## THE MARKETS

Planet Office, Tuesday evening, July 19.

GRAINS

Harry Stevens, of the Canada Flour Mills Co., gives The Planet the folnowing grain quotations.

Deliveries of wheat are light, farmers being busy with their harvests. Very good samples are shown by the farmers, which is really better wheat than that of last year. A per cent. of the crop which is sprouted and damp, is offered for feeding purposes and not suitable for milling.

Oats promise a larger yield and better quality than for some seasons past. It is early yet for the deliveries of any Barley-Samples that have been pre-

sented show good weight, but are discolored. Wheat-Old, 75c.

Wheat-New 72c Corn, shelled, 62 to 63c. ; 1 White oats-Old, 40c. White oats-New, 30c. Beans, \$1.00 to \$1.10.

Barley, per cwt., new 75c, old 90c. Cornmeal, \$1.50 to \$1.75 per cwt. SEEDS.

Nelson Stringer gives The Planet the following quotations:-Some new alsike is coming in, and \$5 to \$6.50 is being paid, according to Red Clover, \$4 to \$4.50. Alsike, \$4.50 to \$6.00.

Timothy, \$1.50 to \$2. Alsike, \$5 to \$6.50 Seed Corn, 60c.

#### WOOL AND MIDES. 3

Nelson Stringer states that very little wool is coming in, and the price of unwashed is 7c, while washed is 12c. Hide market is a trifle firmer. Wool, washed, 12c. .

Wool, unwashed, 7c. Calf skins, 6c to 7c per 1b. Lambs and shearlings, 10c to 15c. Sheep skins, 25c to 65c. Cow hides, No. 1, 6c, No. 2, 5c. Cow hides, No. 1, 51-2c; No. 2, 41-2c Horse hides, \$1 to \$2. Deacens, 20c to 35c.

HAY.

T. M. Tennent gives The Planet the following hay gossip. Hay market has practically jus opened and No. 1 timothy brings \$5 per ton with a fair demand and large quantities offered, partially damaged. Hay buyers are paying \$5 to \$6.50. Hay, clover, \$5 to \$7.

FURS.

Nelson Stringer gives The Planet the following quotations-The fur season is about over.

Coon skins 15c to \$1.25. Fox skins, \$1.00 to \$2.00. Mink skins, 75c to \$1.50. Skunk skins, 15c to 75c. Dog skins, 25c to 50c.

MEATS.

O'Keefe & Drew quote as follows-Receipts of live hogs this week have been light, and lower prices are looked for shortly as the American market has dropped \$1.00 per cwt this week.

Pork, 8c to 12c. Mutton, 9c to 12 1-2c. Live hogs, \$6.75 Beef, 10 to 12 1-2c.

FISH.

W. Bunning, dealer in fish, reports that he is paying 9c per lb for | yellow pickerel, and 4c per lb. for mullet wholesale, and cannot get enough at

that high price. White fish, 15c, per lb. dressed. Lake Huron trout, 10c per lb., dress-

Yellow pickerel 10c per lb., dressed Sturgeon, 10c lb., dressed. Perch 25c dozen.

APPLE PROSPECTS.

L. & H. Williams, of Glasgow and Liverpool ,Britain ,in a circular being sent around, state-The home crop of apples is light, while continental shipments will not be heavy and as the home and continental crop of plums is almost a total failure, we are of the opinion that apples will come into early consumption. While advising good prospects, it must be understood that it refers to well packed and carefully graded stock.

## OUTSIDE MARKETS.

HENRY CLEWS' REPORT. Henry Clews, in his weekly letter to

The Planet, says:-The actual results of a good harvest are difficult to accurately measure just now. Our crops will not be entirely free from danger by frost for another three or four weeks; and this being an exceptionally cool season such contingency is the more imminent. Some diminution of the splendid indications of the last government crop report, however, need cause no surprise should it come. According to the August government report the outlook is for the largest crop of corn on record, the second largest crop of wheat, a big oats crop and a large cotton crop, the yield of many other crops also being above the average. If we have crops of 650,000,000 bushels of wheat and 2,560,000,000 bushels of corn, there will be enormous traffic in store for the railroads; the corn crop in the form of live stock, etc., alone being a big item in the freight bills. But the farmers are likely to benefit even more than the railroads; and, allowing for the declines in prices or injury by frost, the growers of wheat, corn and cotton are almost sure to receive between \$200,000,000 and \$300,-000,000 more this year than last for their crops. What will be the effect of such a harvest upon business? Inevitably it must prove a very great stimulus, and all accounts from the west are noticeable for confidence and expectations of another year of pros-

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perity. Unfortunately these prospects are not fully shared in the east, where strikes have checked improvement, and in the south progress is less pronounced. Yet there is a large home demand for foodstuffs, and we are likely to find a good export inquiry for our corn and cotton , though Europe is not in as great need of our wheat as last year.

EUROPEAN GRAIN MARKETS.

London, Aug. 19.-Close-Wheat, on passage, quiet and steady. Majze, on passage, firm, but not active. Country markets-English, dull; French,

Paris, Aug. 19.-Wheat, firm; Aug. 22f. November and February 20f 40c. \$2.50. Flour, firm; August 30f 5c; November Antwerp, Aug. 19.-No. 2 red win-

London, Aug. 19.—Close—Mark Lane Miller Market—Wheat—, foreign is \$1,10. steady at an advance of 3d, English Har nominally unchanged; maize, Ameriekins should be marketed, as the moth can, nothing doing; Danubian firm at season will soon be on. better demand at full rate; English, firm and rather dearer.

