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WEATHER REPORT.

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

The weather is cloudy and somewhat unsettled in the North Pacific states, but no rain has yet fallen. Showers and thunderstorms are reported in the lower Missouri valley and light sprinkles of rain have occurred in southern California.

The temperatures at the headwaters of the Columbia and the Snake rivers have fallen slightly since yesterday, notwithstanding which they are still slightly above normal.

The indications are for generally fair weather in this district Tuesday, with no marked changes in temperature.

Maximum temperature in the last 24 hours, 78; minimum temperature, 54; precipitation, none.

AUCTION SALES TOMORROW.

By Ford Auction company, on premises 280 Salmon street, at 2 p. m., a well equipped rooming house, to be sold en bloc. H. Ford, auctioneer.

By Geo. Baker & Co., Alder and Park streets, at 10 a. m., sale of office furniture. George Baker & Co., auctioneers.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

A. J. Hammond, 28, and Ella Smith, 23.
John Peters, 30, and Lena Ostermark, 20.
F. H. Snodgrass, Lane county, 28, and Susie Abbott, 27.
Eric Anderson, Jr., 28, and Margaret F. Atkins, 25.
Karl Jokinen, 25, and Lydia Wanhanen, 18.
Marion O. De Lashmutt, 25, and Clara M. Case, 17 (mother consenting).
Charles E. Taylor, 33, and Belle Rekdahl, 25.
Joe Fisher, 30, and Florence Sabin, 20.

BIRTHS.

April 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Masuresky, 109½ Third street, a daughter.
April 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chamberlain, 665 Johnson street, a son.
May 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Wilson, 533 East Ankeny street, a daughter.
May 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Ernst, 435 Taylor street, a daughter.
May 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Caldwell, 391 Mechanic street, a daughter.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

May 20, J. Olsen, at 859 Thurman street, scarlet fever.
May 20, Roscoe Ashley, at 889 Savier street, scarlet fever.

DEATHS.

April 27, Mrs. Nancy J. Kerr, age 80 years, at 306 Couch street; cause, la grippe. Burial at Lone Fir cemetery.
May 20, Sam Lee, age 48 years, at St. Vincent's hospital; cause, cancer of bowels. Burial at Lone Fir cemetery.
May 19, William J. O'Brien, age 26 years, at St. Vincent's hospital; cause, pulmonalis. Burial at Mt. Calvary cemetery.
May 21, Effilena Blair, age 21 years, at 11 North Tenth street; cause, typho-pneumonia. Burial at Riverview cemetery.
May 20, Pearl Marcus, age 27 years, at 228 Thirteenth street; cause, menestis. Burial at Ahavai Sholom cemetery.

Crematorium on Oregon City car line, near Sellwood; modern, scientific, complete. Charges—Adults, $35; children, $25. 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.

J. P. Finley & Son, funeral directors and embalmers, have removed to their new establishment, corner Third and Madison streets. Both phones No. 9.

BUILDING PERMITS.

