Stocks Decline For Third Day Consecutively

New York, June 13 (U.P.)—Stocks drifted lower for the third consecutive session in continued dull trading today. Losses in the main list ranged from fractions to more than a point, but some inactive shares dropped more than 5 points.

Bonds were lower under lead of rails. Commodities turned lower with wheat off 1¼ to 2⅛ cents a bushel. Cotton futures slumped some 50 cents a bale.

Steel operations for the current week were reported slightly above last week, but other business news continued discouraging.

Steel shares were mixed. Bethlehem steel was weak, showing a loss of nearly 2 points below 43, but U. S. steel and Youngstown steadied on fractional declines.

Most rails held narrowly below previous closing levels. A bright spot in business was furnished by the aviation industry, with April and first 4 months deliveries reported at record high levels, but aviation shares were soft. Douglas and Boeing met special pressure and sold off more than a point. Other leaders were off fractionally.

A pessimistic statement by Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., board chairman of General Motors, brought mild selling into motors. Chrysler sold off around 1½ points and General Motors was down fractionally at 28⅝.

Chemical shares weakened with du Pont losing around 3 points. Coppers softened with Kennecott and American Smelting down around a point each. Utility shares held well, most leaders showing small losses.

Dow Jones closing stock averages: Industrial, 111.87 off 2.36; rail, 20.16 off 0.37; utility 18.54, off 0.50; 65 stocks, 36.47, off 0.77.

Stock sales approximated 330,000 shares against 410,000 shares Friday. Curb stock sales were 76,000 shares against 92,000 Friday.

Smith Quits Mayor Place

Stayton—Mayor George A. Smith, this month, will resign as the chief executive and ask the appointment of Mayor-elect W. A. Weddle.

This move, which was indicated at the last meeting of the city council, was confirmed by Mayor Smith who announced that the pressure of business at this time, necessitated his resignation.

The resignation of Mayor Smith takes from the city administration a veteran of more than 20 years' experience. He was named to the council 21 years ago and served either as alderman or mayor since that time. He has sponsored many of the improvements made in the town and fathered the ideas of the construction of a new city hall, the improvement of the city park and the construction of sidewalks throughout the residential sections of the town.

Weddle was named mayor at the last election, when Smith declined to run for reelection and would ordinarily take office next January 1.

The members of the council waded through routine business at the regular monthly meeting this week, perfecting plans for a house to house survey to establish water pressure requirements. The survey will tend to show the number of outlets in each residence after which uniform rates will be established by the council.

Salem Markets

Compiled from reports of Salem dealers, for the guidance of Capital Journal readers. (Revised daily.)

Wheat, per bushel: No. 1 white and red sacked 70c.

Feed oats, gray $25, white $21.50 ton.

Feed barley $26 ton.

Pullet grower mash $2.35.

Egg Mash $2.30 cwt., second grade $2.05; chicken scratch $1.85 cwt.

Whole corn $1.75; cracked corn $1.85; wheat $1.55.

Hogs Midget Market: Top grade 140-180 lbs. $8.25; 180-200 lbs. $8.50; 200-225 lbs. $8.25; 225-250 lbs. $8.

Veal—10c lb dressed.

Poultry — Heavy colored hens 16c, med 15c Leghorn No. 1s 12c, Leghorn light, 10c Old roosters 8c. Leghorn frys 14c lb. Colored frys 16-17c. Leghorn broilers 15c lb.

Eggs—Buying prices: Medium ex 17c, extra large whites 20c, pullets 10c, standards, large 18c, med. 13c, pullets 9c dozen.

Butter—Prints: A grade 28c lb B grade 27c. Butterfat: A grade 24½c lb. B grade 22½c delivered. C grade 18½c lb.

Wool-Mohair

Wool: Med., 18c; coarse and fine 18c. Mohair 20c.

Markets Briefed

(By the United Press)

Stocks lower in quiet trade.

Bonds lower and quiet; U. S. governments mixed.

Curb stocks lower.

Foreign exchange lower.

Cotton off about 50c a bale.

Wheat 1¼ to 2⅛ cents lower; corn 1⅜ to 1½ lower.

Rubber slightly easier.

Dallas—At a regular meeting of Ainsworth chapter, No. 17, Royal Arch Masons, at the Masonic temple Tuesday evening, degrees were conferred upon Harry Webb, William Retzer and A. R. Hartman.

The degree work was put on by Multnomah chapter, No. 3, of Salem.

At the conclusion of the meeting supper was served with Walter Muir acting as toastmaster.

