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RETAIL PRICES, 1890 TO 1927

INTRODUCTION

Reports on retail prices have been published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics since 1904. In that year a report was issued covering all years from 1890 to 1903.¹ Annual statistics from 1904 to 1926, together with summaries back to 1890, have been included in various bulletins on retail prices.² Since July, 1915, the Labor Review has also contained much information on the subject. In the earlier reports only food articles were included, but since 1907 coal and gas have been added. In 1922 the bureau began the collection of prices of electricity for household use, the information extending back to December, 1913. In the present bulletin the record for all retail prices has been brought up to the end of 1927.

PART I.—FOOD

RETAIL PRICES OF FOOD IN 1927

Retail prices of foods averaged lower in 1927 than in the preceding year. This was particularly true of pork products, poultry, eggs, flour and bread, rice, coffee, and potatoes. Beef, milk, butter, cheese, corn meal, tea, and sugar, on the other hand, were higher than in 1926.

Prices of fresh beef, including sirloin and round steak, rib and chuck roast, and plate beef, steadily increased during the year, sirloin and round steak weakening in October and November but reacting in the next month. Pork chops were highest in fall months, while bacon and ham steadily declined in price throughout the year. Lard prices decreased in the first half but recovered somewhat in the second half of the year.

Butter prices were erratic, increasing in the early months, declining in spring and summer, and increasing again in fall and winter to a level equal to that of January. Eggs showed marked seasonal fluctuations, slumping from January to June and rising rapidly thereafter. Prices in December were 78 per cent higher than in June. Bread and flour prices decreased in the year, while corn meal advanced slightly. Rice showed a minor decrease. Potatoes declined from January to April, but rose steeply in June. In the second half of the year prices declined again, remaining stationary in the last three months at the lowest level in two years.

¹ Eighteenth Annual Report of the Commissioner of Labor, 1903.

² Bulletins Nos. 59, 65, 71, 77, 105, 106, 108, 110, 113, 115, 125, 132, 136, 138, 140, 156, 184, 197, 228, 270, 300, 315, 334, 366, 396, 418, and 445. A history of the bureau's investigations of retail prices will be found in Bulletin No. 396.

Sugar and coffee both declined in price within the year, while tea was practically stationary. All commodities, as measured by the weighted food index, declined from January to April, increased in May and June, declined again in July and August, and increased again in November, with a slight decrease in December. The general price level for December was 4 per cent lower than the level for December, 1926.

Table 1 shows the per cent of increase in the average retail price of each of 22 important food articles in 1927 compared with 1913, arranged according to increase.

TABLE 1.—PER CENT OF INCREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF 22 ARTICLES OF FOOD IN 1927 COMPARED WITH 1913

Article	Per cent of increase in 1927 compared with 1913	Article	Per cent of increase in 1927 compared with 1913	Article	Per cent of increase in 1927 compared with 1913
Potatoes.....	123.5	Flour.....	66.7	Tea.....	42.5
Ham.....	104.5	Round steak.....	66.4	Sugar.....	32.7
Pork chops.....	75.2	Bread.....	66.1	Eggs.....	31.0
Bacon.....	74.8	Coffee.....	62.1	Plate beef.....	27.3
Corn meal.....	73.3	Milk.....	58.4	Rice.....	23.0
Hens.....	73.2	Rib roast.....	58.1	Lard.....	22.2
Cheese.....	70.1	Chuck roast.....	48.1		
Sirloin steak.....	67.7	Butter.....	45.2		

YEARLY PRICE CHANGES OF FOOD, 1890 TO 1927

Index numbers showing yearly price changes in the retail cost of food since 1890 are given in Table 2 and Chart 1, which follow. In computing these index numbers 30 articles were included for the years 1890 to 1907, 15 articles for the years 1908 to 1912, 22 articles for the years 1913 to 1920, and 43 articles for the years 1921 to 1927. While the number of articles has thus varied considerably during the period stated, the figures have been so computed as to be entirely comparable with one another, and they may be accepted as showing correctly the trend of retail prices in the United States. Chart 1, like all other charts in the present bulletin, has been drawn on the logarithmic scale in order that the percentage changes may be more clearly seen.³

TABLE 2.—INDEX NUMBERS SHOWING TREND IN THE RETAIL COST OF FOOD IN THE UNITED STATES, BY YEARS, 1890 TO 1927*

[Average for year 1913=100.0]

Year	Index number	Year	Index number	Year	Index number	Year	Index number
1890.....	69.6	1900.....	68.7	1910.....	93.0	1920.....	203.4
1891.....	70.6	1901.....	71.5	1911.....	92.0	1921.....	153.3
1892.....	69.3	1902.....	75.4	1912.....	97.6	1922.....	141.6
1893.....	71.0	1903.....	75.0	1913.....	100.0	1923.....	146.2
1894.....	67.8	1904.....	76.0	1914.....	102.4	1924.....	145.9
1895.....	66.5	1905.....	76.4	1915.....	101.3	1925.....	157.4
1896.....	64.9	1906.....	78.4	1916.....	113.7	1926.....	160.6
1897.....	65.4	1907.....	82.0	1917.....	146.4	1927.....	155.4
1898.....	67.1	1908.....	84.3	1918.....	168.8		
1899.....	67.7	1909.....	88.7	1919.....	185.9		

* For an explanation of the method used in constructing these index numbers see pp. 16 and 17.

³ For a discussion of the logarithmic chart see the Monthly Labor Review for March, 1919, pp. 20-34.

CHART 1

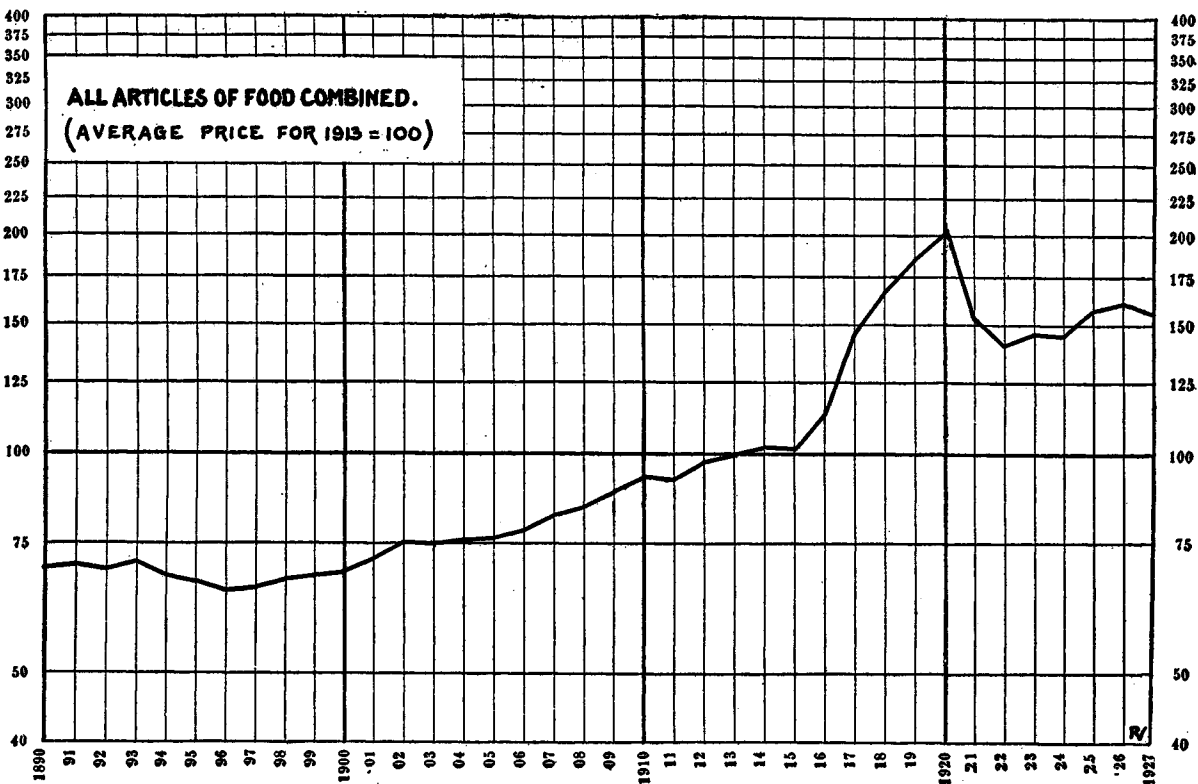


Table 3 shows the changes in the retail prices of certain articles of food, as well as the changes in the amounts of these articles that could be purchased for \$1, over the period since 1890. Prices for sirloin steak and for rib roast are not given for years prior to 1907, as satisfactory information was not available until that time.

TABLE 3.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF 15 ARTICLES OF FOOD AND AMOUNT PURCHASABLE FOR \$1 IN THE UNITED STATES, 1890 TO 1927

Year	Sirloin steak		Round steak		Rib roast		Pork chops		Bacon	
	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1
	Cents per lb.	Lbs.	Cents per lb.	Lbs.	Cents per lb.	Lbs.	Cents per lb.	Lbs.	Cents per lb.	Lbs.
1890.....			12.3	8.1			10.7	9.3	12.5	8.0
1891.....			12.4	8.1			10.9	9.2	12.6	7.9
1892.....			12.4	8.1			11.1	9.0	12.9	7.8
1893.....			12.4	8.1			11.8	8.5	14.2	7.0
1894.....			12.2	8.2			11.2	8.9	13.5	7.4
1895.....			12.3	8.1			11.0	9.1	13.0	7.7
1896.....			12.4	8.1			10.7	9.3	12.6	7.9
1897.....			12.5	8.0			10.8	9.3	12.7	7.9
1898.....			12.7	7.9			10.9	9.2	13.1	7.6
1899.....			12.9	7.8			11.2	8.9	13.4	7.5
1900.....			13.2	7.6			11.9	8.4	14.3	7.0
1901.....			13.8	7.2			13.0	7.7	15.8	6.3
1902.....			14.7	6.8			14.1	7.1	17.7	5.6
1903.....			14.0	7.1			14.0	7.1	18.2	5.5
1904.....			14.1	7.1			13.7	7.3	18.0	5.6
1905.....			14.0	7.1			13.9	7.2	18.1	5.5
1906.....			14.5	6.9			15.2	6.6	19.6	5.1
1907.....	18.2	5.5	15.2	6.6	15.1	6.6	15.6	6.4	20.1	5.0
1908.....	18.6	5.4	15.9	6.3	15.5	6.5	16.0	6.3	20.7	4.8
1909.....	19.5	5.1	16.4	6.1	16.1	6.2	17.4	5.7	22.4	4.5
1910.....	20.4	4.9	17.4	5.7	16.7	6.0	19.2	5.2	25.5	3.9
1911.....	20.5	4.9	17.5	5.7	16.8	6.0	17.9	5.6	24.7	4.0
1912.....	23.1	4.3	19.9	5.0	18.5	5.4	19.2	5.2	24.4	4.1
1913.....	25.4	3.9	22.3	4.5	19.8	5.1	21.0	4.8	27.0	3.7
1914.....	25.9	3.9	23.6	4.2	20.4	4.9	22.0	4.5	27.5	3.6
1915.....	25.7	3.9	23.0	4.3	20.1	5.0	20.3	4.9	26.9	3.7
1916.....	27.3	3.7	24.5	4.1	21.2	4.7	22.7	4.4	28.7	3.5
1917.....	31.5	3.2	29.0	3.4	24.9	4.0	31.9	3.1	41.0	2.4
1918.....	38.9	2.6	36.9	2.7	30.7	3.3	39.0	2.6	52.9	1.9
1919.....	41.7	2.4	38.9	2.6	32.5	3.1	42.3	2.4	55.4	1.8
1920.....	43.7	2.3	39.5	2.5	33.2	3.0	42.3	2.4	52.3	1.9
1921.....	38.8	2.6	34.4	2.9	29.1	3.4	34.9	2.9	42.7	2.3
1922.....	37.4	2.7	32.3	3.1	27.6	3.6	33.0	3.0	39.8	2.5
1923.....	39.1	2.6	33.5	3.0	28.4	3.5	30.4	3.3	39.1	2.6
1924.....	39.6	2.5	33.8	3.0	28.8	3.5	30.8	3.2	37.7	2.7
1925.....	40.6	2.5	34.7	2.9	29.6	3.4	36.6	2.7	46.7	2.1
1926.....	41.3	2.4	35.6	2.8	30.3	3.3	39.5	2.5	50.3	2.0
1927.....	42.6	2.3	37.1	2.7	31.3	3.2	36.8	2.7	47.2	2.1

TABLE 3.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF 15 ARTICLES OF FOOD AND AMOUNT PURCHASABLE FOR \$1 IN THE UNITED STATES, 1890 TO 1927—Continued

Year	Ham		Hens		Milk		Butter		Lard	
	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1
	Cents per lb.	Lbs.	Cents per lb.	Lbs.	Cents per qt.	Qts.	Cents per lb.	Lbs.	Cents per lb.	Lbs.
1890	15.2	6.6	13.5	7.4	6.8	14.7	25.5	3.9	9.3	10.8
1891	15.3	6.5	13.9	7.2	6.8	14.7	27.4	3.6	9.4	10.6
1892	15.7	6.4	13.8	7.2	6.8	14.7	27.5	3.6	9.8	10.2
1893	16.8	6.0	13.9	7.2	6.8	14.7	28.3	3.5	11.2	8.9
1894	15.7	6.4	13.1	7.6	6.8	14.7	26.1	3.8	10.1	9.9
1895	15.2	6.6	13.1	7.6	6.8	14.7	24.9	4.0	9.5	10.5
1896	15.0	6.7	12.9	7.8	6.8	14.7	23.8	4.2	8.8	11.4
1897	15.1	6.6	12.5	8.0	6.7	14.9	23.9	4.2	8.5	11.8
1898	14.6	6.8	12.9	7.8	6.7	14.9	24.4	4.1	8.9	11.2
1899	15.3	6.5	13.6	7.4	6.7	14.9	25.1	4.0	9.2	10.9
1900	16.2	6.2	13.4	7.5	6.8	14.7	26.1	3.8	9.9	10.1
1901	16.9	5.9	13.7	7.3	6.8	14.7	26.5	3.8	11.2	8.9
1902	18.4	5.4	15.1	6.6	7.0	14.3	28.7	3.5	12.7	7.9
1903	18.7	5.3	15.8	6.3	7.2	13.9	28.5	3.5	12.0	8.3
1904	18.2	5.5	16.1	6.2	7.2	13.9	28.0	3.6	11.1	9.0
1905	18.2	5.5	16.5	6.1	7.2	13.9	29.0	3.4	11.0	9.1
1906	19.6	5.1	17.2	5.8	7.4	13.5	30.4	3.3	12.1	8.3
1907	20.4	4.9	17.3	5.8	7.8	12.8	32.7	3.1	12.7	7.9
1908	20.9	4.8	17.7	5.6	8.0	12.5	32.8	3.0	12.7	7.9
1909	22.1	4.5	18.9	5.3	8.1	12.3	34.5	2.9	14.2	7.0
1910	24.6	4.1	19.9	5.0	8.4	11.9	35.9	2.8	16.4	6.1
1911	24.0	4.2	19.4	5.2	8.5	11.8	33.7	3.0	14.0	7.1
1912	24.4	4.1	19.9	5.0	8.7	11.5	37.4	2.7	14.8	6.8
1913	26.9	3.7	21.3	4.7	8.9	11.2	38.3	2.6	15.8	6.3
1914	27.3	3.7	21.8	4.6	8.9	11.2	36.2	2.8	15.6	6.4
1915	26.1	3.8	20.8	4.8	8.8	11.4	35.8	2.8	14.8	6.8
1916	29.4	3.4	23.6	4.2	9.1	11.0	39.4	2.5	17.5	5.7
1917	38.2	2.6	28.6	3.5	11.2	9.0	48.7	2.1	27.6	3.6
1918	47.9	2.1	37.7	2.7	13.9	7.2	57.7	1.7	33.3	3.0
1919	53.4	1.9	41.1	2.4	15.5	6.5	67.8	1.5	36.9	2.7
1920	55.5	1.8	44.7	2.2	16.7	6.0	70.1	1.4	29.5	3.4
1921	48.8	2.0	39.7	2.5	14.6	6.8	51.7	1.9	18.0	5.6
1922	48.8	2.0	36.0	2.8	13.1	7.6	47.9	2.1	17.0	5.9
1923	45.5	2.2	35.0	2.9	13.8	7.2	55.4	1.8	17.7	5.6
1924	45.3	2.2	35.3	2.8	13.8	7.2	51.7	1.9	19.0	5.3
1925	52.6	1.9	36.6	2.7	14.0	7.1	54.8	1.8	23.3	4.3
1926	57.4	1.7	38.8	2.6	14.0	7.1	53.1	1.9	21.9	4.6
1927	55.0	1.8	36.9	2.7	14.1	7.1	55.6	1.8	19.3	5.2

TABLE 3.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF 15 ARTICLES OF FOOD AND AMOUNT PURCHASABLE FOR \$1 IN THE UNITED STATES, 1890 TO 1927—Continued

Year	Eggs		Flour		Corn meal		Potatoes		Sugar	
	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1	Average retail price	Amount bought for \$1
	<i>Cents per doz.</i>	<i>Dozs.</i>	<i>Cents per lb.</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>Cents per lb.</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>Cents per lb.</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>Cents per lb.</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>
1890.....	20.8	4.8	2.9	34.5	1.9	52.6	1.6	62.5	6.9	14.5
1891.....	22.1	4.5	3.0	33.3	2.1	47.6	1.8	55.6	6.0	16.7
1892.....	22.1	4.5	2.8	35.7	2.0	50.0	1.4	71.4	5.6	17.9
1893.....	22.4	4.5	2.5	40.0	2.0	50.0	1.7	58.8	5.9	16.9
1894.....	19.9	5.0	2.3	43.5	1.9	52.6	1.5	66.7	5.5	18.2
1895.....	20.6	4.9	2.4	41.7	1.9	52.6	1.4	71.4	5.3	18.9
1896.....	19.2	5.2	2.5	40.0	1.8	55.6	1.2	83.3	5.6	17.9
1897.....	18.9	5.3	2.8	35.7	1.8	55.6	1.4	71.4	5.6	17.9
1898.....	19.9	5.0	2.8	35.7	1.8	55.6	1.6	62.5	5.9	16.9
1899.....	20.9	4.8	2.5	40.0	1.8	55.6	1.5	66.7	5.9	16.9
1900.....	20.7	4.8	2.5	40.0	1.9	52.6	1.4	71.4	6.1	16.4
1901.....	21.9	4.6	2.5	40.0	2.0	50.0	1.8	55.6	6.0	16.7
1902.....	24.7	4.0	2.5	40.0	2.3	43.5	1.8	55.6	5.6	17.9
1903.....	25.9	3.9	2.7	37.0	2.3	43.5	1.7	58.8	5.6	17.9
1904.....	27.1	3.7	3.2	31.3	2.3	43.5	1.8	55.6	5.9	16.9
1905.....	27.2	3.7	3.2	31.3	2.3	43.5	1.7	58.8	6.0	16.7
1906.....	27.8	3.6	2.9	34.5	2.3	43.5	1.7	58.8	5.7	17.5
1907.....	29.0	3.4	3.1	32.3	2.6	38.5	1.8	55.6	5.8	17.2
1908.....	29.7	3.4	3.3	30.3	2.8	35.7	1.9	52.6	5.9	16.9
1909.....	31.9	3.1	3.6	27.8	2.8	35.7	1.9	52.6	5.9	16.9
1910.....	33.7	3.0	3.6	27.8	2.8	35.7	1.7	58.8	6.0	16.7
1911.....	32.3	3.1	3.4	29.4	2.8	35.7	2.2	45.5	6.1	16.4
1912.....	34.1	2.9	3.5	28.6	3.0	33.3	2.2	45.5	6.3	15.9
1913.....	34.5	2.9	3.3	30.3	3.0	33.3	1.7	58.8	5.5	18.2
1914.....	35.3	2.8	3.4	29.4	3.2	31.3	1.8	55.6	5.9	16.9
1915.....	34.1	2.9	4.2	23.8	3.3	30.3	1.5	66.7	6.6	15.2
1916.....	37.5	2.7	4.4	22.7	3.4	29.4	2.7	37.0	8.0	12.5
1917.....	48.1	2.1	7.0	14.3	5.8	17.2	4.3	23.3	9.3	10.8
1918.....	56.9	1.8	6.7	14.9	6.8	14.7	3.2	31.3	9.7	10.3
1919.....	62.8	1.6	7.2	13.9	6.4	15.6	3.8	26.3	11.3	8.8
1920.....	68.1	1.5	8.1	12.3	6.5	15.4	6.3	15.9	19.4	5.2
1921.....	50.9	2.0	5.8	17.2	4.5	22.2	3.1	32.3	8.0	12.5
1922.....	44.4	2.3	5.1	19.6	3.9	25.6	2.8	35.7	7.3	13.7
1923.....	46.5	2.2	4.7	21.3	4.1	24.4	2.9	34.5	10.1	9.9
1924.....	47.8	2.1	4.9	20.4	4.7	21.3	2.7	37.0	9.2	10.9
1925.....	52.1	1.9	6.1	16.4	5.4	18.5	3.6	27.8	7.2	13.9
1926.....	48.5	2.1	6.0	16.7	5.1	19.6	4.9	20.4	6.9	14.5
1927.....	45.2	2.2	5.5	18.2	5.2	19.2	3.8	26.3	7.3	13.7

Index numbers showing changes in the retail prices of the foregoing 15 articles of food for the years 1907 to 1927 and of 7 additional articles for the years 1913 to 1927 are contained in Table 4, which follows. All index numbers are based on average prices in 1913 as 100.

TABLE 4.—INDEX NUMBERS SHOWING CHANGES IN THE RETAIL PRICES OF 22 ARTICLES OF FOOD IN THE UNITED STATES, BY YEARS, 1907 TO 1927
[Average for year 1913=100.0]

Year	Sirloin steak	Round steak	Rib roast	Chuck roast	Plate beef	Pork chops	Bacon	Ham	Hens	Milk	Butter
1907	71.5	68.0	76.1	-----	-----	74.3	74.4	75.7	81.4	87.2	85.3
1908	73.3	71.2	78.1	-----	-----	76.1	76.9	77.6	83.0	89.6	85.5
1909	76.6	73.5	81.3	-----	-----	82.7	82.9	82.0	88.5	91.3	90.1
1910	80.3	77.9	84.6	-----	-----	91.6	94.5	91.4	93.6	94.6	93.8
1911	80.6	78.7	84.8	-----	-----	85.1	91.3	89.3	91.0	95.5	87.9
1912	91.0	89.3	93.6	-----	-----	91.2	90.5	90.6	93.5	97.4	97.7
1913	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914	102.0	105.8	103.0	104.4	104.1	104.6	101.8	101.7	102.2	100.5	94.4
1915	101.1	103.0	101.4	100.6	100.0	96.4	99.8	97.2	97.5	99.2	93.4
1916	107.5	109.7	107.4	106.9	106.0	108.3	106.4	109.2	110.7	102.2	103.0
1917	124.0	129.8	125.5	130.6	129.8	151.7	151.9	142.2	134.5	125.4	127.2
1918	153.2	165.5	155.1	166.3	170.2	185.7	195.9	178.1	177.0	156.2	150.7
1919	164.2	174.4	164.1	168.8	166.9	201.4	205.2	198.5	193.0	174.2	177.0
1920	172.1	177.1	167.7	163.8	151.2	201.4	193.7	206.3	209.9	187.6	183.0
1921	152.8	154.3	147.0	132.5	118.2	166.2	158.2	181.4	186.4	164.0	135.0
1922	147.2	144.8	139.4	123.1	105.8	157.1	147.4	181.4	169.0	147.2	125.1
1923	153.9	150.2	143.4	126.3	106.6	144.8	144.8	169.1	164.3	155.1	144.7
1924	155.9	151.6	145.5	130.0	109.1	146.7	139.6	168.4	165.7	155.1	135.0
1925	159.8	155.6	149.5	135.0	114.1	174.3	173.0	195.5	171.8	157.3	143.1
1926	162.6	159.6	153.0	140.6	120.7	188.1	186.3	213.4	182.2	157.3	138.6
1927	167.7	166.4	158.1	148.1	127.3	175.2	174.8	204.5	173.2	158.4	145.2

Year	Cheese	Lard	Eggs	Bread	Flour	Corn meal	Rice	Pota- toes	Sugar	Tea	Coffee	All arti- cles *
1907	-----	80.7	84.1	-----	95.0	87.6	-----	105.3	105.3	-----	-----	82.0
1908	-----	80.5	86.1	-----	101.5	92.2	-----	111.2	107.7	-----	-----	84.3
1909	-----	90.1	92.6	-----	109.4	93.9	-----	112.3	106.6	-----	-----	88.7
1910	-----	103.8	97.7	-----	108.2	94.9	-----	101.0	109.3	-----	-----	93.0
1911	-----	88.4	93.5	-----	101.6	94.3	-----	130.5	111.4	-----	-----	92.0
1912	-----	93.5	98.9	-----	105.2	101.6	-----	132.1	115.1	-----	-----	97.6
1913	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914	103.6	98.6	102.3	112.5	103.9	105.1	101.2	108.3	108.2	100.4	99.7	102.4
1915	105.0	93.4	98.7	125.0	125.8	108.4	104.3	88.9	120.1	100.2	100.6	101.3
1916	116.7	111.0	108.8	130.4	134.6	112.6	104.6	158.8	146.4	100.4	100.3	113.7
1917	150.4	174.9	139.4	164.3	211.2	192.2	119.0	252.7	169.3	106.9	101.4	146.4
1918	162.4	210.8	164.9	175.0	203.0	225.7	148.3	188.2	176.4	119.1	102.4	168.3
1919	192.8	233.5	182.0	178.6	218.2	213.3	173.6	223.5	205.5	128.9	145.3	185.9
1920	188.2	186.7	197.4	205.4	245.5	216.7	200.0	370.6	352.7	134.7	157.7	203.4
1921	153.9	113.9	147.5	176.8	175.8	150.0	109.2	182.4	145.5	128.1	121.8	153.3
1922	148.9	107.6	128.7	155.4	154.5	130.0	109.2	164.7	132.7	125.2	121.1	141.6
1923	167.0	112.0	134.8	155.4	142.4	136.7	109.2	170.6	133.6	127.8	126.5	146.2
1924	159.7	120.3	138.6	157.1	148.5	156.7	116.1	158.8	167.3	131.4	145.3	145.9
1925	166.1	147.5	151.0	167.9	184.8	180.0	127.6	211.8	130.9	138.8	172.8	157.4
1926	165.6	138.6	140.6	167.9	181.8	170.0	133.3	288.2	125.5	141.0	171.1	160.6
1927	170.1	122.2	131.0	166.1	166.7	173.3	123.0	223.5	132.7	142.5	162.1	155.4

* 30 articles in 1907; 15 articles in 1908-1912; 22 articles in 1913-1920; 43 articles in 1921-1927.

MONTHLY PRICE CHANGES OF FOOD, 1918 TO 1927

ALL ARTICLES COMBINED

Retail price movements during the period 1913 to 1927 for the United States as a whole are shown in Table 5,⁴ monthly data being given for the years 1918 to 1927. The year 1913 forms the base period, and average prices in all years and months are measured in terms of average prices in that year. To aid in the comparison there is also shown the per cent of increase or decrease in prices for each year or month as compared with the preceding year or month. As will be seen, the retail cost of food reached the peak in July, 1920, when prices were 119.2 per cent above the 1913 level. In March, 1922, prices had fallen to 38.7 per cent above the 1913 level, but they increased to 67.1 per cent above that level in November, 1925. In December, 1927, they were 55.9 per cent above the 1913 level.

⁴ Comparable information for the months of 1913 to 1917, inclusive, will be found in Bulletin No. 396, p. 12. Changes in the cost of food from 1918 to 1927 are shown in graphic form in Charts 2 to 16.

TABLE 5.—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL COST AND PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN ALL ARTICLES OF FOOD COMBINED FOR THE UNITED STATES, 1913 TO DECEMBER, 1927

Year and month	Index number (average cost for 1913=100)	Per cent of increase (+) or decrease (—) each specified year as compared with year preceding and month with month preceding	Year and month	Index number (average cost for 1913=100)	Per cent of increase (+) or decrease (—) each specified year as compared with year preceding and month with month preceding
1913: Average for year	100.0	-----	1923: Average for year	146.2	+3.3
1914: Average for year	102.4	+2.4	January.....	144.4	-1.5
1915: Average for year	101.3	-1.1	February.....	142.3	-1.5
1916: Average for year	118.7	+12.3	March.....	141.9	-2
1917: Average for year	146.4	+28.7	April.....	143.1	+8
1918: Average for year	168.3	+15.0	May.....	143.4	+2
January.....	160.3	+2.3	June.....	144.3	+6
February.....	161.1	+5	July.....	147.2	+2.0
March.....	153.8	-4.5	August.....	146.4	-5
April.....	154.0	+1	September.....	149.3	+2.0
May.....	158.2	+2.7	October.....	149.8	+4
June.....	162.0	+2.4	November.....	151.1	+8
July.....	167.6	+3.4	December.....	150.3	+5
August.....	171.1	+2.1			
September.....	177.9	+4.0	1924: Average for year	145.9	-2
October.....	181.0	+1.7	January.....	149.1	-8
November.....	183.4	+1.3	February.....	147.3	-1.2
December.....	186.6	+1.7	March.....	143.7	-2.5
1919: Average for year	185.9	+10.4	April.....	141.3	-1.6
January.....	185.2	-8	May.....	141.0	-2
February.....	172.0	-7.1	June.....	142.4	+1.0
March.....	175.3	+1.9	July.....	143.3	+6
April.....	181.7	+3.6	August.....	144.2	+6
May.....	184.9	+1.8	September.....	146.8	+1.8
June.....	184.0	-5	October.....	148.7	+1.3
July.....	190.0	+3.3	November.....	150.1	+9
August.....	191.8	+1.0	December.....	151.5	+1.0
September.....	188.3	-1.8			
October.....	188.6	+1	1925: Average for year	157.4	+7.9
November.....	192.2	+1.9	January.....	154.3	+1.8
December.....	196.6	+2.3	February.....	151.4	-1.9
1920: Average for year	203.4	+8.4	March.....	151.1	-2
January.....	201.2	+2.4	April.....	150.8	-2
February.....	200.0	-6	May.....	151.6	+5
March.....	200.0	(1)	June.....	155.0	+2.2
April.....	210.6	+5.3	July.....	159.9	+3.2
May.....	215.5	+2.3	August.....	160.4	+3
June.....	218.7	+1.5	September.....	159.0	-9
July.....	219.2	+2	October.....	161.6	+1.6
August.....	206.7	-5.7	November.....	167.1	+3.4
September.....	203.7	-1.4	December.....	165.5	-1.0
October.....	198.4	-2.6			
November.....	193.3	-2.6	1926: Average for year	160.6	+2.0
December.....	177.9	-8.0	January.....	164.3	-7
1921: Average for year	153.3	-24.6	February.....	161.5	-1.7
January.....	172.4	-3.1	March.....	159.9	-1.0
February.....	157.7	-8.5	April.....	162.4	+1.6
March.....	156.1	-1.0	May.....	161.1	-8
April.....	152.1	-2.6	June.....	159.7	-9
May.....	144.7	-4.8	July.....	157.0	-1.7
June.....	144.4	-3	August.....	155.7	-8
July.....	148.4	+2.8	September.....	158.5	+1.8
August.....	154.7	+4.3	October.....	160.0	+9
September.....	153.1	-1.1	November.....	161.6	+1.0
October.....	152.6	-3	December.....	161.8	+1
November.....	151.7	-5			
December.....	149.9	-1.3	1927: Average for year	155.4	-3.2
1922: Average for year	141.6	-7.6	January.....	159.3	-1.5
January.....	142.0	-5.3	February.....	156.0	-2.1
February.....	141.6	-3	March.....	153.8	-1.4
March.....	138.7	-2.0	April.....	153.6	-1
April.....	138.9	+1	May.....	155.4	+1.2
May.....	139.2	+2	June.....	158.5	+2.0
June.....	140.7	+1.1	July.....	153.4	-3.2
July.....	142.1	+1.0	August.....	152.4	-6
August.....	138.7	-2.4	September.....	154.0	+1.0
September.....	139.7	+7	October.....	156.1	+1.4
October.....	142.6	+2.1	November.....	156.5	+2
November.....	144.9	+1.6	December.....	155.9	-4
December.....	146.6	+1.2			

1 No change.

CEREALS, MEATS, AND DAIRY PRODUCTS

Table 6 shows the trend in the retail cost of three important groups of food commodities, viz, cereals, meats, and dairy products from 1913 to 1927.⁵ From 1913 to December, 1920, inclusive, these groups have been composed of articles selected from the 22 foods for which the bureau had figures showing the average family consumption. For the months of 1921 to 1927, inclusive, the groups include all of the articles previously used and six additional articles.

In computing the figures for this table the average price of each article has been multiplied by the number denoting the relative importance of the article in the total food budget. The products thus obtained for the several commodities within each group have been totaled, and from these totals index numbers have been computed, using the totals for the year 1913 as the base or 100.

For the period 1913 to 1920 the weights have been those of the 1901-2 investigations of the bureau, and for 1921 to 1927 the weights have been those of the 1918 investigation. Although, beginning with January, 1921, the number of articles in each group was increased and different consumption figures were used, the index numbers for the several groups have been so computed as to be comparable with the index numbers from 1913 to December, 1920. The method employed in determining the cost of these groups of food makes the percentage changes in each group comparable with those in each other group. The articles within these groups are as follows:

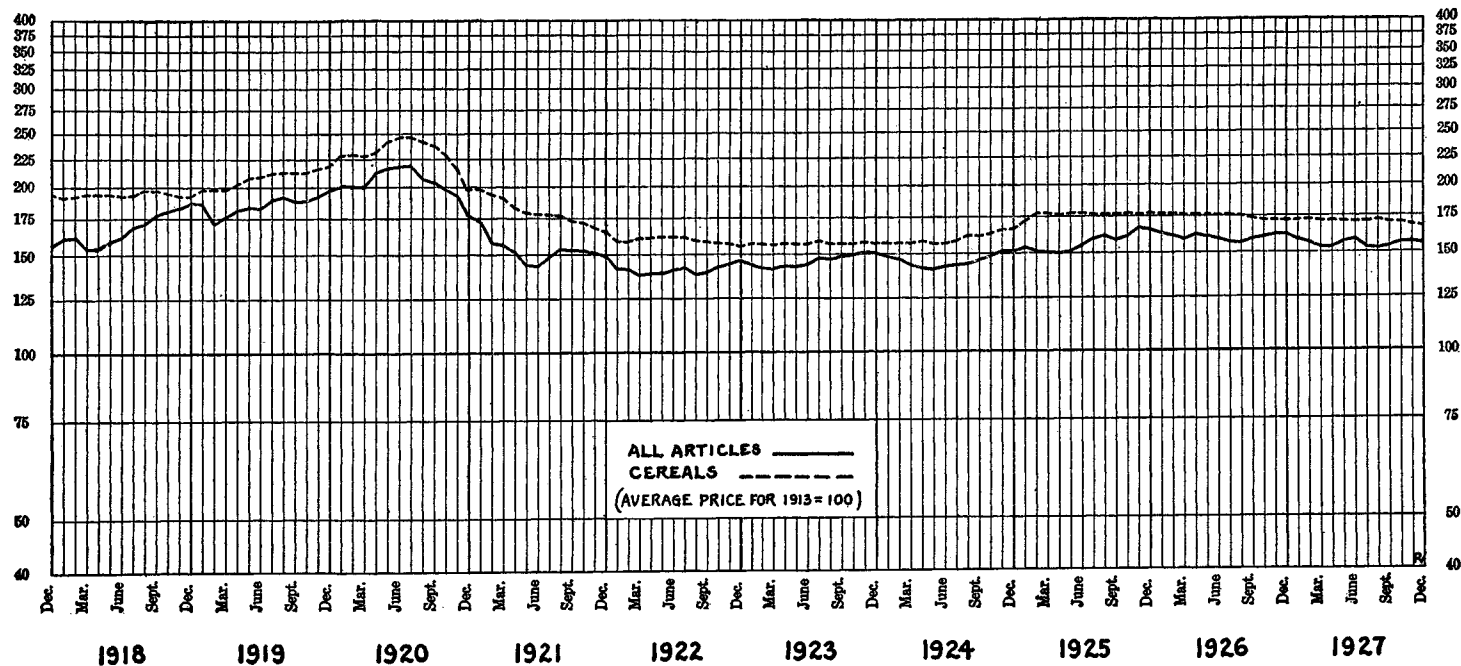
Cereals.—Bread, flour, corn meal, rice, rolled oats, corn flakes, wheat cereal, and macaroni.

Meats.—Sirloin steak, round steak, rib roast, chuck roast, plate beef, pork chops, bacon, ham, hens, and leg of lamb.

Dairy products.—Butter, cheese, fresh milk, and evaporated milk.

⁵ Comparable information for the months of 1913 to 1917, inclusive, will be found in Bulletin No. 396, p. 17. Changes in the cost of these three groups of food from 1918 to 1927 are shown in graphic form in Charts 2 to 4.

CHART 2



TREND OF MONTHLY PRICE CHANGES OF FOOD



CHART 4

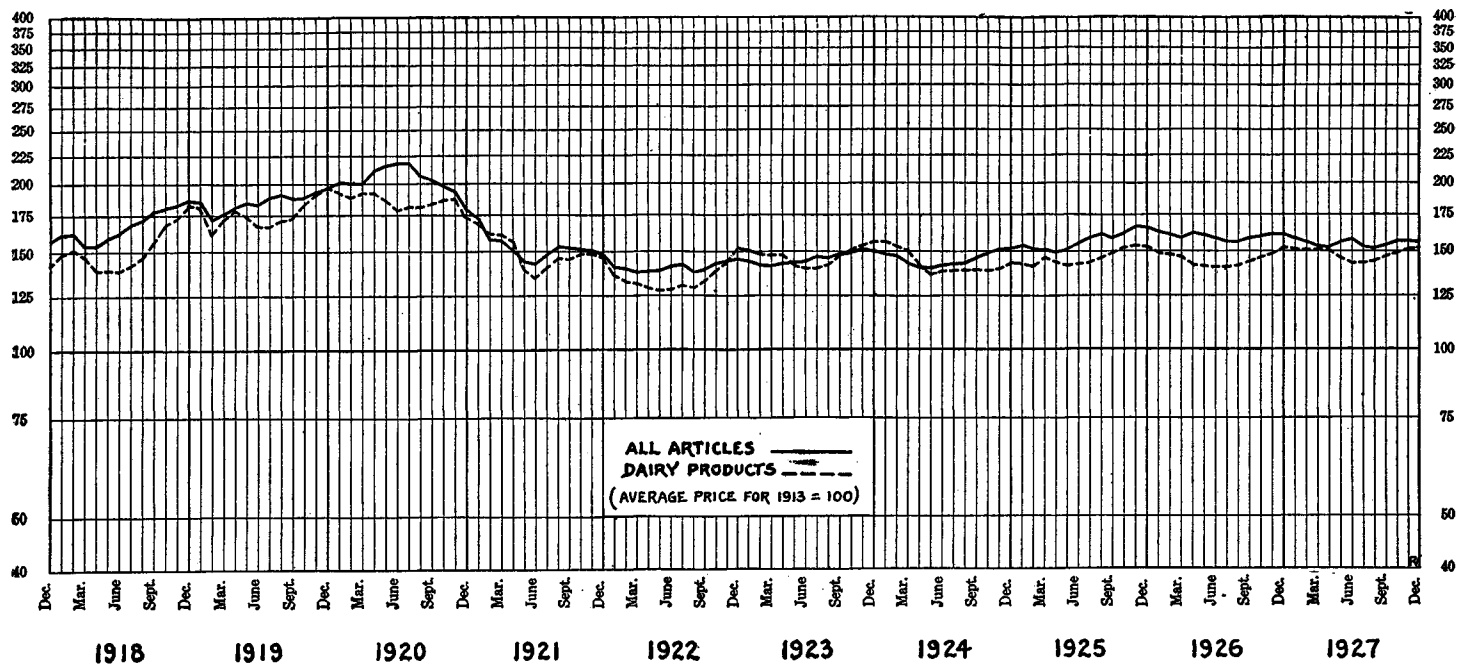


TABLE 6.—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL COST OF CEREALS, MEATS, AND DAIRY PRODUCTS FOR THE UNITED STATES, 1913 TO DECEMBER, 1927

[Average cost in 1913=100.0]

Year and month	Cereals	Meats	Dairy products	Year and month	Cereals	Meats	Dairy products
1913: Average for year.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	1923: Average for year.....	156.9	149.0	147.6
1914: Average for year.....	106.7	103.4	97.1	January.....	158.0	144.9	150.8
1915: Average for year.....	121.6	99.6	96.1	February.....	157.8	144.5	149.4
1916: Average for year.....	126.8	108.2	103.2	March.....	157.3	144.6	148.9
1917: Average for year.....	136.5	137.0	127.6	April.....	157.9	145.8	148.4
				May.....	157.3	148.3	142.5
1918: Average for year.....	194.3	172.8	153.4	June.....	157.3	150.4	140.5
January.....	190.6	149.8	149.4	July.....	158.0	153.1	140.1
February.....	190.6	152.5	151.2	August.....	155.7	153.5	143.4
March.....	192.7	152.3	147.3	September.....	155.9	157.4	148.3
April.....	193.5	161.4	139.6	October.....	156.6	153.7	150.3
May.....	193.7	172.0	139.9	November.....	156.8	146.8	153.9
June.....	193.3	178.0	139.2	December.....	156.2	144.1	155.3
July.....	193.5	179.1	142.3				
August.....	196.5	181.8	146.2	1924: Average for year.....	160.4	150.2	142.8
September.....	197.3	188.2	157.3	January.....	156.3	146.2	155.7
October.....	195.0	186.7	168.7	February.....	156.9	144.7	153.4
November.....	193.2	184.4	174.3	March.....	156.7	145.6	150.6
December.....	192.5	182.3	184.7	April.....	157.8	148.3	141.6
1919: Average for year.....	198.0	184.2	176.6	May.....	156.9	151.3	136.3
January.....	197.4	184.5	181.4	June.....	156.9	151.3	138.1
February.....	197.7	179.9	180.7	July.....	158.2	150.7	138.4
March.....	197.7	182.3	173.4	August.....	161.3	154.8	138.3
April.....	203.3	190.2	179.3	September.....	161.9	155.4	139.5
May.....	208.3	193.6	174.0	October.....	163.2	155.6	138.9
June.....	209.9	189.5	167.3	November.....	165.4	149.8	139.3
July.....	212.3	192.9	167.1	December.....	166.7	147.2	143.0
August.....	213.0	190.4	171.3				
September.....	213.1	184.5	174.5	1925: Average for year.....	176.2	163.0	147.1
October.....	213.0	178.1	183.6	January.....	172.7	150.9	143.6
November.....	215.2	173.1	191.8	February.....	178.8	150.6	142.1
December.....	219.0	169.0	197.0	March.....	177.9	160.4	146.5
1920: Average for year.....	232.1	185.7	185.1	April.....	176.3	163.9	144.3
January.....	229.0	172.9	191.0	May.....	176.3	164.0	142.3
February.....	229.9	174.8	189.1	June.....	176.2	163.8	143.3
March.....	229.4	177.1	192.3	July.....	176.3	169.2	144.4
April.....	230.8	187.6	192.3	August.....	176.3	169.3	146.0
May.....	241.6	187.8	185.3	September.....	176.4	169.0	149.3
June.....	246.2	192.3	178.6	October.....	175.2	167.6	153.5
July.....	246.2	198.2	181.8	November.....	175.9	164.1	153.9
August.....	241.6	197.3	181.6	December.....	176.2	162.9	152.8
September.....	239.3	200.2	184.9				
October.....	229.5	195.7	185.8	1926: Average for year.....	175.5	171.3	145.5
November.....	216.9	186.1	186.4	January.....	176.8	165.7	149.1
December.....	199.5	163.2	173.1	February.....	177.4	165.4	148.2
1921: Average for year.....	179.8	158.1	149.5	March.....	176.9	166.6	146.2
January.....	198.7	167.0	169.5	April.....	176.2	168.8	142.7
February.....	193.6	159.1	160.2	May.....	176.2	172.3	141.7
March.....	190.7	162.0	160.2	June.....	176.2	176.4	141.5
April.....	184.8	165.2	156.4	July.....	175.6	176.3	141.1
May.....	178.7	162.1	139.2	August.....	175.5	174.1	142.2
June.....	178.5	159.3	134.9	September.....	174.5	175.7	144.8
July.....	176.6	159.6	140.0	October.....	173.8	174.9	146.6
August.....	176.4	162.7	146.7	November.....	173.6	170.7	148.6
September.....	174.5	159.2	145.1	December.....	173.0	168.2	152.8
October.....	172.2	152.7	148.2				
November.....	168.2	144.7	148.5	1927: Average for year.....	170.7	169.9	148.7
December.....	165.0	142.6	145.8	January.....	172.8	168.1	151.4
1922: Average for year.....	159.3	150.3	135.9	February.....	172.7	167.6	151.8
January.....	159.9	141.5	136.0	March.....	172.1	168.5	152.2
February.....	158.3	142.7	133.6	April.....	171.7	170.6	150.8
March.....	160.4	147.9	132.1	May.....	171.6	170.7	145.3
April.....	160.2	160.7	129.6	June.....	170.7	168.3	143.7
May.....	161.3	153.9	127.9	July.....	170.6	169.3	143.9
June.....	161.4	154.8	127.8	August.....	171.2	171.0	144.5
July.....	160.9	155.9	130.2	September.....	170.6	173.0	146.6
August.....	159.2	154.6	129.7	October.....	170.5	173.7	149.4
September.....	158.0	153.9	132.8	November.....	169.8	169.9	150.2
October.....	157.4	153.2	138.8	December.....	168.6	168.1	152.8
November.....	157.4	148.2	144.0				
December.....	157.0	144.2	151.5				

HOW PRICES ARE OBTAINED

Retail prices of food are collected from retail dealers through monthly reports of actual selling prices on the 15th of each month. The stores are selected by agents of the bureau from those patronized largely by wage earners. Prices are secured from every type of store—the neighborhood store, the downtown store, the department store, and the chain store—provided a large part of the patronage comes from wage earners. Some of the stores are credit and delivery, some are cash and carry, and some are cash and delivery. No “fancy” stores are included.

The number of firms is apportioned according to the industrial importance of each city. For the larger cities reports are obtained from 25 to 30 stores and for the smaller cities from 10 to 15 stores. The total number of firms furnishing prices on one or more articles of food each month is now approximately 1,800. Quite naturally firms are not constant, but when one firm drops out permanently another firm, similar in kind, is selected to replace it. Moreover, as the wage-earning population of a city shifts, stores are selected in the new localities to preserve the representative character of the prices.

CITIES INCLUDED

At the beginning of the year 1913 retail prices of food were being collected by the bureau from 39 cities, as follows:

Atlanta, Ga.	Indianapolis, Ind.	New York, N. Y.
Baltimore, Md.	Jacksonville, Fla.	Omaha, Nebr.
Birmingham, Ala.	Kansas City, Mo.	Philadelphia, Pa.
Boston, Mass.	Little Rock, Ark.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Buffalo, N. Y.	Los Angeles, Calif.	Portland, Oreg.
Charleston, S. C.	Louisville, Ky.	Providence, R. I.
Chicago, Ill.	Manchester, N. H.	Richmond, Va.
Cincinnati, Ohio.	Memphis, Tenn.	St. Louis, Mo.
Cleveland, Ohio.	Milwaukee, Wis.	Salt Lake City, Utah.
Dallas, Tex.	Minneapolis, Minn.	San Francisco, Calif.
Denver, Colo.	Newark, N. J.	Scranton, Pa.
Detroit, Mich.	New Haven, Conn.	Seattle, Wash.
Fall River, Mass.	New Orleans, La.	Washington, D. C.

The following cities were added to the list on the dates named:

St. Paul, Minn., June, 1913.	Mobile, Ala., April, 1918.
Springfield, Ill., May, 1914.	Norfolk, Va., April, 1918.
Butte, Mont., January, 1915.	Houston, Tex., May, 1918.
Rochester, N. Y., May, 1916.	Peoria, Ill., May, 1918.
Columbus, Ohio, June, 1916.	Portland, Me., June, 1918.
Bridgeport, Conn., October, 1916.	Savannah, Ga., January, 1920.

Retail prices are shown, therefore, for 39 cities from the beginning of 1913 and for the remaining 12 cities from the dates given above. For most of the cities retail prices of certain articles from 1890 to 1903 were published in the Eighteenth Annual Report of the Commissioner of Labor and were continued in subsequent bulletins. The 51 cities are grouped below by geographical sections:

TABLE 7.—CITIES IN EACH GEOGRAPHICAL SECTION

North Atlantic	South Atlantic	North Central	South Central	Western
Boston, Mass. Bridgeport, Conn. Buffalo, N. Y. Fall River, Mass. Manchester, N. H. Newark, N. J. New Haven, Conn. New York, N. Y. Philadelphia, Pa. Pittsburgh, Pa. Portland, Me. Providence, R. I. Rochester, N. Y. Scranton, Pa.	Atlanta, Ga. Baltimore, Md. Charleston, S. C. Jacksonville, Fla. Norfolk, Va. Richmond, Va. Savannah, Ga. Washington, D. C.	Chicago, Ill. Cincinnati, Ohio. Cleveland, Ohio. Columbus, Ohio. Detroit, Mich. Indianapolis, Ind. Kansas City, Mo. Milwaukee, Wis. Minneapolis, Minn. Omaha, Nebr. Peoria, Ill. St. Louis, Mo. St. Paul, Minn. Springfield, Ill.	Birmingham, Ala. Dallas, Tex. Houston, Tex. Little Rock, Ark. Louisville, Ky. Memphis, Tenn. Mobile, Ala. New Orleans, La.	Butte, Mont. Denver, Colo. Los Angeles, Calif. Portland, Oreg. Salt Lake City, Utah. San Francisco, Calif. Seattle, Wash.

Effort is made to secure quotations on similar grades of commodities in the different cities. There are, however, some local customs which must be considered when any comparison is made of the prices in the different cities. For example, the method of cutting sirloin steak in Boston, Mass., Manchester, N. H., Philadelphia, Pa., Providence, R. I., and Portland, Me., differs from that in other cities. The cut known as "sirloin" in these five cities would be known in other cities as "porterhouse." There is in these cities, owing to the methods of dividing the round from the loin, no cut that corresponds to that of sirloin in the other cities. There

is also a greater amount of trimming demanded by the retail trade in these cities than in others. This is particularly true of Providence, R. I. Diagrams are shown on pages 20 to 24 of this bulletin which illustrate the methods of cutting beef in New York, Providence, Chicago, and New Orleans, also the method in general use in other cities. In any comparison of prices in one city with those in another due consideration should be given to the following facts:

1. The trade demands and is furnished more expensive grades of articles in some cities than in others.

2. The cities for which prices are shown in this report are widely separated; some are in localities near the source of supply while others are at a greater distance from it, making it necessary to include in the prices a greater charge for transportation.

3. Methods and costs of doing business vary greatly in different localities, due to the demands of customers and to rentals, wages, and other fixed charges or expenses.

METHOD OF CONSTRUCTING INDEX NUMBERS

In constructing the index numbers of retail food prices issued by the bureau average annual prices for the United States have been computed for each of 43 articles by dividing the sum of all prices for an article in the 51 cities by the total number of reporting firms. The average price of each article was then multiplied by a figure denoting the average annual family consumption of that article in the United States as shown by an investigation conducted by the bureau in 1918.⁶ The products for the several articles thus obtained were next added, giving the cost of a year's supply of these foods when purchased by a family at the retail prices shown. The result was then reduced to a percentage of the corresponding result for the year 1913, taken as the base. Monthly index numbers have been constructed in the same manner as the yearly index numbers by using average monthly prices instead of average yearly prices, the year 1913 being the base period in all cases.

For the years 1913 to 1920 the index numbers were uniformly computed from the prices of 22⁷ food articles. In 1921, when the number of articles was increased to 43,⁸ the following plan was adopted: It was assumed that the total cost of the 43 articles, if this information had been obtained, would have shown the same percentage of change from 1913 to December, 1920, as was shown by the 22 articles. Therefore the index number for the 22 articles in December, 1920, which was found to be 177.85, was accepted as the index number for the 43 articles. The money cost of the 43 articles in December, 1920, was found to be \$461.51. The ratio of the money cost to the relative cost in December, 1920, was therefore $461.51 \div 177.85$, or 1 to 0.3854. For each month since December, 1920, the index number has been obtained by multiplying the money cost of the 43 articles by 0.3854. The resulting index numbers are comparable with the index numbers for years and months prior to January, 1921, on 22 articles.

⁶ See Bulletin of the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, No. 357.

⁷ These are sirloin steak, round steak, rib roast, chuck roast, plate beef, pork chops, bacon, ham, lard, hens, flour, corn meal, eggs, butter, milk, bread, potatoes, sugar, cheese, rice, coffee, and tea.

⁸ Articles added in 1921 are lamb, canned salmon, evaporated milk, oleomargarine, nut margarine, vegetable lard substitute, rolled oats, corn flakes, wheat cereal, macaroni, navy beans, onions, cabbage, baked beans, canned corn, canned peas, canned tomatoes, prunes, raisins, bananas, and oranges.

The average annual family consumption of the 43 articles is here shown for geographical sections and for the United States as a whole.

TABLE 8.—FOOD WEIGHTS: ANNUAL CONSUMPTION PER FAMILY

Article	Unit	United States	North Atlantic	South Atlantic	North Central	South Central	Western
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	32	27	35	34	38	39
Round steak.....	do.....	32	27	35	34	38	39
Rib roast.....	do.....	31	30	24	32	24	39
Chuck roast.....	do.....	31	30	24	32	24	39
Plate beef.....	do.....	23	25	17	23	16	27
Pork chops.....	do.....	36	29	43	45	42	25
Bacon.....	do.....	17	13	20	18	17	19
Ham.....	do.....	22	26	43	14	19	10
Lamb.....	do.....	8	14	2	2	1	13
Hens.....	do.....	23	25	24	23	22	19
Salmon, canned.....	do.....	9	10	9	9	9	6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	337	412	155	364	177	377
Milk, evaporated.....	Pound.....	77	95	73	48	85	92
Butter.....	do.....	66	75	56	53	60	89
Oleomargarine.....	do.....	16	8	9	30	16	8
Nut margarine.....	do.....	6	4	5	11	3	2
Cheese.....	do.....	12	12	13	12	11	15
Lard.....	do.....	34	27	38	45	38	18
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	9	6	10	5	22	16
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	61	68	57	53	55	70
Bread.....	Pound.....	531	642	417	521	450	438
Flour.....	do.....	264	224	313	263	318	280
Corn meal.....	do.....	54	29	108	39	140	34
Rolled oats.....	do.....	41	45	31	39	38	45
Corn flakes.....	do.....	7	6	6	6	13	5
Wheat cereal.....	do.....	7	7	2	6	3	12
Macaroni.....	do.....	23	25	15	20	29	27
Rice.....	do.....	35	32	55	26	56	28
Beans, navy.....	do.....	22	23	17	25	21	19
Potatoes.....	do.....	704	746	514	810	485	706
Onions.....	do.....	66	72	52	62	82	64
Cabbage.....	do.....	65	62	61	70	66	61
Beans, baked.....	do.....	7	8	10	6	5	4
Corn, canned.....	do.....	10	8	9	13	10	10
Peas, canned.....	do.....	10	10	9	13	9	9
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	16	15	21	10	35	12
Sugar.....	do.....	147	140	145	154	133	161
Tea.....	do.....	8	13	6	5	3	6
Coffee.....	do.....	40	33	42	45	52	35
Prunes.....	do.....	11	14	9	11	8	10
Raisins.....	do.....	9	9	4	11	7	12
Bananas.....	Dozen ¹	11	11	8	11	13	9
Oranges.....	do.....	7	6	9	6	9	8

¹ In cities where most of the sales on bananas are by the pound rather than by the dozen, the weightings as given in the above table have been multiplied by 3 and have then been applied to the prices on the pound.

By giving to each article a weighting equal to its relative importance in the consumption of the average family, the total expenditure for food on a given date forms a proper basis of comparison with the expenditure for the same articles of food on any other date. For the purpose of showing the movement in retail prices it is assumed that this relative importance remained the same through the whole period 1913 to 1927. In this bulletin the average family expenditure in each city in the year 1913 has been taken as the base for that city, and index numbers have been computed for each year from 1913 to 1927 and for each month of 1926 and 1927, following the same method used for the United States as a whole. (See pp. 34 and 35.) These index numbers show the trend in the retail cost of all foods combined in each individual city as compared with the average cost in that city in the year 1913.

DESCRIPTION OF FOOD ARTICLES

FRESH BEEF

In this bulletin prices are given for five cuts of beef, viz, sirloin steak, round steak, rib roast, chuck roast, and plate boiling beef.

As previously stated, methods of cutting beef vary considerably in different cities and affect retail prices. Prices are also affected by the grade or quality of meat and by the custom of trimming bone and fat from cuts before weighing. This custom varies from trimming off almost all bone and fat in some cities to little or none in others, which gives a varying proportion of the side of beef that goes to the consumer. The same name is often applied in different cities to entirely different cuts. The bureau has been able to obtain diagrams showing the specific methods of cutting beef in New York, Providence, Chicago, and New Orleans, and these diagrams are here shown in addition to the diagram which may be used for general reference. As may be seen in the diagrams on pages 20 and 21, which show the methods of cutting beef in New York and Providence, the cut known as trimmed steak or "sirloin steak" (Nos. 3 and 4) in Providence is known in New York as "porterhouse" (No. 1), and the cut known in New York as "top sirloin" (No. 7) is known in Providence as "vein steak" or a grade of round steak (No. 13).

One of the distinguishing characteristics of the New Orleans method is the length of all cuts and the manner of cutting the shoulder. The shoulder is lifted from the carcass and cut into steaks. This part of the carcass is designated by the term "seven steaks," on account of the shape of the shoulder blade when cut. Another feature is that in separating the sirloin from the round the bone is followed. This gives a larger sirloin and smaller round than in most cities.

A majority of the firms that furnish quotations for cuts, as quoted in this report, buy meat by the whole, half, or quarter carcass. Some of them also buy rounds, loins, or ribs of beef. These are bought when there is a great demand for round, sirloin, or porterhouse steak, or for prime rib roast, or when there is little demand for cuts, such as brisket, chuck, neck, and plate.

The carcass is divided into halves or sides by sawing and chopping through the center of the backbone. The half or side is separated into the hind quarter and the fore quarter by cutting through from the belly between two ribs to and through the backbone. The cut varies in different cities and may be between any two ribs from the ninth to the thirteenth, or immediately after the thirteenth rib, counting from the rib in the shoulder and brisket which corresponds to the collar bone in the human being.

The hind quarter is usually separated into cuts—loin and round—by cutting either along the heavy line AB or along the line XCB shown in the general diagram on page 24.

Owing to the methods of quartering, as described above, the loin of beef in some cities has from one to four ribs in it. These ribs are sold as roast or as porterhouse or club steak. If sold as steak the ribs are usually removed before weighing.

The loin is cut into sirloin and porterhouse steaks and flank. The cut commonly known as "sirloin" steak, for which prices are quoted in all except four cities, is cut parallel to the whole cut surface of the

thick or butt end of the loin and includes all cuts with any part of the hip bone in them. These cuts are known as "rump" steak in Fall River, Mass. The other cuts of the loin of beef, those from the small end next to the ribs, with no part of the hip bone in them, are commonly known as "porterhouse" but in Boston, Mass., Manchester, N. H., Philadelphia, Pa., and Providence, R. I., these steaks are cut obliquely, giving more meat surface than in the perpendicular cuts. They are called "sirloin" steak, and the prices quoted for these four cities are for these cuts. There is in these four cities, owing to methods of dividing the round from the loin, no cut that corresponds to "sirloin" in other cities.

The round of beef is divided into two cuts or pieces, round and rump, as shown in the diagrams.

The round has the leg bone in it and consists of the round and the shank. "Whole" or "top" round steaks are cut from the round. Whole round steak is cut through parallel to the full cut surface of round and includes top round, bottom round, and a cut of the leg bone of the thickness of the steak.

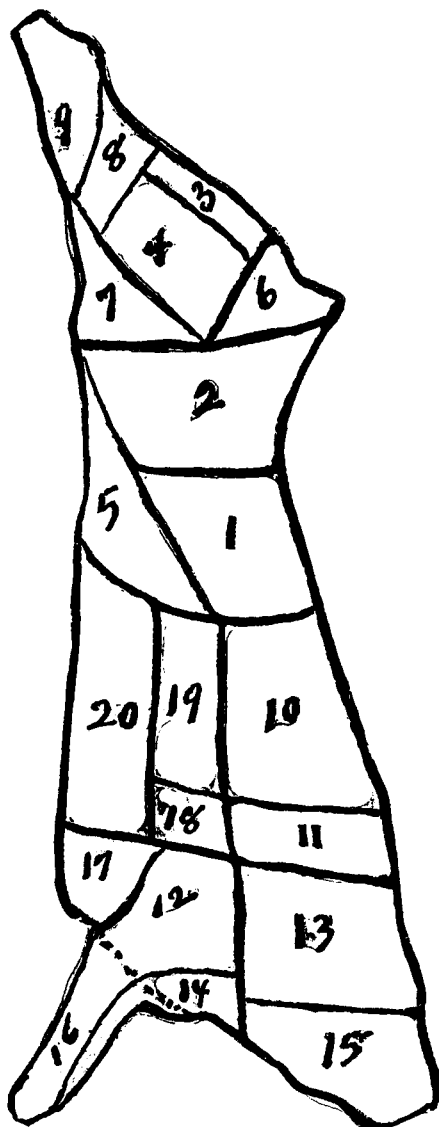
Top round is a cut from the inside of the leg. It extends through to the leg bone and to the tissue or membrane which marks the natural division between the inside and the outside of the leg. It is tender and palatable, while the bottom or outside is muscular, firm, tough, and dry. In most markets in which "top" is cut it does not include a cut of the bone, but in a few markets it includes a cut of the bone and a very small part of the bottom round. Markets that sell top round steak sell the bottom for pot roast or Hamburg steak, or use it for sausage meat.

The rump is from the top of the hip near the tail bone, includes part of the hip bone, and is called rump roast in almost all cities, and bouillon or butcher's roast in a few cities.

The fore quarter is divided into rib, chuck, plate, and shank. The shank is removed by cutting through the shoulder joint or by cutting and sawing through the leg bone below that joint. The plate is separated from the rib and the chuck by cutting through the ribs, beginning near the middle of the rib next to the cut which separates the half or side of beef into the hind quarter and fore quarter and running parallel to the backbone to the point where the shank was removed. The nearer the line or cut to the backbone the shorter the rib of beef, the more desirable the cuts of roast beef, and the higher priced.

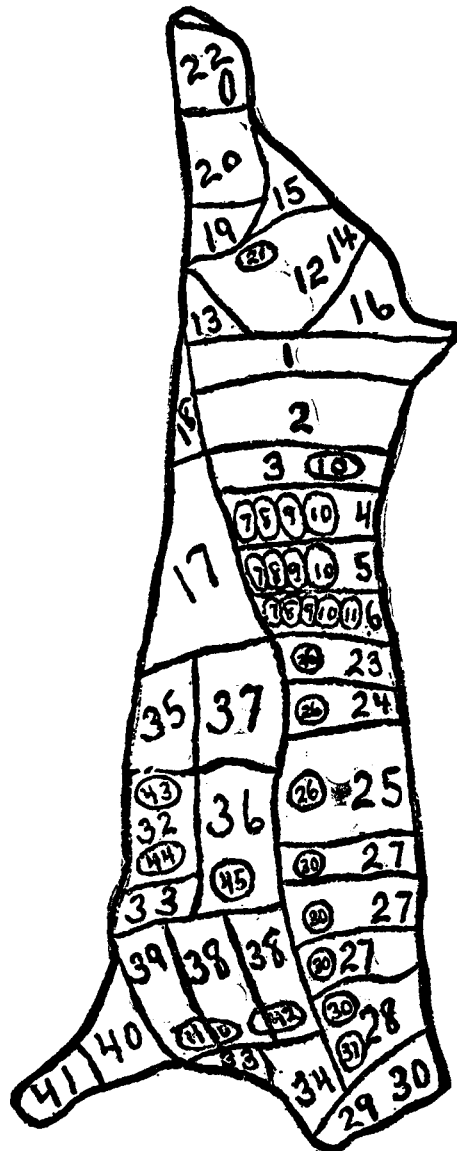
The rib of beef is usually separated from the chuck by cutting between the fifth and sixth ribs to and through the backbone, counting from the rib in the shoulder nearest the neck. It usually includes eight ribs, two of which have the thin back part of the shoulder blade in them. The cuts of rib roast for which prices are quoted do not have any part of the shoulder blade in them, are called prime rib roast, and sell for 10 to 12 cents per pound more than the two ribs or cuts with part of the shoulder blade in them. Some markets in some cities cut rib roast short and trim off part of the backbone before weighing.

The chuck extends from the point where the rib of beef and chuck, are separated to and including the neck. The prices quoted for chuck roast are for the best cut, which is next to the butt end of the rib of beef. In some markets the chuck is cut into steak, for which

METHOD OF CUTTING MEAT IN NEW YORK CITY.¹

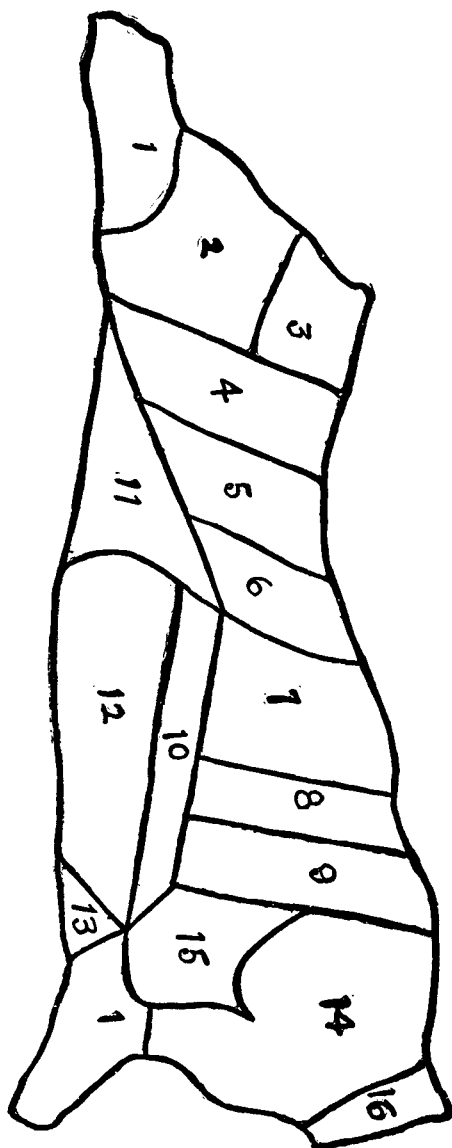
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| 1. Porterhouse steak. | 9. Leg beef. | 20. Naval. |
| 2. Sirloin steak. | 10. Prime rib (6). | Skirt steak. |
| 3. Round steak. | 11. Blade rib (3). | Round trimmings. |
| 4. Bottom round. | 12. Cross rib. | Suet and cod. |
| 5. Flank steak. | 13. Chuck steak (4) ribs. | Trimnings and drop. |
| Outside flank. | 14. Shoulder soup meat. | Kidney. |
| Thick flank. | 15. Chuck soup meat and top. | Shop fat. |
| Cod fat. | 16. Shin meat. | Large bones. |
| 6. Rump. | 17. Brisket (4) ribs. | Fat given away. |
| 7. Top sirloin. | 18. Plate (3) first. | Shop bones. |
| 8. Horseshoe. | 19. Plate. | |

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METHOD OF CUTTING MEAT IN PROVIDENCE, R. I.¹

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| 1. Trimmed steak. | 13. Vein steak. | 25. Blade roast. | 37. Flat rib. |
| 2. Trimmed steak. | 14. Bottom round. | 26. Bones. | 38. Thick plate. |
| 3. Trimmed steak. | 15. Stew meat. | 27. Chuck roast. | 39. Thick plate. |
| 4. Trimmed steak. | 16. Aitch bone. | 28. Rolled roast. | 40. Shin. |
| 5. Rib roast. | 17. Trimmed flank. | 29. Boned neck. | 41. Shin. |
| 6. Rib roast. | 18. Cod fat. | 30. Bones. | 42. Lean trimmings. |
| 7. Suet. | 19. Shin. | 31. Tallow. | 43. Brisket tallow. |
| 8. Lean trimmings. | 20. Shin. | 32. Trimmed brisket. | 44. Brisket bones. |
| 9. Tallow. | 21. Tallow. | 33. Trimmed brisket. | 45. Tallow. |
| 10. Bones. | 22. Bones. | 34. Sticken. | 46. Bones. |
| 11. Kidney. | 23. Rib roast. | 35. Navel. | |
| 12. Top round. | 24. Rib roast. | 36. Butcher's mark. | |

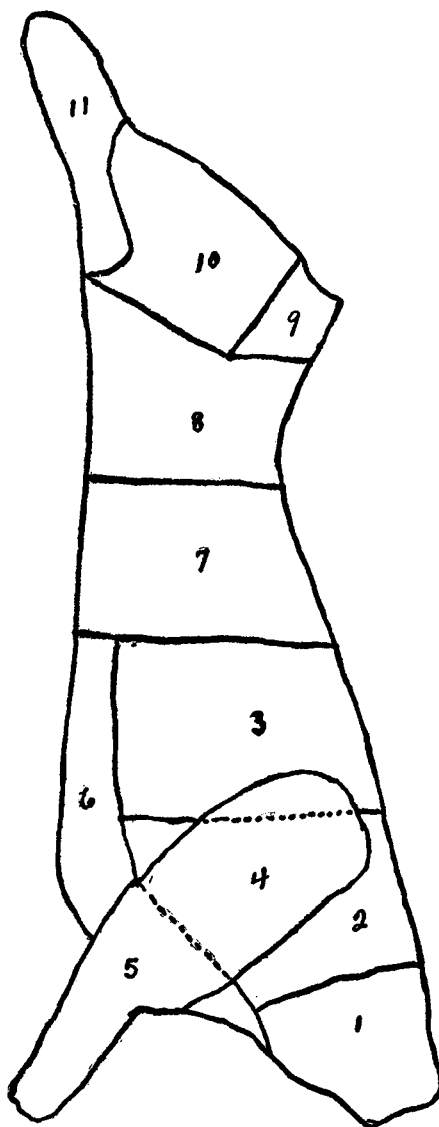
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METHOD OF CUTTING BEEF IN CHICAGO, ILL.¹

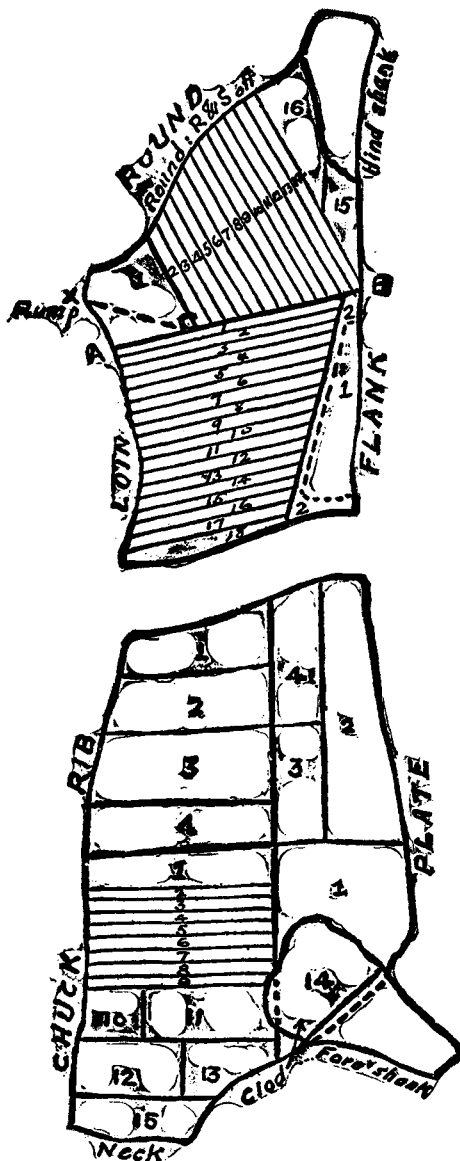
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| 1. Shank. | 10. Short ribs. |
| 2. Round. | 11. Flank. |
| 3. Rump. | 12. Plate. |
| 4. Sirloin. | 13. Brisket. |
| 5. Pin bone. | 14. Chuck. |
| 6. Porterhouse. | 15. Shoulder clod. |
| 7, 8, 9. Prime ribs. | 16. Neck. |

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METHOD OF CUTTING BEEF IN NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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| 1. Neck. | 7. Porterhouse. |
| 2. Chuck. | 8. Sirloin. |
| 3. Prime rib. | 9. Rump. |
| 4. Seven steak. | 10. Round. |
| 5. Boiling meat. | 11. Shank. |
| 6. Plate. | |



GENERAL METHOD OF CUTTING BEEF

HIND QUARTER

Round:

Rump—

1. Rump.

Round—rump and shank off—

2. Round steak, first cut.

3, 13. Round steaks.

14. Round steak, last cut.

15. Knuckle soup bone.

16. Pot roast.

Hind shank.

Loin:

1. Butt-and sirloin steak.

2. Wedge-bone sirloin steak.

3, 4. Round-bone sirloin steak.

Loin—Concluded.

5, 6. Double-bone sirloin steak.

7. Hip-bone sirloin steak.

8. Hip-bone porterhouse steak.

9-15. Regular porterhouse steak.

16-18. Club steaks.

Flank:

1. Flank steak.

2. Stew.

FORE QUARTER

Rib:

1. Eleventh and twelfth rib roast.

2. Ninth and tenth rib roast.

Rib—Concluded.

3. Seventh and eighth rib roast.

4. Sixth rib roast.

Chuck:

1. Fifth rib roast.

2-9. Chuck steaks.

10-13. Pot roasts.

14. Clod.

15. Neck.

Plate:

1. Brisket.

2. Navel.

3, 4. Rib ends.

Fore shank.

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there is considerable demand, as it is cheaper than sirloin, porterhouse, or round.

The plate includes the fore-quarter flank or navel and the brisket. The flank or navel extends from about the eighth rib to the hind-quarter flank, and the brisket extends from about the eighth to the first rib and includes all the breastbone. The prices quoted for plate-boiling beef are for the best cut of plate, which is from near the navel and extends to the point where the plate is separated from the rib and the chuck.

In many cities no bone or fat is trimmed from sirloin, porterhouse, or round steak before weighing, while in others the trimming varies from cutting off a very small portion to cutting off approximately all bone and fat before the steaks are weighed. Steaks are usually trimmed more before weighing in cities in the North Atlantic States than elsewhere. In almost all cities rib roast is trimmed after weighing by cutting off part of the backbone and by ribbing, or cutting out ribs. Markets in cities where steaks and roasts are trimmed after weighing sell bone and fat twice, first to purchasers of steak and roast, and second to buyers of scraps, bone, and suet.

PORK CHOPS

The quotations are for loin chops and not for rib chops or for chops from the thick end of a "loin of pork."

BACON

Prices are reported by each dealer for the best grade of smoked bacon that he sells in any considerable quantity to families of wage earners. No fancy bacon, ready sliced, in glass jars is quoted.

The prices quoted are in most cases for bacon sliced when sold, but in some cities the dealers sell relatively little sliced bacon, and therefore have quoted prices for bacon by the piece. These prices of piece bacon have not been included in the city averages for bacon, but have been included in the average for the United States for bacon.

HAM

Prices are reported by each dealer for the best grade of smoked ham that he sells in any considerable quantity to families of wage earners.

The prices quoted are in most cases for sliced ham, but in a few cities some of the dealers sell relatively little sliced ham, and therefore have quoted prices for whole ham.

Some of the firms that sell sliced ham cut only four or five slices from the middle of the ham and sell the ends without slicing. On the other hand, some dealers slice practically all the ham, and in such cases the prices quoted are for the best slices from the middle of the ham. The prices for whole ham have been included in the average price of ham for the United States.

LEG OF LAMB, YEARLING

The prices quoted in this bulletin are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months.

HENS

Prices are quoted for "hens" at least a year old, such as are usually sold for roasting or stewing, and in some cities for stewing only. In some localities the term used for these hens is either "fowls," or "stewing" or "fricasee" chickens.

The quotations are in most cases for "dressed" hens, although a few dealers reported prices for "live" hens. Dressed hens are described as "drawn" or "not drawn." Most of the quotations are given for hens "not drawn."

CANNED SALMON

Salmon is canned in three styles of cans, 1-pound talls, 1-pound flats, and ½-pound flats. The shape of the can does not signify any particular grade or quality of fish. The net weight of the large can is usually 15 or 16 ounces, and of the small can from 7½ to 8 ounces. All prices have been reduced to the pound basis.

MILK

All quotations are by the quart and are for milk regularly delivered to customers.

In connection with each quotation is a statement that the milk is sold bottled, and also a statement indicating whether the milk is "raw" or "Pasteurized."

All quotations are from dairies, either the original producer or a milk dealer, and none are from grocers.

The method of sale is in some cases by the quart, a bill being rendered monthly for the quantity actually served. Sometimes a slight reduction is made for cash payment when the bill is rendered. In other cases a certain number of tickets, each exchangeable for 1 quart of milk, is sold for \$1, usually with a slight gain to the consumer.

EVAPORATED MILK

The prices given for evaporated milk are for the unsweetened, in the 15 to 16 ounce can.

BUTTER

The quotations for butter represent the grade of butter known on the market as "creamery extra."

Creamery extra is sold in two ways—in bulk, otherwise known as "tub" butter, or in bricks, termed "print" butter.

The demands for print or for tub butter seem to rest on local preferences. In some cities the price is the same for both; in others, the price of print butter is slightly higher than that of tub butter.

In some of the Pacific coast cities butter is occasionally sold in 2-pound prints, locally known as "squares," but all such quotations have been reduced to the 1-pound basis.

OLEOMARGARINE

In many cities there is as much oleomargarine as butter used, while in the West scarcely any butter substitutes are sold. Under the term "oleomargarine," as used in this bulletin, are included all butter substitutes whether made from animal fat or vegetable oils. Prices are given by the pound.

CHEESE

The quotations for cheese represent the kind known as "whole milk." The cheese quoted is principally New York or Wisconsin, but in the western division some quotations have been furnished on local cheese, such as Oregon, California, and Utah.

LARD

All quotations are for "pure" lard, with the exception of a few for "pure leaf." No "compound" lard is quoted. The great majority of quotations are for "tub" lard (lard sold in bulk). Some quotations, however, are for lard in pails, with a few quotations on "bricks," which are usually 1 pound in weight. Tub lard is quoted by the pound. Where lard is sold by the pail, the price is quoted per pail, the net weight being given in each case, and the price quoted has been reduced to the pound basis.

VEGETABLE LARD SUBSTITUTE

The majority of the prices quoted are for Crisco. Prices for Snowdrift and other vegetable lard substitutes, however, are obtained from some of the cities and are included in the average price.

EGGS

Prices of eggs are reported from grocery stores, with the exception of a few instances in which quotations have been secured from dairy firms. The prices quoted are for "strictly fresh" eggs of the highest grade handled by the firm on the date of each quotation, excluding fancy eggs or eggs selected for size and color. Many of the firms represented in this study carry both fresh and storage eggs when both are on the market. The trade terms used to describe the eggs for which quotations are given vary with the locality.

Prices are given for storage eggs in January, February, November, and December only of each year up to 1919, after which time prices are also given for October. These months represent the season when practically all the storage eggs are sold.

BREAD

Prices for bread are based on 18 ounces of dough, this being the average scaling weight of a baked loaf weighing a pound. The loaves in each city often vary considerably in size. A pound price for each loaf has been computed and the average price for the city determined therefrom. For years prior to 1918 prices for bread are given on 16 ounces scaling weight. In order that comparison may be made with prices of subsequent dates, these prices have been converted to 18 ounces scaling weight. The relative figures for bread have been based on the prices of a pound baked weight.

Prices of fancy, special, graham, rye, and restaurant bread have been excluded.

FLOUR

Flour is quoted by the eighth-barrel bag in the majority of the cities. In the western cities, however, many of the quotations are for the fourth-barrel, while in certain southern cities—Jacksonville, Charleston, New Orleans, Norfolk, and Richmond—a majority of the sales are for quantities less than the eighth-barrel. There are, in a few of the cities, some quotations by the pound. On whatever

quantity the quotations have been given, all prices have been reduced to the pound basis. During the year 1918 prices for standard war flour were included.⁹

CORN MEAL

The corn meal for which prices are given is usually in bulk. However, some quotations are on meal in cartons or packages. The price of corn meal is quoted in this report on a 1-pound basis. These figures have been derived from the price charged by the dealer for the quantity of corn meal most in demand among his customers and represent a great variety of units of sale. In the New England and other northern cities the amounts sold are usually small. In most southern and western cities sales of 10 pounds or more predominate.

ROLLED OATS

Prices are quoted for standard brands both in bulk and in the package. When quoted for bulk the price is usually given by the pound. Prices are most frequently quoted for the 20-ounce package, although some sales are for the 3-pound-7-ounce package. Prices by the package have been reduced to the pound basis.

CORN FLAKES

Prices are quoted for standard brands in the 8-ounce package and are published for this quantity.

WHEAT CEREAL

Prices are published for a 28-ounce package. Although most of the prices are for Cream of Wheat, the price of Wheatena, Farina, Vitos, and other wheat cereals when quoted are included in the average.

MACARONI

Macaroni is sold in several different sized packages, ranging from 7 to 16 ounces, but on whatever size of package the quotation has been given the price has been reduced to the pound basis by using the net weight of the package as reported by dealers.

RICE

Practically all the quotations are for domestic rice grown principally in Louisiana and Texas. Prices are for the full grain only and are given for loose rice or for rice in pound packages where the package rice constitutes the bulk of the sales.

BEANS

All quotations for beans are for the article commonly known as "navy" or "pea" beans. The prices quoted are by the pound. Prices, when given on the quart basis, have been reduced to the pound.

POTATOES

All quotations for potatoes are for the article known in many localities as "Irish" potatoes, which signifies the "white" potato in contradistinction to the "sweet."

⁹ On Dec. 25, 1917, the miller's regulation of the Food Administration, requiring that flour should be 95 per cent standard war flour, became effective. This meant that in the milling process 5 per cent of the low grades could be extracted. On Feb. 28, 1918, a regulation became effective that no extraction should be made, and that flour must be marketed as 100 per cent wheat flour. This regulation was removed Dec. 17, 1918.

New potatoes have been quoted by the dealer only when they form the bulk of his sales. The peck, or fractional part of a peck, is the unit of sale for many cities, although in many eastern cities potatoes are sold by the pound. In the West potatoes are usually sold by the 100-pound lot, but during the summer there is a demand for smaller quantities. All prices, however, have been reduced to the pound basis.

ONIONS

The quotations on onions are for the variety in common use. In most localities the yellow onion predominates, but in some cities the red onion forms the bulk of sales. New onions from the South, or other varieties, have been quoted when they replace the yellow or red onions.

Although the unit of sale varies with different firms, more onions are sold by the pound than by the quart or the one-fourth peck. When new onions come into the market, the unit of sale frequently changes from the quart or the one-fourth peck to the pound basis.

CABBAGE

Prices are quoted by the pound. This method of sale is rapidly replacing the sale by the head. Cabbage varies in quality and condition, but there are no designated grades. The new crop in the spring and summer comes in at a much higher price than the old cabbage, but no higher proportionately than onions or potatoes.

BAKED BEANS

Prices are quoted on standard brands and for the No. 2 size can (1 pound 4 ounces).

CANNED CORN

According to quality, corn is graded into fancy, standard, and substandard. Standard grade constitutes the bulk of the corn canned, and it is fairly uniform in quality and price. The prices quoted are for the standard grade in the No. 2 can (1 pound 4 ounces).

CANNED PEAS

According to size, color, and maturity, peas are graded into fancy, standard, and substandard. Prices as given in this bulletin are for recognized brands of the standard grade and are for the No. 2 size can (1 pound 4 ounces).

CANNED TOMATOES

Tomatoes are graded into fancy and standard. The standard in the No. 2 size can is sold in nearly all cities. In some of the New England cities the No. 3 can is used extensively, while in the West the No. 2½ can is sold almost exclusively. In the West fruit is packed in the No. 2½ size can. This accounts for this same size being used for tomatoes. When the production of tomatoes in the East is small, these No. 2½ cans from the West come upon the eastern markets. Prices are given in most cities for the No. 2 can. However, in those cities where the No. 3 can or the No. 2½ can is most generally sold, the average has been computed for this size. In the averages for the United States, however, only prices for the No. 2 can have been included.

SUGAR

Prices are for granulated sugar. Until 1917, in a number of cities, the 25-cent, 50-cent, and \$1 lots represented the unit of sale, but since the latter part of 1917 practically all quotations have been given on the pound basis.

TEA

The tea for which prices are given is either loose or in packages. Prices of package tea are given where the loose tea has comparatively little sale. Most of the sales are for package tea. Many quotations are for mixed or blended tea.

Most quotations are on the pound basis. In the package tea, however, many quotations are for a smaller quantity, from which pound prices have been computed.

COFFEE

The coffee for which prices are given is pure roasted coffee, either in bulk or in packages. Prices of package coffee are quoted only where loose coffee has a relatively small sale.

PRUNES

The prunes for which prices are given are mostly California prunes, although in the western division quotations are also given on Oregon or Italian prunes. All quotations are on the loose prunes.

Quotations are given on the size of prunes having the heaviest sales in the stores reporting prices.

RAISINS

The raisins for which the most of the prices are given are the seeded raisins in packages. In some cases prices of seedless raisins have been given. The net weight of these packages varies from 15 to 16 ounces in the "pound" package, and from 10 to 12 ounces in the smaller package. The majority of the quotations are given on the pound package. The prices of the smaller packages have been converted to the pound basis.

BANANAS

Prices are quoted in most cities by the dozen. In many cities, however, bananas are sold by weight and the prices are quoted by the pound. For these cities, the average has been made on the pound basis, but in the average for the United States only prices by the dozen have been included. The prices are quoted on the best bananas in the bunch.

ORANGES

Quotations are given on the size which constitutes the bulk of the sales and are given each month on the same size, as nearly as it is possible for the retailer to furnish the information. Both Florida and California oranges are included. Prices are quoted by the dozen.

EXPLANATION OF DETAILED TABLES

TABLE 9.—Index numbers showing changes in the retail cost of food in specified cities by years, 1913 to 1927, and by months, 1926 and 1927 (pp. 34 and 35).

The trend in the retail cost of food from 1913 to 1927 is shown for each of 39 cities by means of the index numbers in this table. Information for 12 other cities included in the present bulletin is not given in this table because prices were first secured from those cities in years later than 1913. These index numbers were constructed by the same method as that employed for the United States, and the base may be shifted from the year 1913 here used to any desired year or month by dividing all index numbers here published by the index number for that year or month. Charts 5 and 6 (pp. 32 and 33) show how closely the percentage changes in the retail cost of food in different sections of the country have followed the same general trend.

TABLE 10.—Average and relative retail prices of specified food articles, 1913 to December, 1927 (pp. 36 to 49).

This table gives for the United States as a whole both average and relative prices for each of 23 food articles, by years from 1913 to 1927 and by months from 1918 to 1927. For storage eggs, also included in the table, prices are secured for only a few months of the year. The relative prices here shown have been obtained by dividing the average prices for the various years and months by the average price for 1913 in the case of each article. Bread prices are for a baked loaf weighing a pound, equivalent to 18 ounces of dough.

TABLE 11.—Average retail prices of five food articles, 1915 to December, 1927 (pp. 54 and 55).

Average retail prices for the United States of five important food articles for which information was not obtained until 1915 are shown in this table.

TABLE 12.—Average retail prices of 14 food articles, 1919 to December, 1927 (pp. 56 and 57).

In this table are given average retail prices for the United States of 14 food articles for which information was not obtained until 1919.

TABLE 13.—Average retail prices of specified food articles in each of 51 cities, 1913, 1926, and 1927, and each month of 1926 and 1927 (pp. 58 to 159).

For each city the average money price of each article in each month has been computed by adding all prices reported for the article and dividing the sum by the total number of firms reporting. The yearly average price of each article has been obtained by averaging the monthly averages.

TABLE 14.—Relative retail prices of 23 food articles in each of 39 cities, 1926 and 1927, by month (pp. 160 to 198).

For each city the relative price of each article in each year or month has been obtained by dividing the average money price by the average money price in 1913. The index numbers of 43 weighted articles combined, shown for purpose of comparison at the bottom of the table, have been constructed as explained on page 16 of this bulletin. Index numbers could be computed only for the cities from which prices were secured in 1913.

CHART 5

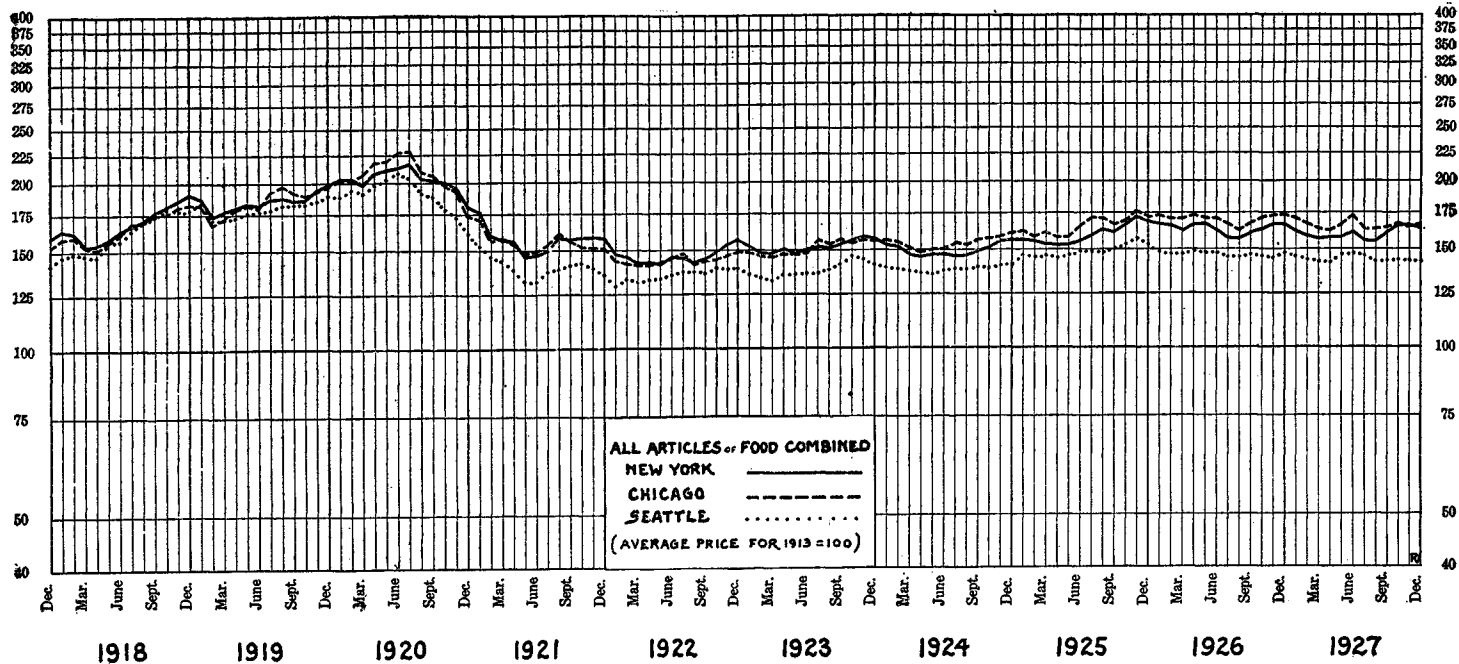
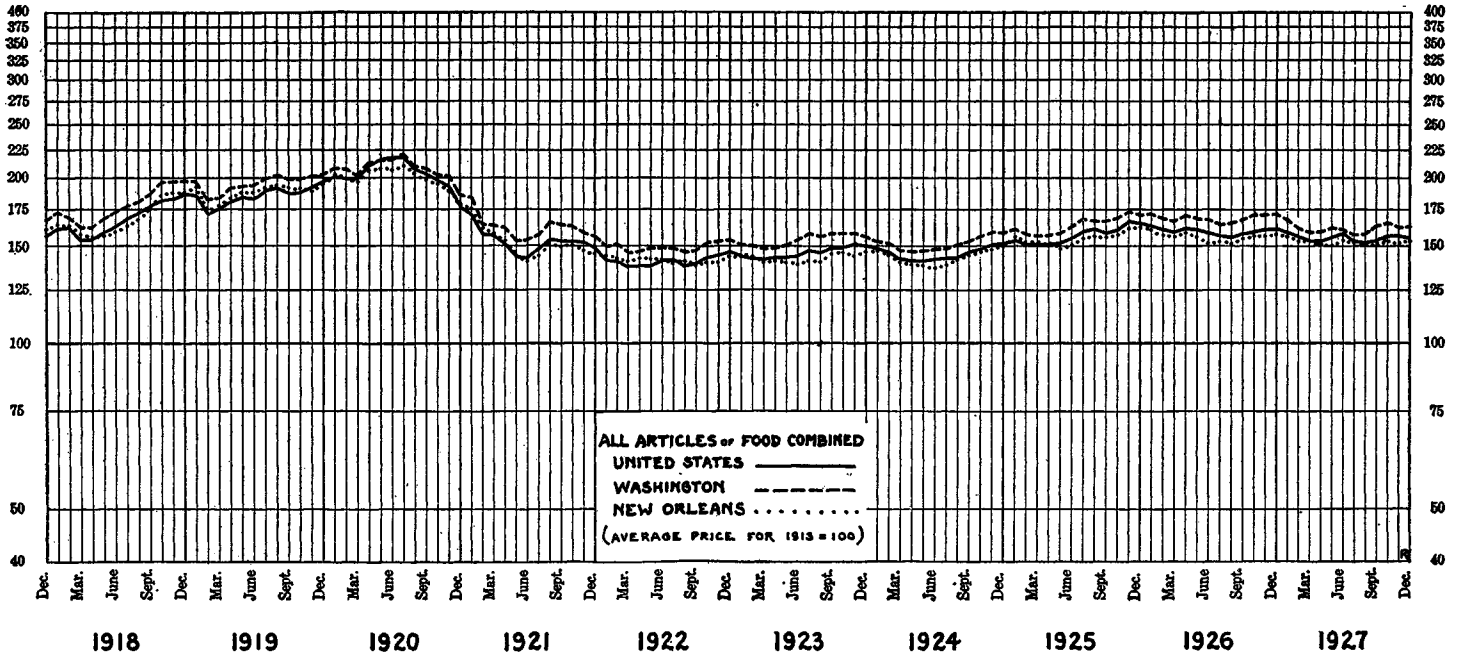


CHART 6



TREND OF FOOD PRICES, 1890 TO 1927

TABLE 9.—INDEX NUMBERS SHOWING CHANGES IN THE RETAIL COST OF FOOD¹ IN SPECIFIED CITIES BY YEARS, 1913 TO 1927, AND BY MONTHS, 1926 AND 1927

Year and month	At- lanta, Ga.	Balti- more, Md.	Bir- ming- ham, Ala.	Bos- ton, Mass.	Buf- falo, N. Y.	Charles- ton, S. C.	Chi- cago, Ill.	Cin- cin- nati, Ohio	Cleve- land, Ohio	Dallas, Tex.	Den- ver, Colo.	Detroit, Mich.	Fall River, Mass.	Indian- apolis, Ind.	Jack- son- ville, Fla.	Kansas City, Mo.	Little Rock, Ark.	Los An- geles, Calif.	Louis- ville, Ky.	Man- ches- ter, N. H.
1913: Average for year	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914: Average for year	101.8	102.0	106.5	101.8	101.0	102.8	102.4	101.4	102.3	102.7	100.7	103.1	101.8	102.0	101.2	102.5	101.7	101.2	100.2	102.5
1915: Average for year	98.6	100.9	104.5	100.8	101.1	99.8	102.5	98.6	100.3	101.7	102.6	100.9	101.4	100.0	100.2	102.5	100.9	95.3	98.2	102.0
1916: Average for year	108.5	112.8	116.3	111.5	114.8	108.3	113.8	112.2	113.9	111.3	111.7	114.3	112.4	113.8	108.3	114.4	110.2	102.0	110.1	112.9
1917: Average for year	142.5	152.0	152.2	142.4	154.4	144.8	147.7	148.5	150.0	144.7	144.1	152.3	142.4	149.3	138.3	149.9	144.1	125.0	150.1	145.3
1918: Average for year	169.3	184.1	172.6	164.0	177.0	176.5	168.3	166.5	166.7	164.5	166.9	173.3	166.4	163.3	162.6	167.8	166.5	148.7	171.3	170.4
1919: Average for year	187.4	197.4	194.8	180.8	191.9	195.6	185.7	184.8	186.6	184.1	184.0	193.5	182.8	183.8	179.6	186.9	182.3	163.8	188.4	184.7
1920: Average for year	202.4	207.3	209.1	203.2	209.5	207.4	207.3	203.3	207.7	197.0	194.9	215.2	203.9	202.3	191.7	206.1	195.4	183.5	196.7	206.2
1921: Average for year	150.6	156.3	157.9	157.4	155.6	159.2	155.0	153.6	150.0	150.6	141.5	155.1	154.9	147.0	147.8	152.6	145.8	142.6	141.3	156.3
1922: Average for year	141.0	145.6	143.4	144.6	147.1	145.7	144.5	140.3	138.7	141.3	129.1	144.7	143.8	135.0	138.5	137.2	135.1	135.3	131.4	141.5
1923: Average for year	143.4	152.0	148.9	151.3	151.0	148.1	152.0	143.5	145.4	142.7	135.1	152.2	149.7	142.1	138.7	140.7	139.2	139.9	135.6	148.9
1924: Average for year	144.0	151.8	150.0	149.0	148.8	149.0	154.5	142.4	144.6	146.2	134.0	150.9	145.2	141.2	140.3	141.3	137.5	140.9	137.9	145.1
1925: Average for year	158.4	164.4	165.0	158.5	161.6	159.3	168.4	156.8	156.2	156.1	142.8	164.6	153.4	151.1	152.8	155.1	149.3	148.5	153.8	152.3
1926: Average for year	165.3	167.6	168.1	161.7	166.4	163.9	171.1	162.6	161.7	155.6	144.4	169.3	158.4	157.0	161.3	157.9	152.8	146.4	156.6	156.9
January	168.9	170.2	171.7	166.4	171.1	169.2	174.1	164.7	163.5	160.2	147.2	175.9	164.0	161.2	167.0	162.5	154.7	147.8	161.1	160.9
February	164.6	168.5	168.9	163.6	168.2	166.7	171.6	162.5	161.7	154.7	143.9	171.2	161.2	157.0	162.6	159.9	151.9	146.4	157.6	159.2
March	162.5	166.7	167.5	161.2	167.5	165.2	171.1	161.3	160.7	154.5	142.9	170.6	158.6	155.2	160.2	159.1	151.7	144.4	154.5	156.7
April	166.1	168.5	168.7	165.5	169.3	168.7	173.5	162.8	164.2	154.4	147.0	172.7	159.9	159.1	161.1	161.6	153.6	146.6	156.2	159.2
May	165.9	169.5	169.9	160.4	167.2	165.4	171.7	164.4	163.8	155.5	145.5	170.4	158.3	157.6	158.8	159.3	154.4	146.4	159.1	155.0
June	165.1	168.0	167.3	158.4	166.3	161.1	171.6	162.1	163.9	154.3	146.4	170.8	155.8	157.3	159.3	160.4	152.3	142.9	157.1	153.2
July	164.9	162.9	168.0	158.3	161.0	160.4	167.8	159.6	156.3	153.6	141.9	165.2	153.6	156.0	158.8	154.6	151.5	143.6	154.0	155.2
August	162.4	163.4	166.5	158.1	160.5	160.1	163.8	159.7	156.0	152.4	139.4	164.1	152.6	151.4	160.5	150.6	149.7	144.0	149.7	153.8
September	164.7	165.8	166.1	159.4	162.5	161.7	168.0	162.7	160.7	155.4	140.5	166.7	154.4	156.6	162.1	156.2	151.0	146.6	155.5	154.7
October	165.8	167.3	166.9	160.8	164.4	162.0	171.6	163.8	162.5	156.1	144.3	167.2	156.8	156.1	163.2	157.1	151.9	148.4	156.7	157.1
November	166.1	169.5	167.0	165.2	168.5	163.8	173.0	163.8	163.1	157.5	146.9	168.9	161.6	158.1	162.0	157.0	154.4	148.6	158.4	159.5
December	164.7	168.8	167.8	163.8	169.1	163.9	174.0	162.9	162.6	157.5	147.7	168.8	162.1	157.7	159.4	156.9	154.4	147.8	158.7	158.1
1927: Average for year	159.9	161.1	161.0	157.3	159.5	156.9	168.4	157.0	155.2	153.6	140.2	163.3	154.6	150.8	149.6	150.2	147.6	142.9	151.6	153.2
January	163.9	166.8	166.7	160.2	165.7	163.5	171.5	160.3	159.5	155.4	144.0	166.6	156.4	154.8	155.6	155.4	153.3	146.8	154.9	155.8
February	153.9	161.9	162.6	157.4	160.8	159.7	167.9	156.2	156.1	152.6	139.3	162.9	154.2	149.9	152.7	152.6	149.0	143.1	151.1	163.6
March	157.5	159.0	160.2	154.1	156.5	156.9	164.5	154.8	152.9	151.5	138.5	160.2	151.4	147.4	149.2	149.9	146.8	142.3	149.4	160.1
April	158.1	158.7	160.0	154.1	156.0	156.6	162.8	154.9	152.2	151.7	138.8	160.3	149.5	147.4	148.6	149.7	146.8	141.0	150.2	160.0
May	157.9	162.2	159.6	156.2	159.6	154.9	166.6	156.5	157.0	150.7	141.0	164.8	152.6	152.4	147.7	151.4	147.5	140.5	151.6	152.3
June	164.5	162.3	159.7	157.4	162.0	155.1	172.6	164.1	160.4	151.6	147.9	170.3	156.3	158.5	150.6	156.2	146.0	143.4	157.0	153.6
July	158.4	156.5	159.8	153.8	154.6	155.5	164.7	155.5	152.4	152.9	139.8	161.7	151.2	150.1	148.3	145.4	145.2	139.7	147.3	151.2
August	157.0	157.3	158.7	153.7	154.6	154.1	163.8	154.4	151.2	152.5	136.0	160.2	151.9	147.8	148.2	144.0	146.3	140.5	146.6	151.7
September	159.1	159.2	159.4	157.5	157.2	155.8	164.8	155.1	154.3	153.6	136.3	163.1	154.6	148.9	149.7	146.5	145.4	142.9	149.7	154.1
October	161.8	163.5	161.4	160.3	160.2	156.0	166.1	158.0	155.5	155.2	138.8	163.4	157.7	151.9	149.5	150.9	148.6	144.2	152.9	154.6
November	160.8	163.3	161.9	160.7	161.8	156.6	165.8	157.6	154.6	156.2	140.0	162.7	158.5	151.4	148.3	149.5	147.0	145.5	152.9	155.9
December	160.0	162.3	162.7	161.6	161.1	155.9	166.6	156.3	154.8	158.2	141.7	162.4	159.7	150.9	146.8	148.8	148.3	143.4	153.0	153.8

Year and month	Mem- phis, Tenn.	Mil- wau- kee, Wis.	Minne- apolis, Minn.	New- ark, N. J.	New Haven, Conn.	New Orleans, La.	New York, N. Y.	Omaha, Nebr.	Phila- del- phia, Pa.	Pitts- burgh, Pa.	Port- land, Oreg.	Provi- dence, R. I.	Rich- mond, Va.	St. Louis, Mo.	Salt Lake City, Utah	San Fran- cisco, Calif.	Scrant- on, Pa.	Seattle, Wash.	Wash- ington, D. C.
1913: Average for year...	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914: Average for year...	102.0	102.9	102.6	101.7	102.0	102.0	101.4	103.7	102.0	102.5	100.0	103.0	102.6	103.7	102.4	101.1	100.9	100.2	101.9
1915: Average for year...	99.9	101.4	101.2	101.7	101.3	102.2	100.9	102.3	101.1	100.2	97.6	101.3	103.4	101.4	102.7	101.3	99.7	99.1	100.9
1916: Average for year...	111.0	115.1	113.6	110.5	115.1	112.3	111.8	114.7	113.0	111.8	103.9	113.9	114.3	113.8	111.3	105.5	112.4	105.1	111.7
1917: Average for year...	146.7	153.6	148.1	143.0	146.2	146.1	146.4	148.9	146.3	148.0	131.9	147.8	151.3	153.2	141.1	129.7	146.5	134.9	148.9
1918: Average for year...	171.5	168.9	163.8	167.2	171.0	168.4	167.1	163.5	171.5	170.4	157.4	172.8	181.4	173.1	155.8	156.0	169.7	162.1	179.3
1919: Average for year...	193.8	191.5	188.4	179.9	183.1	188.0	186.0	180.9	186.4	186.4	173.0	188.7	199.2	192.3	171.4	170.6	187.4	178.8	196.9
1920: Average for year...	204.8	209.1	207.7	195.3	201.4	200.3	203.8	209.8	201.0	202.3	187.0	208.8	213.8	212.9	184.8	189.1	208.5	189.8	207.6
1921: Average for year...	146.0	153.2	149.2	149.4	152.4	152.2	157.1	150.7	151.9	153.4	137.5	161.3	163.7	153.1	136.3	147.2	161.7	140.9	161.9
1922: Average for year...	134.2	141.8	139.9	139.4	140.9	141.9	146.9	139.2	143.2	138.3	130.4	146.5	153.4	141.0	122.5	138.6	148.1	135.7	149.9
1923: Average for year...	137.9	147.7	143.8	145.7	149.3	143.3	153.0	141.7	149.4	149.2	132.9	152.8	155.8	145.2	127.1	142.3	152.9	138.3	154.4
1924: Average for year...	137.4	149.4	143.0	143.5	145.9	144.0	150.2	142.4	146.7	147.9	134.2	149.4	153.2	146.7	127.0	143.6	148.5	139.0	152.4
1925: Average for year...	150.0	156.5	154.3	150.7	155.3	156.7	160.2	155.1	159.3	158.3	141.7	157.8	165.6	159.6	139.7	155.3	161.5	149.6	164.6
1926: Average for year...	152.4	162.5	158.6	153.6	160.9	156.4	163.9	158.5	163.9	162.4	140.3	161.7	170.3	163.6	135.3	153.4	165.4	147.4	169.4
January	156.0	163.8	164.2	157.3	165.7	161.6	166.7	164.4	167.7	167.6	142.1	166.6	175.5	167.6	136.2	156.1	169.2	149.0	172.3
February	152.9	161.0	161.0	153.4	163.7	157.4	165.3	160.6	164.7	164.0	140.8	166.6	171.2	164.9	135.7	153.3	167.6	148.0	169.7
March	152.4	160.8	160.9	152.1	161.0	156.0	163.6	159.4	162.8	162.1	139.5	160.6	169.5	163.2	133.6	151.1	165.5	147.3	166.4
April	154.5	166.2	163.4	155.5	163.6	158.3	166.5	162.0	165.1	162.9	141.1	164.8	173.3	166.0	135.6	153.4	167.5	149.5	170.4
May	154.3	163.9	161.4	157.0	159.8	156.9	167.1	159.5	165.2	160.7	140.0	159.9	172.2	165.8	133.9	153.5	166.8	148.8	169.7
June	152.9	163.5	162.1	153.4	156.7	152.6	162.8	157.9	163.5	161.8	140.1	159.3	170.2	165.5	130.1	150.6	164.9	148.0	169.3
July	151.3	160.9	156.8	148.6	155.3	153.5	158.6	155.0	158.8	156.2	137.2	158.5	166.6	160.0	131.7	150.3	161.3	145.7	165.1
August	150.1	156.8	151.0	147.1	156.3	152.9	157.2	152.2	157.6	156.9	138.5	158.2	164.8	156.0	132.0	151.5	158.9	145.7	165.2
September	150.3	160.5	155.9	150.1	157.7	155.1	160.4	155.9	161.9	160.8	140.0	160.1	167.9	162.0	135.3	153.2	161.6	147.0	168.4
October	150.9	163.1	155.8	154.1	161.0	157.1	164.0	158.0	164.3	162.1	141.6	161.7	170.3	163.6	137.3	155.6	163.4	146.0	171.1
November	151.5	164.7	155.7	156.3	163.5	157.1	166.9	158.2	167.7	166.0	141.2	164.4	170.1	165.2	138.0	155.9	168.8	145.2	171.5
December	150.4	164.3	156.7	156.1	164.4	158.3	166.0	158.4	168.5	166.7	142.1	162.2	169.2	165.2	137.5	154.8	167.9	147.3	172.4
1927: Average for year...	145.9	156.9	152.5	149.9	156.7	153.6	160.3	150.8	159.6	158.1	139.0	156.4	162.5	158.8	133.7	151.0	161.5	144.7	162.5
January	149.3	161.4	155.6	152.4	161.1	157.1	161.5	155.9	164.9	163.7	139.4	158.4	167.2	162.7	134.8	153.4	165.9	146.7	168.4
February	145.1	156.9	153.0	150.0	156.8	154.7	159.1	155.4	160.1	160.1	139.3	155.4	163.5	159.3	132.2	151.0	163.0	144.8	161.9
March	142.7	152.7	150.2	147.4	154.7	154.7	157.1	152.0	157.2	157.0	136.5	153.2	160.3	157.4	132.1	150.0	158.9	143.2	159.9
April	143.9	152.7	151.5	147.9	152.7	153.4	157.9	150.6	157.5	155.4	137.0	153.9	161.6	157.2	132.4	148.7	160.5	143.1	160.0
May	145.9	156.6	154.4	150.6	155.1	151.1	158.9	153.5	161.4	157.3	138.7	155.8	163.2	160.0	136.1	148.7	160.5	147.0	162.7
June	147.9	161.6	159.4	150.4	158.9	154.7	160.7	159.7	160.7	161.3	140.6	157.8	165.4	164.0	142.1	151.7	160.5	148.7	160.7
July	144.0	155.1	153.4	146.0	154.1	152.7	155.5	148.2	156.2	154.8	139.5	153.1	158.1	156.6	133.2	149.2	157.7	146.2	159.9
August	146.6	154.6	147.0	144.6	152.7	152.3	155.5	146.0	154.1	152.9	136.8	154.8	158.5	155.7	131.2	148.5	156.5	142.9	158.7
September	146.2	156.4	147.2	150.4	155.2	153.5	160.2	147.1	157.7	156.0	139.5	157.5	161.1	157.5	131.8	150.2	158.7	143.2	163.8
October	146.9	158.0	151.5	153.8	158.6	154.0	165.4	148.3	161.5	160.0	141.1	159.8	163.0	159.1	134.0	153.5	162.0	144.1	165.5
November	146.1	158.1	151.2	154.4	159.6	152.4	166.1	147.4	161.7	158.4	141.2	160.3	163.7	158.4	134.6	153.6	163.5	144.1	163.7
December	146.7	158.6	153.3	152.7	159.6	153.0	164.4	148.4	163.0	160.0	139.0	156.9	162.7	158.2	133.7	152.5	165.8	143.5	163.7

¹ For years 1913 to 1920, 22 articles are included; from 1921 to 1927, 43 articles.

TABLE 10.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF
UNITED STATES

Year and month	Sirloin steak (pound)		Round steak (pound)		Rib roast (pound)		Chuck roast (pound)		Plate beef (pound)		Pork chops (pound)	
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913: Av. for year.....	25.4	100.0	22.3	100.0	19.8	100.0	18.0	100.0	12.1	100.0	21.0	100.0
1914: Av. for year.....	25.9	102.0	23.6	105.8	20.4	103.0	18.7	104.4	12.6	104.1	22.0	104.6
1915: Av. for year.....	25.7	101.1	23.0	103.0	20.1	101.4	18.1	100.6	12.1	100.0	20.3	96.4
1916: Av. for year.....	27.3	107.5	24.5	109.7	21.2	107.4	17.1	106.9	12.8	106.0	22.7	108.3
1917: Av. for year.....	31.5	124.0	29.0	129.8	24.9	125.5	20.9	130.6	15.7	129.8	31.9	151.7
1918: Av. for year.....	38.9	153.2	36.9	165.5	30.7	155.1	26.6	166.3	20.6	170.3	39.0	185.7
January.....	32.7	128.7	30.6	137.2	25.8	130.3	22.1	138.1	17.2	142.2	34.3	163.3
February.....	33.4	131.5	31.4	140.8	26.3	132.8	22.7	141.9	17.7	146.3	33.6	160.0
March.....	33.8	133.1	31.8	142.6	26.8	135.4	23.2	145.0	18.2	150.4	33.9	161.4
April.....	36.6	144.1	34.5	154.7	29.3	148.0	25.5	150.4	19.9	164.5	35.6	169.5
May.....	40.0	157.5	38.0	170.4	31.8	160.6	27.8	173.8	21.9	181.0	36.7	174.8
June.....	42.6	167.7	40.6	182.1	33.5	169.2	29.5	184.4	22.7	187.6	37.2	177.1
July.....	42.1	165.8	40.3	180.7	33.3	168.2	29.1	181.9	22.4	185.1	37.9	180.5
August.....	41.5	163.4	39.6	177.6	32.6	164.7	28.3	176.9	21.7	179.3	42.2	201.0
September.....	41.7	164.2	39.8	178.5	32.7	165.2	28.4	177.5	21.9	181.0	46.1	219.5
October.....	41.0	161.4	39.0	174.9	32.3	163.1	27.9	174.4	21.5	177.7	45.4	216.2
November.....	40.5	159.5	38.5	172.7	32.0	161.6	27.5	171.9	21.2	175.2	43.3	206.2
December.....	40.4	159.1	38.2	171.3	31.9	161.1	27.3	170.6	21.1	174.4	41.3	196.7
1919: Av. for year.....	41.7	164.2	39.9	174.4	32.5	164.1	27.0	168.8	20.2	186.9	42.3	201.4
January.....	41.1	161.8	39.0	174.9	32.6	164.7	28.0	175.0	21.9	181.0	40.6	193.3
February.....	41.2	162.2	38.8	174.0	32.6	164.7	27.9	174.4	21.9	181.0	37.9	180.5
March.....	41.8	164.6	39.4	176.7	33.4	168.7	28.4	177.5	22.1	182.6	38.6	183.8
April.....	43.7	172.1	40.5	181.6	34.6	174.8	29.4	183.8	22.6	186.8	41.4	197.1
May.....	44.4	174.8	41.6	186.6	35.2	177.8	29.7	185.6	22.5	186.0	43.0	204.8
June.....	43.1	169.7	40.4	181.2	33.8	170.7	28.1	175.6	21.0	173.6	42.4	201.9
July.....	43.4	170.9	40.7	182.5	33.5	169.2	27.7	173.1	20.3	167.8	46.2	220.0
August.....	42.1	165.8	39.5	177.1	32.4	163.6	26.6	166.3	19.3	159.5	46.9	223.3
September.....	40.9	161.0	37.9	170.0	31.2	157.6	25.3	158.1	18.2	150.4	46.0	219.1
October.....	39.8	156.7	36.9	165.5	30.6	154.6	24.5	153.1	17.6	145.5	44.3	211.0
November.....	39.3	154.7	36.2	162.3	30.2	152.4	24.2	151.3	17.3	143.0	42.1	200.5
December.....	39.1	153.9	35.9	161.0	30.3	153.0	24.3	151.9	17.3	143.0	38.1	181.4
1920: Av. for year.....	43.7	172.1	39.5	177.1	33.2	167.7	26.2	168.8	18.3	151.2	42.3	201.4
January.....	40.5	159.5	37.0	165.9	31.4	158.6	25.3	158.1	18.4	152.1	37.3	177.6
February.....	40.6	159.8	37.2	166.8	31.5	159.1	25.1	156.9	18.4	152.1	37.7	179.5
March.....	40.8	160.6	37.5	168.2	31.9	161.1	25.1	156.9	18.2	150.4	39.1	186.2
April.....	43.2	170.1	39.9	178.9	33.5	169.2	26.6	166.3	19.0	167.0	43.2	205.7
May.....	43.4	170.9	39.9	178.9	33.4	168.7	26.5	165.6	18.8	155.4	42.5	202.4
June.....	46.1	181.5	42.6	191.0	34.8	175.8	27.8	173.8	19.0	167.0	40.8	194.3
July.....	43.6	181.3	45.0	201.8	35.9	181.3	28.5	178.1	19.1	167.9	43.7	208.1
August.....	47.2	185.8	43.6	196.5	34.9	176.3	27.4	171.3	18.5	152.9	45.9	218.6
September.....	46.8	184.3	43.1	193.3	34.5	174.2	27.1	169.4	18.4	152.1	50.0	238.1
October.....	44.5	175.2	41.9	187.9	33.3	168.2	25.9	161.9	17.8	147.1	49.9	237.6
November.....	43.5	171.3	39.6	177.6	32.6	164.7	25.3	158.1	17.7	146.3	44.1	210.0
December.....	39.7	156.3	35.7	160.1	30.1	152.0	23.2	145.0	16.5	136.4	33.0	157.1
1921: Av. for year.....	38.8	152.8	34.4	154.3	29.1	147.0	21.2	132.5	14.3	118.2	34.9	166.2
January.....	40.5	159.5	36.3	162.8	31.0	156.6	23.6	147.5	16.9	139.7	35.9	171.0
February.....	38.3	150.8	34.2	153.4	29.3	148.0	22.0	137.5	15.6	128.9	32.7	155.7
March.....	39.1	153.9	34.9	156.5	30.0	151.5	22.5	140.6	15.7	129.8	35.3	168.1
April.....	40.0	157.5	35.6	159.6	30.4	153.5	22.4	140.0	15.4	127.3	37.1	176.7
May.....	40.1	157.9	35.6	159.6	30.2	152.5	22.0	137.5	15.0	124.0	36.1	167.1
June.....	40.0	157.5	35.6	159.6	29.8	150.5	21.6	135.0	14.1	116.5	34.1	162.4
July.....	40.2	158.3	35.8	160.5	29.3	148.0	20.7	129.4	13.2	109.1	34.3	163.3
August.....	40.0	157.5	35.6	159.6	29.1	147.0	20.8	130.0	13.6	111.6	38.0	181.0
September.....	38.9	153.2	34.4	154.3	28.6	144.4	20.5	128.1	13.3	109.9	37.6	179.1
October.....	37.4	147.2	32.9	147.5	27.6	139.4	19.9	124.4	13.2	109.1	36.0	171.4
November.....	35.7	140.6	31.0	139.0	26.8	135.4	19.2	120.0	12.8	105.8	32.0	152.4
December.....	35.3	139.0	30.8	138.1	26.7	134.9	19.2	120.0	12.8	105.8	30.4	144.8
1922: Av. for year.....	37.4	147.2	32.3	144.8	27.6	139.4	19.7	123.1	12.8	105.8	35.0	167.1
January.....	35.3	139.0	30.4	136.3	26.7	134.9	19.0	118.8	12.8	105.8	28.9	137.6
February.....	35.2	138.6	30.2	135.4	26.5	133.8	18.9	118.1	12.8	105.8	29.3	139.5
March.....	35.9	141.3	30.8	138.1	27.0	136.4	19.3	120.6	13.0	107.4	31.3	149.1
April.....	36.4	143.3	31.4	140.8	27.3	137.9	19.5	121.9	13.0	107.4	33.0	157.1
May.....	37.7	148.4	32.5	145.7	27.9	140.9	19.8	123.8	13.0	107.4	34.4	163.8
June.....	38.4	151.2	33.5	150.2	28.2	142.4	20.1	125.6	12.9	106.6	33.9	161.4
July.....	39.2	154.3	34.2	153.4	28.5	143.9	20.3	126.9	12.8	105.8	34.4	163.8
August.....	39.0	153.5	34.1	152.9	28.2	142.4	20.0	125.0	12.6	104.1	35.1	167.1
September.....	38.7	152.4	33.6	150.7	28.1	141.9	20.0	125.0	12.6	104.1	36.4	173.3
October.....	38.3	150.8	33.1	148.4	28.0	141.4	19.9	124.4	12.8	105.8	36.6	174.3
November.....	37.3	146.9	32.0	143.5	27.5	138.9	19.6	122.5	12.7	105.0	33.0	157.1
December.....	36.8	144.9	31.5	141.3	27.3	137.9	19.4	121.3	12.7	105.0	29.5	140.5

SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES, 1913 TO DECEMBER, 1927

UNITED STATES

Bacon (pound)		Ham (pound)		Lard (pound)		Lamb, leg of (pound)		Hens (pound)		Eggs (dozen)		
										Strictly fresh		Storage
Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price
Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents
37.0	100.0	26.9	100.0	15.8	100.0	13.9	100.0	21.3	100.0	34.5	100.0	
37.5	101.8	27.3	101.7	15.6	98.6	19.5	103.2	21.8	102.2	35.3	102.3	
26.9	99.8	26.1	97.2	14.8	93.4	20.4	107.9	20.8	97.5	34.1	98.7	
28.7	106.4	29.4	109.2	17.5	111.0	22.6	119.6	23.6	110.7	37.5	108.9	
41.0	151.9	38.2	142.2	27.6	174.9	28.9	152.9	28.6	134.5	48.1	139.4	
52.9	195.9	47.9	178.1	33.3	210.8	34.9	184.7	37.7	177.0	56.9	164.9	
48.6	180.0	43.6	162.1	32.9	208.2	30.8	163.0	32.9	154.5	67.4	195.4	52.4
48.4	179.3	43.8	162.8	33.0	208.9	31.4	166.1	36.2	170.0	62.7	181.7	54.7
48.8	180.7	44.1	163.9	33.2	210.1	31.7	167.7	(1)	(1)	44.3	128.4	
49.5	183.3	44.6	165.8	33.1	209.5	35.3	186.8	(1)	(1)	42.5	123.2	
50.5	187.0	45.6	169.5	32.9	208.2	36.8	194.7	37.9	177.9	42.4	122.9	
51.5	190.7	46.5	172.9	32.6	206.3	37.4	197.9	37.6	176.5	42.5	123.2	
52.3	193.7	48.7	181.0	32.5	205.7	37.3	197.4	38.0	178.4	49.1	142.3	
54.0	200.0	48.5	180.3	33.1	209.5	36.9	195.2	38.6	181.2	53.6	155.4	
56.2	208.2	51.9	192.9	33.6	212.7	36.9	195.2	39.4	185.0	58.6	169.9	
57.9	214.4	52.0	193.3	34.2	216.5	35.2	186.2	39.0	183.1	64.1	185.8	
58.3	215.9	52.4	194.8	34.2	216.5	35.1	185.7	39.3	184.5	74.1	214.8	54.1
58.5	216.7	53.3	198.1	34.2	216.5	34.4	182.0	38.4	180.3	81.1	235.1	58.1
55.4	205.2	53.4	198.5	36.9	233.5	36.5	193.1	41.1	193.0	62.8	182.0	
58.5	216.7	53.6	199.3	33.4	211.4	36.1	191.0	40.0	187.8	75.2	218.0	59.9
55.3	204.8	51.8	192.6	32.1	203.2	36.4	192.6	39.6	185.9	50.6	146.7	46.8
54.9	203.3	51.4	191.1	33.4	211.4	38.0	201.1	41.1	193.0	48.3	140.0	
57.2	211.9	52.9	196.7	35.3	223.4	39.9	211.1	43.0	201.9	49.3	142.9	
56.7	210.0	54.5	202.6	38.8	245.6	39.6	209.5	43.5	204.2	53.1	153.9	
57.2	211.9	55.2	205.2	40.2	254.4	38.4	203.2	42.6	200.0	53.5	155.1	
58.1	215.2	56.7	210.8	42.0	265.8	38.2	202.1	42.0	197.2	56.6	164.1	
57.7	213.7	56.9	211.5	42.0	265.8	36.4	192.6	41.8	196.2	60.2	174.5	
55.6	205.9	55.2	205.2	38.2	241.8	34.6	183.1	41.4	194.4	63.2	183.2	
52.8	195.6	52.4	194.8	36.1	228.5	33.9	179.4	40.3	189.2	72.0	208.7	59.2
51.0	188.9	50.5	187.7	36.5	231.0	33.4	176.7	39.2	184.0	81.0	234.8	61.8
50.3	186.3	49.9	185.5	34.9	220.9	33.6	177.8	39.1	183.6	90.1	261.2	63.5
52.3	193.7	55.5	206.3	29.5	186.7	39.3	207.9	44.7	209.9	66.1	197.4	
50.3	186.3	50.3	187.0	34.0	215.2	36.4	192.6	42.0	197.2	82.7	239.7	62.5
50.3	186.3	50.7	188.5	32.3	204.4	39.0	206.4	44.7	209.9	68.5	198.6	59.4
50.2	185.9	51.2	190.3	30.4	192.4	39.8	210.6	45.7	214.6	55.6	161.2	
51.6	191.1	53.6	199.3	30.1	190.5	43.0	227.5	47.1	224.4	52.8	153.0	
52.6	194.8	55.5	206.3	29.8	188.6	42.1	222.8	47.1	221.1	52.9	153.3	
53.9	199.6	57.7	214.5	29.3	185.4	41.5	219.6	46.0	216.0	53.9	155.4	
54.7	202.6	59.8	222.3	29.0	183.5	41.1	217.5	45.0	211.3	57.3	165.4	
54.9	203.3	60.0	223.1	27.9	176.6	39.7	210.1	45.0	211.3	63.6	184.4	
54.5	201.9	60.4	224.5	27.9	176.6	39.1	206.9	45.6	214.1	71.1	206.1	
54.6	202.2	59.8	222.3	29.2	184.8	37.9	200.5	43.9	206.1	80.8	234.2	64.2
53.0	196.3	57.1	212.3	28.9	182.9	37.1	196.3	42.9	201.4	86.1	249.6	66.2
47.4	175.6	49.9	185.5	25.6	162.0	35.2	186.2	40.2	188.7	92.4	267.8	69.4
42.7	158.2	43.8	181.4	18.0	113.9	53.7	178.3	39.7	198.4	50.9	147.5	
45.7	169.3	48.4	179.9	22.3	141.1	36.7	194.2	42.7	200.5	79.1	229.3	68.7
44.7	165.6	48.2	179.2	20.7	131.0	34.2	181.0	42.9	201.4	47.9	138.8	44.4
41.9	155.2	48.8	181.4	19.6	124.1	34.4	182.0	43.2	202.8	41.7	120.9	
44.4	164.4	49.3	183.3	18.4	116.5	34.6	183.1	43.1	202.4	34.3	99.4	
43.5	161.1	48.7	181.0	16.7	105.7	34.7	183.6	41.3	193.9	33.4	96.8	
42.9	158.9	48.9	181.8	16.2	102.5	35.0	185.2	38.6	181.2	35.0	101.5	
43.2	160.0	51.0	189.6	16.7	105.7	35.2	186.2	38.8	182.2	42.3	122.6	
43.7	161.9	52.9	196.7	18.1	114.6	34.3	181.5	38.9	182.6	47.6	138.0	
43.0	159.3	51.4	191.1	17.9	113.3	32.8	173.5	38.2	179.3	50.4	146.1	
41.2	152.6	48.3	179.6	17.2	108.9	30.0	158.7	37.2	174.7	58.9	170.7	44.1
39.7	147.0	45.7	169.9	16.6	105.1	30.6	161.9	35.8	168.1	69.5	201.5	46.4
38.7	143.3	44.4	165.1	15.9	100.6	32.3	170.9	35.8	168.1	70.4	204.4	49.1
39.8	147.4	48.8	181.4	17.0	107.6	36.6	193.7	36.0	169.0	44.8	128.7	
37.6	139.3	44.2	164.3	15.4	97.5	33.9	179.4	36.9	173.2	40.9	144.6	39.3
37.9	140.4	46.5	172.9	15.9	100.6	35.4	187.3	36.9	173.2	48.4	140.3	39.1
39.0	144.4	49.8	185.1	17.3	109.5	37.5	198.4	37.8	177.5	31.8	92.2	
39.7	147.0	50.7	188.5	16.9	107.0	38.5	203.7	37.8	177.5	31.7	91.9	
39.8	147.4	51.3	190.7	17.0	107.6	39.2	207.4	37.7	177.0	33.5	97.1	
40.4	149.6	51.9	192.9	17.2	108.9	38.0	201.1	36.9	173.2	34.1	98.8	
40.6	150.4	52.3	194.4	17.2	108.9	37.4	197.9	35.7	167.6	36.0	104.4	
40.4	149.6	48.4	179.9	17.2	108.9	36.0	190.5	34.9	163.9	37.1	107.5	
40.8	151.1	47.6	177.0	17.5	110.8	35.9	190.0	34.9	163.9	44.8	129.9	
40.9	151.5	46.3	172.1	17.6	111.4	35.8	189.4	34.8	163.4	54.3	157.4	39.1
40.3	148.3	45.4	168.3	17.5	110.8	35.6	188.4	33.6	157.8	66.5	187.0	39.8
										66.5	192.8	40.8

¹ No hens sold in March and April, 1918, by order of the U. S. Food Administration.

