

MARKETS and FINANCE

Editor's Note: The market reports listed below are yesterday's markets, not today's, and are carried as a service to those subscribers in early delivery zones which make publication of daily markets impossible within the route schedule.

STOCKS

NEW YORK (AP) — A dividend cut by Ford Motor tripped a stock market advance and brought an irregularly lower close Wednesday. Trading was moderate. Ford declared a 40 cent common stock dividend compared with a 60 cent dividend paid in previous quarters. It will be paid Sept. 11. Losses of key stocks went from fractions to 1 or 2 points. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks dropped 70 cents to \$174.60 with the industrials down \$1.40, the rails down 60 cents and the utilities unchanged. Volume was 2,650,000 shares compared with 2,430,000 Tuesday.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Admiral Corporation, Allied Chemical, Alcoa, etc.

POTATOES

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI-FS) — Potatoes: Kern County Russets U.S. 1A U.S. 1A 2-inch minimum 100 lbs 5.00; Long Whites U.S. 1A 3.25-3.50.

Parking Problem Worries Council

YREKA — A problem created by trucks parking on the street south of Yreka was discussed by the Yreka City Council at the Thursday night, July 3, meeting. Residents of that area had complained to the council that their sleep had been disturbed by parking trucks. A committee composed of (top row) Councilmen Charles Cooley and Matt McNeil, and Hank Watson, chief of police, was appointed to study the matter. Charles Stockwell was named to complete the unexpired term of Bert Terry on the city housing committee. The council approved the replacing of the sewer from Gold Street to Pine Street on North Street with a larger 18-inch pipe, and approved an additional \$200 to the Yreka Chamber of Commerce to be used for advertising.

MOTTO

"LEAVENWORTH, Kan. (AP) — "Feed 'em and leave 'em speechless" that's the motto of Leavenworth County Republicans. More than 700 people packed the American Legion hall for a political supper without speeches last night. Candidates simply went from table to table, passing out cards and shaking hands.

LIVESTOCK

KLAMATH FALLS LIVESTOCK AUCTION MARKET

July 8, 1958 Receipts: Cattle 232. Hogs 43. Sheep 270. Compared last Tuesday cows 50-75 higher; slaughter steers and heifers weaker to 30 lower; hogs and bulls 50 higher. Fed Steers: Good, one lot 10 head 26.60; Std. 22.60-24.90. Fed Heifers: Choice, 26.60-28.80; Good 25.20-26.20; Std., 22.60-24.75. Cows: Std., 20.80-22.90; Cmel, 19.80-20.80; Utility 17.50-20.25; Cannery and Cutters, 14.90-17.60. Bulls: Cmel, 24.20-24.80; Light, 21.60-22.10. Veal Calves: Good-Choice, 26.50-29.75; Hyv Killer Calves, 26.10-27.70; Baby Calves, 38.00 per head. Stockers and Feeders: Heifers, Good-Choice, 650-700 lbs., 23.35-24.90; Steer Calves, Good-Choice, 20.75-21.00; Feeder Lambs, Good-Choice, 29.50-21.00; Ewes, slaughter, 5.25-5.40; yearling, 25.50, mixed 1-3 years, 23.00 per head. Reported by Ray Petersen, county agent.

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI-FS) LIVESTOCK

Hogs salable 250. No. 1 to 3 180-240 lb butchers 25, 240-260 lbs 24. No. 1 to 3 300-400 lb sows 19. Good and choice 23 lb feeder pigs 39, 66 lb pigs 33. Sheep salable 2,500. Good to mostly choice shorn slaughter spring lambs 22.50-23. Good and choice shorn yearling wethers 19. Good and choice shorn slaughter ewes 5-7, cull and utility 3.5. Cattle salable 500. Commercial cows 19.50-20.50, cull and utility 16-19, canners 15.50 down. Medium to good feeder steers 23. Calves salable 25. Individual choice steer calf 28. Hogs salable 100. Market not established. Sheep salable 25. Market untested.

