

Markets and Financial

STOCK MARKET LEADERS WILT IN SLOW SALE

NEW YORK, Feb. 7 (AP)—Leading stocks wilted in today's market despite the lack of any real selling heat.

The ticker tape merely crawled throughout the greater part of the proceedings and transfers of approximately 350,000 shares were the smallest in about five months.

While losses running to a point or so at the worst were reduced in many cases after mid-day, or converted into modest advances, minus signs predominated at the close.

The two preceding half-hearted rallying sessions, brokers said, caused some bidders to withdraw on the theory that, notwithstanding the lengthy downward drift since early January, the market was not yet in a position to achieve a sizable technical recovery.

Today's closing quotations:

Air Reduction	39 1/2
Alchem & Dye	150 1/2
American Can	32 1/2
Allis-Chalmers	87 1/2
Am Car & Fdy	27 1/2
Am Rad Sta San	6 1/2
Am Roll Mills	13 1/2
Am Smelt & Ref	41
Am Tel & Tel	163 1/2
Am Tob "B"	70 1/2
Am Water Works	6
Am Zinc L & S	6 1/2
Anaconda	25
Armour III	5
Atchafalpa	22 1/2
Aviation Corp	4 1/2
Bald Loco	15 1/2
Bendix Avia	35 1/2
Beth Steel	83 1/2
Boeing Airp	16 1/2
Borden	19 1/2
Borge-Warner	18 1/2
Callahan Z L	1
Calumet Hec	6 1/2
Canada Dry	12 1/2
Canadian Pacific	38
Cat Tractor	46 1/2
Celanese	25 1/2
Ches & Ohio	41 1/2
Chrysler	66 1/2
Com'l Solvents	9 1/2
Comm'nw'th & Sou	11 1/2
Consol Aircraft	26 1/2
Consol Edison	21 1/2
Consol Oil	5 1/2

Cont'l Can 37 1/2
Corn Products 45 1/2
Curtiss Wright 8 1/2
Doug Aircraft 69
Dupont De N 147 1/2
Eastman Kodak 130
El Pow & Lt 3 1/2
General Electric 33 1/2
General Foods 35 1/2
General Motors 44
Goodyear Tire 17 1/2
Gt Nor Ry pfd 26 1/2
Greyhound 11 1/2
Illinois Central 7 1/2
Insp Copper 11 1/2
Int Harvester 50 1/2
Int Nick Can 25 1/2
Int Pap & P pfd 62
Int Tel & Tel 2 1/2
Johns Manville 58 1/2
Kennecott 33
Lib O Ford 38 1/2
Lockheed 23 1/2
Loew's 33 1/2
Montgomery Ward 37
Nash-Kelv 4 1/2
Nat'l Biscuit 17 1/2
Nat'l Dairy Prod 13 1/2
Nat'l Dist 21 1/2
National Lead 16 1/2
N Y Central 13 1/2
No Am Aviation 15
Northern Amer Co 15 1/2
Northern Pacific 6 1/2
Ohio Oil 7 1/2
Pac Gas & El 28 1/2
Packard Motor 3 1/2
Pan Amer Airways 13 1/2
Paramount Pic 11 1/2
Penn (J C) 81
Penna R R 23
Phelps Dodge 30 1/2
Phillips Pet 37 1/2
Proctor & Gamble 54 1/2
Pub Svc N J 28 1/2
Pullman 24 1/2
Radio 42
Rayonier pfd 27 1/2
Republic Steel 19 1/2
Richfield Oil 8 1/2
Sears Roebuck 72 1/2
Shell Union 11 1/2
Socony Vacuum 9 1/2
Sou Cal Edison 26 1/2
Southern Pacific 9 1/2
Sperry Corp 33 1/2
Standard Brands 6 1/2
Stand Oil Calif 19 1/2
Stand Oil Ind 27
Stand Oil N J 34 1/2
Stone & Webster 6 1/2
Studebaker 7 1/2
Texas Corp 36 1/2
Trans-America 4 1/2
Union Carbide 65 1/2
Union Oil Calif 14
Union Pacific 80 1/2
United Airlines 13 1/2
United Aircraft 37 1/2
United Corporation 22
United Drug 4 1/2
United Fruit 64 1/2
U S Rubber 21 1/2
U S Rubber pfd 88 1/2
U S Steel 63 1/2
Vanadium 29 1/2

BUYING ACTIVITY HIGHEST IN YEARS

NEW YORK, Feb. 7 (AP)—Continued high activity of retail trade—at the highest level for this season in 11 years—was reported today by Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., in its weekly survey.

