

# Hatfield's Reply To Questions Highlights State Politics

## Steels Shine in Firm Stock List

New York — (UPI) — Steels held the spotlight in today's firm stock market.

The strength in steels was taken as a surprise in some quarters in the light of U.S. Steel's dividend cut and lower earnings statement. Big steel rose nearly 1/2 followed by Jones & Laughlin, Republic, and Youngstown, up fractions to a point.

Motors were firm and chemicals narrowly mixed. Both international and domestic oils moved slightly higher. Electronics were erratic with IBM of nearly 2 and Minneapolis-Honeywell up about 1.

## Hodges Proposes Income Tax Cut, Reforms Later

Washington — (UPI) — Commerce Secretary Luther H. Hodges has proposed that the government cut income taxes quickly next year and put off more controversial tax reforms until later.

The commerce secretary, speaking only for himself, brought into the open Tuesday the unpleasant possibility that other administration officials have avoided discussing publicly.

For the sake of getting a tax reduction through Congress quickly, he recommended that it be severed from tax reform proposals that might bring time-consuming battles.

**DOW JONES AVERAGES**  
New York — (UPI) — Dow Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 588.98, up 9.63; 20 rails 120.17, up 0.89; 15 utilities 116.69, up 1.24; 65 stocks 204.78, up 2.69. Sales Tuesday were about 3.83 million shares as compared with 4.28 million shares Monday.

Tuesday's prices on selected stocks:

Allied Chemical	38
Alum. Co. America	32 1/2
American Can	41 1/2
American Motors	13 1/2
A. T. & T.	102 1/2
American Tobacco	27 1/2
Anaconda Copper	38 1/2
Armco	42 1/2
Bendix Corp.	49 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	28 1/2
Boeing Air.	38 1/2
Caterpillar Corp.	33
Chrysler Corp.	27 1/2
Coca Cola	78 1/2
C.I.S.	36
Columbia Gas	41 1/2
Continental Can	41 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	41
Cruzeiro Steel	12 1/2
Curtis Wright	17 1/2
Dow Chemical	51 1/2
Du Pont	21 1/2
Eastman Kodak	65 1/2
Firestone	28 1/2
Ford	41 1/2
General Electric	68 1/2
General Foods	62 1/2
General Motors	32 1/2
Georgia Pacific	36 1/2
Greyhound	28 1/2
Gulf Oil	39 1/2
Humastake	32 1/2
Imco Power	28 1/2
I.B.M.	35 1/2
Int. Paper	26
Johns-Manville	40 1/2
Kennecott Copper	68 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	49 1/2
Martin	20 1/2
Merck	69 1/2

## Cuba, Campaign Funds, Daylight Time Included

By United Press International

Gov. Mark Hatfield replied to more than 50 questions ranging from Cuba to campaign funds and fast time Tuesday night as the political telethon became a part of Oregon campaigning.

The Republican governor appeared on a two-hour telethon originating at KOIN-TV and rebroadcast over television stations outside the Portland area.

Hatfield said the policy of firmness has proven itself in Cuba. In response to another telethon query, he said there is labor money behind his campaign as well as money from a wide range of other groups.

Hatfield called the chief issue in his bid for reelection the continued growth of Oregon economy under his guidance versus "unknown and nebulous programs."

The governor also said the Oregon economy "would have been devastated if the Portland area had not gone on fast time last summer" like neighboring states.

On other topics Hatfield said he opposes the death penalty but respects the law. He said he is studying the Jeanne June Freeman case. He said civil defense showed some weaknesses but did a good job in the recent storm.

**Thornton Speaks Out**

Hatfield's opponent, Democratic Atty. Gen. Robert Y. Thornton, accused Hatfield of timber and power giveaways Monday in a Portland speech Thornton said was aimed at bringing out the issues.

Thornton said Hatfield signed bills giving big timber a 20 per cent tax cut at the expense of other taxpayers. He said under Hatfield private utilities won more than \$6 million in rate increases.

Thornton called for development of cheap power to promote economic growth, medicine, federal aid to education, and crime prevention.

He said Hatfield used up Oregon's \$33 million surplus, increased the governor's personal expense account, and kept his "time and attention directed toward campaigning for national political office."

In Portland Tuesday Thornton said "I have not been able to get my message through in Republican newspapers as a candidate for governor should."

Thornton said he believed the reason for lack of interest in the election "is its poor coverage by the newspapers, or by some of them."

At Newberg, Blaine Whipple, Democratic nominee for Congress in the first district, said a progressive Congress must be elected if Oregon and the nation are to move ahead.

Whipple termed his opponent, GOP Rep. Walter Norblad, one of the most obstructionist members of Congress.

**Figures Said Wrong**

State Employment Commissioner David H. Cameron claimed that employment figures given out by Thornton in Portland Sunday were wrong.

Thornton said official state figures show that Oregon lost jobs during the Republican administration of Hatfield. In a letter to Thornton, Cameron said the contrary is true.

Oregon's average employment, Cameron said, increased from 644,300 in 1958 to 677,200 in 1961. Thornton said Oregon lost 16,000 jobs in manufacturing since 1958 but Cameron said 2,000 such jobs were gained.

Republican Carl Fisher, fourth district congressional candidate, said in Medford Tuesday that a tax cut "for the wage earners of this country is overdue and it can be accomplished if unnecessary government programs are tossed in the ash can as soon as they are introduced."



**CURIOSITY GETS HER**—Penny Davis, 2 1/2, her jack-o-lantern to see what's in there. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cappy Davis, Orlando, Fla. (UPI)

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## MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

MEDFORD, OREGON, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1962

### Everyman Crew In Soviet Waters

Moscow — (UPI) — Twelve Western pacifists and their yacht, Everyman III, still are in Soviet waters, the Soviet news agency Novosti said today.

