

MARKETS and FINANCIAL

Weather Aids
Wheat Buying

CHICAGO (AP)—Snow and cold in the mid-west provided a background for buying wheat on the board of trade Wednesday. Both corn and oats gained around a cent at times, imparting a steady tone to other cereals.

The weather was expected to curtail marketings of both livestock and corn.

Wheat closed $\frac{1}{2}$ cent higher, March $\$2.60\frac{1}{2}$, corn $\frac{1}{2}$ cent higher, March $\$1.94\frac{1}{2}$. Oats $\frac{1}{2}$ cent higher, March 96. Rye unchanged at $\$2.11\frac{1}{2}$. Soybeans $\frac{1}{2}$ cent higher, January $\$2.99\frac{1}{2}$, and Lord 9 to 10 cents a hundred pounds higher, January $\$14.57$.

Open	High	Low	Close
Mar	2.61 1/2	2.61 1/2	2.60 1/2
May	2.58 1/2	2.59	2.57 1/2
July	2.48 1/2	2.50	2.49 1/2
Sept	2.50 1/2	2.50 1/2	2.49 1/2

Stocks Slide As
Volume Gains

NEW YORK (AP)—Accompanied by stepped-up volume, the stock market today slid lower Wednesday.

The start was steady, but the fall began around noon and picked up speed at the start of the final hour.

Losses among leading issues went as far as 2 points, and the number of minus signs between 1 and 2 points was rather large than usual.

Volume came to an estimated one and one-half million shares, as compared with one and one-quarter million shares traded Friday, the last day of the year.

Shares of United Corp. changed hands near the close off $\frac{1}{2}$ at $\$41$.

Quotations

Admiral Corporation	25 1/2
Allied Chemical	74 1/2
Allis Chalmers	74 1/2
American Airlines	16 1/2
American Power & Light	21 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	15 1/2
American Tobacco	63 1/2
Anacostia Copper	20 1/2
Armstrong-Rose	74 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	21 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co.	62 1/2
Borg-Warner	10 1/2
Burrows Adding Machine	10 1/2
California Packing	24 1/2
Canadian Pacific	40 1/2
Caterpillar Tractor	41 1/2
Chrysler Corporation	69 1/2
Cities Service	102 1/2
Consolidated Edison	37 1/2
Consolidated Vultee	17 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	38 1/2
Curtis Wright	8 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	57 1/2
DuPont de Nemours	49 1/2
Eastman Kodak	14 1/2
Emerson Electric	14 1/2
General Foods	43 1/2
General Motors	51 1/2
Goodrich Tire	43 1/2
Homebrewing Co.	23 1/2
International Harvester	43 1/2
International Paper	43 1/2
Johns-Manville	68 1/2
Kennecott Copper	8 1/2
Libby McNeill	8 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	21 1/2
Loew's Incorporated	11 1/2
Long Bell A	23 1/2
Monogram Ward	13 1/2
Nash Seelye	13 1/2
New York Central	17 1/2
Northern Pacific	11 1/2
Pacific American Fish	11 1/2
Pacific Gas & Electric	30 1/2
Packard Motor Car	45 1/2
Pennsylvania R. R.	68 1/2
Pepsi Cola Co.	9 1/2
Pepsi Radio	23 1/2
Radio Corporation	23 1/2
Rayonier Incorp	60 1/2
Rayonier Incorp Pfd	60 1/2
Republic Steel	51 1/2
Reynolds Metals	51 1/2
Richfield Oil	31 1/2
Safeway Stores Inc.	20 1/2
Scott Paper Co.	20 1/2
Sears Roebuck & Co.	33 1/2
Socoy-Vacuum Oil	23 1/2
Southern Pacific	23 1/2
Standard Oil N. J.	23 1/2
Studebaker Corp.	23 1/2
Sunshine Mining	23 1/2
Swift & Company	23 1/2
Transamerica Corp.	23 1/2
Twentieth Century Fox	23 1/2
Union Oil Company	23 1/2
Union Pacific	23 1/2
United Airlines	23 1/2
United Corporation	23 1/2
United States Plywood	23 1/2
United States Steel	23 1/2
Warner Pictures	23 1/2
Western Union Tel.	23 1/2
Westinghouse Air Brake	23 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	23 1/2
Woolworth Company	23 1/2

