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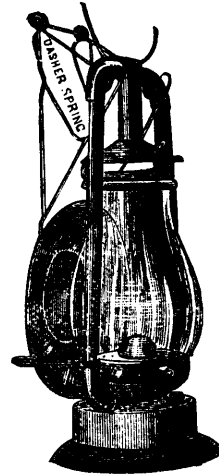
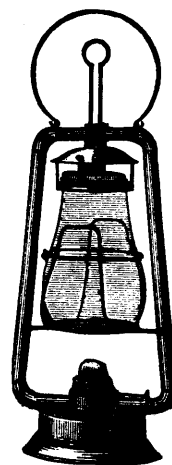
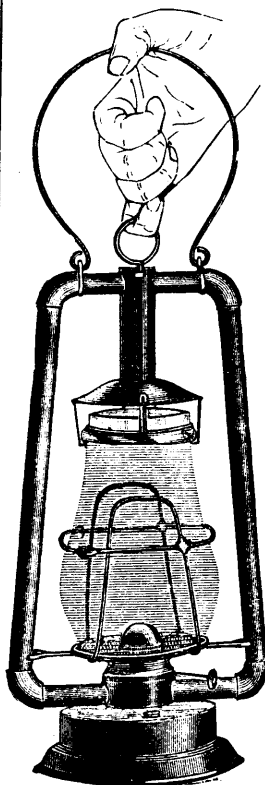
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46 Esplanade St.,  
Toronto.HIDES AND SKINS.—Values are coming down;  
we new quote green hides at 6c. per lb. for  
cows and steers, with 7c. the price for cured  
and inspected. There is a fair demand for  
fine selected hides. Other items in the list  
unchanged.LEATHER.—The condition of trade is fair,  
scarcely to be called active, and remittances  
only moderate. The sole leather market is  
steady, the movement only moderate at this  
season. Upper is in good supply and demand  
weak, prices nominally unchanged. French  
calf and English kip meet with a fair con-  
sumptive demand; hemlock calf we quote now  
at from 50 to 60c. for 25 to 30 lbs. and 60 to  
70c. for 33 to 44 lb. weights. No change in  
price for No. 1 buff and pebble, inferior quali-  
ties are maintained in price. Harness is in  
demand, good bringing 30 to 32c. and inferior  
all the way from 26 to 23c. Splits are in good  
supply, and slowly taken at from 25 to 30c. for  
large and 15 to 20c. for small juniors. Russets  
are higher, say 40 to 45c. In materials there  
is no great change, gambier steady at quota-tions, degrass 3 to 3½; sumach 4½ 5c. Cod oil  
is plentiful and sells at 40 to 45c. No Straits  
on market, cod being so cheap. Sod oil is  
quoted 5½ to 7½ per lb. Hemlock extract 2½ to  
3c. per lb.PROVISIONS.—A fair trade has been done in  
roll butter at from 18 to 20c.; tubs seem ne-  
glected, tho' low grade would find buyers at  
10c.; cheese dull and unchanged, cable price  
59½. In hog product trade is quiet; long  
clear bacon steady at 8½ to 8¾c., and very firm.  
Eggs maintain firmness at 22c. for fresh and  
17 to 18c. for pickled. The market has not  
recovered from last week's glut in poultry,  
held-over stocks are large and demand slim,  
turkeys, 7 to 8c; geese, 5 to 5½c.; chickens,  
25 to 30c. per pair. Stock out of condition is  
always unsalable. Dried apples rather firmer;  
evaporated steady. Hops are quiet, yearlings  
are worth from 10 to 15c.; and this season's  
crop 15 to 25c. per lb.WOOL.—We have no change to note in prices,  
the market is dull, manufacturers buying little  
or nothing.

## BRITISH MARKETS.

The Liverpool firm of Henderson & Glass,  
represented, in Montreal, by Mr. George Kay,  
reports as follows in their circular of 19th  
November:—Iron.—Our market for bars,  
plates, angles, hoops &c., is steady, and al-  
though the volume of business is not exten-  
sive, makers report that they are fairly well  
off for orders, and the outlook is hopeful. In  
sheet iron, owing to heavy demands for gal-  
vanized, manufacturers are unable to give  
prompt attention to orders, there is therefore a  
difficulty in getting deliveries. Tin.—It is  
fully twenty years since this article touched  
the current figures. On the present occasion  
a syndicate has rigged the market and secured  
6,000 tons out of about 9,000 tons in stock. As  
statistics do not justify the sudden advance,  
and several tin plate makers have closed their  
works rather than pay it, we expect a collapse  
before long. Tin-plates.—Buying is confined to  
immediate wants, but we think the re-  
stricted manufacture will prevent an early re-  
currence of the low prices of last summer.  
Zinc Sheets are advanced £1 per ton since our  
last month's circular. Spelter has risen 22/6  
per ton during same period. This hardens  
the price of galvanized sheets considerably.  
Galvanized Iron.—The value of all descrip-  
tions is advancing, and shipments continue  
large. Copper.—For sheets we have to add to  
last month's quotations £8 per ton. The rise  
in copper is legitimate as compared with tin.  
Pig Lead shows an improvement within the  
past four weeks of 10/- per ton, and closes  
steady. Linseed oil in moderate demand only.

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