

and a review of it from day to day reveals a jobbing business only. Holders are all pressing for bids, but few are forthcoming.

CHEESE.—There is nothing new to note. A confident feeling appears to actuate those who have been manipulating recent operations in the country, but no encouragement is afforded by the general run of traders, while the English buyer cannot be induced to concede any higher figures.

FRUIT.—The fruit market shows no material change, but there is a steady feeling all round, with stocks of all lines of both dried and green well in hand. In dried fruit little has been doing during the week, but the feeling is firm and stocks are more reduced every day; in fact there is now little or no stock in first hands. Prices are firmly held with business at the outside. There will be no new stock till about the end of October. The quality of the crop this year is reported good. Green fruits are unchanged and lemons and oranges are now in a few hands only. The first apples of the season arrived last week, the quality being fair but the fruit small. California fruits are also on the market in fair quantity, the grapes and peaches being particularly nice.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.—The sugar market has developed no new features during the week. The European markets are reported somewhat easier. The New York market has been fairly steady. Locally there has been a good demand for yellows, but this class of sugars is scarce, and the refiners could only supply limited quantities. The country is said to be bare of stock, and it is claimed that little inducement is needed to cause large buying in all quarters. The *Montreal Trade Bulletin* says:—"There appears to have been considerable misunderstanding between some of the sugar refiners on the question of prices, resulting in cutting all round. It was previously stated in these columns that 6½c was said to have been shaded for granulated, and it now turns out that such was actually the case, sales having transpired as low as 6¼c, owing, it is alleged, to the cutting on the part of the Montreal and Halifax refiners, which, it is said, forced our city refiners to follow suit. The Nova Scotia Refinery, however, denies the impeachment, although its agent admits that the price of granulated has been down to 6¼c here. It is said that the depredations of the Maritime Provinces' concerns have been chiefly in the west, where they have placed a considerable amount of low priced sugars. The New York market has recently partaken of a decidedly firmer tone, granulated having moved up to 6½c in that city, being a rise of ¼c. per lb. from bottom figures. Dealers here say that prices need not have gone below 6¼c. in this market, nor would they have done so had it not been for the cutting on the part of outside refiners." Nothing new has transpired in molasses here, and the small stocks in hand are firmly held.

TEA AND COFFEE.—A brisk business in Japan teas has been done during the week. The New York market is quoted 1½c. to 2c. higher than here on all grades. There has been some improvement in the coffee market during the week, but no business of any account was accomplished.

FISH OILS.—Montreal market report is as follows:—"The market for steam refined seal oil is dull, but demand is slightly better than last week and prices firmer. We quote 50c. to 52c. per gallon in round lots. Cod oil is dull with light demand, and we quote Newfoundland 34c. to 35c., Halifax and Gaspé 32c. Cod Liver Oil dull and heavy, Newfoundland 50c., Norway 80c.

FISH.—Little or no change can be noted in the condition of the local fish market since our last report. Most of the fish appear to have left our coasts for the present, and only a few have been taken during the week. Owing to an improvement in prices in Boston holders are not likely to push their holdings to market just now. Cod, herring, pollock, etc., are in fair supply, and receipts are, if anything, in excess of the demand. Our outside quotations are as follows:—Montreal, August 25.—"There is a good demand for large dry cod at \$4.50, but stocks are very light and business limited. Green cod is enquired for, but none will be on the market this month. Cape Breton herrings to arrive, barrels \$6, halves \$3." Gloucester, Mass., Aug. 25.—"We quote new Georges codfish at \$5.25 a qtl. for large, and small at \$4.50; Bank \$4.75 to \$5 for large and \$4 for small; Shore \$5 and \$4.25 for large and small. Dry Bank \$5.25. Cured cusk at \$4 per qtl.; hake \$5.62; haddock \$3; heavy salted pollock \$2.25, and English-cured do. \$2.87 per qtl. Labrador herring \$5 bbl.; med. split \$4.50; Newfoundland do. \$5; Nova Scotia do. \$6; Eastport \$4; split Shore \$1.25; round do. \$3.50; round Eastport \$3.25; pickled codfish \$7; haddock \$6; halibut heads \$3; sounds \$11; tongues and sounds \$9.50; tongues \$8; alewives \$4; trout \$14.50; California salmon \$15; Halifax do. \$23; Newfoundland do. \$16." Port of Spain, Trinidad, July 31.—"Shortly after our last advices the *Garnet* arrived direct from Lockport with the first cargo of "new catch," which we sold outright at \$24 tierces, \$25 drums, \$5.75 boxes, and \$16 haddock. The S. S. *Loanda* brought a small assortment of Yarmouth cure, which is selling at about foregoing figures. There is still some old fish on hand selling at irregular rates. Mackerel are saleable, and there is also some enquiry for split and round herring."

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MARKET QUOTATIONS.—WHOLESALE RATES.

Our Price Lists are corrected for us each week by reliable merchants.

GROCERIES.

