ARE NOT INVESTING

No Demand for Stocks in New York Market

AND NO PRESSURE TO SELL

Wall Street, Consequently, Is Practically Deadlocked--Movement of Gold to Paris Points to Issuance of Russian Loan.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The bank statement was the only news of the day with any important bearing on the stock market, and it was accepted with languid interest. This was partly due to the feeling that the statement was not an accurate showing of actual conditions. An increase, although a small one, in the cash item of the bank statement this week, including the largest gold exports on record, is an anomaly in itself. It is partly explained by the fact that the statement does not reflect the $3,700,000 shipment of gold that went out today, and which will be carried over into next week's statement. Even allowing for this, the cash reserve is more than $2,000,000 better than was estimated from the known movements of money. Local cash operations are given as the explanation of the difference.

It is generally believed that the outgo of gold up to this time, except the Morgan shipment that went today, is for other purposes than the Panama Canal payment, the principal portion of which, therefore, remains to be provided for. The details of the operation are still somewhat obscure to Wall street, especially the manner of the actual withdrawal of Government deposits from the banks and gold from the Treasury and their immediate lodgment. This uncertainty was one of the factors in the stagnation of the day's stock market. The price movements were confined to specialties. Total bond sales were $997,000.

There has been no sign of life in the investment demand for stock this week, and prices have drifted sluggishly. The ease and abundance of money keeps the market free from any pressure to sell to procure cash resources, and those who are not obliged to sell have every incentive to keep their offerings off the market, in view of its small power of absorption. At the same time, the abundant facilities in the money market have proved no inducement to operators to accumulate stocks for speculative purposes, as doubt and uncertainty over the future course of values offers no assurance of profits on the operation. The market is practically deadlocked in consequence.

The movement of gold toward Paris, in view of the large resources already at hand there, strengthens the conviction that the issue of a large Russian loan there is imminent. The securities market in London has fared rather better than our own by reason of the relaxing of the money rates, and has also shown a good investment demand for high-grade securities and an awakening speculation in South African mining stocks. London has shown no desire, however, to buy American securities. The large gold export, in connection with the Panama payment and the indifference felt toward it, is in strong contrast with the nervousness displayed at the time the payment was first considered, and the numerous contrivances then discussed for easing the strain of the operation.

