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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, Feb. 14.—There is a shortage of first-grade cauliflower in the local market, while stocks of second-grade stuff are fairly large. Prices on fancy stock were unchanged. The celery market continues firm, with the supply of fine stock rather limited. Cabbage is in good supply and the market about steady, with no change in prices. Head lettuce is a trifle higher, the best selling at 75 cents a dozen.

Grain, Flour, Feed.

Wheat—Club, 83c; Valley, 85c; blue-stem, 85c; red Russian, 81c. Oats—Producers' prices: White, 28c; gray, 27c. Hay—Valley timothy, \$18@19; Eastern Oregon, \$20@22; clover, \$13; chest, \$13; alfalfa, \$13; grain hay, \$14@15. Flour—Hard wheat, patent, \$4.95; straight, \$4.40; graham, \$4.50; rye, \$5; whole-wheat flour, \$4.75; Valley flour, \$4.40; Dakota, \$6.40@6.60; Eastern rye, \$6.50; Pillsbury, \$7; Corvallis, \$4.40. Rye—\$1.25@1.30 per cwt. Grain Bags—Domestic, 8c; Calcutta, 9c. Corn—Whole, 32c; cracked, 33c per ton. Barley—Producers' prices: Brewing, \$28.50; feed, 27c; rolled, \$30@31. Buckwheat—\$36 per ton. Millfeed—City bran, 25c; country bran, 24c; shorts, \$24.50; country shorts, 22c; chop, 18c; middlings, 22c. Oregon Grapes—Per 100 lbs., 80c@87c.

Cereal Foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$8; lower grade, \$6.50@7.50; oatmeal, steel cut, 49-lb. sacks, \$8.50; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 49-lb. sacks, \$8.50 per bbl.; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.50 per bale; split peas, \$4.25 per 100-lb. sacks; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25; pearl barley, \$4.50 per 100 lbs.; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$5.50 bbl.

Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar (sack basis)—D. G., \$5.60; XX, \$5.50; best, \$5.40; Golden C, \$5; extra, C, \$5.40; powdered, \$5.50; boxes, 50 cwt., fruit or berry sugar, \$5.00; boxes 50 cwt. advance over sack basis (less 1c. if paid for in 15 days). Coffee—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, fancy, 25@28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Arabica, \$16.03 cwt.; Lion, \$15.88 cwt.; Colombia coffee, 14c lb; Salvador, 11c @14c. Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.25; Southern Japan, 51@55c; broken, 5c; head, fancy, 7c; choice, 7c. Sage and Tapioca—Scarce, 6c. Figs—White, per pound, 6@7c; black, 6@7c. Provisions—Hams, large, 12c; small, 12c; picnic, 9c; boiled hams, 22c; boiled picnic, 18c; breakfast bacon, fancy, 22c; English, 16c; dry salted short clears, 10c; backs, 10c. Dates—Golden, 60-lb. boxes, 6@6c; 1-lb. packages, 8c; Fard, 15-lb. boxes, \$1.40 box. Raisins—Loose muscades, 3-crown, 10c; 2-crown, 9c; bleached seedless Sultanas, 10@12c; unbleached seedless Sultanas, 8c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$2.25; 2-crown, \$2.10. Canned Salmon—Columbia River, 1-lb. tins, \$2.00; 2-lb. tins, \$2.95; fancy, 1-lb. flats, \$2.10; 1-lb. flats, \$1.50; fancy, 1-lb. ovals, \$2.85; Alaska tins, pink, 95c; red, \$1.35; nominal, 2c, tins, \$2.25. Salt—Bales of 75-2a, bale, \$2.25; bales of 60-3a, \$2.25; bales of 40-4a, bale, \$2.25; bales of 15-10a, bale, \$2.25; bags, 50c, fine, ton, \$17.50; bags, 50c; genuine Liverpool, \$20; bags, 50c, 1/2 ground, \$13; 100c, ton, \$12.50; R. S. V. P., 20 5-lb. cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 3-lb. cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool lump, per ton, \$20.50. Lard—Kettle-rendered, tierces, 11c; tubs, 12c; 50s, 12c; 20s, 12c; 10s, 12c; 5s, 12c. Standard pure: Tierces, 1c less; compound, tierces, 5c; leaf, 13c. Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 18c; filberts, 17c; Brazils, 20c; Pecans, 19c; 20c; filberts, 17c; Brazils, 20c; Pecans, 19c; 23c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 5c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 10c; Japanese peanuts, 7c; chestnuts, Italian 10c. Ohio 25c; coconuts, dozens, 85@90c; pine nuts, 17c. Spices—Cloves, 19c lb; chillies, 15c per pound.

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TRAMPING ACROSS COUNTRY.

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 14.—A special to the Miner says: Charles S. Raupp of Chicago has arrived in Helena from Tacoma having left that city on foot December 10 for Chicago to make a 3000-mile walking record to beat pedestrian Watson's 26-day record. Raupp says the weather has been very disagreeable and nasty since he started. He declares that two weeks ago he walked from Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, to Kalispell, a distance of 188 miles, without having a thing to eat from the time he left Bonner's Ferry until he reached Kalispell.

NOAH'S RAVENS.

A Knotty Question Answered by a Blacksmith Preacher.

Many years ago there lived in one of the mountain counties of Tennessee a blacksmith who to his reputation for honest work during the week added that of being a powerful exhorter on Sundays. Held in high esteem by his neighbors, possessed of a sufficiency of this world's goods for that primitive community, he seemed to have solved the question of terrestrial happiness, but the "thorn in the flesh" is indigenous to all climes and conditions, and for the blacksmith it grew in the person of one Tom Bradley, a tall, lank mountaineer, who was the wit and wag of the neighborhood and who also occupied the unenviable position of skeptic in that orthodox community. Tom delighted to prod the smith with certain inexplicable Biblical statements, and these encounters sometimes resulted disastrously for the exhorter, causing him much humiliation and making him, as he said, "wrasse in prayer and cry to the Lord and spare not."

Once at the yearly camp meeting the old man was giving his "experience" in the tone and manner that were considered devotional in those parts. "My brethren, ah," he said, "as I was a-standin' in my shop an' gittin' ready to shoe Billy Elite's old gray mare, ah, 'long come that son of a gun Tom Bradley, ah. He ast me ef I believed everything in the Bible, ah. I said everything from kiver to kiver, ah. 'Believe that yarn about Noah bein' shet up in the ark with all them different sort of critters, ah? sezze. 'Si, I done swallered Jonah an' the whale, ah, an' I wa'n't a-go'n' to gag at Noah, ah. 'Well, sezze, ah, 'ef that raven Noah sent out got lost, ah, where did all these here ravens come frum, ah? Brethren, I thought fer a minute, ah, that old Satan had got the underbolt on me, ah, an' was about to thoe me, ah; but, thank the Lord, ah, I jest thood back my head, ah, an' the sperrit of knowledge plum filled me, ah, an' I sez, sezzi, 'It was the old he raven, ah, that got lost, an' the old she raven was a-settin' on five eggs in the nest, ah, an' that's where these here ravens come frum, ah.'"

When the doctor is called he asks: "How are the bowels?" They are generally wrong. His visit might have been saved by a timely dose of Lane's Family Medicine.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received at this building until 2 o'clock p. m., Friday, February 21, 1908, for furnishing fuel, lights, water, miscellaneous supplies, washing towels, hauling ashes, and sprinkling streets for this building during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1909, or such portion of the year as may be deemed advisable. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the Treasury Department.

C. W. CARNAHAN, Custodian.

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