TODAY'S MARKETS

There Is No Truth in Report of Great Losses Among Lambs of Eastern Oregon Owing to the Lack of Rain There.

MEATS HAVE A FIRMER TONE

Both Veal and Hogs Are in Better Demand With Light Arrivals.

Front street features:
Pressed meats are firmer.
Eggs holding steady.
Cannot get poultry higher.
Salmon season prospects good.
Cabbage market advanced.
Heavy strawberry shipments.
Rhubarb is selling down.
Orange market is jumping.
New cheese more plentiful.
No reduction in butter prices.
Frisco loaded with spuds.

Dressed Meats Are Firmer.

With supplies not nearly so liberal, there is a firmer tone in the entire dressed meat market. Along Front street, demand is fully as good as any time during the year. The market price is holding right at the top for both veal and hogs. It seems that farm work is so insistent that producers do not have the time to kill, dress and ship meats. While the tone is expected to remain firm all week, the market will not stand very heavy shipments, because of the milder weather.

Salmon Season Has Opened.

The salmon season opened along the Columbia river and its tributaries at noon today. Reports from both the upper and lower river give indications of a good run at the start of the season. Packers have everything in readiness for a big movement of fish, no difficulty being experienced this season in securing all the help necessary.

The local fish trade is quiet, anticipating the opening of the salmon season. Because of the very short catch in the Sacramento and the high prices ruling on salmon there, the local market has of late been rather short on supplies.

Halibut continues very scarce locally, because of the nonarrival of several of the expected boats on the sound.

Frisco Loaded With Spuds.

Advices received during the past 24 hours by local shippers indicate that the movement of potatoes toward San Francisco in the near future will be somewhat curtailed. The advices state that there are large numbers of cars on the sidetracks there because of the glutted holdings of river stock.

Locally the potato market is steady, with continued good shipments to the southwest. "While I do not believe that there will be any advance in potato prices this season," says McKinley Mitchell, a local shipper, "the indications are that most of the crop will be wanted. However, we are experiencing some little difficulty in getting into the Texas markets because of the lower priced stock offered by eastern Oregon and Washington."

Orange Market Is Jumping.

Prices in the southern orange markets are jumping upward because of the very small holdings of navels and the quite liberal demand that still continues in all sections. On Monday the price at Redland was advanced 15c a box, and during the past 10 days the total advance has amounted to 35c a box.

High Butter Price Remains.

Because of the very good demand that continues to exist and the fact that outside markets are holding better than for some time, the local butter market remains in good position, and all city creameries are still maintaining the price at 27½c for the best quality. Outside creameries, while they report a better supply of butter, are generally able to sell all they make and are therefore maintaining former prices.

New cheese is arriving daily in a small way, but a large lot is expected from the Tillamook country within the next few days. There is a larger amount of half skimmed cheese on the market than usual, and this grade is selling along the street around 13½c a pound. Full cream is firmly held at 15½c for good stock, although one dealer reported a sale of a select lot as high as 16c a pound.

Brief Notes of the Trade.

Heavier strawberry shipments are arriving from Florin, over 100 small crates coming in this morning. Price ruled at $3.25 a crate of 15 boxes. Quite fair quality.

There is a small amount of business reported again in the hop market, with prices ranging between 3c and 5c.

Egg market is steady at 17c for candled stock. Receipts are only fair.

Hide market continues easy, with little movement.

Walla Walla rhubarb is in larger supply, and the price is lower again.

Front street sells at the following prices. Those paid shippers are less regular commissions.

Grain, Flour and Hay.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon patents, $4.65; straights, $3.85; exports, $3.50@$3.60; valley, $4.45; graham, ½s, $4.15; whole wheat, $4.40; rye, 50s, $5.50; bales $3.

HAY—Producers' price — Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy $15; ordinary, $12.50@13; eastern Oregon, $16@17; mixed, $10@10.50; clover, $10@12; grain, (—); cheat, (—); alfalfa, $12@12.50.

Eggs and Poultry.

EGGS—Extra fancy, candled, 17c.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, 15½c; half skimmed, 13½c lb; Young Americas, 16½c per lb; California, Young Americas, 16c; flats, 14c lb.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 14½c lb; fancy hens, 15c; roosters, old 10c; fryers, $4.50@6.00 dozen; broilers, $4.00@6.00; geese, old, 8@9c lb; turkeys, alive, 15@17c per lb; dressed, 19@20c lb; squabs, $2.50 dozen; pigeons, $1.25 dozen; dressed poultry, 1@1½c per lb higher.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1907 crop, first prime, 5c; prime, 4½c; medium to prime, 4c; medium, 3@4c lb; 1906 crop, ½@1½c lb; contracts, 1908, 8@8½c lb.

