\$6,000,000 ON DEPOSIT IN ONTARIO SAVINGS

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Ontario Savings Office.

Punds aggregating the substantial slum of over \$8,000,000 are now on deposit in the Province of Ontario Savings Office. Over 20,000 savings account and siles Chamers \$454, \$4

TICKER TALK

Bartlett Frazier—Confidently look for a reaction.
Clement Curtis—A trading market is likely.
Hurlburd Warren—We should prefer to await a break before making purchases.
Harris Winthers Talk

New York, April 20. — Sterling ex-change steady, Demand rates (in cents): Great Britain, \$4.65%; France, 6.66c; Italy, 4.95%; Germany, .00381%. Canadian dollars, 1 31-32 per cent dis-

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NEW YORK CURB

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum Co. New York, April 20.—Close—

COFFEE

New York, April 20.—The market for coffee futures today closed at 27 to 42 points higher. Sales were estimated at about 66,000 bags. Close: April and May, 9.85; July, 9.15; Sept., 8.35; December, 8.17; March, 8.25.

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FIRE LOSSES HIGHER. a losses in Canada during the week I April 18 are estimated by the stary Times as \$581,200, compared \$304,500 for the same week last

Canadian Press Despatch. Quebec, April 20 .- The City of Que

How the Stocks Closed Today

Toronto

New York Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum

Open. High. Low

		101	OII	LO		
"	Co.	Toronto			_	
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	132	24 Bell Tel	22	22	21%	21%
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1		25 do, pfd		••		
	95%	120 Duluth Sup.	37	::	::	
1	39 1/8 122 7/8	65 MacKay	116			
	122 /8	10 Maple Leaf	115		***	
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	25	10 Pac. Burt	108	••	•••	
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i,	10 %	20 Tucketts	5514	**	::	::
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	21/2	3000 Hattie	39	**		**
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	10 /4	30 Imperial Oil.		115	114%	11474
ĺ	943/4	2100 Goldale	49	49	48%	183%
1		2100 Goldale 695 Mutual Oil 7000 Moneta	121/4			
-	30	7000 Moneta	26			
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UNI ISTED SECURITIES

7/8 1/8 3/8	Special to The Advertiser. Toronto, April 21.—Furnished by A. J. Pattison, Jun., & Co.				
	Stocks.	Bid.	Ask.		
14 % 1/2 % 1/2 %	Abitibi G. Mtge., s6, 1940	96.25			
1/2	Algoma Steel, 5s	48.00	49.25 93.50		
98	Aberta-Pacific Grain, pfd	92.00	93.50		
	Can Steamships, 7s, 1942				
1/8	Davies, Wm., Inc., 1942				
1.0	Dominion Power, com	40.00	41.00		
78	Dom. Sewer Pipe, com	34.00			
14	Dunlop Tire, 6s				
	Eastern Theatres, com				
1/2	English Electric, pfd				
	Farmers' Dairy				
	Great West Life				
	Harris Abattoir, 6s				
98	Home Bank of Canada	97.00	101 00		
1/2	Howard Smith, 7s	101 50	102 00		
.,	Inter. Millings, 6s	95.00			
1/8	king Edward Hotel, 7s	85.75	87.50		
1/4	Lambton Golf	465.00	500.00		
72	Man. Life, 20% paid	51.50			
7/8	Mattagami Pulp, deb				
1/4	Mount Royal, com		42.25		
1/4 3/4	Nova Scotia Steel, 6% deb		90.00		
3/8	Robert Simpson, pfd., 6%		93.25		
	Rosedale Golf		115.00		
1/4	Southern Canada Power, p.	85 00			
7/8	Toronto Paper, 6s	93.00	00.00		
7/	Western Grocers, pfd	1	57.00		

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

		by Johnston & V	Vard.	
	Par.	New Yo	rk. T	oronto
	\$4.86.66		651/2	\$4.75
	19.20		6.65 1/2	6.7
	19.30	Belgium	5.75	5.8
	19.30	Italy	4.95	5.0
	19.30		18.13	18.5
	40.20		39.14	.40.0
	19.30	Spain		15.6
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3	26.80	Sweden	26.72	27.2
	26.80	Norway	17.89	18.2
1	26.80		18.81	19.2
1	32.44	Brazil	15.32	10.8
Į	New	York funds-2 per	cent.	
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EX-DIVIDENDS	
The following securities were	•
dividend on the Toronto Stock	E
change Friday: Listed—	P
Penmans preferred	1
Russell preferred	1
Coniagas	:
Unlisted-	P
Producers and Refiners preferred	1
St. Lawrence Flour	

A market cable from the Ontario Agent-General of London, on Friday, stated:

Beef quoted as follows: English, 10d (19.88c); port-killed, 9d (17.8c); Argentine hindquarters, 6d (11.9c). No Canadian sides marketed tine hindquarters, 6d (11.9c). No Canadian sides marketed.

