

STOCKS

WALL STREET NEW YORK (AP) — American Telephone soared more than 7 points in response to news of a dividend boost while the stock market as a whole closed mixed today. Trading was heavy. Volume for the day was estimated at 3.7 million shares compared with 3.34 million Tuesday. AT&T raced ahead more than 4 points as news came that directors plan to boost the dividend next July to 90 cents from the present quarterly rate of 82 1/2 cents. At the same time the company announced that shareholders would be issued rights to purchase additional shares, presumably at a price below the market level at the time. The rest of the market continued narrowly mixed, receiving no immediate inspiration from the news. Steels showed hardly any change. Motors continued moderately lower, with Ford down more than a point. Chock Full of Nuts continued to hold a gain of about 2. Commercial Solvents, Certain-Ted, Radio Corp., Texaco and DuPont were up about a point. U.S. government bonds drifted gently downward. Corporates were mixed.

NEW YORK STOCKS By United Press International Allied Chemical 54 1/2 Allis Chalmers 23 1/2 American Car 33 1/2 American Motors 17 1/2 American Smelting 54 1/2 American Tel and Tel 102 1/2 Ampex 23 1/2 Anaconda 44 Associated Dry Gds 75 Bethlehem Steel 38 1/2 Boeing Aircraft 38 1/2 Borg-Warner 55 1/2 Brunswick Balke 93 1/2 Calif. Packing 40 1/2 Caterpillar Trac. 30 1/2 Celanese 22 1/2 Chicago Rock Island 20 1/2 Chrysler 38 1/2 Crane Co. 47 Crown Zellerbach 52 1/2 Crucible Steel 17 1/2 Dow Chemical 75 1/2 Du Pont 186 1/2 Eastern Airline 23 1/2 Eastman Kodak 113 1/2 Fairchild Camera 150 Fibreboard 26 1/2 Food Mach 62 1/2 Ford 64 1/2 General Elec 74 General Food 71 1/2 General Mtrs 41 General Tel. 28 Georgia Pac. 53 1/2 Goodyear 34 1/2 Granite City Stl. 37 1/2 Greyhound Corp. 20 1/2 International Bus. Mach. 58 1/2 International Harvester 42 1/2 International Nickel 59 International Paper 92 Johns Manville 56 1/2 Jones Laughlin Steel 54 1/2 Kaiser Alum Chem. 40 1/2 Kennecott 74 Kroger 31 1/2 Libby 10 1/2 Libby Owens 50 1/2 Liggett and Myers 81 1/2 Lockheed 28 Magma Copper 39 1/2 McKesson - Robbins 37 1/2 Montgomery Ward 26 1/2 Morrell 34 1/2 National Biscuit 71 1/2 National Distillers 24 1/2 National Lead 85 1/2 New York Central 15 1/2 Olin Mathieson 43 1/2 Pacific Gas 71 1/2 Pacific Lighting 52 1/2 Pacific Tel. 29 1/2 Packard Bell 23 1/2 Pan Amer. World Airways 17 1/2 J. C. Penney 43 1/2 Penn Railroad 44 Pepsi Cola 11 1/2 Philco 18 Phillips Petroleum 53 1/2 Polaroid 197 Proctor and Gamble 137 1/2 Radio Corp. 54 1/2 Republic Steel 53 1/2 Rexall Drug 44 1/2 Reynolds (R.J.) Tobacco 91 1/2 Rheem Mfg 13 1/2 Richfield Oil 87 1/2 Safeway 37 1/2 Sears Roebuck Co. 56 Shell Oil 38 1/2 Sinclair Oil 36 1/2 Socony Vacuum Oil 38 Southern Calif. Edison 68 1/2 Southern Pacific 19 1/2 Standard Oil Calif. 45 1/2 Standard Oil Indiana 45 1/2 Standard Oil Jersey 40 1/2 Stanley Warner 25 1/2 Studebaker Packard 64 Swift and Co. 46 1/2 Texas Co. 81 1/2 Tidewater Assd. 20 1/2 Transamerica 27 1/2 Union Carbide 125 1/2 Union Oil Co. 42 Union Pacific 26 1/2 United Aircraft 36 1/2 United Airlines 36 1/2 United States Gypsum 110 United States Rubber 45 United States Steel 77 1/2 Varian 49 Western Union 40 1/2 Westinghouse Air Brake 21 1/2 Westinghouse Elec. 51 1/2 Youngstown Sheet and Tube 88 1/2 Woolworth 69 1/2

