CANTALOUPES GO UP WITH IMPERIAL ALL BUT OFF THE MARKET

Turlocks, Due Next Week, Will Replenish Supplies; Higher Prices at Seattle Cause Diverting of Two Carloads.

For the first time in several weeks cantaloupes were scarce on Front street.

The slackening of the Imperial Valley supply as the season draws to an end, and the fact that Turlocks are not in yet, together with higher prices being obtained in Seattle, to which point brokers diverted two carloads Thursday afternoon, caused a decided shortage when Friday's market opened.

As a result prices were 25c higher on all grades, with prospects of the market being sold out before the day was over.

Watermelons were holding their own, a car of Denubas being due Saturday morning, which were expected to help out the over Sunday demand.

BERRIES ARE VERY SCARCE

Berries were again very firm with strawberries only to be had in very small lots. Prices were $2.00@2.25 on both raspberries and strawberries.

LOCAL BEANS ON THE STREET

Local beans were to be had at 7@9c. The supply from The Dalles and other interior points is practically gone now and the coming of local beans is expected to again increase business in this product. The stuff on hand was of good quality.

HEN PRICES HOLDING WELL

Good sized hens were still firm with smaller fowl weaker. The demand is still heavy for these products due to heavy weeks at the various hotels and restaurants during the National Education association convention.

LEMONS ARE QUOTED FIRM

Another hot weather special, lemons, was decidedly firm. The supply is holding out well however and additional shipments are expected shortly. Prices were $5.50@6.50.

EGG PLANT ON THE MARKET

A large shipment of California egg plant arrived over night and sold readily at 17½c. Tomatoes from Mississippi were weak, the quality not being the very best. The next shipment, it is hoped, will be better.

SHIPPERS' WEATHER NOTICE

Protect shipments during the next 36 hours against the following maximum temperatures: Going north, 78 degrees; northeast of S., P. & S. R. R., 95 degrees; east to Baker, 90 degrees, and south to Ashland, 95 degrees. Maximum temperature at Portland tomorrow, about 85 degrees.

JOBBING PRICES IN PORTLAND

These prices are those at which wholesalers sell to retailers, except as otherwise stated:

Dairy Products

BUTTER — Creamery, prints in parafine wrappers, extras, 39c; prime first, 36½c; firsts, 35½c; cubes, 1c less; cartons, 1c advance.

BUTTERFAT — Portland delivery, No. 1 cream, 38c.

CHEESE—Selling price: Fresh Oregon fancy full cream triplets, 24@25c; Young America, 26@26c. Price to jobbers, flats 32c; Young America, 24c. f. o. b.; cream brick, 28@29c; Limburger, 31@32c; block Swiss, 34@35c.

EGGS—Selling price: Case count, 31½@32c per dozen; buying price, 30½@31c dozen; selling price, candled, 33@34c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, heavy Plymouth Rocks, 16½@17c; ordinary chickens, 16@17c lb.; stags, 13c per lb.; broilers—18@20c per lb.; turkeys, 20@21c per lb.; dressed, fancy 25@26c per lb.; culls, 20@24c; squabs, $2.00 per dozen; geese, live 8—10 lbs., 14c; Pekin ducks, young, 20c per lb.; Indian Runners, old ducks, 15c per lb.; pigeons, $1.25 per dozen.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $5.50@6.65 box; bananas, 5½c per lb.; lemons, $5.50@6.50; California grapefruit, $3.00@3.50; Florida, $6.00@7.00; cantaloupes, ponies, $2.35@2.50; standard, $2.65@2.75; flats, $1.25@1.45; watermelons, 2½@2½c lb; cherries, 6@10c lb.; apricots, $1.75@2.00 per crate; peaches, $1.00 @1.25; plums, $1.75.

BERRIES—Strawberries: Local, $2.00@2.25; blackberries, $1.25; loganberries, $1.50; huckleberries, 3@5c per lb.; currants, $1.25@1.50; raspberries, $2.00@2.25.

APPLES—Local, $2.50@3.25, according to quality.

ONIONS—California, new red, $175; yellow, $1.85.

