MONETARY TIMES. THE

PROVISIONS .- The consumption of hog products is fair just now that the weather is cool, and there is a fair demand for pork. Eggs, strictly fresh, command 25c. per dozen, while car-lots of candled guaranteed fresh bring 14c. There is little or no enquiry for inferior stock. Butter shows no new features, the demand for export is unimportant at present figures, and holders seem to think that higher prices will prevail later on. Cheese is not very active though the feeling is ap-parently steady, with not much difference between buyers and sellers. Fancy is held at 9[±] to 9[±]₂c., but there is no record of any transactions at these quotations. Finest white is held at $8\frac{1}{3}c.$, there are takers at $8\frac{3}{3}c.$ Some 1,200 boxes changed hands at $8\frac{3}{3}$ to $8\frac{3}{3}c.$, and a small lot of glored goods went at 83c.

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, Aug. 15th, 1889. We are still in the holiday season, and Torontonians would appear to be inclined to remain there as long as possible. A good many have been holding off from trade, but a good many have been held on to it by an active demand from the country for the supply of its immediate wants. Then some few of the products of the new harvest have begun to come forward ; and though small the receipt of them does something to stimulate trade in some quarters. In the flour and grain trades, moralising is being heard as to the probable price of the new crop, which is almost unani-mously accepted as a good one. Receipts, how-ever, are insignificant, and offerings have been small, although stocks on hand are thrice as large as those at this date last year, stand. ing on Monday morning as follows: Flour, 1,250 brls.; fall wheat, 9,772 bush.; spring wheat, 83,326 bush.; oats, 36,587 bush.; bar-

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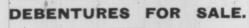
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TO MANUFACTURERS.

The Town of Collingwood is now prepared to give exemption of team of commywood is now prepared to give exemption of taxes for a term of years, also the use of; water and light free, to any or all manufacturers who will locate in the Town, and carry on manufac-turing industries. Collingwood is well situated for manufactories, having both railway and water facil-ities not excelled in Canada. Address,

JOHN HOGG. Town Clerk. Collingwood, April 16th, 1889.



'Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, the 24th Day of August, 1889, inclusive, for the purchase of debentures of the Town of Simcoe, in the County of Norfolk, for the sum of \$3,500. Said Debentures having twenty years to run, and bearing interest at Five per Cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 31st day of December. The purchaser to pay accrued interest. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Ever further information analy to For further information apply to

GEO. H. LUSCOMBE, Mayor of Simcoe, or to N. C. FORD, Clerk.

Simcoe, 7th August, 1889.

TO MANUFACTURERS.

The Town of Trenton is prepared to receive and entertain applications from manufacturers desiring locations for all kinds of industries. The develop-ment of the magnificent water power of the river Trent, enables the town to negotiate with manu-facturers. Free Sites, Water Power, and exemp-tion from Taxes for a number of years, are induce-ments held out to those desiring location. Trenton is well situated for manufactories, being at the confluence of the River Trent and Bay of Quinte; near by the Murray Canal, leading into Lake Ontario, having at its north an unlimited supply of timber, and wood of all kinds, and minerals, and possessing the best of shipping facilities, by both rail and water, being on the main line of the G. T. R. and connected with the C. P. R., via Central Ont. Ry, and being at the head of St. Lawrence naviga-tion. Address, M. B MORRISON, Trenton, June 10th, 1899.

Trenton, June 10th, 1889. Mayor. ley, 173,074 bush., and peas 600 bush. The provision trade has continued active, and if reports received are true, the yield of butter ought to prove very large indeed. In groceries the chief item of interest is a fur-ther decline of $\frac{1}{4}$ in sugars, notwithstanding the strongly expressed views of those most immediately interested to the effect that no further reduction was probable yet. In lea-ther there is a continuance of activity with very favorable indications. Of trade generally, which is still very quiet, it can be safely said that the outlook all round is very good.

DRUGS.-A steady trade is going on in small lots, but there is an almost entire absence of speculation, and in consequence our business appears to be more dull than really is the case. Prices are as yet unchanged, but some lines are advancing and figures all round are firm.

FLOUB AND MEAL.-These have remained chronically dull. In flour there has been scarcely any movement quoted beyond the sale of a small quantity of straight rollers at \$4.65, and of bagged extra at \$4.05, at which prices there was more obtainable at the close, but no buyers; patents equally neglected; 90 per cents nominal at \$4.75 to \$4.90. Bran is steady and sold late last week at \$10 50, which price would have been repeated at the close. Oatmeal is dull, with small lots selling slowly at \$3.75 for standard and about \$4.00 for granulated.