LIVESTOCK

KLAMATH FALLS LIVESTOCK AUCTION MARKET Dec. 20, 1960 Receipt: Cattle 363. Hogs 29. Sheep 71. Compared last Tuesday stocker and feeder cattle .50 higher; Market on fed cattle not established; hogs .50 lower. Cows: Utility, 13.70-14.00; Canners and Cutters, 11.70-13.70. Bulls: Utility & Mccl., 19.00-20.25. Veal Calves: Good, 23.25-23.50. Baby Calves, Beef, 35; H o l s, 25.00-27.00 per head. Stockers and Feeders: Steers, Good-Choice, 570-750 lbs., 22.60-26.80; Common-Medium, 550 - 700 lbs., 20.00 - 23.25. Heifers, Good-Choice, 600-750 lbs., 21.00-21.20. Steer Calves, Good-Choice, 300-400 lbs., 25.50-27.50; Medium, 22.25-24.50. Heifer Calves, Good, 300 - 380 lbs., 22.40-23.90. Stock Cows, Medium-Good, with age, 165 - 175; Common, 125 per head. Hogs: U.S. 1 & 2 (180-220 lbs.), 17.60; U.S. Medium, 16.10. Sows, 12.25; Weaner Pigs, 9.00-11.00 per head; Feeders, 16.50. Sheep: Fat Lambs, Good-Choice, 16.00-16.70; Feeder Lambs, Good-Choice, 13.80-14.70; Medium, 11.70; Ewes, Slaughter, 1.50-1.60. Reported by Ray Petersen, county extension agent.

RED BLUFF (UPI-FSMNS) — Weekly livestock auction: Cattle salable 456, including around 250 calves. Moderately active. Slaughter classes steady; stockers and feeders, 50-1.00. Slaughter cows: Commercial and standard 16.50-17.90; utility 15.10-16.60; canners and cutters 10.70-15.10. Stocker and feeder steers good and choice calves 325-500 lbs 25.70-28.75; medium and low good 21.25-25.50. Good and choice 600-785 lbs 23.80-24.50; medium low good 20.00-23.35. Stocker and feeder heifers good and choice calves 300-475 lbs 22.00-25.00, bulk 23.25-24.00. Good choice heifers 485-670 lbs 18.00-22.00, medium 16.50-18.50. —Stock cows medium and good, calvy, 160-177.50 each. Pairs 210-215 each.

PORTLAND (AP) — (USDA) — Cattle salable 250; slaughter steers and heifers barely tested; 2 lots cutters and utility 14.00-17.00; canners down to 12.00-12.50; few sales utility cows 14.50-15.00; canners and cutters 10.00-12.00; early bulk 11.00-12.25. Holstein cutters 12.50-13.50 early. Calves salable 50; market not well tested early; few good and choice vealers steady at 25.00-28.00. Hogs salable 400; market moderately active, steady with Tuesday. U.S. 1-2 butchers 190-230 lbs mostly 19.00; No. 2-3 180-240 lbs 18.00-18.50; few lots No. 2-3 265-295 lb 16.50-17.50. Sheep salable 200; bulk supply expected to arrive; small lot good and choice 75 lb feeder lambs steady at 15.00.

STOCKTON (UPI - FSMNS) — Livestock: Cattle salable 25; hogs salable 25; calves and sheep salable none. No price tests.

GRAINS

Table with columns for grain types (Wheat, Corn, Oats, Soybeans) and prices for various grades and quantities.

