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HELEUT. OCVERNOR'S ADDRESS. TOBONTO, Ont. Jan. 29—The third session session of the fifth Parliament of the Ontario Legislature was opened at three colock this afternoon by Lieut. Governor Robinson, with the usual ceremonies. The following is the speech from the throne:--Mt. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative

It has once more been my agreeable duty to convene you for the discharge of the high public functions devolving upon this House; for your annual review of provincial administration; for such measures in legislation as may keep pace with the rapid strides of this great province; and for providing the supplies necessary to administer the Government and give effect to your enactments. Immediately after the rising of the House last year the attention of our people was anxiously driven to the North-West Tarritory by most unitary occurre ces. That vast territory, like the intervening Province of Manistra at the Acceptance of the description of the House last years the house last years the description of the House last years and the House last years and years are described in the House last years and years are described in the House last years and years are described in the House last years and years are described in the House last years and years are described in the House last years and years are described in the House last years are described in the House last years and years are described in the House last years are described in t territory, like the intervening Province of Manitoba, is allied to Ontario by the closest ties of affection and kindred. Many of the pioneers in those distant act lements are the sons of your constituents, or lately were themselves your constituents, and their hardships and dangers truch very directly the hearts and hopes of Ontario. When the volunteers were called out to restore order, it was gratifying to observe the spirit in which our Ontario youth answered the summona, and undertook what in every civil strife must needs be a most painful duty. While sincerely deploring the necessity for their service, we all felt a natural and just pride in our citizen soldiers as we witness of their patient vice, we all felt a natural and just pride in our citizen soldiers as we witnessed their patient advance on the march and their unflinching courage in action. When tranquillity was restoled, it was again gratifying to observe the alacrity with which they returned to their civil duties and resumed the numerous avecations of peaceful industry. I am rejoiced to see by the official statistics that Ontario continues to maintain the head of all resumes and states on the continent in that Untario continues to maintain the head of all provinces and states on the continent in agricultural industry. The field crops of the past year have, with two or three exceptions, been very beautiful, though low prices and a widespread disease in the potato have not permitted our farmers to realize the usual profits of some former years. I notice with pleasure that the increased attention which is given to mixed farming and to live stock and

occupations of our people.

The recent organization of farmers' institutes by the commissioner of agriculture has furnished most important agencies for the exchange of valuable experiences, and for the diffusion of whole farming community. These institutions have been largely amended and highly appreciated. The professors of the Agricultural College have personally interested themselves in the proceedings, and have established between the college and the institutes cordial relations of the greatest mutual advantage. In order to secure the permanent affiliation of practical husbandry with scientific research a measure will be submitted for the formation of an advisory board of farmers, whom the commissioner may consult in the management of the college

and experimental farm.

I congratulate you upon the result of the appeal taken to the Imperial Privy Council by the Government of Canada respecting the Dominion Liquir License Act. The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council has declared these acts to be wholly null and void. Thus, their Lordships have not only systained the provincial jurisdiction to the extent adjudged by the Supreme Court of Canada, but have by the Supreme Court of Canada, but have sustained the full contention of Ontario, and have declared the entire subject of tavers, shop, vessel and wholesale licenses to belong ex-

Clusively to the provincial jurisdiction.

Notwithstanding the decision of Her Majesty in council in 1884, determining, in favor of the province, the long pending dispute respecting our western boundary, the settlement of the territory (now called the Rainy River district) situated are admitted to belong to the province within which they lie. The Dominion Government having covered large tracts of the awarded territory with licenses to cut the timber, my Government, to preserve the provincial domain from further waste, applied for and obtained an injunction against some of the licensees and other trespassers from further operations in the The court granting the injunction territory. The court granting the injunction decided that in Ontario, as in all the older provinces, the title to such lands lies not in the Dominion, but in the province. An appeal from this decision is still pending. A measure will be submitted to you for the opening and settling of the lands of the Rainy River district, to take effect as soon as the claim of the Do-minion Government has been abondoned or set at rest by the tribunal of the last resort.

I regret that notwithstanding the earnest efforts of my government no progress has been made towards a settlement of accounts between Ontario, the Dominion and the Province of Quebec. In view of this further delay and of the apparent uncertainty as to the time when a settlement may be arrived at, my government deem it inadvisable to any longer postpone paying to the municipalities entitled the interest on the land improvement fund, derived from the sale of school lands prior to confederation, The principal, though not yet received, having been advanced by the province to the municipalities in 1882, provision for the purpose will

be made in the estimates.