May 21, to Girard & Baumeister, to alter building at Third and Flanders streets, cost $25.
May 21, to Mrs. S. Stott, for erection of flats at Madison and Jefferson streets, cost $12,000.
May 23, to J. H. Rankin, for erecting a dwelling at Margin and Halsey streets, cost $3,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mary J. Smith et al. to the American Trust & Investment company, 120.5 acres, section 6, township 1 north, range 1 east; 150 acres, same, 209.75 acres section 1, township 1 north, range 1 west; 165 acres, section 36, township 2 north, range 1 west; also lots 1 and 2, section 31, township 2 north, range 1 east; also 117 acres, section 6, township 1 north, range 1 east (see instrument)	$32,829
Mary J. Smith et al. to same, 17 acres, section 6, township 1 north, range 1 east; also 2½ acres southeast ¼, section 6, township 1 north, range 1 east; also 3½ acres southwest ¼, section 6, township 1 north, range 1 east (see instrument)	3,000
J. M. Carlson to Henry Johnson, north ½ lot 10, block 23, Central Albina	200
W. W. Sibray and wife to L. A. McNary, lot 2, block N, Tabor Heights	1
Joseph A. Sellwood and wife to Irving Delano, lot 9, block 66, Sellwood	150
Patrick McCarren to J. E. Cochran, lot 25, block 16, Point View	100
Casper Field to Lucy M. Burrows, lot 1, block 2, Douglas addition	650
William I. Harris and wife to W. A. Miller, 22 acres beginning southeast corner northeast ¼ southeast ¼, section 18, township 1 south, range 4 east	675
F. A. Smith and wife to Charles J. Anderson, lots 1 and 4, block 26, James Johns' first addition	1,500
Lulu A. and N. S. Hamlin to William Elwell, west ½ lot 8, block 327, Hawthrone Park (assumes mortgage)	600
The J. McCracken company to R. H. Frankfourth, lot 8, block 2, Bernhardt Park	1
K. P. Carter and wife to Donald and May Todd, lot 1, block 2, Midway annex	300
The Title Guarantee & Trust company to W. E. Evans, .895 acre in North St. Johns	537
Portland Trust company to Charles D. Fraser, lot 7, Hillcrest	1,000
W. C. Coffin to Silas E. Coffin, lots 1 and 2, block 20, North Albina	1

Get your insurance and abstracts to real estate from the Title Guarantee & Trust company, Chamber of Commerce building.

LARGE CROP OF HOPS ALMOST ASSURED

HOP CROP IS NOW IN GOOD CONDITION

EVERYWHERE VINES ARE GROWING GOOD, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF AROUND BUTTEVILLE, WHERE MISSING HILLS ARE FOUND—POTATO MEN ENCOURAGED.

Front Street, May 22.—The principal features of the Portland wholesale markets today are:
Eggs are more plentiful.
Hops are in good condition.
Poultry has a clean market.
Wheat and flour dead.
Potato men have encouragement.
Oregon berries come faster.
Cheese has a dull market.
Salt men want agreement.
Fish market very dull.
Butter still improving.
Veal market shows weaker tone.
Mutton and lambs continue dull.

Hops Are in Good Condition.

With the exception of around in some parts of the Butteville district the hop crop of Oregon never looked in better shape. The present weather conditions are ideal for a good yield and the vines during the past week showed remarkable growth. A trip through Aurora, Butteville and Champoeg districts showed the vines reaching about two-thirds of the distance up the poles. In the district, as in other sections of the state, the new acreage this season will cut quite a figure. Conservative estimates of various hop men are to the effect that the crop will easily reach over the 100,000 bale mark—some of them placing the yield as high as 120,000 bales. This latter figure is very much exaggerated and could only be reached if every condition would remain perfect until the hops are safely baled. The future of the crop depends much on what the weather will be within the next month or so and unfavorable conditions during the picking season would simply wreck the estimates. According to the larger growers of the Aurora district a little rain at the present time would not come unwanted. There is only one thing that looks bad for the crop—the missing hills. This condition is found mostly near Butteville, so will not affect the state's crop to any extent. New hop houses are going up in every direction and the growers will do all in their power to get the crop into the bale as soon as possible. One of the queerest things noticed in the Aurora district during the present season is that most of the hills which turned up missing during the former season, for some unheard of reason, are now growing with the best of the vines. This will materially add to the production of the present season. Picking time will probably be about two or three weeks later than last season on account of the backward spring. In this city the market for 1903 hops is very quiet and no late sales are reported. There is quite a large amount of contracting being done at high figures.

Eggs Are More Plentiful.

The egg market showed large receipts for the first day of the week and the market therefore reflects a weaker tone, with no changes in the quotations. Cold storage operations have practically stopped for the time being.

Poultry Has a Clean Market.

The poultry market is in very good condition, practically all of the large receipts of the former week being cleaned up before the close on Saturday.

Potato Men Have Encouragement.

