

TORONTO WHOLESALE TRADE,
Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, July 21.

Dry Goods—Fair movement. Larger shipments of fall goods, more imported lines are going out. Values are firm and Canadian mills this week refused to book orders for cottons for future delivery. Mail advices from Manchester quote advances ranging to 10 per cent. on cotton goods, lace curtains, lawns, etc.

Hardware—More active and orders are more numerous. Coil chain is lower; pig tin 2c higher; turpentine 1c higher in the south and firmer here. Solder is 1/4c dearer. Bright staples are reduced to \$3.45 keg and the discount on coopers' staples is lower at 45 per cent. The poultry netting discount is lower at 40 per cent. Discount on fine steel wire is higher at 15 instead of 12 1/2 per cent. Discount on double pointed carpet tacks is increased to 60 and 10 per cent in paper and 40 per cent. in bulk. Coopers' nails discount is advanced from 25 to 30 per cent. Glass is firmer owing to strike in Belgium. Pig iron is weak, sympathizing with a \$1 decline in the States.

Groceries—More active. Sugars firm at Monday's advance. Refiners sold large lots to-day. Canadian packers have withdrawn prices on vegetables owing to doubt about supplies. The market is firmer. Tomatoes now 90c; peas 80c and up; corn jobbing at \$1.10. Dried fruits are firmer. Currants scarce. Reports are that the crop of Sultana raisins is injured. Manufacturers of jams and jellies have advanced their prices 1/4c all round on bulk goods, and 5c per dozen on glass. Cables report advance of over 1c on Indian teas. Candy manufacturers have advanced their prices 1/2c on mixtures.

TORONTO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.
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Grain deliveries have been light and the demand is slow. The first car of new Ontario wheat sold west to-day at 68c. For old wheat 70c is bid. For spring wheat 71c is offered. Manitoba wheat is 7c lower than a week ago. Manitoba flour is easier. Provisions are in active demand, especially for smoked, which is beginning to tell on stocks, and there is a very firm feeling in the trade. Butter deliveries are smaller owing to country holders waiting for an advance. The local market is firmer. Hides are 1/4c lower. Prices are:

Flour—Manitoba patent, \$4.00; Manitoba bakers, \$4.60 for carlots at Toronto. Ontario patent, \$3.05 in barrels west and \$2.85 in buyers bags.

Wheat—Ontario winter wheat 70c for red and white west; Ontario spring, 70 to 71c east; No. 1 hard, 86 1/2c, Toronto and west, 87c Midland, 83c grinding in transit.

Oats—28c for white east; No. 2 white 26 1/2 to 27c west.

Barley—No. 2, 41c at country points.

Millfeed—Shorts, \$13 to \$14 per ton for cars west; bran, \$11 per ton.

Oatmeal—\$3.10 in bags per barrel, and \$3.20 in wood for carlots, Toronto.

Eggs—Candled, 13 to 13 1/2c per doz.

Butter—Choice, fresh dairy, in tubs, and pails, 15 to 16c as to quality; second grade, 14 to 15c; creamery tubs, and prints, 19 to 20 1/2c.

Cheese—10 to 10 1/2c for June make.

Hides—7 1/2c for No. 1 cows; No. 1 heavy steers, 8 1/2c country hides 1 1/2c under these prices; sheepskins, \$1.25 to \$1.10, spring lambs, 35c; calfskins, 9c for No. 1, and 8c for No. 2; tallow, 4 1/2 to 5c.

Wool—Washed fleece, 16 to 18c; unwashed, 10c.

Beans—\$1.50 to \$1.75 per bushel for choice hand picked.

Dried Apples—5 1/2 to 6c for round lots; evaporated, 6 1/2c to 7c.

Honey—6 1/2 to 7 1/2c per pound.

Poultry—Chickens, 50 to 50c per pair; turkeys, 9 to 11c per pound.

Potatoes—New potatoes from south 45c per bushel; new Canadian, 50 to 60c.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.
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Toronto, July 18.

Receipts at the semi-weekly market yesterday were 1,600 cattle, 1,305 sheep and lambs and 581 hogs.

Export Cattle—Space on ocean steamers is difficult to engage, consequently the demand to-day was weaker, while offerings were large. An odd load of extra choice cattle sold as high as \$5.15 and \$5.25 per cwt, but the general run for choice loads was \$4.75 to \$5 per cwt and \$4.50 to \$4.75 per cwt for poorer grades.

Butchers' Cattle—Picked lots of choice heifers and steers were again scarce and sold a trifle easier at \$4.60 to \$4.80 per cwt. The general butchers' trade was slightly easier, choice loads selling at \$4.25 to \$4.50 per cwt, good cattle at \$3.85 to \$4.15 per cwt, medium at \$3.35 to \$3.75 per cwt and common at \$3 to \$3.25 per cwt.

Sheep—Large run met a better demand at firmer prices of \$3.75 to \$4.10 per cwt.

Lamb—Spring lambs sold more readily at a shade higher prices of \$3.50 to \$4.25 a head.