POTATOES

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI-FSMNS)—Potatoes unchanged. LOS ANGELES (UPI-FSMNS)—Potatoes: Russets Central Oregon U.S. 1-6-14 oz one mark 5.40; 50 lbs 3.10. CHICAGO (AP) — Potatoes arrivals 40; on track 185; total U.S. shipments 348; market firm to slightly stronger; carrot track sales: Idaho Russets 5.00-5.10; Idaho Bakers 6.00; Minnesota North Dakota Red River Valley Round Reds 2.30-2.45.

POTATO SHIPMENTS

Table showing potato shipments for Klamath Basin, including Daily Truck, Ore., Daily Rail, Ore., etc.

TEETOTALERS

First temperance society in the United States was founded in 1789 by 200 Connecticut farmers who pledged "not to partake of alcoholic beverages during the harvest season."

Several Lawsuits Filed Over Collisions In Area

Collisions involving trains, trucks and motorcycles provided the causes for lawsuits filed recently in the county clerk's office. The Great Northern Railway Co. is suing Ned Putnam, owner of the Ned Putnam Logging Co., for a whopping \$208,777.26 as a result of a collision between a train and a loaded logging truck. The collision occurred Oct. 31, 1959. Four diesel engines and 36 railway cars were derailed at the Tionesta grade crossing in Modoc County, Calif. Great Northern asks compensation for damages to the engines, cars, the expense of clearing the track and the commodities being transported. The truck driver, John R. Driscoll, died in the crash. A motorcycle-pickup truck collision on June 9, 1960, is the basis for a \$56,837 lawsuit brought by Eugene F. Miller against the Klamath Gas Company and William A. Down. The collision between Miller's motorcycle and the pickup truck, driven by Down, occurred in front of 1003 East Main Street. Miller suffered a fractured left hand and arm and injuries to his left leg, face and teeth. Fred S. Dunn is asking \$48,904.99 from Lee Mount for injuries he suffered in a truck crash 14 miles north of Chemult on Jan. 9, 1959. He swerved his truck to avoid a wrecker being operated by Mount on Highway 97. Dunn's truck plunged over an embankment.

Oregon Weather

Table with columns for location (Astoria, Baker, Brookings, Burns, Eugene, Lakeview, Medford, Newport, North Bend, Pendleton, Portland, Red Bluff, Redmond, Roseburg, Salem, The Dalles) and weather conditions (Max, Min, Precip).

Molesting Charges Are Filed

MOUNT HEBRON — Siskiyou County sheriff's deputies have charged two men with molesting a child and a couple for contributing to delinquency of a minor. All are from Mount Hebron. Deputies Friday arrested Isaac Leonard Skidmore, 62. He was arraigned for child molestation charges before Judge Les Chase of Dorris Justice Court Monday. Bail was set at \$10,000 and Skidmore was remanded to custody of the sheriff in lieu of bail. He was taken to the county jail in Yreka. A preliminary hearing for Skidmore was set for Jan. 11. Judge Chase appointed J. H. Messner, county public defender, as Skidmore's attorney. Deputies then arrested Richard Joseph Morgan, 22, and Mr. and Mrs. Marland Francis Kusick Tuesday night here. Morgan was charged with molesting a child and the Kusicks with contributing to delinquency of a minor. They were taken to the county jail. All three were arraigned in Dorris Justice Court Wednesday morning. Deputies said two girls were involved in circumstances that led to the arrests. One was 10 years of age and one 11, they said. One girl was taken into protective custody and the other was released to her parents. Officers said they first received child molestation reports about two weeks ago and have been investigating the charges since. Investigation is continuing, they said, and further charges may be filed.

Suspended Term Given Youth

A 30-day sentence for petit larceny was suspended by District Court Judge Joseph J. Thalhoffer Tuesday afternoon after 18-year-old Ronald Marvin Malson agreed to admit himself to Oregon State Hospital in Salem. Malson, who lives in an East Main Street apartment house, admitted stealing two cartons of cigarettes from the Oregon Food Store on South Sixth Street Saturday.