WOOL—1908—Willamette valley, 12½@15c.

MOHAIR—1908—Nominal, 20@20½c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 12@13c lb; salt, 4@5c; green, 1c less; calves, green, 5@7c; kips, 5c lb; bulls, green salt, 2½@3½c lb.

SKEEPSKINS — Shearing, 15@20c each; short wool, 25c@40c; medium wool, 50c@$1 each; long wool, 75c@$1.25 each.

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

CHITTIM BARK—4@4½c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Select, 75c, selling; buying, Willamette valley, 45c; eastern Multnomah and Clackamas, 50@55c per cwt; sweets, 3¾@4c; seed stock, f. o. b. Portland, American Wonders, $1; Early Rose, $1; new potatoes, 5c.

SUNDAY TRADING IS PUT IN THE LOCKUP

Front street merchants are going to be good hereafter. All Sunday trading will be shunned by commissionites as they would a shipment of overripe Limburger. This was so commanded at the meeting of the Produce Merchants' association last night. No more Sunday trading will be allowed. It is stated that the association will ask the authorities to take action against those who violate the rules in this regard.

CABBAGE ADVANCE IS MOVING KRAUT HIGHER

The German population is feeling its pocketbooks pinched, for sauerkraut is advancing. Cabbage is going up, and this will necessitate a similar movement in the sour stuff. In the local market today the price of cabbage advanced 25 cents per 100 pounds, making the quotation on Los Angeles stock $2. This movement is due to a similar rise in the south.

ONIONS—Jobbing price, best Oregon, $5.00; seconds, $4.25@4.75; Idaho, $4.50; garlic, 8c lb.

APPLES—Select, $3; fancy, $2.25@2.50; choice, $2.00; ordinary, $1.25@1.50.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $2.25@2.75; bananas 5½c per lb; crated, 6c; lemons, $2@3.50 box; grapefruit, $2.50@3.50; pineapples, $4@6 doz; tangerines, $1.25 a box; strawberries, $3.25 per 15 box crate.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new, 50@60c, sack; carrots, 50c per sack; beets, 65@75c per sack; parsnips, 85c@$1; cabbage, $1.50@1.60; tomatoes, California, $2.25; Florida, $3.75; beans, 12½@15c; cauliflower, Oregon, 40c@$1 doz; peas, 6@7c; horseradish, 7½@8c lb; artichokes, 75c doz; green onions, 40c doz; peppers, bell, 25c; Chile, 15c lb; hothouse lettuce, $1.00@1.50 box; head lettuce, 65c doz; cucumbers, hothouse, California, $1.75 doz; radishes, 25c doz. bunches; rhubarb, $2 box; celery, $4.50@4.75 crate; cranberries, eastern, $9.00@10.50; sprouts, 8½c lb; asparagus, 7@8c lb; spinach, 80@90c box.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—Western Refinery — Cube, $6.80; powdered, $6.65; fruit, $6.55; dry granulated, $6.45; XXX granulated, $6.35; conf. A., $6.45; extra B., $6.00; golden G., $6.50; D., yellow, $5.75; beet granulated, $6.25; barrels, 15c; half barrels, 30c; boxes, 55c advance on sack basis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

HONEY—$3.60 per crate.

COFFEE—Package brands, $15.88@16.63.

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $13.50 per ton; 50s, $14.00; table, dairy 50s, $19.00; 100s, $18.75; bales, $2.50; imported Liverpool, 50s, $20.00; 100s, $19.00; 4s, 18.00; extra fine barrels, 2s, 4s and 10s, $4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, $20.50 per to; 50-lb rock, $12.50; 100s, $12.00.

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

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5½@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7c; Ajax, 5c; Creole, 5¾c.

BEANS—Small white, $4.25; large white, $4.25; pink, $3.85; bayou, $3.85; Limas, $5.85; Mexican reds, 4½c.

