

## WALL STREET

**NEW YORK (AP)**—Motor shares were a focal point of weakness Tuesday in a declining stock market.

The motors were down around a point much of the time while the rest of the list spread out over a wide range of small fractions to between 1 and 2 points.

The decline excited no great amount of trading. Total for the day came to an estimated 1,300,000 shares, quite low as was the total of 1,300,000 shares traded Monday.

| New York Stocks         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|
| By The Associated Press |         |
| Admiral Corporation     | 28 1/2  |
| Allied Chemical         | 7 1/2   |
| Allis Chalmers          | 53 1/2  |
| American Airlines       | 14 1/2  |
| American Power & Light  | 2 1/2   |
| American Tel. & Tel.    | 158 1/2 |
| American Tobacco        | 70      |
| Ansoconda Copper        | 42 1/2  |
| Atchafalpa Railroad     | 96 1/2  |
| Bethlehem Steel         | 53 1/2  |
| Boeing Airplane Co.     | 44 1/2  |
| Borg Warner             | 75      |
| Barrocks Adding Machine | 12 1/2  |
| California Packing      | 25 1/2  |
| Canadian Pacific        | 30 1/2  |
| Caterpillar Tractor     | 61 1/2  |
| Celanese Corporation    | 30 1/2  |
| Chrysler Corporation    | 90 1/2  |
| Cities Service          | 87 1/2  |
| Consolidated Edison     | 38 1/2  |
| Consolidated Vultee     | 20 1/2  |
| Crown Zellerbach        | 64      |
| Curtis Wright           | 8 1/2   |
| Douglas Aircraft        | 63      |
| duPont de Nemours       | 94 1/2  |
| Eastman Kodak           | 44 1/2  |
| Emerson Radio           | 12 1/2  |
| General Electric        | 67 1/2  |
| General Foods           | 52 1/2  |
| General Motors          | 64 1/2  |
| Georgia Pac Plywood     | 17 1/2  |
| Goodyear Tire           | 51 1/2  |
| Homestead Mining Co.    | 38 1/2  |
| International Harvester | 30 1/2  |
| International Paper     | 53 1/2  |
| Johns-Manville          | 69 1/2  |
| Kennecott Copper        | 77 1/2  |
| Libby, McNeill          | 6 1/2   |
| Lockheed Aircraft       | 22 1/2  |
| Low's Incorporated      | 12 1/2  |
| Long Bell               | 29 1/2  |
| Monogram Ward           | 80      |
| Naab-Kelvinator         | 24 1/2  |
| New York Central        | 22 1/2  |
| Northern Pacific        | 74      |
| Pacific American Fish   | 11 1/2  |
| Pacific Gas & Electric  | 38 1/2  |
| Pacific Tel. & Tel.     | 117     |
| Packard Motor Car       | 6       |
| Peoples (J. C.) Co.     | 67 1/2  |
| Pennsylvania R. R.      | 21 1/2  |
| Pepsi Cola Co.          | 12 1/2  |
| Radio Shack             | 32 1/2  |
| Radio Corporation       | 26 1/2  |
| Raychem Corp.           | 34      |
| Raychem Incorp Pfd      | 26 1/2  |
| Republic Steel          | 47 1/2  |
| Reynolds Metals         | 52 1/2  |
| Richfield Oil           | 60 1/2  |
| Safeway Stores Inc.     | 34 1/2  |
| Scott Paper Co.         | 57 1/2  |
| Sears Roebuck & Co.     | 57 1/2  |
| Shaw-Wacvacuum Oil      | 34 1/2  |
| Standard Oil Calif      | 42 1/2  |
| Standard Oil N.J.       | 53 1/2  |
| Studebaker Corp.        | 73 1/2  |
| Sunshine Mining         | 8 1/2   |
| Swift & Company         | 39 1/2  |
| Transamerica Corp.      | 26 1/2  |
| Twentieth Century Fox   | 18 1/2  |
| Union Oil Company       | 29 1/2  |
| Union Pacific           | 108 1/2 |
| United Airlines         | 20 1/2  |
| United Aircraft         | 20 1/2  |
| United Corporation      | 5 1/2   |
| United States Steel     | 40 1/2  |
| Warner Pictures         | 13 1/2  |
| Western Union Tel.      | 39 1/2  |
| Westinghouse Air Brakes | 27 1/2  |
| Westinghouse Electric   | 44 1/2  |
| Woolworth Company       | 46      |

## PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

**PORTLAND (AP)**—Cattle salable 200; market less active, generally steady-weak; some bids lower on steers and cows; load good and choice 1.14 lb feed steers 22.75; load lighter weights held higher; few utility and commercial steers 16.00-20.50; canner and cutter cows mostly 12.00-13.50; few strong weights 14.00-14.50; light shells down to 10.00; few utility cows 15.00-16.00; utility bulls 16.50-18.50.

Calves salable 35; market active, steady; good and choice vealers 28.00-3.50; prime 34.00; cull and utility calves 13.00-18.00.

Hogs salable 150; market active; around 25 cents higher; market 180-235 lb 23.00-23.50; 280-270 lb 21.50; medium-choice 130-160 lb 20.00-21.50; choice 350-55 lb 18.00-19.50.

Sheep salable 50; only scattered lots utility lambs available; market on slaughter lambs quoteable steady at Monday's 50 cent decline; good and choice lambs salable 19.50-20.50; few choice lots Monday 21.00; good light feeder lambs Monday 17.25-17.50; good and choice slaughter ewes quoteable 8.00-9.00.

## CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

**CHICAGO (AP)**—Hog prices ticked off another signpost on their current upward movement Tuesday when the top went to \$21.00. The market generally was steady to 15 cents higher.

Cattle turned steady to strong. Most available barrows and gilts sold from \$19.75 to \$20.00 and sows from \$16.75 to \$18.75.

Most good to prime steers and yearlings sold from \$20.50 to \$20.00 and good and choice heifers from \$20.00 to \$23.50. Cows topped at \$16.00.

Little early action took place in the sheep market.

## CHICAGO GRAIN

**CHICAGO (AP)**—Grains ended with a mixture of gains and losses after a day of indecision on the board of trade Tuesday.

Early gains were wiped out and losses substituted following President Eisenhower's news conference. But in the closing minutes heavy short-covering produced a heavy rally.

Gains had ranged to more than a cent early on buying stimulated by fair-sized export business, continued dry weather in the winter wheat belt and a reduction in receipts of cash corn.

The selling following the presidential news conference apparently was based on the lack of an announcement of any new moves to bolster farm prices, brokers said. Dealings became heavy at this time, but quieted later.

Wheat closed 1/4-1/2 higher, March \$2.24 1/4-1/2; corn 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, March 1.35 1/2-1/4; oats unchanged to 1/4 lower, March 72 1/2-1/4; soybeans 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, March \$2.86 1/4-2.85 1/4; and lard unchanged to 15 cents a hundred pounds lower, March \$9.70.

## WHEAT

|      | Open     | High     | Low      | Close    |
|------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Mar  | 2.24 1/4 | 2.25 1/4 | 2.23 1/4 | 2.24 1/4 |
| May  | 2.28     | 2.28 1/2 | 2.26 1/2 | 2.27 1/2 |
| July | 2.28     | 2.28 1/2 | 2.27     | 2.28 1/2 |
| Sep  | 2.30     | 2.30 1/2 | 2.29 1/2 | 2.30 1/2 |
| Dec  | 2.33 1/4 | 2.34 1/4 | 2.33     | 2.34     |

## PORTLAND GRAIN

**PORTLAND (AP)**—Coarse grains, no bids.

Wheat (bid) to arrive market, basis No. 1, bulk, delivered coast: Soft White 2.42; Soft White (excluding Rex) 2.42; White Club 2.42.

Hard Red Winter: Ordinary 2.42; 10 per cent 2.42; 11 per cent 2.42; 12 per cent 2.42.

