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China teas. The local demand for dried fruits is slow, but some offers are reported from Western jobbers for round lots of fine off-stalk Valencia at 5¼c. Canned tomatoes keep on firming up, and some predict that considerably over \$1 will be asked before new pack comes in. There are said to be only 7,000 to 8,000 cases in packers' hands, and sales in quantity to the United States are reported at 87½c. Sugars are off again, the factory figure for granulated being now \$3.90, yellows from \$3.15 to \$3.80.

Leather.—The aggregate of business for January is reported to have been satisfactory, though large single deals were not numerous. Business this month is fair, and judging from the briskness in the shoe trade, it is judged some considerable quantity of leather will yet be required before spring orders are all filled. Values are quite steady. We quote: Spanish sole, B.A. No. 1, 25 to 26c.; No. 2, B.A., 23½ to 24½c.; No. 3, B.A., 23 to 23½c.; No. 1, ordinary, Spanish, 25c.; No. 2, 23 to 24c.; No. 1 slaughter, 27 to 28c.; No. 2, ditto, 25c.; common, 22 to 24c.; Union crop, 20 to 30c.; waxed upper, light and medium, 30 to 35c.; ditto, heavy, 27 to 30c.; grained, 32 to 35c.; Scotch grained, 30 to 35c.; Western splits 20 to 22c.; Quebec ditto, 15 to 17c.; juniors, 15 to 16c.; calf-splits, 30 to 35c.; imitation French calfskins, 60 to 70c.; colored calf, American, 25 to 26c.; Canadian, 20 to 22c.; colored pebble cow, 13 to 15c.; russet sheepskins linings, 30 to 40c.; colored sheepskins, 6½ to 7½c.; black, ditto, 6 to 6½c.; black Indias, 7 to 8c.; harness, 31 to 33c.; buffed cow, 11 to 13c.; extra heavy buff, 15c.; pebble cow, 10 to 12c.; glove-grain, 10 to 12c.; russet and bridle, 35 to 45c.

Metals and Hardware.—Hardware men report continued excellent business, and in most lines of heavy metals the demand is up to the average looked for at the season. Domestic bar iron remains scarce and firm at \$1.90 to \$1.95. The English market for sheets is reported a strong one, and some fair import orders are reported to have been placed for German thin sheets, at figures below British or American. Coke tins are quoted at \$4.40 to \$4.50; Ternes, \$7.75; galvanized sheets, \$4.35, for best brands, 28 gauge; galvanized Canadas, \$4.60 for 60 sheets. Copper keeps on picking up, and is now quoted at 14¼c.; lead has also moved upwards, \$3.20 being now asked, and tin is also rather firmer at 27c. for Straits, and 28c. for L. & F.

Oils, Paints, and Glass.—Orders keep coming in well. Linseed oil is reported very strong in Britain, and local prices may move upwards at any time, but no change has as yet taken place. All other quotations are said to be steady. Quotations are: Single barrels, raw and boiled linseed oil respectively, 75 and 78c. per gallon, for one to four barrel lots; 5 to 9 barrels, 74 and 77c., net, 30 days, or 3 per cent. for four months' terms. Turpentine, one barrel, 65c.; two to four barrels, 64c.; net, 30 days. Olive oil, machinery, 90c.; Cod oil, 32 to 35c. per gallon; steam refined seal, 49 to 52c. per gallon; straw, ditto, 45 to 47c.; Castor oil, 9c.; in quantity; tins, 9¼ to 9½c.; machinery castor oil, 8½ to 9c.; Leads, (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$5.87½c.; No. 1, \$5.37½c.; No. 2, \$5.12½; No. 3, \$4.87½; No. 4, \$4.37½; fry white lead, 5½ to 6c., pure; No. 1, do., 5c.; genuine red, ditto, 5c.; No. 1, red lead, 4½ to 4¾c.; Putty, in bulk, bbls., \$2; bladder putty, in bbls., \$2.35; ditto, in kegs or boxes, \$2.50; 25-lb. tins, \$2.45; 12½-lb. tins, \$2.75. London washed whitening, 45 to 50c.; Paris white, 75 to 80c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to \$1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.25 to \$1.50; spruce ochre, \$1.75

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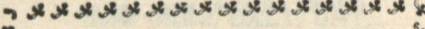
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