

COMMERCIAL. MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH. September 6, 1887. Flour, per 100 lbs. \$3.75. Fall Wheat per bushel, 1.45. Spring Wheat, 1.45. Oats, 1.05. Peas, 0.75. Barley, 0.65. Hay, per ton, 10.00. Shingles per square, 1.00. Good cord, 3.00. Wood per cord, 3.00. Butter (cream), per lb. 0.11. Butter (salt), per lb. 0.10. Eggs (fresh), per doz. 0.15. Apples per bushel, 0.75. Potatoes per bushel, 0.08. Lamb per lb. 0.08. Beef per lb. 0.08. Pork per lb. 0.08. Sheep Pelts each, 0.20. Lamb skins, 0.20. Hides per 100 lbs. 6.75.

Money Market. JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE, GUELPH, September 5, 1887. Gold, 125. Greenbacks at 60 to 70; sold at 70 to 71. Silver bought at 50; sold at 51. Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 45c.

HAMILTON, September 4, 1887. New fall wheat, \$1.35 to 1.40; spring do. \$1.35 per bushel; Barley 50c to 55c; Oats 45c to 50c. From 50c to 70c; moderate supply, \$5.50 to 7.00 per cwt. of dried Hams 10c per lb; new Potatoes \$1.00 per bushel; Eggs, from farmers' wagons, 14c to 15c per dozen; Butter, fresh, 18c to 20c per lb; Lard 9c to 10c per lb; Hay 9c to 10c per ton.

MONTREAL MARKETS. (Kirkwood, Livingston & Co's report by Special Telegram to 'Evening Mercury'.)

MONTREAL, September 5, 1887. Flour—Fancy, \$7.40 to \$7.50; Superior No. 1, \$7.00 to \$7.25; Welland Canal, \$7.10. Bag flour, \$7.40 to \$7.50. Oats 55c to 60c. Barley 60c to 65c. Butter—dairy 15c to 16c; store packed 11c to 12c. Ashes—Fats 75c to 85c; pearls, 90c to 75c. Flour—Nothing doing; quotations slightly weak. Grain—No purchasers. Butter—No sales. Ashes—Both sorts quiet and unchanged.

Toronto, Sep. 4, 1887. Flour—Receipts 175 bbls; ordinary specimens offered at 87; very choice No. 1, at 87.00 on the cars at Malton; a low grade of No. 2, superintend at 86. Wheat—No receipts. Barley—70c to 72c. Oats—50c to 52c. Peas—65c to 68c.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE. GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Table with 2 columns: GOING EAST, GOING WEST. Rows for Mail, Day Express, Ev. Express, Night Ex.

GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY. ARRIVE AT GUELPH. DEPART.

Table with 2 columns: ARRIVE AT GUELPH, DEPART. Rows for Mixed, Accommodation, Do.

GUELPH POST OFFICE. Arrival and Delivery of Mails.

Table with 4 columns: DELIVERY, CLOSE, A.M., P.M. Rows for Hamilton, Great Western, Grand Trunk, Toronto, Arkell, Eden Mills, Nottawasaga, Campbellville, Lowville, Nelson, Wellington Square, Aberfoyle, Freeport, Greensville, Morrisville, Puslinch, Strathroy, Brantford, Exeter, Orangeville, Elora, Pergus, Marten, Posenbury, Alton, Wyndham, Montreal, Grand Trunk, Cambridge, Bay Mills, Huron, Berlin, Waterloo, Waterloo, Waterloo.

Sore Throat, Cough, Cold, and similar troubles, if suffered to progress, result in serious Pulmonary, Bronchial, and Asthmatic affections oftentimes incurable. Brown's Bronchial Troches are compounded so as to reach directly the seat of the disease and give almost instantaneous relief. The Troches are offered with the fullest confidence in their efficacy; they have been thoroughly tested, and maintain the good reputation they have justly acquired. For Singers, Military Officers and those who overtax the voice, they are useful in relieving a Irritated Throat, and will render articulation easy. To the soldier exposed to sudden changes in the weather they will give prompt relief in Coughs and Colds, and can be carried in the pocket to be taken as occasion requires. Sold at 25 cents a box.

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