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# This big plant makes nothing but National Cash Registers 

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Story for Week Dated July 4, 1919

## The Tissue Papers: Serviettes, Paper Towels and Toilet Papers

PURITY is the first essential in the production of the tissue papers at the Eddy Plant. Here the reason for that pure well water, the many washings and strainings you have studied at the Sulphite Plant, becomes evident. For these tissue papers are used to wrap food with at pienic party or on restaurant table, and the paper towels manufactured by the E. B. Eddy Company have got to live up to their reputation of absolute sanitary perfection. To watch the processes of paper making, and packing at the Eddy Plant is to realize that this reputation is earned and maintained.

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FACTORY
OVAL KING
IMPERIAL
ROYAL
CRESCENT OVAL VELVET
SILVER BRAND
REGAL
FAMILY
BIGLOT
MOUNT ROYAL
MAMMOTH
NILE
CHAUDIERE
PILOT OVAL
ORIENT
NAVY
DREADNOUGHT
PRAIRIE QUEEN
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MANITOBA OVAL
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YORK
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## Canadian Grocer

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Then the first thing to be considered is the kind of man you are looking for.
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The man who takes time to study the pages of Canada's Only Weekly Grocery Paper is ambitious, progressive, has a good understanding of the grocery trade, and is more likely to fill your particular requirements than the haphazard man who never looks bevond to-day.
Canadian Grocer is the Trade Show Window for more than 5,600 grocers and their staffs in all parts of Canada. Your message will be read by these wide-awake business men and vour choice will be from a select field.
Furthermore, the cost is indeed a small item- 2 cents a word first insertion, and 1 cent a word for each subsequent insertion. Five cents extra per insertion if replies are to sent to Box No. in our care.
Send it right along now. Let CANADIAN GROCER find the man.

## McLAREN'S ${ }_{\text {IN }}$ INVINCIBLE

# Every Grocer and Clerk 

 has an equal chance Every Village, Town and City MAY COMPETE DURING August, September and OctoberThe Window is the life of every store. Get busy, use your best efforts to win one of our cash prizes. No show cards supplied. Read the rules carefully and get your entry coupon in the mail without delay.

## RULES:

1-The window must be originated and dressed by a member of the firm, by a clerk or by the regular window dresser.
2-The window must contain at least four McLaren's Invincible lines, such as McLaren's Invincible Jelly Powders, McLaren's Invincible Quick Puddings, McLaren's Invincible Baking Powder, McLaren's Invincible Extracts, etc., etc.
3-Window displays are to be judged on the probable ability to attract attention and sell McLaren's Invincible Specialties.
4-Displays to appear during the months of August, September and October and must remain on display for at least one week. Contest closes October 31st.
5-Every contestant must procure a photograph and mail to McLaren's, Limited, Hamilton, so as to reach us not later than November 10th, 1919.
6-"Canadian Grocer" and a leading Toronto window trimming expert will act as judges.
Your entry coupon should be mailed at once to

CLASS ONE
Centres Up to $\mathbf{1 0 , 0 0 0}$
Pop.
1st prize ..... \$25
2nd prize ..... 15
3rd prize ..... 10

Class TWO
Towns and Cities Over $\mathbf{1 0 , 0 0 0}$

1st prize ..... \$25
2nd prize 15
3rd prize ...... 10


The Most Modern and Up-to-date Fruit Preserving Factory in Canada

# WAGSTAFFE'S 

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 JAM}

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Order from Your Wholesale Grocer

## WAGSTAFFE, LIMITED Pure Fruit Preservers

# The Color-Magic in Oranges 


#### Abstract

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THE color of oranges appeals to the eye as few other colors do. Thus Nature has attracted people to the orange and has made it its own best salesman.

Window displays of oranges draw trade into stores from clear across the street. Merchants who have noticed it now display oranges in this way as a definite policy of their stores.

## Make Your Test

Try it in your store. Don't arrange them in pyramids, don't go to much trouble. It isn't necessary. Simply make a mass display. Empty three or four boxes-more if you have them-into a part of your window.

Put attractive prices on them - odd-penny prices, preferably, and leave the display there for a week; selling from the window, and constantly replenishing the fruit.

See how the color attracts, see how they sell, how you increase your turn-over and how you multiply your profits.

## Use the Advertised Oranges

Make your display with Sunkist Oranges and mark the name "Sunkist", on the price cards that you place on the fruit. These oranges are the best known because they are advertised to millions of women every month, so they are the most acceptable.

Try this plan for a week beginning today. Note the results you get. You'll make it a permanent display when you learn the advantages to your entire line of goods in making your store famous in your neighborhood for good fruit.

Many a merchant has won leadership in his locality in building up a specialty in oranges.

Let a One-Week Test indicate to you what you can do in yours.

## We'll Help

We are aiding thousands of retailers in promoting their sales and we want to help you too. We give you eleven different options in the selection of material with which to make displays and otherwise advertise your store.

Send the coupon for our "Merchant's Display Material Option List" and choose what you want from it.

Do it now. Mail the coupon before you forget it, and begin making more money on your fruit.

## - California Cuit Growers Los Angeles, California

Please send me your "Merchants Display Material Option List"" without any obligation on my part.

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City $\qquad$

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## Joseph E. Huxley \& Co. <br> Wholesale Grocery Commiscion Agents WINNIPEG CANADA

See Page 72 of this Issue, it will interest you. It has helped others, it may help you.

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A sales force of competent men.
Ample capital-and the reliability that goes with it.
A record of results-and the prestige that follows it.
An energetic, result-getting organization-with satisfied clients to prove it.
Are all at your disposal if WE represent you.
Every branch a business in itself, directed by capable, experienced managers.
All varieties of Food Products.
If you want results get in touch with us.


## F. D. Cockburn Co., 149 Notre Dame Ave. E., Winnipeg <br> We represent some of the best manufacturers and will give your line the same attention. From Port Arthur to the Rockies we represent, among other lines, Jireh Food Co., Jas. Epps \& Co., Ltd., and Kerr Bros.a

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## The H. L. Perry Co., Ltd., 214-216 Princess St., Winnipeg <br> As your Selling Agents, we can make a big success of your Account.

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MacCosham Bldg., Edmonton, Alberta CARLOAD ${ }^{1}$ DISTRIBUTORS, CARTAGE AND WAREHOUSEMEN
Free and Bonded Storage 5 floors- $\mathbf{6 0 , 0 0 0}$ sq. feet.

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Grocer, it] will identify you.

## Watson \& Truesdale, Winnipeg

Have live men doing detail work throughout our territory. Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. They get the business, and ean get it for you. Write us, and we will explain our system.

Wholesale Grocery Brokers and Manufacturers' Agents

TRACKAGE STORAGE DISTRIBUTION

A BRANCH HOUSE WITHOUT THE COST OF MANAGEMENT

## The Regina Cold Storage \& Forwarding Co.Ltd. <br> COLD STORAGE <br> Regina <br> Saskatchewan <br> CAR DISTRIBUTION



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And for the life of you you don't know where to find another to replace him. Well, our advice to you-and it's good advice-is: Find him by adver-tising-a small condensed advertisement in CANADIAN GROCER.

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The way to find the man you want is to look for him where he is likely to be found-in the grocery. gusiness.

Rate is 2 cents a word first insertion and 1 cent per word each subsequent insertion. Five cents additional per insertion when replies are to be sent to Box Number in our care.
Send your advertisement and remittance to

## Check Crooks May Rob You

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If your Jobber cannol ${ }_{2}$ Supply You, write us

Don't suppose because you have never had one of your checks raised, you never will

YoU DON'T KNOW into passes before it is cashed.

Over $\$ 20,000,000$ was lost to check crooks last year through small unprotected checks.

What safeguards are YOU using ? What evidence can you show if the bank cashes a check raised by some crook and lays the responsibility on you?

The jobbers are co-operating to keep the check crooks away from the grocery business.

They have arranged to secure a supply of DIMUNETTE Check Protectors.

This simple sturdy device is made by the oldest concern of its kind in the world. It gives "standard protection"-that is, it. shreds the paper and impregnates it with acid-proof ink-in one simple operation.

It defies the skill of any check crook-it has never failed.
Isn't it worth $\$ 10.00$ to have the absolute surety, the peace of mind the Dimunette brings?

## MACDONALD'S Popular Brands

"The Tobacco with a heart"-Macdon ald's trade mark of quality-have been the popular plug tobaccos since 1858. Order Macdonald's and ensure satisfied customers.

## Plug Smoking

"British Consols"
"Brier"
"Index"


Trade Mark Registered

MACDONALD'S

> CANADA'S FAVORITE PLUG TOBACCOS
> FOR OVER 60 YEARS

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"Prince of Wales" .
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English Castor Oil
In Barrels or Cases
Cream of Tartar
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Bicarbonate of Soda
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## BEAVER BRAND Canned Chicken

Now is the time to put in your supplies for canned chicken, and the quantity we have to offer is limited.

## 1 lb . Tall Tins, 4 Dozen to Case

and guaranteed absolutely first quality. If your stock is low, order now and ensure your supply, as we will not have further goods to offer until the new pack this fall.
Prices and samples furnished on application.

## J. W. WINDSOR, LIMITED MONTREAL, QUE.

## \$1 FOR A MAN

Perhaps you want a good man for your office, or store, or warehouse, or for the "road"" Would you pay $\$ 1$ to find a good man? Sure you would.

WHAT are you doing about it? We suggest that you advertise in Canadian Grocer-condensed advertisement, 2 cents a word. Make the advertisement brief as a telegram; but make it explicit. Tell all the other man wants to know-except your identity in the first instance. Use a box number to hide this.

Some man somewhere would like, probably, to tie up with you,-if your proposition is good. At the same time good men are scarce-very scarce. So you'll have to do some bidding.

This means-keep on repeating the insertion of your advertisement-"until forbid."

It's reasonable to keep on. Hunting for a hard thing to find usually requires a long search. All CANADIAN GROCER can do is to put your advertisement in 5,600 places where men of the type you may want are likely to be found. We can't make men reply to advertisements-any more than the postman can make people to whom he delivers letters reply to them. We're pretty much like the postman.
But we go to 5,600 and more likely places, remember that. No other single newspaper in the world gets into 5,600 Canadian grocery houses. So if you are in dead earnest about finding a man use Canadian Grocerr. Rates-two cents per word first insertion and one cent per word each subsequent insertion, with five cents extra per insertion when replies are to be sent to Box No. in our care. Address:

## CANADIAN GROCER WANT ADS. 153 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, TORONTO

# Some People Are Born "Lucky" 

People are often apt to believe that because a man achieves a big success he is born under a "lucky" star.

Generally, if you will look into things closely you will find that there are sound reasons for his success.

The same holds true of products. There are sound reasons why some products score a big success while others fail.

Just think of the number of package teas that have been put on the market only to vanish after a brief stay -while Red Rose Tea has marched from success to success.

The reason for Red Rose Tea's suc-
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The success of each individual grocer's tea department also depends on quality and uniformity. The grocer who makes Red Rose Tea his "Leader" is building up a tea trade on a sound and profitable basis.

## T. H. Estabrooks Co., Limited

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The Best Spread There Is For Bread

## Critical Tastes Agree That

 NUTRO PEANUT BUTTERIs Supremely Delicious

Put up in 1, 5, 15 and 55-lb. tins. Distributed in Ontario and Quebec through C. Morris \& Co., C.P.R. Building, Toronto. Dealers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and B.C. should order direct from

## Kelly Confection Company, Limited VANCOUVER,

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have acquired a reputation for quality that is a big factor in creating and maintaining a big demand.
Tell your customers you sell Robinson'sand have your stock of Robinson's "Patent" Groats and Robinson's "Patent" Barley placed where it can be easily seen.

MAGOR, SON and COMPANY, LIMITED r9ı ST. PaUL ST. W., MONTREAL

30 CHURCH STREET, TORONTO

##  ) CY's , mint SALT WORTI LIVING <br> Tell Your Customers What A Pleasant Summer Drink it Makes <br> ABBEY'S SALT has a sound selling argument for every month in the year. This is why it sells b riskly all the year round. <br> For July and August, recommend ABBEY'S SALT as a beverage to quench the thirst. <br> It makes a sparkling, refreshing summer drink; slightly tart and wholly agreeable; and a valuable aid in keeping the whole system in a regular, orderly condition. <br> THE ABBEY EFFERVESCENT SALT CO., MONTREAL <br> 

# CANADIAN GROCER 

# Laundry and Toilet Soaps Advance 

Strength in Raw Materials and Decline in Glycerine, Due to Lack of Demand, Boosts Market for Soap in Both Canada and United States

THROUGHOUT Canada and the United States there has been an almost general advance on soap, including both laundry and toilet varieties. The rise in prices on laundry soaps represents a gain of from 40 to 50 cents, but in most instances it is 50 cents. On the toilet soaps it is an increase of fifteen per cent., and manufacturers state that even at this advance they are operating at a loss, and further enhancement of values in toilet soaps is not thought unlikely. The prediction in CANADLAN GROCER a month or twe ago that the market tendencies in soap were decidedly upward, and prices were hore likely to see advances than declines, seems to have been pretty well founded, judging from the present strength of the market. Opinion seems to be prettv well agreed that values will remain hich for some time to come. at least, just as long as quotations on fats and oils remain as they are at present.

## Rapid Jump in Raw Materials

John Mil'ar, general manager of Lever Bros, manufacturers of Surprise, Comfort, Sunlight. Lifebuov soans and borax, told CANADIAN GROCER that the advance is due to the rapid advance in the price of raw materials, and the decline in the price of glycerine. The decline in glycerine, which is a by-product in soap making, increases the cost of fats and oils by at least four cents
per nound. As fats and oils are at practically war-time levels, Mr. Millar pointed out, this makes an increase in soap making material of approximately four cents per pound. Then again labor and coal have advanced 100 per cent., and, of course, are important factors in the manufacture of soap. Neither show any indication of declining, but rather both are on the up grade. There is also likely to be a tremendous demand for fats and oils for Europe for somé time to come, so altogether, Mr. Millar does not see where there is any relief in sight.

## No Demand for Glycerine

A very important condition in the present advance is that arising out of the market situation in glycerine. The lack of demand has dropped the price of the crude article from 48 cents to 8 cents per pound. During the war, soap manufacturers received a good figure for their glycerine, thus enabling them to keep the price of soap down to what they claimed were reasonable levels. The fact that there is about ten per cent. glycerine in most soap making fats and oils makes a difference of about four cents per pound on tallows and fats. Fats and oils declined in price in the early months of this year, but are now held at and above war-time figures. The better grades of tallow are fully five cents per pound higher than during the period of the war. Sunlight, Comfort
and Surprise soaps have advanced 50 cents per case, to $\$ 8.25$, while Lifebuoy soap has arisen to $\$ 7$ per case, a gain of 40 cents.

Toilet Soap Up 15 Per Cent.
A. P. Taylor, of John Taylor and Co., soap manufacturers, of Toronto, told CANADIAN GROCER that practically the same conditions applied to the manufacture of toilet soaps as to the laundry kind, only much more intensified. The quality of the fats and oils utilized in making toilet soaps are of a higher standard, being edible fats. The cost of these, of course, is much higher. Toilet soaps have advanced 15 per cent., but Mr. Taylor looks for further advances before very long. For some months past, he states, manufacturers have been operating at a loss, and even the present jump in values will not cover a profitable return. To have really covered their losses, the increase should have been 30 per cent. Toilet soaps, at the new price, in gross lots, are quoted at $\$ 11.40$, as comvared with the former quotation of $\$ 10$ per gross.

The management of the Palmolive Company have not changed their prices, but stated to CANADIAN GROCER that the strength of the prices for raw materials have rendered the market for their soap very firm. No immediate change was contemplated in present values. Pa'molive soap is selling to the trade at $\$ 16$ gross.

## Signing of Peace Will Not Ease Prices

Temporary Rise in a Good Many Foodstuffs is Expected With the Prospect of New European Markets Being Opened

THE signing of peace may mean a , temporary rise in the price of many foodstuffs, according to well-founded opinion. Supplies of commodities are far from being replenished, and there can be no general reduction of prices until there is a surplus of supplies. In the words of those in a position to know, that surplus seems a long way off, when the wants of deso-
lated Europe are considered. More production is the solution, but just at present, with the possibility of Germany and Austria coming into the market for foodstuffs, there seems no doubt that ruling prices will be very strong. The chief difficulty in the way of these countries constituting themselves big buyers in the world's markets will be a financial one. The question of raising credits will
be of chief concern th the bankrupt countries, and may not easily be arranged. However, as it has been pointed out. the Allies have to face the fact that if they are to receive from Germany a great contribution to their war expenses they must first of all help her to become again an industrial nation. An indemnity must be paid in kind. Therefore Germany must manufacture, and it
follows that the acceptance of an indemnity forces the Allies to trade with her. It will be some time before production in these warring countries will again have attained to normal. They will be dependent on more productive lands for some time to come, and America is bound to play a large part in supplying these people with food.

Stocks of cattle in Europe have long since been very seriously depleted, and Canada and the United States will be looked to to provide meats. Authoritative opinion is to the effect that Canada's exports in beef, pork, and pork products will be very heavy indeed. This undoubtedly will tend to keep prices at very strong levels, and cheaper beef or pork in the near future is not thought likely.

## Meat Prices to Remain Firm

The consensus of opinion among people handling foodstuffs is that prices will be higher in the next couple of months, J. S. McLean, of the Harris Abattoir, Toronto, told CANADIAN GROCER, but that in September, or more likely later in the fall, there should be a return to more normal levels. Mr. McLean did not think that the signing of peace would mean any heavier export of foodstuffs, as he did not think it could be much heavier than it has been in the past few months. "Exports of beef, pork, and pork products have been enormous of late," he said. "The American market has been shipping largely to Europe, supplying the needs of devastated France and Belgium. These countries are likely to need foodstuffs for some time to come, but the signing of peace having been anticipated, immense quantities have already gone forward to these countries. Canadian products have largely gone to England, as has always been the case. There is little likelihood that Canadian foodstuffs will be used to relieve Europe."

The increased "runs" of cattle and hogs in the fall months should have the effect of lowering prices, and Mr. McLean looks to the last part of the year for easier levels in the livestock market. A big wheat crop, too, should have the right influence on the cost of living.

## Europe Will Want Tea

J. L. Watt, of Watt and Scott, Toronto, tea importers, believes that higher prices are going to rule on teas. Primary markets, he states, have already advanced, in anticipation of large orders from Europe. Germany and Austria, while formerly not heavy tea drinkers as compared with coffee, have become more so during the years of the war. As the war is over, the blockade against Germany must be lifted. There is bound to be a great rush for teas in the opinion of Mr. Watt. Importers are buying all the Ceylon teas that they can get their hands on. The exchange situation, too, is such that the markets are very uncertain. Another advance in exchange on Ceylon is expected. Exchange is at present $1 \mathrm{~s} .8 \% \mathrm{~d}$. on the rupee, representing a premium of 25 per cent. on the value of the rupee.