CHICAGO (AP) — In the third price decline this week, butcher hogs were steady to 50 cents lower Wednesday and topped at \$24 for an estimated 200 head of 200-230 lb No. 1 grade.

Slaughter steers were steady to 25 cents higher and the bulk of choice and prime grades brought \$27.25-29.50 but a few loads of prime moved at \$29.75-30.50. The mixed good and low choice offerings were \$26.25-26.75 and the standard and good \$20-24. Vealers were \$28-31 for good and choice and the market for the class was fully steady. Spring slaughter lambs were mostly steady at \$25.25-26 for high choice and prime. Salable receipts, 7,000 hogs, 14,000 cattle, 100 calves, 1,000 sheep.

PORTLAND (AP) — (USDA) — Cattle salable 300; includes couple loads fed steers and couple loads heifers; trade active, fully steady all classes; load low choice 1.110 lb steers 27.75; truck lot good and choice 1,017 lb 27.50; standard steers 25.00-26.50; utility 19.00-23.00; load mostly choice 742 lb heifers 27.50; few good heifers 26.00-26.50; standard 22.50-24.00; few commercial cows 20.00-21.00; utility mostly 18.00-20.00; canners and cutters 15.00-17.00; heavy cutters to 17.50; light cutters to 19.00-21.50. Calves salable 75; trade active, steady to 1.00 higher close; good and choice vealers 27.00-32.00; cull and utility 15.00-20.00; few good and choice above 335 lb slaughter calves 26.00-28.00. Hogs salable 300; trade closed slow, steady to 25 lower; U.S. No. 1-2 butchers 100-235 lb 26.00-26.30; mixed No. 1-3s 25-25-26.00; 350-350 lb sows 19.50-22.00. Sheep salable 750; trade active, steady; choice spring lambs 22.50-22.75; 27 head choice Central Oregon 23.00; few mixed good and choice feeders mostly 18.50-19.50; medium and good feeders 16.50-18.00; slaughter ewes weak to 1.00 down; cull to utility ewes 2.00-6.00; few good ewes 6.50.

GRAINS

PORTLAND (AP) — Coarse grains, 15-day shipment, bulk, coast delivery: Oats, No. 2, 38 lb white 11.00-52.00; Barley, No. 2, 43 lb S.W. 46.00-48.00; Corn, No. 2, E.Y. sh't 61.00-61.50. Wheat (bid) to arrive market, basis No. 1 bulk, delivered coast: Soft White 1.95; White Club 1.95; Hard Red Winter 2.00 12 per cent. Hard White Bant: Unquoted. Wednesday's car receipts: Mill feed 2; wheat 32; barley 16; flour 3; corn 23. CHICAGO (AP) — Steadiness of wheat at times on the Board of Trade Wednesday came on a small renewal of export business in the grain, the first in several days. India had bought a small amount but was understood to be still in the market along with Pakistan for additional supplies. Wheat finished 1/4 cent a bushel higher to 1/2 lower, July 1.84; corn 1/4 lower, July 1.29; soybeans 1/4 higher to 1/2 lower, July 1.24; rye 1/4 higher, July 1.26; soybeans 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, July 2.24; July 2 to 15 cents a hundred pounds higher, July 12.32.

WHEAT

Table showing wheat prices: Open High Low Close, July 1.81-1.82, 1.81-1.82, etc.

LONGTIME LOCAL RESIDENT DIES

Edgar Herbert Ketsdever, 58, resident of Klamath Falls for 56 years died about 7 a.m. today near Diamond Lake Mr. Ketsdever had gone with a brother, Henry Ketsdever and his wife, to cut wood when stricken with a heart attack. He had been under a doctor's care for some time. He was a native of Ottumwa, Iowa, and a member of Klamath Falls Eagles Lodge, No. 2090. Funeral services will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Falls Funeral Home on Saturday, July 12, at 10 a.m. with Dr. Dallas S. McNeil of the First Methodist Church officiating. Concluding services and interment will follow in Klamath Memorial Park.

