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# Buyer's Delight: The 4% Mortgage Is Back!

Just in time for the Spring buying season... The Fed's recent U-turn in its rate policy coupled with slowing U.S. economic growth has sent investors flocking to the perceived safety of longer-term bonds. This, in turn, has put downward pressure on interest rates in recent weeks; in particular, mortgage rates, which had recently crept up to near 5%. As of last week, the 30-year fixed mortgage fell by a quarter of a point to just around 4%, its steepest decline in more than a decade, to hit its lowest level since January 2018. ([WSJ](#))

## Reversing Course

Average rate on the 30-year fixed mortgage, weekly



Source: Freddie Mac

# Ledger Nano S Now Supports Cardano (ADA)

Last week, we were excited to learn that our favorite cryptocurrency hardware wallet, the Ledger Nano S, has fully integrated with one of our favorite cryptocurrencies for the long-term, Cardano (ADA). This is huge news for Cardano investors and has already put upward pressure on Cardano's price. We currently have our Cardano holdings in the official Cardano wallet (known as Daedalus) but plan to move them soon. We will alert members if we run into any problems in the move.

([Ledger](#))



# China, France Make Nice As Washington Fumes

Last weekend, we reported on Rome's decision to sign on to China's ambitious Belt and Road initiative. And last week, the hits kept coming, as Chinese President Xi Jinping held meetings with other key European leaders and clinched more major deals. In particular, France agreed to a dozen deals in shipping, energy, and aviation, including a Chinese order for 290 A320 planes and ten A350s, worth billions of euros. China's strategic courting of Europe continues unabated as Washington becomes increasingly alienated from both parties due to its hostile trade and economic policies. ([WSJ](#))



# Cannabis Banking Act Cleared By Congressional Committee

The SAFE Banking Act (H.R. 1595), which would provide companies within the cannabis industry access to basic banking services within the U.S., cleared the House Financial Services Committee last week with a vote of 45 to 15. While the Act still has more legislative hurdles ahead, this is the first step towards a major development that will serve to normalize the cannabis industry.

Cannabis stocks barely moved on the news last week. ([Forbes](#))

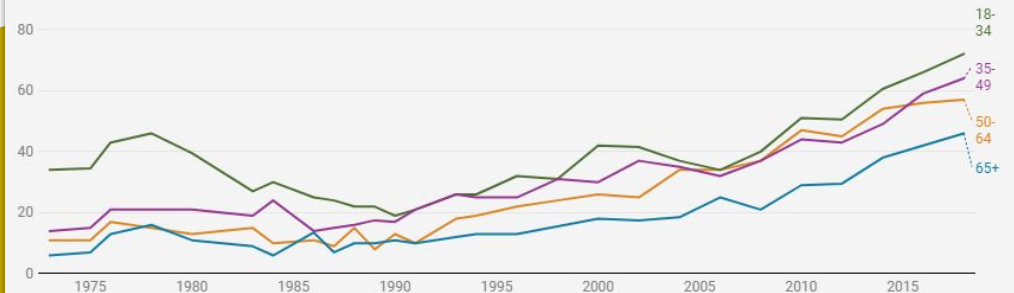


# POLL: Majority of GOP Voters Now Support Legal Cannabis

Well, the times they are a-changin'. A major national shift is underway regarding attitudes towards the legalization of cannabis. According to a new poll, support for legalization has hit an all time high of 61% with a majority of Republican voters now in support of legalizing for the first time ever! Support for legalization is strongest among 18-to-34-year-olds at 75%. It would appear America's experiment with cannabis prohibition is nearing its demise. ([AP](#))

## All ages warm to legal marijuana

The percentage of people who say the use of marijuana should be legal is highest among those under 50.

