

Stocks Fall Cotton Prices To Hold Gains 3 To 5 Higher

New York, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Disinflationary sentiment for stocks ruled today in a decline to extend Wednesday's rally although many leaders managed to hold fractional gains.

General Electric	101 3/4
International Paper	101 3/4
Goodyear	101 3/4
General Motors	101 3/4
Ford	101 3/4
Chrysler	101 3/4
Wells Fargo	101 3/4
Bank of America	101 3/4
First National	101 3/4
Commercial	101 3/4
Trust	101 3/4
Equity	101 3/4
Investment	101 3/4
Real Estate	101 3/4
Public Service	101 3/4
Telephone	101 3/4
Utility	101 3/4
Chemical	101 3/4
Pharmaceutical	101 3/4
Food	101 3/4
Textile	101 3/4
Metals	101 3/4
Oil	101 3/4
Coal	101 3/4
Iron	101 3/4
Steel	101 3/4

Cotton Prices 3 To 5 Higher

New York, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 4 to 5 higher. Mid-morning prices were up 3 to 5 points, March 10.36, May 10.35 and July 10.25.

Retirement Bill Debated

(Continued From Page One)

Special legislative session in Pasquotank county, probably about February 20. The Moore bill to provide for revocation of beer licenses of dealers who sell to intoxicated persons was being held by the Senate without a vote being cast for it. The Senate got from Senator Blythe of Mecklenburg a bill to create a "state guard" to act as a home guard while the National Guard is in federal service. The measure provides for State support of guard units up to \$600 a year a unit and puts them under the same general laws that govern National Guard units. It is provided that they shall be discharged whenever the National Guard is returned to its home stations. Senator O'Berry of Wayne introduced a proposal to require the semi-annual inspection of all motor vehicles with 20 or more engines to do the inspection. He said his bill was based on the Virginia law and that 25 states had similar require-

Market Bill Is Favored

(Continued From Page One)

their produce at marketing centers so it could be sold to the Army or other big buyers. B. B. Sugas of Greenville, representing the Farm Bureau and Eastern Carolina Tobacco Warehousemen's Association, appeared before the committee and requested the action on tobacco. He pointed out that British firms in peacetime bought much North Carolina tobacco. The joint sub-committee committee considering wine regulatory measures got a substitute proposal from Senator Brooks of Durham to give county commissioners the power to buy and to limit the sale of legal fortified wines to "A" grade eating places in incorporated municipalities. The committee discussed the proposal along with the Reynolds-Quinn bill to limit the sale of liquored wines to the 26 counties with liquor stores. The substitute would prohibit any "mediced" wines but would permit fortification of natural wines with brandy of the same type—that is, grape brandy to strengthen grape wine up to a strength of 20 percent. No action was taken, though members said they thought a compromise might be worked out.

Babson Is Bullish On Home Building

(Continued From Page One)

today than at any time during the past ten years. Industrial building will exceed anything that has occurred for at least a decade. Therefore, if you contemplate building a house, start it at once. Certainly, it will be many years before you can build as cheaply as you can today. Moreover, if inflation comes, there is nothing better in which to have your money than a little house without a mortgage. Furthermore, a backyard garden in which you can raise some vegetables, in an emergency, may prove a most valuable insurance. Carefully pick out your land and select a location which will improve with the years. If financing is necessary, and your local bank cannot accommodate you, get a twenty-year government mortgage. Women are apt to buy a house as they do a car—by its color and its style. This is a mistake. The location, the amount of land and its accessibility are far more important than the house itself. A small house on a good-sized piece of land is better than a big house on a small piece of land. I am bullish on good real estate during 1941. This does not mean old houses anywhere, or city property in general, but it does mean suburban property and productive land. I sincerely hope that workers during World War II will spend their money on little houses before buying big cars, and on warm blankets instead of on silk shirts.


Cost of a Home. As in previous periods of great industrial expansion, more employment and larger pay rolls accompany a boom in residential building. The greater part of this boom should revolve around the small home. In recent years, there has been a tendency even upon the part of the wealthy to occupy a small salable property than to be stuck with a large white elephant. Homes today are adequately designed and arranged so that their efficiency from a utility and space point of view is far beyond anything heretofore known. With an increased demand for houses, it is natural to expect some rise in costs. Building materials will be consumed heavily this year. This is especially true of many products, such as wood-frame, metal lath, plaster, insulating materials, asphalt roofing, etc. The broad trend in their prices should be irregularly upward. On the whole, any advance should be moderate and orderly in view of administration measures which can be adopted to head off a rapid price rise. This, the President seems determined to avoid. Upping of manufacturing costs, through rising wages and taxes, is primarily responsible. But costs will certainly be subject to government action to prevent a rise which would endanger home building.

Getting Real Security. In many sections, particularly in defense areas and adjacent to shipyards, and air depots, there is a shortage of housing. For rent, resale, or ultimate owner occupancy, one or more small houses in such sections might temporarily be profitable. I am, however, particularly interested

... on a twenty-year low-rate mortgage with a good down payment if you have not the ready cash.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound, a two-week supply, today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonful two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by Parker's Drug Store and drug stores everywhere.—Adv.



