New York Stock Exchange Early Trade Holds Steady

NEW YORK (AP) — The Stock Market in early dealings held fairly steady today with a few individually strong issues.

Gains extended to around a point in some instances while losses were small.

General Dynamics and Consolidated Vultee both were in demand as a result of the proposal made late yesterday that the companies merge.

General Dynamics opened on a block of 1,000 shares up ¼ at 43¾, and Consolidated Vultee started on a block of 12,000 shares up 1 at 23½.

Chrysler, which announced plans to obtain a 250 million dollar expansion loan late yesterday, opened on a block of 4,000 shares today up 1⅛ at 60⅞.

Railroads, which were laggard yesterday, were steady today. The label steady or mixed could be applied to key divisions of the market.

A block of 10,600 shares of J. P. Stevens sold off ¼ at 27½. A block of 3,540 shares of American Telephone was traded up ¼ at 164¾.

Among higher stocks were American Smelting, Westinghouse Electric, U. S. Steel, General Motors and United Aircraft.

Lower were Loew's, Consolidated Natural Gas, General Electric, Studebaker, U. S. Rubber, and International Paper.

Bonds were unchanged to lower at the start.

(Sales in 100s)	High	Low	Latest
A			
6 Abbott L	45⅞	45⅝	45⅝
2 Admiral	20⅞	20⅞	20⅞
4 Air Reduc	22⅞	22⅝	22⅞
5 Alles Co	4	4	4
2 Allis C xd	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
2 Allied Strs	42⅞	42⅞	42⅞
4 Allis Ch pf	100	100	100
5 Alum Ltd	33⅞	33½	33½
1 Am Ag Ch	42	42	42
4 Am Airlin xd	22⅞	22⅝	22⅞
1 Am Can	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞
1 Am Bk Nt	58½	58½	58½
1 Am Ch & Fd	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
2 Am Can	37⅞	37½	37⅞
14 Am Chem	44⅞	44	44
1 Am Crystal	49½	49½	49½
16 Am & For Pw	31	30½	30½
1 Am Gas & El	34½	34½	34½
1 Am Hoes	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
1 Am M & Fdy	26½	26½	26½
9 Am N Gas	44⅞	43⅞	44
3 Am News xd	22½	22½	22½
13 Am Rad	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
2 Am Sal Pwr	41½	41½	41½
2 Am Smelt	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
3 Am St Fd	30	30	30
43 Am Tel & Tel	164⅞	164⅞	164⅞
1 Am Tob	61½	61½	61½
5 Am Viscose	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞
6 Am Woolen	18⅞	18	18
17 Anac Cop xd	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞
1 Arch Dan	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞
1 Armco St	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
2 Armour	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
2 Asso Dry G	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
1 Atchison	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞
8 Avco Mfg	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
B			
5 Bald Lima	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
1 Ball & Co	20	20	20
7 Bendix Av	68½	68½	68½
10 Bethlehem	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
2 Best Fds	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
8 Beth Steel	55½	55	55
12 Bliss (E W)	28⅞	28½	28½
3 Borg Warn	76⅞	76⅞	76⅞
5 Bullard	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
C			
15 Cal Pack	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
1 Calum & H	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
4 Can Pac	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
6 Carrier Cp	54⅞	54⅞	54⅞
9 Cen & S W	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
5 Cer de Pas	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
5 Ches & Oh	35	35	35
16 Chicago Cp	23⅞	23	23
7 Ch M S P & Pac	30⅞	29⅞	30⅞
10 Chrysler	61⅞	60⅞	60⅞
2 C I T Financ	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
5 C I T Financ	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞
7 Cities Svc	66	65	65
11 Climax Mo	41	40⅞	40⅞
2 Coast Pas	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞
1 Coca Cola	120	120	120
27 Col Gas	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
2 Col Pict	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
1 Comm Cred	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞
4 Comm Solv	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞
3 Con Edis	42⅞	42⅞	42⅞
2 Con N Gas	56⅞	56⅞	56⅞
233 Con Vultee	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
1 Cont Balt	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
22 Cont Mot	9⅞	9	9
2 Cont Oil	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞
1 Corn Pd	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞
2 Corning Gl	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞
4 Crane Co xd	31	31	31
8 Curtiss Wr	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
1 do A	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
D			
9 Deere	29	28⅞	29
2 Detr Mac	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
5 Doug Airc	103	102½	102½
1 Dow Chem pf	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞
4 Dress Ind	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
13 du Pont	110⅞	109⅞	109⅞
E			
9 East Kod xd	52⅞	52	52
3 Eaton Mfg	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞
1 El Stor Bat	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞
2 Emer Rad	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
1 Eq Off Bld	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
6 Erie RR xd	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
F			
1 Fairb Mor	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
1 Fajardo S	17	17	17
2 Firestone	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞
1 Follans Stl	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
3 Food Mach	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞
G			
1 Gabriel	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
6 Gardner Den	23	22⅞	22⅞
2 Gen Am In	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