TABLE 10.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF
UNITED STATES—Continued

Year and month	Sirloin steak (pound)		Round steak (pound)		Rib roast (pound)		Chuck roast (pound)		Plate beef (pound)		Pork chops (pound)	
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1923: Av. for year	<i>Cents</i> 39.1	153.9	<i>Cents</i> 33.5	150.2	<i>Cents</i> 28.4	143.4	<i>Cents</i> 20.2	126.3	<i>Cents</i> 12.9	106.6	<i>Cents</i> 30.4	144.8
January.....	37.2	146.5	31.6	141.7	27.5	138.9	19.6	122.5	12.9	106.6	29.3	139.5
February.....	37.1	146.1	31.5	141.3	27.5	138.9	19.5	121.9	12.8	105.8	28.7	136.7
March.....	37.3	146.9	31.7	142.2	27.6	139.4	19.5	121.9	12.8	105.8	28.3	134.8
April.....	37.9	149.2	32.3	144.8	27.8	140.4	19.7	123.1	12.7	105.0	28.4	135.2
May.....	38.7	152.4	33.0	148.0	28.2	142.4	19.9	124.4	12.7	105.0	30.0	142.9
June.....	40.1	157.9	34.5	154.7	28.8	145.5	20.4	127.5	12.6	104.1	29.9	142.4
July.....	41.0	161.4	35.5	159.2	29.3	148.0	20.8	130.0	12.8	105.8	31.2	148.6
August.....	41.1	161.8	35.5	159.2	29.2	147.5	20.8	130.0	12.7	105.0	32.1	152.9
September.....	41.1	161.8	35.5	159.2	29.4	148.5	21.0	131.3	13.1	106.3	36.7	174.8
October.....	40.1	157.9	34.4	154.3	28.9	146.0	20.8	130.0	13.1	106.3	34.2	162.9
November.....	38.9	153.2	33.1	148.4	28.3	142.9	20.4	127.5	13.0	107.4	28.9	137.6
December.....	38.6	152.0	32.9	147.5	28.3	142.9	20.4	127.5	13.0	107.4	26.5	126.2
1924: Av. for year	39.6	155.9	33.8	151.6	28.8	145.5	20.8	130.0	13.2	109.1	30.8	146.7
January.....	39.1	153.9	33.3	149.3	28.6	144.4	20.7	129.4	13.3	109.9	27.4	130.5
February.....	38.7	152.4	33.0	148.0	28.3	142.9	20.4	127.5	13.3	109.9	26.7	127.1
March.....	38.9	153.1	33.1	148.4	28.6	144.4	20.6	128.8	13.3	109.9	26.9	128.1
April.....	39.6	155.9	33.6	150.7	29.0	146.5	20.9	130.6	13.3	109.9	28.7	136.7
May.....	40.6	159.8	34.6	155.2	29.4	148.5	21.3	133.1	13.4	110.7	29.9	142.4
June.....	40.7	160.2	34.8	156.1	29.4	148.5	21.2	132.5	13.2	109.1	30.2	143.8
July.....	40.7	160.2	34.6	155.2	29.1	147.0	21.0	131.3	13.1	108.3	30.3	144.3
August.....	40.7	160.2	34.8	156.1	29.1	147.0	21.0	131.3	13.1	108.3	34.8	165.7
September.....	40.2	158.3	34.3	153.8	29.0	146.5	20.9	130.6	13.2	109.1	35.8	170.5
October.....	39.6	155.9	33.7	151.1	28.6	144.4	20.7	129.4	13.1	108.3	37.5	178.6
November.....	38.7	152.4	32.9	147.5	28.2	142.4	20.4	127.5	13.2	109.1	31.6	150.5
December.....	38.2	150.4	32.4	145.3	28.0	141.4	20.2	126.3	13.1	108.3	29.3	139.5
1925: Av. for year	40.6	159.8	34.7	155.6	29.6	149.5	21.6	135.0	13.8	114.1	36.6	174.3
January.....	38.7	152.4	32.8	147.1	28.5	143.9	20.5	128.1	13.3	109.9	30.7	146.2
February.....	38.5	151.6	32.7	146.6	28.4	143.4	20.4	127.5	13.2	109.1	30.3	144.3
March.....	39.6	155.9	33.6	150.7	29.1	147.0	21.0	131.3	13.5	111.6	37.4	178.1
April.....	40.4	159.1	34.6	155.2	29.7	150.0	21.6	135.0	13.8	114.1	36.8	175.2
May.....	40.8	160.6	35.0	157.0	29.8	150.5	22.1	138.1	14.0	115.7	36.0	171.4
June.....	41.0	161.4	35.2	157.8	29.8	150.5	21.8	136.3	13.8	114.0	36.2	172.4
July.....	42.2	166.1	36.5	163.7	30.4	153.5	22.4	140.0	14.0	115.7	39.2	186.7
August.....	42.0	165.4	36.2	162.3	30.3	153.0	22.1	138.1	13.9	114.9	40.0	190.5
September.....	41.6	163.8	35.6	159.6	30.1	152.0	22.0	137.5	13.9	114.9	40.4	192.4
October.....	41.2	162.2	35.4	158.7	30.0	151.5	22.0	137.5	14.1	116.5	39.1	186.2
November.....	40.3	158.7	34.4	154.3	29.5	149.0	21.6	135.0	14.1	116.5	37.5	178.6
December.....	40.3	158.7	34.4	154.3	29.6	149.5	21.7	135.6	14.1	116.5	35.7	170.0
1926: Av. for year	41.3	162.6	35.6	159.6	30.3	153.0	23.5	140.6	14.6	120.7	39.5	188.1
January.....	40.8	160.6	35.0	157.0	30.0	151.5	22.1	138.1	14.5	119.8	36.5	173.8
February.....	40.6	159.8	34.8	156.1	29.3	148.0	22.1	138.1	14.6	120.7	36.3	172.9
March.....	40.7	160.2	34.9	156.5	29.9	151.0	22.1	138.1	14.6	120.7	37.2	177.1
April.....	41.1	161.8	35.2	157.8	30.2	152.5	22.3	139.4	14.7	121.5	38.3	182.4
May.....	41.5	163.4	35.8	160.5	30.4	153.5	22.5	140.6	14.6	120.7	40.3	191.9
June.....	42.0	165.4	36.2	162.3	30.6	154.5	22.7	141.9	14.6	120.7	42.0	200.0
July.....	42.0	165.4	36.3	162.8	30.7	155.1	22.7	141.9	14.5	119.8	41.7	198.6
August.....	41.8	164.6	36.2	162.3	30.4	153.5	22.5	140.6	14.3	118.2	40.5	192.9
September.....	41.9	165.0	36.4	163.2	30.6	154.5	22.7	141.9	14.5	119.8	42.5	202.4
October.....	41.5	163.4	36.0	161.4	30.6	154.5	22.8	142.5	14.6	120.7	42.6	202.9
November.....	40.9	161.0	35.5	159.2	30.2	152.5	22.7	141.9	14.7	121.5	39.3	187.1
December.....	40.7	160.2	35.3	158.3	30.2	152.5	22.7	141.9	14.9	123.1	37.2	177.1
1927: Av. for year	42.6	167.7	37.1	166.4	31.3	158.1	23.7	148.1	15.4	127.3	36.8	175.2
January.....	40.8	160.6	35.3	158.3	30.3	153.0	22.7	141.9	15.0	124.0	36.6	174.3
February.....	40.9	161.0	35.4	158.7	30.4	153.5	22.7	141.9	14.9	123.1	35.9	171.0
March.....	41.1	161.8	35.6	159.6	30.4	153.5	22.8	142.5	14.9	123.1	36.6	174.3
April.....	41.8	164.6	36.4	163.2	30.9	156.1	23.3	145.6	15.2	125.6	36.9	175.7
May.....	42.3	166.5	36.9	165.5	31.2	157.6	23.5	146.9	15.2	125.6	36.4	173.3
June.....	42.4	166.9	37.0	165.9	31.1	157.1	23.5	146.9	15.2	125.6	34.7	165.2
July.....	43.6	171.7	37.9	170.0	31.7	160.1	23.9	149.4	15.3	126.4	34.9	166.2
August.....	43.7	172.0	38.1	170.9	31.7	160.1	23.9	149.4	15.3	126.4	37.7	179.5
September.....	43.8	172.4	38.1	170.9	31.8	160.6	24.0	150.0	15.5	128.1	40.7	193.8
October.....	43.7	172.0	37.9	170.0	31.9	161.1	24.3	151.9	15.8	130.6	41.5	197.6
November.....	43.5	171.3	37.8	169.5	31.9	161.1	24.5	153.1	16.2	133.9	36.3	172.9
December.....	43.9	172.8	38.2	171.3	32.4	163.6	25.1	156.9	16.7	138.0	32.8	156.2

SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES, 1913 TO DECEMBER, 1927—Continued

UNITED STATES—Continued

Bacon (pound)		Ham (pound)		Lard (pound)		Lamb, leg of (pound)		Hens (pound)		Eggs (dozen)		
										Strictly fresh		Storage
Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price
Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents
39.1	144.8	45.5	169.1	17.7	112.0	36.7	194.2	35.0	164.3	46.5	134.8	
39.8	147.4	45.1	167.7	17.4	110.1	36.3	192.1	34.5	162.0	55.7	161.5	40.0
39.4	145.9	45.0	167.3	17.4	110.1	36.0	190.5	35.5	166.7	46.2	133.9	42.4
39.2	145.2	45.0	167.3	17.4	110.1	36.0	190.5	35.8	168.1	38.5	111.6	
39.1	144.8	45.1	167.7	17.5	110.8	36.2	191.5	36.1	169.5	34.4	99.7	
39.0	144.8	45.3	168.4	17.3	109.5	36.7	194.2	36.2	170.0	35.1	101.7	
39.0	144.4	45.4	168.8	17.2	108.9	38.1	201.6	35.4	166.2	35.4	102.6	
39.1	144.8	45.0	171.0	17.1	108.2	38.5	203.7	34.8	163.4	37.1	107.5	
39.2	145.2	46.3	172.1	17.1	108.2	37.2	196.8	34.5	162.0	41.5	120.3	
39.4	145.9	46.6	173.2	17.9	113.3	37.5	198.4	35.0	164.3	48.6	140.9	
39.3	145.6	46.4	172.5	18.6	117.7	36.5	193.1	34.8	163.4	54.6	158.3	41.7
38.5	142.6	45.5	169.1	18.9	119.6	35.8	189.4	33.7	158.2	60.3	192.2	42.3
37.5	138.9	44.7	166.2	18.9	119.6	35.5	187.8	33.4	156.8	64.9	188.1	41.4
37.7	139.6	45.3	168.4	19.0	120.3	37.1	196.3	35.3	165.7	47.3	138.6	
37.2	137.8	44.7	166.2	18.7	118.4	35.9	189.9	34.5	162.0	54.6	158.3	38.6
36.6	135.6	44.4	165.1	18.0	113.9	35.7	188.9	35.1	164.8	49.8	144.3	39.3
36.3	134.4	44.0	163.6	17.5	110.8	37.1	196.3	35.9	168.5	34.8	100.9	
36.2	134.1	44.3	164.7	17.2	108.9	38.8	205.3	36.1	169.5	32.1	93.0	
36.1	133.7	44.7	164.7	17.1	108.2	39.4	208.5	36.6	171.8	32.8	95.1	
36.2	134.1	44.6	165.8	16.9	107.0	38.7	204.8	35.9	168.5	36.1	104.6	
36.2	134.1	44.7	166.2	17.1	108.2	38.4	203.2	35.3	165.7	39.4	114.2	
38.3	141.9	46.6	173.2	19.3	122.2	37.3	197.4	34.8	163.4	44.6	129.3	
39.3	145.6	46.9	174.3	20.0	126.6	36.8	194.7	35.3	165.7	51.9	150.4	
40.1	148.5	47.1	175.1	21.4	135.4	35.9	189.0	35.1	164.8	59.7	173.0	44.1
40.1	148.5	47.0	174.7	22.4	141.8	35.9	187.3	34.5	162.0	68.1	197.4	47.3
39.9	147.8	46.6	173.2	22.1	139.9	35.4	187.3	34.4	161.5	69.8	202.3	48.2
46.7	173.0	52.6	195.5	23.3	147.5	38.6	204.2	36.6	171.8	52.1	151.0	
40.3	149.3	47.6	177.0	22.8	144.3	38.8	205.3	35.8	168.1	70.5	204.4	53.7
40.6	150.4	48.1	178.8	22.8	144.3	38.3	202.6	36.1	169.5	53.4	154.8	50.3
44.4	164.4	51.2	190.3	23.1	146.2	39.0	206.3	36.9	173.2	39.1	113.3	
46.6	172.6	53.5	198.9	23.2	146.8	38.6	204.2	37.9	177.9	38.1	110.4	
46.4	171.9	53.0	197.0	22.6	143.0	38.6	204.2	37.9	177.9	39.3	113.9	
47.0	174.1	53.0	197.0	22.9	144.9	38.4	203.2	36.9	173.2	42.3	122.6	
48.7	180.4	54.4	202.2	23.5	148.7	39.3	207.9	36.6	171.8	46.2	133.9	
49.3	182.6	54.9	204.1	24.3	153.8	38.7	204.8	36.2	170.0	48.9	141.7	
49.4	183.0	54.9	204.1	24.0	151.9	38.5	203.7	36.6	171.8	51.9	150.4	
49.6	183.7	54.3	201.9	24.1	152.5	38.4	203.2	36.5	171.4	60.3	174.8	46.0
49.2	182.2	53.5	198.9	23.3	147.5	38.4	203.2	35.8	168.1	69.4	201.2	47.4
48.6	180.0	53.1	197.4	22.6	143.0	38.5	203.7	36.5	171.4	66.2	191.9	47.4
50.3	186.3	57.4	213.4	21.9	138.6	39.0	206.3	38.8	182.2	48.5	140.6	
48.2	178.5	53.3	198.1	22.3	141.1	39.1	206.9	38.6	181.2	53.9	156.2	42.2
48.9	181.1	53.6	199.3	22.2	140.5	38.4	203.2	38.9	182.6	43.8	127.0	34.6
48.4	179.3	54.0	200.7	21.9	138.6	37.9	200.5	39.4	185.0	38.5	111.6	
48.5	179.6	54.5	202.6	21.5	136.1	37.9	200.5	40.5	190.1	38.6	111.9	
49.3	182.6	55.9	207.8	21.5	136.1	39.9	211.1	41.0	192.5	38.9	112.8	
51.5	190.7	59.7	221.9	22.6	143.0	41.9	221.7	40.2	188.7	40.7	118.0	
52.3	193.7	60.9	226.4	22.9	144.9	40.3	213.2	39.2	184.0	42.1	122.0	
52.0	192.6	60.7	225.7	22.7	143.7	39.2	207.4	37.9	177.9	44.9	130.1	
51.9	192.2	60.4	224.5	22.3	141.1	39.1	206.9	37.8	177.5	51.5	149.3	
51.7	191.5	59.8	222.3	21.9	138.6	38.3	202.6	37.6	176.5	58.2	168.7	45.9
51.0	188.9	58.4	217.1	21.1	133.5	37.9	200.5	37.1	174.2	66.0	191.3	47.0
49.6	183.7	57.1	212.3	20.4	129.1	37.7	199.5	37.2	174.6	65.2	189.0	46.9
47.2	174.8	55.0	204.5	19.3	122.2	38.9	205.8	36.9	173.2	45.2	131.0	
48.9	181.1	56.8	211.2	20.0	126.6	37.4	197.9	38.5	180.8	55.9	162.0	45.0
48.5	179.6	56.7	210.8	19.6	124.1	37.3	197.4	38.5	180.8	44.2	128.1	37.7
48.4	179.3	56.5	210.0	19.4	122.8	38.4	203.2	38.7	181.7	35.4	102.6	
48.1	178.2	56.7	210.8	19.1	120.9	40.0	211.6	38.9	182.6	33.9	98.3	
47.6	176.3	56.3	209.3	19.0	120.3	41.0	216.9	38.4	180.3	33.6	97.4	
47.1	174.4	55.5	206.3	18.8	119.0	41.0	216.9	36.3	170.4	33.5	97.1	
46.6	172.6	54.6	203.0	18.8	119.0	40.3	213.2	35.6	167.1	36.9	107.0	
46.5	172.2	54.3	201.9	18.9	119.6	39.2	207.4	35.4	166.2	42.0	121.7	
46.5	172.2	53.8	200.0	19.2	121.5	38.5	203.7	35.4	166.2	48.7	141.2	
46.6	172.6	53.6	199.3	19.6	124.1	38.2	202.1	35.7	167.6	56.6	164.1	42.1
46.3	171.5	53.0	197.0	19.5	123.4	37.6	198.9	35.6	167.1	61.7	178.8	43.8
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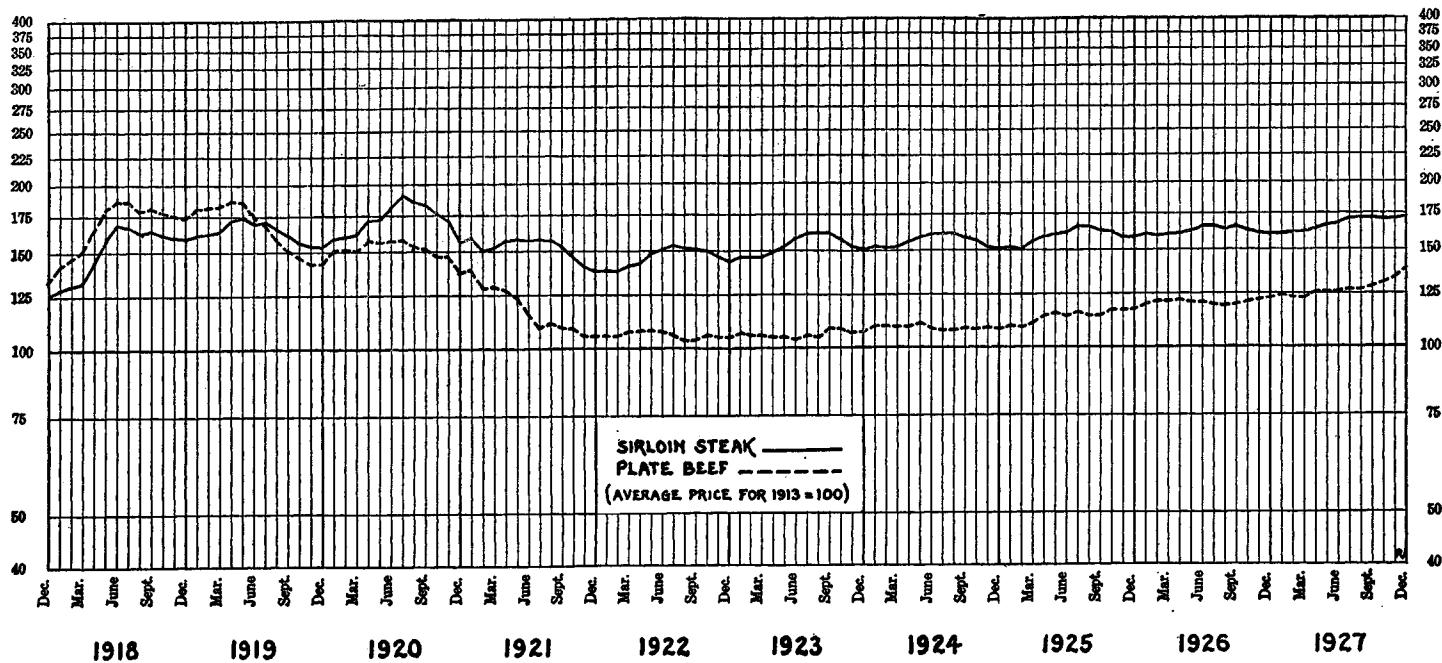
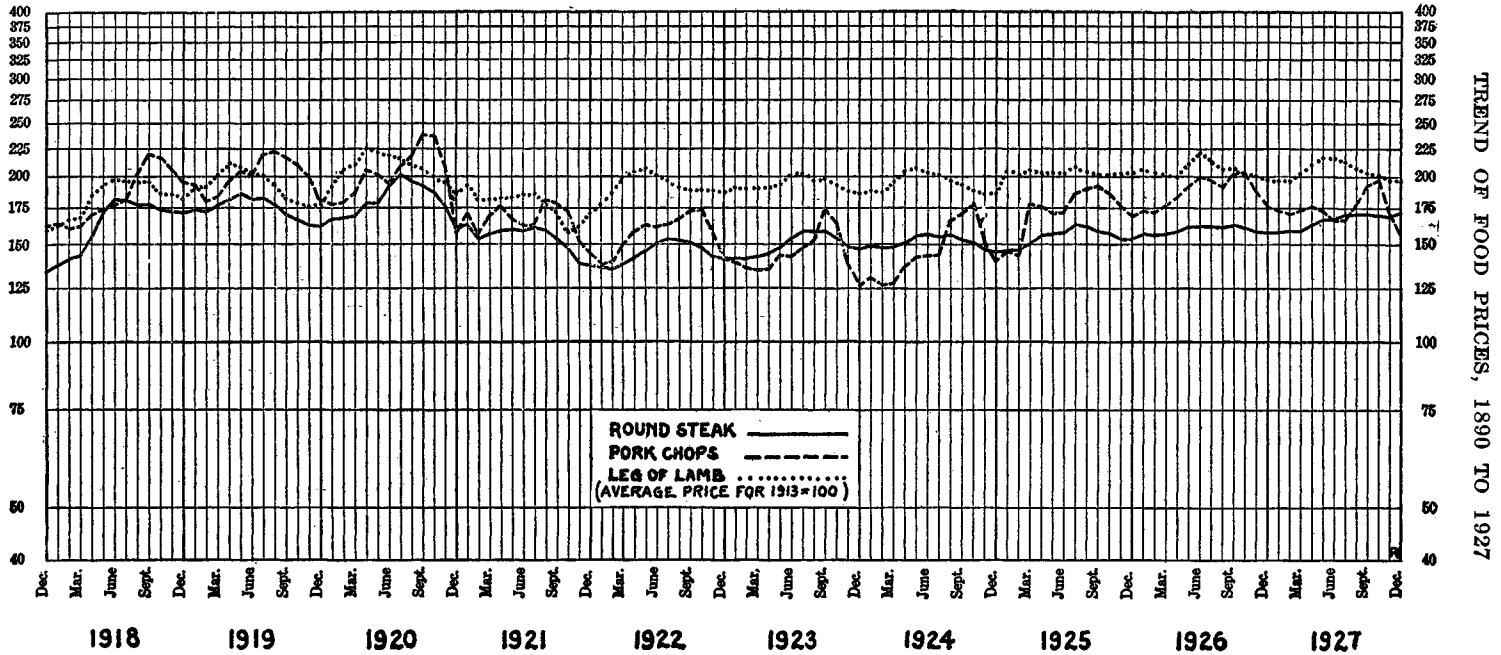


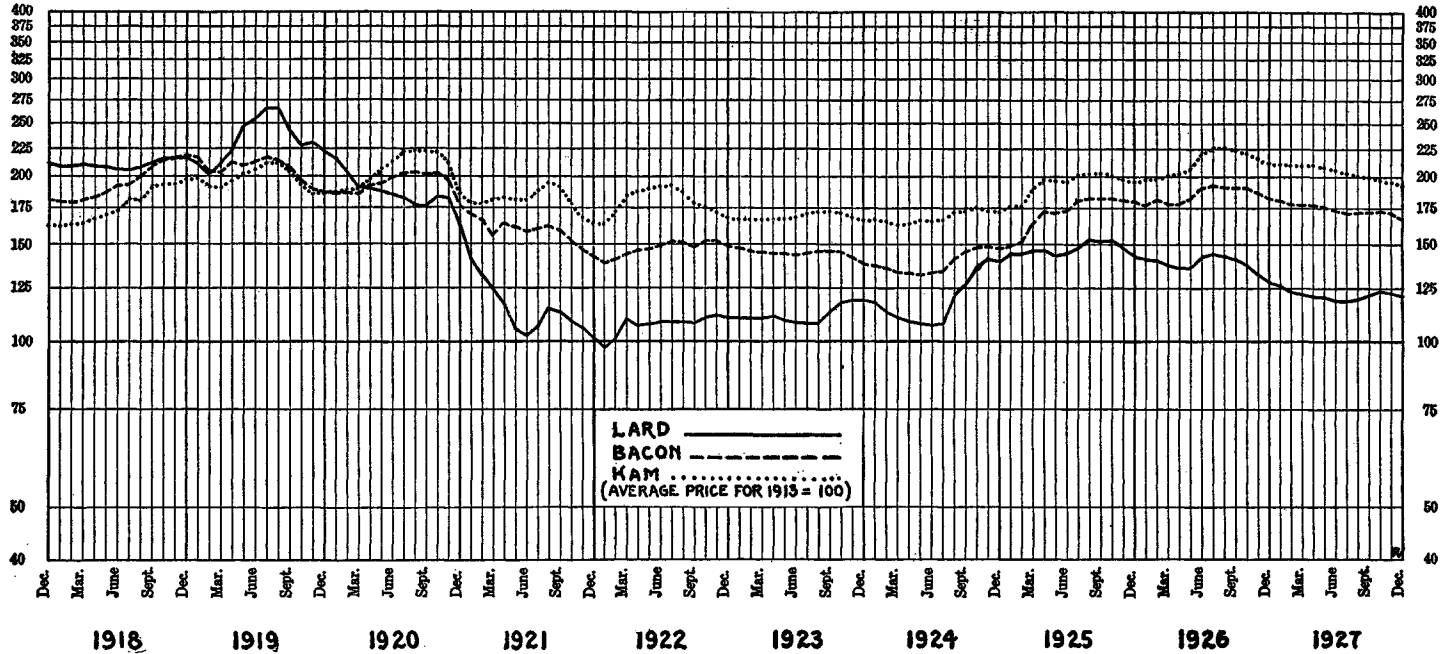
CHART 8



TREND OF FOOD PRICES, 1890 TO 1927



CHART 10



TREND OF FOOD PRICES, 1890 TO 1927

MILK _____
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BUTTER
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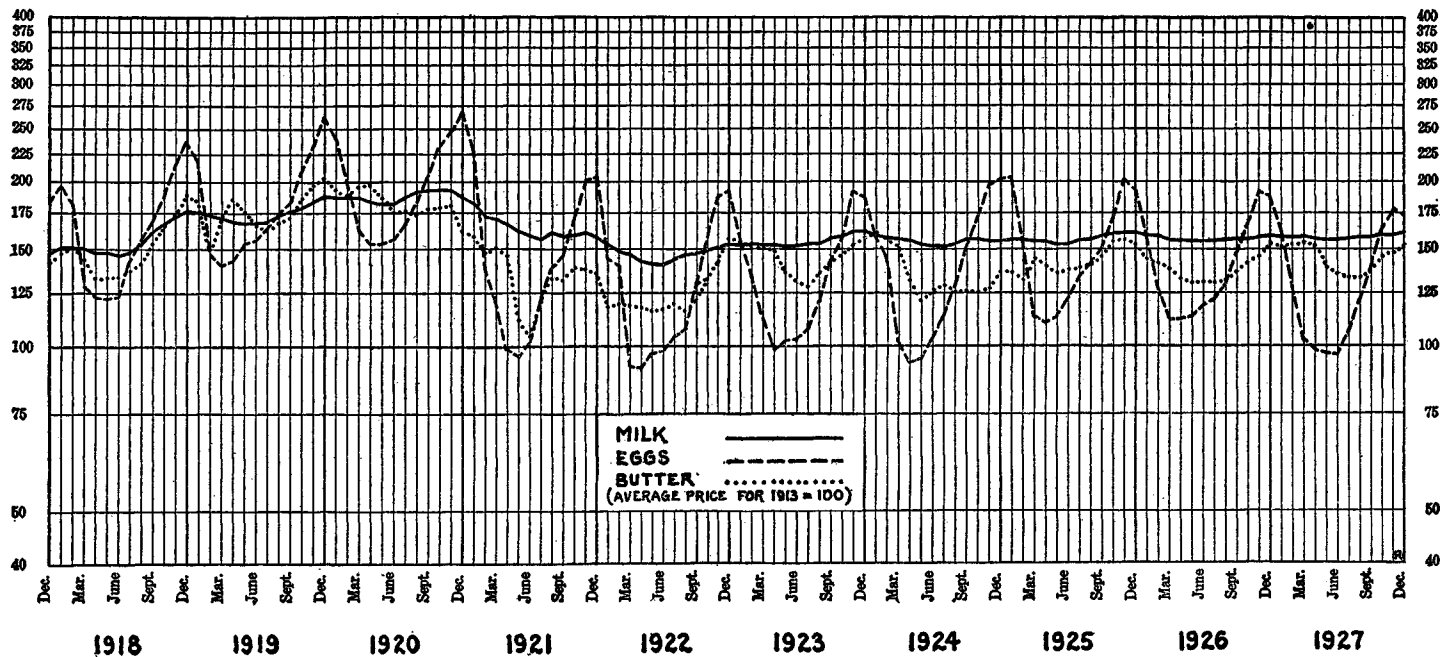


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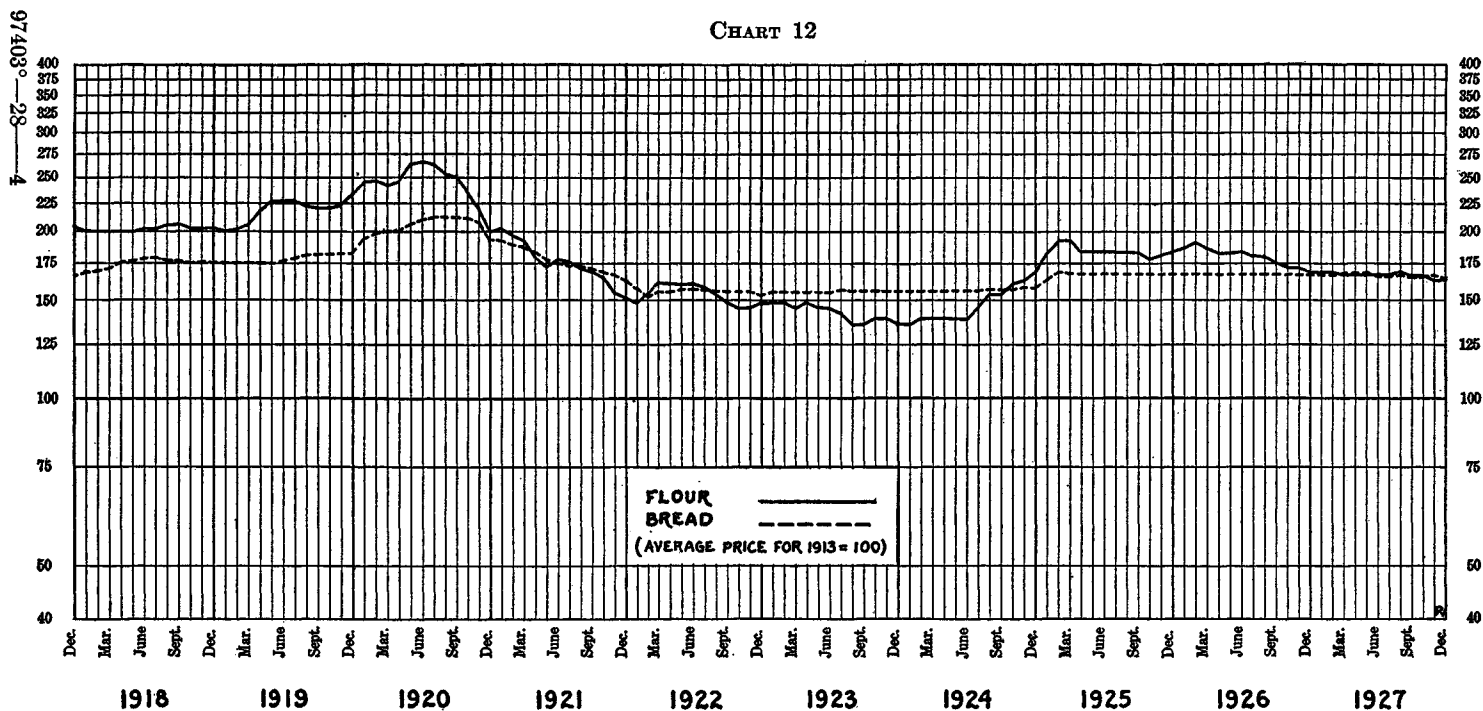


TABLE 10.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF
UNITED STATES—Continued

Year and month	Butter (pound)		Cheese (pound)		Milk, fresh (quart)		Bread (pound)		Flour, wheat (pound)	
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
	<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>	
1913: Av. for year	38.8	100.0	22.1	100.0	8.9	100.0	5.6	100.0	3.3	100.0
1914: Av. for year	36.2	94.4	22.9	103.6	8.9	100.5	6.3	112.5	3.4	103.9
1915: Av. for year	35.8	93.4	23.2	105.0	8.8	99.2	7.0	125.0	4.2	125.8
1916: Av. for year	39.4	103.0	25.8	118.7	9.1	102.2	7.3	130.4	4.4	134.6
1917: Av. for year	48.7	127.2	33.2	150.4	11.2	125.4	8.2	164.3	7.0	211.2
1918: Av. for year	57.7	150.7	35.9	162.4	13.9	156.2	9.8	175.0	6.7	203.0
January	56.7	148.0	34.5	156.1	13.4	150.6	9.4	167.9	6.6	200.0
February	57.9	151.2	34.9	157.9	13.4	150.6	9.5	169.6	6.6	200.0
March	55.2	144.1	35.1	158.8	13.4	150.6	9.6	171.4	6.6	200.0
April	50.7	132.4	34.1	154.3	13.2	148.3	9.8	175.0	6.6	200.0
May	51.0	133.2	33.4	151.1	13.2	148.3	9.9	176.8	6.6	200.0
June	51.1	133.4	33.2	150.2	13.0	146.1	10.0	178.6	6.7	203.0
July	52.6	137.3	33.5	151.6	13.2	148.3	10.0	178.6	6.7	203.0
August	53.9	140.7	34.6	156.6	13.6	152.8	9.9	176.8	6.8	206.1
September	59.2	154.6	36.0	162.9	14.3	160.7	9.9	176.8	6.8	206.1
October	65.1	170.0	38.5	174.2	14.8	166.3	9.8	175.0	6.7	203.0
November	66.8	174.4	40.6	183.7	15.4	173.0	9.8	175.0	6.7	203.0
December	72.7	189.8	42.7	193.2	15.7	176.4	9.8	175.0	6.7	203.0
1919: Av. for year	67.8	177.0	42.6	192.8	15.5	174.2	10.0	178.6	7.2	218.2
January	70.5	184.1	44.5	201.4	15.6	175.3	9.8	175.0	6.6	200.0
February	57.2	149.4	40.9	185.1	15.5	174.2	9.8	175.0	6.7	203.0
March	66.5	173.6	40.5	183.3	15.3	171.9	9.8	175.0	6.8	206.1
April	71.3	186.2	41.9	189.6	15.0	168.5	9.8	175.0	7.2	218.2
May	67.9	177.3	42.2	191.0	14.9	167.4	9.8	175.0	7.5	227.3
June	63.3	165.3	42.4	191.9	14.9	167.4	9.9	176.8	7.5	227.3
July	62.8	164.0	43.0	194.6	15.0	168.5	10.0	178.6	7.5	227.3
August	64.1	167.4	43.5	196.8	15.5	174.2	10.1	180.4	7.4	224.2
September	65.7	171.5	43.0	194.6	15.7	176.4	10.1	180.4	7.3	221.2
October	71.1	185.6	42.4	191.9	16.0	179.8	10.1	180.4	7.3	221.2
November	75.4	196.9	43.0	194.6	16.4	184.3	10.2	182.1	7.4	224.2
December	78.0	203.7	43.3	195.9	16.7	187.6	10.2	182.1	7.7	233.3
1920: Av. for year	70.1	183.0	41.6	188.2	16.7	187.6	11.5	205.4	8.1	245.5
January	74.2	193.7	43.4	196.4	16.6	186.5	10.9	194.6	8.1	245.5
February	72.6	189.6	43.3	195.9	16.7	187.6	11.1	198.2	8.1	245.5
March	75.2	196.3	42.8	193.7	16.6	186.5	11.2	200.0	8.0	242.4
April	76.1	198.7	42.8	193.7	16.3	183.2	11.2	200.0	8.1	245.5
May	77.6	207.0	42.9	194.6	16.2	182.0	11.5	205.4	8.7	263.6
June	77.2	175.5	41.8	190.1	16.2	182.0	11.8	210.7	8.8	266.7
July	67.9	177.3	41.2	186.4	16.7	187.6	11.9	212.5	8.7	263.6
August	67.0	174.9	40.5	183.3	17.0	191.0	11.9	212.5	8.4	254.6
September	68.6	179.1	40.6	183.7	17.2	193.3	11.9	212.5	8.3	251.5
October	68.9	179.9	40.6	183.7	17.3	194.4	11.8	210.7	7.8	236.4
November	69.4	181.2	39.8	180.1	17.3	194.4	11.6	207.1	7.3	221.2
December	62.0	161.9	39.0	176.5	16.8	188.8	10.8	192.9	6.6	200.0
1921: Av. for year	51.7	135.0	34.0	153.9	14.6	164.0	9.9	176.8	5.8	175.8
January	61.0	159.3	35.6	174.7	15.3	183.2	10.8	192.9	6.7	203.0
February	56.5	147.5	38.4	173.8	15.4	173.0	10.6	189.3	6.5	197.0
March	57.6	150.4	39.0	176.5	15.2	170.8	10.5	187.5	6.4	193.9
April	55.6	145.2	37.3	168.8	14.9	167.4	10.3	183.9	5.9	178.8
May	42.5	111.0	31.5	142.5	14.4	161.8	9.9	176.8	5.7	172.7
June	40.2	105.0	29.5	133.5	14.2	159.6	9.8	175.0	5.9	178.8
July	46.6	121.7	29.5	133.5	14.0	157.3	9.7	173.2	5.8	175.8
August	51.2	133.7	32.6	147.5	14.3	160.7	9.7	173.2	5.7	172.7
September	50.6	132.1	32.6	147.5	14.1	158.4	9.6	171.4	5.6	169.7
October	53.2	138.9	32.9	148.9	14.2	159.6	9.5	169.6	5.4	163.6
November	53.1	138.6	33.3	150.7	14.3	160.7	9.3	166.1	5.1	154.6
December	52.1	136.0	33.0	149.3	14.1	158.4	9.1	162.5	5.0	151.5
1922: Av. for year	47.9	125.1	32.9	148.9	13.1	147.2	8.7	155.4	5.1	154.6
January	45.3	118.3	32.9	148.9	13.6	152.8	8.8	157.1	4.9	148.5
February	45.9	119.8	32.9	148.9	13.2	148.3	8.6	153.6	5.1	154.6
March	45.8	119.6	33.0	149.3	13.0	146.1	8.7	155.4	5.3	160.6
April	45.2	118.0	32.1	145.3	12.7	142.7	8.7	155.4	5.3	160.6
May	44.9	117.2	30.8	139.4	12.5	140.5	8.8	157.1	5.3	160.6
June	44.9	117.2	31.1	140.7	12.5	140.5	8.8	157.1	5.3	160.6
July	45.7	119.3	31.5	142.5	12.8	143.8	8.8	157.1	5.2	157.6
August	44.2	115.4	31.8	143.9	13.0	146.1	8.7	155.4	5.1	154.6
September	46.7	121.9	32.1	145.2	13.1	147.2	8.7	155.4	4.9	148.5
October	50.8	132.6	34.1	154.3	13.3	149.4	8.7	155.4	4.8	145.5
November	54.6	142.6	35.5	160.6	13.4	150.6	8.7	155.4	4.8	145.5
December	60.2	157.2	36.6	165.6	13.7	153.9	8.6	153.6	4.9	148.5

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UNITED STATES—Continued

Corn meal (pound)		Rice (pound)		Potatoes (pound)		Sugar, granulated (pound)		Coffee (pound)		Tea (pound)	
Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>	
3.0	100.0	8.7	100.0	1.7	100.0	5.5	100.0	29.8	100.0	54.4	100.0
3.2	105.1	8.8	101.2	1.8	108.3	5.9	108.2	29.7	99.7	54.6	100.4
3.3	108.4	9.1	104.3	1.5	88.9	6.6	120.1	30.0	100.6	54.5	100.2
3.4	112.6	9.1	104.6	2.7	158.8	8.0	146.4	29.9	100.3	54.6	100.4
5.8	192.2	10.4	119.0	4.3	252.7	9.3	168.3	30.2	101.4	58.2	108.9
6.8	226.7	12.9	148.3	3.2	188.2	9.7	176.4	30.5	102.4	64.8	119.1
7.0	233.2	11.7	134.5	3.2	188.2	9.5	172.7	30.4	102.0	62.3	114.5
7.0	233.3	11.8	135.6	3.2	188.2	10.6	192.7	30.4	102.0	60.8	111.8
7.2	240.0	12.0	137.9	2.5	147.1	9.2	167.3	30.4	102.0	61.5	113.1
7.1	236.7	12.1	139.1	2.2	129.4	9.1	165.5	30.1	101.0	63.9	117.5
7.0	233.3	12.3	141.4	2.2	129.4	9.1	165.5	30.1	101.0	63.8	117.3
6.7	223.3	12.5	143.7	2.9	170.6	9.1	165.5	30.2	101.3	64.8	119.1
6.7	223.3	12.9	148.3	3.9	229.4	9.2	167.3	30.1	101.0	65.3	120.0
6.8	226.7	13.4	154.0	3.9	229.4	9.3	169.1	30.1	101.0	65.8	121.0
6.9	230.0	13.7	157.5	3.9	229.4	9.6	174.6	30.3	101.7	66.4	122.1
6.8	226.7	14.0	160.9	3.5	205.9	10.6	192.7	30.5	102.4	67.5	124.1
6.5	216.7	14.0	160.9	3.3	194.1	10.8	196.4	30.8	103.4	67.9	124.8
6.4	213.3	13.9	159.8	3.2	188.2	10.8	196.4	32.4	108.7	67.4	123.9
6.4	213.3	15.1	173.6	3.8	223.5	11.3	205.5	43.3	145.3	70.1	128.9
6.2	206.7	13.8	158.6	3.2	188.2	10.8	196.4	35.0	117.5	69.2	127.2
6.0	200.0	14.3	164.4	3.1	182.4	10.7	194.6	36.6	122.8	68.4	125.7
5.9	196.7	13.4	154.0	2.9	170.6	10.6	192.7	37.6	126.2	70.4	129.4
6.0	200.0	13.4	154.0	3.1	182.4	10.6	192.7	38.5	129.2	69.7	128.1
6.2	206.7	13.4	154.0	3.3	194.1	10.6	192.7	40.5	135.9	69.8	128.3
6.3	210.0	13.8	158.6	3.8	223.5	10.6	192.7	42.6	143.0	70.1	128.9
6.5	216.7	14.6	167.8	4.8	282.4	10.9	198.2	46.2	155.0	70.5	129.6
6.6	220.0	15.5	178.2	5.0	294.1	11.1	201.8	47.8	160.4	70.7	130.0
6.7	223.3	16.5	189.7	4.3	252.9	11.0	200.0	48.8	163.8	70.7	130.0
6.6	220.0	17.3	198.9	3.8	223.5	11.4	207.3	48.6	163.1	71.0	130.5
6.6	220.0	17.6	202.3	3.9	229.4	12.5	227.3	48.9	164.1	71.3	131.1
6.6	220.0	17.7	202.5	4.3	252.9	14.5	263.6	48.9	164.1	69.3	127.4
6.5	216.7	17.4	200.0	6.3	370.6	19.4	352.7	47.0	157.7	73.3	134.7
6.6	220.0	18.1	208.1	5.4	317.7	17.8	323.6	49.1	164.8	72.0	132.4
6.5	216.7	18.3	210.3	6.0	352.9	18.8	341.8	49.1	164.8	71.4	131.3
6.5	216.7	18.4	211.5	6.8	400.0	18.7	340.0	49.1	164.8	73.2	134.6
6.5	216.7	18.6	213.8	9.1	535.3	20.2	367.3	49.1	164.8	73.3	134.7
6.7	223.3	18.7	214.9	9.6	564.7	25.4	461.8	49.2	165.1	74.0	136.0
6.9	230.0	18.7	214.9	10.3	605.9	26.7	485.5	49.2	165.1	74.1	136.2
7.0	233.3	18.6	213.8	8.9	523.5	26.5	481.8	49.3	165.4	74.4	136.8
6.9	230.0	18.3	210.3	5.0	294.1	22.9	416.4	48.4	162.4	74.4	136.8
6.8	226.7	17.6	202.3	4.0	235.3	18.3	332.7	46.6	156.4	74.6	137.1
6.5	216.7	16.1	185.1	3.4	200.0	13.9	252.7	43.4	145.6	72.4	133.1
5.9	196.7	14.2	163.2	3.3	194.1	12.8	232.7	41.3	138.6	73.6	135.3
5.5	183.3	13.2	151.7	3.2	188.2	10.5	190.9	39.7	133.2	72.1	132.5
4.5	150.0	9.5	109.2	3.1	182.4	8.0	145.5	36.3	121.8	69.7	128.1
5.2	173.3	11.9	136.8	3.0	176.5	9.7	176.4	38.5	129.2	72.1	132.5
5.0	166.7	10.5	120.7	2.6	152.9	8.9	161.8	37.5	125.8	71.5	131.4
4.8	160.0	9.8	112.6	2.5	147.1	9.7	176.4	37.1	124.5	71.1	130.7
4.6	153.3	9.2	105.8	2.3	135.3	9.7	176.4	36.6	122.8	70.4	129.4
4.5	150.0	8.8	101.2	2.2	129.4	8.4	152.7	36.1	121.1	70.0	128.7
4.5	150.0	8.8	101.2	2.7	158.8	7.8	141.8	35.7	119.8	68.3	125.6
4.4	146.7	8.7	100.0	3.4	200.0	7.1	129.1	35.6	119.5	69.2	127.2
4.5	150.0	8.8	101.2	4.2	247.1	7.5	136.4	35.6	119.5	69.2	127.2
4.4	146.7	9.0	103.5	4.0	235.3	7.3	132.7	35.6	119.5	69.2	127.2
4.3	143.3	9.3	106.9	3.5	205.9	6.9	125.5	35.6	119.5	69.1	127.0
4.2	140.0	9.4	108.1	3.2	188.2	6.7	121.8	35.6	119.5	69.0	126.8
4.1	136.7	9.3	106.9	3.1	182.4	6.5	118.2	35.6	119.5	67.7	124.5
3.9	130.0	9.5	109.2	2.8	164.7	7.3	132.7	36.1	121.1	68.1	125.2
3.9	130.0	9.3	106.9	3.3	194.1	6.2	112.7	35.7	119.8	68.3	125.6
3.9	130.0	9.3	106.9	3.3	194.1	6.4	116.4	35.6	119.5	67.8	124.6
3.9	130.0	9.3	106.9	3.1	182.4	6.5	118.2	35.6	119.5	67.5	124.1
3.9	130.0	9.4	108.1	2.9	170.6	6.7	121.8	35.7	119.8	67.7	124.5
3.8	126.7	9.5	109.2	3.0	176.5	6.6	120.0	35.9	120.5	67.9	124.8
3.9	130.0	9.6	110.3	3.5	205.9	7.1	129.1	36.1	121.1	68.0	125.0
3.9	130.0	9.6	110.3	3.6	211.8	7.6	138.2	36.2	121.5	68.0	125.0
3.9	130.0	9.6	110.3	2.6	152.9	8.1	147.3	36.2	121.5	68.3	125.6
3.9	130.0	9.6	110.3	2.3	135.3	7.9	143.6	36.2	121.5	68.2	125.4
3.9	130.0	9.6	110.3	2.2	129.4	7.9	143.6	36.3	121.8	68.2	125.4
3.9	130.0	9.5	109.2	2.1	123.5	8.1	147.3	36.5	122.5	68.5	125.9
4.0	133.3	9.5	109.2	2.1	123.5	8.3	150.9	36.7	123.2	68.5	125.9

TABLE 10.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF
UNITED STATES—Continued

Year and month	Butter (pound)		Cheese (pound)		Milk, fresh (quart)		Bread (pound)		Flour, wheat (pound)	
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1923: Av. for year	<i>Cents</i> 55.4	144.7	<i>Cents</i> 36.9	167.0	<i>Cents</i> 13.8	155.1	<i>Cents</i> 8.7	155.4	<i>Cents</i> 4.7	142.4
January.....	59.1	154.3	37.3	168.8	13.7	153.9	8.7	155.4	4.9	148.5
February.....	57.7	150.7	37.5	169.7	13.7	153.9	8.7	155.4	4.9	148.5
March.....	57.6	150.4	37.1	167.9	13.6	152.8	8.7	155.4	4.8	145.5
April.....	57.3	149.6	36.3	164.3	13.6	152.8	8.7	155.4	4.9	148.5
May.....	52.1	136.0	35.5	160.6	13.5	151.7	8.7	155.4	4.8	145.5
June.....	50.0	130.6	36.1	163.4	13.5	151.7	8.7	155.4	4.8	145.5
July.....	49.1	128.2	36.2	163.8	13.6	152.8	8.8	157.1	4.7	142.4
August.....	51.8	135.3	36.3	164.3	13.7	153.9	8.7	155.4	4.5	136.4
September.....	55.0	143.6	37.0	167.4	14.0	157.3	8.7	155.4	4.5	136.4
October.....	56.2	146.7	38.5	174.2	14.1	158.4	8.7	155.4	4.6	139.4
November.....	58.9	153.8	37.7	170.6	14.3	160.7	8.7	155.4	4.6	139.4
December.....	60.3	157.4	37.7	170.6	14.3	160.7	8.7	155.4	4.5	136.4
1924: Av. for year	51.7	135.0	35.3	159.7	13.8	155.1	8.8	157.1	4.9	148.5
January.....	61.3	160.1	37.4	169.2	14.2	159.6	8.7	155.4	4.5	136.4
February.....	60.2	157.2	37.2	168.3	14.0	157.3	8.7	155.4	4.6	139.4
March.....	58.0	151.4	36.7	166.1	13.9	156.2	8.7	155.4	4.6	139.4
April.....	50.1	130.8	35.6	161.1	13.8	155.1	8.7	155.4	4.6	139.4
May.....	46.1	120.4	34.6	156.6	13.6	152.8	8.7	155.4	4.6	139.4
June.....	48.6	126.9	34.4	155.7	13.5	151.7	8.7	155.4	4.6	139.4
July.....	49.5	129.2	34.4	155.7	13.5	151.7	8.7	155.4	4.8	145.5
August.....	48.3	126.1	34.4	155.7	13.7	153.9	8.8	157.1	5.1	154.5
September.....	48.5	126.6	34.6	156.6	13.9	156.2	8.8	157.1	5.1	154.5
October.....	47.9	125.1	34.8	157.5	13.9	156.2	8.8	157.1	5.3	160.6
November.....	48.9	127.7	34.7	157.0	13.8	155.1	8.9	158.9	5.4	163.6
December.....	52.5	137.1	34.9	157.9	13.8	155.1	8.9	158.9	5.6	169.7
1925: Av. for year	54.8	143.1	36.7	166.1	14.0	157.3	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
January.....	52.3	136.6	35.9	162.4	13.9	156.2	9.2	164.3	6.0	181.8
February.....	50.6	132.1	36.4	164.7	13.9	156.2	9.5	169.6	6.4	193.9
March.....	55.5	144.9	36.5	165.2	13.8	155.1	9.4	167.9	6.4	193.9
April.....	53.3	139.2	36.5	165.2	13.8	155.1	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
May.....	51.9	135.5	36.3	164.3	13.7	153.9	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
June.....	52.7	137.6	36.5	165.2	13.7	153.9	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
July.....	53.2	138.9	36.6	165.6	13.8	155.1	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
August.....	54.1	141.3	36.8	166.5	13.9	156.2	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
September.....	55.8	145.7	37.0	167.4	14.2	159.6	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
October.....	59.4	155.1	37.2	168.3	14.3	160.7	9.4	167.9	5.9	178.8
November.....	59.7	155.9	37.4	169.2	14.3	160.7	9.4	167.9	6.0	181.8
December.....	58.6	153.0	37.5	169.7	14.3	160.7	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
1926: Av. for year	53.1	138.6	36.6	165.6	14.0	157.3	9.4	167.9	6.0	181.8
January.....	55.4	144.6	37.6	170.1	14.2	159.6	9.4	167.9	6.2	187.9
February.....	54.5	142.3	37.5	169.7	14.2	159.6	9.4	167.9	6.3	190.9
March.....	53.6	139.9	37.2	168.3	14.0	157.3	9.4	167.9	6.2	187.9
April.....	50.9	132.9	36.5	165.2	13.9	156.2	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
May.....	50.0	130.5	36.0	162.9	13.9	156.2	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
June.....	50.3	131.3	35.7	161.5	13.8	155.1	9.4	167.9	6.1	184.8
July.....	50.1	130.8	35.6	161.1	13.8	155.1	9.4	167.9	6.0	181.8
August.....	50.6	132.1	35.7	161.5	13.9	156.2	9.4	167.9	6.0	181.8
September.....	52.5	137.1	36.1	163.3	14.0	157.3	9.4	167.9	5.8	175.8
October.....	54.3	141.8	36.7	166.1	14.0	157.3	9.4	167.9	5.7	172.7
November.....	55.7	145.4	36.9	167.0	14.1	158.4	9.4	167.9	5.7	172.7
December.....	59.3	154.8	37.4	169.2	14.2	159.6	9.4	167.9	5.6	169.7
1927: Av. for year	55.6	145.2	37.8	170.1	14.1	158.4	9.3	166.1	5.5	166.7
January.....	58.4	152.5	37.6	170.1	14.1	158.4	9.4	167.9	5.6	169.7
February.....	58.8	153.5	37.6	170.1	14.1	158.4	9.4	167.9	5.6	169.7
March.....	59.2	154.6	37.3	168.8	14.1	158.4	9.4	167.9	5.5	166.7
April.....	58.4	152.5	37.1	167.9	14.0	157.3	9.4	167.9	5.5	166.7
May.....	53.4	139.4	37.0	167.4	13.9	156.2	9.4	167.9	5.5	166.7
June.....	51.8	135.2	37.0	167.4	13.9	156.2	9.3	166.1	5.5	166.7
July.....	51.4	134.2	36.9	167.0	14.0	157.3	9.3	166.1	5.5	166.7
August.....	51.4	134.2	37.0	167.4	14.1	158.4	9.3	166.1	5.6	169.7
September.....	53.4	139.4	37.7	170.6	14.1	158.4	9.3	166.1	5.5	166.7
October.....	55.7	145.4	38.3	173.3	14.2	159.6	9.3	166.1	5.5	166.7
November.....	56.4	147.3	38.6	174.7	14.2	159.6	9.3	166.1	5.4	163.6
December.....	58.4	152.5	39.0	176.5	14.3	160.7	9.2	164.3	5.4	163.6

SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES, 1913 TO DECEMBER, 1927—Continued

UNITED STATES—Continued

Corn meal (pound)		Rice (pound)		Potatoes (pound)		Sugar, granulated (pound)		Coffee (pound)		Tea (pound)	
Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>		<i>Cents</i>	
4.1	136.7	9.5	109.2	2.9	170.6	10.1	133.6	37.7	126.5	69.5	127.8
4.0	133.3	9.5	109.2	2.1	123.5	8.3	150.9	37.0	124.2	68.7	126.3
4.0	133.3	9.4	108.1	2.1	123.5	8.7	158.2	37.5	125.8	68.9	126.7
4.0	133.3	9.4	108.1	2.2	129.4	10.2	185.5	37.9	127.2	68.9	126.7
4.0	133.3	9.4	108.1	2.5	147.1	10.6	192.7	38.0	127.5	69.2	127.2
4.0	133.3	9.4	108.1	2.7	158.8	11.2	203.6	38.0	127.5	69.3	127.4
4.0	133.3	9.4	108.1	3.2	188.2	11.1	201.8	37.8	126.9	69.5	127.8
4.1	136.7	9.4	108.1	4.2	247.1	10.5	190.9	37.7	126.5	69.4	127.6
4.1	136.7	9.4	108.1	3.7	217.7	9.6	174.6	37.6	126.2	69.7	128.1
4.2	140.0	9.5	109.2	3.4	200.0	9.6	174.6	37.6	126.2	69.7	128.1
4.3	143.3	9.6	110.3	2.9	170.6	10.6	192.7	37.8	126.9	70.0	128.7
4.4	146.7	9.7	111.5	2.6	152.9	10.3	187.3	37.8	126.9	70.4	129.4
4.4	146.7	9.7	111.5	2.6	152.9	10.4	189.1	37.8	126.9	70.2	129.0
4.7	158.7	10.1	116.1	2.7	158.8	9.2	167.3	43.3	145.3	71.5	131.4
4.4	146.7	9.8	112.6	2.8	164.7	10.2	185.5	38.2	128.2	71.0	130.5
4.4	146.7	9.8	112.6	2.8	164.7	10.3	187.3	38.8	130.2	70.8	130.2
4.4	146.7	9.7	111.5	2.8	164.7	10.4	189.1	40.8	136.9	70.9	130.3
4.4	146.7	9.8	112.6	2.8	164.7	9.9	180.0	41.8	140.3	71.0	130.5
4.4	146.7	9.9	113.8	2.9	170.6	9.2	167.3	42.2	141.6	71.1	130.7
4.4	146.7	9.9	113.8	3.3	194.1	8.3	150.9	42.3	141.9	70.9	130.3
4.5	150.0	10.0	114.9	3.3	194.1	8.4	152.7	42.4	142.3	70.8	130.1
4.7	156.7	10.2	117.2	2.6	152.9	8.2	149.1	43.4	145.6	70.9	130.3
4.8	160.0	10.3	118.4	2.6	152.9	8.6	156.4	44.3	148.7	71.0	130.5
5.0	166.7	10.4	119.5	2.4	141.2	8.8	160.0	46.1	154.7	71.8	132.0
5.1	170.0	10.5	120.7	2.2	129.4	8.8	160.0	49.0	164.4	73.5	135.1
5.2	173.3	10.6	121.8	2.3	135.3	8.8	160.0	50.5	169.5	73.8	135.7
5.4	180.0	11.1	127.6	3.6	211.8	7.2	130.9	51.5	172.8	75.5	138.8
5.4	180.0	10.7	123.0	2.5	147.1	8.1	147.3	51.6	173.2	74.2	136.4
5.5	183.3	10.8	124.1	2.6	152.9	7.7	140.0	52.1	174.8	74.8	137.5
5.5	183.3	10.9	125.3	2.5	147.1	7.7	140.0	52.3	175.5	75.1	138.1
5.5	183.3	11.0	126.4	2.4	141.2	7.5	136.4	52.1	174.8	75.5	138.8
5.4	180.0	11.0	126.4	2.7	158.8	7.2	130.9	52.2	175.2	75.6	139.0
5.4	180.0	11.0	126.4	3.5	205.9	7.2	130.9	50.8	170.5	75.8	139.3
5.4	180.0	11.2	128.7	4.4	258.8	7.1	129.1	50.8	170.5	75.8	139.3
5.4	180.0	11.3	129.9	4.4	258.8	7.0	127.3	50.9	170.8	75.9	139.5
5.4	180.0	11.3	129.9	3.6	211.8	7.0	127.3	51.0	171.1	75.8	139.3
5.3	176.7	11.3	129.9	3.7	217.6	6.8	123.6	51.1	171.5	75.8	139.3
5.3	176.7	11.4	131.0	5.2	305.9	6.6	120.0	51.2	171.8	75.7	139.2
5.2	173.3	11.4	131.0	5.2	305.9	6.7	121.8	51.3	172.1	75.8	139.3
5.1	170.0	11.6	133.8	4.9	288.2	6.9	125.5	51.0	171.1	76.7	141.0
5.2	173.3	11.6	133.3	5.8	341.2	6.7	121.8	51.3	172.1	76.1	139.9
5.2	173.3	11.6	133.3	5.7	335.3	6.7	121.8	51.3	172.1	76.1	139.9
5.2	173.3	11.7	134.5	5.6	329.4	6.7	121.8	51.3	172.1	76.1	139.9
5.1	170.0	11.7	134.5	6.7	394.1	6.6	120.0	51.1	171.5	76.3	140.3
5.1	170.0	11.7	134.5	6.0	352.9	6.7	121.8	51.0	171.1	76.4	140.4
5.1	170.0	11.7	134.5	5.0	294.1	6.9	125.5	51.0	171.1	76.9	141.4
5.1	170.0	11.7	134.5	4.1	241.2	6.9	125.5	51.1	171.5	77.0	141.5
5.1	170.0	11.6	133.3	3.6	211.8	7.0	127.3	51.0	171.1	77.1	141.7
5.1	170.0	11.7	134.5	3.9	229.4	7.0	127.3	51.0	171.1	77.0	141.5
5.1	170.0	11.6	133.3	3.8	223.5	7.1	129.1	50.9	170.8	77.3	142.1
5.1	170.0	11.3	129.9	4.0	235.3	7.1	129.1	50.8	170.5	77.1	141.7
5.1	170.0	11.2	128.7	4.0	235.3	7.3	132.7	50.7	170.1	76.9	141.4
5.2	173.3	10.7	123.0	3.8	223.5	7.3	132.7	48.3	162.1	77.5	142.5
5.1	170.0	11.0	126.4	4.0	235.3	7.5	136.4	50.2	168.5	77.5	142.5
5.1	170.0	10.8	124.1	3.8	223.5	7.5	136.4	49.9	167.4	77.4	142.3
5.1	170.0	10.8	124.1	3.7	217.6	7.4	134.5	49.3	165.4	77.6	142.6
5.1	170.0	10.7	123.0	3.7	217.6	7.3	132.7	48.8	163.8	77.6	142.6
5.1	170.0	10.6	121.8	4.5	264.7	7.3	132.7	48.2	161.7	77.4	142.3
5.2	173.3	10.7	123.0	6.0	352.9	7.3	132.7	47.9	160.7	77.3	142.1
5.2	173.3	10.7	123.0	4.2	247.1	7.4	134.5	47.6	159.7	77.5	142.5
5.2	173.3	10.7	123.0	3.4	200.0	7.3	132.7	47.4	159.1	77.6	142.6
5.2	173.3	10.6	121.8	3.2	188.2	7.2	130.9	47.3	158.7	77.2	141.9
5.2	173.3	10.5	120.7	3.0	176.5	7.2	130.9	47.4	159.1	77.5	142.5
5.2	173.3	10.4	119.5	3.0	176.5	7.2	130.9	47.8	160.4	77.5	142.5
5.2	173.3	10.3	118.4	3.0	176.5	7.1	129.1	48.1	161.4	77.3	142.1

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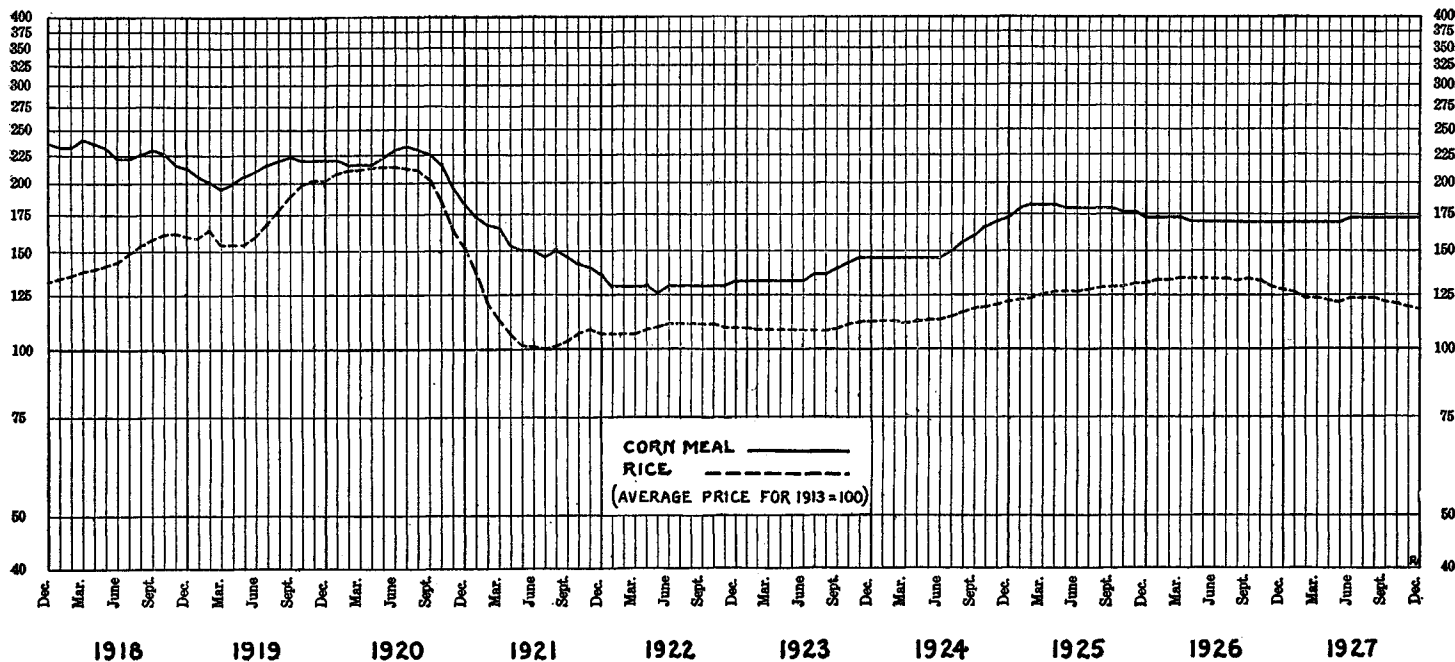


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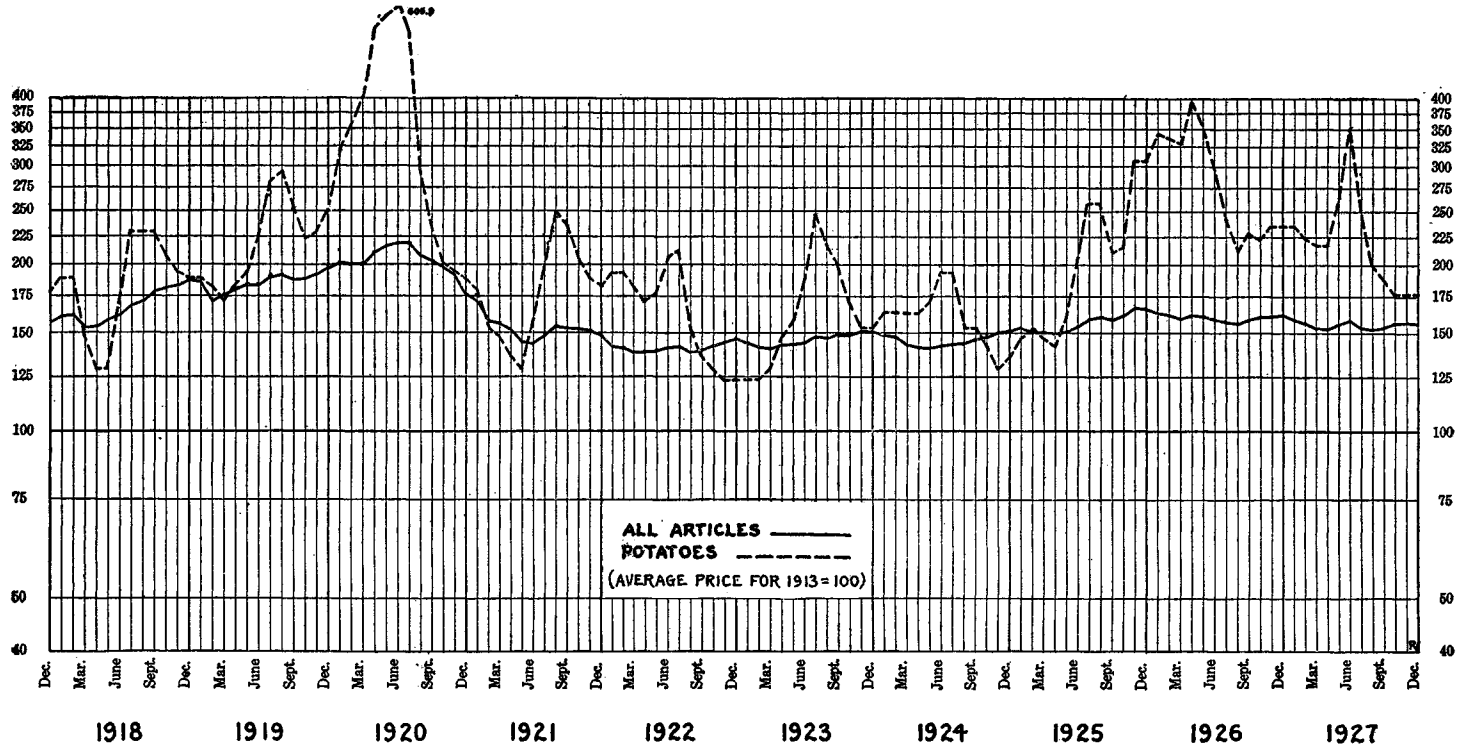


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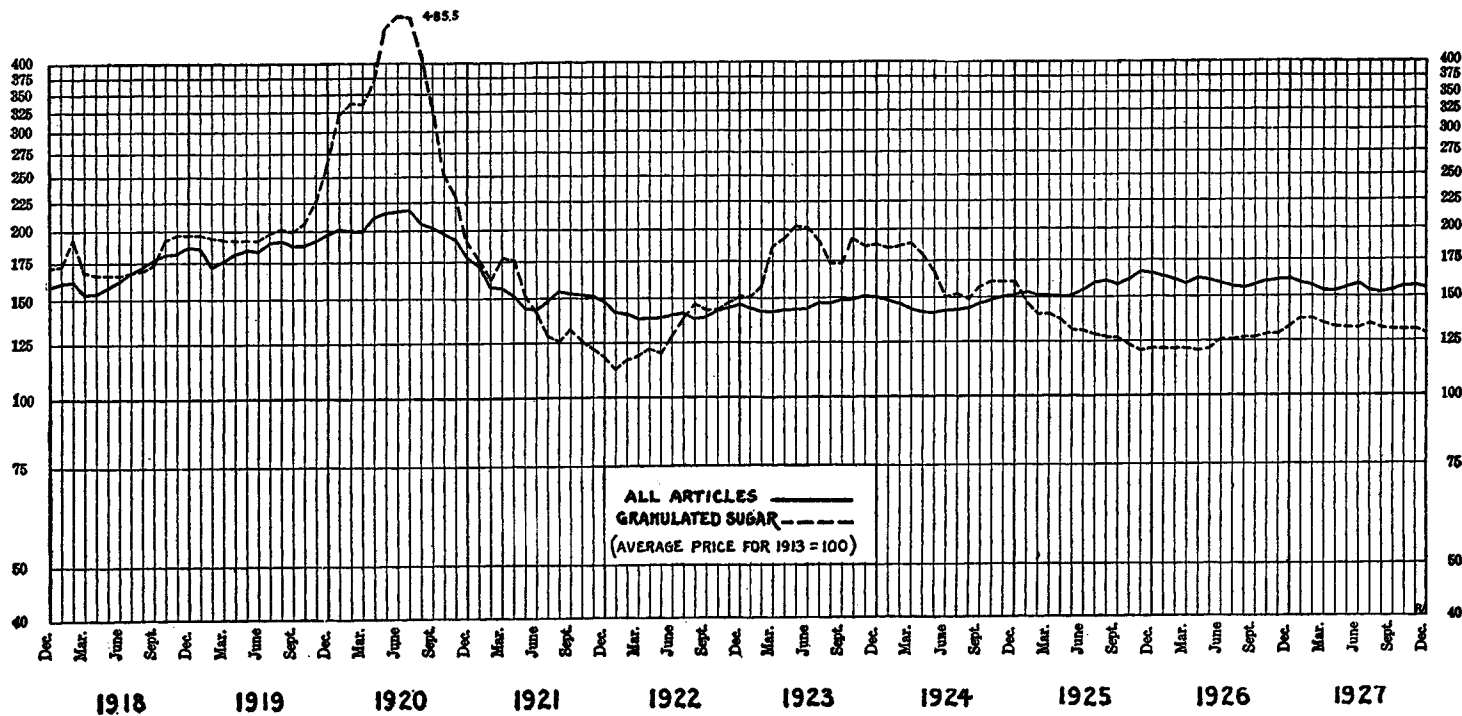


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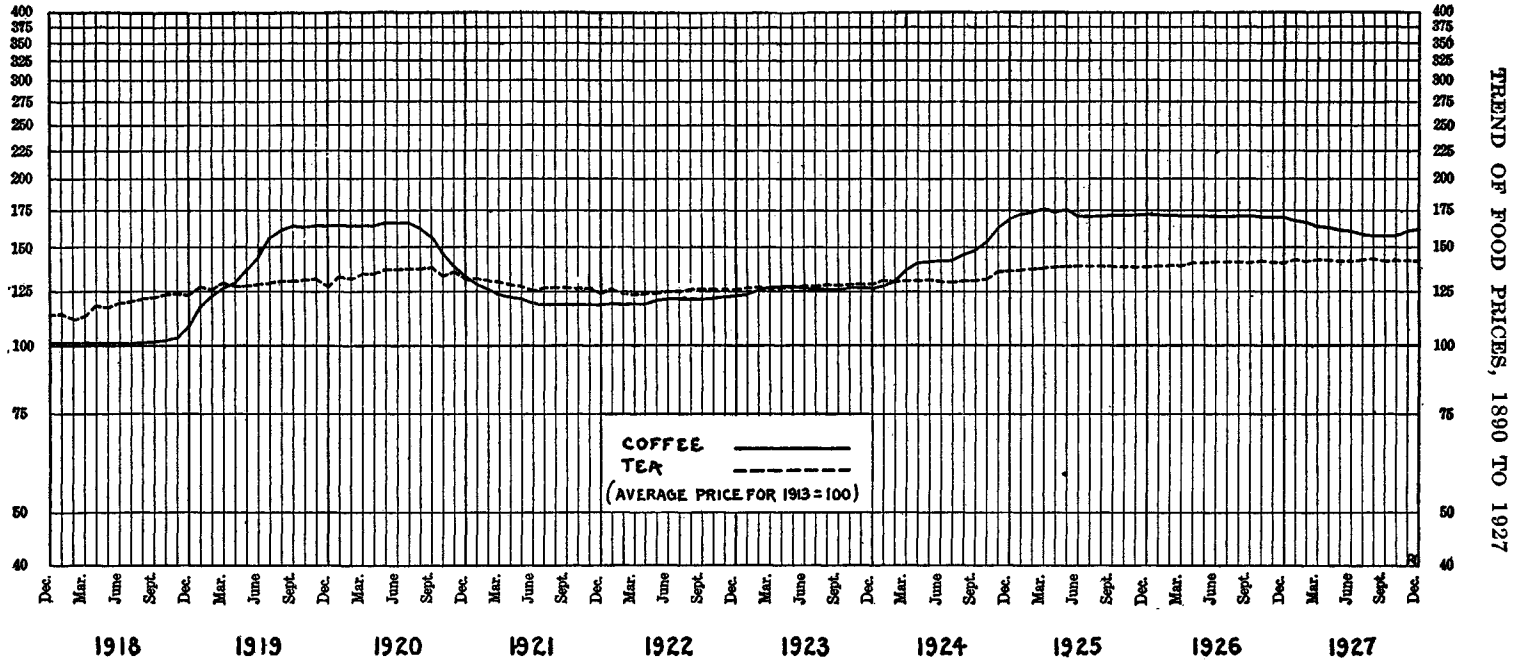


TABLE 11.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF 5 FOOD ARTICLES, 1915 TO DECEMBER, 1927
UNITED STATES

Year and month	Average price per pound				
	Onions	Beans, navy	Prunes	Raisins, seeded	Salmon, canned
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
1915: Average for the year.....	3.5	7.8	13.5	12.5	19.8
1916: Average for the year.....	4.9	11.0	13.4	12.9	20.3
1917: Average for the year.....	7.6	17.9	15.5	14.6	25.7
1918: Average for the year.....	4.7	17.3	17.2	15.3	30.0
January.....	5.0	18.5	16.4	15.0	29.2
February.....	4.9	18.1	16.5	15.0	29.1
March.....	4.0	18.1	16.5	15.1	29.5
April.....	3.3	18.0	16.6	15.1	29.5
May.....	5.6	17.8	16.5	15.1	29.6
June.....	4.8	17.5	16.6	15.1	29.6
July.....	5.3	17.3	16.7	15.1	29.6
August.....	5.5	17.1	17.1	15.3	30.2
September.....	5.0	16.9	17.4	15.4	30.5
October.....	4.5	16.7	18.3	15.5	30.9
November.....	4.0	16.1	18.4	15.8	31.3
December.....	3.9	15.4	19.2	16.1	31.4
1919: Average for the year.....	7.4	12.6	25.2	18.4	33.1
January.....	4.1	14.9	19.8	16.1	32.1
February.....	4.3	13.7	20.3	16.2	31.7
March.....	6.0	12.5	20.9	16.4	32.1
April.....	6.9	12.1	21.9	16.3	32.2
May.....	10.7	12.0	23.2	16.5	31.9
June.....	11.2	12.1	25.4	16.8	32.0
July.....	9.8	12.1	26.5	17.3	32.2
August.....	7.8	12.3	27.4	18.0	32.3
September.....	6.5	12.4	28.0	19.4	33.6
October.....	6.3	12.5	29.0	20.9	34.8
November.....	6.9	12.3	30.2	22.7	35.7
December.....	8.1	12.2	29.3	23.9	36.4
1920: Average for the year.....	7.1	11.4	28.1	28.6	38.2
January.....	9.0	12.2	29.1	24.8	37.1
February.....	9.3	12.2	29.0	25.6	37.6
March.....	9.4	11.9	28.7	26.4	37.6
April.....	10.1	11.8	28.4	26.9	37.8
May.....	8.0	11.8	28.3	27.4	37.1
June.....	8.1	11.8	28.2	27.7	38.0
July.....	6.7	11.9	28.4	28.2	38.7
August.....	5.6	11.7	28.3	28.9	38.8
September.....	5.3	11.6	28.4	30.8	39.0
October.....	4.7	10.9	27.9	31.4	39.0
November.....	4.3	10.1	27.1	32.3	38.7
December.....	4.1	9.4	25.6	32.4	38.4
1921: Average for the year.....	5.5	8.2	19.8	29.8	36.9
January.....	4.1	8.9	24.2	32.1	39.5
February.....	3.9	8.6	22.5	31.9	39.1
March.....	3.8	8.4	20.9	31.7	38.8
April.....	3.9	8.1	19.5	31.3	38.4
May.....	5.6	7.9	18.7	31.0	37.9
June.....	5.7	7.9	18.5	30.9	37.5
July.....	5.4	7.9	18.6	30.7	36.8
August.....	5.3	7.9	18.8	30.2	36.0
September.....	5.7	8.1	18.9	29.1	35.4
October.....	6.5	8.2	19.1	27.3	34.9
November.....	7.5	8.2	18.9	26.1	34.3
December.....	8.0	8.2	18.7	25.5	33.9
1922: Average for the year.....	7.9	9.9	20.1	23.0	32.2
January.....	9.1	8.2	18.8	25.0	33.3
February.....	10.9	8.3	18.8	24.8	32.9
March.....	11.6	8.9	19.2	24.6	32.6
April.....	13.8	9.3	20.0	24.4	32.4
May.....	9.8	9.7	20.4	24.2	32.3
June.....	8.0	10.6	20.6	24.1	32.2
July.....	7.0	11.1	20.8	24.0	32.1
August.....	5.9	11.3	20.8	23.2	31.9
September.....	5.1	10.8	20.9	22.1	31.7
October.....	4.4	10.1	20.6	20.7	31.6
November.....	4.4	10.2	20.2	19.8	31.5
December.....	4.6	10.5	20.1	19.2	31.4

TABLE 11.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF 5 FOOD ARTICLES, 1915 TO DECEMBER, 1927—Continued

UNITED STATES—Continued

Year and month	Average price per pound				
	Onions	Beans, navy	Prunes	Raisins, seeded	Salmon, canned
	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>
1923: Average for the year	6.4	11.0	19.1	17.6	31.3
January.....	5.1	10.9	20.0	18.9	31.3
February.....	5.3	11.3	19.9	18.7	31.3
March.....	5.4	11.4	19.8	18.4	31.2
April.....	6.5	11.4	19.7	18.0	31.2
May.....	7.8	11.4	19.5	17.8	31.2
June.....	8.1	11.4	19.3	17.6	31.1
July.....	7.4	11.3	19.2	17.5	31.1
August.....	6.5	11.0	19.0	17.4	31.2
September.....	6.2	10.9	18.8	17.1	31.3
October.....	6.3	10.6	18.3	16.8	31.4
November.....	6.3	10.5	18.0	16.4	31.4
December.....	6.0	10.3	17.8	16.0	31.3
1924: Average for the year	6.0	9.9	17.5	15.4	31.3
January.....	6.1	10.1	17.9	15.9	31.2
February.....	6.0	10.0	17.8	15.8	31.2
March.....	5.9	9.9	17.8	15.7	31.1
April.....	5.9	9.8	17.5	15.6	31.1
May.....	6.7	9.8	17.6	15.5	31.1
June.....	6.8	9.7	17.4	15.4	31.2
July.....	6.9	9.7	17.4	15.4	31.2
August.....	6.5	9.7	17.3	15.4	31.2
September.....	5.8	9.9	17.4	15.2	31.3
October.....	5.2	10.1	17.3	15.0	31.5
November.....	5.1	10.1	17.2	14.8	31.7
December.....	5.3	10.1	17.3	14.6	31.8
1925: Average for the year	7.1	10.2	17.3	14.5	32.9
January.....	5.9	10.2	17.4	14.6	31.7
February.....	6.3	10.4	17.1	14.6	31.4
March.....	6.3	10.4	17.3	14.6	31.2
April.....	6.9	10.4	17.4	14.5	31.2
May.....	8.7	10.3	17.3	14.5	31.2
June.....	9.9	10.3	17.3	14.5	31.3
July.....	9.5	10.3	17.3	14.5	31.5
August.....	8.0	10.3	17.3	14.4	32.3
September.....	6.4	10.2	17.3	14.4	34.1
October.....	5.8	10.0	17.2	14.3	35.5
November.....	5.7	9.9	17.2	14.2	36.4
December.....	5.7	9.8	17.1	14.4	36.9
1926: Average for the year	6.0	9.3	17.0	14.7	37.0
January.....	5.9	9.8	17.2	14.5	37.3
February.....	5.9	9.6	17.2	14.5	37.6
March.....	5.9	9.4	17.1	14.6	37.6
April.....	6.3	9.3	17.1	14.6	37.8
May.....	7.7	9.2	17.1	14.7	37.9
June.....	7.4	9.2	17.1	14.7	38.1
July.....	6.8	9.2	17.2	14.8	38.1
August.....	5.9	9.2	17.2	14.8	38.2
September.....	5.3	9.1	17.1	14.8	37.2
October.....	5.0	9.1	16.9	14.8	35.6
November.....	5.0	9.3	16.5	14.6	34.7
December.....	5.0	9.3	16.2	14.4	34.1
1927: Average for the year	6.4	9.3	15.3	14.2	33.4
January.....	5.5	9.2	16.0	14.4	33.5
February.....	5.7	9.2	15.8	14.4	33.2
March.....	5.9	9.1	15.8	14.3	33.0
April.....	7.4	9.1	15.5	14.3	32.7
May.....	8.7	9.0	15.4	14.3	32.5
June.....	8.8	9.3	15.6	14.3	32.3
July.....	7.8	9.4	15.7	14.4	32.3
August.....	6.4	9.5	15.5	14.3	32.9
September.....	5.5	9.6	15.2	14.3	33.9
October.....	5.0	9.6	14.6	14.2	34.4
November.....	4.8	9.5	14.1	13.8	34.8
December.....	4.7	9.5	13.8	13.7	35.0

TABLE 12.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF 14 FOOD ARTICLES, 1919 TO DECEMBER, 1927

UNITED STATES

Year and month	Milk, evaporat- ed, 15-16 ounce can	Oleomar- garine (all butter substitutes), pound	Vegetable lard sub- stitute, pound	Rolled oats, pound	Corn flakes, 8-ounce package	Wheat cereal, 28-ounce package	Macar- oni, pound	Cabbage, pound	Beans, baked, No. 2 can	Corn, canned, No. 2 can	Peas, canned, No. 2 can	Toma- toes, canned, No. 2 can	Bananas, dozen	Oranges, dozen
	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>
1919: Average for year.....	16.0	38.5	36.3	8.7	14.1	25.4	19.4	5.9	17.6	19.2	19.1	18.2	38.3	53.2
1920: Average for year.....	15.4	38.9	35.1	10.8	14.3	30.0	21.1	6.4	16.8	18.5	19.1	14.8	44.2	63.2
1921: Average for year.....	13.9	30.2	22.6	10.0	12.6	29.8	20.8	5.0	14.5	16.3	17.8	12.1	40.1	49.6
1922: Average for year.....	12.3	27.5	22.5	8.8	10.0	25.8	20.0	4.6	13.3	15.5	17.6	13.4	36.0	57.4
January.....	12.4	28.7	21.6	9.2	10.7	26.6	20.3	5.6	13.5	16.0	17.7	13.2	36.6	46.2
February.....	11.6	27.9	21.7	8.9	10.3	26.2	20.2	5.7	13.3	15.9	17.8	13.4	36.8	48.5
March.....	11.3	27.5	21.9	8.8	10.2	26.0	20.2	5.4	13.2	15.7	17.7	13.6	36.9	53.9
April.....	11.1	27.3	22.1	8.7	10.1	25.9	20.0	5.3	13.1	15.6	17.8	13.7	36.1	61.1
May.....	11.0	27.1	22.2	8.7	10.0	25.8	20.1	5.7	13.1	15.5	17.8	13.7	36.2	62.0
June.....	10.9	27.1	22.4	8.7	9.9	25.8	20.0	5.1	13.2	15.5	17.8	13.9	36.3	63.5
July.....	10.9	27.0	22.7	8.7	9.8	25.8	20.0	4.6	13.3	15.4	17.8	13.8	35.8	63.2
August.....	10.8	27.1	22.9	8.7	9.8	25.7	20.0	3.9	13.4	15.4	17.6	13.6	34.2	64.8
September.....	10.8	27.3	23.0	8.7	9.8	25.6	19.9	3.7	13.4	15.3	17.5	13.1	34.0	64.8
October.....	11.2	27.4	23.2	8.7	9.7	25.6	19.9	3.5	13.2	15.3	17.4	12.7	35.6	61.1
November.....	11.7	27.6	23.2	8.8	9.7	25.6	19.9	3.4	13.2	15.2	17.4	12.8	36.8	51.0
December.....	11.9	28.0	23.3	8.7	9.7	25.5	20.0	3.6	13.1	15.2	17.4	12.7	37.1	48.5
1923: Average for year.....	12.2	28.4	22.9	8.8	9.7	24.5	19.7	5.4	13.0	15.4	17.6	12.9	37.8	49.8
January.....	12.1	27.8	22.3	8.8	9.7	25.0	19.8	4.0	13.1	15.3	17.5	12.7	37.1	46.8
February.....	12.1	27.8	22.4	8.7	9.7	24.8	19.8	4.7	13.1	15.4	17.4	12.8	36.9	47.1
March.....	12.2	28.2	22.4	8.8	9.7	24.7	19.8	6.6	13.0	15.4	17.4	12.9	36.7	47.9
April.....	12.2	28.3	22.6	8.8	9.7	24.6	19.8	8.4	13.0	15.4	17.5	12.9	36.6	50.2
May.....	12.2	28.3	22.6	8.8	9.7	24.5	19.7	8.0	13.0	15.4	17.5	13.0	37.0	55.3
June.....	12.2	28.3	22.7	8.8	9.7	24.4	19.7	6.2	13.0	15.4	17.5	13.0	38.1	53.9
July.....	12.2	28.2	22.8	8.8	9.7	24.4	19.8	5.4	12.9	15.4	17.6	13.0	38.8	50.9
August.....	12.2	28.3	22.8	8.8	9.7	24.4	19.8	4.8	12.9	15.4	17.6	13.0	38.4	53.1
September.....	12.2	28.5	23.0	8.8	9.7	24.4	19.7	4.6	12.9	15.5	17.6	12.9	37.8	51.0
October.....	12.2	28.7	23.5	8.8	9.7	24.4	19.7	4.2	12.9	15.5	17.6	12.9	38.3	51.1
November.....	12.2	29.2	23.7	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.7	3.9	12.9	15.6	17.7	12.9	38.3	49.0
December.....	12.2	29.5	24.0	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.6	4.1	12.9	15.6	17.7	12.9	39.1	41.5
1924: Average for year.....	11.5	29.7	24.9	8.9	10.0	24.3	19.6	5.2	12.7	16.0	18.1	13.2	36.9	44.0
January.....	12.2	29.7	24.3	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.6	4.9	12.9	15.7	17.9	12.9	38.8	40.0
February.....	12.1	29.8	24.5	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.6	5.4	12.9	15.7	17.9	12.9	38.1	39.5
March.....	12.1	29.7	24.5	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.5	6.2	12.8	15.7	18.0	12.9	39.0	38.3
April.....	11.8	29.3	24.5	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.5	7.1	12.7	15.8	18.0	12.9	37.2	40.2
May.....	11.7	29.2	24.5	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.5	7.7	12.7	15.8	18.1	13.0	36.6	41.6
June.....	11.6	29.1	24.9	8.8	9.7	24.3	19.5	5.8	12.7	15.8	18.1	13.0	35.8	45.1

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July.....	11.2	29.2	24.7	8.8	9.6	24.3	19.6	5.0	12.6	15.8	18.1	13.2	35.9	45.4
August.....	11.1	29.6	25.2	8.8	9.6	24.3	19.6	4.3	12.6	15.9	18.2	13.3	35.4	46.1
September.....	11.1	29.8	25.5	8.9	10.1	24.2	19.6	4.2	12.6	16.0	18.2	13.4	35.2	48.8
October.....	11.0	30.0	25.5	8.9	10.5	24.4	19.5	3.9	12.6	16.3	18.2	13.5	36.1	50.6
November.....	11.0	30.2	25.5	9.1	10.7	24.4	19.6	3.7	12.6	16.6	18.3	13.6	37.3	48.9
December.....	11.0	30.3	25.5	9.0	10.8	24.4	19.8	4.0	12.6	17.1	18.4	13.7	36.9	43.2
1926: Average for year.....	11.4	30.4	25.8	8.2	11.0	24.8	20.4	5.1	12.4	17.8	18.4	13.6	35.7	55.6
January.....	11.1	30.1	25.3	9.0	10.9	24.5	20.0	4.6	12.5	17.5	18.5	13.8	33.2	44.8
February.....	11.2	30.2	25.8	9.2	11.0	24.6	20.3	5.0	12.6	17.7	18.5	13.8	36.8	44.7
March.....	11.2	30.1	25.8	9.2	11.0	24.7	20.4	5.2	12.6	17.9	18.5	13.9	37.6	48.3
April.....	11.2	30.1	25.9	9.3	11.0	24.6	20.4	5.5	12.6	18.0	18.5	13.9	37.4	51.8
May.....	11.2	30.0	25.7	9.3	11.0	24.6	20.5	5.6	12.5	18.1	18.5	13.8	37.3	55.5
June.....	11.3	30.3	25.8	9.2	11.0	24.6	20.5	6.0	12.4	18.2	18.4	13.8	36.5	60.9
July.....	11.4	29.9	25.8	9.2	11.1	24.6	20.5	6.5	12.4	18.3	18.4	13.7	36.2	61.2
August.....	11.5	30.3	25.9	9.2	10.9	24.6	20.4	5.5	12.4	18.4	18.4	13.7	34.5	59.8
September.....	11.5	30.6	25.9	9.2	11.0	24.8	20.4	4.7	12.4	18.1	18.4	13.5	34.6	61.0
October.....	11.5	30.9	25.9	9.2	11.0	25.1	20.5	4.2	12.3	17.4	18.2	13.1	35.1	64.6
November.....	11.6	31.2	25.8	9.2	11.0	25.2	20.5	4.2	12.3	17.1	18.1	12.9	34.7	65.5
December.....	11.6	31.3	25.7	9.1	11.0	25.3	20.4	4.6	12.3	16.9	17.9	12.7	35.5	48.9
1926: Average for year.....	11.5	30.4	25.7	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.2	5.8	11.9	16.5	17.5	12.1	35.2	50.7
January.....	11.6	31.3	25.6	9.1	11.0	25.3	20.3	5.6	12.3	16.8	17.8	12.6	35.8	46.9
February.....	11.6	31.2	25.6	9.1	11.0	25.4	20.3	6.4	12.2	16.7	17.7	12.3	35.7	46.5
March.....	11.6	30.9	25.6	9.1	11.0	25.4	20.3	7.2	12.1	16.6	17.7	12.2	35.3	47.8
April.....	11.5	30.5	25.7	9.1	11.0	25.4	20.2	7.4	12.0	16.5	17.6	12.0	35.5	52.6
May.....	11.5	30.2	25.6	9.1	11.0	25.4	20.3	6.2	11.9	16.5	17.5	11.9	35.4	53.1
June.....	11.5	30.1	25.8	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.3	6.1	11.9	16.4	17.4	11.9	35.9	49.3
July.....	11.4	30.2	25.9	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.2	5.1	11.9	16.4	17.4	11.8	35.2	50.6
August.....	11.4	30.2	25.9	9.0	10.9	25.4	20.2	4.3	11.8	16.4	17.5	11.8	34.5	50.7
September.....	11.5	30.2	25.9	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.2	4.2	11.7	16.4	17.4	11.8	34.4	50.7
October.....	11.4	30.3	25.7	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.1	4.0	11.7	16.3	17.4	12.1	34.9	56.0
November.....	11.4	30.1	25.6	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.1	4.0	11.7	16.3	17.3	12.1	34.9	55.1
December.....	11.4	29.6	25.4	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.2	4.2	11.7	16.2	17.3	12.2	34.9	49.3
1927: Average for year.....	11.5	28.3	25.1	9.0	10.1	25.5	20.1	5.3	11.5	15.7	16.8	12.0	34.0	50.9
January.....	11.4	29.2	25.2	9.1	10.9	25.5	20.1	4.7	11.7	16.1	17.2	12.3	34.5	46.9
February.....	11.4	29.0	25.2	9.1	10.9	25.4	20.1	4.9	11.7	16.1	17.1	12.2	34.7	47.1
March.....	11.4	28.7	25.2	9.1	10.8	25.5	20.1	5.2	11.6	15.9	17.0	12.2	34.1	46.9
April.....	11.4	28.6	25.1	9.0	10.2	25.4	20.0	5.5	11.6	15.8	17.0	12.1	34.0	48.3
May.....	11.5	28.4	25.0	9.0	10.1	25.5	20.0	8.7	11.6	15.6	16.8	12.1	33.9	49.8
June.....	11.5	28.2	25.1	9.0	10.0	25.4	20.0	9.6	11.5	15.6	16.7	12.0	33.5	49.3
July.....	11.5	28.0	25.0	9.0	9.8	25.4	20.0	5.5	11.5	15.5	16.7	12.0	33.4	50.2
August.....	11.6	28.0	25.0	9.0	9.7	25.5	20.1	4.4	11.5	15.6	16.7	12.0	33.7	53.8
September.....	11.6	27.8	25.1	9.0	9.7	25.5	20.1	4.1	11.4	15.6	16.7	11.9	33.5	55.3
October.....	11.5	27.9	25.2	9.0	9.7	25.5	20.1	3.9	11.5	15.7	16.7	11.9	33.9	57.8
November.....	11.5	27.9	25.1	9.0	9.7	25.5	20.0	3.7	11.5	15.7	16.6	11.8	34.4	53.2
December.....	11.5	27.9	25.2	9.0	9.7	25.5	20.0	3.8	11.4	15.7	16.7	11.8	34.8	52.3

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN
ATLANTA, GA.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts. 24.0	Cts. 38.6	Cts. 38.6	Cts. 38.0	Cts. 40.6	Cts. 40.8	Cts. 40.9	Cts. 40.0	Cts. 40.3	Cts. 41.0	Cts. 41.5	Cts. 41.2	Cts. 40.8	Cts. 40.2
Round steak.....	do.....	21.1	34.6	34.3	34.0	36.5	36.3	36.5	35.8	36.6	37.1	37.6	37.2	36.8	36.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.1	29.6	28.8	29.6	31.5	31.8	31.9	31.3	31.3	33.4	33.3	32.8	32.9	31.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	14.9	21.5	21.3	22.0	24.2	24.6	24.2	23.8	23.4	24.3	25.2	25.3	25.4	23.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	10.1	13.2	13.4	13.3	14.3	13.6	13.6	13.9	13.4	13.5	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	23.1	36.1	35.4	36.1	36.5	37.3	39.2	39.2	38.8	38.6	39.2	38.5	35.8	37.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	31.7	47.4	47.4	46.9	47.5	47.5	48.8	49.2	48.8	49.6	50.0	48.8	46.9	48.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.8	54.3	53.6	53.7	54.2	54.6	58.8	61.7	60.8	61.8	60.8	60.0	58.8	57.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	20.1	37.1	37.9	36.6	36.1	36.4	40.7	38.6	38.3	37.9	38.6	38.6	40.0	38.1
Hens.....	do.....	20.2	38.1	37.4	36.9	37.4	38.1	38.1	37.6	35.8	36.7	38.5	37.3	36.8	37.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	39.8	39.0	39.0	38.1	38.1	37.8	38.7	37.2	35.1	33.6	33.5	33.8	37.0	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	10.2	19.3	19.3	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	18.8	18.8	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.4
Milk, evaporated.....	Can.....	13.5	13.6	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.8	13.4	13.4	13.2	13.5
Butter.....	Pound.....	58.1	57.1	56.9	55.2	54.5	55.5	55.5	54.6	56.1	56.5	56.8	58.6	56.3	
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	32.8	31.8	31.7	31.9	32.5	32.6	32.5	31.0	32.0	32.6	31.0	26.9	31.6	
Cheese.....	do.....	25.0	36.4	36.0	35.7	33.7	34.3	33.9	34.4	33.6	34.9	35.5	36.2	36.4	35.1
Lard.....	do.....	15.4	21.4	21.6	21.8	21.5	21.4	22.8	22.9	22.7	22.6	21.7	20.1	19.7	21.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	23.3	23.6	23.6	24.4	24.2	23.7	23.8	23.6	24.0	24.3	22.2	21.9	23.6	
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen.....	29.2	55.6	44.7	35.4	37.9	39.0	39.1	40.0	41.7	46.3	51.5	58.1	61.1	45.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	42.8	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.9	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.9	10.9	11.0	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.6
Flour.....	do.....	3.6	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.9
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.5	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.1
Rollod oats.....	do.....	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.4
Wheat cereal.....	do.....	26.4	26.5	26.5	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.6	26.2	26.4	25.6	25.6	25.9	26.2
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	22.0	22.0	21.9	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.9	21.7
Rice.....	do.....	8.6	11.5	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.6	12.1	11.9	11.6	11.3	11.5
Beans, navy.....	do.....	11.0	11.2	10.7	10.7	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.7	10.5	10.2	10.2	10.4	10.6	
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.2	7.3	6.7	6.6	7.6	7.5	5.9	5.6	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.8	6.0
Onions.....	do.....	8.1	7.8	7.6	7.9	8.5	8.0	8.2	7.7	7.8	8.0	7.6	7.2	7.9	
Cabbage.....	do.....	7.9	8.8	8.2	7.8	6.2	5.4	4.9	5.5	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	6.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	12.3	12.2	11.8	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.7	11.5	11.5	11.8
Corn, canned.....	do.....	17.7	17.7	17.8	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.7	18.0	17.8	17.8	17.5	17.7
Peas, canned.....	do.....	19.8	19.5	19.2	19.1	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	18.8	19.9	20.2	20.0	20.0	19.6
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	11.9	11.7	11.6	11.4	11.3	11.2	10.8	11.0	11.1	10.9	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.2
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.7	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.3
Tea.....	do.....	60.0	103.5	103.5	103.5	103.7	103.7	106.6	106.6	104.8	105.9	104.3	106.1	105.9	104.8
Coffee.....	do.....	32.0	51.0	51.8	51.8	50.7	50.7	51.1	51.1	51.1	51.6	51.8	52.2	51.5	51.4
Prunes.....	do.....	17.4	18.1	18.2	18.1	18.7	18.7	18.8	18.7	18.7	19.7	17.9	17.6	17.8	18.3
Raisins.....	do.....	15.7	15.8	16.5	14.9	17.6	17.5	17.9	18.4	18.2	18.3	18.8	16.5	17.0	
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	28.6	29.1	29.2	27.7	30.0	28.5	28.0	28.0	25.6	28.2	28.6	27.3	28.1	
Oranges.....	do.....	38.2	36.8	41.7	47.0	48.8	48.7	49.3	48.1	51.7	53.8	41.1	34.5	45.0	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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EACH OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1923, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927

ATLANTA, GA.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts. 24.0	Cts. 40.9	Cts. 40.8	Cts. 40.8	Cts. 41.0	Cts. 41.9	Cts. 42.2	Cts. 42.4	Cts. 43.1	Cts. 43.9	Cts. 44.6	Cts. 43.5	Cts. 43.5	Cts. 42.4
Round steak.....	do.....	21.1	36.1	36.5	36.8	36.4	37.8	37.8	37.8	38.9	40.1	40.3	39.2	38.5	38.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.1	32.4	32.0	32.5	31.8	32.3	32.2	33.0	33.0	32.8	33.3	32.8	33.0	32.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	14.9	24.5	24.3	24.6	24.4	24.6	24.6	24.6	25.0	25.2	25.2	25.8	25.5	24.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	10.1	13.9	14.1	13.8	15.0	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.7	15.5	14.9	14.9	14.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	23.1	36.1	35.1	35.0	35.4	35.4	34.5	33.4	35.1	37.9	38.9	36.2	33.8	35.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	31.7	46.6	46.5	46.2	45.7	45.6	44.3	44.9	44.5	44.0	45.4	45.2	43.9	45.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.8	58.5	58.1	58.1	58.5	57.5	56.8	55.7	56.4	55.7	55.7	55.4	52.9	56.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	20.1	41.3	40.4	41.0	39.7	40.3	40.6	40.9	40.3	40.2	40.8	40.2	39.4	40.4
Hens.....	do.....	20.2	37.0	37.1	37.8	36.6	36.3	34.1	33.7	33.2	34.5	36.5	36.1	36.8	35.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	34.0	33.8	33.4	33.6	33.4	33.6	33.6	34.0	34.2	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.5	33.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	10.2	19.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	13.4	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.3	13.5	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.4
Butter.....	Pound.....	39.9	60.5	59.7	60.5	60.8	56.4	54.7	54.1	52.9	53.6	55.9	56.7	56.0	57.0
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	27.9	27.2	27.2	26.7	26.9	27.7	26.8	26.2	26.2	27.1	27.3	26.9	27.0	27.0
Cheese.....	do.....	25.0	37.3	36.9	36.5	36.5	36.3	36.2	36.2	36.8	37.1	37.9	38.2	36.9	36.9
Lard.....	do.....	15.4	30.2	19.1	18.7	18.3	18.2	18.3	18.8	19.0	19.7	20.5	19.4	19.2	19.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	21.4	21.3	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.8	21.9	21.9	22.3	22.5	22.9	22.4	21.8	21.8
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	29.2	52.2	37.2	33.1	32.7	32.2	33.1	36.7	40.6	47.4	54.3	57.0	59.5	43.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	39.0	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	45.0	44.3	46.0	46.0	46.0
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.9	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8
Flour.....	do.....	3.6	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.5	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.4	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.5	9.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	11.9	11.8	11.5	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	10.0	10.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.8	26.4	26.6	27.3	27.1	26.5
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	21.9	21.7	21.4	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.4	21.6	21.7
Rice.....	do.....	8.6	10.5	10.5	9.8	10.3	10.1	10.5	10.5	10.3	9.8	10.0	9.9	9.3	10.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	10.2	10.4	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.4	10.2	10.7	10.5	10.8	10.7	10.4	10.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.2	4.8	4.8	4.7	5.1	5.5	8.6	5.4	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	5.0
Onions.....	do.....	7.8	8.0	7.9	8.6	9.1	9.3	8.7	7.7	7.8	7.3	7.1	6.7	8.0	8.0
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.8	5.5	5.2	5.3	5.3	6.2	6.3	5.4	4.9	5.0	4.7	4.7	5.4	5.4
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	12.0	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.1	11.1	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.0	11.4	11.4
Corn, canned.....	do.....	17.5	18.1	17.8	17.8	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.0	17.7	18.0
Peas, canned.....	do.....	19.7	19.7	19.2	19.6	19.7	19.3	19.7	20.1	20.1	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	11.3	11.4	11.8	12.0	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.1	11.1	10.8	11.4	11.4
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.7	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.5	7.7
Tea.....	do.....	60.0	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	104.1	103.8	103.8	102.6	103.3	103.1	103.3	104.4	104.4
Coffee.....	do.....	32.0	51.5	51.5	51.3	50.2	49.8	49.2	49.6	49.6	48.5	48.2	48.2	48.6	49.7
Prunes.....	do.....	17.5	17.5	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.8	17.8	16.4	14.9	14.8	14.3	16.7	16.7
Raisins.....	do.....	16.4	16.4	16.5	16.3	16.2	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	15.9	15.5	15.3	16.1	16.1
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	27.3	29.1	29.5	29.1	29.5	29.5	29.5	27.5	29.0	28.6	28.2	28.8	28.8	28.8
Oranges.....	do.....	35.8	35.8	36.3	38.8	43.6	45.9	49.8	51.6	53.1	53.2	41.2	38.1	43.6	43.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH BALTIMORE, MD.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926	
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15		
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	23.0	33.3	38.6	39.2	39.5	40.3	40.5	40.4	40.2	40.2	38.8	38.0	37.8	39.3
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	21.5	34.6	35.3	35.2	35.5	36.4	36.5	36.6	36.8	36.7	36.1	35.0	34.7	35.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	18.3	29.9	30.2	29.9	30.0	30.1	30.3	30.7	30.6	30.2	29.9	29.8	29.6	30.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	15.6	21.6	21.5	21.7	21.7	22.0	22.0	22.1	21.9	22.1	22.0	21.6	21.5	21.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	12.4	14.7	14.7	15.1	14.8	14.4	15.0	14.9	14.7	15.1	15.2	14.9	15.0	14.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	19.1	36.0	36.2	38.1	38.2	39.5	41.7	40.5	39.0	43.3	39.9	38.8	35.8	38.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	23.1	42.5	42.7	42.9	43.8	45.3	47.4	46.9	47.0	47.0	46.9	45.7	43.7	45.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	30.5	56.5	57.2	57.7	59.1	59.1	61.0	62.6	62.3	61.8	60.9	59.9	58.3	59.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	18.4	39.6	38.9	38.6	39.0	42.4	43.6	41.3	40.1	40.2	38.4	37.3	37.1	39.7
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	21.3	39.8	40.1	41.4	42.8	43.2	41.9	41.9	41.0	39.4	38.3	38.4	37.8	40.5
Salmon, canned, red.	do.....	Cts.	36.3	36.8	36.8	36.8	36.8	36.7	36.7	36.8	36.9	36.0	34.2	31.8	31.2	35.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	Cts.	8.8	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.3
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.3
Butter.....	Pound.....	Cts.	39.7	60.4	59.2	58.0	55.8	54.2	55.3	54.8	54.9	56.3	57.9	59.9	63.8	57.5
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.....	Cts.	30.6	31.3	31.0	30.8	30.8	30.3	30.4	30.3	30.1	30.1	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.5
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	22.8	36.4	36.8	36.0	34.9	34.4	34.1	33.9	33.9	33.6	34.6	35.4	35.5	35.0
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	14.5	20.3	20.3	19.9	19.6	19.7	21.4	21.7	21.5	20.9	20.3	19.6	18.9	20.3
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....	Cts.	24.3	24.2	24.2	24.1	24.1	24.3	24.7	24.4	24.6	24.2	24.1	23.9	24.3	24.3
Eggs, strictly fresh.	Dozen.....	Cts.	30.2	54.0	43.9	35.3	35.9	36.2	38.7	38.7	40.0	47.3	54.8	66.3	65.2	46.4
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	41.4	31.0	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8
Bread.....	Pound.....	Cts.	5.4	9.4	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	3.2	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	2.5	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	Cts.	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	Cts.	24.1	24.3	24.3	24.4	24.4	24.6	24.3	24.3	24.6	24.3	24.5	24.3	24.4	24.4
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	Cts.	19.4	19.4	19.1	19.0	19.0	19.1	18.7	18.7	19.1	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.9	18.9
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	9.0	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.4	10.3	10.7	10.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	8.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	7.9	8.0	7.8	7.9	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.3	8.1	8.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	1.8	6.1	6.1	5.9	6.7	6.9	5.4	3.5	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	5.1
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	5.7	5.6	5.6	6.1	7.9	7.4	6.6	5.3	5.1	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.8	5.8
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	6.4	7.1	8.9	8.2	6.6	6.5	5.1	4.6	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.3	5.8	5.8
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	Cts.	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	15.5	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.0	14.9	15.0	14.6	14.7	15.3	15.3
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	15.8	16.0	16.0	15.8	15.7	15.4	15.6	15.6	15.3	15.4	15.1	15.0	15.6	15.6
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	10.6	10.6	10.1	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.3	10.3
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	Cts.	4.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.3
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	56.0	73.0	73.2	74.5	74.6	74.6	75.0	74.8	75.1	74.8	74.2	73.8	73.5	74.3
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	24.9	48.4	47.4	47.8	47.7	47.7	47.8	47.9	47.7	48.0	47.6	47.4	47.5	47.7
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	15.0	14.8	14.9	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.4	14.2	14.2	13.9	14.0	14.5	14.5
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.2	13.0	13.4	13.4
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	25.1	25.0	25.5	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.4	25.8	25.0	26.3	26.7	26.3	25.7	25.7
Oranges.....	do.....	Cts.	46.2	45.3	46.4	51.6	55.0	49.3	49.8	49.1	51.7	57.8	49.3	44.2	49.6	49.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

BALTIMORE, MD.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 23.0	Cts. 37.1	Cts. 38.2	Cts. 37.9	Cts. 39.7	Cts. 41.0	Cts. 41.0	Cts. 41.5	Cts. 41.5	Cts. 41.4	Cts. 41.3	Cts. 40.7	Cts. 41.5	Cts. 40.2
Round steak.....	do.....	21.5	34.6	35.1	35.3	36.5	37.1	37.2	37.5	38.5	38.1	37.6	37.9	38.3	37.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.3	29.2	29.5	29.5	30.8	31.0	30.9	31.5	31.6	31.2	31.5	31.9	32.5	30.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.6	21.2	21.4	21.9	22.7	23.2	23.1	23.5	23.4	23.1	23.4	24.1	24.6	23.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.4	14.6	14.7	15.1	15.4	15.8	15.6	15.5	15.6	15.6	16.3	16.6	17.5	15.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	19.1	35.6	35.1	35.3	36.8	35.9	34.1	33.8	37.7	39.4	40.7	32.5	30.5	35.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	23.1	43.1	42.9	42.8	43.0	41.9	42.1	43.0	42.7	42.1	41.7	42.1	40.0	42.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	30.5	58.3	58.2	57.6	57.9	56.9	56.9	57.7	57.7	56.5	57.1	56.0	53.8	57.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	18.4	36.6	36.6	37.9	40.1	40.7	41.5	39.9	38.9	37.8	38.2	37.9	37.7	38.7
Hens.....	do.....	21.3	39.8	40.5	40.3	39.7	39.7	37.3	37.3	37.1	37.2	37.6	38.1	37.8	38.5
Salmon, canned, red.	do.....	30.3	29.8	29.8	29.7	29.6	29.4	28.9	29.7	29.7	31.4	32.1	32.6	33.1	30.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.8	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.	Can ¹	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.3
Butter.....	Pound..	39.7	63.9	62.8	63.8	63.5	59.4	56.4	55.5	55.6	57.3	60.3	61.0	62.5	60.2
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.....	29.9	29.9	29.6	29.5	28.9	28.8	28.0	28.1	27.1	27.4	28.0	27.8	28.6	28.6
Cheese.....	do.....	22.8	36.2	35.4	35.2	34.9	35.1	35.0	35.1	35.5	36.4	36.8	37.0	37.3	35.8
Lard.....	do.....	14.5	18.1	17.5	17.5	17.1	16.6	16.9	17.1	17.7	17.9	18.6	18.5	18.1	17.6
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....	23.0	22.9	23.0	22.3	22.4	22.3	22.4	22.4	22.4	22.7	23.1	22.9	22.6	22.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.	Dozen..	30.2	58.8	44.0	33.8	30.5	30.3	30.3	32.6	36.4	43.3	53.3	61.8	60.0	42.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	42.9	32.3	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	39.7	41.5	39.5	9.9
Bread.....	Pound..	5.4	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.5	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.2
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.2	24.5	24.4	24.1	24.2	24.2	24.1	24.4	24.2	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.3
Macaroni.....	Pound..	18.8	19.0	19.0	18.9	19.3	19.1	19.0	19.0	19.0	18.9	19.4	19.3	19.2	19.1
Rice.....	do.....	9.0	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.1	8.2	8.1	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.4	8.2	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.6	4.9	5.6	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.7
Onions.....	do.....	5.4	5.3	6.0	6.5	9.1	8.8	6.9	5.7	5.0	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.1	5.9
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.2	5.5	6.3	6.1	9.2	8.1	4.2	3.9	3.5	3.8	3.1	3.4	5.2	5.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.6	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.5	10.5
Corn, canned.....	do.....	14.6	14.9	14.6	14.3	14.4	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.7	14.8	14.5	14.5	14.5
Peas, canned.....	do.....	14.8	14.8	14.5	14.7	14.7	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.8	15.0	15.0	14.8	14.7	14.7
Tomatoes, canned.	do.....	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.6	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.3	10.5	10.3	10.4	10.6	10.6
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..	4.9	6.6	6.7	6.5	6.3	6.5	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.5
Tea.....	do.....	56.0	73.0	73.5	73.4	73.2	73.0	73.0	73.4	73.1	73.6	73.4	73.0	71.6	73.1
Coffee.....	do.....	24.9	46.2	45.7	44.5	43.5	43.5	43.3	43.1	42.7	43.0	43.8	44.2	43.9	43.9
Prunes.....	do.....	13.7	12.9	13.2	13.1	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.2	13.0	12.4	12.0	11.7	12.9	12.9
Raisins.....	do.....	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.0	13.0	13.2	12.9	13.0	12.6	12.7	12.9	12.9
Bananas.....	Dozen..	26.4	27.3	25.9	25.0	25.0	25.0	24.5	26.2	23.6	25.8	26.2	26.3	25.6	25.6
Oranges.....	do.....	41.6	42.9	41.3	46.1	50.0	49.9	50.8	55.6	56.1	57.7	50.8	49.9	49.4	49.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1926												Aver- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	26.9	39.7	39.7	39.4	39.8	40.0	40.5	41.0	41.0	40.7	40.7	40.7	41.1	40.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	22.0	34.7	34.7	34.7	34.9	34.9	35.1	35.7	35.5	35.5	35.8	35.5	35.8	35.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	20.0	28.4	28.2	27.9	27.3	27.8	28.5	28.8	28.7	28.3	27.8	28.2	28.8	28.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.4	22.7	22.4	22.6	22.4	22.8	23.2	22.8	22.6	22.9	23.3	23.0	22.9	22.8
Pork chops.....	do.....	10.3	13.8	13.9	13.5	14.7	15.5	14.2	14.5	14.2	13.9	14.8	14.3	14.0	14.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	20.9	36.3	36.9	36.5	36.2	37.9	38.8	40.0	39.1	39.4	40.3	38.9	36.9	38.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	33.4	48.8	48.4	48.3	47.9	48.8	50.8	51.0	51.0	50.6	50.4	50.8	48.7	49.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	30.9	53.3	53.5	53.5	53.0	55.5	58.4	58.9	59.5	60.0	59.3	57.6	57.0	56.6
Hens.....	do.....	21.7	38.6	37.0	37.2	36.3	38.1	39.0	38.6	38.6	38.5	37.9	38.8	38.6	38.1
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	18.6	35.8	36.2	36.0	36.1	37.6	37.3	36.3	37.3	36.8	37.6	37.8	36.8	36.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	41.1	41.2	41.1	41.1	41.4	41.5	41.3	41.4	40.7	40.7	36.4	36.2	35.4	39.9
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can 1 Pound..	10.2	19.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	19.3
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	12.6	12.8	12.5	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.6
Cheese.....	do.....	41.7	60.8	59.5	59.0	57.2	56.1	56.6	56.5	56.1	56.4	57.0	58.0	60.6	57.8
Lard.....	do.....	36.8	36.6	36.6	36.6	36.2	36.2	35.9	36.1	36.5	36.4	36.3	36.2	36.5	36.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	22.6	38.1	37.7	37.0	35.8	35.1	35.3	35.3	35.6	35.6	37.1	37.1	37.3	36.4
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	15.6	22.9	22.6	22.5	22.0	22.3	24.0	23.8	22.8	23.0	22.5	21.9	21.3	22.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	22.0	21.8	22.2	22.1	22.0	22.1	22.2	22.2	22.4	22.0	21.7	21.6	21.7	22.0
Bread.....	Pound..	30.6	57.6	41.7	36.4	38.2	38.9	40.0	42.3	42.3	47.1	51.8	55.6	60.9	46.1
Flour.....	do.....	46.9	35.0	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	45.0	46.7	47.8	-----
Corn meal.....	do.....	5.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3
Roller oats.....	do.....	3.7	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	2.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.7	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0
Macaroni.....	Pound..	12.2	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.1	11.9	12.0	12.0	11.9	12.1	12.0	12.2	12.1	12.1
Rice.....	do.....	26.3	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.6	27.2	27.1	26.9	27.0	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	19.0	19.0	19.0	18.9	18.9	19.1	19.1	19.1	18.9	18.8	18.7	18.7	18.9	18.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	8.2	12.1	12.3	12.1	12.2	12.1	12.2	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.3	11.2	11.8
Onions.....	do.....	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.1	11.0	10.8	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.9
Cabbage.....	do.....	2.1	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.4	7.7	5.9	6.0	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	6.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	7.9	7.6	8.0	8.1	8.7	8.8	8.3	8.0	8.0	7.7	7.6	6.9	8.0	8.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....	6.7	7.8	7.9	8.1	6.8	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.6	6.3	6.3
Peas, canned.....	do.....	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.8	12.5	12.7	12.7	12.2	11.9	12.0	12.0	11.9	12.4	12.4
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	18.1	18.1	18.2	18.0	18.0	18.4	18.3	18.2	18.9	18.5	18.3	18.4	18.3	18.3
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..	21.8	21.7	21.7	21.8	21.9	21.4	21.9	21.4	21.8	21.6	21.0	21.4	21.6	21.6
Tea.....	do.....	11.9	11.6	11.4	11.2	11.0	10.8	10.8	11.0	11.1	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2
Coffee.....	do.....	5.4	7.3	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.4
Prunes.....	do.....	61.3	92.4	92.9	92.9	94.4	95.5	96.2	97.5	96.6	96.0	96.3	96.7	96.4	95.3
Raisins.....	do.....	25.8	54.1	54.0	54.0	54.4	54.3	54.2	53.9	54.2	54.3	54.3	54.0	53.9	54.1
Bananas.....	Dozen..	19.3	19.3	19.5	19.4	19.0	19.6	19.8	20.4	20.6	19.3	19.3	18.7	19.5	19.5
Oranges.....	do.....	15.4	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.0	15.2	15.5	15.2	16.1	15.7	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4
	do.....	39.7	39.5	37.9	38.9	37.2	37.5	37.1	37.1	37.1	37.9	38.5	37.3	38.0	38.0
	do.....	44.0	43.3	46.1	49.1	52.7	53.0	53.0	50.7	51.6	52.3	50.5	44.5	49.2	49.2

1 15-16 ounces.

