ORIENT WAKES UP

More Inquiry in the Export Flour Market.

WHEAT IS VERY STRONG

Demand From California Continues Heavy—Produce Markets Are Well Supplied With Trading on an Active Scale.

While there is no improvement in the export flour situation, so far as sales are concerned, the feeling is rather better than it has been for several weeks past. Oriental buyers are still below the Coast market, but, stimulated by the steady advance in wheat, are coming up gradually in their ideas. A number of inquiries have been received in the past few days, and it is likely they will soon result in some business. Another factor that is expected to have some influence on the situation is the change in management of the big Hongkong flour mills, following the suicide of A. H. Rennie. During Mr. Rennie's career the trade here was practically cut out of South China business. Now there is some awakening of interest in that quarter.

The advance in the foreign and Eastern wheat markets has given wheat a very strong tone here. The Board of Trade quotations were not advanced yesterday, but it was understood some of the exporters were paying a cent above the prices posted. Trade was on a limited scale, from all reports. As has been the case for several days past, the strongest demand for wheat was on the part of houses having California connections.

GOOD ATTENDANCE BOARD OF TRADE

Representative Gathering of Grain Men. New Sample Tables Used.

The attendance was larger, especially of grain men at the Board of Trade yesterday. The produce dealers are still backward in taking hold. An effort is being made to get them all to attend the special meeting next Monday night. They have been talking produce exchange for years and now that they have one, they should show some interest in it and keep it going.

The new grain sample tables were delivered at the Board yesterday and were entirely satisfactory to the members. The choice of locations will be sold at auction next Monday morning.

No changes were made in the official grain quotations, but in the produce list there were some alterations in poultry, fruit and vegetables, as noted in the quotations on this page.

The tone of the grain markets was pronounced stronger. Eggs were posted as weaker, owing to heavier arrivals. Poultry was firm, with a good demand. The vegetable and fruit trade was active with prices steady. The veal market was easier with only fat medium sizes wanted. Mutton was hard to sell with prices out to make sales.

Offers posted were as follows:

Offers to buy—100 cases candled eggs at 19½c.

Offers to sell—25 cases candled eggs at 17½c; 25 sacks No. 1 Oregon onions, at 4c; 10 cubes extra fancy creamery butter at 25c; 20 cases Tillamook cheese at 13½c.

STRAWBERRIES HARD TO DISPOSE OF

Jobbers Forced to Sell at a Loss—Navel Oranges Scarce.

The quality of the strawberries now coming in is better than that of the first shipments, but the demand is backward and comparatively low prices for the early period of the season is the result. Berries that are said to have cost $2.25 a crate in California were offered on the street at $2 and it was with difficulty that the day's arrivals of about 100 crates were cleaned up.

A car of oranges was received yesterday and the bulk of it disposed of. Navel oranges are becoming very scarce on the street.

A letter from Brawley said express shipments of cantaloupes would start on May 10 and carlot shipments on May 20. With the unusually large acreage, the crop promises to be immense.

Among the vegetable receipts was a shipment of fancy green asparagus from Hood River, which was quoted at 10 cents a pound. A car each of cabbage and mixed vegetables came from California. Mexican tomatoes are cleaning up well.

EGGS ARE AGAIN ACCUMULATING.

Weaker Tone in the Front-Street Market. Poultry Is Also Slow.

The egg market showed a weaker tone yesterday. Receipts were moderate and the city demand fair, but not enough to prevent an accumulation in the absence of outside orders. Prices quoted on the street were 18½ and 17 cents.

Poultry was also slow and hens were quoted weaker. The demand was principally for large Springs with some inquiry for turkeys.

Butter was active and generally quoted steady, though in some quarters on Front street the feeling was weak as supplies could not be disposed of as fast as received.

Bank Clearings.

Clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

	Clearings	Balances.
Portland	$1,003,753	$170,202
Seattle	1,253,104	109,992
Tacoma	646,196	78,593
Spokane	900,410	137,043

BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

WHEAT—Track prices: Club, $1@85c per bushel; red Russian, $2@83c; bluestem, 86@87c; Valley, 84@85c.