New York Stocks

Closing Quotations by Associated Press

Allied Chemical & Dye	145½	Insp Copper	9⅛
Allied Stores	5⅝	International Harvester	50¼
American Can	87¼	International Nickel Can	43¼
American & Foreign Power	3¼	International Paper & P Pf	26
American Power & Lt	5	International T & T	8⅛
American Rad & St	10⅜	Johns Manville	67⅝
American Rolling Mills	14¾	Kennecott	27¾
American Smelting & Ref	33⅝	Libbey-O-Ford	27
American T & T	132⅝	Loew's	40⅜
American Tobacco B	69	Montgomery Ward	29⅞
American Water Works	8⅝	Nash Kelvinator	6⅞
Anaconda	23½	National Biscuit	22½
Armour Ill	4⅝	National Distillers	19½
Atchison	25	National Power & Light	6⅛
Barnsdall	12⅞	Northern Pacific	7½
Bendix Aviation	10	Packard	3½
Bethlehem Steel	43½	Penn R R	14⅝
Boeing Air	22⅞	Phillips Petroleum	31⅞
Budd Mfg	4½	Pressed Steel Car	6
California Pack	18¼	Public Service N J	26¾
Callahan Z-L	1¼	Pullman	23
Calumet & Hec	6	Sears Roebuck	54⅛
Canadian Pacific	5½	Shell Union	11⅞
Caterpillar Tractor	39⅝	So Cal Ed	22
Celanese	11½	Southern Pacific	10½
Certain-Teed	5⅞	Standard Brands	7
Chesapeake & Ohio	23¼	Standard Oil Calif	26¼
Chrysler	40	Standard Oil N J	45½
Commercial Solvent	7⅞	Studebaker	4
Commonwealth & Southern	1⅝	Sup Oil	2⅜
Consolidated Edison	23½	Timken Det Axle	8¾
Consolidated Oil	8¼	Trans-America	9
Corn Products	63⅝	Union Carbide	62¾
Curtiss Wright	4⅝	Union Pacific	61
Douglas Aircraft	42¼	United Airlines	7⅝
Du Pont	94½	United Aircraft	25¾
Electric Aut Lt	15	United Corp	2⅜
Electric Power & Lt	9⅛	U S Rubber	25⅝
Erie R R	2	U S Steel	41
General Electric	32⅝	Walworth	5⅜
General Foods	29⅝	Western Union	20⅛
General Motors	28	White Motors	7¼
Goodyear Tires	17¼	Woolworth	42
Gr No Ry Pf	14⅞	Closing Curb	
Hudson Motors	5⅜	Cities Service (new)	8
Illinois Central	7⅞	Electric Bond & Share	6⅛

Market Quotations

Portland Eastside Market

Strawberries moved as high as $2 crate for a limited volume Monday at the farmers' eastside wholesale market. Offerings showed the usual week opening increase of supply but volume was easily taken care of by demand. Sales generally for large stuff of quality $1.65-75, few $1.80. Small stuff $1.50, few lower. Gold Dollars to $1.10 a crate.

Shortage of gooseberries.

Cherries in fair offering. Bings 9-10c lb. and western Oregon Black Tartarians to 8c lb.

First celery of local season $1.75 dozen bunches. Peas 3½-4c lb. First Young beans offered at 12c lb., green and wax 10-12c lb. Cabbage up to $1.75-$2 crate.

Root vegetables practically unchanged. Beets 20-25c and turnips 45-50c doz. Carrots chiefly 40c doz. bunches.

Lettuce 50-90c crate. Cauliflower $1 for 1s and 50-75c for 2s. Hothouse cucumbers $2.50-75 box. Hothouse tomatoes to 15c for extra fancy.

Old potatoes of No. 2 grade sold fairly well at 25c for 50s.

General Prices Ruled:

Asparagus — Mid-Columbia long green $2.25-40 pyramid, Canby $2.25.

Beans—Green or wax 10-12c lb.

Beets—Doz. bunches, local, No. 1 20-25c, old $1 sack.

Cabbage—Round, new $1.75-$2 per crate, pointed 60c crate of 12 heads.

Cauliflower—Nominal, No. 1 crate $1, No. 2 50-75c crate.

Carrots—Doz. bunches 40-45c. Old, 40-45c lug, 75c sack.

Turnips—Doz. new crop, 40-55c.

Celery—Hearts, doz. bunches $1.75.

Garlic—Pound 6c.

Leeks—Dozen bunches 25c.

Lettuce—No. 1 90c, No. 2 50-75c cte.

Mustard Greens—Doz. 17½-20c.

Onions—Green, doz. bunches, 25c. Dry, No. 1 Oregon $1.50 per 50-lb. bag, No. 2 75-80c.

