TODAY'S MARKETS

"For the Past 24 Hours the Trade Did Not Take Such Good Hold of Veal," Says Frank Templeton—Blue Monday

PROMISE HOOD RIVER BERRIES

Shipments Expected to Start About May 5—Fine Quality and Heavy Crop.

Front street features:
Hood River berries soon.
Egg market is steady.
Butter makers hold price.
Cheese supplies find demand.
Poultry market cleans up.
Banana shipments due today.
Produce from the south.
Strawberries hold high.
Cabbage market is overloaded.
Cutting price on Texas onions.

Hood River Berries Soon.

According to advices received by Ben Levy, a local commission man, Hood River strawberries will enter this market by May 5. One of the large shippers of the Hood River valley has so notified the commission man. According to the advices the crop promises to be heavy with fine quality.

California berries were rather scarce in the local market today owing to the late rains there. The price along the street is firmly held at $2.25 per crate of 15 boxes.

Egg Market Is Steady.

A steady tone is noted in the local egg market at this time. Receipts are only moderate, although some of the larger receivers say that shipments in their direction are fully up to the average of the past few weeks. There is practically no northern demand noted at the moment because of the larger supplies in local territory.

Steady Tone in Poultry.

In the poultry market the tone is quite steady; all lines being included. The receipts at this time are only fair and consist principally of old stocks. Spring chicks are just as hard to obtain as ever and the trade is wondering what has become of the large shipments that usually materialize at this period of the year. Spring ducks should be in market by this time, but none are in sight and dealers have no advices of any intended shipments in this direction. Now that there is a good demand for turkeys shippers are not willing to send supplies.

Cutting Price on Texas Onions.

While none of the dealers will admit that they are cutting prices on Texas onions, it is a notable fact that some are making concessions in value right along and a majority of the sales along the street are being made at this time at a reduction of 10c from the price the trade agreed upon. Those dealers who are not secretly cutting values are up in arms over the action of their competitors. At the listed price of Texas onions there is but a small profit in handling them for the commission trade and when this figure is cut the profits take wings.

Potato Buying Is Heavy.

There is very heavy buying of potatoes in this territory. Orders from the south and the southwest are still showing an increase and the number of shipments is making like progress. There is practically no disposition among the producers to hold back their stocks because all seem to realize that the only way to clean up is to sell potatoes at a price the outsiders will take them at.

Butter Makers Hold Price.

While one city creamery cut the price on its best product yesterday under former values, the others are holding their product quite steady and report being able to move all their stocks at the price listed. There is a general opinion among the trade, however, that the market will drop about the first of the month—not that there is any real weakness in quotations, but because it is getting to the period of year when storage operations should start, and storage cannot begin at these figures. The northern demand is not quite so good.

Brief Notes of the Trade.

Market is somewhat overburdened with cabbage and some dealers are making a concession in the price. General value unchanged, however.

Business in the hop market is at a standstill, although one or two small sales have been reported of late at low figures.

Local head lettuce is arriving in good supply with demand liberal around 25@30c dozen.

Cheese market is showing a good demand at this time with local supplies quite well cleaned up. More expected tomorrow, however.

The regular California steamer was due with produce from San Francisco this morning.

Several cars of bananas were reported due this morning.

Reports of salmon and shad are both small in the local market. All fish prices firm but unchanged.

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, $3.45@$3.60; valley, $4.45; graham, ¼s, $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.

CHITTIM BARK—4@4½c.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland; sweet cream, 23½c; sour 21½c lb.

BUTTER—Extra creamery, 25c; fancy 22½@23½c; ordinary, 22½c; store, 16c lb.

EGGS—Extra fancy, candled, 17c.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, 15@15½c half skimmed, 13c lb; Young Americas, 16@16½c per lb; California Young Americas, 15c; flats, 14c lb.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 14@14½c lb; fancy hens, 14½@15c; roosters, old, 10c per lb; fryers, $4.50@6 doz; broilers, $4@5; 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, 18@18½c.

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.

