WEDNESDAY, Dec. 22. In Montreal to-day sterling exchange sold at 1981 to 1999 for round amounts between banks. and at 10% over the counter. Draits on New York at a to ? per cent. premium.

At New York to-day sterling exchange was unshanged at \$4.83 for demand notes, and \$4.80 for Pendon, Dec. 22, 5 p.m.-Consols, 98 9-16 for money; 36 11-16 for account; bonds, new 42's, 1152; new 5's, 1012; Eric, 492; Illinois Central,

STOCKS.

The market was very quiet and prices were weak to-day. Montreal was offered at 168, with no bids. Commerce sold at 1361, and closed with quotations i lower. Ontario was firmer, with sellers hand buyers i higher. Dominion was offered at 113, with bids as before at 1411. Bids for Hamilton declined !. and nose for Standard 1. Merchants' was offered 117, with 115 bid. All other banks unchanged. Loan and Savings stocks we quiet, with few

changes. Landed Credit was, fered at 140 with bids as before at 125. Building and Loan was offered 1 lower with bids 1 higher. London and offered at 135. Hamilton Provident was offered at 122 xd., with 120 bid. People's was offered } lower, or at 1071, with 106 bid.

'Miscellaneous stocks were inactive; Western was offered 4 with bids 2 lower. Consumers' Gas. was held 3 higher, with no bids. Bids for Montreal Telegraph rose }, with no sellers. Debentures were wanted as before, but none

The following is the official report of the Toronto Stock Exchange for Wednesday, Decem

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Banks.	Selle	Buye	Trans.
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Montreal	168		
Toronto	971	139 96 1	
Merchants'	117 1364	115 136	20 at 136
Commerce			20 86 130
Dominion	143 117-8 1	141½ 115	
Standard	$102\frac{1}{2}$	1011	
Federal	134 116½	133 115 1	
Molsons Loan and Savings Cos.			
Canada Permanent		193	
Freehold	159	157 160	
Union Loan Canada Landed Credit	147½ 140	144 135	
Building and Loan	96	931	
Imperial	120	116 122	*****
London & C. L. & A. Co	150	149 148	*****
Huron and Erie Dominion Savings and In-		140	
Vestment Society Ont.Sav.&InvestmentSoc.	124 135		
Canadian Sav. & Loan Co.			
London Loan Co	122	120	ex-div.
National Investment Co Anglo-Canadian		104	
People's	107	106	
Manitoba&North-Western Loan & Investment Co		101	
Insurance, &c.		157	
British America	224	220	
Confederation Life		316 200	
Consumers' Gas	150		
Dominion Telegraph Globe Printing Co	105		
Montreal Telegraph		132	
Toronto, Grey and Bruce		50	
Toronto and Nipissing Debentures, &c.			
Dom. Gov. Stock, 6 p.c			
Dom. Gov. Stock, 5 p.c County (Ont.) Stock, 6 p.c			
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City Turunio Stock, 6 p.c	1	102	1

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS-WEEKLY REVIEW.

THURSDAY, December 23.

PRODUCE. Duliness and inactivity have been the most conspications features of the market state our last Receipts and offerifigs have been small, Deliases and inactivity here been ple postlace. Receipse and offertilise have been smallbut apparently smilled at a set the demand has
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been placed by the state of t large supplies affoat from the Pacific reach England, which they are not likely to do for several weeks. Mail advices also state that a continental demand for cargoes prevailed; and as the quantity of wheat on passage for the Continent is reduced to 440,000 qrs., against 818,000 qrs. at this time last year, and stocks in France are low, K is by no means impossible that the inquiry may be renewed. Continental advices by mail state that in France markets were quieter early in the week, but at Paris prices were kept up by the fact that the stock of flour there was only 48,570sks. against 261,800sks. at this time last year, and that of wheat only 13,500 qrs. against 86,500 are traction wheat in the ports had to be sold at a decline, but there seemed to be more dispo-sition to buy at the decline; at Bordeaux, where the stock of both wheat and flour is almost wil, and the quantity shortly expected small, red winter was quoted at equal to 49s. 9d. per 480 lbs.