The potato dealers in the combine are encouraged by the many letters they are now receiving on the condition of the market in the California cities. The impression in San Francisco seems to be that if the dealers here can hold back the receipts, as they anticipate doing, they will be able to boost the prices. On the other hand, if they fail in this mission it will not be more than a week or so before potatoes will be a drug on the market at less than 75c a sack. The market in this city is quiet.

Oregon Berries Come Faster.

Oregon berries are coming in larger supply and find a very good sale at prices slightly above those from California. The stocks from the latter state are now arriving in a bad condition and the preference is given the local product. Oregon berries are quoted at 10 and 12½c, while the California fruit goes at 10c a pound.

Salt Men Want an Agreement.

The various salt interests on the coast are trying to patch up their differences—a condition which looks very probable within the near future. The companies want to maintain a stated selling price and divide the business of the territory. Meanwhile the low quotations prevail.

Meats Are Generally Weaker.

The market for veal on Front street is weaker and somewhat lower. The tone on both mutton and lambs is still in the gutter and no early improvement is anticipated. Quite large receipts of beef arrived this morning but the market's tone remains unchanged.

Merchants' Opinions on Today's Market.

W. B. Glafke—Car oranges in; plenty strawberries in market with lower prices.

W. T. Turner & Co.—The indications are that the egg market will retain its present tone for the week; no chickens carried over from last week, so this leaves this week's market in good shape for liberal arrivals.

Toft, Hine & Co.—No changes over Saturday; veal plentiful and only the better grades find a ready sale; eggs weak.

Bell & Co.—Car bananas; good demand for strawberries but California product is getting soft.

Levy & Spiegl—Car bananas today.

G. S. Smith company—Chickens weaker; eggs weaker.

Malarkey & Co.—No changes in fish market.

Boggess & Co.—Potato market remains very weak; could almost be sure that potatoes will never reach the coveted 2c mark.

D. E. Melkle—Potatoes are quiet.

L. Jaggar—Nothing doing in potatoes of interest but looks as if market will improve.

Davenport-Thompson company—Butter is holding the same tone.

Everding & Farrell—Eggs very plentiful with us; chickens cleaned up; pork weaker; veal weaker; lambs worse than weak.

McKinley Mitchell—Advices received today from San Francisco are more encouraging as to the future of the potato market; if the dealers can hold together they will likely do all right.

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

Grain, Flour and Feed.

WHEAT—Walla Walla, 75c; bluestem, 81@82c; valley, 80@81c.

BARLEY—Feed, $23.50; rolled, $24.50; brewing, $23.50@24.00.

OATS—Producers' price—No. 1 white, $25.00@25.50; gray, $23.00@24.00.

FLOUR — Eastern Oregon: Patents, $4.40; straights, $3.65@3.70; valley, $3.95@4.05; graham, ½s, $3.65; 10s, $3.95.

MILLSTUFFS — Bran, $20.00 per ton; middlings, $25.50; shorts, country, $22.50; chop, $18.00.

HAY—Producers' price—Timothy, $18.00; eastern Oregon, $17.50; mixed, $14.00; clover, $11.00; grain, $12.00@12.50; cheat, $12.00@12.50.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—26@26½c for choice; 25@25½c for prime; poor quality, 18@20c; contract, 1904, 16@18c.

WOOL—Valley, coarse to medium, 16@16½c; fine, 16½@17c; eastern Oregon, 10@14c.

MOHAIR—New, 30@34c.

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, 1-3 less than dry flint; salted hides, steer, sound, 60 lbs or over, 6@7c; 50 to 60 lbs, 6c; under 50 lbs and cows, 5@6c; 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, 18½c; sour, 16½c.

BUTTER—City creameries, 20c; fancy, 17½c; ordinary, 15c; store, 12@12½c.

EGGS—Fresh Oregon, 17@17½c; dirties, 17c; bakers, 17c.

CHEESE—New—Full cream, twin, 11½@13c; Young America, 14½@15c.

