

further East rendered successful competition with American packers difficult. The freight from Chicago to Toronto costs $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ per lb, besides deterioration in transit which the Canadian packer has to bear. Then the freight from points in Canada is higher than from Chicago to any of the principal seaports of Great Britain. The number of hogs packed in Ontario last winter was 97,435, and there were packed last summer in this province 8,579 hogs, mostly by one house in Toronto. The number winter-packed last season in Quebec was 18,340. The totals for different winter seasons in these two provinces were, according to the Cincinnati Price Current, as follows:—

1878-9.....	115,775 hogs.
1877-8.....	151,781 "
1876-7.....	186,198 "
1875-6.....	119,989 "

The amount of barrelled pork made was 13,000 barrels, against 23,000 the previous winter, and 30,000 in 1876-7. The following table shows the number of hogs packed at the principal places in Canada during the past and previous winter seasons, from November 1 to March:—

ONTARIO.	1878-9.	1877-8.
Aylmer	3,000	6,000
Bowmanville.....	2,725	2,100
Brantford	1,800	1,200
Collingwood	2,000	1,809
Guelph	3,000	6,800
Hamilton	14,000	9,000
Ingersoll	9,000	4,000
Kincardine.....	1,000	1,500
Lindsay	1,100	1,734
London	7,500	16,000
Mitchell.....	no report	2,000
Newmarket	469	1,537
Orillia	750	1,350
Owen Sound.....	1,000	1,000
Parkhill	300	1,000
Paris	1,100	1,000
Prescott	2,500	900
St. Thomas	1,500	1,400
St. Catharines	1,000	2,500
Seaforth	1,000	1,300
Toronto.....	28,500	26,500
Walkerton	no report	1,100
Windsor	1,200	17,320
Places not reported (estimated)	5,000	10,000
QUEBEC.		
Montreal	15,000	15,000
Quebec	3,340	3,000
St. Henri	3,000

Total..... 115,775 151,781

But 31 places packed hogs in Ontario this season against 37 places the previous season. Towns which packed last winter, but not the present season, were: Cobourg, 750; Wingham, 380; Elora, 600; Galt, 1,200; Goderich, 300; Milton, 260; Port Perry, 400; St. Henri, 3,000; while Mitchell, Strathroy, and Walkerton have not reported. Brockville, which packed 1,800 this season, furnished "no report" last season, while of towns which packed in 1877-8, but not last year, there were Chatham, 1,000; Listowel, 700; Meaford, 500. Barrie, Peterboro, Hensall, Keene, packed less than last year; Lucan, the same number, 500. According to the return furnished by the packers on these various towns and villages the average net weight of their hogs was this year 201.10 lbs. against 211.75 lbs. in the previous season. The yield of lard per carcase averaged 20.50 lbs. this year against but 19.20 lbs. last year.

SALT.—The market is steady and the supply appears adequate. Liverpool coarse we quote \$1.00 to 1.15 per bag, and Canadian, 90 to 95¢ per barrel. Dairy, \$1.85 to 1.90.

WOOL.—There is little, if anything, to be added to our remarks of last week to describe the market to-day. Prices are unaltered, and a limited movement continues, principally in small parcels.

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J. A. ELLIOTT,
4th April, 1879. Secretary.

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