reamony is ½c higher. Cheese is in better demand and firmer. Large sales a summer goods. Prices are ¼v

igher harley-53c for feed. Outs New, No. 2 white outs are of-ciats New, No. 2 white outs are of-reing at 47 to 47% in store. Flour-Manitoba patent, \$4.05 to 1,29, Manitoba Strong Bakers, \$3.80 to \$3.70; at 1,27 at 1,28 at 1,28 at 1,29 a

Konical Oats—sp per barret, and \$2,-\$1 for bags: Feed —Manitoba bran, bags includ-al, \$20 to \$21; shorts, \$22 to \$23. Balel Hay—Choice, \$10 to \$10.50; No. 2 80 to \$9.75. Cheese—Ontario, 101½ to 1034c;

2.89 to \$9.75.

hees—Ontario, 10½ to 10¾c;

bete, 9½ to 10¾c;

tutter—Creamery, 21½ to 22c; ungrades, 20½ to 21c; western dairy

s, 10½ to 17½c; Manitoba dairy.

ar grotes, 2009, to a v., and to be distribled and ry, abs. 12 to 1345c.

Eggs - 20 to 30; selected, 26 to 28c; conds, 23 to 24c.

Maple Syrup—64; to 694 per Ib. in mod. tims, 50 to 60c per wine galant sugar, 8 to 9c for good, and 7 to

arge sections,

s for inferior, doney—White clover, comb, in generations, 12c.

18th No. 2, 5c; No. 3, 18th No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c; No. 3, 18th No. 18th No. 2, 5c; No. 3, 18th No. 18th No. 2, 5c; No. 3, 18th No. 2, 5c; No. 2, 5c; No. 2, 5c; No. 2, 18th No. 2, 5c; No. 2

sis to \$1.0s so. Vegetables—Potatoes, new, per g₂ to tde, in carlots. Poultry—Turkeys. 10½ to 13e; chikens, 9 to 10e; fowls, 4 to 5e; ducks, 8 to 1e; geese, 5 to 6e. Hogs—Presh killed, 88.25 to 88.50.

Montreal Live Stock Market

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Special to The Commercial.

More Team Peth. 25.

At the East End abstrator on Monday offerings included 600 cattle and sheep and later of the more two as a feature of the more trade was good, and a fairly activate was good, and a fairly activate trade was done. A few choles trade was done. A few choles trade was done. A few choice trade was done and a 1-2 to do 1-2 to 1-2 nere was no change in live nogs. The apply was fair, for which the dem nd as good, and sales of selected lots ere made at 6 1-2c, and the others t 6c to 6 1-4c per pound, weighed off

THURSDAY'S MARKETS.

Montreal, Feb. 28. Receipts at the East End abattoir sterday were 400 cattle, and 80 sterday are the East and St steep and lambs. Best butchers' cattle brought 5c atters, 21½ to 43½ c. Sheep sold at 21¼ to 33¼ c. and lambs, 4½ to 43¼ c. Hogs sold at 6 to 63% c.

Toronto Live Stock Market.

Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, Feb. 26.
Receipts at the stock market yeserday were 70 cars, including 1.303
attle, 416 sheep and lambs, and 385
ors. Export Cattle—Were not in such

Export Cattle—Were not in such sood demand as they were last week, and although some good prices were bained for them to-day, they were or cattle of a quality exceeding anyhing which was offered last week, he market for exporters generally eld off about 15e per cwt. The range or choice exporters was from \$4.50 to 400 ter cwt; medium ones sold at 100 ter cwt; medium ones ter cwt; medium ones ter cwt; medium ones ter cwt; mediu

r ext.; medium ones sold at \$4.50 per cwt.