POULTRY — Producers' prices — Chickens, mixed, 14@14½c per lb; hens, 14@15c per lb; roosters, old, 10@11c per lb; broilers, $3.00@3.50 per doz; fryers, $4.00@5.00 doz; ducks, old, 12c per lb; young, 13c per lb; geese, 7½@8c per lb; turkeys, 16@17c per lb; dressed, 18@20c per lb.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—$1.40; buyers' prices for fancy $1.10@1.15; ordinary, $1.25 per sack; buying, $1.00@1.10; new, 3@4c per lb.

ONIONS — Nominal; Oregon, $2.25; buying prices, best, $2.00; f. o. b. Portland, $2.00; Australia, $4.50.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Oregon, $1.75@2.00 per box; oranges, navel, $2.00@2.50 per box; tangerines, $75c@$1.60 per box; bananas, 5½c per lb; lemons, choice, $1.75@2.25 per box; fancy, $2.75@3.25 per box; limes, Mexican, 65c per 100; pineapples, $3.50; strawberries, California, $1.30@1.35 per box; Oregon, 10@12c per lb; cherries, $1.25 per box.

VEGETABLES — Turnips, 75@85c per sack; carrots, 75c per sack; beets, $1.25 per sack; Oregon radishes, 17½c per doz; cabbage, Oregon, (——); California, $2.50@2.25 per crate; hothouse lettuce, 45c per doz; green peppers, 5c per lb; horseradish, 7@8c per lb; celery, $1.00 per doz; tomatoes, California, $1.75@3.00 per crate; Florida, $3.25 per crate; parsnips, 75c@$1.25; cucumbers, $1.75 per doz; butter beans, 10c per lb; sprouts, 6c; cauliflower, $2.00; artichokes, 75c per doz; green peas, 5@6c per lb; asparagus, California, $2.00, Walla Walla, $1.35 per box; Oregon, $1.25 per box; green onions, 15c per doz.

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, 5¾@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, 7¾c; loose Muscatels, 50-lb boxes, 7@8¼c per lb; London layers, $1.35@2.00; clusters, $2.50@3.75; ½s, 25c; ¼s, 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, 95c; 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 1-lb cartons, per box, $1.75.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR — "Sack basis"—Cube, $6.10; powdered, $5.95; dry granulated, $5.85; beet granulated, $5.75; extra C, $5.35; golden C, $5.25; 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@23c; Java, fancy, 20@22c; 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, $12.87.

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@60c.

SALT—Fine—Bales, 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 10s, $1.20@1.50; table, dairy, 50s, $9.00@11.50; 100s, $8.15@——; imported Liverpool, 50s, $15.00@16.50; 100s, $14.75@16.00; 224s, $14.50@15.50; extra fine, bbls, 2s, 3s, 5s, 10s, $4.00; bulk, 320 lbs, $3.50; sacks, 50s, 65c.

SALT—Coarse, half ground, 100s, per ton, $5.20@6.50; 50s, per ton, $5.65@7.00; Liverpool lump rock, $15.50@16.50 per ton; 50-lb rock, $6.25@6.75; 100s, $5.75@6.25.

(Above prices apply to sales of less than car lots. Car lots at special prices subject to fluctuations).

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

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 5¾c; No. 2, 4¾c; New Orleans head, 7@7½c.

BEANS—Small white, 3¼c; large white, $3.50@3.60; pink, $4.00; bayou, 3¼c; Limas, $4.25.

NUTS—Peanuts, 7½c; jumbos, 9½c lb; raw, 9@10c per lb for roasted; cocoanuts, $5@90c per doz; walnuts, 14¾@15¾c 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, 12¾c; Sisal, 10½c.

Paints, Coal Oils, Etc.

