COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

The sagging wheat market in Chicago yesterday had slight effect here. Foreign quotations were firm, which held the local prices up well, though late in the day there was a noticeable tendency to soften. In the past few days some wheat has been sold in Umatilla County, but it was for milling purposes, and the price was greater than the foreign market would warrant. Farmers are not selling at export prices, and there is no immediate prospect that they will.

The vegetable and produce market was well cleaned up yesterday, and the street will be in good condition this morning for the fresh arrivals by last night's steamer from San Francisco. Three carloads of oranges came in yesterday from California, but the supply of small oranges was out of proportion to that of the large ones. The prices hold firm.

The local supply of poultry is not sufficient for the demand. Yesterday morning the second shipment of cold-storage broilers came in from the East, 25 dozen, and they were taken by two establishments. But the treatment these chickens are subjected to reduces their quality, and there will be no market for the Eastern broilers when home-grown fowls can be obtained at living prices. The home supply is expected to be sufficient to keep out the foreigner in a few days.

Veal is notably firmer, and dressed hogs have gone up ½c. Shipments of veal to Puget Sound have been quite heavy for the past two days, with the result that the local market has hardened, and the butchers are likely to have some difficulty in supplying all their demands without paying over the 7c agreed upon as the limit.

Bank Clearings.

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Portland	$324,935	$65,206
Seattle	531,355	127,009
Tacoma	186,200	28,764
Spokane	228,310	12,890

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Etc.

Wheat—Nominal; Walla Walla, 65c; bluestem, 66c.

Barley—Feed, 20@21; brewing, $21@21 50 per ton.

Oats—No. 1 white, $1 20; gray, $1 10@1 15 per hundredweight.

Flour—Best grades, $2 85@3 40 per barrel; graham, $2 50@2 80.

Millstuffs—Bran, $17 per ton; middlings, $19; shorts, $18 50; chops, $16.

Hay—Timothy, $12@15; clover, $7 50@10 per ton.

Potatoes and Onions.

Potatoes—Best Burbanks, $1 25@1 50 per cental; ordinary, $1 10@1 25; Early Rose, $1 50@2 per cental, growers' prices; sweets, $2 25@2 50 per cental; new potatoes, 3¼@4c per pound.

Onions—$2 per cental, growers' prices.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

Butter—Weak. Creamery, 18½@20c; dairy, 15@17½c; store, 13@15c.

Eggs—15@16c.

Cheese—Full cream, twins, 13@13½c; Young America, 14@15c; factory prices, 1@1½c less.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, $4 50@5 50; hens, $5@6 per dozen, 11@11½c per pound; Springs, $4@5 50 per dozen; ducks, $5@7 per dozen; turkeys, live, 12@13c; dressed, 14@16c per pound; geese, $6 50@7 per dozen.

Meats and Provisions.

Veal—6@7½c per pound.

Mutton—Gross, 4½c per pound; dressed, 7½c.

Lamb—Gross, 5c per pound; dressed, 9c.

Lard—Portland, tierces, 12½@12¾c per pound; tubs, 12¾c; 50s, 12½@12¾c; 20s, 12¾@13c; 10s, 12¾@13¼c; 5s, 13@13¼c.

Hogs—Gross, 6¾c per pound; dressed, 7½@8c.

Beef—Gross, cows, 4@4½c per pound; steers, 5c; dressed, 8@8½c.

Lard—Eastern, pure leaf, kettle-rendered, tierces, 12@12¾c per pound; tubs, 12¾@13c; 50s, 12¾@13c; 20s, 12¾@13¼c; 10s, 12¾@13½c; 5s, 12¾@13¾c; 3s, 13@13¾c.

Lard—Compound, tierces, 9c per pound; 50s, 9¼c; 10s, 10c.

Hams—Portland, 13¼c per pound; picnic, 9⅝c; shoulders, 9⅝c.

Hams—Eastern—Best, 13¾c per pound; small, 13¼c; large, 13¼c.

Bacon—Portland, 14@16½c per pound; Eastern, best, 16½c; choice, 13½@14¾c; bellies, 13½@13¾c.

Dry-salted meats—Portland, clears, 11½@12½c; backs, 11@12c; bellies, 12@13c; plates, 10c; butts, 10c. Eastern—Clears, best, 12¾@13¼c per pound; choice, 11¼@12¾c; backs, 11¾@12¾c; bellies, 12@13c; plates, 11@12c.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

Vegetables—Tomatoes, $1 75@2 per crate; turnips, 65@75c; carrots, 65@75c; beets, 80@90c per sack; cauliflower, 75@85c per dozen; cabbage, $1@1 25 per cental; celery, 75c per dozen; peas, 4c per pound; asparagus, 7@7½c per pound; beans, 15@18c per pound; artichokes, 65@75c per dozen; lettuce, head, per dozen, 25c; lettuce, hothouse, per box, $1 75@2; green onions, per dozen, 15@20c.

Green fruit—Lemons, $3@3 50; oranges, $2 75@3 50 per box; bananas, $2 25@3; pineapples, $5 per dozen; apples, $1@2 25.

Dried fruit—Apples, evaporated, 7@8c per pound; sun-dried, sacks or boxes, 4@5c; apricots, 11½@12c; peaches, 8@11c; pears, 6@8c; prunes, Italian, 3@4c; figs, California, blacks, 4@5c; do. white, 5c; plums, pitted, 4@5c.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

Hops—12½@14c per pound.

Sheepskins—Shearings, 15@20c; short wool, 25@35c; medium wool, 30@60c; long wool, 60c@$1 each.