SUGARS.		
Cut Leaf.....	17 to 19	8
Granulated.....	20 to 23	6½ to 6¾
Circle A.....	25 to 29	6½
White Extra C.....	31 to 33	6
Standard.....	35 to 36	5½ to 5¾
Extra Yellow C.....	37 to 39	5½ to 5¾
Yellow C.....		5½ to 5¾
TEA.		
Congou, Common.....	17 to 19	
" Fair.....	20 to 23	
" Good.....	25 to 29	
" Choice.....	31 to 33	
" Extra Choice.....	35 to 36	
Oolong, Choice.....	37 to 39	
MOLASSES.		
Barbadoes.....	34 to 36	
Demerara.....	32 to 36	
Diamond N.....	47	
Porto Rico.....	33 to 36	
Cienfuegos.....	32	
Trinidad.....	32 to 33	
Antigua.....	32 to 33	
Tobacco, Black.....	38 to 44	
" Bright.....	42 to 58	
BISCUITS.		
Pilot Bread.....	3.15	
Boston and Thin Family.....	6½	
Soda.....	6½	
do in 1 lb. boxes, 50 to case.....	7½	
Fancy.....	8 to 15	

BREADSTUFFS.

Chicago wheat yesterday stood at \$1.05 for any, and Sept. corn \$4 84½. New York wheat \$1.08, corn 55½c., Toronto wheat \$1 to \$1.02.

Flour has advanced from 25c. to 50c. per barrel, some mills asking \$5.75 for some flours which were sold at \$5.15 two to three weeks since. If the crops of the world are as much injured and short as represented, flour has seen its lowest point for this year, and we think \$6.25 will soon be touched.

Cornmeal and oatmeal unchanged.

FLOUR.		
Manitoba Highest Grade Patents.....	6.40 to 6.50	
High Grade Patents.....	5.50 to 5.75	
Good 90 per cent. Patents.....	5.30 to 5.40	
Straight Grade.....	5.10 to 5.15	
Superior Extras.....	4.90 to 5.00	
Good Seconds.....	4.60 to 4.70	
Graham Flour.....	5.00 to 5.25	
American Supr. Extras, in bond.....	4.35 to 4.40	
American 90 per cent. in bond.....	5.00	
Pillsbury's Best, in half bbls.....	5.00	
Oatmeal.....	5.00	
" Rolled.....	5.10	
Kiln Dried Cornmeal.....	3.00 to 3.20	
Roll'd Wheat.....	5.50	
Wheat Bran, per ton.....	18.00	
Shorts.....	23.00 to 25.00	
Middlings.....	26.00 to 28.00	
Cracked Corn including bags.....	32.00	
Ground Oat Cake, per ton.....	35.00	
Moulse.....	28.00	
Split Peas.....	3.75 to 4.00	
White Beans, per bushel.....	1.55 to 2.00	
Pot Barley, per barrel.....	4.00 to 4.50	
Canadian Oats, choice quality.....	15 to 16	
P. E. I. Oats.....	56 to 60	
Hay per ton.....	10.50	

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FISH FROM VESSELS.

MACKEREL.		
Extra.....	14.00	
No. 1.....	13.00	
" 2 large.....	12.00	
" 2.....	11.50	
" 3 large.....	11.50	
" 3.....	11.50	
HERRING.		
No. 1 Shore July.....	3.25 to 3.50	
No. 1, August, Round.....	2.50	
" September.....	2.50	
Labrador, in cargo lots, per bbl.....	3.00 to 3.25	
Bay of Islands, Split.....	none	
" Round.....	none	
ALEWIGS, per bbl.....	3.00 to 3.25	

CODFISH.		
Hard Shore.....	4.25 to 4.50	
Bank.....	4.00 to 4.25	
Bay.....	4.00 to 4.25	
SALMON, No. 1.....	18.00 to 19.00	
HADDOCK, per qtl.....	2.75 to 3.00	
HADDOCK, per doz.....	2.00 to 2.25	
" 1/2 doz.....	2.00 to 2.50	
POLLOCK.....	1.75	
HADDOCK SOUNDS, per lb.....	1.25	
COD OIL A.....	25	

PROVISIONS.

Beef, Am. Ex. Mess, duty paid.....	12.50 to 13.00
" Am. Plate.....	12.50 to 13.00
" Ex. Plate.....	13.50 to 14.00
Pork, Mess, American.....	16.50 to 17.00
" American, clear.....	18.00 to 19.00
" P. E. I. Mess.....	16.00 to 16.50
" P. E. I. Thin Mess.....	14.00
" Prime Mess.....	12.50 to 13.00
Lard, Tubs and Pails, P. E. Island.....	12
" American.....	11 to 12
Hams, P. E. I., green.....	8 to 9

Prices are for wholesale lots only, and are liable to change daily.

HOME AND FOREIGN FRUITS.

Apples, No. 1, per bbl., new.....	3.50 to 5.00
Changes, new Jamaica.....	9.50
Lemons, per case.....	9.50
Cocoanuts, new, per 100.....	4.50
Onions, American, per lb.....	3½
Dates, boxes, new.....	5½ to 6
Raisins, Valencia.....	9
Figs, Eleme, 5 lb boxes per lb.....	11
" small boxes.....	10 to 13
Prunes, Stewing, boxes.....	7
Pineapples, per doz.....	2.50
Bananas, per bunch.....	2.00 to 2.50

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BUTTER AND CHEESE.

Nova Scotia Choice Fresh Prints.....	25
" in Small Tubs.....	18 to 20
" Good, in large tubs, new.....	16
" old.....	10 to 15
" Store Packed & oversalted.....	10
Canadian Township, new.....	18
" old.....	8 to 10
" Western.....	16 to 17
" old.....	7 to 10
Cheese, Canadian, new.....	10
" Antigonish.....	10½