The early settlement of lands recently made accessible by railroads and highways continues to receive the earnest encouragement of my government. The past year witnessed a partial revival of the mining industry and our valuable deposits of minerals and metals are again attracting attention.

I congratulate you upon the liberal bonuses received at the timber sale deemed necessary last fall of a limited area of scattered and exposed limits upon the north shore of the

Georgian Bay.

An unusually severe visitation of smallpox in the commercial metropolis of the adjoining province excited much sympathy with our afflicted neighbors. The virulent character of the epitemic occasioned my government the anxious and watchful solicitude, on account of our close business relations and constant intercourse with that city. Prompt and energetic measures were taken through our Provincial Board of Health to maintain a vigilant quarantine on the frontier, and to insist on the examination and vaccination of passengers and the disinfection of railway carriages and merchandise. Local boards rendered effective service, as well, in enforcing general vaccination among our own people, as by other pre-cantionary measures. In devising and carrying into effect the preventive measures necessary the marged powers conferred last session bette public health Act were of imminent servi-The result of the vigorous action taken has been that nowhere within our limits did the epidemic attain any dangerous footbold, and that our towns and

villages generally have enjoyed complete in. minity from the dreaded disease. the recess I issued a commission for the consolidation of the provincial statute a new main dispersed through many volumes. Sid Je stantial progress has been made in this impor-tant work, and it is hoped that a report by the

commissioners may be ready for submission to the House during the next session. Bills will be laid before you embodying improvements in the law recommended by the commissioners or suggested in their discussions.

Other measures are to be submitted for your consideration, including a bill for the auditing

of the public accounts of the province; a bill for ingreasing the usefulness and efficiency of of the punct accounts of the province; a bill for increasing the usefulness and efficiency of mechanics institutes; a bill for the amendment of the law relating to estates of Hechandiffer soft and bidill respecting that liquidity of the ployers for injuries softeed by their working the ployers for injuries softeed by their working in many branches of industry.

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the present supply of labor seems so far to exosed the demand as to depress wages and ren-der employment uncertain. Under these cir-cumstances my advisers continue to regard it as cumwise for the Province to stimulate the immigration of the working classes from abroad, lest the hardships of the present situation should

be aggravated.

I had hoped that the past year would have witnessed active operations on the projected parliamentary and departmental buildings, but unexpected difficulties in the plans have interwened. I derive, however, much pleasure from the confident anticipation that early in the pre-sent season these much needed buildings will be in actual course of erection.

The urgent need of increased accommodation for the lunatic and idiotic of our population was

recognized last session, and appropriations were voted for additional buildings at Hamilton and Orillia. It was found, however, that before the intended structure at Hamilton could be made available, some interim accommodation for luna-tics must be provided in order to give imme-diate relief to our jails and overcrowded asy-lums. The department was so fortunate as to secure, under a five years' lease the use of Regiopolis college as a branch asylum, which has been placed under the management of the officers of the Rockwood asylum. After some repairs and slight alterations very suitable accommodation was thus provided for 150 patients. This will, it is hoped, be found sufficient for the public wants until necessary permanent provision is made.

The reports of the various departments of the public service for the past year will be laid be-fore you. There will also be submitted the first part of land titles and the operation of the land titles act of last session and the report of the commissioners appointed to inquire into complaints made against the warden of the Central

prison.

The estimates for the current year have been prepared with a view to economy and efficiency, due regard having been had to the various requirements of this great and progressive pro-

A VOICE FROM THE ISLAND PROVINCE.

THE POST AND TRUE WITNESS EQUAL TO THE TASK.

To the Editor of THE POST and TRUE WITNESS:

