MARKET AT STAKE

Oregon Hops Must Be Picked Clean or Will Not Sell.

EASTERN TRADE'S NOTICE

Reputation of This State Almost Lost by Last Year's Slovenly Picking—Crop Conditions Are Good.

Julius Wolf, of Silverton, hop dealer and grower, returned yesterday from a month's visit to New York and other Eastern cities. Mr. Wolf saw a large number of brewers and dealers on his trip and without exception they complained to him of the poor manner in which Oregon hops were picked last year. Mr. Wolf said:

"The Eastern people gave me plainly to understand that unless Oregon hops are picked cleaner this year, there will be no market for them. They are going to discriminate against the slovenly packages of leaves and stems which some of the Oregon growers put up as hops. Salesmen that I met told me that as soon as they mentioned Oregon hops there was nothing doing, yet they found no trouble in interesting the brewers in California or Washington hops. The time has certainly come this year when the Oregon hop growers must pay attention to this matter, for with another dirty crop like that of last year's put on the market, Oregon's reputation for hops will be entirely gone."

Crop conditions the world over are in the main favorable. In Oregon, the yards could scarcely look better than they do today and in the other Coast districts the prospects are generally good. The New York crop does not appear to have suffered much from the hot wave, according to advices received yesterday. Cables from London were to the effect that the weather in England and on the Continent has again become favorable.

There was some inquiry in the local market yesterday for 1909 hops and several lots were reported to have changed hands, but the particulars were not made public. The demand for contracts was slow.

LEMON SUPPLY IS RUNNING LOW.

Stocks Will Give Out Before the Week Is Over.

There is going to be a lemon famine in this market before the week is over, regardless of the weather. At the advanced prices yesterday business was heavy and stocks were reduced to small compass.

The demand was active for all lines of fruit, and supplies were rather light. A car of watermelons arrived in the forenoon and sold quickly and three more cars came in last night. The street was bare of cantaloupes. Berries were also in light supply.

The first straight car of Elberta peaches was received from California and sold at $1.25 in large boxes. Crawfords were steady at 75@85 cents in regular boxes and Oregon clings were plentiful at 40@75 cents.

A car of fine Bartlett pears arrived from the south and were put on sale at $2.25@2.50 per box. A circular letter from the California Fruit Distributors says of California pear shipments: "The heavy movement of Bartlett pears from the Sacramento River is now on. Next week will see the height of the movement, after which a decline may be expected, followed closely by shipments from Suisun and Vacaville. The fruit is of fine quality this year, of good size and free from defects and is giving universal satisfaction wherever received."

Grape crop prospects in California are reported by the Fruit Distributors as follows: "Four or five days tof unusually warm weather have undoubtedly reduced the grape crop somewhat, some localities reporting a loss of 25 per cent. This is not, however, in sections that are noted as heavy producers and while there has undoubtedly been some loss there will be plenty of fruit left. Fontainbleau is the only variety now being offered, but black grapes should put in an appearance within the next ten days."

EXPORT FLOUR IS 20 CENTS HIGHER.

Patents Are Not Advanced, but Market Is Very Firm.

Export flour prices were advanced 20 cents a barrel yesterday to $3.80. No change was made in the price of patents, but as unfavorable reports are coming from some sections of the interior as to the condition of the wheat crop, it is possible that the price of patents will go higher before long. There is a fairly good foreign demand for flour, but the buyers are offering lower than going prices. A good business could have been done yesterday at the old quotations.

The wheat market was very firm and very quiet. Farmers were not in the market at the current quotations.

Local receipts, in cars, were reported by the Merchants Exchange as follows:

	Wheat	Barley	Flour	Oats	Hay
Monday	25	2	20	3	11
Tuesday	10	1	2	1	2
Year ago	3	..	5	4	3
Season to date	123	15	105	23	53
Year ago	15	3	47	14	20

VOLUME OF HIDE TRADE IS LARGER.

But Prices Show No Improvement and Prospects Are Not Bright.

There has been no improvement in the hide market since last week, advices from the East being discouraging, and holding out no prospect of better prices in the immediate future. There is a more active movement locally, however, as butchers have begun to let go more freely, and some of the local dealers have also been selling on a large scale.

