FLOOD OF STOCKS ON THE MARKET

ORGANIZED BEAR TRADERS ON THE FLOOR

Urgent Liquidation for the Account of Insurance Companies—Rapid Drop in Standard Speculative Securities

SLUMP IN VALUES

Gains were shown after the opening of the stock market yesterday. United Railways preferred advanced 1¾; St. Paul, Great Northern preferred, Anaconda and Sloss Sheffield Steel 1½; Reading 1¼.

Later losses in Northern Pacific reached 4, Great Northern 6, Federal Mining 5.

A violent slump in the Hill stocks led the break which became general and the market became demoralized. Great Northern preferred made a rapid drop of 25 points, Northern Pacific 11, Northwestern 8, St. Paul 4¼, Delaware & Hudson 5, New York Central 5½, Colorado Fuel 8, Sloss-Sheffield 5½, Lead, Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Illinois Central, Pennsylvania, American Locomotive, United States Steel, Amalgamated Copper, Smelting, Sugar, Brooklyn Transit and a number of others from 2 to 3 points.

Near the close, Northern Pacific decline reached 13½, Anaconda 10, Central Railroad of New Jersey and Delaware & Hudson 7, B. R. T. 5, Hocking Valley and Pullman 4.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Liquidation stocks were thrown upon the market today at a time when the demand was almost paralyzed. The bear element among the traders showed itself alert and well organized, and met the selling by a savage onslaught on prices which cut under the market and added to the demoralization.

It was the common understanding that the most urgent liquidation was for the account of some of the insurance companies. The indiscriminate way in which the stocks were thrown over and the violence of the declines at which sales were effected gave rise to disquieting rumors, especially regarding the position of some of the insurance companies.

The enormous losses suffered by the fire companies in San Francisco have given perfectly natural occasion for the keen discussion of their standing ever since that event and it has been generally expected that an unprecedented scale of losses would hardly fail to result in some casualties. It was rumored during the day that several of the companies had secured accommodations in large time loans running in the aggregate to between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000 for nine months. The rate of interest payable on these loans was said to be 6 per cent. This indication of the tightness of the money market and the accepted prospect of its continuance was an unfavorable factor in the situation.

Further engagements of gold for import were secured in Paris today, aggregating for the day $6,000,000. This was contrasted with $1,500,000, the amount of the day's transfers to San Francisco through the subtreasury. This subsidence in the tide of the movement to the Pacific coast aroused some hope that the principal requirements there were now satisfied. But this encouraging development availed nothing to check the force of the liquidation which poured into the market.

The speculative account on the long side of the market proved much heavier than there has been any suspicion of, and the wiping out of margins and the uncovering of stop loss orders brought a flood of sale orders from all quarters.

The Hill stocks and the Northwestern Pacifics were the largest sufferers, and Reading, New York Central and some of the highly speculative stocks fell abruptly. The break of 25 points in Great Northern preferred measured the maximum, but the Chicago & Northwestern stocks, Northern Pacific, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, Colorado Fuel and Anaconda offered examples of 8 to 15 points decline. In the general list losses of 2 to 5 points were general.

The weakness continued throughout the day, with occasional rallies on short covering. The closing tone was weak.

Bonds were weak. Total sales, par value, $2,655,000.

United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

New York Bonds

NEW YORK, April 27.—The following were official closing prices for bonds today:

U S ref 2s reg	103½	do 2d series	91½
do coupon	103½	L & N un 4s	103
3s registered	103¼	Man con gld 4s	101¼
do coupon	104	Mex Cen 4s	80
Old 4s reg	103⅝	do 1st inc	22½
do coupon	103⅝	M & SL 4s	93
New 4s reg	130	M K & T 4s	101¾
do coupon	131	do 2ds	89
Am Tob 4s	78½	N R Mex cn 4s	83
do 6s	112½	N Y C gn 3½s	98
Atch gen 4s	100¼	N J C gn 5s	128
do adj 4s	94¼	Nor Pac 4s	103
B R T cv 4s	94½	do 3s	76¾
Cen of Ga 5s	113	N & W con 4s	00½
do 1st inc	97	O S L rfdg 4s	95
do 2d inc	87½	Penn conv 3½s	99½
do 3d inc	86	Read gen 4s	100⅛
Ch & O 4½s	105½	SL & IM cn 5s	113¼
Ch & A 3½s	80½	SL & SF fg 4s	85
C B & Q 4s	98¼	SL SW cn 4s	78⅞
C R I & P 4s	79	Sea Air Line 4s	86½
do col 5s	89½	Sou Pac 4s	91¾
CCC & SL 4s	103¾	do 1st 4s cer	94⅛
Col Ind 5s ser A	74	Sou Ry 5s	117
do series B	73¾	Tx & Pac 1sts	122¾
Col Mid 4s	75	T St L & W 4s	80½
Col & Sou 4s	93¾	Union Pac 4s	104⅝
Cuba 5s	104½	do conv 4s	148¼
D & R G 4s	100¼	U S Steel 2d 5s	99⅝
Dist Sec 5s	85	Wabash 1sts	115⅞
Erie pr ln 4s	100⅞	do Deb B	75¾
do gen 4s	91	West Md 4s	84
Hoc Val 4½s	107¾	Wh & L E 4s	89
Japan 6s	98¼	Wis Cen 4s	91
do 2d series	97⅝	Japan 4s cer	83¾
do 4½s cer	92		