Tallow—Prime, per pound, 4@5c; No. 2 and grease, 2½@3c.

Wool—Nominal; Valley, 13@14c; Eastern Oregon, 9@11c; mohair, 23½c per pound.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 15@15½c per pound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 12c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 10c; dry salted, bulls and stags, one-third less than dry flint; salted hides, steers, sound 60 pounds and over, 8@9c; 50 to 60 pounds, 7½@8c; under 50 pounds and cows, 7c; stags and bulls, sound, 5@5½c; kip, sound, 15 to 30 pounds, 7c; veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 1c; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 8c; green (unsalted), 1c per pound less; culls, 1c per pound less; horse hides, salted, each, $1 50@2; dry, each, $1@1 50; colts' hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora, with wool on, each, 25c@$1.

Pelts—Bear skins as to size, No. 1, each, $5@20; cubs, $2@5; badger, each, 10@40c; wildcat, 25@50c; house cat, 5@10c; fox, common gray, each, 30@50c; do. red, each, $1 50@2; do. cross, each, $5@15; do. silver and black, each, $100@200; fisher, each, $5@6; lynx, each, $2@3; mink, strictly No. 1, each, 50c@$1 50; marten, dark Northern, $6@12; marten, pale, pine, according to size and color, $1 50@2; muskrats, large, each, 5@10c; skunk, each, 40@50c; civet or polecat, each, 5@10c; otter, for large prime skins, each, $5@7; panther, with head and claws perfect, each, $2@3; raccoon, for large prime, each, 30@50c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, each, $3 50@5; wolf, prairie (coyote), with head perfect, each, 50c@$1; wolf, prairie (coyote), without head, each, 50@80c; wolverine, each, $4@7; beaver, per skin, large, $5@6; do. medium, $3@4; do. small, $1@1 50; do. kits, 50@75c.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

Coffee—Mocha, 23@28c; Java, fancy, 26@32c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 18@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Costa Rica, ordinary, 10@12c per pound; Columbia roast, $11; Arbuckle's, $11 63 list; Lion, $11 13 list; Cordovas, $11 63 list.

Rice—Imperial, Japan No. 1, $5; No. 2, $4 50; Carolina head, 7c.

Salmon—Columbia River, one-pound tails, $1 75@1 90 per dozen; two-pound tails, $3; fancy one-pound flats, $1 90; ½-pound fancy flats, $1 25; Alaska tails, 95c; two-pound tails, $2.

Sugar—Cube, $4 70; crushed, $4 60; powdered, $4 55; dry granulated, $4 35; extra C, $3 85; golden C, $3 75 net per sack; beet sugar, $4 30 per sack; half-barrels, ¼c more than barrels; sacks, 10c per 100 less than barrels; maple, 15@16c per pound.

Honey—12½@15c per pound.

Grain bags—Calcutta, $6 12½@6 25 per 100 for July-August.

Nuts—Peanuts, 5½@6c per pound for raw, 8@8½c for roasted; cocoanuts, 85@90c per dozen; walnuts, 11@12½c per pound; pine nuts, 10@12½c; hickory nuts, 7c; chestnuts, $3 50@5 per drum; Brazil nuts, 7c; filberts, 15@16c; fancy pecans, 14@14½c; almonds, 12½@15c.

Coal oil—Cases, 20½c per gallon; barrels, 16c; tanks, 14c.

Stock salt—50s, $20 65; 100s, $20 15; granulated, 50s, $29 60; Liverpool, 50s, $30 80; 100s, $30 40; 200s, $30.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Break in Grain Sent Prices Up, Only to Be Wiped Out Near Close.

NEW YORK, April 25.—There was a persistent tendency today, among the stocks of grain-carrying railroads, to move in a see-saw fashion with the price of grain. The heavy liquidation and a violent break in prices in this morning's grain market sent prices of the grangers up with a rush, Union Pacific leading with an extreme advance of 2¼. The movement spent its force when it was seen that good buying had developed in the grain market at the decline, and that prices were rallying there from the slump caused by reports of last night's rains. The whole market felt the lack of the early aggressive leadership of Union Pacific, and during the final hour there was a ragged recession which wiped out many early gains and carried prices of important stocks among the grangers, coalers, New York public utilities and high-priced industrials below last night. There was a late advance in the Southern group, marked by very large buying of Southern Railway at an extreme advance of 1⅝. Louisville was lifted at the same time 2⅝, and Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville rose 3⅜ over last night, after erratic fluctuations. This movement seemed designed to check the decline elsewhere in the market, and when it was seen to be without effect, the Southern stock reacted. There was some bidding up of the grangers again at the close, which was active and steady.

There was large buying of the United States Steel stocks during the morning by brokers usually employed by the syndicate. This buying seemed to be in connection with the issues of the bond circular. The stocks reacted and became dull, with the rest of the market. The circular disclosed that $35,000,000 of the proceeds of the bond issue is designed to capitalize expenditures already made for improvements and for properties purchased. The executive committee estimates that the expenditures of $25,000,000 for proposed improvements will add $10,000,000 to $15,000,000 to the yearly profits. The $50,000,000 proceeds of the sale of bonds for cash are thus accounted for. The provision for the $10,000,000 allowed the underwriting syndicate and the managers, J. P. Morgan & Co., at the rate of 4 per cent of the $250,000,000 bond issue, is not made clear. There was a great variety of movements among the specialties.

Amalgamated Copper advanced on the conjecture that the consolidation of the Heinze interests was preliminary to their absorption. The stock lost the gain. Sugar was weak on the proposed investigation of the company's Cuban holdings by a Senate committee.