"As a rule," said the mercantile agency, "retailers found sales results for the week highly satisfactory. Occasionally it was felt that consumer spending, although improved, did not yet reflect the substantial increase in industrial employment."

"The repayment of old debts was thought still to impede the full expansion in buying. In many instances, however, retailers reported sales outstripping expectations. . . .

"Despite brisk consumer interest, price appeal was still a major factor in the selling. Increases in medium-price merchandise were far outstripping gains in high-price lines. . . .

"Comparisons with sales of the corresponding period a year ago revealed substantial increases in major selling lines and in almost every major distributing center. . . .

"As a rule the margin of improvement was widest for furniture, furs, electrical appliances and automobiles. Regionally the best comparisons came from centers in the south, southwest and midwest."

With the expansion in dollar trade for the whole country estimated at 9 to 12 per cent, above a year ago, percentage increases for various broad regions ranged as follows: New England, 5 to 8; east, 7 to 13; and south 12 to 20; southwest 10 to 15; midwest, 8 to 17; northwest, 5 to 11; and Pacific coast 5 to 10."

WOOL MARKET
BOSTON, Feb. 7 (AP-USA)—A few inquiries were being received on the Boston market today for original bag fine and half-blood territory wools at 95c-\$1.00, scoured basis. However, most dealers were asking 98c to \$1.02, scoured basis for any original bag fine wools running bulk average to good French combing lengths. Fair qualities of the finer grades of South American wools were moved at firm prices.

POTATOES

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: 2 California, 8 Oregon, 1 Florida arrived, 13 unbroken, 15 broken cars on track; market firm for best stock, steady for others; Oregon, Klamath district Russets No. 1 \$1.05-1.15, few best \$1.20-1.25; dark soil \$.95-1.00.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 7 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: 1 California, 5 Idaho arrived, 27 unbroken, 19 broken cars on track; by truck 5 California, 1 Idaho, 2 Utah arrived, market steady to firm; Oregon, Klamath district Russets No. 1 dark soil 1 car-load \$1.10.

CHICAGO POTATOES

CHICAGO, Feb. 7 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: arrivals 96, on track 475; total U. S. shipments 704; old stock, supplies heavy; demand very light; market dull; Idaho Russet Burbanks U. S. No. 1, \$1.40-47c; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs U. S. No. 1, \$1.40; Minnesota and North Dakota Cobblers 85 per cent or more U. S. No. 1, \$.85-1.00; Early Ohio 80 per cent U. S. No. 1, 90c; Bliss Triumphs 90 per cent or more U. S. No. 1, \$1.00; Florida bushel crate Bliss Triumphs U. S. No. 1, \$1.50-60; per crate; new stock, supplies moderate, demand very slow, market dull.

WHEAT PRICE RUNS FLUCTUATING PATH

CHICAGO, Feb. 7 (AP)—Wheat prices fluctuated nervously over a range of about a cent today, dipping first 1 cent and then rising to net gains of almost that much.

Weakness of securities and favorable crop reports were bearish factors but there was persistent short covering and buying attributed to mills to offset this. Some traders thought part of the support may have been associated with army flour buying or subsidized exports to Mexico, the West Indies or Latin America. Portugal was reported in the export wheat market.

Wheat closed 1-1/2c higher than yesterday, May 82 1/2c, July 76 1/2c; corn 1-1/2c up, May 62 1/2c, July 61 1/2c; oats 1/2c off to 1/2c higher.

S. F. LIVESTOCK

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7 (AP)—(Federal-State Market News)—HOGS: Salable 75. Around 5c higher; package 202 lb. Californias \$8.80, few heavies \$8.40; odd packing sows \$6.00-35. CATTLE: Salable 50. Steady; package 1000 lb. steers \$10.25; desirable steers and she stock absent; few 927 lb. range cows \$7.15; canners and cutters

scarce, for week mostly \$4.50-5.50; bulls nominal, \$7.75 down. Calves: Salable none. Strong; good to choice vealers quoted \$13.00-50.

SHEEP: Salable none. Strong; good to choice woolled lambs quoted \$10.00-50; medium to choice woolled ewes \$5.00-75.

