

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT

Name of Article.	Wholesale.
Hardware—	
Refined iron, per 100 lbs.	2.40
Horseshoe iron, per 100 lbs.	2.40
Steel tire, per 100 lbs.	2.35
Steel toe calk, per 100 lbs.	3.10
Steel Capital tool, per 100 lbs.	0.50
Canadian Foundry No. 1	
Car lots	21.00
Candian Foundry No. 2,	
Car lots	19.50 20.50
Summerlee No. 2, Pig iron	22.50 24.50
Carron, soft	23.75
Black Sheet Iron—	
10 to 12 gauge	2.70 2.75
14 to 16 gauge	2.65 2.50
18 to 20 gauge	2.50 2.65
22 to 24 gauge	2.65 2.75
26 to 28 gauge	2.75 3.00
Canada Plates—	
Ordinary, 52 sheets	3.00 3.10
All bright, 52 sheets	3.70 4.15
Galvanized Sheets (Corrugated)—	
22-24 gauge per square	6.75 5.50
26-28 gauge, per square	4.25 4.00
Galvanized Sheets (Queen's Head)—	
B. W. Gauge, 16-20	3.75
B. W. Gauge, 22-24	3.90
B. W. Gauge, 26	4.15
B. W. Gauge, 28	4.10
Tin and Tin Plates—	
Lamb and Flag and Straits—	
56 & 28 lb Ingots, per ton	48.00 47.00
1C Coke 14 x 20 base per box	4.50
1C Charcoal, 20 x 28, 112	
plates per box	8.25
1X Terne Tin, per box	9.75
1C Redipped Charcoal, 14 x	
20 base per box	7.00
1X Redipped Charcoal, 14 x	
30 base per box	8.25
1XX Redipped charcoal, 14 x	
20 base per box	9.50
Lead—	
Imported Pig, per 100 lbs.	5.75 5.50
Bar Pig, per 100 lbs.	6.00 5.85
Sheets, 2 1/2 lbs, sq. ft.	7.50
Sheets, 3 lbs, sq. ft.	6.75
Sheets, 4 to 6 lbs, sq. ft.	6.50
LEAD PIPE, 5 per cwt. off	7 1/2
Lead Waste Pipe, do.	9
Solder—	
Bar, half and half, guarant'd	0.28 0.28
Sheet Zinc—	
5 cwt. casks	8.00 8.00
Part casks	8.25 8.50
Spelter—	
Foreign, per 100 lbs.	6.75 7.00
Wire—	
Barbed Wire	2.42 2.45
Galvanized Plain Twist	2.95
Smooth Steel Wire, No. 9 to	
16 base	2.30
Fine Steel Wire	per 100 lbs.
Nos. 19 and 20	6.00 6.65
Nos. 21 and 22	7.00 7.30
Nos. 23 and 24	7.65 8.00
Nos. 25 and 26	9.00 9.50
Nos. 27 and 28	10.00 11.00
Nos. 29 and 30	12.00 13.00
Nos. 31 and 32	14.00 15.00
Nos. 33 and 24	16.00 17.00
Poultry netting	50 & 107 1/2
Wire Nails, small lots, base	2.25 2.40
Cut Nails	2.60 2.80
Staples—	
Galvanized	2.85
Plain	2.55
Horse Shoe Nails—	
Nos. 3-12 per 25 lb. box	4.10 2.15
Horse Shoes—	
Iron horse shoes, light, medium and heavy.	
No. 2 and larger	3.90
No. 1 and smaller	4.15
Steel Shoes, 1 to 6—	
No. 2 and larger	4.35
No. 1 and smaller	4.60

CONSUMER DOES NOT SHARE

The Boston Advertiser has discovered that, although cattle have been selling very low in Kansas City, there has been no reduction in the price of beef. The Kansas farmers are selling their cattle because the corn crop in that state has been injured by the drought. The price has steadily fallen, but there has been no corresponding drop in the price of beef. The Advertiser also learns that, because of a fear that feed will be higher in the west, poultry has been rushed off to the commission houses and sold very cheaply. The price to the poultrymen has decrease but there has not been a proportionate decline in the price the consumer has to pay. There has been no lack of buyers, who will take care that the meat and poultry are kept in cold storage, and doled out in such a way as to keep the price to the consumer as high as possible. As the Boston Advertiser puts it: "The general public will pay about what it always pays."

The problem of getting for the consumer the benefit of reduced prices of meats and produce is one so difficult that he would be a benefactor indeed who could offer even a partial solution. However, the conditions are such that universal attention is being directed to the need of relief, and that is always preliminary to a successful struggle for a desired change. The case is by no means hopeless. Co-operation will help.

