Wheat.

## TORONTO WHOLESALE TRADE.

Toronto, Aug. 15.

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Dry Goods—Fair inquiry; values firm, deliveries staple fair.

Hardware—Fair movement for season; price firm.

Groceries—Fair demand, firmer, better demand. Salmon firm.

# TORONTO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

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Toronto, August 15.

Wheat is in better demand and firmer. New winter wheat is worth 72½ given 25.

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track, Toro track, Toronto.

Milifeed—Shorts, \$17.50 per ton and bran, \$12 per ton. Manitoba feed, \$21 for cars of shorts, and \$18 for bran, sacks included, Toronto.

Outmeal—\$3.75 for cars and bags and \$3.30 in wood for car lots, Toron-

Hay—Car lots on track, \$9.50 to \$10 er ton for No. 1 timothy.
Eggs—Case lots, new laid, 14 to 15c

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Butter dairy rolls, 15 to 16c; tubs mid pails, 15c; creamery, 4ub, choice, 7 1-2 to 18c; prints, 18 to 19c.
Cheese—194 to 19½c for finest.
Hides—8 1-2 for No. 1 green cows:
Ko. 1 steers, 9½; calf skins, 9c for No. and 7c for No. 2; shearings 40c each; amb skins 40c each; taubs 4½c to 15c.

5½c. Wool—Washed fleece 16c to 17c; una Washed fleece 16c to 17c; un-washed, 9c to 16c.

Beans—31.70 to 51.80 per bushel for 50b lots of hand picked, and \$1.00 to \$1.60 for unpicked.

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# MONTREAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Montreal, Aug. 15. Montreal, Aug. 10.
The grain markets are quiet. Flour is steady. Feed is \$1 lower. Offerings of butter are large and the market is quiet. There is a little more buying in the country. Cheeze is firm ing in the country. Cheeze is firm tendency. Hogs are \$2 \text{kighter}\$, \$2 \text{kighter}\$. Eggs are \$3 \text{kighter}\$. dency. Hogs are ¼c higher. Eggs ½c lower. ats—No. 2 white, 38 to 38%c ex-

store, No. 2 white, 38 to 38½c exstore, No. 2 white, 38 to 38½c exstore, Barley—No. 3, 51c affont.
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817; shorts, 819 per ton: Ontario
bran, in bulk, 810 to 81.50; shorts,
Haled Hay—No. 2, 80 to 810 per ton:
Cheese—Finest Ontario 10 to 10½c;
finest Quebe, 9½ to 10c; Townships,
10c.

Butter—Creamery, 18 to 18% c for est; seconds, 17%;; dairy, 14 to 15c. Potatoes—New, \$1.80 per barrel. Eggs—No. 1 candled, 14 to 14%; per

dozen.

Maple Syrup—70 to 75c for large tins; sugar, Sc to S¼c.
Honey—White clover comb, in large sections, 12 to 15c.
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# TORONTO LIVE STOCK

Toronto August 12 Receipts at the stock yards on Tues-day amounted to 3) cars, including 333 outtle, 334 sheep and lambs, and Cattle—There were only

Big hogs.

Phyport Cattle—There were only a few offering. There is no space at the moment. Prices ruled easier, and to five moment. Prices ruled easier, and to 53 per cwit. The ordinary run of choice brought about \$4.50 to \$4.80, and others ran at \$4.30 to \$4.80. Cows are quoted unchanged at \$2.50 to \$4.80, good, but there were very few offering, especially in the best grades. The best cattle on the market soid at about \$4.50, and picked iots are hardly quotient and the second prices of the second prices of the second prices are good at \$2.50 to \$4.50. The ordinary run of choice sell at \$4.40 to \$4.50, and fair to good are about steady at \$4 to \$4.50. Cows are not wanted, and \$1.50 to \$4.50 to \$4

Hall for feeders, and \$2.00 to \$1.00 for Schors.

Schors and Lambs—The run offering was light, while the demand was fair, and everything sold well. Prices are quoted at \$2.50 to \$3.00, cults at \$2.50 to \$5.00 for \$1.00 for \$1.

