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TODAY'S FORECAST.

Weather conditions and general forecast for Oregon, Washington and Idaho:

During the last 24 hours general rains have occurred in the north Pacific states and northern California, and snow has fallen in Montana and the Dakotas.

Zero weather prevails in the Canadian Northwest and in the northern portions of Montana, the Dakotas and Minnesota. It is warmer this morning in Wyoming and Colorado, and colder in the interior of California.

The indications are for occasional rain in this district Friday. It will be colder tonight in southern Idaho.

The river at Portland reached a stage of 11.1 feet this morning, which is a rise of only 0.3 of a foot in the last 24 hours. It is now falling at Albany and Eugene and about stationary at Salem. It will fall at Portland Friday.

Maximum temperature in the last 24 hours, 44; minimum temperature, 36; precipitation, .10.

MARINE NOTES.

Astoria, Feb. 25.—Sailed at 7 a. m., steamer Charles Nelson, for San Pedro.

Arrived, steamer Manzanita, from Alaska.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.—Sailed, schooner Sophia Christensen, for Portland.

Astoria, Feb. 24.—Sailed at 3:40 p. m., schooner Sailor Boy, for San Francisco.

Arrived at 5:30 p. m., schooner A. F. Coats, from San Pedro.

Shanghai, Feb. 23.—Arrived, schooner Samar, from Portland.

Astoria, Feb. 25.—Condition of the bar at 8 a. m., smooth; wind east; weather cloudy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Archie D. Stewart, 26, and Florence May Storey, 19.
Fred W. Fleck, 31, and Lillian Goodwin, 27.
William J. Westfall, 24, and Sarah Alice Chapman, 16.
Chris Timm, 31, and Susie A. Wells, 33.
Freeman Young 22, and Anna C. Lund, 21.
Martin J. Thompson, 23, and M. Axelia Nelson, 18.
John Kleger, 25, and Margaret Schild, 24.

BIRTHS.

February 24, To Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Birnie of 180 Chester street, a daughter.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

February 24, James Mann, Eighteenth and Schuyler streets, measles.
February 24, Henrietta Heppner, 313 Hancock street, measles.

DEATHS.

February 24, Myron Winslow, aged 45 years, at the Portland hotel, of pulmonary tuberculosis. Interment at San Francisco.
February 24, John W. Atwater, aged 42 years, in Portsmouth avenue, of Bright's disease. Interment today at Forest Grove.

Crematorium, on Oregon City car line, near Sellwood; modern, scientific, complete. Charges—Adults, $35; children, $20. Visitors 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Portland Cremation association, Portland, Or.

The Edward Holman Undertaking company, funeral directors and embalmers, 220 Third street. Phone 507.