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

SWELLING PRICES RULING FOR BEANS

White beans, small and large, pink beans, bayou beans, likewise limas and Mexican reds, are all showing spreading prices these days. The whole trouble was caused by the short crop of large whites in Michigan last season and the demand for these forced the price of all others up in sympathy of late. Today the price of small whites and limas climbed still higher, the former going to the same value as large whites.

ICE CREAM SALES SMALL IN WINTER

It's like having firecrackers for sale on the 4th of August to have geese in market after the demand for them has passed. For two weeks the trade has been calling for geese and prices at that time could have been stretched two or three cents a pound without very much complaint because there was a demand. Now that the demand no longer exists the shippers are willing to send a few coops to market.

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

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Select, 75c. selling; buying, Willamette valley, 45@50c; eastern Multnomah and Clackamas, 50@55c per cwt; sweets, 3½@4c; new potatoes, 5c.

ONIONS—Jobbing price, best Oregon, $5.00; seconds, $4.00@4.25; Texas, $2.75 per 50 lb. crate; 5 crate lots, $2.65 crate; garlic, 22c 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 5¼c per lb; crated, 6c; lemons, $2@2.50 box; grapefruit, $2.50@3.50; pineapples, $4@6 doz; tangerines, $1.25 box; strawberries, $2.25 per 15-box crate.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new, 50@60c, sack; carrots, 50c per sack; beets, $1.00 per sack; parsnips, 85c@$1; cabbage, $1.50@2.00; tomatoes, California, $2.25; Florida, $3.50@3.75; Mexican, $2; beans, 18c; cauliflower, Oregon, 50c@$1 doz.; peas, 5@6c; horseradish, 8c lb; artichokes, 75c doz; green onions, 40c doz; peppers, bell, 25c; Chile, 15c lb; hothouse lettuce, $1@1.50 box; head lettuce, 25@30c doz; cucumbers, hothouse, California, $1.50@2.50 doz; radishes 15c doz. bunches; rhubarb, Oregon, 3@4c lb; celery, $4.50@4.75 crate; cranberries, eastern, $9.00@10.50; sprouts, 8c lb; asparagus, Oregon, 6@7c lb; 80@85c dozen bunches; California, 6c lb; spinach, 80@90c box.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California & Hawaiian Refinery—Cube, $6.80; powdered, $6.65; berry, 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, $12.50 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 5s and 10s, $4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, $20.50 per to; 50-lb rock, $12.50; 100s, $13.00.

(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, 5¼@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7c; Ajax, 5c; Creole, 5½c.

BEANS—Small white, $4.35; large white, $4.35; pink, $3.85; bayou, $3.85; Limas, $5.85; Mexican reds, 4½c.

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 9c per lb; Virginia, 6½c per lb; roasted, 9c per lb; Japanese, 6¼@6½c; roasted, 8½c per lb; walnuts, California, 18c 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, 8½@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., 15c per lb.; 14 to 16 lbs., 14½c per lb.; 18 to 20 lbs., 14½c; breakfast bacon, 14@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, 11½c per lb; 5s, 11⅞c per lb; compound, 10s, 8¾c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 8c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 9c per lb; steelhead, 7c per lb; herrings, 5c per lb; soles, 7c per 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; sturgeon, 12½c lb; black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 dozen; shad, 5c; roe shad, 10c; shad roe, 25c lb.

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, 19½c per gal; iron bbls, 12½c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 72c per gal; wood bbls, 69c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls 49c; cases 55c; boiled, bbls 51c; cases 57c 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.

ALARM IN WHEAT BELT OVER VERY HIGH WIND

Walla Walla, Wash., April 28.—Farmers are viewing with considerale alarm a continuation of the high winds which have characterized Walla Walla weather the past three weeks. Yesterday a gale averaging 25 miles an hour blew all day. The valley was overhung with a pall of dust. The dry winds have a tendency to dry out the surface of the ground and spring grain has already been damaged to some extent in the Eureka Flat belt. In exposed places the young grain has been entirely uprooted, necessitating some sections being reseeded.

Northwest Crop Weather.

Western Oregon and western Washington—Fair tonight, with light frost; Wednesday fair and warmer. Easterly winds.

Eastern Oregon, eastern Washington and Idaho—Fair tonight, with heavy frost; Wednesday fair and warmer.