Parsley—Doz. bunches 20c.

Peas—Local No. 1 3½-4c lb. Telephone 6c lb.

Rhubarb—Field grown, 50c box.

Radishes—Local 30-35c dozen.

Spinach—Local fcy. 50c, ordinary 40-45c orange box.

Strawberries—Gold Dollars $1.10, Oregon $1.25-$2 per 24-basket crate.

Portland Sugar, Flour

Portland, June 13 (AP)—Sugar: Berry or fruit, 100s, $4.90; bales, $5.10; beet, $4.80 cental.

Domestic flour—Selling price, city delivery, 1 to 25-bbl. lots: Family patents, 49s, $5.65-$6.25; bakers hard wheat, net $4.45-5.70; bakers' bluestem, $4.30-$4.65; blended hard wheat, $4.35-$4.75; soft wheat flours, $4.20-$4.30; graham, 49s, $4.75; whole wheat, 49s, $5.35 bbl.

Portland Produce

These are prices the retailers pay wholesalers, except where otherwise stated:

Butter—Prints: A grade 27½c lb. in parchment wrappers, 28c in cartons. B grade 26½c in parchment, 27½c lb. in cartons.

Butterfat—Portland delivery, buying prices: A grade 25-25½c lb. Country stations: A grade 23½c lb. B grade 2c lb. less. C grade 6c less.

Cheese—Selling prices to Portland retailers: Tillamook triplets 19c lb., loaf 20c. f.o.b. prices to wholesalers: Triplets 17c, loaf 18c lb.

Eggs—Buying prices by wholesalers: Specials 22½c, extras 20c, standards 18c, special med. 13c, extra med. 17c, undergrades 16c dozen.

Live Poultry

Buying Prices—Leghorn broilers, 1½-3½ lbs. 14-14½c lb., 2½ lbs. 13-13½c lb. Colored springs 2-3½ lbs. 17-17½c lb., over 3½ lbs. 18-18½c lb. Leghorn hens over 3½ lbs. 15-15½c lb., under 3½ lbs. 14-14½c. Colored hens to 5 lbs. 18-18½c, over 5 lbs. 17-17½c lb. No. 2 grade 3c lb. less.

Selling prices by wholesalers—Light hens 13½c lb., med. 14-14½c, colored 17-18c. Broilers under 2 lbs. 14½c lb. Colored springs 17-18c. Ducks, young Pekins 14-15c lb., old 12-14c. Capons, alive 24-25c, dressed 29-30c lb.

Turkeys —Nominal. Buying prices: Breeder hens 20c lb. Selling prices: Breeder hens 22c, toms 17-18c lb.

Fresh Fruits

Apples—Delicious, ex. fcy. $1.75-85 box, Romes, loose 2½c lb. Winesaps, ex. fcy. $1.35-40, fcy. $1.15. Yellow Newtowns, fancy $1.25 box.

Bananas—Bunches 5½c, hands 6¼c lb.

Cantaloupes— Imperial pony 54s $2.75-85, standard 45s $3.50-75, jumbo $3.50-75 crate.

Grapefruit—Arizona $1.75-$2.35 per case, Florida $4.25.

Lemons—Calif. fancy $5-$5.50 case.

Oranges—Calif. Valencias $2.60-$3 case.

Strawberries—Ore. 24s $1.85-$2.15.

Watermelons—Calif. 2¾-3c lb.

Fresh Vegetables

Asparagus—N.W. bulk 6-7c lb. Bunches $2.40-50 30-lb. pyramid.

Beans—Oregon green 12-13c lb.

Cabbage—No. 1 local, new $2.25-50 crate.

Cauliflower—Nominal: Local $1.15-25 crate.

Celery—California $2.15 crate, Utah types 2.10 crate.

Cucumbers—Local hothouse, ex. fcy. $2.75-$3 box.

Eggplant—Calif. 15c lb.

Lettuce—Dalles and local $1-$1.25 crate.

Onions—Old crop Oregon No. 1 $3.50-75 cental. Calif. wax, red $1.40, yellow $1.50.

Peas—Local 5-7c lb.

Potatoes—New Shafter $2.30-50 per 100-lb. bag.

Potatoes—Yakima Gems, 2s 60c, local 65c cental. Central Ore. $1.40-50.

Rhubarb—Field grown 50-60c box.

Spinach—Local 50-60c orange box.

Sweet Potatoes—California $2.25-35 crate; Yams, southern $2.25 50-lbs.

Tomatoes—Hothouse 8-15c lb. Tex. as is $1.50-$2 per 10-lb. lug.