Portland Livestock

PORTLAND (AP)—Cattle 15 day shipment, bulk cost delivery: 100, market active on very limited supply, mostly cows; early sale, 30 cents or more higher, but some buyers not following; odd low commercial steers 20.00; utility grades 22.00-24.00; odd utility bulls 25.00-26.50; Monday's top good feed steers 32.75; good feed calves salable 10; market nominal; odd utility and commercial calves and weaners strong at 25.00-30.00; good 32.00.

Hogs salable 200; market strong; early sale choice light weight butchers 180-225 lb. 20.75 to mostly 21.00; few choice 240 lb. 20.50 few good and choice 45-100 lb. feeder pigs 19.00.

Sheep salable 25; small lot good 59 lb. feeder lambs 20.00; talking 20.00; steady or around 20.00-30 for good choice slaughter lambs; good and choice slaughter ewes considered salable around 12.50-13.50 or above.

Portland Grain

PORTLAND (AP)—Coarse grain 15 day shipment, bulk cost delivery: Oats No. 2-30 lb. white 72.50; barley No. 1-40 lb. B.W. 71.50. Wheat bid to arrive market, basis No. 1 bulk delivered coast; soft white 15.00; soft white excluding Red 2.44; White Club 2.44.

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Wednesday's car receipts: wheat 80; barley 10; flour 16; corn 13; oats 4; mixed 18.

Weather

WESTERN OREGON Cloudy with occasional light rain today and Thursday. Freezing rain in a few areas today. Warner, Oregon, Thursday: Highs today 35 to 45. Lows tonight 30 to 40. Signs Thursday 45 to 55. Winds from south to southeasterly and 25 to 35 miles an hour.

EASTERN OREGON Cloudy with snow flurries. Low tonight and Thursday local freezing rain near Columbia gorge. Occasional light rain in Southern portion. Warner today: Highs today 30 to 38. Lows tonight 25 to 32.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA Rain to day and Thursday. Exact time before late tonight from Fresno and King City southward. Snow in mountains. Little change in temperature. Southerly winds of 30 to 45 miles an hour off coast and inland from San Francisco northward and 15 to 30 south of San Francisco.

GRANTS PASS AND VICINITY—Occasional rain through Thursday. Strong southerly winds late tonight and Thursday. Highs both days 40. Lows tonight 30.

Weather Table

Readings for the 24 hours ending at 4:30 a. m. today:	
	Max Min
Baker	21 18
Bend	21 18
Eugene	24 24
La Grande	25 19
Lakeview	25 20
Medford	29 29
North Bend	45 37
Ontario	25 21
Pendleton	22 17
Portland (Airport)	35 23
Traverse	40 29
Salem	24 20
Seaside	21 19
Chicago	19 13
Denver	39 14
Los Angeles	63 43
New York	37 32
Pied Bluff	53 41
San Francisco	54 50
Seattle	40 31
Spokane	19 7

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO (AP)—Salable hogs 2000, active, uneven storm market; barrows and gilts 35 to 50 cents higher; extremes up more, some largely 50 cents higher, 175-225 lb. butchers 18.50-19.75; latter price freely paid by order buyers; 225-250 lb. 18.50-19.50; 270-300 lb. 17.50-18.50; choice sows 400 lb. and less 16.00-17.25; 400-500 lb. 15.00-16.00; occasional heavier sows 1450 and below; clearance good.

Salable cattle 12,000; salable calves 1000; slaughter cattle active, steady; fully 40 cents higher; vealers strong; few loads prime steers 30.25-32.50; two loads high-grade long yearlings held above 35.75; bulk choice and prime steers 24.00-32.00; low-commercial to low-choice 20.00-33.75; most good to low prime heifers 31.00-35.75; commercial cows 24.50-28.50; utility cows 22.50-24.50; utility to low-good bulls 26.50-29.75; commercial to prime vealers 28.00-37.00.