POTATOES—Selling price, table stock, local, $3.50. Buying prices: Ordinary shipping, $2.75; new potatoes, 4½@5c; sweet potatoes, 17½@20c per lb.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, $2.00 per sack; carrots, $1.60 sack; beets, $1.60 sack; parsnips, $2.50 sack; cabbage, California, 2c lb.; green onions, 25c dozen bunches; peppers, 40c lb.; head lettuce, $1.75@2.00 per crate; celery, $1.25@1.35; per crate; artichokes, 90c@$1.10; cucumbers, 50@$1.00 per dozen; tomatoes, Mississippi, $1.65@1.70 crate; egg plant, 20c lb.; string beans, 7@8c; rhubarb, 2@3c per lb.; cauliflower, 90@c per lb.; cauliflower, local (—) per dozen; asparagus, $1.00 @1.25 per dozen bunches.

Meats, Fish and Provisions

DRESSED MEATS—Selling price, country killed best hogs, 19@19½c per lb.; ordinary, 18c per lb.; best veals, 15@15½c per lb.; ordinary veals, 14@14½c per lb.; heavy, 11½@12c; goats, 4@6c lb.; lambs, 16@17c per lb.; mutton, 12@15c; beef, 9c per lb.

SMOKED MEATS—Hams, 25@28c per lb; breakfast bacon, 20@26c; picnics, 22c; cottage roll,25c; short clears, 24@27c; Oregon exports, smoked, 25@27c per lb.

LARD—Kettle rendered leaf, 23c per lb.; standard, 22½c; lard compound, 18c.

OYSTERS—Olympia, gallon $3.50; canned, eastern, 5oc per can, $6.50 per dozen; eastern in shell, $1.80 per 100; eastern oysters, per gallon, solid pack, $2.75.

FISH—Dressed flounders, 7c; Chinook salmon, 16c; perch, 10c; soles, 6c; flounders, 6c; salmon trout, 22c per lb.; halibut, 11@13c per lb.; black cod, 9c; herring, 6c; razor clams, 20c dozen; hard shell, 4c lb.; $2.75 box.

CRABS—Large, $2.50; medium, $1.75 dozen.

Groceries

SUGAR—Cube, $9.40; powdered, $9.15; fruit or berry, $8.80; Honolulu, $8.45; beet, $8.30; dry granulated, $8.30; D Yellow, $7.85.

HONEY—New, $3.00@3.25 per case.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 7½c; New Orleans head, 9c; blue rose, 8¼c.

SALT—Coarse, half ground, 100s, $12.40 per ton; 50s, $13.25; table dairy, 50s, $17.25; 100s, $16.75; bales, $2.40; fancy table and dairy, $23; lump rock, $20 per ton.

BEANS—Small white, 17c; large white 16½c; pink, 14c; limas, 17½c; bayous, 18¼c; red, 14c.

Hops, Wool and Hides

HOPS—Nominal; buying price, 1916 crop, ordinary, 5@6c; selected, 6c; contracts, 10c.

WOOL—Willamette Valley coarse Cotswold, 65@68c lb.; medium Shropshire, 70@72c; fine, 64@67c; Eastern Oregon, 52@61c.

HIDES—Salted hides, 25 lbs. and up, 20c; salted stags, 50 lbs. and up, 15c; green and salted kip, 15 lbs., 22c; green and salted calf skins up to 15 lbs., 32c; green hides, 25 lbs. and up, 18c; green stags, 50 lbs. and up, 13½c; dry hides, 35c; salt hides, 25c; dry horse hides, $1.00@2.50; salt horse hides, $3.00@5.00; horse hair, 30c; dry long wool pelts, 32 @35c; dry short wool pelts, 25c; dry sheep shearings, each, 10@25c; salted sheep shearings, each, 25@50c; salted long wool pelts, each, $1.50@$4.00; salted short wool pelts, each, 50c@$1.00.

TALLOW—No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 12c; grease, 6@8c per lb.

CHITTIM OR CASCARA BARK — Buying price, per car lots, 6½@7c per lb.

MOHAIR—1917, 60@61c.

Rope, Paints, Oils

ROPE—Sisal, dark, 22c; white, 22½c per lb.; standard Manila, 30c.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls., $1.32 per gallon; kettle boiled, bbls., $1.34; raw, cases, $1.39; boiled, cases, $1.41 per gallon; lots of 250 gallons.

COAL OIL—Water white, in drums and iron barrels, 10c per gallon.

WHITE LEAD — Ton lots, 14c lb.; 500 lbs. 14½c.

TURPENTINE—Tanks, 62c; cases, 69c; 10 case lots, 1c less.