Nuts

Almonds—80-lb. bag 27½c, 25-lb. bag 28c lb.

Brazils—Large, washed, 20c lb.

Filberts—Nominal to retailers: Barcelona 14-15½c, Duchilly 16½c lb.

Pecans—Fcy. roasted 23c lb.

Peanuts—Fcy. roasted 10-11c lb.

Walnuts—Nominal prices to retailers: Oregon Franquettes 15-17c lb., soft shell 14-15c lb.

Meats

Country Meats—Selling prices to retailers: Country killed hogs, best butchers under 160 lbs. 10½-11c lb. Vealers 11-11½c, light and thin 8-10, heavy 8½-9c lb. Bulls 10c lb. Canner cows 7½-8c, cutters 8-9c lb. Spring lambs 13-14c, old lambs 8-9c, ewes 4-6c lb.

Hops and Wool

Hops—Nominal: 1937 11½-12c lb.

Wool—1938 nominal: Willamette valley med. 18c, coarse and braids 8c, eastern Oregon 16-16½c lb.

Portland Grain

Portland, June 13 (AP)— Wheat futures:

	open	high	low	close
July	73	73	73	73
Sept.	73	73	73	73

Cash grain: Oats, No. 2 38-lb. white, gray $25. Barley: No. 2 45-lb. B.W. $25. Corn: No. 2 E.Y., ship $28.50.

Cash wheat (Bid): Soft white 75c, western white 74c, western red 73c.

Hard red winter:

ordinary	11⅝	12⅝	13⅝	14⅝
73	73½	78	84	88

Hard red spring:

ordinary	11⅝	12⅝	13⅝	14⅝
72	74	78	84	88

Hard white—Baart:

ordinary	11⅝	12⅝	13⅝	14⅝
75	76	77	78	80

Car receipts: Wheat 51, flour 15, barley 1, corn 7, oats 3, millfeed 3.

Portland Livestock

Portland, June 13 (AP)— (U. S. D. A.) Hogs 2000, market active 25c higher. Packing sows steady, good-choice 165-210 lb. drive-ins mostly $8.75; carload lots to $9; 225-250 lbs. mostly $8.25; few from carload lots $8.50; light lights mostly $8.25. Packing sows $6-$6.25; choice 85-110 lb. feeders $8.75.

Cattle 1700, through and direct 125. Calves 300. Market uneven, steers strong to 25c higher. Heifers strong. Cows steady with last week's low time. Bulls 25-50c below week ago or steady with Friday. Load good 781-lb. grain fed steers $8.75; odd head $8.50 down. Numerous load med.-good grass steers $7.50-$8; common steers $5.75-$6.75; com.-med. heifers mostly $5.25-$7; some held to $7.25. Good beef cows $5-$5.50; mixed cows and heifers $5.65-$6; com.-med. $4-$4.50, low cutter and cutter $3.25-75. Bulls mostly $5.25-$6, few early sales to $6.25; choice vealers strong to 50c higher, lower grades steady, few choice vealers $7-$7.50; selects to $7.75; com.-med. $4.50-$6.

Sheep 3500, through 1009. Market opened strong, later sales spring lambs 25c or more lower. Early top $7.25; scattered lots and one carload $7; later sales $6.75 down, few old crop $4-$4.50; choice ewes $2.75; med.-good $1.75-$2.25.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, June 13 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.) Hogs 14,000, direct 6000. Mostly 10-15c higher than Friday. Practical top $9.25; part load $9.30; good-choice 160-250 lbs. $9-$9.25; 260-290 lbs. $8.90-$9.10; 300-350 lbs. $8.75-$9; good 400-550 lb. packing sows $7.90-$8.25; lighter weights $8.30-60.

Cattle 12,000; calves 2000. Long bred med. wt. and weighty fed steers fully steady, others slow, weak. Heifers strong to shade higher; best fed steers early $10.85; several loads $10.25-75; prime yearling heifers to $9.85; new high on crop. Small killers taking several loads at $9.25-50; practical top weighty sausage bulls $5.90; vealers $9.50 down.

Sheep 7000; direct 6300. Native spring lambs opening mostly to small killers, few sales steady to easier compared with Friday at $9-$9.25; packers choice 82-lb. averages $9.50. As yet no action on clipped lambs, indications weak. Sheep steady to easier; bulk 126-130 lb. med. ewes $3.50 down.