2 Gen Am Tran	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
1 Gen Bak	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
26 Gen Bronze	21⅞	20⅞	21⅞
29 Gen Elec	103⅞	103⅞	103⅞
2 Gen Fds	58½	58½	58½
35 Gen Motors	63⅞	63⅞	63⅞
1 Gillette	49	49	49
2 do pf	108	108	108
12 Goodrich	87	85½	87
4 Goodyear	58⅞	58½	58⅞
1 Gt No Ry pf	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞
1 Greenf T & D	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
1 Grum Airc	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞
1 Gulf Oil	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞
H			
1 Hayes Mf	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
2 Homestk	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
1 Hud Mot	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
1 Hupp Cp	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
I			
2 Ill Cent	86⅞	86⅞	86⅞
4 Inland Stl	45⅞	45⅞	45⅞
2 Interlak Ir	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
2 Int Bus Mch	275½	275½	275½
8 Int Nick	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞
6 Int Paper	60⅞	60	60⅞
10 Int Tel & Tel	16⅞	16	16⅞
J			
1 Johns Man	70⅞	70⅞	70⅞
K			
4 Koppers	35⅞	35	35⅞
1 Laclede Gas	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
L			
1 L O F Glass	45⅞	45⅞	45⅞
1 Lib McN & L	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
7 Lockh Airc	31⅞	31	31
17 Loews	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
10 Lorillard	25½	25⅞	25½
2 Lou & Nash	64⅞	64⅞	64⅞
M			
1 Mack Trucks	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
3 Macy	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
3 Marma Cop	27½	27½	27½
4 Magnavox	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
6 Marsh Field	26⅞	25⅞	26⅞
1 Martin (G L)	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
2 Mead Cp	31½	31½	31½
4 Merck	21	21	21
2 Min Mol	10	10	10
1 Mission Dv	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
3 Mo K T pf	63⅞	63½	63½
9 Mo Pac pf	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞
2 Motorola	36⅞	36½	36½
3 Murray Cp	20	19⅞	20
N			
4 Nash Kelv	14⅞	14	14
10 Nat Can	13⅞	13⅞	13½
2 Nat Dist pf	94⅞	94⅞	94⅞
5 Nat Gyps	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
20 Newber pf	95	94⅞	95
7 NY Central	24⅞	24½	24½
1 NY Ch & SL	34½	34½	34½
32 No Am Av	26½	26⅞	26½
O			
5 Ohio Oil	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞
P			
3 Pac Mills	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞
3 Packard	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
6 Param Pict	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
3 Patino Min	6½	6½	6½
7 Pa RR	17⅞	17	17
5 Penney	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
2 Pillsby Mill	36	36	36
1 Pit Coke & C	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
4 Pit Plate G	58½	58½	58½
1 Pit Stl pr pf	65⅞	65⅞	65⅞
1 Publick Ind	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
7 Pure Oil	55½	55⅞	55½
R			
36 Radio Cp	26⅞	26	26
6 Raytheon	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
1 Rem Rand	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
4 Repub Av	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
4 Repub Stl	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞
5 Rex Drug	7	7	7
6 Rey Tob B	37⅞	37	37⅞
4 Rob Fulton	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
1 Roch G & E	44⅞	44⅞	44⅞
S			
10 Safeway St	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
10 Schenley Ind	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
2 Scovill Mf	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
1 Seab Oil	96	96	96
3 Shell Pipe	21⅞	21	21⅞
5 Shell Oil	62⅞	61⅞	62⅞
10 Silv Lake	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
10 Solitron Co	16⅞	15⅞	16⅞
1 Sperry	41	41	41
1 Spic Brand	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
3 Sta Oil Ind	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞
1 Stch Dryd	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
1 Stone & W	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
2 Studebaker	18⅞	18½	18⅞
10 Sunbeam	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
5 Sun Oil Co	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
T			
12 Texas Co	65	65⅞	65⅞
2 Tex G Sul	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
2 Tex Pac Ld	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
1 Trans W Air	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
21 Transamer	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞
1 Tri Cont	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
19 Twen C Fox	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
U			
2 Un Oil Cal	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
4 Un Pac	119⅞	119⅞	119⅞
1 Un Tob Co	43	43	43
1 Un Gas Co	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
1 Utd Aircr	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
1 Utd Corp xd	12	11⅞	12
1 Utd Drug	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
15 Utd Fruit	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
42 U S Steel	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
1 Un Warbasse	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
V			
3 Vick Chem	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
W			
5 Warn B Pc	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
4 West Un Tel	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
1 Westv A Brk	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
19 Westv El	58	57⅞	58
5 Woolworth Co	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
4 Wrigley jr	44⅞	44⅞	44⅞
8 Wurlitzer	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
2 Wyckoff	23	23	23
Y			
2 Youngst Sh & T	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Z			
5 Zenith Rad	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞

BUSINESS NEWS

Fonda Appoints

FONDA MOTOR CAR Company, Inc., 1344 S. Salina st., Packard dealer, announces the appointment of Bill Gottschall as service manager. Gottschall was formerly connected in the same capacity with the firm for many years at the W. Genesee st. home and invites his many old and new friends to stop in and become acquainted.

Gottschall

Car owners will find the service department is thoroughly manned by experienced mechanics, many of whom were with the old organization.

It is the company's aim to have an efficient, courteous service department for the prompt attention of motorist's needs.

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StandardBrandsIncome

CONSOLIDATER net income of Standard Brands, Inc., and subsidiaries operating in the United States and Canada for the year 1953 amounted to $10,618,788 equivalent after preferred dividend requirements to $2.90 per share, Joel S. Mitchell, president, announced. Consolidated net income for 1952 was $9,418,978, or $2.72 per share. At the end of 1953 3,187,427 shares of common stock were outstanding, compared with 3,175,527 shares at the end of 1952.

Net sales of the company and subsidiaries operating in the United States and Canada totaled $407,675,070 as compared to $382,980,201 in 1952.

The combined sales of unconsolidated subsidiaries operating outside the United States and Canada, in terms of United States dollars, were $20,252,416 and combined net income amounted to $1,676,158. Dividends received during 1953 from unconsolidated subsidiaries were $602,510 compared with $620,000 during 1952.

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Directors' Meeting

THE 57TH ANNUAL directors' meeting of the Preferred Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held at the company's home office in New Berlin, on Feb. 16. The following directors were in attendance: Otis A. Thompson, Robert S. Eaton, Frederick F. Hoadley, Tore Lundahl, Samuel H. Pond, Robert R. Hoadley and Reginald W. Lyon.

The secretary and general manager, Robert R. Hoadley, reported that during 1953 net premium writings increased 8.8 per cent to $1,875,775.83. Incurred losses totaling $584,877.68 produced an incurred to earned loss ration of 35.8 per cent and an underwriting profit of 17.8 per cent or $297,968.43.

This underwriting profit contributed to increase the policy holders' surplus by $70,495.45 to a ne whigh of $1,292,933.11. Dividends paid totaled $218,307.58, making the total savings to policyholders since organization, in excess of $3,000,000.

The president and treasurer, Frederick F. Hoadley, reported an increase of $5328,788.50 in admitted assets, making a total of $3,569,369.02. This is made up of 37.8 per cent in government bonds and cash, 36.0 inn other bonds, 3.8 per cent in real estate and 11.8 in stocks.

NORTHERN VERSION BASEBALL'S already under way at Penn State, where pitchers and catchers are working out daily under the football stands.