The activity of the stock market diverted interest from the bond market, but prices there were firmly held. Total sales, par value, $3,305,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

Closing Stock Quotations.

DESCRIPTION.	Sales.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Atchison	41,200	82½	81⅝	82⅛
do pfd	73,300	99⅛	98⅞	98⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	8,100	109½	109	109
do pfd				95
Canadian Pacific	31,100	129⅝	128	129¼
Canada Southern	1,400	93	92	92
Chesapeake & Ohio	16,900	48⅝	47⅝	48⅛
Chicago & Alton	1,900	38	37⅝	37½
do pfd	600	76½	76	76
Chicago, Ind. & Louis.	42,900	72¾	68	70⅝
do pfd	800	82½	81¾	82
Chicago & Eastern Ill.	100	167	167	165
Chicago Great Western	8,100	26⅜	25⅝	25⅞
do A pfd	100	89	89	88
do B pfd				46½
Chicago & N. W.	2,700	252	250½	251½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	300	178½	173	173
Chicago Term. & Tran.	1,900	21⅝	20	20⅝
do pfd	500	39	38¼	38½
C., C., C. & St. Louis	700	106⅝	106	105½
Colorado Southern	600	33	31⅝	31½
do 1st pfd	400	74	73⅝	73⅝
do 2d pfd	700	45½	45¼	45
Delaware & Hudson	8,400	177	175½	176
Del., Lack. & West.				256
Denver & Rio Grande	3,100	43⅝	43⅜	43⅝
do pfd	300	92½	92½	92
Erie	19,200	40½	39⅞	40
do 1st pfd	3,600	71	70½	70½
do 2d pfd	500	56¼	55½	55⅞
Great Northern pfd				184
Hocking Valley	2,200	84½	84	84⅛
do pfd	1,600	92½	91½	91½
Illinois Central	4,100	148⅞	148⅛	148
Iowa Central	400	49	48½	48⅝
do pfd	300	88½	88⅛	88
Lake Erie & Western	400	68½	67½	67½
do pfd				130
Louisville & Nashville	13,200	129¼	127½	128¼
Manhattan Elevated	8,100	136¼	135½	135½
Metropolitan Street Ry.	1,100	153	152½	152½
Mexican Central	8,900	29⅝	28⅝	29½
Mex. National (T. R.)	4,400	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝
Minn. & St. Louis	7,300	113⅞	112⅝	112½
Missouri Pacific	36,700	102	101¼	101⅜
Mo., Kansas & Texas	600	26	25⅝	25⅝
New Jersey Central	600	194	192	190
New York Central	15,400	161	159⅝	159⅝
Norfolk & Western	19,300	59⅝	59	59
do pfd				90
Ontario & Western	33,100	35⅝	35	35¼
Pennsylvania	26,800	152½	151½	151⅞
Reading	6,900	67⅝	66½	66½
do 1st pfd	4,300	87	86⅝	86⅝
do 2d pfd	31,800	73¼	72¼	72⅝
St. Louis & San Fran.	1,600	70½	69¼	69⅝
do 1st pfd	500	84	83½	84
do 2d pfd	300	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
St. Louis S. W.	500	28½	28½	28½
do pfd	1,600	61	60⅝	60⅝
St. Paul	31,100	170⅝	169⅝	170½
do pfd	700	191	191	191
Southern Pacific	32,500	68¼	67½	67⅝
Southern Railway	190,500	38⅝	36⅝	38
do pfd	3,900	96½	95⅝	96½
Texas & Pacific	4,600	43½	43	43
Toledo, St. L. & W.	500	23½	23	23
do pfd	3,400	40⅝	40⅜	40½
Union Pacific	32,900	106½	104½	105⅜
do pfd	7,200	88⅝	88	88
Wabash	19,100	27	26⅝	26⅝
do pfd	23,100	46⅛	45½	45⅞
Wheeling & Lake Erie	3,300	21½	21⅛	21
do 2d pfd	1,500	35½	34¾	34
Wisconsin Central	3,300	27	26½	26⅞
do pfd	1,000	49	48½	48⅝
Express Companies—				
Adams				205
American	100	230	230	230
United States	300	122½	122½	120
Wells-Fargo				210
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	52,500	68¼	67	67⅝
Amer. Car & Foundry	1,100	30⅝	30¼	30⅝
do pfd	1,900	91⅝	91	91½
American Linseed Oil	4,800	25	24¼	24¾
do pfd				54
Amer. Smelt. & Refin.	1,100	45¼	44¾	44½
do pfd	500	96½	96¼	96
Anaconda Mining Co.	1,500	116	118	116
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	58,600	71⅝	70	70¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	21,100	109½	108	108
Consolidated Gas	11,200	230⅝	228½	228
Cont. Tobacco pfd	5,100	124⅛	123½	121⅝
General Electric	1,400	329	327	328
Hocking Coal	1,600	22	21½	21⅝
International Paper	800	22	22	22
do pfd	400	75⅝	75½	75½
International Power	2,200	192⅝	188⅝	192½
National Biscuit	100	50	50	50
National Lead	200	18½	18½	18⅞
National Salt				20
do pfd (offered)				69⅝
North American	300	130½	130	129½
Pacific Coast				69
Pacific Mail	200	43	43	43
People's Gas	9,400	105½	104½	104⅝
Pressed Steel Car	9,600	44⅝	42⅝	43½
do pfd	5,400	86½	85	85⅝
Pullman Palace Car	300	248⅝	248⅝	239
Republic Steel	8,100	19⅞	19½	19½
do pfd	2,200	76	75½	75½
Sugar	19,200	127⅝	125¼	125¼
Tennessee Coal & Iron	11,200	74½	74	73
Union Bag & Paper Co.	200	16	16	15⅝
do pfd				80⅝
United States Leather	6,100	13¼	13	13
do pfd	700	84½	83½	83¼
United States Rubber				17⅝
do pfd				58½
United States Steel	74,700	43⅛	43⅜	43⅛
do pfd	63,400	94⅝	94	94⅝
Western Union	1,400	93	92½	92½
American Locomotive	14,300	36½	35⅝	35⅞
do pfd	2,600	99½	98⅝	98⅞
Kansas City Southern	2,100	27½	26⅝	26⅛
do pfd	2,200	61	60	60

