Stock market hit with biggest drop since '29

Foundation won't panic under falling bull

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market suffered its biggest drop in modern times today as the storm of selling that hit Wall Street over the past two weeks reached panic proportions.

Trading volume records toppled as prices plunged, wiping out a big part of the gains they amassed through the bull market of the past five years. "I don't have words to describe this," said Suresh Bhirud, an analyst at Oppenheimer & Co. "What we have is a full-scale financial panic," said Hugh Johnson at First Albany Corp.

"Events that created what William LeFevre at Advest Inc. called "a terrible washout" as the trading week began. The Dow Jones Industrial Average swung wildly during the session, falling more than 200 points in the morning and regaining almost 100 points before resuming its plunge. The Dow Jones industrial average plunged 400 points in by far the heaviest trading ever on the New York Stock Exchange.

That represented a one-day loss of 17.8 percent, far larger than the previous record drop for one day of 12.8 percent on Oct. 28, 1929, known as Black Monday. Stock markets in Tokyo and London also fell sharply in reaction to Wall Street's severe break last week. U.S. bond prices tumbled a drop of 36 percent from high points in Foundation investments in August. He won't know exactly how hard the Foundation has been hit until he gets a report from the Foundation's investment firm today. Although Neal calls the market plunge "a shock to the Foundation's economic health," he said Foundation holdings have been and will continue to be long-term. Any immediate loss, he hopes, will rise with a tide of less vigorous trading on Wall Street. — Floyd Jones

Yesterday's sudden plunge on Wall Street... marked a 100 percent increase over a three-year space. But up to 75 percent of those investments — equities — are at the mercy of the market. Jim Neal, controller for the Foundation, said the 400-point drop by the day's end may mean a $1 million drop in value of Foundation investments. That's a drop of 36 percent from high points in Foundation investments in August. He won't know their losses.

LeFevre said it appeared that mutual funds were being forced to sell stocks as their sharehold­ers switched money out of stock funds and into safer money market funds. In addition, he said, brokers were selling stocks from so-called "marginal" accounts in which in­vestors who bought stocks earlier with borrowed money declined to put up additional col­lateral.

World markets also had to contend with heightened tensions in the Middle East. The United States confirmed that it had at­tacked and destroyed an Iranian oil platform in the Persian Gulf. Bhirud said computer program strategies that allow professional traders to transmit huge orders to a matter of moments were ex­acerbating the rout in the stock market.

While the outlook was grim in the early stages, some analysts expressed hope that the market slide had reached a "dramatic" stage which might lead to at least a short-term rally. But those hopes were dashed as the day went on.

"Unless you can make a case for a major recession or World War III we cannot really justify such a severe decline," he said.

SLO, the wrong town for riding a scooter

Both unprotected and inexperienced, many are playing 'Russian roulette'

By Marty Neideffer

The motor scooter has become one of the most popular forms of transportation among Cal Poly students. Ironically, it is also one of the most dangerous.

"If you ride a scooter in this community you're just waiting for an accident," said San Luis Obispo Police Department traffic safety Officer Gary Nemeth. "I wouldn't own a scooter or moped in this town. It's just too dangerous." In the 1983-86 school year, there were three fatalities in­volving motor scooters in San Luis Obispo and many other in­jury accidents. It is rare, in fact, for anyone involved in a scooter accident to come away without injury, Nemeth said.

"Every time you get in a wreck on a scooter there is going to be an impact and some of the injuries are serious or fatal," Nemeth said. The reason injuries are so serious is because scooters simply provide no protection for the rider, he said.

Nemeth used an accident that occurred last year to illustrate his point.

An unidentified rider bounces through campus — without a helmet

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Classmate of fainting student tells real story

Editor:

Mustang Daily published a story on a fainting student in class and the professor continued to lecture. I was one of the “startled classmates” and thought the accurate story should be shared.

About 20 minutes into the noon lecture, everyone was intently scribbling down the notes that Dr. Ortiz was rambling off when suddenly the monotone dialogue was interrupted. A female student in the front row, about three desks to the right of the professor, was slumped over her desk unconscious and making peculiar sounds. Without taking one step from her podium, Ortiz asked, “Is she OK?” Without waiting for a response, looked up to the class and casually added, “Does anyone know CPR?”

At this time five students reacted. Three went to aid the victim, one went to call campus emergency and another went to direct the paramedics. While the students attempted to help their unconscious classmate, Ortiz still finished her lecture early. Dismissing the distraught class, Ortiz still warned lunch thief.

