Quotations in the Portland Market.

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

PORTLAND, April 9.- The Front street butter market reports stocks Seginning to accumulate, due largely local, 50c@\$1.00; hothouse lettuce, to recent rather receipts of California \$1..25@1.50 box; cucumbers, \$1.50@ products, and to some extent also to 2.00 dozen; celery, 85c@\$1; artiheavier production in this State. The chokes, 50c doz.; asparagus, 88@9c recent general cut in butter prices had the effect of checking shipments from the South to some extent, but crate. the stuff is still coming in and at the low prices at which it is held tends to weaken the market. The best of the Oregon brands are now selling at 25 to 271 cents, but it is possible taht these quotations will be cut slightly in the near future.

Reports from San Francisco today indicate that the market there is weaker, the result of recent heavy consignments by Oregon growers. Local prices, however, were not changed today, dealers offering to buy in a modern way at 55 to 60 cents a hundred.

Fruit and vegetable dealers report stocks of fresh seasonable fruit and truke generally in fair supply, with the trade active in most lines and limberger, 221c. prices about the same as for several days past. The supply of local

Grain, Flour, Feed. Wheat-Club, 82c; Valley, 82c; dressed, 17@18c. bluestem, 84c; red Russian, 80c. Oats-Producers' prices: White,

\$28; gray, \$26@27. straight, \$4.00; graham, \$4.50; rye, \$5; \$3.50; extra C, \$5.15; powdered, \$5.80; whole wheat flour, \$4.45; Dakota, boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack genuine Liverpool, ton, \$18; bags, \$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; Oregon, \$20@21; clover, \$14@15; alfalfa, \$12@13.

Grain bags-Domestic, 81c; Calcutta, 9c.

Millfeed-City bran, \$24.50; country bran, \$25.50; city shorts, \$26; country shorts, \$27; chop, \$22; middlings, \$30.50.

Barley-Froducers' prices: Brewing \$28.50; feed, \$27; rolled, \$28@29. Buckwheat-\$36 per ton.

peas, \$4.50 per 100-tb. sacks; 25-lb. pound. 10-lb. sacks, \$2.75 per bale.

Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh Meats-Veal, fancy, 100 lbs., averag, 9@9hc; 100 to 150 lbs., 8@ 8hc lb.; large and coarse, 5@7c; hogs, fancy block, 7@7ac; heavies, 6@7c; 13c.

Point, \$1.60 per 100; Olympias (120 pounds, \$2.00; 2-crown, \$1.75. Clams-Little neck, per box, \$2.50; razor clams, \$2.00 per box.

black bass, per lb., 20e; striped bass, \$1.40; fancy, 1-lb, ovals, \$2.75; Alaska 13c; herring, 5 1-2 cents; flounders, talls, pinks, 95c; red, \$1.40; nominal, 6c; catfish, 11c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 2s, talls, \$2.25. 7c; sturgeon, 12ac; sea trout, 18c; tom Spices-Cloves, 25c tb; chillies,

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cod, 10c; salmon, silversides, 9c; steelheads, 11c; chinooks, 10c; fresh, 12ac; lobsters, 25c lb.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes-Select (sell), 70c cwt.; Multnomah (buy), 55c; Clackamas (buy), 55c. Onions-Jobbing price, \$4.75@5.00

Vegetables-Turnips, \$1.00 sack; beets, \$1.25; parsnips, \$1.25; cabbage, \$1.75; tomatoes, Florida, \$4.50@5.00 crate; do Mexico, \$2.75 crate; cauliflower, California, \$1.00 dozen; do

wt; buying price, \$4.25@4.50; garlic,

lb.; beans, 20c lb; egg-plant, 20c lb; head lettuce, 40c doz; rhubarb, \$2

Apples-Select, \$2.50 box; fancy \$2.00; choice, \$1.50; ordinary, \$1.25. Fresh fruits-Oranges, \$2.00@2.75; lemons, \$2.75@3.50; strawberries, 20@22c lb.

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, 51c lb.; tangerines, \$1.40@ 1.50 box; pineapples, \$4@5 dozen.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter-Extras, 27hc; fancy, 26c; hoice, 25c; store, 16ac.

Eggs-Loss off, 16@16%c.

Cheese-Full cream twins, 15hc;

Poultry-Mixed chickens, 13c lb.; fancy hens, 14@17c; roosters, old, 8c; vegetables is growing larger daily. fryers, 20c; broilers, 221@25c; dressed poultry, lc per lb.; higher; geese, old, 9c; turkeys, live, 15@16c; do

Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar (sack basis)-D. G., \$5.65; Flour-Hard wheat, patent, \$4.80; XX, \$5.45; beets, \$5.45; Golden C, pasis; fruit or berry sugar, \$5.65; boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack basis (less to if pai dfor in 15 days).