Bonds were dull, but prices steadily maintained. United States new 4s have advanced ¼ per cent on call during the week.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	1,200	72⅝	72½	72½
do preferred	200	93½	93½	93½
Baltimore & Ohio	1,000	79½	79⅛	79¼
do preferred				96¼
Canadian Pacific	100	116⅝	116⅝	116⅝
Central of N. J.				190½
Chesapeake & Ohio	500	31	31	30⅞
Chicago & Alton				38½
do preferred				81½
Chi. Gt. Western	700	16	16	16
Chicago & N. W.				170
Chi. Mil. & St. Paul	800	143⅝	143⅝	143⅝
do preferred				176
Chi. Term. & Trans.				8⅝
do preferred				17½
C., C., C. & St. L.				73½
Colorado Southern	100	16½	16½	16½
do 1st preferred				53
do 2d preferred	400	22½	22½	22½
Delaware & Hudson	200	157½	157½	157½
Del., Lack. & West.	100	269½	269½	269½
Denver & Rio Grande				30½
do preferred				69⅝
Erie	4,100	25½	24⅞	24⅞
do 1st preferred	400	63⅝	63½	63½
do 2d preferred	100	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝
Hocking Valley	100	68	67	67
do preferred				89¼
Illinois Central	100	130½	130½	130½
Iowa Central				17½
do preferred				35
Kan. City Southern				18
do preferred	100	35	35	35
Louisville & Nashv.	600	107½	107¼	107¼
Manhattan L.	200	142½	142½	142½
Metrop. Securities				77½
Metropolitan St. Ry.	400	112⅝	112⅝	112
Minn. & St. Louis				47
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	200	61	61	60⅝
do preferred				116
Missouri Pacific	800	92⅝	92¼	92¼
M., K. & T.	100	17	17	17
do preferred	100	37	37	36⅝
Mt. National pfd.				96½
New York Central				115½
Norfolk & Western	500	57⅝	57	57
do preferred				88
Ontario & Western	500	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝
Pennsylvania	5,700	117⅞	117⅝	117⅝
P., C., C. & St. L.				96
Reading	5,500	44⅝	44	44⅛
do 1st preferred				78¼
do 2d preferred				61¼
Rock Island Co.	1,800	22½	22⅛	22⅛
do preferred	200	63⅝	63½	63½
St. L. & S. F. 2d pf.	200	46½	46	46
St. Louis S. W.				13½
do preferred				33⅝
Southern Pacific	3,800	47⅞	47½	47⅝
Southern Railway	600	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
do preferred	400	85	84	84⅝
Texas & Pacific	100	23	23	23
Toledo, St. L. & W.	400	26¼	26	26¼
do preferred	400	39½	39¼	39
Union Pacific	5,000	84⅝	84	84
do preferred	100	92	92	91⅝
Wabash	200	18	18	18
do preferred	1,800	38	37⅝	37½
Wheeling & L. E.				16
Wisconsin Central				17⅝
do preferred				38½
Express companies—				
Adams				220
American				180
United States				103
Wells-Fargo				265
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	2,200	48⅝	48¼	48⅝
Am. Car & Foundry	300	17⅝	17¼	17⅝
do preferred				89½
Amer. Cotton Oil				29½
do preferred				88
American Ice				9⅝
do preferred	500	28	27⅝	27½
Amer. Linseed Oil				8
do preferred				28
Amer. Locomotive				18¼
do preferred	100	81	81	80½
Amer. Smelt. & Ref.				49½
do preferred	100	95⅝	95⅝	95½
Amer. Sugar Refining	500	127½	127¼	127¼
Anaconda Mining Co.				37
Colorado Fuel & Iron				31⅝
Consolidated Gas	600	209⅝	209¼	209¼
Corn Products				13½
do preferred				70⅝
Distillers' Securities				22
General Electric	300	160	159⅝	159½
International Paper				11
do preferred				69
International Pump				38¼
do preferred				75
National Lead	100	16½	16½	16⅝
North American				82½
People's Gas	400	97	97	97
Pressed Steel Car				26
do preferred				71
Pullman Palace Car				210
Republic Steel				6⅝
do preferred				42
Rubber Goods				15⅝
do preferred	100	77	77	77
Tenn. Coal & Iron				35⅝
U. S. Leather	100	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
do preferred	100	80	80	79½
U. S. Realty				64
do preferred	800	58¼	57	57⅝
U. S. Rubber	4,000	17	17	17
do preferred	800	67	66⅝	66⅝
U. S. Steel	2,400	10⅝	10½	10⅝
do preferred	6,900	56⅝	55⅝	55⅝
Westinghouse Elec.	100	155	155	155
Western Union				88⅝

Total sales for the day, 70,500 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Closing quotations:

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	105½	C. & N. W. C. 7s	129⅝
do coupon	105½	D. & R. G. 4s	98⅝
U. S. 3s reg.	106¼	N. Y. Cent. 1sts.	98⅝
do coupon	107¼	Nor. Pacific 3s	72⅝
U. S. new 4s reg.	133¼	Nor. Pacific 4s	103⅝
do coupon	134¼	So. Pacific 4s	91
U. S. old 4s reg.	107½	Union Pacific 4s	104⅝
do coupon	107½	Wis. Cent. 4s	90½
Atchison Adj. 4s	91⅝		

Stocks at London.

LONDON, April 30.—Consols for money, 89⅝; consols for account, 89⅝.

