

Charcoal, 14 x 20, \$12.50 to \$12.75; D. O. Charcoal, 12 1/2 x 17, \$5.50 to \$6; D. X. Charcoal, 12 1/2 x 17 1/2, \$8 to \$8.25. *White Lead*, \$1.50 to \$2 per keg of 25 lbs. *Zinc*, present quotations 6 1/2c to 7c.

HIDES AND SKINS, ETC.—Hides, demand good, prices firm at previous quotations. The supply of Green Hides from butchers is not large, and dealers are free buyers at 9 1/2c for cows, and 10c for steers. *Calfskins*.—Prices unchanged at 16c to 17c, with fair demand. *Lambskins*.—Trade fairly active, all offering taken at \$1, *Tallow*.—Demand moderate; local dealers continue to pay 3c for rough, 5 1/2c for rendered.

LEATHER.—Business fairly active during week, but without change in quotations. Spanish sole No. 1, all weights, may be quoted at 29c to 31c; Spanish sole No. 2, 24c to 28c; slaughter sole, heavy, 29c to 3c; slaughter sole, light, 29c to 31c; Buffalo sole 22c to 25c, hemlock harness leather 30c to 33c; oak harness leather 45c to 50c; oak belting leather 30c to 31c; upper, heavy, 38c to 44c; upper, light, 39c to 45c; kip skins, French, \$1.10 to \$1.20; kip skins, English, 80c to \$8; Chicago slaughter kip 65c to 70c; native slaughter 60c to 70c; New York veal kips 70c to 75c; splits, large, 30c to 32c; buff 17c to 19c; pebble 16c to 18c; russets, shoe, 30c to 45c; russets, saddlers, \$6.50 to \$8; hemlock calf, 36c to 40 lbs., per doz. 75c to 85c; Hemlock, light, 50c to 65c; French calf \$1.20 to \$1.40.

LIVE STOCK.—Receipts of cattle at the local market during the week show an increase, being about 42 car loads as compared with 35 loads previous week. The market is glutted with very inferior stock, and a great many forced sales were made. In one instance 2 cars were shipped back to place whence they came because they could not find buyers. From repeated warnings this subject surprises us, that farmers should send such stock or sell them to drovers, whereas, by keeping and fattening, they would find them much more profitable. Five carloads were shipped through to Montreal yesterday. The market ruled weak, being about 1 1/2c per lb. less than last week's quotations. Demand for export cattle is not active, shippers not having found it altogether profitable to buy light weight. Lower freight rates were conducive to taking this class of stock for export, but the difference in price in Britain more than overbalances it. First-class stock weighing about 1,300 lbs. being from 4 1/2c to 5c per lb., for export. Among sales yesterday were following weight given in avoirdupois: 20, 1,150 lbs., \$48; 21, 1,050 lbs., \$33; 19, 1,150 lbs., \$48.50; 21, 1,100 lbs., \$35; 24, 1,100 lbs., \$36; 21, 900 lbs., \$27; 20, 1,050 lbs., \$34; 19, 1,100 lbs., \$40; 13, 900 lbs., \$28; 22, 1,150 lbs., \$42; 21, 1,000 lbs., \$32.50; 20, 1,100 lbs., \$31, and car-load of bulls to weigh 1,000 lbs. or over at 2 1/2c per lb. *Sheep*.—A number offering of inferior quality, without much demand; prices steady at 4c to 4 1/2c per lb., stock weighing from 140 to 160 lbs. larger proportion; sales made at former prices. *Lambs*.—Demand only moderate; offerings not large; prices continue same previously quoted, from \$2.75 to \$3.50 each. *Culves*.—Supply fair; demand somewhat restricted; first-class sell at \$7 to \$11; second-class at \$6 to \$8; and third-class at \$3 to \$4. *Hogs*.—Market quiet, and prices unchanged. A few sales have been made at 4 1/2c to 4 3/4c per lb. Demand somewhat limited on account of weaker market.

