

Sheep and lambs, choice, per head...	0 00 to 5 00
" secondary qualities, per head	4 50 to 4 75
Hogs, fat, off the car.....	4 1/2 to 4 3/4 per lb.
" store	4 1/2 to 4 3/4 "
Calves, dressed,	6 to 8 "

MONTREAL.

There has been a more active demand for cattle for export, and this morning shippers were free buyers considering the season, a good number of transactions being put through at 4 1/2 to 5c. per lb. live weight. Private cable advices are not so depressing, and indicate an improvement as compared with a week ago. The exports from Boston last week were 824 head cattle and 2,544 quarters beef. At Viger market 200 head of cattle were received, of which the majority were not high class. Good cattle were in light supply, and wanted at somewhat better figures than prevailed last week. Sales were made at 4 1/2c. per lb. live weight, but some of the best in the market brought 5c. Common to fair animals sold at 3 1/2 to 4c. About 200 sheep were offered, which sold on the scale at 3 1/2 to 4c. per lb. Calves were in better supply and considerably lower, sales being made at \$2.50 to \$3.00 each, as to quality. Live hogs were firmer at 5 to 5 1/4c. per lb.

THE HORSE MARKET.

TORONTO.

Business has been quiet this week Messrs. Grand & Co. at their Tuesday auction sale sold 25 general purpose out of about 40 offered. Prices ruled from \$90 to \$130 for horses weighing from 1,100 to 1,250 lbs. The same firm also sold a few heavy draught horses at an average of \$170 each. The demand is of a local origin, there being no American buyers in town.

PRODUCE.

The severe weather has tended to check business during the week, and this tendency has been assisted by quietude in outside markets. The local situation seems to indicate that farmers, having almost finished their barley, will be forced to offer any other coarse grain they may have on hand. It is evident, however, that they are unwilling to offer wheat if they can avoid so doing; and it is also evident buyers would be willing to take it at present prices for storage. Stocks, generally, have increased slightly, and stood on Monday morning as follows:—Flour, 2,925 barrels; fall wheat, 149,421 bushels; spring wheat, 139,325; oats, 2,200; barley, 165,166; peas, 19,831; rye, 2,265. Wheat in transit for England shows a slight increase, standing on the 12th inst. at 2,650,000 quarters, against 2,391,000 on the 29th ult. In the States the visible supply of wheat has decreased to 43,374,000 bushels, against 43,535,000 in the preceding week, and 31,828,000 last year.

PRICES AT LIVERPOOL ON DATES INDICATED.

	Feb. 10.	Feb. 17.
Flour.....	11s 6d	11s 6d
R. Wheat.....	7s 1d	7s 2d
R. Winter.....	7s 2d	7s 2d
No. 1 Cal.....	7s 3d	7s 2d
No. 2 Cal.....	6s 10d	6s 9d
Corn.....	4s 9 1/2d	4s 8 1/2d
Barley.....	5s 6d	5s 6d
Oats.....	5s 5d	5s 5d
Peas.....	6s 1d	6s 1d
Pork.....	63s 0d	63s 0d
Lard.....	37s 3d	36s 9d
Bacon.....	54s 6d	54s 0d
Tallow.....	33s 0d	33s 3d
Cheese.....	61s 0d	60s 0d

FLOUR.—Quiet and rather easier. Superior extra, guaranteed, has sold at \$3.75 here, at which price it could probably have been bought at the close; extra inactive, but guaranteed held at \$3.60. Other grades nominal.

BRAN.—Scarce and firmer; bagged sold on Monday at \$13.10 on track here.

OATMEAL.—Firmer; a favorite brand has sold at equal to \$3.90 here; small lots firmer at \$4.00 to \$4.25.

WHEAT.—Has remained quiet, but seems generally to have been steady throughout the week. Both farmers and dealers seem inclined to hold on until navigation opens, in hopes of then obtaining an advance. The movement seems to have been very small. No. 2 fall has sold at 82c. on track, and No. 1 spring has been wanted at the same figure, while No. 3 fall and No. 2 spring have been worth 80 to 81c. f.o.b. On the street fall and spring have sold at 80 to 82c. and goose closed at 66 to 67c., with a steady demand for all offered.

OATS. Scarce and advanced; sales of feeding oats have been made at 33c. to arrive and at 34c. for cars on the track, and at 35c. for white oats for milling; at close the same prices would have been paid had any been offered. Street prices closed at 36 1/2 to 37c., with a good demand.