\$4.50 per cwt.

vers' Cattle — Were about selling at \$4.35 to \$4.65 per choice ones, and \$3.35 to \$3.65 mon to fair ones.

rs and Stockers—Were steady, at \$3.50 to \$4.50 per cwt. for the per feeders and \$3 to \$3.70 per

heavy stockers.
and Lambs—Were steady. at \$3.50 to \$3.75 per cwt. for ewes and \$4 to \$5 per cwt. for

were easier, selling at per cwt, for choice and \$5.871.

FRIDAY'S MARKETS.

Receipts at the stock market yes-terday were 70 cars, including 400 sheep and lambs, and 1,500 hogs.

Export cattle were in good demand and firmer, picked lots selling at \$4.80 to \$5.35. Butchers' cattle were also firmer, and best brought \$4.40 to \$4.55. Feeders held steady at Tuesday's range, while stockers were easier, heavy selling at \$3 to \$3.50. Sheep heavy selling at \$5 to \$5.50. Sneep and lambs were steady and unchang-ed. Hogs declined 1/4c. making the price now for choice bacon 6c, and for heavies and light fats, 53/4c.

Chicago Board of Trade Prices.

Chicago, Feb. 24.— Closing wheat prices were: May 75.5-8 @ 3-4; July 150. 7-50/76c. Corn—May, 91.4c; July 150. 7-50/76c. Corn—May, 41.7-8c; July 130. 81.5-8c; Sept. 307.1c.—May, 41.7-8c; July 131.5-8c; Sept. 307.1c.—308.30, 37.1-2, July 14.7-2.95.0. Ribs—May, 38.42.1-2; July 39.47.1-2.95.0. Ribs—May, 38.42.1-2; July 38.52.1-2.

Chicago, Peb. 2.— Coloring wheat prices were: May 76 1-8 ff 1-fe; July 75 1-7 July 10 1-7

May, 88.30; July, 88.40 Chicago, Feb. 27. —Closing wheat prices were: May 76.7-8c; July 76. Sept. 3-1-2c. Corn—May 61.2-8b; July, 61.2-8c; Sept. 30.1-2c. Corn—May 61.2-8b; July, 62.2-2c. July, 36.2-8c; Sept. 30.1-3c. May 61.2-2; July 36.2-1.2-2c. Lard—May 8.30; July, 85.4c. Rths, May 88.36(38.37; July, 85.4c. Rths, May 88.36(38.37; C. Chicago, C. Chica

So 2 1-2.

Chicago March I.—May wheat opened at 77c, and ranged from 76% to 7cc. Closing prices were:

Wheat—May, 76½c; July, 77c.

Corn—March, 50%c; May, 61c.

May, 44%c.

For May, 44%c.

Lard—May, 88.5., Sept., \$15.60.

Ribs—May, 88.3., Sept., \$8.60.

A week ago May option closed at 77½c. A year ago May wheat closed at 75½c; two years ago May closed at 65½c; three years ago at 72½, and four years ago at \$1.05.

New York Wheat.

New York, Feb. 24.—Closing wheat prices were: May 81 5-8b; July 81 3-8a. New York, Feb. 25.—Closing wheat prices were: May 82 1-8b; July 81 3-4b; prices were: March, 82 3-8n

New York. Feb. 35.—Closing wheat prices were: May 82 1-2a; July 82 1-4c; March. 82 5-8c. March, 82 5-8c New York, Feb. 27.—Closing wheat prices were: May 82 1-2a; July 82 3-8a; March 82 1-4a.

New York, Feb. 28.—Wheat: May, 82% c a: March, 82% c b. New York, March 1.—May who closed at 82%c, and July at 82%c.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Feb. 24.— Closing wheat prices were: May 72 5-8; July 74 71-8; March, 72 1-4c; puts, 71 7-8b; capts, 1361-8b; curb, 72 1-2a. Minneapolis, Feb. 25.—Closing wheat prices were: May 73 1-8c; July 74 3-8 4/1-2c: puts, 72 3-4a; calls, 73 3-8a; curb.

