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**The Markets At A Glance**

**CHICAGO, Feb. 3 — (AP) —** The price of May rice soared up to another 35-year peak yesterday as brokers bid the grain up the full five cents a bushel allowed in a single day.

**WINNIPEG, Feb. 3 — (CP) —** Rice prices continued their aggressive advance to new high levels yesterday on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange with all futures gained the five cent a bushel limit permitted in any one day.

At the close May was quoted at \$1.26.

There was a substantial export trade in wheat with sales totalling more than 1,800,000 bushels including about 1,250,000 bushels for the United Kingdom, 310,000 for U.M.R.A. and 238,000 for French relief.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 3 — (AP) —** The Stock Market Saturday concluded a generally rising week at the highest level in 15 years with the market's inflation pot boiling.

Although many pivots faltered, closing figures for favorites were up or near the best of the brief proceedings.

The Associated Press 60-stock composite was up 1 of a point at 84.4 a peak since March 27, 1931, and on the week showed a net advance of two full points and 876 issues were registered.

**The Mulberry Bush**

by HELEN TOPPING MILLER

CHAPTER XXXV

In the street, Avis Andrews jerked open the door of her car angrily. That girl — Mike's big brown eyes and that hair she had done this to Bruce. And they had thought her so ladylike and so quiet, and all the while she had been merely — ah! Shameless — running around with other men!

"At least," Avis jabbed her key into the switch and stepped on the pedal with fury, "she's going to know that I know! And she's going to know what I think!"

The door of the office of Harrison Tours stood open as Avis walked down the hall, and she saw Virginia's bright hair bent over a desk, beside her a gray-haired, stooping little man in a gray suit, studying a map and they did not look up until Avis was fairly in the room.

Then Virginia said, "Oh, Avis —" and stopped when she saw the strange, cold look in her face. "Mr. Harrison — Mrs. Andrews."

"How do you do?" Oscar Harrison murmured and turned to a file case, busying himself there.

Avis stood very straight. "I've just seen you yesterday, Virginia," she said. "And there — I met your husband."

"Thank you," Virginia said to Oscar Harrison. "I — have been foolish — but after all it is my marriage. My husband is here — this alone? My husband is here —"

"Certainly. Run along. I'll see to everything."

The telephone rang as Virginia was putting on her hat. She then dialed again but there was no answer. Mike must have tired of waiting, he might be on his way to the office now. She felt a pang of unease, wondering what Avis might have said to him. Avis had been so changed and strange in her anger. But she could not wait, she had to go to Teresa. There was no one else to take charge. "I'll leave a note for Mike," she decided. She typed a few lines on a sheet of paper, folded it and

**To The Electors Of Ward 3**

In the coming Civic Election to be held on Wednesday, February 13th, having identified myself with a group of progressive citizens, I am offering myself as a candidate for Councillor for your Ward.

If elected, I will put forth every effort possible to serve the interests of our City to the best of my ability.

**J. Gordon MacDonald**  
2-4-6-8-11-12-13

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 3**

This is to notify all voters that I am not nominating for election as Councillor in your Ward on this occasion.

Thanking you for your generous support in the past.

Yours truly  
J. T. MCKEE

**ELECTORS WARD ONE**

Having identified myself with a progressive group of citizens, representative of the different wards of this City, I have decided to contest WARD ONE in the forthcoming Civic Election.

I find that it will be impossible for me to call on each individual voter, and I am, therefore, taking this means of soliciting your support.

Should you consider me qualified to represent you for the next two years, I assure you that I shall do all in my power to further the best interests of WARD ONE and the City as a whole.

DANIEL E. NOONAN.  
VOTE FOR THE GROUP

**To the Electors of Ward Two**

In the forthcoming Civic Elections I am running for Councillor in your Ward.

Associated with a group of progressive citizens offering their services to you in the interests of our city, I pledge myself, if elected, to represent your interests to the best of my ability.

A. WALTHEN GAUDET.

**Produce**

**MONTREAL, Feb. 3 — (CP) —** Produce prices quoted here Saturday reported by the Dominion Department of Agriculture follow:

**EGGS:** Packed for export A Large 37; A Medium 35; spot free cases, A Large 36; Medium 34; A Pullets 28; B 29-30; C 25.

**BUTTER:** Wholesale Que jobbing pasteurized, fresh and storage No 1 Que 35, No 2 36 1-2; Current receipt Que No 1 pasteurized 35; 2-4 del Mt; No 2 34 3-4 del Mt; first grade creamery prints job price 38; solids 37.

**CHEESE:** Current receipt, western and Que. coored 22 1/16, white 22 PCB; wholesale colored 18 1/16-23 1/16; white 22 4-23.

**POTATOES:** 75 lb bags No 1 Que P.E.I. N.B. 190; No 2 small 175; 100 lb bags Maine A 2.54, B 2.23; Mass B 2.23.

**REPORT ON**

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for cheaper and cheaper money and will use the full power of all the departments of the Government to direct the private expenditure it stimulates into the channels it thinks most desirable.