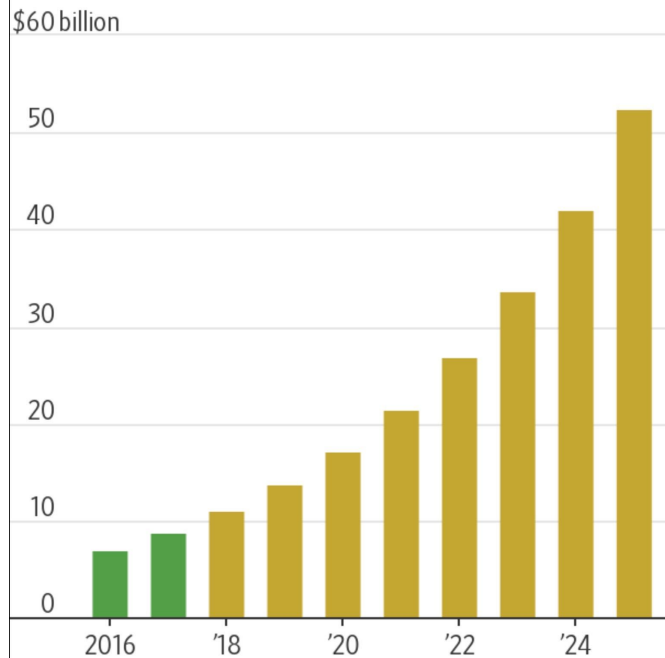


The General Social Survey is administered by NORC at the University of Chicago. Each year's sample size varies, with margins of error ranging from  $\pm 2.2$  percentage points to  $\pm 3.1$  percentage points.

Chart: AP Graphic/Kevin S. Vineys • Source: General Social Survey • [Get the data](#)

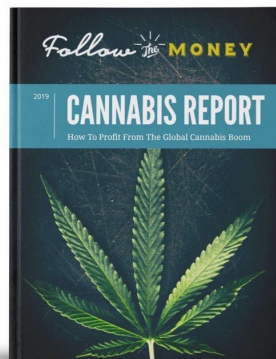
## Smoking Growth

Forecast legal cannabis sales in the U.S.



Note: Years in gold are estimates

Source: Grand View Research



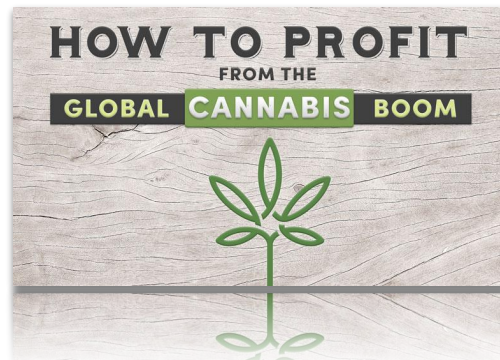
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# PALL: Time To Take More Gains

Since calling a new Long-Term uptrend alert on the Palladium ETF (PALL) back on July 15, 2016, and a new Position uptrend alert back on September 21, 2018, this ETF has risen 110% and 31% respectively. While many members have already taken gains from this massive uptrend, we recommend closing out the position and taking any remaining gains on this trade. *We would sell all remaining shares of PALL on Monday.*





# 2019 Confirmed Speakers

(More TBA)



Jerry Robinson  
Founder, FollowtheMoney.com a...



Jay Taylor  
Mining Stock Expert



Tom Cloud  
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Financial Advisor



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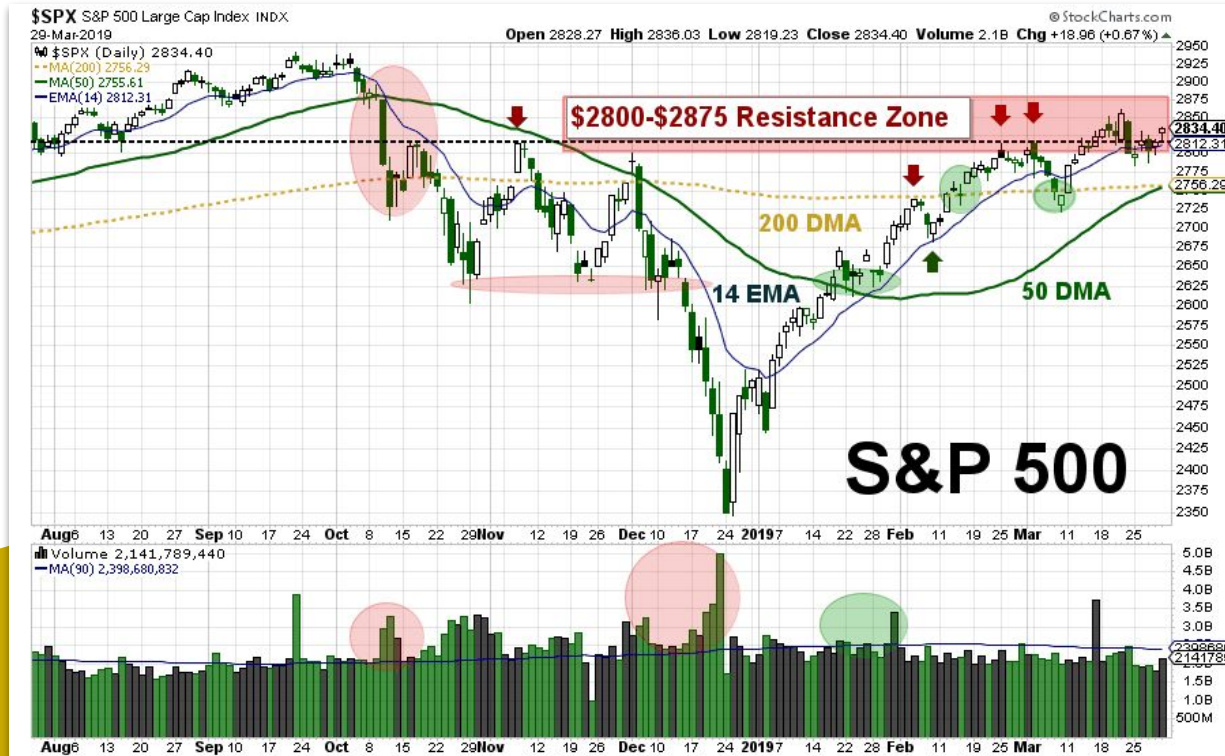
The S&P 500 index rose 1.2% last week as it struggled at a key \$2800 support level with major resistance still lingering just overhead at \$2875.