Coffee-Mocha, 24@28c; Java, fancy, 25@28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, Valley timothy, \$17@18; Eastern fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16 @18c; Arbuckle, \$16.63 cwt.; Lion, \$15.88 cwt.; Colombia coffee, 14c lb.; Salvador, 111@141c.

> Rice-Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.25; Southern Japan, \$5.25@5.75; broken, 5c; head, fancy, \$6@6.75.

Sago and Tapioca-6hc. Provisions-Hams, large, small, 13c; picnic, 9hc; boiled hams, lbs.), \$6; Olympias, per gallon, \$2.25.

Dried Fruits-Apples, 9@10c per Cereal Foods-Rolled oats, cream, pound; apricots, 27@29c; peaches, 11 90-tb. sacks, \$7; lower grade, \$6.50; @13c; pears, 111@14c; Italian prunes, @25c per tb. oatmeal, steel cut, 45-lb. sacks, \$8; 5@6c; California ags, white, in sacks, 9-tb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal 7tc per pound; black, 6@7c; bricks, (ground), 45-tb. sacks, \$7.50 per bar- 75c@\$2.25 per box; Smyrna, 16@17ac rel; 9-tb. sacks, \$4.00 per bale; split per pound; dates, Persian, 64@7c per

boxes, \$1.25 per box ;pastry flour, 22c; boiled picnic, 28c; breakfast, bacon, fancy ,22c; English, 15ac; dry salted short clears, 10c; backs, 10c.

Lard-Kettle-rendered tierces, 112c; tubs, 12c; 50s, 12c; 20s, 12hc; 10s, 12ac; 5s, 12ac. Standard pure: Tierces, lc less; compound, tierces, 8c; leaf,

beef, bulls, 31@4c; cows, 4@5c; Raisins-Loose muscatels, 3-crown, steers, 5hc@6c; muttons, medium 7@7hc; 4-crown, 7h@8c; bleached size, 10@11c; large and coarse, 8@9c. seedless Sultanas, 9h@12c; unbleach-Oysters-Shoalwater Bay, per gal- ed seedless Sultanas, 8@8ac; London lon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20

Canned salmon-Columbia River, 1-tb talls, \$2.10; 2-tb talls, \$3.00; Fish-Halibut, 6c; black cod, 8c; fancy, 1-tb flats, \$2.25; 1-tb flats,

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April Official Tide Tables

Compiled by the U.S. Government for

Astoria and Vicinity.

Willamette Valley (buy), 45c; East Fowler Currency Bill Endorsed by Merchants Association.

FREE CONTROL OF RESOURCES

The U. S. 2 Per Cent Bonds Would be tion is reduced simply to one of the of Withdrawing Them.

NEW YORK, April 9.-Irving T. law of the Merchants Association tocal effect of the Fowler Currency bill would not be changed to their dison the balance sheets of the banks. Mr. Bush set forth in figures the status of the national banks of the city of New York if the bill were in actual operation. He said:

"There seems to be many, even among leading bankers, who have not had brought fully to their attention the benefits which they would derive from certain provisions of the Fowler bill. Comment has been made on the large amount which the banks would be required to transfer cream brick, 20c; swiss block, 20c; to the treasury to make up the five per cent guarantee fund which is to be deposited against both deposits and notes. This requirement is really much less radical than has been

bags, 50s, ine, ton, \$16.50; bags, 50c; Under this arrangement, \$70, 782,100 50s, 1-ground, \$13.50; 100s, ton, \$13; R. S. V. P., 20 5-1b cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 3-th cartons, \$1.75; Liv- to be disposed of to the government erpool, lump, per ton, \$20.50.

filberts, 16c; Brazils, 20c; pecans, 14 ket at current rates, while the privil-@20c; hickory, 8c; Virgina peanuts, ege of issuing notes would remain 64c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 7c; Japanese peanuts, 6hc; chestnuts, Italian, @\$1.00; pine nuts, 17hc tb.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc. Hops-1907 crop, 4@5hc tb. Wool-Valley, 16@18c; Eastern

Oregon, 12@18c, as to shrinkage. Cascara Sagrada (chittim bark)-4 @5åc per tb.

Tallow-Prime,

lots, 54c; in cases, 60c. Turpentine-In cases, 72c; in wood

10-case lots, 71c.

17ac; cases, 24ac. 86 degrees, bbls., grease, 2@6c per tb.