COAL OIL—Pearl or Astral—Cases, 22c per gal; water white, iron bbls, 10½c per gal; wooden, — ; headlight, 170-deg, cases, 24c per gal; headlight, iron bbls, 17½c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw, in bbls, 52c per gal; cases, 57c per gal; genuine kettle boiled, cases, 59c per gal; bbls, 54c per gal; ground cake, car lots, $25.00 per ton; less than cars, $26.00 per ton.

GASOLINE—86-deg cases, 32c per gal, iron bbls, 20c 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, 85c per gal; wooden bbls, 81c per gal; iron bbls, 79c per gal; 10-lb case lots, 84c per gal.

WHITE LEAD—Ten lots, 7¾c; 500-lb lots, 8c per lb; less lots, 8¼c per lb.

Meats and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS — Inspected — Beef, prime, 7½@7¾c per lb; cows, 6½@7c per lb; mutton, dressed 6c per lb; lambs, dressed, 10c per lb.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Beef, steers, 6@7½c per lb; pork, block 7@7½c per lb; packers, 7@7¼c per lb; bulls, 4@4½c per lb; mutton, dressed, 5@5½c per lb; veal, extra 7c, ordinary 6c, poor 4@5c per lb; lambs, with pelts, 6½c per lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 14 lbs, 12½c per lb; 14 to 16 lbs, 12½c per lb; 10 to 20 lbs, 12½c per lb; cottage, 9½c per lb; picnic, 9c per lb; breakfast bacon, 11½@15c per lb; regular short clears, unsmoked, 9½c per lb; smoked, 10c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 9c per lb; smoked, 10c per lb; Union butts, 10 to 15 lbs, unsmoked, 8c per lb; smoked, 9c per lb.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 9¼c per lb; 5s, 10c per lb; 50-lb tins, 9¾c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 8¾c per lb; 5s, 9c per lb; 50s, 8¾c per lb; compound tierces, 6¾c per lb; tubs, 7c per lb; 50s, 7c per lb.

CANNED SALMON—Columbia river, 1-lb talls, $1.85; 2-lb talls, $2.45; fancy, 1-lb flats, $1.85; ½-lb fancy flats, $1.25; fancy, 1-lb oval, $2.65; Alaska talls, pink, $80@85c; red, $1.50; nominal 2s talls, $2.00.

FISH—Rock cod, 7c per lb; flounders, 5c per lb; halibut, 5c per lb; crabs, $1.25 per doz; razor clams, 9c per doz; little-neck clams, 3c; striped bass, 10@12½c per lb; catfish, 8c per lb; salmon, chinook, 8c per lb; steelheads, 8c per lb; herring, 5c per lb; soles, 6c per lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; shad, dressed, 3c per lb; perch, 5c per lb; shad roe, 12½c per lb; roe shad, 5c per lb.

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

Retail Lumber Prices.

	Com. Per M Ft.	Select Per M Ft.	Clear Per M Ft.
Rough, dimension regular sizes 2x3 to 12x12, 32 ft.	$ 8.50	$16.00	$23.00
Rough, dimension regular sizes to 12x12, 34-40 ft.	9.50	17.00	24.00
Rough, dimension regular sizes to 12x12, 42-48 ft.	11.50	19.00	26.00
Rough, dimension regular sizes to 12x12, 50-56 ft.	15.50	23.00	30.00
For each additional 2 inches in width add	1.00	2.00	2.00
For odd and fractional sizes sawed add not less than	2.00	3.00	4.00
For sawing vertical grain to 4x12 add	3.00	3.00	3.00
Common rough boards, regular sizes to 12 in. wide to 24 ft. inc., assorted lengths	9.50	11.00	

Specified lengths of boards $1.00 per M feet additional.

Board to consist of lumber less than 2 inches in thickness.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET.

New York, May 23.—Close: Coffee today was 5 points down to 5 points higher. The market:

	Bid.	Ask.
May	$5.50	$5.60
June	5.60	5.65
July	5.65	5.70
August	5.75	5.80
September	5.90	5.95
October	6.00	6.05
November	6.10	6.15
December	6.20	6.25
January	6.25	6.30
February	6.35	6.40
March	6.45	6.50
April	6.55	6.66

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(Furnished by Overbeck, Starr & Cooke Co.)

