to 40 lbs.), 60 to 65c.; imitation French caliskins, 65 to 75c.; colored calf, American, 25 to 28c.; Canadian, 20 to 24c.; sheepskins linings, 30 to 40c.; colored, 6 to 7½c.; harness, 24 to 27c.; buffed cow, 13 to 15c.; extra heavy buff, 15c.; pebble cow, 13 to 13½c.; polished buff, 12 to 13c.; glove-grain, 12 to 13c.; rough, 22 to 23c.; russet and bridle, 35 to 45c. 40 lbs.), 60 to 65c.; imitation French

METALS AND HARDWARE.—In general hardware lines wholesale dealers report good orders, but in heavy metals the movement is just a moderate one. No noteworth. noteworthy transactions in pig iron are reported, but quotations are steady. Domestic bars are dealt in at \$1.35 to 1.40. In tin plate of the stiffnoteworthy transactions in pig iron are reported, but quotations are steady. Domestic bars are dealt in at \$1.35 to 1.40. In tin plates there is no relaxation of stiffare only getting into shape for the resumption of operations, and will hardly be able to make many deliveries before Canada plates, though comparatively dull, are scarce on spot; we hear of the sale be done at \$2.07 \(\frac{1}{2} \), ex-wharf. A comparatively new article on the market is guicted at \$3.75 to 3.90. Russia sheet iron now, but we hear of the sale of a few at quotations. We quote: Summerlee to 15.50; No. 2, ditto, \$14 to 14.50; Ferits; common ditto, \$12 to 13; bar iron, \$1.55; best refined, \$2.40; Low Moor, \$5; 2.15; 52 sheets to box; 60 sheets \$2.20 to \$2.25; 75 sheets, \$2.30 to 2.35; all polished plate, 20 x 28, \$5.75 to 5.90; Black sheet \$2.50; No. 28, \$2.25; No. 26, \$2.15; No. \$2.50; Charcoal, I.C., Alloway, \$3.15 to \$1.50; tin plates—Bradley charcoal, \$5.60 \$3.25; do., I.X., \$3.90 to \$4; P.D. \$4.50; coke, I.C., \$2.90 to 2.95; do., standwasters, \$2.70; charcoal, I.C., Alloway, \$3.15 to \$3.50; coke, I.C., \$2.90 to 2.95; do., standwasters, \$2.70; charcoal, I.C., Alloway, \$3.15 to \$1.50; tin plates—Bradley charcoal, \$5.60 \$3.25; do., I.X., \$3.90 to \$4; P.D. \$4.50; coke, I.C., \$2.90 to 2.95; do., standwasters, \$2.70; galvanized sheets, No. 28, \$2.75; to 2.80 for 100 lbs.; coke, ordinary brands, \$4; No. 26, \$3.75; No. \$4.50; coke, I.C., \$2.90 to 2.95; do., standwasters, \$2.70; galvanized sheets, No. 28, \$2.40; to \$3.50 in case lots; Morewood, \$5 to \$1.00; tinned sheets, coke, No. 24, \$7.50; chards heads, per 100 lbs.; \$1.65 to 1.75; plate 14-inch and upwards, \$1.85 to 1.90 for No. 26, etc., the usual extra for large sizes. English hoops, \$2 to 2.15. Steel boiler Dalzell, and upwards, \$1.85 to 1.90 for inch., \$2.50; tank iron, ¼-inch, \$1.50; heads, seven-sixteenths and upwards. \$2.50; tank iron, ¼-inch, \$1.50; heads, seven-sixteenths and upwards. \$2.45 to 2.50; Russian sheet iron, 9c.; lead. \$4.25; shot. \$6 to 6.50; best cast-steel, \$8 to 100; toe calk, \$2.25; spring, \$2.50; sleigh steel, \$1.85; tire, \$1.90; round machinery tin, 1734 to 18c. for L. & F.; Straits, 1714 per, 13 to 13½c.; sheet-zinc. \$5.50 to 5.75; spelter, \$5.50; American spelter, \$5.25; andays, Paints and Grass I ast. Sun.