GASOLINE—Basis price, 20½c per gallon; distillate, 10½c per gallon.

San Francisco Grain Market

San Francisco, July 13.—(U. P.)—Wheat—Northern bluestem and Turkey red, $3.90@4.10; California bluestem and Sonora, $3.50@3.65.

Oats—Per cental, red feed, spot, $2.15@2.25. Barley—Feed, $2.02½@2.0?½.

Seattle Grain Market

Seattle, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—Wheat—Bluestem, $2.10; Turkey red, $2.10; fortyfold, $2.08; club, $2.07; red Fife, $2.07; red Russian, $2.06.

Barley—Per ton, $41.00.

Receipts—Wheat, 3 cars.

The Farther East the Better the Outlook

Dayton Section Promises 3,000,000 Bushels of Grain for Coming Harvest; Acreage Similar to 1916; Fall Wheat Is Healthy.

Lewiston and Clearwater Country to Be Up to 1916 Production; Cool Weather in Spring Brings Plants Out Strong; Yield Clean.

By Hyman H. Cohen.

Dayton, Wash., July 13.—Apparently, there will be little difference in the size of the cereal crops of Columbia county this season as compared with a year ago.

At this time the outlook is for a crop all told of 3,000,000 bushels, about equally divided between wheat and barley; which means that the 1917 outlook is for approximately the same yield as for 1916.

There is about the same acreage all told in wheat and barley as a year ago. In some sections of the county the outlook is for a greater production than a year ago, but in some other sections the outlook is somewhat less promising. The fact of the matter is that the increases in some sections of Columbia county will just about make up for the deficiencies expected in some other sections.

It would be idle to state that the cereal crops are not suffering from the lack of moisture, because that is railized on every side, although to date the amount of damage to the crops has been comparatively limited. In other words, if a real, good rain should develop within the next day or so, it would mean an increase in the harvest of both wheat and barley, as compared with a year ago.

Wheat and barley growers in the vicinity of Dayton are not lying awake nights regarding any action that the I. W. W. crowd intends to take. Little help will be needed from the outside, and most of this has already been arranged for.

Garfield county will produce fully as much wheat, oats and barley as a year ago. In fact, there will be an increase in the volume secured, providing rains appear within the next few days. In general, the situation is a duplicate of that shown in Columbia, with the possible exception that Garfield county has an increased area in cereals this season, while the area planted in Columbia is just about the same as a year ago.

Fall wheat in both counties is showing well, and harvest time is the matter of but a very few days. The weather is forcing the quick growth of all cereals. Spring wheat in Columbia county is almost catching up with fall sowing, and it will be harvested but a week or 10 days later.

The crop in Asotin county is indicating an average yield for all cereals.

By Hyman H. Cohen.

Lewiston, Idaho, July 13.—The Lewiston and Clearwater sections will this season produce a crop of wheat and barley as well as oats of similar quantity to the output of 1916.

While many have expressed fears that the extreme late seeding would result in a diminished output, still there is at present no sign of curtailed output.

Nez Perce county will produce either a fraction more or less than a year ago—the difference will be almost too slight to consider. Other counties in this vicinity are showing good prospects, despite the unusually deferred planting.

Up on the prairie indications point to a greater tonnage of all cereals than a year ago; this being due despite the fact that the seed was put into the ground at a later date this year than has been known for a great many seasons. The prairie country too has an increased area seeded to practically all cereals this season. The average condition of the prairie crops is also better than normal; and that is saying considerable, in view of the fact that crops there have been rather good for a number of years and this season's planting was done under most adverse conditions. The crop was not only put in at a very late date with the larger per cent of it done in the spring, but seemingly weather conditions at that time were most unfavorable for the stooling. Nevertheless the stooling is at least normal, while the cool weather has given the plants a chance to grow strong. Since heading has started the weather has been such that the filling was good.

There are sections around here—the light soils especially—where the crop will be below that of a year ago. It will be the upper country, however, that will make up for this deficiency and the Snake and Clearwater sections as a unit will therefore give a most favorable account of themselves. The damage in the extreme light land fields cannot of course be estimated at this time and the loss will show a daily increase unless a good rain appears soon.

Indications point at this time to a cleaner wheat and barley crop than for several seasons, the fields as a rule being more free of weeds, and the smut indications are far less noticeable.