Obituaries SULLIVAN

William Quincy Sullivan, 73, a native of Pueblo, Colorado, and a resident of Mt. Hebron, California, for nine years, died there July 8. He was a member of the Elks Lodge in Telluride, Colorado, and the VFW in Dorris. He is survived by the widow, Mable Sullivan of Mt. Hebron; two brothers, Alvin Sullivan of Norwood, Colorado, Gordon Sullivan of Rangely, Colorado; four sisters, Mrs. Ida Foster of Grand Junction, Colorado, Mrs. Minnie Palmer of Norwood, Colorado, Mrs. Jack Wright of Mt. Rose, Colorado and Mrs. John Jones of Compton, California. O'Hair's Memorial Chapel forwarded the body to Los Angeles for services and interment.

Pilot Killed In Jet Crash

TUCUMCARI, N. M. (AP) — An Air Force weather reconnaissance plane spun in from two miles high late yesterday and scattered wreckage over a two-mile area. A spokesman from Laughlin Air Force Base, Del Rio, Tex., where the plane was based, said police misinterpreted orders and this led to a cloak of secrecy being thrown over the crash. The pilot was Capt. Alfred V. Chapin Jr., 28, San Angelo, Tex. The Laughlin spokesman said the U2 jet was on a routine weather reconnaissance flight when it crashed. He said it carried classified instruments, but there was nothing specially secret about it. The spokesman said police were asked to aid the pilot if he were still alive, and if not, to "secure the area," meaning not to touch the wreckage. However, the military immediately cordoned off roads leading to the crash site and spectators were kept five miles from the wreckage on orders from the 2nd Air Command at Shreveport, La. Laughlin said the pilot was found dead in the cockpit. The single-engine jet crashed 10 miles south and 14 miles west of here in the Caprock Country — a high bluff rising from the plains. The U2 cruises at 55,000 feet checking weather conditions and fallout from radioactive explosions, the Air Force said. Only 24 hours earlier, another U2 crashed about 110 miles east of here near Amarillo, Tex., killing Squadron Leader C. H. Walker, a Royal Air Force exchange pilot.

Car Stopped; Motor Purrs

IRVINGTON, N.J. (AP) — George Franks' motor purred rhythmically yesterday but George knew his car engine wasn't running. Franks lifted the hood and reached for a cat hiding between the motor and the fire wall. But it wasn't as easy as all that. The cat scampered to the safety of the chassis cross bar. While a crowd gathered and offered advice, George crawled under the vehicle and shooed the cat away. But the cat took up a position between the splash pan and a cross-bar under the fan. Police came; also more and more kibitzers. They couldn't get the cat out but found they could operate the car without injuring the animal. The party transferred operations from in front of Franks' house to a service station down the street. The service station mechanic put the car on a lift, removed the splash pan, tugged on something else and out came Mr. Cat. He charged Franks \$1.

Crackerballs Snap Defense

CHICAGO (AP) — The courtroom defense for Mrs. Lillian Williams blew up with a bang yesterday. "They aren't illegal, judge," explained Mrs. Williams, 47, referring to what she called a harmless bag of 10 torpedoes, otherwise known as "crackerballs." "They were left over from last year. I placed them on the counter to get rid of them." Justice of the Peace Walter Dahl asked to see the crackerballs. Dahl tore open the cellophane bag and one of the torpedoes exploded, shoving the magistrate and leaving a slight powder burn on his hand. "These are safe," he asked. "They could blow a kid's fingers off. This party is guilty and fined \$15 and costs."

Woman Back In District Court

Ethel Mae Lugo, allegedly part of a female duo that cut up another woman in a parked car near the carnival grounds July 1, appeared again in district court this morning. She again asked for more time to consider whether she desired a preliminary hearing and was granted until July 15, 10 a.m., by Judge D. E. Van Vactor. The woman said she would seek advice from Attorney E. E. (Pete) Driscoll. Driscoll was not in court with her, however. The other woman in the alleged assault, Charlene Eggsman, already has pled guilty to assault and battery. She was sentenced to six months in the county jail. Victim was Phyllis Hood who was treated for a gash on the right cheek and cuts on the neck, allegedly from a pocket knife wielded by the Lugo woman. The victim was unable to tell authorities what the quarrel was about.

