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GAME-Dealers are paying 5c each for rabbits. Jack rabbits, quoted at 40c per pair.

DRESSED MEATS.—There is a very active demand for dressed hogs and prices are 1-4c higher, 6c to 6 1-4c being freely paid for good bacon hogs, and butchers have been obliged to pay up to 6 1-2c for a few hogs for their retail trade. The price may be quoted at 5 1-2 to 6 1-4c as to quality for heavy to choice hogs. Stags, 1-3 off the price for choice. From 4 to 4 1-2c has been paid for country beef and 5c to 5 1-2c for good city dressed meat. Fresh unfrozen beef is held at 8c. Mutton is steady at 5 to 6c and lamb at 5 to 7c.

HIDES—The tendency is easy. We quote: Butcher hides, 7 to 7 1-4c for good lots, or 7c for No. 1 and 6c for No. 2. Green frozen hides 6 1-2c; bulls, oxen, stags and brands, 4 1-2 to 6c; kip hides, 6 to 7c; calf, 3 to 9c per lb.; sheep pelts will average 40 to 60c each; horse hides, 75c to \$1.75 each; colts, 25c each.

WOOL—We quote 8 to 10c here for unwashed fleeces, nominal.

TALLOW—Quoted at 3 1-2c for No. 1, and No. 2 to 2 1-2c for other grades as to quality.

SENECA ROOT—Quoted at 18 to 20c.

VEGETABLES—Carrots are scarce and higher, and cabbages are higher. Prices are: Potatoes, 35 to 40c per bushel; carrots, 90c to \$1 per bushel; onions, native, 2 to 2 1-2c per lb.; imported, 3c; celery, 40 to 60c per doz. bunches; cabbage, \$4 to \$5 per 100; beets, 30 to 40c per bushel; turnips, 15 to 20c per bushel; parsnips, 1 1-2 to 2c per lb.

HAY—Baled hay is held at \$7.50 to \$8 for cars on track here, or about \$6 to \$6.50 per ton at points of shipment. Loose hay, \$5.50 to \$6 per ton on the street market.

LIVE STOCK.

The only movement in live stock is in hogs, which are in good demand, at an advance of 5 to 10c per 100 pounds. The supply of hogs appears to be rather limited, as owing to the scarcity of coarse grain feed, farmers have sold off a good many light hogs. There is no business doing in cattle or sheep. Butchers' cattle are nominal at 23-4 to 3c and sheep at 2 1-2 to 3c, but prices will probably be higher by the time supplies are wanted.

HOGS—The market for live hogs is firmer, 5 to 10c advance having been paid this week. We quote choice bacon hogs, weighing 150 to 250 lbs at \$4.60 to \$4.70 per 100 lbs; 250 to 300 lbs, \$4 to \$4.25; heavy hogs, over 300 lbs, \$3 to \$3.75, as to quality, live weight.

TORONTO WHOLESALE TRADE

Toronto, Jan. 15.

Special to The Commercial.

Weather colder, business improving, and prospects for the spring trade bright. Orders for dry goods are larger. Woollens are very firm. Tanners are importing hides from Argentina. Hemlock harness leather is 1 cent up. Boot and shoe manufacturers are talking of shortening credits from six to three months. The decline in refined sugars is to prevent importations of German granulated. Market unsettled.

Hardware trade fair. Green wire cloth is demoralized, and selling at \$1.15.

Toronto Hardware Market.

Iron—Bar, ordinary, \$1.65 basis per, refined \$1.90; Swedes inch and over, \$3.25 @ \$4.25; Lowmoor, 5 1/2c @ 6c; hoops, coopers, \$2.25 basis; boiler rivets, best, \$4.50; sheet 10 and 12 gauge, \$2.20 and 2.50; 22 to 24 do, 2 1/2c @ 2 3/4c. 26 do, 2 1/2c; 28 do, \$2.75; Russian sheet, per lb 10c @ 12c.

Iron Pipe—1 to 3 inch, 65 per cent. off; 1/2 to 2 inch, 67 1/2c @ 70 1/2c and 10 off.

Tin—Lamb and flag, 28 to 56 lb. ingots, 18 1/2c per lb.

Copper—Ingot, 12 1/2c; sheet, 17c @ 28c.

Lead—Bar, 4 1/2c @ 5c; pig, 4 1/2c; sheet, per roll, \$4.75 @ 5.25; shot, can., dis., 12 1/2c per cent.

