

## CANADIAN FARMER FALL CROP REPORTS, 1882.

We commence this week to give our readers a fall crop report, compiled by us, from correspondents' letters and statistics from all sections of the country. The whole have been arranged in alphabetical order, and to the thinking farmer will prove very interesting.

## BROOME COUNTY, QUEBEC.

CENTRE VILLAGE, COLLEGEVILLE TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	500 500
Wheat (Fall).....	150 2250
Barley.....	10 100
Oats.....	1000 4000
Corn.....	500 17500
Peas.....	5 50
Rye.....	50 700
Buckwheat.....	200 1000
Potatoes.....	300 7500
Beans.....	10 1000

The fruit yield is small.

## HUTTON JUNCTION.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	1000 18000
Wheat (Fall).....	500 15000
Barley.....	1300 36000
Oats.....	1000 25000
Corn.....	40 400
Peas.....	very little
Rye.....	200 6000
Buckwheat.....	500 3500
Potatoes.....	40 800
Beans.....	

II.—Wheat sown this fall, very little.  
 III.—Hay, No. of acres in Township, 20,000; Yield in tons, 20,000.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, half crop; pears and plums, very fair.  
 Hay has been average crop; grain above average except on low lands. The southern part of the Province is devoted mostly to hay and dairy work; western part to grain—oats, barley, buckwheat, spring wheat and peas. On the whole the farmers have no great reason to complain.

## BRUCE COUNTY, ONTARIO.

MALCOLM, BRANT TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	3000 90000
Wheat (Fall).....	1400 500000
Barley.....	7000 210000
Oats.....	10000 600000
Corn.....	100 100
Peas.....	7500 20000
Rye.....	
Buckwheat.....	
Potatoes.....	700 70000
Beans.....	

II.—Wheat sown this fall, No. of acres in township, 14,000.  
 III.—Hay, No. of acres in Township, 6,500; Yield in tons, 11,000.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, small; pears, fair.

## FAIRLEY, GREENOCK TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	1200 36000
Wheat (Fall).....	4374 131220
Barley.....	1500 45000
Oats.....	3000 105000
Corn.....	
Peas.....	1500 30000
Rye.....	
Buckwheat.....	
Potatoes.....	
Beans.....	

III.—Hay, No. of acres in Township, 3,300; Yield in tons, 1 ton per acre.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, below an average; pears, poor; plums, very poor.  
 A large breadth of fall wheat is sown this fall, probably equal if not over last year's. Bees have not done so well this season. Fall pastures are good; shipping cattle are readily bought up at good fair prices.

## FAIRLEY, ELDERSLIE.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	5 45
Wheat (Fall).....	15 400
Barley.....	5 110
Oats.....	4 100
Corn.....	
Peas.....	6 120
Rye.....	
Buckwheat.....	
Potatoes.....	1 50
Beans.....	

This refers to one farm of 100 acres only the figures may be taken as a little above the average.

II.—Wheat sown this fall, 20 on 100-acre farm.

III.—Hay, No. of acres, 15; Yield in tons, 25.

IV.—No fruit.

DUFFERIN, ONT.  
MONO CENTRE, MONO TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	7000 21000
Wheat (Fall).....	6800 204000
Barley.....	1500 30000
Oats.....	7000 140000
Corn.....	
Peas.....	4000 40000
Rye.....	1500 22500
Buckwheat.....	
Potatoes.....	1000 100000
Beans.....	

III.—Hay, No. of acres in township, 7,000; Yield in tons, 7,000. No. of acres in county, 30,000; Yield in tons, 30,000.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, small. Yield of fall wheat is four times greater than spring. Turnips, good; spring wheat, poor sample; potatoes, very fair.

## DURHAM, ONT.

JANETVILLE.

Fall wheat is not much grown in this County, but what there is would average 30 bushels per acre. Spring wheat more or less hurt by rust, will not exceed 20 bushels per acre on the average, and be an inferior sample; peas only good in some parts. Oats will be about 30 bushels to acre. Barley, grain not so plump as last and more than the half will be badly colored; rye not much grown. Potatoes are a good crop. Apples are a poor crop, and sample very inferior.

