

CANTALOUPES PUT ON SALE

SMALL QUANTITIES OFFERED
LOCALLY TODAY.

Home Grown Strawberries Not Com-
ing Forward Fast.

Imperial Valley cantaloupes are
selling locally at 15 cents apiece to-
day and two for 25 cents. The offer-
ing of home grown strawberries
continues to be rather light, though
prices keep up pretty well. The pint
cups sell for two for 25 cents, and
the quarters at two for 35c, three for
50c. Unless warm weather sets in
at once, the crop will be greatly re-
duced locally.

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. Home grown, 2@25c, 2@
35c and 3@50c.
Oranges—25@35-50c doz.
Bananas—40c per doz.
Figs—5c and 10c package.
Lemons—35@40c.
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 MISCELLANE-
OUS.**
Green Peas (Home grown) 10c.
Cantaloupes 15c and 2@25c.
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—6 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.
Blue Stem flour—\$1.40.
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.
Spring friers—22@25c, retail
dressed.
Hens—18c@20c, retail, dressed.
CATTLE.
Prime light\$6.70@6.75
Good\$6.25@6.50
Medium\$5.50@6.00
Cows, prime\$4.50@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
Wool yearling wethers ..\$3.50@3.75
Meat Cuts—Retail.
Neck boils 12 1-2 to 15c; brisket
loins 12 1-2c; soup bones, 6c to 8c;
plates 12 1-2c; sho. pot roast 18c; arm
cuts 18c; 1st cuts sho. steak 15c; good
cuts sho. steak 18c; prime ribs 16 to
20c; wholesale 16. retail 20c; flank
boil 12 1-2c; kidneys 8c; kidney stew,
12c; sirloin steak 25c; tenderloin
steaks 25c; T-Bone steaks 25c; rump
roasts 18c; round steak 20c; hind quar-
ter steers 16c; hind quarter cows 15c;
front quarter steers 14c front quarter
cows 13c; hog, half dressed 18c; pork
loin chops 20c; pork loin whole 16c;
comb pork 14c; shoulder pork, whole
18c; link and bulk sausage 15c; ham-
burger 8c; steer loins 18c; cow loin
17c; mutton legs 18c; mutton rib chop
20c; mutton loin chop 20c; mutton
steak 8; mutton stew 12 1-2c; whole
mutton 14c; half mutton 14c; veal
round steak 25c; veal loin cuts 25c;
veal rib chops 20c; veal sho. steak 20c;
veal stew 15c; half veal 16c; smoked
ham, whole 23c; brk. bacon light 25c;
brk bacon sliced 30c; salt pork 18c;
sliced ham 25 to 30c; boiled hams 35c;
boiled ham sliced 45c; smoked should-
er 18c; lard 16c; liver 6 to 8c; tongue
15c; hearts 8c; salmon 20c; halibut
15c; smelt 10c.

He Still Had It.
"Look here, you swindler!" roared
the owner of the suburban property to
the real estate man. "When you sold
me this house, didn't you say that in
three months I wouldn't part with it
for \$10,000?"
"Certainly," said the real estate
dealer calmly, "and you haven't have
you?"

STATE MOTTOES.
The welfare of the people is
the highest law.—Missouri.
Thus may it always be with
tyrants.—Virginia.
If thou seekest a beautiful
peninsula, behold it here.—Mich-
igan.
I lead.—Maine.
Still higher.—New York.
The people rule.—Arkansas.

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of the fact that an abstract is an absolute necessity when you pur-
chase real estate.
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SAFETY FIRST SESSIONS OPEN

ALL DEPARTMENTS OF LOCAL
SERVICE ON HAND.

Big Delegation from La Grande At-
tends Safety First Session.

Members of the Safety committee
for the O. W. R. & N. left last night
for Portland to attend a meeting for
the discussion of ways and means to
secure travel. Those from here are
Div. Supt. Wm. Bollons, J. F.
Corbett, assistant supt.; John Gard-
ner, engineer; H. Johansen, fireman;
J. Neilson, brakeman; C. E. Ander-
son, machinist; H. A. Blair, B. & B.
foreman; I. C. Bowser, assistant sig-
nal supervisor; C. E. Happersett,
switchman, all of La Grande. From
Pendleton, C. E. Norris, conductor,
will attend. A. M. Oswald, agent at
Elgin, and John Engberg of Baker, a
section foreman, will be present.

After the meeting the members will
be permitted to remain in Portland to
see the rose festival as long as they
may see fit.

ANCESTRAL HONOR.