Toronto, August 15.

Receipts at the stack yards yesterday amounted to 27 cars, including 700 sheep and lambs and 1,400 hogs. There was nothing doing in export cattle. Only a few offered. Prices were weak in sympathy with the British markets. Choice septiers. Stattle 10:14.75. Butchers' grades were in good demand and choice were scarcy, ricked jots brought \$4.00 to \$4.55. Export even first \$1.00 to \$4.55. Export even first \$1.00 to \$4.55. Export even first \$1.00 to \$1.55. Export even first \$1.00 to \$1.00 t

## MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

(Special to The Commercial.)

Montreal, Aug. 11.

The offerings of live stock at the End abattoir market yesterday S00 cattle and 600 sheep and

There were more good cattle than on any previous market system, and the prices of these were lower, atthough some of them were bounded by the prime steers at from 43c to 5c per lb. Pretty good cattle sold at from 33c to 43c, and the common stock at from 2c to 5c per lb. A considerable number of the cattle will not siderable number of the cattle will not be sold to-day. Calves were in de-mand at from \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ each, or from \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ each, or from \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ each of the \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ epr lb., and good lots of lambs at about \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to per lb. Fat hot are advancing in price; good for the \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ epr lb., weighed of the \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ epr lb., weighed off the cars

THURSDAY'S MARKET.

Montreal, Aug. 14.
Receipts of cuttle at the Elist End abattoir totalled 500; sheep and lambs

1,000. Butchers' cattle were in good demand. Best offered brought 449c2 calves, \$3 to \$5. Sheep, 35/c. Good in the, \$3.25 to \$3.50 cach; common, \$2.50 to \$3 each. Good fat hogs, 649c.

## HOGS AND HOG PRODUCTS.

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Toronto, August 15.

And firm.

Dressed Hogs—\$to \$8.25 for best weights on the street.

Pork—Canada For St. 18.25 for best weights on the street.

Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Long clear bacon, tons and cases, 10e to 10½c; hams, 13c to 14c; rolls, 11½c to 18c; shoulders, 11 to 11½c; backs, 15 to 16c; breatfarst bacon, 14 to 15c; green meats out of pickle are quoted in the control of th

ard-Tierces, 91/2c; tubs, 91/4c; and

# LONDON SUGAR

(Special to the Commercial.)

London, August 14.

The closing figure for August option was 8s 2¼d., an advance of %d over last week.

#### CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

Sept. Dec. May.

Following are the figures at which the Cl cago market closed on each day of the pa

Saturday, August 18.  Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Friday	8016 7976 80 8076 8176 8276	80% 80% 80% 81 82% 83%	82% 82% 82% 83
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Pork-			
Saturday, August 8	13.32 13.42 13.35 13.27 13.25 13.20		
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Ribs-			
Saturday, August S	7.90 7.97 7.92 7.82 7.85 7.77		
A week ago Sept. option ele 80½c: May 85½c. A year ago ed at 69½c: Dec. 66½c: May 6	Sept.	79%c; option	Dec. clos-

# NEW YORK WHEAT.

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## MINNEAPOLIS WHEAT

Closing prices for the week:

Saturday	Sept. 81%	Dec. 78%	1 hard.	1 nor. :	2 nor. 89%
Monday Tuesday	81%	78% 78%	9316	9216	91%
Wednesday	81%	79%	96%	95%	94%
Thursday Friday	83% 85%	81% 81%	95% 1.01	1.0)	93%
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## DULUTH WHEAT

Closing prices for the week:

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday	Sept. 81% 81% 81% 82% 83% 85%	Dec. 7934 79 79 7946 80% 8134	1 hard 87% 87% 86% 87% 89% 91	1 nor. 1 86% 86% 85% 87% 87% 88% 90%	84% 84% 84% 85% 86% 88%	
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BRITISH LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

(Special to The Commercial)
London, Aug., 10.—Trade in cattle is slow. There was no market at Dept-ford to-day. Quotations for cattle are: States, 12c; Canadians, 11½c; and ford States, 1: 11c.