## ELGIN COUNTY, ONT.

BAYHAM TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	500 15000
Wheat (Fall).....	1000 15100
Barley.....	1000 30000
Oats.....	1000 25000
Corn.....	500 15000
Peas.....	250 7500
Rye.....	
Buckwheat.....	
Potatoes.....	501 50400
Beans.....	

II.—No. of acres of wheat sown this fall in township, 7,000.  
 III.—Hay—No. of acres in township, 5,040. Yield in tons, 7,500.  
 IV.—The fruit yield—apples very few; pears, scarce; plums, scarce; peaches, none.

## DUNDY, MALARIDE TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	6300 189000
Wheat (Fall).....	630 18900
Barley.....	5160 154800
Oats.....	4900 147000
Corn.....	150 4500
Peas.....	100 3000
Rye.....	175 5250
Buckwheat.....	350 10500
Potatoes.....	100 3000
Beans.....	

II.—Wheat sown this fall, No. of acres in township, 6,500.  
 III.—Hay, No. of acres in township, 3,150; yield in tons, 4725.  
 IV.—The fruit yield—apples, light; pears and peaches, none; plums, a failure. Oats are rusted and light in weight. Corn is green, which will be about one-third soft. Clover is very poorly seeded. Bees have done very little in increase or honey. Correspondent has twelve hives which have cast three young swarms, and have gathered about eight lbs each of surplus honey.

## FRONCE, SOUTHWOLD TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	11520 184320
Wheat (Fall).....	1152 23040
Barley.....	9070 272100
Oats.....	1600 48000
Corn.....	800 24000
Peas.....	100 3000
Rye.....	1400 42000
Buckwheat.....	540 16200
Potatoes.....	150 4500
Beans.....	

II.—Wheat sown this fall, No. of acres in township, 12,000.  
 III.—Hay, No. of acres in township, 8,500; yield in tons, 12,000.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, hardly any; pears, good; plums, very poor; peaches, none.

## ESSEX COUNTY, ONT.

COTTAM, GOSFIELD TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	1 100
Wheat (Fall).....	12 60
Barley.....	31 162
Oats.....	43 220
Corn.....	
Peas.....	
Rye.....	
Buckwheat.....	
Potatoes.....	3 20
Beans.....	

IV.—The fruit yield, apples, medium; pears, very good; plums, scarce; peaches, good.  
 (These figures are for correspondent's own farm only).

## RUTHERVEN, GOSFIELD TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	5747 91922
Wheat (Fall).....	
Barley.....	3000 9000
Oats.....	5500 16500
Corn.....	
Peas.....	
Rye.....	
Buckwheat.....	380 7600
Potatoes.....	
Beans.....	

III.—Hay, No. of acres in township, 7,000; yield in tons, 14,010.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, very poor; pears, medium; plums, very few raised; peaches, good—raises a great amount here.

## GREY CO., ONT.

CLARKSBURG, ST. VINCENT TP.

Wheat (Spring), heavy; some injured by rust. Wheat (Fall), best crop for many years. Barley, good crop; badly colored. Oats, good. Corn, little grown. Peas, good. Rye, scarcely any grown. Buckwheat, scarcely any grown. Potatoes, medium. Beans, few grown.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, medium crop; fruit very good; many blown off. Pears, trees blighting badly. Plums, medium crop; fruit good. Peaches, few grown.  
 Very little threshing done in this neighborhood yet. Pastures are exceptionally good.

## PLESHERTON, ARTEMESIA.

Fall Wheat, mostly Clawson, good sample; average per acre, from 20 to 30 bushels.  
 Spring wheat, mostly White Russia, average, 15 bush. per acre.  
 Barley not good; small in the grain; mostly colored; average about 15 bush. per acre. Oats, not good, 20 bush. per acre.  
 Peas not as good as usual, dry weather continued too long. Average about 15 bush. per acre.  
 Potatoes two-third crop; sample smaller than usual.  
 Not much corn, rye, or buckwheat.  
 Harvest two weeks later than usual.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, one-third crop; pears, not many; plums, one-third crop; peaches, not many.

## MEAFORD, ST. VINCENT TP.

TOWNSHIP.	COUNTY.
acres bush.	acres bushels
Wheat (Spring).....	35 35
Wheat (Fall).....	30 30
Barley.....	40 40
Oats.....	50 50
Corn.....	
Peas.....	35 35
Rye.....	
Buckwheat.....	
Potatoes.....	100 100
Beans.....	