Anaconda	4⅛	Nor. & West.	58⅝
Atchison	74⅝	do preferred	90½
do preferred	96	Ont. & West.	22
Balt. & Ohio	81¼	Pennsylvania	60⅝
Can. Pacific	120⅝	Rand Mines	10⅝
Ches. & Ohio	31⅝	Reading	22⅞
C. Gt. West.	16½	do 1st pref.	40
C., M. & St. P.	147½	do 2d pref.	32
DeBeers	19⅝	So. Railway	31½
D. & Rio Grande	20⅝	do preferred	87
do preferred	72⅝	So. Pacific	49½
Erie	25½	Union Pacific	86½
do 1st pref.	65½	do preferred	44⅝
do 2d pref.	40	U. S. Steel	11¼
Illinois Central	134	do preferred	57⅝
Louis. & Nash.	110	Wabash	19
M., Kas. & Tex.	17⅝	do preferred	39
N. Y. Central	119		

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

The week just closed was one of the most unsatisfactory of the season in the wheat market, as practically no trading was done. In other cereals, trade was also very quiet.

WHEAT—Walla Walla, 73c; bluestem, 81c; Valley, 83@85c, export values.

BARLEY—Feed, $23.50 per ton; rolled, $24.50@25.

FLOUR—Valley, $3.90@4.05 per barrel, hard wheat straights, $4@4.25; clears, $3.85@4.10; hard wheat patents, $4.40@4.70; Dakota hard wheat, $5.25@6; graham, $3.50@4; whole wheat, $4@4.25; rye flour, local, $4.50; Eastern, $5@5.10.

OATS—No. 1 white, $1.17½@1.20; gray, $1.12½@1.15 per central.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $19@20 per ton; middlings, $23.50@27; shorts, $20@21; chop, U. S. Mills, $18; linseed, dairy food, $19.

HAY—Timothy, $15@16 per ton; clover, $10@11; grain, $11@12; cheat, $11@12.

CEREAL FOODS—Rolled oats, cream, 90-pound sacks, $6.25; lower grades, $5.25@5.50; bales, cream, $3.40; other grades, $3; oatmeal, steel-cut, 50-pound sacks, $7.50 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, $4 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, $7 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, $3.75 per bale; split peas, $4.50 per 100-pound sack; 25-pound boxes, $1.25; pearl barley, $4 per 100 pounds, 25-pound boxes, $1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, $2.50 per bale.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

The steamer goods that arrived yesterday were in excellent shape, but owing to the lateness, not all the stock was disposed of. Prices show but little variation. Among the day's receipts was a small consignment of Australian grapes.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, 80c per sack; carrots, 80c; beets, $1; parsnips, $1; cabbage, 2½c; red cabbage, 2½c; lettuce, head, 25@40c per dozen; hothouse, $2 per box; parsley, per dozen, 25c; tomatoes, Mexican, 4-basket, $2.25; Florida, 6-basket, $3.50 per crate; cauliflower, $2; egg plant, $1.50 per box; celery, 75@90c per dozen; artichokes, 60@75c per dozen; cucumbers, $1.75 per dozen; asparagus, $1.25; peas, 4@5c per pound; rhubarb, 3c per pound; beans, green, 16c; wax, 20c.

ONIONS—Yellow Danvers, $2.50@3 per sack.

HONEY—$3@3.50 per case.

POTATOES—Fancy, $1.25@1.50 per central; common, $1@1.25, growers' price; new potatoes, 3½@4c per pound; sweets, 5c per pound.

RAISINS—Loose Muscatel, 4-crown, 7½c; 3-layer Muscatel raisins, 7½c; unbleached seedless Sultans, 6½c; Lemon layers, 8-crown whole boxes of 20 pounds, $1.85; 2-crown, $1.75.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, 4½@6½c per pound; sundried, sacks or boxes, 4½c; apricots, 9@10c; peaches, 6½@7½c; pears, 9@11c; prunes, Italian, 4½@7½c; French, 2½@5½c; figs, California blacks, 3c; Sp white, 7c; Smyrna, 20c; Fard dates, $1.50; plums, pitted, 5c.

