

WHOLESALE MERCHANTS.

To the Trade

October 1st.

OUR NEW

Shipments to-day include repeat orders in those popular lines of

TAPESTRY CARPETS

Jute Carpets, Handkerchiefs, Velveteens and Italian Cloths.

New Goods a Specialty.

FILLING LETTER ORDERS A SPECIALTY

John Macdonald & Co.

Wellington and Front Sts. East, TORONTO.

CHICAGO WHEAT CLOSE WEAK

Northwest Markets Were Much Easier.

Liverpool Cables of a Fraction—

Corn Fairly Steady at Chicago—

Honey and Cheese—Local Cattle,

Grain and Fruit Quotations—

Notes and General Gossip.

Friday Evening, Sept. 30.

Today's Liverpool wheat market was dull and easier. The December delivery closed at 1/2 cent, and the March option 1/2 cent for the day.

Paris wheat closed 20 to 30 centimes lower for the day, with flour 5 to 10 centimes lower.

Cables to the above effect, together with large primary receipts and easier prices in the Northwest, caused a heavy feeling on the Chicago board. Futures closed 1/2 cent per bushel lower than yesterday's final figures.

Chicago corn was about steady to-day, with an easier feeling. The December delivery closed at 1/2 cent, and the March option 1/2 cent for the day.

White clover advanced another shilling at Liverpool to-day.

Flour dropped 3d at Liverpool.

Receipts of wheat at Liverpool the past three days, 1,070,000 bushels, all American. Corn same time, 263,000 bushels.

December wheat puts, 62 1/2c; corn puts, 29 1/2c; calls, 29c.

Forty loads of wheat and 20 of corn are reported taken for export to-day.

Trials clearance to-day: Wheat and flour equal to 680,000 bushels; corn, 274,257 bushels.

Argentine wheat shipments for the week nil, against nil last week and all the same day a year ago. Corn shipments, 1,424,000 bushels, against 228,000 bushels last week and nil the same day a year ago.

Wheat receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day, 1250 cars, against 1068 cars the same day a year ago.

It is figured that Duluth wheat stocks will show an increase of 300,000 bushels for the week.

Our Money Wanted.

There is a demand in the United States for Canadian money.

Cheese Advancing.

During the past two weeks the price of cheese has appreciated fully 1 1/2c. Two weeks ago 8c to 8 1/2c was the ruling figure of country best.

It advanced gradually last week, until on Friday last 8c was a common figure, and as high as 9 1/2c per lb. was paid by one man for 400 boxes.

This week 9 1/2c has been the ruling figure, and 9 1/2c has been received for about 1000 boxes. A bid of 9c has been refused on three boards.

The price of cheese is now just about the same as it was in September last year. The latest reports indicate that the firm feeling is still manifest.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

Table with columns for location (Chicago, St. Louis, Milwaukee, Toledo, Detroit, Duluth, No. 1, Northern, No. 1, Duluth, No. 1) and prices for various grades of wheat and flour.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour—Straight rollers, in barrels, middle freight, are quoted at \$3.10 to \$3.15 at Toronto.

Wheat—Market easy, with red winter at 62c and white at 61c to 62c north and west. No. 1 hard Manitoba, 70c float at Fort William.

Eye quoted at 41c to 42c north and west.

Oats—New white oats quoted at 24c north and west.

Barley—Quoted at 42c to 45c, middle freight, for No. 1.

Buckwheat—Prices nominal.

Beans—Sells at \$8 to \$8.50 west and shorts at \$12.50 to \$13.50 west.

Corn—Canadian, 22c to 23c west, and American 20c to 21c at Toronto.

Peanut—New peas are quoted at 52c north and west, in car lots.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce generally were very large to-day, 1500 bushels of grain being delivered.

Wheat earlier, 2000 bushels selling as follows: White 62c to 70c, red 60 1/2c to 67c, good 62c to 62 1/2c, and one load of spring at 67c.

Barley steady, 3000 bushels selling at 41c to 41c.

Oats steady, 2000 bushels sold at 27c to 27c.

Peas steady, 100 bushels sold at 45c to 54c.

Dressed Hogs—Deliveries large at \$5.25 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Hay sold at \$7.50 to \$8.50 per ton for timothy clover, \$5.50 to \$6.50.

Straw sold at \$7 to \$7.50 per ton for three loads.

Potatoes plentiful at 70c to 85c per bag.

GRAIN.

