

doing in hops; we quote new 18 to 20c., yearling 15 to 16c. per lb. The feeling in hog products is easier, but a fair trade is doing; there is a good demand for long clear bacon at 10½ to 11c. per lb. Dressed hogs are easier. There has been an excellent trade done in lard this year and the high prices are still maintained; we quote tubs 13 to 13½c., pails 13½ to 13¾c. per lb. Eggs at 17 to 17½c. are lower, and would have been still lower if Montreal had not made demands upon our stocks.

SEEDS.—The markets in clover and timothy are at present nervous and unsettled, while the return of the winter weather has somewhat checked the demand and caused an easier feeling to prevail in the market. We quote, for selling prices: Timothy, \$2.50 to 2.75 per 48 lbs.; Alsike clover, \$6 to 8.40; red clover, \$8.75 to 9.50 per 60 lbs., but dealers are inclined to shade prices a little on round lots. Stocks all round are light, and a week's fine weather might alter the situation and give prices an upward turn. We quote Hungarian grass, \$1 to 1.10; millet seed, 80 to 95c. per 48 lbs. The wholesale men are now very busy putting up orders for garden seed.

Wool.—The situation remains without change; the scarcity in fleece is noted, especially in low grades suitable for blankets. Pulled wools are slow of sale with prices unchanged. We quote combing 17 to 18c.; super, 21 to 22c.; extra, 25 to 27c. per lb.

BRITISH IRON MARKET.

The stock of Scotch pig iron in the public stores at Glasgow on 3rd March was 351,080 tons, where it was 500,901 on like date of 1892. Stocks of Cumberland iron were 47,089 tons against 160,073 tons twelve months before. There were at that date 66 Scotch, 89 Middlebro, 33 Cumberland furnaces in blast, against 78, 85 and 42 respectively the year before. Shipments of all three kinds thus far in 1893 were much smaller than in same period of 1892. The circular of James Watson & Co., Glasgow, dated 24th ult., which had the following: "As was generally anticipated, the 'corner' in Scotch warrants came to a climax last Monday (20th), when business was openly done at 51, although privately 53/ was understood to have been paid. On Tuesday the price was 47/ and then no cash transactions took place till yesterday, when 42/ was accepted. At the same time a large business has been done at 41/ for delivery one month forward. To-day the cash price is about 41/ per ton. Makers' prices are all weaker, one firm having reduced their quotations 2/ per ton. It is to be hoped the market will now resume a natural condition"—is succeeded by one of 3rd inst. to the following effect: "The Scotch iron market has been very depressed this week owing to holders having sold freely and warrants being delivered. This should re-open the market. Operators are still shy of doing much, 'bears' being afraid to commit themselves. A few outsiders have been making purchases. Makers' iron is in very limited demand."

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PRICES OF MAKERS' IRON ON 3RD WERE AS UNDER:

	No. 1.	No. 3.
G. M. B. fas Glasgow	41/6	41/
Coltness	54/0	49/
Langloan	54/6	46/
Summerlee	51/	46/
Calder	50/	46/
Gartsherrie	48/6	45/
Shotts	52/6	48/6
Clyde	48/	45/
Carnbroe	44/	43/

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Liverpool, Mar. 16, 12.30 p. m.

	s.	d.
Wheat, Spring	6	4
Red, Winter	5	7
No. 1 Cal.	6	1
Corn	4	2
Peas	5	2½
Lard	59	0
Pork	96	0
Bacon, heavy	51	0
Bacon, light	51	8
Tallow	38	0
Cheese, new white	55	0
Cheese, new colored	55	0

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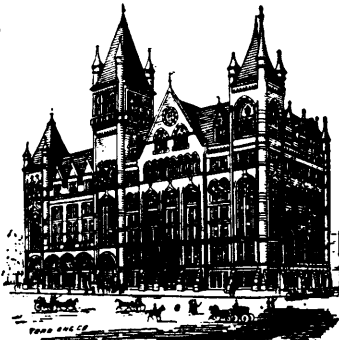
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