Total sales for the day, 1,400,900 shares.

BONDS.

U S 2s, reg	109½	L & N un 4s	102¼
do coupon	109½	Mex Central 4s	84
do 3s, reg	108⅛	do 1st inc	34¼
do coupon	109¼	M & St L 4s	104½
do new 4s, reg	138	M K & T 4s	100⅝
do coupon	139¾	do 2ds	84
do old 4s, reg	111¼	N Y Cent 1sts	104
do coupon	111¾	do gen 3½s	109
do 5s, reg	105⅜	N J C gen 5s	140
do coupon	107	North Pac 4s	105¼
Atchison gen 4s	103½	do 3s	74½
Atchison adj 4s	94	N & W con 4s	101½
B & O 4s	102⅝	Reading gen 4s	99⅞
do 3½s	95⅝	St L & I M con 5s	116¼
do conv 4s	109	do 4s	98⅝
Can South 2ds	108	St L S W 1sts	100
Cent of Ga 5s	112¼	do 2ds	87
do 1st inc	87¼	S A & A P 4s offd	92
Ches & O 4½s	108⅝	Southern Pac 4s	93⅝
Chi & Alton 3½s	84⅝	Southern Ry 5s	122⅞
C B & Q new 4s	96¼	Tex & Pacific 1sts	120¼
C M & S P gen 4s	115½	T St L & W 4s	83½
C & N W con 7s	136½	Union Pacific 4s	105⅝
C R I & P 4s	112¼	do conv 4s ex in	109⅝
C C C & S L gn 4s	104½	Wabash 1sts	120
Chi Ter 4s offd	80½	do 2ds	111¼
Colo Southern 4s	95⅝	do deb B	75½
D & R G 4s	104¼	West Shore 4s	113⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	100⅝	W & L E 4s	92½
Erie gen 4s	88	Wyom Central 4s	90⅝
F W & D C 1sts	15	Con Tobacco 4s	68⅝
Hocking Val 4½s	110		

Closing Quotations.

BOSTON, April 25.—Closing quotations:

Money—		U. S. Steel	43⅝
Call loans	3½@4	do pfd	94½
Time loans	4 @5	Westinghouse com	113½
Bonds—		Mining—	
Atchison 4s	102¼	Adventure	$ 24 00
Gas 1st	86½	Allouez	3 50
Mex. Central 4s	82	Amalgamated	67 50
N. E. G. & C.	54	Bingham	36 62
Railroads—		Cal. & H. bid	565 00
Atchison	82¼	Centennial	20 50
do pfd	98⅝	Daly West	44 75
Boston & Albany	264	Dominion Coal	140 00
Boston & Maine	196	Franklin	11 00
Boston Elevated	120	Isle Royale	13 00
N. Y. N. H. & H.	235	Mohawk	37 00
Fitchburg pfd	146	Osceola	$ 63 50
Union Pacific	105⅛	Parrott	26 00
Mexican Central	29	Quincy	130 00

Miscellaneous—		Santa Fe Cop	2 75
Amer. Sugar	125⅝	Tamarack	175 00
do pfd	118½	Trimountain	95 00
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	182½	Trinity	13 50
Domin. Iron & S.	69	United States	21 62
Gen. Electric	328	Utah	23 00
Mass. Electric	44½	Victoria	5 00
do pfd	97	Winona	1 75
N. E. G. & C.	4	Wolverines	53 00
United Fruit	106½		

Stocks at London.

LONDON, April 25.—Closing quotations:

Anaconda	5⅛	Norfolk & West	60⅝
Atchison	82⅝	do pfd	92
do pfd	101¼	Ontario & West	36¼
Balt. & Ohio	111⅝	Pennsylvania	77⅝
Can. Pacific	132	Reading	34⅝
Ches. & Ohio	49¼	do 1st pfd	44⅝
Chi. Gr. West	26⅝	do 2d pfd	37
Chi., M. & St. P.	174½	Southern Ry	38
D. & R. G.	45⅛	do pfd	98¾
do pfd	95	Southern Pacific	69⅝
Erie	41⅝	Union Pacific	108¼
do 1st pfd	72⅝	do pfd	90½
do 2d pfd	57½	U. S. Steel	35
Illinois Central	151	do pfd	97
Louis. & Nash.	130¼	Wabash	27½
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	26½	do pfd	47½
do pfd	58⅝	Spanish 4s	78⅝
N. Y. Central	163½		

Foreign Financial News.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says:

The stock market continues to show a broadening tendency. There is a steady and cheerful investment business. Old consols sold at 94 11-16, and the new issue was at 1⅜ premium. The American department was fairly active and strong, closing at the top. Canadian Pacific was the feature on talk of New York and Montreal buying for control. In the street Union Pacific spurted, and United States Steel, after long neglect, is resuming attention. Mexican Railway firsts again dropped, losing 2½.

