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Kingston, 8th October, 1866. v3-20-41

Markets.

Toronto Markets.

"CANADA FARMER" Office, Dec. 1, 1866.

The following figures compiled from returns made by the different wharves and elevators in this city shows the quantity of barley shipped from this point, each week of the season up to date:

Table with columns: Week ending, Quantity (Bushels), Total shipments to date. Rows include weeks from Sep 21 to Dec 23, with a total of 1,30,614 bushels.

REVIEW OF THE PRODUCE MARKET.

The market for breadstuffs has been dull and depressed during the past fortnight, there being no disposition whatever to purchase, except so far as may be necessary to meet present requirements. From all the leading markets of the United States no hear of a complete stagnation in the trade.

Flour—No 1 superfine was offering in the early part of last week at \$6.00, but buyers could not be got to touch it at that price. Later, several sales were reported at \$6.50, fancy was held at \$7.40 to \$7.50, extra at \$7.50 to \$7.75, and super at \$8.00, with no sales in any of these grades.

Wheat—The market has been dull and drooping with few sales to report. Fall was held at \$1.65 to \$1.72, with sales at \$1.69 to \$1.65. Spring wheat has been held at \$1.45, with buyers offering from \$1.40 to \$1.41, with several sales within these quotations. A sale of 100 bushels clover was reported last week at \$1.41 f. o. b.

Oats—Very little doing, with light receipts. Prices nominal, at from 20c to 21c.

Barley—Receipts, by cars and waggons, have decreased. Transactions were only to a very limited extent. Prices have considerably declined. Cut heads sell at from 45c to 50c, with street prices from 1c to 2c lower.

Pork—The demand has, in a considerable degree, subsided. The range for carloads during the past week has been from 60c to 65c, street price 60c to 63c.

Butter—In better demand, and some slight improvement in value, selling freely at \$4.75 per barrel.

Pork—The tendency of the market is downward, prices having fallen considerably in New York. Quotations are to a great extent nominal. Mess held at \$21 to \$22, 100 lbs sold at \$21, mess \$17, hams and rolled bacon are dull and declining. Prices nominal at 12 1/2c.

Dressed Hogs—Receipts have been moderate, prices ranged from \$5.75 to \$6.50.

Pork—Butter nominal, holders would sell storepacked at from 11c to 12c, but no buyers. Dairy has been in demand at from 10c to 16c. Eggs have been scarce at from 17c to 20c or round lots, and 22c on the market. Cheese, from 11c to 12c.

Country—There is little change in quotations. Chickens sell at from 20c to 30c per pair, Turkeys, 50c to 10c each. Geese, 40c to 50c each. Ducks, 40c to 50c per pair.

Apples—Quoting at \$1.50 to \$2.

Hay and Straw—Hay, \$10 to \$13; straw, \$5 to \$10.

Hides, SKINS AND WOOL—Hides have been in good demand during the week, and prices continue firm. The following are the current quotations—Hides, butchers' weight per lb. 6c; hides salted, trimmed and cured, Toronto No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7c to 7 1/2c; Calveskins, green, 12c to 12c, do, trimmed and cured, 14c to 16c; do, dry, 20c to 25c. Sheepskins lining, 35c; sheepskins each, 50c. Wool, fleeces per lb, 31c to 34c; do, pulled, combing, 30c; do, do, superline, 30c; do, No. 1, 25c.

Hamilton Markets, Nov. 27.—Pork—Good heavy pork from \$5.50 to \$6. Lard—By retail it is selling at 20c to 22c, and choice dairy for the British is worth from 15c to 17c; store packed brings about 12c to 13c. Flour—Retail (fall wheat) \$4.50 per 100 lbs, spring wheat flour \$4 per 100 lbs, buckwheat flour \$2.50 per 100 lbs; chop feed \$1.25 per 100 lbs; beef per carcass \$4.60 to \$6, retail 6c to 10c per lb. Mutton—5c to 8c. Hams—13c to 14c. Bacon 9 1/2 to 12 1/2c. Lard 12c.

London Markets.—Fall Wheat, \$1.60 to \$1.70. Spring Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.40. Barley, 40c to 42c. Peas, 65c to 69c. Oats, 27c to 28c. Corn, 56c to 60c. Buckwheat, 35c to 40c. Dressed Hogs, \$5 to \$5.50. Butter—Prime dairy packed, 14c to 14 1/2c per lb, fresh in rolls, by the basket, 13c to 16c per lb. Eggs 16c to 15c per dozen.

Quebec Markets.—Fall Wheat per bush, \$1.50 to \$1.65. Spring do, \$1.20 to \$1.35. Oats, 25c to 31c. Peas, 50c to 65c. Barley, 40c to 46c. Hides, per 100 lbs, \$6.50. Wool, per lb, 34c. Eggs, per doz, 14c to 15c. Butter, per lb, 13c to 14c.

Montreal Markets, Nov. 29.—Laidlaw, Middleton & Co. report—Flour receipts, 1,100 barrels; market quiet; extra dull; \$7.60 to \$7.70 for fancy, \$7.30 to \$7.45 for Canada superfine, \$7 for common; \$7.10 for good; \$7.15 to \$7.20 for choice favourite brands, coarse grades dull, bags, \$3.85, dull. Oatmeal, \$5 to \$5.05. Wheat—No sales, car lot about \$1.62 1/2, \$7.25 about 90c. Nothing doing in oats, barley, rye and corn. Butter—Small sales selected at 14c. Pork—Mess 21c to 22c.

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