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Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	26.9	41.6	41.7	41.4	41.4	41.3	41.6	42.4	42.2	42.1	42.5	42.5	42.5	41.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	22.0	35.5	36.4	35.7	35.4	35.6	35.6	36.7	36.3	36.6	37.0	36.8	36.8	36.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	20.0	28.7	28.8	28.5	28.9	29.1	29.9	31.1	29.8	30.2	30.4	30.4	30.4	29.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.4	22.6	22.8	23.2	22.6	23.1	24.4	23.9	23.8	24.0	23.3	23.5	23.3	23.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	10.3	14.7	14.7	15.0	14.5	14.7	15.0	15.5	15.9	14.2	15.3	15.4	15.3	15.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	20.9	36.6	35.6	35.6	35.8	35.0	32.9	33.7	34.9	36.9	38.2	36.8	34.4	35.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	33.4	48.7	48.6	47.8	47.6	47.1	47.3	47.1	4.80	47.0	46.4	46.3	45.3	47.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	30.9	56.3	56.4	55.6	55.3	55.3	54.7	55.0	55.0	55.3	55.3	53.8	53.0	55.1
Hens.....	do.....	21.7	39.3	38.6	40.0	40.0	41.3	40.4	42.1	42.2	41.6	42.6	40.9	40.9	40.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	18.6	37.0	36.7	36.8	35.3	35.3	33.4	33.5	33.2	31.6	34.2	33.4	33.5	34.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	do.....	35.4	35.4	35.1	35.0	33.2	33.3	33.9	33.9	34.2	34.7	35.6	36.3	34.7
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	10.2	18.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.7	16.7	16.7	18.3	16.8
Butter.....	Pound..	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.4	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.8	12.6	12.6	12.4	12.6
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	41.7	61.7	61.6	62.1	61.6	57.7	56.1	56.8	55.1	56.2	58.0	58.9	59.0	58.7
Cheese.....	do.....	34.1	34.1	33.4	33.0	33.3	32.2	32.3	32.2	32.2	32.5	32.6	32.8	32.0	32.9
Lard.....	do.....	22.6	37.6	37.4	36.8	36.2	35.9	36.5	36.2	36.5	36.7	39.2	38.9	39.6	37.3
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	15.6	21.1	20.1	20.5	20.4	19.9	19.6	19.6	19.3	18.9	19.8	19.6	18.9	19.8
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	do.....	22.5	23.0	22.6	22.2	22.1	22.2	21.7	21.8	22.2	22.1	22.0	22.0	22.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	30.6	54.3	43.0	33.0	32.9	32.1	32.5	35.5	37.5	42.9	48.1	53.8	57.3	41.9
Bread.....	Pound..	43.3	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.4
Flour.....	do.....	5.4	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.7	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....	2.3	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.8	10.1	9.9	10.1	10.1	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.1
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	do.....	12.4	12.4	12.1	11.0	10.8	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.5	11.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	do.....	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.4	27.4	27.6	27.6	27.7	27.7	27.7	27.7	27.6	27.5
Macaroni.....	Pound..	do.....	18.9	18.9	18.8	18.9	18.9	18.9	19.1	18.8	18.8	18.8	18.8	18.9	18.9
Rice.....	do.....	8.2	11.1	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.5	10.5	11.0	10.8	10.3	10.7	10.5	10.4	10.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....	do.....	10.8	10.7	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.1	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.9	6.3	5.5	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.4	5.1
Onions.....	do.....	do.....	7.3	7.4	7.4	8.1	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.6	7.5	6.7	6.5	6.7	7.8
Cabbage.....	do.....	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.8	6.2	5.9	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	do.....	11.6	12.0	11.7	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.3	11.8	11.9	11.8	11.7
Corn, canned.....	do.....	do.....	18.1	18.0	17.7	17.5	16.8	16.4	15.9	16.1	16.0	16.8	16.8	16.6	16.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....	do.....	20.5	20.5	20.8	21.1	20.8	20.8	20.4	19.9	20.2	21.0	21.3	20.8	20.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	do.....	11.4	11.5	11.6	11.1	10.9	10.9	11.3	11.1	10.5	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.8	7.5	7.8
Tea.....	do.....	61.3	96.4	96.2	96.2	96.2	96.2	96.2	95.6	96.3	9.60	98.5	96.2	98.8	96.6
Coffee.....	do.....	25.8	53.8	53.1	53.1	53.4	52.7	52.2	51.8	51.6	51.4	51.2	50.9	51.1	52.2
Prunes.....	do.....	do.....	18.3	18.4	18.6	18.2	18.1	17.9	19.1	19.2	18.5	17.8	17.4	17.1	18.2
Raisins.....	do.....	do.....	15.3	15.1	15.0	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.9	14.7	14.7	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.9
Bananas.....	Dozen..	do.....	37.7	37.5	37.5	37.5	37.5	37.9	38.1	37.3	37.8	37.8	37.5	37.7	37.7
Oranges.....	do.....	do.....	41.1	41.5	41.2	42.9	46.1	46.9	49.9	50.9	53.4	53.2	46.5	46.8	46.7

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
BOSTON, MASS.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound	Cts. 35.3	Cts. 65.1	Cts. 64.1	Cts. 63.2	Cts. 65.0	Cts. 65.0	Cts. 65.7	Cts. 66.0	Cts. 65.4	Cts. 67.0	Cts. 65.3	Cts. 64.7	Cts. 64.3	Cts. 65.1
Round steak	do	34.3	52.4	50.1	49.0	50.9	51.4	51.5	51.5	51.1	52.9	51.7	49.7	49.5	51.0
Rib roast	do	24.5	39.8	38.9	38.3	38.5	39.0	39.5	39.0	39.0	39.2	38.9	37.9	37.8	38.9
Chuck roast	do	17.5	28.0	26.2	26.4	27.1	27.3	27.4	27.9	27.5	28.2	28.2	28.5	28.5	27.6
Plate beef	do	20.2	20.3	19.7	18.4	18.6	18.2	18.5	18.7	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.6	19.0	18.9
Pork chops	do	23.0	39.2	37.6	39.0	40.8	43.6	45.0	44.4	44.0	45.5	46.7	41.8	39.8	42.3
Bacon, sliced	do	25.2	47.4	46.5	46.5	46.8	47.0	49.4	49.9	49.7	49.9	48.6	49.2	49.1	48.3
Ham, sliced	do	30.9	57.7	57.1	57.6	58.6	60.3	66.0	66.3	66.2	66.3	65.6	63.3	61.8	62.2
Lamb, leg of	do	22.1	40.8	39.9	37.6	38.9	42.3	46.6	42.5	40.7	41.1	39.5	38.6	38.9	40.6
Hams	do	24.8	41.8	42.3	42.3	43.9	45.2	44.4	42.5	41.4	41.6	41.5	40.6	40.6	42.3
Salmon, canned, red	do	36.8	37.2	37.1	37.9	37.9	38.6	38.0	37.4	35.9	34.9	33.1	33.0	36.5	36.5
Milk, fresh	Quart	8.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	13.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	15.1	15.3	14.9
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.2
Butter	Pound	37.9	57.6	56.4	54.8	52.1	50.2	51.3	51.1	51.5	52.5	53.7	57.8	53.7	53.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do	31.3	30.9	31.2	30.7	29.7	29.2	29.3	29.5	29.3	29.3	29.9	29.8	29.2	30.0
Cheese	do	22.6	39.8	39.7	39.4	39.0	37.4	37.1	36.6	36.9	37.3	37.6	38.2	38.3	38.1
Lard	do	15.8	22.4	22.5	21.7	21.5	21.0	22.9	23.1	22.6	22.2	21.3	20.8	20.2	21.9
Vegetable lard substitute	do	25.3	25.2	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.1	25.4	25.2	25.2	24.9	24.7	24.7	24.5	25.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	42.3	65.8	60.0	52.5	50.5	52.0	54.7	57.5	64.2	71.3	76.7	94.4	85.0	65.4
Eggs, storage	do	47.3	39.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	52.4	54.6	54.3	---
Bread	Pound	5.9	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1
Flour	do	3.7	6.9	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.0	6.0	6.5
Corn meal	do	3.5	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.1	6.5	6.5	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.4
Rollod oats	do	9.1	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.1	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg	11.0	10.9	10.8	10.9	10.7	11.0	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.8
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg	25.1	25.1	24.8	25.0	24.9	24.8	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.7	24.8
Macaroni	Pound	23.2	23.1	23.1	23.0	22.9	22.8	22.7	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.4	22.5	22.7
Rice	do	9.3	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.7	12.7	12.9	12.7	12.0	12.1	12.2	11.7	11.5	12.1
Beans, navy	do	10.8	10.6	10.5	10.3	10.0	9.9	10.1	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.6	9.8	9.9	10.1
Potatoes	do	1.7	6.1	5.9	5.9	7.7	5.5	4.5	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.9	4.0	4.8
Onions	do	6.4	6.1	6.2	6.9	7.7	7.9	7.8	7.1	5.8	5.1	4.9	5.1	5.1	6.4
Cabbage	do	6.2	7.4	8.7	8.8	7.4	7.5	6.8	5.4	5.2	5.2	5.4	5.2	6.6	6.6
Beans, baked	No. 2 can	13.9	13.7	14.0	13.9	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.1	13.0	13.2	13.0	12.9	13.4	13.4
Corn, canned	do	19.8	19.3	19.4	19.3	19.0	19.1	18.9	18.7	19.0	18.5	18.8	18.8	19.1	19.1
Peas, canned	do	21.0	21.3	21.0	20.9	20.6	20.6	20.5	20.5	20.4	19.9	19.8	20.3	20.6	20.6
Tomatoes, canned	do	12.7	13.0	12.5	12.6	12.1	12.1	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.3	12.3
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.4	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.3	6.8	6.8
Tea	do	58.6	77.4	75.6	74.5	74.3	75.3	75.9	74.9	74.0	73.3	74.7	74.9	74.9	75.0
Coffee	do	33.0	56.0	55.8	55.8	55.6	55.4	55.8	55.5	54.9	55.2	55.3	55.1	55.3	55.5
Prunes	do	17.6	16.8	16.7	16.8	16.5	16.5	16.5	17.1	16.8	16.1	15.3	15.0	16.5	16.5
Raisins	do	14.0	13.9	14.0	14.2	14.1	14.0	14.0	13.6	13.6	13.9	13.1	13.0	13.8	13.8
Bananas	Dozen	45.0	46.3	46.3	45.6	46.3	44.4	44.5	45.0	43.9	44.4	45.0	46.3	45.3	45.3
Oranges	do	52.2	50.0	52.1	60.0	56.8	53.0	52.4	56.0	54.2	62.1	62.3	49.9	55.1	55.1

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

BOSTON, MASS.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak	do	35.3	64.4	64.7	65.6	67.9	67.3	68.4	70.2	68.8	71.6	71.7	71.1	74.4	68.8
Rib roast	do	34.3	50.0	50.1	50.4	53.7	53.8	54.3	55.3	55.7	56.5	55.9	55.6	55.3	53.9
Chuck roast	do	24.5	37.9	38.0	37.8	39.2	39.4	39.3	39.7	39.9	40.9	40.6	41.3	41.6	39.6
	do	17.5	28.9	28.6	27.7	28.8	29.8	29.4	30.8	29.2	30.5	30.4	30.7	32.0	29.7
Plate beef	do		18.5	19.0	18.9	19.4	19.3	19.5	20.3	19.9	20.5	20.6	21.9	21.8	20.0
Pork chops	do	23.0	38.4	37.6	39.1	39.3	38.7	36.2	35.7	40.9	44.8	47.3	39.6	34.6	39.4
Bacon, sliced	do	25.2	48.9	47.9	47.2	47.7	46.9	45.6	44.7	44.6	45.5	45.8	45.8	44.8	46.3
Ham, sliced	do	30.9	62.8	61.1	61.1	61.4	60.8	60.3	59.6	59.1	58.8	59.1	58.9	57.9	60.1
Lamb, leg of	do	22.1	38.6	38.3	39.4	41.6	42.8	42.8	42.1	40.3	39.8	38.7	39.3	38.1	40.2
Hens	do	24.8	41.0	41.1	40.0	41.1	41.6	40.0	38.3	38.8	39.0	39.9	39.1	38.9	39.9
Salmon, canned, red.	do		32.8	32.7	32.5	32.3	32.0	31.6	31.6	32.7	33.2	33.6	33.9	34.5	32.8
Milk, fresh	Quart	8.9	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.3	15.0	15.5	15.5	15.5	16.5	14.9
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹		12.2	12.3	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1
Butter	Pound	37.9	59.2	60.3	61.0	60.4	57.4	54.9	56.3	52.2	54.3	56.4	57.1	58.6	57.3
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do		29.7	29.6	30.0	29.6	29.3	28.2	28.3	28.3	28.1	27.3	27.9	28.3	28.7
Cheese	do	22.6	38.5	38.1	38.2	38.5	37.8	38.0	38.6	38.6	38.9	39.2	39.1	40.6	38.7
Lard	do	15.8	20.8	20.3	19.9	19.3	19.4	18.9	18.9	19.1	19.5	19.9	19.4	19.0	19.5
Vegetable lard substitute.	do		24.4	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.4	25.1	25.2	25.4	25.3	25.4	25.3	24.9
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	42.3	70.5	62.5	52.8	48.5	47.4	47.7	54.0	62.4	68.4	79.8	85.1	81.7	63.4
Eggs, storage	do		51.7	44.8								50.3	49.3	50.6	
Bread	Pound	5.9	9.0	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6
Flour	do	3.7	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.1
Corn meal	do	3.5	6.4	6.2	6.5	6.6	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.4	6.7	6.6
Rolled oats	do		9.1	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.1	8.9	9.1	9.0	9.1
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		10.9	10.9	10.9	10.4	10.4	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.8	10.3
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		25.4	25.3	25.2	25.0	25.0	25.1	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.1	25.1	24.9	25.1
Macaroni	Pound		23.0	23.0	22.9	22.7	22.6	22.7	22.5	22.7	22.4	22.4	21.9	22.3	22.6
Eel	do	9.3	12.3	12.3	12.0	11.7	11.7	11.9	12.0	11.9	12.0	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.0
Beans, navy	do		9.9	9.9	9.7	9.8	9.9	10.2	10.1	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.3	10.1
Potatoes	do	1.7	4.0	3.7	3.3	3.4	4.2	5.3	3.7	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.6
Onions	do		6.0	6.0	6.0	7.8	9.1	8.9	7.2	5.9	5.2	4.5	4.7	4.6	6.3
Cabbage	do		5.3	6.2	6.9	7.1	11.2	10.2	5.9	5.2	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.4	6.4
Beans, baked	No. 2 can		13.1	13.1	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.5	13.3	13.4	13.1	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3
Corn, canned	do		19.6	19.3	18.3	18.0	18.2	18.1	18.0	17.9	17.7	17.9	18.0	17.6	18.2
Peas, canned	do		20.6	20.7	20.4	20.5	20.3	20.3	20.4	20.2	19.9	20.0	20.0	19.9	20.3
Tomatoes, canned	do		12.7	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.5	12.1	11.6	11.0	11.3	11.3	11.3	12.0
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.4	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.6
Tea	do	58.6	76.6	75.1	75.6	76.1	75.6	75.1	74.4	74.9	72.9	72.9	73.5	72.4	74.6
Coffee	do	33.0	55.9	55.1	54.6	55.0	53.1	52.7	52.2	52.0	51.1	51.7	51.5	52.8	53.1
Prunes	do		15.8	15.5	15.3	15.6	15.3	15.3	15.4	15.5	15.4	14.7	14.2	13.7	15.1
Raisins	do		13.6	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.2	13.0	13.0	12.7	13.3
Bananas	Dozen		48.9	49.4	48.3	46.9	45.6	44.4	42.2	41.5	42.9	45.0	46.7	47.0	45.7
Oranges	do		52.2	49.4	48.8	50.6	52.1	51.2	54.7	61.2	64.4	70.1	60.8	56.1	56.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
BRIDGEPORT, CONN.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound		Cts. 49.0	Cts. 48.5	Cts. 47.8	Cts. 48.2	Cts. 48.5	Cts. 49.8	Cts. 48.2	Cts. 48.3	Cts. 49.3	Cts. 48.9	Cts. 49.2	Cts. 49.2	Cts. 48.7
Round steak.....	do		41.5	41.1	41.2	41.6	41.5	41.7	41.7	41.9	42.7	42.4	41.9	41.9	41.8
Rib roast.....	do		36.9	37.1	36.7	36.9	36.9	36.7	36.7	36.4	36.9	36.7	36.3	36.1	36.7
Chuck roast.....	do		27.5	27.1	27.3	27.5	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.4	27.5	27.2	27.6	27.5	27.3
Plate beef.....	do		12.0	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.4	11.6	11.5	11.7	11.9	11.7	11.7	11.9	11.7
Pork chops.....	do		37.8	37.9	38.8	39.9	42.5	44.7	43.5	44.6	46.7	46.3	41.7	39.9	42.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do		52.4	52.1	52.1	52.1	52.9	53.6	53.9	55.1	55.1	55.3	54.9	54.3	53.7
Ham, sliced.....	do		57.3	57.0	57.0	57.4	59.9	66.9	67.3	68.3	66.0	65.4	64.3	61.9	62.4
Lamb, leg of.....	do		40.1	39.0	37.7	37.6	40.6	46.5	42.1	40.4	41.0	38.5	38.8	38.3	40.1
Hens.....	do		41.6	41.9	42.4	44.3	45.0	44.3	42.3	40.4	40.1	40.6	40.6	41.1	42.1
Salmon, canned, red.....	do		34.0	34.0	33.8	33.7	34.2	35.4	35.5	36.2	34.6	34.1	33.6	32.8	34.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart		16.9	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.0	15.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.8
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.4	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6
Butter.....	Pound		57.7	55.6	55.1	51.3	50.1	50.9	50.7	50.3	52.2	54.2	55.3	57.4	53.4
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do		30.1	30.1	30.4	29.4	29.5	29.3	29.8	29.6	29.8	30.1	30.6	29.4	29.8
Cheese.....	do		40.1	40.1	40.1	39.8	39.4	39.3	39.3	39.7	40.0	39.5	39.3	39.3	39.7
Lard.....	do		21.3	21.6	21.1	20.7	20.9	22.6	22.5	22.4	22.1	21.0	20.3	19.7	21.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do		25.5	25.5	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.7	25.8	25.9	25.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen		70.7	58.4	50.9	46.8	48.6	50.1	54.6	61.4	69.3	78.9	91.0	87.3	64.0
Eggs, storage.....	do		46.5	40.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	50.1	52.2	51.4	---
Bread.....	Pound		9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9
Flour.....	do		6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.1
Corn meal.....	do		7.9	7.8	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.7	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.9
Rolled oats.....	do		8.8	8.5	8.5	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.4	8.4	8.6	8.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.5
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.7	24.9	24.7	24.7	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound		22.9	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.5	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7
Rice.....	do		11.5	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.9	11.2	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.5
Beans, navy.....	do		10.1	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.5	9.3	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8
Potatoes.....	do		5.9	5.9	5.7	7.2	6.2	4.9	4.1	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.8	3.8	4.8
Onions.....	do		5.9	6.0	5.8	6.5	8.9	8.2	7.6	6.8	5.9	5.1	4.7	5.0	6.4
Cabbage.....	do		5.7	7.1	8.5	8.6	8.0	7.5	6.2	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.3	4.5	6.1
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		11.5	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.4
Corn, canned.....	do		20.0	20.0	19.8	19.5	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.8	19.6	19.6	19.5	19.1	19.6
Peas, canned.....	do		21.7	21.5	21.3	21.3	21.1	21.2	21.2	21.4	21.2	21.0	21.0	21.5	21.3
Tomatoes, canned.....	do		12.7	13.2	13.2	12.9	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.2	13.8	13.4	13.1	13.2
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound		6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.8	6.8	7.0	6.5
Tea.....	do		61.3	60.6	59.9	59.9	60.3	59.8	60.3	60.3	60.3	59.9	59.5	59.5	60.1
Coffee.....	do		48.6	49.1	48.8	48.4	48.3	48.6	48.6	48.6	48.6	48.6	48.5	48.6	48.6
Prunes.....	do		16.5	16.3	16.2	16.2	16.0	16.2	16.0	16.2	16.0	16.1	16.0	15.8	16.1
Raisins.....	do		13.9	14.1	14.3	14.0	13.9	14.1	14.1	14.5	14.5	14.8	14.6	14.8	14.3
Bananas.....	Dozen		36.7	36.7	35.8	35.0	36.1	36.4	35.5	34.5	34.0	35.0	34.5	34.2	35.4
Oranges.....	do		52.5	51.9	50.5	57.7	55.2	55.4	53.7	57.9	58.2	66.7	61.6	50.7	56.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..		Cts. 49.2	Cts. 48.9	Cts. 48.9	Cts. 49.3	Cts. 49.4	Cts. 49.0	Cts. 53.5	Cts. 53.9	Cts. 54.1	Cts. 54.0	Cts. 54.6	Cts. 55.4	Cts. 51.7
Round steak.....	do.....		42.1	41.4	41.7	42.5	42.8	42.8	40.0	46.4	47.0	47.5	47.6	47.8	44.6
Rib roast.....	do.....		36.4	36.6	36.9	38.1	37.7	37.4	40.4	40.3	40.2	41.0	40.9	41.8	39.0
Chuck roast.....	do.....		27.1	27.1	26.9	27.7	28.1	28.1	29.9	30.4	30.9	31.3	31.1	32.1	29.2
Plate beef.....	do.....		11.7	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.6	11.5	12.9	12.7	12.5	12.9	12.9	13.6	12.3
Pork chops.....	do.....		37.7	37.3	38.7	38.7	38.1	37.1	38.2	41.4	43.6	44.8	38.4	33.9	39.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		53.9	53.5	53.6	53.2	52.4	52.4	50.8	51.0	50.3	50.7	49.9	49.7	51.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		60.7	60.2	60.0	60.0	59.6	59.3	58.2	57.5	57.7	57.7	57.0	55.7	58.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		37.1	37.6	39.5	41.8	43.8	42.8	43.6	40.8	39.6	38.9	38.1	37.8	40.1
Hens.....	do.....		40.6	41.7	41.4	41.9	42.3	39.5	38.1	39.6	39.8	40.2	40.2	39.8	40.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		34.5	32.8	32.0	32.0	31.9	31.5	31.5	31.5	31.9	32.8	33.3	32.3	32.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..		16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.5	11.5	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.5
Butter.....	Pound..		59.0	60.0	60.9	60.5	55.8	52.7	52.8	52.6	54.3	56.1	56.0	57.6	56.5
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		29.6	29.4	28.9	28.9	28.9	28.4	27.4	27.4	27.8	27.8	26.8	26.8	28.2
Cheese.....	do.....		39.3	40.1	39.6	40.6	40.6	40.1	40.5	41.0	40.9	40.9	41.6	42.9	40.7
Lard.....	do.....		18.7	18.7	19.0	18.6	18.2	17.6	18.1	18.4	18.9	19.1	18.7	18.4	18.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		25.8	25.7	25.6	25.6	25.3	25.1	25.3	25.2	25.3	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..		75.0	57.3	49.3	44.4	44.9	45.1	49.9	56.7	66.6	77.9	83.2	80.3	60.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		51.2	36.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	44.8	48.6	46.4	---
Bread.....	Pound..		8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8
Flour.....	do.....		5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.7
Corn meal.....	do.....		7.9	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.7	7.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....		8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		10.4	10.4	10.3	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.9
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		24.7	24.7	24.7	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.7	24.7	24.6	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..		22.7	22.7	22.6	22.3	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.6	22.5	22.6
Rice.....	do.....		11.1	11.1	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.1	11.4
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.2	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.6
Potatoes.....	do.....		3.8	3.5	3.4	3.3	4.1	5.9	3.5	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.5
Onions.....	do.....		5.3	5.3	5.4	7.6	9.0	9.5	8.6	6.7	5.6	5.1	4.9	5.2	6.5
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.4	6.2	6.8	6.2	9.9	9.6	6.1	5.2	4.8	4.5	4.6	3.9	6.1
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		11.3	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.4	11.6	11.5	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.4
Corn, canned.....	do.....		19.6	19.8	19.6	18.9	18.2	18.2	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.5	19.0	19.2	18.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....		21.2	21.0	21.3	21.1	20.9	21.1	21.0	20.8	20.7	20.7	20.5	20.9	20.9
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		12.7	12.9	13.1	13.1	13.2	13.1	13.8	13.4	13.1	13.7	13.4	13.1	13.2
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..		7.1	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.1
Tea.....	do.....		60.6	60.6	60.2	60.2	60.9	60.9	60.9	60.9	60.9	60.9	60.9	60.9	60.7
Coffee.....	do.....		48.4	48.1	47.9	48.3	46.2	46.1	46.0	45.9	45.9	46.0	46.0	47.5	46.9
Prunes.....	do.....		15.9	15.6	15.3	15.6	15.6	15.8	16.0	16.0	15.8	15.6	15.2	15.3	15.6
Raisins.....	do.....		14.0	14.3	14.4	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.2	13.8	14.0	14.2	14.2
Bananas.....	Dozen..		35.7	35.0	34.3	33.8	34.4	34.0	34.5	35.0	35.0	36.5	36.5	37.1	35.2
Oranges.....	do.....		55.1	52.1	51.5	54.2	56.4	55.2	59.7	63.1	64.4	69.3	66.8	61.7	59.1

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	22.3	40.5	39.7	39.5	39.7	40.8	41.1	42.1	42.4	41.7	40.9	40.0	39.6	40.7
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.4	35.0	33.5	33.0	33.3	34.2	34.8	35.4	35.5	35.7	34.6	33.8	34.2	34.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	17.0	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.8	30.1	30.3	30.3	30.8	30.4	30.6	30.4	30.5	30.2
.....	do.....	15.3	22.9	22.5	22.8	22.9	22.9	23.3	23.4	23.3	23.4	23.7	23.7	23.9	23.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.5	14.0	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.0	13.5	13.4	14.1	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.3	40.0	38.4	40.4	41.9	42.5	44.9	44.9	43.3	45.6	45.2	41.7	39.3	42.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	22.1	45.1	44.4	44.5	44.7	45.4	47.7	48.4	48.4	48.1	47.0	46.9	45.9	46.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	26.2	51.5	52.2	52.7	53.4	55.4	60.2	59.8	59.7	59.3	59.3	56.8	56.3	56.4
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	16.9	36.1	35.9	35.1	34.2	36.4	39.6	37.6	35.5	34.6	34.0	32.8	32.6	35.4
Hens.....	do.....	21.1	41.9	41.0	41.7	41.9	41.7	41.7	40.5	38.5	37.9	38.3	37.9	38.4	40.1
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	38.6	38.2	37.6	37.8	37.7	37.9	37.8	37.6	36.3	34.5	33.8	32.5	36.7	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	8.0	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.3
Butter.....	Pound.....	37.1	56.4	55.0	53.8	51.2	49.4	49.8	51.8	50.0	52.6	54.9	57.7	62.8	53.8
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	30.4	30.2	30.4	30.0	28.8	28.5	27.8	28.0	28.2	29.3	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.3
Cheese.....	do.....	20.5	38.0	38.4	38.5	38.1	37.5	36.7	36.6	36.7	36.5	37.2	37.6	37.6	37.5
Lard.....	do.....	14.3	21.1	21.0	20.6	20.4	20.2	21.4	21.9	21.7	21.1	20.9	20.4	19.8	20.9
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	26.5	26.3	26.2	26.3	25.8	26.2	26.1	25.9	26.3	26.4	25.9	26.2	26.2	
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	32.9	57.2	48.6	44.5	41.4	41.3	41.4	43.0	44.4	53.2	60.5	69.0	69.3	51.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	43.6	32.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	43.8	45.6	45.5	---	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.6	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.9
Flour.....	do.....	3.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.6	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.1	5.3
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	24.5	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.7	24.6	24.6	24.7	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	21.7	22.0	21.6	21.5	21.8	21.5	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.4	21.7	21.5	21.6
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.3	11.2	11.5
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.9	9.9	9.6	9.5	9.1	8.7	8.7	8.9	8.8	8.8	9.2	9.2	9.2	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	6.9	6.2	5.4	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.5	4.1	4.1	4.9
Onions.....	do.....	6.8	7.4	7.4	7.8	8.7	8.3	7.7	6.8	6.1	5.9	5.9	5.9	7.1	
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.7	5.0	7.6	8.0	6.8	6.7	4.9	4.4	3.5	3.2	3.5	3.0	5.1	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	10.3	10.6	10.3	10.0	10.3	10.1	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.1	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.1	15.8	15.8	15.9	15.6	15.6	15.8	16.1	16.5	16.6	16.9	16.3	16.1	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.3	16.0	16.0	16.3	15.9	15.9	16.1	16.4	16.6	16.5	16.8	16.2	16.3	
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	13.9	13.7	13.9	13.7	13.6	13.7	13.3	13.7	13.0	13.4	13.8	13.9	13.6	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.4	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.3	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.1	6.6
Tea.....	do.....	45.0	69.2	69.8	69.8	71.9	71.9	72.4	71.2	71.7	68.9	70.1	70.5	69.8	70.6
Coffee.....	do.....	29.3	49.9	49.8	49.9	49.2	48.7	49.7	48.8	49.0	49.1	49.1	48.6	48.7	49.2
Prunes.....	do.....	16.7	16.5	16.5	16.1	16.4	16.8	16.3	16.2	16.5	16.5	16.4	15.9	16.4	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.1	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.3	14.1	13.8	14.2	
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	45.0	43.3	42.1	42.9	41.8	42.2	42.1	41.4	40.7	42.4	42.3	42.6	42.4	
Oranges.....	do.....	51.1	52.0	52.8	55.0	56.8	52.1	54.1	53.4	51.7	56.6	62.8	55.7	54.5	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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BUFFALO, N. Y.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 22.3	Cts. 40.4	Cts. 40.5	Cts. 40.7	Cts. 41.4	Cts. 41.3	Cts. 42.5	Cts. 43.5	Cts. 44.1	Cts. 44.0	Cts. 43.6	Cts. 42.5	Cts. 43.2	Cts. 42.3
Round steak.....	do.....	19.4	34.0	34.4	34.6	35.1	35.5	36.0	37.0	37.5	37.4	37.2	36.3	36.9	36.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	17.0	31.0	30.7	30.4	31.4	31.0	32.1	31.5	32.0	31.9	32.3	31.8	32.7	31.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.3	24.1	23.9	24.0	24.2	24.3	24.2	24.3	24.8	25.2	25.4	25.3	26.0	24.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.5	14.2	14.4	14.5	14.6	14.3	14.1	14.0	14.2	15.0	15.0	15.6	16.3	14.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.3	38.5	37.2	38.4	39.3	39.0	37.1	36.8	42.3	45.9	46.1	38.5	34.3	39.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	22.1	45.6	45.1	44.5	44.4	43.7	43.4	41.8	42.2	42.0	42.7	41.2	40.3	43.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	26.2	56.3	54.4	55.1	54.7	54.1	53.6	53.1	53.0	52.4	50.5	49.0	48.2	52.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	16.9	33.1	33.0	34.6	36.9	37.3	37.1	36.0	34.8	33.9	33.2	32.7	33.1	34.6
Hens.....	do.....	21.1	40.6	40.2	40.6	40.2	38.1	36.7	36.5	36.1	37.1	36.6	37.5	38.4	38.4
Salmon, canned, red.	do.....	32.6	32.1	31.9	31.4	31.1	30.9	30.5	31.3	31.8	32.6	33.1	34.1	32.0	32.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3
Butter.....	Pound..	37.1	59.3	59.8	59.5	59.2	53.8	52.0	51.4	51.2	54.1	56.5	57.7	59.9	56.2
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.....	29.7	29.7	29.3	29.3	29.1	28.7	28.1	28.0	27.8	27.4	27.8	28.1	28.6	28.6
Cheese.....	do.....	20.5	38.0	37.9	38.5	38.4	38.4	39.0	38.8	38.0	38.7	38.9	38.7	39.2	38.5
Lard.....	do.....	14.3	18.8	18.1	18.2	18.1	17.8	17.6	17.7	18.3	19.1	19.0	18.6	18.2	18.2
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....	25.8	26.5	26.6	26.3	26.3	25.9	25.9	25.7	25.8	25.9	25.7	25.8	26.0	26.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	32.9	59.4	48.7	37.2	34.6	34.0	33.3	36.3	43.1	51.1	58.8	67.8	63.8	47.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	43.6	37.2	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	42.9	43.6	43.4	8.7
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7
Flour.....	do.....	3.0	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.6	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	4.7	5.1	5.2	5.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.7	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.7
Corn flakes.....	8 oz. pkg.	10.2	10.2	10.2	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.0	9.5	9.3	9.4	9.6	9.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.7	24.7	24.6	24.7	24.5	24.7	24.7	24.6	24.5	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.7	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.4	21.4	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.2	21.1	21.1	21.2	21.4	21.5	21.5	21.3	21.3
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	10.7	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.1	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.3	10.0	9.9	10.3
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.8	8.8	8.5	8.7	8.5	8.5	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.4	9.4	9.3	8.9	8.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	4.0	3.5	3.1	3.0	4.3	5.6	3.4	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.8	3.4
Onions.....	do.....	6.1	6.5	6.1	7.1	9.7	9.4	8.7	7.0	6.0	5.8	5.6	5.4	7.0	7.0
Cabbage.....	do.....	3.7	4.1	4.6	5.3	10.7	10.4	5.5	4.4	3.6	3.3	2.8	3.0	5.1	5.1
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	9.9	10.1	10.0	10.0	7.9	7.9
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.0	16.3	16.4	15.6	15.5	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.0	15.5	15.8	16.0	15.7	15.7
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.4	16.4	15.9	16.0	15.9	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.6	16.0	16.0	16.2	16.0	16.0
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	13.5	13.6	13.3	13.5	13.2	13.4	13.1	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.3	13.1	13.3	13.3
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.1	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.0
Tea.....	do.....	45.0	69.8	71.3	70.3	69.8	68.3	67.2	66.6	67.6	67.1	67.9	68.5	69.0	68.6
Coffee.....	do.....	29.3	48.1	48.3	47.6	47.2	46.6	46.7	45.9	45.4	45.6	45.4	45.5	45.7	46.5
Prunes.....	do.....	15.8	15.3	14.5	14.3	14.2	14.1	14.2	14.2	14.4	13.6	13.7	13.5	14.3	14.3
Raisins.....	do.....	13.6	13.6	13.7	13.6	13.6	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.7	13.7	13.4	13.0	13.5	13.5
Bananas.....	Dozen..	43.2	42.8	41.8	42.2	41.6	42.3	40.8	40.9	41.2	41.9	41.6	43.3	42.0	42.0
Oranges.....	do.....	55.0	54.2	53.9	53.2	54.4	55.2	55.7	56.9	60.6	65.7	58.4	59.0	56.9	56.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH BUTTE, MONT.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts. 30.4	Cts. 30.0	Cts. 30.6	Cts. 31.2	Cts. 31.8	Cts. 32.5	Cts. 32.5	Cts. 32.3	Cts. 31.7	Cts. 30.8	Cts. 30.0	Cts. 29.6	Cts. 31.1
Round steak.....	do.....		25.8	25.5	26.2	26.7	27.3	28.8	28.8	28.8	27.5	27.4	26.8	26.4	27.2
Rib roast.....	do.....		26.2	26.4	26.5	26.9	27.9	28.1	28.3	27.6	27.2	26.7	26.8	26.5	27.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....		18.3	18.2	18.3	18.9	19.0	20.1	20.2	19.5	19.0	19.2	18.7	19.0	19.0
Plate beef.....	do.....		12.3	12.3	12.6	12.6	12.9	12.9	12.5	12.8	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.5	12.5
Pork chops.....	do.....		34.8	34.8	36.2	37.9	37.4	39.0	40.2	42.7	41.9	42.2	41.2	36.5	38.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		56.4	56.4	56.2	55.7	57.1	58.8	58.2	60.0	59.3	59.3	58.2	56.9	57.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		58.8	58.3	58.3	58.3	59.6	64.6	63.8	64.2	61.7	61.3	61.3	61.3	61.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		35.4	36.7	39.6	40.5	40.3	39.4	40.0	39.0	38.2	37.7	37.3	36.3	38.4
Hens.....	do.....		34.9	37.0	37.2	40.0	39.8	37.6	36.8	35.5	34.6	34.5	33.3	32.4	36.1
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		29.9	30.6	32.6	33.6	32.5	31.9	31.9	32.5	32.5	32.5	32.5	31.9	32.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.3	11.3	11.4	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.1	10.9	11.1	11.1	11.2
Butter.....	Pound.....		53.2	52.2	50.8	49.1	48.3	47.3	48.3	48.3	50.8	50.7	51.0	53.0	50.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....														
Cheese.....	do.....		36.7	36.6	36.6	37.1	37.1	36.5	35.5	35.5	35.7	35.7	35.7	35.7	36.2
Lard.....	do.....		25.2	25.3	25.0	24.6	24.6	24.7	24.9	25.4	25.9	25.8	25.0	24.7	25.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		29.3	29.2	29.8	29.8	29.6	29.3	29.2	29.3	29.8	29.3	29.3	29.3	29.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		59.1	51.4	43.0	42.0	42.2	44.0	49.7	53.6	56.6	61.1	67.1	66.3	53.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		35.8	29.4									45.0	47.1	45.5
Bread.....	Pound.....		9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8
Flour.....	do.....		6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.8	5.9	5.7	5.6	5.4
Corn meal.....	do.....		6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.9	5.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....		7.2	7.3	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		12.4	12.4	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		28.1	29.0	29.0	29.0	28.8	28.4	28.4	28.4	28.4	28.4	28.4	28.3	28.6
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		19.5	19.5	19.5	18.9	18.9	19.1	19.2	19.4	18.7	19.1	19.2	19.6	19.2
Rice.....	do.....		12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.5	12.3	12.1	11.7	12.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....		10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.5
Potatoes.....	do.....		3.7	3.9	3.8	5.0	4.6	3.8	4.1	2.9	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.6
Onions.....	do.....		4.6	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.6	6.7	5.4	4.8	4.3	3.8	4.3	4.5	4.9
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.2	5.8	6.0	8.6	7.8	7.0	6.6	5.4	4.5	3.8	3.9	4.8	5.7
Beans, baked.....	No.2 can.....		14.8	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.6	14.7	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.1	14.1	14.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....		16.4	16.2	16.0	15.7	15.8	15.7	15.9	16.0	15.8	16.0	16.2	16.0	16.0
Peas, canned.....	do.....		15.8	15.5	15.3	15.2	14.5	14.3	14.5	14.6	14.4	14.0	14.8	15.2	14.8
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		14.7	13.7	13.3	13.3	12.8	13.3	13.7	13.8	13.3	13.7	13.7	13.3	13.6
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		7.7	7.6	7.7	7.9	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.1
Tea.....	do.....		83.8	82.7	82.7	83.5	83.5	83.8	83.8	83.3	83.3	83.3	83.8	83.3	83.4
Coffee.....	do.....		56.8	56.8	57.0	56.9	57.0	57.0	57.1	57.0	57.0	57.0	56.6	56.6	56.9
Prunes.....	do.....		18.0	16.9	16.8	17.5	17.3	18.4	19.3	17.6	17.2	19.0	17.9	18.4	17.9
Raisins.....	do.....		14.9	15.0	15.0	15.6	15.9	15.8	16.1	15.9	15.3	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.4
Bananas.....	do.....		15.1	15.2	15.4	15.3	14.8	14.8	14.8	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.9
Oranges.....	Dozen.....		48.6	47.9	49.9	49.0	49.1	45.8	45.8	46.3	47.1	48.3	56.2	54.5	49.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

BUTTE, MONT.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	29.8	31.9	32.3	32.6	34.3	34.4	35.0	32.9	32.8	33.2	33.0	33.2	33.0
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	27.3	27.8	29.2	30.0	31.1	31.3	31.4	30.6	29.1	28.0	30.3	29.8	29.7
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	26.0	27.6	27.6	28.1	29.3	29.0	28.8	29.0	28.7	28.2	28.0	27.9	28.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	19.3	18.9	19.0	20.3	21.3	20.8	21.4	21.5	20.2	20.3	20.3	20.4	20.3
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	12.5	12.9	13.1	14.0	14.2	14.3	14.4	12.9	13.4	13.2	13.6	13.8	13.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	36.3	35.6	35.2	36.1	35.1	35.4	35.2	35.5	38.0	37.5	37.1	32.7	35.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	56.3	55.8	55.8	56.3	55.4	54.6	55.0	55.4	54.6	52.5	52.5	51.7	54.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	60.5	60.9	60.5	60.8	61.3	60.4	59.2	60.0	58.8	57.5	58.8	57.9	59.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	36.0	36.0	36.2	39.6	41.6	40.5	39.5	38.9	37.0	37.1	36.3	35.7	37.9
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	34.4	36.8	37.7	39.3	39.2	35.7	34.7	32.9	33.2	32.9	32.9	31.5	35.1
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	30.7	30.8	31.1	31.3	31.0	30.9	31.1	31.9	31.4	31.2	32.7	32.7	31.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	Cts.	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	11.0	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.5	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.1	10.9	11.1	11.1
Butter.....	Pound.....	Cts.	54.6	55.5	56.3	52.0	49.1	48.6	49.1	49.2	52.0	51.9	53.2	55.6	52.3
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	Cts.													
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	35.7	36.4	36.5	36.5	36.5	36.7	36.5	36.5	36.1	36.5	37.5	37.5	36.6
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	23.6	23.2	23.3	23.3	23.4	23.7	23.8	23.2	23.4	23.6	23.0	23.2	23.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	28.3	29.5	29.5	29.5	29.7	29.7	29.7	29.7	30.4	30.5	30.6	30.3	29.8
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	58.0	51.5	40.4	37.9	39.1	39.9	42.8	46.8	50.6	54.8	59.6	61.9	48.6
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	43.3									39.4	38.1	36.7	
Bread.....	Pound.....	Cts.	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.4
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	5.8	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.0
Rollod oats.....	do.....	Cts.	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	12.1	12.2	12.2	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.4	10.7	10.5	10.5	10.5	11.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.7	28.3	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.5
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	Cts.	20.0	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.1	20.1	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.7	19.7	19.9
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	11.6	11.2	11.4	11.4	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.7	3.2	4.6	4.6	2.9	2.1	1.5	1.5	1.6	2.8
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	5.1	7.0	7.3	7.2	8.3	9.2	8.5	6.1	4.8	4.1	3.9	4.2	6.3
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	5.5	6.8	6.8	6.9	9.4	12.0	8.0	5.1	3.9	3.3	3.4	4.1	6.3
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	Cts.	14.5	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.9	14.0	13.3	13.3	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.8
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	15.2	15.3	14.9	15.0	14.8	14.8	15.0	15.5	14.6	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	15.2	15.0	14.8	15.0	15.3	13.9	13.9	14.1	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.5	14.3
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	13.7	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	12.9	12.9	13.3	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.8	13.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	Cts.	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	81.4	80.9	81.3	82.3	82.2	81.9	82.3	82.2	82.8	83.1	82.2	83.1	82.1
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	56.5	56.1	55.1	54.7	55.0	54.5	54.5	53.8	54.0	54.0	54.1	54.1	54.7
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	17.6	16.0	14.9	15.2	15.6	15.6	15.3	15.4	15.0	14.9	14.5	14.8	15.4
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.0	15.0	15.1	14.8	14.6	14.6	15.0
Bananas.....	do.....	Cts.	14.8	15.6	15.3	14.8	13.9	14.4	13.5	13.1	11.7	12.7	13.0	12.8	13.8
Oranges.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	44.5	48.5	47.9	49.0	45.7	48.0	45.0	53.9	53.5	56.2	60.7	58.8	51.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
CHARLESTON, S. C.

Article	Unit	Av- erage for year 1913	1926												Av- erage for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	21.7	32.5	33.0	33.0	34.5	33.4	34.5	33.5	33.5	33.0	33.3	32.7	32.7	33.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.4	30.5	30.5	31.5	31.2	30.9	31.5	32.0	30.5	30.5	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	20.2	27.0	27.5	27.0	27.2	27.5	27.0	27.5	27.7	27.0	25.7	24.9	25.0	26.8
	do.....	15.1	20.2	20.7	20.7	21.2	20.4	20.5	20.5	20.7	18.8	19.1	19.5	19.4	20.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.8	14.7	15.2	15.2	15.4	14.9	15.2	14.9	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.2	14.2	14.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	23.5	34.8	34.3	34.7	35.2	37.3	38.9	39.9	39.2	37.5	38.8	38.5	35.6	37.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.7	43.5	43.7	42.9	43.2	43.7	45.8	47.4	47.1	46.5	45.4	45.0	44.0	44.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	27.5	48.2	48.8	48.2	50.3	51.9	54.1	56.9	57.5	55.9	56.8	54.8	51.7	52.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	21.8	42.5	42.5	41.7	42.5	42.5	42.5	44.3	42.9	42.1	41.9	41.3	40.0	42.2
Hens.....	do.....	21.7	36.4	38.0	39.0	40.8	42.3	44.0	41.8	40.1	40.9	39.4	39.8	38.4	40.1
Salmon, canned red.....	do.....		38.3	38.5	38.1	39.1	39.2	39.1	39.6	38.8	36.7	30.4	30.0	29.6	36.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	11.8	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	19.0	19.0	18.2
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹ Pound.....	37.8	56.5	55.2	54.6	52.1	49.4	49.3	49.3	49.3	49.3	52.3	52.4	56.5	53.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		31.8	32.1	31.8	31.5	31.7	31.7	31.4	31.0	30.8	31.2	31.3	31.7	31.5
Cheese.....	do.....	20.6	35.0	35.4	34.8	33.6	31.7	31.6	31.7	31.6	33.2	33.9	34.9	35.0	33.5
Lard.....	do.....	15.0	22.6	23.3	23.6	23.6	22.9	24.0	24.0	24.1	23.7	22.1	21.3	20.9	23.0
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		24.0	24.5	23.9	23.9	23.9	24.3	24.8	24.3	24.3	23.8	23.4	23.5	24.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen.....	31.5	57.6	46.2	41.4	42.0	39.6	43.6	49.0	46.3	53.6	56.7	64.3	66.7	50.6
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		43.7	35.3								43.9	43.8	44.3	
Bread.....	Pound.....	6.1	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.4
Flour.....	do.....	3.7	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.4	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0
Rolled oats.....	do.....		9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.8	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.8	11.8	12.0	11.8
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		26.6	26.6	26.6	25.9	26.0	26.7	27.0	26.4	26.3	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.4
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	18.9	18.9	19.0	18.7	18.9	18.5	18.5	18.6	18.8
Rice.....	do.....	5.5	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.8	9.8	9.5	9.0	8.3	8.4	9.4
Beans, navy.....	do.....		10.5	10.3	10.3	10.5	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.8	10.3	9.9	9.9	9.8	10.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.2	6.8	6.7	6.7	7.9	7.2	4.3	3.3	3.8	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.4	5.3
Onions.....	do.....		6.6	7.2	6.9	7.0	8.4	7.3	6.8	5.6	5.4	5.5	5.8	5.5	6.5
Cabbage.....	do.....		6.6	7.2	7.3	6.1	4.6	3.7	3.7	4.9	4.8	4.3	4.4	4.2	5.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		10.2	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.7	10.0	9.8	9.8	10.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....		16.0	15.6	15.5	15.6	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.9	14.8	15.0	15.2
Peas, canned.....	do.....		17.9	17.6	17.6	17.6	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.8	17.5	16.7	16.7	17.5	17.5
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		10.4	10.3	10.3	10.1	10.1	9.9	10.1	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.3	10.2	10.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.1	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.6	6.5	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.5
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	75.3	75.3	75.3	76.7	76.7	76.7	74.0	74.4	73.9	74.9	74.9	73.9	75.2
Coffee.....	do.....	26.3	46.1	46.1	46.3	46.1	46.8	46.8	46.1	46.1	46.6	47.3	46.5	46.5	46.4
Prunes.....	do.....		16.6	16.3	15.8	15.7	15.5	15.5	14.9	15.2	15.3	15.3	14.9	14.7	15.5
Raisins.....	do.....		14.3	14.3	14.3	14.1	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.4	14.7	14.8	14.7	14.1	14.4
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		34.3	36.9	36.3	38.8	37.9	39.3	38.3	37.9	38.6	37.8	31.7	30.7	36.5
Oranges.....	do.....		31.0	33.9	36.5	48.5	49.4	49.4	46.0	45.6	46.7	44.5	38.2	29.4	41.5

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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CHARLESTON, S. C.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1927												Av- er- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.	21.7	32.3	32.7	33.2	33.7	34.0	33.3	33.0	33.4	33.3	32.3	32.7	32.5	33.0
Rib roast.....	do.	20.4	30.0	30.0	30.7	31.3	31.3	31.3	30.7	30.7	31.0	30.0	30.3	29.7	30.6
Chuck roast.....	do.	20.2	26.0	26.1	26.8	27.5	27.7	26.7	27.0	27.0	26.7	26.7	27.0	26.3	26.8
Plate beef.....	do.	15.1	20.1	20.4	20.5	21.9	21.5	21.0	20.2	20.9	20.8	20.8	20.3	20.3	20.7
Pork chops.....	do.	11.8	14.5	14.7	15.0	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	15.0	14.9	14.5	14.2	14.6	14.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.	23.5	35.6	34.7	35.2	35.5	35.5	35.9	34.3	34.7	34.7	34.0	33.2	32.0	34.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.	25.7	44.0	42.9	42.4	41.7	41.3	41.0	40.4	39.3	40.4	40.2	39.5	37.9	40.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.	27.5	52.9	52.1	52.4	52.4	51.8	51.1	50.8	50.3	49.7	48.4	47.4	46.1	50.5
Hens.....	do.	21.8	40.6	40.7	41.9	42.5	42.5	41.3	40.6	40.0	39.8	39.4	38.8	39.4	40.6
Salmon, canned red.....	do.	21.7	38.2	37.8	38.1	38.5	38.3	37.6	36.7	35.1	35.7	35.5	35.5	35.5	36.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.4	29.0	28.7	29.0	29.0	30.2	31.8	32.6	33.1	33.4	30.5
Milk, evaporated Butter.....	Can ¹ Pound	11.8	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.	37.8	58.4	58.5	58.2	58.0	52.4	50.6	50.0	49.8	49.5	50.8	53.0	53.9	53.6
Cheese.....	do.	30.8	31.5	31.9	31.0	31.9	30.6	30.6	29.8	29.2	29.2	29.2	29.5	29.2	30.5
Lard.....	do.	20.6	36.1	36.4	35.9	34.7	34.2	33.6	33.0	33.6	34.4	35.6	36.4	37.1	35.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.	15.0	21.6	21.0	20.7	20.3	20.0	20.0	20.6	20.0	20.6	19.7	21.3	20.7	20.6
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	22.8	22.8	22.7	21.6	22.3	22.9	21.7	21.7	21.6	22.2	22.1	21.9	21.9	22.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.	31.5	53.4	42.2	33.8	33.4	32.5	32.1	35.7	40.0	48.2	56.7	57.0	57.3	43.5
Bread.....	Pound	44.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0
Flour.....	do.	6.1	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.0
Corn meal.....	do.	3.7	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.8	6.9
Rolled oats.....	do.	2.4	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.5
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	12.0	12.0	11.8	10.7	10.4	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.6
Macaroni.....	Pound	26.5	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.0	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.7	25.7	26.0	26.0
Rice.....	do.	18.4	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.7	18.4	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.9	18.6
Beans, navy.....	do.	5.5	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	6.9	7.4
Potatoes.....	do.	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.6	9.8	10.0	9.7	9.6	9.8	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.9	9.9
Onions.....	do.	2.2	4.5	4.3	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.4	4.3	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.9
Cabbage.....	do.	6.1	6.5	6.3	7.8	7.8	7.4	7.8	7.3	6.5	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.3	6.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	4.3	4.6	4.4	3.9	4.2	5.6	6.9	5.2	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.7
Corn, canned.....	do.	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.8
Peas, canned.....	do.	15.0	14.5	14.4	13.9	14.4	14.1	14.3	14.4	14.8	14.7	14.3	14.2	14.4	14.4
Tomatoes, canned	do.	16.8	17.2	17.5	17.2	17.3	16.7	16.3	16.5	16.5	16.7	16.4	16.4	16.8	16.8
Sugar, granulated	Pound	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	10.2	10.2
Tea.....	do.	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.7	6.8	7.0	7.0	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9
Coffee.....	do.	50.0	76.9	76.9	76.9	76.9	76.9	76.9	8.24	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	79.7	79.7
Prunes.....	do.	26.3	46.9	47.1	46.9	45.2	44.5	43.9	43.9	44.0	43.1	42.8	43.2	43.8	44.6
Raisins.....	do.	14.5	14.6	14.2	14.5	14.1	14.3	14.3	13.6	13.5	12.4	12.2	10.7	13.6	14.6
Bananas.....	Dozen	14.1	14.1	14.3	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.4	14.0	14.0	12.8	14.2	14.2
Oranges.....	do.	27.9	29.3	27.5	26.9	25.6	25.5	26.3	25.0	25.6	27.0	25.0	27.5	26.8	26.8
	do.	30.0	29.8	28.5	34.8	43.6	40.0	40.0	42.9	46.9	35.0	31.5	31.3	36.2	36.2

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH CHICAGO, ILL.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	23.2	44.1	44.1	43.3	43.8	43.4	43.8	43.9	44.5	44.8	45.6	45.4	44.3
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	20.2	34.7	34.9	34.5	35.6	35.7	35.5	36.0	36.0	36.9	37.6	37.1	36.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	19.5	34.7	34.4	33.5	33.7	34.2	34.1	34.7	34.8	35.7	36.6	36.6	34.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	15.4	24.8	25.2	24.8	24.9	24.9	25.0	24.6	24.6	25.4	26.0	25.8	25.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	11.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.8	14.8	14.5	14.4	15.0	15.0	15.1	14.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	19.0	33.8	33.4	35.1	36.9	38.9	39.5	39.7	38.0	42.9	43.0	38.3	38.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	31.6	51.9	52.5	52.5	52.3	53.7	54.8	55.6	55.1	55.4	56.3	55.7	54.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	31.8	52.5	53.3	54.5	54.1	55.0	57.7	58.5	57.6	57.8	60.1	59.7	56.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	19.8	39.0	38.0	37.9	37.6	40.2	42.3	41.5	41.0	40.6	39.7	38.8	39.6
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	19.3	39.0	40.0	41.2	41.9	41.6	40.2	39.3	37.8	37.9	37.5	36.4	39.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	38.2	37.8	38.7	38.6	39.6	39.3	39.3	39.5	37.7	38.6	38.1	37.4	38.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	Cts.	8.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	10.9	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.9	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.0
Butter.....	Pound..	Cts.	36.2	51.3	50.8	50.8	47.3	47.2	48.0	47.1	47.8	50.5	53.7	56.3	61.0
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	Cts.	28.8	28.7	28.5	27.7	26.7	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.0	27.5	27.6	27.6	27.6
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	25.2	41.5	41.6	41.6	41.1	41.4	40.8	40.7	40.7	40.9	42.4	42.4	41.5
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	14.9	22.2	21.7	21.4	21.1	20.8	21.7	22.3	22.0	21.9	22.2	21.5	21.6
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	26.7	26.5	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.3	26.1	26.3	26.7	26.8	26.7	26.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	Cts.	29.2	52.8	43.7	41.2	41.7	41.5	42.4	42.8	44.2	50.5	57.0	65.1	49.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	40.2	38.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	47.0	50.5	50.3	---
Bread.....	Pound..	Cts.	6.1	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	2.8	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	2.9	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.5	6.6	6.2
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	Cts.	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	Cts.	24.4	24.3	24.4	24.5	24.4	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.5	25.2	25.3	25.4	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	Cts.	19.0	19.4	19.3	19.0	19.1	19.1	19.2	19.2	19.0	19.7	19.4	19.7	19.3
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	8.9	11.5	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.6	12.1	11.9	11.8	11.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	1.6	5.8	5.5	5.4	6.3	5.7	5.4	4.4	3.4	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.8
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	5.7	5.7	5.9	6.2	7.9	7.1	6.5	5.5	5.0	5.3	5.3	5.4	6.0
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	5.3	6.7	7.7	7.4	6.3	6.4	5.3	4.1	4.1	4.5	4.6	4.8	5.6
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	Cts.	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.8	12.9	12.9	12.8
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.8	17.1	16.7	16.4	16.5	16.5	17.1	17.4	17.3	16.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.2	16.8	17.2	17.2	17.0	16.7	17.5	17.7	17.5	17.3
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	Cts.	14.1	14.5	14.2	13.8	13.7	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	13.9	14.1	14.2	14.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	Cts.	5.1	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.9	7.0	6.6
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	54.0	72.2	73.9	73.5	72.3	72.3	71.4	72.2	73.2	74.5	74.8	74.3	73.1
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	30.5	51.6	52.0	52.1	51.6	51.7	51.5	51.3	51.3	51.2	50.8	51.0	51.4
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	18.1	18.1	18.5	18.7	18.1	18.8	18.6	18.8	18.4	18.8	18.7	18.9	18.5
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	15.3	15.2	15.3	15.4	15.3	15.4	15.5	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.6	15.4	15.4
Bananas.....	Dozen..	Cts.	43.1	43.3	42.2	41.9	41.4	42.9	41.3	40.8	40.0	40.5	40.5	40.8	41.1
Oranges.....	do.....	Cts.	51.3	50.4	51.2	58.1	56.8	51.6	52.0	52.4	53.2	61.3	61.3	58.9	54.5

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Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak	do.	23.2	45.1	44.7	44.8	44.7	45.0	44.5	46.0	46.9	47.2	48.0	47.8	49.1	46.2
Rib roast	do.	20.2	36.4	36.0	36.0	35.8	35.9	36.0	37.3	38.0	38.3	38.7	38.8	39.1	37.2
Chuck roast	do.	19.5	35.9	34.9	35.1	34.6	35.3	34.4	35.0	35.9	35.8	36.5	36.5	37.4	35.6
	do.	15.4	26.0	25.3	25.4	25.3	25.4	25.2	25.5	25.7	26.6	27.8	27.9	28.3	26.2
Plate beef	do.	11.5	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.0	15.2	15.0	15.4	16.0	16.0	16.3	15.4
Pork chops	do.	19.0	35.4	34.8	35.4	35.5	34.3	31.5	32.4	36.8	42.6	42.5	35.9	31.1	35.7
Bacon, sliced	do.	31.6	53.1	52.3	52.4	51.8	51.6	50.3	49.9	50.1	50.9	51.2	50.7	49.4	51.1
Ham, sliced	do.	31.8	58.6	58.2	57.6	56.9	56.7	55.9	54.0	54.4	54.5	54.6	53.7	53.4	55.7
Lamb, leg of	do.	19.8	37.7	37.1	38.4	41.1	42.2	41.8	39.3	39.1	38.5	38.0	37.7	37.7	39.1
Hens	do.	19.3	38.6	38.8	39.6	39.6	39.0	36.5	35.6	36.2	36.1	36.8	36.0	36.1	37.4
Salmon, canned, red	do.		37.0	36.6	35.7	34.6	34.2	34.3	34.9	34.7	35.9	35.4	36.1	35.3	35.4
Milk, fresh	Quart.	8.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹		11.2	11.3	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2
Butter	Pound	36.2	57.8	58.2	58.4	57.7	51.8	50.3	50.1	50.3	52.7	54.3	56.2	58.8	54.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes)	do.		27.5	27.1	27.2	27.1	27.0	26.9	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.4	27.5	27.2	27.2
Cheese	do.	25.2	42.3	42.2	42.0	41.9	42.1	42.1	41.5	42.0	42.0	42.5	43.4	43.8	42.3
Lard	do.	14.9	20.1	19.6	19.1	18.9	18.8	18.8	19.0	19.1	19.4	19.8	19.8	19.6	19.3
Vegetable lard substitute	do.		26.7	26.7	26.7	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.6	26.3	26.5	26.3	26.5	26.6	26.6
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	29.2	58.3	48.4	38.8	35.8	36.3	35.9	37.8	42.3	46.0	53.7	59.6	61.2	46.2
Eggs, storage	do.		47.3	34.0								43.2	44.8	45.6	
Bread	Pound	6.1	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9
Flour	do.	2.8	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.9	5.1
Corn meal	do.	2.9	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.7
Rollod oats	do.		8.6	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		10.1	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.7
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		25.6	25.6	25.6	25.5	25.4	25.2	25.0	25.1	25.2	25.4	25.5	25.6	25.4
Macaroni	Pound		19.6	19.4	19.3	19.6	19.3	19.2	19.1	19.0	19.1	18.9	19.0	18.9	19.2
Rice	do.	8.9	11.6	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.1	11.1	11.2	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.6	11.2
Beans, navy	do.		9.6	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.6
Potatoes	do.	1.6	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.2	4.3	6.4	4.3	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.7
Onions	do.		5.7	6.0	6.1	7.6	8.8	9.0	8.0	6.4	5.5	4.9	5.0	4.9	6.5
Cabbage	do.		5.8	5.8	5.6	5.6	10.1	11.4	5.8	4.2	4.0	4.3	4.0	4.5	5.9
Beans, baked	No. 2 can		12.7	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.9	13.0	12.8	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.7
Corn, canned	do.		17.2	16.9	16.7	16.3	16.3	16.1	15.8	16.0	15.7	16.0	15.9	15.8	16.2
Peas, canned	do.		17.5	17.3	17.4	16.8	16.8	16.7	16.8	16.8	16.6	16.1	16.0	16.2	16.8
Tomatoes, canned	do.		13.9	13.6	13.5	13.8	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.9	14.1	13.8	13.8	13.8
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8	7.1
Tea	do.	54.0	73.8	73.9	72.6	73.0	72.8	73.3	74.2	73.5	72.0	71.3	71.8	71.4	72.8
Coffee	do.	30.5	51.1	50.0	49.5	48.7	47.4	48.2	48.0	47.9	47.1	46.3	46.7	47.0	48.2
Prunes	do.		18.5	18.4	18.5	17.8	17.8	17.5	17.6	17.3	17.3	16.9	15.6	15.6	17.4
Raisins	do.		15.3	15.4	15.3	15.1	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.2	15.0	14.8	14.4	14.4	15.0
Bananas	Dozen		39.3	38.4	38.9	38.5	39.2	38.8	38.8	39.2	39.8	38.3	39.3	40.9	39.1
Oranges	do.		53.6	52.2	51.6	53.3	52.7	47.6	55.2	57.8	63.0	65.6	61.4	61.5	56.3

¹ 15-16 ounces

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH CINCINNATI, OHIO

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	Cts. 23.1	Cts. 36.9	Cts. 37.0	Cts. 36.8	Cts. 37.2	Cts. 38.1	Cts. 38.8	Cts. 39.1	Cts. 39.2	Cts. 38.9	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 36.5	Cts. 36.4	Cts. 37.7
Round steak	do.	20.8	33.2	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.5	34.6	35.3	35.9	35.1	34.1	33.1	33.4	34.0
Rib roast	do.	19.1	29.7	30.3	29.8	29.7	29.7	29.8	30.4	30.8	30.8	30.8	30.7	30.2	30.2
Chuck roast	do.	15.2	20.7	20.8	20.8	21.3	21.5	21.3	22.1	21.6	21.9	22.1	21.6	21.6	21.4
Plate beef	do.	11.8	15.1	15.0	15.0	15.6	15.5	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.3
Pork chops	do.	20.6	34.7	33.7	35.8	35.8	38.8	40.6	39.9	37.9	41.9	42.1	34.7	32.2	37.3
Bacon, sliced	do.	25.1	41.7	43.9	44.6	44.6	44.6	46.2	46.8	46.3	46.5	46.7	45.5	44.4	45.2
Ham, sliced	do.	28.3	52.5	53.2	53.3	53.1	55.8	59.5	60.0	60.3	60.6	60.0	58.0	56.8	56.9
Lamb, leg of	do.	17.0	36.4	36.8	36.1	36.6	39.1	41.5	39.2	37.7	37.8	37.5	35.2	35.1	37.4
Hens	do.	23.4	39.3	38.9	41.0	43.0	43.3	40.3	39.5	35.2	37.2	37.2	35.8	36.1	38.9
Salmon, canned, red.	do.	—	36.1	36.9	37.1	37.4	37.0	36.5	36.8	37.6	37.6	31.3	31.1	30.9	35.5
Milk, fresh	Quart.	8.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	12.8
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹	—	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.8	10.8
Butter	Pound	38.5	53.5	52.8	52.5	49.6	49.1	49.2	48.8	49.1	50.8	53.0	55.1	59.2	51.9
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.	—	31.8	31.6	30.9	30.1	29.6	29.6	30.1	30.3	30.3	30.2	30.2	28.6	30.3
Cheese	do.	21.2	36.0	36.4	36.2	35.9	35.0	35.1	35.1	35.5	36.0	36.4	36.3	36.8	35.9
Lard	do.	14.1	20.0	20.2	19.4	19.0	19.4	21.6	21.1	21.1	20.8	20.0	19.4	18.5	20.0
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.	—	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.3	25.4	25.8	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.1	25.9	25.6	25.8
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	27.8	49.0	39.3	32.2	34.0	35.0	35.5	35.8	38.2	46.7	52.1	65.6	63.8	43.9
Eggs, storage	do.	—	38.1	30.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	39.3	44.0	43.1	—
Bread	Pound	4.8	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.0	9.2
Flour	do.	3.3	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.8	6.1
Corn meal	do.	2.7	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0
Rolled oats	do.	8.6	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg	24.4	24.4	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.9	24.6	24.6	24.7	24.4	24.5	24.4	24.6
Macaroni	Pound	18.2	18.3	18.5	18.3	18.3	18.1	18.2	18.4	18.2	18.5	18.4	18.8	18.4	18.4
Rice	do.	8.8	10.8	11.0	11.3	11.1	11.5	11.2	11.2	11.5	11.4	11.4	10.9	10.8	11.2
Beans, navy	do.	8.3	8.3	7.8	7.9	7.6	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.0	7.8	7.8
Potatoes	do.	1.8	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.4	6.5	5.4	4.9	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.1	5.2
Onions	do.	—	5.8	5.8	5.7	6.0	7.6	6.8	6.1	5.2	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.4	5.6
Cabbage	do.	—	6.3	6.3	7.2	6.9	5.9	6.5	4.4	3.3	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.2	5.3
Beans, baked	No. 2 can	—	11.3	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.0	10.7	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.0
Corn, canned	do.	—	15.9	15.6	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.5	15.4	14.8	15.2	15.1	14.7	15.4
Peas, canned	do.	—	17.4	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.2	17.0	17.5	17.2	16.7	17.5	16.8	16.8	17.2
Tomatoes, canned	do.	—	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.0	11.8	12.0	11.6	11.7	11.5	11.8	11.9	11.9	12.0
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.3	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.0
Tea	do.	60.0	77.3	77.3	78.2	78.6	78.0	78.0	77.7	77.5	77.7	78.1	77.4	76.4	77.7
Coffee	do.	25.6	46.5	46.7	46.4	46.4	46.5	46.5	46.8	46.5	46.4	46.1	45.9	45.4	46.3
Prunes	do.	—	17.3	17.6	17.6	17.6	17.7	17.8	18.1	18.7	17.1	17.2	16.4	16.7	17.5
Raisins	do.	—	14.3	14.8	14.9	15.0	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.0	15.2	15.3	15.1	14.7	14.9
Bananas	Dozen	—	37.3	38.5	37.3	36.5	38.8	40.0	35.0	35.0	36.3	36.7	37.5	37.5	37.2
Oranges	do.	—	41.3	42.0	41.4	42.0	54.9	51.3	46.5	42.0	47.7	56.4	55.0	40.2	47.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927	
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15		
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	23.1	36.5	36.5	37.0	37.5	37.7	38.6	39.1	39.6	40.2	39.5	39.3	40.2	38.5
Round steak.....	do.....	20.8	33.2	33.4	33.7	34.3	34.4	35.2	35.7	35.6	36.1	35.8	35.7	36.6	35.0	
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.1	30.6	30.8	30.8	31.3	31.4	31.2	31.6	31.1	31.1	31.6	31.7	32.6	31.3	
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.2	22.4	22.4	22.6	23.1	23.1	23.0	23.1	22.6	22.8	23.1	23.4	24.0	23.0	
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.8	16.1	15.7	15.8	15.5	15.8	15.9	15.6	15.8	15.8	16.3	16.3	17.4	16.0	
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.6	33.7	33.2	34.3	34.5	34.1	30.2	32.7	37.4	40.3	41.2	32.5	26.9	34.3	
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.1	43.3	42.5	42.5	41.7	41.4	41.3	40.3	40.9	40.6	40.5	40.1	39.1	41.2	
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.3	57.9	56.7	56.7	55.6	55.5	55.2	53.3	54.4	52.2	52.0	52.0	50.2	54.3	
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	17.0	35.0	35.1	36.1	38.1	39.4	39.2	37.3	36.1	35.4	35.5	35.6	35.4	36.5	
Hens.....	do.....	23.4	38.2	39.8	41.2	42.2	40.2	38.3	37.9	35.5	33.5	34.3	35.0	36.8	37.7	
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	31.2	31.2	31.2	30.9	30.7	30.2	30.5	30.8	31.2	33.0	34.9	36.4	35.6	32.2	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.0	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	
Milk, evaporated.....	Can 1.....	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.1	
Butter.....	Pound..	38.5	58.3	59.4	59.8	59.3	52.7	50.9	49.8	49.5	51.1	54.1	55.6	58.7	54.9	
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	28.2	27.8	27.8	27.6	27.7	27.7	27.9	27.7	27.7	28.0	28.6	28.7	28.7	28.0	
Cheese.....	do.....	21.2	37.4	37.7	36.7	35.8	36.4	36.3	36.2	36.4	37.4	39.1	40.4	40.6	37.5	
Lard.....	do.....	14.1	17.7	17.1	16.9	16.9	17.0	16.7	17.0	17.1	18.1	18.4	18.0	16.8	17.3	
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	25.7	25.6	25.6	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.9	26.1	26.2	26.1	26.1	26.1	25.9	
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen...	27.8	53.1	37.8	29.5	28.6	27.8	28.3	34.0	40.3	45.9	56.2	64.8	60.6	42.2	
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	41.8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	39.9	41.3	41.4	---	
Bread.....	Pound..	4.8	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.9	
Flour.....	do.....	3.3	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.7	
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.7	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.2	
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.4	10.4	10.4	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.8	
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.4	24.4	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	25.1	25.1	25.1	25.1	24.8	
Macaroni.....	Pound..	18.4	18.3	18.5	18.3	18.5	18.5	18.4	18.4	18.3	18.5	18.6	18.5	18.5	18.4	
Rice.....	do.....	8.8	10.5	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.0	10.3	9.8	9.9	9.7	10.2	10.0	9.8	10.1	
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.0	7.8	7.6	7.7	7.5	7.8	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.4	8.2	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	4.2	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.6	6.9	4.5	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	4.0	
Onions.....	do.....	4.9	5.2	5.2	6.9	8.3	9.0	6.6	5.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.7	5.9	
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.1	4.4	5.3	5.7	9.2	10.9	5.5	4.4	4.1	3.7	3.4	3.3	5.3		
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	10.6	10.7	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.5		
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.0	15.5	15.5	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.6	14.9	15.2	15.1	15.2	15.2	15.1		
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.7	16.9	17.2	17.0	17.0	16.7	16.8	16.8	16.6	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	16.9	
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	12.1	12.0	12.2	12.4	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.9	11.7	11.7	11.9	11.7	12.0		
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	5.3	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.5	
Tea.....	do.....	60.0	77.5	77.5	77.0	76.5	76.0	75.5	75.5	75.5	75.5	78.4	79.1	79.1	76.9	
Coffee.....	do.....	25.6	45.4	45.7	44.1	43.5	42.5	42.6	42.9	42.6	42.5	43.0	44.1	44.7	43.6	
Prunes.....	do.....	16.2	16.2	16.5	16.2	16.0	15.6	15.8	15.4	15.2	13.7	13.7	13.7	15.4		
Raisins.....	do.....	14.5	14.6	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.4	14.9	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.3	14.0	14.1	14.4	
Bananas.....	Dozen...	36.0	37.0	35.5	35.5	36.0	35.0	36.1	36.1	36.1	36.1	38.3	38.3	38.9	36.6	
Oranges.....	do.....	36.9	40.6	40.3	44.4	47.0	45.7	45.4	51.4	52.2	57.5	47.8	47.2	46.4		

1 15-16 ounces.

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TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH CLEVELAND, OHIO

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 24.6	37.0	36.8	37.1	37.6	39.2	39.6	39.4	39.7	40.0	39.4	37.7	37.3	38.4
Round steak.....	do.....	21.7	31.0	31.0	31.0	31.6	33.1	33.7	33.7	34.0	33.4	32.3	31.3	31.3	32.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.0	26.9	27.3	27.0	27.5	28.0	28.3	28.7	27.8	27.9	27.2	27.2	27.1	27.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.6	22.2	22.0	22.0	22.6	23.3	23.6	23.0	22.7	22.9	22.2	22.9	23.1	22.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.9	13.5	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.9	13.6	12.7	13.0	13.6	13.3	13.4	13.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.0	36.8	35.8	37.3	39.3	42.6	44.3	42.5	41.1	45.1	43.7	38.9	35.6	40.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	27.6	49.3	49.8	50.1	49.7	50.6	52.7	52.7	52.0	52.1	51.7	50.4	50.3	51.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	35.1	55.8	56.8	56.8	57.3	59.3	63.0	63.7	63.7	63.0	61.6	60.0	58.3	59.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.3	37.4	37.1	36.0	36.3	39.2	39.5	39.4	37.4	37.8	37.2	35.6	34.9	37.3
Hens.....	do.....	21.5	43.0	42.4	43.0	44.3	43.7	41.8	40.3	39.2	39.4	37.8	35.9	36.5	40.6
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	37.8	38.4	38.5	38.6	39.1	39.2	39.6	39.1	35.9	34.5	33.9	33.8	37.4	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.2	14.7	14.7	14.0	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2
Butter.....	Pound..	39.6	55.9	54.9	55.4	51.1	51.9	52.1	51.5	52.4	55.5	58.0	59.6	64.7	55.3
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	33.0	32.6	32.4	32.0	31.7	31.8	32.2	32.5	32.2	33.0	33.2	31.9	32.4	
Cheese.....	do.....	23.3	38.5	38.8	39.0	38.7	37.3	36.3	35.5	35.9	36.2	36.9	36.6	38.1	37.3
Lard.....	do.....	16.3	22.9	22.6	22.7	22.5	22.5	23.4	23.7	23.6	23.2	23.2	22.3	21.8	22.9
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.3	27.2	27.0	27.2	27.1	27.3	27.5	27.7	27.6	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.8	27.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	34.3	55.5	45.7	40.3	39.9	39.8	40.6	41.7	47.2	55.8	64.9	73.2	70.1	51.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	40.8	33.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	45.8	48.8	48.8	---	---
Bread.....	Pound..	5.5	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.9	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.0
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.7	6.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.8	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.4	6.2	5.2	5.3	5.3
Roll'd oats.....	do.....	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	25.5	25.4	25.2	25.3	25.3	25.5	25.5	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.3	25.2	25.3	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.8	22.0	21.8	21.9	21.9	21.9	21.9	21.6	21.9	21.7	22.0	21.7	21.9	21.8
Rice.....	do.....	8.7	11.8	11.9	12.2	12.0	12.1	12.0	11.9	12.0	11.8	12.0	11.9	11.9	12.0
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.8	8.2	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.8	7.7	7.8	7.6	7.8	8.2	8.5	8.0	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	5.5	5.6	5.7	7.0	6.4	6.1	3.9	3.7	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.3	5.1
Onions.....	do.....	5.3	5.3	5.2	6.5	8.3	7.8	7.4	6.3	5.3	4.9	4.5	4.7	6.0	
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.7	6.1	7.6	7.2	6.0	6.3	5.5	4.2	4.5	4.5	4.1	4.3	5.5	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	13.1	13.0	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.8	13.3	12.8	12.9	12.6	12.6	12.8	12.8	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	18.0	17.8	17.7	17.3	17.3	17.1	17.4	17.1	17.1	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.3	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	18.3	18.0	17.9	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.6	17.8	17.5	17.8	17.6	17.8	
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	14.2	13.9	13.6	13.4	13.3	13.7	13.5	13.4	13.5	13.8	13.8	14.0	13.7	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	78.8	79.0	79.5	81.6	81.0	82.5	81.3	81.1	79.0	78.6	80.7	79.4	80.2
Coffee.....	do.....	26.8	54.1	53.9	54.0	54.1	54.1	54.7	54.4	54.3	54.7	55.0	54.8	54.5	54.4
Prunes.....	do.....	17.2	17.3	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.1	17.7	17.3	17.5	16.7	16.6	16.2	17.1	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.3	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.7	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.8	14.7	14.5	14.7	
Bananas.....	Dozen..	42.5	45.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	47.5	47.5	50.0	46.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	48.2	
Oranges.....	do.....	43.9	48.4	47.5	57.9	53.1	50.6	50.2	52.0	53.5	63.6	62.5	53.5	53.5	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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CLEVELAND, OHIO

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	24.6	38.2	38.6	39.0	39.8	41.3	42.2	42.7	43.1	42.4	41.8	41.6	42.7	41.1
Round steak.....	do.....	21.7	32.4	32.7	33.2	33.8	35.3	36.4	36.8	36.7	36.3	35.7	35.5	36.3	35.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.0	27.7	28.0	28.9	29.1	29.5	29.5	30.0	30.1	30.3	29.7	28.8	29.7	29.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.6	22.9	23.2	23.4	24.4	24.7	24.6	24.8	24.7	24.9	25.0	25.1	25.9	24.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.9	14.0	13.7	13.6	14.1	14.3	14.4	14.1	14.2	14.4	15.2	15.0	16.1	14.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.0	35.8	35.3	37.2	37.1	35.9	34.0	35.4	39.5	43.5	43.6	35.7	31.4	37.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	27.6	49.3	48.6	48.7	48.0	47.3	46.7	46.2	45.8	45.1	44.7	44.6	43.7	46.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	35.1	57.8	57.8	57.4	58.1	57.0	55.8	54.3	53.8	53.3	53.3	52.5	51.8	55.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.3	35.3	35.0	36.7	39.0	39.4	39.9	39.9	38.5	37.4	36.4	35.8	35.2	37.4
Hens.....	do.....	21.5	39.7	39.0	39.6	41.2	39.3	36.9	36.5	36.2	35.1	35.7	35.0	35.3	37.5
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	33.3	33.1	32.9	33.1	33.2	32.9	33.1	33.6	34.3	34.6	34.8	34.8	35.0	33.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.2	14.3	14.3	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4
Butter.....	Pound..	39.6	60.6	62.2	62.5	61.9	55.6	53.5	53.5	53.9	57.1	58.8	59.8	63.0	58.5
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	30.3	29.8	29.9	29.1	29.2	29.2	29.2	29.2	29.2	29.3	28.8	28.9	28.6	29.3
Cheese.....	do.....	23.3	38.2	38.1	38.7	38.2	38.5	39.0	38.4	38.7	38.4	39.4	39.8	39.6	38.8
Lard.....	do.....	16.3	21.4	20.7	20.8	20.6	20.5	20.0	20.2	20.3	20.6	20.9	21.0	20.9	20.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.2	26.9	26.8	26.9	26.7	26.7	26.6	26.6	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	27.1	26.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	34.3	59.1	45.4	36.3	35.2	35.1	33.7	38.4	43.9	52.8	60.6	66.4	65.0	47.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	47.6	35.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	42.3	41.5	41.9	---	---
Bread.....	Pound..	5.5	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.8	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.5
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.2	11.3	11.3	10.6	10.4	10.1	9.9	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.3	25.2	25.2	25.4	25.3	25.3	25.5	25.7	25.7	25.3	25.4	25.5	25.4	25.4
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.9	21.8	21.9	21.5	21.6	22.0	21.8	21.7	21.5	21.5	21.9	22.1	22.1	21.8
Rice.....	do.....	8.7	11.6	11.5	11.2	11.0	11.4	11.3	11.1	11.3	10.9	11.0	10.7	10.7	11.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.6	8.6
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.8	5.1	6.5	4.0	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.1	4.0
Onions.....	do.....	5.1	5.4	5.3	6.8	9.6	9.4	8.3	6.3	5.0	4.6	4.3	4.1	6.2	6.2
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.5	9.7	11.0	5.6	4.7	4.6	4.1	3.6	3.7	5.7	5.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	12.6	13.0	13.1	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.1	12.9	13.1	12.8	12.8	12.8	13.0	13.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....	17.3	17.1	16.9	16.6	16.2	16.8	16.9	16.9	16.6	16.9	16.7	16.5	16.8	16.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....	18.5	18.5	18.4	18.2	18.2	18.1	18.2	18.2	18.2	17.9	17.6	17.8	18.2	18.2
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	13.8	13.9	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.6	7.6
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	79.6	82.2	81.6	81.8	79.7	81.6	81.6	81.8	81.2	81.2	81.2	81.2	81.3
Coffee.....	do.....	26.5	54.4	53.9	53.2	52.2	52.2	51.3	50.4	50.3	49.9	50.8	51.4	51.7	51.8
Prunes.....	do.....	15.8	15.6	15.8	15.3	15.6	15.2	15.5	15.2	15.3	14.7	13.9	13.4	15.1	15.1
Raisins.....	do.....	14.6	14.7	14.7	14.9	14.7	14.6	14.7	14.7	14.8	14.7	13.7	13.5	14.5	14.5
Bananas.....	do.....	10.7	10.6	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.5	11.3	10.5
Oranges.....	Dozen..	49.5	49.3	51.5	50.3	52.9	54.9	54.7	56.0	59.8	60.8	55.6	57.7	54.4	54.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
COLUMBUS, OHIO

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts. 37.2	Cts. 37.3	Cts. 37.1	Cts. 37.8	Cts. 38.6	Cts. 39.6	Cts. 39.6	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 40.7	Cts. 40.6	Cts. 39.7	Cts. 39.7	Cts. 39.0
Round steak.....	do.....		32.8	32.8	33.0	33.1	34.2	35.2	35.2	35.2	36.1	35.9	34.8	34.9	34.4
Rib roast.....	do.....		29.6	29.4	29.5	30.1	30.5	30.7	30.6	30.5	30.8	30.9	29.9	30.8	30.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....		23.5	23.2	23.1	23.3	24.4	24.9	24.7	24.5	24.6	24.8	25.0	24.7	24.2
Plate beef.....	do.....		15.4	15.0	15.2	15.4	15.6	15.4	15.2	15.4	16.0	15.4	16.0	16.0	15.5
Port chops.....	do.....		34.1	34.4	34.6	35.6	37.3	39.5	38.9	37.4	39.5	39.7	37.4	35.6	37.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		47.6	47.4	47.4	48.3	49.1	51.8	53.8	54.6	53.6	53.3	52.3	51.2	50.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		52.2	54.1	53.7	54.1	55.4	57.7	60.5	59.6	58.8	58.8	59.5	58.7	56.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		43.3	42.6	42.4	43.7	45.0	45.0	42.8	43.7	44.6	41.7	42.4	43.7	43.4
Hens.....	do.....		40.4	39.3	41.9	40.7	41.9	39.9	40.0	39.0	37.1	37.7	37.7	37.4	39.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		39.4	39.4	39.4	39.8	40.3	40.8	41.3	40.5	39.8	36.8	36.3	37.1	39.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		12.0	12.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	11.5
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.4
Butter.....	Pound.....		52.6	51.1	50.4	48.0	48.0	48.4	48.0	47.5	51.1	53.6	56.7	60.9	51.4
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		31.2	31.3	30.2	29.8	29.2	29.5	29.8	29.5	29.7	29.9	29.9	29.7	30.0
Cheese.....	do.....		38.3	38.2	37.1	36.9	35.3	34.9	35.4	35.0	35.2	35.9	36.8	37.0	36.3
Lard.....	do.....		19.3	19.3	18.6	18.7	18.7	20.3	21.0	20.5	20.1	19.6	19.6	18.5	19.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		26.1	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.8	26.0	26.3	26.0	26.0	26.2	26.3	26.5	26.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		48.6	37.8	28.8	32.8	33.5	34.3	34.3	35.1	42.8	49.2	61.7	62.7	41.8
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		42.2	28.0								40.3	47.3	47.3	
Bread.....	Pound.....		8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
Flour.....	do.....		6.2	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.5	6.0
Corn meal.....	do.....		3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7
Rolled oats.....	do.....		9.4	9.3	9.2	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		10.8	10.8	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.9
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		24.8	24.6	24.6	24.8	25.0	25.0	24.9	24.5	25.0	24.5	24.7	25.2	24.8
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		23.3	22.4	22.4	22.0	22.0	23.0	21.5	21.3	21.7	20.1	20.3	20.4	21.7
Rice.....	do.....		13.3	13.0	13.4	13.8	13.9	13.4	13.3	13.5	13.6	13.8	13.3	12.7	13.4
Beans, navy.....	do.....		8.7	8.6	8.4	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.6	7.7	7.7	8.3	8.3	8.0
Potatoes.....	do.....		5.8	5.9	5.6	6.6	6.1	5.4	4.7	3.8	4.2	3.9	4.0	3.9	5.0
Onions.....	do.....		6.3	6.3	6.3	6.8	8.5	8.7	8.1	7.0	5.5	4.8	4.9	5.1	6.5
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.6	6.8	7.5	7.5	7.0	6.7	5.2	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.1	4.3	5.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		12.5	12.6	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.0	12.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.8	15.5	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.3	15.7	14.4	14.4	14.4	15.3
Peas, canned.....	do.....		15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.0	15.0	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.2
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		14.2	13.6	13.0	13.2	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.7	12.5	12.2	12.5	12.8
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		6.9	7.0	6.9	6.7	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.7	7.1
Tea.....	do.....		88.4	88.4	89.3	89.3	89.3	89.7	90.2	89.3	89.3	89.3	89.3	89.5	89.3
Coffee.....	do.....		51.3	49.5	51.6	51.6	51.6	51.6	51.6	51.5	51.6	51.6	51.3	51.3	51.3
Prunes.....	do.....		18.0	17.7	17.9	18.0	18.0	17.6	17.4	17.7	17.4	18.5	18.0	17.1	17.8
Raisins.....	do.....		14.7	15.0	14.9	15.0	15.0	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.2	15.0	14.7	14.6	15.0
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		38.3	37.8	36.7	36.7	37.8	37.8	36.7	36.7	37.2	38.9	38.9	39.4	37.7
Oranges.....	do.....		49.3	49.9	46.5	50.3	54.4	46.3	47.1	50.3	48.8	54.8	52.7	52.3	60.2

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued
COLUMBUS, OHIO

Article	Unit	Av- erage for year 1913	1927												Av- erage for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..		Cts. 39.4	Cts. 39.0	Cts. 39.1	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 40.4	Cts. 41.4	Cts. 41.7	Cts. 41.9	Cts. 41.6	Cts. 41.5	Cts. 41.8	Cts. 40.7
Round steak.....	do.....		34.6	34.1	34.3	35.4	35.4	35.9	36.6	37.1	37.6	37.5	36.7	37.4	36.1
Rib roast.....	do.....		30.5	30.7	30.7	31.6	32.1	32.1	31.8	32.2	32.3	32.3	31.9	32.3	31.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....		24.7	24.7	24.7	25.5	25.8	26.1	26.0	26.0	26.5	26.4	26.4	26.6	25.8
Plate beef.....	do.....		15.7	15.7	15.7	16.2	16.2	16.3	16.6	16.6	16.8	16.8	17.0	17.3	16.4
Pork chops.....	do.....		35.4	34.4	34.5	35.2	35.2	34.1	33.0	36.2	37.7	40.3	35.8	32.8	35.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		50.5	49.5	50.5	50.2	50.1	49.9	48.3	48.2	48.2	48.8	48.5	47.7	50.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		58.5	56.9	56.9	57.3	56.9	56.2	54.6	54.2	51.8	52.5	53.3	53.1	55.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		41.3	41.2	43.7	43.3	47.0	47.5	47.5	44.4	44.2	42.5	42.5	43.3	44.0
Hens.....	do.....		38.7	38.7	39.6	39.0	38.9	37.7	36.0	36.0	35.4	36.1	35.9	37.4	37.5
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		35.4	35.5	35.4	35.6	34.7	35.4	35.4	36.3	35.9	36.6	36.9	37.1	35.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..		12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹		11.5	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.6	11.5
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	Pound..		57.1	57.8	58.8	58.0	51.8	50.4	50.4	50.6	53.4	55.1	55.6	60.6	55.0
Cheese.....	do.....		28.8	28.7	28.6	28.7	28.0	27.7	27.5	27.7	28.0	28.1	28.5	27.9	28.2
Lard.....	do.....		37.4	37.3	36.9	36.5	36.6	36.5	35.7	36.1	36.9	37.3	37.8	38.0	36.9
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		17.8	16.9	16.8	16.2	16.1	16.1	16.2	16.6	16.7	17.3	17.3	17.1	16.8
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..		26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.2	26.2	26.5	26.2	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		54.0	38.9	28.6	27.8	27.4	26.5	30.6	33.6	40.4	45.7	55.1	57.6	38.9
Bread.....	Pound..		42.5	30.0								42.0	41.3	42.8	
Flour.....	do.....		8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8
Corn meal.....	do.....		5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.1	4.9	5.3
Rolled oats.....	do.....		3.7	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.7	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.9
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.2	9.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		10.9	10.8	10.7	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.8	9.5	9.9	9.7	10.1
Macaroni.....	Pound..		25.8	25.8	26.0	26.0	26.2	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.1	26.0	26.2	26.2	26.1
Rice.....	do.....		20.4	20.4	20.6	20.8	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	20.4	20.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....		12.6	12.6	12.7	12.7	12.0	12.6	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.1	12.0	12.3
Potatoes.....	do.....		8.2	8.1	7.9	7.8	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.5	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.3
Onions.....	do.....		3.9	3.5	3.3	3.5	4.6	6.6	4.1	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.7	3.7
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.4	5.2	5.7	7.6	10.2	9.8	8.8	7.2	6.1	4.9	4.6	4.6	6.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		4.4	4.7	5.2	6.0	10.1	13.1	5.5	4.6	4.2	4.5	4.3	4.0	5.9
Corn, canned.....	do.....		12.5	12.0	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.0	12.5
Peas, canned.....	do.....		14.2	14.4	14.7	14.6	14.0	14.0	13.8	14.1	13.9	13.9	14.3	14.4	14.2
Tomatoes, canned	do.....		15.5	15.5	15.1	15.3	14.9	15.1	14.7	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.8	14.8	15.0
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..		13.2	12.5	13.0	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	12.8	13.3	12.8	13.1
Tea.....	do.....		7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.8
Coffee.....	do.....		89.3	89.3	89.3	89.3	88.8	88.8	91.1	90.2	88.0	89.3	89.3	88.8	89.3
Prunes.....	do.....		51.1	50.6	50.0	49.3	48.9	49.0	48.7	48.6	47.9	47.3	48.2	48.4	49.0
Raisins.....	do.....		17.4	17.3	17.2	16.8	16.9	16.9	17.1	17.0	16.6	16.0	15.8	14.5	16.6
Bananas.....	Dozen..		14.6	14.6	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.8	14.2	13.8	14.4
Oranges.....	do.....		37.5	38.8	38.6	38.1	38.1	37.9	38.6	38.6	38.6	38.6	38.6	38.6	38.4
			50.8	52.1	51.5	51.7	54.5	50.5	50.0	56.2	54.0	62.9	52.9	52.2	53.3

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
DALLAS, TEX.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	22.3	33.8	33.8	35.1	36.2	36.8	35.8	35.8	36.1	36.3	36.2	36.2	36.2	35.7
Round steak.....	do.....	20.4	30.7	31.0	31.9	32.5	32.3	32.5	32.7	32.5	33.0	32.9	32.9	32.9	32.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.5	26.6	26.7	28.3	27.7	28.6	28.1	27.6	27.8	27.4	27.8	26.6	27.6	27.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.3	21.4	21.2	22.4	22.8	21.9	21.4	20.4	21.0	23.5	23.1	22.7	22.9	22.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	13.0	15.0	15.2	16.8	16.8	17.0	17.0	17.5	17.8	18.2	17.8	17.3	17.8	17.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.4	34.7	34.8	35.0	36.2	37.9	38.7	38.2	36.9	38.2	38.3	37.2	35.2	36.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	37.6	46.1	45.8	47.1	45.8	43.6	50.6	51.3	48.2	49.7	46.1	44.2	44.2	47.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	31.1	56.4	55.9	56.8	57.5	59.3	63.8	63.8	62.2	63.2	62.8	59.3	59.3	60.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	22.1	43.0	44.3	44.3	44.9	42.0	42.0	42.0	42.1	44.3	43.6	43.4	43.4	43.3
Hens.....	do.....	18.7	32.5	32.4	33.1	33.4	33.8	33.1	33.2	31.1	31.1	32.3	31.6	32.7	32.5
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		41.2	41.2	41.2	42.1	42.1	41.5	41.7	40.7	40.2	39.0	37.6	36.5	40.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	10.3	15.0	15.0	15.0	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	13.4	13.4	13.3	13.3	13.2	13.0	12.8	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.1
Butter.....	Pound..	38.4	55.7	54.5	54.0	51.6	48.9	49.5	49.5	50.4	52.8	53.0	56.7	57.8	52.8
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		34.1	34.1	34.1	34.1	33.8	33.8	33.8	33.6	33.9	33.9	32.5	33.0	33.7
Cheese.....	do.....	20.0	37.5	37.5	36.4	34.7	34.3	34.7	35.2	34.7	34.9	36.1	36.8	37.0	35.8
Lard.....	do.....	16.9	26.9	26.4	26.3	26.0	25.0	25.3	25.7	25.6	25.7	25.6	24.9	24.6	25.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		23.1	23.5	23.3	24.4	24.2	24.9	25.3	25.2	25.2	24.0	22.8	22.2	24.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	28.4	53.9	35.0	31.4	34.0	33.4	35.1	37.3	39.3	45.3	48.0	54.8	56.0	42.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		41.0										44.0	44.0	
Bread.....	Pound..	5.4	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.2
Flour.....	do.....	3.3	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.8
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.9	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....		10.1	10.1	10.2	10.6	10.0	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.2
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.1	11.1	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.1	10.8	10.9	11.2	11.1	11.3	11.4	11.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		27.3	27.1	27.3	27.5	27.4	27.4	27.3	27.1	27.6	27.6	27.6	27.6	27.4
Macaroni.....	Pound..		21.2	21.3	21.2	21.3	21.1	21.3	20.9	20.9	21.4	21.6	21.4	21.4	21.3
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	13.1	13.2	13.0	12.9	12.9	13.1	13.0	12.7	12.9	12.5	12.4	12.5	12.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....		11.4	11.3	11.0	10.7	10.1	10.3	10.3	10.1	10.5	10.1	10.7	10.8	10.6
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.2	6.3	6.1	6.3	6.9	7.0	6.0	5.7	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.9
Onions.....	do.....		7.4	7.3	7.2	7.8	8.1	6.6	5.4	5.3	6.0	6.5	6.8	6.5	6.7
Cabbage.....	do.....		7.7	7.3	7.0	5.7	5.4	5.2	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.7	5.4	5.9
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		14.3	14.3	14.3	14.0	13.9	13.3	13.2	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.5	13.4	13.7
Corn, canned.....	do.....		18.4	18.3	17.8	18.0	18.0	18.3	17.8	18.1	17.9	17.8	18.0	17.9	18.0
Peas, canned.....	do.....		21.4	21.1	21.4	21.7	21.6	21.4	21.9	22.1	21.4	21.9	21.7	21.7	21.6
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		12.6	12.1	11.9	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.8	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.8	7.7	7.7	8.1	7.7
Tea.....	do.....	66.7	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.2	103.2	104.7	104.7	106.8	105.8	105.8
Coffee.....	do.....	36.7	59.6	59.7	59.8	60.2	59.9	60.0	60.5	60.5	60.3	60.3	59.8	59.8	60.0
Prunes.....	do.....		21.1	20.6	20.2	21.1	20.9	21.1	21.3	21.4	21.1	21.5	21.4	20.9	21.1
Raisins.....	do.....		16.7	16.7	16.5	16.8	16.6	16.7	16.9	16.6	16.5	16.7	16.1	16.5	16.6
Bananas.....	Dozen..		38.3	36.7	33.3	31.7	35.0	35.0	33.8	33.8	33.8	36.3	36.3	33.8	34.8
Oranges.....	do.....		57.0	52.4	53.1	55.3	56.6	57.5	54.8	51.6	54.0	57.5	54.3	53.5	54.8

¹ 15-16 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

DALLAS, TEX.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	22.3	35.6	36.0	36.7	37.0	37.1	37.3	38.1	37.7	36.9	37.9	37.8	37.5	37.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.4	32.8	32.7	33.3	33.3	33.8	34.5	34.6	34.1	34.2	35.0	34.0	34.0	33.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	19.5	28.3	28.8	27.5	27.4	27.3	28.3	29.0	28.8	27.9	27.9	29.2	28.8	28.3
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.3	22.8	23.0	22.5	22.4	22.1	23.3	23.5	23.7	23.9	23.5	24.0	24.3	23.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	13.0	16.9	17.4	17.9	17.9	17.5	18.1	18.3	17.7	18.5	18.5	19.0	19.0	18.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	21.4	35.6	34.9	35.8	35.8	35.8	35.4	35.8	35.6	37.4	39.1	36.5	36.5	36.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	37.6	44.6	44.0	47.1	47.5	46.2	45.3	45.3	46.2	47.0	47.9	48.9	48.9	46.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	31.1	58.3	58.9	59.9	59.9	59.5	57.4	57.4	57.1	56.2	54.8	55.0	54.0	57.4
Hens.....	do.....	22.1	44.2	44.2	45.0	46.4	44.3	44.3	46.4	45.0	43.4	44.1	43.3	44.2	44.6
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	18.7	33.5	32.6	32.6	32.8	31.8	31.5	31.7	30.7	30.7	31.7	32.1	32.9	32.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	36.2	36.2	34.9	34.8	34.6	34.1	33.4	33.9	35.9	37.2	37.9	38.9	39.7	36.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	10.3	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	11.0	11.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.7
Butter.....	Pound..	13.0	13.1	13.3	13.3	13.1	13.1	13.3	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.2	13.5	13.5	13.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	57.0	56.1	56.1	54.8	50.5	49.3	50.3	50.2	52.1	55.4	56.7	57.5	53.8	53.8
Cheese.....	do.....	31.7	31.8	30.5	30.9	30.7	31.0	30.7	30.5	30.6	30.3	30.4	31.2	30.9	30.9
Lard.....	do.....	20.0	37.6	37.7	37.4	37.0	36.9	36.9	37.1	36.8	38.9	38.3	38.8	38.7	37.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	16.9	23.6	21.8	21.2	21.7	22.1	21.8	22.4	23.4	23.3	23.9	22.9	23.2	22.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	22.3	22.1	23.4	23.3	22.6	22.7	23.0	23.7	23.4	23.6	24.5	24.6	23.3	23.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	28.4	47.1	34.7	27.9	28.8	27.7	27.3	30.6	35.3	43.0	46.2	48.8	56.4	37.8
Bread.....	Pound..	39.0	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	35.0	40.0	9.5	9.5
Flour.....	do.....	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.3	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....	2.9	10.0	10.1	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.9	10.5	10.3	10.5	10.7	10.4	10.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.6	11.7	11.6	11.3	11.1	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.9
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	27.3	27.3	27.8	27.8	27.8	27.9	27.9	27.2	27.2	27.6	27.8	27.8	27.8	27.6
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.5	21.3	22.1	22.1	21.9	21.4	21.8	21.5	21.5	21.7	21.5	21.7	21.7	21.7
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	11.9	12.4	11.4	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.4	11.6	11.7	12.3	12.0	11.8	11.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	11.0	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.6	11.1	11.0	11.2	10.9	11.3	11.3	10.9	10.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.2	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.3	6.2	6.5	5.9	5.6	5.0	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.4
Onions.....	do.....	7.0	7.3	8.1	9.0	8.7	9.0	8.4	7.9	7.4	6.9	7.0	6.7	7.8	7.8
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.6	5.0	5.3	5.4	7.0	9.5	7.6	6.4	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.5	6.2	6.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	13.5	13.5	13.8	13.5	13.5	13.1	12.9	13.2	13.0	13.2	13.1	12.7	13.3	13.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....	18.3	18.2	18.4	18.2	18.2	18.3	18.1	18.6	18.4	18.4	18.9	18.8	18.4	18.4
Peas, canned.....	do.....	21.8	21.5	22.0	21.7	22.0	22.0	21.7	22.1	21.4	21.5	22.2	22.1	21.8	21.8
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	12.8	12.8	13.1	12.9	12.7	13.1	13.1	12.6	12.6	12.5	13.2	13.2	12.9	12.9
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.8	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.2	8.0	8.2	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.0	8.1
Tea.....	do.....	66.7	106.2	106.2	106.8	106.6	106.1	106.7	105.9	107.5	107.1	107.5	107.8	107.5	106.7
Coffee.....	do.....	36.7	60.3	60.3	59.7	58.9	58.1	58.1	57.7	66.7	57.1	57.1	57.8	58.2	58.2
Prunes.....	do.....	20.5	20.1	21.0	20.9	20.4	21.0	21.8	20.7	21.1	18.6	18.9	19.8	20.4	20.4
Raisins.....	do.....	16.1	16.5	15.8	15.8	16.5	16.0	16.5	16.5	16.3	15.7	15.8	15.6	16.1	16.1
Bananas.....	Dozen..	33.8	36.3	36.3	33.8	37.5	33.8	36.3	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.2
Oranges.....	do.....	54.1	55.9	52.9	50.4	50.1	49.9	48.7	53.2	54.7	54.0	54.3	51.6	52.5	52.5

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
DENVER, COLO.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	23.5	31.3	32.6	32.6	32.6	33.8	35.2	36.0	35.7	34.9	33.6	33.0	32.3	33.6
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.9	27.6	28.4	28.5	28.6	29.6	31.6	32.6	32.4	31.6	30.2	29.7	29.6	30.0
Chuck roast.....	do.....	17.2	23.2	23.4	23.3	24.2	24.4	25.1	25.1	24.8	24.3	24.0	23.1	23.9	24.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	15.3	18.2	18.2	18.5	19.0	19.5	20.3	20.7	20.5	19.7	19.5	19.0	18.7	19.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	9.5	11.1	11.6	11.8	11.9	11.6	11.8	11.8	11.5	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	19.5	33.4	34.2	33.5	36.4	39.1	39.7	39.9	39.1	39.4	40.6	37.7	34.0	37.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.3	49.3	49.1	50.0	50.2	49.1	52.4	53.5	53.0	52.6	53.3	52.0	50.6	51.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	30.2	54.5	53.6	55.0	54.3	55.9	59.5	60.8	61.9	61.5	60.8	59.9	58.4	58.0
Hens.....	do.....	16.4	36.2	35.5	34.7	35.3	36.8	37.5	39.4	37.3	37.8	35.8	35.5	35.6	36.5
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	20.3	31.8	32.6	32.4	35.7	36.0	33.8	32.6	32.3	30.2	29.8	31.3	31.3	32.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.4	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹ Pound..	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.0	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.4	10.9
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes.).....	do.....	37.3	50.6	49.2	49.1	46.4	45.4	45.9	44.4	44.5	44.9	49.0	49.1	52.8	47.6
Cheese.....	do.....	29.8	28.5	29.1	29.2	29.2	29.4	29.2	29.1	29.0	29.0	29.0	28.5	26.5	28.9
Lard.....	do.....	26.1	39.3	38.6	38.5	38.2	37.6	36.9	37.2	36.4	37.0	37.4	37.5	37.6	37.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	16.2	23.7	22.9	22.8	21.7	22.5	23.4	23.7	23.2	22.8	22.6	21.8	20.8	22.7
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	23.4	23.2	23.7	23.7	23.8	24.9	25.4	25.1	25.2	25.2	24.3	23.8	23.4	24.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	32.0	49.4	37.3	32.2	35.0	35.0	36.1	37.8	40.2	46.1	55.6	63.9	64.6	44.4
Bread.....	Pound..	33.9	30.6	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3
Flour.....	do.....	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.9
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.6	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.1	4.2
Rolled oats.....	do.....	2.5	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.6	8.2	8.5	8.3	8.0	8.1	8.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.8	11.7	11.2	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.4
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	26.0	25.8	25.9	25.7	26.0	25.4	24.8	25.0	24.8	24.9	24.7	24.5	25.3	
Macaroni.....	Pound..	19.1	18.9	18.7	18.8	20.5	20.5	20.6	20.4	20.3	19.7	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.8
Rice.....	do.....	8.6	11.6	11.9	11.9	12.0	11.7	11.6	11.4	11.5	11.2	10.6	10.5	10.1	11.3
Beans, navy.....	do.....	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.9	9.6	9.7	9.6	10.0	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.4	4.8	4.8	4.7	5.9	5.2	4.8	3.7	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.7	3.7	4.2
Onions.....	do.....	4.7	4.9	4.9	5.6	7.2	7.2	6.5	5.3	4.3	3.7	3.6	3.5	5.1	
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.3	4.6	6.2	6.5	5.2	5.9	3.5	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.4	3.0	4.1	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	13.3	13.2	13.3	12.4	12.2	12.3	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.4	11.2	11.2	12.2	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.6	15.4	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.0	14.9	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.3	15.1	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.1	16.1	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.5	15.5	15.6	15.7	15.8	15.6	15.5	15.8	
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.3	13.1	12.5	12.6	12.2	12.3	12.1	12.5	12.5	12.9	
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	5.5	6.7	7.0	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	8.0	7.4
Tea.....	do.....	52.8	67.7	67.5	67.1	66.9	67.1	68.9	69.8	69.6	69.5	69.3	68.9	68.5	68.4
Coffee.....	do.....	29.4	52.3	52.2	51.8	52.7	51.9	51.5	51.5	51.2	51.6	51.0	50.9	51.5	51.7
Prunes.....	do.....	18.4	18.8	18.4	18.3	18.1	17.8	17.9	18.4	18.4	18.3	17.8	17.5	18.2	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.3	14.4	14.6	14.9	14.8	14.9	14.7	14.9	14.7	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.6	
Bananas.....	do.....	12.1	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.9	12.0	11.5	11.1	10.8	11.5	11.9	12.1	11.9	
Oranges.....	Dozen..	43.9	44.8	45.2	49.6	47.5	58.0	41.1	43.6	42.5	50.0	54.8	51.0	47.7	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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DENVER, COLO.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	23.5	32.5	33.0	32.8	33.6	34.8	36.0	36.6	35.5	35.5	34.9	34.4	35.2	34.6
Round steak.....	do.....	20.9	29.2	29.7	29.7	29.7	32.0	32.9	32.8	32.0	30.0	31.4	32.3	31.3	
Rib roast.....	do.....	17.2	24.0	24.1	23.7	24.3	25.1	26.3	26.0	25.6	25.3	24.8	25.5	26.5	25.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.3	18.9	19.3	18.9	19.6	20.4	21.0	21.3	20.9	20.7	20.3	20.1	21.1	20.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	9.5	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.4	12.0	12.2	12.0	12.2	12.2	12.4	12.5	13.2	12.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	19.5	33.7	32.0	33.7	33.5	33.0	30.9	31.3	34.9	37.4	38.2	35.1	30.7	33.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	28.3	60.0	49.7	50.3	47.9	48.4	46.7	46.2	46.2	47.3	46.3	45.4	44.7	47.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	30.2	57.4	56.6	57.6	57.1	57.4	55.5	53.4	51.8	51.6	51.5	52.1	52.8	54.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	16.4	35.2	35.4	35.5	37.2	37.8	37.8	37.8	37.0	36.8	36.2	36.2	35.8	36.6
Hens.....	do.....	20.3	32.1	32.2	33.3	34.2	33.0	29.4	30.3	29.4	28.1	28.5	28.4	30.7	
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		33.5	33.5	33.8	33.5	32.7	32.5	32.6	33.8	34.5	35.8	36.5	37.4	34.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.4	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹ Pound..		10.4	10.5	10.3	10.4	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.6
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	37.3	53.5	53.4	54.3	54.1	48.1	46.8	45.1	43.7	48.3	50.9	51.2	54.3	50.3
	do.....		25.2	25.0	24.8	24.8	24.8	25.0	25.0	24.9	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.7	24.8
Cheese.....	do.....	26.1	37.7	37.9	38.3	37.3	37.2	36.8	36.8	37.1	37.9	39.0	39.4	40.1	38.0
Lard.....	do.....	16.2	20.4	20.0	20.3	19.9	19.6	19.1	19.2	19.0	19.1	19.8	19.8	19.3	19.6
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		22.8	22.2	22.3	22.2	21.5	22.3	22.3	22.6	22.4	22.2	22.5	22.7	22.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	32.0	52.4	36.9	33.4	30.8	30.0	29.1	33.1	37.5	40.7	54.6	57.7	56.5	41.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		41.9	30.0								40.5	41.0	41.5	
Bread.....	Pound..	5.4	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
Flour.....	do.....	2.6	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.5	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....		7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.7
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		10.9	10.9	10.8	10.3	10.0	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.7	9.5	9.5	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		25.0	24.8	24.8	24.7	24.8	24.8	24.6	24.6	24.8	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..		19.8	20.0	19.6	20.0	19.6	19.6	19.9	19.7	19.7	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.7
Rice.....	do.....	8.6	10.5	10.3	10.1	10.1	9.9	9.7	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.7	9.4	9.6	9.3	9.8	10.1	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.0	9.5	9.4	9.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.4	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.6	4.7	7.1	4.6	3.2	2.5	2.0	2.1	2.1	3.6
Onions.....	do.....		3.9	4.3	4.4	5.9	7.5	8.5	7.7	6.1	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.8	5.4
Cabbage.....	do.....		3.7	3.9	4.2	5.1	7.5	10.3	3.5	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.7	3.0	4.3
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		11.1	11.3	11.4	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.0	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9	11.1
Corn, canned.....	do.....		14.3	13.9	13.3	13.9	13.9	13.7	13.5	14.1	13.9	14.0	13.9	14.1	13.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....		15.5	15.2	15.1	14.6	14.8	15.0	14.7	14.8	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.3	15.0
Tomatoes, canned	do.....		12.7	12.3	12.4	11.7	11.6	11.7	11.4	12.0	11.9	12.2	12.1	11.9	12.0
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	5.5	8.0	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.7	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.8
Tea.....	do.....	52.8	68.5	69.0	68.8	69.0	69.0	68.8	68.8	69.2	68.0	70.3	69.6	67.2	68.9
Coffee.....	do.....	29.4	51.2	50.7	50.2	49.5	49.5	49.2	49.2	48.9	48.9	47.9	48.4	49.4	49.4
Prunes.....	do.....		16.4	16.1	16.5	16.2	16.1	15.9	16.3	15.7	14.8	14.9	14.5	14.3	15.6
Raisins.....	do.....		14.5	14.4	14.3	14.5	14.6	14.3	14.2	14.0	14.0	14.1	13.6	13.6	14.2
Bananas.....	do.....		9.4	12.0	11.8	10.5	10.4	11.1	10.8	10.9	10.3	11.4	11.9	11.2	11.0
Oranges.....	Dozen..		45.3	47.9	48.7	48.4	45.8	43.4	44.0	44.6	48.5	46.8	51.9	55.8	47.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
DETROIT, MICH.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1926												Aver- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	24.6	41.0	40.5	40.3	40.4	41.5	42.4	42.7	43.0	43.0	42.0	41.6	4.14	41.7
Round steak.....	do.	19.8	33.5	32.8	33.1	34.0	34.8	35.4	35.8	35.8	35.3	34.5	34.3	33.6	34.4
Rib roast.....	do.	19.6	30.1	29.8	29.7	30.0	30.8	30.7	31.0	31.3	30.5	30.1	30.7	30.9	30.5
Chuck roast.....	do.	15.1	22.5	22.8	22.4	22.7	22.6	23.2	23.5	23.3	23.0	22.9	22.5	22.9	22.9
Plate beef.....	do.	11.2	14.2	14.0	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.4	14.6	14.4	14.2	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.3
Pork chops.....	do.	19.6	39.4	37.5	38.9	40.6	42.4	44.4	43.3	41.6	46.4	45.7	41.0	38.3	41.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.	23.3	50.7	50.6	50.4	51.1	52.0	54.8	54.8	54.3	54.7	54.7	54.3	51.8	52.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.	26.1	57.7	58.3	58.5	59.2	60.9	64.2	64.4	64.2	65.0	64.6	63.5	61.5	61.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.	16.7	42.0	41.3	39.6	39.1	41.6	44.8	43.8	41.0	41.2	39.9	38.9	38.9	41.0
Hens.....	do.	20.6	42.0	41.9	41.9	43.2	43.8	42.8	41.3	40.0	39.7	39.2	37.2	37.6	40.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.	---	39.6	39.6	39.5	39.8	39.8	39.9	39.8	39.3	37.0	35.7	35.5	35.3	38.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.4	14.0	14.0	14.3	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	---	11.2	11.2	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.1
Butter.....	Pound..	37.0	54.8	54.4	54.2	51.1	51.3	51.0	50.3	51.0	53.1	54.9	56.8	60.9	53.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.	---	30.3	30.4	30.0	29.5	29.0	28.8	28.8	28.6	28.6	28.9	28.4	28.6	29.2
Cheese.....	do.	21.2	37.5	37.5	37.7	37.5	37.4	36.4	36.2	36.1	37.9	38.1	38.8	39.0	37.5
Lard.....	do.	16.2	23.0	22.7	22.5	22.0	22.2	22.6	23.0	22.5	22.6	22.1	21.1	20.6	22.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.	---	27.2	27.2	27.1	27.3	27.3	27.1	27.2	27.2	27.1	27.1	27.4	27.2	27.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	31.4	57.1	45.6	41.1	39.6	39.0	40.8	41.3	43.3	48.0	56.9	66.1	66.5	48.8
Eggs, storage.....	do.	---	42.3	29.2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	43.4	46.6	44.9	---
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	8.7	8.7	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.5	8.4	8.4
Flour.....	do.	3.1	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.9
Corn meal.....	do.	2.8	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8
Rolled oats.....	do.	---	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	---	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz.	---	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.9	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.9	25.8	26.0	26.0	25.9
Macaroni.....	Pound..	---	21.9	21.8	21.9	21.8	21.9	21.9	21.7	21.6	22.3	22.4	21.9	21.9	21.9
Rice.....	do.	8.4	12.0	12.2	12.3	12.2	12.1	12.3	12.1	12.2	12.7	13.4	12.6	12.8	12.4
Beans, navy.....	do.	---	8.9	8.7	8.5	8.2	8.3	8.2	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.4
Potatoes.....	do.	1.5	5.7	5.2	5.3	6.2	5.2	5.0	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.2	3.3	3.3	4.4
Onions.....	do.	---	5.4	5.6	5.5	6.2	7.6	7.4	7.0	5.2	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.5	5.7
Cabbage.....	do.	---	6.3	6.3	7.6	7.4	6.3	6.1	4.9	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.7	4.1	5.4
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	---	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.9	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7
Corn, canned.....	do.	---	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.4	15.8	15.9	16.5	16.6	16.2	16.2	16.0
Peas, canned.....	do.	---	16.6	16.4	16.7	16.8	16.5	16.4	16.1	16.3	17.3	17.2	16.7	17.0	16.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.	---	13.2	12.6	12.6	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.7	11.8	11.7	12.4	12.5	12.6	12.2
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.2	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.1
Tea.....	do.	43.3	71.6	73.3	73.3	73.3	73.3	71.8	73.3	73.3	74.4	75.3	74.5	73.4	73.4
Coffee.....	do.	29.3	52.0	52.1	51.9	51.9	51.9	51.8	51.5	51.5	52.1	52.0	51.5	51.6	51.8
Prunes.....	do.	---	18.5	18.4	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.3	18.4	18.8	19.2	19.2	18.3	17.9	18.4
Raisins.....	do.	---	15.5	15.1	15.2	15.0	15.2	15.4	15.6	15.7	15.8	15.4	15.0	14.8	15.3
Bananas.....	Dozen..	---	35.0	35.0	36.8	33.8	35.3	36.4	35.0	35.0	33.9	34.8	35.6	36.9	35.3
Oranges.....	do.	---	49.9	48.1	50.1	52.4	54.7	51.8	50.8	53.0	52.6	58.0	60.5	55.2	53.1

¹15-16 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

DETROIT, MICH.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1927												Av- er- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	41.1	40.9	41.0	41.7	42.4	42.3	43.9	44.3	44.8	44.4	43.9	45.0	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	19.8	33.8	34.3	34.7	35.5	36.0	36.1	36.8	37.9	37.6	37.3	36.6	37.1	36.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.5	30.0	31.0	30.9	31.5	32.0	32.5	32.7	32.9	32.8	32.8	32.3	33.5	32.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.1	22.7	23.0	23.0	23.3	23.7	23.9	24.5	25.1	25.1	25.4	25.3	25.8	24.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.2	14.7	14.4	14.3	14.6	14.5	14.4	14.7	15.1	15.3	15.2	15.1	16.2	14.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	19.5	38.2	37.1	38.0	38.6	37.5	34.9	35.7	40.3	44.8	44.5	37.1	32.1	38.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	23.3	51.0	50.5	50.5	50.0	50.4	49.6	48.2	48.2	48.5	47.9	47.4	45.3	49.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	26.1	61.0	60.9	60.2	61.1	60.2	58.8	58.3	58.4	55.8	56.0	54.6	54.6	58.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	16.7	38.0	37.8	39.4	41.4	42.1	42.3	41.6	40.7	38.9	39.1	38.0	37.9	39.8
Hens.....	do.....	20.6	39.6	40.3	40.5	41.0	40.0	38.2	37.2	36.9	36.7	36.5	37.4	37.0	38.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	34.1	33.8	33.3	32.9	32.6	31.9	32.3	33.5	35.0	35.5	35.9	35.9	35.9	33.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	8.4	14.2	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.4	11.3	
Butter.....	Pound.....	37.0	59.2	60.1	60.2	60.1	53.7	53.0	52.0	51.9	55.3	56.8	57.1	59.8	56.6
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	29.4	29.1	28.7	28.8	28.0	27.6	27.4	26.6	26.8	26.8	27.8	27.3	26.9	27.9
Cheese.....	do.....	21.2	39.1	38.8	37.9	38.1	38.0	38.7	38.5	39.1	39.4	40.3	40.9	41.2	39.2
Lard.....	do.....	16.2	19.7	19.2	19.0	19.0	18.7	18.8	18.9	18.9	19.4	19.5	19.3	19.2	19.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.2	27.2	27.1	27.1	27.1	26.9	27.1	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.8	27.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen.....	31.4	58.4	48.3	33.7	32.9	34.2	34.2	36.0	40.9	47.8	54.3	63.3	62.8	45.6
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	43.4	34.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	41.5	41.6	43.2	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.6	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.4
Flour.....	do.....	3.1	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.1	5.3	5.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.8	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.8	6.0	6.1	6.5	6.0	6.0	6.1	5.8	5.6	5.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.9	10.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	25.8	25.9	26.0	25.6	25.9	25.7	25.5	25.5	25.7	25.9	25.8	25.6	25.7	
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	22.0	21.9	21.9	22.2	22.1	22.3	22.3	22.4	22.1	22.3	22.3	22.3	21.7	22.1
Rice.....	do.....	8.4	12.3	12.1	12.0	12.1	12.1	11.7	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.4	11.4	11.2	11.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.3	8.2	8.0	8.0	7.9	8.5	8.4	8.6	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.5	
Potatoes.....	do.....	3.3	2.9	2.9	2.9	4.1	5.9	3.7	2.9	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.5	3.3	
Onions.....	do.....	4.8	4.9	5.3	6.5	8.8	9.5	7.6	5.9	4.7	4.4	4.0	4.1	5.9	
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.1	4.7	5.3	5.1	9.8	10.4	4.7	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.4	5.1	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	11.2	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.4	11.5	11.7	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.3	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.9	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.4	16.5	16.2	16.0	16.1	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.5	16.6	16.7	16.5	16.5	16.8	17.0	16.9	17.2	17.0	17.1	16.8	16.8	
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.5	12.6	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.2	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.5	
Tea.....	do.....	43.3	74.0	74.0	73.8	73.8	75.2	75.5	75.5	75.5	74.5	74.5	73.0	72.7	74.3
Coffee.....	do.....	29.3	51.1	50.4	50.8	50.1	50.1	49.2	48.5	48.3	47.8	47.6	48.3	48.5	49.2
Prunes.....	do.....	18.5	17.6	17.5	17.2	17.4	18.2	18.2	17.1	16.7	16.4	14.9	15.0	17.1	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.8	14.9	14.8	14.8	15.1	15.2	15.3	15.0	14.8	14.3	13.9	13.8	14.7	
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	36.3	35.6	36.3	35.0	35.4	33.9	34.4	33.9	35.0	34.8	34.7	36.1	35.1	
Oranges.....	do.....	53.6	53.0	55.1	53.5	55.9	57.1	55.8	56.9	60.1	68.7	64.2	58.0	57.7	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH FALL RIVER, MASS.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound..	Cts. 34.0	Cts. 60.9	Cts. 60.1	Cts. 60.2	Cts. 59.4	Cts. 61.0	Cts. 61.0	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 60.0	Cts. 60.9	Cts. 60.7	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 60.5
Round steak.....	do.....	26.8	46.1	45.4	45.4	44.1	46.1	46.9	45.5	46.6	46.5	46.5	46.5	46.0	46.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	23.2	31.6	31.4	31.2	31.3	31.9	31.9	31.6	31.8	31.8	31.2	31.9	31.2	31.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	18.1	22.9	22.5	22.3	22.5	23.2	22.6	22.8	22.8	22.4	22.5	22.5	22.6	22.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	13.3	13.2	13.2	13.1	12.9	13.0	13.9	13.6	13.9	13.7	13.7	14.0	13.6	13.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.2	36.7	36.3	36.9	38.0	39.5	41.2	40.5	39.2	40.8	43.9	40.7	38.5	39.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.5	45.4	45.1	44.8	44.5	45.7	45.8	46.6	46.2	46.5	46.5	46.7	45.7	45.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	31.0	51.8	53.2	53.2	53.6	54.2	58.7	57.3	59.4	58.4	58.4	57.4	56.9	56.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.8	41.3	42.1	40.8	41.6	42.5	45.9	45.8	42.5	42.2	42.3	42.1	41.8	42.6
Hens.....	do.....	24.7	42.8	42.6	43.1	42.9	46.3	46.0	45.6	43.3	43.0	43.0	43.9	43.6	43.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	38.0	37.8	38.5	38.9	39.3	39.5	40.1	39.7	38.8	37.3	37.2	36.8	38.5	38.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	9.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.5	14.1	14.2	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.9	14.2
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.7	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.7
Butter.....	Pound..	36.9	55.7	55.0	53.8	51.7	49.7	49.5	50.0	50.4	51.3	52.1	53.1	54.9	52.3
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.0	30.4
Cheese.....	do.....	23.5	39.1	39.0	40.3	39.1	37.7	38.3	38.0	38.5	37.9	38.4	38.5	38.5	38.6
Lard.....	do.....	15.1	21.7	21.4	20.1	20.1	20.4	21.0	21.8	21.7	21.3	21.3	20.0	19.3	20.9
Vegetable lard substitutes.....	do.....	27.0	27.6	27.6	27.1	27.0	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.9	27.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	41.6	70.9	60.5	53.6	46.1	49.0	52.2	53.2	62.0	68.2	73.9	87.9	88.9	63.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	47.3	37.9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	49.2	50.9	50.0	---
Bread.....	Pound..	6.2	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2
Flour.....	do.....	3.3	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.5	7.6	7.1	7.1	7.2	6.9	6.9	6.5	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.7	6.9
Rolls oats.....	do.....	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.5
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	26.1	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.5	25.5	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.6	25.3	25.6
Macaroni.....	Pound..	24.4	24.6	24.6	24.5	24.8	24.2	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.5	23.8	23.7	24.4
Rice.....	do.....	10.0	12.2	11.9	12.1	12.2	12.4	12.4	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.6	11.7	11.5	12.0
Beans, navy.....	do.....	10.6	10.5	10.3	10.2	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.8	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.9	6.3	6.2	5.9	7.3	6.1	4.9	3.9	3.0	3.2	3.5	4.0	3.9	4.9
Onions.....	do.....	---	6.1	6.2	5.9	6.2	8.3	8.6	7.9	6.3	5.3	4.9	4.9	5.1	6.3
Cabbage.....	do.....	---	5.9	7.9	8.6	8.8	7.9	8.1	5.6	3.8	3.6	3.9	3.9	4.4	6.0
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.	12.0	12.3	12.0	12.1	12.3	12.0	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.2	12.2	12.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....	---	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.2	16.8	16.8	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.6	17.1	17.1	16.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....	---	18.4	18.6	18.6	18.7	19.0	18.8	18.9	18.9	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	---	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.6	12.7	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.2
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	6.7	6.9	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.4	6.9
Tea.....	do.....	44.2	62.8	60.3	60.3	60.3	59.6	60.0	60.3	60.3	59.9	60.7	60.7	60.4	60.5
Coffee.....	do.....	33.0	53.2	53.4	53.5	53.7	52.4	52.4	52.5	52.5	52.7	52.5	52.7	52.3	52.8
Prunes.....	do.....	---	15.6	15.7	15.9	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.8	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.6	15.7
Raisins.....	do.....	---	14.4	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.3	14.2	14.6	14.5	14.0	14.3	14.6	14.3
Bananas.....	do.....	---	10.0	10.4	10.5	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.4	9.6	9.8	10.2	9.8
Oranges.....	Dozen..	---	49.6	46.6	50.0	55.2	55.3	49.7	46.3	48.5	49.5	56.4	58.6	45.9	51.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "rump" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

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FALL RIVER, MASS.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound..	Cts. 34.0	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 60.7	Cts. 62.2	Cts. 62.4	Cts. 66.9	Cts. 66.3	Cts. 65.3	Cts. 66.3	Cts. 65.4	Cts. 67.9	Cts. 63.7	
Round steak.....	do.....	26.8	45.4	45.8	45.2	46.6	47.4	46.7	50.2	49.7	49.4	49.1	50.0	51.2	48.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	23.2	31.0	31.0	31.8	31.9	32.6	32.6	34.1	34.4	33.6	34.0	33.8	35.4	33.0
Chuck roast.....	do.....	18.1	22.9	22.8	22.8	23.2	23.7	23.8	25.2	25.1	25.3	25.4	25.5	25.8	24.3
Plate beef.....	do.....	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.3	13.3	13.9	13.9	15.0	14.7	15.0	15.7	14.0	
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.2	36.7	36.1	37.1	37.6	37.3	35.3	35.4	37.0	39.5	41.9	37.1	34.6	37.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.5	45.3	44.6	44.9	44.4	44.6	44.6	43.9	43.6	43.1	43.8	42.9	42.3	44.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	31.0	56.7	55.6	56.3	56.3	56.0	54.4	53.9	52.9	52.9	52.7	52.7	53.2	54.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.8	41.2	40.5	41.2	41.5	42.4	44.2	43.8	42.3	41.5	40.9	40.6	40.9	41.8
Hens.....	do.....	24.7	43.2	43.2	43.2	44.0	42.2	42.7	41.9	42.7	43.7	43.6	43.6	42.4	43.0
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	36.2	35.2	35.1	35.4	35.6	33.8	34.7	34.8	34.8	34.5	35.4	35.4	35.5	35.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	9.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.4
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.8	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.7
Butter.....	Pound..	36.9	56.4	56.9	57.6	58.2	53.0	52.1	50.9	51.9	52.6	54.4	53.8	54.6	54.4
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	30.0	30.0	30.8	30.8	30.8	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.8	29.7	28.8	28.8	30.2
Cheese.....	do.....	23.5	38.8	39.3	39.2	39.5	39.5	39.3	39.3	40.4	40.4	40.7	40.2	40.6	39.8
Lard.....	do.....	15.1	18.6	18.4	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.2	18.1	18.1	18.8	18.9	18.7	18.4	18.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	26.9	26.6	26.6	26.6	26.6	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.3	26.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	41.6	73.8	60.3	48.4	42.8	44.5	43.9	49.8	56.3	68.5	76.4	85.9	88.1	61.6
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	50.7	38.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	46.9	45.6	46.8	-----	-----
Bread.....	Pound..	6.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	8.9	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1
Flour.....	do.....	3.3	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.5	6.5	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.7
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.7	9.7	9.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.3	11.3	11.3	10.7	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.5
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.0	25.3	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	24.6	25.0	25.1
Macaroni.....	Pound..	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.2	24.5	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2	23.5	24.0	24.3
Rice.....	do.....	10.0	11.8	11.8	11.6	11.5	11.1	10.6	10.8	11.0	11.1	10.8	1.06	10.7	11.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	10.0	10.3	10.4	10.6	10.8	10.8	10.4	10.2	10.3	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.9	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.4	4.2	5.7	3.6	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.6
Onions.....	do.....	5.3	5.5	6.4	7.4	9.4	9.9	8.7	7.0	5.5	5.1	5.0	5.0	6.7	
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.9	6.4	6.6	6.7	10.8	11.1	5.7	4.7	4.5	4.9	4.9	4.8	6.4	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.	12.0	12.3	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.3	12.2	12.1	11.5	11.9	12.4	11.6	12.1	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.5	16.3	16.3	16.3	15.9	15.9	16.2	16.5	16.3	17.0	16.4	16.1	16.3	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	18.6	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.5	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.5	17.9	17.5	18.2	
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.1	12.4	12.4	13.1	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.3
Tea.....	do.....	44.2	61.2	61.2	60.8	63.8	63.8	63.8	63.8	63.8	63.8	63.7	63.2	63.1	
Coffee.....	do.....	33.0	52.0	51.8	51.6	51.2	49.0	49.2	48.5	48.7	48.8	48.5	48.8	48.9	49.8
Prunes.....	do.....	15.4	15.2	15.3	15.1	15.0	15.1	14.8	14.8	14.5	14.8	14.1	14.1	14.9	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.1	14.0	13.9	14.0	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.2	13.5	13.8	13.9	
Bananas.....	do.....	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.0	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	9.8	10.3	10.3	9.9	
Oranges.....	Dozen..	46.5	48.4	47.3	49.2	50.2	51.8	53.2	54.0	54.6	62.9	56.7	60.5	52.1	

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "rump" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
HOUSTON, TEX.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts. 31.7	Cts. 32.9	Cts. 32.8	Cts. 33.2	Cts. 33.2	Cts. 32.8	Cts. 34.0	Cts. 33.2	Cts. 33.8	Cts. 33.8	Cts. 34.1	Cts. 34.9	Cts. 33.4
Round steak.....	do.....		30.0	31.7	31.5	31.9	31.9	31.5	32.8	31.5	32.0	32.7	32.7	33.1	31.9
Rib roast.....	do.....		25.0	26.0	25.8	26.3	26.3	26.7	26.3	25.8	27.1	26.8	27.1	27.5	26.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....		19.0	19.8	20.8	20.0	20.2	20.2	20.3	20.0	21.0	20.5	20.5	20.2	20.2
Plate beef.....	do.....		16.2	17.8	17.5	18.2	17.5	17.9	17.5	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.9	17.5
Pork chops.....	do.....		34.6	33.6	35.6	36.3	37.5	38.3	38.3	37.1	37.9	39.3	38.6	36.4	37.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		48.9	49.2	49.5	49.3	49.4	50.8	52.2	52.2	51.8	52.1	51.5	51.1	50.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	52.1	53.3	57.1	56.7	57.1	57.1	57.1	56.8	54.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		36.0	36.0	37.0	36.0	37.0	35.0	37.0	36.0	35.7	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.9
Hens.....	do.....		37.4	38.8	39.4	39.5	39.2	35.2	35.0	35.3	40.5	39.9	36.1	35.6	37.7
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		35.1	35.4	36.0	36.5	37.1	37.1	37.1	36.7	36.4	34.1	33.1	32.5	35.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		17.3	17.3	15.5	16.0	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.8	15.8	16.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.5	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5
Butter.....	Pound.....		54.9	54.6	51.3	47.8	46.9	48.7	48.9	49.1	52.2	54.4	55.2	58.1	51.8
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		31.5	31.5	31.5	31.6	31.2	30.5	30.5	29.9	29.7	29.9	30.0	29.9	30.6
Cheese.....	do.....		34.5	34.4	33.3	31.4	30.9	30.4	30.6	31.8	31.9	33.2	33.9	34.1	32.5
Lard.....	do.....		24.7	24.3	23.3	22.5	22.2	23.3	23.8	23.7	22.6	22.3	22.3	21.5	23.0
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		17.4	17.7	17.8	18.5	19.4	20.5	21.2	20.6	21.0	19.0	17.6	17.1	19.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		49.4	30.7	28.7	33.2	32.8	34.7	36.8	37.2	41.8	47.4	51.3	52.3	39.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		40.5	28.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	40.7	40.6	42.4	-----	-----
Bread.....	Pound.....		9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9
Flour.....	do.....		6.0	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.9
Corn meal.....	do.....		4.2	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....		9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.4	11.6	11.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		25.7	25.8	25.8	25.8	26.0	25.8	25.8	25.4	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.4	25.7
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		18.9	18.3	18.3	18.0	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.4	18.4	18.3	18.7	18.4
Rice.....	do.....		9.8	9.6	10.0	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.5	9.0	9.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....		10.0	10.0	10.1	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.2	9.4	9.3	9.6
Potatoes.....	do.....		6.3	5.9	5.8	6.4	6.4	5.7	5.3	4.9	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.5
Onions.....	do.....		6.3	6.2	5.6	7.3	6.5	5.7	5.5	5.5	4.9	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.8
Cabbage.....	do.....		7.0	6.3	5.6	5.8	3.7	3.9	4.5	4.9	4.9	4.8	5.1	5.2	5.1
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		12.4	12.3	12.0	12.0	11.6	11.6	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.2	11.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.8	15.5	15.6	16.2	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.5	14.9	14.9	15.0	14.1	15.4
Peas, canned.....	do.....		14.6	14.6	14.4	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.1	13.6	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.2
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		10.8	10.6	10.4	10.2	10.2	9.8	9.8	10.0	10.1	11.0	11.3	11.5	10.5
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		6.8	6.9	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.9	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9
Tea.....	do.....		83.0	81.6	81.6	81.6	80.8	80.8	81.7	82.8	82.8	82.7	82.7	82.7	81.9
Coffee.....	do.....		45.5	45.6	45.6	45.5	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.9	45.6	45.1	44.8	44.6	45.1
Prunes.....	do.....		16.7	16.7	16.2	16.7	16.0	16.0	16.7	16.8	16.3	16.8	17.3	15.7	16.5
Raisins.....	do.....		14.6	14.8	14.7	14.9	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.7	14.4	14.4	14.2	14.1	14.6
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		29.0	27.0	28.0	28.0	28.5	30.0	29.5	29.5	28.3	29.2	28.5	29.2	28.7
Oranges.....	do.....		44.4	41.6	47.5	47.1	42.5	42.1	42.5	38.9	39.8	46.0	48.2	50.2	44.2

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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HOUSTON, TEX.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....		35.2	35.1	34.3	35.4	35.4	35.4	35.0	35.0	34.6	35.0	35.0	36.0	35.1
Rib roast.....	do.....		33.1	33.1	32.9	33.6	33.9	33.6	33.2	33.5	33.6	34.5	35.0	33.7	33.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....		26.8	27.1	27.1	26.8	27.1	27.5	27.1	27.3	27.3	27.5	28.0	27.3	27.3
	do.....		21.0	21.3	20.9	22.1	21.6	21.4	22.0	21.6	21.3	22.3	22.0	22.5	21.7
Plate beef.....	do.....		18.7	17.8	17.5	17.5	18.0	18.2	18.0	17.8	18.0	18.3	19.2	19.7	18.2
Pork chops.....	do.....		36.1	36.2	35.1	35.1	35.5	34.3	33.2	33.6	35.5	36.8	35.6	35.2	35.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		50.7	48.3	48.1	48.1	48.0	45.8	45.1	46.5	46.6	45.1	45.0	44.5	46.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		55.4	55.4	54.6	53.9	53.9	53.2	52.5	52.1	50.8	50.0	50.9	50.0	52.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		35.0	33.6	33.6	34.3	34.3	34.3	35.7	34.3	34.2	32.0	32.0	32.0	33.8
Hens.....	do.....		35.9	35.0	35.2	35.5	32.7	32.9	31.1	32.9	34.6	30.6	32.5	31.8	33.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		31.1	31.8	31.3	30.6	30.4	30.3	30.2	30.8	32.6	33.8	33.8	33.5	31.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		15.8	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.2	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.4	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.5
Butter.....	Pound.....		57.0	56.7	54.2	54.1	47.2	47.3	49.5	47.9	49.2	53.9	55.7	56.2	52.4
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		29.3	28.9	29.4	28.2	28.0	27.2	27.8	27.8	27.6	27.3	27.3	27.4	28.0
Cheese.....	do.....		34.6	34.2	33.7	32.2	33.0	31.9	32.6	33.5	34.4	35.3	35.1	35.5	33.8
Lard.....	do.....		20.5	20.5	19.3	19.6	18.9	18.9	19.6	21.3	21.3	20.6	20.4	20.4	20.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		16.5	16.1	16.6	16.4	16.6	16.8	16.7	16.8	17.8	18.2	18.0	18.1	17.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		43.3	31.8	26.0	26.0	26.6	27.9	30.0	35.5	41.5	43.1	42.9	50.2	35.4
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		35.0	30.0								36.0	38.8	39.8	-----
Bread.....	Pound.....		8.8	8.8	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6
Flour.....	do.....		5.4	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2
Corn meal.....	do.....		4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.2
Rollod oats.....	do.....		8.9	8.8	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.8
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.5	11.4	11.1	10.6	10.2	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.2	9.3	9.1	9.1	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		25.8	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.0	25.4	25.4	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.2	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		18.1	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.1	18.4	18.4	18.6	18.6	18.3	18.0	18.1	18.4
Rice.....	do.....		8.9	9.2	8.9	9.0	8.6	8.8	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.5	8.1	7.6	8.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.2	9.3	9.3	9.1	9.2	9.6	9.7	10.1	10.2	10.1	9.8	9.7	9.6
Potatoes.....	do.....		4.9	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.9	6.1	5.5	5.0	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.9
Onions.....	do.....		6.0	6.6	7.0	7.4	7.8	7.7	8.2	7.0	5.9	5.2	4.9	4.8	6.5
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.9	4.3	4.3	4.6	5.0	7.7	5.8	5.4	5.5	5.3	5.1	5.0	5.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		11.3	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.8	10.7	10.9	11.1
Corn, canned.....	do.....		14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	13.7	13.7	14.2	13.9	14.1	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....		13.4	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.7	13.7	13.3	13.4	13.0	13.0	13.4
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		11.5	11.5	11.3	11.0	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	9.8	9.7	9.7	10.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		7.3	7.3	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.1	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.1
Tea.....	do.....		83.1	84.4	84.3	84.3	83.8	84.8	84.8	84.7	84.8	84.2	84.2	84.1	84.3
Coffee.....	do.....		44.9	43.1	42.6	42.1	42.0	41.1	41.2	40.9	40.5	40.3	41.5	42.0	41.9
Prunes.....	do.....		16.0	16.0	14.7	15.1	14.6	15.8	15.0	15.4	14.5	13.4	13.0	12.7	14.7
Raisins.....	do.....		14.3	14.4	14.4	14.1	14.3	14.4	14.5	14.5	13.9	13.4	12.9	12.3	14.0
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		27.1	27.7	27.7	26.2	26.5	26.9	25.8	26.2	26.2	26.3	27.2	26.3	26.7
Oranges.....	do.....		44.4	46.4	44.8	44.8	44.4	41.8	41.4	45.6	39.1	39.4	41.8	40.1	42.8

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak	do	25.1	36.4	37.3	37.5	37.4	38.6	39.2	39.5	39.0	39.1	39.3	38.4	38.3	38.3
Rib roast	do	23.5	35.1	35.4	35.8	36.1	37.4	37.8	38.1	37.7	38.2	38.2	37.0	36.6	37.0
Chuck roast	do	17.6	28.8	28.4	28.4	29.1	29.8	29.6	29.6	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.0	29.1	29.2
	do	15.9	24.4	24.2	24.2	24.9	24.6	24.8	24.7	24.8	24.7	24.7	24.3	24.3	24.6
Plate beef	do	12.2	15.3	15.2	15.3	15.1	15.4	15.2	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.3	15.5	15.7	15.4
Pork chops	do	21.1	34.6	34.4	34.9	36.0	39.5	41.1	42.1	39.5	41.9	42.9	37.4	33.9	38.2
Bacon, sliced	do	29.4	44.6	44.8	45.9	45.6	46.0	49.1	49.3	49.5	49.0	49.0	47.9	46.8	47.3
Ham, sliced	do	30.7	55.2	55.0	55.7	56.4	57.5	61.9	63.0	62.7	62.1	61.4	58.6	57.1	58.9
Lamb, leg of	do	19.8	42.5	40.0	40.7	40.0	41.4	44.2	41.7	41.7	42.5	41.7	40.0	40.0	41.4
Hens	do	21.1	38.7	40.5	39.2	41.0	41.8	40.0	40.2	39.8	39.8	38.7	38.2	37.8	39.6
Salmon, canned, red.	do		35.6	35.6	35.6	36.1	36.1	36.1	36.3	36.3	35.8	35.8	34.6	34.1	35.7
Milk, fresh	Quart.	8.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated	Can 1		10.8	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8
Butter	Pound	37.6	53.9	52.6	51.6	49.4	48.4	49.2	48.6	47.4	50.5	54.1	57.2	61.4	52.0
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do		32.2	32.1	31.7	30.4	30.0	30.0	30.2	30.1	30.5	30.4	30.4	31.6	30.8
Cheese	do	21.1	37.1	37.9	37.8	36.1	35.8	35.5	35.5	35.5	35.1	35.9	36.5	37.2	36.3
Lard	do	15.1	19.8	19.5	19.1	19.0	19.2	20.7	21.4	20.6	20.1	19.8	19.1	18.2	19.7
Vegetable lard substitute.	do		26.4	26.6	26.4	26.1	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.8	26.8	26.8	27.1	26.7
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	28.2	50.6	40.2	32.0	33.2	34.1	35.7	35.8	35.7	43.5	48.1	60.8	60.5	42.5
Eggs, storage	do		42.7									40.0	42.5	46.0	
Bread	Pound	5.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
Flour	do	3.2	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.8
Corn meal	do	2.6	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2
Rolled oats	do		8.1	8.1	8.0	8.1	8.1	9.2	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.3	8.3	8.2
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		24.6	24.8	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.8	24.8	25.1	25.3	25.1	25.1	24.8
Macaroni	Pound		18.9	18.5	19.1	19.1	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.1
Rice	do	9.2	11.3	11.9	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.8	12.1	12.2	12.1	12.1	11.8	11.5	11.8
Beans, navy	do		8.9	8.5	8.2	7.7	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.7	7.7	8.1	8.2	8.5	8.0
Potatoes	do	1.6	5.9	5.3	5.3	6.4	5.6	4.9	4.6	3.7	4.5	3.8	4.0	3.8	4.8
Onions	do		6.2	5.9	5.5	6.2	8.6	8.2	7.3	5.4	5.1	5.1	4.9	5.0	6.1
Cabbage	do		5.5	5.5	7.2	7.4	5.5	6.2	4.2	3.9	4.3	4.0	3.9	4.4	5.2
Beans, baked	No. 2 can.		11.2	11.3	10.7	10.4	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.6	10.6	10.4	10.6	10.3	10.5
Corn, canned	do		15.2	15.0	15.4	14.8	14.8	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.9
Peas, canned	do		15.6	15.2	15.6	14.6	14.8	14.8	15.2	15.2	15.2	14.6	14.8	14.4	15.0
Tomatoes, canned	do		13.5	13.2	12.5	11.7	11.1	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.7	11.7	12.7	12.0
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.8	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.7	7.2
Tea	do	60.0	82.9	85.8	85.4	85.3	87.0	85.7	86.1	86.1	86.7	87.8	88.2	86.7	85.8
Coffee	do	30.5	50.8	51.0	51.1	51.1	50.9	50.9	50.9	51.1	51.1	51.1	51.1	51.5	51.1
Prunes	do		20.0	19.7	19.2	19.3	19.3	19.3	20.3	19.3	19.3	19.3	18.4	19.6	19.4
Raisins	do		16.4	16.3	16.3	16.3	15.9	15.9	16.1	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.6	15.4	16.0
Bananas	Dozen		30.9	30.9	30.0	30.9	30.9	31.8	31.4	31.8	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.2
Oranges	do		44.4	45.1	45.3	49.0	49.5	50.3	49.1	49.1	48.3	52.7	51.3	43.6	48.1

1 15-16 ounces.

