

Markets.

Toronto Markets.

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

The past fortnight has been characterized by uninterrupted dullness. Receipts have been light, notwithstanding the fall of snow, which made sleighing practicable during the past week. We have heard of no transactions of importance.

Flour—Market rather brisker; receipts very light. No. 1 \$5 to \$5 15, Extra, \$6 25 to \$6 75, Double Extra, \$6 50 to \$7 25.

Full Wheat dull at \$1.30 to \$1.40.

Spring Wheat—Sales at \$1 00 to \$1 09.

Barley—prices ranged from 55 to 60c.

Peas quiet, at 62c to 64c.

Oats quiet, at 30c to 31c.

Rye 56c.

Provisions—Butter from 14 1/2 c to 17c for keg; choice dairy, 1 1/2 to 20c.

Potatoes—Cups sold at 30c to 35c; other varieties, 25c to 30c.

Salt—American, in barrels on the wharf, \$1 75, on the cars, \$1 77, dairy, 10c per bag. Liverpool, coarse, per bag, 95c to \$1.

Cheese—American prime, 13c to 15c.

Eggs—selling at from 15c to 17c for packed.

Hogs—selling at \$7 00 to \$7 60 per cwt.; pork quiet, prices nominal, mess, \$20 to \$23 per brl, prime do., \$19 to \$21.

Hay—from \$7 00 to \$10 00 per ton.

Straw—\$6 to \$7.50.

LIVE STOCK—The market is moderately active and prices are firm. The figures here given are offered by the butchers and drovers in this market per 100 lbs, dressed weights.—Cattle, 1st Class, \$6 50, do. 2nd class, \$6, do inferior, \$5 to \$5 50. Calves, \$5 to \$6. Sheep, prime heavy, each, \$6 to \$8, do light, each, \$4 to \$4 50. Lambs, each, \$2 50 to \$3.

Fruit.—Apples, farmers' packed, \$1 75 to \$2 00.

HAMILTON MARKETS, Jan. 23.—Spring Wheat, \$1 to \$1 05; white wheat, \$1 15 to \$1 25; red do., \$1 to \$1 10. Peas, 55c to 60c. Barley, 60c to 65c. Oats, 31c. Flour, XXX, \$6 75; extra, \$6, superfine, \$5 50. Corn meal, per 100 lbs., \$1 75 to \$2. Oatmeal, do., \$2 75. Beef, do., \$4 75 to \$6. Mutton, do., \$4 to \$6. Lamb, do., \$4 50 to \$5. Pork, do., \$7 to \$7 50; live at factory, medium weights, \$5 50; hams, 15c to 16c; shoulders, 12 1/2 c; bacon, 14c to 16c. Potatoes, per bushel, 60c. Onions, do., 60c. Apples, per bag, 75c to \$1. Butter, per lb., 15c to 20c; do. in drin, 1 1/2 c to 14c. Eggs, per doz., 25c to 27c. Lard, per lb., 14c to 15c. Hay, per ton, \$8 to \$9. Straw, per ton, \$7 to \$8. Tallow, rough, per lb., 7 1/2 c; do., rendered, per lb., 10c. Hides, green, per 100 lbs., \$5 50 to \$5 75; do., dry, \$10. Sheepskins, \$1 50 each.—Spectator.

LONDON MARKETS, Jan. 24.—Fall Wheat—superior, \$1 20 to \$1 40. Spring Wheat \$1 07 to \$1 10. Barley, 50c to 55c. Peas, 55c to 58c. Corn, 60c to 55c. Hay, per ton, \$7 50 to \$8 50. Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs., \$7 to \$7 50. Oat Straw, per load, \$3 to \$4. Beef, per cwt., \$5 to \$7. Potatoes, 40c to 45c. Eggs, per dozen, 20c to 25c. Hides, dry, per lb., 10c to 11c; green, 6c to 5 1/2 c. Sheepskins, fresh oil, 75c to \$1 50. Wool, per lb., 40c to 45c. Calves, per lb., dry, 14c to 16c; green, 9c. Ducks, per pair 40c to 50c. Chickens, per pair, 25c to 30c. Apples, per bus., 62c to 75c. Onions, do., 60c to 75c.