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A. J. and F. Steffansou to Gertrude L. Ickler, 11 acres section 17, township 1 south, range 4 east ..... $ 1,000
Frank I. Ball and wife to Katherine C. Burnham, part double block Y, city .. 1,200
Fred S. Morris to L. J. Plowman, lot 18, block 13, City View Park ..... 800
Crescent Land company to Marie Blanc, part lot 5, block 2, Keystone addition .. 85
Thomas Flisinger to Herman Frey et al., lots 6, 7, 8, and 9, block 2, Powers' addition ..... 15
D. W. Wakefield and wife to Lorens Lund and wife, lots 1, 8, block 20, Multnomah ..... 1,000
John Rennick to Margaret L. Kulper, lots 5, 8, block 158, Couch addition ..... 5,875
John H. Bartholf and wife to Wesley Miller, lots 1 and 2, block B, Shelby's subdivision block 26, South Portland .. 1
B. M. Lombard to B. Lombard, Jr., undivided ½ interest lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 52, Couch addition ..... 1
Maria Pederson and husband to George Gibbons, lot 28, block D, Portsmouth Villa extension ..... 400
William E. Brainard and wife to Z. J. Gossett, lots 2, 3, 14, and 15, block 6, Terminus addition ..... 1
Bessie E. Dean and husband to J. N. Carlson, lot 3, block 28, Central Albina ..... 850
Sarah J. Hammel et al., to R. I. Eckerson, lot 3, block 4, Sunnyside addition ..... 425
Samuel B. Schwab and wife to F. A. Spencer, lot 10, block 26, King's Second addition ..... 6,700
P. H. Marlay to Amelia C. Seeley, lot 6, block 148, Portland ..... 1
Pacific Coast Abstract Guarantee & Trust company to Z. J. Gossett, lots 1, 13, block 6, Terminus addition to Albina ..... 550
Alice B. Nunn and husband to Clara B. King, lot 36, block 14, Albina ..... 1
Sheriff to John Rennick, lots 5, 8, block 158, Couch addition ..... 4,199
Joseph A. Sellwood et al. to Anthony Curtis, lot 18, block 58, Sellwood ..... 300
L. R. Fields to J. P. Sharkey, undivided ¼ lots 5 to 9, block 108, East Portland ..... 3,000
Theodore Buckman and wife to B. M. Lombard, lots 8 and 9, block 2, lot 6, block 8, Wild Rose ..... 1
Electric Land company to R. L. Cate, lot 7, block 37, Portsmouth ..... 225
Portland Lone Fir Cemetery company to W. J. Cuddy, lots 75 and 76, block 36, Lone Fir cemetery ..... 80
A. G. Perrott to Louise Stapleton, east 40 feet lot 4, block 316, Marshall's addition ..... 600
W. Earl Ogilbee and wife to Herman Wellenbecher, lot 17, block 34, Woodlawn ..... 125
Sycamore Real Estate company to Elizabeth Mohr, parcel land Thomas Gates D. L. C., section 36, township 1 south, range 2 east ..... 1
Columbia Real Estate company to Martha J. Pitman, lots 28 and 29, block 12, Peninsular addition ..... 1
School District No. 12 to Elizabeth Mohr, ½ acre section 16, township 1 south, range 2 east ..... 100
Chebra Ahavi Sholum to the Phoenix Land company, 50x80 feet lot 7, block 69, city ..... 17,000
Phoenix Land company to R. B. Lamson et al., 50x80 feet lot 7, block 69, city ..... 18,000
G. W. Stapleton and wife to A. G. Parrott, west 60 feet lot 3, block 315, Marshall's addition ..... 600
Aloys Harold to Charles E. Parker, lot 6, block 2, Park View ..... 1
D. R. B. Winniford and wife to Francis St. J. Fox, lot 16, block 15, Lincoln Park annex ..... 1
Jasper Oren Thomas to Flora L. Benson, southwest ½ lots 5 and 6, block 5, P. T. Smith's addition to St. Johns .. 200
Thomas Flisinger to William E. Christian, sundry lots blocks 8 and 9, Harlem addition to East Portland ..... 37
Charles H. Leisure and wife to Francis St. J. Fox, trustee, lot 8, block 18, Tibbetts' addition ..... 1
James W. Blanchet and wife to William Ryan, lot 4, block 24, Woodlawn ..... 500
Lone Fir Cemetery company to J. R. Nash, lot 51, block 36, Lone Fir cemetery ..... 40
College Endowment association to Gine Williams, lots 15, 25, 16, 26, block 17, College place ..... 1,000

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BUILDING PERMITS.

To Robert Blackwood, two-story residence in Tillamook street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, $2,500.
To W. Wynn Johnson, one-story cottage, at Eighteenth and Lovejoy streets, $1,000.

# TRANSACTIONS IN THE FINANCIAL WORLD

## PRICES ON MEATS SHOWING ADVANCES

LOCAL GOVERNMENT INSPECTED PRODUCT IS QUOTED FIRMER AND HIGHER—FRONT STREET ALSO UP—LION COFFEE IS DOWN—GLUCOSE IS UP.

Front Street, Feb. 25.—The principal items of interest in the Portland wholesale markets today were:

Lion coffee down.
Glucose is higher.
Eggs are lower again.
Hogs are quoted firmer.
Veal coming more freely.
Evaporated apples are advancing.
Nothing but best butter sells.
Prime beef up ¼c.
Cows are ¼c higher.
Cottage hams down ¼c.
Picnic hams down ½c.
Lard is ⅝c higher.
Breakfast bacon down a trifle.
Flour continues very firm.
Cracker companies want advance.

Changes in Beef.

The quotations on the best beef, dressed, are showing an advance of about ¼c today according to the Union Meat company. There has been a scarcity of cattle in this market—the principal cause of the rises in values today.

Dressed Cows Higher.

The same concern announces an advance of about ¼c per pound in government-inspected dressed cows—the same reasons prevailing as in prime beef. Along Front street the meat markets are holding their products very firm, with the exception of veal, which has a slightly weaker feeling on account of the heavier arrivals.

