TODAY'S MARKETS

Low Water in the Columbia Is Causing a Very Light Catch of Salmon — Eggs Are Going Into Storage—Poultry Selling at Price.

LOW WATER CAUSE OF LIGHTER CATCH

Pack of Salmon on the Columbia Is Now Very Small—Little Snow to Melt.

ARBUCKLE COFFEE RISES FIFTY CENTS A HUNDRED

Eggs Going Into Cold Storage — Poultry Sells at Lower Prices Today.

Front Street, May 4.—The principal features of the Portland wholesale markets today are:

Some hops are bought.
Arbuckle coffee advanced ½c.
Poultry is slightly lower.
Eggs going into cold storage.
Veal market is still down.
Trade in wheat and flour small.
Strawberries in small supply.
Catch of salmon very small.
Local potatoes in small supply.
Cherry market is very dull.
Market inspector visits street.
Heavy demand rules in wool.
Creamery butter a trifle better.

Salmon Catch Is Very Light.

With an opening that could hardly be improved, the salmon season is now showing very small receipts. The river is now so low and the water so cold that fishermen are securing but small returns. The various canneries which were securing about all the supplies they needed at the first of the season are now barely able to operate on account of the small catch. There is now but little snow in the mountains and no great change is expected in the volume of water. Fishermen along the river say that they have never seen present conditions duplicated. The run of shad in the Columbia continues very heavy and dealers are experiencing considerable difficulty in placing all the arrivals. No change in prices today.

Some Hops Being Bought.

This is the height of the brewing season—the demand for hops will soon reach their limit. For about two months the present call for stocks will continue. Some orders are in the market, but on account of the small supplies are hard to buy. Some of the dealers who still have stocks are selling them to their brethren in need. T. A. Livesley of Salem has purchased 22 bales of primes from Morris Reinstein of this city. The price paid is at present unknown, but is understood to be around present values.

Arbuckle Coffee Advanced Half Cent.

With raw coffee showing an advance in the east, there is a decided firmer tone to the demand for package grades and today the price of Arbuckle brand went to $14.75. Of late there has been no public change in the price of Lion and this has caused many of the dealers to take it off their lists until the definite figure becomes known.

Poultry Is Slightly Lower.

With receipts showing a small increase there was a slight drop in poultry values today. The demand for poultry is good but is not so rushing as the previous week. Stocks are not showing any accumulation, as previously reported.

Eggs Going Into Cold Storage.

The cold storage operators are again in business and last evening and today quite large stocks were put away for winter's use. Receipts of eggs are not heavy and prices are easily being maintained. Today's price on eggs range from 17@17½c, with the latter figure showing the most sales.

Veal Market Is Still Down.

Veal did not come in quite so fast today, but the market is still badly overstocked from yesterday and prices are weak with figures again slightly lower. There is a good tone to the dressed hog market and former prices are still being maintained. There is a fair demand for the better grades of spring lambs, but poor stocks will find no sale at all.

Strawberries in Small Supplies.

As was told in The Journal yesterday, no California strawberries arrived in the Front-street markets today. Supplies are therefore quite small and prices took a sudden upward move. Arrivals of Oregon berries are not showing much of an increase, but the quality of the berries is far superior to those arriving from the south that even at materially increased prices there is a good demand for the local fruit. The cherry demand is still small and prices are being cut by some of the dealers in order to unload. A car of sweet potatoes came in from the south this morning.

Local Potatoes in Small Supply.

Stocks of local potatoes in this market are very small and for this reason there was somewhat of a better call for outside goods late yesterday afternoon and today. The Colorado stocks which arrived have been sold but dealers do not care for any more. Potatoes are being received from nearer points at lower prices. The San Francisco market is showing a small increase in activity and prices are again at the top of the season. This was brought about by smaller arrivals there. It is said that more Minnesota stocks are en route to that market.

Creamery Butter a Trifle Better.

The demand for creamery butter showed a very slight increase today, but there is very little chance at present for an advance in present values. Receipts are not quite so heavy. Cold storage operations have begun and this may prove a big help to the market. The cheese market is just easy at the lower prices exclusively printed in The Journal yesterday.

