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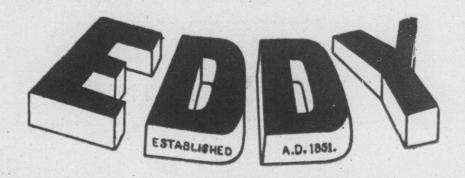
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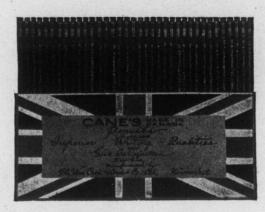
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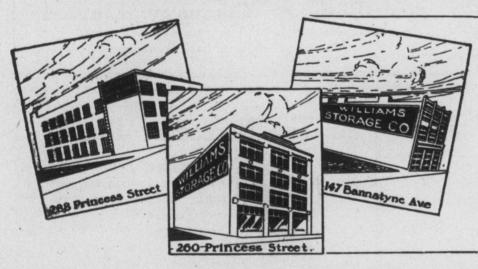
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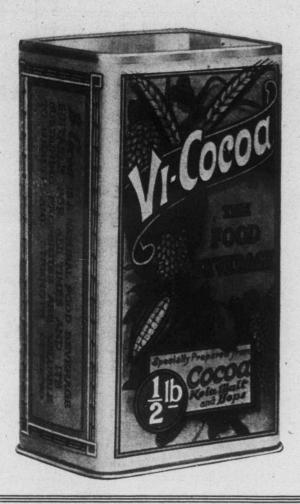
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Enquiry Department

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SCOUT SARDINES

Will you kindly tell us who handles Scout Sardines ?- Reader.

Answer-C. C. Morris & Co., Toronto, Ont.

TORONTO APPLE BUYERS

Could you give me the names of any apple buyers in Toronto who could handle car lots.—J. W. Skinner, R.R. No. 1, Winchelsea, Ont.

Answer—White & Co., Church and Front Sts., Toronto; Peters, Duncan Co., Front St. E., Toronto; McBride Brothers, 35 Church St., Toronto; McWilliam & Everist, Church St., Toronto; D. McKinnon Company, Toronto; D. Spence & Company, Toronto; W. J. McCart, Toronto.

FLY CATCHERS
Please give list of the fly catchers in Canada.—Advertiser.

Answer-National Fly Catcher Co., Mont-eal, Que.; Archade Wilson, Hamilton, Ont.; Smith Bros., Beechville, Ont.

PURE GLUTEN FLOUR

Could you tell us the names of any good reliable mill or mills manufacturing pure gluten flour?—R. B. Brown & Son, Brigden, Ont.

Answer—We would refer you to White Swan Spices and Cereal Co., 156 Pearl St., Toronto, Ont., for gluten flour.

SPEED PEN FOR SHOW CARD WRITING Notice an article in "Canadian Grocer" issue August 13th on the speed pen for show card writing. Will you kindly tell me when I can procure these?—John A. Mc-Lean, Wyoming, Ont.

Answer—You would be able to purchase speed pens for show card writing from the Art Metropole Company, Toronto, Ontario.

Will you please tell me where we could obtain speed pens as mentioned in article on page 28, Aug. 13th issue.—Mr. V. A. Esser, Box 640, Welland, Ont.

Answered in enquiry above.

MORE SPEED PENS

In reading "Make Show Cards Attractive," page 28, August 13th issue, was interested in speed pens mentioned. Where are these pens to be had?—Admirer.

Answered in enquiry above.

MACHINES FOR MAKING ICE CREAM CONES

We are open for purchase of machine for manufacturing ice cream cones. - The James B. Carter Co., 806 Confederation Life Bldg.,

Winnipeg, Man.

Answer—You could purchase one of these from the Fletcher Mfg. Co., Toronto, Ontario, or you might try McNab & Roberts, Limited, Winnipeg.

BUYERS OF MAPLE SYRUP

Likely purchasers for 250 gallons pure maple syrup put up in 1 gallon tins.—H. J. Thomson & Co., Sharbot Lake, Ont.

Answer-Maple Tree Products, Montreal; Smalls Ltd., Montreal; Bowes Co., Toronto,

SHOW CARD WRITING SET

Will you please send list of firms where card writing set can be purchased.—The Cranbrook Trading Co., Cranbrook, B.C.

Answer—C. W. Mack, 46 Adelaide St. W., Toronto, Ont.; Superior Mfg. Co., 93 Church St., Toronto, Ont.; Toronto Stamp & Stencil Works, Toronto, Ont.; Hamilton Stamp & Stencil Works, Hamilton, Ont.; Reliance Ink Co., Winnipeg, Man.; Art Metropole, Toronto, Out. ronto, Ont.

CHEESE MANUFACTURERS

Could you give us names of leading cheese manufacturers in Eastern and Western Can-ada?—James B. Carter Co., Winnipeg, Man.

Answer-Ingersoll Packing Co., Ingersoll,

BUTTER IN TINS

Would you be good enough to inform us the names of some firms in Canada who are packers of butter in tins (half-pound and pound sizes). We prefer something that can stand up under the West Indian heat.

MARITIME BROKERS,

Answer—Smith & Proctor, Halifax, N.S.; Bowes Co., Toronto, Ont.

BERRY BOXES

We will be obliged if you can give us the names of manufacturers of strawberry boxes (wood), usually, put up 100 boxes to case. We might require a car load for another season and some now.

M. WOOD & SON, LTD.,
Sackville, N.B.

Answer—You could purchase some from B. C. Mfg. Co., New Westminster, B.C. Their agents are S. H. Moore & Co., Excelsior Life Bldg., Toronto, Ont., or Oakville Basket Co., Oakville, Ont.

MANUFACTURERS OF LA FRANCE CAS-TILE SOAP. AGENTS FOR SAPOLIO. Will you please tell us who manufactures La France Castile soap, also the Toronto agents for Sapolio?

Answer—La France Castile soap is manufactured by the John Taylor & Co., Toronto, Ont. Agents for Sapolio are Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Toronto. Ont.

Could you please inform me as to where I may obtain hard coal for immediate shipment?

MR. V. PHILIP, Sarsfield, Ontario.

Answer—We have found out from the different coal firms in this city that hard coal is very scarce at the present time. They are not taking orders for Toronto customers or for out of town shipments.

FRESH MEAT DEPARTMENT

Can you supply me with particulars regarding how to determine quality, names of the various kinds, and cutting in connection with opening a fresh meat dept. in grocery store?
MR. A. C. FOELL,

John and Barton Sts.,

Hamilton, Ont.

Answer—The Wm. Davies Co. have advertised a booklet which, although it is gotten up for the consumer, we believe you would find your valuable. find very valuable in opening up a fresh

meat department.

Mr. Arthur Phillips, of Wm. Davies Co., 521 Front St. East, Toronto, would be glad to send you one of these and to give you any other information that would help you.

AGENCY FOR WHITELOCK MINERAL WATER.

We would appreciate being advised the name of a broker in Canada who has the selling agency for Whitelock mineral water.

H. G. SMITH, LTD.,
Regina, Sask.

Answer—This is handled by F. X. St. Charles Cie, Ltd., 41 St. Gabriel St., Montreal, and MacLaren's Imperial Cheese Co.,
TOronto, Ont.

PASTRY BOOK

Toronto, Ont.

PASTRY BOOK

Could you please tell us where we could get a pastry book called "The American Pastrycook," by Jessup Whitehead, Chicago?

PARCLEY & SON,

Salmon Arm, B.C.
Answer—We would refer you to A. C.
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Possibly you want to buy or sell a grocery business. Canadian Grocer's subscribers are the best prospects in Canada. Talk to them through our columns with a want ad.

Or do you want to sell or exchange some surplus stock? Here again the Want Advertisement can help you.

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These Preserved Strawberries contain twice the quantity of sugar ordinarily used in strawberries packed in heavy syrup.

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a greater call for factory jams, the excellence of



Old City Brand Jams

which "Have the flavor that finds favor" is producing a steadily increasing demand for them. Old City Jams are made of wholesome, sun-ripened, tempting Canadian fruits, of luscious sweetness. For purity, food value and goodness, they are without equal.

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Ontario Wholesale Grocers Handling Old City Brand Jams

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with all the perfections of its old, high standard of quality.

No announcement of this Company was ever made with greater pleasure and our satisfaction with the welcome return to normal milling conditions will be evidenced in the material improvement in all your baking.

Order a bag from your Grocer.

Western Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited



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New Freight Rates Will Mean Sharp Advance in Foodstuffs

Manufacturers and Wholesale Grocers Do Not View with Approval the Advance of Forty Per Cent. in Freight Rates—"Will Bear Very Heavily on the Cost of Living," Says One Manufacturer

DISCUSSING the new freight increase with representative manufacturers, and with A. C. Pyke, secretary of the Canadian Wholesale Grocers' Association, vigorous protest was voiced against the advance. The opinion generally shared is that the increase is inopportune, at a time when people are looking for a decline in prices. The new freight rates, representing an advance of thirty-five and forty per cent., cannot help but mean higher prices for foodstuffs.

"The new freight increase will bear very heavily on the cost of living," remarked C. M. Wrenshall of the White Swan Spices & Cereals Co., Ltd., to Canadian Grocer. "It will affect the cost of the raw material, then of the manufactured article, again to the wholesale trade, and in turn to the retailer, and ultimately the burden of the increase must be borne by the consumer. There is no justification for the increase at the present time, when everyone is looking for the cost of living to come down rather than go higher. The individual consumer should not be called upon to bear the additional expenditure of higher wages for railway employees. It should be borne by the country as a whole."

Asked as to what the new rates will mean in the cost of rolled oats to the trade, Mr. Wrenshall replied that oats will be approximately 25 cents per cwt. higher. In the matter of spices, it was impossible to state just what the increases would be. They would undoubtedly be higher.

Speaking for the wholesale grocers, A. C. Pyke, the secretary, remarked that the Wholesalers' Association had already registered a strong protest against the proposed increases. The association had asked that the increase be reckoned only on the needs of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and these, Mr. Pyke did not think, were very great. He did not think that the advance would be as high as forty per cent. "It must of course mean higher prices for foodstuffs, and at all the different sources where the increase applies, food values will be very materially affected," Mr. Pyke added. Further protest will undoubtedly be made against the new rates by the wholesalers.

"The new freight rates will mean twenty-five cents per barrel more in the price of flour," stated Gordon Doddington, of the Western Canada Flour Mills. "This advance will decrease the amount of the recent decline on all crop government standard flour to 35 cents per barrel, instead of sixty cents as announced last week. At a time when everyone is looking for prices to decline, the new freight rate increase seems very inopportune."

Ottawa, Sept. 7 (Special).—By virture of a judgment which will be issued from the offices of the Board of Railway Commissioners, railway companies in Canada are granted an increase of forty per cent. in Eastern Canadian freight rates and thirty-five per cent. in Western freight rates, effective on Monday next, September 13, and to continue in force until December 31.

After December 31 the increase in the freight rate in Eastern Canada is reduced from forty to thirty-five per cent. and in Western Canada from thirty-five to thirty per cent.

Simultaneously with the increase in freight rates, passenger rates all over the country are advanced twenty per cent., so long as they do not exceed four cents a mile. This increase is effective only to December 31.

After that date (December 31) and for the six months period from January 1, 1921, to July 1, 1921, a ten per cent. increase is authorized.

Following July 1, passenger rates return to those in force at the present time.

The judgment will authorize increases of fifty per cent. in sleeping and parlor car rates, and an increase of twenty per cent. in the rate on excess baggage.

No increase is authorized in the rates on milk.

Authorization is given for an increase in freight on coal from ten to twenty cents a ton.

Judgment Summarized

The Chief Commissioner stated in a summary given out that during the exhaustive hearing which opened on Aug. 10, and continued for nearly two weeks, a tremendous mass of documentary evidence had been submitted. The work of going through this evidence had been a very large on, and it was only by the greatest effort on the part of the commissioners that a judgment was arrived at so soon.

Articles Exempted

The judgment will refuse to authorize any increase in the rates on sand and gravel and crushed stone, and incidentally, services such as switching, milling in transit, diversions, reconsignment, stop-overs, demurrage, weighing, etc., but provision is made for special applications in any or all of these services.

No increase is authorized in the rates on milk or commutation fares, or in the minimum class rate scales, or the minimum charge for shipment.

Coal is Affected

Authorization is given for an increase in the freight rates on coal from ten to twenty cents per ton, flat rate, (according to distance). When the rate freight is under eighty cents per ton an increase of 20 cents is allowed; when it is over 80 cents and under \$6.50 the increase authorized is 15 cents, and when the rate is over \$1.50 the increase will be 20 cents per ton. The rate on cordwood, slabs, mill refuse, etc., for fuel purposes is increased ten per cent.

Knowing the Goods An Aid To Sales

C. N. Koehler, Clifford, Ont., Believes that a Personal Knowledge of the Goods in Stock is Essential to the Profitable Selling of the Same-How He Cleared His Shelves of a Certain Line of Rice Flour that Was Slow in Moving.

find that when a stock of goods stands on my shelves, that the best way to turn it over is to get busy and find their special advantages," remarked C. N. Koehler, Clifford, Ont., to Canadian Grocer. "If there are any particular ways of preparing a particular line, I want to know about them, and may be I can tell the housekeepers who deal in my store something about it

Moving Very Slowly

"A few months ago," continued Mr. Koehler, "I found I had a quantity of rice flour on my shelves for which there was scarcely any demand. I had had it for some time, and it was moving so slowly, it looked as if I was not going to be able to get rid of it. I was determined to find out all about it, and to what economic uses it could be put. I took a package home with me, and with the assistance of my wife, I discovered so many new and tasty dishes that could be made from rice flour, that I was convinced of its value as a food product, and went to the store with the determination that henceforth it was going to be a regular sale in my busi-

"I realized that it was just because people did not know the many uses that can be made of rice flour, that they were not buying it. I was resolved on getting it moving, and right off commenced to talk it to my customers.

"Every woman who came into the store was told of the different ways of using rice fleur in the preparation of appetizing foods. I referred them to a list of recipes that I had gathered from cook books, magazines, etc. Most of my customers were willing to try it, and many of them told their neighbors about it. In a very short time my stock that had been lying on my shelves uncalled for during almost a year was entirely sold. I am constantly having repeat orders.

Is Now a Steady Seller

"Rice flour is now a steady seller in my store, and I have given several repeat orders since I first started to boost it. It was just a case of the grocer knowing something of the goods he has to sell."

Mr. Keehler's experience in the selling of rice fleur shows what a grocer can do if he gives some study and attention to the selling of his goods. It is a wise plan always for the retailer in groceries to learn all he can about the lines he is stocking. Nothing will help cales more than an intelligent discussion with the customer of the merits of the

article being sold, whether it be rice flour or a number of other articles that might be mentioned. The fact that Mr. Koehler had given this particular line a trial in his own home, and had, by so doing, been convinced of its value, was sufficient guarantee to the customers that his recommendation might be followed with advantage. In a great many instances the housewife looks to her grocer for advice in special purchases from week to week. She is always look-

ing for suggestions, something in the way of a change in the daily menu. If the grocer knows his goods, he can very fixquently help his customer in this way, by recommending something that he himself has tried in his own home, an article in which he has every confidence. The customers have confidence in their grocer, and in nine cases out of ten will follow his advice. The whole thing revolves around the slogan, "Know the goods you are seling.

"Co-operative Associations Might Be a Real Menace to Legitimate Grocery"

By Staff Correspondence.

ANCOUVER. — (Special).—Your representative called on a well informed grocer to-day and discussed grocery affairs as existing in British Columbia now. "David Spencer, Ltd., in Victoria, have opened up a new groceteria department," it was volunteered.

"What do you think," said he, "about this groceteria business? Is it here for good?" It had to be acknowledged that it looked as if it was doing well in downtown districts, and for a certain class of trade.

"These departmental stores, with their cash and carry departments, which they operate at a loss, in order to bring customers to their more profitable departments are pretty tough on the legitimate grocers," said he, "who have to make a profit on groceries."

Prefers Department Store Competition "Still," said this rural grocer, "I'd rather have the department store competition than some other competition I can think of. In fact, may be this keen departmental store cash and carry business is a blessing in disguise."

He seemed to be displaying an unusual degree of Christian fortitude under a very trying form of competition, so further inquiry was made.

"Well," he said, "in my estimation the co-operative associations might have been a real menace to the legitimate retail grocer. In fact, they looked as though they might have given us a lot of trouble. They would not remain content to stay in the down-town districts, the same as the departmental store groceteria of necessity has to, but would come out into all the suburban districts. They are a particularly insidious form of competition, because they are so plausible. The dividend end of the co-operative associations, seems to excuse,

in the mind of the member-purchaser, poor service, mediocre goods and even higher prices and although the dividends may often remain in the misty future, the member will still put up with everything, and besides this, go to a great deal of trouble to get new members. Yes, the co-operatives might have been very annoying."

"Well, where does the departmental store groceteria enter, disguised as the angel," was enquired.

"Why," said this grocer, "the class of people that would join co-ooperative associations, and probably have joined something of the kind, is now going down-town every morning with a shopping bag and buying at the departmental groceterias. A co-operative association simply could not put up any deal which would be attractive enough to compete with the departmental cash and carry departments.

"And to a grocer with a family trade, the down-town cash and carry store causes no concern—but a well run "coop." might have given even the grocer in the residential district, with the family trade, quite a run for his money, so may be the departmental store groceterias are not so bad—not so bad."

HAVE NOT DECIDED CANADIAN LOCATION

A letter has been received by Mayor Westoby from the Sherer-Gillett Co., relative to their establishing a food product establishment in Guelph. They wrote that while such a factory would be built in Canada, they were not certain whether Guelph would be the place or not, owing to inability of getting the power required and also because of the unsatisfactory switching facilities afforded. The matter will be further taken up with the company.—Guelph Herald.