New York, May 23.—Cotton today is about 15 points up. The market:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	10.78	10.82	10.65	11.75@77
May	12.57	12.57	12.57	12.82@84
June	12.88	12.94	12.88	12.85@87
July	12.79	13.12	12.65	12.97@98
August	12.37	12.60	12.20	12.47@48
September	11.26	11.31	11.08	11.22@23
October	10.83	10.93	10.68	11.85@86
November	10.73	10.81	10.73	11.73@74
December	10.74	10.82	10.60	11.72@74

Duluth Wheat aMrket.

Duluth, May 23.—Close: Wheat—July, 94½c.

BROOKLYN RAPID AND AMALGAMATED ARE UP

(Furnished by Overbeck, Starr & Cooke Co.)

New York, May 23.—The tone in the stock market rules slightly better, but the improvement is not very apparent. Brooklyn Rapid Transit and Amalgamated Copper were the leaders and showed an advance at the close of 1 point. Today's market:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Anaconda Mining Co.	72	76	72	74
Amalgamated Copper Co.	50⅛	50⅝	49⅛	49⅝
Atchison common	69⅝	70⅝	69⅝	69⅝
do preferred	92½	92½	92	92½
American Car & F, com.	17¼	17¼	17⅛	17⅛
do preferred	70	70⅛	70	70⅛
American Sugar, com.	126½	126½	126	126½
American Smelt., com.	49½	50⅛	49½	49½
do preferred	95½	95⅝	95½	95⅝
Balt. & Ohio, com.	78⅝	79⅛	78½	78⅞
do preferred				99⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Tran.	46⅝	47⅝	46⅝	47⅝
Canadian Pacific, com.	117½	118	117½	114⅝
C. & A., com.	37⅛	37⅛	37	37½
do preferred				80½
Chicago & G. W., com.	14⅛	15⅛	14⅛	14⅝
C., M. & St. P.	140½	141⅛	140⅝	140⅝
Chicago & N. W., com.	170	170	169½	169
Chicago Terminal Ry.				7⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	30⅛	30½	30⅛	30½
Col. Fuel & Iron, com.	29½	29½	28⅝	28⅝
Col. Southern, com.	15⅝	16	15½	15⅝
do 1st preferred	25	25½	25	25
do 2nd preferred	21½	21⅝	21½	21½
Delaware & Hud.	155	155⅝	155	155½
Del. Lack. & West.				27½
D. & R. G., com.	20	20	19⅞	19⅞
do preferred	67⅛	68	67½	67½
Erie, com.	24	24⅝	23⅞	24
do 2nd preferred	34⅝	35⅝	34⅝	35
do 1st preferred	59⅛	59⅝	59⅛	59⅛
Illinois Central				129⅝
Louisville & Nashville	108	108⅛	108	108
Met. Traction Co.	111	112	111	111⅝
Manhattan Elevated	143⅛	144⅛	143⅛	143⅛
Mexican Central Ry.	7½	7⅝	7¼	7½
M., St. P. & Ste. M.				62½
Missouri Pacific	90⅞	91¼	90⅝	91
M., K. & T., com.	16⅛	16⅝	15⅞	16⅝
do preferred	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	35⅝
New York Central	114⅛	115⅛	114½	114½
Norfolk & West., com.				56⅝
do preferred				85
North American				81
N. Y., Ont. & W.	21	21½	21	21⅝
Pennsylvania Railway	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝
P. G. L. & C. Co.	95⅛	95⅝	95⅛	95⅝
Pressed Steel Car, com.	25½	26	25½	25½
do preferred				90½
Pacific Mail S. Co.				26⅛
Reading, common	44	44½	43⅝	44⅛
do 2nd preferred	61	62	61	62½
do 1st preferred				78½
Rep. Iron & Steel, com.	7	7	6⅞	6½
do preferred	38	38⅛	38	38⅝
Rock Island, com.	21½	21⅞	21¼	21⅝
do preferred	65	65	65	65
Southern Ry., com.	20⅝	20⅞	20⅝	20⅝
Southern Pacific	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
St. L. & S. F., 2nd pfd.	45½	46⅛	45½	46
do 1st preferred				60
St. L. & S. W., com.				12⅝
do preferred	32⅝	32⅝	32	32
Texas & Pacific	21¼	21⅝	21¼	21⅝
Tenn. Coal & Iron	34	35	34	34½
T., St. L. & W., com.	24½	25	24½	24½
do preferred	38⅛	38½	38⅛	38½
Union Pacific, com.	84½	84⅝	83⅞	84½
do preferred				91½
U. S. Leather, com.	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
do preferred	79½	79⅝	79⅝	79½
U. S. Rubber, com.	16½	16⅝	16½	16⅝
do preferred				67½
U. S. Steel Co., com.	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	9⅝
do preferred	54⅝	55⅛	54⅛	54⅞
W. & L. E., com.	15	15½	15	15
do 2nd preferred	24	24½	24	24
do first preferred	44	44	43¾	43¾
Wisconsin Central, com.	17⅛	17⅛	17	16⅝
do preferred	39	40	39	38½
Wabash, com.	15⅛	15⅝	15	15⅝
do preferred	34½	34⅞	34½	34⅝