NUTS— Peanuts, Jumbo, 9c per lb; Virginia, 6¾c per lb; roasted, 9c per lb; Japanese, 6¼@6½c; roasted, 8½c per lb; walnuts, California, 16c per lb; pine nuts, 15c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; brazil nuts, 15c per lb; filberts, 15c per lb; fancy pecans, 16@20c per lb; almonds, 16c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 8c lb; ordinary, 7@7½c; large, 5@6c; veal, extra, 9c per lb; ordinary, 8½c per lb; heavy, 7@8c per lb; mutton, fancy, 11c per lb.; spring lamb, 10@11½c.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs., 14½c per lb.; 14 to 16 lbs., 14c per lb.; 18 to 20 lbs., 14c; breakfast bacon, 14½@22c per lb; picnics, 10c per lb; cottage roll, 11c lb; regular short clears smoked, 11½c per lb; unsmoked, 10½c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 10½c; smoked, 11½c; Union butts, 10 to 13c lb; unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 13c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 13c per lb; smoked, 14c per lb; shoulders, 11c per lb; pickled tongues, 70c each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 12¾c per lb; 5s, 12⅞c per lb; 50-lb tins, 12½c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 11¾c per lb; 5s, 11⅞c per lb; compound, 10s, 8¾c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 5@8c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 14c per lb; steelhead (—) per lb; frozen, 8c; herrings, 5c lb; soles, 7c lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 11c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb.; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 25c per dozen; sturgeon, 12½c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 6@7c per lb; Columbia smelt, (—); black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 dozen; shad, 10c.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, $2.50; per 100-lb sack, $5.00; Olympia, per gallon, $2.40; per 100-lb sack, $6.00@6.50; Eagle, canned, 60c can; $7 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75 per hundred.

CLAMS—Hardshell, per box, $2.40; razor clams, $2.00 per box; 10c per doz.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure manila, 13c; standard, 11½c; sisal, 9¾c; I. B. sisal, 8¾c.

Coal Oils—

	Iron Bbls.	Cases.	Wood Bbls.
Water White	10½c	.....	14½c
Pearl Oil	.....	18 c	.....
Head Light	12½c	19½c	.....
Eocene	.....	21 c	.....
Special W. W.	14 c	.....	18 c
Elaine	.....	28 c	.....
Extra Star	.....	21 c	.....

Gasoline—

	Iron Bbls.	Cases.
V. M. and P. Naphtha	12½c	19½c
Red Crown Gasoline	15½c	22½c
Motor Gasoline	15½c	22½c
86 per cent Gasoline	30 c	37½c
No. 1 Engine Distillate	9 c	16 c

BENZINE—86 deg., cases, 25c per gal; iron bbls 28c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 72c per gal; wood bbls, 69½c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls 52c, cases 58c; boiled, bbls 54c, cases 60c a gal; lots of 250 gallons 1c less.

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

WIRE NAILS—Present basis at $3.10.

TEXAS ONIONS ARE SELLING IN FRISCO

San Francisco, April 15.—Wheat—No. 1 California club, per cental, $1.57½@1.65; white milling club, $1.62½@1.67½; white Australian, $1.70@1.72½; northern bluestem, $1.62½@1.67½; northern club, $1.57½@1.62½; inferior grades of wheat, $1.35@1.50.

Barley—No. 1 feed, $1.35@1.40; with some fancy at $1.42½; common to fair, $1.27½@1.32½; brewing at San Francisco, $1.42½@1.47½; brewing and shipping at Port Costa, $1.40@1.45; chevalier, $165@1.85, according to quality.

Butter, per pound—California fresh—extras, 22c; firsts, 21c; seconds, 19c; packing, No. 1, 18½c; packing, No. 2, 18c.

Eggs, per dozen—California fresh, including cases—Extras, 19½c; firsts 17½c; seconds, 17c; thirds, 16c; dirties, No. 1, 16c, dirties, seconds, 14c.

Cheese—California flats, fancy, 11½c; firsts, 11c; seconds, 10c; California Young America, fancy, 13½c; firsts, 12c; storage eastern fancy New York, 18c; Oregon, 14c.

Potatoes, per cental—Lompocs, $1.10; Oregon burbanks, 85c@$1.05; river whites, fancy, 40@85c; early rose, $1.25@1.35; river reds, $1.35@1.40; sweet potatoes, $2.50@3 per crate; new potatoes, 2½@3¼c per pound.

Onions—Eastern red, $3.75@4; Bermudas, $2.75 per crate.

