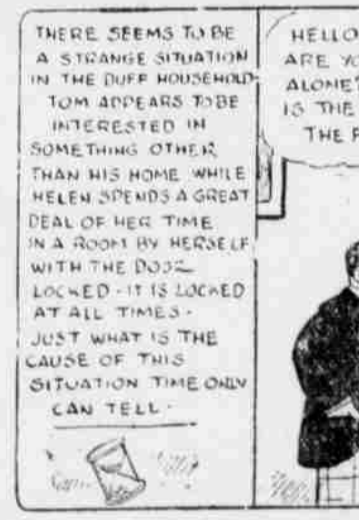
Soap Is Higher. Three Day Demonstration Sale of Peet Bros' Products THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. 3 packages Washing Machine Soap \$1.00. 1 package Washing Machine Soap 1 bar Creme Oil Soap 1 bar Crystal Soap 42c. 1 package Washing Machine Soap 12 bars Crystal White Soap 3 bars Creme Oil Soap \$1. 20 bars Crystal White Soap 3 bars Creme Oil Soap \$1. 10 bars Crystal White Soap 10 bars Creme Oil Soap \$1.12. 12 bars Creme Oil Soap 85c.

FOR CHRISTMAS GIVING. We have an unusual good stock for children. CHILDREN'S ROCKERS AND HIGH CHAIRS. Something appreciated long after Xmas is gone. COFFEE PERCOLATORS. A SPECIAL LOW PRICE AS LONG AS THEY LAST. \$1.00. CRUIKSHANK & HAMPTON. COMPLETE HOUSE-FURNISHERS. Quality Counts.

THINGS OF THE DUFFS

OLIVIA IS IN THE DARK, TOO

By Allman



Men's Superior Shirts of Broadcloth and Silk. Here's shirt satisfaction, men! Some of imported broadcloth, others of silk. Nobby patterns! Smart colors! Well fitting and well-made shirts. Priced to afford unparalleled values! Fine Quality Imported English Broadcloth Shirts with collars to match; in handsome patterns and newest colors. High-grade shirts for only \$3.49. Baby Broadcloth and Double Warp Tub Silk Shirts—good quality, in handsome striped effects. \$4.98. Jersey Silk Shirts fine quality; satin silk stripes. \$4.98. Broadcloth Shirts heavy weight; fine quality. \$5.90. Jacquard Silk Shirts in neat novelty stripes. \$5.90.

Dolls! Dolls! A Fascinating Display. 'Ma Ma' Dolls. Wonder dolls that talk and walk! Dolls with moveable eyes and real hair! Some with painted eyes and hair. Dolls to delight every child! \$2.98 to \$4.98. Sturdy Dolls. Chubby dolls with moveable arms and legs and real hair! Also painted hair. Some are jauntily clad in sweater and cap; others in cunning rompers. Also undressed dolls for the little girl who likes to make her own doll's wardrobe! 49c to 1.19. A Family of Dolls. Beautifully modeled faces and well proportioned bodies; with hair and moveable eyes or painted eyes and hair. Some of them speak! Baby dolls in long dresses; many dolls in rompers; dainty dolls in frills and laces! 49c to 4.98.

'FOOTLOOSE' CRAFT TO CRUISE PACIFIC. MANILA, Dec. 14.—A group of 15 Americans, residents of the Philippines, are planning to cross the Southern Pacific Ocean in a Japanese fishing boat, which has been christened the "Footloose." They propose to make the trip in a leisurely fashion, visiting the various island groups in the South Seas. Their destination is the western coast of South America. They propose to carry with them a newspaperman, who will be detailed to keep the log of the journey and write up the voyage for later publication. The boat is new and carries a trained crew. The skipper of the expedition, Captain Thomas Martin, of Cebu, is an oldtime sailor who has had long experience in the Southern Seas. The expedition will probably start this month. Eye Trouble? Try Camphor & Hydrastis. For most eye trouble there is nothing better than simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One business man says he relieves itching eyes and improves sight. Another case of red, watery eyes reports that Lavoptik has helped wonderfully. One small bottle usually relieves ANY CASE weak, strained or sore eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE.—Tallman & Co.—Adv. NO CLUES TO MURDERESS. LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14.—(U. P.)—Authorities here admitted the search for Clara Phillips so far has been without success. All clues are proving blind. "COLD IN THE HEAD" is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "run down" condition. Treatment consisting of an Ointment, to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces, building up the system, and making you less liable to "colds." Sold by Druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Winnipeg Wheat Futures. WINNIPEG, Dec. 14.—Wheat—December, \$1.10 1-4; May, \$1.12 3-4; July, \$1.12 1-4.