

Traders Await Attitude On Surplus Sales

Indications Of Long War Prove Bother

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—(AP)—In decision affected the trade in wheat futures this week and most speculators showed an inclination to stay close to shore pending determination of the attitude producers will show toward selling surplus grain stocks after the turn of the year.

Lima Colored Folk's News

Social Items Are Outlined
Allen class of St. Paul A. M. E. church observed its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Bertha Simmons, W. High-st. Members and guests were:

Bing Crosby To Launch New Andrews Sisters' Program

Bing Crosby, whose recordings with the Andrews Sisters have made juke box history, will be on hand to help launch the ace singing trio on their first starring radio series—"The Andrews Sisters Show" at 3:30 p. m., Lima time, Sunday over WJZ.

Stock Market Closes Best Year Since '36

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET
By Thomson and McKinnon, Member of the New York Exchange
Room 401 Cook Tower

Grain Futures End Session Near Top Rung

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Grain futures markets absorbed heavy realizing sales today and closed near the top prices after a session of extremely heavy year-end trading.

evening with Mrs. Jennie Barnes and Mrs. Anna K. Bradley as hostesses at the home, 713 W. Spring-st.

Bradfield Center News Related
During the Christmas season the regular program of activities at the Center were interrupted, giving way to group parties for the teen ages and spreading good will in the community.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Despite considerable profit-cashing, the stock market today concluded its best year since 1936 by registering a new 7-year average peak on the third fastest Saturday since last June.

CHICAGO
WHEAT—May 1937 163 1/2 164 1/2 165 1/2 166 1/2
September 154 1/2 155 1/2 156 1/2 157 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Table with columns: WHEAT, CORN, OATS, RYE, SOYBEANS. Includes prices for various grades and contracts.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Table with columns: WAPAKONETA MARKET, CLEVELAND, PITTSBURGH. Lists prices for hogs, sheep, and cattle.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: N. Y. STOCKS, Close. Lists various stock symbols and their closing prices.

LIMA MARKETS

Table with columns: No. 1 wheat, No. 2 wheat, No. 1 corn, No. 1 oats. Lists local market prices.

U. S. Naval Air Unit

- 1.5 Depleted in insignia of Naval Air Station.
9 Chief god of Memphis
13 Angers
14 Sign
15 Sea eagle
16 Ancient Irish capital
17 French river
18 Ribbon
19 Redness (common form)
21 Furrowed
22 And (Latin)
24 Symbol for selenium
25 Wave top
26 Roman magistrate
32 Seed container
33 Diminutive of Daniel
34 Expert
37 Mountain crest
39 Rough lava
40 Italian river
41 Agitates
45 Archetype
50 Uncommon
51 Sea gull
53 Woody plant
54 Algerian city
55 Issue forth
56 Royal Italian family name
57 Animal skin
58 Drinking cups

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with letters filled in for the previous puzzle.

4 WOMEN DIE IN PLANT FIRE

FORT SMITH, Ark., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Four women were burned to death in a fire which swept the two-story packing and shipping building of the Wertz Biscuit Co. here late today.

RADIO GUIDE

Table listing radio programs by station and time, including 'The World', 'The Philharmonic', and 'The Bandwagon Orchestra'.

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Established firm of Accountants and Auditors with a competent staff of Certified Public Accountants capable of representing business organizations of all sizes before all government agencies in matters of taxation, contract termination, renegotiation and allied matters which are basically accounting problems, is interested in acquiring new clients in the Lima territory with a view toward rendering either year-end, continuous or intermittent counsel and service.

GOODYEAR TIRES

Advertisement for Goodyear tires featuring a tractor tire and the slogan 'SOLUTION 100'. Includes text: 'GET YOUR TRACTOR TUBES WEIGHTED AND INFLATED WITH SOLUTION 100'.

AUCTION SALES

On account of my health, I am leaving the farm and will sell at public auction on the Ridge Road, 1 mile north and 1 mile west of Alger, or 1 mile south and 1 mile east of Mayville, or 5 miles southwest of Ada, Okla.
THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1945
AT 10 O'CLOCK
COWS—Guernsey heifer 2 years old; Guernsey cow 5 years old; Shorthorn cow 7 years old; 2 heifers to freshen in March.

Time To Wish You A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Advertisement for Christy Tractor Co. featuring an illustration of a tractor and the text: 'Thanks for Your Patronage in 1944 Christy Tractor Co. 131 S. Union'.

RATE OF TAXATION 1944

Table showing tax rates for various townships and districts in Allen County, Ohio, for the year 1944. Columns include County, Township, and Total Tax.

THE New Year

Advertisement for South Side Building & Loan Association. Text: 'Can Be A Year Of Financial Gain For You, If You Let This "Old Reliable" Building and Loan Refinance Your... LAND CONTRACT We Specialize In First Mortgage Real Estate Loan And Our Payment Plan Will Be Easy On Your Purse. SOUTH SIDE BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION 128 WEST HIGH ST.'