The normal consumption of Ceylon teas in the United States and Canada is thirty million pounds a year. Shipments in six months have only totalled $4,600,000$ pounds, an eighth of normal importations. Good teas are exceedingly scarce, largely due to the fact that a surplus of Java teas at the end of 1918 resulted in light receipts of Ceylon goods. Orders are now going out to Ceylon very freely, notwithstanding the unfavorable market conditions. Stocks of Javas are being rapidly depleted, and the three cents a pound discriminating duty against them is likely to detor the possibility of getting any great supply of Javas, consequently Mr. Watt is of the opinion that tea will not decline but that price tendencies will be towards higher levels.
C. N. Wrenshall, of White Swan Spices and Cereals Ltd., Toronto, told CANADIAN GROCER that with the prospect of new markets at the signing of peace it might have the effect of stimulating quotations on spices, that is, before normal conditions were finally re-establish-
ed. With Austria and Germany again in the market for these lines, demand was likely to be much increased. However, primary markets, he said, were rather unsettled at the present, and it was difficult to say just what the price trend will be. In the matter of cereals, Mr. Wrenshall believed that with the removal of the fixed price on wheat the tendency of prices would be downward as there was an oversupply.
Gordon Doddington of the Western Canada Flour Mills does not look for any change in the flour situation as a result of the signing of peace. "We don't look for any change until next September," he said. "It will all depend on what action the Government will take in regard to the fixed price of wheat." When asked if he thought the Government would again set the price, he stated that he believed it was likely that a minimum figure might be fixed in order to stabilize the Canadian market with that of the United States, where the wheat price has already been settled for next year.

## Making a Specialty of Fruit

## Cobourg, Ont., Store Finds This Department the Bulk of Its Summer Business-Buying Soft Fruits by the Carload -Fruit Sales Are a Great Drawing Card For Other Trade.

H.CROZIER, King St., Cobourg, Ont., is doing a tremendous business in fresh fruits, the year round, but in Summer, however, the trade in fruit assumes enormous proportions. "In fact the bulk of our business is in fruit," the manager told CANADIAN GROCER. The business, while still carried on under the name of H . Crozier;' is managed by the late Mr. Crozier's daughter. "We sold over 20,000 boxes of strawberries last season," she told the GROCER representative, "and we look to do much more this year, because the crop promises better returns.

Raspberries are not so heavy, but in the peach season we bring in a car at a time." In the Summer months this firm specializes in fruit, pushing it each Summer now for years, until now they have a reputation for fruit sales that is almost unexcelled. While the general grocery trade is a smaller end of the business than fruit in the Summer months, the latter has been the means of stimulating trade in the former, in a very large degree. In selling people fruit, this-store finds it very often the case of securing an order for groceries as well. In this way, frequently new business is created.

## TARIFF COMPARISONS ON SUGAR

CANADIAN GROCER has had an inquiry, in regard to the taxes on sugar, and the increases of the same, since the war. The appended table shows the tariff on sugar as effective May 13th, 1913, and as increased by Order-in-Council, August 21st, 1914:


The increase in the tariff for 1914 was a war measure to provide revenue and is covered by Department of Customs' Memorandum No. 1811 B, covering a selected list of articles on which the duties were increased, effective August 21st, 1914.

When the War Surtax of 5 per cent. on British Preference and $71 / 2$ per cent. on general tariff was introduced February 12th, 1915, same did not apply on sugar, which was among certain specified exempted articles, see Customs Memorandum 1890 B.

# Making Friends Through Advertising 

## The Pharmacy a Unique Store of Pilot Mound, Man., That Developed From a Drug Store to a Drug Grocery and Ice Cream Parlor, and Developed Successfully, Has Encouraged the Public Confidence and Gained the Public GoodWill by Systematic, Forceful Advertising

ADRUG store and a grocery combined.
This extraordinary combination of trade has been operated for two years in Pilot Mound, Man., by Dr. Cohoe. The result has not only been eminently successful, but the custom attracted by the grocer trade has resulted in increasing the drug business 25 per cent. during each year it has been in operation. The store is run on a strictly cash business in a community where the credit system has been in vogue for years and is still going strong. Here too it has attained eminent success. Its advertising in the Pilot Mound Sentinel is of such a high order as to rank as a text for country merchants all over Canada. It is to this advertising that its success is largely due. Gordon McKay, store manager, is responsible for these business-pulling announcements of which details will be given in this article.

The story of how the Pilot Mound Pharmacy came to engage in the grocery business is interesting. It appears that about three years ago one of the largest general stores in town began to cut in on the business of the local drug store by offerinc for sale a very extensive line of patent medicines and other articles and merchandise that had hitherto been handled exclusively by Dr. Cohoe. This was endured for several months until the falling off in business became so marked that the doctor determined to retaliate. He proceeded to rent larger ouarters. and on Saturday. Mar. 3, 1917, onened un his combination store, with drugs and stationery occunying one side of it, and groceries and fruits the other. A soda fountain was placed in the centre at the rear.

The opening was marked by a threequarter name advertisement in the local paper, which announced the inauguration of the cash system and presented a series of exceptional bargains, both in drugs and in groceries. This is how it read:
"'The Pharmacy' will open the doors of the MeCullough building on Saturday morning, March 3, and just to be sure you will all come we are going to offer some exceptionally good buys. Money talks and we will have no excuse to offer if we cannot meet all prices. You will have the big advantage of seeing what you are buving and naying for just what you buy with our cash system. Your monev has the same purchasing power as the next man's-we have no two prices-one price to all and that the very lowest consistent with honest goods. Come along on Saturday and see for yourself-you will be entirely welcome and the chances are if you come
to see you will remain to buy. Watch us, with your co-operation, put- a big dent in the H. C. of L."

## Encouraging Belief in Honesty of Its Advertising

In a small corner of this advertisement The Pharmacy began its first efforts to educate the public to believe its advertising, a plan which it has kept up consistently ever since, and which tends to make the announcements of this store read convincingly and true. Using a small humorous cut of a policeman with a big club in one hand and an extended dark lantern in the other-the only cut used in the advertisement, the announcement reads:
"Be on the lookout for we are going to do more advertising. We believe in it. But listen: we want you to believe that we mean what we say! So we want you
to test this advertising of ours, how, where and when you will."
Another announcement a few weeks later, emphasizing this point, read as follows:
"The success of any business depends to a large extent upon the confidence the public places in the advertisements of that firm. Our constant aim will be to so conduct this business that you will know we mean what we say, and that we say what we mean. You acknowledge by your increasing support of our store that our advertising is more than mouth deep."
Another advertisement along similar lines bears the catch line: "Read it carefully. You will find it profitable to do so. It will only take you a few minutes to read this advertisement, but if you want to save a little money read it slowContinued on Page 31


A Seotion of the Combined Grocery and Drug Store of Dr. Cohoe.


ONE of the most important things in building a fruit business with us has been that of making a big display," said R. H. Paul, of Walter Paul, Ltd., retail grocers, University Avenue, Montreal. "The customer is impressed if she sees a big display. It is just human nature to want to see a big assortment. One may be buying a tie, for instance. He only wants one, but he is more likely to buy that from the dealer who has a big assortment."

This is really a big consideration. A large array of fruit and vegetables doubtless makes an impression that has, in itself, great selling argument. It has worked with this company, and the assortment of fresh fruits and vegetables carried is always large and well-arranged; it is really compelling, from a selling view-point.

Best Grades Sold
Mr. Paul said that they had no dififculty in getting a reasonable price for fruit. 'The customer will pay a fair price, but will not pay an abnormal figure for fruit. When strawberries, for instance, are received early in the season, and command a high price of around $\$ 1$ a box, customers buy carefully. Even the wealthy will buy in very small quantities, perhaps only a single box."

With a fruit trade the Paul Company feels that it is best to carry the better class of fruits, as well as of vegetables. Sound fruit is the best value, and it leaves a better impression with the buyer, even though a little higher price may have to be secured for it. In maintaining this fruit in the best possible condition, the firm uses the refrigerator for part of its stock. "The best temperature at which to keep fruit and vegetables is about 38 degrees," said Mr. Paul. "This ensures freshness for a long time, and helps to prevent waste."

Of course this temperature is made possible only through the employment of a refrigeration plant, and as the Paul Company operates its own, the desired degree of cold can be maintained at will.

Checking U'p Stock-Waste Prevention Answering CANADIAN GROCER'S question as to whether the fruit and vegetable departments were under the care of some one salesman, Mr. Paul replied that this work was divided. "One man is required to supervise the vegetables," he said, "and another the fruits. They check up the stock each day, and in this manner we know what we are short of and can order supplies as they are wanted."

It is coming to be recognized more and more that the showing of fruit in bulk is one of the most successful methods of encouraging its sale. It can be done with reasonable care. The Walter Paul Store, Montreal, safeguards itself from excessive loss by having a daily stocktaking of stocks of fruit. It entrusts the work of seeing that this stock moves regularly to one man for the fresh fruit and one for the fresh vegetables. Small baskets used for soft fruits, and newspaper advertising is used extensively to back up sales.

This keeps the stock complete. It keeps it fresh. In addition to this, it prevents a waste that would run higher than usual, were careful, daily supervision not exercised. With fruit, as évery grocer knows, profits may quickly be absorbed in the waste that goes out the back door. There will be some of this, inevitably, but the desire is to reduce this to a minimum.

Supplies are looked over carefully from time to time, and with a constant vigilance, excessive waste is prevented. That the inevitable waste may be provided for, the probable amount of this is first figured into the cost. It iss also arranged that any fruit or vegetables showing signs of spoiling be disposed of to the best advantage, without delay.

Displays, All The Time
The Walter Paul store believes in
maintaining good displays. This applies to the stock inside the store. It applies in like manner to the windows." "We always have some fruit in our windows," said Mr. Paul. It serves as a reminder to forgetful folk. Good, prime fruit is attractive, and can be so placed as to draw attention. With excellent window space, the Paul store uses the same to induce sales, and frequently special effort is made to emphasize the importance of the fruit department, by putting in a very large display, and in making this most attractive.

Within the store, the displays are excellent. They are so impressive as to command attention from every customer. Large space near the entrance of the store is devoted to the line and tables are used on which to place both fruits. and fresh green vegetables.

With oranges, grapefruit, lemons, etc., the original cases are used. Various sizes are arranged on the floor, with the boxes tilted at a convenient angle. These are built up from the floor and the arrangement is made to catch the eye. Most impressive is the extensive stock displayed with every advantage for selection on the part of the customer. Apples, pears, pineapples and, in season, peaches, plums, apricots, grapes, etc., serve to make displays that are worth while. This arrangement induces many sales every day.

For apples, pears, plums and small fruits, small cardboard baskets are employed. Large, luscious fruit appears to best advantage in these, and the average customer just wants this quantity for immediate table use. It has come to be a popular way of selling these lines.

## Getting Supplies Forward

Much of the fruit and many of the vegetables sold by this firm, come in by express. Boston is a large distribution centre for the early vegetables, in particular, and it is within a stone's throw, so to speak, of Montreal. Supplies are therefore brought in from there to the

Montreal market, especially during the Winter and early Spring months. They arrive in crisp condition, and when placed on display, they practically sell themselves. Notwithstanding this, the salesman, Mr. Paul says, is a big factor. He can and does make suggestions, and as the great bulk of orders are received over the telephone, he has an opportunity to tell customers what is received fresh. "The customer gets to know the salesman, and he, in turn, the wishes of the customers," said Mr. Paul. This helps, in that the suggestion can be made as to new lines raceived with a good idea of what will please the customer. "We often say that we are sending up some new fruit or vegetables, and these are sent along. If the customer does not want them they may be returned."

Unquestionably one important element of fruit selling is that of securing and maintaining a quick turnover. With the daily checking of the stock, the Paul store is enabled to secure the fullest advantage of this plan.

## Classy Advertising

The morning newspaper is used. The space taken is generally a two-column size, six inches deep. A special trademark with the two letters " $W$ " and "P" are worked into the upper left-hand corner, and "Walter Paul Limited," also in a special type, appears at the foot of the advertisement. This makes a unique and distinctive announcement that is bound to be read by the women at the breakfast table, or soon after the morning meal. With a suggestion there, she may lift the receiver ana ask for fresh lettuce, celery, cucumbers, salad dressings, etc.

A very suitable and "different" advertisement appeared recently and re-
ferred only to "SALADS." Beginning "With the first breath of Spring in the air, with the first blades of green which poke their way through the softening brown earth, the wise housekeeper realizes the time has come to advance salads from secondary place to the most important role, which they, like ices, assume when warm days quicken the appetite for cool, refreshing foods," and so on. Then follows suggestion for salad making, lettuce, cucumbers, tomatoes, celery, olive oil, salad dressing, salmon, crab meat and other kinds of fish, and with the important caption at the finish, "Call or phone Walter Paul, Ltd:"

This is excellent advertising, and it undoubtedly pays. Wisely planned, it is safe to say that, even with the larger outlay called for by advertising in a metropolitan daily, it is sound and good merchandising help.

While not of the same nature, another advertisement recently used, and which must have been effective, was that bearing on brushes, brooms and dusters, floor wax, polishes, etc. The idea is that this is specialized advertising that makes definite, timely suggestion. Used seasonably, it is a most effective help, a good reminder, and a recognized modern plan of creating new business and holding the patronage that already trade at the store.

## FACING THE MAIL ORDER COMPETITION

F. G. Lesgett, a general storekeeper at Kipling, Sask., has literally taken the mail order "bull" by the horns, and proven to the satisfaction of his customers and to his own benefit that he can meet the mail order prices for any general order of goods.

Mr. Leggett is not bashful about mak-
ing his claims. One of the most conspicuous things on his counter is the catalogue of a well-known Winnipeg and Toronto firm. The sales are clinched when customers are reminded that they have to wait for a considerable time before their shipments arrive from the city, and then pay full express charges on thetn.

## CALIFORNIA MAY ENTER GRAPE JUICE BUSINESS

It is reported that the California grape growers will enter the grape juice industry in the near future.

It has been a false notion among many people that the California grapes were not adapted to the making of grape juice in any quantities, say growers who have done a lot of experimenting of recent years.
It is suggested that a new method of storing wil! be adopted, that of drying all of the wine grapes grown in California, keeping them in the form of raisins for any length of time, has the approval of most of the wine-grape growers, it .would appear. The only difficulty is that the growers of the very delicious muscat, Thompson's seedless and the Sultana are fearful that if this is done the market price of their product will tumble.

The wine grape has the larger seed and it is expected this variety would have to be disposed of at a much lower price. However, the growers of the table varieties look with apprehension upon an invasion of the raisin market. Whether or not the prohibition law shall suffer any change whatsoever, favorable or not to the wine industry, it would now appear that all branches of the grape producing industry in California will form a closer working organization than now obtains.


The fine interior of the Walter Paul Store, Montreal.

# Replacing John Barleycorn with Fruit 

## A Story of Meeting New Conditions of Interest to You, Whether You Sell Liquor or Not

By henry jobnson, Jr.

IN a certain large mid-Western city one grocer was doing by far the biggest business, selling around $\$ 600,000$ worth of merchandise an-nually-"mostly booze," according to his competitors. Admittedly his business ran heavily to liquors, his groceries being sold very close to cost, apparently as leaders to his drink department. He shipped many orders into adjacent territory. It was said that the bulk of such shipments consisted of mysterious unbranded cases and barrels which contained firewater of various kinds.

Naturally, he was a hard competitor for grocers who did not handle liquors. They felt that if it were not for his drink traffic he would be rather easy competition because he was located where rents were high and expenses otherwise heavy. They were sure that if the time ever came when he would have to depend on "legitimate business" he would have a hard time to survive at all.

Then came the prohibition wave. The town went bone dry on short notice. But our big grocer did not go out of business. In fact his sales to-day are larger than ever before. Moreover he is making so much money so much more easily than formerly that he declares emphatically that he would not care to go back to liquor selling. And yet it is true that now he is regarded as "much better competition" than in the days when his groceries were supposed to be mere bellwethers for liquor sales.

## How Was it Done?

How did he do it? The answer is simple, yet very comprehensive. He did it by skillful merchandising. He is a much better merchant and profounder student of human nature than most grocers.

He tells the story himself rather well:
"I must admit I was disturbed when the town went dry, for I had not believed it would do so. But there being no alternative I had to plan to meet new conditions. My first thought was to take stock of my business to discover its points of special merit so that I could build and shape new growth on them.
"I was somewhat surprised by my first discovery. That was that, aside from liquors, my best department was fruit and vegetables-mostly fruits. In a general way I had known, as every good merchant must know, that we were selling lots of fruit and vegetables, but what impressed me when I got down to close investigation was the rapid turnover in that department.
"Second, the cash-and-carry plan which had recently become fashionable had been put into operation in one sec-
tion of our store. I found that proportionate sales in that department were increasing steadily, almost week by week.
"Third-I want to emphasize this point a little-we had always been noted for the quality of our goods. It is not hard to assert that our quality has always been high. Almost any merchant will say the same of his goods, and generally it will be true, according to his lights. Also almost any merchant will feel that, in being watchful of quality, he is entitled to a mark of merit. So I want to start with a disclaimer of meriting any brass halo. I consider it just ordinary good sense to sell goods so meritorious and handle them so skilfully that they will give satisfaction. This because any other course is too expensive of labor, money and trouble in making good claims, objections and kicks. So our business has run along smoothly with little exchanged or returned goods.

## Intelligent Reorganization of Departments

"Following what I felt were the lines of least resistance, therefore, I retired my window display of liquors, except for one prominent window, where cleanup bargains were featured. In the entire space thus made available, I made lavish displays of fruits. Let me show you what I mean," and he led the way over to a window filled with handsome apples in boxes. "Here," he said, "are goods which come in boxes, which we sell in boxes, which are only removed from the boxes if damaged, or in a small way, to sell by the piece. But you will get the idea of mass-the way to display fruits, or vegetables of any kind, is in mass. Show a lot of the goods, one kind at a time, and they will move in a oig way
"The ideal fruit for display," he continued, walking over to another window, "is oranges, grapefruit and lemons, because those can be dumped out and piled up without damage. It is worth noting, too, that no fruit is so attractive, none catches and holds the eye of the passer or is so universally tempting, as oranges. So we stick to displays which iook big always.
"Now, while we keep up our service here, delivering and giving credit as always, we have, as I said, experienced a constant growth of the cash-and-carry business. So we have set aside this entire room and front to that department. Here you will notice are oranges priced at 3 c each, the size which is marked 40 c per dozen in the service department. That is a difference of 10 per cent., a very liberal discount to the consumer for serving herself in cash and deliveries."

## Building Cash-and-carry

"I have studied this cash-and-carry department rather carefully since the change," he continued, "and my present conclusion is that many have failed in it because they have not had the staying power to sustain them through the period of transition. It takes time for consumers to learn to appreciate the savings, which necessarily are in small units on foods. For instance, four cents on a dozen oranges is not very impressive; but any careful housewife who watches things for a month or two finds the savings worth making-provided the grocer is doing his part fairly and hon-estly-I mean, provided he is honestly giving her the benefit all the way through his stock.
"We have been able to furnish both services and let this one grow. To that I attribute its success very largely."

## Fruit The Mainstay

"But, as I say, fruit is the thing on which we rely now as the great specialty around which our business is built; and of all fruits, oranges and lemons are preferred for several important reasons: they are obtainable the year round, fresh from the trees; they are easy to handle, very attractive, the waste averages very light. Therefore, they are not the staples of the department, yet have the unusual advantage not common to staples generally, that they produce profit directly as well as indirectly.
"It is thus possible to figure very closely and reliably on citrus fruits. Because of the rapid turnover, the shrinkage is light, but we take an arbitrary figure in order to be entirely safe in our calculations. For example, we always figure 14 dozen in the box of 176 size; 12 dozen in the 150 size and 10 dozen in the 126 size. On top of that we load our gross margin which runs between 20 and 25 per cent., depending on the season and other conditions."