FLOUR—Patents, $4.65 per barrel; straights, $3.85@4.35; exports, $3.50@3.65; Valley, $4.45; ¼-sack graham, $4.15; whole wheat, $4.40; rye, $3.25.

BARLEY—Feed, $24 per ton; rolled, $27@28; brewing, $20.

OATS—No. 1 white, $26.50@27 per ton; gray, $26.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $26 per ton; middlings, $30.50; shorts, country, $28.50; city, $27.50; wheat and barley chop, $27.50.

HAY—Timothy, Willamette Valley, $17 per ton; Willamette Valley, ordinary, $15; Eastern Oregon, $17.50; mixed, $16; clover, $14; alfalfa, $12; alfalfa meal, $20.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER—Extras, 25c per pound; fancy, 24c; choice, 22½c; store, 16c.

EGGS—Loss and commission off, 16½c per dozen.

CHEESE—Fancy cream twins, 15½c per pound; full cream triplets, 15c; full cream Young Americas, 16c; cream brick, 20c; Swiss bulk, 20c; limburger, 22½c.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 13c per lb.; fancy hens, 14@15c; roosters, old, 9c; fryers, doz., $4@4.50; broilers, doz., $5; dressed poultry, per lb., 1c higher.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Select, selling price, 70c per hundred; Willamette Valley, buying price, 45c per hundred; East Multnomah, buying price, 50c; Clackamas, buying price, 55c per hundred; new California, 4@4½c per pound; sweet, 3½c per pound.

APPLES—Select, $2.50 per box; fancy, $2; choice, $1.50; ordinary, $1.25.

ONIONS—Job price, $4.75@5 per hundred; buying price, $4.25@4.50 per hundred; Texas Bermudas, $2.75 per crate; garlic, 25c per pound.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $2.50@3 per box; lemons, $2.75@3.75; strawberries, $2.25 per crate.

VEGETABLES — Turnips, $1 per sack; carrots, $1.50@1.75; beets, $1.25; parsnips, $1.25; cabbage, $2@2.50 per cwt.; tomatoes, Florida, $2.75@4 per crate; Mexican, $2; cauliflower, local, 75@75c; head lettuce, 40c per dozen; hothouse lettuce, $1.50@1.75 per box; cucumbers, $1.75@2.25 dozen; celery, 35c@$1 per dozen; artichokes, 50c per doz.; asparagus, 6½@8c pound; beans, 25c per pound; egg plant, 25@30c per pound; parsley, 25c per dozen; peas, 7@8c per pound; peppers, 20c per pound; radishes, 25c per dozen; rhubarb, 4@4½c per pound; spinnach, 85c per crate.

Meats and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS—Hogs, fancy, 7½@8c per pound; ordinary, 7c; large, 5@6c; veal, extra, 8@8½c; ordinary, 7@7½c; heavy, 6c; mutton, fancy, 11c; dressed Spring lambs, 9@10c; selling price, 11c; fancy, 12c.

HAMS—Hams, 10-12 lb., 14½c per pound; 14-16 lb., 14c; 18-20 lb., 14c.

BACON—Breakfast, 15½@22c per pound; picnics, 10c; cottage roll, 11c.

DRY SALT AND SMOKED—Regular short clears, smoked, 11½c per pound; unsmoked, 10½c; unsalted bellies, 10-12 lbs., smoked, 10@12c; 10-12 lbs., unsmoked, 12c; clear bellies, unsmoked, 12c; smoked, 14c; shoulders, 11c; tongues, 10c.

LARD—Kettle leaf, 10c, 12½c per pound; 5s, 12½c; 50s, tins, 12¼c; 8, rendered, 10s, 11¾c; 5s, 11¾c; compound, 10s, 8¾c.

JOBBERS' QUOTATIONS.

Fruits and Produce.

FRESH FRUITS—Grapefruit, $2.75@3.25; tangerines, $1.50 per box; bananas, 5½c per pound; crated, 6c.

