

**COMMERCIAL.**

Wool continues in a very good demand, and prices are firmly maintained. Manufacturers show a readiness to buy what they can, in anticipation of a further advance in prices this fall.

**WHOLESALE RATES.**

We intend devoting special attention to our Commercial and Financial Articles, and to our Market Quotations, and to this end have secured the co-operation of several persons thoroughly conversant with questions of finance and commerce.

## BREADSTUFFS.

### PROVISIONS AND PRODUCE.

Our quotations below are our to-day's wholesale selling prices for car lots not cash. Jobbers' and Retailers' prices about 5 to 10 per cent advance on carload lots.

<b>SUGAR.</b>	
Cut Leaf .....	4 to 8 1/2
Granulated .....	6 1/2 to 8 1/2
Circle A .....	6 1/2 to 8 1/2
Extra C .....	5 1/2 to 8 1/2
Yellow C .....	5 1/2 to 8 1/2
<b>TEA.</b>	
Congou Common .....	17 to 12
" Fair .....	20 to 23
" Good .....	25 to 28
" Choice .....	31 to 33
" Extra Choice .....	35 to 38
Oolong—Choice .....	37 to 38
<b>MOLASSES.</b>	
Barbadoes .....	30 to 32
Demerara .....	30 to 35
Diamond N .....	42
Porto Rico .....	31
Tobacco—Black .....	37 to 40
" Bright .....	42 to 58
<b>BISCUITS.</b>	
Pilot Bread .....	2.60 to 2.90
Hoston and Thin Family .....	5 1/2 to 6
Soda .....	5 1/2 to 5 1/2
do in 11b boxes, 50 to case .....	7 1/2
Fancy .....	8 to 15

The above quotations are carefully prepared by a reliable Wholesale House, and can be depended upon as correct.

**BUTTER.**

Nova Scotia Choice	Fresh Prints .....	20 to 23
"	" In Small Tubs .....	20 to 21
"	" God, in large tubs .....	18 to 19
"	Store Packed & oversalted .....	10 to 12
Canadian,	Creamery .....	22 to 24
"	On Creamery the tone is firm.	
"	Township, finest .....	18 to 20
"	" Finest Fancy pkgs. ....	10 to 22
"	" fine .....	17 to 18
"	Morrisburg and Brockville .....	16 to 17
"	Western .....	13 to 16

The above quotations are corrected by a reliable dealer in butter.

FISH FROM VESSELS.

<b>MACKEREL.</b>		
No. 3 large.....	Catch 1883	2 00
	1884	2.00 to 3.00
No. 3 .....	1885	2 00
	1886	2.50 to 2.75
Small .....		1 00
<b>HERRING.</b>		
No. 1 Shore, July .....	1886	4.40 to 4.25
(reported almost a total failure on our shores.)		
At. whives ....	Catch, 1886, per bbl	2 50
<b>COUSH.</b>		
Hard Shore to equal, catch, 1885, per qtl.		
Price as to quality.....		
1884 per qtl.....		2.10 to 2.25
Bank.....	1886	1 40
Bay.....		none
SALMON, No 1 .....		13 00 to 14 00
HADDOCK, 1886, per qtl.....		1.75 to 1.90
HAKK .....		1.50 to 1.75
CUSK .....		none
POLOCK .....		none
HAKK SOUND.....		45 to 50c per lb
COD OIL A.....		29 to 30

The above are prepared by a reliable firm of West India Merchants.

## LOBSTERS.

Nova Scotia (Atlantic Coast Packing).

Tall Cans .....	4.75 to 5.25
Flat " .....	6.00 to 6.50

Per case 4 doz. 11b cans.

The above quotations are corrected  
by a reliable dealer.

## LUMBER.

pine, clear, No 1, per m.	25.00 to 28.00
" Merchantable, do do	14.00 to 17.00
" " No 2 do	10.00 to 12.00
" Small, per m.	8.00 to 14.00
spruce, dimension good, per m.	9.50 to 10.00
" Merchantable, do do	8.00 to 9.00
" Small, do do	6.50 to 7.05
hemlock, merchantable	7.00
shingles, No 1, sawed, pine	3.00 to 3.50
" No 2, do do	1.00 to 1.25
" spruce, No 1	1.10 to 1.30
slaths, per m	2.00
hard wood, per cord	4.00 to 4.25
soft wood	2.25 to 2.50

The above quotations are prepared  
by a reliable firm in this line.