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

Grain, Flour and Feed.

WHEAT—Nominal; club and red, 85c; bluestem, 91c; valley, 90c.

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

CORN—Whole, $24.50; cracked, $25.50 per ton.

RYE—$1.55 per cwt.

OATS—No. 1 white, $28.00; gray, —.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon—Patents, $4.55@4.65; straights, $3.75; exports, $3.50@3.65; valley, $4.10; graham, ¼s, $4.00; 10s, $4.45; rye, 50s, $3.60; bales, $2.75.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $19.00 per ton; middlings, $25.00; shorts, country, $23.00; chop, $18.00.

HAY—Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, $13.00; ordinary, $12.00; eastern Oregon, $13.00; mixed, $12.00; clover, $11.00; grain, $11.00; cheat, $11.00.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—Sweet, 18½c; sour, 16½c.

BUTTER—City creamery, best, 20c; second grade, 17½@18c; outside creamery, 18¾@20c; ordinary, 17½c; California, 18¾c; store, 14@14½c.

EGGS—No. 1 fresh Oregon, 17@17½c.

CHEESE—New full cream, twins, 15@16c; Young America, 17@17½c; eastern, 15@15½c; California, 15¾c; Cheddar, 16c.

POULTRY—Chickens, mixed, 14@15c per lb; hens, 14@15c per lb; roosters, old, 12c per lb; young, 15c per lb; broilers, $4.00@6.00 per doz; fryers, $5.50 per doz; ducks, $5.00@9.00 per doz; geese, 8@9c per lb; turkeys, 17@18c per lb; dressed, 20@21½c per lb; squabs, $2.50@3.00 per doz.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—Contract, 1905, 16@17c; 1904 crop, 24@25c for choice; 22@24c for primes and mediums.

WOOL—1905 clip, valley, coarse to medium, 18@19c; fine, 21@23c; eastern Oregon, 15@18c.

MOHAIR—Nominal, 30@31c.

SHEEPSKINS—Shearing, 19@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.

CHITTIM BARK—4½c per lb; buying price.

HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 lbs and up, 16@16½c per lb; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 lbs, 14c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 lbs, 16@18c; dry salted hides, steers, sound, 60 lbs or over, 8½@9½c; 50 to 60 lbs, 8@8½c; under 50 lbs and cows, 8@8½c; stags and bulls, sound, 6@7c; kip, 15 to 30 lbs, 9c; sound, 10 to 14 lbs, 9@9½c; calf, sound, under 10 lbs, 9½@11c; green (unsalted), 1c per lb less; cuts, ½c per lb less; horse hides, salted, each, $1.25@1.75; dry, each, $1.00@1.50; colt hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora, with wool on, each, 25c@$1.00.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Best Oregon, $1.15@1.20; car lots, f.o.b. country, $1.00@1.10; second grade, $1.00 per sack; buying, car lots, 65c; Early Rose, $1.00@1.25; sweets, crated, $1.75; new California, 4c per lb.