VEGETABLES—Peas, 4@7c per pound; beans, 12½c; Texas onions, $2.65@2.75 per crate.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 10c per pound, peaches, 11@12½c; prunes, Italian, 5@6½c; prunes, French, 3@5c; currants, unwashed, cases, 9¼c; currants, washed, cases, 10c; figs, white, fancy, 50-pound boxes, 6¼c.

EGGS—Oregon ranch, candled, 16½@17c per dozen.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

RICE—Southern Japan, 5¼c; head, 6¼@7c; Imperial Japan, 6¼c.

COFFEE—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; good, 16@18c; ordinary, 12@16c per pound. Columbia roast cases, 100s, $14.50; 50s, $14.75; Arbuckle, $16.63; Lion, $15.88.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $2 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2.95; 1-pound flats, $2.10; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 95c; red, 1-pound talls, $1.45; sockeyes, 1-pound talls, $2.

SUGAR—Granulated, $5.45; extra C, $5.90; golden C, $5.85; fruit and berry sugar, $6.55; plain bag, $6.35; cube (barrels), $6.85; powdered (barrels), $6.70. Terms: On remittances within 15 days, deduct ¼c per pound; if later than 15 days and within 30 days, deduct ⅛c per pound; Maple sugar, 15@18c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 16½@18c per pound by sack; Brazil nuts, 16c; filberts 16c; pecans, 16c; almonds, 16½@18c, chestnuts, Ohio, 25c; peanuts, raw, 6¾@8½c per pound; roasted, 10c; pinenuts, 10@12c; hickory nuts, 10c; cocoanuts, 90c per dozen.

SALT—Granulated, $15 per ton; $2.25 per bale; half ground, 100s, $13.50 per ton; 50s, $14 per ton.

BEANS—Small whits, 4¼c; large white, 4.40c; pink, 3.85c; bayou, 3.80c; Lima, 6c; Mexican red, 4½c.

HONEY—Fancy, $3.50@3.75 per box.

CEREAL FOODS—Rolled oats, cream, 90-pound sacks, per barrel, $7; lower grades, $5.50@6.50; oatmeal, steel-cut, 45-pound sacks, $8 per barrel; 9-lb. sacks, $4.25 per bale; split peas, per 100 pounds, $4.25@4.80; pearl barley, $4.50@5 per 100 pounds; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, $2.75 per bale; flaked wheat, $2.75 per case.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—1907, prime and choice, 4@6c per pound; olds, 1@1½c per pound.

WOOL—Eastern Oregon, average best, 11@15c per pound, according to shrinkage; Valley, 12@15c, according to quality.

MOHAIR—Choice, 20@20½c per pound.

HIDES—Dry, 22@23½c; salt, No. 1, under 5 lbs., 14@16c; culls, 2c per lb. less; salted hides, 3c; salted calf, 9c; green (unsalted), 1c per lb. less; culls, 1c per lb. less; sheep skins, shearlings, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 25@30c; short wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 50@60c; medium wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 75c @$1.00; long wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, $1.25@1.50; horse hides, salted, each, according to size, each, $2.00@2.50; dry, according to size, each, $1.00@1.50; colt's hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 15@25c; Angoras, with wool on, each, 30c@$1.50.

FURS—For No. 1 skins: Bear skins, as to size, No. 1, each, $5.00@10.00; cubs, each, $1@3; badger, prime, each, 25@50c; cat, wild, with head perfect, 30@50c; house, 5@20c; fox, common gray, large prime, each, 40@50c red, each, $2@5; cross, each, $5@15; silver and black, each, $100@300; fishers, each, $5@8; lynx, each, $4.50@6.00; mink, strictly No. 1, each, according to size, $1@3; marten, dark northern, according to size and color, each, $10@15; marten, pale, according to size and color, each, $2.50@4; muskrats, large, each, 12@15c; skunk, each, 30@40c; civet or polecat, each, 5@15c; otter, for large, prime skin, each, $6@10; panther, with head and claws perfect, each, $2@3 raccoon, for prime large, each, 50@75c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, each, $3.50@5.00; prairi (coyote), 60c@$1.00; wolverine, each, $6@8.00.

Coal Oil and Gasoline.

