

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

VEGETABLES WERE
RATHER SCARCE

London Market Today Was
Small, But Sales Were
Brisk.

EGG PRICES ARE LOWER

Only One Load of Oats Offered—Price
Paid Was \$1.59—Other
Quotations.

There was only a small market this morning, but the sales were somewhat brisker than in the past few days. The twenty-odd loads of hay that comprised that part of the market this morning sold very rapidly, though the price was considerably lower than it has been for some time. The highest price paid today was \$14, while a good part of the hay went at a much lower figure than that, some of it selling as low as \$12.

The low price offered for oats on Friday and Saturday has had a tendency to kill the market for the last two days. There was only one load offered today. It brought \$1.59, but that was according to an agreement some days ago, and does not, therefore, represent the market price.

The heavy supply of eggs offered on Saturday has also depressed their market considerably, and the demand today was very slow, though the price remained about as during the past few days.

Vegetables Scarce.

Even vegetables were somewhat scarce today. There were a few loads of potatoes that found a fairly ready sale, but other root vegetables are drawing to a close, and the prices have likely reached their lowest mark. Radishes were fairly abundant at 40 cents a dozen. Green onions were very much scarcer than usual, and their price remained firm.

There was a slight decrease in the prices of some other vegetables. The ever-popular lettuce, while not very prominent in the market today, sold for 20 cents a dozen, while spinach was at 75 cents. Asparagus remained the same in price, though the supply was considerably shorter today.

Potted plants and nursery stock were really the only commodities that were shown in any quantities, and they were in unfailing demand as usual.

Other prices on today's market were as follows:

Grain.

Wheat, per bu.	1.45	to	1.50
Oats, per bu.	1.45	to	1.50
Barley, per bu.	1.45	to	1.50
Corn, per bu.	1.45	to	1.50
Buckwheat, per bu.	1.45	to	1.50
Beans, per bu.	1.45	to	1.50
Peas, per bu.	1.45	to	1.50

Hides and Wool.

Wool, washed, per lb.	12	to	13
Wool, unwashed, per lb.	10	to	11
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	12	to	13
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	10	to	11
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	8	to	9
Sheepskins, each	2	to	3
Calveskins, No. 1, per lb.	12	to	13
Calveskins, No. 2, per lb.	10	to	11

Poultry, Dry.

Turkey, per lb.	15	to	20
Old fowl, per lb.	12	to	14
Spring chickens, per lb.	15	to	20

Poultry, Alive.

Turkey, per lb.	15	to	20
Old fowl, per lb.	12	to	14
Spring chickens, per lb.	15	to	20

Swine.

Feet hogs, per cwt.	1.10	to	1.20
Salt hogs, per cwt.	1.10	to	1.20
Export hogs, per cwt.	1.10	to	1.20
Milk hogs, per cwt.	1.10	to	1.20

Vegetables.

Potatoes, per bag	75	to	80
Turnips, per bag	30	to	40
Beets, per bag	30	to	40
Carrots, per bag	30	to	40
Onions, per bag	1.00	to	1.10
Celery, per bunch	40	to	50
Spinach, per bunch	40	to	50
Asparagus, per bunch	40	to	50
Radishes, per bunch	40	to	50
Green onions, per bunch	40	to	50
Spinach, per bunch	40	to	50

Dairy Products.

Butter, creamery, per lb.	22	to	25
Butter, roll, per lb.	19	to	22
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	18	to	20
Eggs, stale, per doz.	15	to	17
Honey, strained, per lb.	12	to	15

Butcher's Meats.

Beef, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00
Beef, hindquarters, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00
Mutton, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00
Veal, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00
Spring lamb, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00
Pork, hindquarters, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00
Pork, forequarters, per cwt.	8.00	to	9.00

Hay and Straw.

Hay, per ton	12.00	to	14.00
Straw, per ton	1.00	to	1.20
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Millfeed.

Shorts, wholesale, ton	20.00	to	25.00
Shorts, retail, ton	20.00	to	25.00
Brans, wholesale, ton	20.00	to	25.00
Brans, retail, ton	20.00	to	25.00

Seeds.

Alfalfa, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Lucerne, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Clover, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Timothy, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Blue grass, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Orchard grass, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Perennial ryegrass, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Red clover, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
White clover, per bu.	10.00	to	12.00
Straw, per ton	1.00	to	1.20

COTTON.

New York, June 1.—Cotton—Futures opened steady; June, 10.35 offered; July, 10.50; August, 10.65; September, 10.80; October, 10.95; November, 11.10; December, 11.25; January, 11.40; February, 11.55; March, 11.70.

GRAIN.

Toronto, June 1.—The grain markets are almost absolutely featureless today, and there is no change in the prices of any of the principal commodities. Wheat quotations are lower and corn is off. Ontario wheat—No. 2 red, white or mixed, \$1.30 to \$1.35. No. 1 northern, \$1.31 to \$1.36. No. 2 northern, \$1.24 to \$1.29. No. 3 northern, \$1.17 to \$1.22. Corn—Amateur, \$1.00 to \$1.05. Ontario wheat—No. 2 red, white or mixed, \$1.30 to \$1.35. No. 1 northern, \$1.31 to \$1.36. No. 2 northern, \$1.24 to \$1.29. No. 3 northern, \$1.17 to \$1.22. Corn—Amateur, \$1.00 to \$1.05.

