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OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—September business has opened up well, a goodly proportion of orders being reported from travellers. Another decline in turpentine was announced on the 8th, of two cents a gallon. The Standard Oil people are reported as having made heavy purchases on the low market, and some stiffening in prices is now looked for by some. Other lines are said to be unchanged. We quote: Single barrels, raw, and boiled linseed oil, respectively, 80 and 83c. per gallon, for one to four barrel lots; 5 to 9 barrels, 79 and 83c.; net, 30 days, or 3 per cent. for four months' terms. Turpentine, one barrel, 58c.; two to four barrels, 57c.; net 30 days. Olive oil, machinery, 90c.; Cod oil, 35 to 36c. per gal.; steam refined seal, 47½ to 50c. per gallon; Castor oil, 9 to 9½c., in quantity; tins, 10c.; machinery castor oil, 8½ to 9c.; Leads, (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$6.75; No. 1, \$6.37½; No. 2, \$6; No. 3, \$5.62½; No. 4, \$5.25; dry white lead, 5½ to 6c. for pure; No. 1, ditto, 5c.; genuine red, ditto, 5c.; No. 1, red lead, 4½ to 4¾c.; Putty, in bulk, bbls., \$1.95; kegs, \$1.90; bladder putty, in bbls., \$1.90; smaller quantities, \$2.25; 25-lb. tins, \$2.35; 12½-lb. tins, \$2.40. London washed whitening, 45c.; Paris white, 75 to 80c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to \$1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.25 to \$1.50; spruce ochre, \$1.75 to \$2; Window glass, \$2 per 50 feet for first break; \$2.10 for second break.

### TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, September 13th, 1900.

DRY GOODS.—Very fair activity prevails in practically all branches of the dry goods trade. In comparison with the past two or three weeks, when so many merchants seized the opportunity presented by Exhibition rates to visit this city, things seem quiet now; but this, of course, was to be expected, and, for that matter, the results of the large visitor-list are making themselves felt even now. The peculiar state of the market for raw cotton at the present time is attracting a good deal of attention; manufacturers are finding it increasingly difficult to gain a true idea as to their real position. In the States we see that numbers of them are absolutely refusing to name prices on forward deliveries, and have instructed their agents to hold their spot goods on a rather high level.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—Business continues very good in these lines, though there is no particular feature calling for special comment. Prices remain the same

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