given to mixed farming and to live stock and dairy products has widened the basis of our agricultural prosperity and greatly limited the DEAR SIR-It was for some time a question with me and with many who thought as I did, whether the TRUE WITNESS had any injury arising from the failures of a single crop or a single branch of this most important of the definite place as a Canadian journal. We recognized it without doubt as a noble and concientious advocate of Catholic doctrine and rights-as a firm and consistent supporter of the Irish National League and a promoter of the true interests of Irishmen-but we deplored its neutrality, amounting almost to indifference, in Canadian affairs. A great crisis arrives, a crisis demanding the cares of a wise and judicious administration and the serious attention of every adviser of his countrymen, of every true patriot heart. A distant portion of the Dominion, inhabited by savage tribes and civilized half-breeds, had been ground down by oppression and injustice till forbearance became no longer a virtue. Despairing of redress, they rose in revolt, were in the field obliged to succumb to superior force and numbers, and their leader surrendered to the conqueror. Brought before a partizen judge and jury, he was by the latter pronounced guilty of high treason, but recommended to marcy; by the former he was condemned to death, and this sentence, under the pressure of Orange lodges in Ontario and to cover up their own guilty acts, the Orange-Catholic administration of Sir John A. Macdonald had the injustice to execute. Then there came a burst of execration from the Province of Quebec. A people bereft of its former leaders hesitates not to cry out against that government which, having permitted the ignorance, incapacity and cruelty of its officers to goad the Metis into rebellion, to gratify Orange hatred, hanged their leader. Then it was seen that the TRUE WITNESS had and the development of its resources have been Then it was seen that the TRUE WITNESS had further delayed by a claim recently set up that a place in Canadian journalism. The rebelall the crown lands in this territory belong to lion drew attention to the condition of affairs the Dominion as Indian lands, though in the Northwest, and the Government was obliged to yield to the force of public opinion throughout the Dominion those claims they had denied to the petitions of the Metis. The execution drew attention to the formation of the Government itself, and on platforms and in numerous periodicals its Orange spirit of domination and tyranny was condemned. In the front rank stood the TRUE WITNESS. With a force and vigor, a depth of reasoning and flow of argument, it had not even displayed in its numerous articles on the Irish question, it contended that Riel should not be hanged, and, when the deed was done, undaunted by the fact that six Catholic Ministers had given their concurrence, that a Catholic priest gave his sanction from the pulpit and an Irish Catholic member of Parliament a letter of apology, the TRUE WITNESS condemned the perpetrators more strongly, more ably and as justly as it had heretofore condemned their prototypes, the tyrannical rulers of Ireland, from Castlereagh to Forster and Earl Spencer. Such a course deserves encouragement, and the TRUE WIT-NESS is receiving it in the most pleasing and acceptable shape—an increased subscription list. To those with whom justice pleads more strongly than interest, your attitude on this question has given entire satisfaction. It is therefore with a pleasure not often exporienced by the farmer in parting with a hard-earned dollar that I send the enclosed

> Andrew Cullen. Bay View, Lot 22, P. E. Island.

Yours very truly,

as my subscription for the ensuing year.

NOTES FROM READ, ONT. Mr. J. C. Hanley has sold his famous bull

"Marmaduke" to Mr. Green, of Belleville. The animal is in splendid condition and weighed 211 cwt., live weight.
The Rev. Father Meade is, we are glad to learn, rather better than on Thursday of last week. He was able to undertake the journey from Kingston to Morrisburgh, where his fam-

ily and friends reside.

The new Council met in the Town Hall, Melrose, on Monday and organized. Mr. S. N. Tripp and Mr. Daniel Drummie were appointed assessors, and Mr. Charles Anderson, of Melrose, and Mr. James McCulloch, of Lonsdale, were appointed auditors for the current year.

The congregation of St. Charles have pur chased the horse, burgy, cutter and buffalo robes of Father Meade and presented them to

their new pastor, the Rev. Father McCarthy. The Rev. gentleman fully appreciates the kindness and thoughtfulness of his faithful peo-The Rev. Thomas McCarthy has been ap pointed by His Lordship Bishop Cleary as pas tor of this mission in the room of Rev. Father Meade resigned. A letter from the Bishop addressed to the congregation of St. Charles was read last Sunday appointing the Rev. gentle-man as paster of the Mission, of Northern Tyendinaga and parts adjacent. The Rev. hi energy and loving labora endeared himsel

himself the esteem and approbation of all with whom he has come in contact. We respectfully call the attention of every subscriber to the seed advert sement of James J. H. Gregory, Marblebead, Mass. His large ad complete cultilitate is sent less.

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all matters pertaining to the church has won for

The Rev. Father Paquet, of St. Thomas de Mohinakin, who had the misfortune to break his arm, and who visited his family at St. Nicholas matalible could reciper, has been appointed ourate of that parish by the Rey's after Vezing the rest of that parish by the Rey's after vezing the rest of THE IRISH PARLIAMENTARY FUND
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Total for the city of Ottawa.....\$535 00 Ottawa, Feb. 1, 188

NEW POST OFFICES.