Salable sheep 1200; no fed lambs or yearlings sold; asking 1.00 or more on both classes or 32.00 and better on choice to prime woolled lambs and above 25.00 on woolled yearlings; ewes scarce and steady at $\$12.50$ to $\$15.50$.

Potatoes

CHICAGO (AP)—Potatoes: arrivals 82 on track 237; total T. S. shipments Monday 444 and Tuesday three; supplies modest; demand good; market slightly stronger; Colorado: McClure $\$3.50$, Idaho Russet $\$3.63$, 25, Wisconsin Chippewa $\$3.53$, Triumph $\$3.50$.

Potato Shipments

1950-51 1951-52	
December 22	27 41
December 23	19 0
December 24	0 14
December 25	0 0
Month to date	602 573
Season to date	3953 3079

San Francisco Livestock

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Cattle 75, mostly cows, part of supply holding over until Thursday; canner and butcher demand steady; 1000 calves; 20 receipts mostly stock calves, no early sales.

Hogs 20, mostly choice, mostly number two butchers 19 pounds sold at 25 cents higher at $\$13.50$.

Sheep none.

On the Record

BIRTHS
HOLLMARK—Born at Klamath Valley Hospital, December 24, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hollmark, 3383 Cottage, S. W. 8, 2 sons, 2 daughters.
WOLF—Born at Klamath Valley Hospital, December 24, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Elton Wolf, 1291 Crescent, S. W. 8, 1 son, 1 daughter.
SMITH—Born at Klamath Valley Hospital, December 25, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Smith, 4733 Harland Drive, S. W. 8, 1 son, 1 daughter.
WAGNER—Born at Klamath Valley Hospital, December 25, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wagner, 213 Michigan, S. W. 8, 1 son, 1 daughter.
MAXWELL—Born at Klamath Valley Hospital, December 25, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Maxwell, 2114 Home, S. W. 8, 1 son, 1 daughter.
CRAYNE—Born at Klamath Valley Hospital, December 25, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Crayne, 1714 Fargo, S. W. 8, 1 son, 1 daughter.

COMPLAINTS FILED

Joe Vines vs. Dorothy Vines, suit for divorce. Couple married May 1, 1950. Reno, Nev. Charge cruelty. U. S. District Court, S. D. Cal.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

SMITH - CUPERNALL, Willard R. Smith, 22, millworker, Native of Louisiana, Resident of Eugene, Oregon.

Lula M. Cupernall, 23, Native of Oregon, Resident of Eugene, Oregon.

Sullivan - O'Keefe, J. Sullivan, 28, farmer, Native of Oregon, Resident of Eugene, Oregon.

T. O'Keefe, 22, teacher, Native of Oregon, Resident of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Obituary

NEUBERT

Gottfried Neubert, 90, Klamath Falls, died here December 23. Survivors include three children: William Neubert, Mrs. C. B. Stiles, Klamath Falls, and John Neubert, Alameda, twenty-one grandchildren, four great-grandchildren. Funeral services are to be held at the Memorial Chapel, Friday, December 28, 10 a. m., in the Linkville cemetery.

ANDERSON

Kathleen Marie Anderson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Anderson, died here December 24, 1951. She was aged three months and six days. Besides her parents, she was survived by two brothers, Philip Edward and Richard Dale, of this city; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carey of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Birch Anderson, Astoria, Oregon; Baby Anderson was laid to rest in Calvary Memorial Park, December 26, 1:30 p. m., Rev. T. P. Casey officiating. Ward's Klamath Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

OSTENDORF

Sadie Evelyn Ostendorf, 61, native of Medford, Minn., and resident of Klamath Falls 24 years, died here December 24, 1951. Survivors include the widow, 84, and a daughter, Mrs. Aldrich of this city; two sisters, Mrs. O. Johnson, Salem, Ore., and Mrs. George Balch, Pittsburg, Pa. Mrs. Ostendorf was a member of Alpha Chapter No. 61, Order of Eastern Star and Zulema Temple No. 13, Daughters of the Nile and the Klamath Lutheran Church. The remains rest in Ward's Klamath Funeral Home, 925 High.

Court Records

DISTRICT COURT

David W. McNeil, overload. Forfeit \$22 bail.

