

MARKETS AND FINANCE

STOCKS

WALL STREET — The stock market was slightly higher Thursday in the late afternoon despite considerable irregularity most of the session.

Prices were up 1 to 3 points in many divisions. Losses, which weren't concentrated especially, seldom exceeded full point.

Business for the day came to an estimated 2,800,000 shares. That compares with 2,480,000 shares Wednesday when the market was lower.

Northern Pacific was a trading sensation when its directors proposed a two-for-one split and raised the dividend to 90 cents from 75 cents quarterly.

There was an immediate buying rush, and trading in the stock had to be halted for around 20 minutes to bring some order out of the confusion. The stock reopened on a block of 12,000 shares up 3/4 at 80. It continued popular slightly under the top.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table listing various stocks such as Admiral Corporation, Allied Chemical, Allis Chalmers, Aluminum Co. America, American Airlines, American Motors, American Tel. & Tel., American Tobacco, Anaconda Copper, Atchafalaya Railroad, Bethlehem Steel, Boeing Airplane Co., Borg Warner, Burrughs Adding Mach., California Packing, Canadian Pacific, Caterpillar Tractor, Celanese Corporation, Chrysler Corporation, Cities Service, Consolidated Edison, Crown Zellerbach, Curtiss Wright, Douglas Aircraft, Du Pont de Nemours, Eastman Kodak, Emerson Radio, General Electric, General Foods, General Motors, Georgia Pac Plywood, Goodyear Tire, Hometek Mining Co., International Harvester, International Paper, Johns Manville, Kaiser Aluminum, Kennecott Copper, Libby, McNeill, Lockheed Aircraft, Lowe's Incorporated, Long Bell A, Montgomery Ward, New York Central, Northern Pacific, Pacific American Fish, Pacific Gas & Electric, Penney (J.C.) Co., Pennsylvania R. R., Philco, Radio, Puget Sound P & L.

LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND (U.S.D.A.)—Cattle

saleable 150; market mostly a clean up at steady-weak prices; parts truck lots choice 740 lb fed steers 20.00 with 961 lb good grade at 18.00, few utility steers 10.00-12.00; beefers scarce, few canner and cutter cows 8.00-7.50, shelly 5.00 and below, truck lot utility cows 5.50, lightly sorted at 8.50; bulls scarce.

Calves saleable 25; market nominal; good and choice vealers saleable around 18.00-20.00; good and choice heavy calves mostly 15.00-16.00, cull calves and vealers downward to 7.50.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO (U.S.D.A.)—Cattle

saleable 75; market moderately active on cleanup trade, about steady; individual commercial slaughter steer 17.00; most canner and cutter cows 7.50-9.00, other classes scarce; for week, most classes about steady.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO (U.S.D.A.)—Butcher hogs sold steady to 25 cents higher Thursday while some mostly gained 25 cents.

GRAINS

PORTLAND GRAIN

15-day shipment, bulk, coast delivery; Oats No. 2, 38 lb white \$1.00, No. 2, 45 lb B. W. 46.00, 46.50, Corn No. 2, E. Y. shipment 63.00.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO (U.S.D.A.)—Soybeans scored modest gains while wheat faltered in an attempt to extend its advance in the fourth day on the Board of Trade Thursday.

POTATOES

CHICAGO POTATOES: Arrivals 46 on track 208 and total U.S. shipments 586; about steady. Carlot track sales: Idaho Russets \$3.53-3.60; Washington Russet Bakers \$3.75 unwashed.

Wool Market

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Potato Shipments

Table showing potato shipments by season and route: Daily Truck Ore. 14 6, Daily Rail Ore. 14 14, Daily Truck Calif. 4 3, Daily Rail Calif. 8 11, Daily Total ORE & CALIF. 40 34, Monthly Total 230 194, Season's Total 1582 1648.

