

for green hides is just as reported a week ago, dealers buying No. 1 at 9c. per lb., and quoting 10c. to tanners. Receipts continue on the light side. For lambskins 10c. is quoted, sheepskins 70 to 75c. each, and calves 10 and 8c. for Nos. 1 and 2, respectively.

LEATHER.—Boot and shoe manufacturers keep well employed on spring goods, but some of them are now directing attention to the preparing of fall samples. Leather shows a steady, fair movement in sole, dongolas, and colored stock, and values remain firm, some tanners trying to establish a little advance. The lost "Castilian" had some 2,000 odd sides of sole on board, and the "Labrador," and "Arona," now so long overdue, had some fair lots of Canadian sole and black leather for the English market. We quote: Spanish sole, B.A., No. 1, 24c.; No. 2, 22 to 22½c.; No. 1 ordinary Spanish, 23 to 24c.; No. 2, 20 to 21c.; No. 1 slaughter, 26 to 28c.; No. 2, do., 24 to 25c.; common, 20 to 21c.; waxed upper, light and medium, 30 to 35c.; do., heavy, 27 to 30c.; grained, 32 to 35c.; Scotch grained, 30 to 35c.; Western splits, 21 to 24c.; Quebec do., 16 to 18c.; juniors, 16 to 17c.; calf-splits, 30 to 35c.; calfskins, (35 to 40 lbs.), 60 to 65c.; imitation French calfskins, 65 to 75c.; colored calf, American, 25 to 28c.; Canadian, 20 to 24c.; colored pebble cow, 13 to 15c.; russet sheepskins linings, 30 to 40c.; colored, 6 to 7½c.; harness, 24 to 27c.; buffed cow, 13 to 15c.; extra heavy buff, 15c.; pebble cow, 11½ to 13c.; polished buff, 12 to 13c.; glove-grain, 12 to 12½c.; rough, 22 to 23c.; russet and bridle, 35 to 45c.

METALS AND HARDWARE.—Stiffness marks the situation as regards most lines of heavy metals still, though a little reaction in some of the most marked advances is only natural. Ingot tin has been offered at 25½c. in wholesale lots, and lead at 4c. for immediate delivery, and 3¾c. to arrive; copper is also a shade easier; antimony firmer, and sheet zinc is held at 7¼ to 7½c., with much scarcity of standard sizes. Pig iron is firmly held at the advance last noted, and holders of Canada and tinplates are not, it is said, disposed to make any concessions. We quote: Summerlee pig iron, \$21 to \$21.50; Hamilton, No. 1, \$17.50 to \$18; No. 2 do., \$16 to \$16.50; Ferrona, No. 1, \$17 to \$17.50; machinery scrap, \$12 to 13; common ditto, \$11 to 12; bar iron, Canadian, \$1.40 to \$1.45; British, \$2 to 2.15; best refined, \$2.40; Low Moor, \$5; Canada plates—Pontypool or equal, \$2.25, 52 sheets to box; 60 sheets, \$2.30 to 2.35; 75 sheets, \$2.40; all polished Canadas, \$2.45; Terne roofing plate, 20 x 28, \$5.90 to 6; Black sheet iron, No. 28, \$2.25; No. 26, \$2.20. No. 24, \$2.10; No. 17, \$2; No. 16, and heavier, \$2.15; tin plates—Bradley charcoal, \$5.60 to 5.70; charcoal, I.C. Alloy, \$3.40 to \$3.50; do., I.X., \$4.00; P.D. Crown, I.C., \$4 to \$4.25; do., I.X., \$4.50; coke, I.C., \$3.25; ditto, standard, \$3 for 100 lbs.; coke, wasters, \$2.70; galvanized sheets, No. 28, ordinary brands, \$4.25 to 4.50; No. 26, \$4; No. 24, \$3.75 in case lots; Morewood, \$5 to 5.10; tinned sheets, coke, No. 24, 6c.; No. 26, etc., the usual extra for large sizes. Canadian bands, per 100 lbs. \$1.65 to 1.75; English hoops, \$2 to 2.15. Steel boiler plate, ¼-inch, and upwards, \$2 to \$2.10 for Dalzell and equal; do., three-sixteenths inch, \$2.50; tank iron, ¼-inch, \$1.50; three-sixteenths, do., \$2; tank steel, \$1.75; heads, seven-sixteenths, and upwards, \$2.40 to \$2.45; Russian sheet iron, 9c.; lead, per 100 lbs., \$4.25; best sheet, \$4.50 to 4.60; shot, \$6 to 6.50; best cast-steel, 8 to 10c.; toe calk, \$2.25; spring, \$2.50; sleigh shoe, \$1.85; tire, \$1.90; round machinery steel, 2.25 to \$3. as to finish; ingot tin, 25½ to 26c. for L. & F.; Straits, 25¼ to 25½c.; bar tin, 27½ to 28c.; ingot copper, 18c.; sheet-

zinc, \$7.25 to 7.50; Silesian spelter, \$6.50 to \$6.75; Veille Montagne spelter, \$6.75 to \$7; American spelter, \$6.50 to \$6.75; anti-mony, 10½c.

OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—The extreme stiffness in turpentine still rules, and even when new crop comes in values are expected to rule much above the level of last year. Reports from Savannah indicate much shortness of stock, there being only 10,000 barrels in sight, as against 40,000 barrels at this time last year. In other lines there is nothing new. Orders for shipment, when spring freight rates take effect, are still coming in freely. We quote: Single barrels, raw, and boiled linseed oil, respectively, 50 and 53c. per gal.; two to four barrels, 49 and 52c.; 5 to 9 barrels, 48 and 51c.; net 30 days, or 3 per cent., for 4 months' terms. Turpentine, one to four barrels, 68c.; five to nine barrels, 67c.; net 30 days, Olive oil, machinery, 90c.; Cod oil, 34 to 36c. per gal.; steam refined seal, 37½ to 40c. per gallon. Castor oil, 8½ to 9c. in quantity, tins, 9½c.; machinery castor oil, 7½ to 8c.; Leads (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$5.87½; No. 1, \$5.50; No. 2, \$4.17½; No. 3, \$4.75; No. 4, \$4.37½; dry white lead, 5½ to 6c. for pure; No. 1, ditto, 5c.; genuine red ditto, 5c.; No. 1 red lead, 4½ to 4¾c.; Putty, in bulk, bbls., \$1.65; kegs, \$1.80; bladder putty, in bbls., \$1.80; smaller quantities, \$1.95; 25-lb. tins, \$2.05; 12½-lb. tins, \$2.30. London washed whitening, 40 to 45c.; Paris, white, 85 to 90c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to \$1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.25 to \$1.50; spruce ochre, \$1.75 to \$2. Window glass, \$1.80 per 50 feet for first break; \$1.90 for second break. Paris green, 13c. in 50 and 100-lb. packages; 14c. in 25-lb. packages; pound packages, in boxes, 15c.

LIVERPOOL PRICES.

Liverpool, March 16, 1908 p.m.

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Wheat, Spring	6	0
Red Winter	6	0½
No. 1 Cal.	0	0
Corn old	3	7½
" new	3	5½
Peas	5	10
Lard	27	3
Pork	45	6
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