

1.60; yellow ochre, \$1.50; spruce ochre, \$2.00 to 2.50. Window glass, \$1.40 per 50 feet for first break; \$1.50 for second break; for lots of 50 boxes and over 5c. per box less.

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, 13th June, 1889.

FLOUR.—There is nothing to report in the shape of orders, and quotations are still practically nominal. Dealers are of opinion that when any demand does make its appearance lower prices will rule. At present buyers do not seem to be open for business at any figure. Oatmeal quiet and unchanged. Bran is also dull, as is usual when grass is plentiful.

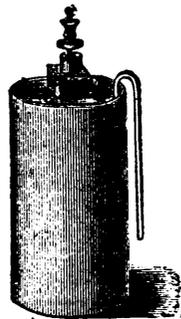
GRAIN.—Although we can report a slight advance over last week's prices of wheat the business transacted continues to be of a meagre character. There are said to be no other buyers than those amongst the local mills, and their wants are not extensive. Prices for all grades of fall and spring wheat can be quoted about a cent better than we last wrote. We hear of no transactions in barley, the quotations for which remain nominal. In oats the feeling is steadier, but nothing moving beyond sales on local account; 29 to 31c. per bush. is the range. Peas are held at 55c. outside; 53c. has been bid, but no sales have re-

sulted. Enquiries for corn have had a slightly firming effect, but we have not heard of any changing hands. Rye is nominal at 56 to 57c.

GROCERIES.—With the advent of the present seasonable weather trade in this department has undergone a marked and much needed improvement. The sugar market still holds the attention of the wholesaler, and the retailer, too, has now begun to realize the situation. The price of lowest Canadian refined is 7½c. to close buyers. Granulated is now worth 9¼ to 9½c., and the addition of another ¼c. is expected on Saturday. Redpath's Paris lump is now 9¼ to 10c. per lb. The Nova Scotia pe-

finery has closed down for the present, "owing to the present unremunerative prices of refined sugars as compared with raws." The statistical position still shows the most satisfactory evidence of strength. In New York, says the *Bulletin*, one of the most healthy features is the absence of forcing measures, every grain coming through the action of buyers acting upon the compulsion of consumption wants. There is said to be no Jamaica in stock here now. Molasses in sympathy with sugars is dearer, and syrup remains as before. Coffees are without feature, while teas seem to be in a little better demand. Dan Talmage's sons report that stocks of rice in England and the Continent have been largely added to. The movement is sluggish and the tone easier.

HARDWARE.—While trade is not regarded as being particularly active, yet there is a fair amount of business in building supplies and roofing materials. Prices of galvanized sheets,



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Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of G. F. Durand, Esq., Architect, London, Ont., on and after Tuesday, 4th June, 1889, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied and signed with actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

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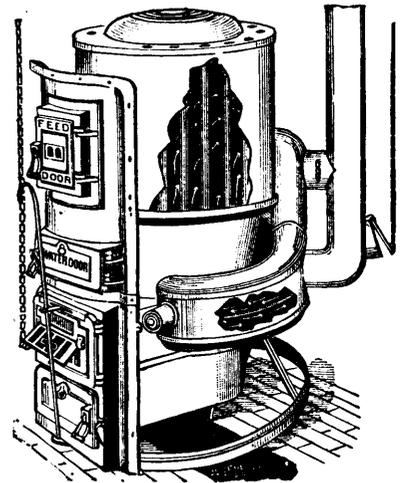
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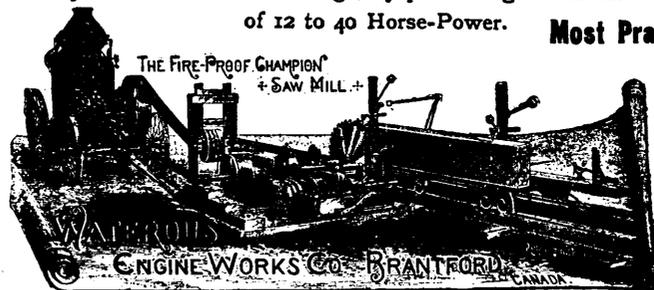


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