MARKETS and FINANCIAL

Grain Prices Move Higher

CHICAGO, (AP) — Prices moved higher at the board of trade today, with soybeans leading the advance. Their prices at times were up around 8 cents.

Wheat moved ahead on buying credited to milling interests. There was also lifting of hedges against sales of two cargoes of red wheat taken by Portugal. Milling interests announced the price of family brand flour would increase 20 cents a hundred pounds at the start of business tomorrow.

At the finish wheat was ⅝ to 2⅜ higher than yesterday's close, December $2.52⅝-½. Corn was ⅛ to 1¼ higher, December $1.79¼-⅝. Oats were ⅛ lower to ⅜ higher, December 89½-⅝, rye (new) was 1⅜ to 2½ higher, December $1.89¼. Soybeans were 4 to 7¾ higher, November $2.96½ and lard was about 28 cents a hundred pounds higher, October $16.95.

Wheat—

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	2.50¼-⅜	2.52⅞	2.50¼	2.52⅝-¾
Mar.	2.54⅝-¾	2.56¼	2.54	2.58¼-⅜
May	2.54	2.55½	2.53⅝	2.55⅝-½
July	2.47¼	2.47½	2.45⅞	2.47¼-½

Stock Market Has General Decline

NEW YORK, (AP)— There was a general decline today throughout the stock market.

Prices fell back around two points at the most among leaders, and there was only fractional support at best in major sections of the list.

Trading was moderately active at an estimated 1,700,000 shares as compared with 1,710,000 shares yesterday. That is slightly above the daily average for the year.

The selling which never got out of hand—was a little heavier in steels, non-ferrous metals, and railroads than elsewhere, although not a single major division escaped the fall.

In the absence of heavier volume of business, traders were inclined to regard today's fall as a normal reaction from a sustained rise.

Quotations

Ad Corp	25
Allied Chem	75⅝
Allis Chalmers	32½
Am Airlines	15⅞
Amer Power & Light	22⅝
Amer Tel & Tel	158⅛
Amer Tobacco	64
Anaconda	51
Atchison	79⅛
Beth Steel	32⅝
Boeing Airplane	51
Borg Warner	67⅝
Burr Ad Mach	18⅛
Calif Pacific	26⅛
Can Pac	30⅜
Caserpillar	50¾
Celanese	53¼
Chrysler	72⅛
Con Edison	31⅞
Cons Vultee	19¾
Crown Zellerbach	36⅜
Curt Wright	10⅝
Douglas Aircraft	64⅞
Dupont	95⅛
Eastman Kodak	49⅛
Emer Radio	14⅜
Gen Electric	61⅛
Gen Foods	45
Gen Motors	52⅛
Goodyear Tire	48¼
Homestake	36⅛
Int Harvester	38
Int Paper	32⅝
Johns Manville	64½
Kennecott	88
Libby McN & Lib	9
Lockheed Air	25
Loew's Inc	19
Long Bell "A"	43¾
Montgomery Ward	73¼
Nash Kelvinator	19¾
N Y Central	20⅛
Northern Pacific	38⅝
Pac Amer Fish	16⅜
Pac Gas & Elec	33¼
Pac Tel & Tel	114
Packard	5
Penney J C	72⅛
Penn R R	21⅝
Pepsi Cola	9⅛
Philco	—
Radio CP	24⅞
Rayonier	62⅜
Rayonier PFD	—
Republic Steel	46⅝
Rey Metals	63⅛
Richfield	59½
Safeway	34½
Sears Roebuck	58⅛
Soc Vacuum	30⅛
Southern Pacific	65⅛
Standard Oil Cal	52⅜
Standard Oil N J	69⅝
Studebaker	29⅝
Sunsh Mn	12⅝
Swift & Co	34⅜
Transamerica	21⅛
Twentieth Cent Fox	23⅜
Union Oil Cal	40⅝
Union Pacific	104⅜
United Airlines	27⅛
United Aircraft	32½
United Corp	4⅜
U S Plywood	34⅛
U S Steel	43⅞
Warner Bros	14⅝
Western Un Tel	45⅛
West Air Brake	27⅝
Western Electric	41⅛
Woolworth	44

Portland Grain

PORTLAND, (AP)—Coarse grains, 15 day shipment, bulk, coast delivery oats No. 2 38 lb. white 64.00; barley No. 2 45 lb. BW 6300.

