

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Stocks

WALL STREET
NEW YORK (AP) — Prices were slightly depressed Tuesday in the stock market with improvement from the lows evident in many areas of the list.
Prices slipped around a point at the most in key sections while gains were fractional.
The amount of business transacted diminished from Monday's 1,540,000 shares and came to an estimated 1,300,000 shares.

NEW YORK STOCKS
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Admiral Corporation	19 3/4
Allied Chemical	44 1/2
Allis Chalmers	44 1/2
American Airlines	11 3/4
American Power & Light	15 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	61 1/2
American Tobacco	61 1/2
Anaconda Copper	29 3/4
Atchafalpa Railroad	94 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	51 1/2
Boeing Airplane Company	47 1/2
Borg Warner	73 1/2
Burroughs Adding Machine	22 1/2
California Packing	22 1/2
Canadian Pacific	40 1/2
Caterpillar Tractor	40 1/2
Celanese Corporation	19 3/4
Chrysler Corporation	61 1/2
Cities Service	40 1/2
Consolidated Edison	42 1/2
Consolidated Vultee	16 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	34 1/2
Curtis Wright	7 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	81 1/2
du Pont de Nemours	104 1/2
Eastman Kodak	46 1/2
Emerson Radio	10 1/2
General Electric	87 1/2
General Foods	61 1/2
General Motors	59 1/2
Georgia Pac Plywood	10 1/2
Goodyear Tire	52 1/2
Homestead Mining Co.	33 1/2
International Harvester	26 1/2
Johns Manville	64 1/2
Kennecott Copper	62 1/2
Libby, McNeill	9 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	27 1/2
Loew's Incorporated	11 1/2
Long Bell A	22 1/2
Montgomery Ward	55 1/2
Nash-Kelvinator	18 1/2
New York Central	19 1/2
Northern Pacific	57 1/2
Pacific American Fish	7 1/2
Pacific Gas & Electric	37 1/2
Pacific Tel. & Tel.	114 1/2
Packard Motor Car	77 1/2
Penn. (N.Y.) Co.	77 1/2
Pennsylvania R.R.	17 1/2
Pepsi Cola Co.	13 1/2
Philco Radio	27 1/2
Radio Corporation	23 1/2
Rayonier Incorp	25 1/2
Rayonier Incorp Pfd	48 1/2
Republic Steel	53 1/2
Reynolds Metals	48 1/2
Richfield Oil	48 1/2
Safeway Stores Inc.	39 1/2
Scott Paper Co.	69 1/2
Sears Roebuck & Co.	61 1/2
Socoy-Vacuum Oil	35 1/2
Southern Pacific	36 1/2
Standard Oil Calif.	51 1/2
Standard Oil N.J.	72 1/2
Studebaker Corp.	22 1/2
Sunshine Mining	7 1/2
Swift & Company	43 1/2
Transamerica Corp.	28 1/2
Twentieth Century Fox	19 1/2
Union Oil Company	39 1/2
United Aircraft	109 1/2
United Aircraft	45 1/2
United Corporation	10 1/2
United States Steel	26 1/2
United States Steel	26 1/2
Warner Pictures	13 1/2
Western Union Tel.	4 1/2
Westinghouse Air Brake	22 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	50 1/2
Woolworth Company	42 1/2

POTATOES

IDaho FALLS POTATOES
IDAHO FALLS (AP)—Potatoes: market steady; Russets No. 1, 15-20 per cent 10 oz and larger, 1.70-85; 25-30 per cent 10 oz and larger, 1.85-2.00; No. 1 extras, 2.00-10. Sixteen cities: arrived 288; cars on track 852.

CHICAGO POTATOES
CHICAGO (AP)—Potatoes: Arrivals 57 on track 251; total U.S. shipments 542; market for Russets firm to slightly stronger, others dull. Idaho Russets \$3.40-55, standards \$2.40; Minnesota North Dakota Pontiacs \$2.00-15.