REFINED OILS—Water white, iron barrels, 10½c; wood barrels, 14½c. Pearl oil, cases, 18c; head light, iron barrels, 12½c; cases, 19½c; wood barrels, 18½c. Eocene, cases, 21c. Special W. W., iron barrels, 14c; wood barrels, 18c. Elains, cases, 28c. Extra star, cases, 21c.

GASOLINE—V. M. and P. naphtha, iron barrels, 12½c; cases, 19½c. Red Crown gasoline, iron barrels, 16½c; cases, 22½c; motor gasoline, iron barrels, 13½c; cases, 22½c; 86 gasoline, iron barrels, 26c; cases, 27½c. Non 1 engine distillate, iron barrels, 9c; cases, 18c.

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—The following prices were quoted in the produce market today:

Vegetables—Garlic, 20@25c; green peas, $1.25@1.75; string beans, nominal; asparagus, 4@6c; tomatoes, $1.50@2.50; eggplant, 15@20c.

Poultry—Roosters, old, $4@4.50; roosters, young, $7.50@10; broilers, small, $4.50@5.50; broilers, large, $3@4; fryers, $7@8; hens, $5@10; ducks, old, $4@5; young, $5@7.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 25c; creamery seconds, 22½c; fancy dairy, 21½c.

Eggs—Store, 19½c; fancy ranch, 22c.

Cheese—New, 11½@12c; Young America, 12@13½c.

Millstuffs—Bran, $30.50@32; middlings, $33@36.

Hay—Spring, Humboldt and Mendocino, 20@22c; South Plains and San Joaquin, 5@7c; lambs, 6@10c.

Hops—New and old crops, 1½@5½c; contracts, 9@11c.

Hay—Wheat, $16@21; wheat and oats, $16@20; alfalfa, $9@14; stock, $8@10; straw, per bale, 55@90c.

Fruits—Apples, choice, $1.75; common, 60c; bananas, $1@2.50; Mexican limes, $6.50@7; California lemons, choice, $2.50; common, 75c; oranges, navels, $1.75@2.50; pineapples, $1.50@3.50.

Potatoes—Early Rose, $1.25@1.50; sweets, $2@2.50; Oregon Burbanks, 85c@$1.05.

Receipts—Flour, 9078 quarter sacks; wheat, 550 centals; barley, 3065 centals; oats, 1030 centals; beans, 105 sacks; potatoes, 2330 sacks; bran, 320 sacks; middlings, 243 sacks; hay, 362 tons; wool, 219 bales; hides, 2917.

Hops in London.

LIVERPOOL, April 21.—Hops in London (Pacific Coast), steady, £1 15s to £2 8s.

WHISKY RIOT IS SERIOUS

Hoquiam Austrian Colony Uses Axes and Knives While Drunk.

HOQUIAM, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—One Austrian lying in a critical condition in the local hospital from an ax wound in the face and severe kicks on his body; three countrymen in jail charged with his assault, one of them badly cut in the arm and the two others showing evidence of a lively scrimmage, are the results of a whisky riot in the Austrian colony here this evening, more serious consequences being prevented by the timely arrival of the police.

"Jack Splawn Club" Expands.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—The "Jack Splawn Club," organized to boost Captain Splawn's candidacy for the Governorship of the state on the Democratic ticket, has a large membership here and branches are to be established throughout the state. Locally many Republicans have promised their support, and the club is distinctly a non-partisan organization. Splawn's platform will be economy and reduction of taxation, his chief point being that there is too much money spent upon institutions and that the penitentiary, asylums and reform schools should be made self-supporting.

STEEL IN DEMAND

That and Union Pacific the Only Active Stocks.

GIVE TONE TO THE MARKET

Otherwise, Trading Is on an Insignificant Scale—Reopening of Foreign Exchanges Has No Effect—Bonds Are Irregular.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The extreme dullness of yesterday's stock market was unrelieved today by the resumption of operations in foreign stock markets and in Boston, although the Easter Monday holiday abroad was advanced as a special explanation for the halt in New York. Stocks were in light supply and were not pressed for sale in large volume, but, on the other hand, general demand was almost stagnant. The dull and almost motionless market is the consequence.