Money, 1¾ per cent.
Total sales for day, 329,700 shares.

BOSTON STOCK EXCHANGE.

Boston, May 23.—Close:

	Bid.	Ask.
Old Dominion	12	13
United States	19⅞	20
Adventure	1⅝	1⅝
Arcadian	40	50
Arnold	50	51
Calumet	458	460
Centennial	19⅝	21
Copper Range	43	43½
Daly West	23⅝	24
Dominion Coal	64	65⅛
Mass Mining	3½	4
Michigan	4	4½
Mohawk	40⅛	41
Osceola	57	—
Parrot	24½	25
Phoenix	1⅝	2
Santa Fe	1⅛	1½
Shannon	6⅝	7
Tamarack	90	94
Victoria	2⅞	3⅛
Winona	6	6⅛
Wolverine	70	71

CHICAGO LOCAL STOCKS.

Chicago, May 23.—Local stocks:

	Bid.	Ask.
National Biscuit	44⅛	44⅝
do preferred	105	105½
American Box	1⅝	1⅝
do preferred	12	12½
American Can Co.	3⅝	4⅛
do preferred	35	35⅝
National Carbon	29	30
do preferred	102	103
Diamond Match	130	131
Swift Packing Co.	160	160½
Chicago City Ry.	156	160
North Side Ry.	45	70
West Side Ry.	40	45

SAN FRANCISCO LOCAL STOCKS.

San Francisco, May 23.—10:30 a. m. close:

	Bid.	Ask.
Spring Valley Water	35½	35¾
Contra Costa Water	40	—
S. F. Gas & Electric	61	61½
Giant Powder	60⅝	61⅝
Vigorit Powder	4½	4⅝
Hawaiian Sugar	49½	50
Hutchinson Sugar	9	9½
Makawli Sugar	21¼	21⅝
Paauau Sugar	14	14½
Alaska Pack. Ass.	139⅝	140

TODAY'S CLEARINGS.

The Portland clearing house reported today:

Clearings	$565,104.31
Balances	89,061.80

CATTLE WEAKER AND TEN CENTS LOWER

ortland Union Stock Yards, May 23.—Both cattle and hogs were weaker today on account of the unfavorable weather conditions. Cattle are 15c lower. Sheep remain dead. The receipts consisted of 150 cattle. Official ruling prices:

Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, $4.60; best valley steers, $4.00@4.35; medium steers, $3.60@3.75; cows, $3.55@3.75; bulls, $2.00@3.35; stags, $3.50.

Hog