Car receipts: wheat 104; barley 4; flour 8; corn 5; mill feed 9.

## CHICAGO POTATOES

**CHICAGO (AP)**—Potatoes: Arrivals 87, on track 265; total U. S. shipments 74; supplies moderate; demand moderate; market about steady. Idaho Russets \$4.75-55, in 10 lb mesh sacks in master containers \$5.35-40, bakers \$6.00, utilities \$3.20-45; Minnesota, North Dakota Potatoes \$3.35-55 washed.

## Weather

**Western Oregon**—Showers and periods of clearing through Tuesday night. Occasional rain Wednesday. Little change in temperature with highs both days 44 to 54. Lows Tuesday night 38 from 42. Winds off coast westerly to southwesterly 25 to 35 miles an hour.

**Eastern Oregon**—Mostly cloudy with occasional rain Wednesday except snow at higher levels. Little change in temperature. Highs both days 42 to 52. Lows Tuesday night 28 to 38.

**Northern California**—Fair through Wednesday except scattered showers north of Garberville. Little change in temperature. Northwesterly winds of 12 to 25 miles an hour off coast, except southerly north of Cape Mendocino.

The five-day outlook for Western Oregon—Recurring rains. Total amounts 1 to 2 inches except up to 3 inches along the coast. Normal temperatures. Maximums from 45 to 55, minimums from 32 to 42.

**Granite Pass and Vicinity**—A few showers with clearing periods Tuesday and Tuesday night. Mostly cloudy Wednesday with occasional rain by afternoon. Highs both days 50. Lows Tuesday night 38.

**Coos Bay Area**—Showers and clearing periods Tuesday and Tuesday night. Occasional rain Wednesday. Southwesterly winds 25 to 35 miles an hour at the bar. High Tuesday 53. Low Tuesday night 44. High Wednesday 50.

## ROK Draft Dodge Aired

**TOKYO (AP)**—American soldiers say that for five United States dollars they can keep their Korean servants out of the Republic of Korea military draft.

At least that's the going rate in the Central Korean city of Chunchon, say the Americans, who ask that their identity be kept secret.

Many American units have, or have had, headquarters in the Chunchon area, which is cluttered with war refugees.

Recently the ROK draft officials in the battered city have begun questioning the status of "house boys" who travel with U. S. units.

A \$5 bill silences these queries, the soldiers say.

Estimates of these house boys run as high as 1,000 per American division. Many have been with the divisions for more than two years.

At first they were drifters in the wake of moving units in the days of fluid warfare, then they found work obtaining fuel for stoves and running errands for headquarters troops.

Even battalion headquarters, from a few hundred yards from the front lines, have house boys. Some of them have been placed on division payrolls. Many are paid by their GI employers. When one soldier goes home on rotation, his replacement takes over the house boy.

Some of the boys are quite young, some old, but the majority appear to be of draft age. They wear American uniforms.

One American soldier said he refused to pay when an ROK official questioned the status of his house boy. Soon the boy disappeared. A few days later the American received a plea from the boy to send \$5 for the official. He sent it.

A few days later, the boy was back at work, sweeping the soldier's tent.

## Clerk Hits Big Jackpot

**LONDON (AP)**—Jack Coulton, a 41-year-old London insurance clerk, hit the soccer pool jackpot last Saturday.

He won two prizes totalling 109,000 pounds (\$305,200) for one shilling (14 U. S. cents).

On one pool, based on last Saturday's English and Scottish professional league results, Coulton won 75,000 pounds (\$210,000) for sixpence (seven U. S. cents). On a second pool he won 34,000 pounds (\$95,200) for another sixpence.

## HOTELS

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**CAMP FIRE GIRLS** here will join a nationwide program of planting grass seed as a conservation measure, one of several "Down to Earth" projects to be sponsored by Camp Fire during 1953. Here, (l to r), Susan Myers, (Blue Bird) and Maureen Novak, (Camp Fire) confer with James O'Donahue, feed and seed expert before a poster of Johnny Grass Seed.