Fruit vs. Liquor-A Contrast
"I said I would not care to go back to the liquor business, and I'll try to tell you why," he concluded. "Liquors make up a business which is deceptive in many respects. The margin is so wide that it looks very alluring. Against that is the feature of slow average turnover, for much of the stock moves but once a year-some less than that. Then there are leakages of many kinds besides those due to loose barrel hoops. There is the expense of licenses, and the care and anxiety to conform to all legitimate regulations while not losing all profits through grafting officials. There are other disadvantages, among them that Continued on page 32

## MAKING FRIENDS THROUGH AD-

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ly-compare it-put it to any test, it will stand it."

Increase Turnover 25 Per Cent.
By far the outstanding feature of this experiment is the increased business brought to the drug department as a result of the many people being attracted to the store to purchase groceries, soft drinks and ice cream. During the year before the advent of the grocery department the drug store made a turnover of $\$ 6,000$. The following year, when combined with the grocery, it made a turnover of $\$ 8,000$, and last year this was increased to $\$ 9,500$. This year the store exnects to do a $\$ 10,000$ business in drugs. In one of his advertisements the manager touches on the oddity of a drug store doing a grocery business with the remark, "The old order changes. Thines that were laughed at 20 years ago are now recognized as legitimate profitearning enterprises. for instance the vast system of chain stores now in operation in the States. Stores that carry practically the same line of goods. and doing business on the same principle as The Pharmacy were thought to be a mis-take-to-day they are probably the most successful enterprise in the States. We want to show you that we are selling good goods every day in the week at prices that cannot be beaten anywhere in the province of Manitoba."

## Featuring the Cash Idea

In connection with its cash system of operation this store is constantly driving home arguments to show the wisdom and economy of such methods. One advertisement reads: "A good many peovle are now doing business on a strictly eash basis. They find it pays. Ask any of the men in this district who pay eash for their goods all about it. They will tell you that they would never go back to the old 'hit and miss' credit
system. It's a wasteful, expensive, outof date method of doing business. When you pay cash for your goods you have no big bill coming in in the Fall with its mistakes, overcharges, interest, etc. By the cash system you buy what you want and where you want at the lowest possible price. You are not helping to pay the bill of someone else who has failed to pay his. Think it over."

Again this argument is presented: "If we were running an extensive charge business-that is selling goods on ninety day, six months', or a year's time, keeping a bookkeeper, taking big chances on unpaid accounts, we could no more sell goods at the prices we advertise than we could carry on a conversation with the man in the moon. Our system cuts off the foolish frills of retail trade and puts real good food on your table at a price you can afford to pay. We invite you to The Pharmacy-we guarantee to save you money."

After they had been in business for six months with the combination store the firm published this statement at the head of a large display advertisement:

## Can't Be Done

"That's what a lot of people said concerning our announcement that we would conduct a one-price-for-all cash business. If our system is not finding favor among the people of Pilot Mound and district, and our business and usefulness not increasing hand over fist-then Kaiser Bill is a gentleman!!"

Courage in Advertising
Perhaps the most audacious advertising in all the series that has been published by this firm is that in which they come right out into the open to attack the mail-order houses, publishing side by side quotations from the catalogues and their own, showing better values. One of these, published on a Saturday in May had this introduction to the price comparison:
"Most people are afflicted with the

'Fallacy of the elsewhere.' The fallacy of the elsewhere is the delusion that makes far away fields look more green. It's the delusion that prevents any man from being a prophet (with honor) in his own country. But money talks. Take that grocer catalogue you got from the mail-order house last week; examine, compare, give every test to quality and prices as compared with The Pharmacy's. We must convince you that The Pharmacy is selling good goods cheap. Look at the following prices taken from the supposedly cheapest mail-order house in Canada, compare with ours. These are only a few cases picked out at random." Then follows the comparison table, and at the bottom of the advertisement the notation in heavy type: "In addition to above orices you pay the freight or express charges on goods which you buy in Wininpeg. Think it over."

Several other advertisements of a similar nature were run.

From time to time announcements were inserted in the weekly newspaper emphasizing the service offered by this store. Other advertisements aimed to educate readers toward conditions which caused higher prices, as for instance this one, which bore the caption: "In the days of 16 cent corn." It read: "One of the results of the changed cost of living in the past few years has been a confusion of prices with values of those who try to measure the values of commodities today with those of a decade or so ago. A story illustrative of the point is told in a recent circular letter of a lumber companv. A Missouri farmer, as the story runs, kicked because his dealer offered him for $\$ 90$ the same kind of a buggy that his father purchased twenty years before for $\$ 50$. The merchant, upon investionation. found that the father paid for his vehicle with 300 bushels of corn; he thereupon offered to give his customer in exchance for 300 bushels of corn the following items: $\$ 90$ buggy, $\$ 75$ wagon, $\$ 20$ suit of clothes, $\$ 20$ dress for his wife, $\$ 2$ dress for his haby, $\$ 5$ crib for his baby, $\$ 3$ box of cigars, $\$ 10$ worth of surar, $\$ 10$ worth of tea, $\$ 100$ worth of gasoline, and $\$ 15$ worth of lubricating oil. The farmer refused the offer. paid $\$ 90$ for his buggy, and departed satisfied. There followed a list of special values.
For a time the firm featured week-end bargains, later it offered bargains that would stand for a week. which had a very marked effect on the sale of the general run of merchandise.
When the first anniversary of the opening of the store rolled around a special anniversary sale was put on, the advertisement for this event occupying a pare in the "Sentinel." In the centre of this advertisement was the following announcement enclosed consnicuously in a triple black rule border: "Special in-ducement-To the customer buying the largest amount of goods at The Pharmacy on our anniversary day we will give fre their choice of any box of apples in the store."

The eight-column. 14 -point announcement: at the head of this advertisement

# Large Stores Have Showcard System 

Smaller Cards Used for Higher Grade Merchandise - Each Store Should Use Cards Best Suited to Class of Merchandise Carried.

One of a Series by R. T. D. EDWARDS

LARGE American stores have gone into the question of showcarding their stores very thoroughly. The ${ }^{3}$ have made a thorough study of it to find out the best kind of show cards they should use, and the way they should be used to be in keeping with tha class of trade to which they cater.

As you make a study of each store in the large centres in the United States, you will find that each city and each merchant in each city has worked out their own showcard system.

Large city merchants such as those in New York and Chicago, where a great transient business is transacted, can afford to be more exclusive and use showcards very sparingly; while the smaller city merchant uses showcards more after the order that the Canadian city merchants use.

But all have their own system of showcards, varying more or less. Each of these systems are the result of many years of study in which the showeard writer figures largely. He being the man on the job has been able to make a close study of what his particular store really requires, in order that the best results may be obtained from them. He has had the opportunity of trying out various ideas, both in system and cards, until he has found out what was the best for that particular store for which he worked.

The rezult has been small, neatly-letteren cards as being the best for the high and medium class store. They leave the large, highly colored, heavily

lettered showeard to lower class stores.
You can find some stores using a dark card with white letters, or grey cards with black letters with printed border and white underlining the letters. But white cards are more prevalent, owing to their being cleaner and brighter looking, but, of course, they must be changed oftener in order to keep them clean.

This is the condition that prevails at the present in New York City, and we

## Suggestions for Card Phrases

These early vegetables will give a zest to any meal.
Now that the fruit cellar is depleted, how about sampling some of these delicious jams and iellies?
Those early spring outings will be more enjoyed with some of these goods along.

Canadians can glean many helpful points from our American friends. The main lesson that we can obtain is not so much a copy of their particular style of showcards, or a copy of their particular showeard system, but a copy of their system of finding out what is best for our stores. We should study the conditions in our stores and in our towns and the lines along which the masses of our customers' minds run. With these settled up, work up showcards that will attract and appeal to them. We think that if you work in a store in a small town and you find the brighter cards are best, why, by all means, use them, but do so intelligently. Use the color on the card sparingly and in an artistic manner.

The two samples of showcards illustrated here are not meant to illustrate that which is used in New York, because they are not. They are of a simple style of showeard that is quite effective in our Canadian towns. The lettering and designs, as you will note, are all done on dark surfaces, with various pastel colors. Combinations of bluegrey and cream, salmon pink and white, pale blue, pea green, are only a few that can be worked over these dark colored cards to good effect.

The card with the light, broad border has a cut-out centre. and the dark centre is mounted on the back of it.

The other card has a smooth black surface. This variety also comes in maroon, dark green, both of which can be used to make splendid showeards. On this latter card use a heavy opaque color,
so as to ensure the ground not showing through.

## REPLACING JOHN BARLEYCORN

 Continued from page 30 every so often a man goes wrong whose family has been a steady visitor to your store and there is loss-plus regret."On the other hand, as against a preferred average turnover of 10 to 12 times a year in the general food business, fruits are turned not less than 50 times, and citrus fruits are bought and sold, in well-managed departments, from 75 to 100 times a year. It is quite possible to earn 2 to 5 per cent. absolutely net on the average turnover; so here is a source of annual capital earnings of 100 to 500 per cent. And mark this, in the fruit business there are no regrets.
"Let us now consider how the fruit department leads to all the others, and I think you will agree that it is the best department to which a grocer can devote himself. It is growing daily with me, and I shall make it grow as much as I can."

## BUSINESS FAILURES

Eighty-four per cent. of the business failures of the past year occurred among firms which did no advertising. This is the assertion made by the Bradstreet Commercial Ageney, which is as unbiased authority as can be found in the business world to-day. Bradstreet compiled this information from statisticsnot guesswork.
This information is certainly worthy

of careful consideration by all merchants. The importance of advertising as a business element must have been regarded as vital by this great commercial agency, else it would not have wasted thetime of hundreds of trained men throughout the nation collecting and tabulating this information.

Bradstreet's thus points the way to one of the elements of business success. The lesson to be drawn from their statistics regarding the advertising merchant is obvious.

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## What a billion means

THE majority of Canadian merchants can remember when almost all figuring was done in hundreds and thousands of dollars. When the word million was mentioned it was generally in connection with some big deal or some very wealthy person like John D. Rockefeller. This is not so very long ago, and business men could usually visualize and get a pretty fair general idea of the amounts in which they were talking. The last five years, however, has changed this whole situation. With the war the mention of "billions of dollars" became as common almost as "thousands" was before and one of the resulfs has been that the great majority of people has lost all idea as to the vast amounts of money represented. They know that a billion is a lot of money and that when it is stated that Germany must pay so many billions indemnity or that the war cost the Allies so many billions it runs into huge figures. Some small idea of just what one billion means, not to say anything about billions, may be gained when it is understood that if a merchant had one billion dollars he could employ 1,000 clerks and pay each one $\$ 5$ a day for a little over 542 years. Machine guns fire five hundred shots a minute. If a person had a billion dollars and shot them through the machine gun at that rate he could fire night and day for three years, nine months and twenty-five days. Or if you had one billion one dollar bills and fastened them all end to end you would have a strip almost 118,500 miles long or more than four and a half times around the earth. Try and figure this out and then think over how you would like to have to pay Germany's war debts.

## OBLIQUE REASONING

SoMETIMES it is just a little difficult to follow the mental peregrinations of the newspaper scribes in their efforts to put the blame on somebody for the high cost of living.

The Toronto Star deals thus with a certain phase of the subject:
"The argument that profit shouid be allowed upon turnover instead of on capital is altogether fallacious. Carried to its logical conclusion it should be applied to labor as well as to capital. A diamondcutter should receive fabulous wages because his "turnover" means a lot of money. If a bank teller should receive a percentage of the vast sums which he handles his salary should place him in the millionaire class. These illustrations show that the contention is absurd. Labor should be paid according to the energy and skill of the worker, and capital should be paid a fair return on the actual investment."

The two instances given above may be conclusions, but they certainly are not logical conclusions. The logical conclusion would of course be that the diamond-cutter should be paid on a basis of the quality and quantity of the work turned out, and the bank clerk on the basis of the efficiency and expedition with which his task was accomplished.

Capital should not be paid on a basis of a return on the actual investment. That is not the logic of the Star's own contention. "Labor should be paid according to the energy and skill of the worker," it urges. Quite so, and the manufacturer on the same basis, and "turnover" if it represents anything, represents the result of the energy and skill used in the management of the business.

## SOME ADVERTISING

THE following tem appeared amongst the editorial matter in a country newspaper: What might have been a very sad accident happened last week on a farm just outside of Glace Bay. The family were having their breakfast when the mother, who had been suffering from a cold, got a piece of bread stuck in her crop. 'The poor woman immediately turned black in the face ; the children being in a frightful state of consternation could do nothing, when fortunately, with superhuman efforts, the lady succeeded in removing the obstacle, and her life was saved. I imagine the joy of her husband who was working out in the field, when she informed him of her narrow escape from an early grave. "What was the cause of it?" he inquired, "Well," she said, "I was in a great hurry to go down and get a suit for Buddy at Brasbie's sale, he is almost giving things away now, as he is anxious to get sold out, and attend to his farm at Brasbieville, now that the seeding season is on."

Can you beat it?

## Ontario

C. L. Marshall, of C. L. Marshall \& Co., spent several days at his home at Lovesick Lake, north of Peterborough, this week.

Wallace Anderson, Toronto representative of the Acadia Sugar Refinery, left this week to spend a fortnight's holiday in New Brunswick.

The Pure Gold Co., Toronto, gave their employees two extra days in addition to Dominion Day, closing down from Friday night until Wednesday H. P. Eckardt \& Co., wholesale grocers, Toronto, closed or. Saturday at noon until Wednesay.
R. Boyter, of the H. P. Eckardt staff, Toronto, intends to leave for Scotland shortly, where he will enter business with his father.
Edwärd Reid, of the Proctor and Camble Company, was presented with a handsome easy chair on the occasion of his recent marriage in Hamilton.

The retail merchants of Collingwood recently asked the Town Council that fruiterers be included in the early-closinc by-law
A. W. Phillips, of Bristol, has opened still another department in his store. This is for the sale of soda water, root beer, and ice cream.

James R. Bell, of Peterboro', Ont., who conducted a grocery business in that town for a number of years, passed away very suddenly there on June 19. Owing to ill-health he had been forced to dispose of his business some months previous.
O. S. Matchett, formerly in the grocery business in Peterborough, Ont., has joined the travelling staff of Medland \& Co., wholesale grocers, Toronto and Lindsay. Mr. Matchett will still reside in Peterborough, and will be connected with the Lindsay branch. Before going into the retail grocery business he was with Charles Rishor, wholesale grocer, Peterborough, for a number of years.

## I.X.L. SPICE MILLS SUFFER LOSS

 BY FIREFire of unknown origin completelv destroyyed the milling department of the IX.L. spice and coffee mills, on Marmora St., London, Ont., last week. It is estimated that the damage will be about $\$ 9.000$ to building, machinery and contents. The spices, etc., which were near the fire were utterly spoiled. The front of the buildine was not damaged to any appreciable extent.

While fighting the fire, which was a bad one from the firemen's voint of view, Arthur Hartop, of No. 5 hall. was knocked down, and Lieut. Chas. Wrav, also of $\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{n}}$. 5, had his face burned by an explosion, of which there were several.

They were not hurt badly and were able to continue at work. Assistant Chief Scott thought the explosions were caused by gasoline, but the company says there was no gasoline in the building and the explosions were caused by oils and tallow.
The fire started at the rear of the building, near a window, and officials of the company think that something inflammable may have been thrown into the building by boys.

## BUSINESS CHANGES

The Blyth Milling Co., of Blyth, Ont., has been sold to the Hillborn Milling Co.

The Bank of Montreal has recently opened a branch at Oshawa.
J. W. Morgan, Ottawa, who has been conducting a livery and flour and feed business, is disposing of the livery.

Thos. Berrie, grocer at 349 Broadview A venue, Toronto, is retiring from business. He has disposed of his store to Burry Bros., Gerrard Street.

## STORE AT STOKES BAY DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fire totally destroyed the store, warehouse and dwelling of McIver Bros., Stokes Bay. The post office was located in the building destroyed, and a considerable quantity of mail and stamps were lost. While packing eggs in the warehouse, one of the members of the firmi upset a lamp, and the fire spread rapidly amongst inflammable material, practically nothing being saved. The damage is estimated at over $\$ 12,000$, and the amount of insurance is unknown. Books carrying about $\$ 2,000$ in debts and $\$ 600$ in cash were lost.

## APPOINTED GOVERNMENT LIQUOR

 VENDOR FOR EASTERN ONTARIOW. J. Kennedy, well-known Ottawa grocer, has been appointed Government liquor agent for Eastern Ontario. The store will be located on the corner of Kent and Sparks Streets, and will be opened almost immediately.

## WINDOW TRIMMING CONTEST

MacLaren's Ltd., Hamilton, Ont., are putting on a window-trimming contest for crocers and clerks in Canada. The contest will spread over the months of August. September and October. It will he divided into two classes, 1 and 2. Class 1 includes all centres up to 10,000 population, and Class 2 towns and cities over 10,000 , the prizes beinc $\$ 25, \$ 15$ and $\$ 10$ in each class. The windows, of course, must contain nroducts manufactured by MacLarens Ltd.

## ONTARIO AND NOVA SCOTIA HAVE LIGHTER POTATO CROP

The acreage of potatoes in Nova Scotia and Ontario is likely to be less than last year, according to early reports, as stated in a report issued by the Department of Agriculture. In Ontario the prolonged wet weather has made it practically impossible to get on the land. Other reasons for the decreased acreage are the high cost of fertilizer and the shortage of labor.

## ACTIVE INQUIRY FOR OLIVE OIL

Toronto dealers in olive oil are receiving heavy shipments these days, but receipts to date are not sufficient to meet the demand. There is a very active inquiry for olive oil just now. One lot of 3,500 gallons, received a few weeks ago by a Toronto house, has been all cleaned up. This firm expects another consignment of 4,000 gallons in the course of the next few days. Shipments from Europe are expected to be more regular now. During the years of the war, there was very little olive oil on the market. There are no restrictions on the importation of olive oil.

## A MODERN METHUSELAH

Toronto, June 23, 1919.

## CANADIAN GROCER,

## City.

Gentlemen:-
In your issue of June 20th inst., page 38, we notice that "A. Ebon Edmonds, a leading wholesale and retail flour, feed and seed merchant, died at his heme, Simcoe, Ont., recently, aged 700."

After reading word for word from front to back cover of this issue, we wonder why this did not appear on the front page. We are now so interested in this case that we take time to write you, asking if it would not be possible to print this man's life in one of your early issues.

Thanking you for same, and trust that this account is correct.

Yours in hope,

## half holidays

COPPER CLIFF.-Half holiday has been changed from Wednesday to Thursday afternoons of June, July and August.

WATERFORD.--Stores will close on Thursday afternoons during June, July and Aucust, and are open Wednesday eveniriss.
TVILLINGATE, NFLD.-Stores will close at noon on Thursday, during July. August and September. <br> \title{
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VANCOUVER.-Mr. G. T. McAnn, who formerly covered the Okanagan territory for the Western Grocers, has left the firm to enter the auto accessories business. This field is now being taken over by Mr. Chester Kerr.

Mr. Vance Dawson has returned after serving overseas with the Artillery branch of the service. His many friends will find him again at the old stand with the Western Grocers.

The returning boys are finding a big "Welcome" on the mat all along Water street. A. Macdonald \& Co. got back another of their staff this week when J. Angus walked in on them. Mr. Angus went over with the first contingent.