Livestock Is Slow But Steady With Receipts Average

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.
Friday	633	116	5	832
Thursday	350	60	14	350
Wednesday	129	64	3	1763
Tuesday	875	54	..	51
Monday	1199	1083	60	502
Saturday	448	200	19	511
Friday week ago	9	78	7	..
Year ago	557	256	3	713
Two years ago	169	7	..	216
Three years ago	1321	1999	19	8656

The livestock markets were slow but steady today. Hogs were about the same as a week ago, sheep a trifle lower, while cattle prices held their own. Receipts were average.

General cattle market range:

Best beef steers	$ 8.50@ 9.00
Good beef steers	8.00@ 8.50
Best beef cows	7.00@ 7.50
Ordinary good cows	6.50@ 7.00
Best heifers	8.00@ 9.00
Bulls	5.00@ 7.00
Calves	7.00@ 9.50
Stockers and feeders	6.00@ 7.60

General hog range:

Prime light	$15.60@15.70
Prime heavy	15.60@15.75
Pigs	13.00@14.00

General mutton and lamb market:

Valley spring lambs	$12.25@12.50
Eastern Oregon spring lambs	12.25@12.50
Shorn yearlings	9.50@10.25
Old wethers	7.00@ 9.00
Shorn ewes	6.50@ 7.00

Friday's Livestock Shippers

Cattle, calves, hogs and sheep—A. C. Nelson, Monitor, 2 cars; C. E. Luckey, Molalla, 1 car.

Cattle, hogs and sheep—F. Wann, Mount Angel, 1 car; McMahon & Son, Halsey, 2 cars.

Cattle and hogs—W. A. Greenwald, Oakland, Idaho, 2 cars; J. V. Martin, Maupin, 1 car.

Hogs and sheep—J. M. McFadden, Corvallis, 1 car.

Hogs—E. A. French, Independence, 1 car; E. W. Edwards, Corvallis, 1 car; Joseph Bros., Independence, 1 car.

Cattle—Charles McDonald, Baker, 1 car; J. T. Hunter, Albany, 1 car.

Sheep—S. M. Pleter, Lebanon, 1 car.

Thursday Afternoon Sales

HOGS

No.	Ave. lbs.	Price.
30 hogs	196	$15.60
34 hogs	212	15.75
2 hogs	430	14.75
1 hog	190	14.75
2 hogs	130	14.00

Friday Morning's Sales

COWS

No.	Ave. lbs.	Price
1 cow	930	$ 6.75
1 cow	970	5.50
1 cow	780	5.25
1 cow	1040	3.25

HOGS

8 hogs	193	$15.00
9 hogs	180	15.00
1 hog	350	14.00
1 hog	190	14.00

CALVES

1 calf	120	$ 9.00

BANK STATEMENT OF COAST

Portland Banks	
Clearings	$ 2,611,993.52
Balances	187,719.33
Spokane Banks	
Clearings	$ 940,252.00
Balances	128,978.00
San Francisco Banks	
Clearings	$17,448,309.00
Tacoma Banks	
Clearings	$ 602,356.00
Balances	65,607.00
Seattle Banks	
Clearings	$ 4,080,814.00
Balances	726,968.00

Linn Needs Rain

Albany, Or. July 13.—Rain is badly needed in Linn county. The fall grain is doing well, but could stand moisture. Farmers say that if rain should come now it would not help the spring grain to a very great extent. Fruit is doing well but beans, potatoes and other vegetables are sorely in need of moisture.

New York Metal Market

New York, July 13.—(I. N. S.) — Tin — Weak. Spot, 61½@62½c.

Lead—Dull and unchanged. Spot, 11½c; July, 11c; August, 10⅞c.

Spelter—Dull. August, July and September, 8⅜@8⅝c.

Copper—Stagnant. Spot, 31½@32c; late July, 31c; August, 29c; September, 29c; last quarter, 28½c.

New York Money

New York, July 13.—(U. P.)—Money on call, 5 per cent; six months, 6 per cent; mercantile paper, 4¾ per cent; bar silver, New York, 80¾c; demand sterling, $4.75.65.

New York Sugar and Coffee

New York, July 13.—(U. P.)—Coffee—Spot No. 7 Rio, 9¼c; No. 4 Santos, 10c.

Sugar—Centrifugal, $6.52.

Seattle Citrus Fruit

Seattle, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—Oranges, navels, $3.00@4.00; lemons, best, $5.50@7.50. Receipts nominal.