The market for pelts holds about steady, local dealers paying 10½ cents for dry pelts laid down here.

Very little business is passing in the Valley wool market. Farmers and other holders are not disposed to accept the prices offered. Not over a third of the Valley clip has been sold to date.

Canada Buys More Eggs Than Country Sells.

According to Vice-Consul-General P. Gorman, of Montreal, last year the Dominion of Canada exported 552,850 dozen eggs, while there were imported from United States, Russia, China and Japan 1,136,120 dozen. It is estimated that with an average of 75 birds per farm, or 60,000,000 for the whole of Canada, there would be a profit of $60,000,000 a year, which shows the great importance of this industry. At present there are said to be less than 25,000,000 fowls in the country. In fact, wheat and cheese appear to be driving meat produce off the farms.

Chickens Strong at 20 Cents.

Receipts of chickens were large yesterday, two firms alone receiving over 40 coops, but the supply was not equal to the demand. Hens sold readily at 20 cents and many more could have been disposed of at that price. Springs brought 23 cents.

Eggs were moved with difficulty, but stocks on the street were not large enough to depress the market.

The butter market was very firm with the available supply light.

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$1,992,659	$180,965
Seattle	2,473,449	206,995
Tacoma	952,727	71,116
Spokane	754,991	98,615

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—Bluestem, 87@88c; club, 83@84c; red Russian, 80c; valley, 84c.

FLOUR—Patents, $3.15 per barrel; straights, $4.05@4.75; export, $3.80; Valley, $3.30; graham, $4.80; whole wheat, quarters, $5.

BARLEY—Feed and brewing, $19@20 per ton.

HAY—Track prices: Timothy, Willamette Valley, $20@21 per ton; Eastern Oregon, $22@24; alfalfa, new, $13@14.

CORN—Whole, $32; cracked, $33 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $20 per ton; middlings, $30; shorts, $21@22; rolled barley, $24.50@25.50.

OATS—No. 1 white, $26@27 per ton.

Dairy and Country Produce.

BUTTER—City creamery, extras, 30c; fancy outside creamery, 29@30c per pound; store, 23c. (Butter fat prices average 1½c per pound under regular prices.)

EGGS—Oregon candled, 21c per doz.; Eastern, 25c.

CHEESE—Full cream twins, 17@17½c per pound; Young America, 18@18½c.

POULTRY—Hens, 20c; Springs, 22½@23c; ducks, 14@15c; geese, 10@12c; turkeys, live, 20c; dressed, 22½@25c; squabs, $3 per dozen.

PORK—Fancy, 12½@13c per pound.

VEAL—Fancy, 11@11½c per pound.

Vegetables and Fruits.

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, Oregon Newtown, $2 per box; new, $1.75@2 per box; cherries 5@12½c per pound; apricots, $1.25@1.50 per box; plums, $1@1.25 per box; pears, new, $1.50@2.50 per box; peaches, 40c@$1.25 per box; grapes, $1.75 per box.

BERRIES—Raspberries, $1.25@1.60 per crate; loganberries, 75c@$1.25 per crate; blackberries, $1.75@2.25 per box.

MELONS—Watermelons, 2c per pound; cantaloupes, $3.50@3.75 per crate.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, $2.50@4; lemons, $7@8; grapefruit, $3.25@6 per box; bananas, 3½c per pound; pineapples, 7@9c per pound.

VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 60@75c per dozen; beans, 1@3c per pound; cabbage, 2½@2½c per pound; cauliflower, $2 per dozen; celery, 90c per dozen; corn, 45c per dozen; cucumbers, 80@90c per box; egg plant, 12½c per pound; hothouse lettuce, 50c@$1 per box; garlic, 10@12½c per pound; horseradish, $@10c per pound; green onions, 15c per dozen; peas, 2c; peppers, 75c per dozen; radishes, 15@20c per dozen; rhubarb, 2c per pound; squash, 75c per crate; tomatoes, 75c@$1.50 per box.

SACK VEGETABLES—Carrots, 85c@$1; beets, $1.50; parsnips, 75c@$1.

POTATOES—Old Oregon, 75c@$1 per hundred; new, 1½c per pound.

