

RETAIL GROCERS PRICES CURRENT.

Quotations are per pound, or for such quantities as are usually ordered by families. Goods in larger quantities are obtainable at lower prices:

Apples, evaporated	12 1/2
" sun dried	10
Apricots, evaporated	16
Asparagus, tin	40
Barley Pearl	10
Bacon, breakfast	18
" spiced roll	16
Beef, corned, tin	35
Bloaters	12 1/2
Blacklead, best	3 for 25
" French Polish	25
Bricks, bath	12 1/2
Butter, creamery	35c or 3 for 1 00
" dairy	25
" fresh Island	50
Catsup, tomato	25 to 40
" mushroom, pt	40
" walnut, pt	40
Capers	25
Candles, Belmont	25
" Ozokerit	50
Caviar	50
Celery, salt	25
Chocolate, Eagle	50
Cocoa, Fry	50
" Epps	50
" Van Houton's	1 50
Chutney	25 to 1 50
Cheese, Canadian	20
" Roqufort	1 00
" Swiss	50
" English Stilton	50
" Limburg	50
" Brick Cream	50
" Mellors Cream, pots	1 25
" Parmasam	1 00
" Pineapple	50
" Edom	50
Clams	3 for 50
Cocanut	50
Coffee, Costa Rica, green	25
" Java	40
" Mocha	50
" ground	40
Cream Tartar	50
Currants, Patras	12 1/2
" Vostizi	16
Corn, Ontario	3 for 50
Devilled meat	40
Eggs, fresh	50
" packed	25
Extracts, flavoring, 2 oz	25 to 35
Farina	10 lb. sack 1 25
Figs	per lb 25
" 10 lbs	2 00
Fish, cod, Pacific	12 1/2
" Eastern	16
" black	12 1/2
" mackerel bloater	35
" tins	1 00
Flour, Hungarian	6 75
" Snowflake	6 50
" Enderby	6 25
Fruits, assorted table, 3-lb. tins	40
" " 2-lb. tins	25
" " ple, gallon	75
" " in Brandy	1 50
" " crystalized	25 to 75
Gelatine, Nelson's	25
Hams	20
Hops	40
Honey, gallon	1 75
" 1 lbs, comb, in jars	1 00
" 2 lbs,	75
Jams, assorted C & B	3 for 1 00
Knife Polish	1 25
Lard, pure, 10 lbs	1 75
" 5 lbs	1 00
Lentils	16
Lemons, Sicily	50
" California	35
Lobster, Clover Leaf	35
Marmalade, pots	35
Maccaroni	25
Milk, Reindeer, tins	25
" Eagle, tins	35
" Highland Cream	25

Mince meat, jars	1 50
" condensed	25
Mustard, Colman's, 1 lb	35
" 1 lb	65
Mushrooms	35
Nuts, assorted	25
Oil, Coal, tin	1 85
" case	3 50
Olives, qt bottle	75
" pt bottle	50
" 1/2 pt bottle	25
Oysters, fresh tin	75
" Blue Point, 2-lb. tins	35
" " 1-lb. tins	25
Onions	4
Pate-de foie gras	1 25 to 1 75
Peel, mixed	40
Pearline	25
Pepper, ground	50
" whole	35
Pickles, C & B, qt	65
" " pt	35
Potatoes	1 25
Prunes	12 1/2
Plum pudding	75
Raisins, Dehesa	50
" layers	25
" Valencias off stalk	12 1/2
" " layers	16
" Sultanas	20
Rice, Japan	8
" Sandwich Island	10
" China	5
Sauce, Lea & Perrins, large	65
" " small	35
" Yorkshire Relish	25
Spices, tins	25
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver, 14lbs	1 00
" " San Frisco, 13	1 00
" " Hong Kong, 15	1 00
" " cube, San Francisco, 10 lbs	1 00
" " " Vancouver, 12 lbs	1 00
" " " Extra C, 15 lbs	1 00
Syrup, 1-gal. tin	1 00
" 2-lb tin	25
" Maple, gal	1 50
Tapioca	10
Tongue, Lunch, 2	75
" " 1	50
" " Ox 3	1 00
Tea, S & B	50 to 75
" Japanese	25 to 75
Tobacco, T & B	75
Vinegar, English Malt	1 00
" White Wine	1 00

PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY AND ASK YOUR GROCER FOR

FALCONER'S

Pure Malt Vinegar, per gal.	75
Pure Tomato Catsup, bottle	35
Worcestershire Sauce, half pints	25
" " pints	35
Mushroom Catsup, pints	35
Quince Cider, per quart	25
Apple Cider	25
" (Excellent for mince meat.)	
Extracts—Lemon and Vanilla, 2oz	25
" " 8oz	70
Fruit Syrups, per quart bottles	50
" (Strawberry, Lemon, Raspberry.)	
Manufactured at the VICTORIA VINEGAR WORKS, 155 YATES ST., VICTORIA.	
Falconer's Mixed Pickles now ready.	

A stone beacon with an electric light upon it is, by order of the Minister of Marine, to be placed on Brothie Ledge, near where the San Pedro struck. The sooner this is done the better, as however small the existing danger may be, it ought to be removed.

MUCH has been said by way of guess as to what the Ministers who went to Washington did. It is safe to say that they did not go there for nothing, though, despite all the rumors that have been circulated, it is safe to say that what has been done has not yet been allowed to leak out.

DO YOUR KISSING AT HOME.

A travelling man, who was also the head of a prosperous firm, promised his newly wedded wife that he would give her a dollar every time he kissed her, and in that way she could save money. Things went on their way for several years, and as he made plenty of money he faithfully kept his promise. Finally reverses came, and the once prosperous travelling man found he was virtually a pauper. He went home to his wife and told her all. She, however, did not seem to feel worried, and he was somewhat surprised when she asked him to take a ride with her that afternoon, but he accepted the invitation. Passing a large block on a well-known street, she said, "That's mine." Soon she came to a handsome flat, and said, "That's mine." Well, she showed him several places with the same remark, until he began to be suspicious, and inquired, "How in the deuce did you accumulate so much wealth?" "Do you remember the contract you made when we were first married?" said she. "Yes," he replied, "I do." "Well, I invested it, and it has made us rich." The travelling man hung his head and said nothing. This was kept up for thirty minutes, until his wife became alarmed, and she asked, "What in the world is the matter, and what are you thinking about?" He said, "I was thinking of how rich we would be if I had done all my kissing at home."—*Commercial Bulletin*.

NO RESPECT FOR MUSTY TRADITIONS.

"A reminiscence comes to my mind," writes Justin McCarthy in a volume of "Recollections of Parliament," about American visitors to the House of Commons. "The American girl has no respect for musty traditions. Some years ago we used to be permitted to take ladies into the library, but the rule was strict that they must not be allowed to sit down there. I was once escorting a young American married woman through the various rooms of the library, and I mentioned to her, as a matter of more or less interesting fact, that it was against the rules for a woman to sit down there. "Is that really a law of the place?" she asked, with wide opened and innocent eyes. "The very law, I answered. "Then," said she, calmly, "just see me break it!" and she drew a chair and resolutely sat down at the table."

A GOOD MAXIM.

Said a successful and wealthy merchant to a young man who went out of his employ to enter upon the study of a profession, "I have but one maxim for you, and that is never try to save your shoe leather, but always to be economical of the cloth that forms the seat of your trousers."

The young man pondered this bit of advice a long time, but he thinks that he never fully understood it until he had been at work in his profession for several years.

He found, indeed, that "worn-out shoe leather" was a good investment. It meant, for one thing, keeping up with the time by gaining information at first hand. If he needed any facts bearing upon his profession, he said to himself, "I can buy them with a little shoe leather," and he went out and saw the men who had the facts to give him.

If he had waited for them to come to him, probably they would never have come. He could not buy the information with pantaloons material. He saved much time by taking a little.

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