Hides-Dry hides, No. 1, 12hc tb; dry, No. 1, 12c tb; dry salted, onethird less; dry calf, 14c fb; salted steers, 5c pound; salted cows, 4c lb; stags and bulls, 3c tb; kip, 5c tb; calf, 9c tb; green stock, 1c less; sheepskins, shearlings, 10@25c; short wool, 30@40c; medium and long wool, according to quality, 50tb96c; dry horses, 50c@\$1; dry colt, 25c; angora, 80c@\$1; goat, ocmmon, 10@

Oils, Lead, Etc.

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

Linseed Oil-Raw, 5-barrel lots, 30c; cases, 37hc. Engine Distillate, bbls., 10c; cases, 17hc.

Lead-Strictly pure white lead, in ton lots, 7%c; 500-tb lots, 8c less; less than 500 lbs., 8tc; red lead and litharge, he higher than white.

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comptroller of the currency showing the condition of the national banks of New York City on February 1, last, showed deposits subject to reserve requirements to the amount of \$68,-889,105, making a total amount subject to the guaranty fund requirements of the Fowler bill, of \$971,077-900 The amount required for the guaranty fund would be five per cent of this amount or \$48,553,895. This looks at first blush like a formidable amount to withdraw from the cash resources of the bank but when it considered that it is counted as part of their required reserves the ques-Purchased by the Custodians of the locality here the money is kept. Re-Guaranty Fund With the Purpose serve requirements would be raised \$225,547,198 under the existing law to \$242,769,475, of which \$48,5g3,895 would be in Washington and \$194,-215,580 would be in cash in the custody of the banks. The New York Hush, vice chairman on commercial banks held more cash on Feb. 14 than would be required by the Fowler bill day made a statement on the practi- and their position in this respect advantage.

"One of the greatest advantages to the banks under the proposed new system would be the free control of their own resources. Instead of keeping in the treasury, as was the case on Feb. 14. United States bonds to secure circulation of \$70,182,100 U S, bonds to secure public deposits to the omount of \$67,243,912, all these would be returned to them and they would be able to convert them at will into cash.

"The U. S. two per cent bonds would be purchased by the custodians of the guaranty fund with the purpose of withdrawing them from represented. The last report of the the market and maintaining their value The Fowler bill provides that they should be purchased at the price Salt-Bales of 75-2s, bale, \$2.15; of 104, in order to guarantee against bales of 60-3s, \$2.15; bales of 40-4s, any loss resulting from their aband bale, \$2.15; bales of 15-10s, bale, \$2.15; onment as a basis of circulation. of U. S. bonds would be handed back to the national banks of New York for cash to about an equal amount, Nuts-Walnuts, 151@20c per 1b; which cash could be lent in the marunimpaired.

A little computation will show that 10c; Ohio, 25c; cocoanuts, dozen, 90c the ability to lend the proceeds of the bonds at the current rate of interest would be an advantage to the banks. They would be required to pay two per cent upon their circulation, which is 1 1-2 per cent higher than they now pay and they would lose the interest on the 2 per cent bonds but with the money at 5 per Beeswax-Good, clean and pure, 22 cent they would still make a profit above what they now make, by tieng up their capital in two per cent 51c; 1-barrel lots, 52c; in cases, 58c; bonds. Moreover, they would have boiled, 5-barrel lots, 53c; 1-barrel the privilege of issuing notes in addition to those now out, up to the full amount of their capital in case of barrels, 69hc; in iron barrels, 65c; in need without tying up one dollar of their resources in any investment in Benzine-V. M. and P. and Union bonds. This unused power of issue Naphtha, cases, 19ac; iron barrels, of the New York City banks by the last report to the comptroller was Gasoline-Union and Red Crown, \$43,834,863. A further power of bbls., 17tc; cases, 24tc. Motor, bbls., issue is given in emergencies to a second sum equal to the capital, or \$112,500,000.

"The entire scope of the bill is designed to encourage commercial transactions by giving the banks control of their own resources for loans to customers. I am satisfied that if bankers be convinced that instead of being radical or disturbing it is really a moderate and conservative measure which would benefit them as well as their customers and the public.

GOOD ROADS.

Convention to be Held in Buffalo by American Automobile Assn.

NEW YORK, April 9,-Plans for the good roads and legislative convention to be held in Buffalo July 7 and 8 were approved by the executive tomobile association.

It was announced that several speakers of national reputation including the governors of several states had already consented to be present at the convention and speak on the subjects of legislative and good roads." Other business of the session included the approval of the new racing rules which will be effective April 15, and the admission of membership in the national associa-

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