Butter prices are somewhat lower, the average being 154s (32.6c) per pound for New Zealand; 152s (32.2c) per pound for Australian, and 181s (38.4c) per pound for Danish per 112 pounds in each case. No Canadian butter offered.

Cheese is also lower, with Canadian offerings scarce. New Zealand colored

offerings scarce. New Zealand colored average 107s (22.7c) per pound; white, 104s (22c) per pound, per 112-pound lots, English eggs average 11s per 120

English eggs average 11s per 120 (26.1c) per dozen.
Bacon prices per 112 pounds—Canadian, 88 to 102s (18.7c to 21.6c) per pound; Danish, 110 to 115s (23.3 to 24.4c) per pound; Irish, 114s to 126s (24.1 to 26.7c) per pound.
Ontario supply of applies practically cleaned up at London. Nova Scotian are 14 to 20s per barrel \$3.32 to \$4.75); Australian from 10s per box (\$2.37) for cookers, to 22s (\$5.22) for best Cox's Orange. Oregon Newtons 14s (\$3.32 per box). Exchange is figured at 4.75 to the

New York, April 20. - Trading in sugar futures on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange was nervous and unsettled today as a result of the filing yesterday by the government of a suit to enjoin trading in futures unless backed by actual sugar on hand.

New York, April 20 .- The raw sugar market was unsettled again early today. and trading was light. There was a small saie of Cubas by an operator to a refiner at 6%c, cost and freight, equal to 7.91 for centrifugal, which represented a decline of %c from the last previous ing much higher prices.
Yesterday's announcement by the government seemed to bring in considerable overnight selling orders, and their

able overnight selling orders, and their execution this morning caused opening declines of 7 to 17 points in raw sugar futures. Later, however, a steadier feeling prevailed, and prices rallied on covering and buying believed to be against sales of actual, and at midday the early loss was regained on present crop positions with prices six points net higher. Business in refined sugar was still light, but prices were unchanged at 9.60 for fine granulated. Refined futures

NEW INCORPORATIONS. Authorized capital of \$15,108,900 is

Authorized capital of \$15,108,900 is represented by companies whose incorporations were reported to the Monetary Times during the week ended April 14, compared with \$18,206,500 for the same week last year. A comparative summary by provinces is as follows:

Week ended Week ended Apr. 15, '22, Apr. 14, '23.

Dominion \$7,847,500 \$2,861,500

B. C. \$55,000 \$415,000

Manitoba \$30,000 Quebec, April 20.—The City of Quebec will float a loan of \$429,000 on May 1, and has decided to sell over the counter at par five-year bonds bearing New Brunswick interest at 5 per cent to renew a loan Gntario 9,1 of \$479,000 contracted five years ago. Quebec

e	Montreal Furnished The Advertiser by McDougall & Cowans, Toron Montreal, April 21—Clo						
	Sales	Stocks.	Open	High	Low	ť	
	20	Abitibi	69	1 60	1 60	ī	
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•	D	At. Sugar	2416	2416	2414	ł	
4	1.5	Bell Tel	121	121	121	ŀ	
4	20	B. E. Steel.	8	8	8	ľ	
1	250	Brazilian	51	51	5084	l	
3	125	Breweries	511/4	5114	51	l	
	105	Brompton	41%	42	41%	ı	
1	100	Cement	1 84	84	8917	ı	
	15	Canada Car.	321/2	521/2	324	l	
4	100	Detroit U	781/2	781/2	7816	ı	
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	175	Illinois Laurentide .	60 .	60	58	l	
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	160	Mont Power. Ottawa P	1171/2	117%	1171/2	i	
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UNLISTED SALES. Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward. Montreal, April 21.