Immediate developments bearing on the financial situation were not important today. No official information can be secured of the progress making in the sales of new investment securities already offered, but the assumption is general that a very slow market exists for them as yet. It was rather significant that the filing of a mortgage for $30,000,000 on Illinois Central equipment caused a sharp drop in the price of that stock today. Pennsylvania was conspicuous for the reported determination of the directors to issue $60,000,000 of bonds under an authorization given many years ago, although there was no official announcement on this subject.

There was a notable absorption of United States Steel and the upward course of this stock and of Union Pacific was of large sympathetic effect on the whole list, leading to the strong closing.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,718,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Adams' Express	.....	.....	.....	178
Amal Copper	14,200	58	56½	57
Am Car & Foun.	500	33	32½	32¾
do preferred	100	92½	92½	93½
Am Cotton Oil	200	27	27	26½
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	90
Am Express	.....	.....	.....	190
Am Hd & Lt pf	.....	.....	.....	17½
American Ice	300	24½	24	24½
Am Linseed Oil	100	10¼	10¼	9¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	25
Am Locomotive	1,300	45¾	44¾	45½
do preferred	300	94¾	94	94
Am Smelt & Ref.	1,300	69⅝	67¾	69⅛
do preferred	300	98¼	95	95
Am Sugar Ref.	200	126¾	125¾	126
Am Tobacco, ctfs	200	89¾	88	89½
Anaconda Min Co	1,100	37¾	36¾	37¼
Atchison	1,300	76½	75¾	76⅝
do preferred	300	87¾	87¾	87⅝
Atl Coast Line	.....	.....	.....	73
Balt & Ohio	1,600	83¼	83	83⅝
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	88
Brook Rap Tran.	4,300	46¾	46	46½
Canadian Pacific	3,900	157	154½	155⅝
Central of N J	.....	.....	.....	174
Ches & Ohio	.....	.....	.....	31½
Chi Gt Western	2,300	14¾	14¼	14¾
Chicago & N W	.....	.....	.....	147¾
C, M & St Paul	3,900	119	117¾	118¾
Chi Ter & Tran	.....	.....	.....	5
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	15
C, C, C & St L	300	85¼	83	85½
Colo Fuel & Iron	2,600	24¼	23¼	24¼
Colo & Southern	1,400	29¾	29¼	29¾
do 1st preferred	300	67¼	67	67
do 2d preferred	300	48	47¼	48
Consolidated Gas	500	118	117¼	117¾
Corn Products	.....	.....	.....	13¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	65
Del & Hudson	700	153½	153	153¼
Del, Lack & West	.....	.....	.....	485
D & R Grande	.....	.....	.....	19½
do preferred	100	52¾	52¾	50
Distillers' Securi	600	31	30¾	31
Erie	1,500	17½	17¼	17½
do 1st preferred	.....	.....	.....	32¾
do 2d preferred	.....	.....	.....	23
General Electric	300	131	130	131½
Illinois Central	1,500	125	123	123½
Int Paper	.....	.....	.....	9
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	52
Int Pump	.....	.....	.....	22¼
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	69½
Iowa Central	200	12¾	12¾	12¾
do preferred	400	32¾	32½	32½
K C Southern	100	25¾	25½	25
do preferred	500	51¾	51	51½
Louis & Nashville	400	100	98¾	99¼
Mexican Central	200	16¾	16¾	16¾
Minn & St Louis	600	23	22	22
M, St P & S S M	100	110¼	110¼	110
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	125
Missouri Pacific	1,600	43½	43¼	43¾
Mo, Kan & Texas	500	24½	24½	24¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	59
National Lead	1,500	54¾	53¾	54¼
Mex Nat R R pf.	300	47¼	47	47
N Y Central	1,100	98	97¾	97¾
N Y Ont & West	.....	.....	.....	32½
Norfolk & Western	500	63¼	63¼	63½
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	80
North American	100	52	52	52
Pacific Mail	200	24¼	24	24¼
Pennsylvania	26,000	117¼	116¾	117
People's Gas	.....	.....	.....	107
Pitts C C & St L	.....	.....	.....	70
Pressed Steel Car	800	24¼	24	24¼
do preferred	200	78¼	77½	78
Pullman Pal Car	300	154¾	153½	153
Reading	41,300	105¼	104¾	105¾
do 1st preferred	.....	.....	.....	86½
do 2d preferred	100	81¾	81¾	81½
Republic Steel	2,200	17	16¾	17
do preferred	3,000	66	64	65½
Rock Island Co	400	15¾	15	15¾
do preferred	800	28¾	27¾	27¾
St L & S F 2 pf	.....	.....	.....	25
St L Southwest	.....	.....	.....	13¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	34¼
Southern Pacific	1,900	74¼	73½	74¼
do preferred	300	114	113½	114
Southern Railway	300	14¼	14¼	14¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	38½
Texas & Pacific	.....	.....	.....	18
Tol, St L & West	.....	.....	.....	17½
do preferred	200	40¾	40¼	39¾
Union Pacific	50,300	129	127¼	128¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	79
U S Express	.....	.....	.....	85
U S Realty	.....	.....	.....	90
U S Rubber	.....	.....	.....	19½
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	81¼
U S Steel	57,100	33¾	33¼	33
do preferred	5,500	99¾	98	99¼
Va-Caro Chemical	.....	.....	.....	19
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	90¾
Wabash	300	10	10	9¾
do preferred	100	17	17	17
Wells-Fargo Ex	.....	.....	.....	300
Westinghouse Elec	200	55½	54½	55½
Western Union	100	80¼	80½	80½
Wheel L & Erie	.....	.....	.....	7
Wisconsin Central	.....	.....	.....	14
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	39
Northern Pacific	9,000	126¼	125½	126½
Central Leather	200	22¼	22	22½
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	88½
Sloss-Sheffield	200	43½	43	43
Gt Northern pf	3,500	122¾	121½	122½
Inter Met	1,500	11¼	10½	11¼
do preferred	1,900	28¼	28	28¼
Utah Copper	1,200	30	29¾	29¾