Hogs Are Very Scarce.

At the moment there is a scarcity of good block hogs on the market and present quotations are being held very firm with higher prices than those listed being obtained once in awhile. Packing hogs do not seem to find a very ready demand and this market is not as firm as it was, the weather making packing operations a risky business.

Advances in Lard.

An advance of about ⅝c was made in local lard prices this morning. The market is very firm and looks higher. The present ruling prices show: Kettle leaf, 10s, 11¼c; 5s, 11⅝c; 50s, 10⅞c; steam rendered 10s, 10¼c; 5s, 10⅝c; 50s, 9¾c. No changes were made today in eastern quotations.

Change in Provisions.

In local provisions breakfast bacon is about ¼c lower; picnic hams are down ½c and cottage hams are down ¼c. No changes appear in the products of the eastern packers.

Glucose Is Higher.

The burning of the large plant of the Warner Sugar Refining company of Chicago last night caused an advance of 10c per hundred in the quotations on glucose in this market this morning. Supplies will be rather short for some time.

Lion Coffee Is Lower.

The lowering of coffee quotations in the New York market of late has caused a weaker feeling in package goods here. Today the Woolsey Spice company announced a drop of 50c per hundred in its former quotations, making the present list on that brand $13.25. There was no change in Arbuckle today, but a cut in values is expected possibly tomorrow.

Nothing but Best Butter Sells.

The receipts of the best creamery butter are rather small just now and ruling prices are easily obtained. There is, however, no demand for the off-grades and numerous quotation are ruling. The receipts of country store and dairy butter are again larger with the demand nominal at low figures. The success of one of the large commission merchants in disposing of a large shipment of California creamery butter has led to another order and unless local quotations are cut to meet the prices on the outside stocks that grade will sell while our home stocks will be uncalled for. Some of the butter men are making a vain effort to boost the price of creamery in the face of the heavy receipts from the outside but it seems that it is done for the purpose of getting rid of their accumulated stocks of off grades which are selling at much lower figures.

Eggs Are Lower Again.

The receipts of eggs today were about as large as yesterday and the market keeps very weak with prices showing a constant decline. Today eggs were selling along Front street at about 22½c, with an occasional lot going at 23c. The sound bought a small lot yesterday at low figures and this helped somewhat to keep the market here open. The buying has started again, but all dealers are predicting lower figures before the week is over.

Flour Continues Very Firm.

Still another of the millers had made an advance of 10c per barrel in the price of flour. The advance is now becoming general. The market is firmer on renewed inquiries from the orient for immediate deliveries. No orders were placed as yet in this city.

Wheat's Tone Is Stronger.

The tone of the wheat market is stronger with the advance made in the world's markets yesterday. Farmers continue to hold their stocks in anticipation of a large advance here. The mill men of this city say that they have enough stocks to run them, but the farmers say otherwise and it is now a game of freeze-out. It was reported in this city today that quite a large lot of eastern Oregon wheat had been shipped to the Chicago market with instructions to hold it several days for an advance.

Cracker Companies Want Advance.

The high figures now ruling in the flour market is causing the manufacturers of crackers in this city and along the coast to get together and try to make an advance in prices. There is only one thing in their way—the Inland Cracker company of Spokane, which continues to sell stocks at a cut of 15 per cent. This concern is determined to punish the trust for invading its territory and has shipped several cars of crackers into this market, which it has sold. It has been shown by actual figures that the Spokane concern is losing money on every pound of crackers it sells at present figures, but the announcement is made by the company that it will sell crackers in this territory at cut figures until the time arrives when the trust will vacate the Spokane country trade. The price of crackers even without the cut made by the Inland company is too small to admit of any profit when the new prices have to be paid for flour.

Evaporated Apples Are Advancing.

The larger demand for evaporated apples on the coast has caused an advance of about ½c per pound to be quoted.

One car of ripe bananas arrived in this morning.

Smelt is scarcer and the price is being held very firm at 6c per pound.

Portland Asked to Bid.

The efforts of The Journal to secure for this city a share of the government potato contracts for Manila is bearing fruit already as most of the potato men of this city today received blank specifications from the quartermaster at San Francisco.

Opinions on Today's Market.

W. R. Clarke company—Eggs are weaker; butter situation unchanged; car mixed vegetables due today.

W. T. Turner & Co.—The price of eggs as ruling now is higher than it was a year ago; poultry came in more plentiful today.