ONTARIO'S WHITE PINE.

The Ontario Government has just issued a handbook of Ontario resources which claims for Ontario the most valuable pine forests on the Continent. "The forest wealth of the Province," it states, "is an asset that must not be overlooked. The forest area of Ontario, not counting Patricia, the newly added district, which alone has 100,000 square miles, is the most valuable on the Continent of America. The quantity of pine still standing on licensed lands is estimated at 7,000,000,000 feet and on unlicensed lands 13,500,000,000. The total revenue of the Province from woods and forests in 1912 was \$1,985,662."

WHY THEY LEAVE THE FARM.

(From the Guelph Mercury.)

Farmer to his son: "Johnnie, after supper be sure and cut enough kindlings, then finish the milking and see that the horses are bedded and fed. Be sure that the chickens are locked up, and don't forget to finish bagging the grain for the load I'm going to take to town in the morning. Be sure to get all this done. I'm going to the meeting to discuss 'How to keep boys on the farm.'"

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Toe Calks—	
Blunt No. 2 and larger, per 25 lb. box	1.25
Blunt No. 1 and smaller, per 25 lb. box	1.50
Sharp No. 2 and larger, per 25 lb. box	1.50
Sharp No. 1 and smaller, per 25 lb. box	1.75
Bolts and Nuts—	
Carriage Bolts, common, new	\$1.00 (list)
Carriage Bolts, 1 and smaller, 60 and 15%	
Carriage Bolts, 7-16 and up, 55%	
Carriage Bolts, Norway Iron, \$3.00 (list)	
Machine Bolts, 1 and less, 65 & 5%	
Machine Bolts, 7-16 and up, 54%	
Blank Bolts, 57 1/2%	
Nuts, square all sizes, 4c. per lb. off.	
Nuts, hexagon, all sizes, 4 1/2c. per lb. off.	
Building Paper, etc.	
Tarred Fibre Cyclone, 25 lbs roll	0.62
Dry Cyclone, 15 lbs roll	0.50
Tarred wool roofing, per cwt.	2.00
Liquid roofing, cement in bbls. per gal.	0.17
Crude coal tar per bbl.	4.50
Refined coal tar per bbl.	5.00
FARM PRODUCE—	
Butter:	
Finest Creamery	0.27 1/2 0.27 1/2
Fine do.	0.27 0.27
Dairy	0.22 0.23
Second Grades	0.26 1/2 0.26 1/2
Cheese:	
Finest Western white	0.13 1/2 0.13 1/2
Finest Western colored	0.13 0.13
Finest Eastern White	0.12 1/2 0.13
Finest Eastern colored	0.13 1/2 0.13 1/2
Eggs:	
Strictly Fresh	0.38 0.40
Selected	0.32
No. 1 stock	0.28
Sundries:	
Potatoes:	
Quebecs, ex track, bags	0.70 0.80
ex store, bag	1.00 1.10
Honey white clover comb.	0.16 0.17
white extracted	0.11 1/2 0.12
dark grades	0.14 0.15
buckwheat	0.08 0.09
Beans prime	1.05 1.75
hand picked	2.40
GROCERIES—	
Sugar:	
Granulated bags	4.0 4.30
cartons	4.50
Imperial	4.25
Beaver	4.15
Paris lumps	5.05 5.35
Red seal cartons each	5.10 5.35
Crystal diamonds	5.10 7.00
Ex ground	4.70 5.10
Powdered	4.30 5.00
Bright coffee	4.45
Yellow No. 1	4.15
No. 2	4.25
No. 3	4.35
Molasses:	
Punchons Barbadoes facy	
per gal.	0.39
bbls.	0.42
Punchons choice per gal.	0.37
bbls.	0.40
Antigua	0.32 0.33
Corn Syrups	0.03 1/2 0.03 1/2
Pure maple syrup	0.75 1.00
Pure maple sugar	0.10 0.11
Rice and Tapioca	
Rice grade B	25
Rice grade C	3.15
Patna per 100 lbs.	4.80
Patna finest imported	5.37 1/2 5.62 1/2
Pot barley per sack 98 lbs.	4.75
Tapioca	0.05 0.06
seed	0.05 0.06
Salt:	
Windsor 1 lb. bags gross	1.50
3 lb. 100 bags in bbl.	3.00
5 lb. 60 bags in bbl.	2.90
7 lb. 42 bags in bbl.	2.80
200 lbs. bbl.	1.15
Coarse	0.60
Butter	1.55 2.10
Cheese	1.55 2.10