Total sales for the day, 343,800 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Closing quotations:

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	103¾	N Y C G 3½s	90¼
do coupon	104	North Pacific 3s	72¾
U. S. 3s reg.	100¾	North Pacific 4s	100¼
do coupon	101¼	South Pacific 4s	85½
U. S. new 4s reg.	119½	Union Pacific 4s	100¾
do coupon	122½	Wiscon Cent 4s	81
Atchison adj. 4s	96¾	Japanese 4s	77
D & R G 4s	91		

Stocks at London.

LONDON, April 21.—Consols for money, 87; do for account, 87⅛.

Anaconda	7.62½	N. Y. Central	100.75
Atchison	78.00	Norfik & Wes	86.00
do pref.	90.00	do pref.	83.00
Balt & Ohio	85.50	Ont & West	33.50
Can Pacific	158.50	Pennsylvania	60.00
Ches & Ohio	32.50	Rand Mines	8.37½
Chi Gt West	3.00	Reading	53.75
C, M & S. P.	121.00	Southern Ry.	14.25
De Beers	10.62½	do pref.	40.50
D & R G.	20.50	South Pacific	73.62½
do pref.	55.50	Union Pacific	130.25
Erie	18.00	do pref.	83.00
do 1st pf.	34.00	U. S. Steel	33.00
do 2d pf.	24.00	do pref.	101.00
Grand Trunk	15.12½	Wabash	10.50
Ill Central	128.50	do pref.	18.00
L & N.	101.50	Spanish 4s	92.75
Mo. K. & T.	23.00	Amal Copper	58.02½

Money Exchange, Etc.

LONDON, April 21.—Bar silver—Steady, 25 3-16d per ounce.

Money—2@2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2⅛@2⅜ per cent; three months' bills 2¾ per cent.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Money on call, easy, 1½@2 per cent; ruling rate, 1½; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2. Time loans dull but slightly firmer; 60 days, 2¼@2½ per cent; 90 days, 2½@2; six months, 3¼@3¾. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent.

