

bounding upwards, and goods bought at \$3.50, on coast, are already reported to have been sold at \$4.50, and even \$5 in some cases.

HIDES.—Owing to active competition among buyers of lambskins, butchers are realizing better figures, prices ranging at the moment from 50 to 70c. each. For beef hides and calfskins the old figures prevail. Tanners are reported to be buying a little more freely, but the demand from this source is still far from active.

HOPS.—The Canadian crop, it is estimated, will be about equal to last year. Some shortage is reported from Brighton, Ont., and one or two other districts, but the general yield is believed a fair one, and the quality generally good. Only a few lots of new goods have been offered in this market yet, and prices are hardly sufficiently settled for us to make quotations, but values are expected to rule about the same as last year. Old stocks are pretty well sold down.

LEATHER.—Among boot and shoe manufacturers rather a feeling of dullness prevails, and consequently there is no special enquiry for leather, except in small lots, as a rule. Some advance is reported in raw sheepskin stock, and all leather values are steadily held. We quote: Spanish sole, B.A., No. 1, 24 to 25c.; do., No. 2, 22½ to 23½c.; No. 1 ordinary Spanish, 23 to 24c.; No. 2, 20 to 21c.; No. 1 slaughter, 26 to 28c.; No. 2, do., 24 to 25c.; common, 20 to 21c.; waxed upper, light and medium, 30 to 35c.; do., heavy, 27 to 30c.; grained, 32 to 35c.; Scotch grained, 30 to 35c.; Western, splits, 22 to 25c.; Quebec do., 18 to 20c.; juniors, 18 to 20c.; calf-splits, 30 to 35c.; calfskins, (35 to 40 lbs.), 60 to 65c.; imitation French calfskins, 65 to 75c.; colored calf, American, 25 to 28c.; Canadian, 20 to 24c.; colored pebble cow, 13 to 15c.; russet 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.

METALS AND HARDWARE.—The markets on these lines remain without special feature. Cable quotations of tin and copper have shown some little easing off, but local quotations are unchanged. We hear of very little business in pig iron, a few small sales of Summerlee are reported at \$17.50, ex-store, and of Hamilton iron at quotations; there is some limited supply of Carnbroe here, for which \$16 to \$16.50 is quoted, regarded a high figure. We quote: Summerlee pig iron, \$17 to \$18; Hamilton No. 1, \$15 to \$15.50; No. 2, ditto, \$14 to \$14.50; Ferrona No. 1, \$15; machinery scrap, \$14 to \$15; common ditto, \$12 to \$13; bar iron, Canadian, \$1.35 to \$1.40; British, \$2 to \$2.15; best refined, \$2.40; Low Moor, \$5; Canada plates—Pontypool, or equal, \$2.15 to \$2.20; 52 sheets to box; 60 sheets \$2.25; 75 sheets, \$2.35; all polished Canadas, \$2.40 to \$2.45; Terne roofing plate, 20 x 28, \$5.75 to \$5.90; Black sheet iron, No. 28, \$2.25; No. 26, \$2.15; No. 24, \$2.05; No. 17, \$2; No. 16, and heavier, \$2.15; tin plates—Bradley charcoal, \$5.60 to \$5.70; charcoal, I.C., Al-loway, \$3.15 to \$3.25; do., I.X., \$3.90 to \$4; P.D. Crown, I.C., \$3.60 to \$3.75; do., I.X., \$4.50; coke, I.C., \$2.90 to \$2.95; do., standard, \$2.75 to \$2.80 for 100 lbs.; coke, wasters, \$2.70; galvanized sheets, No. 28, ordinary brands, \$4; No. 26, \$3.75; No. 24, \$3.50 in case lots; Morewood, \$5 to \$5.10; tinned sheets, coke, No. 24, 5½c.; No. 26, etc., the usual extra for large sizes. Canadian bands, per 100 lbs., \$1.65 to \$1.75; English hoops, \$2 to \$2.15. Steel boiler plate ¼-inch and upwards, \$1.85 to \$1.90 for inch, and equal; ditto, three-sixteenths inch, \$2.50; tank iron, ¼-inch, \$1.50; three-sixteenths do., \$2; tank steel, \$1.75; heads, seven-sixteenths, and upwards, \$2.45 to \$2.50; Russian sheet iron, 9c.; lead, per 100 lbs., \$3.65 to \$3.70; sheet, \$4 to \$4.25; shot, \$6 to \$6.50; best cast-steel, 8 to 10c.; toe calk, \$2.25; spring, \$2.50; sleigh shoe, \$1.85; tire, \$1.90; round machinery steel, \$2.25 to \$3.00, as to finish;

ingot tin, 17¼ to 18c. for L. & F.; Straits, 17¼ to 17½c.; bar tin, 18½ to 19c.; ingot copper, 13 to 13½c.; sheet-zinc, \$5.50 to \$5.75; Silesian spelter, \$5.25; Veille Montagne spelter, \$5.50; American spelter, \$5.25; antimony, 9½ to 10c.

OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—The only new feature in these lines of goods is an advance of two cents a gallon in turpentine, which went into effect Saturday last. The market in this article is very firm, and an advance of half a cent is reported from the South since above change took effect locally. From Savannah there is reported a shortage of 18,000 barrels, as compared with the end of August last year. In other lines there is no change to be noted. We quote: Turpentine, one to four barrels, 47c.; five to nine barrels, 46c.; net 30 days. Linseed oil, raw, one to four barrels, 48c.; five to nine barrels, 47c.; boiled, one to four barrels, 51c.; five to nine barrels, 50c.; net 30 days; olive oil, machinery, 90.; Nfld. cod, 37 to 40c. per gal.; Gaspe oil, 33 to 35c. per gal.; steam refined seal, 42 to 43c. per gal. in small lots. Castor oil, 8 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., 4¼ 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, \$1.50 per 50 feet for first break; \$1.60 for second break; third break, \$3.30.

WOOL.—The market holds very steady, though the actual present demand is not

LIVERPOOL PRICES.

Liverpool, September 8, 1830 p.m.

	s.	d.
Wheat, Spring	6	8½
Red Winter	5	7
No. 1 Cal	6	2
Corn	3	1
Peas	5	0½
Lard	28	0
Pork	50	0
Bacon, heavy	30	6
Bacon, light	30	0
Tallow	19	6
Cheese, new white	37	0
Cheese, new colored	38	0

active. We hear of some late moderate sales of low-grade Cape, at 14c., and of Natal at 17½c. Of B.A. scoured there is still scarcity, with nothing much available under 35c. The general range for Cape is from 14½ to 16½c. The London sales open again on the 20th inst., when prices are expected to rule from 7½ to 10 per cent. higher than at the close of last series. There was an underwriters' sale of some 8,000 bales of wool held in Boston last week, at which good prices were realized, but little of it was bought on Canadian account.

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