By William

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Stock Market Continues Period Of Mild Irregularity Thursday

DOWN BIDDING

Encouragement From Congress After Churchill Talk Helps Little

NEW YORK, June 25—(A)— The stock market had little to go on today in the way of hopeful war news or tax optimism and the result was a continuance of mild irregularity.

There was some late bidding here and there but not enough to break the stalemate. Losses and declines were in small fractions at the start and most leaders finished with minor variations. There were

a few wider gaps either way. Expressions of encouragement by congressional leaders after a con ference with Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt lifted Wall Street spirits a trifle but inconclusive battle develop-ments in Egypt and at Sevastopol made for speculative and investment conservatism.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was unchanged at 35. Transfers of 245,420 shares compared with 243,680 Wednesday.

Among scattered strong spots was U. S. Distributing Preferred new top since 1931. Boeing was up 1 3-8 in the wake of a \$1 dividend declaration, first since the initial disbursement of 40 cents in December, 1937.

Chicago Grea Western Preferred was up 1 1-8 and lesser ad- Large Volume Outstanding vances were retained by Great Northern, U. S. Steel, Chrysler, U. S. Rubber, Douglas Aircraft, Kennecott, Consolidated Edison Johns-Manville and Zenith Radio. Allied Chemical dropped 3 points. Smaller recessions were shown for Pennsylvania, Montgomery Ward, American Telephone, Texas Co., and Eastman Kodak.

Bonds steadied at the last. Commodities were uneven. At Chicago livery next month. wheat and corn were unchanged

Regis Paper and American Light. Turnover here aggregated 44.460 shares versus 41,835 the day

STOCK AVERAGES 30 15 15 60

		Rails		
Net change.	Unch	Unch	d.1	Unch
Thursday	51.2	14.4	23.1	35.0
Prev. day _	51.2	14.4	23.2	35.0
Month ago		15.1	23.2	34.6
Year ago		17.2	31.6	41.8
1942 high	56.0	17.6	27.3	38.7
1942 low	46.0	14.5	21.1	32.0
1941 high		19.0	35.5	45.0
1941 low	51.7	13.4	24.5	35.4
60-Stock	Range	Since	1927	: 0
		10 1932		
High				
Low	33.	7 16	3.9	61.8
2011	v_	1		

Hogs: 25 cents higher than Wed- cal elevators.

good beef type around 9.50, most wet new harvest. canner and cutter cows 7.00-8.00. Heavy sausage bulls selling up to 10.75, and occasionally 11.00, with

Lambs: Market rather slow, about steady. Most sales from 13.50 down, according to weight and quality.

NAVAL STORES

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 25-47-Turpentine 60 1-2; offerings 305; sales 8,000 gallons; receipts 263; shipments, none; stocks 9,667. Rosin: Offerings 597; sales 597; receipts 325; shipments 449; stocks

Guote B 3.00; D 3.00; E 3.10; Bleachable prime summer yellow unquoted. Prime crude 12.50b. Jly Un Carb Un Pac 66% K and M 3.31; N 3.38; WG 3.41; 13.55b; Sep 13.30b; Oct 13.25b; Unit Airc 25 1/8

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2s 5	0-48 Mch	101.9	Lou and N 4½s 2003 M K and T Aj 5s 67	17
			Mo Pac Gen 4s 75	
	DOMESTIC		N Y C Rf 5s 2013	48
AT	and Sf 4s 95	1083/4	Norf and W 4s 96	124
B ar	nd O Cv 60st	18 1/8	Nor Pac 6s 2047	60
Can	Pac 4s Perp	69 %	Penn R R (AP)en 41/2s 65	100:
CB	and Q 41/2s 77	64	Phil Rd C and I Cv 6s 49	9
Chi	Gt West 4s 88	64	Seab Al Cn 6s 45	
Cri a	and P Rfg 4s 34	. 12?	So Pac Rfg 4s 55	
Clev	Un Term 41/2s 77c	61	So Ry Gen 4s 56	
Fla	East Cst 5s 74	123/4	West Md 4s 52	84
Hud	Coal 5s 62a	39	Foreign:	
	and Man Rfg 5s 57	413/4	Brazil 61/2s 26-57	331
III C	ent 43/4s 66	421/4	Poland 8s 50	10