Copper was ¼ down to £52⅝ per ton, and Rio Tintos sold at 43⅝. Gold to the amount of £53,000 has been bought.

Paris Bourse Closes Heavy.

PARIS, April 25.—Business on the bourse today opened quiet, with prices firm, and closed heavy. Kaffirs were in demand during the first hours. Rentes were inactive. Spanish 4s and Italians were firm. Brazilians were easier. Ottoman Bank shares were in request, owing to rumors that the dividend will exceed that of the previous year. Thomson-Houstons were temporarily firm, on the favorable statement made before the shareholders' meeting yesterday. Later they relapsed on realization. Metropolitans were easier. Rio Tintos were favorably influenced by the advance in copper on New York advices. The private rate of discount was 2⅛ per cent.

Quiet on Berlin Bourse.

BERLIN, April 25.—Business on the bourse today was extremely quiet, except in the case of Canadian Pacifics, which were active and harder. Locals were dull and easier.

Money, Exchange, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Sterling on London—Sixty days, $4 86¼; sight, $4 88⅝.

Mexican dollars—Nominal.

Drafts—Sight, 15c; telegraph, 17½c.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Money on call steady at 1⅜@4 per cent; closing bid and asked, 3½@4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent.

Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87¼ for demand and $4 85⅝ for 60 days; posted rates, $4 86 and $4 88½; commercial bills, $4 84⅜@4 85⅜.

Mexican dollars—41c.

Government bonds firm; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds firm.

LONDON, April 25.—Consols for money, 94 1-16; do for account, 94 11-16.

Money, 2½@3 per cent; rate of discount for short bills, 2 13-16 per cent; for three-months' bills, 2⅞ per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Wool—Prices have been withdrawn, as the market is bare of offerings.

Hay—Wheat, $9@11 50; wheat and oat, $9@11 50; best barley, $7 50@9; alfalfa, $8@11; clover, $7@8 50 per ton; straw, 40@55c per bale.

Millstuffs—Middlings, $20 50@21; bran, $17 50@18 per ton.

Vegetables—Green peas, ¾@1c per pound; string beans, 10@12½c; asparagus, $2 25@2 50; tomatoes, $1@1 50; cucumbers, 50c@$1 25 per box; garlic, 2½@3c per pound; egg plant, 17½@20c.

Potatoes—Early Rose, $1 50@1 70; River Burbanks, $1 40@1 55; River Reds, $1 50@1 60; Oregon Burbanks, $1 60@1 85; sweets, $1 85 per cental.

Hops—New crop, 15@17½c.

Onions—$1 75@2 25.

Bananas—$1 25@3.

Citrus fruit—Common California lemons, 75c; choice, $2 50; Mexican limes, $4 50@5; oranges, navel, $1@3.

Pineapples—$3@4.

Apples—Choice, $1 75; common, 60c per box.

Eggs—Ranch, 15c.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 18c; fancy dairy, 17c per pound; do seconds, 15c.

Cheese—Young America, 8@10c; Eastern, 13@15c; new, 9c; do old, 9@11c.

Poultry—Turkey gobblers, 13@14c; turkey hens, 15@16c per pound; old roosters, $4 25@4 50 per dozen; young roosters, $6 50@8; small broilers, $2@3 50; large broilers, $4@4 50; fryers, $5@6 per dozen; hens, $4@5 50; old ducks, $4 50@5; young ducks, $7@8.

Receipts—Flour, 8655 quarter sacks; do Oregon, 28,044 quarter sacks; do Washington, 10,254 quarter sacks; wheat, 24,127 centals; barley, 6940 centals; oats, 1252 centals; beans, 683 sacks; potatoes, 418 sacks; do Oregon, 3397 sacks; bran, 750 sacks; middlings, 500 sacks; hay, 354 tons; wool, 1522 bales; hides, 318.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

OMAHA, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000. Market slow, 5@10c lower. Native steers, $4 80@6 90; cows and heifers, $3 75@6; Western steers, $4 75@6 15; Texas steers, $4 50@5 50; canners, $1 75@3 50; stockers and feeders, $2 75@5 22½; calves, $3 50@4; bulls, stags, etc., $2 75@5 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 8300. Market 5c higher. Heavy, $7 10@7 30; mixed, $7@7 10; light, $6 80@7 05; pigs, $5 50@6 60; bulk of sales, $6 90@7 10.

Sheep—Receipts, 1000. Market strong. Fed muttons, $5 40@6; Westerns, $4 40@5; ewes, $4 30@5 50; common and stockers, $3@4 83; lambs, $5 50@6 90.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000, including 200 Texans. Market steady. Native steers, $5 50@7 20; Texas and Indian steers, $5@6; Texas cows, $3 50@5; native cows and heifers, $3 50@6; stockers and feeders, $3 50@5 25; bulls, $3 50@5 10; calves, $4@6.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000. Market steady to 10c higher; bulk of sales, $6 90@7 20; heavy, $7 25@7 35; packers, $7@7 20; medium, $7 10@7 20; lights, $6 60@7 15; Yorkers, $7@7 15; pigs, $6@6 60.

Sheep—Receipts, 1500. Market steady. Muttons, $5 50@5 80; lambs, $6 50@6 85; range wethers, $5 55@5 90; ewes, $5@5 40.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 5600. Market 5@10c lower. Natives, $5 25@7 25; cows and heifers, $1 25@6 50; veals, $3 25@5 50; bulls and stags, $3@6; stockers and feeders, $2 20@5 35.