GBAIN -- Very little of any sort has been wanted, and none unless at easier prices. Wheat has sold very slowly; small sales of No. 2 fall and No. 2 red winter lying on the Northern were made last week at 95c., and for some on the G. T. R. equal to 97 c. here was paid, with spring on the Midland offered at 98c. Manitoba hard very quiet, but No. 2 sold at \$1.02 to 1.03 last week, and No. 1 for \$1.07 at the close. At the latter time fall or red winter if pressed to a sale seemed unlikely to bring over 94 to 95c., but holders were not inclined to do this. Oats rather easy ,with sales on track last week at 33 to 334c. for mixed and 34c. for white, and 304c. bid on Saturday-for September delivery. At the close mixed on track sold at 33c., and white to arrive at 334c. There would appear to have been no stir whatever in the barley market; it is now generally acread that the new rows is now generally agreed that the new crop is a good deal discolored, which fact may affect the value of the huge stocks on hand; none has yet been offered on the street. Peas are in steady demand; in the latter part of last week there were buyers at 61 to 62c., but since then the feeling has been easier, and on Tues-day there were some sold at 60c., with new said to be offered at the close for 60c. Corn is inactive, but values probably unchanged at about 48c.

GROCERIES .- There has been somewhat of a break during the current week in the cloud of depression that for a while has been hanging over the various departments of the grocery trade. While the changes are of little conse-quence it is satisfactory to note an appreciable increase in the volume of business, and to be able to say that payments, for some weeks past so poor, are more satisfactory. Con-trary to the avowed belief of wholesale dealers, sugars are again down ‡ cent, and still there is a slight demand; syrups and molasses are unchanged. In tea there is a very good movement, and prices are firm. Tobacco is also unchanged. There is a fair enquiry for currants and prices are tending downward. In all other lines there has been practically not the least change. The prospects are good and we may look for a steady advance in activity from now until Christmas.

HARDWARE .--- With the exception that copper and iron are much firmer, there is nothing of consequence to note. Prices may be expected to advance, and orders for iron goods at listed figures cannot now be at all easily placed.

HAY .- Pressed has been very slow of sale with old timothy not bringing over \$12 on track, and new selling only in broken lots.

HIDES AND SKINS .- Green hides have been taken readily as before, and cured have sold in car lotsat 54c. Offerings of green calfskins very small, but none at all wanted as there is still no sale for cured. No advance in sheepskins beyond 45c. for the best green established, but expected at the close to be made soon.

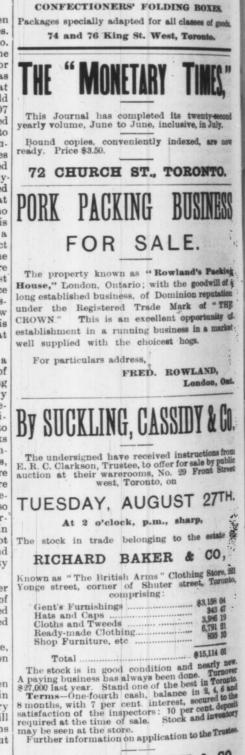
Hops.-The only movement has been a few small sales for the supply of immediate wants at about 20 to 21c.; a lot of twenty bales of choice has been under offer at 201c. Crup

LEATHER .- The improvement in the leather LEATHER. — The improvement is the mather trade that commenced about a week ago on tinues in a very satisfactory way. Some large deals have been effected lately, and manufacturers are now beginning to buy for the fall trade. A very good demand exists for heavy sole, heavy Spanish, and harness is thers. Uppers are rather scarce. It is as thers. Uppers are rather source at a single factory to note that among the trade opinion is pretty unanimous as to the very satisfactory of the outlook. Prices are unchanged but very firm.

LIVE STOCK TRADE .--- The market in Toronto is in a most unsatisfactory condition, and at the commencement of the week was more demoralized than has been the case for months The supplies have been much larger the necessary, and in addition the quality of most of the cattle has been of an inferior and offen of a very inferior kind. At the Western yards on I uesday, cattle of all classes gave way from \$2 to \$4 a head. Plenty of fairly medium stuff did not realize 3c. a pound, and plenty was left unsold. The English markets will only take Canadian and American beef just

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now at low prices, a has been_rather off. Sheep are stea all. while lambs are o in so much reques vity is displayed strong demand at for all descriptions has been paid during

PAINTS AND OIL indeed. The only a pentine, which ha tom price, and is i that; linseed oils a 68c. for the best changed.

POTATOES.-Imp dealers at 50 to these prices, but favor; no local cal slowly at about \$1

PROVISIONS.-Tr factory. Butter ha and, apparently, ties. Good quality at prices the turn sold at from 14 to ing the latter i Some round lots | to 15c., this for thrown out. Con sale and almost thing of any cons sum total of sales amounted to a choice, with some 9c. Eggs are u easier; a couple hands at 12c., a dealers were sell fully sufficient. changed hands at long clear bacon 9c., the latter pr cels, and a few as before; smol been increasingly about 101c. for and bellies, with tc. higher. Har



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