

WALL STREET

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market stepped ahead Tuesday with substantial gains.

Aircraft were the best gainers, but all sections of the market joined in the advance.

Some gains went to between 3 and 4 points at times, and many leaders were up between 1 and 2 points. Losses were scattered and small.

Trading on estimate topped two million shares. That compares with 1,870,000 shares traded Monday.

Livestock

PORTLAND (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle salable 200; butchering 200; market steady; mostly steady with late Monday; canner and cutter cows fully 1.00 below early Monday; fed steers scarce; good and choice grades Monday 21.00-23.50; few utility butters Tuesday 12.00-16.00; canner and cutter cows mostly 9.50-10.50; utility cows 12.50-14.00; commercial 16.00; utility and commercial bulls 14.00-16.00.

Calves salable 25; market about steady; good and choice vealers 22.00-28.00.

Hogs salable 200; market active; strong; choice 1 and 2 butchers 180-235 lb 29.50-29.75; few head 29.90 and choice 3 lots down to 29.00; choice 350-500 lb sows 24.50-25.50.

Sheep salable 50; scattered sales; steady; small lot choice and prime No. 2 pelt lambs 21.50; late Monday choice and prime wooled lambs 22.50-23.00; good and choice feeders quotable 17.00-18.00; good and choice slaughter ewes 8.00-23.00.

PORTLAND GRAIN

PORTLAND (AP)—No transactions.

Tuesday's car receipts: wheat 4; flour 2; corn 3; oats 1.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO (AP)—Grains closed with a mixture of gains and losses on the board of trade Tuesday after a session of indecisive slumps and rallies.

Soybeans were aided by new highs for the year for both soybean oil and soybean meal in the cash market.

Wheat sold off a couple of cents in early dealings and then spent the rest of the day in a slow climb. Rye steadied after Monday's sharp break. May and July hard scored new seasonal highs but the deferred months mostly were lower.

Wheat closed 1/2 to 1 cent lower May 2.18 1/2-2.18; corn 1/4 lower to 1/4 higher, May 1.54 3/4-1.54; oats 1/2-1/2 higher, May 75 1/2-75; rye unchanged to 1/4 higher, May 1.03-1.03 1/2; soybeans unchanged to 3/4 lower, May 3.64 1/4-3.64, and hard 23 cents lower to 10 cents a hundred pounds higher, May 19.12.

Wheat

Open	High	Low	Close
May	2.18 1/2	2.19 3/4	2.17 3/4
July	2.12 1/2	2.13 1/2	2.11 1/2
Sept	2.14	2.15 1/2	2.14 1/2
Dec	2.18 1/2	2.19 3/4	2.18 1/2

Theft Case Dismissed

TRIAL of Claude Lee Thomas, 21, charged with burglary in a railroad car, was halted suddenly Tuesday morning when District Attorney Frank Alderson moved for dismissal.

Alderson took this action after the court upheld a defense motion to rule out any testimony the prosecution might offer concerning an alleged confession to the theft of a case of tomato juice from a Pacific Fruit Express refrigerator car at Crescent Lake.

Following a full day of prosecution testimony Monday, Judge Vandenberg held that the state had failed to prove that a crime had been committed.

After sustaining the district attorney's motion to dismiss the case, Judge Vandenberg explained to the jury why such action was mandatory under the laws of Oregon.

"All that has been proven in this case up to now," the judge said, "is that a seal on a refrigerator car was broken. Breaking a seal on a refrigerator car is not a crime in the state of Oregon. The state has not produced any evidence that a burglary was committed."

The trial was stopped when Alderson called State Policeman Dave Fredrick of Gilchrist to the witness stand and started to ask him about alleged admissions made by the defendant.

Defense Attorneys George Proctor and P. K. Puckett objected on the grounds that the state had failed to prove a crime had been committed.

Judge Vandenberg sustained the objection and told the jurors that under Oregon law until the fact that a crime has been committed is established, no testimony concerning a confession or other admissions by a defendant can be offered as evidence.

After dismissing the case, Judge Vandenberg ordered Thomas released from custody. The state charged he broke into the railroad car and stole a case of tomato juice.

Commenting on the failure of the state to prove a crime, Judge Vandenberg said investigating officers should have held as witnesses two unidentified Spaniards who reported the freight car break-in.

"The state couldn't produce these men in court," the judge pointed out. "Another mistake was for the officers not to have held what was left of the case of tomato products. Instead they put it back in the railroad car and sent it to Portland. It was brought back here later."

POTATOES

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—USDA—Potatoes: 37 cars on track; Calif., 4, Oregon 21 arrived; market about steady; Klamath Russets No. 1-A, 2-in min, 2.15; Deschutes No. 1-A, 5-oz min, 2.75.