Closing Stock List

Atchison	88½	Union Pacific	145⅞
do pfd	100	do pfd	92
B & Ohio x rts	106½	Wabash	19⅝
Can Pacific	158	Wis Central	24¾
Chi & Alton	30	Nor Pac	195
do pfd	71	Amalg Copper	102½
Chi & N W	196½	Am Car & Fdry	48⅝
do pfd	235	Am Locomotive	61½
Col Southern	32	Am Sm & Refin	150
D & R G	41¾	do pfd	116
do pfd	85	Brk Rap Transit	75½
Erie	40⅝	Col F & Iron	46½
Ill Central	165¾	Internatl Paper	19¼
L & N	142	Natl Biscuit	64
Man L	153	Natl Lead	75½
Metro St Ry	112¼	Pacific Mail	40
Mex Central	22	People's Gas	90½
Mo Pacific	91	Press Steel Car	49⅞
N Y Central	132½	Pull Pal Car	229
Pennsylvania	136¾	Standard Oil	636
Reading	123½	Sugar	131¼
Rock Island	25¼	Tenn C & Iron	141
do pfd	63¼	U S Steel	40⅝
St. Paul	164	do pfd	105⅝
Sou Pac	64	West Union	92½
Sou Ry	36½		

Market Ranges

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—May, 79@79⅛c; July, 89⅛c; Sept., 78c.

Corn, No. 2—May, 46⅞c; July, 46@46⅞c; Sept., 46⅜c.

Oats, No. 2—May, 32⅝c; July, 30⅞@30⅝c; Sept., 28¾@28⅞c.

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 79@82c; No. 3, 75@81c; No. 2 red, 87½@89⅞c; No. 2 corn, 47½c; No. 2 yellow, 47¾@48c; No. 2oats, 32⅝c; No. 2 white, 47¾@48c; No. 2 oats, 32¾c; No. 2 white, 60c; good feeding barley, 39@41c; fair to choice malting, 45@50c; No. 1 flax seed, $1.01¾; No. 1 northwestern, $1.14¾; prime timothy seed, $3.20; mess pork, per bbl., $15.55@15.60; lard, per 100 lbs., $8.57½; short ribs sides (loose), $8.40@8.50; short clear sides (boxed), $8.87½@9.00; whisky, basis of high wines, $1.28; clover, contract grade, $11.50.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	21,500	219,700
Wheat, bu.	7,000	26,000
Corn, bu.	163,000	470,900
Oats, bu.	269,600	176,500
Rye, bu	6,000	1,500
Barley, bu.	51,700	7,500

Financial

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Money on call steady; highest, 5 per cent; lowest, 3; ruling rate, 4½ per cent; last loan, 4 per cent; closing bid, 3; offered at 4. Time loans steady; sixty and ninety days and six months, 5¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5¾ per cent.

Sterling exchange irregular, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8440@4.8445 for demand, and at $4.8130@4.8135 for sixty days; posted rates, $4.82½@4.83 and $4.85½@4.86. Commercial bills, $4.81.

Bar silver, 65⅞c.

Mexican dollars, 50½c.

Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds weak.

Sugar and Coffee

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 2 29-32@2 15-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 13-32c; molasses sugar, 2 21-32c. Refined steady, crushed, 5.29c; powdered, 4.60c; granulated, 4.50c.

Coffee, steady. No. 7 Rio, 8 1-16c.