TEST TRIP
SHOREHAM-BY-SEA, England (AP)—Britain's first jet-powered light sports plane—called the Sparrowjet—made its maiden flight.

Grains

CHICAGO GRAIN
CHICAGO (AP)—Grains moved up toward the close on the board of trade Tuesday after showing a little ease in early dealings.
Wheat led the late upturn, brokers attributing the gains largely to technical reasons after Monday's steep selloff. Soybeans lagged behind the rest of the market.
Oats opened strong on news Canada had restricted shipments of oats to the United States to 23 million bushels between Dec. 10, 1953 and Oct. 1, 1954. The best gains were not held.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec 2.01 3/4	2.03 1/4	2.01 3/4	2.03	
Mar 2.06 1/2	2.06 3/4	2.05 1/2	2.06	
May 2.06	2.06 3/4	2.05 1/2	2.06	
Jy 1.95 1/4	1.97 1/2	1.95 1/2	1.96 1/2	
Sep 1.97 1/4	1.99 1/2	1.97 1/4	1.98 1/2	

PORTLAND GRAIN
PORTLAND (AP)—No bids on grains.
Tuesday's car receipts: wheat 60; barley 1; flour 8; corn 3; oats 3; mill feed 10.

Livestock

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle salable 250; market rather slow but mostly steady; few commercial and low good holdover short fed steers 18.00-19.50; some unsold; scattered lots utility and commercial steers 12.00-17.00; choice steers Monday up to 23.50; few commercial heifers 15.00-17.00; cutter and utility heifers 9.00-13.00; canner and cutter cows 7.00-8.50; utility cows 10.00-12.00; commercial cows up to 12.75.
Calves salable 50; market active, steady; few good and choice vealers 18.00-20.00; prime to 22.00; good slaughter calves 15.50-16.00; choice quotable to 17.50.
Hogs salable 100; market steady; few choice 15-25; lb butchers 26.25-26.50; few choice 1 lot 26.65; choice 380-500 lb sows 22.00-22.50.
Sheep salable 350; market about steady; one lot choice and prime 96 lb woolled lambs 19.00; few lots choice grades 17.50-18.00; good and utility feeders 13.50-14.50; utility ewes 4.00-4.50; good and choice quotable 5.00-6.00.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO (AP)—Hog prices eased Tuesday as demand became less active following Monday's push into new high December ground for the past six years.
Steers were steady and lambs steady to 50 cents higher.
Butchers averaged about 25 cents lower while sows held steady. Most choice 180 to 220 pound butchers sold at \$24.00 to \$24.50. Several loads of prime 11075 to 11900 pound steers brought \$27.25 to \$29.00.
Salable receipts were estimated at 13,000 hogs, 7,000 cattle, 500 calves and 20,000 sheep.

Oregon GOP Boss Quits

PORTLAND (AP)—Robert A. Elliott will resign Jan. 10 as Oregon's Republican Central Committee chairman. His successor is expected to be named at a Jan. 16 meeting.
Elliott, here at the home of his brother, said Tuesday that his business affairs in Medford—he has an insurance agency—were expanding to the point he could not devote enough time to the party chairmanship.
He said that notices for the Jan. 16 meeting were in the mail.
T. Lawson McCall, active GOP worker and radio commentator, said Monday night that Elliott was going to quit and that leading candidates for his position would be Ed Boehnke of Eugene, who sought the chairmanship two years ago, and Wendell Wyatt, Astoria attorney.



IT'S A WONDERFUL WORLD—Taking things easy in preparation for their first birthday party in Cleveland, O., are siamese twins, Nancy (left) and Ellen. The girls were separated at the breastbone and doctors reported that after almost one year the girls are still healthy. The parents have requested that their last name not be used.