LONG OVERDUE

TAZEWELL, Tenn. (U.P.)—When Hubert Oberholser, 36, and six military policemen converging on his mountain home, he grabbed a sack of bran and ran to hide in the barn. He'd have made it too if a hole in the sack hadn't left a trail. The MPs returned him to Ft. McPherson, Ga., to face charges of being AWOL since 1942.

Oregon Weather

Eastern Oregon — Snow flurries Thursday night. Partial clearing and a few snow flurries in mountains Friday. Low Thursday night 24-34; cooler Friday with highs 34-44.

Western Oregon — Partial clearing and a few showers through Friday. Little change in temperature, with high Friday 48-54; low Thursday night 38-46. Coastal wind mostly southerly to southwesterly 20-30 miles an hour through Friday.

Grants Pass and Vicinity — Partial clearing Thursday night and partly cloudy Friday. High Friday 50; low Thursday night 36.

Baker and Vicinity — Decreasing wind and snow Thursday night. Partly cloudy Friday with few snow flurries over mountains. Low Thursday night 22-28; high Friday 30-36.

Weather Table

Table with columns: City, Max. Min. Temp., Precip. Rows include Baker, Boise, Klamath Falls, Lakeview, Medford, Newport, North Bend, Pendleton, Portland Airport, Salem, Spokane.

By UNITED PRESS

Temperatures and rainfall for 24 hours ending at 4:30 a.m.

Table with columns: City, High, Low, Rain. Rows include Albuquerque, Atlanta, Bakerfield, Boston, Brownsville, Chicago, Denver, Detroit, El Centro, Fairbanks, Fresno, Helena, Kansas City, Los Angeles, Miami, Minneapolis, New Orleans, New York, Oakland, Oklahoma City, Phoenix, Pittsburgh, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Seattle, Stockton, Thermal, Tucson, Washington, Yuma.

California Weather

By UNITED PRESS

Northern California: Variable cloudiness today, tonight and Friday; occasional rain in the extreme north portion today and tonight and the chance of rain as far south as San Francisco and Sacramento tonight; morning fog in the southern San Joaquin and Salinas valleys; little change in temperature; southerly winds 20-35 mph from Point Reyes northward near the coast and locally 45 mph above Port Brava; west to northwest wind 8-16 mph below Point Reyes.

San Francisco Bay Region: Variable cloudiness today, tonight and Friday; the chance of rain tonight and early Friday; little change in temperature; high today and San Francisco, Oakland, San Mateo and San Rafael 56-61; low tonight 47-52; southerly winds 12-24 mph this afternoon and tonight.

Sierra Nevada: Variable cloudiness today, tonight and Friday; occasional rain in the extreme northward tonight and early Friday; rain below 4500 feet; strong southerly winds in the north portion this afternoon and tonight; little change in temperature.

Sacramento Valley: Variable cloudiness today, tonight and Friday; chance of rain tonight and early Friday; little change in temperature; southerly winds 12-24 mph this afternoon and tonight; high both days 50-53; low tonight 40-47.

Northwestern California: Variable cloudiness today, tonight and Friday; rain in the extreme north today, spreading to the south portion this afternoon or tonight and ending by Friday noon; warmer in the south portion tonight; high today and low tonight at Santa Rosa 58-60, Napa 58-60, Ukiah 54-47.

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Opening prices follow: Dec. 157.0 bid; March 160.0 traded; May 160.0 bid; July 160.0 bid; Oct. 160.0 bid; Dec. (1956) 159.5 bid; March (1957) 158.5 bid; May 156.5 bid.

Wool futures opened unchanged to 3 points lower; Dec. 128.5 bid; March 131.0 bid; May 131.0 bid; July 130.0 bid; Oct. 130.0 bid; Dec. (1956) 128.0 bid; March (1957) 128.5 bid; May unquoted.

ANTARCTIC CHECK

OSAKA, Japan (U.P.)—The 9,600-ton refrigeration ship Miyajima Maru left Osaka for the Antarctic Thursday to make preliminary checks for Japan's expedition in the 1957-1958 International Geophysical Year.