BROOKLYN MAN BUYS FINE HOME

COLORADO INVESTOR SECURES THE COLUMBIA

Increased Activity in Real Estate Transactions — Dealers Report Lively Inquiry for Business and Residence Property

Following are the permits issued from the building superintendent's office Friday, classified according to wards:

Ward—	Permits.	Value.
First	2	$ 1,060
Second	1	140
Fourth	4	13,490
Fifth	5	4,525
Sixth	11	5,900
Seventh	1	5,200
Eighth	2	15,000
Ninth	5	4,985
Totals	31	$50,300

Will Reside at Hollywood

R. C. Chambers, a retired broker from Brooklyn, N. Y., has decided to make California his future home. Through Althouse Bros. Mr. Chambers has purchased from John B. Althouse the handsome property at 1232 Forest avenue, Hollywood, a two-story stone and frame residence of thirteen rooms, with large grounds, highly improved, lot 160x205 feet. The consideration was $22,500.

Through the same agency D. T. Althouse sold to Dr. W. H. Ward, former superintendent of the State Insane asylum at Phoenix, Arizona, for $5,500, a two-story frame residence of eight rooms at 2319 Juliet street. The lot is 50x1335 feet.

A Busy Week

Among the sales closed by E. A. Forrester & Son this week, acting jointly with Albert J. Bowen for W. J. Bryant, to a prominent contractor, was a 50-acre tract of alfalfa land located south of the Palms for $17,500; also other sales by the firm alone aggregating $27,000. The week was unusually active for Forrester & Sons.

Regardless of the strenuous season of relief work Charles McKenzie & Co. report a good week's business. Among the fifteen deals closed by the firm was the sale of a lot 92x146 feet on the southwest corner of Washington street and Ellendale avenue, for S. C. Stockton and M. S. Anderson to Max Reimbold for $12,500 cash. Improvements nominal; also the lot 55x100 feet on the northwest corner of Fourth and Omar streets, improved with two flat buildings; consideration $25,000.

The McCarthy company has purchased twenty acres adjoining the Greater Los Angeles tract, on the corner of Main street and Florencia avenue, paying $32,000 for the acreage.

Investment Purchase

J. W. Miller, late of Colorado Springs, Colo., has paid F. H. Rowley $32,500 for the Columbia apartment house at 918 West Sixth street, lot 54x120 feet. The Columbia is near Figueroa street and rents for $225 a month. H. G. Colton & Son, assisted by H. A. Landwehr, closed the deal.

On May 1 the Pacific Electric railway will establish a 50-cent round trip rate to Bay City, same as the Long Beach rate, and the commutation fare will be reduced proportionately.

HOW TO BRIDGE THE DEPOT IS PERPLEXING PROBLEM

SOUTHERN PACIFIC OBJECTS TO FOOT CROSSING

Property Owners Want to Avoid a Two-Block Detour and Some Sort of Short Cut Is to Be Adopted

The Southern Pacific has refused to allow a foot bridge to be constructed through the new depot which it proposes to erect on the site of the old one, and for which purpose it has asked the city to abandon that portion of Fifth street between Central avenue and the entrance to the Arcade depot.

Property owners east of the Southern Pacific tracks appeared before the board of public works two weeks ago and agreed to allow this portion of Fifth street to be abandoned without protest if the Southern Pacific would agree to build some kind of passageway through the new depot so that a detour of two blocks would not be necessary for pedestrians in crossing from one side of the tracks to the other.

The representative of the Southern Pacific agreed to take the question up with the authorities and have the plans for the new depot include an overhead bridge across the tracks.

This was refused, and the board of public works has taken under consideration the advisability of abandoning Fifth street.

ALL COMPANIES TO PAY OUT

Prominent Local Insurance Man Makes Optimistic Statement Anent San Francisco Losses

E. J. Louis, prominent in Los Angeles insurance, stated tonight that slight uneasiness and a tendency to withdraw has made itself evident among policyholders. Mr. Louis says emphatically that of the insurance companies represented here, one is as strong as another and that there is not the shadow of a doubt but that all San Francisco losses will be paid. Almost every coast manager has been authorized by officials in the east to advise all agents to continue business on unaltered lines.

BUTTER RECEIPTS INCREASE DAILY

PRICES FOR LOCAL AND VALLEY CREAMERY WEAK

Advance in Oregon Potatoes—Market Flooded With Berries—Bananas Scarce — Fish Hard to Catch

Conditions in the produce market remain unchanged. Demand for all kinds of supplies is active and all prices are firm except for butter. Receipts of butter yesterday were over 60,000 pounds, with no change in the official jobbing prices.

