

Stocks Advance To New Highs In Active Trading

New York, Feb. 13 (AP)—Wall Street regarded the Roosevelt address as highly favorable marketwise and bid up prices to new highs since September 24, 1941, in the industrial average with volume around the best since December 27, 1941.

Trading started active on blocks ranging to 4,000 shares. The low-priced issues continued to dominate in turnover and many of them in the utility sector made new highs for more than a year. Dozens of issues made new tops in all sections save steels which were firm and dull.

The composite average of 30 industrial issues, 20 rails, and 15 utilities rose fractionally to a new high since October 4, 1941. Other averages were higher with the utility making the best percentage rise.

Railroad issues were steady to firm with new highs in Pennsylvania and Union Pacific. New highs in the utility list were made by American Power & Light, Columbia Gas, Electric Power issues, and Public Service of New Jersey. Consolidated Edison, and North American squallied their highs.

J. I. Case made a new high. Chrysler, General Motors, Packard, Hudson and Nash-Kelvinator were at their highs. Tire issues were around their best levels of the year. Amusements continued in demand with new highs in Warner Brothers Pictures and Paramount first preferred.

Dow Jones preliminary closing stock averages: Industrials—127.83 up 0.74; rail, 29.21, up 0.13; utility 16.95, up 0.19, and 65 stocks 42.70, up 0.25.

Stock sales totaled 794,390 shares compared with 500,250 a week ago. Curb stock sales totaled 220,808 shares against 119,925 last Saturday. Volume on both exchanges was the best for any short session since Dec. 27, 1941.

Star Health Club Drops Refreshments

Looney Butte—The Four-Star Health club of the Looney Butte school met at the school house. Betty Jean Diercks presided at the meeting. Elmer Diercks led the club song and yell. The members decided not to serve refreshments at their meetings owing to the rationing of foods. The new game committee appointed is comprised of Robert Barnes and Darlene Miller. Gloria Barnes was appointed the 4-H news reporter for the Looney Butte school. A Valentine box will be enjoyed Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Keller and daughter, Karen, visited relatives in Turner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Barnes and family visited Mr. and Mrs. G. O. McCurdy at Turner. Mrs. Barnes and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Edsall in Salem last week. Russell Miller is home from Portland.

Riverdale Clubs Holding Program

Riverdale—The "Lazy Anns" cooking club met Monday at the home of Mrs. Barbara Brassfield, the leader.

The club made plans for a Valentine party at the next meeting, at which their mothers will be guests. Those attending were Paddy Eyerly, Vera Klein, Shirley Pearsall, Joanne Kucera, Theresa Macklin and Lily Peterson.

The "Happy Health for Victory" club met last week. Some interesting reports were given by the seventh grade pupils on how to keep teeth pearly white. Everyone gave five good table manners for roll call.

The "Victory Health" club, which is in the primary room, met last week. The officers are Walton Reeve, president; Joe Polivka, vice-president, and Harold Nichols, secretary. After the meeting the club worked on a health project.

St. Paul Mothers' Club Entertained

St. Paul—The St. Paul Mothers' club met at the home of Mrs. Fred Davidson. Mrs. Carl Smith, president of the club, presided over the business session after which a social hour was spent. Plans were laid to help do Red Cross work at the next meeting. At Bridge Mrs. Ted Van Dyke and Mrs. Carl Smith were awarded the prizes and special prize went to Mrs. B. P. Stupfel. Mrs. Fred Davidson, chairman of the evening, was assisted by Mrs. C. L. Van de Weirle, Mrs. Henry Raymond and Mrs. Ben Kuesting in serving lunch after the social hour.

Market Quotations

Portland Produce Exchange

The following prices were set on the Portland daily exchange:
Butter—Cube extras 48c, standards 47½c, prime firsts 47½c, firsts 46½c.
Eggs—Normal differential trading between wholesalers: Grade A, large 39-40c, Grade B large 38-39c, Grade A med. 37-38c, B 35-36c.
Cheese—Oregon triplets 27c, loaf 27c lb. Jobbers pay 1½ lb. less.