LOS ANGELES (AP)—USDA—Potatoes: 118 cars on track; Calif., 8, Nevada 1, Oregon 8, Idaho 31, Utah 6 arrived; market unsettled; Idaho Russets No. 1-A, 2.50-60.

CHICAGO (AP)—Potatoes: Arrivals 96; on track 377; total U.S. shipments 722; old stock market firm; Idaho Russets 43.45 utilities 42.10; Minnesota North D & C 41.15; Pontiacs 41.75-2.10; new stock market steady; Florida round reds 41.95-2.05.

French Back Dulles Speech

PARIS (AP)—France Tuesday welcomed Secretary of State Dulles' speech on Indochina as an affirmation of the determination in Washington to prevent positions of first importance in Southeast Asia falling under Communist domination.

A foreign ministry spokesman said Dulles' address to the Overseas Press Club in New York Monday night also proved the importance the American people attach to the questions of Southeast Asia. The spokesman described the speech as a strong warning to the government of Communist China.

Dulles' remarks about the nature and amount of Chinese Communist aid to the Red-led Vietnam rebels in Indochina vied exactly to French intelligence reports, the spokesman said.

The independent newspaper L'Aurore, one of the largest in France, said in an editorial Dulles "clearly recognized" that if the Geneva conference on Asian questions is a failure, France will not be expected to carry on the Indochina war with only her troops.

"It is not our job to protect with our army alone the keystone of the Far East," the paper said. "...Dulles very clearly recognized that, and we commend him for it. The defense of Southeast Asia calls for international solidarity."

Footprinters Plan Meeting

MELVIN (Buster) Gordon, president of the Footprinters, announces the regular monthly dinner meeting of the organization will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. at Sari's Italian Restaurant. Members are urged to attend.

OBITUARY

BARKLEY
Mary Ellen Barkley, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barkley, died here March 26. Besides her parents, she is survived by six sisters and a brother of Beatty; grandmothers, Mrs. Rena Brown of this city and Mrs. Effie Barkley of Sprague River. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ward's Klamath Funeral Home.

JACKSON
John Jackson Sr., 74, native and lifelong resident of Klamath County, died at Clifton, March 26. Survivors include a son, John Jr. of the Klamath Agency; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Youngblood; and grandchildren, Carrie Jackson and Paul Jackson of Clifton. Funeral services Friday, Assembly of God Church, at 2 p.m. Ward's Klamath Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements. Those wishing to do so may contribute to the Heart Fund in his memory.

HALL
Elwyn Dean Hall Jr., 2 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn D. Hall of Sprague River, Oregon, died here March 26. Besides his parents, he is survived by brothers, Theron, Marlin, Adrian, Vaughn, Elliott, Wayne; sisters, Dennis, Rae and Inez Marie; and Sprague River grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hall of Sprague River, Mrs. Vernetta Walker of Clifton, Oregon and Mack George of Beatty, Oregon. Funeral services will take place from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints on Wednesday, March 31, at 2 p.m. Bishop Jack Halmark officiating. Committal service and interment in Klamath Memorial Park, Ward's Klamath Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

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In The

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horses. Just as black isn't white.

I'm afraid at times that I'm getting to be a drawer of morals—and NOBODY can be a worse bore in these modern days than one who goes around all the time drawing morals.

Especially if the morals that are drawn seem to point out that people shouldn't do (because it is immoral) the things THEY WANT TO DO.

That brings up another thought. It is amazing the lengths to which people will go in order to be able to do with a clear conscience IMMORAL THINGS that they WANT to do. Stanton Delaplane, the San Francisco Chronicle's always interesting and often bitingly satirical columnist, cited an amusing instance of that the other day.

Californians, he said, are unusually aware that saloons are immoral institutions. Therefore, in order to be both highly moral and ABLE TO DO THE THINGS THEY WANT TO DO, they fixed it up when prohibition ended so that California would have no saloons.

They decreed by law that liquor can be served only where food is. Thus when they feel the urge to h't one they can clear their consciences by reflecting that they aren't going into a wicked saloon but are just dropping into a restaurant.

Along the same line Californians, craving to be moral but still liking to play poker, put into their constitution a clause to the effect that DRAW POKER isn't gambling—it's a game of skill. That fixed everything up satisfactorily.

I regret to have to add that this tendency to make everybody pure and moral by law while at the same time permitting people to do the things they WANT to do doesn't stop at the 42nd parallel. It slips over into Oregon.

Up here we put into our constitution a clause (containing as many teeth as an alligator's mouth) forbidding lotteries. We did that to prevent an Oregon state lottery similar to the sinful Louisiana state lottery.

