EXCELLENT OUTLOOK FOR WINTER CROP

Prospect of Record-Breaking Output Depresses Prices at Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Abundant moisture, which extended from the Alleghanies almost to the Rockies, and gave sanction to estimates of the largest winter crop ever known, had a notably bearish influence today on wheat. In consequence the market, after an unceasing decline, finished weak at a loss of 1c to 1⅝c net. Other speculative articles, too, all showed a setback—corn ⅜c to ⅝c, oats ¼c to ½c, and provisions 15c to 25c.

Selling pressure on the new crop deliveries of wheat became so pronounced as to disturb seriously the confidence of holders of cash wheat and May. The bountiful rains of the last three days had widened to include even the dry portions of Kansas, where complaints have been numerous. In addition, one of the leading experts had gone on record as predicting a winter crop yield of more than 600,000,000 bushels this season, as compared with 523,000,000 bushels last year, the biggest previous record.

Fine Outlook For Crop.

Leading houses that have not heretofore been identified with the bear side in wheat came out openly on today's break. Much stress was laid on advices tending to show that there had been virtually no acreage loss from winter killing and that the seeded territory possessed an amplitude never before equalled.

Corn succumbed with wheat and because of lack of demand for the 12,000,000 bushels stock here, a large part of which is winter shelled and is liable to deteriorate. Most of the selling came from bear speculators, who showed increasing courage.

Oats felt the influence of continued free arrivals, and of the fact that investment and shipping call was poor.

In provisions, liquidating and short selling formed the rule as generally as with grain. The chief argument was that current levels were too high.

WINNIPEG MARKETS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Wheat—					
May	92⅛	92⅛	91⅜	91⅜b	92⅛
July	93⅞	93⅞	93⅛	93⅛b	94
Oct.	88⅛	88¼	87⅝	87⅝b	88⅝
Oats—					
May	36½	36½	36¼	36¼b	36½
July	37¾	37¾	37½	37½b	37¾
Flax—					
May	..	..	..	140¼	..
July	..	..	..	143¼	..
Oct.	..	..	..	145	..

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

On account of the rainstorm there were no receipts of grain or hay.

Grain—		
Wheat, fall, bushel	$0 98	to $1 00
Barley, bushel	0 62	0 64
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Oats, bushel	0 41	....
Rye, bushel	0 65	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 70	0 75
Seeds—		
Alsike, No. 1, bushel	$8 50	to $9 00
Alsike, No. 2, bushel	7 50	....
Alsike, No. 3, bushel	6 00	7 00
Red Clover, No. 1	8 25	9 00
Red Clover, No. 2	8 00	....
Timothy, No. 1, bush	2 50	3 50
Timothy, No. 2, bush	2 00	2 50
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, new, ton	$18 00	to $19 00
Hay, mixed	15 00	16 00
Hay, cattle	10 00	12 00
Straw, bundled, ton	17 00	....
Straw, loose, ton	11 00	....
Vegetables—		
Potatoes, per bag	$0 90	to $1 10
Beets, per bag	1 00	1 25
Carrots, per bag	1 00	....
Turnips, per bag	1 00	1 25
Cauliflower, each	2 75	3 00
Onions, Canadian, red, per sack	2 50	....
Cucumbers, Florida, per case	3 50	3 75
Fruit—		
Apples, per barrel	$2 50	to $5 00
Strawberries, Florida, per quart	0 40	0 50
Dairy Produce—		
Butter, farmers' dairy	$0 30	to $0 35
Eggs, new, dozen	0 25	0 30
Poultry, Retail—		
Turkeys, dressed, lb	$0 23	to $0 25
Geese, lb	0 18	0 20
Ducks, lb	0 20	0 22
Spring chickens, dressed, lb	0 20	0 24
Fresh Meats—		
Beef, forequarters, cwt	$11 50	to $12 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	14 50	15 50
Beef, choice sides, cwt	12 50	14 00
Beef, medium, cwt	11 50	12 50
Beef, common, cwt	9 50	10 50
Mutton, cwt	10 00	11 00
Veal, cwt	12 00	13 00
Dressed hogs, cwt	12 00	13 00
Hogs over 150 lbs	11 00	11 50
Lambs, cwt	13 00	16 00

FARM PRODUCE, WHOLESALE.