Hogs—Receipts, 5483. Market steady to strong. Light and light mixed, $6 85@7 17½; medium and heavy, $7 05@7 35; pigs, $4 35@6; bulls, $7@7 25.

Sheep—Receipts, 3515. Market steady to weak. Western lambs, $6 25@7 10; Western sheep, $4 85@6 25.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice, 5 7-16c; mild quiet; Cordova, 8¼@13c.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3⅜c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝c. Molasses sugar, 2⅝c; refined steady.

Coffee—Futures easy, closing with prices net 5@10 points lower. Sales were 45,500 bags, including: May, $4 90; July at $5 05@5 10; August, $5 20; September, $5 25@5 30; October, $5 30; December, $5 45@5 50; March, $5 70.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Sugar and coffee unchanged.

Chicago Provisions.

CHICAGO, April 25.—Provisions maintained a firm undertone the greater part of the session, in spite of the weakening influence of grains. Prices, however, slid off in the face of a light run of hogs and the highest prices of the year at the yards. Bears made some use of the contemplated prosecution of the meat trust to depress prices, but packers supported the market at the decline. There was a good demand, especially for lard. July pork closed 15c lower, lard 5@7½c off, and ribs 5@7½c down.

New York Fruit.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Evaporated apples quiet. No changes from yesterday's quotations. Prunes more active for jobbing account, and on new fruit some firmness is shown, though without actual improvement in prices. Old fruit easy and quiet. Peaches and apricots in some jobbing request and steady. Prunes, 3½@6½c. Apricots, boxes, 10½@13c; bags, 10@12c. Peaches, peeled, 14@18c; unpeeled, 5@11c.

ALMOST PANIC IN GRAIN

RAIN CAUSES A GREAT COMMOTION AT CHICAGO.

General Wheat-Dumping Process From Opening—Even Worse Break in Corn.

CHICAGO, April 25.—Rains in the four big surplus wheat and corn states played havoc with prices of grains on the Board of Trade today, and caused a commotion for a time that resembled a stampede. Prices spread so widely and so wildly that for a time a panic was feared. There was a wild opening in wheat. Rain had fallen during the night copiously over Iowa, Illinois, Missouri and Nebraska, and the situation was materially relieved in Kansas. The heavy downpour in this city, as usual, gave an added fright to wheat-holders, and there was a general wheat-dumping process from the sound of the opening gong. Everybody seemd to have selling orders. So rapid was the decline, and so irregular the fluctuations, that stop-loss orders were soon met, and additional stuff was thrown into the pit, contributing toward a further weakness. Two million bushels each were unloaded by several houses.

Aside from the weather news, conditions might be called bullish. The early English cables were not responsive to the slump of yesterday, but they soon got into line and closed weak. Receipts were small, and statistical papers issued bullish reports. Another support was the apparent steadiness of the Kansas City market in the face of the break here. Other outside markets were weak, but occasional reports still complained of crop damage. After the early tumult, prices recovered somewhat, but bearish sentiment induced further pressure, and the market weakened again. May wheat opened ½@⅝c to 1½@1⅝c lower, with sales as wide as 74⅜@73⅝c. July sold at the start between 76@75½c. The close was weak, May 1⅛@1¼c lower, at 74⅛c, and July 1¼c off, at 75⅛@75⅜c.

Corn suffered even a worse break than wheat at the opening, slumping as much as 2⅛c. Wheat sympathy and the general rains were the factors. All day the pit was a scene of much excitement and nervous feeling. Corn was dumped freely into the pit, regardless of prices. After the general selling movement had seemingly knocked the bottom out of the market, there was some responsive buying, and prices recovered 1½c from the lower point of the day. Subsequently much of this recovery was lost, as scalpers sold again. The close was weak, July and May closing 1c lower, at 63½c and 62¾c, respectively.

Oats declined with the break in other grains, but the market ruled comparatively quiet. The close was weak, May 1c lower, at 42⅛c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
WHEAT.				
May	$0 73⅝	$0 74⅝	$0 73⅝	$0 74⅛
July	75⅛	76	75⅛	75⅜
September	75⅛	75⅝	74⅞	75
CORN.				
May	61¼	62⅝	61¼	62¼
July	62½	64	62½	62¾
September	61⅞	63¼	61⅞	62⅝
OATS.				
May	41⅝	43	41⅝	42¼
July (old)	35	36¼	35	35⅝
July (new)	36⅝	37⅞	36⅝	37½
Sept. (old)	30	31¼	30	30⅝
Sept. (new)	32	33	32	32½
MESS PORK.				
May	16 72½	16 72½	16 60	16 62½
July	16 95	17 00	16 82½	16 87½
September	17 10	17 10	16 95	16 97½
LARD.				
May	9 87½	9 87½	9 82½	9 85
July	10 00	10 00	9 95	9 95
September	10 10	10 10	10 05	10 07½
SHORT RIBS.				
May	9 25	9 25	9 22½	9 22½
July	9 37½	9 40	9 32½	9 35
September	9 47½	9 50	9 42½	9 45

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Steady.

Wheat—No. 3 Spring, 74¼@74¾c; No. 2 red, 82½@83½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 63½c.

Oats—No. 2, 43@43½c; No. 2 white, 45@45½c; No. 3 white, 44½@45½c.

Rye—No. 2, 58c.

Barley—Fair to choice malting, 66@69c.

Rye—No. 2, 58c.

Flaxseed—No. 1, $1 68; No. 1 Northwestern, $1 79.

Timothy seed—Prime, $6 90@7.

Mess pork—$16 65@16 70 per bbl.