At the time, that was strictly OK. Nobody was much interested, in early Oregon, in state lotteries. But—later on—somebody invented a jigger called a pari-mutuel machine—which is a lottery if there ever was one. That permitted us to kid ourselves that BETTING BY MACHINE wasn't really gambling. So we sanctioned race tracks with batteries of pari-mutuel machines. We made the machines STILL MORE MORAL by diverting a part of the proceeds thereof to the support of laudable enterprises such as county fairs, rodeos, etc.

That fixed it all up, and left our consciences clean.

Aren't people funny?

Weather

Grants Pass and Vicinity — Fair through Wednesday, High 66 Wednesday, Low Tuesday night 30.

Northern California — Clearing Tuesday night and fair Wednesday. A few snow flurries in mountains Tuesday night. Slightly warmer Wednesday.

Baker and Vicinity — Fair through Wednesday, High 44 Wednesday, Low Tuesday night 15.

Western Oregon — Mostly clear through Wednesday except partly cloudy along the coast Wednesday. Highs both days 50-60. Not quite so cool Tuesday night except in extreme southern valleys, Lows Tuesday night 26-35. Winds along coast variable 6-12 miles an hour through Tuesday night, becoming northerly to northwesterly 12-26 Wednesday.

Eastern Oregon — Mostly clear through Wednesday. Slowly rising temperatures. Highs 46-55 Wednesday. Lows Tuesday night 22-32.

Five-day outlook for Western Oregon — Little or no rain and considerable sunshine through Sunday. Frequent frost at night with lows mostly 30-40. Daytime highs mostly 50-60.

Five-day outlook for Eastern Oregon — Temperatures mostly below normal with little or no rain through Sunday. Lows 26-35; highs 50-60.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
24 hours to 4:30 a. m. Tuesday

City	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Baker	40	17	—
Bend	40	11	—
Eugene	34	27	—
Klamath Falls	39	26	.06
Lakeview	37	22	.08
Medford	36	35	.02
Newport	35	36	—
North Bend	35	28	—
Ontario	48	26	—
Pendleton	43	23	—
Portland Airport	36	34	—
Roseburg	37	30	—
Salem	37	30	—
Boise	41	19	—
Chicago	39	19	.77
Denver	50	19	.01
Eureka	51	46	.16
Los Angeles	59	52	.71
New York	67	36	T
Red Bluff	54	47	.19
San Francisco	57	43	.47
Seattle	51	28	—
Spokane	41	31	—

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VFW Auxiliary Holds Meeting

MALIN — Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post No. 6147, met in regular session March 23 at the Veterans Post.

Officers elected and appointive for the new term were announced as follows: president, Blanche Beldraine; senior vice president, Thelma Donathan; junior vice president, Katherine Isensee; chaplain, Rose Van Meter; secretary and treasurer, Marie Vaccinitz; conductress, Rose Spoik.

Guard, Mary Alice Stastny; trustees, Sylvia Laird and Alverta Williams; patriotic instructor, Sylvia Laird; color bearers, Minnie Kirtley, Ruth Morrow, Bernice Kolkow and Katherine Collins; musician, Erma Fairbro; banner bearer, Merle Kirkpatrick; historian, Alverta Williams.

It was announced by President Blanche Beldraine that there would be a joint installation with Pelican and Lost River Auxiliaries April 4 in Klamath Falls.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by Bernice Kolkow and Thelma Donathan. Following refreshments cards were played and the social hour enjoyed with members of the post.

At a meeting held March 9 Sylvia Laird and Katherine Collins were initiated as new members. Two guests, Mary Lou Swisher and Mary Frances Hammond of Lost River Auxiliary from Merrill were present.

Policeman Files For County Post

DORRIS—Fenton R. Mahrt, Dorris police chief for the past two and a half years, filed his candidacy for sheriff and corner of Siskiyou County at Yreka Wednesday morning.

The offices of sheriff and corner are slated to be consolidated. He will oppose Sheriff A. C. Cottler in the June primary. Cottler, who is completing his first four-year term, seeks reelection.

Mahrt was named Dorris police chief August 7, 1951, after the resignation of the late W. H. (Doc) Slickney. Mahrt came to Dorris from the job of guard on a government project near Pasco, Washington. Prior to that, he had served on the Klamath Falls police force, had been police chief of Clifton for several years, and was employed in police work during the war at Camp Newell, near Tulelake.

Funeral

Funeral services for Per (Pete) Strid, 67, who died in Harbor, March 27, will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home, 925 High St., on Wednesday, March 31, at 10:30 a.m., the Rev. Joel G. Nordland of the First Covenant Church officiating. Graveside services at Klamath Memorial Park will be in charge of Klamath Lank 460, Order of Vasa.

Funeral services for Richard Luke Dickens, 22, who died here March 27, will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home, 925 High St., on Thursday, April 1, at 10:30 a.m., the Rev. William Stone of Clifton officiating. Services at the Beatty church will take place at 1:30 p.m., the Rev. Harley Zeller of Williamson River officiating. Commitment service and vault entombment in the Muskeget cemetery.