BUFFALO GRAIN MARKET.

Buffalo, Aug. 19.—Flour—Quiet; patent spring, \$4 to \$4.25; low grades of winter and spring, \$2.25 to \$2.75; best family winter, \$3.50 to \$3.75; cracker flour, \$3.25 to \$3.50; rye flour, \$3.25

Wheat-Spring, dull ; No. 1, northern, old, offered at 72 3-4c carloads; winter, quiet; No. 2 red, 74c. Corn-Bull and weak; No. 2 yellow 65c; No. 3, 64 1-2e; No. 2 corn 64 1-2c; No. 3 .do. 64c.

Oats-Weak; No. 2 white, 38c; No. 3 do, 35c; No. 2 mixed, 30 1-2c; No. 3 do, 29 1-2c, through billed. Rye-No. 2 quoted at 56 1-2e.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Aug. 19 .- There were 900 head of butchers' cattle, 150 calves and 1,500 sheep and lambs offered at the east end abattoir to-day. butchers were out strong and bought freely, but the prices continued very low and unsatisfactory to the drovers A few of the best cattle were sold at from 4 1-2 to 4 3-4e per lb., and



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## Would You Think It? from that down to 3 1-2c for pretty

good stock. Common cattle were very hard to sell and -prices ranged at able number will have to be held over for another market. Mr. Ritchot of Seigneur street bought a very fine veal calf, weighing 241 lbs, for \$12, or almost 5c per lb.; the other calves sold at from \$2 to \$10 each, or from

3c to 3 1-2c per lb., and lambs at from 3 3-4c to 4 1-2c per lb. The general price of good lambs was about Fat hogs sold at from 7c to 71-4c per lb. for good lots, weighed off the

#### TORONTO HAY AND STRAW.

Toronto, Aug. 19.-Baled Hay-Moderate demand and supply at \$9.50 to \$10 a ton for new hay on track here and \$11 for old. Straw-The market is quiet at \$5 to \$5.50 a ton in car lots on track

TORONTO PRODUCE.

Toronto, August 19,-Butter-There is only a steady market. There is a good demand for anything choice, either in the creamery or dairy, but offerings are largely of common stuff. Creamery, prints, 19 1-2 to 20 1-2c. Creamery solids, 18 1-2 to 19c.

Dairy tubs, choice, 15 to 16c.
Dairy medium, 13 to 14c.
Dairy pound rolls, choice, 16c to 17c. Eggs-Of the average case of eggs arriving just now only about one-third of the contents can be set aside as new laid stock. These select eggs will self at 16c and sometimes a little more, but the other two-thirds is composed of seconds and cracked eggs, which sell at 11c to 13 cents. The average run of new laid stock sells at 15c. Poultry-Fair receipts meet a mod-

erate demand at steady prices. Chickens are quoted at 50s to 75c; hens at 40 to 50c, ducks at 60 to 80c and turkeys at 8c to 10c Potatoes-Continue to arrive in small lots only, and sell to a steady

#### TORONTO FRUITS.

demand at 35c to 45c a bushel.

Toronto, Aug. 19 .- The deliveries of fruit at the wholesale market yesterday were small. We quote-Bananas, per bunch, \$1.50 to \$2. Oranges, Sorrento, \$4 to \$4.25. Lemons, Messina, \$2.50 to \$3.50. Canadian tomatoes, 40c to 60c bas

California peaches, \$1.25 to \$1.60 California plums, \$1.40 to California pears, per case, \$2.

Watermelons, 15c to 30c. Red currants, per basket 80 to \$1.10. Muskmelons per basket 90c to \$1.10.

Huckleberries, per basket 90c to Harvest apples, per basket, 15c to Red raspberries, 6c per box. Peaches, per basket, 20c to 40c. Plums, per basket, 30c to 50c.

Cauliflower, per doz, 75c. Cucumbers per basket, 25c to 35c.

## SPION KOP

Notwithstanding the hints that the press freely prints; Spite of blue book of blue book, on dit, and suggestion; Still from experts in vain we attempt

to obtain A reply to the Spion Kop question. Ink by quarts has been shed, odd reports have been spread, Strange dispatches curtailed, and But still there's a doubt which has

not been threshed out. As to who on that hill-top commanded?

The "Bullerites" swear with a blustersome air,

Which to English traditions seems foreign; That if any one man can be blamed for the plan Which resulted in failure-'tis Warren!

Whilst the "Warrenites" vow, all fair folk must allow That there could not be evidence I'han that which connects the fiasco's effects

With the too-tardy tactics of Bul-

Some discern through the smoke of the fray General Coke Limping up with not very good Whilst others suggest that, when

Just a little should fall on Wood gate. There are sharp critics, too, who in-

cline to the view (One that time has not tended to soften) That Thornycroft's fame hasn't been quite the same Since he took the command vice Crofton

so no wonder each day we peruse with dismay In the papers yet more revelations denouncers attack and defenders hit back, And new charges bring new vindications;

Till the public, amazed and perplexed and half dazed, In the role of distracted beholders, Are in such sorry case that they can't even place
The just blame on the right pair
of shoulders.

But no matter! If wise they'll conceal their surprise

And refrain from mere vague ac cusation: we've news to impart-let the public take heart!

We can give the desired informacommand on the top omened kop, Where our soldiers like sheep had to huddle, Was a general whose name England

knows to her shame, That confounded old General Mud-J. J. WILDE.



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