

Markets and Financial

STOCKS MAKE NO PROGRESS IN SLOW DAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 1 (AP)—The stock market pointed this way and that today and ended with indifferent nods in varying directions.

It was the seventh consecutive session in which the list, on average, has been unable to climb out of the rut.

A few rubbers, coppers, aircrafts, rails and specialties managed to tack on modest advances at one time or another, but most steels, motors, mail orders and utilities lingered in minus territory the greater part of the day.

Dealings were inconsequential throughout and slight declines and gains were well scattered at the close. Transfers were less than 500,000 shares.

News of the European war, politics and business were uninspiring marketwise, brokers said. The domestic copper price was shaded by producers. Goodrich raised some tire prices and a further drop in steel mill operations was indicated.

Adams Express	7 1/2	Am Smelt & Ref	47 1/2
Air Reduction	50 1/2	Am Tel & Tel	37 1/2
Alaska Juneau	6 1/2	Am Tob "B"	59 1/2
Al Chem & Dye	17 1/2	Am Water Works	10
Allied Stores	8 1/2	Am Zinc L & S	5 1/2
American Can	11 1/2	Anaconda	26 1/2
Am Eng Tile	2 1/2	Armour Ill	58 1/2
Am For Power	1 1/2	Atchafalpa	23 1/2
Am Power & Light	3 1/2	Auburn Auto	21 1/2
Am Rad Sta San	9 1/2	Barnsdall	13 1/2
Am Roll Mills	14 1/2	Balt & Ohio	58 1/2
Am Smelt & Ref	47 1/2	Bendix Avia	30 1/2
Am Tob "B"	59 1/2	Beth Steel	73 1/2
Am Water Works	10	Boeing Airp	23 1/2
Am Zinc L & S	5 1/2	Borden	23 1/2
Anaconda	26 1/2	Borg-Warner	23 1/2
Armour Ill	58 1/2	Budd Mfg	5 1/2
Atchafalpa	23 1/2	Callahan Z L	11 1/2
Auburn Auto	21 1/2	Calumet Hee	6 1/2
Barnsdall	13 1/2	Canadian Pacifi	42 1/2
Balt & Ohio	58 1/2	Case (J I)	68 1/2
Bendix Avia	30 1/2	Cat Tractor	50 1/2
Beth Steel	73 1/2	Celanese	27 1/2
Boeing Airp	23 1/2	Cert-Teed	58 1/2
Borden	23 1/2	Ches & Ohio	39 1/2
Borg-Warner	23 1/2	Chrysler	81 1/2
Budd Mfg	5 1/2	Col Gas & El	58 1/2
Callahan Z L	11 1/2	Com'l Solvents	13 1/2
Calumet Hee	6 1/2	Comm'n'lth & Sou	12 1/2
Canadian Pacifi	42 1/2	Consol Aircraft	26 1/2
Case (J I)	68 1/2	Consol Edison	31 1/2
Cat Tractor	50 1/2	Consol Oil	7 1/2
Celanese	27 1/2	Cont'l Can	43 1/2
Cert-Teed	58 1/2	Corn Products	63 1/2
Ches & Ohio	39 1/2	Crown Zellerbach	15 1/2
Chrysler	81 1/2	Curtiss Wright	10 1/2
Col Gas & El	58 1/2	Dupont de N	80 1/2
Com'l Solvents	13 1/2	Doug Aircraft	179 1/2
Comm'n'lth & Sou	12 1/2	Eastman Kodak	160 1/2
Consol Aircraft	26 1/2	El Pow & Lt	68 1/2
Consol Edison	31 1/2	Erle R R	18 1/2
Consol Oil	7 1/2	General Electric	35 1/2
Cont'l Can	43 1/2	General Foods	47 1/2
Corn Products	63 1/2	Gen Gas & El "A"	2 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	15 1/2	General Motors	52 1/2
Curtiss Wright	10 1/2	Gillette	6 1/2
Dupont de N	80 1/2	Goodyear Tire	22 1/2
Doug Aircraft	179 1/2	Gt Nor Ry pfd	23 1/2
Eastman Kodak	160 1/2	Hudson Motors	5 1/2
El Pow & Lt	68 1/2	Illinois Central	11 1/2
Erle R R	18 1/2	Insp Copper	11 1/2
General Electric	35 1/2	Int Harvester	53 1/2
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Carload Potato Shipments