Smith Bros.—Big and small hogs are all going at the top of the market; veal is coming in more plentiful, but no break in prices; chickens are being called for.

Bell & Co.—Car bananas arrived in this morning in excellent condition.

Mark Levy & Co.—There were plenty of vegetables in the market yesterday but all of the best stocks have been cleaned up.

Chatterton & Co.—Poultry of all kinds is coming in very slow; veal and hogs are finding a ready sale at market quotations; eggs are weaker but are moving off at lower prices.

Levy & Spiegl—The vegetables which arrived overland yesterday have all been cleaned up; next steamer will leave Frisco Saturday and will arrive in this city Tuesday; the first California asparagus of the season came in this morning.

G. S. Smith company—Eggs are weaker and lower; chickens are badly wanted; so are all kinds of fresh meats.

Malarkey & Co.—Smelt receipts have dropped considerably and the present price is bding held very firm; salmon of all kinds continues scarce.

D. R. Melkie—Potatoes are firm; onion prices are going out of sight.

W. S. Swank—Potato market firm with higher prices being paid in Frisco on account of the inability to get the stocks there; onion market is firm and strong.

Davenport-Thompson company—Eggs are coming more freely and are weaker and lower; bananas and oranges are moving good at former prices.

Everding & Farrell—Eggs are weaker and lower; butter is weaker; chickens are very scarce in an unexplainable manner; arrivals have been far short of the market for some time; geese, ducks and turkeys are being eagerly sought after—in fact, everything in feathers is wanted; veal is coming more freely and market is slightly weaker; hogs are very scarce and high prices are ruling.

W. H. Dryer—Potato market good and steady; onions are stiffening up; receipts in Frisco are very light and high prices are ruling there; arrivals in this city are very large.

Page & Son—Eggs are awfully dull with the receipts growing larger; chickens about the same with the supply better today; pork stiffening up; veal also; lots of cold storage butter in market, which is very weak.

Toft, Hine & Co.—Lots of hogs and veal, still not enough to satisfy the trade; chickens are not coming in fast enough to suit us; eggs are on the tobbogan slide.

Today's wholesale quotations, as revised, are as follows:

Grain, Flour and Feed.

WHEAT—Walla Walla, 77c; bluestem, 81@82c; valley, 81c.

BARLEY—Feed, $21.00; rolled, $22.50@23.50; brewing, $23.50@24.00.

OATS—No. 1 white, $24.50@25.00; gray, $24.00@25.00 per ton; price to farmers, white, $22.50@23.00; gray, $21.50@22.00.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon: Patents, $4.10@4.40; straights, $3.60; valley, $3.80@3.90; graham, ¼s, $3.40; 10s, $3.70.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $19.00 per ton; middlings, $26.00; shorts, $20.00; chop, $18.50.

HAY—Timothy, $15.00; eastern Oregon, $16.00@16.50; mixed, $13.00@13.50; clover, $11.00@12.00; wheat, $12.00@12.50; cheat, $12.00@13.00; oat, $12.00@12.50.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—27c for choice; 24@25c for prime; poor quality, 18½@20½c; contract, 1904, 17@18c.

WOOL—Valley, coarse to medium, 16@16½c; fine, 16@16½c; eastern Oregon, 10@15c; mohair, nominal, 25@26c.

SHEEPSKINS—Shearing 10@20c; short wool, 20@30c; medium wool, 30@50c; long wool, 50c@$1.00 each.

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

HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 lbs and up, 14½c per lb; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 lbs, 12½c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 lbs, 15½c; dry salted, bulls and stags, ⅓ less than dry flint; salted hides, steer, sound, 60 pounds or over, 6½@7½c; 50 to 60 lbs, 6½c; under 50 lbs and cows, 5½@6½c; stags and bulls, sound, 4½c; kip, 15 to 30 lbs, 6½c; sound, 10 to 14 lbs, 6½c; calf, sound, under 10 lbs, 8½c; green (unsalted), 1c per lb less; culls, 1c per lb less; horse hides, salted, each, $1.25@1.75; dry, each, $1.00@1.50; colts' hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora, with wool on, each, 25c@$1.00.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—Sweet, 28c; sour, 26c.

BUTTER—Creamery, extra fancy, 27½@30c; California, 25@27½c; ordinary, 22½@25c; cold storage, 23@24c; eastern, 24c; renovated, 19@20c; dairy, 16@17c; store, 10@12½c.