Hay, No. 1, car lots	$15 00	to $....
Hay, No. 2, car lots	12 00	13 50
Straw, car lots	8 50	9 00
Potatoes, car lots	0 80	0 90
Butter, store lots	0 24	0 25
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 32	0 34
Butter, separator, dairy	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, solids	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid	0 23	0 25
Cheese, old, lb	0 15	0 15½
Cheese, new, lb	0 14½	0 15
Honey combs, dozen	2 50	3 00
Honey, extracted, lb	0 09	....

POULTRY, WHOLESALE.

Cold storage prices are as follows:

Turkeys, per lb	$0 21	to $0 25
Geese, per lb	0 14	0 15
Ducks, per lb	0 14	0 20
Chickens, per lb	0 17	0 20
Hens, per lb	0 14	0 17

HIDES AND SKINS.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front street. Dealers in Wool, Yarn, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Raw Furs, Tallow, etc.:

—Hides.—

Lambskins and pelts	$1 00	to $1 50
City hides, flat	0 13	....
Calfskins, lb.	0 16	....
Horsehair, per lb	0 35	0 40
Horsehides, No. 1	2 50	4 50
Tallow, No. 1, per lb	0 05½	0 07

TORONTO SUGAR MARKET.

Sugars are quoted in Toronto, in bags, per cwt., as follows:

Extra granulated, St. Lawrence	$4 21
do. do. Redpath's	4 21
Beaver granulated	4 11
No. 1 yellow	3 81

In barrels, 5c per cwt. more; car lots, 5c less.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Local grain dealers' quotations are as follows:

Ontario oats—New, No. 2 white, 37c to 38c, outside; 40c to 40½c, track, Toronto.

Manitoba flour—Quotations at Toronto are: First patents, $5.60, in cotton 10c more; second patents, $5.10, in cotton 10c more; strong bakers', $4.60, in jute.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 42c; No. 3 C.W., 41c, lake ports.

Ontario wheat—New, No. 2, 97c to 98c, outside; $1, track, Toronto.

Beans—Imported, hand-picked, $2.25 per bushel; Canadians, hand-picked, $2.25; prime, $2.

Peas—No. 2, 98c to $1, nominal, per bushel, outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 73c to 75c, outside, nominal.

Rye—Outside, 62c to 63c.

Corn—American, No. 3 yellow, 74c, all rail, track, Toronto.

Manitoba wheat — New crop, No. 1 northern, 99½c, track, bay points; No. 2 northern, 98c; more at Goderich.

Barley—For malting, 54c to 55c (47-lb. test); for feed, 43c to 45c, outside, nominal.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $25, in bags, track, Toronto; shorts, $26; Ontario bran, $24, in bags; shorts, $26; middlings, $28.25.

Ontario flour—Winter wheat flour, 90 per cent. patents, new, $3.80 to $3.85, bulk, seaboard.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Erickson Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beaty), 14 West King street, Toronto, report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Wheat—					
May	93	93	92⅛	92⅛	93⅛
July	88½	88½	87½	87½	88⅝
Sept.	88⅝	88⅝	86⅞	86⅞	88¼
Corn—					
May	68⅝	68¾	68	68⅛	68¾
July	68⅞	69	68⅝	68½	69
Sept.	68¾	68⅞	68⅛	68⅜	68¾
Oats—					
May	39⅝	39½	39	39	39½
July	40	40	39⅝	39⅝	40
Sept.	38½	38½	38¼	38¼	38½
Pork—					
May	21.05	21.05	20.75	20.80	21.05
July	21.22	21.22	20.87	20.90	21.20
Lard—					
May	10.62	10.62	10.45	10.45	10.62
July	10.72	10.72	10.62	10.62	10.80
Ribs—					
May	11.22	11.22	11.05	11.05	11.25
July	11.40	11.40	11.17	11.20	11.40

Grain Statistics

WORLD'S SHIPMENTS.

	Last wk.	Prev. wk.	Last yr.
Wheat	10,832,000	11,968,000	13,520,000
Corn	1,624,000	1,558,000	4,308,000

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

	Yester.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Wheat—			
Receipts	1,002,000	961,000	939,000
Shipments	402,000	325,000	247,000
Corn—			
Receipts	1,222,000	1,688,000	488,000
Shipments	555,000	571,000	394,000
Oats—			
Receipts	832,000	877,000	549,000
Shipments	920,000	2576,000	619,000

NORTHWEST CARS.

	Yester.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Minneapolis	545	503	542
Duluth	25	22	23
Chicago	17	24	25
Winnipeg	129	...	602

FLOATING QUANTITIES.

