

residence upon this side of the bay. The crop seems to be principally wheat, and looks as though thirty bushels per acre would be under the average yield this year. The only danger anticipated by the farmers there is that the growth of straw is so great that the wheat may 'lodge' or fall down, causing additional expense in the gathering."

**Provisions.**—There is nothing to report in this branch; stocks are run low and the trade is mostly of a retail character. The season has been very favorable for butter, rendering a large crop quite certain, and a low ruling of prices during the season equally certain. Dairy tub is selling at 12½ to 13c. and store packed at 10 to 12c. Eggs—9½ to 10½. Cheese.—Good qualities, scarce and unchanged.

A St. Louis circular gives the following as stocks of hog products at several Western markets.

	Bulk Meats and Bacon, Pork, lbs.	Lard, brls. fcs.
St. Louis and vicinity..	11,000,000	12,000
Louisville.....	8,000,000	16,000
Chicago.....	10,000,000	47,000
Cincinnati.....	18,000,000	16,000
Indianapolis.....	800,000	.....
Madison.....	300,000	.....
Total.....	46,100,000	91,000

The official statement of the stock of Beef and Pork in New York, will be made public on Monday and be printed in our next. The current estimate for to-day is 5,000,000 lbs. Bacon and Cutsmeats 84,000 bbls. and 20,000 pkgs. Lard, making with the addition of the above totals, 51,100,000 lbs. Bacon, &c., 175,000 bbls. Pork, and 74,200 pkgs. Lard—a very moderate quantity, it would seem, with which to supply the demand until next packing season and in this view, this market recovered a portion of the decline.—*Chronicle.*

**FREIGHTS.**—Tariff rates by Grand Trunk to the following points are:—Flour to all stations from Belleville to Lynn, inclusive, 25c; grain per 100 lbs., 13c; flour to Brockville and Cornwall, inclusive, 30c; grain, 15c; flour to Montreal, 35c; grain, 18c; flour to all stations between Island Pond and Portland, inclusive, 75c; grain, 38c; flour to Halifax, 85c; grain, 53c; flour to St. John, 85c; Marine insurance, Portland to Halifax, 1½ on flour, and to St. John 1 per cent. Toronto to Liverpool, by Grand Trunk via Portland—Boxed meats, gross ton 52s. 6d.; lard and butter, 95c; beef, per tierce, 9s. 6d. sterling; pork, per bbl, 7s. flour &c., \$1 00. Rates by Great Western—Flour to Suspension Bridge, 25c; grain 13c. per 100 lbs.; Susp. Bridge to Albany, Troy or Schenectady, flour 50c. U. C. cy.; N.Y., York 60c.; grain, 30c.; to Boston, flour 70c., grain 35c.; Toronto to Halifax, via Boston, flour \$1 02, gold; to St. John, 97c.; Toronto to Liverpool, cured meats, 80c. per 100 lbs.; lard 90c. butter and cheese \$1 25 per 100 lbs.; to Glasgow, via New York, cured meats —, lard —, Toronto to Detroit, flour 40c. and grain 20c. Grain to Oswego by vessel 2½c to 3c American currency; to Montreal by barge, 6½c. gold, by steamer 8c.; to Kingston, 2c. Flour to Montreal by steamer 20c.

### Niagara District Bank.

#### DIVIDEND No. 29.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Dividend of Three and a-half per cent. on the Capital Stock of this Institution has this day been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at the Bank, on and after Wednesday, the 1st day of July next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th to 30th June, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

C. M. ARNOLD,  
Cashier.

Niagara District Bank,  
St. Catharines, May 28, 1868. 42-td

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#### DIVIDEND No. 6.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a dividend of Four per cent for the current half-year, being at the rate of Eight per cent per annum upon the paid up Capital of this Bank has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank, or its agencies, on and after Tuesday, the 2nd day of July next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th June, both days inclusive.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the bank on Monday, the 6th day of July next.

The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board,

T. WOODSIDE,  
Cashier.

May 25, 1868.

41-td

### The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

#### DIVIDEND No. 2.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Dividend of Four per cent for the current half year, being at the rate of eight per cent per annum upon the paid up capital of this Bank, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Banking House in Toronto, or at any of the Branches of the Bank, on or after Wednesday, 1st July next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th June, both days inclusive.

#### THE ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Shareholders will be held at the Banking House, in Toronto, on

MONDAY, the SIXTH day of JULY next,

The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board,

R. J. DALLAS,  
Cashier.

Toronto, May 26, 1868.

41-td

### Bank of Toronto.

#### DIVIDEND No. 24.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of 4 per cent. for the current half year, being at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum upon the paid up capital of this Bank, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank or its branches on and after Thursday, the 2nd day of July next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th of June, both days inclusive.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank on Wednesday the 15th day of July next.

The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board,

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