

Oregon Voters To Decide on 10 Issues on November Ballot

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Prices on Stock Market Sharply Down at Opening

New York — Time ran out on the stock market's six session rally as prices turned sharply lower in the first hour today with the high speed ticker running late.

General Electric and American Telephone paced the blue chips lower with losses running past 2 points. Eastman Kodak, Allied Chemical, United Aircraft, Procter & Gamble and Owens Illinois were off at least a point.

In general the steels were down fractions, and autos were generally lower featuring Ford off 1 3/4. International oils held fairly steady but chemicals weakened.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 583.87, up 4.39; 20 railroads 122.05, off 0.07; 15 utilities 112.48, up 1.13; 85 stocks 202.86, up 1.31. Sales Thursday were about 3.35 million shares, compared with 3.92 million shares Tuesday.

Thursday's prices on selected stocks

Allied Chemical	39 1/2
Alcoa	38
American Airlines	16 1/2
American Can	32 1/2
American Motors	14 1/2
AT & T	103 1/2
American Tobacco	33 1/2
Anacosta Copper	41 1/2
Armed	48 1/2
Bendis Corp	34 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	34 1/2
Branswick	25 1/2
Brumwick	25 1/2
Caterpillar Corp	42 1/2
Chrysler Corp	39 1/2
Coca Cola	34 1/2
C.D.S.	41 1/2
Continental Can	45 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	33 1/2
Crucible Steel	34 1/2
Curtis Wright	33 1/2
Dow Chemical	45 1/2
D.P. Food	31 1/2
Eastman Kodak	93 1/2
Fitzgerald	33 1/2
Flint	37 1/2
General Electric	61 1/2
General Food	69 1/2
General Motors	49 1/2
Genielec Pacific	34 1/2
Greyhound	27 1/2
Gulf Oil	36 1/2
Timothy	34 1/2
Isabro Power	27 1/2
Int. Paper	26 1/2
Johns-Manville	41 1/2
Kennecott Copper	44 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	44 1/2
Martin Co	30 1/2
Meerk	33 1/2
Montana Power	33 1/2
Montgomery Ward	27 1/2
National Biscuit	40 1/2
New York Central	34 1/2
Northern Pacific	34 1/2
The Gas Elex	29 1/2
Peoples J. C.	42 1/2
Tenn. III	13 1/2
Phillips	43 1/2
Procter & Gamble	65 1/2
Radio Corp	43 1/2
Republic Corp	43 1/2
Westway	43 1/2
Shaw	43 1/2
Shell Oil	31 1/2
Smyth Mobil Oil	50 1/2
Southern Co	47 1/2
Southern Pacific	25 1/2
Sperry Rand	144 1/2
Standard California	35 1/2
Standard Indiana	35 1/2
Standard N. J.	35 1/2
Sun Mines	81 1/2
Johns-Manville	41 1/2
Trans Pacific Land Trust	14 1/2
Union	29 1/2
Union America	25 1/2

Reapportionment, School District Petitions Filed

Salem — Oregon's November ballot took final shape late Thursday with the filing of initiative petitions on reapportionment and on repeal of school district reorganization. Voters face a total of 10 measures in the fall.

Deadline for filing initiative petitions passed at 5 p.m. Thursday. Eight other petitions that had been taken out were not filed.

The Citizens' Committee for Representative Government filed its proposed constitutional amendment that provides a new system of reapportioning seats in the legislature.

All Counties on List
 The committee needed 53,037 signatures and listed 56,500. Signatures were obtained in all 36 counties.

Filing the petitions were three officers of the committee—Chairman E. B. Lemon, Corvallis; Secretary George Annals, Hood River; and Treasurer Lon Stiner, Eugene.

The plan would retain the population system of allocating seats in the state Senate. But it would revise the formula for dividing up House seats, bringing geography as well as population into the picture.