Mr. F. Crickard is also back after trying out the life of a sailor in His Majesty's Navy, but after saying "Hello" to the boys in the A. Macdonald Co., where he was previously connected, he accepted a position with Mason \& Hickey, and will assist Mr. Grosse.

After serving with the Canadian and Imperial troops Mr. W. J. Ferguson has returned and will introduce "The Sweet-
heart of the Corn" for Mason and Hickey.
Mr. S. Screaton, from the Winnipeg office of Mason and Hickey, is a visitor to the coast.
The fact that the teamsters were out on strike and the cars were not running resulted in the small grocer in the outskirts coming into his own. Some of the down-town stores depend to a great extent on the shoppers in the outlying districts, but 20 cents each way on the jitney soon absorbs whatever, if any, saving in prices results.
There is a very serious shortage anticipated in B. C. pear crop, according to those covering the Fraser Valley field. Frosts have apparently caused the fruit to fall almost as soon as it is formed. With California fruit so high, even if the B. C. crop is not a very large factor in the market, is it regrettable that the B. C. fruit men can not take whatever advantage in price is going.
In former years the canners could only take what small fruit their several
capacities enabled them to handle at once, and the rest had to be turned away with, naturally, quite a wastage at the height of the producing season. The fact that many canners have now in operation their own refrigeration plants, and can now chill what they can't immediately use, besides being good business form the canners' standpoint is a step up from a sensible conservation standpoint. Could not Government plants at fruit centres save a lot of food for the nation that otherwise perishes during the peak in production?

By the capable way that A. P. Slade handled one of his own big trucks during the strike, it would appear that $A$. P. should speak with authority at any point in the fruit business.

Mr. D. G. Stewart, of Stewart \& Mobley, Prince Rupert, was a visitor in the city this week.

Mr. F. C. Banks, formerly with Mason \& Hickey, is now with the brokerage firm of Venables and Merrifield and will sell Quaker Oats for them in this territory.

# Western Merchants Adopt Cash Basis 

They Claim That if a Customer is Worthy of Credit, He Can Get It From the Bank, and<br>That is the Logical Source of Credit - Credit Business, They Claim, Has<br>Many Disadvantages, Especially in Poor Years-The Poor Credit Customer Will Spend His Cash Elsewhere

U$P$ in Kamsack, Saskatchewan, a divisional point on the main line of what was until recently the C.N.R., one of the largest general stores in the town is upsetting all the popular notions that a Western Canadian store can only be operated on the credit system.

This store is operated on a cash basis by the firm of Harvey \& Johnston, and both partners have been in business in Kamsack for the last fifteen years. They have been through all the experiences of running a business on the credit system and they are consequently in a position to offer some worth-while advice on how the straight cash principle works out. Mr. Harvey, who told the CANADIAN GROCER of the firm's experiences, is the Mayor of Kamsack.

Cash Business Increases Turnover
In the three years that the firm has operated on the cash basis it has increased its turnover approximately 25 per cent. a year, which as Mr. Harvey says is proof that the people are satisfied. Nor have they gone about the education of their customers in a delicate, apologetic manner. Prominently displayed in each department, where he who
buys may read, is a large card bearing the inscription:

Our Terms are strictly cash.
Please do not ask for credit.
The firm goes on the principle that in prosperous times success is absolutely assured under the cash system, while in periods of hard time it is insured by the fact that it has either the goods or the money on hand, while the other fellow has frittered away both.

## Clerks Share in Profits

In order to secure the fullest co-operation by the clerks a profit-sharing plan

has been instituted which works admirably.
But let Mr. Harvey tell his own story:
"We started in on a cash basis when we took over this store on April 1, 1916," he said by way of opening, "and we have continued this cash trade for three consecutive years without a break. It is long since past the experimental stage and we have found it eminently satisfactory, although it is somewhat of an innovation so far as merchandising goes in Western Canadian towns. Our experiences show that it can be done, and we would sell out before we would again go back to the credit system.
"Life to us would not be worth living if we had to revert to the worries and trials-yes and the losses-of doing business on the principle of long or short term credit.
"During the weeks preceding the formation of a partnershin between Mr. Johnston and myself we discussed the cash system from every angle, and both of us were convinced at that time that the plan was absolutely feasible. Not so the wholesales, however. They were Continued on page 38

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## ORIGINAL



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skeptical of the results that would follow such an experiment and predicted all manner of difficulties ahead. We discussed the situation with our banker here, and found that this man of long experience in fipancing farmers in various districts agreed with us entirely that the cash system was the best.

## Let the Bank Finance the Farmer

"This banker advanced some sound arguments at the time. He suggested that farmers who asked credit should be instructed to secure a cash advance from the bank.
" 'But,' we said to him, 'perhaps there will be some of these people you will not advance money to.'
"'Well,' he replied, 'if they are in such a position that we cannot advance them money, don't you think they are a mighty bad risk for the merchant to carry?'
"And so there is applied in this argument the sound theory which country merchants may follow in adopting the cash system: 'If a man is worthy of credit he can get it from the bank.'
"Well we are in the cash business and we are operating successfully, while many failures are recorded in the case of credit stores. Last year our turnover was $\$ 80,000$, while this year we expect to go over the century mark. We have consistently advanced our turnover 25 per cent. during every year we have been in business.
"Yes," said Mr. Harvey, in answer to a question, "we are living in the centre of a farming community that has been exceptionally prosperous during the past three years, and in fact a crop failure has never been known in this northern country. But even in a year of depression following a crop failure, are we not in a better position to withstand it than the man who has banked everything on the future, and is obliged to hold over his credit customers for another twelve months? Besides, mark you this, that in the year of crop failure the mail order house does the biggest business.

## Why Should the Merchant Come Last?

Take the case of a farmer who pulls through with just a few hundred dollars to the good. He feels in duty bound to first liquidate his debts at the bank and with the machinery agents who are pressing him hard for a settlement. He has little left with which to pay the merchant who has carried him for months. What does he do? Does he come in and square up his account with
the merchant, and continue doing business? Not always. The fact is there are a lot of things that he wants and that his family wants. He has waited patiently for many months in the hope of being able to purchase them, but now he feels ashamed to come and make his purchases of the merchant because he naturally expects to be asked to pay up his debts before being extended a further line credit. And so he sends his orders in to the mail order house, while if not wholly avoiding the country merchant ! represents to him that he is right up against it and must be carried on a little longer.

And just as the mail order houses do their biggest business in such a year so it is natural that the cash merchant stands to do an excellent business and for the very same reasons. So that even in years of crop failure the cash merchant stands to win out.
Doing Credit Business Creates Distrust
The credit business has the effect of creating distrust. People who do business largely on credit have a belief that they are paying more for the goods than they should. They naturally conclude that they are being "stung" for the losses suffered by the merchant under this system. This is a mistaken idea, but it is the popular belief nevertheless. As a matter of fact most country merchants who hand out a lengthy line of credit are doing this business on cash
prices. They are obliged to compete prices. They are obliged to compete with the mail order houses. It is this failure to place their charges sufficiently high, under the circumstances, that is the cause of most failures, in my belief. They should of necessity tack on enough to the regular business to meet bad debts.
"In our business we do business on the level, without fear or favor, with the result that we have the confidence of the community. In the first place we buy direct from the manufacturer, wherever possible, and in this connection I might say that more and more the manufacturer is eliminating the middle man by going direct to the merchants. Then, by doing business on a cash basis, we do away with a lot of overhead expenses that are sheer waste. Our profits are actual because we get the money when a sale is made, while in the case of credit merchants they are gambling in futures.

## Shading Prices

"For these reasons we are able to shade prices sufficiently to make it worth while to deal with us. The heaviest end of our business is in groceries, but as you will see we keep a complete general stock, and maintain as a special feature a ladies' department unstairs. This latter department is maintained along such high-class lines as to draw trade from within a radius of from 80 to 100 miles. The line of goods we carry cannot be purchased in the smaller towns. It is right here that the automobile comes in as a factor in the development of trade. They are selling them by the scores up in this country, and it is only a matter of a swift pleasure ride across the coun-
try for a woman to come to this central point to do her shopping.
"Good roads and automobiles are the greatest assets that a town centre can have.
"In connection with our ladies' wear department, we handle expensive furs in season, which explodes another old theory that expensive goods cannot be sold for cash."

In answer to a question as to whether the firm made any special attempt to draw trade by advertising the benefits of the cash system, Mr. Harvey said:
"It is our experience that nothing talks like quality and right prices. They automatically advertise themselves. If a woman secures excellent value in her purchases, and is pleased with the quality of the goods when she examines them in the privacy of her own home she is almost certain to tell others of her good fortune, and what is more to the point, she is bound to return to us. Service, first, last and all the time, is the thing."

Both Mr. Harvey and Mr. Johnston are old residents of Kamsack, which is one of the divisional points on the main line of the Canadian Northern Railway. Mr. Johnston started in the general store business in 1904, continuing until 1916, when he entered into partnership to purchase the present store, which is located on one of the main corners of the town. Mr. Harvey started in 1905 in the general store business, with which he conducted a lumber yard. In February, 1912, he sold out his store and later parted with the lumber yard to one of the line companies who offered a fancy price, and it was then that he entered his present partnership.
W. H. Malkin Co. Vancouver, has been able to welcome back several of their former staff in the last few days. J. Kyle Clarke of the 3rd Battery, C.F.A., is again at his desk. Stanley Smith is back in as good humor as when he left with the 13th Field Ambulance, C.E.F. E. Yorston, one of the original 29th, showed up the other day, and E. White is also back with the firm. Lieut. "Bill" Grundy got overseas with the First Canadian Trench Mortars, saw the thing through, and then had a look around Germany with the 3rd Battery, C.F.A., and now he's back to help N. W. Lightfoot in the new offices that house the Malkin factory department. Welcome to our midst, boys.


# WEEKLY GROCERY MARKET REPORTS 

Statements From Buying Centres

## THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE

THE feature of the grocery markets throughout Canada this week is the advance in the prices of practically all soaps. A jump of from 40 to 50 cents per case is shown on laundry soaps, and toilet soaps have made a gain of 15 per cent. All Canadian markets show the advance and a corresponding rise in the market in the United States has also taken place.
TORONTO -Apart from the advance in soap and St. Charles milk, there is very little change in the markets at Toronto. Laundry soap has advanced from 40 to 50 cents per case, and St. Charles milk has gone to $\$ 6.90$. The markets, while generally speaking, are unchanged, are very firm, and the tendency in a good many instances is very much stronger. Teas and coffees are likely to be high, as all indications point to such at primary points. New buying will have to be at higher prices than present quotations on spot. Rices continued upward, and the scarcity is one of the biggest factors that has to be contended with, and the quality of the supplies is not of the best. Canned goods are selling freely, and particularly canned salmon is in very great demand. Some brands of the same are quoted higher. Canned tomatoes have gone up another ten cents, now selling at $\$ 2.25$ for $21 / 2 \mathrm{~s}$, and canned corn has been pretty well cleaned up. New fruits and vegetables are selling very freely, and strawberries have been quoted as low as 10 and 11 cents per box. Canadian cherries are now on themarket and receipts of both fruits and vegetables are very heavy.

In the produce lines there are few changes.

The butter market is a little higher and eggs and cheese are at firm levels. Fresh meats are somewhat higher and the excessive demand for cooked meats has sent them to new high levels. Provisions are at strong figures.
MONTREAL-Increased prices are in effect this week for nearly all lines of laundry soap and for several brands of hand soap. There is also a stronger market, with advances made for canned cherries and canned tomatoes, prunes, pot barley, hominy, crisco, jams, toothpicks and cooking oil. Cocoanut, peanut butter and condensed milk have advanced. Dates are reduced in price and the grain markets are lower, too, oats and barley both declining. Oranges, lemons and berries are down, while potatoes, both new and old, are lowering in price: Green beans are less. There is a strong tendency to firmness on corn syrups and maple products with the likelihood of advances being made effective. Some look for much higher prices on various foodstuffs with Germany looming up as a buyer on equal terms with other European customers. There is overy evidence of a big demand for many lines, and just now sugar is a heavy seller.
WINNIPEG-Coffee is continuing the upward tendency apparent during the past weeks and is expected to go higher. A scarcity of good quality beans has sent prices up and higher prices are anticipated. A scarcity of rice is expected and prices are very firm. New crop prices on some lines of jam have been named. New prices are expected soon on dried fruits. Laundry soaps have advanced 50 to 75 cents per case.

## ONTARIO MARKETS

## Heavy Movement of Sugar These Days Torente.

SUGAR.-The market for sugar is very firm, but there is little likelihood of any change in quotations for the present at least. Everything points to a steady market, although all refineries are extremely busy, and some are as much as two weeks behind on ordersp There is a big demand from overseas anit most of the refineries are supplying the inquiry from Great Britain and France: The domestic consumption is very heavy
just now because of the preserving season, but no shortage of supplies is expected.
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Atlantic, extra granulated
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Lawrence, Dominion: Granulated, advance over Lawrence, Dominion: Granulated, advance over $5 / 20 \mathrm{~s}, 25 \mathrm{c}$ : gunnies, $10 / 10 \mathrm{~s}, 40 \mathrm{c}$; eartons, $20 / 5 \mathrm{~s}$, $5 / 293$, 25 e ; gunnies, $10 /$
Differentials on yellow sugars: Under basis batiferentials on yellow sugars: Under basis, $100 \mathrm{lbs}, \mathrm{No}, 1,40 \mathrm{c}$ : No. $2,50 \mathrm{e}$ : $\mathrm{No}, 3.60 \mathrm{c}$ : bage 100 1bs., No. 1\% NQe; No. 2; 50e: No.
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Aeadia granulated, advance over basis: gun-
nies, $5 / 20 \mathrm{~s}, 40 \mathrm{e}$ : gunnies, $10 / 10 \mathrm{~s}, 50 \mathrm{e}$ : cartons $20 / 50,60 \mathrm{c}$ : cartons, $50 / 2 \mathrm{~s}, 70 \mathrm{c}$. Yellows same as above.

## Little Demand For Molasses and Syrups <br> Torente.

 MOLASSES, SYRUPS.-The demand for molasses and syrups is quiet just now, as is usual at this season. There is only a very moderate movement of the same, dealers generally reporting a quiet market. Prices are steady at unchanged figures.
## Cern Byrupe-

Barrels, about 700 lbe., yellow.
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Cages, 2-lb. tins, white, 2 dos.
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Cases, 5-lb. tins, white, 1 dos.
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| Cases，10－1b．tins，white， $1 / 2$ doz in case |  | 5 |
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| Cases，2－lb．tins，yellow， 2 dos． |  |  |
|  |  | 15 |
| Cases，5－1b．tins，sellow， 1 dos． |  |  |
| in case $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ |  | 555 |
| Cases， $10-\mathrm{lb}$ ．tins，yellow， $1 / 2 \mathrm{ds}$ ． in case |  | 545 |
| ane Syrupe |  |  |
| Barrels and half barrels，lb． | 008 |  |
| Half barrels， $1 / 4 \mathrm{e}$ over bbla．；1／ | bble．， | e |
| Cases， $2-\mathrm{yb}$ ．tins， 2 doz． |  |  |
| Fancy，Barbadoes，barrels | 110 |  |
| Choice Barbadoes， |  |  |
| West India，bbls． |  | 044 |
| West India，No．10，kegs |  |  |
| West India，No．5，kegs |  | 25 |
| Tins， $2-\mathrm{lb}$ ．，table grade，case |  |  |
| doz．，Barbadoes |  | 490 |
| Tins， 8 －lb，table grade，ease 2 |  |  |
| doz．，Barbadoes ．．．．．． |  | 675 |
| Tins， 5 －1b．， 1 doz．to case， Ba |  |  |
| badoes $\ldots \ldots \ldots$ |  | 630 |
|  |  | 20 |
| Yins，No，2，baking grade，case |  |  |
| 2 doz． | 350 | 400 |
| Tins，No．3，baking grade，calse |  |  |
|  | 470 | 50 |
| Tins，No．5，baking grade，ease |  |  |
|  | 375 | 20 |
| ins，No．10，baking grade，case of $1 / 2$ doz． |  |  |
| West Indies， $11 / 2 \mathrm{~s}, 48 \mathrm{~s}$ | 460 | 95 |

## Brisk Demand For All Package Goods Toronto．

PACKAGE GOODS．－There is a very good demand for all package goods，and the market，while showing no changes this week，is generally strong．Both rol－ led oats and corn flakes are in very ac－ tive inquiry．

## PACKAGE GOODS

Rolled Oats， 20 s round，case $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Do．，Do．，} & \text { 208 squas } \\ \text { Do．，} \\ \text { Do．，} & \text { 36s，ease }\end{array}$

Corn Flakes， 36 s ，case
Shredded Wheat， 86 s ，regular，case
Porridge Wheat， 86 s ，regular，case Do．，Do．，20s，family，case．．
Cooker Package Peas，36s，case．
West Indies， $11 / 2 \mathrm{~s}, 48 \mathrm{~s}$
Cornstarch，No．1，lb，cartons．． Do．，No．2，1b．cartons Laundry starch
Laundry Starch，in i－lb，cartons
Do．，Do．．in $6-\mathrm{lb}$ ．tin canisters
Do．，Do．，in $6-\mathrm{lb}$ ．wood boxes
Potato Flour，in 1－lb．pkgs．
Fine oatmeal，${ }^{20}$
Cornmeal，${ }^{24 s}$
Farina，
Barley，
24 s

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## Prices For Rices Are Ruling Firm <br> Toronto．

RICES．－－There is no improvement in the market for rices，prices for the most part remaining very firm．There is still a very pronounced shortage of good rices，and in fact even the poorer quali－ ties are showing depletion．Siam rices are quoted higher this week，Siam fancy rice being offered at from 14 c to 15 c per lb ．，and Siam seconds at from 12 c to 13 c ． While prices on tapioca and sago show no changes，the market for the same is very strong．Supplies are getting low among the different dealers．

Texas，faney，per 100 hbs．．． Blue Rose，Texas，per 100 lbs ． Honduras，faney，per 100 lbs． Siam，fancy，per 100 lbs．
Siam，second，per 100 libs．
Japans，fancy，per 100 lbs．
Do．，seconds，per 100 lbs．
Chinese XX，per 100 lbs ．
Do．，Simiu
Do．，Simiu
Do．，Mujin，N

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White Sago ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 18
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## Active Inquiry For <br> Shelled Nuts

Toronto
NUTS．－There is a very active de－ mand for all shelled nuts，principally from the bakers and confectioners．Prices this week show few changes．Some dealers quoted filberts at from 48 e to 50 e per lb．，about two cents higher than last week．Reports from the primary mar－ kets show easier quotations on some lines for Fall delivery．

| Almonds，Tarragonas， 1 lb | 028 | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Butternuts，Canadian，lb． |  |  |
| Walnuts，California， |  | 42 |
| Wainuts，Grenobles，lb． | 034 | 35 |
| Wainuts，Bordeaux，lb． | 028 | 30 |
| Filberts，lb． | 023 | 24 |
| Pecans，1b． |  | 030 |
| Cocoanuts，Jamaica，sack |  |  |
| Peanuts，Jumbo，roasted | 018 | － 19 |
| Brazil nuts，lb | 021 | 22 |
| Shelled－ |  |  |
| Almonds， |  |  |
| Filberts，1b． | 048 | 050 |
| Walnuts， | 080 |  |
|  |  | 019 |
| Do．．Chinese，30－32 to | 014 | 015 |
| Brazil nuts，lb．．．．． | 078 | 080 |