Wheat (bid), to arrive market, basis No 1 bulk, delivered coast: soft white 2.40; soft white (excluding Rex) 2.40; white club 2.40.

Hard red winter: ordinary 2.40; 10 percent 2.40; 11 percent 240; 12 percent 2.40.

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Today's car receipts: wheat 53; barley 8; flour 5; corn 6; oats 7; millfeed 10.

Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, (AP-USDA) — Cattle: salable 150, market rather slow but mostly steady; scattered lots utility-low commercial 780-870 lb grass steers 26.00-30.00; light cutters down to 22.00; few cutter-utility heifers 21.50-26.50; canner-cutter cows largely 1800-22.00; few cutter-utility cows 22.50; low utility cows mostly 23.00-25.00; cutter-utility bulls 23.00-27.50.

Calves: salable 50; market about steady; few choice calves- vealers 35.00-38.00; commercial-good 27.00-34.00; cull-utility 17.00-26.00; stock calves scarce but demand narrow.

Hogs: salable 150; market 25-50 cents lower; choice 180-235 lbs 22.75-23.25, including load holdovers at 23.25 early; few choice 260-290 lvs 21.00-22.00; sows uneven; choice 385-540 lbs 17.00-18.50; lighter weights 19.00-50; few choice 37-41 lb feeder pigs 2250.

Sheep: salable 200; market fairly active, steady; choice wooled lambs, mostly 29.50-30.00; shorn lambs 29.00-10; one lot choice-prime 93 lbs 30.00; good feeders mostly 28.50; odd good 110 lb yearlings 2500; good-choice ewes 12.00-13.00; some held higher; utility ewes 9.50-11.50.

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San Francisco Livestock

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, (AP-USDA)—Cattle: 75, salable supply augmented by 125 holdovers, market moderately active, steady, scattering of canner and cutter cows 1550-23.00, few utility cows 24.00-25.50, odd heads commercial 28.00, two loads good fleshy 1020-pound feeder steers 24.00, short lead good 890-pound feeder heifers 22.50, couple small lots good 280-700 pound yearling steers 33.50-34.25, odd head good 705 pound yearling heifers 22.50. Monday all classes steady, except canner and cutter cows 50 cents lower, couple lots commercial and good heifers 32.00-33.00, canner and cutter cows 18.00-23.00, short lead 506 pound stock heifers 30.00.

Calves: 25, odd head utility to good slaughter calves 28.00-34.00.

Hogs: 600, bulk just arrived, no sales.

Sheep: 450, including couple decks and lots of lambs and few ewes, no early sales. Monday active, steady to strong, double of choice and prime wooled lambs 32.00, couple loads mostly choice number one pelt 22.50, some good-choice lambs 21.00, good-choice slaughter ewes 15.50-16.00, cull utility 9.00-12.00, couple decks good number one pelt 69-72 pound feeder lambs 30.00, short deck 33 pound 28.50.

Potatoes

CHICAGO, (AP-USDA) — Potatoes: arrivals 114, on track 285; total U.S. shipments 695; market slightly stronger; Idaho russets $4.70-80, utilities $3.20; Minnesota-North Dakota Red River Valley Pontiacs $3.60-65 washed; Washington russets $4.35-75.

San Francisco Potatoes

SAN FRANCISCO, October 15 — (AP-USDA)—18 cars on track; California 1, Oregon 14 arrived; market slightly stronger; Deschutes russets No 1-A, 2-inch min., 3.75-90.

LOS ANGELES, October 15—(AP-USDA) — Market slightly stronger; Klamath russets No. 1-A, 4.00-10; Deschutes 4.00-25; Idaho 4.00; 130 cars on track; California 38, Oregon 42, Idaho 19, Utah 3 arrived; 18 arrived by truck.

Funeral

BENNETT

Funeral services for William Edmund Bennett, 70, who died here October 11, will take place from the Sacred Heart church, High at 8th, Wednesday, October 17, 1951 when a requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul commencing at 9:30 a.m., Rev. T. P. Casey officiating. Committment service and interment in Mt. Calvary memorial park. Ward's Klamath funeral home in charge of the arrangements.