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—The following new post offices were established in Canada on the 1st of January, 1896;—Allanburn, Marquette. M; Belle Anse, Gaspó, Q; Brownsville, King's, NB; Cottesloe, Peterborough, EE, O; Cash Parry Sound, O; Fern Glen, Muskoka and Changed hands at 14 and poorer NR, O; Freeland, Prince, P E I; Glen Almond, Ottawa, Q; Inholmes, Muskoka and Changed hands at 15th to 18th to 1 Parry Sound, O; Kola, Selkirk, M; Lake Verd, Queen's, PEI; Lakeviaw (re-opened), Argonteuil, Q; Lebret, Assa; Mennewawa, Selkirk, M; Rabbit Mountain, Algoma, O; Royal Road, West, York, N.B; Rusticoville, Queen's, PEI; Victor, Norfolk, S.R.O; Wesley Church, Addington, O; Becketville, Restigouche, N.B; Beresford, Selkirk, M, and Sheppato's Terry, Selkirk, M; have been closed. The following offices have had their names changed: Barrette Oross, Prince, P.E.I., to Kensington; Cork, Victoria, N.B; uto Gillespie; Metis, Kimouski, Q. 16; Grand Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette Oross, Prince, P.E.I., to Kensington; Cork, Oross, Prince, P.E.I., and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette Oross, Prince, P.E.I., and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette Oross, Prince, P.E.I., and H. Barrette, M. Barrette, D. 16; Grand Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, Oross, P. C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, Single Barrette, C. 18, and Metis, St. Albane, St. 18, and Metis, S

FINANCE.

The following table shows the highest and lowest, together with the closing prices and total sales during the week ended! Tuesday! Feb. 2:—

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COMMERCE.

Weekly Review of Montreal Wholesale Markets.

Raports ase favorable, and this month promises to be a fair one for the general run of goods. Remittances are favorable, and, on the whole, a good spring and summer trade seems to be assured.

FLOUR, GRAIN, &c. FLOUR.—The market has slightly weakened. We quote:—Patents, Hungarian, per bri. \$5 50; do, American, \$5 50 to

5 00 per or; \$5 00; do, American, \$5 50 to 50 575; do Ontario, \$4 50 to 4 90; Strong Bakers', American, \$4 75 to 5 00; do, Mani toban, \$4 80 to 4 90; do, Canada, \$4 25 to 1 00; 44 0; Superior Extra, \$4 10; do, choice, 50 \$4 30 to 4 40; Extra Superine, \$3 95 to 4 00;

demand prices here are guided entirely by what millers will pay. We quote red and white winter 90c to 93c, and spring about the same. Manitoba hard wheat 95c to \$1.00. Frozen wheat may be quoted all the way 10 00 From 50c up to 75c to 80c.
OATS—Very little has been done. Here

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1 00 prices are quoted at 31c to 32c per 32 lbs. 1 00 | wild range of values. The market is quite | Coke \$2.50 per chaldron of 36 busheis; 2 00 | and firm. Ordinary Standard is quoted at | crushed coke (stove or egg siz) \$3.30 de 1 00 \$4.10 to \$4.20 per barrel, and 1 00 granulated at \$4.40 to \$4.60 per barrel. Cornneal at \$2.85 to 3.05 per bbl. The live stock trade has been without par-Moullie \$23.00 to 23.50 per ton; ticular feature, business having been confined pearl barley \$6.00 to 6.25 per bbl. and pot barley \$4.25 per bbl; split peas \$3.50 to 3.75 a fair amount. There was a fair enquiry from

reported in bran. We quote \$14 to \$15 per lair demand for sheep at better prices, the ton. Shorts \$16 to \$18.

side. Quotations are :- Malting grades 55c and easy at 31 to 4c. Live hogs were in light 1 00 to 60c and feed at 45c to 50c. MALT.-Business during the week was reported at 90c per bushel in bond. Quota-

tions 75c to 90c in bond. BUCKWHEAT.—The market continues dull and easy. Prices are nominally quoted at 40c

to 45c per bushel. SEEDS, -The clover seed crop of Canada is almost a total failure. Prices are : \$6.50 to \$7.25 for red clover and at \$6 to \$7 for Alsike. In timothy prices are quoted at \$2 to 2 25 per bushel.

PROVISIONS.