GALT MARKETS, Jan. 24.—Flour, per 100 lbs., \$2 50 to \$3 25. Fall Wheat, per bushel, \$1 15 to \$1 20. Spring Wheat, per bushel, 95c to \$1 10. Barley, per bushel, 60c to 62 1/2 c. Oats, per bushel, 25c to 30c. Butter, per lb., 15c to 17c. Eggs, per dozen, 14c to 16c. Straw, per load, \$2 to \$2 50. Peas, do., 60c to 55c. Beef, per 100 lbs., \$5 to \$6. Pork, per lb., 10c to 12 1/2 c; Pork, per 100 lbs., \$6 to \$7. Hides, per 100 lbs., \$5. Calveskins, over 8 lbs., 8c. Lambskins, \$1 to \$1 25. Potatoes, 31 1/2 c to 40c. Hay, \$8 to \$10. Apples, 37 1/2 c to 75c.—Reformer.

COBourg MARKETS, Jan. 24.—Flour, per barrel, \$5 50 to \$6. Wheat, per bushel, fall, \$1 30 to \$1 40; spring wheat, per bushel, \$1 15. Potatoes, 25c to 30c. Barley, per bushel, 70c to 75c. Peas, 60c to 65c. Oats, 32c to 33c. Hay, per ton, \$5 to \$6. Hides, per cwt., \$4 50. Sheepskins, \$1 25 to \$1 50. Wool, per lb., 35c to 40c. Beef, per cwt., \$5 to \$6. Pork, \$6 to \$7 50. Eggs, per dozen, 17c to 18c. Butter, per lb., 17c to 18c.—Star.

OSwego MARKETS, Jan. 22.—Flour—Market 25c per bbl. lower on some brands, at \$8 for brands from No. 1 spring; \$9 50 to \$9 65 for red winter; \$10 75 to \$11 from white wheat; and at \$11 50 to \$11 75 for XXX from new white wheat. Mill Feed—Shorts are quoted at \$10, and shipstuffs at \$4 to \$4 75 per ton. Corn meal—100 lbs. bolted at \$2 to \$2 10, do unbolted \$1 90 to \$2, 50 lbs. bolted in paper sacks \$1 05, do in cloth \$1 15. Salt unchanged, fine is quoted at \$2 25 per barrel, and 14 lb. sacks at 20c. Water-lime selling at \$1 70 per barrel. Plaster quoted at \$1 50 per barrel.

NEW YORK MARKETS, Jan. 27.—Cotton quiet at 48c for Flour—Receipts 3,805 barrels, market dull, while prices are without decided change. Sales 6,000 barrels, at 76 1/2 to \$7 30 for superfine rate \$7 70 to \$7 90 for extra state, \$7 95 to \$8 15 for choice do., \$8 20 to \$8 40 for superfine Western, \$7 70 to \$8 20 for common to medium extra Western, \$8 45 to \$8 50 for common to good shipping brands extra round hoop Ohio. Canadian flour quiet, sales 400 barrels, at \$7 90 to \$8 20 for common, and \$8 30 to \$11 25 for good to choice extra. Wheat—Receipts 800 bushels, market dull, and prices without decided change, sales 14,000 bushels No. 1 new Milwaukee, at \$1 74, and \$1 75 for new amber Michigan. Rye quiet, sales 11,000 bushels State, at \$1 05. Barley dull Corn—Receipts 8,200 bushels, market without decided change, but more active, sales 67,000 bushels, at 79c to 81c for unshelled, and 82c to 85c for sound mixed Western, in store and delivered, and 83c to 86c for new yellow. Oats firmer, at 43c to 45c for unshelled, Western, at 59c to 60c for sound do., 67c to 68c for Canada, 63c to 64c for Jersey and Pennsylvania, and 69c to 60c for state choice quiet. Barley heavy and irregular, sales 6,700 barrels, at \$3 62 to \$29 87 1/2 for new mess, closing at \$29 62 1/2 cash, \$28 to \$29 25 for old do, closing at \$28 25 cash. Beef quiet. LATEST MARKETS.—Flour closed dull and unchanged. Wheat closed dull and unchanged. Corn closed without decided change. Pork closed heavy and unsettled, and new mess at \$28 62 for cash. Lard closed heavy at 15c to 18c.

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