Steel—Sast, 12c @ 14c; boiler plate, 1/2 inch, \$1.90; 5-16 do, 3/4 do, sleigh shoe, \$2.15.

Canada Plates—Half bright, \$2.50; all bright, \$3.

Tin Plate—IC coke, \$3.15; IC charcoal, \$3.75 @ 4; I 1/2 charcoal, \$4.75 @ 5; IXX charcoal, \$5.75 @ 6; DC charcoal, \$3.75 @ 4.

Zinc—Sheet, 5 1/2c @ 5 1/4c; zinc, spelter, 4 1/2c; domestic, imported, 5 1/2c; solder, hf. and hf., 13c @ 14c.

Brass—Sheet, 21c @ 23c.

Galvanized Iron—18 to 21 gauge, 4 1/2c; 28 do, 4 1/2c; 28 do, 25c.

Horseshoes—Per keg \$3.35.

Barb Wire—2 1/2c.

Wire and Coppered Spring—30 per cent. for Montreal, Hamilton and Toronto market; tinned, per lb, 4 1/2c @ 3c; galvanized, fence, same discount as annealed; coiled chain, 1/2 inch, 4 1/2c; 3/4 inch, 4 1/2c; 1 inch, 3 1/2c; galvanized, off list, 50c discount; boiler tubes, 2-inch, 15c; 3-inch, 18 1/2c.

Rope—Manilla, 7 1/2c basis; sisal, 6 1/2c basis.

Axes—Per box, \$6 @ 11.

Glass—Fourth quality, star, 1st break, \$1.50; second do, \$1.60; third do, \$3.55; fourth do, \$3.85.

Binder Twine—Pure sisal, 5c @ 5 1/2c; mixed, 5 1/2c @ 6 1/2c.

Toronto Grocery Market.

Sugar—Standard granulated sugar, 4 1/2c; No. 2 granulated, 4 1/2c; Dutch granulated, 4 1/2c; yellows, 3 1/2c @ 4 1/2c.

Syrup and Molasses—25c @ 28c; medium, 32c @ 33c; special bright, 40c @ 42c. Molasses—West Indian, bris, 32c @ 45c; New Orleans, 28c @ 30; for medium and 35c @ 50c for bright.

Teas—Japans, low grade, 15c @ 17c per lb; mediums, 18c @ 24c; fines, 30 @ 35c; Hysons, low grades, 24c @ 37c; Congous, low grades, 10c @ 15c; mediums, 22c @ 25c, and fines, 40c @ 55c; Oolongs, 25c @ 65c.

Coffees—Green, Rio, 8 @ 12 1/2c; Mocha, 27 1/2c @ 30c; Java, 28c @ 33c.

Canned goods—Tomatoes, \$1.10 @ 1.25; peas, 90 @ 92 1/2c; sifted peas, 95c @ \$1.20; corn, 80 @ 90c; beans, 70 @ 85c; pumpkins, 75 @ 80c; strawberries, 2's, \$1.60 @ 1.80; raspberries, 2's, \$1.50 @ 1.75; peaches, 2's, \$1.40 @ 1.65; 3's, \$2 @ 2.40. Cohoes Salmon, 95c @ \$1; sock-eyes, \$1.17 1/2 @ 1.30; mackerel, \$1.30 @ 1.40; lobsters, halves, \$1.50 @ 1.70; tall lbs, \$2.25 @ 2.65; flats, \$2.90 @ 3.

Dried Fruits—Raisins, Valencias, off-stalk, 4 1/2c @ 5c; fine, off-stalk, 5 1/2c @ 5 1/4c; selected, 6c @ 6 1/2c; layers, 6 1/2c @ 7c; Provincial, currants, 6 1/2c; Filiatras, 6 1/2c @ 7c; Patras, 7c @ 7 1/2c; Vostizzas, 8c @ 8 1/2c; California evaporated fruits—Apricots, 9c @ 14c; pears, 9c @ 10c; peaches, 9c @ 14c; prunes, 40's to 50's, 10c @ 10 1/2c; 50's to 60's, 8c @ 8 1/2c; 60's to 70's, 7 1/2c @ 8c; 70's to 80's, 7c @ 7 1/2c; 80's to 90's, 6 1/2c @ 7c; 90's