Sterling exchange strong with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8740@4.8745 for demand and at $4.85@4.8505 for 60-day bills. Commercial bills, $4.84½.

Bar silver, 54¾c.

Mexican dollars, 47c.

Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, irregular.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—Silver Bars—54¾c.

Mexican dollars—51c.

Drafts—Sight, 5c; telegraph, 7½c.

Sterling on London—60 days, $4.85¾; sight, $4.87¾.

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Today's statement of the treasury shows:

Available cash balances	$292,217,773
Gold coin and bullion	72,400,398
Gold certificates	19,027,550

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices Quoted Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

A strong tone continues in the cattle and hog market with arrivals under local requirements. Sheep rules weak as receipts for some time have been large. In calves and lambs receipts are limited, but not many are needed as a sufficient supply of dressed stock is coming along. Receipts yesterday were 420 sheep and 430 cattle.

The following quotations were current on livestock in the local market yesterday:

CATTLE—Best steers, $4.75@5; medium, $4.25@4.75; common, $3.50@4; cows, best, $3.75@4; common, $3.25@3.75; calves, $4@4.50.

SHEEP—Best wethers, $6@6.25; ewes, $5@5.50; Spring lambs, $7.

HOGS—Best, $6@6.25; medium, $5.75@6; feeders, $5.25@5.50.

Eastern Livestock Markets.

OMAHA, April 21. — Cattle—Receipts, 2700; market, 10@15c higher. Native steers, $5@6.60; cows and heifers, $3.50@5.80; Western steers, $3.75@5.50; Texas steers, $3.25@5.25; range cows and heifers, $2.75@4.50; canners, $2@3.25; stockers and feeders, $3@5.30; calves, $3@5.50; bulls and stags, $3@5.

Hogs—Receipts, 6700; market, 10c lower. Heavy, $5.40@5.50; mixed, $5.35@5.45; light, $5.40@5.50; pigs, $4.50@5; bulk of sales, $5.40@5.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 4000; market, steady. Yearlings, $5.75@6.35; wethers, $5.50@6; ewes, $5@5.60; lambs, $7@7.50.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000; market, strong to 10c higher. Native steers, $5@6.80; native cows and heifers, $3.25@6.25; stockers and feeders, $3.75@5.40; bulls, $3.40@5.25; calves, $3.60@6; Western steers, $4.25@6; Western cows, $3.50@5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 5000; market, 5c lower. Bulk of sales, $5.50@5.70; heavy, $5.60@5.75; packers and butchers, $5.45@5.70; light, $5.40@5.65; pigs, $4@4.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 5000; market, steady. Muttons, $5@6.40; lambs, $6@7.50; range wethers, $4.75@6.90; fed ewes, $4.25@6.

CHICAGO, April 21. — Cattle—Receipts, about 2500; market strong. Beeves, $4.60@7.25; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.40; Texans, $4.50@5.50; calves, $4.50@6.25; Westerns, $4.50@5.30; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.30.

Hogs—Receipts, about 10,000; market, 10c lower. Light, $5.35@5.85; mixed, $5.40@5.87½; heavy, $5.35@5.85; rough, $5.35@5.55; pigs, $4.20@5.10; bulk of sales, $5.70@5.80.

Eastern Mining Stocks.

BOSTON, April 21.—Closing quotations:

Adventure	$ 1.50	Farrot	18.25
Allouez	24.50	Mohawk	51.00
Amalgamated	57.87½	Shannon	11.25
Atlantic	8.50	Tamarack	57.00
Bingham	.60	Trinity	13.00
Cal & Hecla	635.00	United Copper	66.00
Centennial	20.00	U. S. Mining	57.75
Copper Range	64.00	U. S. Oil	2.00
Daly West	8.87½	Utah	38.00
Domin Coal	49.50	Victoria	2.50
Franklin	6.62½	Winona	1.00
Granby	90.00	Wolverine	125.00
Isle Royale	18.25	North Butte	52.25
Mass Mining	2.75	Butte Coal	20.50
Michigan	10.50	Nevada	11.25
Mohawk	47.50	Cal & Ariz	90.00
Mont. C. & C.	.65	Ariz Com	17.25
Old Dominion	32.50	Green Cananea	7.87½
Osceola	80.00		