Malin Church Choir To Sing

MALIN—Special Christmas music, the anthem, "Birth of a King," Nedlinger, will be presented by the choir of the Malin Presbyterian Church, Sunday, Christmas Day. Soloist will be Mrs. George Fabianek. By special request a double trio that sang on Dec. 18 will sing again. There will be no choir practice Thursday, Dec. 22, but the choir will practice briefly at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 25, at Gray's Music studio. Regular practice will resume at 7 p.m., Dec. 29. There will be special music also on Communion Sunday, Jan. 1. The meter is the basic unit of length in the metric system. It is equal to 39.37 inches.

KF Exhibitors Among Winners

Two Klamath Falls exhibitors at the Rogue Valley Art Association art competition were among the numerous winners. A third place ribbon went to Lyle F. Matoush with an intaglio etching, "Apparitions." Howard Hall, art director, Klamath Union High School, won honorable mention with an oil, "Forest Pattern." The competition was open to artists in several media from Roseburg south to Mount Shasta and the coast to Klamath Falls. Of 127 pieces submitted the jury selected 48 for the exhibit which will continue through Dec. 27.

CITY BRIEFS

THE YOUTH FELLOWSHIP of the Church of the Brethren will present a Christmas play Friday, Dec. 23, starting at 7:30 p.m. at the church, 4273 Bristol Street. The public is invited to the service. ROYAL ORDER OF THE MOOSE annual Christmas party. Klamath Falls, Oregon. Klamath Falls, Oregon. Klamath Falls, Oregon. PETERSON SCHOOL will present its annual Christmas program Thursday, Dec. 22, at 7:45 p.m. The public is invited. MERRY MIXERS beginners class scheduled to meet Wednesday, Dec. 21, has been changed to meet Wednesday, Dec. 28. KLAMATH STAMP AND COIN CLUB will meet Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 8 p.m. in the Moose lodge. Visitors are welcome. MAVERICKS will hold a Christmas party and square dance Wednesday, Dec. 21, at Summers Lane School at 8 p.m. There will be exchange of gifts and women are reminded to bring salads or sandwiches.

Kennedy's Chum Will Be Senator

BOSTON (AP) — Benjamin A. Smith II, 43, a former Harvard roommate of President-elect John F. Kennedy, has been tapped to fill out the two years remaining of Kennedy's Senate term. Smith, a former mayor of Gloucester and currently a manufacturer in that seaport city, was notified of the appointment Tuesday night by Kennedy himself. Democratic Gov. Foster Furcolo announced late Tuesday he would name Smith to the U. S. Senate "at the suggestion of President-elect Kennedy." Smith said the first word he had received of the appointment was a direct telephone call from Kennedy from his winter headquarters in Palm Beach, Fla. Smith said Kennedy will resign his Senate seat Jan. 3 and that Smith would take over on the same day, giving him seniority over other freshmen senators due to be sworn in a day later. Furcolo said it was his understanding Smith would not seek a full six-year term to the U. S. Senate in 1964. However, Smith refused to speculate on his political plans of two years hence.

Israel To Use A-Reactor For Peaceful Purposes

JERUSALEM (AP) — Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion told Parliament today that the atomic reactor Israel is building in the Negev desert will be "dedicated entirely" to research for peaceful purposes. Ben-Gurion said the reactor — Israel's second — would not be completed for three or four years. When completed, he said, "it will be open to students from other countries as well." He said it would have a capacity of 24,000 kilowatts, far greater than the 1,000-kilowatt training reactor built in the Rehovoth area with U. S. help. Ben-Gurion's statement was prompted by newspaper reports published in Washington and London that Israel, with French aid, was secretly building an atomic reactor that would be used to produce an atomic bomb. Both the Israeli and French governments denied the report, saying their nuclear cooperation is entirely to peaceful purposes.

