

leather dressing, polishes and combs dropped sharply, and in recent years they have been very small. Now however the application of quotas should help British goods to get back into this market.

**CONTROL ON CITRUS FRUIT RESTORED:** Wartime Prices and Trade Board announces reimposition of markup control on oranges, grapefruit, limes, lemons and tangerines, effective yesterday.

Officials emphasize that the new order will compel those wholesalers or retailers who have been taking unreasonably high markups on their sales of citrus fruits to reduce them.

On sales by an importing wholesaler to a retailer the markup allowed is seventeen per

cent and on sales to another wholesaler the markup is limited to nine per cent.

Wholesalers are required to continue supplying their regular customers who purchased from them during the year ending January 30, 1947 with the same percentage of quantities supplied them during that period.

Markups on sales by a retailer who buys from a wholesaler in Canada or a direct importing retailer who buys in less than car-load lots (by truck) are fixed at thirty per cent for sales of Florida oranges, lemons, limes and tangerines, and twenty-five per cent on sales of other oranges and grapefruit. The direct importing retailer who imports in car-load lots is allowed thirty-five per cent and thirty per cent.