# Price List of Groceries

**Montgomery Ward & Co.**

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**Will you do any painting in the spring? Look in column 53.**
TERMS CASH.

On orders for Groceries amounting to $25.00 or over, we allow 2 per cent. discount (except on sugar which is not in all cases). This discount is not allowed unless full amount of money accompanies the order.

REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR ORDERING.

Persons are instructed to send Rules and Instructions on pages 1 and 2 of our large catalogues, issued in March and September, at each year, and which will be sent to any address upon receipt of 5 cents postage or exchange.

No goods will be shipped by express, as the charges would possibly be in excess of the savings on the purchase. Light articles, such as Toes, Spools, etc., are therefore shipped at our option to suit conditions.

All prices at this list will hold good for one month from above date, except in the event of extraordinary fluctuations, in which case we shall be as prompt to receive declines as advances.

Make your order for articles offered from other goods as it will facilitate shipment and frequently enables us to pack so as to receive a lower freight rate.

Always give number of price list from which order is taken. Order everything by number, name and price.

We will ship goods by freight at no more than money accompanies the order. If money does not accompany the order we will ship goods by freight only to the address of the Master on Memory or a person engaged in the same line of business. Orders from purchasing agents of the Farmers' Alliance or Farmers' Clubs must be accompanied by satisfactory references.

For prudential reasons we give dollars and cents exactly as the above. If you send too much money we will return the difference, or omit some articles if not enough.

We will ship goods by freight to our own address and collect the bill through your banker if sufficient money is sent us with the order to cover the freight charges.

No extras and give us the name and location of your bank.

We reserve the right to refuse to sell to any one who we believe to be acting against our best interest.

We make no charges for cartage. Where we are obliged to pack or handle any order, we charge same hereafter.

ORDER EVERYTHING BY NUMBER, NAME AND PRICE.

New 1897 Texas. Cholent early May pickings, every leaf handpicked and selected. They are bound to give satisfaction. Prices reduced on all grades. There is but one way to avoid being swindled in teas, and that is to buy from a house which has a reputation for honesty and square dealing; they cannot afford to sell goods except as represented.

Our tea buyer is a man of experience, who devotes his entire time to this class of goods. In most cases, we import our teas direct, hence you buy of first hands and know you get what you pay for. Samples sent free on application, when you state the kind wanted. In selecting our teas we look more to the draw and fine cup qualities than to the fancy. We guarantee our teas to give entire satisfaction. So do not hesitate sending us your orders.

Canned Goods.

We give grade and prices of Canned Goods, both ready and canned, for the wholesale market.

Cacti, a new and popular commodity, now coming to market. Yearly becoming more popular. Superfine lots of Mexican and California Cactus, ready for the market.

Vegetables.

Canned Fruits.

Truffles.

Canned Fish.

We state the truth when we say our teas, all grades are cheap.

Why not place your order for KEROSENE OIL with us? See column 50.
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**NOTE:** Prices are subject to change. Please check with local branches for the most up-to-date information.

**ORDER YOUR EVAPORATED FRUITS NOW!**

**Flour is still low. Prices will be higher soon.**
### FISH

- Whole Fish
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
- Cuts of Fish
  - Fillet, Per pound
  - Fillet, Per 1/2 pound
- Smoked Fish
  - Per pound
- Salt Fish
  - Per pound
- Oysters
  - Per 1/2 pound
  - Per 1/4 dozen
- Lori or Oily Fish
  - Per pound
- Smoked Oysters
  - Per 1/2 pound
- Smoked Sprats
  - Per pound

### MEATS OF ALL KINDS ARE RAPIDLY ADVANCING IN PRICE.

### MEATS

- Pork
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
- Beef
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
- Lamb
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
- Veal
  - Per pound
- Sauer Kraut
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
- Pickles
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
- American Style Flash Pickles
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
- Vinegar
  - Per gallon
  - Per 1/2 gallon
  - Per quart
  - Per 1/2 quart

### SOAPS

- Mrs. Cobb's
  - Home-Made Soap
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
  - Per 1/4 pound
- Castile
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
  - Per 1/4 pound
- German Melted Laundry Soap
  - Per 5 pounds
  - Per 2 1/2 pounds
- MRS. COBB'S SPECIAL HOUSEHOLD SOAP
  - Per 100 bars
  - Per 25 bars

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Pickles-in-Cage
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
  - Per 1/4 pound
- Molasses
  - Per gallon
  - Per 1/2 gallon
  - Per quart
  - Per 1/2 quart
- Potash
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
  - Per 1/4 pound
- Stove Polish
  - Per pound
  - Per 1/2 pound
  - Per 1/4 pound
M. W. & Co.'s Harness Oil will soften and preserve leather of all kinds.

