

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

THE state of the weather during the latter portion of the week has been such as to seriously impede business of every kind. A heavy and driving storm of snow fell on Tuesday night, succeeded by rain, and with mild weather and showers at intervals since, the streets and country roads have been almost impassable. Bread-stuffs and grain have engaged little attention, either for export or local use. Provisions have been also in diminished request. Ashes have ruled dull, at a material decline from rates during the recent excitement.

PORK.—The stock is so small that the approach of the packing season exercises but little influence upon the market, retail sales continue to be made at previous rates; were any quantity, however, pressed upon the market, a concession would be needed to place it.

DRESSED HOGS.—Are arriving very sparingly, but with the unsettled weather we have had, receipts are quite sufficient for the demand, which is as yet very trifling. Prices are declining, and now range from \$8 to \$9. Any increase in the arrivals before steady cold has set in, will infallibly reduce prices to a point at which packers will be willing to operate.

BUTTER.—Has been dull and unsettled since our last. In the American markets the stocks of all descriptions are reported to be heavy and augmenting, as the export demand has almost ceased, leaving them dependent upon their home trade, which will not absorb all their surplus stock.

The stock in this market is supposed to be unusually small for the season, and rather than submit to a decline, holders in many cases will prefer to ship all their better qualities to Britain, while prices there remain high. It seems, however, probable that the present very high range of prices can hardly be maintained, as a large proportion of the medium and inferior grades, unfit for table use, can only be brought into actual consumption at low figures, to compete with the various substitutes that can be used in baking, cooking, &c.

LARD AND TALLOW.—Remain without change to note.

ASHEs.—Have now settled down to a point at which purchasers are willing to operate; the demand is, however, far from active, present rates being paid reluctantly, but the firm attitude of holders prevents any further decline; receipts are limited, and with the small stocks in the principal British markets, it seems probable that present rates will be maintained.

Flour.—The receipts have been small, but fully equal to the demand. Less enquiry for Quebec and Lower Ports has existed than was generally anticipated, while the almost impassable condition of the roads, cutting off the retail demand, has materially hindered the purchases for local use. The attention of exporters, which the gradually improving tone of British advices had begun to direct to Flour, has resulted in little, owing to the latest mails noting a quieter market, and the upward movement arrested. American advices still reporting Flour as difficult to quit, except at a decline, causes the higher grades to be neglected here, and the protracted depression has led to some concession on the part of holders, with a view to reducing accumulations. Superior Extras are only taken in small parcels. Extras have been placed mostly by single hundreds at \$7 to \$7 15, and Fancy, but only to a very limited extent, within range of quotations. In Supers the bulk of the transactions have been at somewhat lower rates than last quoted; Welland Canal and other brands from Western Wheat have latterly been placed at \$6.15, while even \$6.05 has been accepted in one or more instances for ordinary Canada No. 1; the ruling rate, however, for good brands from Canada Wheat have been \$6.15 to \$6.25, any transactions above or below being somewhat exceptional. The supply of the lower grades continuing within the wants of the trade, we have no material change to report. There was more show of inquiry at the close, there being a few buyers in from the country, with a view to replenishing, prior to the final close of navigation; as, however, they contented themselves for the day with obtaining a run of prices, little actual increase in the average amount of business can be noted.

Bao Flour.—Has been freely supplied, and although liberal concessions in price have been made, little has changed hands, owing mainly to the condition of the country roads. Jobbers are comparatively idle, and are unwilling to lay in stock, even at relatively low prices, until prospects of speedier returns improve. The bulk of late arrivals have, there-

fore, of necessity, been stored, and are likely to do better, barring a further decline in the flour market generally.

OATMEAL.—The offerings are small, and the demand limited; prices range from \$1.90 to \$5.10, only strictly good however commands extreme quotations.

WHEAT.—There are no new features to note. U. C. Spring arrives sparingly, and being mostly direct to millers, very little is offered for sale. Nominal prices are \$1.25 to \$1.30. Western is held at about same figures, but buyers are unwilling to operate, except at a considerable decline.

PEAS.—There being no sea-going vessels in port, except the last steamer for the season, now about clearing, there is little or no demand for peas, and prices have materially declined, latest transactions being at \$0 to 85c per 66lbs.

OATS.—Continue about as at date of our last. American advices are again improved, and a better demand may be looked for.

BARLEY.—Little doing on the spot, and prices mostly nominal.

PRICES OF GRAIN.

	Average Prices on									
	Friday, Nov. 17.	Satur. 18.	Monday 20.	Tuesday 21.	Wednesday 22.	Highest price 92.	Average for week.	Current price.	Week 1865.	Week 1866.
Flour, Superior Extra.	7.75	7.75	7.75	7.75	7.75	8.00	7.75	4.80		
Extra	7.20	7.20	7.20	7.20	7.20	7.40	7.20	4.54		
Fancy	6.90	6.90	6.90	6.90	6.90	7.00	6.90	4.37		
Superfine	6.20	6.15	6.15	6.15	6.15	6.20	6.15	4.27		
No. 2	5.30	5.30	5.30	5.30	5.30	5.40	5.30	4.03		
Fine	5.12	5.12	5.12	5.12	5.12	5.20	5.12	3.77		
Bag Flour, 112 lbs.	3.35	3.35	3.35	3.35	3.35	3.40	3.35	2.39		
Oatmeal, 100 lbs.	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.92	2.00	1.92	1.87		
Wheat	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.90	0.85	0.53		
Peas	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.62	0.61	0.41		
Barley	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.33	0.32	0.22		
Oats	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.33	0.32	0.22		

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

VIA GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY AND CANAL.

	For the week ending Wednesday, Nov. 22, 1865.	From the 1st January to Nov. 22, 1865.	To corresponding period 1864.
Wheat, bushels	36,371	1,437,646	4,050,968
Flour, barrels	21,820	714,123	722,431
Corn, bushels	56,802	831,793	149,608
Peas, "	26,430	389,844	339,718
Oats, "	9,080	65,442	104,214
Barley, "	288	31,396	149,736
Rye, "	—	15,200	30,020
Oat and Corn Meal, bbls.	100	2,150	1,291
Ashes, barrels	570	27,257	26,379
Butter, kegs	1,281	61,504	61,144
Cheese, boxes	838	24,119	24,119
Pork, barrels	10	19,067	35,010
Lard, "	74	1,723	10,046
Tallow, "	4	1,233	2,253
Whiskey & H. Wine, cks. & punchs	65	6,505	5,961

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