Obituary

WYNANT

Rebecca Ann Wynant, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Wynant of Merrill, passed away in this city October 15 at the age of 4 days. Besides the parents she is survived by the grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wynant of Merrill. Funeral services were conducted at the graveside in Klamath Memorial park Tuesday at 2 p.m. The Rev. George Ider officiating. The Memorial Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

SHONG

Mike J. Shong, 79, a native of Fulton county, Ohio and a resident of Klamath county for 25 years, died here October 14, 1951. Survivors include a son, Claire of Colville, Wash.; two sisters, Mrs. Arlie Conby and Mrs. Will Reed of Alma, Mich.; a nephew, Ted Sorasve of Bend, Ore. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ward's Klamath funeral home later.

Weather

WESTERN OREGON — Mostly cloudy with a few showers today, clearing partially tonight. Mostly cloudy Wednesday with occasional rain. Highs both days 52 to 62. Low tonight 33 to 43.

EASTERN OREGON — Scattered showers today through Wednesday with snow in high mountains. Little temperature change. Highs both days 48 to 55. Low tonight 30 to 40 except 25 in high valleys.

GRANTS PASS AND VICINITY — Mostly cloudy with a few showers today and Wednesday, clearing partially tonight. Highs both days 62. Low tonight 37.

By The Associated Press

Readings are for the 24 hour period ending at 4:30 a. m. today

	Max	Min
Bend	52	29
Eugene	60	43
Klamath Falls	52	24
La Grand	50	32
Lakeview	54	28
Medford	60	37
Pendleton	57	42
Portland (airport)	56	43
Roseburg	60	42
Salem	57	43
Chicago	79	53
Denver	77	35
Eureka	60	44
Los Angeles	68	58
New York	72	54
Red Bluff	78	49
San Francisco	68	54
Seattle	60	43

Patrons See Birth Movie

MERRILL— The film "Human Beginning" was shown through the courtesy of the Klamath county health department at the meeting of Merrill Parents-Patrons at the high school.

How best to help the school band was thoroughly discussed, with the result that the organization will undertake to raise money for band instruments to be rented to students wishing to take band instruction. This year for the first time fifth grade students will also be allowed to take band. Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Payzant, Mrs. Lawrence Geraghty, and Mrs. Lester Moore were appointed the committee in charge. Three years was the minimum time set to get the project completed.

The first money-raising event is scheduled for next month when a reunion of former graduates of Merrill schools will be held. Mrs. Don West, the secretary, will send invitations to graduates. Mrs. T. W. Chatburn Jr. is program chairman assisted by Mrs. Alfred Carleton, Mrs. Dale West, and Mrs. John O'Neil. Mrs. R L Dragoo will be refreshment chairman for the occasion.

Mrs. Dale West will again hold a social hygiene course on the first three evenings in November. Anyone interested is invited.

The next meeting will be November 8, at 8 p.m. in the high school gym. 4-H Achievement day will be observed, and Francis Skinner, 4-H leader from Klamath Falls, will give awards earned by club members during the past year. Eldon Payzant will lead the school band in several numbers.

Merrill Plans Prayer Day

MERRILL—A meeting was held at the Presbyterian church manse Monday to form the interchurch council for the observance of National Days of Prayer and to draw up plans for a community day of prayer November 2. The theme of this day of prayer will be "pray for peace."

Representatives of the various churches in this vicinity were Mrs. Thomas Newton of Tulelake, Mrs. Louis Lyon and Mrs. Dick Henzel of Malin, Mrs. Roy LaPrairie of Mt. Lake, and Harriet Fotheringham and Eldon Payzant of Merrill.

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NEW CURTAINS for the county infirmary were donated recently by the Quota club. Thirteen pairs of fire-resistant plastic drapes in gay colors now brighten the rooms. Above (l to r), Mrs. Rhoda Cline inspects the curtains as Laurie Olson and Ada Sproat of the Quota service and welfare committee look on.

On the Record

COMPLAINTS FILED

William Owens vs. Joseph E. Yates, doing business as Oregon Food Stores, suit to collect lot of lumber or $163.20, $75 damages and costs. R. F. McLaren, attorney for plaintiff.

Owens Adjustment Service Inc. vs. Glenn White and Mary White, suit to collect $373.78, costs and disbursements. R. F. McLaren, attorney for plaintiff.

Owens Adjustment Service Inc. vs. Jack Silgwal, suit to collect $76.00, with interest thereon at six percent from October 9, 1951, costs and disbursements. R. F. McLaren, attorney for plaintiff.

