

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, March 5.—There are heavy stocks of apples and oranges, with the former holding firm and the latter slow. Bananas are fairly well cleaned up and will be out by the arrival of the next shipment. A few boxes of pears, country stored, were on the street.

Sweet potatoes are done so far as car lots are concerned. A few boxes come along by express and bring fancy price. Celery was scarce today, but by Monday or Tuesday will be in again. A car of mixed cabbage and cauliflower is due tonight or tomorrow; prices unchanged.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

Wheat—Walla Walla 66@67c; valley 66@67c; blue-stem, 68@69c; red, 44@45c.

Oats—White, 25.50 @ 26; gray, 24.25 @ 25.

Barley—Brewing, 22@22.50; feed, 21@21.50; rolled, 22@23.

Rye—\$1.40 per cwt.

Hay—Valley, timothy, 13@14; eastern Oregon, 15@16; clover, 17@18; cheat, 17@18; alfalfa, 11.50; grain hay, 17@18; vetch, 17.50@18.

Buckwheat—43c per ton.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 25.00; chop, 15; bran, 16.00; shorts, 18.00.

Corn—Whole, 26@27; cracked, 27 @ 28 per ton.

Cereal Foods—Rolled Oats, cream, 90-lb sacks, \$7.00; lower grade, \$5.50 @ 6.50; oat meal, steel cut, 45-lb sacks, \$8.00 per bbl.; 9-lb sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oat meal (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, \$4.00 per 100 lbs; 25-lb boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb sacks, \$2.30 per bbl.

Grain bags—Foreign and domestic, 8 3-4c.

Produce.

Butter—Country creamery, 32 1-2c; city creamery, 35c; store, 18 @ 19c; butter fat, 33 1-2c.

Poultry—Old roosters, 9 @ 10c; hens and springs, 13 1-2 @ 14c; dressed, 14 @ 15c; ducks, 15 @ 16c; turkeys, 16 @ 17c; dressed, 19 lb 20c; fancy, 21 @ 22 1-2c; geese, live, 9 @ 10c; dressed, 11 @ 12c; pigeons, per doz, 11 @ 12.25; squabs, 17.75 @ 2.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 22c.

Cheese—Young America, 16 @ 16 1-2c; Oregon full cream, flats, 15 @ 15 1-2c; Honey, dark—10 1-2 @ 11c; amber, 12 @ 13c; fancy white, 14 @ 15c.

Fruits.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 5c per lb; pineapples, \$4.50 @ 5.50 per dozen; lemons, \$3.00 @ 5.00 box; oranges, \$2.

75 @ 3.00; grapefruit, \$4.50 crate; limes, 75c and \$1.25 per 100; Malaga grapes, \$7.75 @ 8.50 bbl; Tangerines, \$1.85 @ 2 box.

Domestic fruits—Apples, common, 85c @ \$1; fancy, \$1.50 @ 2.50 box; Lady apples, \$1.25 @ 1.75 box; pears, \$1 @ 1.75 box; cranberries, \$10 @ 11 bbl; persimmons, \$1.50 box.

Vegetables.

Potatoes—\$1.25 @ 1.50 per cwt; Cabbage—Lb., 2 1-2 @ 3c; cauliflower, \$2.50 @ 2.75 per crate; parsley 25c per dozen; hot house lettuce, \$1.50 per box; head, 40c doz; spinach, 3 @ 5 lb.; artichokes 75c @ 1.25 per dozen; peas, 15c lb.; garlic, 7 @ 9c lb.; red peppers, dry, 20 @ 25c lb.; celery, 65 @ 85c per doz.; egg plant \$1.50 per crate; okra, \$1.75 box; sprouts, 9c lb.; tomatoes, Mex., \$3.75 @ 4; Cal., \$3; asparagus, 25c lb.

Onions—Per sack, \$1 @ 1.25; carrots, \$1 @ 1.25; beets, \$1.25 @ 1.50; horseradish 7 @ 8c lb.

Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh meats—Veal, medium, 75 to 100 lbs., 8 1-2 @ 9c; 100 to 150 lbs., 7 1-2 @ 8c; 150 to 200 lbs., 6 @ 6 1-2c; 200 lbs and over, 5 1-2 @ 6c; pork, 8 1-2 @ 9c; hams, 7 @ 8c; beef, bulls, 2 1-2 @ 3c; cows, 5 @ 5 1-2c; steers, 5 1-2 @ 6 1-2c; mutton, medium size, 8 @ 8 1-2c; large, 6 @ 7c.

Clams—Hardshells, per box, \$2.75; razor clams, \$2.25 per box.