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Clifford L. Keller, no wheel covers. Forfeit \$8 bail.

Allen W. Hutchins, overload. Forfeit \$30 bail.

Roy L. Perkins, overload. Forfeit \$37 bail.

Clyde E. Richmond, overload. Posted \$52 bail on not guilty plea.

Evangelina B. Schenck, driving suspended period. Sentence, 2 days and \$5 costs.

Dale P. Gallagher, no operator's license. Fine \$5.

Bruce E. Brink, no vehicle license. Fine \$5.

Jack D. Lyons, no operator's license. Fine \$5.

MUNICIPAL COURT

John Barkley, disorderly conduct. Forfeit \$25 bail.

John Berg, drunk. Fine \$10 or 5 days.

Edward Crowley, drunk. Fine \$10 or 5 days.

Vasile Johnson, drunk. Forfeit \$15 bail.

Mark Warren, disorderly conduct. Forfeit \$25 bail.

Forrest Johnson, disorderly conduct. Forfeit \$25 bail.

Kenneth Ulrey, drunk. Fine \$20 or 10 days.

Kenneth Ulrey, vagrancy. Dismissed.

William Bowstick Jr., drunk. Sentence 5 days.

Harry Main, drunk. Forfeit \$10 or 5 days.

Albert Hudson, drunk. Fine \$10 or 5 days.

Robert Kindworth, following too closely. Dismissed.

Lloyd C. Hauptman, disorderly conduct. Forfeit \$25 bail.

Ruben Miller, drunk. Forfeit \$15 bail.

Fisherman Fails In Swim To Home

HULL, England. (AP)—A young fisherman who tried to swim home for Christmas after weeks at sea was given up for lost today.

He was Richard Hatch, 18, of the trawler Borella, just in from the North Sea. The boat arrived here last night, but had to anchor to await a favorable tide for docking.

Informed of the prospective six-hour delay, Hatch, who had radioed his parents he would be home for Christmas—jumped overboard and started swimming. He failed to reach the shore several hundred yards away.



NEW HOME—A five-year-old German boy, whose new name will be Karl Kerns, arrived at municipal airport here Monday. Karl, front left, was greeted by Mr. and Mrs. John Kerns and their son, Joe.

Czechs Put In First Bid For Iranian Oil As West Seeks To Halt Ali Sales

By PHIL CLARKE
TEHRAN, Iran (AP)—Communist Czechoslovakia stepped up Wednesday as the first Iran Curran customer to dicker for Iran's state-owned oil.

Iran needs the money badly. The government disclosed it is so broke it has called home 25 diplomats to save expenses abroad. They include ambassadors to Britain, Italy and India, the minister in Belgium, and 22 lesser officials.

Britain, ousted owner and operator of the Anglo-Iranian oil company, already has served firm notice in a diplomatic note she will look on Iranian oil sales to outsiders as illegal.

Czech Charge D'Affaires Jan Sabacky discussed an oil purchase agreement with Deputy Finance Minister Hossein Firnia. Roads Minister Javad Busheri told a news conference.

He said Sabacky told him Czechoslovakia formerly bought oil through the Anglo-Iranian company which Iran nationalized last spring.

Pirna reported Sabacky proposed the Czechs will send an official delegation to Tehran soon to sign an agreement. In reply to questions, Pirna said prices and methods of transporting the oil to after the delegation arrives.

The bomb exploded beneath the bedroom of their small, frame house about a mile from here. Mims is a tiny community 40 miles south of Daytona Beach.

Moore's mother and his daughter, Annie were also in the house but they were not hurt.

In Washington, the Justice Department confirmed that two FBI agents had been sent to Mims to determine whether any violation of federal civil rights statutes might be involved.

The explosion was the latest in a series of attacks which have had Jews, Catholics and Negroes as targets in Florida this winter.

The radio report identified the vessel only as the Susan. There are 12 fishing boats here by that name, ranging in length from 28 to 105 feet.

The first distress call was intercepted at 4:30 a. m. Shortly after 8 a. m., another call said the vessel was sinking.