Robert B. Peterson and Olympic Insurance Co. vs. Benjamin Murphy and Mabel Murphy, suit to collect $928.05 damages, costs and disbursements. R. F. McLaren attorney for plaintiff.

Owens Adjustment Service Inc. vs. Margaret S. Whirland, suit to collect $141.23 costs and disbursements. R. F. McLaren, attorney for plaintiff.

Preston Cornelius vs. F. S. Scott, suit to collect $5000 damages, costs and disbursements. U. S. Balentine, attorney for plaintiff.

Robert B. Chilcote and Charles Hathaway, executors of estate of Anietta McCabe vs. Ora Harmon and James A. Harmon; MaudeWitt LaChance and Vincent LeRoy LaChance, suit to determine claim to real property. H. E. Perkins, attorney for plaintiff.

Wanda S. James vs. Edgar S. James, suit for divorce. Couple married August 10, 1940, Reno, Nev. Charge, cruelty. Plaintiff seeks custody eight children, $100 per month permanent alimony, $200 per month child support, $250 attorney fees, property settlement. G. H. Proctor, attorney for plaintiff.

PROBATE MATTERS

DIMMITT—Jonas P. Dimmitt appoint executor in estate of William F. Dimmitt, estimated at $8200. George S. Dimmitt, Daniel C. Dimmitt, Jonas P. Dimmitt and Neva May Hayes, named heirs of estate.

DEEGAN — WORTHINGTON. Sidney R. Deegan, 30, iron worker. Native of Montana. Resident of Missoula, Mont. Rubymae Worthington, 16. Native of Oklahoma. Resident of Klamath Falls, Ore.

BATES—SMYTH. Melburn E. Bates, 23, millworker. Native of Arkansas. Resident of Klamath Falls, Ore. Edna May Smyth, 18, student. Native of Oregon. Resident of Midland, Ore.

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME

Midway Tavern, route 7, box 585, Klamath Falls, Beryl Lillian Durant, proprietor.

BIRTHS

HARSLEY—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, October 16, 1951 to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Harsley, Midland, Ore., a girl. Weight 6 pounds 3 ounces.

HERRICK—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, October 15, 1951 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herrick, 2030 Darrow, a girl. Weight 7 pounds 5½ ounces.

BECKER—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, October 15, 1951 to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Becker, 4011 Cleveland, a boy. Weight 7 pounds 2 ounces.

WEBER—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, October 15, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weber, Beatty, Ore., a boy. Weight 7 pounds 5 ounces.

NEGRO CANDIDATES

NEW ORLEANS, (AP)—The first Negroes—four men and one woman—to become candidates for the Louisiana house of representatives since the civil war have qualified for the January 15 Democratic primary.

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Three Caught In Wild Chase

Three men are in the Merrill city jail today following a wild, 70-mile-an-hour ride south from Malin on Oregon 39 yesterday by a state patrol.

Charged with reckless driving and not having an operator's license was Earl E. Fleharty, 27. Held for being drunk on a public highway are Robert J. Pomeroy, 34, and George W. Pomeroy, 28.

A state patrol car took chase when Fleharty allegedly sped through Malin, [illegible] knocking down a woman and boy.

The arresting officer reported he chased Fleharty for half a mile at 70 miles an hour, and finally had to force his car into the borrow pit to stop it.

Fleharty was reported as saying he was trying to race across the California line, so the officer could not arrest him.

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CITY BRIEFS

Enlisted—Gayle Roland Berry, 18, 1911 Fargo, has enlisted in the Navy and is now at San Diego undergoing recruit training.

In Navy—Cecil Dale Cunningham, 19, 3950 Homedale, has enlisted in the navy and assigned to San Diego naval training station for recruit training. He is a graduate of KUHS, class of 1951.

Back—Navy Chief Frank Roemer, local naval recruiting officer, has returned from a short leave in Portland.

Scouts—All Eagle Scouts are requested to contact the local scout office, no matter who, how old or where they are in the basin area. An Eagle court of honor has been scheduled soon.

Toastmasters — Royce Shaffer will toastmaster this week's meeting of the Modoc Toastmasters at the Willard tomorrow night, Ted Richard Ward will be general critic. Ten minute talks will be given by Louis Andrew and Herb Pollard, while five minutes will be presented by Earl Jones, Andy Toyip and Ad Wilbur.