ONIONS—$5.00; buyers' prices, country, $4.15; Australia, $5.50; garlic, 9@10c per lb.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, extra fancy, $2.00; fancy Oregon, $1.00@1.50 per box; cheap grades, 75c per box; oranges, navel, $2.00@3.00 box; bananas, 4½@5c per lb; lemons, choice, $2.75 box; fancy, $3.00 box; limes, Mexican, 65c per 100; pineapples, $4.00@5.00; cranberries, eastern, $11.00 per bbl; strawberries, Oregon, 20c per box; California, $1.50 per crate; cherries, $1.50 per box.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, 75@80c per sack; carrots, $1.00@1.10 per sack; beets, $1.25 per sack; Oregon radishes, 25c per doz; cabbage, Oregon, —— per cwt; California, $1.00@1.25; lettuce, hothouse, $1.25@1.50 per crate; green peppers, 7c per lb; Chili peppers, 15@11c lb; celery, $3.75@4.00 per crate; tomatoes, Florida, $5.00; Mexican, $3.25@3.50; parsnips, $1.00@1.25; string beans, 12c; cauliflower, California, $1.75@2.00 crate; rhubarb, 1@1½c per lb; horseradish, 7@8c per lb; sprouts, 6c; artichokes, 40@50c per doz; hothouse lettuce, $1.00 per box; Oregon radishes, 15@20c per doz; green onions, 15@20c per doz; asparagus, 60@80c per doz bunches; Walla Walla, $1.00@1.25 per box; spinach, 3c per lb; green corn, $1.50 per doz; peas, 6@8c.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, 7@8c per lb; apricots, 9½@13c per lb; sacks, ½c per lb less; peaches, 8@12c per lb; pears, —— per lb; prunes, Italian, 3½@4½c per lb; French, 3½@4½c per lb; figs, California black, 3@6½c per lb; California white, —— per lb; plums, pitted, —— per lb; dates, golden, 6c per lb; fards, $1.50 per 15-lb box.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—Sack basis—Cube, $6.20; powdered, $6.05; fruit granulated, $5.95; dry granulated, $5.95; beet granulated, $5.85; extra C, $5.45; golden C, $5.35; bbls, 10c; ½ bbls, 25c; boxes, 50c advance on sack basis, less 20c per cwt for cash, 15 days; maple, 14@16c per lb.

HONEY—14½@15c.

COFFEE—Package brands, $14.75.

SALT—Fine—Sales, 2s, 3s, ws, 5s, 10s, $1.60; table, dairy, 50s, $11.00; 100s, $10.75; imported Liverpool, 50s, $17.00; 100s, $16.50; 224s, $16.00; extra fine, bbls, 2s, 3s, 5s, 10s, $4.50@5.50; bulk, 320 lbs, $4.00@5.00; sacks, 50s, $5@5c.

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, per ton, $7.00; 50s, per ton, $7.50; Liverpool lump rock, $16.50 per ton; 50-lb rock, $7.00; 100s, $6.75.

(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, 4¾c; No. 2, 4c; New Orleans, head, 5½@6c; Adjex, 5½c; Creole, 4c.

BEANS—Small white, 4c; large white, 5½c; pink, 3½c; bayou, $3.00; Limas, 6½c; Mexican reds, 7c.

NUTS—Peanuts, 7½c; jumbos, 9½c per lb; raw, 9@10c per lb; roasted, ——; cocoanuts, 85@90c per doz; walnuts, 14@15c 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.

Paints, Coal Oils, Etc.

ROPE—Pure Manila, 14c; standard, 12¾c; sisal, 10½c; istle brand sisal, 9¾c.

COAL OIL—Pearl or Astral—Cases, 20½c per gal; gwater white, iron bbls 10c per gal, wooden 18c per gal; headlight, 170-deg. cases 22½c per gal.

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

TURPENTINE—In cases 84c per gal, bbls 81c per gal.

BENZINE—63-deg., cases 25c per gal, iron bbls 18½c per gal.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7¼c per lb; 500-lb lots, 7½c per lb; less lots, 8c per lb.

WIRE NAILS—Present base at $2.00.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw, in bbls 61c per gal, cases 66c per gal; genuine kettle boiled, cases 68c per gal, bbls 63c per gal; ground cake, car lots $29.00 per ton, less than car lots $30.00 per ton.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Beef, steers, 4½@5½c per lb; pork, block, 7½c per lb; packers, 7½c per lb; bulls, 3@4c per lb; cows, 3@4c per lb; mutton, 6½@7½c and lambs, with pelts, 6½@7½c per lb; veal, extra, 6@6½c; ordinary, 5@6c per lb; poor, 4½@5c per lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 14 lbs, 12½c per lb; 14 to 16 lbs, 12½c per lb; 18 to 20 lbs, 12½c per lb; cottage, 8½c per lb; breakfast bacon, 12½@17c per lb; picnic, 8c per lb; regular short clears, unsmoked, 9½c per lb; smoked, 10½c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 9c per lb; smoked, 10c per lb; Union butts, 10 to 18 lbs, unsmoked, 8c per lb; smoked, 9c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 11c per lb; smoked, 12c per lb; shoulders, 8c.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 10¼c per lb; 5s, 10½c per lb; 50-lb tins, 10¾c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 9¾c per lb; 5s, 9¾c per lb; tubs, 6¾c per lb; 50s, 6¾c per lb.

