

MARKETS AND FINANCE

STOCKS

NEW YORK — The stock market backed down under profit-taking Wednesday with trading at a lively clip. Although the general trend of the market was lower, a number of individual issues made good advances under the influence of corporate developments. Losses went from 1 to around 3 points rather frequently. Gains usually were little greater than a point at the outside. Trading came to an estimated three million shares. The composite index of 2,909.00 shares traded in Tuesday's market when prices on average hit another record high mark.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table listing various New York stocks including Admittal Corporation, Allied Chemical, Allis Chalmers, Aluminum Co. of America, American Airlines, American Motors, American Telephone & Telegraph, American Tobacco, Anaconda Copper, Atchafalaya, Bethlehem Steel, Boeing Aircraft Co., Borg-Warner, Burrells Adding Mach., 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, Ford Motor, General Electric, General Foods, General Motors, Georgia Pacific, Goodyear Tire, Homestead 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 Gas & Electric, Pacific Telephone, Penney (J.C.) Co., Pennsylvania R.R., Pepsi Cola Co., Philco Radio, Pinge Sound P & L, Radio Corporation, Rayonier Incorporated, Rayonier Incorp. Pfd, Republic Steel, Reynolds Metals, Richfield Oil, Safeway Stores Inc., Scott Paper Co., Sears Roebuck & Co., Sinclair Oil, Socony, Southern Pacific, Standard Oil Calif., Standard Oil N.J., Studebaker Packard, Swift & Company, Twentieth Century Fox, Union Oil Company, United Pacific, United Airlines, United Corporation, United States Plywood, United States Steel, Warner Pictures, Westinghouse Air Brake, Westinghouse Electric, Westworth Company.

GRAINS

Table listing grain prices for Chicago and Portland. Chicago grain prices include Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, and other commodities. Portland grain prices include various types of wheat and flour.

LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK — Cattle: salable 450; market active; fed steers fully steady; fed heifers strong; cows now steady; strong instances 50 cents to 1.00 higher on commercial kinds; bulls fully steady; truck lots choice 1028 lb fed steers 20.00; small lots choice 1028 lb 19.75; few other lots choice steers 19.50; good steers mostly 17.50-19.50; few commercial-utility offerings 11.50-17.00; one lot choice 850 lb fed heifers 18.65; load 796 lb 18.50, sorted four head at 17.00; one lot good 770 lb heifers 17.40; few utility - commercial mostly 11.00-15.50; canner - cutter cows largely 8.00-10.00; utility cows 10.50-12.50; with commercial 13.00-14.00; including one load potato fed cows at latter price; few utility-commercial bulls 13.50-16.25; light cutters down to 11.50; calves salable 50; market active, fully steady; choice vealers 25.00 - 28.00; good grades 20.00-24.00; cull calves and vealers down to 7.50. Hogs salable 300; market fairly active, fully steady; started lots No. 1 and 2 180-225 lbs barrows and gilts 16.00-50; mixed lots No. 2 and 3 butchers mostly 15.00-75; 250-270 lb No. 3 butchers 14.00-75; sows 360-500 lbs 10.00-13.00. Sheep salable 150; market not established on limited offering; woolled lambs; few shorn steady; one lot mostly choice fed lambs carrying No. 3 pelts 17.00; small lot choice No. 1 pelts lambs 18.25; feeders scarce but demand very narrow; ewes scarce.

SAN FRANCISCO (UP-PSMNS) — Livestock: Cattle salable 25. Supply insufficient to fully test market. Few canner to low-utility cows 10.50-11.50, shelly canners downward to 7.50. Calves salable none. Hogs salable 100. Supply mainly steady. Moderately active, butchers fully steady with Tuesday. Mixed grade lots U.S. No. 1 to 3 180-240 lb butchers 15.25. Other classes scarce. Sheep salable 100. Supply mainly slaughter lambs. Moderately active, old cross slaughter lambs about steady. One lot choice 102 lb old cross slaughter lambs with full shorn and full woolled pelts 16.25. Other classes scarce.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO (AP) — Butcher hogs gained 25 to 35 cents Wednesday, an 85 head lot selling at \$14.35. This was the best price for hogs since Feb. 3. Most lots to 270 pound butchers were at \$14.35 to \$14.00. Butchers scaling 230 to 330 pounds sold at \$12.75 to \$13.50 and 340 to 375 pounds at \$12.25 to \$12.75. Top on prime steers was \$25.00, set by one load. Choice and prime sold at \$19.00 to \$25.00 while most choice kinds brought \$18.25 to \$20.50. A few loads of choice and prime heifers brought \$18.75 to \$19.50. Good to prime woolled lambs moved at \$19.50 to \$21.25. Salable receipts were 8,000 hogs, 13,000 cattle, 300 calves and 1,500 sheep.

