



SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

Eastern and European exchanges generally closed. Local stocks and bonds quiet and featureless. Shipment of \$174,915 in specie to China. Local bank clearings continue to lead last year. Wheat dull and easy. Barley firm. Oats and Corn dull and unchanged. Rye still going to Europe. Hay, Bran and Middlings quoted higher again. Beans quiet, with several kinds lower. Butter, Cheese and Eggs still in heavy supply. Dried Fruits quiet and firm, as usual. Provisions firm and unsettled here and at Chicago. Meat market as previously quoted. Less firmness in Potatoes. Onions weak. Poultry in ample supply and weak. Game slow. Citrus Fruits about as before quoted. First Strawberries appeared from Palo Alto.

The Easter Holidays.

The Easter holidays continued yesterday throughout the East and Europe, the Chicago Board of Trade being the only large exchange doing business. This explains the absence of quotations. Easter Monday will also be generally observed as a close day in Europe.

Bank Clearings.

Local bank clearings during the past week were \$35,700,447, against \$32,297,867 during the same week last year. The abnormally heavy clearings last week were due to the large payments through the banks in settlement of the Washington National Railroad.

Weather Report.

(29th Meridian—Pacific Time.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 29—3 p. m. The following are the seasonal rainfall totals as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfalls in last twenty-four hours:

Table with columns: Stations, Last 24 hours, Last 10 days, Last 30 days, Last season. Lists various weather stations and their rainfall records.

WEATHER CONDITIONS AND GENERAL FORECAST.

The pressure has fallen rapidly along the coast, and a further fall is expected. The indications of the approach of a disturbance on the northern coast. The temperature has increased from 6 to 9 degrees above the normal north of the Tehachas and slightly below the normal in Southern California.

Associated Banks' Statement.

NEW YORK, March 29.—The statement of the Associated Banks for the week ending at night shows: Loans, \$904,074,500; deposits, \$1,881,360,000; circulation, \$1,423,100; increase, \$1,490. Legal tenders, \$70,521,200; increase, \$975,700. Specie, \$177,382,700; increase, \$550,000. Reserves, \$1,881,360,000; increase, \$1,490,000.

Eastern Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, March 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; nominal. Good to prime steers, \$4.50; poor to medium, \$1.25 to \$2.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.00 to \$3.00; calves, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$5.75; canners, \$1.25 to \$2.00; pigs, \$1.00 to \$1.50; sheep, \$1.00 to \$1.50; lambs, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Exports and Imports.

NEW YORK, March 29.—Exports of specie from this port to all countries for this week aggregated \$604,014 silver and \$38,908 gold. The imports were \$1,784 gold and \$22,204 silver.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, March 29.—FLOUR—Receipts, 67,229 barrels; exports, 16,221 barrels; sales, 7500 packages. Quiet but steady at winter prices. Winter patents, \$3.90 to \$4.25; winter straights, \$3.75 to \$4.00; Minnesota patents, \$3.75 to \$4.00; winter low grades, \$2.90 to \$3.25.

Northern Business.

SEATTLE, March 29.—Clearings, \$551,201; balances, \$171,513. PORTLAND, March 29.—Clearings, \$288,932; balances, \$35,102. SPOKANE, March 29.—Clearings, \$105,572; balances, \$50,194.

Deciduous and Citrus Fruits.

The first Strawberries of the season came to hand from Palo Alto yesterday. They were of the Longworth variety and sold at 70¢ per bushel, 18 baskets being received.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Exchange and Bullion.

The City of Peking took out a treasure list of \$174,915, consisting of \$3015 in Mexican gold and \$171,900 in silver bullion.

Wheat and Other Grains.

WHEAT—The foreign markets were closed and the only news from abroad was that a cable from Liverpool of the week was consigned to the market, including everything that her light stocks were rapidly diminishing and that she must necessarily become a heavy buyer.

Chicago Grain Market.

CHICAGO, March 29.—Some slight strength was acquired by wheat from the cold weather. There were no foreign markets open, however, and news, apart from the weather, was meager.

Flour and Millstuffs.

FLOUR—California Family Extras, \$3.50 per 50 lb. usual terms; Bakers' Extras, \$3.40 per 50 lb. usual terms; \$2.75 per barrel for family and \$3.65 for Bakers'; Washington Bakers', \$3.65.

Hay and Feedstuffs.

The feeling in all goods under this head is better. Bran and Middlings have again advanced, and even Hay is quoted 50¢ higher, having regained the ground recently lost.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

Oregon Burbanks are cleaning up fairly well, although the feeling is not so strong as it was. Some very fine stock still occasionally at a slight advance over the quotations.

Poultry and Game.

Receipts of Poultry were 22 coops and the market was very weak on small young stock. There was considerable stock left on hand at the close of business and retailers were supplied from the offerings of the previous day.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Supplies of all kinds continue in excess of market needs and dealers are meeting buyers more than half way. All sales of Eggs above 15¢ carry with them long credit, or delivery, or some other conditions which bring the net price down to 12¢ to 13¢ at the top of the market.