CANNED SALMON—Columbia river 1-lb talls, $1.85; 2-lb talls, $2.50; fancy, 1-lb flats, $2.00; ¼-lb fancy flats, $1.25; fancy 1-lb ovals, $2.75; Alaska talls, pink, 85@90c; red, $1.50; nominal 2s, tall, $2.00.

FISH—Rock cod, 7c per lb; flounders, 5c per lb; halibut, 5c per lb; crabs, $1.25 per doz; striped bass, $10@12c per lb; catfish, 7c per lb; salmon, chinook, 8c per lb; steelheads, 7c per lb; herring, 5c per lb; soles, 6c per lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; perch, 5c per lb; shad, 3c per lb; roe shad, 8c per lb; shad roe, 80c per lb; black cod, 6c per lb; silver smelt, —— per lb; lobsters, 15c; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 20c per doz; flounders, 5c per lb; sturgeon, 7c per lb.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gal, $2.25; per sack, 7c per lb.

CLAMS—Hard shell, per box, $2.00; razor clams, $2.00 per box.

THURSDAY PRICES IN THE WHEAT MARKET

	May.	July.
Chicago	$ .91⅛ B	$ .83¼ B
Liverpool	**6s 4⅜d	6s 6⅝d
Winnipeg	.88¼	.90¼
St. Louis	.89½	.79 B
Kansas City	.88⅛ B	.73⅝
Minneapolis	.93⅝	.94⅛
Duluth	.93⅝ B	.93 B
New York	.93⅝	.88⅝
San Francisco	1.45⅛	*1.29⅛

**September. *December.

A SEVERE DECLINE IN SHEEP VALUES

Market Tumbles About Seventy-Five Cents and Looks Lower.

Portland Union Stockyards, May 4.—Livestock receipts:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	200	500	400
Week ago	...	650	1,035
Previous week	...	...	120

There was a break in sheep values today—the values showing a drop of about ¾c per pound. The market is easy at present values, but the outlook for the future of prices is not good. Big, fat hogs are dull, while light stocks are quoted easy and unchanged. The cattle market is steady at yesterday's values. Spring lambs are slightly down.

Official prices for livestock:

Hogs—Best eastern Oregon, $6.00; blockers and China fats, $5.25; stockers and feeders, $4.50@4.75.

Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, $4.25@4.50; light and medium steers, $3.50@4.00; old and light cows, $2.60@2.75; stockers and feeders, $2.00; bulls, $1.50.

Sheep—Best fancy sheep, $3.75@4.00; ewes, $3.50@3.75; spring lambs, 4½c.

EASTERN HOGS STEADY.

Chicago, May 4.—Livestock receipts:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Chicago	12,000	8,000	13,000
Kansas City	5,000	4,000	2,000
Omaha	7,000	20,000	3,000

Hogs opened steady with 2,000 left over. Receipts a year ago were 24,000. Today's prices: Mixed, $5.20@5.45; good and heavy, $5.30@5.47½; rough, $4.90@5.20; light, $5.10@5.37½.

Cattle—Strong to 10c higher.

Sheep—Steady.

AMERICAN STOCKS IN LONDON.

London, May 4, 2 p. m.—Anaconda advanced 3/16; Atchison declined ¼; preferred advanced ¼; Baltimore & Ohio declined ¼; Alton advanced ¼; Chesapeake & Ohio advanced ¼; St. Paul advanced ¾; Denver preferred advanced ¾; Erie firsts declined ⅜; Illinois Central advanced ¾; Louisville & Nashville declined ¼; Katy declined ¼; preferred advanced ¼; Mexican Central advanced ⅛; Norfolk & Western declined ⅛; preferred advanced ⅜; Pennsylvania advanced ⅜; Reading declined ⅛; Southern Railway declined ⅛; Southern Pacific advanced ¾; Union Pacific advanced ⅜; Steel advanced ¼; preferred advanced ⅛; Northern Securities advanced ¼.

