

# The Saving of Money

by the use of Royal Baking Powder is considerable. Royal is economical, because it possesses more leavening power and goes further.

## PORTLAND MARKETS

Latest Quotations in the Portland Markets.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day, Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce and Vegetables.

PORTLAND, May 24.—Prices for choice potatoes have stiffened slightly the past week, the present quotation for fine old stock being \$2 to \$2.10. Eastern Oregon growers have still a good many potatoes on their hands, but they are handicapped by a car shortage and consequently find it very difficult now to get any of them to market.

### WHOLESALE PRICES.

The following are quotations ruling in Portland as reported by jobbers in the various lines:

#### Grain, Flour, Feed.

Wheat—Club, \$7; Valley, \$5c; blue-stem, \$4c; red, \$3c.  
Flour—Hard wheat patent, \$5.50; straight, \$4; graham, \$4.45; rye, \$5; whole wheat flour, \$4.25; Valley flour, \$4.1; Dakota, \$4.25; Eastern rye, \$4.50; Platteburg, \$4.75; Corvallis, \$4.90.  
Cereal foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$7; lower grade, \$5.50; oatmeal, steel cut, 45-lb. sacks, \$8 bbl.; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 45-lb. sacks, \$7.50 per bbl.; 9-lb. sacks, \$4 per bale; split peas, \$4.25 per 100-lb. sacks; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25; pearl barley, \$4 per 100 lbs.; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$2.30 per bbl.  
Oats—White, \$29.50; gray, \$27@28.  
Corn—Whole, \$25; cracked, \$26.  
Barley—Brewing, \$22.50@23.50; feed \$22@22.50; rolled, \$23.50@24.50.  
Rye—\$1.45@1.50 per cwt.  
Buckwheat—\$35 per ton.  
Millstuffs—Middlings, \$25; chop, \$15; bran, \$17; shorts, \$19.50.  
Grain bags—Foreign and domestic, \$4@9c.  
Hay—Valley, timothy, \$16@18; Eastern Oregon, \$21@23; clover, \$8.50; cheat, \$10; alfalfa, \$13; grain hay, \$7@8; vetch, \$8.50.

#### Fruits.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 5/4c per pound; lemons, \$5@6 box; oranges, \$3@3.75; grape fruit, \$3.50 crate; limes, 75c@1.25 per 100; tangerines, \$2 box; strawberries, 15-pound crate, \$1.50@2.00; home-grown, 12@15c pound.  
Dried fruits—Apples, evaporated, 3/4c @ 9c lb.; apricots, 20c; peaches, 13/4c; pears, 13/4c; prunes, Italian, 4@8/4c; French, 4@6c; figs, California blacks, 5/4c; California whites, 6c; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 6c.  
Domestic fruits—Apples, common, \$1.50@2; fancy, \$2@2.50 box.

#### Vegetables.

Cabbage—Pound, \$3@3/4c; cauliflower, 75c@81 per dozen; parsley, 25c per dozen; hot-house lettuce, \$3 per box, head, 40c dozen; spinach, per box, \$1.25; artichokes, 75c@81 per dozen; Alaska peas, 6c; telephone peas, 10c lb.; okra, \$1.75; tomatoes, Mexican, \$2.50@2.75; Florida, \$4@4.50; Oregon rhubarb, \$3@4c; cucumbers, \$2@2.50 dozen; eggplant, 85c lb.; Cuban peppers, \$6 crate; asparagus, \$1.75 box.  
Potatoes—Fancy, \$2 per cwt.  
Onions—25c@32.  
Turnips—Per sack, \$2; carrots, \$2.25 sack; beets, \$2.25@2.50; horseradish, \$8@9c per pound.

#### Produce.

Butter—Country creamery, 20@22/4c; city creamery, 22/4c; store, 15@16c; butter fat, 21c.  
Eggs—Oregon ranch, 17/4@18c.

Cheese—Young America, 17@17/4c; Oregon full cream, flats, 15@16c.  
Poultry—Old roosters, 9@10c; hens, 14c; mixed, 13 1/2; fryers, 18 1/2; broilers, 20 cents; dressed, 1@1/4c higher than live; ducks, old 13@14c; young, 17@18c; geese, live, 8c; dressed, 10@11c; pigeons, \$1@1.25 per dozen; squabs, \$2@2.50 per dozen.  
Honey—Dark, 10/4@11c; amber, 12@13c; fancy white, 14@15c.

#### Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh meats—Veal, medium, 75 to 100 lbs., \$ 1-20; 100 to 150 lbs. 7 1/2-20; 150 to 200 lbs., 4 @ 1-20; 200 lbs. and over, 5 1/2-20; pork, 3/4 @ 9c; hams, 7 @ 8c; beef, bulls, 3 @ 21-20; cows, 5 @ 6c; steers, 6 @ 7c; mutton, medium size, 9 @ 10c; large 7 @ 8c.  
Fish—halibut, \$1-20; black cod, 6c; black bass, per lb., 15c; striped bass, 15c; herring, 5c; flounders, 6c; catfish, 12c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 6c; sturgeon, 12 1/2-20; sea trout, 18c; silversides, frozen, 9c; steelheads, 11c; tom cod 7c; smelts, 5c; Chinook salmon, 12 1/2-20.  
Oysters—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.60 per 100; Olympias, 120 lbs., \$6; Olympias, per gallon, \$2.25.  
Clams—Hardshell, per box, \$2.40; razor clams, \$2 per box.

#### Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops—Choice, \$ 11c; prime, \$ 8 @ 1-20 per lb.  
Wool—Valley, 21 @ 22c; Eastern Oregon, 18 @ 19 1/2-20; as to shrinkage.  
Feathers—Geese, white, 35 @ 40c; geese, gray or mixed, 35 @ 30c; duck, white, 15 @ 20c; duck, mixed, 12 @ 15c.  
Mohair—Choice, 25 @ 29c.  
Casaca sagrada, (Chittim bark)—5 1/2 @ 6 1/2 cts. per lb.  
Beeswax—Good, clean and pure, 22 @ 25c per lb.  
Tallow—Prime, 3 1/2 @ 4 1/2-20; No. 2 and grease, 2 @ 3c per lb.  
Oregon grape root—Per 100 lbs., 3 @ 4c.  
Hides—Dry No. 1, 15 lbs. and up, per lb., 17 @ 19c; kip, No. 1, 17 @ 20c; according to size. Dry salted bulls and stags, one-third less than dry flint; low grades 2-12 @ 3c per lb. less; salted steers, 60 lbs. and up, 10 @ 11c; under 50 lbs., steers and cows, 9 @ 10 c; stags and bulls, 7c; kips, 15 to 20 lbs., 10c per lb.; calf, 10 to 14 lbs., 11c; calf, under 10 lbs., 11 @ 12c; green, unsalted, 1c per lb. less; sheepskins, shearings, No. 1, 15 @ 25c; short wool, No. 1, 40 @ 60c each; medium wool, No. 1, \$1 @ 1.50 each; murrain pelts, 10 to 20 per cent less; horse hides, salted, \$1.50 to 2, according to size; dry, according to size, \$1 @ 1.25; colt, 25 @ 50c each; Angora, wooled, 30c @ 1.50; goat, common, 15 @ 25c each.

#### Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar, sack basis—D. G., \$5.77/4; Star, \$5.67/4; Pacific Coast, \$5.67/4; Golden C., \$5.17/4; Extra C., \$5.27/4; powdered, \$5.87/4; cuba, \$5.87/4; fruit sugar, \$5.77/4; boxes, 50c cwt. advance over sack basis (less 1/4c if paid for in 15 days.)  
Beans—Small white, 3/4c; large white, 3/4c; pink, 3/4c; bayou, 3/4c; Lima, 5/4c; Mexican reds, 4c.  
Coffee—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, fancy, 26@28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 15/4c@17c; Costa Rica, good, 12@15c; Arbuckle, \$16.63 cwt.; Lion, 15/4c per lb.; Colombia coffee, 14c; Salvador, 11/4@14/4c.  
Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 5/9c; Southern Japan, 5/4c@5/4c; broken, 4/4c; head, fancy, 6/4c; choice, 6c.  
Sago and tapioca—Searce, 5/4c lb.  
Figs—White, lb., 6@7c; black, 6@ 7c lb.  
Lard—Kettle-rendered, tierces, 12c; tubs, 12/4c; 50s, 12/4c; 20s, 12/4c, 10s, 13/4c; 5s, 11/4c. Standard pure, Tierces, 1c less; compound, tierces, 8/4c; leaf, 18c.  
Dried Fruits—Apples, evaporated, 10c per lb.; sundried, sacks or boxes, none; apricots 20c; peaches 12 1/2-20; pears, 12 1/2-20; prunes, Italian, 4 @ 6-

1-20; French, 4 @ 6c; Figs, California, blacks, 5 1/2-4c; California whites, 6c; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 6c;  
Provisions—Hams, large 16c; small, 16 1/2-20; picnic, 12c; boiled hams, 25c; boiled picnic, 20c; breakfast bacon, fancy, 21 1/2-20; English, 17c; dry salted short clears, 12c; backs, 12c.  
Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 17@ 18c; No. 1 hard shell, 15 @ 16c; almonds, 19 @ 20c; filberts 16c; Brazil, 20c; pecans, 22c; hickory, 6c; Virginia peanuts, \$ 1-20; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 10c; Japanese peanuts, 6-1-20; Chestnuts, Italian, 20c; Italian, 20c; coconuts, dozen, \$5 @ 90c; pine-nuts, 17 1/2-20.  
Dates—Golden, 60 lb. boxes, 7c; 11b. packages, 8c; Fard, 15 lb. boxes, \$1.40 box.  
Raisins—Loose Muscatels, 3 crown, 9c; 2-crown, \$ 1-20; Bleached seedless Sultanias, 10 @ 12 1/2-20; unbleached seedless Sultanias, \$ 1-20; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20lbs., \$2.25; 2-crown, \$2.10.

