

Markets Reports

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

Montreal. Dec. 9.—Oats, Canadian Western, No. 2, 58 to 59c; Canadian Western, No. 3, 57 to 58c. Flour, Manitoba Spring wheat patents, \$7.50. Bran, \$2.80 to \$2.85; shorts, \$2.45; middlings, \$2.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$27 to \$28.

Winnipeg. Dec. 9.—Wheat—No. 1 hard and No. 1 Northern, \$1.18 1-2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.13 1-2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.06 1-2; No. 4, 98 1-2c; No. 5, 87 1-2c; No. 6, 78 1-2c; feed, 70 1-2c; track, \$1.09 1-2. Oats—No. 2, C.W., 46 1-2c; No. 3, C.W., and extra No. 1, feed, 44 3-4c; No. 1, feed, 42c; No. 2, feed, 40 1-4c; rejected, 35 1-4c; track, 44 1-2c. Barley—No. 4, C.W., 57 1-4c; No. 4, C.W., 53c; rejected and feed, 45c; track, 57c. Flax—No. 1, N.W.C., \$1.68 3-4; No. 2, C.W., \$1.64 1-2; No. 3, C.W., and rejected, \$1.38 1-2; track, \$1.68 1-2. Rye—No. 2, C.W., 92c.

Toronto. Dec. 9.—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern \$1.30 1-2; No. 2 Northern \$1.24; No. 3 northern \$1.18 1-2; No. 4 wheat, not quoted.

Manitoba oats—No. 2, C.W., 54 3-4; No. 3, C.W., 52 3-4; extra No. 1, 53 3-4; No. 1, feed 51 3-4; No. 2, feed 49 3-4c.

Manitoba barley—No. 3, C.W., nominal; No. 4, C.W., nominal. All above on track, bay ports. American corn—No. 2, nominal, according to freights outside. Ontario wheat—Car lots f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights; No. 2 winter, nominal; No. 3 winter, nominal; No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 3 spring, nominal; No. 2 goose, nominal. Ontario barley—No. 3, test 47 lbs. or better, 57 to 60c. Buckwheat—No. 1, nominal, 65c to 70c. Rye—No. 2, 56 to 60c. Manitoba barley—First patent, \$7.40; second patent \$6.90. Ontario flour—30 per cent patent lots, delivered, \$4.80; mill feed, car included: Bran, \$23 to \$24 per ton; shorts, \$26 per ton; good feed flour, per bag, \$1.70 to \$1.80. Hay—Extra No. 2, \$22; mixed,

\$18; straw, car lots, \$12; loose hay, per ton, No. 1, \$27.

Chicago. Dec. 9.—Wheat, No. 2 hard, \$1.15 1-2; No. 3 northern, \$1.18 1-2 to \$1.20. Corn, No. 2 mixed, 49 to 49 1-2c; No. 2 yellow, 49 1-3 to 50c. Oats, No. 2 white, 55 to 55c; No. 3 white, 53 to 54 1-4c. Rye nominal. Barley, 53c. Timothy seed, \$5.00 to \$6.00. Clover seed, \$12.50 to \$18.50.

New York. Dec. 9.—Flour, spring patents, \$7.00 to \$7.50; winter clear, \$4.50 to \$5.50; soft winter straight, \$5.50 to \$5.90; hard winter straight, \$6.50 to \$7.00. Buckwheat flour—\$3.00 to \$3.20 per 100 lbs. Rye flour—Pair to good, \$5.25 to \$5.60; choice to fancy, \$5.65 to \$6. Cornmeal—Fine white and yellow granulated, \$1.67 to \$1.75. Rye—No. 2 western 96 1-2c to 91 c.i.f. export. Barley—Feeding 53c to 57c and mating 61 1-2c to 65 1-2c c.i.f. New York. Buckwheat—Canadian \$1.75 and American, \$1.75 to \$1.77. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.24; No. 2 hard, \$1.23; No. 1 Manitoba \$1.26 1-2 and No. 2 mixed durum \$1.13 c.i.f. track New York to arrive. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 68 1-2c; No. 2 white 69 1-2c and No. 2 mixed 68c c.i.f. New York, all rail. Oats—No. 2 white, 45 1-2c. Feed—City bran \$27.00 and western \$27.00 to \$28.00 in 100-lb. sacks.