PACIFIC COAST WHEAT BID FOR

France Buys Cargo of Victorian Grain and Is Looking to This Section for More.

LIGHT TRADING SHOWN IN THE MAY OPTION

All Wheat Volumes Show a Slight Decline in Chicago Market.

THURSDAY WHEAT MARKET.

	Open To-day	High. Today	Close Wed.	Loss Today
May	$ .92⅛ B	$ .91⅞ B	$ .92	$ .00⅛
July	.83⅛	.83⅛ B	.83⅝	.00⅝
Sept	.79⅛	.79⅛	.79⅛	.00⅝

(Furnished by Overbeck, Starr & Cooke Co.)

Chicago, May 4. — Logan & Bryan say: Broomhall cables that France has purchased a cargo of Victorian wheat and is now bidding for a cargo of Pacific coast wheat. Favorable weather through the winter wheat country favors us slightly. About noon the market maintained a very firm tone. At this point the low point of the day was made, after which the market rallied and closed but little unchanged.

At times the cash demand invited some selling of the May option, but it was mostly of a dribbling character. Considering the government report due on the 10th we doubt if the market will do much either way pending its publication.

Corn Outlook the Same.

The speculative corn market looks unchanged to us. May is strongly held and with decreasing stocks and with the small reserves the bears in this month could be made very uneasy.

Small Hog Receipts.

In provisions the speculative market took its cue almost entirely from the small receipts and high prices. A continuation of the small hog receipts would necessarily mean decreasing stocks. Once this is realized the short interest would be in an unenviable position.

Today's official markets:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
May	$ .92⅛ B	$ .92⅝	$ .91⅛	$ .91⅞ B
July	.83⅛	.83⅝	.82⅝	.83⅛ B
Sept	.79⅛	.79⅝	.78⅝	.79⅛
CORN.				
May	.48	.48⅝	.47⅝	.47⅞ B
July	.46⅝	.47⅛	.46⅝	.46⅝
Sept	.46½	.46⅝	.46⅛	.46⅜ B
OATS.				
May	.29⅛	.29⅝	.29⅛	.29⅝
July	.28⅛	.29⅛	.28⅝	.28⅞
Sept	.27⅛	.27⅝	.27⅝	.27⅛
MESS PORK.				
May	12.00	12.05	12.00	12.12 N
July	12.30	12.55	12.47	12.50 A
Sept	12.52	12.52	12.50	12.50
LARD.				
May	6.97	7.12	6.97	7.12
July	7.12	7.32	7.30	7.30
Sept	7.10	7.50	7.15	7.47
SHORT RIBS.				
May	6.95	6.95	6.95	6.97 N
July	7.25	7.25	7.25	7.25 B
Sept	7.45	7.47	7.45	7.47 A

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKET.

San Francisco, May 4.—Official close, 11:30 a. m.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
May	$1.42½	$ ——	$ ——	$1.42½ A
December	1.29½	1.29½	1.29½	1.29½
BARLEY.				
December	.87½	.87½	.87	.87½
May	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.14

PRIMARY SHIPMENTS AND CLEARANCES.

Chicago, May 4.—Primary receipts:

	Today Bush.	Year Ago Bush.
Wheat	200,000	155,000
Corn	132,000	274,000
Shipments:		
Wheat	309,000	205,000
Corn	443,000	333,000

Total clearances: Flour, 5,400 barrels; corn, 275,000 bushels; oats, 56,000 bushels.

CHICAGO CASH WHEAT.

