

# ENGLAND SAYS NO ALUM IN FOOD

In England and France the Sale of Alum Baking Powder is prohibited by law because of the injurious effects that follow its use.

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ROYAL is made from Absolutely pure Cream of Tartar,—a pure Grape product. Aids digestion—adds to the healthfulness of food.



### 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 1.—The potato market is steady, with prices about the same as for several days past. Old stocks are running low and importations from the east have been curtailed somewhat of late. But few new potatoes have as yet appeared, and these have had no effect on the market for old stock.

#### WHOLESALE PRICES.

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

Grain, Flour, Feed  
Wheat—Club, 72 @ 73c; Valley, 70 @ 71c; bluestem, 74 @ 75c; red, 71c.  
Flour—Hard wheat patent, \$4.15, straight, \$3.60; Graham, \$3.75 @ \$4.25; rye, \$5; whole wheat flour, \$4.00 @ \$4.50; Valley flour, \$3.65 @ \$3.75; Dakota, \$5.40 @ \$5.00; Eastern Rye, \$5.40; Pillsbury \$6.20; Corvallis, \$5.55.  
Oats—White, \$39; gray, \$28.50.  
Corn—Whole, \$25; cracked, \$26 per ton.  
Barley—Brewing, \$22 @ \$23; feed \$21 @ \$22; rolled, \$22.50 @ \$24.50.  
Rye—\$1.45 @ 1.50 per cwt.  
Hay—Valley, timothy, \$15 @ 16; Eastern Oregon, \$15 @ 16; Clover, \$7 @ 7.50; cheat, \$7 @ 7.50; alfalfa, \$11.50; grain, hay, \$7 @ 8; vetch, \$7.50 @ \$8.  
Buckwheat—\$26 per ton.  
Milstuffs—Middlings, \$26; chops, \$15; bran, \$17; shorts, \$19.50.  
Cereal foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$7; lower grade, \$5.50 @ 6.50; 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.  
Grain bags—Foreign and domestic, 3 3-4 cents.

Fruits.  
Tropical fruits—Bananas, 5c per pound; pineapples, \$4.50 @ 5.50 per dozen; lemons, \$2.50 @ 4.00 box; oranges, \$2.25 @ \$3.00; grape fruit, \$4.50 crate; limes, 75c @ 1.25 per 100; tangerines, \$1.75 per box.  
Domestic fruits—Apples, common, 85c @ 1.00; fancy, \$1.50 @ 2.50 box; cranberries, \$10 @ 11 bbl.  
Vegetables.  
Potatoes—\$1. @ 1.50 per cwt.  
Cabbage, lb. 2 1-2 @ 3c; Cauliflower, \$2.50 per crate; parsley, 25c per doz; hot house lettuce, \$2 per box; head, 40c doz; spinach, 3 @ 5c lb.; arti-

chokes, 75c @ \$1.00 per dozen; peas, 12 1-2c lb.; celery, \$3.75 @ \$4.00 per crate; okra, \$1.75; sprouts, 8c lb.; tomatoes, Mexican, \$2.25 @ \$2.75; asparagus, 12 1-2c lb.; rhubarb, 7c lb.; cucumbers, \$2 and \$2.50 dozen.  
Onions—75c @ 90c.  
Turnips—Per sack, \$1 @ \$1.25; carrots, \$1 and \$1.25; beets, \$1.25 @ \$1.50; horseradish, 7 1-2 @ 8c lb.

#### Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh meats—Veal, medium, 75 to 100 lbs., 8 @ 8 1-2c; 100 to 150 lbs. 7 1-2c to 8c; 150 to 200 lbs., 6 @ 6 1-2c; 200 lbs. and over, 5 1-2 @ 6c; pork, 3 1/2 @ 4c; hams, 7 @ 8c; beef, bulls, 3 @ 3 1-2c; cows, 5 @ 6c; steers, 6 @ 7c; mutton, medium size, 9 @ 10c; large 7 @ 8c.  
Fish—halibut, \$1-2c; black cod, 8c; black bass, per lb., 18c; striped bass, 13c; herring, 5c; flounders, 5c; catfish, 12c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 6c; sturgeon, 12 1-2c; sea trout, 18c; silverides, frozen, 9c; steelheads, 11c; tom cod 7c; smelts, 5c; Chinook salmon, 12 1-2 c.