Stock Market.

Lower prices ruled for Sterling and Sovereign gold on the Exchange, but much smaller sales, and the flurry over the large contract for Island delivery seems to have subsided. Otherwise there was nothing new in the market.

PRODUCERS' OIL EXCHANGE.

Table listing oil prices for various grades and quantities, including Board, 500, 1000, 1500, 2000, 2500, 3000, 3500, 4000, 4500, 5000, 5500, 6000, 6500, 7000, 7500, 8000, 8500, 9000, 9500, 10000.

MINING STOCKS.

Table listing mining stock prices for various companies like 700 Best & Belch, 400 Best & Belch, 300 Best & Belch, 200 Best & Belch, 100 Best & Belch, etc.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Table listing closing quotations for various commodities like Bid. Ask., Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta, Epsilon, Zeta, Eta, Theta, Iota, Kappa, Lambda, Mu, Nu, Xi, Omicron, Pi, Rho, Sigma, Tau, Upsilon, Phi, Chi, Psi, Omega.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

NEW WESTERN HOTEL. F. McMahon, Vallejo. Sacramento. J. E. Lippert, Victoria. S. W. Wilde, Woodland. J. E. Lippert, Victoria. S. W. Wilde, Woodland.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

SATURDAY, MARCH 29. Napa and Berryessa Valley Oil Company (contract) Henry E. Goblin, lot on SW corner of Chestnut and Laguna streets, W 137' 6" S 120' E 50' N 24' E 87' 6" N 96' 70' 84' 00'.

Hides, Tallow, Wool and Hops.

HIDES AND SKINS—Cows and brands sold for \$1.15 to \$1.25 per lb. for light Steers, 104¢; medium, 94¢; heavy, 84¢.

San Francisco Meat Market.

All quotations remain undisturbed. Wholesale rates from slaughterers to dealers are as follows: DRESSED MEATS. Pork, \$1.00 per lb. for fresh.

General Merchandise.

BAGS—Grain Bags, June and July, 6¢; San Francisco, 5¢; Wool Bags, 32¢; Piece Twine, 74¢.

Builders' Contracts.

W. H. Hoyt (owner) with Felix Marcuse (contractor), architect, has accepted a contract for a 3-story frame building (three flats) on lot on N line of Broadway, 50 E of Laguna street, between Woodland and Laguna streets.

RAILWAY TRAVEL.

San Rafael to San Francisco. WEEK DATES: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a. m.; 12:35, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 p. m. Saturdays—Extra trips at 1:30 and 11:30 p. m.

RAILWAY SALES.

If you want a good Horse, Wagon, Saddle, don't forget the big sale at 1140 Polson st., TUESDAY, April 1, 11 a. m. A large assortment to choose from. Sale every Tuesday.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Trains leave and are due to arrive at SAN FRANCISCO. (Main Line, Foot of Market Street.) LEAVE — FROM FEBRUARY 9, 1902 — ARRIVE

STEAMSHIP MANAGERS.

Representatives of Continental Lines Sign Agreement for Charges Across Atlantic. LIVERPOOL, March 29.—The secretary of the North Atlantic steamship conference announced to-day that the conference had signed an agreement with the fixing minimum cargo rates.

RECOMMEND COINAGE OF POLYGLOT MONEY.

Senators of the Philippines Sub-Committee Suggest a System of Currency. WASHINGTON, March 29.—The recommendation of the sub-committee of the Philippine Committee—Senators Allison, Beveridge and Dubois—for a system of coinage to be adopted in the Philippines is the subject of discussion.

HAY'S SECOND DAUGHTER WILL MARRY WADSWORTH.

Miss Alice to Become Bride of the Son of a New York Congressman. WASHINGTON, March 29.—Formal announcement was made to-day by Secretary of State Taft of the engagement of their second daughter, Miss Alice Hay, to James Wadsworth Jr., of New York.

MAY YOHE AND STRONG SUDDENLY LEAVE JAPAN.

Former Lady Hope and Man She Ran Away With Coming to America. YOKOHAMA, March 10.—May Yohe, formerly Lady Francis Hope, and Captain Putnam Bradley Strong left here on the 8th inst. on the German mail steamer "Africa" for America.

CHICAGO, UNION PACIFIC & NORTHWESTERN RY. CO. LESSEES.

Double Drawing-room Sleeping Cars, Buffet, Smoking and Library Cars, etc. will be placed in service on the Chicago, Union Pacific & Northwestern Railway Company.

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Santa Fe Trains—Daily.

Leave Market Street Ferry Depot. Local Lm 4 (Ov'd) Local Lm 4 (Ov'd) Local Lm 4 (Ov'd) Local Lm 4 (Ov'd)

NORTH PACIFIC COAST RAILROAD.

Leave San Francisco for Portland, Ore. WEEK DATES: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a. m.; 12:35, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00 p. m.

Weekly Call \$1.00 per Year