Fish—Halibut, 9c; black cod, 7c; black bass, per pound, 18c; striped bass, 13c; herring, 5c; flounders 5c; catfish, 10c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 6c; sturgeon, 11c; sea trout, 18c; silver-sides, (frozen,) 8 1-2c; steelheads, 19c; tom cods, 7c; smelts 3c.

Oysters—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.60 per 100; Olympia, (120 lbs.) 6c; Olympia, per gallon, \$2.25.

Casaca sagrada (Chittim bark)—23 @ 4c.

Hops—Choice, 1905, 11lb12c; prime, 10@11c.

Groceries and Provisions.

Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 17c; No. 1 hard shell, 16c; Chile, 13c; almonds, 17@18c; filberts, 16c; Brazil, 16c; pecans, 13@14c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 6c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 8c; Japanese peanuts, 5c; chestnuts, Italian, 14c; coconuts, dozen 85@90c.

Coffee—Mocha 24@25c; Java, fancy, 26@32c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 12@14c; Arabica, 16c per lb; Lion, 14c per lb; Columbia coffee, 14c; Salvador, 11@15c.

Provisions—Hams, to size, 14c; hams, picnic 10c; bacon, regular, 18c; bacon, fancy breakfast 20c; dry salt sides, 11c; backs dry salt 11 1-4c.

Salt—Bales of 75 lbs, bale, \$1.00; bales of 60 lbs, bale, \$1.00; bales of 40 lbs, bale, \$1.00; bales of 15 lbs, bale, \$1.00; bags 50c; fine, ton, \$2.00; bags, 50 lbs, genuine Liverpool, ton, \$18.00; bags, 50 lbs, 1/2-ground, 100s, ton, \$9.00; R. S. V. P., 20 5-lb cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 24 3-lb cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool lump, ton, \$19.50.

Oil, Lead, Etc.

Coal oil—Gallon and astral oil cases, 10c per gallon; water white oil, iron barrels, 13c; wood barrels, 16c; cocine oil cases, 21c; elaine oil cases, 27c; extra star cases, 22c; headlight oil cases 21c; iron barrels, 15c.

Benzine—Sixty-three degrees cases, 20c; iron barrels, 15c.

PERIL TO LIBERTY

Arch-Bishop Ireland So Regards Hasty Legislation.

SATISFY INDIVIDUALS AIMS

In Speeches on Washington's Birthday Stated That Freak Laws and Much State Legislation Are Menace to Political Situation.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Arch-bishop Ireland is the latest endorser of the government's position on the corporation question. His speech on Washington's birthday has struck a responsive chord here, where the tendency of State legislation to enact "freak" laws on this subject is causing much uneasiness, for the reason that this mass of State legislation will be a decided embarrassment to the federal authorities, once a carefully considered and comprehensive general law is ready for enactment.

In his address the archbishop declared it was the intention of the founders of the Republic that political liberty was to be the guardian and protector of civil liberty. It was thought then, he said, that citizens being lawmakers no laws would be enacted that would go beyond what was necessary in demanding restrictions for civil freedom.

"And yet," he said, "is there not some peril to civil liberty from political liberty, at least from what I may be allowed to call the exuberance to riotousness of political liberty, to righteousness of political liberty."

As a matter of fact, we have too many laws; our legislatures are too anxious to increase the bulk of the statute book. As things are tending we shall soon have so many laws that, wrapped around, as it were, by serried mail, we shall become prisoners, forbidden to stir or to walk.

The archbishop then pointed out that many of these laws were passed to satisfy the vanity, fancy or political ends of legislators, while many more really resulted through want might be termed a mania for reform. The most serious inspiration for these laws, the archbishop said, was an evident wild desire to curb successful business enterprises and legislate wealth to unsuccessful men.

"Above all other things," he said, "let us be sure to despoil ourselves of all throbblings of envy, jealousy and hatred in our clamors for industrial legislation. There is in the land today a delusion that men may become rich through legislation instead of toil, talent and economy; that to build up one class naught else is needed but to pull down another, and there is growing up among us a hatred of success in others, however much that success may have been the reward of most praiseworthy efforts."

"I deny that, men being as they are by nature and by habit, society can ever be without its rich and its comparatively poor; that American industries and enterprises can ever thrive and hold their own in world-wide competition without there being here and there mistaking to its needs, large accumulations of wealth, and consequently large gatherings of men into associations as contributors to that wealth."

The archbishop in concluding his address made this declaration that in destroying great enterprises with the object of equality in view, the equality attained would be that of mediocrity and social poverty. He made a powerful defense of the unification of individuals and enterprises.

