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ENGLISH MARKETS.

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(Beerbohm's Advices.)—Floating Cargoes _Wheat hardly any demand; Corn quiet but steady. Cargoes on massage--Wheat hud corn, depressed. Quotations Med. Chicago or Milwalkee Wheat, 41s 6d. Good shiphing of California Wheat, just shipped, 43s 6d; not 43s 6d. Liverpool Wheat on spot very heavy. Corn, depre-sed; do California and Chub Whet 9s 1d to 9s 4d; do Red Winter and White Mich. 8s 3d to 9s 1d; do American Western mixed Corn 6s 74d. Amount of Wheat on passage for U. K. 2,150,000 qrs.; Corn 140,000 ore.

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS. (By Special Telegraph.) Товолто, Sept. 28, 1882.

There have been some changes recently in the course of business that are expected to be productive of increased prosperity. The grain crops are moving, both in the city and sur. rounding country, and the amount of money that will be put into circulation will stimulate trade and manufactures of all sorts. There is not much wheat coming into market, but the quantity of bailey is averaging more than 10,-000 bushels per day from farmers' waggons Trade is good in nearly every branch. Payments by country dealers are variously commented upon, and there is a tolerably large number belonging to the class who still need a touch of forbearance, at least till the farmers are in a position to pay their debts. The antici; ated financial changes have taken place, and there is no great degree of trouble experienced. Banks have raised the rates of discount about one-hulf per cent., for commercial paper. On call loans the rate has been further advanced but on first-class paper 61 per cent, is the highest figure asked. The depreciation of bank stocks has somewhat embarrassed some parties, but it does not count for much in the general course of events. Banks stocks have all declined, some more than others. Following are closing bids to-day as compared with those of last Thursday ;

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Banks.		Bid Sept. 28.		Bid Sept. 21.	
Montreal.	208	210	Can. Permanent		
Toronto	189		Freehold.		
Ontarlo	124		Western Can		
Merchants		130	Bldg. & Loan	1043	1041
Commerce	1411		Imp. Savings		
Dominiou	210		Farmers' Loan.		
Hamilton	1		Lond. & Can'du		
Standard	1123		Huron & Erie.	1	
Federal		1523	Dom, Savings .	1 120	120
Imperial .	142]	141	Ontario Loan	1	
Molsons	1	1	litiamilton Prov.	1 125	125

FLOUR AND MEAL.—The flour market has been exceedingly dull, and values have depreciated. Sales took place last Saturday at \$5, but new superior extra would not sell at that to-day. One dealer has a car lot to sell at \$4.90, and he cannot sell it. Still the price is nominal at \$4.55. The market is falling, and it is doubtful if to-morrow the quotation be not 5 cents lower. Old wheat flour is not quoted. Extra is nominal at 10 cents cheaper than superior. The stock of flour here on Monday was only 997 barrels. Uaineel is not in the market and quotations are nominal. Our lots would not be bought at present on the declining market. Commend is in a similar position.

WHEAT.—The depreciation in value has reached bottom for the present in Toronto. There i have been no transactions reported recently, but

the price for No. 2 Fall could not exceed \$1 on the track, car lots. Quotations nominal, would be No. 2 Fall, \$1; No. 3 Fall, 94c to 95c; No. 2 old, \$1.10; No. 2 Spring, \$1.08; No. 2 old, \$1.18. There are 16,979 bushels in store here.

COARSE GUAINS.—The market has been pretty active during the past week with farmers' waggons. Barley has been coming in freely. The standard of barley this year is the same as last with respect to weight, but a liberal allowance has been made to get over the dark color. Prices for the various grades lie between 50c and 82c. There are now about 30,000 bushels in elevators here. The first cargo for Oswego is being shipped on a schooner to-day; freight 2 cents. *Oats* have declined, selling at 40c on the track. *Peas* are worth 75c to 80c. Rye is selling at 68c on the street.

PROVISIONS.—Business has been very dull, and dealers are complaining. Prices still keep high, and the possible margin on transactions is very narrow. There is no apprehension of a depreciation of prices for the remainder of the year. Butter is easier; rolls selling at 22c to 24c; dhiry at 20c to 21c; store packed good 17c; inferior 14c to 15c. Shipping lots are not worth more than 16c. Eggs, packed, are worth 19c; fresh, 20c to 21c. Dried Apples have been offered again in fair supply at 8c to 8½ oper 1b. Cheese is unchanged at 112c to 12c. Ont meats are only in moderate supply, but the prices are maintained; Cumberland cut, 124c to 13c; long clear, 132c to 14c; rolls, 16c; shoulders canrassed, 132c; to 14c; rolls, 16c; shoulders canreseling better, at 13c to 14c for pickled, and 152c to 16c for smoked, and lard is still dear at 152c for Canadian and 16c for American.