Boston Wool

Boston, June 13 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.) Spot wool business was slow with a small moderate amount of direct buying through Boston houses. A large portion of the direct business was on Texas at prices tending to the higher side of 55-57c scoured basis delivered east for 12-month wool. Country-packed mixed grade lots of ¾-blood and ¼-blood fleeces were purchased at 42-44c delivered east or around 23-24c in the grease for average bright fleeces, shrinking around 45-46c. These prices unchanged from last week's close.

San Francisco Butter

San Francisco, June 13 (AP)—Butter, 92 score 26c, 91 score 25c, 90 score 24c, 89 score 23c lb.

Cheese—Wholesale flats 13½c lb. loaf 13c. Jobbers' prices: Flats 14½-15½c lb.

Eggs—Large 23½c, large standards 21½c, med. 21½c, small 15½c dozen.

New York Hops

New York, June 13 (AP)—Hops steady. Pacific coast 1937s 16-19c, 1936s 12-14.

Dried Fruit

New York, June 13 (AP)—Evaporated apples steady; choice 7½-¾c lb.

Prunes steady; Calif. 30-40s 5½c lb., Oregon 7½c.

Apricots steady; choice 10c, extra choice 11c, fancy 12c lb.

Peaches steady; fancy 9c, choice 8-8½c, extra, choice 8-8½c lb.

Gill Worried Over Trend of New Farm Bill

Klamath Falls, Ore., June 13 (AP)—A clear-cut determination of whether the administration's new farm bill is stop-gap legislation pending adoption of permanent plans for assistance of the farmer or a new step toward regimentation of agriculture was demanded today by Ray W. Gill, master of the state grange.

Gill spoke before the 65th annual session of the Oregon grange here, the first time the conference has been held in southeastern Oregon.

Th master, who recently won reelection after a bitter battle with Ralph Perry, Hood River, made the farm bill the major topic of his annual address. He made no mention of the Perry campaign but asked for unity, a healthy expression of any differences and a zealous regard for agriculture's welfare.

"Frankly I am very much concerned about the trends that this (the farm) bill establishes," he said. "If we are to treat this as emergency legislation or as a stop-gap until other plans can be put into operation, then the situation is much less serious but if the bill is the beginning of a permanent plan for agriculture, then I am decidedly against some of its regimental provisions."

Gill laid particular stress on a section "which sets up governmental control over the acreage quotas which farmers can produce in certain major crops."

"Whenever the government by all of its force and power tells a farmer how many acres of this crop or that crop he can plant and how much he can sell without being penalized, then I think we should know what kind of road we are traveling," said the master.

Farmer Union Holds Meeting

Zena—The Spring Valley Farmers' union, No. 242, held the June meeting at the Zena schoolhouse Wednesday night with R. C. Shepard presiding. Reports were given by the secretary, S. B. Crawford; John Schindler was named as a new member and Hugh Craig was reinstated to the membership. S. B. Dodge, delegate to the state convention at Sheridan in May, gave an account of the convention. More than 100 delegates attended and more than 300 members were present. Of special interest was the report of national delegate, L. H. McBee, who went to Oklahoma City last year and spoke with enthusiasm on cooperative hospitals there which started with 200 beds and now have 2000.

Dodge stated that a successful oratorical contest resulted in a Miss Miller from Ballston being adjudged winner of the first prize, which was a trip to a camp in Colorado, and Leonard McCoy of Marion county won second prize.

S. D. Crawford, delegate, spoke briefly on business transacted at the convention and financial statement showing a prosperous condition. Ed McClure, also a dalegate, gave a short talk on benefits derived from attending the convention. L. H. Swenwold suggested having a meeting set aside for discussion of parliamentary rules, which is to be taken up possibly when meetings are resumed in October after a recess of three months. Announcement was made of the Polk county Farmers' union picnic at Helmick park June 19. Seth Dodge suggested a junior organization, which was voted favorably upon, the secretary to consult with Ronald Jones on procedure in establishing such a youth movement here.

Mrs. R. C. Shepard and Mrs. James A. French served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Dallas Church Circle Guest Watson Home

Dallas—Members of Circle Two of the M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Watson Wednesday for a 1 o'clock no-host luncheon. he remainder of the afternoon was spent in needlework.

Mrs. Guy Shreeve was a guest, and members present were Mrs. M. C. Syron, Mrs. Roy Woodman, Mrs. E. Brockway, Mrs. J. W. Hooser, Mrs. Peter Berg, Mrs. A. J. Brown, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Elmo Bennett, Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Mrs. G. L. Hawkins, Mrs. Roy Ferguson, Mrs. Ed Shaw, Mrs. R. J. Voth, Miss Evangeline Voth, Mrs. Cora McBee, Mrs. R. J. Vashaw, Mrs. L. H. Holt, Mrs. Randall Buell and the hostess.