ONIONS—Walla Walla, $2.50 per sack.

HEAVY TRADE IN FRUITS

MELON SUPPLY AT SEATTLE IS NOT SUFFICIENT.

Cantaloupes Weaken in Anticipation of Larger Receipts—Eggs Firm but Not Likely to Advance.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 12.—(Special.)—Although cantaloupes held steady today at $3.50@4 for good stock, the market had a weak undertone, due largely to the expectation of more liberal receipts during the next few days. Watermelons moved with great rapidity today. Dealers could have disposed of two more carloads had they been available. The price held at 2 cents per pound.

Peaches and other small fruit moved better and prices were not materially changed, although freestone peaches did not sell above 90 cents. The presence on th market of much off-grade stock is depressing prices. A new method of selling pineapples has been adopted by several firms. The fruit is sold by the pound instead of by the dozen. lemons were quoted higher at $5. California celery was offered at $1.50 per dozen. Produce receipts were heavy, aggregating 19 straight carloads.

Poultry was very scarce. Receipts were nowhere near equal to the demand. Farmers appear to be too busy to ship. Eggs were firm, but there is a strong sentiment against advancing the price at this time. Butter was steady at the new price. Veal receipts were large, but the demand was brisk.

Wheat was not as strong, but yesterday's prices prevailed. Barley dropped back to $21, but oats held at $28.50 as the top.

SAN FRANCISCO QUOTATIONS.

Produce Prices Current in the Bay City Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12.—The following prices were current in the produce market today:

Butter—Fancy creamery, 29½c; creamery seconds, 28c; fancy dairy, 27c.

Cheese—New, 13@13½c; Young America, 15@16c.

Eggs—Store, 27c; fancy ranch, 28½c.

Poultry—Roosters, old, $5@5.50; roosters, young, $7@10; broilers, small, $2.25@3.00; broilers, large, $3.25@3.50; fryers, $5@6; hens, $5@10; ducks, old, $4.50@5; ducks, young, $@4.

Vegetables—Cucumbers, 15@75c; garlic, 2@4c; green peas, 3@4c; string beans, 2@4c; asparagus, nominal; tomatoes, 20c@$1.25; eggplant, 8@6c.

Hops—California, 11@14c.

Millstuffs—Bran, $32@33; middlings, $28@31.

Hay—Wheat, $9@14; wheat and oats, $9@12; alfalfa, $7@10; stock, $5@7; straw, per bale, 40@65c.

Fruit—Apples, choice, 75c@$1.25; apples, common, 25@50c; bananas, 75c@$3; Mexican limes, $6@6.50; California lemons, $2@6; oranges, navels, nominal; pineapples, $2.50@3.50.

Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 5132; Wheat, 1105 centals; barley, 9245 centals; oats, 10 centals; corn, 60 centals; potatoes, 3525 sacks; bran, 50 sacks; middlings, 3400 sacks; hay, 280 tons; wool, 260 bales; hides, 320.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The market for standard copper was weak, with spot, July, August, September and October closing at 11.50@11.90c. London, weak; spot, £52 16s 3d; futures, £53 8s 9d. Arrivals at New York, 2220 tons; custom-house returns showed exports of 2105 tons, making 8207 so far this month. Local dealers report no change in market for spot copper, quoting Lake at 12.62½@12.87½c; electrolytic at 12.25@12.50c; casting at 12.12½@12.25c.

Tin, dull; spot, 32.25@32.50c; July, 32.20@32.50c; August and September, 32.20@32.35c; October, 32.20@32.30c. London, easy; spot, £147 15s; futures, £149.

Lead, steady, 4.35@4.45c New York; 4.20@4.27½c East St. Louis. London, spot, £12 11s 3d.

Spelter, dull, 5.50@5.60c New York; 4.95@5.00 East St. Louis. London, spot, £22 7s 6d.

Iron, 48s 10½d for Cleveland warrants in London. Locally iron was quiet; No. 1 foundry Northern, $16.50@16.75; No. 2, $16.00@16.25; No. 1 Southern, $16.25@16.75; No. 1 foundry Southern soft, $16.00@16.25.

