PRODUCTS AND PRICES.

Cleland, general dealer, Schomberg, called a meeting of creditors; Alex. Suicifit general dealer, Springbrook, assigned to the control of the control

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REFERENCES.—Hon. John Macdonald, Sonator, Toronto: John L. Blaikle, Esq., President Canada Landed Credit Co.; Wm. Alexander, Esq., late of Messrs. Blaikle & Alexander, and of Alexander & Stark. To-day's bank stock quotations are as fol-

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THE MONEY MARKET. The local money market is steady and firm.
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Rates in Montreal are: Commercial paper, 6 to 8 per cent., and call loans 3 and 4 per cent.
The Bank of England rate continues at 5 per cent.

Call moneyin New York was quoted at 2 per cent. to-day.



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BUSINESS TROUBLES.
These business embarrassmeats are reported:
Alfred Swaisland, hotel-keeper, Allison; David Ballantyne, general deuler, Bruce Mines, obtained an extension; Thos. Byrne, harness dealer, Bluadas, assigned to U. F. Fisher, Allison; David Ballantyne, general deuler, Bruce Mines, obtained an extension; Thos. Byrne, harness dealer, Mitchell, assigned to Tranklin Ott, Brantford, Mitchell, assigned in trust; Neil McPee, hardware dealer, Parkhill, assigned to W. Brantford, Mitchell, assigned in trust; Neil McPee, hardware dealer, Parkhill, assigned to W. Glass, London-Shot wheat dealer, Office on the Chicago and Collowing Mines, Thos. La Fortune, dry goods dealer, Office on the Chicago and Children of Coast, 41s 9d was 42s; present and following month, 42s 9d was 42s

At the St. Lawrence market the receipts to-day were small and prices steady. Quotations: Beef, sirioin, 14c to 15c; round steak, 10c to 12c. Mutton, 1egs, 12c; chops, 15c. Lamb, hind quarters, 15c; forequarters, 10c. Veal, best cruz, 12c; inferior, 6c to 10c. Pork chops, 12c, 18 weter, pound rolls, 22 to 23c; large rolls, 18c to 20c; inferior, 15c. Lard, tubs, 12c. Cheese, 11c to 13c. Bacon, 12c to 15c. Eggs, 19c to 20c. Spring chickens, 40c to 50c. Eggs, 19c to 20c. Spring chickens, 40c to 50c. Geese, 75c to 85c. each... Ducks, 60c to 75c. Potatoes, bag, 50c to 55c. Apples, per bril, \$1.25 to \$1.75. Beets, per dozen, 15c to 20c. Onions, per bag, \$1.15to \$1.25. Colerry, 60c to 75c carotos, bag, 35c to 40c. Cabbaços, dozen, 30c to 40c. Cauliflower, per doz., 60c to 175c. Cora, 7c to 10c per dozen. Tomatoes, per bush., 40c to 50c. Beans, 35c to 40c a peck.

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The following are quotations for provisions: Mess pork, \$18.50 to \$19 a barrel; long clear bacon, life and 12c a pound; breakfast bacon, life; hams, 13c and 13je; lard, 12c and 12je; good tub butter, 19c and 20c a pound; roll butter, 19c and 20c a pound; roll butter, 19c and 20c; infarior store packed, 12c to 14c a pound; creamery, 24c and 25c; eggs, 20c a dozen.

FLOUR.

There is a fair movement in flour, both for boal and export account. Prices are firm. Patent winter is quoted at \$5 to \$6.50 a barrel; patent spring, \$6 to \$5.50; straight roller, \$5.50 to \$5; strong bakers, \$5.50 to \$5.50. Bran is quoted at \$1 to \$11.50 a ton and shorts at \$18 to \$11.50 a ton and shorts at \$18.50 at \$1.50 at \$

risky and insures loss to so many. Were it not for this peculiar disposition on the part of the trading public such a thing as market manipulation would be impossible.

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prices are far from as night as they have gone under similar circumstances in the past.

Problem in Arithmetic.

