

MARKETS and FINANCE

Stocks

NEW YORK — The stock market was quietly higher Monday with the Democratic National Convention getting most of Wall Street's attention. The close was without feature.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Admiral Corporation, Allied Chemical, American Airlines, etc.

GRAINS

CHICAGO — A let-up in hedging pressure, which resulted from smaller receipts of cash grain at major terminals, enabled wheat to give a pretty good account of itself on the board of trade Monday.

It was ahead more than a cent at times. The rest of the market, with the exception of oats, also forged ahead.

Wheat closed 1/4 to 1 1/4 higher. July 22 3/4, corn 1/4 higher, July 11 7/8, oats 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, July 1 3/4-2 1/4 higher, July 2 3/4, soybeans 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, July 13 1/2, and last 8 to 20 cents a hundred pounds higher, July 11 1/2.

Wheat Open High Low Close July 22 3/4 2 29 2 27 2 28 1/4 Sep 2 3/4 2 31 2 29 2 32 1/4 Dec 2 3/4 2 34 2 32 2 37 1/4 Mar 2 4 2 42 2 41 2 41 1/4 May 2 4 1/2 2 42 1/2 2 41 2 41 1/4

PORTLAND — Coarse grains, 15-day shipments, bulk, Coast delivery: Oats, No. 2, 35-lb white, 64.00; barley, No. 1, 45-lb B. W., 64.00; No. 1 flax 63.00.

Wheat (bid) to arrive market, basis No. 1 bulk, delivered Coast: Soft white 2 3/4; soft white (excluding Rex) 2 3/4; white club 2 3/4; Hard Red Winter: Ordinary 2 3/4; 10 per cent 2 3/4; 11 per cent 2 3/4; 12 per cent 2 3/4.

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Car receipts: Wheat 38; barley 8; flour 12; corn 9; oats 7; mill feed 9.

LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO — Farmers who put hogs on the market Monday received some of the best prices in 11 months. Average values were up 25 to 50 cents over Friday.

Two loads sold at 23.25 a hundred pounds, matching the recent peak of May 19 which was highest since Aug. 13.

Most barrows and gilts sold from \$20.00 to \$22.00 while club 2 3/4, 50 to 59 lbs. Clearance was good.

Cattle were steady to 50 cents lower, vealers steady to \$1.00 off, and sheep unevenly strong to 50 cents lower with spring lambs showing the decline and ewes the strength.

Most choice and prime steers brought \$31.50 to \$34.50, a few loads going up to \$34.75 to \$35.50. Choice and prime heifers were \$22.00 to \$25.00. Cows topped at \$23.00, bulls at \$27.75, and vealers at \$33.00.

Estimated receipts included 9,500 hogs, 14,000 cattle, 400 calves and 500 sheep.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO — (USDA) — Cattle 900; receipts include half dozen loads, some odd lots steers, largely feeders; load heifers, balance cows; market active, prices 50c higher on steers; mostly 50c higher on cows, spots up 1.00, load and small lot commercial steers 25.00-28.50; load good feeders 22.00; early, canner-cutting cows 15.00-19.00; few shelly 14.00; few utility cows 20.00-21.00; odd young commercial cows 23.50.

Calves 100; no early sales. Hogs 200; opened steady; few head choice No. 1-2 butchers 190 lbs 22.50.

Sheep 5,500; large percentage good-prime spring lambs; no early trade.

Man Signs For Extradition

Rudy Bitterbusch, 28, who has confessed to crimes in half a dozen states since he was arrested here last week on a traffic charge, has signed waivers of extradition to Phoenix, Ariz., and Woburn, Mass.

So far he is still in the County Jail, serving a 30-day sentence. Bitterbusch is wanted in Phoenix for car theft and in Massachusetts for stealing some \$1,100 from a restaurant where he worked.

He also has admitted car thefts in Los Angeles, passing bad checks in the Bakersfield area, thefts in Washington and other crimes.

RUSSIAN HARVEST

MOSCOW — The Moscow press reported Monday that the Soviet Union expects a rich grain harvest this year.

California Quake

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and a family probably trapped. In Sacramento, the state capital state civil defense headquarters ordered medical equipment mobilized to fly into the area.

Tehachapi, with a population of about 3,000, is on U. S. 466 between Bakersfield and Mojave, a little mountain town 4,000 feet high, many of whose residents work at the big monolith Portland cement plant nearby.

It also is the site of the State Women's Prison, which was reported so hard hit that most of its cluster of two-story buildings are unusable.