Today's Metal Market.

New York, April 28.—Metal quotations: Copper—Lake, 12⅝@12¾c; electrolytic, 12½@12⅝c; castings, 12⅜@12½c.

SMALL RUN OF HOGS SELLING

Advance of 15c Yesterday Is Easily Maintained Today—More Sheep Come.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	154	65	749
1907	...	150	...
1906	...	75	700
1905	...	...	1350

Portland Union Stockyards, April 28.—More hogs arrived in the yards today than during the entire previous week. This, too, in spite of the fact that today's run was exceedingly small and all arrivals were sold just as fast as being unloaded. Top prices continue to rule for top stuff; the advance of 15c yesterday being easily maintained today by receivers.

Cattle market is steady with a small run for the day. However, this is the time of the year when it does not take many cattle to fill the requirements of the trade and for that reason prices are holding unchanged.

Sheep were in more liberal supply than for some time and some receivers have the idea that the real spring run is about to start in this direction.

Wool and mohair men are very much disappointed over the present market for both products. The sale of the Dallas pool on Saturday is claimed by the trade to be no sale at all—the transfer being nominal. It was claimed that 20c was obtained.

A year ago today all lines were steady at unchanged values.

Today 11 head of horses were among the arrivals.

Official yard prices:

Hogs—Best stuff, $6.25@6.50; China fats $6.00@6.25; feeders, $5.50@5.75.

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

Sheep—Best wethers, $5.00@5.25; spring lambs, weighing 75 pounds, $6.00@6.50; ewes, $5.00; mixed, $4.75@5.00; yearlings, if fat, (—); shearlings, $5.00@5.25.

HOGS QUOTED UP AGAIN

Chicago Market 5c Higher—Cattle and Sheep Are Ruling Steady.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, April 28.—Hogs 10,000; cattle, 2,500; sheep, 14,000. Hogs are 5c higher. Left over yesterday, 5,100; Mixed $5.20@5.60; heavy $5.25@5.60; rough $5.15@5.30; light $5.15@5.50. Cattle and sheep steady.

Kansas City, April 28.—Hogs 14,000; cattle, 10,000; sheep, 10,000.

Omaha, April 28.—Hogs, 10,500; cattle, 6,000; sheep, 3,500.

GRAIN PEOPLE ARE GETTING TOGETHER

Meeting Will Be Held on Board of Trade Tomorrow Afternoon.

At the meeting of the committee on grain rules of the board of trade tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, an effort will be made to thoroughly organize the grain trade. It is expected a full set of rules will be adopted.

At the meeting of the produce interests last night the trade discussed the egg question quite thoroughly. Another meeting will be held in the near future. However, it is much to be regretted that so few representative firms were in attendance last night, as the business discussed was of the utmost importance to the trade in general.

"They have received repeated invitations to attend," says Secretary Muller, "but they ignore them and continue the old time tactics. The discussion brought out the fact that the commission interests are more discouraging than any other branch of the business, and for their own selfish interests a better understanding would be most beneficial to them."

Offer to sell—One car feed barley to arrive, $24.50, track.

Offer to buy—Six hundred and fifty pounds choice fresh creamery butter at 21c.

Sold—Six hundred and fifty pounds fresh creamery butter, 21¼c.

Butter was steady on the board of trade, former prices continuing.

Eggs are steady, with prices the same.

Board of trade prices:

Wheat (track prices)—Club, 85@86c; red, 83@84c; bluestem, 87@88c; valley, 85@86c.

Barley—Feed, $24; rolled, $27@28; brewing, $26.

Oats—No. 1 white, $26.50@27; gray, $26.

Millstuffs—Bran, $26; middlings, $30.50; shorts, country, $28.50; city, $26; wheat and barley chop, $27.50.

Butter—Extra, 25c; fancy, 24c; choice, 22½c; store, 16c.

Eggs (loss and commission off)—17c.