	This wk.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Wheat and Flour	48,292,000	50,072,000	57,488,000
Corn	5,508,000	5,778,000	11,926,000

U. S. VISIBLE.

Wheat, decreased 1,172,000 bushels; corn, decreased 326,000 bushels; oats, decreased 873,000 bushels.

Totals—	This wk.	Year ago.
Wheat	52,535,000	58,940,000
Corn	18,129,000	21,549,000
Oats	19,649,000	13,105,000

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WINNIPEG, March 30.—Cash close: Wheat—No. 1 northern, 89⅝c; No. 2 do., 87⅞c; No. 3 do., 86⅛c; No. 4, 82⅞c; No. 5, 81c; No. 6, 76c; feed, 76c; No. 1 rejected seeds, 85¾c; No. 2 do., 83⅞c; No. 3 do., 82½c; No. 1 smutty, 85¾c; No. 2 do., 83⅞c; No. 3 do., 82½c; No. 1 red winter, 89¾c; No. 2 do., 87⅞c; No. 3 do., 86½c.

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 35c; No. 3 C.W., 34½c.

Barley—No. 3, 45c; No. 4, 43c; rejected, 42c; feed, 41½c.

Flax—No 1 N.W.C., $1.38¼; No. 2 C.W., $1.35¼; No. 3 C.W., $1.24¼.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 30.—Close: Wheat—May, 89⅝c; July, 91c; No. 1 hard, 93⅛c to 93⅜c; No. 1 northern, 90⅝c to 92⅝c; No. 2 do., 88⅜c to 90⅝c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 62c to 62½c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 36c to 36¼c.

Flour and bran—Unchanged.

CATTLE MARKET ABOUT STEADY

Sheep, Lambs and Calves Steady — Hogs Easier.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards on the first day of the week were 115 cars, 2450 cattle, 460 hogs, 26 sheep, 124 calves and 29 horses.

There were a few good loads and two or three choice, well finished loads of cattle on the market. Trade was not as brisk as usual on bygone Easter markets, but when we consider the range of prices paid we must say that it was no mean market in all classes of live stock. Sheep, lambs and calves were still about steady at last week's prices. Hogs were, if anything, lower about 10 cents.

Butchers.

Choice Easter steers, $8.25, and one extra animal at $9; choice butchers' steers, $7.75 to $8; good, $7.40 to $7.60; medium, $7 to $7.25; common, $6.50 to $6.75; choice cows, $6.75 to $7; good cows, $6.50 to $6.75; medium cows, $5.50 to $6; common, cows, $5 to $5.50; canners and cutters, $3.75 to $4.50; bulls, choice, $7 to $7.50; good bulls, $6.50 to $7; medium, $6 to $6.50.

Stockers and Feeders.

Stockers and feeders were none too plentiful. Prices of steers, 800 to 900 lbs., at $6.75 to $7; steers, 700 to 800 lbs., at $6.25 to $6.50; stockers sold at from $4.50 to $5.75.

Milkers and Springers.

There was quite a sprinkling of milkers, which sold from $55 to $90.

Veal Calves.

Prices for choice veal calves are firm. Choice veals sold at $10 to $11; good, $9 to $10; medium, $7 to $8; common, $5.50 to $6.50.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts continue to be light and prices very firm. Ewes sold from $6.50 to $7.50; rams, $4.50 to $6.50.

Hogs.

Prices quoted were $9.25, weighed off cars; $9, fed and watered, and $8.65, f.o.b. cars. Reports of those sold were about 10c higher than these quotations.

Representative Sales.

The Corbett, Hall, Coughlin Co. sold 23 car loads of live stock: Eight loads of steers, 1150 to 1250 lbs., at $7.90 to $8.25; 1 extra choice load of steers, 1360 lbs. each, at $8.50; 9 loads butchers' steers and heifers, 950 to 1150 lbs., at $7.50 to $7.80; 120 cows, at $6 to $7; 10 bulls, at $6.75 to $7.25; 5 export bulls, at $7.50 to $8; and bought 2 cars of cattle on order. This company sold to W. J. Neely for the Matthews-Blackwell Co. 22 of the best steers, 1360 lbs., at $8.50. These cattle were brought on the market by John Simonton of Chatham, who is noted for feed and bringing choice cattle to this market.