Oranges, per box—Navels, fancy, $2.10@2.40; choice, $1.90@2.10; standards, $1.50@1.90; tangerines, $1.50@2.

Exchange Membership Sale.

New York, April 15.—A certificate of membership of the New York produce exchange was sold at auction for $250. The last previous sale was at $200.

SHEEP SUPPORT NOT SO GOOD

Prices Are Holding but Tone Is Weaker and Drop Is Now Expected.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	489	19	328
1907	183	54	13
1906	35	126	110
1905	302	20	1477

Portland Union Stockyards, April 15.—The sheep market has reached the top price for the season according to present indications. The market is somewhat slower than a week ago, although the offerings have to date been absorbed at former price levels. With the shearing season in full swing the trade expected a heavy run within a few days and lower prices are sure to result from this extra movement.

Cattle quotations remain as previously noted, but the tone continues rather dull, though not exactly weak. Receipts are small again—in fact nominal arrivals were shown during the 24 hours—and this helps to maintain the price.

Hogs are firm at the advance of 10c quoted by The Journal yesterday.

A year ago today cattle were firmer, with an advance of 25c, while other lines were steady at unchanged figures.

Official yard prices:

Hogs—Best stuff, $6.25@6.35; stockers and China fats, $5.75@6.00; block, $5.75@6.00.

Cattle—Select eastern Oregon steers, $5.25; fancy, $5.00; medium, $4.50@4.75; best cows and heifers, $4.00@4.25; medium cows, $3.50@3.75; bulls, $2.50@3.00; stags, $3.50@4.00.

Sheep — Best wethers, $5.75@6.00; spring lambs weighing 75 pounds, $7.50@8.00; ewes, $5.00@5.50; mixed, $5.00@5.50; yearlings if fat, $5.75@6.00.

HOGS DROP OFF NOTCH.

Price Drops 10c, With Weaker Call—Cattle Market is Very Firm.

Chicago, April 15.—Hogs, 19,000; cattle, 15,000; sheep, 13,000. Hogs opened 5c lower; left over yesterday 6,100. Mixed, $5.45@6.00; heavy, $5.70@6.00; rough, $5.40@5.65; light, $5.50@5.95; cattle and sheep steady.

Hogs closed 10c lower. Mixed, $5.40@5.90; heavy, $5.75@5.90; rough, $5.35@5.55; light, $5.35@5.85. Cattle steady and strong; sheep strong.

Kansas City, Mo., April 15.—Hogs 14,000; cattle, 600; sheep, 6,000.

Omaha, April 15.—Hogs, 12,500; cattle, 4,200; sheep, 6,600.

WELCOME RAINS ARRIVE.

Six Weeks' Drouth Is Broken Today Throughout Eastern Oregon.

Pendleton, Or., April 15.—The six weeks' drought was broken today by a fine rain all over Umatilla county. The wheat fields and the range were badly in need of rain, though there had been no actual damage in this county. Good range is now assured. The lamb crop of Umatilla county will reach nearly 100 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Traders Take Profits and Others Suffers Losses in Various Issues.

New York, April 15.—The stock market was the subject of profit-taking in small volume at the end of the day's session, resulting in a loss of about ½ point in the general list. Trade continues of small caliber with the professionals doing most of the business.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Cop.	57½	58	56⅞	56⅞
Sugar	125½			125½
Col. Fuel & Iron	23⅞	24	23¼	23½
Brooklyn	47	47⅝	46⅞	47
People's Gas	89½	89½	89½	89⅝
U. S. Steel com.	34⅛	34¼	34	34
U. S. Steel pfd.	99	99¼	99	99
Atchison	76⅝	77⅛	76⅝	76⅝
Balt. & Ohio	84			84
Canadian Pac.	154⅝	156	154⅝	155
Erie	17⅝	18	17¼	17⅛
Louis. & Nash.				99½
Missouri Pac.	44¼	44¼	43⅝	43⅝
Pennsylvania	117¼	117⅝	116⅞	117
Reading	105	105½	104½	104⅝
Rock Island				14⅞
do pfd.	28⅜	28⅜	28⅛	28⅝
S. Pacific	74⅛	74¼	74	74
St. Paul	118⅜	118⅞	118	118¼
U. Pacific	127⅜	128⅝	127	127½
Am. Smelter	69⅛	70	68⅝	68⅞
do pfd.	95⅛	95⅛	95	95
N. Y. Central				98¼
N. Pacific	126½	126⅝	125⅜	125⅞
Anaconda	37⅛	37⅜	36⅝	36⅝
Southern Ry.	13⅜	13⅞	13⅜	13⅜
G. Northern*	123			122⅝
Soo, c.	112½	112⅜	112	112¼
do pfd.	126			126
Am. Loco.	44⅝			44⅝
C. & O.	31⅝			31⅝
Cent. Leather	23			22⅞
Cotton Oil				26⅝
Norfolk				63½
Am. Woolens				20¼

