and upwards, \$2.45 to 2.50; Russian sheet iron 9c.; lead, per 100 lbs., pig, \$3 10 to 3.15; sheet, \$4 to 4.25; shot, \$6 to 6.50; best cast-steel, 8to 10c.; toe calk, \$2.25; spring, \$2.50; sleigh shoe, \$1.85; tire, \$1.90; round machinery steel \$2.25; ingot tin, 15½c. for L. & F.; Straits, 15c.; bar tin, 16½ to 17c.; ingot copper, 11 to 11½c.; sheet zinc, \$4.75; Silesian spelter, \$4.50; Veille Montagne spelter, \$4.50; American spelter, \$4.25; antimony, 8½ to 9c.; bright iron wires Nos. 0 to 8, \$2.60 per 100 lbs.; annealed and oiled do., \$2.65; galvanized, \$3.15; the trade discount on wire is 20 per cent. Barb and twisted wire and staples, 3½c. for Quebec province, freight paid on half-ton lots; for Ontario points, 3½c., freight paid up to 25c. per hundred. paid up to 25c. per hundred.

OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—The movement in these lines is now a very fair one. Turpentine and linseed are both firmer; we advanced tine and linseed are both firmer; we advanced the former article last week, but a further advance is probable any day, the price south being now full four cents higher than late quotations. Linseed oil is advanced in England equal to about 1½c. a gallon, and some revision of local prices is probable shortly. Glass has been advanced to \$1.25 for first break, and \$1.35 for second break. We quote:— Glass has been advanced to \$1.25 for first break, and \$1.35 for second break. We quote:—
Turpentine, one to four brls., 40c.; five to nine brls., 39c., net 30 days. Linseed oil, raw, one to four brls., 45c.; five to nine brls, 44c.; boiled, one to four barrels, 48c.; five to nine barrels, 47c., net 30 days; olive oil, machinery, 90c.; Nfld. cod, 35 to 37c. per gal.; Gaspe oil, 35 to 37c. per gal.; steam refined seal, 45 to 46c. per gal. in small lots. Castor oil, 7½ to 8½c. as to quantity. Leads (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$4.75 to 5.00; No. 1 \$4.50 to 4.75; No. 2, \$4 to 4.25; No. 3, \$4; dry white lead, 4½ to 5c.; genuinered do., 4½ to 4½c.; No. 1 red lead, 4c.; putty, \$1.60 to 1.65 in bulk, \$1.75 to 1.85 in bladders, \$2 to 2.10 in tins: London washed whiting, 40 to 45c.; Paris white, 85 to 90c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to 1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.50 to 1.75; spruce ochre, \$2.25 to 2.50; Paris green, 12½ to 13c. in bulk, packages 14½c.; window glass, \$1.25 per 50 feet for first break; \$1.35 for second break; third break, t2.70.

Wool.—There is no briskness in buying on the part of the mills, which seem rather better employed, but on the whole there has been a little more doing the past fortnight in a small way, and there has been more activity reported in New York and Boston. We quote Cape 13½ to 15½c.; little if any Australian; B.A. scoured, 27 to 34c.; domestic fleece, 18½ to 20c.; ditto pulled, 19 to 22c. North-West wool has been offered in considerable quantity to dealers here, but the ideas of growers are much above those -There is no briskness in buying on but the ideas of growers are much above those of dealers, who are indisposed to offer more than 10 to 11c.

LIVERPOOL PRICES. Liverpool, Oct. 8, 12.30 p. m.

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Wheat, Spring	6	1
Red, Winter	0	0
No. 1 Cal	6	44
Corn	3	11
Peas	4	8
Lard	20	9
Pork	47	6
Bacon, heavy	21	6
Bacon, light	28	6
Tallow	21	3
Cheese, new white	47	0
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