and Kenigsberg the export trade remained at a standstill. Austrian advices state that at Pesth

on the 25th ult, there was an active demand for spot wheat at a slight rise, but for spring delivery prices were caster. Rev was quiet and rather lower. An Adelaide, Australia, cable to London on the 25th November staires that the Australian wheat crop them pramised favourably; except in the far north. The experts of the Australian wheat crop them pramised favourably; except in the far north. The experts of the crop harvested in December and January last to October 26th, 180f, had been 287,118 tons, lagluding flour, leaving 30,000 available for expert of the crop harvested in December and January last. States markets have been coming down with a rush; it would seem that the battle on the question whether they or Britain should rule prices for theseason has been won by the latter, that they myst come down to English prices and not English prices rise to Yankee. The New York flour market is said to have been if the ultimated although most receivers were quife willing to make concessions, they found very few shippers who had orders, and in the absence of buyers of any considerable quantity, it was difficult to definitely exacilian values. Prices of wheat have fluctuated aimont hourly, and are smech lower. The demand for expert has been moderate. Shippers limits have been continually two or three cents per hushel beliow those of New York. In the western markets the downward tendency has been manifested even more strongly than on the coast; but it must be remembered that they are now touching shipping prices. Messrs. McLaren, of Miwankee, say that No. 2 wheat at Friday's prices would have cost sub end of said and though more controlled and though most receivers were quite willing to make a controlled and though most receivers were end to the controlled and the controlled and though most receivers were controlled to the controlled

Canadian was offered 1 lower. Ontario was Milwaukee, say that No. 2 wheat at Friday's in like mander on the Pacific slope is estimated at twenty million bushels. The visible supply of grain, comprising the stocks in granary at the principal points of accumulation at lake and seaboard ports, and the rail shipments from Western lake and river ports and

afloaton New Yor	k canals :-			
1880, Dec. 11, bush.	1880, Dec. 4, bush.	1879, Dec. 13, bush.	1878, Dec. 14, bush.	
Wheat28,673,491 Corn15,757,056 Oats3,816,749 Barley2,963,944 Rye932,633	26,930,859 15,753,676 3,587,563 2,861,443 913,044	27,688,559 10,079,363 2,612,664 4,730,815 1,161,970	18,842,048 8,855,364 3,934,889 5,701,568 1,608,215	
Total52,143,873 50,046,685 46,273,371 38,942,034 The following table shows the top prices of the different kinds of produce in the Liverpool market for each market day during the week:—				
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	different kinds ket for each ma	rket da				
	Dec. 16,	Dec. 17, 5 p.m.	Dec. 18, 5 p.m.	Dec. 20, 5 p.m.	Dec. 21, 5 p.m.	Dec. 22, 5 p.m.
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4	FLOUR-The	market	has be	een ve	ry dull	l, with
	buyers and se	llers apa	rt all	week,	and ve	ry few
	buyers at any quality, and a a single car lot have been of buyers. Extra	favourit on Tue fered al has be	e brancesday; l week en off	d, bro but av k at ered d	erage \$5. w aily a	5.05 for brands vithout t \$4.90
	with no sales	reporte	d. Str	ong b	akers s	sold or
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	provement; ir	deed th	e feeli	ng see	med to	be in
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Bran-Inactive, and prices of cars unsettled; one sold on Tuesday at \$13.25. OATMEAL-Seems easier; a car sold on Satur-day at \$4 on track. Small lots are unchanged at day at \$4 on track. Small lots are unchanged at \$4.25 to \$4.50.

WHEAT—Inscrive, at unsettled prices; receipts and offerings very small, and holders very firm, with no demand save from millers. No. 2 fall sold at \$1.11 for cars on track on Saturday. Spring seemed to be declining steadily until Thesday, when some cars changed hands at \$1.17 for No. 1, and \$1.15 for No. 2 f.o.c. The market was unchanged to-day, when No. 1 spring again sold at \$1.17, and No.2 spring at \$1.16 to.c., and No. 2 fall would have brought \$1.10 to \$1.11 f.o.c., but there was none offered. On the street