Proper Use of Advertising Reaches Existing Demand

As Well as Creating New Demands—Conservative Attitude of Many Established Dealers Loses Custom from Newcomers to Community—Importance of Seasonable Advertising

Written for Canadian Grocer by A. L. McCREADY

A DVERTISING may or may not create a demand, but, with proper usage, it will reach whatever demand exists. And every day there is a certain demand for the commodities or services of those having such to offer.

The merchant or tradesman prepared to meet this demand takes certain means to make known that he is in the field to offer his wares or services. One of these means is his daily ad. in the newspaper.

His ad. may be a quarter column or a quarter page—just in proportion to the value he places in it. But the man with the daily space, no matter what size, has an appreciation of the value gained by keeping his name continually before the public.

Firms and Residents

The man who says, "I have been in business for fifteen years, and everybody knows me," is apt to be catering to a very small trade. Residents change considerably in fifteen years, or ten years, or five years, and the new ones arriving may never have heard of Mr. Fifteen-Year Businessman. But the new residents will, from reading the local paper, become unconsciously familiar with the names of the firms who advertise, and when in need of the wares or services thus advertised, the reader will be drawn to deal with the firms whose ads. invite him.

The daily advertiser knows this and pays attention to the messages printed in his ads. That is the advertiser alive to the merit of advertising, and not the one who advertises simply because he wishes to patronize the owner of the paper, or because the paper carrying his ad. voices the same political views as himself. Such an advertiser is apt to be careless in the messages he givesmerely a summary of his business, or a statement about some slow-moving stock at a prohibitive price that dynamite wouldn't move, much less printer's ink. That is not advertising-it's not even a hobby. It's merely playing up to the printer.

Faithful Advertisers

The other class of advertiser—the 100 per cent. efficient sort, is the one who cares for his ad. as faithfully as he posts his ledger. He changes his ad. regularly—not spasmodically. Each message features a point, and aims to a

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

Advertising to-day is a necessity and an asset.

Advertising has been hurt by emotional appropriations.

Merchants must figure advertising cost in their budgets just as essential as rent or labor.

It has been stated that before the war only one hundred Americans had an international vision.

Trade journals enable business men to keep a finger on the pulse of every industry.

It is as important to know the cost of distribution as to know production costs. The Government should make a survey of our Jobbers and Retailers and their merchandising

American production exceeds home consumption one hundred per cent.

Systematic and forceful advertising should be employed to picture the importance of American-owned Merchant Marine.

Only twenty per cent. of our business men vote.

point—the consumer. He may not use high-sounding words in his ads.; he believes in getting down to "brass tacks," and if it's brass tacks he wishes to sell, he says so, even to the price.

He may not be an expert ad-writer, but he can read. He knows which ads. of other firms appeal to him. He analyzes them and learns why they appeal.

Perhaps the appearance caught his eye! Such an ad. seemed well-balanced—was neither crowded nor skimped. It invited a reading. Or it may have been an illustration that drew his attention. The illustration urged that he read the message connected.

In the well-proportioned ad, he found that the reading matter was equal in space to the illustration. It may have been more, but seldom less. In some other ad, a catchy headline attracted

him, or the price in large figures. He makes mental note of all these things and more, and incorporates these features in his ads. He takes an interest in writing his ads. and considers their production with the same pride that a poet does his poems. Instead of a task, the writing of his ads. becomes a pleasure.

The Seasonable Ad.

To the attentive advertiser, the writing of seasonable ads. is a motto. By seasonable ads. it is not merely meant ads. relative to the Christmas season, winter time, spring time and summer time, in course, but a more far-reaching phase of the term "seasonable advertising."

There are certain times and circumstances in each of the four calendar seasons that tend to the making of seasonable advertising.

Taking Advantage of Rain

An instance of this class of advertising is afforded by the custom of a certain small town general store man who invariably takes advantage of a night rain to feature roofing in his ad. for the following day. The heading he uses is quite in keeping when he starts out with the query, "Did Your Roof Leak Last Night?" Then he goes on to state that he has the roofing to replace that leaky one, or to patch it, whichever is desired. And under the introduction he comes out with the names of the roofing carried, and the prices.

This instance is but one of the many that may be grasped to make seasonable advertising for nearly every line of business. Our Christmas ads., our housecleaning ads. and the ads. for all the set periods of the calendar, are common knowledge to everybody, and the reader knows when to expect them; but it is the little incidents in between that may be grasped and make real live ads.

Some incident or eccentricity of nature which gives us our variety of weather and climate, afford the ad-writer inspiration for ads. that are above the prosaic, and carry the punch. At no time is the prospective customer so receptive as at the time that some incident has created a demand or desire for a certain commodity or service. This is where the writer of seasonable ads. heads the van and makes the sales. He knows when to reach the consumer, and makes use of his knowledge.

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ABOUT FIRE INSURANCE

A HEADING of one of the columns in a Montreal paper recently read, "Firemen find matches on floor of grocery store after the fire." The article tells of a fire in the grocery store of R. Munuri in Montreal. As in the case of so many fires the cause is unknown but from the presence of matches on the floor the old theory of rats being the incendiary is brought forward. The complete stock and fixtures were destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$1,700.00.

Fire seems to be the most elusive agent of destruction there is. A man may close up his store to-night, leaving everything in perfect order. Every precaution is taken against robbery and fire, yet, in the middle of the night, he he is called to find the whole place a seething mass of flames and he is faced with a total loss. A grocer's stock makes fine food for fire, especially in the cellars and store-rooms. There is

little that may be salvaged after either fire or water has touched the goods. Many precautionary measures may be taken to avoid fire but there is no guarantee against fire that is sure. The best precaution is to have the stock well insured.

In discussing this matter with a Canadian Grocer representative recently a Montreal grocer remarked that the value of a grocer's stock has during the past four or five years increased between seventy-five and one hundred per cent. A store that carried a stock valued at say one thousand dollars three years ago must need be worth nearer two thousand to-day. The grocer must realize this and increase his fire insurance accordingly. When this merchant took stock last his stock valuation was over \$36,000. Immediately he increased his insurance by \$15,000. This increase of stock is mainly accounted for by the higher cost of each article and not necessarily on larger stocks. There are different kinds of fire insurance, he points out, but when a store is covered by an eighty per cent. fire insurance policy, there is every reason in the world why the insurance should be kept up to the full value of the stock.

EDITORIALS IN BRIEF

THE number of exhibits of foodstuffs at the Canadian National Exhibition this year has been the subject of much favorable comment by men in the trade. Efforts to have a Pure Food building for the exclusive showing of these lines are being pushed vigorously, and it is hoped that something definite in the way of carrying out the project will have been formulated before long.

THE new freight increase, representing an advance of forty per cent., in Eastern Canada and of thirty-five per cent. in the West, is not viewed with approval by manufacturers. It seems to be the consensus of opinion that foodstuffs must necessarily be higher because of higher freight charges. The grocer, who suffers as much as any person, under the burden of high prices, will look with disfavor on this decision of the Federal Board of Railway Commissioners, at a time when it is hoped prices would decline rather than advance.



Equipment Essential for Bulk Goods

If a Grocer is Going to Sell Bulk Goods Profitably, He Must Have the Proper Appliances for the Handling of the Same—Good Workmen Know the Value of the Best Tools

(By Henry Johnson, Jr.)

HE dentist who filled my first tooth scraped the cavity out with various shaped chisels. The process was lengthy and tedious, also pain-Yet that was less than forty years Next time I went he had a foot power and drills wherewith he hurt me more but shortened the process to a few minutes. He told me the cost of the outfit, and, at \$1.50 for ordinary fillings I thought his investment of doubtful wisdom; but he was right, as every dentist today knows. They understand that almost no cost for equipment that saves their time is too great; and equipment costs now many times what it cost in 1885.

Translate that into terms of handling groceries and you will see how it applies. Think what it costs you in time and money—time which is money and money which is time—to travel over space to get and weigh articles which could be stored right at hand in modern equipment. Think what you lose daily by having to pass things that are near your scales, but seldom asked for, to get things which are distant but wanted constantly.

If you do business of only \$100 daily, you have 300 transactions. If only half of those transactions involve any weighing and you lose time worth half a cent that might otherwise be saved on each of those weighings, your daily needless expense is 75 cents, or \$225 a year! Make the figure double for twice the business and treble for thrice that much and see how the figures of loss mount up. Why, \$300 to \$750 a year is gone before you know it.

Overweights by Choice

If I were to say to you that often you give overweights by choice, you'd think I was dreaming, would you not? Yet you do it daily and your clerks do it oftener than you do! How? Well, think of it:

You walk many feet to a distant container, put what you think is about right into a bag, walk to the scale. You did not get enough, so you rush back to the container. This time you get too much. You weigh exactly and find "just a little" left over in the scoop. You glance back over the distance to the container and drop the remainder into the bag—voluntary overweight to save the time and trouble in running back with the surplus—"too small to bother with when I'm busy!"

Is not that what you do? Do you not realize that your boys and girls do

it more frequently, more freely, more generously than you do? Have you ever thought what a drain on your resources this is?

If you will give this source of waste proper consideration, you will decide, I am sure, that you cannot take too much thought or care to avoid it, for it is a constant leakage; and "the smallest leak will sink the largest ship."

There are lines naturally subject to this sort of shrinkage which you must watch and price with excessive care. Apples, for example, and potatoes, also asparagus, beans, peas, etc., which it is increasingly the custom to handle by weight. It is logical to sell these by weight. It is best both for you and your trade to handle them that way. But you must know the conditions.

Apples, cranberries, potatoes, all perishables of that kind, lose weight con-The shrinkage is not greatthough must be taken into account in pricing them-because the turnover is rapid. It should be rapid even in potatoes, and long storage of those is a source of loss. But everybody gives overweight on such of these items as come in big units-potatoes, apples, sweet potatoes. This because you get "as near as possible" to exact weight and the last unit is almost sure to turn the scale too quickly and result in down weight; yet to take off that last one would result in underweight, so you leave it.

Customers Lost by Underweight

Something you do less frequently than your clerks is to give underweight intentionally or consciously. This is where the weight is very nearly right and you do not go back to a distant container for the "trifle" necessary to make the scale turn. Such shortages result in lost trade more frequently than you know. The customer weighs the goods; finds an occasional shortage. She says nothing—does not like to kick—but just quits. Here we get a black eye and are unconscious of the cause. You would resent indignantly the charge that you are guilty of underweighting.

I have shown already that resort to package goods is not the way out. Not that certain goods are not best handled in packages—for they are. It would be out of the question for you to handle corn starch in bulk, it is a question whether ground spices generally can be handled in bulk to advantage, all canned foods are in packages by their very nature. And there are many other items that will occur to anybody as better handled in packages than in bulk.

We must not go to extremes in any of our thoughts or plans.

But, as I have shown, we must avoid certain lines of packages assiduously for our own sake and also for that of our customers. This because by handling bulk goods we protect our own profits, conserve our individuality and good will and deliver merchandise to our customers for much less than if we sold only packages.

Must Have Best Equipment for Bulk Merchandise

The point is that we cannot handle bulk goods efficiently unless we have the right equipment. This equipment must be laid out to conserve time and strength—which is money. It must be so located as to concentrate within the smallest space those things which are in most active demand. It must be of such character as will protect the bulk goods as much as possible against waste from all possible causes.

Do you know that a bag of raw coffee which leaves Brazil weighing 132 pounds net will weigh not more than 126 pounds four or five months afterwards, even when piled up in close, tall stacks in an importer's warehouse?

Do you know that nuts in the shell wil shrink an average of five per cent.—five pounds in the hundred—in a few weeks if exposed in an ordinary store?

It therefore follows that all bulk merchandise should be kept in containers made as nearly airtight as practicable.

There is the other well-known and very considerable loss due to samplers. We are familiar with that feature; but we know also that goods are sold by display and that people are tempted to buy when they can see, feel and taste. So the plan must be to get the maximum of display with the minimum of exposure and sampling.

These features are all provided by up-to-date equipment—all except the facility for tasting. That enables the merchant to choose to whom he will hand out tasting samples. His goods are not open to the depredations of merely idle eaters of whom there are plenty to pester the business life out of most of us.

Greatest Study and Discrimination Necessary

The fact is that in these days of narrowing margins, when net profits are down to about two per cent. in the grocery business on the average, a merchant needs to study every item, every method, every location and every im
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CURRENT NEWS OF THE WEEK

Canadian Grocer Will Appreciate Items of News from Readers for This Page

Many Exhibits of Foodstuffs Shown at Sherbrooke

Sherbrooke, Que., Sept. 8 .- (Special) -In the Agricultural Building of the Eastern Townships Exhibition at Sherbrooke, Que., various foodstuffs were certainly artistically and effectually exhibited. All lines were well represented especially in the butter and cheese section. The entries in the section were numerous and were displayed in an effective manner by means of a new installation of refrigerators. In the Manufacturers' Building the following manufacturers were represented in artistically decorated booths: The Toledo Scale Company, The White Packing Co., The Cowan Co., Limited, Toronto, Grimm Manufacturing Co., Limited, Ogilvie Co., Egg-O Baking Powder Co., Nuggett Shoe Polish, Wagstaffe Limited, Bovril, and Lipton's Tea.

Some of these firms have exhibited from year to year at the Sherbrooke Exhibition, others are starting an aggressive campaign to cover Quebec specially, and made a good start in advertising at the exhibition which is one of the largest in the Province of Quebec.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY WITH GIFT TO EMPLOYEES

T. H. Estabrooks & Co., Ltd., celebrated its twenty-fifth year in business last week by reversing the usual custom of receiving birthday presents to that of giving them. Every employee of the company were presented with a cheque for twenty-five dollars for every year they were in the firm's employ. Many of the employees have been with the company for a great number of years and the cheques will therefore amount to a considerable sum.

SECOND CROP OF BERRIES AT INGERSOLL

Ingersoll, Sept.—Many residents of the town and district have reported second crops of berries, both black and red, during the last week or two. The quantity and quality of the second crop is said to be equal to the first crop which was large and excellent.

Longe Bros., Kitchener, Ont., have sold their fruit business to W. Walker, of Hugh Walker & So. of Guelph, Ont. The sum paid is said to be \$29,500. Longe Bros., however, will continue to operate the new business for the owners.

Ontario

E. D. Ward, Galt, Ont., retail grocer, has sold his store to Geo. Dickie.

John Murphy, retail grocer, Toronto, Ont., has sold to F. Hodgson.

R. C. Braund, Peterborough, Ont., is opening a new retail grocery business.

The City of Kingston has reverted to standard time, commencing last Monday.

P. C. Larkin, of the Salada Ter Co., Toronto, has sailed for England on a periodical visit to the company's offices there.

Fred Beard, who has been operating a grocery store in West Toronto for the past eight years, is taking over the management of the Stratford Go-operative store early next week.

The Canada Bread Co., Toronto, has been granted a permit for a brick and steel factory and stables on the southeast corner of Danforth and Ladysmith avenues, at an estimated cost of \$250,000.

The Port Stanley Farmers' Co-operative Company was recently incorporated, with a capital stock of \$10,000, divided into shares of \$5.00 each. The company will build a warehouse for the handling of incerchandise for the shareholders, and will also sell the products of the shareholders.

An Inter-Imperial Exhibition in London in 1923

Plans are under way to hold an inter-Imperial Exhibition in London, England, in 1923, to celebrate the achieve ments of the British Empire in the Great War. The proposal to hold an inter-Imperial Exhibition in London was initiated by Lord Strathcona about a year before the war, on the outbreak of which the matter fell into abeyance. Since the cessation of hostilities, however, the scheme has been revived, and at a meeting held at the British Empire Club, under the auspices of the British Empire League, on the 20th May, 1919. attended by ministers, High Commissioners, and Agents-General of the Overseas Dominions, a unanimous resolution was passed in favor of holding in London, in the summer of 1921, a great exhibition of the manufactures and products of the Empire.

Since that date a good deal of preliminary work has been done, but it is not anticipated than an exhibition on the scale contemplated can be held before

Order-in-Council re Light Beers' Sale Postponed

The order-in-council, passed by the Ontario Government on July 16th, and which was to have become effective Sept. first, giving municipalities in the Province the power to restrict the sale of light beers to standard hotels only, has been postponed until November first.

In the meantime those who are opposed to the standard hotels getting exclusive rights will have an opportunity to present their objections. With the order-in-council effective, municipalities throughout Ontario will have the power to prohibit groceries and restaurants from selling light beers. A movement of this kind, is not viewed with satisfaction by the trade, and already wholesale grocers have registered their objection. In fact the postponement of the order-in-council to November first is largely due to their representations.

Will Support the Protest Against 'Phone Increase

Ottawa, Sept.—Representatives of the Ottawa Board of Trade, Kiwanis Club, Retail Merchants' Association and Rotary Club, at a meeting recently under the auspices of the Ottawa Board of Trade, unanimously decided to tender the strongest support to the municipalities fighting the proposed rate increases asked by the Bell Telephone Company. A resolution setting forth the determination was passed without a dissenting voice, and after Mr. C. F. Sise, vice-president and general manager of the company, had set forth the company's reasons for the application.

POTATO CROP IN QUEBEC THE HEAVIEST IN YEARS

Montreal.—There was a report current in the local trade this morning, coming from a merchant who had recently returned from the Mountains, that there was such a quantity of potatoes in that part of the country that this commodity was selling as low as 75 cents a bag in St. Jerome. This price is almost a dollar below that which is being asked for potatoes coming into the city from farmers in the outlying district.

NEWS FROM WESTERN CANADA

Western

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J. R. Hepburn, Wolseley, Sask., has purchased the business of Magee & Thompson, Ltd.

Birks, Crawford & Co., have removed their offices from 325 Homer street, to 1101 Dominion Building, Vancouver, B.C., where they have outfitted a splendid suite of offices. Birks, Crawford & Co. are the representatives for the firm of C. B. Lindsay & Co., of London and Liverpool, large canned goods commission merchants in the United Kingdom.