The most important instrument that is now employed by the British Government is the use of central planning. The Ministry of Supply, for example, buys all of the housing materials directly from the manufacturers with whom it places the necessary orders. Then the Government sells these building supplies to the building companies who build the actual houses. The manufacture of housing materials has not been socialized, but its ability to set its own prices and wages and to pick its own customers has been basically altered.

This writer was particularly interested in a thin technique, now dramatically called "Operational Research," that promises to alter government itself. Scientists and technicians are being employed by the Government to solve problems that are not in their specific narrow fields. The centralized buying program just described.

This practice had its origin during the war. A leading geneticist was told that military operations over the Bay of Biscay had to be delayed. He accomplished the required delay without incident in planes. Dr. Zuckerman, the zoologist, helped plan the bombing attacks before D-Day. The novelty of the technique is that it calls for the services of a man who steers with no knowledge of the problem to be solved. There is no assigning the expert or bureaucrat to work in his specific but narrow field. There is a "best brains" is trained in all fields. Here are the seeds of an intellectual monopoly, too, that will be the first application of scientific method to the wide range of problems that government controls.

The one thing the three basic techniques of the Labor Government have in common is the debt they owe to the war. Centralized buying by government, channelizing and controlling investment, and "Operational Research" were introduced under Churchill. They remain as basic instruments to reshape the nation's economic and social life under Clement Attlee.

The truth is that the Labor government of Britain is less socialist economy than it is unadmitted war economy. Military victory has been indebted in part to these techniques. There is no respect to any of them to incite fears among Americans that Socialist baronies are around the corner.

**Montreal Exchange**

All Chem	200
Am Car	87 7-8
Amacanda	46 5-8
Aich	107
Bald	38 1-2
Bendix	55 1-4
Beth	112 1-2
Boeing	33 1-2
Briggs	52
C and O	60 1-8
Crysler	139 1-2
Cong Ed	35 1-2
Curtis	34 1-4
Douglas	96
Elec Auto Lite	80 1-2
Gen Motors	33 3-4
GI Martin	45 1-4
Goodrich	75
Goodyear	69 1-2
Harvester	21 3-8
Int Pap	43 5-8
Konacore	55 5-8
Montgomery	78 1-4
N Y Cent	34 1-8
Parmit Pix	69 5-8
Radio Corp	18 5-8
Republic	39 7-8
Spac	65 1-8
Stry	59
Sperry	84 5-8
Std O I N J	58 3-4
Texas Corp	58 3-4
Unkred Air	36 3-8
Verulam	36 1-2
U S Rubber	70 7-8
U S Steel	95 5-8
Warner	36 3-8
West Union	39 1-4
Youngston	73 3-4

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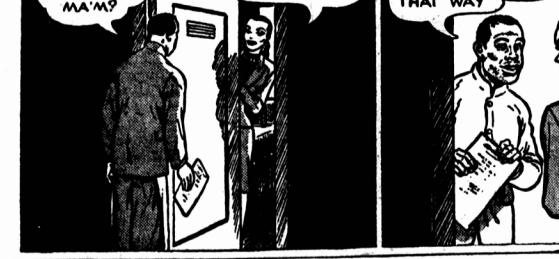
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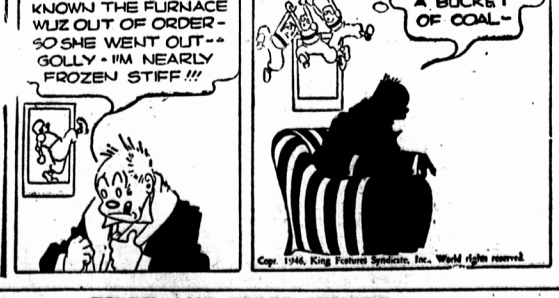
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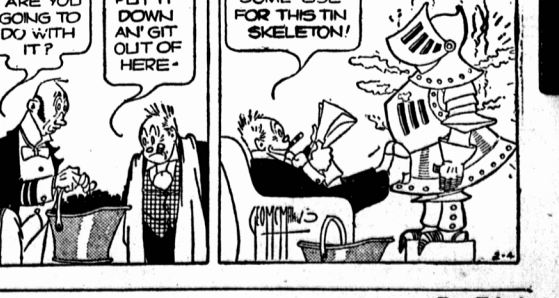
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**TILLIE THE TOILER**

EVIS GOES TO LIVING IN BUS STOP

**THE MAYOR'S FURIOUS OVER OUR HOUSING CAMPAIGN—SO INTERVIEW HIM**

O-O-KAY

**OH, I GUESS WITH PERHAPS CHARM I CAN MOLLIIFY HIM**

**MOLLIIFY MY EYE, DO YOU WANT HIM TO BE SO MOLLIIFY HIM**

**LET'S STOP AN' SEE HOW MARTHA IS! MEBBE SHE'S WELL 'NUFF TO GO WITH US—PERHAPS WE COULD CLEAR ALBERT.**

**WITHOUT THAT HOW'S MARTHA, JANE? HAS PERKINS COME BACK YET? WE'RE GON TO TH' JAIL NOW—MARTHA'S ASLEEP.**

NOT SLEEPY GO AWAY