Day of Month	Season 1939-40			Season 1938-39		
	Daily	Jan. to Date	Season to Date	Daily	Jan. to Date	Season to Date
1	5	5	2937	2	2	3507
2	15	20	2952	24	26	3531
3	39	59	2991	33	59	3564
4	35	94	3026	34	93	3598
5	49	133	3075	51	144	3649
6	62	195	3137	46	190	3695
7	15	213	3155	56	246	3751
8	36	249	3191	8	254	3759
9	47	296	3238	31	285	3790
10	47	343	3285	46	331	3826
11	68	411	3353	30	361	3866
12	58	469	3411	32	393	3898
13	56	525	3467	29	422	3927
14	34	559	3501	36	458	3963
15	48	607	3549	1	459	3964
16	30	637	3579	34	493	3998
17	45	682	3624	32	525	4030
18	30	712	3654	26	551	4056
19	28	740	3682	34	585	4090
20	37	777	3719	47	632	4137
21	0	777	3719	27	659	4164
22	25	802	3744	3	662	4167
23	32	834	3776	27	689	4194
24	17	851	3793	41	730	4235
25	21	872	3814	49	779	4284
26	16	888	3830	32	811	4316
27	24	912	3854	40	851	4356
28	8	920	3862	32	883	4388
29	36	956	3898	0	883	4388
30	21	977	3919	24	907	4412
31	21	998	3940	18	925	4430

Month shipments by truck 157 1082 4587

Compiled from official reports by the county agent's office, State Federal Inspector Ross Aubrey and The Herald and News.

Int Nick Can	35 1/2	Shell Union	10 1/2
Int Pap & P pfd	54 1/2	Socony Vacuum	11 1/2
Int Tel & Tel	4	Sou Cal Edison	29 1/2
Johns Manville	7 1/2	Southern Pacific	13
Kennecott	35 1/2	Standard Brands	7 1/2
Lbb O Ford	48 1/2	Standard Gas & El	2
Ligg Myers "B"	108	Stand Oil Calif	24 1/2
Loew's	36 1/2	Stand Oil Ind	26 1/2
Long-Bell "A"	32	Stand Oil N J	43
Montgomery Ward	51 1/2	Stone & Webster	10 1/2
Nash-Kelvi	62	Studebaker	10 1/2
Natl Biscuit	24	Sup Oil	2
Natl Cash	15 1/2	Texas Corp	42 1/2
Natl Dairy Prod	162	Texas Gulf Sulphur	72
Natl Dist	232	Tidewater Asso Oil	10 1/2
Natl Pow & Lt	52	Timken Roll Bearing	47 1/2
N Y Central	15 1/2	Trans-America	58
North Amer Co	21 1/2	Union Carbide	79 1/2
Northern Pacific	51	Union Oil Calif	16 1/2
Ohio Oil	62	Union Pacific	94
Otis Steel	10	United Aircraft	48
Pac Amer Fish	6	United Airlines	15 1/2
Pac Gas & El	34 1/2		
Pacific Tel & Tel	130 1/2		
Packard Motor	38		
Pennet (J C)	89		
Penna R R	21 1/2		
Phelps Dodge	35 1/2		
Phillips Pet	38 1/2		
Proctor & Gamble	11 1/2		
Pressed Steel Car	112		
Pub Svc N J	40 1/2		
Pullman	26 1/2		
Radio	52		
Rem Rand	9 1/2		
Republic Steel	19 1/2		
Reynolds Tob "B"	40 1/2		
Richfield Oil	7 1/2		
Safeway Stores	47 1/2		
Sears Roebuck	82 1/2		

United Corporation	2 1/2
United Fruit	8 1/2
United Gas Imp	14 1/2
U S Indust Alcohol	21 1/2
U S Rubber pfd	36
U S Steel	110 1/2
Vanadium	56 1/2
Vanadium	29 1/2
Walworth	5 1/2
Warner Pictures	32
Western Union	22 1/2
Westinghouse	108 1/2
White Motor	11 1/2
Woolworth	40 1/2

WHEAT DROPS OFF CENT PER BUSHEL

CHICAGO, Feb. 1 (AP)—Wheat prices fell a cent a bushel today to the lowest level in more than seven weeks, extending the market's loss since the first of the year to about 11 cents.