It’s fall again and once more I return to Cal Poly. This time, though, with a feeling of security, especially knowing that Cal Poly Public Safety is guarding the stolen one (whoops, maybe it was confiscated from the dorms that former renters of the keg on the ground that since they who they think downtown. My lawyer, so go ahead and write off my guilt or innocence. My fate remains unknown as does the guilt of students contemplates my guilt or innocence.

If you’re considering hanging out with a Twinkie thief, you may find yourself in back of Ofﬁcer Blair’s patrol car having to “prove your innocence.”

When all is said and done, the real question is: Is the ice cream worth it?

--- Mitch Yantis

Money isn’t everything

In fact, it’s nothing

As college students we are investing time, money and a lot of ourselves preparing for the future. The closer we get to graduation, the more we think and dream about how we will cut out our piece of the proverbial pie and become successful.

Most of the students I know seem preoccupied when it comes to money and give very little thought to achievements and gaining kind of an edge on everyone else. We seem to be investing our energy toward money, position and accomplishment.

But we need to invest in things that will last and bring real fulﬁllment:

--- Kristine J. Abbey

Reporter’s notebook

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What we have won’t matter as much as who we have to share it with, and what we do won’t weigh as heavily as why we do it in the future.

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State

Angry mob corners gunman after he fires into LA church

LOS ANGELES — An angry mob of about 100 people chased a gunman who had fired a shot inside a church, caught up with him a few blocks away and threw rocks and bricks until police arrived, authorities said.

The incident began Sunday when a 15-year-old girl sitting with her family in Our Lady Queen of Angels Catholic Church recognized a bracelet the man was wearing, Wyatt said. She told police the bracelet, which was "maintaining a little street justice on the man's head and shoulders," said police Officer Jerry Wyatt.

The man was confronted, and, police said, "But he put it in reverse and stripped the gears," said police Officer Jim Murphy. "By that time the crowd was stoning him to death."

"I ran to the corner and I saw half a dozen cops intercepting the fellow, who was very bloody," said Helene Glazberg, a photographer who had been taking pictures of folk dancers on the Olvera Street plaza.

She said the audience around the folk dancers joined the chase.

The man was booked for investigation of attempted murder, Wyatt said. Police declined to identify him to the media.

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Nation

State attorneys general eye all-terrain vehicle restrictions

LOS ANGELES — Attorneys general of 23 states from Maine to California asked American Honda Motor Co. Inc. on Monday to meet with authorities considering restrictions from rider training to an outright ban for all-terrain vehicles.

Citing a duty to protect the public safety, the attorneys general made it clear they intend to seek the restrictions whether or not Honda chooses to meet with them.

Honda controls about 60 percent of the United States market for all-terrain vehicles (ATVs). Most of the remainder is shared by three other Japanese manufacturers, Yamaha, Kawasaki and Suzuki.

Up to 500,000 ATVs are sold each year in this country. Between 1982 and August 1987, ATVs have been responsible for 800 deaths and 300,000 injuries, more than half of them to children 15 years of age or younger, according to the National Association of Attorneys General.

Only Honda was invited to the Nov. 16 meeting because of its predominance in the market, said Bobby George, a spokesman for Missouri Attorney General William L. Webster.

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Soviet economy faces sluggish growth rates

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet economy is waking up, but problems in light manufacturing and machine-building keep slowing it down, officials said Monday at the fall gathering of the Supreme Soviet, the nominal parliament.

Officials at the first day of a two-day session said national income would reach its predicted 4.1 percent growth rate this year. But they said the economy has not made enough machines to improve performance in agriculture and industry or to prevent shortages in shoes, clothing and basic foods.

Soviet General Secretary Mikhail S. Gorbachev and the 13 other members of the ruling Communist Party Politburo opened the session of the 1,500-member Supreme Soviet after they filed into the elegant Grand Kremlin Palace.

But Gorbachev and Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze slipped away 20 minutes after the start of a series of long speeches that take the place of debate.

The deputies, elected in single-party balloting in districts three years ago, reviewed their performance during the past year.

The moral of the story, Nemeth said, is even if a scooter driver is doing nothing wrong, the possibility of getting injured or killed is still high.

The probability for injury is so high that scooter drivers cannot get insurance to cover medical bills for injuries resulting from an accident.