Rice and Whaley sold 30 car loads of live stock: Thirteen car loads good heifers and steers, at $7.60 to $8; 2 extra quality steers, $8.25 to $8.40; 11 loads of good heifers, $7 to $7.40; 3 loads good cows, $6 to $6.75; 1 load common cows, $4 to $5.25; 15 bulls, $6 to $7.50; lambs, $8.50 to $9.60; rams, $5.75 to $6.50; light sheep, $7 to $7.50; heavy sheep, $6 to $6.50; calves, $5.50 to $11; 1 deck hogs, $9.10, fed and watered.

Dunn and Levack sold:

Butchers—1, 1130 lbs., at $9; 5, 1410 lbs., at $8.40; 26, 1120 lbs., at $7.50; 16, 940 lbs., at $7.30; 18, 1140 lbs., at $7.75; 2, 1080 lbs., at $7.50; 7, 1130 lbs., at $8; 4, 1020 lbs., at $7.35; 11, 1210 lbs., at $8; 4, 1090 lbs., at $7.75; 13, 1300 lbs., at $8.90; 5, 920 lbs., at $7.40; 5, 960 lbs., at $8.10; 6, 790 lbs., at $7.10; 7, 970 lbs., at $7.50; 15, 1040 lbs., at $7.65; 38, 940 lbs., at $7.50; 19, 790 lbs., at $7.10; 2, 1050 lbs., at $7.20; 1, 1290 lbs., at $7.50; 18, 1010 lbs., at $7.55; 19, 1070 lbs., at $7.55; 23, 900 lbs., at $7.55; 27, 890 lbs., at $7.20; 7, 1080 lbs., at $7.65; 7, 1090 lbs., at $7.65; 2, 900 lbs., at $7.40; 9, 1050 lbs., at $7.20; 12, 1050 lbs., at $7.75; 3, 970 lbs., at $7.60; 4, 1110 lbs., at $8.30.

Bulls—1, 1530 lbs., at $6.50; 3, 1830 lbs., at $8; 1, 1400 lbs., at $7.75; 1, 2170 lbs., at $7.50; 5, 1130 lbs., at $6.20; 1, 450 lbs., at $7; 3, 1150 lbs., at $6.30; 8, 1210 lbs., at $7; 5, 1010 lbs., at $6.35; 5, 1050 lbs., at $5.65; 6, 1030 lbs., at $6.25; 6, 1100 lbs., at $6; 3, 1030 lbs., at $6.25; 3, 1230 lbs., at $7.25; 4, 1220 lbs., at $6.25; 4, 930 lbs., at $5.50; 4, 1090 lbs., at $6.25; 6, 1080 lbs., at $6.35; 2, 1240 lbs., at $6.60; 4, 1115 lbs., at $6.15.

Milkers—1, at $58; 4, at $70.

H. P. Kennedy sold 9 loads of cattle: Butchers' steers and heifers, $7.40 to $8; cows, $5.50 to $6.75; stockers, $6.75 to $7.35.

McDonald & Halligan sold 12 cars of cattle at the Union Stock Yards Monday, as follows: Choice butchers, 1100 to 1200 lbs., at $8 to $8.25 per cwt.; fair to good butchers, at $7.40 to $7.75; common to medium butchers, at $7 to $7.40; choice butcher cows, at $7 to $7.25; fair to good butcher cows, at $6.25 to $6.75; common to medium butcher cows, at $5 to $5.75; best butcher bulls, at $7 to $7.50; fair to good butcher bulls, at $6.50 to $7; milkers and springers, best cows at $75 to $100 each, fair to good cows at $60 to $70 each.

D. A. McDonald sold: One deck of hogs at $9.50 per cwt., weighed off cars, one deck of hogs at $9.75 per cwt., fed and watered; 12 calves, best veal, at $9.50 to $11 per cwt.; fair to good at $7 to $9 per cwt.; 10 sheep at $6 to $7.50 per cwt.; 15 lambs at $9 to $9.75 per cwt.

Representative Purchases.

The Swift Canadian Company bought 300 cattle: Good to choice steers, $8 to $8.50; medium to good steers, $7.40 to $7.85; good to choice cows, $6.25 to $7; medium to good cows, $5.50 to $6.25; canners, $2.50 to $3.50.

Alexander Levack bought for the Matthews-Blackwell Co. 260 cattle: Steers and heifers, $7.25 to $8.35; cows, $6.40 to $7; 35 calves, $10 to $11; bulls, $6.50 to $7.50; and one lone fancy quality steer, at $9, the only animal sold at that figure.

