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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, May 9th.

Dry Goods.—Business is brisk, and with the opening of navigation a good spring trade is expected. Late spring orders are being placed, and the travellers also are taking orders for the fall.**Fruit.**—The market is brisk, although the chilly weather has kept back the demand. Prices remain about the same.**Groceries.**—The market is somewhat dull, and there are no important changes. Teas show strength. The tea market opened this week in Yokohama, and prices were about ten per cent. higher than last season. The quality is satisfactory.**Hides and Skins.**—The market is still very quiet. We quote:—Inspected hides No. 1, 9½c.; No. 2, 8½c.; No. 3, 7½c.; country hides cured, 7½ to 8c.; dekins, No. 1, 90c.; calf skins, 12 to 13c.; veal, 10 to 12c.; runner kips, 8c.; horsehair, 28 to 30c.; horsehides, No. 1, \$3.25 to \$3.50.**Provisions.**—Creamery is rather scarce. Very large supplies of dairy are coming in. The butter demand is fair. There is no change in the egg situation. We quote:—New laid eggs, 17½c.; creamery prints, 28 to 29c.; farmers' separator prints, 25 to 26c.; ordinary dairy, 23 to 24c.; large rolls, 22 to 22½c.; bakers' butter, 19 to 20c.; lard tierces, 12½c.; tubs, 12½c.; pails, 12½c.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, May 7th.

Butter.—The market is two cents lower than a week ago. Prices declined in the country to about 22c., and as a result dealers are offering choicest qualities here at 23c., and sometimes a shade more. It seems hardly likely a very rapid decline to the level of the export price will occur, as the demand is active and the make of butter is hardly sufficient to supply it. Export values are about 18c.**Cheese.**—Cheese is fetching higher prices, which are about 12 to 12½c. per lb., here, according to quality; the tone is firm. It is likely that fully 35,000 boxes of cheese will be shipped from here this week. Of this quantity about 10,000 boxes are old cheese held here on English account.**Eggs.**—Stock is costing 16½c. in the country and selling here wholesale at about 18c. per dozen, for straight gathered. Small eggs are being picked out of a large proportion of the receipts, and these are sold at a discount on above figures.**Grain.**—Dealers report a splendid demand, for oats, for export account. There is a pretty wide range on each grade, locally, prices being 44c. to 45c. per bushel, for No. 2; 43 to 44c. for No. 3; and 42 to 43c. for No. 4. American corn is also higher, No. 2 being 61c., store, for local account; and No. 3 being 59c. per bushel.The Ge
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