PORK, LARD, &c .- Lard is about as last quoted. Green hams and flanks have been in request. The sale of a lot of hams and flanks | \$3.75, and commeal dull at former figures. was made at 7gc to 8c. In smoked meats business has transpired in hums \$12.75. at 111c to 12c, and in bacon at Tallow is quiet. We quote: O'Keefe Bros...... 15 00 Montreal short cut pork, per brl, \$13 25 5 00 to 14 00; Morgan's short cut clear, per brl, 2 00 \$13 59 to 14 25; Burkhardt's do do, \$13 50 2 00 to 14 25; Mess pork, Western, per hrl, \$12 50 to 1300; India mess beef per toe, \$2200 to 2250; Mess beef per brl, \$1400 to 1450; Hams, city cured per ib, llc to 12c; Hams and flanks, green, per ib 71c to 8; Lard, Western, in pails, per lb, 91c to 91c; Lard, Canadian, in pails, perlib. 90 to 91c; Bacon, per lb, 101c to 11c; Tallow, common refined, per lb, 5½c to 6c.

DRESSED Hogs.-The market has ruled firm. The price of choice dressed hogs in car lots is from \$5 70 to \$5.80 per 100 lbs; medium quality, \$5.60 per 100 lbs.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

BUTTER,-The general tone of the market has improved during the past week. In this market a lot of 200 tubs of fine Western was sold at about 14c. We quote prices as follows: Creamery, 20c to 24c; Eastern Townships choice, 20c to 21c; fair to fine, 14c to 18c: Morrisburg, choice, 19c to 20c; fair to fine, 13c to 17c; Brockville, choice, 17c to 18c; fair to fine, 12c to 16c; Western, Sc to 14 to as to quality. Low grades, fic to 7c. Ic to 2c per lb may he added to above

prices for the city jobbing trade.

In roll some this lot of Western have

still waiting for buyers' limits to come up a little further. Quite a lot, however, have gone forward on consignment recently. Prices here are quoted as follows :- Western-Fine to finest September and October 91c to 100;

McCornick Blook, Chicago Lin.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

HAY_AND_STRAW.—The supply of loose hay keeps tair. Pressed hay is quoted at \$14 to \$15 per ton. Smaller lots, of recurse, bring higher figures.—Straw is lower, sales being mentioned at \$5.

shiefly on fresh killed stock. Prices are quoted as follows:-Turkeys 81c to 10c; chickens and geess 50 to 7c, and ducks scarce at 8c to 10c.

Hors.—Several sales of 2 and 3 bale lots have been made to brewers during the past

few days at 7c to 7½c per lb.

GAME.—Sales of a few boxes of partridge arriving are made at 50c to 55c per brace, Deer carcases have sprung up to 6c per lb. Saddles are firm at 8c to 9c.

Edgs.—Receipts of fresh eggs have been liberal. The best lots sold at from 20s to 22c, and pooret qualities from 17c to 18c. Limed eggs 18c to 19c, with a fair demand, the sales being reported of 50 cases at 174c, and 50

cases at 18c.

HONEY.—There is very little in this market.

BEANS.—There is no improvement in this market. Ashes -There has been a trifle better

movement at \$3.40 per 100 lbs.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. APPLES .- Prices are about steady and the market quiet. We quote:—Round lots are at \$2.00 to \$2.55, and jobbing lots \$2.25 to

\$2 50 with \$3 obtainable for choice stock in Single barrels.

GRAPES.—Almeria grapes are getting scarce.

ORANGES.—The market is fairly steady at
\$5.00 per case for Valencias, and \$6.00 to

57.00 per box for Florida. LEMONS.—There is no change, from last

week, Malaga in boxes being quoted at \$2 00 to \$2.50 and Messina at \$2.75 to \$4.00 per

VEGETABLES.-Potatoes remain steady at 55c to 65c per bag. Carrots 45c to 55c per bushel, and Cabbages \$2 to \$3 per 100.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Toracco,-The market is dull and prices are unchanged. Fishermen's common smoking tobacco 12 to 13c. Fanoy tobaccos in 25 lb boxes or caddies, 32 to 45o per lb; bright smoking 22 to 30c and solaces 21 to 24 a.