Minneapolis. Dec. 9.—Bran, \$17.00 to \$18.00. Wheat, cash, No. 1 north-

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal. Dec. 9.—Cattle, butcher steers, medium, \$4.50 to \$5.90; common, \$3.50 to \$4.50; butcher heifers, medium, \$4.00 to \$4.75; common, \$3.00 to \$3.75; butcher cows, medium, \$3.00 to \$4.00; canners, \$2.00; cutters, \$2.25 to \$2.75; butcher bulls, good, \$4.00 to \$4.50; common, 2.50 to \$3.00, calves, grassers were stronger at \$4.00; medium veal sold at \$7.50 to \$9.00; ewes, \$4.00 to \$4.50; lambs, good, \$9.00 to \$9.50; common, \$7.50 to \$8.50. Hogs, select sold from \$10.50 to \$10.90.

Toronto. Dec. 9.—Heavy beef steers, choice, \$6.50 to \$7.50; butcher steers, choice, \$5.75 to \$6.00; do, good, \$5.00 to \$5.25; do, medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00; do, common, \$2.50 to \$3.50; butcher heifers, choice, \$5.25 to \$6.00; do, medium, \$4.00 to \$4.50; do, common, \$2.50 to \$3.00; butcher bulls, good, \$3.50 to \$4.00; do, medium, \$1.85 to \$2.15; canners and cutters, \$1.85 to \$2.15; feeding steers, good, \$5.00 to \$5.25; do, fair, \$4.00 to \$4.50; calves, choice, \$10.00 to \$11.00; do, medium, \$8.00 to \$9.00; do, common, \$4.00 to \$7.00; do, grassers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; milch cows, \$5.00 to \$8.00; springers, choice, \$4.00 to \$4.50; do, yearlings, \$5.00 to \$5.50; do, heavy, \$3.00 to \$3.50; lambs, \$9.50 to \$10.00; culled lambs, \$6.00 to \$7.50; hogs, f.o.b., \$9.25 to \$9.50; do, fed and watered, \$9.90 to \$10.15; do, to the farmer, \$9.00 to \$9.25; corn fed hogs, 75c to \$1 less.

BUFFALO. East Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 9.—Cattle—shipping steers, \$7.75 to \$9; butchers, \$7.50 to \$8.50; yearlings, \$9 to \$11; heifers, \$4.50 to \$7.75; cows, \$2 to \$5.75; bulls, \$3.25 to \$5.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.25 to \$6; fresh cows and springers, \$40 to \$135. Calves, \$3 to \$12.50. Hogs, heavy, \$7.25; mixed, \$7.25 to \$7.50; yorkers, \$7.50 to \$7.75; light do. and pigs, \$7.75; roughs, \$6; stags, \$4 to \$4.50. Sheep and lambs—Lambs, \$4 to \$11.50; yearlings, \$3.50 to \$7.25; weathers, \$5.50 to \$6; ewes, \$2 to \$5; mixed sheep, \$5 to \$5.25.

Chicago. Dec. 9.—Cattle, offerings around \$8 to \$8.75; top, \$7.10 for light high; practical top, \$7; butch, \$6.50 to \$6.75; pigs, 10 to 15; lower, \$6.50; lambs, top early, \$9.75; some held higher; but early, \$10.25 to \$10.50; culled, \$7.50 to \$8.50; good light fat ewes, \$5.25; talking steady on feeders.

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GENERAL TRADE.

Montreal. Dec. 9.—Butter—Creamery solids, 42c per lb.; prints, 43c per lb.; cooking butter, 30c; oleomargarine, 24c per lb. Eggs—No. 1, 48c; extras, 55c; specials, 90c. Ham—Large size, 26c; small size, 28c; cooked, 40c lb. Bacon— Windsor boneless, 46c per lb.; breakfast, 25c to 32c per lb. Dressed poultry—Milk-fed chickens, 35c to 40c lb.; selected chickens, 34c to 35c; fowls, 26c to 28c; geese, 30c; turkeys, 45c to 46c; ducks, 34c to 35c per lb. Dressed hogs—Fresh killed abattoir stock, \$14.50 to \$15 per 100 lbs. Beans—Soup peas, \$4 bush.; white beans, \$3.50. Millfeed—Bran, \$24.25 per ton, extract, shorts, \$26.25. Rolled oats—Standard grades, \$2.80 to \$2.85 per 90-lb. bag, delivered to the trade. Potatoes—Quebec, white stock, \$1.15 to \$1.25 per bag of 90 lbs., extract. Reds, per bag of 90 lbs., \$1.10 to \$1.15.