The call session of the exchange was well attended but Caller Shorten, who handled the chalk for the first time, was unable to mark up a sale. Dealers appeared to be well stocked with goods.

Oregon potatoes were advanced to $2.25 a hundred.

There was a liberal supply of all kinds of berries, strawberries jobbing at 56@6c a tray, dewberries at 10c and raspberries at 35c.

Bananas were quoted on the exchange yesterday for the first time in many months, bidding for stock being persistent, with none offered. It was stated that Monday the jobbing price would go to 6c a pound.

All kinds of fish were scarce, owing to the inability of the fishermen to locate the finny tribe.

Produce Receipts

Eggs, cases	554
Butter, pounds	60,720
Cheese, pounds	6,890
Potatoes, sacks	1,547
Onions, sacks	none
Potatoes (sweets), sacks	none
Beans, sacks	362

Produce Prices

The following are the jobbing prices in the local market:

EGGS—Fresh California ranch, 22c; northern, 20c.

BUTTER—Fancy local creamery, 50c; valley creamery, 47½@50c; coast creamery, 45@47c; cooking, 18c.

HONEY—Water white, 60-lb. cans, 6½@7c lb.; light amber, 6c; amber, 5c. Honeycomb—Water white, 1-lb. frame, 14@15c; light amber, 12½c; beeswax, 27c.

CHEESE (all per lb.)—Northern, 15½@16c; Young America, 16½c; handmade, 17½c; Anchor, 15½c. Eastern—New York, 16@16½c; Wisconsin, 16c; twins, 16@16½c; long horns, 16½c; cheddars, 16c; daisies, 16½c Rincon, 16c; Swiss, imported, 28c; Swiss, domestic, 19@20c; Oregon, brick, 17c.

POTATOES (per 100 lbs.)—Early Rose, northern, $1.85@2.00; Burbank, local, $1.85@2.00; Salinas, $1.75@2.00; Highland, $1.85@2.00; Oregon, $2.00@2.25; Nevadas, $1.30@1.40; sweet, yellow, $3.00; new potatoes, $4.50@5.00.

BEANS (all per 100 lbs.)—Pink, No. 1, $2.50@2.60; lima, No. 1, $5.50; Lady Washington, No. 1, $3.15@3.25; blackeyes, $6; garvances, $1.50@5; German lintels, $7.50@8.

ONIONS (per 100 lbs.)—Nevadas, $4.00.

APPLES—Colorado Winesaps, $3.25; Red Pearmains, 4-tier, $1.50; 4½-tier, $1.10; Bellefleurs, 4-tier, $1.60; 4½-tier, $1.50; Ganos, $1.25; W. W. Pearmain, 4-tier, $1.75; 4½-tier, $1.25; Yellow Newton Pippins, 4-tier, $1.50; 4½-tier, $1.25.

POULTRY—Jobbers sell dressed poultry to the trade as follows (per pound): Hens, 19c; young roosters, 23c; fryers, 26c; old roosters, 15c; broilers, $3.75@7.00 a doz.; turkeys, per lb., 27c; old toms, 25c; young toms, 27c; hen turkeys, 26c; geese, 18c; ducks, 18c.

For stock in good condition dealers pay live weight as follows: Hens, 15c; young roosters, 19c; fryers, 21c; broilers, 21c; old roosters, 9c; turkeys, local, 21c; old toms, 19c; young toms, 19c; hen turkeys, 19c; geese, 15c; ducks, 15c.

BAKERS' FLOUR—Made of eastern hard wheat—Per bbl., $5.25; blended wheat, $4.90; eastern rye, $5.25.

CEREAL GOODS—Wholesale prices as follows:

	10-lb.	25-lb.	50-lb.
A1 flour, per 100	$2.70	....	....
Banquet flour, per 100	2.60	....	....
Pastry flour, per 100	2.50	....	....
Graham flour	2.40	2.35	2.30
Corn meal, W. & W.	2.15	2.10	2.05
Whole wheat	2.50	2.45	2.40
Rye	2.75	2.70	2.35
Cracked wheat	3.40	3.35	3.30
Farina	3.40	3.35	3.30

GRAIN AND FEED (per 100 lbs.)—Wheat, $1.60; wheat (100-lb. sack), $1.65; corn, $1.35; cracked corn, $1.40; feed meal, $1.45; bran, heavy, $1.25; rolled barley, $1.40; oil cake meal, $2.25; cotton seed meal, $1.85; cocoanut cake, $1.55; shorts, pounds, $1.45; white oats, $1.90; red oats, $1.50; eastern Kaffir corn, $1.35.