## Girls Join National Battle To Prevent Soil Erosion

Camp Fire Girls of Klamath Falls are joining a nationwide program of conservation and as a "Down to Earth" project in 1953 will plant a special mixture of grass seed in barren areas of forest lands, to help prevent erosion of the soil, and for feed for wildlife.

Since many of the areas to be seeded are remote from highways or side roads, the girls and their leaders will walk many miles during the campaign sponsored by the Isak Walton League of America.

The first seed was planted in 1949.

A special grass seed mixture for the "Johnny Grass Seed" program, selected and mixed by James O'Donahue of the J. W. Kerns Co. includes Pubescent wheat grass.

Poa Bul Bosa, Sherman Big Blue grass and Normand alfalfa. The seed is furnished free of charge by the Jenks White Seed Co., Salem.

The seed was packaged in special, easy to carry packets by members of the three branches of Camp Fire Girls, Blue Birds, Camp Fire and the Horizon Club.

Early Spring and late fall are ideal times for planting and germination. April 15 is the deadline for Spring planting.

The idea of planting grass seed originated with the Grand Valley Chapter, Isak Walton League of America, Grand Junction, Colo.

"Anyone from seven to 70 may participate if he is strong enough to bend over and scratch the ground with a stick," says Robert O. Beatty, Conservation Director.

The first group of local Camp Fire Girls to participate and get seeds underground were "Little Fires," fifth graders at Peterson school, directed and accompanied by their group leaders, Mrs. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson.

The party went to the old Weyerhaeuser timber site in Klamath River left barren since old time logging days, Feb. 14.

Other Camp Fire Girls will continue the program this Spring.

## Martin Gets British Gift

**WASHINGTON (AP)**—The speaker of the British House of Commons gave the speaker of the U. S. House of Representatives Tuesday a token "of our common heritage of the parliamentary institutions and of our partnership in the struggle for peace and security."

The gift, entrusted to British Ambassador Sir Roger Makins for presentation, is a gavel and block made of timber from the House of Commons that was bombed and burned in 1941. It is ornamented with silver, gilt and enamel representations of the British royal coat of arms and the great seal of the United States.

The accompanying sentiment came in a note from Speaker W. S. Morrison of the House of Commons to Speaker Joseph W. Martin Jr., (R-Mass) of the House of Representatives.

## Foreman Struck By Car, Dies

**PORTLAND (AP)**—The foreman of the tending crew at Burnside Bridge was struck and killed by an automobile Tuesday morning. He was the city's eighth traffic death of 1953.

The victim, Walter A. Stuhl, 50, had walked across the bridge to set the overhead illuminated arrows which direct morning west-bound traffic to use one of the east-bound lanes. A car driven by Louis F. Scovell, 18, hit Stuhl as he stepped off the center island.

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## Patrons Offer 'Sky Lectures'

Everything from meteorites to moon-rockets are to be included in tomorrow night's American Sky Lectures at Peterson School, sponsored by the Peterson Parents and Patrons Club.

The lecture presents Harry O. Johnson, Walla Walla, and his "planetarium" type techniques of explaining the universe. It is to start at 7:30 p.m., with adults admitted for 25 cents, children free.

A feature of the lecture is to be the Barringer Meteorite, a 91-pound fragment of iron which crashed from the skies into what is now Arizona at what is estimated to be between 20,000 to 60,000 years ago.

The "Alligator Head" Meteorite is to be shown on exhibit as well. Johnson's lecture series includes uses to point out interesting facts and features during his pictorial discussions of the universe.

The public is invited to attend the affair.

## Ford Urges Free Trade

**CHICAGO (AP)**—Henry Ford II, president of the Ford Motor Co., Tuesday urged that the United States take the lead in promoting free world trade by scrapping tariffs and other import restrictions.

He proposed a four-point program including:

(1) "A new law without loopholes encouraging the most rapid possible elimination of all tariffs";

(2) "Abandon completely the quota system on imports";

(3) "Abandon the Buy American Act" limiting government buying of foreign goods; and

(4) "A workable law for simplifying the customs procedures," thus lifting "a virtually impenetrable barrier of red tape."

