

merlee, \$19.50; Eglinton, \$18.25; Gart-sherrie, \$19.00; Langloan, \$20; Carnbroe, \$18.00; Shotta, none here; Middlesboro, No. 3, none here; Siemens' pig No. 1, \$16.50 to 17.00; Ferrona, No. 1, \$16.50 to \$17.00; machinery scrap, \$14.00 to 15.00; common do., \$8 to \$11; bar iron, Canadian, \$1.85; British, \$2.25; best refined, \$2.40; Low Moor, \$5.25; Canada Plates—

Blaina, or Garth, \$2.45 to \$2.50; all polished Canadas, \$3; Terne roofing plate, 20 x 28, \$7 to 7.25. Black sheet iron No. 28, \$2.60; No. 26, \$2.50; No. 24, \$2.40; tin plates—Brad-ley charcoal, \$5.25 to 5.50; charcoal I. C., \$3.50 to 3.75; P.D. Crown, \$4; do. I.X., \$4.75 to 5; coke I. C., \$3.10 to 3.25; coke wasters, \$3.00; galvanized sheets, No. 28, ordinary brands, 4½ to 5c.; Morewood, 6 to 6½c.;

tinned sheets, coke, No. 24, 6 to 6½c.; No. 26, 6½ to 6¾c.; the usual extra for larger sizes. Hoops and bands, per 100 lbs., \$2.30 to 2.35. Common sheet iron, \$2.25 to 2.40 according to gauge; steel boiler plate, 1-quarter inch and upwards, \$2.00; ditto, 3-sixteenths inch, \$2.60; common tank iron, \$1.65 to \$1.85; heads, \$3.00 to 3.25; Russian sheet iron, 10½ to 11c.; lead per 100 lbs., pig, \$2.75; sheet, \$4 to 4.25; shot, \$6 to 6.50; best cast steel, 10½ to 12c.; spring, \$2.50; tire, \$2.50 to 2.75; sleigh shoe, \$2.40, round machinery steel, \$3; ingot tin, 18c.; bar tin, 25c.; ingot copper, 10½ to 11½c.; sheet zinc, \$5.00 to \$5.25; spelter, \$4.60 to \$4.75; American do., \$4.60 to \$4.75. Antimony 10½ to 12c.; bright iron wires Nos. 0 to 8, \$2.65 per 100 lbs.; annealed do., \$2.70; galvanized, \$3.35; the trade discount on wire is 20 per cent. Coil chain, ½ inch, 5c.; ¾ in., 4½c.; 7-16 in., 4½c.; ½ in., 3½ to 4c.; ¾ in., 4c.; 1 in., 3½c.; 1½ in., and upwards, 3c.

OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—The warehouses of merchants in these lines now display much activity in the shipment of goods, and orders are coming in very fairly. There is a reduction of duty on turpentine of 5 per cent., and we reduce quotations slightly. The duty on linseed oil is changed from a specific to an *ad valorem* by the new tariff, making a difference on the lower side of 2 to 3 cents, and new quotations are still lower. Other lines are not affected by the tariff revision. We quote:—Turpentine, 48c. per gallon for single barrels; two to four barrels, 48c. Linseed oil, raw, 58c. per gallon; boiled 61c.; 5 barrel-lots 1c. less; olive oil, none here; castor, 7 to 7½c.; Nfd. cod, 40c. per gallon; Gaspe oil, 38c. per gallon; steam refined seal, 45 to 46c. in small lots. Leads (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$4.50 to 5.00; No. 1, \$4.50; No. 2, \$4.25; No. 3, \$4.00; dry white lead, 5c.; genuine red do., 4½c.; No. 1 red lead, 4c.; putty, 2c. in bladders per brl. London washed whiting, 50c.; Paris white 90c. to \$1; Venetian red, \$1.50 to 1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.50 to 1.75; spruce ochre, \$2.25 to 2.50. Window glass, \$1.25 per 50 feet for first break, \$1.35 for second break; third break, \$2.90.

WOOL.—But a light business is being done. The mills are not busy on fall goods, as there seems to be a good deal of stock left over owing to the open fall of '93, and manufacturers are just feeling their way along carefully. It is feared that a good many of the smaller mills may be affected by the lightened duties on heavy goods. What little business is being done in wool, is in Capes, at 13½ to 15½c.; and B. A. scoured, at 28 to 34c.; domestic fleece is quoted at 17 to 19c. per lb.

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, April 5th, 1894.

DRY GOODS.—It is now a question of spring weather with the dry goods trade, and with the advent of warmer days a large increase in the volume of business done would undoubtedly take place. The movement last week, however, was by no means inconsiderable, and the cautious way in which orders were placed at the beginning of the season has had the

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