# Stocks Firm Irregularly In Dull Session

New York, Peb. 3 (UP)—Pirmness in utility and mercantile shares featured an irregular, dull stock

featured an irregular, market today, market today, Mercantilies had gain; ranging to more than a point. Buying was aided by the Dun & Brackstreet trade review, which showed retail business up 1 to 5 per cent over 1938, the first time in four weeks it has been above a year ago.

Utility demand was based on pergistent but unconfirmed reports gistent but unconfirmed reports.

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that the government is seeking a
trace with utilities in an effort to
accelerate business recovery.

Bonds were dull and irregular.

Commodities were mainly lower.

Small declines were noted in grains
augar and silk. Cotton futures were
firm.

Business news was generally faworable. Automobile production fell off but was well above a year

week's production schedules around last Monday's rates. Which was

regarded favorably.

Most mercantile issues registered gains. Preferred utility issues had gains ranging to more than a point. Common stocks were fractionally higher. Numerous other issues re-

## **Boron Used to** Stop Beet Canker

Boron can now be used to check canker of table beets and stem crack of celery, according to two new bulletins issued by the agricultural experiment station at Corucket. Other supplies nominal as to volume. Bingen atock 4120 orange both.

mew builetins issued by the agricultural experiment station at Corvallis.

Directions for using boron for these vegetables are available at the county agents office and are sent free to growers upon request states Robert E. Rieder, assistant county agent.

The circulars of information, No. 194 "Celery Stem Crack and the Use of Boron in its Control," and No. 195, "Use of Boron in Controlling Canker of Table Beets," were written by Dr. W. L. Powers, solts scientist, and Professor A. G. B. Bouquet, horticulturist at Oregon State college.

The use of boron for a number of disorders in plant growth has been studied the past few seasons and specific recommendations are now available for many heretofore unexplainable conditions. Ilke beet canker, celery crack, alfalfa yellow lesf, etc.

Caution should be used in applying boron to solls, since it is one of the minor elements of soil fertility, and while a little may be beneficial, for much can cause severe injury to the soil.

Salem Markets

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

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Fullet grower mash \$225.
Egg mash \$220 vet, second grade \$2. Chicken scratch \$1.75 cwt.
Whole corn \$155. cracked \$1.75 cwt.
Hed clover seed 14c lb.
Hogs. Midget Sarrhet top grade: 140-160 lbs. \$7.90, 180-200 lbs. \$615;
200-225 lbs. \$7.90, 232-250 lbs. \$7.85.
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# New York Stocks

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## Market Quotations

54.30, whole wheat \$4.75 bb.

Portland Dairy Products
The following prices were hansed on the produce exchange to be effective today.

Butter—Cube extras 251/c, standards 244/c, prime firsts 24c, firsts 24c b.

Checas—Oregon triplets 131/c b. lost 141/c, brokers pay 1/c th. less Erge—Produce exchange quotations between dealers. Extras. large 20c, med. 18c, small 17c, docen standards, large 19c, med. 18c, small 17c.

Pottland Wholesale Prices

regular \$2.50-75. Hearts \$1.20 dog. Cal.
Utan type \$1.25 dog. bunches.
Cucumoers—Hotaoule 1cy. \$1.75
dog. No. 1 \$2.15 dogs.
Exgplant—No. 1 \$2.15 dog.
Garile—Crogon 748 ib.
Lettuce—1 m pc r1al load \$2.45-50,
drg \$1.80-52. Delano drg pack bs
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Mushrooms—Hothouse 27% c lb., 17c

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# **Ex-Senator** Fred Steiwer **Called Today**

out of the city.

The duties of senator weighed

heavily upon Steiwer during his last few years in office. He felt keenly his lack of physical energy to keep up his opposition to new deal legislation. He often expressed to his friends discourage-ment "over the way things are go-ing" and the lack of republican strength to halt what he called the "concentration of power in the ex-ecutive branch of government."

Resigns Office
When he finally decided to turn his job over to another, it was as though a heavy load had been lifted from his shoulders. He greeted newsfrom his shoulders. He greated news-men aummoned to a conference to receive a notice of his resignation with the cheery exclamation: "Behold! A free man." Stelwer's health continued to fail

after he left the zenate, and he soon had to give up his private law practice and spent most of his time in bed.

He continued, however, to follow national affairs and occasionally granted interviews. His last was the day after the November elections, when he arose from his bed to hap-pily exclaim that "it looks like we are getting back to sane govern-

Career In Oregon

Portland, Feb. 3 (47)—The death of former Senator Frederick Stei-wer, 55, at Washington early today recalled a public career which be gan 30 years ago as a deputy distric

attorney at Pendleton.

The senator, born on a 2000-acre ranch in the Willamette valley near Salem, was elected to the senate in \*\*Stine-Bo Craite.\*\*

\*\*Mushrooms—Hothouse 27½c in., 17c ½ ib.