Sons, whose heroic fathers
have early left you, and in the
conflict of the war have mixed
with departed heroes, be con-
gratulated on the fair inheri-
tance of fame which you are en-
titled to possess. If it is at all
lawful to array ourselves in bor-
rowed honor, surely it is best
drawn from those who have ac-
ted a distinguished part in the
service of their country. If it is
at all consistent with the feelings
of philosophy and reason to
boast of lineage glory, surely it is
most allowable in those who
boast of it as flowing from such a
source. We despise the un-
instructed mind of that man who
shall obtrude upon our ears the
ideals of a vain ancestral honor,
but we love the youth and trans-
fer to him the reputation of his
father, who, when the rich and
haughty citizen shall frown upon
him as ignobly descended, shall
say, "I had a father who has
fallen in the service of his coun-
try."—Hugh H. Brackenridge in
Fourth of July Oration at Phil-
adelphia, 1779.

MY WEE, WEE WIFE.

My wee wife dwells in yonder
cot.
My bonnie bairnies three.
Oh, happy is the husband's lot
Wh' bairnies on his knee!
My wee, wee wife, my wee, wee
wife,
My bonnie bairnies three—
How bright is day, how sweet is
life,
When love lights up the e'e!

The king o'er me may wear a crown.

Have millions bow the knee,
But lacks he love to share his
throne,
How poor a king is he!
My wee, wee wife, my wee, wee
wife,
My bonnie bairnies three—
Let kings ha'e thrones, 'mong
the world's strife;
Your hearts are thrones to me.

I've felt oppression's galling chain.

I've shed the tear o' care,
But feeling ay lost a' its pain
When my wee wife was near.
My wee, wee wife, my wee, wee
wife,
My bonnie bairnies three—
The chains we wear are sweet
to bear,
How sad could we be free.
—Alexander Hume.

HAPPINESS.

Men are merely taller chil-
dren. Honor, wealth and splen-
dor are the toys for which
grown children pine, but which,
however accumulated, leave
them still disappointed and un-
happy. God never designed that
intelligent beings should be sat-
isfied with these enjoyments.
By his wisdom and goodness
they were formed to derive their
happiness from virtue. Moder-
ated desires constitute a charac-
ter fitted to acquire all the good
which this world can yield. He
who is prepared, in whatever
situation he is, therewith to be
content, has learned effectually
the science of being happy and
possesses the alchymic stone,
which will change every metal
into gold. Such a man will smile
upon a stool, while Alexander at
his side sits weeping on the
throne of the world.—Timothy
Dwight.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Nap Lajoie Is Coming Back
Again.



Photo by American Press Association.

Nap Lajoie, at one time the great-
est baseball player in the game, is
once more coveting around second for
the Cleveland Blues and is fielding as
gracefully as ever, although he does
not cover as much ground as of yore.

Protests Beeson's Record.

A technical written protest against
allowing Edward Beeson a new world's
record in the high jump has been filed
with President John Elliott of the Pa-
cific Athletic association by C. S. Mor-
ris of the Olympic club, a teammate of
Beeson. He says:
"I am protesting this record in the
interests of good and truthful records
and justice to present and future con-
testants and aspirants for world's re-
cords."

Morris takes the stand that when
Beeson cleared the bar at the Pacific
Athletic association conference meet
at Berkeley at 6 feet 7 5/10 inches his
body touched the crossbar, which
should disqualify the record. He ar-
gues further that "in strict interpreta-
tion the event was a closed one, since
two men from the same club (Beeson
and George Horne, former record hold-
er), were the only ones to compete,
the event itself being special."

Shamrock IV. "No Beauty."

"A futurist design" is the English
description of Shamrock IV., Sir Thom-
as Lipton's challenger for the Ameri-
can's cup. Her greatest beam is forward
of the mast, which gives her a very
exaggerated "cod head," and the bluff-
ness detracts from her looks. The
square box stern is another violation
of the modern canons of yacht design-
ing. The greatest overhang is for-
ward, and a midship section shows she
is very square on the bilge and flat
on the floor. The lead keel is flat at
the bottom.

The challenger's greatest beam is
twenty-four feet, and her draft with-
out the centerboard fourteen feet, and
with the centerboard down twenty-
three feet. The mast is 110 feet high,
and the "Marconi topmast" gives an
additional fifty feet.

Reject Boxing Weights.

That the establishment of an interna-
tional standard of boxing weights is as
far from realization as ever was the
report made to the New York boxing
commission by "Snowy" Baker, the
Australian promoter. Baker, who re-
turned from Europe recently, stated
that his efforts to have the English and
French authorities accept the standard
adopted by America and approved by
Australia had met with failure.

Kilbane Invades Lightweight Class.

The intention of Johnny Kilbane,
featherweight champion, to campaign
in the lightweight division was evi-
denced when he signed articles to fight
Johnny Griffith of Akron, O., at Can-
ton, O. July 4. Griffith, lightweight
champion of Ohio, has fought most of
the leading lightweights of the coun-
try. He and Kilbane will weigh in at
133 pounds ringside.

Extravagance.

"Quick, quick; a doctor! I have just
swallowed a penny!"
"What! Spend \$4 to save a penny!"
That's the way with you women!"—
Paris Petie Mele.

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