DISASTER CALL

A call went out for tents in which to house the 37 inmates, including all of California's women convicted of felonies. The prisoners were reported panic-stricken but unhurt.

Sheriff's Capt. F. D. Jones said he understood most of the dead were in an old brick hotel. The town's residential district was damaged, but no deaths were reported there.

Caveins were reported in at least two tunnels in the area, used jointly by the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific railroads, and all travel was blocked.

The S. P.'s main line to San Francisco, which runs along the coast, was not damaged. The Santa Fe said it would move its passenger bus.

But the main-traveled route between here and Bakersfield, the Ridge Route (U. S. 39) was blocked by a slide in one point.

A highway patrolman said "it seems like the top of a mountain slid off," burying the busy, four-lane freeway route under 5 feet of dirt at one point.

At least 10 persons were hospitalized at Mojave, 20 miles east of Tehachapi.

A motel and store at Grapevine was reported wrecked, with two persons injured. Shocks were still being felt in the community of Frazier Park four hours after the first quake hit at 4:52 a.m. pdt.

The strongest quake in Southern California in nearly a half-century, the thinly-populated area in which it hit kept the death toll from being much higher.

Its force was felt, mostly in a rolling motion, from San Francisco on the north to the Mexican border on the south, and eastward into Nevada.

As dawn came, clouds of dust could be seen rising back in the mountains, indicating landslides deep in the canyons.

Bakersfield itself, a city of 25,000 was hard hit. A refinery was afire, the downtown business district was littered with rubble.

Plate glass windows were shattered and an explosion blew out the walls of an automobile agency. The Kern County courthouse at Bakersfield showed such cracks that its employes were not permitted to enter.

Dozens were treated for shock and minor cuts and bruises at Kern county general hospital. Seismologists at California Institute of Technology put the quake's center on a branch of the famed San Andreas fault, which cuts through the mountains near Gorman, and fixed its distance at 70 miles north of here.

Viaduct Due For Repairs

The S. 6th Street viaduct is to undergo some repairing by the State Highway Department starting tomorrow morning.

The structure will open for one way traffic only, outbound, for about a week, and inbound traffic will be routed around E. Main.

The sidewalk and curbs are to be repaired. Later this summer the viaduct surface is to be renewed.

Lifesaving Course Set

An adult lifesaving swim course is to be started next Monday night at the KUBS natatorium, and those entering must register at the Recreation Office before Monday.

The course will be conducted Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, 7-9 p.m., for the rest of the swimming season.

John Turner is the instructor.

On The Record

BIRTHS

HEWITT — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hewitt, 3 present baby. One at Klamath Valley Hospital July 10, 1952, a girl, weight 8 pounds 12 ounces.

GRANQUE — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Granque, 1804 Riverside at Klamath Valley Hospital July 18, 1952, a boy, weight 8 pounds 4 ounces.

BLAIGHT — Born to Mr. and Mrs. May Blaight, 1801 Pine at Klamath Valley Hospital July 19, 1952, a girl, weight 8 pounds 3 ounces.

PENDUE — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pendue, 1111 Ward, at Klamath Valley Hospital July 20, 1952, a boy, weight 7 pounds 11 ounces.

SAMPSON — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Philan Sampson, 1943 E. 3rd Street, Reno, Nev., at Klamath Valley Hospital July 19, 1952, a girl, weight 8 pounds 5 ounces.

KRIEB — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Krieb, Route 3 Box 653, at Klamath Valley Hospital July 21, 1952, a boy, weight 7 pounds 9 ounces.

DOWNING — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Downing, 1830 Riverside, at Klamath Valley Hospital July 20, 1952, a girl, weight 7 pounds 11 ounces.

LYE — Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Lye, Bismark, Ore., at Klamath Valley Hospital July 21, 1952, a boy, weight 7 pounds 11 ounces.

DEE — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Dore Downing, 2044 Radcliffe, at Klamath Valley Hospital July 21, 1952, a girl, weight 7 pounds 13 ounces.

McNEARY — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald McNeary, 1403 Delta, at Klamath Valley Hospital July 20, 1952, a girl, weight 8 pounds 14 ounces.

STRID — Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Strid, 2424 Radcliffe, at Klamath Valley Hospital July 20, 1952, a girl, weight 7 pounds 13 ounces.

CARMONA — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carmona, Modoc Point, Ore., at Klamath Valley Hospital July 20, 1952, a boy, weight 7 pounds 8 ounces.

SMITH — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith, 2638 Eberlein, at Klamath Valley Hospital July 21, 1952, a boy, weight 8 pounds 5 ounces.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

MORGAN-SIMS, Henry H. Morgan, 73, retired chemist, Native of Delaware, resident of Klamath Falls, Ruth Sims, 46, teacher, Native of Alabama, resident of Florence, Ala.