Lard—$9 82½@9 85 per cwt.

Short ribs sides—Loose, $9 15@9 25.

Dry salted shoulders—Boxed, $7 75@7 87½.

Short clear sides—Boxed, $9 70@9 80.

Clover—Contract grade, $8 35.

Butter—Weak; creameries, 17@21c; dairies, 17@20c.

Cheese—Steady, 12¾@13c.

Eggs—Easy; fresh, 15¼@15½c.

	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour, barrels	14,500	33,000
Wheat, bushels	22,000	5,000
Corn, bushels	66,000	99,000
Oats, bushels	170,000	230,000
Barley, bushels	20,000	....

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Flour—Receipts, 21,574 barrels; exports, 8607. Market easier, but not quotably lower.

Wheat—Receipts, 238,025 bushels; exports, 180,765 bushels; spot weak; No. 2 red, 87⅛c elevator; No. 2 red, 88⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 88⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 87c f. o. b. afloat.

A sensational decline followed the break in Western drouth conditions today, prices losing over 1c per bushel, and weakness prevailed all day. Market closed weak, at 1¼@1½c net decline. May, 80 9-16@81⅝c, closed 80⅝c; July, 80 11-16@81 9-16c, closed 80⅝c; September, 80¼@81⅝c, closed 80⅝c; December, 81 9-16@82⅛c, closed 81⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 91,500 bushels; exports, 5758 bushels; spot easier; No. 2, 47c; No. 3, 47c; No. 2 white, 52⅛@53c; No. 3 white, 52½c; track mixed Western, 48@49c; track white, 51@56c. Options sustained an early break on the good rains.

Hops—Firm.

Hides—Quiet.

Wool—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—Flour—Market dull and unchanged; Red Winter patents, $3 70@3 85; extra fancy and straight, $3 40@3 50; clear, $3@3 20.

Wheat—Lower; No. 2 red cash elevator, 79⅝c; track, 82¼@82⅝c; May, 79⅝c; July, 74¼@74½c; No. 2 hard, 76@80c.

Receipts—Flour, 4000 barrels; wheat, 11,000 bushels; corn, 54,000 bushels; oats, 47,000 bushels.

Shipments—Flour, 7000 barrels; wheat, 48,000 bushels; corn, 27,000 bushels; oats, 16,000 bushels.

Dry-salted meats—Steady; boxed lots extra shorts, $9 62½; clear ribs, $9 50; short clears, $9 75.

San Francisco Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Wheat quiet. Barley firm. Oats quiet.

Spot quotations:

Wheat—Shipping, $1 11¼; milling, $1 12½@1 15.

Barley—Feed, 94⅜@96¼c; brewing, 97½@$1.

Oats—Red, $1 22½@1 42½; white, $1 27½@1 45; black, $1 15@1 30.

Call board sales:

Wheat—Quiet; May, $1 10⅜ bid; December, $1 08¾; cash, $1 11¼.

Barley—Firm; May, 90⅛c bid; December, 77½c.

Corn—Large yellow, $1 37½@1 45.

European Grain Markets.

LONDON, April 25.—Wheat—Cargoes on passage quiet and steady; Walla Walla, 29s 6d.

LIVERPOOL, April 25.—Wheat firm. Wheat and flour in Paris dull. French country markets firm. Weather in England splendid.

THE SALMON PROBLEM.

Disappointment With the Opening of the Season.

From the Astorian.

There is no use of disguising it any longer. While it has been the custom to magnify the resources of this country of every kind at all times, it is but proper and right to tell the truth when solemn indications present themselves. The salmon industry is one of our greatest resources, and when the run is short it is felt all along the Columbia. The season opened with some misgivings, but still fishermen were inclined to look forward with hope, cannerymen were naturally silent and expectant, and the public and newspapers gave out words of encouragement. But the results have proved discouraging to all alike, and unless there is a great change this year's run will prove a failure.

While there is some of last year's stock still on hand, and it would be considered an important feature in the market should this season's run have opened up more prosperously, yet as it is, with the demand throughout this country and Europe for North Pacific salmon increasing, the old stock is but a drop in the bucket.

The ways of the salmon are the most mysterious of any of the wonders of nature. One year, two years, three years, in succession, streams flowing into the North Pacific are fairly blocked with them and the fishermen can scarcely take them from the contrivances with which they catch them fast enough. There comes a lull, and for the same period the run is light, and between hope and disappointment the toilers of the sea stand by and watch and wait. There are many theories for this strange phenomenon, and like all theories about the works of nature, they differ as variedly as do the sands of the sea. Some claim that nature will fulfill her implied promises and that history will repeat itself; others say that the hatcheries will do the work, but the man at the net and the web looks forward to the day when the fish will shoot the current, fill the streams and fall his prey by the hundreds and thousands, as of yore. The canneryman and his host of employes stand by the idle machinery and watch with anxious eyes the approach of the disappointed fishermen and their empty boats.

With the demand for salmon increasing throughout the country, and the territory for shipments from this country broadening, cannerymen and fishermen are naturally impatient over the prospects of the present season.

They wonder why, after the establishment of the hatcheries throughout the Pacific Northwest, at a great expenditure of money, labor and time the industry should not have reached a more certain and permanent basis. If theories were correct, and the prediction of the men at the helm of fish production had proved true, the salmon runs would already be as regular and reliable as the crop on a farm under the best system of cultivation and irrigation. But the time has been too limited to master so wonderful a feat as to comprehend and get control of an industry of the magnitude of the fisheries and handle them with the certainty and success with which agriculture, the first industry engaged in by man, is handled.