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INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	25.1	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 37.6	Cts. 38.3	Cts. 39.4	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 40.6	Cts. 41.4	Cts. 41.3	Cts. 41.5	Cts. 42.9	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 39.9
Round steak.....	do.....	23.5	36.1	36.1	36.2	37.1	38.3	39.0	39.1	39.1	38.6	38.8	38.7	38.7	38.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	17.6	28.9	29.4	29.1	29.1	29.7	30.1	30.3	30.4	30.8	29.9	29.2	29.4	29.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.9	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.8	25.3	25.0	25.2	25.3	25.7	25.4	25.4	25.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.2	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.9	15.7	16.1	15.8	15.7	16.1	15.8	16.4	16.2	15.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.1	33.7	32.8	33.7	34.6	34.4	32.2	32.9	36.1	40.8	41.5	33.8	30.5	34.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	29.4	44.6	44.3	45.0	44.1	43.4	42.3	43.0	42.4	42.3	43.7	44.1	42.1	43.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	30.7	57.5	57.1	57.1	57.5	56.3	54.9	54.6	52.5	52.7	53.5	51.5	51.2	54.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.8	39.2	39.2	40.8	43.3	42.0	42.5	41.3	42.5	39.0	37.8	39.0	39.0	40.5
Hens.....	do.....	21.1	40.0	37.2	37.2	38.3	37.5	36.2	36.3	36.3	36.6	36.4	34.8	34.8	36.8
Salmon, canned, red.	do.....	33.6	33.1	32.9	33.3	33.3	33.5	33.5	33.5	34.0	34.2	34.2	34.2	34.2	33.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.7
Butter.....	Pound..	37.6	59.4	59.5	59.9	58.8	52.9	51.1	50.4	50.4	52.2	54.6	55.9	58.9	55.3
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes.)	do.....	31.0	30.3	29.8	30.5	29.5	28.9	29.1	29.4	29.2	29.3	29.2	29.3	29.6	29.6
Cheese.....	do.....	21.1	38.4	38.4	38.0	37.0	37.8	37.2	37.2	37.2	37.7	39.0	38.9	39.1	38.0
Lard.....	do.....	15.1	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.0	16.9	16.4	16.8	16.8	17.4	17.9	17.5	17.4	17.2
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.3	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	28.2	50.5	39.5	28.6	27.9	27.9	26.6	29.8	33.1	37.3	50.6	56.8	58.1	38.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	42.5	45.0	45.8	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0	46.0
Bread.....	Pound..	5.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.6	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.8	9.6	9.7	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.1	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	25.5	25.1	25.6	25.9	26.0	26.8	26.8	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound..	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.6	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.4
Rice.....	do.....	9.2	11.4	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.6	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.8	10.8	10.5	10.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.7	8.3	8.0	8.2	7.9	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	9.1	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.6	3.7	3.2	3.1	3.0	4.4	6.4	4.2	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.7	3.5
Onions.....	do.....	5.5	5.4	5.3	7.5	9.7	9.8	7.9	7.3	6.3	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.8
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.5	4.7	5.0	5.1	9.9	12.5	6.7	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.0	4.0	4.0	5.8
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.8	10.3	10.2	10.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.8	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Peas, canned.....	do.....	14.1	13.9	13.9	14.3	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.8	13.8	14.3	13.9	13.9
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	12.9	12.9	12.6	13.0	12.8	12.8	13.0	13.0	12.6	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.8	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.6
Tea.....	do.....	60.0	87.9	87.9	88.8	87.9	87.5	87.9	87.9	87.9	85.3	85.3	85.7	87.3	87.3
Coffee.....	do.....	30.5	50.7	50.0	49.1	48.8	48.1	48.0	47.6	47.4	47.5	47.5	47.8	47.6	48.3
Prunes.....	do.....	19.2	19.0	18.5	17.1	17.1	17.3	18.5	18.5	17.9	17.3	16.4	15.9	17.7	17.7
Raisins.....	do.....	15.5	14.8	14.7	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.5	15.2	14.9	15.2	15.2
Bananas.....	Dozen..	29.5	29.5	30.5	29.1	30.0	30.5	30.5	30.5	31.6	31.0	30.5	31.5	30.4	30.4
Oranges.....	do.....	45.6	46.2	45.3	47.3	46.5	46.9	47.4	50.8	51.3	55.0	53.8	50.4	48.9	48.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1923												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	37.8	36.7	38.1	38.0	37.4	37.1	37.1	37.7	37.3	37.5	37.9	36.7	37.4
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	32.2	32.8	32.8	32.8	32.8	31.9	31.9	31.3	32.3	32.3	31.8	32.0	32.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	23.0	27.6	28.3	28.9	29.4	27.9	28.8	29.5	29.1	28.6	29.1	27.5	28.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	14.5	19.8	20.3	21.1	21.2	20.8	20.0	20.8	20.9	20.6	20.5	20.3	20.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	10.8	11.8	12.1	12.5	13.6	13.2	12.5	12.9	13.1	12.5	12.8	12.8	12.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	22.8	36.1	35.6	36.7	36.7	39.2	40.0	40.6	40.0	39.4	39.5	39.1	36.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	28.0	48.7	48.7	48.7	47.3	47.3	51.4	50.0	50.0	49.4	50.0	60.0	47.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	28.4	52.2	52.2	52.2	52.8	53.3	59.4	58.8	59.4	58.0	59.5	59.0	56.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	20.3	41.7	41.0	39.6	37.0	40.3	40.0	38.3	37.5	38.8	39.5	38.8	39.2
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	22.8	39.9	39.6	40.9	41.2	40.6	41.3	40.4	38.6	39.3	41.0	40.3	38.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	38.4	38.4	38.4	38.2	38.7	38.9	38.1	39.6	38.4	38.0	36.1	34.0	37.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	Cts.	12.4	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.2	11.9	11.8	11.6	11.9	11.9	12.1	11.9	11.9	12.1
Butter.....	Pound.....	Cts.	58.6	57.8	57.1	55.0	52.7	51.6	51.8	53.2	54.0	55.0	55.6	58.9	56.1
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	Cts.	32.2	32.2	32.1	31.5	31.5	31.1	30.8	31.9	32.1	32.4	32.3	31.4	31.8
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	22.5	35.3	35.2	35.0	33.7	31.9	32.8	32.2	34.1	34.4	35.2	35.2	34.2
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	15.5	23.8	23.7	23.7	23.1	23.1	24.1	24.0	24.9	24.0	22.9	22.6	23.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	24.4	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.4	25.0	24.8	25.4	25.4	24.4	24.8	23.1	24.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	35.3	66.4	49.6	38.1	41.0	39.1	41.8	45.8	50.8	59.5	71.0	67.9	53.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	45.3	32.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	49.3	46.0	44.7	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	Cts.	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	3.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.6	6.9
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	2.9	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.2
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	9.6	9.8	10.0	9.7	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.5	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	11.3	11.4	11.2	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.4	11.1	11.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.9	24.9	24.9	24.9	24.6	24.9	24.9	24.8	24.8
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	Cts.	20.4	20.3	20.3	20.0	19.7	19.7	19.8	20.0	20.0	20.2	20.2	19.8	20.0
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.2	10.8	10.9	10.4	11.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	11.2	10.5	10.4	10.8	10.4	10.3	10.5	10.3	10.3	9.9	9.9	9.8	10.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	2.4	7.7	7.4	7.3	7.8	7.4	6.8	5.9	5.2	5.1	4.9	5.0	6.3
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.0	7.8	7.7	7.4	7.3	7.3	6.9	7.8
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	7.2	8.2	8.3	6.8	5.3	5.4	5.3	6.3	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.3	6.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	Cts.	11.3	11.0	10.8	11.1	10.9	10.9	10.8	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.0	11.1
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.7	19.9	20.2	20.2	20.7	20.7	20.0	20.0	18.8	19.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	19.9	20.0	19.2	19.7	18.9	18.9	18.8	19.8	19.6	19.8	19.8	18.6	19.4
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	11.2	11.0	11.1	10.9	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.3	10.4	11.2	11.2	11.1	10.8
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	Cts.	6.0	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.2
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.6	98.4	97.5	97.5	99.8	101.6	100.9	100.9	98.5	98.5
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	34.5	51.6	51.6	51.3	50.2	49.8	50.3	50.2	50.3	50.3	50.3	50.3	50.7
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	18.4	18.4	18.8	19.2	18.8	16.8	17.4	18.6	18.3	18.7	16.8	16.9	18.1
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	16.5	16.5	16.4	15.7	15.6	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.4	16.1	15.9	15.9	16.2
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	32.0	29.2	27.0	26.0	28.0	29.0	30.0	27.0	29.2	32.0	30.0	25.0	28.7
Oranges.....	do.....	Cts.	35.0	39.1	39.5	46.1	48.8	51.7	72.5	90.5	95.3	43.8	32.2	28.0	51.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak	Pound	26.0	35.8	35.8	35.8	36.3	35.8	35.8	36.3	35.4	35.4	35.8	35.4	35.0	35.7
Round steak	do.	21.3	31.3	31.3	31.3	31.3	31.3	31.3	32.1	31.7	31.3	31.2	31.6	30.9	31.4
Rib roast	do.	23.0	27.5	28.3	27.9	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.3	27.1	27.1	27.3	27.1	26.9	27.3
Chuck roast	do.	14.5	20.4	20.0	20.4	20.0	19.8	19.2	20.3	19.8	20.1	20.4	20.8	20.6	20.2
Plate beef	do.	10.8	12.8	12.5	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.5	13.0	12.5	12.8	13.0	13.4	13.4	12.8
Pork chops	do.	22.8	35.2	35.4	35.8	35.4	35.4	33.1	32.1	32.9	33.3	34.1	32.4	31.4	33.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	28.0	46.0	46.2	45.8	45.4	44.4	44.1	43.6	42.8	42.1	42.2	40.5	39.5	43.6
Ham, sliced	do.	28.4	52.7	53.6	54.1	53.6	52.7	53.2	50.9	51.4	49.5	49.6	49.2	45.8	51.4
Lamb, leg of	do.	20.3	37.2	37.2	35.9	39.0	38.8	39.0	39.9	36.2	38.0	38.8	38.5	38.4	38.1
Hens	do.	22.8	39.6	39.0	39.0	38.4	37.7	35.8	33.8	32.9	34.0	34.2	33.7	33.9	36.0
Salmon, canned, red.	do.	34.3	34.0	33.2	33.2	33.4	32.0	32.6	33.8	33.9	34.6	34.1	35.0	33.7	33.7
Milk, fresh	Quart.	12.4	22.3	22.3	22.3	21.7	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.3	20.9
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹	11.7	11.8	11.6	11.7	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.7	11.9	11.7	11.8
Butter	Pound	40.7	58.9	60.5	60.5	60.2	55.2	52.6	52.5	51.8	53.3	55.0	54.2	55.7	55.9
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do.	30.9	31.2	30.5	30.6	30.6	30.6	30.6	30.9	30.9	30.3	30.4	30.1	29.9	30.6
Cheese	do.	22.5	36.2	36.3	33.6	34.3	34.2	34.0	34.5	34.5	35.7	36.6	36.8	37.2	35.3
Lard	do.	15.5	22.6	22.0	22.1	21.6	21.5	21.4	21.3	21.1	21.3	21.8	22.0	21.3	21.7
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.	22.8	21.9	21.8	22.8	22.0	22.4	23.3	22.5	22.9	22.0	21.5	21.6	22.3	22.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	35.3	56.1	41.4	33.3	33.9	34.4	34.5	38.4	46.1	53.1	56.7	62.3	59.8	45.8
Eggs, storage	do.	41.7	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	40.7	41.3	39.7	---
Bread	Pound	6.4	10.9	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.0
Flour	do.	3.8	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.7	6.5
Corn meal	do.	2.9	4.2	4.2	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.2
Rolled oats	do.	9.3	9.2	9.0	9.3	9.4	9.6	9.5	9.3	9.6	9.3	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.3
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.	10.9	11.0	10.3	10.1	9.9	9.7	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	10.1	9.9
Wheat cereal	8-oz. pkg.	24.4	24.3	24.6	24.5	24.6	24.4	24.4	24.8	24.4	24.4	24.6	24.6	24.8	24.5
Macaroni	Pound	19.6	19.4	18.6	19.3	19.6	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.3
Rice	do.	6.6	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.1	9.2	9.4	9.6	9.4	9.4	9.2	8.3	9.3
Beans, navy	do.	9.6	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.4	9.8	9.6	9.3	9.2	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.6
Potatoes	do.	2.4	5.0	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.7	6.4	4.8	4.3	4.4	3.9	3.7	3.5	4.5
Onions	do.	7.1	7.2	7.1	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.6	7.9	7.2	6.0	5.4	5.7	7.3	7.3
Cabbage	do.	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.1	5.3	8.6	7.8	4.9	4.6	4.2	4.2	3.6	5.3	5.3
Beans, baked	No. 2 can	10.8	10.8	10.6	10.5	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.5	10.3	10.5	10.7	10.7
Pean, canned	do.	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.0	17.2	18.3	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.5	18.1	18.0	17.7	17.8
Peas, canned	do.	18.1	18.1	17.4	17.1	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.8	18.1	17.6	17.9	18.1	17.8	17.8
Tomatoes, canned	do.	10.7	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.8	10.1	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	10.3	10.3
Sugar, granulated	Pound	6.0	7.8	7.9	7.7	7.6	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.6
Tea	do.	98.2	98.6	98.8	98.8	98.6	98.9	98.9	98.9	97.7	98.7	98.9	98.7	98.6	98.6
Coffee	do.	34.5	50.0	49.4	49.2	48.7	48.8	48.8	47.8	47.3	47.3	46.4	46.4	46.4	48.0
Prunes	do.	16.4	15.4	15.4	15.9	15.5	16.0	16.1	16.8	16.4	15.9	14.9	14.9	15.8	15.8
Raisins	do.	15.2	15.2	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.8	14.7	14.7	15.3	14.8	14.8	14.9	14.8	14.8
Bananas	Dozen	22.5	30.0	26.7	29.2	29.7	25.8	26.7	31.0	28.3	30.8	29.3	27.9	28.2	28.2
Oranges	do.	25.8	30.0	23.4	29.2	31.5	34.4	46.7	60.0	60.0	56.3	33.6	33.1	38.7	38.7

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH KANSAS CITY, MO.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 24.0	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 37.5	Cts. 38.0	Cts. 38.2	Cts. 38.9	Cts. 39.0	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 39.6	Cts. 39.2	Cts. 37.8	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 38.7
Round steak.....	do.....	21.4	31.1	31.4	32.0	32.1	33.9	34.1	35.2	34.7	34.8	34.1	33.2	33.0	33.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	17.8	26.4	26.5	26.5	26.5	26.7	27.1	27.0	27.2	27.2	27.2	27.1	26.4	26.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.0	19.5	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	20.3	20.2	20.0	20.0	19.5	19.6	19.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.7	12.9	13.1	13.2	13.3	13.6	13.3	13.3	13.6	13.1	13.0	13.1	13.3	13.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.0	34.1	34.2	36.2	37.2	38.7	40.7	40.1	39.3	42.8	42.6	36.4	33.1	38.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	29.7	49.0	49.3	49.5	50.0	51.0	52.7	53.5	52.6	52.4	52.7	50.9	48.4	51.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.5	54.3	54.3	55.0	55.4	56.1	61.3	60.5	61.7	60.8	61.2	58.1	55.9	57.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	18.2	33.9	33.5	33.5	33.8	34.9	36.7	35.8	35.7	35.0	34.8	33.8	33.8	34.6
Hens.....	do.....	17.0	34.4	34.4	35.0	36.3	35.8	34.3	34.1	32.8	32.9	33.0	32.1	32.2	34.0
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	37.5	58.6	59.0	58.1	58.9	58.9	59.2	59.7	59.7	58.8	57.5	56.5	56.4	58.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.9	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹ ..	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.6	11.7	11.8
Butter.....	Pound..	38.3	54.0	52.8	51.7	48.8	47.6	49.0	48.6	48.6	51.0	52.3	51.6	50.5	51.0
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	28.0	27.9	27.7	27.8	27.7	27.6	27.5	27.9	27.7	27.7	27.6	27.5	27.0	27.7
Cheese.....	do.....	21.7	36.4	37.2	36.4	36.2	35.1	35.7	35.0	35.0	35.7	35.9	35.7	37.9	36.0
Lard.....	do.....	16.3	21.9	21.5	21.3	21.0	21.1	23.4	23.5	22.9	22.9	22.3	20.3	19.9	21.8
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.2	27.0	27.2	27.0	26.8	27.3	27.3	27.9	27.3	27.8	27.8	27.0	27.3	27.3
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	27.5	47.4	35.8	33.2	35.8	35.9	36.6	37.0	37.5	42.1	47.3	57.1	59.7	42.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	37.7	25.0	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.9	9.9
Bread.....	Pound..	6.0	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.9
Flour.....	do.....	3.0	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.8
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.6	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.7	5.0
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.1	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.2
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	12.2	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.1	12.0	11.9	12.0	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.9	11.9
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	26.9	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.0	26.9	26.9	26.7	26.4	26.0	26.8	26.8
Macaroni.....	Pound..	20.1	20.4	20.4	20.5	20.3	20.5	20.6	20.3	20.3	20.2	20.3	20.1	20.3	20.3
Rice.....	do.....	8.7	11.0	10.7	10.9	11.1	11.1	11.4	11.3	11.5	11.8	10.9	10.4	9.5	11.0
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.7	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.3	9.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	5.6	5.5	5.3	6.1	5.2	5.0	3.5	2.4	3.7	3.7	3.0	3.8	4.5
Onions.....	do.....	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.9	8.0	7.9	6.5	5.9	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.3	6.4	6.4
Cabbage.....	do.....	6.4	6.4	6.4	5.8	5.4	5.2	3.7	3.1	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.9	4.8	4.8
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	13.5	13.3	13.2	13.3	13.3	12.9	12.8	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.5	12.5	13.0	13.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.4	15.0	15.0	14.7	14.3	15.0	14.6	14.8	15.2	15.0	14.4	15.0	14.9	14.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....	15.7	15.8	15.7	15.5	15.1	15.6	15.4	15.2	15.6	15.7	14.9	14.9	15.4	15.4
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	12.4	11.9	11.9	11.8	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.3	11.7	11.6	12.1	12.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.7	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.2
Tea.....	do.....	54.0	79.4	81.3	80.9	82.5	82.7	83.5	85.3	86.1	86.4	86.7	86.5	88.3	84.1
Coffee.....	do.....	27.8	53.6	53.5	53.5	53.3	53.5	54.1	54.2	54.1	54.4	53.8	53.3	53.2	53.7
Prunes.....	do.....	17.8	17.3	17.5	17.3	17.7	18.0	18.1	18.4	18.2	18.2	17.5	16.8	17.7	17.7
Raisins.....	do.....	15.4	15.3	15.4	15.3	15.5	15.6	15.5	15.1	15.0	15.1	15.2	14.8	15.3	15.3
Bananas.....	do.....	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.1	10.9	11.6	11.0	10.5	10.2	10.9	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.1
Oranges.....	Dozen..	47.8	48.0	47.8	51.2	51.7	48.4	46.6	47.9	47.2	54.1	55.3	53.7	50.0	50.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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KANSAS CITY, MO.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts. 24.0	Cts. 37.2	Cts. 37.2	Cts. 37.0	Cts. 37.3	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 38.5	Cts. 38.7	Cts. 38.7	Cts. 39.0	Cts. 40.0	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 38.4
Round steak.....	do.....	21.4	32.7	32.7	32.7	32.6	33.4	34.2	34.4	34.7	34.2	34.9	34.7	34.7	33.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	17.8	26.8	26.4	26.7	26.6	26.7	27.0	27.5	27.5	27.4	28.1	27.7	27.7	27.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.0	19.6	19.4	19.3	19.2	19.4	19.8	20.0	20.1	20.5	21.3	21.6	21.7	20.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.7	13.5	13.4	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.9	13.9	14.5	15.6	15.6	15.7	14.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.0	33.0	32.6	33.6	33.8	32.4	31.8	32.6	35.5	40.5	42.5	32.5	26.6	34.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	29.7	47.0	47.5	46.1	46.1	45.5	44.3	44.3	44.6	45.1	46.8	45.9	44.0	45.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.5	55.9	55.8	54.8	54.3	53.9	53.3	52.2	51.7	51.7	51.5	49.9	49.0	52.8
Ham, leg of.....	do.....	18.2	34.5	33.8	34.7	35.6	36.7	37.6	36.7	36.5	35.3	35.9	35.3	35.2	35.7
Hens.....	do.....	17.0	35.1	34.2	34.0	34.6	32.6	30.6	29.8	30.1	29.8	30.7	32.0	31.0	32.0
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	35.9	35.4	35.2	35.0	34.5	34.0	34.9	35.5	35.8	35.6	36.1	36.2	36.2	35.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	8.9	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7
Butter.....	Pound.....	38.3	56.4	57.2	58.4	58.3	51.0	49.5	49.5	48.4	51.4	53.1	54.2	56.0	53.6
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	26.9	27.1	26.0	25.9	25.8	25.6	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.4	26.1	25.9
Cheese.....	do.....	21.7	37.9	37.7	36.8	36.6	36.0	35.5	35.7	35.9	37.1	38.3	38.0	38.2	37.0
Lard.....	do.....	16.3	19.4	18.8	19.1	18.6	18.3	18.7	18.8	19.0	19.7	19.9	19.3	18.3	19.0
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.7	27.4	27.2	27.0	27.3	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.6	26.6	26.2	26.6	27.2
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	27.5	50.0	39.7	31.3	30.3	29.2	28.1	31.0	33.7	40.1	49.4	52.8	53.6	39.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	39.8	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	40.5	39.1	39.3	35.0
Bread.....	Pound.....	6.0	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7
Flour.....	do.....	3.0	5.3	5.3	4.7	4.6	4.7	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.6	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	11.0	10.9	11.1	10.5	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.8	10.3	10.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	26.3	26.3	26.4	26.4	26.5	26.4	26.3	26.7	26.9	27.3	27.0	26.7	26.6	26.6
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	20.1	19.9	19.7	19.5	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	20.0	19.8	19.8	19.9
Rice.....	do.....	8.7	9.8	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.1	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.2	8.9	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.7	4.5	6.2	3.0	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.4	3.4
Onions.....	do.....	6.2	6.5	6.6	8.2	8.6	8.8	7.7	7.0	6.0	5.3	5.4	5.1	6.8	6.8
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.9	9.6	7.5	4.0	4.1	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.7	4.9
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.2	12.0	12.2	12.4	12.4
Corn, canned.....	do.....	14.5	14.1	14.2	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.2	14.3	14.5	14.4	14.2	14.2	14.2
Peas, canned.....	do.....	15.1	15.2	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.8	14.7	14.9	14.9	15.3	15.5	15.1	14.9	14.9
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	11.7	11.8	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.6	11.5	11.5
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.7	7.8	7.9	7.8	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.6
Tea.....	do.....	54.0	89.4	89.3	89.4	89.4	89.4	89.7	90.1	89.1	90.2	92.0	92.1	94.1	90.2
Coffee.....	do.....	27.8	52.8	52.0	51.4	50.2	49.1	49.4	49.0	48.7	48.5	48.9	50.1	50.3	50.0
Prunes.....	do.....	17.0	16.9	16.6	16.2	16.2	15.9	16.4	16.4	15.5	14.8	14.3	13.7	15.8	15.8
Raisins.....	do.....	14.8	14.6	14.5	14.8	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.4	14.5	14.7	14.7
Bananas.....	do.....	10.9	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.6	10.8	10.8	10.5	10.5
Oranges.....	Dozen.....	49.0	49.5	49.3	51.6	50.9	49.3	46.5	50.2	49.6	55.0	55.3	55.2	51.0	51.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Article	Unit	Av- erage for year 1913	1926												Av- erage for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	25.4	33.8	33.8	33.9	34.3	34.4	35.0	35.0	33.9	34.2	34.2	34.7	35.2	34.4
Round steak.....	do.....	20.0	30.4	29.8	30.5	31.3	31.4	31.5	31.9	31.1	31.6	31.6	31.7	31.9	31.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.4	26.5	27.5	26.4	26.6	27.7	27.3	27.7	27.3	27.3	27.3	27.5	27.0	27.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.3	18.2	20.5	19.5	20.0	21.6	21.2	21.8	21.8	22.2	22.5	22.3	21.8	21.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.9	14.8	15.0	14.5	15.7	16.1	16.1	15.7	16.1	15.5	15.9	16.4	16.8	15.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.0	34.2	34.2	34.5	34.6	37.3	38.3	38.7	35.8	37.6	37.7	37.5	34.8	36.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	36.3	48.2	48.9	48.9	49.3	50.0	52.5	54.9	54.5	54.3	53.0	53.5	51.7	51.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.6	50.0	50.7	60.7	52.1	52.9	56.8	57.7	57.7	58.9	58.5	57.1	56.5	55.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	20.0	40.0	39.3	40.7	41.4	40.7	41.9	38.1	40.0	39.5	40.1	39.9	40.6	40.2
Hens.....	do.....	19.1	30.5	30.7	32.7	32.8	33.2	32.5	30.2	29.0	29.7	30.7	29.8	29.4	30.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	38.0	38.5	41.1	41.7	41.7	42.9	41.4	40.1	36.1	35.6	35.5	35.1	39.0	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	10.1	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹ ..	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.3	12.3	12.3	11.9	12.1	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.8	12.1
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	Pound..	42.5	56.1	55.1	54.7	52.6	50.9	48.8	49.7	49.1	51.7	53.3	55.1	57.5	52.9
Cheese.....	do.....	22.5	37.2	37.5	36.9	36.9	35.1	34.6	34.8	33.9	34.3	36.3	37.6	37.6	36.1
Lard.....	do.....	15.9	23.4	23.1	23.4	23.8	23.5	24.1	24.5	23.9	24.0	23.8	23.3	22.7	24.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	23.6	23.7	23.7	23.8	23.7	23.9	24.4	24.3	24.1	24.0	24.0	23.1	22.8	23.8
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	29.1	49.1	34.3	32.1	34.6	34.8	34.9	37.9	40.6	44.4	45.7	55.4	57.0	41.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	42.3	25.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	40.0	44.3	48.3	---
Bread.....	Pound..	6.0	8.7	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4
Flour.....	do.....	3.6	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.5	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.5	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....	10.2	10.4	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	12.5	12.2	12.0	12.2	12.1	12.0	11.9	12.1	12.1	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.8	24.8	25.0	25.0	25.3	25.0	25.4	25.4	25.7	25.7	25.7	26.0	25.8	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound..	20.8	20.5	20.4	20.5	19.7	20.5	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.3	20.2	20.8	20.4	
Rice.....	do.....	8.3	10.0	10.3	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.9	10.0	9.9	10.2	9.8	9.5	9.5	10.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.6	9.7	9.5	9.7	9.3	9.2	9.6	
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.0	6.3	5.9	6.0	6.6	6.8	5.5	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	5.5
Onions.....	do.....	7.2	6.9	6.9	7.9	7.9	7.5	6.9	6.7	6.3	5.9	5.9	5.4	6.8	
Cabbage.....	do.....	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.1	5.3	5.4	5.8	4.9	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.8	5.5	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	11.9	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.3	10.1	11.6	11.0	10.8	11.0	11.2	11.5	11.2	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.9	16.8	17.2	16.9	16.5	16.5	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.7	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	18.7	18.2	18.2	18.2	17.5	17.5	17.8	17.8	18.7	18.7	17.5	17.5	18.0	
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	12.2	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.4	10.6	10.6	10.1	10.6	10.8	11.8	11.3	11.1	
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..	5.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.7	7.9	7.6
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	103.9	102.9	103.8	100.6	105.1	107.1	108.1	105.9	107.9	106.3	107.1	106.6	105.4
Coffee.....	do.....	30.8	56.2	56.2	55.7	55.1	55.5	55.3	54.9	54.9	53.9	53.6	54.5	55.3	55.1
Prunes.....	do.....	18.5	18.3	17.7	18.2	18.5	17.6	18.5	19.1	18.2	18.7	18.1	17.1	18.2	
Raisins.....	do.....	15.7	15.7	16.2	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.5	15.5	15.6	15.6	16.0	15.7	15.7	
Bananas.....	do.....	8.9	9.3	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.8	10.0	9.5	9.3	
Oranges.....	Dozen..	45.1	44.7	47.1	48.0	49.9	53.5	51.5	49.6	48.4	60.7	51.6	45.3	49.6	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	25.4	35.0	35.5	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	37.8	36.5	37.3	38.2	37.1	36.7	36.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.0	31.5	32.3	32.7	32.7	33.2	33.2	34.1	34.5	35.4	35.4	35.0	34.6	33.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....	19.4	28.0	27.5	27.8	27.8	28.9	28.9	29.4	28.0	30.0	30.7	30.0	29.1	28.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.3	22.3	20.8	21.4	21.4	21.9	21.9	22.3	22.5	22.8	23.4	23.0	22.5	22.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	12.9	16.6	15.9	16.4	16.4	16.7	17.0	16.9	16.7	17.8	18.3	17.3	17.3	16.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	21.0	33.9	33.3	33.6	33.2	33.6	31.4	31.4	33.6	35.3	37.8	32.7	29.5	33.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	36.3	50.0	51.2	50.0	49.2	47.9	47.5	47.1	46.9	47.7	46.8	46.5	45.8	48.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	29.6	55.4	55.0	55.5	54.6	55.5	54.6	51.3	50.8	49.6	52.7	50.0	50.4	53.0
Hens.....	do.....	20.0	40.0	40.8	42.0	42.0	40.0	43.3	40.8	40.8	41.4	38.6	38.1	38.1	40.5
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	19.1	31.5	31.6	31.3	31.1	31.0	29.8	27.3	28.3	28.4	30.8	29.8	28.7	30.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart....	33.4	33.4	33.5	33.9	33.5	32.5	32.5	32.1	32.1	32.8	33.4	34.3	35.3	33.3
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	10.1	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Butter.....	Pound..	42.5	58.3	58.4	58.8	56.6	53.2	50.3	50.5	50.5	50.9	53.8	54.8	55.8	54.3
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.5	28.5	28.2	27.8	27.5	28.2	27.8	27.6	27.6	28.1
Cheese.....	do.....	22.5	38.6	38.6	37.6	37.3	37.4	36.8	36.8	36.8	37.2	38.5	39.1	38.5	37.8
Lard.....	do.....	15.9	22.6	22.2	21.7	21.7	21.8	21.3	21.0	21.5	21.5	22.9	21.7	21.9	21.8
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	22.5	22.3	21.9	21.9	21.9	22.5	22.1	20.0	20.9	20.5	20.7	21.0	21.1	21.5
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen....	29.1	50.6	37.6	27.5	28.9	27.2	26.9	33.4	37.1	42.5	46.8	48.4	55.0	38.5
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	41.3	30.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	40.0	41.7	40.7	---
Bread.....	Pound..	6.0	9.6	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.5	9.3
Flour.....	do.....	3.6	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.5	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	10.8	10.8	10.3	10.1	10.1	10.3	10.3	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	12.0	11.9	11.3	11.0	10.7	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	26.0	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	26.4	26.8	27.3	27.2	26.2
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.7	21.3	20.5	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.1	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.8	20.8	20.8	20.6
Rice.....	do.....	8.3	9.3	8.9	8.8	8.4	8.4	8.6	8.6	8.8	8.9	8.4	8.4	8.1	8.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.5	9.5	9.1	9.4	9.0	9.1	9.3	8.5	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.0	9.2	9.2
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.0	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.2	5.5	4.8	4.9	3.9	3.6	3.5	3.5	4.5
Onions.....	do.....	6.2	6.2	6.7	9.4	9.0	9.1	8.2	7.2	6.3	6.0	5.4	5.5	7.1	7.1
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.1	4.6	4.5	4.8	7.6	7.4	6.1	5.5	4.3	4.8	4.3	4.3	5.3	5.3
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	11.0	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.2	10.5	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.5
Corn, canned.....	do.....	17.6	17.5	16.9	16.8	16.2	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.0	16.3	16.8	16.5	16.7	16.7
Peas, canned.....	do.....	18.8	18.8	18.8	18.8	17.8	17.5	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.1	17.5	17.7	18.0	18.0
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	11.7	11.3	11.2	10.7	11.1	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.7	10.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.6	8.3	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.9	7.9
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	106.1	105.7	107.4	106.3	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	104.5	104.5	103.8	101.0	105.7
Coffee.....	do.....	30.8	53.5	53.6	51.9	52.2	51.6	51.5	50.8	51.3	50.8	52.3	52.8	52.8	52.1
Prunes.....	do.....	17.5	17.0	18.1	16.9	17.1	16.8	17.6	17.1	15.1	15.5	15.4	14.7	16.6	16.6
Raisins.....	do.....	15.4	15.4	15.5	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.5	15.5	15.3	15.0	14.5	15.0	15.3	15.3
Bananas.....	do.....	8.6	8.6	8.8	9.1	8.9	8.1	8.1	9.0	8.3	8.5	9.0	9.5	8.7	8.7
Oranges.....	Dozen....	48.0	48.9	52.9	49.6	52.9	45.5	44.6	47.3	50.9	54.3	49.6	47.1	49.3	49.3

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	23.5	36.4	36.5	36.5	36.0	36.9	37.1	36.7	36.8	36.8	36.3	36.5	36.6
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	20.8	29.6	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.3	30.2	30.2	30.3	29.7	29.7	30.2	30.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	18.3	28.8	28.7	28.4	29.0	29.9	29.6	30.2	29.2	29.6	29.7	30.2	29.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	15.7	20.3	19.8	19.5	19.4	19.5	19.7	20.0	20.1	20.3	20.2	19.9	19.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	12.6	14.7	14.4	14.4	14.2	14.5	13.9	14.3	13.9	13.8	14.0	15.1	14.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	25.1	41.9	44.0	44.9	44.8	45.4	48.5	48.6	46.4	47.3	46.7	45.1	45.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	33.7	57.0	57.0	56.9	55.9	58.3	62.0	63.0	62.0	62.1	60.7	59.6	59.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	35.3	67.1	65.7	66.3	66.0	66.8	72.0	71.8	71.8	71.4	70.3	68.4	69.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	18.8	37.7	37.0	36.4	36.1	35.8	37.4	38.0	37.8	36.8	36.2	36.8	36.9
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	26.6	42.9	43.5	44.0	45.2	45.9	45.0	44.6	44.6	44.6	44.3	43.8	44.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	34.8	34.8	35.6	36.2	36.5	36.0	36.1	36.0	34.4	33.7	32.6	32.2	34.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	Cts.	10.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.7	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.1
Butter.....	Pound.....	Cts.	39.6	54.3	55.2	51.6	50.7	50.4	50.4	50.2	51.9	54.4	54.6	55.0	53.0
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	Cts.	34.0	33.1	32.8	31.4	31.0	30.8	31.4	31.5	31.6	31.5	30.7	30.7	31.7
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	19.5	40.0	40.1	39.6	39.1	38.9	39.1	38.7	38.9	39.4	39.3	39.1	39.5
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	18.0	24.4	23.9	23.1	22.9	23.2	24.2	24.9	24.3	24.0	23.9	22.8	23.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	25.7	25.8	26.0	26.1	26.3	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.0	25.6	26.0	26.0	26.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	38.3	42.9	34.8	35.9	37.8	39.8	41.7	45.6	48.1	54.0	62.8	59.4	46.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	36.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	49.4	48.5	44.5	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	Cts.	6.1	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	3.5	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	3.3	5.2	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.3
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.7	9.8	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	9.9
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	24.7	24.7	24.8	24.8	24.9	24.8	24.9	25.0	25.0	25.1	25.1	25.0	24.9
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	Cts.	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.6	17.6	18.1	18.4	18.2	18.3	18.1	18.1	18.2	17.9
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	7.7	11.1	11.3	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.7	10.8	11.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	9.8	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	8.9	9.0	9.2	9.1	9.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	1.5	5.5	5.6	5.5	6.2	5.7	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.8	4.3	4.4	4.7
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	6.3	6.4	6.0	6.4	6.4	5.7	5.4	5.1	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	5.6
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	4.9	5.3	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.3	3.9	4.0	3.8	4.5
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	Cts.	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.7	11.7	11.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	16.2	16.0	16.4	16.1	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.4	16.2	16.5	16.0	16.2	16.2
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	18.0	17.4	17.5	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.3	17.5	17.7	17.6	17.6	17.5	17.5
Tomatoes, canned.....	No. 2½ can.....	Cts.	15.6	15.6	15.4	15.6	15.6	15.7	15.3	15.3	15.4	15.0	15.3	15.4	15.4
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	Cts.	5.4	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.1	6.7
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	54.5	73.9	74.4	74.4	74.9	76.8	75.3	75.1	75.3	75.8	75.5	75.6	75.3
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	36.3	54.6	54.7	54.7	54.6	54.3	54.4	54.5	53.8	53.6	53.7	53.6	54.2
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	16.6	16.8	16.4	16.4	16.2	16.0	16.2	16.7	16.8	16.5	16.3	15.3	16.4
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	12.5	12.7	13.0	12.9	13.2	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.2	13.1	13.1	13.2	13.1
Bananas.....	do.....	Cts.	9.8	9.6	9.8	9.6	10.1	10.3	9.7	9.9	9.7	10.1	10.3	10.4	9.9
Oranges.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	43.1	43.9	41.8	46.8	46.1	46.4	48.8	46.8	44.5	45.4	48.5	44.6	45.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 23.5	Cts. 37.5	Cts. 37.1	Cts. 37.2	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 37.1	Cts. 37.4	Cts. 37.4	Cts. 37.6	Cts. 39.0	Cts. 39.1	Cts. 39.0	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 38.0
Round steak.....	do.....	20.8	30.6	30.3	30.3	30.9	30.8	30.6	30.8	30.8	31.6	31.3	32.0	33.6	31.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.3	30.5	29.5	29.6	29.7	29.3	29.3	29.0	29.0	31.2	30.5	30.7	31.3	30.0
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.7	20.8	20.9	20.8	21.1	19.7	19.9	20.2	20.1	20.7	21.3	22.1	23.2	20.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.6	15.2	14.9	14.5	14.3	14.1	13.9	13.6	13.6	14.0	14.7	15.1	16.4	14.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	25.1	45.2	43.5	43.9	42.8	41.9	42.1	41.9	45.8	47.6	46.0	42.6	38.7	43.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	33.7	57.4	56.4	57.2	55.6	54.7	55.3	55.0	54.7	54.4	55.0	53.6	53.9	55.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	35.8	69.5	70.0	69.2	70.0	69.2	68.6	66.7	66.4	68.1	68.5	68.0	66.3	68.4
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	18.8	36.8	35.8	35.8	36.8	36.4	36.7	37.2	36.1	37.4	37.3	36.9	37.4	36.7
Hens.....	do.....	26.6	44.6	44.6	44.3	44.5	43.3	42.6	41.1	40.3	40.7	41.4	42.9	42.8	42.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	32.1	31.0	30.9	31.0	31.2	30.6	30.9	31.3	32.3	33.5	34.2	35.4	32.0	32.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	10.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2
Butter.....	Pound..	39.6	56.6	56.5	56.0	52.8	50.3	50.3	51.6	54.9	57.1	56.9	57.3	54.2	54.2
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	30.6	30.5	27.8	26.6	26.3	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.2	26.3	26.0	25.8	27.1
Cheese.....	do.....	19.5	38.3	39.0	38.3	38.1	38.2	38.1	38.2	38.1	38.3	38.4	38.4	38.5	38.3
Lard.....	do.....	18.0	21.7	21.4	20.8	19.6	19.2	19.1	19.2	19.6	19.7	20.3	20.6	21.0	20.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	26.2	25.6	24.8	24.7	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.8	24.2	23.9	24.6	24.7	24.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	38.3	46.9	34.6	32.4	31.6	31.9	35.4	34.8	41.9	47.1	53.9	58.8	49.9	41.6
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	43.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	44.0	46.0	42.0	---	---
Bread.....	Pound..	6.1	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Flour.....	do.....	3.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.3	5.4	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.0	25.1	25.1	25.1	25.1	24.9	24.9	24.8	24.9	24.9	24.9	24.9	24.9	25.0
Macaroni.....	Pound..	18.2	18.3	18.3	18.4	18.3	18.3	18.4	18.3	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.4
Rice.....	do.....	7.7	10.6	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.8	10.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.6	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.7	5.2	4.1	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.0	4.0
Onions.....	do.....	5.5	5.7	6.2	7.5	7.4	7.4	6.9	5.8	5.2	4.7	4.7	4.8	6.0	6.0
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.6	5.7	9.2	7.2	5.1	4.5	4.2	4.4	4.3	5.2	5.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.	11.5	11.4	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.6	11.2	11.0	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	11.0	11.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.0	16.1	15.7	15.6	15.7	15.6	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.7
Peas, canned.....	do.....	17.2	17.3	17.5	17.0	16.9	17.0	17.2	16.9	16.4	16.4	16.5	16.7	16.9	16.9
Tomatoes, canned.....	No. 2 can.	15.6	15.3	15.2	15.1	14.5	14.4	14.5	15.0	15.0	14.7	14.9	14.7	14.9	14.9
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	7.4	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.8	7.0
Tea.....	do.....	54.5	74.5	74.9	74.4	74.4	74.9	74.1	74.7	74.9	74.1	74.4	74.4	73.8	74.5
Coffee.....	do.....	36.3	53.3	52.6	52.0	50.1	51.6	51.4	51.2	51.4	51.2	51.2	51.6	51.7	51.6
Prunes.....	do.....	15.0	14.8	14.9	15.1	14.9	14.9	14.5	14.0	13.5	12.6	12.7	12.7	14.1	14.1
Raisins.....	do.....	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.8	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.4	11.9	11.8	12.6	12.6
Bananas.....	do.....	9.3	10.2	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.3	9.3	9.6	9.6	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.7
Oranges.....	Dozen..	47.3	46.8	43.1	44.2	45.7	48.6	47.7	55.0	51.1	59.5	58.5	54.8	50.2	50.2

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
LOUISVILLE, KY.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	Cts. 22.6	Cts. 33.2	Cts. 33.8	Cts. 34.0	Cts. 34.0	Cts. 35.4	Cts. 35.4	Cts. 35.8	Cts. 36.3	Cts. 36.4	Cts. 36.3	Cts. 35.9	Cts. 35.4	Cts. 35.2
Round steak	do.	19.5	28.8	29.0	29.2	29.6	31.7	31.7	31.3	31.3	32.3	32.4	32.3	31.5	30.9
Rib roast	do.	18.1	24.7	25.1	24.7	25.4	27.3	27.3	27.4	26.0	26.6	26.6	26.6	26.8	26.2
Chuck roast	do.	15.1	18.3	19.0	18.8	18.6	19.2	19.4	19.3	19.2	19.4	19.8	20.4	20.3	19.3
Plate beef	do.	12.5	15.2	15.5	15.5	15.6	16.1	16.1	15.9	15.7	16.4	15.8	16.4	16.8	15.9
Pork chops	do.	19.8	32.8	33.2	32.9	34.8	38.8	38.6	37.2	36.3	38.9	39.1	35.4	32.2	35.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	28.4	46.1	46.9	45.7	46.1	49.4	51.7	51.7	51.9	52.0	52.2	52.2	50.0	49.6
Ham, sliced	do.	28.5	47.9	47.9	48.6	49.1	52.3	55.5	55.5	55.0	55.7	55.7	55.8	54.2	52.8
Lamb, leg of	do.	17.8	39.0	38.6	39.0	39.0	41.0	44.0	40.6	39.2	39.3	40.8	38.8	39.9	39.9
Hens	do.	22.6	38.8	38.0	39.1	40.0	39.6	39.9	39.6	37.0	38.0	36.9	35.6	36.4	38.2
Salmon, canned, red.	do.	36.1	37.1	37.6	38.1	38.4	38.7	38.9	39.0	38.2	35.3	33.7	34.6	37.1	37.1
Milk, fresh	Quart.	8.8	13.8	13.0	12.3	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	13.0	13.0	12.4
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹	11.9	11.9	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7
Butter	Pound	39.6	55.6	54.8	54.2	52.0	49.1	50.2	49.5	50.3	53.2	55.9	57.9	62.3	53.8
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do.	34.5	33.4	33.1	32.3	33.2	32.5	32.2	32.8	31.4	31.3	30.4	27.3	32.0	32.0
Cheese	do.	21.7	38.1	38.5	37.4	37.5	36.6	36.0	36.1	36.4	36.9	37.1	36.6	37.5	37.1
Lard	do.	15.6	21.2	21.0	21.0	20.5	21.2	21.4	21.7	22.1	21.8	21.0	19.3	18.6	20.9
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.	28.2	28.4	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.8	29.0	29.2	30.6	30.8	30.9	29.5	29.2	29.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	26.9	50.7	38.9	30.0	32.9	34.0	35.1	36.0	36.1	45.1	49.4	59.4	62.4	42.5
Eggs, storage	do.	43.7	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	40.0	50.0	9.3
Bread	Pound	5.7	7.1	7.2	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.2	6.2	6.5
Flour	do.	3.7	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
Corn meal	do.	2.3	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
Rolled oats	do.	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.8	11.0	10.6	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.	24.3	24.0	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.2	24.2	24.8	26.5	26.1	26.0	26.2	24.9	24.9
Macaroni	Pound	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.2	19.5	19.5	19.1	19.1	18.6	18.6	18.5	18.1	19.1	19.1
Rice	do.	8.3	11.2	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.6	11.3	11.2	11.5	11.5	11.2	11.0	11.3
Beans, navy	do.	8.4	8.3	7.9	7.9	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.4	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.9
Potatoes	do.	1.9	6.0	5.8	5.8	6.5	7.0	5.6	4.6	3.2	4.1	3.9	3.7	3.9	5.0
Onions	do.	5.8	5.7	5.9	6.3	8.1	7.6	6.7	5.6	5.4	5.8	5.6	5.2	6.1	6.1
Cabbage	do.	6.4	7.2	8.5	7.7	6.0	6.6	5.4	4.7	4.8	4.5	4.1	4.7	5.9	5.9
Beans, baked	No. 2 can.	11.0	11.1	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.7	10.3	10.2	9.8	9.9	10.6	10.6
Corn, canned	do.	17.5	16.9	16.1	16.5	16.6	16.8	16.0	16.5	15.1	15.6	15.0	15.1	16.1	16.1
Peas, canned	do.	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.1	15.6	16.1	16.3	15.7	16.3	16.3	16.2	16.0	16.1	16.1
Tomatoes, canned	do.	12.0	10.5	10.3	10.0	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.3	10.0	10.7	10.9	10.5	10.4	10.4
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.3	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.2
Tea	do.	62.9	80.4	81.3	77.6	79.9	79.9	82.6	82.6	85.5	86.9	89.4	89.4	83.2	83.2
Coffee	do.	27.5	50.7	50.7	50.6	50.0	49.5	50.0	49.7	50.0	50.9	51.3	50.8	50.1	50.4
Prunes	do.	16.9	16.9	16.7	16.7	16.9	16.8	18.2	18.2	17.9	16.7	15.5	15.5	16.9	16.9
Raisins	do.	14.8	15.5	15.4	15.5	15.7	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.5	15.7	14.8	14.4	15.4	15.4
Bananas	Dozen	35.8	35.8	38.8	38.8	36.3	36.3	37.5	33.8	36.3	35.0	35.0	32.5	36.0	36.0
Oranges	do.	40.3	43.1	44.5	46.8	47.7	50.0	46.3	46.5	45.9	51.0	45.4	39.5	45.6	45.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

LOUISVILLE, KY.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 22.6	Cts. 35.4	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.4	Cts. 35.8	Cts. 37.9	Cts. 37.8	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 37.5	Cts. 37.2	Cts. 37.5	Cts. 37.2	Cts. 37.6	Cts. 36.8
Round steak.....	do.....	19.5	31.5	31.9	31.9	32.3	34.0	34.2	34.5	33.3	34.6	34.1	34.1	34.6	33.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.1	26.3	25.9	25.6	26.5	27.8	27.6	27.5	27.5	27.1	27.1	27.5	27.5	27.0
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.1	20.3	20.2	20.2	20.5	21.8	22.1	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.7	21.6	21.6	21.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.5	16.5	16.3	16.3	16.9	16.7	17.5	17.3	17.7	17.3	16.7	17.8	17.7	17.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	19.8	32.8	32.0	32.6	32.5	32.3	30.9	32.1	35.6	37.1	38.2	32.7	28.1	33.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	28.4	48.8	48.6	48.6	47.7	46.9	47.7	47.3	46.9	47.7	47.5	47.7	45.8	47.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.5	53.1	52.7	53.1	52.3	51.9	50.0	49.2	50.4	50.0	50.4	47.7	46.5	50.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	17.8	39.7	38.3	38.8	40.3	41.7	42.5	42.0	41.3	41.3	41.7	38.6	38.6	40.4
Hens.....	do.....	22.6	32.6	33.3	37.9	38.8	36.0	32.0	34.5	33.3	32.9	35.6	33.4	34.4	35.5
Salmon, canned, red.	do.....	32.6	31.6	31.5	31.4	31.3	30.5	30.4	30.5	31.3	32.4	32.6	33.4	34.3	31.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.8	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.8	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.6
Milk, evaporated.	Can ¹	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9
Butter.....	Pound..	39.6	60.9	61.2	61.3	59.6	54.4	53.4	51.0	51.4	52.4	55.8	56.4	59.8	56.5
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.....	26.9	26.9	26.9	27.7	27.5	27.2	27.5	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.1	27.3	26.6	27.2
Cheese.....	do.....	21.7	37.4	38.0	38.3	37.1	36.8	36.8	37.1	37.0	37.5	38.6	39.0	39.2	37.7
Lard.....	do.....	15.6	18.0	18.2	18.0	17.7	17.9	17.9	18.1	18.0	18.6	19.2	18.5	17.9	18.1
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....	28.7	28.7	28.6	29.3	29.1	29.1	28.7	28.0	28.6	28.5	27.6	27.3	27.3	28.6
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen...	26.9	51.8	36.6	27.0	27.0	26.3	25.7	28.2	33.8	42.1	48.8	57.1	60.4	38.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	41.5	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3
Bread.....	Pound..	5.7	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3
Flour.....	do.....	3.7	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.0	5.9	6.1	6.1	6.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.3	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.0	4.0
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.4	8.4	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.1	9.8	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.5	10.0	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.5	25.3	25.1	25.2	25.0	25.1	24.8	25.0	25.2	25.3	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound..	18.3	18.1	18.7	19.1	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.7	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.8
Rice.....	do.....	8.3	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.5	11.2	11.6	11.4	10.8	11.1	11.3
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.2	8.5	8.3	8.9	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.2
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.9	3.8	3.5	3.6	3.6	4.9	7.5	3.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.8
Onions.....	do.....	5.2	5.2	5.5	9.2	10.1	9.6	6.6	6.3	6.1	5.5	5.2	4.6	4.6	6.6
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.7	5.8	5.7	5.6	7.6	9.6	5.3	5.0	5.1	5.0	4.0	3.9	5.6	5.6
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.1	15.7	15.6	13.9	14.3	14.9	14.6	15.2	15.4	15.1	15.7	15.4	15.1	15.1
Peas, canned.....	do.....	15.3	14.6	14.6	14.4	14.6	13.8	14.6	14.8	14.8	14.8	15.2	15.2	14.7	14.7
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	10.7	10.8	11.2	11.2	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.1	11.1	10.8	10.6	10.5	10.9	10.9
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	5.3	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.6
Tea.....	do.....	62.9	90.3	90.3	90.9	91.1	91.2	91.2	90.4	90.7	90.6	90.0	90.0	89.6	90.5
Coffee.....	do.....	27.5	48.2	49.3	49.7	49.1	47.7	47.6	47.3	47.6	47.2	46.5	46.7	47.0	47.8
Prunes.....	do.....	16.6	16.4	16.0	15.8	15.3	15.4	15.7	16.3	16.9	15.7	14.3	14.5	15.9	15.9
Raisins.....	do.....	14.7	14.5	14.7	14.5	14.8	14.4	14.7	14.6	14.9	14.5	14.0	13.7	14.5	14.5
Bananas.....	do.....	10.7	10.7	10.5	10.3	9.3	9.9	9.8	9.5	9.9	10.2	10.8	10.0	10.1	10.1
Oranges.....	Dozen...	36.8	37.1	41.3	39.6	45.5	43.8	42.3	46.2	47.3	48.6	44.6	41.7	42.9	42.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
MANCHESTER, N. H.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound.....	Cts. 35.5	Cts. 56.8	Cts. 56.4	Cts. 56.4	Cts. 56.6	Cts. 56.6	Cts. 58.1	Cts. 58.3	Cts. 57.8	Cts. 58.1	Cts. 56.7	Cts. 54.9	Cts. 54.9	Cts. 56.8
Round steak.....	do.....	29.0	45.2	44.6	44.4	45.3	45.5	45.5	45.9	45.5	47.1	45.3	43.6	43.9	45.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.2	28.3	27.9	27.9	28.3	28.2	28.4	28.4	28.5	30.2	28.1	26.9	27.2	28.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.9	22.9	22.4	22.6	22.9	23.5	23.4	23.8	23.6	23.9	23.3	23.1	22.9	23.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	---	16.2	15.5	15.8	16.0	16.7	16.3	16.3	16.0	16.7	16.0	15.7	16.3	16.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.5	35.9	34.5	35.7	37.3	39.2	40.8	40.2	38.5	41.8	43.3	41.1	38.4	38.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	23.4	42.0	42.6	41.9	41.9	42.8	43.4	43.3	44.2	42.8	43.0	41.6	41.6	42.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.2	44.0	44.0	44.3	45.6	47.4	50.9	53.9	53.7	51.3	49.5	47.0	45.0	48.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	20.1	38.3	37.7	36.7	36.6	38.9	40.9	40.4	40.0	39.0	38.3	38.0	36.9	38.5
Hens.....	do.....	24.1	42.1	42.7	43.3	44.3	44.7	45.5	45.4	44.2	44.1	43.8	43.9	43.1	43.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	---	39.1	39.1	39.1	38.5	38.4	38.9	39.1	38.8	37.0	36.1	34.8	33.9	37.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	8.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.9
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	---	13.1	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.8	12.9	12.8	12.8	12.7	12.9
Butter.....	Pound.....	40.3	57.2	56.8	56.1	53.1	51.3	51.8	51.9	51.6	53.3	54.1	55.2	57.6	54.2
Oil/margarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	---	27.5	28.0	28.0	28.0	26.0	26.3	26.0	26.3	26.3	26.3	25.8	25.5	26.7
Cheese.....	do.....	21.6	36.9	37.1	36.6	36.4	36.1	36.3	36.5	36.0	36.5	36.3	36.5	36.4	36.5
Lard.....	do.....	16.1	21.3	21.4	21.1	20.6	20.8	21.8	22.1	21.8	21.4	20.7	20.0	19.8	21.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	---	26.3	25.9	25.7	26.2	25.2	26.1	25.6	25.6	26.0	25.6	25.3	25.4	25.7
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen.....	37.6	58.5	54.9	48.3	43.6	44.7	47.5	54.1	55.8	63.7	71.6	81.9	77.7	58.5
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	---	44.6	36.9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	49.0	48.4	50.0	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	6.0	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7
Flour.....	do.....	3.4	6.5	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.7	6.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.7	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3
Rolled oats.....	do.....	---	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.8	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	9.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	---	11.4	11.1	11.4	11.4	11.0	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	---	25.2	25.1	25.4	25.5	25.6	25.6	25.7	25.8	25.6	25.4	25.7	25.7	25.5
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	---	24.5	24.5	24.0	24.2	24.1	23.9	23.9	24.0	24.2	24.0	23.8	23.8	24.1
Rice.....	do.....	8.7	11.1	10.9	11.2	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.0	10.8	10.3	9.8	10.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....	---	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.1	9.0	8.9	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.1	9.0	9.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.6	5.9	5.7	5.3	6.8	4.9	4.1	3.6	3.4	3.0	3.3	3.6	3.6	4.4
Onions.....	do.....	---	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.7	7.0	7.0	7.1	6.0	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.6
Cabbage.....	do.....	---	4.6	5.5	6.6	8.4	7.5	7.6	7.2	4.6	4.1	4.1	3.9	4.0	5.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	---	14.1	14.1	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.0	13.9	14.0	13.7	14.0	13.6	13.9	14.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....	---	18.1	17.6	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.7	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.3	17.2	17.5
Peas, canned.....	do.....	---	19.4	19.3	19.2	19.2	19.1	18.9	19.1	19.3	19.1	19.5	19.1	18.9	19.2
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	---	13.5	13.0	12.7	12.5	11.5	11.4	11.7	11.8	11.7	12.1	12.7	12.2	12.2
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.4	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.7	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	46.3	63.7	63.7	63.1	63.1	63.9	63.6	64.3	62.9	62.7	62.7	64.2	62.9	63.4
Coffee.....	do.....	32.0	52.5	52.5	52.6	51.5	51.8	51.3	52.6	52.3	52.2	52.4	52.9	52.6	52.3
Prunes.....	do.....	---	15.7	15.7	15.8	16.1	16.2	16.5	16.1	15.9	15.8	15.9	15.4	15.2	15.9
Raisins.....	do.....	---	14.5	14.4	14.5	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.0	13.9	14.3
Bananas.....	do.....	---	9.9	9.5	9.9	9.8	8.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.5
Oranges.....	Dozen.....	---	45.7	44.4	47.6	51.8	50.2	48.9	48.2	53.9	54.1	60.9	58.4	49.6	51.1

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

MANCHESTER, N. H.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound.....	Cts. 35.5	Cts. 55.2	Cts. 55.7	Cts. 56.8	Cts. 58.8	Cts. 59.0	Cts. 59.4	Cts. 62.6	Cts. 62.4	Cts. 60.0	Cts. 60.0	Cts. 59.8	Cts. 61.0	Cts. 59.2
Round steak.....	do.....	29.0	45.7	46.2	46.5	48.3	48.5	47.5	49.0	48.6	46.9	46.8	46.5	47.2	47.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.2	27.1	27.6	27.9	29.2	29.4	28.1	30.6	29.7	29.9	29.9	30.0	30.8	29.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.9	22.7	23.1	22.9	23.7	24.9	24.0	24.7	24.9	24.6	24.1	25.5	25.5	24.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.0	16.3	16.3	16.6	16.7	16.8	17.4	16.9	17.5	16.8	16.9	17.1	16.8	16.8
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.5	35.9	34.4	35.9	35.9	35.8	32.0	32.4	36.9	40.8	42.3	36.6	32.3	35.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	23.4	41.3	41.7	41.9	41.9	40.8	38.1	38.9	39.0	38.7	38.9	39.0	38.9	39.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.2	45.9	45.6	46.0	46.6	47.3	45.7	46.6	46.3	45.1	44.1	44.0	42.7	45.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	20.1	37.6	37.3	37.7	39.3	39.7	39.5	40.3	39.1	38.3	36.6	36.7	36.0	38.2
Hens.....	do.....	24.1	44.6	44.0	43.9	43.4	43.2	42.4	42.9	42.5	41.9	41.3	41.7	41.8	42.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	33.4	33.3	33.1	32.0	31.7	31.3	31.6	33.3	34.1	34.8	34.9	35.4	33.2	33.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	8.0	14.0	14.0	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	14.8	14.8	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.3
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	12.9	12.9	12.6	12.8	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.9	12.9	12.8	12.9	12.9	12.8	12.8
Butter.....	do.....	40.3	59.1	60.9	62.0	61.1	57.0	54.7	54.3	53.8	54.2	56.4	56.1	56.8	57.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	24.8	24.8	23.5	25.4
Cheese.....	do.....	21.6	36.4	36.6	36.7	36.8	35.9	36.6	36.7	36.6	36.9	37.2	38.1	38.9	37.0
Lard.....	do.....	16.1	18.6	19.0	18.9	18.3	18.4	18.3	18.2	17.8	18.5	18.8	18.7	18.4	18.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	25.8	26.0	26.0	26.6	26.1	26.0	26.1	25.8	26.0	26.5	26.5	26.5	26.5	26.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen.....	37.6	65.1	56.7	44.4	40.5	39.5	41.5	48.2	55.0	63.2	68.3	75.7	67.3	55.5
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	49.3	41.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7
Bread.....	Pound.....	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.7
Flour.....	do.....	3.4	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.2	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.1	8.9	8.8	9.1	9.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....	11.1	11.2	11.0	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	10.1	10.1
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	25.5	25.8	25.8	25.6	25.5	25.4	25.8	25.6	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.7	25.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	23.8	23.9	23.9	23.9	23.7	23.6	23.7	23.8	23.8	23.6	23.4	23.5	23.7	23.7
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	8.7	10.0	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.5	9.5	9.9	9.9
Rice.....	do.....	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	1.6	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.0	4.0	4.9	3.4	2.8	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.6	3.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	5.1	5.5	5.5	6.9	7.8	7.8	7.5	5.8	4.9	4.5	4.3	4.6	5.9	5.9
Onions.....	do.....	4.2	4.1	4.1	6.3	11.0	10.5	6.0	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.2	5.2	5.2
Cabbage.....	do.....	13.5	13.8	13.6	13.3	13.4	13.0	13.4	13.2	13.2	13.3	12.9	12.8	13.3	13.3
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	16.9	16.7	16.8	16.6	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.1	15.7	16.1	16.1	16.5	16.3	16.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....	18.5	18.9	18.7	18.7	17.7	17.7	17.9	17.3	18.0	17.7	18.2	18.6	18.2	18.2
Peas, canned.....	do.....	12.6	12.6	12.8	13.3	13.1	12.9	13.1	12.7	12.5	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.7	12.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	Pound.....	5.4	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.3	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.5
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	46.3	62.9	63.5	63.5	63.5	63.2	64.2	63.5	63.5	64.2	64.2	65.2	65.2	63.9
Tea.....	do.....	52.3	51.8	50.9	50.3	48.7	48.3	47.9	47.7	47.9	47.8	48.6	49.5	49.3	49.3
Coffee.....	do.....	15.2	14.7	14.7	14.6	14.1	14.6	14.2	14.1	13.7	14.0	13.3	13.7	14.2	14.2
Prunes.....	do.....	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.9	13.9	14.0	14.0	13.8	13.6	13.6	13.3	13.8	13.8
Raisins.....	do.....	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.4	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.5	9.7	9.5	9.5
Bananas.....	do.....	49.4	45.4	48.9	50.2	51.6	48.8	50.9	58.5	56.5	56.1	51.7	55.7	52.0	52.0
Oranges.....	Dozen.....														

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH MEMPHIS, TENN.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1926												Aver- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	22.7	35.3	35.3	35.9	35.5	35.9	36.1	35.8	36.3	36.7	36.3	36.3	35.9	35.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.1	31.7	32.1	32.5	32.7	33.6	33.6	34.0	34.0	34.0	32.9	33.3	32.7	33.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	20.4	26.4	26.4	26.1	25.8	26.9	26.8	27.1	26.9	27.3	27.3	26.5	25.9	26.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	15.0	19.2	18.7	19.0	19.0	19.1	19.1	19.3	19.5	19.1	20.2	20.2	19.4	19.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	11.8	14.6	14.6	14.8	15.0	15.5	15.2	15.3	15.2	14.8	16.3	15.6	15.2	15.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	20.3	31.1	30.8	34.0	34.2	36.6	38.0	37.2	35.7	36.3	38.2	35.4	33.2	35.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	30.3	42.8	43.0	42.5	43.5	43.3	45.2	45.3	44.9	45.3	44.6	44.3	42.7	44.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	28.7	49.6	50.8	51.3	50.8	53.3	58.3	59.6	60.4	58.8	57.9	57.5	55.0	55.3
Hens.....	do.....	20.6	39.6	38.6	37.9	38.3	40.0	40.0	41.9	40.0	40.0	40.7	38.8	37.9	39.5
Salmon, canned, red.	do.....	19.8	33.5	33.9	34.9	34.2	34.8	34.4	31.9	31.0	31.4	31.6	32.2	31.0	32.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	33.8	33.1	33.3	33.3	33.3	33.3	34.0	34.7	35.4	35.4	34.0	34.3	34.3	34.1
Milk, evaporated.	Can ¹	10.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Butter.....	Pound..	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.4
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.....	55.1	53.6	52.4	50.8	48.1	48.1	49.3	49.3	49.5	51.3	52.1	53.5	56.8	51.8
Cheese.....	do.....	27.2	27.7	27.7	27.7	27.7	27.7	26.9	27.3	26.6	26.1	25.4	26.4	27.4	27.0
Lard.....	do.....	21.0	34.4	33.9	33.9	32.3	31.9	32.4	32.1	32.3	33.3	33.9	33.7	33.8	33.2
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....	15.7	20.1	19.4	19.6	19.3	19.4	21.4	21.0	20.2	19.4	18.8	18.1	17.6	19.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	23.7	23.7	23.4	22.9	23.0	23.7	23.6	23.8	23.5	22.2	21.8	21.2	23.0	
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	28.5	48.9	37.8	34.0	35.1	35.7	37.6	39.0	39.1	42.8	46.8	51.4	52.2	41.7
Bread.....	Pound..	38.3	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.7
Flour.....	do.....	6.0	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.6	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.2	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg	11.0	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.5	25.1	25.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.3	19.6	19.6	19.2	19.3	19.2	19.4
Rice.....	do.....	7.8	10.3	10.4	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.3	9.7	9.4	10.4
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	6.2	6.0	5.9	7.1	7.0	5.4	4.9	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.5	5.4
Onions.....	do.....	5.4	5.0	5.5	5.6	6.3	5.9	5.6	5.6	5.3	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.4	
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.8	6.5	6.0	6.0	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.9	4.9	
Beans, baked.....	No.2 can	12.1	11.9	11.8	11.9	11.8	11.7	11.8	12.0	11.8	11.9	11.6	11.6	11.8	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.6	16.6	16.4	16.4	16.1	15.7	16.0	16.1	16.1	15.6	15.3	15.6	16.0	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	17.7	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	17.0	17.7	17.5	17.2	17.1	17.0	16.9	17.5	
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	11.5	11.3	11.0	11.0	10.8	10.5	10.8	10.8	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.8	
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..	5.5	6.9	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.0	
Tea.....	do.....	63.8	94.4	94.4	95.8	96.9	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	99.0	99.0	99.0	96.8	
Coffee.....	do.....	27.5	51.7	51.3	51.8	51.6	50.9	51.0	51.3	51.3	51.0	50.2	50.1	49.6	51.0
Prunes.....	do.....	17.7	18.0	18.1	17.6	17.5	17.1	17.6	17.3	17.5	17.3	16.6	15.9	17.4	
Raisins.....	do.....	15.3	15.9	15.4	15.8	15.8	15.6	15.4	15.2	15.6	15.4	15.0	14.6	15.4	
Bananas.....	Dozen..	35.0	34.0	33.8	36.3	32.5	33.8	30.0	28.8	30.0	31.3	30.0	31.3	32.4	
Oranges.....	do.....	41.7	45.1	47.0	52.1	52.1	52.0	45.8	50.1	46.2	51.6	46.5	37.3	47.3	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1927												Av- er- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	22.7	36.0	35.5	35.0	35.5	36.4	37.0	37.3	38.6	39.3	39.8	38.9	38.9	37.4
Round steak.....	do.....	19.1	33.8	33.3	32.5	33.9	33.8	34.5	34.4	35.8	36.4	37.3	36.4	36.4	34.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.4	25.3	25.5	26.0	26.5	27.5	27.3	28.0	27.3	28.4	28.4	28.8	28.9	27.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.0	19.4	19.2	19.2	19.9	20.0	20.8	20.3	21.0	22.0	22.9	22.3	22.4	20.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.8	16.5	15.8	15.5	16.3	16.7	16.2	16.1	17.2	17.6	18.9	18.8	19.2	17.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.3	32.8	29.5	31.3	31.9	31.1	30.0	29.1	32.4	34.9	37.4	30.7	29.1	31.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	30.3	41.5	41.3	41.0	40.8	42.0	40.5	40.3	39.8	41.2	38.9	39.2	38.9	40.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	28.7	54.0	54.5	54.0	55.0	55.5	54.1	54.0	53.5	52.8	52.4	51.4	50.6	53.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	20.6	38.0	37.0	37.6	40.0	41.2	41.2	38.7	37.9	38.0	36.2	35.7	35.2	38.1
Hens.....	do.....	19.8	32.1	32.8	33.5	33.0	31.6	30.6	28.4	29.8	30.0	31.9	30.5	30.9	31.3
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	35.0	33.0	33.3	32.8	33.1	33.4	33.1	33.6	31.6	33.8	31.9	30.4	30.4	32.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	10.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.6	11.8	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.4
Butter.....	Pound..	39.4	56.9	57.1	57.5	56.7	52.5	51.2	50.9	51.2	52.4	54.8	55.6	57.3	54.5
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	27.9	27.8	27.0	25.6	25.1	25.1	24.5	25.7	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.1	25.3	25.9
Cheese.....	do.....	21.0	36.0	35.2	34.1	33.3	32.8	33.4	33.8	34.3	36.8	38.4	37.3	38.4	35.3
Lard.....	do.....	15.7	17.0	16.5	16.1	15.9	16.2	16.0	16.1	16.5	16.9	16.7	16.4	16.2	16.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	19.7	19.6	19.9	19.7	19.3	20.0	20.2	21.8	21.8	21.6	21.8	22.8	20.7	
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	28.5	48.5	37.7	28.4	28.9	29.4	29.9	32.1	35.5	39.2	43.7	48.8	51.4	37.8
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	39.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	39.0	38.5	38.3	---
Bread.....	Pound..	6.0	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
Flour.....	do.....	3.5	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.2	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.7
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.3	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	10.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.7	25.7	26.0	26.0	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.6	
Macaroni.....	Pound..	19.3	19.7	18.8	18.9	18.9	18.7	18.9	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.2
Rice.....	do.....	7.8	9.2	9.0	8.8	8.4	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.8	8.9	8.7	8.6	8.3	8.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.0	9.3	8.9	8.7	8.3	8.9	9.1	8.9	9.3	9.3	9.5	9.4	9.1	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.5	5.3	6.6	5.0	4.9	3.8	3.3	3.2	3.2	4.4
Onions.....	do.....	5.3	5.3	6.1	7.1	7.5	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.1	4.8	4.6	4.7	5.8	
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.7	3.8	3.8	4.3	6.8	7.8	4.8	4.7	4.1	3.7	3.4	3.4	4.6	
Beans, baked.....	No.2 can.....	11.5	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.5	15.0	14.5	14.0	13.8	14.3	14.6	14.8	14.7	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.6	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.0	15.7	15.2	14.8	14.8	15.1	15.3	15.8	15.8	15.6	15.0	15.0	15.3	
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	10.2	10.0	9.7	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.1	9.9
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.5	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.1	7.1	6.9	7.1	6.9	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	63.8	99.5	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.5	98.8	98.6	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	99.0	
Coffee.....	do.....	27.5	49.5	48.8	48.1	47.7	47.8	47.6	47.3	47.6	47.3	47.3	47.6	47.6	47.9
Prunes.....	do.....	15.5	15.4	15.0	14.4	14.0	14.0	13.8	14.7	14.6	14.0	13.9	14.1	14.5	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.7	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.6	14.2	14.6
Bananas.....	do.....	8.1	8.7	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.6	9.0	9.0	8.5	
Oranges.....	Dozen..	33.4	35.3	34.8	39.4	47.5	42.2	39.1	49.2	47.6	45.4	42.9	42.0	41.6	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Article	Unit	Av- erage for year 1913	1926												Av- erage for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	22.4	37.3	36.9	37.1	37.8	38.2	39.0	39.1	39.2	39.1	39.3	38.2	37.8	38.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.6	33.5	33.0	32.8	33.4	33.7	34.6	34.8	35.0	34.8	34.9	33.7	33.2	34.0
Chuck roast.....	do.....	18.4	28.2	28.3	27.9	28.1	28.3	28.4	28.3	28.5	28.7	28.1	27.8	28.0	28.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.1	23.5	23.5	23.3	23.7	24.0	24.3	24.2	24.3	24.4	24.7	24.3	24.5	24.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	11.6	14.1	14.2	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.5	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	19.0	33.9	33.5	35.0	37.2	39.8	41.6	41.5	37.9	43.2	41.3	35.5	33.0	37.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	27.5	46.7	47.1	46.8	47.5	48.2	50.2	52.3	51.5	51.8	52.4	51.2	48.8	49.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	27.8	49.8	49.0	49.6	50.3	51.7	56.4	57.7	57.3	56.2	54.7	53.3	51.3	53.1
Hens.....	do.....	19.7	40.5	39.4	37.8	37.7	39.6	44.4	41.9	39.2	38.6	38.5	36.9	36.5	39.3
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	19.8	36.6	37.1	38.2	40.2	39.9	36.9	35.8	33.8	33.6	33.3	30.8	32.1	35.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart....	32.2	32.1	32.1	32.1	32.1	32.1	33.3	33.8	34.6	34.0	33.8	34.2	33.6	33.2
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹	7.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.8
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	Pound..	35.9	50.5	50.0	50.4	46.2	46.5	47.1	46.2	46.9	49.8	52.8	55.7	60.1	50.2
Cheese.....	do.....	29.2	29.2	28.4	27.5	27.2	27.1	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.2	27.8
Lard.....	do.....	21.8	35.3	34.7	34.1	33.8	33.2	32.7	33.0	33.2	34.0	35.1	35.3	35.4	34.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	15.6	22.3	22.1	21.9	21.6	21.3	22.6	23.0	22.4	22.3	22.0	20.8	20.4	21.9
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen....	26.9	26.6	26.8	26.7	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.8	26.9	26.7	26.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	29.3	48.4	37.5	33.6	34.1	34.5	35.4	35.2	37.2	41.6	53.2	65.9	63.3	43.3
Bread.....	Pound..	38.7	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3
Flour.....	do.....	5.6	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.1	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.5
Rolled oats.....	do.....	3.3	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.3
Macaroni.....	Pound..	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.5	24.5	24.7	24.5	24.4	24.4	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.5	24.5
Rice.....	do.....	18.1	18.2	18.0	17.9	18.0	17.9	18.0	17.9	17.9	18.0	17.8	18.0	18.0	18.0
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.0	11.8	11.9	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.5	11.3	11.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	8.8	8.7	8.5	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.4
Onions.....	do.....	1.4	4.9	4.8	4.8	5.9	5.0	4.5	3.8	3.0	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5	4.2
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.1	5.0	5.1	6.4	8.3	7.5	7.0	5.7	5.0	4.6	4.7	4.6	5.8	5.8
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	5.1	6.1	7.9	7.5	6.0	6.0	5.8	4.7	3.6	3.1	3.4	4.0	5.3	5.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....	11.3	11.4	11.1	11.1	10.9	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.1
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.5	16.2	16.4	16.1	15.5	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.5	15.8	15.8
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	17.1	16.8	16.9	16.6	16.2	16.4	16.6	16.4	16.4	16.3	16.2	16.3	16.5	16.5
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	14.0	14.1	13.6	13.3	13.0	13.1	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4
Tea.....	do.....	5.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.9	6.6	6.6
Coffee.....	do.....	50.0	71.3	71.4	71.4	71.4	71.2	70.7	71.2	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	71.0	71.1
Prunes.....	do.....	27.5	47.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	47.3	46.9	47.1	46.9	46.8	46.8	47.0
Raisins.....	do.....	17.4	17.3	17.5	17.2	17.2	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.9	16.4	16.5	17.0	17.0
Bananas.....	do.....	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.8	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.8	14.6	14.8
Oranges.....	Dozen....	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.6	9.3	9.4	9.8	9.6	9.9	9.7	9.7
		47.1	46.3	49.3	50.1	51.0	49.0	49.2	48.2	49.2	54.2	55.8	52.9	50.2	50.2

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1927												Av- er- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	22.4	37.6	37.4	37.4	37.9	38.0	39.2	40.5	41.3	41.4	41.6	41.1	40.8	39.5
Round steak.....	do.....	20.6	33.6	33.4	33.4	34.0	34.2	35.0	36.1	36.8	36.7	36.3	35.9	36.0	35.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.4	28.4	28.2	28.3	28.5	28.3	28.5	29.2	29.4	29.1	29.4	29.5	29.4	28.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.1	24.8	24.3	24.0	24.5	24.6	24.4	25.3	25.7	25.8	26.2	26.3	26.3	25.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.6	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.8	15.2	15.3	15.8	16.0	16.3	15.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	19.0	33.7	32.8	34.2	34.2	33.3	30.2	33.0	36.7	41.3	41.0	33.1	28.4	34.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	27.5	48.6	48.0	47.8	47.7	46.7	45.9	46.3	46.3	45.9	46.8	46.8	46.1	46.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	27.8	52.8	51.8	51.4	52.3	51.3	50.5	49.9	49.0	47.5	47.4	47.6	46.8	49.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.7	37.7	37.9	39.0	41.8	42.7	42.8	41.8	39.8	38.2	37.7	37.2	37.0	39.5
Hens.....	do.....	19.8	35.4	35.7	37.0	38.4	35.7	30.8	31.3	31.7	31.0	30.1	29.9	31.2	33.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		34.0	33.4	33.4	33.3	33.3	33.0	32.6	32.8	33.2	33.8	33.8	34.2	33.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	7.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.1	11.0	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2
Butter.....	Pound..	35.9	56.1	57.5	57.5	57.1	49.5	47.9	48.0	48.4	52.5	53.8	54.2	53.6	53.4
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		27.1	26.7	26.4	26.3	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.3	26.4	27.1	27.1	27.1	26.6
Cheese.....	do.....	21.8	36.0	36.1	35.7	35.3	34.8	35.0	34.9	35.5	35.9	37.2	37.1	38.0	36.0
Lard.....	do.....	15.6	19.7	19.1	18.9	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.1	19.3	19.7	19.5	19.6	19.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		26.8	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.5	26.5	26.7	26.6	26.7	26.7	26.5	26.7
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen...	29.3	51.8	40.2	29.5	28.9	28.5	27.3	30.2	36.6	43.1	51.4	61.8	61.5	40.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		42.2	34.3								37.0	39.1	39.0	
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0
Flour.....	do.....	3.1	5.1	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	5.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.3	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.6
Rolled oats.....	do.....		8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.3	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.5	9.3	9.4	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.5	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.6	24.3	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.6	24.7	24.5	24.5
Macaroni.....	Pound..		17.3	17.3	17.5	17.5	17.7	17.7	17.9	17.6	17.4	17.5	17.4	17.8	17.6
Rice.....	do.....	9.0	10.8	10.6	10.5	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.7	10.5	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.5
Beans, navy.....	do.....		8.5	8.4	8.0	8.1	8.0	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.4	3.5	3.1	2.7	2.6	3.8	5.5	3.6	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.5	3.2
Onions.....	do.....		5.0	5.1	5.3	7.5	9.5	9.5	8.5	6.4	5.2	4.5	4.3	4.5	6.3
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.1	4.9	5.0	4.9	9.4	10.9	5.8	3.6	3.4	3.0	2.8	3.3	5.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		11.2	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.2	10.9	11.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.6	15.3	15.5	15.1	15.3	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.5	15.6	15.8	15.9	15.5
Peas, canned.....	do.....		15.8	15.7	15.5	15.6	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.2	15.5	15.2	15.7	15.4
Tomatoes, canned	do.....		13.6	13.5	13.6	13.4	13.4	13.2	13.3	13.5	13.3	13.3	13.2	13.4	13.4
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.0
Tee.....	do.....	50.0	71.6	71.1	71.2	70.7	70.7	70.8	70.6	71.2	71.3	70.7	70.0	70.3	70.8
Coffee.....	do.....	27.5	45.9	45.0	43.3	42.5	42.5	42.5	42.4	42.1	41.9	42.7	42.7	43.0	43.0
Prunes.....	do.....		15.7	15.6	15.6	15.4	14.9	15.4	15.4	15.5	14.6	14.3	14.1	14.0	15.0
Raisins.....	do.....		14.7	14.8	14.6	14.6	14.8	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.4	14.5	13.9	13.9	14.5
Bananas.....	do.....		9.9	9.8	9.6	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.5	10.0	10.1	9.6
Oranges.....	Dozen...		46.0	46.9	47.9	47.3	50.2	48.7	49.0	50.8	52.0	53.7	53.2	52.6	49.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1926												Aver- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	21.9	30.9	31.2	30.8	31.7	33.6	33.4	33.6	33.7	32.8	30.7	30.8	31.1	32.0
Round steak.....	do.....	19.8	27.8	28.1	28.0	28.4	30.4	30.6	30.5	31.0	30.7	29.0	27.7	27.9	29.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.9	24.7	25.1	24.1	24.6	25.3	15.4	25.9	26.2	26.4	25.6	24.8	24.4	25.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.8	19.4	18.8	18.6	19.6	20.3	20.4	20.3	21.3	20.8	20.8	20.0	20.4	20.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	9.9	11.2	11.6	11.1	11.7	12.4	12.8	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.4	12.3	12.4	12.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	18.5	33.2	33.1	34.7	35.8	38.5	40.0	38.5	36.6	39.4	39.4	34.3	32.4	35.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	26.4	48.4	48.8	49.2	49.4	49.9	54.1	54.3	53.2	52.8	52.5	50.2	48.8	51.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.4	50.4	50.7	51.8	52.4	53.4	58.1	60.3	60.7	60.4	57.5	52.9	52.5	55.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	15.4	36.0	34.9	34.8	35.0	36.3	37.4	36.4	35.9	35.1	35.2	34.1	34.4	35.5
Hens.....	do.....	18.6	35.9	35.3	35.6	36.2	36.2	33.8	33.1	32.1	30.8	31.1	30.7	32.9	33.6
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	39.2	39.0	39.2	39.3	39.5	39.3	38.9	39.2	39.6	39.7	38.6	39.0	39.2	39.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	7.4	11.7	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹	12.1	12.1	12.1	11.7	11.8	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.7	11.4	11.7	11.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	Pound..	35.6	50.0	49.1	49.8	46.3	45.7	46.2	46.3	46.8	49.7	52.4	54.8	60.0	49.8
Cheese.....	do.....	20.6	35.4	34.9	35.3	34.4	33.5	32.5	32.9	32.8	33.8	35.1	35.2	35.4	34.3
Lard.....	do.....	15.4	20.9	20.9	20.5	20.3	19.9	21.4	21.8	21.3	20.8	20.5	19.8	18.9	20.6
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.2	27.2	27.4	27.3	27.3	27.3	27.2	27.4	27.4	27.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	28.3	46.1	37.5	34.2	34.3	35.0	35.4	35.4	35.8	42.6	47.1	53.3	54.8	41.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	38.3	24.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	41.0	42.2	39.6	---
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.3	9.3	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.5
Flour.....	do.....	2.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.4	8.7	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.2	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.2	8.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.9	25.7	25.4	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.6	25.3	25.3	25.5
Macaroni.....	Pound..	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.3	18.9	18.9	18.9	19.2
Rice.....	do.....	8.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.1	11.8	11.9	11.7	11.5	11.0	11.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.5	9.2
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.8	4.9	4.6	3.3	2.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	4.1
Onions.....	do.....	5.4	5.7	5.5	6.1	7.9	8.5	7.3	6.1	5.0	4.6	4.8	5.0	6.0	6.0
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.9	5.7	7.2	6.9	5.4	7.1	5.1	3.8	3.6	3.2	3.2	3.7	5.0	5.0
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	13.4	13.2	13.2	13.1	12.9	12.1	12.1	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.4	12.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.0	15.9	15.7	15.3	14.8	15.5	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4	14.6	14.1	14.3	15.2
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.2	16.1	15.7	15.7	15.6	15.3	15.1	15.4	15.4	15.4	14.8	14.3	14.7	15.4
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	14.5	14.5	14.2	14.3	14.2	13.9	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.7	13.9	13.9
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..	5.5	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.1	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	45.0	61.8	61.8	62.4	63.2	62.8	60.6	60.5	60.6	60.0	60.6	61.1	60.6	61.3
Coffee.....	do.....	30.8	54.3	54.3	54.3	54.4	54.0	53.8	53.8	53.9	53.9	53.9	53.7	53.9	54.0
Prunes.....	do.....	17.2	16.7	17.3	17.3	17.2	17.1	16.9	17.3	16.9	17.0	16.9	16.8	17.1	17.1
Raisins.....	do.....	15.3	15.2	15.4	15.4	15.3	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.1	14.9	14.9	14.3	14.4	15.1
Bananas.....	do.....	11.3	11.5	11.7	11.0	10.7	11.5	10.9	10.7	11.1	11.3	11.9	11.8	11.3	11.3
Oranges.....	Dozen..	49.8	49.5	49.4	51.4	50.9	45.9	47.9	48.8	49.2	56.2	58.6	57.6	50.4	50.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	21.9	31.9	31.1	31.4	33.1	34.5	35.1	35.8	36.6	36.1	35.8	35.2	34.8	34.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.8	28.9	29.0	28.9	29.9	31.2	31.5	32.2	32.3	31.8	31.7	31.2	31.2	30.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	18.9	26.6	25.9	25.1	26.5	27.8	28.2	29.2	29.2	28.6	27.3	27.8	28.0	27.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	15.8	20.6	20.3	20.4	22.4	23.0	23.8	23.9	24.2	23.2	23.7	23.6	23.3	22.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	9.9	12.8	12.6	13.0	13.5	13.9	14.2	13.9	13.6	13.6	14.0	14.3	15.0	13.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	18.5	33.1	33.0	33.3	33.8	33.5	31.5	32.2	34.0	37.2	39.4	34.4	30.2	33.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	26.4	47.4	47.4	47.5	47.7	47.7	47.3	47.1	46.3	46.5	47.2	46.4	46.7	47.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	29.4	52.9	53.2	52.9	54.2	55.4	53.8	53.5	53.1	51.2	50.8	50.8	48.5	52.5
Hens.....	do.....	15.4	34.4	34.1	34.7	36.7	36.4	37.4	36.5	35.9	34.3	34.1	33.6	33.7	35.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	18.6	35.1	35.4	35.1	35.5	35.1	31.1	31.8	30.7	30.3	30.8	30.7	33.4	32.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	7.4	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	11.3
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.6	11.8	11.7
Butter.....	Pound.....	35.6	54.6	55.9	56.0	56.0	48.7	47.9	46.9	47.3	50.4	52.8	53.9	57.1	52.3
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	25.5	25.3	25.5	25.3	25.5	25.5	25.4	25.0	25.2	25.4	25.7	25.6	25.6	25.4
Cheese.....	do.....	20.6	36.1	36.0	35.8	36.0	35.6	35.2	35.9	35.9	36.3	36.7	36.5	37.5	36.1
Lard.....	do.....	15.4	18.4	18.0	18.3	17.9	17.9	17.9	18.1	18.1	18.3	18.3	18.5	18.5	18.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.2	26.7	26.7	27.1	26.6	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	28.3	50.3	40.0	30.8	30.3	29.2	26.9	29.5	33.1	37.9	44.8	50.6	53.9	38.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	35.0	37.5	40.0	40.0
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.6	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.9
Flour.....	do.....	2.9	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.4	5.2	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.3	8.2	8.1	8.3	8.2	8.1	8.1	7.9	7.9	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	10.8	10.7	10.8	9.9	10.0	10.6	10.4	10.1	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	10.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	25.3	25.5	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.7	25.6	25.5	25.6	25.6
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	19.1	18.8	18.9	18.9	18.8	19.1	18.9	18.9	19.1	18.8	18.8	18.8	18.8	18.9
Rice.....	do.....	8.9	10.7	10.9	10.4	10.9	10.7	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.2	10.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.5	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.2	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.8	5.5	4.0	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.2	3.0
Onions.....	do.....	5.4	5.6	5.7	7.6	9.2	9.1	9.6	6.6	5.4	4.7	4.5	4.3	6.5	6.5
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.0	4.2	4.6	5.0	9.4	11.4	5.0	2.8	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.9	4.9	4.9
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	12.2	12.4	12.1	12.3	12.3	11.8	12.2	12.1	12.0	12.4	12.4	11.8	12.2	12.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.5	13.8	13.6	13.5	13.2	13.5	14.1	14.0	14.2	13.9	13.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.6	13.9	13.8	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.5	14.4	14.7	14.3	14.3
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	13.8	13.6	13.8	13.8	13.2	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.5	13.3	13.5	13.5
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.5	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.5
Tea.....	do.....	45.0	61.7	61.4	60.3	60.0	60.0	60.3	60.8	60.8	60.8	60.6	60.6	60.8	60.7
Coffee.....	do.....	30.8	53.8	53.3	52.3	52.2	51.9	50.7	50.3	50.5	50.2	50.1	50.3	50.8	51.4
Prunes.....	do.....	16.0	15.5	15.4	15.5	15.4	15.6	15.6	15.5	14.9	15.0	14.9	14.6	15.3	15.3
Raisins.....	do.....	14.5	14.5	14.8	14.8	15.0	15.1	15.0	14.9	14.3	14.4	14.3	13.4	14.6	14.6
Bananas.....	do.....	11.9	12.0	12.0	11.5	11.3	11.3	10.8	10.7	10.7	11.3	11.3	11.5	11.4	11.4
Oranges.....	Dozen.....	50.3	48.0	47.1	48.8	46.6	45.3	48.7	60.3	58.4	60.3	58.4	60.4	59.4	52.5

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
MOBILE, ALA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts. 33.3	Cts. 34.2	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 34.6	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 34.5	Cts. 34.1	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 34.1	Cts. 34.5	Cts. 34.5	Cts. 34.5
Round steak.....	do.....		32.1	33.3	34.2	34.5	34.2	34.2	33.6	33.6	34.0	33.6	33.6	33.6	33.7
Rib roast.....	do.....		27.3	27.5	28.3	29.1	28.8	29.2	28.2	28.2	28.0	28.6	28.6	28.2	28.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....		21.7	23.3	23.3	23.6	24.2	23.8	22.5	22.1	22.0	22.5	23.2	22.3	22.9
Plate beef.....	do.....		17.2	17.7	18.3	18.6	18.1	18.2	17.3	16.6	17.0	17.1	17.5	17.3	17.6
Pork chops.....	do.....		38.3	37.5	40.0	40.5	40.8	42.5	41.4	41.4	40.5	41.4	41.4	39.1	40.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		48.4	48.8	47.0	47.2	46.9	50.4	51.9	51.5	51.3	51.9	51.5	51.2	49.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		50.0	49.6	50.0	51.2	51.2	54.2	57.9	57.1	55.5	56.5	54.2	54.3	53.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		41.3	41.3	41.9	41.4	42.1	41.4	40.0	38.3	40.0	41.7	40.0	40.7	40.8
Hens.....	do.....		37.6	38.3	37.5	39.6	39.0	39.0	38.2	37.5	37.2	37.7	36.8	36.8	37.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		39.0	38.8	38.4	40.7	41.0	41.0	41.0	41.1	40.6	39.3	34.5	34.0	39.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		17.8	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	18.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.7
Butter.....	do.....		58.8	58.8	57.4	55.6	53.2	53.9	54.3	53.8	53.3	56.3	56.8	60.2	56.0
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		31.3	31.0	31.6	31.1	31.6	31.5	31.6	30.8	30.6	30.8	30.8	30.9	31.1
Cheese.....	do.....		38.0	36.7	36.1	36.7	35.3	34.6	35.1	35.4	35.7	36.9	37.9	37.5	36.3
Lard.....	do.....		22.3	22.0	22.2	21.6	21.5	22.3	22.6	22.3	21.8	21.3	20.8	20.3	21.8
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		21.5	21.5	21.6	22.2	21.7	22.1	22.6	22.0	21.8	21.2	20.6	20.6	21.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		50.6	39.7	34.6	37.5	35.3	36.7	40.7	44.9	52.6	60.0	61.3	64.6	46.5
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		44.1	32.5								49.3	48.1	48.2	
Bread.....	Pound.....		9.6	9.6	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.7
Flour.....	do.....		6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.6
Corn meal.....	do.....		4.1	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....		8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.7
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.2	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		24.8	25.3	25.2	24.9	25.5	25.8	25.5	25.5	25.1	25.0	25.0	25.4	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		20.6	20.6	20.6	20.9	21.1	21.4	21.1	20.9	20.9	20.6	20.6	20.9	20.9
Rice.....	do.....		11.2	11.1	11.3	11.6	11.2	11.3	11.6	11.5	11.3	11.3	10.7	10.4	11.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....		10.1	9.5	9.5	9.3	8.9	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	8.8	8.9	9.1
Potatoes.....	do.....		6.4	6.3	6.2	7.2	7.2	4.9	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.0	5.7
Onions.....	do.....		5.5	5.8	5.6	5.5	7.6	6.3	5.5	5.7	5.3	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.7
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.7	5.9	5.3	5.1	3.9	4.0	5.3	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.9	4.9
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.7	10.7	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9
Corn, canned.....	do.....		16.8	17.0	16.9	16.8	17.5	17.7	17.3	17.5	17.5	17.3	17.3	17.5	17.3
Peas, canned.....	do.....		16.3	16.7	16.7	16.2	16.2	16.1	16.4	16.9	16.2	16.2	16.0	16.6	16.4
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		11.4	11.2	11.2	11.2	10.9	11.0	11.1	10.3	10.8	10.8	10.6	10.8	10.9
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		6.7	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.0
Tea.....	do.....		80.0	80.0	80.0	83.0	81.5	81.5	80.5	80.3	79.8	79.8	80.5	80.7	80.6
Coffee.....	do.....		49.4	50.9	51.1	50.6	50.3	49.5	50.3	50.3	50.3	50.1	50.3	50.1	50.3
Prunes.....	do.....		16.9	16.5	17.1	16.4	17.3	17.2	17.8	18.1	18.4	18.2	16.7	15.4	17.2
Raisins.....	do.....		14.5	14.8	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.3	14.6	15.1	14.7	14.4	14.6
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		24.0	24.0	24.4	25.2	25.2	23.9	23.0	21.5	21.4	21.7	22.5	23.0	23.3
Oranges.....	do.....		40.9	41.5	44.3	61.0	54.7	50.5	49.1	45.9	45.5	48.4	38.0	38.7	45.7

¹ 15-15 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

MOBILE, ALA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound		Cts. 34.5	Cts. 34.5	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 34.5	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.4	Cts. 35.9	Cts. 36.4	Cts. 35.9	Cts. 35.9	Cts. 35.3
Round steak.....	do		33.6	33.6	34.1	34.5	34.1	34.5	34.1	34.6	35.0	35.5	35.0	35.5	34.5
Rib roast.....	do		28.6	28.6	28.6	28.6	28.6	28.6	29.5	29.2	29.1	30.5	29.5	29.1	29.0
Chuck roast.....	do		23.9	23.6	23.2	23.2	22.5	22.5	22.7	22.5	23.6	24.1	23.6	23.8	23.3
Plate beef.....	do		17.8	17.7	17.7	18.4	18.0	18.2	17.7	17.3	17.8	18.2	18.4	18.4	18.0
Pork chops.....	do		38.6	38.6	38.2	38.2	38.2	37.7	36.4	36.7	38.2	40.0	37.7	37.3	38.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do		48.8	48.5	48.1	48.1	47.7	47.3	47.3	46.1	46.2	45.8	44.8	42.8	46.8
Ham, sliced.....	do		52.7	52.3	53.1	51.9	51.9	51.9	50.7	52.7	51.8	52.1	52.1	49.6	51.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do		40.0	40.0	40.7	41.4	41.4	40.6	41.4	41.4	41.4	41.4	41.4	40.7	41.0
Hens.....	do		38.0	38.2	36.8	37.6	36.8	35.6	34.0	34.2	33.6	35.0	36.3	33.0	35.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do		32.8	32.0	32.0	31.6	31.2	31.2	31.3	31.2	31.3	31.3	34.7	34.4	32.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.		18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	18.0	18.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.8	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.8	11.5	11.7
Butter.....	Pound		59.9	61.5	60.8	59.8	57.5	54.1	52.9	52.4	52.4	54.9	56.6	57.0	56.7
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do		29.1	29.2	28.9	28.8	29.6	29.1	28.6	29.3	29.3	29.1	29.4	29.4	29.2
Cheese.....	do		37.8	38.5	38.1	37.0	36.0	35.6	35.2	36.1	37.3	38.0	38.1	38.1	37.2
Lard.....	do		19.2	19.6	19.2	19.2	19.1	19.2	19.1	19.3	19.2	19.8	19.8	19.7	19.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do		20.4	20.3	20.2	20.2	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.0	21.2	21.0	21.3	21.3	20.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen		50.3	32.2	31.1	31.3	30.2	29.6	38.4	40.7	45.6	47.6	53.0	53.4	40.3
Eggs, storage.....	do		42.6	35.0								41.3	42.0	43.6	
Bread.....	Pound		10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1
Flour.....	do		6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2
Corn meal.....	do		3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0
Rolled oats.....	do		8.6	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.5
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		11.1	11.3	11.1	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		25.3	25.0	25.3	24.8	24.8	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.3	24.9	24.5	24.5	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound		20.5	20.9	20.3	20.3	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.6	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.7
Rice.....	do		10.3	10.0	10.0	9.9	10.0	9.8	9.5	10.0	10.0	9.6	9.5	9.3	9.8
Beans, navy.....	do		9.1	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.6	8.8	9.2	9.2	8.8
Potatoes.....	do		4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7	5.0	6.6	6.0	4.8	4.4	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.8
Onions.....	do		5.5	5.4	6.3	7.8	7.3	7.5	6.8	6.4	5.4	4.9	4.5	4.6	6.0
Cabbage.....	do		5.3	4.3	4.1	3.8	4.6	6.9	6.6	5.3	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.5	5.0
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		10.7	10.7	10.5	10.4	10.6	10.8	10.6	10.5	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.3	10.5
Corn, canned.....	do		18.1	17.6	17.3	17.3	16.6	15.9	16.1	15.7	15.5	15.8	15.8	15.8	16.5
Peas, canned.....	do		16.3	16.3	16.4	16.4	15.7	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.4	15.4	15.3	15.6	15.8
Tomatoes, canned.....	do		10.9	11.0	11.0	10.8	11.0	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.5	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound		7.5	7.3	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.3
Tea.....	do		78.9	78.9	78.9	79.2	77.3	77.3	77.8	77.8	80.0	80.3	80.3	80.0	78.9
Coffee.....	do		50.0	49.9	49.6	48.5	48.3	48.1	47.4	47.5	47.3	47.7	47.8	48.4	48.4
Prunes.....	do		15.8	15.3	15.3	14.8	14.3	16.2	17.2	14.6	15.6	15.7	12.5	12.7	15.2
Raisins.....	do		14.5	14.4	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.2	13.8	14.1	13.8	13.4	14.2
Bananas.....	Dozen		23.9	22.8	22.8	22.8	22.8	23.9	22.8	23.9	21.9	24.4	25.0	24.4	23.5
Oranges.....	do		36.8	38.6	38.3	42.7	43.0	50.5	47.1	49.3	47.5	47.5	46.0	43.9	44.3

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
NEWARK, N. J.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak	do	27.1	44.8	43.2	44.2	44.1	44.9	46.5	46.6	46.4	46.5	46.2	44.5	44.5	45.2
Rib roast	do	26.7	42.7	40.7	42.2	41.8	41.7	43.8	43.6	43.7	43.2	43.3	42.5	42.7	42.7
Chuck roast	do	20.8	36.0	35.5	34.9	35.5	35.3	35.5	35.5	35.2	35.8	35.6	35.2	35.4	35.5
	do	17.7	24.8	24.5	24.3	23.6	23.5	24.4	24.5	23.9	25.0	24.5	24.9	24.8	24.4
Plate beef	do	12.3	14.0	13.4	13.7	13.7	13.1	13.5	12.8	12.5	13.3	13.1	12.8	13.0	13.2
Pork chops	do	22.4	36.1	35.5	36.1	37.8	39.5	42.4	41.8	41.2	44.5	42.2	38.5	37.2	39.4
Bacon, sliced	do	24.4	44.6	43.9	44.9	45.1	46.1	48.3	49.4	49.0	49.2	48.9	47.8	48.4	47.1
Ham, sliced	do	38.1	57.6	53.4	55.7	53.8	54.8	57.3	59.6	57.5	58.1	56.9	56.9	56.2	56.5
Lamb, leg of	do	20.7	39.4	38.1	37.1	36.8	40.2	44.5	40.6	38.4	39.7	38.7	38.1	37.3	39.1
Hens	do	23.1	39.6	39.1	38.6	41.7	41.9	41.9	40.6	37.4	38.6	38.1	38.0	38.3	39.5
Salmon, canned, red.	do		35.7	36.3	36.9	37.1	37.0	37.1	37.1	36.9	36.7	34.7	33.3	32.4	35.9
Milk, fresh	Quart	9.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹		11.3	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.2
Butter	Pound	40.2	55.8	54.6	53.6	49.5	50.8	51.0	51.2	51.4	53.5	56.2	58.0	63.6	54.1
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do		31.1	30.4	30.4	30.9	30.6	30.5	30.6	30.5	30.5	30.3	30.4	30.5	30.6
Cheese	do	24.5	39.5	40.0	39.6	39.8	40.2	40.2	39.8	39.8	39.8	39.5	39.4	39.8	39.8
Lard	do	16.1	22.6	22.8	22.7	22.2	21.3	22.3	22.5	22.2	22.4	22.1	21.9	20.8	22.2
Vegetable lard substitute.	do		26.3	26.4	26.1	26.3	26.1	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.9	25.8	26.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.	Dozen	44.5	63.2	54.4	49.0	46.8	48.3	49.3	50.8	54.0	61.8	70.8	76.7	73.8	58.2
Eggs, storage	do		43.6	35.7								47.3	48.0	48.1	
Bread	Pound	5.6	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.4
Flour	do	3.6	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	6.0
Corn meal	do	3.6	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6
Rolled oats	do		8.4	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.4
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		24.1	24.2	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.1	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3
Macaroni	Pound		21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.1
Rice	do	9.0	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.1	10.9	10.9	11.2	
Beans, navy	do		10.0	9.8	9.5	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.8	9.6	9.4	9.6	9.8	9.5	9.7
Potatoes	do	2.5	6.3	6.0	5.8	7.4	7.4	5.6	3.8	3.3	3.5	4.2	4.6	4.4	5.2
Onions	do		6.2	6.2	6.4	6.9	9.5	7.9	7.0	6.6	5.9	4.9	4.7	5.0	6.4
Cabbage	do		5.4	6.1	8.0	9.6	7.7	6.6	5.3	4.3	4.1	4.4	4.0	4.1	5.8
Beans, baked	No. 2 can.		11.6	11.3	11.2	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.5	10.6	10.9
Corn, canned	do		17.5	16.8	16.7	16.7	16.4	16.6	16.4	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.4	16.7
Peas, canned	do		17.2	16.6	16.4	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.8	17.3	17.1	17.0	17.2
Tomatoes, canned	do		11.2	11.2	11.0	10.9	10.9	11.2	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.1
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.3	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.3
Tea	do	53.8	64.2	63.7	63.5	63.5	63.5	63.8	63.5	63.5	63.5	63.5	63.2	62.9	63.5
Coffee	do	29.3	49.7	50.2	50.2	50.2	49.9	50.3	50.3	50.2	49.8	49.8	50.2	49.1	50.0
Prunes	do		16.3	15.7	15.7	15.6	15.8	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.5	15.2	15.0	14.8	15.6
Raisins	do		14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.7	14.7	14.3
Bananas	Dozen		36.9	37.5	37.5	37.5	37.5	37.5	36.9	38.1	38.1	38.1	37.5	38.1	37.6
Oranges	do		51.1	48.8	49.6	57.5	56.3	55.2	53.2	54.5	54.4	63.5	62.5	50.7	54.8

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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NEWARK, N. J.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	27.1	43.9	44.8	44.7	46.6	46.2	47.0	48.8	48.8	48.3	48.8	48.7	49.0	47.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	26.7	42.3	42.5	42.5	44.8	44.0	44.4	46.3	46.4	46.2	46.3	46.4	46.9	44.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	20.8	34.2	34.9	35.0	36.0	35.9	35.4	38.1	37.6	37.5	38.7	37.8	40.0	36.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	17.7	24.4	24.1	23.8	25.5	25.0	24.7	25.8	25.1	26.9	27.5	28.6	29.2	25.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	12.3	12.8	12.8	12.8	13.3	13.3	12.9	14.2	13.2	13.7	15.0	16.0	17.2	13.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	22.4	37.1	35.8	36.4	37.3	37.5	35.4	36.6	38.5	41.7	42.1	36.4	33.6	37.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	24.4	47.6	46.7	46.5	46.2	45.6	45.3	46.0	45.7	46.0	45.8	45.0	43.9	45.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	38.1	55.3	55.8	53.9	55.2	55.2	53.9	54.3	53.5	53.8	54.3	55.2	52.0	54.4
Hens.....	do.....	20.7	36.2	36.5	37.2	39.9	42.0	42.1	41.6	39.0	38.9	38.3	38.5	36.9	38.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	37.1	37.3	37.3	37.5	38.1	39.1	37.6	37.1	36.8	37.3	37.5	36.4	35.7	37.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	31.9	31.0	30.2	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	29.4	30.2	31.4	32.3	32.8	32.8	31.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	9.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.3
Butter.....	Pound.....	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.5	11.1	11.2	11.2
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	40.2	60.1	60.8	59.9	60.8	54.4	52.7	53.4	52.6	55.5	59.6	59.3	61.7	57.6
Cheese.....	do.....	30.7	30.5	30.4	30.7	30.7	30.4	29.8	29.1	29.8	30.6	30.2	30.5	30.3	30.3
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	24.5	39.7	39.5	39.7	39.5	39.7	39.9	39.5	44.1	40.4	40.9	39.9	40.2	40.2
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	16.1	20.1	19.8	19.2	19.1	19.1	19.2	19.3	19.5	19.4	19.8	19.7	19.5	19.5
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	25.7	25.7	25.9	25.7	25.5	25.7	25.5	25.6	25.6	25.5	25.4	25.6	25.6	25.6
Bread.....	Pound.....	44.5	63.9	54.5	44.1	42.4	43.0	41.2	44.6	48.8	59.4	69.2	74.7	70.6	54.7
Flour.....	do.....	48.2	39.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	43.3	42.9	43.1	—
Corn meal.....	do.....	5.6	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.1	9.5
Rolled oats.....	do.....	3.6	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	3.6	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.8	7.0	6.9	6.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.3
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.8	9.5	9.3	8.8	8.6	8.6	9.3	9.2	9.4	9.4
Rice.....	do.....	24.5	24.2	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	21.5	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.1	21.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	9.0	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.8	10.7	10.4	10.2	10.2	10.6
Onions.....	do.....	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.8	10.0	10.1	9.8	9.8
Cabbage.....	do.....	2.5	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.0	5.2	5.6	3.6	3.0	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.9
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	5.6	6.0	6.2	7.4	9.6	9.3	7.6	6.1	5.5	4.9	5.0	4.8	6.5	6.5
Corn, canned.....	do.....	4.3	6.0	6.7	6.2	8.8	8.7	5.7	5.0	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	5.8	5.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....	10.7	11.0	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.6	10.7	10.3	10.3	10.7	10.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	16.2	16.1	15.6	15.1	15.2	15.0	15.0	15.2	15.7	15.3	15.1	15.3	15.4	15.4
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	16.2	15.9	16.6	16.0	16.4	15.9	15.3	15.8	16.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	16.5	16.5
Tea.....	do.....	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.3	11.2	10.9	10.6	10.5	10.5	11.2	11.2
Coffee.....	do.....	5.3	6.7	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8
Prunes.....	do.....	53.8	63.2	62.8	62.8	62.8	62.8	62.8	62.8	61.0	61.8	60.1	60.1	62.2	62.2
Raisins.....	do.....	29.3	48.8	48.3	47.8	47.3	46.5	47.4	46.9	45.8	46.3	46.8	46.9	47.4	47.2
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	14.9	14.6	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.2	14.0	13.0	14.4	14.4
Oranges.....	do.....	14.6	14.6	14.5	14.3	14.5	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.5	14.4	14.4
	do.....	38.6	38.3	37.5	37.5	37.5	36.7	37.5	37.5	38.3	37.5	38.0	38.0	37.7	37.7
	do.....	49.2	46.1	47.1	48.1	61.4	50.8	51.7	57.4	59.0	65.8	67.4	67.8	53.5	53.5

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1926												Aver- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	31.6	54.1	53.6	53.2	54.1	53.6	54.0	54.0	53.3	53.8	54.2	54.0	53.5	53.8
Round steak.....	do.....	28.6	43.9	43.9	43.9	44.0	44.1	43.8	43.9	43.9	43.7	43.7	43.7	43.7	43.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	23.6	37.0	35.2	35.4	35.3	36.1	36.0	35.5	35.8	36.1	35.8	35.5	35.9	35.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	19.0	27.5	26.9	26.8	26.6	26.7	26.7	26.6	26.6	27.3	26.9	26.8	26.8	26.9
Plate beef.....	do.....		15.2	15.1	15.3	15.7	15.8	15.5	15.8	15.5	15.5	15.8	15.8	15.5	15.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	22.0	36.6	35.6	36.8	37.8	39.6	41.6	41.0	40.8	43.8	46.8	39.5	38.2	39.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	28.1	49.9	49.6	49.5	49.9	50.2	52.3	53.2	52.7	51.8	51.7	51.1	49.7	51.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	32.0	57.7	58.3	57.5	57.9	59.6	64.2	65.4	65.0	63.8	63.8	62.9	62.9	61.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.7	39.9	39.6	37.9	37.4	40.4	43.9	42.4	41.5	40.8	39.9	38.8	38.8	40.1
Hens.....	do.....	23.4	42.4	42.7	42.8	43.9	45.6	44.8	43.8	43.1	42.5	42.3	42.2	42.0	43.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		34.1	35.5	35.5	34.7	34.7	34.1	34.3	34.9	35.3	33.7	33.5	32.8	34.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	9.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.0	15.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.8
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		12.3	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.0
Butter.....	Pound..	36.6	56.3	56.0	54.8	52.4	50.6	49.2	50.5	50.5	51.1	53.9	54.7	57.7	53.1
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		33.1	33.5	33.1	31.8	31.3	30.9	31.6	31.4	30.9	31.8	31.7	31.7	31.9
Cheese.....	do.....	22.4	39.4	39.0	38.8	39.1	39.2	38.3	37.7	37.7	38.1	38.4	38.4	38.3	38.5
Lard.....	do.....	15.5	22.3	22.3	22.5	21.8	21.4	22.5	23.3	22.7	22.2	21.7	20.9	20.4	22.0
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		25.8	25.9	25.7	26.0	25.6	25.7	25.6	26.5	25.9	25.5	26.0	26.0	25.9
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen...	42.3	70.2	62.2	52.4	46.4	47.1	50.3	54.4	62.1	67.1	77.2	86.5	89.1	63.8
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		46.4	37.0								51.0	52.3	52.2	
Bread.....	Pound..	6.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.7	5.8	5.7	6.1
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.2	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.8	7.0	6.9	7.1	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....		9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg		10.9	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.8	10.9	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.8
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg		25.1	25.3	24.9	24.9	24.9	24.8	24.6	24.7	24.6	24.6	24.7	24.9	24.8
Macaroni.....	Pound..		22.9	23.2	23.0	22.8	22.8	22.0	22.3	22.2	21.9	22.0	22.3	22.4	22.5
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	12.1	12.4	12.2	11.9	12.1	11.9	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.6	11.6	11.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	6.1	6.0	5.9	7.5	5.9	4.9	3.9	3.3	3.5	3.5	4.0	3.9	4.9
Onions.....	do.....		6.2	6.7	6.6	7.0	8.5	8.1	7.8	7.0	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.5	6.7
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.7	6.6	7.6	8.7	7.4	6.9	6.2	4.9	4.3	4.0	4.3	4.5	5.9
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		11.6	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.6	11.5	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.4
Corn, canned.....	do.....		18.6	18.6	18.3	18.1	18.3	18.5	18.5	18.8	18.8	19.0	19.1	18.9	18.6
Peas, canned.....	do.....		19.9	19.8	19.6	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.6	19.3	20.2	20.1	20.3	20.3	19.8
Tomatoes, canned	do.....		12.4	12.0	12.0	12.3	12.3	11.9	12.9	12.5	12.5	12.7	12.5	12.6	12.4
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.3	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.7	7.0	7.0	7.2	6.7
Tea.....	do.....	55.0	59.5	59.3	59.5	59.5	59.7	58.9	60.1	60.1	60.7	60.4	60.0	60.4	59.8
Coffee.....	do.....	33.8	53.3	53.4	53.1	53.4	53.5	52.5	52.9	52.9	52.9	52.9	51.9	52.2	52.9
Prunes.....	do.....		16.2	16.3	16.2	16.4	16.3	16.4	16.3	16.8	16.9	16.4	16.3	15.9	16.4
Raisins.....	do.....		14.1	14.2	14.3	14.3	14.0	14.1	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.1
Bananas.....	Dozen...		34.1	34.4	35.5	35.0	34.6	34.5	34.8	34.4	34.2	34.2	33.8	34.5	34.5
Oranges.....	do.....		50.8	51.2	50.8	52.7	57.0	52.1	51.7	52.9	52.2	61.8	58.3	53.2	53.7

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 31.6	Cts. 53.7	Cts. 54.3	Cts. 53.7	Cts. 54.3	Cts. 55.8	Cts. 56.6	Cts. 58.3	Cts. 58.3	Cts. 58.3	Cts. 58.7	Cts. 58.7	Cts. 58.7	Cts. 58.6
Round steak.....	do.....	28.6	44.0	43.8	43.4	43.8	44.0	44.8	46.3	46.7	47.5	47.3	47.3	47.6	45.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	23.6	35.6	35.6	36.0	36.2	37.6	37.9	38.8	38.4	38.3	38.4	38.9	39.2	37.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	19.0	26.3	26.5	26.4	26.3	27.4	27.6	28.8	28.5	29.2	29.0	29.2	30.0	27.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	16.0	16.1	16.7	16.7	15.9	15.9	16.2	16.4	16.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	22.0	37.1	36.1	37.3	37.2	37.3	35.5	35.1	38.2	42.0	44.2	38.3	33.8	37.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	28.1	50.1	48.8	48.7	47.9	48.3	47.5	46.2	45.5	44.7	45.7	46.2	45.9	47.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	32.0	61.5	61.3	60.1	60.3	59.8	59.8	58.9	58.0	57.3	57.8	58.7	58.5	59.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.7	38.0	37.8	39.3	40.0	42.5	42.8	42.3	40.5	40.0	39.2	39.3	38.5	40.0
Hens.....	do.....	23.4	42.0	41.8	41.8	41.7	42.0	40.9	40.8	40.7	40.2	40.5	39.9	40.1	41.0
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	32.1	31.2	31.1	30.8	30.8	31.0	31.0	31.2	33.9	33.6	34.3	34.3	34.3	32.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	9.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.1	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1
Butter.....	Pound..	36.6	57.7	57.5	59.7	60.0	54.9	52.4	52.0	52.1	52.4	54.9	54.9	55.6	55.3
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitute).....	do.....	31.1	30.8	31.1	31.2	31.0	30.3	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.5	29.1	29.0	29.1	30.2
Cheese.....	do.....	22.4	39.1	39.8	39.7	39.7	39.3	39.4	39.0	39.2	39.4	39.6	40.1	40.3	39.6
Lard.....	do.....	15.5	19.4	19.3	19.1	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.1	18.5	18.5	18.8	18.7	18.7	18.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	25.7	25.7	25.6	25.6	25.5	25.6	25.4	25.6	25.6	25.5	25.6	25.4	25.6	25.6
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen...	42.3	75.1	60.6	50.7	43.9	43.6	45.3	51.9	56.6	64.4	73.2	80.9	82.6	60.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	50.7	43.6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	49.6	49.6	47.5	---
Bread.....	Pound..	6.0	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.2	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.1	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.3	9.1	9.3	9.3	9.1	9.4	9.7	9.3	9.3	9.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.5	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.8	24.9	24.8	24.8	24.7	24.7	24.8	24.8	24.9	24.9	24.9	24.6	24.1	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	22.3	22.2	22.4	22.0	22.4	22.1	22.2	22.2	22.2	22.2	22.3	22.3	22.2	22.2
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	11.1	10.9	11.2	11.1	11.2	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.3	10.5	10.2	10.0	10.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.6	9.5	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.3	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.4	4.2	5.7	3.6	2.8	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.7
Onions.....	do.....	6.0	6.1	6.5	7.2	9.0	9.8	9.1	6.9	5.9	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.3	6.9
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.9	5.6	6.4	6.5	9.7	10.6	5.7	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	6.0
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.5	11.6	11.7	11.5	11.3	11.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....	18.6	18.7	18.2	18.1	18.7	18.7	18.6	18.6	18.4	18.3	18.1	18.1	18.4	18.4
Peas, canned.....	do.....	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.2	19.0	19.2	18.9	18.4	18.4	18.8	18.6	19.0	19.0
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	12.6	12.4	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	13.2	13.2	13.8	13.5	13.0	12.8	13.0	13.0
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.3	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.2	7.2
Tea.....	do.....	55.0	60.0	59.6	58.8	58.4	57.4	57.4	57.4	57.4	58.9	60.3	60.3	58.9	58.7
Coffee.....	do.....	33.8	52.3	51.3	50.7	50.7	50.3	49.7	49.0	49.3	48.9	48.8	49.4	49.9	50.0
Prunes.....	do.....	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.7	15.8	15.7	15.7	15.6	14.6	14.5	14.2	13.9	15.3	15.3
Raisins.....	do.....	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.8	13.7	13.5	13.7	13.9	13.9
Bananas.....	Dozen...	35.0	34.4	33.8	35.0	33.2	33.6	34.5	35.9	33.2	33.4	32.5	33.4	34.0	34.0
Oranges.....	do.....	50.7	50.0	50.0	50.5	53.1	53.7	56.1	61.0	59.6	67.3	54.9	53.1	55.0	55.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	Cts. 21.4	Cts. 34.6	Cts. 34.9	Cts. 35.8	Cts. 36.0	Cts. 35.8	Cts. 35.9	Cts. 36.0	Cts. 35.2	Cts. 36.0	Cts. 35.8	Cts. 35.6	Cts. 34.9	Cts. 35.5
Round steak	do	18.7	30.1	30.4	31.2	30.6	30.8	30.8	30.6	30.6	31.8	31.5	31.1	31.0	30.9
Rib roast	do	19.0	29.0	29.3	30.0	29.8	30.5	30.2	30.0	29.8	30.0	30.1	30.4	29.6	29.9
Chuck roast	do	14.5	20.4	21.2	21.7	21.3	21.4	21.1	21.2	20.9	21.3	20.7	21.5	20.9	21.1
Plate beef	do	11.3	18.3	18.0	17.5	17.4	16.9	16.8	16.4	16.4	17.5	17.5	18.1	18.2	17.4
Pork chops	do	22.8	35.2	35.2	36.7	37.8	39.8	41.0	39.6	38.5	39.7	39.9	36.9	36.9	37.4
Bacon, sliced	do	30.4	45.2	45.9	47.5	46.8	47.5	49.4	51.1	50.6	50.6	51.4	50.4	51.4	49.0
Ham, sliced	do	27.3	49.3	50.4	52.1	52.3	52.9	58.8	57.5	54.3	56.1	54.0	53.7	54.0	53.8
Lamb, leg of	do	20.7	39.5	39.8	37.9	37.9	39.6	41.0	39.4	38.7	39.7	39.1	39.0	38.6	39.2
Hens	do	21.4	39.8	38.5	38.9	39.2	39.7	39.6	37.4	37.3	38.2	37.1	36.5	37.3	38.3
Salmon, canned, red	do	---	37.7	38.1	37.3	37.1	37.4	38.1	39.0	40.3	39.5	38.7	38.7	37.4	38.3
Milk, fresh	Quart	9.8	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹	---	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.1	11.1
Butter	Pound	38.0	56.6	55.2	54.0	51.6	49.7	50.8	50.4	51.1	51.7	53.6	54.9	58.5	53.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do	---	32.1	32.1	31.6	31.1	30.3	30.3	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.7	30.7	29.9	30.9
Cheese	do	21.8	35.4	35.6	35.6	33.7	33.9	33.8	33.8	35.1	35.2	36.0	36.1	36.7	35.1
Lard	do	14.9	22.1	21.7	21.4	21.1	20.9	21.9	22.0	22.2	21.8	21.4	20.5	20.1	21.4
Vegetable lard substitute	do	---	22.6	22.1	21.6	22.4	22.4	23.1	23.1	22.4	21.9	20.8	20.3	19.7	21.9
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	29.9	53.2	38.0	33.1	35.3	37.1	39.2	40.9	42.3	45.0	50.2	52.5	56.1	43.6
Eggs, storage	do	---	40.7	28.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	41.2	42.0	41.5	---
Bread	Pound	5.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.6	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.9
Flour	do	3.8	7.6	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.3
Corn meal	do	2.7	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.8	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9
Rollod oats	do	---	9.1	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.	---	10.7	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.1	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.	---	24.8	24.6	24.7	24.9	24.7	24.6	24.7	24.6	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.6	24.6
Macaroni	Pound	---	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.6	10.0	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.7
Rice	do	7.4	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.5	9.9	10.1
Beans, navy	do	---	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.2	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.6
Potatoes	do	2.1	6.1	6.1	5.9	6.8	6.2	3.6	4.2	4.1	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.7	5.1
Onions	do	---	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.2	4.0	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.5
Cabbage	do	---	5.2	5.5	5.1	5.3	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.9	4.2	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.6
Beans, baked	No. 2 can	---	11.4	11.3	11.1	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.7	11.0
Corn, canned	do	---	15.3	14.7	14.9	14.9	14.4	13.9	14.1	14.8	15.1	15.2	15.1	15.4	14.8
Peas, canned	do	---	16.4	16.7	16.9	17.1	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.7	17.0	17.6	17.4	17.5	17.2
Tomatoes, canned	do	---	11.2	10.7	11.0	10.0	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	10.3	11.1	11.5	11.8	10.6
Sugar, granulated	Pound	5.2	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.9	6.3
Tea	do	62.1	82.4	82.4	82.9	82.9	82.2	82.6	82.2	81.3	82.0	83.3	83.1	82.6	82.5
Coffee	do	26.2	37.6	36.4	36.8	36.8	36.3	36.1	36.6	36.5	36.2	35.6	35.5	35.5	36.4
Prunes	do	---	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.4	18.4	18.1	17.8	17.9	18.4	18.3	17.6	17.8	18.1
Raisins	do	---	14.2	13.8	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.1	14.3	14.1	14.5	14.3	14.2	14.2
Bananas	Dozen	---	17.9	16.0	15.0	17.5	17.5	16.3	15.0	15.8	16.4	18.6	18.6	14.6	16.6
Oranges	do	---	41.5	44.4	43.0	52.5	54.4	50.3	48.3	43.1	45.0	57.0	49.0	40.0	47.8

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	21.4	34.9	36.0	36.6	36.7	36.9	36.3	37.0	37.6	37.5	37.2	36.3	37.0	36.7
Round steak.....	do.....	18.7	31.2	31.2	32.3	32.1	32.2	32.1	32.9	33.0	33.3	32.8	32.5	33.3	32.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.0	30.0	30.2	30.6	31.4	31.1	30.8	31.2	31.4	31.2	31.4	30.8	31.0	30.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	14.5	20.7	20.8	21.1	21.9	21.6	21.5	21.8	21.6	21.3	22.1	21.7	22.5	21.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.3	18.5	17.8	18.3	18.2	17.4	17.5	17.7	17.2	17.7	18.2	18.6	19.4	18.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	22.8	36.0	36.3	37.8	37.0	34.8	34.5	35.2	37.4	40.4	40.4	35.7	32.7	36.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	30.4	50.5	50.2	49.9	50.4	48.1	48.0	47.0	46.2	46.4	45.9	46.9	44.5	47.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	27.3	53.7	54.3	54.6	53.3	51.3	51.8	51.1	50.4	50.1	50.9	49.3	46.8	51.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	20.7	38.5	38.4	40.1	40.3	40.4	40.4	40.1	39.3	38.8	38.5	38.8	38.5	39.3
Hens.....	do.....	21.4	37.6	38.3	38.8	38.3	37.2	35.3	34.8	35.1	37.1	36.5	35.0	36.0	36.7
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	---	37.6	38.7	37.8	37.7	37.5	36.9	36.9	37.1	37.4	37.9	37.0	37.0	37.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	9.8	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	---	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.2
Butter.....	do.....	38.0	59.0	59.1	59.8	58.9	55.2	51.9	51.8	52.0	53.5	55.6	56.4	58.5	56.0
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	---	29.4	28.9	29.0	28.9	29.0	28.7	28.8	28.7	28.7	29.5	29.5	29.4	29.0
Cheese.....	do.....	21.8	37.5	38.0	37.5	37.0	37.0	37.4	36.8	36.9	37.9	38.1	39.2	39.9	37.8
Lard.....	do.....	14.9	19.8	19.9	19.8	19.8	19.4	19.1	19.2	19.3	19.2	19.6	19.5	19.3	19.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	---	19.0	19.1	19.5	19.3	19.2	19.0	18.8	18.5	19.0	19.4	20.0	19.6	19.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	29.9	51.1	39.4	35.8	32.4	32.1	32.4	36.4	40.6	42.6	45.1	46.6	48.7	40.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	---	40.8	31.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	36.0	38.0	38.7	---
Bread.....	Pound..	5.1	8.8	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.8
Flour.....	do.....	3.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.7	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.4	4.2
Rolled oats.....	do.....	---	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.9
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	---	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.9
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	---	24.5	24.6	24.6	25.0	24.9	24.7	24.7	24.5	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	---	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.7	10.5	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.6
Rice.....	do.....	7.4	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.4	9.2	9.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....	---	8.4	8.3	8.2	8.1	7.9	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.6	8.8	8.7	8.9	8.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.1	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.4	6.3	5.0	4.3	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.8	4.5
Onions.....	do.....	---	4.5	4.7	5.3	6.4	5.2	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.9
Cabbage.....	do.....	---	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.9	7.5	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.1	4.6
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	---	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.9	11.1	10.6	10.9
Corn, canned.....	do.....	---	15.6	15.6	15.2	15.3	15.3	15.2	14.8	14.7	14.4	14.4	14.7	15.0	---
Peas, canned.....	do.....	---	17.4	17.2	17.5	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.6	17.0	17.0	17.9	17.6	17.6	17.2
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	---	11.8	12.0	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.1	10.8	10.8	10.6	10.7	10.5	10.3	11.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.2	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.8
Tea.....	do.....	62.1	80.4	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.1	78.1	79.1	78.8	78.8	79.3	79.3	79.5	79.5
Coffee.....	do.....	26.2	35.6	35.4	35.2	35.5	35.5	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.7	35.4	35.4	35.5
Prunes.....	do.....	---	17.3	17.0	17.4	16.5	16.7	17.3	16.7	17.0	16.6	15.9	15.4	14.3	16.5
Raisins.....	do.....	---	13.9	13.7	13.8	13.6	13.7	13.8	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.6	13.1	13.2	13.7
Bananas.....	Dozen..	---	15.7	15.8	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	15.7	16.7	17.5	16.7	15.8	17.5	16.7
Oranges.....	do.....	---	40.5	43.0	43.5	47.0	48.0	51.3	53.8	49.4	45.6	51.9	43.8	46.9	47.1

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
NEW YORK, N. Y.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1926												Aver- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	25.9	45.6	44.8	44.8	44.9	46.0	46.1	46.0	45.8	46.4	45.8	44.1	44.1	45.4
Round steak.....	do.....	25.0	43.4	42.6	42.5	42.9	43.8	44.2	44.3	44.2	44.5	44.1	43.0	43.0	43.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	21.8	38.9	38.5	38.3	38.8	38.9	39.0	38.9	38.9	39.3	39.2	38.6	38.8	38.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.0	24.9	24.6	24.4	24.5	24.6	24.5	24.4	24.2	25.3	25.1	24.3	24.6	24.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	14.6	21.0	20.8	20.4	20.5	20.2	20.1	20.0	19.7	20.0	20.0	20.4	20.2	20.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.5	39.1	38.5	39.9	40.9	42.8	44.6	44.7	43.5	46.3	45.7	42.6	41.5	42.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.1	49.8	50.4	50.6	50.8	51.1	52.3	53.0	52.7	52.2	51.5	50.6	50.1	51.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.0	59.0	59.1	59.5	59.1	61.2	63.2	66.1	64.7	65.4	64.6	62.3	61.3	62.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	16.5	37.5	36.3	36.1	36.1	38.5	41.3	38.1	36.8	37.7	36.6	36.5	36.9	37.4
Hens.....	do.....	21.4	39.7	40.6	41.2	42.0	43.4	44.9	41.9	39.9	40.3	40.4	40.3	40.3	41.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		35.8	35.7	35.8	36.4	36.4	36.0	36.3	36.9	36.2	34.2	33.3	31.9	35.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart....	9.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.1	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1
Butter.....	Pound....	38.2	54.4	54.4	53.6	49.5	50.3	50.9	50.7	51.1	53.5	55.8	58.8	63.3	63.9
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		31.0	30.9	30.9	30.7	29.9	29.6	30.2	30.3	30.2	30.7	30.1	31.3	30.5
Cheese.....	do.....	19.7	33.5	38.8	38.5	38.4	38.3	37.8	38.1	38.1	37.8	38.0	37.9	37.7	38.2
Lard.....	do.....	16.1	23.2	23.2	23.0	21.9	22.0	23.2	23.4	22.3	21.7	21.7	21.3	20.5	22.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		25.9	26.0	25.9	25.7	25.9	26.0	26.0	26.3	26.2	26.6	26.3	26.2	26.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen....	40.3	61.6	53.8	49.5	48.3	49.1	51.1	51.2	55.6	64.0	72.4	82.0	76.8	59.6
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		46.3	42.0								47.7	48.2	48.0	
Bread.....	Pound....	6.1	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.4	6.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.4	6.2	6.5	6.5	6.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....		8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	24.0	23.9	23.9	23.9	24.0	23.9	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.0	23.9	24.0	24.1	24.0
Macaroni.....	Pound....		20.8	21.1	21.1	21.1	20.8	20.9	20.8	20.8	20.9	20.9	21.1	21.1	21.0
Rice.....	do.....	8.0	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.9	10.6	10.4	10.1	10.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....		11.0	10.8	10.8	10.3	10.4	10.1	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.5	6.4	6.5	6.2	7.5	7.2	5.4	4.2	3.4	3.6	4.1	4.4	4.3	5.3
Onions.....	do.....		5.9	5.9	5.8	7.0	8.5	7.1	7.1	6.2	5.6	4.8	4.5	5.0	6.1
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.4	6.2	7.4	8.6	7.6	6.9	5.6	4.6	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.2	5.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		11.2	11.4	11.1	11.2	11.0	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.6	10.8	10.7	10.6	11.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.1	15.3	15.5	15.3	15.3	14.9	14.5	14.6	14.9	14.8	14.7	14.5	15.0
Peas, canned.....	do.....		15.7	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.6	15.4	15.3	15.2	15.4	15.3	15.5	15.3	15.5
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		11.0	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.9	10.7	10.8	10.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound....	4.9	5.8	6.0	5.9	5.8	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.1
Tea.....	do.....	43.3	64.7	64.9	64.9	64.9	65.0	65.0	64.9	64.8	64.6	64.9	65.9	65.7	65.0
Coffee.....	do.....	27.4	48.0	48.3	48.3	48.1	47.7	47.7	47.5	47.2	47.2	47.6	47.4	47.4	47.7
Prunes.....	do.....		16.1	16.2	16.0	15.8	16.0	15.8	15.5	15.5	15.6	15.1	14.5	14.6	15.6
Raisins.....	do.....		14.5	14.6	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	15.0	14.8	14.7	14.9	14.5	14.3	14.6
Bananas.....	Dozen....		37.1	39.2	41.2	39.6	39.3	39.2	38.1	37.7	37.3	38.7	40.3	40.3	39.0
Oranges.....	do.....		54.9	57.0	59.3	63.4	63.8	59.1	57.4	60.6	61.3	69.7	68.1	58.5	61.1