OTHER PRODUCE.—General market produce is also about the same value that it was a week ago. Apples are sold at 75c up to \$1.25 per barrel. Potatoes are, for the moment, dearer, 80c to 85c a bag. Poultry is unchanged; chickens 60c u pair; Powls 70c; Ducks 80c; Yurkeys \$1.25 to \$1.50. Hogs still scarce at \$8.50 to \$9.50; and butchers' is still 124c to 15c per 1b. for good cuts. Fruit keeps reasonably cheap; but will scon be out of the market. Only late varieties of Peaches and Grapes are offering. Plums are about done. A sale of a small lot of Hops was reported at 40c. It is not known yet what the price will be when quantities are offered. Hay is steady at \$12 to \$15; pressed hay \$14 a ton. Straw loose \$7, bundled \$10 to \$12 a ton.

LIVE STOCK.—There were fair receipts of beasts at the market here on the two recent market days, Tuesday and Friday. There were a few cattle and sheep bought for shipment, but the numbers were comparatively small. The cattle sold at $5\frac{1}{2}c$, $5\frac{3}{3}c$ and 6c per 1b, ; the sheep sold at 5c per 1b, live weight. The bulk of the cattle were bought for local consumption. Good butchers' cattle sold at $4\frac{1}{4}c$ to $4\frac{3}{2}c$, inferior 3c to 4c; and all have been taken. The number disposed of, for local use, was probably over 700. There has been a large supply of lambs, and all have been sold. The latest market prices were from 33.50 to 34.25. Uattle are arriving in better condition, and lambs are sold at 37 to 57.75, per 100 lbs, live weight. It is not thought that prices will go higher at present.

GROGERIES — Business has no feature demanding notice. A fair amount of trade is being done, but the season is said to have been dull. No extra movement is expected before the holidays. Sugars are unchanged: Scotch refined, 74c to 8c; Paris lump, 103c to 104c; standard granulated, 94c to 94c; Canadian refined, 74c to 85c; Porto Ricos, 74c to 74c for dark to fair, and 8c to 8%c for bright to choice. Tobaccos, dark, 38c to 40c; Western leat, 38c to 42c; Brights, 48c to 57c, and choice 70c to 80c. Fish is scarce and not in de-

mand; dry cod \$6 to \$6.50. Peels have advanced: lemon and orange are now quoted at 22c to 25c. *kice* \$3.75 to \$4. *Fruit* is expected to be dear, but prices have not been changed:

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—Trade is well maintained. Prices have an upward tendency. Heavy goods are in demand. Prices current: cuttle fish bone 55c per lb.; Balsam, 48c per lb; Camphor, 37c; Cubeb Berries, advanced, S1.20. Gum Arabic denrer, 18c to 35c. Aloes, Cape, firm, 20c and 25c; Borax, 20c; Opium, scarce and is firm in value, S5.10 to S5.25; Castor Oil, 104c to 11c; Sweet Almonds, 60c per lb; Juniper Berries, 65c per oz. Oil Lemon, S3.75 to S4 per lb; Peppermint, S3.75 to S4.50; Quinine, no advance is expected to present prices: Howard's, S.7.5; German, S2.50; Alcohol, S2.95 cash; Morphia, S3.10 to S3.20 per oz; Cream of Tartar, 35c; Turpentine, 80c to 85c; Linseed Oil, 72c for raw, 70c for boiled; dye stuffs are quiet; Nfid. Cod Liver Oil, S1.75 per gal; Norwegian higher at \$4.00. Santonine Sp er lb. Turpentine 77c to 80c; Hemp Seed 64c to 7c per lb.

COAL OIL.—The boom in United States oils has affected prices here, of both home and imported oils. There is no report that our crude has advanced, but there can be no question that it will, Canadian refined has advanced $\frac{1}{2}c$; quoted now at 18½ c for single barrels, and 18c in lots of ten barrels. American oils advanced 2 cents; prime is now 24c, and water white 27c per gal lon, imperial measure.

FREGUTS.—There is no change in freight rates for Grand Trunk, the through rate from here to Liverpool on flour, sacks of 100 lbs., is 32 cents, and 324 cents per cental on wheat.

HARDWARE.—It may be repeated that this trade is in good condition. The demand for all sort of manufactured goods, and iron is exceedingly active Prices of all goods are firm, and no decline anticipated. Quotations are: Cut nails per keg of 100 lbs, 10d to 60d, \$2.95 to \$3.10; 8d and 9d, \$3 20 to \$3.30; 6d and 7d, \$3.45 to \$3.55; 4d and 5d, \$3.65 to \$3.75; 3d, \$4 to 4.10. Cunada Plates—Ilation, \$3.10 to \$3.15; Boar's Head, \$3.25; Pontypool, \$3.35; 'W. F. G.'', \$3 15 to \$3.25; Sagemay, \$3.35. *Tin Plates* are in good demand and price firm. Barbed Pencing Wire, galvanized, 8½ to 9c; pointed 7c. to 74c.

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