day's severe hurricane and heavy hail stocks of glass, but it is not owing to this upon, but on account of the strength of market at producing points, and quoupon, but on account of the strength of the market at producing points, and quofirst break. The advance in turpentine, seed oil is quoted firmer in Britain, but We quote: Turpentine, one to four bardays. Linseed oil, raw, one to four bardays. Since to four bardays, one to nine barrels, 48c.; five to nine barrels, 47c.; boiled, rels, 50c., net 30 days; olive oil, machingaspe oil, 33 to 35c. per gal.; steam recastor oil, 8½ to 9c. in quantity, tins,

9½ to 10c.; Leads (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$5.62½; No. 1, \$5.25; No. 2, \$4.92½; No. 3, \$4.50; No. 4, \$4.12½; dry white lead, 5c.; genuine red do., 4¾ to 5c.; No. 1 red lead, 4½ to 4¾c.; Putty in bulk, bbls., \$1.65; kegs, \$1.80; bladder putty, in bbls., \$1.80; smaller quantities, \$1.95; 25-lb. tins, \$2.05; 12½-lb. tins, \$2.30. London washed whiting, 35 to 40c.; Paris, white, 85 to 90c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to \$1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.25 to \$1.50; spruce ochre, \$1.75 to \$2. Window glass, \$1.60 per 50 feet for first break; \$1.70 for second break; third break, \$3.50.

Wool.—The London wool sales opened yesterday, and cable advices to hand reyesterday, and cable advices to hand report a large attendance and an advance of closing figures of last series of a good 5 per cent. in all merinos. The local market is comparatively quiet, and though woolen manufacturers are all busy, they are light buyers of raw wool, but appear to be active buyers of shoddy. It is stated that in some lines of the cheap flannels and tweeds now being so largely produced, there is only from 10 to 20 per cent. of pure wool. We quote, Capes 14½ to 16½c.; cross-breds, 27 to 30c.; cent. of pure wool. We quote, Capes 14½ to 16½c.; cross-breds, 27 to 30c.; fine B.A., 35c.; of other kinds there is no supply on spot.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Gillespie & Co.'s Prices Current, dated Liverpool, September 9th, says: Sugar.—Raw is very scarce and dearer. Refined is firm at about our last prices. Continental granulated 4½d. to 6d. up. Rice is steady at about 6d. per cwt. decline. Good ordinary quality now obtainable at 9s. 3d. to 9s. 4½d. per cwt., less 2½ per cent. Fruit.—Valencias are offered at 14s. for off stalk, and 16s. for selected. Sultanas, owing to a report of short crop, have risen considerably.

LIVERPOOL PRICES.

Liverpool, September 22, 12.30 p. m.

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Wheat, Spring	0	0
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No. 1 Cal	6	01
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Peas	. 5	11
Lard	25	1-9
Pork	50	ō
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Bacon, heavy	30	6
Bacon, light	30	0
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Cheese, new solored	39	6

Oils.—Castor easier at 3½d. Prices of Linseed, Olive, and Palm oils are slightly higher. Chemicals.—Arsenic is again cheaper at 16s. Borax rather dearer at 13s. Bicarb soda shows a heavy fall at £5 10s. Freights.—Montreal.—Groceries, 6s. 6d. to 7s. 6d.; chemicals, 7s. 6d. to 8s. 6d.; oils, 7s. 6d. to 15s. Toronto.—Groceries, 19s. to 25s.; chemicals, 20s. to 29s.; oils, 20s. to 30s. Hamilton.—Groceries, 20s. to 26s. 6d.; chemicals, 21s. to 30s. 6d.; oils, 21s. to 31s. 6d. Halifax, N.S.—Groceries, chemicals, oils, 12s. 6d. to 15s. St. John, N.B.—Groceries, chemicals, oils, 10s. to 15s. cals, oils, 10s. to 15s.

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