Calf Sale—The Junior Farmers have scheduled their second annual calf sale for November 10 at the fairgrounds.

Meeting — Friendly Circle will meet Thursday, 1 p.m. for luncheon and business session at the home of Dacie Hoover, 3415 Shasta way.

Promoted—Carl H. Neely, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ustick, Klamath Falls, has been promoted to the rank of chief petty officer in the navy. He is stationed at Jacksonville, Fla. Neely returned from overseas service in Japan last March.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, (AP-USDA)—Salable hogs 10,000, opened slow but later trade and close fairly active; generally steady to 10 cents higher than Monday's average on butchers and barely steady on sows; top 21.15 for several loads choice 230-260 lb; most choice 190-230 lb 21.00-21.15; few 150-180 lb 19.50-20.50; other weights scarce, choice sows 400 lb and under 18.50-20.25; few 20.50; most 400-500 lb 17.75-18.75; few odd heavies down to 16.75 for around 600 lb average; good clearance.

S.P. Loses Legal Bout

Attempt of the defendant Southern Pacific Co. to obtain non-suit in the $10,000 damage suit against it in circuit court here was denied this morning by Judge David R. Vandenberg.

Defense Atty. Ogelsby H. Young moved the plaintiff, George Sherdon Spencer, was guilty of contributory negligence in the train-car crash at the SP-Joe Wright road crossing May 11, 1950. The defense also contended the plaintiff had not shown negligence in the collision on part of Southern Pacific.

Another motion by the defense, that the train engineer, Ennis M. Grable, Dunsmuir, Calif., be excluded as a defendant in the case, was allowed by the court.

After decision on the two motions by the court, the defense this morning began presentation of its testimony, which should be concluded early this afternoon.

Attorney U.S. Balentine represents Spencer in the action.

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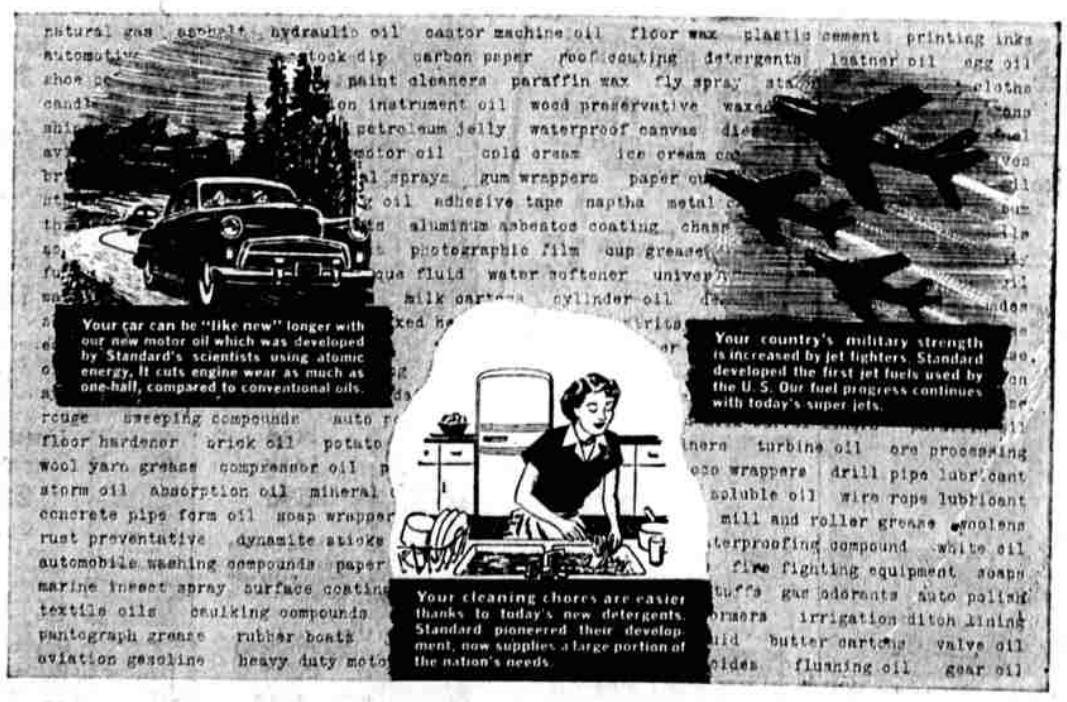

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