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust funds—	
Gold coin	$863,827,869
Silver dollars	491,660,000
Silver dollars of 1890	3,602,000
Silver certificates outstanding	491,900,000
General fund—	
Standard silver dollars in general fund	595,657
Current liabilities	103,143,021
Working balance in Treasury offices	39,177,728
In banks to credit of Treasurer of the United States	39,722,401
Subsidiary silver coin	19,748,185
Minor coin	1,209,659
Total balance in general fund	102,542,809

Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Butter, firm. Creameries, 24@28c; dairies, 23@26c.

Eggs, steady; receipts, 18,315 cases; at mark, cases included, 10@14c; firsts, 13c; prime firsts, 17c.

Cheese, steady. Daisies, 15½@15¾c; Twins, 15@15¼c; Young Americas, 15¾@16c; Long Horns, 15¾@16c.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Butter, firmer. Creamery specials, 29¾@30c; extras, 28¾@29c.

Cheese, firm, unchanged.

Eggs, firm. State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery, white, 27@29c; do, gathered white, 24@26c.

Changes in Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies as compared with previous statement:

	Bushels.
Wheat, United States east Rockies, decrease	545,000
Canada, increase	918,000
Total United States and Canada, increase	483,000
Total American and European supply, decrease	3,761,000
Corn, United States and Canada, decrease	647,000
Oats, United States and Canada, decrease	364,000

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet. Mid-uplands, 15.45c; mid-gulf, 16.70c. Sales, 2200 bales.

Futures closed easy. Closing bids: July, 15.45c; August, 14.94c; September, 15.30c; October, 12.65c; November, 12.51c; December, 12.48c; January, 12.44c; February, 12.44c; March, 12.46c; May, 12.50c.

RAINS ARE TOO LATE

That Is the Verdict of Wheat Traders at Chicago.

PRICES ARE PUSHED UP

September Closes Over a Cent Higher—Experts Reduce Their Estimates of the Outturn in the Spring Wheat States.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Unresponsive to rain was the verdict today against Spring wheat. Experts opinion to that effect turned the market here topsy-turvy and resulted in a clear advance of ¾c to 1¼c a bushel. Corn and oats became firm in sympathy and closed at prices varying from last night's level to ¾c higher in the case of the former and to ¾c up for the latter. Hog products swung in the opposite direction, finishing 10 to 22½c down.

Latest quotations for wheat were the topmost of the day. One expert, who is travelling in the Northwest for a Chicago firm, reduced his estimate on the North Dakota yield 10,000,000 bushels and indicated that with the crop in South Dakota and Minnesota, the total would be only 146,000,000 bushels as against 163,000,000 bushels, the inference from the Government figures. The output of the Canadian Northwest was put at 75,000,000 bushels, compared with 147,000,000 bushels, the official total last year.

Early news had been quite the other way. Receipts at Winnipeg were more than twice as large as on the corresponding day 12 months ago. Primary receipts were large, especially in the Southwest. Country sales of new wheat here were liberal, too, and there were rains over night in the Spring wheat states. The report of the North Dakota Commissioner of Agriculture was interpreted as meaning that rain had benefited wheat there materially.

All these influences, though, seemed to count for nothing. A sharp decline in values that had taken place early in the session was wiped out and quotations were chalked upward almost constantly the rest of the day. September ranged between $1.01⅝ and $1.06¼, closing 1c to 1⅛@1¼c net higher, at $1.03 to $1.03⅛.

September corn fluctuated from 58⅝ to 59¾c, finishing at 59⅝c, a gain of ⅜c. The cash market was steady. No. 2 yellow closed at 61½@61¾c.

In oats, covering by yesterday's sellers was a feature. The low and high points on September for the day were 38c and 38¾c, at the close ¼c net higher, at the last-named figure.