LINSEED OIL. WE HANDLE NOTHING BUT STRICTLY PURE.
Look through our list of Candles. Prices are right.

If you want LUBRICATING OILS or AXLE GREASE send to us.
**ROOFING FELT.**
Black Diamond Prepared Roofing.

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### Dry Colors

- **Brown, Green, Blue, Black, Red, Yellow, Orange, White, Gray, Purple, Pink, violet, pinkish orange, rose, light yellow, light blue, gray blue, grayish blue, grayish green, greenish blue, greenish yellow, yellowish green, yellowish blue, blueish green, bluish gray, brownish gray.**

- **Mixtures.** We can mix any color desired by using these colors. Also, if desired, we can match any color desired by the customer.

- **Bromides.** We can also mix bromides of any color desired.

- **Sizing.** We can size any kind of paper with a special sizing solution.

### Ammonium

- **Ammonium hydroxide.** This is a strong base which can be used for various applications such as in textile, chemical, and pharmaceutical industries. It is used to neutralize acids, to prepare alkaline solutions, and in the production of fertilizers and dyes.

- **Ammonium nitrate.** This is a common fertilizer and explosive material. It is used in agriculture for its nitrogen content, and in the military for its explosive properties.

### Axle Grease

- **Axle grease.** This is a lubricant used to reduce friction and wear on moving parts, such as axles, bearings, and gears. It is widely used in vehicles, machinery, and various industrial applications.

### Honey, Syrups, and Molasses

- **Syrups and Molasses.** These are sweeteners used in cooking, baking, and as ingredients in various dishes. They are also used for their health benefits, such as providing energy and supporting digestive health.

### Miscellaneous Drugs

- **Miscellaneous drugs.** This category includes a variety of medications and health-care products used for different purposes, from pain relief to treatments for ailments.

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**Did you know that we carry a full line Wall Papers? Send for samples.**

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**Do not forget to order your Drugs and Medicines with other goods.**
Fine Cut Tobacco.

Smoking Tobacco.

Pipe Tobacco.


Miscellaneous Brands.

Cigars.

Quality and Cigars.

Ready Mixed Paints.

42 Shades of House Paints.
6 " Floor Paints.
6 " Barn Roof & Fence Paints.
6 " Buggy & Carriage Paints.
6 " Varnish Stains for inside work, &c.

Send for our Color Card of Paints.

Send us your orders for CIGARS, we have a big supply.

THE 4 OZ. OIL CAN OF WALRUS SEWING MACHINE OIL IS HANDY TO HAVE IN THE HOUSE.
NOTICE!

The Seeds we offer are Northern grown, new, fresh, direct from the parent, and are especially adapted to the EAST, WEST, NORTH and SOUTH.

One full-pound packet of each of the thirty choices and leading Vegetables above illustrated makes a complete Kitchen Garden for a small family.

$2.00 WORTH OF SEEDS TO OUR CUSTOMERS FOR $1.00.

These Collections cannot be broken or any variations made.

A FLOWER GARDEN FOR 25 CENTS.
Collection consisting of the following varieties:

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$1.00 worth of Flower Seeds to Our Customers for 25 Cents.

We cannot make a single change in this collection.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Should you not be wanting other goods, we will forward any one (by small either) of the above collections for $1.00 for the vegetables and 25 cents for flowers or for $1.25 we will mail both collections. We hope that everyone who has a garden will try these collections for we feel sure that every purchaser will be pleased and satisfied with the results.