EGGS—Fresh Oregon, 22½c; cold storage, 20c; bakers', 19@20c.

CHEESE—Full cream, twin, 12@13½c; Young America, 14½c.

POULTRY—Chickens, mixed, 13c per lb; hens, 13@13½c per lb; roosters, 12c per lb; broilers, 14c per lb; fryers, 14½c per lb; ducks, old, 12c per lb; young, 13c per lb; geese, 8@8½c per lb; turkeys, 15@16c per lb; dressed, 17c per lb.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—$1.00@1.20; buyers' prices for shipping, 95c@$1.15 cwt; ordinary, 75@85c sack; buying, 75@80c; sweets, 2½c per lb; new, 4c per lb.

ONIONS—Oregon, $2.50; buying prices, best, $2.15@2.25; f.o.b. Portland, $2.25@2.30.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Oregon, 70c@1.75 per box; oranges, navels, $1.50@2.25 per box; seedlings, 80c@1.25 per box; Japanese, 45@50c; bananas, 5c per lb; lemons, choice, $2.50@2.75 per box; fancy, $3.00@3.50 per box; limes, Mexican, 65c per 100; pineapples, $3.50; cranberries, local, $7.00 per bbl; Jersey, $10.00; persimmons, $1.50.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, 85c per sack; carrots, $1.00 per sack; beets, $1.00 per sack; radishes, 12½@15c per doz; cabbage, Oregon, 2c; California, 2c per lb; head, — doz; hothouse lettuce, 50c per doz; green peppers, 5c per lb; horseradish, 7@8c per lb; celery, 50@60c per doz; tomatoes, $1.25@1.50 per box; parsnips, $1.25; cucumbers, $2.25 per doz; butter beans, 10c per lb; sprouts, 6c; cauliflower, $1.75@2.00; artichokes, 75@90c per doz; green peas, 7@8c per lb.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, 6@7c per lb; apricots, 11@13c per lb; sacks, ½c per lb less; peaches, 6@9c per lb; pears, 8½c per lb; prunes, Italian, 3½@4½c per lb; French, 3½@4½c per lb; figs, California blacks, 6@6½c per lb; do whites, 6½@7c per lb; plums, pitted, 5⅝@6c per lb; dates, golden, 6½c per lb; fards, $1.50 per 15-lb box.

RAISINS—Seeded, fancy, 1-lb cartons, 50 packages to case, 9¾c pkg; seeded 12-oz cartons, 7½c; loose Muscatels, 50-lb boxes, 7@8½c per lb; London layers, $1.85@2.00; clusters, $2.50@3.75; ¼s, 25c; ⅛s, 50c advance over pound cartons.

FIGS—Ten 1-lb cartons, choice brand, $1.00; 10 1-lb cartons, fancy brand, $1.10; 10 1-lb bricks, 2-crown, 90c; 10 1-lb bricks, 3-crown, 96c; 50 ½-lb bricks, per box, $2.25; 4-row layers, per 10-lb box, 90c; loose, 50-lb boxes, per lb, 6@6½c. Calimyrnas—Six-crown, 10-lb cartons, per box, $2.00; 5-crown, 10-lb carton, per box, $1.75; 4-crown, 20 ½-lb cartons, per box, $1.75.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—"Sack basis"—Cube, $5.60; powdered, $5.55; dry granulated, $5.45; beet granulated, $5.25; extra C, $4.95; golden C, $4.85; bbls, 10c, ½ bbls, 25c; boxes, 50c advance on sack basis, less 25c cwt for cash, 15 days; maple, 14@16c per lb.

HONEY—14½@15c.

COFFEE—Green Mocha, 21@28c; Java, fancy, 26@32c; Java, good, 20@25c; Java, ordinary, 18@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 19@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Costa Rica, ordinary, 11@13c per lb; package coffee, $13.25@13.75.

TEAS—Oolong, different grades, 25@65c; gunpowder, 28@32@35c; English breakfast, different grades, 12½@65c; spiderleg, uncolored Japan, 30@65c; green Japan (very scarce), 30@50c.

SALT—Fine—Bales, 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 10s $2.00; fine table, dairy, 50s, 35c; 100s, 65c; imported Liverpool, 50s, 50c; 100s, 98c; 224s, $1.90. Worcester—Bbls—2s, 3s, $5.50; 5s, $5.25; 10s, $5.00; bulk, 320 lbs, $5.00; sacks, 50s, 88c.