#### Oysters.

Oysters—Shonwater bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.50 per 100; Olympia, 120 lbs., \$6; Olympia, per gallon, \$2.25.

#### Clams—Hardshell.

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#### Produce.

Butter—Country creamery, 35 @ 36c; city creamery, 37 1-2c; store, 20 @ 21c; butter fat, 36c.  
Eggs—Oregon ranch, 19c a dozen.  
Poultry—Old roosters, 9 @ 10c; hens, 14 @ 14 1-2c; fryers, 16 @ 17c; broilers, 23 @ 25c; dressed stock, 1 @ 1 1-2c; higher than live; ducks, 15 @ 16c; turkeys, 12 @ 14c; dressed, 14 @ 15c; geese, live, 8 @ 9c; dressed, 10 @ 11c; pigeons, \$1 @ 1.50; squabs, \$2 @ \$3 doz.  
Cheese—Young America, 16 @ 16 1-2c; Oregon full cream flats, 15 1-3 @ 16c.  
Honey—Dark, 10 1-2 @ 11c; amber, 12 @ 13c; fancy white, 14 @ 15c.  
Hops—Choice, 9 @ 11c; prime, 8 @ 9 1-2c per lb.  
Wool—Valley, 21 @ 22c; Eastern Oregon, 18 @ 18 1-2c; as to shrinkage.  
Feathers—Geese, white, 35 @ 40c; geese, gray or mixed, 25 @ 30c; duck, white, 15 @ 20c; duck, mixed, 12 @ 15c.  
Mohair—Choice, 28 @ 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, 2 1-2 @ 4 1-2c; No. 2 and grease, 2 @ 3c per lb.  
Oregon grape root—Per 100 lbs., 3 @ 4c.  
Hides—Dry No. 1, 16 lbs. and up, per lb., 17 @ 18c; 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 @ 10c; stags and bulls, 7c; kips, 15 to 30 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; murray 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, wool, 30c @ \$1.50; goat, common, 15 @ 25c each.

#### Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar, sack basis—D. G. \$4.92 1-2 Golden C., \$4.32 1-2; extra C., \$4.43-1-2; powdered, \$5.02 1-2; cube, \$5.37 1-2; best, \$4.72 1-2; fruit sugar, \$4.92 1-2; boxes, 50 cts. cwt. advance over sack basis (less 1-4c if paid for in fifteen days).

Beans—Small white, 3 3-4c; large white, 3 1-2c; pink, 3c; bayou, 4 1-2c; Lima, 5 1-2c; Mexican reds, 4 3-4c.

Coffee—Mocha, 24 @ 25c; Java, fancy, 24 @ 25c; Java, good, 20 @ 24c; Java, ordinary, 17 @ 20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18 @ 20c; Costa Rica, good, 12 @ 15c; Arbuckle, 16.83 cwt.; Lion, 15-7-8c per lb.; Columbia coffee, 14 1-4c; Salvador, 12 1-2c.

Dates—Golden, 60 lb. boxes, 7c; 11b. packages, 8c; Fard, 15 lb. boxes, \$1.40 box.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$5.95c; Southern Japan, 5 1-4 @ 5 1-2c; broken, 4 1-2c; head, fancy, 6 3-4c; choice, 6c.

Lard—Kettle-rendered, tierces, 13c; Tubs, 12 3-4c; 50s 12 3-4c; 20s 12 1-2c; 10s 12 1-4c; Standard pure, tierces, 1c less compound, tierces, 8 1-2c; leaf, 13c.

Dried Fruits—Apples, evaporated, 10c per lb.; sundried, sacks or boxes, none; apricots 20c; peaches 12 1-2c; pears, 13 1-2c; prunes, Italian, 4 @ 6 1-2c; French, 4 @ 6c; Figs, California, blacks, 5 3-4c; California whites, 6c; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 6c.

Figs—White, lb., 6 @ 7c; black, 6 @ 7c.