Tornado Smashes Texas Village; 13 Die—Thirteen persons were killed and nearly 50 were injured, many of them perhaps fatally, when a tornado tore through the vicinity of Clyde, Texas. This wrecked building was a school. — Associated Press Photo.

Cherry Picking At The Dalles

The Dalles, June 13 (AP)—As cherry picking activity hit its peak early this week, a tented city of more than 1000 transient pickers was established west of The Dalles.

The Dalles Cooperative Growers and the Columbia Fruit Growers, the two local cherry cooperatives, were stepping up their barreling production to meet the output of orchards.

The Dalles cooperative put up 300 barrels Saturday. The Columbia organization barreled slightly more.

Weather to date has been ideal for the cherry crop, which last year suffered more than a 40 per cent loss due to heavy rains. The crop this year is reported good, although no definite figures are available by growers.

Meanwhile, city and county officials clamped a strict watch on 1000 transients following an "epidemic" of petty thieveries.

Government Off Direct Relief

Washington, June 13. (U.P.)— The U. S. conference of mayors yesterday disclosed that President Roosevelt has informed the agency that the federal government will not share responsibility for direct relief.

In a letter to Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia, of New York, the president said that direct relief is the responsibility of state and local governments and the burden should not be carried by the federal government.

Mr. Roosevelt wrote LaGuardia as president of the mayors' conference.

"The states and municipalities must continue to provide for direct relief as their share of the total program and cannot expect assistance from the federal government in meeting this responsibility," Mr. Roosevelt wrote.

Extradition of Romaine Asked

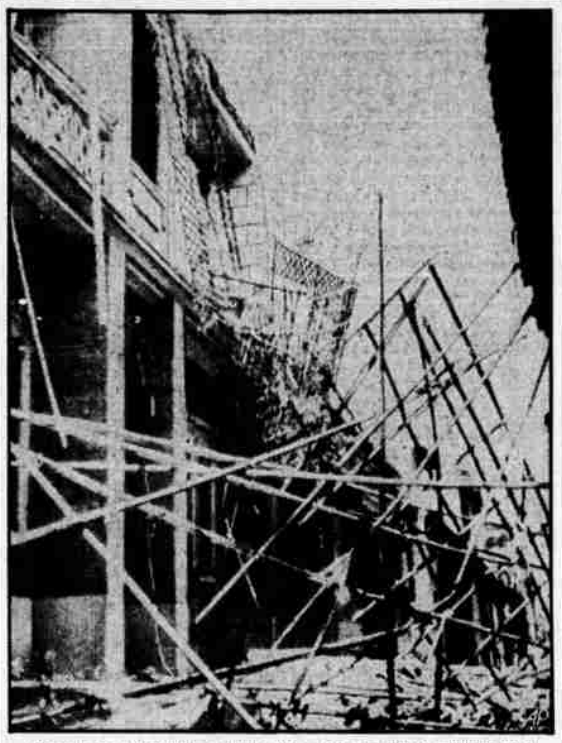
Olympia, Wash., June 13 (AP)—Gov. Martin asked for the return to this state from Portland, Ore., of E. A. Romaine, held by Portland officers and wanted by King county on forgery charges.

Romaine, known as "Jimmy the Flea," confessed to forgery operations in Bellingham, Tacoma and Seattle approximating $15,000.

He waived extradition, Portland officers said, to save his money for "the education of his children."

Mrs. Hedges Hostess

Independence—Mrs. P. L. Hedges entertained the Double R club at her home in Monmouth street Wednesday afternoon, with a two-course luncheon. The guests present were Mrs. B. M. Rose and Mrs. Harding of Valsetz, Mrs. Paul Sterling, Mrs. Lee O'Kelley, Mrs. Bliss Myers, Mrs. Clyde Hunnicutt, Mrs. O. B. Lyday and Mrs. Hedges. The next meeting of this club will be held in the city park at which time a birthday anniversary of one of the members will be observed.



Target For Air Raiders—Grotesque is this tracery of twisted wood and steel, left standing in the Wongaha railroad station district of Canton, China, after the start of Japan's slamming air raids, which went on for two weeks without let-up. The Wongaha station was a principal target for Japan's flying bombers. — Associated Press Photo.

19 Are Candidates For Regatta Queen

Oceanlake, June 13.—Scheduled to close next Wednesday evening, June 15, the contest being staged to elect a queen, crown princess and four princesses to rule over the annual Devil's Lake regatta, June 18 and 19, is arousing intense interest throughout this section of the coast.