to 100's, 6 1/2c. Bosuia prunes, 5 1/2c @ 6 1/2c; Sultanias, 9 1/2c @ 12 1/2c. Peel—Orange, 12c @ 15c per lb; citron, 18c @ 20c; lemon 11c @ 14c. Halloween dates, 6 @ 6 1/2c. Malaga, London layers, \$1.50 @ 1.65 per box; black baskets, \$2.25; blue baskets, \$2.50, royal clusters, \$4.50; quarter flats, London layers, 65c; black baskets, 75c; blue baskets, 85c; Dehesia, clusters, \$1.25. Figs—Matts, 3 1/2 @ 4c; Eleme figs, 10 oz., 7 1/2c; 5, 10 and 12 lb boxes, 10 @ 12c; 6-crown, 12 1/2c; 7-crown, 15c; bags, 4 @ 4 1/2c; 4-lb Glove boxes, 14 @ 15c.

Nuts—Marbats, 10 @ 11c; filberts, Sicily, 8 1/2 @ 10c; Grenoble Walnuts, 11 @ 12c.

Rice—Rice, bags, 3 1/2 @ 4c; do Patna, 5 1/2 @ 5 1/4c; do Japan, 4 1/2 @ 6 1/4c.

Spices—Ginger, Jamaica, 27c; Cochin, 12 @ 20c; cloves, Zanzibar, 15 @ 18c; Amboy, 18 @ 25c; allspice, 14 @ 16c; nutmegs, 45c @ \$1; cream tartar, pure, 23 @ 28c, 15 @ 25c for compound.

Toronto Grain and Produce Markets.

Toronto, Jan. 15.

Special to The Commercial.

Hides are scarce and are being imported from South America. Wheat is low. Eggs firm.

Flour—Ontario flour, patent \$5.40; strong bakers, \$5.

Wheat—Ontario wheat, 81c; Manitoba wheat, \$1.03 to \$1.03 1-2, grinding in transit; and 97 1-2c Sarafa.

Oats—No. 2 white 25c.

Barley—Quiet, at 32 to 33c for No. 2; 28c for No. 3 extra and 25c to 27c for feed.

Mill feed—Shorts \$10 to \$12 per ton; bran, \$7.50 to \$8 per ton.

Eggs—New laid, 18c to 20c, fresh, 14 to 16c; limed, 13 to 14c.

Butter—Dairy, tubs, choice, 15 to 16c; medium, 12 1-2 to 14c.

Hides—No. 1 green, 9c; cured, 9 1-2c; sheepskins, \$1 to \$1.10 for fresh killed.

Dried apples—Firm at 5 to 5 1-2c; evaporated, 8 to 8 1-2c.

Honey—6 1-2 to 7c per lb. in bulk.

Beans—75 to 80c per bushel.

Toronto Live Stock Markets.

Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, Tuesday, Jan. 11.

Receipts to-day 46 cars, including 202 sheep and lambs, and 1,800 hogs.

Cattle—Export steers in demand at 3 1-2 to 4 1-4c; bulls 3 1-2 to 3 3-4c. A few fancy steers touched 4c. Butchers cattle firm at 3 1-4 to 3 3-4 for choice. Light stockers for Buffalo sold at 2 3-4 to 3 1-4c. Easier.

Sheep—Export 3 to 3 1-4c, bucks 2 1-2c. Lambs 1-4c higher at 4 1-2 to 4 3-4c.

Hogs—Active demand. Prices advanced 1-8c. Choice selections sold at 5c to 5 1-8c, weighed off the cars. Heavy \$4.50 to \$4.60, sows 3c to 3 1-4c, stags 2c to 2 1-4c. Stores dull at 4 1-2c.

FRIDAY'S MARKETS.

Toronto, Jan. 15.

Receipts of live stock of all kinds at the market yesterday were 42 carloads, including 1,000 hogs. Prices firm and the same as Tuesday.

Cattle—Export cattle brought 3 3-4 to 4 1-4c. Butchers cattle, 2 3-4 to 3 8-4c. Fat bulls, 3 to 3 1-2c; stockers, 2 3-4 to 3 1-4c; feeders, 3 to 3 1-2c; stock bulls, 2 to 2 1-2c.

Sheep—Export sheep, 3 to 3 1-4c per lb.; bucks, 2 1-2c; lambs, 4 1-2 to 4 7-8c.

Hogs—Hogs, best bacon, 5 1-8c lb, thick fat, 4 1-2c, and light fat, 4 1-2c per lb., weighed off cars.