

Vegetables are quoted:

Potatoes—Local.....	per ton	00 00 @ 20 00
Onions—Silverskins.....	per lb	2 @ 2½

FLOUR AND FEED.

Wheat for chicken feed is quoted about two dollars a ton lower. Other lines are unchanged. The supply of British Columbia oats is about over, and dealers are looking to the Manitoba and Northwest markets for their supplies. A considerable quantity is also being imported from Washington.

The Ogilvie Milling Co. quote their celebrated brands of Manitoba flours in car lots, on wharf in Victoria, as follows:

Ogilvie's Hungarian.....	\$1 25
" Strong Bakers.....	1 05

The Columbia Flouring Mills quote Enderby flour in carload lots on wharf in Victoria:

Premier.....	\$1 00
XXX.....	3 85
Strong Bakers or XX.....	3 45
Superfine.....	3 15

The Victoria Roller Mills quote Victoria flour in 10-bbl. lots at the mills as follows:

Delta.....	\$1 00
Victoria XXX.....	1 00

Jobbers' quotations to the trade are:

Delta, Victoria mills.....	\$ 1 25 @ 0 00
Lion, ".....	1 25 @ 0 00
XXX, ".....	1 25 @ 0 00
Premier, Enderby mills.....	1 35 @ 0 00
XXX, ".....	1 20 @ 0 00
XX, ".....	3 80 @ 0 00
Superfine, ".....	3 50 @ 0 00
Ogilvie's Hungarian.....	1 05 @ 0 00
" Strong Bakers.....	1 05 @ 0 00
H. B. C. Fort Garry Hungarian..	1 05 @ 0 00
" Strong Bakers.....	1 50 @ 0 00
Oak Lake Patent Hungarian.....	1 05 @ 0 00
" Strong Bakers.....	1 50 @ 0 00
Regina Hungarian.....	1 05 @ 0 00
" Strong Bakers.....	1 50 @ 0 00
Benton County, Oregon.....	1 00 @ 0 00
Portland Roller.....	1 05 @ 0 00
Snowflake.....	1 05 @ 0 00
Wheat, per ton.....	26 00 @ 30 00
Oats.....	30 00 @ 32 50
Oil cake meal.....	45 00 @ 00 00
Chop feed.....	25 00 @ 30 00
Shorts.....	25 00 @ 30 00
Bran.....	23 00 @ 25 00
National Mills oatmeal.....	3 50 @ 0 00
" rolled oats.....	3 00 @ 0 00
" split peas.....	3 50 @ 0 00
" pearl barley.....	4 50 @ 0 00
" Chop feed.....	23 00 @ 25 00
California oatmeal.....	3 75 @ 0 00
California rolled oats.....	3 75 @ 0 00
Corn, whole.....	per ton 37 50 @ 40 00
Cornmeal.....	2 75 @ 3 00
Cornmeal-feed.....	per ton 40 00 @ 00 00
Cracked corn.....	40 00 @ 00 00
Hay, per ton.....	18 00 @ 20 00
Straw, per bale.....	1 00 @ 0 00

RICE.

The Victoria Rice Mills quote whole:

Japan rice, per ton.....	\$ 75 00 @ 80 00
Best China rice.....	80 00 @ 100 00
Chinarice No. 1.....	68 00 @ 70 00
Rice flour.....	70 00
Broken rice.....	30 00
Rice Meal.....	17 50

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

Sugar quotations declined ½c on Saturday in sympathy with the reduction in raws. Jobbers' quotations for case eggs are a little firmer than last week. Creamery butter in the East is held very firm and almost unobtainable. If the present upward tendency continues in the East and the corresponding lowering of prices in California, it is expected that by the

end of the month our jobbers will secure their stock of butter from the California market in preference to the East. California butter is at present too high, but the dairymen are talking of the season being about three weeks earlier there than last year. Alice & Ault are at present quoting Clover Leaf creamery at 28½c. A new car of November and December make is expected this week and the quotation for the new stock will be 29c. A quantity of prime Nova Scotia Finnan Haddie is quoted by Alice & Ault at \$3.50 per box of 30 lbs. American canned meats, it is said, have a tendency to advance. A large consignment of South Australian canned mutton has been purchased by a local jobbing house. It is a shipment direct from Adelaide and said to be of No. 1 quality.

