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OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—A few orders are beginning to come in, but principally for forward shipment, and actual present business is small as yet. In local quotations there are no changes. English circular advices report linseed changes. English circular advices report linseed oil as rather hardening, and the Calcutta market for castor oil has improved considerably. Shellac shows a dull and declining market, with stocks considerably in excess of last year. We quote: — Turpentine, 46c. per gallon for single barrels, 2 to 4 barrels, 45c.; 5 barrels and over, 44c. Linseed oil, raw, 55c. per gallon; boiled, 58c.;



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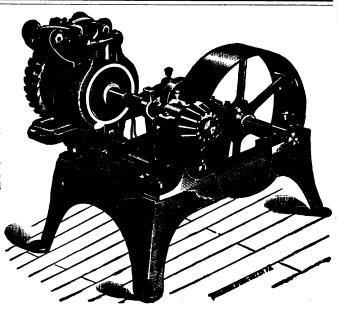
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TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, Jan. 16th, 1896.

DRUGS.—A fairly good trade is being done in general lines of drugs. The demand for heavy chemicals at present is slow. A number of staple commodities have advanced in price. Opium is unchanged. Quinine is firm. Tartaric acid is strong. Cream tartar is tending upwards.

Grain.—Ontario wheat is firm in feeling, quotations having remained unchanged during the week. Deliveries are somewhat freer. The the week. Deliveries are somewhat freer. The roads have improved a little, although there is, as yet, sleighing in only a few favored districts. Manitoba wheat remains firm. The movement is principally confined to Canadian millers, as freights are too high to admit of a liberal export movement. Oats are firm and in good demand for feeding purposes. Shipments have been made to Montreal and Quebec. Some enquiries for supplies are being ments have been made to Montreal and Quebec. Some enquiries for supplies are being received from the Georgian Bay lumber district. Dealers quote 24c. outside. Barley is dull and without change. Peas are firm at 50 to 51c., with a good export demand. Rye is in good demand, supplies are scarce and wanted. Corn is nominal in movement quoted.

HAY AND STRAW.—The roads are still in very poor condition and deliveries are not free. Hay is quoted \$17 to 18, and straw \$12.50 to 13. An average delivery of seventeen loads of hay per day is being made on the St. Lawrence

HIDES AND SKINS.—The local market is with-HIDES AND SKINS.—The local market is without change. Butchers are receiving 5c. for hides, and last sales of cured reported were made at 6c. Transactions are reported at different figures, and owing to lack of uniformity in quality it is difficult to gauge the market. The quality of present offerings is deteriorating. Sheepskins remain at 80c., and although no advance has been made in price for some weeks, it is thought their increased value was fully it is thought their increased value was fully covered by the advances made early in the season. Tallow is dull, and without change in

PAINTS AND OILS.—Some of the houses have representatives on the road, others think that money is to be made by making no attempt to secure business until later in the year. Dealers are not yet prepared to purchase at all freely. Paris green is offering to the trade at 14c.; the wholesale houses are now receiving their season's supplies. Turpentine has taken a smart son's suppness. Turpentine has taken a smart upward movement, and is quoted at 45c. per gal., or 3c. dearer than last week's price. White lead remains steady at 5c. Varnishes are unchanged in price. Window glass is in moderate demand, values are unchanged, but higher prices are anticipated by some importers. There is a slight improvement in the general distributive movement this week; payments are fairly well met.

Provisions.—Trade shows some improvement. The receipts of dairy butter have increased considerably and the market now contreased considerably and the market now contains a surplus supply. Dealers here are inclined to think that eastern markets are surfeited, as several producers who usually market their stocks in Eastern Ontario or Quebec, are seeking an outlet here. The bulk of present receipts are large rolls. Receipts of creamery are quite sufficient to meet the de-mand. The quality of the creamery butter offered here is very good, and dealers, because of its uniformity, encourage winter creameries. Lack of uniform quality in dairy butter is the we quote: Dairy, tubs, choice, 15 to 16c.; ditto, medium, 10 to 12c.; low grade, 8 to 10c.; rolls, large, 14 to 15c.; pound prints, 16 to 17c.; creamery, tubs, 19 to 20c.; pound prints, 21 to