

STOCK PRICES HOLD STEADY

Deals Are Slow On Wall Street; Some Issues Turn Higher

LOCAL STOCK MARKET

Westinghouse, open 91; high 91; low 91; close 91. Densel-Wemmer-Gibert, bid 13 3/4; ask 14 1/2. Lima Locomotive, bid 24; ask 24 1/2. Standard Oil Ohio, open 18 1/4; high 18 1/4; low 18 1/4; close 18 1/4. Buckeye Pipe, no sale.

NEW YORK, May 13—(AP)— Recovery signs appeared in today's brief stock market proceedings but, in most cases they were so faint as to be barely discernible.

It was a crawling session throughout with transfers of approximately 175,000 shares among the smallest in nearly a year.

Sentiment seemed to be slightly improved as recently waning hopes for tax revision in congress revived a trifle.

No great stimulation was derived from business news and the European picture, at least for the moment, was viewed as a neutral market influence. Prospects that soft coal would start moving Monday, following the six weeks' tie-up, were moderately encouraging. Small advances at one time or another were posted for U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Montgomery Ward, Standard Oil of N. J., Consolidated Edison, Southern Railway, Westinghouse, Union Carbide, International Harvester, Deere, Allied Chemical, Eastman Kodak and Glenn Martin. Some of these eventually slipped.

Bonds were selectively in demand. With the exception of cotton futures, which were given an upward push on reports Spain might arrange huge purchases of this staple in the United States, commodities lacked rising vitality. Considered by analysts as the federal reserve board figures disclosing department store sales for the country as a whole, in the week ended May 6, dropped 3 per cent below the comparable period a year ago when trade was far from satisfactory.

Not so pleasing also was the National Machine Tool Builders-associ summary for April showing both foreign and domestic orders in this month fell 16 per cent from the March aggregate.

MILLER CITY

MILLER CITY, May 13—Mr and Mrs. Bert Lake of Leipsic and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Keisig of Leipsic visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Brinkman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Ellerbrook of New Bavaria visited her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Schuller.

Mrs. Eleanor and Daniel Hohenbrink attended the play and picnic at Elm Center school, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Lawrence Seinet spent Monday in Delphos visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dull of Fruinridge, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ziegler spent Sunday with Mrs. Lena Dull.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hohenbrink, Jr. spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Goodeckontze of Mandale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kukendall of Continental visited with Mr. and Mrs. Art Noon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perky and family of Leipsic were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Zink and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Unterbrink and son, Earl, and friend, Miss Billie Baumken visited relatives in Grand Rapids, Mich. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Koenig visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDonald, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ball spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nixon and family.

Mary Pitson returned to Toledo, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Porter and Walter Lutz of Leipsic, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sheely and children and Mrs. Barbara Sheely, Mt. and Mrs. Lawrence Hillard and Barney Shuford of McClure were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hohenbrink, Sr.

MIDDLEPOINT

MIDDLEPOINT, May 13—F. D. Mowery, of Ann Arbor, Mich., and Mrs. Dolly Showalter, of Van Wert, called on their uncle George Mowery and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis and sons and Mrs. Jane Sheekler were callers in Van Wert Saturday.

Prof. and Mrs. Dewitt Morgan of Indianapolis, Ind., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andrews spent Saturday afternoon in Van Wert.

Lester Richie took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd McGinnis.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stevens of Van Wert, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Steben of Convoy spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Steben.

Mrs. Belle Sprague spent the weekend with relatives in Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Mowery of Van Wert spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mowery.

Mrs. Minnie Cotterman and daughter Ella spent Saturday in Van Wert.

Jane Wurst and Ella Mae Germann took dinner with Juanita Summersett Thursday.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

