

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

A jump in molar and a slump in potatoes were the principal features of the market...

WINTER-WHEAT AREA DECREASE. Fifteen Per Cent Less Than Sown Last Fall—Condition of Crop.

Bank Clearings. Clearings, Balance.

PORTLAND MARKETS. Grain, Flour, Etc.

Potatoes and Onions. Potatoes—Best Burbank, \$1.50 per cwt.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. Butter—Creamery, 16 1/2 cts per lb.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc. Vegetables—Tomatoes, 10 cts per cwt.

Meats and Provisions. Lard—Portland, 13 1/2 cts per pound.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc. Coffee—Mocha, 24 1/2 cts per lb.

Hops, Wool and Hides. Hops—1901 crop, 15 cts per lb.

Wool Sales Past Week. LONDON, May 12.—Wool sales past week were postponed today.

Sugar Down Five Points. NEW YORK, May 12.—All grades of refined sugar closed lower.

Stocks at London. LONDON, May 12.—Closing quotations.

Reduced Rates East. Grand Aerie Franchise Offered.

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STOCKS AND STOCK BROKERS

WALL STREET IS DEPRESSED OVER MONEY SITUATION.

Coal Miners Strike Another Bad Factor—Heavy Decline in Sterling Exchange Market.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The position of the local money market was undoubtedly the source of the depression which ruled in the stock market today.

FOREIGN FINANCIAL NEWS. Discouraging Peace Reports Cause London Stocks to Be Inactive.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: The stock market today was inactive and irregular.

Money, Exchange, Etc. SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Starting on London, 60 days, \$4.88; sight, \$4.88.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Money on call firm, 6 1/2 per cent; closing bid and asked, 5 1/2 per cent.

Chicago Provisions. CHICAGO, May 12.—Considerable profit-taking, after prices had been manipulated to the highest level for the year.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE. For Yokohama and Hong Kong, calling at Kobe, Nagasaki and Osaka.

Daily Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, May 12.—Today's Treasury statement shows available cash balances, \$185,800,102.

GRAIN MARKETS. When Opens Dull at Chicago, but Bulls Push Prices Up.

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Closing Stock Quotations. Attention is called to the fact that the following are closing quotations.

Table with columns: DESCRIPTION, LAST SALES, BID, ASKED, CHANGES.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Wool—Futures have been withdrawn as the market is bare of offerings.

Vegetables—Green peas, 10 cts per cwt; string beans, 12 cts per cwt.

Meats and Provisions. Lard—Portland, 13 1/2 cts per pound; lard, 14 cts per pound.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc. Coffee—Mocha, 24 1/2 cts per lb; Java, 24 cts per lb.

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Downing Hopkins & Co.

WHEAT AND STOCK BROKERS. Room 4, Ground Floor. Chamber of Commerce.

firm. Imports into United Kingdom: Wheat, 510,000; flour, 197,000; wheat and flour on passage to United Kingdom, 4,200,000; to Continent, 1,650,000 bushels.

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKETS. SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Wheat, quiet. Barley, dull. Oats, firm. Bran, firm. Hay, very firm.

Coffee and Sugar. NEW YORK, May 12.—Coffee—Spot Rio, 17 1/2; mild, quiet; Cordova, 18 1/2.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC. THREE TRAINS DAILY FOR ALL PORTS EAST.

UNION DEPOT. Leave. Arrive.

CHICAGO-PORTLAND SPECIAL. For the East via Hunt.

SPOKANE FLYER. For Eastern Washington, Walla Walla, Lewiston, Coeur d'Alene and all Northern points.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS. For the East via Hunt.

OCEAN AND RIVER SCHEDULE. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

FOR ASTORIA AND PORTLAND. For Astoria and Portland.

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Rooms. QUIMBY, L. P. W., Game and Forestry, 413-414.

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Rooms. SMITH, GEORGE S., Cashier Equitable Life of New York, 413-414.

Rooms. STOLTE, DR. CHAS. E., Dentist, 413-414.

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