Montreal, April 21.
Dryden, 15 at 29.
Eastern Eng., 100 at 15.
Hollinger, 125 at 134.
Laurentide Power, 25 at 94.
Spanish bonds, 8 per cent, 5,000 at 107.
Riordon preferred, 25 at 94, 95 at 94.
Tram. Power bonds, 500 at 100.50.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Montreal, April 20.—At the Quebec Agricultural Co-operative Society auction sale held here today there were 205 packages of creamery butter offered, of which 75 packages of pasteurized sold at 33%c per pound; 105 packages No. 1 at 32%c and 25 packages No. 2 at 31c, which prices show a decline of 1%c, 2c and 2%c per pound, as compared with the previous sale.

Montreal, April 20.—Prices for butter scored a decline of 20 per pound. The undertone of the egg market was easier. Butter—Choicest creamery, 32½c, Eggs—Selected, 36c.

receipts 14,803. Creamery higher than extras 44½c to 45c; creamery extras (92 score) 43%c to 44c; creamery firsts (88 to 91 score) 43c to 43½c; state dairy finest 43½c.

Minneapolis, April 20. — Flour un-hanged; shipments 51,491 barrels, Bran—Per ton, \$26.50 to \$27.

New York. April 20.—Money on call easier, 4 to 4½ per cent; ruling rate 4¾.

Time loans steady; 60 days, 5½ to 5½; six months, 5¼ to 5½; prime mercantile paper, 5 to 5½.

London, April 20 .- Money, 11/4 per Discount rates—Short bills, 1% to 1% per cent; three-month bills, 2 per cent.

Columbia G. and E., \$1.95, payable May 15.
Lee Tire, 50 cents, payable June 1.
National Lead, preferred, 1% per cent, payable June 15.
Monarch Knitting Company has declared a dividend of 1% per cent on preferred, payable May 1, to shareholders of April 23.
Coniagas Mines, Limited, has declared a dividend of 24 per cent on preferred. Columbia G. and E., \$1.95, payable

DETROIT DISCOUNT RATE

Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, April 20.—Detroit clearinghouse banks' uniform rate of exchange
on Canadian currency for Saturday will
be at a discount of \$1.94 per \$100.

GOLD AND SILVER London, April 20.-Bar gold, per oz.

New York, April 20.—Foreign bar silver, 66%c.

COTTON

New York, April 20.-Cotton broke \$5 a bale on heavy general selling today, United States department of agricul-tural figures today, pointing to the largest crop on record, were the chief cause of the decline.

Quotations: Cotton futures closed weak. Closing bids: Jan., 23.20c; May, 27.38c; July, 26.51c; Oct., 23.96c; Dec., 23.51c. Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands, 27.60c.

Liverpool, April 20. — Cotton, spot. quiet; prices easier. American midding, 15.63d; fally middling, 15.48d; middling, 15.38d; fally middling, 15.13d; good ordinary, 14.63d; ordinary, 14.33d.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 3,300 were American. The of which 3,300 were American. The receipts were 4,000 bales, no American. Futures opened and closed steady.

METALS

New York, April 20.—Copper steady. Electrolysic—Spot and futures, 17c. Tin—Easler; spot and nearby, \$43.37; futures, \$4.62. Iron—Steady; prices unchanged. Lead—Easy; spot, \$8. Zinc—Easy; East St. Louis, spot and nearby delivery, \$7.16 to \$7.20. Antimony—Spot, \$6.12 to \$8.25.

London, April 20.—Standard copper, pot, £73 2s 6d; futures, £74.
Electrolytic—Spot, £81; futures, £81 -Spot, £207 17s 6d; futures, £208 Lead—Spot, £26 5s; futures, £26 10s. Zino—Spot. £34; futures £34 5s.

Special to The Advertiser. Detroit, April 20.—Beans, im nd prompt shipment, \$7 per

PRICE CHANGES SMALL AT TORONTO EXCHANGE

verse-Only One Small Block Sold.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, April 20 .- Trading was of noderate volume on the Toronto Stock Exchange today, and price changes on the whole were relatively small, although in the listed department the trend was

ON MINING EXCHANGE

The first and set the movements were somewhat irregular as the result of week-end profit taking. Sales for the day approximated 597,009 shares. Moneta was active and buoyant, following announcement of ratification of deal with English interests mad a statement that development work was to be aggressively prosecuted at once. Issue touched 27 in afternoon and retained net gain of a point on close at 26.