Fresh Codfish.—New, per 112 lbs \$5 to \$5.50; boneless, per lb 5c to 6c; Sardines, 3/4s, 10 1/2 to 11; do, 3/4s, 18 1/2 to 19 1/2c; canned lobster, \$1.50 to \$1.80; Salmon, \$1.75 to \$2.10.

Provisions.—Business good, but sales of meats have been somewhat limited on account of small stocks. *Lard* in good demand. *Cheese* firm. *Butter* easier. A number shippers are out of the market.

Tobaccos.—Manufactured 10s, 33c to 37c; do 3/4s, 6s, and 8s, 37 1/2c to 45c; Navy 3s Bright, 43c to 54c; Navy black, 37c to 40c; Solaces, 36c to 45c; Extra Bright, none; Virginia, 80c to 90c.

Oils.—Cod oil 55c to 60c; straits oil 50c to 55c; Gambier 6c; sumach 6c; degnas 8c.

Petroleum.—No change to report in this market during week.—The demand for crude Petroleum remains active, with little changing hands. Drilling continues unabated, resulting however in strikes, and, in consequence, the market for good refined is exceedingly firm. It is not probable that prices will go much higher, unless there be a great advance in the American market, which would shut us off. Quotations here: Refined 27 to 27 1/2c per Imperial gallon for five to ten bbl. lots, and 28c for single bbls.

Wood.—Trade moderately active, and prices are firm at \$5.50 per cord for best hard wood, and \$4 for pine.

Wool.—The market has been quiet during last week, and there are no indications of any activity. Native fleece is unusually dull, and, although country dealers hold large stocks, there is no disposition on their part to let them go at present quotations. Some small lots have been taken at 27c. Supers steady at 30c, with sales at 31c and 32c; extra ranges from 34c to 36c. The demand for foreign wools is moderate, and prices are without change.

ENGLISH MARKET.

Beerholm's Report, September 30th, 1880.—Floating cargoes Wheat, Maize firm; cargo and on passage Wheat, Maize, buyers and sellers apart, tending up. London fair average Gal Wheat just shipped was 44s, now 44s 6d; do nearly due was 44s 6d, now 45. Good cargoes Red Winter Wheat off coast was 43s 6d now 44s; do Mixed American Maize T. Q. was 24s 6d, now 24s 9d. London fair average 2 Chicago Wheat shipment present following month was 41s 6d, now 42s; do Red Winter unchanged, 42s 6d; do Red Winter, prompt shipment, was 42s 6d, now 43s. London fair average mixed American Maize, prompt shipment, was 24s, now 24s to 24s. Arrivals off coast Wheat, Maize small. Liverpool Spot Wheat strong; Average Red Winter 1 penny dearer. Maize strong.

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AMERICAN MARKETS.

Chicago, Sept. 30, 2.22 p.m.—Wheat, Sept., 93 1/2c; Oct., 92 1/2c; Nov., 94 1/2c. Corn, 12.50 p.m. Sept., 39 1/2c; Oct., 39 1/2c; Nov., 40 1/2c. Oats, Sept., 34 1/2c; Oct., 29 1/2c; Nov., 29 1/2c. Pork, 2.04 p.m. Sept., \$18.25; Oct., \$18.35; Nov., \$12.90. Lard, 2.07 p.m. Sept., \$7.7 1/2; Oct., \$7.7 1/2; Nov., \$7.80. Milwaukee, 1.05 p.m.—Wheat, Sept., 93 1/2c; Oct., 93 1/2c; Nov., 94 1/2c.

CHALLENGE.

Deeming the awards at the Dominion Exhibition on domestic cigars by the Judges, Messrs. Costigan, grocer, Lockerby, grocer, and Phillip Henry, cigar storekeeper, not according to the entry which called for the best assortment of domestic cigars (the awards as returned by the Judges were: S. DAVIS, 1st Prize for best Domestic Havana, and another local firm 1st prize for best Domestic), I am prepared to stake

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