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Buyers in the South Do Not Have Ready Money and Local Funds Are Tied Up—Some Millers Advance Price of Flour of Valley Variety.

FRUIT STREET, MAY 1.—The principal feature of the Portland wholesale markets today are:

Strawberries coming better. California berries are lower. Eggs very firm at yesterday's price. Veal market like before. Still a shortage in fresh salmon. Potato market is unsatisfactory.

Still a Shortage in Fresh Salmon

As the season progresses the catch of salmon in the Columbia proves very disappointing. The market is the lightest received during a season in recent years. Packers report that they have never been so disappointed over the run as the start of the present season. The agreement of the packers to pay no higher than a certain sum for cannery fish is being broken many times. At the present time practically every packer along the river has been offered more money than he can possibly fill. While a large part of these offers have been accepted, some of the larger canners believe that prices should be higher and are withholding their acceptance until prices are higher.

Oregon Strawberries Coming Better

Three more crates of Oregon strawberries were received today along Front street and the market is better. The price of the fruit is still excessive and with a better supply prices will soon melt away. Those that are not yet accepted, some of the packers and dealers are waiting for a better market. The price of the fruit is still excessive and with a better supply prices will soon melt away.

Some Veal Heavy in Price

Receipts of veal have been so heavy of late that the market is considerably weaker. Prices are lower today. Dressed hams remain firm with receipts and demand equal at the present price. The market is better today. Prices are lower today.

Some Valley Flour is Higher

The very excellent quality of the Willamette valley variety is causing some of the millers to ask higher prices and by some of the millers the price is being advanced. There is but little offering in the market of oriental business, but California trade is now being done.

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JOURNAL'S DAILY TIPS ON MARKETS

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DISASTER IN THE SOUTH HELPS WEDDING TRADE

There was a marked increase in the number of marriage licenses issued from the office of County Clerk Frank S. Fields of April over the months of March and February. The San Francisco disaster is one of the causes, several weddings having been hurried on this account.

SEVERE BREAK CAUSED BY HIGHER MONEY

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET DROPS FROM UNDER COLORADO FUEL OVER FIVE LOWER

Money rates due to the immense drawing of funds for the rebuilding of San Francisco caused a sensational decline in the New York stock market today. Practically all the leading securities were lower. The largest individual loss for the day was in Reading common, which lost 5 1/2 points from yesterday's price.

LOCAL MEN WANT TO HANDLE RELIEF FUNDS

Oakland, Cal., May 1.—Governor Pardee, General Greely, Mayors Schmitt and Mott held a conference today on the proposition of the local relief committee that all government funds voted for relief be turned over to the finance committee as best equipped and are familiar with the needs and so can prevent the waste of funds which is now charged to the war department.

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RANGE SPREADING IN CHICAGO

May Gradually Losing Ground in the Speculative Market—Others Gain Most.

SEPTEMBER OPTION A HALF CENT HIGHER

May Gains a Fraction and July a Quarter—Low Points of Day Made at the Opening—Liverpool Comes Trifle Lower.

RELATIVE WHEAT VALUES

Table with columns: Close, High, Low, Gain. Rows for May, June, July, August, September.

The Chicago wheat market today opened unchanged to a fraction higher. The trade was slightly heavier than yesterday, but became bullish in the latter part of the day. The closing was higher.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET

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A. B. WOLLABER TO BE LOS ANGELES FORECASTER

A. B. Wollaber, local forecaster, received official notice this morning that he will be given charge of the weather office at Los Angeles, one of the most important stations on the coast except San Francisco and Portland. The promotion came as a surprise to Mr. Wollaber, although District Forecaster Beale has been previously apprised of the contemplated change.

EXPOSURE AFTER FIRE CAUSES CHILD'S DEATH

A victim was added to the San Francisco casualty list in Portland yesterday when the 15-month-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reddington died at the Bellingham house, East Sixth and Morrison streets.

CALIFORNIA SUPREME COURT LEASES BUILDING

San Francisco, May 1.—The supreme court has decided to lease the Century club building on Sanson street, San Francisco, for one year. Adjustment of the lease is being made by a lawyer and is expected to be held in regular session of the court.