Plan Criticized
 State Sen. Vern Cook (D-Troutdale) promptly termed the plan a "vicious proposal" and called for a bi-partisan committee to fight it.

Cook said the title of the plan was confusing. He said it would destroy grass roots democracy and benefit only the "selfish special interests."

Sponsors of school district reorganization repeal listed 44,437 signatures, 2,000 over the 42,429 needed. The filing capped a two-year effort by Serve Our State, Inc. (SOS).

He said the recommendations of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the AFL-CIO, which along with other organizations and many members of Congress have been pressing hard for an immediate cut, "should be very seriously considered by the executive as it is by me, and by the Congress."

Among the things the administration will watch in deciding what to do about the tax cut, Kennedy said, will be pending tax credit legislation and tax depreciation schedules for industry.

Plugged Two Bills
 Kennedy also put in strong plugs at the news conference for two administration bills—his \$4.9 billion foreign aid program and medical care for the aged under Social Security.

He appealed for bipartisan support for the aid bill, which comes up in the House next week. The Senate has already passed a \$4.7 billion version, and the House was expected to approve a somewhat smaller bill next week.

As for medicare, Kennedy urged strong support of the bipartisan compromise now before the Senate. He said it was strong and would meet the health problems of elderly persons.

Adenauer, French President Agree
 Paris — President Charles de Gaulle and West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer called jointly Thursday for a political union of Europe.

In a joint communique winding up three days of talks here, the two leaders said it is desirable in agreement with their Common Market partners "to conclude as soon as possible the discussions on creation of a political union which would consolidate the work already accomplished in the economic sphere."

De Gaulle and Adenauer jointly voiced the hope that the current Brussels negotiations on Britain's entry into the Common Market will succeed soon "with a view to reinforcing the building of Europe."

Firing Squad Kills Former Legionnaire
 Paris — A tall, blond former lieutenant of the Foreign Legion who became a leader of Secret Army terrorists was shot to death today by a firing squad.

Singing the Marseillaise, Dogniere, 37, was executed before dawn at Fort D'Yver outside Paris for his role in the Secret Army Organization's terror campaign aimed at keeping Algeria French.

NOVEL PUNISHMENT
 Whiting, Ind. — City Judge William Obermiller, noted for his non-jail sentences of head shaving and clean up details for teen-aged offenders, has another novel punishment. The judge Thursday ordered three youths arrested for disorderly conduct on July 4 to copy in longhand the U.S. Constitution and the Declaration of Independence. They have until Aug. 19.

Former Agriculture Employees Admit Getting Money From Estes Enterprises

Washington — Two former Agriculture Department field service employees confessed today that earlier sworn statements were false and that they received \$1,640.80 from the Billie Sol Estes enterprises.

Louis N. Dumas, until recently office manager for the McIntosh County (Okla.) Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, and Arthur D. Stone, the office performance supervisor, acknowledged this publicly before the Senate Investigations Subcommittee.

Their testimony was in direct conflict with their prior sworn statements, portions of which had been read to the subcommittee. The pair, both career men with the department's field service, who have served since the 1930s, said they have resigned.

Dumas and Stone admitted receiving money after the transaction had been outlined by Alphonse Calabrese, investigator for the subcommittee, and Parnell Biggerstaff, a one-time Estes employee.

Dumas testified he had received the money and that he "gave one-half of it to Stone." Stone acknowledged he had received the payment.

According to Biggerstaff, the two Oklahomans were paid the money for helping with data to guide him to farmers who were interested in transferring their cotton allotments.

Biggerstaff testified that he delivered an envelope containing money to the Eufaula, Okla., office of the two men. He said he had not counted the contents but knew it contained money because there was change in it.

Calabrese testified that the sum totalled exactly \$1,640.80. He said this computation was based on a memo listing 28 farmers who transferred 328.1 acres of cotton allotments to Texas at \$5 per acre. Biggerstaff agreed that the \$5 per acre basis had been approved by officials of Estes' farm-finance empire, including Billie Sol's brother, Bobby Frank Estes.