Hogs—Unchanged at \$6.25 per cwt for selections of 100 to 200 pounds natural weight, \$5.37 1/2 per cwt for fats and \$5.25 per cwt for lights.

FRIDAY'S MARKETS.

Toronto, July 21.

At the semi-weekly market yesterday receipts were 57 carloads, including 1,800 sheep and lambs and 1,700 hogs.

Export cattle sold weak and the tendency of prices was downwards. Best cattle sold at \$4.90. Butchers' choice were scarce and steady at \$3 to \$4.50 per 100 pounds, according to quality. Stockers were easy. Sheep firmer, export ewes selling at 3 1/2 to 4 1/2c per pound. Butchers' sheep \$3 to \$4 each. Lambs easier at \$2.50 to \$4 each. Hogs steady and unchanged.

MONTREAL GRAIN & PRODUCE.
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Montreal, July 21.

Grain is quiet. Oats are 1/4 to 1/2c lower. Barley is 1c higher. Flour steady and firm. Meal and feed unchanged. Hides continue dull. Eggs firm and in good local demand. Butter is 1c higher for creamery. Fancy lots 1/2c more. Cheese is unchanged. Cured meats are 50c per hundred higher.

Oats—30 to 31 afloat.

Barley—No 1 afloat, May, 50c.

Flour—Prices to the trade delivered are: Manitoba Strong Bakers, \$1.40 to \$4.65; Manitoba patents, \$5; winter wheat patents, \$3.90 to \$4.25; straight rollers, \$3.85; in bags, \$1.80 to \$1.85.

Millfeed—Bran, \$15 per ton; shorts, \$17, including sacks.

Oatmeal—Rolled oats, \$3.30 to \$3.40 barrel on track, and \$1.57 1/2 to \$1.67 1/2 per sack.

Hides—No. 1 green city hides 5c. No. 2, 7c; No. 3, 6c; calfskins, No. 1, 9c; No. 2, 7c; lambskins, 30; sheepskins, \$1.10 each, tallow, 4 to 4 1/2c.

Eggs—Strictly fresh, 13 to 15c for selected, and 11 to 11 1/2 for seconds.

Butter—Choice, fresh dairy, 15 1/2 to 17c per pound.

Butter—Choice creamery, 19 1/2c to 19 3/4c per pound.

Cheese—Western, 9 1/2c; eastern, 9 3/4 to 9 1/2c.

Maple syrup—Western, 85c per large tin and 75c per wine gallon tin or 6 1/2 to 7 1/2c per lb.; pure sugar, 9 1/2c to 10c per pound.

Honey—White clover in comb 14 to 15c per pound; white extracted in large tins, 9 to 9 1/2c.

Beans—\$1.50 to \$1.75 per bushel, as to quality.

Potatoes—Car lots on track, 30c per bag.

Cured Meats—Heavy Canadian short cut mess, \$18.50; short cut back, \$17.50; selected heavy short cut mess pork, boniless, special quality, \$19.50; and pure Canadian lard, 9 1/2 to 10c per lb, and compound refined, at 7 1/2 to 8 1/2c per lb. Hams, 12 to 14c; and bacon, 11 to 14c per lb.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK PRICES.
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Montreal, July 17.

Receipts of live stock at the East End abattoir market yesterday were 450 cattle and 500 sheep and lambs.

Trade was fair all round with prices about the same as last week, but some of the cattle were of better quality than has been offered here for some time past. For prime, 5 1/2c per lb. was paid. Good cattle sold at 4c to 4 1/2c, and grass fed 3 to 4c per lb., with some of the leaner arrivals at 2 1/2c per lb. Calves ranged from \$2.50 to \$7.50 each. Shippers paid 4c per for good large sheep and the butchers paid from 3 1/2 to 4c per lb. for the others. Lambs sold at from \$2.50 to \$5 each. Fat hogs sold at from 5c to 5 1/2c per lb., weighed off the cars.

THURSDAY'S MARKET.

Montreal, July 20.

At the East End abattoir yesterday cattle receipts were 475 head and sheep and lambs 650 head.

The live stock market was fairly active at Monday's quotations. Prime steers were scarce.

MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKET.
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Groceries are active and teas are held very firm. Sugar has advanced another 10c per hundred. Hardware paints, oils and naval stores are steady. Trade is brisk. Ocean freights stiffening.

LONDON SUGAR MARKET.
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London, July 20.

Beet sugar is lower at 10s 10 1/2d for July, and 11s 9 1/2d for August.

LIVERPOOL CATTLE MARKET.
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Liverpool, July 20.

Cattle unchanged at 12 to 13c dressed. Sheep, 12 1/2 to 14c.

LIVERPOOL CHEESE MARKET.
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Liverpool, July 20.

Cheese is quoted at 47s 6d.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

London, July 17.—At the wool auction sales to-day 10,000 bales were offered. Merinos were in good request. German representatives and the home trade buying crossbreds. A good selection of Tasmania wools sold well.