home-grown wheat thus far in the pre- sent season was 42s. 4d. per quarter, against	been abundant and wanted at \$1 to \$1.75, the latter for fat gobblers; geese steady at 50 to 60c.;
48s. 4d in the corresponding period last season.	ducks scarce at 55 to 65c., and fowl flat at 30 to
The quantity of wheat during the present	40c.
month seems to be comparatively small, and this	FLOUR, f.o.c.
fact has doubtless been influencing prices of late,	Superior extra, per 196 lbs\$5 00 to \$0 00
and will continue to influence them until the	Extrae
large supplies afloat from the Pacific reach Eng-	Fancy and strong bakers'
large supplies and at from the Lacdio feature.	
land, which they are not likely to do for several	Oatmeal, per 196 lbs 4'00 4 10
weeks. Mail advices also state that a continent-	Cornmeal, small lots 3 00 3 25
al demand for cargoes prevailed; and as the	BAG FLOUR, by car-lots, f.o.c.
quantity of wheat on passage for the Continent	Extra 4 60 4 75
is reduced to 410,000 qrs., against 818,000 qrs. at	Spring wheat, extra 4 80 4 90
this time last year, and stocks in France are	GRAIN, f.o.b.
low, it is by no means impossible that the inquiry	Fall wheat, No. 1, per 60 lbs 1 12 1 13
may be renewed. Continental advices by mail	" No. 2, " 1 10 1 11 No. 3, " 1 06 1 07
state that in France markets were quieter early	Red winter none.
in the week, but at Paris prices were kept up by	Spring wheat, No. 1 1 17 0 00
the fact that the stock of flour there was only	No. 2
48,570sks. against 261,800sks. at this time last year,	Oats (Canadian) per 34 lbs 0 33 0 34
and that of wheat only 13,500 qrs. against 86,500	Barley, No. 1, per 48 lbs
grs. Foreign wheat in the ports had to be sold	Barley, No. 1, per 48 lbs
at a decline, but there seemed to be more dispo-	" No. 2, per 48 lbs 0 93 0 94 " Extra No. 3 0 88 0 89
sition to buy at the decline; at Bordeaux,	" No. 3 0 77 0 78 1
where the stock of both wheat and flour is almost	Peas. No. 1. per 60 lbs 0 69 0 00 1
wil, and the quantity shortly expected small, red	" No. 2, " 0 68 0 00 Rye 0 84 0 85
winter was quoted at equal to 49s. 9d. per 480 lbs.	20,000
ex-ship: whilst at Nantes equal to 48s. 9d. to 49s.	PRICES AT FARMERS' WAGGONS.
6d. per 480 lbs. free on rail was quoted. Marscilles	Wheat, fall, new, per bush \$1 05 \$1 10 Wheat, spring, do 1 10 1 16
has been quiet, with rather nuncrous arrivals;	Barley, do 0 78 1 03
	Oats, do 0 34 0 36
the stock in the docks there, however, was only	Peas, do 0 63 0 68 Rye. do 0 87 0 88
62,500 qrs., against 143,000 qrs. at this time last	Rye, do 0 87 0 88 Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs 6 00 6 50
year. Markets closed on the 3rd with a firmer	Beef, hind-quarters, per 100 lbs 4 50 5 00
feeling prevalent, both at country markets and	Mutton, by carcase, per 100 lbs none.
the ports. Belgian markets were again firmer,	Chickens, per pair
red winter being worth 47s. 6d. to 47s. 1s. per 480	Geese, each
lbs. at Antwerp. German advices state that the	Turkeys, each 1 00 1 75
"term" markets had varied but little for either	Butter, pound rolls 0 20 0 23
wheat or rye, the tendency at the close being	Do. large rolls uone. Do. tub dairy 0 20 0 21
firm. The recent official estimate of the Prussian	Eggs, fresh, per doz 0 20 0 27
crop seemed not to obtain much credit in Ger-	Potatoes, per bag 0 35 0 45
many; it appears, however, that although the	Apples, per bbl 1 00 1 75
quantity has perhaps been larger than was ex-	Onions, per bag
pected, the very bad condition and quality of	Cabbage, per doz 0 25 0 50
much of the grain cenders it unfit for use. At	Celery, per doz 0 30 0 60
Berfin wheat was rather quiet, and rye also had	Turnips, per bag
been drooping. At Hamburg spot wheat met a	Beets, per bag 0 50 0 60
free sale at full rates, but closed quieter. At Danzig	Parsnips, per bag 0 55 0 60
and Vanionham the export trade remained at a	Hay, per ton 8 00 12 50

