Toronto Wholesale Trade.

Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, March 21.

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Dry Goois—Fair demand from retailers, Country trade is less active owing to country trade is less networks are firm. Mills have withdrawn the reduced price on wrappetetes and will likely restore the price Hardware—Increased activity. The discount on sheet and lead pipes has been reduced Tay. The discount on sheet is now 15 per cent and on lead showels used as pades when a scarcity of showels used spades when a carriery of showels used spades with a carriery of showels in 50s per cent. bugher, Iron pipe is attificulty. Zinc sceleter is 25c lighter.

Groceries—Trade is fair. Sugars are unchanged. Lobsters 5c higher.

Toronto Grain and Produce Special to The Commercial.

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Wheat is in light demand for export. Shippers say that 680 is the export value of red and white winter wheat. Manitoba wheat is quiet at wheat, Manitoba wheat is quiet at manifold the same of the sa

45 bg, and No. 3 at 42 bg east, or mid-die freights. Flour—90 per cent. Ontario patents, £2.55 in buyers bags, middle freights. Choice brands are held 15c to 20c high-er. Mantlos flour, \$4.40 for Hungar-er. Mantlents, and \$4.65 for strong bak-ter lots, bags included, on track, Toronto.

Toronto.

Millfeed—Shorts, \$16.50 to \$17.50 per ton, and bran, \$16.50 per ton, and bran, \$16.50 per ton, middle freights. Manitoba feed, \$21 to \$22 for cars of shorts, and \$19 to \$20 for bran, sacks included.

Oatmeal—\$3.80 for cars of bags, and \$25 in wood for carlots. Toronto.

\$3.95 in wood for carlots, Toronto. Hay—Carlots on track, \$9 to \$9.50 per ton for No. 1 timothy. Eggs—Case lots, new laid, 1112c to

ge to 4c. Maple Syrup—\$1.05 per imperial gal-

Maple Syrup—3.105 per imperial gar-lon, in bulk or gallon tins.
Honey—8c to \$1₂c per gailon in bulk, in frames, \$1.50 to \$1.75.
Poultry—None offering.
Potatoes—Cars, \$1.05 to \$1.10 for

choice Ontario stock

Montreal Grain and Produce.

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Flour, grain and feeds are unchanged. Butter is dull for held stock. Fine for the stock of the stock of the stock of the stock. Fine for the stock of the stock o

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Cheese—I3 to 13%c per pound.

Butter—Creamery, 20 to 20%c for
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fresh, dairy, 16k.

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Carlots, 95c to \$1.00 for

Potatoes—Carlots, 95c to \$1.00 for choice varieties.

Hides—No. 1 beef hides, 8c; No. 2, 7c; No. 3, 6c with resales to tanners at 8½c for No. 1 buf; lambskins, 75c; calfskins, 10c for No. 1 and 8c for

Montreal Live Stock.

Special to The Commercial Montreal, March 21

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At he East End abstrair on Monday receipts included 500 cattle.

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THURSDAY'S MARKETS

Montreal, March 20. Montreal, March 20.
Receipts at the East End abattoir on Thursday included 750 cattle.
Butchers' cattle were in good demand and frunc. Prime steers sold at 4½ to 4½;c. Common, 2½ to 2½;c. Sheep lower, 3½ to 4c. Spring lambs \$3.50 to \$5.50. Caives, \$1.50 to \$8.50. Hogs. 6½;c. 6% c.

Toronto Live Stock. Special to The Commercial

Toronto, March 18.

There was a very fair trade in exporters and prices were firm. This is attributed to the fact that there was considerable space to fill. The bulk considerable space to fill. The bulk of the choice exporters sold at \$4.25 of the choice exporters sold at \$4.25 of \$4.65, a rise of 15c per cut, over 10 \$4.05, a rise of 15c per cut, over 1 butchers' was not so good in sheep, lambs and calves and prices firm. Export ewes sold 15c higher to \$4.50. Hogs advanced in price, selling up \$6.50 for choice and \$6.25 for fats and lights.

FRIDAY'S MARKET.

Toronto, March 21.

Receipts at the stock yards yester-day were 36 cars, including 250 sheep and lambs and 700 hogs. Export cattile were in ligat demand. Offerings were fair and the price firm at \$4.05 top. Butchers' were in light supply and as the demand was good published from the stock of the stock of the prices firmed up. Best sold at \$4 to published the stock of the stock of the stock of the lambs steady. Mill 810. Sheep and lambs steady at Tuesday's prices.

Hogs and Hog Products

Special to The Commercial,

Toronto, March 21. Hogs are steady at last week's rices. Products are in good demand, nd unchanged. essed Hogs—Farmers' lots, dress-8 to \$8.75.

-Canada short cut

Pork—Camada short cut. \$22.50 to \$23.00; heavy mess, \$21 to \$21.50; clear \$18 to \$10. \$21.50; clear \$10. \$10. \$40; chams, \$13 to \$12.50; crolls, \$11.50; to \$12.50; shoulders, \$11 to \$11.50; backs, \$14.50; to \$12.50; breakfast bacon, \$14.50; to \$14.50; \$14

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 26.—Cattle, good to make a second series. £,1985.70; poor to medium. £,5064.80; bloom to medium. £,5064.80; blink of sales £,5064.80; blink o

Chicago Board of Trade Prices.