SALT—Coarse, half ground, 100s, per ton, $6.50; 50s, per ton, $7.00; Liverpool lump rock, $22.50 per ton; 50-lb rock, $6.50; 100s, $6.00.

GRAIN BAGS—Calcutta, $5.75@6.00 per 100.

RICE—Imperial Japan—No. 1, 5¼c; No. 2, 5c; New Orleans head, 7@7½c.

BEANS—Small white, 3¼c; large white, $3.50@3.60; pink, $3.40@3.50; bayou, 3¼c; Limas, $4.00.

NUTS—Peanuts, 7c; jumbos, 8½c per lb raw; 9@10c per lb for roasted; cocoanuts, 85@90c per doz; walnuts, 14⅝@15⅝c per lb; pine nuts, 10@12½c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; chestnuts, eastern, 15@16c per lb; Brazil nuts, 15c per lb; filberts, 15@16c per lb; fancy pecans, 14@15c per lb; almonds, 13@15c per lb.

WIRE NAILS—Present base at $2.85.

ROPE—Pure Manila, 13½c; standard, 12⅝c; sisal, 10½c.

Paints, Coal Oils, Etc.

COAL OIL—Pearl or Astral—Cases, 22c per gal; water white, iron bbls, 18½c per gal; wooden, —; headlight, cases, 25c per gal; headlight, iron bbls, 18½c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw, in bbls, 47c per gal; cases, 52c per gal; genuine kettle boiled, cases 54c per gal; bbls, 49c per gal; ground cake, car lots, $25.00 per ton; less than cars, $28.00 per ton.

GASOLINE—86-deg cases, 32c per gal, iron bbls 26c per gal; stove, cases 24½c per gal, iron bbls 18c per gal.

BENZINE—63-deg., cases 22c, iron bbls, 15½c.

PAINT OIL—Raw, bbls 33c per gal, cases 38c per gal; boiled, cases 40c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 88c per gal; wooden bbls, 84½c per gal; iron bbls, 82c per gal; 10-lb case lots, 87c per gal.

WHITE LEAD—500-lb lots 6½c per lb; less lots 7c per lb.

Meats and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS — Inspected — Beef, prime, 6½@7⅝c per lb; cows, 6½@7¼c per lb; mutton, dressed, 6½@7½c per lb; lambs, dressed, 8c per lb.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Beef, steers, 6@7¼c per lb; pork, block, 7c per lb; packers, 6½c per lb; bulls, 4½@4¾c per lb; mutton, dressed, 6½@7c per lb; veal, small, 8@8½c per lb; large, 6½@7c per lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 14 lbs, 13¼c per lb; 14 to 16 lbs, 13c per lb; 10 to 20 lbs, 12¾c per lb; cottage, 9½c per lb; picnic, 8½c per lb; breakfast bacon, 14@15@16@17c per lb; regular short clears, unsmoked, 10c per lb; smoked, 11c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 10c per lb; smoked, 11c per lb; Union butts, 10 to 18 lbs, unsmoked, 8c per lb; smoked, 9c per lb.

EASTERN-PACKED HAMS—Under 14 lbs, 13¾c per lb; over 15 lbs, 13½c per lb; fancy, 13½@13¾c per lb; picnics, 9¾c per lb; shoulders, 11c per lb; dry-salted sides, unsmoked, 10¼c per lb; smoked, 11¼c per lb; breakfast bacon, 14½@16½c per lb; fancy, 18½c per lb.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 11¼c per lb; 5s, 11⅝c per lb; 50-lb tins, 10⅞c per lb; steam-rendered, 10s, 10¼c per lb; 5s, 10⅝c per lb; 50s, 9⅞c per lb; compound tierces, 7½c per lb; tubs, 7⅝c per lb; 50s, 7⅝c per lb.

EASTERN LARD—Kettle leaf, 10-lb tins, 11¼c per lb; 5s, 11⅝c per lb; 50-lb tins, 11c per lb; steam-rendered 10s, 10⅝c per lb; 5s, 10⅝c per lb; 50s, 10c per lb.

(Above packing-house prices are net cash, 15 days.)

CANNED SALMON—Columbia river 1-lb talls, $1.75; 2-lb talls, $2.40; fancy 1-lb flats, $1.00; ½-lb fancy flats, $1.15; fancy, 1-lb oval, $2.60; Alaska talls, pink, 80c; red, $1.50; 1-lb talls, $2.00.