Onions—Ore. No. 1 \$1.60 cental.

Sets 4½c ib.

Peas—Calif. 28-ib. hamper \$2.25.
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Forstoos—Yakimia Gems \$1.15 cental. local \$1-\$1.10. Descinutes \$1.25.

Klamath Falls No. 1 \$1.30-50, Calif. Land law offices on October 23, 1937, it also west \$1.30-85 per 50-1b. crate Florida \$2.50-\$2.60.

Rhutharb—Hothouse ex. fine \$1.20.

foy, \$1.10, choice 56c per 15-1b, box.

Spinsch—Local \$1.95-110 orange box.

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Burns Fined \$8,900—Radio Co-median George Burns (above) immediately left New York by plane for Los Angeles after being fined \$8,000 and given a sus-pended sentence of a year and a day, and placed on probation for one year on his plea of guil-ty in a New York Federal court ty in a New York Pederal court to two indictments charging jewelry amuggling. He is shown about to board the plane at Newark, N. J. — Associated Press Photo.



county. He won the re-election in 1932 and announced from his Portland law offices on October 23, 1937, that he would not be a candidate for re-election. He resigned at Washington the following January.

He entered Oregon State college at the age of 15, graduating in mechanical engineering and then transferred to the University of Oregon to study law.

FIRST BAPTIST — N. Liberty at Marion St. Irving A. Fox, D.D., passion in the passion of the Marion St. Irving A. Fox, D.D., passion in the school at 9.45 a.m. Morning to the members. Senior BYPU at 6:15 pm. High school BYPU at 6:10 pm. Subject. What is the New Birth and Why Is 11 Nectionary Message between the members and the proposition of the proposition of

CHURCH OF GOD-Hood and Cot-John Steiwer's Son

His parents were John Steiwer and Ada May Steiwer, daughter of Oregon's pioneer secretary of state. Samuel E. May. His mother died in 1909.

Senator Steiwer was an outstanding collegiate football player and debater. He retained his boyhood love for fishing and hunting all his life and usually arranged long trips into Oregon's out-of-doors whenever he returned from his duties at the capital.

Pollowing his graduation from the university law school, the senator were employed in a Paranal of the Present Steiner of the Presenting at 7:30 p.m. Sermolettes and talks on 6:30 p.m. Sermolettes and 6:30 p.

# **Three Petitions** For New Roads

roads appeared before the county court at its regular road day for first reading and all were continued to the March meeting.

One of the petitions signed by John Zetterberg and others asks for a road extending from Drake's crossing up the old railroad right of way of the Silverton Lumber company for two and a half miles, then follow the old Bridge Creek road for a mile and a half and then back onto the old railroad grade another two and a half miles to the crossing of the Lookout mountain road. ing of the Lookout mountain road. ing of the Lookout mountain road.

A second petition signed by Sieve
Miller and others asks for a new
short road in the Auburn district
east of Salem. A third signed by
Frank Frazer and others asks for
a road starting by Rosedale cemetery and running north through
Sunnyside fruit tracts.

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A delegation also appeared before the court this morning asking com-pletion of a county road in the Bethany district near the Silverton-Mr. Angel road junction. The road in question was partly finished and the delegation asked that the court

grade the rest of it in the spring.

Two older road petitions, one by
Mary Camack and others and the
other by S. P. Matheny and others
were continued to March.

## Good Trade in Fine Wools at Boston

Boston, Peb. 3 (47)-The commer cial bulletin will say tomorrow:

"The week has seen good trade in
wool again, mainly for the fine and
half-blood territory wools, for which
prices are fully firm as compared
with a week ago. Medium wools
are against the buyer.

"What business is reported from
the west indicates prices quite up ial bulletin will say tomorrow:

the west indicates prices quite up to Boston parity.

"Foreign markets have been a bit irregular but generally are firm or slightly firmer for the best wools.

"Demand continues in the New York goods market and mills are generally sold well into March on worsted lines. Woolen business has been not quite so good. "Mohair continues quiet but prices

# Sale of Wheat Forced Burdick Says

Washington, Feb. 3 (P)-Representative Burdick (R., N. D.), told sentative Burdick (R. N. D.), fold the house Thursday the Chicago board of trade was running the commodities exchange commission and through future sales was forc-ing American farmers to sell their wheat at world prices.

"The real injury to the produce

The real injury to the producer
in a futures market," he said,
"arises from the fact the futures
market is always fixed by the
world price, or the London price,
less the transportation of our grain
and cotton to London.

"This fixes a price beyond which
the American prices, cannot, so, and our Amercian prices cannot go, and we are today, just as we were in the days of the Revolution, dominated by England in the price structure of our staple crops."

