

MARKETS and FINANCE

Stocks

WALL STREET

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market closed lower today in fairly active trading.

Volume for the day was estimated at 3,100,000 shares compared with 3,270,000 Wednesday. Gains and losses of fractions to about a point prevailed among most key stocks.

A wider move was made by Firestone, up more than 2 on record sales and earnings.

Most of the aluminum advanced on continued news of higher prices for the metal. Alcoa was up about a point and Reynolds Metals more than that.

Motors, steels, aircrafts and airlines were sprinkled with small gains and losses. Most oils were lower.

NEW YORK STOCKS

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Admiral Corporation	23 1/4
A. J. Industries	4 1/2
Allied Chemical	117 1/2
Allis Chalmers	34 1/4
Alcoa	104 1/4
American Airlines	24 1/2
American Can	41 3/4
American Cyanamide	39 1/2
American M & Fdy	49 1/2
American Motors	78
American Smelting	49 1/2
American Tel & Tel	76 1/2
American Tobacco	106 1/2
American Viscose	46 1/2
Anaconda Copper	65
Armco Steel	75 1/2
Atchafalaya Railroad	22 1/4
Bendix Aviation	72
Bethlehem Steel	54
Boeing Airplane Co.	30 1/2
Borden Co.	89
Borg Warner	46
Burroughs Corp.	35 1/4
California Packing	29 1/2
Canadian Pacific	25 1/2
Caterpillar Tractor	34 1/4
Celanese Corporation	27 1/2
Chrysler Corporation	69 1/2
Citic Service	47 1/2
Consolidated Edison	39
Continental Can	45 1/4
Crown Zellerbach	35 1/2
Curtiss Wright	38 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	38 1/2
Dow Chemical	99 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	265 1/4
Eastman Kodak	109 1/4
El Paso NG	29 1/4
Emerson Radio	18
Firestone Tire	135
First American Corp.	29 1/4
Ford Motor	68 1/4
General Dynamics	47 1/2
General Electric	93 1/2
General Foods	106
General Motors	32 1/4
Georgia Pac Cp	48 1/4
Goodyear Tire	144 1/4
Great A & P	40 1/4
Great Northern	30
Great West. Sugar	32 1/4
Gulf Oil Co.	107 1/4
Idaho Power	46 1/4
Illinois Central	45 1/4
International Bus Mch	43 1/2
International Nickel	110 1/4
International Paper	135
International T & T	38 1/2
Johns Manville	50 1/4
Kaiser Aluminum	32 1/4
Kennecott Copper	95 1/4
Libby, McNeill & Libby	10 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	32 1/4
Loew's Incorporated	32 1/4
Minnesota Mining	166 1/4
Monsanto Chemical	55 1/4
Montgomery Ward	52 1/4
National Cash Reg.	65 1/4
National City Bank	28 1/4
Northern Pacific	48 1/4
Pacific American Fish	11 1/2
Pacific Gas & Electric	64 1/2
Pacific Tel & Tel	28 1/2
Pan American Airways	22 1/2
Penn Dixie Cement	31 1/2
Pennsylvania R.R.	120 1/2
Pepsi Cola Co.	38
Philo Corp.	33 1/4
Phillips Pet.	47
Polaroid	181 1/4
Puget Sound P & L	30
Radio Corp of Amer	68 1/2
Raytheon	29 1/4
Republic Steel	52 1/4
Reynolds Metals	73 1/4
Richfield Oil	69
Safeway Stores Inc.	75 1/4
St. Regis	35 1/4
Schenley Distillers	54 1/4
Scott Paper Co.	35 1/4
Sears Roebuck & Co.	79 1/4
Shell Oil Co.	49 1/4
Sinclair Oil	80
Socony Mobil Oil	30 1/2
Southern Pacific	22 1/4
Sperry Rand	26 1/4
Standard Oil Calif.	46 1/4
Standard Oil N.J.	47 1/4
Studebaker Packard	23 1/4
Sunray	23 1/4
Sunshine Mining	3 1/4
Swift & Company	47
Texas	80 1/4
Thompson, R.W.	60
Timken R. Bearing	64 1/4
Transamerica Corp	29 1/4
Twentieth Century Fox	33 1/4
Union Oil Company	43
United Air Lines	30 1/4
United Aircraft	35 1/4
United Corporation	7 1/2
United States Plywood	47 1/4
United States Smelting	29 1/4
United States Steel	99
Walgreen Stores	48 1/4
Warner Pictures	45 1/4
Western Auto Supply	32 1/2
Western Union Tel.	53 1/4
Westinghouse Air Brake	32 1/4
Westinghouse Electric	107 1/4
Wheeling Steel	39 1/4
Woolworth Company	64