WHEAT LOSES AFTER A GOOD EARLY START

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

	Open.	Close.	April 27.	Loss.
May	97	96⅞	97⅜	½
July	88⅜	86⅞	88⅜	⅝

Chicago, April 28.—The wheat market put forth its wrong foot at the opening today, initial values being ⅛ to ⅜c under the closing of yesterday. The market became very strong soon after on reports of crop damage and May was put 1⅜c higher to 98⅜c and July advanced ⅝c to 89c. Foreign weakness began to depress again and the market lost all of its early gain, closing ½c to ⅝c under yesterday. Liverpool closed ⅜d down. The sharp decrease in the world's visible supply was the cause of the early advance.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
May	97	98⅜	96⅞	96⅞
July	88⅜	89	86⅝	86⅞
CORN.				
May	66⅞	67¼	66	66¼
July	62⅞	63⅜	62⅜	62½
OATS.				
May	52¼	52⅞	52⅜	52⅜
July	43⅞	44	43⅝	43⅝
MESS PORK.				
May	1292	1297	1292	1292
July	1322	1330	1322	1325

Northwest Bank Statement.

PORTLAND.

Clearings today	$ 886,697.48
Clearings year ago	1,331,718.35
Balances today	153,158.78
Balances year ago	255,543.98

SEATTLE.

Clearings	$1,051,386.00
Balances	128,827.00

TACOMA.

Clearings	$641,736.00
Balances	76,525.00

ADVANCES ARE LIGHTNING-LIKE

Prices Are Moved Higher With Great Speed as Shorts Begin to Cover.

New York, April 28.—Lightning-like advances were made in the stock market today in some of the leading shares. Short covering and investment-buying induced by late advanced prices caused a continuation of the very bullish feeling and the close of the market tonight was strong and higher. The volume of business during today's trading was enormous—over a million shares being purchased during the day. The sales were distributed as follows: Opening to 11 o'clock 233,100 shares, 12 o'clock 537,300 shares, 1 o'clock 781,200 shares and 2 o'clock 944,400 shares.

Northern Pacific followed St. Paul's great rise of 3¼ points yesterday by advancing 2¼ points at the close today. St. Paul added to its former advance by nearly 2 points. Union Pacific closed at 137 or 1⅝ above yesterday and Southern Pacific advanced ⅝ with the close at 78⅝. Reading and Pennsylvania gained but a fraction or two during the day, while Amalgamated Copper closed unchanged at 69¼.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Copper	59⅝	61⅝	59⅛	60⅛
Sugar	129	129	127⅞	127⅞
Col. Fuel & Iron.	24¾	25⅛	24⅝	24⅝
Brooklyn	48	48⅝	47½	47⅝
People's Gas	91⅛	92⅝	91⅝	92
U. S. Steel com.	35⅝	37	35⅝	36⅛
U. S. Steel pfd.	100⅛	101⅝	100⅝	101⅛
Atchison	79½	81	79½	79⅞
Balt. & Ohio	85½	86¼	85½	85⅞
Canadian Pac.	155⅝	158⅝	155⅝	158⅝
Erie	18⅝	19	18⅝	18⅝
Louis. & Nash.	101½	105	101½	103½
Missouri Pac.	45⅞	47⅞	45⅞	46⅞
Pennsylvania	121	121⅝	120⅝	121⅝
Reading	109⅛	110⅝	109⅛	109⅝
Rock Island	15⅝	16⅝	15⅝	16⅝
Southern Pac.	77⅛	79⅝	77⅝	78⅝
St. Paul	126½	129½	126⅝	127⅝
Union Pacific	135⅝	138⅛	135⅝	137
Am. Smelter	70⅝	72⅝	70⅝	71⅝
N. Y. Cen.	100⅝	101⅞	100⅝	100⅝
Nor. Pacific	130⅝	134⅛	130⅝	132⅝
Anaconda	38½	39⅝	38	38½
Southern Ry.	15⅛	15⅝	15⅛	15⅝
R. I. p.	31⅝	33½	21⅝	32⅞
Ches. & Ohio	34	34½	34	34
Smelter, p.	96¼	96½	96	96¼
Soo, c.	113	113	112⅝	112⅝
Wabash, p.	19	19⅝	19	19
Soo, p.	.....	.....	.....	125
Western Union	.....	.....	.....	51½
Erie, 1st p.	.....	.....	.....	34⅞

Total sales 1,193,900 shares.