BEGIN GRIFFIN'S TRIAL.

Sergeant Accused of Murder of Fellow Officer Faces Death Penalty.

CHICAGO, March 5.—The trial of Sergeant John A. Griffin of I troop of the Ninth Cavalry, colored, for the killing of Corporal Herbert Taylor at Fort Sheridan last Christmas, was started with unusual expedition before Judge Landis, in the Federal Court last night. Before the court was adjourned a jury had been selected and attorneys for the United States and for the defense had completed their addresses.

It was made plain at the outset that Assistant United States District Attorney Dobins will demand the death penalty. He characterized the killing of Taylor as malicious and premeditated, and rejected all conscious scruples against the death penalty. He said Mamie Littlejohn, a negro woman, came with I troops with which

both the principals in the tragedy belonged, to Fort Sheridan, from Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and established a resort in Highwood.

Griffin was with the woman in Highwood the night before Christmas when Taylor tried to get into the house. Griffin scared Taylor away by firing two shots. The next day after the Christmas dinner at the fort, which Mamie Littlejohn and others attended as guests, Griffin shot and killed Taylor during a quarrel.

MORE RATE TROUBLE.

Spokane Merchants Believe They Have Grievance Against Railroads.

CHICAGO, March 5.—The complaint of the City of Spokane vs the Northern Pacific Railway will be heard in Chicago by the Inter State Commission, March 18. The Spokane jobbers allege that rates to their city from New York and Chicago, as compared with rates to the Pacific Coast are not based upon equity, inasmuch as Spokane is 300 miles nearer the source of supply than Portland and other coast cities.

Another point in the complaint is the assertion that the same rates apply from Chicago as apply from New York. This is contended to be unfair to the jobbing interests of Spokane. The rates to the Pacific Coast have always been made by the water routes, and this fact has been recognized in various decisions.

The railroads assert that it would be in keeping with the established rules of the commission to apply higher rates from Chicago than from New York to the Pacific Coast terminals.

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High Water.	A. M.	P. M.		
Date	h.m.	ft. h.m.	ft.	
Friday	1:50	8.4	1:47	8.7
Saturday	2:24	8.7	2:28	8.4
SUNDAY	3:00	8.8	3:14	8.1
Monday	4:38	8.7	4:05	7.4
Tuesday	5:49	8.6	5:08	6.7
Wednesday	6:58	8.4	6:18	6.1
Thursday	7:58	8.3	7:48	6.0
Friday	8:15	8.1	9:12	6.2
Saturday	9:30	8.2	10:22	6.6
SUNDAY	10:41	8.4	11:15	7.2
Monday	11:10	8.3	11:58	7.7
Tuesday	12:11	8.7	8.9	
Wednesday	13:05	8.2	12:25	9.0
Thursday	14:10	8.5	1:09	8.9
Friday	15:14	8.7	1:50	8.6
Saturday	16:17	8.8	2:30	8.2
SUNDAY	17:20	8.6	3:11	7.7
Monday	18:25	8.4	3:55	7.0
Tuesday	19:40	8.2	4:41	6.4
Wednesday	20:40	7.9	5:40	5.9
Thursday	21:52	7.6	6:50	5.6
Friday	22:22	7.3	8:10	5.5
Saturday	23:7	7.2	9:20	6.1
SUNDAY	24:8	7.3	10:12	6.6
Monday	25:9	7.6	10:55	7.1
Tuesday	26:10	7.8	11:32	7.7
Wednesday	27:11	8.2		
Thursday	28:05	8.2	12:05	8.5
Friday	29:04	8.7	12:50	8.6
Saturday	30:13	8.9	1:34	8.7
SUNDAY	31:14	9.1	2:20	8.4

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*38.	*34.	*28.	*20.	*22.		Ar.	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
					GOV. PORTLAND					
					CLATSOP		11.55	9.50	11.55	9.50
					RAINIER		10.45	8.40		
					CLATSkanie		10.30	8.25		
					Ar ASTORIA L.V.		9.45	7.40		
							8.20	6.10		
					Lv. ASTORIA Ar.	8.15	5.20	2.45	10.45	
					Ar. WARRENTON L.V.	7.56	5.05	2.20	10.15	
					Lv. WARRENTON Ar.	7.24	5.05	1.15	10.25	
					Lv. STEVENS L.V.	7.26		2.00	10.15	
					Lv. FT. STEVENS Ar.	7.21			10.14	
					Ar. WARRENTON L.V.	7.27			10.08	
					Lv. ASTORIA Ar.	7.41			10.05	
					Ar. SEASIDE L.V.	6.50	4.30		9.30	
							p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.