HAY—(All per ton)—

Choice wheat hay	$15.50@16.50
No. 1 wheat and oat	13.50@14.50
No. 2 wheat and oat	10.00@11.00
Choice tame oat	12.00@13.00
Other tame oat	8.00@10.00
Wild oat	9.00@11.00
Straw (per bale)	.30@ .55
Alfalfa	10.50@12.50
Stock hay	7.00@ 7.50

FRUITS AND BERRIES — Bananas, 5c; strawberries, 6@10c; dewberries, 25c; raspberries, 4c; blackberries, 25c.

CITRUS FRUITS — Lemons, fancy, $2.25 box; new Washington navel oranges, $1.25@1.50.

NUTS AND DRIED FRUITS (all per lb.)—Almonds, IXL, 15½@16c; Ne Plus Ultra, 15½@16c; peanuts, California, fancy, 6½c; eastern, fancy, 5½c; Japanese, 6c; walnuts, California bleached, No. 1, 14½c; pecans, Jumbo, 15c; extra large, 14½c; Brazils, 16c; filberts, 13c; Mexican pine nuts, 20c.

DATES—Persian Hallowis, 5½@6c; Fards, 8½@10c.

VEGETABLES—String beans, 10c; wax beans, 10c; beets, $1.15 per sack; fancy celery, 75c doz.; evaporated chiles, 20@30c lb.; garlic, 7c lb., lettuce, 12½@15c doz.; 75c sack; peas, 3½@5c lb.; spinach, 12½c doz.; turnips, 55c sack; cabbage, $1.25 sack; cauliflower, 60c; tomatoes, $2.75 a crate.

Retail Prices

Following prices for leading articles of consumption prevail at the Los Angeles stores:

Butter, 2-lb. roll, fancy	65c
Butter, 2-lb. roll, Poppy	60c
Butter, 2-lb. roll, Orange County and cooking	60c
Eggs, fresh ranch, per doz	25c
Potatoes, fancy Salinas, 100 lbs	$2.50
Newtown Pippins, 40-lb. box	$3.25

MARINE NEWS

San Pedro Shipping

ARRIVED.

Steamer San Gabriel, Aberdeen.
Steamer Chehalis, Coos Bay.
Steamer Northland, Umpqua.
Schooner Oceanica Vance, Puget Sound.
Schooner C. E. Falk, Puget Sound.

SAILED.

Steamer Coos Bay, San Francisco.
Steamer Rival, Puget Sound.
Steamer Norwood, Aberdeen.
Steamer J. V. Higgins, Portland.
Schooner Admiral, Anacortes.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Schooner Ariel, Hoquiam.
Steamer Coronado, Grays Harbor.
Schooner E. R. West, Grays Harbor.
Schooner Fearless, Bellingham.
Sch. John A. Campbell, Astoria.
Steamer Iaqua, Eureka.
Sch. Luzon, Aberdeen.
German bark Mneme, Hamburg.
Schooner Muriel, Willapa.
Schooner Robert Searles, Blakely.
Steamer Shasta, Bellingham.
Schooner Solano, Port Blakely.
Schooner Soquel, Olympia.
Sch. W. H. Smith, Tacoma.

VESSELS DUE AT THIS PORT

Steamer Bonita, San Francisco.
Schooner Forest Home, Seattle.
Schooner Ludlow, Port Hadlock.
Bark Portland, Astoria.
Schooner Ensign.
Steamer South Bay, Grays Harbor.

Harbor Notes

It is reported that a line of Mexican vessels will be put on between here and Mazallan and Guyamas, the first to arrive the fore part of May.

The pleasure launch McKinley went to San Diego this morning with passengers. A regular line of boats between here and there will be soon started.

EASTERN CITRUS FRUIT MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Special to The Herald.

NEW YORK CITY, April 27.—Thirty-five cars sold today. The market is weaker.

NAVELS (Vent.), Averages—Orchard, or., Nat. Or. Co., $3.15; Standard, st., Nat. Or. Co., $3.05; Lion Head, xf., I. L. Lyon & Son, $2.80; Tiger Head, xc., I. L. Lyon & Son., $2.10; Corwin, fy., W. L. S. Corwin, $2.95; Corwin, ch., W. L. S. Corwin, $2.65; Quail, xc., O. C. Exchange, $2.80.