West Dome Lake was in strong demand at prices from 29½ to 31¾.

Apples were a draggy trade this worning and few vendors were able to obtain the top prices of a week ago. Bapples with the top prices of a week ago. Bapples with the top prices of a week ago. Bapples with the top prices of a week ago. Bapples with the top prices of a week ago. Bapples with the top prices of a week ago. Bapples were a draggy trade this worning and few vendors were able to obtain the top prices of a week ago. Bapples with the top prices of a week ago. Bapples with the lattice will be left over at the balance of the Spy crop are fetching \$1.75. There was quite a large offering in apples, and it is probable that considerable quantities will be left over at the close of the market was remarkable for the grown of the flowers are turning to the grown of flowers are turning to the grown of the subplement of the flowers are turning to the grown of the subplement with the prices of the was a wall and warring to the grown of the sub

demand at prices from 29½ to 31¾. At 31¼ issue retained net gain of 3½.

Stock Exchange.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, April 20.—Volume of business fell off in today's trading in listed shares on the local stock market, and while gains were slightly in excess of losses, a narrower list failed to show the strong tone of yesterday. Of the 58 issues that made their apparatus bosses, a narrower list failed to show the strong tone of yesterday. Of the sissues that made their appearance on the board, 15 gained, with the greatest advance of 4 points; 12 lost ground, the greatest recession being of 1% points; 7 remained unchanged, and 24 came out in broken lots only.

St. Maurice Paper was market leader in activity, and closed at 104 for a net advance of 1½ after selling at the new high of 106. Steel of Canada came second, and gained ½ at 78 (ex-dividend). Illinois Traction was third, and was up 3 points at 60.

Hitnois Traction preferred was the strong point of the list, closing at the new high of 91 for a net advance of 4 points. The greatest loss was in Brompton, which was off 1% points at 42. Trading in bonds was without special

Narrow Movement In Railway Mortgages-Foreign Group Still Active.

Other price changes in the industrial group were unimportant.

Railroad mortgages moved within narrow limits, a loss of 1½ points by Norfolk and Western convertible 6's being the only outstanding change.

There was some activity among the foreign group. French bonds were stronger, the French 8's touching par and the 7½'s closing ½ point higher. The Mexican issues were in supply, but the losses were small.

the losses were small.

United States government bonds moved within narrow limits, the fluctuations being confined to 3-32 of a point.

Total sales, par value, were \$10,334,000.

London, April 20.—Linseed oil, 51s 6d. Sperm oil—£30.
Petroleum—American refined, 1s 1d; spirits, 1s 2d.
Turpentine—Spirits, 10s 6d.
Rosin—American strained, 13s 6d; type G, 13s 9d.
Tallow—Australian, 44s. Liverpool, April 20.—Kerosene—No. 1. ls 1d; No. 2, 1s 2d.

Turpentine Spirits-112s 6d. BANK CLEARINGS UP. Bank clearings from twenty-eight Canadian cities totaled \$315,295,029 for week ending Friday, this being an increase of \$80,865,977, or of 34.5 per cent as compared with corresponding period last year.

Everything the Farmer Trades In

C. P. R. Shares Meet With Re- MAPLE SYRUP SUPPLY

Prices of Butter, Apples and Changes During Week.

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Changes During Week.

An overload of maple syrup was the dustanding stocks were in demand at higher prices, and it was said that stocks pressing for sale were consplctiously restricted in volume arket, and to the casual observer it seemed as if every farmer attending he market, and to the casual observer it seemed as if every farmer attending he market, and to the casual observer it seemed as if every farmer attending he market, and to the casual observer it seemed as if every farmer attending he market had at least one or two cans in his rig. The syrup was of excellent the price quoted at 1594 represented a net decline of 1% points. Abitible was easier. Brompton reacted a point in the face of the favorable dividend news.

Brasilian sold off to 51. Bell Telephone was easier. Canadian General gein price to \$2.20 per gallon. There was a better demand for cash that the close, a net decline of 1% points. Several noticeable alterations in price is gone point up at 68.

Twin City was active and higher, closing one point up at 68.

Bank stocks were firm on the whole with Bank of Montreal advancing three points to 246. Government bonds were of the stocks were somewhat irregular, with Mutual Ol Millian and the price and the cast of the favorable and the price and the cast of the cast of the favorable and price and the cast of the cast of the favorable dividend news.

