

iodoform, \$5.50 to 6.00. Prices for essential oils are:—Oil lemon, \$2.75 to 3.75; oil bergamot, \$4.70 to 4.90; orange, \$4.00 to 4.50; oil peppermint, \$4.00 to 5.00; glycerine, 18 to 20c.; senna, 12 to 25c. for ordinary. English camphor, 65 to 70c.; American do., 65 to 70c.; insect powder, 30 to 35c.

**Dry Goods.**—The few cool days at the beginning of last week helped business in this line, but the return to warmer weather has had an adverse aspect, noticeable both on remittances and orders. Travellers' letters generally are of a complaining character, and city retail trade, which has been very good, shows some slackening off. We can hear of nothing new or wonderful in values, letters from buyers on the other side being bare of news in this respect. Domestic cottons are steady; most of the mills are steadily running on orders, and in some cases have orders as far ahead as for next spring.

**FURS.**—The season is yet early, and aside from a few unprime bearskins, there are really no receipts. Prices of seal are steady; lamb-skin stiff with an upward tendency in Persians and grays. We quote:—Beaver, \$4.25 to 4.75 per lb.; bear, \$8 to 10; ditto cub, \$2 to 4.00; fisher, \$2.50 to 5; red fox, 75c. to \$1.00; cross do., \$1.50 to 3.00; lynx, \$1.50 to 2.50; marten, 60 to 75c.; mink, 75c. to \$1.50; muskrat, 10 to 12c.; otter, \$8 to 12.00; raccoon, 40 to 60c.; skunk, 20, 40, and 60c.

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