## Primary Coffees <br> Are All Higher <br> Torento．

COFFEES．－Growing strength char－ acterizes the market for coffees．The situation at primary points is very strong，and now，with the signing of peace，and the likelihood of a much big－ ger demand from European countries， there is little possibility of lower prices for some time to come．While the prim－ ary markets are advancing and quota－ tions are higher than prices on spot， dealers have not changed their prices on coffees at Toronto．

| Java，Private Estate <br> Java，Old Government，ib： |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bogotas，lb． | 047 | 048 |
| Guatemala，lb． | 046 | 048 |
| Mexican | 046 | 047 |
| Maracail | 041 | 044 |
| Jamaica．lb． | 039 | 043 |
| Blue Mountain Jamaica |  | 49 |
| Mocha，Arabian，lb． |  | 048 |
| Rio，lb． |  | 033 |
| Santos，Bourbon，lb． | 042 | 044 |
| Santos，Bourbon．lb． | 041 | 044 |
| Ceylon．Plantation，lb． |  | 044 |
| Chicory，1b． | 030 | 032 |
| ¢о⿱宀八 |  |  |
| Pure，lb． | 026 | 028 |
| Sweet，lb． |  | 022 |

## Tendency in Teas

TEAS．－Prices on teas this week show no changes，although the primary mar－ kets are very strong，and the likelihood is that the market will advance rather than decline in the near future．The signing of peace is more than likely to strengthen the market，as the demand from Europe will be greater．Stocks of Java teas among the dealers are showing depletion，and new buying of Javas is likely to be on a very small scale．


## Quotations Are <br> Steady on Spices

Toronto．No change is reported this week in the market for spices，quotations being steady at last week＇s changes．Just what tendency the market for spices will take is hard to say，dealers state；but if there is a heavy demand at all from Eu－ rope，this trend will likely be towards higher levels：

| Allspice | $0 \cdot 19$ | 021 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cassia | 030 | 040 |
| Cinnamon | 035 | 050 |
| Cayenne | 026 | 035 |
| Ginger |  | 035 |
| Ginger | 030 | 035 |
| Herus－sage，thyme，parsley． mint．savory．Marjoram | 040 | 070 |
| Pastry ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | － 32 | 038 |
| Pickling spices | 022 | 026 |
| Hace | － 90 | 110 |
| Peppers，black | 038 | 043 |
| Peppers，white | 045 | 053 |
| Paprika，lb． | 060 | 070 |
| Nutmegs，selects，whuie，100． | 045 | 050 |
| 7o．，80s |  | 055 |
| Do．，64s | 080 | 065 |
| Mustard seed，whole | 035 | 040 |
| Celery seed，whole ． |  | － 76 |
| Coriander，whole | 025 | 030 |
| Carraway seed，whole | 055 | 060 |
| Tumeric ．．．．．．．．．．． | 024 | 027 |
| Cream of Tartar |  |  |
| French，pure ．．．．．． | 075 | 080 |
| American high test |  |  |
| 2－oz．packages，doz． |  | 175 |
| 4－oz．packages，doz． |  | 300 |
| 8 oz ．tins，doz．．．．． |  | 600 |

## Fair Demands For Maple Syrup <br> Toronto．

MAPLE SYRUP，HONEY．－There is a very fair demand for maple syrups， chiefly，however，from bakers and con－ fectioners for manufacturing purposes． The demand for domestic consumption is a little quiet just now，and the same applies to honey．Prices on both are unchanged．

## Honey－ <br> Clover－

| er |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| $5-\mathrm{lb}$ ．tins | 24 |
| 21／2s tins | 026 |
| 10－1b．tins ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 025 |  |
| $60-1 \mathrm{~b}$ ．tins | 024 |
| Buckwheat， $60-1 \mathrm{lb}$ ．tins，lb， | 018 |
| cumb，Nu．1，faney，doz．．．．．． 375 | 485 |
| Do．．No．2，doz． | 800 |
| Maple Syrup－ |  |
| 81／2－lb．tins， 10 to case，case． | 1700 |
| Wine gt．tins， 24 to case，case． | 1600 |
| Wine $1 / 2 \mathrm{gal}$ ．tins， 12 to case，ca | 1500 |
| Wine 1 gal．tins， 6 to case，case． | 1400 |
| Imperial 5 gal ．cans， 1 to case，case．．． | 1400 |
| Maple Sugar |  |
| 50 1－1b，blocks to ease，lb．．．．．． | 029 |

## Heavy Demand For <br> Canned Salmon

Torente．
CANNED GOODS．－Quotations on some lines of salmon are easier this week，while prices on red springs in one lb．talls are slightly easier．Pink sal－ mon in 1 lb ．talls is quoted at from $\$ 2.35$ to $\$ 2.60$ ，and cohoes in $1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$ ．tins are of fered at from $\$ 2$ to $\$ 2.10$ ．Red springs salmon is selling at from $\$ 3.75$ to $\$ 4.25$ ． There has been a very heavy demand for salmon since themadvent of the hot weath－ er，and supplies of the better grades are none too plentiful．In canned vegetables tomatoes have again advanced，selling at $\$ 2.25$ for $21 / 2 \mathrm{~s}$ ．Canned corn，where available，is unchanged．In fruits，sliced pineapple has advanced to $\$ 4.50$ for twos，and gallon apples to $\$ 7$ ．New
canned strawberries, of this season's pack, are quoted at $\$ 5.25$.

| Salmen- |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sockeye, 18, doz. | 450 | 475 |
| Sockeye, $1 / 23$, doz. |  | 295 |
| Alaska reds, 1s, doz. | 425 | 450 |
| Chams, 1-1b. tails | 285 | 80 |
| Do.e 1/8, dos. | 135 | 146 |
| Pinks, $1-\mathrm{H}$. talls | 235 | 260 |
| Do., 1/2s, dos. | 135 | 150 |
| Cahoes, $1 / 2-\mathrm{Hb}$. tins | 200 | 2.10 |
| Cohoes, 1-lb. tins | 375 | 390 |
| Red Springs, $1-1 \mathrm{~b}$. | 375 | 425 |
| White Springs, ls, dozen | 230 | 235 |
| Lobsters, $1 / 2-\mathrm{lb}$., doz. | 450 | 475 |
| Whale Steak, 16 flat dos. | 175 | 190 |
| Pilchards, 1 db , talls, doz. | 215 | 225 |
| Vanned Vegetableu-min. |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Tomatoes, $21 / 2 \mathrm{~s}$ |  | 225 |
| Peas, standard |  | 160 |
| Peas, early June |  | 175 |
| Sweet Wrinkle |  | $1971 / 2$ |
| Beans, solden wax, doz. | 200 | 210 |
| Asparagus, tins, doz. | 375 | 400 |
| Asparagus butus | 200 | $2021 / 2$ |
| Canadian corn. | 225 | 245 |
| Corn, American, 2s, | 210 | 225 |
| Pumpkins, $21 / 28$ | 095 | 115 |
| Spinaeh, 2s, doz. |  | 190 |
| Do., 21/28, dos. | 2.521/2 | 280 |
| Do.e, 10s, dos. |  | 1000 |
| Peas, early June | 165 | 170 |
| Pineapples, sliced, 2s, doz |  | 4.50 |
| Do., shredded, 2s, dos. | 800 | 8 e21/6 |
| Rhubarb, preserved, $\mathrm{z}_{\mathbf{s}}$, doz | $2071 / 2$ | 210 |
| Do.. preserved, 21/2s, doz. | 265 | $2671 / 2$ |
| Do., standard, 108, dos. | 450 | $4521 / 2$ |
| Apples, gals., dozen |  | 700 |
| reaches, 2s . |  | $2871 / 2$ |
| Pears, 2s .... | 285 | 287 h/ |
| Plums, Lombard, 2 s |  | 190 |
| Plums, Green Gare | $2171 / 2$ | $2871 / 2$ |
| Raspberries, 2s, H. ${ }^{\text {s. }}$ |  | 450 |
| Strawberries, 28, H.S |  | 525 |
| Blueberries, 2s | 210 | 236 |
| Preserved Fruits, Pint Sea |  |  |
| Jame- - |  |  |
| Aprioot, is, ench |  | 184 |
| Blaek eurrants, 16 os , do |  | 400 |
| Do. 4m, each | - 98 | 110 |
| Gooseberry, is, |  | - 84 |
|  |  | - 82 |
| Red exarrants. 16 oz.. doz |  | 845 |
| Ragpberries, 16 oz , doz. | 390 | 435 |
| Do., 4s, each | 102 | 105 |
| Strawberies, 16 oz., doz. ......... | 890 | 435 |
| Do., 4s, each ................. | 108 | 115 |

Torento.
FISH.-While the Government is selling a goed deal of fish at prices under what the regular dealers are quoting there is a very fair movement of fish from Toronto wholesale fish houses. The Government is selling white fish as low as 7c per lb. Fresh mackerel is quoted at from 11c to 12c per lb., and fresh pickerel at from 15 c to 16 c .

## FRESH SEA FISH



## Dried Fruits Scarce and Prices High <br> Teronta.

DRIED FRUITS.-No ehanges are reported in the market for dried fruits this week. There is quite a demand for
evaporated apples but supplies are very light among the dealers. They are selling at from 21 c to 23 c per lb . The market is very strong on ald dried fruits, and dealers who have apricots or prunes in stock are realizing a good price on them. Importations of Grecian currants, the first since early in the war, are expected shortly, but importers are not prepared to give quotations yet. Raisins are very firm. Figs from Smyrna should be on the market this Fall.

| Apples, evaporated, Onta | 022 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| .asticuts, unpitted ... |  | 0 16\% |
| Do., faney. 25 s |  |  |
| Do., choice, 258 | 023 | 080 |
| Do., standard, Lós | $0221 / 3$ | 026 |
| Candied Peels, Amer |  |  |
| Lemon | 038 | 1/2 |
| Orange |  | - $451 / 2$ |
| Citron | - 47 |  |
| Currants- |  |  |
| Grecian, per lb | 025 | 026 |
| Australians, 8 C | 020 | 021 |
| Cherries. 20 | 275 | $2 \cdot 90$ |
| Dates- |  |  |
| Excelsior, pkgs., 3 doz, in case |  | 00 |
| Dromendary, 3 doz. in case.... |  | 00 |
| Figs - |  |  |
| Taps, lb. ... |  |  |
| Matayas. |  |  |
| Comadre figs, mats, | 014 |  |
| Cal., 4 oz. pkge., 70s, |  | ${ }^{6} 00$ |
| Cal., 8 oz., 20s. case. |  | 825 |
| Cal., 10 oz., 12s, case |  | 226 |
| Prunes- |  |  |
| $30-40 \mathrm{~s}$, pe rlb. | 025 | 035 |
| 40-50s, per lb. |  | 030 |
| $50-60 \mathrm{~s}$, der lb. | 022 | 024 |
| $60-70 \mathrm{~s}$, per lb . |  | - 22 |
| 70-80s, per lb | ${ }_{0}^{0} 19$ | ${ }^{0} 20$ |
| $80-908$, per lb. | $0161 / 2$ |  |
| $90-100 \mathrm{~s}$, per lb |  | 0 143 |
| 100-120s, per | 011 | $0111 / 2$ |
| Peaches- |  |  |
| Standard, $25-1 \mathrm{lb}$, bax, peel |  | 020 |
| Choice, $25-1 \mathrm{~b}$. box, peeled |  | 023 |
| Fancy, 25-1b, boxes |  |  |
| Practically peeled, 26-1b. boxee |  | - 883 |
| Extra choiee, 25-lb. box, peeled |  |  |
| Raisins- |  |  |
| California bleached, lb . | 017 | - 18 |
| Extra Faney sulphur bleached, 25 s |  | 017 |
| Seediess, $15-02$, packets |  | 019 |
| Seeded, fancy, 1-lb. packets | 0 141/2 | 015 |
| Seeded, 15 oz . packets | 015 | 016 |
| Seedless, Thompson |  |  |
| Seedless, $16-\mathrm{oz}$. packets $\ldots \ldots$. |  | ${ }^{0} 19191 / 2$ |
| Do.. Bakers, Thompson's, 50s |  | 018 |
| Crown Muscatels, 25 s |  | 017 |

## Better Quality Beans Becoming Scarce

## Toronto.

BEANS.-There is a growing scarcity of the better qualities of beans, and quotations are very firm on Ontario handpicked beans. Demand is not so heavy now as was the case a few weeks ago, but there is a certain inquiry that always exists, that is, where military camps are still being kept up, and other such places. Hand-picked beans are quated at from $\$ 4.500$ to $\$ 4.75$ per bus., and 1 lb . to 2 lb . pickers at from $\$ 4.25$ to $\$ 4.50$ per bps .
Ontario, 1 -lb, to 2 lb
Do., hand-picked
Do., hand-picked
Japanese K
Rangoons, per bushel per bush.

## Rangoons, per Limas, per lb.

Cereals in Bulk
Are Selling Well
Torente.
OEREALS. - There is an active inquiry for cereals in bulk, at prices steady with a week ago. Rolled oats and breakfast foods are selling particularly well. The market is strong, but there is no indication of higher quotations.

| Barley, pearl, 98s .............. | Single Bag Lota F.o.b. Toronto |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |
| Barley, pot, 98s................. 425 450 |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Cornmeal, Golden, 988 ........... 560 |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| forer |  |  |
| Corn Flour, white, 988 |  |  |
| Do., Government stan |  |  |
| Hominy grits, 98s |  |  |
| Hominy, pearl, 988 |  | 525 |
| Oatmeal, 988 |  |  |
| Oat Flour |  |  |
| Rolled |  |  |
| Rolled Wheat, 100 | 650 |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  | 15 |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Rye Flour, 988 |  |  |
| Peas, split, 988 |  |  |
| Blue peas, lb . ............................. 0.10 Above prices give range of quotations to the retail trade. |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Easier Prices on |  |  |
| New Vegetables |  |  |
| Toronto <br> v EGETABLES. - Much easier prices |  |  |
| prevail in the quotations on vegetables. |  |  |
| Arrivals are coming very freely now, and |  |  |
| The fine weather of the past few weeks |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| has brought along the Canadian vege- |  |  |
| tables to such an extent that importa- |  |  |
| placed by the domestic kind. New beets |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| are selling as low as 35c a doz. now, and |  |  |
| abbage is from $\$ 4.50$ to $\$$ |  | $r$ crate. |
| Canadian lettuce is selling at from $\$ 1$ to |  |  |
| $\$ 1.25$ per crate, and new Virginian po- |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Domestic peas are arriving freely at |  |  |
| from 75 c to $\$ 1$ per basket of 11 quarts. |  |  |
| Ontario potatoes are a very slow sale |  |  |
| New Beets, per dozen |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Cabbage, per crate... | 450 |  |
| New Carrots, per ham |  |  |
| Radishes, per dozen |  | 030 |
| Can. Lettuce, head, B |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Onions- |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Cal. Onions, $100-\mathrm{kb}$, sacks, yellow |  |  |
| stock, per bag |  |  |
| Do., hampers |  |  |
| Texas onions, erate $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ \& 50 |  |  |
| Parsley,Peppers, breen dotet |  |  |
| Peppers, green, doz, ........... 100Wax 125 |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Green beans, ham |  |  |
| Cucumbers, 2 |  |  |
| Do., 2 bbl. ha |  |  |
| New rotatoes, Vinginia |  |  |
| Turnips, hamper .............. 295000 |  |  |
| Potatoes, Ontario, bag ......... .... 150 |  |  |
| Spinach, box ..... . .......... |  |  |
| Domestic peas, 11 -qt. basket..... |  |  |
| Tomatoes- |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Hothouse tomatoes, No. 18, 1b. |  |  |
|  |  | 0 |
| Outdoor Canadian tomatoes...... 2 |  |  |

## Can. Strawberries At Low Price

Toronte
FRUITS.-The feature of the market for fruits this week is the sharp decline that has taken place on Canadian strawberries. At the close of last week these were sold on the Toronto fruit market as low as 10 c and 11 c per box. This week's price is stronger but lower than at any time last Smmer. Strawberries are quoted at from 15 c to 17 c , but, with heavy shipments, there is a possibility of them going even lower. Gooseberries and Canadian cherries are beginning to arrive freely. The former
are selling at from $\$ 2.25$ to $\$ 2.50$ per 11 quart baskets, and the latter range according to quality. Cooking cherries are selling at from $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 1.50$ for 11 quart baskets, and at from $\$ 3$ to $\$ 3.50$ for the eating kind.

| Bananas, per lb. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 08 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| rapefruit- |  |  |
| California, seedless, 64s | 500 | 00 |
| Do.. 48s |  | 550 |
| Do., 80s |  | 650 |
| Valencias- |  |  |
| $100 \mathrm{~s}, 126 \mathrm{~s}, 150 \mathrm{~s}, 176 \mathrm{~s}, 200 \mathrm{~s}$, |  |  |
| $288 \mathrm{~s}, 324 \mathrm{~s}$ | 500 | 550 |
| Lemons, Cal., 270s, 300s, case |  | 850 |
| Strawberries, quarts | 022 | 024 |
| Rhubarb, doz. |  | 020 |
| ntry cherries, home grown- |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| 11-qt. basket | 300 | 350 |
| 6-qt. basket | 175 | 200 |
| Cooking cherries, 11-qt. basket.... 125 |  |  |
| Gooseberries, 11-qt. basket. | 225 | 250 |
| Watermelons |  | 1 |
| Georgia peaches, 6 basket crates, |  |  |
| per erate |  | 450 |
| Flats (12 to 15) |  | 50 |
| Canteloupes, Cal., 45s, standards |  | 600 |
| Apricots, Cal., per case. |  | 00 |
| Plums, Cal., per case | 350 | 00 |
| Peaches, Cal., per case |  | 350 |

## Domestic Demand For Flour is Active

## Torento

FLOUR.-There is a very active domestic demand for Manitoba flour at the present time. In fact the entire inquiry is being supplied, by Manitoba flour. The movement in export business is also very heavy.

## Flour-

Government standard, 74 per cent. extraction. Ontario winter wheat flour, in carload
shipments, on track, in cotton
In jute bags
1115
1100

## Shorts Continue <br> On Active Sale

MILLFEEDS. - Shorts are selling very well, but there is very little demand for bran at the present time. Prices show no change as compared with last week.

Bran, per ton
In carlots, track
Shorts, per ton
4200
4400

## QUEBEC MARKETS

MONTREAL, July 1. - Market conditions are much the same as they have been for the past two weeks. Advances are made still for a number of commodities, with tendencies firm. Some expect stiff advances to come as a result of German buying, now that peace is assured. The selling conditions are really active.

## Most Soaps Advance From 25 c to $\$ \mathrm{I} .50$

Montreal.
SOAPS.-Advanced prices are in effect for soaps. The new prices show increases of from 25 c to $\$ 1.50$ per case. Following prices are indicative of the changes: Gold, $\$ 7.50$ to $\$ 8$ per case; Ivory, small size, $\$ 7.75$; large, $\$ 12.70$; $50 \mathrm{~s}, \$ 7.25$. Lenox, $\$ 7$. White Naptha, $\$ 7.75$. Surprise, $\$ 8$. Comfort, $\$ 8-\$ 8.25$. Dingman Electric, $\$ 7.75$. Sunlight, $\$ 8$ $\$ 8.25$. Lifebuoy, \$7. Fels Naptha, $\$ 8.10$. Cosmos, $\$ 7.10$. Home, $\$ 5.50$. Happy Home, $\$ 6.60$; Infants' Delight, \$12.50.