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FLOUR

Montreal, April 20.—The flour situation showed a slight improvement, The market for milifeed was without special feature.

Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, irsts, \$7.39; seconds, \$8.50; strong bakers, \$8.60; winter patents, \$6.60; winter patents, \$8.60; winter patents, \$8.60; winter patents, \$8.60; winter patents, \$7.30; second patents, \$8.60; winter patents, \$7.00; Soond patents, \$8.60; winter patents, \$7.00; Soond patents, \$8.60; winter patents, \$7.10; second patents, \$8.60; cond patents, \$ 1 20 15 25

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Honey, Wholesale.
Honey, 5-lb pails... 55
do, strained, lb... 12
do, comb, lb... 25
Honey, Retail.
Honey, 5-lb pails... 65 Honey, 5-lb pails... 65 to do, strained, lb... 16 to do, comb, lb... 30 to Maple syrup, gal... 2 20 to Dairy Products, Retail.

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feature.
Total sales: Listed, 7,737; mines, 1,300; bonds, \$55,950. Cnickens, spring, over Hens, over 5 lbs each

28 to Still Active.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, April 20.—Bond prices remained fairly firm in today's dealings, despite the general tendency downward in the stock market. Sugar company liens dropped from large fractions to 2 points, and Cerro de Pasco 8's were off 2½ points.

Other price changes in the industrial group were unimportant.

Railroad mortgages moved within narrow timits, a loss of 1½ points by Norfolk and Western convertible 6's being the only outstanding change.

There was some activity among the foreign group. French bonds were stronger the French 8's touchus par | Hides. | Cow hides, No. 1 ... | 7 to do, No. 2 ... | 7 to Caif skins, No. 1 ... | 10 to do, No. 2 ... | 9 to Horse hides, each ... | 2 00 to Kip, No. 1, per lb ... | 8 to do, No. 2 ... | 7 to Sheep skins, each ... | 60 to Wool, Unwashed. | Wool, coarse lb ... | 15 to

Wool, coarse lb.....
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CHEESE Montreal, April 20.—The market for cheese was very quiet. Finest easterns, 15 %c to 16 %c. New York, April 20.—Cheese steady; receipts 266,603 pounds. Liverpool, April 20.—Cheese Canadian finest white, cwt, 168s; do, colored, cwt,

POTATOES

Montreal, April 20. — Demand for potatoes was good. Per bag, carlois, \$1.20 to \$1.25.

Grain Markets

Winnipeg, April 29.—The local wheat market followed the decline in the United States markets brought about by reports of good rains in the winter wheat area, and dropped 1%c for May and 1%c down for July. The market Potatoes Make Many rallied following an easy opening, but at midsession broke again, with May touching a low of \$1.21%.

Chicago, April 20.—Rains which afforded some relief to dry sections of the winter crop territory had a bearish effect on the wheat market today. Frices closed heavy, 1½c to 2½c net lower, with May \$1.24½ to \$1.24½ and July \$1.22½ to \$1.24½ to \$1.24½ and July \$1.22½ to \$1.22½. Corn lost ¼c to 1¾c and oats ½c to ¼c. In provisions the outcome varied from unchanged figures to 50 down.

Western, as well as southwestern, parts of the winter wheat belt received more or less moisture, and the wheat bears put particular stress on reports that in the chief producing sections of Nebraska the rain amounted in places to fully an inch. Weakness in the market was afterward temporarily offset by a government report suggesting a probable decrease of 5.5 per cent in spring wheat acreage this year. This report was, in turn, more than counterbalanced by a bearish view of the kansas State report implying that the condition of the Kansas crop is much more favorable than federal figures would indicate.

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Cash prices:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.26% to \$1.27;

No. 1 dark northern, \$1.35. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 80%c to 81%c; No. 2 yellow, 81%c to 82%c. Oats—No. 2 white, 46%c to 47%c; No. white, 46½c to 47c. Rye—No. 2 C. W., 86%c. Barley—64c to 74c. CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES.

May 45% 46 luly 46% 46% Sept 45 45%

Chicago, April 21.—Wheat—May, 81.24½; July, 81.22½. Corn—May, 78¼c; July, 80½c. Oats—May, 45c; July, 45%c. TORCNTO.

