

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET

Akin & Kirkpatrick.
Carroll & Ross.
Convers, Colson & Lamb.
Crawford, James.
Denholm, George.
Douglass, John, & Co.
Foltingby & Williamson.
Hill, W. G., & Co.
Hobson, Thomas, & Co.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co.
Laidlaw, Middleton & Co.
Leung, M.
Leeming & Buchanan.
Morris, D., & Co.
Nivin, Wm., & Co.
Raphael, Thomas W.
Sauvageau & Co.
Sinclair, Jack & Co.
Stewart, W. W.

GENERAL quiet continues to prevail in most departments. We have no outward movement of consequence in Breadstuffs, there being no British demand, and but trifling operations for the Lower Ports. Pease and Oats, together with Oatmeal, have been exported to a considerable extent. In Provisions a fair amount of Butter and Cheese has found sale for Britain at somewhat enhanced prices. Ashes have been dull, Pots, however, maintaining their value, owing to the limited receipts; but Pearls have latterly become quite nominal, all previous buyers having withdrawn from the market.

FLOUR—The receipts continuing largely in excess of expectations, and the warm weather causing buyers to restrict themselves to actual wants, and the consequent anxiety of holders have led to some concessions in price, without, however, materially influencing the extent of business, as no concessions will induce buyers to lay in stock in advance of their duty requirements. The stock of the higher goods is more than ample for the limited requirements of the trade, and only sales of broken parcels can be noted at very irregular rates, according to circumstances; Superfine, constituting the bulk of accumulations, has been more sensibly affected. Latest transactions have been mostly at rates between \$6.80 and \$6.70, with occasional sales of strictly strong and choice at exceptional figures. Brands from Western Wheat, from their superior keeping properties, have been those taken most freely for the fisheries; and our city brands being most in favour, have commanded from \$6.80 to \$6.88 in the fore-part of the week. No. 2 finds ready sale from scarcity, at rates mostly from \$8.31 to \$8.40. The lower grades are very various, prices being more regulated by the intrinsic value than the denomination of grade; we quote Pollard to Fine, \$4.50 to \$6.00 B g Flour—The supply and demand have been pretty nearly balanced, and prices, though the turn lower, have not been materially affected.—\$3.60 to \$3.75 covers the several shades of quality.

OATMEAL has been in limited supply, the bulk of arrivals being for shipment direct. A steady demand has existed, and all the more exportable samples have been taken between \$4.90 and \$5. The more irregular lot, however, range down to \$4.80, and but little in favor of any abatement.

GRAIN.—Wheat continues almost nominal, there being but few transactions. Latest sales of U. C. Spring were in a small way at \$1.50 to \$1.53, but with the declining tendency in flour these figures would not now be given. Pease have sold to a moderate extent at 86c. to 88c. ex store, and 88c. to 87c. adost per 66lbs. Oats.—Transactions are to a fair extent within the range of quotations.

PORK.—Transactions are restricted to the merest retail, as buyers only operate in view of existing wants.

CUT MEATS have been barely saleable for some time back, and quotations are very irregular, 10c. to 12c., according to quality, may be given as the range for the several descriptions in stock.

LARD—Both supply and demand are restricted, and prices continue without material change.

TALLOW is also in small supply and demand, rates varying from 9 1/2c. to 10c., outside figures being somewhat exceptional.

BUTTER.—The receipts for the week amount to a mere trifle, occasioned, probably, by the excessive heat of the weather, and by the advanced pretensions of the Western holders, who, for what cause, is difficult to ascertain, have been somewhat excited by the manifestation of some disposition on the part of shippers and dealers to make a few purchases. Prices have advanced in Upper Canada beyond a figure that can be obtained at present for them in any part of the world. Here a few small experimental shipments are being made with a view to testing the British market, and until the result is known and a price fixed in Britain for Canadian Butters, the more prudent operators will restrict themselves to small purchases, mainly with a view of keeping the run of the market. The quantity manufactured this season will be very large, and if holders decide on refusing to sell at such prices as shippers and others can afford to pay, it becomes a question of importance where all the Butter manufactured on this Continent is to go to, as it must be borne in mind that the Southern markets, which last year consumed so large a proportion of the make, are now amply supplied.

ASHES—Pots—Small receipts again during the week have prevented a decline in prices corresponding with the present British quotations. Shippers have some difficulty in filling engagements. British advices continue very dull, with small sales at 28s. to 29c. Pearls are declining with a very light demand, and the tendency is decidedly downwards.