Final sales showed pork off 22½c; lard, 10 to 12½c and ribs 12½ to 17½@20c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
July	$1.04	$1.05	$1.02⅝	$1.05
Sept	1.01⅝	1.06¼	1.01⅝	1.03⅛
Dec	1.02⅝	1.04½	1.02⅝	1.04½
May	1.06	1.07½	1.05½	1.07¼
CORN.				
July	.57½	.58½	.57½	.58½
Sept	.59	.59⅝	.58⅝	.59⅝
Dec	.57	.57⅝	.56⅝	.57⅝
May	.58⅝	.59⅛	.58½	.59⅛
OATS.				
July	.40⅝	.41¼	.40⅝	.41¼
Sept	.38⅝	.38⅞	.38	.38⅞
Dec	.39½	.39⅝	.39	.39⅝
May	.41½	.41⅞	.41¼	.41⅞
MESS PORK.				
Sept	21.65	21.65	21.45	21.50
LARD.				
July	11.80	11.80	11.65	11.77½
Sept	11.85	11.85	11.72½	11.75
Oct	11.72½	11.72½	11.60	11.62½
SHORT RIBS.				
July	12.25	12.30	12.20	12.20
Sept	11.80	11.80	11.62½	11.65
Oct	11.77½	11.77½	11.60	11.65

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 32,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 355,000 bushels, compared with 146,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. The world's visible supply, as shown by Bradstreet's, decreased 3,716,000 bushels. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 9 cars; corn, 91 cars; oats, 64 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	13,500	12,200
Wheat, bushels	25,800	125,200
Corn, bushels	315,000	190,150
Oats, bushels	245,600	321,400
Rye, bushels	2,000	.....
Barley, bushels	45,000	9,400

Grain and Produce at New York.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Flour, quiet and steady. Spring patents, $5.60@5.85; Spring clears, $4.35@4.60. Receipts, 40,784 barrels; shipments, 9340 barrels.

Wheat opened easier under commission-house selling on confirmation of the reports of good rains in the Northwest, but the market developed decided firmness on the strength in the outside markets and reduced crop estimates in the Northwest, closing at 1⅛@1¼c net advance. July closed $1.11⅝; September, $1.08⅝; December, $1.09¼. Receipts, 51,200 bushels.

Hops—Dull.

Hides—Easy.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12.—Wheat—Firm. Barley—Firm.

Spot quotations:

Wheat—Shipping, $1.55@1.57½ per cental.

Barley—Feed, $1.02½@1.05 per cental; brewing, $1.07½@1.10.

Oats—Red, $1.17½@1.32½ per cental; white, $1.45@1.50; black, nominal.

Call board sales:

Wheat—No trading.

Barley—December, $1.10½ per cental.

Corn—Large yellow, $1.57½@1.60 per cental.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 12.—Wheat—July closed $1.61¼; September, $1.11; December, $1.09⅝.

Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.19⅝; No. 1 Northern, $1.17¼@1.19¼; No. 2 Northern, $1.15¼@1.17¼; No. 3 Northern, $1.12¼@1.14¼.

Flax closed $2.19¾.

Corn, No. 3 yellow, 57½@58½c.

Oats, No. 3 white, 43@44c.

Rye, No. 2, 72@73c.

European Grain Markets.

LONDON, July 12.—Cargoes, quiet but steady. Walla Walla for shipment, 1s higher, 34s 6d. English country markets, firm; French country markets, quiet.

LIVERPOOL, July 12.—Close: Wheat—July, 8s 10d; October, 6s 11¾d; December, 7s ¾d. Weather warmer.

Grain Markets of the Northwest.

TACOMA, July 12.—Wheat: Bluestem, 85c; club, 83c. Receipts of yesterday: Wheat 4 cars, oats 1 car.

SEATTLE, July 12.—Milling quotations: Bluestem, 85c; fortyfold, 85c; club, 84c; Fife, 84c; red Russian, 81c. Export wheat: Bluestem, 82c; fortyfold, 82c; club, 81c; Fife, 81c; red Russian, 78c. Yesterday's car receipts, wheat 9 cars, oats 2 cars, barley 4 cars.

COPPER STOCKS WEAKEN

FOLLOW DOWNWARD COURSE OF THE METAL MARKET.

German Foreign Office Statement Produces an Unpleasant Sensation in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Stocks suffered reaction in today's market after rising in the early dealings to about the high level rebound which had been in progress for several days. The movement was not accompanied by any notable change in the news of conditions, but there was distinct decrease in demand at the higher levels, incident to the reduction of the short interest and the disinclination of buyers of a more substantial kind to follow the rise in prices in face of the uncertain views of the conditions indicated by the six months of falling prices of stocks.

