

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

The San Francisco steamer arriving Sunday brought considerable produce, and the distribution of this, together with handling the light receipts from nearby points, made more of a stir on Front street than is usually apparent on Monday. Changes in prices were few and of small amount, and the market was generally quiet, and it is reported that sales were made under the usual conditions. Flour was well cleaned up Saturday by a heavy purchase made for Sunday's supply. The potato market is easy, and there has been a slight rise in the price of onions, the high grades reaching prices as attractive as those which have been obtained in the past. Onions and early potatoes are quiet, and wheat was weaker than Saturday.

Bank Clearings. Exchange Balances. Portland, Feb. 5. Clearings, \$1,000,000. Exchange balances, \$1,000,000.

Portland Markets. Grain, Flour, Etc. Chicago dropped back fraction yesterday, in spite of a liberal decrease in the American market, and the other markets were all rather quiet, in striking contrast to the opening of the week. Portland wheat was quiet, and generally quiet around \$2.00, with some special offerings in the latter part of the week, and it is reported to be paying a cent or two more than it was a week ago.

Portland Flour, Etc. Flour—Best grades, \$2.00 to \$2.10 per barrel. Graham, \$2.20 to \$2.30. Rye, \$2.00 to \$2.10. Corn, \$1.50 to \$1.60. Oats, \$1.20 to \$1.30.

Portland Eggs, Poultry, Etc. Butter—Fancy creamery, \$20.00 to \$21.00 per cwt. Eggs—Fancy, \$1.50 to \$1.60 per dozen. Chickens, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Ducks, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Turkeys, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per lb.

Portland Vegetables, Fruit, Etc. Potatoes—Best grades, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per bushel. Onions, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per bushel. Carrots, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per bushel. Cabbages, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per bushel. Apples, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per bushel.

Portland Groceries, Nuts, Etc. Coffee—Mocha, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Java, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Tea, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Sugar, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Rice, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Beans, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb.

Portland Meat and Poultry. Mutton—Best, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Beef, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Pork, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Bacon, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Lard, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb.

Portland Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc. Hops—Best, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Wool, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb. Hides, \$1.00 to \$1.20 per lb.

Portland Stocks. The total sales of stocks today were 700,000 shares. The closing quotations were: American Pacific, 45 1/2; Oregon, 45 1/2; Columbia, 45 1/2; Portland, 45 1/2; etc.

Portland Foreign Financial News. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial column says: The market here was optimistic early today on the report that General Buller was advancing toward Ladysmith. They became easier in the afternoon when the war office announced that it knew nothing of the early morning reports. Business, however, was too small for such reports. Consols touched 101 1/2 and closed 101 1/2 lower.

Portland Money, Exchange, Etc. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Sterling on London 90 days, 84 1/2; 60 days, 84 1/2; 30 days, 84 1/2. Mexican dollars—80 to 85. Drafts—Right, 100; to telegraphic, 110.

Portland Stocks in London. LONDON, Feb. 5.—Canadian Pacific, 69 1/2; Union Pacific, 70 1/2; Northern Pacific, 71 1/2; Atchafalaya, 21; Grand Trunk, 7 1/2; Anaconda, 8 1/2.

Portland Prices for Cereals in European and American Ports. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Wheat—No. 1, \$2.00; No. 2, \$1.90; No. 3, \$1.80. Corn—No. 1, \$1.50; No. 2, \$1.40; No. 3, \$1.30.

Portland New York Stock Market. Considerable hardening apparent, in spite of extensive profit-taking. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The stock market today was active, with a general upward movement. Stocks which were leaders in activity and strength during the movement of last week were nearly all up to date. The profit-taking was met by a strong outside demand, and offerings were absorbed with little difficulty.

Portland Chicago Grain, Produce, Etc. CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—It was a dull day in the wheat pit, and a comfortable one for the bulls. May opened 1/2 cent down at 84 1/2. The weather was mild, and it was reported that snow, needed to protect the winter crop, had fallen in portions of the belt.

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Wheat and Stock Brokers. C. G. ANDERSON & CO. DIRECT WIRES TO New York Stock Exchange Chicago Board of Trade. SECOND FLOOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

CAPE NOME S. S. GEO. W. ELDER, S. S. NOME CITY S. S. DESPATCH. The above first-class steamers will sail every 10 days during the season for Cape Nome, York and St. Michael and Yukon river points. First Sailing, May 15.

CALIFORNIA & OREGON COAST S. S. CO. F. P. BAUMGARTNER, 253 Washington St. GRAY & MITCHELL, General Agents, San Francisco.

scored important advances in today's market, and the metals in general showed improvement in an undercurrent. The firmers were due almost entirely to strong cables from London. Tin advanced considerably more than 100 points, with demand at the advance price. News from the West was about in line with the expectations.

Trade with Australia. American Competition is Steadily Increasing in That Market. The following report, by the Sydney correspondent of a London trade publication, upon the steadily increasing consumption of American products in Australia, should be pleasant reading for our manufacturers.

Visible Grain Supply. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The following is the statement of the visible supply of grain in store and afloat on Saturday, February 3, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange:

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Wool—Springing, Nevada, 120c to 130c; Eastern Oregon, 120c to 130c; Oregon, valley, 20c to 25c. Fall—Northern Montana, 100c to 110c; Montana, 100c to 110c; Idaho, 100c to 110c.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK. CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Cattle—Fairly quiet, generally about 10c lower; Texas steers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; Western steers, \$3.00 to \$3.50.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE. THE FASTEST AND MOST DIRECT LINE TO THE EAST AND SOUTHEAST. IS THE UNION PACIFIC OVERLAND ROUTE. WORLD'S PICTORIAL LINE.