Portland Wholesale Market

Following are Portland wholesale prices:

Butter—Prints, A grade 51½ lb. in parchment wrappers, 52½ lb. in cartons, B grade 51c in parchment wrappers and 52c in cartons.
Butterfat—First quality, max. of 5 of 1% acidity delivered in Portland 52-52½ lb. Prem. quality max. 35 of 1% acidity 53-53½ lb. Valley routes and country points 50½c, 2nd quality at Portland 50-50½c.
Cheese—Selling prices to Portland retailers: Tillamook triplets 31c lb., loaf 32c; triplets to wholesalers 29c, loaf 30c lb. f.o.b. Tillamook.
Eggs—Nominal prices to retailers: A large 40c, B large 41c, A med. 40c, B med. 39c, A small 32c dozen. Nominal price to producers: A large 42c, B large 40c, A med. 38c, B med. 36c.

Live Poultry

Buying Prices—No. 1 grade Leghorn broilers 1½-2 lbs. 28c, colored fryers under 2½ lbs. 28c, 2½-4 lbs. 29c lb. Colored roasters over 4 lbs. 29c. Leghorn hens under 2½ lbs. 20c, over 2½ lbs. 22c, colored hens 4-5 lbs. 21½c, over 5 lbs. 22½c. No. 2 grade hens 50c less. No. 3 grade 10c less. Roasters 10c lb.
Selling Prices by Receivers—Light hens 23c lb., med. 23c, colored 25c. Colored springs 29c, broilers 30c, stage 14c, roasters 14c. Pekin ducks, young 28c lb., old, colored 24c. Guinea hens, dry picked, 55c each. Geese 20c lb.

Dressed Turkeys—Selling prices: Country dressed hens 24-35c, packers' stocks, No. 1 36½c cash-carry. Large toms over 20 lbs. 34c cash-carry.

Rabbits—Average country killed 38-42c lb.

Fresh Fruits

Apples—Delicious, ex. fcy. \$4 box. fcy. \$3.75. Newtown, ex. fcy. \$4.15. fcy. \$3.50. Winesaps, ex. fcy. \$3.75. fcy. \$3.50. f. and f. \$1.00, jumble 2½c. Rones, jumble 2½c box.

Avocados—Puerto \$2.10-25 box.

Bananas—No. 1 hands 7½c lb., bunches 7.5c lb. Packing extra.

Crabapples—Ore.—Wash. No. 1 a few 2½c box, jumbo 2½c, few at 3½c.

Grapes—Empire \$3.25 lug.

Grapes—Texas—Marshall seedless pink \$3.50; natural \$4. Arizona fcy. \$2.50-3.05, choice \$3 case.

Lemons—Fancy \$3 case.

Oranges—Coast navela \$4.50-80 per case, place pack \$4.15-40.

Pears—Medford Bosc \$2.50, Comice \$2.50.

Fresh Vegetables

Artichokes—No. 1 \$1.35 dozen.

Beets—Bulk \$1 lb.

Cauliflower—No. 1 \$2.25 crate.

Carrots—Oregon, coreless \$1.50 a lug, southern \$5.60-doz. crate.

Cabbage—No. 1 (—) one select Oswego lot (1), southern \$4.50-5.50 crate.

Celery—Southern \$5.25-56 crate.

Cucumbers—Iowa hothouse \$2.75-3.00 dozen.

Garlic—No. 1 nominal 5-8c lb.

Lettuce—Imperial 4c \$3.25-4.50 a crate.

Mushrooms—Hothouse 65c lb.

Onions—Green \$1.10 doz. bunches.

Ore. dry \$1.74, Idaho large \$1.80.

Yakima \$1.74 50-lb. bag.

Pears—Southern pole 14-15c lb.

Potatoes—New Florida \$3.50 lbs.

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\$15.50 down, heavier and lighter discounted 50 to 75c. Sows 25-50c up, 400-600 lbs. \$14-\$14.25, light weights to \$14.50, good stags \$11.50-\$12.50, good-choice feeder pigs \$14.50-\$15.50, few 57 lbs. \$15.75.