The copper stocks were the vulnerable spot in the list, Amalgamated Copper falling to a new low level for the year in consonance with a further decline of the price of copper in London. This special weakness had sympathetic effect on the general list, but the establishment of a downward tendency in the price movement had the effect of reviving some feeling of disquiet over the general business situation.

The tone of a statement, said to have been issued on behalf the German Foreign Office regarding diplomatic relations in Central and South America was the decisive influence in shaping the later movement of stock prices.

The fall in prices of copper metal to new low levels in London and reports of price concessions also in the New York copper market put a bad face on the situation in that industry and on the earning prospects of companies concerned in the mining and sale of the metal. The weakening effect of the liquidation in the coppers and the hesitation of buying on account of the extent of the rebound, made the market sensitive to the reported utterances of the German Foreign Office. The report was so circumstantial in giving official sanction to the statement and the statement itself was, at the same time, so provocative in tone, as to throw some feeling of consternation into the market and there was some hasty throwing over of stocks.

The direct contradiction in the tone of the utterance to the conciliatory statement on the subject from the same source earlier in the day served to throw suspicion on it and the lack of reliable confirmation left the report discredited and induced the shorts to cover and rally the market. The earlier declines were only partly recovered, leaving last prices below last night, but with the tone quite steady.

Crop news, money market conditions, the gold import prospects and other factors which have figured in the late market were supplanted by the technical position and the German sensation.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,413,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Allis Chalmers pf.	.....	.....	.....	27¾
Amal Copper	53,300	58½	55⅝	56
Am Agricultural	100	40	40	39¾
Am Beet Sugar	400	31⅝	31¼	31¼
American Can	1,200	8⅝	8½	8⅝
Am Car & Fdy	1,400	50⅝	49	48¾
Am Cotton Oil	100	60	60	59½
Am Hd & Lt pf.	100	30½	30½	30
Am Ice Securi	400	24	24	23
Am Linseed Oil	.....	.....	.....	12
Am Locomotive	.....	.....	.....	39
Am Smelt & Ref.	15,500	68⅝	66	66½
do preferred	100	101⅞	101⅞	101
Am Steel Fdy	.....	.....	.....	32
Am Sugar Ref	200	118¾	118½	118
Am Tel & Tel	1,800	133⅝	132	132⅛
Am Tobacco pf	.....	.....	.....	92
Am Woolen	200	28	27	26¾
Anaconda Min Co.	1,800	36⅝	35¾	35⅝
Atchison	16,300	99	97	97⅝
do preferred	200	100½	99⅞	99
Atl Coast Line	100	111	111	110⅝
Balt & Ohio	1,900	107⅞	107	107¼
Bethlehem Steel	.....	.....	.....	22
Brook Rap Tran.	13,900	78¾	76	76⅝
Canadian Pacific	2,700	188½	186⅝	187
Central Leather	500	33	32	32¼
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	104
Central of N J	400	270	265	265
Ches & Ohio	6,600	74¾	72	72½
Chicago & Alton	100	24	24	22½
Chicago Gt West	900	24	23¼	23¼
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	46
Chicago & N W	1,500	142¾	141	140½
C, M & St Paul	12,800	123½	120	124
C, C, C & St L	.....	.....	.....	76
Colo Fuel & Iron	500	32⅝	32	31⅝
Colo & Southern	.....	.....	.....	54½
Consolidated Gas	6,600	134¼	131½	132