Son Sought By Dying Man

HE does't have long to wait. The 84-year-old man is dying of cancer, and he knows it. Four of his sons, a daughter and 10 grandchildren have gathered about Werzinger in his home here. But one son is missing. John Werzinger Jr., 36, left Jersey City a year ago to work as a civilian guard at a military establishment in El Paso, Tex. He wrote his mother last month that he was giving up the job, and his parents have not heard from him since. Elected DUNSMUIR — Jack Wyatt of Dunsmuir was elected chairman of the Siskiyou County Democratic Central Committee at a meeting in Yreka on Tuesday. Paul Fisher of Yreka was named vice chairman and Phil Carmo of Mount Shasta, secretary-treasurer. Bill Gunlock, elected to the committee in the June primaries, resigned at the meeting. He explained he wished to devote his time to the promotion of the Siskiyou County Democratic Club.

Bar Shooting Dissipates

Local police were ready for a shooting yesterday when they walked into a downtown bar where a man had been seen inserting a clip into a .32 automatic pistol. No shots were fired, however, and Gerald Chester, 27, of Beavercreek, surrendered the weapon meekly to officers. The episode began at 5:30 p.m. when the bartender observed Chester in a rear booth loading the gun. He told policeman Carl Jennings. Jennings saw the man walk to a rear rest room. Taking the circumstances into consideration, he called headquarters for reinforcements. Two squad cars rushed to the bar. Jennings, now with assistance, entered the rest room. Chester was in the middle of changing into some new clothes. In his right hand he held the .32 pistol, which he handed over to the officer. He told the policeman he had intended to use the gun on certain of his enemies. Chester was booked on a disorderly conduct charge, then released on \$100 bail, which he forfeited in lieu of appearing in court this morning.

Oldtime Cars Now On Sale

CANTON, Ohio (AP) — Antique car enthusiasts need no longer snop through rural garages for old models. They can buy them fresh off the assembly line. Dyer Products Co. of Canton is producing an almost exact replica of the Surrey—a horseless carriage that was all the rage in 1902. It comes complete with a filler instead of a steering wheel, polished brass headlights, bulb horn and spoke wheels. A 4.8-horsepower motor can propel the Surrey at a top speed of 35 m.p.h. A few concessions are made in the interest of modern comfort and road safety. The 1958 version has a self-starter, turn indicator and tail lights. But otherwise she's every inch the auto granddaddy used to court grandmother.

Falling Tree Fatal To Man

MONTAGUE — A Selad Valley man was struck on the head and neck by a falling tree Wednesday morning and was pronounced dead on arrival at the Siskiyou General Hospital where he was flown by helicopter. Jim Epperson, between 45 and 50 years of age, had been working on a tree for the Selad Logging Company in Walker Canyon when another tree fell on him. It is not known why the second tree fell. Frank Peters, Selad Valley forest ranger, notified the Scott Valley airport which sent an Aetna helicopter with O. C. Anderson as pilot to the scene. The logging crew with which Epperson had been working had gone to the ranger station for help. Anderson picked up Epperson and flew him immediately to the hospital. Epperson had been wearing a helmet when he was injured. A coroner's inquest will be held.

Bike Accident Injures Youth

A 15-year-old youth yesterday escaped with only a scratched elbow when the bicycle he was riding collided with a pickup truck at Home and Division streets. The mishap occurred when truck driver H. P. Plowman of 3227 Alameda Drive made a left turn onto Division from behind the truck. Riding up from behind the truck was young John Spore of 725 North Eleventh Street. His bicycle struck the left front of the vehicle and John tumbled to the pavement, suffering only a skinned left elbow. The boy told officers he was going "pretty fast" but that he thought the pickup would stop for him. Plowman put the youth's badly damaged bike in his truck and took the boy home. There were no citations.

