

# MARKETS and FINANCIAL STOCK AVERAGES

Compiled by The Associated Press

	30 Ind.	15 Rails	15 Util.	60 Stocks
Monday	100.2	38.9	43.1	70.9
Previous day	100.3	38.9	43.1	71.0
Week ago	98.9	38.2	42.8	70.9
Month ago	97.1	35.9	42.6	68.4
Year ago	98.9	36.5	39.0	64.3
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## GRAIN PRICES TREND DOWN

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 (AP)—The price trend in grains was downward on the board of trade today. Deferred deliveries lost the most ground, but even with them the extent of the decline was not large.

At times December wheat and corn moved above the previous close on short covering. Trading in all December contracts ends tomorrow. There also was some mill buying of what following a government request for 155,000 sacks of flour.

Wheat closed 1/4-1/2 lower, December \$2.21-2.20 1/2; corn was 1/2 lower to 1/4 higher, December \$1.30 1/2-5/8; oats were 1/2 to 1 cent lower, December 77-76 1/2; rye closed 1 to 2 cents lower, December \$1.40 1/2; soybeans were 1/4-1/2 lower, December \$2.30 1/2, and lard was 12 cents lower to 2 cents a hundred pounds higher, December \$11.30.

	Open	High	Low	Close
December	2.21 1/2	2.22 1/2	2.20 1/2	2.21-20 1/2
March	2.21	2.21 1/2	2.19 1/2	2.19 1/2
May	2.14 1/2-3/4	2.14 1/2	2.13 1/2	2.13 1/2-3/4
July	1.96 1/2	1.97 1/2	1.95 1/2	1.95 1/2
September	1.96 1/4	1.96 1/4	1.95	1.95

## Stock Prices Mixed Today

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—Prices were thoroughly mixed today in a moderately active stock market.

Gains and losses ranged over a point spread with a few of the leaders going outside these bounds.

Trading was at the rate of around 1,400,000 shares for the entire day.

Allied Chemical run up as much as 4 points while Superior Oil of California dropped 11 points before

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recovering around half of the loss later in the session. Western Union was active and up more than a point at a new high for a year.

Rails kept mostly higher as did automobiles and aircraft. Steels were virtually unchanged.

The spread of gains and losses without any concerted action by groups was regarded as a consolidated movement after last week's steady advance that put the market on average at a 17-month high level.

On the higher side were Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, United Aircraft, General Electric, U. S. Gypsum and Sinclair Oil.

Lower were Nickel Plate, Loew's International Paper, American Woolen, Dome Mines, J. I. Case, Schenley Industries, and Consolidated Edison.

American Can 100 1/4  
Am Power & Lt 14 1/4  
Am Tel & Tel 148 1/2  
Anaconda 28 1/2  
Bendix Aviation 36 1/2  
Beth Steel 31 1/2  
Boeing Airplane 24 1/2  
Calif Packing 36 1/2  
Canadian Pacific 14 1/2  
Case J I 38 1/2  
Caterpillar 35 1/2  
Cons Vultee 10 1/2  
Continental Can 36 1/2  
Crown Eberbach 29 1/2  
Curtiss Wright 7 1/2  
Douglas Aircraft 70  
Dupont de Nem 60 1/2  
General Electric 41 1/2  
General Foods 48 1/2  
General Motors 69 1/2

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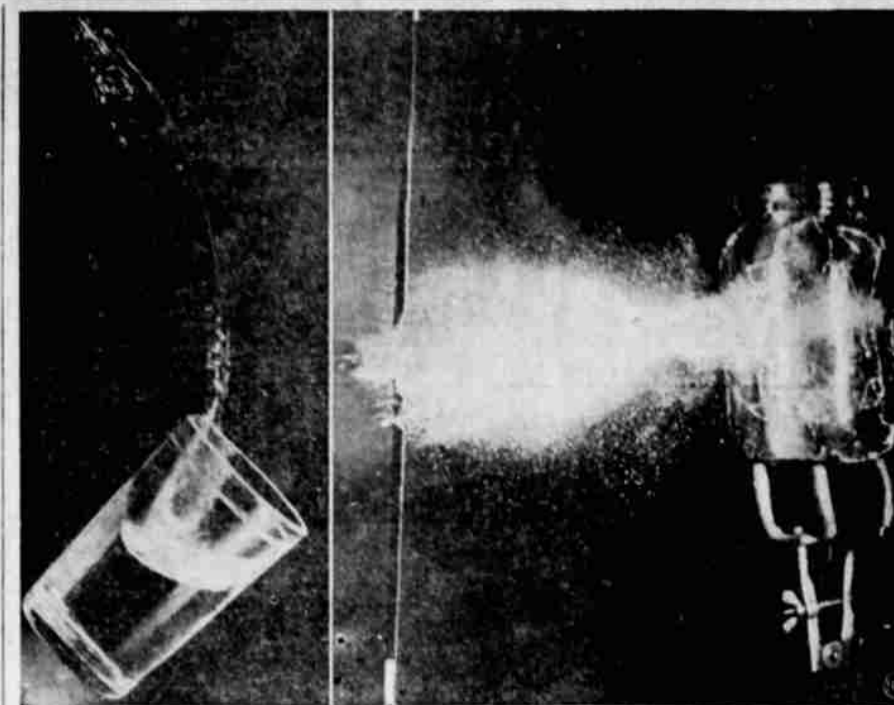
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IT HAPPENED IN TWO-MILLIONTHS OF A SECOND—A super-speed photoflash that throws a brilliant flash lasting only two-millionths of a second caught the unusual photos above. At left, a falling glass of water is snapped at the instant it struck the floor, sending up a graceful geyser. At right, a .22-caliber bullet smashes through a glass jar and then breaks up an electrical conductor, which set off the high-speed photoflash and took the picture. Engineer William Plant at the General Electric laboratory, Schenectady, N. Y., developed the ultra-fast photoflash.

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Int Harvester 28 1/2  
Int Paper 67 1/2  
Kennecott 50 1/2  
Libby McN & L 7 1/2  
Long-Bell "A" 21 1/2  
Montgomery Ward 54 1/2  
Nash Kelvinator 15 1/2  
Nat Dairy 35 1/2  
N Y Central 10 1/2  
Northern Pacific 19 1/2  
Pac Gas & Elec 33 1/2  
Pac Tel & Tel 100 1/2  
Pennex J. C. 55 1/2  
Radio Corp 12 1/2  
Rayonier 26 1/2  
Rayonier Pfd 12 1/2  
Reynolds Metals 30 1/2  
Richfield 39 1/2  
Safeway Stores 31 1/2  
Sears Roebuck 42 1/2  
Southern Pacific 49 1/2  
Standard Oil Calif 65 1/2  
Studebaker Corp 25 1/2  
Sunshine Mining 9 1/2  
Trans-America 16 1/2  
Union Oil Calif 27 1/2  
Union Pacific 16 1/2  
United Airlines 12 1/2  
U S Steel 26 1/2  
Warner Bros Pic 16 1/2  
Woolworth 47 1/2

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