*ex-dividend 1¾ per cent.

Total sales 259,900 shares.

Honey high 1¾ per cent, low 1¼ per cent and closed at 1¼ per cent.

NEVADA MINING STOCKS.

Tonopah of Nevada Advanced 80c a Share—Montana Up 10c for Day.

San Francisco, April 15.—Last night's closing prices:

GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Sandstorm, 37c, Red Top Ext. 17c, Columbia Mt. 21c, Jumbo Ext. 33c, Silver Pick 20c, Black Butte Ext. 2c, Atlanta, 25c, Great Bend 77c, Florence 10c, Diam. B. B. Cons. 17c, Comb. Fraction 72c, Red Hill 26c, Yellow Rose 1c, Goldf. Cons. $5.15.

TONOPAH DISTRICT.

Ton. Nevada $9, Ton. Montana $1.80, Macnamara 32c, Ton. Belmont $1.35, Ton. North Star 12c, Jim Butler 31c.

MANHATTAN DISTRICT.

Granny 5c.

SCATTERED DISTRICTS.

Nevada Hills $2.60, Pittsburg Silver Peak $1.20, Eagles' Nest 16c.

Josephine Hops Sold.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Grants Pass, Or., April 15.—Two carloads of hops, the last of Josephine county's crop for 1907, were shipped from this city to London, England. The hops were purchased by Klaber, Wolf & Netter of Portland, from J. D. Drake, a local broker. The shipment consisted of 166 bales. Only a small portion of the hopyards around Grants Pass will be cultivated this year. Many of the hop growers are digging up their vines and setting out apple trees.

Northwest Crop Weather.

Western Oregon and western Washington—Showers tonight or Thursday; westerly winds.

Eastern Oregon, eastern Washington and Idaho—Showers tonight or Thursday.

Metaline and Idaho Stocks.

Mammoth, Morning and American lead stocks are active traders. We will buy any amount of Mammoth at the market price. The L. Y. Keady Investment company, 337-338 Chamber of Commerce.

PREMIUM TAKEN OFF BLUESTEM

One Cent Cut Off Price of That Grade and Valley Wheat—Market Easier.

Weakness abroad caused a duller feeling in the local wheat market. On the board of trade today the premium of 1c on bluestem and Willamette valley was cut 1c a bushel, although there was a bid for 5,000 bushels of bluestem within ½c of the former market.

Feed barley lost 50c a ton, although the bid price was $1 under the quotation of yesterday.

G. J. Gessling of the Hood River Milling company was a visitor on 'change today. Mr. Gessling states that no export flour business can be secured at this time at $3.50 net and under that figure millers are not willing to do business, because lower figures mean a loss.

Eggs were firmer with one offer to buy up to 500 cases candled eggs at 16½c, track, Portland.

Offer to buy:

Hundred tons bran, $24.50; 50 tons feed barley, $23.50; 50 tons white oats, $26.50; 5,000 bushels bluestem wheat, 86½c; 500 cases candled eggs, 16½c, track, Portland; 1 car No. 1 white oats, $26.50; 20 cases candled eggs, 16¾c.

Ten cases fancy creamery butter at 26½c, delivery today; 10 cases do, 26½c, delivery tomorrow.

Sales—Five boxes full cream cheese, new stock, 14c.

Board of trade prices:

Wheat (track prices)—Club, 84c; red, 82c; bluestem, 86c; valley, 84c.

Barley—Feed, $24.50; rolled, $27@28; brewing, $26.

Oats—No. 1, white, $26.50@27.

Millstuffs—Bran, $24.50; middlings, $27.50; shorts, country, $27.50; city, $27; wheat and barley, chop, $27.50.

Butter—Extra, 27½c; fancy, 26c; choice, 25c; store, 16½c.