Minneapolis, Feb. 25.—Closing wheat prices were: May 73 3-8 @ 1-2c; July 74 3-467; 8c; carls, 73 3-497-8c; carls, 73 3-497-8c;

Minneapolis. Feb. 27.—Closing whea rices were: May 73 3-8c; July 74 3-4c uts 72 7-8@73c; calls 73 5-8a; curb 73 1-4 Minneapolis, Feb. 28.—Wheat: May, 3% @ %ca; July, 75% @ ½c. Puts, 73 @ %c a; calls, 74% @ ½c b; curb, 73 73% @ %ca: Jul

Minneapolis, March 1.—Wheat of at 731/2c for May, and 747/4c

Duluth Wheat.

Duluth, Feb. 24.—Closing wheat prices were: May 76 1.29; July 75 3.89; 1 hard. 25; 1 northern. 28. Duluth, Feb. 25.—Closing rotes were: May 76 7.89; July 75 3.49; 1 hard. 25.29; 1 northern. 23.28b. Duluth, Feb. 28.—Closing wheat prices were: May 76 1.2 66.56c; July hard. 16 7.64. Rept. 8.34.

Duluth, Feb. 27.—Closing wheat prices were: May 75c; July 75 7-8c; 1 hard 76½c; No. 1 northern 73 1-2. th, Feb. 28.—Wheat: 1 July, 76%c: 1 hard, 77c b Duluth,

Duluth, March 1.—May option closed at 75%c, and July at 76%c.

A week ago May option closed at 76c. A year ago May option closed at 76c, two years ago at 66%c; two years ago at 16%c; four years ago at 991/c, and five years ago at 991/c.

Winnipeg Closing Wheat.

No 1 hard cash wheat closed Satur day a $^{\circ}$ 73½c: No. 1 northern at $70\%_4 c$ and 2 northern at $67\%_2 c$. On the option market nothing was done.

Liverpool Wheat.

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Liverpool, Feb. 29—Close: Wheat. spot. No. 1 northern spring firm at 6a 1½d; No. 2 red western whiter quiet at 6a ½d; No. 2 red western whiter quiet at 6a ½d; No. 3 red was considered by the constant of th

LONDON SUGAR MARKET. Special to The Commercial.

London, Feb. 28.

February option 34d higher at 68

LIVERPOOL CATTLE MARKET.

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Liverpool, Feb. 28

Canadian cattle quoted steady at 12 to 15c per pound, estimated dressed weight.

LIVERPOOL CHEESE MARKET.

Special to The Commercial.

Liverpool, Feb. 28.

Finest Canadian colored, September-October, 48s 6d to 49s.

BANK CLEARINGS

Following are some of the weekly clearances as compiled by Bradstreets for the week ending Feb. 27, with per-centages of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding for the week ending Feb. 27, with per-centings of increase and decrease as exception with the corresponding week led with the corresponding week led with the corresponding week led to the corresponding to the crease 14.1 Ki John, 1746,216, In-crease 14.4 Ki John, 1746,216, In-crease 14.4 Ki John, 1746,216, In-crease 14.4 No. 1746,216, In-pressed 14.4 Victoria, 312,233, Increase 14.4 Victoria, 312,233, Increase

New York Money.

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New York, Feb. 28.

Prime mercantile closed 4 to 41.2
per cent. Sterling exchange firm at 4573-4 to 4.877-8 for demand and at 4.851-4 for sixty days. Posted rates 4.86 and 4.881-2. Commercial bills 434-34 to 4.85-3.4 Bar silver 551-8. Mexican dollars 433-4. Government Mexican dollars 433-4. Government and the silver form 2.85-4 for silver form 2.85-4 for silver form 2.85-4 to 3 per cent. Last loan 71-4 per cent. Closed offered at 2 per cent.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

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Chicago, Peb. 28.—Cattle dull: good to prime steers, \$6.50 to \$7; poor to medium, \$4 to \$5.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$5; cws, \$1.25 to \$5.25; heffers, \$2.25 to \$5.50; canners, \$1.25 to \$2.25; bulls \$2.50 to \$4.50; chicago, \$2.50 to \$4.50; ch

\$4.60 to \$5.75.

