

# Stocks Drop in Today's Market

New York — (UPI) — Electronics and aircrafts paced an irregularly lower stock market today.

IBM topped the long list of electronics losers with a drop of more than 6. Among the aircrafts, General Dynamics, Bendix, Lockheed and Grumman shed at least 1 apiece.

Youngstown Steel gained more than a point in a mixed steel group while Du Pont lost about 1/2. Autos were narrowly mixed.

218.50, off 0.71. Sales today were about 3.41 million shares compared with 4 million shares Friday.

Today's prices on selected stocks:

Alum. Co. America	54
American Air Lines	17 1/2
American Can	44
American Motors	17 1/2
A. T. & T.	112 1/2
American Tobacco	27 1/2
Anaconda Copper	43 1/2
Bendix Corp.	54 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	28 1/2
Boeing Air	41 1/2
Caterpillar Corp.	67
Chrysler Corp.	79
Coca Cola	40 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	43
Corning Glass	15 1/2
Curtis Wright	18 1/2
Dow Chemical	56
Du Pont	22 1/2
Eastman Kodak	101 1/2
Firestone	33 1/2
Ford	43
General Electric	72 1/2
General Foods	29 1/2
General Motors	54 1/2
Georgia Pacific	38 1/2
Grain Processing	29 1/2
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Gulf Oil	36 1/2
Homestake (nd)	47 1/2
I. M.	37 1/2
Int. Paper (nd)	28
Johns. Manville	42 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	101 1/2
Merck	27 1/2
Montgomery Ward	30 1/2
National Biscuit	39 1/2
New York Central	14 1/2
Northern Pacific	34 1/2
Pac. Gas Elec.	29 1/2
Perma Cement	44 1/2
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Phillips	13 1/2
Phillips & Gamble	67 1/2
Radio Corporation	34 1/2
Richfield Oil	38 1/2
Safeway (nd)	40 1/2
Santa Fe	31 1/2
Sears	23 1/2
Shell Oil	73 1/2
Southern Co.	49 1/2
Southern Pacific	12 1/2
Sperry Rand	12 1/2
Standard California	58 1/2
Standard Indiana	54 1/2
Standard Oil	32 1/2
Sun Mines	8 1/2
Texas Co.	85 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulfur	13
Texas Pac. Land Trust	18 1/2
Thiokol	39 1/2
Trans World Air	10 1/2
Tri Continental	40 1/2
Union Carbide	110 1/2
Union Pacific	32 1/2
United Airlines	29 1/2
U. S. Plywood	47 1/2
U. S. Rubber	40 1/2
U. S. Steel	42 1/2
West Bank Corp.	30
Westinghouse	31 1/2
Youngstown	77 1/2

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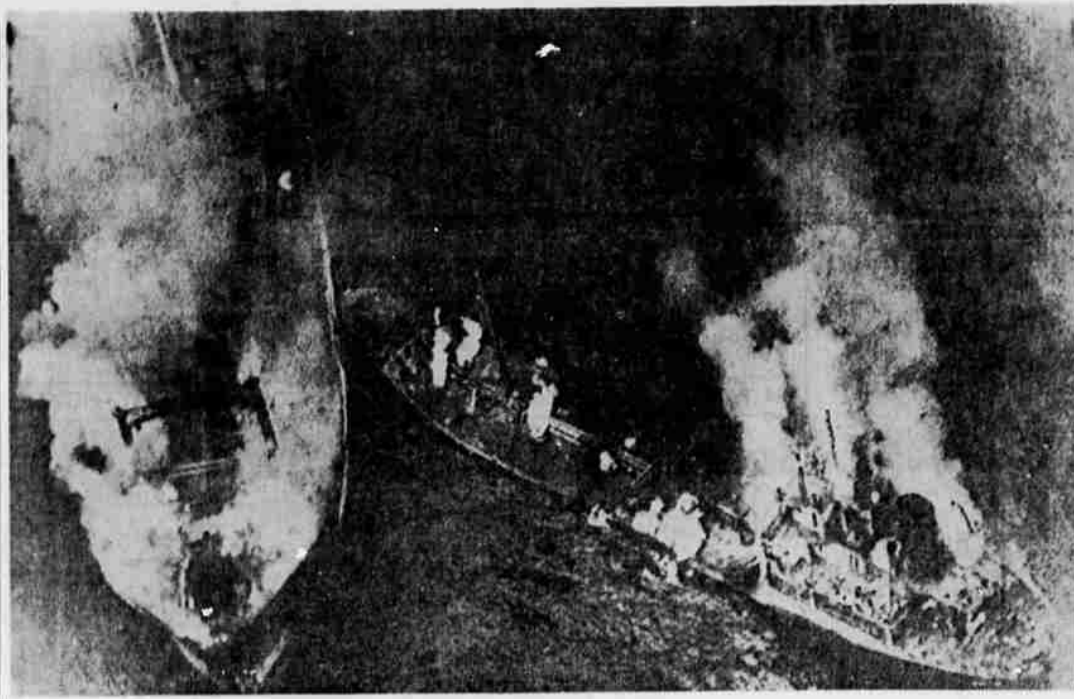
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**TANKERS COLLIDE**—The 21,634-ton Norwegian tanker Tharald-Brovg, left, and the 1,900-ton Japanese tanker No. One Munakata-Maru are shown spewing smoke after colliding off Kawasaki in Tokyo Bay Sunday. Five Japanese crewmen were found dead and 35 others missing and presumed dead. All 47 crewmen of the Norwegian tanker were accounted for with 10 men injured. (UPI)