Chicago, May 4.—Cash wheat:

	—Today— Bid.	Ask.	Wed. Bid.
No. 2 red	$ .93	$ .95	$ .93
No. 3 red	.86	.92	.84
No. 2 hard	.91	.93	.91
No. 3 hard	.85	.90	.83
No. 1 northern	.95	.98	.96
No. 2 northern	.93	.98	.93
No. 3 spring	.88	.96	.83

CHICAGO GRAIN CAR LOTS.

Chicago, May 4.—Grain car lots:

	Cars	Grade	Est.
Wheat	21	1	22
Corn	94	1	89
Oats	61	15	66

Price Current Bearish.

Cincinnati, O., May 4.—Price Current says: Crop conditions are uniformly satisfactory, so much so that, practically speaking, comments are not essential.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

Liverpool, May 4.—Close: Wheat, July, 6s 6¾d, ¾d down; September, 6s 4¾d, ¾d down. Corn—May, ¼d down; July, unchanged.

COTTON MARKET IS ELEVEN POINTS OFF

(Furnished by Overbeck, Starr & Cooke Co.)

New York, May 4.—Cotton futures closed 11 points lower.

Today's official cotton market:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	769	769	764	764@65
February	...	...	...	768@72
March	775	775	775	773@75
May	742	754	735	735@36
June	730	732	725	725@27
July	737	738	732	733@34
August	742	743	738	738@39
September	748	748	742	742@43
October	756	756	750	750@51
November	...	...	...	755@57
December	765	766	760	759@60

Liverpool Cotton Lower.

Liverpool, May 4.—Cotton futures closed quiet 3 to 4 points lower.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET.

New York, May 4.—Coffee futures closed 5 points higher with the market steady.

Today's official coffee market:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
May	$6.75	$6.80	November	$7.25	$7.30
June	6.80	6.85	December	7.25	7.40
July	6.85	6.90	January	7.40	7.45
August	6.95	7.00	February	7.40	7.50
September	7.05	7.10	March	7.45	7.50
October	7.15	7.20			

Coffee Visible Decreased.

New York, May 4.—The visible supply of coffee decreased 670,000 bags last month.

New York Cash Coffee.

New York, May 4.—Cash coffee: No. 7 Rio, 8½c; No. 4 Santos, 8½c.

Foreign Coffee Markets.

New York, May 4.—Havre and Hamburg coffee unchanged; Rio and Santos steady.

TONOPAH MINING STOCKS.

San Francisco, May 4.—Tonopah stocks, official close, morning session:

	Bid.		Bid.
Montana	$3.25	Adams	$ .12
Midway	1.65	Mohawk	.23A
McNamara	.40	Dixie	.21
Belmont	1.25	Kendall	.27
North Star	.63	Columbia Mt	.40
Rescue	.08	Jumbo	.75
Gold Mount	.12	Jumbo Exten	.14
Jim Butler	1.00	Black Butte	.36
Nevada	.14	Silver Pick	.16
Ton. Exten	5.25A	Gold Anchor	.94
Red Top	.39	Ray O'Brien	.06B
Goldfield	.53	Ophir Ton	.39A
Sandstorm	.52	C. Bull Frog	.34
Sandstorm Ext	.18	Diamond Field	.55
North Star	.19A	Homestake	.28A
Cash Boy	.20		

NINE DOLLARS IS LOST BY C. & N. W

Big Clump Shown on New York Stock Exchange in To-day's Session.

GENERAL STOCKS LOSE THREE DOLLARS EACH

Tennessee Coal, Sugar, St. Paul and New York Central Among the List.

LOSSES.