POTATOES

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — The Wednesday potato market reported by the U. S. Department of Agriculture: Sixteen cities, arrivals 416; on track 1394; shipments 896. Northern Calif. 9, Central Calif. 1, Idaho 326, Oregon 18, Washington 7. IDAHO FALLS — Market about steady. Russets No. 1, 10-20 per cent 10 and larger 3.30-3.30; 20-30 per cent 10 and larger 3.30-2.45; 30 per cent 10 and larger 3.30-3.60. SAN FRANCISCO — Street sales market about steady. Klamath Russets No. 1-A, 2, 1, 4, 4-5. LOS ANGELES — Carlota sales, market firm; Idaho Russets No. 1-A, 3.70-4.80; Central Oregon 4.23. CHICAGO (AP) — Potatoes: Arrivals old stock 70, on track 209; total U.S. shipments 896; Round Reds firm to slightly stronger. Carlota track sales, old stock, Idaho Russets \$4.90, utilities \$3.80, baled in 10 lb sacks \$5.40-5.55. Minnesota-North Dakota Potatoes \$4.30-5.10 washed and waxed, \$4.40 unwashed.

Weather Table

Table showing weather forecasts for various cities including Baker, Bend, Boise, Eugene, Klamath Falls, Lakeview, Medford, Newport, Nrh Bend, Pendleton, Portland Airport, Roseburg, Salem, and Spokane. Columns include Max, Min, and Prep.

By UNITED PRESS

Table showing temperatures and rainfall for 24 hours ending at 4:30 a.m. Wednesday. Cities listed include Albuquerque, Atlanta, Bakersfield, Boston, Chicago, Denver, Detroit, Fairbanks, Helena, Kansas City, Los Angeles, Miami, Minneapolis, New Orleans, New York, Oakland, Oklahoma City, Omaha, Pittsburgh, Red Bluff, Salt Lake City, San Diego, San Francisco, Seattle, Stockton, Thermal, Tucson, Washington, and Yuma.

California Weather

San Francisco Bay Region: Mostly fair today and tonight, cloudy Thursday; slightly cooler Thursday; high today San Francisco 60, Oakland 64, San Mateo 66, San Rafael 66; low tonight 42-50; southwest winds 8-16 mph in afternoons. Northern California: Cloudy north, clearing and Thursday but occasional cloudiness north portion tonight and Thursday; light rain and a few snow flurries extreme north Thursday; cooler north portion Thursday; coastal winds southerly 20-35 mph Cape Mendocino northward, southerly 10-20 mph Cape Mendocino to Point Reyes and variable 8-16 mph south of Point Reyes. Sierra Nevada: Mostly fair today, tonight and Thursday but occasional cloudiness north portion tonight and Thursday; light rain and a few snow flurries extreme north Thursday; cooler north portion Thursday.

Musician Given Probation Term

Oswaldo Magallanes, 27-year-old musician, who disturbed in front of the headlights of his automobile on Highway 97 near Midland, was placed on two years probation Wednesday by District Judge D. E. Van Vactor. He had previously pleaded guilty to a charge of indecent exposure. The defendant admitted to the local club shortly before his arrest. State police took Magallanes into custody on complaint of motorists who saw him standing nude in the highway.

Annual Spring Musicale Set

DUNSMUIR — A 51-piece band and a 25-voice chorus will be featured at the annual Spring Musicale given by Dunsmuir High School on Thursday evening, March 22, at the elementary school auditorium. Band numbers will be new publications of special band pieces according to Wayne Turner, director. Two concert marches are on the program. Old favorites will be sung by the chorus, also under Turner's directions. Proceeds of the evening will be used to finance Canyonville activities. This organization is composed of Dunsmuir's young musicians.



ROAD AND STREET PROBLEMS of the state are being studied by these members of the Legislative Interim Committee on Roads which met in Klamath Falls Tuesday noon. The legislators are, left to right, Senator Walter Leth, Representative Fred Meek, Representative Robert Elfstrom and Representative E. A. Littrell.

Klamath Street Problems Aired At Interim Hearing

Solving suburban area street problems on a local level was urged by State Representative E. A. Littrell, Medford, at a Klamath Falls hearing of the Legislative Interim Committee on Roads held Tuesday noon in the Pelican Cafe. The urgent need for legislative action to help solve fringe area road problems in Klamath County was the main topic of the local public hearing. County officials and residents of the south suburban area stressed that present state laws concerning the use of county road funds are at present much too binding. County Commissioner Jerry Rajus cited the prevailing bad condition of the roads in the south suburban area which are not included in the county's road system. State laws now prevent the use of county funds on streets or roads not included in the county's system.

Fluoridation Talk Given

Len Surles presided over the short business meeting March 20 of Peterson School Parents and Patrons held at the school. Mr. and Mrs. Clark Good, chairman of the successful Mardi Gras put on by the school as a fund raising project, were presented with a gilt in recognition of their work. Third grade teachers, Mrs. F. Taylor, Mrs. E. Pappentus and Mrs. J. Toole, presented their students in a song and dance number from a Mexican Fiesta. Special numbers were presented by Cathy Yehraus and Jane Denham. Dr. W. J. Dean, local dentist, spoke on "Fluoridation." A question and answer period conducted by Mrs. Len Surles followed his talk. The room count was won by Mrs. E. Taylor's second grade. Third grade room mothers served refreshments.