SEEDLINGS (Vent.), averages—Carnation, xc., Moulton & Greene, $2.50; Corwin, fy., W. S. Corwin, $2.70; Corwin, ch., W. S. Corwin, $2.10.

ST. MICHAELS (Vent.), averages—Selects, ch., San Antonio Ex., $1.75.

TANGERINES (Vent.), averages—Lion Head, xf., I. L. Lyon & Son, $1.95.

NAVELS (iced), averages—Colonel, xc., Or. Gro. Cash. Assn., $3.35; Rose, xf., Redl. Or. Gro. Asen., $3.40; Clover, xc., Redl. Or. Gro. Assn., $3.05; Old Mission, fy., C. C. Chapman, $2.70; Golden Eagle, st., C. C. Chapman, $2.80; Royal Knight, xf., R. H. Exchange, $3.30; Gold Buckle, xf., R. H. Exchange, $3.60; Golden Orange, xf., A. H. Fr. Co., $3.25; Tiger, fy., S. B. Co., Fr. Ex., $3.10; Floral, ch., S. B. Co., Fr. Ex., $2.60; Stag, xf., A. C. G. Ex., $3.45; Volunteer, xc., San Antonio Ex., $3.10; Blue Seal, xf., A. C. G. Ex., $3.05; Square, Or., Riverside Ex., $3.05; Blue Globe, xf., Riverside Ex., $3.00; Stock, xc., San Antonio Ex., $2.95; Arroyo, st., Semi-Tropic Ex., $2.85; Red Globe, xc., Riverside Ex., $2.85; Echo, ch., Semi-Tropic Ex., $2.85; Red Shield, xc., A. C. G. Ex., $2.85; Pet, xc., San Antonio Ex., $2.75; Hunter, st., A. C. G. Ex., $2.75, Jasmine, xc., Duarte-Mon. Ex., $2.70; Pointer, xc., A. C. G. Ex., $2.45; Gabriella., fy., Ind., Frt. Co., $3.00; Sky High, xc., C. C. U., Riverside, $2.95; Bouquet, xf., C. C. U., Riverside, $2.95; Seal, st., C. C. U. Riverside, $2.65; Isis, xf., F. H. Speich & Co., $3.30; Golden Flower, xf., Redland G. O. A., $3.15; Golden Flower, xf., Redlands G. O. A., $2.95; Blue Keystone, fy., King Frt. Co., $3.10; Red Keystone, fy., King Frt. Co., $3.00; Fountain, ch., Moffatt Frt. Co., $3.10; Fountain, ch., Moffatt Frt. Co., $2.85; Sante Fe., st., Moffatt Frt. Co., $2.80; Carnation, xc., Moulton & Greene, $3.05.

THOMPSON IMPROVED NAVELS (iced), averages—Pointer, xc., A. C. G. Exchange, $3.25; Hunter, st., A. C. G. Exchange, $2.70; Sky High, xc., C. C. U., Riverside, $2.90; Bouquet, xf, C. C. U., Riverside, $3.20.

SEEDLINGS (iced), averages—Stork, xc., San Antonio Ex., $2.45; Carnation, xc., Moulton & Greene, $2.70; Mission Bells, xc., A. B. Chapman, $2.70; Thistle, or., C. C. U., Pomona, $2.45.

BLOODS (whole boxes), averages—Mission Bells, xc., A. B. Chapman, $3.10; Thistle, or., C. C. U., Pomona, $2.90.

BLOODS (half boxes), averages—Golden Flower, xf., Redl. G. O. A., $1.70.

GRAPE FRUIT, averages—Flower, fy., Upland District, $4.40; Golden Flower, xf., Redl., G. O. A., $3.40; Santa Fe., st., Moffatt Frt. Co., $2.10; Bouquet, xf., C. C. U., Riverside, $3.00; Echo., ch., Semi Tropic Ex., $2.90; Blue Seal, xf., A. C. G. Exchange, $2.50; Blue Seal, xf., A. C. G. Ex., $2.05.

GRAPE FRUIT (half boxes), averages—Signet, xf., Or. Gro. Cash Assn., $2.25; Colonel, xc., Or. Gro. Cash Assn., $1.85.

TANGERINES (iced), averages—Blue Seal, xf., A. C. G. Ex., $1.50; Pet, xc., San Antonio Ex., $1.55; Signet, xf., Or. Gro. Cash Assn., $1.40.

