

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS

OFFICE RURAL CANADIAN, Toronto, Jan. 1st, 1883.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—The market for flour has been steady all the week, but transactions have been light. Superior Extra is held at \$4.25, but is very dull of movement indeed.

GRAIN.—These are manifestly holiday times in this trade, the week's business has been small. The British breadstuffs market has been quiet and steady, as it usually is at such a season.

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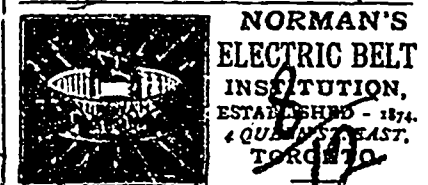
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