FISH—Rock cod, 7c per lb; flounders, 5c per lb; halibut, 8½c per lb; crabs, $1.25 per doz; razor clams, 9@10c per doz; little-neck clams, 3c, striped bass, 12½c per lb; Puget sound smelt, 5c per lb; catfish, 7c per lb; black cod, — per lb; salmon trout, 12½@15c per lb; lobsters, 15c per lb; perch, 5c per lb; salmon, sliversides, — per lb; steelheads, 10c per lb; chinook, 12½c per lb; herring, 4c per lb; soles, 6c per lb; tom cod, 6c per lb; Columbia river smelt, 6c per lb; sturgeon, 7c per lb; shrimps, 10c per lb.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gal, $2.25; per sack, $3.75 net; Olympia, per sack, $5.25.

## BROKERS' OPINIONS ON NEW YORK STOCKS

(Furnished by Overbeck, Starr & Cooke Co.)

Logan & Bryan, New York—There being no further failures reported on the European exchanges the market here strengthened. This imparts a somewhat better feeling to the market and selling was not pronounced. It does not seem to invite confident operations either way.

| DESCRIPTION. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Anaconda Mining Co. | 63 | 63 | 63 | 63 |
| Amal. Copper Co. | 46 | 47⅜ | 45⅝ | 47⅛ |
| Atchison, com. | 64⅝ | 65⅜ | 64½ | 65½ |
| do preferred | 88½ | 88⅞ | 88½ | 88⅝ |
| Am. Car & Found., com. | 19 | 19¼ | 19 | 18⅝ |
| do preferred | 68 | 69 | 68 | 68 |
| Am. Sugar, com. | 123½ | 124¼ | 122½ | 124¼ |
| Am. Smelt., com. | 46 | 47 | 46 | 46 |
| do preferred | 89¼ | 90 | 89 | 89 |
| Baltimore & Ohio, com. | 74½ | 75¼ | 74¼ | 75⅛ |
| do preferred | ..... | ..... | ..... | 86 |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit. | 38⅝ | 39⅜ | 38⅝ | 39½ |
| Canadian Pacific, com. | 113⅝ | 114 | 113 | 113⅝ |
| Chi. & Alton, com. | 35 | 35⅛ | 35 | 35⅜ |
| do preferred | ..... | ..... | ..... | 81½ |
| Chi. & Gt. West., com. | 14¼ | 14⅝ | 14 | 14⅝ |
| Chi., Mil. & St. Paul | 138 | 139¼ | 137⅛ | 139¼ |
| Chi. & North, com. | 163 | 163 | 162 | 162 |
| Chi. Terminal Ry. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 8⅝ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 29¼ | 29⅝ | 29¼ | 29¼ |
| Colo. Fuel & Iron, com. | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 |
| Colo. South., com. | 14½ | 15¼ | 14½ | 15¼ |
| do 2d preferred | 22 | 22½ | 22 | 22½ |
| do 1st preferred | 52½ | 53 | 52½ | 52½ |
| D. & R. G., com. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 18 |
| do preferred | 65 | 65 | 64 | 65 |
| Erie, com. | 22⅝ | 23¼ | 22⅝ | 23¼ |
| do 2d preferred | 38¼ | 39⅝ | 38¼ | 39 |
| do 1st preferred | 61⅞ | 62⅝ | 61⅞ | 62⅝ |
| Illinois Central | 126½ | 126½ | 126¼ | 126¼ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 101½ | 102⅝ | 101½ | 102 |
| Metro. Traction Co. | 114½ | 115 | 114½ | 114⅝ |
| Manhattan Elevated | 141 | 141⅜ | 141 | 141⅜ |
| Mexican Central Ry. | 9⅝ | 9⅝ | 9⅛ | 9½ |
| Minn., St. P. & Ste. M. | 59¼ | 59¼ | 58½ | 58½ |
| do preferred | ..... | ..... | ..... | 117 |
| Missouri Pacific | 87⅝ | 88⅝ | 87¼ | 88⅝ |
| M., K. & T., com. | 14⅝ | 14⅝ | 14⅝ | 15 |
| do preferred | 35 | 36 | 35 | 35 |
| New York Central | 114¼ | 114⅝ | 114 | 114 |
| Norfolk & Western, com. | 55⅛ | 56⅛ | 55⅜ | 56 |
| do preferred | 90 | 90 | 88 | 88 |
| N. Y., Ont. & West. | 19⅞ | 20¼ | 19⅝ | 20¼ |
| Pennsylvania Ry. | 112⅝ | 113½ | 112⅝ | 113⅝ |
| P. C., L. & C. Co. | 97⅝ | 98 | 97⅝ | 97⅝ |
| Pacific Mail Steam. Co. | 25½ | 25⅝ | 25½ | 25½ |
| Reading, com. | 39½ | 40⅝ | 39½ | 40⅝ |
| do 2d preferred | 56 | 56 | 55¼ | 55¼ |
| do 1st preferred | ..... | ..... | ..... | 75⅝ |
| Rep. Iron & Steel, com. | 7⅝ | 7½ | 7⅝ | 7⅝ |
| do preferred | ..... | ..... | ..... | 42 |
| Rock Island, com. | 20¼ | 20⅝ | 20 | 20⅝ |
| do preferred | 60⅝ | 60⅝ | 59½ | 60 |
| Southern Ry., com. | 18½ | 18½ | 18¼ | 18⅜ |
| Southern Pacific | 45½ | 44⅝ | 43¼ | 44 |
| St. L. & S. W., com. | 13½ | 13⅝ | 13½ | 13½ |
| do preferred | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| Texas & Pacific | 22½ | 22⅝ | 22 | 22½ |
| Tenn. Coal & Iron | 34½ | 35⅝ | 34½ | 35 |
| T., St. L. & W., com. | 24½ | 24½ | 24 | 24½ |
| do preferred | 33 | 33½ | 32½ | 32½ |
| Union Pacific, com. | 73½ | 74⅛ | 72½ | 74 |
| do preferred | ..... | ..... | ..... | 87 |
| U. S. Leather, com. | 6⅞ | 7 | 6⅞ | 6⅞ |
| do preferred | 77 | 77¼ | 76½ | 77 |
| U. S. Rubber, com. | 12 | 12 | 11½ | 11½ |
| do preferred | 48 | 48 | 47½ | 47½ |
| U. S. Steel Co., com. | 10⅝ | 10⅞ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ |
| do preferred | 54⅝ | 55⅝ | 54⅝ | 55½ |
| Wheel. & L. E., com. | 14½ | 15 | 14½ | 14½ |
| do 2d preferred | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| do 1st preferred | 43 | 43 | 43 | 43 |
| Wisconsin Central, com. | 17⅝ | 17⅝ | 17⅝ | 17⅝ |
| do preferred | 40 | 40¼ | 40 | 40 |
| Western Union Tele. | 86⅝ | 87 | 86⅝ | 86⅝ |
| Wabash, com. | 18⅝ | 18⅝ | 18½ | 17½ |
| do preferred | 35¼ | 34⅛ | 33¼ | 33⅝ |