Say Dillon Was Urged Not To Bite

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Republican Douglas Dillon, secretary of the Treasury in the Kennedy administration, was told in forceful language by President Eisenhower not to accept the appointment, two Midwest newspapers said today. The Des Moines Register & Tribune and the Minneapolis Tribune & Star said in a copyright story from their Washington Bureau correspondent Richard Wilson: "It is learned that both the President and (Treasury Secretary Robert) Anderson told Dillon in a forceful and firm fashion that he should not accept the post unless he got a firm commitment from Kennedy that the president-elect was repudiating the Democratic platform and statements on fiscal policy made during the campaign." The story said the acceptance by Dillon, Undersecretary of State in the Eisenhower administration, came as a surprise to the President, to Anderson and to Vice President Richard M. Nixon. Dillon, a New York investment banker, reportedly was told that unless he got such commitments he would end up as did Lewis Douglas of Arizona, President Franklin D. Roosevelt's first director of the budget. Douglas broke with Roosevelt on spending policies early in the New Deal. Earlier this week White House press secretary James C. Hagerty declined comment on a report that Eisenhower was annoyed because Dillon accepted the incoming Democratic administration job.

Transient Gets Six-Month Term

Loyce Edwin Fitch, a 39-year-old transient, was sentenced to six months in the county jail after being found guilty of petit larceny by District Judge Joseph J. Thalhoffer. Fitch was convicted of stealing four rolls of copper wire from the Southern Pacific Railroad on Friday.

Hemorrhoids Cured Painlessly By Non-Surgical Method

The non-surgical, electronic method for the treatment of Hemorrhoids (Piles) developed by doctors at the Dean Clinic has been so successful and permanent in nature that the following policy is offered their patients: "After all symptoms of Hemorrhoids... have subsided and the patient has been discharged, if he should ever have a recurrence, all further treatments will be given absolutely free." The Dean Clinic has been serving the Northwest for fifty years. Their treatment requires no hospitalization and does not employ drugs or injections. Write today for a descriptive booklet, yours without obligation. The Dean Clinic, Chiropractic Physicians, 2026 N. E. Sandy Blvd., Portland 12, Oregon.

Council Recommends That Oregon Not Change Jobless Pay And Taxes

By PAUL W. HARVEY JR. SALEM (AP) — The Advisory Council on Unemployment Compensation recommended today that the legislature make no changes in the jobless benefit payments and payroll taxes paid by employers. The council's labor members, however, said they want more liberal benefits. The council, appointed by Gov. Mark O. Hatfield, consists of four representatives of employers, four of labor and three public members. The 1959 Legislature increased employer payroll taxes and tightened up on benefit payments. The council said this system is working well. The employer and public members voted to keep the 1959 provision for maximum benefits of \$40 a week. A workman must earn \$20 in each of 20 weeks during a year in order to be eligible for benefits. Two labor members favor raising the \$10 to half of the average wage paid in the state. All four labor members oppose the \$20-20 provision as being too restrictive. The majority of the council said

Fire Threatens Famous Clinic

ROCHESTER, Minn. (AP) — A spectacular fire swept the 75-year-old unoccupied Damon Hotel early today threatening the new Mayo Clinic building and the Kahler Hotel across the street. Firemen fought the blaze in 10-below zero weather. The three-story building, one of the oldest hotel landmarks in southeastern Minnesota, is being torn down to extend clinic parking facilities. The blaze broke out shortly before 4 a.m. wind sent embers over the area. Heavy smoke engulfed the area. By 7 a.m. only the south wing of the old structure of brick veneer with wooden frame interior was still standing. CLOSE SHAVE CHICAGO (UPI) — A bomb squad gingerly opened a ticking Christmas package at the post office Tuesday and found a battery-powered electric shaver, busily working away. The bomb squad men turned off the shaver, rewrapped it, and sent it on its way.

BELLS HARDWARE Appliance Sale Sunbeam AUTOMATIC CAN OPENER 22.06 Stand Model Reg. 25.95 Sunbeam GRILL AND WAFFLE BAKER 19.95 Sunbeam SHARPENER KNIVES - SCISSORS PENCILS 19.95 Sunbeam FRYPAN 8.88 Sunbeam HAND MIXER 18.66 Sunbeam STEAM IRON 18.95 Bell's HARDWARE