THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

MANY TURKEYS ON MARKET BUT THEY SELL VERY SLOWLY

Section and Property and Proper			
Wholesale	Groceries		

Yellow \$ 9.80 U	0	\$ 0.00
Standard 10.60	**	0.00
Rice, Siam 10.00		11.00
Tapioca 0.00	**	U.14
Beans-		
White 6.75	**	7.00
Yellow-eyed12.75		13.00
Molasses 1.00	**	1.05
Peas, split, bags 7.50		7.75
Barley, pot, bags 5.50	**	D.75
Cornmeal, per bag . 3.10	**	3.15
Cornmeal, gran 4.75	**	5.00
Raisins-		
Choice seeded ., 0.29 1/2		0.30
Seedless, 16 oz 0.29	**	0.305
Sait, Liverpool, per		
sack, ex store 2.10		2.15
Soda, bicarb 5.70	10	0.00
Pepper 0.37		0.40
Currants 0.24		0.25
Prunes 0.13	**	0.20
Washing soda 0.02%	**	0.03
Cocoa 0.51	**	0.60

Chocolate 0.38

Java coffee 0.48

Coffee, special blend 0.47

Evasgorated peaches 0.27½

Canned corn 1.80

Canned tomatoes 2.10

Canned Peaches 2.3 3.72½

Canned Peaches 2.½ 5.10

Peas 2.00

Dates 0.22 Figs. 8 1-2-lb. box. 0.00
Tea, Oolong 0.55
Nutmegs 0.40
Cassia 0.30
Cloves, ground 0.82
Ginger, ground 0.34
Shelled walnuts 0.55
Shelled almonds 0.55
Walnuts, lb. 0.23
Fiberts 0.19
Almonds 0.24
Flour, Man, bbls 0.04
Flour, Ont., bbls 0.00

 Veal
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 0.20

 Mutton
 0.08
 " 0.10

 Pork
 0.16
 " 0.20

 Lamb
 0.18
 " 0.20

 Country Produce Retail

Per roll 0.63 " 0.65

Per tub 0.60		0.6
Eggs, case 0.75	44	0.80
Eggs, fresh 0.95	**	-1.00
Chickens, per lb 0.45	14	0.66
Fowl 0.35	**	0.48
Turkey 0.65	*	0.75
Duck 0.55	**	0.63
Geese 2.60	**	0.65
Potatoes per bbl 3.75	- 14	4.00
Ground suet, per lb , 0.00	**	0.31
Rabbits, per pr. , . 0.50	**	0.60
Green Goods Reta	aif	
Apples, per peck 0.40	4.	0.60
Cabbage, native, ea. 0.10	**	0.1
Mushrooms, per lb 0.00	. 44	1.2
M.nt and parsley 0.00	**	0.13
Onions, 6 lbs for 0.00	**	0.25
Potatoes 0.40	4	0.5

Turnips, per peck ... 0.06 ... 0.26
Squash ... b ... 0.00 ... 0.46
Caulfilower ... 0.20 ... 0.59
Pumpkins, per lb ... 0.00 ... 0.15
Sweet potatoes, lb ... 0.00 ... 0.15
Crab apples, per pk ... 0.40 ... 0.60
Cranberries, per qt ... 0.00 ... 0.25
Breen and red peppers ... 0.00 ... 0.55
Garlic, per lb ... 0.00 ... 0.60
Fruits, Etc, Wholesate
Florida grapefruit ... 0.50 ... 7.00
Messina lemons ... 0.00 ... 6.02
Cal. oranges ... 7.00 ... 8.56
Bananas, per lb ... 0.00 ... 6.12
Peanuts, roasted ... 0.15 ... 0.24

Messina lemons ... 0.00 "Cal oranges ... 7.00 "Bananas, per lb ... 0.00 "Peanutts, roasted ... 0.15 "Canadian onions, per cwt ... 2.25 "Cocoanuts, per sack 0.00 "N. S. Apples bbl. ... 3.50 "Fish, "etail Halbut ... 0.00 " 0.00 " 0.12 0.15 " 0.24

MONTREAL LIST **MOVES UP TO** HIGHER LEVELS

Prices Range from Sixty-Five to Seventy-Five Cents Per Pound Everywhere.

The local market was very firm this week after several weeks of slumping prices. Sugar was the only staple to weaken in wholesale groceries, both standard and yellow dropped fifty cents per hundred, standard sugar is mow quoted at \$10.60, and yellow at \$9.85.

Poultry was slightly stiffer in the city market. Turkey sold from sixty five to seventy-five cents per pound. There was a good supply of choice birds but they were not moving over rapidly. Geese and ducks sold for about the same as last week: eggs-continue scarce and high.

There was no change in wholesale meats, hay and feed, fildes or oils.

Wholesale Groceries

Sugar—Yellow ... \$ 9.85 to \$ 0.00 Standard ... 10.60 0.00

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Highest Levels

Made on Exchange During Six Point Advance is Highest Made on Exchange During Session.