The Pacific Milk Company of Vancouver has extended its business by the operation of a new factory at Abbotsford, B.C. This Abbotsford territory, and dairying district around it, is considered to be a rich milk producing centre. The Pacific Milk plants are the only ones operating in B.C. at this season.

Chas. H. Comings, who has just returned from San Francisco, where he was associated with the Nash Association, has joined the firm of Richardson-Green, Limited, of Winnipeg, and will act in the capacity of Secretary-Treasurer for that concern. Prior to moving to San Francisco, Mr. Comings was, for fifteen years, manager of the Rogers Fruit Co., and previous to that, he spent ten years with the Pioneer Fruit Co., of Brandon, Man., as manager.

INCREASE IN STREET CAR FARES IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Sept. 4.—The Public Utilities Commissioner, of Winnipeg, Man., has issued an order authorizing an increase of one cent in the rates of fare on all cars of the Winnipeg Electric Railway Co. The following rates to be come effective on September 1, 1920: Cash fares 7 cents; 4 tickets (good all times) 25 cents.

British Interests Now Control the King-Beach Co.

Vancouver.—A few weeks ago there was listed on the London Stock Exchange the shares of the Anglo-British Columbia Packing Company. Directly concerned with this company is H. O. Bell-Irving of Vancouver, who sees in the jam and fruit preserving business in British Columbia a good future, and it is in this field that the new company will operate.

The company has secured a control ling interest in the King-Beach Com-

pany at Mission, B.C., which is considered to be one of the best jam plants in B.C., and whose product is well and favorably known in all markets. It is not the intention of the company to extend the Mission factory at present, but rather to grow up with the industry.

The directors of the new company are: Chairman, John Bell-Irving, Lockerbie, Scotland; other directors, E. S. H. Corbett, Send, Surrey, England; Lieut.-Colonel A. Bell-Irving, D.S.O., London; David Landale, London. Bankers: Bank of Scotland and Canadian Bank of Commerce, London. Agents in British Columbia: H. Bell-Irving & Co., Limited, Vancouver.

The authorized capital of the company, which has its headquarters in London, is £350,000, divided into 100,000 8 per cent. cumulative preference shares of £1 each and 250,000 ordinary shares of £1 each, the issued capital being 50,000 8 per cent. cumulative preference shares of £1 each and 125,000 ordinary shares of £1 each, of which 75,000 have been recently issued to the shareholders as bonus shares. A further 75,000 ordinary shares have been subscribed for at par.

It was announced by H. O. Bell-Irving that no change in the management of the Mission company would take place, and that both R. P. King and H. Beach will still be connected with the company.

Vancouver Store is Now Operating Its Own Bakery

Vancouver, B.C.—While not the first retail store in Vancouver to operate its own bakery in connection, David Spencer, Ltd., have installed what is undoubtedly the most elaborate confectionery factory in the city.

The largest electric oven in Vancouver does the baking and the mixing is all done by electric power. As Mr. Hardman, the master baker in charge, says, "We will make a type of confectionery that has not been on sale in Vancouver. If we had to wholesale our cakes we could not put the material into them at the price either, but as we are making for our own trade, we can and will put the best of eyerything into the goods."

The Saturday confectionery sale has increased a hundred dollars in the last month, and is increasing every day.

One Granville street grocer has operated a bread bakery for some months now, and has attracted a great volume of trade by the excellence of his bread.

What made him take this action was a notice from the Bakers' Association that his margin of profit would be cut down on their bread. He hired a good bread baker, fitted up a bakery on the top floor of his premises and now he is independent and making more money.

Western Canada Flour Mills' Staff Enjoy Holiday

The members of the eastern sales and advertising staffs of the Western Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited, were the guests of the company at the Toronto Exhibition on Sept. 2nd, 3rd and 4th. After visiting the exhibition the staffs to the number of 40 were entertained at dinner in the Hotel St. Charles on the evening of the 2nd.

J. E. McFarland, the company's general manager, presided. The gathering was a very and happy spirited one. J. Dodington rendered in pleasing style several fine vocal selections and a very enjoyable evening closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the general manager and the singing of the national anthem.

Friday another visit to the exhibition and an extended drive round the city took up the day. In the evening after an informal dinner at the Prince George the staff attended a very fine performance at Shea's Theatre. A visit to Niagara Falls by the out-of-town staffs closed a very pleasant three-day visit and the visitors left for Montreal and points east on the 10.30 train Saturday night.

Mr. McFarlane's announcement that these meetings would be of annual occurrence was enthusiastically received by all.

Those attending were:—J. E. McFarlane, General Manager; G. K. Stratford, Sec.-Treas.: J. F. Shaw, Special Representative, Sault Ste. Marie.

Maritime Province staff-Messrs. Tilton, Hamilton, Williams and Cochranc.

Quebec Province staff—Messrs. Marshall, Movin, Miller, Berthiaume, Menard, Gagne, Macfarlane and Gingras.

Ottawa staff — Messrs. Gauvreau and Lorrain.

Ontario staff—Messrs. Dodington, Layman, Carr, Hiscox, Dack, Young, Fraser. Head office staff—Messrs. Page, Morton, Buckberrough, Grant, Knowles, Roseborrough, Dodington, Collins, Brown. Harris and Her and Messrs. Sparr, Hodgins, Dubke, Gilmor, Terry and Southworth, Toronto staff.

Food Products' Association is Formed by C. N. E. Exhibitors

E XHIBITION GROUNDS, Toronto, Sept. 8 (Special).—At the meeting of the Canadian National Exhibition food exhibitors this afternoon, an association to be known as the Food Products' Association was formed, with officers as follows:

Chairman: H. N. Cowan, Cowan Co., Ltd.; vice-chairman, H. C. Scully, Christie Brown Co., Ltd.; secretary-treasurer, B. T. Huston, manager Canadian Grocer; executive, Joseph Ruddy, Canada Starch Co., George Hortop, Borden Co.; James Wagstaffe, Wagstaffe Ltd., Hamilton; W. G. Patrick, W. G. Patrick & Co.; R. E. Lennox, Gunn's Ltd.

W. G. Irving, vice-president of the Canadian National Exhibition, was present and outlined the ideas of the exhibition authorities as to the general construction and cost of space in the proposed new food building. It was pointed out that the present Transportation

Building was the best laid-out building on the grounds. It had 30,000 square feet of exhibit space and 10,000 square feet in aisle space. It was the proper size for a food building. The estimated cost of a new food building is \$150,000. This would mean 50 cents per square foot per annum for exhibitors. charge is based on interest, sinking fund, and maintenance. Mr. Irving also said some guarantee would have to be made before it was erected, and pointed out if sixty per cent. of the space could be guaranteed, exhibition authorities could take a chance on going ahead with the building. The basement could be utilized for storage purposes, and it is quite likely that if the new food building is constructed, fresh meats can be in the future shown there.

The executive committee will get pans prepared as to how space can be allotted and then go further into the matter with the exhibition directors.

the retail trade will be in the best interests of the consuming public whom the retail trade serves.

Other Recommendations

Other recommendations were to the effect that the responsibility for the quality or standard of any commodity be upon the maker or packer, and that the onus be not shifted to others who handled the same, that the resale price of every article be a subject for examination by the board and that everyone concerned in the making or marketing of the same be called into conferences when the same is under examination. that reasonable complaints of any kind respecting the inland trade of Canada be a subject for examination and that all charges or complaints be considered only in the presence of all those concerned in such examination, and that all acts of the government or other bodies pertaining to the retail trade of Canada be referred to the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada for their consideration before the same becomes oper-

A MUCH-REGRETTED DEMISE

MONTREAL.—The grocery trade, and particularly what are familiarly known as the "old-timers," learned with regret of the sudden passing of Arthur P. Tippet, of Arthur P. Tippet & Co., importers and manufacturers' agents here for many years, as announced in last week's issue.

On Sunday night of last week, about eleven o'clock, Mr. Tippet began to feel pain and retired. The pain increased in severity and just as medical aid had been secured he expired.

Mr. Tippet was in business in Montreal for a good many years and had wide connections in the trade. A brother was with him in business in Montreal and another looked after the Toronto

Many Features in This Groceteria Help Service

In the groceteria of the Hudson Bay Co., in Edmonton, Alta., there are many things that appeal to the visitor, in the way of facilitating handling and serving of customers. One feature that marks it out are the shelves and the manner in which they are built. They are constructed away from the walls about four feet. This gives plenty of space to open cases, and fill the shelves from behind. If the shelves won't hold the whole case, it is left there, out of the way, out of sight, until room is made for the balance of the contents. In this way the shelves can be replenished at the busiest time of the day without holding up business or messing up the store.

Numbers on the Shelves

Numbers on the top of the shelves indicate the different sections. There are generally two or three lines in each section. The goods are never changed from one section to another. Consequently the customers know just where to go for each article. This system, the management points out, works but splendidly when a new customer comes into the store to make a purchase. But if she cannot find, say, a certain brand of baking powder, she quite naturally inquires at the desk. The girl there knows in what section every article is placed and, without leaving the desk, gives the customer the number, these numbers being easily visible from every part of the store.

Selling Produce Lines

A large refrigerator with glass doors is at the front of the store. A sign on the top of it reads "kindly help yourself." Ham and bacon are sliced every morning and wrapped in grease proof paper, in one pound packages. The refrigeration plant is in the basement and is most complete, for the safe handling of produce.

A table at the front of the store provides a place for customers to leave parcels they have with them at the time of entering the store. Peter Blake, the manager of the groceteria, opened the store for the company in July of 1918. The company also has another grocery department, conducted on the old lines. Both departments co-operate in buying.

SARDINE PLANT BURNS

Eastport, Me., Sept.—Loss estimated by officials of the Seacoast Canning Company at \$350,000 was caused by fire which destroyed two buildings of the company's sardine packing plant in this city. The plant employed 450 workers.

Manitoba R.M.A. Suggestions to the Bd. of Commerce

advisory Committee Retail Merchants' Manitoba Assoof Canada, ciation have made certain suggestions to the Board of Commerce. These were first made at a meeting of the committee with the Board in Winnipeg the first week of August, and were afterwards transmitted in writing to the Board. The committee expresses approval of the ac tion of the board in cancelling the order on retail grocers which required the preparation of reports of purchases sales. The committee also recommends the appointment of advisors to act with the board recognized as qualified, competent and experienced men by business men in such lines of retail trade as are to be examined by the board.

Want Government Department

. It is further pointed out that as there are departments of labor and of agriculture in the government, there should also be a department for the retail trade. The committee recommends that the retail trade of Canada be given the recognition that it deserves by the setting up of a department of the department of Trade and Commerce, for the assistance, protection, and development of the retail trade of Canada.

The Manitoba retail merchants' committee also recommend that the powers of the board be amended so as to enable it to make such rulings or recommendations as would be in the best interests of the retail trade of Canada. Whatever action is taken in the interests of

WEEKLY GROCERY MARKET REPORTS

Statements from Buying Centres

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THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE

A LL grocery markets are generally steady although slight declines and also some advances have taken place during the past week on some lines of commodities. Fall trade has started very favorably and merchants and manufacturers are looking for an active business this coming winter.

MONTREAL—The sugar market here is inclined to be panicky and reports and rumors circulating are not tending to keep prices on an even keel. Molasses market is not so seriously disturbed and there has been a bigger decline in that market than on sugar. Coffee prices will be lower. New medium grade Japan teas are on the market at stiff prices. The spice market is quiet. Raisins are sure to be higher. French sardines have advanced. Wrapping paper has shown another advance. Oranges are higher and apples much lower. General fruit prices are lower. There is a splendid vegetable market. Package oats will be lower in price. Rolled oats are cheaper. Moth balls, soda bicarbonate and lamp burners are higher.

There are no price changes on the produce market this week. The whole market is very strong. Butter prices continue high. Eggs are being imported to Montreal. There is a scarcity of cattle on the market but relief is expected shortly. The fresh meat market is very strong. Cheese is coming in in better supply.

TORONTO-The markets for general groceries are generally steady to firm with a few advances and some declines. There are no new developments in the sugar situation, the movement from refineries remains quiet but second hand sugars are moving at a variety of prices which are below that quoted by refineries. Retailers are selling sugar at prices ranging from twenty to twenty one cents per pound which is also below market quotations. Those that have sugar to sell are all anxious to do business and are offering their stocks at prices below those at which it can be replaced from the refineries. The raw sugar market continues easy with very few sales being made. One brand of pancake flour advanced during the week also ice cream salt, carbonate of soda and one brand of salad dressing. One brand of corn flakes has again reduced quotations. The cereal market is generally steady although rolled oats show a decline. There is apparently considerable competition in canned

peas, due no doubt to the lack of interest on the part of the retail trade to stock heavily, the result is that the price basis has been lowered. Grecian currants are ruling in a very strong market: this condition has been brought about by the fact that the United States who previous to prohibition were a buyer of little importance, are now bidding against England for the available stocks in Greece and also for the new crop. The Grecian currant crop is estimated to be around 110,000 tons which is much below an average crop. There is very little change in the spice market pending the arrival of new crop goods: white peppers and cloves have shown a slight shading but otherwise the entire line is in a fairly steady position. The only change in the nut market is a slight decline on Spanish peanuts, this decline is more a matter of exchange than market condition. Ceylon and Indian teas are firm with the better grades holding at high figures and the lower grades slightly firmer. Japan seconds which opened at fairly high prices are much easier and lower prices are expected. The coffee market is easier for futures, spot stocks are unchanged. Vegetables are plentiful and low prices prevail. Since the decline of last week the flour market has shown Millfeeds are in scant supply, a firmness. brought about by the slow delivery of new crop wheat and until this condition is improved no relief in the shortage can be expected.

Fresh beef cuts, spring lamb and mutton are easier and quotations are lower. Calves are firm with slightly higher prices. Lard has advanced. Butter, eggs and cheese are steady at firm quotations. Fresh fish is in active demand with herrings slightly higher.

WINNIPEG—Wheat cutting is practically now finished in the prairie provinces, and thrashing is in full swing. There is without doubt a renewal of confidence in the general condition among the retail trade. Sugar is being offered at about a cent and a half lower in Manitoba than in the Eastern Provinces. Retailers state that their sugar stock has been greafly reduced and no doubt there will be a heavy demand for sugar during the next few weeks. Rogers' cane syrup declined 65 cents a case on 2's and 95 cents on 5's and 10's during the week. Corn syrup and starch remain steady. It has been intimated by manufacturers that there will be no decline in these lines for at least 60 days.

QUEBEC MARKETS

ONTREAL, Sept. 10.—In some lines the general market is more active. The sugar market is unchanged and inclined to be panicky. Old flour has declined 60 cents per barrel and the new flour will be marketed at a reduction of \$1.60. Coffee will be cheaper. French sardines are dearer. A big vegetable market features Bonsecour.

Sugar Market Steadier

SUGAR.—There is no change in the sugar situation this week. The price remains unchanged and refiners claim that a further drop in price is entirely unlikely in the near future. In some circles however, there is a tendency to unload all stocks of sugar as quickly as possible and this leads to rather a panicky market. Although the raw sugar market has had rather a slump during the past week it has firmed up again and the New York market, is fairly steady. Refiners state that even though the price of raw sugar should drop further it would be a matter of at least two months before the Canadian market would be directly effected. The reports from Germany on sugar beet are more favourable and this should help reduce the price of raws here later in the season. No break in the sugar market is expected here in the near future.

Atlantic Sugar Co., extra granulated sugar,	
Acadia Sugar Refinery, extra granulated	22 00
Canada Sugar Refinery	22 00
Dominion Sugar Co., Ltd., crystal granu. 2:	2 00
St. Lawrence Sugar Refineries	22 00
Icing, barrels	22 20
Do., 25-lb. boxes	22 60
Do., 50-lb. boxes	22 40
Do., 50 1-lb. boxes	23 70
Yellow, No. 1, bags	21 60
Do., barrels	21 65
Dark Brown	21 40

Molasses Market Firmer

Montreal.

Corn Syrup-

MOLASSES. — The molasses market is affected similarily to the sugar market but not as much stress is put on its condition since the demand is not as large. There was a bigger drop in the price of molasses than in the price of sugar but since the raw market is a little steadier this week the price of molasses is unchanged at last week's quotations. No further change in this market is expected in the near future.

Barrels, about 700 lbs		0 10
Half barrels, about 350 lbs		0 101/4
Quarter barrels, about 175 lbs.		0 10%
2 gal., 25-lb. pails, each		3 10
3 gal. 38½-lb. pails, each		4 65
		4 45
5 gal. 65-lb. pails, each		2 40
White Corn Syrup-		
2-lb. tins, 2 doz. in case, case		7 05
5-lb. tins, 1 doz. in case, case		8 05
10-lb. tins, 1/2 doz. in case, case		7 75
Cane Sprup (Crystal) Diamond-		
case (2-lb, cans)		8 50
Barrels, per 100 lbs		12 25
Half barrels, per 100 lbs		12 50
	Pri	es for
Deshertoes Molesses-		
Barbadoes Molasses— In		1 50
Puncheons		1 50
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Package Goods Steady

PACKAGE GOODS. — There is no change in the price of package goods this week. The market is steady in all lines. The quotations for corn flakes are back to their normal position once more. The easier corn market has accounted for the higher cost of cartons. There is an intimation that lower prices on package oats may be looked for towards the end of September.

