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25X1 [Redacted] note: Term "yuan" refers to old Manchurian money which is on a par with Northeast currency (NEC). The official rate of exchange is 11.5 CMC to 1 NEC; the black market rate is 9 CMC to 1 NEC.)

Commodity	9 Dec.	14 Dec.	30 Dec.	4 Jan.
Rice	52.50	52.50	55.00	55.00
Millet	15.50	17.00	17.00	17.00
Beef	77.50	72.50	70.00	70.00
Chicken	95.00	95.00	95.00	90.00
Eggs (apiece)	11.00	11.50	16.00	16.00
Apples	65.00	80.00	100.00	100.00
Soya Bean Oil	18.00	19.00	50.00	50.00
Salt	15.00	15.00	16.00	16.00
Sugar	325.00	315.00	400.00	410.00
Cotton	170.00	175.00	180.00	180.00
Leather shoes (1 pr.)	2,500.00	2,750.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Coal (100 catties)	775.00	775.00	800.00	800.00
Wood (100 catties)	625.00	625.00	500.00	500.00

Currency	9 Dec.	14 Dec.	30 Dec.	4 Jan.
Gold (per chien-1/10 of catty)	3,500.	3,600.	4,200.	4,100.
Silver (per oz.-Chinese)	350.	380.	580.	560.
US Notes (\$10.00)	4,000.	4,200.	5,500.	5,400.

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