Forecast of fresh snow or rain in parts of the southwestern hard winter wheat belt induced some selling and the market continued to display nervousness due to reports of liquidation of grain that has been under loan.

Although rallying slightly at the end, wheat closed 1-1/2c lower than yesterday, May 96-96 1/2c, July 93-93 1/2c; corn 1-1/4c lower, May 54-54 1/2c, July 54-54 1/2c; oats 1-1/2c down.

WEED RESIDENT HAS AUTO CRASH

WEED — Dick Mitchell met with an accident when his car skidded on the icy road toward McCloud Saturday night. He escaped injury but the car was badly damaged. Dick Mitchell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mitchell of Weed.

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SPUD DISEASE DISCUSSED BY PLANT AGENT

TULELAKE—Ring rot, dreaded potato disease that is cropping up in many potato growing localities, was the subject for an illustrated discussion brought by C. E. Scott, plant pathologist of the University of California, informing 150 growers present for the meeting of the need for constant check on seed, believed to be the only carrier of the disease.

Stages of the disease from the field to bin were explained and since it is believed not to be transmissible in soil or through use of equipment, the laboratory experts are trying out various chemicals to be used as seed disinfectants. The disease is highly infectious and unless a careful scrutiny is made of diseased tubers, it frequently escapes notice. In the later stages portions of the potato inside a definitely defined area becomes filled with a cheese-like mass.

While the disease has made no inroads on yields here, it is known that a few diseased potatoes have been found in widely scattered areas in the basin, on

both sides of the state line. Growers were advised of appearance of the disease here last fall in a similar lecture during a annual Klamath Basin Potato Festival by Professor R. G. Hyatt of Oregon State college.

The meeting Monday night was sponsored by the extension department of the University of California.

Otto Shults, president of the Tulelake Potato Growers association was not present, having left recently with his family for a vacation in Florida and Key West.

WOOL MARKET

BOSTON, Feb. 1 (AP-USA)—Domestic wools were receiving very little demand on the Boston market today. Efforts to find outlets resulted in reductions in quotations on the limited spot supplies. Sentiment generally was rather weak on raw wool prices. This was reflected, not only in lower quotations on domestic wools, but also by a slackening of demand and lower bids on some of the foreign wools that recently have been moving quite

freely to domestic users. The unsettled wool market has been associated with the recent weakness in prices of wool put futures and with reports of weakness in the goods market.

S. F. LIVESTOCK

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1 (AP-USA)—Hogs: salable 200, butchers 10c higher; top and bulk 190-215 lb. \$6.75; 152 lb. weights \$6.25; 375 lb. heavies \$5.00; packing sows quoted around \$4.25-5.00; no rail hogs offered.

Cattle: salable 150; calves 10; all classes little changed; short load medium to low-good light Idaho fed steers \$9.00; sorted three head \$8.00; odd common killing steers down to \$7.25, few medium to good 820-935 lb. feeder steers \$7.50-8.00; medium heifers \$7.50-8.25; heifers at \$7.50 grading low-medium; few common cows \$5.50-6.25; canners and cutters \$3.50-5.25; fleshy

dairy type cows to \$5.75; odd medium bulls \$6.50; calves, nominally steady; few good weaners \$10.50-11.50, choice quoted to \$12.00.

Sheep: salable 675; supply includes four decks Idaho; fat lambs slow, no early sales, asking fully steady; good to choice fed woolled Idaho lambs held to \$9.00 and slightly above; no early action on slaughter ewes.

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★ When does hair grow faster—in winter or summer?
The answer is—summer.

★ Which method of distilling produces mellow whiskey—the old or the new?
Modern distillation is far ahead of the older method. G & W has introduced many improvements in the \$13,000,000 distillery, including the famous natural "pre-mellowing" process.

★ Is the surface of the earth mostly land or water?
More than 70% water.

★ How can you get rid of the after-taste of whiskey?
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