

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

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coming to hand sell at about 11 per cent of 15 boxes. California cherries are plentiful at from 50 cents to \$1 per box, according to quality.

VEGETABLES—The last steamer sailing south took away about 2000 sacks of potatoes, and the steamer which preceded her had about 1800 sacks, which would indicate that there is still a market in the Bay city for good potatoes.

MEAT AND PROVISIONS.—Mutton—Good, best sheep, wethers and ewes, shorn, \$3.00 to \$3.50; dressed, 75¢ per pound; spring lamb, \$4.00 to \$4.50; dressed, 80¢ per pound.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.—Buying Did Not Extend Beyond the Banks of Professionals.—NEW YORK, May 23.—An effort was made to repeat yesterday's lively demonstration in the stock market.

Bank Clearings.—Portland, \$23,393; Astoria, \$4,149; Tacoma, \$1,717; Spokane, \$11,605.

PORTLAND MARKET.—Wheat—Walla Walla, \$1.02 to \$1.05; bluestem, \$1.00 to \$1.05; prairie, \$1.00 to \$1.05; Oregon, \$1.00 to \$1.05.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.—Vegetables—Parsnips, \$1; carrots, 75¢; turnips, 75¢ per sack; onions, 1½¢ per pound.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.—Coffee—Mocha, 25¢; Java, fancy, 25¢; Java, good, 25¢; Java, ordinary, 25¢.

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for roasted; comestants, 90¢ per dozen; walrus, 10¢ per pound; pine nuts, 10¢; history nuts, 7¢; chestnuts, 11¢; Brazil, 11¢; almonds, 15¢ per pound.

Money, Exchange, Etc.—SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Settling on London—60 days, \$4.85; 90 days, \$4.90; 120 days, \$4.95.

Foreign Financial News.—NEW YORK, May 23.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial calendar says: The markets here were still heavy today, except corn, which hardened on receipt of bullion.

Stocks in London.—LONDON, May 23.—Astonish, 204; Canadian Pacific, 104; Union Pacific, 104; Northern Pacific, 104; Grand Trunk, 74; Alameda, 64.

THE GRAIN MARKETS.—Prices for Cereals in European and American Ports.—SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Wheat, steady; barley, steady; oats, steady; corn, steady.

Chicago Grain and Produce.—CHICAGO, May 23.—The long-looked-for rain has fallen in the Northwest. It was reported when traders climbed into the wheat pit.

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