MEDITERRANEAN SWEETS, averages—Sky High, xc., C. C. U., Riverside, $2.50.

ST. MICHAEL'S (half boxes), averages—Poinsettia, fy., C. C. U., Riverside, $1.30.

BOSTON MARKET

Special to The Herald.

BOSTON, Mass., April 27.—Eighteen cars of citrus fruit were sold today at auction. The market is higher.

NAVELS (iced), averages—Rose, xf., Redl. O. G. Assn., $3.10; Clover, xc., Redl. O. G. Assn., $3.10; Mizpah, xf., Redl. Or. Producers, $2.90; Pyramid, xc., G. R. Hand & Co., $3.05; Square, or., Riverside Ex., $3.10; Swan, fy., R. H. Exchange, $3.05; Newsboy, or., R. H. Exchange, $2.95; Quail, xc., O. C. Ex., $2.85; Greyhound, ch., San Antonio Ex., $3.05; Flower, fy., Upland District, $3.10; Whittier, xc., Semi Tropic Ex., $2.05; Pico, st., Semi Tropic Ex., $2.50; Rialto, fy., C. C. U., Rialto, $3.25; Gondolier, xc., C. C. U., Rialto, $3.05; Cosmos, xc., West Highl. Cit. A., $2.65; Producer, fy., Redl. Or. Prod., $2.65; Slover Mountain, fy., Colton, $2.70; Shepard, or., Colton, $2.80; Piugrim, or., Colton, $3.40; Tea Party, or., Colton, $3.05; Square, or., Riverside Ex., $3.15; Gate, or, Riverside Ex., $2.90.

LEMONS, averages—Chapman, fy., A. B. Chapman, $1.35.

GRAPE FRUIT, averages—Southland Beauties, fy., G. C. Ex., $5.15; Leader, xc., Q. C. Ex., $4.60; Canna, fy., West Highl., Cit. A., $3.85; Crocus, xf., West Highl. Cit. A., $4.60.

BLOODS (whole boxes), averages—Whittier, xc., Semi Tropic Ex., $2.75; Pico, st., Semi Tropic Ex., $2.55; Gondolier, xc., C. C. U., Rialto, $3.05; Leader, xc., Q. C. Ex., $2.75; Southland Beauties, fy., Q. C. Ex., $2.90.

BLOODS (half boxes), averages—Gondolier, xc., C. C. U., Rialto, $1.40; Quail, xc., O. C. Ex., $1.35; Southland Beauties, fy., Q. C. Ex., $1.40.

SEEDLINGS, averages—Quail, xc., O. C. Ex., $3.05; Quail, xc., O. C. Ex., $2.80; Quail, xc., O. C. Ex., $2.90.

HOMOSSAS, averages—Gondolier, xc., C. C. U., Rialto, $3.00.

TANGERINES, averages—Gondolier, xc., C. C. U., Rialto, $1.70; Quail, xc., O. C. Ex., $1.45; Bear, xf., O. C. Ex., (¼ boxes), $.95.

MEDITERRANEAN SWEETS, averages—Rialto, fy., C. C. U., Rialto, $3.05; Pico, st., Semi Tropic Ex., $2.45; Whittier, xc., Semi Tropic Ex., $2.60.

SHIPMENT OF FRUIT

Special to The Herald.

LOS ANGELES, April 27.—The shipments of citrus fruits from California for April 26 consisted of 106 cars of oranges and 18 cars of lemons. This makes a total to date of 17,728 cars, of which 1763 cars were lemons. For the same period last season 20,295 cars were shipped, of which 1488 cars were lemons.

FINANCIAL

LOS ANGELES, April 27.—Bank clearings were $1,635,289.42, an increase of $246,904.04 over the corresponding day last year. Following is a comparative statement:

	1906	1905	1904
April 23	$1,541,781.43	$1,679,462.58	$1,180,692.01
April 24	1,732,343.68	2,130,450.35	1,146,053.74
April 25	1,830,497.68	2,034,851.00	1,888,813.72
April 26	1,456,680.94	1,531,026.22	1,321,125.23
April 27	1,635,289.42	1,388,385.38	938,575.85

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE

Official Sales—Riverside Home T. & T. Co. bonds ($500), two at 84; stock, ten shares at $51.50; Amalgamated Oil, 50 shares at $125; Home Telephone preferred, ten shares at $65.

