



Commercial

MARKET REPORT.

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

WHEAT:— Valley, \$1.60 @ \$1.65 per cental. Walls Walls, \$1.45
FLOUR:— Standard, \$4.25 per bbl.
BARLEY:— \$1.10 @ \$1.12 per cental.
OATS:— 50 @ 55c per bushel.
MILL FEED:— Middlings, \$22 @ \$25 per ton. Bran, \$12 @ \$13 per ton.
PROVISIONS:— Hams, 11 @ 12c per pound. Shoulders, 6 @ 7c per pound. Sides, firm at 7 @ 8c per pound. Lard, Eastern pairs, 9 @ 9 1/2c 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 gallon, 10 1/2 @ 11c per lb.
GREEN FRUIT:— Apples, 50 @ 60c per bushel.
POULTRY:— Chickens, \$3 @ \$4.50 per dozen. Turkeys, live weight, 12 @ 14 per lb. Ducks, \$5 @ \$6 per dozen.
VEGETABLES:— Potatoes, old, \$1 @ 1.50 per bushel. Onions, 3 1/2c per pound.
FRESH MEATS:— Pork, live weight, 4c; fat, 4 1/2c per lb. Pork, dressed, 5 1/2 @ 6c per pound. Beef, on foot, 5 1/2 @ 6c per pound. Mutton, 4 1/2c per pound gross weight. Veal, 8 @ 10c per pound. Tallow, quote 6c per pound.
BUTTER:— Common, 18 @ 20c per pound. Choice rolls, 20 @ 22c per pound.
EGGS:— Fresh laid 16c cents per dozen.
WOOL:— Eastern Oregon, 13 @ 16c per pound. Valley, 16 @ 18c per pound. Umpqua, range a trifle higher.
HAY:— Baled \$18 @ \$22 per ton.
GRASS SEED:— Timothy, 7 1/2 @ 8c per pound. Red clover, 15 @ 16c per pound.
HOPS:— Quote 12 @ 14c per pound.
RICE:— China No. 2, 4 @ 5c per pound. Siam, 5 @ 6c per pound.
TEAS:— Japan, 26 @ 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 7c more.
SYRUP:— Five gallon kegs, 70c per gallon.
OILS:— Ordinary grades c oil, 25 @ 26 1/2c per gal. Boiled linsed oil, 80c per gallon. Raw linsed oil, 77c per gallon. Turpentine, 70c per gallon. Pure lard oil \$1.50 per gallon.
SALT:— Stock, bay, \$16 per ton. Carmel, brand, \$18 per ton. Coarse Liverpool, \$20 per ton. Fine quality, \$18 @ \$25 per ton.

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THURSDAY, June 9.

The pleasant showers of the week have been of the greatest benefit to gardens, orchards and crops and have come in good season. A week more of dry weather would have done great injury, but as it is, the warm weather had not rendered the ground too dry, and had made everything grow luxuriantly. The showery weather may catch some hay down but will benefit the recent meadows far more than it can injure the down hay. It will greatly advantage all small fruits and insure a larger yield as well as larger fruit.

If the Inland Empire has the same blessing of rain that Western Oregon enjoys it will insure for all that wide region the greatest harvest ever known there. The increased acreage, together with the promise of a large yield, will give a total of production of wheat and barley far in excess of any former harvest. The time will come when that interior country will be a populous region, and one of the most productive in America. When that time comes the Willamette and all Western Oregon will be the garden spot, the dairy region, and breeding farms will make it a stock country without superior. Meantime we are slowly but surely working out this destiny and the next generation will find here a country of finished proportions, whereas now things are crude and farming lacks much of perfection.

No. 1 California wheat sold in Liverpool this week at \$1.96 per cental and in San Francisco was worth \$2.05 to \$2.10. This was due to speculation and we cannot expect prices for the new crop to bring such a figure. It is

claimed that California has 200,000 tons of old wheat in her warehouses and yet no ships are loading cargoes for Europe. The gambling deal must collapse and leave many parties ruined.

There is no question that fruit is a small crop in California as well as Oregon. We hear from many sources, and local journals tell the same story of frost and cold rains having cut fruit short.

There is no change in the wheat market at Portland, nor is there any change in the foreign markets.

Oats are not scarce, and we quote at 53 @ 55c is all that can be quoted, with a leaning toward the inside figure. Commission sales are occasionally made at the usual advance.

Wool is not attracting much attention and buyers seem reluctant to make bids, consequently there is not much doing in the local markets at Portland.

Here at Salem there is a slight competition and 25c and probably a shade better can be realized. Salem buyers have bid each other up until there is hardly any thing in it, but its evidently worth that price the Oregonian says:

Hops in the east are enjoying a rather better demand, and prices are advanced slightly by the report of 25 per cent. less yield. In California contracts are made on a basis of 15 @ 17 1/2c per pound. "The range for Eastern Oregon seems to be about as reported last week, say 15 @ 19c. New transactions reported furnish no reason for naming more. This is for Eastern Oregon. A few small lots of Southern Oregon have come forward, not in sufficient volume to establish values. At Eastern Oregon primary markets there is continued and active business, and generally at high prices, for 18 @ 20c is about as frequently named as is 15 @ 17c. Fancy lots have done even better.

The butter market is quite well supplied with good roll. The stock of poor to fair is lowered by shipments to San Francisco.

Chickens are in fair supply, the market being quiet of late, and very even. Other poultry shows the usual quiet. Ducks sell at about \$5 @ 6, geese \$6 @ 7, turkeys 12 1/2 @ 14c.

Poultry—Good prices for chickens increased receipts, but not until the close was there any very marked effect upon values. At the close \$3 @ 4 is quoted. Other poultry rules very quiet. Ducks and geese quoted \$5 @ 6 and \$6 @ 7. Turkeys, 12 1/2 @ 14c.

Provisions—Hams are fractionally lower for local and weak for Eastern. We quote city or country cured hams at 10 1/2 @ 11c, bacon 10 @ 11c, shoulders 6 @ 7c, Eastern hams 13 @ 14c, best local or Eastern tinned lard 9 @ 9 1/2c.

Dried Fruits—Best bleached apples held at 10 1/2 @ 11c. Sun cured in light stock. Shipments of apples and prunes continue and we are receiving some from east of the mountains. Selling prices from dealers are: sun-dried quartered apples 7 @ 8c, sliced 8 @ 10c factory at 10 @ 11c, bleached, 10 1/2 @ 11c; prunes 10 @ 12c. French 8c, graded 8 @ 10c; pitted plums 10c; common peaches 9 @ 11c, peeled 12 1/2 @ 13c.

Hides—We quote: Dry hides, 14 @ 15c, light salted 6 1/2 @ 7c, heavy do 7 @ 8c, dry kip and calf 12 @ 14c, salt kip and calf 9c, salt veal 8c, valley deerskins 20 @ 25c for winter and summer, Eastern Oregon 15 @ 20 for winter and summer, sheepskins 75 @ \$1.25 for short and long wool, elk hides 18 @ 20c, beaver \$2.50 @ 3.50, bearskins, \$1.50 @ 2. Tallow 3 1/2c for common.

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