California Sales Only Movements In Local Grain

NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS

	Cars.				
	Wheat.	Barley.	Flr.	Oats.	Hay.
Portland, Fri.	5	....	2	8	1
Year ago	5	....	6	2	1
Season to date	48	7	22	31	35
Year ago	70	7	74	71	20
Tacoma, Thurs.	5	....	....	3	....
Year ago	5	....	....	....	....
Season to date	44	....	....	11	21
Year ago	82	....	....	7	10
Seattle, Thurs.	3	....	2	3	3
Year ago	16	1	16	2	18
Season to date	42	3	30	33	28
Year ago	204	2	99	29	65

Grain market conditions are unchanged with dealers watching anxiously the reports from interior sections as to damage by heat. The local market has been stagnant for nearly two weeks no trading of any consequence going on. California accounts continue to draw lightly upon the remaining supply.

Prices quoted are:

WHEAT—Bluestem, $2.18@2.20; club, $2.12 @2.18; fortyfold, $2.18; red Russian, $2.14 per bushel, tidewater track delivery.

OATS—No. 1 feed, $46.00 per ton, tidewater track delivery.

FLOUR—Selling price: Patent, $11.40; Willamette valley, $10.70; local straight, $10.60@ 11.00; bakers' local, $10.60@11.00; Montana spring, $12.20@12.40; exports, $8.70; whole wheat, $11.00; graham, $11.40; rye flour, $11.75 per barrel.

BARLEY—No. 1 feed, $44.50 per ton.

HAY—Buying price, new crop, Willamette timothy, fancy, $20.00@22.00; Eastern Oregon timothy, fancy timothy, $25.00; alfalfa, $16.00; valley vetch, $16.00; cheat, $15.00; clover, $12.00.

GRAIN SACKS—Nominal, No. 1 Calcutta, 13¼@13⅜c in car lots; less amounts higher.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price: Bran, $35.00@ 36.00; shorts, $38.00@39.00; middlings, $47.00 per ton.

ROLLED OATS—Per ton, $54.00.

ROLLED—Barley—Per ton, $51.00@52.00.

CORN—Whole, $72.00; cracked, $73.00 per ton.

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES

Chicago, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs sold at the best prices of the week today. A $16.00 top was possible, good hogs selling freely at $15.90. Packers balked, but a light run gave them little oportunity for bear tactics. Cattle trade was of small volume, prices holding about steady. Lambs were dull, sheep firm.

Kansas City Cattle Steady

Kansas City, July 13.—Cattle—Receipts 2000; nothing good, steady. Steers, $8.00@12.00; cows and heifers, $6.00@10.75; stockers and feeders, $5.00@9.50; calves, $6.00 @14.00.

Hogs—Receipts 2000, steady, with previous day's average. Top, $15.80; bulk, $14.80@ 15.75; heavies, $15.65@15.80; mediums, $15.60 @15.75; lights, $14.70@15.40.

Sheep—Receipts 500, steady. Lambs, $15.00 @15.50; no good sheep.

Seattle Hogs Steady

Seattle, July 13. — Hogs — Receipts, 93. Steady. Prime lights, $15.80@16.00; medium to choice, $15.65@15.75; smooth heavies, $15.15 @15.75; rough heavies, $14.65@14.95; pigs, $14.65@14.95.

Cattle — Receipts, 30. Slow. Best steers, $9.00@9.50; medium to choice, $8.50@8.75; common to medium, $6.00@7.50; best cows, $7.50@8.00; common to medium cows, $5.00@ 6.50; bulls, $4.00@7.00; calves, $6.00@9.00.

Sheep — Receipts, 276. Steady. Lambs, $13.00@13.50; yearlings, $12.50@12.75; ewes, $10.00@11.00; wethers, $12.00@12.50.

Denver Cattle Steady

Denver, July 13.—(U. P.)—Cattle—Receipts, 6000. Steady. Steers, $8.50@12.00; cows and heifers, $7.00@10.00; stockers and feeders, $6.50@8.75; calves, $11.00@13.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 200. Steady. Top, $15.25; bulk, $14.90@15.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 100. Steady. Ewes, $8.00 @9.00; lambs, $14.00@14.75.

Omaha Hogs Strong

Omaha, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle—Receipts 500, steady. Cows and heifers, $5.00@ 10.50; stockers and feeders, $6.75@9.50; calves, $10.00@13.50; beeves, $8.75@13.35.