DOMESTIC FRUITS—Strawberries, $2.50@2.75 per crate; apples, fancy Baldwins and Spitzenbergs, $1.50@2.50 per box; choice, $1@$1.50; cooking, 75c@$1; cranberries, $10@11 per barrel.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, fancy, $3.25@3.50; choice, $2.75 per box; oranges, navels, $1.50@2.50; tangerines, $1.25 per box; grapefruit, $2.50@3 per box; bananas, 5½@6c per pound; pineapples, $3.75@4 per dozen.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

Eggs are hard to move at present prices, and it looks like lower figures in the coming week. What little poultry came in sold readily at former quotations. Butter continues weak and prices are being shaded in order to move stocks. Another cut is announced for Monday. The cheese market is better.

EGGS—Oregon ranch, 18@18½c.

BUTTER—Sweet cream butter, 20@22½c per pound; fancy creamery, 17½@20c; dairy and store, nominal.

BUTTER FAT — Sweet cream, 19@21c; sour cream, 19c.

POULTRY—Chickens, mixed, 13@13½c per pound; Springs, small, 20c; hens, 13½@14c; turkeys, live, 16@17c per pound; dressed, 18@20c; ducks, $8@9 per dozen; geese, live, 8c per pound.

CHEESE—Full cream, twins, 12@13c; Young America, 14@15c.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, $5.37½; No. 2, $4.62½; Carolina head, 8c; broken head, 4c.

COFFEE—Mocha, 29@35c; Java, fancy, 29@32c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 16@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Costa Rica, ordinary, 10@12c per pound; Columbia roast, cases, 100c, $12.50; 50s, $12.75; Arbuckle, $12.87; Lion, $12.87.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $1.65 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2.40; fancy 1-pound flats, $1.80; ½-pound flats, $1.10 Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 87½c; red 1-pound talls, $1.20; sockeyes, 1-pound talls, $1.75; 1-pound flats, $1.85.

SALT—Bales, $1.20; fine, 50s, $9.75; 100s, $9.50; Liverpool, 50s, $17; 100s, $16.50; 224s, $15.50; half-ground, 100s, $5.20; 50s, $5.05.

SUGAR—Sack basis, per 100 pounds: Cube, $5.90; powdered, $5.75; dry granulated, $5.65; extra C, $5.15; golden C, $5.05; advances over sack basis as follows: Barrels, 10c; half-barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c per 100 pounds. (Terms: On remittances within 15 days, deduct ⅛c per pound; if later than 15 days and within 30 days, deduct ⅛c per pound; no discount after 30 days.) Beet sugar, granulated, $5.55 per 100 pounds; maple sugar, 15@16c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 15⅝c per pound, by sack, 1c extra for less than sack; Brazil nuts, 15c; filberts, 15c; pecans, jumbos, 15c; extra large, 14c; almonds, I. X. L., 14c; no plus ultras, 13c; nonpareils, 13c; chestnuts, Italian, 11c; Ohio, $4.50 per 25-pound drum; peanuts, raw, 8c per pound; roasted, 9@10c; pinenuts, 10@12½c; hickory nuts, 7c; cocoanuts, 85@90c per dozen.

BEANS—Small white, 3⅝c; large white, 3¼c; pink, 4c; bayou, 3½c; Lima, 4c.

Meats and Provisions.

BEEF—Dressed, 5@7½c per pound.

MUTTON—Dressed, 6@9½c per pound; Spring lambs, 8c per pound.

VEAL—Dressed, 6@7c per pound.

PORK—Dressed, 7@8c.

HAMS—Ten to 14 pounds, 12½c per pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 12½c; 18 to 20 pounds, 12½c; California (picnic), 9c; cottage ham, 9½c; shoulders, 9½c; boiled ham, 20c; boiled picnic ham, boneless, 14c.

SAUSAGE—Portland ham, 13c per pound; minced ham, 10½c; Summer, choice dry, 17½c; bologna, long, 6½c; weinerwurst, 8c; liver, 5½c; pork, 10c; blood, 5½c; headcheese, 5½c; bologna sausage, link, 5½c.

DRY SALT MEATS—Regular short clears, 10@11c smoked; clear backs, 10c; salt, 11c smoked; Oregon exports, 20 to 25 pounds, average, 11c; dry salt, 12c; smoked Union butts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, 8c; dry salt, 9c smoked.

