

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT

Name of Article.	Wholesale.	
Glass	50 ft.	100 ft
First break.....	1.85	3.65
Second break.....	1.95	3.85
Third Break.....	.....	4.30
Fourth break.....	.....	4.55
Petroleum—		
Can. Prime White per gal....	0.15	.....
U.S. Water White per gal....	0.17	0.15½
U.S. Pratt's Astral per gal....	0.21½	0.17½
Benzine single bbls per gal....	0.24½	0.27½
Motor gasoline single bbls.	.....	.....
per gal.....	0.24½	0.27½
Turpentine and Oils—		
Pure turpentine per bbl.....	.....	0.80
Linseed Oil raw.....	0.59	.....
Linseed Oil boiled.....	0.60	.....
XXXX Machine Oil.....	.....	0.25½
Castor oil in bbls per lb....	0.08½	0.08½
Resin "G" grade bbl lots....	7.25	8.00
Red DryLead—		
Genuine per cwt.....	6.00	6.40
No. 1 per cwt.....	5.90	6.15
White Lead Ground in Oil—		
Decorator's pure ton lots	.....	.....
per cwt.....	8.10	8.75
Whiting plan in bbls.....	.....	0.70
Putty—		
Bulk.....	2.30	2.70
Bladders in bbls.....	2.80	3.00
Cement and Firebrick—		
Canadian Portland in bags	.....	.....
per bbl.....	1.55	1.70
Fire bricks per 1000.....	17.00	31.00
Fire clay net ton.....	5.00	10.00
Varnishes—		
Furniture per gal.....	90	1.20
Brown japan per gal.....	90	1.00
Black japan per gal.....	0.40	1.35
Carriage No. 1 per gal.....	.....	1.50
Pure White Shellac varnish	.....	.....
per bbl.....	1.80	.....
Orange Shellac varnish per	.....	.....
gal.....	1.40	1.65
Floor varnish.....	1.75	3.00
Stove pipe varnish gross	.....	3.00
Glue—		
French medal.....	per	lb.
German prima.....	.....	0.14
Brantford.....	0.10	0.22
White pigfoot.....	.....	0.21
Pine Tar—		
Half Pint Tins per doz....	.....	0.80
CHEMICALS & DYESTUFFS—		
Acids:		
Acetic 28 degs. bbls.....	0.02	0.02½
Caustic soda, domestic, f.o.b.	.....	.....
works in drums, 60 p.c....	.....	.....
70 to 78 p.c.....	.....	.....
Powdered or granulated	0.02½	0.03½
76 p.c.....	.....	.....
Citric crystals.....	0.53	0.56
Indigo (Bengal) low grade....	0.67½	.....
medium.....	.....	0.75
high grade.....	0.80	0.95
Guatemala.....	0.65	0.80
Madras.....	0.58	0.65
Lactic.....	0.04	0.05
Muriatic 18 to 20 degs.....	0.01½	0.02
Nitric.....	0.06	0.07
Opium, c.s.....	5.75	.....
powdered.....	7.25	.....
granular.....	7.30	7.35
Oxalic.....	0.07	0.07½
Picric.....	0.32	0.40
Sulphuric 66 degs. drums	0.01½	0.02
Soda, bicar., Eng.....	0.02½	0.03
Amer., f.o.b.....	1.00	1.10
Tannic crystals.....	0.28	0.32
powdered.....	0.28	0.32
Tartaric crystals.....	0.30	0.31
powdered.....	0.30	0.31
EXTRACTS—		
Acetate of soda casks.....	3.40	3.45
Albumen, blood, dry.....	0.22	0.30
2gg.....	0.42	0.65
Alzarine, red.....	.....	1.65
Alum, lump.....	.....	1.75
powdered.....	0.02½	0.03
Ammonia, aqua, 880.....	0.07½	0.09
Aniline oil.....	0.10½	0.10½
salt.....	0.09	0.09½
Antimony oxide.....	0.09½	0.09½
Archil extract.....	0.12	0.12
Arsenic, red.....	0.05½	0.06½
Argols, red.....	0.04½	0.05
Barium, chloride, per ton....	32.50	35.00
Bleaching powder:		
German.....	1.40½	.....
French, 100 lbs.....	1.30	1.50
British, 100 lbs casks.....	1.35	1.50
Blue vitriol.....	5.35	5.50
Borax.....	4.15	4.75
Brimstone.....	22.00	22.50
Chrome alum, casks.....	3.45	3.50
Copperas.....	0.75	1.00
Br. Gum, bags.....	3.10	3.25

THE WORLD'S DEBT

The total debt of all nations of the world in 1912 was \$42,-960,000,000, compared with about \$7,000,000 a century ago, according to a report of the Bureau of Universal Statistics at Antwerp. Of this total public indebtedness \$32,000,000,000 is charged against Europe. The population of the world is now about 1,900,000,000, an increase of 140,000,000 in the last four years. The world's commerce now amounts to \$40,600,-000,000 and is carried on by 55,802 sailing ships and 47,714 steamers.

CANADA'S LIQUOR AND TOBACCO PLANTS

Canada has fourteen distilleries (nine in Ontario, four in Quebec, and one in British Columbia), twenty-eight malt-houses, sixty-four breweries, seventy-two tobacco manufactories, and two hundred and sixty-one tobacco and cigar factories.

GAS UNDERTAKINGS.