Driving Case Appeal Heard

Hearing an appeal from a district court conviction of Guy Barton, Klamath Basin rancher, for driving while intoxicated, opened Wednesday morning before Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg. Barton was found guilty last May by a jury in District Judge D. E. Van Vactor's court. Judge Van Vactor sentenced Barton to 30 days in the county jail and imposed a \$250 fine. Subsequently, Defense Attorney Ben Goddard filed notice of appeal. Barton was arrested by state police.

GEORGE RUFF DIES

George Larry Ruff, 63, native of Moffitt Creek, California, died in Clifton March 19. He had been a resident of Klamath County for 24 years. Survivors include a brother and son, both of Yreka, California. Funeral services will be held at Yreka, with the Girder Funeral Home in charge. Ward's Klamath Funeral Home in charge of local arrangements.

Fire Destroys Keno Hay Barn

Stewart Lennox firemen battled flames for two hours this morning, but were unable to save a hay barn on the Lee Holliday ranch on the Keno Road. A fire department spokesman said that no damage estimate was available today, but that it was believed that there was no machinery stored in the barn. The alarm was received at 4 a.m. and the bulk of the firemen were back from the blaze by 6 a.m. However, the ashes continued to smolder, and firemen will keep a watch on the ruins until the last smoldering is over, the spokesman said. The only other fire call in the 24 hour period ending at 11 a.m. today was an attic fire at the residence of E. C. Ravert, 3445 Anderson. Suburban firemen, who said the alarm was received at 10:02 a.m., said damage was confined to the roof near the chimney although the attic was filled with smoke.

Heart Attack Takes Greeley

Melvin Allen Greeley, 47, native of Stockridge, Wisconsin, and resident of Klamath County for 40 years, died March 20. He was taken ill at his home, and death apparently followed a heart attack. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Elsie Greeley, of Klamath Falls, and an aunt, Mrs. Herbert Phillips of San Mateo, California. Mr. Greeley grew up in the Henley district and attended grade and high school there. He was a logger and was employed by Ned Pugh Logging at the time of his death. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home on Friday, March 23, at 10 a.m. The Rev. Dale Hewitt of the First Presbyterian Church will officiate. Final rites and interment will be in Mt. Laker Cemetery.

SHIP LAUNCHED

KOBE, Japan (AP) — Japan's biggest ship, the 32,800-ton tanker, Taiho Maru, was launched here Wednesday. Due for completion in July, it will transport oil from the Middle East to Japan.

World's favorite half-gallon Crater Lake TWIN PAK

Advertisement for Crater Lake TWIN PAK milk. Features a picture of the milk carton and a hand pouring milk. Text includes: 'So-o-o EASY to pour!', 'Even a SMALL CHILD can EASILY carry A FULL GALLON.... or POUR from one unit of the conveniently divided TWIN PAK', 'LOOK for the POLKADOT TWIN PAK.', 'PHONE 5101', 'From your Crater Lake dealer or route man'.

Advertisement for Skies Overcast At Crater Lake. Text: 'Skies were overcast and a light, southerly wind was blowing this morning at Crater Lake National Park, according to a report from the ranger station. Tuesday's maximum temperature was 38 degrees, minimum last night, 27, and at 8 a.m. today it was 33 degrees. Highway 62 through the park is in good condition, mostly bare. The road from Ames Springs to the rim is open, with snow tread tires advised for travel from park headquarters to the rim. Snow depth is 162 inches compared with 89 on this date last year and 213 inches in 1952.'

Advertisement for FALSE TEETH. Text: 'Many wearers of false teeth have suffered real embarrassment because their plate dropped, slipped or wobbled at just the wrong time. Do not live in fear of this happening to you. Just sprinkle a little FASTEREETH, the alkaline (non-acid) powder, on your plates. Your teeth will come firmly, so they feel more comfortable. Dews out your checks "plate odor" denture breath, Get FASTEREETH at any drug counter.'

Advertisement for Beautiful 8x10" PORTRAIT \$2.95. Features a portrait of a woman. Text: 'FOR LIMITED TIME! Beautiful 8x10" PORTRAIT \$2.95. Floyd's STUDIO PHONE 4526 1037 MAIN ST.'

Advertisement for the Poodle Vamp shoes. Features a picture of a woman's foot in a shoe. Text: 'the Poodle Vamp smart caressing attention at your feet. soft as a poodle... and twice as smart the padded vamp toe for the Gal-on-the-Gol'. Also available soon in White and White Sand. Trim Tred SHOES specially styled for the Gal-on-the-Gol. as advertised in Family Circle. VAN ORMAN'S 527 Main'

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