In the final months of 2018, the S&P 500 index tumbled 20% from a high around \$2940 to its late December low of \$2346. Q4 2018 was the worst quarterly performance since at least 2008. Then the Federal Reserve stepped in with its typical promises and reassurances of “flexibility” in its interest policy. Fast forward to the close of the first quarter of 2019 and the S&P 500 posted a 13% gain, which represents its best quarterly performance since 2009. All 11 sectors closed higher on the quarter for the first time since 2014.

The moral of the story is simply this: The Fed giveth and the Fed taketh away... ([Keep reading](#))



## S&P 500 Back in Key Resistance Zone





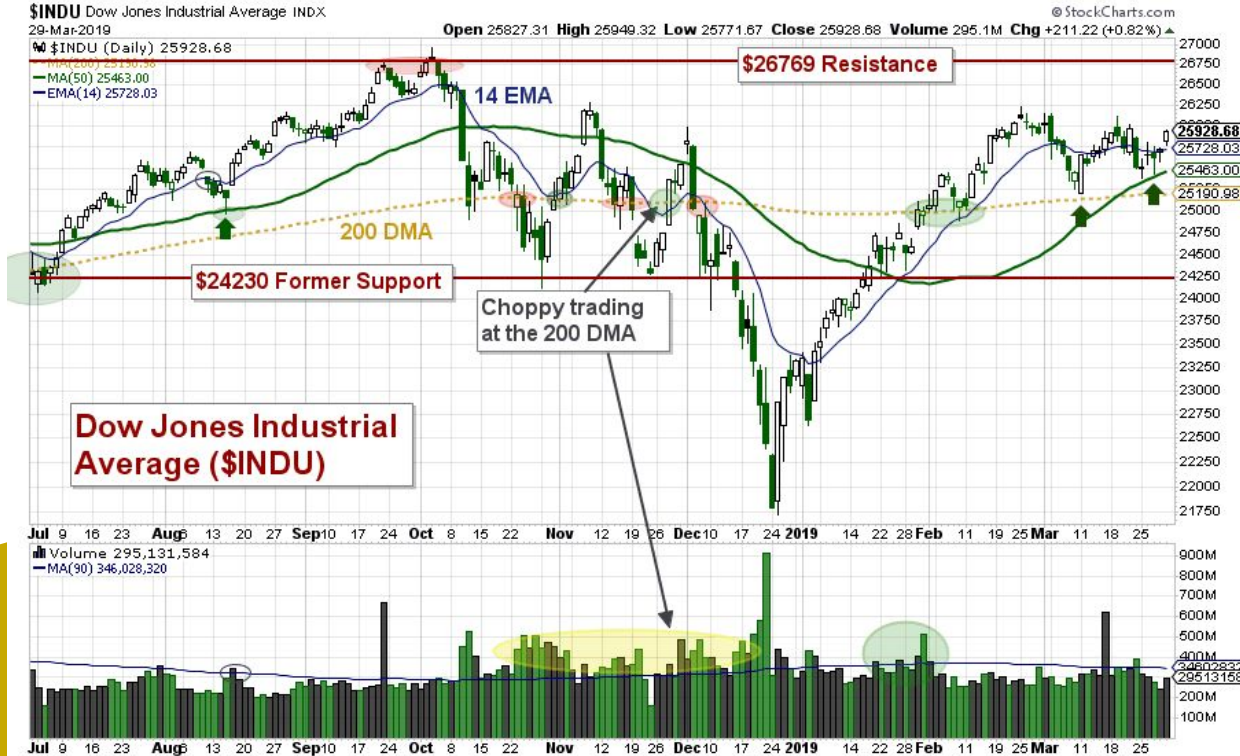
## S&P 500 Fights To Breakout From Head & Shoulders Formation