Driver Education Course Faces Possible Suspension

Driver education at Klamath Union High School will be suspended next school year unless board members reconsider an indirect decision they made Monday night. At that time, member Mrs. Margaret Sheridan made a motion to continue the program and to apply for the allowed \$29 per pupil in state aid for it. Her motion, however, died for a lack of a second. The matter is to be discussed again at the July 14 meeting. In other action, the high school board formally set a tax levy as authorized by voters Monday of \$538.818. They also set a special building levy of \$120,000 as approved by voters in 1954. Copies of the budget will now be sent to County Assessor Clyde Caldwell who will compute the millage tax rate required when total 1958-59 assessed values are known, probably later this month. At Monday evening's meeting John D. Voth, elected May 5, was sworn in as a new member to serve a five-year term. E. D. Hickman was elected board chairman for 1958-59 and Mrs. Sheridan, vice chairman. The board approved previously announced and discussed teacher salary hikes ranging from \$270 to \$400 yearly. These are in addition to regular increases teachers will receive who are entitled to raises for length of employment with the district. In another action, the board granted Assistant Superintendent Charles Carlson a raise of from \$9,100 to \$12,000 to \$9,400, on the superintendent's recommendation. The following new teachers were hired by the board: Louis Corrigan, who has an MA degree, at \$5,400 yearly; Vernice Helberg, MA, \$5,700; and Virginia Siegel, BS, \$4,200. The board approved a motion whereby any teacher re-entering the district to work shall receive full credit for prior service. John Guernsey, former Herald and News staffer now newspapering in Portland, received a vote of thanks from the board for his objective reporting of school affairs here. Former board member Jack Linman, who gave 10 years of service, also received a vote of thanks.

PUC Holding Hearings Here

The State Public Utilities Commission is conducting an all-day hearing in the county court chambers here today on road building application from Weyerhaeuser Timber Company. Commissioners will hear pro and con, if any, testimony on whether the timber firm should be allowed to build truck crossings over Highway 66 between here and Medford. The company originally got its timber out of the area by rail on a special line it built in the 20s. However, it is now cutting in the region on a selective basis and is presently converting the rail line to a truck road for more operation. The road is planned to cross over Highway 66 several times via bridges.

Federal Aid For Local Districts

Congressman Al Ullman announced today that federal money will go to two local school districts under the government's "federal impact" law. This is a law wherein local school districts are aided if a certain number of their pupils come from families affiliated in one way or another with the federal government. The prime federal installation in this area is Kingsley Field where preparations are now under way for initiating a new jet fighter base. Ullman reported that the County School District has a tentative entitlement of \$37,377.43 for fiscal 1958 of which \$29,033 has been "certified" for immediate payment. The City Elementary District has an entitlement of \$5,082.52 which it will receive within a week or so, Ullman reported.

Graduation Fete Plans Announced

DUNSMUIR — A graduation party for the Tuesday night square dance class conducted by Howard and Ruth Jones will be held Friday evening at the Abrams Lake Lodge. An open invitation has been issued to all square dancers in the area to celebrate with the graduates. Mr. and Mrs. Jones taught the 12-week course under the sponsorship of the Dunsmuir recreation district. Jones has small maps available in his office to show guests how to reach the lodge. No charge, he said, and refreshments too.

Population Up In County

Klamath County has had a population increase of 16 per cent since 1950, according to figures sent by the county court yesterday to the State Board of Census in Portland. The board must decide to certify the figures before the gain can be officially recognized by the state. Population figures are the basis for certain allotments of monies from the state to counties, such as highway funds. The figures sent in claim a county population of 50,563 on July 1, 1958. This compares with 48,052 locally estimated on July 1, 1957, and 42,150 on July 1, 1950, per an actual census. R. Frank Tucker, commerce chamber manager, who helped supply employment, school and other data on which the figures are based, said Klamath Falls' city population was 20,681 on July 1. This compares with local estimates of 19,400 for last year and 15,875 (actual census) for 1950. The gain for the city since 1950, using these figures, is 23 per cent. Public school enrollments in all of Klamath County have risen an estimated 3.2 per cent from the 1956-57 to 1957-58 school year, the figures sent to Portland show. Data used in support of the estimates shows a gain of 326 jobs here since July 1, 1957. These have come from construction of Air Force housing now under way, 350 jobs; air base contracts, 40 jobs; navy construction, 150 jobs; the new Klamath Hardwoods, Inc., plant, 160 jobs; and Morrison-Knudsen Klamath River dam construction, 50 jobs. The job computation also takes into account that 224 jobs were eliminated with completion of the new Johns-Manville softboard plant. The state board's estimates of Klamath population in the past have tended to be lower than the one submitted locally and this may be true again this year. The board has the final say on approving population figures for official purposes.