Closing Stock Quotations

ATED PRESS

Coca Cola _____Colum G and E _____

Corn Prod
Curtiss Wright
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Corn Prod

Dow Chem

Du Pont -

Firestone

d		ATED PRESS	
e	BI THE ASSUCE	WITTE TIMES	
y	Air Reduction 30 Alaska Jun 24%		
-	Al Chem and Dye 129	Atl Ref	153/
r		Aviat Corp	
t	Allis Chal Mfg 231/8 I	Baldwin	10
e	Am Can 68 1	B and O	23/4
-	Am Car Fdy 23% I	Barnsdall	83/4
1	Am Rad and St S 45% I	Bendix Aviat	293/4
	Am Roll Mill 95% I	Beth Stl	51
	Am Smelt and Ref 361/4 I	Boeing Airpl	15%
f	Am Sug Ref 16 I	Borden	201/4
V	A T and T 11234 I	Borg Warner	221/4
	A T and T 11234 I Am Tob B 42 I Anaconda 2458 I	Briggs Mfg	18
	Anaconda 24% I	Budd Mfg	238
,	Arm Ill 234 I	Budd Wheel	6%
1	1	Burl Mills	161/2
	CD AIM DELIVEDIEC	Bur Add Mach	75/8
,			378
'		Cannon Mills	30
	DACTED MEVT WEEK	Case J I	66
		Caterpil Trac	341/4

Contracts Are Ready For Shipment

CHICAGO, June 25—(A)— Grain men commented today on the fact that there is a comparatively large Del Lack and W volume of outstanding contracts in the futures market involving de-First notices of intentions to de- Eastman Kod _____

to off 1-2 and up 1-8 of a cent liver grain can be posted next Elec Auto Lt a bushel, respectively. Hogs were steady. Cotton lost 15 to 35 cents belief the delay in Congress in reaching a decision on the gov-

> livery may feel it is desirable to hold on since they would be given

nesday. Top 13.75. Good and choice A report from Enid, Okla., to 12.25; 120-140 lbs. 12.75. 140-160 cian, said probably 10 to 15 per mer days this week. Cows about ered 2 grades. Elevators were rein line with yesterday at 8.25— ported trucking old wheat to local 9.00 on fat dairy types odd-head buildings to make room for the

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, June 25—(A)—Wheat Pure Oil

sample grade yellow (2, 10. 2) white 99 1-2—1.00; No. 4, 99. Oats No. 1 mixed 50 1-2; No. 1 Socony Vac 7

white 51 1-2; No. 2, 50 1-2; No. Sou Pac 10.44
Sou Ry 1278

3, 49 3-4; No. 4, 49. Barley malting 75—1.04; nomi-

Gen Elec Gen Foods In the curb modest improvement ernment feed wheat selling pro- Gen Mot _____ was registered for Gulf Oil, Lake gram as well as the scarcity of Gillette Shore and American Cyanamid. storage space have made it diffi- Goodrich Decliners included American Gas, cult for commercial interests to de- oGodyear cide what to do about commit-Graham Paige Hud Mot This firm said present owners This firm said present owners of contracts who would accept de-Int Harvest fect, would be buying space. Johns Man Dealers sold 5,000 bushels of Kennecott wheat, 40,000 corn, 51,000 oats and Kroger Groc 3,000 barley for shipment from Libby O F Gl ______here and booked 115,000 corn, 24,- Ligg and Myers B _____ here and booked 115,000 corn, 24,000 oats and 6,000 soybeans to arrive from country points. Traders reported part of the corn was reported part of the corn was hought by industries while ship. bought by industries while shipping sales could have been larger if sellers had been willing to acMurray Corp cept lower prices. Some of the Nash Kelv _ RICHMOND LIVESTOCK RICHMOND, Va., June 25—(P)— sales made recently were understood to have been made at prices stood to have been made at prices below replacement costs in an ef Nat Biscuit 14/8 Nat Cash Reg 16 Nat Dairy Prod 18/8 Na fort to vacate storage space in lo- Nat Dist ----- 21% dation and small scale hedging 180-300 lbs, 13.75; 100-120 lbs. Mark Pickell, grain trade statisti-lbs. 13.25; 160-180 lbs. 13.55; over cent of the wheat land in Kay and 300 lbs. 13.00. Sows under 350 lbs. Grant counties was lost in flooded Ohio Oil 13.00; over 350 lbs. 12.75. Stags low lands. Estimates were that Otis Elev