¹ 15-16 ounces,

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Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	25.9	44.3	44.0	44.3	45.9	46.5	46.5	49.1	49.5	49.7	49.9	50.3	50.6	47.6
Round steak.....	do.....	25.0	42.7	42.4	42.5	44.1	44.7	44.9	46.4	47.1	47.0	46.8	47.1	47.1	45.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	21.8	38.6	38.6	38.5	39.0	39.6	39.6	40.8	41.1	41.0	41.9	42.6	43.0	40.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.0	24.6	24.8	24.5	25.4	25.7	25.5	26.9	26.7	27.0	28.1	28.4	29.5	26.4
Plate beef.....	do.....	14.6	19.5	19.5	19.1	20.1	20.0	20.1	20.8	21.0	21.4	22.0	22.6	23.6	20.8
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.5	39.2	38.6	39.7	40.6	40.6	38.8	39.2	40.5	44.5	45.2	40.6	36.9	40.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.1	49.3	49.1	49.3	49.7	49.0	47.7	47.4	48.0	48.5	48.9	49.2	47.8	48.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.0	62.0	61.3	61.4	61.4	61.0	59.9	58.7	58.7	59.4	58.4	58.0	56.5	59.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	16.5	35.3	35.8	38.1	39.0	41.7	40.9	40.6	38.3	38.3	37.5	37.0	36.3	38.2
Hens.....	do.....	21.4	39.5	40.5	39.9	40.2	40.8	39.3	38.2	38.4	38.7	38.7	38.5	37.5	39.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	30.5	29.9	29.3	30.3	30.2	30.4	30.6	31.2	33.0	33.5	34.2	34.6	31.5	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart...	9.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.3
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1
Butter.....	Pound..	38.2	58.8	60.4	59.8	60.3	53.9	53.0	52.6	55.7	58.4	59.6	59.0	61.3	57.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	30.2	29.8	29.7	29.7	29.6	28.7	27.9	27.6	27.7	27.6	28.0	27.3	28.7	
Cheese.....	do.....	19.7	38.1	38.0	38.2	38.5	38.9	38.6	38.6	38.6	39.8	39.8	40.3	40.5	39.0
Lard.....	do.....	16.1	20.5	20.3	20.1	20.3	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.7	20.5	20.5	20.6	20.3	20.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	26.2	26.3	26.2	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.0	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.5	26.0	
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen...	40.3	64.7	53.9	44.7	45.0	45.5	46.0	47.2	52.6	60.6	74.1	80.0	73.2	57.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	47.4	42.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	43.9	42.1	42.9	---	
Bread.....	Pound..	6.1	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.7
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	5.5	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.5	6.5
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.1	8.8	8.6	8.8	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	23.9	24.0	23.9	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	23.9	23.9	24.0	23.9	24.0	
Macaroni.....	Pound..	20.8	20.8	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.0	
Rice.....	do.....	8.0	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.8	9.6	9.7	9.7	10.1	10.1	9.9	9.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.1	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.1	
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.5	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.6	5.4	3.7	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.5	3.5	4.0
Onions.....	do.....	5.5	5.5	5.8	6.8	9.0	9.1	7.3	6.5	5.4	5.0	4.9	5.0	6.3	
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.0	5.3	5.9	6.5	8.4	9.3	4.4	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.6	5.3	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.7	10.9	11.2	11.0	11.0	10.7	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	14.7	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.1	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.3	14.3	14.5	14.5	14.2	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	14.8	14.9	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.8	14.7	14.7	14.4	14.6	14.9	14.7	14.7	
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.0	11.3	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	4.9	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.5
Tea.....	do.....	43.3	65.9	65.5	66.2	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.3	66.5	67.1	67.3	66.5	66.4
Coffee.....	do.....	27.4	46.7	46.2	46.2	45.0	44.5	44.6	44.2	44.4	45.2	45.4	45.8	46.4	45.4
Prunes.....	do.....	13.9	13.8	13.9	13.7	13.5	13.6	14.1	13.9	13.4	13.0	12.8	12.2	13.5	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.3	14.1	14.1	13.7	13.5	14.0	14.1	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.6	13.2	13.9	
Bananas.....	Dozen...	37.7	39.3	39.7	38.9	38.9	38.6	35.6	37.1	35.4	35.4	38.5	37.8	37.6	
Oranges.....	do.....	49.8	50.6	51.1	54.6	57.0	56.6	58.1	64.6	65.8	74.3	67.4	62.7	59.4	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH NORFOLK, VA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound		Cts. 40.1	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 41.1	Cts. 41.2	Cts. 40.9	Cts. 41.0	Cts. 42.0	Cts. 41.5	Cts. 41.0	Cts. 40.6	Cts. 40.8
Round steak	do.		34.1	33.5	33.9	34.1	34.7	34.1	34.6	35.2	35.4	35.4	34.5	33.8	34.4
Rib roast	do.		31.3	31.2	31.9	32.3	32.6	32.4	32.2	32.4	32.4	32.0	32.0	31.6	32.0
Chuck roast	do.		22.3	22.3	22.6	24.0	23.1	22.9	22.7	23.3	23.6	22.9	23.5	22.7	23.0
Plate beef	do.		14.9	15.3	16.1	16.0	16.1	15.7	15.8	15.2	16.0	15.6	15.5	16.3	15.7
Pork chops	do.		34.9	34.8	36.0	36.4	35.4	39.8	39.8	39.1	39.9	39.6	37.2	34.8	37.6
Bacon, sliced	do.		44.5	44.2	43.9	44.8	46.1	49.5	49.0	49.7	50.1	50.5	49.9	48.0	47.5
Ham, sliced	do.		46.8	47.2	46.8	48.1	48.1	49.6	52.1	53.8	53.2	52.0	50.5	49.5	49.8
Lamb, leg of	do.		41.3	40.4	40.0	39.5	41.4	41.1	40.3	41.0	41.1	38.3	40.5	38.6	40.3
Hens	do.		38.4	39.3	40.1	41.4	41.3	41.1	39.8	39.5	37.9	38.5	38.3	37.1	39.4
Salmon, canned, red.	do.		36.7	36.5	37.4	37.7	37.2	37.8	38.3	38.4	37.9	36.9	35.4	34.0	37.0
Milk, fresh	Quart.		17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹		11.4	11.4	11.3	11.1	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.5	11.1	11.2	11.2
Butter	Pound		58.6	56.8	55.9	54.6	53.0	53.6	53.4	54.9	56.7	57.4	59.6	55.7	55.7
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes)	do.		28.9	28.5	29.2	29.5	28.6	29.2	29.5	27.8	28.6	28.0	27.2	27.2	28.5
Cheese	do.		34.5	34.1	34.6	33.4	33.0	32.3	32.4	32.2	33.7	33.6	34.8	34.7	33.6
Lard	do.		20.9	21.5	20.9	20.8	21.0	21.3	21.6	21.6	21.6	20.6	20.2	19.1	20.9
Vegetable lard substitute	do.		21.6	22.0	22.0	22.1	22.0	22.3	22.7	23.3	23.2	23.5	22.8	21.9	22.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen		55.5	44.0	35.3	38.7	38.1	39.9	41.6	43.0	48.1	56.8	65.5	64.7	47.6
Eggs, storage	do.		44.5	35.2								48.0	48.7	48.0	
Bread	Pound		9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.7
Flour	do.		6.3	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.1
Corn meal	do.		4.7	4.5	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.5	4.5
Rolled oats	do.		8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.7	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.5
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		10.4	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.5	10.3	10.3
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		23.9	23.9	24.0	23.9	24.0	24.1	23.9	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2	23.8	24.0
Macaroni	Pound		19.3	19.3	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.3	19.0	19.1	19.0	19.1
Rice	do.		11.6	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.8	12.0	12.1	12.6	12.3	12.0
Beans, navy	do.		9.1	8.8	8.5	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.4
Potatoes	do.		6.4	6.5	6.0	7.0	6.6	5.5	3.9	3.7	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.6	5.3
Onions	do.		6.6	6.5	6.3	6.7	7.3	7.6	7.1	6.9	5.7	5.2	5.6	6.0	6.5
Cabbage	do.		5.1	5.8	7.2	6.8	6.1	4.9	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	5.3
Beans, baked	No. 2 can		10.1	10.1	10.0	9.8	10.0	10.0	9.9	10.0	9.9	10.0	9.8	9.8	10.0
Corn, canned	do.		15.6	15.3	15.5	15.3	15.3	15.5	15.8	15.4	16.4	15.8	15.8	15.4	15.6
Peas, canned	do.		20.3	19.5	19.9	19.8	20.1	19.7	19.5	21.2	21.9	20.6	19.9	19.8	20.2
Tomatoes, canned	do.		10.2	10.6	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.3	10.1	10.1	9.7	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.1
Sugar, granulated	Pound		6.2	6.3	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	7.0	6.4
Tea	do.		89.5	89.5	89.4	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.7	89.1	91.1	93.2	89.4	89.4	89.6
Coffee	do.		50.4	49.9	50.2	50.3	50.3	50.2	50.0	50.0	51.1	50.1	51.4	51.3	50.4
Prunes	do.		17.0	16.6	16.4	16.1	16.7	16.8	16.5	17.0	15.7	15.8	16.4	15.0	16.3
Raisins	do.		14.1	14.2	14.1	13.9	14.0	14.4	14.5	14.4	14.7	14.6	14.8	14.5	14.4
Bananas	Dozen		33.5	32.3	32.5	33.8	33.3	33.8	34.2	33.5	33.5	33.9	33.3	33.3	33.4
Oranges	do.		49.2	45.6	49.0	51.7	57.5	51.1	53.2	51.5	55.0	58.1	51.5	43.9	51.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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NORFOLK, VA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound		Cts. 40.6	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 40.0	Cts. 41.2	Cts. 41.1	Cts. 40.9	Cts. 41.8	Cts. 42.2	Cts. 42.1	Cts. 42.5	Cts. 41.9	Cts. 42.3	Cts. 41.4
Round steak	do.		34.5	33.8	34.2	34.9	34.9	34.9	36.8	36.5	36.3	37.0	36.4	37.0	35.6
Rib roast	do.		31.6	31.2	31.2	32.9	33.4	32.3	33.4	33.4	32.7	32.0	32.9	32.6	32.5
Chuck roast	do.		22.5	23.0	23.3	24.1	23.6	23.5	24.3	23.3	23.6	23.3	23.9	24.4	23.6
Plate beef	do.		15.5	15.6	16.2	15.4	15.8	15.7	15.9	16.2	16.3	15.9	15.9	17.5	16.0
Pork chops	do.		35.6	34.8	35.5	36.5	36.7	35.7	35.2	36.2	35.3	38.6	34.2	32.0	35.8
Bacon, sliced	do.		46.8	45.1	43.5	45.7	44.5	44.4	44.1	44.3	43.1	45.1	41.7	43.1	44.3
Ham, sliced	do.		49.8	48.0	46.5	50.5	49.5	48.0	47.8	46.7	46.7	48.3	47.0	46.3	48.2
Lamb, leg of	do.		39.3	39.2	40.0	42.5	41.3	43.1	42.1	41.7	41.3	42.2	39.2	40.5	41.0
Hens	do.		40.2	39.2	39.4	38.8	38.2	37.1	36.7	35.9	35.1	35.7	37.1	36.5	37.5
Salmon, canned, red.	do.		33.1	33.9	33.7	33.1	34.2	33.9	33.9	33.9	35.1	36.5	35.9	35.7	34.4
Milk, fresh	Quart.		17.5	17.5	17.5	18.0	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	18.0	18.0	18.0	17.7
Milk, evaporated	Can 1		11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.4	11.6	11.8	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.5
Butter	Pound		60.8	60.4	59.9	61.0	57.1	56.2	54.7	55.3	55.3	57.8	58.9	60.5	58.2
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.		27.7	28.1	28.1	28.3	28.3	28.7	27.7	28.8	26.3	26.4	27.4	25.0	27.4
Cheese	do.		35.4	35.0	34.8	35.2	35.1	35.1	35.0	35.2	35.8	35.8	36.4	37.5	35.5
Lard	do.		19.0	18.6	18.6	18.8	18.9	18.6	18.8	18.8	19.2	19.1	19.4	19.1	18.9
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.		22.1	21.8	21.7	21.4	21.8	22.8	22.8	23.0	22.9	22.5	22.4	23.0	22.4
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen		55.0	41.5	34.0	33.3	32.1	33.2	34.7	40.5	51.9	60.0	62.2	63.0	45.1
Eggs, storage	do.		48.8	32.5								42.8	45.4	47.5	
Bread	Pound		9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9
Flour	do.		5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.7
Corn meal	do.		4.5	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5
Rollod oats	do.		9.0	9.0	9.1	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.7
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		10.4	10.3	10.3	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.9
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		24.8	24.5	24.3	24.3	24.5	25.2	25.0	25.0	25.2	25.0	24.8	24.8	24.8
Macaroni	Pound		19.1	19.3	19.3	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.0	19.1
Rice	do.		12.1	11.9	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.4	11.7
Beans, navy	do.		8.8	8.3	8.3	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.8	8.4	8.5	8.3
Potatoes	do.		4.6	4.3	4.2	4.2	5.6	6.2	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.7	4.3
Onions	do.		6.6	6.3	6.4	7.4	8.2	8.1	7.4	7.0	5.6	5.4	5.3	4.8	6.5
Cabbage	do.		4.6	5.0	5.1	5.0	7.3	6.5	5.2	4.9	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.2	5.1
Beans, baked	No. 2 can		9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.8
Corn, canned	do.		15.8	15.0	14.6	14.9	14.9	15.0	14.9	14.7	14.7	15.4	14.6	14.8	14.9
Peas, canned	do.		19.5	19.9	19.5	19.3	18.9	19.1	19.2	19.2	18.7	18.5	17.3	17.4	18.9
Tomatoes, canned	do.		9.9	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.9
Sugar, granulated	Pound		7.2	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9	7.0	7.1	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.0
Tea	do.		94.0	93.2	93.2	93.2	92.7	94.5	95.8	95.8	96.4	96.4	96.4	96.4	94.8
Coffee	do.		50.9	50.6	50.2	48.8	48.2	47.8	47.8	47.7	46.9	47.2	48.4	48.8	48.6
Prunes	do.		15.4	15.1	15.1	15.3	15.3	15.7	15.4	16.0	15.7	14.9	14.1	13.3	15.1
Raisins	do.		14.6	14.5	14.4	14.3	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.3	14.5	14.2	14.1	13.5	14.3
Bananas	Dozen		32.8	33.0	33.0	32.8	32.5	34.1	33.2	34.5	34.5	33.5	34.0	34.5	33.5
Oranges	do.		48.9	50.2	46.7	48.3	52.5	56.7	55.0	53.8	50.6	60.7	50.9	51.1	52.1

1 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
OMAHA, NEBR.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 25.0	Cts. 36.6	Cts. 36.4	Cts. 36.5	Cts. 36.3	Cts. 37.1	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 38.2	Cts. 37.9	Cts. 38.4	Cts. 38.4	Cts. 37.5	Cts. 37.1	Cts. 37.3
Round steak.....	do.....	21.7	32.8	33.1	33.1	33.3	34.0	34.9	35.5	35.4	36.2	35.8	34.8	34.5	34.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.4	26.1	26.1	26.0	26.2	26.1	26.3	26.6	26.3	26.2	26.7	26.2	26.3	26.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.7	21.7	21.8	21.9	21.5	22.0	21.9	21.8	22.0	21.7	22.1	22.0	22.0	21.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	10.7	12.1	12.0	12.2	12.4	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.6	12.8	12.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	19.5	35.7	35.1	35.4	36.7	37.8	40.1	39.4	37.6	40.9	42.0	37.5	36.2	37.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	27.7	51.1	52.4	51.6	52.1	52.4	54.6	55.9	55.8	55.3	54.8	54.8	53.0	53.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.1	54.7	54.7	56.1	56.6	57.1	61.1	61.8	62.4	62.4	62.4	61.6	58.7	59.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	17.2	37.7	37.8	36.5	37.4	38.4	39.1	37.9	37.9	36.5	36.6	36.8	36.2	37.4
Hens.....	do.....	17.3	33.4	33.7	34.2	35.7	35.3	34.3	33.8	32.2	32.6	31.7	31.1	31.2	33.3
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	38.1	38.3	38.6	38.8	39.2	39.2	39.2	38.9	38.6	37.4	36.4	36.0	38.2	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.2	11.6	11.4	11.1	11.1	10.3	10.3	10.8	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹ ..	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8
Butter.....	Pound..	36.7	51.4	49.5	47.6	47.2	46.5	46.9	46.5	49.1	50.5	52.1	53.6	49.2	
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	31.3	31.1	30.4	30.4	30.3	30.0	29.6	29.9	30.2	29.9	29.9	28.0	30.1	
Cheese.....	do.....	22.9	37.5	37.5	37.2	35.7	34.2	34.2	34.2	33.9	34.7	35.5	36.9	36.3	35.7
Lard.....	do.....	17.4	24.9	24.5	24.2	24.0	23.9	24.3	24.6	24.6	24.1	24.1	23.2	23.4	24.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.0	27.7	28.1	27.9	27.8	27.6	27.6	27.9	27.9	27.8	28.1	27.3	27.7	
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	27.1	47.1	35.4	31.5	33.2	33.3	34.3	34.7	35.7	39.6	45.6	50.1	52.1	39.4
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	39.8	32.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	
Bread.....	Pound..	5.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	
Flour.....	do.....	2.8	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.7	5.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.4	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	12.0	12.5	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.8	12.4	
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	28.3	28.0	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.0	28.2	
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.3	21.2	21.2	21.1	21.0	21.1	21.1	20.9	21.1	21.1	21.0	21.2	21.1	
Rice.....	do.....	8.5	11.4	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.8	11.7	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....	10.3	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.5	9.6	9.9	9.8	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.6	5.7	5.5	5.5	6.2	5.6	4.8	3.8	3.0	3.6	3.7	4.0	4.0	4.6
Onions.....	do.....	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	8.9	9.0	7.9	6.7	5.7	5.2	5.1	5.3	6.5	
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.7	6.4	7.1	7.2	5.7	6.1	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.7	4.3	5.1	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	14.6	14.6	14.1	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.7	13.6	14.0	13.9	13.7	13.9	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.5	16.1	15.9	15.9	16.1	15.8	16.1	16.0	16.2	15.9	15.6	15.6	16.0	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	17.4	16.8	16.7	16.7	16.5	16.4	16.1	16.0	15.8	15.8	16.1	16.1	16.4	
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.1	14.1	13.4	13.5	13.7	13.7	13.4	13.6	13.9	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.8	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.6	7.2
Tea.....	do.....	56.0	78.5	78.2	79.1	80.3	80.3	78.5	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.8	79.0
Coffee.....	do.....	30.0	57.4	57.4	57.3	57.3	57.5	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.5	57.5	55.9	55.0	57.1
Prunes.....	do.....	17.3	17.7	17.7	17.6	17.7	17.7	17.9	17.4	17.8	17.0	17.1	16.4	17.4	
Raisins.....	do.....	15.3	15.5	15.7	15.8	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.9	15.4	15.6	15.3	15.6	
Bananas.....	do.....	11.8	11.8	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.7	11.5	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.6	
Oranges.....	Dozen..	43.9	43.3	44.8	47.8	44.2	43.4	45.3	46.3	45.1	50.9	49.8	55.1	46.7	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

OMAHA, NEBR.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 25.0	Cts. 36.8	Cts. 37.0	Cts. 37.8	Cts. 38.0	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 39.5	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 39.1	Cts. 38.9	Cts. 38.5	
Round steak.....	do.....	21.7	34.0	33.8	33.8	35.1	35.6	35.5	37.6	37.8	38.1	37.4	36.8	36.1	
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.4	26.3	26.4	26.0	26.1	26.7	26.5	27.2	27.4	27.8	27.4	26.6	26.5	
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.7	21.7	22.0	22.1	22.2	22.8	22.3	22.9	22.9	23.1	23.5	23.2	23.1	
Plate beef.....	do.....	10.7	13.2	12.9	13.2	12.9	13.3	13.3	13.2	12.8	13.2	13.0	13.6	14.6	
Pork chops.....	do.....	19.5	34.7	33.8	35.2	35.1	34.4	33.6	33.5	35.7	38.6	41.1	34.5	30.5	
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	27.7	51.2	51.0	50.6	50.7	50.7	50.2	50.0	48.9	48.2	49.1	48.8	49.1	
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.1	57.8	58.2	58.2	58.2	57.6	56.3	54.1	53.8	51.2	50.3	50.4	49.3	
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	17.2	36.3	36.0	36.6	38.5	39.6	38.8	38.7	37.9	37.5	38.1	37.5	37.6	
Hens.....	do.....	17.3	32.6	32.9	32.9	33.4	32.5	31.0	30.0	29.6	30.9	29.9	29.5	29.8	
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		35.1	35.1	35.4	35.1	35.1	34.8	34.5	34.4	35.1	34.9	35.5	35.8	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.8	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.8	11.8	
Butter.....	Pound..	36.7	54.7	54.7	55.8	55.5	52.1	50.6	49.4	48.4	48.3	51.0	52.6	53.9	
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		26.2	26.0	26.1	26.3	26.3	26.1	26.1	26.2	26.1	26.0	26.2	26.4	
Cheese.....	do.....	22.9	37.0	36.4	37.0	36.1	36.4	36.1	36.4	36.3	36.0	37.7	38.6	38.7	
Lard.....	do.....	17.4	22.8	22.1	21.8	21.2	20.9	20.5	20.5	19.6	19.7	20.3	20.3	20.2	
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		26.7	26.6	26.6	25.9	26.4	27.4	26.0	25.9	25.9	26.0	25.4	25.6	
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	27.1	45.1	35.5	28.9	28.5	27.9	26.9	28.7	30.9	35.8	42.1	46.1	51.1	
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		38.8									37.8	35.9	40.1	
Bread.....	Pound..	5.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.9	
Flour.....	do.....	2.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.4	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.9	4.7	4.6	
Rolled oats.....	do.....		10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		12.4	12.7	12.2	11.5	11.1	10.9	10.5	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	27.9	27.9	27.8	27.8	27.8	
Macaroni.....	Pound..		20.7	20.6	21.2	21.2	21.2	21.2	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.3	
Rice.....	do.....	8.5	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.8	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	10.9	11.0	
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.8	9.7	10.0	9.8	9.6	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.1	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.6	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.6	4.4	6.5	3.7	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.3	
Onions.....	do.....		5.9	6.3	6.7	8.7	9.3	9.3	8.9	6.9	5.4	5.1	5.3	5.3	
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.4	4.6	5.1	5.0	9.1	11.7	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.2	3.3	3.4	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		12.8	13.1	13.2	13.4	13.3	13.4	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.9	13.0	12.9	
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.8	16.3	16.2	16.0	16.1	16.3	16.2	16.4	16.2	16.4	15.9	16.3	
Peas, canned.....	do.....		15.5	15.4	15.3	15.7	15.5	15.5	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.4	15.9	
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		13.3	13.2	13.2	13.1	12.8	13.1	13.1	12.9	12.8	13.1	13.1	13.2	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.9	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.3	
Tea.....	do.....	56.0	80.3	79.4	79.4	79.7	78.8	79.1	78.4	77.8	77.8	78.4	78.1	77.8	
Coffee.....	do.....	30.0	54.4	54.2	53.6	53.8	53.6	53.6	53.5	53.4	53.4	53.6	53.6	53.7	
Prunes.....	do.....		16.5	16.8	16.3	16.1	16.6	16.4	16.5	16.4	16.4	14.8	14.4	14.0	
Raisins.....	do.....		15.5	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.3	15.2	15.0	14.9	14.7	15.3	
Bananas.....	do.....		12.0	11.8	11.7	11.3	11.3	10.5	10.6	10.7	11.0	11.1	11.8	11.9	
Oranges.....	Dozen..		47.7	48.4	49.1	47.6	47.1	44.8	43.2	44.5	46.5	44.8	47.1	54.4	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
PEORIA, ILL.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound		Cts. 33.6	Cts. 33.1	Cts. 32.5	Cts. 34.0	Cts. 35.2	Cts. 35.2	Cts. 35.2	Cts. 34.8	Cts. 35.6	Cts. 35.4	Cts. 34.6	Cts. 34.8	Cts. 34.5
Round steak	do.		32.1	31.8	32.1	33.1	33.3	34.6	34.2	34.1	34.1	33.8	33.8	34.1	33.4
Rib roast	do.		23.7	23.9	24.4	24.2	24.5	25.6	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.0	25.0	25.1	24.8
Chuck roast	do.		20.4	20.4	20.2	20.7	21.0	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.7	21.3	21.5	22.2	21.1
Plate beef	do.		13.8	13.6	13.7	13.6	13.8	13.8	14.0	14.0	14.7	14.4	14.6	15.0	14.1
Pork chops	do.		33.3	33.7	33.5	35.2	37.2	37.7	36.7	36.3	38.1	38.5	36.2	34.7	35.9
Bacon, sliced	do.		50.0	50.0	49.7	49.3	51.1	52.3	53.0	53.0	53.0	52.0	51.3	50.4	51.3
Ham, sliced	do.		52.1	53.6	52.3	52.7	53.8	58.5	58.8	58.2	58.6	57.5	56.4	56.8	55.8
Lamb, leg of	do.		36.2	36.7	35.8	36.9	39.2	43.3	38.1	37.9	40.7	38.7	40.0	40.0	38.6
Hens	do.		34.8	35.1	36.4	36.5	36.8	35.3	35.9	34.7	34.8	33.7	33.4	33.3	35.2
Salmon, canned, red	do.		38.4	38.7	38.3	38.4	39.1	39.8	39.5	39.3	38.1	36.7	35.8	35.6	38.1
Milk, fresh	Quart		11.7	11.7	11.7	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.7	11.7	11.7	12.0	12.0	12.0	11.7
Milk, evaporated	Can 1		11.6	11.5	11.8	11.8	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.6
Butter	Pound		51.7	49.6	49.1	45.5	46.1	47.7	46.8	46.2	48.1	49.9	52.5	57.8	49.3
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes)	do.		31.2	31.0	30.9	29.7	29.5	29.8	29.9	29.4	30.0	29.6	29.4	29.4	30.0
Cheese	do.		35.9	36.2	35.4	34.7	34.7	34.2	34.9	35.0	35.7	35.1	36.3	37.0	35.4
Lard	do.		22.5	22.5	22.4	22.1	22.0	22.7	22.7	23.0	23.0	22.6	22.1	20.4	22.3
Vegetable lard substitute	do.		27.2	27.1	27.1	27.0	27.3	27.3	27.3	27.0	26.9	27.0	27.0	27.1	27.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen		48.3	37.7	30.7	33.7	32.4	35.1	33.8	35.2	41.4	46.8	54.6	64.7	41.2
Eggs, storage	do.		40.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	42.0	46.5	45.4	---
Bread	Pound		10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1
Flour	do.		6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.9
Corn meal	do.		4.9	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.8
Rolled oats	do.		9.0	9.0	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg		12.0	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg		25.4	25.4	25.3	25.3	25.4	25.3	25.4	25.4	25.3	25.6	25.6	25.2	25.4
Macaroni	Pound		20.8	20.5	20.5	20.6	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.5	20.0	19.9	19.9	19.4	20.2
Rice	do.		11.8	11.5	11.7	11.7	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.8	12.1	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.8
Beans, navy	do.		9.0	9.0	9.0	8.7	8.4	8.5	8.8	8.5	8.4	8.6	8.8	9.0	8.7
Potatoes	do.		5.6	5.4	5.2	5.9	5.3	4.9	4.0	3.1	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.5
Onions	do.		6.1	6.4	6.4	6.5	8.4	8.3	8.0	6.1	6.2	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.7
Cabbage	do.		5.9	6.4	7.7	7.4	6.4	6.5	4.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.7	5.2
Beans, baked	No. 2 can		11.7	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.6	11.9	11.8	11.3	12.2	12.2	12.1	11.7	11.9
Corn, canned	do.		15.9	15.9	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.3	15.8	15.8	16.2	15.7
Peas, canned	do.		18.0	17.8	17.8	18.3	18.0	18.0	18.3	18.0	18.0	18.3	18.1	18.1	18.1
Tomatoes, canned	do.		14.5	13.8	14.0	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.3	13.8
Sugar, granulated	Pound		7.3	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.5
Tea	do.		64.8	64.8	65.1	65.1	66.4	66.7	67.6	67.9	67.9	68.6	69.5	70.1	67.0
Coffee	do.		52.1	52.2	51.6	51.9	51.6	51.8	51.8	51.9	51.9	52.1	51.8	51.3	51.8
Prunes	do.		20.5	20.4	20.2	20.2	20.0	20.0	20.4	19.6	20.2	19.5	19.2	18.6	19.9
Raisins	do.		14.8	15.0	15.0	15.3	14.9	15.2	15.4	15.5	15.6	15.0	15.3	15.1	15.2
Bananas	do.		9.9	10.2	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.4	10.1	9.8	9.8	10.2	10.2	10.7	10.1
Oranges	Dozen		41.2	44.6	43.9	48.8	47.1	47.0	46.5	45.9	44.9	49.2	54.3	52.1	47.1

1 15-16 ounces.

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PEORIA, ILL.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	35.0	35.0	35.5	36.6	36.8	36.1	36.5	36.1	35.7	35.7	35.5	34.8	35.8
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	34.1	33.5	33.9	34.8	34.8	34.6	34.6	34.8	34.6	34.4	34.4	34.0	34.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	25.5	25.0	25.5	25.6	25.6	25.3	25.7	25.5	25.5	25.4	25.3	25.6	25.5
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	21.6	21.0	21.5	21.5	22.1	21.8	21.8	22.6	22.5	22.5	22.5	22.8	22.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	14.3	14.1	14.3	14.1	14.3	14.6	14.4	15.0	14.8	15.7	15.3	15.3	14.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	33.7	33.5	33.7	34.4	33.0	31.7	31.5	33.2	35.8	37.1	32.3	31.3	33.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	50.4	50.4	50.4	50.0	49.6	50.0	50.8	50.8	48.8	48.8	48.8	47.7	49.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	56.8	56.8	57.7	55.0	55.4	53.3	54.2	54.2	55.0	54.2	53.8	50.4	54.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	39.3	38.6	38.6	40.0	40.0	41.9	41.3	42.5	40.0	39.4	40.0	39.4	40.1
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	35.0	35.1	35.9	35.6	35.2	34.3	33.6	32.9	32.4	32.5	31.7	32.2	33.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	35.2	35.1	35.1	34.4	34.3	33.1	33.5	33.5	34.8	34.0	34.5	35.5	34.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	Cts.	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	11.3	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.3
Butter.....	Pound.....	Cts.	56.1	56.6	56.9	56.6	50.9	49.0	47.3	47.3	49.8	51.8	53.0	55.9	52.6
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	Cts.	28.9	28.9	28.4	28.1	28.2	27.9	27.9	27.7	27.7	28.2	28.2	28.9	28.3
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	37.6	38.0	37.5	36.8	36.4	36.0	36.4	36.2	36.6	37.4	37.8	38.3	37.1
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	20.0	20.0	19.5	19.0	19.2	19.2	18.7	18.8	18.8	18.8	18.8	19.2	19.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.5	27.8	27.8	27.1	27.8	27.4	27.6	27.7	27.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	52.5	42.5	27.8	27.5	27.5	25.5	29.2	33.0	39.4	44.1	55.7	60.2	38.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	42.4									38.4	39.9	40.1	
Bread.....	Pound.....	Cts.	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	11.8	11.6	11.3	10.7	10.4	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	26.3	26.4	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.1	26.3
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	Cts.	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.6	18.6
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.5
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	8.8	8.8	8.6	8.7	8.5	8.7	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.2	4.2	6.2	4.2	3.2	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.4	3.4
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	5.7	6.4	6.6	8.9	9.8	9.9	9.6	8.3	6.9	5.9	5.5	5.0	7.4
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	4.5	5.1	5.6	5.8	8.9	13.2	6.2	4.2	3.8	3.2	3.1	3.1	5.6
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	Cts.	11.3	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	16.0	16.2	16.2	15.4	14.9	14.8	14.6	14.4	14.6	14.8	15.0	15.3	15.2
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	17.5	17.5	17.2	17.6	17.6	17.1	16.7	16.9	17.1	17.2	17.8	17.4	17.3
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	12.7	12.7	12.5	12.7	12.6	12.3	12.2	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.7	12.9	12.6
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	Cts.	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.6	8.4	8.3	8.6	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.4
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	72.1	72.1	71.7	71.7	70.2	69.6	70.9	70.8	70.9	70.9	70.8	70.5	71.0
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	50.9	50.0	50.5	49.7	48.6	48.0	47.5	47.8	46.9	46.8	47.8	48.1	48.6
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	18.8	18.2	17.8	18.0	17.9	18.0	18.0	17.4	17.0	17.4	18.0	17.1	17.8
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.2	14.4
Bananas.....	do.....	Cts.	11.3	11.4	11.1	10.5	10.2	10.1	9.8	9.8	9.6	10.0	10.4	11.2	10.5
Oranges.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	51.7	53.4	52.7	54.6	54.1	48.1	49.0	48.2	51.0	47.0	47.6	49.7	50.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound.....	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	30.2	55.6	55.1	54.1	55.5	54.8	56.3	56.1	55.8	56.0	56.1	54.8	54.4	55.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	25.5	41.7	40.6	40.2	41.2	41.4	42.3	42.7	42.9	43.5	42.0	41.4	41.2	41.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	22.0	37.2	36.6	36.6	36.8	37.1	37.7	37.3	36.9	36.6	36.6	36.3	36.3	36.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	17.6	23.8	24.7	24.4	24.4	24.9	25.7	25.4	26.0	26.6	26.1	25.7	26.0	25.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	11.9	12.3	12.6	12.5	13.1	12.4	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.8	12.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	21.5	40.1	39.4	40.4	41.8	45.1	47.0	46.7	45.8	47.9	46.8	43.4	40.9	43.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	26.1	46.2	46.6	46.4	46.7	47.8	49.5	49.8	50.0	49.8	49.2	48.3	47.5	48.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	30.9	55.8	55.9	56.6	57.9	60.1	65.7	65.8	64.2	62.8	61.9	59.6	59.7	60.5
Hens.....	do.....	19.7	41.0	40.0	39.8	39.4	42.2	46.2	43.2	42.0	40.7	40.0	40.5	40.2	41.3
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	22.6	41.4	41.7	41.7	43.5	44.6	44.0	42.8	41.2	41.4	41.1	41.2	40.9	42.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	8.0	38.0	37.7	37.7	38.0	38.0	37.1	37.6	37.6	37.1	33.5	31.9	29.9	36.2
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.5
Butter.....	Pound.....	43.6	58.2	57.5	56.9	53.6	53.3	54.4	53.7	54.2	56.3	58.1	60.9	65.3	56.9
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	32.4	32.6	32.0	30.4	29.9	29.6	30.3	29.6	30.7	30.8	30.6	30.8	30.8	30.8
Cheese.....	do.....	25.0	41.0	41.2	40.0	40.3	39.8	39.2	38.5	39.3	39.2	39.6	39.0	39.3	39.7
Lard.....	do.....	15.2	22.0	22.1	21.5	21.1	21.1	22.4	23.0	22.9	22.1	21.7	20.5	19.2	21.6
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.3	25.5	25.5	25.7	25.7	25.6	25.3	25.2	25.1	25.5	25.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen.....	34.9	56.7	46.8	41.5	41.6	41.8	44.2	44.6	45.8	54.3	62.6	73.0	74.0	52.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	41.5	32.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	47.4	48.2	49.3	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	4.8	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.1	5.8	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.9
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.6	24.5	24.4	24.4
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	21.5	21.5	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	20.8	20.9	20.7	21.0	20.8	20.8	20.8	21.0
Rice.....	do.....	9.8	12.0	12.2	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.3	12.1	11.8	12.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.3	9.4	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.7	8.7	9.0	9.2	9.0	9.0	9.0
Potatoes.....	do.....	2.2	6.6	6.5	6.5	7.4	7.0	5.6	4.1	3.9	4.5	4.4	4.6	4.7	5.5
Onions.....	do.....	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.7	8.5	7.2	6.8	5.6	5.2	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.8	5.9
Cabbage.....	do.....	7.4	7.9	7.8	7.9	7.0	7.0	5.5	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.6	6.0	6.0
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	10.9	11.0	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.7
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.2	15.1	15.1	14.9	14.6	14.6	14.7	14.6	15.0	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....	15.3	15.6	15.1	14.7	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.0	15.2	15.5	15.8	15.3	15.1	15.1
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.6	11.9	12.1	11.4	11.4
Sugar, granulated	Pound.....	5.0	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.2	6.6	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.4
Tea.....	do.....	54.0	71.1	71.0	70.9	71.3	71.9	72.7	73.2	74.3	72.2	72.1	70.9	69.4	71.8
Coffee.....	do.....	24.8	46.0	45.5	45.8	45.6	44.6	45.2	45.6	45.0	46.1	45.6	45.6	45.9	45.5
Prunes.....	do.....	16.2	16.1	15.6	14.8	14.4	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.5	14.4	15.0
Raisins.....	do.....	13.5	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	14.2	13.8	13.6	13.6	13.8
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	32.8	33.8	31.4	31.0	30.6	31.1	30.6	30.3	30.4	30.1	30.3	30.7	31.1	31.1
Oranges.....	do.....	50.1	48.0	50.0	50.3	58.6	52.5	48.3	52.2	53.9	60.8	57.1	45.7	53.0	53.0

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OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927	
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15		
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound.....	Cts.	30.2	55.0	54.4	55.2	56.3	57.8	57.7	60.8	59.8	59.8	59.1	59.0	61.4	58.0
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	25.5	41.5	40.9	41.9	43.2	43.8	44.0	47.1	46.7	45.9	45.4	45.2	46.8	44.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	22.0	36.5	36.2	36.5	37.1	37.3	37.9	38.8	38.4	38.3	38.2	39.0	40.4	37.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	17.6	26.0	26.1	26.0	26.5	27.3	27.0	28.3	28.2	27.8	27.8	28.7	30.4	27.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	11.9	12.8	12.8	13.1	13.2	13.6	13.3	13.8	13.7	14.0	14.0	14.7	15.8	13.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	21.5	40.0	40.1	40.4	40.7	41.4	39.0	39.9	43.6	45.6	45.2	38.8	36.3	40.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	26.1	46.9	47.0	47.1	47.3	46.4	46.1	45.5	46.2	45.7	45.6	45.1	43.9	46.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	30.9	59.7	60.5	60.5	60.1	60.3	59.8	59.6	57.9	56.4	55.7	54.8	53.3	58.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	19.7	39.1	39.4	40.5	42.0	43.7	44.2	43.8	41.6	40.8	40.3	40.8	39.8	41.3
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	22.6	41.1	40.7	41.1	41.6	41.8	39.5	38.9	38.9	39.0	39.9	40.0	39.8	40.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	29.6	29.3	29.0	27.8	27.6	27.8	27.5	29.2	32.2	34.1	34.7	34.4	30.3	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	Cts.	8.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.7
Butter.....	Pound.....	Cts.	43.6	62.9	62.5	62.9	62.9	57.1	54.7	54.9	55.0	57.5	61.0	61.9	63.7	59.8
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	Cts.	30.8	30.7	30.6	30.3	28.4	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.5	28.6	28.9	29.0	29.2
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	25.0	39.8	40.0	39.8	39.9	39.8	39.4	39.0	40.0	40.4	40.8	41.0	39.9	
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	15.2	19.3	18.8	18.7	18.3	18.3	17.5	17.4	18.0	18.0	18.6	18.3	18.1	18.3
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	25.6	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.2	25.0	25.5	
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	34.9	62.4	46.4	36.9	35.8	35.8	35.1	38.5	42.4	52.1	62.5	66.5	68.5	48.6
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	47.6	37.8								47.0	46.7	45.2		
Bread.....	Pound.....	Cts.	4.8	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	3.2	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	2.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.0	4.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6	
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	24.8	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.4	24.7	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.6	24.7	
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	Cts.	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.7	21.0	20.5	20.3	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.5	20.9	20.7	
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	9.8	11.5	11.6	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.3
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	9.2	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.3	9.5	9.4	9.1	
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	2.2	4.6	4.4	4.2	4.2	5.6	6.0	4.2	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.6	4.2
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	5.3	5.3	5.5	6.8	8.6	8.7	6.9	5.5	4.9	4.2	4.5	4.2	5.9	
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	4.9	5.3	5.2	5.9	8.9	8.7	4.8	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.2	2.9	5.1	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	Cts.	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.8	10.8	10.8	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.4	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.0	14.0	14.3	14.3	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	15.3	15.4	15.0	15.1	15.0	14.8	14.9	15.0	15.0	14.9	14.3	14.6	14.9	
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	12.5	12.3	12.5	12.2	12.1	12.2	12.1	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.6	12.0	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	Cts.	5.0	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.7	
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	54.0	69.4	69.6	68.5	68.2	68.0	67.7	68.2	67.6	67.8	67.3	67.9	68.2	
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	24.8	44.8	44.0	43.0	41.2	41.4	39.5	39.7	38.5	39.2	39.2	40.2	40.4	40.9
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	13.8	13.4	13.5	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.7	13.6	13.3	13.3	12.7	12.8	13.3	
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	13.5	13.5	13.6	13.8	13.6	13.7	13.5	13.6	13.4	13.6	13.3	13.2	13.5	
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	31.3	31.7	32.5	32.0	31.4	30.2	28.7	30.0	29.6	30.7	31.9	33.0	31.1	
Oranges.....	do.....	Cts.	46.3	44.4	43.9	49.5	50.7	50.3	50.6	52.3	56.9	61.2	52.9	49.4	50.7	

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926	
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15		
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	26.8	46.6	45.8	46.0	45.7	46.6	48.0	48.5	47.6	47.2	47.7	46.1	45.3	46.8
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	23.3	38.3	37.1	37.9	38.1	38.9	39.5	39.6	39.2	40.2	40.1	39.4	38.8	38.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	21.7	35.0	33.5	33.6	33.7	34.0	34.4	34.6	33.9	34.1	34.2	34.0	34.1	34.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	16.7	24.8	24.3	24.1	23.9	24.2	24.8	24.6	24.5	25.1	25.5	25.4	25.0	24.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	12.1	12.6	12.9	12.7	12.5	12.7	12.4	12.3	11.7	12.7	13.5	13.0	13.6	12.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	22.2	38.1	37.2	39.3	41.1	43.1	45.3	43.4	41.9	44.7	45.2	39.7	37.6	41.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	29.0	51.2	52.2	52.4	52.7	53.9	56.1	56.1	56.0	56.6	56.5	55.4	53.5	54.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	29.9	59.8	59.5	59.8	60.5	62.0	68.0	68.9	67.4	66.0	65.7	64.1	62.4	63.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	21.0	41.1	40.0	39.3	39.8	41.7	44.5	42.9	44.9	40.5	40.5	40.1	40.0	40.9
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	25.7	44.6	44.1	43.8	46.0	45.3	44.6	43.9	42.3	42.1	41.4	41.8	44.1	43.7
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	37.7	37.5	37.1	37.4	37.5	37.7	38.4	38.9	38.9	38.4	34.5	34.0	32.9	36.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	Cts.	8.8	14.7	14.5	14.5	14.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.7	14.7	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.5
Butter.....	Pound..	Cts.	39.8	56.4	55.3	55.0	51.9	51.3	51.9	51.8	51.3	54.1	57.1	59.9	64.0	55.0
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	Cts.	32.1	32.5	31.8	30.8	30.5	30.2	30.3	30.4	31.0	31.1	32.1	32.0	31.2	31.2
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	24.5	39.8	40.0	39.5	39.0	38.2	38.3	37.9	37.9	38.0	38.6	39.7	39.7	38.9
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	15.5	22.3	21.8	21.4	20.6	20.9	22.2	22.7	22.8	22.6	22.2	21.5	20.9	21.8
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	26.9	26.9	26.5	26.6	26.6	26.8	27.4	27.5	27.5	27.6	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	Cts.	32.5	57.5	46.6	39.7	39.2	40.4	42.4	42.9	45.6	51.2	58.3	67.3	70.6	50.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	43.3	33.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	44.8	48.4	49.1	---	---
Bread.....	Pound..	Cts.	5.4	9.1	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	3.2	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	2.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.2	6.3	6.0	5.9	5.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	9.4	9.3	9.5	9.4	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	Cts.	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	Cts.	25.2	25.4	25.0	25.1	25.3	25.1	25.1	25.3	25.2	25.1	25.0	25.0	25.2	25.2
Macaroni.....	Pound..	Cts.	22.6	22.6	22.6	22.8	22.7	23.3	23.5	23.4	23.1	23.3	24.0	23.7	23.1	23.1
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	9.2	12.5	12.3	12.4	12.2	12.2	12.6	12.7	13.0	12.8	13.0	12.8	12.5	12.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	8.9	8.9	8.6	8.4	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.8	8.8	8.4	8.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	1.8	6.0	5.9	5.7	6.5	5.9	5.6	3.6	3.5	4.0	3.7	4.1	4.0	4.9
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	6.5	6.7	6.7	6.5	7.1	8.6	8.1	7.6	6.9	6.2	5.5	5.4	5.4	6.7
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	6.3	6.9	8.1	7.9	6.5	6.9	5.7	5.2	5.2	4.7	4.7	5.0	6.1	6.1
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	Cts.	12.9	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.9	12.9	12.5	12.7	12.8	12.6	12.8	12.8
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	17.8	17.5	17.4	17.1	17.2	17.0	16.6	16.8	16.2	16.6	16.7	16.8	17.0	17.0
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	18.2	18.1	17.7	18.0	17.6	16.8	17.0	17.2	17.0	17.2	17.3	17.1	17.1	17.4
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	Cts.	12.4	12.0	11.8	11.8	11.9	12.0	11.6	11.6	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.5	12.1	12.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	Cts.	5.6	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.0
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	58.0	84.0	83.9	85.0	85.2	85.7	85.9	84.8	85.3	85.2	85.8	85.1	85.1	85.1
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	30.0	51.2	51.4	51.4	50.9	50.9	49.7	50.9	50.3	51.5	51.3	51.4	51.3	51.0
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	18.1	18.4	18.4	18.5	18.9	18.5	18.5	18.0	18.7	18.5	17.8	17.1	18.3	18.3
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.4	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.6	14.6	14.7
Bananas.....	Dozen..	Cts.	40.0	37.4	37.5	38.1	38.3	40.0	39.4	40.6	40.6	39.2	39.7	40.3	39.3	39.3
Oranges.....	do.....	Cts.	48.5	46.1	49.3	53.6	54.2	49.8	51.0	52.4	52.0	59.0	59.0	47.6	47.6	51.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 26.8	Cts. 45.5	Cts. 46.2	Cts. 45.9	Cts. 46.8	Cts. 47.9	Cts. 47.6	Cts. 49.0	Cts. 49.8	Cts. 49.8	Cts. 50.2	Cts. 49.3	Cts. 50.3	Cts. 48.2
Round steak.....	do.....	23.3	38.1	37.8	37.7	38.8	40.0	40.1	41.3	42.0	41.9	41.9	41.0	41.3	40.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	21.7	33.2	34.0	34.0	34.4	34.3	34.7	35.0	35.7	35.5	36.0	35.6	36.6	34.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	16.7	25.0	25.4	25.5	26.4	26.6	26.7	27.0	27.1	27.7	28.3	27.8	28.5	26.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.1	13.3	12.9	12.8	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.8	14.1	14.2	15.4	16.4	13.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	22.2	37.3	37.1	38.6	39.5	39.6	38.4	38.3	42.0	45.4	46.6	39.2	34.6	39.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	29.0	54.0	52.3	52.9	53.8	53.2	52.8	50.8	51.3	51.4	51.4	50.7	49.3	52.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.9	60.8	61.1	61.8	61.8	62.6	61.0	60.7	60.8	59.3	59.0	57.3	56.7	60.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	21.0	40.1	39.3	40.9	42.4	43.8	44.8	43.8	42.0	41.0	41.4	40.1	40.4	41.7
Hens.....	do.....	25.7	44.1	43.8	44.3	44.1	43.9	43.2	42.7	42.0	42.1	42.6	41.6	41.2	43.0
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	31.6	31.2	30.6	30.5	30.1	30.1	30.4	30.3	31.8	32.6	33.1	33.0	31.3	31.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.8	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.5
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.3	11.1	11.2	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2
Butter.....	Pound..	30.8	60.7	61.5	62.5	61.7	55.0	52.8	52.6	53.6	56.5	58.7	59.4	63.2	58.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	31.9	31.6	31.9	31.3	30.4	30.4	30.1	30.0	30.7	30.8	31.4	31.5	31.0	31.0
Cheese.....	do.....	24.5	39.6	39.8	38.9	39.7	40.1	40.4	40.0	39.8	40.1	40.6	41.3	41.4	40.1
Lard.....	do.....	15.5	20.5	20.1	19.8	19.6	19.3	18.5	18.6	18.5	18.6	19.5	19.7	19.9	19.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.7	27.5	27.7	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.4	27.3	27.3	27.3	27.3	27.5	27.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	32.5	61.5	50.9	37.0	35.8	36.4	36.6	38.7	43.4	49.7	58.4	63.4	65.4	48.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	45.9	41.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	40.7	43.8	45.2	-----	-----
Bread.....	Pound..	5.4	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.4	8.6	9.0
Flour.....	do.....	3.2	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.5	5.8	5.9	5.7	5.7	5.9	5.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.2
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.1	9.8	10.0	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.3	25.3	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.1	25.1	25.2	25.1	24.9	24.9	25.1	25.1	25.1
Macaroni.....	Pound..	23.6	23.6	23.6	23.6	23.5	23.5	23.5	23.3	23.3	23.4	23.6	23.4	23.5	23.5
Rice.....	do.....	9.2	12.2	12.3	12.5	12.0	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.4	11.4	11.1	11.2	11.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.7	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.1	8.9	9.0	8.8	8.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.4	4.3	6.0	3.8	2.9	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.6
Onions.....	do.....	5.7	5.8	6.1	8.5	9.4	9.4	8.6	6.5	5.3	5.2	4.9	4.8	6.7	6.7
Cabbage.....	do.....	5.3	6.0	6.2	6.5	9.6	10.6	6.8	4.7	4.4	4.3	3.9	3.7	6.0	6.0
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.	12.4	12.4	12.6	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.8	12.9	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.5
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.1	15.9	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.8	15.6	15.8	16.0	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.0	16.0
Peas, canned.....	do.....	17.3	16.9	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.7	16.8	16.6	16.9	16.9	17.0	17.3	17.0	17.0
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	12.3	12.9	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.1	12.5	12.4	11.9	11.6	11.7	11.5	12.2	12.2
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	5.6	7.7	7.7	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.5
Tea.....	do.....	58.0	85.1	84.5	85.1	84.2	83.0	83.7	83.9	83.3	83.0	83.0	83.0	82.8	83.7
Coffee.....	do.....	30.0	50.7	50.5	50.5	49.7	49.2	47.4	47.2	46.8	46.0	46.2	47.2	47.6	48.3
Prunes.....	do.....	17.2	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.6	16.7	16.7	16.4	16.3	15.8	15.6	14.2	16.3	16.3
Raisins.....	do.....	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.1	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.0	13.6	14.2	14.2
Bananas.....	Dozen..	39.7	38.8	36.8	37.2	38.6	37.7	38.0	38.3	38.2	39.1	41.5	42.4	38.9	38.9
Oranges.....	do.....	48.8	47.9	47.3	48.2	49.8	52.9	54.0	60.8	60.0	59.2	51.4	52.0	62.7	62.7

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
PORTLAND, ME.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ²	Pound..		Cts. 60.9	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 61.4	Cts. 62.2	Cts. 63.0	Cts. 63.0	Cts. 62.8	Cts. 63.2	Cts. 62.6	Cts. 60.5	Cts. 60.1	Cts. 61.7
Round steak.....	do.....		45.9	45.5	45.5	45.9	47.3	47.0	47.7	47.7	47.7	47.3	47.2	46.0	46.7
Rib roast.....	do.....		29.6	29.5	29.5	30.2	30.6	31.0	30.7	30.9	30.3	29.9	29.7	29.7	30.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....		20.8	20.7	21.0	20.9	21.4	21.8	21.8	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.4
Plate beef.....	do.....		16.2	16.3	16.4	16.7	17.2	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.4	16.4	16.8	16.6	16.6
Pork chops.....	do.....		38.5	36.8	37.7	38.6	41.6	42.1	41.3	40.9	43.5	44.5	41.2	39.5	40.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		45.2	44.8	44.7	44.9	44.8	46.0	46.7	46.6	46.9	47.1	46.3	45.5	45.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		52.4	52.8	52.7	55.3	56.9	60.0	63.0	63.9	62.8	61.6	59.2	57.9	58.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		38.3	37.6	36.6	35.1	41.8	42.8	41.6	41.1	39.8	36.7	37.2	37.5	38.8
Hens.....	do.....		40.9	40.8	41.1	41.9	42.1	42.9	43.8	42.4	42.6	42.0	42.0	41.3	42.0
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		39.1	39.2	39.3	39.1	39.1	39.4	39.1	39.1	38.9	37.8	33.9	33.1	38.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..		13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.6
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		12.5	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.3	12.4	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.4
Butter.....	Pound..		58.4	57.1	56.2	54.2	51.6	52.8	52.7	52.8	53.3	54.9	56.1	58.9	54.9
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		29.7	29.9	29.7	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.6	28.2	28.3	28.3	28.0	29.1
Cheese.....	do.....		38.7	38.9	38.8	38.4	37.9	37.9	37.9	37.8	37.7	38.1	38.0	37.9	38.2
Lard.....	do.....		21.1	21.3	21.0	20.2	20.1	21.6	22.3	21.9	21.4	20.6	19.7	19.1	20.9
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		24.1	24.5	24.9	24.9	24.4	24.8	24.9	25.2	25.2	25.4	25.2	25.8	24.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..		59.3	56.5	49.4	42.4	43.3	45.2	49.4	56.3	64.0	68.8	82.0	80.3	58.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		46.5	41.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	48.2	50.2	52.4	---
Bread.....	Pound..		10.0	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.9	10.1
Flour.....	do.....		6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.6	6.0
Corn meal.....	do.....		5.2	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....		7.5	7.5	7.5	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.9	8.1	7.9
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.6	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.4	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		25.9	26.1	25.8	25.9	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.8	25.8	25.9
Macaroni.....	Pound..		25.1	25.5	25.5	25.2	25.4	24.7	24.9	25.6	24.9	24.6	24.9	24.9	25.1
Rice.....	do.....		12.9	12.7	13.0	13.0	12.8	12.9	12.9	12.9	13.0	13.1	13.2	13.5	13.0
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.9	9.8	9.5	9.9	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.6
Potatoes.....	do.....		5.7	5.6	5.5	7.4	5.2	4.4	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.6	3.6	4.5
Onions.....	do.....		5.5	5.6	5.5	6.1	7.8	7.6	7.5	6.0	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.6	5.9
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.2	5.0	5.6	8.9	7.4	6.5	6.3	4.6	4.0	3.7	3.2	3.4	5.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		15.2	15.2	15.4	15.4	15.2	15.4	15.3	15.0	15.0	14.8	15.0	15.4	15.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....		16.9	17.0	16.4	16.1	16.2	16.1	16.1	16.2	16.7	16.1	16.5	16.9	16.4
Peas, canned.....	do.....		18.8	18.4	18.2	18.3	18.3	18.4	18.6	18.6	18.6	19.0	18.9	18.4	18.5
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		12.6	12.4	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.1	12.3	12.1	11.6	12.2	12.4	12.5	20.5
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..		6.7	6.7	6.5	6.4	6.6	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.5	6.8
Tea.....	do.....		60.9	61.2	60.9	60.9	60.3	61.3	62.6	61.6	61.6	61.9	61.9	61.9	61.4
Coffee.....	do.....		54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	53.4	53.6	53.6	54.1	53.8	53.8	53.8	53.7	53.9
Prunes.....	do.....		15.8	16.0	15.8	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.7	15.6	15.4	15.1	15.3	15.1	15.6
Raisins.....	do.....		13.1	13.3	13.3	13.6	13.8	13.7	13.6	13.7	13.6	13.7	13.6	13.8	13.6
Bananas.....	do.....		10.3	10.2	10.4	10.3	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.6
Oranges.....	Dozen..		47.1	46.6	51.8	56.3	59.9	56.8	55.3	58.7	61.0	64.1	61.4	52.7	56.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

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PORTLAND, ME.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound.....		Cts. 58.6	Cts. 58.6	Cts. 59.0	Cts. 61.1	Cts. 63.5	Cts. 62.9	Cts. 66.1	Cts. 66.1	Cts. 64.7	Cts. 63.9	Cts. 64.7	Cts. 64.3	Cts. 62.8
Round steak.....	do.....		45.1	46.2	46.2	47.5	48.6	48.4	49.2	49.3	48.5	47.8	47.0	47.7	47.6
Rib roast.....	do.....		29.3	29.7	29.6	30.6	31.6	31.2	31.8	32.5	32.2	32.2	32.2	32.5	31.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....		20.8	21.0	21.6	21.9	22.9	22.0	22.5	22.7	22.3	22.6	22.8	23.1	22.2
Plate beef.....	do.....		17.7	17.5	17.5	18.0	18.5	18.5	18.6	18.7	18.3	18.7	18.5	19.3	18.3
Pork chops.....	do.....		37.0	35.8	37.0	37.1	37.2	35.4	34.1	38.8	42.7	44.4	39.6	33.1	37.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		45.4	45.1	45.1	46.1	44.9	43.7	43.5	43.5	42.9	43.1	43.1	43.6	44.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		56.8	56.4	57.1	56.9	58.2	57.7	55.5	55.2	55.7	56.5	52.0	51.0	55.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		37.3	37.0	37.8	39.8	41.7	41.0	43.0	42.3	39.1	37.9	36.9	36.2	39.2
Hens.....	do.....		41.8	41.8	42.2	41.7	42.0	41.8	42.3	41.8	40.8	40.8	40.2	40.1	41.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		31.3	31.0	30.7	30.4	30.4	30.2	30.2	32.1	33.4	35.0	35.4	35.2	32.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	15.0	13.9
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		12.4	12.5	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.6	12.7	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5
Butter.....	Pound.....		60.3	60.4	60.8	60.8	57.6	55.4	54.7	54.7	55.0	57.2	57.4	58.8	57.8
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.5	26.4	26.4	26.7	27.5
Cheese.....	do.....		37.7	37.6	37.5	37.9	37.9	37.9	38.0	38.3	37.9	38.6	38.7	39.5	38.1
Lard.....	do.....		18.5	18.5	18.4	18.4	18.3	18.2	18.4	18.1	18.2	18.9	18.6	18.6	18.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		25.7	26.0	25.7	26.0	25.6	25.7	25.8	26.7	26.9	26.4	26.6	26.6	26.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		64.1	57.3	44.1	39.6	40.4	40.4	46.2	56.9	63.1	68.5	77.9	72.4	55.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		51.3	42.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	44.0	48.1	48.8	-----
Bread.....	Pound.....		10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.1
Flour.....	do.....		5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.4
Corn meal.....	do.....		5.1	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....		7.9	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.8	8.0	8.1	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.9
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.6	11.6	11.6	10.9	10.8	10.1	9.9	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8	10.4
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.7	25.6	25.4	25.6	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.7
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		24.7	24.5	24.4	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.4	24.4	24.0	24.1	24.1	24.2	24.4
Rice.....	do.....		12.8	12.6	12.7	12.7	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.3	12.2	12.2	11.9	12.5
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.3	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.5	9.7	10.0	10.4	10.3	9.9	9.8	9.7
Potatoes.....	do.....		3.6	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.8	5.2	3.6	2.9	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.3
Onions.....	do.....		5.3	5.5	5.5	6.6	9.4	9.0	8.0	5.7	4.9	4.6	4.3	4.4	6.1
Cabbage.....	do.....		3.4	3.5	3.3	3.5	8.9	10.6	6.1	3.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.4	4.5
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		15.3	15.0	15.3	15.1	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.1	13.8	14.6	14.2	14.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....		16.0	15.5	15.2	15.8	14.1	14.4	14.2	13.8	14.4	14.2	13.9	14.4	14.7
Peas, canned.....	do.....		18.4	18.4	18.2	18.2	17.6	17.8	17.5	17.7	17.5	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.8
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		12.6	12.6	12.8	12.8	12.7	12.6	12.8	12.8	13.1	12.7	12.5	12.2	12.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		7.6	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.3
Tea.....	do.....		61.4	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.2	62.2	62.2	62.2	62.2	62.2	62.2	62.1
Coffee.....	do.....		52.4	51.9	51.5	51.2	50.9	49.9	49.6	49.4	49.5	49.3	49.1	50.1	50.4
Prunes.....	do.....		15.0	14.8	14.8	14.9	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.5	13.8	13.8	13.0	13.3	14.3
Raisins.....	do.....		13.5	13.9	13.4	13.3	13.3	13.5	13.6	13.4	13.1	13.0	13.0	13.3	13.4
Bananas.....	do.....		10.9	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.8	10.7	10.7	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.4	11.7	11.0
Oranges.....	Dozen.....		54.2	50.3	47.4	51.1	53.4	55.1	57.3	66.3	66.4	71.1	64.0	56.0	57.7

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here noted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH PORTLAND, OREG.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	22.9	28.9	28.9	29.1	29.2	29.5	29.4	29.5	29.6	29.3	29.6	29.4	29.4	29.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.7	25.7	26.1	26.5	26.8	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.6	26.9	26.5	26.1	26.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	19.2	24.9	25.1	25.2	25.3	25.3	25.2	25.1	24.8	25.5	24.9	24.4	24.6	25.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.3	18.0	17.9	18.1	18.4	18.3	18.3	18.1	18.3	17.9	18.3	18.6	18.6	18.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	13.4	13.2	13.5	13.1	13.8	13.3	13.1	12.9	12.9	12.7	13.2	13.4	13.5	13.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	21.7	36.3	36.9	37.8	38.2	38.8	43.1	42.8	42.7	41.2	41.1	39.5	38.1	39.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	30.1	52.1	52.1	53.7	53.4	54.2	57.1	59.2	59.7	58.2	58.1	58.3	55.0	55.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	30.3	52.8	53.6	53.9	54.4	56.1	58.3	59.4	60.6	59.4	60.3	60.0	57.4	57.2
Hens.....	do.....	17.7	38.0	37.7	36.8	36.9	37.4	36.6	36.3	35.2	35.2	35.5	35.7	35.8	36.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	21.1	35.9	35.3	35.9	37.5	37.7	36.3	35.4	33.9	34.2	33.8	34.5	35.0	35.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	37.2	37.2	36.9	37.1	37.1	37.1	36.5	36.7	37.1	38.3	36.2	36.2	36.2	36.9
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	9.5	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.5	12.2	12.2	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.3
Butter.....	Pound..	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.5
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	40.5	54.7	54.9	52.0	48.7	47.4	47.2	47.0	51.1	53.1	53.4	53.1	55.6	51.5
Cheese.....	do.....	31.0	31.1	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.2	30.4	30.1	30.3	30.3	30.4	30.3	30.4
Lard.....	do.....	20.8	39.3	39.1	39.3	38.7	37.1	37.4	37.5	37.6	37.8	38.2	37.3	38.2	38.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	18.1	24.8	24.7	24.3	24.2	23.8	24.0	24.3	24.6	24.3	24.3	23.2	22.8	24.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	28.3	27.3	27.8	27.8	28.0	28.0	28.7	28.8	28.7	28.9	28.9	28.9	28.9	28.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	36.5	39.2	33.4	31.4	30.6	32.8	36.3	37.1	41.8	46.9	53.3	53.8	53.5	40.8
Bread.....	Pound..	32.0	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4
Flour.....	do.....	2.9	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.4	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.3
Rolled oats.....	do.....	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	26.4	26.6	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.5	26.6	26.7	26.9	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	18.5	18.5	18.3	18.1	18.0	17.7	17.8	17.6	17.3	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0
Rice.....	do.....	8.6	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.1	11.0	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.0	10.9	10.8	10.4	11.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.8	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	3.8	3.8	3.7	4.7	4.4	4.0	3.0	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	3.3
Onions.....	do.....	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.7	5.2	5.6	4.6	3.8	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.7	4.3	
Cabbage.....	do.....	3.1	3.3	4.8	6.5	5.2	4.1	4.0	4.9	4.2	3.5	3.0	3.6	4.2	
Beans, baked.....	No.2 can.....	14.4	14.4	14.3	14.0	13.9	13.4	13.4	13.2	13.4	13.3	13.4	12.8	13.7	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	19.7	19.9	19.8	19.9	19.7	19.2	19.1	19.0	18.4	18.8	18.5	18.1	19.2	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	19.3	19.6	19.5	19.5	19.4	19.2	19.3	18.3	18.7	18.6	18.3	19.0	19.1	
Tomatoes, canned.....	No.2 1/2 can.....	17.3	17.1	16.8	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.9	16.7	16.6	16.4	15.9	16.1	16.7	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	6.2	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.3	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	55.0	76.1	76.6	76.6	76.8	76.6	76.6	75.8	75.8	76.9	76.9	76.9	76.6	76.5
Coffee.....	do.....	35.0	52.6	52.6	52.6	52.4	52.3	52.6	52.7	52.8	52.8	52.6	52.2	51.9	52.5
Prunes.....	do.....	14.3	14.5	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.4	13.3	10.5	9.6	10.1	13.2	
Raisins.....	do.....	13.8	13.7	13.8	13.9	13.8	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.5	13.8
Bananas.....	do.....	13.7	13.6	13.4	13.0	13.1	12.9	13.5	11.9	12.6	12.9	13.1	12.9	13.1	
Oranges.....	Dozen..	46.4	44.1	49.3	50.1	51.3	44.4	45.9	45.9	45.5	51.0	56.2	51.1	48.4	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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PORTLAND, OREG.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	22.9	29.4	29.5	29.8	31.6	31.3	31.2	31.4	31.5	31.7	31.1	31.0	31.3	30.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.7	26.3	27.0	27.2	29.0	28.7	28.6	28.7	28.8	29.0	28.9	28.8	29.1	28.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	19.2	25.0	25.2	26.1	26.6	26.4	26.4	25.9	26.3	25.8	25.8	26.2	26.2	26.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	16.3	18.8	18.9	19.2	20.4	20.3	20.0	19.6	19.8	19.7	19.4	19.9	20.4	19.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	13.4	13.9	14.2	14.3	14.9	14.7	14.4	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	15.1	15.7	14.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	21.7	38.4	37.7	37.5	36.8	35.8	34.9	36.0	36.8	39.6	38.8	36.4	34.6	36.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	30.1	54.7	55.0	54.7	54.3	54.6	54.3	53.7	53.6	53.3	53.6	53.4	51.7	53.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	30.3	57.4	57.1	57.1	57.2	56.6	56.0	56.0	56.3	55.8	56.0	55.4	54.8	56.3
Hens.....	do.....	17.7	35.9	36.0	36.8	38.0	38.1	37.8	37.2	36.9	35.8	35.6	35.9	35.4	36.6
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	21.1	36.9	36.9	36.5	36.5	36.3	32.1	32.5	31.7	31.6	29.7	32.2	32.2	33.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	9.5	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	10.8	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.7	10.5	10.5	10.7
Butter.....	Pound.....	40.5	56.7	56.4	54.8	51.9	50.2	49.7	49.7	51.5	54.4	54.8	55.9	57.8	53.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	30.2	30.2	29.0	28.8	28.8	28.9	28.9	27.3	26.8	26.4	26.3	25.3	25.3	28.9
Cheese.....	do.....	20.8	38.3	37.7	37.4	36.7	37.1	37.4	37.1	37.2	38.5	38.3	38.6	38.3	37.7
Lard.....	do.....	18.1	22.6	22.4	22.1	21.6	21.2	20.5	20.4	20.2	20.3	21.0	21.0	20.6	21.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	28.8	28.7	28.8	28.6	28.6	28.7	28.9	28.6	28.3	28.9	28.7	28.6	28.6	28.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	36.5	40.7	37.5	30.5	29.1	29.3	29.1	31.5	35.1	43.5	52.6	54.9	47.1	38.4
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	43.0	41.0	35.0	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.6	9.5	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.3
Flour.....	do.....	2.9	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.7	5.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.4	5.3	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.7	6.1	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6
Rolled oats.....	do.....	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.3	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.4	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.4	10.4	10.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	11.6	11.6	11.6	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	10.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.6	26.7	26.6	26.7	26.6	27.0	27.0	26.8	26.7	26.7
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.5	17.6	18.4	18.3	18.2	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.3
Rice.....	do.....	8.6	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.1	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.5	10.2	10.1	9.7	10.3	10.3
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.6	9.9	10.2	11.3	11.1	11.2	10.4	9.6	9.6	10.2	10.2
Potatoes.....	do.....	0.9	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.8	3.3	4.4	4.2	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.9
Onions.....	do.....	4.2	4.8	4.8	6.8	8.8	8.6	6.5	4.5	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.7	5.3	5.3
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.0	4.5	5.1	7.0	9.9	9.1	4.7	3.7	3.8	3.2	2.9	3.5	5.1	5.1
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	13.2	13.0	13.0	12.8	12.7	12.5	12.0	12.0	12.0	11.8	12.0	12.0	12.4	12.4
Corn, canned.....	do.....	19.2	19.4	19.7	19.7	19.2	19.0	19.3	18.9	18.3	18.1	18.1	18.4	18.9	18.9
Peas, canned.....	do.....	19.6	19.2	19.3	19.2	19.2	18.4	19.1	18.3	18.1	17.5	17.5	17.8	18.6	18.6
Tomatoes, canned.....	No. 2 1/2 can.....	16.3	16.7	16.9	17.0	17.0	17.2	16.9	16.8	16.6	16.5	16.4	17.3	16.8	16.8
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	6.2	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.1	7.2	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.1	7.2	7.0	7.3
Tea.....	do.....	55.0	77.6	77.6	77.9	79.6	76.9	76.9	77.3	77.1	78.0	76.4	76.7	76.4	77.4
Coffee.....	do.....	35.0	53.1	52.8	51.9	51.7	51.3	50.3	51.1	51.3	51.3	50.7	51.9	51.9	51.6
Prunes.....	do.....	9.8	10.1	10.1	9.9	10.3	11.0	11.6	11.5	11.4	10.3	10.2	9.9	10.5	10.5
Raisins.....	do.....	13.5	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.8	12.8	12.9	13.5
Bananas.....	do.....	13.1	13.2	13.0	12.8	12.5	12.2	12.5	12.7	12.8	12.8	13.0	11.9	12.7	12.7
Oranges.....	Dozen.....	48.7	52.1	48.7	47.8	47.5	46.5	47.0	50.2	52.5	60.6	57.1	53.9	51.2	51.2

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound.....	39.6	72.3	71.5	71.2	71.7	72.9	73.0	72.7	72.0	70.9	69.8	70.0	70.2	71.5
Round steak.....	do.....	30.7	50.6	50.0	49.9	49.4	50.3	50.3	49.9	49.6	49.6	49.4	49.3	49.4	49.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	24.1	39.2	38.4	37.5	38.1	38.7	38.5	38.3	38.1	38.5	38.1	37.8	38.3	38.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	18.7	29.2	28.5	27.9	28.1	28.8	29.4	28.6	28.5	28.7	28.3	28.7	29.0	28.6
Plate beef.....	do.....		19.8	19.0	19.2	19.3	18.4	18.0	18.0	17.8	18.1	17.9	17.7	18.0	18.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.0	39.4	39.8	40.1	41.9	43.5	46.2	45.1	45.8	47.7	47.8	42.9	40.0	43.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	22.5	45.9	45.2	44.5	44.5	44.6	46.4	46.9	46.9	47.3	46.6	46.2	45.9	45.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	31.3	56.5	57.1	56.3	57.2	58.8	63.6	64.4	65.3	64.9	64.3	61.8	60.4	60.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.6	42.5	41.5	39.7	39.6	44.0	47.1	43.8	42.6	42.4	40.9	40.9	40.2	42.1
Hens.....	do.....	24.2	43.1	42.9	43.4	44.9	45.8	45.7	44.4	42.9	42.6	42.4	42.8	42.5	43.6
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		37.2	37.7	37.4	38.0	37.6	37.9	38.1	38.4	37.8	36.7	35.7	35.3	37.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	9.0	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.7	13.8	14.8	14.8	14.8	14.8	14.8	15.2	14.7
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		12.2	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.5	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.2
Butter.....	Pound.....	38.8	56.2	55.7	54.1	52.0	51.1	51.6	51.3	51.4	52.4	53.6	54.5	56.6	53.4
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		29.7	29.7	29.7	29.7	29.7	29.4	29.4	29.3	29.5	29.5	29.1	28.9	29.5
Cheese.....	do.....	22.0	36.3	36.7	36.9	36.3	36.3	36.1	36.2	36.1	36.2	36.5	36.8	36.8	36.5
Lard.....	do.....	15.4	21.7	21.2	21.4	20.7	20.6	22.3	22.3	22.0	21.1	21.3	20.2	18.9	21.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		27.2	26.9	26.8	26.8	26.7	26.8	27.3	27.0	27.0	26.8	27.1	26.6	26.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	41.6	67.7	66.7	50.9	46.3	47.2	49.1	53.7	62.9	70.2	76.9	87.9	76.5	63.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		43.9	35.3								48.0	48.9	50.4	
Bread.....	Pound.....	6.0	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2
Flour.....	do.....	3.4	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.1	5.9	6.4
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.9	5.1	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.1
Rolled oats.....	do.....		9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		10.8	10.8	10.8	11.0	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		25.1	24.8	24.8	24.9	24.8	24.9	25.1	25.3	25.4	25.5	25.5	25.4	25.1
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		23.7	23.4	23.5	23.5	23.5	23.1	23.2	23.5	23.4	23.3	23.3	23.7	23.4
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.8	11.9	12.0	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.9	12.1	11.8	11.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.8	9.9	9.5	9.6	9.2	9.1	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.6	9.7	9.9	9.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	5.9	5.7	5.4	7.4	5.1	4.8	3.9	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.7	4.6
Onions.....	do.....		5.6	5.6	5.5	6.2	7.9	7.7	7.2	5.4	4.7	4.5	4.7	5.0	5.8
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.9	6.3	8.4	8.6	6.9	6.4	4.7	3.8	3.3	3.6	3.7	3.9	5.4
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		11.8	11.7	11.4	11.1	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.4	11.4	
Corn, canned.....	do.....		18.0	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.8	17.6	17.5	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.9	18.1	17.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....		19.7	19.6	19.6	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.3	19.4	19.6	19.5	19.7	19.5	19.5
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		13.7	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.3	13.6	13.8	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.3	13.4	13.6
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.1	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.2	6.5	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.9	7.1	6.6
Tea.....	do.....	48.3	61.2	61.6	61.1	61.1	61.5	61.9	61.5	61.2	61.8	61.1	60.5	60.8	61.3
Coffee.....	do.....	30.0	54.3	54.3	54.1	54.1	54.2	54.2	54.2	54.3	53.5	53.6	53.8	53.6	54.0
Prunes.....	do.....		16.7	16.7	16.4	16.4	16.5	16.4	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.5	15.6	15.2	16.3
Raisins.....	do.....		14.1	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.0	14.2	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.2
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		33.8	32.9	33.8	32.6	34.3	33.0	33.7	32.5	33.1	33.8	31.4	32.5	33.1
Oranges.....	do.....		51.4	51.3	52.6	59.7	61.2	59.2	56.3	56.9	61.3	66.3	65.1	53.0	57.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

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PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak ¹	Pound.....	Cts. 39.6	Cts. 70.2	Cts. 70.6	Cts. 70.4	Cts. 72.0	Cts. 73.8	Cts. 73.3	Cts. 74.9	Cts. 75.3	Cts. 75.3	Cts. 75.4	Cts. 76.2	Cts. 76.4	Cts. 73.7
Round steak.....	do.....	30.7	49.2	49.3	48.5	50.1	50.9	50.3	52.1	52.5	52.1	51.4	50.9	53.0	50.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	24.1	37.2	37.7	37.1	39.0	39.5	39.1	40.5	40.5	40.1	40.4	40.7	41.1	39.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	18.7	27.9	28.4	28.3	29.8	29.9	29.7	31.6	31.4	30.4	31.6	30.5	31.7	30.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	-----	17.9	17.5	17.2	17.8	18.6	18.0	18.2	17.9	18.0	18.4	19.1	19.3	18.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	21.0	38.8	38.1	38.9	39.6	38.9	36.0	36.9	42.0	46.7	48.7	40.1	35.5	40.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	22.5	45.6	45.5	44.9	44.6	43.0	42.6	41.9	42.2	42.4	42.1	41.9	41.2	43.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	31.3	60.0	59.6	59.6	61.2	60.0	58.5	57.0	55.6	53.8	52.7	54.8	55.0	57.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.6	38.8	39.6	41.4	43.3	44.3	43.8	43.2	41.4	40.1	39.8	39.8	38.2	41.1
Hens.....	do.....	24.2	42.5	42.0	42.2	42.6	43.5	40.2	37.8	39.7	39.2	40.8	41.0	39.6	40.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	-----	33.5	33.2	33.5	33.0	32.5	32.1	31.9	32.2	33.1	33.0	32.9	33.9	32.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	9.0	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.5	15.5	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.7	14.9
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	-----	12.1	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.3	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.1
Butter.....	do.....	38.8	57.2	57.5	58.9	59.9	53.6	51.9	51.1	51.4	52.0	53.9	53.9	54.1	54.6
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	-----	29.1	29.0	28.9	28.9	29.1	27.7	27.3	27.1	28.1	27.5	27.4	27.5	28.1
Cheese.....	do.....	22.0	36.7	36.4	36.8	36.9	36.8	36.7	36.8	36.9	37.2	37.8	37.4	38.3	37.1
Lard.....	do.....	15.4	18.6	18.4	18.3	18.2	18.3	18.2	18.3	18.4	18.6	18.6	18.7	18.4	18.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	-----	26.7	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.4	26.5	26.2	26.5	26.6	26.2	26.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	41.6	67.3	56.7	45.1	43.2	43.2	43.8	50.9	59.8	68.0	75.0	83.1	69.4	58.8
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	-----	48.9	39.0	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	48.1	47.0	47.5	-----
Bread.....	Pound.....	6.0	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1
Flour.....	do.....	3.4	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.8
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.9	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.0
Rolled oats.....	do.....	-----	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	8.9	9.0	9.1
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	-----	10.9	10.8	10.8	10.4	10.2	9.8	9.8	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	-----	25.2	25.3	25.1	25.1	25.3	25.1	25.1	24.9	24.9	25.2	25.1	25.1	25.1
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	-----	23.3	23.3	23.3	23.3	23.4	23.4	23.4	23.4	23.2	23.2	23.0	23.1	23.3
Rice.....	do.....	9.3	11.9	11.6	11.5	11.3	11.1	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.8	11.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	-----	9.7	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.8	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.7
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5	4.1	5.5	3.5	2.8	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.5
Onions.....	do.....	-----	5.3	5.1	5.9	6.6	9.3	9.1	8.2	5.2	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.6	6.1
Cabbage.....	do.....	-----	4.4	5.1	5.3	5.8	10.7	10.2	5.0	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.9	5.6
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	-----	11.4	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.1	10.9	10.8	11.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....	-----	17.7	17.8	17.4	17.0	17.4	17.1	16.3	16.8	17.2	16.9	17.1	16.8	17.1
Peas, canned.....	do.....	-----	19.0	18.5	18.7	18.3	18.4	18.3	18.4	18.4	18.9	18.6	18.4	18.7	18.6
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	-----	13.2	13.6	13.0	13.0	13.2	13.2	13.0	13.1	13.1	13.4	12.8	12.9	13.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.1	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	48.3	60.4	60.9	60.9	60.6	60.6	61.2	60.9	60.6	60.8	60.6	61.1	61.1	60.8
Coffee.....	do.....	30.0	53.7	52.6	52.1	51.0	50.5	49.8	48.7	48.9	48.8	48.9	49.2	50.0	50.4
Prunes.....	do.....	-----	14.7	14.9	14.8	14.6	14.4	14.4	14.5	14.8	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.0	14.2
Raisins.....	do.....	-----	14.3	14.1	14.4	14.1	14.2	14.1	14.2	13.8	14.0	14.1	13.7	13.6	14.1
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	-----	32.5	32.5	31.7	32.5	33.3	31.3	30.8	32.5	33.3	31.7	32.5	31.4	32.2
Oranges.....	do.....	-----	53.1	52.4	55.6	54.7	59.3	63.1	58.7	65.5	69.5	73.3	60.4	59.3	60.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.² The steak for which prices are here quoted is called "sirloin" in this city, but in most of the other cities included in this report it would be known as "porterhouse" steak.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH RICHMOND, VA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts. 22.1	Cts. 38.8	Cts. 39.1	Cts. 39.3	Cts. 39.3	Cts. 39.5	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 39.4	Cts. 39.6	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 39.5
Round steak.....	do.....	19.8	34.4	34.7	35.0	34.9	35.2	35.1	35.1	35.1	35.1	35.4	35.6	35.1	35.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.9	31.5	31.5	31.7	31.5	32.1	32.1	31.8	31.9	31.5	32.2	32.0	31.5	31.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.4	22.7	22.7	22.8	23.3	23.9	23.3	23.7	23.2	22.9	23.2	23.3	23.3	23.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.4	15.9	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.5	16.5	16.3	15.9	16.1	16.3	16.1	16.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.6	36.4	36.3	37.9	38.7	40.6	41.9	42.3	40.3	43.6	43.3	41.1	37.9	40.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.4	44.1	44.3	44.4	44.6	44.6	47.1	48.3	48.2	48.6	48.6	48.1	45.3	46.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	25.0	44.6	44.9	44.9	45.1	45.1	48.0	49.6	48.8	49.0	48.5	47.2	47.1	46.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.3	45.5	46.4	45.5	45.6	45.8	46.1	46.0	46.3	45.6	45.3	44.8	44.1	45.6
Hens.....	do.....	20.4	39.9	39.9	39.9	42.2	41.2	39.8	39.8	37.6	35.5	37.0	36.3	35.8	38.7
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	---	36.5	37.0	36.8	36.8	35.7	36.2	36.6	36.8	36.8	36.2	34.5	34.4	36.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	10.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can 1.....	---	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.5	12.6	12.4	12.6	12.6	12.4	12.4	12.6
Butter.....	Pound.....	41.1	62.4	60.4	59.5	58.1	56.1	56.4	55.5	56.1	57.2	58.5	60.1	62.9	58.6
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	---	31.9	31.7	31.5	31.9	31.9	31.9	31.9	31.9	31.9	32.0	31.9	31.9	31.9
Cheese.....	do.....	22.3	36.7	36.8	36.1	36.1	36.0	35.9	35.6	35.7	35.8	35.9	36.3	36.6	36.1
Lard.....	do.....	15.2	22.1	21.9	21.9	21.1	21.4	22.0	22.2	22.0	21.9	21.0	20.6	19.5	21.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	---	26.2	26.0	26.0	25.9	25.9	25.7	25.8	26.2	25.9	25.5	25.5	25.4	25.8
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	28.8	55.7	40.7	35.2	37.8	37.1	40.1	39.6	40.4	46.9	51.5	58.6	60.6	45.4
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	---	46.4	35.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	43.0	45.0	45.6	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.3	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.3	9.5
Flour.....	do.....	3.3	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.8	6.1
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....	---	9.2	9.0	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.0
Corn flakes.....	6-oz. pkg.....	---	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.1	11.2	11.2	10.8	11.3	11.0	10.9	11.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	---	25.4	25.5	25.5	25.4	25.4	25.8	25.8	25.5	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.4	25.6
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	---	20.6	20.7	20.7	20.4	20.4	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.2	20.4
Rice.....	do.....	9.9	12.7	13.0	13.3	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.1	13.2	13.3	13.0	12.7	13.1
Beans, navy.....	do.....	---	10.0	9.9	9.2	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.3	9.1	9.3	9.3	9.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.9	7.0	6.8	6.7	7.9	7.7	6.2	4.7	4.2	4.6	4.9	4.5	4.5	5.8
Onions.....	do.....	---	6.9	7.1	6.9	7.5	7.8	8.1	7.5	7.5	6.7	7.1	6.8	6.8	7.2
Cabbage.....	do.....	---	6.5	7.7	7.7	8.9	6.9	4.9	4.3	4.3	4.8	4.6	4.3	4.6	5.8
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	---	10.7	10.7	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.9	9.9	10.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....	---	16.0	15.4	15.4	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.5	15.5	15.4	15.6	15.3	15.4	15.5
Peas, canned.....	do.....	---	20.7	20.8	21.0	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.4	20.4	20.3	20.1	20.1	20.0	20.3
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	---	11.0	10.5	10.4	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.5	10.6	10.3	10.3
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.3	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.1	7.0	7.1	6.8
Tea.....	do.....	56.0	91.8	89.8	89.8	88.1	88.1	90.4	90.6	91.9	91.4	90.5	89.2	88.9	90.0
Coffee.....	do.....	27.1	49.9	49.6	49.6	49.6	49.6	49.9	49.4	49.4	49.5	49.4	48.9	48.7	49.5
Prunes.....	do.....	---	18.2	18.3	18.2	18.1	18.1	18.8	18.5	18.5	17.9	17.2	17.2	16.7	18.0
Raisins.....	do.....	---	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.7	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.4	13.9	14.5
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	---	35.8	36.4	36.8	36.4	36.8	37.3	37.3	36.8	37.7	37.3	37.3	37.7	37.0
Oranges.....	do.....	---	45.3	42.7	45.8	54.2	56.5	55.8	55.8	56.8	55.0	56.2	54.6	45.4	52.0

1 15-16 ounces.

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RICHMOND, VA.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 22.1	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 39.6	Cts. 40.0	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 40.0	Cts. 40.4	Cts. 42.0	Cts. 41.8	Cts. 40.8	Cts. 42.2	Cts. 42.2	Cts. 40.8
Round steak.....	do.....	19.8	35.0	34.9	35.4	35.9	35.6	35.8	36.6	37.6	37.6	36.0	37.1	37.3	36.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.9	31.2	32.3	32.2	32.6	32.5	32.2	32.5	33.3	33.3	32.8	33.5	33.6	32.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.4	23.2	23.5	23.7	23.5	23.8	24.2	23.9	23.8	23.6	23.8	24.2	24.5	23.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.4	16.5	16.3	16.3	17.0	17.0	17.2	17.2	17.1	17.3	16.8	17.3	17.6	17.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.6	36.8	36.1	35.6	36.4	36.7	36.3	35.9	37.8	41.5	42.4	37.3	33.6	37.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.4	44.9	45.3	45.3	44.9	44.3	44.3	43.2	42.4	42.8	44.4	43.8	42.7	44.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	25.0	46.3	46.6	46.4	45.9	45.7	46.4	45.6	45.8	46.4	44.6	44.8	46.1	45.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.3	44.2	44.2	43.8	45.7	46.3	45.2	44.4	43.2	43.6	43.9	43.8	41.5	44.2
Hens.....	do.....	20.4	38.7	37.3	37.6	38.3	37.3	35.4	33.0	33.2	32.9	33.5	34.0	34.3	35.5
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	34.2	33.9	33.6	33.9	34.1	34.4	34.5	34.5	34.0	34.0	35.3	35.5	35.3	34.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	10.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹ ..	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.5	12.2	12.3	12.6	12.7	12.4	12.4	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.5
Butter.....	Pound..	41.1	63.6	62.5	61.9	62.3	60.2	53.5	57.1	56.0	56.1	57.6	59.6	60.6	59.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	31.9	31.5	31.7	31.3	31.6	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.4	31.3	30.7	30.7	31.4
Cheese.....	do.....	22.3	36.9	36.6	36.9	36.7	36.5	36.1	36.1	36.6	36.8	36.8	36.7	37.1	36.7
Lard.....	do.....	15.2	19.2	18.9	18.5	18.3	18.0	18.0	18.2	18.1	18.8	19.2	19.4	19.1	18.6
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	25.9	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.3	25.9	25.5	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.6	25.8
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	28.8	52.7	40.1	30.9	30.9	30.2	31.8	34.0	37.6	43.2	52.6	59.5	58.4	41.8
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	42.0	29.3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	40.7	42.2	41.7	---
Bread.....	Pound..	5.3	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.4
Flour.....	do.....	3.3	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.1	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.7	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	10.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.6	24.9	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.6	26.0	25.8	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.9	25.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	20.2	20.2	20.4	20.4	20.2	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.5
Rice.....	do.....	9.9	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.9	11.9	12.0	11.9	11.6	11.6	11.4	11.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.2	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.8	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.8	9.5	9.5	9.1	9.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.9	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	5.5	6.8	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.2	4.3
Onions.....	do.....	6.9	6.9	6.4	7.7	8.8	9.0	8.3	7.6	7.1	6.1	5.7	5.0	7.1	7.1
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.6	5.3	5.5	6.8	8.2	5.3	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.9	4.9	4.9
Beans, baked.....	No.2 can	9.7	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.1	10.1
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.5	15.0	15.2	15.3	15.1	14.8	15.0	14.8	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.3	15.2	15.1
Peas, canned.....	do.....	20.3	19.9	20.2	20.0	19.3	19.3	19.1	18.9	18.8	18.6	18.4	18.5	19.3	19.3
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	10.2	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.1	10.4	10.4
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	5.3	7.4	7.4	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.2
Tea.....	do.....	56.0	90.9	91.6	91.3	92.1	92.7	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.5	91.4	92.2	92.2	91.7
Coffee.....	do.....	27.1	48.0	47.8	46.8	46.9	47.6	46.6	45.6	45.6	46.2	46.0	45.5	46.8	46.5
Prunes.....	do.....	16.3	16.4	16.2	15.0	14.9	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.5	15.1	14.7	14.1	15.4	15.4
Raisins.....	do.....	14.1	14.1	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.2	14.1	14.1	13.9	13.9	12.9	14.0	14.0
Bananas.....	Dozen..	37.7	37.5	37.3	37.5	36.8	37.1	36.7	36.7	36.5	38.5	39.0	39.0	37.5	37.5
Oranges.....	do.....	42.2	41.3	41.3	45.0	47.5	49.6	52.3	53.5	55.8	54.2	47.9	46.8	48.1	48.1

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Round steak.....	do		40.1	39.8	40.3	41.2	41.9	41.6	42.4	42.1	42.1	41.8	40.5	41.0	41.2
Rib roast.....	do		34.1	34.1	33.2	33.9	34.9	34.9	35.2	35.4	35.4	35.2	33.9	34.5	34.6
Chuck roast.....	do		30.6	30.0	30.1	30.6	30.9	30.0	30.1	30.5	30.4	30.6	30.5	30.0	30.4
	do		24.7	24.9	24.4	24.1	24.5	24.6	24.8	24.8	24.8	25.0	24.5	24.8	24.7
Plate beef.....	do		13.9	13.6	13.8	13.7	13.2	13.6	13.1	12.8	14.0	14.3	14.0	14.0	13.7
Pork chops.....	do		39.5	39.2	40.0	40.4	42.7	45.5	45.5	44.5	45.9	45.9	41.7	39.2	42.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do		43.5	43.8	44.3	44.1	44.5	46.5	47.3	46.9	47.6	46.5	45.8	44.8	45.5
Ham, sliced.....	do		52.1	52.9	53.2	53.8	55.4	59.3	61.1	60.7	60.2	58.7	58.1	56.3	56.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do		39.5	39.2	37.9	38.5	41.1	43.9	40.4	39.1	38.3	37.5	36.8	36.8	39.1
Hens.....	do		42.2	43.9	43.6	44.8	45.4	45.2	44.1	42.4	41.6	41.5	40.7	39.9	42.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do		37.5	37.9	37.0	37.5	38.3	38.2	38.3	37.3	36.8	34.2	32.8	32.3	36.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.		12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.9	11.6
Butter.....	Pound		56.5	54.9	54.1	51.0	49.0	49.5	49.7	50.0	51.5	53.5	55.1	57.5	52.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do		32.4	32.4	31.9	30.9	30.6	30.7	31.0	30.8	30.8	30.6	31.2	30.1	31.1
Cheese.....	do		38.5	37.8	37.3	37.6	37.6	35.6	34.4	35.0	35.0	36.0	36.0	36.3	36.4
Lard.....	do		21.3	21.3	21.1	20.5	20.1	21.1	21.4	21.2	20.8	20.5	19.5	19.2	20.7
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do		23.4	24.1	23.9	23.7	24.1	24.0	24.9	24.9	24.6	24.1	24.4	24.5	24.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen		60.0	47.8	41.2	38.1	37.4	39.6	40.1	42.7	55.6	63.9	77.3	72.7	51.4
Eggs, storage.....	do		44.1	29.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	50.0	49.0	47.4	---
Bread.....	Pound		8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9
Flour.....	do		6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.8
Corn meal.....	do		6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	6.0
Rolled oats.....	do		9.5	9.5	9.4	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.4	9.2	9.4	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg		10.5	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.1	10.3	10.6	10.4
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg		25.7	25.7	24.9	25.2	25.0	24.9	25.3	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound		23.2	23.1	22.5	22.5	22.3	22.5	21.8	21.5	21.0	21.0	21.7	20.7	22.0
Rice.....	do		11.1	11.5	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.6	10.2	10.5	10.8	10.9	11.0	10.2	10.8
Beans, navy.....	do		9.7	9.7	9.3	9.3	9.1	9.5	9.0	9.1	8.9	8.9	9.3	9.1	9.2
Potatoes.....	do		5.6	5.7	5.0	6.4	5.7	5.1	3.6	3.6	3.7	2.8	3.3	3.3	4.5
Onions.....	do		4.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	8.2	7.7	7.0	5.9	5.3	4.7	4.7	4.8	5.7
Cabbage.....	do		3.9	5.1	6.3	8.3	6.7	6.1	5.8	3.4	3.2	4.0	3.2	3.0	4.9
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		10.9	10.9	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.5
Corn, canned.....	do		16.5	16.9	16.5	16.4	16.6	16.0	16.3	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.9	16.8	16.4
Peas, canned.....	do		18.9	18.9	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.1	18.4	18.5
Tomatoes, canned	do		14.3	14.3	13.4	13.4	13.8	13.3	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.4	13.8	13.8	13.7
Sugar, granulated	Pound		6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.4
Tea.....	do		67.4	67.4	66.9	66.9	66.9	66.9	67.6	67.3	68.7	68.7	68.7	68.7	67.7
Coffee.....	do		48.9	48.9	48.3	48.5	48.1	48.6	47.1	47.9	47.9	47.9	47.7	47.7	48.1
Prunes.....	do		18.3	18.2	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.7	16.4	16.4	16.9	16.7	16.0	15.8	17.0
Raisins.....	do		14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.2	14.2	13.9	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.2	13.9	14.1
Bananas.....	Dozen		38.6	38.6	38.3	37.7	38.2	37.7	38.0	37.0	37.7	36.3	37.0	37.7	37.7
Oranges.....	do		48.4	50.8	49.7	51.2	50.6	49.5	49.7	49.0	52.4	52.3	56.5	52.4	51.0

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....		40.5	40.8	40.6	40.6	41.2	41.5	43.0	43.9	44.2	43.7	43.9	43.8	42.3
Rib roast.....	do.....		34.0	33.8	33.7	34.0	34.7	34.7	35.5	36.3	36.8	36.9	37.3	37.3	35.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....		30.6	30.3	30.6	30.6	30.8	30.9	31.7	32.5	32.3	32.4	32.4	32.6	31.5
			24.7	24.4	24.2	24.5	25.2	24.9	25.2	25.6	26.1	27.1	27.6	27.7	25.6
Plate beef.....	do.....		14.2	14.1	13.8	13.9	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.7	14.4	15.0	15.6	15.7	14.3
Pork chops.....	do.....		39.2	37.8	38.6	39.5	39.7	37.4	38.0	40.9	44.4	44.6	39.8	35.3	39.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		44.4	44.4	44.4	43.8	43.7	42.3	41.2	41.5	41.6	41.4	41.1	40.6	42.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		55.8	55.6	56.5	56.5	54.5	55.6	53.7	53.7	54.1	53.9	52.4	51.4	54.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		37.2	36.9	38.4	40.2	41.9	40.5	40.0	38.7	38.7	38.7	38.4	37.9	39.0
Hens.....	do.....		41.7	41.8	42.0	42.3	42.0	41.0	39.7	38.6	38.9	39.4	38.7	39.2	40.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		32.6	30.6	30.8	30.7	31.5	30.7	30.5	31.5	34.2	35.5	35.6	36.4	32.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.8	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	12.9
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.5	11.5	11.7	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.4
Butter.....	Pound.....		58.4	58.4	59.5	58.9	52.6	51.5	52.0	51.6	52.4	55.1	55.8	56.2	55.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		30.4	29.6	30.1	29.6	29.4	29.3	28.8	29.2	29.8	29.6	29.9	29.0	29.6
Cheese.....	do.....		37.6	36.9	37.1	36.8	36.5	34.7	34.2	36.5	38.6	39.2	29.6	39.9	37.3
Lard.....	do.....		18.6	18.8	18.1	17.9	17.7	17.4	17.6	17.7	18.4	18.6	18.3	18.1	18.1
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		23.5	23.7	25.0	24.1	24.0	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.7	24.7	26.0	25.6	24.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen.....		59.5	48.0	34.3	30.8	30.9	31.6	34.0	40.2	48.0	64.0	68.7	64.6	46.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		45.0	34.7	do	do	do	do	do	do	do	45.7	47.2	44.9	do
Bread.....	Pound.....		9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
Flour.....	do.....		5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.4
Corn meal.....	do.....		5.5	5.2	5.4	5.6	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.7	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.2	5.7
Rollod oats.....	do.....		9.2	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.0	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.4	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.2
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		10.3	10.6	10.3	9.9	9.8	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.8
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		24.9	24.4	24.6	25.0	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.8	25.0	25.0	25.7	25.6	24.9
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		19.6	19.6	19.7	19.7	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	20.3	20.3	20.2	20.8	19.9
Rice.....	do.....		11.1	10.7	10.7	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.9	10.4	10.0	10.4	10.5	9.9	10.5
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.1	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.9	8.9	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.0
Potatoes.....	do.....		3.2	2.8	2.5	2.4	4.3	5.8	3.5	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	3.1
Onions.....	do.....		4.6	4.7	4.8	5.6	8.6	8.3	7.5	6.0	4.9	4.5	4.4	4.3	5.7
Cabbage.....	do.....		2.4	2.1	4.3	6.2	7.6	9.8	7.0	3.3	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.2	4.3
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		10.4	10.1	10.1	10.5	10.3	10.5	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.5	15.5	15.5	15.3	15.0	14.7	14.7	15.0	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.3	15.6
Peas, canned.....	do.....		18.7	18.4	18.1	16.4	16.9	16.9	16.9	17.2	18.0	17.7	17.7	17.5	17.5
Tomatoes, canned	do.....		13.5	13.3	13.2	13.5	12.7	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.6	13.3
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.8
Tea.....	do.....		68.7	68.2	68.7	69.8	69.8	69.8	68.3	69.8	69.7	69.7	69.6	69.0	69.3
Coffee.....	do.....		47.2	47.2	47.2	45.5	43.9	42.9	41.4	41.4	44.3	44.8	45.3	46.0	44.8
Prunes.....	do.....		16.1	16.5	15.9	16.6	16.6	15.8	15.9	15.8	15.2	15.3	14.2	14.1	15.7
Raisins.....	do.....		14.1	14.4	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	13.5	15.7
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		38.6	36.4	36.4	35.0	36.0	35.0	35.0	34.0	36.4	36.4	36.4	38.3	36.2
Oranges.....	do.....		44.7	46.1	48.7	49.6	48.1	47.0	49.6	54.6	56.2	58.2	53.9	51.3	50.7

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
ST. LOUIS, MO.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	24.5	36.9	36.2	36.2	36.3	36.8	37.5	37.6	37.6	37.7	37.6	38.0	36.7	37.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	22.3	34.7	34.3	34.1	34.1	35.1	36.3	36.0	36.4	36.3	36.2	36.7	35.2	35.5
Chuck roast.....	do.....	18.7	30.6	30.3	30.1	30.1	29.9	30.7	30.4	29.9	30.3	30.6	30.4	30.4	30.3
	do.....	14.9	21.1	20.5	20.3	20.5	20.7	21.1	20.8	20.8	21.0	21.6	21.4	21.7	21.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.2	14.4	14.4	14.5	13.9	13.7	14.0	13.8	13.8	14.1	15.1	15.6	16.0	14.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	18.9	32.3	32.2	32.8	35.8	37.5	38.9	37.7	36.3	39.8	38.7	35.6	33.0	35.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.5	46.2	46.1	45.3	44.9	46.7	48.8	48.9	48.2	48.8	48.9	48.6	46.2	47.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	26.9	49.6	50.4	50.7	51.7	53.3	58.0	58.3	59.0	59.1	58.8	58.6	53.9	55.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	18.2	37.8	37.6	37.0	36.4	38.8	39.7	38.4	38.2	37.5	38.1	37.6	37.8	37.9
Hens.....	do.....	17.8	35.6	36.6	38.6	38.8	39.5	38.6	36.8	34.6	34.6	33.7	33.1	33.9	36.2
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		39.0	39.4	39.5	39.9	39.9	39.1	39.2	39.1	37.9	36.5	35.7	35.5	38.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.3	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹ Pound..		10.6	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.4
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do.....	37.4	56.3	55.4	55.0	51.7	50.8	51.1	50.3	51.0	53.6	56.2	58.6	63.6	54.5
	do.....		28.7	28.7	28.6	28.5	28.3	28.3	28.0	27.6	27.7	27.7	27.2	27.6	28.1
Cheese.....	do.....	19.8	36.1	35.6	35.0	33.4	32.5	32.5	32.9	32.8	33.7	35.3	35.8	36.3	34.3
Lard.....	do.....	13.6	17.9	17.9	17.5	16.9	17.8	19.6	19.7	18.9	18.6	18.0	17.0	16.4	18.0
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....		26.6	26.3	26.3	25.9	26.1	26.2	26.1	26.0	26.0	25.9	25.8	25.7	26.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	26.6	47.7	37.2	34.1	35.0	35.5	35.9	35.8	37.8	42.9	48.0	58.8	57.6	42.2
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		36.4	27.0								43.1	43.0	41.7	
Bread.....	Pound..	5.5	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8
Flour.....	do.....	3.0	5.8	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.3	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.4	8.4	8.7
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.1
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.7	24.4	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.4	24.2	24.7	24.5	24.4
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.2	21.4	21.2	20.9	20.8	21.0	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.0	21.0	20.9	21.1
Rice.....	do.....	8.4	10.7	10.7	10.9	11.1	11.1	10.8	10.6	10.7	10.8	11.0	10.7	10.7	10.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....		8.4	8.2	8.2	7.6	7.4	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.9	8.1	8.1	7.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	5.7	5.6	5.4	6.4	6.1	5.5	4.3	3.2	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.9
Onions.....	do.....		6.1	5.7	5.4	6.0	6.3	6.4	5.7	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.6
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.4	5.7	6.1	5.4	5.3	5.7	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.8	4.6
Beans.....	No. 2 can	10.9	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.7
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.2	16.1	16.3	16.0	16.0	16.3	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.4	16.0	15.8	16.1
Peas, canned.....	do.....	16.9	16.9	17.1	17.1	16.9	16.9	16.5	16.7	16.5	16.3	15.9	15.6	16.6	
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	12.2	12.3	11.8	11.4	11.3	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.1	11.3	11.3	11.5	11.6	
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..	5.2	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.1	7.4	7.0
Tea.....	do.....	55.0	73.6	74.8	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.9	73.6	73.9	73.6	74.8	74.0	73.8	73.8
Coffee.....	do.....	24.3	48.0	48.0	47.8	47.9	47.9	47.7	48.1	48.1	48.3	48.6	48.1	48.2	48.1
Prunes.....	do.....	18.9	18.9	19.3	*19.0	19.2	19.3	19.0	18.6	18.4	18.4	18.6	17.9	18.8	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.8	14.8	14.6	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.9	14.8	15.0	15.0	14.8	14.8	14.5	14.8
Bananas.....	Dozen..	32.3	33.0	32.7	32.1	33.5	32.3	33.2	32.3	32.9	32.7	31.8	32.3	32.6	
Oranges.....	do.....	46.4	46.3	45.2	50.0	48.8	45.2	47.5	48.0	48.0	48.0	54.5	52.0	48.7	48.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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ST. LOUIS, MO.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Stirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 24.5	36.4	38.7	36.8	36.6	37.4	37.4	38.6	39.2	39.0	40.7	40.5	39.7	38.3
Round steak.....	do.....	22.3	34.9	35.1	35.3	35.6	36.4	36.6	37.6	38.0	38.3	39.4	39.2	38.5	37.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	18.7	30.4	30.3	30.1	30.6	30.6	30.3	30.7	30.8	30.8	32.7	32.2	32.5	31.0
Chuck roast.....	do.....	14.9	21.8	21.6	21.8	21.6	21.7	21.5	21.5	22.8	22.5	23.9	24.0	23.3	22.3
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.2	15.9	15.4	15.2	15.0	14.8	14.1	14.3	15.0	15.2	16.3	16.8	16.2	15.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	18.9	32.5	30.9	32.3	32.6	31.3	29.7	29.1	35.0	37.4	38.7	32.5	28.8	32.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	25.5	45.0	44.8	43.6	43.5	43.4	42.5	42.2	42.7	43.0	43.5	43.3	41.9	43.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	26.9	52.0	52.4	52.7	53.7	53.5	51.0	50.0	51.3	51.0	52.1	51.9	51.0	51.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	18.2	36.8	37.3	37.6	39.0	39.4	40.4	38.8	37.7	37.4	37.3	36.4	35.7	37.8
Hens.....	do.....	17.8	35.5	36.4	36.7	36.7	36.2	33.6	32.6	31.9	31.7	31.6	31.0	31.8	33.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	34.8	54.8	54.8	54.6	53.7	53.7	53.6	53.6	53.7	54.0	56.0	55.8	55.3	54.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.3	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can 1.....	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.5	10.9	10.8	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.7
Butter.....	Pound..	37.4	60.6	60.9	61.6	60.8	53.9	52.7	52.3	52.7	55.3	57.6	58.9	61.3	57.4
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	27.0	27.2	26.9	27.0	26.7	26.9	26.9	26.8	26.7	26.6	26.6	26.7	26.8	26.9
Cheese.....	do.....	19.8	37.4	37.5	36.6	36.3	35.4	35.6	35.5	36.0	36.8	38.0	38.7	38.6	36.9
Lard.....	do.....	13.6	16.1	15.4	15.4	15.1	15.1	15.0	15.0	15.2	15.9	16.2	15.6	15.6	15.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	25.6	25.7	25.9	25.7	25.8	25.9	25.8	25.8	25.5	25.5	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen...	26.6	50.2	39.4	30.0	29.7	28.5	27.7	30.9	36.2	40.7	46.1	51.4	54.2	38.8
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	40.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	37.6	36.1	36.8	---
Bread.....	Pound..	5.5	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9
Flour.....	do.....	3.0	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	2.3	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.3	9.2	9.2	8.8	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	24.6	24.7	24.7	24.6	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.8	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7	24.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	21.1	21.2	20.9	19.9	19.7	19.7	19.8	19.9	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.2
Rice.....	do.....	8.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	9.9	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.1	9.9	10.2
Beans, navy.....	do.....	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.7	8.3	8.3	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.4	8.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.9	6.6	4.5	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.0	3.0	4.0
Onions.....	do.....	5.4	5.7	5.6	7.2	7.3	7.7	7.1	6.4	5.9	5.5	5.0	5.1	6.2	---
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.3	4.0	4.1	4.3	10.1	9.6	4.9	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.4	3.5	5.0	5.0
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.2	10.4	10.1	10.4	10.3	10.5	10.3	10.2	10.3	10.3
Corn, canned.....	do.....	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.4	15.5	15.6	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.6	15.6	14.7	15.4	15.4
Peas, canned.....	do.....	15.3	15.3	15.1	15.3	15.3	15.0	15.0	15.2	15.3	15.5	15.1	14.7	15.2	15.2
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.3	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.3	11.3
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	5.2	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.9	7.2	7.2
Tea.....	do.....	55.0	74.4	74.4	75.0	76.7	76.5	76.1	76.5	76.5	76.5	75.9	76.1	75.7	75.9
Coffee.....	do.....	24.3	48.0	47.7	46.9	46.6	46.6	46.0	45.6	45.3	45.1	45.4	45.4	45.8	46.2
Prunes.....	do.....	18.3	18.6	18.8	18.1	18.0	18.0	18.0	17.4	17.7	15.2	15.2	14.8	17.3	17.3
Raisins.....	do.....	14.3	14.4	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.0	13.7	13.4	14.1	14.1
Bananas.....	Dozen...	31.4	30.0	29.3	33.1	31.8	31.5	31.2	31.5	32.5	30.8	31.5	32.1	31.4	31.4
Oranges.....	do.....	45.8	47.5	46.8	48.3	48.6	47.2	49.2	51.9	54.1	55.2	50.8	50.3	49.9	49.9

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
ST. PAUL, MINN.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak	do		34.4	34.8	34.8	34.8	36.0	36.8	36.9	37.1	37.0	36.6	34.4	35.1	35.7
Rib roast	do		28.9	28.7	29.6	29.0	31.0	31.9	31.5	32.3	31.9	31.9	30.1	30.2	30.6
Chuck roast	do		28.3	28.3	28.5	29.0	29.6	29.7	29.2	30.1	30.3	29.3	29.2	28.3	30.0
	do		22.2	22.2	22.2	22.4	23.5	23.9	23.8	23.3	23.9	23.3	22.9	22.9	23.0
Plate beef	do		12.7	13.2	13.3	13.2	13.2	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.2	13.2	13.0	13.3	13.2
Pork chops	do		32.5	32.4	34.4	35.6	38.1	40.3	39.3	36.8	38.2	38.7	34.0	32.7	36.1
Bacon, sliced	do		47.6	47.4	47.8	48.6	49.3	51.7	52.9	51.8	50.3	49.8	49.1	47.6	49.5
Ham, sliced	do		48.9	48.9	49.2	49.8	50.9	56.6	57.1	57.6	56.6	55.3	51.6	49.7	52.7
Lamb, leg of	do		33.7	33.7	32.6	33.9	35.8	37.3	35.3	34.3	34.2	33.9	32.4	31.8	34.1
Hens	do		34.7	34.6	34.5	35.2	35.6	34.1	32.8	31.6	30.8	30.2	30.2	30.6	32.9
Salmon, canned, red.	do		37.7	37.7	37.1	37.1	36.9	37.8	37.8	38.7	39.1	38.4	37.9	37.7	37.8
Milk, fresh	Quart		11.7	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.1
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹		12.0	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.8	11.9	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.9
Butter	Pound		48.7	48.1	48.3	45.8	46.4	46.3	45.6	46.6	49.0	50.6	52.3	57.3	48.8
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do		28.2	27.9	27.9	27.6	27.6	28.3	27.9	28.1	27.5	27.9	27.5	26.4	27.7
Cheese	do		35.4	35.1	35.4	34.6	33.6	34.2	32.9	34.1	33.9	34.6	35.1	35.5	34.5
Lard	do		21.2	21.4	21.1	20.5	20.6	22.1	22.4	22.1	21.5	21.0	20.5	19.8	21.2
Vegetable lard substitute.	do		27.4	27.0	27.2	27.4	27.1	27.2	27.3	27.1	27.1	27.3	27.4	27.6	27.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen		47.0	37.2	34.0	34.3	33.8	35.5	35.7	35.8	41.8	46.6	52.6	55.4	40.8
Eggs, storage	do		38.0	31.5								41.3	43.3	42.4	
Bread	Pound		10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1
Flour	do		6.1	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.8
Corn meal	do		5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.0	5.3
Rollod oats	do		10.1	10.1	10.0	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.0	9.9
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg		12.0	12.1	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.0	12.0
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg		25.7	25.9	26.3	26.4	26.6	26.4	26.6	26.8	26.7	27.0	27.0	26.8	26.5
Macaroni	Pound		19.0	18.7	18.9	18.9	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.5	18.5	18.7	18.7
Rice	do		11.3	11.9	11.9	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.0	12.2	12.6	12.3	11.9	12.1
Beans, navy	do		9.5	9.6	9.7	9.6	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.6	9.4
Potatoes	do		4.7	4.8	4.8	5.8	5.3	4.5	3.5	2.6	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.2	4.0
Onions	do		6.5	6.5	5.9	6.0	7.1	8.0	7.8	6.9	5.2	4.8	4.6	4.7	6.2
Cabbage	do		5.0	6.5	7.2	7.3	5.9	6.4	4.1	2.9	3.4	2.4	2.7	3.7	4.8
Beans, baked	No. 2 can		13.9	13.8	13.9	13.8	13.9	13.4	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.8
Corn, canned	do		15.3	15.3	15.1	15.3	15.3	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.3	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.2
Peas, canned	do		16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.1	15.9	15.6	15.6	15.6	16.0
Tomatoes, canned	do		14.2	13.6	13.8	14.0	14.2	14.3	14.1	14.4	14.1	14.3	14.6	14.3	14.2
Sugar, granulated	Pound		7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.3
Tea	do		69.6	70.2	69.4	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.9	69.9	69.9	68.1	68.7	68.7	69.4
Coffee	do		52.0	52.1	52.2	52.5	52.5	52.2	52.8	53.1	52.8	52.8	52.8	52.8	52.6
Prunes	do		17.1	17.1	16.8	17.3	16.8	17.5	17.3	17.7	16.7	16.4	16.4	16.4	17.0
Raisins	do		15.6	15.7	15.4	15.3	15.8	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.8	15.7	15.5	15.4	15.6
Bananas	do		11.9	12.1	11.8	11.0	10.9	12.0	11.4	11.6	11.4	11.4	12.0	12.0	11.6
Oranges	Dozen		51.6	51.8	51.1	54.9	51.9	49.9	49.9	50.6	51.4	53.2	56.2	58.1	52.6

¹ 15-16 ounces.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

ST. PAUL, MINN.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts. 35.2	Cts. 34.8	Cts. 34.7	Cts. 36.2	Cts. 37.2	Cts. 37.8	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 38.6	Cts. 37.6	Cts. 38.7	Cts. 37.6
Round steak.....	do.....		29.9	30.1	30.3	31.4	32.4	32.7	34.7	34.7	34.1	33.9	32.1	34.1	32.5
Rib roast.....	do.....		29.1	28.8	29.1	29.7	30.7	30.9	32.4	31.6	32.1	31.1	30.3	31.8	30.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....		22.9	23.4	23.5	24.1	24.6	25.0	26.1	25.9	24.6	25.1	24.6	25.9	24.6
Plate beef.....	do.....		13.4	13.4	13.7	13.9	13.7	14.1	14.6	14.7	14.5	15.1	15.1	15.5	14.3
Pork chops.....	do.....		32.7	31.9	33.6	34.1	33.9	29.9	30.7	32.7	37.6	38.4	32.2	28.5	33.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		45.9	46.4	45.6	45.9	45.5	45.0	45.1	44.4	45.2	45.9	45.3	44.6	45.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		49.3	50.0	50.0	52.8	52.2	50.3	48.9	48.2	48.2	47.1	47.2	44.7	49.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		31.7	31.6	33.0	36.9	37.4	36.4	35.1	33.6	32.8	32.7	32.1	31.9	33.8
Hens.....	do.....		33.0	32.9	33.5	33.1	33.3	28.7	29.5	29.1	28.8	28.8	29.1	30.2	30.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		36.3	36.3	36.3	36.3	36.3	36.3	36.0	36.3	37.5	37.6	37.6	38.3	36.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	11.3
Milk, evaporated.....	Can 1.....		11.7	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.9	11.7	11.7	12.0	12.2	12.0	12.1	11.9	11.8
Butter.....	Pound.....		53.9	53.9	54.7	54.3	47.9	46.8	46.6	46.0	48.6	50.9	52.0	55.1	50.9
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		25.9	25.6	25.2	25.6	25.1	24.8	24.8	24.8	23.2	25.4	25.2	25.1	25.1
Cheese.....	do.....		36.0	36.6	36.4	36.0	35.7	35.8	35.8	35.8	36.1	36.5	37.6	37.9	36.4
Lard.....	do.....		19.0	18.8	18.5	18.3	18.3	18.4	18.4	18.3	18.7	18.0	18.8	18.7	18.6
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		28.5	28.5	28.1	28.1	28.1	28.1	28.1	28.1	28.5	28.7	28.7	28.7	28.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		49.2	40.4	31.4	29.6	29.4	26.7	29.7	33.8	38.8	44.4	47.9	54.6	38.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		41.6	37.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	39.6	37.1	40.8	---
Bread.....	Pound.....		10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.8
Flour.....	do.....		5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.3
Corn meal.....	do.....		5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.2	5.2
Rollod oats.....	do.....		10.0	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.2
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.8	11.8	11.7	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.0	10.8
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		26.8	26.7	26.7	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.4	26.7	26.5	26.3	26.5	26.5
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		18.7	18.7	18.5	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.8	18.6	18.3	18.3	18.6
Rice.....	do.....		10.7	10.6	10.9	11.1	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.6	11.0	10.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.5	9.5	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.8	9.5	9.8	9.6
Potatoes.....	do.....		3.2	3.1	2.9	2.8	3.8	5.1	3.7	2.4	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.8
Onions.....	do.....		4.8	5.3	5.5	8.4	9.8	10.1	8.5	7.3	5.4	4.5	4.1	4.2	6.5
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.0	4.3	4.7	5.1	9.1	12.8	3.3	2.6	2.0	2.0	1.8	3.4	4.6
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		14.1	14.1	14.1	13.9	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.9	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.8
Corn, canned.....	do.....		14.6	14.8	14.4	14.3	14.0	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.6	14.4
Peas, canned.....	do.....		15.9	16.0	15.6	15.7	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.5	15.4	15.4	15.5	15.5
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		14.3	14.5	14.0	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.1	14.1	14.0	14.0	14.2
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		7.6	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.5
Tea.....	do.....		66.9	66.5	66.9	66.9	68.7	68.1	67.4	68.1	65.7	65.7	65.4	63.2	66.6
Coffee.....	do.....		51.9	52.7	52.5	51.8	51.9	51.5	50.8	50.8	52.4	52.2	52.4	51.7	51.9
Prunes.....	do.....		15.4	15.6	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.5	15.7	15.1	15.8	15.2	14.8	14.2	15.4
Raisins.....	do.....		15.2	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.4	15.6	15.2	14.9	15.2	15.3
Bananas.....	do.....		11.5	11.4	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.3	10.5	11.1	11.8	12.0	11.0
Oranges.....	Dozen.....		49.2	49.5	48.7	47.5	50.7	47.0	48.9	53.4	55.7	60.0	58.8	57.7	52.3

1 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts. 22.6	Cts. 29.0	Cts. 29.3	Cts. 29.5	Cts. 29.8	Cts. 30.0	Cts. 30.5	Cts. 30.8	Cts. 30.8	Cts. 30.9	Cts. 30.8	Cts. 30.8	Cts. 30.4	Cts. 30.2
Round steak.....	do.....	19.9	25.7	26.6	26.7	26.9	26.9	27.2	27.7	27.3	27.3	27.4	27.6	27.7	27.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.3	22.3	22.8	23.3	23.7	23.6	23.4	23.7	23.6	23.6	23.5	23.7	23.9	23.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.1	17.5	18.4	18.6	18.8	18.2	18.5	18.4	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.9	18.5	18.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.0	12.4	13.0	13.2	13.2	12.8	11.9	12.3	12.4	12.5	13.1	12.9	13.2	12.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	22.8	35.5	36.1	35.4	36.7	37.5	39.3	40.6	39.7	40.7	41.1	40.1	38.0	38.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	31.1	47.3	47.5	47.7	48.1	48.1	50.2	53.3	53.7	53.0	53.0	52.1	50.8	50.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.8	51.7	53.2	54.2	54.6	55.8	58.1	61.0	61.0	61.0	60.3	60.7	60.0	57.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	18.1	35.5	34.3	32.8	32.4	34.0	37.2	35.9	34.6	34.3	33.6	34.6	34.6	34.5
Hens.....	do.....	23.8	32.6	32.3	32.3	33.0	33.9	33.5	33.3	32.8	32.9	33.0	33.2	33.3	33.0
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	34.5	34.9	35.9	35.9	35.9	34.4	35.9	34.9	34.6	36.2	37.0	37.4	36.8	35.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	8.7	11.5	11.3	11.3	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.3	11.0	11.3	11.3	11.5	11.3	10.9
Milk, evaporated.....	Can 1.....	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.6
Butter.....	Pound.....	38.5	51.9	52.1	50.1	48.0	46.6	47.3	45.7	46.6	49.0	48.9	49.0	52.4	49.0
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	31.0	30.8	30.0	29.8	29.3	29.7	29.6	29.6	30.1	30.2	29.7	29.7	29.2	29.9
Cheese.....	do.....	23.9	32.7	31.3	31.8	29.9	29.9	29.9	29.4	29.4	29.5	29.9	30.2	30.2	30.3
Lard.....	do.....	19.2	24.2	24.4	24.0	23.6	23.9	25.1	25.3	25.2	24.8	24.9	24.3	23.2	24.4
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	29.7	29.6	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.5	29.8	29.9	30.0	29.7	29.4	29.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	33.5	38.5	34.4	28.7	30.1	30.7	33.5	34.1	37.3	44.8	51.5	54.2	50.1	39.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	25.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.6
Flour.....	do.....	2.5	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.4	5.4
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.4	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.7	8.9	8.9
Rolled oats.....	do.....	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.8	12.4	12.1	12.3	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.3	12.4	12.4	12.4
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	25.4	25.3	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.3	25.4
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	20.0	19.8	20.1	20.1	20.4	20.3	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.2	20.2	20.0	20.2	20.2
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	8.2	11.2	10.6	10.9	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.2	10.5	10.4	11.1
Rice.....	do.....	10.4	9.8	9.6	9.7	9.6	10.0	9.6	9.8	9.4	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.6	9.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	4.7	4.0	4.3	2.4	2.2	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	3.2
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.2	3.0	3.3	3.7	4.0	7.2	7.5	7.5	4.9	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.7	4.3
Onions.....	do.....	3.1	4.1	4.7	7.0	6.1	6.0	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.7	2.7	3.2	4.1	4.1
Cabbage.....	do.....	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.4	14.3	14.1	13.9	13.6	14.3	14.2	13.8	14.1	14.2	14.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	16.4	16.1	16.3	16.1	15.9	15.5	15.5	15.3	15.3	15.2	15.0	14.9	15.6	15.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.4	16.2	15.9	15.9	16.1	15.9	16.1	15.8	16.1	16.2	16.2
Peas, canned.....	do.....	15.7	15.4	15.0	14.9	14.9	14.8	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.5	14.5	14.0	14.8	14.8
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	6.1	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	8.2	7.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	65.7	85.3	85.0	87.5	87.5	87.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	87.1	87.7	87.3	87.3
Tea.....	do.....	35.8	57.4	57.7	57.5	57.4	56.8	56.6	57.1	56.8	56.7	56.4	56.7	56.0	56.9
Coffee.....	do.....	16.3	16.1	16.1	16.4	15.7	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.1	15.2	14.9	15.6	15.6	15.6
Prunes.....	do.....	13.9	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.5	14.2	13.8	13.6	14.2
Raisins.....	do.....	15.5	15.5	15.1	15.0	15.2	15.0	14.8	14.5	13.5	14.0	14.1	14.2	14.7	14.7
Bananas.....	do.....	42.6	42.6	43.4	45.4	47.6	43.4	42.8	41.4	43.0	47.9	53.8	45.2	44.9	44.9
Oranges.....	Dozen.....														

1 15-16 ounces.

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SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak	Pound	22.6	30.8	31.2	31.3	32.5	33.9	33.8	33.6	33.2	33.1	33.1	33.2	33.8	32.8
Round steak	do	19.9	28.0	28.3	29.0	30.0	31.3	31.3	31.1	30.6	30.6	30.5	30.5	31.8	30.3
Rib roast	do	19.3	23.5	23.7	24.4	25.2	26.6	26.2	25.9	25.9	25.1	25.7	25.6	26.5	25.4
Chuck roast	do	15.1	18.8	18.8	18.8	20.3	20.1	19.8	20.0	19.6	19.6	20.2	20.4	21.9	19.9
Plate beef	do	12.0	13.4	13.5	13.9	14.3	14.8	14.5	14.4	14.2	14.2	14.5	14.6	15.2	14.3
Pork chops	do	22.8	38.5	37.2	38.4	38.1	36.1	34.3	32.7	35.6	39.4	39.9	37.3	34.4	36.8
Bacon, sliced	do	31.1	49.7	49.3	50.0	50.0	48.4	48.1	47.2	46.9	46.9	46.9	47.9	46.9	48.2
Ham, sliced	do	29.8	60.0	59.7	60.4	61.1	59.3	59.3	67.5	57.1	57.5	57.1	56.2	54.2	58.3
Lamb, leg of	do	18.1	33.9	33.2	35.7	36.9	39.1	39.4	36.7	35.2	35.1	35.3	34.7	34.5	35.8
Hens	do	23.8	33.2	33.4	33.5	33.2	32.6	31.4	29.6	29.6	29.8	30.4	30.3	30.5	31.5
Salmon, canned, red.	do		35.1	35.5	35.1	35.1	35.1	35.1	33.4	34.8	35.3	35.7	35.7	34.5	35.0
Milk, fresh	Quart.	8.7	10.8	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.7
Milk, evaporated	Can.		10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.6
Butter	Pound	38.5	52.6	52.7	54.1	52.1	49.7	48.5	46.6	48.2	51.2	52.1	51.8	53.4	51.1
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do		29.2	29.2	29.3	29.2	29.0	29.1	28.9	28.0	27.2	27.0	27.0	26.8	28.3
Cheese	do	23.9	30.7	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.9	30.7	30.7	31.0	30.7
Lard	do	19.2	23.2	22.8	22.6	22.3	22.1	21.5	21.0	20.5	21.0	21.6	21.5	21.4	21.8
Vegetable lard substitute.	do		29.4	29.2	29.2	29.2	29.2	29.2	29.4	29.2	29.0	29.0	29.1	28.9	29.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	33.5	42.1	34.5	29.9	28.8	28.3	27.5	28.6	34.0	38.7	46.8	49.2	45.4	36.2
Eggs, storage	do											40.0			
Bread	Pound	5.9	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.9	9.7	9.8
Flour	do	2.5	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1
Corn meal	do	3.4	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5
Rollod oats	do		8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.8
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		12.1	12.1	12.2	11.4	11.4	11.3	10.6	10.2	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.4	11.0
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		25.6	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.7	25.7	25.8	25.8	25.6
Macaroni	Pound		20.4	20.6	20.3	20.3	20.0	19.9	20.0	19.9	20.1	19.5	19.4	19.6	20.0
Rice	do	8.2	9.7	9.4	9.4	9.1	9.0	9.2	9.2	9.6	9.2	9.1	9.1	8.6	9.2
Beans, navy	do		9.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.1	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.1	8.9	8.7	9.1
Potatoes	do	1.2	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.8	4.0	6.6	3.7	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	2.9
Onions	do		3.2	3.9	4.2	5.9	7.7	8.4	7.6	5.3	3.1	2.6	2.7	2.6	4.8
Cabbage	do		3.4	4.1	4.7	5.3	9.0	9.8	4.1	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.8	4.5
Beans, baked	No.2 can.		14.0	14.3	14.0	13.8	13.5	13.8	13.3	12.9	13.0	12.9	12.8	13.1	13.5
Corn, canned	do		14.8	14.6	14.4	14.8	14.4	14.2	14.6	14.4	14.4	14.7	14.7	14.9	14.6
Peas, canned	do		15.8	15.8	15.5	15.8	15.7	15.5	15.7	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.7
Tomatoes, canned	do		14.0	13.9	13.8	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.6	13.9	13.6	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.8
Sugar, granulated	Pound	6.1	8.3	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.1	8.1
Tea	do	65.7	87.9	86.7	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	87.2	87.0	86.7
Coffee	do	35.8	55.4	55.6	55.7	55.4	54.9	55.1	54.9	55.1	54.4	54.0	54.3	54.3	54.9
Prunes	do		14.8	14.3	14.8	15.0	14.8	14.6	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.0	13.4	12.9	14.3
Raisins	do		13.4	13.3	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.7	13.3	13.4	13.1	12.9	13.4
Bananas	do		14.0	14.0	13.7	12.8	13.1	11.2	12.4	12.8	12.1	12.7	12.3	12.3	12.8
Oranges	Dozen		42.8	42.6	43.9	44.5	45.0	44.7	45.1	48.3	50.5	54.7	54.0	51.3	47.3

1 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	Cts.	20.7	32.5	32.9	32.4	32.4	32.1	31.7	31.6	31.7	31.5	31.4	31.8	32.0
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts.	19.3	29.9	30.6	29.6	29.5	29.0	29.0	28.9	28.9	28.6	29.5	29.4	29.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts.	21.0	30.8	30.7	30.0	30.0	29.9	29.6	29.6	29.2	29.4	29.5	30.0	29.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts.	14.9	19.2	20.1	19.2	19.2	19.1	18.5	18.4	18.8	18.9	19.2	19.1	19.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts.	13.5	15.5	16.7	15.4	15.3	14.7	14.3	14.5	14.2	14.4	14.2	15.0	15.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts.	23.6	43.2	44.1	42.8	42.5	43.8	44.8	46.6	46.8	46.6	47.0	46.9	45.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	33.7	62.3	62.6	62.8	62.7	62.0	64.2	65.3	65.7	65.0	64.3	63.9	61.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts.	31.0	63.8	63.3	62.6	64.3	64.3	67.3	70.0	70.3	69.5	67.9	67.9	66.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts.	16.9	38.6	38.2	37.7	38.0	37.2	38.2	38.4	37.8	37.8	37.6	37.4	37.0
Hens.....	do.....	Cts.	24.2	43.6	43.7	42.8	44.9	45.2	45.3	45.1	45.3	44.1	44.7	46.1	45.1
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts.	34.5	35.1	35.4	35.8	36.5	36.8	36.3	36.2	33.5	32.4	32.4	31.5	34.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	Cts.	10.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts.	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.2
Butter.....	Pound.....	Cts.	38.8	55.4	55.2	51.6	50.8	50.3	50.4	50.5	53.0	54.8	55.2	55.8	53.2
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	Cts.	32.1	31.3	31.4	30.8	30.8	30.8	31.3	31.5	31.4	31.4	30.8	30.8	31.2
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts.	20.0	39.9	39.3	38.9	38.2	38.4	37.7	37.9	38.0	38.5	38.7	38.7	38.9
Lard.....	do.....	Cts.	18.0	25.1	25.0	24.6	24.2	24.1	24.7	24.8	25.4	25.3	25.0	24.6	24.5
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts.	27.8	28.0	27.7	27.8	28.1	27.9	28.2	28.3	28.2	28.0	28.5	28.4	28.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	37.3	44.8	34.1	34.5	35.3	36.4	40.0	43.6	47.2	53.5	61.0	59.6	53.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts.	42.5	50.2	48.8	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.8	44.8
Bread.....	Pound.....	Cts.	5.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8
Flour.....	do.....	Cts.	3.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.9
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts.	3.4	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts.	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.6
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.8	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	Cts.	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.3	25.3	25.5	25.4	25.5	25.9	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.4
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	Cts.	14.8	14.9	14.5	14.6	14.9	16.1	15.8	15.6	16.2	16.0	16.0	16.0	15.5
Rice.....	do.....	Cts.	8.5	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.5	11.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts.	10.1	9.8	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.6
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts.	1.7	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.9	5.9	4.3	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.9
Onions.....	do.....	Cts.	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.1	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.2
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts.	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.4	13.5	14.1	13.7	13.4	13.5	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.5
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	Cts.	18.5	18.6	18.5	18.4	18.5	18.6	18.6	18.5	18.2	18.2	18.3	18.3	18.4
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	18.7	18.4	18.6	18.6	18.8	18.9	18.5	18.5	18.6	18.5	18.4	18.4	18.6
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts.	15.5	15.5	15.6	15.4	15.4	15.2	15.5	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.2	14.6	15.3
Tomatoes, canned.....	No. 2½ can.....	Cts.	5.4	6.4	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	Cts.	50.0	68.8	68.0	68.0	68.0	68.6	68.8	68.8	68.8	71.0	69.3	69.3	68.9
Tea.....	do.....	Cts.	32.0	52.8	52.8	53.1	52.8	52.6	53.6	54.3	54.0	53.5	53.7	53.4	53.3
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts.	15.0	14.9	14.9	14.9	15.3	15.4	15.4	15.1	15.2	14.8	14.1	14.0	14.9
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts.	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	13.0	13.3	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.1	12.8	12.9
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts.	35.6	32.2	34.4	33.3	34.4	33.9	31.7	30.6	28.3	28.5	30.0	30.5	32.0
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	Cts.	47.5	45.4	43.6	49.6	49.8	47.1	48.3	49.0	47.6	48.6	51.1	50.3	48.2
Oranges.....	do.....	Cts.													

¹ 15-16 ounces.⁴ No quotations secured on the pound basis. Most sales are by the head.