Regional Market

LIBERAL RECEIPTS of cabbage, onions and potatoes moved slowly in light trading on the Central New York Regional Market this morning. All prices held generally steady. Liberal receipts of nearby eggs moved slowly at current quotations.

Cucumbers, Florida potatoes and spinach advanced in the only important price changes, under a light demand, in the commission houses.

FRUITS—

Apples, Cortland, bushel	3.00@ 3.50
Apples, Delicious, bushel	4.00@ 5.00
Apples, Northern Spy, bushel	4.00@ 5.00
Apples, McIntosh bushel	3.00@ 4.00

VEGETABLES—

Cabbage, bushel and box	.50@ .75
Cabbage, red, bushel	1.00@ 1.25
Cabbage, Savoy, bushel	1.00@ 1.25
Carrots, cello dozen	.90@ 1.00
Carrots, topped, bushel	1.25@ 1.50
Lettuce, hothouse, doz. heads	1.25@ 1.50
Onions, yellow, 5-lb bags	.14@ .15
Onions, yellow, 50 lbs.	.60@ .75
Onions, yellow, jumbo, 50 lbs.	.80@ .90
Parsnips, ½ bushel	1.50@ 1.75
Parsnips, film pkd., 12s	1.60@ 1.75
Potatoes, N. Y. State, 50 lbs.	.60@ .75
Potatoes, N. Y. State, 15 lbs.	.25@ .27
Radishes, doz. bchs, hothouse	.75@ .80
Squash, Delicious, bushel	1.75@ 2.00
Squash, Hubbard, bushel	1.50@ 1.75
Turnips, purple top, ½ bushel	.90@ 1.00
Turnips, film pkd., 12s	1.35@ 1.40
Turnips, rutabaga, bushel	1.25@ 1.50
Vegetable oysters, doz. bchs.	1.75

MISCELLANEOUS—

Honey, 5-pound pail	1.10

DRY BEAN PRICE REPORT

Current prices per hundredweight reported as being paid by dealers to growers for U. S. No. 1 new crop beans in Central and Western New York:

Pea beans	8.00
Red kidney	8.15
Marrows	11.00

POULTRY—

Fowl, White Leghorns, live	.20@ .25
Fowl, Rocks and Reds, live	.29@ .33
Fryers and broilers, live	.30@ .35
Dressed poultry	.35@ .38
Roasters, live, pound	.25@ .40
Ducks, live, pound	.25@ .30

EGGS (Retail)—

Eggs, extra large, dozen	.75@ .80
Eggs, large, dozen	.65@ .70
Eggs, medium, dozen	.60@ .65

EGGS (Wholesale)—

Eggs, large, candled, crate	16.00@17.00
Eggs, large, crate	16.00@17.00
Eggs, medium, crate	14.00@15.00

COMMISSION HOUSES

FRUITS—

Bananas, fancy, 30-lb. box	3.50@ 3.75
Bananas, fancy, 40-lb box	4.60@ 4.80
Grapefruit, Fla., seedless, box	4.00@ 4.25
Grapefruit, Fla. pk., s'd's, bx.	5.50@ 5.75
Grapes, Emperor, Calif., box	3.75@4.00
Lemons, ½ crate	4.25@ 5.25
Oranges, Florida, box	4.00@ 4.25
Oranges, California, box	6.25@ 7.50
Oranges, Temple, Fla., ½ box	3.00@ 3.50
Pears, Anjou, California, box	5.25@ 5.50