Money 1¾@2 per cent.

AMERICAN STOCKS IN LONDON.

London, Feb. 25.—2 p. m.—Anaconda Copper unchanged; Atchison advanced ⅝, preferred advanced ¼; Baltimore & Ohio advanced ¼; Canadian Pacific advanced ⅝; Chesapeake & Ohio advanced ¼; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul advanced ⅝; Denver & Rio Grande declined ¼; Erie advanced ¼, firsts advanced ¼; Illinois Central advanced ¼; Louisville & Nashville unchanged; Ontario & Western advanced ¼; Norfolk & Western advanced ¼; Pennsylvania advanced ¼; Reading declined ⅝, first unchanged; Southern Pacific advanced ¼; Southern Railway advanced ⅛, preferred advanced ⅝; Union Pacific advanced ⅝, preferred advanced ⅝; United States Steel advanced ¼, preferred unchanged; Wabash advanced ⅛, preferred declined ¼; Consols 86⅛, declined ¼.

NEW YORK SUMMARY.

New York, Feb. 25.—Dow, Jones & Co. say: American stocks in London were firmer, ¼ to ⅜ point above parity. The bank of England rate is unchanged. Consols are ⅛ easier and Russia and Japan bonds are weak, ½ to 1 per cent lower. Conflicting factions in American Ice elect a compromise body. Outlook in Macedonia and Bulgaria much clearer. Twenty-nine roads for the second week of February show an average gross decline of 5.45 per cent. Some demand for St. Paul, Pennsylvania and New York Central in the loan crowd, but no unwieldy short interest. The banks lost to the subtreasury