Anaconda	¼	Manhattan	1
Amalgamated	2⅛	Metropolitan	1
Atchison	2⅛	Mex. Central	1
Atchison, pfd	⅝	Missouri Pac	1⅝
Sugar	2⅛	North Am	1
Smelter	2	N. Y. Central	3⅝
Smelter, pfd	1⅝	Pennsylvania	1⅛
Car & Found	1⅞	Gas	⅝
Car & Found., pfd	⅝	Reading	2⅝
Brooklyn	1⅛	Rock Island	1⅛
Balt. & Ohio	1⅛	South. Ry	½
Colo. Fuel	2	Tenn. Coal	3
St. Paul	3⅛	Steel	1⅝
C. & N. W.	9	Katy	⅛
Chesa. & Ohio	1	Katy, pfd	1⅛
Canadian Pac	1½	Norf. & West	1
Colo. South	⅛	Ont. & West	2⅛
Colo. South., 2d p.	½	Pacific Mail	2⅛
North. Securities	1⅛	Pressed Steel	⅝
Erie	⅛	Rep. Steel	½
Erie, 2d pfd	2⅛	Rep. Steel, pfd	2⅛
Erie, 1st pfd	2⅝	Southern Pac	1⅛
Great West	⅝	Northern Pac	1⅝
Ill. Central	⅝	Wabash	⅛
Louis. & Nash	2⅛	Wabash, pfd	⅝

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Wall Street, May 4.—With the possible exception of one stock, the entire market showed sensationally lower today. The market opened rather shaky but was practically unchanged from yesterday's closing. It developed a small amount of strength early but later became very weak and all values began to melt away.

Today's official stock market:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Anaconda Mining Co.	110	110	108	107
Amal., Copper Co.	80	80½	77½	78½
Atchison, com	84⅛	84⅛	81½	81⅝
do preferred	102	102	101⅛	101⅛
Am. Car & Found., com	34⅝	34⅝	33	33
do preferred	96	96	96	96
Am. Sugar, com	136⅛	136⅝	133⅛	133⅝
Am. Smelt., com	112⅛	113	106⅛	110⅛
do preferred	120	120½	119	118⅝
Baltimore & Ohio, com	105⅛	105⅛	104⅛	104⅛
do preferred	96½	96½	96	96
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	60⅝	60⅞	58⅝	59½
Canadian Pacific, com	148⅝	148⅛	146½	146⅝
Chi. & Alton, com	33	33	32	32
Chi. & Gt. West, com	20⅛	20⅛	19⅛	19⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	170⅛	171⅛	168⅛	168½
Chi. & North., com	221	229	215	217
Chi. Terminal Ry	...	...	...	17⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	49⅝	49⅝	48⅛	49
Colo. Fuel & Iron, com	44	44	41⅝	41⅛
Colo. South., com	27⅝	27⅝	26	26
do 2d preferred	34	34	34	34
do 1st preferred	...	...	...	56
Delaware & Hudson	184	185	182⅝	183
Dela. & Lacka. & West	370	370	365	365
D. & R. G., com	...	...	...	29⅛
do preferred	86½	86⅝	85½	85⅛
Erie, com	42	42⅛	41⅛	41⅝
do 2d preferred	66⅛	66⅛	64	64⅝
do 1st preferred	78⅛	78⅛	76⅝	76⅝
Illinois Central	159½	159½	157½	157
Louisville & Nashville	145⅝	145⅝	142½	143½
Metro. St. Ry	118⅛	118	115⅛	116⅝
Manhattan Ry	163	163	162	162
Mexican Central Ry	20⅛	21⅛	20⅝	20⅛
M., St. P. & Ste. M.	113½	114⅛	111	111
Missouri Pacific	97	97	95⅝	95⅛
M., K. & T., com	27	27	26⅛	26⅝
do preferred	59	59	57⅝	57⅛
New York Central	142⅝	143	139⅛	139⅝
Norfolk & Western, com	77⅛	77⅛	76⅛	77
do preferred	...	...	...	91
North American	101	101	100	100⅛
N. Y., Ont. & West	51⅛	51⅝	48⅛	48⅝
Pennsylvania Ry	139⅛	139⅛	138	138½
P. C., L. & C. Co.	103	103⅝	102⅛	103⅝
Pressed Steel Car, com	38⅛	38⅛	37	37
do preferred	92	92	92	92
Pacific Mail Steam Co.	38	38	35	36⅝
Reading, com	92⅝	93⅝	90⅝	91⅛
Rep. Iron & Steel, com	18⅛	18⅛	17	17⅛
do preferred	73	73	71	71⅛
Rock Island, com	28⅝	28⅞	27⅝	27⅝
do preferred	73⅝	73⅝	73½	73⅝
Southern Ry., com	30½	30½	29⅝	29⅝
do preferred	96	96	95½	95½
Southern Pacific	60⅛	60⅛	57⅝	58⅛
Southern Railway	...	...	...	116⅝
St. L. & S. F., 2d pfd.	65⅝	65⅝	65	65
St. L. & S. W., com	22	22	21	21
do preferred	57	58	57	57
Texas & Pacific	31⅛	32	30½	30½
Tennessee Coal & Iron	80⅝	81⅝	78⅝	79½
Toledo, St. L. & W., c.	36⅛	37	36	35½
do preferred	56	56	55⅛	55⅛
Union Pacific, com	119	119⅛	116⅛	117
do preferred	99	99	97⅛	97⅛
U. S. Leather, com	12	12	11⅝	11⅛
do preferred	...	...	...	108
U. S. Rubber, com	38⅛	38⅝	37½	37⅝
do preferred	107⅛	108	105	105½
U. S. Steel Co., com	31⅝	31⅞	30⅛	30½
do preferred	100	100⅛	98⅝	99⅛
Wheel. & Lake Erie, com	15⅝	15⅝	15⅛	15
Wisconsin Central, com	20⅝	20⅞	20	20⅛
do preferred	46½	46½	45	46
W. U. Tel	93	93½	93	93
Wabash, com	19⅛	19⅛	19	19
do preferred	40⅛	41⅛	38⅛	39⅛
Rubber Goods	30½	31⅝	30½	31⅛
do preferred	104	104	103	103