## FRIDAY'S CABLE.

Liverpool, August 14.
Canadian cautle lower at 9% @10½c;
United States, 19% @11½c, estimated
dressed weight. Sheep lower, at 11c to
12c. American cattle brought 11 to 11½c

# WEATHER AND CROPS.

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The weather has been showery and unsettled this week in all parts of the west. The temperature was below normal. These conditions have favor-conditions the conditions of the condition of the 18 bushels, according to locality. The first new wheat was received here on Monday. Harvest help is now much needed. The eastern excursions arrive next week. It is probable that even these will not satisfy all the demands, especially if the weather is favorable.

favorable.

Advices from Edmonton state that
the crops are in excellent condition in
Northern Alberta.

#### Late Western Business Items

W. W. Shore contemplates erecting a hotel at Pilot Mound, Man.

James Robinson has sold his livery stable at Antier, Assa., to W. Glence.

Geo. H. Hodgson has entered the grocery business at Vancouver. grocery business at Vancouver.

T. Hilliard has sold his hotel, the Queen's, at Qu'Appelle, Assa., to E. G. Walper.

J. Mitchell has been appointed agent or the Cockshutt Plow Company at for the Cock Antler, Assa.

Chas. E. Shaw, of Boissevain, has purchased the drug business of Dr. Hunt, at Indian Head, Assa.

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The Kemp Mfg. Co. wants tenders for the erection of a six storey brick factory building at Winnipeg.

"The McMillan Fur & Wool Co. have placed their circular of Aug. 5 1903 on file at our office for reference The Regina fair held this week was poiled to some extent by rains. The xhibits and programme were splen-

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The caterers, of Winnipeg, held a very successful picnic at Lake Winnipeg Beach on Thursday. Three trainloads of people were carried.

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Burglars operated in Fort William this week. The Pigeon River Lumber Co.'s office was robbed of \$300, and Jos. Enzer's clothing store of some clothing and cash.

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General Manager McNicoll, of the
C. P. R., who has been in Winniper
this week, on an inspection tore, left
for the west on Thursday night. He
is accompanied by a number of of
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carrying on a butcher business at
384 Logan avenue for a number of
years have dissolved partnership
J. B. Jones retres, the son, O. E
Jones, continuing the business.

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A miners' strike has been declared at Vananda, Texada Island, B. C., and as a result the Marble Bay and Vanarda mines are shut down. The Texada miners' unlon demanded a nine hour day for blacksmiths and carpenters, at the same rate of pay as their present shift. About 100 men are affacted

The bricklayers of Winnipeg are i The bricklayers of Winnipeg are in trouble over wages. The scale is at present 55c per hour and some of the men now ask for 60c. Five have quit their work because they cannot obtain this price. One contractor is now in Toronto hiring men to work for 55c. There are not enough bricklayers her now to complete the work projected for this year.

T. Gordon returned this week fr. J. T. Gordon returned this week from a visit to the western ranges. He says the cattle are a month inter Last year, but are now in good conductive to the conductive the says that the says the says that the says that the says that the says that the says the says that the says the says that the says the say

A board of trade has been formed at Pilot Mound, Man,... Its first regular to the trade has held on Tuesday night when the following officers were elective to the trade of President, Charles Crothers, vice-defined to the trade of the trade

William Endicort.

The first sitting of the commissate appointed by the Dominion government to inquire into the condition that the condition of the Northwest will be held at the Wishipeg court house on Monday morning, Judge Richards, the commissioner, will preside. The order for the estimates we made on representations. appointed ment to nipeg er, will preside. The older are the quiry was made on representations that a combine existed to the deriment of trade. At the conclusion of the hearing in Wimipeg the commission will adjourn to reassemble at a point to be determined later.

Senator Cochrane, who has been s largely identified with the gran-bin interests of Western Canada for if Western Canada for if Que, on Wednesday afternoon. By was 80 years old. In early life is came to Canada from the north of in-land and located in Quebec, where is land and located in Quebec, where is lead to the control of the control of the He was also interested in cattle bree led. His connection with this business led him to invest in a ranch in Albert Industry. industry.