BELATED RALLY Kicks Bond Market Out Of Lethargy During

NEW YORK, June 25-A-A last minute rally in rail loans on considerable turnover kicked the bond market out of its lethargy today. While the day's total dealings were at the modest pace of \$4, 939,900, face value, more than one. third of these transactions took place in the last hour, when a number of sizable blocks of rail issues changed hands at advances of a point or more.

Day's Trading

Even so, the list as a whole had A C L 2014

At Ref 2014

At Ref 2014

A fair number of minus results

and some of the carrier liens
failed to improve or were only
fractionally ahead. fractionally ahead.

Several issues of Columbia were under some pressure in the foreign dollar section, with losses running Boeing Airpl _____ 15% to as much as 3 points, and Aus-Borden _____ 201/4 tralia 5 dropped more than Borg Warner _____ 22½ a point.

> U. S. Governments ranged from unchanged to a shade lower in the unlisted market. On the big board only \$5,000 of a single issue changed hands.

Upward movements of major fractions to a point or more in the corporate division occurred in Coca Cola 74½ 58 of 50, Rio Grande Western Colum G and E 1½ 15t. 4s, West Shore 4s, Delaware Coml Credit 19½ & Hudson Refunds, New Haven Commol Solv 834 Road 4 1-2s, Missouri-Kansas-Tex-Commol Rais 3-16 as 4 1-2s of '62 "A", Gulf Mobile Incomes and Northern Pacific 6s.

BOND AVERAGES

2		Rail	s Indu	is Uti	l Fo
8	Net change _	a.2	a.1	a.1	a
8	Thursday	60.1	103.2	95.4	49
2	Prev. day	59.9	103.1	95.3	49
8	Prev. day Month ago	62.4	103.7	94.5	48
2	Year ago	64.5	105.1	101.5	46.
2	Year ago 1942 high	65.6	103.7	100.6	49.
	1942 low	59.4	102.6	93.6	41.
8	1941 high	66.5	105.4	102.2	51.
2	1941 low	58.3	102.9	98.9	38.
2	10-Low	Yie!	d Bo	nds	
8	Thursday				112.
8	1942 low 1941 high 1941 low 10-Low Thursday Previous day				112
231		The second second		ATT THE PERSON NAMED IN	

34 1942 low ______ 115.1 20½ 1941 high ______ 115.1

Demand Is Insufficient To Absorb Liquidation

NEW YORK, June 25-(AP)-Cot-Nat Dist _______ 21% dation and small scale neughby Jack Lead _______ 12% against purchases under May Commodity Credit Corp. allotments. District Corp. allotments. Ny Cent _______ 63/4 Recurring flurries of selling in the July position were brought on July 100/4 the July 100/

> 7% session. The notices fell below ex-12% pectations.

NEW ORLEANS, June 25—(#)—Long realizing erased early gains in cotton futures here today and closing prices were steady 2 to 3

TREND OF STAPLE PRICES: Unit Fruit 52½
Unit Gas Imp 3%
U S Ind Alco 25
U S Rub 17
U S Steel 46
Vanadium 14½
Previous day 97.81, week ago

CURBS

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

up 1/6. Int Nickel 2,200—25%; up 1/2 South Pac 2,200—101/4; no.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

MISSOURI. OR WHAT NOW IS THE STATE OF MISSOURI, HAD NEARLY 2,000 EARTH-QUAKES

BETWEEN DEC. 16, 1811 AND FEB. 7, 1812. CULMINATING QUAKE WAS THE MOST SEVERE OF



ANSWER: If you can, we'd like to know it too.