Nineteen young women from a number of western Oregon communities are vying for the honor of ruling over the water sports show and for the trip to the Golden Gate exposition or Alaska, which will reward the winner when her reign is completed.

The aspirants for the water sports throne include Iola Haas, Sheridan; Ethel Eyerly, Agate Beach; Claire Williams, Gleneden; Viola Lundy, Siletz; Joan Willett, Neotsu; Billie Zies, Depoe Bay; Betty Keady, Waldport; Yvonne Norris, Toledo; Marian Tibbetts, Willamina; Lily Larson, DeLake; Betty Wood, Oceanlake; Ada and Ida Middleworth, Otis; Eleanor Krieger, McMinnville; Virginia Linville, Yachats; Dorothy Kessler, Cutler City; Lee Ryan, Salem; Frances Wilson, Hebo, and Martha Mackay, Portland.

This year's regatta is expected to surpass all previous motor boat racing shows held here, as over thirty leading northwest and California outboard drivers have already filed their entries with A. H. Earnshaw, president of the regatta association.

Admiral Earl Riley will have a staff of forty vice-admirals included among whom are many of the state's most prominent civic leaders and public officials.

Reservations for accommodations being received by James Mackenzie, housing chairman, indicate that a record breaking crowd will attend the regatta this year.

Warm Weather Reduces Berries

Stayton — Continued blistering temperatures throughout the past 10 days and the lack of moisture has reduced the expected bumper strawberry crop to a point of below 50 per cent normal production.

The strawberry growers, who two weeks ago were looking forward to one of the best crops in the past several seasons, today are hopeful of picking a scant half crop. The abating of the extreme hot weather and the onset of cooling winds is expected to aid the crop to some extent but will not bring it above 50 per cent of the normal yield, George Smith, manager of the Stayton Canning Company Coop., reported today.

The strawberry market, which had been overloaded during the past three seasons, will have an opportunity to return to a normal level this season, Smith indicated. He reported that other sections were experiencing setbacks, which will make the crop short in all districts.

Teacher is Engaged

Woodburn — Miss Maude Durfee of Portland has been engaged by the Woodburn school board to teach typing and shorthand at Woodburn high school the coming school year. Miss Durfee replaces Miss Jane Goodale who resigned her position to teach at Prineville. This completes the teaching staff at the high school.

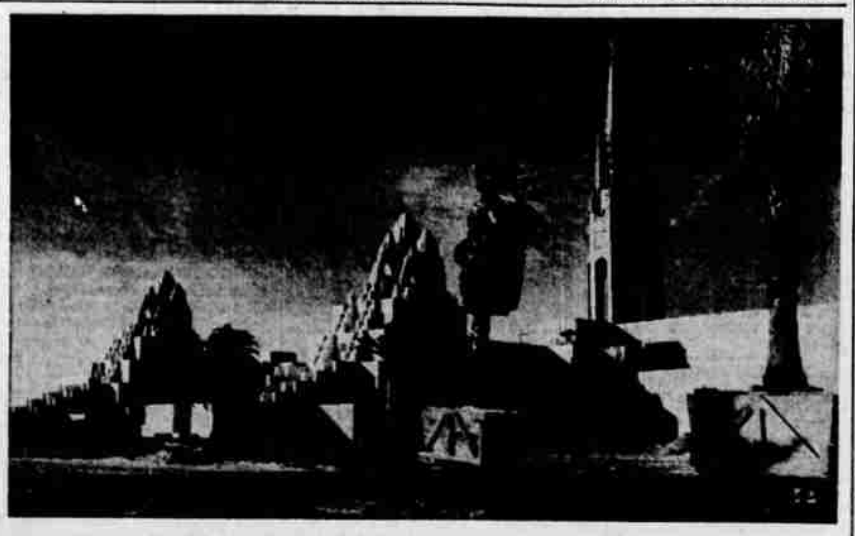
Obituary

Mrs. Belle Bamford

Albany— Mrs. Belle Bamford, 72, widow of the late Rufus Bamford, died in Salem, Friday, following a lingering illness. Funeral services are to be held from the Methodist Episcopal church at Halsey, Sunday afternoon, with the Rev. W. A. Briggs officiating. Burial will be made in the Pine Grove cemetery. Mrs. Bamford was a native of Linn county, being born at Harrisburg May 1, 1866, and had spent all her life in this county. She was married to Rufus Bamford in 1888. He died July 31, 1937. Surviving is a brother, Nate Windom, Brownsville, and several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Abby Hall Denyer

Turner—Funeral services were held Friday from the Methodist church for Mrs. Abby Laurence Hall Denyer. She was born at Wolcott, June 4, 1850. March 17, 1876, she was married to Charles Bruce and they came to Oregon in 1871. Bruce died in 1878. In 1880 she married Job Denyer. She is survived by four children, George Bruce, Reading, Mass. Bert Bruce, Alberta Canada, Ulwin Denyer and Mrs. Lois Denham of Turner, and numerous grand children and great grand children.