<b>FLOUR.</b>		
Graham.....		4.40 to 4.50
Patent high grades.....		4.50 to 4.80
"    mediums.....		4.25 to 4.40
Superior Extras.....		4.00 to 4.15
Lower grades.....		3.40 to 3.85
Oatmeal, Standard.....		4.40 to 4.50
"    Granulated.....		4.75
Corn Meal—Italifax ground.....		2.95 to 3.00
—Imported.....		2.95 to 3.00
Bran per ton—Wheat.....		15.50 to 16.00
"    —Corn.....		14.50 to 15.00
Shorts.....		17.50 to 18.00
Middlings.....		20.00 to 21.00
Cracked Corn.....		29.00 to 30.00
"    Oats.....		25.00 to 30.00
"    Barley.....		nominal
Feed Flour.....		3.25 to 3.50
"    From Frozen Wheat, nominal.....		2.75
Oats per bushel of 35 lbs.....		42 to 45
Barley "    of 48 ".....		nominal
Peas "    of 60 ".....		75 to 80
White Beans, per bushel.....		1.10
White Beans, per bushel.....		1.50 to 1.65
Hot Barley, per barrel.....		4.85 to 4.90
Corn "    of 56 lbs.....		80 to 85
Hay per ton.....		13.00 to 14.00
Straw ".....		10.00 to 12.00

**J. A. CHIPMAN & Co., Liverpool**  
Wharf, Halifax, N. S.

## PROVISIONS.

Beef, Am. Ex. Mess, duty paid....	11.50 to 12.30
" " Am. Plate, " .....	12.00 to 12.50
" " Ex. Plate, " .....	13.00 to 13.50
Pork, Mess, American " .....	12.50 to 13.00
" " " " " new	11.50 to 12.00
" " American, clear.....	15.00 to 15.50
" " P. E. I Mess.....	12.50 to 13.00
" " " " " new	11.50 to 12.00
" " P. E. I Thin " .....	10.50 to 11.00
" " " " " Prime Mess .....	9.50 to 10.00
Lard, Tubs and Pails.....	10 to 11
" " Cases.....	12 to 12 1/2
Hams, P. E. I.....	12 to 13c
Duty on Am. Pork and Beef \$2.20 per bbl.	

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

These quotations are prepared by a reliable wholesale house.

**WOOL, WOOL SKINS & HIDES.**

Wool—clean washed, per pound.....	15 to 15
"    unwashed    "    .....	12 to 15
Salted Hides, No 1    .....	7½
Ox Hides, over 60 lbs., No 1.....	7½
"    under 60 lbs., No 1.....	7
"    over 60 lbs., No 2.....	6½
"    under 60 lbs., No 2.....	6
Cow Hides, No 1    .....	6½
No 3 Hides.....	6
Calf Skins.....	8 to 10
"    Deacons, each.....	25 to 35
Woolskins.....	25 to 1.00
Lambskins.....	15 to 35

The above quotations are furnished by WM. F. FOSTER, dealer in Wool and Hides, Connors' Wharf.

## HOME AND FOREIGN FRUITS.

APPLES Nova Scotia, per bbl	1 50 to 2 50
Oranges, per bbl, Jamaica (new)	9 50 to 10 00
Lemons, per case, best quality	11 00 to 12 00
Coconuts, per 100	5 00 to 5 50
Onions, American, per lb.	2 1/2 to 2 1/2
Mediterranean, per lb.	2 1/2
Poxberries, per bbl.	3 30 to 3 50
Figs, 1lb boxes (fresh)	16 to 18c
Dates, large (new)	7 to 8c
Mangoes	2 00 to 2 75
Tomatoes, per crate	1 50 to 2 00

The above quotations are furnished  
by C. H. Harvey, 10 & 12 Sackville St:

## POULTRY.

Turkeys, per pound.....	none
Geese, each.....	none
Ducks, per pair.....	60 to 90
Chickens.....	40 to 60

The above are corrected by a reliable victualer.

**LIVE STOCK**—at Richmond Depot.

Steers, best quality, per 100lbs. alive..	4.50
Oxen, .. .. .	4.00
Fat Steers, Heifers light weights.	3.50
Wethers, best quality, per 100lbs.....	3.00 to 4.00
Lambs, .. .. .	3.00 to 4.00

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