

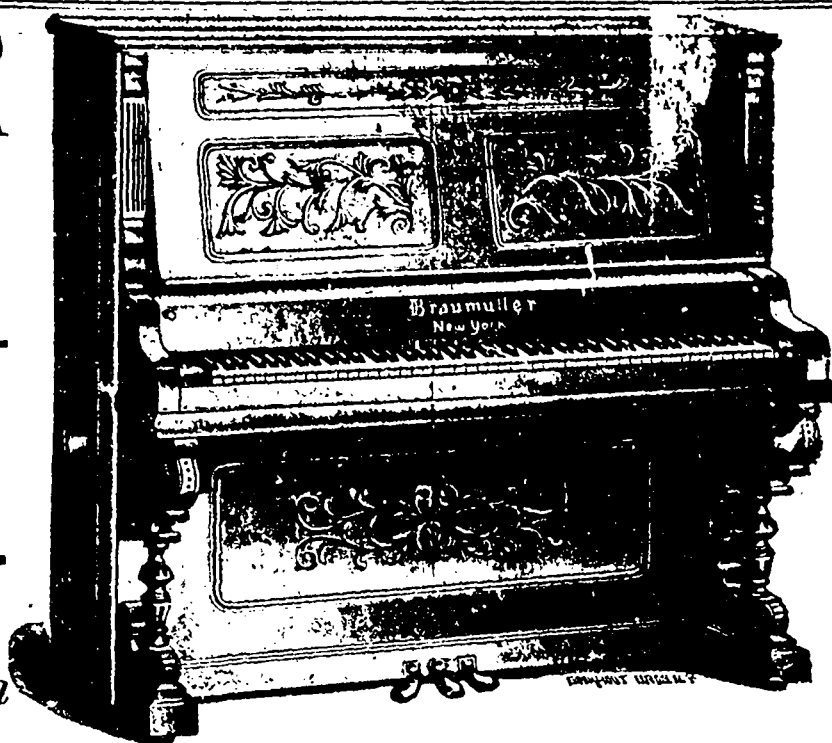
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Wabash.....	251	251
Do. pref.....	681	671
Western Union.....	331	321
Sugar Refinery.....	191	191
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## Montreal Wholesale Markets.

THURSDAY, June 18, 1896.

Owing to the pressure on our space it is difficult to do full justice to the reports of the various branches of trade this week. The changes are few and unimportant. The elections are so close at hand that little else is thought of. Large operations are practically suspended until after the 23rd inst.

**GROCERIES.**—There has been the ordinary jobbing out let but it was difficult to get hold of fresh points of interest. Everyone is talking of politics and suspending large operations in the meantime. Prices are in the main unchanged. London sugar Centrifugal, 96 test, 12s 6d; Muscovado, fair refining, 9s to 10s 3d; beet, June, 10s 5½d; August, 10s 7½d. A New York report says:—Rice and molasses, unchanged. Coffee—Options, steady; sales, including June, 12,000c; July, 11,45c; Aug., 10,90c to 10,95c; Sept., 10,55c to 10,65c; spots, steady, 13½c. Sugar, steady; standard "A," 4 15-16c; confectioners' "A" 4 13-15c; cutloaf and crushed, 5 9-16c; powdered 5½c; granulated, 5 5-16c.

**CHEESE.**—About 4,000 boxes of cheese from the French parishes sold at an average of 7½c, showing a stronger market since last week by about ½c. On spot 7½c. has been refused for finest Western, sellers asking ½c more. At Ingersoll.—Offering, were 1,500 boxes first week June make. Sales, 150 at 7½c to 7½c refused for several lots. Market quiet on account of next Tuesday being election day. The same week last year 2,175 boxes were offered and 800 sold at 7½c to 7 9-16c. At Campbellford.—Cheese Board, 510 cheese offered, of which were sold at 7 5-16c. The same week last year 769 boxes sold at 7 11-

16c At Utica, N. Y.—Cheese sales were 2,780 boxes at 6½c; 4,885 boxes at 6½c; 1,518 boxes at 6½c; 710 boxes at 7c; 282 boxes at 7½c; 577 boxes on commission; 127 packages of creamery butter at 13c. The market is ½c higher, strong and active. At Little Falls.—Sales were: 362 boxes at 6½c; 3,742 boxes at 6½c; 336 packages of dairy butter at 14c to 15c; 25 packages of creamery butter at 14c to 15c.

