much greater selling pressure. two options was going on and was said to account largely for the nar-

rewing of the discount 1-12 in the last few days. One pit leader changed 2,500,000 bushels of wheat from May to July.

Strength in Corn.

in corn the rapid depletion of west-ern stocks led to a rally. The market at first had been easy as a result of

favorable crop reports from Argen

Oats were held down because of large primary receipts and owing to a heavy movement from Winnipeg to

Improved support from commission

houses put a little backbone into pro-visions. Trade as a whole, however,

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 28 leads hay, all told, Hay-Twenty-eight loads sold at \$18 to

Wheat, fail, bushel....\$0.96 to \$0.97 Barley, bushel ...... 0 62 0 64

Alsike, No. 1, bushel... \$8 50 to \$9 00
Alsike, No. 2, bushel... 7 50
Alsike, No. 3, bushel... 6 00 7 00
Red clover, No. 1..... 8 00 8 50
Red clover, No. 2.... 8 00
Timothy, No. 1, bush... 2 50 3 00
Timothy, No. 2, bush... 2 00 2 25

 Hay, new ton.
 \$18 00 to \$19 00

 Hay, mixed
 15 00 16 00

 Hay, cattle
 10 00 12 00

 Straw, bundled, ton.
 16 00

 Straw, loose, ton.
 11 00

Geese, lb. . . . . . 0 18 0 20 Ducks, lb. . . . . . 0 20 0 22

Spring chickens, dressed,

Barley, bushel ..... 0 62
Peas, bushel ..... 0 80
Oats, bushel ..... 0 41
Rye, bushel ..... 0 47

Rye, bushel ..... 0 65 Buckwheat, bushel .... 0 70

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WHEAT PRICES **RULING STRONG** FARM PRODUCE, WHOLESALE.

Slight Fall of Rain Had Little Effect in Encouraging Selling. CHICAGO, March 17.-Sprinkles of

ain over northern and eastern Kan-POULTRY, WHOLESALE. as failed today to relieve except in a mangient manner the fear of a dry weather scare regarding wheat. The market closed firm at a range varying from 1/2 to 3-8c off to a shade advance. Corn finished with a gain of 1-8c to 3-8c, oats the same as last HIDES AND SKINS. night, and provisions unchanged to

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front street, Dealers in Wool, Yarn, Hides, Calfskins and Sheep. and dust storms in southern Kansas skins, Raw Furs, Tallow, etc.: were what renewed apprehension on the part of the wheat trade. As the official forecast gave no promise of any additional moisture, speculators who had early in the day taken to the hear side were more and more inclinbear side were more and more inclined to a reversal of judgment later in GRAIN AND PRODUCE. New crop futures developed a notice-able tendency to be independent of the May delivery. The nearby month was Local grain dealers' quotations are as

Ontario oats—New, No. 2 white 37c to 38c, outside; 10c to 401/2c, track, Toronto. Manitoba flour—Quotations at Toronto are: First patents, \$5.30, in cotton 10c more; second patents, \$4.80, in cotton 10c more; strong bakers', \$4.60, in jute. Manitoba oats-No. 2 C.W., 42c; No. C.W., 41c, lake ports.

Ontario wheat—New, No. 2, 97c to 98c, outside; \$1, track, Toronto. Beans—Imported, hand-picked, \$2.25 per bushel; Canadians, hand-picked, \$2.25; prime, \$2. Peas-No. 2. 98c to \$1, nominal, perbushel, outside. Buckwheat-No. 2, 73c to 75c, outside,

Rye-Outside, 62c to 63c. Corn-American, No. 3 yellow, 69c, all rail, track, Toronto. Manitoba wheat — New crop, No. 1 northern, 99½c, track, bay points; No. 2 northern, 98c; more at Goderich.

Barley-For malting, 54c to 55c (47.1b. test); for feed, 43c to 45c, outside, nemi-Milifeed — Manitoba bran, \$22.50 to \$23.50, in bags, track, Toronto; shorts, \$23 to \$25; Ontario bran, \$23, in bags; shorts, \$24; middlings, \$26.

Ontario flour-Winter wheat flour, 90 per cent. patents, new, \$3.55, bulk, sea-

TORONTO SUGAR MARKET. Sugars are quoted in Toronto. sugars are quoted in Toronto, in bags, per cwt., as follows:

Extra granulated, St. Lawrence. \$4 21 do. do. Redpath's 4 21 Beaver granulated 4 11 No. 1 yellow 2 21

CHICAGO MARKETS. Erickson Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beaty), 4 West King street, Toronto, report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade: Open. High. Low. Close. Close. May ... 9314 9314 92% July ... 88% 88% 88% Sept. .. 884 8812 88 93 93¼ 88¾ 88¾ 88¾ 88¼ Corn-67% 68 67½ 68 67% 67% 67½ 67½ 67½ 67½ 66¼ 66½ 66% 66½ 66½ ...21.55 21.65 21.55 21.62 21.62 ...21.62 21.67 21.62 21.67 21.65

Butter, farmers' dalry. \$0 30 to \$0 35 Eggs, new, dozen..... 0 35 0 40 Poultry, Retail—
Turkeys, dressed 1b....\$0 24 to \$0 28 Oats—
May ... 39% 39% 39% 39½
July ... 39% 39% 38% 39½
Sept... 37% 38 37% 37% Lard—
May ... 10.75 10.80 10.75 10.80 10.77
July ... 10.95 11.00 10.95 11.00 10.97
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The STANDARD BANK of CANADA STATEMENT