OF 51 CITIES, 1913, 1926, AND 1927, AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927—Continued

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	20.7	32.7	32.9	33.2	33.9	33.5	33.3	33.2	33.2	33.2	33.8	34.2	35.8	33.6
Round steak.....	do.....	19.3	29.8	29.6	30.0	31.0	30.7	30.5	30.4	30.1	30.4	31.0	32.6	34.0	30.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	21.0	30.5	30.5	30.5	31.0	30.7	30.2	30.1	30.1	30.6	31.2	31.9	33.7	30.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	14.9	19.7	19.8	20.1	20.6	20.0	19.6	19.2	19.7	19.7	20.3	21.4	22.7	20.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	13.5	15.6	15.8	15.9	16.1	15.5	15.1	14.8	15.1	15.5	15.9	16.9	18.7	15.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	23.6	44.1	43.4	43.3	43.3	42.0	41.2	40.2	42.6	43.3	44.3	43.8	40.5	42.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	33.7	61.5	60.4	59.8	59.3	58.8	58.9	58.2	57.5	56.7	57.1	57.3	56.8	58.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	31.0	65.7	64.7	64.5	64.5	64.8	64.3	64.1	63.3	63.8	63.8	63.8	61.4	64.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	16.9	36.6	36.1	37.6	39.2	39.1	39.1	38.6	37.7	38.8	38.7	38.6	39.6	38.3
Hens.....	do.....	24.2	45.4	44.7	44.6	43.9	43.3	42.9	42.4	41.4	41.8	43.3	43.1	42.6	43.3
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	---	31.3	30.9	30.5	30.4	30.1	29.9	29.9	30.6	32.0	33.0	33.0	33.3	31.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	10.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	---	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.3	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.1	10.2
Butter.....	Pound.....	38.8	57.2	57.6	57.8	52.7	51.5	51.5	51.4	53.7	56.0	58.0	58.7	58.5	55.4
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	---	30.8	30.7	30.4	30.3	30.4	30.2	30.3	27.0	26.0	25.9	25.3	25.8	23.6
Cheese.....	do.....	20.0	39.4	39.9	39.4	39.2	39.1	38.8	38.7	38.3	39.2	39.1	39.7	39.8	39.2
Lard.....	do.....	18.0	24.3	23.9	23.5	23.3	22.8	23.0	23.0	22.7	22.8	23.0	23.3	23.3	23.2
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	---	28.4	28.5	28.3	28.5	28.6	28.4	28.3	28.2	28.1	28.2	27.8	28.3	28.3
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	37.3	44.0	35.5	32.6	32.6	32.2	32.7	33.9	40.7	47.2	55.7	55.6	49.4	41.0
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	---	42.0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	43.0	44.3	45.0	---
Bread.....	Pound.....	5.9	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
Flour.....	do.....	3.4	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.4	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4
Rolled oats.....	do.....	---	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	---	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	---	25.3	25.2	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.4	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.2	25.2	25.3	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound.....	---	15.3	16.4	16.3	15.5	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.8	16.1	16.0	16.0	15.9	15.9
Rice.....	do.....	8.5	11.7	11.4	11.3	11.4	11.2	11.5	11.3	11.5	11.3	11.1	10.6	10.7	11.3
Beans, navy.....	do.....	---	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.9	10.0	10.3	10.3	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.7	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.9	4.3	5.5	4.7	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.9
Onions.....	do.....	---	4.6	5.5	5.8	6.9	7.7	7.7	5.5	4.3	4.1	4.3	3.8	3.8	5.3
Cabbage.....	do.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Beans, baked.....	No.2 can.....	---	13.2	13.4	12.9	12.7	12.8	12.7	13.0	13.0	12.8	13.0	12.9	12.7	12.9
Corn, canned.....	do.....	---	18.4	18.5	18.6	17.9	17.8	17.7	17.9	18.2	17.9	17.9	18.0	18.1	18.1
Peas, canned.....	do.....	---	18.2	18.6	18.1	17.7	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.9	17.6	17.9	17.8	17.8	17.9
Tomatoes, canned.....	No.2 1/2 can.....	---	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.6	15.0	15.0	15.1	15.1	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.9
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....	5.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	71.8	71.8	71.8	71.8	71.8	71.3	71.8	72.4	72.8	72.8	72.8	72.8	72.1
Coffee.....	do.....	32.0	53.5	53.6	52.6	51.7	52.0	52.0	51.9	52.0	51.7	52.0	52.5	52.6	52.3
Prunes.....	do.....	---	13.9	13.7	13.5	13.1	13.1	13.0	13.0	12.7	12.0	12.1	11.3	11.2	12.7
Raisins.....	do.....	---	13.1	13.0	13.2	13.3	13.1	13.2	13.1	13.2	12.8	12.9	12.2	11.9	12.9
Bananas.....	Dozen.....	---	31.1	31.1	30.6	31.1	30.0	30.6	31.9	31.3	30.0	30.6	31.3	31.9	31.0
Oranges.....	do.....	---	48.4	50.3	50.8	50.7	50.8	47.8	50.0	50.3	51.3	50.5	53.6	50.6	50.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH SAVANNAH, GA.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		Cts. 31.0	Cts. 31.5	Cts. 33.0	Cts. 35.5	Cts. 36.0	Cts. 36.5	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 34.6	Cts. 34.2	Cts. 34.2	Cts. 33.6	Cts. 34.2
Round steak.....	do.....		26.0	27.0	28.0	29.0	29.0	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.8	27.9	27.5	26.8	28.0
Rib roast.....	do.....		25.0	25.5	27.0	27.5	27.5	27.0	27.5	28.1	28.8	27.5	27.1	27.3	27.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....		16.3	17.3	18.3	19.3	19.6	18.8	18.8	19.1	18.7	18.8	18.8	18.2	18.5
Plate beef.....	do.....		13.6	13.6	15.1	16.0	16.5	15.2	15.5	15.0	14.8	14.0	13.3	13.7	14.7
Pork chops.....	do.....		33.7	34.0	34.0	34.5	36.4	37.8	38.0	36.5	36.2	37.1	37.1	34.5	35.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		43.7	44.1	45.1	45.7	45.7	46.8	47.3	47.5	47.1	46.8	46.8	46.9	46.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		45.0	45.5	45.5	45.0	45.5	47.1	50.0	50.0	51.1	50.0	50.0	48.8	47.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		39.0	41.0	43.0	43.0	41.0	41.0	40.0	41.0	41.0	39.0	39.0	39.0	40.6
Hens.....	do.....		35.8	35.4	36.6	36.6	37.6	37.3	33.4	34.5	35.5	35.8	34.2	35.7	35.7
Salmon, canned, red.	do.....		39.1	40.3	39.7	39.9	41.3	40.2	39.6	39.1	39.1	38.1	36.9	35.6	39.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		17.3	17.3	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can 1.....		11.3	11.4	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.2
Butter.....	Pound.....		59.8	57.2	57.7	54.3	53.7	53.5	53.8	54.5	54.5	56.1	55.9	59.2	55.8
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	do.....		36.7	36.5	36.3	35.7	35.7	34.9	34.8	34.8	34.6	35.0	34.7	34.9	35.4
Cheese.....	do.....		36.1	35.7	35.6	35.4	34.8	34.1	34.3	34.5	35.2	35.2	35.5	35.6	35.2
Lard.....	do.....		22.0	22.1	22.8	23.2	22.3	23.4	23.0	22.1	21.6	21.1	20.0	19.3	21.9
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.....		19.0	19.1	19.1	19.4	19.5	20.6	21.2	20.5	20.3	19.1	17.7	16.6	19.3
Eggs, strictly fresh.	Dozen.....		54.3	43.4	34.8	38.8	38.7	41.1	43.3	46.7	54.6	57.6	63.3	62.9	48.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		46.7	40.3								46.7	46.0	46.8	
Bread.....	Pound.....		10.4	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5
Flour.....	do.....		7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.9
Corn meal.....	do.....		3.6	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6
Rollod oats.....	do.....		9.1	9.1	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.6	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.9
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		10.5	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.4	10.3	10.3
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		24.5	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.4
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		18.0	18.0	18.0	18.1	18.1	18.4	18.1	18.3	18.2	18.3	18.5	18.3	18.2
Rice.....	do.....		10.8	11.0	11.0	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.5	10.5	10.0	9.9	10.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....		11.1	11.2	11.0	10.9	10.5	10.6	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.6
Potatoes.....	do.....		6.8	6.8	6.8	7.1	7.5	5.5	5.1	4.8	4.9	4.5	4.7	4.6	5.8
Onions.....	do.....		6.8	7.0	7.0	7.8	8.0	8.1	7.5	6.9	6.7	6.2	6.2	6.2	7.0
Cabbage.....	do.....		6.2	7.1	7.7	6.6	4.8	4.6	5.5	4.8	4.6	4.9	4.8	4.8	5.5
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can		11.6	11.6	11.6	12.2	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.1	12.5	12.5	12.3	12.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....		16.5	16.3	15.8	16.1	16.1	16.2	16.3	15.0	15.6	15.3	15.4	15.1	15.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....		17.2	16.4	15.8	15.7	16.0	16.9	16.7	16.4	16.6	16.6	16.4	16.5	16.4
Tomatoes, canned	do.....		10.3	10.4	10.1	9.9	9.7	9.9	10.1	9.9	10.0	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.1
Sugar, granulated.	Pound.....		6.6	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.3	6.8
Tea.....	do.....		77.1	76.7	76.9	76.9	77.4	79.6	81.6	82.1	82.5	81.3	81.0	81.3	79.5
Coffee.....	do.....		49.1	49.9	49.2	48.4	48.7	48.9	48.7	48.9	48.3	48.1	47.4	47.7	48.6
Prunes.....	do.....		15.4	15.7	15.4	15.9	16.3	16.3	16.2	15.9	15.9	15.6	15.8	14.9	15.8
Raisins.....	do.....		13.5	13.9	13.7	13.8	14.6	14.5	14.9	15.1	14.9	15.0	14.7	14.4	14.4
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		30.9	32.3	29.1	32.3	32.3	34.3	32.3	31.5	32.1	32.3	33.0	31.0	32.0
Oranges.....	do.....		39.1	37.9	40.7	49.3	49.9	49.7	49.3	51.7	47.6	43.8	39.7	32.3	44.3

1 15-16 ounces.

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Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		34.5	34.5	35.0	36.0	36.0	35.0	35.5	35.8	35.8	35.0	35.4	35.4	35.3
Round steak.....	do.....		27.5	27.0	27.8	28.0	28.5	28.0	29.0	30.0	29.6	28.8	29.2	28.8	28.5
Rib roast.....	do.....		27.5	27.5	27.5	28.0	27.5	27.5	28.0	27.9	27.9	27.5	26.3	27.9	27.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....		18.1	17.8	17.8	19.3	19.3	19.8	18.8	19.0	18.8	18.0	18.4	19.0	18.7
Plate beef.....	do.....		15.0	14.7	15.0	15.3	15.3	14.9	15.0	16.3	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.2	15.3
Pork chops.....	do.....		33.8	33.0	34.5	33.8	32.5	32.0	32.0	32.3	32.5	33.5	32.5	31.1	32.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		46.1	45.3	44.8	44.3	43.3	43.3	41.0	41.9	41.9	41.6	41.7	40.7	43.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		47.7	46.8	46.4	46.4	45.5	45.9	45.5	45.0	45.0	45.0	44.2	43.8	45.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		38.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	39.0	39.6	41.0	41.0	40.0	39.0	38.0	40.0	39.6
Hens.....	do.....		34.6	34.6	36.0	35.8	34.8	32.6	30.0	31.1	32.6	33.0	31.8	30.8	33.1
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		33.8	33.1	33.3	33.1	33.0	33.1	33.3	33.5	34.3	33.6	33.6	34.6	33.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.1	11.1	11.1	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.4
Butter.....	Pound.....		60.7	60.4	60.8	60.1	54.5	53.1	52.7	52.1	53.1	55.4	56.7	59.1	56.6
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....		34.9	34.8	34.4	33.6	32.1	32.7	32.1	32.2	31.1	31.3	31.5	30.9	32.6
Cheese.....	do.....		36.3	36.5	35.9	36.0	35.2	35.8	35.1	35.2	36.1	36.9	37.6	37.5	36.2
Lard.....	do.....		19.2	19.9	18.9	18.6	18.4	18.8	18.4	18.1	18.9	19.3	19.4	19.6	19.0
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		16.3	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.6	16.7	17.0	17.5	18.0	17.9	17.7	17.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		52.0	36.7	33.1	33.1	32.0	33.2	38.0	45.9	49.5	56.7	58.8	58.2	43.9
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		41.0									41.0	43.4	43.6	
Bread.....	Pound.....		10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.8
Flour.....	do.....		6.6	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6
Corn meal.....	do.....		3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6
Rolled oats.....	do.....		8.8	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.7
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		10.3	10.3	10.1	9.5	9.6	9.9	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		24.2	24.2	24.2	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	24.5	24.3
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		18.2	18.2	18.2	18.0	18.2	18.3	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.3	18.5	18.2
Rice.....	do.....		9.7	10.1	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.8	9.9	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.5	9.7	9.7	9.3	9.2	9.6	9.3	9.4	9.8	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.5
Potatoes.....	do.....		4.7	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.8	6.4	4.6	3.8	4.1	3.7	3.8	3.7	4.4
Onions.....	do.....		6.2	6.8	7.0	8.7	8.5	8.6	8.1	6.9	6.7	5.9	5.9	5.7	7.1
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.8	4.7	4.2	4.0	4.6	6.0	5.9	5.3	4.8	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.8
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		12.5	12.5	12.5	12.2	12.1	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.2
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.1	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.2	15.2	14.7	14.7	14.8	15.1
Peas, canned.....	do.....		17.6	17.6	16.9	17.3	17.0	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.8	17.0	16.6	16.6	17.0
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		10.2	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		7.4	7.3	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	7.1
Tea.....	do.....		82.9	82.1	82.3	81.5	81.5	79.8	81.7	81.7	82.2	82.6	81.9	82.7	81.9
Coffee.....	do.....		47.3	46.8	46.1	46.5	45.5	45.2	45.3	45.5	45.1	45.1	45.4	45.5	45.7
Prunes.....	do.....		14.4	13.7	14.0	14.0	13.9	14.6	14.8	14.9	14.2	13.5	13.5	13.3	14.1
Raisins.....	do.....		14.6	14.6	14.5	14.6	14.5	14.5	14.7	14.6	14.2	14.5	14.4	14.0	14.5
Bananas.....	Dozen.....		28.2	29.2	28.2	27.9	28.7	30.0	30.4	29.6	29.6	30.0	31.2	31.7	29.6
Oranges.....	do.....		36.3	35.7	35.7	38.7	41.3	43.5	46.9	46.9	46.5	46.4	40.3	42.5	41.7

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
SCRANTON, PA.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Round steak.....	do.....	24.8	50.9	49.5	49.5	49.6	50.8	51.2	51.4	51.0	51.4	51.6	51.0	50.5	50.7
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.9	42.7	41.8	41.5	41.4	41.8	41.0	42.4	42.6	42.6	43.0	42.3	42.5	42.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	21.8	37.4	37.0	36.8	36.0	36.6	36.8	37.5	36.6	37.5	37.8	37.7	37.6	37.1
	do.....	16.7	28.5	28.3	28.0	27.6	28.3	28.5	28.1	27.5	27.7	28.2	28.2	28.1	28.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	11.5	13.0	13.4	13.0	12.4	12.3	12.3	11.9	11.6	11.9	12.4	12.6	13.3	12.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	20.7	41.0	40.6	41.4	42.1	45.1	45.8	46.2	45.1	47.2	47.4	43.6	42.7	44.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	26.4	50.3	49.9	49.7	49.6	50.1	52.1	54.3	54.3	54.1	53.9	52.7	52.1	51.9
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	29.0	57.7	58.2	58.4	58.8	60.0	63.9	64.5	65.5	64.1	62.7	62.7	60.6	61.4
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.8	45.7	44.5	44.5	44.1	47.5	49.4	47.1	46.1	45.9	44.7	44.7	44.3	45.7
Hens.....	do.....	22.7	45.3	45.7	46.1	46.9	48.3	47.7	46.6	45.5	45.1	44.9	44.3	43.9	45.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		36.1	36.3	36.4	36.1	36.0	37.1	37.3	37.3	36.2	36.4	35.1	34.2	36.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.7	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated. Butter.....	Can ¹ Pound..	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.1	11.9	11.8	11.9	11.8	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.9	
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	37.5	56.4	55.2	54.4	51.4	49.7	50.1	50.2	50.7	51.6	53.2	54.1	56.4	52.8
	do.....		32.0	32.0	32.0	31.0	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.2	30.3	30.3	29.2	30.3
Cheese.....	do.....	18.4	35.6	35.8	35.4	35.2	35.3	35.1	35.2	35.4	35.1	35.8	35.6	35.9	35.5
Lard.....	do.....	16.0	23.2	22.7	22.6	21.8	21.7	22.5	23.1	22.6	22.4	22.2	21.6	21.2	22.3
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		26.4	26.2	26.3	26.1	26.2	26.2	26.3	26.2	26.3	26.2	26.3	26.8	26.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	34.9	57.8	51.9	44.1	41.7	41.3	43.1	44.4	46.1	54.1	58.6	76.9	72.7	52.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		41.6	36.9								45.9	49.4	50.2	
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4
Flour.....	do.....	3.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.4
Corn meal.....	do.....		7.6	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.8	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.6
Rolled oats.....	do.....	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.9	10.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.1	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.6	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.6	25.6	25.6	25.5	25.7
Macaroni.....	Pound..	23.7	23.3	23.3	23.2	23.5	23.7	23.5	23.4	23.6	23.6	23.1	23.0	23.4	
Rice.....	do.....	8.5	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.8	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.6
Beans, navy.....	do.....	12.3	11.8	11.1	11.7	11.3	11.1	11.3	11.1	10.9	10.8	10.9	11.3	11.3	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.8	5.7	5.8	5.7	6.9	6.4	5.3	3.9	3.3	3.6	3.6	4.1	4.1	4.9
Onions.....	do.....		5.8	6.4	6.1	6.0	8.5	8.1	7.6	6.6	5.1	4.9	5.4	5.4	6.3
Cabbage.....	do.....		5.2	6.6	9.7	9.3	7.4	7.0	6.6	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.6	5.8
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	11.5	11.4	11.1	11.3	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.9	11.0	11.1
Corn, canned.....	do.....	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.4	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.1	17.5	17.4
Peas, canned.....	do.....	18.4	18.0	17.9	18.1	17.9	17.7	17.4	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.2	17.1	17.8
Tomatoes, canned	do.....	12.8	12.6	12.3	12.2	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.2	12.3	12.6	12.6	12.3	
Sugar, granulated	Pound..	5.7	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.1	7.0	7.2	6.8
Tea.....	do.....	52.5	65.9	65.4	65.8	66.2	66.7	66.8	65.5	66.8	67.3	67.6	67.6	67.9	66.6
Coffee.....	do.....	31.3	52.8	52.8	52.8	52.9	52.6	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.8	52.6
Prunes.....	do.....	18.6	18.4	18.3	18.3	18.1	18.3	18.3	17.8	17.7	18.4	17.9	16.9	18.1	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.4	14.2	14.2	14.3	14.5	14.9	15.1	15.0	15.0	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.7	
Bananas.....	Dozen..	34.0	34.0	33.3	33.3	33.0	34.0	33.7	34.0	32.9	32.5	33.0	33.0	33.4	
Oranges.....	do.....	51.8	51.2	49.9	53.4	59.6	54.2	52.4	53.7	52.7	61.2	62.3	56.3	54.9	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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SCRANTON, PA.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.	24.8	51.2	50.8	50.0	50.8	51.1	51.1	52.1	52.6	53.7	53.3	54.5	54.7	52.1
Rib roast.....	do.	20.9	42.3	42.3	42.1	42.3	42.8	42.6	43.8	44.4	44.5	44.5	46.1	45.3	43.6
Chuck roast.....	do.	21.8	38.0	37.4	36.8	37.6	37.6	37.3	37.6	37.8	38.5	38.9	39.8	39.6	38.1
	do.	16.7	28.0	28.0	27.4	27.8	27.8	27.5	28.8	28.7	28.8	29.5	31.0	31.2	28.7
Plate beef.....	do.	11.5	13.2	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.8	12.6	13.3	13.7	13.7	14.3	14.6	13.3
Pork chops.....	do.	20.7	40.6	39.8	40.7	41.0	41.1	40.0	39.5	41.3	44.0	45.4	40.5	37.3	40.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.	25.4	49.9	49.1	49.2	48.1	47.8	50.3	48.0	48.3	47.9	48.9	48.6	47.1	48.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.	29.0	60.9	59.5	60.0	61.1	61.1	61.1	60.6	58.9	56.5	56.5	55.5	55.0	58.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.	19.8	44.0	44.5	43.9	47.0	48.0	47.8	47.5	46.4	46.1	45.3	44.1	43.5	45.7
Hens.....	do.	22.7	45.0	45.5	45.9	46.1	45.9	44.5	43.1	43.4	42.5	43.3	42.7	42.4	44.2
Salmon, canned, red.	do.	33.3	33.6	34.2	34.6	34.6	34.6	34.5	33.4	34.0	35.4	35.6	36.1	35.9	34.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.	8.7	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	13.0	12.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	11.8	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9
Butter.....	Pound.	37.5	57.8	59.3	59.9	60.1	55.1	52.9	52.1	51.7	53.0	55.8	56.4	57.2	55.9
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do.	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	28.4	28.0	28.4	28.4	28.4	28.2	28.4	28.4	28.4	28.6
Cheese.....	do.	18.4	35.8	35.4	35.9	36.0	35.7	35.9	35.7	35.4	35.9	36.3	36.6	37.3	36.0
Lard.....	do.	16.0	20.8	20.3	19.9	19.8	19.5	19.1	18.9	18.9	19.8	19.7	19.9	19.7	19.7
Vegetable lard substitute.	do.	26.1	26.1	26.6	26.4	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.1	26.0	25.9	26.0	26.1	25.7	26.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.	Dozen.	34.9	65.6	51.0	38.9	36.2	36.0	35.9	38.7	44.5	50.9	60.3	67.0	70.9	49.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.	48.2	38.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	46.2	45.4	45.7	---
Bread.....	Pound	5.6	10.4	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.7
Flour.....	do.	3.5	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9
Corn meal.....	do.	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.7	7.7	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.5	7.8
Rolled oats.....	do.	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.1	11.1	11.1	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.4
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	25.4	25.5	25.3	25.3	25.3	25.1	25.1	25.1	25.1	25.1	25.3	25.2	25.3	25.3
Macaroni.....	Pound.	23.0	23.0	23.1	23.1	22.9	22.9	22.9	23.1	22.9	22.8	22.9	23.2	23.0	23.0
Rice.....	do.	11.3	11.1	11.2	10.9	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.3	10.7	10.4	11.0	11.0
Beans, navy.....	do.	10.8	11.0	10.8	11.2	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.8	10.5	11.0	10.9	10.8
Potatoes.....	do.	1.8	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.3	4.0	5.6	3.7	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.6
Onions.....	do.	5.6	5.9	5.6	6.5	9.6	9.3	7.6	6.7	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.6	6.4	6.4
Cabbage.....	do.	4.8	6.5	5.9	5.9	8.9	9.6	5.1	3.5	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.3	5.3	5.3
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.2	11.4	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3
Corn, canned.....	do.	16.8	16.9	16.9	16.7	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.8	16.6	16.9	16.8	16.9	16.8	16.8
Peas, canned.....	do.	17.7	17.5	17.7	17.7	17.1	17.4	17.4	17.2	16.9	17.1	17.3	17.6	17.4	17.4
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.3	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.4	12.4	12.4
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.	5.7	7.3	7.5	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.2
Tea.....	do.	52.5	70.4	70.1	71.3	71.2	71.2	71.2	71.2	71.2	71.3	71.2	71.5	71.2	71.1
Coffee.....	do.	31.3	52.7	52.2	51.6	51.3	50.2	50.1	49.1	49.1	49.4	49.4	49.5	49.7	50.4
Prunes.....	do.	16.6	16.9	16.7	16.8	16.0	16.2	16.0	16.1	15.6	14.4	15.0	14.9	15.9	15.9
Raisins.....	do.	14.6	14.7	14.5	14.4	14.6	14.7	14.7	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.4	13.9	14.5	14.5
Bananas.....	Dozen.	33.0	33.0	32.9	33.6	33.6	33.2	33.2	32.9	32.9	33.3	33.0	33.3	33.2	33.2
Oranges.....	do.	51.1	50.8	53.3	54.3	53.9	56.7	55.5	59.5	60.5	62.3	56.8	58.1	56.1	56.1

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
SEATTLE, WASH.

Article	Unit	Av- er- age for year 1913	1926												Av- er- age for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Round steak.....	do.....	23.4	33.1	33.3	33.3	33.4	33.8	34.1	34.1	33.4	33.5	33.2	32.2	32.7	33.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	20.8	28.6	28.8	28.6	28.7	29.6	30.5	30.3	29.5	29.3	29.1	28.8	29.0	29.5
Chuck roast.....	do.....	19.3	25.9	26.3	27.0	27.4	27.0	27.1	27.4	27.0	26.9	26.6	27.0	27.2	28.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	15.8	18.6	19.2	19.3	19.2	19.6	20.0	19.4	19.7	19.1	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	12.4	14.5	14.8	15.0	14.9	15.0	15.1	14.5	14.5	14.8	15.0	14.7	14.7	14.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	24.0	38.3	38.9	40.1	40.7	41.0	45.0	45.9	43.5	42.5	42.6	41.3	39.5	41.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	31.7	55.6	55.7	56.5	57.3	57.0	61.4	62.4	62.0	62.0	61.7	59.6	56.9	59.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	30.2	57.5	57.9	59.3	59.3	60.2	63.3	63.6	65.0	65.0	64.7	63.9	61.5	61.9
Hens.....	do.....	19.1	37.3	37.1	37.5	36.3	38.1	37.6	37.4	36.5	36.5	36.5	36.1	36.3	36.9
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	24.1	35.5	35.2	35.8	35.8	36.7	36.0	34.7	34.0	33.7	33.8	34.2	35.1	35.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	37.2	38.1	37.9	37.9	37.9	38.5	38.8	38.5	38.2	37.7	36.6	35.5	34.8	37.5
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	9.0	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.7	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	10.3	10.3	12.0	12.3
Butter.....	Pound..	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).....	do.....	40.0	54.7	55.4	53.1	50.5	49.7	49.7	49.6	51.4	53.0	53.2	53.3	50.4	52.5
Cheese.....	do.....	32.1	31.9	31.6	31.1	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.7	30.8	30.8	31.0	30.9	28.7	30.9
Lard.....	do.....	21.9	37.0	36.6	36.6	36.5	36.3	36.0	35.7	35.5	34.6	34.9	35.0	35.0	35.8
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	17.5	24.2	24.3	24.5	24.1	23.9	24.3	24.2	24.4	24.3	24.0	23.1	22.2	24.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	28.6	28.5	28.5	28.7	28.7	27.9	27.8	28.1	28.4	28.2	28.2	28.2	28.2	28.3
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	37.6	41.1	36.3	35.3	34.5	35.3	37.2	38.0	43.3	49.5	59.1	55.2	51.8	43.1
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7
Flour.....	do.....	2.9	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.1	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.1	5.3	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.0
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.1	9.2	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.9	9.0	8.7	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	12.0	12.1	12.2	11.8	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.5	11.6	11.4	11.8	
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	26.8	27.0	27.0	27.2	27.3	27.5	27.4	27.5	27.6	27.8	27.7	27.6	27.4	
Macaroni.....	Pound..	18.4	18.3	18.5	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.3	18.2	18.4	18.4	18.3	
Rice.....	do.....	7.7	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.9	13.0	12.9	13.0	12.7	12.9	12.5	12.3	12.2	12.7
Beans, navy.....	do.....	10.5	10.2	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.8	10.2	
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.2	4.4	4.2	4.2	5.2	4.8	4.0	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.9	3.7
Onions.....	do.....	4.6	4.7	4.6	5.3	5.6	5.6	4.7	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.8	4.5	
Cabbage.....	do.....	3.3	4.8	5.4	7.3	7.0	5.0	4.4	4.4	4.1	3.8	3.6	4.0	4.8	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	14.2	14.2	13.9	13.9	13.6	13.2	13.3	13.3	12.9	12.5	12.9	12.9	13.4	
Corn, canned.....	do.....	19.3	19.0	18.8	18.9	19.0	19.0	19.0	18.8	18.6	18.6	18.4	18.2	18.8	
Peas, canned.....	do.....	20.6	20.5	20.5	20.4	20.5	20.1	20.1	20.0	19.7	20.3	20.3	20.1	20.3	
Tomatoes, canned.....	No. 2½ can.	18.2	18.0	18.2	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.5	17.5	17.9	17.6	17.1	17.4	17.8	
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	6.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.4	7.1
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	78.0	77.5	77.5	78.0	78.3	78.2	78.3	79.0	79.0	81.0	77.9	78.1	78.4
Coffee.....	do.....	28.0	52.0	52.3	52.3	52.2	52.2	52.7	52.2	52.1	52.1	52.8	52.8	51.5	52.3
Prunes.....	do.....	15.2	15.3	15.8	15.4	15.3	15.6	15.8	15.7	15.8	15.0	14.6	14.0	15.3	
Raisins.....	do.....	14.1	14.4	14.6	14.8	14.6	14.7	15.0	14.8	14.8	14.9	14.4	14.1	14.6	
Bananas.....	do.....	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.6	13.6	13.2	13.6	13.5	13.9	13.9	13.5	
Oranges.....	Dozen..	45.0	44.7	45.7	50.1	50.5	46.9	46.0	48.0	48.0	51.3	54.0	50.4	48.4	

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SEATTLE, WASH.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 23.4	Cts. 32.9	Cts. 33.5	Cts. 33.5	Cts. 34.5	Cts. 35.7	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 34.7	Cts. 34.7	Cts. 34.8	Cts. 34.8	Cts. 35.1	Cts. 35.7	Cts. 34.6
Round steak.....	do.....	20.8	29.3	29.5	29.4	31.1	32.9	31.2	30.8	30.6	30.7	30.6	31.4	32.3	30.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	19.3	27.3	28.0	27.8	28.9	28.7	28.1	28.0	27.7	28.2	28.0	28.7	29.4	28.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	15.8	20.0	20.1	20.0	21.1	21.7	20.6	20.3	20.5	20.4	20.6	21.8	22.9	20.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	12.4	15.3	15.6	15.4	16.3	16.8	15.9	15.4	15.1	15.4	15.5	16.5	16.7	15.8
Pork chops.....	do.....	24.0	40.1	40.8	39.5	39.7	38.7	36.8	38.3	38.6	40.5	40.2	38.3	37.8	39.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	31.7	57.3	57.7	57.5	57.7	58.2	57.7	57.5	57.0	57.3	57.7	56.4	55.4	57.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	30.2	61.7	62.7	62.5	61.8	62.3	60.0	61.1	60.0	59.5	59.3	58.1	58.2	60.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	19.1	36.9	37.2	37.0	37.3	38.0	37.4	36.6	36.6	35.8	35.7	35.0	35.3	36.6
Hens.....	do.....	24.1	36.8	36.2	35.5	35.4	35.4	33.6	31.9	33.2	31.1	31.1	32.2	32.9	33.8
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	34.4	34.6	35.0	35.2	34.9	34.4	34.6	35.8	35.8	35.2	34.8	35.3	35.0	35.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	9.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.6
Butter.....	Pound..	40.0	56.6	56.0	56.7	53.0	51.2	50.9	51.0	52.6	53.5	54.4	55.0	57.7	54.1
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	28.3	28.1	28.3	28.2	28.2	28.3	28.2	27.2	26.7	26.7	26.4	26.1	26.0	27.5
Cheese.....	do.....	21.9	35.5	35.1	34.9	34.7	34.8	34.9	34.7	35.1	35.2	35.2	35.3	35.4	35.1
Lard.....	do.....	17.5	21.6	21.5	21.1	20.7	21.0	20.6	20.3	20.7	20.8	21.2	21.0	20.9	21.0
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	27.7	28.0	27.2	27.2	26.9	27.6	27.3	27.3	27.4	27.1	27.2	26.9	27.3	27.3
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	37.6	44.1	37.5	34.2	32.3	32.3	31.7	32.0	37.9	46.4	54.7	54.5	47.6	40.4
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	32.5	45.0	44.0	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.7
Flour.....	do.....	2.9	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.9
Corn meal.....	do.....	3.1	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.7	5.5	5.8	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.6
Rolled oats.....	do.....	9.1	9.0	9.2	9.3	8.9	9.0	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.8	8.8
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.	11.5	11.5	11.5	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.6
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.	27.6	27.6	27.4	27.4	27.6	27.2	27.7	27.5	27.5	27.6	27.6	27.5	27.1	27.5
Macaroni.....	Pound..	18.7	18.2	18.1	18.1	18.2	18.2	18.2	18.1	18.1	18.2	18.1	18.2	18.2	18.2
Rice.....	do.....	7.7	12.1	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.4	11.8	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....	9.9	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	10.7	11.0	11.1	11.5	11.0	10.4	10.2	10.4	10.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	1.2	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.9	5.2	4.8	3.1	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.9	3.1
Onions.....	do.....	4.4	5.3	5.7	7.0	10.2	8.8	6.9	5.0	4.0	3.5	3.2	3.5	5.6	5.6
Cabbage.....	do.....	4.7	5.2	5.4	6.6	10.5	10.0	6.1	4.9	4.4	3.6	3.2	3.7	5.7	5.7
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can	12.6	12.4	12.4	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.6	11.8	11.6	11.8	12.0	12.0
Corn, canned.....	do.....	18.0	17.6	17.6	17.0	16.9	16.9	17.3	17.1	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.3	17.3
Peas, canned.....	do.....	19.7	19.0	19.0	19.2	19.2	18.4	18.5	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.0	18.4	18.7	18.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	No. 2½ can.	17.0	17.7	17.8	17.2	16.7	17.2	16.9	16.7	16.4	16.7	16.5	16.1	16.9	16.9
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	6.1	7.6	7.5	6.8	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.3
Tea.....	do.....	50.0	78.1	75.4	76.5	76.3	76.5	76.5	75.7	75.9	75.7	76.0	75.2	76.0	76.2
Coffee.....	do.....	28.0	51.8	50.6	50.7	49.6	49.5	49.1	49.1	49.0	49.2	49.2	49.5	49.9	49.8
Prunes.....	do.....	14.2	14.2	14.0	13.7	13.8	13.7	14.0	13.3	13.2	12.7	12.0	12.0	13.4	13.4
Raisins.....	do.....	13.8	13.8	14.0	13.8	13.9	14.1	14.0	14.0	13.9	13.6	13.3	13.2	13.8	13.8
Bananas.....	do.....	13.7	13.6	13.3	11.2	12.0	12.2	12.2	12.5	12.4	12.9	12.9	13.0	12.7	12.7
Oranges.....	Dozen..	47.5	47.6	47.8	47.7	47.9	45.2	45.7	50.0	52.6	52.4	56.0	52.5	49.4	49.4

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH
SPRINGFIELD, ILL.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	
Round steak	do		33.6	33.9	34.1	34.9	35.4	35.9	36.1	36.1	35.9	36.4	35.4	35.4	35.3
Rib roast	do		32.9	33.4	33.8	34.4	34.9	35.2	35.6	35.4	35.4	36.0	35.0	35.0	34.8
Chuck roast	do		23.7	23.5	23.6	24.1	24.1	23.9	23.7	23.9	24.0	24.1	23.6	23.8	23.8
	do		21.2	21.0	21.1	21.8	22.3	22.2	21.9	22.1	21.4	21.3	21.6	21.9	21.7
Plate beef	do		13.8	13.8	13.6	13.7	13.9	13.9	13.6	13.3	14.1	14.0	13.8	14.0	13.8
Pork chops	do		33.1	33.2	33.9	34.7	37.2	38.5	37.1	36.3	40.0	40.5	36.7	33.8	37.1
Bacon, sliced	do		46.5	46.3	46.8	46.8	47.5	49.6	50.7	50.7	50.7	49.8	49.6	48.1	48.5
Ham, sliced	do		51.3	51.8	51.8	51.4	52.1	56.4	59.6	59.3	58.9	58.8	56.5	55.4	55.3
Lamb, leg of	do		39.1	39.1	38.3	38.1	40.5	44.0	41.8	41.0	39.5	39.0	39.0	37.5	39.7
Hens	do		35.1	37.0	37.4	37.4	36.8	36.6	35.7	35.4	35.3	34.9	34.0	31.7	35.7
Salmon, canned, red.	do		40.5	41.6	41.0	41.1	41.4	42.4	41.4	41.7	41.0	39.0	38.3	37.9	40.6
Milk, fresh	Quart		12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	14.4	12.7
Milk, evaporated	Can ¹		11.9	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.8
Butter	Pound		51.7	52.0	51.1	48.6	48.8	49.3	48.4	48.9	51.3	53.3	56.5	61.5	51.8
Oleomargarine (all butter sub- stitutes).	do		32.8	31.9	30.4	30.4	29.8	30.3	30.4	30.2	30.6	30.7	30.3	30.3	30.7
Cheese	do		37.3	36.8	37.4	36.4	35.6	35.8	35.4	35.4	35.3	36.3	36.7	38.0	36.4
Lard	do		21.9	21.9	21.6	20.8	20.6	22.8	22.8	22.5	21.9	21.9	21.9	20.8	21.8
Vegetable lard substitute.	do		28.3	28.5	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	27.7	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen		52.1	36.8	30.6	33.5	33.1	35.7	33.9	35.4	41.4	47.5	63.0	65.8	42.4
Eggs, storage	do		42.5									45.8	47.0	48.3	
Bread	Pound		10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1
Flour	do		6.4	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.0	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.9	6.1
Corn meal	do		5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.1	4.9	5.0
Rolled oats	do		10.2	10.1	9.9	9.8	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.3	10.1	10.1	10.0
Corn flakes	8-oz. pkg.		11.6	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.8	11.8	11.7
Wheat cereal	28-oz. pkg.		27.2	27.0	26.9	27.1	26.9	26.4	27.0	26.8	26.9	26.7	27.3	27.3	27.0
Macaroni	Pound		19.2	19.2	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.4	19.0	19.3	19.3	19.3	19.2
Rice	do		11.2	11.2	11.3	11.4	11.6	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.5	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.3
Beans, navy	do		9.3	9.0	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.6	8.9	8.8	9.0	9.4	8.9
Potatoes	do		6.1	6.1	5.8	6.6	5.8	5.1	4.5	3.3	4.0	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.9
Onions	do		5.9	5.8	5.3	5.5	9.5	8.9	7.2	5.8	5.3	4.3	4.4	4.6	6.1
Cabbage	do		6.1	6.8	7.3	7.2	6.5	6.8	5.5	3.7	4.1	3.7	3.8	4.2	5.5
Beans, baked	No. 2 can		11.9	11.8	11.0	11.1	11.0	11.5	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.6	10.6	10.9	11.1
Corn, canned	do		16.3	15.7	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.1	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.5
Peas, canned	do		17.5	17.2	17.3	17.3	16.7	17.0	17.3	17.1	16.9	16.9	17.1	17.1	17.1
Tomatoes, canned	do		13.7	13.6	13.4	13.6	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.7
Sugar, granulated	Pound		7.2	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.8	7.7	8.2	7.5
Tea	do		78.7	78.2	78.2	78.6	78.1	79.3	79.6	80.7	81.1	82.5	82.5	82.1	79.8
Coffee	do		53.2	53.9	52.9	53.4	53.1	52.9	53.1	53.4	52.7	53.4	53.7	54.0	53.3
Prunes	do		17.0	17.1	17.2	16.8	17.4	17.3	17.4	17.8	17.3	17.0	16.6	15.9	17.1
Raisins	do		15.2	15.1	15.3	15.5	15.3	15.4	15.4	15.3	16.0	15.9	16.1	15.9	15.5
Bananas	do		10.6	10.3	10.6	9.8	10.0	10.3	9.6	9.8	10.0	10.5	11.6	11.2	10.4
Oranges	Dozen		49.5	49.5	49.7	54.8	56.5	50.3	49.9	55.3	51.0	57.2	66.1	60.8	54.2

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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SPRINGFIELD, ILL.

Article	Unit	Aver- age for year 1913	1927												Aver- age for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
			<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>	<i>Cts.</i>
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....		35.8	35.8	36.3	36.3	37.5	37.5	37.9	37.1	37.1	36.7	36.3	36.8	36.8
Round steak.....	do.....		35.4	35.4	35.8	35.8	36.7	36.7	36.9	36.1	36.5	36.1	35.7	35.9	36.1
Rib roast.....	do.....		23.8	23.8	23.6	24.8	25.4	24.6	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.6	24.8	25.2	24.5
Chuck roast.....	do.....		21.4	21.2	21.6	22.0	22.5	22.1	22.8	22.6	22.5	22.9	22.5	23.1	22.3
Plate beef.....	do.....		15.0	14.7	14.4	15.0	14.5	14.0	13.8	14.2	14.5	15.2	15.1	15.6	14.7
Pork chops.....	do.....		33.3	31.4	32.7	32.9	31.4	30.4	30.0	31.4	35.0	37.1	31.8	27.5	32.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....		48.5	48.8	47.9	48.3	47.1	46.3	45.8	46.3	45.8	45.8	45.8	44.5	46.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....		53.8	54.2	53.8	53.8	53.3	53.3	50.8	50.4	49.6	49.6	48.8	46.8	51.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....		38.3	40.0	40.6	41.1	42.8	43.3	41.7	41.3	38.8	40.6	38.3	37.5	40.4
Hens.....	do.....		36.8	35.7	36.2	36.4	36.1	34.2	32.5	33.0	33.0	32.5	32.0	33.6	34.3
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....		36.6	37.0	35.8	36.4	35.6	34.8	34.8	34.4	36.2	36.6	36.0	35.7	35.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....		14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	12.5	12.5	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.1
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹		11.8	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.7	11.8	11.8	11.7
Butter.....	Pound.....		57.9	58.5	59.4	57.8	52.1	50.7	49.0	49.6	51.8	54.1	54.8	58.7	54.5
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....		29.3	28.7	28.7	28.7	28.2	28.2	28.0	27.9	28.1	28.7	28.2	28.2	28.4
Cheese.....	do.....		38.5	38.5	38.2	36.8	36.8	36.8	36.6	37.4	36.2	38.1	39.4	39.3	37.7
Lard.....	do.....		19.5	19.6	19.1	19.1	18.8	18.3	18.1	18.0	18.6	18.8	18.6	18.5	18.8
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....		28.0	28.0	28.1	27.5	27.9	27.5	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.3	27.7	27.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....		55.2	44.5	29.1	28.6	28.8	26.3	30.5	33.2	39.8	47.7	58.2	59.1	40.1
Eggs, storage.....	do.....		40.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	38.8	42.1	41.4	---
Bread.....	Pound.....		10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3
Flour.....	do.....		5.7	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.6
Corn meal.....	do.....		4.9	4.9	4.9	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8
Rolled oats.....	do.....		10.1	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.0	10.4	9.9	10.1	10.1	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....		11.6	11.6	11.2	10.8	10.3	11.0	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....		27.1	27.1	26.5	26.9	26.9	27.5	27.3	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.5	27.6	27.2
Macaroni.....	Pound.....		19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	18.9	18.9	18.9	19.3	19.0	18.9	18.6	19.0
Rice.....	do.....		10.9	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.1	10.9	11.0	10.9
Beans, navy.....	do.....		9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	8.7	8.8	9.1	9.1	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.3	9.2
Potatoes.....	do.....		4.1	3.9	3.6	3.5	4.9	6.2	4.8	3.6	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.6	3.8
Onions.....	do.....		5.4	6.0	6.1	9.0	10.4	10.0	9.3	6.7	5.8	4.8	4.2	4.4	6.8
Cabbage.....	do.....		4.7	4.8	5.0	6.2	9.5	11.5	5.5	3.4	3.9	3.8	3.1	3.6	5.4
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....		10.8	11.0	10.6	10.8	10.6	10.7	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.2	10.5
Corn, canned.....	do.....		15.0	15.0	15.0	15.3	14.9	14.7	14.5	14.5	14.5	14.6	15.0	15.1	14.8
Peas, canned.....	do.....		16.8	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	15.4	15.6	15.9	16.1	15.9	16.3	16.1	16.1
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....		14.0	13.9	13.9	13.9	14.0	13.8	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	14.0	13.8
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound.....		8.2	8.1	8.0	7.9	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.9
Tea.....	do.....		83.2	82.7	81.9	83.5	82.7	84.5	84.6	83.8	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.2	83.7
Coffee.....	do.....		52.3	51.7	52.4	51.4	60.6	49.8	49.3	49.7	49.7	49.9	50.8	49.7	51.4
Prunes.....	do.....		15.2	15.5	15.4	15.1	15.5	15.4	15.9	16.0	16.0	15.0	14.3	14.3	15.3
Raisins.....	do.....		15.3	14.9	15.4	15.5	15.8	15.4	15.8	15.3	15.4	15.0	14.4	14.1	15.2
Bananas.....	do.....		9.8	9.9	9.6	9.5	9.2	9.5	9.5	10.0	9.3	10.4	10.3	10.1	9.8
Oranges.....	Dozen.....		49.5	52.2	50.8	52.6	52.1	44.9	45.2	49.0	52.3	62.0	52.1	58.5	51.8

¹ 15-16 ounces.

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TABLE 13.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SPECIFIED FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH WASHINGTON, D. C.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1926												Average for year 1926
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	Cts. 26.9	Cts. 45.6	Cts. 45.4	Cts. 45.0	Cts. 45.5	Cts. 46.6	Cts. 47.2	Cts. 47.8	Cts. 46.9	Cts. 46.7	Cts. 47.2	Cts. 46.1	Cts. 46.4	Cts. 46.4
Round steak.....	do.....	Cts. 23.3	Cts. 38.9	Cts. 38.6	Cts. 38.2	Cts. 38.7	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 40.4	Cts. 40.9	Cts. 40.5	Cts. 40.4	Cts. 40.3	Cts. 39.6	Cts. 39.3	Cts. 39.7
Rib roast.....	do.....	Cts. 21.2	Cts. 34.2	Cts. 34.6	Cts. 33.9	Cts. 34.8	Cts. 34.8	Cts. 34.6	Cts. 35.1	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 34.3	Cts. 34.7	Cts. 34.7	Cts. 34.5	Cts. 34.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	Cts. 17.1	Cts. 24.0	Cts. 24.2	Cts. 24.6	Cts. 24.3	Cts. 24.4	Cts. 24.3	Cts. 24.7	Cts. 24.3	Cts. 25.1	Cts. 25.2	Cts. 24.9	Cts. 25.4	Cts. 24.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 13.4	Cts. 13.6	Cts. 13.3	Cts. 13.7	Cts. 13.5	Cts. 13.8	Cts. 13.3	Cts. 13.4	Cts. 13.8	Cts. 13.8	Cts. 14.0	Cts. 14.1	Cts. 13.6
Pork chops.....	do.....	Cts. 21.7	Cts. 39.5	Cts. 39.5	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 41.8	Cts. 43.9	Cts. 45.5	Cts. 45.2	Cts. 44.8	Cts. 47.5	Cts. 55.7	Cts. 42.1	Cts. 39.8	Cts. 43.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	Cts. 26.2	Cts. 46.2	Cts. 46.7	Cts. 47.6	Cts. 48.0	Cts. 50.0	Cts. 53.2	Cts. 53.1	Cts. 53.1	Cts. 53.1	Cts. 51.6	Cts. 49.9	Cts. 48.6	Cts. 50.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	Cts. 29.4	Cts. 58.3	Cts. 58.9	Cts. 58.9	Cts. 59.2	Cts. 60.0	Cts. 62.0	Cts. 62.5	Cts. 61.5	Cts. 62.1	Cts. 61.6	Cts. 60.0	Cts. 60.3	Cts. 60.4
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	Cts. 20.4	Cts. 43.4	Cts. 40.7	Cts. 40.3	Cts. 40.7	Cts. 44.6	Cts. 48.1	Cts. 44.8	Cts. 42.3	Cts. 41.2	Cts. 40.1	Cts. 39.7	Cts. 40.3	Cts. 42.2
Hens.....	do.....	Cts. 22.1	Cts. 41.0	Cts. 43.9	Cts. 43.5	Cts. 44.2	Cts. 45.1	Cts. 44.9	Cts. 44.4	Cts. 41.8	Cts. 40.9	Cts. 40.4	Cts. 39.7	Cts. 39.3	Cts. 42.4
Salmon, canned, red.....	do.....	Cts. 37.6	Cts. 38.4	Cts. 37.8	Cts. 38.1	Cts. 37.9	Cts. 37.9	Cts. 38.3	Cts. 38.4	Cts. 38.0	Cts. 35.6	Cts. 32.3	Cts. 31.9	Cts. 36.9	
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	Cts. 8.6	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 14.0	Cts. 14.0	Cts. 14.0	Cts. 14.0	Cts. 14.0	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 14.6
Milk, evaporated.....	Can ¹	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 11.8	Cts. 11.9	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.0	Cts. 12.1	Cts. 12.0
Butter.....	Pound..	Cts. 40.5	Cts. 59.2	Cts. 58.1	Cts. 57.4	Cts. 53.7	Cts. 53.4	Cts. 52.3	Cts. 53.5	Cts. 52.3	Cts. 54.3	Cts. 57.8	Cts. 58.7	Cts. 63.7	Cts. 56.4
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).....	do.....	Cts. 31.3	Cts. 31.2	Cts. 31.0	Cts. 31.3	Cts. 31.3	Cts. 31.4	Cts. 31.5	Cts. 31.5	Cts. 31.5	Cts. 31.5	Cts. 31.5	Cts. 31.1	Cts. 30.6	Cts. 31.3
Cheese.....	do.....	Cts. 23.4	Cts. 39.0	Cts. 38.9	Cts. 39.3	Cts. 38.9	Cts. 38.5	Cts. 37.8	Cts. 38.5	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 38.8	Cts. 38.8	Cts. 39.1	Cts. 40.2	Cts. 38.8
Lard.....	do.....	Cts. 14.9	Cts. 20.5	Cts. 21.1	Cts. 20.9	Cts. 20.5	Cts. 20.9	Cts. 22.8	Cts. 23.3	Cts. 23.1	Cts. 21.7	Cts. 21.2	Cts. 20.2	Cts. 19.4	Cts. 21.3
Vegetable lard substitute.....	do.....	Cts. 24.7	Cts. 24.9	Cts. 24.7	Cts. 25.1	Cts. 25.1	Cts. 25.6	Cts. 25.5	Cts. 25.8	Cts. 25.9	Cts. 25.8	Cts. 25.8	Cts. 25.8	Cts. 25.1	Cts. 25.3
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	Cts. 31.0	Cts. 59.1	Cts. 47.1	Cts. 37.7	Cts. 39.5	Cts. 39.9	Cts. 43.9	Cts. 44.3	Cts. 45.9	Cts. 55.6	Cts. 62.8	Cts. 71.7	Cts. 72.8	Cts. 51.7
Eggs, storage.....	do.....	Cts. 44.6	Cts. 45.0	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.1	Cts. 8.1	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.8	Cts. 8.8	Cts. 8.8	Cts. 48.5	Cts. 49.7	Cts. 49.8	Cts. 8.5
Bread.....	Pound..	Cts. 5.6	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.1	Cts. 8.1	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.8	Cts. 8.8	Cts. 8.8	Cts. 8.9	Cts. 8.9	Cts. 8.5
Flour.....	do.....	Cts. 3.8	Cts. 6.7	Cts. 6.7	Cts. 6.7	Cts. 6.6	Cts. 6.6	Cts. 6.7	Cts. 6.7	Cts. 6.7	Cts. 6.5	Cts. 6.4	Cts. 6.3	Cts. 6.3	Cts. 6.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	Cts. 2.5	Cts. 5.3	Cts. 5.3	Cts. 5.2	Cts. 5.2	Cts. 5.2	Cts. 5.1	Cts. 5.1	Cts. 5.2	Cts. 5.2	Cts. 5.1	Cts. 5.2	Cts. 5.0	Cts. 5.2
Rolled oats.....	do.....	Cts. 9.3	Cts. 9.3	Cts. 9.3	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2	Cts. 9.2
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.....	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.7	Cts. 10.7	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.7	Cts. 10.8	Cts. 10.8	Cts. 10.8	Cts. 10.8	Cts. 10.8	Cts. 10.7
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.....	Cts. 24.6	Cts. 24.7	Cts. 24.7	Cts. 24.8	Cts. 24.9	Cts. 24.9	Cts. 24.9	Cts. 24.9	Cts. 24.8	Cts. 24.8	Cts. 24.8	Cts. 24.6	Cts. 24.5	Cts. 24.8
Macaroni.....	Pound..	Cts. 23.7	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.6	Cts. 23.7	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.7	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.8	Cts. 23.9	Cts. 23.8
Rice.....	do.....	Cts. 9.5	Cts. 12.2	Cts. 13.0	Cts. 12.8	Cts. 13.0	Cts. 13.0	Cts. 13.0	Cts. 13.1	Cts. 13.1	Cts. 12.8	Cts. 12.8	Cts. 12.4	Cts. 12.4	Cts. 12.8
Beans, navy.....	do.....	Cts. 9.1	Cts. 9.1	Cts. 8.7	Cts. 8.8	Cts. 8.6	Cts. 8.7	Cts. 8.7	Cts. 8.4	Cts. 8.2	Cts. 8.3	Cts. 8.6	Cts. 8.7	Cts. 8.7	Cts. 8.7
Potatoes.....	do.....	Cts. 1.8	Cts. 6.6	Cts. 6.3	Cts. 6.1	Cts. 7.9	Cts. 7.5	Cts. 5.8	Cts. 4.0	Cts. 3.9	Cts. 4.3	Cts. 4.2	Cts. 4.3	Cts. 4.4	Cts. 5.4
Onions.....	do.....	Cts. 6.6	Cts. 6.1	Cts. 6.3	Cts. 6.4	Cts. 7.8	Cts. 8.0	Cts. 7.4	Cts. 6.4	Cts. 6.0	Cts. 5.8	Cts. 5.8	Cts. 5.5	Cts. 5.5	Cts. 6.5
Cabbage.....	do.....	Cts. 7.3	Cts. 9.6	Cts. 8.7	Cts. 7.8	Cts. 5.9	Cts. 6.5	Cts. 5.5	Cts. 5.1	Cts. 4.8	Cts. 4.6	Cts. 4.5	Cts. 4.7	Cts. 6.3	
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.....	Cts. 11.1	Cts. 10.9	Cts. 10.7	Cts. 10.5	Cts. 10.7	Cts. 10.4	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.6	Cts. 10.3	Cts. 10.3	Cts. 10.5	Cts. 10.6
Corn, canned.....	do.....	Cts. 15.6	Cts. 15.4	Cts. 15.7	Cts. 15.7	Cts. 15.6	Cts. 16.0	Cts. 15.4	Cts. 15.8	Cts. 15.4	Cts. 15.5	Cts. 15.7	Cts. 15.7	Cts. 15.7	Cts. 15.6
Peas, canned.....	do.....	Cts. 16.9	Cts. 16.8	Cts. 17.2	Cts. 16.8	Cts. 16.7	Cts. 16.7	Cts. 16.7	Cts. 16.9	Cts. 16.5	Cts. 16.5	Cts. 16.6	Cts. 16.6	Cts. 16.6	Cts. 16.7
Tomatoes, canned.....	do.....	Cts. 11.3	Cts. 10.8	Cts. 10.8	Cts. 10.4	Cts. 10.2	Cts. 10.5	Cts. 10.3	Cts. 10.3	Cts. 10.2	Cts. 11.3	Cts. 11.3	Cts. 11.3	Cts. 11.3	Cts. 10.7
Sugar, granulated.....	Pound..	Cts. 5.1	Cts. 6.5	Cts. 6.5	Cts. 6.5	Cts. 6.5	Cts. 6.5	Cts. 6.8	Cts. 6.8	Cts. 6.7	Cts. 6.8	Cts. 6.8	Cts. 6.8	Cts. 7.0	Cts. 6.7
Tea.....	do.....	Cts. 57.5	Cts. 87.7	Cts. 88.0	Cts. 88.1	Cts. 89.2	Cts. 89.2	Cts. 91.1	Cts. 90.4	Cts. 91.1	Cts. 90.6	Cts. 88.7	Cts. 89.7	Cts. 89.5	Cts. 89.4
Coffee.....	do.....	Cts. 28.8	Cts. 48.7	Cts. 48.8	Cts. 48.6	Cts. 48.3	Cts. 48.3	Cts. 48.6	Cts. 48.8	Cts. 48.1	Cts. 48.6	Cts. 49.2	Cts. 48.7	Cts. 48.5	Cts. 48.6
Prunes.....	do.....	Cts. 17.4	Cts. 18.0	Cts. 18.1	Cts. 18.2	Cts. 18.4	Cts. 58.3	Cts. 18.3	Cts. 17.9	Cts. 17.8	Cts. 18.1	Cts. 17.9	Cts. 17.8	Cts. 17.8	Cts. 18.0
Raisins.....	do.....	Cts. 14.2	Cts. 14.1	Cts. 14.3	Cts. 14.5	Cts. 14.5	Cts. 14.8	Cts. 14.9	Cts. 14.8	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 15.0	Cts. 14.8	Cts. 14.2	Cts. 14.6	
Bananas.....	Dozen..	Cts. 34.7	Cts. 35.9	Cts. 35.9	Cts. 36.1	Cts. 34.4	Cts. 36.7	Cts. 34.9	Cts. 35.6	Cts. 34.7	Cts. 35.3	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.0	Cts. 35.4
Oranges.....	do.....	Cts. 49.3	Cts. 48.2	Cts. 48.5	Cts. 58.7	Cts. 55.8	Cts. 53.3	Cts. 52.9	Cts. 57.9	Cts. 57.4	Cts. 63.9	Cts. 54.4	Cts. 50.0	Cts. 54.2	

¹ 15-16 ounces.

DETAILED TABLES

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Article	Unit	Average for year 1913	1927												Average for year 1927
			Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	26.9	46.6	45.8	46.4	46.2	46.5	46.6	49.4	50.1	49.3	48.7	48.2	48.2	47.7
Round steak.....	..do.....	23.3	39.2	39.1	39.0	39.3	40.5	40.6	42.9	43.1	42.8	42.7	41.9	41.6	41.1
Rib roast.....	..do.....	21.2	34.4	34.2	34.0	34.4	33.8	34.1	35.3	34.8	34.9	34.4	35.2	34.4	34.5
Chuck roast.....	..do.....	17.1	24.6	24.1	24.8	25.0	25.0	24.8	26.9	26.4	25.9	25.6	26.2	26.5	25.5
Plate beef.....	..do.....	12.0	14.5	14.0	13.9	13.9	14.0	13.8	13.9	13.9	14.2	14.0	14.8	15.0	14.2
Pork chops.....	..do.....	21.7	39.2	37.6	38.6	39.4	39.6	37.6	37.4	42.2	44.2	43.8	37.2	32.2	39.1
Bacon, sliced.....	..do.....	26.2	46.9	46.7	47.4	46.9	46.6	45.8	43.9	43.8	43.8	44.6	44.2	43.0	45.3
Ham, sliced.....	..do.....	29.4	59.1	58.7	58.1	58.3	58.2	57.6	57.1	57.2	57.2	57.1	56.8	56.5	57.7
Lamb, leg of.....	..do.....	20.4	39.2	38.8	39.9	41.2	45.7	44.4	42.1	40.7	38.5	39.0	38.8	38.5	40.6
Hens.....	..do.....	22.1	40.4	39.8	41.5	41.3	39.7	38.6	37.1	38.3	39.0	37.9	38.2	39.4	39.4
Salmon, canned, red.	..do.....		31.3	30.7	30.7	30.6	31.3	31.4	31.2	33.1	33.3	34.0	34.4	34.0	32.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	8.6	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0
Milk, evaporated.	Can ¹ ..		12.0	11.9	12.1	12.0	12.0	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.0	11.9	12.1	12.1	12.0
Butter.....	Pound..	40.5	62.4	62.4	61.5	61.5	56.6	54.4	53.8	57.2	57.2	58.6	59.4	61.7	58.7
Oleomargarine (all butter substitutes).	..do.....		30.5	30.5	30.6	30.2	28.7	28.9	28.5	28.9	27.9	28.5	28.4	28.5	29.2
Cheese.....	..do.....	23.4	40.8	41.3	40.1	40.3	40.2	39.9	39.1	39.1	39.9	41.5	41.1	41.4	40.4
Lard.....	..do.....	14.9	18.7	17.8	17.4	17.5	17.4	17.5	17.5	17.8	18.6	18.8	18.1	17.8	17.9
Vegetable lard substitute.	..do.....		24.6	24.9	25.1	24.7	24.5	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.7	24.2	23.8	24.3	24.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen..	31.0	61.4	43.4	35.3	34.9	34.7	35.2	38.5	42.2	56.4	63.1	65.8	65.0	48.0
Eggs, storage.....	..do.....		45.0	30.0	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	46.3	45.2	46.5	-----
Bread.....	Pound..	5.6	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1
Flour.....	..do.....	3.8	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.8
Corn meal.....	..do.....	2.5	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.5	5.2
Rolled oats.....	..do.....		9.2	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.2	9.4	9.3
Corn flakes.....	8-oz. pkg.		10.7	10.7	10.5	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.8
Wheat cereal.....	28-oz. pkg.		24.6	24.6	24.6	24.4	24.4	24.5	24.4	24.4	24.3	24.5	24.5	24.3	24.5
Macaroni.....	Pound..		23.2	23.2	23.2	22.8	22.6	22.5	22.1	22.6	22.5	22.9	22.4	22.5	22.7
Rice.....	..do.....	9.5	12.3	11.6	12.1	11.6	11.6	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.6	11.4	11.6	11.2	11.6
Beans, navy.....	..do.....		8.8	8.8	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.7	8.8	9.0	8.8	9.0	8.9	9.2	8.8
Potatoes.....	..do.....	1.8	4.4	4.1	3.9	4.2	5.4	5.4	3.8	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.5	4.1
Onions.....	..do.....		5.5	5.7	5.8	6.5	8.6	8.8	7.3	6.3	5.8	4.7	4.7	4.5	6.2
Cabbage.....	..do.....		4.8	5.8	5.7	5.4	8.8	6.8	4.2	4.4	4.1	4.2	3.8	4.5	5.2
Beans, baked.....	No. 2 can.		10.2	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.3	10.0	10.1	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.0	10.1	10.1
Corn, canned.....	..do.....		15.9	15.3	15.7	15.2	15.2	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.7	14.7	15.5	15.0
Peas, canned.....	..do.....		17.1	17.3	16.6	17.2	16.6	15.9	16.2	15.9	15.0	15.6	14.8	15.6	16.2
Tomatoes, canned	..do.....		11.0	10.6	10.9	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.8	10.3	10.0	10.5	10.3
Sugar, granulated.	Pound..	5.1	7.2	7.1	7.2	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.1	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.7	7.0
Tea.....	..do.....	57.5	90.6	91.9	93.5	92.5	93.2	91.7	91.4	91.2	91.2	90.7	89.1	90.4	91.5
Coffee.....	..do.....	28.8	47.5	45.9	45.0	45.3	43.6	42.2	42.8	43.0	41.0	42.5	43.9	44.1	43.9
Prunes.....	..do.....		16.9	16.6	16.6	16.1	16.4	16.6	17.0	16.0	16.3	15.7	14.4	14.5	16.1
Raisins.....	..do.....		14.4	14.0	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.6	14.4	14.2	13.6	13.7	14.2
Bananas.....	Dozen..		35.7	34.6	33.4	33.1	31.6	31.3	30.9	31.8	32.7	33.6	34.2	37.0	33.3
Oranges.....	..do.....		47.3	47.0	44.1	47.4	49.5	52.2	56.5	56.8	63.2	63.3	48.2	51.5	52.3

¹ 15-16 ounces.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH

ATLANTA, GA.

[1913=100.0]

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	160.8	160.8	158.3	169.2	170.0	170.4	166.7	167.9	170.8	172.9	171.7	170.0	167.5
Round steak.....	do.....	164.0	162.6	161.1	173.0	172.0	173.0	169.7	173.5	175.8	178.2	178.3	174.4	171.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	155.0	150.8	155.0	164.9	166.5	167.0	167.0	163.9	174.9	174.3	171.7	172.3	165.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	144.3	143.0	147.7	162.4	165.1	162.4	159.7	157.0	163.1	169.1	169.8	170.5	159.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	130.7	132.7	131.7	141.6	134.7	134.7	137.6	132.7	133.7	131.7	131.7	131.7	133.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	156.3	153.2	156.3	158.0	161.5	169.7	169.7	168.0	167.1	169.7	166.7	155.0	162.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	149.5	149.5	147.9	149.8	149.8	153.9	155.2	153.9	156.5	157.7	153.9	147.9	152.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	182.2	179.9	180.2	181.9	183.2	197.3	207.0	204.0	207.4	204.0	201.3	197.3	194.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	184.6	188.6	182.1	179.6	181.1	202.5	192.0	190.5	188.6	192.0	192.0	199.0	189.6
Hens.....	do.....	183.6	185.1	182.7	185.1	188.6	188.6	186.1	177.2	181.7	190.6	184.7	182.2	185.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	189.2	189.2	196.1	196.1	196.1	196.1	196.1	184.3	186.3	186.3	186.3	186.3	190.2
Butter.....	Pound..	145.6	143.1	142.6	138.3	136.6	139.1	139.1	136.8	140.6	141.6	142.4	146.9	141.1
Cheese.....	do.....	145.6	144.0	142.8	134.8	137.2	135.6	137.6	134.4	139.6	142.0	144.8	145.6	140.4
Lard.....	do.....	139.0	140.3	141.6	139.6	139.0	148.1	148.7	147.4	146.8	149.0	130.5	128.9	140.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	190.4	153.1	121.2	2129.8	133.6	133.9	137.0	142.8	158.6	176.4	199.0	209.2	157.2
Bread.....	Pound..	174.6	174.6	174.6	176.3	172.9	184.7	184.7	186.4	181.4	181.4	181.4	181.4	179.7
Flour.....	do.....	197.2	197.2	197.2	197.2	194.4	191.7	191.7	186.1	183.3	183.3	183.3	180.6	191.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	172.0	172.0	168.0	160.0	164.0
Rice.....	do.....	133.7	133.7	131.4	131.4	131.4	131.4	131.4	134.9	140.7	138.4	134.9	131.4	133.7
Potatoes.....	do.....	331.8	304.5	300.0	345.5	340.9	268.2	254.5	227.3	231.8	222.7	227.3	218.2	272.7
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	126.3	126.3	124.6	124.6	126.3	128.1	129.8	129.8	129.8	129.8	131.6	131.6	128.1
Tea.....	do.....	172.5	172.5	172.5	172.8	172.8	177.7	177.7	174.7	176.5	173.8	176.8	176.5	174.7
Coffee.....	do.....	159.4	161.9	161.9	158.4	158.4	159.7	159.7	159.7	161.3	161.9	163.1	160.9	160.6
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		163.9	164.6	162.5	166.1	165.9	165.1	164.9	162.4	164.7	165.8	166.1	164.7	165.3

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	170.4	170.0	170.0	170.8	174.6	175.8	178.7	179.6	182.9	185.8	181.3	181.3	176.7
Round steak.....	do.....	171.1	173.0	174.4	172.5	179.1	179.1	179.1	184.4	190.0	191.0	185.8	182.5	180.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	169.6	167.5	170.2	168.5	169.1	168.6	172.8	172.8	171.7	174.3	171.7	172.8	170.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....	164.4	163.1	165.1	163.8	165.1	165.1	165.1	167.8	169.1	169.1	173.2	171.1	167.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	137.6	139.6	136.6	148.5	150.5	150.5	150.5	150.5	155.4	153.4	153.4	147.5	147.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	156.3	151.9	151.5	153.2	153.2	149.4	144.6	151.9	164.1	168.4	156.7	146.3	154.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	147.0	146.7	145.7	144.2	143.8	139.7	141.6	140.4	138.8	143.2	142.6	138.5	142.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	196.3	195.0	195.0	196.3	193.0	190.6	186.9	189.3	186.9	186.9	185.9	177.5	189.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	205.5	201.0	204.0	197.5	200.5	202.0	203.5	200.5	200.0	203.0	200.0	196.0	201.0
Hens.....	do.....	183.2	183.7	187.1	181.2	179.7	168.8	166.8	164.4	170.8	180.7	178.7	182.2	177.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	186.3	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	177.5
Butter.....	Pound..	151.6	149.6	151.6	152.4	141.4	137.1	135.6	132.6	134.3	140.1	142.1	145.4	142.9
Cheese.....	do.....	149.2	147.6	146.0	146.0	145.2	145.2	144.8	144.8	147.2	148.4	151.6	152.8	147.6
Lard.....	do.....	131.2	124.0	121.4	118.8	118.2	118.8	122.1	123.4	127.9	128.1	126.9	124.7	124.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	178.8	127.4	113.4	112.0	110.3	113.4	125.7	139.0	162.3	186.0	195.2	203.8	147.3
Bread.....	Pound..	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1
Flour.....	do.....	183.3	180.6	180.6	180.6	175.0	180.6	180.6	180.6	180.6	180.6	177.8	177.8	180.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	156.0	152.0	143.0	140.0	144.0	143.0	156.0	156.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	156.0
Rice.....	do.....	122.1	122.1	114.0	119.8	117.4	122.1	122.1	119.8	114.0	116.3	115.1	1108.1	117.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	218.2	218.2	213.6	231.8	250.0	390.9	245.5	200.0	190.9	186.4	186.4	181.8	227.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	140.4	138.6	136.8	135.1	133.3	135.1	136.8	133.3	135.1	135.1	135.1	131.6	135.1
Tea.....	do.....	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	173.5	173.5	173.5	171.0	172.2	171.8	172.2	174.0
Coffee.....	do.....	160.9	160.9	160.3	156.9	155.6	153.8	155.0	155.0	151.6	150.6	150.6	151.9	155.3
Index number of 43 weighted article ¹		163.9	158.9	157.5	158.1	157.9	164.5	158.4	157.0	159.1	161.8	160.8	160.0	159.9

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES,
1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

BALTIMORE, MD.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	166.5	167.8	170.4	171.7	175.2	176.1	175.7	174.8	174.8	168.7	165.2	164.3	170.9
Round steak.....	do.....	160.9	164.2	163.7	165.1	169.3	169.8	170.2	171.2	170.7	167.9	162.8	161.4	166.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	163.4	165.0	163.4	163.9	164.5	165.6	167.8	166.7	165.0	163.4	162.8	161.7	164.5
Chuck roast.....	do.....	138.5	137.8	139.1	139.1	141.0	141.0	141.1	140.4	141.7	141.0	138.5	137.8	139.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	118.5	118.5	121.8	119.4	116.1	121.0	120.2	118.5	121.8	122.6	120.2	121.0	120.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	188.5	189.5	199.5	200.0	206.8	218.3	212.0	204.2	226.7	208.9	203.1	187.4	203.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	184.0	184.8	185.7	189.6	196.1	205.2	203.0	203.5	203.5	203.0	197.8	189.2	195.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	185.2	187.5	189.2	193.8	193.8	200.0	205.2	204.3	202.6	199.7	196.4	191.1	195.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	215.2	211.4	209.8	212.0	230.4	237.0	224.5	217.9	218.5	208.7	202.7	201.6	215.8
Hens.....	do.....	186.9	188.3	194.4	200.9	202.8	196.7	196.7	192.5	185.0	179.8	180.3	177.5	190.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	147.7	147.7	147.7	147.7	147.7	147.7	147.7	147.7	147.7	159.1	159.1	159.1	151.1
Butter.....	Pound..	152.1	149.1	146.1	140.6	136.5	139.3	138.0	138.3	141.8	145.8	150.9	160.7	144.8
Cheese.....	do.....	159.6	161.4	157.9	153.1	150.9	149.6	148.7	148.7	147.4	151.8	155.3	155.7	153.5
Lard.....	do.....	140.0	140.0	137.2	135.2	135.9	147.6	149.7	148.3	144.1	140.0	135.2	126.2	140.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	178.8	145.4	116.9	118.9	119.9	128.1	128.1	132.5	156.6	181.5	219.5	215.9	153.6
Bread.....	Pound..	174.1	181.5	181.5	181.5	181.5	181.5	179.6	179.6	181.5	181.5	181.5	181.5	181.5
Flour.....	do.....	184.4	184.4	187.5	181.3	181.3	181.3	181.3	181.3	171.9	165.6	165.6	165.6	178.1
Corn meal.....	do.....	160.0	160.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	160.0	152.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0
Rice.....	do.....	120.0	117.8	117.8	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	118.9	118.9	115.6	114.4	114.4	118.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	338.9	338.9	327.8	372.2	383.3	300.0	194.4	222.2	227.8	227.8	233.3	238.9	283.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	128.6	132.7	132.7	132.7	132.7	132.7	132.7	128.6
Tea.....	do.....	130.4	130.7	133.0	133.2	133.2	133.3	133.6	134.1	133.6	132.5	131.8	131.3	132.7
Coffee.....	do.....	194.4	190.4	192.0	191.6	191.6	192.0	192.4	191.6	192.8	191.2	190.4	190.8	191.6
Index number of 43 weighted articles 1.....		170.2	168.5	166.7	168.5	169.5	168.0	162.9	163.4	165.8	167.3	169.5	168.8	167.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	161.3	166.1	164.8	172.6	178.3	178.3	180.4	180.4	180.0	179.6	177.0	180.4	174.8
Round steak.....	do.....	160.9	163.3	164.2	169.8	172.6	173.0	174.4	179.1	177.2	174.9	176.3	178.1	172.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	159.6	161.2	161.2	168.3	169.4	168.9	172.7	172.7	170.5	172.1	174.3	177.6	168.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	135.9	137.2	140.4	145.5	148.7	148.1	150.6	150.0	148.1	150.0	154.5	157.7	147.4
Plate beef.....	do.....	117.7	118.5	121.8	124.2	127.4	125.8	125.0	125.8	125.8	131.5	133.9	141.1	126.6
Pork chops.....	do.....	186.4	183.8	184.8	192.7	188.0	178.5	177.9	197.4	206.3	213.1	170.2	159.7	186.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	186.6	185.7	185.3	186.1	181.4	182.3	186.1	184.8	182.3	180.5	182.3	173.2	183.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	191.1	190.8	188.9	189.8	186.6	186.6	189.2	189.2	185.2	187.2	183.6	176.4	187.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	198.9	198.9	206.0	217.9	221.2	225.5	216.8	211.4	205.4	207.6	206.0	204.9	210.3
Hens.....	do.....	186.9	190.1	189.2	186.4	186.4	175.1	175.1	174.2	174.6	176.5	178.9	177.5	180.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1
Butter.....	Pound..	161.0	158.2	160.7	159.9	149.6	142.1	139.8	140.1	144.3	151.9	153.7	157.4	151.6
Cheese.....	do.....	158.8	155.3	154.4	153.1	153.9	153.5	153.9	155.7	159.6	161.4	162.3	163.6	157.0
Lard.....	do.....	124.8	120.7	120.7	117.9	114.5	116.6	117.9	122.1	123.4	128.3	127.6	124.8	121.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	194.7	145.7	111.9	101.0	100.3	100.3	107.9	120.5	143.4	176.5	204.6	198.7	142.1
Bread.....	Pound..	181.5	181.5	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	181.5	181.5	183.3
Flour.....	do.....	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	165.6	165.6	165.6	162.5	165.6	159.4	159.4	162.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	160.0	156.0	160.0	160.0	156.0	164.0	160.0	164.0	168.0	168.0	168.0	164.0	164.0
Rice.....	do.....	108.9	106.7	105.6	105.6	105.6	105.6	107.8	108.9	106.7	105.6	105.6	106.7	106.7
Potatoes.....	do.....	238.9	216.7	205.6	200.0	272.2	311.1	188.9	166.7	172.2	172.2	166.7	161.1	205.6
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	134.7	136.7	132.7	128.6	132.7	132.7	136.7	130.6	130.6	130.6	132.7	130.6	132.7
Tea.....	do.....	130.4	131.3	131.1	130.7	130.4	130.4	131.1	130.5	131.4	131.1	130.4	127.9	130.5
Coffee.....	do.....	185.5	183.5	178.7	174.7	174.7	173.9	173.1	171.5	171.5	172.7	175.9	177.5	176.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles 1.....		166.8	161.9	159.0	158.7	162.2	162.3	156.5	157.3	159.2	163.5	163.3	162.3	161.1

1 For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	147.6	147.6	146.5	148.0	148.7	150.6	152.4	152.4	151.3	151.3	151.3	152.8	150.2
Round steak	do	157.7	157.7	157.7	158.6	158.6	159.5	162.3	161.4	161.4	162.7	160.5	162.7	160.0
Rib roast	do	142.0	141.0	139.5	136.5	139.0	142.5	144.0	145.5	141.5	139.0	141.0	144.0	141.0
Chuck roast	do	138.4	136.6	137.8	136.6	139.0	141.5	139.0	137.8	139.6	142.1	140.2	139.6	139.0
Plate beef	do	134.0	135.0	131.1	142.7	150.5	137.9	140.8	137.9	135.0	143.7	138.8	135.9	138.8
Pork chops	do	173.7	176.6	174.6	173.2	181.3	185.6	191.4	187.1	188.5	192.8	186.1	176.6	182.3
Bacon, sliced	do	146.1	144.9	144.6	143.4	146.1	152.1	152.7	152.7	151.5	150.9	152.1	145.8	148.5
Ham, sliced	do	172.5	173.1	173.1	171.5	179.6	189.0	190.6	192.6	194.2	191.9	186.4	184.5	183.2
Lamb, leg of	do	177.9	170.5	171.4	167.3	175.6	179.7	177.9	177.9	177.4	174.7	178.8	177.9	175.6
Hens	do	192.5	194.6	193.5	194.1	202.2	200.5	195.2	200.5	197.8	202.2	203.2	197.8	197.8
Milk, fresh	Quart	186.3	193.1	196.1	196.1	196.1	196.1	196.1	196.1	196.1	176.5	176.5	176.5	189.2
Butter	Pound	145.8	142.7	141.5	137.2	134.5	135.7	135.5	134.5	135.3	136.7	139.1	145.3	138.6
Cheese	do	168.6	166.8	163.7	158.4	155.3	156.2	156.2	157.5	157.5	164.2	164.2	165.0	161.1
Lard	do	146.8	144.9	144.2	141.0	142.9	153.8	152.6	146.2	147.4	144.2	140.4	136.5	144.9
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	188.2	136.3	119.0	124.8	127.1	130.7	138.2	138.2	153.9	169.3	181.7	179.0	150.7
Bread	Pound	190.7	190.7	190.7	190.7	188.9	188.9	190.7	190.7	192.6	190.7	190.7	190.7	190.7
Flour	do	191.9	194.6	197.3	194.6	197.3	194.6	189.2	186.5	186.5	183.8	183.8	183.8	189.2
Corn meal	do	187.0	187.0	178.3	178.3	182.6	178.3	182.6	178.3	182.6	182.6	182.6	178.3	182.6
Rice	do	147.6	150.0	147.6	148.8	147.6	148.8	143.9	143.9	142.7	141.5	140.2	137.8	143.9
Potatoes	do	319.0	319.0	323.8	352.4	366.7	281.0	285.7	266.7	257.1	257.1	252.4	252.4	295.2
Sugar, granulated	do	135.2	135.2	131.5	131.5	133.3	137.0	137.0	137.0	138.9	138.9	140.7	142.6	137.0
Tea	do	150.7	151.5	151.5	154.0	155.8	156.9	159.1	157.6	156.6	157.1	157.1	157.3	155.5
Coffee	do	209.7	209.3	209.3	210.9	210.5	210.1	208.9	210.1	210.5	210.5	209.3	208.9	209.7
Index number of 43 weighted articles		171.7	168.9	167.5	168.7	169.9	167.3	168.0	166.5	166.1	166.9	167.0	167.8	168.1

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	154.6	155.0	153.9	153.9	153.5	154.6	157.6	156.9	156.5	158.0	158.0	158.0	155.8
Round steak	do	161.4	165.5	162.3	160.9	161.8	161.8	166.8	165.0	166.4	168.2	167.3	167.3	164.5
Rib roast	do	143.5	144.0	142.5	144.5	145.5	149.5	149.5	155.5	149.0	151.0	152.0	152.0	148.0
Chuck roast	do	137.8	139.0	141.5	137.8	140.9	148.8	145.7	145.1	146.3	142.1	143.3	142.1	142.7
Plate beef	do	142.7	142.7	145.6	140.8	142.7	145.6	150.5	154.4	137.9	148.5	149.5	148.5	145.6
Pork chops	do	175.1	170.3	170.3	171.3	167.5	187.4	161.2	167.0	176.6	182.8	176.1	164.6	169.9
Bacon, sliced	do	145.8	145.5	143.1	142.5	141.0	141.0	161.4	143.7	140.7	138.9	140.4	135.6	141.6
Ham, sliced	do	182.2	182.5	179.9	179.0	179.0	177.0	178.0	178.0	179.0	179.0	174.1	171.5	178.3
Lamb, leg of	do	181.1	177.9	184.3	184.3	190.3	186.2	194.0	194.5	191.7	196.3	188.5	188.5	188.0
Hens	do	198.9	197.3	197.8	189.8	189.8	179.6	180.1	178.5	169.9	183.9	169.9	180.1	185.5
Milk, fresh	Quart	176.5	166.7	166.7	166.7	159.8	159.8	159.8	159.8	163.7	163.7	163.7	179.4	164.7
Butter	Pound	148.0	147.7	148.9	147.7	138.4	134.5	136.2	132.1	134.8	139.1	141.1	241.5	140.8
Cheese	do	166.4	165.5	162.8	160.2	158.8	161.5	160.2	161.5	162.4	173.5	172.1	175.2	165.0
Lard	do	135.3	128.8	131.4	130.8	127.6	125.6	125.6	123.7	121.2	126.9	125.6	121.2	126.9
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	177.5	140.5	107.8	107.8	104.9	106.2	116.0	122.5	140.2	157.2	175.8	187.3	136.9
Bread	Pound	192.6	192.6	192.6	192.6	192.6	192.6	192.6	190.7	190.7	190.7	190.7	192.6	192.6
Flour	do	183.8	183.8	181.1	181.1	178.4	178.4	178.4	181.1	181.1	181.1	181.1	178.4	181.1
Corn meal	do	178.3	173.9	173.9	169.9	173.9	173.9	182.6	187.0	182.6	182.6	182.6	182.6	178.3
Rice	do	135.4	130.5	131.7	131.7	128.0	128.0	134.1	131.7	125.6	130.5	128.0	126.8	130.5
Potatoes	do	247.6	238.1	242.9	247.6	281.0	300.0	261.9	238.1	228.6	223.8	214.3	209.5	242.9
Sugar, granulated	do	146.3	146.3	146.3	146.3	146.3	146.3	144.4	144.4	144.4	142.6	144.4	138.9	144.4
Tea	do	157.3	156.9	156.9	156.9	156.9	156.9	156.0	157.1	156.6	160.7	156.9	161.2	157.6
Coffee	do	208.5	205.8	205.8	207.0	204.3	202.3	200.8	200.0	199.2	198.4	197.3	198.1	202.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles		166.7	162.6	160.2	160.0	159.6	159.7	159.8	158.7	159.4	161.4	161.9	162.7	161.0

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued**BOSTON, MASS.**

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	184.4	181.6	179.0	184.1	184.1	186.1	187.0	185.3	189.8	185.0	183.3	182.2	184.4
Round steak	do.	152.8	146.1	142.9	143.4	149.9	150.1	150.1	149.0	154.2	150.7	144.9	144.3	148.7
Rib roast	do.	162.4	158.8	156.3	157.1	159.2	161.2	161.6	159.2	160.0	158.8	154.7	154.3	158.8
Chuck roast	do.	160.0	149.7	150.9	154.9	156.0	156.6	159.4	157.1	161.1	161.1	162.9	162.9	157.7
Plate beef	do.													
Pork chops	do.	170.4	163.5	169.6	177.4	189.6	195.7	193.0	191.3	197.8	203.0	181.7	173.0	183.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	188.1	184.5	184.5	185.7	186.5	196.0	198.0	197.2	198.0	192.9	195.2	194.8	191.7
Ham, sliced	do.	186.7	184.8	186.4	189.6	195.1	213.6	214.6	214.2	214.6	212.3	204.9	200.0	201.3
Lamb, leg of	do.	184.6	180.5	170.1	176.0	0191.4	210.9	192.3	184.2	186.0	178.7	174.7	176.0	183.7
Hens	do.	168.5	170.6	170.6	177.0	182.3	179.0	171.4	166.9	167.7	167.3	163.7	163.7	170.6
Milk, fresh	Quart.	167.4	167.4	167.4	167.4	167.4	156.5	2167.4	167.4	167.4	167.4	169.7	171.9	167.4
Butter	Pound	152.0	148.8	144.6	137.5	132.5	135.4	134.8	135.9	138.5	141.7	145.9	152.5	141.7
Cheese	do.	176.1	175.7	174.3	172.6	165.5	164.2	161.9	163.3	165.0	166.4	169.0	169.5	168.6
Lard	do.	141.8	142.4	137.3	136.1	132.9	144.9	146.2	143.0	140.5	134.8	131.6	127.8	138.6
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	155.6	141.8	124.1	119.4	122.9	129.3	135.9	151.8	168.6	181.3	223.2	200.9	154.6
Bread	Pound	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2
Flour	do.	186.5	189.2	183.8	181.1	178.4	175.7	175.7	173.0	170.3	167.6	162.2	162.2	175.7
Corn meal	do.	188.6	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	174.3	185.7	185.7	185.7	177.1	177.1	177.1	182.9
Rice	do.	135.5	134.4	134.4	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	129.0	130.1	131.2	2125.8	123.7	130.1
Potatoes	do.	358.8	947.7	1347.1	452.9	923.5	264.7	228.4	211.8	8200.0	203.9	229.4	235.3	282.4
Sugar, granulated	do.	122.2	122.2	120.4	118.5	124.1	125.9	124.1	125.9	125.9	129.6	131.5	135.2	125.9
Tea	do.	132.1	129.0	127.1	126.8	128.5	129.5	127.4	127.0	180.6	181.7	181.7	181.7	128.0
Coffee	do.	169.7	169.9	169.9	168.5	167.9	169.9	168.2	166.4	167.3	167.7	167.0	167.6	168.2
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		166.4	163.6	161.2	165.5	160.4	158.4	158.3	158.1	159.4	160.8	165.2	163.8	161.7

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	182.4	183.3	185.8	192.4	190.7	193.8	198.9	194.9	202.8	203.1	201.4	210.8	194.9
Round steak	do.	145.8	146.1	146.9	156.6	156.9	158.3	161.2	162.4	164.7	163.0	162.1	161.2	157.1
Rib roast	do.	154.7	155.5	154.3	160.0	160.8	160.4	162.0	162.9	166.9	165.7	168.6	169.8	161.6
Chuck roast	do.	165.1	163.4	158.3	164.6	170.3	168.0	176.0	166.9	174.3	173.7	175.4	182.9	169.7
Plate beef	do.													
Pork chops	do.	167.0	163.5	170.0	170.9	168.3	157.4	155.2	177.8	194.8	205.7	172.2	150.4	171.3
Bacon, sliced	do.	194.0	190.1	187.3	189.3	186.1	181.0	177.4	177.0	180.6	181.7	181.7	177.8	183.7
Ham, sliced	do.	203.2	197.7	197.7	198.7	196.8	195.1	192.9	191.3	190.3	191.8	190.6	187.4	194.5
Lamb, leg of	do.	174.7	173.3	178.3	188.2	193.7	193.7	190.4	182.4	180.1	175.1	177.8	172.4	181.9
Hens	do.	165.3	165.7	161.3	165.7	167.7	161.3	154.4	153.5	157.3	160.9	157.7	156.9	160.9
Milk, fresh	Quart.	160.7	160.7	161.8	161.8	161.8	161.8	160.7	168.5	174.2	174.2	174.2	185.4	167.4
Butter	Pound	156.2	159.1	160.9	159.4	151.5	144.9	143.5	137.7	143.3	143.8	150.7	154.6	151.2
Cheese	do.	170.4	168.6	169.0	170.4	167.3	168.1	170.8	170.8	172.1	173.5	173.0	179.6	171.2
Lard	do.	131.6	128.5	125.9	122.2	122.8	119.6	119.6	120.9	123.4	125.9	122.8	120.3	123.4
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	166.7	147.8	124.8	114.7	112.1	112.8	127.7	147.5	161.7	188.7	201.2	193.1	149.9
Bread	Pound	152.5	150.8	149.2	145.8	145.8	144.1	144.1	144.1	144.1	144.1	144.1	143.8	145.8
Flour	do.	164.9	164.9	164.9	162.2	164.9	164.9	167.6	164.9	164.9	162.2	159.5	159.5	164.9
Corn meal	do.	182.9	177.1	185.7	188.6	185.7	188.6	188.6	191.4	191.4	191.4	182.9	191.4	185.6
Rice	do.	132.3	132.3	129.0	125.8	125.8	128.0	129.0	129.0	129.0	131.2	2130.1	130.1	129.0
Potatoes	do.	235.3	217.6	194.1	200.0	247.1	311.8	217.6	176.5	188.2	176.5	176.5	176.5	211.8
Sugar, granulated	do.	138.9	138.9	137.0	135.2	137.0	137.0	137.0	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	131.5	135.2
Tea	do.	130.7	128.2	129.0	129.9	129.0	128.2	127.0	127.8	124.4	124.4	125.4	123.5	125.9
Coffee	do.	169.4	167.0	165.5	166.7	160.9	159.7	158.2	157.6	154.8	156.7	156.1	160.0	160.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		160.2	157.4	154.1	154.1	156.2	157.4	153.8	153.7	157.5	160.3	160.7	161.6	157.3

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

BUFFALO, N. Y.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	181.6	178.0	177.1	178.0	183.0	184.3	188.8	190.1	187.0	183.4	179.4	177.6	182.5
Round steak.....	do.....	180.4	172.7	170.1	171.6	176.3	179.4	182.5	183.0	184.0	178.4	174.2	176.3	177.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	144.1	174.1	174.1	175.3	177.1	178.2	178.2	181.2	178.8	180.0	178.8	179.4	177.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	179.7	147.1	149.0	149.7	149.7	152.3	152.9	152.3	152.9	154.9	154.9	156.2	151.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	121.7	124.3	124.3	125.2	124.3	121.7	117.4	116.5	122.6	125.2	126.1	127.8	123.5
Pork chops.....	do.....	197.0	189.2	199.0	206.4	209.4	221.2	221.2	213.3	224.6	222.7	205.4	193.6	208.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	204.1	200.9	201.4	202.3	205.4	215.8	219.0	219.0	217.6	212.7	212.2	207.7	210.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	196.6	199.2	201.1	203.8	211.5	229.8	228.2	227.9	226.3	226.3	216.8	214.9	215.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	213.6	212.4	207.7	202.4	215.4	234.3	222.5	210.1	204.7	201.2	194.1	192.9	209.5
Hens.....	do.....	198.6	194.3	197.6	198.6	197.6	197.6	191.9	182.5	179.6	181.5	179.6	182.0	190.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	165.0	165.0	165.0	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	163.8
Butter.....	Pound..	152.0	148.2	145.0	138.0	133.2	134.2	139.6	134.8	141.8	148.0	155.3	169.3	145.0
Cheese.....	do.....	185.4	187.3	187.8	185.9	182.9	179.0	178.5	179.0	178.0	181.5	183.4	183.4	182.9
Lard.....	do.....	147.6	146.9	144.1	142.7	141.3	149.7	153.1	151.7	147.6	146.2	142.7	138.5	146.2
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	173.9	147.7	135.3	125.8	125.5	125.8	130.7	130.7	161.7	183.9	209.7	210.6	155.6
Bread.....	Pound..	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	158.9	158.9	158.9	158.9	158.9	157.1	168.9
Flour.....	do.....	193.3	193.3	193.3	186.7	186.7	186.7	186.7	190.0	176.7	170.0	170.0	170.0	183.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	203.8	207.7	207.7	207.7	211.5	211.5	207.7	207.7	200.0	200.0	203.8	196.2	203.8
Rice.....	do.....	123.7	124.7	123.7	123.7	122.6	123.7	124.7	123.7	123.7	123.7	121.5	120.4	123.7
Potatoes.....	do.....	335.3	335.3	335.3	340.6	364.7	317.2	211.8	212.7	212.7	212.7	205.9	241.2	288.2
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	118.5	120.4	118.5	114.8	116.7	122.2	122.2	124.1	124.1	127.8	129.0	131.5	122.2
Tea.....	do.....	153.8	155.1	155.1	154.4	159.8	160.9	158.2	159.3	153.1	155.8	156.7	155.1	156.9
Coffee.....	do.....	170.3	170.0	170.3	167.9	166.2	169.6	166.6	167.2	167.6	167.6	165.5	166.2	167.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		171.1	168.2	167.5	169.3	167.2	166.3	161.0	160.5	162.5	164.4	168.5	169.1	166.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	181.2	181.6	182.5	185.7	185.2	190.6	195.1	197.8	197.3	195.5	190.6	193.7	189.7
Round steak.....	do.....	175.3	177.3	178.4	180.9	183.0	185.6	190.7	193.3	192.8	191.8	187.1	190.2	185.6
Rib roast.....	do.....	182.4	180.6	178.8	184.7	182.4	188.8	185.3	188.2	187.6	190.0	187.1	192.4	185.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	157.5	156.2	156.9	158.2	158.8	158.2	158.8	162.1	164.7	166.0	165.4	169.9	160.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	123.5	125.2	126.1	127.0	124.3	122.6	121.7	123.5	130.4	130.4	135.7	141.7	127.8
Pork chops.....	do.....	189.7	183.3	189.2	193.6	192.1	182.8	181.3	208.4	226.1	227.1	189.7	169.0	194.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	206.3	204.1	201.4	200.9	197.7	196.4	189.1	191.0	190.0	193.2	186.4	182.4	195.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	214.9	207.6	210.3	208.8	206.5	204.6	202.7	202.3	200.0	192.7	187.0	184.0	201.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	195.9	195.3	204.7	218.3	220.7	219.5	213.0	205.9	200.6	196.4	193.5	195.9	204.7
Hens.....	do.....	192.4	190.5	192.4	192.4	190.5	180.6	173.9	173.0	171.1	175.8	173.5	177.7	182.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5
Butter.....	Pound..	159.8	161.2	160.4	159.6	145.0	147.2	138.5	138.0	145.8	152.3	155.5	161.5	151.5
Cheese.....	do.....	185.4	184.9	187.8	187.3	187.3	190.2	189.3	185.4	188.8	189.8	188.8	191.2	187.8
Lard.....	do.....	131.5	126.6	127.3	126.6	124.5	123.1	123.1	123.8	128.0	133.6	132.9	130.1	127.3
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	180.5	148.0	113.1	105.2	103.3	101.2	110.3	131.0	155.3	178.7	206.1	193.9	143.8
Bread.....	Pound..	158.9	155.4	155.4	155.4	155.4	151.8	155.4	155.4	155.4	155.4	155.4	155.4	155.4
Flour.....	do.....	170.0	166.7	166.7	163.3	163.3	170.0	170.0	170.0	166.7	160.0	160.0	160.0	166.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	196.2	192.3	192.3	192.3	196.2	196.2	196.2	196.2	200.0	180.8	196.2	200.0	196.2
Rice.....	do.....	115.1	111.8	112.9	112.9	110.8	108.6	110.8	109.7	108.6	110.8	107.5	106.5	110.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	235.3	205.9	182.4	176.5	252.9	329.4	200.0	151.8	157.8	158.8	170.9	164.7	220.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	135.2	135.2	133.3	129.6	131.5	133.3	131.5	127.8	127.8	127.8	125.9	125.9	129.6
Tea.....	do.....	155.1	158.4	156.2	155.1	151.8	149.3	148.0	150.2	149.1	150.9	152.2	153.3	152.4
Coffee.....	do.....	164.2	164.8	162.5	161.1	159.0	159.4	156.7	154.9	155.6	154.9	155.3	156.0	158.7
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		165.7	160.8	156.5	156.0	159.6	162.0	154.6	154.6	157.2	160.2	161.8	161.1	159.5

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

CHARLESTON, S. C.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	149.8	152.1	152.1	159.0	153.9	159.0	154.4	154.4	152.1	153.5	150.7	150.7	153.5
Round steak	do	149.5	149.5	154.4	152.9	151.5	154.4	156.9	149.5	149.5	147.1	147.1	147.1	151.0
Rib roast	do	133.7	136.1	133.7	134.7	136.1	133.7	136.1	137.1	133.7	127.2	123.3	123.8	132.7
Chuck roast	do	133.8	137.1	137.1	140.4	135.1	135.8	135.8	137.1	124.5	126.5	129.1	128.5	133.1
Plate beef	do	124.6	128.8	128.8	130.5	126.3	128.8	126.3	119.5	118.6	118.6	120.3	120.3	124.6
Pork chops	do	148.1	146.0	147.7	149.8	158.7	165.5	169.8	166.8	159.6	165.1	163.8	151.5	157.9
Bacon, sliced	do	169.3	170.0	166.9	168.1	170.0	178.2	184.4	183.3	180.9	176.7	175.1	171.2	174.7
Ham, sliced	do	175.3	177.5	175.3	182.9	188.7	196.7	206.9	209.1	203.3	206.5	199.3	188.0	192.4
Lamb, leg of	do	195.0	195.0	191.3	195.0	195.0	195.0	203.2	196.8	193.1	192.2	189.4	183.5	193.6
Hens	do	167.7	175.1	179.7	188.0	194.9	202.8	192.6	184.8	188.5	181.6	183.4	177.0	184.8
Milk, fresh	Quart	152.5	152.5	152.5	152.5	152.5	152.5	152.5	152.5	152.5	152.5	161.0	161.0	154.2
Butter	Pound	149.5	146.0	144.4	137.8	130.7	130.4	130.4	130.4	130.4	138.4	138.6	149.5	138.1
Cheese	do	169.9	171.8	168.9	163.1	153.9	153.4	153.9	153.4	161.2	164.6	169.4	169.9	162.6
Lard	do	150.7	155.3	157.3	157.3	152.7	160.0	160.0	160.7	158.0	147.3	142.0	139.3	153.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	182.9	146.7	131.4	133.3	125.7	138.4	155.6	147.0	170.2	180.0	204.1	211.7	160.6
Bread	Pound	177.0	177.0	175.4	177.0	170.5	170.5	170.5	167.2	167.2	167.2	167.2	167.2	170.5
Flour	do	202.7	200.0	200.0	200.0	197.3	197.3	197.3	194.6	186.5	189.2	191.9	191.9	194.6
Corn meal	do	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	162.5	166.7	166.7	170.8	166.7	162.5	162.5	162.5	166.7
Rice	do	172.7	174.5	176.4	174.5	172.7	172.7	178.2	178.2	172.7	163.6	150.9	152.7	170.9
Potatoes	do	309.1	304.5	304.5	359.1	327.3	395.5	150.2	172.7	200.0	186.4	195.5	200.0	240.9
Sugar, granulated	do	127.5	127.5	123.5	122.6	121.6	125.5	125.5	129.4	127.5	133.3	131.4	135.3	127.5
Tea	do	150.6	150.6	150.6	153.4	153.4	153.4	148.0	148.8	147.8	149.8	149.8	147.8	150.4
Coffee	do	175.3	175.3	176.0	175.3	177.9	177.9	175.3	175.3	177.2	179.8	176.8	176.8	176.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles		169.2	166.7	165.2	168.7	165.4	161.1	160.4	160.1	161.7	162.0	163.8	163.9	163.9

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	148.8	150.7	153.0	155.3	156.7	153.5	152.1	153.9	153.5	148.8	150.7	149.8	152.1
Round steak	do	147.1	147.1	150.5	153.4	153.4	153.4	150.5	150.5	152.0	147.1	148.5	145.6	150.0
Rib roast	do	128.7	129.2	132.7	136.1	137.1	132.2	133.7	133.7	132.2	132.2	133.7	130.2	132.7
Chuck roast	do	133.1	135.1	135.8	145.0	142.4	139.1	133.8	138.4	137.7	137.7	134.4	134.4	137.1
Plate beef	do	122.9	124.6	127.1	123.7	123.7	123.7	127.1	126.3	122.9	120.3	123.7	123.7	124.6
Pork chops	do	151.5	147.7	149.8	151.1	151.1	152.8	146.0	147.7	147.7	144.7	141.3	136.2	147.2
Bacon, sliced	do	171.2	166.9	165.0	162.3	160.7	159.5	157.2	152.9	157.2	156.4	153.7	147.5	159.1
Ham, sliced	do	192.4	189.5	190.5	190.5	188.4	185.8	184.7	182.9	180.7	176.0	172.4	167.6	183.6
Lamb, leg of	do	186.2	186.7	192.2	195.0	195.0	189.4	186.2	183.5	182.6	180.7	178.0	180.7	186.2
Hens	do	176.0	174.2	175.6	177.4	176.5	173.3	169.1	161.8	164.5	163.6	163.6	163.6	170.0
Milk, fresh	Quart	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0
Butter	Pound	154.5	154.8	154.0	153.4	138.6	133.9	132.3	131.7	131.0	134.4	140.2	142.6	141.8
Cheese	do	175.2	176.7	174.3	168.4	166.0	163.1	160.2	163.1	167.0	172.8	176.7	180.1	170.4
Lard	do	144.0	140.0	138.0	135.3	133.3	133.3	137.3	137.3	137.3	131.3	142.0	138.0	137.3
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	169.5	134.0	107.3	106.0	103.2	101.9	113.3	127.0	153.0	180.0	181.0	181.9	138.1
Bread	Pound	183.6	180.3	180.3	180.3	180.3	178.7	178.7	178.7	178.7	178.7	178.7	178.7	180.3
Flour	do	189.2	186.5	186.5	186.5	183.8	186.5	186.5	186.5	183.8	181.1	186.5	183.8	186.5
Corn meal	do	158.3	162.5	162.5	162.5	158.3	162.5	162.5	166.7	166.7	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5
Rice	do	143.6	140.0	136.4	136.4	134.5	134.5	132.7	130.9	130.9	129.1	129.1	125.5	134.5
Potatoes	do	204.5	195.5	181.8	177.3	177.3	200.0	195.5	163.6	163.6	154.5	154.5	154.5	177.3
Sugar, granulated	do	139.2	139.2	137.3	131.4	133.3	137.3	137.3	131.4	133.3	131.4	131.4	131.4	135.3
Tea	do	153.8	153.8	153.8	153.8	153.8	153.8	164.8	164.8	164.8	164.8	164.8	164.8	159.4
Coffee	do	178.3	179.1	178.3	171.9	169.2	166.9	166.9	167.3	163.9	162.7	164.3	166.5	169.6
Index number of 43 weighted articles		163.5	159.7	156.9	156.6	154.9	155.1	155.5	154.1	155.8	156.0	156.6	155.9	156.9

1 For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

CHICAGO, ILL.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	190.1	190.1	186.6	188.8	187.1	188.8	189.2	191.8	193.1	196.6	195.7	194.8	190.9
Round steak	do.	171.8	172.8	170.8	176.2	176.7	175.7	178.2	178.2	182.7	186.1	183.7	182.2	177.7
1 lb roast	do.	177.9	176.4	171.8	172.8	175.4	174.9	177.9	178.5	183.1	187.7	187.7	186.2	179.0
Chuck roast	do.	161.0	163.6	161.0	161.7	161.7	162.3	159.7	159.7	164.9	163.8	167.5	168.2	163.6
Plate beef	do.	126.1	126.1	126.1	127.0	128.7	128.7	126.1	125.2	130.4	130.4	130.4	131.3	127.8
Pork chops	do.	177.9	175.8	184.7	194.2	204.7	207.9	208.9	200.0	225.8	226.3	201.6	192.1	200.0
Bacon, sliced	do.	164.2	166.1	166.1	165.5	169.9	173.4	175.9	174.4	175.3	178.2	176.3	174.1	171.5
Ham, sliced	do.	165.1	167.6	171.4	170.1	173.0	181.4	184.0	181.1	181.8	189.0	187.7	184.6	178.0
Lamb, leg of	do.	197.0	191.9	191.4	189.9	203.0	213.6	209.6	207.1	205.1	200.5	196.0	193.9	200.0
Hens	do.	202.1	207.3	213.5	217.1	215.5	208.3	203.6	195.9	196.4	194.3	188.6	194.8	203.1
Milk, fresh	Quart	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0
Butter	Pound	141.7	140.3	140.3	130.7	130.4	132.6	130.1	132.0	139.5	148.3	155.5	167.4	140.9
Cheese	do.	164.7	165.1	165.1	163.1	164.3	161.9	161.5	161.5	162.3	168.3	168.3	168.3	164.7
Lard	do.	149.0	145.6	149.6	141.6	139.6	145.6	149.7	147.7	147.0	149.0	144.3	140.3	145.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	180.8	149.7	141.1	142.8	142.1	145.2	146.6	151.4	172.9	195.2	222.9	228.8	168.2
Bread	Pound	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7
Flour	do.	210.7	210.7	207.1	200.0	196.4	200.0	200.0	196.4	192.9	192.9	192.9	189.3	200.0
Corn meal	do.	213.8	213.8	210.3	210.3	206.9	206.9	210.3	206.9	206.9	224.1	227.6	229.6	213.8
Rice	do.	129.2	132.6	132.6	131.5	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	130.3	136.0	133.7	132.6	132.6
Potatoes	do.	362.5	343.8	337.5	393.8	356.3	337.5	275.0	212.5	237.5	231.3	237.5	243.8	300.0
Sugar, granulated	do.	127.5	127.5	127.5	125.5	125.5	129.4	129.4	131.4	131.4	135.3	135.3	137.3	129.4
Tea	do.	133.7	136.9	136.1	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.7	135.6	138.0	138.5	137.6	135.4
Coffee	do.	169.2	170.5	170.8	169.2	169.5	168.9	168.2	168.2	167.9	166.6	167.2	166.9	168.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		174.1	171.6	171.1	173.5	171.7	171.6	167.8	163.8	168.0	171.6	173.0	174.0	171.1

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	194.4	192.7	193.1	192.7	194.0	191.8	198.3	202.2	203.4	206.9	206.0	211.6	199.1
Round steak	do.	180.2	178.2	178.2	177.2	177.7	178.2	184.7	188.1	189.6	191.6	192.1	193.6	184.2
Rib roast	do.	184.1	179.0	180.0	177.4	181.0	176.4	179.5	184.1	183.6	187.2	187.2	191.8	182.6
Chuck roast	do.	168.8	164.3	164.9	164.3	164.9	163.6	165.6	166.9	172.7	180.5	181.2	183.8	170.1
Plate beef	do.	132.2	132.2	132.2	131.3	131.3	130.4	132.2	130.4	133.9	139.1	139.1	141.7	133.9
Pork chops	do.	186.3	183.2	186.3	186.8	180.5	165.8	170.5	193.7	224.2	223.7	188.9	163.7	187.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	168.0	165.5	165.8	163.9	163.3	159.2	157.9	158.5	161.1	162.0	160.4	156.3	161.7
Ham, sliced	do.	184.3	183.0	181.1	178.9	178.3	175.8	169.8	171.1	171.4	171.7	168.9	167.9	175.2
Lamb, leg of	do.	190.4	187.4	193.9	207.6	213.1	211.1	198.5	197.5	194.4	191.9	190.4	190.4	197.5
Hens	do.	200.0	201.0	205.2	205.2	202.2	189.1	184.5	187.6	187.0	190.7	186.5	187.0	193.8
Milk, fresh	Quart	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0
Butter	Pound	159.7	160.8	161.3	159.4	143.1	139.0	138.4	139.0	145.6	150.0	155.2	162.4	151.1
Cheese	do.	167.9	167.5	166.7	166.3	167.1	167.1	164.7	166.7	166.7	168.7	172.2	173.8	167.9
Lard	do.	134.9	131.5	128.2	126.8	126.2	126.2	127.5	128.2	130.2	132.9	132.9	131.5	129.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	199.7	165.8	132.9	122.6	124.3	122.9	129.5	144.9	157.5	183.9	204.1	209.6	158.2
Bread	Pound	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.3
Flour	do.	189.3	189.3	182.1	178.6	185.7	189.3	189.3	185.7	182.1	182.1	175.0	175.0	182.1
Corn meal	do.	231.0	234.5	234.5	234.5	234.5	231.0	231.0	227.6	220.7	222.6	231.0	234.5	231.0
Rice	do.	130.3	128.1	129.2	129.2	131.5	124.7	124.7	125.8	121.8	120.2	119.1	119.1	125.8
Potatoes	do.	243.8	231.3	212.5	200.0	268.8	400.0	284.8	225.0	200.0	181.3	175.0	181.3	231.3
Sugar, granulated	do.	141.2	141.2	141.2	139.2	137.3	139.2	139.2	139.2	139.2	137.3	135.3	133.3	139.2
Tea	do.	136.7	136.9	134.4	135.2	134.8	135.7	137.4	136.1	133.8	132.0	133.0	132.2	134.8
Coffee	do.	167.5	163.9	162.3	159.7	155.4	158.0	157.4	157.0	154.4	151.8	153.1	154.1	158.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		171.5	167.9	164.5	162.8	166.6	172.6	164.7	163.8	164.8	166.1	165.8	166.6	166.4

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

CINCINNATI, OHIO

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	159.7	160.2	159.3	161.0	164.9	168.0	169.3	169.7	168.4	163.2	158.0	157.6	163.2
Round steak	do.	159.6	159.1	169.6	160.1	161.1	166.3	169.7	172.6	168.8	163.9	159.1	160.6	163.5
Rib roast	do.	155.5	158.6	156.0	155.5	155.5	156.0	159.2	161.3	161.3	161.3	160.7	158.1	158.1
Chuck roast	do.	136.2	136.8	136.8	140.1	141.4	140.1	145.4	142.1	144.1	145.4	142.1	142.1	140.8
Plate beef	do.	128.0	127.1	127.1	132.2	131.4	129.7	129.7	129.7	131.4	130.5	128.8	128.8	129.7
Pork chops	do.	168.4	163.6	173.8	173.8	188.3	197.1	193.7	184.0	203.3	204.4	168.4	156.3	181.1
Bacon, sliced	do.	166.1	174.9	177.7	177.7	177.7	184.1	186.5	184.5	185.3	186.1	181.3	176.9	180.1
Ham, sliced	do.	185.5	188.0	188.3	187.6	197.2	210.2	212.0	213.1	214.1	212.0	204.9	200.7	210.1
Lamb, leg of	do.	214.1	216.5	212.4	215.3	230.0	244.1	230.6	221.8	222.4	220.6	207.1	206.5	220.0
Hens	do.	167.9	166.2	175.2	183.5	185.0	172.2	168.8	150.1	159.0	159.0	153.0	154.3	166.2
Milk, fresh	Quart.	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	160.0
Butter	Pound	139.0	137.1	136.4	128.8	127.5	127.8	126.8	127.2	131.9	137.7	143.1	153.8	134.8
Cheese	do.	169.8	171.7	170.8	169.3	165.1	165.6	165.6	167.5	169.8	171.7	171.2	173.6	169.3
Lard	do.	141.8	143.3	137.6	134.8	137.6	153.2	149.6	149.6	147.5	141.8	137.6	131.2	141.8
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	176.3	141.4	115.8	122.3	125.9	127.7	123.8	137.4	168.0	187.4	236.0	229.5	157.9
Bread	Pound	191.7	191.7	191.7	189.6	189.6	191.7	191.7	191.7	191.7	191.7	191.7	187.5	191.7
Flour	do.	187.9	190.9	190.9	190.9	190.9	190.9	184.8	181.8	181.8	181.8	175.8	175.8	184.8
Corn meal	do.	155.6	155.6	151.9	151.9	151.9	151.9	144.4	148.1	144.4	144.4	144.4	144.4	148.1
Rice	do.	122.7	125.0	128.4	126.1	130.7	127.3	130.7	129.5	129.5	129.5	123.9	122.7	127.3
Potatoes	do.	333.3	337.8	327.8	355.6	361.1	300.0	272.2	288.9	288.9	233.3	222.2	227.8	288.9
Sugar, granulated	do.	128.3	128.3	126.4	126.4	128.3	130.2	132.1	132.1	132.1	135.8	137.7	139.6	132.1
Tea	do.	128.8	128.8	130.3	131.0	130.0	130.0	129.5	129.2	129.5	130.2	129.0	127.3	129.5
Coffee	do.	181.6	182.4	181.3	181.3	181.6	181.6	182.8	181.6	181.3	180.1	179.3	177.3	180.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		164.7	162.5	161.3	162.8	164.4	162.1	159.6	159.7	162.7	163.8	163.8	162.9	162.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	158.0	158.0	160.2	162.3	163.2	167.1	169.3	171.4	174.0	171.0	170.1	174.0	166.7
Round steak	do.	159.6	160.6	162.0	164.9	165.4	169.2	171.6	171.2	173.6	172.1	171.6	176.0	168.3
Rib roast	do.	160.2	161.3	161.3	163.9	164.4	163.4	165.4	162.8	162.8	165.4	166.0	170.7	163.9
Chuck roast	do.	147.4	147.4	148.7	152.0	152.0	151.3	152.0	148.7	150.0	152.0	153.9	157.9	151.3
Plate beef	do.	136.4	133.1	133.9	131.4	133.9	134.7	132.2	133.9	133.9	138.1	138.1	147.5	135.6
Pork chops	do.	163.6	161.2	166.5	167.5	165.5	146.6	158.7	181.6	195.6	200.0	157.8	130.6	166.5
Bacon, sliced	do.	172.5	169.3	169.3	166.1	164.9	164.5	160.9	162.9	161.8	161.4	159.8	155.8	164.1
Ham, sliced	do.	204.6	200.4	200.4	196.5	196.1	195.1	188.3	192.2	184.5	183.7	183.7	177.4	191.9
Lamb, leg of	do.	205.9	206.5	212.4	224.1	231.8	230.6	219.4	212.4	208.2	208.8	209.4	208.2	214.7
Hens	do.	163.2	170.1	176.1	180.3	171.8	163.7	162.0	151.7	143.2	146.6	149.6	157.3	161.1
Milk, fresh	Quart.	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3	166.3
Butter	Pound	151.4	154.3	155.3	154.0	136.9	132.2	129.4	128.6	132.7	140.5	144.4	152.5	142.6
Cheese	do.	176.4	177.8	173.1	168.9	171.7	171.2	170.8	171.7	176.4	184.4	190.6	191.5	176.9
Lard	do.	125.5	121.3	119.9	119.9	120.6	118.4	120.6	121.3	128.4	130.5	127.7	119.1	122.7
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	191.0	136.0	106.1	102.9	100.0	101.8	122.3	145.0	165.1	120.2	233.1	218.0	151.8
Bread	Pound	187.5	187.5	187.5	187.5	185.4	187.5	185.4	185.4	185.4	181.3	181.3	179.2	185.4
Flour	do.	178.8	175.8	175.8	172.7	172.7	172.7	175.8	175.8	175.8	175.8	169.7	166.7	172.7
Corn meal	do.	151.9	148.1	151.9	148.1	144.4	148.1	155.6	155.6	166.7	166.7	163.0	163.0	155.6
Rice	do.	119.3	114.8	115.9	115.9	113.6	117.0	111.4	112.5	110.2	115.9	113.6	111.4	114.8
Potatoes	do.	233.3	216.7	216.7	216.7	255.6	333.3	250.0	205.6	183.3	177.8	166.7	166.7	222.2
Sugar, granulated	do.	143.4	141.5	141.5	137.7	137.7	141.5	143.4	141.5	141.5	141.5	139.6	137.7	141.5
Tea	do.	129.2	129.2	128.3	127.5	126.7	125.8	125.8	125.8	125.8	130.7	131.8	131.8	128.2
Coffee	do.	177.3	178.5	172.3	169.9	166.0	166.4	167.6	166.4	166.0	168.0	172.3	174.6	170.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		160.3	156.2	154.8	154.9	156.5	164.0	155.5	154.4	155.1	158.0	157.6	156.3	157.0

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

CLEVELAND, OHIO

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	150.4	149.6	150.8	152.8	159.3	161.0	160.2	161.4	162.6	160.2	153.3	151.6	156.1
Round steak.....	do.....	142.9	142.9	142.9	145.6	152.5	156.2	155.3	155.3	156.7	153.9	148.8	144.2	149.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	141.6	143.7	142.1	144.7	147.4	148.9	151.1	146.3	146.8	143.2	143.7	142.6	145.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	133.7	132.5	132.5	136.1	140.4	142.2	138.6	136.7	138.0	133.7	138.0	139.2	136.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	113.4	116.0	116.0	116.0	115.1	116.8	114.3	106.7	109.2	114.3	111.8	112.6	113.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	175.2	170.5	177.6	187.1	202.9	211.0	202.4	195.7	214.8	208.1	185.2	2169.5	191.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	178.6	180.4	181.5	180.1	183.3	190.9	190.9	188.4	188.8	187.3	182.6	182.2	184.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	159.0	161.8	161.8	163.2	168.9	179.5	181.5	181.5	179.5	175.5	170.9	166.1	170.7
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	193.8	192.2	186.5	188.1	203.1	204.7	204.1	193.8	195.9	192.7	184.5	180.8	193.3
Hens.....	do.....	200.0	197.2	200.0	206.0	203.3	194.4	187.4	182.3	183.3	175.8	167.0	169.8	188.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	179.3	179.3	170.7	167.1	167.1	167.1	167.1	167.1	167.1	174.4	174.4	174.4	170.7
Butter.....	Pound..	141.2	138.6	139.9	129.9	131.1	131.6	130.1	132.3	140.2	146.5	150.5	163.4	139.6
Cheese.....	do.....	165.2	166.5	167.4	166.1	160.1	155.8	152.4	154.1	155.4	158.4	157.1	1163.5	160.1
Lard.....	do.....	140.5	138.7	139.3	138.0	138.0	143.6	145.4	145.4	144.8	142.3	136.8	133.7	140.5
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	161.8	133.2	117.5	116.3	116.0	118.4	121.6	137.6	162.7	189.2	213.4	4204.4	149.3
Bread.....	Pound..	147.3	147.3	147.3	145.5	145.5	143.6	145.5	145.5	143.6	143.6	143.6	143.6	145.5
Flour.....	do.....	187.5	193.8	190.6	190.6	190.6	193.8	190.6	190.6	187.5	181.3	178.1	1178.1	187.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	196.4	189.3	185.7	185.7	185.7	182.1	185.7	192.9	192.9	185.7	185.7	189.3	189.3
Rice.....	do.....	135.6	136.8	140.2	137.9	139.1	137.9	136.8	137.9	135.6	137.9	136.8	136.8	137.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	328.5	329.4	335.3	411.8	376.5	358.8	229.4	217.6	258.8	241.2	252.9	252.9	300.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	127.8	127.8	125.9	124.1	127.8	131.5	131.5	131.5	131.5	135.2	133.3	140.7	131.5
Tea.....	do.....	157.6	158.0	159.0	163.2	162.0	165.0	162.0	162.0	158.0	157.2	161.4	1158.8	160.4
Coffee.....	do.....	204.2	203.4	203.8	204.2	204.2	206.4	205.3	204.9	206.4	207.5	206.8	205.7	205.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		163.5	161.7	160.7	164.2	163.8	163.9	156.3	156.0	160.7	162.5	163.1	162.6	161.7

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	155.3	156.9	158.5	161.8	167.9	171.5	173.6	175.2	172.4	169.9	169.1	173.6	167.1
Round steak.....	do.....	149.3	150.7	153.0	155.8	162.7	167.7	169.6	169.1	167.3	164.5	163.6	167.3	161.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	145.8	147.4	152.1	153.2	155.3	155.3	157.9	158.4	159.5	156.3	151.6	156.3	154.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	138.0	139.8	141.0	147.0	148.8	148.2	149.4	148.8	150.0	150.6	151.2	156.0	147.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	117.6	115.1	114.3	118.5	120.2	121.0	118.5	119.3	121.0	127.7	126.1	1135.3	121.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	170.5	168.1	177.1	176.7	171.0	161.9	168.6	188.1	207.1	207.6	170.0	149.5	176.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	178.6	176.1	176.4	173.9	171.4	169.2	167.4	165.9	163.4	162.0	161.6	1158.3	168.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	164.7	164.7	163.5	165.5	162.4	159.0	154.7	153.3	151.9	151.9	149.6	147.6	157.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	182.9	181.3	190.2	202.1	204.1	206.7	206.7	199.5	193.8	188.6	185.5	182.4	193.8
Hens.....	do.....	184.7	181.4	184.2	191.6	182.8	171.6	169.8	168.4	163.3	166.0	162.8	164.2	174.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	174.4	174.4	167.1	167.1	167.1	167.1	170.7	170.7	170.7	170.7	170.7	170.7	170.7
Butter.....	Pound..	153.0	157.1	157.8	156.3	140.4	135.1	135.1	136.1	144.2	148.5	151.0	159.1	147.7
Cheese.....	do.....	163.9	163.5	166.1	163.9	165.2	167.4	164.8	166.1	164.8	169.1	170.8	170.0	166.5
Lard.....	do.....	131.3	127.0	127.6	126.4	125.8	122.7	123.9	124.5	126.4	128.2	128.8	128.2	127.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	172.3	132.4	105.8	102.6	102.3	98.3	112.0	128.0	153.9	176.7	193.6	189.5	139.1
Bread.....	Pound..	143.6	143.6	141.8	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0
Flour.....	do.....	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	175.0	175.0	178.1	175.0	175.0	171.9	171.9	175.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	192.9	189.3	192.9	192.9	192.9	189.3	200.0	203.6	200.0	196.4	196.4	192.9	196.4
Rice.....	do.....	133.3	132.2	128.7	126.4	131.0	129.9	127.6	129.9	125.3	126.4	123.0	123.0	127.6
Potatoes.....	do.....	258.8	247.1	229.4	223.5	300.0	332.4	235.3	188.2	200.0	188.2	182.4	182.4	235.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	144.4	144.4	144.4	140.7	142.6	140.7	138.9	138.9	137.0	140.7	140.7	138.9	140.7
Tea.....	do.....	159.2	164.4	163.2	163.6	163.6	159.4	163.2	163.2	163.6	162.4	162.4	162.4	162.6
Coffee.....	do.....	205.3	203.4	200.8	197.0	197.0	193.6	190.2	189.8	188.3	191.7	194.0	195.1	195.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		159.5	156.1	152.9	152.2	157.0	160.4	152.4	151.2	154.3	155.5	154.6	154.8	155.2

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

DALLAS, TEX.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	151.6	151.6	157.4	162.2	165.0	160.5	160.5	161.9	162.8	162.3	162.3	162.3	160.1
Round steak.....	do	150.5	152.0	156.4	159.3	158.3	159.3	160.3	159.3	161.8	161.3	161.3	161.3	158.3
Rib roast.....	do	136.4	136.9	145.1	142.1	146.7	144.1	141.5	142.6	140.5	142.6	136.4	141.5	141.5
Chuck roast.....	do	131.3	130.1	137.4	139.9	134.4	131.3	129.2	128.8	144.2	141.7	139.3	140.5	135.6
Plate beef.....	do	115.4	116.9	129.2	129.2	130.8	130.8	134.6	136.9	140.0	136.9	133.1	136.9	130.8
Pork chops.....	do	162.1	162.6	163.6	169.2	177.1	180.8	178.5	172.4	178.5	179.0	173.8	164.5	172.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do	122.6	121.8	125.3	121.8	116.0	134.6	136.4	128.2	132.2	122.6	123.4	117.6	125.3
Ham, sliced.....	do	181.4	179.7	182.6	184.9	190.7	205.1	205.1	200.0	203.2	201.9	190.7	190.7	192.9
Lamb, leg of.....	do	194.6	200.5	200.5	203.2	190.0	190.0	190.0	190.5	200.5	197.3	194.4	196.4	195.9
Hens.....	do	173.8	173.3	177.0	178.6	180.7	177.0	177.0	166.3	166.3	172.7	169.0	174.9	173.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart	145.6	145.6	145.6	119.4	119.4	119.4	116.5	116.5	116.5	116.5	126.2	126.2	126.2
Butter.....	Pound	145.1	141.9	140.6	134.4	127.3	128.9	128.9	131.3	137.5	133.1	145.1	150.6	137.5
Cheese.....	do	187.5	187.5	182.0	173.5	171.5	173.5	176.0	173.5	174.5	180.5	184.0	185.0	179.0
Lard.....	do	159.2	156.2	155.6	153.8	147.9	149.7	152.1	151.5	152.1	151.5	147.3	145.6	147.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen	189.8	123.2	110.6	119.7	117.6	123.6	131.3	138.4	159.5	169.0	193.0	197.2	142.1
Bread.....	Pound	159.3	157.4	157.4	157.4	175.9	175.9	177.8	177.8	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	170.4
Flour.....	do	181.8	181.8	181.8	184.8	181.8	175.8	175.8	172.7	169.7	166.7	169.7	166.7	175.8
Corn meal.....	do	162.1	158.6	148.3	151.7	155.2	148.3	144.8	151.7	155.2	151.7	144.8	144.8	151.7
Rice.....	do	140.9	141.9	139.8	138.7	138.7	140.9	139.8	139.6	138.7	134.4	133.3	134.4	138.7
Potatoes.....	do	286.4	277.3	286.4	313.6	318.2	272.7	259.1	240.9	240.9	240.9	236.4	231.8	286.2
Sugar, granulated.....	do	131.0	129.3	129.3	129.3	127.6	134.5	134.5	131.0	134.5	132.8	132.8	139.7	132.8
Tea.....	do	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.8	158.9	159.8	159.2	154.7	157.0	157.0	160.1	158.6	158.6
Coffee.....	do	162.4	162.7	162.9	164.0	163.2	163.5	164.9	164.9	164.3	164.3	162.9	162.9	163.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		160.2	154.7	154.5	154.4	155.5	154.3	153.6	152.4	145.5	156.1	157.4	157.5	155.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	159.6	161.4	164.6	165.9	166.4	167.3	170.9	169.1	165.5	170.0	169.5	168.2	166.4
Round steak.....	do	160.8	160.3	163.2	163.2	165.7	169.1	169.6	167.2	167.6	171.6	166.7	166.7	166.2
Rib roast.....	do	145.1	147.7	141.0	140.5	140.0	145.1	148.7	147.7	143.1	143.1	149.7	147.7	145.1
Chuck roast.....	do	139.9	141.1	138.0	137.4	135.6	142.9	144.2	145.4	146.6	144.2	147.2	149.1	142.9
Plate beef.....	do	130.0	133.8	137.7	137.7	134.6	139.2	140.8	136.2	142.3	142.3	146.2	146.2	139.2
Pork chops.....	do	166.4	163.1	167.3	167.3	167.3	165.4	167.3	166.4	174.8	182.7	170.6	170.6	169.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do	118.6	117.0	125.3	126.3	122.9	120.5	120.5	122.9	125.0	127.4	130.1	130.1	123.9
Ham, sliced.....	do	187.5	189.4	192.6	192.6	191.3	184.6	184.6	183.6	180.7	176.2	176.8	173.6	184.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do	200.0	200.0	203.6	210.0	200.5	200.5	210.0	203.6	196.4	199.5	195.9	200.0	201.8
Hens.....	do	179.1	174.3	174.3	175.4	170.1	168.4	169.5	164.2	164.2	169.5	171.7	175.9	171.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	106.8	106.8	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	123.3
Butter.....	Pound	148.4	146.1	146.1	142.7	131.5	128.4	131.0	130.7	135.7	144.3	147.7	149.7	140.1
Cheese.....	do	188.0	188.5	187.0	185.0	184.5	184.5	185.5	184.0	194.5	191.5	194.0	193.5	188.5
Lard.....	do	159.6	129.0	125.4	128.4	130.8	129.0	132.5	138.5	137.9	141.4	135.5	137.3	133.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen	165.8	122.2	98.2	101.4	97.5	96.1	107.7	124.3	151.4	162.7	171.8	198.6	133.1
Bread.....	Pound	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9
Flour.....	do	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	160.6	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7
Corn meal.....	do	144.8	148.3	148.3	144.8	148.3	151.7	155.2	153.6	155.2	155.2	155.2	158.6	151.7
Rice.....	do	128.0	133.3	122.6	126.9	126.9	128.0	126.6	124.7	125.8	132.1	123.0	126.9	126.9
Potatoes.....	do	231.8	236.4	231.8	240.9	281.8	295.5	268.2	254.5	227.3	218.2	222.7	227.3	245.5
Sugar, granulated.....	do	139.7	139.7	139.7	137.9	141.4	137.9	141.4	137.9	137.9	137.9	139.7	137.9	139.7
Tea.....	do	159.2	159.2	160.1	158.3	159.1	160.0	158.3	161.2	160.0	161.2	161.2	161.2	160.0
Coffee.....	do	164.3	164.3	162.7	160.5	158.3	158.3	157.2	154.5	155.6	155.6	155.6	157.5	158.6
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		155.4	152.6	151.5	151.7	150.7	151.6	152.9	152.5	153.6	155.2	156.2	158.2	153.6