"The bottom line is, if (scooter drivers) get into an accident, they're going to get hurt," said Terry Opdahl, State Farm Insurance Co. agency manager. "So even if they had every coverage available — and they dumped their scooter in some gravel — their medical bills would not be covered."

Opdahl said several factors make motor scooters high risk vehicles. Scooters are small and not easily noticed by the average driver, poor road conditions create undetected hazards and most scooter drivers do not wear proper clothing.

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"The moral of the story, Nemeth said Foothill Boulevard, Grand Avenue and the downtown streets are particularly hazardous because of heavy traffic."

Nemeth said most scooter drivers are not experienced in handling their scooters in heavy traffic.

"They're OK going straight, but if a tense situation arises, they're probably going to get hurt," said Nemeth.

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The ins and outs of that common experience known as...

Dorm life

Story and photos by Carolyn Duvall

Cal Poly dorms are a potpourri of students with diverse interests and backgrounds. They represent 20 percent of the campus population and all majors. The 2,800 dorm spaces are nearly filled with 1,593 men and 1,108 women, for a total dorm population of 2,701.

"All the dorms take on a personality," said Robert Bostrom, director of housing. But when any hall gets too rowdy it has to be quieted. One tower became known as the "zoo" a few years ago and people began to request it.

Bostrom said the housing department began to watch who was put in there and started to separate groups of people who requested it.

"Sometimes people from the same high school want to go to the same area. We usually put them in separate dorms — after a quarter or two it won't matter anyway," he said.

Of all the halls on campus, Sequoia is asked for the most. Bostrom said it was probably because it is the closest to the center of campus and the one most people visit.

"People like to walk, but they want the hall closest to the classroom areas. But if you're going to have to walk anyway, there's little difference between two or three blocks," he said.

The South Mountain or "red brick" dorms are popular with many people. Darren Loyd, a freshman in Santa Lucia, likes the layout and the closeness of the dorms to his classes.

"It's better than being in Egypt," he said, referring to the location of Yosemite and Sierra Madre dorms.

Freshmen Sharon Grady and Melvin Agustin, Yosemite Hall residents, said they don't like the distance to classes.

"We have to leave earlier than anyone else. The worst part is if you forget something and have to come all the way back!" said Agustin.

But, they do like the friendliness of the dorms and the chance to get help with homework.

Finding help on homework is a little difficult because of the diversity in the dorms. Halls with specific groups of people or majors don't exist at Cal Poly. Bostrom said the housing department won't put together theme halls with such groups as all backpackers or outdoors people.

"We want the halls to be like real life together."

More than 80 percent of dorm residents are new students to Cal Poly; freshmen make up 64 percent of those. The rest are transfer students.

New students in the dorms are at a 4-to-3 ratio with 1,282 men and 960 women.
Gravity won’t keep these rock climbers down

Lawrence Anton

A small group of Cal Poly students gathered near the main rocks at the base of Bishop’s Peak, readying their gear for what was to follow—what some might call an unnatural act. Craig Herzog unzipped his backpack and began looking over the equipment: karabiners, harnesses, figure eights, tape slings and a few friends.

The rest of the group sat around and talked. Who’d ever done it before? What’s it like? Soon the last members of the group arrived and it was time to begin. The group was going to learn the techniques of rock climbing.

The Escape Route, an on-campus organization that regularly sponsors outdoor adventure activities, provided the equipment and the instructors.

Mike Seaman, an experienced climber who organized the outing, asked everyone to jump up in the air. Then to make a point, he asked if anyone was still up in the air. "Gravity works real well here. It works just as well up there," he said, pointing up at the steep rocks soon to be ascended.

Though Seaman’s introductory remarks were often humorous, he stressed that safety was something to be taken seriously. "We haven’t had any injuries and we want to keep it that way," said Mike Nakano, one of the experienced climbers among the group.

There were 4-year-old kids out climbing." Herzog showed the new climbers how to belay and rappel. Belaying, he said, is how climbers protect themselves should they fall. First, the climber ties a rope to his harness, a belt that wraps around the waist and under the crotch. Then the rope is run through a metal ring (called a karabiner) that is attached at a belay point, usually a bolt embedded in the rock or a device that can be wedged in the cracks in the rock. A second climber handles the rope, taking it in or letting it out as the first climber ascends.