Toronto, April 20.—Market quotations on the local board of trade were as ollows:
Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern American corn—No. 2 yellow, 981/2c; o. 3 yellow, 9714c. Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 49c to Ontario wheat-No. 2 winter, \$1.20 to 1.22.
Peas—No. 2, \$1.45 to \$1.50.
Barley—Malting, 59c to 61c.
Buckwheat—No. 2, 76c to 78c.
Rye—No. 2, 79c to 81c.

Montreal, April 20. — There was a good demand for Canadian western oats in the domestic market today.

Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, \$1.02 to \$1.03. Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 58c to 69c; do., No. 3, 63c to 64c; extra No. 1 feed, 61½c to 62c; No. 2 local white, 10½c to 61c.

MINNEAPOLIS. Minneapolis, April 20.-Grain quotations—Close:
Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.25% to \$1.33%; May, \$1.25%; July, \$1.23%; Sept., \$1.17%.
Corn—No. 1 yellow, 71%c.
Oats—No. 3 white, 41%c to 42%c.
Flax—No. 1, \$3.53 to \$3.54.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, April 20.—Wheat—Spot, No. northern, 10s 7d; No. 2, 9s 9½d; No. 3, 8 8d; No. 2 hard winter, 10s 7½d; No. mixed winter, 10s 3d. Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, is 2d; do, old, 8s 44d.

SEEDS

Chicago, April 20.—Timothyseed, \$5 o \$6.50 per cwt. Cloverseed—\$12.50 to \$17.50 per cwt. Toronto, Apri 21.—Toronto wholesale seed dealers are offering Government Standard No. 1 seeds, f.o.b. Toronto,

per cwt:

Red clover, to \$26.00.

Alsike, to \$17.00.

Timothy, \$11.00 to \$12.00.

Sweet clover, \$10.00 to \$11.00.

Alfalfa, Ont., \$27.00. Toronto dealers are paying per or seeds at country points: Red clover, \$9.00 to \$10.50. Alsike, \$4.50 to \$6.00. Timothy, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Sweet Clover, \$3.00 to \$4.00. Alfalfa, \$11.50 to \$13.00. Toledo, April 21. — Wheat—Cash, \$1.37½ to \$1.38½.

Clover seed—Prime cash and April, \$11.55; Oct., \$11.72½.

Alsike—Prime cash, \$10.50.

Timothy—Prime cash, \$3.30; May,

WEEK'S TRADE GOOD ON CATTLE MARKET

Demand Continues Keen for Heavy Animals of Export Variety.

Special to The Advertiser. Toronto, April 20 .- With the exception of the commonest rough butcher cattle, trade has been good in all sections through the week. In the opening market on Monday there was a strong demand for the heavy expert cattle. This continued in Tuesday's market, by which time the requirements of the principal exporting firms had evidently been filled. For the balance of the week the export demand was quiet so far as the heavy steers were concerned.

Export prices in the heavy steers Export prices in the heavy steers class held steady all through from \$7.75 to \$8. A few extra choice steers sold up to \$8.25. The export trade included a quiet, active demand all through the week for good weighty feeders of the short-keep class. These sold steady to strong from \$7.25 to \$7.50. A good class of store cattle around 1,050 and 1,100 pounds were in active demand from \$7 to \$7.25. Prossactive demand from \$7 to \$7.25. Pros-

active demand from \$7 to \$7.25. Prospects are good for an active export demand for the next few weeks.

Rogers & Maybee shipped 700 or 800 cattle to the seaboard this week, and will probably be in the market next week for a considerable number.

The H. P. Kennedy Company recived during the week about 20 cars of western store cattle from Winnipeg through the United Grain Growers. These cattle are sold here, Winnipeg weights and freight, and are being distributed to points in Ontario and to seaboard for export.

No. 2 Northern 51
No. 3 Northern 51
No. 4 Northern 53
No. 5 Northern 53
No. 5 Northern 53
No. 5 Northern 54
Other grades 57

271
Year ago 163.
Oats 63. Barley 7. Flax 8.

SATURDAY'S OPENING PRICES.
Winnipeg, April 21.—Opening futures:
Wheat—May, unchanged to %c lower, at \$1.23% to \$1.21%; July, %c to %c lower, at \$1.23% to \$1.21%; July, %c to %c lower, at \$1.23% to \$1.25%.
Oats—May, unchanged at 51%c; July, unchanged at 51%c; July, unchanged at 51%c.
Barley—July, %c lower at \$2.93; July, %c lower, at \$2.83%.
Rye—May, %c lower, at 85%c.