WHEAT QUOTAS NOT TO AFFECT GRAIN ON AAA FARMS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 (AP)—Agriculture department officials said today that marketing quotas, if invoked on the 1941 wheat crop, would not affect the quantity of grain which could be sold from farms which complied with AAA acreage allotments.

Because of a large surplus of wheat and prospects for a big crop this year, the department is preparing to hold a grower referendum, probably on May 31, on a proposal to invoke marketing quotas. Approval by two-thirds of the farmers voting would be required. Quotas are designed to keep new surpluses off the market.

Officials said that only farms with wheat acreages in excess of AAA allotments for 1941 would be affected by quotas.

Only 72 cases of the birth of quadruplets have occurred out of a total of 44,113,147 U. S. births in 23 years.

GENERAL MOTORS EARNINGS UP

NEW YORK, Feb. 7 (AP)—General Motors corporation today reported preliminary net earnings for the common stock in 1940 equal to \$4.32 a common share compared with \$4.04 in 1939.

The earnings on common and preferred were approximately \$105,500,000 compared with \$103,290,222 in 1939.

Before deducting income and excess profits taxes earnings were \$92,500,000 above compar-

able earnings in 1939. Increased provisions for normal income taxes and provisions for excess profits tax in 1940 absorbed \$80,300,000 of these increased earnings. The total provisions for these taxes was approximately \$125,100,000 in 1940.

INVALID TRAPPED

MEDFORD, Feb. 7 (AP)—Victor L. Snyder, 51, a semi-invalid, died in his bedroom yesterday, trapped by flames which destroyed the house. Fire Chief Roy Elliott blamed the fire on a cigarette.



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Trupak Spinach 2 No. 2 1/2 Can. 35c
Soil Off Cleans Better Qt. Can 60c
Cameo Cleanser 3 cans 25c

Pard For Your Dog 3 for 25c
Schilling VANILLA EXTRACT 4-oz. Bottle 47c
Schilling BAKING POWDER 12-oz. Can 31c

CHOICE MEATS
SKINLESS WIENERS, 1 LB. Both 33c
FRESH SAUERKRAUT, 1 Qt. For 31c
SWISS STEAK Lb. 31c
SLICED BACON Lb. 33c
Morrell's Fresh GROUND BEEF 2 lbs. 29c
COTTAGE CHEESE Lb. 10c
Crater Lake FRESH DRESSED POULTRY and RABBITS

5c SALE
5c ASSORTED FRUIT JUICES
• PINEAPPLE
• ORANGE
• GRAPEFRUIT
• TOMATO
5c INDIVIDUAL CANS

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
ORANGES Juicy Navels 2 doz. 33c
ARTICHOKES Large Fancy 3 for 25c
Broccoli Fresh Green 2 Bu. 25c
Sweet Potatoes 6 lbs. 29c
RHUBARB Hot House Extra Fancy 2 lbs. 29c

PORTLAND BRUSSELS SPROUTS 3 BOXES 25c
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SERVE ICE CREAMS With Your Sunday Dinner
• Golden Glow • Cherry-Nut
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TODAY'S MENU SUGGESTION
Tomato Corn Salad
Broadcast by Mary Lee Taylor February 6, 1941
1 1/2 cups tomato juice 2 1/2 cups cooked or canned whole kernel corn, well drained (No. 2 can)
1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup finely diced celery
2 tablespoons vinegar 1/2 cup finely cut pickle, sweet or sour
3 tablespoons water 1/2 cup Fat Milk
Heat to boiling a mixture of tomato juice, grated onion, salt, pepper and vinegar. Add gelatin and stir until dissolved. Remove 1/2 cup from mixture. Chill larger portion until it begins to thicken. Meanwhile, rub an 8-inch mold with salad oil. Add water to smaller portion of gelatin mixture. Pour into prepared mold. Chill until firm. Mix together the corn, celery, pickle and milk. Fold milk mixture into larger portion of thickened gelatin mixture. Put on top of chilled tomato mixture. Chill until firm. Unmold on lettuce or other salad greens if desired. Serves 6.
For This Recipe You'll Need:
Tomato JUICE, Swift'scan 7c
Whole Kernel CORN, S&Wcan 16c
JELLOpkg. 5c
Irradiated PET MILK6 cans 39c

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