

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

Portland markets were dull yesterday. Wheat was a little steadier than it was Saturday, but the quotations remained the same. The market for Eastern tencency was upward, but the local market was unresponsive.

Bank Clearings. Exchange, \$23,200; Portland, \$13,901; Tacoma, \$13,901; Seattle, \$22,562; Spokane, \$22,562.

GRAIN MARKETS. Wheat—Walla Walla, \$1.05; Valley, \$1.05; bluestem, \$1.05 per bushel. Flour—Best grades, \$1.05 per barrel.

BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY, ETC. Butter—Fancy creamery, \$0.25; store, \$0.22 per pound. Eggs—Eastern, \$0.25; Oregon ranch, \$0.25 per dozen.

VEGETABLES, FRUITS, ETC. Vegetables—Parsnips, \$0.25; turnips, \$0.25; carrots, \$0.25 per sack. Fruits—Lemons, \$0.25 per bushel.

HOPS, WOOL, HIDES, ETC. Hops—New crop, \$1.15 per pound; 1899 crop, \$0.75. Wool—Valley, \$1.25; Eastern Oregon, \$1.25 per pound.

MEAT AND PROVISIONS. Mutton—Oregon, best sheep, wethers, \$1.25; ewes, \$1.00 per pound. Beef—Oregon, choice heavy, \$1.25 per pound.

COFFEES, SUGARS, ETC. Coffee—Mocha, \$1.25; Java, fancy, \$1.25. Sugar—Cuba, \$1.25; Java, ordinary, \$1.25.

GRAIN, PROVISIONS, STOCKS AND COTTON. Board of Trade and Stock Exchange Brokers. Grain—Wheat, \$1.05; Flour, \$1.05 per barrel.

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CULLISON & CO. Board of Trade and Stock Exchange Brokers. GRAIN, PROVISIONS, STOCKS AND COTTON. BOUGHT AND SOLD FOR CASH ON CARRIED ON MARGINS.

28 3/8 demand, and at 24 3/8 1/2 3/4 for 60 days; posted rates, \$1 1/4 1/2 3/4. Commercial gold, \$1 1/4 1/2 3/4. Silver certificates, \$1 1/4 1/2 3/4.

BRITAIN EXACTED INCOME TAX. NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The Evening Post says: American holders of British Government bonds today made known the fact that the 5 per cent income tax had been exacted from them by the English Government.

EUROPEAN GRAIN MARKETS. LONDON, Jan. 21.—Cargoes on passage, less offering; cargoes Walla Walla, 28 3/8; English country markets, part 64 cheaper.

VISIBLE GRAIN SUPPLY. NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The visible supply of grain, Saturday, January 19, as reported by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 61,136,000 bushels; increase, 46,000.

ARGENTINA'S FLOUR SURPLUS. LONDON, Jan. 21.—The Buenos Ayres correspondent of the Times says: Official statistics estimate the exportable surplus of wheat flour at 1,750,000 tons.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Wool—Spring—Nevada, \$1.15; Eastern Oregon, \$1.15; Valley Oregon, \$1.15.

THE GRAIN MARKETS. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Wheat futures inactive; spot steady. Barley earlier. Oats quiet. December, \$1.07 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE. CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Wheat—May wheat advanced 1/4 to a shade higher, at 74 3/4.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK. CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 39,000 head, including 700 head Texas. Good to choice, strong to shade higher.

THE METAL MARKETS. NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Considerable firmness was developed in the local market for the following: an advance of 1/2 for spot and 1/4 for futures in London.

LONDON WOOL OFFERS. LONDON, Jan. 21.—The offerings at the wool auctions amounted to 14,344 bales. The selection was varied.

NATIONAL BUSINESS LEAGUE BANQUET. CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—The National Business League will give a banquet at the Auditorium January 21, which will be attended by prominent business men and legislators from all sections of the country.

COFFEE AND SUGAR OPTIONS. NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Coffee options closed dull, 5 points lower. Sales, 6500 bags, including May, \$5.80 1/2.

POSTOFFICE ROBBERY. CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Postoffice robbers entered the Oak Park Postoffice tonight and stole \$10,000 in cash and valuables.

WHEAT. Opening Highest Lowest Close. January 21 71 72 71 72. February 71 72 71 72. March 71 72 71 72.

Downing, Hopkins & Co. WHEAT AND STOCK BROKERS. Room 4, Ground Floor Chamber of Commerce. BOTH TELEPHONES.

Would Abolish the Academy. NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Rev. Dr. Davis T. Wylie, moderator of the New York Presbyterian Church, assailed the practices of the West Point cadets in his sermon yesterday morning.

GAMING AND GAMBLING. Dr. Felix Adler Makes a Distinction Between the Two. NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Dr. Felix Adler, in Carnegie Hall, during the course of an address on "The Gambling Passion and Its Consequences," made a distinction between gaming and gambling.

AT THE HOTELS. THE PERKINS. Peter Nelson, Astoria; James Wall, Astoria; W. S. Byers, Pendleton; J. Q. Williams, Hesperia; W. H. Grant, Astoria; W. H. Grant, Astoria; W. H. Grant, Astoria.

THE YELLOWSTONE PARK AND PIONEER DINING-CAR ROUTE. Leave Astoria, 8:30 A. M.; arrive Portland, 11:30 A. M.

NORTHERN PACIFIC. TRAVELERS' GUIDE. PORTLAND AND SALEM, OR. Steamer Elmore, for Oregon City, Butteville, Clatskanie, Astoria, and Lewis and Clark.

EAST TO THE SOUTH. SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY. Leave Astoria, 8:30 A. M.; arrive Portland, 11:30 A. M.

Burlington Route. The Sensible Way to Go. Any experienced traveler will tell you that the sensible way to go East is in a tourist sleeping-car.

JAPAN - AMERICAN LINE. STEAMSHIP TOSA MARU. For Japan, China, and all Asiatic points will leave Seattle.

ASTORIA & COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD CO. LEAVES Astoria, 8:30 A. M.; arrives Portland, 11:30 A. M.

WHITE COLLAR LINE. THE COMPANY'S steamship service includes Seattle, Portland, Astoria, and other points.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE. OREGON SHORT LINE. AND UNION PACIFIC. Union Depot, Sixth and J Streets.

THREE TRAINS DAILY FOR ALL POINTS EAST. "CHICAGO-PORTLAND SPECIAL." Leaves for the East, via Huntington, at 9:00 A. M.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS. Leaves for the East, via Huntington, at 9:00 P. M.

OCEAN AND RIVER SCHEDULE. Water lines schedule subject to change without notice.

WILLAMETTE RIVER DIVISION. PORTLAND AND SALEM, OR. Steamer Elmore, for Oregon City, Butteville, Clatskanie, Astoria, and Lewis and Clark.

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