Wife Preservers

Before you wash windows, wipe them with wife preservers. These also preserve paint and eliminate spotting.

New Millinery

For Dressy Straws and Pastel Felt Hats

IT'S EFIRD'S

97c \$1.49 \$1.94



Our style plus policy was never more evident. Beautiful new straw braids, pastel felts, and fabrics. Flowers, ribbon, veils and ornamented veils.

Efird's Dept. Store

230-232 S. Garnett St. Henderson, N. C.

EFIRD'S SHOE SALE

This Great Shoe Sale Comes But Once A Year. Don't Miss it. Bargains You Can't Afford To Miss.

FRIDAY AT 9 A. M.



Table No. 3, \$1 pr.
Novelty pump, strap, ties, also a few oxfords in suedes, leathers, patent and suede-patent combination, nothing on this table sold for less than \$1.98—pr. Limit, one pair to a customer.

Table No. 4, \$1.98
Our better line Delmod and Cuddick shoes, sold for \$3.95 and \$4.95. For a quick clearance, beautiful styles, any color, any size—pr. Limit, one pair to a customer.



Table No. 1, 25c Pr.
Odds and ends shoes, suedes, leather and patent in small sizes. Shoes sold up to \$2.95, at give-away price—pr. Limit, one pair to a customer.

Table No. 2, 50c pr.
All suedes, beautiful styles in brown, black, blue, and colors. Some patent trim. All these shoes are regular \$1.98 retail—pr. Limit one pair to a customer.

Men's Dress Oxfords, \$1.98
Men's dress oxfords made by Endicott-Johnson, black, brown, tan, cream, combination brown and white. made to wear \$1.98

Half Price Sale
All suede and suede trim shoes, cut at—
Half Price

Half Price Sale
All suede and suede trim shoes, cut at—
Half Price

Half Price Sale
All suede and suede trim shoes, cut at—
Half Price

Half Price Sale
All suede and suede trim shoes, cut at—
Half Price

FOR YOUR BAKING SPREE—DEPEND ON ME!



RUMFORD BAKING POWDER

FREE. Send for new booklet, containing dozens of bright ideas to improve your baking. Address: Rumford Baking Powder, Box N, Rumford, R. I.

Free Food!

NO FOOD BILLS FOR A WHOLE YEAR!

Super BIG STAR CONTEST

Here's all you do: Just finish this sentence in 25 additional words or less:

"I Like To Trade At Big Star Because..."

Entry blanks, with simple instructions, free with purchases at any Big Star Super Market. Contest closes midnight, March 1, 1941.

Grand Prize FREE GROCERIES FOR ONE YEAR
Second Prize FREE GROCERIES FOR 6 MONTHS
Third Prize FREE GROCERIES FOR 3 MONTHS
Prizes 4 to 10 FREE GROCERIES FOR 1 MONTH
 And 200 \$5 Baskets of Groceries—One Each for the next 200 best entries.
 Prizes to first 10 winners will consist of \$10 food order each week.

Free Entry Blanks Here: 407-409 Garnett St.

Fresher Fruits and Vegetables

1/2 Box Bag
ORANGES, \$1.15
 360 Size
LEMONS, doz. 19c
 Large
Cauliflower, head 17c
 Idaho Baker's
POTATOES, 10 lbs. 25c
 Iceberg
LETTUCE, 2 for 15c
Grapefruit, 6 for 15c

Wholesale
APPLES
 4 lbs. 15c
 2 cans 25c
 Dressing jar 23c
 Sweet or Sweet Mixed, qt. jar 15c

Old Virginia
Syrup, 2 12-oz. bot. 23c

Del Maiz
Niblets, can 10c

Triangle Pure Creamery
Butter, lb. roll 34c


Quarter Pound Cubes, lb. 34 1-2c

Large Selected Fresh
EGGS Doz. in ctn. 22 1/2c

Standard Corn, Lima Beans, Stringless Beans, 3 cans 17c

Vitamin B-1 Colonial
BREAD 16-oz. loaf 8c

Double Fresh! GOLDEN BLEND
 2 lbs. 25c
D-P Blend
 2 lbs. 37c



Double Fresh! DOP BLEND COFFEE

Breakfast
SLICED BACON, lb. 19c
 End Cut, Up to 3 1-2 lbs.
Pork Chops or Roast, lb 15c
 Fresh
PORK HAMS, lb. 19c
 Fresh
PORK SHOULDER, lb. 15c
 Country
PORK SAUSAGE, lb. 12 1/2c
 Baby Beef
Pot Roast, boneless, lb. 25c
 Tender Juicy
ROUND STEAK, lb. 29c
 Meaty
CHUCK ROAST, lb. 19c
 Fresh Ground
HAMBURGER, lb 15c
 Smoked Picnics, lb. 16c
 Thick
FAT BACK, lb. 5c
 Va. Medium
OYSTERS, Quart 35c
 Home Dressed Fat Hens, lb. 21c
 Spanish Mackerel, 2 lb. avge., lb. 22c
 Steak Mackerel, lb. 25c
 Croakers or Butter Fish, 3 lbs. 25c