



Commercial

MARKET REPORT.

These prices are for Portland and represent wholesale rates from producers or first hands.

WHEAT:— Valley, \$1.37 @ \$1.39 per cental. Walla Walla, \$1.30
FLOUR:— Standard, \$3.75 per bbl.
BARLEY:— \$1.10 @ \$1.12 per cental.
OATS:— 43 @ 47c per bushel.
MILL FEED:— Middlings, \$2.22 @ \$2.25 per ton. Bran, \$1.20 @ \$1.23 per ton.
PROVISIONS:— Hams, 10 @ 11c per pound. Shoulders, 6 @ 7c per pound. Sides, firm at 7 @ 8c per pound. Lard, Eastern pails, 10 @ 11c per pound. Oregon, in tins, 8 @ 9 1/2c per pound. In half barrels, 10 @ 11c per pound.
CHEESE:— California, 15c per pound. Oregon, 14c per pound.
HONEY:— In comb, 18 @ 20c per pound. Strained, in 5 gallons, 10 1/2 @ 11c per lb.
GREEN FRUIT:— Apples, 50 @ 60c per bushel.
POULTRY:— Chickens, \$3.00 @ \$5 per dozen. Turkeys, live weight, 10 @ 12c per lb. Ducks, \$5 @ \$6 per dozen.
VEGETABLES:— Potatoes, old, 50 @ 70c per bushel. Onions, 1c per pound.
FRESH MEATS:— Pork, live weight, 3c; fat, 5 1/2c per lb. Pork, dressed, 4 @ 4 1/2c per pound. Beef, on foot, 3 @ 3 1/2c per pound. Mutton, 2 1/2c per pound gross weight. Veal, 8 @ 9c per pound. Tallow, quote 6c per pound.
BUTTER:— Common, 20 @ 25c per pound. Choice rolls, 30 @ 32 1/2c per pound.
EGGS:— Fresh laid 20 @ 22 1/2 cents per dozen.
WOOL:— Eastern Oregon, 16 @ 23c per pound. Valley, 20 @ 24c per pound. Umpqua, range a trifle higher.
HAY:— Baled \$10 @ \$12 per ton.
GRASS SEED:— Timothy, 7 1/2 @ 8c per pound. Red clover, 15 @ 16c per pound.
HOPS:— Quote 19 @ 25c per pound.
RICE:— China No. 2, 4 @ 5c per pound. Sandwich Island, 5 @ 6c per pound.
TEAS:— Japan, 35 @ 40c per pound. Black, 40 @ 75c per pound. Green, 65 @ 75c per pound.
COFFEE:— Costa Rica, 12 @ 15c per pound. Java, 20 @ 22c per pound.
SUGARS:— D, in bbls, 4 1/2c per pound. C, in bbls, 5 1/2c per pound. Extra C, in bbls, 5 1/2c per pound. Crushed, etc., in bbls, 6 1/2c per pound. In half-bbls 5c more.
SYRUP:— Five gallon kegs, 70c per gallon.
OILS:— Ordinary grades of oil, 25 @ 26 1/2c per gal. Boiled Lined oil, 80c per gallon. Raw lined oil, 77c per gallon. Turpentine, 70c per gallon. Pure lard oil \$1.30 per gallon.
SALT:— Stock, bay, \$16 per ton. Carmen brand, \$18 per ton. Coarse Liverpool, \$20 per ton. No quality, \$18 @ \$25 per ton.

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PORTLAND, Jan. 13, 1887.

The weather has been rainy, and fairly warm, now for two months, without any frost to speak of. Yet farmers have managed to plow up land and are now ready to put in spring crops with a little pleasant weather to dry the soil. The winter has been unusually mild, even for Oregon, and will be remembered as one of the mildest known.

Foreign markets have closed lower for breadstuffs since New Years, but as California has not had the usual winter rains, the shipments from that State will be light until they can see rainfall enough to guarantee the crops of 1887. Prospects now seem poor for the next harvest, but it is not too late for rains to come and bring the wheat fields forward so as to insure a fair yield.