Chicago, March 14.—May wheat close t 74%c, July 71%. May corn opened at 1%. July at 44%. May oats 34%c, July 18. May pork \$18.12, July \$17.62. May be \$49.95, July \$17.62. May lard \$10.12 uly \$10.62.

July \$10.00.

Chicago, March 16.—May wheat closed at 75½c, July at 70½c. May corn 46½c, July 45%c. May pork \$17.87, July \$17.15. May ribs \$9.87, July \$9.50.

May lard \$9.95, July \$9.82.

May lard \$9.8, July \$9.8.

Chicago, March 17.—May wheat closed at 74gc, July at 71gc. May corn 44%c, July 47 71gc. May corn 44%c, July 48.

May lard \$1.0 May corn 44%c, July \$1.6.

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\$9.72. Chicago, March 19.—May wheat closed at 144c, July 715c, Sept. 694c. May corn 14c, July 405c. May oats 345c, July 31.0. May pork \$18, July \$1.70. May ribs \$9.80, July \$9.52. May lard \$10, July 10.50.

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Chicago, March 20.—Wheat, May 74%c,
July 71%c. Corn. May 44%c. July 44c.
Oats, May 34%, July 21%. Pork, May
18.15, July 817.35. Lard, May 810.15, July
19.92. Ribs.—May 89.90, July 89.90.

week ago May option closed at c. A year ago May option closed 74%c. 2 at 731/2c.

New York Money.

New York, March 14.—May wheat closed at 79½c, July 76%c, Sept. 75%c.
New York, March 16.—May wheat closed at 78%c, July 76c. New York, March 17.—May wheat closed at 791/sc. July at 765/sc. New York, March 19.—May wheat closed at 79%c. July 76%c, Sept. 75%c.
New York, March 19.—May wheat closed to 7%c, July at 76%c.
New York, March 20.—Wheat, May 79c,

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, March 14—May wheat closd at 73½c; July at 73½; cash 1 hard 76½; northern 75½; 2 northern 73½. Minneapolis, March 16—May wheat clo d at 73%c; July 73%; cash 1 hard 76; orthern 75c.

Minneapolis, March 17—May wheat closed at 73%; July 74%; cash 1 hard 76%; orthern 75%; 2 northern 73%c. Minneapolis, March 18—May wheat clos-d at 74c; July 74%c; cash 1 northern 74%; northern 74%.

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Duluth Wheat.

Duluth, March 14.—May wheat closed at 74%c; July 74%; cash 1 northern 74%. Duluth, March 16.—May wheat closed at 73%c; cash 1 hard 73%; 1 northern 72%. Duluth, March 17.—May wheat closed at 74%c; July 74%; cash 1 northern 74%c; 2 northern 73%c.

Duluth, March 18.—May wheat closed t 74%; July 74½; cash 1 northern 74%; northern 75%. Duluth, March 19.—May wheat closed t 74%c; July 74%, cash 1 northern 75%; northern 74%.

Duluth, March 20.—Wheat, May 74 July 74\%c. 1 hard 75\%c, 1 northern 74 2 northern 72\%c.

A week ago May option closed a 74%c. A year ago May option closed at 72½c.

Liverpool Wheat,

Liverpool. March 20.—Wheat: Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 11-3d. No. 1 northern spring, 6s 5d; No. 1 Call-fornia, 6s 5½d; futures quiet. March, nominal; May, 6s 1½d.

Flaxseed Prices.

Chicago—Flax, cash \$1.12½; May \$1.14. Duluth—Flax, cash \$1.12½b; to arrive \$1.14½b; Sept. \$1.16½b; May \$1.14½b; July \$1.16½ Minneapolis-Flax, cash \$1.1414; to arrive \$1.1414; May \$1.1414; July \$1.1614.

London Cattle Market Special to The Commercial

London, March 20. Canadian cattle ½c lower at 10 to 2c; United States, 11½ to 12½c, stimated dressed weights; sheep, estimated dressed 141/4 to 151/2c.

London Sugar Market,

Special to The Commercial.

London, March 20. March sugar, 1d lower at 8s 4 1/4d.

Winnipeg Bank Clearings.

Returns at the Winnipeg Clearing House for the week ending Thursda show as follows:

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Financial Notes.

A petition was presented to parliment at Ottawa on Wednesday askin for the incorporation of the North west Bank of Canada. The names at tached to the application were those Daniel H. McMillan, lieutenant of the Canada and the Canad Robinson, Winnipeg.

Bank of British North America

The yearly general meeting of The Bank of British North America was held in London early in March. The innancial statement showed a balance of net profit of £66,361, compared with the balance of £64,175 for the profit of £66,261. manical statement showed a balanmanical statement showed a balanof net profit of 593.361, compared with
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Insurance Notes.

The Great West Life Assurance Cou-is having a splendid run of business this year. The months of January and February show an increase over and February show an increase over the best in the history of the cou-pany.

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The executive committee of the grand lodge of Ontario Ancient Order of United Workmen met at Torons on Monday, preparing for the grand lodge opening. The prevailing opinion was unmistakably that a substantial increase must be made in the monthly assessment.

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