Livestock

PORTLAND (AP) (USDA)—

Cattle salable 200; supply mostly odds and ends with cows predominating; trade active, fully steady; good-choice fed steers lacking; good-choice early this week 24.50-26.50; few utility - standard 19.00-22.50; odd head to 24.00; utility-cows 14.50-16.00; odd head to 17.00; bulls scarce.

Calves salable 25; market not fully tested early; good and choice vealers this week 25.00-32.00; few head 32.50-33.00; culls down to 11.00.

Hogs salable 100; scattered lots about steady; U. S. 1 and 2 butchers 190-215 lbs 14.00-14.25; few 240 lbs 13.25; 178 lbs 13.00; sows scarce, salable 9.50-12.00.

Sheep salable 50; no early test; few good-choice wooled lambs late Wednesday 17.00; good - choice feeders 14.00-15.50; cull-good ewes 9.00-5.50.

GRAIN

CHICAGO (AP)—

High Low Close Prev. Close

Wheat

Dec 1.96 1.95 1.96 1.97

Mar 2.02 2.00 2.00 2.02

May 2.00 1.98 1.99 2.00

Jly 1.83 1.83 1.83 1.83

Sep 1.86 1.85 1.85 1.86

Corn

Dec 1.09 1.08 1.08 1.09

Mar 1.13 1.12 1.12 1.13

May 1.16 1.15 1.15 1.16

Jly 1.18 1.17 1.17 1.18

Sep 1.15 1.15 1.15 1.15

Oats

Dec .75 .74 .74 .75

Mar .74 .73 .73 .74

May .72 .71 .71 .72

Jly .65 .65 .65 .65

Sep .64 .63 .63 .64

Rye

Dec 1.26 1.22 1.24 1.24

Mar 1.31 1.28 1.28 1.31

May 1.32 1.27 1.29 1.32

Jly 1.26 1.23 1.25 1.26

Sep 1.26 1.22 1.25 1.26

Soybeans

Jan 2.12 2.05 2.10 2.14

Mar 2.15 2.10 2.13 2.18

May 2.18 2.12 2.14 2.21

Jly 2.19 2.13 2.15 2.22

Sep 2.09 2.05 2.07 2.11

POTATOES

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI-FSMNS)—

—Potatoes:

Russets Klamath U.S. 1A 4.50

U.S. 1 5-ounce minimum 4.60-4.85

LOS ANGELES (UPI-FSMNS)—

—Potatoes:

Russets Klamath U.S. 1A 3.60

U.S. 1 6-ounce minimum 4.60

bakers U.S. 1A 4.35, U.S. 1A 10-lb bags 40 cents.

Cantata Slated

December 20

TULELAKE—A Christmas cantata, "Sing, O Ye Heavens," by Helen June Marth, will be presented by the chancel choir of Tulelake Community Presbyterian Church Sunday, December 20, at 11 a.m.

David Carman will direct the 35 voices. The cantata tells the Christmas story in vivid and dramatic music, Carman said.

Soloists will be Ruah Bowen, soprano; Gloria Brown, contralto; the Rev. Wayne Wattman, tenor; and Carman, bass.

Pastor Wattman's short sermon will be entitled, "So This is Christmas."

Mill Worker

Hurt On Job

Henry W. Clarke, who will be 34 Saturday, received serious head injuries while working at the Klamath Basin Pine Mills plant on Memorial Drive Thursday morning.

Reports indicated Clarke was handling dry lumber in the mill yard and was struck on the head by a heavy board, dislodged from a stack of lumber.