II.—Wheat sown this fall, No. of acres in township, 5,000. No. of acres in county, 12,000.

III.—Hay, No. of acres in township, 20,000; Yield in tons, 40,000.  
 IV.—The fruit yield, apples, abundant crop. Pears, good crop. Plums, only one-third crop, did not blossom. Peaches, very few; no blossoms last spring.  
 Owing to the copious rains in the last of August, the pastures are very good. Turnips, 700 bushels per acre. Mangolds, 1,000 bushels per acre. Carrots, 700 bushels per acre. Grapes, fine crop. Ground dry, roads as dry as mid-summer. There are thousands of barrels of apples being shipped from here to the States and other places at from \$1.25 to \$1.50, at the orchards buyers finding barrels and packing the apples.

## COMMERCIAL.

TORONTO, Nov. 6th, '82.

Since our last report there has been no change of any consequence in the price of wheat in the Old Country, certainly none towards higher rates. New York is weak, and Western markets also lower. Montreal is quiet. Winter wheat is at from \$1.05 to \$1.07, and Spring at \$1.07 to \$1.08. Flour is in rather better demand. Superior extra is quoted at \$5 to \$5.05. Spring extra, \$4.82 to \$4.85. Strong bakers' (Canadian) \$5.50 to \$5.25, and fine, \$4. The market for dairy produce is still firm. Regarding butter and cheese, the "Montreal Gazette" says:—

The market remains firm on the finer grades of dairy butter, choice late makes being very scarce and wanted at full quotations. In medium to fair grades, however, there is less demand, but offerings of this class are by no means excessive in this market. The sale has been made of 100 pkgs Morrisburg at 20¢. In the Brockville, strict some active buying is now going on, at 19¢ for straight dairies and 21¢ for fall ends. The New York market, which yesterday was telegraphed weak owing to the recent mild spell, is now reported firm, probably in consequence of the change to colder weather. The exports from this port during the week were 5,174 packages, showing a decrease of 498 packages, as compared with those of the week previous, and an increase of 1,351 packages as compared with the corresponding week last year. The following were the shipments of dairy produce from Montreal to Great Britain for the week ending Nov 4th, 1882, with comparisons:—

	Cheese, boxes.	Butter, pkgs.
88 Sardinian, Liverpool.....	12,073	4,176
88 Mississippi, ".....	11,500	850
88 Avions, London.....	1,118	143

Total..... 23,591 5,174  
 Total week previous..... 41,118 5,068  
 Total corresponding week in 1881..... 7,263 3,333

BUTTER—Wholesale prices:  
 Creamery, choice Oct., per lb..... 28  
 " " Aug., per lb..... 28  
 " " Fair grades..... 23  
 Townships, per lb..... 23  
 Morrisburg, per lb..... 20  
 Brockville, per lb..... 18  
 Western dairy, per lb..... 17  
 Low grades, per lb..... 15

CHEESE:  
 September and Oct. choice..... 11 1/2  
 August..... 10 1/2  
 July..... 9 1/2  
 Common grades..... 7 1/2

Here on the Produce market matters are quiet. Wheat is quiet, with Fall at about 92 to 94¢, for No. 2, and Spring 95¢ to \$1.01. On the street grain came in fairly well during the week. Wheat is at 90 to 95¢ for Fall, and \$1 to \$1.03 for Spring. Oats are in good demand at 42 to 43¢. Barley brings 50 to 70¢. Butter is at 22 to 23¢ for lb rolls, and 18 to 21¢ for tub dairy.