Ontario Flour—Ninety per cent winter wheat patents, \$5.75 to \$5.85, in buyers' sacks, on track at Toronto, and \$5.50 to \$5.60 outside.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, \$2.25 to \$2.34 per ton; shorts, \$2.25 to \$2.34 on track at Toronto; Ontario bran, \$2.25; shorts, \$2.25, on track at Toronto.

LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO.

Prime steers, \$5.75 to \$5.85, in buyers' sacks, on track at Toronto, and \$5.50 to \$5.60 outside.

Calves—Receipts, 500 head; slow and the lower, \$5 to \$5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,000 head; slow and the lower, \$5 to \$5.50; heavy, \$5.50 to \$5.75; mixed, \$5.40 to \$5.60; pigs, \$5.25 to \$5.40; roughs, \$5.30 to \$5.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 800 head; slow and the lower, \$5 to \$5.50; heavy, \$5.50 to \$5.75; mixed, \$5.40 to \$5.60; pigs, \$5.25 to \$5.40; roughs, \$5.30 to \$5.50.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 1.—Trade active, prices steady; 36 loads in today, including 1,700 cattle, 286 sheep and lambs, 800 hogs and 528 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt.	55	to	58
Export cattle, medium, cwt.	50	to	53
Export cattle, light, cwt.	45	to	48
Export cattle, cwt.	40	to	43
Butchers' cattle, cwt.	45	to	48
Butchers' cattle, medium, cwt.	40	to	43
Butchers' cattle, light, cwt.	35	to	38
Butchers' cattle, cwt.	30	to	33
Stockers, cwt.	35	to	38
Stockers, medium, cwt.	30	to	33
Stockers, light, cwt.	25	to	28
Stockers, cwt.	20	to	23
Feeder, heavy, cwt.	45	to	48
Feeder, medium, cwt.	40	to	43
Feeder, light, cwt.	35	to	38
Feeder, cwt.	30	to	33
Milk cows, choice, each	40.00	to	50.00
Milk cows, common, each	25.00	to	35.00
Lambs, spring, each	4.00	to	5.00
Lambs, ewe, cwt.	4.00	to	5.00
Sheep, ewe, cwt.	4.00	to	5.00
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Hogs, select, cwt. off cars	7.75	to	8.00
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Chicago, June 1.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 2,000; market steady; beefs, \$5.15 to \$5.25; steers, \$4.10 to \$4.40; western steers, \$4.15 to \$4.30; stockers and feeders, \$3.40 to \$3.60; calves, \$5.25 to \$5.50.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 14,000; market steady; light, \$6.20 to \$6.35; mixed, \$5.85 to \$6.10; heavy, \$5.75 to \$5.90; roughs, \$5.40 to \$5.60; good to choice, \$6.15 to \$6.30; bulk of sales at \$5.75 to \$5.85.

Sheep—Receipts estimated at 8,000; market steady; natives, \$4 to \$5.00; westerns, \$4.25 to \$4.50; yearlings, \$3.25 to \$3.40; lambs, natives, \$3.25 to \$3.50; westerns, \$3.50 to \$3.75.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

Liverpool, May 31.—John Rodgers & Co., cable: States steers, 13c to 13½c; Canadian, 12½c to 13½c; ranchers, 11½c to 12½c; cows, 11½c to 12½c; bulls, 10c to 10½c. Weather bad. Trade very slow.

DAIRY.

Utica, N. Y., May 31.—On the dairy board of trade today sales of lots of 4,400 boxes of cheese were reported, selling at 11½c to 11¾c, the former price ruling. The market was better than of late, creamery at 27c, and 10 crates of prints at 27½c.

SHERBROOKE.

Sherbrooke, May 31.—On the dairy board today butter sold at 21½c; no cheese boardings.

FARNHAM.

Farnham, May 31.—Thirteen factories offered 342 cases of butter; sold at 22c.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 31.—The cheese market closed with a decline. Receipts of new-made are as yet light, and there is a good demand for the remaining stock of old. Quotations in Toronto are: Old, 14c to 14½c; twins, 10½c to 11½c; new, 12½c.

HIDES, TALLOW.

Toronto, May 31.—Hides and skins sold today as follows: No. 1 inspected steers, 90 and 95 lbs. No. 2, 85 to 90 lbs. No. 3, 80 to 85 lbs. No. 4, 75 to 80 lbs. No. 5, 70 to 75 lbs. No. 6, 65 to 70 lbs. No. 7, 60 to 65 lbs. No. 8, 55 to 60 lbs. No. 9, 50 to 55 lbs. No. 10, 45 to 50 lbs. No. 11, 40 to 45 lbs. No. 12, 35 to 40 lbs. No. 13, 30 to 35 lbs. No. 14, 25 to 30 lbs. No. 15, 20 to 25 lbs. No. 16, 15 to 20 lbs. No. 17, 10 to 15 lbs. No. 18, 5 to 10 lbs. No. 19, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 20, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 21, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 22, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 23, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 24, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 25, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 26, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 27, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 28, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 29, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 30, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 31, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 32, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 33, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 34, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 35, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 36, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 37, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 38, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 39, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 40, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 41, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 42, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 43, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 44, 0 to 5 lbs. No. 45, 0 to 5 lbs. 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