PICKLED GOODS—Pickled pigs' feet, ¼-barrels, $5.50; ⅛-barrels, $3; 15-pound kit, $1.85; pickled tripe, ½-barrels, $5; ⅛-barrels, $2.75; 15-pound kit, $1.25; pickled pigs' tongues, ½-barrels, $6; ⅛-barrels, $3; 15-pound kit, $1.25; pickled lambs' tongues, ½-barrels, $8.25; ⅛-barrels, $4.75; 15-pound kit, $2.25.

BACON—Fancy breakfast, 15c; standard breakfast, 15c; choice, 14c; English breakfast bacon, 11 to 14 pounds, 13c.

LARD—Kettle rendered: Tierces, 9½c; tubs, 10½c; 50s, 10½c; 20s, 10½c; 10s, 10⅝c; 5s, 10⅝c. Standard pure: Tierces, 8⅝c; tubs, 9¼c; 50s, 9¼c; 20s, 9¼c; 10s, 9⅝c; 5s, 9¾c. Compound lard: Tierces, 7¼c; tubs, 7½c; 50s, 7¾c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—1903 crop, 25@28c per pound.

WOOL—Valley, 16@17c; Eastern Oregon, 11@14c; mohair, 30@32c per pound for choice.

HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 15@15½c per pound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 16 pounds, 12c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 16c; dry salted bulls and stags, one-third less than dry flint; salted hides, steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, 8@8½c; 50 to 60 pounds, 7@8c; under 50 pounds and cows, 6½@7c; stags and bulls, sound, 4@4½c; kip, sound, 15 to 20 pounds, 7c; 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, 25@$1.

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

Oils.

GASOLINE—Stove gasoline, cases, 24½c; iron barrels, 18c; 86 degrees gasoline, cases, 32c; iron barrels or drums, 26c.

LEAD—Pioneer, Collier and Atlantic white and red lead in lots of 500 pounds or more, 6¼c; less than 500 pounds, etc.

COAL OIL—Pearl or astral oil, cases, 23c per gallon; water white oil, iron barrels, 15½c; wood barrels, none; eocene oil, cases, 25½c; elaine oil, cases, 28½c; extra star, cases, 32½c; headlight oil, 115 degrees, cases, 25c; iron barrels, 18½c. (Washington State test burning oils, except headlight, ½c per gallon higher.)

BENZINE—Sixty-three degrees, cases, 22c; iron barrels, 15½c.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw, in barrels, 52c; genuine kettle-boiled in barrels, 54c; pure raw oil in cases, 57c; genuine kettle-boiled, in cases, 59c; lots of 250 gallons, 1c less per gallon.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 55c per gallon.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The market for coffee futures closed quiet at an advance of 5 points to a decline of 5 points. Sales, 3750 bags, including May at 5.85c; July at 6.05c, September at 6.35c@6.40c and March, 6.90c. Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 7⅛c; mild, quiet; Cordova, 10@13c.

Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar, 3 15-16c; confectioners, 4.60c; mold, 5.10c; cut loaf, 5.45c; crushed, 5.45c; powdered, 4.85c; granulated, 4.75c; cubes, 5.00c.

CITRUS FRUITS ARE DULL

BERRIES TAKING THEIR PLACE AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Light Deliveries of Barley on May Contracts--Potato Market Now Has a Steady Tone.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—(Special.)—Leading cereals were quieter and closed rather weaker, oats alone showing steadiness. From indications, deliveries of barley on May contracts will be light. Only 100 tons are now piled in call board warehouses against 1500 tons, December 1. A fair amount of May wheat was delivered on expiring contracts. Bran was scarce and firm. Hay was 50 cents lower. The stablemen's labor strike, causing horses to be turned out, adds to the dullness.

Receipts of strawberries were the largest of the season. They are causing dullness in citrus fruits and apples, and will soon be the leading feature of the market. Tropical fruits, chiefly bananas and pineapples, were moderately active. A small shipment of pineapples from Cuba arrived and a carload more is due next week. The quality is fine and current prices are $3 to $5. The first gooseberries of the season arrived from the Sacramento River and brought fancy prices.