From The Chicago Daity Bysiness.

Chauncey M. Depew, "the farmers' friend," jumps on that other eminent farmers' friend, B. P. Hutchinson, and says that corners in general are a harm, to producers, and that Hutch's September will prove especially injurious to the farmers. The Keene deal in 1879 he says was the direct cause of the building of two thousand miles of railroad in India, each mile of which "opened up one hundred thousand acres of new wheat land." The representant of the Vanderbilt millions is a trifle lame in his arithmetic, or else the wheat area of India has never been correctly stated. Let us see! One hundred thousand acres for each mile of railroad would be two billion acres, or just about as many acres as there are bushels of wheat raised in the whole world each year. Chauncey, coine off, and give the farmer a show one year in five.

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Corn. firm: fair domand. Quotations: Spring wheat, 8s 26; rad winter, 8s 3d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d; Corn. 4s 7dd. Peas, 6s 5d. Pork, 77s 6d. Lurd. 46s 6d. Bucon, short cleared, 48s 6d; long cleared, 48s 6d. Cheese, 50s.

Retail merchanis have taken advantage of the broken weather this week to visit the wholesale houses. There was a large number in town, and a lively sorting up business was done. Reports from all quarters in the province are that farmers have been bury up till the present with full work, and with getting grain ready formarket; that the grain has turned out better than it was expected, and that prices being high prospects are good. Prices of all lines of dry goods are exceptionally steady. A few old lines of Canadian cottons have been effered by manufacturers at lower prices to clear out lots, but no orders are accepted to manufacture at the same prices. Payments have been very active and prompt during the week. In some lustances payments have been made ahead of time.

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Groceries.

A fair, steady trade has been done in groceries this week. Sugars are more neglected now than three weeks ago. The demand is falling off, and there is less anxiety among the whole-sale men to look out for stocks. The refiners maintain prices and wholesale figures are also the same. Yellows are quoted at 6; to 7 cents, and granulated, at 3; for 15 barrel-lots and over, and 3; for under that quantity. Syrups are higher, scarce and difficult to get, and are quoted at from 52 to 68 cents a gallon. There is no change in teas. Firmness rules, especially in low grades. Coffees are firm and have advanced from last week's quotations. Rices are quoted at 174 and 19; cents a pound and Javas have risen it of cents a bound according to Chase & Sanborn's quotations. In dried fruits both currants and raisins are easier. Currants are quoted at from 6 to 9; cents a pound and valencias at 6; to 9; Fine Sultanas are bringing 10 and 11 cents, and lower grade Sultanas, 7; London layers are firm at 33.40 and black baskets at 34.25. Malaga fruit is expected to go higher. There is no change in canned goods. Payments remain fair and steady.

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A better demand for sole leather has sprung up this week, moderate business being done both east and west. Some orders from Montreal and Quebec have been filled. Black leather is unchanged. No. 1 sole leather; at 23 to 22 cents a pound; No. 2 sole leather, at 22 to 24; inferior grade sole leather at 15 and 20; and harness leather, at 23 to 29.

Weel.

Business in wool is flat. There is not a great deal coming to market and none is being ex deal coming to market and none is being exported. The demand from the mills is light From 19 to 20 cents is being paid for selected fleece wool, and in pulled wools 21 for super and 26 and 27 for extra.

Live Steck.

The offerings of live stock at the Western cattle yards to-day totaled 20 car loads. The market was rather heavy, the demand being inactive except in lambs and hogs. Butchers cattle sold at 2½ to 3 cents a pound for ordinary and 3½ for choice; and export cattle at 3½ to 4½ cents a pound. Sheep were in fair supply, seling at \$4 to \$4.50 a head, Lambs sold readily at \$2.30 to \$4 a head. Hogs were in good demand, stores selling at \$1 to \$4.50 a hundred and fats at \$5.25 to \$5.50.

At Grand's to-day 16 work horses and a few drivers were sold. Prices ranged from \$50 to \$100. Trade during the week has been fairly active, but the demand has been purely local.



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