WETTLER-ROBATCH, John Franklin, 21, U.S. Navy, Native of Washington, resident of Klamath Falls, Jacqueline Joy Robatch, 19, stenographer, Native of Minnesota, resident of Klamath Falls.

BLAKEMAN-PATTERSON, Stephen H. Blakeman, 35, millwright, Native of Montana, resident of Chester, Calif., Ruby Marian Patterson, 42, maid, Native of Washington, resident of Klamath Falls.

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AL Parade Entries Due

Local floats and organizations wishing to participate in the main parade of the forthcoming Oregon American Legion convention here next week are asked to call Bill DePew, general chairman, at 8173.

At present, DePew reports, there are a half dozen out-of-town entries in the parade, and a number of local entries are desirable.

The parade is to begin at the armory at 7 p.m. Tuesday, July 29, and will continue down Main Street.

There was some indication that the Oregon National Guard band may also participate, DePew reported.

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Two Missing Men

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were to work their way by ropes down the sheer canyon wall at the point the missing men's car was parked.

The canyon is approximately 300 feet deep at this point. The first half of that distance below the rim is a steep slope covered with loose boulders that would not afford secure footing; the bottom 150 feet is a sheer drop to the canyon floor. There is still a sizable snow bank at the bottom of the canyon wall and the snow was to be thoroughly probed this morning.

But rangers are beginning to doubt that the missing men went over the canyon rim. There is a growing theory that the two men may have left the scene in some other car. A close check of all information strongly indicates that if they did leave the canyon scenic spot by some other car, they were probably forced to do so. Both men have high positions with General Motors and both have solid family backgrounds. Added to that is the manner in which the car was left, with valuable personal belongings and business papers unprotected.

The car was in good running order. The motor started on the first try when members of the search party checked that angle.

This reporter went over the case completely with Chief Ranger Hallock late last night at his park residence.

Said the chief in summing up the case:

"This is the darndest thing I have ever run into. The two men just don't seem to be in the park at all. At least, not anywhere near where they parked that car."

There was a strong indication today that an official criminal investigation might be launched in support of the theory that the men were forcibly taken from the scene of their parked car.

Hit and Run Brings Fine

Fred H. Schonfeld, 46, Weyerhaeuser Hospital, was fined \$100 in Municipal Court this morning for hit-and-run driving involving an auto accident on Orchard early Sunday morning.

A 1948 Pontiac sedan registered to Klamath Agency, parked at the Dorothea McAnulty residence, 2145 Orchard, was struck and badly damaged about 3:45 a.m. Sunday.

Later Sunday morning Schonfeld was arrested for being drunk, and City Police determined his automobile had been in an accident. Some broken glass and bit of chrome name plate picked up at the scene of the Orchard Street mishap matched the marks of a collision on Schonfeld's car.

Schonfeld posted \$15 bail for today's appearance in court, and pleaded guilty both to the hit-run case as well as to the drunk charge. He was fined \$15 for being drunk. A 30-day suspended jail sentence accompanied the \$100 fine levied for the traffic count.

FIRE IN MILAN

MILAN, Italy (AP) — All of Milan's fire fighting forces and equipment battled through Sunday night against a spectacular fire that destroyed one of Italy's largest paint and dye factories. Company officials estimated the loss at more than \$1,500,000.

RIDGWAY TO ATHENS

Paris (AP) — Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, supreme allied commander in Europe, left Paris by air Monday for Athens to inspect Greece's Atlantic Pact forces.

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POTATOES

CHICAGO — Potatoes: Arrivals 151, on track 263; total U. S. shipments Friday 459, Saturday 332, and Sunday 50; supplies light; demand moderate; market about steady; track sales 100 lb sacks in carlots: California Long Whites \$6.80-7.5; Idaho-Oregon Long Whites \$6.25-7.5; Triumphs \$5.90-90; Texas Triumphs \$6.00; Washington Long 100 lb sack; Arizona Reds \$6.25-50; California Long Whites \$7.00-25; Idaho-Oregon Reds \$6.00-65; Texas Triumphs \$6.35-50.

Weather

Western Oregon—Cloudy Tuesday morning and sunny in afternoon except fair in southern interior; little change in temperature with high of 75 in northern interior and 90 in southern interior, coastal high 60-65; low Monday night 50-60. Offshore winds northerly, 15-25 m.p.h.

Grants Pass and Vicinity—Fair Tuesday. High 90; low Monday night 53.

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