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Work Asked For Able-Bodied On Flood Control

McMinnville, June 13. (AP)— The Yamhill county relief committee asked the WPA yesterday to change its certification regulations to permit able bodied unemployed to find work on the $135,000 Willamette river flood control project at Grand Island.

A resolution to the WPA and army engineers "implored and demanded" revamping of present WPA procedure requiring employables to go on the relief rolls before becoming eligible to apply for work on the project.

Glen Macy of McMinnville, chairman of the committee, said the relief office had been virtually swamped with applications.

If employables were certified by the county relief rolls, he asserted, they could demand aid if they were unable to gain jobs with the Grand Island contractor. He added that the relief funds were only sufficient to care for the unemployables.

Every effort has been made, the resolution continued, to keep as many able bodied men off the relief rolls by promising them work when projects get underway this summer.

Births, Deaths, Marriages

Births

Reinwald—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Reinwald, 340 Union, a son, John Wesley, June 5.

Meier—To Mr. and Mrs. Milan A. Meier, 1280 South 14th, a son, William Roger, June 1.

Bates—To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Bates, Rt. 3, a daughter, Loretta Marie, June 3.

Wolf—To Mr. and Mrs. Donald B. Wolf, Waldport, at a local hospital, a daughter, Janet Velier, June 5.

Kleman—To Mr. and Mrs. Max E. Kleman, Rt. 2, a daughter, Norma Jean, June 7.

Martin—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, 1173 South 15th, a son, Richard Lewis, May 28.

Runyan—To Mr. and Mrs. Denton Runyan, Jefferson, at a local hospital, a daughter, Sallie June, May 27.

Howe—To Mr. and Mrs. Milton Howe, R.F.D., West Salem, a daughter, Wanda Nell, May 29.

Schrunk—To Mr. and Mrs. Verd Schrunk, Monmouth, at a local hospital, a daughter, Verdine, June 10.

Douglas—To Mr. and Mrs. Bruce W. Douglas, Rt. 5, a son, Arlen Stillman, June 5.

Scott—To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence D. Scott, Rt. 2, a son, Douglas James.

Wacken—To Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph H. Wacken, Rt. 7, a son, Clifford Ray, May 24.

Silverton—Announcements are being made of the birth of a daughter, weight 7 pounds, 10 ounces, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drake of Portland Friday, June 10, at Salem General hospital. Grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Drake, Silverton.

Woodburn—To Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Broyles Thursday, June 9, a son, weight 8½ pounds. Seventh child, third boy.

Abercrombie—To Mr. and Mrs. Otto C. Abercrombie, Rt. 2, Monmouth, at a local hospital, a daughter, Carol Beth, June 2.

Deaths

Gillon—Robert J. Gillon, at the residence, 1945 North Cottage street, June 11, at the age of 88 years. Survived by widow, Mrs. Grace T. Gillon; daughter, Mrs. Mabell Stevenson; and son, Charlie Gillon, both of Salem; four grandchildren and two great grandchildren also survive. Services will be held from the Clough-Barrick chapel Tuesday, June 14, at 1:30 p.m. Interment Belcrest Memorial park. Dr. Grover C. Birtchet will officiate and E. L. Wieder will give the ritualistic service for A.F. & A.M., Salem lodge No. 4.

Crump—John H. Crump, at a local hospital June 11, at the age of 82 years. Shipment made to Medford by Clough-Barrick company.

Peskens—Lambert Peskens, at the residence, Rt. 6, June 12, at the age of 65 years. Survived by widow, Mrs. Catherine Peskens; sons, Antone of Silverton, Martin of Everett, Wash., Peter, Cornelius and Lambert, Peskens, Jr., all of Salem; daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Kupperian of Dickenson, N. D., Mrs. Cornelia Peckner of Bonner, Mont., and Miss Mary Peskens of Salem. Twelve grandchildren also survive. Funeral announcements later from Clough-Barrick company.

Marriage Licenses

Albany — Marriage licenses have been issued to Aubrey H. Hubbell and Elizabeth Wilder, Albany, and to Ross E. Glass, Eugene, and Florence M. Jenks, Tangent.

Wesley Willis Pegg, 30, sawyer, Portland, and Theda Lynden Daniel, 23, housekeeper, McMinnville.

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