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

DENVER, COLO.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	133.2	138.7	138.7	138.7	143.8	149.8	153.2	151.9	148.5	143.0	140.4	137.4	143.0
Round steak.....	do.....	132.1	135.9	136.4	136.8	141.6	151.2	156.0	155.0	151.2	144.5	142.1	141.6	143.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	134.9	136.0	135.5	140.7	141.9	145.9	145.9	144.2	141.3	139.5	134.3	139.0	140.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	119.0	119.0	120.9	124.2	127.5	132.7	135.3	134.0	128.8	127.5	124.2	122.2	126.1
Plate beef.....	do.....	116.8	122.1	124.2	125.3	122.1	124.2	124.2	121.1	116.8	116.8	116.8	115.8	121.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	171.3	175.4	171.8	186.7	200.5	203.6	204.6	200.5	202.1	208.2	193.3	174.4	191.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	174.2	173.5	176.7	177.4	173.5	183.6	189.0	187.3	185.9	188.3	183.7	178.8	181.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	180.5	177.5	182.1	179.8	185.1	197.0	201.3	205.0	203.6	201.3	198.3	193.4	192.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	220.7	216.5	211.6	215.2	224.4	228.7	240.2	227.4	230.5	218.3	216.5	217.1	222.6
Hens.....	do.....	156.7	160.6	159.6	175.9	177.3	166.5	160.6	159.1	148.8	146.8	154.2	154.2	160.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9
Butter.....	Pound..	135.7	131.9	131.6	124.4	121.7	123.1	119.0	119.3	120.4	131.6	141.6	141.6	127.6
Cheese.....	do.....	150.6	147.9	147.5	146.4	144.1	141.4	142.5	139.5	141.8	143.3	143.7	144.1	144.4
Lard.....	do.....	146.3	141.4	140.7	134.0	138.9	144.4	146.3	143.2	140.7	139.5	134.6	128.4	140.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	154.4	116.6	100.6	109.4	109.4	112.8	118.1	125.6	144.1	177.8	199.7	201.9	139.8
Bread.....	Pound..	155.6	153.7	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6	153.7	153.7	153.7	153.7	153.7	153.7	153.7
Flour.....	do.....	207.7	207.7	200.0	196.2	219.6	219.6	219.6	180.8	176.9	173.1	173.1	173.1	188.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	172.0	172.0	172.0	172.0	168.0	172.0	172.0	164.0	168.0	168.0	168.0	164.0	168.0
Rice.....	do.....	134.9	138.4	138.4	139.5	136.0	134.9	132.6	133.7	130.2	123.3	122.1	117.4	131.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	342.9	342.9	335.7	421.4	437.1	434.2	264.3	207.1	221.4	235.7	264.3	264.3	300.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	121.8	127.3	132.7	132.7	136.4	138.2	134.5	136.4	136.4	138.2	138.2	145.5	134.5
Tea.....	do.....	128.2	127.8	127.1	126.7	127.1	130.5	132.2	131.8	131.0	131.3	130.5	129.7	129.5
Coffee.....	do.....	177.9	177.6	176.2	179.3	176.5	175.2	175.2	174.1	175.5	173.5	173.1	175.2	175.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		147.2	143.9	142.9	147.0	145.5	146.4	141.9	139.4	140.5	144.3	146.9	147.7	144.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	138.3	140.4	139.6	143.0	148.1	153.2	155.7	151.1	151.1	148.5	146.4	149.8	147.2
Round steak.....	do.....	139.7	142.1	142.1	142.1	153.1	157.4	161.2	156.9	153.1	143.5	150.2	154.5	149.8
Rib roast.....	do.....	139.5	140.1	137.8	141.3	145.9	152.9	151.2	148.8	147.1	144.2	148.3	154.1	145.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	123.5	126.1	123.5	128.1	133.3	137.3	139.2	136.8	135.3	132.7	131.4	137.9	132.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	120.0	121.1	120.0	120.0	126.3	128.4	126.3	128.4	128.4	130.5	131.6	138.9	126.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	172.8	164.1	172.8	171.8	169.2	158.5	160.5	179.0	191.8	195.9	180.0	157.4	172.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	173.7	175.6	177.7	169.3	171.0	165.0	163.3	163.3	167.1	163.6	160.4	158.0	167.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	190.1	187.4	190.7	189.1	190.1	183.8	176.8	171.5	170.9	170.5	172.5	174.8	180.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	214.6	215.9	216.5	226.8	230.5	230.5	230.5	225.6	224.4	220.7	220.7	218.3	223.2
Hens.....	do.....	158.1	158.6	164.0	168.5	162.6	144.8	149.3	144.8	145.8	138.4	140.4	139.9	151.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9
Butter.....	Pound..	143.4	143.2	145.6	145.0	139.0	125.5	120.9	117.2	129.5	136.5	137.3	145.6	134.9
Cheese.....	do.....	144.4	145.2	146.7	142.9	142.5	141.0	141.0	142.1	145.2	149.4	151.0	153.6	145.6
Lard.....	do.....	125.9	123.5	125.3	122.8	121.0	117.9	118.5	117.3	117.9	122.2	122.2	119.1	121.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	163.8	115.3	104.4	96.3	93.8	90.9	103.4	117.2	127.2	170.6	180.3	176.6	128.4
Bread.....	Pound..	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	146.3	148.1	148.1	148.1	148.1	148.1	148.1
Flour.....	do.....	161.5	161.5	161.5	165.4	161.5	169.2	169.2	169.2	165.4	165.4	165.4	165.4	165.4
Corn meal.....	do.....	176.0	172.0	176.0	172.0	176.0	176.0	180.0	180.0	176.0	176.0	180.0	180.0	176.0
Rice.....	do.....	122.1	119.8	117.4	117.4	115.1	112.8	117.4	111.4	112.8	111.4	112.8	110.5	115.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	271.4	250.0	242.9	257.1	335.7	507.1	328.6	228.6	178.6	142.9	150.0	150.0	257.1
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	145.5	141.8	140.0	138.2	140.0	145.5	143.6	141.8	141.8	141.8	140.0	136.4	141.8
Tea.....	do.....	129.7	130.7	130.0	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.3	131.1	128.8	133.1	131.8	127.3	130.5
Coffee.....	do.....	174.1	172.4	170.7	168.4	168.4	167.3	167.3	166.3	166.3	162.9	164.6	168.0	168.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		144.0	139.3	138.5	138.8	141.0	147.9	139.8	136.0	136.3	138.8	140.0	141.0	140.2

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES,
1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

DETROIT, MICH.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	166.7	164.6	163.8	164.2	168.7	172.4	173.6	174.8	174.8	170.7	169.1	168.3	169.5
Round steak.....	do.....	169.2	165.7	167.2	171.7	175.8	178.8	180.8	180.8	178.3	174.2	173.2	169.7	173.7
Rib roast.....	do.....	154.4	152.8	152.3	153.8	157.9	157.4	159.0	160.5	156.4	154.4	157.4	158.5	156.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	149.0	151.0	148.3	150.3	149.7	153.6	155.6	154.3	152.3	151.7	149.0	151.7	151.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	126.8	125.0	124.1	125.9	127.7	128.6	130.4	128.6	126.8	127.7	129.5	131.3	127.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	202.1	192.3	199.5	208.2	217.4	227.7	222.1	213.3	237.9	234.4	210.3	196.4	213.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	217.6	217.2	216.3	219.3	223.2	235.2	235.2	233.0	234.8	234.8	233.0	222.3	227.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	221.1	223.4	224.1	226.8	233.3	246.0	246.7	246.0	249.0	247.5	243.3	235.6	236.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	251.5	247.3	237.1	234.1	249.1	268.3	262.3	245.5	246.7	238.9	232.9	232.9	245.5
Hens.....	do.....	203.9	203.4	203.4	209.7	212.6	207.8	200.5	194.2	192.7	190.3	180.6	182.5	193.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	166.7	166.7	170.2	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7
Butter.....	Pound..	148.1	147.0	146.5	138.1	138.6	137.8	135.9	137.8	143.5	148.4	153.5	164.6	145.1
Cheese.....	do.....	176.9	176.9	177.8	176.9	176.4	171.7	170.8	170.3	178.8	179.7	183.0	184.0	176.9
Lard.....	do.....	142.0	140.1	138.9	135.8	137.0	139.5	142.0	138.9	139.5	136.4	130.2	127.2	137.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	181.8	145.2	130.9	128.1	124.2	129.9	131.5	137.9	152.9	181.2	210.5	211.8	155.4
Bread.....	Pound..	155.4	155.4	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	148.2	146.4	146.4	146.4	151.8	150.0	150.0
Flour.....	do.....	193.5	196.8	193.5	193.5	193.5	193.5	193.5	193.5	183.9	180.6	180.6	177.4	190.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	200.0	207.1	203.6	207.1	207.1	203.6	203.6	203.6	207.1	210.7	210.7	207.1	207.1
Rice.....	do.....	142.9	145.2	146.4	145.2	144.0	146.4	144.0	145.2	151.2	159.5	150.0	152.4	147.6
Potatoes.....	do.....	380.0	346.7	353.3	413.3	346.7	333.3	240.0	233.3	240.0	213.3	230.0	230.0	293.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	134.6	134.6	132.7	132.7	132.7	134.6	134.6	134.6	138.5	140.4	140.4	144.2	136.5
Tea.....	do.....	165.4	169.3	169.3	169.3	169.3	165.8	169.3	169.3	171.8	173.9	172.1	169.5	169.5
Coffee.....	do.....	177.5	177.8	177.1	177.1	177.1	176.8	175.8	175.8	177.8	177.5	175.8	176.1	176.8
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		175.9	171.2	170.6	172.7	170.4	170.8	165.2	164.1	166.7	167.2	168.9	168.8	169.3

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	167.1	166.3	166.7	169.5	172.4	172.0	178.5	180.1	182.1	180.5	178.5	182.9	174.8
Round steak.....	do.....	170.7	173.2	175.3	179.3	181.8	182.3	185.9	191.4	189.9	188.4	184.8	187.4	182.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	153.8	159.0	158.5	161.5	164.1	166.7	167.7	168.7	168.2	168.2	165.6	171.8	164.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	150.3	152.3	152.3	154.3	157.0	158.3	162.3	166.2	166.2	168.2	167.5	170.9	160.3
Plate beef.....	do.....	131.3	128.6	127.7	130.4	129.5	128.6	131.3	134.8	136.6	135.7	134.8	144.6	133.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	195.9	190.3	194.9	197.9	192.3	179.0	183.1	206.7	229.7	228.2	190.3	164.6	195.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	218.9	216.7	216.7	214.6	216.3	212.9	206.9	206.9	208.2	205.6	203.4	194.4	210.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	233.7	233.3	230.7	234.1	230.7	225.3	223.4	223.8	213.8	214.6	209.2	209.2	223.4
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	227.5	226.3	235.9	247.9	252.1	253.3	249.1	342.7	232.9	234.1	227.5	226.9	238.3
Hens.....	do.....	192.2	195.6	196.6	199.0	194.2	185.4	180.6	179.1	178.2	177.2	181.6	179.6	186.4
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	169.0	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7
Butter.....	Pound..	160.0	162.4	162.7	162.4	145.1	143.2	140.5	140.3	149.5	153.5	154.3	161.6	153.0
Cheese.....	do.....	184.4	183.0	178.8	179.7	179.2	182.5	181.6	184.4	185.8	190.1	192.9	194.3	184.9
Lard.....	do.....	121.6	118.5	117.3	117.3	115.4	116.0	116.7	116.7	119.8	120.4	119.1	118.5	117.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	186.0	153.8	107.3	104.8	108.9	108.9	114.6	130.3	152.2	172.9	201.6	200.0	145.2
Bread.....	Pound..	150.0	151.8	151.8	150.0	150.0	150.0	151.8	151.8	151.8	148.2	148.2	146.4	150.0
Flour.....	do.....	174.2	174.2	174.2	174.2	167.7	171.0	174.2	174.2	174.2	171.0	164.5	171.0	171.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	210.7	203.6	207.1	207.1	214.3	217.9	232.1	214.3	214.3	217.9	207.1	200.0	210.7
Rice.....	do.....	146.4	144.0	142.9	144.0	144.0	139.3	141.7	140.5	144.0	145.2	135.7	133.3	140.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	220.0	193.3	193.3	193.3	273.3	393.3	246.7	193.3	193.3	173.3	166.7	166.7	220.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	144.2	144.2	146.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	142.3	142.3	144.2
Tea.....	do.....	170.9	170.9	170.4	170.4	173.7	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.2	172.1	168.6	167.9	171.6
Coffee.....	do.....	174.4	172.0	173.4	171.0	171.0	167.9	165.5	164.8	163.1	162.5	164.8	165.5	167.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		166.6	162.9	160.2	160.3	164.8	170.3	161.7	160.2	163.1	163.4	162.7	162.4	163.3

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

FALL RIVER, MASS.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	179.1	176.8	177.1	174.7	179.4	179.4	177.9	176.5	179.1	178.5	177.9	177.9	177.9
Round steak	do	172.0	169.4	169.4	164.6	172.0	175.0	169.8	173.9	173.5	173.5	173.5	171.6	171.6
Rib roast	do	136.2	135.3	134.5	134.9	137.5	137.5	136.2	137.1	137.1	134.5	137.5	134.5	136.2
Chuck roast	do	126.5	124.3	123.2	124.3	128.2	124.9	126.0	126.0	123.8	124.3	124.3	124.9	124.9
Plate beef	do	173.1	171.2	174.1	179.2	186.3	194.3	191.0	184.9	192.5	207.1	192.0	181.6	185.8
Pork chops	do	178.0	176.9	175.7	174.5	179.9	217.9	182.7	181.2	182.4	182.4	183.1	179.2	179.6
Bacon, sliced	do	167.1	171.6	171.6	172.9	174.8	189.4	184.8	191.6	188.4	188.4	185.2	183.5	180.6
Ham, sliced	do	208.6	212.6	206.1	210.1	214.6	231.8	231.3	214.6	213.1	213.6	212.6	211.1	215.2
Lamb, leg of	do	173.3	172.5	174.5	173.7	187.4	186.2	184.6	175.3	174.1	174.1	177.7	176.5	177.3
Hens	do	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.0	156.7	157.8	160.0	158.9	160.0	165.6	157.8
Milk, fresh	Quart	150.9	149.1	145.8	140.1	134.7	134.1	135.5	136.6	139.0	141.2	143.9	148.8	141.7
Butter	Pound	166.4	166.0	171.5	166.4	160.4	163.0	161.7	163.8	161.3	163.4	163.8	163.8	164.3
Cheese	do	143.7	141.7	139.7	133.1	135.1	139.1	144.4	143.7	141.1	141.1	132.5	127.8	138.4
Lard	do	170.4	145.4	128.8	110.8	117.8	125.5	127.9	149.0	163.9	177.7	621.3	213.7	153.6
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	150.0	148.4	148.4	148.4	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	148.4	148.4	148.4	148.4	148.4
Bread	Pound	193.9	197.0	197.0	197.0	193.9	187.9	193.9	190.9	190.9	181.8	184.8	181.8	190.9
Flour	do	217.1	202.9	202.9	205.7	197.7	197.1	185.7	194.3	191.4	191.4	188.6	191.4	197.1
Corn meal	do	122.0	119.0	118.0	122.0	124.0	124.0	118.0	118.0	119.0	116.0	117.0	115.0	120.0
Rice	do	331.6	326.3	310.5	384.2	321.1	257.9	205.3	157.9	163.8	184.2	210.5	206.3	257.9
Potatoes	do	124.1	127.8	122.2	124.1	125.9	127.8	127.8	127.8	125.9	129.6	131.4	137.0	127.8
Sugar, granulated	do	142.1	136.4	136.4	136.4	134.8	135.7	136.4	136.4	135.7	137.3	137.3	136.7	136.9
Tea	do	161.2	161.8	162.1	162.7	158.8	158.8	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.7	154.5	160.0
Coffee	do	164.0	161.2	158.6	159.9	158.3	155.8	153.6	152.6	154.4	156.8	161.6	162.1	158.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		164.0	161.2	158.6	159.9	158.3	155.8	153.6	152.6	154.4	156.8	161.6	162.1	158.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	177.9	177.9	177.9	178.5	182.9	183.3	196.8	195.0	192.1	195.0	192.4	199.7	187.4
Round steak	do	169.4	170.9	168.7	173.9	176.9	174.3	187.3	185.4	184.3	183.2	186.6	191.0	179.5
Rib roast	do	133.6	133.6	137.1	137.5	140.5	140.5	147.0	148.3	144.8	146.6	145.7	152.6	142.2
Chuck roast	do	126.5	126.0	126.0	128.2	130.9	131.5	139.2	138.7	139.8	140.3	140.9	142.5	134.3
Plate beef	do	173.1	170.3	175.0	177.4	175.9	166.5	167.0	174.5	186.3	197.6	175.0	163.2	175.0
Pork chops	do	177.6	174.9	176.1	174.1	174.9	174.9	172.2	171.0	169.0	171.8	168.2	165.9	172.5
Bacon, sliced	do	182.9	179.4	181.6	181.6	181.6	180.6	175.5	173.9	170.6	170.6	170.0	171.6	176.8
Ham, sliced	do	208.1	204.5	208.1	209.6	214.1	223.2	221.2	213.6	209.6	206.6	205.1	206.6	211.1
Lamb, leg of	do	174.9	174.9	174.9	178.1	170.9	172.9	169.6	172.9	176.9	176.5	176.5	171.7	174.1
Hens	do	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	160.0
Milk, fresh	Quart	152.8	154.2	156.1	157.7	143.6	141.2	137.9	140.7	142.5	147.4	145.8	148.0	147.4
Butter	Pound	165.1	167.2	166.8	168.1	168.1	167.2	167.2	171.9	171.9	173.2	171.1	172.8	169.4
Cheese	do	123.2	121.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	120.5	119.9	119.9	124.5	125.2	123.8	121.9	121.9
Lard	do	177.4	145.4	116.3	102.9	107.0	105.5	119.7	135.3	164.7	163.7	206.5	211.8	148.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	148.4	148.4	148.4	143.5	148.4	148.4	148.4	148.4	148.4	148.4	145.2	145.2	146.8
Bread	Pound	178.8	175.8	175.8	172.7	172.7	175.8	175.8	175.8	169.7	169.7	166.7	169.7	172.7
Flour	do	185.7	191.4	191.4	188.6	188.6	191.4	194.3	191.4	194.3	188.6	191.4	194.3	191.4
Corn meal	do	118.0	118.0	116.0	115.0	111.0	108.0	108.0	110.0	111.0	111.0	106.0	107.0	111.0
Rice	do	205.3	200.0	189.5	178.9	221.1	130.0	189.5	147.4	152.6	163.2	157.9	163.2	189.5
Potatoes	do	138.9	137.0	135.2	133.3	133.3	137.0	135.2	133.2	133.3	135.2	133.3	131.5	135.2
Sugar, granulated	do	138.5	138.5	137.6	144.3	144.3	144.3	144.3	144.3	144.3	144.3	144.3	144.3	142.8
Tea	do	157.6	157.0	156.4	155.2	148.5	149.1	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	148.2	150.9
Coffee	do	157.6	157.0	156.4	155.2	148.5	149.1	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	148.2	150.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		157.6	154.2	151.4	149.5	152.6	156.3	151.2	151.9	154.6	157.7	158.5	159.7	154.6

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	145.0	148.6	149.4	149.0	153.8	156.2	157.4	155.4	155.8	156.6	153.0	152.6	152.6
Round steak	do.	149.4	150.6	152.3	153.6	159.1	160.9	162.1	160.4	162.6	162.6	157.4	155.7	157.4
Rib roast	do.	163.6	161.4	161.4	165.3	169.3	168.2	168.2	167.0	167.0	167.0	164.8	165.3	165.9
Chuck roast	do.	153.5	152.2	152.2	156.6	154.7	156.0	155.3	156.0	155.3	155.3	152.8	152.8	154.7
Plate beef	do.	125.4	124.6	125.4	123.8	126.2	124.6	126.2	126.2	126.2	125.4	127.0	128.7	126.2
Pork chops	do.	164.0	163.0	165.4	170.6	187.2	194.8	196.5	187.2	198.6	208.3	177.3	160.7	181.0
Bacon, sliced	do.	151.7	152.4	156.1	155.1	156.5	167.0	167.7	168.4	166.7	166.7	162.9	159.2	160.9
Ham, sliced	do.	179.8	179.2	181.4	183.7	187.3	201.6	205.2	204.2	202.2	200.0	190.9	186.0	191.9
Lamb, leg of	do.	214.6	202.0	205.6	202.0	209.1	223.2	210.6	210.6	214.6	210.6	202.0	202.0	209.1
Hens	do.	183.4	191.9	185.8	194.3	198.1	189.6	190.5	188.6	188.6	183.4	181.0	179.1	187.7
Milk, fresh	Quart	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Butter	Pound	143.4	139.9	137.2	131.4	128.7	130.9	129.3	126.1	134.3	143.9	152.1	163.3	138.3
Cheese	do.	175.8	179.6	179.1	171.1	169.7	168.2	168.2	168.2	166.4	170.1	173.0	176.3	172.0
Lard	do.	131.1	129.1	126.5	125.8	127.2	137.1	141.7	136.4	133.1	131.1	126.5	120.5	130.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	179.4	142.6	113.5	117.7	120.9	126.6	127.0	126.6	154.3	170.6	215.6	214.5	150.7
Bread	Pound	158.8	158.8	156.9	156.9	156.9	156.9	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8
Flour	do.	184.4	184.4	184.4	187.5	184.4	184.4	184.4	181.3	178.1	175.0	171.9	171.9	181.3
Corn meal	do.	161.5	165.4	169.2	161.5	161.5	161.5	157.7	161.5	161.5	161.5	161.5	161.5	161.5
Rice	do.	122.8	129.3	128.3	127.2	127.2	128.3	131.5	132.6	131.5	131.5	128.3	125.0	128.3
Potatoes	do.	368.8	331.3	331.3	400.0	350.0	306.3	287.5	231.3	281.3	237.5	250.0	237.5	300.0
Sugar, granulated	do.	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	124.1	124.1	125.9	125.9	127.6	129.3	132.8	124.1
Tea	do.	138.2	143.0	142.3	142.2	145.0	142.8	143.5	143.5	144.5	146.3	147.0	147.0	143.0
Coffee	do.	166.6	167.2	167.5	167.5	166.9	166.9	166.9	167.5	167.5	167.5	167.5	168.9	167.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		161.2	157.0	155.2	159.1	157.6	157.3	156.0	151.4	156.6	156.1	158.1	157.7	157.0

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	150.2	150.2	149.8	152.6	157.0	159.0	161.8	164.9	164.5	165.3	170.9	160.2	159.0
Round steak	do.	153.6	153.6	154.0	157.9	163.0	166.0	166.4	166.4	164.3	165.1	164.7	164.7	161.7
Rib roast	do.	164.2	167.0	165.3	165.3	168.8	171.0	172.2	172.7	175.0	169.9	165.9	167.0	168.8
Chuck roast	do.	155.3	155.3	155.3	155.3	156.0	157.1	157.2	158.5	159.1	161.6	159.7	159.7	157.9
Plate beef	do.	129.5	129.5	128.7	130.3	128.7	132.0	129.5	128.7	132.0	129.5	134.4	132.8	130.3
Pork chops	do.	159.7	155.5	159.7	164.0	163.0	152.6	155.9	171.1	193.4	196.7	160.2	144.5	164.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	151.7	150.7	153.1	150.0	147.6	143.9	146.3	144.2	143.9	148.6	150.0	143.2	147.6
Ham, sliced	do.	187.3	186.0	186.0	187.3	183.4	178.8	177.9	171.0	171.7	174.3	167.8	166.8	178.2
Lamb, leg of	do.	198.0	198.0	206.1	218.7	212.1	214.6	208.6	214.6	197.0	190.9	197.0	197.0	204.5
Hens	do.	189.6	176.3	176.3	181.5	177.7	171.6	172.0	172.0	173.5	172.5	164.9	164.9	174.4
Milk, fresh	Quart	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Butter	Pound	158.0	158.2	159.3	156.4	140.7	135.9	134.0	134.0	138.8	145.2	148.7	156.6	147.1
Cheese	do.	182.0	182.0	180.1	175.4	179.1	176.3	176.3	176.3	178.7	184.8	184.4	185.3	180.1
Lard	do.	115.9	115.9	115.2	112.6	111.9	108.6	111.3	111.3	115.2	118.5	115.9	115.2	113.9
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	179.1	140.1	110.1	98.9	98.9	94.3	105.7	117.4	132.3	179.4	201.4	206.0	137.9
Bread	Pound	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8	158.8
Flour	do.	175.0	171.9	175.0	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	175.0	171.9	171.9
Corn meal	do.	161.5	161.5	161.5	157.7	157.7	161.5	161.5	161.5	161.5	165.4	161.5	161.5	161.5
Rice	do.	123.9	123.9	121.7	116.3	115.2	117.4	116.3	116.3	115.2	117.4	117.4	114.1	118.5
Potatoes	do.	231.3	200.0	193.8	187.5	275.0	400.0	262.5	206.3	187.5	175.0	168.8	168.8	218.8
Sugar, granulated	do.	136.2	134.5	134.5	131.0	131.0	131.0	129.3	129.3	131.0	129.3	129.3	127.6	131.0
Tea	do.	146.5	146.5	148.0	146.5	146.5	146.5	146.5	146.5	142.2	142.2	142.8	145.5	146.5
Coffee	do.	166.2	163.9	161.0	160.0	157.7	157.4	156.1	155.4	155.7	155.7	156.7	156.1	158.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		154.8	149.9	147.4	147.4	152.4	158.5	150.1	147.8	148.9	151.9	151.4	150.9	150.8

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	145.4	141.2	146.5	146.2	143.8	142.7	142.7	145.0	143.5	144.2	145.8	141.2	143.8
Round steak	do	151.2	154.0	154.0	154.0	154.0	149.8	149.8	146.9	151.6	151.6	149.8	150.2	151.2
Rib roast	do	120.0	123.0	125.7	127.8	121.3	122.2	125.2	128.3	126.5	124.3	126.5	119.6	124.3
Chuck roast	do	136.6	140.0	145.5	146.2	143.4	137.9	142.1	143.4	144.1	142.1	141.4	140.0	142.1
Plate beef	do	109.3	112.0	115.7	125.9	122.2	115.7	119.4	121.3	115.7	115.7	118.5	118.5	117.6
Pork chops	do	158.3	156.1	161.0	161.0	171.9	175.4	178.1	175.4	172.8	173.2	171.5	116.2	168.0
Bacon, sliced	do	173.9	173.9	173.9	168.9	168.9	183.6	178.6	178.6	176.4	178.6	178.6	171.1	175.4
Ham, sliced	do	183.8	183.8	183.8	185.9	187.7	209.2	207.0	209.2	204.2	209.5	207.7	197.5	197.5
Lamb, leg of	do	205.4	202.0	195.1	182.3	198.5	197.0	188.7	184.7	191.1	194.6	191.1	188.7	193.1
Hens	do	175.0	173.7	179.4	180.7	178.1	181.1	177.2	169.3	172.4	179.8	176.8	170.6	176.3
Milk, fresh	Quart	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	179.8	179.8	179.8	178.2
Butter	Pound	144.0	142.0	140.3	135.1	129.5	126.8	127.3	130.7	132.7	135.1	136.6	144.7	135.4
Cheese	do	156.9	156.4	155.6	149.8	141.8	145.8	143.1	151.6	152.9	156.4	156.4	156.4	152.0
Lard	do	153.5	152.9	152.9	149.0	149.0	155.4	154.8	160.6	154.8	147.7	145.8	145.8	151.6
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	188.1	140.5	107.9	116.1	110.8	118.4	129.7	143.9	168.6	201.1	192.4	185.3	150.1
Bread	Pound	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9	171.9
Flour	do	181.6	181.6	181.6	184.2	184.2	181.6	178.9	181.6	181.6	181.6	181.6	173.7	181.6
Corn meal	do	144.8	144.8	144.8	144.8	141.4	141.4	141.4	144.8	148.3	144.8	141.4	144.8	144.8
Rice	do	169.7	171.2	169.7	166.7	169.7	171.2	169.7	168.2	169.7	163.6	165.2	157.6	168.2
Potatoes	do	320.8	308.3	304.2	325.0	308.3	283.3	245.8	216.7	212.5	204.2	208.3	208.3	262.5
Sugar, granulated	do	120.0	116.7	116.7	118.3	116.7	118.3	116.7	121.7	121.7	123.3	125.0	126.7	120.0
Tea	do	161.2	161.2	161.2	161.0	164.0	162.5	162.5	166.3	169.3	168.2	168.2	164.2	164.2
Coffee	do	149.6	149.6	149.6	148.7	145.5	144.3	145.8	145.5	145.8	145.8	145.8	145.8	147.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		167.0	162.6	160.2	161.1	158.8	159.3	158.8	160.5	162.1	163.2	162.0	159.4	161.3

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	137.7	137.7	137.7	139.6	137.7	137.7	139.6	136.2	136.2	137.7	136.2	134.6	137.3
Round steak	do	146.9	146.9	146.9	146.9	146.9	146.9	150.7	148.8	146.9	146.5	148.4	145.1	147.4
Rib roast	do	119.6	123.0	121.3	117.8	117.8	117.8	118.7	117.8	117.8	118.7	117.8	117.0	118.7
Chuck roast	do	140.7	137.9	140.7	137.9	136.6	132.4	140.0	136.6	138.6	140.7	143.4	142.1	139.3
Plate beef	do	118.5	115.7	113.9	115.7	115.7	115.7	120.4	115.7	118.5	120.4	124.1	124.1	118.5
Pork chops	do	154.4	155.3	157.0	155.3	155.3	145.2	140.8	144.3	146.1	149.6	142.1	137.7	148.7
Bacon, sliced	do	164.3	165.0	163.6	162.1	158.6	157.5	155.7	152.9	150.4	150.7	144.6	141.1	155.7
Ham, sliced	do	185.6	183.7	190.5	188.7	185.6	187.3	179.2	181.0	174.3	174.6	173.2	161.3	181.0
Lamb, leg of	do	183.3	183.3	176.8	192.1	191.1	192.1	196.6	178.3	187.2	191.1	189.7	189.2	187.7
Hens	do	173.7	171.1	171.1	168.4	165.4	157.0	148.2	144.3	149.1	150.0	147.8	148.7	157.9
Milk, fresh	Quart	179.8	179.8	179.8	175.0	163.7	163.7	163.7	163.7	163.7	163.7	163.7	163.7	168.5
Butter	Pound	144.7	148.6	148.6	147.9	135.6	123.2	129.0	127.3	131.0	135.1	133.2	136.9	137.3
Cheese	do	160.9	161.3	149.3	152.4	152.0	151.1	153.3	153.3	153.7	162.7	163.6	165.3	156.9
Lard	do	145.8	141.9	142.6	139.4	138.7	138.1	137.4	136.1	137.4	140.6	141.9	137.4	140.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	158.9	117.3	94.3	96.0	97.5	97.7	107.8	130.6	150.4	160.6	176.5	169.4	129.7
Bread	Pound	170.3	173.4	173.4	173.4	173.4	170.3	170.3	170.3	170.3	170.3	170.3	171.9	171.9
Flour	do	173.7	173.7	171.1	168.4	168.4	171.1	176.3	173.7	173.7	171.1	168.4	176.3	171.1
Corn meal	do	144.8	144.8	137.9	131.0	137.9	144.8	144.8	148.3	148.3	151.7	144.8	144.8	144.8
Rice	do	143.9	142.4	142.4	142.4	137.9	139.4	142.4	145.5	142.4	142.4	139.4	125.8	140.9
Potatoes	do	208.3	195.8	183.3	175.0	195.8	266.7	200.0	179.2	183.3	162.5	154.2	145.8	187.5
Sugar, granulated	do	130.0	131.7	128.3	126.7	130.0	130.0	130.0	126.7	125.0	125.0	118.3	120.0	126.7
Tea	do	163.7	164.3	164.7	164.7	164.3	164.8	164.8	164.8	162.8	164.5	164.8	164.5	164.3
Coffee	do	144.9	143.2	142.6	141.2	141.4	141.4	138.6	137.1	137.1	134.5	134.5	134.5	139.1
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		155.6	152.7	149.2	148.6	147.7	150.6	148.3	148.2	149.7	149.5	148.3	146.8	149.6

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

KANSAS CITY, MO.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	157.1	156.3	158.3	159.1	162.5	162.5	167.5	167.5	165.0	163.3	157.7	157.1	161.3
Round steak.....	do	145.3	146.7	149.5	150.0	158.4	159.3	164.5	162.1	162.6	159.3	155.1	154.2	155.6
Rib roast.....	do	148.3	148.9	148.9	148.9	150.0	152.2	151.2	152.8	152.8	152.8	152.2	148.3	150.6
Chuck roast.....	do	130.0	132.7	132.7	132.7	132.7	132.7	135.3	134.7	133.3	133.3	130.0	130.7	132.7
Plate beef.....	do	110.3	112.0	112.8	113.7	116.2	113.7	113.7	116.2	112.0	111.1	112.0	113.7	112.8
Pork chops.....	do	170.5	171.0	181.0	186.0	193.5	203.5	200.5	196.5	214.0	213.0	182.0	165.5	190.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do	165.0	166.0	166.7	168.4	171.7	177.4	180.1	177.1	176.4	177.4	171.4	163.0	171.7
Ham, sliced.....	do	190.5	190.5	193.0	194.4	196.8	215.1	212.3	216.5	213.3	214.7	203.9	196.1	203.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do	186.3	184.1	184.1	185.7	191.8	201.6	196.7	196.2	192.3	191.2	185.7	185.7	190.1
Hens.....	do	202.4	202.4	205.9	213.5	210.6	201.8	200.6	192.9	193.5	197.6	188.8	189.4	200.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1
Butter.....	Pound	141.0	137.9	135.0	127.4	124.3	127.9	128.9	126.9	133.2	136.6	134.7	147.5	133.2
Cheese.....	do	167.7	171.4	167.7	166.8	161.8	164.5	161.3	161.3	164.5	165.4	164.5	174.7	165.9
Lard.....	do	134.4	131.9	130.7	128.8	129.4	143.6	144.2	140.5	140.5	136.8	124.5	122.1	133.7
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen	172.4	130.2	120.7	130.2	130.5	133.1	134.5	136.4	153.1	172.0	207.6	217.1	153.1
Bread.....	Pound	165.0	166.7	168.3	168.3	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	163.3	163.3	163.3	161.7	165.0
Flour.....	do	206.7	210.0	206.7	200.0	200.0	196.7	193.3	190.0	186.7	180.0	180.0	176.7	193.3
Corn meal.....	do	196.2	200.0	196.2	196.2	192.3	196.2	188.5	192.3	188.5	184.6	180.8	180.8	192.3
Rice.....	do	126.4	123.0	125.3	127.6	127.6	131.0	129.9	132.2	135.6	125.3	119.5	109.2	126.4
Potatoes.....	do	329.4	323.5	311.8	358.8	305.9	294.4	1205.9	941.2	2137.6	217.6	229.4	229.4	204.7
Sugar, granulated.....	do	121.1	124.6	124.6	124.6	128.1	129.8	126.3	128.1	129.8	128.1	128.1	131.6	126.3
Tea.....	do	147.0	150.6	149.8	152.8	153.1	154.6	158.0	159.4	160.0	160.0	160.2	163.5	155.7
Coffee.....	do	192.8	192.4	192.4	191.7	192.4	194.6	195.0	194.6	195.7	193.5	191.7	191.4	193.2
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		162.5	159.9	159.1	161.6	159.3	160.4	154.6	150.6	156.2	157.1	157.0	156.9	157.9

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	155.0	155.0	154.2	155.4	157.1	160.4	161.3	161.3	162.5	166.7	165.8	166.3	160.0
Round steak.....	do	152.8	152.8	152.8	152.3	156.1	169.8	160.7	162.1	159.8	163.1	162.1	162.1	157.9
Rib roast.....	do	150.6	148.3	150.0	149.4	150.0	151.7	154.5	154.5	153.9	157.9	155.6	155.1	152.8
Chuck roast.....	do	130.7	129.3	128.7	128.0	129.3	132.0	133.3	134.0	136.7	142.0	144.0	144.7	134.7
Plate beef.....	do	115.4	114.5	115.4	114.5	114.5	116.2	118.8	118.8	123.9	133.3	133.3	134.2	121.4
Pork chops.....	do	165.0	163.0	168.0	169.0	162.0	159.0	163.0	177.5	202.5	212.5	212.5	143.0	170.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do	158.3	159.9	155.2	155.2	153.2	149.2	149.2	150.2	251.1	915.7	615.4	548.1	153.5
Ham, sliced.....	do	196.1	195.8	192.3	190.5	189.1	187.0	183.2	181.4	181.4	180.7	175.1	171.9	185.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do	189.6	185.7	190.7	195.6	201.7	206.6	201.7	200.6	194.0	197.3	194.0	193.4	196.2
Hens.....	do	206.5	201.2	200.0	203.5	191.8	180.0	175.3	177.1	175.3	180.6	188.2	182.4	188.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1	146.1
Butter.....	Pound	147.3	149.4	152.5	152.2	133.2	129.2	129.2	126.4	134.2	138.6	141.5	146.2	139.9
Cheese.....	do	174.7	173.7	169.6	168.7	165.9	163.6	164.5	165.4	171.0	176.5	175.1	176.0	170.5
Lard.....	do	119.0	115.3	117.2	114.1	112.3	114.7	115.3	116.6	120.9	122.1	118.4	112.3	116.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen	181.8	144.4	113.8	110.2	106.2	102.2	112.7	122.6	145.8	179.6	192.0	194.9	142.2
Bread.....	Pound	160.0	160.0	160.0	161.7	161.7	161.7	160.0	160.0	160.0	161.7	161.7	161.7	161.7
Flour.....	do	176.7	176.7	156.7	153.3	156.7	166.7	173.3	173.3	170.0	163.3	163.3	166.7	166.7
Corn meal.....	do	184.6	180.8	184.6	184.6	184.6	192.3	192.3	188.5	188.5	200.0	196.2	192.3	188.5
Rice.....	do	112.6	109.2	109.2	108.1	108.1	112.6	113.8	113.8	116.1	110.3	109.2	110.3	111.5
Potatoes.....	do	229.4	223.5	217.7	217.7	264.7	364.7	176.5	135.3	129.4	147.1	141.2	241.2	200.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do	136.8	138.6	136.8	131.6	131.6	133.3	133.3	133.3	131.6	131.6	129.8	129.8	133.3
Tea.....	do	165.6	165.4	165.6	165.6	165.6	166.1	166.9	165.0	167.0	170.4	170.6	174.3	167.0
Coffee.....	do	189.9	187.1	184.9	180.6	176.6	177.7	176.3	175.2	174.5	175.9	180.2	180.9	179.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		155.4	152.6	149.9	149.7	151.4	156.2	145.4	144.0	146.5	150.9	149.5	148.8	150.2

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	133.1	133.1	133.5	135.0	135.4	137.8	137.8	133.5	134.6	134.6	136.6	138.6	135.4
Round steak	do.	152.0	149.0	152.5	156.5	157.0	157.5	159.5	155.5	158.0	158.0	158.5	159.5	156.0
Rib roast	do.	136.6	141.8	136.1	137.1	142.8	140.7	142.8	140.7	140.7	140.7	141.8	139.2	140.2
Chuck roast	do.	111.7	125.8	119.6	122.7	132.5	130.1	133.7	133.7	136.2	138.0	136.8	133.7	129.4
Plate beef	do.	114.7	116.3	112.4	121.7	124.8	124.8	121.7	124.8	120.2	123.3	127.1	130.2	121.7
Pork chops	do.	162.9	162.9	164.3	164.8	177.6	182.4	184.3	170.5	179.0	179.5	178.6	165.7	172.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	132.8	134.7	134.7	135.8	137.7	144.6	151.2	150.1	149.6	146.0	147.4	142.4	142.1
Ham, sliced	do.	168.9	171.3	171.3	176.0	178.7	191.9	194.9	194.9	199.0	197.6	192.9	190.9	185.8
Lamb, leg of	do.	200.0	196.5	203.5	207.0	203.5	209.5	190.5	200.0	197.5	200.5	199.5	203.0	201.0
Hens	do.	159.7	160.7	171.2	171.7	173.8	170.2	158.1	151.8	155.5	160.7	156.0	153.9	161.8
Milk, fresh	Quart.	143.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5
Butter	Pound	130.0	129.6	128.7	123.8	119.8	114.8	116.9	115.5	121.6	125.4	129.6	135.3	124.5
Cheese	do.	165.3	166.7	164.0	164.0	156.0	153.8	154.7	150.7	152.4	161.3	167.1	167.1	160.4
Lard	do.	147.2	145.3	147.2	149.7	147.8	151.6	154.1	150.3	150.9	149.7	146.5	142.8	154.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	168.7	117.9	110.3	118.9	119.6	119.9	130.2	139.5	152.6	157.0	190.4	195.9	143.3
Bread	Pound	145.0	156.7	156.7	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	156.7
Flour	do.	188.9	188.9	188.9	188.9	191.7	191.7	180.6	175.0	177.8	175.0	177.8	177.8	183.3
Corn meal	do.	168.0	164.0	168.0	168.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	160.0	164.0
Rice	do.	120.5	124.1	127.7	127.7	128.9	131.3	120.5	119.3	122.9	118.1	114.5	114.5	122.9
Potatoes	do.	315.0	295.0	300.0	330.0	340.0	275.0	250.0	235.0	230.0	230.0	235.0	235.0	275.0
Sugar, granulated	do.	133.9	133.9	132.1	128.6	132.1	133.9	135.7	137.5	137.5	141.1	137.5	141.1	135.7
Tea	do.	207.8	205.8	207.6	201.2	210.2	214.2	216.2	211.8	215.8	212.6	214.2	213.2	210.8
Coffee	do.	182.5	182.5	180.8	178.9	180.2	179.5	178.2	178.2	175.0	174.0	176.9	179.5	178.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		154.7	151.9	151.7	153.6	154.4	152.3	151.5	149.7	151.0	151.9	154.4	154.4	152.8

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	137.8	139.8	141.7	141.7	141.7	141.7	148.8	143.7	146.9	150.4	146.1	144.5	143.7
Round steak	do.	157.5	161.5	163.5	163.5	166.0	166.0	170.5	172.5	177.0	177.0	175.0	173.0	168.5
Rib roast	do.	144.3	141.8	143.3	143.3	149.0	149.0	151.5	144.3	154.6	158.2	154.6	148.5	148.5
Chuck roast	do.	136.8	127.6	131.3	131.3	134.4	134.4	136.8	138.0	139.9	143.6	141.1	138.0	136.2
Plate beef	do.	138.7	123.3	127.1	127.1	129.5	131.8	131.0	129.5	138.0	141.9	134.1	134.1	131.0
Pork chops	do.	161.4	158.6	160.0	158.1	160.0	149.5	149.5	160.0	168.1	180.0	155.7	140.5	158.6
Bacon, sliced	do.	137.7	141.0	137.7	135.5	132.0	130.9	129.8	129.2	131.4	128.9	128.1	126.2	132.5
Ham, sliced	do.	187.2	185.8	187.5	184.4	187.5	184.5	173.3	171.6	167.6	178.0	168.9	170.3	179.1
Lamb, leg of	do.	200.0	204.0	210.0	210.0	200.0	216.5	204.0	204.0	207.0	193.0	190.5	190.5	202.5
Hens	do.	164.9	165.4	163.9	162.8	162.3	156.0	142.9	148.2	148.7	161.3	156.0	150.3	157.1
Milk, fresh	Quart.	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5	148.5
Butter	Pound	137.2	137.4	138.4	133.2	125.2	118.4	118.8	118.8	119.8	126.6	128.9	131.3	127.0
Cheese	do.	171.6	171.6	167.1	165.8	166.2	163.6	163.6	163.6	165.3	171.1	173.8	171.1	168.8
Lard	do.	142.1	139.6	136.5	136.5	137.1	134.0	132.1	135.2	135.2	144.0	136.5	137.7	137.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	173.9	129.2	94.5	99.3	93.5	92.4	114.8	127.5	146.0	160.8	166.3	189.0	132.3
Bread	Pound	160.0	155.0	155.0	155.0	155.0	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	155.0	158.3	155.0
Flour	do.	177.8	175.0	175.0	169.4	169.4	169.4	169.4	169.4	166.7	169.4	169.4	172.2	172.2
Corn meal	do.	156.0	156.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	160.0	164.0	160.0	164.0	160.0	156.0	156.0
Rice	do.	112.0	107.2	106.0	101.2	101.2	103.8	103.8	106.0	107.2	101.2	101.2	97.6	103.6
Potatoes	do.	235.0	230.0	230.0	230.0	260.0	275.0	240.0	245.0	195.0	180.0	175.0	175.0	225.0
Sugar, granulated	do.	148.2	141.1	144.6	146.4	142.9	141.1	141.1	141.1	137.5	137.5	135.7	139.3	141.1
Tea	do.	212.2	211.4	214.8	212.6	214.8	214.8	214.8	214.8	209.0	209.0	207.6	202.0	211.4
Coffee	do.	173.7	174.0	168.5	169.5	167.5	167.2	164.9	166.6	164.9	169.8	171.4	171.4	169.2
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		153.3	149.0	146.8	146.8	147.5	146.0	145.2	146.3	145.4	148.6	147.0	148.3	147.6

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	154.9	155.3	155.3	153.2	157.0	157.9	156.2	156.6	156.6	154.5	155.3	155.3	155.7
Round steak	do.	142.3	144.2	144.2	144.2	145.7	145.7	145.2	145.4	145.7	142.8	142.8	145.2	144.2
Rib roast	do.	157.4	156.8	155.2	153.5	163.4	161.7	165.0	159.6	161.7	161.7	162.3	165.0	160.7
Chuck roast	do.	129.3	126.1	124.2	123.6	124.2	125.5	127.4	128.0	129.3	128.7	126.8	130.6	126.8
Plate beef	do.	116.7	114.3	114.3	112.7	115.1	110.3	113.5	110.3	109.5	111.1	111.1	119.8	113.5
Pork chops	do.	166.9	175.3	178.9	178.5	180.9	193.2	193.6	184.9	188.4	186.1	179.7	180.1	182.1
Bacon, sliced	do.	169.1	169.1	168.8	165.9	173.0	184.0	186.9	184.0	184.3	180.1	176.9	170.0	176.0
Ham, sliced	do.	190.1	186.1	187.8	187.0	189.2	204.0	206.8	203.4	203.4	202.3	199.2	193.8	196.0
Lamb, leg of	do.	200.5	196.8	193.6	192.0	190.4	198.9	202.1	201.1	195.7	192.6	195.7	194.7	196.3
Hens	do.	161.3	163.5	165.4	169.9	172.6	169.2	167.7	167.7	167.7	166.5	164.7	163.8	166.9
Milk, fresh	Quart.	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Butter	Pound	137.1	139.4	130.3	128.0	127.3	127.3	126.8	131.1	137.4	137.9	135.0	143.2	133.3
Cheese	do.	205.1	205.6	203.1	200.5	199.5	200.5	198.5	199.5	202.1	201.5	200.5	202.6	201.5
Lard	do.	135.6	132.8	128.3	127.2	128.9	134.4	138.3	135.0	133.3	132.8	126.7	124.4	131.7
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	112.0	90.9	93.7	98.7	103.9	108.9	119.1	125.6	141.0	164.0	155.1	137.3	120.9
Bread	Pound	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	139.3	139.3	141.0
Flour	do.	188.6	165.7	162.9	162.9	160.0	160.0	160.0	157.1	154.3	154.3	154.3	154.3	160.0
Corn meal	do.	157.6	163.6	160.6	160.6	160.6	160.6	160.6	160.6	163.6	166.7	166.7	163.6	160.6
Rice	do.	144.2	146.8	148.1	146.8	148.1	146.8	145.5	144.2	144.2	142.9	151.9	140.3	145.5
Potatoes	do.	366.7	373.3	366.7	413.3	380.0	253.3	240.0	245.0	253.3	253.3	286.7	283.3	313.3
Sugar, granulated	do.	122.2	122.2	118.5	118.5	118.5	122.2	124.1	125.9	124.1	125.9	127.8	131.5	124.1
Tea	do.	135.6	136.5	136.5	137.4	140.9	138.2	137.8	138.2	139.1	138.5	138.7	139.4	138.2
Coffee	do.	150.4	150.7	150.7	150.4	149.6	149.9	150.1	148.2	147.7	147.7	147.7	147.1	149.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		147.8	146.4	144.4	146.6	146.4	149.9	143.6	144.0	146.6	148.4	148.6	147.8	146.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	159.6	157.9	158.3	160.4	157.9	159.1	159.1	160.0	166.0	166.4	166.0	169.4	161.7
Round steak	do.	147.1	145.7	145.7	148.6	148.1	147.1	148.1	148.1	151.9	150.5	153.8	161.5	149.5
Rib roast	do.	166.7	161.1	161.7	162.3	160.1	160.1	158.5	158.5	170.5	166.7	167.8	171.0	163.9
Chuck roast	do.	132.5	133.1	132.5	134.4	125.5	126.8	128.7	128.0	131.8	135.7	140.8	147.8	133.1
Plate beef	do.	120.6	118.3	115.1	113.5	111.9	110.3	107.9	107.9	111.1	116.7	119.8	130.2	115.1
Pork chops	do.	180.1	173.3	174.9	170.5	166.9	167.7	166.9	182.5	189.6	183.3	169.7	154.2	173.3
Bacon, sliced	do.	170.3	167.4	169.7	165.0	162.3	164.1	163.2	162.3	161.4	163.2	159.1	159.9	164.1
Ham, sliced	do.	196.9	198.3	196.0	198.3	196.0	194.3	189.0	188.1	192.9	194.1	192.6	187.8	193.8
Lamb, leg of	do.	195.7	190.4	190.4	195.7	193.6	195.2	197.9	192.0	198.9	198.4	196.3	198.9	195.2
Hens	do.	167.7	167.7	166.5	167.3	162.8	160.2	154.5	151.5	153.0	155.6	161.3	160.9	160.9
Milk, fresh	Quart.	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Butter	Pound	142.9	142.7	141.4	133.3	127.0	127.0	127.0	130.3	138.6	144.2	143.7	144.7	136.9
Cheese	do.	196.4	200.0	196.4	195.4	195.9	195.4	195.9	195.4	196.4	196.9	196.9	197.4	196.4
Lard	do.	120.6	118.9	115.6	108.9	106.7	106.1	106.7	108.9	109.4	112.8	114.4	116.7	112.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	122.5	90.3	84.6	82.5	83.3	82.4	90.9	108.9	123.0	140.7	153.5	130.3	108.6
Bread	Pound	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	137.7	137.7	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3
Flour	do.	154.3	154.3	154.3	151.4	151.4	151.4	151.4	148.6	148.6	145.7	145.7	145.7	151.4
Corn meal	do.	163.6	163.6	160.6	157.6	157.6	160.6	163.6	163.6	166.7	166.7	169.7	169.7	163.6
Rice	do.	137.7	138.8	135.1	132.5	129.9	131.2	132.5	132.5	129.9	129.9	129.9	127.3	132.5
Potatoes	do.	293.3	293.3	300.0	300.0	313.3	346.7	273.3	236.7	226.7	200.0	206.7	200.0	266.7
Sugar, granulated	do.	137.0	133.3	131.5	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	127.8	125.9	129.6
Tea	do.	136.7	137.4	136.5	136.5	137.4	136.0	137.1	137.4	136.0	136.5	136.5	135.4	136.7
Coffee	do.	146.8	144.9	143.3	138.0	142.1	141.6	141.0	141.6	141.0	141.0	142.1	142.4	142.1
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		146.8	143.1	142.3	141.0	140.5	143.4	139.7	140.5	142.9	144.2	145.5	143.4	142.9

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

LOUISVILLE, KY.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	146.9	149.6	150.4	150.4	156.6	156.6	158.4	160.6	161.1	160.6	158.8	156.6	155.8
Round steak.....	do.....	147.7	148.7	149.7	151.8	162.6	162.6	160.5	160.5	165.6	166.2	165.5	161.5	158.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	136.5	138.7	136.5	140.3	150.8	150.8	151.4	143.6	147.0	147.0	147.0	148.1	144.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	121.2	125.8	124.5	123.2	127.2	128.5	127.8	127.2	138.5	131.1	135.1	134.4	127.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	121.6	124.0	124.0	124.8	128.8	128.8	127.2	125.6	131.2	126.4	131.2	134.4	127.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	165.7	167.7	166.2	175.8	196.0	194.9	187.9	183.3	196.5	197.5	178.8	162.6	181.3
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	162.3	165.1	160.9	162.3	173.9	181.3	182.0	182.7	183.1	183.8	183.8	176.1	174.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	168.1	168.1	170.5	172.3	183.5	194.7	194.7	193.0	195.4	195.4	195.8	190.2	185.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	219.1	216.9	219.1	219.1	230.3	247.2	224.7	228.1	220.2	220.8	229.2	218.0	224.2
Hens.....	do.....	171.7	168.1	173.0	177.0	175.2	176.5	175.2	163.7	168.1	163.3	157.5	161.1	169.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	156.8	147.7	139.8	136.4	136.4	136.4	136.4	136.4	136.4	136.4	147.7	147.7	140.9
Butter.....	Pound..	140.4	138.4	136.9	131.3	124.0	126.8	125.0	127.0	134.3	141.2	146.2	157.3	135.9
Cheese.....	do.....	175.6	177.4	172.4	172.8	168.7	165.9	166.4	167.7	170.0	171.0	168.7	172.8	171.0
Lard.....	do.....	135.9	134.6	134.6	131.4	135.9	137.2	139.1	141.7	139.7	134.6	123.7	119.2	134.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	188.5	144.6	111.5	122.3	126.4	130.5	133.8	134.2	167.7	183.6	220.8	232.0	158.0
Bread.....	Pound..	163.2	163.2	163.2	164.9	164.9	164.9	164.9	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2
Flour.....	do.....	191.9	194.6	183.8	181.1	186.5	175.7	173.0	167.6	164.9	162.2	167.6	167.6	175.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	178.3	169.6	165.2	165.2	160.9	165.2	165.2	156.5	160.9	165.2	165.2	165.2	165.2
Rice.....	do.....	134.9	137.3	137.3	136.1	136.1	139.8	136.1	134.9	138.6	138.6	134.9	132.5	136.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	315.8	305.3	305.3	342.1	368.4	294.7	242.1	168.4	215.8	205.3	194.7	205.3	263.2
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	134.0	134.0	132.1	132.1	132.1	135.8	135.8	135.8	137.7	139.6	141.5	143.4	135.8
Tea.....	do.....	127.8	129.3	123.4	127.0	127.0	131.3	131.3	131.3	135.9	138.2	142.1	142.1	132.3
Coffee.....	do.....	184.4	184.4	184.0	181.8	180.0	181.8	181.8	181.8	185.1	186.5	184.7	182.2	183.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		161.1	157.6	154.5	156.2	159.1	157.1	154.0	149.7	155.5	156.7	158.4	153.7	156.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	156.6	154.9	156.6	158.4	167.7	167.3	166.8	165.9	164.6	165.9	164.6	166.4	162.8
Round steak.....	do.....	161.5	163.6	163.6	165.6	174.4	175.4	176.9	170.8	177.4	174.9	174.9	177.4	171.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	145.3	143.1	140.9	146.4	153.6	152.5	151.9	151.9	149.7	149.7	151.9	151.9	149.2
Chuck roast.....	do.....	134.4	133.8	133.8	135.8	144.4	146.4	141.1	141.1	141.1	143.7	143.0	143.0	140.4
Plate beef.....	do.....	132.0	130.4	130.4	135.2	133.6	140.0	138.4	141.6	138.4	133.6	142.4	141.6	136.8
Pork chops.....	do.....	165.7	161.6	164.6	164.1	163.1	156.1	162.1	179.8	187.4	192.9	165.2	214.9	167.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	171.8	171.1	171.1	168.0	165.1	168.0	166.5	165.1	168.0	167.3	168.0	161.3	167.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	186.3	184.9	186.3	183.5	182.1	175.4	172.6	176.8	175.4	176.8	167.4	163.2	177.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	223.0	215.2	218.0	226.4	234.3	238.8	236.0	232.0	232.0	234.3	216.9	216.9	227.0
Hens.....	do.....	169.9	169.5	167.7	171.7	159.3	141.6	152.7	147.3	145.6	157.5	147.8	152.2	159.1
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	147.7	147.7	147.7	145.5	136.4	136.4	136.4	136.4	136.4	147.7	147.7	147.7	143.2
Butter.....	Pound..	153.8	154.5	154.8	150.5	137.4	134.8	128.8	129.8	132.3	140.9	142.4	151.0	142.7
Cheese.....	do.....	172.4	175.1	176.5	171.0	169.6	169.6	171.0	170.5	172.8	177.9	179.7	180.6	173.7
Lard.....	do.....	115.4	116.7	115.4	113.5	114.7	114.7	116.0	115.4	119.2	123.1	118.6	110.9	116.0
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	192.6	136.1	110.4	106.4	87.8	85.5	104.8	125.7	156.5	181.4	212.3	224.5	143.9
Bread.....	Pound..	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	161.4	161.4	161.4	161.4	161.4	163.2
Flour.....	do.....	162.2	162.2	156.8	159.5	156.8	167.6	167.6	162.2	162.2	159.5	164.9	164.9	162.2
Corn meal.....	do.....	160.9	160.9	156.5	165.2	173.9	173.9	173.9	182.6	182.6	182.6	182.6	173.9	173.9
Rice.....	do.....	138.6	137.3	137.3	137.3	136.1	137.3	138.6	134.9	139.8	137.3	130.1	133.7	136.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	200.0	184.2	189.5	189.5	267.9	939.4	194.7	147.4	152.6	157.9	152.6	152.6	200.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	149.1	147.2	147.2	147.2	143.4	147.2	145.3	141.5	141.5	141.5	137.7	137.7	143.4
Tea.....	do.....	143.6	143.6	144.5	144.8	145.0	145.0	143.7	144.2	144.0	143.1	143.1	142.4	143.9
Coffee.....	do.....	175.3	179.3	180.7	178.5	173.5	173.1	172.0	173.1	171.6	169.1	169.8	170.9	173.8
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		154.9	151.1	149.4	150.2	151.6	157.0	147.3	146.6	149.7	152.9	152.9	153.0	151.6

¹ For list of articles see Table 13

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

MANCHESTER, N. H.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	160.0	158.9	158.9	159.4	159.4	163.7	164.2	162.8	163.7	159.7	154.6	154.6	160.0
Round steak.....	do.....	155.9	153.8	153.1	156.2	156.9	156.9	158.3	156.9	162.4	156.2	150.3	151.4	155.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	140.1	138.1	138.1	140.1	139.6	140.6	140.6	141.1	149.5	139.1	133.2	134.7	139.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	135.5	132.5	133.7	135.5	139.1	138.5	140.8	139.6	141.4	137.9	136.7	135.5	137.3
Plate beef.....	do.....													
Pork chops.....	do.....	175.1	168.3	174.1	182.0	191.2	199.0	196.1	187.8	203.9	211.2	200.5	187.3	189.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	179.5	182.1	179.1	179.1	182.9	185.5	185.0	188.9	182.9	183.8	177.8	177.8	182.1
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	156.0	156.0	157.1	161.7	168.1	180.5	191.1	190.4	181.9	175.5	166.7	159.6	170.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	190.5	187.6	182.6	182.1	193.5	203.5	201.0	199.0	194.0	190.5	189.1	183.6	191.5
Hens.....	do.....	174.7	177.2	179.7	183.8	185.5	188.8	188.4	183.4	183.0	181.7	182.2	178.8	182.2
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	162.5	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	173.8
Butter.....	Pound.....	141.9	140.9	139.2	131.8	127.3	128.5	128.8	128.0	132.3	134.2	137.0	142.9	134.5
Cheese.....	do.....	170.8	171.8	169.4	168.5	167.1	168.1	169.0	166.7	169.0	168.1	169.0	168.5	169.0
Lard.....	do.....	132.3	132.9	131.1	128.0	129.2	135.4	137.3	135.4	132.9	128.6	124.2	123.0	131.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	155.6	146.0	128.5	116.0	118.9	126.3	143.9	143.4	169.4	190.4	217.8	206.6	155.6
Bread.....	Pound.....	145.0	145.0	145.0	141.7	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0
Flour.....	do.....	191.2	194.1	191.2	188.2	188.2	185.3	185.3	182.4	176.5	173.5	173.5	167.6	182.4
Corn meal.....	do.....	140.5	140.5	137.8	137.8	143.2	143.2	145.9	143.2	143.2	143.2	143.2	143.2	143.2
Rice.....	do.....	127.6	125.3	128.7	131.0	128.7	128.7	127.6	126.4	126.4	124.1	118.4	112.6	125.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	368.8	356.3	331.3	325.0	306.3	256.3	225.0	212.5	187.5	206.3	225.0	225.0	275.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	124.1	125.9	124.1	124.1	129.6	131.5	129.6	131.5	129.6	137.0	138.9	140.7	131.5
Tea.....	do.....	137.6	137.6	136.3	136.3	138.0	137.4	138.9	135.9	135.4	135.4	138.7	135.9	136.9
Coffee.....	do.....	164.1	164.1	164.4	160.9	161.9	160.3	164.4	163.4	163.1	163.8	165.3	164.4	163.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		160.9	159.2	156.7	159.2	155.0	153.2	155.2	153.8	154.7	157.1	159.5	158.1	156.9

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	155.5	156.9	160.0	165.6	166.2	167.3	176.3	175.8	169.0	169.0	168.5	171.8	166.8
Round steak.....	do.....	157.6	159.3	160.3	166.6	167.2	163.8	169.0	167.6	161.7	161.4	160.3	162.8	163.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	134.2	136.6	138.1	144.6	145.5	139.1	151.5	147.0	148.0	148.0	148.5	152.5	144.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	134.3	136.7	135.5	140.2	147.3	142.0	146.2	147.3	145.6	142.6	150.9	150.9	143.2
Plate beef.....	do.....													
Pork chops.....	do.....	175.1	167.8	175.1	175.1	174.6	156.1	158.0	180.0	199.0	206.3	178.5	157.6	175.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	176.5	178.2	179.1	179.1	174.4	162.8	166.2	166.7	165.4	166.2	166.7	166.2	170.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	162.8	161.7	163.1	165.2	167.7	162.1	165.2	164.2	159.9	156.4	156.0	151.4	161.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	187.1	185.6	187.6	195.5	197.5	196.5	200.5	194.5	190.5	182.1	182.6	179.1	190.0
Hens.....	do.....	185.1	182.6	182.2	180.1	179.3	175.9	178.0	176.3	173.9	171.4	173.0	173.4	177.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	175.0	175.0	172.5	172.5	172.5	172.5	172.5	185.0	185.0	187.5	187.5	187.5	178.8
Butter.....	Pound.....	146.7	151.1	153.8	151.6	141.4	135.7	134.7	133.5	134.5	140.0	139.2	140.9	141.9
Cheese.....	do.....	168.5	169.4	169.9	170.4	166.2	169.4	169.9	169.4	170.8	172.2	176.4	180.1	171.3
Lard.....	do.....	115.5	118.0	117.4	113.7	114.3	113.7	113.0	110.6	114.9	116.8	116.1	114.3	114.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	173.1	150.8	118.1	107.7	105.1	110.4	128.2	146.3	168.1	181.6	201.3	179.0	147.6
Bread.....	Pound.....	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0
Flour.....	do.....	170.6	167.6	170.6	167.6	167.6	170.6	173.5	170.6	170.6	164.7	161.8	161.8	167.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	140.5	135.1	137.8	143.2	137.8	145.9	143.2	140.5	145.9	145.9	143.2	140.5	140.5
Rice.....	do.....	114.9	116.1	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	116.1	114.9	113.8	109.2	109.2	113.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	225.0	212.5	193.8	187.5	250.0	306.3	212.5	175.0	187.5	162.5	168.8	162.5	206.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	144.4	142.6	140.7	138.9	138.9	140.7	140.7	135.2	138.9	138.9	135.2	135.2	138.9
Tea.....	do.....	135.9	137.1	137.1	137.1	136.5	138.7	137.1	137.1	138.7	138.7	140.8	140.8	138.0
Coffee.....	do.....	163.4	161.9	159.1	157.2	152.2	150.9	149.7	149.1	149.7	149.4	151.9	154.7	154.1
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		155.8	153.6	150.1	150.0	152.3	153.6	151.2	151.7	154.1	154.6	155.9	153.8	153.2

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

MEMPHIS, TENN.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	155.5	155.5	158.1	156.4	158.1	159.0	157.7	159.9	161.7	159.9	159.9	158.1	158.1
Round steak	do	166.0	168.1	170.2	171.2	175.9	175.9	178.0	178.0	178.0	172.3	174.3	171.2	173.3
Rib roast	do	129.4	129.4	127.9	126.5	131.9	131.4	132.8	131.9	133.8	133.8	129.9	127.0	130.4
Chuck roast	do	128.0	124.7	126.7	126.7	127.3	127.3	128.7	130.0	127.3	134.7	134.7	129.3	128.7
Plate beef	do	123.7	123.7	125.4	127.1	131.4	128.8	129.7	128.8	125.4	138.1	132.2	128.8	128.8
Pork chops	do	153.2	151.7	167.5	168.5	180.3	187.2	183.3	175.9	178.8	188.2	174.4	165.5	172.9
Bacon, sliced	do	141.3	141.9	140.3	143.6	142.9	149.2	139.5	148.2	149.5	147.2	146.2	140.9	145.2
Ham, sliced	do	172.8	177.0	178.7	177.0	185.7	203.1	207.7	210.5	204.9	201.7	200.3	191.6	192.7
Lamb, leg of	do	192.2	187.4	184.0	185.9	194.2	194.2	203.4	194.2	219.4	197.6	188.3	184.0	191.7
Hens	do	169.2	171.2	176.3	172.7	175.8	173.7	161.1	156.6	158.6	159.6	162.6	156.6	166.2
Milk, fresh	Quart	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Butter	Pound	139.8	136.0	133.0	128.9	122.1	125.1	125.1	125.6	130.2	132.2	135.8	144.2	131.5
Cheese	do	163.8	161.4	161.4	153.8	151.9	154.3	152.9	153.8	158.6	161.4	160.5	161.0	158.1
Lard	do	128.0	123.6	124.8	122.9	123.6	136.3	133.8	128.7	123.6	119.7	115.3	112.1	124.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	171.6	132.6	119.3	123.2	125.3	131.9	136.8	137.2	215.0	216.4	218.0	183.2	146.3
Bread	Pound	161.7	161.7	161.7	161.7	161.7	161.7	161.7	161.7	160.0	160.0	160.0	158.3	161.7
Flour	do	202.9	202.9	200.0	197.1	197.1	194.3	188.6	188.6	180.0	177.1	177.1	174.3	191.4
Corn meal	do	168.2	172.7	177.3	168.2	172.7	172.7	177.3	168.2	177.3	177.3	168.2	172.7	172.7
Rice	do	132.1	133.3	138.5	138.5	138.5	138.5	137.2	137.2	135.9	132.1	124.4	120.5	133.3
Potatoes	do	344.4	333.3	327.8	394.4	388.9	300.0	272.2	244.4	244.4	250.0	255.6	250.0	300.0
Sugar, granulated	do	125.5	127.3	123.6	123.6	125.5	127.3	127.3	129.1	127.3	127.3	127.3	129.1	127.3
Tea	do	148.0	138.0	150.2	151.9	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	155.2	155.2	155.2	151.7
Coffee	do	188.0	186.5	188.4	187.6	185.1	185.5	186.5	186.5	185.5	182.5	182.2	180.4	185.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles		156.0	152.9	152.4	154.5	154.3	152.9	151.3	150.1	150.3	150.9	151.5	150.4	152.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	158.6	156.4	154.2	156.4	160.4	163.0	164.3	170.0	173.1	175.3	171.4	171.4	164.8
Round steak	do	177.0	174.3	170.2	177.5	177.0	180.0	180.1	187.4	190.6	195.3	190.6	190.6	182.7
Rib roast	do	124.0	125.0	127.5	129.9	134.8	133.8	137.3	133.8	139.2	139.2	141.2	141.7	133.8
Chuck roast	do	129.3	128.0	128.0	132.7	133.3	138.7	135.3	140.0	146.7	152.7	148.7	149.3	138.7
Plate beef	do	139.8	133.9	131.4	138.1	141.5	137.3	136.4	145.8	149.2	160.2	159.3	162.7	144.9
Pork chops	do	161.6	145.3	154.2	157.1	153.2	147.8	143.3	159.6	171.9	184.2	151.2	143.3	156.2
Bacon, sliced	do	137.0	136.3	135.3	134.7	138.6	133.7	133.0	131.4	136.0	128.4	129.4	128.4	133.7
Ham, sliced	do	188.2	189.9	188.2	191.6	193.4	188.5	188.2	186.4	184.0	182.6	179.1	176.3	186.4
Lamb, leg of	do	184.5	179.6	182.5	194.2	200.0	200.0	187.9	184.0	184.5	175.7	173.3	170.9	185.0
Hens	do	162.1	165.7	169.2	166.7	159.6	154.5	143.0	150.5	151.5	161.1	154.0	156.1	158.1
Milk, fresh	Quart	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Butter	Pound	144.4	144.9	145.9	143.9	133.2	129.9	129.2	129.9	133.0	139.1	141.1	145.4	138.3
Cheese	do	171.4	167.6	162.4	158.6	156.2	159.0	161.0	163.3	175.2	182.9	177.6	182.9	168.1
Lard	do	108.3	105.1	102.5	101.3	103.2	101.9	102.5	105.1	107.6	106.4	104.5	103.2	104.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	170.2	132.3	99.6	101.4	103.2	104.9	112.6	124.6	137.5	153.3	171.2	180.4	132.6
Bread	Pound	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3	158.3
Flour	do	174.3	171.4	174.3	168.6	168.6	168.6	171.4	174.3	174.3	174.3	171.4	171.4	171.4
Corn meal	do	154.5	163.6	159.1	163.6	168.2	172.7	177.3	186.4	186.4	172.7	168.2	163.6	168.2
Rice	do	117.9	115.4	112.8	107.7	114.1	115.4	106.4	112.8	114.1	111.5	111.0	106.4	111.5
Potatoes	do	255.6	238.9	233.3	250.0	294.4	366.7	277.8	272.2	221.1	183.3	177.8	177.8	244.4
Sugar, granulated	do	132.7	130.9	130.9	130.9	130.9	130.9	132.7	129.1	129.1	125.5	129.1	125.5	129.1
Tea	do	156.0	155.8	155.8	155.8	155.8	156.0	154.9	154.5	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	155.2
Coffee	do	180.0	177.5	174.9	173.5	173.8	173.1	172.0	173.1	172.0	172.0	173.1	173.1	174.2
Index number of 43 weighted articles		149.3	145.1	142.7	143.9	145.9	147.9	144.0	146.6	146.2	146.9	146.1	146.7	145.9

1 For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	166.5	164.7	165.6	168.8	170.5	174.1	174.6	175.0	174.6	175.4	170.5	168.8	171.0
Round steak.....	do.....	162.3	160.2	159.2	162.1	163.6	168.0	168.9	169.9	168.9	169.4	163.6	161.2	165.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	153.3	153.8	151.6	152.7	153.8	154.3	154.3	154.9	156.0	162.7	151.1	152.2	153.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	146.0	146.0	144.7	147.2	149.1	150.9	150.3	150.9	151.6	163.4	150.9	152.2	149.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	121.6	122.4	125.0	125.0	125.9	125.0	124.1	123.3	124.1	125.9	125.9	125.0	124.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	178.4	176.3	184.2	195.8	209.5	218.9	218.4	199.5	227.4	217.4	186.8	173.7	193.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	169.8	171.3	170.2	172.7	175.3	182.5	190.2	187.3	188.4	190.5	186.2	177.5	180.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	179.1	176.3	178.4	180.9	186.0	202.9	207.6	206.1	202.2	196.8	191.7	184.5	191.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	205.6	200.0	191.9	191.4	201.0	225.4	212.7	199.0	195.9	195.4	187.3	185.3	199.5
Hens.....	do.....	184.8	187.4	192.9	203.0	201.8	186.4	180.8	170.7	169.7	169.2	155.6	162.1	180.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	142.9	142.9	142.9	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	147.1	157.1	154.3
Butter.....	Pound..	140.7	139.3	140.4	128.7	129.3	131.2	128.7	130.6	138.7	147.1	155.2	167.4	139.8
Cheese.....	do.....	161.9	159.2	156.4	155.0	152.3	150.0	151.4	152.3	156.0	161.0	161.9	162.4	156.9
Lard.....	do.....	142.9	141.7	140.4	138.5	136.5	144.9	147.4	143.6	142.9	141.0	133.3	130.8	140.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	165.2	128.0	114.7	116.4	117.7	120.8	120.1	127.0	142.0	181.6	224.9	216.0	147.8
Bread.....	Pound..	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7
Flour.....	do.....	183.9	187.1	183.9	183.9	180.6	180.6	180.6	177.4	171.0	171.0	167.7	167.7	177.4
Corn meal.....	do.....	169.7	169.7	172.7	166.7	169.7	172.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	172.7	169.7
Rice.....	do.....	131.1	132.2	130.0	130.0	131.1	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	131.1	117.8	125.6	131.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	350.0	342.9	342.9	421.4	357.1	321.4	271.4	214.3	250.0	242.9	250.0	250.0	300.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	116.7	116.7	116.7	116.7	118.5	122.2	122.2	124.1	124.1	127.8	127.8	127.8	122.2
Tea.....	do.....	142.6	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.4	141.4	142.4	141.6	141.6	141.6	141.6	142.0	142.2
Coffee.....	do.....	170.9	170.9	170.9	170.9	170.9	170.9	172.0	170.5	171.3	170.5	170.2	170.2	170.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		163.8	161.0	160.8	166.2	163.9	163.5	160.9	156.8	160.5	163.1	164.7	164.3	162.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	167.9	167.0	167.0	169.2	169.6	175.0	180.8	184.4	184.8	185.7	183.5	182.1	176.3
Round steak.....	do.....	163.1	162.1	162.1	165.0	166.0	169.9	175.2	178.6	178.2	176.2	174.3	174.8	170.4
Rib roast.....	do.....	154.3	153.3	153.8	154.9	153.8	154.9	158.7	159.8	158.2	159.8	160.3	159.8	157.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	154.0	150.9	149.1	152.2	152.8	151.6	157.1	159.6	160.2	162.7	163.4	163.4	156.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	126.7	126.7	126.7	125.9	125.9	125.0	127.6	131.0	131.9	136.2	137.9	140.5	130.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	177.4	172.6	180.0	180.0	175.3	158.9	173.7	193.2	221.7	215.8	174.2	149.5	180.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	176.7	174.5	173.8	173.5	169.8	166.9	168.4	168.4	166.9	170.2	170.2	167.6	170.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	189.9	186.3	184.9	188.1	184.5	181.7	179.5	176.3	170.9	170.5	171.2	168.3	179.5
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	191.4	192.4	198.0	212.2	216.8	217.3	212.2	202.0	193.9	191.4	188.8	187.8	200.5
Hens.....	do.....	178.8	180.3	188.9	193.9	180.3	155.6	158.1	160.1	156.6	162.0	151.0	157.6	167.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1	157.1
Butter.....	Pound..	156.3	160.2	160.2	159.1	137.9	133.4	133.7	134.8	146.2	149.9	151.0	163.2	148.7
Cheese.....	do.....	165.1	165.6	163.8	161.9	159.6	160.6	160.1	162.8	164.7	170.6	170.2	174.3	165.1
Lard.....	do.....	126.3	122.4	121.2	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	122.4	123.7	126.3	125.0	125.6	123.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	176.8	132.7	100.7	98.6	97.3	93.2	103.1	124.9	141.1	175.4	210.9	209.9	139.6
Bread.....	Pound..	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	160.7
Flour.....	do.....	164.5	167.7	158.1	158.1	158.1	164.5	164.5	164.5	161.3	158.1	154.8	151.6	161.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	166.7	166.7	169.7	169.7	172.7	172.7	172.7	172.7	169.7	169.7	169.7	172.7	169.7
Rice.....	do.....	120.0	117.8	116.7	114.4	115.6	116.7	118.9	116.7	117.8	115.6	115.6	114.4	116.7
Potatoes.....	do.....	250.0	221.4	192.9	185.7	271.4	392.9	257.1	221.4	200.0	185.7	178.6	178.6	228.6
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	133.3	133.3	133.3	129.6	131.5	131.5	131.5	129.6	127.8	127.8	125.9	125.9	129.6
Tea.....	do.....	143.2	142.2	142.4	141.4	141.4	141.4	141.4	142.4	142.4	140.0	140.0	141.6	141.6
Coffee.....	do.....	166.9	163.6	157.5	154.5	154.5	154.5	154.2	153.1	152.4	155.3	155.3	156.4	156.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		161.4	156.9	152.7	152.7	156.6	161.6	155.1	154.6	156.4	158.0	158.1	158.5	156.9

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	141.1	142.5	140.6	144.7	153.4	152.5	153.4	153.9	149.8	140.2	140.6	142.0	146.1
Round steak.....	do.....	140.4	141.9	141.4	143.4	153.5	154.5	154.0	156.6	155.1	146.5	139.9	140.9	147.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	130.7	132.8	127.5	130.2	133.9	134.4	137.0	138.6	139.7	135.4	131.2	129.1	133.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	122.8	119.0	117.7	124.1	128.5	129.1	128.5	134.8	131.1	161.6	126.6	129.1	127.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	113.1	117.2	112.1	118.2	125.3	129.3	126.3	127.3	127.3	125.3	124.2	125.3	122.2
Pork chops.....	do.....	179.5	178.9	187.6	193.5	208.1	216.2	208.1	197.8	213.0	213.0	185.4	175.1	191.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	183.3	184.8	186.4	187.1	189.0	204.9	205.7	201.5	200.0	198.9	190.2	184.8	193.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	171.4	172.4	176.2	178.2	181.6	197.6	205.1	206.5	205.4	195.6	179.9	178.6	187.4
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	233.8	226.6	226.0	227.3	235.7	242.9	236.4	233.1	227.9	228.6	221.4	223.4	230.5
Hens.....	do.....	193.0	189.8	191.4	194.6	194.6	181.7	178.0	172.6	165.6	167.2	165.1	176.9	180.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	158.1	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6
Butter.....	Pound..	140.4	137.9	139.9	130.1	128.4	129.8	130.1	131.5	139.6	147.2	153.9	168.5	139.9
Cheese.....	do.....	171.8	169.4	171.4	167.0	162.6	157.8	159.7	159.2	164.1	170.4	170.9	171.8	166.5
Lard.....	do.....	135.7	135.7	133.1	131.8	129.2	139.0	141.6	138.3	135.1	133.1	128.6	122.7	133.8
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	162.9	132.5	120.8	121.2	123.7	125.1	125.1	126.5	150.5	166.4	188.3	193.6	144.9
Bread.....	Pound..	176.8	176.8	176.8	176.8	176.8	176.8	175.0	166.1	166.1	158.9	158.9	158.9	169.6
Flour.....	do.....	200.0	200.0	196.6	196.6	196.6	196.6	200.0	196.6	189.7	189.7	186.2	186.2	193.1
Corn meal.....	do.....	225.0	229.2	229.2	233.3	233.3	233.3	233.3	229.2	220.8	220.8	216.7	216.7	225.0
Rice.....	do.....	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	134.8	136.0	132.6	133.7	131.5	129.2	123.6	132.6
Potatoes.....	do.....	425.0	416.7	416.7	483.3	408.3	382.3	275.0	183.3	258.3	266.7	266.7	266.7	341.7
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	128.6	125.5	123.6	123.6	123.6	127.3	132.7	130.9	132.7	130.9	130.9	132.7	129.1
Tea.....	do.....	137.3	137.3	138.7	140.4	139.6	134.7	134.4	134.7	133.3	134.7	135.8	134.7	136.2
Coffee.....	do.....	176.3	176.3	176.3	176.6	175.3	174.7	174.7	175.0	175.0	175.0	174.4	175.0	175.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		164.2	161.0	160.9	163.4	161.4	162.1	156.8	151.0	155.9	155.8	155.7	156.7	158.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	145.7	142.0	143.4	151.1	157.5	160.3	163.3	167.1	164.8	163.5	160.7	158.9	156.6
Round steak.....	do.....	146.0	146.5	146.0	151.0	157.8	159.1	162.6	163.1	160.6	160.1	157.6	157.6	155.6
Rib roast.....	do.....	140.7	137.0	132.8	140.2	147.1	149.2	154.5	154.5	151.3	144.4	147.1	148.1	145.5
Chuck roast.....	do.....	130.4	128.5	129.1	141.8	145.6	150.6	151.3	153.2	146.8	150.0	145.6	147.5	143.7
Plate beef.....	do.....	129.3	127.3	131.3	136.4	140.4	143.4	140.4	137.4	137.4	141.4	144.4	151.5	138.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	178.9	178.4	180.0	182.7	181.1	170.3	174.1	183.8	201.1	213.0	185.9	163.2	182.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	179.5	179.5	179.9	180.7	180.7	179.2	178.4	175.4	176.1	178.8	175.8	176.9	178.4
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	179.9	181.0	179.9	184.4	184.4	183.0	182.0	180.6	174.1	172.8	172.8	165.0	178.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	223.4	221.4	225.3	238.3	236.4	242.9	237.0	233.1	222.7	221.4	218.2	218.8	228.6
Hens.....	do.....	188.7	190.3	188.7	190.9	188.7	167.2	171.0	165.1	162.9	165.6	165.1	179.6	176.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	152.7
Butter.....	Pound..	153.4	157.0	157.3	157.3	136.8	134.6	131.7	183.3	214.1	614.8	316.1	416.0	146.9
Cheese.....	do.....	175.2	174.8	173.8	174.8	172.8	170.9	174.3	174.3	176.2	217.8	217.2	182.0	175.2
Lard.....	do.....	119.5	116.9	118.8	116.2	116.2	117.5	117.5	118.8	118.8	120.1	120.1	118.2	118.2
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	177.7	141.3	108.8	107.1	103.2	95.1	104.2	117.0	133.9	158.3	178.8	190.5	134.6
Bread.....	Pound..	158.9	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	158.9	158.9	158.9	155.4	155.4	158.9
Flour.....	do.....	182.8	179.3	179.3	175.9	175.9	179.3	179.3	175.9	179.3	175.9	175.9	175.9	179.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	216.7	225.0	220.8	229.2	225.0	225.0	225.0	225.0	225.0	225.0	220.8	225.0	225.0
Rice.....	do.....	120.2	122.5	116.9	122.5	120.2	118.0	118.0	118.0	118.0	118.0	115.7	114.6	119.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	275.0	266.7	250.0	250.0	316.7	458.3	333.3	383.3	150.0	158.3	358.3	383.3	250.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	136.4	138.2	136.4	136.4	136.4	138.2	138.2	136.4	132.7	132.7	132.7	132.7	136.4
Tea.....	do.....	137.1	136.4	134.0	133.3	133.3	134.0	135.1	135.1	135.1	134.7	134.7	135.1	134.9
Coffee.....	do.....	174.7	173.1	169.8	169.5	168.5	164.6	163.3	164.0	163.0	162.7	163.3	164.9	166.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		155.6	153.0	150.2	151.5	154.4	159.4	153.4	147.0	147.2	151.5	151.2	153.3	152.5

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES
1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

NEWARK, N. J.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	165.3	159.4	163.1	162.7	165.7	171.6	172.0	171.2	171.6	170.5	164.2	164.2	166.8
Round steak.....	do.....	159.9	152.4	158.1	156.6	156.2	164.0	163.3	163.7	161.8	162.2	159.2	159.9	159.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	173.1	170.7	167.8	170.7	169.7	170.7	170.7	169.2	172.1	171.2	169.2	170.2	170.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....	140.1	138.4	137.3	133.3	132.8	137.9	138.4	135.0	141.2	138.4	140.7	140.1	137.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	113.8	108.9	111.4	111.4	106.5	109.8	104.1	101.6	108.1	106.5	104.1	105.7	107.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	161.2	158.5	161.2	168.8	176.3	189.3	186.0	183.9	198.7	188.4	171.9	166.1	175.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	182.8	179.9	184.0	184.8	188.9	198.0	202.5	200.8	201.6	200.4	195.9	198.4	193.0
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	151.2	140.2	146.2	141.2	143.8	150.4	166.4	150.9	152.5	149.3	149.3	147.5	148.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	190.3	184.1	179.2	177.8	194.2	221.5	0196.1	185.5	191.8	187.0	184.1	180.2	188.9
Hens.....	do.....	171.4	169.3	167.1	180.5	181.4	181.4	175.8	161.9	167.1	164.9	164.5	165.8	171.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7
Butter.....	Pound..	138.8	135.8	133.3	123.1	126.4	126.9	127.4	127.9	133.1	139.8	144.3	158.2	134.6
Cheese.....	do.....	161.2	163.3	161.6	162.4	164.1	164.1	162.4	162.4	162.4	161.2	160.8	162.4	162.4
Lard.....	do.....	140.4	141.6	141.0	137.9	132.3	138.5	139.8	140.4	139.1	137.3	136.0	129.2	137.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	142.0	122.2	110.1	105.2	108.5	110.8	114.2	121.3	138.9	159.1	172.4	165.8	130.8
Bread.....	Pound..	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	167.9	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	169.6	171.4	167.9
Flour.....	do.....	166.7	169.4	166.7	169.4	169.4	172.2	172.2	172.2	161.1	161.1	155.6	152.8	166.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	188.9	186.1	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	186.1	183.3
Rice.....	do.....	124.4	124.4	124.4	127.8	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	123.3	121.1	121.1	124.4
Potatoes.....	do.....	252.0	240.0	232.0	296.0	296.0	224.0	0152.0	132.0	132.0	168.0	184.0	176.0	208.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	113.2	115.1	115.1	113.2	117.0	117.0	118.9	118.9	120.8	126.4	128.3	124.5	118.9
Tea.....	do.....	119.3	118.4	118.0	118.0	118.0	118.6	118.0	118.0	118.0	118.0	117.5	116.9	118.0
Coffee.....	do.....	169.6	171.3	171.3	171.3	170.3	171.7	171.7	171.3	170.0	170.0	171.3	167.6	170.6
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		157.3	153.4	152.1	155.5	157.0	153.4	148.6	147.1	150.1	154.1	156.3	156.1	153.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	162.0	165.3	164.9	172.0	170.5	173.4	180.1	180.1	178.2	180.1	179.7	180.8	173.8
Round steak.....	do.....	158.4	159.2	159.2	167.8	164.8	166.3	173.4	173.8	173.0	173.4	173.8	175.7	168.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	164.4	167.8	168.3	173.1	172.6	170.2	183.2	180.8	186.3	186.1	181.7	192.3	176.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	137.9	136.2	134.5	144.1	141.2	139.5	145.8	141.8	152.0	155.4	161.6	165.0	146.3
Plate beef.....	do.....	104.1	104.1	104.1	108.1	108.1	104.9	115.4	107.3	111.4	122.0	130.1	139.8	113.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	165.6	159.8	162.5	166.5	167.4	158.0	163.4	171.9	186.2	187.9	162.5	150.0	167.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	195.1	191.4	190.6	189.3	186.9	185.7	188.5	187.3	188.5	187.7	184.4	179.9	180.8
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	145.1	146.5	141.5	144.9	144.9	141.5	142.5	140.4	141.2	142.5	144.9	138.5	142.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	174.9	176.3	179.7	192.8	202.9	203.4	201.0	188.4	187.9	185.0	180.0	178.3	187.9
Hens.....	do.....	161.5	161.5	162.3	164.9	169.3	162.8	160.6	159.3	161.5	162.3	157.6	154.5	161.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	177.7	177.8	177.8	177.8	170.0
Butter.....	Pound..	149.8	151.2	149.0	151.2	135.3	131.1	132.8	130.8	138.1	148.3	147.5	143.3	143.3
Cheese.....	do.....	162.0	161.2	162.0	161.2	162.0	162.0	162.9	161.2	180.0	164.9	166.9	162.9	164.1
Lard.....	do.....	124.8	123.0	119.3	118.6	118.6	119.3	119.9	121.1	120.5	123.0	122.4	121.1	121.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	143.6	122.5	99.1	95.3	96.6	92.6	100.2	109.7	133.5	155.5	167.9	158.7	122.9
Bread.....	Pound..	171.4	169.6	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	169.6	169.6	169.6	169.6	169.6	162.5	169.6
Flour.....	do.....	150.0	150.0	152.8	150.0	152.8	155.6	155.6	155.6	152.8	147.2	147.2	144.4	150.0
Corn meal.....	do.....	186.1	183.3	183.3	180.6	177.8	180.6	180.6	180.6	180.6	188.9	194.4	191.7	183.3
Rice.....	do.....	120.0	120.0	121.1	116.7	117.8	116.7	116.7	120.0	118.9	115.6	113.3	113.3	117.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	176.0	198.0	164.0	160.0	208.0	224.0	0144.0	120.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	156.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	126.4	130.2	130.2	126.4	124.5	130.2	130.2	130.2	128.3	126.4	126.4	126.4	128.3
Tea.....	do.....	117.5	116.7	116.7	116.7	116.7	116.7	116.7	116.7	113.4	114.9	111.7	111.7	115.6
Coffee.....	do.....	166.6	164.8	163.1	161.4	158.7	161.8	160.1	156.3	158.0	159.7	160.1	161.8	161.1
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		152.4	150.0	147.4	147.9	150.6	150.4	146.0	144.6	150.4	153.8	154.4	152.7	149.9

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	171.2	169.6	168.4	171.2	169.6	170.9	170.9	168.7	170.3	171.5	170.9	169.3	170.3
Round steak.....	do.....	153.5	153.5	153.5	153.8	154.2	153.1	153.5	153.5	152.8	152.8	152.8	152.8	153.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	156.8	149.2	150.0	149.6	153.0	152.5	150.4	151.7	153.0	151.7	150.4	152.1	151.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....	144.7	141.6	141.1	140.0	140.5	140.5	140.0	140.0	143.7	141.6	141.1	141.1	141.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	166.4	161.8	167.3	171.8	180.0	189.1	186.4	185.5	199.1	212.7	179.5	173.6	180.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	177.6	176.5	176.2	177.6	178.6	186.1	189.3	187.5	184.3	184.0	181.9	176.9	181.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	180.3	182.2	179.7	180.9	186.3	200.6	204.4	203.1	199.4	199.4	196.6	196.6	192.5
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	202.5	201.0	192.4	189.8	205.1	222.8	215.2	210.7	207.1	202.5	197.0	197.0	203.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	181.2	182.5	182.9	187.6	194.9	191.5	187.2	184.2	181.6	180.8	180.3	179.5	184.6
Hens.....	do.....	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	166.7	166.7	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	175.6
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	153.8	153.0	149.7	143.2	138.3	134.4	138.0	137.0	139.6	147.3	149.5	157.7	145.1
Butter.....	Pound..	175.9	174.1	173.2	174.6	175.0	171.0	168.3	168.3	170.1	171.4	171.4	171.0	171.9
Cheese.....	do.....	143.9	143.9	145.2	140.6	138.1	145.2	150.3	146.5	143.2	140.0	134.8	131.6	141.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	166.0	147.0	123.9	109.7	111.3	118.9	128.6	146.8	158.6	182.5	204.5	210.6	150.8
Bread.....	Pound..	150.0	151.7	151.7	151.7	151.7	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3
Flour.....	do.....	196.9	196.9	196.9	196.9	193.8	190.6	190.6	187.5	178.1	181.3	178.1	178.1	190.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	218.8	218.8	218.8	212.5	212.5	218.8	215.6	221.9	209.4	209.4	209.4	209.4	215.6
Rice.....	do.....	130.1	133.3	131.2	128.0	130.1	128.0	126.9	128.0	128.0	128.0	124.7	124.7	128.0
Potatoes.....	do.....	338.9	333.3	332.7	327.8	327.8	272.2	216.7	183.3	194.4	194.4	222.2	216.7	272.2
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.6	126.4	126.4	126.4	126.4	132.1	132.1	135.8	126.4
Tea.....	do.....	108.2	107.8	108.2	108.2	108.5	107.1	109.3	109.3	110.4	109.8	109.1	109.8	108.7
Coffee.....	do.....	157.7	158.0	157.1	158.0	158.3	155.3	156.5	156.5	156.5	156.5	153.6	154.4	156.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		165.7	163.7	161.0	163.6	159.8	156.7	155.3	156.3	157.7	161.0	163.5	164.4	160.9

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	169.9	171.8	169.9	171.8	176.6	179.1	184.5	184.5	184.5	185.8	185.8	185.8	179.1
Round steak.....	do.....	153.8	153.1	151.7	153.1	153.8	156.6	161.9	163.3	166.1	165.4	165.4	166.4	159.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	150.8	150.8	152.5	153.4	159.3	160.6	164.4	162.7	162.3	162.7	164.8	166.1	159.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	138.4	139.5	138.9	138.4	144.2	145.3	151.6	150.0	153.7	152.6	153.7	157.9	146.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	168.6	164.1	169.5	169.1	169.5	161.4	159.5	173.6	190.9	200.9	174.1	153.6	171.4
Pork chops.....	do.....	178.3	173.7	173.3	170.5	171.9	169.0	164.4	161.9	159.1	162.6	164.4	163.3	167.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	192.2	191.6	187.8	188.4	186.9	186.9	184.1	181.3	179.1	180.6	183.4	182.8	185.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	192.9	191.9	199.5	203.0	215.7	217.3	214.7	205.6	203.0	199.0	199.5	195.4	203.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	179.5	178.6	178.6	178.2	179.5	174.8	174.4	173.9	171.8	173.1	170.5	171.4	175.2
Hens.....	do.....	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	157.7	157.1	163.1	163.9	150.0	143.2	142.1	142.3	143.2	150.0	150.0	151.9	151.1
Butter.....	Pound..	174.6	177.7	177.2	177.2	175.4	175.9	174.1	175.0	175.9	176.8	179.0	179.9	178.8
Cheese.....	do.....	125.2	124.5	123.2	118.7	118.7	118.7	116.8	119.4	119.4	121.3	120.6	120.6	120.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	177.5	143.3	119.9	103.8	103.1	107.1	122.7	133.8	152.2	173.0	191.3	195.3	143.5
Bread.....	Pound..	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3
Flour.....	do.....	175.0	171.9	171.9	168.8	168.8	171.9	175.0	175.0	171.9	171.9	168.8	162.5	171.9
Corn meal.....	do.....	212.5	209.4	206.3	209.4	212.5	215.6	221.9	212.5	212.5	212.5	218.8	218.8	212.5
Rice.....	do.....	119.4	117.2	120.4	119.4	120.4	116.1	117.2	116.1	110.8	112.9	109.7	107.5	116.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	222.2	211.1	200.0	188.9	233.3	316.7	200.0	155.6	172.2	177.8	177.8	177.8	205.6
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	139.6	139.6	137.7	135.8	137.7	137.7	135.8	135.8	135.8	134.0	134.0	132.1	135.8
Tea.....	do.....	109.1	108.4	108.9	106.2	104.4	104.4	104.4	107.1	109.6	109.6	109.6	107.1	106.7
Coffee.....	do.....	154.7	151.8	150.0	150.0	148.8	147.0	145.0	145.9	144.7	144.4	146.2	147.6	147.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		161.1	156.8	154.7	152.7	155.1	158.9	154.1	152.7	155.2	158.6	159.6	159.6	156.7

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	161.7	163.1	167.3	168.2	167.3	167.8	168.2	164.5	168.2	167.3	166.4	163.1	165.9
Round steak.....	do.....	161.0	162.6	166.8	163.6	164.7	165.8	164.7	163.6	170.1	168.4	166.3	165.8	165.2
Rib roast.....	do.....	152.6	154.2	157.9	156.8	160.5	158.9	157.9	156.8	157.9	158.4	160.0	155.8	157.4
Chuck roast.....	do.....	140.7	146.2	149.7	146.9	147.6	145.5	146.2	144.1	146.9	142.8	148.3	144.1	145.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	161.9	159.3	154.9	154.0	149.6	148.7	145.1	145.1	154.9	154.9	160.2	161.1	154.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	154.4	154.4	161.0	165.8	174.6	179.8	173.7	168.9	174.1	175.0	161.8	161.8	167.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	148.7	151.0	156.3	153.9	156.3	162.5	168.1	166.4	166.4	169.1	165.8	169.1	161.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	180.6	184.6	190.8	191.6	193.8	215.4	210.6	198.9	205.5	197.8	196.7	197.8	197.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	190.8	192.3	183.1	183.1	191.3	198.1	190.3	187.0	191.8	188.9	188.4	176.8	189.4
Hens.....	do.....	186.0	179.9	181.8	183.2	185.5	185.0	174.8	174.3	178.5	173.4	170.6	174.3	179.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9
Butter.....	Pound..	148.9	145.3	142.1	135.8	130.8	133.7	132.6	134.6	136.1	141.1	144.5	153.9	140.0
Cheese.....	do.....	162.4	163.3	163.3	154.6	155.5	155.0	155.0	161.0	161.5	165.1	165.6	168.3	161.0
Lard.....	do.....	148.3	145.6	143.6	141.6	140.3	147.0	147.7	149.0	146.3	143.6	137.6	134.9	143.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	177.9	127.1	110.7	118.1	124.1	131.1	136.8	141.1	150.5	167.9	175.6	187.6	145.8
Bread.....	Pound..	174.5	174.5	174.5	174.5	174.5	172.5	174.5	172.5	174.5	174.5	172.5	172.5	174.5
Flour.....	do.....	200.0	202.6	200.0	200.0	197.4	197.4	194.7	189.5	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	192.1
Corn meal.....	do.....	148.1	144.4	137.0	140.7	144.4	140.7	148.1	144.4	148.1	144.4	148.1	148.1	144.4
Rice.....	do.....	141.9	140.5	140.5	141.9	136.5	136.5	137.8	136.5	133.8	132.4	128.4	133.8	136.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	290.5	290.5	281.0	323.8	295.2	271.4	200.0	195.2	224.3	214.3	223.8	223.8	242.9
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	117.3	117.3	113.5	113.5	115.4	119.2	119.2	121.2	123.1	126.9	128.8	132.7	121.2
Tea.....	do.....	132.7	132.7	133.5	133.5	132.4	133.0	132.4	130.9	132.0	134.1	133.8	133.0	132.9
Coffee.....	do.....	143.5	138.9	140.5	140.5	138.5	138.5	137.8	139.7	139.3	138.2	135.9	135.5	138.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		161.6	157.4	156.0	158.3	156.9	152.6	153.5	152.9	155.1	157.1	157.1	158.3	156.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	163.1	168.2	171.0	171.5	172.4	169.6	172.9	175.7	175.2	173.8	169.6	172.9	171.5
Round steak.....	do.....	166.8	166.8	172.7	171.7	172.2	171.7	175.9	178.1	175.4	175.4	173.8	178.1	173.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	157.9	158.9	161.1	165.3	163.7	162.1	164.2	165.3	164.2	165.3	162.1	163.2	162.6
Chuck roast.....	do.....	142.8	143.4	145.5	151.0	149.0	148.3	150.3	149.0	146.9	152.4	149.7	155.2	149.0
Plate beef.....	do.....	163.7	157.5	161.9	161.1	154.0	154.9	156.6	152.2	156.6	161.1	164.6	171.7	159.3
Pork chops.....	do.....	157.9	159.2	165.8	162.3	152.6	151.3	154.4	164.0	177.2	177.2	156.6	143.4	160.1
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	166.1	165.1	164.1	165.8	158.2	157.9	154.6	152.0	152.6	151.0	154.3	146.4	157.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	196.7	198.9	200.0	195.2	187.9	189.7	187.2	184.6	183.5	186.4	180.6	171.4	188.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	186.0	185.5	193.7	194.7	195.2	195.2	193.7	189.9	187.4	186.0	187.4	186.0	189.9
Hens.....	do.....	175.7	179.0	181.3	179.0	173.8	165.0	162.6	164.0	173.4	170.6	163.6	168.2	171.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9
Butter.....	Pound..	155.3	155.5	157.4	155.0	145.3	136.6	136.6	136.8	140.8	146.3	148.4	153.9	147.4
Cheese.....	do.....	172.0	174.3	172.0	169.7	169.7	171.6	168.8	169.3	173.9	174.8	179.8	183.0	173.4
Lard.....	do.....	132.9	133.6	132.9	132.9	130.2	128.2	128.9	129.5	128.9	131.5	130.9	129.5	130.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	170.9	131.8	119.7	108.4	107.4	108.4	121.7	135.8	142.5	150.8	155.9	162.9	134.8
Bread.....	Pound..	172.5	174.5	172.5	172.5	172.5	170.6	172.5	172.5	172.5	170.6	170.6	170.6	172.5
Flour.....	do.....	178.9	178.9	178.9	176.3	176.3	176.3	176.3	176.3	173.7	173.7	173.7	173.7	176.3
Corn meal.....	do.....	151.9	151.9	151.9	151.9	151.9	151.9	159.3	155.6	163.0	155.6	151.9	163.0	155.6
Rice.....	do.....	132.4	131.1	131.1	129.7	129.7	133.3	133.3	133.8	131.1	128.4	127.0	124.3	131.1
Potatoes.....	do.....	223.8	219.0	219.0	214.3	209.5	300.0	238.1	204.8	200.0	190.5	185.7	181.0	214.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	136.5	136.5	134.6	128.8	130.8	132.7	132.7	130.8	130.8	128.8	126.9	126.9	130.8
Tea.....	do.....	129.5	128.8	128.8	128.8	129.0	125.8	127.4	126.9	126.9	127.7	127.7	128.0	128.0
Coffee.....	do.....	135.9	135.1	134.4	135.5	135.5	135.9	135.9	135.9	135.9	136.3	135.1	135.1	135.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		157.1	154.7	154.7	153.4	151.1	154.7	152.7	152.3	153.5	154.0	152.4	153.0	153.6

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

NEW YORK, N. Y.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	176.1	173.0	173.0	173.4	177.6	178.0	177.6	176.8	179.2	176.8	170.3	170.3	175.3
Round steak	do.	173.6	170.4	170.0	171.6	175.2	176.8	177.2	176.8	178.0	176.4	172.0	172.0	174.0
Rib roast	do.	178.4	176.6	175.7	178.0	178.4	178.9	178.4	178.4	180.3	179.8	177.1	178.0	178.0
Chuck roast	do.	155.6	153.8	152.5	153.1	153.8	153.1	152.5	151.3	158.1	156.9	151.9	153.8	153.8
Plate beef	do.	143.8	142.5	139.7	140.4	138.4	137.7	137.0	134.9	137.0	137.0	139.7	138.4	139.0
Pork chops	do.	181.9	179.1	185.6	190.2	199.1	207.4	207.9	202.3	215.3	212.6	193.1	193.0	197.7
Bacon, sliced	do.	198.4	200.8	201.6	202.4	203.6	208.4	211.2	210.0	208.0	205.2	201.6	199.6	204.4
Ham, sliced	do.	203.4	203.8	205.2	203.8	211.0	217.9	227.9	223.1	225.5	222.8	214.8	211.4	214.1
Lamb, leg of	do.	227.3	220.0	218.8	218.8	233.3	250.3	230.9	223.0	228.5	221.8	221.2	223.6	226.7
Hens	do.	185.5	189.7	192.5	196.3	202.8	209.8	195.8	186.4	188.3	188.8	188.3	188.3	192.5
Milk, fresh	Quart.	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7
Butter	Pound	142.4	142.4	140.3	129.6	131.7	133.3	132.7	133.8	140.1	146.1	153.9	166.7	141.1
Cheese	do.	195.4	197.0	195.4	194.9	194.4	191.9	193.4	193.4	191.9	192.9	192.4	191.4	193.9
Lard	do.	144.1	144.1	142.9	136.0	136.6	144.1	145.3	143.5	138.5	134.8	132.3	127.3	139.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	152.9	133.5	122.8	119.9	121.8	126.8	127.0	138.0	158.8	179.7	203.5	190.6	147.9
Bread	Pound	157.4	157.4	157.4	159.0	159.0	157.4	157.4	157.4	157.4	157.4	157.4	157.4	157.4
Flour	do.	196.9	196.9	193.8	193.8	193.8	190.6	190.6	190.6	178.1	175.0	178.1	168.8	187.5
Corn meal	do.	188.2	188.2	188.2	191.2	191.2	185.3	182.4	188.2	188.2	182.4	191.2	191.2	188.2
Rice	do.	133.8	135.0	135.0	133.8	135.0	133.8	133.8	133.8	136.3	132.5	130.0	126.3	133.8
Potatoes	do.	256.0	260.0	248.0	300.0	288.0	216.0	160.0	136.0	144.0	164.0	176.0	172.0	212.0
Sugar, granulated	do.	118.4	122.4	120.4	118.4	122.4	124.5	124.5	126.5	126.5	130.6	130.6	132.7	124.5
Tea	do.	149.4	149.9	149.9	149.9	150.1	150.1	149.9	149.7	149.2	149.9	152.2	151.7	150.1
Coffee	do.	175.2	176.3	176.3	175.5	174.1	174.1	173.4	172.3	172.3	173.7	173.0	173.0	174.1
Index numbers of 43 weighted articles ¹		166.7	165.3	163.6	166.5	167.1	162.8	158.6	157.2	160.4	164.0	166.9	166.0	163.9

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	171.0	169.9	171.0	177.2	179.5	179.5	189.6	191.1	191.9	192.7	194.2	195.4	183.8
Round steak	do.	170.8	169.6	170.0	176.4	178.8	179.6	185.6	188.4	188.0	187.2	188.4	188.4	180.8
Rib roast	do.	177.1	177.1	176.6	178.9	181.7	181.7	187.2	188.5	188.1	192.2	195.4	197.2	185.3
Chuck roast	do.	153.8	155.0	153.1	158.8	160.6	159.4	168.1	166.9	168.8	175.6	177.5	184.4	165.0
Plate beef	do.	133.6	133.6	130.8	137.7	137.0	137.7	142.5	143.8	146.6	150.7	154.8	161.6	142.5
Pork chops	do.	182.3	179.5	184.7	188.8	188.8	180.5	182.3	188.4	207.0	210.2	188.8	171.6	187.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	196.4	195.6	196.4	198.0	195.2	190.0	188.8	191.2	193.2	194.8	196.0	190.4	194.0
Ham, sliced	do.	213.8	211.4	211.7	211.7	210.3	206.6	202.4	202.4	204.8	201.4	200.0	194.8	205.9
Lamb, leg of	do.	213.9	217.0	230.9	236.4	252.7	247.9	246.1	232.1	232.1	227.3	224.2	220.0	231.5
Hens	do.	184.6	189.3	186.4	187.9	190.7	183.6	178.5	179.4	180.8	180.8	179.9	177.2	183.2
Milk, fresh	Quart.	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	177.8	177.8	177.8	177.8	170.0
Butter	Pound	153.9	158.1	156.5	157.9	141.1	138.7	138.5	137.7	145.8	152.9	164.5	160.5	149.7
Cheese	do.	193.4	192.9	193.9	195.4	197.5	195.9	195.9	195.9	202.0	202.0	204.6	205.6	198.0
Lard	do.	127.3	126.1	124.8	126.1	123.6	123.6	123.6	122.4	127.3	127.3	128.0	126.1	125.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	160.5	133.7	110.9	111.7	112.9	114.1	117.1	130.5	150.4	183.9	198.5	181.6	142.2
Bread	Pound	157.4	159.0	159.0	157.4	159.0	159.0	159.0	159.0	159.0	159.0	157.4	157.4	159.0
Flour	do.	171.9	168.8	171.9	171.9	171.9	175.0	178.1	178.1	171.9	171.9	168.8	168.8	171.9
Corn meal	do.	191.2	191.2	194.1	191.2	188.2	191.2	188.2	191.2	188.2	194.1	197.1	191.2	191.2
Rice	do.	126.3	126.3	125.0	125.0	121.3	122.5	120.0	121.3	121.3	126.3	126.3	123.8	123.8
Potatoes	do.	172.0	168.0	168.0	168.0	184.0	216.0	148.0	128.0	132.0	144.0	140.0	140.0	160.0
Sugar, granulated	do.	138.8	138.8	136.7	128.6	128.6	132.7	136.7	134.7	130.6	130.6	128.6	126.5	132.7
Tea	do.	152.2	151.3	152.9	153.1	153.1	153.1	153.1	153.1	153.6	155.0	155.4	153.6	153.3
Coffee	do.	170.4	168.6	168.6	164.2	162.4	162.8	161.3	162.0	165.0	165.7	167.2	169.3	165.7
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		161.5	159.1	157.1	157.9	158.9	160.7	155.5	155.5	160.2	165.4	166.1	164.4	160.3

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

OMAHA, NEBR.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	146.4	145.6	146.0	145.2	148.4	150.8	152.8	151.6	153.6	153.6	150.0	148.4	149.2
Round steak.....	do	151.2	152.5	152.5	153.5	156.7	160.8	163.6	163.1	166.8	165.0	160.4	159.0	159.0
Rib roast.....	do	141.8	141.8	141.3	142.4	141.8	142.9	144.6	142.9	142.4	145.1	142.4	142.9	142.9
Chuck roast.....	do	138.2	138.9	139.5	136.9	140.1	139.5	138.9	140.1	138.2	140.8	140.1	140.1	139.5
Plate beef.....	do	113.1	112.1	114.0	115.9	118.7	117.8	117.8	115.0	115.0	115.9	117.8	119.6	115.9
Pork chops.....	do	183.1	180.0	181.5	188.2	193.8	205.6	202.1	192.8	209.7	215.4	192.3	185.6	194.4
Bacon, sliced.....	do	184.5	189.2	186.3	188.1	189.2	197.1	201.8	201.4	199.6	197.8	197.8	191.3	193.9
Ham, sliced.....	do	188.0	188.0	192.8	194.5	196.2	210.0	212.4	214.4	214.4	214.4	211.7	201.7	203.1
Lamb, leg of.....	do	219.2	219.8	212.2	217.4	223.3	227.3	220.3	220.3	212.2	212.8	214.0	210.5	217.4
Hens.....	do	193.1	194.8	197.7	206.4	204.0	197.7	195.4	186.1	188.4	183.2	179.8	180.3	192.5
Milk, fresh.....	Quart	141.5	139.0	135.4	135.4	125.6	125.6	131.7	137.8	137.8	137.8	137.8	137.8	135.4
Butter.....	Pound	140.1	135.4	134.9	129.7	128.6	126.7	127.8	126.7	133.8	137.6	142.0	146.9	134.1
Cheese.....	do	163.8	163.8	162.4	155.9	149.3	149.3	149.3	148.0	151.5	155.0	161.1	158.5	155.9
Lard.....	do	143.1	140.8	139.1	137.9	137.4	139.7	141.4	141.4	138.5	138.5	133.3	134.5	139.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen	173.8	130.6	116.2	122.5	122.9	126.6	128.0	131.7	146.1	168.3	184.9	192.3	145.4
Bread.....	Pound	194.2	194.2	194.2	194.2	194.2	194.2	196.2	196.2	196.2	198.1	196.1	196.1	196.1
Flour.....	do	203.6	200.0	196.4	192.9	192.9	189.3	185.7	178.6	178.6	178.6	171.4	167.9	185.7
Corn meal.....	do	208.3	208.3	204.2	204.2	204.2	204.2	204.2	204.2	208.3	204.2	204.2	204.2	204.2
Rice.....	do	134.1	135.3	136.5	136.5	138.8	137.6	135.3	135.3	137.6	135.3	134.1	134.1	136.5
Potatoes.....	do	356.3	343.8	343.8	387.5	350.0	300.0	237.5	187.5	225.0	231.3	250.0	250.0	287.5
Sugar, granulated.....	do	119.0	119.0	120.7	122.4	122.4	122.4	124.1	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	131.0	124.1
Tea.....	do	140.2	139.6	141.3	143.4	143.4	140.2	140.7	140.7	140.7	140.7	140.7	140.7	141.1
Coffee.....	do	191.3	191.3	191.0	191.0	191.7	191.7	192.0	191.7	191.7	191.7	186.3	183.3	190.3
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		164.4	160.6	159.4	162.0	159.5	157.9	155.0	152.2	155.9	158.0	158.2	158.4	158.5

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound	147.2	148.0	148.0	151.2	152.0	150.8	158.0	160.4	159.6	159.2	156.4	155.6	154.0
Round steak.....	do	156.7	155.8	155.8	161.8	164.1	163.6	172.3	174.2	175.0	172.4	169.6	166.4	165.9
Rib roast.....	do	142.9	143.5	141.3	141.8	145.1	144.0	147.8	148.9	151.1	148.9	144.6	144.0	145.1
Chuck roast.....	do	138.2	140.1	140.8	141.4	145.2	142.0	145.9	145.9	147.1	149.7	147.8	147.1	144.6
Plate beef.....	do	123.4	120.6	123.4	120.6	124.3	124.3	123.4	119.6	123.4	121.5	127.1	136.4	124.3
Pork chops.....	do	177.9	173.3	180.5	180.0	176.4	172.3	171.8	183.1	197.9	210.8	176.9	156.4	180.0
Bacon, sliced.....	do	184.8	184.1	182.7	183.0	183.0	181.2	180.0	176.5	174.0	177.3	176.2	173.6	179.8
Ham, sliced.....	do	198.6	200.0	200.0	200.0	197.9	193.5	185.9	184.9	175.9	172.9	173.2	169.4	187.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do	211.0	209.3	212.8	223.8	230.2	225.6	225.0	220.3	218.0	221.5	218.0	218.6	219.8
Hens.....	do	188.4	190.2	190.2	193.1	187.9	179.2	173.4	171.1	178.6	172.8	170.5	172.3	180.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart	137.8	137.8	137.8	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	131.7	137.8	137.8	137.8	137.8	132.9
Butter.....	Pound	149.0	149.0	152.0	151.2	142.0	137.9	134.6	131.9	131.6	139.0	143.3	146.9	142.5
Cheese.....	do	161.6	159.0	161.6	157.6	159.0	157.6	159.0	158.5	165.9	164.6	168.6	169.0	162.0
Lard.....	do	131.0	127.0	125.3	121.8	120.1	117.8	117.8	112.6	113.2	116.7	116.7	116.1	119.5
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen	166.4	131.0	106.6	105.2	103.0	99.3	105.9	114.0	132.1	155.4	170.1	188.6	131.4
Bread.....	Pound	196.2	196.2	194.2	194.2	194.2	194.2	198.5	186.5	186.5	186.5	186.5	186.5	190.4
Flour.....	do	167.9	167.9	164.3	164.3	164.3	164.3	164.3	164.3	164.3	164.3	160.7	160.7	164.3
Corn meal.....	do	200.0	200.0	200.0	200.0	195.8	191.7	195.8	191.7	195.8	204.2	195.8	191.7	195.8
Rice.....	do	129.4	129.4	129.4	129.4	127.1	132.9	130.6	130.6	130.6	129.4	128.2	129.4	129.4
Potatoes.....	do	243.8	237.5	231.3	225.0	275.0	406.3	231.3	183.1	162.5	150.0	137.5	143.8	218.8
Sugar, granulated.....	do	134.5	136.2	136.2	136.2	136.2	134.5	136.2	132.8	131.0	129.3	127.6	125.9	132.8
Tea.....	do	143.4	141.8	141.8	142.3	140.7	141.3	140.0	138.9	138.9	140.0	139.5	138.9	140.7
Coffee.....	do	181.3	180.7	178.7	179.3	178.7	178.7	178.3	178.0	178.0	178.7	178.7	179.0	179.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		155.9	155.4	152.0	150.6	153.5	159.7	148.2	146.0	147.1	148.3	147.4	148.4	150.8

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	184.1	182.5	179.1	183.8	181.5	186.4	185.8	184.8	185.4	185.8	181.5	180.1	183.4
Round steak.....	do.....	163.5	159.2	157.6	161.6	162.4	165.9	167.5	168.2	170.6	164.7	162.4	161.6	163.9
Rib roast.....	do.....	169.1	166.4	166.4	167.3	168.6	171.4	170.5	167.7	166.4	166.4	165.0	165.0	167.7
Chuck roast.....	do.....	135.2	140.3	138.6	138.6	141.5	146.0	144.3	147.7	151.1	148.3	146.0	147.7	143.8
Plate beef.....	do.....	103.4	105.9	105.0	110.1	104.2	106.7	105.9	106.7	108.4	106.7	105.9	107.6	106.7
Pork chops.....	do.....	186.5	183.3	187.9	194.4	209.8	218.6	217.2	213.0	222.8	217.7	201.9	190.2	203.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	177.0	178.5	177.8	178.9	183.1	189.7	190.8	191.6	190.8	188.5	185.1	182.0	184.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	180.6	180.9	183.2	187.4	194.5	212.6	212.9	207.8	203.2	200.3	192.9	193.2	195.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	208.1	203.0	202.0	200.0	214.2	234.5	219.3	213.2	206.6	203.0	205.6	204.1	209.6
Hens.....	do.....	183.2	184.5	184.5	192.5	197.3	194.7	189.4	182.3	183.2	181.9	182.3	181.0	186.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	156.3	162.5	162.5	152.5
Butter.....	Pound.....	153.5	131.9	130.5	122.9	122.2	124.8	125.0	124.3	129.1	133.3	139.7	149.8	130.5
Cheese.....	do.....	164.0	164.8	160.0	161.2	159.2	156.8	154.0	157.2	156.8	158.4	156.0	157.2	158.8
Lard.....	do.....	144.7	145.4	141.4	138.8	138.8	147.4	151.3	150.7	145.4	142.8	134.9	126.3	142.1
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	162.5	134.1	118.9	119.2	119.8	126.6	127.8	131.2	155.6	170.4	209.2	212.0	149.6
Bread.....	Pound.....	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	197.9	195.8	197.9	197.9	197.9	197.9	195.8
Flour.....	do.....	190.6	193.8	193.8	190.6	190.6	187.5	187.5	190.6	181.3	171.9	171.9	168.8	184.4
Corn meal.....	do.....	171.4	171.4	175.0	167.9	167.9	167.9	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	167.9	167.9	171.4
Rice.....	do.....	122.4	124.5	123.5	124.5	124.5	125.5	127.6	127.6	126.5	125.5	123.5	120.4	124.5
Potatoes.....	do.....	300.0	295.5	295.5	336.4	318.2	254.5	186.4	177.3	204.5	200.0	209.1	213.6	250.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	122.0	122.0	120.0	120.0	124.0	132.0	130.0	132.0	132.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	128.0
Tea.....	do.....	131.7	131.5	131.3	132.0	133.1	134.6	135.6	137.6	133.7	133.5	131.3	128.5	133.0
Coffee.....	do.....	185.5	183.5	184.7	183.9	179.8	182.3	183.9	181.5	185.9	183.9	183.9	185.1	183.5
Index number of 43 weighted articles 1.....		167.7	164.7	162.8	165.1	165.2	163.5	158.8	157.6	161.9	164.3	167.7	168.5	163.9

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	182.1	180.1	182.8	186.4	191.4	191.1	201.3	198.0	198.0	195.7	195.4	203.3	192.1
Round steak.....	do.....	162.7	160.4	164.3	169.4	171.8	172.5	184.7	183.1	180.0	178.0	177.3	183.5	174.1
Rib roast.....	do.....	165.9	164.5	165.9	168.6	169.5	172.3	176.4	174.5	174.1	173.6	177.3	183.6	172.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	147.7	148.3	147.7	150.6	155.1	153.4	160.8	160.2	158.0	158.0	163.1	172.7	156.2
Plate beef.....	do.....	107.6	107.6	110.1	110.9	114.3	111.8	116.0	115.1	117.6	117.6	123.5	132.8	115.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	186.0	186.5	187.9	189.3	192.6	181.4	185.6	202.8	212.1	210.7	180.5	168.8	190.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	179.7	180.1	180.5	181.2	177.8	176.6	174.3	177.0	175.1	174.7	172.8	168.2	176.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	194.5	197.1	197.1	195.8	196.4	194.8	194.1	188.6	183.7	180.3	177.3	172.5	188.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	198.5	200.0	205.6	213.2	221.8	224.4	222.3	211.2	207.1	204.6	207.1	202.0	209.6
Hens.....	do.....	181.9	180.1	181.9	184.1	185.0	174.8	172.1	172.1	172.6	176.5	177.0	176.1	177.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5
Butter.....	Pound.....	144.3	143.3	144.3	144.3	131.0	125.5	125.9	126.1	131.9	139.9	142.0	146.1	137.2
Cheese.....	do.....	159.2	160.0	159.2	159.6	159.2	157.6	157.6	156.0	160.1	161.6	163.4	164.0	159.6
Lard.....	do.....	127.0	123.7	123.0	120.4	120.4	115.1	114.5	118.4	118.4	122.4	120.4	119.1	120.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	178.8	133.0	105.7	102.6	102.6	100.6	110.3	121.5	149.3	179.1	190.5	196.3	139.3
Bread.....	Pound.....	197.9	197.9	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8	195.8
Flour.....	do.....	168.8	168.8	168.8	165.6	165.6	168.8	168.8	162.5	162.5	162.5	159.4	156.3	165.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	175.0	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4	171.4
Rice.....	do.....	117.3	118.4	115.3	115.3	116.3	115.3	116.3	115.3	115.3	115.3	114.3	113.3	115.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	209.1	200.0	190.9	190.9	254.5	272.7	190.9	150.0	159.1	163.6	159.1	163.6	190.9
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	138.0	138.0	136.0	132.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	132.0	134.0
Tea.....	do.....	128.5	128.9	126.9	126.3	125.9	125.4	126.3	125.2	125.6	124.6	124.7	125.6	126.3
Coffee.....	do.....	180.6	177.4	173.4	166.1	166.9	159.3	160.1	155.2	158.1	158.1	162.1	162.9	164.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles 1.....		164.9	160.1	157.2	157.5	161.4	160.7	156.2	154.1	157.7	161.5	161.7	163.0	159.6

1 For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES,
1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	173.9	170.9	171.6	170.5	173.9	179.1	181.0	177.6	176.1	178.0	172.0	169.0	174.6
Round steak.....	do.....	164.4	159.2	162.7	163.5	167.0	169.5	170.0	168.2	172.5	172.1	169.1	166.5	167.0
Rib roast.....	do.....	161.3	154.4	154.8	155.3	156.7	158.5	159.4	156.2	167.1	157.6	156.7	157.1	157.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	148.5	145.5	144.3	143.1	144.9	148.5	147.3	146.7	150.3	152.7	152.1	149.7	147.9
Plate beef.....	do.....	104.1	106.6	105.0	103.3	105.0	102.5	101.7	96.7	105.0	111.6	107.4	112.4	105.0
Pork chops.....	do.....	171.6	167.6	177.0	185.1	194.1	204.1	195.5	188.7	201.4	203.6	178.8	169.4	186.5
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	176.6	180.0	180.7	181.7	185.9	193.4	193.4	193.1	195.2	194.8	191.0	184.5	187.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	200.0	199.0	200.0	202.3	207.4	227.4	230.4	225.4	220.7	219.7	214.4	208.7	213.0
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	195.7	190.5	187.1	189.5	198.6	211.9	204.3	194.8	192.9	192.9	191.0	190.5	194.8
Hens.....	do.....	173.5	171.6	170.4	179.0	176.3	173.5	170.8	164.6	163.8	161.1	162.6	171.6	170.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	167.0	164.8	164.8	159.1	147.7	147.7	147.7	159.1	159.1	159.1	167.0	167.0	159.1
Butter.....	Pound..	141.7	138.9	138.2	130.4	128.9	130.4	130.2	128.9	135.9	143.5	150.5	160.8	138.2
Cheese.....	do.....	162.4	163.3	161.2	159.2	155.9	156.3	154.7	154.7	155.1	157.6	162.0	162.0	158.8
Lard.....	do.....	143.9	140.6	138.1	132.9	134.8	143.2	146.5	147.1	145.8	143.2	138.7	134.8	140.6
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	176.9	143.4	122.2	120.6	124.3	130.5	132.0	140.3	167.5	179.4	207.1	217.2	154.2
Bread.....	Pound..	168.5	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2	172.2
Flour.....	do.....	187.5	187.5	184.4	184.4	184.4	181.3	181.3	181.3	175.0	171.9	168.8	165.6	178.1
Corn meal.....	do.....	207.1	207.1	210.7	210.7	210.7	210.7	207.1	207.1	221.4	225.0	214.3	210.7	210.7
Rice.....	do.....	135.9	133.7	134.8	132.6	132.6	137.0	138.0	141.3	139.1	141.3	139.1	135.9	137.0
Potatoes.....	do.....	333.3	327.8	316.7	361.1	327.8	311.1	200.0	194.4	222.2	205.6	227.8	222.2	272.2
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	119.6	121.4	121.4	121.4	121.4	125.0	126.8	126.8	126.8	128.6	128.6	132.1	125.0
Tea.....	do.....	144.8	144.7	146.9	146.9	147.8	148.1	146.2	147.1	146.9	147.9	146.7	146.7	146.7
Coffee.....	do.....	170.7	171.3	171.3	169.7	169.7	165.7	169.7	167.7	171.7	171.0	171.3	171.0	170.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles.....		167.6	164.0	162.1	162.9	160.7	161.8	156.2	156.9	160.6	162.1	166.0	166.7	162.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	169.8	172.4	171.3	174.6	178.7	177.6	182.8	185.8	185.8	187.3	184.0	187.7	179.9
Round steak.....	do.....	163.5	162.2	161.8	166.5	171.7	172.1	177.3	180.3	179.8	179.8	176.0	177.3	172.5
Rib roast.....	do.....	153.0	156.7	156.7	158.5	158.1	159.9	161.3	164.5	163.6	165.9	164.7	168.7	160.8
Chuck roast.....	do.....	149.7	152.1	152.7	158.1	159.3	159.9	161.7	162.3	165.9	169.5	166.5	170.7	160.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	109.9	106.6	105.8	113.2	111.6	111.6	111.6	114.0	116.5	117.4	127.3	135.5	114.9
Pork chops.....	do.....	168.0	167.1	173.9	177.9	178.4	173.0	172.5	189.2	204.5	209.9	176.6	155.9	178.8
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	186.2	180.3	182.4	185.5	183.4	182.1	175.2	176.9	177.2	177.2	174.8	170.0	179.3
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	203.3	204.3	206.7	206.7	209.4	204.0	203.0	203.3	198.3	197.3	191.6	189.6	201.3
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	191.0	187.1	194.8	201.9	208.6	213.3	208.6	200.0	195.2	197.1	191.0	192.4	198.6
Hens.....	do.....	171.6	170.4	172.4	171.6	170.8	168.1	166.1	163.4	163.8	165.8	161.9	160.3	167.3
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	170.5	170.5	170.5	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	159.1	170.5	170.5	170.5	164.8
Butter.....	Pound..	152.5	154.5	157.0	155.0	138.2	132.7	132.2	134.7	142.0	147.5	149.2	158.8	146.2
Cheese.....	do.....	161.6	162.4	158.8	162.0	163.7	164.9	163.3	162.4	163.7	165.7	168.6	169.0	163.7
Lard.....	do.....	132.3	129.7	127.7	126.5	124.5	119.4	120.0	119.4	120.0	125.8	127.1	128.4	125.2
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	189.2	156.6	113.8	110.2	112.0	112.6	119.1	133.5	152.9	179.7	196.1	201.2	148.0
Bread.....	Pound..	170.4	168.5	168.5	168.5	168.5	168.5	168.5	168.5	166.7	166.7	155.6	159.3	166.7
Flour.....	do.....	165.6	162.5	162.5	159.4	159.4	162.5	165.6	162.5	165.6	162.5	159.4	156.3	162.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	210.7	210.7	210.7	214.3	210.7	210.7	196.4	207.1	210.7	203.6	203.6	210.7	207.1
Rice.....	do.....	132.6	131.7	135.9	130.4	128.3	127.2	127.2	127.2	123.9	123.9	120.7	121.7	128.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	222.2	205.6	200.0	188.9	238.9	333.3	211.1	161.1	177.8	166.7	161.1	161.1	200.0
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	137.5	137.5	133.9	132.1	132.1	135.7	133.9	130.4	130.4	132.1	132.1	130.4	133.9
Tea.....	do.....	146.7	145.7	146.7	145.2	143.1	144.3	144.7	143.6	143.1	143.1	143.1	142.8	144.3
Coffee.....	do.....	169.0	168.3	168.3	165.7	164.0	158.0	157.3	156.0	153.3	154.0	157.3	158.7	161.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles.....		163.7	160.1	157.0	155.4	157.3	161.3	154.8	152.9	156.0	160.0	158.4	160.0	158.1

1 For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

PORTLAND, OREG.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	126.2	126.2	127.1	127.5	128.8	128.4	128.8	129.3	127.9	129.3	128.4	128.4	127.9
Round steak	do.	124.2	126.1	128.0	129.5	129.5	130.0	130.0	130.0	128.5	130.0	128.0	126.1	128.5
Rib roast	do.	129.7	130.7	131.3	131.8	131.8	131.3	130.7	129.2	132.8	129.7	127.1	128.1	130.2
Chuck roast	do.	110.4	109.8	111.0	112.9	112.3	112.3	111.0	112.3	109.8	112.3	114.1	114.1	111.7
Plate beef	do.	98.5	100.7	97.8	103.0	99.3	97.8	96.3	96.3	94.8	98.5	100.0	100.7	98.5
Pork chops	do.	167.3	170.0	174.2	176.0	178.8	198.6	197.2	219.6	189.9	189.4	182.0	175.6	182.9
Bacon, sliced	do.	173.1	173.1	178.4	177.4	180.1	189.7	196.7	198.3	193.4	193.0	193.7	182.7	185.7
Ham, sliced	do.	174.3	176.9	177.9	179.5	185.1	192.4	196.0	200.0	196.0	199.0	198.0	189.4	188.8
Lamb, leg of	do.	214.7	213.0	207.9	208.5	211.3	206.8	205.1	198.9	198.9	200.6	201.7	202.3	205.6
Hens	do.	170.1	167.3	170.1	177.7	178.7	172.0	167.8	160.7	162.1	160.2	163.5	165.9	168.2
Milk, fresh	Quart.	133.7	133.7	133.7	131.6	128.4	128.4	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	129.5
Butter	Pound	135.1	135.6	128.4	120.2	117.0	116.5	116.0	126.2	131.1	131.9	131.1	137.3	127.2
Cheese	do.	188.9	188.0	188.9	186.1	178.4	179.8	180.3	180.8	181.7	183.7	179.3	183.7	183.2
Lard	do.	137.0	136.5	134.3	133.7	131.5	132.6	134.3	135.9	134.3	134.3	128.2	126.0	133.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	107.4	91.5	86.0	83.8	89.9	99.5	101.6	114.5	128.5	146.0	147.4	146.6	111.8
Bread	Pound	167.9	167.9	167.9	167.9	167.9	167.9	167.9	167.9	167.9	169.6	169.6	169.6	167.9
Flour	do.	189.7	189.7	182.8	179.3	179.3	179.3	179.3	179.3	175.9	179.3	179.3	179.3	182.8
Corn meal	do.	161.8	164.7	155.9	155.9	152.9	147.1	150.0	150.0	147.1	147.1	161.8	161.8	155.9
Rice	do.	132.6	133.7	132.6	129.1	127.9	130.2	131.4	131.4	127.9	126.7	125.6	120.9	129.1
Potatoes	do.	422.2	422.2	411.1	522.2	488.9	444.4	433.3	328.9	288.9	266.7	266.7	288.9	366.7
Sugar, granulated	do.	109.7	111.3	109.7	109.7	112.9	117.7	114.5	114.5	116.1	116.1	114.5	117.7	114.5
Tea	do.	143.4	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	137.8	137.8	139.3	137.8	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3
Coffee	do.	150.3	150.3	150.3	149.7	149.4	150.3	150.6	150.9	150.9	150.3	149.1	148.3	150.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		142.1	140.8	139.5	141.1	140.0	140.1	137.2	138.5	140.0	141.6	141.2	142.1	140.3

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 5	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	128.4	128.8	130.1	138.0	136.7	136.2	137.1	137.6	138.4	135.8	135.4	136.7	134.9
Round steak	do.	127.1	130.4	131.4	140.1	138.6	138.2	138.6	139.1	140.1	139.6	139.1	140.6	136.7
Rib roast	do.	130.2	131.2	135.9	138.5	137.6	137.5	134.9	139.0	134.4	134.4	136.5	136.5	135.4
Chuck roast	do.	115.3	116.0	117.8	125.2	124.5	122.7	120.2	121.5	120.9	119.0	122.1	125.2	120.9
Plate beef	do.	103.7	106.0	106.7	111.2	109.7	107.5	105.2	106.0	106.7	107.5	112.7	117.2	108.2
Pork chops	do.	177.0	173.7	172.8	169.6	165.0	160.8	165.9	169.6	182.5	178.8	167.7	159.4	170.0
Bacon, sliced	do.	181.7	182.7	181.7	180.4	181.4	180.4	178.4	178.1	177.7	178.1	177.4	171.8	179.1
Ham, sliced	do.	189.4	188.4	188.4	188.8	186.8	184.8	184.8	185.8	184.2	184.8	182.8	189.4	185.8
Lamb, leg of	do.	202.8	203.4	207.9	214.7	215.3	213.6	210.2	208.5	202.3	201.1	202.8	200.0	206.8
Hens	do.	174.9	174.9	173.0	173.0	172.0	152.1	154.0	150.2	149.8	140.8	152.6	152.6	160.2
Milk, fresh	Quart.	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3
Butter	Pound	140.0	139.3	135.3	128.1	124.0	122.7	122.7	127.2	134.3	135.3	138.0	142.7	132.6
Cheese	do.	184.1	181.2	179.8	176.4	178.4	179.8	178.4	178.8	185.1	184.1	185.6	184.1	181.3
Lard	do.	124.9	137.8	122.1	119.3	117.1	113.3	112.7	111.6	112.2	111.6	116.0	113.8	117.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	111.5	102.7	83.6	79.7	80.3	79.7	86.3	96.2	119.2	144.1	150.4	129.0	105.2
Bread	Pound	169.6	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	164.3	169.6	166.1
Flour	do.	179.3	175.9	172.4	172.4	172.4	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	172.4	165.5	162.1	172.4
Corn meal	do.	155.9	164.7	158.8	164.7	164.7	161.8	167.9	167.9	161.8	161.8	161.8	164.7	164.7
Rice	do.	119.8	120.9	120.9	117.4	119.8	120.9	120.9	119.8	122.1	118.6	117.4	112.8	119.8
Potatoes	do.	266.7	300.0	288.9	311.1	366.7	488.9	466.7	311.1	300.0	288.9	266.7	244.4	322.2
Sugar, granulated	do.	121.0	121.0	117.7	114.5	116.1	121.0	117.7	117.7	116.1	114.5	116.1	112.9	117.7
Tea	do.	141.1	141.1	141.6	144.7	139.8	139.8	140.5	140.2	141.8	138.9	139.5	138.9	140.7
Coffee	do.	151.7	151.1	148.3	147.7	146.6	143.7	146.0	146.6	146.6	144.9	148.3	148.3	147.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		139.4	139.3	136.5	137.0	138.7	140.6	139.5	136.8	139.5	141.1	141.2	139.0	139.0