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Spanish Gains Four.

Shawinigan made the next best ad vance in its group, moving up 4 points to 102. Power gained a point at 77: Detroit a point at 83 and Que bec and Brazilian, a fraction each. Steel of Canada moved up to 55 and Iron to 41 1-2, and of the two active stocks of the textile group, Dominion Textile gained 1 12 points at 98 1-2, and Penman's tost 1 1-2 at 93 1-5. Total sales: Listed 12,788; bonds \$229,050.

MONTREAL SALES

(McDougall & Cowans)	
Bid	Asked
Abitibi	53%
Brazilian L H and P 294	2934
Brompton 461/2	47
Canada Car	35
	83
	80
Canada Cement 56	
Canada Cement Pfd 89	75
Canada Cotton	
Detroit United 85	88
Dom Bridge 73	74
Dom Canners 30%	
Dom Iron Pfd 55%	56
Dom Iron Com 413/2	41%
Dom Tex Com 981/2	98%
Laurentide Paper Co 86	8614
MacDonald Com	20
Mt L H and Power 761/2	77
Ogilvies	
Penman's Limited 931/2	
Quebec Railway 19	20
Riordon	135
Shaw W and P Co102	
Spanish River Com 821/2	8234
Spanish River Pfd 84	88
Steel Co Can Com 55%	56
Toronto Rails 52	00
Wayagamack 84	85
Wayagamack or	90

Steamships Com-75 at 921/2, 25 at Steamships Com—75 at 92½, 25 at 25.

Brazalian—50 at 28½, 175 at 29.

Canada Cem Com—55 at 85.

Asbestos Com—25 at 72, 25 at 72, 10 at 75, 25 at 75. 10 at 75, 25 at 75. Steel Canada Com—25 at 55¼, 10 at 55¾, 10 at 55%. Dom Iron Com—115 at 40½, 125 at

40½.
Shawinigan—122 at 100.
Montreal Power—93 at 76½.
Abitibi—10 at 52, 25 at 53½, 75 at

62½.

Bell Telephone—125 at 106.
Canada Car Pfd—20 at 83.

Toronto Ry—17 at 61, 3 at 50½.
Oglivies—75 at 175.
Detroit United—125 at 83, 1 at 82.
Riordon—25 at 130, 50 at 134, 78 at 135.

Wayagamack—50 at 82, 166 at 83

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Hides, Wholesate
Green sides ... 0.09 " 0.04
Salt hides ... 0.00 " 0.07
Caffakins ... 0.00 " 0.07
Wool, washad ... 0.17 " 0.18
Wool, unwashed ... 0.12 " 0.13
Sheep skins, citps and lambs 0.40 " 0.45
Rough tailow ... 0.00 " 0.07

TORONTO BANK HAS BIG YEAR

March December	Wheat High 1.67 1.71	Low 1.63 1.67	Close 1.66 1.701/4
	Corn	Low	Close
December		701/2	71%
May		73 1/8	85
July		74%	75%

Brazilian—220 at 29, 25 at 30, 25 at 294, 25 at 97½, 25 at 99½, 25 at 98½, 26 at 98½. 25 at 97½, 25 at 98½, 26 at 98½. Canada Cem Pfd—25 at 89, Canada Cem Com—25 at 57, Asbestos Com—35 at 72, Steel Canada Com—150 at 55½, 25 at 56, 45 at 56, 45 at 56, 45 at 56, 45 at 76, 26 at 77, 98 at 77, 78 at 77, 98 at 77, 84 bitlb5—103 at 58, 25 at 53½, Bell Telephone—25 at 101½. Canada Car Pfd—30 at 83, 25 at 85. Detroit United——150 at 83, 25 at 85.

Laurentide Pulp-145 at 86, 25

Laurentide Pulp—145 at 86, 25 at 36¹/₄.

Smelting—50 at 16.
Riordon—35 at 34.
B C Fish—50 at 34.
Quebec Ry—10 at 19¹/₂, 5 at 20.
Atlantic Sugar Com—170 at 20.
Brewerles Com—123 at 44¹/₄, 100 at 44¹/₄, 25 at 44¹/₈, 100 at 44¹/₈, 25 at 44¹/₈, 100 at 48¹/₈, 25 at 48¹/₈, 100 at 88¹/₈, 255 at 88, 85 at 88.
Span River Pfd—25 at 87, 15 at 88, 50 at 88¹/₈, 255 at 88.
Brompton—10 at 47, 50 at 46²/₈, 140 at 47, 45 at 48, 50 at 46²/₈, 140 at 47, 45 at 48, 50 at 46²/₈.
Dom Bridge—30 at 73.
Span River Com—50 at 82, 25 at 83, 45 at 83²/₈.

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Total sales (Mr value), aggregated \$24,675,000.

Old United States were unchanged on call.

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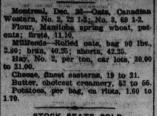
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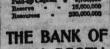
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