# Machinists To Set Strike Date for Walkout Against Lockheed Aircraft

Burbank, Calif. — (UPI) — An International Association of Machinists negotiating committee was to set a strike date today for a walkout against Lockheed Aircraft Corp. voted upon Sunday by IAM members employed by the aerospace giant.

About 8,000 IAM members met Sunday at Valley College stadium in Van Nuys and voted 3-1 for the strike. Approximately 80 per cent of the 800 union members at Lockheed Space and Missile Facilities at Van Nuys, Sunnyvale and Vandenberg Air Force Base also voted to strike, a union spokesman reported.

Results from balloting in Honolulu and Cape Canaveral were not completed, but the IAM spokesman said they were expected to follow suit. The union last week broke off negotiations in Washington following a continuing deadlock over a union shop clause and wage and work condition issues.

The spokesman said the union would have to give Lockheed a five-day termination of contract notice before a walkout could occur, and ex-

plained, "this gives time for additional bargaining."

The walkout would affect both Lockheed's California Co. and Lockheed's space and missile division which manufactures the Agena B booster used in space probes such as the Samos, Midas and Discoverer satellites as well as the Polaris missile.

Two previous strike dates were set by the union, but one was cancelled on the re-

quest of President Kennedy and the other after a plea from Secretary of Labor Willard Wirtz.

The Defense Department stepped into the dispute Saturday and hinted some defense contracts might be withdrawn from Lockheed if agreement can't be reached and a strike ensues.

Department officials did not spell out their plans, but they were "considering whether

or alternate means of production can be used."

Lockheed Board Chairman Courtlandt S. Gross said the company would continue its operations even if a strike is called by the machinists.

Gross said the IAM had 5,700 members of a total work force of 31,200 at the Lockheed Missiles and Space Co. and 10,000 of the force of 24,000 at Lockheed - California Co. were IAM members.

"The more critical programs at these two companies are research, development, engineering and testing," said Gross. "We are confident we can sustain these programs with minimum delay."

"We want to make it clear that our position is not anti-union," said Gross. "It is anti-compulsion. We want our employees to retain the free choice they now have to decide individually whether to join or not to join the union."

Union official Thomas E. McNett repeated long-standing union charges that "Lockheed has been blocking a settlement."

"The American people will know where the blame lies should a strike occur," he said.

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# Adenauer Coalition In Fear of Collapse

Bonn, Germany — (UPI) — The five Free Democratic party (FDP) members of Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's coalition cabinet resigned today, threatening the government with collapse.

The party announced it was quitting Adenauer's government because the chancellor had refused to meet its de-

mands to fire Defense Minister Franz Josef Strauss. A short time later the party announced the resignation of the ministers.

A spokesman for Adenauer's Christian Democratic party (CDU) said the chancellor will meet Tuesday afternoon with party leaders to discuss the best course of action.

Adenauer now has eight seats too few for a majority in Parliament. The CDU and FDP together had 309 seats, of which the FDP supplied 67. Without the FDP Adenauer can muster only 242 seats, eight less than the 250 seats he needs for a majority. Leading CDU politicians said Adenauer will probably try to run a minority government and stick to his refusal to fire Strauss.