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U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS	Yield	Closed
Sept. 1941-50	1.11 1/2	
1946-18	1.11 1/2	
June, 1948-49	1.08 1/2	
1947-51	1.08 1/2	
June, 1948-16	1.04 1/2	
March, 1941-43	1.08 1/2	
1943-47	1.08 1/2	
1947-56	1.08 1/2	
Sept. 1947-52	1.08 1/2	
July, 1943-45	1.08 1/2	
Sept. 1952	1.08 1/2	
Fed. F. M. Loans	1.08 1/2	
1946-49	1.09 1/2	
1949-54	1.09 1/2	
1947-53	1.09 1/2	
1952	1.09 1/2	
Hom. Own. Loan Corp.	1.09 1/2	
1952	1.09 1/2	
2-8, 1948	1.09 1/2	
2-8, 1949	1.09 1/2	
N. Y. STOCKS	Closes	
All Reduction	18	
Allegany Corp.	18 1/2	
Amer. Chemical	18 1/2	
Amer. Beet Sugar	8 1/2	
Amer. Can	8 1/2	
Amer. Can Flyer	21	
Amer. Can Power	12 1/2	
Amer. Lead	12 1/2	
Amer. Lead & Liq.	12 1/2	
Amer. Lead & Ref.	12 1/2	
Amer. Steel Prod.	29 1/2	
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	19 1/2	
Amer. Tobacco Co.	2 1/2	
Anaconda Copper	28 1/2	
Atlantic Refining	5 1/2	
Baldwin Loco	11 1/2	
Balti. & Ohio	5 1/2	
Bath Steel	56	
Border Co.	20 1/2	
Briggs Mfg.	20 1/2	
Cad. Poets	1 1/2	
Carmel de Franco	12 1/2	
Ches. & Ohio	67 1/2	
Chester Corp.	63	
Common & South	10 1/2	
Consolidated Edison	5 1/2	
Consolidated Oil	7 1/2	
Conn. Can	16 1/2	
Conn. Pot. & Chem.	21	
Cuneo Steel	28 1/2	
Curtiss Aero	3 1/2	
Diamond-Steel	63 1/2	
Edison Gas & Elec.	19 1/2	
Gen. Electric	20 1/2	
Honeywell Corp.	4 1/2	
Globe Corp.	12 1/2	
Gordoni Rubber	16 1/2	
Gwynedd Bus.	18 1/2	
Gulf Electric	8 1/2	
Houston Oil	64	
Interlaken Corp.	10 1/2	
Kennecott Copper	3 1/2	
Kroger Groc.	21 1/2	
Lake Erie Ford Glass	24	
Lowes, Inc.	4 1/2	
Lorillard Tobacco	15 1/2	
Mel. Cos.	1 1/2	
National Biscuit	28 1/2	
Natl. Cash Reg.	19	
Natl. Dairy Prod.	14 1/2	
Natl. Power L.	13 1/2	
N. Y. Knitwear	17 1/2	
North Amer. Co.	1 1/2	
North Amer. Ass.	60	
National Steel	6 1/2	
Odeon Oil Co.	50	
Owens Bottles	50	
Packard Motor	1 1/2	
Penit. B. B.	20 1/2	
Peterson Petrol.	8 1/2	
Petzolt Corp.	27 1/2	
Pure Oil	7 1/2	
Proctor & Gamble	51 1/2	
R. E. Reynolds, Inc.	38 1/2	
R. J. Revere Corp.	11 1/2	
Reynolds Metal	1 1/2	
Rheem Iron & Steel	1 1/2	
South Calif. Edison	28 1/2	
Sears Roebuck	7 1/2	
Standard Brands	2 1/2	
Standard Oil of Calif.	2 1/2	
Standard Oil of N. J.	1 1/2	
Standard Oil of Ohio	1 1/2	
Standard Webster	10 1/2	
Texas Corp.	37 1/2	
Timken Roller Bear.	40	
Trico Carbids	5 1/2	
Union Pacific	21	
United Aircraft	37 1/2	
United Corp.	2 1/2	
United Elec. & S. P.	1 1/2	
Union Steel	6 1/2	
Wardell Corp.	1 1/2	
Westinghouse Elect.	51	
Woodworth	43 1/2	
Worth Piping	1 1/2	
Yellow Pine	1 1/2	
Yell. Moneys	1	

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

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WHEAT-MAY	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
September	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
CORN-MAY	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
OATS-MAY	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
RYE-MAY	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
LARD-May	6 50	6 50	6 50	6 50

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

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LIMA UNION STOCK YARDS	Open	High	Low	Close
WEDNESDAY	none	compared	Friday last week	
THURSDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
FRIDAY	none	medium weight, prime offerings	25 lower; prime	
SATURDAY	none	applyings	25 lower	
SUNDAY	none	light offerings	25 lower	
MONDAY	none	light offerings	25 lower	
TUESDAY	none	light offerings	25 lower	
WEDNESDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
THURSDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
FRIDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
SATURDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
SUNDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
MONDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
TUESDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
WEDNESDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
THURSDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
FRIDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
SATURDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	
SUNDAY	none	medium weight and weighty	steers, other than fow. loads	