

TORONTO WHOLESALE TRADE.
Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, Oct. 28.
Dry goods—Mild wet weather has interfered some with sorting trade. This was a week of advances. Merchants Cotton company advanced prices 5 per cent. Dominion mills advanced as follows: Prints, 1-2c per yard; ducks, 1-2c, piques, 1-4 to 1-2c; printed moleskins, 1-2 to 1c, the latter on No. 1. Campbellford flannels, the principal Canadian staple flannel, advanced 10 per cent or 2c per yard. Canada colored cotton mills advanced denim, cottonades, cycling suitings, apron gingham, yarns and warps 5 per cent all around. Some of these lines now advanced fifth to sixth time since the middle of August. Montreal cotton mills advance foulard linings 1-4c. Penman company advanced knit-ting goods 7 1-2 to 12 1-2 per cent. Swiss embroidery advanced 10 per cent.

Hardware—Business not as large as last week and prices firm. Mrs. Potts and Irons 10 cents per sett dearer. Black iron is dearer. Thirty gallon range boilers are 50c lower. Rope is weaker. Iron pipe 20 to 50c dearer and two inch is now \$13.85. American guns and implements are advanced 10 to 25 per cent by manufacturers. Turpentine is 2c lower at 75c and linseed oil 2c dearer at 61c for raw and 61c for boiled.

Groceries—Trade is good. Condition healthy for canned goods. Teas, foreign dried fruit and sugars, all have an upward tendency. Tomatoes are firmer, lowest now 85c. Corn is stronger at \$1 to \$1.05. Beans firm, 65c. Valencia raisins, firmer.

TORONTO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.
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Toronto, Oct. 28.
Wheat movement is interrupted by scarcity of cars. Ontario wheat steady. No. 1 hard 1-2c lower. Flour dull and no export movement owing to high ocean freight. Oats 1-2c lower. Hog products firm. Dressed hogs lower. Cars of hogs sold to-day for next week's delivery at \$5.50. Prices are:

Four—Manitoba patents, \$4.20; Manitoba bakers, \$3.70; Ontario straight roller, \$3.15 to \$3.20 per barrel for car lots, Toronto freight.

Wheat—Ontario new winter wheat, 60 to 67c for cars at country points; Ontario spring, 66 to 67c; No. 1 hard, 81c, grinding in transit, and 80c Toronto.

Oats—New oats, 24 1-2 to 26 1-2c at country points for car lots.

Barley—No. 2, 43 to 44c, country points.

Millfeed—Shorts, \$11 to \$14.50 ton; bran, \$11.50 to \$12 per ton for cars at country mills.

Oatmeal—\$3.10 in bags per barrel, and \$3.50 in wood for car lots, Toronto.

Eggs—Choice fresh, 18c; seconds, 12 to 14c; held stock, 15 to 17c; lined, 16c.

Butter—Dairy, tubs, choice fresh 18 to 18 1-2c; poor to medium, 10 to 16c; creamery, tubs and boxes, 21c.

Cheese—11 1-2 to 12c for job lots to the local trade.

Hides—9c for No. 1 cows; 8c No. 2, and 7c for No. 3; No. 1 heavy steers, 9 1-2c. Cured cows, 9 1-2c. Sheepskins and lambskins, 50 to 75c; calf skins, 9 and 7c for No. 1 and No. 2; tallow, 5 to 5 1-4c.

Wool—Washed fleece, 15c; unwashed, 9 to 9 1-2c.

Beans—\$1.40 to \$1.50 per bushel for hand picked.

Dried apples—6 to 6 1-2c for round lots; evaporated, 8 to 9c.
Honey—6 to 10c in bulk.
Poultry—Chickens, 30 to 45c per pair, turkeys, 9 to 11c per pound; geese, 5 to 6c.

Potatoes—Steady at 40c per bag for car lots.

Hogs—Dressed hogs, \$5.25 to \$5.50 per 100 pounds for car lots.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.
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Toronto, Oct. 24.
At the semi-weekly market to-day receipts were 44 carloads, comprising 500 cattle, 400 sheep and lambs, and 1240 hogs.

Export cattle—None offered.

Butchers' cattle—Market easier. Good to choice stock sold at \$3.25 to \$3.50, medium, \$2.75 to \$3.25, and common \$2.25 to \$2.75 per 100 lbs.

Feeders—Market dull. Heavy feeders, \$3.25 to \$3.75; light, \$3 to \$3.25; bulls, \$2.60 to \$3.

Sheep and lambs—Market firm. Export sheep sold at \$3.25 to \$3.40 per cwt.; butchers' sheep \$2.25 to \$3.25 per cwt.; lambs, \$3.75 to \$4 per cwt.

Hogs—Market steady at \$1.37 1-2 for choice. Light and heavy fats, 4c; corn fed hogs, \$4.12 1-2.