**LIVE STOCK.**—The recent advance in ocean freight rates noted has been maintained and the market is firm, all the space for this week and part of next having been engaged at 42s 6d to 45s. Choice steers and heifers sold at 3½c to 3½c; good, 3c to 3½c; fair, 2½c to 2½c, and common, 2c to 2½c per lb. live weight. Trade in sheep was slow, there being no demand from shippers and as local buyers had ample supplies on hand sales were dull at 3c per lb. live weight. The demand for hams was fair. Sales were effected freely at \$2 to \$3.50 each as to size and quality. Exports for week ended June 13th; Cable 3,998; sheep 527; horses 955. A Liverpool, cable says: There was a weak feeling in the cattle market, and prices for choice stock declined ½c per lb. which was due to heavy supplies and the weather being tropical. The demand was slow, and trade on the whole was very bad. Best States and light Canadians steers and heifers sold at 10c, while it was difficult to cash heavyweights at 9 to 9½c. The market for sheep was decidedly weaker owing to the continued heavy arrivals from South America, and prices had a bad break, the range being 8½c to 10½c, as against 11½c to 11½c last week. Several private cables received quoted choice Canadian and States cattle at 9½c to 10c.

**WHEAT.**—The Chicago visible supply showed a decrease of 661,000 bushels on the week. Wheat in Chicago was firmer with business at 56½ June, 57½ July. Recent sales of grain for export at New York were 2 loads No. 1 Northern Duluth wheat at p.t.; 2,000 bushels No. 2 red winter wheat at 71½c f.o.b. afloat; 1 load No. 2 white clipped oats at 15½c to 26½c f.o.b. afloat. The Indian exports of wheat last week were 344,900 bushels, making 1,952,000 since April, 1896, against 5,244,000 the corresponding week a year ago. Cable advices were as follows:—Cargoes off coast wheat steady, maize quiet. Cargoes on passage, wheat and maize quiet and steady. English country markets, wheat quiet.

Liverpool spot maize quiet; Minneapolis first bakers' flour, 17s 3d. Futures—wheat quiet; 4s 9½d June, July, August, September, October; maize quiet; 3s 0½d June.

The following table shows the amount of wheat in sight on the dates mentioned:

Visible June 13,	June 6,	June 15,
supply 1896.	1896.	1895.
U. S. &		
Canada 59,486,000	50,147,000	47,717,000
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U. K. 19,680,000	20,000,000	31,440,000
On pas-		
sage to		
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ent 11,040,000	10,720,000	13,760,000

Total in sight 80,206,000 80,867,000 92,917,000

We quote:—

Peas, per 66 lbs.	56 @	56½
No. 2 oats, per 34 lbs.	27 @	27½
Corn, duty paid	37 @	37½
Barley feed	34 @	35
Barley malting	40 @	40
Rye	41 @	42
Buckwheat, per 48 lbs.	37½ @	37½

**FLOUR.**—Fair business in Manitoba grades, but Ontario dull. We quote:—

Winter wheat	\$3.80 @	\$4.00
Spring wheat, patents	3.75 @	3.85
Straight roller	3.60 @	3.70
Straight roller, lags	1.70 @	1.75
Extra	0.00 @	0.00
Extra bags	1.40 @	1.50
Man. Strong Bakers	3.30 @	3.50

**DRY GOODS.**—City sorting up orders have been fair but business as a whole is quiet. Some houses report that distant orders are being received with the proviso that the buyer shall be entitled to default on his purchase in the event of a change in the tariff. Liverpool cotton, firm; American middlings, 3 15-16d. New York cotton, spots, quiet; uplands, 7½c; Gulf, 8c. Futures steady; June, 7.47; July, 7.84; August, 7.74; Sept., 6.74, Oct., 6.73.

**BUTTER.**—Some choice creamery has been bought at country points at full figures for jobbing lots, but on spot business is quiet and it is difficult to exceed quotations. We quote:—

Finest creamery	15½c @	16½c
Finest Townships dairy	15c @	16½c
Finest Western dairy	00c @	00c