VEGETABLES—

Beans, green, South., hamper	5.25@ 5.50
Beans, wax, South., hamper	5.25@ 5.50
Beets, Texas, 3 dozen	3.00@ 3.25
Broccoli, California, 28s	6.50@ 7.00
Broccoli, Texas, 18s	3.75@ 4.00
Cabbage, Texas, crate	2.25@ 2.50
Cabbage, Texas, Savoy, crate	3.25@ 3.50
Cauliflower, California, crate	3.00@ 3.25
Carrots, California, crate	5.00@ 5.25
Carrots, Texas, cello, 4 dozen	4.00@ 4.25
Celery, Pascal, Florida, crate	3.75@ 4.25
Celery, Florida, G.H., crate	5.75@ 6.00
Celery, Pascal, California	5.25@ 5.50
Celery hearts, dozen	1.75@ 2.00
Corn, sweet, Florida, 5 dozen	4.00@ 4.25
Cucumbers, Southern, bushel	10.00@12.00
Eggplant, Southern, bushel	4.25@ 4.50
Endive, Texas, half crate	2.75@ 3.00
Escarole, Southern	2.25@ 2.50
Lettuce, Calif., ½ ctn. carton	2.25@ 3.00
Onions, Spanish, 50 pounds	2.00@ 2.25
Parsley, dozen bunches	.90@ 1.00
Parsley, Texas, ½ crate	3.25@ 3.50
Peas, Colorado, bushel	5.00@ 5.25
Peppers, Southern, bushel	3.75@ 4.25
Potatoes, Fla., R. Buss, 50 lbs.	2.50@ 2.75
Potatoes, Maine, 50 lbs.	1.15@ 1.25
Potatoes, Idaho, 10 lbs	4.25@ 4.35
Potatoes, sweet, South., bu.	3.25@ 3.50
Radishes, cello, doz	.90@ 1.00
Rhubarb, H. H., 5 lbs.	1.25@ 1.35
Rutabagas, Canada, 50 lbs.	1.40@ 1.50
Shallots, dozen bunches	1.00@ 1.15
Spinach, film pkd., 12s	2.25@ 2.40
Spinach, Texas, bushel	3.00@ 3.25
Tomatoes, repack, 10 units	1.50@ 1.75
Tomatoes, H.H., 8 lbs.	2.50
Tomatoes, H.Y., 8 lbs.	3.50@ 3.75
Yams, Louisiana, bushel	4.75@ 5.00

LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS REPORT

BURTON Livestock Exchange, Vernon—Livestock sales for Feb 24, as reported by the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets:

Supplies were increased for all livestock. The demand was moderate to active. The market was steady for beef, slightly weaker for calves and about steady for dairy replacements under a moderate demand.

CATTLE—Receipts 369 head. Prices per head: Dairy type heifers for slaughter (12), medium, $125@170; common, $135. Dairy type cows for slaughter (269). Prices per head: Medium, $150@200; cutters, $140@170; heavy canners, $125@150; light canners, $90.00@135; shelly or very thin canners, $90.00. Dairy type bulls for slaughter (23), good, $15.00@16.00; medium, $13.00@15.00; common, $12.00.

CALVES—Receipts 805 head. Prices per head: Good vealers, $24.00@26.75; medium, $24.00; common and culls, $20.00. Bobs (over 85 lbs.), $12.25@18.25; (60 to 85 lbs.), $10.00@12.25; (under 65 lbs.), $10.00.

HOGS—Receipts 34 head. Prices per head: Choice weights, $24.75@26.00. Sows, heavy, $18.25@20.75. Small pigs, $4.50@13.50.

DAIRY REPLACEMENTS—Receipts 216 head. Cows, $100@275; milkers, $80.00@245. Heifers, first calf, $90.00@210; open, $40.00@70.00; bred, $95.00@210.

Looking — and — Listening

By JEREMY GAIGE

THE MARDI GRAS comes to town from New Orleans via NBC Television and WSYR-TV tonight at 9:30 and at 12 midnight. The Mardi Gras as marked in Louisiana is one of the most famous festivals celebrated in the United States, and has become known throughout the world during the 100 years of its existency. It is a time of revelry and merry-making, the final festive demonstration prior to the solemn season of Lent. For radio listeners WSYR will present on the spot descriptions of the pageantry at 10:30 tonight.

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CAVALCADE OF AMERICA tells of an effort to capture Thomas Jefferson and break the spirit of the American Revolution tonight at 7 over WHEN-TV in "The Absent Host." Lt. Col. Tarleton rides toward Monticello in the dark of the night as young patriot Jack Jouett desperately strives to warn Jefferson of the plot.

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THE LENTEN MESSAGE of Pope Pius XII will be read by Archbishop Karl J. Alter of Cincinnati over WNDR at 1:15 P.M. tomorrow.

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AMERICA'S Town Meeting of the Air deals with the topic: Should 18-year-olds be allowed to vote? The provocative topic will be discussed by Rep. Kenneth B. Keating (R-N.Y.) and author Fannie Hurst tonight at 9 over WAGE.