United States Steel Co., preferred, ex-dividend of 1¾ per cent.

Total sales for day, 1,361,200 shares.

Call money, 2½ per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO LOCAL STOCKS.

San Francisco, May 4.—Local stocks closing, 10:30 a. m.:

	Bid.	Ask.
Contra Costa Water	41⅛	.....
Spring Valley Water	38⅝	38⅝
Mutual Electric	...	13½
S. F. Gas & Electric	57½	57⅝
Giant Powder	68⅛	68⅝
Hawaiian Commercial	85	.....
Honokaa Sugar	20½	.....
Hutchinson Sugar	16⅞	17
Makawell Sugar	35⅝	36
Onomea Sugar	35	36
Paauhau Sugar	23⅝	24
Alaska Packers'	86½	86⅝
Cal. Wine	76½	78
Oceanic Steamship	4	5
Pacific States Tel	101⅛	103

BOSTON COPPER STOCKS.

Boston, May 4.—Official copper close:

	Bid.		Bid.
Adventure	$ 8.50	Franklin	$ 8.00
Allouez	19.50	Old Dom	23.25
Arcadian	1.12½	Osceola	90.50
Atlantic	13.00	Parrot	23.50
Bingham	30.75	Quincy	98.00
Calumet	844.00	Santa Fe	1.50
Centennial	17.50	Shannon	7.50
Copper Range	70.00	Trinity	7.75
Daly West	13.50	United Copper	22.25
Dom. Coal	78.00	Victoria	3.75
Granby	5.62½	Winona	10.50
Greene-Cananea	25.62½	Wolverine	105.50
Michigan	11.25	British Col.	7.87½
Mohawk	48.00	U. S. Mining	30.75

PORTLAND BANK STATEMENT.

Clearings	$645,966.91
Balances	97,644.78

New York London Sugar.

New York, May 4.—Sugar: Refined, steady and unchanged; raw, steady and unchanged; London beet, 3d lower.

MISSOURI'S PICKLE CROP.

From the Kansas City Times.

A pickle harvest is the latest thing in Missouri afield. An order was received from a Scotland county farmer at the state labor bureau yesterday stating that he would need 60 hands on August 1 to pick pickles. The pay is 20 cents a bushel and the man writes that an industrious person could pick from 10 to 20 bushels a day. It will take six to eight weeks to harvest the crop.

A. B. Jamison, superintendent of the bureau, said yesterday that he would send families out to do the work, in that way giving employment to women.