FAST MAIL AND PORTLAND-CHICAGO SPECIAL ROUTE. OCEAN DIVISION—Steamships sail from Portland, Feb. 10, 17, 24, 31; Sunday, Feb. 11, 18, 25, 3; Monday, Feb. 12, 19, 26, 4; Tuesday, Feb. 13, 20, 27, 5; Wednesday, Feb. 14, 21, 28, 6; Thursday, Feb. 15, 22, 29, 7; Friday, Feb. 16, 23, 30, 8; Saturday, Feb. 17, 24, 31, 9.

SHAKE RIVER ROUTE. REPUBLICAN, WASH. AND LEWISTON IDAHO. Steamers Spokane, Lewiston, and Republican leave Spokane daily at 1:30 P. M., arriving at Lewiston at 12 o'clock noon. Returning, the Spokane leaves Lewiston daily at 8 A. M., arriving at Spokane at 12 o'clock noon.

CHINA AND JAPAN, FROM PORTLAND. In connection with the OREGON RAILROAD & NAVIGATION CO. schedule, 1900 (subject to change):

Leave (into Regal, Full and 1st) Arrive. No. 2. First mail for Tacoma, Seattle, Olympia, Grays Harbor and South Sound ports. Leaves Portland, Feb. 10, 11:30 A. M. Arrives Seattle, Feb. 11, 11:30 P. M.

At Woodburn daily except Sunday (Sun. day) morning train connects with train for Astoria, leaving Woodburn at 7:00 A. M. Arrives Astoria at 10:00 A. M.

Rebates tickets on sale between Portland, Sacramento and San Francisco. New rates 21c per class and 1st second class, including baggage. Tickets and tickets to Sacramento and San Francisco, also JAPAN, CHINA, HONOLULU and KAUAI, OAHU, HAWAII, etc., returned to J. H. KIRKLAND, Ticket Agent, Portland, Or.

YAMHILL DIVISION. Passenger Depot, foot of Jefferson Street. Leave for Oregon daily at 7:30, 9:45, 11:30 A. M.; 1:30, 3:45, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45, 11:30 P. M. Arrive at Portland daily at 7:30, 9:45, 11:30 A. M.; 1:30, 3:45, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45, 11:30 P. M.

Pacific Coast Steamship Co. FOR ALASKA. THE COMPANY'S elegant steamships call at Seattle, Tacoma, Olympia, Everett, Bellingham, Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Tacoma, Olympia, Everett, Bellingham, Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Tacoma, Olympia, Everett, Bellingham, Vancouver, Victoria.

THE GREAT NORTHERN. Ticket Office: 122 Third St., Phone 699. LEAVE: This Flyer will leave on Monday, Feb. 6, 10:30 P. M. Arrive: Seattle, Feb. 7, 10:30 P. M.

JAPAN-AMERICAN LINE STEAMSHIP TOSU MARU. For Japan, China and all Asiatic ports via About February 22d.

WHITE COLLAR LINE. COLUMBIA RIVER & FORT BOUND NAVIGATION CO. PORTLAND AND ASTORIA. BAILY GATHER (Lumber-Store) Dock. Leave Portland daily every morning at 7 o'clock. Arrive Astoria at 10:30 A. M. Leave Astoria every night at 7 o'clock, except Sunday. Oregon phone Main 121. Columbia phone 121. B. B. SCOTT, President.

ASTORIA & COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD CO. LEAVE: For Mayaguez, Bellingham, ARRIVES: Grays Harbor, Westport, UNION DIVISION. Leave Astoria, Feb. 10, 11:30 A. M. Arrive Bellingham, Feb. 11, 11:30 P. M.

WASHINGTON & ALASKA STEAMSHIP CO. Steamship "CITY OF SEATTLE" will leave Seattle January 15, and every 10 days thereafter. For Vancouver, Ketchikan, Juneau, Skagway, Sitka, leaving from Seattle on Monday, January 15, 1900, at 10:30 A. M. Leave Vancouver at 10:30 A. M. and Sitka at 10:30 A. M. Ticket office, 225 Morrison St. and Union Depot. J. C. MAYO, Gen. Pass. Agt., Astoria, Or.

Freedom From Pain. EAST VIA SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY. In a blinding flash is endured only by persons who are in perfect health. The system that you may be hale, hearty and in perfect health. The system that you may be hale, hearty and in perfect health. The system that you may be hale, hearty and in perfect health.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE. GO EAST VIA OREGON SHORT LINE RAILROAD. THROUGH SALT LAKE CITY, DENVER, OMAHA, KANSAS CITY, ST. LOUIS, CHICAGO and the ATLANTIC SEABOARD. LEAVING PORTLAND UNION DEPOT, DAILY, AT 8:30 P. M.

NEW Lumber Company. ST. PAUL, Feb. 5.—Frederick Weyerhaeuser, the lumber magnate, with 11 associates, left tonight for Tacoma, where the final steps will be taken in the formation of a new lumber company to manage the business from the 200,000 acres of timber land in Washington recently purchased from the Northern Pacific Railway Company.

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