ms to have been generally rathe

have sold at 22½ to 25c.. but anything in quantity would not bring over 20 to 22c. for choice, and 16 to 18c. for medium; yearlings range from 7 to 12c., according to quantity and quality. GROCERIES. TRADE-Jobbing has been quiet, but country

usiness fairly active.
TEA—The movement in lines has been small and generally at unchanged prices. Young Hyson has sold at 18½c. for dust, and at 35 to 37c. for seconds, with no movement reported in thirds Hyson has sold at 18 c. for dust, and at 35 to 37c. for seconds, with no movement reported in thirds or firsts. Japans have sold at 28c. for common; at 33 and 35c. for medium, and 37 to 40c. for good medium. Blacks quiet; the only movement reported is the sale of two lines of medium Congou at 42c. There has been only a slow enquiry for goods offered on English account, and anything doing has been in first Young Hysons, which have sold at 1s. 7d. to 1s. 8d., and common Congous at 9d. to 11d. Quotations are as follows, the outside figures being for retailers' lots:—Young Hyson, common to fair, 33 to 40c.; Young Hyson, medium to good seconds, 42 to 48c.; Young Hyson, ordinary to choice extra, firsts, 50 to 85c.; Twankays, none; Gunpowder and Imperials, common to good, 35 to 45c.; fine to extra choice, 50 to 80c. Blacks—Congous, 30 to 70c.; Souchong, 40 to 55c.; Seented Pekoes, 45 to 55c.

70c.; Souchong, 40 to 55c.; Scented Pekoes, 45 to 55c.

COFFEE—Has remained dull and weak; Singapore has sold in lots of 50 targs at 20c.; and good Rio in job-lots at 16c. Quotations are as follows, the outside figures being for retailers lots:—Government Javas, 27 to 31c.; Singapore, 20 to 20c.; Rio, 15t to 19c.; Mocha, 30 to 33c.

STGAR—The market has generally been firm, and cable advices report an advance at home. Raws have been steady and fairly active, with sales of car-lots at 7tc. for medium Cuba; at 7tc. for dark Porto Rico; at 7t and 7tc. for medium, and at 7tc. for extra bright. Scotch refined has also been selling well; three cars of dark sold at 7tc.; medium bright at 8tc. and extra bright at 9tc. by the car. Canadian yellows have remained much the same as for a month past. Granulated quiet and much as before at 10tc. for job lots. Quotations are as follows, the outside figures being for retailers' lots, and all sugars now being sold at sixty-days:—Porto Rico, per 1b., 7t to 8c.; Barbadoes, 7th to 7tc.; medium, 7th to 8tc.; bright to choice, 8th to 9tc.; Canadia refined, 7th 9tc.; Paris lump, 10th to 10tc.

Syrups—There has been some movement in

Paris lump, 10% to 11c.; granulated standard, 10% to 10%c.

SYRUPS—There has been some movement in car-lots of choice, which have sold at 60 to 63c.

Prices are firm all over. Quotations are as follows, per Imperial gallon:—Common, none; medium, 55 to 62c.; and choice, 65 to 75c.; sugar-house molasses, none; and West India, in hhds., 38 to 42c.; in bbls., 43 to 45c.

FRUIT—All sorts are scarce, and all prices very firm, with an upward tendency in some iscances. Valencias have advanced to 5 of 100 boxes sold last week at 75c., but the latest sales were at 75c. for lots of 500, and 8c. for lots of 100 boxes, and holders generally wanted more tog day. Sultanes firm, wifity box-lots groing at

CATTLE. TRADE-Has been rather quiet for the season

TRADE—Has been rather quiet for the season in this market.