Hogs—Receipts 9500, strong. Mixed, $14.70 @15.40; good and choice heavy, $14.90@15.40; rough heavy, $14.50@14.85; light, $14.50@ 15.30; pigs, $12.00@14.23; bulk, $14.75@15.10.

Sheep—Receipts 5500, lower. Wethers, $9.00 @10.50; yearlings, $10.00@11.50; lambs, $14.75@15.60; ewes, $8.00@8.75.

Foreign Bond List

Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building:

	Bid.	Ask.
A. F. 5s Oct. 1920	93½	93⅝
U. K. 5s Sept. 1918	97½	98⅛
U. K. 5½s Feb. 1918	99⅝	99⅞
U. K. 5½s Nov. 1919	97	97¼
U. K. 5½s Feb. 1919	99¾	100
U. K. 5½s Nov. 1921	96	96¼
A. F. Sec. 5s Aug. 1919	96½	96⅞
Rep. France 5s 1931	145	150
Paris 6s Oct. 1921	94⅝	94⅞
Marseilles 6s Nov. 1919	94½	95
Russia Extn. 5½s 1921	79	81
Russian Intl. 5½s 1923	235	236
Dom. 5s Aug. 1917	99½	100¼
Dom. 5s April 1921	99	99⅝
Dom. 5s April 1931	95½	96¼
Dom. 5s April 1926	95⅝	96⅛
Argentine 6s May 1920	98¼	99
China 6s 1919	96	96
Dom. Canada 5s	94⅝	95¼
French 5½s	99⅛	99⅝

Corn Breaks and Other Grains Join In Heavy Losses

Chicago, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—May corn broke 4¼c this afternoon, closing at $1.11⅜ to $1.11¼.

December corn was down 3¼c to $1.12¼ to $1.12, and September corn dropped from $1.61 and $1.61¼ to $1.56½ to $1.58⅜.

Oats were slightly lower, and provisions were down from the opening.

Chicago, July 13.—(U. P.)—Favorable weather conditions, combined with increased offerings and few buyers, sent the corn market down today from ½ to 3c from yesterday's close.

September corn opened ⅞c higher at $1.60¼, and later dropped 1⅝c; December opened ½c down at $1.15⅝, subsequently selling off 3c.

The wheat market was inactive during the early trading, no quotations going up until just before noon. July was unchanged at $2.04, September opened 2½c higher at $1.95, and held that figure.

Oats was generally lower, in sympathy with corn. July opened ⅝c higher at 68¼c, and later was down 1¼c. September opened ⅜c higher at 56⅛c, but dropped ⅝c later. December opened ⅝c up at 58c, but also sold ⅞c off.

Provisions were generally lower on a strong and higher hog market.

Range of Chicago prices as furnished by the United Press:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT				
July	204	204	203	203
September	195	195	193	194½
CORN				
September	160½	161	158¼	158½
December	116⅞	117¼	111¼	112⅛
OATS				
July	69½	69⅝	67⅝	68
September	56⅛	56⅜	55	55⅛
December	58	58½	56⅜	57⅛
PORK				
July	4100	4100	4070	4070
September	4025	4025	3970	3990
LARD				
July	2065	2197	2067	2070
September	2120	2120	2085	2092
RIBS				
July	Nominal		....	2147
September	2170	2172	2155	2160

Embargo Reports Cause Sales but Demand Is Equal

New York, July 13.—Reports of a possible embargo on cotton exports to neutral countries brought about a supply at the opening of the cotton market today, but the demand was more than sufficient to absorb the offerings. October rose 10 points on the call, the opening range being 8 points lower to 4 points higher, with the tone steady.

In the late afternoon fluctuations continued irregular on a comparatively small demand. The close was steady at a net advance of 10 to 38 points.

Range of New York cotton prices as furnished by the Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building:

Month—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	2552	2580	2545	2576
March	2570	2597	2565	2595
May	2582	2613	2582	2605
July	2638	2663	2630	2661
September	2565	2565	2563	2590
October	2525	2575	2525	2566
November	....	....	....	2566
December	2540	2580	2536	2567

BIG BEND AND CENTRAL OREGON NEED RAIN

Following from W. G. Paine, assistant general freight and passenger agent S., P. & S., Spokane, Wash:

"Grain in the Spokane valley half cut, crop good; harvesting is under way throughout Whitman county. Early fall sown fall wheat and early sown spring wheat now suffering from hot weather. Grain will be damaged to less rain soon. Some damage already done in the Big Bend country. Most of the spring wheat came through in good shape. Haying in full blast and dry weather fine for operations. Early wet season will yield bumper alfalfa crop in all territories. A little cooler today, but no sign of rain."