Bank Stocks	Bid.	Asked.
American National Bank	116½	...
Broadway Bank & Trust Co.	155	...
Central	215	...
Citizens' National	220	...
Commercial National	123	...
Dollar Savings Bank	140	...
Equitable Savings Bank	165	...
Farmers & Merchants Natl.	375	402
Federal Bank	...	11
First National Stamped	...	450
German American	...	350
Home Savings Bank of L. A.	140	150
50 per cent paid up.		
L. A. Trust Co	120	...
Manhattan Savings Bank	125	...
Merchants National	440	...
Merchants Trust Co.	99	100½
Mercantile Trust Savings	85	88
50 per cent paid up.		
National Bank of California	...	...
Natl. Bank of Commerce	121	...
Security Savings Bank	250	...
Southern California Savings	300	...
State Bank & Trust Co.	95¼	100
United States Natl Bank	148	...

Bonds	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	91	96
California Pacific Ry	...	...
Corona Power & Water Co.	80¾	90
Cucamonga Water Co	...	101
Edison Electric con	102½	103½
Edison Electric Co., old issue	...	...
Home Telephone	94	97
Home Telephone 1st ref.	...	92½
L. A. Pac. Con Mtg.	...	...
L. A. Traction Co.	...	...
L. A. Electric	...	...
L. A. Railway Co.	...	...
Mission Trans & R. Co.	97	99
Mt. Lowe Railway Co.	...	...
Pacific Light & Power Co.	101	105
Pacific Electric Railway Co.	...	...
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	88¾	90
Pomona & Ont. L. & F. Co.	...	...
Pomona Con Water Co.	...	...
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	83	85
Santa Monica H. T. & T. Co.	82¾	85
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	83	86
Santa Barbara Electric Ry.	...	...
Seaside Water Co	...	...
Temescal Water Co	99	...
United Electric G. & P. Co.	...	...
U. S. Long Distance	92	93
Union Transportation Co	98	100
Visalia Water Co	...	98
Whittier	80	...

Oil Stocks	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	125.00	...
Associated Oil	47¼	48¼
Central	.87	.94¾
Columbia	...	.25
Continental	.11	...
Fullerton Con	...	...
Fullerton Oil	.45	.50
Globe	.01½	...
Home Whittier	...	...
Mexican Petroleum	.94½	...
Olinda Land Co.	.05	.06
Piru Oil Co.	.05	...
Puente Oil Co.	...	...
Reed Crude	.22	...
Union	203.50	206.00
Union Provident Co	204.00	...
Union Petroleum	352.00	...
Western Union	250.00	295.00

Miscellaneous Stocks	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cem. Co.	40.00	...
California Hospital	90.00	100.00
Edison Electric preferred	92.50	93.75
Edison Electric common	54.00	...
Home Telephone preferred	64.00	66.00
Home Telephone common	20.00	29.00
Los Angeles Brewery	115.00	155.00
L. A. Jockey Club	50.00	...
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	38.50	...
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	49.25	...
Santa Monica H. T. & T. Co	24.12	26.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	...	36.00
Seaside Water Co	...	...
Sun Drug Co	...	...
U. S. Long Distance	...	...
Union Trust & Title Co.	...	...

THE MINING CALL

Official Sales—3000 Bullfrog Bundle at 12@12½c; 1000 Searchlight M. & M. at $1.

CALIFORNIA.	Bid.	Asked.
Butte Lode	13.00	20.00
Furnace Creek Cop Co.	2.25	...
Yellow Aster	10.00	...
ARIZONA.		
Hecla Mining	1.00	...
Jesse Belle	.03½	.05
NEVADA. (Tonopah District).		
Belmont	5.25	...
California	.20	...
Cash Boy	.14	...
Golden Anchor	.80	...
Gold Mountain	...	.08
Great Western	.04	...
Home	.24	...
Jim Butler	.95	...
Mac Namara	.65	...
Midway	2.10	...
Mizpah Ex	.23	...
Montana Ton	2.65	...
North Star	.49	...
Ohio Tonopah	.35	.45
Rescue	.09	.12
Tonopah of Nev	17.00	...
West End	3.00	...
(JOHNNIE DISTRICT)		
Nye County		
Johnnie Con G M Co.	.11	...
(Bullfrog District).		
Bullfrog Mg Co of Nev.	.48	...
Bullfrog Bundle	.13½	.15
Bullfrog Natl Bank	.50	...
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