Clarke, 4714 Altamont Drive, was rushed, semiconscious, to Klamath Valley Hospital by Peace Ambulance. He was said to be suffering concussion and possible brain injury.

Film Estate

Finally Closed

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—D.W. Griffith's estate has finally been closed, 11 years after the film director's death.

Griffith, 73, died in 1948. His will left his estate to four nieces, two nephews and four grand-nieces.

The final distribution approved in court Wednesday apportioned \$17,000 among the heirs. The money came from sale this year of Griffith's interest in 36 films and 16 scenarios, including his famous "The Birth of a Nation."

Previously the beneficiaries had divided \$25,000, less administrative expenses.

Police Chief Cautions KF

Magazine salesmen have come to the attention of numerous Klamath Falls residents recently, and consequently to the attention of city police.

Waves of high-pressure salesmen have been fanning out across town during the past three months, said Chief Charles Howard. Their activities are legal, but some have become obnoxious, the chief said.

He advises residents to call police if salesmen attempt to force their way into homes or become in any way threatening.

Eight business licenses have been taken out by magazine salesmen in three months since the local Green River Ordinance was repealed by the city council.

Each license covers selling activities of an average of 15 or 20 salesmen, city hall reported.

Spud Prices Said Higher

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Growers in Central Oregon and the Klamath Basin are getting higher prices for their potatoes, the Oregon State College Extension Service said today.

Prices advanced 10 to 15 cents in Central Oregon.

On Tuesday, grower sales noted \$2.70 to \$2.95 on washed U. S. No. 1-A Russets, delivered at the warehouse in Central Oregon.

The report added that in the Klamath Basin "net prices to growers on light offerings ranged from \$2.60 to \$2.75 on washed U. S. No. 1-A Russets at the cellar . . . a dime more than a week ago."

Pleas Altered By Prisoners

Two county jail prisoners changed pleas from not guilty to guilty before Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg today.

George Henry McCline, who pleaded guilty to larceny, will be sentenced at 10 a.m. next Monday. Houston V. Brand, who pleaded guilty to contributing to the delinquency of a minor, was ordered to Oregon State Hospital for 30 days observation.

McCline, 24-year-old Seattle man, was indicted in the theft of a lady's wristwatch from Scott Loan Company October 8. Brand, 34, was accused of enticing an 11-year-old girl into his car and fondling her one September night.

Both men, indicted by the October grand jury, were represented by Attorney Richard C. Beesley.

Ag Leaders Endorse Fund

Three distinguished leaders of the world of agriculture have sent endorsements of the Christmas Seal campaign to the National Tuberculosis Association, according to word received at the office of the Klamath County TB and Health Association.

Charles B. Shuman, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, stated, "I am pleased to advise you of the support of our federation for the 1959 Christmas Seal campaign. The National Tuberculosis Association has made an outstanding contribution toward the control of TB in the United States. The funds contributed for Christmas Seals are used for research, information, diagnosis and treatment. Tuberculosis is one of the most serious diseases that continue to threaten our citizens."

Farmers are glad to join in this worthwhile campaign.

President of the National Farmers Union, James G. Patton, wrote in his endorsement, "Farm people are more than glad to join city people in the fight against the common enemy of tuberculosis. The purchase of Christmas Seals contributes to the vast work of eradicating this disease, and displaying the seals on correspondence will remind others of the job remaining."

"On behalf of the National Grange, it is a pleasure for me to join the millions of Americans who have expressed their endorsement of the Christmas Seal campaign which has rightly become one of our American traditions," states Herschel D. Newsum, master, National Grange.

"Our record in the fight against TB and other respiratory diseases has indeed been an encouraging one . . . but much is yet to be achieved. Accordingly, we urge all grange members—and all Americans—to cooperate fully in the tuberculosis association's fight against these threats to human health, life and happiness."

ST. MICHAEL'S MOUNT, England (UPI)—Lord S.T. Eilevan Wednesday reported a giant seal-gull has been attacking his castle, snatching hats off himself and his friends.

Phone Firm

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of \$15,100 in each community. In 1959 as part of these modernization operations, the company erected a \$7,600 building at Chemult and put a \$2,800 addition on its Fort Klamath building.