NEW YORK, April 21.—Closing quotations:

Adams Con	5	Little Chief	5
Alice	200	Ontario	425
Breece	10	Ophir	244
Brunswick Con	10	Potosi	16
Comstock Tun	41	Savage	30
C. C. & Va	1.40	Sierra Nevada	37
Iron Silver	100	Small Hopes	18
Leadville Con	5	Standard	160

Changes in Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreets show the following changes in available supplies as compared with previous account:

	Decreased. Bushels.
Wheat, U. S., east of Rockies	1,758,000
Canada	*107,000
Total, U. S. and Canada	1,649,000
Afloat for and in Europe	700,000
Total, Am. and European supply	2,349,000
Oats, U. S. and Canada	58,000
Corn, U. S. and Canada	190,000

*Increase.

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Evaporated apples are unchanged. Fancy are quoted at 10½@11c; choice, 8½@9¼c; prime, 7¼@7½c, and common to fair, 5¾@6¼c.

Prunes are quiet; Californias are quoted at 4¼@14c, and 5¾@10c for Oregon fruit.

Apricots are unchanged. Choice, 18@20c; extra choice, 19@21c; fancy, 20@24c.

Peaches are in moderate jobbing demand with choice quoted at 10½; extra choice, 11@11½c; fancy, 11½@12c, and extra fancy, 13@14c.

Raisins are dull with loose muscatels quoted at 5@6¼c; seeded raisins at 5½@8c, and London layers, $1.65@1.75.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The London tin market remained unchanged today. Locally the market ruled easy at a decline of about 17½ points at $1.75@1.95c.

London copper also eased off to £58 for spot and £58 10s for futures. New York quotations were unchanged. Lake, 12.75@12.87½c; electrolytic, 12.62½@12.75c; casting, 12.37½@12.50c.

Lead in London declined 1s 3d to £13 11s 3d, but locally closed unchanged at 3.97@4c.

Spelter was unchanged in both markets, in London at £21 5s and locally at 4.60@4.65c.

Iron closed unchanged in London at 80s 6d for standard foundry and 2d lower at 51s 9d for Cleveland warrants. The local market was easy, but unchanged.

Boston Wool Market Quiet.

BOSTON, April 21.—The wool market is much quieter than during the previous fortnight, but there is a more encouraging tone to the market.

California — Northern, 55@57c; middle county, 50@52c; southern, 53@55c.

Oregon—Eastern, No. 1 staple, 62@65c; Eastern No. 1 clothing, 55@58c; Valley No. 1, 48@50c.

Territory—Fine staple, 60@62c; fine medium staple, 58@60c; fine medium clothing, 56@58c; fine clothing, 50@55c; half-blood, 50@54c; three-eighths-blood, 50@52c; quarter-bloods, 54@58c.

Pulled—Extra, 60@65c; fine A, 55@57c; A supers, 44@48c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Coffee—Futures closed steady, net unchanged to 5 points higher. Sales were reported of 60,500 bags, including: May, 5.60c; July, 5.70c; September, 5.80c; December, 5.90c; March, 6c. Spot coffee, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 6c; Santos, No. 4, 8¾@8½c. Mild, quiet. Cordova, 9¾@12½c.

Sugar—Raw, firm. Fair refining, 3.96c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.46c; molasses sugar, 3.73c. Refined, steady. Crushed, 6.20c; powdered, 5.60c; granulated, 5.50c.

Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, April 21.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady. Creameries, 21@28c; dairies, 20@28c.

Eggs—Firm; at mark, cases included, 14½c; firsts, 14¾c; prime firsts, 15½c.

Cheese—Easy, 11½@12¼c.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Butter, firm, unchanged.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Steady, unchanged.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: April, 8.48c; May, 8.54c; June, 8.60c; July, 8.65c; August, 8.63c; September, 8.62c; October, 8.66c; November, 8.65c; December, 8.68c; January, 8.69c; March, 8.70c.

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