BARLEY. Very little offered, and that little held high; in fact rather higher than suited the export demand. No. 1 not in the market. No. 2 sold at 68 1/2c. on Monday and Tuesday for car-lots, but round lots in favorite quarters seem to have gone up to 70c.; cut-down No. 2 has sold at 65c. f.o.c.; extra No. 3 sold at 63c. on track, and No. 3 at 61c. f.o.c. on Monday. Values seemed much the same at close. Street prices closed 63 to 70c., but with No. 1 worth 73c.

PEAS. Scarce, steady, and in good demand; cars of No. 2 have sold at 61c. f.o.b., at which price more would have been taken. Street prices 57 to 60c.

RYE.—Nothing doing; prices nominal at 56c.

SPRAYS.—Have shown scarcely any change; offerings of alsike not improving in quality; choice readily taken at \$6 to \$7 per bushel, and inferior sold at \$3 to \$5. A few bags of clover occasionally change hands at \$1.60 to \$1.80.

HAY.—Pressed has changed hands at \$11.50 to \$12 on track. Market receipts interrupted by weather, and all offered wanted at \$8 to \$11 for clover and \$12 to \$15.50 for timothy.

STRAW.—All offered taken at \$8 to \$8.75 for sheaf and loose worth about \$6.

POTATOES.—Unchanged with sales of a couple of cars at 35c. Street receipts very small and prices unchanged at 40 to 45c.

APPLES.—Dealers have been buying for shipment at \$1.50 to \$1.62 in the country, but these prices for choice only. On street receipts have been very small and prices steady at \$1.25 to \$1.50 for common to good and \$1.75 to \$2 for choice.

BUTTER. No improvement visible, really choice tubs wanted at 17 to 18c., and good rolls selling well at 14 to 15c., but all else nominal or going at grease prices. On street pound rolls have sold at 21 to 23c. and tubs and crocks at 16 to 18 1/2c.

EGGS.—Lined very plentiful and very slow at about 16c., but newly-gathered steady at 21c. On street fresh and new-laid ranged from 22 to 26c.

HOGS.—On street prices have been strong at \$6 to \$6.50, but in rail lots scarcely any business has been done.

POULTRY.—No box-lots offered. On street turkeys have sold at \$1 to \$1.25 for hens and \$1.50 to \$2 for gobblers; geese at 75c to \$1 each; fowl at 65 to 80c. and ducks at 80c. to \$1 per pair.

TORONTO MARKET.

Flour, p. brl., f.o.c., Sup. extra.....	\$3 75	to	\$0 00
" " Extra.....	3 55	to	3 60
" " Strong Bakers'.....	0 00	to	0 00
" " S.W. Extra.....	0 00	to	0 00
" " Superfine.....	0 00	to	0 00
Oatmeal.....	3 85	to	3 90
Cornmeal.....	0 00	to	3 50
Bran, per ton.....	13 00	to	0 00
Fall wheat, No. 1.....	0 00	to	0 00
" No. 2.....	0 82	to	0 85
" No. 3.....	0 80	to	0 81
Spring Wheat, No. 1.....	0 82	to	0 83
" No. 2.....	0 80	to	0 81
" No. 3.....	0 00	to	0 00
Barley, No. 1.....	0 74	to	0 00
" No. 2.....	0 68	to	0 69
" No. 3 Extra.....	0 64	to	0 65
" No. 3.....	0 60	to	0 61
Oats.....	0 34	to	0 35
Peas.....	0 61	to	0 00
Rye.....	0 55	to	0 56
Corn.....	0 50	to	0 00
Timothy Seed, per bush.....	0 00	to	0 00
Clover.....	0 00	to	0 00
Flax, screened, 100 lbs.....	0 00	to	0 00

PROVISIONS.

BUTTER.—Scarcely any change; really choice firm and wanted at 17 1/2 to 18c. for good dairy and 14 to 15c. for good rolls; all of these coming forward have been readily taken; and it is probable that some more also could have found a sale. But for any other sort there has been no sale—unless at grease prices—all week; and some small lots have gone off at 5 to 6c. On street pound rolls have sold at 21 to 23c., and occasionally at 24c.; and tubs and crocks at 15 to 18 1/2c.

CHEESE.—Small lots quiet and steady at 11 1/2 to 12 1/2c., the latter for choice only, but all sorts held steadily.