On The Record

RANDALL—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Randall, March 29 at Klamath Valley Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 14 1/2 oz.



REHEARSAL TIME brings together music personnel from student and faculty groups, elementary and high school levels. Checking the score preparatory to Friday evening's concert at the high school auditorium are the piano soloist, Miss Ruth Lobaugh, Klamath Falls elementary school music supervisor, seated; Walter P. Smith, director of the Klamath Union High School orchestra, which will present the concert; Jewell Shannon, concert mistress, with violin in hand. This final concert in the KUHS Spring series will be presented April 2 at 8 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Malin VFW Elect New Officers

MALIN—New officers for the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 6147, were elected Tuesday night, March 23, at a meeting held in the VFW Hall.

Elected as new post commander was A. L. "Shorty" Schmidt, who takes over from Past Commander Walter Stastny.

Other officers elected are: senior vice-commander, L. L. Story; junior vice-commander, Jim Collins; quartermaster, Earl Cavin; adjutant, Arnold Kirtley; post advocate, Walter Stastny; chaplain, Charles Wilson; surgeon, Reed Wolfe.

Three year trustee is Lloyd Smith; two year trustee, Robert Byrne, one year trustee, George Donathan; service officer, Clarence Kolkow.

Macdoel Girl Scouts Meet

MACDOEL—At a recent meeting of the Girl Scouts, Ivy May was elected to take the place of Dennis James as vice president and Pat Garey as reporter to replace Marlene Andrus.

The Scouts have about finished their work on bird badges and plan to work toward their foot traveler's badge.

Games were played at the close of the business session.

Local Office Broken Into

THIEVES last night pried open a window, gained entrance to the offices of Granham Brothers, Blehn and Lakeport, and made off with \$51, according to Oregon State Police.

The money was taken from a steel cabinet after the door had been pried open, authorities stated.

KUHS To Hold Final Concert

Klamath Union High School will present its final concert of the spring series Friday evening, April 2, at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The orchestra will feature Miss Ruth Lobaugh at the piano playing the first movement of Schumann's "Concerto in A Minor."

Assisting the orchestra in its concert will be the Girls' Glee Club, directed by LaMar Jensen.

The orchestra, selected earlier this year by the Oregon Music Educators Association to present a concert at its annual convention in Bend, was judged superior by state adjudicators. The director is Walter P. Smith.

The program planned for Friday evening is as follows:

"The Gipsy Baron Overture," Johann Strauss, Symphony Orchestra; "Gwedore Brae," John Crowther, String Orchestra; "January, February, March," De n Gillis, Symphony Orchestra.

"The Star," Rogers, arr. Baldwin; "The Blue Swan," Carl F. Mueller; "South American Nocturnes," "Dusk in the Tropics," "Breakers off Barranquilla," Joseph W. Clokey; "In the Still of the Night," Cole Porter; "All the Things You Are," Jerome Kern, Girls' Glee Club.

"Concerto in A Minor," Robert Schumann, Ruth Lobaugh, piano soloist.

"Romantic Prelude," Maurice C. Whitney, Symphony Orchestra; "Jamaican Rumba," Arthur Benjamin, String Orchestra; "Tempo," Arthur Freed, Nacio Herb Brown, Symphony Orchestra.

Tickets for this concert may be purchased at the door, at \$1 a seat.

Health Group

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grade, if tuberculosis is to be eventually stamped out. Previous reactors should have a yearly check-up.

There are only two infallible ways to determine the disease, Schuchall said, by the tuberculin skin test and autopsy.

Use of antimicrobial agents has been responsible for the sharp decrease in TB deaths in the nation but lack of sanitarium facilities, is hampering care of patients. A week ago, Church stated 50 patients were on the waiting list at the Salem TB hospital. This did not include the sanitarium at The Dalles.

Work of the association here in the past year, has been devoted to health education, felt to be necessary as a follow-up of the intensive chest X-ray program last year.

This work, considered one of the most important in the field, teaches individuals the rudiments of healthful living. The program has been carried to schools, city and county communities, and to individuals through public reading programs.

This year the county TB and Health Association is working with the Mental Health Association and the Epilepsy League.

Rehabilitation is carried on throughout the year. Two copies of the local paper are sent to patients in the Eastern Oregon Tuberculosis Hospital at The Dalles. Clothing is supplied when needed, and gifts are sent to patients at Christmas time.

Case-finding is accomplished by X-ray at the Klamath County Health Department.

In the past year, 49 diagnosed cases were found, following 248 X-ray checks. Fourteen were active and 35 were arrested cases. There were 197 suspects or contacts. Of 279 skin tests made, 19 positive reactors were found. Twenty two of the total were admitted to sanitariums.

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