

ENGLAND SAYS NO ALUM IN FOOD

and strictly prohibits the sale of alum baking powder—

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The sale of alum foods has been made illegal in Washington and the District of Columbia, and alum baking powders are everywhere recognized as injurious.

To protect yourself against alum, when ordering baking powder,

Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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Royal is the only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar. It adds to the digestibility and wholesomeness of the food.



PORTLAND MARKETS

Latest Quotations in the Portland Market.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce, and Vegetables.

PORTLAND, March 6—There was more life in the poultry market today than for a week past, and hens and chickens were quoted at a slight advance, 13 to 14 cents a pound being the prices named.

Grain, Flour, Feed. Wheat—Club, 82c; Valley, 82c; bluestem, 84c; red Russian, 80c.

Oats—Producers' prices: White, \$28; gray, \$26@27.

Flour—Hard wheat, patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.00; graham, \$4.50; rye, \$5; whole wheat flour, \$4.45; Dakota, \$6.40@6.60; Eastern rye, \$6.60; Pillsburg, \$7; Corvallis, \$4.40.

Rye—\$1.40 per cwt. Corn—Whole, \$32.50; cracked, \$33.50 per ton.

Hay—Wholesale selling prices; Valley timothy, \$17@18; Eastern Oregon, \$20@21; clover, \$14@15; alfalfa, \$12@13.

Grain bags—Domestic, 8c; Calcutta, 9c. Millfeed—City bran, \$24.50; country bran, \$25.50; city shorts, \$26; country shorts, \$27; chop, \$22; middlings, \$30.50.

Barley—Producers' prices: Brewing \$28.50; feed, \$27; rolled, \$28@29.

Buckwheat—\$36 per ton. Cereal Foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$7; lower grade, \$6.50; oatmeal, steel cut, 45-lb. sacks, \$8; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 45-lb. sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.00 per bale; split peas, \$4.50 per 100-lb. sacks; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$2.75 per bale.

Fresh Meats and Fish. Oysters—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.60 per 100; Olympias (120 lbs.), \$6; Olympias, per gallon, \$2.25.

Fresh Meats—Veal, fancy, 100 lbs., average, 9@9.5c; 100 to 150 lbs., 8@8.5c lb.; large and coarse, 5@7c; hogs, fancy block, 7@7.5c; heavies, 6@7c; beef, bulls, 3@4c; cows, 4@5c; steers, 5@6c; muttons, medium size, 10@11c; large and coarse, 8@9c.

Clams—Little neck, per box, \$2.50; razor clams, \$2.00 per box. Fish—Halibut, 6c; black cod, 8c; black bass, per lb., 20c; striped bass, 13c; smelt, 7c; herring, 5c; flounders, 6c; catfish, 11c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 7c; sturgeon, 12c; sea trout, 18c; tom cod, 10c; salmon, silversides, 9c; steelheads, 11c; chinooks, 12c lb.; lobsters, 25c lb.

Fruit. Domestic Fruits—Apples, fancy, \$1.75@2.50 box; common to good, \$1 @1.50 box; pears, \$1.75@2.00 box; cranberries, \$7.00@9 per barrel.

Dried Fruits—Apples, 9@10c per pound; apricots, 27@29c; peaches, 11 @13c; pears, 11@14c; Italian prunes, 5@6c; California figs, white, in sacks, 7@8c per pound; black, 6@7c; bricks, 75c@2.25 per box; Smyrna, 16@17c per pound; dates, Persian, 6@7c per pound.

Tropical Fruits—Lemons, \$2.00@3.50 box; limes, 75c per 100; oranges, new navels, \$1.75@2.50 box; grapefruit, \$3.50@4.00 box; bananas, 5c lb.; crated, 5c lb.; tangerines, \$1.40@1.50 box; pineapples, \$4@5 dozen.

Groceries, Provisions, Etc. Sugar (sack basis)—D. G., \$5.65; XX, \$5.45; beets, \$5.45; Golden C, \$3.50; extra C, \$5.15; powdered, \$5.80; boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack basis; fruit or berry sugar, \$5.65; boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack basis (less 3c 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; Arbuckle, \$16.63 cwt.; Lion, \$15.88 cwt.; Colombia coffee, 14c lb.; Salvador, 11@14c.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.25; Southern Japan, \$5.25@5.75; broken, 5c; head, fancy, \$6@6.75. Sago and Tapioca—6c.

Provisions—Hams, large, 13c; small, 13c; picnic, 9c; boiled hams, 22c; boiled picnic, 28c; breakfast, bacon, fancy, 22c; English, 15c; dry salted short clears, 10c; backs, 10c.

Dates—Golden, 60-lb boxes, 6@6.5c; 1-lb packages, 8c; Fard, 15-lb boxes, \$1.40 box.

Lard—Kettle-rendered tierces, 111c; tubs, 12c; 50s, 12c; 20s, 12c; 10s, 12c; 5s, 12c. Standard pure: Tierces, 1c less; compound, tierces, 8c; leaf, 13c.

Raisins—Loose muscatels, 3-crown, 7@7.5c; 4-crown, 7@8c; bleached seedless Sultanias, 9@12c; unbleached seedless Sultanias, 8@8.5c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$2.00; 2-crown, \$1.75.

Canned salmon—Columbia River, 1-lb talls, \$2.10; 2-lb talls, \$3.00; fancy, 1-lb flats, \$2.25; 1-lb flats, \$1.40; fancy, 1-lb, ovals, \$2.75; Alaska talls, pinks, 95c; red, \$1.40; nominal, 2s, talls, \$2.25.

Spices—Cloves, 25c lb; chillies, 13c lb.