BEEVES—Receipts have been small for the season, but this has been, in some measure at least, due to the fact that city dealers have been buying at the fairs instead of waiting until offerings outside had come into Toronto. At the fairs anything like decent cattle have's old at \$4.50, and choice Christmas qualities have brought up to \$8 per cental; some sales have been made for shipment at about \$5.50 for steers averaging 1,400 lbs. Prices here have been firm; steers averaging 1,300 lbs. would bring \$5 to \$5.25; and light steers and helfers from \$4.50 to \$4.75, with a good demand for these, and all offering readily taken. Second-class have been quiet but steady, at prices ranging from \$3.75 to \$4.25; and third-class not much wanted, and nominally unchanged at \$3 to \$3.50.

SHEEP—Have been in rather better demand, and prices firmer than at our last. First-class have advanced about \$25.0, per cental, and any weighing from 125 to 150 lbs, bring \$4.25 per cental, or from \$5.50 to \$6 each; but any below the former weight are rather slow of sale at \$4.25 to \$5 each.

Lambs—All offering have been wanted, and

former weight are rather slow of sale at \$4.25 to \$5 each.

LAMUS—All offering have been wanted, and taken readily at firm prices; but no actual advance can be reported. Picked lots dressing not under 48 lbs. have been worth \$5 per cental, with very few to be had. Good first-class, dressing about 45 lbs., have sold at \$4 to \$4.12. Good droves, dressing from 35 to \$2 lbs., have usually ranged from \$3.37 to \$3.75, and culls have sold as before at \$3 to \$3.25.

CALVES—More activity has prevailed; offerings have increased, but all have been wanted. Some fancy calves have brought \$25; but choice first-class, dressing from 125 to 160 lbs., have sold usually at \$8 to \$10; ordinary first-class, dressing from 100 to 125 lbs.. have been unchanged at \$6.50 to \$7.50, and any of lighter weight have not been wanted.

HIDES, SKINS, AND WOOL. TRADE—Has been fairly active,
HIDES—Prices of green have declined 50c. during the week; No. 1 now stand at \$9.00; offerings have been large and sufficient. Cured have been in steady demand; three car-lots sold at \$9.75, at which price they are still held.
CALFSKINS—Has been offered more freely, and sold at former prices.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MONTBEAL

Dec. 22.—Flour.—Receipts, 1,240 bbls. The market is quiet and unchanged. Sales, 125 bbls. superior extras at \$5.40: 485 bbls. spring extra at \$5.35. Quotations:—Superior extra, \$5.40; extra superine, \$5.35; fancy, \$5.25; spring extra, \$5.35 to \$5.35; superior extra, \$5.40; extra superine, \$5.35; fancy, \$5.25; spring extra, \$5.25 to \$5.35; superior extra, \$5.25 to \$5.35; ontario superine, \$4.20 to \$4.40; middlings, \$3.70 to \$3.36; ontario bags, \$2.50 to \$2.75; city bags, delivered, \$3 to \$3.25. Barley, 65 to 7c. Oatmeal—Ontario, \$4.40 to \$4.45. Rye, \$7 to \$9c. Oats, 35c. Peas, 81 to \$2c. Cornmeal, \$3.00 to \$3.10. Corn, 60 to 61c. in bond to arrive. Butter—Western, 16 to 18c; Kamouraska, 16c; Brockville, 17 to 19c.; Morrisburg, 19 to 21c.; Eastern Townships, 20 to 22c; creamery, 24 to 27c. Cheese, 12 to 123c., according to quality. Lard, 12 to 124c. for pails. Pork—Heavy mess, \$16.00 to \$17.00. Hams—Uncovered, 125 to 13c. Bacon, 10 to 11c. Ashes—Pots easier at \$5.00 per 100 lbs, for firsts, Dressed hogs firm at \$6.50 per 100 lbs.

OTTAWA. Dec. 22.—Hay—\$9.00 to \$10.00 per ton. Oats—30 to 31c. per bush. Peas—65 to 67c. per bush. Barley—40 to 45c. per bush. Corn—50 to 55c. per bush. Buckwheat—40 to 45c. per bush. Beans—90c. to \$1 per bush. Potatoes—40 to 45c. per bag. Butter—19 to 20c. per pound. Eggs—20 to 25c. per dozen. Chickens—40 to 5c. per pair. Mutton—6 to 7c. per lb. Beef—4 to 5c. per lb. Rye—80 to 55c. per bush. Pork—6 to 7c. per lb. Wheat—\$1.20 to \$1.24 per bush. Geese—50 to 60e, each. Turkeys—60c. to \$1.10 each.