Seven-digit dialing will go into effect at Chemult, Chiloquin, Fort Klamath and Rocky Point next summer when those exchanges join the national toll-dialing network. Beaver State will spend \$90,000 in carrying out five projects designed to rearrange toll facilities in Klamath County in the interests of greater speed and efficiency.

Nearly \$39,000 of this sum was earmarked for replacing poles and retransposing toll facilities between Chiloquin and Klamath Falls. The budget also carries \$32,330 for establishing direct long distance circuits between Klamath Falls and Fort Klamath, and Klamath Falls and Chemult.

CATTLE EXPLAINED that these improvements would eliminate Chiloquin as a toll tributary for Chemult and Fort Klamath and give Chemult and Fort Klamath direct trunks to Klamath Falls. Subscribers at Chemult and Fort Klamath will get the Klamath Falls operator when they dial "0," instead of the intermediate operator at Chiloquin as at present.

The \$383,000 construction budget's largest project was a \$62,000 retransposition of open-wire groups between Bly and Lakeview. This would provide facilities to accommodate more interference-free carrier channels between Lakeview and Klamath Falls. The budget allotted an additional \$3,460 for two-channel carrier telegraph equipment and \$8,380 for long distance facilities, both items being tied up with the Lakeview-Klamath Falls service expansion.

Beaver State will add another position to its Lakeview toll switchboard next year at a cost of \$4,580 and purchase testing equipment for Lakeview worth \$9,180.

The budget also included \$92,000 for "routines" in 1960—such as routine plant projects and routine purchases of truck equipment and telephones. All exchanges in Beaver State territory will share in these expenditures.

CHILOQUIN — The primary grades at Chiloquin Grade School are presenting a Christmas program for the public Friday afternoon, December 18, beginning at 1:30. It will be given in the gym.

The program will be as follows: "Merry Christmas," first grade boys; "Jingle Bells" and "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town," first grades; "Deck the Halls," a folk rhythm; Christmas medley on the accordion by a fifth grader, Charles Kirkpatrick; a play, "Paddy's Christmas," with Larry Peters as narrator; Pigeon Fitzpatrick, Paddy Bear; Mike Wampler, Uncle Bear; Frances Dye, Aunt Bear; Debora Zadina, Mother Bear; Billy Shellabarger, Father Bear; Children, Melissa Freid, Paula Leake, Mike Wilson, Leonard Norris, John Susac, and Joyce Crawford. The music background will be by the third grades.

A choral reading and second grade chorus will be presented with Nadra Gallagher and Willy Hatcher in a duet.

Teachers helping have been Mrs. Harry Whiting, Mrs. Gordon Kuist, Mrs. Claude Morgan, Dorothy Gulliford, Mrs. Athel Roser and Mrs. George Hobbs.

CHILOQUIN — The Klamath Reservation Jaycees are sponsoring their second annual Christmas lighting contest in cooperation with the California Oregon Power Company who contributed \$50 toward the awards.

The contest is open to all residential displays typifying the holiday season in the reservation area which includes the communities of Fort Klamath, Klamath Agency, Chiloquin, Modoc Point, Beatty, Sprague River, Kirk and surrounding area. It is not necessary to fill out entry blanks, as everyone displaying an outdoor or window lighting decoration will be automatically entered in the contest.

Entries will be judged subject to the following rules: (1) The contest is open to residences only. (2) The displays will be judged the nights of December 23 and 24 and the results publicized immediately following. (3) Prizes are a \$30 savings bond, \$25 bond and \$10 cash for first, second, and third prize respectively.

The Jaycees urge everyone to enter this easy contest as the winner will have an opportunity for national competition and valuable prizes. All those who feel they live in a remote section of the area and may be missed by the judging, can assure themselves of consideration by contacting any Jaycee member at the Adult Indian Education Office.

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Layton Hoback, local contractor, is to do the front pumice blocking, the door and windows. Prisoner labor will be available on the finish work. Johns-Manville is assisting the city with materials. Shelves will be on three sides of the room, with heat from the city hall furnace. Bright colors will be used and a linoleum tile floor will be laid.

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