## New Jams Higher; Toothpicks, Too <br> Montreal.

JAMS, TOOTHPLCKS. - Advanced prices are in effect for some of the jams in glass and tin now arriving. Aylmer brand jam in 12 oz . glass are quoted at $\$ 3.65$ for strawberry, $\$ 3.45$ for raspberry and black currant, and at $\$ 4.50$ and $\$ 4.25$ respectively for 16 oz . Black currant in 16 oz . are priced at $\$ 3.90$, and plums at $\$ 2.95$. In tins, raspberry are quoted at $\$ 680$ per doz. for 2 lbs ., $\$ 1.15$ each for 4 lb ., $\$ 1.43$ each for 5 's, and $\$ 1.81$ each for 7 's. D. P. common toothpicks âre up 50 c per case of 100 cartons to $\$ 3$.

## Cooking Oil Up; Shortening, Too

## Moutreal

COOKING OIL, ETC. - Advanced prices are in effect for Mazola cooking oil. The new prices are higher to the extent of $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 2.60$ per case, and are as follows: No. 1, $\$ 10.25$; No. 2, $\$ 9.75$; Six, 1 's, $\$ 18$, and 2 's, $\$ 26.50$. Crisco is again advanced, this being $\$ 1.50$ per case to $\$ 14.40$.

## Cocoanut Higher; <br> Nut Butter; Milk <br> Montreal

COCOANUT, NUT BUTTER, MILK. -Advances are made this week for cocoanut of 2 c per lb . Sample prices are: 20 lb . pails, per lb., 39c; loose, 37 c lb .; 5 lb . boxes, per $\mathrm{lb} ., 42 \mathrm{c}$. Other sizes are proportionately higher. Peanut butter of Imperial grade in packages is higher. No: 1 size is selling in one quarter at $\$ 1.40$ per doz.; No. 2, $\$ 1.90$; No. 3, $\$ 2.35$, and No. 4, \$3.25. The respective prices previously were $\$ 1.35$, $\$ 1.80, \$ 2.30$ and $\$ 3$. Peerless and St. Charles condensed milk are quoted at $\$ 6$ per case, this being an advance of 25 c per case.

## Activity Ruling <br> In Sugar Markets <br> \section*{Montreal.}

SUGAR.-An intensely stimulated demand exists for sugar and refineries continue to work to capacity. That this season will be an active one is conceded and there is every likelihood of the avaifable meltings being fully renuired. Supplies of raws are large and the refiners are endeavoring to cope with orders as promptly as possible:


Fancy Cherries Up;
Tomatoes Up ioc
Montreal.
CANNED GOODS.-An advance is made in one quarter in the price of fancy Marachino cherries. These, in 7 ounce jars, are quoted at $\$ 3.60$-an advance of 30 c per doz.; 5 oz ., $\$ 2.40$, with a like increase, and 3 oz . at $\$ 1.75$, showing an increase of 25 c .
"There is a completely bare market of canned fruits." This was the statement of a large Montreal jobber to CANADIAN GROCER, and it serves to indicate at least that there is a decided dearth of stocks. Prices are more and more inclined to be nominal as the stocks are decreased. Canned vegetables are quite firm, too. Tomatoes, $21 / 2$ 's, are advanced 10 c to $\$ 2.10$. Brunswick sardines are quoted down in one quarter at $\$ 6.25$ per case.



## Beans Are Held And Very Firm <br> Montreal.

BEANS.-The markets are steadier than is usual so late in the season. Business has been done right along at full prices for good stock and while present sales are lighter the prices hold.

| Canadian. hand-picked, bush... | $540 \quad 560$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| British Columbia | 500 |
| Brown Beans | $850 \quad 400$ |
| Japanese | $450 \quad 460$ |
| Yellow Eyes | 550 |
| Lima, per lb. (as to quality) | -10 012 |
| Kidney beans ...... ....... | 600650 |
| Peas, white soup, per bushel.... | $825 \quad 350$ |
| Peas, split, new crop (98 lbs.).. | 650 |
| Peas (blue) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 00800 |

## Nut Buyers Pick Their Requirements <br> Montreal.

NUTS.-The market conditions are still steadily firm. Favorable disposition of nuts has been made to United States buyers of late, that is, of stocks in transit to the Canadian trade. Local business is seasonable at firm quotations.

| Almonds, per lb. |  | 023 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Almonds (shelled) | 055 | 056 |
| Almonds (Jordan) |  | 070 |
| Brazil nuts |  | 020 |
| Grasil nuta (med.) | - 18 | - 17 |
| Filberts (Sielly), per lb. | 027 | 030 |
| Filberts, Barcelona ..... |  | 031 |
| Hitokery nuta (large and small), Ib. | 010 | 015 |
| Pecans (new Jumbo), per lb | 032 | 035 |



Rangoon CC

## Mandari

## Pakling

Tapioca, per ib. (seed)
Tapioca, $\begin{aligned} & \text { Teer } \\ & \text { (pearl) }\end{aligned}$


## Syrups Are Firm And Sell Well <br> Montreal.

SYRUPS, MOLASSES.-White corn syrup is selling weli, and the assumption is that preserving needs are resporsible for the better demand. The market on corn syrups is very firm and advances are probable. Molasses is unchanged.

## Corn Syrups-

| Barrels, about 700 lbs ,, per lb. $\ldots .$. 0 07\% |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Half bbls. | 08 |
| Kegs | 0 081/4 |
| 2-lb. tins, 2 doz. in case, case.. | .....${ }^{515}$ |
| $5-\mathrm{lb}$. tins, 1 doz. in case ,case. | 75 |
| Sorn Syrup- |  |
| $10-\mathrm{lb}$. tins, $1 / 2 \mathrm{doz}$. in case, case | se $\ldots . .545$ |
| $20-\mathrm{lb}$. tins, $1 / 4 \mathrm{doz}$, in case, case | se... . 540 |
| ${ }^{2}$-gal. $25-1 \mathrm{lb}$. pails, each... | 245 |
| $3-\mathrm{gal}$. $381 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. pails, each | 365 |
| 5-gal. 65-lb. pails, each. |  |
| White Corn Syrup- |  |
| 2-lb. tins, 2 doz. in case, case | se $\ldots .$. 565. |
| 5 -lb. tins, 1 doz. in case, case | ase .... 625. |
| $10-\mathrm{lb}$. tins, $1 / 2 \mathrm{doz}$. in case, case | case... . 595. |
| $20-\mathrm{lb}$. tins, $1 / 4 \mathrm{doz}$. in case, case | ase .... 590 |
| ane Syrup (Crystal) Diamond- |  |
| 2 llb . tins, 2 doz. in case, per ease. | ease.... 700 |
| Barrels, per 100 lb | 75 |
| Half barrels, per 100 | 1000 |
| lucose, $\mathrm{s}-\mathrm{lb}$. cans (ease) ...... .... 480 |  |
| Barbadoes Molasses- Island of Montreal |  |
| Puncheons | 098103 |
| Barrela | 101106 |
| Antigua Molasses - |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| Barrels | 098 |
| Note-Prices on molasses to outside points average about 3 e per gallon less. |  |
|  |  |
| Honey is Steady: |  |

## Montreal

HONEY, MAPLE PRODUCTS. Movement of honey is continued in a seasonable way, and the basis is steadily held without change. The market is steady for maple sugar and syrup and the demand from without the country has firmed the basis materially. No further changes are made this week.
Maple Syrup-
$131 / 2-\mathrm{lb}$. tins (each) (nominal) 250
10-1b, cans, 6 in case, per case.
$5-\mathrm{lb}$. cans, 12 in case, per case.
$21 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. cans, 24 in case, per case
Maple Sugar(nominal), small lots $\because 27$
Cases, 48 blocks ( case)
Honey, Clover-
Comb (faney)
Oomb ( Na .1$)$
In tins, 60 Bb
se-1b pails
10-1b. palle
Trend of Spices
Steadily Firmer
Montreal.
SPICES.-While there is no outstanding feature this week, markets are steadily held and the basis is continuing quite strong. A good enquiry is manifest from usual buyers and stocks are in fairly good condition.
Allspice ......
20
Cinnamon-
Rolle
Pure ground
Cloves
Cream
Cream of tartar (French pure).
American high test
Ginger
Ginger (Cochin or Jamaica)
Mixed spice

## Still Advancing

## Are Rice Prices

Montreal.
RICES, TAPIOCA.-Still upward go the prices for rice. There is almost a weekly revision by jobbers, special brands being advanced, and the changes have totalled increases of up to two cents per lb .in some cases. Tapioca is also higher. One jobber is limiting quantities to one to two bags per cus-

## tomer.




## See No Chance

 Of Low TeasMontreal.
TEAS.-Prices are most decidedly firm on teas and there is no indication of anything but firmness continuing. There is a fair demand and importers look forward to a good season, taken all through.


## Much Irregularity;

## No Coffee Changes

## Montreal.

COFFEE, COCOA.-While there has been no change in the local market, the conditions obtaining in Erazil are unsettling and erratic. There is a great deal of wild movement in futures, white the spot situation is somewhat nominal in both Brazil and New Yori. Much interest has been shown by speculative buying elements, and there has been a great deal of rising and falling in market conditions from day to day. It is unlikely that local reductions will come for the time being, if within the next few weeks. Cocoa is held.


| 0 | 41 | 0 | 44 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 26 | 0 | 20 |
| 0 | 88 | 0 | 40 |
| 0 | 40 | 0 | 43 |
| 0 | 40 | 0 | 42 |
| 0 | 35 | 0 | 37 |
| 0 | 41 | 0 | 42 |
| 0 | 40 | 0 | 42 |
|  |  | 4 | 60 |
| $\cdots$ | 2 | 2 | 45 |
| $\cdots \cdots$ | 1 | 35 |  |
| $\cdots \cdots$ | 0 | 95 |  |

## Rolled Oats Firm;

 Pot Barley Is Up
## Montreal

CEREALS-While there is not a great movement of loose cereals, the markets are quite strong and the outturn is good of package cereals used at this season. Rolled oats are firm. Pot barley is firmer and is selling as high as $\$ 5.25$ per 98 lb . sack.

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## Montreal.

FLOURS.-Excepting winter wheat flours, the conditions surrounding spring wheat standard grades are unchanged. Winter wheat grades are steadily high and commanding a premium. The demand, locally, is a seasonable one, which means that the outturn for domestic account is rather restricted.
Standard Wheat Flours-
Straight or mised cars, 50,000
Ps. on track, per bbl., in (2)
jute bags, 98 lbs.
Per bli, in ( 2 cotton ba $-3,98$ lbe
Small lots, per bbl. (2) jute
Oage, 98 lbs

## Shorts and Bran

## Seeking Buyers

## Aontreal

FEEDS.-There is a surplus of bran at the present time, it is stated, and this is responsible, no doubt, for the sale of quantities at less than market prices. Bran and shorts, both, are said to have sold for around $\$ 40$ and $\$ 42$ per ton, respectively. This being the short selling season, there is a fair demand. Oat feeds are unchanged and quiet.

## Feeds-

Shorts-


Montreal AND GRAIN.-Weakness characterizes the hay market and a like condition obtains in oats and barley. There is every probability that hay prices will drop further, while grain markets seem to have taken a down turn which may continue.

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Good, No. 1, per } 2,000-\mathrm{lb}, \text { ton } \\
& \text { Do., No. } 2 \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \\
& \text { Do., No. } 3 \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \\
& \text { Straw } \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \\
& \text { Oats- }
\end{aligned}
$$

No. 2 C.W. ( 34 lbs.)..

00
2700
2500
1100

088

No. 3 C.W $0.861 / 871$
Extra feed ..................................... $861 / 20.871 / 2$
No. 1 feed . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .... $0841 / 2$
No. 2 feed
58
Barley-
No. 3 extra . ......................... 140
No. 3
139
No. 2
137
Note-These prices are at elevator and bags and
bagging are not inciuded.

## Oranges Are Down; Lemons; Berries, Too

## Montreal

FRUITS.-Prices are down on oranges and the quotations this week are reduced to $\$ 4.25$ to $\$ 4.75$ per box for California grades. Lemons also are on a lower price basis at $\$ 7.50$ for Messinas. Peaches are easing in price and strawberries also are on a lower price basis with Ontario fruit arriving quite freely.

## Apples-

In boxes, per box
$5 \quad 50$
Bananas (fancy large), bunch.... 5 $00 \quad 675$
Cherries (California), box ...... .... 450
Canteloupes (aize 35-45)
550
Grapefruit (fancy Porto Rico).. 450 5 50
Lemons, Messina
..... 400
Oranges, Porto Rico size) ............ 50
Oranges, Cal., Valencias
Do., 150
Do., 176
Do., 200-216
Blood oranges
Pineapples (24s to 26 s ).
Peaches ( 6 baskets)
Do. Montreal)

## Potatoes Lowering; <br> Beans Coming Down Montreal.

VEGETABLES.-As the new potatoes arrive, the prices of old stock are reduced and quotations on both will continue to lower. The markets are affording a wider choice from which to select. String beans are down to $\$ 3.75$ per hamper. Cukes are easing. Peas in the pod are arriving and will be available in larger quantities next week.
Asparagus (doz.)
Beans, new string (American) .... 400


Do., new, doz. (Montreal).
Cucumbers, Florida (basket)..
Do., Montreal, doz.
Chickory, doz.
Cauliffower (Montreal), doz..
Cabbage, new, crate
Carrots (new), doz.
Celery (Wash.), doz.
Do., erates (3-4 doz.)
Ege plant
Horseradish, Ib.
Lettuce_(curly) ................ 800
Lettuce (Montreal) ( 3 doz

## Leeks

Mint
Mushrooms, ib.
Basket (about $\mathbf{3}$ lbs.)
Onions, Texas, crate
Red, 100 lbs, bag
Red, 100 lbs., bag
Onions (Shallots), doz.
Oyster Plant
Parsnips, bag (C....)
Potatoes, Montreal
Potatoes, Montreal ( $90-\mathrm{lb}$. bag)
Potatoes (New Brunswick), bag
Potationes, (per bbl.)
Radishes, doz.
Spinach, box
Turnips, Quebe
Tomatoes, Mississipi flats (4 bas.) 200

WINNIPEG MARKETS

## Higher Coffee Prices; <br> Very Small Crop

Winnipeg.
COFFEE.-The coffee market is very strong and very excited. Spot stocks are quickly taken up. The tendency is for the market to soon show even higher quotations than those given herewith. The new crop is estimated at something like $4,000,000$ bushels as compared with an average crop of $11,000,000$ bushels. Other factors in the situation are the heavy European buying and the damage from frost. The damage caüsed by the frosts last year will be felt for two or three years as it is necessary to do considerable cultivating work for a period of time to overcome the effect of frost. In addition there is much coffee which has been damaged to such an extent as to render it useless for grinding and is therefore unsaleable. Present quotations, including an advance which will be made to the trade in a few days, are as follows:

Rio coffee, in bbls. .......... 32c
Santos coffee, in bbls.
$411 / 2 \mathrm{c}$

## Beans To Go

## Winnipeg.

## Still Higher

BEANS.-The bean market is very firm and there is still being experienced great difficulty in getting supplies of good quality beans. B. C. and Oriental beans are higher in price. Kotenashi beans are being quoted to the trade at $\$ 4.25$ to $\$ 4.50$ per bushel, and the present condition of the market will warrant even higher prices.

## Sugar Coming

More Freely
Winnipeg.
SUGAR.-Supplies of sugar are expected to come forward in greater volume now that the railways have lifted the freight embargo. The settlement of the strike is not expected to affect prices of sugar or any other foodstuffs to any extent as no advantage was taken of the situation to increase prices during the past six weeks.

## Rice May Be <br> Scarce Commodity <br> Winnipeg.

RICE.-Reports from coast mills indicate that they have practically no rice of any kind to offer. They yet have some orders to fill for rice contracted for early in the season. For any stocks being held at any point, firm prices are being asked. Importations are exceedingly light, and it would look as if this commodity would be a pretty scarce one until new crop stocks are available which will not be until about December. The embargo is still on as far as importations of Japanese rice is concerned. Quotations on many lines are merely nominal as stocks of many lines are not available at all.

## New Prices Soon <br> On Dried Fruits

Wimimet
DRIED FRUITS.-Jobbers' stocks are practically depleted on some lines of dried fruits. There is practically a famine in these lines, and while this was expected and predicted yet stocks have gone into consumption faster than it was expected they would at the very high prices being quoted, and the trade will have to await the new crop before being able to replenish many lines. New crop prices on raisins are expected about July 1 and on prunes about July 15.

## New Crop Jam <br> Prices Named

Winnipeg.
JAMS. - Some manufacturers have named prices for new season pack of jams and these prices are considerably higher than last season, particularly on strawberry and raspberry. The acreage planted to these varieties of berries this season all over the American continent has been less than for some years past. Production has therefore been much
lighter. With a keen export demand for jams, higher prices have had to be paid to producers. The quotations for new crop strawberry jam 4's is $\$ 13.50$ per case.

## Big Advance in

## Soap Market

Winnipeg.
SOAPS.-Manufacturers have, within the past few days, advanced lines of laundry soaps from 50 c to 75 c per case. Some manufacturers have withdrawn from the market and have not yet named new prices. The stiff advance in the fat markets and the low prices and light demand for glycerine, one of the byproducts, has made it necessary to put this advance into effect.

## Spices Firm;

Keen Demand
SPICES.-The spice market is very strong, with a keen demand apparent. The settlement of the strike will not affect spice quotations as no advantage was taken of the situation to increase prices. The tendency would be for the opening up of channels of commerce again to decrease prices.

## BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKETS

VANCOUVER, July 2.-The markets at Vancouver this week are for the most part unchanged from last week. There is a much better movement of sugar, and new fruits are also selling freely. Cheese and lard have both advanced. Royal Crown soap has advanced 60 cents per box.

## Sugar Situation

Is Improved
vancouver
SUGAR.-Supplies of sugar are again much improved, there being an altogether better movement. The strikers have nearly all returned to work which has greatly helped the situation.

## Market For Rices <br> Is Very Firm

## Vancouver.

RICES.- The market for rices is very firm, with the likelihood of stronger prices before long. While quotations here show no changes from a week ago the tendency is decidedly upward.

| Rice, Japan, No. 1, per ton...... | 25000 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Do., China, No. 1, per 40 mats | 25000 |
| Do., Do., No. 2, per 40 mats. . | 20000 |
| Do., California | 21000 |
| Tapioca, 140s |  |
| Sago, 140s | 013 |

## Canned Goods Sell Unchanged

CANNED GOODS.-No change is reported on these lines this week. There is a big demand for all kinds of canned goods, and prices are very firm.
Vancouver.
Canned tomatoes, $21 / 2 \mathrm{~s}$, doz,
Do., peas., standard 2 s , doz.
Do., early June, 2s, doz.......
200
$1771 / 2$
$1921 / 2$


## Molasses Are <br> At Firmer Prices

ancouver.
MOLASSES.-No change is reported in quotations on molasses, prices being firm at last week's prices.