GUELPH.

Dec. 22.—Flour, per 100 lbs., \$2.75 to \$3. White wheat, per bush., \$1 to \$1.05: Treadwell, per bush., \$1 to \$1.05: Treadwell, per bush., \$1 to \$1.05: per bush., \$1.05 to \$1.08. Gats, per bush., \$1 to 33c. Barley, per bush., 66 to 80c. Rye, per bush., 73 to 78c. Peas, per bush., 66 to 80c. Rye, per bush., 73 to 78c. Peas, per bush., 60 to 70c. Hay, per ton, \$7 to \$9.50. Straw, per ton, \$2.50 to \$3.50. Wood, per cord, \$3.50 to \$4. Eggs, per dozen, 15 to 18c. Butter, dairy-packed, per pound, 16 to 18c; rolls, 18 to 20c. Apples, per bag, 25 to 50c. Potatoes, per bag, 40 to 45c. Sheepskins, each, 50c. to \$1.25. Hides, per pound, 7 to 8c. Wool, per pound, 27 to 28c. Dressed hogs, per 100 pounds, \$5.75 to \$6.

ST. CATHARINES. Dec. 22.—Flour—No. 1 super, \$5.50 to \$5.75. Wheat—Fall, \$1.05; spring, \$1.03 to \$1.10. Barley -85 to 90c. Peas—60c. Oats—34 to 35c. Butter -22 to 23c. per lb. Eggs—22 to 25c. per doz. Cheese—13c. Hay—\$12 to \$14 per ton. Potatoes -70c. per bag. Corn—58 to 60c.

KINGSTON. Dec. 22.—Barley, 80 to 90c. Peas, 68c. Rye, 80 to 82c. Wheat, none. Oats, 32 to 33c. Receipts of rye, peas, and barley, light.

LONDON, ONT. Dec. 22.—The market during the past week, excepting Saturday, has been dull for the season. Wheat has ranged during the week from \$1.65 to \$1.50; the supply has been small. Oats and barley were offered in fair quantities, though the demand was far in excess of deliveries. Corn has been sold in fair quantities in the produce market. Poultry has been supplied in large quantities, and fair prices have been obtained. Beef sold rapidly, and was bought in wholesale. Dressed hogs were scarce. Grain—Wheat, spring, \$1.70 to \$1.75; Delhi, per 100 lbs., \$1.65 to \$1.75; Treadwell, \$1.67 to \$1.75; Clawson, \$1.65 to \$1.73; req. \$1.68 to \$1.75. Oats, \$0 to \$2.00; \$1.75; Clawson, \$1.65 to \$1.75; Clawson, \$1.75; Clawson, \$1.65 to \$1.75; Clawson, \$1.75; Clawso

BRANTFORD. BRANTFORD.

Dec. 22.—Flour, \$2.75 to \$2.90 per 100 lbs. White wheat, 95c. to \$1.00 per bush.; red fall wheat, 95c. to \$1.00 per bush. spring wheat, 95c. to \$1.05. Bar-ley, 60 to 70c. per bush. Peas, 62 to 66c. per bush. Oats, 32 to 33c.per bush. Corn, 55 to 56c. per bush. Buckwheat, 40 to 45c. Rye, 75 to 78c. per bush. Lard, 12c. per pound. Cheese, 12 to 13c. per pound. Butter, 20 to 22c. per pound. Eggs, 20 to 25c. per dozen. Hay, \$5 to \$10 per ton: Straw, \$2.50 to \$3 per ton. Potatoes, 40 to 50c. per bug. Apples, 40 to 50c. per bag.

ONE WEO OSWEGO, N.Y. Dec 27/hoome Wirest Scarce; white state at \$1.16; not hadriat \$1.18; Corne-Firm; 30 bush, westerment \$100, 18 arrier—Quiet; No. 2 Canada at \$1.15.

MILWAUKEE.

