

which are in short supply. *Harness leather* has been in fair demand during the week. Prices unchanged. Since the opening of snow-blockaded roads in the country remittances have improved.

PROVISIONS.—Trade has not improved any during the week, business being almost confined to small parcels for city retailers. Several pork packers, however, are now cutting. Remittances are slightly better. *Butter.*—The market continues in a state of complete stagnation; shippers would not pay over 5c for medium grades, and we hear of no transactions. Choice selections are still worth 11 to 12c, with none offering. Boxed butter is in better demand at 9 to 11c, but very little offering. On the street pound rolls bring 15c, and tub dairy 13c. *Bacon.*—There is no movement, and prices are unchanged; there have been some enquiries for round lots for future delivery. *Cheese* has remained very dull; quantities from outside have offered at reduced rates—holders cannot realize outside quotations. The only reported sale in this market was that of 50 boxes choice Fall make at 7c. *Dried Apples*—Receipts have increased, and the market is weak; buyers are offering only 2c., and sellers are asking 3c. No sales. *Dressed Hogs*—There have been a good many coming in by rail, and a fair trade was done at a range of from \$3.25 to \$3.60 for car lots. The outside figure is only paid for selected heavy weights. Street prices range from \$3.55 to \$4. *Eggs*—The offerings of store keepers during the week have been poor, and 14 to 16c is still the range for packed lots; fresh are wanted at 19 to 20c. On the street they bring 20 to 22c., and packed eggs 15 to 16c. *Hams, hops, and Mess Pork* have remained inactive and nominal, there being no quotable movement, and no change in prices. *Lard* has con-

tinued in good local demand, at last week's quotations; but the sales were all quite small. On the street market, dressed turkeys bring 9c. per lb.; ducks, 7c.; geese, 4½ to 5c.; and chickens, 5c.

WOOL.—Trade in wool has been as dull as possible. For small lots of 500 lbs. each, etc. of *fleece* 20c. is still being paid by dealers, but there has been no reported movement in *Pulled Super*, and quotations rule nominal at the figures quoted last week.

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HUGH SCOTT,
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December 9th, 1878.

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