1 ACKAGE GOODS	
Breakfast food, case 18	3 50
Cocoanut, 2 oz. pkgs., doz	0 781/4
Do., 20-lb. cartons, lb.	
Corn Flakes, 3-doz. case 3 50 3 65 3 50	9 36
Com Elekan 96-	4 25
	4 15
Oat Flakes, 20s	5 40
Rolled oats, 20s	6 50
Do., 18s	2 421/
Do., large, doz	3 00
Oatmeai, fine cut, pkgs., case	6 75
Puffed rice	5 70
Puffed wheat	4 25
Farina, case	2 35
Hominy, pearl or granu., 3 doz	3 65
Health bran (20 pkgs.), case	2 50
Scotch Pearl Barley, case	2 60
Pancake Flour, case	3 60
Do., self-raising, doz	1 50
Wheat Food, 18-11/28	3 25
Wheat flakes, case of 2 doz	2 95
Oatmeal, fine cut, 20 pkgs	6 75
Porridge wheat, 36s, case	7 30
Do., 20s, case	7 50
Self-raising Flour (3-lb. pack.)	. 00
doz	3 30
Do. (6-lb. pack.), doz	6 40
Corn Starch (prepared)	0 14
Potato flour	0 151/
Flour, Tapioca 0 15	0 12 12
Shredded Krumbles, 36s	4 85
Cooked bran, 12s	2 25
Enamel Laundry Starch, 40 pks.	
Called Canada 45 alam	4 80
Celluloid Starch, 45 pkgs. case	5 50
Chinese Starch	7 00
Package Cornmeal	4 25
Malt Breakfast Food (36 pkgs.)	12 50

Lower Prices on Coffee

COFFEE AND COCOA.—The coffee market is easier this week and Canadian Grocer expects to announce some lower prices on coffee next week. The change will not be great, but it will be a slight movement towards lower prices for coffee. The cocoa market remains firm with a very fair demand.

Spice Market Still Quiet

SPICES.—The spice market continues steady and rather quiet but it is expected that through this week and next a change in the demand will occur and a more active market will be apparent.

Allspice	0 33	0 22
Cocoanut, pails, 20 lbs., unsweet-	0 00	0 00
ened, lb		0 46
Do., sweetened, lb		0 36
Chicory (Canadian), lb		0 30
Cinnamon-		
Rolls		0.85
Pure, ground	0 35	0 40
Cloves	0 85	0 90
Cream of tartar (French, pure)	0 75	0 85
Do., American high test	0 80	0 85
Ginger (Jamaica)		0 40
Ginger (Cochin)		0 35

Mace, pure, 1-lb. tins		0	95
Mixed spice	0 30	0	82
Do., 21/2 shaker tins, doz		1	15
Nutmegs, whole-			
Do., 64, lb		0	45
			48
Do., 80, lb	****		
Do., 100, lb			40
Do., ground, 1-Jb. tins			65
Pepper, black		0	89
Do., white		0	50
Pepper (Cayenne)	0 35	0	37
Pickling spice	0 25		28
			40
Do., package, 2 oz., doz			
Do., package, 4 oz., doz			75
Paprika			70
Tumeric	0 28	0	30
Tartaric acid, per lb. (crystals			
or powdered)	0 95	1	00
Cardamon seed, per lb., bulk,			
nominal			00
Carraway (nominal)	0 25	0	30
Mustard seed, bulk	0 35	0	40
Celery seed, bulk (nominal)	0 75		80
	0 15		18
Pimento, whole	0 10	v	10

Rolled Oats Lower

cereal. — There is a great deal easier market on cereals, especially on rolled oats and oat meal. There has been a splendid crop this year and prices will likely be still easier. The present quotations on rolled oats are from \$5.40 to \$5.50 per bag. This lower market will effect the price of package oats about the end of this month.

Rice Prices Unchanged

RICE. — The rice market continues
very quiet with no price changes.

RICE—
Carolina, ex. fancy 19 00 21 00
Do. (fancy) 18 00
Rangoon "B" 14 00
Rangoon "CC" 13 75
Broken rice, fine 10 00
Bell Rice fine 16 00

Rangoon "B" 14 00
Rangoon "CC" 13 75
Broken rice, fine 10 00
Bell Rice, fine 16 00
Bell broken rice 10 00
Tapioca, per lb. (seed) 0 11½ 0 12
Do. (pearl) 0 11½ 0 12
Do. (flake) 0 11 0 12½
Honduras, faney 0 26
Siam 0 14½
NOTE.—The rice market is subject to frequenchange and the price basis is quite nominal.

New Japan Tea Arrives

Montreal.

TEAS.—There is undoubtedly an easier feeling on the better lines of Ceylon and Indian teas but there is no change in price announced. The first shipments of the medium grade Japan teas of the new crop have arrived and the new quotations given below are rather stiff but seem to be firm at these quotations. It is a slight advance on previous quotations.

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Ceylons and Indians-					
Pekoe Souchongs	0	44	1)	18
Pekoes		49) !	
Broken Pekoes		50		0	
Broken Orange Pekoes		58			
Javas-	•	90		廳	•
Broken Orange Pekoes		58) (25
Broken Pekoes		45			
Japans and Chinas-	•	**			
Early pickings, Japans		63			
		50			
Do., seconds					
Hyson thirds		45			
Do., pts					
Do., sifted		67) 1	
Above prices give range of quot	ati	ons	to	th	P
retail trade.					
JAPAN TEAS (new crop)-					
Choice (to medium)		65		0	68
Early picking	0	75		0	90
Finest grades	0	90		1	40
Javas-					
Pekoes	0	44		0	45
Orange Pekoes		45		0	48
Broken Orange Pekoes					
Inferior grades of broken teas ma					
jobbers on request at favorable p				88	

Strong Fall Nut Market

NUTS.-No change is apparent in

quotations this week on nuts. The market promises to be very strong for the Fall and Winter trade. The very easy prices that were quoted for a while on walnuts have almost disappeared with the exhaustion of the old stocks and prices current on the new crop will be much higher.

Almonds, Tarragona, per lb	0 26	0	32
Do., shelled	0.60	0	68
Do., Jordan		0	75
Brazil nuts (new)			32
Chestnuts (Canadian)		0	27
Filberts (Sicily), per lb	0 20		22
Do., Barcelona	0 25		26
Hickory nuts (large and small),	0 20		20
lb	0 10	•	15
Pecans, No. 4, Jumbo			35
Peanuts, Jumbo	0 23		24
Do., extra	0 20		21
Do., shelled, No. 1 Spanish	0 24		25
Do., Java No. 1			191/2
Do., salted, Java, per lb	0 29		80
Do., shelled, No. 1 Virginia	0 161/2		18
Do., No. 1 Virginia		0	14
Peanuts (salted)—			
Fancy, wholes, per lb		0	45
Fancy splits, per lb		0	40
Pecans, new Jumbo, per lb	0 32	0	36
Do., large, No. 2, polished	0 32	0	35
Do., Orleans, No. 2	0 21		24
Do., Jumbo			60
Pecans, shelled	1 00		50
	0 29		35
Do., new Naples	0 20		28
Do., shelled			50
Do., Bordeau			63
Do., Chilean, bags, per lb			38
Note-Jobbers sometimes make at		ch	arge
to above prices for broke	n lots.		

Wrapping Paper Higher

Montreal.

WRAPPING PAPER.—Still another advance is announced this week on craft wrapping paper. The new quotation is an advance of one-cent per pound, making the price 15% cents.

Lamp Burners Have Advanced

Montreal.

MISCELLANEOUS. — There are a number of changes this week in the chemical lines handled by grocers. Soda bicarbonate has advanced fifty cents on 112 lb. kegs and now costs \$5.00 per keg. Moth bals are nine cents per pound dearer. There is a reduction in the price of resin amounting to 11/2 cents per lb. on the ground, costing now 91/2 cents and a reduction of 2 cents on the white which is now quoted at 13 cents. Flaxseed is down 21/2 cents per pound, to 121/2 cents and oil cake 45 cents per bag to \$4.40. Lamp burners have advanced in price as shown in the following new quotations: D. advanced 15c. to \$3.15 per doz.; B. advanced 15c. to \$1.50 per doz.; A. advanced 10c. to \$1.25 per doz.

French Sardines Higher

Montreal.

CANNED GOODS.—There are no new quotations given this week on canned fruit or vegetables. The last quotations arriving were on new sliced canned pineapple. The new supplies of French sardines will cost considerably more. The advance in price amounts to two cents a can. The new prices will be 34 cents for the canned sardines containing the bone and 36 cents for the boneless sardines.

CANNED VEGETABLES Asparagus (Amer.) mammoth

green tips	6 35
Asparagus, imported (21/2s)	6 65
Beans, golden wax	2 00
Beans, Refugee	2 00
Oorn (2s) 1 75	1 80
Carrots (sliced), 2s 1 45	1 75

Corn (on cob), gallons	7 00		50
Spinach, 3s	2 85		90
Squash, Z/2-10., doz			50
Do., Can. (2s)		-	80
Do., California, 2s	3 15		50
Do., California, 2s Do. (wine gals.)	8 00		00
Sauerkraut, 21/2-lb. tins			60
Tomatoes, 1s	1 45		50
Do., 28	1 50	1	55
Do., 2½s Do., 3s	1 821/2	1	971/2
Do gallons	6 50		00
Pumpking 216s (doz.)	1 50		55
Do., gallons (doz.) Peas, standards			00
Peas, standards			95
Do., Early June	1 921/9		05
Do., extra fine, 2s			00
Do., Sweet Wrinkle			57 1/2
Do 2-lh tine			75
Do., fancy, 20 oz. Do., 2-lb. tins Peas, New Pack—		-	
Standard, 2-lb. Choice, 2-lb. Early June, choice		1	821/2
Choice, 2-lb		1	871/2
Early June, choice			05
Do., standard			00
Fine French, 2-lb	****		80
Asparagus Tips		4	10
CANNED FRUITS			
Apricots, 21/2-lb. tins	6 25		50
Apples, 2½s, doz	1 40		65 .
Do., new pack, doz Do., 3s, doz	1 80		95
Do., new pack		6	75
Do., gallons, doz	5 25		75
Do., gallons, doz	4 00		05
Do., gals., doz		16	00
Cherries, red, pitted, heavy syrup,			
	4 75		80 15
Do. No. 2	* 00		90
Do., No. 2½ Do., No. 2 Do., white, pitted Gooseberries, 2s, heavy syrup, doz.	4 50		75
Gooseberries, 2s, heavy syrup, doz.		2	75
reaches, heavy syrup-			
No. 2 Do., gal., "Pie," doz Do., gal., table	8 65		00
Do., gai., "Pie," doz			50
	4 25		50
Pears, 2s Do., 2s (light syrup) Do., 2½s			90
Do., 21/28			25
Pineapples (grated and sliced).			
1-lb. flat, doz New Pack Strawberries—		1	90
New Pack Strawberries—			
Standard No. 2, per doz Choice grade			60 70
Fancy Preserved	::::		50
New Pack Cherries choice			00
Rhubarb, preserved			80
Rhubarb, preserved			80
New Blueberries, 2 lbs		2	25
Raisin Market St	rong	,	

Raisin Market Strong

DRIED FRUIT.—Reports continue to show an abnormal demand for raisins which is sure to cause very high prices on raisins this Fall and Winter. Currants too are in big demand. The drain on supplies comes not only on the primary market but is felt locally. Quotations given below hold very firm but higher quotations will not be surprising not only on raisins, currants but on candied peel. Evaporated apples promise to be cheaper this winter in view of the big apple crop. A big export trade is expected this year for evaporated apples since the English crop is almost a failure. Prune prices are very firm at present quotations.

Apricots, fancy		0 38
Do., choice		0 34
Do., slabs		0 30
Amples (composed)		
Apples (evaporated)		0 19
Peaches (fancy)	0 28	0 30
Do., choice, 1b		0 28
Pears, choice	0 80	0 35
	0 00	0 00
Peels-		
Choice		0 26
Ex. fancy		0 80
Lemon new pack	0 46	0 47
New pack-		
Orange	0 48	0.49
	0 75	0 76
Citron		
Choice, bulk, 25-lb. boxes, lb		0 22
Peels (cut mixed), doz		3 25
Raisins (seeded)—		
Muscatels, 2 Crown		0 23
Do., 1 Crown		0 25
Do., 3 Crown	0 24	0 26
Do., 4 Crown	0 19%	0 20

Turkish Sultana, 5 crown		0 27
Fancy seeded (bulk)		0 25
Do., 16 oz	0 24	9 26
Cal. seedless, cartons, 12 ounces	0 21	0 28
Do., 16 ounces	0 26	0 27
Currants, loose		0.20
Do., Greek (16 oz.)		0 24
Dates, Excelsior (36-10s), pkg		0 151/4
Fard, 12-lb. boxes		8 25
Packages only	0 19	0 20
Dromedary (86-10 oz.)		0 19
Packages only, Excelsior		0 20
Loose	0 16	0 17
Figs (layer), 10-lb, boxes, 2s, lb	0 10	0 40
Do., 21/4s, lb.		0 45
Do., 21/2s, lb.		0 48
Do., 2%s, lb.		0 50
Figs, white (70 4-oz. boxes)		5 40
Do., Spanish (cooking), 22-lb.		
boxes, each		0 11
Do., Turkish, 3 crown, lb		0 44
Do., 5 Crown, lb		0 46
Do., 10-lb. box		2 75
Do., mats		3 00
Do., 28-lb. box		1 90
Do. (12 10-oz. boxes)		2 20
Prunes (25-lb. bexes)—		
		1
20-308		0 33
30-40s		0 30
40-50s		0 27
50-60s		0 23
60-70s		0 22
70-80s		0 20
80-90s		0 19
90-100s		0. 171/2
100-120s	0 16	0 17

Apples Are Lower

Montres

FRUIT.—The feature of the fruit market this week is the higher prices on oranges. There was an advance in price last week but quotations are still higher this week. The best oranges are selling at \$10.50 per crate which is an advance of \$1.25 on last week's prices. Grape fruit are a little cheaper. Bananas are a little dearer. Canadian plums are much cheaper, being offered at 90 cents per basket. Pears and peaches are also cheaper. Duchess apples are very much cheaper and in abundant supply. They are now selling at \$5 and \$6 per barrel.

Apples, early, basket	0 80	1 00
Do., Duchess, per barrel	5 00	6 00
Bananas (as to grade), bunch	6 00	7 00
Cherries, basket	1 25	2 00
Grapefruit, Jamaican, 64, 80, 96.		5 00
Do., Florida, 54, 64, 80, 96		6 00
Lemons, Messina		4 25
Oranges, Cal., Valencias		10 50
Do., 100s and 150s		10 00
Do., 176s and 200s		10 50
Cal. Navels-		
80s, 100s		10 00
1268		10 00
1508		10 50
176s, 250s		10 50
Florida, case		9 75
Pineapples, crate		8 50
Watermelons, each		1 00
Canadian Peaches, 11 qts		1 25
Plums, 11 qts		0 90
Pears, 11 qt. basket		1 75
Canteloupes, crate (45)		9 00
Blueberries, box (Lake St. John)		4 50
Dideberries, box (Lake St. John)		4 00

Tomatoes Are Plentiful

VEGETABLES.—There is very little change in the vegetable market this week. The supply of vegetables on the market continues very good and particularly so with tomatoes. The prices asked vary considerably with the quality but prices are very low. There is very little other change as prices are already so low that farmers are disappointed with returns for their market gardening this year.

Beets, per doz	0 25
Beans, wax (20-lb. bags) 1 00	1 25
Do., new string (imp.) hamper	
Cucumbers, Montreal, per doz	0 20
Cabbage, Montreal, doz 0 50	0 65
Chicory, doz	0 50

Carrots, doz 0	25
Corn, cob, per doz 0 15 0	20
Garlie. Ib 0	50
Horseradish, lb 0	60
Lettuce (Montreal), head, per doz 0	75
Leeks, doz 4	00
Mint 0	
Mushrooms, lb 1	
Parsley (Canadian) 0	
Territory (Commenced) Ittititions	
Potatoes, Montreal (90-lb. bag.) 1 40 1	50
Do., sweet, hamper 3 50 3	75
Canadian Radishes, doz 0	40
Spinsch, box 0	75
Turnips, per doz 0	40
Watercress (per doz.)0	75
Lettuce (curly) 3 doz in hov 1	00

Montreal Tomatoes, per box	0 50	0 75
Cauliflower, per doz		1 50
Spanish Onions, per case		5 75

Lower Prices on Flour

Montreal.

FLOUR.—Lower prices are announced for the new flour which will likely be on the market late this month. The reduction as a result of the splendid wheat crop this year will be \$1.60 per barrel. In some cases the old flour is being sold at a reduction of sixty cents a barrel.

ONTARIO MARKETS

TORONTO, Sept. 10.—There are few price changes in the market for general groceries. Sugar is unchanged with still considerable second hands being offered below market quotation. One brand of pancake and buckwheat flours has advanced also ice cream salt, salad dressing and carbonate of soda. Bulk rolled oats are lower. Canned peas are lower. Grecian currants are strong with a tendency for higher prices. Peanuts are easier. Potatoes are lower. The flour market is firm. Millfeeds are scarce.

Sugar Situation Unchanged

SUGAR.—There are no new developments in the sugar situation. The movement from refineries remains quiet. The supply of second hand sugar is gradually moving off, although there are still large stocks that are being offered and some have changed hands at figures considerably lower than refiners' prices. Raw sugars remain weak and very little buying has materialized at Lawrence, extra granulated, cwt...\$22 21 Acadia Sugar Refinery, extra granulated 22 21 Canada Sugar Refinery, granulated ... 22 21 Dom. Sugar Refinery, extra granulated ... 22 21 Dom. Sugar Refinery, extra granulated ... 22 21 Dom. Sugar Refinery, extra granulated ... 22 21

Differentials: Canada Sugar, Atlantic, St. Lawrence, Dominion: Granulated, advance over basis: 50-lb. sacks, 25c; barrels, 5c; gunnies, 5/20s, 40c; gunnies, 10/10s, 50c; eartons, 20/5s, 60c; eartons, 50/2s, 75c.

Differentials on yellow sugars: Under basis, bags 100 lbs., No. 1, 40c; No. 2, 50c; No. 3, 60c; barrels, No. 1, 35c; No. 2, 45c; No. 3, 55c.