Dec. 22, 9,30 a.m.—Wheat—962c. for January;
83 c. for February.
11.27 a.m.—Wheat—972c. for January; 984c. bid
for February. Receipts—Flour, 14,742 bbls.;
wheat, 64,900 bush.; corn, 4,000 bush.; cats, 4,000
bush.; ryc, 2,000 bush.; barley; 19,000 bush. Ship
ments—Flour, 15,845 bbls.; wheat, 7,000 bush.;
corn, none; cats, 7,000 bush.; ryc, 1,000 bush.;
barley, 17,000 bush.
1.03 p.m.—Wheat—No. 2 at 97c. for cash for December; 972c. for January; 99c. for February. MILWAUKEE.

CHICAGO.

Dec. 22.—Opening—Wheat—99\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. now: 98\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. for February. Corn—42\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. for May. Oats—34\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. for May; 30\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. for February. Pork—\(\frac{1}{2}\)id. 15 for February. Lard—\$8.62\(\frac{1}{2}\) ts \$8.65\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; \$6.60\(\true\) to \$6.62\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; \$6.72\(\frac{1}{2}\) to \$6.75\(\frac{1}{2}\) for March. Pork—\(\frac{1}{2}\)il. 15.75\(\frac{1}{2}\) for December; \$12.85\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; \$13.15\(\frac{1}{2}\) for March. Lard—\$8.40\(\true\) to \$8.45\(\frac{1}{2}\) for December; \$8.77\(\frac{1}{2}\) for January; \$8.57\(\frac{1}{2}\) to \$8.70\(\frac{1}{2}\) for January; \$3.57\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; \$0.7\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; \$0.7\(\frac{1}{2}\) for Jecember; \$1.08\(\frac{1}{2}\) for Jecember; \$1.09\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; \$2\(\frac{1}{2}\) for May; \$42\(\frac{1}{2}\) for June; \$42\(\frac{1}{2}\) for June; \$42\(\frac{1}{2}\) for June; \$30\(\frac{1}{2}\) for January; 30\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; 30\(\frac{1}{2}\) for January; 30\(\frac{1}{2}\) for February; 30\(\frac{1}{2}\) for January; 30\(\frac{1}{2}\

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Dec. 22, 12 m.—Wheat—No. 1 white at \$1.13 to \$1.15 for cash; \$1.13 to \$1.14\for December; 24,000 bush, at \$1.14\for January; 16,000 bush, at \$1.17\for cash; \$1.16 to \$1.17\for cash; \$1.16 to \$1.17\for December; \$1.17\for cash; \$1.16 to \$1.17\for December; \$1.17\for cash; \$1.16 to \$1.17\for December; \$1.17\for \$1.17\for February; 48,000 bush, at \$1.19\for to \$1.20\for February; 48,000 bush, at \$1.19\for to \$1.20\for February; 48,000 bush, corn, 61,000 bush,; oats, 40,000 bush,; rec, 5,000 bush,; barley, 21,000 bush,; pork, 75\for bbls, lard, 4,635 tcs; whiskey, 550 bbls.

2 p.m.—Wheat—Sales, 450,000 bush,; Chicago at 550 bbls.

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS. Dec. 22, 9.30 a.m.—Cattle—Active; prime, 54 to 55c.; fair to good, 44 to 5c. receipts, 408; Hoga-Slow; receipts, 2,600; shipments, 3,500; Philadelphias, \$4.75 to \$4.85; Yorkers, \$4.45 to \$4.85. Sheep—Active; receipts, 2,000; shipments, 4,000. EAST LIBERTY.

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Dec.22, 9.37a.m.—Hogs—Estimated receipts, 43,000; official receipts yesterday, 36,404; shipments, 1,288; light grades, \$4.50 to \$4.70; mixed packers, \$4.50 to \$4.75; heavy shipping, \$4.80 to \$5.05.

Cattle—Receipts, 5,800.

Dec. 22, 11 a.m.—Cattle firm: at \$8.75 to \$10.75; receipts, 135. Sheep—Firm, at \$5 to \$6; receipts, 13 cars. Lambs—Firm, at \$6 to \$6.50; receipts, 1 car. Hogs—Firm, at \$5 to \$6.50; receipts, 1 cars. Hogs—Firm, at \$6 to \$6.50; receipts, 1 cars. Hogs—Fi

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Dec.22, 11.25a.m.—Hogs—Strong; receipts, 19 cars; shipments, 14 cars; 4 cars to New York; Yorkers, \$4.60 to \$4.65; choice York weights to local packers, \$4.70 to \$4.80; medium heavy, \$4.65 to \$4.85; choice heavy, \$4.50 to \$5; one deck extra, \$5,10.