UNITED STATES TARIFF.

ACCORDING to the Tariff Bill reported by the Committee of Ways and Means, the duties on wool will be as follows:—

On Class 1st, clothing wools and down clothing wools, and wools not included in classes 2 and 3, the value whereof at last port, whence exported to the United States, excluding charges in such port, shall be 32c. or less per lb., the duty shall be 10c. per lb., and 10 per cent. ad valorem, exceeding 32c. per lb., the duty shall be 12c. per lb. and 10 per cent. ad valorem. On Class 2nd, curling wools, hair of the alpaca goat, &c., the duties to be the same as class 1st.

On Class 3rd, carpet wools and similar wools, if the value be 12c. or less per lb., the duty shall be 3c. per lb.—if more than 12c. per lb., the duty shall be 8c. per lb. It is also provided that if wools of the 1st class be imported washed, they shall pay twice, and if scoured, three times the duty charged on unwashed wools.

On sheep-skins and angora goat-skins, raw or manufactured, imported with wool on, washed or unwashed, the duty is to be 80 per cent. ad valorem; and on woollen rags, shoddy, mungo waste and flocks, 12c. per lb.

With reference to determining the dutiable value of goods imported into the United States, the entire cost of such goods is to be taken, according to certificate of United States Consul. And if such purchase shall be at an interior locality, then all actual costs of transportation to last port of shipment are to be added to original cost, and all cost of preparation or preservation paid, or accruing in such port of last shipment, except the actual cost of removal from warehouse on board the vessel for final exportation.

The effect of this new tariff will be to raise duties from thirty to one hundred and fifty per cent., as compared with the existing tariff. The leading commercial papers of the United States are strongly opposed to it, and though from the great strength of the manufacturing interests in Congress, there is little doubt of the passage of the bill in its present shape, still there will probably be a sharp contest first.

HAVANA PRICES CURRENT.

The following is the last (James M. Lawton) Havana Prices Current of Imports, dated 30th June:—

Table listing various goods and their prices, including items like Land Pr., Refined in kegs, Butter, Yellow, Eggs and fritas, Corn, bushels, etc.

Table listing prices for various types of flour, such as Flour, Extra, Fancy, Superfine, etc.

Table listing prices for various types of sugar, such as Sugar, Yellow, etc.

Table listing prices for various types of oil, such as Oil, Petroleum, etc.

Table listing prices for various types of lard, such as Lard, etc.

Table listing prices for various types of tallow, such as Tallow, etc.

Table listing exchange rates for various locations, such as London, Paris, New York, etc.

GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY OF CANADA.

Table showing traffic for the week ending 8th June, 1866, including Passengers, Freight and Live Stock, Mails and Sundries, etc.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY OF CANADA.

Table showing return of traffic for the week ending July 7th, 1866, including Passengers, Express Freight, Mails and Sundries, Freight and Live Stock, etc.

PRICES OF GRAIN.

Table showing average prices on various types of grain, including Flour, Extra, Fancy, Superfine, etc.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

Table showing receipts of produce via Grand Trunk Railway and Canal, including Wheat, Flour, Corn, etc.

JOHN B. GOODE, WHOLESALE IMPORTER OF Small Wares, Cutlery, Fancy Goods, &c., No. 87, St. Sulpice Street, Montreal.

JAMES & FOSTER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, NOTARIES AND CONVEYANCERS, HALIFAX, N. S.

Refer to Dun, Wiman & Co., Montreal and Toronto. ALEXANDER JAMES. JAMES G. FOSTER. July 13, 1866. 6m-26

O I L S. 55 hds Olive Oil, 75 bbls do, 50 do No. 1 Lard Oil, 25 do No. 2 do, 75 do Tallow Oil. For sale by ALFRED SAVAGE & SON, Corn Exchange Buildings, 25-2m. July 5.

DAVID MORRICE & CO., PRODUCE & GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Shipping and Forwarding Agents, &c., 52 ST. PETER STREET, MONTREAL.

FOR KINGSTON, TORONTO, HAMILTON AND INTERMEDIATE PORTS.

THE Steamer "AVON," M.O.A.T. Master, will leave for the above Ports to-morrow, SATURDAY evening, 14th instant. JAQUES, TRACY & CO. Montreal, 6th June.