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there is an active demand at present. Quinine
is fairly active and no easier in price.

DRY GOODS.—Some activity exists just now
by reason of country merchants taking ad-
vantage of the cheap railway fares existing
just now. Buyers are in the city from east
and west, purchasing mainly summer goods,
such as grenadines, victoria lawns, muslins,
ribbons, laces, &c., with an active enquiry for
cotton, printed shirting, flannels, printed
sateens and some light silks. The national
holiday has interfered with business by sales-
men on the road.

FLOUR AND OATMEAL.—The flour market is
dull and featureless, prices are merely nomi-
nal. Oatmeal is dull and unchanged in prices.
Bran not in such active demand, and prices
are weaker, the reduction being about fifty
cents per ton. For car loads on track the
figure is \$ 4.50 per ton, lesser quantities \$15.

GRAIN.—The wheat market is dull and lower
all round. The demand from millers is mod-
erately good, but there is nothing else doing.
The lower quotations in our prices current are
the result of the decline on the English and
American markets. The barley season is over,
not much wanted or offering unless for feed
purposes; quotations unchanged. Oats are
lower by two or three cents per bushel, and
duller at the decline caused by increased re-
ceipts, the demand being about the usual
volume. Peas, nothing doing, no transactions
reported east or west; quotations nominally 70
to 72c. per bushel.

GROCERIES.—Business is fairly good, and no
complaints heard as to payments. Canned
goods are moving fairly well at unchanged
figures. Dried fruits are easier, if any thing,
and crop prospects for the coming season are
still brilliant. The special feature in the trade
is the excessive demand for sugar. The refin-
ers are not able to turn it out fast enough to
meet present wants; in fact, we believe there is
not a wholesale grocer in the city who can at
present fill his orders. In New York, sugar is
higher, and the prospects are an increase in

quotations here. For the present we quote
extra granulated at 4½ to 5c. per lb.; Redpath
Paris lump, 5½ to 5½c.; very bright, 4½ to 4½c.;
bright yellow, 4½ to 4½c.; medium, 4c.; brown,
4½ to 3 15-16. Teas are fairly active; coffees
are dull and very firm at quotations.

HAY AND STRAW.—The market is well sup-
plied, and prices are lower. Best timothy hay
brings \$16 per ton, lower qualities \$14; mixed
hay is ranging from \$10 to \$12, according to
quality. Straw \$8 to \$9 per ton.

HIDES AND SKINS.—The market for hides is
in a somewhat unsettled condition, caused by
the drop in Chicago of one-half cent, which
market has again rallied one quarter cent.
Hides are offered at 6c. per lb. here, but it is
very probable that one-quarter cent less will be
taken. Sheepskins are nominal; none offering;
season over. Lambskins and shearlings still
unchanged in prices, selling as fast as offered;
supply large. Calfskins are dull; no change
in price to note. Tallow continues scarce;
prices strong but unaltered.

LEATHER.—The leather market is again
quiet, but prices are fairly firm and un-
changed. There is no outside or export
demand; the business for Ontario is of about
the usual volume. In the Province of Que-
bec, business seems to be so demoralized that
houses are very cautious in making sales, and
prefer to wait further developments before
doing business.

PROVISIONS.—A moderately good trade is
doing. The receipts of butter are quite equal
to the requirements, selling at 13 to 14c. per lb.
for choice dairy in pails and tubs; there are
some rolls in the market, which have been
shipped in iced refrigerator boxes, selling at 14
to 15c. per lb.; no common or medium butters
quoted. Cheese is fairly steady at 9½ to 10c.
per lb., the feeling being that prices will be
firmer if not higher soon. It is generally known
in the trade that from unfavorable weather,
the make this season is 40,000 boxes short com-
pared with last year, and stocks on hand are at
present light. In hog products there is a fair
trade doing at unchanged figures; hams are
particularly active at 11 to 11½c. per lb. Dried
and evaporated apples are dull and prices un-
altered. In choice Canadian hops the market
is no easier, ranging in price from 35 to 37c.
per lb., and firm at these quotations. Yearling

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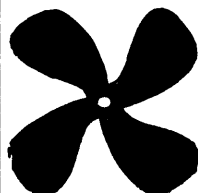
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