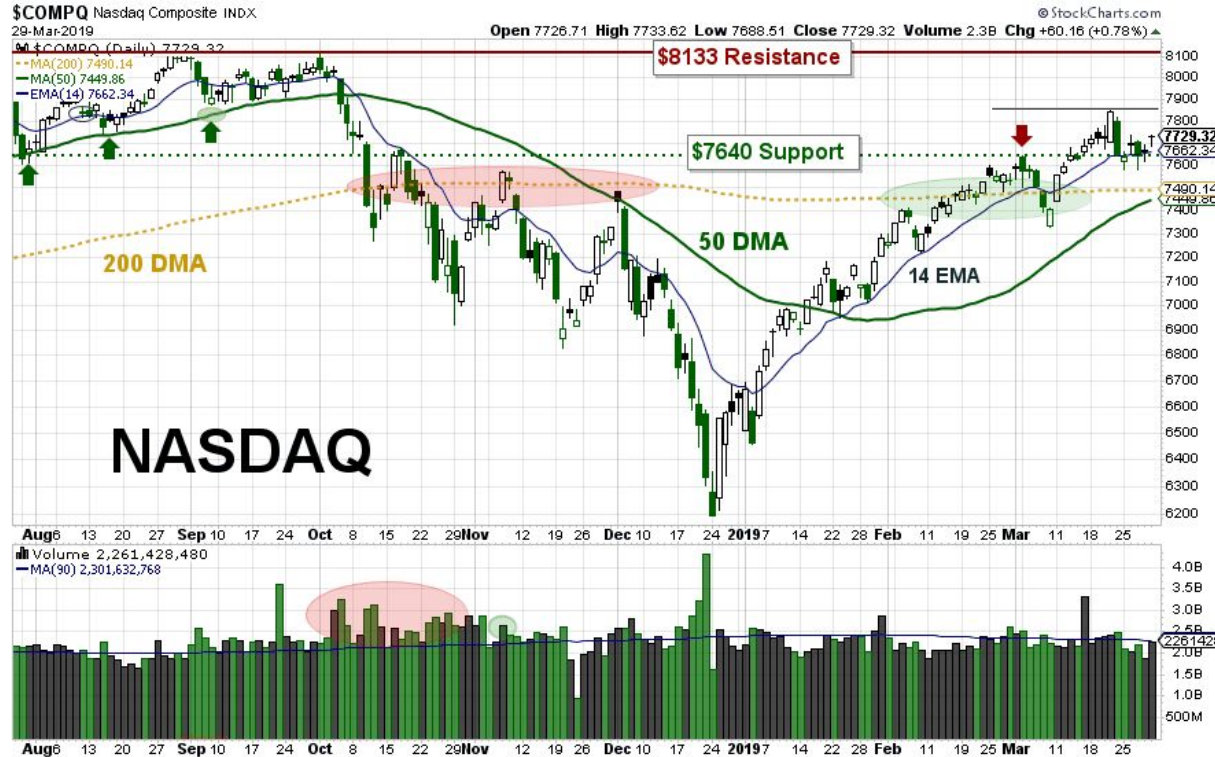


## BULLISH: Dow Jones Holds 200 DMA, Stages 50 DMA Bounce





## Nasdaq Struggles Below \$7850 Resistance





## Gold Maintains Its Uptrend; Solid \$1280 Support





## Gold Holds Its Multi-Year Uptrend Line





## Silver Holds Uptrend; Watch \$15.00 Support





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ROL	Rollins Inc	Industrials	3
LIN	Linde PLC	Basic Materials	4
HRL	Hormel Foods Corp	Consumer Defensive	5
PAG	Penske Automotive Group Inc	Consumer Cyclical	6
TMUS	T-Mobile US Inc	Communication Services	7
CCEP	Coca-Cola European Partners PLC	Consumer Defensive	8
BX	Blackstone Group LP	Financial Services	9
TCPC	BlackRock TCP Capital Corp	Financial Services	10