Following from J. T. Hardy, traffic freight and passenger agent, S., P. & S. and Oregon Trunk railways:

"All around in my territory at this time the crops are not looking any too good. It has not rained for the past 60 days, and the crops are drying up. In Central Oregon they are looking bad, and if rain is not forthcoming at once all the crops except the hay will be ruined. In the Goldendale district they are also looking bad on account of no rain, and that section must have rain soon or the crops will be a failure. In the Bickelton country the crops are looking fair, and about the same yield as last year is now anticipated. This also applies in the country tributary to Roosevelt. The fruit sections are looking good, and a large crop is looked for except prunes, which are a poor crop this year. Hay in the alfalfa districts in two thirds of a crop, so far, and hay this fall will no doubt be higher than former years."

DAIRY PRODUCE ON THE COAST

Seattle Market

Seattle, July 13.—(U. P.)—Butter—Native Washington creamery, cube, 38c; do brick, 39c; fresh California cube, 38c; do brick, 38c per pound.

Eggs—Select ranch, 33c

Cheese—Oregon triplets, 24@25c; Washington triplets, 23@24c; Young America, 28c.

San Francisco Market.

San Francisco, July 13.—(U. P.)—Butter—Extra, 37c; prime, 36½c.

Eggs—Extras, 34½c; extra firsts, 34c; extra pullets, 31½c; extra first pullets, 31c.

Cheese—California fancy, 20c; firsts, 19½c.

POTATOES ALONG THE COAST

Seattle Market

Seattle, July 13.—(U. P.)—Onions—Green, per dozen, 25c; wax, $1.50; California red, 2c; crystal white, $1.50.

Potatoes — Yakima Gems, $90; seed, $80; locals, $75@80 per ton.

San Francisco Market

San Francisco, July 13.—Onions—New red, 40c per sack on the wharf; do yellow, 50c per sack; do Clarksburg, 60@65c per cental.

New potatoes—Delta, $1.75@2.10 in boxes and sacks, with a few at $2.25.

BUTTER GOES UP 1 CENT

Light receipts and higher prices in San Francisco today caused a 1c advance in butter prices—Butterfat remained the same. Buying prices are now 39@40c a pound.

New York Bond Market

Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building:

	Bid.	Ask.
Atchison Genl. 4s	88	88½
Baltimore & Ohio Gold 4s	85	85½
Bethlehem Steel Ref. 5s	98½	99
Central Pacific 1st 4s	88½	88½
C. B. & Q. Col. 4s	96	96¼
St. Paul Genl. 4½s	....	94½
Chicago N. W. Genl. 4s	....	87½
L. & N. Unf. 4s	91	91½
New York Ry. 5s	22½	23
Northern Pacific P. L. 4s	87½	88½
Reading Genl. 4s	90	91
Union Pacific 1st 4s	91	91¼
U. S. Steel 5s	104	104¼
Union Pacific 1st Ref. 5s	84½	85
Southern Pacific Conv. 5s	98½	99
Southern Pacific Conv. 4s	91½	92
Penn. Conv. 4½s	101½	102½
Penn. 1st 4½s	94⅝	94⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio Conv. 5s	88	88¼

Bar Silver Climbs

London, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—Bar silver is up ¼d at 41d.

New York, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—Commercial bar silver is up ½c at 80⅝c.

Army Engineer and Nurse Are Married

Vancouver, Wash., July 13.—John L. Young of Jamaica, Queens county, N. Y., and Miss Marion Elsie Albin of Sag Harbor, Suffolk county, N. Y., were married here Thursday afternoon by Rev. Dr. E. L. Benedict in the parsonage of the First Methodist church. The ring ceremony was used and was witnessed by James J. Myers and Catherine Johnson. Young is an expert rifleman and is a member of Company B, Fourth engineers. The bride is a professional nurse.

IRREGULARITIES ARE STOCK FEATURES IN THE EARLIER TRADING

Liberty Bonds Decline to 99 38-50; U. S. Steel Also Off Slightly; Some Leaders, However, Show Gains for Day.

