

Cable advices to-day did not indicate much change, limits for the most part being unworkable for strictly finest. There was business doing, however, in stock moveable at 9½c., and this is still the market here. At the wharf offerings from the French country aggregated 3,000 boxes, the range for them being 9½c. to 9¾c., with possibly a 1-16c. more in some cases." A correspondent writing from London, G. B., reports as follows:—"The heavy supplies of American and Canadian cheese successively poured into this country has had its effect at last, and a halt has been called by buyers, who, having filled their wants for a bit, are taking breath and a look round. Holders, however, have no cause to feel anxious, and can put all their landings by and wait, as prices, which now, as recently quoted, are unlikely to take a lower trend, while there is every probability of their going on again as soon as purchasers realize the position that England's need is Canada's chance. The make here is so much below expectations and last year's that it is having a great effect on the minds of producers, who claim prices which makers here wink hard and pause. But prices are, undoubtedly, going to be still higher yet, and there should be no surprise felt if the immediate future sees close of season figures ruling. I know men in London who are making over 50s. for large arrivals weekly on the pick of their consignments, and show no particular elation even at that, saying rates must progress much more yet before they come to a stop."

EGGS.—No change has occurred in the local egg market since our last report, but enquiry seems to be more active and prices are very firm. In London "eggs have arrived in smaller quantity, and the prices have gone up 3d. per 120 on some selections. Top price 9s. 6d. for French extra selected; bottom, 6s. 6d. for the poor little Germans now showing in fair quantity. The movements in Liverpool are on a quiet scale, and there is no variation to report either in French or Canadians, which latter are in pretty full supply and fetch about what they have recently been doing. Finest Canadians at Glasgow are 2s. per long hundred below the ruling quotation for best Danish, which are splendid stock, and selling up to 8s. 6d. per ten dozen."

TRIED FRUIT.—Currants are still to be had, but the seller has the advantage. The market is still awaiting the arrival of the new season's crop of raisins the first shipments of which are now due. Meanwhile little or nothing can be effected in the way of business.

SUGAR.—The local sugar market is very strong and the demand is improving. The *Montreal Trade Bulletin* says:—"The prospects of advancing markets indicated in last week's report have been fully realized, sugar having advanced both in our own and foreign markets. In New York granulated got as high as 4 13-16c., while Canadian refineries were only quoting 4½c.; then the price here was advanced to 4½c., and finally, when New York went up to 5c., our local prices were advanced to 4½c., so that even now the price here is ½c. below that in New York, although it has generally been higher. Offers have been made to our Canadian refineries to ship sugar to Boston, and a little less than to day's market price would enable them to do so, even with the addition of the duty. The doubt as to the possibility of getting out beet sugar from Germany with the existing quarantine regulations, continues to keep the New York market very firm. The London market is cabled as steady but quiet for cane, with Java quoted at 16s. and fair refinery at 13s. 9½., which are the same as last week, beet is cabled as quiet, with firsts quoted at 13s. 9½. for September and 13s. 6d. for October, a decline of 4½ from last week. Stocks in Great Britain are 23,000 tons heavier than this time last year. The demand locally has been somewhat stopped by the advance, as buyers are slow to recognize the increase as anything but a spurt. Wholesale grocers are still cutting, and we hear of sales in 100 barrel lots at 4½c. Yellows have advanced along with granulated. Raw sugar is coming in very freely; the *Thorndale* brought an exceptionally large cargo, 3,700 tons, for the Canada Sugar Refinery. We quote:—Granulated 4½c.; yellows, low grades 3½c.; bright yellows 4½c. at the refineries."

TEAS.—The Japan tea market is still dull with only a small trade doing. Prices at this point are very firm, and will continue so, as advices from Japan are quoted as being very firm. It is believed that teas will advance further later on.

COFFEE has shown considerable activity during the week. Values are firm, but local prices are unchanged.

FISH.—In this market fish continues to be very quiet. Shipments abroad in the past two or three months have depleted stocks much faster than new stock has arrived to replace it, so that supplies now on hand are quite small. Reports from the fishing grounds are very discouraging. Of course with such an extended sea-coast line some fish must be taken, but the catch all round is very far below the usual average. Occasionally a small "spurt" is made and one or two boats do fairly well, but less than ten per cent. of the usual catch has as yet been secured on our coasts. Reports from Labrador and Newfoundland show that the herring fishery this year is practically a failure and, as the season there is about over, little improvement can be expected. Mackerel appear also to have deserted their old haunts, and only a few stragglers are picked up now and then. It is certain that no nets have been broken this year by the weight of the immense schools taken in them. Under these circumstances an advance in prices would naturally be looked for, but it has not come, and ruling prices are as low now as they ever were. Our outside advices are as follows:—Toronto, Sept. 14—"Fish is about the same as noted last week, a few small lots of green cod have been moved at \$4.75 to \$5 per barrel and dry cod at the same figure per quintal. We quote as follows:—Smoked Yarmouth bloaters, per 60 box, \$1 to \$1.10; St. John's bloaters, per 100 box, 80c. to \$1; boneless cod, large boxes, 6 to 7c.; do. small boxes, 7 to 8c.; finnan haddies, 7c. to 8c. We quote No. 1 herring, per bbl., \$4.50 to \$4.60; lake trout, per half bbl., \$4 to \$4.25;