FURS. - Transactions are of small volume. Wo quote :- Beaver \$2 00 to \$2.50 per lb. : Bear \$8.00 to \$12.00; do. cub \$4 00 to \$6.00; Mink 40c to 50c; Muskrat 5c to 7c; Otter 37 to \$9; Skunk 30c to 40c; Fox 60c to 75c; martin 60c to 75:; Fisher \$2.50 to \$5.00; Lynx \$2 00 to \$2.75; Raccoon 25c to 50c. GROCERIES. -The week's trade has been

good one. SALT.-The market has been quiet but We quote:—Factory-filled, per bag, \$1.15 to \$1.20; elevens and twelves 50c to 521c; Higgins' Eureka, per sack, \$2.40; half sacks \$1.20; quarters, 60c; Ashton's sacks, \$2.40; haif sacks, \$1.20; quarters, 50c; Turk's Island 30c per bushel.

Wool.—Foreign is in good demand. Con-

siderable business has been done in domestic and the market is firm at quotations. We quote:—Imported—Cape 14c to 163c; Natal 17c to 20c; Australian 22c to 30c. Domes. tic, A. super 27c to 28c; massorted 21c to 23c; fleece 19c to 21c.

There has been no change in dry goods business. For boots, shoes and leather orders have

come in fairly well. There is a fair demand for leather, with an increase auticipated this month.

COAL, COKE AND WOOD. COAL.—The market has ruled quiet, and

prices are unchanged. American anthracite in ordinary distributing lots, stove, \$6 50 to \$6.75; chestnut, \$6 25 to \$6 50; egg and furrace, \$6 to \$6 25. Lower ports, steam, \$4.50 to \$4.75; grate, \$5.50 to \$6; Scotch steam, \$5.25; grate, \$6. Cordwood— Yard prices per long cord (cartage 50c extra) are as follows: Maple \$6; birch, \$5.50; beech, \$5.50; tamarac, \$5; hemlock, \$4.50 livered.

LIVE STOCK

butchers. Sales were made at from 3 to 4c MILLIFEED. -A quiet but steady market is per lb as to quality for cattle. There was a range of transactions being from 3 to 4c per BARLEY .- The market holds to the quiet | Ib live weight. Lambs were in fair request supply, but easy under a slow demand at 4 to 41c per ib. Calves sold at \$6 to \$10 each as to quality.

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS.

There is nothing new to speak of in the condition of the Toronto markets. Travellers reports are fair, and this month is expected to be somewhat better than last,

FLOUR AND MEAL. - Dealers report a some what better feeling in flours. Sales have been rather more numerous. Superior extra has sold within the week at \$3 60. Strong baker's still brings \$4.00. For superfine \$3.10 is about the price. Oatmeal is selling at Bran meets with a good enquiry at \$12.50 to

WOOL-Low grades of fleece are scarce and quotations firm and unchanged. The demand for pulled, from the factories, has increased, and values are strong. Extra is rather quiet at 27c to 28c. GRAIN.-A firmer feeling seems to rule in

wheat. Prices have recovered the drop of a cent, and we quote for No. 1 fall 83c to 84c; No. 2, at 81c to 82; No. 3, 79 to 80c. No. 1 spring rules at 84c to 85c. No. 2 at 82c to 83c; No. 3 at 79c to 80. Transactions in barley are not numerous and the market may be termed dull. Prices are unchanged from those of a week ago. There appears to be a slightly better feeling in peas, values being 59c to 60c. Oats rre enquired for, but are not plentiful, 32c to 33c is near the mark. No change in corn and rye.

SALT. -Purchases of Liverpool coarse have been made recently. Canadian is selling in a jobbing way at 821c to 85c. Other qualities remain as before.

SEEDS .- Clover seems to be the article most largely dealt in just now. Fine samples for export bring \$6 to \$7 per bushel, while the range for lower grades is \$4.50 to \$6. Timothy seed \$1.80 to \$2.25; screened flax brings \$2.75 per 100 lbs.

HARDWARE, -With the exception of an advance in Pig Lead there is nothing of special interest to note this week. Quotations for lead are now: Bar 4 to 4hn: Pig 32 to 4h: Sheet 4! 1 The: Sheet 5 to 5h.

HIDES AND Skies - The a pply of bines is reported to be a settle more plouts ut. Sneepkins are unchanged from last, viz., \$1.10. Calfakins are nominal. We note a further decline in rough tallow. The figure is now 21c. Rendered is unchanged but very dull. PROVISIONS .- Trade is generally quiet; There is a considerable quantity of roll butter coming forward; Retail lots of choice tub butter have changed hands at 165. We find power have changed hands at 16c. We find the structure of these interested in the presented political dis-engion should not feel to give it a careful peru CHEAP WHITE COTTONS

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BIRTH.

