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## EGGS ARE CHEAPER

Chickens Are Unusually Scarce in Portland.

Fish Dealers Have Given Up the Idea of a Good Run of Smelt This Spring.

Eggs took another tumble today, the highest price paid being 17 cents. Chickens are reported very scarce. Fish dealers complain of the lack of Columbia river smelt, there being none in the market and the opinion prevails that they have returned to the ocean and there will be very few this spring. Dealers have cornered all the saleable potatoes and are shipping them to California.

## Grain Products, Feed.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 87c; Valley 88c; bluestem, 94c. Oats—White, 27c; gray, 27c. Barley—Brewing, 24c; feed, 24c. Hay—Timothy, 14c; clover, 11c; alfalfa, 11c. Millstuffs—Barley, rolled, 24c; middlings, 24c; chop, 16c; bran 19c; shorts, 22c. Flour—Hard wheat, straight, 4.15c; 4.30c; hard wheat patents, 4.60c; 4.75c; Valley, 4.30c; Graham, 4c; rye 35c; whole wheat flour, 3.90c.

## Produce.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 27c; 28c; dairy, 17c; cooking, 11c. Cheese—Young American, 16c; Oregon full cream, 15c. Poultry—Mixed chickens, per pound, 12c; 13c; spring, 14c; 15c; hens, 13c; 14c; geese, 8c; 9c; turkeys, live, 16c; 17c; turkeys, dressed, 18c; 22c; ducks, old, dozen, 28c; spring ducks 29c. Honey—Dark, 10c; 11c; amber, 12c; 13c; fancy white, 15c.

## Wild Game.

Wild geese, 44c; mallard ducks, 23c; 25c; widgeon ducks, 22c; 25c; teal ducks, 11.50c.

## Fruits and Vegetables.

Tropical Fruits—Lemons, fancy, 2.25c; choice, 2.75c; 3.00c; oranges, 1.75c; 2.00c; pineapples, 5c per pound; pineapples, 3.50c per dozen. Potatoes, Oregon, 100 pounds, 90c; 1.00c; tomatoes, California, per crate, 2.00c; turnips, per sack, 60c; 70c; cabbage, per pound, 1c; 1.1c; carrots, per sack, 60c; 75c; onions, 100 pounds, 2.40c; 2.50c; sweet potatoes, 1.50c; 1.75c per 100 pounds; cauliflower, per dozen, 75c; celery, per dozen, 55c; 65c.

## Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh Meats—Veal, 8c; 9c; pork, 5c; 6c; beef, 8c; 9c; mutton, 4c; 5c. Fish—Crabs, per dozen, 1.25c; Shal-water Bay oysters, per sack 34c; oysters, gallon, 2.25c; halibut, 7c; black cod, 7c; salmon, Steelheads, 8c; silversides, 4c; herring, 5c; flounders, 5c; catfish, 7c; lobsters, per pound, 1.50c; silver smelt, 5c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 5c; sturgeon, 7c; Columbia river smelt, 3c; bass, 12c.

## Oils and Lead.

Coal Oil—Pearl or astral oil, cases, 21c per gallon; water white oil, iron barrels, 15c; wood barrels, none; coals oil, cases, 25c; elaine oil, cases, 28c; extra star, cases, 26c; headlight oil, 175 degrees, cases, 24c; iron barrels, 18c. (Washington state test burning oils, except headlight, 1/2c per gallon higher.) Lined Oil—Pure raw, in barrels, 80c; genuine kettle-bolled in barrels, 84c; pure raw oil, in cases, 57c; genu-

ine kettle-bolled in cases, 59c; lots of 250 gallons, 1c less per gallon. Benzine—Sixty-three degrees, cases, 22c; iron barrels, 15c. Turpentine—In cases, 55c per gallon. Gasoline—Stove gasoline, cases, 24c; iron barrels, 18c; 86 degrees gasoline, cases, 22c; iron barrels or drums, 26c. Lead—Strictly pure white lead and red lead in ton lots, 7c; 500-pound red, 8c; less than 500 pounds, 8c.

## Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar—Golden C, 55c; powdered, 56c; patent cube, 58c; cane, D. G., 56c; fruit sugar, 56c; beet sugar, 55c; extra cwt. 10c; kegs, cwt., 25c; boxes, cwt., 50c (less 1/2c per pound, if paid for in 15 days). Salt—Bales of 75-lb, bale 1.50c; bales of 50-lb, bale 1.50c; bales of 40-lb, bale 1.50c; bales of 15-lb, bale 1.50c; bags, 50-lb, fine, ton, 29.50c; bags 50-lb, genuine Liverpool, ton, 17c; bags 50-lb, 1/2 ground, 100-lb, ton, 25.25c; R. S. V. P., 20-lb, cartons, 22.25c; R. S. V. P., 24-lb, cartons, 21.75c; Liverpool lump, ton, 11c.

Coffee—Mocha, 24c; Java, fancy, 26c; Java, good, 20c; Java, ordinary, 17c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18c; 20c; Costa Rica, good, 16c; Arabica, 15.25c per 100 pounds; Lion, 15.25c. Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 13c; No. 1, hard shell, 13c; Chile, 13c; almonds, 17c; 18c; almonds, 14c; 15c; Brazil, 15c; pecans, 12c; 13c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 8c; 8 1/2c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 9c; Japanese peanuts, 5 1/2c; chestnuts, Italian, 14c; chestnuts, eastern, drum, 4.50c; coconuts, dozen, 90c.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 55c; 57c; No. 2, 44c; Carolina head, 6c; broken head, 4c.