Strawberries Are Moving Freely
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.-There is a very free movement of strawberries from British Columbia to the Prairie Provinces. No change is shown in quotations this week. They are selling at $\$ 3.25$ per crate. Gooseberries are selling at 12 cents per quart. Lemons are $\$ 7$ per case, and Cuban pineapples $\$ 5.50$.

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# WEEKLY MARKET REPORTS BY WIRE 

Statements from Buying Centres, East and West



# Alberta Markets FROM CALGARY, BY WIRE. 

Calgary; July 1.-Advances in soaps are prominent this week. Gold advanced seventy-five cents; Royal Crown, forty cents; Fairy, twenty-five cents; Sunlight, hundreds, fifty cents. St. Charles milk, as expected, advanced twenty-five cents. Sugar has been very scarce, owing to the Vancouver strike. Two cars arrived to-day. Fairly good supplies are promised from now on. Rice is advancing. Japannies can be had in some quarters at $\$ 11.50$, but general price is around $\$ 13.50$. Siam is $\$ 9.75$. There is an advance of about five dollars per dozen in salad oil. Eight pound tins are expected. Local potatoes are higher, $\$ 35$ to $\$ 38$ per ton. New potatoes from South are six and half cents per pound.

| Beans, Limas | 012 | 01 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Beans, B.C. | 700 |  |  |
| Flour, 98s, per bbl. |  | 10 | 0 |
| Rolled oats, 808 | 350 | 3 | 0 |
| Rice, Siam, cwt. |  | 97 | 5 |
| Dite, Cafna mat., No. 1 |  | 48 | 0 |
| Do., No. 2 |  | 8 | 5 |
| Japan, No. 1 | 1150 | 13 | 0 |
| Tapioes, lb . | 011 |  | $21 /$ |
| Sago, lb. | 011 |  | 21/2 |
| Sugar, pure cane. granulated, ewt. |  | 110 |  |
| Oheese, No. 1, Ontario, large.... | 035 |  | 61 |
| Butter, creamery, lb. | 055 | 0 | 9 |
| De., dairy. lb. | 085 | 0 | 0 |
| Lard, pure, 3s, per case |  | 22 | 0 |
| Eggs, new-laid, local |  | 12 | 0 |
| Tomatoes, $21 / 2 \mathrm{~s}$, stand, case | 360 | 42 |  |
| Oorn, 2s, case | 480 | 50 | 0 |
| Peas. 2s, standard case | 840 | 85 | 0 |
| Spinach, Cal., new pack. |  | 56 | 0 |
| Apples, gals., Ontario, case |  |  |  |
| Strawberries, 2s, Ontario, case | 810 | 8 | 5 |
| Raspberries, 2s, Ontario, case. | 840 | 9 | 0 |
| Cherries, 2s, red, pitted |  | 6 | 0 |
| Apples, evaporated |  | 0 | 2 |
| Do.t 25s, 1 lb . |  | 0 | 3 |
| Apricots, evaporated. | 026 |  | 9 |
| Peaches, evaporated, Ib. |  |  |  |
| Prunes, $90-100 \mathrm{~s}$ | 018 |  | 20 |
| Do., $40-50 \mathrm{~s}$ | 026 | 0 | 7 |
| Do., $60-708$ |  | 02 | 2 |
| Lobsters, quarters | 275 | 3 | 0 |
| Salmon, pin, tall, case | 900 | 102 | 25 |
| Salmon, Sockeye, tall, case Do., halves | 1800 |  | 0 |
| Potatoes, per ton | 3500 | 380 | 0 |
| Oranges, Valencias |  | - | 0 |
| Lemons, case |  | 85 | 0 |
| Grapefruit, California |  |  | 0 |
| Strawberries, Hood River, crate.. |  |  | 0 |
| Cantaloupes, crate 45 s |  | $75$ |  |

## Saskatchewan Markets FROM REGINA, BY WIRE.

Regina, Sask., July 1.-All kinds of soaps, toilet and laundry, have advanced 25 cents a case. Canned milk also shows an advance of 25 cents a case. The egg
market shows still greater weakness; receipts are decreasing; farmers are receiving 33 cents for No. 1's, and from 23 to 25 cts. for No. 2's. Seventy-five per cent. of receipts are No. 3 's, about 6,500 cases are in storage here now. The first shipment of British Columbia strawberries have arrived and are selling at $\$ 7.50$ a case.

| Beans, small white Japans, bu.. |  | 450 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Beans, Lima, per lb. |  | 0 121/2 |
| Rolled oats, brails |  | 386 |
| Rice, Siam, cwt. | 840 | 865 |
| Sago, lb. |  | 0 11\% |
| Tapioca, lb. |  | 0 111/4 |
| Sugar, pure cane, gran., ewt... |  | 109 |
| Cheese, No. 1, Ontario, large. |  | $0341 / 4$ |
| Butter, Creamery |  | 058 |
| Criseo | 1270 |  |
| Lard, pure, 3s, per case |  |  |
| Bacon, lb. |  | 047 |
| Egrs, new-laid |  | 033 |
| Tomatoes, 3s, standard, |  |  |
| Corn, 28, standard case |  | $4 \mathrm{8k}$ |
| Peas, 2s, standard case |  | 845 |
| Apples, gal.; Ontario |  | 285 |
| Apples, evaporated, per rb |  | -181 |
| Strawberries, 2s, Ont., eas |  | 2 EO |
| Raspberries. 2s. Ont., case |  | 870 |
| Peaches, 2s, Ontario, ease |  | 5 sa |
| Plums, 2s, case |  | 400 |
| Salmon, fineat Sockeye, tall, case |  |  |
| Salmon. pink, tall, case |  |  |
| Pork, American clear, der bbl. |  |  |

Beans, small white Japans, bu..
450
Beans, Lima, per lb.
386
Rice, Siam, cwt.
8. 0 $11 \% /$
Tapioca, lb.
099


NEW COCA-COLA PLANT BEING BUILT AT VANCOUVER
Vancouver, July 2.-The new cocacola plant, which the coca-cola manufacturers have in course of construction should be in operation about the first of July. The building is not large, but it is a model of up-to-the-minute factor:construction. All the operations in the bottling of this popular refresher are effected with least possible waste metion, as the various machines are arranged with scientific regard to this end. The building is concrete, steel, and glass. The location is very central, the corner of Richards and Smythe being practically the centre of the city, and almost the converging point of all the main thoroughfares. Mr. W. G. Irvine manages the Vancouver factory.

# Office Staffs Save Situation 

Vancouver Strike Threatened to Seriously Interfere With Salmon Industry

VANCOUVER, July 2.-If the loggers quit work to-day, the timber is still there to-morrow, and if the miners lay off, the coal will wait, but in the salmon canning business, if the fishermen do not keep their appointment, the deal is off. The sockeye run begins in the early part of July, and an enormous amount of preparation is necessary to ensure the best advantage of the brief season. The strike in Vancouver might have been a serious blow to this great industry, as the teamsters. truckers, and stevedores were all out,
but the position was met by the loyal office employees of the various canners. Each office sent its quota, and the office boys and clerks and the accountants and the managers and many of the owners themselves set to with a will and got the groceries, gasoline, oil, cans, solder, and the thousand and one items needed, down to the wharves, and trucked them into the northern freighters and "stevedored" them. The "Venture," which went north last week, was about the fifth steamer loaded with supplies which was dispatched in this way.

## B.C Packers Name Jam Prices

Vancouver, July 2.-The B. C. packers of jam have already sold up about all their estimated pack. The small fruit crops are fairly heavy, but the prices to the growers have been high, in fact, in some fruits record prices have obtained. The new Western opening prices are as follows:

| Variety. | Per doz. 4-lb.tins | Per doz 1s glass | Per doz. 1s tins |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Strawberry | \$13.50 | \$4.60 | \$4.00 |
| Raspberry | 18.00 | 4.50 | 4.00 |
| Black Curr | 13.00 | 4.50 | 4.00 |


| Loganberry | 13.00 | 4.50 | 4.00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apricot | 11.00 | 4.00 | 3.50 |
| Blackberry | 11.00 | 4.00 | 3.50 |
| Damson | 11.00 | 4.00 | 3.50 |
| Red Currant | 11.00 | 4.00 | 3.50 |
| Gooseberry | 11.00 | 4.00 | 3.50 |
| Plum | 10.00 | 3.75 | 3.25 |
| Greengrage | 10.00 | 3.75 | 3.25 |
| Assorted | 12.00 | 4. 00 | 3.50 |
| Prune | 10.00 | 3.75 | 3.25 |
| Applejelly | 11.00 | 4.00 | 3.50 |
| Crab apple jelly | 11.00 | 4.00 | 3.50 |
| Red currant jelly | 13.50 | 4.50 | 4.00 |
| 1 lb . glase | dozen | the |  |
| 1 lb. tin. | dozen | the |  |
| 4 Bb . tin | doren | the |  |



# How to Build a Trade in Meat Specialties 

## The Pushing of the Trade in Killing Products, Will Be One of Advantage to the Merchant and to the Customers He Serves-One Way of Getting Around the High Cost of Living

THE extremely high prices of meats have compelled the shopkeepers to pay strict attention to their business, and watch the pennies as they have never been watched before. The situation has shown them that they must economize in every possible way, and also add to their regular stock of goods anything in the food line that can be conveniently handled with no additional expense in help, light or delivery.
Almost every butcher shop nowadays has side lines, such as fruit, vegetables, greengroceries, butter and eggs, cheese, canned goods and fish, and many of them have installed a small cooked meat department. All of which is what they should have done long ago. However, it is not too late, even yet, to improve the volume of business in every possible way.
One way is to build up a trade in meat dainties or specialties, or what the packers call "killing products." This list includes brains, hearts, sweetbreads, livers, kidneys, tongues, pork snouts, pork ears, tripe, plucks, pig tails, lamb fries, etc.

## A Chance for Cheaper Meats

Many of these products were thrown or given away in former years. But the packers began stimulating trade in them by putting them up attractively, and because they were good and cheap, a very good trade was worked up. There is still much room for development, however, and retail butchers should be quick to see it and take advantage by stocking up and pushing the sale of these products.

The name "economy products" is used in offering them to the public. When once introduced they create a steady demand, because many of them can be made into dainty dishes. There is no waste, and the price is very reasonable.

A good suggestion is for the merchant to lay in a stock of this kind of goods, take a few of each, lay them out on nice, clean platters, and show them to advantage in the windows or counter case, with a small neat sign calling attention to these meat specialties as being reasonable and good, having no
waste, and being a very welcome change from the daily roast, steak, chop, or stew.

## The Merchant Must Popularize the Goods

It is up to the merchant to call his customers' attention to these products, and tell his customers why they should buy them, and the many ways they can be served. For instance, brains can be scrambled with eggs, which is a delicious dish. They can be potted, stewed, fried, boiled or served en casserole with vegetables. Any old way they are cooked they are good. Ask those who know.

Hearts from any meat animal are fine when baked, stuffed, broiled or fried in cracker dust and egg. A few minutes parboiling improves them. They make a splendid stew, and boiled with vegétables are good enough for the most fastidious.
Sweetbreads need no boosting, because everybody knows how good they are and in how many different ways they can be cooked. They need not necessarily be calf sweetbreads, as these are the most expensive of the killing products. Beef breads are considered by many to be just as good when properly cooked, also lamb breads.

## Şuggestions for Cooking

Almost every housekeeper thinks the only way to cook liver is to fry it. It's up to the merchant to tell her that a piece of tender liver, prepared like beef a la mode, with a few strips of beef fat or fat pork run through it, and baked with carrots and green peas, is a solendid dish. Of course, calves' liver is exbensive, as is everything from the calf, but beef, lamb, or pios' liver is also good, and there is no waste, which is a strong talking point.
Lamb or pork kidneys, when strung on a wire skewer with a small piece of bacon between each one, and nicely broiled. is a dish fit for a king, and brings a fancy price in the high-class restaurants. It is served with the skewer left in the meat, and never yet failed to please
those who were fortunate enough to think of ordering it. Livers fried, stewed or on toast are not to be passed over lightly.
Tripe stewed with oysters or soft clams makes a most delectable dish, and so on down the list. Each of these products can be cooked in so many different ways, every one of them making a fine dish. They are no trouble to handle, there is a very nice profit in them and a good trade can be built up.

It is the small items that help build up a business, combined with the ability of the shopkeeper to advise and make suggestions to his trade, which are gladly received by most women, particularly those who cannot afford to buy meat as they would like.
In former years the ordinary family had a 10 -pound roast costing from $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 2$. To-day the same roast would cost about \$4. Legs of lamb or a roast of pork or poultry cost about the same. Even a piece of corned beef or a shoulder of mutton is beyond the pocket-book of many families to-day.
So it is that the despised by-products of former days are now coming into their own.-The Packer.

## CANADIAN APPLE EXPORTS

The following shows the quantity of Canadian apples imported into the United Kingdom between January 1 and March 31, 1919, and for the same period in 1916, 1917 and 1918, together with a statement of the total imports of apples:

Total imported, cwts.-1916, 587,226; 1917, 688,252; 1918, 193,719; 1919, 1,742,167.

Imported from Canada, cwts.-1916, 217,147; 1917, 233.798; 1918, 307; 1919, 369,882.

The embargo placed upon imports of apples into Australia which became effective during the past winter, has caused considerable concern to exporters in British Columbia, and concerted efforts have recently been made to effect a modification or removal of this barrier. British Columbia ordinarily exports some 75,000 boxes of apples to Australia, and has found that market especially valuable as an outlet for the smaller sizes of apples, for which the home demand is quite limited. Contracts are usually made at about this season of the year or earlier.

A RATE MADE FOR B. C. FRUIT SHIPMENTS TO PRAIRIE POINTS Special local rates on Canadian-grown berries, cherries and currants in carloads are made effective June 1, 1919, by the Dominion Express Company, from Creston, Duck Creek, Hatzic, Huntington, Kelowna, Penticton, Summerland, Vancouver and Vernon, B.C., to Calgary, Edmonton, Camrose, Winnipeg, Moose Jaw, Regina, Saskatoon, Weyburn and Yorkton. The rate to Yorkton is $\$ 2.25$ per 100 pounds; to all other points $\$ 2$ per 100 pounds. These rates expire about August 31, 1919, unless sooner cancelled, changed or extended.

## DEMANDS OF STOCKYARDS MEN ARE MET

By granting an increase of from fifteen to seventeen per cent. and a tenhour day, the last differences between the employees and employers of the Union Stock Yards has been adjusted. The Board of Conciliation, composed of Judge Snider, Gideon Grant and Fred. Bancroft, awarded the men a substantial percentage of all that they demanded. The agreement was signed by F. C. Fletcher, C. E. Topping and A. S. Giles, for the employers, and by L. Braithwaite, John Menzies and Walter Hill, for the men.
The salient points in the agreement were the granting of the ten-hour day, to be performed in eleven consecutive hours; time and a half for overtime; Friday or Saturday off for men who work on Sunday; either Thursday, Friday or Saturday off for night shift men, and wages of forty-two cents an hour for night men, and forty cents an hour for the day men.

## MAKING F?IENDS THROUGH ADVERTISING <br> Continued from page 31

first milestone as a drug and grocery business in Pilot Mound, and we are going to commemorate the event by put-
ting on a special sale on that day. During the past year we have had a considerable prejudice and opposition to overcome to change from the old credit order of things to the up-to-date cash system. Anything new or drastic in this old business world needs considerable missionary work. We are pleased to say that our policy of lowest prices, courteous service and honest, open invitation to the public has enabled us to overcome that prejudice to a very large extent, and to-day we are in a better position than ever to serve you. We were told we could not run this business on a cash basis. We have done so. We were told the drug and grocery business would not make a successful combination. It has proven successful, and for this we want to thank you, the people of this district. It is your stare, make use of it. Below we offer a list of bargains that should make our first anniversary a memorable event in this community; as you know by now, we mean exactly what we say when we advertise a bargain."

In connection with the grocery department glassware is offered for sale.

## DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE SURVEY OF B. C. FRUIT

In British Columbia early reports indicate a 50 per cent. increase over last year in the Okanagan Valley. There is a particularly heavy one of Jonathan, McIntosh and Wealthy, which were light in 1918. Yellow Newtown is not as promising as other varieties. The crop will undoubtedly exceed that of 1918, due to the maturing of young orchards, as well as to the excellent prospe:ts now indicated. On Vancouver Island al! varieties indicate a heavy crop except Jonathan and Newtown, which are medium. Excellent reports for all varieties have been received from the Kootenay Valley. The Creston district had a medium to heavy bloom of early and winter varieties, and a fair to medium bloom of fall varieties.

## U.S. HOLDINGS OF FROZEN POULTRY INCREASE HANDILY

The United States Government report, on storage holdings of frozen poultry June 1st 1919, in detail, shows a very marked increase in holdings in storage over last year. The figures are as follows:


## Cherries and Pears Heavy <br> In British Columbia cherries and

 pears promise a fairly heavy crop, slightly less than 1918. Except in lower Fraser Valley, where early frosts caused most of the pears to fall-a light pear crop is expected from this section. Plums and peaches show an increase of 10 per cent. with prunes equal to last year, and apricots 15 per cent. better in the Okanagan Valley. On Vancouver Island the plum blossoms were caught by frost and cold winds, which may have reduced the crop in that district.The following shows the acreage of small fruits on Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland of British Columbia this year, together with an estimate of the probable yield:

Vancouver Island strawberries, 158 acres; 335 tons.

Lower Mainland-Burnaby, strawberries, 10 acres, 30 tons; raspberries, 18 acres, 45 tons. Hammond-Haney, strawberries, 75 acres; 240 tons; raspberries, 45 acres, 120 tons. Strawberry Hill, strawberries, 14 acres, 35 tons. Hatzic-Mission, strawberries, 181 acres, 425 tons; raspberries, 203 acres, 750 tons. Chilliwack, strawberries, 45 acres, 110 tons; raspberries, 55 acres, 135 tons.

## CANADIAN EXPORTS OF EGGS DECLINE



CANADIANS LIKE SOCKEYE
Vancouver, July 2.-A British Columbia canner who has a surplus of the cheaper salmon to market says: "The Canadian public has a taste for sockeye salmon, and if the Government could keep every kind of fish out of the country except chums, the people could not be forced to use them." There was an initial shipment made recently to Suva, Fiji Islands, from the stocks in Vancouver.

## COTTON SEED OIL FOR MARGARINE ADMITTED FREE

By a new regulation cotton seed oil and oleo oil to be used in the manufacture of margarine will be admitted free of duty, though the product admitted free must be used solely in the manufacture of this product.

This change will be a considerable advantage to the Canadian manufacturer of margarine, who in the past has had to compete against margarine manufactured in the United States and admitted duty free, while he had to pay duty on several of the raw products entering into the manufacture of the product here.

# Produce, Provision and Fish Markets 

## ONTARIO MARKETS

TIORONTO, July 4 th-The produce markets are firm to stronger this week. Fresh meats, provisions and cooked meats are all very firm, and from one to two cents higher in some instances. Butter and eggs are higher, and cheese, too, shows a slight advance.

## Fresh Meats Sell at Strong Prices <br> Toronto.

FRESH MEATS. - The market for fresh meats is generally strong, although the fact that there are now on the market some grass cattle has had a tendency to ease prices on beef of this kind. Prices for live stuff is, on the whole, strong, and dressed pork is holding very firm. It is the opinion of some dealers that the signing of peace will mean generally higher prices for both beef and pork, as the demand from Europe is likely to be on a very large scale. Where beef, however, from grass fed cattle is quoted, the prices are lower, but on the stall fed kind, there are strong quotations ruling.