Raisins were in good demand at the recently reduced prices. Prunes were weak and inactive.

Oregon potatoes are cleaning up well at steady prices and the market now has a good tone. New potatoes were lower on account of larger receipts. Old onions were dull and nominal. New red sold at $2. Asparagus was easier on freer arrivals. Green peas and rhubarb were lower. A carload of Florida tomatoes is expected soon.

The butter market is overloaded and weak. The steamer for the Sound took very little. Cheese is heavy. Eggs are advancing. Receipts, 52,000 pounds butter, 3500 pounds cheese, 47,000 dozen eggs.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, 50c@$1.25; garlic, 15c; green peas, $1@1.50; string beans, 8@12½c; asparagus, 4½@8c; tomatoes, $1@1.75; egg plant, 15@17½c.

POULTRY—Turkey gobblers, 15@17c; roosters, old, $5@5.50; do young, $7.50@8.50; broilers, small, $2@2.50; do large, $3@4; fryers, $3.50@6; hens, $5.50@7.50; ducks, old, $5.50@6.50; do young, $6.50@7.50.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, 19c; creamery seconds, 17c; fancy dairy, 17c; dairy seconds, 15c.

CHEESE—Young America, 8½@9½c; Eastern, 15@11½c.

EGGS—Store, 18@19c; fancy ranch, 22c.

WOOL—Spring, 8@11c; lambs, 9@11c; Nevada, 12@15c.

HOPS—25@27½c.

MILLSTUFFS — Bran, $20.50@21.50; middlings, $25@28.

HAY—Wheat, $13@15.50; wheat and oats, $12@14.50; barley, $10.50@12.50; alfalfa, $10@12; straw, 60@70c.

FRUIT—Apples, choice, $2.25; do common, 75c; bananas, $1.25@3; Mexican limes, $4.50@5; California lemons, choice, $2.75; do common, $1; oranges, navels, 50c@$2; pineapples, $2@3.

POTATOES—Early Rose, $1.40@1.60; river Burbanks, $1@1.65; Oregon Burbanks, $1.50@1.75.

RECEIPTS — Flour, 4800 quarter sacks; wheat, 235 centals; barley, 1400 centals; oats, 1250 centals; corn, 481 centals; potatoes, 1283 sacks; bran, 1225 sacks; middlings, 241 sacks; hay, 570 tons; wool, 621 bales; hides, 1511.

ADVANCING TENDENCY CHECKED.

British News in Chicago Grain Pit, Followed by Profit-Taking.

CHICAGO, April 30.—Indifferent cables and brilliant weather throughout the Northwest and Southwest caused an easier tone in wheat at the opening, the July delivery being down ⅛c to 84⅝c. An active commission-house demand, however, soon developed, with shorts free buyers of May. In consequence, the May option sold up about a cent, while July advanced ½c. The leading factor in bringing out the improved demand was the almost sensationally bullish crop news from the Ohio Valley. Late weakness in corn, and a desire on the part of a few holders to take profits over Sunday checked the advancing tendency, but the close was firm and near the high point. Final quotations on July were at 85½c after the price had touched 85½@85⅝c. May ranged between 88⅝c and 90, closing at 89⅝c.

The corn market was heavy all day. July opened unchanged to a shade higher, at 48⅛@48⅝c, and closed at 48¼@48c. May closed at 46½c.

There was some good buying in oats early in the day. The market continued strong until the last half-hour, when some of the advance was lost on profit-taking. The close, however, was firm, July closed at 39⅝c, and May closed at 40⅝c.