## PRICES AT FARMERS' WAGGONS.

Wheat, fall, per bush.....	\$0 00	\$0 00
Wheat, spring, do.....	1 00	1 05
Barley, do.....	0 50	0 70
Oats, do.....	0 40	0 45
Peas, do.....	0 75	0 78
Rye, do.....	0 60	0 65
Clover seed, do.....	0 00	0 00
Dressed hogs per 100 lbs.....	7 50	8 50
Mutton, by carcass, per 100 lbs.....	0 45	0 50
Chickens, per pair.....	0 50	0 70
Ducks, per pair.....	0 50	0 65
Geese, each.....	0 75	1 37
Turkeys, each.....	0 22	0 25
Butter, pound rolls.....	0 18	0 21
Do, large rolls.....	0 22	0 25
Do, tub dairy.....	0 22	0 25
Eggs, fresh, per doz.....	0 70	0 75
Potatoes, per bag.....	1 25	2 75
Apples, per bbl.....	1 00	1 25
Onions, per bag.....	0 30	0 60
Cabbages, per doz.....	0 70	1 75
Cauliflower, per doz.....	0 50	0 75
Celery, per doz.....	0 40	0 50
Turnips, per bag.....	0 50	0 75
Carrots, per bag.....	0 20	0 25
Beets, per doz.....	0 30	0 40
Parsnips, per doz.....	0 00	0 00
Rhubarb, per doz.....	0 00	0 00
Asparagus, per doz.....	12 00	16 00
Hay, per ton.....	7 50	13 00
Straw, per ton.....	0 18	0 20
Wool, per lb.....		

## THE APPLE TRADE.

A letter lately received from Dewar, Rowat & Co., of Glasgow, dated Oct. 17th, says:—Apples are now arriving in large quantities from your side, and selling at good prices. We give you to-day's market values:—New York Baldwin, 20 to 25¢ per barrel; Canadian Baldwin, 25¢ per barrel; New York Greenings, 18 to 20¢ per barrel; Canadian Greening, 19 to 20¢ per barrel; Canadian Spyra, 25¢ per barrel. The fruit is mostly of summer descriptions, and is arriving rather soft and wormy. Good and sound are selling as high as 25¢ per barrel. Wm. Bryce & Co., of London and Glasgow, in a circular letter of Oct. 31st, say, regarding apples:—"Arrivals are now freely taken at the following prices:—Baldwins and other colored sorts, 20 to 25¢ per barrel; Greenings 18 to 20¢ per barrel. Evaporated apples very much wanted, and we think 15¢ per cwt. of 112 lbs. will be readily obtained for first arrivals of finest quality. The market, in our opinion, is likely to advance."

## BY TELEGRAPH.

Montreal.

Nov. 4—Flour—Receipts, 4,500 bbls.; sales reported, 250 bbls. superior extra, \$5.00; superior, \$4.50. Market quiet and steady and less active; prices without change. Quotations—Flour—Superior \$5.00 to \$5.05; extra, \$4.90; spring extra, \$4.80 to \$4.85; superfine \$4.40 to \$4.50; strong bakers' \$5.00 to \$5.70; fine, \$3.75 to \$3.90; middlings, \$3.50 to \$3.55; Pollards \$3.25 to \$3.50; Ontario base \$2.00 to \$2.50; city base, \$3.35. Grain—Wheat—White winter \$1.01; new red winter \$1.02; spring, \$1.06 to \$1.07. Corn—87¢. Peas—90¢ to 91¢. Oats 34 to 35¢. Barley—60 to 70¢. Rye—60 to 65¢. Meal—\$3.00 to \$3.10. Cornmeal—\$4.00 to \$4.10. Provisions—Butter—Western, 17 to 20¢; Brockville and Morrisburg, 20 to 22¢; Eastern Townships, 21 to 22¢. Creamery, 23 to 25¢. Cheese—1 1/2 to 1 1/4¢. Pork—\$27.50. Lard—15¢ to 16¢. Bacon—14¢ to 15¢. Hams—15 to 17¢.

New York.

Nov. 4—Wheat—Steady; No. 1 white, \$1.06 1/2 to \$1.08 for November; No. 2 red, \$1.07 to \$1.07 1/2 for cash; 8,000 bush. at \$1.31 for January; \$1.19 1/2 to \$1.19 1/2 for February; 24,000 bush. at \$1.16 1/2 to \$1.17 for November; 8,000 bush. at \$1.08 1/2 for December; \$1.04 to \$1.07 for year. Corn—Irrregular; 84¢. Oats—Quiet. Receipts—Flour, 17,750 bbls.; wheat, 177,000 bush.; corn, 13,000 bush.; oats, 45,000 bush.; rye, 1,500 bush.; barley, 25,000 bush.; pork, 381 bbls.; lard, 5,579 cts.