OVER THURSDAY

ZHYMING WITH MONTH

Closes Unchanged To 1-2 Cent Lower Compared With Yesterday

Dec	1243/4	1243/4	1241/4	1245
CORN-				
ly	86%	86%	86%	861
ер	893/8			891
Dec	921/4			921
OATS-				
ly	45%	45%	481/4	481
ер	493%	491/2		
Dec	513/4	513/4		
SOYBEAN	IS-		,,,	
ly old	1783/4	179	178	178
ly new	1801/4	1801/4	1795%	1795
oct	1763/4	1775%	1763%	1763
Dec				178
RYE-				
ly	85 %	65%	64 7/8	65
ep	69 5/8	68 5/8		677
Dec	721/4	72%	71 1/8	
LARD-				
ly	12.65			12.6
ep				19 0

from 10.00 down. Good and choice vealers largely 13.50—13.75, some choice offerings selling slightly low 86 1-2; No. 2, 86 1-4—1-2; No. 3/8 Jan __ 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.80 18.90 18.90 Off 05 in the week ended yesterday, an increase of \$16,000,000 compared of \$16,000,000 compa

CHICAGO BUTTER AND EGGS | Solution | Special Street | Special St

29-29 1-4; dirties 28 1-4; checks

N. C. POULTRY

RALEIGH, June 25-(P)-(NCDA) -Egg and poultry markets steady. At Raleigh-U. S. extras large (clean white) eggs 32 to 33; col-

Warner Pic 54/4
West Elec and Mfg 68
Woolworth 26½
Yell T and C 103/4
Final stock sales 245,420

Warner Pic 54/4
1942 1941 1940 1933-39
Ored hens 17—18.

At Washington — U. S. extras large (graded white) eggs 36—37; (1926 average equals 100).

Sampson Livestock Mart Totals \$46,288 During Entire Month Of May

Market completed Saturday, the brought \$5.00 to \$6.00, 48 packages, third full month of buying at the marketed last Thursday, bringing fairgrounds here, and a report an average of \$4.03. CHICAGO, June 25— (P) -Frac issued through the Clinton Mertional declines, amounting to as chants Association by Stacey Hon- to be the dominant figure on the much as ¾ cent at one stage, were posted in the wheat market today Wheat closed unchanged to ½ Williams, showed total business for the past month to be the dominant figure on the eyeutt, local manager for Lance local Exchange and prices so far, have been fairly satisfactory on Wheat closed unchanged to ½ lower compared with yesterday, July \$1.18_; September \$1.21_ \$1.21_; corn unchanged to ½ higher; July 86½; September 89½ business done at the market during the previous month, it should be borne in mind that the May-June period covered by the new report the past month to be \$46,288.13 is in the off season for hog sales here was much higher than the average for the period prevailing throughout the state.

During the 26 marketing days covered by the new report, a total of 1842 hogs were purchased weighing a total of 355,987 pounds and for these, farmers of Sampson and surrounding counties received \$46,288.13, or an average price equal or better than the state-wide average. These figures bring the total

business for the first quarter to \$158,020.11 or an average of \$52,-673.37 per month, a figure considered excellent for a new market by expert hog buyers.

N. O. MIDDLING NEW ORLEANS, June 25-(AP)-

--- 12.82 The average price of middling

with the previous week. Loans for lower, Sales 339. Low middling the corresponding week a year 15.79; middling 18.79; good middago totaled \$349,000,000. ling 19.24. Receipts 1,251; stock 374,895.

The U. S. Marine Corps has a 27 3-4; storage packed firsts 31 1-3. work for its parachutists. It calls them "paramarines."

