

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Hay, although not much of it is being brought to the market, is not soaring in price. Some of the buyers are of the opinion that the price is becoming easier. The popular quotation is \$28.

No change in the price of oats has occurred.

Wheat is steady.

Vegetables are firm.

Butter and eggs are firm.

Grain, Cwt.—

Oats, per bu. \$2 10 to \$2 20

New oats, per bu. 2 20 to 2 30

Seed oats, cwt. 1 50 to 1 75

New wheat, cwt. 3 30 to 3 50

Barley, per cwt. 2 80 to 2 90

Grain, per bushel—

Oats, per bu. 1 02 2-5 to 1 07 3-5

New oats, per bu. 85 to 90

Wheat, per bu. 2 00 to 2 10

Barley, per bu. 1 34 2-5 to 1 34 2-5

Vegetables—

Cabbages, dozen 1 00 to 2 00

Cabbages, per head 10 to 20

New corn, per doz. 20 to 30

Potatoes, bag, retail 2 25 to 2 35

Potatoes, bag, load 2 00 to 2 09

Home grown potatoes, per bu. 2 75 to 3 00

Home grown potatoes, per peck 80 to 85

Beans, per peck 40 to 50

New beans, per doz. 20 to 30

Lettuce, per doz. 40 to 50

Sage, savory, doz. 40 to 50

Spinach, per doz. 75 to 85

Rhubarb, per doz. 50 to 60

Dry onions, per bu. 5 00 to 5 50

Beets, per doz. 50 to 60

New carrots, doz. 50 to 60

Radishes, per doz. 25 to 40

Tomatoes, basket 75 to 80

Cucumbers, per doz. 10 to 15

Pickling cucumbers, per bu. 40 to 50

Green peas, doz. 20 to 30

Green peas, pod, qt. 10 to 15

Hubbard squash, doz. 15 to 25

Pumpkins, each 15 to 25

Green and red peppers, per doz. 15 to 20

Fruit—

Apples, per peck 50 to 60

Apples, per bu. 1 00 to 1 25

Peaches, basket 1 00 to 1 25

Home-grown plums, per bu. 1 50 to 1 60

Cassioberries, per doz. 10 to 15

Retal—

Thimbleberries, doz. 25 to 35

Black currants, box 25 to 35

Black currants, doz. 25 to 35

Black currants, qt. 25 to 35

Blackberries, doz. 25 to 35

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Pears, per basket 1 00 to 1 25

Pears, per bu. 1 00 to 1 25

Hay and straw—

New hay, per ton 23 00 to 25 00

Straw, per ton 10 00 to 12 00

Dairy Products, Retail—

Butter, dairy, lb. 55 to 65

Butter, creamery, lb. 55 to 65

Butter, crock, lb. 55 to 65

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Eggs, crate lots, doz. 48 to 50	
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—	
Chickens, per lb. 45 to 46	
Turkeys, per lb. 45 to 46	
Live Fowl—	
Chickens, per lb. 32 to 33	
Ducks, per lb. 1 25 to 1 30	
Spring Chickens, each 75 to 1 25	
Live Stock—	
Fat sows, cwt. 19 00 to 20 00	
Small pigs, pair 22 00 to 23 00	
Hogs, alive, cwt. 22 00 to 23 00	
Hogs, dressed, cwt. 31 00 to 32 00	
Veal, per cwt. 25 00 to 26 00	
Beef, per cwt. 11 50 to 12 00	
Heifer beef, cwt. 13 00 to 14 00	
Mutton, per cwt. 18 00 to 19 00	
Spring lamb, cwt. 30 00 to 32 00	
Hides and Wool—	
Cow hides, No. 1 35 to 36	
Cow hides, No. 2 34 to 35	
Cow hides, No. 3 33 to 34	
Horse hides, each 5 00 to 6 00	
Calves, No. 1 70 to 75	
Calves, No. 2 65 to 70	
Kip, per lb. 15 to 18	
Sheepskins, each 1 50 to 1 60	
Wool, unwashed 40 to 42	
Coarse 32 to 34	
Wool, washed 60 to 70	

FLOUR

Toronto, Aug. 19.—Flour—Manitoba, Government standard, \$1.70; Ontario, Government standard, in new Jute bags, Montreal freight, prompt shipments, \$10.10; Toronto, \$10.10.

Millfeed—in carlots, Montreal freight, bag included: Bran, \$4.25 per ton; shorts, \$4.10 per ton; good feed flour, \$3.25 per 35 lb. bag.

HAY

Montreal, Aug. 19.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, \$27.25.

Toronto, Aug. 19.—Hay—On track, Toronto: No. 1, \$22.24 per ton; mixed, \$10.10 per ton.

Straw—in carlots, on track, Toronto, \$10.11 per ton.

GRAIN

Toronto, Aug. 19.—Cash grain quotations were as follows:

Manitoba Wheat—in store, Port William: No. 1 northern, \$2.24; No. 2 northern, \$2.17; No. 3 northern, \$2.11.

Manitoba Oats—in store, Port William: No. 1, \$1.38; No. 2, \$1.35; No. 3, \$1.32.

Manitoba Barley—in store, Port William: No. 1, \$1.38; No. 2, \$1.35; No. 3, \$1.32.

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Barley—Malt, \$1.35@1.39.	
Buckwheat—Nominal.	
Rye—Nominal.	
Chicago, Aug. 19.—Corn—No. 2 mixed, \$1.34@1.37; No. 2 yellow, \$1.36@1.38.	
Oats—No. 2 white, 72½¢@77¢; No. 3 white, 71¢@72¢.	
Rye—No. 2, \$1.55@1.56.	
Barley—\$1.36@1.43.	
Timothy—\$2.06@1.75.	
Clover—Nominal.	

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