The principal business in provisions was in the way of changing from May to July, although there was some liquidation through commission houses. Indications are for increased hog receipts. The market closed easy, with July pork 7½c lower, lard 5@7½c lower, and ribs 2½@5c down.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$0 88⅞	$0 90⅝	$0 88⅞	$0 89⅝
July (old)	85⅝	86⅝	85⅝	86⅝
July (new)	84⅝	85⅝	84⅝	85½
Sept. (old)	81⅝	82½	81⅝	81⅝
Sept. (new)	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝
CORN.				
May	46⅝	46⅝	46¼	46½
July	48⅛	48⅝	47⅝	48¼
September	48	48¼	47⅝	48⅛
OATS.				
May	40¼	41	40⅛	40⅝
July	39	39½	39	39⅝
September	31	31¼	30⅞	31¼
MESS PORK.				
May	11 72½	11 72½	11 62½	11 62½
July	12 02½	12 07½	11 95	11 97½
LARD.				
May	6 52½	6 52½	6 50	6 50
July	6 70	6 72½	6 67½	6 67½
September	6 80	6 85	6 80	6 82½
SHORT RIBS.				
May	6 25	6 27½	6 15	6 17½
July	6 42½	6 45	6 40	6 42½
September	6 57½	6 60	6 55	6 57½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Steady.

Wheat—No. 2 Spring, 90@94c; No. 3, 85@93c; No. 2 red, $1@1.02.

Corn—No. 2, 47⅝@48½c; No. 2 yellow, 51½@52c.

Oats—No. 2, 40⅝@41¼c; No. 3 white, 40@40½c.

Rye—No. 2, 70c.

Barley—Good feeding, 30@31½c; fair to choice malting, 45@55c.

Flaxseed—No. 1, $1.01; No. 1 Northwestern, $1.08½.

Timothy seed—Prime, $2.95.

Mess pork—Per barrel, $11.60@11.65.

Lard—Per 100 pounds, $6.50@6.52½.

Short ribs sides—Loose, $6@6.20.

Short clear sides—Boxed, $6.50@6.75.

Clover—Contract grade, $10.75.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	17,500	17,600
Wheat, bushels	12,000	30,100
Corn, bushels	158,400	102,600
Oats, bushels	55,300	196,800
Rye, bushels	2,000	800
Barley, bushels	54,800	53,000

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—Grain, quiet and steady.

Barley—Quiet.

Spot quotations:

Wheat — Shipping, $1.27½@1.30; milling, $1.35@1.45.

Barley — Feed, $1.07½@1.08⅝; brewing, $1.12½@1.15.

Oats—Red, $1.30@1.37½; white, $1.32½@1.40; black, $1.25@1.30.

Call board sales:

Wheat—May, $1.27½; December, $1.26⅝.

Barley—December 93¾c.

Corn—Large yellow, $1.45@1.47½.

Grain and Produce at New York.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Flour—Receipts, 12,700 barrels; exports, 2400 barrels. Market, dull. Minnesota patents, $5@5.25; bakers, $4@4.20; Winter patents, $5@5.35; do straights, $4.90@5; do extras, $3.35@4; Winter low grades, $3.15@3.80.

Wheat—Receipts, 3000 bushels. Spot, firm; No. 2 red, $1.04 elevator, $1.05@1.08 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 99½c f. o. b. afloat. Options rules generally strong all day, closing ¼@⅝c net higher.

Hops—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1903 crop, 26@35c; 1902 crop, 22@26c; olds, 9@14c; Pacific Coast, 1903 crop, 24@30c; 1902 crop, 23@26c; olds, 9@14c.

Hides—Steady; California, 19c.

Wool—Firm; domestic fleece, 28@32c.

Wheat at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, April 30.—Wheat—May, 6s 3⅝d; July, 6s 4⅝d.

Wheat at Tacoma.

TACOMA, April 30.—Wheat, unchanged; bluestem, 84c; club, 74c.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices at Portland Union Stockyards Yesterday.

There were no receipts at the Portland Union Stockyards yesterday. The following prices were quoted at the yards:

CATTLE—Best steers, $4.75; medium, $4; cows, $3.50@3.75.

HOGS—Best large, fat hogs, $5.50; medium large hogs, $5.25.

SHEEP—Best Eastern Oregon wethers, $4.25@4.50; mixed Valley, $3.50@4.25.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Chicago, Omaha and Kansas City.