Eggs (loss and commission off)—16½@17c.

Cheese—Fancy cream twins, 15½c; cream brick, 20c; Swiss block, 20c; limburger, 22½c.

Poultry—Mixed, 13c; fancy hens, 14@14½c; roosters, old, 8c; fryers, 20c; broilers, 22½@25c.

Potatoes—Select, selling, 70c; Willamette valley, buying, 45c; eastern Multnomah and Clackamas, buying, 55c; new California, selling, 5@5½c.

Onions (jobbing price)—$4.75@5.

WHEAT MARKET HIGHER.

Chicago Dull but Firmer Today, With Liverpool and Europe Down.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

	Open.	Close.	April 14.	Gain.
May	91	91½	90¾	¾
July	85	85½	84⅞	⅝

Chicago, April 15.—Wheat opened firm here although 'Liverpool was still of a bearish nature. May opened at 91c, as compared with the closing at 90¾c yesterday. July started at 85c, a fractional advance over the final of yesterday. Liverpool and other foreign markets were weak and dull all day with the former down ⅝d at the closing. This market was likewise dull with but a small spread to values. The close was ⅝ to ¾c above yesterday.

Corn and oats trading was slow with a small advance in both lines. Provisions were not supported and pork dropped 30c for the May and July options.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
May	91	92⅛	90⅞	91½
July	85	86	85	85½
CORN.				
May	67	67⅜	66⅜	67¼
July	64	64¼	63⅝	63⅞
OATS.				
May	52⅛	52¼	51⅞	52⅛
July	42⅞	43	52⅞	53
MESS PORK.				
May	1307	1307	1290	1290
July	1345	1350	1320	1322

Tacoma Wheat Market.

Tacoma, April 15.—Wheat—Export, club, 82c; red, 80c; bluestem, 84c.

Chicago Cash Barley.

Chicago, April 15.—Cash barley, 68@83c.

Cour d'Alene Mining Stock

For further development, purchasing cars, track, etc., the Poticle Mining Co. of Idaho have decided to dispose of 100,000 shares more of their treasury stock, as follows: 25,000 shares at 10½c, 25,000 shares at 15c. The remaining 50,000 shares are optional with the company whether sold or withdrawn.

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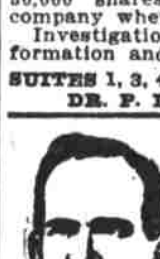

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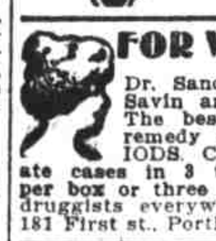

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Balances today	170,224.64
Year ago	77,834.57
SEATTLE.	
Clearings	$1,237,411
Balances	123,157
TACOMA.	
Clearings	$630,827
Balances	51,602

Southern Oregon Is Wet.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Grants Pass, Or., April 15.—The unusual and prolonged drouth of the past month was ended yesterday by heavy showers. Rain has been needed in southern Oregon for some time. Farmers have not been able to plant their crops because of the dry condition of the soil. Fruit trees are in full bloom, and a heavy crop of apples, peaches and pears is predicted.

Sugar Exports Heavier.

New York, April 15.—Exports of Java sugar for the month of March were 47,000 tons, compared with 29,900 same time in 1907. Total exports from May 1, 1907, to April 1, 1908, were 1,068,000 tons against 790,721 in 1907. Afloats reached 13,000 tons, with none last year. Batavia cables "Weather favorable for growing crop."

Less Coal Mined.

Philadelphia, April 15.—The total anthracite coal production in March was 4,766,158 tons, as compared with 5,238,814 tons in March, 1907, a decrease of 469,656 tons. For three months it was 14,888,253, as against 15,049,480 tons for the first quarter of 1907, a decrease of 161,227 tons.

Today's Copper Price.

New York, April 15.—Copper, lake 12⅝@12⅞c; electro, 12½@12¾c; castings, 12⅜@12⅝c.

Yukon Gold Shares.

New York, April 15.—Yukon Gold on curb: Opening, 4⅝; high, 4½; low, 4⅝; close, 4½.

New York Exchange.

Chicago, April 16.—New York exchange 40 per cent premium.

Real Gold for Lawson.

New York, April 15.—According to a Boston dispatch, Mr. Lawson cleaned up something like $2,000,000 on the Yukon Gold deal.

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