Money High, 2 per cent; low, 1⅝ per cent; close, 2 per cent.

SPOKANE MINING EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by Downing-Hopkins company, members Spokane exchange.)

Spokane, April 28.—Official prices:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax	10	12½
Alameda	4⅛	4⅝
Alhambra	8½	15
Alberta Coal & Coke	14	30
Am. Commander	3	5¼
Bell	5	10
Bullion	4⅝	5¼
Chas. Dickens	17½	19
Can. Cons. Smelter	65	75
Copper King	3¼	3¾
Dominion Copper	150	200
Evolution	1⅛	2½
Echo	1	2¼
Galbraith Coal	..	27
Gertie	3	3½
Granby Smelter	85	...
Hecla	300	450
Happy Day	3	3⅝
Holden Gold & Copper	4	6
Humming Bird	..	6½
Hypotheek	1	1½
Idaho Giant	5	7
International C. & C.	70	75
Lucky Calumet	15	22
Missoula Copper	10¼	10⅝
Mineral Farm	1⅛	2⅝
Moonlight	3½	3½
Nabob	3⅝	4½
Nine Mile	2	3
O. K. Cons.	1¼	1⅝
Oom Paul	4⅝	6
Panhandle Smelter	6⅝	7
Park Copper	1½	2½
Rambler-Cariboo	26	27½
Reindeer	2	2½
Rex (16 to 1)	11	14
Sonora	7	7⅝
Snowshoe	6¼	8½
Snowstorm	175	185
Sullivan	..	1
Sullivan Bonds	..	62½
Stewart	107	108
Tamarack & Ches.	85	93
Wonder	1⅝	2¼

Sales—100 Kendall at $1.31; 3,000 Panhandle, 6¾c; 5,000 Sonora, 7c; 1,000 Stewart, $1.10; 100 Stewart, $1.09; 100 Stewart, $1.05; 200 Stewart, $1.06; 200 Stewart, $1.07.

NEVADA SHARES IN FRISCO.

Slightly Lower Price for Goldfields, Although Consolidated Rises.

San Francisco, April 28.—Last night's closing prices:

GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Sandstorm 34c, Red Top Ext. 14c, Jumbo Ext. 31c, Silver Pick 20c, Black Butte Ext. 3c, Atlanta 24c, Great Bend 49c, Florence $3.90, Diam. B. B. Cons. 16c, Comb. Fraction 68c, F. Mohawk 15c, Red Hill 24c, Lou Dillon 12c, Yellow Tiger 1c, Goldf. Cons. $5.45.

TONOPAH DISTRICT.

Ton. Nevada $8.25, Ton. Montana $1.77, MacNamara 31c, Ton. Belmont $1.17, Ton. North Star 13c, Jim Butler 32c.

MANHATTAN DISTRICT.

Jumping Jack 2c.

SCATTERED DISTRICTS.

Pittsburg Silver Peak $1.10, Eagle's Nest 13c.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

(Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.)

Boston, April 28.—Official bid prices:

Adventure	1¾	Giroux	3¾
Allouez	25	Old Dom.	35
Atlantic	8¾	Osceola	84
Cal. & Hecla	631	Quincy	82⅞
Cop. Range	66¾	Shannon	11⅝
Daly West	6⅝	Tamarack	60¼
Dom. Cop.	1¾	Victoria	2⅞
C. Ely	8½	Winona	4⅝
Gold Hill	⅝	Wolverine	125
Greene	8¾	Butte Coala	21⅛
Michigan	10⅝	United Cop.	6⅝
Mohawk	47⅝	Trinity	14
N. Butte	66⅝	Parrot	19¾
Nev. Cons.	12¼	Nippissing	7⅜

GRAIN IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Walla Walla Wheat Goes Up 1¼c—Barley Is Higher.

San Francisco, April 28.—Merchants' exchange quotations:

Wheat—May, $1.65; December, $1.57.

Barley—May, $1.42; December, $1.39¾.

Cash prices were:

Wheat—No. 1 white, Walla Walla, $1.67½; red Russian, $1.62½; turkey red, $1.70; bluestem, $1.70 per cental.