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Dec.22, 9.40 a.m.—Cattle—Lively; at \$9.50 to \$11; receipts, 741. Sheep—Lively; at \$5,50 to \$6.50; receipts, 1,227. Calves—Lively; at \$7 to \$8.50; receipts, 182.

ENGLISH MARKETS. BEERBOHM.

Dec. 22.—London—Floating cargoes—Wheat and malze, very quiet; cargoes on passage—wheat and malze, inactive. Mark Lane—Wheat and malze, quiet. Imports into the United Kingdom during the week—Wheat, 230,000 to 235,000 crs. maize, 100,000 to 105,000 qrs.; floating the week—wheat, 230,000 to 150,000 to 150,000 bbls. Liverpool—Spot wheat, inactive; average red winter, 3d, cheaper on passage from the continent—Wheat, 310,000 qrs.; maize, 170,000 qrs.

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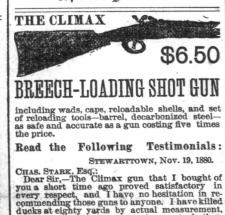


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for the approval of the which that great na railway, shall be e hereafter in a way th obtained the approva sanction of the peop upon terms more fa have ever the House. Mr. Chairman, gence of the Ho considerable length, grounds upon which I tion embodies the po Canada, as expressed or the consideration he completion of this han any previously si ave the less hesitat ence of the House, be or the purpose of reater ability than ositions in this House a o other, and but for esterday, I would xpressing the opinio rave and important as

eive the unanimous ment. Sir CHARLES TUPP have been warranted in are lusion but for the very ions that were made from ask hon, gentlemen on House to affirm a proposit have again and again, as

THE POLICY I need not remind the Houright hon. friend, the leade ment, occupied in 1871 which he now occupies, structing a great line that two great oceans which for western boundaries of Canada received the appr And not only did the that great work rec of a large majority in the country, but in specific to by which that work should were embodied in the form liament. It was moved by Sir George Cartier:—"Th ferred to in the Addr jesty concerning the un Columbia with Canada this House on Saturday, should be constructed and enterprise and not by the ment, and that the public air secure that undertaking sh such liberal grants of land ar and any other aid not undu the industry and resources of the Parliament of Canada sha termine." Mr. BLAKE—That was the brought down.
Sir CHARLES TUPPER first resolution, and it was a more strongly that the work

volve an increase in the exist tion. The hon. gentleman tion. The hon gentleman me that it embodies the mode road should be constructed though hon gentlemen in though the two great parties this House, may entertain opinion as to the construction and the means that may be opinion as to the construction and the means that may be accomplishment, the House we that, because the hon, gentlem the Opposition in this House so lution introduced as an amend the present Chief Justice Dorion the road should be construct way, adding to the resolute and not otherwise." The was to make it impossible for was to make it impossible f in any other mode than thro of a private company or aide lands and money. And wh moved by Sir George Carti the work should be construcreceived the support of eventhis side of the House, affirmation moved by Mr. work should not be done received, I believe, the sup tleman on the other side of fore I think I may say that t liament, not the policy of and distinctly affirmed in the reso the journals in 1871. THE PROPOSALS O

Well, sir, in 1872 it became state in distinct terms Government proposed, u thority of that resolution the construction of The journals of 1872 will shument, by a deliberate vote large majority, placed at the construction of the journal as an experience of \$220.00 cm. Government a sum of \$30,00 and a grant of 50,000,000 a and a grant of 50,000,000 a the construction of the main ditional amount of 20,000 acr Pembina branch of 85 mile acres of land for the Nepig that time, sir, I may remind it was expected, as possibly m the case yet, that the line of way from Nipissing westward the north of Lake Nepigon was therefore made for a branco f 25,000 acres of land per mile to secure connection between and the main line. Now, sir, came the subject of very constant in this House and out