

promise of the growing crop have frustrated the scheme to 'corner' the market. The cheapening of transportation rates by the opening of lake and canal navigation has narrowed the necessary difference between western and seaboard values, and a little further decline in Chicago would restore the long suspended parity of the markets." There has been only the local demand here, which has been of a pretty steady character at the ruling figures. Barley is also lower, and transactions are few now the season is nearing its close. Oats are easier at 31 to 32c. for the local trade. Peas are steady, and corn and rye continue nominal. The stocks of grain in store at Toronto on Monday last, as compared with the quantities so held last week and last year, were:—

	April 8, 1889.	April 1, 1889.	April 9, 1889.
Fall wheat, bush...	29,587	32,304	68,120
Spring " " " " " "	85,637	86,536	89,152
Oats " " " " " "	3,994	3,994	22,190
Barley " " " " " "	181,780	187,744	172,527
Peas " " " " " "	2,095	2,097	580
Rye " " " " " "			498

Total grain, bush... 303,095 312,675 353,067

GROCERIES.—Reports as to business vary. Some find it up to the average while others look upon the situation as being very quiet. Sugars, of course, attract the greatest interest, and although outside markets are strong and advancing, prices here are unchanged from last week. Retailers are pretty well stocked up just now and the trade does not look for much movement until the preserving season

sets in. The New York agents of Messrs. Perkins, Ince & Co. telegraphed to-day that granulated had advanced to 8c. According to the N.Y. Bulletin, holders of domestic molasses look upon their stocks as excellent property, and in natural sequence may be found a firm, confident carrying of all qualities and an offering carefully gauged to the existing outlet. Buyers entertain no idea of ability to obtain concessions. Foreign grocery stock is not allowed to accumulate in first hands, as jobbers by free distribution are continually making a place for fresh arrivals. Teas are holding their own and canned goods show some improvement. The packers' price for canned corn is now 92½c. per dozen.

HARDWARE AND METALS.—Pig iron bids fair to be higher, hematites being so high, and freights looking upward. Canadian stocks are light and prices quite firm. Bar, which has been creeping up in Britain, is advancing here but no advance has been established. Copper is unsettled, but must come down, in the natural course that must follow recent events. We quote cast steel higher at 13½ to 14c., and note that horse nails should be 50 per cent. off list instead of 40 per cent. This trade appears

to be in a tolerably healthy state. Wholesale houses are very busy, largely on heavy goods. Makers of machinery and boilers are full of orders.

HIDES AND SKINS.—Dealers have nothing new to report this week. Car lots of present take-off, more or less grubby, are selling at 5½c. per lb. The supply of hides continues plentiful. The offerings of calfskins are plentiful, but there seems to be very little enquiry as yet and prices are rather weak. Receipts of sheepskins are beginning to fall off as the season draws to an end, and quotations are now nominal. Tallow is quiet. For best rendered 5½ to 6c. is being paid by dealers here. Rough quotes at 2½c.

PROVISIONS.—Much the same condition of affairs rules this week as last and still without any important features. The demand for butter is active at unchanged prices. Eggs are steady at 11½ to 12c. with ample receipts. Cheese is unchanged and stocks here light. Hog products continue to rule at former figures.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business as wholesale merchants in the City of Toronto, under the name, style, and firm of William Thomson and Company, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Messrs George Hutchison and Fred J. Menet retiring from the said firm, which will be carried on by the remaining partner, William Thomson.

Dated at Toronto this 4th day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine.

WILLIAM THOMSON,
GEORGE HUTCHISON,
FRED J. MENET.

Witness:—
W. BARCLAY McMURRICH,
D. E. THOMSON.

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L. VANKOUGHNET,
Deputy of Superintendent-General
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Department of Indian Affairs,
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