sea trout, per bbl., \$8.25 to \$8.75; codfish, green, No. 1, per bbl., \$4.75 to \$5, do. No. 2, per bbl., \$4.25 to \$4.50, codfish, dried, per bbl., \$4.25 to \$4.50, salmon, B. C., per bbl., \$13 to \$13.50; do., do., Nfld., No. 1, per ton, \$22.50 to \$23, do. do., No. 2, per ton, \$21 to \$21.50; do. do., No. 3, per ton, \$20 to \$20.50. Montreal, Sept. 14—"There is a better demand for salt fish. We quote:—Haddock 5c., halibut 15c., white fish 7c., trout 7c., dory 8c., No. 1 prime dry cod \$5.50, green cod \$5 to \$5.50 per 200 lbs., C. B. herring \$5.75 per bbl., and \$3 per half bbl., mackerel \$12 to \$14. Gloucester, Mass., Sept. 14—"The receipts the past week have been light for the season in all departments. Trade is fair and the market firm. Fresh mackerel 6, 10 and 20 cts. a piece. Mackerel in fishermen's order \$13 and \$15 per bbl. as to quality. Large sides Bink halibut 15 and 11 cts. per lb. for white and gray. Georges cod from vessel \$1 and \$4.25 for large, \$2.50 and \$2.62 for small. Bink \$3.50 and \$2. Rips \$4.10 and \$2.75. Outside sales of Bink cod \$1.25 and \$2.15. Alewife and squid bait \$2 per bbl. Fresh mixed fish; cod, \$2 for large and \$1.35 for small; cusk, \$1.35; hake, 70c.; salt cusk, \$2.60. Fresh Shore cod, \$2.75 per cwt; pollock 60c. New Georges codfish at \$6.87 per qtl. for large, and small at \$4.87; Bink \$6.12½ for large and \$3.25 for small; Shore \$5.50 and \$4.25 for large and small; Rips \$6.25 and \$4.25. Dry Bink \$6; medium \$3.50; cured cusk at \$4 per qtl.; hake \$2; haddock \$2.50; heavy salted pollock \$3 and English-cured do. \$3.87 per qtl. Newfoundland herring \$1 per bbl. Pickled codfish \$4; haddock \$3.75; halibut heads \$3.50; soun is \$13; tongues and soun is \$12; tongues \$11; alewives \$3.50; trout \$14; H. I. fax salmon \$23; Newfoundland do. \$16."

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MARKET QUOTATIONS.—WHOLESALE SELLING RATES.

Our Price Lists are corrected for us each week by reliable merchants.

