moment at that figure. Calfskins remain at 7c.; lambskins, 10c.; sheepskins, 70 to 80c. each.

LEATHER.—Prices tend steadily upwards, and we have again to reverse quotations all around. There is not a great deal doing at the moment, still we hear of some good lots of sole moving at advanced prices, and for 1,000 sides of glove grain 12½c. was paid a few days ago. Stocks of black leathers are decidedly light. The settlement of the shoe strike in England has led to some cable enquiries for stock, but prices here are much above the English level. We quote:—Spanish sole B.A. No. 1, 21 to 22c.; do. No. 2 to B.A., 20 to 21c.; No. 1 ordinary Spanish, 19 to 20c.; No. 2, 18 to 19c.; No. 1 slaughter, 22 to 24c.; No. 2 do., 20 to 21c.; common, 19c.; American oak sole, 40 to 45c.; waxed upper, light and medium, 32 to 35c.; do. heavy, 27 to 31c.; grained, 32 to 35c.; Scotch grained, 32 to 35c.; western splits, 20 to 23c.; Quebec do., 17 to 20c.; juniors, 14 to 16c.; calf-splits, 30 to 35c.; calf-skins (35 to 40 lbs.), 50 to 60c.; imitation French calfskins, 65 to 75c.; colored calf, American, 25 to 30c.; Canadian, 20 to 22c.; colored pebble cow, 13 to 14c.; russet sheepskin linings, 30 to 40c.; harness, 25 to 32c.; buffed cow, 12½ to 15c.; polished buff, 12 to 14c.; glove grain, 12½ to 14c.; rough, 22 to 25c.; russet and bridle, 40 to 50c.

METALS AND HARDWARE.—We hear of nothing new in pig iron. No Glasgow boats have yet arrived with new stocks of Scotch iron, and there is little doing in domestic. The Londonderry company is said to have secured orders for some \$36,000 of cast-iron pipe. The "Mariposa" and "Sardinian," now in port, have some fair assortment of tinned plates, etc. English advices report some fair buying of Canada plates and charcoal tins, in which some firmness is anticipated. Prices call for no present revision We quote:—Coltness pig iron, none here; Calder, No. 1, none here; Calder, No. 3, none here; Summerlee, \$20.50 to 21.00; Eglinton, \$19.50; Gartsherrie, none here; Langloan, No. Coltness pig iron, none here; Calder, No. 1, none here; Calder, No. 3, none here; Summerlee, \$20.50 to 21.00; Eglinton, \$19.50; Gartsherrie, none here; Langloan, No. 2, \$17.00; Carnbroe, £19.00 to 19.50; Shotts, none here; Middlesboro, No. 3, \$17.00; Niagara, No. 2, \$18.00 to 18.50; Siemens, pig, No. 1, \$16.50 to 16.75; Ferrona, No. 1, \$16.50 to 16.75; machinery scrap, \$14.00 to 15.00; common do., \$12.00; bar iron, Canadian, \$1.55 to 1.60; British, \$2.00 to 2.15; best refined, \$2.40; Low Moor, \$5.00; Canada plates—Blaina, or Garth, \$2.00; all polished Canadas, \$2.75; Terne roofing plate, 20x28, \$5.75 to 6.00. Black sheet iron, No. 28, \$2.20 to 2.30; No. 26, \$2.15 to 2.20: No. 24, \$2.10; tin plates—Bradley charcoal, \$5 to 5.50; charcoal I.C., \$3 to 3.25 according to finish; P. D. Crown, \$3.75; do I.X., \$4.50; Coke I. C., \$2.60 to 2.85; coke wasters, \$2.50; galvanized sheets, No. 28, ordinary brands, \$4 to \$4\frac{1}{4}c.; No. 26, \$4c.; No. 24, \$3\frac{3}{4}c., in case lots; Morewood, \$\frac{1}{2}t to \$\frac{1}{2}t, \frac{1}{2}t \text{ one of plate}, \$\frac{1}{2}t \text{ of Diss.}, \$\frac{1}{2}1.85; English ditto, \$2; hoops, \$2.10 to 2.15. Steel boiler plate, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ ind upwards, \$1.90 to 2.00 for Dalzell, and equal; American steel plates, \$1.75 to 1.80; ditto, three-sixteenths inch, \$2.60; common tank iron, \$1.65; tank steel, \$1.70; heads, seven-sixteenths and upwards, \$2.00; Russian sheet iron, 10 to 10\frac{1}{2}c.; lead, per 100 lbs., pig, \$3; sheet, \$4 to 4.25; shot, \$6 to 6.50; best cast steel, 10\frac{1}{2} to 12c.; toe calk, \$2.50; spring, \$2.50 to 2.75; tire, \$2 to 2.25; sleigh shoe, \$2; round machinery steel, \$2.50; ingot tin, 15\frac{1}{2} to 16c.; bar tin, 25c.; ingot copper, 10 to 11c.; sheet zinc, \$4.50; Silesian spelter, \$4 to 4.25; American do., \$4 to 4.25. Antimony 10 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. Barb and twisted wire and staples, \$c. for Quebec province, for Ontario \$2.80 to 2

OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—The movement is hardly so active in these lines of merchandise, the main spring rush being now over, but a fair distribution is still reported. There is some excitement in turpentine, western dealers being accused of indiscriminate cutting, and it is said sales have been made there as low as 40 cents per gallon, though it is claimed there is no stock in Canada at the moment that has cost less than 45c., and Montreal dealers adhere to last given quotation, namely, 49 to 50c. Castor oil is reported a shade firmer in Europe.

Other lines are without change. We quote:—Turpentine 49 to 50c. per gallon for single brls; two to four barrels, 48 to 49c. Linssed oil, raw, 56c. per gallon; boiled, 59c.; 5-barrel lots, 1c. less: olive oil, machinery, 90c.; castor, in lots, 6c.; single cases, 6½c.; tins, 6½c.; Nfd. cod, 38 to 40c. per gal.; Gaspe oil, 38c. per gal.; steam refined seal, 38 to 40c. per gal ; in small lots. Leads (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$4.50 to 4.75; No. 1, \$4.25 to 4.50; No. 2, \$4 to 4.25; No. 3, \$3.75 to \$4; dry white lead, 4½ to 4½c.; genuine red do., 4½c.; No. 1 red lead, 4c.; putty, \$1.75 in bulk, \$1.90 in bladders, \$2 in tins; London washed whiting, 40 to 45c.; Paris white, 85 to 90c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to 1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.50 to 1.75; spruce ochre, \$2.25 to 2.50; Paris green, 12½ to 13c. in bulk, 13½ to 14c. in small packages; window glass, \$1.15 to 1.20 per 50 feet for first break; \$1.25 to 1.30 for second break; third break, \$2.80.

TORONTO MARKETS

TORONTO, May 2nd, 1895.

DRUGS.—Since our last report but little has occurred to change the situation. The distributing movement continues fairly satisfactory. Values are steady, with but few alterations in price lists. Opium is easy. Morphias are not firm. Glycerine and camphor both continue strong. Oil anise seed is firm. The movement in Paris green for the season is commencing, and the market opens upon much the same basis as last year, a shade lower, if anything. It would appear that recent government reports have altered somewhat the consumptive demand, and for gardening purposes a blue vitriol mixture will be used instead of Paris green.

GRAIN.—Every day has added strength to the local wheat situation, and quotations of Ontario wheat since our last report are 7 to 8 cents in advance of our last prices current. We quote: Winter wheat, No. 1, 80 to 81c. per bush.; No. 2, 78 to 79c.; No. 3, 75 to 76c.; spring wheat, No. 1, 82 to 83c.; No. 2, 80 to \$1c.; No. 3, 77 to 78c. per bush. An advance of 7 cents in a week's time is a new thing for our wheat market, and indicates great strength. Trading is rather limited, however, and must continue so, as stocks are not heavy. Millers who are not carrying sufficient stock are being compelled to enter the market, and at the changed quotations transactions in 5 and 10-car lots are taking place. Although the advance is in part a reflex of the British and American markets, it is in part due to local causes; and although, at the time of writing, there is a break in the Chicago market, the local situation remains firm. There is nothing new in barley. Oats are unsteady, but, as compared with last week, quotations remain unaltered. Rye is wanted, but trading limited. Peas are dull.

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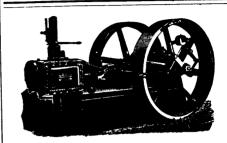
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