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PRODUCE SALES UP Carrier Corporation ON CLINTON MART

75.747 Packages Are Sold For Money Return Of \$124,085

badly handicapped for the want tors. of necessary re-packing and storage space, the Clinton Produce executive vice president, cam Exchange is now handling the lar- from Chicago where he was gest volume of produce ever sold tified with banking circles. by auction in this city. While complete total figures on the various commodities were not readily available yesterday, M. E. Motley, manager of the Exchange of in cents): O. C. Blanchard and Associates, operators of the market, announced that the Exchange had sold a buying 10 per cent premium total of 75,747 rackages of produce ing 11 per cent premium, equi so far this year or a total money lent to discounts on Canadian do return to the farmers of \$124,085.13. lars in New York of buying 99 While the Exchange opened this per cent, selling 9.09 per cent year about 10 days eadlier than it did in 1941 for the sale of straw- open market 10 per cent discou berries and a very considerable or 90.00 U. S. cents business was transacted in this de- Europe: Great Britain official licious fruit and other products, the (Bankers Foreign Exchange com volume of produce did not start mittee rates) buying \$4.02, sell the second week of the present ing \$4.04 open market; cables to roll into the local market until \$4.04. the second week of the present | Latin America: Argentina off month. And for the past two weeks, cial 29.77; free 23.57, up .07 of aided by fine seasons, the volume of produce has reached close to 5.20n; Mexico 20.67n. peak proportions, the capacity of Rates in spot cables unless other the market being taxed on more than one day recently. Dewberries have sold exception-

ally well on the block here this spring and up to Monday night, a total of 14,097 packages had been sold for a cash return to the grower of \$33,694.25 or an average for the season of \$2.39 per 24-quart Huckleberries, pride of Sampson

county, have also commanded a firm price to date, a total of 1,-474 packages having been handled CLINTON, June 25 - Operating for a cash return to the grower throughout on a declining market, of \$5,680.35. This figure represents operators of the Sampson Livestock an average of \$3.85 per crate, although some the earlier offerings Sweet pepper, rapidly reaching

volume production, is again going

Elects New President

NEW YORK, June 25-R-Cloud Wampler has been elected presi-Wampler has been elected president of Carrier Corp., Syracuse, N. Y., succeeding the late J. Ir. ine Lyle, it was announced

Edward T. Murphy, senior vice president of the air conditioning equipment company, was elected CLINTON, June 25 - Although a member of the board of dire

Wampler, associated with company since 1934 and recent

FOREIGN EXCHANGE NEW YORK, June 25-17-Clo ng foreign exchange rates following (Great Britain in dollars, other

Canada: Official Canadian Com trol board rates for U. S. dolla Canadian dollar in New You

cent; Brazil official 6.05n; free erwise indicated. n-nominal.

WHAT STOCKS DID Declines Unchanged



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RATH'S BLACK HAWK

BACON

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Vanity, Thy Name Is-Bin







Cities Service 2½
El Bond and Sh 1
Gulf Oil 26% OH, SUH-I HOPE YOU WON'T THINK ME FORWARD FOR KISSING YOU-I'VE ALWAYS BEEN NOTAT ER-I'M NEW YORK, June 25— (AP) — Sales, closing price and net change SO IMPETUOUS -HONORED of the 15 most active stocks today:

N Y Central 8,300—6¾; up. ...

Erie R R Ct 6,500—6; up ...

Boeing Airpl 5,700—15½; up 1¾.

Comwith and Sou 5,000—3-16; no Comwlth and Sou 5,000—3-16; no Gen Motors 4,400—36%; up ... Cons Oil 3,300—5; no. Woolworth 3,300—26½; up %. Chi Gt West Pf 3,200—10%; up Socony Vac 3,100—7; down ... Int Hydro El A 3,000—%; no. Stand Oil N J 2,700—35; no. *Pepsi Cola 2,600—21¼; up %. Wabash R R Pf Wi 2,600—25¾; up ½.

THE GUMPS