Acadia granulated, advance over basis: gunnies, 5/20s, 40c; gunnies, 10/10s, 50c; cartons, 20/5s, cartons, 50/2s, 70c. Yellows same as above.

Syrups Are Quiet

SYRUPS.—There is little demand for syrups at the present time and the market is quiet.

Corn Syrups-		
Barrels about 700 lbs., yellow Half barrels, ½c over bbls.; ½ bbls., ½c over bbls.		0 10
Cases, 2-lb. tins, white, 2 doz.		7 05
Cases, 5-%, tins, white, 1 dos.		
in case		8 05
Cases, 10-lb. tins, white, 1/2 doz.		7 75
Oases, 2-lb. tins, yellow, 2 doz.		1 10
in case		6 45
Cases, 5-lb. tins, yellow, 1 doz.		
in case		7 45
Cases, 10-lb. tins, yellow, ½ doz.		7 15
Cane Syrups—		
Barrels and half barrels, lb Half barrels, ¼c over bbls.; ¼ bbls., ½c over.		
Cases, 2-lb. tins, 2 doz. in case	7 00	9 60
Molasses—		
Fancy, Barbadoes, barrels, gal.		1 55
Choice Barbadoes, barrels		0 56
New Orleans, bbls., gal		0 56
Tins, 2-lb., table grade, case 2 doz., Barbadoes		7 75
gos., Darnadoca		

Tins, 3-lb. table grade, case 2 doz Barbadoes			16	75
Tins, 5-lb., 1 doz. to ease, Bar-				
badoes			8	95
Tins, 10-lb., 1/2 doz. to case,				
Barbadoes			8	60
Tins, No. 2, baking grade, case				
2 doz			4	20
Tins, No. 3, baking grade, case			_	
of 2 doz				60
Tins, No. 5, baking grade, case				
of 1 doz			4	69
Tins, No. 10, baking grade, case				
of 1½ doz				25
West Indies, 11/2s, 48s	4	60	6	95

Pancake Flour Higher

PACKAGE GOODS.—Teco pancake and buckwheat flours have advanced 60 cents per case, bringing the price up to \$4.20. London Kellogg's corn flakes have again been reduced and are now quoted at \$4.25 per case. Package oats are unsettled, one brand has reduced prices to \$5.60 per case and there is an indication that other brands will also follow. Other package goods are steady at unchanged quotations.

PACKAGE GOODS			
Rolled Oats, 20s, round, case	5 60	6	50
Do., 20s, square, case		6	50
Do., 36s, case		4	85
Do., 18s, case			4214
Corn Flakes, 36s, case	4 00		25
Porridge Wheat, 36s, regular, case		6	00
Do., 20s, family, case		6	80
Cooker Package Peas, 36s, case		4	35
Cornstarch, No. 1, lb. cartons		0	1314
Do., No. 2, lb. cartons		0	12
Laundry Starch			11%
Do., in 1-lb. cartons			121/4
Do., in 6-lb. tin canisters			16
Do., in 6-lb, wood boxes			154
Celluloid Starch, case			30
Potato Flour, in 1-lb. pkgs			16
Fine oatmeal, 20s		6	75
Cornmeal, 24s		4	25
Farina, 24s		3	50
Barley, 24s		3	50
Wheat flakes, 24s		6	50
Wheat kernels, 24s		5	40
Self-rising pancake flour, 24s		4	10
Buckwheat flour, 24s		4	10
Two-minute Oat Food, 24s		. 8	75
Puffed Wheat, case		4	60
Puffed Rice, case		5	70
Health Bran, case		2	60
F.S. Hominy, gran., case		4	25
Do., pearl, case		4	25
Scotch Pearl Barley, case		3	50
Self-rising Pancake Flour, 30 to		200	
case		4	20
Do., Buckwheat Flour, 30 to case			20
Self-rising Pancake Flour, 36 to			200

Rolled Oats Lower

CEREALS.—The cereal market is steady with a tendency downward rather than upward. Rolled oats have declined 50 cents per bag, bringing the price down to \$5.50 per 98 pound bag. Rolled wheat and breakfast food, as yet has shown no change, but a slight shading in price is looked for.

		Bag Lots Toronto
Barley, pearl, 98s		9 00
Barley, pot, 98s		7 50
Barley Flour, 98s		6 25
Buckwheat Flour, 98s		6 25
Cornmeal, Golden, 98s		6 00
Do., fancy yellow, 98s		6 75
Oatmeal, 98s		7 25
Oat Flour		
Corn Flour, 98s		6 75
Rye Flour, 98s		6 25
Polled Octa Of	5 50	6 50
Rolled Oats, 90s		
Rolled Wheat, 100-lb. bbl		8 80
Cracked wheat, bag		6 75
Breakfast food, No. 1		9 00
Do., No. 2		9 00
Rice flour, 100 lbs		10 00
Linseed meal, 98s		6 75
Peas, split, 98s		0 08%
Blue peas, lb		0 10
Marrowfat green peas		0 11%
Graham Flour, 98s		7 65
Farina, 98s		6 20

Canned Peas Lower

ronto.

CANNED GOODS.—Some of the independent packers are quoting standard peas at \$1.72½ per dozen. There is apparently considerable competition in canned peas at the present time, due no doubt to the lack of interest on the part of the retail trade to stock heavy on peas as well as other canned goods. Aylmer wax beans are quoted at \$2.20 per doz. A new line of jam is on the market, Welch's Strawberriade and is quoted at \$11.30 per dozen, 15 ounce jars, put up in cases of two dozen.

in cases of two dozen.		
Salmon-		
Sockeye, 1s, doz	5 80	5 95
Sockeye, ½s, doz		3 20
Alaska reds, 1s, doz	4 25	4 50
Do., ½s Lobsters, ½-lb., doz.		2 50
Lobsters, 1/2-lb., doz.	5 90	6 50
Do., 4-lb, tins	8 25	3 75
Whale Steak, 1s, flat, doz	1 75	1 90
Prichards, 1-lb. talls, doz	1 75	2 10
Tomatoes, 246s, doz	1 95	2 00
reas, Standard, doz	1 95	1 90
Do., Early June, doz Do., Sweet Wrinkle, doz		
Do., Sweet Wrinkle, doz		
Beets, 2s, doz		1 45
Do., extra sifted, doz	2 771/2	2 821/4
Beans, golden wax, doz		2 00
Asparagus tips, doz	4 25	4 75
Asparagus butts, 21/2s, doz		2 50
Canadian corn	1 75	2 00
Pumpkins, 2 1/28, doz.		1 85
Spinach, 2s. doz.		1 95
Pineapples, sliced, 2s, doz.	4 90	5 25
Do., shredded 2s doz	4 75	5 25
Mudard, preserved, 2s. doz.	2 071/2	2 10
Do., preserved, 21/2s, doz.	2 65	4 52 14
Do., standard, 10s, doz		5 00
Apples, gal., doz		6 25
Peaches, 2s, doz		4 15
Pears, 2s. doz.	8 00	4 25
Plums, Lombard, 2s, doz	3 10	8 25
Do Green Come	3 25	3 40
Cherries, pitted, H.S		4 25
Blueberries, Zs	2 25	2 40
Strawberries, 2s, H. S		5 25
Blueberries, 2s	2 35	2 45
Jams-		
Apricots, 4s, each		1 43
Black Currants, 16 oz., doz		5 65
Do., 4s, each		1 50
Gooseberry, 4s, each Do., 16 oz., doz		1 48
Do., 16 oz., doz		5 85
Peach, 4s, each		1 25
Do., 16 oz., doz		4 80
Red Currants, 16 oz., doz		5 50
Raspberries, 16 oz., doz		5 65
Do., 4s, each		1 50

Strawberries,	16	oz.,	doz	 5 65
Do., 4s, eac	h			 1 50

Currant Market Stronger

DRIED FRUITS .- Currants in primary markets are very considerably stronger. This condition has been brought about by the fact that the United States has entered the market and is bidding against England for both the available stocks in Greece and also for the new crop. Previous to prohibition the United States was a buyer of little importance, but the fact that she is now a buyer has had the effect of strengthening the market. The prune market is unchanged, but a report comes from the United States that a lower price basis is not unlikely in view of the fact that very little buying is being done and that when Oregon prices are named prices will be easier. Advance buying of new crop raisins are not heavy, wholesalers and retailers are fairly well supplied with old stock, enough apparently to supply the early Christmas trade.

Evaporated apples		0 21
Candied Peels, American-		
Apricots, cartons, 11 oz., 48s		4 55
Lemon		0 48
Orange		0 50
Citron		0 80
Currants-		
Greek Filiatras, cases		0 16%
Do., Amalias	0 181/4	0 19
Do., Patras		0 22
Do., Vostizza		0 2814
Australians, 3 Crown, lb		0 18
Dates—		V 10
Excelsior, pkgs., 3 doz. in case		5 70
Dromedary, 9 doz. in case		7 25
Fard, per box, 12 to 13 lbs	THE STATE OF STREET, LINE	3 50
Hallowee dates, per lb.	0 18	0 23
	A 19	U 20
Figs-		
Taps-Comarde, lb	2 05	0 10
Layer, lb	0 25	0 40
Prunes—		
30-40s, 25s	1111	0 31
40-50s, 25s	0 25	0 28
50-60e; 25s		0 281/2
60-70s, 25s		0 211/2
		0 181/2
80-90s, 25s		0 1616
90-100s, 25s		0 151/2
Sunset prunes in 5-lb. eartons,		
each		1 15
Peaches-		
Standard, 25-lb. box, peeled	0 26 1/2	0 28
Choice, 25-lb. box, peeled	0 27	0 30
Fancy, 25-lb. boxes	0 29	0 30
Raisins		
California bleached, lb		0 2736
Seedless, 15-oz. packets	0 29	0 30
Seeded, 15-oz. packets		0 29
Crown Muscatels, No. 1, 25s		0 26
Turkish Sultanas		0 26
Thompsons, Seedless		0 2714
Inompous, section		2173

Spices Are Steady

SPICES.—There is very little change in the spice market, pending the arrival of new crop goods. White peppers and cloves have shown a slight shading, but otherwise the entire line is in a fairly steady position.

Allspice	0 21	0 23
Cassia	0 35	0 40
Cinnamon		0 55
Cloves		0 80
Cayenne	0 35	0 37
Ginger, Cochin		0 35
Do., Jamaica		0 50
Mustard, pure		0 55
Herbs - sage, thyme, parsley,		
mint, savory, Marjoram	0 40	0 70
Pastry	0 85	0 38
Pickling spices		0 30
Mace	0 80	0 90
Peppers, black		0 35
Do., white		.0 45
Paprika, lb	0 80	0 85
Chillies, lb		0 60

Nutmegs, selects, whoie 100s		0	55
Do., 80s		0	60
Do., 64s		0	70
Do., ground	0 40	0	50
Mustard seed, whole	0 20		40
Celery seed, whole			70
Coriander seed			25
Carraway seed, whole			30
Tumeric			28
Curry Powder	0 40		45
Cream of Tartar—	0 40		40
French, pure	0 75		80
American high-test, bulk	0 85	0	90
2-oz. packages, doz		1	75
4-oz. packages, doz	2 75	3	00
8-oz. tins, doz		6	00
The above quotations are for t	he best	an	ality.
Cheaper grades can be purchased f		400	
Cheaper grades can be purchased i	or less.		

Peanuts Easier

NUTS.—The only change in the nut market is a further decline of one cent per pound on Spanish peanuts. This decline was caused more by the improved condition of exchange than market conditions. Other varieties are unchanged.

changed.			
Almonds, Tarragonas, lb	0 31		33
Butternuts, Canadian, lb		0	08
Walnuts, Cal., bags, 100 lbs	0 40	0	45
Walnuts, Bordeaux, 1b	0 29		80
Walnuts, Grenobles, lb			84
Do., Marbot			30
Filberts, lb			25
Pecans, lb	0 30		32
Cocoanuts, Jamaica, sack	10 TO		00
Coccounts, Jamaica, Sack			
Cocoanut, unsweetened, lb			35
Do., sweetened, lb			42
Do., shred		0	30
Peanuts, Spanish, 4b		0	264
Brazil nuts, large, lb	0 32	0	33
Mixed nuts, bags 50 lbs		0	32
Shelled-			-
Almonds, lb	0 60	0	65
Filberts, lb		0	38
Walnuts, Bordeaux, lb	0 63	0	65
Peanuts, Spanish, Ib			21
Do., Chinese, 30-32 to oz	100000000000000000000000000000000000000		17
Brazil nuts, lb			00
Pecans, lb		1	15

Japan Seconds Easier

TEAS.—There is little change in the market for teas. Ceylons and Indias are ruling firm with high grades continuing scarce and lower grades although plentiful, showing a firmer tone with slight advances in primary markets. Early pickings Japans opened at extremely high figures, seconds also opened at higher figures, but since then seconds are easier and prices will be around five cents per pound less, probably selling at 50 cents per pound.

Ceylons and Indians-			
Pekoe Souchongs	\$0 40	\$0	54
Pekoes	0 52	0	60
Broken Pekoes	0 56	0	64
Broken Orange Pekoes	0 58	0	66
Javas—			
Broken Orange Pekoes	0 58	0	65
Broken Pekoes		0	50
Japans and Chinas-			
Early pickings, Japans	0 90	1	00
Do., seconds	0 55		58
Hyson thirds	0 45		50
Do., pts	0 58	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	67
Do., sifted	0 67		72
Above prices give range of quo	tations	to t	the

Coffee Futures Lower

COFFEES.—The primary markets for coffee continue easy. Spot stocks, however, are unchanged but quotations of new crop coffees to arrive about November are lower than present prices.

riovember are lower than present	prices
Java, Private Estate 0 51	0 58
Java, Old Government, lb	
Bogotas, lb 0 49	0 50
Guatemala, lb 0 48	0 52
Mexican, lb	0 55
Maracaibo, lb 0 47	0 48

Jamaica, lb 0 45 Blue Mountain Jamaice	0 46 0 53
Mocha, lb	0 55
Rio, lb 0 35	0 37
Santo	0 42

Rice Market Quiet

Toronto.

RICES.—The rice market is quiet and unchanged. Tapioca and sago is easy and both are quoted at 11 to 12 cents per pound.

Honduras, fancy, per 100 lbs	
Blue Rose, tb 0 20	0 201
Siam, fancy, per 100 lbs	
Siam, second, per 100 lbs	15 00
Do., broken, 100 lbs	11 00
Japans, fancy, per 100 lbs	0 1814
Fancy Patna	17 00
Chinese, XX., per 100 lbs	
Do., Simiu	
Do., Mujin, No. 1	
Tapioca, pearl, per lb 0 11	0 12
White Sago 0 11	0 12

Potatoes Are Lower

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes are again arriving freely and quotations are lower. Present quotations are around \$1.75 per bag, but the general opinion is that lower prices will prevail in another week. In the opinion of one produce dealer potatoes will reach a low level, probably around one dollar per bag to the farmer. Spanish onions have declined 75 cents per case, bringing the price from \$6.75 down to \$6.00 for the large three section case.

Lettuce, Can., head, 2 to 3 doz.		
case	1 00	1 50
Do., leaf, doz,	0 30	0 40
Cabbage, Can., per doz	0 50	0 75
Green Onions, doz. bunches	0 30	0 40
Parsley, domestic, per 11-qt. bask.		
	: :::	1 00
Cucumbers, per 11-qt. basket	0 40	0 50
New Carrots, per doz	0 50	0 60
New Beets, doz. bunches		0 40
Wax Beans, home grown, bskt	0 40	0 50
Onions, 100-lb, sack		4 00
Do., Spanish, large crate	6 00	6 25
Do., Do., small crate		3 50
Tomatoes, Ontario, 11-qt. bskt		
Tomatoes, Ontario, 11-qt. bskt		0 50
Green Peppers, hot, 11-qt. bskt.		0 40
Do., sweet, 11-qt. basket		0 65
Vegetable Marrow, doz		0 50
Celery		1 00
Egg plant, 11-qt. bskt		1 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 75	2 00
Corn, per doz.		
corn, per doz	0 20	0 25

Peaches Are Lower

FRUIT.—Local fruits are in abundance and prices generally are lower. Crawford peaches are arriving freely and prices are lower. Duchess apples are down 50 cents per box, bringing the price to \$1.50.

Oranges, Valencias-			
126s		8	00
150s			00
176s, 200s, 216s, 250s		10	00
Bananas, Port Limons		0	11
Lemons, Cal., 240s		5	50
Do., Messinas, 300s		5	50
Grapefruit, Cal., 80s, 96s	4 25	4	50
Cantaloupes, Cal., case, 45s		4	75
Blueberries, basket	3 00	3	50
Lawton Berries		0	35
Pears, Bartlett's, box		6	00
Grapes-			
California Malaga, box		4	50
Apples, Duchess, box		1	50
Do., per barrel	4 00	6	00
Plums, 6-qt, basket	0 30	0	50
Do., 11-qt. basket	0 50	0	75
Peaches, 6-qt. basket	0 50		75
Do., 11-qt. basket	1 00		25

Salad Dressing Higher

MISCELLANEOUS.—Carbonate Soda in 112 pound kegs has advanced to \$5.25 Dainty Lunch mayonnaise dressing has advanced to \$3.10 per dozen. Ice cream salt has advanced to \$2.25 per bag, country delivery and \$2.40 city delivery.

Prepared Coffee Lower

PREPARED COFFEE. — George Washington coffee has declined 15 to 80 cents per dozen. The following are now the correct prices: small size, \$4.25 per dozen; medium, \$8.40; large, \$13.10 per dozen.

Little Honey Offered

HONEY.—Very little honey is being offered at the present time. The shipment of New Zealand honey that was expected has not arrived. Local honey in 30 pound tins is quoted at 27 cents per pound. Comb honey is quoted at \$8.00 per case of 24 sections.

Flour is Firmer

FLOUR.-Since the decline of last

week the flour market has firmed up. Some millers are of the opinion there will be a slight advance very soon in view of the rising wheat market.