CHICAGO, April 30.—Cattle, receipts, 500; market, normal. Good to prime steers, $5@5.60; poor to medium, $3.80@4.85; stockers and feeders, $3@4.50; cows, $1.50@2.50; heifers, $2.25@4.75; canners, $1.50@2.60; bulls, $2.25@4; calves, $3.50@6.75; Texas-fed steers, $4@4.60.

Hogs—Receipts today, 14,000; tomorrow, 40,000; left over, 10c lower; mixed and butchers, $4.75@4.90; good to choice heavy, $4.80@4.90; rough heavy, $4.70@4.80; light, $4.55@4.75; bulk of sales, $4.75@4.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 1000; steady; lambs, steady; good to choice wethers, $4.75@5.65; fair to choice mixed, $3.75@4.75; Western clipped, $5@5.65; native lambs, $4.25@5.90; Western lambs, clipped, $4.75@6; unclipped, $6@7.

KANSAS CITY, April 30.—Cattle, receipts, 300. Native steers, $4@5; native cows and heifers, $4@4.60; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.60; bulls, $2.65@3.80; calves, $2.75@6.75; Western steers, $3.60@4.75; Western cows, $2@4.20.

Hogs—Receipts, 4500; market 5 cents lower; bulk of sales, $4.70@4.80; heavy, $4.80@4.85; packers, $4.70@4.80; pigs and lights, $4.25@4.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 200; market strong; mutton, $4.50@6; lambs, $5.25@5.75; range wethers, $5@6; ewes, $3.50@5.50.

SOUTH OMAHA, April 30.—Cattle—Receipts, none; market, unchanged; native steers, $3.50@5.75; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market, 5c lower; heavy, $4.60@4.70; mixed, $4.57½@4.60; light, $4.40@4.60; pigs, $4@4.40; bulk of sales, $4.57½@4.62½.

Sheep—Receipts, none; market, steady.

Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	$ .07	Hale & Norcross	$ .05
Andes	.24	Justice	.10
Belcher	.25	Mexican	2.15
Best & Belcher	1.60	Occidental Con	.32
Bullion	.09	Ophir	5.75
Caledonia	.60	Overman	.52
Challenge Con	.17	Potosi	.20
Chollar	.24	Savage	.36
Confidence	.95	Seg. Belcher	.10
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.60	Sierra Nevada	.57
Con. Imperial	.02	Silver Hill	.58
Crown Point	.18	Union Con	.75
Exchequer	.28	Utah Con	.11
Gould & Curry	.24	Yellow Jacket	.22

NEW YORK, April 30.—Closing quotations:

Adams Con	$ .20	Little Chief	$ .05
Alice	.35	Ontario	3.75
Breece	.10	Ophir	5.50
Brunswick Con	.04	Potosi	.18
Comstock Tun	.09	Savage	.33
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.55	Sierra Nevada	.55
Horn Silver	.18	Small Hopes	.15
Iron Silver	1.75	Standard	2.00
Leadville Con	.02		

BOSTON, April 30.—Closing quotations:

Adventure	$ 2.00	Mohawk	$ 40.75
Allouez	5.50	Mont. C. & C.	2.63
Amalgamated	48.25	Old Dominion	12.75
Am. Zinc	10.00	Osceola	56.00
Atlantic	7.50	Parrot	23.50
Bingham	21.00	Quincy	82.50
Cal. & Hecla	465.00	Shannon	8.00
Centennial	19.50	Tamarack	85.00
Copper Range	40.50	Trinity	3.88
Daly West	22.00	U. S. Mining	20.13
Dominion Coal	65.00	U. S. Oil	3.38
Franklin	7.50	Utah	33.00
Grancy	4.00	Victoria	3.00
Isle Royale	7.00	Winona	6.00
Mass. Mining	4.00	Wolverine	71.00
Michigan	4.50		

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—Today's statement of the Treasury Department shows:

Available cash balance	$219,091,652
Gold	107,424,283

NEAR END OF SEASON

But Two Grain Cargoes Were Shipped Last Month.

SOUND HAS POORER SHOWING

Lumber Movement From Portland