Earlier, Leningrad port officials said the yacht had left Leningrad Harbor Oct. 23 where it had arrived three days earlier. They also denied reports the crew had scuttled the boat.

The agency said the crew were in "good condition" but were prevented from sailing by severe storms.

The agency said the yacht was presumed somewhere in the Leningrad area but did not describe its exact location. The Everyman crew arrived in Leningrad to spearhead a campaign against armaments and nuclear tests.

### Dedication Slated For Bridge at Biggs

The Dalles — (UPI) — Samuel Hill Memorial Bridge at Biggs, 20 miles east of The Dalles, will be dedicated at noon Thursday by officials from Oregon and Washington.

The 2,567-foot span completes a vital link in a highway system that extends from Fairbanks, Alaska, to the Canal Zone in Central America.

Representing the Oregon Highway Department in the absence of Forrest Cooper, state highway engineer, will be Dean Swift of Bend, division engineer.

**Financed by Bonds**

Cooper will be unable to attend because of prior commitments with the State Highway Commission in Newport Thursday.

The bridge was financed through the sale of \$3,298,750 in revenue bonds by the toll bridge authority in 1960.

The name of the bridge was given by the toll bridge authority in memory of pioneer railroad man, Samuel Hill.

Among expected Washington officials are William Buge, director of highways; Darrell Hodges, executive secretary of the Washington Toll Bridge Authority; Charles Nichols, authority engineer; other members of the authority staff; and Klickitat county commissioners.

At the same time, he said, "we must move with great speed if we are to recover the majority of this blown-down timber before the bugs get to it." He said the

## Foreign Briefs

**ISRAELI PRESIDENT GETS THIRD TERM**

Jerusalem, Israel — (UPI) — Israeli President Itzhak Ben-Zvi was reelected to his third consecutive five-year term Tuesday.

Ben Zvi received 62 votes in the Knesset (Parliament). There were no opposing votes.

**UP THE LIGHTPOLES**

New York — (UPI) — Madison Avenue's advertising inhabitants ran their slogans up the lightpoles Monday because of repaving on their street. An ad executive posted some of these signs: "Copywrights: Don't create unnecessary widows... cross at next corner." "Art directors... don't get excited... we'll retouch it."

**BRITAIN TO PARTIALLY CENSOR HOPE'S SHOW**

London — (UPI) — The British Broadcasting Corp. announced today that Bob Hope's performance at the Royal Variety show will be partially censored when it is televised Sunday because Hope included several plugs for commercial products in his act.

The non-commercial BBC allows no advertisements whatsoever and once banned Bing Crosby's recording of "In My Merry Oldsmobile."

**U.S. ARMY CONVOY CLEARS CHECKPOINTS**

Berlin — (UPI) — The U.S. Army sent a convoy along the highway from Berlin through East Germany today without incident.

An Army spokesman said Russian guards at checkpoints on both ends of the 110-mile highway cleared the convoy of four trucks carrying 27 men "very fast."

**NEHRU APPEALS FOR SYMPATHY, SUPPORT**

Tokyo — (UPI) — Indian Premier Jawaharlal Nehru has appealed to the Japanese and South Korean governments for "sympathy and support" in India's border war with Red China, it was disclosed today.

**SOUTHERN RHODESIANS WARNED OF DISTURBANCES**

Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia — (UPI) — An African leader has warned that Southern Rhodesia will be torn by disturbances if elections are held Dec. 14.

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**Mrs. Roosevelt Said Feeling Better**

New York — (UPI) — A family spokesman said Tuesday night Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt is "feeling a little better and a little stronger" in her fight against a lung infection and anemia.

Mrs. Roosevelt, 78, was permitted to leave Columbia-Presbyterian Hospital two weeks ago after four weeks' confinement.

The former first lady has been treated at her New York apartment with nurses in constant attendance. She spends most of her time sleeping, the spokesman said, and has been forbidden all activity.

Only immediate members of the family are permitted to visit her.

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## Felled Timber Presents Problem

Portland — (UPI) — Nearly 300 men concerned with timber taking steps to eliminate red tape and offer salvage sales as fast as possible.

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Amid concern the product of the storm would flood timber markets, private timber operators and public officials from the local to the federal level met in the second day of the two day emergency conference.

The conference was called at the request of President Kennedy to map programs for salvaging the timber. The conference was prompted both by desire to make use of the timber by selling it, and by fear the fallen timber would become a breeding ground for pests unless it were removed.

Gov. Mark Hatfield enunciated the marketing problems Monday. He revealed he has asked President Kennedy to curb Canadian imports to make room on the market for the salvage timber. He said salvage timber plus imports would play havoc with the lumber market.

The conference was led by Assistant Interior Secretary John A. Carver. He said of the 4.4 billion board feet of timber downed by the storm, about 55 per cent was federally owned, 10 per cent state owned, and 35 per cent privately owned.

It was estimated about 70 per cent can be salvaged.

Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.) said Canadian imports must not be allowed to frustrate clean-up efforts. "Our government is already discussing this matter with the Canadian government," he said.

Hatfield said orderly recovery and planned marketing were necessary "to prevent a glutting of our markets and to eliminate the possibility of a boom and bust period."

"At the same time," he said, "we must move with great speed if we are to recover the majority of this blown-down timber before the bugs get to it." He said the

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**U. S. Steel Cuts Quarterly Dividend**

New York — (UPI) — The U.S. Steel Corp. has cut its common quarterly dividend by one third apparently on the basis of third quarter earnings which were the lowest for any non-strike period since the second quarter of 1946.

Directors of the corporation announced Tuesday a slash in the dividends from 75 to 50 cents a share.

Third quarter sales totaled \$782 million against \$885,220,068 in the prior three months and \$861,320,608 a year ago.

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