Provisions—Hams, large 16c; small, 16 1-2c; picnic, 12c; boiled hams, 25c; boiled picnic, 20c; breakfast bacon, fancy, 21 1-2c; 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, 25c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 3 1-2c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 10c; Japanese peanuts, 6 1-2c; Chestnuts, Italian, 20c; Italian, 20c; cocoanuts, dozen, 85 @ 90c; pine-nuts, 17 1-2c.

Raisins—Loose Muscatels, 3 crown, 9c; 2-crown, 8 1-2c; Bleached seedless Sultanias, 10 @ 13 1-2c; unbleached seedless Sultanias, 8 1-2c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20lbs., \$2.25; 2-crown, \$2.10.

#### More News From the New England States.

If any one has any doubt as to the virtue of Foley's Kidney Cure, they need only to refer to Mr. Alvin H. Stimpson, of Williamette, Conn., who, after almost losing hope of recovery, on account of the failure of so many remedies, finally tried Foley's Kidney Cure, which he says was "just the thing" for him, as four bottles cured him completely. He is now entirely well and free from all the suffering incident to acute kidney trouble. T. F. Laurin, Owl Drug Store.

### CUT THIS OUT

#### A Receipt for Consumption and the Quick Cure of Coughs and Colds.

A noted Philadelphia specialist states that consumption in every case comes from weak lungs which are sometimes inherited, but more often result from a neglected cough or cold. Lungs weakened by nature or inflammation afford a lodging place for the tubercle germ and consumption follows. This is the whole thing in brief as stated by the great specialist. He gives a formula which has proven wonderfully effective in the speedy cure of all throat and lung troubles and it is said will frequently cure a bad cold in 24 hours. The formula is the following: "Glycerine two ounces; Concentrated oil of pine one-half ounce; whiskey half pint; mix and shake thoroughly; use in tablespoon doses every four hours." The ingredients are obtainable from any good prescription druggist and can easily be mixed at home. The Concentrated oil of pine is a comparatively new product, but was welcomed by physicians on account of its being soluble, a quality long sought. Care should be taken to make sure to get the "Concentrated," which always comes put up in half ounce bottles enclosed in round screw top cases intended to protect the oil from heat and light and retain its full strength of ozone. Patent medicines of similar names put out by chemical companies and bulk oils should be avoided. If a person keeps the physical organs in a healthy condition they need fear no disease, and a caught or cold should be checked at once, or it will surely lead to serious complications.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The Panama & Luckenbach Steamship Companies have made a settlement with Harbor No. 1 of the American Association of Masters, mates and pilots, but General Manager Dow of the officers union declined to say what the terms of settlement were. It will be known today how many of the other lines will be affected by the strike which was due to go into effect this morning. Some of the lines may settle before sailing time. If the threat of the first, second and third officers is carried out the vessels of ten lines will lack men today. The lines had until last evening to agree to pay \$100, \$50 and \$50 a month, for the first, second and third officers. The state mediators are in the city, holding conference and have hopes of arranging the trouble.

#### STEAMSHIP COMPANIES SETTLE.

Agreement Made With Masters, Mates and Pilots—Terms Not Given Out.

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Alexander Benton, who lives on Rural Route 1, ort Edward, N. Y., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is my best earthly friend. It cured me of asthma six years ago. It has also performed a wonderful cure of incipient consumption for my son's wife. The first bottle ended the terrible cough, and this accomplished, the other symptoms left one by one, until she was perfectly well. Dr. King's New Discovery's power over coughs and colds is simply marvelous." No other remedy has ever equaled it. Fully guaranteed by Charles Rodgers, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

#### OPERATORS TO STRIKE.

Present Demands to Pacific States Company.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—San Francisco will have a big telephone strike unless the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company accedes today to demands adopted at a meeting of the operators union last night. These demands include a flat rate for all operators after they have served an apprenticeship. The vote by which the demands were adopted last night were unanimous and a committee was selected to present them to the company today.