New York, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—The stock market closed weak today; government bonds unchanged, railway and other bonds heavy.

The market broke sharply in the late afternoon and closed weak. Higher call money, due to withdrawals of government deposits, new low records made by Liberty bonds and dissatisfaction over steel price fixing were the main influences in the decline of the market in the final trading. United States Steel ended off ⅝ point at 122⅝. St. Paul declined 1 point to 72. Crucible Steel 3½ points at 82¼. Bethlehem Steel "B" 5¼ points to 129, and Central Leather fell to 83¼.

Total sales, 880,000 shares; bonds, $3,457,000 par value.

New York, July 13.—(I. N. S.)—The stock market opened irregular today with fluctuations much narrower than in the last few days. After the first 10 minutes of business a firmer tendency developed and substantial gains were scored in some of the recent leaders.

Liberty bonds sold at 99 48-50 as against 100 at the close yesterday.

Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies and Industrial Alcohol rose 1⅝. Reading ½ and United Cigar Stores 1¼.

In the railroad list irregular fractional changes took place, with Union Pacific and Southern Pacific a shade lower, and Reading, Missouri Pacific and other railroads off 1 to 1½.

Marine shares, coppers, Westinghouse, Bethlehem Steel "B", and St. Paul showed good gains. Texas Oil lost a point and Studebaker was heavy.

In the late forenoon some stocks were strong while others reacted sharply.

United States Steel, after declining 1⅝ points rallied only a slight fraction. Atlantic-Gulf, which had dropped nearly 3 points from the early high, rallied 1 point. Recessions in others ranged from 1⅛ in General Motors to a point. National Conduit held a gain of 2 points and American Sumatra Tobacco retained an improvement of 1½ points. St Paul dropped 1⅞ to 72¼.

Unfavorable sentiment was caused by the weakness of United States Steel and a decline to a new low level in United States Liberty Loan bonds to 99 38-50.

In the late afternoon there were some slight rallies in the general list after pronounced weakness in some of the leaders. The market was unfavorably affected by the advance in call money to 6½ per cent, and there was weakness in Liberty bonds which sold as low as 99 36-50.

United States Steel rallied a point after a drop of 3½ points.

Range of New York prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building:

DESCRIPTION	Open	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	....	....	....	5¼
Allis-Chalmers, c	30	30½	29⅛	29⅛
*American Beet Sugar	91	91¼	90⅝	90¼
American Can, c	50	50	48½	48½
American Car Fdy., c	77½	78⅛	75¼	75⅝
American Cotton Oil, c	38¼	38¼	38¼	37
American Linseed, c	25⅝	25⅝	24½	24½
American Loco., c	73	73¼	70	71
American Smelter, c	106¼	106¼	103½	103½
American Sugar, c	120¼	122	119½	120¼
American Tel. & Tel.	121	121	120½	120¼
American Woolen, c	53½	53½	52⅝	52⅝
Anaconda Mining Co.	79⅝	80½	78⅝	78½
Atchison, c	100½	100½	100¼	100¼
Baldwin Loco., c	71⅞	71⅞	68⅝	69
Baltimore & Ohio, c	72¼	72¼	71⅜	71⅜
Bethlehem Steel, c	....	....	....	130
Bethlehem Steel "B"	131⅜	133	126	127
Brooklyn R. Transit	59½	59½	58½	59½
California & Superior	30½	30½	38	37¼
Calif. Petroleum, c	20	20	20	19
Canadian Pacific	160	161½	159½	160⅝
Central Leather, c	89⅝	90	86¼	86⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	60½	60½	59½	59½
Chicago & Gt. W. c	....	....	....	11
Chicago, M. & St. P.	73	74⅛	71½	72
Chicago & N. W., c	109⅛	109¼	109	108½
Chino Copper, c	33½	33½	33⅛	33¼
Colorado & S., c	50½	50½	50	50¼
Cons. Gas	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝
Corn Products, c	36	36⅛	34¼	34⅝
Crucible Steel, c	85⅝	86	82	82⅞
D., L. & W., c	....	....	....	6
Distillers	21⅝	23½	21½	22½
Erie, c	25	25⅛	24⅝	24⅝
General Electric	159	159	158	158
Goodrich Rubber	51	51	50	48½
Gt. North., Ore Lands	33¼	33½	32	32½
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