'SENSELESS CRIMINAL'—Anthony Parr, alias Zilbauer, confessed murderer of Andrew Knice in what has been described as "the senseless crime" arrives in Los Angeles from St. Louis and promptly proceeds to get rough with everyone within reach. Here he kicks out at photographers. He succeeded in sending two cameras flying after leaving the train.

Four Missing In Boat Upset

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—The Navy reported Tuesday that four members of the crew of the cruiser Pittsburgh are unaccounted for in Monday's sinking of a liberty launch which dumped upward of 65 of the ship's officers and men into the waters of Hampton Roads.
"However," a spokesman said, "men who were in the launch and who knew them believe that three of the four men were not in the boat" when it sank in the rough waters 500 yards off the naval base piers.
"Intensive effort is continuing to account for these four men," the spokesman said after a muster of the Pittsburgh's complement.
Rear Adm. E. T. Wooldridge, commander of the Atlantic fleet battleship - cruiser force, has appointed a court of inquiry, headed by Capt. Halle C. Alan, Jr., commanding officer of the cruiser Juno, to investigate the launch sinking.
Leave parties scheduled to depart Monday have not been able to leave the Pittsburgh because of rough seas in the anchorage which have cancelled all boating.

OBITUARY

NOAKES
James Harold Noakes Jr., 12, a native of Nevada and a resident of Macdonald, died there Dec. 13. He attended the 7th grade at Macdonald and was a member of the Presbyterian Church. Survivors include his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Noakes Sr.; a brother, Gerald, of Macdonald; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stevenson of Klamath Falls and Mrs. Martha Noakes of Macdonald; also several aunts and uncles. Funeral services will be held from the Merrill Presbyterian Church, Wednesday Dec. 16 at 11 a.m.; the Rev. David P. Barnett Jr., officiating. Interment will be made in the Merrill IOOF Cemetery, O'Hair's Memorial Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

ULRICH
Monnie Lillian Ulrich, 83, native of Alton, Ill., resident of Klamath Falls for 39 years, died here Dec. 14. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Kathryn Walker of Ingwood, Calif.; two sons, Rowland of this city and John of Arlington, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. M. G. Powell of Alton, Ill., and Mrs. John Dow of Yuba City, Calif.; a grandson, John Armond Jr. of McMinnville. Mrs. Ulrich was a member of Aloha Chapter 81, Order of Eastern Star. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ward's Klamath Funeral Home.

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Vietminh May Bypass French Fort

HANOI, Indochina (AP)—French Union troops dug in at the broad plain of Dien Bien Phu are expected to face a big Communist-led Vietminh attack—but the possibility arose Tuesday that it might never come.
French army sources reported that troops of Vietminh division 316 were moving westward from points between Vietminh-occupied Lai Chau, abandoned capital of the pro-French Thai people, and the Dien Bien Phu area.

BYPASS
The movement gave a strong hint that the Vietminh might bypass the Dien Bien Phu "fortress" to overrun the rest of the Thai country and take another invasion route into the kingdom of Laos.
Capture of Dien Bien Phu would give the Vietminh a good direct route into Laos, but the rebels actually do not need it. They could at any time launch a fresh invasion of Laos from Sam Neua, 120 miles southwest of Hanoi.
The rebels held on to this key-point and a wide strip of North Laotian territory when they suddenly called off their invasion of the kingdom last May.

Garden Club Names Chiefs

BONANZA—Two new officers were elected for the coming year at a regular meeting of the Bonanza-Langell Valley Garden Club. Betty Rice was named president; Louisa Horton, secretary-treasurer. Both women are from Dairy.
Named to the yearbook committee for the coming year were Betty Rice, Louisa Horton, Violet Brown, Gloria Wooten, Bessie Frazier, Florence Horn and Pat Wakefield. Publicity and advertising chairman is Irene Hartley.
This meeting marked the close of the club year and was followed with a Christmas party and gift exchange. Hostesses were Elsie Clark, Gloria Wooten, Virginia Hartley and Irene Hartley.

