

STORAGE OF BUTTER

Operations Commence Earlier Than Usual. Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

FILLING COOLER ORDERS

Speculators Evidently Afraid Present Firmness Will Lead to an Advance—Large Trade Under Way With North.

It seems to be generally believed that butter, like other food products, will continue to sell at comparatively high prices during the remainder of the season.

Most creameries think the quality of the butter is not good enough yet to be stored and will not move away before the local part of the month.

While some of the front-street commission firms found their trade slow yesterday, the city creameries reported an active movement.

HANS C. WALLBERG GOES TO EUROPE. Portland Hop Man Will Investigate Foreign Crop and Market Conditions.

Hans C. Wallberg, the well-known hop dealer of this city, will leave tomorrow for a four month trip to the western states and to Europe.

Mr. Wallberg, who has been in the hop business since 1890, will visit the hop-growing districts and thoroughly investigate the condition of the growing crop as well as the market prospects for the coming season.

Mr. Wallberg will take East with him for disposal of a quantity of hops of his own, also a number of lots belonging to his friends.

It is believed that the trip will be profitable for Mr. Wallberg, who has been in the hop business since 1890, and that he will be able to obtain a high price for his hops.

Although receipts of poultry were not as large yesterday as on Wednesday, the market was very slow, especially on old chickens, and even the sending of prices would not be expected to be much better.

The veal market shows a similar tone, and the best offerings are held at 12 1/2 to 13 cents per pound, while old Oregon onions are slow, but Texas and Australian onions are well.

Bank Clearings. Clearing balances. Portland, \$1,228,358; Seattle, \$1,000,000; Spokane, \$1,047,998.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, \$1.25@1.75; radish, \$2.00@2.50; eggs, \$1.50@1.75; beans, 10@12; tomatoes, 10@12.

NEW YORK, May 9.—The London tin market was somewhat irregular with spot and futures prices lower at 100.60.

Coffee and Sugar. NEW YORK, May 9.—Coffee futures opened steady, 80c.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Today's statement of the Treasury balances in the general fund shows...

NEW YORK, May 9.—Money on call, steady, 2 1/2 per cent.

BRINGS OUT STOCKS

Another Drop in Associated Oil—Home Telephone Firm. Associated Oil dropped to 37 1/2 on the stock exchange yesterday as against 38 1/2 the day before.

NOT WHAT WAS EXPECTED

Entire List—Active Trading—Confined to the Railroad Man Issues Alone. Prices Fall Sharply Throughout the Entire List—Active Trading—Confined to the Railroad Man Issues Alone.

NEW YORK, May 9.—It was only after the announcement of the Oregon Pacific financial plan that today's stock market showed any evidence of life.

The largest activity of the day was in the Oregon Pacific and the dealings in that stock took on a degree of excitement as the time for the meeting of the directors approached.

Previous to this episode the whole market was dull to a verge of stagnation and offered little call for serious discussion.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS. Adams Express, 30.90; Am. Can., 30.00; Am. C. & P., 100.00.

PHI DELTA PHI BANQUET. Members of Greek Letter Fraternity Hold Annual Reunion. The annual banquet of Phi Delta Phi, a fraternity of which President Roosevelt was a member, was given in the Commercial Club rooms.

Grain and Produce at New York. NEW YORK, May 9.—Flour—Receipts, 16,200 barrels; exports, 18,800 barrels.

Wheat and Lumber. NEW YORK, May 9.—Wheat, strong; barley, quiet; milling, 11.50@12.00.

Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Wheat, strong; barley, quiet; milling, 11.50@12.00.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS. Births, 111; deaths, 107; marriages, 18.

Deaths. HENRY—At St. Vincent's Hospital, May 8, Catherine Henry, aged 41 years.

Building Permits. MRS. STROUT—One-story frame dwelling, Garden street, corner of Blandina street.

Real Estate Investment Association. Real Estate Investment Association for the city of Portland, Oregon.

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SHARP ADVANCE IN THE EASTERN WHEAT MARKETS

Due to Cold Weather. Sentiment in Chicago Pit is Bullish All Day—Heavy Foreign Purchases of Cargoes—The Liverpool Market is Higher.

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