

OATS.—It is the opinion of many that the loss of the Reciprocity Treaty will affect the price of oats more than of any other grain. For the past year the average price has been 31c. against 40c. for 1865—a reduction of 9c. per bushel. The increase in the production, which is estimated to be large, may have produced this effect, but deliveries on the whole have been less than in 1865. It is anticipated that a large quantity will come out this winter, but it is not likely without prices improve, as farmers generally prefer to feed their oats if no higher price than 30c. can be procured.

The total quantity received here for 1866 amounts to.....122,174 bushels.
 Receipts, 186523,867 "
 Increase, 186698,307 "

RYE.—The receipts of rye this year by rail amount to 19,945 bushels—all used in Messrs. Gooderham & Worts' distillery. About 12,000 bushels more have been received in the city from other sources, making the total receipts 31,945 bushels, against 42,607 bushels in 1865. The price has remained steadily at 1c. per pound.

The shipments to United States from this port by water have been as follows:—

SHIPMENTS TO U. S. FROM TORONTO.

	Oswego.	Ogdensburg.	Other ports.	Total.
Flour	3,869	2,972	35,000	40,841
Fall Wheat	381,508	25,691	97,828	504,067
Spring do	105,869	23,436	90,146	219,481
Peas	92,974		7,720	100,694
Oats	82,380		2,430	84,816

The following statement shows the increase on each article received in Toronto for 1866, and the total increase in bushels:—

Article	Increase	In bushels of 60 lbs
Flour	63,892	399,410
Wheat	201,781	201,781
Barley	81,641	74,838
Peas	224,107	224,107
Oats	98,307	49,576
Total increase 1866.....		869,762