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ROCKY FORTUNE, played by Frank Sinatra, becomes involved in a probe of the disappearance of $25,000 worth of narcotics tonight at 9:35 over WSYR. When suspicion points to a young man whom Rocky Fortune knows to be innocent, the glib Mr. Fortune finds a way to place the blame where it belongs.

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Jackie Cooper has the lead in "Escape" on tonight's chapter of The Passerby at 7:45 over WHEN-TV.

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BISHOP FULTON J. Sheen tells a modernized version of the story of the Good Samaritan on Life Is Worth Living tonight at 8 over WHEN-TV. He will discuss the service of the poor, and the people who he considers really solve the problem of the poor.

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THE FIRESIDE Theater presents "The Desert Answer" tonight at 9 over WSYR-TV. It tells the story of the conflict between a man whose life is dedicated to helping the Indians in Arizona, but whose wife yearns to return East.

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MIKE HAMMER finds himself with two women to handle on tonight's Mickey Spillane Mystery over WNDR at 8. They become a problem to the detective, since one of them is a respected society woman and the other a society editor intent on uncovering her past.

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Mickey Rooney, aided by Connie Russell, takes the spotlight to help Milton Berle on his show tonight at 8 over WSYR-TV.

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NANCY KELLEY will portray the first woman juror in the United States in "I Do Solemnly Swear," a documentary drama set in 1870 in the lawless town of Laramie, Wyo., on Suspense tonight at 9:30 over WHEN-TV.

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EDWARD R. MURROW goes musical on See It Now tonight at 10:30 over Channel 10 in Rochester, as he performs an dissection of the "Anatomy of a Symphony Orchestra," namely the New York Philharmonic.

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MR. AND Mrs. North get involved with a young lady who inherits $50,000 and changes from a working girl to a lady of leisure tonight at 8:30 over WFBL. This wealth also puts ideas into the head of a suitor who likes money at any cost.

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ACTRESS LEUEEN McGrath joins panelists Sam Levenson and George S. Kaufman on This Is Show Business tonight at 9 over WHEN-TV. Clifton Fadiman is host and master of ceremonies.

Havana Holiday

HARRIS H. GREENE, Syracuse agency representative of The Union Central Life Insurance Company, who qualified as a winner in a company contest underwriting $500,000 of life coverage in the year, is at the annual meeting of the Half Million Dollar Club for 1954 at Hotel Nacional, Havana, Feb. 28-March 4.

Local Securities

	Bid	Asked
Agricultural Insurance	34½	34½
Brockway Motors	2½	2½
Crescent Insurance	9	9½
Farmers and Traders Life Ins.	75	85
First National Bank of Minoa	75	79
First Trust & Deposit Co.	25½	27½
G L B	2	3
First Security Corp	7½	8½
Great Lakes Steamship	2	2½
Hd Syracuse pf	4	5
do Common	40	50
Interstate Financial pf	55	57
do Common	6½	11½
Lyndonville National Bank	95½	99½
Lyons National Bank	70	74
Marine Midland	29½	30
Merchants National Bank	35	40
Nationwide pf 5%	45	47
Onondaga Lud $1.50 pf	32	35
do Common	10	11
Onondaga Pottery	38½	39½
Oneida Falls	23½	25½
Porter Cable	23½	24½
Powerglide	68	73
Solvay Bank	24	
Syracuse Transit com	7½	9
Will & Baumer com	15	17

CRUSADERS TRIUMPH

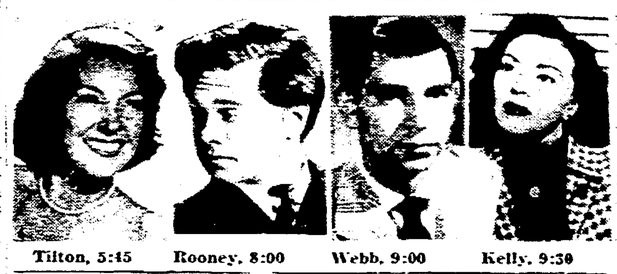
BUD GIACOBBI scored 19 points to pace the Crusaders to a 88-25 victory over the Bombers in a Boys Club junior division basketball game.