Salt—Bales of 75-2s, bale, \$2.15; bales of 60-3s, \$2.15; bales of 40-4s, bale, \$2.15; bales of 15-10s, bale, \$2.15; bags, 50s, 1ne, ton, \$16.50; bags, 50c; genuine Liverpool, ton, \$18; bags, 50s, 1-ground, \$13.50; 100s, ton, \$13; 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.

Nuts—Walnuts, 15@20c per lb; filberts, 16c; Brazils, 20c; pecans, 14 @20c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 6c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 7c; Japanese peanuts, 6c; chestnuts, Italian, 10c; Ohio, 25c; coconuts, dozen, 90c @1.00; pine nuts, 17c lb.

Produce. Butter—Country creamery, 32c@38c; city creamery, 37c; store, 15@16c; butter fat, 33@36c.

Eggs—Ranch, candled, 18@19c. Cheese—Young America, 17c; Oregon full cream, flats, 15@15.5c.

Honey—Dark, 11@12c; amber, 12 @13; fancy white, 14@15.

Poultry—Old roosters, 9@10c lb; hens, 12@13c lb; dressed stock, 1@1.5c higher than live; ducks, 14@15c lb; turkeys, live, 11@12c lb; dressed, 15c lb; geese, live, 9@10c lb; pigeons, old, \$1 per dozen; squabs, \$2@3 per dozen.

Vegetables. Cabbage—\$1@1.25 cwt.; cauliflower, \$1.85 crate; celery, \$4.00@5.00 crate; parsley, \$1.25; hot-house lettuce, \$1.00 @1.25 box; head, 75c dozen; spinach, box, \$1.25; Brussels sprouts, 8c; artichokes, 90c@1.00 dozen; tomatoes, \$4.50@5.50 crate; peppers, 22c lb; beans, green and wax, 20c lb; peas, 10c lb; egg plant, 20c lb; beets, \$1.00 per cwt.; turnips, 75c@1 per cwt.; carrots, 50c@1 per cwt.; cucumbers, \$2@2.50 dozen; green onions, 40c dozen.

Potatoes—Buying price, 40@50c per cwt.; sweets, \$3.50 per cwt. Onions—Buying price, \$2@2.25 per cwt.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc. Hops—1907 crop, 4@5c lb. Wool—Valley, 16@18c; Eastern Oregon, 12@18c, as to shrinkage.

Cascara Sagrada (chittim bark)—4 @5c per lb. Beeswax—Good, clean and pure, 22 @25c per lb.

Tallow—Prime, 5c; No. 2 and grease, 2@6c per lb. Oregon Grapeseed—Per 100 pounds, \$3@5.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 12c lb; dry, No. 1, 12c lb; dry salted, one-third less; dry calf, 14c lb; salted steers, 5c pound; salted cows, 4c lb; stags and bulls, 3c lb; kip, 5c lb; calf, 9c lb; green stock, 1c less; sheepskins, shearings, 10@25c; short wool, 30@40c; medium and long wool, according to quality, 50@90c; dry horses, 50c@1; dry colts, 25c; angora, 80c@1; goat, common, 10@20c.

Oils, Lead, Etc. Coal Oil—Union and pearl and astral oil, cases, 18c per gallon; water white, iron barrels, 11c; cocene and extra star, cases, 21c; headlight oil, cases, 19c; iron barrels, 12c; elaine, cases, 28c.

Turpentine—In cases, 72c; in wood barrels, 69c; in iron barrels, 65c; in 10-case lots, 71c.

Benzine—V. M. and P. and Union Naphtha, cases, 19c; iron barrels, 12c.

Linseed Oil—Raw, 5-barrel lots, 51c; 1-barrel lots, 52c; in cases, 58c; boiled, 5-barrel lots, 53c; 1-barrel lots, 54c; in cases, 60c.

Gasoline—Union and Red Crown, bbls., 17c; cases, 24c. Motor, bbls., 17c; cases, 24c. 86 degrees, bbls., 30c; cases, 37c. Engine Distillate, bbls., 10c; cases, 17c.

Lead—Strictly pure white lead, in ton lots, 7c; 500-lb lots, 8c less; less than 500 lbs., 8c; red lead and litharge, 3c higher than white.

No Cause on Record. There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it will stop your cough and break up your cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Contains no opiates and is safe and sure. T. F. Laurin, Owl Drug Store.

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BELMONT SUED FOR \$100,000.

NEW YORK, Mar. 6—August Belmont, president of the Jockey Club and a horse owner of note, has been sued for \$100,000 on a charge of libel by John H. Freit, formerly employed as an apprentice in Mr Belmont's racing stable.

her at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel the next day and introduce him to two representatives of the Morocco government who had been sent here to negotiate for the arms.

CAMPAIGN OF PUBLICITY. CHICAGO, Mar. 6—A campaign of publicity to counteract the effect of the present prohibition wave was decided upon by the board of trustees of the United States Brewers Association at a meeting held here yesterday.

No Use to Die.

"I have found out that there is no use to die of lung trouble as long as you can get Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. J. P. White, of Rushboro, Pa.

FIRE ARMS STOLEN.

NEW YORK, Mar. 6—Hans Taucher, husband of Mme. Gaski, the famous opera singer, has reported to the police the loss of fifty revolvers, all of them gold plated and many of them set with diamonds and other jewels.

Probably it is your stomach and not your heart that causes pain in neighborhood of the heart.

If it is, Lane's Family Medicine will give relief. 25 cents at druggists.

February Official Tide Tables

Compiled by the U. S. Government for Astoria and Vicinity.

Tide tables for March 1908, showing high water and low water times for various days of the month.