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Ticker	Name	SmartScore Ranking	Price	Price Target	YTD % Return
ENB	Enbridge Inc	1	37.44	42.03	20%
BHC	Bausch Health Companies Inc	2	25.48	28.97	38%
QSR	Restaurant Brands International Inc	3	62.59	69.24	20%
BHC.TO	Bausch Health Companies Inc	4	35.68	28.49	33%
ENB.TO	Enbridge Inc	5	49.41	54.28	17%
ELF.TO	E-L Financial Corp Ltd	6	7.99	None	8%
CNR.TO	Canadian National Railway Co	7	109.02	118.35	8%
LULU	Lululemon Athletica Inc	8	142.76	160.91	20%
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					10%

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NTES	NetEase Inc	2	243.14	284.95	3%
YUMC	Yum China Holdings Inc	3	41.11	42.09	23%
MOMO	Momo Inc	4	30.13	39.97	27%
YY	YY Inc	5	68.28	89.36	14%
CTRP	Chipcom International Ltd	6	33.9	34.88	25%
WB	Weibo Corp	7	62.36	71.37	7%
BZUN	Baozun Inc	8	36.37	48.10	25%
EDU	New Oriental Education & Technology Group Inc	9	78.63	82.69	43%
ATHM	Autohome Inc	10	76.97	90.55	-2%

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# STOCKS TO WATCH: IBD 50 Stocks At The 50 DMA

Investor's Business Daily (IBD) tracks the strongest 50 growth stocks each week. I personally like to use this weekly list to watch for 50 DMA bounce plays. Here are four such stocks that are at, or very close, to their 50 DMA that could move higher this week.







# NEW PODCAST: Are You Ready for the “Green Gold Rush?”

Now could be one of the best opportunities to begin building a long-term investment portfolio of high-quality stocks that will benefit from the inevitable shift in U.S. and global laws towards cannabis. Join Jerry and Jennifer Robinson for a discussion of the tremendous profit potential in this rare opportunity for individual investors.

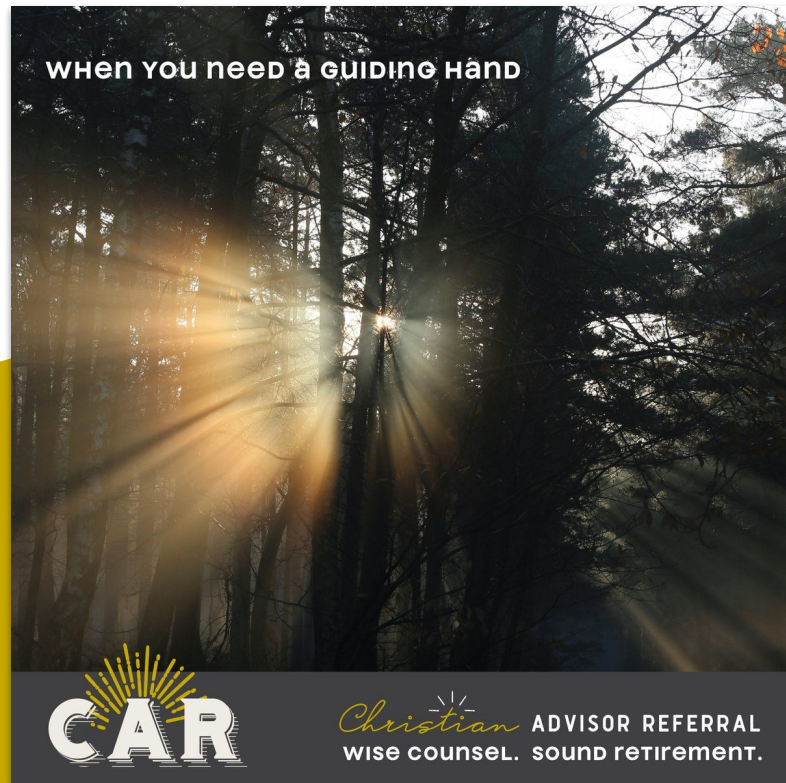
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