Work, Sleep, Play In Comfort

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HUNDREDS of Christmas decorations, wreaths, mantel and table pieces and candles will be offered for sale by the Klamath Art Association at the association's headquarters on Redcliffe Avenue. The sale starts today. Getting ready are, left to right, Nina Pence, Polly Dixon and Don Kelley.

Race Question Relighted In Delaware

MILFORD, Del. (U.P.)—Fourteen months after a dispute over continued segregation of white and Negro pupils, the Milford School District is involved today in a disagreement over relations with integrated schools.

The situation now has not aroused the intense feelings apparent last fall when 19 Negro boys and girls sought admission to the all-white Milford school in this south-central Delaware town of 5,700.

Everett Peery To Head IAC

Everett Peery, supervisor of the Klamath County school district is the newly named president of the IAC.

License Charge Case Dismissed

A charge of falsifying an application for an automobile license against Ralph A. Houck, service station attendant, was dismissed Friday.

Extradition For Non-Support Waived

Emmett Richard Simmons, described by the sheriff's office as a Sprague River minister, waived extradition Thursday when arraigned before District Judge D. E. Van Vactor on a California fugitive warrant.

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South Sixth Traffic Study Planned By State Office

A study by the Oregon State Highway Department of the traffic problems anticipated as a result of the activation of the Klamath Falls jet interceptor base is to be held in the near future, it was reported at the regular meeting of the directors of the Klamath County Chamber of Commerce in regular meeting Wednesday noon at the Winema Hotel.

U.S. Air Force and chamber officials had asked the highway department for the study prior to the time of full military activity at the jet base some time next year. A letter outlining the needs was sent to the state traffic engineer, Bruce Crandall.

It is felt that an acute congestion problem will occur at South Sixth Street and Washburn Way, South Sixth and Altamont Drive, and at South Sixth and Sumner Lane. These will be the three main arterials to and from the air base. The traffic flow to the base will probably peak at about 7:45 a.m. and 5:15 p.m. The chamber and USAF officials feel that traffic lights will probably be needed at these points.

In answer to the request for a study from the chamber, W. C. Williams, deputy state highway engineer, said the problem will be the subject of a field investigation by the state highway department in the near future.

The Military Affairs Committee, Housing Division, reported that on November 30 a letter was sent to J. Guy Arrington, regional director, Federal Housing Administration.

tion, Portland, requesting him, or his representative, to come to Klamath Falls and resurvey the FHA policies in this area.

The request was sent as one of the ways to determine the means to alleviate the critical housing shortage in the Klamath Falls area — especially military housing.

Arrington acknowledged the letter by saying that the FHA cost engineer completed a full cost survey of the Klamath area in October. However, he did not indicate that he, or any representative from his office, would visit Klamath Falls.

The chamber has sent another request to Arrington reiterating the need for a thorough study of the housing needs of the area, chamber manager R. Frank Tucker reports Thursday.

In other business, director Karl Dehlinger reported on the progress of his new potato packaging plant at Hager. Dehlinger is shipping choice selected potatoes in various size cardboard containers. He said that they have been very well received by buyers.

Lloyd Giff, Northwest grandson of the gift, reviewed the program of the year program sponsored by the Portland Chamber of Commerce. Gift is the first Oregonian to win this Northwest honor. He was introduced by Jim Kerns, director in charge of the agriculture committee.

On Saturday the Southern Oregon Hospitality Unlimited group will meet in Medford and a workshop for new chamber directors of all the Southern Oregon chambers of commerce will be held in Medford sometime in January, it was announced.

On The Record

KLAMATH COUNTY BIRTHS

THOMAS — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas, December 6, a girl weighing 6 lbs., 6 1/2 oz. at the Klamath Valley Hospital.