Within ten days British markets show a decline of 2s in California cargoes near due and 1s 6d for prompt shipment. This equals a decline of 5c per cental for spot wheat in Liverpool; 9 1/2 cts. per cental for cargoes nearly due and 7 1-5 on prompt shipments. No cause is given for such a decline save that, the rise was not justified by circumstances. A large quantity is afloat, in excess of last year greatly, and that has its influence, no doubt, in depressing prices. Quotations are \$1.39 1/2 to \$1.40c for valley and corresponding for eastern.

Oats have reached Portland by river boats, and there is a large quantity waiting shipment by steam. For export buyers have paid 45c to 46c per bushel and market strong. Good milling oats bring 47c. The dry season in California

has raised prices, and general rains there would bring them down again.

Provisions have advanced half a cent on local packing; hams 11 @ 11 1/2; bacon 9 @ 9 1/2; shoulders, 9 @ 7 1/2; eastern hams, 12 1/2; breakfast bacon, 11c; lard 8 @ 8 1/4c; Dried fruits are in good demand and stocks are well filled. Apples range from 6 @ 7c for sun dried, and to 11 @ 12 1/2c for bleached of best quality, and range all the way between, according to quality. Choice prunes 10c @ 12 1/2c. French, 8c; pitted plums 9c @ 10c.

Poultry brings fancy figures; \$4 to \$5 is had for choice fowls, but prices can hardly be sustained very long.

Hops are in small supply, and prices are lower; 22c to 26c, being the last figures.

Wool—the market is dull but a revival of business is soon expected. New York and eastern markets are dull but good wool is held firmly.

Hay ranges \$8 to \$13 for different grades.

Eggs 22 1/2 cents.

Hides—prices unchanged. We quote as follows: Dry hides 15 @ 16c, light salted 6 1/2 @ 7, dry kip and calf 14 @ 18c, salt kip 6 @ 8c, salt calf 8 @ 10c, salt veal 8c, valley deerskins 20 @ 25c for winter and summer, sheepskins 75 @ 1.25 for short and long wool, elk hides 15c beaver \$1.50 @ 2.25, bearskins \$1.50 to \$6. Tallow 3 @ 3 1/2c for common with more moving.

Dried fruit, firm. We quote selling prices, from dealers; sun-dried, quartered apples, 6 @ 7c, sliced 7 @ 8c, new factory 9 @ 10c, bleached 11 @ 12 1/2c; new prunes 10 @ 12c, French 8c, graded 8 @ 10c; pitted plums 9 @ 10c; common peaches 10 @ 11 1/2c; peeled 12 1/2 @ 13c.

Quote provisions selling values: City new pack hams 10 1/2 @ 11c, bacon, 8 1/2 @ 9c shoulders 6 @ 7c, eastern hams 11c, bacon 8 1/2c, breakfast bacon 11c, eastern tinned lard 8 @ 8 1/2c, and new local in 5 and 10 pound pails 8 @ 8 1/2c.

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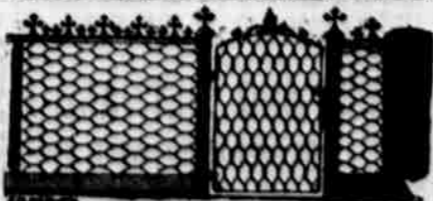
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COMPARATIVE WORTH OF BAKING POWDERS.

Table comparing various baking powders: ROYAL (Absolutely Pure), GRANT'S (Alum Powder), RUMFORD'S (Phosphate) fresh, HANFORD'S, when fresh, REDHEAD'S, CHARM (Alum Powder), AMAZON (Alum Powder), CLEVELAND'S, PIONEER (San Francisco), CZAR, DR. PRICE'S, SNOW FLAKE (Groff's, St. Paul), LEWIS', CONGRESS, HECKER'S, GILLET'S, HANFORD'S, when not fresh, ANDREWS & CO. (contains alum (Milwaukee)), BULK (Powder sold loose), RUMFORD'S, when not fresh.

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