But there is no necessity of becoming discouraged. The season may prove practically a failure, and possibly the next, although each may yet prove a success, but every man engaged in the industry, from the commonest employe to the largest dealer, pins his faith upon the final permanent success of the industry in this country. Small runs mean larger ones to follow, and a glut in the market means a greater demand and larger prices later.

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Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, April 25.—A good business was closed in copper, the sales including 50,000 pounds of Lake for July delivery at 12c, and 100 tons of standard for August at 11.20c. The tone at the close was easy. Lake closed with spot at 11.87½@12.10c, electrolytic at 11½@12c and casting at 11½@12c. Standard on spot was quoted at 11@11.35c, and June-July at 11.05@11.25c. The London copper market was 5s higher, with spot and futures at £52 10s.

Tin was easy at New York, with spot at $27 80@27 95, while London was £2 higher, at £129 for spot, and £125 5s for futures.

Lead ruled steady, but quiet and unchanged here, at 4⅛c, and London was 1s 3d lower, at £11 12s 6d.

Spelter was steady, but unchanged, at $4 42½ at New York. London advanced 2s 6d, to £18 2s 6d.

Iron ruled steady to firm in the local market, but without change. Pig iron warrants were nominal; No. 1 foundry Northern, $19@20; No. 2 foundry Northern, $18@19; No. 1 foundry Southern, $17 50@18; No. 1 foundry Southern soft, $17 50@18. English markets were higher, with Glasgow closing at 53s 6d, and Middlesboro at 48s 46d.

Bar silver, 51⅝c.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Bar silver, 51⅝c.

LONDON, April 25.—Bar silver, steady, 23¾d per ounce.

New York Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Unchanged conditions prevail in the dry goods market, and business today has been on a decidedly moderate scale. Prices are firm. Notwithstanding the small demand, sellers show no indications of weakness in any direction.

St. Louis Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—Flour—Unchanged. Red Winter patents, $3 70@3 85; extra fancy and straight, $3 40@3 50; clear, $3@3 20.

Dry-salted meats steady; boxed lots extra shorts, $9 62½; clear ribs, $9 50; short clear, $9 75.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Cotton futures closed firm. April, 9.89c; May, 9.52c; June, 9.52c; July, 9.46c; August, 9.21c; September, 8.54c; October, 8.29c; November, 8.19c; December, 8.19c; January, 8.19c.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS.

Birth Returns.

April 9, boy to wife of J. E. Carnahan, 1064 East Sixth street.

April 21, boy to wife of R. L. Adams, 314 Third street.

April 20, girl to wife of J. Roach, 275 Baker street.

Death Returns.

April 23, Wah Back Sing, 30 years, 185 Second street; pneumonia.

April 22, Mrs. Margaret May, 34 years, St. Vincent's Hospital; consumption.

April 22, Chin Jong, 55 years, josshouse; consumption.

April 22, Girard Engel, 19 years; drowned in Willamette River.

April 23, John T. Fellows, 42 years, Good Samaritan Hospital; apoplexy.

April 23, Anna Marie Linns, 18 years, Good Samaritan Hospital; pneumonia.

April 23, James Udey, Good Samaritan Hospital; septicaemia.

Contagious Diseases.

Helen Clark, 171½ West Park street; typhoid fever.

Child of Dr. Littlefield, 700 East Burnside street; scarlet fever.

Three children of F. M. Herald, East Eighth street, between Mill and Stephens streets; scarlatina.

Building Permits.

I. H. Hembree, two-story dwelling, East Twenty-sixth street, between East Pine and East Oak; $1000.

F. W. Holcomb, two-story dwelling, East Eighth street, between Mason and Shaver; $2880.

R. H. Craddock, two-story dwelling, East Seventh street, between Mason and Shaver; $2880.

R. Patton Estate, two-story building, southwest corner Third and Madison; $11,000.

A. Erickson, alteration to building, northwest corner Second and Burnside; $3000.

Real Estate Transfers.

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*8:30 P. M.	OVERLAND EXPRESS TRAINS, for Salem, Roseburg, Ashland, Sacramento, Ogden, San Francisco, Mojave, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East.	*7:45 A. M.
*8:30 A. M.	At Woodburn (daily except Sunday), morning train connects with train for Mt. Angel, Silverton, Brownsville, Springfield, and Natron, and Albany Local for Mt. Angel and Silverton.	*7:00 P. M.
*4:00 P. M.	Albany passenger ..	*10:10 A. M.
*7:30 A. M.	Corvallis passenger.	*5:50 P. M.
‖4:50 P. M.	Sheridan passenger.	‖8:25 A. M.

*Daily. ‖Daily except Sunday.

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Arrive at Portland daily at 6:30 A. M., 1:35, 3:10, 4:30, 6:15, 7:40, 10 P. M. Daily except Sunday, 6:35, 10:50 A. M.; except Monday, 12:40 A. M.; Sunday only, 10:05 A. M.

Leave for Dallas daily except Sunday, 5:05 P. M. Arrive Portland 9:30 A. M. Passenger train leaves Dallas for Airlie Mondays, Wednesdays and Friday at 3:50 P. M. Returns Tuesdays and Saturdays.

*Except Sunday.

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PORTLAND

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Overland Express	2:00 P. M.	7:00 A. M.
Twin City, St. Louis & Kan. City Special.....	11:30 P. M.	7:45 P. M.
Puget Sound Limited, for South Bend, Gray's Harbor, Olympia, Tacoma and Seattle.....	8:35 A. M.	5:30 P. M.

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