EGGS.—Newly-gathered have been in good demand and firm at 21c. for round lots; but lined slow of

sale and weak at 16c. On street fresh and new-laid have ranged from 22 to 27c.

PORK.—There was one lot of 200 barrels of Canadian sold at \$15.25; and small lots have gone off slowly at \$15.50 to \$16.00.

BACON.—A round lot of mixed sold at an even price with the above mess pork on p.t., but with this exception the market has been very quiet; a few cases have sold usually at 8 1/2c. for long-clear and 7 1/2c. for Cumberland; rolls and bellies held as before at 10 to 10 1/2c. for rolls and 11 1/2c. to 12c. for bellies, smoked; sales small.

HAMS.—Smoked quiet; held as before at 11 1/2 to 12c. for small lots; but a lot of 2,000 pickled changed hands at 10c.

LARD. A steady demand has continued at 9 1/2c. for round lots of tinnets; and 10 to 10 1/2c. for small lots of tinnets and pails.

HOGS. Offerings small and prices apparently rather firmer; two cars sold at \$5.85 on Tuesday evening when \$6.00 was bid for another, which was the range for rail-lots at the close. Street prices from \$6.00 to \$6.50.

SALT.—Inactive save for small lots of Liverpool coarse at about 70c.; other grades nominally unchanged.

DRIED APPLES.—Job lots offered at 4 1/2c. but no sales reported; small lots have sold at 5 to 5 1/2c., but slowly.

HOPS.—Seem rather unsettled, but also inactive; job lots are said to have been offered at a decline but no sales reported.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Butter, choice dairy.....	0 17	to	0 18
" good shipping lots.....	0 00	to	0 00
" inferior, &c.....	0 08	to	0 10
Cheese, in small lots.....	0 11 1/2	to	0 12 1/2
Pork, mess, per brl.....	15 25	to	16 00
Bacon, long clear.....	0 08	to	0 08 1/2
" Cumberland cut.....	0 07 1/2	to	0 07 1/2
" smoked.....	0 00	to	0 00
Hams, smoked.....	0 11	to	0 12
" cured and canvassed.....	0 00	to	0 00
" in pickle.....	0 10	to	0 10 1/2
Lard, in tinnets and pails.....	0 09 1/2	to	0 10 1/2
" in tierces.....	0 00	to	0 00
Eggs.....	0 16	to	0 21
Dressed hogs.....	5 85	to	6 00
Hops.....	0 12	to	0 15
Dried apples.....	0 04 1/2	to	0 05 1/2
White beans.....	0 75	to	1 25
Liverpool coarse salt.....	0 62	to	0 75
" dairy, per bag 56 lbs.....	0 50	to	0 00
" fine, " ".....	1 45	to	1 50
Goderich, per barrel.....	1 25	to	1 30
" per car lot.....	1 20	to	0 00

HIDES, SKINS, AND WOOL.

HIDES.—Green have been selling steadily as before; and cured moving quietly at 3 1/2c.

CALFSKINS.—Scarce as ever and prices almost nominal at unchanged figures in consequence.

SHEEPSKINS.—Offered freely and taken readily as before at \$1 to \$1.05 for the best green and 70 to 90c. for country lots.

WOOL.—Pulled has been somewhat in demand at the factories; a mixed lot of 20,000 lbs. changed hands for this destination at an even price but on the basis of 22c. for super; the best price for extra seems to have been 27 1/2c., and dealers' prices a half cent to a cent below these figures. Fleece has been quiet but values seemed steady at 15 to 18c., or 19c. for choice.

TALLOW.—Prices unchanged at 3 1/2c. for rough and 6 1/2c. for rendered, with offerings large, but no round lots moving.

Hides and Skins.			
Steers, 60 to 90 lbs.....	\$0 08	to	\$0 00
Cows.....	0 07 1/2	to	0 00
Cured and inspected.....	0 08 1/2	to	0 08 1/2
Calfskins, green.....	0 10	to	0 12
" cured.....	0 12	to	0 14
Sheepskins.....	0 60	to	1 05
Lambskins.....	0 00	to	0 00
Pelts.....	0 00	to	0 00
Tallow, rough.....	0 03 1/2	to	0 00
" rendered.....	0 06 1/2	to	0 00
Wool.			
Fleece, comb'g ord.....	0 15	to	0 19
" Southdown.....	0 21	to	0 22
Pulled combing.....	0 17	to	0 18
" super.....	0 21	to	0 22
Extra.....	0 26	to	0 28