The cutter Whitebush left from here and three smaller Coast Guard craft put out from Tillamook Bay. A PBY search plane also was out.

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In The Day's News

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of Jefferson and Teddy Roosevelt. We haven't the courage they had. Our people lack the STAMINA of the Americans of Jefferson's and Teddy Roosevelt's time. And our nation LACKS THE WORLD RESPECT that the American of Jefferson and Teddy Roosevelt commanded.

We've been APPEASING the bandits too long. The idea has grown up too widely that we'll PAY rather than fight. If we served a terse and stern demand on Hungary to release our men OR ELSE, I fear Hungary and her communist fellow-stogies would think we were bluffing.

In that event, there would be WAR. Another world war would be too much for us to risk in our present state of weakness and disunity.

What to do? Well, we'd better get strong enough and competent enough and capable enough to command the respect that the America of Jefferson and Teddy Roosevelt commanded throughout the world.

How shall that be done? In this way, I'd say: By getting leaders again of the caliber of Jefferson and Teddy Roosevelt.

BACK HOME

PORTLAND (AP)—Harold Lawrence, 20, a Linfield College student, returned home Monday after being missing for a week. His mother said he became dazed following a wreck in the family car near Tigard last Monday. He wandered to Newberg, then was afraid to return home, she said.

Roof Leap Kills Mother

MOUNT VERNON (AP)—The mother of two small children was fatally injured early Christmas day leaping from the roof of a porch of her burning home east of Sedro Woolley.

Mrs. Wallace Davis, 29, and her husband had gotten into two children and three others out of their farm home before they broke. The fire was in the kitchen, Davis said, and his wife went upstairs to get some things and was apparently trapped. She died in a hospital Tuesday afternoon.

Another fire here today seriously damaged the plant of the Mount Vernon Argus, weekly newspaper, and caused some loss to the Old Fellows Hall upstairs overhead and the adjoining Steele Music Store. It apparently started in an upstairs kitchen, burning between the floors and dropping into the newspaper back shop.

Quick Work Saves Hidden Money Sack

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP)—While D. Cameron Paschall and his wife were visiting relatives yesterday the electric toaster cooking 'set' turkey became overheated and set their house afire.

A neighbor called the Paschalls and told them the bad news. Paschall rushed into the burning home and emerged triumphant, not with the turkey, but with a paper bag.

It contained \$8000, in cash. Paschall had secreted in his home. The turkey was reduced to charcoal.

The Paschalls ate out yesterday, which cut an insignificant dent in the \$5000. Damage to the house was confined to the kitchen.

Child Dies Of Burn Injuries

LEWISTON, Idaho (AP)—Seven-year-old Delores Duncan died Christmas night of burns suffered while she was trying to help her bedridden mother.

The child was burned over most of her body November 17 when her clothing caught fire from the kitchen stove. She was trying to be a big girl and help her mother, Mrs. Jesse Duncan of Kendrick, who was ill.

Delores died in St. Joseph's hospital, surrounded by presents which flooded her room when people of the area heard of the child who was spending Christmas in bed, swathed in bandages.

Solon Asks End To AF Duplication

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Walter Norblad (R-Ore) has called for a halt in "the duplication of facilities among the armed forces."

He wrote Defense Secretary Lovett that "any effort to stop this needless duplication will be appreciated not only by members of the congress but by every single taxpayer in the United States."

As an example of what he called duplication, Norblad cited a case which he said he saw on a recent trip to Alaska. He said the army and air force each were building its own chapel across the street from each other at the same base.

Rental Trailers Must Have Plate

SALEM (AP)—Trailers that are for rent must have license plates after January 1, Secretary of State Earl T. Newbury said Wednesday.

Newbury said the trailer licenses, which cost \$10 a year if the combined weight of trailer and load is less than 4,500 pounds, are required by a new law.

State Police Nab Drivers

Two persons were arrested by State Police over the holiday for driving while intoxicated.

Officers reported one of the drivers, Alvin Leo Barton, 62, of 143 S. Riverside, was involved in an accident at the junction of Oregon highways 39 and 66, last evening. Police stated Barton rammed his car into the rear of another driven by Everett O. Hunter, Tulelake.