PEARSON — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearson, December 6, a boy weighing 6 lbs., 8 oz. at the Klamath Valley Hospital.

KLAMATH COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSE

RAMSEY-PAHL — Donald Edward Ramsey, 20, Klamath Falls, and Lorraine Elizabeth Pahl, 17, Klamath Falls.

LAKE COUNTY BIRTHS

LINVILLE — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Linnville on December 2 at the Lakeview Public Hospital a daughter, 5 lbs., 6 oz.

Court Records

KLAMATH FALLS MUNICIPAL COURT James M. Ellis, drunk, \$25 or 2 1/2 days.

Randolph Tupper, drunk, \$25 or 2 1/2 days.

Erwin Weiser, drunk, \$25 forfeited.

Calvin Chapp, drunk, \$25 or 12 1/2 days.

Ruth Tupper, drunk, \$25 or 12 1/2 days.

Charles Hood, drunk, \$25 or 12 1/2 days.

Bruce E. Tupper, drunk, \$25 or 12 1/2 days.

Aggie S. Butler, no registration visible, \$3 forfeited.

Lorena Wright, no registration visible, \$3 forfeited.

Delmar Dickens, drunk and disorderly conduct, \$50 or 25 days.

Advertisement for OREGON WOOLEN STORE. Features a man in a suit and text: 'to suit you to perfection for the holidays', 'All Wool Flannel SUITS Dress for the Holidays', '\$4500 \$34.50', '1 Group Reg. 39.50 Suits NOW 31.50', 'Worsted Suits \$52.00', 'Sport Coats 14.95', 'TOPCOATS 22.88', 'Sport Coats 14.95', 'WHIPCORDS \$5.48', 'Sport Shirts 9.88', 'Sport Shirts 5.88', 'Sport Coats 14.95', 'WHIPCORDS \$5.48', 'Sport Shirts 9.88', 'Sport Shirts 5.88', 'Sport Coats 14.95', 'WHIPCORDS \$5.48', 'Sport Shirts 9.88', 'Sport Shirts 5.88'. Address: 8th and Main, Your Levi Headquarters, Phone 6873.

Temperatures Lowered in NW

Two fresh masses of cold air, from the North and the Pacific, lowered temperatures over broad areas of the nation today.

Readings were between 10 and 15 degrees lower in the central Rockies and the upper Mississippi Valley. Below zero temperatures were reported in Utah, the eastern Dakotas and western Minnesota. Lowest early morning readings was 12 at Minot, N. D.

It was freezing and below from the mid-Atlantic states southwestward through the Ohio Valley into northern New Mexico. The fresh blasts of icy air extended from the Rockies as far east as the eastern Great Lakes but did not touch southern Texas and the lower Mississippi Valley.

Precipitation was confined to light snow or flurries in the Northern Plains, the northern Great Lakes region and near Lake Erie, and showers in the Carolinas.

Navy Fighter Sets Record

WASHINGTON (U.P.)—The Navy's new supersonic fighter, the Chance Vought F9C-1 Crusader, reportedly flew more than 1,600 miles an hour last month.

But the Defense Department—for security reasons—was said to have barred any official clocking that might have made this an official speed record.

Informed sources, disclosing this Thursday, said at least one of the Crusader's several speed dashes came close to 1,100 miles an hour.

Air Force Maj. Charles Yeager has flown the Bell X-1A rocket plane 1,650 miles an hour—twice the speed of sound—but no attempt was made for an official timing.

Air Force Col. Horace A. Hanes set the world's first official supersonic speed record—822 miles an hour—last Aug. 20 in a North American F100C Super Sabre.

It was learned preparations had been completed for official timing of the Crusader by the National Aeronautic Assn. in high altitude speed runs over a 15 kilometer course above Southern California's Mojave Desert.

But the Defense Department, which imposed a rule earlier this year against interfering air records rivalry, was said to have learned of the arrangements and prohibited an official timed run.

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