Sheep for week 1185 salable. Market steady, good-choice grades active, others slow, good-choice fed lambs 15-15.25, med.-good \$13-\$14, 50, cull-common \$8.75-\$11.50, good slaughter ewes \$8, com.-med. \$3.75-\$5.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, Feb. 13 (AP)—Cash grain:

Corn—No. 2 yellow 99-1.00½, No. 3 94-1.04½, No. 4 90-94½, No. 5 81-94, No. 6 white 1.08.

Oats—No. 1 mixed 59½, No. 2 59½, No. 1 white 60½, No. 2 60-60½, No. 3 59½, No. 1 red special 60-60½, heavy 59½-60, No. 1 mixed hvy. 59½.

Barley—Malting 68-1.05, hard 70-71, feed 72-84, No. 1 2-rowed 84.

Wheat open high low close

May 1.40½-1.40, 1.39½, 1.39½, 40

July 1.39½-1.40, 1.39½, 1.39½

Sept. 1.40½, 1.40½, 1.40½

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Feb. 13 (AP)—(USDA)

Hogs 6500, salable 500. Market

nominal steady, not enough good and

choice hogs to make a market. Ex-

treme top Friday \$15.60; shippers

took none. Compared to last week,

all weights and sows low higher.

Cattle 100 salable. Compared to

Friday last week: fed steers and

yearlings mostly 15-25c higher, heifers

25-40c up, med.-good beef cows 25-

50c, cutters and com. beef cows 25-

50c, canners steady to 25c, and bulls

25-30c up. Vealers firm at \$16-17,

extreme top steers and long yearlings

\$16.85, light yearlings \$16.50, shorted

steers \$15.50-\$16.25, general

bulk \$14-\$16.25. Best heifers \$15.75,

bulk at \$12.75-14.75. Practical top

weighty cutter cows at close \$10,

canners \$9 down, good 1300-lb. fed

cows \$13.40, bulk com.-med. \$10.75-

\$12.25. Top heavy sausage bulls

reached \$14.35.

Sheep 4500, salable 3500. Compared

Friday last week, fed western

lambs closed steady to weak. Top

fed woolled lambs \$15.50, bulk \$13.50-

\$16.25, most short lambs \$15-\$15.50,

top \$15.85; ewes downward from

\$9.50 to \$7.75 and below, late sales

largely 7.75-9.25. Week's lamb supply

comprised mainly of fed woolled

and shorn westerns with the former

predominating. Several loads of ewes

also on sale but supply of yearling

weathers relatively smaller.

Boston Wool

Boston, Feb. 13 (AP)—The Boston

wool market was very quiet this

morning. Buyers were generally out

of the market for domestic wools until

these are available in larger quantities.

A few small sales of leftover

graded wools were made. Contracting

of wool for spring delivery was

reported from Wyoming, Idaho, Texas

and Montana. In Texas, both of 8

and 12 months wools were con-

tracted for at prices figuring a little

under ceiling prices, delivered in Boston.

Foreign wools main source of supply for manufacturers for immediate needs.

Salem Markets

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

Buying Prices

Wheat—red or white 95c per bu

Gray Oats—No. 2, 36-1b 43c ton.

Barley—No. 2, bright 43c ton.

Hay—Clover, No. 1 \$20 per ton;

oats and vetch No. 1 \$20 ton.

Retail Prices

Egg Mash—\$3.25 cwt., second grade

\$3.65, Pullet Grower Mash \$3.25.

Chicken Scratch—\$2.40 cwt.

Whole Corn—\$2.00; cracked \$2.70.

Beet Pulp—\$2.25.

Midget Market Reports

Hogs—165-215 lbs. \$15.00; 220-250

lbs. \$14.50; 250-300 lbs. \$14.00; packing

sows \$12-\$12.50.

Sheep—Lambs 10, ewes \$4-\$5.

Cattle—Top veal dressed \$25, veal

alive 1c. Heifers \$6-\$8, Dairy cows

\$4-\$6, beef cows \$5-\$7; bulks \$7.50-

\$8.50.

Poultry—Heavy colored hens, No 1

22c, No 2 16c, fry 26c. White

Leghorn hens 17c, fry 21c lb.

Eggs—Buying prices, large grade A