

TABLE SHOWING COMPARATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF STAPLE COMMODITIES, OTTAWA, CAN., JUNE 1907 AND JUNE 1907

Reference Number	Commodity [Exact quality stated]	Price [for same quantity or measure]		Remarks
		June, 1907	June, 1907	
12	Hinges			
11	Bolts and Nuts			Have increased 50%
11	Nails			Have advanced 15%
12	Nails (cut)	\$2.45 per keg	\$2.80 per keg	Have advanced 20%
12	" (cut)	1.00 "	2.50 "	Have advanced 20%
11	Locks	2.10 "	2.00 "	Have advanced 25%
12	"			Have advanced 24%
11	Door bells			Have advanced 25%
11	Screws			Have advanced 50%
11	Wire			Have advanced 15%
11	Wire (barbed)			Have advanced 10%
11	Iron	\$2.25 per 100lbs	\$3.00 per 100lbs	Have advanced 33%
11	Galvanized Iron			Has advanced 30%
11	Garden Tools			Has advanced 25%
12	Bar Iron			Have advanced 20%
12	Binder Twine	\$1.75 per 100lbs	\$2.50 per 100lbs	Increase, 28%
12	Rope	7.25 "	\$11.50 "	Increase, 58%
12	Barred Felt	10 per lb.	15 per lb.	Increase, 50%
12	Belted	15 per roll	60 per roll	Increase, 30%
12	Woodwork for windows and partitions			Has advanced about 30%
12	Screen Doors			Has advanced about 10%
10	"			Have decreased 10% on ready made goods.
				Have advanced 10% on better class.
21	Paints			
21	Varnishes			
21	Turpentine	\$.60 per gal	\$ 1.00 per gal	Increase, 10 2/3%
21	Mixed paints	.65 "	1.00 "	Increase, 66 2/3%
21	Window Glass	1.40 "	1.60 "	Increase, 14 2/3%
21	White lead	\$ 8.00 per 100lbs	\$ 8.00 per 100lbs	Increase, 25%
21	"	1.75 "	8.00 "	Increase, 34 2/3%
21	Paris green	1.50 per lb.	.75 per lb.	Increase, 70%
21	Linseed oil	.12 "	.20 "	Increase, 75%
21	Wall paper	.65 "	.70 "	Increase, 66 2/3%
	Druggists' Supplies			Little change.
19	Drugs			
19	Hair Brushes			There has been a steady increase in crude drugs, retail prices have slightly advanced.
19	Combs			Have advanced 25%
19	Sponges			Have advanced 25%
19	Chamois			Have advanced 50%
19	Rubber Goods			Have advanced 35%
				Have advanced 20-35%
	Leather Goods, etc			
7	Trunks			
7	Chest	\$2.25	\$2.50	Increase, 11%
7	Medium	7.00	7.00	No advance
7	Best	28.00	40.00	Increase, 43%
10 21	Trunks			Increase, 35%
7	Bags			
7	Gib-stone	\$14.50	\$18.00	Increase, 25%
7	Suit Cases	7.50	7.50	No change.
7	Hand-bags	8.50	10.00	Increase, 30%
11	Portmanteaus	\$28.00	\$35.00	Increase, 25%
10	Bells	60	75	Increase, 25%
7	Bells			Advance, 15%
11	Presses	\$1.00	\$1.20	Advance, 20%
12	"			Higher, 25%
12	"			Higher, 25%
	Books and Stationery			
22	Books			Little change.
22	Magazines and Periodical			Little change.
22	Paper (writing)			Little change.
22	" (printing)			Advance, 20%
22	Inks			Unchanged
22	Pens			Unchanged; Esterbrooks advanced 10%
22	Fountain Pens			Prices unchanged, quality improved
22	Pencils			Somewhat cheaper.
22	Bookkeepers' Supplies			Unchanged.
22	Christmas Cards, etc.			Same price, quality improved.
22	Printing, Engraving and Binding			Has advanced 20%.
	Jewellery			
15	Diamonds			Have advanced 40%.
15	Watches			Somewhat cheaper than 10 years ago, but are advancing again.
15	Clocks			Have advanced 10-25%
15	Silverware			Has advanced 30-35%
10	"			Has advanced 25-35%