Petrillo Opens Up On TV Damage

WASHINGTON (AP)—James C. Petrillo says television is costing many of the nation's musicians their jobs.
"Television is doing a job against us," Petrillo, president of the American Federation of Musicians, said yesterday after a call on President Eisenhower.
"You get a television set at home and you just sit there. You don't want to get out."
Petrillo urged the federal government to subsidize symphony orchestras in smaller cities to prevent the death of "serious music" in America.

Weather

Western Oregon—Mostly cloudy with considerable valley fog through Wednesday. Little change in temperature. Highs both days 45-55. Lows Tuesday night 34-44. Winds off coast southeasterly 12-25 miles an hour.
Eastern Oregon—Considerable cloudiness through Wednesday with patches of valley fog. Little change in temperature. Highs both days 35-45. Lows Tuesday night 25-35. Grants Pass and vicinity—Considerable night and morning fog. Partly cloudy Wednesday afternoon. Little change in temperature. High 45. Low 35.
Northern California—Variable high cloudiness through Wednesday. Local morning fog, increasing Wednesday morning. A little cooler Wednesday. Variable winds, 7-15 miles an hour near the coast.
Baker and vicinity—Considerable cloudiness and little temperature change through Wednesday. High 4. Low 25.

Five-day outlook for Western Oregon—Above normal temperatures with considerable cloudiness and local fog through Sunday. Precipitation light, occurring late in week. Total amounts generally less than 35 inches in interior valleys and 75 on coast. High temperatures about 46-56 and nighttime lows 35-45.
Five-day outlook for Eastern Oregon—Temperatures above normal but considerable low cloudiness with local fog through Sunday. Little or no precipitation in southern part, but a few light showers in northern part, occurring near end of the week. Total precipitation less than .05 of an inch. Maximum temperatures averaging 36-46, minimums 25-35.

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24 hours to 4:30 a. m. Tuesday	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Baker	37	28	—
Bend	60	30	—
Eugene	52	39	—
Klamath Falls	40	30	—
La Grande	42	33	—
Lakeview	48	30	—
Medford	37	35	—
Newport	54	48	—
North Bend	58	44	—
Ontario	32	28	—
Pendleton	51	36	—
Portland Airport	49	42	—
Roseburg	55	35	—
Salem	47	36	—
Boise	31	28	—
Chicago	36	15	—
Denver	50	43	—
Eureka	59	46	—
Los Angeles	84	63	—
New York	54	43	—
Red Bluff	62	42	—
San Francisco	64	42	—
Seattle	48	39	—
Spokane	39	25	—

Funeral

COTTINE
Funeral services for Rudolph E. Cottine, 54, who died in Tulare, Calif., Dec. 13, will be held from the Merrill Presbyterian Church, Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 11 a.m. The Rev. David P. Barnett Jr., officiating. Interment will be made in the Merrill IOOF Cemetery. O'Hair's Memorial Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Xmas Light Entry Filed

The first entry received in the Christmas Light Contest from the John G. Robinson family came to Klamath Falls last night of August from Wash.

"We have always taken a little part in community projects," Robinson said. "Last year we were so new, we thought we were fun to join in the contest. Their entry, in a large window, features three made-up snowflakes cut from white paper, and a small sign that reads: 'The Robinsons wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.'"

"Even the children got excited and wanted to help," Mrs. Robinson said. "The whole family had turned out to get green, cut snowflakes and their 'two bits' in!"

"The 'whole family' included children: Sandra, 11; Peter, (who, incidentally, brought in the Christmas tree); Katherine and Deborah, 1 1/2."

Each year the Robinsons go out for Christmas decorations though their home now is in the city. They have been in the city since they moved from their home in the country. Their blank was submitted by their leader, Mrs. Charlie Robinson.

Close on the heels of the Robinson entry were blanks from Mrs. and Mrs. Gordon sand, 1711 Wall, who are entering the lawn and roof scene category. Their blank was submitted by their leader, Mrs. Charlie Robinson.

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