Barley—No. 1, bright, feed, $1.42½; No. 1 brewing, $1.50 per cental.

Oats—No. 1 white, $1.55 per cental.

Millfeeds—Bran, $30; middlings, $32.50; shorts, $30.50 per ton.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

Liverpool, April 28.—May wheat opened at 7s 8⅜d, closed at 7s 8d, a net loss of ⅜d from yesterday.

LOUIS J. WILDE
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Portland, Or.

I have been made party to an imaginary lawsuit. Absolutely all and every reference therein contained is false and without foundation or fact. I will give the party or parties bringing and encouraging this action a fair opportunity to dismiss same as against me. Otherwise the full and correct names of all parties and manner of promotion, sale of stock and bonds of the Washington Home Telephone Company; the St. Johns Gas Company; the Mexican Mining Deal; the real estate trades; the San Francisco United States Bank; the Astoria and other Bank charter affairs—all letters, statements, reports, press clippings from all points, including San Francisco, Mexico, Chicago, Denver, Cheyenne, Milwaukee, Houston, Florida and elsewhere securable will be placed with the District Attorney and Newspapers. There will be no more cut and dried suits filed in Portland hereafter to HOLD UP and annoy business men; and all attorneys who encourage this kind of litigation will be called to the carpet. The legal profession needs Weeding Out, as well.

L. J. WILDE.

LIBRARY VOTING CONTEST

A $500 library given away absolutely free. An elegant library of 300 volumes and handsome golden oak cases will be given to the lodge, school, church, club or society in Portland securing the largest number of votes. Votes will be issued with paid-in-advance subscriptions to The Journal as follows: One year, $7.50, 750 votes; six months, $3.75, 300 votes; three months, $1.95, 125 votes; one month, 65 cents, 40 votes, and every merchant listed below will give with each 10-cent purchase one vote. At the close of the contest the lodge, school, church, club or society receiving the largest number of votes will be awarded the library complete, with cases. Current accounts when promptly paid are entitled to votes. The library is on exhibition in the Fifth street window of The Journal office, corner Fifth and Yamhill streets. Ballot boxes are located at Holsman's jewelry store, 149 Third street; White Front drug store, 133 Grand avenue; Watts-Matthieu drug store, 275 Russell street, where all votes should be deposited. Trade with the following merchants and get busy with the votes:

W. H. MARKELL & CO., dry goods, clothing and shoes, 380 to 384 East Morrison street.

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O. M. HOPSTEATER, photographer, 165½ Third street. Pacific 1720.

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LIBERTY COAL & ICE CO., office 312 Pine street. Home A-3136, Main 1662.

VULCAN COAL CO., office 329 Burnside street. Main 2776, A-2776.

BUSCH & OSTER, merchant tailors, 325 Stark street. Pacific 200.

OREGON NEWS CO., cigars and news, 147 Sixth street.

W. R. ILIFF, plumbing and gas fitting, 507 Williams avenue. East 4325.

R. A. WILSON'S WHITE FRONT DRUG STORE, 133 Grand ave. E. 3558.

A. H. WILLETT, grocer, 128 Grand avenue. B-1261, East 283.

THE MODEL BARBER SHOP, finest shop in the city, 91 Sixth street.

MASONIC TEMPLE GROCERY, 380 Yamhill, corner Park. Main 5521, A-3737.

CHICAGO MARKET, meats, 187 Third street. Main 413.

MORRISON ELECTRICAL CO., 291 East Morrison street. East 3128, B-1625.

WATTS-MATTHIEU CO., druggists, 275 Russell street. East 662.

DR. R. H. WRIGHT, dentist, 342½ Washington, corner Seventh. Main 2119.

ALICE RINER, fine millinery, 469 Washington street.

SHANKS & PAYNE, wood dealers, yard East Eighth and Main streets. East 315.

BUTTER-NUT BREAD CO., corner Second and Columbia streets; retail 145 Third street.

MOORE BROS., east side news dealers and confectionery, Williams avenue and Russell street. East 4702.