Wheat, white, bush, \$0.68 to \$0.70

red, bush, 0.62 to 0.64

oats, bush, 0.27 to 0.28

peas, bush, 0.45 to 0.54

eye, bush, 0.45 to 0.54

buckwheat, bush, 0.45 to 0.54

beans, bush, 0.45 to 0.54

red clover, bush, \$0.25 to \$0.35

white clover seed, bush, 0.60 to 0.70

ALDIE CLOVER, BUSH, 4.00 to 4.50

Timothy, bush, 1.25 to 1.35

Beans, white, bush, 0.75 to 0.80

Hay and straw, per ton, \$7.50 to \$8.50

clover, per ton, 5.00 to 6.00

Straw, short, per ton, 7.00 to 7.50

house, per ton, 4.00 to 5.00

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter, lb. rolls, \$0.18 to \$0.20

large rolls, 0.14 to 0.15

Eggs, new-laid, 0.16 to 0.18

fresh, 0.18 to 0.20

Deer, hindquarters, cwt., \$7.00 to \$8.00

forequarters, cwt., 6.00 to 7.00

Lamb, spring, per lb., 0.07 to 0.08

Mutton, carcass, cwt., 8.00 to 9.00

Hogs, dressed, light, 5.25 to 5.50

heavy, 5.00 to 5.25

POULTRY.

Chickens, per pair, \$0.40 to \$0.75

Turkeys, per lb., 0.11 to 0.12 1/2

Spring ducks, per pair, 0.60 to 0.80

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Apples, per bush, \$0.70 to \$1.50

per bush, 0.10 to 0.15

Potatoes, per bag, 0.70 to 0.85

Cabbages, per doz., 0.25 to 0.30

Onions, Spanish, per lb., 0.03 1/2 to 0.04

Beets, per doz., 0.12 1/2 to 0.15

Cauliflower, per doz., 0.15 to 0.20

Green corner, per doz., 0.00 to 0.05

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Hay, baled, car lots, per ton, \$7.00 to \$7.50

Straw, baled, car lots, per ton, \$4.00 to \$4.50

Butter, choice, tubs, 0.15 to 0.16

medium, 0.12 to 0.13

Creamery boxes, 0.18 to 0.19

Creamery, lb. rolls, 0.20 to 0.21

Eggs, choice, candled, 0.15 to 0.16

Honey, per lb., 0.03 to 0.05

HIDES AND WOOL.

Price list, revised daily by James Hallam & Sons, 130 Front-street east, Toronto:

Hides, No. 1 green, \$3.00 to \$3.50

No. 2 green, 2.50 to 3.00

No. 3 green, 2.00 to 2.50

No. 4 green, 1.50 to 2.00

Calves, No. 1, 0.10 to 0.15

No. 2, 0.08 to 0.12

Sheepskins, No. 1, 1.10 to 1.20

No. 2, 0.90 to 1.00

Wool, fleece, 0.55 to 0.60

unwashed, 0.10 to 0.15

Wool, pulled, super, 0.10 1/2 to 0.15 1/2

Tallow, rendered, 0.08 to 0.09

rough, 0.01 1/2 to 0.02 1/2

TORONTO FRUIT MARKET.

Deliveries of fruit were not so large to-day—about 4000 packages.

Common peaches sold at 20c to 40c, and choice large varieties at 50c to 75c per bushel.

Apples, 1 1/2 to 1 1/2c for small basket, and 20c to 25c for larger plants.

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WESTERN, \$3.63 to \$4.00; stickers and feeders, \$3.20 to \$4.00.

Chicago Markets.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

Table with columns for commodity (Wheat, Corn, Oats, Pork, Lard, Hops) and prices for various grades and contracts.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Sept. 30.—No. 1 North, spring, 6s 3/4; red winter, 6s 1/4; No. 2, Cal. 6s 6d to 6s 6d; corn, 3s 2 1/2d; peas, 5s 2d; pork, 50s; lard, 25s 9d; tallow, 20s; bacon, heavy, 1c. 30s; light, 25s 1/2d; short cut, 30s; cheese, white, 42s; colored, 42s.

Liverpool—Open—Spot wheat dull, with red winter at 6s 2d. Futures quiet at 5s 9d for Dec. and 5s 5 1/2d for March. Maize quiet at 5s 2 1/2d for spot. Futures, 3s 3 1/2d for Oct. and 3s 4 1/2d for Dec.

London—Wheat of coast nearly done on passage rather easier. Mixed hard, steam, Oct. and Nov., 25s 6d. English country markets quiet. Maize of coast nearly done on passage rather easier. Mixed hard, steam, Oct. and Nov., 25s 6d. English country markets quiet.

Paris—Wheat—Wheat of coast nearly done on passage rather easier. Mixed hard, steam, Oct. and Nov., 25s 6d. English country markets quiet.

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