Valencia raisins.....	per lb	\$ 6 @ \$ 7
Malaga raisins.....	per box	3 00 @ 3 25
Currants (barrels).....	per lb	5 @ 6
" half bbls.....	per lb	5 @ 5½
" (cases).....	per lb	5½ @ 7½
Sultana raisins.....	per lb	10 @ 12½
Taragona almonds.....	per lb	11 @ 18
Filberts.....	per lb	11½ @ 11

Dairy produce is quoted:

Butter—Eastern Creamery, tubs.....	26½ @ 29
Manitoba dairy.....	25 @ 60
Cheese—Canadian, lb.....	12½ @ 14
California.....	16 @ 18
Eggs, case, per doz.....	00 @ 23

Smoked meats and lard are quoted:

Hams.....	15 @ 16½
Breakfast bacon.....	16 @ 17
Short rolls.....	13 @ 14½
Dry Salt, long clear.....	12½ @ 13
Pure Lard, 20 lbs, pails.....	11 @ 14½
" 10 lbs, tins.....	14½ @ 14½
" 5 lbs.....	11½ @ 15
" 3 lbs.....	14½ @ 15
Lard Compound, 10 lbs.....	12½ @ 00
" 20 lbs.....	12½ @ 00

Sugar—Jobbers' prices ¼-barrels and kegs in each case being ½c higher:

Dry Granulated (China).....	5½
Extra C, China.....	4½
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Extra C.....	5½
Fancy Yellow.....	5½
Yellow.....	4½
Golden C.....	3½
Syrups, per lb.....	3
" 1 gal. tins, American (10).....	5 50
" 1 " " (15).....	5 35
" 1 " " Vancouver.....	5 50
" 1½ " ".....	7 00

Jobbers' quotations for Armour Packing Company's brands per lb.:

Helmet brand sugar cured hams, medium	0 16
" heavy..	0 15½
" breakfast bacon	0 16½
Fancy Gold Band hams.....	0 17½
" breakfast bacon.....	0 18½
White Label pure leaf lard, tierces.....	0 14
" 50-lb tins.....	0 14½
" 20-lb ".....	0 14½
" 10-lb ".....	0 14½
" 5-lb ".....	0 14½
" 3-lb ".....	0 14½
Lard compound (tierces).....	0 11½

LUMBER.

There are no changes to report since last review. Business for the new year does not seem to have developed much yet. The American schooner Pioneer, 307 tons, Capt. Hughes, has been chartered for a cargo of poles from Millbay, Cowichan, to Santa Rosalia for a lump sum. The Am. barkentine Wrestler, 147 tons, Capt. Bergman, now on the way from Honolulu to San Francisco, is not expected

here until March, when she will load for Australia. Advice from Cape Mudge say that mostly all the logging camps in the north are closed down, as there is no demand for logs. There are not less than 12,000,000 feet in the water awaiting a raise in the price. The Vancouver shingle mill proprietors have formed a combine under the name of the British Columbia Shingle Manufacturers' Association, with the object in view of working together for mutual interests. It is expected that the other manufacturers of the Province will in a short time join as they realize the benefit that will likely accrue from such an organization.

There are at present two vessels aggregating 2,986 tons, loading at British Columbia ports for foreign. At Vancouver, Am. ship Eclipse, 1,326 tons, for Cork, U. K. Nor. ship Beaconsfield, 1,450 tons, for Coak, U. K.

Quotations for Douglas Fir Lumber in cargo lots for foreign shipment: Rough Merchantable, ordinary sizes, in lengths to 10 feet inclusive, per M feet...\$ 8 00
Deck plank, rough, average length, 35 feet per M..... 19 00
Dressed T. and G. flooring, per M..... 15 00
Pickets, rough per M..... 8 00
Laths, 4 feet 6 in, per M..... 1 90
The following are the current city prices; quotations are at the mill and subject to the usual discounts: Rough, \$7.50 per M ft; rough clear, \$14; ship lap, \$9 to \$10; flooring and rustic, No. 1, \$16 do., No. 2, \$12; shingles, \$1.50; lath, \$1.50.

FOREIGN COAL SHIPMENTS.

The following are the shipments for the week ending January 6:

NEW VANCOUVER COAL CO. SHIPPING.			
Date.	Vessel and Destination.	Tons.	
2.	Tyre, str., Port Townsend.....	31	
1.	Montserrat, ss, San Francisco.....	1,454	
5.	Kildonan, str, Whatecom.....	355	
Total.....		1,843	

Nine hotels at Vancouver, where liquor was sold have been closed by the license commissioners.

The German bark Gutenberg, 627 tons Capt. Zepelin, from Glasgow August 10, for this port is now due. She is out 152 days.

Carscaden, Peck & Co., wholesale clothing, Winnipeg and Vancouver, have dissolved. J. D. Carscaden retires. John W. Peck & Co. continue.

The British bark Archer, 789 tons, Capt. Dawson, from Liverpool August 4, is now out 158 days for this port with a general cargo consigned to R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd.

The Victoria Athletic Grounds Association, Ltd., has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$10,000. W. H. Ellis, Thos. H. Alice, W. J. Smith, W. H. Cullin and W. G. Mackenzie are trustees.

It is semi-officially announced that the Dominion Parliament will not meet for the dispatch of business before February 15, in order to give time for the Wilson Tariff Bill to be brought down in the U. S. Congress, it being difficult to prepare the Dominion Budget until something is known as to the fiscal policy of our American neighbors.