Hogs. 10c higher: mixed and butchers, \$5.85 to \$6.53; good to choice heavy, \$6.25 to \$6.40; rough heavy, \$5.90 to \$6.20; light, \$5.75 to \$5.90; bulk of sales, \$5.90 to \$6.20.

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London, Feb. 29.–4 pm.: Consols for money 34%; do. for the account 34%; Ana-conda 6%; Atchison 77%; do. pft. 59%; A. Parconda 6%; Atchison 77%; do. pft. 59%; do. pft. 40%; do. pft. 49%; do. pft. 50%; do. pft. 49%; Eric 38%; do. lat pft. 50%; do. pft. 49%; Eric 38%; do. lat pft. 50%; do. pft. 49%; Eric 38%; do. lat pft. 50%; do. pft. 35%; do. pft. 45%; Sanshis forum 77%; Rand Mines 35%; do. pft. 45%; Sanshis forum 77%; Rand Mines 45%; do. pft. 4

British Live Stock Markets.

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London, February 24.—The casy
feeling noted in this market a week
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and the same seed and the
strength in the market for sheep has
been more than sustained, as prices
head in Canadian cattle was bad, and the
tone of the market was bad, and the
tone of the market was weak, oxing
the same show a supplies, and prices
show a long subset of choice at 12c.

week, with sales of choice at 12

Live Stock Trade Notes.

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Since our last report, nothing new
of importance has developed in local
export live stock circles, says the
Montreal Gazette, except that cable
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aging nature to shippers, as they are
de a sharp decline in prices, owing to
increased home supplies, and at present prices ruling in the above marlects for choice beeves shippers of such
feets for choice between shippers onpaying high employ, as they are
demand throughout Ontario from both
Canadian and American shippers con-Canadian and American shippers con-tinues good for choice beasts, and prices in consequence are fully main-

The Commercial Men.

Thos. Montgomery was at his sam-ple room in the city this week.

W. B. Macnamara has been spend-ing some time at his sample room

here.

Alex Munro was at his sample room in the Sanford block this week.

D. Cameron, representing Garside White. Toronto, and the Valley Underwear Co., of Englewood, Ont., had his samples on view in the Sanford block this week.

J. L. Gallagher, western representa-tive of the Canada Furniture Manu-facturers, Ltd., who has resided in Winnipeg for some time, left this week with his family for Vancouver, where he will hereafter reside.

Senera root advanced 2c per pound New York last week.

at New York last week.

Tenders will be received by A. E.
Fulljames for the supply of two million of first quality pine lath. To be
delivered in Winnipeg, from two to
five hundred thousand per month.

The Ontario government has decided to hold the referendum on the prohibition bill on the day of the municipal elections. This is a concession to the temperance people.

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A rate war between the Northern
Commercial Company and the North
American Transportation and Trading
Company, navigating the Yukon river,
is said to be probable, and a reduction
in freight rates via the river route to
Disson City is expected in conseDisson City is expected in consequence

Mr. Mullins, in the Manitoba legis-Mr. Mullins, in the Manitoba legis-lature, has introduced a memorial praying that the restrictions on beef supplied the British army be removed, to permit of British subjects in the colonies tendering for such supplies. At present, it appears, there are cer-ally research than the colonies of the property of a present of the present of the present of the present arms of the present of the present of the present of the present present of the present of against using imported cattle for army

contracts.

In the Manitoba legislature on Thursday, Hon. Mr. Davidson explained the object of a bill to authorize the treasury department to purchase-bonds from the city of Brandon to the extent of \$150,000, which will be issued to retire some which are maturing and to enable Brandon to obtain the same track of the contract of the entered into between the strangement of the western don, the municipalities of the western judicial district and the government. The government will take over the bonds of the city to the extent of bonds of the city to the extent of the control o