Flour-

Old Crop Government Standard, in jute bags, per barrel	 14 25
Patent Firsts, in jute bags, per barrel	 13 75
Do., Seconds, in jute bags, per barrel	 13 25

Millfeeds Scarce

Toronto.

MILLFEEDS.—Bran and shorts are very scarce at the present time. This shortage is caused by the slow delivery of the new crop wheat and till there is an improvement in deliveries, no relief can be expected in the shortage of mill-feeds.

Millfeeds— 57 25 Shorts, per ton 52 25 Bran, per ton 52 25

WINNIPEG MARKETS

WINNIPEG, Sept. 10.—Sugar has declined again this week, apparently due to competitive selling. Sugar syrups have declined 65 to 95 cents per case. New pack blueberries are offered at prices that compare favorably with last year. Teas and coffees are firmer. Dried apricots are on the market and are being quickly bought up. Smyrna Sultana raisins are being offered at four to five cents per pound lower than the California variety. Oranges and bananas are scarce at high prices. Vegetables are plentiful and quotations are lower. Honey is higher than last year.

Sugar Lower

Winnipeg.

SUGAR.—There has been no improvement so far in the raw sugar market. It is still remaining weak, and few sales are noted. The local market on refined sugar since our last issue has shown a slightly further decline. The demand is still light but the trade feel that the demand will be very much improved in a very short time, as retailers will soon have their stocks reduced to a point where it will be necessary to purchase further supplies.

Redpath, granulated, 100-lb. bag	 21 30
St. Lawrence, gran., 100-lb. bag	 21 30
Atlantic, granulated, 100-lb, bag.	 21 30
Dominion, granulated, 100-lb. bag.	 21 30
Acadia, granulated, 100-lb. bag.	 21 30
Yellow Sugar, No. 2, 100-lb. bag	 20 80
Powdered Sugar, 50-lb. boxes,	
per cwt	 21 85
Icing Sugar, 50-lb. boxes, per cwt.	 21 95
Lump Sugar, soft, 100-lb. boxes.	 22 25
Do., hard, 100-lb. boxes, per box	 22 45
Cubes, 100-lb. boxes, per box	 21 95

Cane Syrup Declines

SYRUPS.—Rogers' Golden Cane syrup has declined 65 cents a case on twos, and 95 cents on fives and tens. Corn syrup remains very steady and it has been intimated that no further declines are expected within the next 45 or 60 days.

CANE SYRUPS—	
2-lb. tins, 2 doz. in case	 8 80
5-lb. tins, 1 doz. in case	 10 30
10-lb. tins, 1/2 doz. in case	 9 80
20-lb. tins, 1/4 doz. in case	9 55

CORN SYRUP-		
Cases, 2 lb. tins, white, 2 dos.		
in case		7 35
Cases, 5 lb. tins, white, 1 doz.		
in case		8 40
Cases, 10 lb. tins, white, 1/2 doz.		
i		8 05
Cases, 20 lb. tins, white, ¼ doz.		
in oneo		8 05
Cases, 2 lb. tins, yellow, 2 dos.		
in anna		6 75
Cases, 5 lb. tins, yellow, 1 dos.		
in case		7 80
Cases, 10 lb. tins, yellow, ½ doz.		
		7 55
Cases, 20 lb. tins, yellow, ¼ doz.		
in case		7 55
MAPLE SYRUP-		
Pure, 21/2s tins, case of 2 doz.		26 90
Pure, 5s, per case of 1 doz		24 50
Fure. 10s, per case of 1/2 doz		23 25
TABLE SYRUP—		
Maple flavor, 21/2s tins, per case		
of 3 dos		13 76
Do., 2s, tins, per case of 1 doz.		12 00
Do., 1s, tins, case of 1/2 doz.		11 50
Above subject to a discount of		cent.
MOLASSES, BARBADOES-		
2-1b. tins, 2 doz. case		8 75
3-lb, tins, 2 doz. case		12 35
5-lb. tins, 1 doz. case		10 00
10-lb ting 14 dog case		9 70
MOLASSES, BLACKSTRAP—		
11/2s. 4 doz. in case		5 10
2s. 4 dos. in case		4 70
21/4s, 4 dos. in case		4 40
5s. 4 dos. in case		4 40
10s, 4 dos, in case		4 35
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Starch Market Steady

Winniner

STARCH.—From the latest reports manufacturers have intimated no future changes in starch for probably 45 or 60 days.

Cornstarch, 1-lb. pkgs., per lb	0	12
Do., No. 1 quality, 1-lb. pkgs		1316
Gloss, 1-lb. pkgs., per lb	0	141/4
Celluloid, 1-lb. pkg., per case	5	65

New Pack Blueberries

Winnipeg

CANNED GOODS.—The prices on new pack of canned blueberry have been named and are quoted at \$7.00 for number twos. There is going to be a fair pack of all kinds of canned fruits and vegetables and the price of the whole will not be very much different from last year.

last year.			
CANNED FISH			
Shrimps, 1s, 4 doz. case, doz	2 70	9	76
Finnan Haddie, 1s, 4 doz. case,.	9 35	12	
Do., 1/4s, 8 doz. case, case	10 50	13	
Herring (Can.), 1s, 4 doz. case, cs			00
Do., imported, 1/2s, 100 doz. case	7-1-7	82	
Lobsters, ¼s, 8 doz. case, doz			35
Do., ½s, 4 doz. case, doz			00
Oyster, 1s, 4 oz., 4 doz. case, cs.			60
Do., 2s, 8 oz., 2 doz. case, case			60
Pilchards, 1s, tall, 4 doz. case, case			56
Do., 1/2s, flat, 8 doz. case, case		10	
Salmon-	Det	cas	
Sockeye, 1s, tall, 4 doz. case		21	
Do., 1/2s, flat, 8 doz. in case		23	
Red Spring, 1s, tall, 4 doz. case		15	
Do., 1/2s, flat, 8 doz. case		17	
Cohoe, 1s, tall, 4 doz. case		14	
Do., 1/2s, flat, 8 doz. case		16	
Pink, 1s, tall, 4 doz. case		10	
Do., 1/2s, flat, 8 doz. case		12	
Humpback, 1s, tall, 4 doz. case		8	60
CANNED FRUIT (Can	adian)		
		08.80	
Apples, 6 tins in case, per case	3 40	8	85
Blueberries, 2s, 2 doz. case		9	00
Cherries, 1s, 4 doz. case		11	00
Gooseberries, 2s. 2 doz. case		. 9	60
Lawtonberries, 2s, 2 doz, case		9	50
Peaches, 2s, 2 dos. case		8	50
Pears, 2s, 2 doz. case	6 50	8	80
Plums, Green Gage, 2s, 2 doz. case		6	15
Light Syrup-			
Plums, Lombard, 2s, 2 doz. case		5	
Raspberries, 2s, 2 doz. case	9 50	9	
Stramborries 2s 2 dos case		10	54

Strawberries, Zs, Z doz. case		10	04
CANNED FRUITS (Ame	riean)		
Apricots, 1s, 4 doz. case		13	00
Peaches, 21/s, 2 doz. case			20
			00
Peaches, sliced, ls, 4 doz. case			
Po., halved, 1s, 4 doz. case			86
Do., 2s, 2 doz, case			50
Pears, 1s, 4 doz. case		16	00
Pineapple, sliced, 2s, 2 doz. ease.			
CANNED VEGETABL	LES		
	Per	08.5	•
Asparagus Tips, 1s, tins, 4 doz			
case, per doz		2	75
Beans, Golden Wax, 2s, 2 doz. case		4	75
Beans, Refugee, 2s, 2 doz. case			50
			20
Corn, 2s, 2 doz. case			
Peas, Standard, 2s, 2 doz. case.			10
Peas, Early June, 2s, 2 doz. case			70
Sweet Potatoes, 21/2s, 2 doz. case		6	40
Pumpkin, 21/2s, 2 doz. case		8	00
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Bean Market Firm

Winnipeg.

BEANS.—Oriental beans, which are used very largely throughout the Prairie Provinces, show at present a wide spread in quotations. For those not familiar with the out-turn of 1919 the crop may be somewhat misleading, the situation is that, No. 1 quality Oriental beans are difficult to obtain and prices are ruling very firm for beans on the above description. The markets, however, are overloaded with beans of inferior quality and these are being sold for what they will bring.

Fine Tea Firmer

Winnipeg.

TEA.—Fine tea is reported firmer and the very low grades are reported much easier. The demand on the local market is greatly 'mproved and it is in evidence

that the stocks held by	retaile	rs	are
getting reasonably low.			
INDIA AND CEYLON-			
Pekoe Souchongs, first quality .	0 48	0	50
Do., second quality	0 44	0	45
Pekoes, first quality	0 49	0	53
Do., second quality	0 45	0	47
Broken Pekoe, first quality	0 52	0	60
Braken Orange Pekoe, first qual.	0 58	0	68
Japan	0 52	0	60
JAVAS—	0 45	0	47
Pekoe Souchongs	0 46		48
Pekoe	0 47		50
Broken Pekoe	0.48		51
Broken Orange Pekoe	0 40		

Coffee Market Firmer

Winnipes			-		
COFI	FEE.—The	coff	ee ma	rket is	show-
ing gre	eater activ	itv v	with	upward	tend-
encies.	Mexican c	offee	rema	ains vei	ry firm
	od grades				
due pri	ncipally, to	tho	diffic	ulty of	trans-
		the	dillic	uity or	CLEATE
portatio	n.				

Mexican, lb 0 49 0	28
Mexican, lb 0 49 0	48
Bogotas, lb 0 49 0	52
Mocha (types) 0 49 0	51
Santos, Bourbon, lb 0 43 0	45
Santos, lb • 42 0	44
COCOA-	
	25
	25
	70
In small size, per doz 1	25

Spices Firmer

Winnipeg.

SPICES.—All lines of spices are much firmer with advancing tendencies. Spot stocks in the United States are rapidly being depleted due largely to the very light imports this year. Pepper remains very firm, while cloves are a little easier.

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WHOLE SPICE	
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Allepice, Jamaica, best quality, lb. Cassio, Batavia, per lb	 0 23
Do., China, per lb.	 0 25
Chillies now the	 0 55
Chillies, per lb	 0 53
Cinnamon, Ceylon, per lb	 0 85
Do., No. 10, carton, doz	 1 00
Cloves, Penang, per lb	 0 95
Do., Amboyna, per lb	 0 90
Do., Zanzibar, per lb	 0 85
Ginger, washed, Jamaica, No. 1	 0 55
Ginger, washed, Jamaica, No. 1 Do., Jamaica No. 2	 0 40
Do., Japan or Africa, lb	 0 36
Mace, extra bright Penang, lb	 0 80
Nutmegs, ex. large brown, 70 to	
Nutmegs, ex. large brown, 70 to	 0 70
Do., large brown, 85 to lb., lb.	 (65
Do., med. brown, 110 to lb., lb.	 0 55
Do., carton of six, per doz	 0 80
Pepper, black, Singapore ex., lb.	 0 36
Do., white, do., per lb	 0 50
Pickling, 1/4-lb. pkg., per doz	 1 00
Do., bulk, No. 1, per lb Do., No. 2, per lb	 0 28
Do., No. 2, per lb	 0 25
GROUND SPICE.	
Allspice, bulk, per lb	 0 25
Do., 2 oz. cartons	 0 80
Do., 4 oz. cartons	 0 35
Cassia, No. 1, bulk, per lb Do., No. 2, bulk, per lb	 0 30
Do., No. 1, 2 oz. cartons	 1 00
Do., No. 1, 4 oz. cartons	 1 50
Cinnamon, bulk, per lb	 0 48
Do., 2 oz. cartons	 1 16
Do., 4 oz. cartons	 1 78
Cloves, bulk, per lb.	 0 90
Do., 2 oz. cartons	 1.70
Do., 4 ez. cartons	 2 7
Cayenne, No. 1, bulk, per lb	 0 40
Do., No. 1, 2 oz. eartons	 1 10
Do., No. 1, 4 oz. eartons Ginger, No. 1, bulk, per lb	 1 6
Ginger, No. 1, bulk, per lb	 0 5
Do., No. 1, 2 oz. cartons	 1 2
Do., No. 1, A oz. cartons	 1 9
Do., No. 2, bulk, per lb Mace, No. 1, bulk, per lb	 0 4
Mace, No. 1, bulk, per lb	 0 8
Do., No. 1, 2oz. eartons	 1 6
Do., No. 1, 4 oz. cartons	 2 7
Nutmeg, No. 1, bulk, per lb	 1 2
Do., No. 1, 2 oz. cartons	 1 8
Do., No. 1, 4 oz. cartons Pastry spice, No. 1, bulk, per lb.	 0 4
Do., No. 1, 2 oz. cartons	 1 2
Do., No. 1, & OE. Cartons	

Do., No. 1, 4 oz. cartons		1 80
Pickling spice, No. 1, bulk, per lb		0 38
White Pepper, No. 1, bulk, per lb		0 49
Do., No. 2, Singapore, per lb		0 47
Black pepper, No. 1, bulk, per lb		0 35
White pepper, No. 1, 2 oz. carton	s	1 20
Do., No. 1, 4 oz. cartons		1 95
Black pepper, No. 1, 2 oz. carton	s	0 95
Do., No. 1, 4 oz. cartons		1 60

Louisiana Rice Offered

Winnipeg.

RICE.—Louisiana rise is now being offered and is quoted at 16 to 17 cents a pound. It will be about a month before it is on our local market.

No. 1 Japan, 100-lb. sacks, lb.	 0	143/4
Do., 50-lb. sacks, lb	 0	147/8
Siam, Elephant, 100-lb. bags	 0	111/2
Do., 50-lb. bags, lb	 0	11%
per lb	 0	091/2
Do., in less quantities, lb	 . 0	10
	 0	091/2

New Apricots Arrive

DRIED FRUITS.—New apricots have arrived and as they have been off the market for some time, they are in great demand. Samples of the new crop of Smyrna sultana raisins have been offered to the trade at a considerable lower figure than similar lines offered by the California dealers. These raisins come packed in a thirty pound box and are from 4 to 5 cents a pound cheaper. These are being offered for immediate shipment from Smyrna. The sultana crop this year will be smaller than expected. The general opinion prevails that there will not be more than 22,000 tons, as compared to 30,000 tons in 1919. The quality of these raisins is exceptionally good. Samples of the new pack red and black raisins are expected the first week in September. Prices will be higher this year. The European crop of currants is reported less than last year. The opening prices have not yet been given.

DRIED FRUIT

DRIED FRUIT		
Evaporated Apples, per lb		0.19
Currants, 90-lb., per lb		0 22
Do., 8 oz., pkgs., 6doz, case, lb.		0 1614
Dates, Hallowee, bulk, lb		0 23
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Do., Package, 3 doz. case, lb		0 17
Figs, Spanish, per lb		0 1614
Do., Smyrna, per lb		0 23
Do., black, cartons, per carton		0 80
Loganberries, 4 doz. case. pkt		0 35
Peaches, standard, per lb	0 29	0 30
Do., choice, per lb	0 271/2	0 2814
Do., fancy, per lb	0 32	0 33
Do., Cal., in cartons, per carton		1 56
Do., unpitted, per lb	0 24	0 25
Pears, extra choice, per lb		0 30
Do., Cal., cartons, per carton		1 75
Prunes-		
30-40s, 25s, per lb		0 32
40-50s, 25s, per lb		0 27
50-60s, 25s, per lb		0 21
60-70s, 25s, per lb		0 1814
70-80s, 25s, per lb		0 17
80-90s, 25s, per lb		0 17
90-100s, 25s, per lb		0 164
In 5-lb. cartons, per carton		1 30
Raisins—		
Cal. pkg., seeded, 15 oz., fancy,		
3 doz. to case, per pkg Choice seeded, 15 oz., 3 doz. to		0 24
case, per pkg		0 23
Fancy seeded, 11 oz., 4 doz. to		0 28
case, per pkg		0 21
Choice seeded, 11 oz., 4 doz. to		0 11
case, per pkg		0 19
Cal., bulk, seeded, 25-lb, boxes		0 2514
Do., pkt. seedless, 11 oz., 3	****	0 20 79
doz. to case, per lb		0 21
Do., bulk., seedless, 25-lb.		
hoxes, per lb		0 28
Apricots, choice, 25s, lb		0 45
Do., 10s, lb		0 47
Do., Standard, 45s, lb		0.40

	choice, 10s, lb	0 42
Do.	fancy, 45s, lb	0 50
Do.	do., 10s, lb	0 52
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Brazil Nuts Higher

NUTS.—The situation on shelled almonds this week is that the foreign exchange rates have advanced considerably and as usual have cost corresponding movement in the price of almonds. There is very little report regarding the walnut market, as it is practically the same as last year. Booking for Fall delivery are fairly heavy. Brazil nuts opened up higher than last year, the crop only being about 30 per cent. normal.

NUTS. Shelled—			
Almonds, per lb	9 63	0	65
Spanish Peanuts, No. 1, per lb.		0	244
Pecans, per lb		1	15
Walnuts, per lb	0 64	0	65
Nuts in shell—			
Peanuts, roasted, Jumbo, per lb.		0	25
Almonds, per lb		0	35
Filberts, per lb		0	30
Walnuts, per lb	0 25	0	85
Pecans, per lb		0	32

Oranges Scarce and High

Winnipeg.
FRUITS.—Oranges are very scarce and prices high. Bananas are also scarce. Ontario plums and peaches arriving freely. Washington crop of peaches arrived this week and are being offered at \$3.00 a case. New Washington Italian prunes are expected this week.