Montgomery Ward & Co's
Ready - Mixed - Paints

We know exactly what goes into every can of egg or barrel and from what we have learned about adulterating Paints in the past few years, we propose to keep a strict watch over every detail in the manufacturing. Our name is on every package, and we cannot afford to sell anything but goods that will give satisfaction, and in any case where anyone is dissatisfied with our Ready Mixed Paints, we will consider it a favor to acquaint us with the facts at once. If you are thinking of painting a house (inside or outside), barn, fence, door, buggies, wagons, chair, or piece of farm machinery, write us for our Color Card of Paints showing the different colors, besides giving a rule to ascertain the quantity of paint required for a given surface, and other valuable information regarding painting.

If there is any reason why we should not receive your orders, we want to know it.
Take advantage of the following which we offer for the month of APRIL ONLY.

All orders received during the month will be filled provided the lots indicated are not disposed of.

Lot B-1 — Choice Japan Tea Dust, 1 lb. per box, 100 cases, 10 cts. per lb., 10 lbs. to 25 lbs., 14 cts. per lb.
Lot B-2 — Choice Japan Tea Dust, 1 lb. per box, 100 cases, 10 cts. per lb., 10 lbs. to 25 lbs., 14 cts. per lb.
Lot B-3 — Choice Japan Tea Dust, 1 lb. per box, 100 cases, 10 cts. per lb., 10 lbs. to 25 lbs., 14 cts. per lb.

PLEASE NOTE: We guarantee the above three lots of Tea Dust to be the finest and best quality of Japan Tea Dust on the market. We imported them direct from Japanese growers via sailing vessels which accounts for the low price and saving in freight rates. Take them at our figures for the Month of April only. We will furnish samples upon request.

Lot B-4 — California Lemon Cling Peaches, 1 lb. per case, 2 cases, 25 cts. per case, 12 cases, 20 cts. per case.
Lot B-5 — Early June Sifted Pea, our own brand and guaranteed to please, 1 lb. per case, 24 cases, 25 cts. per case, 25 cases, 20 cts. per case.
Lot B-6 — Standard String Beans, per box, 100 cases, per case, 1.25 cts.
Lot B-7 — Gallo Apple, nice fruit, per case, of 1 box, 100 cases, per case, 1.25 cts.
Lot B-8 — Lemon Cling Peaches, California Extra, per case, per case, 1.25 cts.
Lot B-9 — Bartlett Peaches, California Standard, nice fruit, per case, 1.25 cts. per case, 1.25 cts. per case.
Lot B-10 — White Heath Peaches, York Brand, Extra quality, 1 lb. per case, per case, 2.45 cts. per case, 2.45 cts. per case.

We still have more of our Little Peggy Cigars than we have any use for owing to the cigar maker's error in duplicating our order. We make them all just as he pays the difference.

Lot B-12 — Little Peggy Cigars No. 1, 24 inches long, 15 cases, per case, 25 cts. per case, 50 per box, per box, 1.40 cts. per box, per case, 1.40 cts. per case.
Lot B-13 — Little Peggy Cigars No. 2, 25 inches long, 15 cases, per case, 25 cts. per case, 50 per box, per box, 1.40 cts. per box, per case, 1.40 cts. per case.

These prices are for 1 box or 100 boxes, and this special price for a single box only. You cannot duplicate these cigars for the double the money.

Lot B-14 — Genuine Ripe Swiss Condensed Milk, 4 lbs. per case, per case, 1.25 cts. per case, 1.25 cts. per case.
Lot B-15 — Crosse & Blackwell's Mushroom Cans, per case, 10 lbs., 10 cases, 35 cts. per case.
Lot B-16 — M. W. & Co.'s Cracked Java. We have an idea that this grade of coffee is the cheapest coffee to be had, and as an inducement for our patrons to try it, we will make a special price of 95 cts. per lb., 10 lbs., the same ground, 1 lb. air tight. packages l30 lb. lots at the same price, 95c. per lb., 10 lbs. lots or either, whole or ground for 95c. These coffees are as good as generally sold for 99c. and $1.00 per lb.

Keep a supply of Medicine in the house, send for our revised Drug and Patent-Medicine Catalogue.