Such a move would be highly risky for Adenauer. His important legislation would be blocked, and observers said it might result in his downfall.

The Free Democrats have been demanding that Strauss be fired for his role in the arrest of editors of the news magazine Der Spiegel. Free Democratic party chairman Erich Mende announced the walkout by the party's five cabinet ministers after a party caucus at Nuernberg.

## Coroner's Inquest Scheduled Tuesday

Several persons have been subpoenaed to appear Tuesday at a coroner's inquest at Prospect High school at 10 a.m.

According to District Attorney Alan B. Holmes, the inquest was called to obtain all possible information concerning the Oct. 19 death of Jesse Conners, 59, of Eagle Point, by a self-inflicted bullet.

Conners was shot while hunting with Arnold Wiltner Ragsdale, Trail, on Tripod rd. near Prospect. Ragsdale told officers at the time of the incident that he was on the opposite side of the pickup truck when he heard a shot.

Persons other than those subpoenaed who may have information regarding the death will be asked to testify.

# Foreign Briefs

**CATHOLIC EXHIBITION PAVILLION OPENED**  
Rome — (UPI) — A 400-seat Catholic church exhibition pavilion was opened Sunday on the Rome Fair Grounds in honor of the Ecumenical Council.

Its three main sections portray the history of the Church, the present organization, and problems of the future.

**STALIN'S WAR ROLE SAID EXAGGERATED**  
Moscow — (UPI) — Soviet Marshal Alexander Yezemenko Sunday attacked as "legends" the role played by Stalin in the Soviet World War II victory at Stalingrad. "His role has been extremely exaggerated," Yezemenko said.

**SOVIET, POLISH TRAWLERS SIGHTED**  
Folkstone, England — (UPI) — Nearly 200 Soviet and Polish trawlers were sighted Sunday in the English Channel, about 40 miles east of the Thames River.

**RUSSELL PLANS CONFERENCE IN ISRAEL**  
Tel Aviv, Israel — (UPI) — Sen. Richard Russell (D-Ga.) will confer with government officials during a two-day private visit to Israel which began Sunday.

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# Court To Rule on Agency Shop Contracts

Washington — (UPI) — The Supreme Court agreed today to rule on two lower court decisions banning "agency shop" union agreements which require workers to contribute to collective bargaining cost but do not compel them to join the union.

At issue in the two appeals were right-to-work statutes in Indiana and Florida as well as a compromise interpretation of the Taft-Hartley law. About six out of every 100 existing collective bargaining agreements now contain the agency shop provision.

Accepted by the court today was an appeal from a decision handed down by the 6th Circuit of Appeals in the Indiana case last June 8. The National Labor Relations board, which has upheld the agency shop as valid, brought the appeal in this case.

The other ruling against the agency shop was made by the Florida Supreme Court April 25, 1962. The appeal was brought by the Retail Clerks International association, local 1625 (AFL-CIO).

In other actions today, the Supreme Court:

— Agreed to look into the gradual desegregation plans for recreation facilities being pursued at Memphis, Tenn. Lower federal courts have refused to issue a permanent injunction that would force immediate desegregation of the city's parks and other public facilities.

— Left standing a court order prohibiting the city of Jacksonville, Fla., from selling two municipal golf courses in order to keep them segregated.

In the agency shop cases, the Supreme Court will hear arguments later this term, then hand down its decision.

Two other kinds of "shops" are common in labor language.

One is the "closed shop," where a worker has to be a union member even to get a job. The Taft-Hartley law

makes it illegal for any collective bargaining agreement to contain such a clause. The Taft-Hartley law does permit a "union shop" provision, under which an employee must sign up after a certain period of time or be fired. But states are permitted to outlaw the union shop and 19 have done so under right-to-work laws.

Unions want a union shop so they can collect dues from all the workers for whom they bargain. The plan eliminates "free riders" — the employees who are not union members but still benefit from union-negotiated wage increases and other contract provisions.

Many employers, on the other hand, are reluctant to force their workers to join

an organization or get out. The agency shop has been regarded in some labor circles as a reasonable compromise. The worker contributes to the cost of collective bargaining but does not align himself with the group.

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