Corn Products	1,000	14⅛	14	14
Del & Hudson	1,000	159	156	155½
D & R Grande	600	39½	39	39⅝
do preferred	500	71	70	70
Distillers' Securi	200	28½	28¼	28
Erie	1,400	25	24½	24½
do 1st preferred	.....	.....	.....	40
do 2d preferred	.....	.....	.....	30
General Electric	300	141	141	140
Gt Northern pf	6,400	123⅝	122	122½
Gt Northern Ore	1,000	51⅛	50	51
Illinois Central	100	139	139	128½
Interborough Met	2,700	18½	17⅝	17½
do preferred	5,800	52	50½	50⅞
Inter Harvester	700	94½	93½	93
Inter Marine pf	300	17¾	17	16
Int Paper	.....	.....	.....	10
Int Pump	200	43⅝	43½	43
Iowa Central	.....	.....	.....	16½
K C Southern	100	28¾	28¾	27⅞
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	53½
Laclede Gas	1,700	98	96⅞	96⅞
Louisville & Nash	1,100	143	141½	141½
Minn & St Louis	.....	.....	.....	29½
M, St P & S S M	100	127¼	127¼	125
Mo, Kan & Texas	1,000	32¾	31⅞	32
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	63
Missouri Pacific	1,100	59	56½	57½
National Biscuit	100	103	103	102½
National Lead	500	69½	68	68
Mex Nat Ry 2d pf	300	27½	27⅝	27
N Y Central	2,700	114	112	112¼
N Y, Ont & West	300	42⅝	42⅛	42
Norfolk & West	400	97¾	96⅞	96½
North American	100	66⅛	66⅛	66
Northern Pacific	4,600	117⅞	116	116¼
Pacific Mail	300	28	24⅞	24⅞
Pennsylvania	9,200	128⅞	127½	127⅝
People's Gas	400	105½	105	105
P C C & St L	.....	.....	.....	94½
Pittsburg Coal	.....	.....	.....	15½
Pressed Steel Car	300	31⅞	31½	31½
Pullman Pal Car	.....	.....	.....	155
Ry Steel Spring	200	32½	32½	31
Reading	129,700	146⅝	142⅝	143½
Republic Steel	200	29⅝	29⅝	29
do preferred	200	91⅞	91	91
Rock Island Co.	10,700	33½	30⅞	31½
do preferred	500	74	71½	71½
St L & S F 2 pf	.....	.....	.....	65
St L Southwestern	300	29½	29	28⅝
do preferred	800	69¾	69½	69
Sloss-Sheffield	.....	.....	.....	67
Southern Pacific	22,400	114⅝	111⅞	112¼
Southern Railway	800	22¾	22	22½
do preferred	600	54½	53½	52½
Tenn Copper	200	21	20½	20½
Texas & Pacific	700	28¼	27¾	27¾
Tol, St L & West	200	22¼	23¼	21
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	47½
Union Pacific	112,700	162⅝	158	160
do preferred	100	90¼	90¼	90
U S Realty	.....	.....	.....	70
U S Rubber	200	36½	36½	36
U S Steel	126,800	71⅝	68⅝	69¼
do preferred	1,000	116	114⅞	114⅞
Utah Copper	1,000	41⅝	40½	40½
Va-Caro Chemical	3,900	60½	59½	59½
Wabash	300	17⅞	17	17
do preferred	3,000	36¼	34½	35
Western Md	200	44½	44	44½
Westinghouse Elec	700	60	59	59½
Western Union	100	61	61	60¼
Wheel & L Erie	600	4½	4	4

Total sales for the day, 660,800 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Closing quotations:

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	100¼	N Y C G 3½s	87¾
do. coupon	100⅝	North Pacific 3s	71
U. S. 3s reg.	101¼	North Pacific 4s	100¼
do. coupon	101¾	Union Pacific 4s	100⅞
U. S. new 4s reg.	114⅞	Wisconsin Cent 4s	90½
do. coupon	114⅞	Japanese 4s	89¼
D & R G 4s	92⅝		

RESELLING AT LONDON

AMERICANS DISPOSE OF WOOL BOUGHT EARLIER IN YEAR.

Foreign Demand Is Good—Boston Market Drags With No Inquiry From Mills.

LONDON, July 21.—A large number of buyers attended the opening of the fourth series of wool auction sales today. There was a strong demand for the 9682 bales offered. Merinos and fine cross-breds were unchanged and Cape of Good Hope and Natal and coarse cross-breds ranged from unchanged to 5 per cent higher. Americans sold 300 bales bought earlier in the year.

American Mills Not Interested.