The investigations subcommittee began detailed spade work in its study of Estes' controversial cotton allotment operations.

The Senate group is also seeking to find out what Texas officials did about a 1960 memo stating that cotton lease-sale contracts used by Estes violated the law.

Testimony at the outset was to feature a memo sent in December 1960 by H. L. Manwaring, then deputy administrator for production adjustment of the Agriculture Department's Commodity Stabilization Service (CSS).

The memo said the lease-sale contracts employed by Estes were a scheme and a device in violation of the law.

The subcommittee planned to question officials of the Texas CSS committee to find out what treatment was given to Manwaring's memo and to an earlier memo, which in effect, gave approval to another, unrelated allotment transfer arrangement.

There were echoes of partisan politics today in the Senate's week-old investigation of Estes.

Sen. Karl E. Mundt (R-S.D.) announced that because Estes was a Democrat and a "big Democratic contributor," it will hurt the Democratic cause in this fall's elections.

Sen. Edmund Muskie (D-Maine), also a subcommittee member, retorted that any major election-year investigation has "political overtones."

He said there is no basis at this stage for finding "either the Democratic or Republican party clearly culpable."

State Legislator Plans To Fight Highway Bonds

Corvallis — State Rep. Dick Hoyt (R-Corvallis) today called on all state legislators to oppose further highway bond issues by the legislature.

"When the people of Oregon understand how costly and how damaging the financing of highways through bond issues is to our state highway system, Oregon will quickly return to pay as you go methods," Hoyt said.

The financial drain on highway funds to pay interest and retire bonds during the next few years will jeopardize the full matching of federal funds available for non-interstate highways, the Corvallis Republican said.

Hoyt served as a member of the House Highways Committee during the 1961 session.

Money Said Expensive
 "When those counties that are depending on the normal allocations of highway funds for their districts realize that every million dollars of highway bonds is costing their district in new construction between \$500,000 and \$834,000 as is the case with the counties in northwest Oregon," he said, "they will oppose issuance of more bonds."

The 1961 legislature, he said, authorized highway bonds totaling \$32 million. Over \$27 million more were seriously considered but not passed, he said.

Eight million dollars of the 1961 bond authorization were "definitely contrary" to the spirit of the state constitution, Hoyt said.

Authority Denied
 The constitution specifically denies authority to the legislature to "pass special or local laws for laying, opening and working on highways," he said.

MEANEY CHALLENGES EAST GERMANY
 Berlin — American labor leader George Meany challenged the East German communists Thursday to open their Berlin anti-refugee wall for one month.

"This proposal is practical, it will endanger no one," Meany said. "Who has any reason to fear the reunion of families on a breath of the fresh air of freedom for a trial period of one month?"

JAPANESE TO ASK RESTRICTIONS ON RADIOS
 Tokyo — Japanese diplomats will go to Hong Kong later this month to ask the British Crown colony to restrict its exports of transistor radios to the United States, according to the Kyodo news agency.

Kyodo said radios assembled in Hong Kong with low-cost labor are underselling Japanese radios in the United States.

PHILIPPINES, SPAIN PLEDGE TO FIGHT
 Madrid — The Philippines and Spain today pledged their "mutual determination" to fight the communist threat against "the security and freedom of the peoples."

An official communique released by the Spanish foreign office at the end of a six-day visit to Spain by President Diosdado Macapagal said that the Philippines had accepted a Spanish offer "to participate in Macapagal's economic plan" to raise the standards of living of Filipinos.

ITALIAN PRINTERS GO OUT ON STRIKE
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Foreign Briefs

POPE TO TAKE UP SUMMER RESIDENCE

Vatican City — Pope John XXIII is expected to move from the Vatican to his summer residence at Castelgandolfo in the cool Alban hills sometime next week. Vatican sources said today.

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