FRUITS-		
Lemons, Cal., per case	6 00	7 00
Bananas, per lb		0 14
Peaches		3 00
Plums, per case		3 50
Cantaloupe, Stand., per case		5 00
Do., Flats, 12s to 15s, per case		3 00
Cocoanuts, per doz		1 75
Dates, 36 pkgs, to case		7 25
Figs. per case		4 00
Do., 10-lb, boxes		3 50
Oranges-		
200s and smaller		12 00
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. 150s		10 00
126s		9 00
New Apples, per box		4 00
Pears, per case		6 00
Raspherries, per case		7 50
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Vegetables Are Lower

Winnipeg.

VEGETABLES. — Local vegetables are arriving freely and are being offered at a much lower figure. Local tomatoes of good quality have been offered for 12 and 1-2 cents a pound, while Ontario are bringing from \$1.25 to \$1.50 a basket.

VEGETABLES		
Carrots, new, per lb		0 03
Beets, new, per lb		0 02
Turnips, new, per lb		0 02
Leaf Lettuce, per doz		0 40
Radish, per doz		0 50
Green Onions, per doz		0 30
Cucumbers (hothouse), per doz		2 25
Cabbage (new), per lb		0 02
New Potatoes, per bushels		1 65
Onions (Cal. Bermuda sack), per		
sack	3 50	1 00
Peas, per lb		0 15
Cauliflower, per doz		1 50
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Celery (B.C.), per doz	0 11	0 12
Rhubarb, per lb		0 031/2
Tometoes, per basket	1 25	1 50
Head Lettuce, per doz		1 75

New Honey Higher

Winnipeg.

HONEY.—The opening prices have been named on honey and are higher than last year's prices. Twenty-four 12's glass, \$10.00 per case; 24½'s tins, \$21.50 per case; 12-5 pound tins, \$21.00 per case.

WEEKLY MARKET REPORTS BY WIRE

Statements from Buying Centres, East and West

Alberta Markets FROM CALGARY, BY WIRE.

Calgary, Alta., September 9.—Rogers B. C. syrup dropped 70 cents per case on 2s and 95 cents on other sizes. Patent flour is quoted at \$13.60 per barrel. Government standard flour has been lowered to \$13.05 per barrel. Candles and parowax are higher. Brazil nuts to arrive are quoted at 30 cents per pound. On soaps there has been a slight readjustment of prices. New laid eggs supplies very short. Local potatoes are unchanged. B. C. cantaloupes are arriving in good shape, quoted at \$4.75 per case.

Flour, Government Standard, 96s,			
per barrel		13	05
Flour Patents, 96s, per barrel		13	
Flour, 96s, per bbl		14	
Beans, B.C.		8	
Rolle doats, 80s		5	
Rice, Siam	12 60	15	
Japan, No. 1	14 50	15	
Tapioca, lb.	0 09		111/4
Sago, lb.	0 09		11
Sugar, pure cane, granulated, cwt.		21	
Cheese No. 1, Ont., large		0	
Alberta cheese, twins	0 02 72		29
Do., large			31
Butter, creamery, lb			60
Do., dairy, lb.	0 45		50
Lard, pure, 3s	17 10		40
Eggs, new laid, local case	19 00	20	
Do., storage, case	17 00	18	
Tomatoes, 211/2s, standard, case	4 60		75
Wax and Green Beans, 2s, case	4 60		85
Corn, 2s, case	4 25		50
Peas, 2s, standard, case	4 50		75
New early June peas, case	4 00		50
	9 75		40
Raspberries, 2s, Ontario, case	10 60		70
Gooseberries, 2s			30
Cherries, 2s, red. pitted	9 00		50
Apples, evaporated, 50s		0	
Do., 25s, lb			
Peaches, evaporated, lb	0 25		28
Do., canned, 2s		0	50
Prunes, 90-100s		0	1816
Do., 70-80s	45 00		
Potatoes, local, ton	45 00	90	00

Nova Scotia Markets FROM HALIFAX BY WIRE

Halifax, N.S., September 9.—The sugar situation in Halifax wholesale quarters still remains unchanged, but further developments are expected shortly. Oats are down to \$1.50 per bushed, a decline of 10 cents. Strictly fresh eggs are selling at 70 cents per dozen, an advance of 3 cents. Red Spring salmon, flats, have declined 50 cents per case, bringing the price to \$10.50. A sharp advance of \$1.50 per case on oranges, now quoted at \$11.50 to \$12. Cornmeal is listed at \$5 per bag, a 50 cent. decline on last week's quotation.

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New Brunswick Markets FROM ST. JOHN, BY WIRE.

St. John, N.B., Sept. 9 .- The Provincial Exhibition here this week is drawing large crowds and has increased business locally. Flour has declined to Cornmeal is down 25 cents, bringing the price to \$4.50 per bag. Rolled oats are 50 cents higher, now quoted at \$12.75. Molasses is down 10 cents per gallon Cheese has advanced slightly, now selling at 30 to 31 cents per pound. Eggs are scarce, quotations on fresh eggs are 72 to 75 cents, and case eggs are 68 to 69 cents per dozen. Potatoes are coming plentiful and prices are holding at \$4.50 per barrel.

Flour, No. 1 patents, bbls., Man.		16	40
Cornmeal, gran., bags		6	75
Cornmeal, ordinary		4	50
Rolled oats		12	75
Rice, Siam, per 100 lbs	14 25	14	50
Tapioca, 100 lbs		17	00
Molasses		1	60
Sugar-			
Standard, granulated		22	10
No. 1 yellow		21	60
Cheese, N.B.		1000	31
Eggs, fresh, doz	0 72	5-125	75
Do., case	0 68	K 10 C TO	69
Lard, pure, lb.	0 2814		2814
Do., compound	0 241/4		241
American clear pork	47 00		00
	41 00		
Tomatoes, 21/2s, standard, case	2 44		35
Beef, corned, 1s	4 00		20
Breakfast bacon	0 48		46
Butter, creamery, per lb	0 60	0	65

D- 1.1			
Do., dairy, per lb	0 55	0	60
Do., tub	0 50	0	55
Peaches, 2s, standard, case	7 45	7	50
Corn, 2s, standard, case		3	95
Peas, standard, case		4	00
Apples, gal., N.B., doz		5	00
Strawberries, 2s, Ont., case			
Salmon, Red Spring, flats, cases		22	50
Do., Pinks			
Do., Cohoes	15 00	15	50
Do., Chums		7	50
Evaporated Apples, per lb	0 21	0	211/
Do., Peaches, per lb	0 271/2	0	28
Potatoes, Natives, per barrel		4	50
Lemons, Cal., case	7 00	7	50
Grapefruit, Cal., case		8	00
Bananas, per lb	0 11	0	12
Oranges, case	9 00	12	00

ESSENTIAL FOR BULK GOODS

Continued from page 31 proved system for handling his goods.

When the margin on even the highest grade coffees in roasters' packages is reduced to less than twenty per cent., one needs to take thought of how he is to handle coffee in some way that will pay him his needful 25 to 33 1-3 per cent.

In the study, one must discriminate most skillfully between what items are best handled in bulk and which in packages, and care must be exercised to see that changes in conditions are conformed with in packaging. There is no blanket rule applicable to all cases. Constant care and observation, with quick adaptability, is needful to save the business life of the retail grocer today.

You cannot afford to feed rats and mice, dogs and cats. You can neither sustain the direct losses of flies who lay mites in your pickles and dried fruit to spoil it, nor the indirect loss of customers who are driven away by getting inferior goods or fine goods in bad condition.

You cannot afford to have stocks lost under old-fashioned counters, in partly emptied boxes which have been covered by new arrivals put on top of them and thus damaged by being kept too long before they are discovered. Nor can you afford the loss of interest and the vastly more serious loss due to slowed down turnover which results from the carrying of double stocks of surplus goods.

All these disadvantages can be overcome and eliminated by the use of modern equipment, the sanest, soundest, investment any merchant can make.

"Travelling" grocery stores are operated in the Middle West, constructed on a large motor chassis for the convenience of rural communities. There is no rent, heat nor light to pay and the provisions are offered for sale at wholesale prices.



A Meat Slicer Means Big Increase in Provision Trade

T. Booth and Sons, Courtenay, B.C., Are Now Getting More Business in Ham and Bacon— Facilitates Serving of People—Where Service Counts.

INCE bpying a meat slicer our business in smoked and cooked meats has increased wonderfully," W. Booth, of T. Booth and Sons, Courtenay, B.C., remarked recently to a representative of Canadian Grocer. "We are now getting considerably more trade in these lines since the installation of the slicer. Apart from the increased sales, which, of course, is of first importance. the convenience and facility with which it permits customers to be served has made it worth more than its actual cost to us. Customers like to have their bacon and ham cut a certain thickness, and this is not always possible without a slicer. With a knife one gets slices of varied thickness, and I think there is a certain amount of waste that can be eliminated with a slicer. The fact that people will buy these lines only where there is a slicer is sufficient reason for having one. It brings new trade to the store."

Business Has Trebled

T. Booth and Sons opened this store three years ago. W. Booth, who is the manager, is a returned soldier, and since coming back from the war he has made a number of changes. The town depends on the farming and lumbering of the surrounding district for its maintenance. Considerable new equipment has been placed in the store, and Mr. Booth insists on neatness and cleanliness in his place at all times. An auto truck is kept for delivering orders, and where three years ago two employees constituted the staff there are now eight clerks. The business in that time has trebled. Service to the public has been largely responsible for this remarkable increase, coupled with salesmanship of an efficient character. Mr. Booth endeavors to have his sales staff something more than mere order takers, and with this end in view all are urged to sell lines other than there asked for, an effort being made to introduce real selling ability behind various goods.

Salmon Run is Larger Than Was Anticipated

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—"On the whole the condition of the salmon fishery on the west coast is very satisfactory," said W. A. Found, Assistant Deputy Minister of Fisheries, who has recently returned after a prolonged inspection trip. "The run to the Fraser, while comparatively small, is considerably larger than was anticipated," he continued, "but the river can never be brought back to its maximum of productivity until some international agreement for its protection has been consummated."

Mr. Found said that the run of sockeye in the different areas was quite good. Smith's Inlet and Rivers' Inlet had splendid runs, and the run of sockeye in the Skeena, now the most important salmon-fishing area in British Columbia, was considerably better than in 1915 or 1916, which were the cycles of production corresponding with this year's run.

Are Restocking Northern Lakes

Ten Millions of Whitefish Fingerlings Have been Deposited in Lake Nipigon

Toronto, Sept.—Hon. F. C. Biggs, Minister of Public Works, is just back from an inspection trip to Lake Nipigon and Lake Nipissing, where he made a thorough study of Government fishing operations, inspected the equipment and generally familiarized himself with the whole scheme.

Despite the pressure being brought to bear upon him by the commercial fishermen, who want the Government to get out of the business, it is unlikely that Mr. Biggs will favor the stoppage of all operations. It is probable that any curtailment there will be in the future will be made with an eye to the conservation of the fish supply in the two lakes. The minister is a firm believer in restocking and conservation, and no more fish will be taken out of the lakes than can be spared.

"This year we have placed ten million whitefish fingerlings in Lake Nipegon," he said, "and that is more than twice the number of whitefish taken out last



Illustrating the attractive arrangement of the store of T. Booth & Sons, at Courtenay, B.C.

Produce, Provision and Fish Markets

OUEBEC MARKETS

ONTREAL, Sept. 10—There are no price changes this week in the produce market. The conditions have been rather quiet. The English market is free again for Canadian bacon on a competitive basis. Cheese production is improved. Eggs are imported to Montreal. Butter is not coming as freely. The shortage of beef cattle and hogs still continues. Fresh lake fish is in good supply.

Fresh Meat Shortage

Montreal, FRESH MEATS.—No change is apparent this week in the market for fresh meats. The prices remain steady and rather firm except on grass cattle which is slightly easier. The shortage of beef cattle being offered still remains. The harvest and the tendency of the farmers to hold out for higher prices have hindered cattle buying but a change is looked for. This is the season of the year when the largest number of cattle are expected at the packing houses but they have not appeared and the drovers

not able to purchase.		
FRESH MEATS		
Hogs, live (selects)	0 191/2	0 20
Abattoir killed, 65-90 lbs	0 30	0 31
Fresh Pork-		
Legs of pork (foot on)		0 35
Loins (trimmed)		0 42
Bone trimmings		0 33
Trimmed shoulders	0 28	0 32
Untrimmed		0 27
Pork sausage (pure)		0 25
Farmer Sausage		0 20
Spring lamb, carcass	0 25	0 31
Fresh sheep, carcass	0 18	0 21
Fresh Beef-		
(Cows)	(Ste	ers)
\$0 20 \$0 31 Hind quarters	\$0 28	\$0 35
0 10 0 15 Front quarters		0 19
0 30 0 42 Loins	0 36	0 46
0 20 0 30 Ribs	0 30	0 38
0 12 0 16 Chucks	0 14	0 20
0 30 0 34 Hips	0 32	0 36
Calves (as to grade)	0 15	0 26

Barrelled Meats Quiet

Mentreal.
BARRELLED MEATS. — The market for barrelled meats continues very quiet with little or no demand. Prices are unchanged.

BARRELLED MEATS

Barrel Pork-		
Canadian short cut (bbl.), 30-40		
pieces	54	00
Clear fat backs (bbl.), 40-50	9.0	
pieces	52	00
Heavy mess pork (bbl.)	46	00
Plate Beef	28	00
Meas Reef	95	00

Bacon Unchanged

BACON .- There is no change in the bacon market this week and prices remain unchanged. The British Government have withdrawn the control, of bacon prices in England and the market is open once more to natural trade. This will have a great effect on the Canadian market since Canada is a big exporter of bacon to England and once more prices will be on a competitive basis. This may or may not affect

prices in Canada. It depends largely on the English market conditions.

Breakfast, best 0 37	7 0	46
Smoked Breakfast 0 28	8 0	44
Cottage Rolls	. 0	40
Pienic Hams	. 0	30
Wiltshire 0 36	6 0	44
MEDIUM SMOKED HAMS-		
Weight, 8-14, long cut	. 0	40
Do., 14-20	. 0	40
Do., 20-25		36
Do., 25-35		32
Over 35 lbs		30

Cooked Meats in Demand

COOKED MEATS. — The seasonable demand for cooked meats continues. The prices remain unchanged although there is decidedly a shortage in good meats.

Jellied pork tongues	0	49
Jellied pressed beef, lb	0	35
Ham and tongue, lb	0	42
Veal	0	30
Hams, cooked 0 63	0	67
Shoulders, roast	0	50
Shoulders, boiled	0	42
Pork pies (doz.)	0	80
Mince meat, lb 0 19	0	20
Sausage, pure pork	0	25
Bologna, lb	0	18
Ox tongue, tins	0	88

Cheese Production Improves

Mentreal.
CHEESE.—Figures this week show a decided improvement in the cheese production as far as Quebec is concerned. The receipts in Montreal this week rank many thousand boxes better than receipts of last week. Despite this the receipts for the month are over eighty thousand boxes less than the same month last year. There is little export going on on account of the weakness of the foreign exchange at the presen: time. Local prices remain unchanged.

New, large, per lb	0	28
Twins, per lb	0	28
Triplets, per lb	0	28
Stilton, per lb	0	37
Fancy old cheese, per lb 0 34	0	35
Quebec 0 28	0	29

Shortening Steady

SHORTENING. - There is no change in the shortening market this week. The market is steady and no change is expected in the near future.

HORTENI	NG-						
Tierces, 4	00 lb	s., p	er lb			 0	2514
Tubs, 50						0	251/4
Pails, 20						. 0	26
Reicke 1						0	27

Lard Prices Remain Firm

LARD. -- The lard market has continued steady since the last decline in price. The sales are very good and in view of the situation at the packers and the shortage of hogs being bought the market will remain firm for some

LARD-	
Tierces, 360 lbs	0 26 1/2
Tubs, 60 lbs	0 27
Pails, 20 lbs	0 271/4
Bricks	0 29

Margarine Sales Slow

MARGARINE. - There is no change in the margarine prices this week. The market is quiet and sales are limited.

Prints, according to quality, lb. 0 35 0 40 Tubs, according to quality, lb. 0 31 0 34

Creamery Butter Scarce

BUTTER.—Creamery butter offerings have slightly fallen off this week. Probably the heavy harvest season has in some degree cut down the amount of cream brought to the creameries. The offerings fall far short of that of last year. Prices continue firm at the high level that has been current. The supply of dairy butter on the market locally has improved but the demand for it is limited. Prices are unchanged.

Creamery prints, qual., new	0 61
Do., solids, quality, new	0 60
Dairy, in tubs, choice	0 52
Dairy, prints	0 53

Montreal Imports Eggs

EGGS. - The shortage of eggs here has become so acute that in some cases eggs have been imported from the United States. This is just the reverse of what occurred last winter. There has been a steady drain on cold storage supplies and this may mean much higher prices in the winter. The market price this week is however unchanged but offerings are much short of the demand.

Fresh Fish in Good Supply

FRESH FISH. - There is no change this week in the fresh fish market. Fresh lake fish is coming in in better supply as is also Pacific halibut. Haddock and cod are in good supply.

FRESH FISH

Haddoek	0	08
Steak cod 0 10	0	11
Market cod	0	07
Mackerel		16
Flounders	0	08
Prawns	0	50
Live Lobsters	0	60
Skate		12
Shrimps	0	50

ONTARIO MARKETS

TORONTO, Sept. 10—The produce and provision markets show some declines this week. Beef cuts are all lower. Spring lamb and mutton are also lower. Calves are a shade higher. Eggs, butter and cheese are firm, but quotations are unchanged. Poultry is slightly easier and supplies have improved. The fish market is steady under an active demand.

Beef Cuts Lower

FRESH MEATS. — The run of cattle at the stock yards during the past week has shown considerable improvement which has resulted in beef cuts declining. Loins are down six cents per pound making the present quotations 30 to 36 cents. Other beef cuts are down around two cents per pound. Calves are a shade firmer. Spring lamb, yearling lamb and mutton are down two to three cents per pound. Live hogs are slightly higher but the general opinion is that the hog market will be easier within the next week.