FOX.—At St. Louis Cottage, Cote St. Louis, on Tuesday, January 19th, Mrs. T. Fox. of a MARRIED DOWD - McCANN - At St. Patrick's

Church, on the 27th inst., by the Kev. J. Toupun, Mr. James J. Dowd, of Kolyoke, Mass., to Miss Mary Frances, second daughter of the late. James McCann, Esq.

Boston and Holyoke papers please copy.

CORCORAN-MAHONEY-In this city, on the 18th inst, at St. Patrick's Church, by the Rev. Father Toupin, Ernest A. Corcoran, of Toronto, son of the late J. W. Corcoran, of Bathurst, N.B., to Nellie, eldest daughter of E. H. Mahoney, contractor, of this city. Ontario papers please copy.

DIED WHELAN.—Suddenly, at the Sacred Heart Convent, Halifax, N.S., on Wednesday evening, the 27th ult., Katie, aged 20 years, youngest daughter of the late John Whelan, and sister of John P. Whelan.

COUGHLAN .- On Monday, the 25th inst., James, son of Patrick Coughlan, aged 7 weeks. DAVIS .- On the 25th inst., Jemima Davidson, widow of the late George Crew Davis, Esq. DAVIE .- At Levis, on the 24th inst. Gersham Davie, aged 55 years.

GAMBERG—On the 29th inst., Hannab McGrath, aged 79 years and 8 months, wife of the late John Gamberg. DODS-On Thursday, January 28, at 74 University street, Peter D. Dods, aged 45 years.

KlELY-In this city, on the 29th inst., Martin Kiely, aged 24 years, TAUGHER.—In this city, on the 25th inst., Mary Mulhall, aged 56 years, relict of the late John Taugher.

HAVES .- In this city, on the 29th instant, Elizabeth Agues, aged 15 years and 11 months, youngest daughter of Patrick Hayes, MURPHY .- In this city, on Friday, 29th

inst., Patrick, eldest and beloved son of Patrick Murphy, aged 22 years and 11 months. CONRICK—In this city, on Tuesday, January 26th, Annie, aged 17 years, youngest daughter of John Conrick.

WALSH-At Bridgewater Cove, Quebec, on the 18th inst., Maurice Walsh, senr., aged 78 years, a native of the City of Cork, Ireland. MOORE-In this city, Sunday, Jan. 31st 1886, Martin Moore, of H. M. Customs, aged 41 years; native of Queen's County, Ireland. O'NEILL.—On the 16th instant, Mr. Charles O'Neill, gardener, of Bergerville, P.Q., a native of Queen's County, Ireland, aged 84 years. McGRATH.-At Quebec, on the 18th inst.,

Mary Baker, widow of Patrick McGrath, aged JORDAN.-At Quebec, on the 30th ultimo,

Mr. Samuel Jordan, a native of the County Tyrone, Ireland, formerly employed in the Gas House, aged 68 years and 6 months.

MONDAY—In this city, on Sunday, January the 24th inst., Patrick Monday, aged 113 years, a native of Glenfin, County Donegal, KNOWLES-At Quebec, on Friday, the 22nd

instant, Jessie Amelia Kennedy, wife of Chas. Knowles, stevedore, and sister of the late Samuel Kennedy. OWENS.—In this city, on the 30th January, Mary Power, aged 45 years, wife of Jno. Owens of the G.T.K. Freight Department.

Waterford (Ireland) papers please copy. 25-2 BENNETT-At Quebec, on the 20th inst., at 2.30 o'clock, after a long and paintul illness, at the age of 52 years, Mary Sullivan, beloved wife of Thomas Bennett, a native of Waterford,

BERNHART-HOGAN-On Tuesday, the BERNHART HOGAN On Tuesday, the 19th inst., at St. Ratrick's Church, Quebec, by the Rev. Kather in McCarthy, Cass. R. Antoine Beringet, of Winninger, alanitobs, to Bridget, youngest, daughter of Michael Hogan, McWILLIAMS—In this city, on, the 24th inst., Mary Ann, aged 8 months, intant daughter of Michael McWilliams, of the City Police of Michael McWilliams, of the Michael McWilliam

Rieter, and Cerpus Christi Day on St. John's Day. Such is the case this year.