RADIO TIMETABLE

The Herald-Journal is not responsible for last minute changes in radio and television programs made by station.

TONIGHT'E RADIO AND TELEVISION HIGHLIGHTS

5:45 P.M.—WFBL—Curt Massey and Martha Tilton Show, songs.
7:00 P.M.—WHEN-TV—Cavalcade of America, "The Absent Host."
7:45 P.M.—WFBL—Edward R. Murrow, news analysis and commentary.
8:00 P.M.—WAGE-FM—Evening With Music, Five Tudor Portraits, Vaughn-Williams.
8:00 P.M.—WSYR-TV—Milton Berle Show, comedy-variety; guest, Mickey Rooney.
8:00 P.M.—WHEN-TV—Life Is Worth Living with Bishop Fulton Sheen.
9:00 P.M.—WSYR—Dragnet, award winning crime series, Jack Webb.
9:00 P.M.—WAGE—Town Meeting of the Air, "Should 18-Year-Olds Vote?"
9:30 P.M.—WSYR—Fireside Theater, "The Desert Answer," James Millican.
9:30 P.M.—WSYR-TV—The Mardi Gras Parade from New Orleans.
9:30 P.M.—WHEN-TV—Suspense, "I Do Solemnly Swear," Nancy Kelly.
10:00 P.M.—WSYR-TV—Dice for Yourself, talent search, with host Fred Allen.
11:30 P.M.—WFBL—Starlight Symphony, Concerto for Quartet by Schonberg.
12:00 Midnight—WSYR-TV—The Mardi Gras Ball from New Orleans.



Tilton, 5:45 Rooney, 8:00 Webb, 9:00 Kelly, 9:30

TUESDAY EVENING

WSYR-FM (94.5 mcs.), 1:25-10 P.M.

WSYR (570) National	WAGE (620) American	WNDR (1350) Mutual	WFBL (1250) Columbia	WOLF (1490)
5:00—Plain Bill	Hour of Stars	Sgt. Preston	News; Music	News; Juke
5:15—Front Pg. Farrell	Pop Parade	Sgt. Preston	Matinee	Juke Box
5:30—Lorenzo Jones	Pop Parade	Sky King	Today in Syr.	Juke Box
5:45—Marriage Pays	Pop Parade	Sky King	Massey-Tilton	Sportscoop
6:00—News; Hillegas	News; Music	News	At Jackson	News; Juke
6:15—Club 570	Sports	Good Music	Dinner Party	Serenade
6:30—Club 570	News	Good Music	Dinner Party	Serenade
6:45—3-Star Extra	Open Mike	Good Music	Low, Thomas	Serenade
7:00—Tello Test	News	Fulton Lewis	Fam. Skeleton	News; Bucks
7:15—Alex Drier	Bill Stern	Sports	Beulah	Buckaroos
7:30—News	Capt. Starr	Heatter	Chorahers	Bing Crosby
7:45—Man's Family	Capt. Starr	Good Music	Ed Murrow	Bing Crosby
8:00—Dinah Shore	Personality	Mike Hammer	People are Funny	Colgate vs. Niagara
8:15—Perfectly Frank	Sammy Kaye	Mike Hammer	Mr. and Mrs. North	Basketball
8:30—Barrie Craig	Hour of Stars	Good Music		Basketball
8:45—Barrie Craig	Music Time	Good Music		Basketball
9:00—Dragnet	Town Meeting	Good Music	Johnny Dollar	Basketball
9:15—Dragnet	Town Meeting	Good Music	My Friend Irma	Buckaroos
9:30—Rocky Fortune	Town Meeting	Nationals vs. Minneapolis		Buckaroos
9:45—Rocky Fortune	Go to Town			
10:00—Sibber McGee	Persian Terrace	Basketball	Lou Parsons	News; Sand.
10:15—Can You Top This?		Basketball	Galen Drake	Sandman
10:30—Mardi Gras	Terrace Song	Basketball	News; 1250 Club	Sandman
10:45—Parade	Three Suns	Basketball		Sandman
11:00—News, Sports	News, Sports	Basketball	News, Sports	News; Sand.