There are 1,237 British gas undertakings in England and Wales, 260 in Scotland, 110 in Ireland, 161 in Australasia, 57 in Canada, and 15 in other British possessions, in addition to which there are 20 British companies owning gas works on the Continent and in other parts of the world.

CALIFORNIA SILK CULTURE

A State-wide agitation in favor of silk production in California has been commenced by the Ladies' Silk Culture Society of California, which will, during the coming season, raise five million silk-worms at the society's station in Napa County. The society now has 750 mulberry trees growing there, and more are being planted.—California Fruit Grower.

REPLACING WORN OUT MACHINERY.

From the organization of the United States Steel Corporation in 1901 to the end of the year 1911 the sum of \$349,796,000 out of the company's net earnings has been expended for the rebuilding and replacing of worn out property, according to a statement made recently by William J. Filbert, the comptroller, at a hearing of the Government's dissolution suit against the steel trust.

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Extracts		
Chrome alum, casks.....		
Copperas.....	0.75	1.00
Cream tartar, cystals.....	0.23	0.242
powdered.....	0.24	0.242
Cutch, bales.....	0.05½	0.05½
Dextrine, potato.....	0.04½	0.05½
Fustic, paste.....	0.05	0.07
solid.....	.....	0.12
Gambier extract.....	0.04	0.04½
Glauber's salt, crystals, bbls	0.80	0.90
Glycerine.....	.....	0.25
Indigo, extract.....	.....	0.08
Lead, nitrate.....	0.07½	0.07½
OLIVE OIL, OILS, WOOL, ELAINE—		
Potash, bichromate.....	.....	0.07½
carbonate.....	2.60	4.15
caustic, 74 per cent.....	.....	0.04
80-85 per cent.....	.....	4.60
chlorate crystals.....	0.08	0.09½
prussiate, red.....	.....	0.19
zellom.....	.....	0.13½
Salts of tartar.....	0.05	0.06
Soda, sal, bbls.....	.....	0.75
English.....	.....	0.75
concentrated.....	.....	1.25
powdered, 98 per cent.....	2.75	3.00
ash, carbonated, 58	.....	.....
per cent.....	0.80	0.90
bisulphide.....	1.25	1.50
Sodium peroxide.....	0.30	0.35
Sulphur sticks, bbls.....	1.80	2.00
Sulphide of soda crystals.....	0.01½	0.01½
Sulphide of soda, concentrated	0.02	0.02½
Sumac, sicily, per ton.....	65.00	75.00
powdered.....	0.13½	0.22
extract.....	0.01	0.04
Tartar emetic.....	0.20	0.25
Tin crystals.....	0.30	0.40
FISH—		
Fresh:		
Halibut, fancy express, per lb.	.....	0.12
Haddock, per lb.....	.....	0.06
Steak Cod, per lb.....	.....	0.06
Doree or Pickerle.....	.....	0.12
Pike.....	.....	0.08
Whitefish.....	.....	0.12
Lake Trout, per lb.....	.....	0.12
Gaspe Salmon, (new), per lb.	.....	0.16
Mackerel, per lb.....	.....	0.12
Brook Trout, per lb.....	.....	0.30
Perch, dressed, per lb.....	.....	0.10
Buck Shad, Each.....	.....	0.35
Live Lobsters per lb.....	.....	0.30
Salted and Pickled.		
Holland herring, kegs.....	.....	0.75
Labrador herring, ½ bbls.....	.....	6.00
½ bbl.....	.....	3.25
bbls.....	.....	6.00
Sardines ½ bbls.....	.....	3.00
bbls.....	.....	5.50
Labrador salmon, ½ bbls.....	.....	8.00
bbls.....	.....	15.00
Sea trout, ½ bbls.....	.....	6.75
bbls.....	.....	11.50
Frozen:		
Pickerel or Doree, per lb....	.....	0.10
Whitefish, dressed, per lb...	.....	0.10
Pike, round, per lb.....	.....	0.06
Pike, headless & dressed, per	.....	.....
lb.....	.....	0.07
Silver Salmon, 10 lbs each,	.....	.....
per lb.....	.....	0.10
Gaspe Salmon, per lb.....	.....	0.15
Large Mackerel, per lb.....	.....	0.07
Haddock, per lb.....	.....	0.05½
New Frozen Herring, per100	.....	1.50
Smoked:		
Fillets, fresh cured, per lb...	.....	0.12
New Haddies, per lb.....	.....	0.08
Kippers, box.....	.....	1.10
Bloaters, per box.....	.....	1.10
Smoked herring (medium) per	.....	.....
lb.....	.....	0.13
HARDWARE—		
Aluminium per lb.....	.....	0.23
Antimony, per lb.....	10.25	10.50
Copper—		
Casting ingot per 100 lbs....	.....	17.75
Cut lengths, round bars ½-2"	.....	.....
per 100 lbs.....	.....	27.50
Plain sheets 14 oz. 14 x 48"	.....	.....
14 x 60" per 100 lbs.....	.....	29.50
Brass—		
Spring sheets up to 20 gauge,	.....	.....
per lb.....	.....	0.26
Rods base ½" to 1" round	.....	.....
per lb.....	.....	0.22
Tubing seamless, base per lb	.....	0.25
Tubing iron pipe size 1" base	.....	.....
per lb.....	.....	0.25
Iron and Steel—		
Common bar, per 100 lbs....	.....	2.15
Forged iron, per 100 lbs....	.....	2.35