

# WATERMELONS SELL SLOWLY

MERCHANTS EXPECT LITTLE  
TRADE FOR A TIME.

Ordinary Sized Melon Amounts to  
Nearly a Dollar at Present.

Although local wholesalers are offering watermelons to the retail grocers and fruit dealers, little speed is shown in the venture. The juicy commodity is still too high, merchants argue, to warrant extensive stocking

While cucumbers have come down a trifle, the general price of vegetables remains high for the recent frosts have nipped tender vegetables in the Chinese gardens and it is likely that several brands of vegetables, principally cucumbers, will be high all summer.

Following are today's La Grande market quotations:

**FRUIT.**  
Black Raspberries, 20c and 2@25c.  
Gooseberries—2 quarts for 25c.  
Cherries, 2 boxes for 25c.  
Strawberries—2 boxes at 25c and 3 for 25c.  
Oranges—25@35-50c doz.  
Bananas—40c per doz.  
Figs—5c and 10c package.

Grapefruit—15c, 20c, 2@35c.  
**BUTTER AND EGGS.**  
Butter—Fancy creamery, 30 cents, 1-lb roll; 60 cents, 2-lb roll.  
Ranch butter—1-lb. roll, 25c.; 2-lb. roll 50c.  
Fresh ranch eggs, 25c.

**VEGETABLES AND MISCELLANEOUS.**  
Wax beans 20c lb.  
Radishes—5c, 3@10c.  
Tomatoes—25c per lb.  
Fresh peas—2 lb.@25c.  
Cabbage—5c (new).  
Carrots—5c per bunch, 3 for 10c.  
Spinach—6lbs.@25c.  
Beans—White 10c; Lima, 10c.  
Beets—Beets 3 lbs. for 10c.  
Green Onions—5c per bunch, 3@10c.  
Onions—8c@10c, (small lots.)  
Potatoes—1c.  
New Potatoes—8c.  
Asparagus—Walla Walla, 15c 2 for 25c.

Lettuce—(Home grown) 15c lb.  
Chili peppers—40c.  
Rhubarb—5 lbs@25c. (Home grown.)  
Turnips, 5c per bunch, 6@25c.  
Honey—20c.  
Sugar—Cane or fruit, \$5.40 a sack, cash. \$5.80 for 30 days; Beet sugar \$5.20 cash, \$5.60 \* r 30 days.

**FLOUR, HAY, FEED, ETC.**  
Eastern Oregon Best—\$1.45.  
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Patent—\$1.30.  
Snowdrift—\$1.45 sack.  
Upper Crust \$1.45.  
Sea Foam—\$1.20.  
Barley—\$1.07 1/2.  
Timothy—(to producer) \$12.00.  
Alfalfa hay—(to producer) \$8.50@ \$9.00 f. o. b. cars, baled.  
Oats—(to producer) 95c@1.00.  
Bran—\$1.15 per cwt.  
Rolled oats—\$1.45 per cwt.  
Rolled barley—\$1.35  
Wild hay—(to producer) \$8 baled.

**CHICKENS AND FOWL.**  
Turkeys—25c@25c, retail dressed.  
Spring friers—22@25c, retail dressed.  
Hens—18c@20c, retail, dressed.

**CATTLE.**  
Prime light .....\$6.70@6.75  
Good .....\$6.25@6.50

Cows, prime .....\$4.00@6.00  
Calves .....\$7.00@8.00  
**HOGS.**  
Prime light .....\$6.75@6.95  
Medium .....\$6.45@6.55  
Rough heavy .....\$6.00@6.10  
**SHEEP.**  
Best Spring lambs .....\$4.75@5.00  
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Bids will be received for the work complete according to the plans and specifications, including steel work, foundation, forms, excavation and erection.

Bids must be filed on or before 10 o'clock a. m. June 22nd, 1914.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank in the State of Oregon, for an amount equal to five per cent of the aggregate amount of the bid and payable to the order of the County Treasurer of Union County, Oregon.

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