Jefferson-Mrs. Guy L. Stockey has returned to her home in Denver, Colo., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Hamill, and sister, Miss Margaret Hamill.

minister of music and Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Morning worship at 11 octock. Sermon. The Fact of God." Youth groups will meet at 8:30 p.m. Evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m. Sermon. "Religious Signs" (second on theme.) Bible study and prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30.

Deaf Team Wins Over Trainers

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### Obituary

Bobert Norman McFetridge
Dallas—Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon for Robert Norman McFetridge, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McFetridge, at the Henkle & Rollman chapel with Rev. John A. Linn, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Robert Norman McFetridge was born on Armistice day of last year. He passed away from an attack of pneumonia after being ill for two days. He is survived by his parents and the grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hobbe, all of Dellas.

### Births, Deaths, Marriages

Cheffings—To Mr. and Mrs. Wesley D. Cheffings, 1575 Jefferson, a son Wesley Gordon, Jan. 28.

Independence, February 1. Survived by daughter, Mrs. Nettle Olson of In-dependence, sons, Frank Miller of Ss-lem and Charles Miller of Toledo. Services will be held under the direc-tion of the Walker & Howell Funeral home at the St. Paul Catholic church Saturday, February 4, at 10 a.m.

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Christensen—Nels Christensen, at the residence, 621 Kingwood avenue, West Salem, February 1, at the age of 81 years. Survived by sons, Rhynie of West Salem, Louis of Omaha, Neb. Harry of Nelligh, Neb., Raymond of Ord, Neb., Martin of Mitchell, Neb., Alvin of Los Angeles; daughters, Mrs. Ders Jorgensen and Mrs. Dagmar Cushing of Ord, Neb., Mrs. Mary Dworsk of Independence, Mrs. Agnes Collison of Bruning, Neb., 17 grandchildren, one great grandchild, Shipment being made by the Clough-Barrick company to Ord, Neb., for services and Interment.

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McDowell—William Walter McDowell, 71, at the residence on route one, Salem, February 2. Survived by widow, Mrs. Elia Mas McDowell; brothers, W. Guy and Roy McDowell; brothers, W. Guy and Roy McDowell; aunt, Mrs. J. G. Reiglement; uncle, T. D. McDowell of Portland; cousin, Frank Kemerer. Services will be held from the Clough-Barrick chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 4, with Rev. K. K. Clark officiating, Interment Cityview cemetery.

Mosher—At the residence, 354 Win-ter street, Pebruary 2, Daniel H. Mo-sier, aged 60 years. Husband of Maude O. Mosher; father of Harry Mosher of Corvallis, William Mosher of Penn-sylvania State college and Kenneth Mosher of Costa Mess, Callf; brother of Will P. Mosher of Portland and Mrs. Oille Newkirk of Milwaukie, Fun-eral announcements later by the W. T. Rigdon company.

**Retail Trade** 

Bilizzards virtually paralyzed business in some areas during part of the week," asserted the review, "but volume for the country as a whole expanded slightly despite this handicap.

The year-low-

"The year-to-year gain of 1 to 5 per cent estimated for the week compared with a decrease of 3 to 8 per cent sponsored in the preceding week."

This improvement, the report pointed out, marked the first rise in retail volume over last year in four weeks.

For most wholecale markets, it continued, the week was comparatively dull "after the intense activity of preceding weeks when trade shows were in season." shows were in session.

### Legal

NOTICE ON FINAL ACCOUNT NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Inex P. Smith, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Guy Vincent Smith, deceased, has filed in the Smith, deceased, has live an order of County Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County her Pinal Account, and that said Court has by an order thereof, designated Tuesday, the 14th day of February ary, 1939, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the County Courtroom in the Court-house at Saleza, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to said Final Account and the settle ment of said estate, at which said time and place all persons so ob-jecting shall appear and show cause, if any there be, why said Accause, if any there be, why said Account should not, in all things, be
allowed and approved, the said estate settled and closed and the
Executrix discharged.

INEZ P. SMITH,
Executrix of the Last Will
and Testament of Guy
Vincent Smith, deceased.

Vincent Smith, deceased

ROSS & FORD, Attorneys for the Estate, Salem, Oregon. Jan. 6, 13, 20, 27. Feb 8. Number 9616 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE

COUNTY OF MARION
In the Matter of the Estate of
PLORA GILBERT, Deceased.
NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT Notice is hereby given that the Final Account of C. T. Gilbert, as State of Oregon and that said Court has, by an order thereof, designated Saturday, the 4th day of February, 1939, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. thereof at the County Court Room in the County Court House at Salem, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of objections ing shall appear and show cause, if any there be, why said Account

said Estate settled and clo the executor discharged, C. T. GILBERT, Flora Gilbert, deceased. LAWRENCE N. BROWN.

should not be allowed and approved

Attorney for Executor, 308-309 Masonic Temple, Salem, Oregon. Date of first publication, Jan. 6, 1939.

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