Rappelling is the technique climbers use to lower themselves down after a climb. First-time climbers Francesca Hartop and Julie Pallete followed Herzog up a path leading to a ledge about 100 feet up the face of Cracked Wall, one of three climbing faces at Bishop’s Peak.

Herzog then readied the ropes for rappelling down a portion of the face known as Cranky Thank You. "Is anyone else up here scared to death?" asked Hartop, looking out from the rock’s ledge at the city small in the distance.

To get over the initial fear, Herzog said, a climber must commit to the climb, relying on properly placed safety equipment in the event of a fall. The safety equipment removes some of the risk, he said, but its limitations need to be appreciated.

Herzog ran the rope through a figure eight device then attached the figure eight to her harness with a karabiner. Snapping herself to the rope, she stepped off the ledge and descended the precipice. Going down was the easy part.

The more experienced climbers had set up equipment for two climbs on another section of the face. The climbs were known as 60 Seconds and No Permit Required. See CLIMBING page 8.
Student gains strength, appreciates life after twin's death

By April Kayes
Staff writer

Ornamental horticulture junior Tim Connors leaned down to a friend Sunday night at Mission San Luis Obispo, his face alight with expectation.

"I'm really excited," he said, smiling. "This is going to be so uplifting. It's going to be good."

Half an hour later Tim faced the Newman Catholic Fellowship, his friends and his relatives, to eulogize his twin brother, Chris Connors. Chris, who was a biology major at Cal Poly, died July 27 when he was struck by a car as he rode his bike on Highway 1 toward Morro Bay. He had been training for the Iron Man Triathlon, in which he would have competed Oct. 10 in Hawaii.

"We just worked hard together and loved one another," Tim said. "He's been such a great person. I remember that the day immediately following his death I felt the strength he gave to me."

It's that strength, Tim said a few days before the memorial Mass and said, "Gee, Chris, I feel so strong here in life' and he looked at me and said, 'Tim, that's me. That's me helping you out."

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Tim was born with cerebral palsy, which impairs muscular coordination. While his symptoms are not severe, he walks with a limp and must wear hearing aids. Chris often helped him out while they were growing up, Tim said.

"It's been really challenging for me to overcome these obstacles," Tim said. "First, the CP, and second, the death. But it's like God has given me these things to overcome. Like he's said 'Here's this problem — see what you can do with it.'"

While it "would have been nice" to have grown up with his brother, it is not as though a bond between them has been broken, Tim said.

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From page 4 nationwide, meet in the Kremlin in the fall and spring to rubber-stamp proposals set before them by government organs directed by the Communist Party leadership. A plenary meeting of the 300-plus-member party Central Committee usually precedes each Supreme Soviet session to formulate policies and present them to the parliamentary body for approval. But there was no such meeting this time, indicating no special business in the session.

The main business before the Supreme Soviet is the 1988 budget, which was outlined by Finance Minister Boris I. Gostev and Planning Committee Chairman Nikolai V. Talyzin. Production figures for the first nine months of 1987, released last week, disclosed that one in four Soviet enterprises failed to fulfill its production targets, and that Soviet farms were boosting output more slowly than planners had hoped — only 1.1 percent more than last year.

Gostev also said the national treasury lost $19 billion this year because of reduced alcohol sales mandated by Gorbachev's nationwide anti-drinking campaign. Production of vodka and other strong drink has been cut by more than 40 percent under the program introduced by Gorbachev in May 1985.

Some Soviet officials have said the revenue losses were more than compensated for by a corresponding drop in industrial accidents and absenteeism. But Gostev made no mention of social benefits from the liquor production cuts.

Construction of new housing has exceeded planned rates this year by nearly 20 percent, Talyzin said. But misused and misappropriation of existing housing is prevented fulfillment of plans aimed at substantially improving living conditions for Soviet citizens, he said.

One in five Soviet families lives in communal housing, where kitchens and bathrooms are shared, and many others live in apartments deemed substandard or too small for their family.

Gorbachev has identified housing and food supply as primary targets in his campaign to rebuild the Soviet economy.
Challenge, fun of competition starts for special athletes

There were no losers Friday as special athletes competed in preparation for this year's Special Olympics. Cal Poly was host to Team Tournament Day, sharing in the satisfaction this type of athletic involvement has offered extraordinary people for years.

By Coleen Bondy

A group of very special people gathered on Cal Poly's soccer field Friday for a day filled with challenge, excitement and fun.