\$3.25.
Calf market improved 50 cents to \$1 during the week, with a good active trade. In the sheep and lambs section there is a good demand for choice yearlings and light weight sheep. With only moderate runs, spring lambs eased off a little. Choice lambs, \$14.50 to \$15. Spring lambs, \$8 to \$12 each.

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Springers, each Sheep, choice, cwt... to 9 00 to 6 50 to 11 00 to 15 00 to 9 00 to 14 00 do, heavy do, spring, each Hogs, flat rates, bid:

Chicago, April 20.—Cattle — Receipts 1,000; beef steers about steady at week's advance; some slowness on heavies late; top \$10: best yearlings \$9.75; mixed steers and heifers \$9.65; Nebraska fed steers fairly numerous; bulk beef steers \$8.40 to \$9.50; beef cows and heifers of batter erades stronger: lower grades and CHICAGO. \$8.40 to \$9.50; beef cows and helfers of better grades stronger; lower grades and canners and cutters slow, weak; canners lower in spots; bulls strong; vealers steady; stockers dull; bulk bologna bulls \$5.10 to \$5.25; bulk vealers to packers \$8.50, downward; bulk beef cows \$5.25 to \$7.

\$7.
Hogs — Receipts 20,000; early market mostly 10c higher to shippers; packer market slow; mostly 5c to 10c lower than yesterday's close; top \$8.45; bulk 160 to 210-pound average \$8.25 to \$8.40; 240 to 325-pound butchers \$7.80 to \$8.15; packing sows around 10c lower, mostly \$6.75 to \$6.90. Pigs steady; bulk desirable 100 to 130-pound average \$7 to \$7.75; plain light kind \$6.75 down; estimated holdover 9,000.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000; lambs unevenly steady; top wooled \$14.60; bulk \$14 to

ly steady; top wooled \$14.60; bulk \$14 to \$14.60; heavy wooled \$12.75; clipped mostly \$10.75 to \$11.50; one load \$11.60; heavies \$9.85 to \$10; sheep around steady; one deck clipped medium cwes \$6.90

Winnipeg. April 20.—Receipts, 515 cattle and calves, 320 hogs and 4 sheep. Trading continued active and at firm prices on the cattle market yesterday. Choice handy weight killing steers sold up to \$7.25; best butcher cows, \$4.50 to \$4.75; top fleshly feeder steers, \$5.75. The hog market maintained a steady tone. Thick smooths were weighed up at \$9.65, and select bacons at \$10.72½. WINNIPEG.

EAST BUFFALO.
East Buffalo, April 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 275; strong, Calves—Receipts, 1,800; steady, \$4 to \$12.50. \$12.50.

Hogs — Receipts, \$,800; 10c to 25c lower: heavy, \$8.25 to \$8.75; mixed, \$6.85 to \$8.90; yorkers, \$8.90 to \$9; light yorkers, \$8.75 to \$9; pigs, \$8.75; roughs, \$7 to \$7.25; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Sheep and lambs—Fair demand; wool sneep and lambs—Fair demand; wool lambs, \$9 to \$14.50.

PROVISIONS

Chicago, April 20 .- Despite an advance in hog values, easy with grain.

Cash prices:
Pork—Nominal.

Lard—\$11.12.

Ribs—\$9.25 to \$10.25. hog values, provisions were Future quotations: Lard—May, \$11.12; July, \$11.37. Ribs—May, \$9.26; July, \$9.97.

Liverpool, April 20.—Bacon—Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs, 72s 6d; Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75 lbs, 90s; clear bellies, 14 to 20 lbs, 74s 6d; long clear middles, light, 79s 6d; short clear backs, 12 to 20 lbs, 75s 6d; shoulders, square, 12 to 16 lbs, 60s 6d; do, New York, 60s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, cwt, 62s 9d; American refined, in pails, 28 lbs, 73s 6d.

LINSEED

Duluth, April 20. — Linseed: May, \$3.34% asked; July, \$3.15% asked. London, April 20.—Calcutta linseed,

HAY AND STRAW

Toronto, April 20.—Hay, extra No. 3 timothy, \$14; mixed, \$11; lower grades, \$ per ton. Straw—Carlits, \$9 per ton.

Montreal, April 20.—Hay, No. per ton, carlots, \$13 to \$14.