E. A. McADAMS, bicycles and sporting goods, Williams avenue and Knott street. East 2482.

WILLIAMS AVE. UMBRELLA FACTORY, umbrellas and leather goods, 544 Williams ave. C-1004.

Calef Bros HOME FURNISHERS 360-370 East Morrison St.

TAYLOR & STANTON, plumbing and gas fitting, 308 Pine street.

CENTRAL MARKET, meats and fish, 130 Grand avenue. B-1336, East 412.

P. A. DOANE, wallpaper, painter and decorator, 104 Union ave. East 1095.

KOESSEL & FREY, meats and fish, 640 First st. Main 1979.

CHURCHLEY BROS., wood dealers, Marshall and 13th sts. Both phones.

GOLDSTAUB'S GROCERY, 271 Russell st. East 530.

JOHN H. MALLEY, groceries, 492 Washington st. Main 2167, A-2167.

F. H. DAVIS, barber, 342 Williams ave.

SUTCLIFFE & BLIED, wall paper and paints, 405 Morrison st. Main 1872.

MAX M. SMITH, florist, 150 Fifth st., opp. Meier & Frank. Main 7215.

QUEEN CITY DYEING & CLEANING WORKS, 289 Grand ave. East 3583.

SUNNYSIDE FUEL CO.—Long or short wood. B-1581; East 3081. Office and yard Thirty-sixth and Hawthorne

C. L. JOHNSON, tinsmith, 285 Grand avenue. East 5003.

BAKER, optician. Dr. B. J. Mills, assistant. Main 1874. 111 6th st.

NORTHWEST GUN CO., sporting goods. 113 3d st. Main 2005.

COLEMAN HARDWARE CO., hardware, mechanics' tools and cutlery. 109 3d st. Main 6137.

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PRODUCE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Onions Are Selling Lower but Potatoes Are Firm.

San Francisco, April 28.—Butter (per pound)—California fresh extras, 22c; firsts, 21½c; seconds, 21c; packing, No. 1, 19½c; packing, No. 2, 18½c.

Eggs (per dozen)—California fresh, including cases, extras, 21c; firsts, 19½c; seconds, 17c; thirds, 16c; dirties, No. 1, 19c; dirties, No. 2, 17c.

Potatoes (per cental)—Lompocs, $1.15@1.25; Oregon Burbanks, 90c@$1.10; River Whites, fancy, 40@85c; Early Rose, $1.25@1.35; River Reds, $1.35@1.40; sweet potatoes, $2.50@4.00 per crate; new potatoes, 2½@3c per pound.

Onions—Bermudas, $1.85@2.00 per crate; Australian brown, $5.00@5.50 per crate.

Oranges (per box)—Navels, fancy, $2.50@2.75; standards, $2.25; tangerines, $1.50.

Fish Run Small.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Astoria, Or., April 28.—The run of fish in the river continues to be exceptionally light for even this season of the year, which is indicated by the fact that the fresh fish dealers in Astoria cannot get enough to supply their customers. Since last Friday the deliveries have been a little better but not sufficient to make any material change in the situation. The usual prophets are telling what is to happen but all agree that it will be not before the middle of May and after some hot weather that there is a possibility of any considerable run. This is generally based on the fact that the old June run, which included the best Chinooks that entered the river, now come in August or at least have been doing so for the past five years.

Yukon Gold Shares.

New York, April 28.—Curb: Yukon Gold opened 4⅝, high 4⅝, low 4½, closed 4⅝.

Weekly Grain Exports.

New York, April 28.—Week's exports: Wheat, 5,639,733 bushels; flour, 230,101 barrels.

World's Wheat Supply.

Chicago, April 28.—World's visible of wheat shows a decrease of 4,645,000 bushels.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

Tacoma, April 28.—Wheat—Export: Club, 84c; bluestem, 86c; red, 82c.

Chicago Cash Barley.

Chicago, April 28.—Cash barley, 68@80c.

Boyd Complains of Depot.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Salem, Or., April 28.—The railroad commission will conduct a hearing at Dufur, May 12, for the purpose of determining the sufficiency of depot accommodations at Boyd. The complaint was brought by A. A. Marvel against the Great Southern railroad.

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