#### Don't Pay Alimony

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MAY, 1907.				MAY, 1907.						
Low Water.	A. M.	P. M.		High Water.	A. M.	P. M.				
Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.			
Wednesday . . . . .	1 9:37	-0.9	9:38	2.3	Wednesday . . . . .	1 2:43	8.4	3:50	7.3	
Thursday . . . . .	2 10:32	-0.7	10:33	2.2	Thursday . . . . .	2 3:29	9.1	5:03	7.0	
Friday . . . . .	3 11:33	-0.3	11:48	3.5	Friday . . . . .	3 4:25	8.6	6:10	6.9	
Saturday . . . . .	4 . . . . .	12:36	0.1	Saturday . . . . .	4 5:03	8.0	7:22	7.4		
SUNDAY . . . . .	5 1:18	3.4	1:49	0.4	SUNDAY . . . . .	5 6:47	7.6	8:27	7.4	
Monday . . . . .	6 2:28	3.0	2:50	0.7	Monday . . . . .	6 8:07	7.3	9:23	7.7	
Tuesday . . . . .	7 3:39	2.4	3:43	1.0	Tuesday . . . . .	7 9:22	7.4	10:09	8.1	
Wednesday . . . . .	8 4:32	1.5	4:40	1.2	Wednesday . . . . .	8 10:24	6.5	10:52	8.4	
Thursday . . . . .	9 5:23	1.0	5:26	1.3	Thursday . . . . .	9 11:17	7.1	11:30	8.9	
Friday . . . . .	10 6:07	0.3	6:24	1.7	Friday . . . . .	10 . . . . .	8:25	6.9	9:51	8.4
Saturday . . . . .	11 6:48	0.1	6:43	2.1	Saturday . . . . .	11 0:06	8.8	12:47	7.5	
SUNDAY . . . . .	12 7:27	-0.1	7:21	2.5	SUNDAY . . . . .	12 0:37	8.9	1:27	7.3	
Monday . . . . .	13 8:03	-0.1	7:59	2.9	Monday . . . . .	13 1:08	8.5	2:05	7.1	
Tuesday . . . . .	14 8:33	-0.1	8:23	3.2	Tuesday . . . . .	14 1:38	8.7	2:43	6.8	
Wednesday . . . . .	15 9:05	0.1	8:52	3.5	Wednesday . . . . .	15 2:08	8.5	3:21	6.5	
Thursday . . . . .	16 9:38	0.3	9:23	3.8	Thursday . . . . .	16 2:40	8.3	4:03	6.4	
Friday . . . . .	17 10:04	0.5	10:04	3.9	Friday . . . . .	17 3:16	7.9	4:48	6.4	
Saturday . . . . .	18 10:54	0.7	11:10	3.9	Saturday . . . . .	18 3:56	7.6	5:31	6.5	
SUNDAY . . . . .	19 11:40	0.9	12:01	3.9	SUNDAY . . . . .	19 4:47	7.2	6:25	6.6	
Monday . . . . .	20 12:23	1.1	12:31	3.8	Monday . . . . .	20 5:48	6.8	7:20	7.0	
Tuesday . . . . .	21 1:25	1.4	1:27	3.4	Tuesday . . . . .	21 7:02	6.6	8:12	7.5	
Wednesday . . . . .	22 2:26	1.8	2:35	3.1	Wednesday . . . . .	22 8:17	6.0	9:02	7.9	
Thursday . . . . .	23 3:28	2.0	3:24	3.0	Thursday . . . . .	23 9:25	6.9	9:51	8.4	
Friday . . . . .	24 4:27	1.1	4:23	1.9	Friday . . . . .	24 10:28	7.2	10:28	8.9	
Saturday . . . . .	25 5:18	0.2	5:15	2.0	Saturday . . . . .	25 11:20	7.5	11:22	9.4	
SUNDAY . . . . .	26 6:07	-0.6	6:03	2.2	SUNDAY . . . . .	26 . . . . .	12:18	7.6		
Monday . . . . .	27 6:56	-1.2	6:52	2.4	Monday . . . . .	27 0:05	9.3	1:11	7.6	
Tuesday . . . . .	28 7:44	-1.5	7:42	2.6	Tuesday . . . . .	28 0:49	10.0	2:08	7.7	
Wednesday . . . . .	29 8:30	-1.6	8:28	2.8	Wednesday . . . . .	29 1:33	9.9	3:07	7.6	
Thursday . . . . .	30 9:24	-1.5	9:25	3.0	Thursday . . . . .	30 2:22	9.6	3:51	7.5	
Friday . . . . .	31 10:17	-1.1	10:31	3.1	Friday . . . . .	31 3:15	9.2	4:49	7.6	