Provisions—Hams, to size, 12c; hams picnic, 9c; bacon, regular, 11c; bacon, breakfast, 14c; 15c; dry salt sides, 10c; backs, dry salt, 9c; lard, kettle rendered, tierced, 9c.

Figs—White, pound, 5c; black, 6c. Dates—Golden, 60-lb, boxes, 6c; 7c; 1-lb packages, 8c; Fard, 15-lb boxes, 1.40c box.

## Livestock.

Cattle—32.00c; 4.25c; hogs, 4.50c; 5.50c; sheep, 4.25c; 4.50c.

## Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hides—Flint dry cow and steer, 14c; 15c; flint dry calf, 14c; 15c; salted, 7c; 8c; green and grubby, 5c; 7c; sheep pelts as to wool, 10c; 60c; Angora, with wool on, 25c; 1.00c.

Hops—27lb 25c. Wool—Valley, 20c; 21c; Eastern Oregon, 14c; 15c. Tallow—Prime, per pound, 3 1/2c; 4c; No. 2 and grease, 2 1/2c; 3c.

## TIDE TABLE, MARCH.

MARCH, 1905.					MARCH, 1905.						
High Water.		A. M.		P. M.	Low Water.		A. M.		P. M.		
Date.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	Date.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.		
Wednesday	1	9:10	7.9	10:50	6.6	Wednesday	1	3:31	3.3	4:24	0.3
Thursday	2	10:13	8.0	11:35	7.1	Thursday	2	4:38	3.0	5:12	0.0
Friday	3	11:08	8.1	12:11	7.3	Friday	3	5:35	2.7	6:56	-0.1
Saturday	4	0:15	7.4	1:00	7.5	Saturday	4	6:32	2.4	7:35	-0.1
Sunday	5	1:15	8.2	1:45	7.7	SUNDAY	5	7:30	2.1	7:08	0.1
SUNDAY	5	0:50	7.8	12:35	8.2	Sunday	6	7:35	1.9	7:36	0.6
Monday	6	1:19	7.8	1:10	8.0	Monday	7	8:05	1.3	7:58	1.0
Tuesday	7	1:45	7.9	1:42	7.7	Tuesday	8	8:31	1.7	8:16	1.3
Wednesday	8	2:10	7.9	2:16	7.4	Wednesday	9	8:57	1.6	8:38	1.7
Thursday	9	2:33	7.9	2:49	7.3	Thursday	10	9:20	1.5	9:05	2.1
Friday	10	3:57	7.8	3:26	6.8	Saturday	11	10:05	1.4	9:38	2.5
Saturday	11	3:26	7.8	4:10	6.4	SUNDAY	12	10:47	1.3	10:15	2.9
SUNDAY	12	4:03	7.7	4:57	6.1	Monday	13	11:44	1.8	11:05	3.3
Monday	13	4:44	7.6	4:57	5.8	Tuesday	14	12:44	2.7	12:48	3.3
Tuesday	14	5:38	7.5	5:28	5.6	Wednesday	15	0:15	2.7	2:00	3.1
Wednesday	15	6:44	7.4	5:51	5.5	Thursday	16	1:56	3.7	3:14	0.8
Thursday	16	8:03	7.4	8:56	4.5	Friday	17	3:32	3.3	4:13	0.4
Friday	17	9:22	7.8	10:49	4.9	Saturday	18	4:40	2.7	5:10	0.1
Saturday	18	10:26	8.1	11:33	7.3	SUNDAY	18	5:33	1.9	6:56	-0.1
SUNDAY	18	11:25	8.4	12:16	8.8	Monday	19	6:32	1.3	8:40	-0.1
Monday	19	12:15	8.4	12:16	8.8	Tuesday	21	7:10	0.7	8:21	0.0
Tuesday	21	0:55	8.1	1:05	8.8	Wednesday	22	7:59	0.1	8:45	0.9
Wednesday	22	1:34	9.1	1:55	8.8	Thursday	23	8:45	-0.1	9:45	0.9
Thursday	23	2:13	9.1	2:45	8.3	Friday	24	9:35	-0.1	10:28	1.6
Friday	24	2:50	9.1	3:38	7.7	Saturday	25	10:29	0.0	10:19	2.3
Saturday	25	3:32	8.8	4:36	7.1	SUNDAY	26	11:27	0.3	11:18	2.9
SUNDAY	26	4:20	8.4	5:42	6.6	Monday	27	12:15	0.7	12:30	3.5
Monday	27	5:14	8.0	7:00	6.3	Tuesday	28	0:27	3.3	1:40	4.7
Tuesday	28	6:13	7.5	8:17	6.3	Wednesday	29	1:50	3.4	2:46	5.2
Wednesday	29	7:31	7.3	9:26	6.6	Thursday	30	3:10	3.2	3:47	5.7
Thursday	30	8:44	7.2	10:20	6.0	Friday	31	4:12	2.8	4:40	6.2
Friday	31	9:51	7.4	11:05	7.3						

## LOCAL PRODUCE.

Prices Furnished by Ross, Higgins & Company  
The following are the retail prices on local produce yesterday:  
Eggs, per dozen 22c; butter, best per roll, 70c; chickens, dressed, per pound, 15c; mallard ducks, pair, \$1; apples, box, 75c; 80c; oranges, box, 22c; 25c; potatoes, sack, 1.35c; turnips, sack, 90c; carrots, sack, \$1.

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7:00 p.m.	depot for Astoria	9:40 p.m.
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7:45 a.m.	for Portland and way points	11:30 a.m.
6:10 p.m.		10:30 p.m.

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5:50 p.m.	(Stevens, Seaside)	7:40 a.m.
Leave	SEASIDE	Arrive
4:30 p.m.	for Astoria Direct	12:30 p.m.
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