BOSTON, July 12.—General dullness continues in the local wool market. Business the past week was limited to purchases of clearly indicated wants. Prices are nominally steady, but the majority of transactions are said to be at a loss to dealers. New wools are arriving slowly from nearly all growing sections, the total receipts to date being considerably smaller than a year ago. Manufacturers are showing no interest either in new wools or unsold old fleeces. Prices of Western wools range as follows:

Territory wool, new clip Arizona, one sale of 5000 pounds in the original bags at 55 to 57c. Oregon wools, nominal. Texas wool: Twelve months' wool nominal, at 58 to 60c and eight months' stock at 54 to 56c. California wool: Prices nominal, with Northern quoted at 53@55c and Southern at 45 to 47c. Fulled wool: "A" supers nominal, at about 56 to 57c; "B" supers, 47 to 49c; fine combing, 53 to 55c; medium combing, 48 to 50c; coarse combing, 40 to 42c. California finest, 63 to 65c.

Wool at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, July 12.—Wool—Steady. Territory and Western mediums, 18@22½c; fine mediums, 16@17c; fine, 12@14c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Coffee closed 2@10 points lower. Sales, 22,600 bags. Closing bids follow: July, 6.76c; August, 6.85c; September, October and November, 6.90c; December, 6.95c; January, 6.98c; February, 6.99c; March, 7.01c; April, 7.03c; May, 6.05c; June, 7.06c. Spot, steady; No. 7 Rio, 8½c; Santos, No. 4, 9½c. Mild, quiet; Cordova, 10@12½c.

Raw sugar quiet; Muscovado, 89 test, 3.83c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.33c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 3.58c. Refined, steady; crushed, 5.85c; granulated, 5.15c; powdered, 5.25c.

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Evaporated apples, steady. Spot, fancy, 10⅝@11½c; choice, 8½@9c; common to fair, 6@6⅝c.

Prunes, steady; California, up to 30-40s, 3@9½c; Oregons, 4½@9½c.

HIGH PRICES HELD

Hogs of All Weights Sell at $10.25.

SUPPLY IS INADEQUATE

Lambs Are 5 Cents Higher at $5.90 for Choice—Values Are Well Maintained in the Cattle Line.

The remarkable strength shown by hogs is still the feature of the local livestock market. It is purely a question of supply and demand here, and the supply has proved to be a long way under the requirements of the local market. Six lots of hogs were sold at North Portland yesterday at $10.25, the high mark that was set Monday, and the weights ran from 195 to 440 pounds.

Some good cows have been showing up this week and the sales have been on a very satisfactory basis. There was not much doing in steers yesterday and the few sales ranged from $4.80 to $5.10. Good calves brought $6.75.

Lambs are also gaining in strength. A big bunch of 208 head of choice quality were sold at $5.90, an advance of 5 cents over last week's best price. Another lot went at $5.75. Sheep sold at $3.50.

Receipts yesterday were 167 cattle, 361 hogs and 66 horses and mules.

Shippers of the stock were Twohy Brothers, of Shaniko, four cars of horses and mules; W. A. Fields, of Idaho Falls, two cars of hogs; Franz Thompson, of Newport, by boat, 46 hogs; H. S. Neill, of Condon, four cars of cattle; L. A. Miller, of Condon, one car of cattle and J. C. Parsons, of St. Johns, Wash., two cars of hogs.

	Weight.	Price.
60 hogs	195	$10.25
46 hogs	195	10.25
208 lambs	71	5.90
72 lambs	72	5.75
19 sheep	94	3.50
9 steers	1019	5.10
2 cows	760	5.10
3 cows	713	4.50
9 cows	611	3.75
2 bulls	1325	3.75
1 cow	980	4.50
1 cow	850	3.75
29 cows	828	4.00
11 cows	964	4.00
84 hogs	220	10.25
86 hogs	224	10.25
1 hog	440	10.25
39 cows	934	3.00
6 cows	997	3.00
1 cow	1050	2.50
52 steers	1132	4.80
6 calves	320	6.75
8 calves	125	6.75
1 calf	110	6.75
73 hogs	222	10.25
69 hogs	236	10.25

Prices quoted on the various classes of stock at the yards yesterday were as follows:

Beef steers, good to choice California ..... $ 5.25@5.50

Beef steers, good to choice Eastern Oregon and Valley ..... 4.75@