Ford set forth his free trade proposals in a speech prepared for the midwinter meeting of the Indiana Daily Press Association.

Ford said his program would not benefit others at the expense of American business.

"On the contrary," he said, "that's just what I would like to see us get away from. I am convinced that a considerable growth in our foreign trade—imports as well as exports—would be a continuing shot in the arm to the whole economy."

"I believe that we could easily absorb another five or six billion dollars worth of goods from abroad each year. . . . Business would benefit, labor would benefit, agriculture would benefit, and the consumer—that means all of us—would benefit very materially."

## Top Brass Gets Atomic Info

**WASHINGTON (AP)**—A top-level conference of administration and military officials held yesterday, the White House said, was at least partly to bring new officials up to date on the atomic energy program.

Because high military figures and members of the Atomic Energy Commission had been invited, there had been some advance speculation that the question of employing atomic weapons in Korea was up for discussion.

But after the White House session late yesterday, it was announced that it was aimed at briefing the new administration officials.

## Court Records

**DISTRICT COURT**  
Robert Harrison Mayfield, overload. Forfeit \$124 bail.  
Herbert George Fransenburg, overload. Forfeit \$254 bail.  
Jack Raymond Waldman, truck excessive height. Forfeit \$7.50 bail.  
William Worley, inadequate emergency brake. Fine \$5.  
Fred William Delaney, truck excessive length. Forfeit \$10 bail.  
Eileen Lee Gervus, fall drive in single lane of traffic. Fine, \$10.  
Robert Lewis Pryor, no vehicle license. Fine, \$5.  
Roy William Durham, no chauffeur's license. Fine, \$5.  
Herbert George Fransenburg, violation basic rule. Fine, \$12.50.  
Jackie Glenn Lyon, no wheel covers. Fine, \$5.  
Dorothy Fay McMahon, ran stop sign. Fine \$5.  
Jack Thomas Williams, angling with-out license. Fine, \$20.  
Peggy Nell Glascock, ran stop sign. Fine, \$5.  
Charles A. Bunnell Jr., ran stop sign. Forfeit \$5 bail.  
John Asksa, drunk on public highway. \$100 fine.  
Edmond Lewis Sumpter, angling prohibited methods. Fine, \$30.  
Charles Thomas Sumpter, angling prohibited methods. Fine, \$30.  
Halston Lynn Thomas, angling prohibited methods. Fine, \$30.  
Andrew Douglas Pierce, false application for angler's license. Fine, \$100.  
Dale Albert Heuser, fall drive in possession alcoholic liquor. Fine, \$20.  
Eugene Edward Gustafson, minor in possession alcoholic liquor. Fine, \$20.  
Robert Clark Miller, minor in possession alcoholic liquor. Fine, \$20.  
Evan Dale Thorburn, minor in possession alcoholic liquor. Fine, \$20.

**MUNICIPAL COURT**  
Helen Liston, ran stop sign. Fine, \$5.  
Helen Liston, no operator's license. Dismissed.  
Maureen Fleet, no operator's license. Fine, \$5.  
R. Morris, no operator's license. Forfeit \$5 bail.  
Louie Maestas, vagrancy. Fine, \$100 and 30 days.

## Delinquency Charged Girls

Two 15-year-old Indian girls from Chillico are held in the County Jail today for a juvenile court hearing on delinquency charges.

The girls were involved last Saturday night in an automobile chase with Chillico officers that progressed all the way from Chillico to Klamath Falls, until the car the girls were using skidded into a guard rail as they tried to make the turn off Kit Carson Way onto Esplanade.

They were taken back to Chillico and jailed there. Juvenile Officer Francis Mathews took them into custody last night and jailed them there. He said the girls were too tough to be placed in the juvenile home.

Nipperry weather wrecks cars. Insurance today with Hans Norland, 627 Pine St.

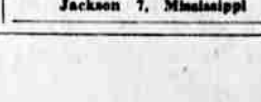
## ARTHTRITIS?

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