

FINANCIAL AND COMMERICAL

BUTTER AND EGGS TOOK A DROP TODAY

Vegetable Offerings Small— Hay Slumped on Local Market.

The feature of the local market today was the drop in the prices of eggs and butter. Although there was not as large an attendance as is customary on Saturday's there were large offerings of dairy produce.

Although fresh eggs were selling in the dairy hall at prices in the neighborhood of 40 cents per dozen, the average selling price for strictly fresh eggs on the market proper was 34 cents per dozen. One farmer sold a large quantity of store lots at 28 cents per dozen, but this price was lower than the average. The wholesale prices were 31 and 32 cents per dozen. Several of the farmers and produce merchants stated today that there would be a further drop in the prices of eggs.

Dairy butter was easier than on Thursday, the prices being 26 and 27 cents per pound for crock butter, and 27 and 28 cents per pound for rolls.

The vegetable section was rather smaller than usual, and there were but few changes in the prices. Celery was quoted at prices ranging from 40 to 60 cents per dozen bunches. A large number of cabbages were sold today, but the prices remained the same as has prevailed during the last two weeks, 40 cents per dozen. Potatoes were not as plentiful as on Thursday, but the prices did not change. Beets, carrots, turnips, and onions composed the remainder of the vegetable market.

There was also a drop in the price of hay today, as the prices which have been prevalent for the last five or six days has enabled the farmers to bring a large supply to the city. Since Wednesday morning there have been 138 loads sold on the local market. The prices today ranged from \$11.00 to \$13.50 per ton, with the majority of the sales at \$12.50. Straw was quoted from \$8.50 to \$9.50 per ton but the sales were very slow. Very little oats and wheat was sold today, and the prices did not change.

Dressed hogs were also easier today, the sales being made at \$11.50 and \$11.75 per cwt.

The price for live hogs at the shipment on Monday will be \$8 per cwt. This is the same price as prevailed last Monday, but it was expected that there would be a rise in the price before the end of the present week. Mr. McIntyre, who has been the largest buyer of hogs from Toronto, stated that there had been no change during the week.

The prices were:

Grain, Per Cwt.	Butter, Per Lb.	Eggs, Per Doz.
Wheat, per cwt. \$1.38 to \$1.58	Butter, per lb. 26 to 27	Eggs, per doz. 34 to 40
Oats, per cwt. 1.00 to 1.07	Butter, per lb. 27 to 28	Eggs, per doz. 34 to 40
Barley, per cwt. 1.20 to 1.20	Butter, per lb. 27 to 28	Eggs, per doz. 34 to 40
Buckwheat, per cwt. 1.20 to 1.25	Butter, per lb. 27 to 28	Eggs, per doz. 34 to 40

Grain, Per Bushel

Wheat, per bu.	Barley, per bu.	Oats, per bu.
Wheat, per bu. 35 to 35	Barley, per bu. 40 to 40	Oats, per bu. 34 to 34
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Vegetables

Butter, per lb.	Eggs, per doz.	Apples, per bush.
Butter, per lb. 26 to 27	Eggs, per doz. 34 to 40	Apples, per bush. 1.00 to 1.50
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Fruits

Apples, per bush.	Hay, per ton.	Straw, per ton.
Apples, per bush. 1.00 to 1.50	Hay, per ton. 11.00 to 13.50	Straw, per ton. 8.50 to 9.50
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Dairy Produce

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LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; steady. Veals—Receipts, 100; active. Hides, Wool, etc. 13 to 15. Cow hides, No. 2, 11 to 12. Cow hides, No. 3, 10 to 11. Wood washed, lb., 10 to 12. Wool, washed, lb., 10 to 12. Calfskins, per lb., 15 to 15.

PRODUCE.

(Special to H. C. Becker.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—Close—Wheat—May, 84½; July, 84½; futures, steady.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 11.—Close—Wheat—May, 84½; July, 84½; futures, steady.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

(Special to H. C. Becker.)

Wheat—Open, 84½; Low, 84½; High, 84½; Close, 84½.

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