GROCERIES.		BREADSTUFFS	
SUGARS.		As we anticipated in our last week's issue, the tone of the markets is easier, especially with regard to new wheat flours, which are something like ten cents off. The stocks on hand here are very light and as would naturally be the case, importers and dealers are only working from hand to mouth—we believe, however, that we are seeing this month our lowest market prices, and that the tendency from the first of October will be steady markets with a gradual advance after the middle of January next ensuing.	
Cut Leaf.....	5½	Manitoba Highest Grade Patents 5 15 to 5 25	
Granulated.....	4½ to 4¾	High Grade Patents.....	4 35 to 4 45
Circle A.....	4	Good 90 per cent. Patents.....	4 10 to 4 20
White Extra C.....	3½	Straight Grade.....	4 00 to 4 05
Standard.....	3¼	Good Seconds.....	3 40 to 3 55
Extra Yellow C.....	3¾	Graham Flour.....	4 50 to 4 75
Yellow C.....	3½	Oatmeal.....	4 10 to 4 25
TEA.		Rolled.....	4 10 to 4 25
Congou Common.....	17 to 19	Kilo Dried Cornmeal.....	2 90 to 3 00
Fair.....	20 to 23	In Bond.....	2 80 to 3 00
Good.....	25 to 28	Wheat Bran per ton.....	18 75 to 19 00
Choice.....	31 to 33	Middlings.....	18 75 to 20 00
Extra Choice.....	35 to 38	Shorts.....	20 50 to 21 00
Oolong Choice.....	37 to 39	Cracked Corn including bags.....	30 00
MOLASSES.		Ground Oil Cake per ton.....	35 00
Barbadoes.....	32	Moulce.....	22 00 to 24 00
Demerara.....	35 to 38	Split Peas.....	4 10
Diamond N.....	47	White Beans, per bushel.....	1 35 to 1 45
Porto Rico.....	32 to 33	Pot Barley, per barrel.....	3 90 to 4 50
Cienfuegos.....	none	Canadian Oats, choice quality.....	40 to 41
Trinidad.....	29	P. E. Island Oats.....	41 to 48
Antigua.....	29	Hay.....	13 00 to 13 75
Tobacco, Black.....	45 to 47	J. A. CHIPMAN & Co., Read o	
Bright.....	47 to 55	Central Wharf, Halifax, N. S.	
BISCUITS.		PROVISIONS.	
Pilot Bread.....	3 00	Beef, Am. Ex. Mess, duty paid.....	12 50 to 13 00
Boston and Thin Family.....	6½	Am. Plate.....	13 00 to 13 50
Soda.....	6½	Ex. Plate.....	13 50 to 14 00
do in 1 lb. boxes, 50 to case.....	7½	Pork, Mess, American.....	16 00 to 16 50
Fancy.....	8 to 15	American, clear.....	18 00 to 18 50
HOME AND FOREIGN FRUITS.		P. E. I. Mess.....	16 00 to 16 50
Apples, per bbl., Am.....	4 50	P. E. I. Thin Mess.....	14 00 to 14 50
Oranges, Jamaica, brls.....	none	Prime Mess.....	11 50 to 12 50
Messina, per box.....	9 00	Lard, Tubs and Pails, P. E. Island.....	12
Lemons, per case.....	5 50 to 6 00	American.....	10 to 11
Cocoanuts, new per 100.....	5 00	Hams, P. E. I., green.....	9
Onions New Malta, per lb.....	2½	Prices are for wholesale lots only, and are liable to change daily.	
American, per lb.....	3c.	BUTTER AND CHEESE	
Dates boxes, new.....	5 to 5½	Nova Scotia Choice Fresh Prints.....	22
Raisins, Valencia.....	5 to 5½	in Small Tubs.....	16 to 18
Figs, Elcmc, 5 lb boxes per lb, new.....	10 to 11	Good, in large tubs, new.....	16 to 18
small boxes.....	9 to 10	Store Packed & oversalted.....	17
Prunes Stewing, boxes.....	6 to 7	Canadian Township new.....	20
Bananas.....	2 25 to 3 00	Western.....	15
C. H. Harvey, 12 & 10 Sackville St.		Cheese, Canadian.....	18
		Antigonish.....	11

FISH.

	Ex Vessel.	Ex Store.
MACKEREL—		
Extras.....	00 00	
No. 1.....	00 00	
2 large.....	00 00	
2.....	00 00	
3 large, Reamed.....	7 00	8 50
3, Reamed.....	6 50	7 50
3 large, Plain.....	6 2½	7 50
3 Plain.....	6 00	6 50
Small.....	6 00	6 00
HERRING.		
No. 1 C. B. July.....	4 75	5 25
1 Fall Split.....	3 25	4 00
1 Fall Round.....	2 50	3 75
1 Labrador.....	0 00	6 00
1 Georges Bay.....	1 50	1 75
1 Bay of Islands.....	0 00	8 25
ALBANY, No. 1.....	4 25	5 00
SALMON.		
No. 1, Bril.....	00 00	18 00
No. 2, Bril.....	00 00	10 00
3.....	00 00	14 00
Small.....		
CODFISH.		
Hard C. B.....	3 51	5 50
Western Shore.....	3 15	5 00
Bink.....	0 00	4 50
Bay.....	0 00	3 25
Newfoundland.....	0 00	none
Haddock.....	2 25	3 00
Bink & Western.....	0 00	3 75
Hake.....	1 50	2 50
POLLOCK.....		3 00
Hake Seamed, per lb.....	12½	83c.
Cod Oil per gal.....	29	

SALT.

Factory Filled.....	\$1.50
Fine Liverpool, bag, from store.....	1.60
Liverpool, Whhd.....	1 10
Adopt.....	1 40
Capiz.....	none
Turks Island.....	none
Lisbon.....	none
Coarse W. I.....	none
Trapan.....	1 35
Adopt.....	none