From Report to Dominion Government, 31st Jan., 1914 RESOURCES LIABILITIES Cash on hand and in Central Gold Reserve and Notes and Cheques of other Banks . \$7,915,545.95
Government Deposit to secure Circulation 130,000.00

Due by Banks 610,623.02

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2,540,277.52

Call Loans on Bonds, etc. 2,659,645.86 92,579.23 2,652,643.00 Notes in Circulation . 35,018,592,10 1,115,535.51 Acceptances under Letters of Assets immediately available \$13,856,092.35 108,968.37 Loans and Discounts ... 30,664,507.41
Liability under Letters of
Credit per Contra ... 108,968.37
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MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET. MINNEAPOLIS, March 17.—Close—Wheat—May, 90%c to 90%c; July, 92%c bid; No. 1 hard, 94%c to 94%c; No. 1 northern, 91%c to 93%c; No. 2 do., 89%c to 91%c.

Corn—No. 3 yellew, 59%c to 60c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 30%c to 34c.

Flour—Unchanged,

Bran—\$24.00

Bran-\$24.00 DULUTH GRAIN MARKET. DULUTH, March 17.—Close—Wheat— to. 1 hard, 93c; No. 1 northern, 92c; No. do., 99c; May, 92c; July, 93c.

\$1.34; No. 3 C.W., \$1.21.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK .. CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, March 17.—Cattle: Receipts, 3000; market, slow; beeves, \$7.10 to \$8.50; Texas steers, \$7.15 to \$8.15; stockers and feeders, ...50 to \$8.10; cows and helfers, \$3.75 to \$8.50; calves, \$6 to \$9.

Hogs—Receipts, 18.000; market, weak; light, \$8.55 to \$8.75; mixed, \$8.45 to \$8.80; heavy, \$8:30 to \$8.75; rough, \$8.30 to \$8.45; plgs, \$7.15 to \$8.60; bulk of sales, \$8.65 to \$8.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; market weak; native, \$4.50 to \$6.20; yearlings, \$5.70 to \$6.90; lambs, native, \$6.70 to \$7.65.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO, March 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 250; slow and easy; prices un-Veals—Receipts, 50; active and 50c lower; 36 to \$10.

Hogs—Receipts, 1600; slow and steady to 5c higher; heavy, \$9.20 to \$9.25; mixed, \$9.25 to \$9.30; yorkers, \$9 to \$9.30; pigs, \$8.90 to \$9. roughs, \$8.35 to \$8.50; stags, \$7 to \$7.75; dairies, \$9.10 to \$9.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2000; active and steady; prices unchanged.

ELECTED MAYOR FIVE TIMES. (Special Correspondence.) ST. STEPHEN'S, N.B., March 17.

Mayor W. A. Dinsmore has been elected mayor again for the fifth time. He has devoted eighteen years of his life to civic affairs, and is one of the popular public men of New Brunswick.

EXPECT BIG APPLE CROP.

VERNON, March 17.—A prediction that by 1917 or 1918 the apple crop of the Okanagan Valley will total 3000 carloads, was made at a meeting at the court house under the auspices of the Okanagan Farmers' Institute.

FELL THIRTY-FIVE FEET. Robert McFarland, a builder, living at 43 Curzon street, fell a distance of 35 feet from a building at 465 Balsam avenue yesterday, sustaining internal injuries which may prove fatal. was conveyed home in Ellis' ambu-

\$6.25; heavy lambs, \$8 to \$8.75; choice lambs, \$9 to \$9.75.

Selects, fed and watered, sold at \$9.25; \$8.90, f.o.b., and \$9.50, weighed off cars.

The Coabett, Hall, Coughlin Co. sold \$-cars of live stock: Best steers, \$7.90 to \$8.25; 2 extra choice Easter heifers, \$3.40; fair to good butchers, \$7.60 to \$8.25; common to medium butchers, \$7.10 to \$7.30; choice cows, \$6.50 to \$6.75; medium cows, \$5.75 to \$6.25; common cows, \$4.76 to \$5.25; bulls, \$6.75 to \$7.25.

H. P. Kennedy sold; Cattle—3, 1000 lbs., at \$7.60; 2, 1080 lbs., at \$7.5; 7, 1030 lbs., at \$7.75; 5, 1060 lbs., at \$7.75; 2, 990 lbs., at \$7.75; 30 stockers \$7.90; 1, 900 to \$7.00 lbs., at \$7.75; 30 stockers and butchers, 1100 lbs., at \$7.80; 1 load butchers, 1050 lbs., at \$7.75; 30 stockers and butchers, 600 to 750 lbs., at \$6.50 to \$7.

No. 1 hard, 93c; No. 1 northern, 92c; No. 2 do., 90c; May, 92c; July, 93c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WINNIPEG March 17.—Prices on the local exchange today closed as follows:
Cash: Wheat—No. 1 northern, 90%c; No. 2 do., 88%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do. 82%c; No. 5, 80c; No. 6, 75c; feed 70c; No. 1 rejected seeds, 85%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 82%c; No. 1 smutty, 85%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 1 feed, 34%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 4 do., 82%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 3 do., 87c; No. 2 do., 84%c; No. 2 do., 84%

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