FR	ESH	M	EA	TS

Hogs-		
Dressed, 70-100 lbs., per cwt 26 00	28	00
Live, off cars, per cwt 20 75	21	25
Live, fed and watered, per cwt. 20 50		00
Live, f.o.b., per cwt 19 50		75
Fresh Pork-		
Legs of pork, up to 18 lbs	0	39
Loins of pork, lb	0	45
Fresh hams, lb	0	40
Tenderloins, lb	0	61
Spare ribs	0	17
Pienies, lb.		28
New York shoulders, lb		321/4
Boston butts, lb		38
Montreal shoulders, lb	0	33
Fresh Beef-from Steers and Heifers-		-
Hind quarters, lb 0 26	0	28
Front quarters, lb 0 14		16
Ribs, lb 0 28		34
Chucks, lb 0 14		16
Loins, whole, lb 0 30		36
Hips, lb 0 23		26
Cow beef quotations about 2c per pou	1	
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Calves, lb 0 26	0	30
Spring lamb, lb 0 26	ACK TO	28
Spring lamo, 10 0 20		
Yearling, lamb, lb 0 20 Sheep, whole, lb 0 10	0	
Above prices subject to daily fluctuation	ns o	i the
market.		

Cured Meats Steady

Toronto

PROVISIONS. — Cured meats are ruling steady In one quarter boneless backs are quoted 2 cents per pound higher but generally quotations are unchanged. Dry salt meats and barrel pork are also unchanged.

Hams-		
Small, 6 to 12 lbs	0 4816	0 50
Medium, 12 to 20 lbs	0.4716	0 4814
Large, 20 to 35 lbs., each lb		0 4314
Heavy, 25 to 35 lbs		0 3814
Heavy, 35 lbs. and upwards		0 35 1/2
Backs-		
Skinned, rib, lb	0 52	0 54
Boneless, per lb	0 60	0 64
Rolled		0 67
Baeon-		
Breakfast, ordinary, per lb	0 46	0 48
Breakfast, fancy, per lb	0 49	0 58
Breakfast, special trim		0 60
Roll, per lb	0 35	0 38
Wiltshire (smoked sides), lb		0 41
Wiltshire, three-quarter cut	A STATE OF THE PARTY AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY	0 45
Wiltshire, middle		0 47
Dry Salt Meats-		
Long clear bacon, av., 50-70 lbs.		0 28
Do., av. 80-90 lbs		0 27
Clear bellies, 15-30 lbs		0 301/2
Fat backs, 10 to 12 lbs		0 25
Out of pickle prices range abou	t 2c per	pound
below corresponding cuts above.		
Barrel Pork-		
Mess pork, 200 lbs		38 00
areas born's and the		00 00

Short Pickled		acks, l			lbs.	••••	54	00
Lighty	veight						66	00
							60	00
Above	prices	subjec	t to	dail	y flu	ctuation	ns o	f the
market.								

Cooked Meats Unchanged

COOKED MEATS.—Boiled hams are quoted at 65 to 68 cents per pound according to the trim. Jellied meats are in better demand. Head cheese is quoted at 17 cents per pound. The market is steady with no price changes noted

Boiled hams, lb	0 65	0 68
Hams, roast, without dressing, lb.	0 63	0 65
Boiled shoulders		0 54
Head cheese, 6s, lb		0 17
Choice jellied ox tongue, lb		0.66
fellied calves tongue		0 52
		0 20
Large bologna, lb	0 17	0 18
Spice beef, lb		0 32
Above prices subject to daily flu	etuations	of the
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Egg Market Firmer

Toronto.

EGGS.—The egg market is a shade firmer this week. There is practically no movement in or out of storage at

the present time and there are indications that the market will remain quite firm. Fresh eggs are quoted at 60 to 63 cents per dozen and extra selects at 65 to 66 cents.

Prices shown are subject to daily the market.	fluctuations of	Di
Fresh selects in cartons		
Fresh	0 60 0 63	
Fresh, selects	0 65 0 66	

Cheese Market Ruling Firm

(HEESE. — The cheese market is drm with quotations ruling around 30 to 31 cents per pound. Prices on the board are up about 1 1-4 cents per pound but produce men have not changed quotations.

	le hi		cheese.	Triplets
	n			0 36
Do.	, new	 	 . 0 30	0 31
Large	e, old .	 		0 84
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Butter a Shade Firmer

BUTTER.—The butter market is firm with a good demand for the higher grades at the advanced prices noted last week. The lower grades of which there is a large supply are also a shade firmer. No. 1 quality creamery is quoted at 63 cents and the lower grades at 59 cents.

BUTTER—

Creamery, prints 0 59 0 68 Dairy prints, fresh, lb. 0 53 0 58 Lard Has Advanced

LARD. — The easy market for lard which has prevailed for some weeks,

has shown considerable strength during the week and quotations are up 1 1-2 cents per pound. The easy tone was caused by an over supplied market, These surplus stocks are now moved off which has resulted in the market condition as stated above.

LARD-		
1-lb. prints	0	29
	0	27
In 60-tlb. tubs, 1/2 cent higher than tierces		pails
% cent higher than tierces, and 1-lb. pri	nt	s 2e
higher than tierces.		

Shortening Steady

SHORTENING.—The market for shortening is ruling steady under the recent declines. It is the general opinion that the lowest prices have now been reached.

1-lb. prints		0 25
Tierces, 400 fbs	0 211/2	0 221/2
In 60-lb. tubs 1/2 cent higher than	tierces,	and in
20-lb. pails % cent higher than t		

Margarine Ouiet

MARGARINE.	.—Th	ere is	no	change
in margarine. under a steady	The	market		
MARGARINE-				
1-lb. prints, No. 1				0 37

1-lb. prints	s, No.	1	 	 		0 3
Do., No.	2		 	 		0 3
Do., No.	3		 	 		0 8
Nut Margari	ne. lb.		 	 	0 33	0 3

Fish in Active Demand

Fish.—There has been an increased demand for fish during the past week probably caused by the Canadian National Exhibition. Fresh herrings are slightly higher now quoted at 10 to 11 cents per pound but otherwise the market is steady.

FRESH SEA FISH. Cod Steak, lb. . . . 0 12 Do., market, lb. . . 0 04½ 0 07 Heddock, heads off, lb. Do., heads on, lb. . 0 10 0 11 Halibut, chicken . 0 18 0 19 Do., medium . 0 22 0 24

Halibut, chicken	0 18	. 0	19
Do., medium	0 28		24
Fresh Whitefish	0 18	0	19
Fresh Herring	0 10	0	11
Flounders, lb	0 09	0	10
Fresh Trout, lb	0 19	0	20
Fresh Salmon, Red Spring		0	30
Do., Rainbow	0 15	0	16
FROZEN FISH			
Halibut, medium	0 20	0	21
Do., Qualla		0	104
Flounders	0 10	. 0	11
Pike, round		0	40
Do., headless and dressed		0	09
SMOKED FISH			
Haddies, lb		0	18
Fillets, lb		0	18
Kippers, box	2 25		50

Poultry Prices Maintained

POULTRY. — There are good supplies of fowl arriving and prices paid by commission men are down around 2 cents per pound but quotations to retailers are unchanged.

tanets are unchanged.	
Prices paid by commission men Live	at Toronto: Dressed
Turkeys 30 35	\$0 40
Roosters 0 25	0 25
Fowl, over 5 lbs 0 82	0 32
Fowl, 4 to 5 lbs 0.30	0 30
Fowl, under 4 lbs 0 28	0 28
Ducklings 0 26	0 35
Guinea hens, pair 1 25	1 50
Spring chickens, live ' 0 33	0 40
Prices quoted to retail trade-	
	Dressed
Heans, heavy	0 32 0 38
Do., light	0 30 0 35
Chickens, spring	1
Ducklings	0 10

WINNIPEG MARKETS

Winnipeg is holding very steady. Hams and bacon are unchanged while we find cooked meats in good demand. Creamery butter is firm with upward tendencies. Egg receipts have dropped off and the market is becoming firmer. There is a good demand for all kinds of fish.

Hog Market Steady

Winnipeg.

FRESH MEAT.—The hog market remains unchanged, selects are being offered for \$20.25 per cwt. All other lines of fresh meat remain practically unchanged.

HUGS-			
Selected, live, cwt		20	25
Heavy, cwt		17	00
Light, cwt.		18	00
Sows, ewt		15	00
Fresh Pork-			
Legs of pork, up to 20 lbs., lb.		0	391/
Spare ribs, lb.			181/2
Loins of pork, lb.	0 371/4		41
Fresh hams, lb.	0 39		401/6
Tenderioin, lb			57
Picnics, Ib	0 27		2714
Shoulders, lb	0 28		30
Fresh Beef-from Steers and Hei	fers-		
Hind quarters, lb	0 21	0	29
Front quarters, lb	0 10		13
Whole carcass, good grade, lb.	0 15		22
Mutton-			
Choice wethers, 55-70 lbs., lb.,		0	25
Choice ewes, lb			20
Lambs—			
Choice, 30-45 lbs., lb	0 90	^	90
	0 28	0	80
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Ham and Bacon Steady

PROVISIONS. — Demand for ham and bacon remains very steady, with no change in prices.

HAMS-	
8 to 16 lbs., per lb	 0 51
16 to 20 lbs., per lb	 0 4614
Boneless, 8 to 15 lbs., per lb	 0 5214
Skinned, 14 to 18 lbs., per lb	
De 10 10 10 108., per 10	 0 49
Do., 18 to 22 lbs., per lb	 0 48
BACON-	
Backs, 5 to 12 lbs., smoked	 0 6114
Do., 12 to 16 lbs., smoked	
Do., 10 to 14 lbs., skinned and	 0 58
peamealed	 0 5914
Do., 4 to 10 lbs., sliced	
Cotton & to 10 108., Bliced	 0 611/2
Cottage rolls, boneless	 0 411/2
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Cooked Meats in Demand

COOKED MEATS.—The demand for cooked meats has been very active, prices remain steady.

nam, best quality, skinned, lb		0 70
Do., roast, lb	0 6716	0 69
Boiled shoulders	0 49	0 51
Head Cheese, in 1-lb. tins		0 21
Do., in 6-lb. tins, lb		0 19
Jellied Beef Tongue, lb		0 68
Jellied Pork Tongue, lb		0 6114
Baked Luncheon Loaf, lb		0 24

Creamery Butter Firm

BUTTER.—Creamery butter is firm with possibility of higher prices in very near future. The supply of dairy butter is fairly good.

Creamery, Best table grade		0.63
Dairy Butter, best table grade.		0 50
Margarine	0 37	0 39

Cheese Market Varies

Winnipeg.

CHEESE.—The cheese market has varied considerably. The market declined, but has since reacted, advancing one cent per pound recently.

ent per	pound recently.	
Ontario,	large, per lb	0 33
	vins, per lb.	0 3314

Manitoba	large,	per	lb.	 	0	30
Do., tw	ins, per	r lb.		 	0	31

Eggs Firmer

Winnipeg.

EGGS.—Egg receipts have dropped off considerably during the past week and and the market has shown a firmer tendency. Fresh farm eggs are quoted at 65 cents a dozen, with fresh candled being offered at 50 cents a dozen.

Lard Steady

Winnipeg.

LARD.—There has been no change in the lard and shortening market since last report. Lard is being quoted at 28 1-2 cents pound and shortening at 23 1-2 per pound.

Pure Lard, No. 1 quality, per lb. (in tierces of 400 pounds.)	 0 281/2
	 6 20
· pails, per pail	 5 20
Shortening, tierces of 400 lbs., per lb.	 0 231/2

Fish in Good Demand

Winnipeg.

FISH.—Good supplies of fresh halibut, salmon, pickerel and trout are arriving daily. The demand is exceptionally good, with no change in prices.

FRESH FISH

Fresh	Whitefish, per lb	0	15
Fresh	Halibut, per lb	0	22
	Salmon, per lb	0	34
	Pickerel, per lb	0	16
	Trout, per lb	0	22

Consistently Read and Studied Canadian Grocer

The buyer for a large wholesaler in Western Canada came to the West a few years ago and started as a clerk for an Italian grocer. The store was dirty, the stock was a jumble, but that Italian had the knack of making friends, keeping them, and making money. The clerk earned more than he got. He continued to earn more than he received. He got more. He studied the grocery business, and, as he said himself, "I have consistently read and studied Canadian Grocer for years, and probably that is why I sit here, instead of writing invoices."

J. W. Hanley, proprietor of the McLean Grocery, Moose Jaw, Sask., has returned from a four month's trip to his native home in the Old Country—Cumberland County, England. Mrs. Hanley accompanied him. He attended the Canadian National Exhibition and was a visitor at the Toronto office of Canadian Grocer on his way west.

Organizes New Branches of R.M.A. in Eastern Ontario

J. C. Campbell, secretary of the Ottawa and Eastern Ontario district of the Retail Merchants' Association, recently made an automobile trip through the eastern part of the province, organizing and generally furthering the interests of the retail trade in many small centres. He was accompanied on part of his trip by Henry Watters of the National Association and U. J. Gosselin, organizer. New branches were opened at Winchester, Chesterville and Cardinal, Ont., and the way was paved for the establishment of six additional branches in different places some time next month. On the trip, altogether 80 new members were gained for the association, and merchants generally were impressed with the useful work being accomplished by the association, and were very optimistic in regard to future retail trade conditions.

SUSPENSION OF APPLE ORDER United Kingdom Announces Suspension of Apple Control Order from Aug. 1 to Nov. 14

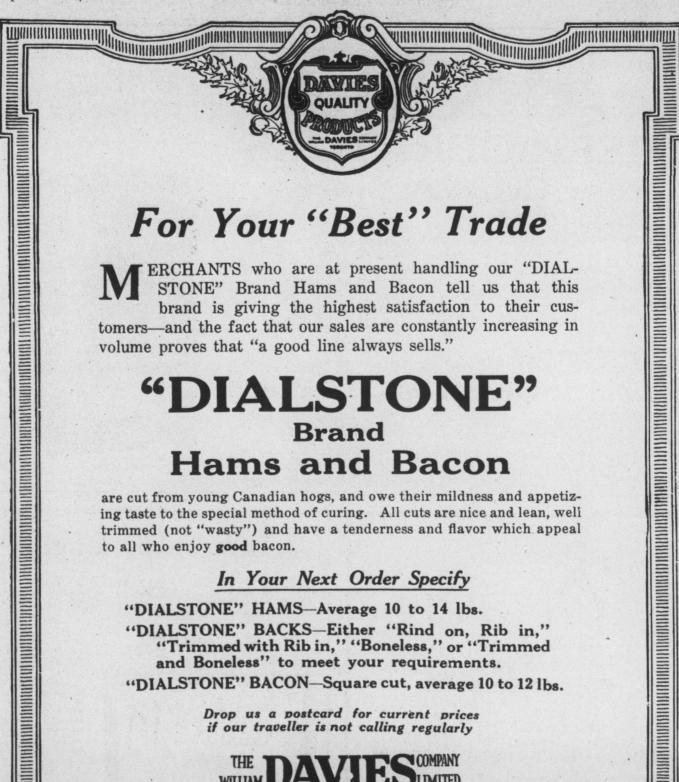
The Food Administration of United Kingdom have announced the suspension of the Apple Control Order from August 1 to November 14. After November 14 the maximum retail price of apples will be 10d. per pound, which is 1d per pound in excess of the maxi mum retail price obtaining since December 6, 1918. After November 14 the maximum control price to primary handlers will again be effective, but it is expected that a new schedule will be issued shortly, and as the retail maximum has been raised it is assumed that the wholesale maximum will also be slightly advanced.

The following cable has been received from A. E. Griffith, Dominion Department of Agriculture, officially dated London, England, August 7.

"On and after November 15 Canadian, Maine and Western State apples in barrels of not less than 12 pounds will be controlled at maximum first receivers' price of 68s per barrel. British Columbian, Washington, Californian and Oregon apples in boxes not less than 40 pounds, 23s 6d per box; not less than 37 pounds 61s 2d per box."

W. H. Staten, of Chas. E. Cormier Rice Co., Ltd., of New Orleans, was a recent visitor to Winnipeg, and is renewing his acquaintance with the Western representatives, the Donald H. Bain Company.

The night watchman at the plant of Libby, Mceil and Libby, Chatham, Ont., was held up at the point of a revolver the other night, and after binding him and gagging him, searched the premises, but made their flight before obtaining the object of their raid.



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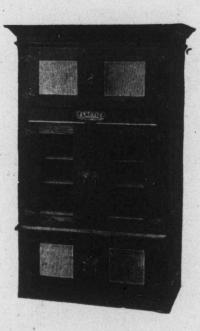
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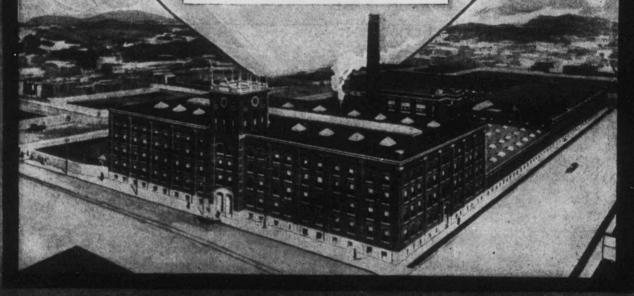


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Slabs, per lb	0 47
Plain Wilk Chocolate Slabs	0 47
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Maple Buds, fancy, 1 lb., 1/2	6 25
doz. in box, per doz	3 85
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Assorted Chocolate, ½ lb., 1 doz. in box, per doz. Chocolate Ginger, ½ lb., 1 doz. in box, per doz.	3 35
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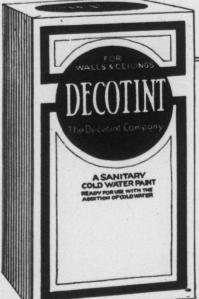
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