

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Stocks

WALL STREET—The stock market ran into irregularity Thursday after a higher start.

Most price changes were small with the range of change going to about 2 points except in unusual cases.

Trading came to an estimated two million shares as compared with 2,330,000 shares traded Wednesday, the third most active session of the year.

Livestock

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK—Chicago (U.S.)—Producers continued to ship hogs to market in surprisingly light numbers and prices once again went to a record high for April Thursday.

Butchers gained 15 to 25 cents with the top \$28.40, a new peak since Sept. 30, 1948. Most choice 190 to 240 pound butchers brought \$28.00 to \$28.25.

A few high choice steers brought the top of \$27.00 with commercial to good kinds moving at \$18.00 to \$22.50.

Slaughter lambs sold steady to 25 cents higher, with a top of \$26.00 for choice woolled types.

Salable receipts were estimated at 4,500 hogs, 2,500 cattle, 300 calves and 1,500 sheep.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK—(USDA)—Cattle salable 125; market steady; part load choice 95; lb slaughter steers 22.00; few good steers 20.00-22.50; odd commercial 18.00; small lot good 85 lb heifers 20.00; utility down to 14.00; canner-cutter cows 9.50-11.50; utility 12.00-15.00; few commercial 16.00; utility-commercial bulls 14.50-16.50.

Calves salable 25; market about steady; good-choice vealers 22.00-28.00; few small calves down to 11.00.

Hogs salable 100; market fairly active; steady; choice No. 1-180-235 lb butchers 29.50-30.00; choice 300-350 lb sows 23.50-26.50.

Sheep salable 50; market carrying steady underdone; choice-prime woolled slaughter lambs quoted 23.50-24.00.

Oregon Road Fund Gains

WASHINGTON (AP)—The \$96 million dollar federal aid for highways bill approved by Congress Wednesday and sent to the White House for President Eisenhower's signature carries authorization for more than 70 million dollars to be spent in Washington, Oregon and Idaho.

The bill authorizes expenditures of \$38,000,000 annually in the three states in each of the two fiscal years starting July 1, 1955. Congress will appropriate the money at a later date.

Under the bill, Washington will receive \$11,200,000 to be used on state roads and \$2,737,000 for interstate roads; Oregon \$10,532,000 and \$2,325,000 and Idaho \$6,946,000 and \$1,720,000.

The bill provides that state road funds be supplied on a 50-50 federal-state matching basis, 45 per cent for primary roads, 30 per cent for secondary and 25 per cent for urban roads. The federal-state matching basis for interstate roads is 60-40.

DROP—The strawberry acreage in Oregon this year will be 2 per cent smaller than last year, but 12 per cent larger than average, the federal crop reporting service estimated Wednesday.

The total will be 17,000 acres with a good crop in prospect because of a mild winter and increased use of fall irrigation.

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Bodinet Asks More Time

Three persons indicted by the Klamath County Jury on Tuesday, April 13, all asked for more time to study their indictments when brought before Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg this morning for arraignment.

The three are: Raymond John Bodinet, 31, of Portland, accused of assault and armed robbery of Myrtle's parlor house on January 8, Attorney A. C. Yaegen asked until April 23 for further study of the indictment. Judge Vandenberg granted this request and set April 23, 10 a.m. as time to enter plea.

Alfred Junior Carter, 40 accused of manslaughter in connection with the death of Cruz R. Unzueta on Christmas Eve, 1953. Attorneys E. E. Driscoll and P. K. Puckett requested until April 22 to study the indictment. Judge Vandenberg granted this request and set 10 a.m. as time to enter plea.

Philip Duane Jackson, 18, charged with burglary not in a dwelling. Jackson did not have counsel representing him and Judge Vandenberg appointed Attorney P. K. Puckett to defend him. Puckett asked until April 22 to enter a plea; this was granted by Judge Vandenberg who set the time 10 a.m.

Masons Hold Installation

PENDLETON (AP)—Officers elected at State York Rite Masonic bodies meetings here this week were installed here Thursday.

Royal Arch Masons concluded the elections Wednesday with Sprague H. Carter, Pendleton, named the most excellent grand high priest.

Others elected by the Royal Arch Masons: Harold P. Patterson, Canyon City, king; Lyman C. Palmer, Eugene, scribe; Rex W. Davis, Salem, treasurer; Richard H. Tussant, Portland, secretary.

Appointed were: D. Lynn Woodson, Portland, principal sojourner; Samuel A. Warg, Roseburg, Royal Arch Captain; Bruce A. Burns, Toledo, master of third veil; Dayton Glover, Prineville, master of second veil; Harry J. Young, Portland, master of first veil; Mitchell S. Gilliam, Baker, Chaplain; Milford W. Harrison, Lakeview, orator; Vilas J. Brown, Portland, sentinel.

Fraternities Veto Housemother Idea

CORVALLIS (AP)—Oregon State College fraternities want Dean Dan W. Poling to tell them they don't have to hire housemothers, after all.