FRIDAY'S MARKET.

Toronto, Oct. 27.
At the semi-weekly market to-day receipts were 700 cattle, 1,000 sheep and lambs and 1,500 hogs.

Export cattle weak. Heavy feeders sold at \$3.50 top price. Hogs, steady. There are prospects of lower prices next week for hogs. Other prices unchanged.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK PRICES.
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Montreal, Oct. 24.
At the East End Abattoir market yesterday the offerings of live stock were 500 cattle and 300 sheep and lambs.

Market for cattle firm. The best sold at 41-2c to 43-4c; good at 4c to 41-4c; fair at 31-4 to 33-4c, and lower grades at 2c to 3c. Sheep for shipment sold at 31-4c per lb, and calves at 21-2c to 3c per lb. Lambs sold at 4c to 4 1-4c, and lower grades at 3 1-2 to 3 3-4c per lb. At the Grand Trunk stock yards the demand for hogs was good at 4 1-4c to 4 1-2c per lb. for straight lots, weighed off cars.

THURSDAY'S MARKETS.

Montreal, Oct. 27.
At the East End Abattoir on Thursday receipts were, 350 cattle.

No choice cattle offered and prices remained at Monday's figures. Sheep sold at 33-8c, lambs 4 1-4c. Hogs remained steady.

MONTREAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.
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Montreal, Oct. 28.
Oats are slightly easier than a week ago and the inside quotation is 1-1c lower. There is a good local and foreign demand for flour at unchanged prices. Feed is active and slightly lower. Oatmeal is steady and in fair enquiry. Eggs are 1-2 to 1c higher all around. Butter is 1-2c lower for creamery. Cheese is lower, having lost 1-1 to 1-2c during the week. Potatoes are 5c lower than the outside price of a week ago. Turkeys are 1-2c lower, chickens and ducks steady. Other prices remain the same. We quote:

Oats—30 1-4 to 30 1-2c afloat.
Flour—Prices to the trade delivered are: Manitoba strong bakers, \$3.60 to \$3.70; Manitoba patents \$4.10 to \$4.20.

Millfeed—Bran, \$14.75 to \$15.00 per ton shorts, \$16.00 to \$17.00, including sacks.

Oatmeal—Rolled oats, \$3.50 to \$3.55 per barrel on track and \$1.70 to \$1.72 1-2 per sack.

Hides—No. 1 green city hides, 10c; No. 2, 9c; No. 3, 8c; calfskins, No. 1, 11c. No. 2, 9c; lambskins and clips, 60 to 65c; tallow, 33-1 to 4 1-4c.

Eggs—Strictly fresh, 19c to 20c; candled, 16 to 17c; second grade, 12 1-2 to 14c.

Butter—Choice, fresh dairy 16 to 17c.

Butter—Choice creamery, 20 1-2 to 21c.

Cheese—Western finest, 11 1-2c; eastern, 11c.

Beans—\$1 to \$1.15 per bushel, as to quality.

Potatoes—Potatoes, bags, 40 to 45c. Dressed poultry—Turkeys, 9 1-2 to 10 1-2c, ducks, 8 to 9c; chickens, 7 to 8c per pound.

MONTREAL GROCERY MARKET.
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Montreal, Oct. 28.
The grocery market is steady with good demand for all lines. In sympathy with the recent strength in the foreign market for raw sugar prices have been marked up 5c per 100 lbs., granulated now being quoted at \$4.55, and yellows at \$3.75 to \$4.40 per 100 lbs., as to quality at the factory.

MONTREAL HARDWARE MARKET.
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Montreal, Oct. 28.
The hardware and paints market continues strong and a good business is doing.

LIVERPOOL CHEESE MARKET.
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Liverpool, Oct. 27.
Quotations are steady at 54s 6d for white and 56s for colored.

LONDON CATTLE MARKET.
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London, Oct. 27.
The cattle market is steady. Canadian cattle sold at 11 3-4 to 12 1-2c, estimated dressed weight.

SUGAR.
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London, Oct. 27.
Beet sugar is dearer at 9s 2 1-4d for October and 9s 3d for November.

CHEESE MARKETS.

Campanford, Oct. 24.—At the cheese board 1,000 boxes were boarded, 11 3-4c was bid, no sales.

Irgerson, Oct. 24.—Offerings to-day, 2,500 boxes September make; no sales; 11c b.d. salesman holding for higher prices; some sold through the week for 11 1-4c.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKET.

London, Oct. 23.—An easier feeling prevailed for cattle, and prices declined 1-4c for United States cattle, but values for other grades were unchanged. Choice States sold at 12 3-4c; Canadians at 11 1-2c, and Argentinians at 12c. Sheep firmer, Argentinians selling at 12c.

Liverpool, October 23.—Choice Canadian cattle and sheep selling at 11c.