Toronto. Dec. 9.—Eggs (new laid) cartons, 94 to 97c; do, new laid 92 to 94c; do, storage, 49 to 50c; do, storage select 55 to 58c. Butter: Creamery prints 42 to 44c; fresh made 45 to 46c; dairy prints 36 to 37c; bakers' 28 to 30c; oleomargarine (best grade) 23 to 25c. Cheese: new, large 21 to 22c; twins 21 1-2 to 22 1-2c; Stilton 21 1-2 to 25c; Chikena 22 to 30c; fowl, 18 to 24c; ducks, 25 to 28c; geese, 24 to 26c; turkeys, 40 to 50c; rabbits, per pair, 50 to 60c; oranges, Cal., navels, \$6 to \$6.75; lemons, Cal., per case \$6 to \$6.50; do Verdills \$4.50 to \$5; pears, Bartlett's, imported, bushel boxes \$5.75 to \$6; apples, barrel, No. 1, \$7 to \$9; do No. 2 \$5 to \$7; do No. 3 \$4 to \$5.50; cranberries, New Jersey, per barrel \$25; do, late Howes, half barrel \$13; sweet potatoes, hampers \$2.75; grapefruit, Florida, \$5 to \$6.50. Apples, boxes: do Jonathan \$3.25 to \$3.50; do Roman Beauty \$3.50; do Delicious \$4.50; do, B. C. Spys \$3.25 to \$3.50.

THE KINGSTON MARKET
Kingston, Dec. 9.

Dairy Products.
Creamery butter, lb. 42 to 45
Dairy butter 40
Whey butter 35
Eggs, fresh, doz. 65 to 70
Oleomargarine 26
Cheese 21

Vegetables.
Beets, 2 bunches 5
Cabbage, head 5 to 8
Lettuce, bunch 5
Carrots, 2 bunches 5

Meats.
Porterhouse steak, lb. 30

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Potatoes, bag \$1.65 to \$1.75
Sweet potatoes, 2 lbs. 28

Fruit.
Bananas, doz. 30 to 50
Grape fruit 12 to 15
Lemons, dozen 35
Oranges, doz. 30 to 70

Poultry.
Chickens, lb. 25 to 30
Hens, dressed, lb. 20 to 25

Meats.
Beef: Porterhouse steak, lb. 30

Round steak, lb. 25
Boiling cuts, lb. 10 to 12
Western carcass, cwt. 12 1/2
Western hinds, cwt. 13

Pork:
Loin roasts, lb. 32
Rib roasts, lb. 25 to 35
Pork chops, lg. 25 to 35
Hogs, live weight, cwt. \$9.00
Hogs, dressed, cwt. \$14.00
Bacon, breakfast 32
Lamb:
Fronts, lb., quarter 14
Hinds, lb., quarter 20
Leg, lb. 22
Loins, lb. 20
Chops, lb. 33 to 40
Mutton, lb. 20
sausage meat lb. 30

Grain.
Barley 75
Bran, ton \$24 to \$26
Shorts \$26 to \$28
Buckwheat, bush. 80
Hay, baled, ton \$28.00 to \$29.00
Hay, loose, ton \$28.00
Corn, yellow feed, bush. 85
Flour, standard (Gov't) cwt. \$4 to \$4.20
Oat, local 45
Straw, baled, ton \$12 to \$14
Straw, loose, ton \$12
Wheat, local \$1.00 to \$1.10

Hide and Wool.
Wool, per lb., unwashed 8 to 10c
Beef hides, 45 lbs. and down, 8c lb.
Beef hides, 50 lbs. and up 6c lb.
Kups 8c per lb.
Lamb and sheep skins, up to 50c.
Horse hides 18
Deer skins 10c per lb.
Tallow, rendered 6c per lb.
Glue \$9 per lb.
Beeswax, clear 33c per lb.

Hide Market.
Beef hides, 45 lbs. and down, 8c lb.
Beef hides, 50 lbs. and up 6c lb.
Kups 8c per lb.
Calfskins 12c per lb.

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