#### A Narrow Escape.

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant, of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at Charles Rodgers, druggist.

Thirty days treatment for kidney bladder troubles and rheumatism, for \$1.00. Your money refunded if not satisfied. Pineules contain no alcohol. Do not derange the stomach. Easy to take. Sold by Frank Hart's Drug Store.

#### Cautious.

A few days ago a new male resident of this city, recently arrived from Ireland, having made a favorable impression upon the manager of a wholesale house on Market street, secured a position. The merchant the next day, having made out a large number of statements, called the new employee into his office, directing him to "go on" and post these bills. "Where?" inquired the young man. "Oh, yes," said the business man, "I forgot that you have only been in this country a short time. There's a mail box on the telegraph pole at the corner. Post the bills there." The son of Erin soon returned, laying the bills on the merchant's desk. "I may be a little green yet, sir," said he, "but I'm not posting them bills with a big policeman watching the box." "Not posting them? Why not? What about the policeman?" asked the astonished storekeeper. "That's all right, but you're not fooling me all the same, if I do appear to be green. Sure, didn't I see the sign on the pole over the box. 'Post no bills under penalty of the law?'"—Philadelphia Record.

"It's better to win men's esteem than their wonder."  
Paying honest debts promptly and cheerfully is a virtue of manhood appreciated by every one.—Newark (Ark.) Journal.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Get the booklet and a sample of Orino at T. F. Laurin, Owl Drug Store.

**THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP**

Best for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Etc.

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No Opium, Contains no National Pure Food and Drug Law.

**CONTAINING HONEY AND TAR**

All cough syrups containing opiates irritate the bowels. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar moves the bowels and contains no opiates. For Sale by Frank Hart, Druggist.

### DUKE OF ABRUZZI COMING.

Many Social Events in Honor of Duke's Coming.  
NEW YORK, May 24.—The Italian cruiser Varese with the Duke of Abruzzi on board, will arrive here tomorrow or Sunday. On Monday Major-General and Mrs. Frederick D. Grant will give a reception on Governor's Island for the Duke. Invitations have been sent to all the naval and military officers, foreign and American, now here. The American vessels now in the Hudson River, consisting of four battleships and five torpedo boat destroyers will leave New York June 5. They will return to Hampton Roads in order to participate in the review on Georgia day, which will be on June 10, the anniversary of the birth of the President's mother, who was a Georgian.

### Kidney complaint kills more people

than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal disease if taken in time. T. F. Laurin, Owl Drug Store.

### CALIFORNIA BANKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.—The following statement shows the condition of all the banks in California except national banks, at the close of business April 18, 1907: Bank premises, \$13,938,966.16; other real estate, \$6,487,359.43; bonds, stocks and warrants, \$123,983,930.87; loans on real estate \$211,730,806.12; loans on other securities, \$107,745,613; money on hand, \$25,873,962.54; due from banks and trust companies \$69,293,368.08; other assets, \$6,641,576.96. Total resources, \$624,790,583.07.

### Disturbed the Congregation.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. T. F. Laurin, Owl Drug Store.

### N. P. PRESIDENCY.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The Tribune today says it has learned from authoritative sources that the St. Paul report that the presidency of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company has been offered to John F. Stevens, until recently chief engineer of the Panama Canal, Commission, is without foundation.

### TRANSPORTATION.

#### CANADIAN PACIFIC "EMPERESS" Line of the Atlantic

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JAMES FINLEYSON,  
Agent, Astoria, Oregon.

### Steamer TELEGRAPH

The only Steamboat making a round trip DAILY except Thursday between Portland and Astoria and way points.

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Portland Landing, Alder Street Dock  
Astoria Landing, Callender Dock

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**SUNDAY EXCURSIONS**

Leave Portland 8 a. m.; arrive Astoria 1 p. m. Leave Astoria 3 p. m.; arrive Portland 9 p. m.

### The K' Line



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Night Boat for Portland and Way Landings.

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Sheet-Iron, Copper and Tin Work done in a first-class manner, as we do no other work in our shop.

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EUROPEAN PLAN.

First Class in Every Respect.  
Free Coach to the House.  
Bar and Billiard Room.  
Good Check Restaurant.

Good Sample Rooms on Ground Floor for Commercial Men.

Astoria, Oregon

## Astoria & Columbia River R. R. Co

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