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	182.6	180.6	179.8	181.1	184.1	184.3	183.6	181.8	179.0	176.3	176.8	177.3	180.6
Round steak	do.	164.8	162.9	162.5	160.9	163.8	163.8	163.8	162.5	161.6	160.9	160.6	160.9	162.5
Rib roast	do.	162.7	159.3	155.6	158.1	160.6	159.8	158.9	158.1	159.8	158.1	156.8	158.9	158.9
Chuck roast	do.	156.1	152.4	149.2	150.3	154.0	157.2	152.9	152.4	153.5	151.3	153.5	155.1	152.9
Plate beef	do.													
Pork chops	do.	187.6	189.5	191.0	199.5	207.1	220.0	214.8	218.1	227.1	227.6	204.3	190.5	206.7
Bacon, sliced	do.	204.0	200.9	197.8	197.8	198.2	206.2	208.4	208.4	210.2	207.1	205.3	204.0	204.0
Ham, sliced	do.	180.5	182.4	179.9	182.7	187.9	203.2	205.8	208.6	207.3	206.4	197.4	193.0	194.6
Lamb, leg of	do.	216.8	211.7	202.6	202.0	224.5	240.3	223.5	217.3	216.3	208.7	208.7	205.1	214.8
Hens	do.	178.1	177.3	179.3	185.5	189.3	188.8	183.5	177.3	176.0	175.2	176.9	175.6	180.2
Milk, fresh	Quart.	163.3	163.3	163.3	163.3	163.3	163.3	164.4	164.4	164.4	164.4	164.4	168.9	163.3
Butter	Pound	144.8	143.6	139.4	134.0	131.7	133.0	132.2	132.5	135.1	138.1	140.5	145.9	137.6
Cheese	do.	166.4	166.8	167.7	165.0	165.0	164.1	164.5	164.1	164.5	165.9	167.3	167.3	165.9
Lard	do.	140.9	137.7	139.0	134.4	133.8	144.8	144.8	142.9	137.0	138.3	131.2	122.7	137.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	162.7	160.3	122.4	111.3	113.5	118.0	129.1	151.2	168.7	184.9	211.3	183.9	151.4
Bread	Pound	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3
Flour	do.	200.0	200.0	197.1	194.1	191.2	191.2	191.2	185.3	179.4	179.4	179.4	173.5	188.2
Corn meal	do.	175.9	169.0	172.4	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	175.9	172.4	175.9
Rice	do.	124.7	124.7	123.7	126.9	128.0	129.0	129.0	129.0	126.9	128.0	130.1	126.9	126.9
Potatoes	do.	347.1	335.3	317.6	435.3	300.0	282.4	229.4	194.1	200.0	200.0	210.7	621.7	270.6
Sugar, granulated	do.	127.5	127.5	123.5	121.6	127.5	131.4	131.4	131.4	131.4	135.3	135.3	139.2	129.4
Tea	do.	126.7	127.5	126.5	126.5	127.3	128.2	127.3	126.7	128.0	126.7	125.3	125.9	126.9
Coffee	do.	181.0	181.0	180.3	180.3	180.7	180.7	180.7	181.0	178.3	178.3	179.3	178.7	180.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		166.6	165.6	160.6	164.8	159.9	159.3	158.5	158.2	160.1	161.7	164.4	162.2	161.7

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	177.3	177.3	177.8	181.8	186.4	185.1	189.1	190.2	190.2	190.4	192.4	192.9	186.1
Round steak	do.	160.3	160.6	158.0	163.2	165.8	163.8	169.7	171.0	169.7	167.4	165.8	172.6	165.8
Rib roast	do.	154.4	156.4	153.9	161.8	163.9	162.2	168.0	168.0	166.4	167.6	168.9	170.5	163.5
Chuck roast	do.	149.2	151.9	151.3	159.4	159.9	158.8	169.0	167.9	162.6	169.5	163.1	169.5	161.0
Plate beef	do.													
Pork chops	do.	184.8	181.4	185.2	188.6	185.2	171.4	175.7	200.0	222.4	231.9	191.0	169.0	190.5
Bacon, sliced	do.	202.7	202.2	199.6	198.2	191.1	189.3	186.2	187.6	188.4	187.9	186.2	183.1	192.0
Ham, sliced	do.	191.7	190.4	190.4	195.5	191.7	186.9	182.1	177.6	171.9	168.4	175.1	175.7	183.1
Lamb, leg of	do.	198.0	202.0	211.2	220.9	226.0	223.5	220.4	211.2	204.6	203.1	203.1	194.9	209.7
Hens	do.	175.6	173.6	174.4	176.0	179.8	166.1	156.2	164.0	162.0	168.6	169.4	163.6	169.0
Milk, fresh	Quart.	158.9	158.9	158.9	158.9	158.9	158.9	161.1	172.2	172.2	174.4	174.4	174.4	165.6
Butter	Pound	147.4	148.2	151.8	154.4	138.1	133.8	131.7	132.5	134.0	138.9	138.9	139.4	140.7
Cheese	do.	166.8	165.5	167.3	167.7	167.3	166.8	167.3	167.7	169.1	171.8	170.0	174.1	168.6
Lard	do.	120.8	119.5	118.8	118.2	118.8	118.2	118.8	119.5	120.8	120.8	121.4	119.5	119.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	161.8	136.3	108.4	103.8	103.8	105.3	122.4	143.8	163.5	180.3	199.8	166.8	141.3
Bread	Pound	153.3	153.3	153.3	153.3	151.7	151.7	151.7	151.7	151.7	151.7	151.7	150.0	151.7
Flour	do.	173.5	173.5	173.5	170.6	173.5	176.5	176.5	176.5	170.6	167.6	161.8	164.7	170.6
Corn meal	do.	172.4	169.0	172.4	172.4	169.0	169.0	175.9	172.4	179.3	179.3	175.9	175.9	172.4
Rice	do.	128.0	124.7	123.7	121.5	119.4	115.1	115.1	114.0	116.1	117.2	116.1	116.1	119.4
Potatoes	do.	217.6	205.9	205.9	205.9	241.2	323.5	205.9	164.7	182.4	176.5	170.6	170.6	205.9
Sugar, granulated	do.	143.1	143.1	141.2	137.3	139.2	141.2	139.2	137.3	137.3	135.3	135.3	135.3	139.2
Tea	do.	125.1	126.1	126.1	125.5	125.5	126.7	126.1	125.5	125.9	125.5	126.5	126.5	125.9
Coffee	do.	179.0	175.3	173.7	170.0	168.3	166.0	162.3	163.0	162.7	163.0	164.0	166.7	168.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		158.4	155.4	153.2	153.9	155.8	157.8	153.1	154.8	157.5	159.8	160.3	156.9	156.4

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

RICHMOND, VA.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	175.6	176.9	177.8	177.8	178.7	180.1	180.1	178.3	179.2	180.1	180.5	181.4	178.7
Round steak.....	do.....	173.7	175.3	176.8	176.3	177.8	177.3	177.3	177.3	177.3	178.8	179.8	177.3	177.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	166.7	166.7	167.7	166.7	169.8	169.8	168.3	168.8	166.7	170.4	169.3	166.7	168.3
Chuck roast.....	do.....	147.4	147.4	148.1	151.3	155.2	151.3	153.9	150.6	148.7	150.6	151.3	151.3	150.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	128.2	131.5	131.5	131.5	131.5	133.1	133.1	131.5	128.2	129.8	131.5	129.8	130.6
Pork chops.....	do.....	176.7	176.2	184.0	187.9	197.1	203.4	205.3	195.6	211.7	210.2	199.5	184.0	194.2
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	173.6	174.4	174.8	175.6	175.6	185.4	190.2	189.8	191.3	191.3	189.4	178.3	182.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	178.4	179.6	179.6	180.4	180.4	192.0	198.4	195.2	196.0	194.0	188.8	188.4	187.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	235.8	240.4	235.8	236.3	237.3	238.9	238.3	239.9	236.3	234.7	232.1	228.5	236.3
Hens.....	do.....	195.6	195.6	195.6	206.9	202.0	195.1	195.1	184.3	174.0	181.4	177.9	175.5	189.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0
Butter.....	Pound..	151.8	147.0	144.8	141.4	136.5	137.2	135.0	136.5	139.2	142.3	146.2	153.0	142.6
Cheese.....	do.....	164.6	165.0	161.9	161.9	161.4	161.0	159.6	160.1	160.5	161.0	162.8	164.1	161.9
Lard.....	do.....	145.4	144.1	144.1	138.8	140.8	144.7	146.1	144.7	144.1	138.2	142.1	128.3	141.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	193.4	141.3	122.2	131.3	128.8	139.2	137.5	140.3	162.8	178.8	203.5	210.4	157.6
Bread.....	Pound..	179.2	179.2	179.2	179.2	179.2	179.2	179.2	179.2	177.4	179.2	179.2	175.5	179.2
Flour.....	do.....	190.9	193.9	187.9	184.8	184.8	181.8	181.8	181.8	181.8	178.8	175.8	175.8	184.8
Corn meal.....	do.....	238.1	238.1	238.1	228.6	228.6	228.6	223.8	219.0	219.0	219.0	223.8	214.3	228.6
Rice.....	do.....	128.3	131.3	134.3	133.3	134.3	134.3	134.3	132.3	133.3	134.3	131.3	128.3	132.3
Potatoes.....	do.....	368.4	357.9	352.6	415.8	405.3	326.3	247.4	221.1	242.1	257.9	236.8	236.8	305.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	124.5	124.5	124.5	124.5	122.6	128.3	128.3	130.2	130.2	132.1	134.0	132.1	128.3
Tea.....	do.....	163.9	160.4	160.4	157.3	157.3	161.4	161.8	164.1	163.2	161.6	159.3	158.8	160.7
Coffee.....	do.....	184.1	183.0	183.0	183.0	183.0	184.1	182.3	182.3	182.7	182.7	180.4	179.7	182.7
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		175.5	171.2	169.5	173.3	172.2	170.2	166.6	164.8	167.9	170.3	170.1	161.2	170.3

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound..	180.5	179.2	181.0	181.9	181.4	181.0	182.8	190.0	189.1	184.6	191.0	191.0	184.6
Round steak.....	do.....	176.8	176.3	178.8	181.3	179.8	179.8	180.8	184.8	189.9	181.8	187.4	188.4	182.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	165.1	170.9	170.4	172.5	172.0	172.0	170.4	172.0	176.2	173.5	177.2	177.8	172.5
Chuck roast.....	do.....	150.6	152.6	153.9	152.6	154.5	157.1	155.2	154.5	153.2	154.5	157.1	159.1	154.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	133.1	131.5	131.5	137.1	137.1	138.7	138.7	137.9	139.5	135.5	139.5	141.9	137.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	178.6	175.2	172.8	176.7	178.2	176.2	174.3	183.5	201.5	205.8	181.1	163.1	180.6
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	176.8	178.3	178.3	176.8	174.4	174.4	170.1	166.9	168.5	174.8	172.4	168.1	173.2
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	185.2	186.4	185.6	183.6	182.8	185.6	182.4	183.2	185.6	178.4	179.2	184.4	183.6
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	229.0	229.0	226.9	236.8	239.9	234.2	230.1	223.8	225.9	227.5	226.9	215.0	229.0
Hens.....	do.....	189.7	182.8	184.3	187.7	182.8	173.5	161.8	162.7	161.3	164.2	166.7	168.1	174.0
Milk, fresh.....	Quart..	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0
Butter.....	Pound..	154.7	152.1	150.6	151.6	146.5	142.3	138.9	136.3	136.5	140.1	145.0	147.4	145.3
Cheese.....	do.....	165.5	164.1	165.5	164.6	163.7	161.9	161.9	164.1	165.0	165.0	164.6	166.4	164.6
Lard.....	do.....	126.3	124.3	121.7	120.4	118.4	118.4	119.7	119.1	123.7	126.3	127.6	125.7	122.4
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen..	183.0	139.2	107.3	107.3	104.9	110.4	118.1	130.6	150.0	182.6	206.6	202.8	145.1
Bread.....	Pound..	177.4	177.4	175.5	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	177.4	175.5	177.4
Flour.....	do.....	172.7	172.7	169.7	166.7	163.6	163.6	166.7	156.7	169.7	169.7	163.6	163.6	166.7
Corn meal.....	do.....	223.8	219.0	214.3	219.0	219.0	228.6	233.3	223.8	233.3	233.3	228.6	228.6	223.8
Rice.....	do.....	122.2	122.2	122.2	122.2	121.2	120.2	120.2	121.2	120.2	117.2	117.2	115.2	120.2
Potatoes.....	do.....	236.8	236.8	236.8	242.1	289.5	357.9	205.3	189.5	178.9	178.9	168.4	168.4	226.3
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	139.6	139.6	135.8	134.0	134.0	135.8	137.7	132.1	134.0	134.0	132.1	132.1	135.8
Tea.....	do.....	162.3	163.6	163.0	164.5	165.5	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.4	163.2	164.6	164.6	163.7
Coffee.....	do.....	177.1	176.4	172.7	173.1	175.6	172.0	168.3	168.3	170.5	169.7	167.9	169.0	171.6
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		167.2	163.5	160.3	161.6	163.2	165.4	158.1	158.5	161.0	163.0	163.7	162.7	162.5

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

ST. LOUIS, MO.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	150.6	147.8	147.8	148.2	150.2	153.1	153.5	153.5	153.9	153.5	155.1	149.8	151.4
Round steak	do	155.6	153.8	152.9	152.9	157.4	162.8	161.4	163.2	162.8	162.3	164.6	157.8	159.2
Rib roast	do	163.6	162.0	161.0	161.0	159.9	164.2	162.6	159.9	162.0	163.6	162.6	162.6	162.0
Chuck roast	do	141.6	137.6	136.2	137.6	138.9	141.6	139.6	139.6	140.9	145.0	143.6	145.6	140.9
Plate beef	do	128.6	128.6	129.5	124.1	122.2	125.0	123.2	123.2	125.9	134.8	139.3	142.9	128.6
Pork chops	do	170.9	170.4	173.5	189.4	198.4	205.8	199.5	192.1	210.6	204.8	188.4	174.6	189.9
Bacon, sliced	do	181.2	180.8	177.6	176.1	183.1	191.4	191.8	189.0	191.4	191.8	190.6	181.2	185.5
Ham, sliced	do	184.4	187.4	188.5	192.2	198.1	215.6	216.7	219.3	219.7	218.6	217.8	200.4	204.8
Lamb, leg of	do	207.7	206.6	203.3	200.0	213.2	218.1	211.0	209.9	206.0	209.3	206.6	207.7	208.2
Hens	do	200.0	205.6	216.9	218.0	221.9	216.9	206.7	194.4	194.4	189.3	186.0	190.4	203.4
Milk, fresh	Quart	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6
Butter	Pound	150.5	148.1	147.1	138.2	135.8	136.6	134.5	136.3	143.3	150.3	156.7	170.1	145.7
Cheese	do	182.3	179.8	176.8	168.7	164.1	164.1	166.2	165.7	170.2	178.3	180.8	183.3	173.2
Lard	do	131.6	131.6	128.7	124.3	130.9	144.1	144.9	139.0	136.8	132.4	125.0	120.6	132.4
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	179.3	139.8	128.2	131.6	133.5	135.0	134.6	142.1	161.3	180.5	221.1	216.5	158.6
Bread	Pound	180.0	180.0	180.0	178.2	178.2	178.2	178.2	178.2	178.2	178.2	178.2	178.2	178.2
Flour	do	193.3	200.0	196.7	193.3	190.0	190.0	186.7	183.3	180.0	176.7	180.0	176.7	186.7
Corn meal	do	204.3	195.7	191.3	187.0	187.0	187.0	187.0	191.3	187.0	187.0	187.0	187.0	191.3
Rice	do	127.4	127.4	129.8	132.1	132.1	128.6	126.2	127.4	128.6	131.0	127.4	127.4	128.6
Potatoes	do	335.3	329.4	317.6	376.5	358.8	323.5	252.9	188.2	252.9	252.9	252.9	252.9	288.2
Sugar, granulated	do	128.8	130.8	128.8	128.8	130.8	134.6	134.6	136.5	136.5	138.5	136.5	142.3	134.6
Tea	do	133.8	136.0	132.7	132.7	132.7	134.4	133.8	134.4	133.8	136.0	134.4	134.2	134.2
Coffee	do	197.5	197.5	196.7	197.1	197.1	196.3	197.9	197.9	198.8	200.0	197.9	198.4	197.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		167.6	164.9	163.2	166.0	165.8	165.5	160.0	156.0	162.0	163.6	165.2	165.2	163.6

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	148.6	149.8	150.2	149.4	152.7	152.7	157.6	160.0	159.2	166.1	165.3	162.0	156.3
Round steak	do	156.5	157.4	158.3	159.6	163.2	164.1	168.6	170.4	171.7	178.7	175.8	172.6	166.4
Rib roast	do	162.6	162.0	161.0	163.6	163.6	162.0	164.2	164.7	164.7	174.9	172.2	173.8	165.8
Chuck roast	do	146.3	145.0	146.3	145.0	145.6	144.3	144.3	153.0	151.0	160.4	161.1	156.4	149.7
Plate beef	do	142.0	137.5	135.7	133.9	132.1	125.9	127.7	133.9	135.7	145.5	150.0	144.6	137.5
Pork chops	do	172.0	163.5	170.9	172.5	165.6	157.1	154.0	185.2	197.9	204.8	172.0	152.4	172.5
Bacon, sliced	do	176.5	173.7	171.0	170.6	170.2	166.7	165.5	167.5	168.6	170.6	169.8	164.3	169.8
Ham, sliced	do	193.3	194.8	195.9	199.6	198.9	189.6	185.9	190.7	189.6	193.7	192.9	189.6	192.9
Lamb, leg of	do	202.2	204.9	206.6	214.3	216.5	222.0	213.2	220.7	205.5	204.9	200.0	196.2	207.7
Hens	do	199.4	204.5	206.2	206.2	203.4	188.8	183.3	179.2	178.1	177.5	174.2	178.7	189.9
Milk, fresh	Quart	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6	156.6
Butter	Pound	162.0	162.8	164.7	162.6	144.1	140.9	139.8	140.9	147.9	154.0	157.5	163.9	153.5
Cheese	do	188.9	189.4	184.8	183.3	178.8	179.8	179.3	181.8	185.9	191.9	195.5	194.9	186.4
Lard	do	118.4	113.2	113.2	111.0	111.0	110.3	110.3	111.8	116.9	119.1	114.7	114.7	114.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	188.7	148.1	112.8	111.7	107.1	104.1	116.2	136.1	153.0	173.3	193.2	203.8	145.9
Bread	Pound	178.2	178.2	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0	180.0
Flour	do	173.3	176.7	173.3	170.0	173.3	173.3	176.7	176.7	176.7	173.3	173.3	170.0	173.3
Corn meal	do	182.6	182.6	187.0	182.6	187.0	195.7	195.7	200.0	204.3	195.7	191.3	187.0	191.3
Rice	do	122.6	122.6	122.6	117.9	121.4	120.2	121.4	121.4	121.4	122.6	120.2	117.9	121.4
Potatoes	do	252.9	241.2	241.2	235.3	288.2	388.2	264.7	205.9	200.0	182.6	176.5	176.5	235.3
Sugar, granulated	do	146.2	144.2	142.3	140.4	138.5	138.5	140.4	138.5	138.5	136.5	134.6	132.7	138.5
Tea	do	135.3	135.3	136.4	139.5	139.1	138.4	139.1	139.1	139.1	138.0	136.4	137.6	138.0
Coffee	do	197.5	196.3	193.0	191.8	191.8	189.3	187.7	186.4	185.6	186.8	186.8	188.5	190.1
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		162.7	159.3	157.4	157.2	160.0	164.0	156.6	155.7	157.5	159.1	158.4	158.2	158.8

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	128.3	129.6	130.5	131.9	132.7	135.0	126.3	136.3	136.7	136.3	136.3	134.5	133.6
Round steak	do.	129.1	133.7	134.2	135.2	135.2	136.7	139.2	137.2	137.2	137.7	138.7	139.2	136.2
Rib roast	do.	115.5	118.1	120.7	122.8	122.3	121.2	122.8	122.3	122.3	120.7	122.8	123.8	121.2
Chuck roast	do.	115.9	121.9	123.2	124.5	120.5	122.5	121.9	118.5	118.5	117.9	118.5	122.5	120.5
Plate beef	do.	103.3	108.3	110.0	110.0	106.7	99.2	102.5	103.3	104.2	109.2	107.5	110.0	105.8
Pork chops	do.	155.7	158.3	155.3	161.0	164.5	172.4	178.1	174.1	178.5	180.3	175.9	166.7	168.4
Bacon, sliced	do.	152.1	152.7	153.4	154.7	154.7	161.4	171.4	172.7	170.4	170.4	167.5	163.3	162.1
Ham, sliced	do.	173.5	178.5	181.9	183.2	187.2	195.0	204.7	204.7	204.7	202.3	203.7	201.3	193.3
Lamb, leg of	do.	196.1	189.5	181.2	179.0	187.8	205.5	198.3	191.2	189.5	185.6	191.2	191.2	190.6
Hens	do.	137.0	135.7	135.7	138.7	142.4	140.8	139.9	137.8	138.2	138.7	139.5	139.9	138.7
Milk, fresh	Quart	132.2	129.9	129.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	118.4	126.4	129.9	129.9	132.2	129.9	125.3
Butter	Pound	134.8	135.3	130.1	124.7	121.0	122.9	118.7	121.0	127.3	127.0	127.3	136.1	127.3
Cheese	do.	136.8	131.0	133.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	123.0	123.0	123.4	125.1	126.4	126.4	126.8
Lard	do.	126.0	127.1	125.0	122.9	124.5	130.1	131.8	131.3	129.2	129.7	126.0	120.8	127.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	114.9	102.7	85.7	89.9	91.6	100.0	101.8	111.3	133.7	153.7	161.8	149.6	116.4
Bread	Pound	169.5	169.5	169.5	166.1	166.1	167.8	167.8	167.8	167.8	167.8	167.8	167.8	167.8
Flour	do.	196.0	192.0	192.0	188.0	188.0	184.0	188.0	180.0	168.0	172.0	172.0	168.0	184.0
Corn meal	do.	158.8	158.8	152.9	150.0	152.9	152.9	161.8	161.8	164.7	161.8	155.9	158.8	158.8
Rice	do.	136.6	129.3	132.9	137.8	137.8	139.0	159.0	136.6	136.6	136.6	128.0	126.8	135.4
Potatoes	do.	283.3	291.7	283.3	291.7	333.3	335.3	300.0	183.3	216.7	225.0	216.7	216.7	266.7
Sugar, granulated	do.	121.3	123.0	119.7	121.3	123.0	126.4	126.4	127.9	127.9	129.5	139.5	134.4	126.2
Tea	do.	129.8	129.8	133.2	133.2	133.2	132.9	134.4	134.4	134.4	134.4	132.6	133.5	132.9
Coffee	do.	160.3	161.2	160.6	160.3	158.7	158.1	159.5	158.7	158.4	157.5	158.4	156.4	158.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		136.2	135.7	133.6	135.6	133.9	136.1	131.7	132.0	135.3	137.3	138.0	137.5	135.3

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	136.3	138.1	138.5	143.8	150.0	149.6	148.7	146.9	146.5	146.5	146.9	149.6	145.1
Round steak	do.	140.7	142.2	145.7	150.8	167.3	157.3	156.3	153.8	153.8	153.3	153.3	159.8	152.3
Rib roast	do.	121.8	122.8	126.4	130.6	137.8	135.8	134.2	134.2	130.1	133.2	132.6	137.3	131.6
Chuck roast	do.	124.5	124.5	124.5	134.4	133.1	131.1	132.5	129.8	129.8	133.8	135.1	145.0	131.8
Plate beef	do.	111.7	112.5	115.8	119.2	123.3	120.8	120.0	118.3	118.3	120.8	121.7	126.7	119.2
Pork chops	do.	168.9	163.2	168.4	167.1	158.3	150.4	143.4	156.1	172.8	175.0	163.6	150.9	161.4
Bacon, sliced	do.	159.8	158.5	160.8	160.8	155.6	154.7	151.8	150.8	150.8	150.8	146.9	150.8	155.0
Ham, sliced	do.	201.3	200.3	202.7	205.0	199.0	199.0	193.0	191.6	193.0	191.6	188.6	181.9	195.6
Lamb, leg of	do.	187.3	183.4	197.2	203.9	216.0	217.7	202.8	194.5	193.9	195.0	191.7	190.6	197.8
Hens	do.	139.5	140.3	140.8	139.5	137.0	131.9	124.4	124.4	125.2	127.7	127.3	128.2	132.4
Milk, fresh	Quart	124.1	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	126.4	126.4	126.4	126.4	126.4	126.4	123.0
Butter	Pound	136.6	136.9	140.5	135.3	129.1	126.0	121.0	125.2	133.0	135.3	134.5	138.7	132.7
Cheese	do.	128.5	127.2	127.2	127.2	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	129.3	128.5	128.5	129.7	128.5
Lard	do.	120.8	118.8	117.7	116.2	115.1	112.0	109.4	106.8	109.4	112.5	112.0	111.5	113.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	125.7	103.0	89.3	86.0	84.5	82.1	85.4	101.5	115.5	139.7	146.9	135.5	108.1
Bread	Pound	167.8	167.8	166.1	164.4	164.4	164.4	164.4	164.4	164.4	164.4	167.8	164.4	166.1
Flour	do.	168.0	164.0	164.0	160.0	160.0	168.0	168.0	168.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	164.0	164.0
Corn meal	do.	161.8	158.8	158.8	161.8	161.8	161.8	164.7	164.7	164.7	164.7	164.7	164.7	161.0
Rice	do.	118.3	114.6	114.6	111.0	109.8	112.2	112.2	117.1	112.2	111.0	111.0	104.9	112.2
Potatoes	do.	216.7	216.7	216.7	233.3	333.3	350.0	308.3	200.0	166.7	158.3	158.3	150.0	241.7
Sugar, granulated	do.	136.1	134.4	134.4	132.8	132.8	132.8	131.1	132.8	132.8	132.8	131.1	132.8	132.8
Tea	do.	133.8	132.0	131.7	131.7	131.7	131.7	131.7	131.7	131.7	131.7	132.2	132.4	132.0
Coffee	do.	154.7	155.3	155.6	154.7	153.4	153.9	153.4	153.9	152.0	150.8	151.7	151.7	153.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		134.8	132.2	132.1	132.4	136.1	142.1	133.2	131.2	131.8	134.0	134.6	133.7	133.7

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

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TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES
1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	157.0	158.9	156.5	156.5	155.1	153.1	152.7	153.1	152.2	151.7	153.6	154.6	154.6
Round steak.....	do.....	154.9	158.5	153.4	152.8	152.8	150.3	149.7	149.7	149.7	148.2	152.8	152.3	152.3
Rib roast.....	do.....	144.3	146.2	142.9	142.9	142.4	141.0	141.0	139.0	140.0	140.0	140.5	142.9	141.9
Chuck roast.....	do.....	128.9	134.9	128.9	128.9	128.2	124.2	123.5	123.5	126.2	126.8	128.9	128.2	127.5
Plate beef.....	do.....	114.8	123.7	114.1	113.3	108.9	105.9	107.4	105.2	106.7	105.2	111.1	116.3	111.1
Pork chops.....	do.....	183.1	186.0	181.4	180.1	185.6	189.8	197.5	198.3	197.5	199.2	198.7	190.7	190.7
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	184.9	185.5	186.4	186.1	184.0	190.5	193.8	195.0	192.9	190.8	189.6	183.4	188.7
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	204.2	204.2	201.9	207.4	207.4	217.1	225.8	226.8	224.2	219.0	219.0	213.5	214.2
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	228.4	226.0	223.1	224.9	220.1	226.0	227.2	223.7	223.7	222.5	221.3	218.9	223.7
Hens.....	do.....	180.2	180.6	176.9	185.5	186.8	187.2	186.4	187.2	182.2	184.7	190.5	186.4	184.7
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0
Butter.....	Pound.....	142.8	142.3	133.0	130.9	129.6	129.9	130.2	136.6	141.2	142.3	142.3	143.8	137.1
Cheese.....	do.....	199.5	196.5	194.5	191.0	192.0	188.5	189.5	190.0	192.5	193.5	193.5	194.5	193.0
Lard.....	do.....	139.4	138.9	136.7	134.4	133.9	137.2	137.8	141.1	140.6	138.9	136.7	136.1	137.8
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	120.1	91.4	92.5	94.6	97.6	107.2	116.9	126.5	143.3	153.5	159.8	142.9	121.4
Bread.....	Pound.....	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1	166.1
Flour.....	do.....	185.3	185.3	182.4	179.4	176.5	173.5	173.5	170.6	167.6	167.6	170.6	173.5	176.5
Corn meal.....	do.....	187.2	182.4	182.4	185.3	185.3	188.2	185.3	185.3	185.3	185.3	185.3	185.3	185.3
Rice.....	do.....	138.6	136.5	135.3	136.5	140.0	141.2	142.4	141.2	141.2	138.8	135.3	140.0	138.8
Potatoes.....	do.....	305.9	300.0	300.0	347.1	347.1	252.9	217.6	211.8	205.9	217.6	223.5	229.4	264.7
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	115.6	122.2	120.4	120.4	122.2	124.1	125.9	125.9	127.8	125.9	125.9	131.5	124.1
Tea.....	do.....	137.6	136.0	136.0	136.0	137.2	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.8
Coffee.....	do.....	165.0	165.0	165.9	165.0	164.4	167.5	169.7	168.8	167.2	167.8	166.9	166.9	166.6
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		156.1	153.8	151.1	153.4	153.5	150.6	150.3	151.5	153.2	155.6	155.9	154.8	153.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak.....	Pound.....	158.0	158.9	160.4	163.8	161.8	160.9	160.4	160.4	160.4	163.3	165.2	172.9	162.3
Round steak.....	do.....	154.4	153.4	155.4	160.6	159.1	158.0	157.5	156.0	157.5	160.6	168.9	176.2	159.6
Rib roast.....	do.....	145.2	145.2	145.2	147.6	146.2	143.8	143.3	143.3	145.7	148.6	151.9	160.5	147.1
Chuck roast.....	do.....	132.2	132.9	134.9	138.3	134.2	131.5	128.9	132.2	132.2	136.2	143.6	152.3	135.6
Plate beef.....	do.....	115.6	117.0	117.8	119.3	114.8	111.9	109.6	118.5	114.8	117.8	125.2	138.5	117.8
Pork chops.....	do.....	186.9	183.9	183.5	183.5	178.0	174.6	170.3	180.5	183.5	187.7	185.6	171.6	180.9
Bacon, sliced.....	do.....	182.5	179.2	177.4	176.0	174.5	174.8	172.7	170.6	168.2	169.4	170.0	168.5	173.6
Ham, sliced.....	do.....	211.9	208.7	208.1	208.1	209.0	207.4	206.8	204.2	205.8	205.8	205.8	198.1	206.8
Lamb, leg of.....	do.....	216.6	213.6	222.5	232.0	231.4	231.4	228.4	223.1	229.6	229.0	228.4	234.3	226.6
Hens.....	do.....	187.6	184.7	184.3	181.4	178.9	177.3	175.2	171.1	172.7	178.9	178.1	176.0	178.9
Milk, fresh.....	Quart.....	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0	140.0
Butter.....	Pound.....	147.4	148.5	149.0	135.8	132.7	132.7	132.5	138.4	144.3	149.5	151.3	150.8	142.8
Cheese.....	do.....	197.0	199.5	197.0	196.0	195.5	194.0	193.5	191.5	196.0	195.5	198.5	199.0	196.0
Lard.....	do.....	135.0	132.8	130.6	129.4	126.7	127.8	127.8	126.1	126.1	127.8	129.4	129.4	128.9
Eggs, strictly fresh.....	Dozen.....	118.0	95.2	87.4	87.4	86.3	87.7	90.9	109.1	126.5	149.3	149.1	132.4	109.9
Bread.....	Pound.....	164.4	162.7	162.7	162.7	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0	161.0
Flour.....	do.....	173.5	173.5	173.5	170.6	167.6	170.6	170.6	167.6	164.7	164.7	164.7	164.7	167.6
Corn meal.....	do.....	185.3	185.3	188.2	185.3	191.2	191.2	191.2	188.2	185.3	185.3	185.3	185.3	188.2
Rice.....	do.....	137.6	134.1	132.9	134.1	131.8	135.3	132.9	135.3	132.9	130.6	124.7	125.9	132.9
Potatoes.....	do.....	235.3	229.4	223.5	229.4	252.9	323.5	276.5	211.8	194.1	188.2	176.5	176.5	229.4
Sugar, granulated.....	do.....	135.2	135.2	133.3	129.6	131.5	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	127.8	127.8	131.5
Tea.....	do.....	143.6	143.6	143.6	143.6	143.6	142.6	143.6	144.8	145.6	145.6	145.6	145.6	144.2
Coffee.....	do.....	167.2	167.5	164.4	161.6	162.5	162.5	162.2	162.5	161.6	162.5	164.1	164.4	163.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		153.4	151.0	150.0	148.7	148.7	151.7	149.2	148.5	150.2	153.5	153.6	152.5	151.0

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

SCRANTON, PA.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	205.2	199.6	199.6	200.0	204.8	206.5	207.3	205.6	207.3	208.1	205.6	203.6	204.4
Round steak	do	204.3	200.0	198.6	198.1	200.0	200.0	201.0	202.9	203.8	205.7	202.4	203.3	201.9
Rib roast	do	171.6	169.7	168.8	165.1	167.9	168.8	172.0	167.9	172.0	173.4	172.9	172.5	170.2
Chuck roast	do	170.7	169.5	167.7	165.3	169.5	170.7	168.3	164.7	165.9	168.9	168.9	168.3	168.3
Plate beef	do	113.0	116.5	113.0	107.8	107.0	107.0	103.5	100.9	103.5	107.8	109.6	115.7	108.7
Pork chops	do	198.1	196.1	200.0	203.4	217.9	221.3	223.2	217.9	228.0	229.0	210.6	206.3	212.6
Bacon, sliced	do	190.5	189.0	188.3	187.9	189.8	197.3	205.7	205.7	204.9	204.2	199.6	197.3	196.6
Ham, sliced	do	199.0	200.7	201.4	202.8	206.9	220.3	222.4	225.9	221.0	216.2	216.2	209.0	211.7
Lamb, leg of	do	230.8	224.7	224.7	222.7	239.9	249.5	237.9	232.8	231.8	225.8	225.8	223.7	230.8
Hens	do	199.6	201.3	203.1	206.6	212.8	210.1	205.3	200.4	198.7	197.8	195.2	193.4	202.2
Milk, fresh	Quart	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9
Butter	Pound	150.4	147.2	145.1	137.1	132.5	133.6	133.9	135.2	137.6	141.9	144.3	150.4	140.8
Cheese	do	193.5	194.6	192.4	191.3	191.8	190.8	191.3	192.4	190.8	194.6	193.5	195.1	192.9
Lard	do	145.0	141.9	141.3	136.3	135.6	140.6	144.4	141.3	140.0	138.8	135.0	132.5	139.4
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	165.6	148.7	126.4	119.5	118.3	123.5	127.2	132.1	155.0	167.9	220.3	208.3	151.0
Bread	Pound	183.9	183.9	183.9	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7
Flour	do	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	182.9	185.7	182.9	182.9	180.0	177.1	174.3	182.9
Corn meal	do	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7
Rice	do	135.3	135.3	135.3	137.6	136.5	136.5	137.6	137.6	138.8	136.5	137.6	137.6	136.5
Potatoes	do	316.7	322.2	316.7	383.3	355.6	294.4	426.7	172.5	171.9	200.0	227.8	227.8	272.2
Sugar, granulated	do	117.5	117.5	114.0	112.3	114.0	117.5	117.5	119.3	119.3	124.6	122.8	126.3	119.3
Tea	do	125.5	124.6	125.3	126.1	127.0	127.2	124.8	127.2	128.2	128.8	128.8	129.3	126.9
Coffee	do	168.7	168.7	168.7	169.0	168.1	167.4	167.4	167.4	167.4	167.4	167.4	168.7	168.1
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		169.2	167.6	165.5	167.5	166.8	164.9	161.3	158.9	161.6	163.4	168.8	167.9	165.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	206.5	204.8	201.6	202.8	206.0	206.0	210.1	212.1	216.5	214.9	219.8	220.6	210.1
Round steak	do	202.4	202.4	201.4	202.4	204.8	203.8	209.6	212.4	212.9	212.9	220.6	216.7	208.6
Rib roast	do	174.3	171.6	168.8	172.5	172.5	171.1	172.5	173.4	176.6	178.4	182.6	181.7	174.8
Chuck roast	do	167.7	167.7	164.1	166.5	166.5	164.7	172.5	171.9	172.5	176.6	185.6	186.8	171.9
Plate beef	do	114.8	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	111.3	109.6	115.7	119.1	119.1	124.3	127.0	115.7
Pork chops	do	196.1	192.3	196.6	198.1	198.6	193.2	190.8	199.5	212.6	219.3	195.7	180.2	197.6
Bacon, sliced	do	189.0	186.0	186.4	182.2	181.1	190.5	181.8	183.0	181.4	185.2	184.1	178.4	184.1
Ham, sliced	do	210.0	205.2	206.9	210.7	210.7	210.7	209.0	203.1	194.8	194.8	191.4	189.7	203.1
Lamb, leg of	do	222.2	224.7	221.7	237.4	242.4	241.4	239.9	234.3	232.8	228.8	222.7	219.7	230.8
Hens	do	198.2	200.4	202.2	203.1	202.2	196.0	189.9	191.2	187.2	190.7	188.1	186.8	194.7
Milk, fresh	Quart	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	137.9	139.1
Butter	Pound	154.1	158.1	159.7	160.3	148.9	141.1	138.9	137.9	141.3	148.8	150.4	152.5	149.1
Cheese	do	194.6	192.4	195.1	195.7	194.0	195.1	194.0	192.4	195.1	197.3	198.9	202.7	195.7
Lard	do	130.0	126.9	124.4	123.8	121.9	119.4	118.1	118.1	123.8	123.1	124.4	123.1	123.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	188.0	146.1	111.5	103.7	103.2	102.9	110.9	127.5	145.8	172.8	192.0	203.2	142.4
Bread	Pound	185.7	191.1	191.1	191.1	191.1	191.1	191.1	191.1	191.1	189.3	191.1	189.3	191.1
Flour	do	171.4	171.4	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	165.7	165.7	165.7	168.6
Corn meal	do	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7
Rice	do	132.9	130.6	131.8	128.2	130.6	129.4	130.6	131.8	131.8	132.9	125.9	122.4	129.4
Potatoes	do	216.7	205.6	188.9	183.3	222.2	231.1	205.6	161.1	166.7	172.2	166.7	166.7	200.0
Sugar, granulated	do	128.1	131.6	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	124.6	124.6	124.6	122.8	126.3
Tea	do	134.1	133.5	135.8	135.6	135.6	135.6	135.6	135.6	135.6	135.6	136.2	135.6	135.4
Coffee	do	168.4	166.8	164.9	163.9	160.4	160.1	156.9	156.9	157.8	157.8	158.1	158.8	161.0
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		165.9	163.0	158.9	158.7	160.5	164.0	157.7	156.5	158.7	162.0	163.5	165.3	161.5

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

SEATTLE, WASH.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	141.5	142.3	142.3	142.7	144.4	145.7	145.7	142.7	143.2	141.9	137.6	139.7	142.3
Round steak	do	137.5	138.5	137.5	138.0	142.3	145.6	145.7	141.8	140.9	139.9	138.5	139.4	141.8
Rib roast	do	134.2	130.3	139.9	142.0	139.9	140.4	142.0	139.9	139.4	137.8	139.9	140.9	139.4
Chuck roast	do	117.7	121.5	122.2	121.5	124.1	126.6	122.8	124.7	120.9	123.4	123.4	123.4	122.8
Plate beef	do	116.9	119.4	121.0	120.2	121.0	121.8	116.9	116.9	119.4	121.0	118.5	118.5	119.4
Pork chops	do	159.6	162.1	167.1	169.6	170.8	187.5	191.3	181.3	177.1	177.5	172.1	164.6	173.3
Bacon, sliced	do	175.4	175.7	178.2	180.8	179.8	193.7	196.8	195.6	195.6	194.6	188.0	179.5	186.1
Ham, sliced	do	190.4	191.7	196.4	196.4	199.3	209.6	217.5	215.2	215.2	214.2	211.6	203.6	205.0
Lamb, leg of	do	195.3	194.2	196.3	190.1	199.5	196.9	195.8	191.1	191.1	191.1	189.0	190.1	193.2
Hens	do	147.3	140.1	148.5	148.5	152.3	149.4	144.0	141.1	139.8	140.2	141.9	145.6	145.2
Milk, fresh	Quart	141.1	141.1	141.1	141.1	141.1	144.4	144.4	144.4	144.4	144.4	144.4	133.3	136.7
Butter	Pound	136.8	138.5	132.8	126.3	124.3	124.3	124.0	128.5	132.5	133.0	133.3	141.0	131.3
Cheese	do	168.9	167.1	167.1	166.7	165.8	164.4	163.0	162.1	158.0	159.4	159.8	159.8	163.5
Lard	do	138.3	138.9	140.0	137.7	136.6	138.9	138.3	139.4	138.9	137.1	132.0	126.9	137.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	109.3	96.5	93.9	91.8	93.9	98.9	101.1	111.5	131.6	157.2	146.8	137.8	114.6
Bread	Pound	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	171.4	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	173.2
Flour	do	189.7	186.2	179.3	179.3	175.9	172.4	175.9	175.9	169.0	172.4	172.4	172.4	175.9
Corn meal	do	171.0	161.3	161.3	161.3	158.1	161.3	161.3	158.1	167.5	158.1	161.3	164.5	161.3
Rice	do	166.2	166.2	166.2	167.5	168.8	167.5	168.8	164.9	167.5	162.3	159.7	158.4	164.9
Potatoes	do	366.7	735.0	350.0	433.3	400.0	333.3	266.7	233.3	216.7	216.7	241.7	241.7	308.3
Sugar, granulated	do	114.8	114.8	114.8	113.1	114.8	116.4	116.4	116.4	114.8	116.4	116.4	121.3	116.4
Tea	do	156.0	155.0	155.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	158.0	158.0	162.0	155.0	156.2	156.8
Coffee	do	185.7	186.8	186.8	186.4	186.4	188.2	186.4	186.1	186.1	188.6	188.6	183.9	186.8
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		149.0	148.0	147.3	149.5	148.8	148.0	145.7	145.7	147.0	146.0	145.2	147.3	147.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	140.6	143.2	143.2	147.4	152.6	149.6	148.3	148.3	148.7	148.7	150.0	152.6	147.9
Round steak	do	140.9	141.8	141.3	149.5	158.2	150.0	148.1	147.1	147.6	147.1	151.0	155.3	148.1
Rib roast	do	141.5	145.1	144.0	149.7	148.7	145.6	145.1	143.5	146.1	145.1	148.7	152.3	146.1
Chuck roast	do	126.6	127.2	126.6	133.5	137.3	130.4	128.5	129.7	129.1	130.4	138.0	144.9	131.6
Plate beef	do	123.4	125.8	124.2	131.5	135.5	128.2	124.2	121.8	124.2	125.0	133.1	134.7	127.4
Pork chops	do	167.1	170.0	164.6	165.4	161.3	153.3	159.6	160.8	168.8	167.5	159.6	157.5	162.9
Bacon, sliced	do	180.8	182.0	181.4	182.0	183.6	182.0	181.4	179.8	180.8	182.0	177.9	174.8	180.8
Ham, sliced	do	204.3	207.6	207.0	204.6	206.3	198.7	202.3	198.7	197.0	196.4	192.4	192.7	200.7
Lamb, leg of	do	193.2	194.8	193.7	195.3	199.0	195.8	191.6	191.6	187.4	186.9	183.2	184.8	191.6
Hens	do	152.7	150.2	147.3	146.9	146.9	139.4	132.4	137.8	129.0	129.0	133.6	136.5	140.2
Milk, fresh	Quart	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3	133.3
Butter	Pound	141.5	140.0	141.8	132.5	128.0	127.3	127.5	131.5	133.8	136.0	137.5	144.3	135.3
Cheese	do	162.1	160.3	159.4	158.4	158.9	159.4	158.4	160.3	160.7	160.7	161.2	161.6	160.3
Lard	do	123.4	122.9	120.6	118.3	120.0	117.7	116.0	118.3	118.9	121.1	120.0	119.4	120.4
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	117.3	99.7	91.0	85.9	85.9	84.3	85.1	100.8	123.4	145.5	144.9	126.6	107.4
Bread	Pound	175.0	175.0	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	173.2	175.0	173.2	173.2
Flour	do	172.4	172.4	165.5	169.0	175.9	179.3	179.3	172.4	165.5	162.1	162.1	158.6	169.0
Corn meal	do	177.4	171.0	171.0	183.9	177.4	187.1	189.0	180.6	183.9	183.9	183.9	177.4	180.6
Rice	do	157.1	155.8	155.8	157.1	155.8	155.8	155.8	155.8	161.0	153.2	142.9	144.2	154.5
Potatoes	do	258.3	250.0	250.0	253.3	325.0	433.3	400.0	255.8	200.0	166.7	158.3	158.3	258.3
Sugar, granulated	do	124.6	123.0	111.5	118.0	118.0	121.3	121.3	119.7	118.0	118.0	116.4	116.4	119.7
Tea	do	156.2	150.8	153.0	152.6	153.0	153.0	151.4	151.4	151.4	152.0	150.4	152.0	152.4
Coffee	do	185.0	180.7	181.1	177.1	176.8	175.4	175.0	175.0	175.7	175.7	176.8	178.2	177.9
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		146.7	144.8	143.2	143.1	147.0	148.7	146.2	142.9	143.2	144.1	144.1	143.5	144.7

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

TABLE 14.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF 23 FOOD ARTICLES IN EACH OF 39 CITIES, 1926 AND 1927, BY MONTH—Continued

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Article	Unit	1926												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	169.5	168.8	167.3	169.1	173.2	175.5	177.7	174.3	173.6	175.5	171.4	172.5	172.5
Round steak	do	167.0	165.7	163.9	166.1	172.1	173.4	175.5	173.8	173.4	173.0	170.0	168.7	170.4
Rib roast	do	161.3	163.2	159.9	164.2	164.2	163.2	165.6	165.1	161.8	163.7	163.7	162.7	163.2
Chuck roast	do	140.4	141.5	143.9	142.1	142.7	142.1	144.4	142.1	146.8	147.4	145.6	148.5	143.9
Plate beef	do	111.7	113.3	110.8	114.2	112.5	115.0	110.8	111.7	115.0	115.0	116.7	117.5	113.3
Pork chops	do	182.0	182.0	185.3	192.6	202.3	209.7	208.3	206.5	218.9	210.6	194.0	183.4	198.2
Bacon, sliced	do	176.3	178.2	181.7	183.2	190.8	203.1	202.7	202.7	202.7	169.9	190.5	185.5	191.2
Ham, sliced	do	198.3	200.3	200.3	201.4	204.1	210.9	212.6	209.2	211.1	209.5	204.1	205.1	205.4
Lamb, leg of	do	212.7	199.5	197.5	199.5	218.6	235.8	219.6	207.4	202.0	196.6	194.6	197.5	206.9
Hens	do	185.5	198.6	196.8	200.0	204.1	203.2	200.9	189.1	185.1	182.8	179.6	177.8	191.9
Milk, fresh	Quart	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	162.8	162.8	162.8	162.8	162.8	174.4	174.4	174.4	169.8
Butter	Pound	146.2	143.5	141.7	132.6	131.9	134.1	132.1	131.4	134.1	135.3	142.7	167.3	139.3
Cheese	do	166.7	166.2	167.9	166.2	164.5	161.1	164.5	161.1	165.8	165.8	167.1	171.8	165.8
Lard	do	137.6	141.6	140.3	137.6	140.3	153.0	155.0	145.6	142.3	135.6	130.2	143.0	143.0
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	190.6	151.9	121.6	127.4	128.7	141.6	141.9	148.1	179.4	202.6	231.3	234.8	166.8
Bread	Pound	146.4	146.4	146.4	144.6	144.6	146.4	146.4	157.1	157.1	157.1	158.9	158.9	151.8
Flour	do	176.3	176.3	176.3	173.7	173.7	176.3	176.3	176.3	171.1	168.4	165.8	165.8	173.7
Corn meal	do	212.0	212.0	208.0	208.0	208.0	204.0	204.0	208.0	208.0	204.0	208.0	200.0	208.0
Rice	do	128.4	136.8	134.7	136.8	136.8	136.8	137.9	137.9	134.7	134.7	130.5	130.5	134.7
Potatoes	do	366.7	350.0	338.9	438.9	416.7	322.2	222.2	216.7	238.9	233.3	238.9	244.4	300.0
Sugar, granulated	do	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	133.3	133.3	133.3	131.4	133.3	133.3	137.3	131.4
Tea	do	152.5	153.0	153.2	155.1	155.1	158.4	157.2	158.4	157.6	154.3	156.0	155.5	155.5
Coffee	do	169.1	169.4	168.8	167.7	167.7	168.8	169.4	167.0	168.8	170.8	169.1	168.4	168.8
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		172.3	169.7	166.4	170.4	169.7	169.3	165.1	165.2	168.4	171.1	171.5	172.4	169.4

Article	Unit	1927												Average for year
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
Sirloin steak	Pound	173.2	170.3	172.5	171.7	172.9	173.2	183.6	186.2	183.3	181.0	179.2	179.2	177.3
Round steak	do	168.2	167.8	167.4	168.7	173.8	174.2	184.1	185.0	183.7	183.3	179.8	178.5	176.4
Rib roast	do	162.3	161.3	160.4	162.3	159.4	160.8	166.5	164.2	164.6	162.3	166.0	162.3	162.7
Chuck roast	do	143.9	140.9	145.0	146.2	146.2	145.0	157.3	154.4	151.5	149.7	153.2	155.0	149.1
Plate beef	do	120.8	116.7	115.8	115.8	116.7	115.0	115.8	115.8	118.3	116.7	123.3	125.0	118.3
Pork chops	do	180.6	173.3	177.9	181.6	182.5	173.3	172.4	194.5	203.7	201.8	171.4	148.4	180.2
Bacon, sliced	do	179.0	178.2	180.9	179.0	177.9	174.8	167.6	167.2	167.2	170.2	168.7	164.1	172.9
Ham, sliced	do	201.0	199.7	197.6	198.3	198.0	195.9	194.2	194.6	194.6	194.2	193.2	192.2	196.3
Lamb, leg of	do	192.2	190.2	195.6	202.0	224.0	217.6	206.4	199.5	188.7	191.2	190.2	188.7	199.0
Hens	do	182.8	180.1	187.8	187.8	186.9	197.9	174.7	167.9	173.3	176.5	171.5	172.9	178.3
Milk, fresh	Quart	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4	174.4
Butter	Pound	154.1	154.1	154.3	151.9	139.8	134.3	132.8	132.6	141.2	144.7	146.7	152.3	144.9
Cheese	do	174.4	176.5	171.4	172.2	171.8	170.5	167.1	167.1	170.5	177.4	175.6	176.9	172.6
Lard	do	125.5	119.5	116.8	117.4	116.8	117.4	117.4	119.5	124.8	126.2	121.5	119.5	120.1
Eggs, strictly fresh	Dozen	198.1	140.0	113.9	112.6	111.9	113.5	124.2	136.1	181.9	203.5	212.3	209.7	154.8
Bread	Pound	160.7	160.7	162.5	162.5	162.5	160.7	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5
Flour	do	157.9	155.3	152.6	150.0	147.4	150.0	152.6	152.6	155.3	152.6	147.4	147.4	152.6
Corn meal	do	204.0	204.0	208.0	204.0	208.0	208.0	208.0	208.0	208.0	204.0	204.0	220.0	208.0
Rice	do	129.5	122.1	127.4	122.1	122.1	120.0	121.1	121.1	122.1	120.0	122.1	117.9	122.1
Potatoes	do	244.4	227.8	216.7	233.3	300.0	300.0	211.1	188.9	200.0	194.4	188.9	194.4	227.8
Sugar, granulated	do	141.2	139.2	141.2	135.3	139.2	139.2	139.2	133.3	135.3	135.3	133.3	131.4	137.3
Tea	do	157.6	159.8	162.6	160.9	162.1	159.5	159.0	158.6	158.6	157.7	155.0	157.2	159.1
Coffee	do	164.9	159.4	156.3	157.3	151.4	146.5	148.6	149.3	142.4	147.6	152.4	153.1	152.4
Index number of 43 weighted articles ¹		168.4	161.9	159.9	160.0	162.7	160.7	157.9	158.7	163.8	165.5	163.7	163.7	162.5

¹ For list of articles see Table 13.

PART II.—COAL

EXPLANATION OF PRICES

Retail prices of coal for household use were first published by the bureau in Bulletin No. 105,¹ issued in August, 1912. In that bulletin average yearly prices from 1907 to 1911 were shown for each of 35 cities. The yearly averages were computed from prices on January 15, April 15, and October 15, respectively. Relative prices computed on average prices in 1907 as 100 were shown for five geographical divisions of the United States, in addition to the table of average prices for cities. Subsequent bulletins brought the information up to the end of 1913. From 1914 to 1919 prices were collected semiannually on January 15 and July 15. Beginning with June, 1920, prices have been secured monthly, and in each annual bulletin detailed information for 51 cities has been presented for the months of the current year, with a summary back to 1913.²

The prices quoted are for coal delivered to consumers, but do not include charges for stowing the coal in cellar or coal bin where an extra handling was necessary. From quotations supplied by individual firms, average prices for each city have been computed. Prices are shown for Pennsylvania white ash anthracite, both in stove and chestnut sizes, and for Colorado, Arkansas, and New Mexico anthracite in those cities where these coals are more generally sold than is the Pennsylvania anthracite. The prices shown for bituminous coal are averages for the several kinds used for household purposes.

Table 15 gives for the United States as a whole average and relative prices of coal on January 15 and July 15 of each year, 1913 to 1925, and on the 15th of each month from January, 1926, to December, 1927, inclusive, in comparison with average prices in 1913. The relative prices are based on average prices in January and July, 1913, as 100.

Based on these figures, from January, 1913, to January, 1927, the average retail price of Pennsylvania anthracite stove coal in the United States increased 96 per cent, chestnut coal increased 89 per cent, and bituminous coal increased 82 per cent. The percentage of increase in prices from July, 1913, to July, 1927, was as follows: Stove, 103 per cent; chestnut, 93 per cent; and bituminous, 65 per cent.

The price of coal was highest in November, 1920, when stove size Pennsylvania anthracite was 110 per cent, chestnut was 106 per cent, and bituminous coal was 130 per cent above average prices in 1913.

Chart 17 shows in graphic form the trend in the retail prices of coal since 1918. In Table 16 are shown the average retail prices of coal on the 15th of each month of 1926 and 1927, by cities, compared with average prices in 1913.

¹ Subsequent bulletins containing coal prices are Nos. 106, 108, 110, 113, 115, 125, 132, 136, 138, 140, 156, 184, 197, 228, 270, 300, 315, 334, 366, 396, 418, and 445.

² For prices of coal by cities from January, 1913, to December, 1926, see Bulletins Nos. 270, 200, 315, 334, 366, 396, 418, and 445.

TABLE 15.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL PER TON OF 2,000 POUNDS FOR THE UNITED STATES, JANUARY, 1913, TO DECEMBER, 1927

Year and month	Pennsylvania anthracite, white ash				Bituminous	
	Stove		Chestnut		Average price	Relative price
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price		
1913: Average for year.....	\$7.73	100.0	\$7.91	100.0	\$5.43	100.0
January.....	7.99	103.4	8.15	103.0	5.48	100.8
July.....	7.46	96.6	7.68	97.0	5.39	99.2
1914: January.....	7.80	100.9	8.00	101.0	5.97	109.9
July.....	7.60	98.3	7.78	98.3	5.46	100.6
1915: January.....	7.83	101.4	7.99	101.0	5.71	105.2
July.....	7.54	97.6	7.73	97.7	5.44	100.1
1916: January.....	7.93	102.7	8.13	102.7	5.69	104.8
July.....	8.12	105.2	8.28	104.6	5.52	101.6
1917: January.....	9.29	120.2	9.40	118.8	6.96	128.1
July.....	9.08	117.5	9.16	115.7	7.21	132.7
1918: January.....	9.88	127.9	10.03	126.7	7.68	141.3
July.....	9.96	128.9	10.07	127.3	7.92	145.8
1919: January.....	11.51	149.0	11.61	146.7	7.90	145.3
July.....	12.14	157.2	12.17	153.8	8.10	149.1
1920: January.....	12.59	162.9	12.77	161.3	8.81	162.1
July.....	14.28	184.9	14.33	181.1	10.55	194.1
1921: January.....	15.99	207.0	16.13	203.8	11.82	217.6
July.....	14.90	192.8	14.95	188.9	10.47	192.7
1922: January.....	14.98	193.9	15.02	189.8	9.89	182.0
July.....	14.87	192.4	14.92	188.5	9.49	174.6
1923: January.....	15.43	199.7	15.46	195.3	11.18	205.7
July.....	15.10	195.5	15.05	190.1	10.04	184.7
1924: January.....	15.77	204.1	15.76	199.1	9.75	179.5
July.....	15.24	197.2	15.10	190.7	8.94	164.5
1925: January.....	15.45	200.0	15.37	194.2	9.24	170.0
July.....	15.14	196.0	14.93	188.6	8.61	158.5
1926: January.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	9.74	179.3
February.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	9.72	178.8
March.....	16.12	208.6	15.91	201.1	9.25	170.2
April.....	15.54	201.2	15.37	194.2	9.11	167.6
May.....	15.41	199.5	15.18	191.8	8.76	161.2
June.....	15.40	199.3	15.18	191.8	8.67	159.5
July.....	15.43	199.7	15.19	191.9	8.70	160.1
August.....	15.49	200.4	15.23	192.5	8.81	162.1
September.....	15.55	201.3	15.30	193.4	9.25	170.3
October.....	15.56	201.4	15.31	193.5	9.59	176.5
November.....	15.64	202.4	15.41	194.7	10.24	188.4
December.....	15.66	202.7	15.44	195.0	10.15	186.8
1927: January.....	15.66	202.7	15.42	194.8	9.96	183.3
February.....	15.65	202.6	15.44	195.0	9.86	181.4
March.....	15.60	201.9	15.36	194.0	9.74	179.3
April.....	14.94	193.4	14.61	184.6	8.95	164.7
May.....	14.88	192.6	14.53	183.6	8.88	163.4
June.....	15.06	194.9	14.70	185.7	8.89	163.6
July.....	15.15	196.1	14.81	187.1	8.91	163.9
August.....	15.15	196.1	14.80	187.0	8.99	165.4
September.....	15.38	199.1	15.03	189.9	9.20	169.3
October.....	15.42	199.6	15.07	190.4	9.33	171.7
November.....	15.44	199.9	15.07	190.5	9.32	171.5
December.....	15.45	199.9	15.08	190.6	9.31	171.3

¹ Insufficient data.

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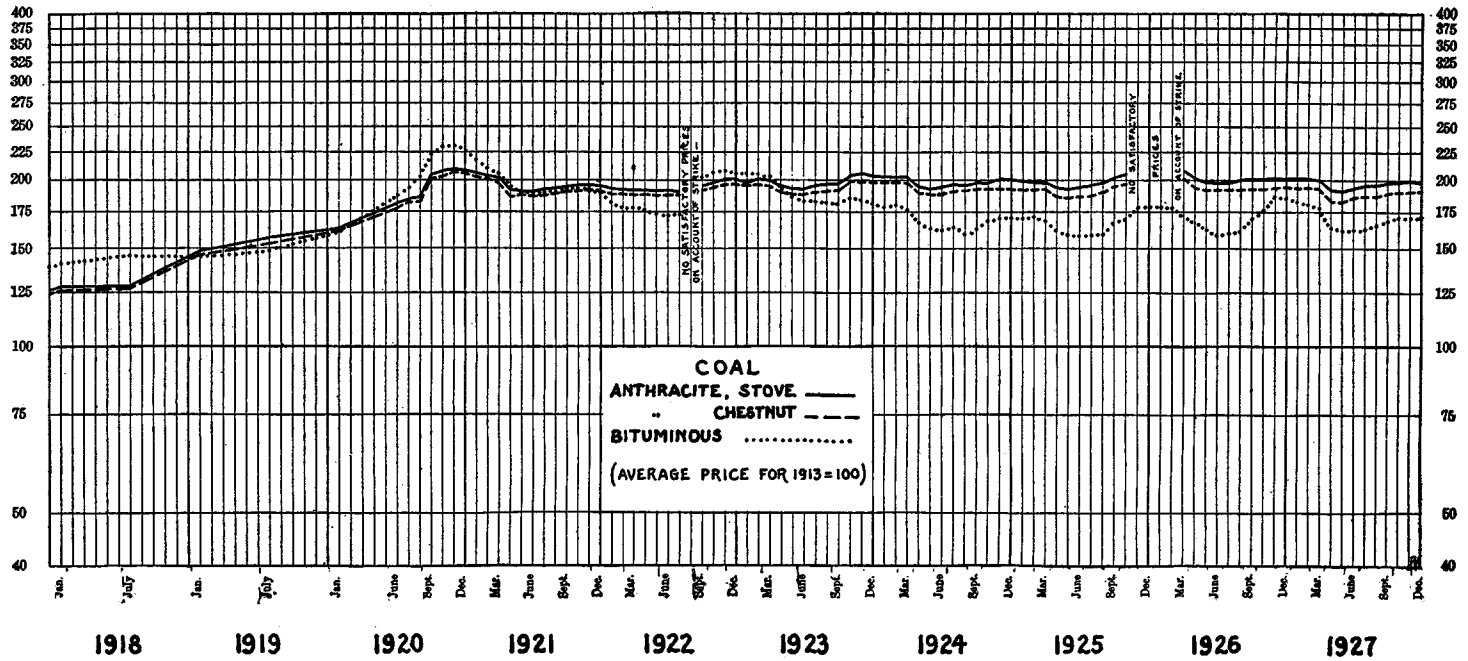


TABLE 16.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL PER TON OF

City and kind of coal	1913, average, Jan. and July	1926											
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
United States:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	\$7.73	(1)	(1)	\$16.12	\$15.54	\$15.41	\$15.40	\$15.43	\$15.49	\$15.55	\$15.56	\$15.64	\$15.66
Chestnut	7.91	(1)	(1)	15.91	15.37	15.18	15.18	15.19	15.23	15.30	15.31	15.41	15.44
Bituminous	5.43	\$9.74	\$9.72	9.25	9.11	8.76	8.67	8.70	8.81	9.25	9.59	10.24	10.15
Atlanta:													
Bituminous	5.35	8.47	8.48	8.45	7.37	7.37	7.37	7.37	7.65	8.15	8.15	9.97	9.10
Baltimore:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	\$7.47	(1)	(1)	\$16.75	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.08	\$16.00	\$16.00
Chestnut	\$7.71	(1)	(1)	\$16.25	\$15.50	\$15.50	\$15.50	\$15.50	\$15.50	\$15.50	\$15.58	\$15.50	\$15.50
Bituminous		8.00	7.90	7.90	7.71	7.71	7.58	7.63	7.67	7.58	7.63	8.50	8.38
Birmingham:													
Bituminous	4.11	7.62	7.72	7.59	6.92	7.05	7.08	7.28	7.31	7.53	7.63	7.90	8.09
Boston:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.88	(1)	(1)	18.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.40	16.50	16.50
Chestnut	8.00	(1)	(1)	18.00	15.75	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.15	16.25	16.25
Bridgeport:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove		(1)	(1)	18.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.75	16.00
Chestnut		(1)	(1)	18.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.75	16.00
Buffalo:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	6.65	(1)	(1)	13.96	13.78	13.75	13.75	13.79	13.75	13.75	13.75	13.76	13.76
Chestnut	6.90	(1)	(1)	13.66	13.44	13.39	13.46	13.39	13.39	13.39	13.39	13.39	13.39
Butte:													
Bituminous		11.04	11.07	11.07	11.04	11.07	11.07	11.04	11.00	10.95	11.03	11.03	11.04
Charleston, S. C.:													
Bituminous	\$6.75	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
Chicago:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.90	(1)	(1)	16.89	16.86	16.84	16.84	16.88	16.88	16.90	16.91	17.00	17.00
Chestnut	8.15	(1)	(1)	16.69	16.69	16.67	16.63	16.63	16.63	16.65	16.72	16.81	16.80
Bituminous	4.81	9.48	9.34	8.99	8.39	8.12	8.13	8.27	8.32	8.91	9.06	10.15	10.34
Cincinnati:													
Bituminous	3.44	7.77	7.77	7.53	6.53	6.56	6.57	6.57	6.75	7.50	8.50	9.57	8.90
Cleveland:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.38	(1)	(1)	15.33	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.83	15.20	15.35	15.45	15.40	15.40
Chestnut	7.63	(1)	(1)	15.08	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.83	14.80	14.95	15.05	15.00	15.00
Bituminous	4.14	9.47	9.59	9.45	8.48	8.57	8.56	8.52	8.68	9.19	9.99	10.54	10.38
Columbus, Ohio:													
Bituminous		7.69	7.67	7.64	6.59	6.59	6.58	6.59	6.72	7.36	7.82	9.16	8.29
Dallas:													
Ark. anthracite—													
Egg		(1)	(1)	16.88	15.33	15.17	14.50	15.17	15.50	15.50	15.67	16.00	16.00
Bituminous	7.73	13.83	13.83	13.72	12.39	11.72	12.22	12.72	12.72	13.33	13.33	13.22	13.22
Denver:													
Colo. anthracite—													
Furnace	8.94	(1)	(1)	16.00	15.00	15.50	15.69	15.75	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Stove	8.50	(1)	(1)	16.25	15.06	15.56	15.69	16.00	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.50
Bituminous	5.06	10.68	10.68	10.68	8.83	9.19	9.41	9.89	10.45	10.73	10.79	10.78	10.71
Detroit:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.73	(1)	(1)	16.33	16.42	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.17	16.17
Chestnut	7.95	(1)	(1)	16.33	16.42	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.83	15.83
Bituminous	5.20	10.59	10.53	10.69	10.45	9.33	9.24	9.30	9.25	9.90	10.39	11.61	11.05
Fall River:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.84	(1)	(1)	18.25	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.75
Chestnut	7.93	(1)	(1)	18.00	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25
Houston:													
Bituminous		12.75	12.50	12.50	11.50	11.50	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.50	11.50	13.00	13.50
Indianapolis:													
Bituminous	3.76	7.53	7.45	7.45	7.01	6.56	6.72	6.73	6.81	7.18	7.65	8.34	7.94
Jacksonville:													
Bituminous	7.25	14.00	11.50	13.50	14.00	13.00	12.50	12.00	12.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00
Kansas City:													
Ark. anthracite—													
Furnace		(1)	(1)	14.30	13.90	13.50	13.50	13.70	14.20	14.10	14.50	14.50	14.50
Stove, No. 4		(1)	(1)	16.17	15.50	15.33	15.33	15.17	15.33	15.50	15.67	15.83	15.83
Bituminous	4.16	7.98	7.98	8.00	7.97	7.84	7.48	7.43	7.66	7.75	7.82	7.91	7.93

¹ Insufficient data.² Per ton of 2,240 pounds.

2,000 POUNDS, 1913 AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927, BY CITY

City and kind of coal	1913 average, Jan. and July	1927											
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
United States:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	\$7.73	\$15.66	\$15.65	\$15.60	\$14.94	\$14.88	\$15.09	\$15.15	\$15.15	\$15.39	\$15.42	\$15.44	\$15.45
Chestnut.....	7.91	15.42	15.44	15.36	14.61	14.53	14.70	14.81	14.80	15.03	15.07	15.07	15.08
Bituminous.....	8.43	9.96	9.86	9.74	8.95	8.88	8.89	8.91	8.99	9.20	9.33	9.32	9.31
Atlanta:													
Bituminous.....	5.35	8.67	8.62	8.62	7.37	7.35	7.37	7.38	7.58	8.35	8.37	8.37	8.37
Baltimore:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	\$7.47	16.00	16.00	16.00	15.25	15.25	15.50	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Chestnut.....	7.71	15.50	15.50	15.50	14.50	14.50	14.75	15.00	15.00	15.25	15.25	15.25	15.25
Bituminous.....	8.32	8.32	8.32	8.32	8.18	8.18	8.11	8.04	8.18	8.18	8.11	8.11	8.14
Birmingham:													
Bituminous.....	4.11	8.09	8.06	7.98	6.98	6.98	7.10	7.18	7.30	7.49	7.76	7.81	7.79
Boston:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	7.88	16.50	16.50	16.50	15.75	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.25	16.25	16.25
Chestnut.....	8.00	16.25	16.25	16.25	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.75	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.00	16.00
Bridgeport:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	16.00	16.00	15.75	14.63	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
Chestnut.....	16.00	16.00	15.75	14.63	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
Buffalo:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	6.65	13.75	13.74	13.74	13.42	13.44	13.79	13.78	13.74	13.99	13.99	13.97	13.97
Chestnut.....	6.90	13.37	13.37	13.37	13.02	13.04	13.38	13.38	13.34	13.59	13.59	13.57	13.57
Butte:													
Bituminous.....	11.02	10.94	10.93	10.93	10.95	10.95	10.94	10.95	10.95	10.96	11.03	10.95	10.95
Charleston, S. C.:													
Bituminous.....	12.67	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
Chicago:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	7.90	17.00	17.00	17.00	16.25	16.25	16.50	16.70	16.70	16.95	16.94	16.95	16.95
Chestnut.....	8.15	16.80	16.80	16.80	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.20	16.20	16.45	16.45	16.46	16.46
Bituminous.....	4.81	9.35	9.04	9.31	8.89	8.98	9.12	9.09	9.16	9.32	9.30	9.29	9.17
Cincinnati:													
Bituminous.....	3.44	7.89	7.84	7.46	6.83	7.13	7.07	7.06	7.10	7.08	7.10	7.10	7.08
Cleveland:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	7.38	15.40	14.40	15.45	15.00	15.00	15.05	15.05	15.05	15.10	15.17	15.20	15.20
Chestnut.....	7.63	15.05	15.05	14.95	14.50	14.50	14.55	14.65	14.70	14.17	14.80	14.70	14.80
Bituminous.....	4.14	9.73	9.69	9.40	8.66	8.77	8.94	9.02	8.92	8.94	9.02	9.03	9.01
Columbus:													
Bituminous.....	7.75	7.74	7.62	6.67	6.93	7.00	6.96	6.85	7.21	7.22	7.24	7.24	7.24
Dallas:													
Ark. anthracite—													
Egg.....	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	14.67	14.50	14.17	14.33	15.17	15.33	15.50	15.50	15.50
Bituminous.....	7.73	13.22	13.22	13.22	13.00	12.50	11.71	11.71	12.21	12.71	12.71	12.70	12.70
Denver:													
Colo. anthracite—													
Furnace ¹	8.94	16.00	16.00	16.00	15.80	15.60	15.75	15.90	15.90	16.10	16.10	16.10	16.10
Stove ¹	8.50	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.15	15.80	15.75	15.90	15.90	16.10	16.10	16.10	16.10
Bituminous.....	5.06	10.73	10.70	10.73	9.08	9.14	9.32	9.60	9.78	10.25	10.42	10.61	10.58
Detroit:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	7.73	16.17	16.00	16.00	15.83	15.00	15.00	15.50	15.50	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Chestnut.....	7.95	15.75	15.67	15.58	15.33	14.50	14.50	15.00	15.00	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.50
Bituminous.....	5.20	10.34	10.22	9.78	9.57	9.41	9.28	9.18	9.21	9.38	9.38	9.35	9.31
Fall River:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	7.84	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.50	16.50	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.75
Chestnut.....	7.93	16.25	16.25	16.25	15.75	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.00	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25
Houston:													
Bituminous.....	13.50	13.50	13.50	11.40	11.40	11.60	11.40	11.60	11.80	12.10	12.20	12.80	12.80
Indianapolis:													
Bituminous.....	3.76	7.67	7.56	7.41	6.84	6.93	6.96	7.00	6.96	7.26	7.45	7.35	7.28
Jacksonville:													
Bituminous.....	7.25	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	13.00	14.00	14.00	14.00
Kansas City:													
Ark. anthracite—													
Furnace.....	14.50	14.50	14.50	12.90	12.90	12.90	13.20	13.50	14.00	14.00	14.10	14.20	14.20
Stove No. 4.....	15.83	15.83	15.83	14.67	14.67	14.67	15.17	15.00	15.17	15.33	15.33	15.33	15.33
Bituminous.....	4.16	7.81	7.85	7.73	7.65	7.65	7.60	7.65	7.90	7.83	7.75	7.81	7.50

¹ Nos. 1 and 2 mixed.⁴ Nos. 3 and 5 mixed.

TABLE 16.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL PER TON OF 2,000

City and kind of coal	1913, average, Jan. and July	1926											
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
Little Rock:													
Ark. anthracite—													
Egg.....		(1)	(1)	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00		\$13.00	\$13.00	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00
Bituminous.....	\$5.67	\$11.27	\$11.20	10.90	10.60	10.00	\$9.85	9.41	9.45	10.35	10.46	10.80	10.83
Los Angeles:													
Bituminous.....	13.01	15.94	15.94	15.94	15.94	15.31	15.31	15.31	15.31	15.63	15.69	16.06	16.50
Louisville:													
Bituminous.....	4.10	7.43	7.41	7.41	6.37	6.33	6.31	6.27	6.47	6.63	7.33	9.19	8.40
Manchester:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	9.25	(1)	(1)	18.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.50
Chestnut.....	9.25	(1)	(1)	17.50	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.50
Memphis:													
Bituminous.....	* 4.28	7.84	7.84	7.84	7.84	6.75	6.75	6.91	7.26	7.25	7.26	8.46	8.78
Milwaukee:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	7.93	(1)	(1)	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80
Chestnut.....	8.18	(1)	(1)	16.62	16.65	16.65	16.65	16.65	16.65	16.65	16.65	16.65	16.65
Bituminous.....	5.98	11.42	11.42	11.42	11.42	9.43	8.90	8.90	8.99	9.75	10.36	11.38	11.40
Minneapolis:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	9.15	(1)	(1)	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10
Chestnut.....	9.40	(1)	(1)	18.07	18.04	17.98	17.95	17.93	17.95	17.95	17.95	17.95	17.95
Bituminous.....	5.84	11.35	11.17	11.17	11.19	11.09	11.02	11.02	11.03	11.09	11.34	11.66	11.83
Mobile:													
Bituminous.....		9.62	9.81	9.62	9.31	9.23	9.37	9.42	9.50	9.64	9.69	9.92	10.12
Newark:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	6.38	(1)	(1)	14.20	14.00	14.00	14.00	13.95	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00
Chestnut.....	6.63	(1)	(1)	13.80	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.45	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.50
New Haven:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	6.88	(1)	(1)	17.83	15.80	15.05	15.05	15.05	15.15	15.35	15.35	15.35	15.30
Chestnut.....	6.88	(1)	(1)	17.83	15.80	15.05	15.05	15.05	15.15	15.35	15.35	15.35	15.30
New Orleans:													
Bituminous.....	* 6.06	11.14	11.11	11.00	9.86	9.32	9.46	9.18	9.32	9.32	10.29	10.79	11.21
New York:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	6.86	(1)	(1)	15.71	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.75	14.75
Chestnut.....	6.97	(1)	(1)	15.29	14.54	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.54	14.50	14.50	14.50
Norfolk:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....		(1)	(1)	17.00	17.00	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.50	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Chestnut.....		(1)	(1)	17.00	17.00	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.50	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Bituminous.....		10.52	10.52	10.16	9.34	8.46	8.41	8.52	8.52	9.09	9.66	10.39	10.25
Omaha:													
Bituminous.....	6.38	10.33	10.31	10.29	10.29	9.46	9.42	9.48	9.67	10.02	10.02	10.29	10.32
Peoria:													
Bituminous.....		7.11	7.07	7.06	7.05	6.93	6.96	6.80	6.79	6.81	6.94	7.46	7.45
Philadelphia:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	* 7.03	(1)	(1)	* 16.04	* 15.79	* 15.79	* 15.79	* 15.86	* 15.79	* 15.79	* 15.79	* 15.79	* 15.79
Chestnut.....	* 7.26	(1)	(1)	* 15.82	* 15.54	* 15.54	* 15.54	* 15.54	* 15.54	* 15.54	* 15.54	* 15.54	* 15.61
Pittsburgh:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Chestnut.....	* 7.72	(1)	(1)	16.13	16.38	15.25	15.13	15.00	15.13	15.13	15.13	15.38	15.50
Bituminous.....	* 3.17	6.13	6.13	6.13	6.13	6.13	5.63	5.59	5.55	5.55	5.74	7.23	6.49
Portland, Me.:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....		(1)	(1)	17.25	16.56	16.56	16.56	16.56	16.56	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80
Chestnut.....		(1)	(1)	17.25	16.56	16.56	16.56	16.56	16.56	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.80
Portland, Oreg.:													
Bituminous.....	9.72	13.24	13.12	13.15	13.11	12.27	11.74	12.04	11.96	13.37	13.52	13.46	13.46
Providence:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	* 7.88	(1)	(1)	* 17.50	* 16.25	* 16.25	* 16.25	* 16.25	* 16.25	* 16.25	* 16.25	* 16.50	* 16.50
Chestnut.....	* 8.00	(1)	(1)	* 17.33	* 16.00	* 16.00	* 16.00	* 16.00	* 16.00	* 16.00	* 16.00	* 16.50	* 16.50
Richmond:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	7.63	(1)	(1)	16.83	15.50	15.50	15.33	15.75	15.83	15.92	16.17	16.67	16.50
Chestnut.....	7.63	(1)	(1)	16.50	15.50	15.00	15.50	15.75	15.50	15.92	16.17	16.67	16.50
Bituminous.....	5.22	11.39	11.34	11.32	8.66	8.68	8.66	9.04	9.09	9.67	10.96	11.91	11.84

1 Insufficient data.

2 Per ton of 2,240 pounds.

3 Per 10-barrel lot (1,800 pounds).

POUNDS, 1913 AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927, BY CITY—Continued

City and kind of coal	1913, average, Jan. and July	1927											
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
Little Rock:													
Ark. anthracite—													
Egg		\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$14.00	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50
Bituminous	\$5.67	10.80	10.90	10.90	10.70	10.68	10.50	9.85	9.96	10.15	11.80	10.43	10.55
Los Angeles:													
Bituminous	13.01	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.50	15.25	14.75	15.55	16.25	16.50	16.50	16.50
Louisville:													
Bituminous	4.10	8.42	7.82	7.82	6.07	6.11	6.58	6.58	6.94	7.01	7.50	7.50	7.50
Manchester:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	9.25	17.50	17.50	17.50	16.50	16.50	17.08	17.00	17.25	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.50
Chestnut	9.25	17.50	17.50	17.50	16.25	16.25	16.83	16.75	17.00	17.25	17.25	17.25	17.25
Memphis:													
Bituminous	4.28	8.80	8.78	8.80	8.72	8.75	8.75	8.30	8.30	8.30	8.26	8.30	8.30
Milwaukee:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.93	16.80	16.80	16.80	16.15	16.15	16.40	16.40	16.40	16.65	16.65	16.65	16.65
Chestnut	8.18	16.65	16.65	16.65	15.70	15.70	15.95	15.95	15.95	16.20	16.20	16.20	16.20
Bituminous	5.98	11.32	10.49	10.56	9.23	8.97	9.32	9.42	9.29	9.29	9.47	9.51	9.48
Minneapolis:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	9.15	18.10	18.10	17.92	17.65	17.65	17.91	17.90	17.90	18.15	18.15	18.15	18.15
Chestnut	9.40	17.75	17.95	17.65	17.20	17.20	17.45	17.45	17.45	17.70	17.70	17.70	17.70
Bituminous	5.84	11.75	11.75	11.72	10.91	11.08	11.06	11.16	11.16	11.66	11.69	11.81	11.72
Mobile:													
Bituminous		10.12	9.92	9.92	9.19	9.35	9.35	9.31	9.46	9.08	9.29	9.46	9.71
Newark:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	6.38	14.00	14.00	13.90	13.50	13.45	13.80	13.70	13.75	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00
Chestnut	6.63	13.50	13.50	13.40	13.00	13.00	13.25	13.20	13.25	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.50
New Haven:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	6.88	15.40	15.35	15.40	14.65	14.65	14.55	14.65	14.65	14.90	15.05	15.10	15.10
Chestnut	6.88	15.40	15.35	15.40	14.65	14.65	14.55	14.65	14.65	14.90	15.05	15.10	15.10
New Orleans:													
Bituminous	6.06	11.29	11.29	11.21	10.00	9.32	9.32	9.39	9.32	9.32	10.29	10.29	11.29
New York:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	6.86	14.75	14.75	14.54	13.75	13.83	14.08	14.08	14.08	14.33	14.38	14.75	14.75
Chestnut	6.97	14.50	14.50	14.29	13.50	13.54	13.79	13.79	13.79	14.04	14.08	14.46	14.42
Norfolk:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove		16.00	16.00	16.00	14.00	14.00	14.50	14.50	14.50	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
Chestnut		16.00	16.00	16.09	14.00	14.00	14.50	14.50	14.50	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
Bituminous		9.68	9.73	9.71	8.27	8.27	8.57	8.55	8.55	8.80	9.07	9.07	9.07
Omaha:													
Bituminous	6.38	10.19	10.19	10.19	10.18	9.66	9.68	9.68	9.75	10.02	10.52	10.21	10.21
Peoria:													
Bituminous		7.29	7.18	7.06	7.09	7.04	6.99	6.97	6.97	6.94	7.13	7.16	7.12
Philadelphia:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.03	15.79	15.79	15.79	14.75	14.75	14.89	14.96	14.89	15.04	15.04	15.04	15.04
Chestnut	7.26	15.54	15.54	15.54	14.25	14.25	14.39	14.46	14.39	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54
Pittsburgh:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Chestnut	7.72	15.88	15.88	15.63	15.50	15.00	14.88	15.00	14.63	15.00	14.88	14.88	14.88
Bituminous	8.17	6.24	6.24	6.24	6.24	6.17	5.85	5.72	5.53	5.76	5.76	5.69	5.69
Portland, Me.:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove		16.80	16.98	16.80	16.56	16.33	16.32	16.56	16.56	16.74	16.80	16.80	16.80
Chestnut		16.80	16.98	16.80	16.56	16.33	16.32	16.56	16.56	16.74	16.80	16.80	16.80
Portland, Oreg.:													
Bituminous	9.72	13.34	13.49	13.34	13.31	12.58	12.61	12.98	13.33	13.64	13.33	13.52	13.39
Providence:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.88	16.50	16.50	16.50	15.75	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.00	16.25	16.25	16.25	16.25
Chestnut	8.00	16.50	16.50	16.50	15.50	15.50	15.50	15.75	15.75	16.00	16.00	15.94	16.00
Richmond:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove	7.63	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.00	15.00	15.00	15.50	15.50	15.67	15.50	15.50	15.67
Chestnut	7.63	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.00	15.00	15.00	15.50	15.50	15.67	15.50	15.50	15.50
Bituminous	5.22	11.66	11.70	10.70	10.04	9.17	9.21	9.63	9.61	9.77	9.68	9.68	9.75

* Per 25-bushel lot (1,900 pounds).

† The average price of coal delivered in bin is 50 cents higher than here shown. Practically all coal is delivered in bin.

TABLE 16.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL PER TON OF 2,000

City, and kind of coal	1913, average, Jan. and July	1926											
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
Rochester:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	(1)			\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60
Chestnut.....	(1)			14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15
St. Louis:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	\$8.09	(1)	(1)	17.15	17.20	16.70	16.73	16.75	16.70	16.93	16.95	17.33	17.45
Chestnut.....	8.34	(1)	(1)	16.95	17.00	16.45	16.45	16.50	16.45	16.68	16.70	17.08	17.20
Bituminous.....	3.20	\$6.62	\$6.62	6.59	6.59	5.87	5.87	6.04	6.17	6.35	6.42	7.19	7.50
St. Paul:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	9.12	(1)	(1)	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10	18.10
Chestnut.....	9.37	(1)	(1)	18.07	18.01	18.04	17.95	17.95	17.95	17.95	17.95	17.95	17.95
Bituminous.....	6.06	11.66	11.47	11.47	11.47	11.32	11.26	11.22	11.22	11.30	11.63	12.00	12.16
Salt Lake City:													
Colo. anthracite—													
Furnace.....	11.25	(1)	(1)	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00
Stove.....	11.25	(1)	(1)	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00
Bituminous.....	5.55	8.43	8.42	8.43	8.43	8.43	6.62	6.49	6.49	8.04	8.47	8.46	8.46
San Francisco:													
N. Mex. anthracite—													
Cerillos egg.....	17.00	(1)	(1)	26.50	26.50	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.50	25.50	25.50	26.50
Colo. anthracite—													
Egg.....	17.00	(1)	(1)	25.50	25.50	24.50	24.50	24.50	24.50	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.75
Bituminous.....	12.00	17.06	17.06	17.06	17.06	16.22	16.22	16.22	16.22	16.67	16.61	16.67	17.11
Savannah:													
Bituminous.....		\$12.75	\$12.75	\$12.75	\$10.88	\$10.88	\$10.88	\$10.88	\$10.88	\$11.25	\$12.00	\$14.25	\$13.50
Scranton:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	4.28	(1)	(1)	11.00	10.92	10.92	10.92	10.92	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
Chestnut.....	4.53	(1)	(1)	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67	10.67
Seattle:													
Bituminous.....	7.66	9.96	9.92	9.96	9.96	8.21	8.51	9.05	9.76	10.20	10.35	10.42	10.44
Springfield, Ill.:													
Bituminous.....		4.38	4.38	4.38	4.38	4.38	4.35	4.33	4.38	4.38	4.38	4.38	4.38
Washington, D. C.:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	\$7.44	(1)	(1)	\$16.28	\$15.53	\$15.53	\$15.53	\$15.53	\$15.66	\$15.80	\$15.88	\$15.95	\$15.91
Chestnut.....	\$7.59	(1)	(1)	\$16.08	\$15.22	\$15.22	\$15.22	\$15.22	\$15.39	\$15.51	\$15.53	\$15.59	\$15.59
Bituminous—													
Prepared sizes—													
Low volatile.....		\$13.83	\$13.83	\$12.71	\$11.67	\$11.08	\$10.67	\$10.92	\$10.79	\$11.04	\$11.92	\$13.33	\$12.00
High volatile.....		\$9.88	\$9.88	\$9.25	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$8.75	\$8.75	\$8.75	\$8.75	\$9.50	\$9.75
Run of mine—													
Mixed.....		\$8.19	\$8.06	\$7.75	\$7.75	\$7.75	\$7.75	\$7.75	\$7.75	\$7.75	\$8.00	\$9.06	\$8.94

1 Insufficient data.

2 Per ton of 2,240 pounds.

3 Nos. 1 and 2 mixed.

POUNDS, 1913 AND EACH MONTH OF 1926 AND 1927, BY CITY—Continued

City, and kind of coal	1913, average, Jan. and July	1927											
		Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
Rochester:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....		\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.10	\$14.10	\$14.35	\$14.35	\$14.35	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60	\$14.60
Chestnut.....		14.15	14.15	14.15	13.65	13.65	13.90	13.90	13.90	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15
St. Louis:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	\$8.09	17.45	17.45	17.45	16.40	16.50	16.65	16.65	16.70	16.75	16.90	16.90	16.90
Chestnut.....	8.34	17.20	17.20	17.20	16.10	16.05	16.20	16.25	16.25	16.30	16.50	16.45	16.45
Bituminous.....	3.20	7.50	7.44	7.45	7.31	7.19	7.12	7.16	7.44	7.57	7.41	7.29	7.14
St. Paul:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	9.12	18.10	18.10	17.92	17.65	17.65	17.90	17.85	17.90	18.15	18.15	18.15	18.15
Chestnut.....	9.37	17.75	17.95	17.65	17.20	17.20	17.45	17.45	17.45	17.70	17.70	17.70	17.70
Bituminous.....	6.06	12.16	12.21	12.18	11.10	11.31	11.23	11.29	11.40	11.96	11.96	11.98	11.98
Salt Lake City:													
Colo. anthracite—													
Furnace.....	11.25	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00
Stove.....	11.25	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00
Bituminous.....	5.55	8.47	8.47	8.47	8.45	8.19	7.27	7.29	7.73	8.34	8.34	8.34	8.32
San Francisco:													
N. Mex. anthracite—													
Cerillos egg.....	17.00	26.50	26.50	26.50	26.25	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.50	25.50	25.50	26.50
Colo. anthracite—													
Egg.....	17.00	25.75	25.75	25.75	25.75	24.50	24.50	24.50	24.50	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.75
Bituminous.....	12.00	17.11	17.06	17.11	16.90	15.60	15.60	15.50	15.40	16.63	16.63	16.63	17.25
Savannah:													
Bituminous.....	\$13.25	\$13.25	\$13.25	\$10.50	\$10.63	\$10.63	\$10.63	\$10.38	\$11.75	\$11.13	\$11.25	\$11.13	\$11.13
Scranton:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	4.28	11.00	11.00	10.58	10.25	10.28	10.47	10.48	10.48	10.75	10.75	10.75	10.75
Chestnut.....	4.53	10.67	10.67	10.25	10.00	10.03	10.22	10.23	10.23	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50
Seattle:													
Bituminous.....	7.66	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.35	10.14	10.07	9.77	9.76	10.02	10.06	10.06
Springfield, Ill.:													
Bituminous.....		4.38	4.35	4.35	4.47	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.44
Washington, D. C.:													
Pa. anthracite—													
Stove.....	\$ 7.44	\$15.86	\$15.81	\$15.75	\$14.99	\$14.99	\$15.25	\$15.25	\$15.25	\$15.51	\$15.51	\$15.51	\$15.51
Chestnut.....	\$ 7.59	\$15.54	\$15.54	\$15.49	\$14.48	\$14.48	\$14.73	\$14.73	\$14.73	\$14.99	\$14.99	\$14.99	\$15.01
Bituminous—													
Prepared sizes—													
Low volatile.....		\$12.00	\$11.75	\$11.50	\$10.33	\$10.33	\$10.67	\$10.67	\$10.67	\$11.00	\$11.08	\$11.08	\$11.00
High volatile.....		\$ 9.75	\$ 9.75	\$ 9.63	\$ 8.75	\$ 9.00	\$ 8.75	\$ 9.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 8.75
Run of mine—													
Mixed.....		\$ 8.31	\$ 8.10	\$ 8.10	\$ 7.78	\$ 7.78	\$ 7.78	\$ 7.78	\$ 7.78	\$ 7.88	\$ 7.88	\$ 7.88	\$ 7.88

* Nos. 3 and 5 mixed.

* All coal sold in Savannah is weighed by the city. A charge of 10 cents per ton or half ton is made. This additional charge has been included in the above prices.

PART III.—GAS

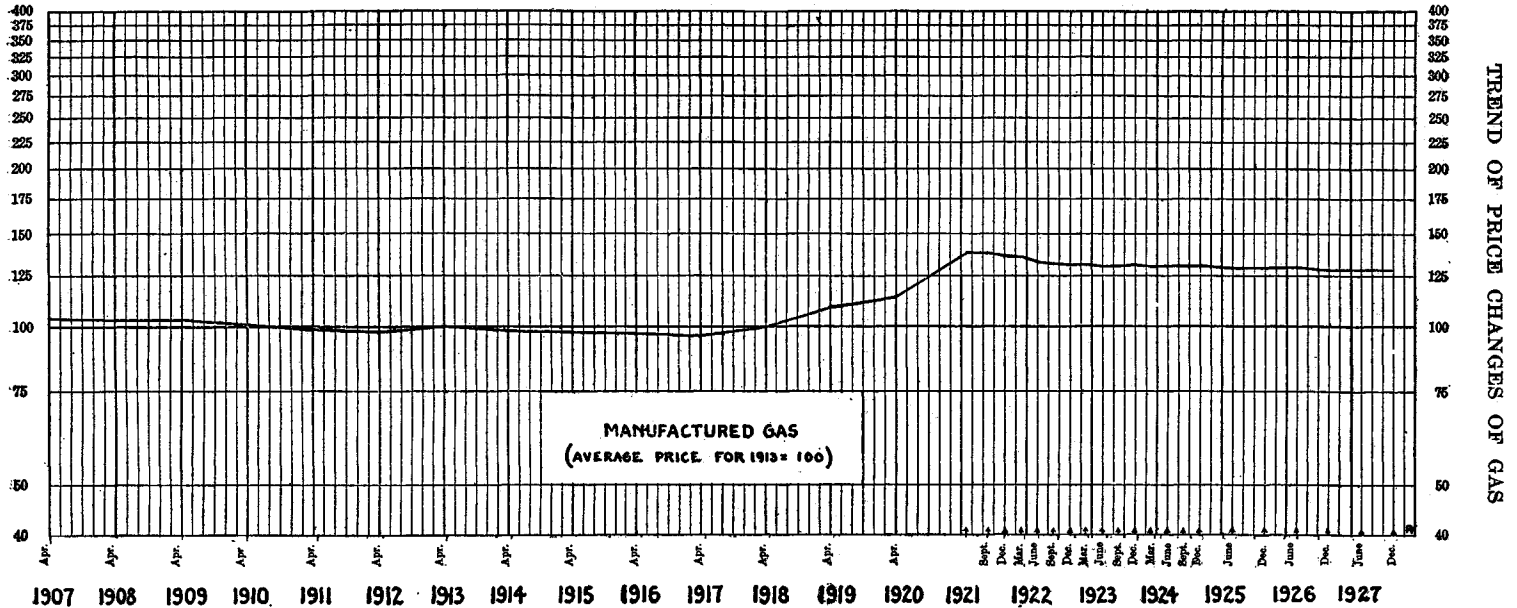
EXPLANATION OF PRICES

The net price per 1,000 cubic feet of gas for household use in each of 51 cities is shown in the following table. In Table 17 the average family consumption of manufactured gas is assumed to be 3,000 cubic feet per month. In cities where a service charge or a sliding scale is in operation, families using less than 3,000 cubic feet per month pay a somewhat higher rate than here shown, while those consuming more than this amount pay a lower rate. The figures here given are believed to represent quite closely the actual monthly cost of gas per 1,000 cubic feet to the average wage earner's family. Prices for natural gas and for manufactured and natural mixed gas are shown in Table 18 for those cities where it is in general use. These prices are based on an estimated average family consumption of 5,000 cubic feet per month.

TABLE 17.—NET PRICE PER 1,000 CUBIC FEET OF MANUFACTURED GAS BASED ON A FAMILY CONSUMPTION OF 3,000 CUBIC FEET, IN SPECIFIED MONTHS FROM APRIL, 1913, TO DECEMBER, 1927, BY CITIES

City	Apr. 15, 1913	Apr. 15, 1914	Apr. 15, 1915	Apr. 15, 1916	Apr. 15, 1917	Apr. 15, 1918	Apr. 15, 1919	Apr. 15, 1920	May 15, 1921	June 15, 1922	June 15, 1923	June 15, 1924	June 15, 1925	June 15, 1926	June 15, 1927	Dec. 15, 1927
Atlanta	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.15	\$1.15	\$1.90	\$1.65	\$1.65	\$1.55	\$1.55	\$1.55	\$1.55	\$1.55
Baltimore	.90	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.92	.92	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
Birmingham	1.00	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.88	.88	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Boston	.81	.81	.80	.80	.80	.86	1.05	1.08	1.40	1.32	1.25	1.20	1.18	1.18	1.18	1.18
Bridgeport	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.10	1.10	1.47	1.50	1.50	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45
Buffalo	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45
Butte	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10
Charleston, S. C.	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.00	1.10	1.10	1.25	1.55	1.56	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55
Chicago	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.72	.90	.87	1.20	1.07	1.07	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
Cleveland	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
Denver	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90
Detroit	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.79	.79	.85	.79	.79	.82	.82	.79	.79	.79
Fall River	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.95	.95	1.05	1.25	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15
Houston	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09
Indianapolis	.60	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.60	.60	.90	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.05	.95
Jacksonville	1.20	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.25	1.25	1.50	1.75	1.65	1.65	1.97	1.97	1.97	1.92	1.92
Manchester	1.10	1.10	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.18	1.18	1.58	1.48	1.48	1.38	1.38	1.38	1.38	1.38
Memphis	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.93	.93	.93	1.27	1.35	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
Milwaukee	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.90	.90	.86	.82	.82	.82	.82	.82
Minneapolis	.85	.80	.80	.77	.77	.77	.95	.95	1.28	1.02	1.05	1.01	.95	.97	.96	.94
Mobile	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.35	1.35	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.76	1.76
Newark	1.00	.90	.90	.90	.90	.97	.97	1.15	1.40	1.25	1.25	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
New Haven	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	1.00	1.10	1.10	1.27	1.18	1.18	1.18	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.13
New Orleans	1.10	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.45	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
New York	.84	.84	.83	.83	.83	.83	.85	.87	1.40	1.31	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.24	1.24
Norfolk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.20	1.20	1.60	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.33	1.33	1.33
Omaha	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.00	1.00	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.47	1.18	1.18	1.18	1.08	1.08	1.08	1.08
Peoria	.90	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
Philadelphia	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Pittsburgh	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Portland, Me.	1.10	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.40	1.40	1.85	1.65	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.42	1.42
Portland, Oreg.	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.38	1.25	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.19	1.17	1.17
Providence	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	1.00	1.30	1.30	1.42	1.42	1.22	1.22	1.17	1.17	1.13	1.13
Richmond	.90	.90	.90	.80	.80	.80	1.00	1.00	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.29	1.29	1.29
Rochester	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.18	1.10	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
St. Louis	.80	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.85	1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
St. Paul	.95	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	1.00	1.00	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90
Salt Lake City	.87	.87	.87	.87	.87	.87	1.15	1.15	1.57	1.57	1.57	1.57	1.57	1.53	1.52	1.52
San Francisco	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.95	.95	1.05	1.02	.92	1.00	1.05	.95	.95	.95
Savannah	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.60	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45
Scranton	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.15	1.30	1.30	1.70	1.60	1.60	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40
Seattle	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.20	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45
Springfield, Ill.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.10	1.10	1.40	1.40	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.25	1.25	1.25
Washington	.93	.93	.93	.93	.80	.90	.95	.95	1.25	1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

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TREND OF PRICE CHANGES OF GAS

TABLE 18.—NET PRICE PER 1,000 CUBIC FEET OF GAS BASED ON A FAMILY CONSUMPTION OF 5,000 CUBIC FEET, IN SPECIFIED MONTHS FROM APRIL, 1913, TO DECEMBER, 1927, BY CITIES

Natural gas

City	Apr. 15, 1913	Apr. 15, 1914	Apr. 15, 1915	Apr. 15, 1916	Apr. 15, 1917	Apr. 15, 1918	Apr. 15, 1919	Apr. 15, 1920	May 15, 1921	June 15, 1922	June 15, 1923	June 15, 1924	June 15, 1925	June 15, 1926	June 15, 1927	Dec. 15, 1927
Buffalo.....	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.35	\$0.35	\$0.35	\$0.42						
Cincinnati.....	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.50	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.75	\$0.75	\$0.75	\$0.75
Cleveland.....	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.40	.55	.55	.55	.60	.60	.60
Columbus.....	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.45	.55	.55	.48	.48
Dallas.....	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.68	.68	.68	.68	.74	.74	.79	.79
Houston.....															.75	.75
Kansas City.....	.27	.27	.27	.27	.30	.60	.80	.80	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95
Little Rock.....	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65
Los Angeles.....															.91	.91
Louisville.....		.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45
Pittsburgh.....	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.35	.35	.45	.50	.50	.53	.60	.60	.60	.60

Manufactured and natural gas, mixed

Buffalo.....											\$0.62	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.65	\$0.65	\$0.65
Los Angeles.....			\$0.68	\$0.68	\$0.68	\$0.68	\$0.75	\$0.75	\$0.75	\$0.73	.68	.68	.68	.68		

From the prices quoted on manufactured gas, average prices have been computed for all of the cities combined and are shown in Table 19 for April 15 of each year from 1907 to 1920, and for May 15, September 15, and December 15, 1921; March 15, June 15, September 15, and December 15, 1922, 1923, and 1924; and June 15 and December 15, 1925, 1926, and 1927. These prices are based on an estimated average family consumption of 3,000 cubic feet.

Relative prices have been computed by dividing the price of each year by the price in April, 1913.

The price of manufactured gas in December, 1927, showed an increase of 28.4 per cent since April, 1913. From June, 1927, to December, 1927, there was no change in the price of gas.

The trend in the retail prices of manufactured gas since 1907 is shown in the chart on page 209.

TABLE 19.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE NET PRICE PER 1,000 CUBIC FEET OF MANUFACTURED GAS BASED ON A FAMILY CONSUMPTION OF 3,000 CUBIC FEET IN SPECIFIED MONTHS OF EACH YEAR, 1907 TO 1927

Date	Average net price	Relative price	Date	Average net price	Relative price
Apr. 15, 1907.....	\$0.99	104.2	June 15, 1922.....	\$1.27	133.7
Apr. 15, 1908.....	.98	103.2	Sept. 15, 1922.....	1.26	132.6
Apr. 15, 1909.....	.97	102.1	Dec. 15, 1922.....	1.25	131.6
Apr. 15, 1910.....	.96	101.1	Mar. 15, 1923.....	1.25	131.6
Apr. 15, 1911.....	.94	98.9	June 15, 1923.....	1.24	130.5
Apr. 15, 1912.....	.93	97.9	Sept. 15, 1923.....	1.24	130.5
Apr. 15, 1913.....	.95	100.0	Dec. 15, 1923.....	1.25	131.6
Apr. 15, 1914.....	.94	98.9	Mar. 15, 1924.....	1.24	130.5
Apr. 15, 1915.....	.93	97.9	June 15, 1924.....	1.24	130.5
Apr. 15, 1916.....	.92	96.8	Sept. 15, 1924.....	1.24	130.5
Apr. 15, 1917.....	.91	95.8	Dec. 15, 1924.....	1.24	130.5
Apr. 15, 1918.....	.95	100.0	June 15, 1925.....	1.23	129.5
Apr. 15, 1919.....	1.04	109.5	Dec. 15, 1925.....	1.23	129.5
Apr. 15, 1920.....	1.09	114.7	June 15, 1926.....	1.23	129.5
May 15, 1921.....	1.32	138.9	Dec. 15, 1926.....	1.22	128.4
Sept. 15, 1921.....	1.31	137.9	June 15, 1927.....	1.22	128.4
Dec. 15, 1921.....	1.30	136.8	Dec. 15, 1927.....	1.22	128.4
Mar. 15, 1922.....	1.29	135.8			

PART IV.—ELECTRICITY

EXPLANATION OF PRICES

Table 20 shows for 51 cities the net rates per kilowatt-hour of electricity used for household purposes for December, 1913, and for June and December, 1926 and 1927. For the cities having more than one tariff for domestic consumers the rates are shown for the schedule under which most of the residences are served.

Several cities have sliding scales based on a variable number of kilowatt-hours payable at each rate. The number of kilowatt-hours payable at each rate in these cities is determined for each customer according to the watts of installation, either in whole or in part, in the individual home. The number of watts so determined is called the customer's "demand."

In Baltimore the demand is the maximum normal rate of use of electricity in any half-hour period of time. It may be estimated or determined by the company from time to time according to the customer's normal use of electricity and may equal the total installation reduced to kilowatts.

In Buffalo the demand consists of two parts—lighting, 25 per cent of the total installation, but never less than 250 watts; and power, $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of the capacity of any electric range, water heater, or other appliance of 1,000 watts or over and 25 per cent of the rated capacity of motors exceeding one-half horsepower but less than 1 horsepower. The installation is determined by inspection of premises.

In Chicago the equivalent in kilowatt-hours to 30 hours' use of demand has been estimated as follows: For a rated capacity of 475 to 574 watts, 11 kilowatt-hours; 575 to 674 watts, 12 kilowatt-hours; 675 to 774 watts, 13 kilowatt-hours; and 775 to 874 watts, 14 kilowatt-hours. Although the equivalent in kilowatt-hours to 30 hours' use of demand of from 1 to 1,500 watts is given on the printed tariff, the equivalent is here shown only for installations of from 475 to 874 watts, the connected load of the average home being as a rule within this range.

In Cincinnati the demand has been estimated as being 70 per cent of the connected load, excluding appliances.

In Cleveland, in December, 1913, Company A determined the demand by inspection as being 40 per cent of the connected load. From December, 1919, to the present time there has been a flat rate for all current consumed.

In Houston the demand is estimated as 50 per cent of the connected load, each socket opening being rated at 50 watts.

In New Orleans the demand in 1913 was the full connected load.

In New York the demand for Company C, when not determined by meter, has been computed at 50 per cent of total installation in residences, each standard socket being rated at 50 watts and all other outlets being rated at their actual kilowatt capacity.

In Omaha the demand in 1913 was the full connected load.

In Pittsburgh since December, 1919, the demand has been determined by inspection, the first 10 outlets being rated at 30 watts

each, the next 20 outlets at 20 watts each, and each additional outlet at 10 watts. Household utensils and appliances of not over 660 watts each have been excluded.

In Portland, Oreg., the demand for Company A has been estimated as one-third of the connected lighting load. Ranges, heating devices, and small power up to a rated capacity of 2 kilowatts are not included.

For Company B the demand, when not based on actual measurement, has been estimated at one-third of the connected load, no demand being established at less than 233 watts.

In Springfield, Ill., the demand for Company A in December, 1913, was the active load predetermined as follows: 80 per cent of the first 500 watts of connected load plus 60 per cent of that part of the connected load in excess of the first 500 watts—minimum active load, 150 watts.

In Washington, D. C., the demand is determined by inspection and consists of 100 per cent of the connected load, excluding small fans and heating and cooking appliances when not permanently connected.

TABLE 20.—NET PRICE PER KILOWATT-HOUR FOR ELECTRICITY FOR HOUSEHOLD USE IN DECEMBER, 1913, AND JUNE AND DECEMBER, 1926 AND 1927, FOR 51 CITIES

City	Measure of consumption, per month	De- cem- ber, 1913	June, 1926	De- cem- ber, 1926	June, 1927	De- cem- ber, 1927
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Atlanta.....	First 100 kilowatt-hours.....	¹ 7.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
Baltimore ²	First 20 hours' use of demand.....	³ 8.5	8.0	8.0	7.0	7.0
	Next kilowatt-hours up to 800.....		4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Birmingham.....	First 100 kilowatt-hours.....	⁴ 8.5	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7
Boston:						
Company A.....	First 1,000 kilowatt-hours.....	⁵ 10.0	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Company B.....	do.....	⁶ 10.0	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Bridgeport.....	All current.....	9.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.0
Buffalo ²	First 60 hours' use of demand.....	7.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
	Next 120 hours' use of demand.....	5.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
	Excess.....	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Butte.....	First 25 kilowatt-hours.....	⁸ 9.5	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
	Next 25 kilowatt-hours.....		4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Charleston, S. C.....	First 50 kilowatt-hours.....	⁷ 10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
	Next 50 kilowatt-hours.....	8.0				
Chicago ¹	First 30 hours' use of demand.....	10.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
	Next 30 hours' use of demand.....	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
	Excess.....	4.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Cincinnati.....	First 30 kilowatt-hours.....	⁹ 9.5	⁸ 8.5	⁸ 8.5	⁸ 8.5	7.5
	Next 60 kilowatt-hours.....	⁹ 6.7	⁹ 6.5	⁹ 6.5	⁹ 6.5	5.0
	Excess.....	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5
Cleveland:						
Company A.....	First 500 kilowatt-hours.....	¹⁰ 10.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
	Excess.....	5.0				
Company B.....	All current.....	¹¹ 8.0	¹² 3.0	¹² 3.0	¹² 3.0	¹² 3.0
	Next 600 kilowatt-hours.....	5.0				
Columbus.....	First 75 kilowatt-hours.....	¹¹ 7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
Dallas.....	First 800 kilowatt-hours.....	10.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Denver.....	First 15 kilowatt-hours.....	⁸ 8.0	⁸ 8.0	⁸ 8.0	7.0	7.0
	Next 30 kilowatt-hours.....				6.0	6.0
	Excess.....				5.0	5.0
Detroit.....	First 3 kilowatt-hours per active room.....	¹² 12.6	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
	Excess.....	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
Fall River.....	First 25 kilowatt-hours.....	¹⁴ 9.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
	Next 975 kilowatt-hours.....		7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
Houston ¹	First 30 hours' use of demand.....	¹³ 12.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2
	Excess.....	7.0	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5
Indianapolis:						
Company A.....	First 50 kilowatt-hours.....	¹⁶ 7.5	6.8	6.8	6.5	6.5
	Next 50 kilowatt-hours.....		¹⁷ 6.3	¹⁷ 6.3	6.0	6.0
Company B.....	First 50 kilowatt-hours.....	¹⁴ 7.0	6.8	6.8		
	Next 150 kilowatt-hours.....		6.3	6.3		

For footnotes see end of table.

TABLE 20.—NET PRICE PER KILOWATT-HOUR FOR ELECTRICITY FOR HOUSEHOLD USE IN DECEMBER, 1913, AND JUNE AND DECEMBER, 1926 AND 1927, FOR 51 CITIES—Continued

City	Measure of consumption, per month	De- cem- ber, 1913	June, 1926	De- cem- ber, 1926	June, 1927	De- cem- ber, 1927
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Jacksonville.....	All current.....	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
Kansas City.....	First 5 kilowatt-hours per active room (minimum, 3 rooms).....	18 9.9	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.0
	Next 5 kilowatt-hours per room.....		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
	Excess.....	4.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
Little Rock.....	First 200 kilowatt-hours.....	13 13.5	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Los Angeles.....	First 50 kilowatt-hours.....	5 5.5	5 5.6	5 5.6	5 5.6	5.0
Louisville.....	1 to 149 kilowatt-hours.....	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6
Manchester.....	First 25 kilowatt-hours.....	11 11.4	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
	Next 50 kilowatt-hours.....		6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Memphis.....	First 6 kilowatt-hours per room.....	10 10.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
	Excess.....		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Milwaukee.....	First 9 kilowatt-hours for each of the first 5 active rooms. ²¹	10 11.4	20 7.6	6.7	6.7	6.7
	Additional energy up to 9 kilowatt- hours for each active room.....	22 4.8	5.7			
	Excess.....	3.8	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9
Minneapolis.....	First 3 kilowatt-hours per active room.....	8.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
	Next 3 kilowatt-hours per active room.....	20 5.7	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1
Mobile.....	First 50 kilowatt-hours.....	7.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
Newark.....	First 20 kilowatt-hours.....	24 10.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
	Next 30 kilowatt-hours.....		20 8.0	20 8.0	20 8.0	8.0
New Haven.....	All current.....	9.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.0
New Orleans.....	First 20 kilowatt-hours.....	13 13.0	20 9.1	20 9.1	20 9.1	20 9.1
	Next 30 kilowatt-hours.....	20 6.0	20 7.8	20 7.8	20 7.8	20 7.8
New York:						
Company A.....	First 1,000 kilowatt-hours.....	27 10.0	28 7.2	28 7.2	28 7.3	28 7.3
Company B.....	All current.....	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
Company C ²	First 60 hours' use of demand.....	11.0	28 7.8	28 7.8	28 7.3	28 7.3
Norfolk.....	First 100 kilowatt-hours.....	9.0	20 9.0	20 9.0	8.5	8.5
Omaha.....	All current.....	11 11.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5
	Next 125 kilowatt-hours.....	20 5.7				
Peoria.....	First 5 kilowatt-hours for each of the first 2 rooms. ²⁰	11 9.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
	Second 5 kilowatt-hours for each of the first 2 rooms. ²⁰		6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Philadelphia:						
Company A.....	First 12 kilowatt-hours.....	6 10.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
Company B.....	Next 36 kilowatt-hours.....		7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
	First 20 kilowatt-hours.....	24 10.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
	Next 30 kilowatt-hours.....		20 8.0	20 8.0	8.0	8.0
Pittsburgh ²	First 30 hours' use of demand.....	5 10.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
	Next 60 hours' use of demand.....		5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5
Portland, Me.....	First 30 kilowatt-hours.....	9 9.0	8 8.0	8 8.0	8 8.0	8.0
	Next 70 kilowatt-hours.....					6.0
Portland, Oreg.:						
Company A.....	First 9 kilowatt-hours.....	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6
	Next kilowatt-hours ²²	33 6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7
	Next 50 kilowatt-hours.....	31 5.7	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
Company B.....	First 13 kilowatt-hours.....	34 9.0	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3
	Next kilowatt-hours ²⁰	37 4.0	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7
	Next 50 kilowatt-hours.....	28 4.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
Providence.....	All current.....	10.0	33 6.8	33 6.9	33 6.8	6.5
Richmond.....	First 100 kilowatt-hours.....	9.0	20 9.0	20 9.0	8.5	8.5
Rochester.....	All current.....	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
St. Louis:						
Company A.....	First 9 kilowatt-hours per active room.....	18 9.5	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7
	Excess.....	5.7	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
Company B.....	First kilowatt-hour ²⁰	40 9.0	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7
	Excess.....	5.7	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
St. Paul.....	First 3 kilowatt-hours per room.....	41 9.9	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
	Next 3 kilowatt-hours per room.....		7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1
	Excess.....	6.6	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
Salt Lake City.....	First 250 kilowatt-hours.....	9.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
San Francisco:						
Company A.....	First 50 kilowatt-hours.....	7 7.0	11 9.0	11 9.0	11 9.0	5.0
	Next 125 kilowatt-hours.....	42 6.0	42 6.0	42 6.0	42 6.0	2.5
Company B.....	First 10 kilowatt-hours.....	7 7.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
	Next 40 kilowatt-hours.....		6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Savannah.....	First 100 kilowatt-hours.....	11 12.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
	Excess.....	6.0				
Scranton.....	First 150 kilowatt-hours.....	9 9.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0

For footnotes see end of table.

TABLE 20.—NET PRICE PER KILOWATT HOUR FOR ELECTRICITY FOR HOUSEHOLD USE IN DECEMBER, 1913, AND JUNE AND DECEMBER, 1926 AND 1927, FOR 51 CITIES—Continued

City	Measure of consumption, per month	De- cem- ber, 1913	June, 1926	De- cem- ber, 1926	June, 1927	De- cem- ber, 1927
Seattle:		<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>
Company A.....	First 40 kilowatt-hours.....	29 6.0	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5
	Next 200 kilowatt-hours.....	29 4.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Company B.....	First 40 kilowatt-hours.....	29 6.0	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5
	Next 200 kilowatt-hours.....	29 4.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Springfield, Ill.:						
Company A.....	First 30 kilowatt-hours.....	8 10.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
	Next 70 kilowatt-hours.....	9 7.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Company B.....	First 30 kilowatt-hours.....		6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
	Next 70 kilowatt-hours.....		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Washington ¹	First 120 hours' use of demand.....	10.0	7.0	7.0	6.3	6.3

¹ First 150 kilowatt-hours.

² For determination of demand see explanation of prices.

³ First 50 kilowatt-hours.

⁴ The gross rate is 10 cents per kilowatt-hour with discounts of 10 per cent for a monthly consumption of 1 to 25 kilowatt-hours and 15 per cent for a monthly consumption of 25 to 150 kilowatt-hours. The average family used 25 or more kilowatt-hours per month.

⁵ All current.

⁶ First 100 kilowatt-hours.

⁷ First 25 kilowatt-hours.

⁸ First 30 hours' use of demand. For determination of demand see explanation of prices.

⁹ Next 30 hours' use of demand. For determination of demand see explanation of prices.

¹⁰ First 36 hours' use of demand. For determination of demand see explanation of prices.

¹¹ First 10 kilowatt-hours.

¹² Service charge 30 cents per month additional.

¹³ First 2 kilowatt-hours per active room.

¹⁴ First 200 kilowatt-hours.

¹⁵ First 2 kilowatt-hours per 16 candlepower of installation.

¹⁶ All current. This rate applies to a 5-year contract with a minimum charge of \$1 per month. For a 1-year contract the rate per kilowatt-hour is 10 cents without a minimum charge, or 9½ cents with a minimum of \$1 per month.

¹⁷ Next 150 kilowatt-hours.

¹⁸ First 3 kilowatt-hours per active room; minimum, 3 rooms.

¹⁹ First 4 kilowatt-hours for each of the first 4 active rooms and the first 2½ kilowatt-hours for each additional active room.

²⁰ First 5 kilowatt-hours for each of the first 5 active rooms and the first 2½ kilowatt-hours for each additional active room.

²¹ And the first 7 kilowatt-hours per month for each active room in addition to the first 6.

²² Additional energy up to 100 kilowatt-hours.

²³ Excess.

²⁴ First 500 kilowatt-hours.

²⁵ Next 480 kilowatt-hours.

²⁶ Service charge, 25 cents per month additional.

²⁷ First 250 kilowatt-hours.

²⁸ Price includes a coal charge.

²⁹ First 60 kilowatt-hours.

³⁰ And 4 kilowatt-hours for each additional active room.

³¹ 1 to 200 kilowatt-hours.

³² The number of kilowatt-hours paid for at this rate is that in excess of the first 9 kilowatt-hours until 100 hours' use of the demand is reached. After 100 hours of demand have been consumed the lower rate can be applied. For determination of demand see explanation of prices.

³³ Next 70 kilowatt-hours.

³⁴ Next 100 kilowatt-hours.

³⁵ First 6 per cent of demand. For determination of demand see explanation of prices.

³⁶ Next 6 per cent of demand. For determination of demand see explanation of prices.

³⁷ For an installation of 600 watts or less 7 kilowatt-hours will apply. For each 30 watts of installation in excess of 600 watts 1 additional kilowatt-hour will apply.

³⁸ For a house of 4 rooms or less, 18 kilowatt-hours; for 5 or 6 rooms, 27 kilowatt-hours; and for 7 or 8 rooms, 36 kilowatt-hours.

³⁹ Service charge 50 cents per month additional. Rate is 7 cents with reduction under a fuel clause.

⁴⁰ For a house of 6 rooms or less, 15 kilowatt-hours; for a house of 7 or 8 rooms, 20 kilowatt-hours.

⁴¹ First 30 kilowatt-hours.

⁴² Next 40 kilowatt-hours.

APPENDIXES

APPENDIX A.—PURCHASING POWER OF UNION WAGES AS MEASURED IN FOOD, 1907 TO 1927

Because of the popular interest in real wages, or the purchasing power of the wage, the two following tables, which present union rates of wages in relation to the retail price of food, are shown. This is of interest because food constitutes by far the largest single item of the average family expenditure. The figures for food represent the cost of all articles, weighted according to the average family consumption of each article. Prices from 51 cities are included in the index number for food since 1920. Union wages and retail prices of food were secured from 48 identical cities for the years 1918 to 1927, inclusive. The figures given are index numbers which show the percentage changes as compared with 1913.

TABLE L.—INDEX NUMBERS OF UNION WAGE RATES AND HOURS OF LABOR AND
OF RETAIL PRICES OF FOOD, 1907 TO 1927

[1913=100.0]

Year	Rates of wages per hour	Full-time hours per week	Rates of wages per week, full time	Retail prices of food
1907.....	89.7	102.6	91.5	82.0
1908.....	91.0	102.1	92.5	84.3
1909.....	91.9	101.9	93.3	88.7
1910.....	94.4	101.1	95.2	93.0
1911.....	96.0	100.7	96.5	92.0
1912.....	97.6	100.3	97.7	97.6
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	101.9	99.6	101.6	102.4
1915.....	102.8	99.4	102.3	101.3
1916.....	107.2	98.8	106.2	113.7
1917.....	114.2	98.4	112.4	146.4
1918.....	132.7	97.0	129.6	168.3
1919.....	154.5	94.7	147.8	185.9
1920.....	199.0	93.8	188.5	203.4
1921.....	205.3	93.9	193.3	153.3
1922.....	193.1	94.4	183.0	141.6
1923.....	210.6	94.3	198.6	146.2
1924.....	228.1	93.9	214.3	145.9
1925.....	237.9	93.0	222.3	157.4
1926.....	250.3	92.8	233.4	160.6
1927.....	259.5	92.4	240.8	155.4

As shown in Table I, the number of full-time hours per week in 1926 has decreased over 7 per cent since 1913 and almost 10 per cent since 1907. Rates of wages per hour have increased almost 160 per cent since 1913 and 189 per cent since 1907. Rates of wages per week show an increase of almost 140 per cent since 1913 and of 163 per cent since 1907. The retail price of food has increased over 55 per cent since 1913 and over 89 per cent since 1907.

TABLE II.—INDEX NUMBERS OF PURCHASING POWER OF UNION WAGES AS MEASURED IN FOOD, 1907 TO 1927

[1913=100.0]

Year	Purchasing power (measured by retail prices of food)—		Year	Purchasing power (measured by retail prices of food)—	
	Of rates of wages per hour	Of rates of wages per week, full time		Of rates of wages per hour	Of rates of wages per week, full time
1907.....	109.4	111.6	1918.....	78.8	77.0
1908.....	107.9	109.7	1919.....	83.1	79.5
1909.....	103.6	105.2	1920.....	97.8	92.7
1910.....	101.6	102.4	1921.....	134.0	126.2
1911.....	104.4	104.9	1922.....	136.4	129.2
1912.....	100.0	100.2	1923.....	144.0	135.8
1913.....	100.0	100.0	1924.....	156.4	146.9
1914.....	99.6	99.3	1925.....	151.1	141.2
1915.....	101.5	101.0	1926.....	155.9	145.3
1916.....	94.2	93.4	1927.....	167.0	155.0
1917.....	78.0	76.8			

Table II shows that an hour's wage in 1926 purchased 156 per cent as much food as in 1913 and a week's wage 145 per cent as much. In 1927 an hour's wage purchased 167 per cent and a week's wage 155 per cent as much food as in 1913. An hour's wage in 1927 purchased over 152 per cent as much food as it did in 1907 and a week's wage nearly 139 per cent as much. The figures in Table II are based on the index numbers shown in Table I.

APPENDIX B.—COMPARISON OF RETAIL PRICE CHANGES IN THE UNITED STATES AND IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES, 1923 TO 1927

The principal index numbers of retail prices published by foreign countries have been brought together with those of this bureau in the subjoined table after having been reduced in most cases to a common base—namely, prices for July, 1914, equal 100. This base was selected instead of the average for the year 1913, which is used in other tables of index numbers compiled by the bureau, because of the fact that in numerous instances satisfactory information for 1913 was not available. Some of the countries shown in the table now publish index numbers of retail prices on the July, 1914, base. In such cases, therefore, the index numbers are reproduced as published. For other countries the index numbers here shown have been obtained by dividing the index for each month specified in the table by the index for July, 1914, or the nearest period thereto as published in the original sources. As stated in the table, the number of articles included in the index numbers for the different countries differs widely. These results, which are designed merely to show price trends and not actual differences in the several countries, should not, therefore, be considered as closely comparable with one another. In certain instances, also, the figures are not absolutely comparable from month to month over the entire period, owing to slight changes in the list of commodities and the localities included on successive dates.

TABLE III.—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES AND IN OTHER COUNTRIES, 1923 TO 1927, BY MONTHS

Country...	United States	Canada	Belgium	Czecho-slovakia	Den-mark	Finland	France (except Paris)	France (Paris)	Germany
Number of localities...	51	60	59	Entire country	100	21	320	1	71
Commodities included...	43 foods	29 foods	56 (foods, etc.)	29 foods	Foods	36 foods	13 (11 foods)	13 (11 foods)	Foods
Computing agency.....	Bureau of Labor Statistics	Department of Labor	Ministry of Industry and Labor	Office of Statistics	Gov't Statistical Department	Central Bureau of Statistics	Ministry of Labor	Ministry of Labor	Federal Statistical Bureau
Base=100...	July, 1914	July, 1914	April, 1914	July, 1914	July, 1914	January-June, 1914	August, 1914	July, 1914	October, 1913-July, 1914
1923									
Jan.....	141	142	383		180	1108		309	
Feb.....	139	142	397			1103	331	316	
Mar.....	139	145	408			1096		321	
Apr.....	140	143	409			1047		320	
May.....	140	140	413			1016	337	325	
June.....	141	138	419			1004		331	
July.....	144	137	429		188	1003		321	
Aug.....	143	142	439			1087	349	328	
Sept.....	146	141	453			1103		339	
Oct.....	147	144	458			1140		349	
Nov.....	148	144	463			1133	373	355	
Dec.....	147	145	470			1112		365	
1924									
Jan.....	146	145	480	836	194	1089		376	127
Feb.....	144	145	495	838		1070	400	384	117
Mar.....	141	143	510	830		1067		392	120
Apr.....	138	137	498	829		1035		380	123
May.....	138	133	485	825		1037	393	378	126
June.....	139	133	492	833		1040		370	120
July.....	140	134	493	837	200	1052		360	126
Aug.....	141	137	498	842		1125	400	366	122
Sept.....	144	139	503	853		1125		374	125
Oct.....	145	139	513	877		1156		383	134
Nov.....	147	141	520	889		1160	426	396	135
Dec.....	148	143	521	891		1160		404	135
1925									
Jan.....	151	145	521	899	215	1130		408	137
Feb.....	148	147	517	911		1120	440	410	145
Mar.....	148	145	511	904		1152		415	146
Apr.....	148	142	506	901		1137		409	144
May.....	148	141	502	894		1097	434	418	141
June.....	152	141	505	914		1101		422	146
July.....	156	141	509	916	210	1145		421	154
Aug.....	157	146	517	894		1222	451	423	154
Sept.....	156	146	525	884		1187		431	153
Oct.....	158	147	533	875		1165		433	151
Nov.....	164	151	534	863		1164	471	444	147
Dec.....	162	156	534	866		1138		463	146
1926									
Jan.....	161	157	527	854	177	1090		480	143
Feb.....	158	155	526	845		1106	503	495	142
Mar.....	156	154	521	832		1100		497	141
Apr.....	159	153	529	832		1085		503	142
May.....	158	152	558	837		1078	523	522	142
June.....	156	149	579	861		1090		544	143
July.....	154	149	637	876	159	1105		574	145
Aug.....	152	150	681	878		1153	610	587	146
Sept.....	155	147	684	878		1137		590	145
Oct.....	157	147	705	888		1126		624	145
Nov.....	158	148	730	902		1114	647	628	148
Dec.....	158	151	741	912		1110		599	150
1927									
Jan.....	156	153	755	914	156	1092		592	151
Feb.....	153	151	770	914		1095	586	585	152
Mar.....	150	149	771	915		1086		581	151
Apr.....	150	146	774	923	152	1069		580	150
May.....	152	145	776	931		1058	572	589	151
June.....	155	146	785	949		1072		580	153
July.....	150	147	790	962	153	1102		557	157
Aug.....	149	147	787	919		1159	553	539	150
Sept.....	151	146	794	910		1146		532	151
Oct.....	153	148	804	907	152	1156		520	152
Nov.....	153	149	809	905		1175	526	500	152
Dec.....	153	151	812	913		1171		523	153

TABLE III.—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES IN UNITED STATES, ETC.—Contd.

Country..	Italy	Nether-lands	Norway	Sweden	Switzer-land	United King-dom	South Africa	India (Bom-bay)	Aus-tralia	New Zea-land
Number of localities..	47	6	31	49	33	630	9	1	30	25
Commodi-ties in-cluded..	20 foods and charcoal	29 (27 foods)	Foods	50 (43 foods, 7 fuel and light)	Foods	21 foods	24 foods	17 foods	46 foods and groceries	59 foods
Comput-ing agen-cy.....	Ministry of National Economy	Central Bureau of Statistics	Central Bureau of Statistics	Social Board	Labor Office (revised)	Ministry of Labor	Office of Census and Statistics	Labor Office (revised)	Bureau of Census and Statistics	Census and Statistics Office
Base=100..	1913	January-June, 1914	July, 1914	July, 1914	July, 1914	July, 1914	1914	July, 1914	July, 1914	July, 1914
1923										
Jan.....	542	148	214	166	160	175	117	151	145	139
Feb.....	527	149	214	165	158	173	117	150	144	140
Mar.....	524	149	214	166	159	171	117	149	145	141
Apr.....	530	149	212	163	161	168	117	150	152	142
May.....	535	147	214	161	164	162	118	148	156	143
June.....	532	145	213	161	166	160	118	148	162	142
July.....	518	145	218	160	166	162	116	148	164	142
Aug.....	512	143	220	161	166	165	115	149	165	143
Sept.....	514	142	218	165	167	168	115	149	161	145
Oct.....	517	145	217	165	167	172	117	147	157	146
Nov.....	526	149	221	164	171	173	120	147	157	147
Dec.....	528	149	226	164	172	176	118	152	156	147
1924										
Jan.....	527	150	230	163	173	175	120	154	155	150
Feb.....	529	151	234	162	172	177	122	151	153	149
Mar.....	523	152	241	162	171	176	122	147	152	150
Apr.....	527	152	240	159	169	167	122	143	150	150
May.....	530	151	241	159	169	163	122	143	151	150
June.....	543	151	240	158	170	169	120	147	149	150
July.....	538	150	248	159	170	162	117	151	148	148
Aug.....	534	150	257	163	170	164	117	156	147	146
Sept.....	534	152	261	165	170	166	117	156	146	145
Oct.....	556	154	264	172	174	172	120	156	146	145
Nov.....	583	156	269	172	175	179	122	157	147	148
Dec.....	601	157	274	172	175	180	121	156	148	150
1925										
Jan.....	609	156	277	170	172	178	120	152	148	147
Feb.....	609	157	283	170	172	176	120	152	149	146
Mar.....	610	157	284	171	171	176	121	155	151	149
Apr.....	606	155	276	170	169	170	124	153	152	149
May.....	600	154	265	169	168	167	123	151	154	150
June.....	602	152	261	169	169	166	122	149	155	149
July.....	605	152	260	169	169	167	120	152	156	151
Aug.....	619	152	254	170	169	168	119	147	156	152
Sept.....	642	152	241	168	170	170	118	146	156	153
Oct.....	645	149	228	166	168	172	119	148	157	155
Nov.....	652	149	223	165	168	172	117	149	156	156
Dec.....	663	148	221	164	167	174	116	151	155	154
1926										
Jan.....	658	148	216	162	165	171	116	151	155	154
Feb.....	649	147	212	160	163	168	117	150	154	153
Mar.....	636	147	205	159	161	165	118	151	150	152
Apr.....	633	146	198	158	161	159	119	150	163	151
May.....	643	146	195	157	159	158	119	150	163	151
June.....	647	146	194	157	159	158	118	152	162	151
July.....	645	146	198	156	159	161	117	155	159	149
Aug.....	648	146	196	156	157	161	117	153	157	150
Sept.....	656	149	193	157	158	162	117	153	155	148
Oct.....	662	148	191	157	160	163	120	153	153	147
Nov.....	655	148	186	158	159	169	119	152	155	146
Dec.....	622	146	184	157	159	169	117	154	158	149
1927										
Jan.....	629	147	180	156	158	167	116	155	158	148
Feb.....	615	146	177	153	157	164	117	152	153	146
Mar.....	610	146	173	151	156	162	118	152	151	146
Apr.....	606	145	169	151	156	155	119	151	151	145
May.....	599	145	169	150	156	154	121	150	152	145
June.....	558	145	172	151	157	154	120	151	153	144
July.....	540	144	175	151	157	159	119	154	152	144
Aug.....	532	143	175	152	157	156	118	155	155	143
Sept.....	525	143	174	156	159	157	117	151	157	143
Oct.....	530	146	173	155	159	161	119	148	159	143
Nov.....	534	148	171	155	161	163	119	147	157	144
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