Oregon Weather

Eastern Oregon — Mostly clear through Friday with possible isolated thunder showers over mountains. Low Thursday night 55-65; high Friday 85-95. Western Oregon — Clear over interior through Friday. Cloudy with partial afternoon clearing on coast. Little change in temperature. High Friday 76-86 in interior and 60-70 on coast. Low tonight 52-60. Winds on southern coast northerly to northwesterly and 12-25 miles an hour, becoming gusty and up to 35 miles an hour in afternoon. Winds on northern coast westerly to northwesterly and 10-20 miles an hour. Northern Oregon beaches — Mostly cloudy through Friday with partial clearing in afternoon. Temperature range 55-68. Northwest-ly beach winds 10-20 miles an hour, decreasing at night. Fire weather — Continued low fire danger through Friday in Coast Range and moderate fire danger in northwestern Oregon with humidity above 30 per cent. High fire danger elsewhere in state. Grants Pass and vicinity — Sunny and warm Friday. Low Thursday night 53-58. High Friday 90-95. Baker and vicinity — Fair through Friday with some afternoon clouds. Low Thursday night 50-55. High Friday 83-88.

Man Breaks Leg In Platform Fall

Thomas Zimm, 1951 Erie Street, got his leg broken yesterday when the tractor he was operating rolled off a loading platform at a South Sixth Street heavy equipment firm. The victim, taken to the hospital by Peace Ambulance, stated that a falling clutch was the cause of the mishap. Police reported, however, that they tested the clutch along with company officials and found it to be satisfactory. Fractured was Zimm's left lower leg. He was thrown off the machine. The accident occurred at about 3:30 p.m.

LOSE UGLY FAT IN TEN DAYS OR MONEY BACK

If you are overweight, here is the first really thrilling news to come along in years. A new & convenient way to get rid of extra pounds easier than ever, so you can be as slim and trim as you want. This new product called DIATRON curbs both hunger & appetite. No drugs, no diet, no exercise. Absolutely harmless. When you take DIATRON, you still enjoy your meals, still eat the foods you like but you simply don't have the urge for extra portions and automatically your weight must come down, because, as your own doctor will tell you, when you eat less, you weigh less. Excess weight endangers your heart, kidneys. So no matter what you have tried before, get DIATRON and prove to yourself what it can do. DIATRON is sold on this GUARANTEE. You must lose weight with the first package you use or the package costs you nothing. Just return the bottle to your druggist and get your money back. DIATRON costs \$3.00 and is sold with this strict money back guarantee by: Near Drug Store - 435 Main Mall. Mail Orders Filled.

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Table listing members of the Klamath Basin Assn. of Life Underwriters: BILL G. ALEXANDER, C. A. BUNNELL, JR., JAMES PATTERSON, OSCAR ANDERSON, BRUCE CAMPBELL, DEANE SACHS, KENNETH BAILBY, TOM CLARK, PBBD STAREBY, LOY BARKER, WILLIAM M. GOEN, WAYNE TRUMBULL, MERLIN W. BLEAK, LESLIE W. HARROUN, TOM WEBB, ELDRED PUTNAM, JOHN H. HOUSTON, M. A. BOWMAN, FRENCHIE RICHARD, JOHN W. INSLEY, RALPH BRISBON, HOMER RICHEY, WILLIAM KEENE, JAMES CRISMON, LYNN ROYCROFT, MELVIN LOY, NEAL WADLEY, CLAYTON RODESILL, JOSEPH W. MERCER, ROY WEAVER