Team Tournament Day, a kick-off to the year of Special Olympics events, brought people from various non-profit organizations and school-related programs for the disabled together to enjoy some recreation and competition.

"Team Tournament Day's purpose is to provide sports training and involvement for the athletes," said Debbie Drumm, gymnastics coordinator for the Special Olympics of San Luis Obispo County.

Special Olympics is a year-round training program for mentally disabled children and adults. The age range Friday was from 8 to 68 years old.

The tournament featured floor hockey, aerobics, softball, frisbee golf, wheelchair sports and run-dribble-shoot.

Awards were given for the run-dribble-shoot competitions, which were organized according to age.

Mike Gordon won the run-dribble-shoot competition in his category. An amazing feat, considering that Mike is blind. He felt fine about winning, and said that he had to practice hard to do it.

Another winner in the basketball competition, Charlie Hopper, was proud to display his ribbon for second place. Charlie, who is wheelchair-bound, said that he enjoys getting out and getting fresh air.

Good spirits, smiles and laughter were abundant, and the feeling that everyone was rooting for one another overshadowed the competitive aspect of the day. Winners of awards, which were presented by the San Luis de Tolosa Kiwanis, beamed while receiving them. Friends cheered them on.

Participating in the day's events were Casa de Vida, the Friendship Schools, the Developmental Center for the Handicapped and Chris Jesperson, a school for the physically and mentally handicapped. Special education programs from Arroyo Grande and San Luis Obispo high schools, Oceano Elementary School, Loma Vista and CL Smith also participated.

For some of these people, getting dressed in the morning is an overwhelming task. Just being alive and able to share in the day's events, in whatever way they could, was a victory for each participant.

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NOTABLES

Two Cal Poly professors have been selected as Fulbright scholars. Harold Kerbo, social sciences, will lecture undergraduate and graduate students in sociology and American society and culture at Hiroshima University in Japan. Quintard Taylor, history, will lecture in Afro-American history at the University of Nigeria, Lagos.

Eight former Cal Poly students have been selected as Honored Alumni for 1987, and will be featured in the university’s 1987 Homecoming celebration on Friday, Oct. 30. The honored are: George H. Soares, Nicholas Watry, Lee Duble, Paul W. Wright, Lori Adamski Peeke, Roger Ynostroza, David H. Montgomery, and Gerry Owen Montgomery.

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According to the housing department, dorm students represent the campus at a relatively equal scale. The majority of students are white with 84.6 percent equal scale. The majority of students are from the Central Valley area (12 percent), and San Diego county (4 percent). Only 1 percent of students are from other states and 5 percent are foreign students.

Boyd explained that many people return to the dorms because they can stay in an all girls or all guys tower is unknown until all the housing applications come in, said Boydston. According to the housing department staff, single-sex dorms are becoming less popular. This is a reflection of the changing times and attitudes, and usually a parental request.

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More evidence of the Cal Poly football team's dominance this season: Both Western Football Conference players of the week are Mustangs.

Lance Martin garnered the offensive award and David Graves took defensive honors for their performances in the Mustangs' 21-20 triumph over Cal State Northridge last weekend.

Martin, a wide receiver from Newport, caught eight passes for 175 yards. A 5-7 senior, he leads the team in receptions with 25 and is second in touchdowns with five.

Graves, a defensive back, made nine tackles, eight of them unassisted. The junior from Redwood City also broke up one pass.

Martin and Graves bring to four the number of Mustangs to receive player-of-the-week honors this season. Defensive end Tom Carey and quarterback Tom Sullivan are the others.

Nine Giants expected to tee off at Krukow tourney

Giants pitcher Mike Krukow is expected to bring nine teammates to his benefit golf tournament early next month. The third annual Mike Krukow/Stroh's Celebrity Golf Classic, scheduled for Nov. 3 at the San Luis Obispo Country Club, will feature 36 baseball celebrities in a scramble tournament.

Krukow, who pitched for Cal Poly from 1971 to 1973, this season helped the Giants win their first divisional title in 16 years. He also holds or shares most of the Mustangs' pitching records.

Giants Mike Aldrete, Bob Brenly, Chili Davis, Dave Dravecky, Kelly Downs, Scott Garrelts, Atlee Hammaker, Candy Maldonado and Bob Motin are expected to participate, as well as Giants coach Norm Sherry and broadcaster Ron Garret.

The tournament will be followed by an auction, which will feature baseball memorabilia.

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