

58c to 60c. *Cream of Tartar* unchanged at 35c. *Turpentine* firm at 95c to \$1.00. *Linseed Oil* steady at 76c for boiled and 72c for raw. *Glycerine* firm at 45c to 47c. *Potass Iodide* steady at \$2.75 per lb. *Potass Bromide*, 48c to 50c per lb. *Alcohol* continues firm at \$2.75 per gallon. *Morphia* firm at \$3 to \$3.25 an ounce. *Cubeb Berries* steady at 65c per lb. Chemicals scarce and firm, and dye-stuffs quiet.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—Flour has been fairly active during the week, and prices close firm at about the highest quotations. A number of sales of Superior Extra, old standard, have been made from \$5.85 to \$6.05, the latter for really choice brands. On Tuesday a good brand brought \$6. Choice sold on Wednesday at \$5.90 for a choice brand, but the demand has not been so good for this grade. Spring Extra is held at \$5.95 to \$6, but there appears to be no demand for it. The stock in store is 7,200 barrels against 7,649 barrels last week and 9,686 barrels the corresponding week of last year. The flour market closed easier to-day with superiors offering at \$6. *Oatmeal* is in better demand and prices firmer at \$4.50 to \$4.55 for car lots of good brands. *Cornmeal* quiet and firm at \$3.80 to \$3.90. Bran is higher, with extremely limited offerings; cars have sold at \$19 to \$30.50 on track.

WHEAT.—The market has been very steady during the past week, with a fair demand from millers. Prices are rather high for shipment, and holders firm, in anticipation of all the stock being needed. Sales of No. 2 Spring were made on Saturday at \$1.33 and on Tuesday at \$1.32. No. 2 Fall sold at \$1.30 and No. 3 Fall at \$1.26 f.o.c. on Monday. The market yesterday was firm, with buyers of No. 2 Spring at \$1.33. The stock in store is 356,617 bushels against 360,580 bushels last week and 246,485 bushels the corresponding week of 1881. The market closed quiet and steady to-day.

COARSE GRAINS.—*Barley.*—The sales during the latter part of last week were large and prices firm at about the top prices of the season. No. 1 sold at 96c, No. 2 choice at 94c, and No. 2 at 92c and 93c. The past few days prices are easier in sympathy with outside markets. No. 1 sold at 93½c, and No. 2 would not bring 91c. No. 3 Extra is nominal at 88c. The stock in store is 103,691 bushels against 152,302 bushels last week and 183,401 bushels the corresponding week of last year. No business reported to-day. *Oats* are scarce and higher. Sales of Western were made the latter part of last week at 42c and 43c on track, and on Tuesday at 45c to arrive. Eastern sold at 44c to arrive. The stock in store is 6,893 bushels against 7,288 bushels last week and 700 bushels the corresponding week of last year. *Peas* are firm with few offerings; a lot of No. 2 lying outside sold at 82c on Tuesday and No. 1 are nominal at 83c to 84c. The stock in store is 29,109 bushels against 25,441 bushels last week and 94,873 bushels the corresponding week of last year. *Rye* dull and purely nominal at 79c to 80c. The stock in store is 19,384 bushels against 13,633 bushels the corresponding week of last year. *Corn* quiet and higher, in sympathy with the West; we quote 88c to 90c. Bran easier with sellers at \$19.75.

FREIGHTS.—Ocean rates are dull and easy. Flour, to Liverpool is now quoted at 67c per barrel, and 27c per cental in sacks. Beef and boxed meats, 43c per cental; tallow and lard 40c; Butter, over 15,000 lbs., 54c; from 5,000 to 15,000 lbs, 66c; oil cake, 36c; clover 50c.

GROCERIES.—The demand has slightly improved during the week, but business cannot be said to be active. The only important change in prices in an advance of ½c to 1c in sugars. Granulated are now quoted at 9½ to 10c.

HARDWARE AND IRON.—Business continues good in this branch, and prices are firm. We quote: *Antimony*, 16½c to 17½c per lb. *Rabbit Metal*, No. 1, 16c. *Barbed Fencing Wire*, galvanized, 8½c to 9c; painted, 7½c. *Canada Plates* moderately active and firm at \$3.35. *Ingot Copper* steady at 20c to 21c; sheet, 25c to 26c. *Nails* in demand and higher at \$2.85 to \$2.90 for 10 dy to 60 dy, hot cut, American or Canadian pattern; \$3.05 to \$3.15 for 8 dy to 9 dy, and \$3.35 to \$3.55 for 3 dy. *Galvanized Iron* unchanged at 7c to 7½c for No. 28, and half a cent less for No. 27. *Glass* firm; up to 25 inches, \$2.00 to \$2.10; 26 to 40 inches, \$2.10 to \$2.20; 41 to 50 inches, \$2.40 to \$2.45. *Bar Iron* in good demand and firm at \$2.25 to \$2.30. *Pig Iron* firm; Summerlee is quoted at \$28.00. *Carnbroe*, none, and *Siemens* at \$27.50 to \$28. *Manilla Rope* is steady at 12c to 12½c. *Tin Plates* active and steady; 10c *Coke*, \$5.25 to \$6.50; 10c *Charcoal*, \$5.75 to \$6; 1X *Charcoal*, \$7.75 to \$8.00; 1XX *Charcoal*, \$9.75 to \$10.00. *Iron Wire* active and steady at \$2.00 to \$2.10 per bundle for No. 6, \$2.35 to \$2.40 for No. 9, and \$2.65 to \$2.75 for No. 12. *Ingot tin* easy at 27c to 28c and *grain* at 30c.

HIDES AND SKINS.—Hides are unchanged, with a small supply. Sales of cured are reported at 8½c to 8¾c. Dealers continue to pay 7½c for green cows and 8½c for steers. *Calfskins* unchanged at 11c to 13c, and cured at 14c. *Sheepskins* are in limited supply and steady at \$1.25 to \$1.60, the latter being an exceptional price.

LEATHER.—Trade has been quiet owing to the strike of the boot and shoe operatives. Manufacturers are holding back. The following are the prices of jobbing lots: Spanish sole No. 1, all weights, 27c to 29c; Spanish sole No. 2, 25c to 27c; slaughter sole, heavy, 28c to 30c; slaughter sole, light, 27c to 29c; Buffalo sole, 21c to 23c; Harness, 30c to 35c; Upper, heavy, 35c to 40c; Upper, light, 40c to 42c; Kip Skins, French, 85c to \$1.05; Kip Skins, English, 70c to 75c; Kip Skins, domestic, 60c to 65c; Kip Skins, Veals, 70c to 75c; Hemlock Calf, 30 lbs to 40 lbs, 80c to 90c; French Calf, \$1.20 to \$1.40; Splits, large, per lb. 26c to 30c; Splits, small, 24c to 26c; Pebble Grain, 14c to 16c; Buff, 16c to 18c; Russets, Shoe, 40c to 50c; Gambier, 5c to 6c; Sumac, 4½c to 5c; Degras, 5½c to 6c.

LIVE STOCK.—The receipts of cattle have been very small during the week, there being but 50 car loads offered. With a good demand from butchers prices are higher. Shipping lots averaging 1400 lbs. are worth 6c to 6½c per lb. A few loads of rough cattle, averaging about 1300 lbs., sold on Tuesday at 5½c. Choice butchers are firm at 5½c to 5¾c, ordinary at

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D. POTTINGER,

Chief Superintendent.

Railway Office, Moncton, N.B.,
31st March, 1882.

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