Breakfast, ordinary, per lb.... 048 Breakfast, faney, per lb...... Roll, per lb
(smoked sides), lb.
057
$\cdots 4 i$
Dry Salt Meats-
Long clear bacon, av. $50-70 \mathrm{lbs} .032$ Do., av. $70-100 \mathrm{lbs}$.
Fat backs, 16-20 lbs. 098
Out of pickle, prices range about $2 e$ per pounc
below corresponding cuts above.
Barrel Pork-
Mess pork, 200 lbs. $\quad \ldots \ldots .0^{0} \quad 52 \quad 0 \quad 53$
Short cut backs, bbl., 100 lb
Pickled rolls, bbl., 200 lbs.,
Do., do., do., lightweight
$\qquad$
$\begin{array}{ll}60 & 60 \\ \cdots . . & 6000\end{array}$
Above prices subject to daily fluctuations of the market.

## Inquiry For Cooked Meats is Active <br> <br> Torento.

 <br> <br> Torento.}COOKED MEATS.-The inquiry for cooked meats continues very active, and both boiled and roast hams are in great demand. Boiled ham is selling at 64 c per lb ., and roast hams at 65 c . This is a cent higher than a week ago. Other quotations are unchanged.
Boiled hams, tb. ..................
Hams, roast, without dressing. ib.
064
065
Shoulders, roast, without dress-

 Meat Loaf with Macroni and
Cheese, lb, ...................
Choice jellied ox tongue, lb .
Pork and Tongue, lb. ................. $0631 \begin{array}{lll}0 & 65 \\ 0 & 46\end{array}$
Above prices subject to daily fluetuations of the market,

## Lard Sells at

Unchanged Price

## Toronto.

LARD.-There continues a very heavy demand for lard. It is selling at from $361 / \mathrm{c}$ to 37 c per lb .
Lard tierces, 400 Ibs., lb............ 0 361/2 037 In $60-1 \mathrm{~b}$, tubs, $1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$ higher than tierces, pails $3 / 4 \mathrm{c}$ higher than tierces, and 1-1b, prints, 2e higher than tierces

## Shortening is

## Selling Freely

Torento.
SHORTENING. - Shortening is also selling very freely, and again this week, prices show a slight advance over the preceding week. Shortening is selling at from 31 c to $313 / 4 \mathrm{c}$ per lb .
Shortening, tierces, $400 \mathrm{lbs}, 1 \mathrm{lb} \ldots$ o 31 . o $311_{4}$

## Stronger Prices <br> Rule on Cheese

## Toronto.

CHEESE. - Slightly stronger prices rule in the market for cheese this week.

High prices are being paid on the boards for cheese. There is a good demand for it. New large cheese is selling at from 32 c to $321 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.
Cheese
New, large
Stilton (new)
Twins $1 / 6 \mathrm{e}$ lb, higher than large cheese. Triplet $11 / 2 \mathrm{c}$ higher than large cheese.

## Firmer Quotations

 on Creamery Butter
## Toronto.

BUTTER.-Quotations on butter are firmer. The Government is buying a good deal of butter but the; price it is paying is a good bit of an uncertainty. Dealers are quoting fresh made creamery prints at from 53 to 55 c , and creamery solids at 54c.

$$
\begin{array}{lllll}
\text { Creamery prints (fresh made) } & 0 & 53 & 0 & 55 \\
\text { Creamery solids (fresh made) } & \ldots . & 0 & 54 \\
\text { Dairy prts., fresh separator, lb. } & \ldots . & 0 & 47 \\
\text { Dairy prints, No. 1, lb. ......... } & 0 & \mathbf{A 5}
\end{array}
$$

## Quotations on Eggs Slightly Higher <br> Toronto.

EGGS.-Prices of eggs are slightly higher. Receipts are not quite so heavy. New-laids in cartons are selling to the trade at from 49 c to 51 c , and newlaids at from 46c to 47c.
Eggs-
ggs-
New laids in cartons, doz. .... $0049 \quad 0 \quad 51$
New laids, doz. ................ 1 daily fluctuations 47
Prices shown are subject to daily fluctuations of the market.

## Margarine is in

Little Demand
Toronto.
MARGARINE.-There is not much demand for margarine at the present time. Prices are unchanged.
Margarine-
1-lb, prints, No. 1
Do., No. 2
$\begin{array}{ll}0 & 35 \\ 0 & 32\end{array}$
032
028
Solids ic per lb, less than prints.
Poultry Receipts
Are Increasing
Toronto.
POULTRY.-There is a good demand now ruling for poultry, and receipts are increasing. Spring chicken is selling at from 50 c to 55 c per Ib . It is arriving more freely. Fowl over $4^{1 / 2} \mathrm{lbs}$. is selling at 28 c , and fowl under $41 / 2 \mathrm{lbs}$. is selling at 26 c .


## QUEBEC MARKETS

MONTREAL, July 1.-Provision markets are without changes this week of a startling nature. Creamery butter has firmed 1 cent per pound; fresh beef prices on some cuts are shaded in varying degrees; 3moked hams are higher and bacon firm. Barrelled pork is quoted higher, and margarine is firmer in some quarters. Eggs are expecied to decline. Fresh fish is lower in price.

## Beef Prices Shaded; Pork is Holding <br> Montreal.

FRESH MEATS.-There have been some revisions of price downward on various cuts of beef, and there is a steady feeling on pork products, though the sale is limited for fresh-killed stock. Quotable basis is unchanged for live hogs, though that for dressed is slightly higher.
Hogs, live
Hogs, Dressed
Abattoir killed, small, 65-90 lbs. Fresh Pork -

2200
2250

Leg of pork (trimmed) (foot
Loins
Loins (trimmed)
Loins (untrimmed)
Spare ribs
Trimmed shoulders
$\begin{array}{cccc}\cdots 5 & 00 & 3200 \\ 25 & 50\end{array}$

Fresh Beef-
Cows)
$\begin{array}{lll}0 & 25 & \$ 0 \\ 0\end{array}$

| \$0 26 | Hind quarters |
| :---: | :---: |
| ${ }_{0} 17$ | .Front quarter |
| 028 | Loins |
| 025 | Ribs |
| 015 | Chucks |

${ }^{28}$ (Steers) 01
tongue continue, as usual, to be favorite sellers.

## Head Cheese <br> hallice jellied ox tongue <br> $\begin{array}{ll}0 & 13 \\ 0 & 65\end{array}$ <br> Ham and tongue, lb <br> Veal and tongue <br> Hams, roast <br> 062 062 <br> Shoulders, roas <br> Shoulders, boiled <br> Pork pies (doz.) <br> Elood pudding, ib.

## Active Lard Sales; Basis Holds Firm <br> \section*{Montreal.}

LARD.-Under a steadily good demand the price basis for lard holds firm. Sales have been large in the aggregate and the tendency of the market is a strong one.
LARD, pure
Tierces, 400 Hos., per 1 lb .
$0371 / 4 \quad 0 \quad 371 / 2$
Tubs, 50 lbs ., per lb .
$\begin{array}{lll}0371 / 2 & 0 & 38\end{array}$
Pails, 20 lbs., per lb .
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { a. } 378 / 4 & 0381 / 4 \\ 0 & 39\end{array}$

## Shortening is

## Steady Seller

## Montreal

SHORTENING.-At this time there is a steadily good demand for shortening in the local and nearby markets. Prices are quite fully maintained.

## SHORTENING

Tiences, 400 lbs ., per lb .
Tubs, 50
Pails, 20
lbs. . per $1 \mathrm{~b} . .$.
$\begin{array}{lll}0311 / 4 & 0 & 31 \\ 011 / 2\end{array}$

## Strength Manifest

For Margarine
Montreal.
MARGARINE.-While there is not a great deal of change, the basis of price as obtaining for margarine is continuing strong. Sales are made on a fairly satisfactory basis, considering the hot weather conditions.

## Margarine-

Prints, according to quality, lb. $036 \quad 0 \quad 381 / 9$ Tubs, according to quality, lb. 82
$381 / 6$
$341 / 2$

## Butter Up I Cent;

## A Big Seller

Montreal.
BUTTER.-At the sales held in the country, butter demand is keen and sales have broupht advanced prices of $2 c$ to $3 c$ per pound. The local basis has firmed to the extent of 1c. There is a good healthy consumptive demand at full prices.
BUTTER -
Creamery prints, fresh made.. $055 \quad 056$ Creamery solids, freeh made.. o 54 o 55 Dairy prints Dairy, in tubs, choice

## Cheese is Moved; <br> Basis Uncertain

Montreal.
CHEESE-Prices are not changed in any way and there has been a fair demand from the consuming trade. An erratic state prevailed during the week and there was considerable variance manifest at the different cheese boards throughout the country. Demand might be better for export account although
offerings have been taken up pretty closely.
CheEse
New, large, per lb.
Twins, per lb.
Triplets, per 1 lb
Fancy, old cheese, per ib.

| $\cdots 32$ | 032 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $0321 / 2$ |  |
| $\cdots$ | 032 |
| $\cdots 35$ | 035 |
| 03 | 036 |

## Expected Eggs

Will Be Lower

## Montreal.

FGGS.-A cessation of hot weather conditions probably has served to improve the quality of eggs arriving in this market, but there is almost sure to be a lowering of prices with stock accumulating. This fact is clear, that good, firstclass eggs are in continued demand at good prices, while the uncertain quality of other grades makes them available at easier prices.

## EGGS- <br> No. 1 Selects <br> Selects New laid

$\begin{array}{lll}0 & 43 \\ 0 & 48 \\ 0 & 52 \\ 0 & 56\end{array}$

## Poultry Changes

Are Here Absent
Montreal.
POULTRY.-With storage stocks not heavy, the export demand having taken a great deal of the surplus that would orinarily accumulate, prices have continued to hold steadily. There is a domestic demand still, and some export. Shipments from the country continue to arrive.

| POULTRY (dressed)- |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chickens, roast (3-5 lbs.) | 040 | 041 |
| Chickens, roast (milk fed) | 045 | 046 |
| Broilers ( $8-4 \mathrm{lb}$. pr.) | 044 | 047 |
| Dueks- |  |  |
| Brome Lake (milk fed green), |  | 046 |
| Young Domestic | 038 | 040 |
| Turkeys (old toms), lb. |  | 049 |
| Turkeys (young) |  | 050 |
| Geese . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 0 . 30 0 81 |  |  |
| O1d fowls (large) |  | 086 |
| Old fowls (small) |  | 032 |
| Live-Old fowl ... | 033 | 036 |
| Roosters |  | 030 |
| Turkeys |  | 040 |
| Broilers | 048 | 050 |

## Supplies Continue: <br> Fresh Fish Less

## Montreal

FISH.-With good supplies arriving from week to week, the fresh fish markets are well supplied with a variety of lake and sea fish that meets the requirements well. Prices are lower on cod and flounders, while haddock are selling on a fair price basis. There are plenty of frozen fish at favorable prices for those wanting them. Express shipments are now quite frequent.

## FRESH FISH



| Skate |  | a. 17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lake Trout |  | - 18 |
| Mackerel |  | 015 |
| Shrimps | 035 | 040 |
| Whitefish | 017 | 018 |
| Trout, brook |  | 040 |
| FROZEN FISH |  |  |
| Gaspereaux, per lb. | 0 061/2 | 07 |
| Halibut, large and chicken | - 19 | 020 |
| Halibut, Western | - 20 | 021 |
| Halibut, medium | 021 | 022 |
| Haddock | 006 | $0061 / 2$ |
| Mackerel | 014 | 015 |
| Dore | - 14 | 015 |
| Smelts, No. 1, per lb. | 012 | 018 |
| Smelts, No. 2, per lb. | 007 | 008 |
| Pike, Headless and Dressed | 010 | - 11 |
| Market Cod |  | 0 05\% |
| Whitefish, small | 011 | ${ }^{12}$. |
| Sea Herrings | $0071 / 2$ | 008 |
| Steak Cod |  | 008 |
| Gaspe Salmaor, per lb. | 024 | 025 |
| Saimon Cohoes, round | $0171 / 2$ | 018 |
| Salmon, Qualla, Hd, and Dd. | - 13 | 014 |
| Whitefleh | 015 | 016 |
| Smelts, extra large |  | $02 \%$ |
| Lake Trout ...... | 019 | 020 |
| Lake Herrings, bag, 100 lbs. |  |  |
| Alewires ...... .... ... | $0051 / 2$ | 006 |

## Codfish-

Chish, large bbl., 200 lbs.... 200 lbs. ...... ........... 180 Codfish, No, 2,200 ib. barrel.. 1700 pollock, No. 1, 200 lb barrel. odnsh, strip boneless $130-1 \mathrm{~b}$ boxes), lb. .................. 020 Codfish (Ivory) ( $2-1 \mathrm{lb}$, blocks, $20-\mathrm{lb}, \mathrm{bx}$ ) pneless cor (2-7 Shredded codfish ( $12-\mathrm{lb}$. box) PICKLED FISH
Herrings (Scotch cured), barrel. 1125 Scotia, barrel
Do., half barrel
Salmon, Labrador ( 200 lbs.)
Salmon, B.C. ( 200 lbs .).
Sea Trout (200-lb, bble;
Turbot ( 200 lbs. )
Codflsh, tongues and sound, ib. OYSTERS
Cape Cod, per barrel
1600
1500
Batouche, per barrel
Seallops, gallon
Can No. 3 (Solids)
Can No. 5 (Solids)
Can No. 1 (Selects)
250
an No. 3 (Selects)

## sundries

Paper Oyster Pails. $1 / 8$ per 100.
Crushed Oysters Shell. 100 -lbs.
Paper Oyster Pails, $1 / 4-1 \mathrm{~b}$. per $100 .$.

## BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKETS

Con. from p. 45

## Cheese and Lard <br> At Strong Figures <br> Vancouver

PROVISIONS.-Strong prices prevail on all provisions. Cheese is selling at $33^{1 / 2}$ cents and lard has advanced, under very heavy demand, to $381 / 2$ cents. Bacon is selling at 52 cents, and hams at 45 cents.

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Lard
Compound
Bacon
Hams
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## Teas Are Likely <br> To Go Higher

## Vancouver.

TEAS.-No new advances are noted in the prices of teas this week, although the market is very firm and with the tendency upward, further gains are not unlikely.

| $\begin{gathered} \text { Ceylon Teas- } \\ \text { Pekoe } \end{gathered}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Proken Pekoe, chests, ib. | 031 |  |
| Do., Orange Pekoe, chests, ib . | 048 | ${ }^{1} 51$ |
| Less than chests, one cent per | pound | mor |
| Jav |  |  |
| Braken Pekoe | ( 37 | 043 |
| Broken Orange Pekoe | 050 | 055 |
| Tea Indian- |  |  |
| Pekoe | 039 |  |
| Broken Orange Pekoe | 044 | 052 |

## Hog Receipts

Very Light
Winnipeg
HOGS.-Very light receipts of hogs have come on this market during the past week and this condition generally exists during the summer months. The market is firm with prices ranging from $\$ 21.50$ to $\$ 22.00$.

## Eggs Poor Quality; Lower Prices <br> Winnipeg.

EGGS.-Owing to the excessively hot weather experienced in this province recently the quality of eggs coming to market has been very poor. The natural result has been to lower prices considerably. Country shippers are receiving from 30 to 35 cents per doz. for eggs. The same condition applies to this market as in the case of butter, in regard to the lowering of prices when supplies now being held at country points come to market.

## Lower Butter

Prices Coming
Winnipeg.
BUTTER.-Large quantities of butter are being held at country points awaiting shipment. When these supplies are received they will tend to bear the market down to somewhere near the scale of prices in the East. With the opening up of commerce following the settlement of the strike lower prices can be looked for. There is no ruling market for dairy butter yet, as little is coming in, owing to the fact that freight shipments are still tied up. No. 1 creamery butter is quoted at 50 to 52 cents per lb.

## Decline In

## Fresh Salmon

## Winnipeg.

FISH.-Lifting of the freight embargo following the settlement of the strike situation has resulted in a return to normal conditions insofar as both country and city business is concerned. A decline of two cents per lb . on fresh salmon has been-made this week. No further price changes are anticipated for a week or so.
Whitefish (fresh) LAKE FISH
Whitefish (fresh), lb.
Whitefish (frozen), ib
Pickerel (fresh), lb.
Fresh Trout
Round Jackfieh, lb.
Dressed Jack fish,
Speckled Trout, lb. SEA FISH
Fresh Halibut
$\begin{array}{lll}0 & 13 \\ 0 & 12 \\ 0 & 14 \\ 0 & 20 \\ 0 & 09 \\ 0 & 091 \\ 0 & 35 \\ 0 & 20 \\ 0 & 20\end{array}$
Frozen Halibut, ib

Froven Salmon, lb
020
Fresh Selmon, \%b.
0.28

## NOVA SCOTIA'S 1918 PRODUCTION OF APPLES

The final estimate of the production of apples in Nova Scotia last season is 825,000 barrels. This figure includes 300,000 barrels consumed within the province, of which 100,000 barrels were marketed. Of the remainder, 86,000 barrels were used by canning, cider and vinegar factories, 265,000 barrels exported to Great Britain, and 170,000 barrels shipped to points in Canada and Newfoundland, outside Nova Scotia

## A WORD OF COMMENDATION

"Your editorial notes in your issue of June 13th, i.e., A Fair Examination, Lawyers and Farmers, Examine Business, and Sowing the Wind, seem to me to be timely and very fairly stated.

From a business point of view there is too much political and social unrest all over the world, and newspapers of influence, in many cases, are adding fuel to the flames, instead of acting as leaders to those who have not the knowledge and understanding necessary to deal with the present state of world affairs.

What we need at the present time is statesmen with clear and broad views; not politicians who follow the crowd, nor demagogues, whose doctrines and teachings lead only to anarchy and final destruction for the country which follows them."
E. W. HAY,

Falkenburg Station, Ont.

## CUSTOMERS DEMAND DOUBLE SERVICE

BECAUSE customers so often asked him to go out and get certain articles in groceries for them on telephone orders, C. Hutchins, Walton Street, Port Hope, Ont., who has conducted a butcher business for many years, decided to stock groceries, and now for the past ten years he has handled both groceries and meats. The meat trade practically built up the grocery business, and in catering to the meat requirements of the people he has kept abreast of the times, in up-to-date equipment for his store. He has refrigerator counters and show cases for the display of his meats. This is the third season for it, and Mr. Hutchins believes it has been a great boon to business. "It has more than paid for itself," Mr. Hutchins told CANADIAN GROCER, "and last year our butter and egg business paid for its upkeep." The trade in fresh meats is much curtailed in the hot weather, and is rather superseded by the sale of cooked meats. This store sells a lot of the latter and when the uncooked meats are not in demand, and Mr. Hutchins makes a point of keeping a varied stock always on hand.


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dos. in box, per doz.,
doz. in box, per doz. $1 / \ldots$
Assorted Chocolate, $1 / 2 \mathrm{lb} ., 1$
doz. in box, per doz.
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doz. in box, per doz.
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$1 / 2 \mathrm{lb} ., \mathrm{i}$
Crystailized Ginger, $1 / 2$ lb., 1
doz, in box, per doz. ....
Active Service Chocolate, $1 / 2 \mathrm{~s}$,
$4-1 \mathrm{~b}$. box, 24 boxes in case, per lb.
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