They voted 28-1 Wednesday against the dean's decision of last week to require the fraternities to install the housemothers by the fall term of 1955.

The dean said the housemothers were needed to improve discipline and stop ungentlemanly conduct in the fraternity houses.

The fraternities said they did not believe any serious problem existed on conduct, and doubted that housemothers would have much effect on any such problems anyway.

Spring Lamb Price Shows Good Gain

PORTLAND (AP)—The first spring lambs of the season sold on the North Portland livestock market Wednesday at \$28 a hundredweight, \$4 more than the average for old crop lambs.

The price for choice No. 1 choice butcher hogs also advanced to its highest point since September, 1948, with one lot selling at \$30.25 a hundredweight.

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Evangelist Visits KF

Evangelist Michael F. George will be conducting a city-wide salvation healing campaign beginning Saturday, April 17, through Sunday, May 2, at 7:30 p.m. each night; Sundays at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.

George is an internationally known evangelist, whose worldwide tours feature salvation healing campaigns.

He is being sponsored in Klamath Falls by the Pentecostal Church of God, 2041 Radcliffe, Rev. J. E. Reddick, pastor. Tentatively, George is scheduled to conduct his campaign at the Pentecostal Church. Any change in location will be announced.

George has had no theological training, but claims the gifts of healing and knowledge of the sermon. According to George, he is able to name afflictions of members of the congregation and heal them through their faith.

In his 12 years of touring the world and conducting his salvation healing campaigns, George has become known as the "Voice of Deliverance" and the "Second Billy Sunday."

The public is welcome to attend.

Nelson Gets 30 Year Term

HILLSBORO (AP)—It took Washington County nearly five months to find George Robert Nelson, but once officials located him they had him on his way to the penitentiary within 24 hours.

Circuit Judge R. Frank Peters imposed a 30-year sentence on the 30-year-old safecracker and jail escapee artist Wednesday afternoon. Police set out with him for the state prison by nightfall.

Nelson was the handsome blond former Canadian who broke out of the county jail last November with the help of a girl friend, Irma Joyce Jordan, 22. At the time, Nelson had admitted cracking open a supermarket safe, and was awaiting sentence.

The pair was caught at Kansas City, but Nelson managed to escape again. The girl was brought back to Oregon, and was sentenced to five years for aiding in his escape. She now is at the state prison.

Nelson was picked up in Toledo Monday night, Sheriff R. H. Busch went to Toledo Tuesday night, confirmed identification of Nelson, and brought him back to Hillsboro.

Guests Driven Out by Smoke

PORTLAND (AP)—Heavy smoke chased everyone out of the five-story Hungertford Hotel here Wednesday, but firemen quickly brought the blaze under control. They confined it to the basement, and damage was limited to \$500.

Stored mattresses caught fire from welding sparks in mid-afternoon. Thick smoke rolled upstairs. Only 20 guests were in the building at the time. They escaped without injury.

Two firemen, however, were overcome temporarily by the fumes, and another fireman cut his hand groping through the dense smoke.

Weather County Budget Committee Eyes Juvenile Home Change

Grants Pass and vicinity—Fair and warmer through Friday. Low Thursday night 42; high Friday 77. Northern California—Fair through Friday except local fog on coast; continued warm. Northwest—windy 25 m.p.h. near coast, but reaching 25 m.p.h. locally in vicinity of Point Reyes.

Baker and vicinity—Fair and warmer through Friday. Low Thursday night 28; high Friday 62. Western Oregon—Increasing cloudiness Thursday night, becoming mostly cloudy Friday with showers in the north by afternoon or evening. Low Thursday night 40-48; high Saturday 60-70. Winds off coast southerly to southeasterly, 10-20 m.p.h. Friday.

Eastern Oregon—Fair through Thursday night; partly cloudy Friday; slightly warmer with daytime high 60-70; low Thursday night 30-40.

Allen Warren Passes at 73

Word was received here today of the death Wednesday, April 14, of Allen Warren, longtime resident of Klamath Falls, and employe of the Weyerhaeuser Timber Company. His home was in Everett, Washington. Mr. Warren, who was 73 years old, suffered from a heart condition but his death was unexpected.

He left Klamath Falls for a lower climate in the hopes of benefiting his health.

Surviving are his widow Mrs. Tessie Warren; three sons, Lane Warren, Klamath Falls; Homer Warren, Sacramento and Earl Warren, Hayward, California; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Mae) Kent, Seattle; two stepsons; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday with final rites at Everett.

The sons went north for the services.

OBITUARY

FOSTER

Josh Pete Foster, 67, native and lifelong resident of Klamath County, died near Beatty about March 18. Survivors include: five sons, Vernon, George, Danny, Wallace, Archie and a daughter, Eleanor, all of Beatty. Funeral services will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home, 923 High St., on Friday, April 16 at 10:30 a.m. the Rev. Harley Zeller officiating. Commitment service and interment in the Piute cemetery at 1:30 p.m.

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