H. M. Levinoff bought for the Montreal Abattoir Co. 200 good to choice steers, at $7.50 to $8.

W. J. Neely bought for the Matthews-Blackwell Co. 220 cattle: One load choice Easter cattle, 1250 lbs., at $8.50; good to choice steers and heifers, $7.75 to $8.10; medium, $7.25 to $7.50; cows, $5.50 to $6.75.

Fred Rowntree bought 32 milkers and springers, at $65 to $92 each.

Charles McCurdy bought 110 cattle: Butchers' steers and heifers, 800 to 1010 lbs. each, at $7.25 to $7.80.

Market Notes.

Fred Maybee had a shipment of 544 Alberta lambs. Two double decks came from the experimental farm of Alberta and two double decks from the Mormon colony.

J. M. O'Donnell, Forest, Ont., had one of the best loads of cattle on the market that he sold at $9.40.

LIVE STOCK TRADE WAS MORE ACTIVE

Montreal Market Felt Efforts of Approach of Easter Season.

MONTREAL, March 30.—At the live stock market business picked up considerably, owing to the approaching end of the Lenten season. Receipts were larger, and in consequence the offerings were of a greater quantity and of better quality than of late. Drovers expected that packers and butchers would be disposed to operate more freely at a slight advance in prices, in order to secure some of the better stock for Easter trade, but the drovers were somewhat disappointed in these expectations, as buyers showed little disposition to operate any way freely at the higher prices asked. For full loads of choice Easter steers as high as $9 per 100 pounds was asked, but the top price realized for small picked lots was $8.75, and a few odd loads changed hands at $8.50, while good steers in carloads sold at $8 to $8.10, and some fair stock at $7 per 100 pounds. There were a few extra choice bulls on the market, which brought $7.50 to $7.75, and as high as $7.50 was paid for a few odd lots of choice butchers' cows. The supply was in excess of the requirements, and some were carried over for next week's market.

Butchers' cattle, choice, $8.50 to $8.75; do., medium, $6.50 to $7.50; do., common, $5 to $6; canners, $4 to $4.25; butchers' cattle, choice cows, $7 to $7.25; butchers' cows, medium, $6 to $6.50; butchers' cattle, bulls, $5 to $7.50; milkers, choice, each, $90 to $100; do., common and medium, each, $70 to $85; springers, $60 to $65.

Sheep, ewes, $6 to $6.50; bucks and culls, $5.50 to $5.75. Lambs, $8.50 to $9.

Hogs, off cars, $9.75.

Calves, $3 to $10.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE.

EAST BUFFALO, March 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; slow, 15c to 25c lower; prime steers, $8.75 to $9; shipping, $8 to $8.65; butchers, $6.75 to $8.50; heifers, $6.50 to $8.05; cows, $3.75 to $6.25; bulls, $6 to $7.50; stockers and feeders, $5.75 to $7.35; stock heifers, $5.25 to $5.75; fresh cows and springers, strong to easy, $35 to $85.

Veals—Receipts, 1250; active and 50c higher; $6 to $12.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; active and steady; heavy and mixed, $9.15 to $9.20; yorkers, $9.10 to $9.20; pigs, $9 to $9.10; roughs, $8.35 to $8.50; stags, $7 to $7.50; dairies, $9 to $9.20.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 11,000; active, 20c to 40c higher; lambs, $6.50 to $8.85; yearlings, $5.50 to $8; wethers, $6.35 to $6.20; ewes, $4 to $6.60; sheep, mixed, $6.65 to $6.85.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; market lower. Beeves, $6.95 to $9.45; Texas steers, $7.20 to $8.20; stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $8; cows and heifers, $3.65 to $8.40; calves, $6 to $9.

Hogs—Receipts, 35,000; market unsettled; light, $8.50 to $8.70; mixed, $8.35 to $8.65; heavy, $8.25 to $8.65; rough, $8.25 to $8.40; pigs, $7.25 to $8.60; bulk of sales, $8.50 to $8.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 22,000; market higher; native, $5.35 to $6.90; yearlings, $6.25 to $7.75. Lambs, native, $7.35 to $8.35.

MEXICAN POWER TO RAISE FUNDS

Bondholders Asked to Authorize Prior Lien Issue of Three Millions

The directors of the Mexican Northern Power Company, Limited, have notified the bondholders that it is proposed to make an issue of 6 per cent. thirty year prior lien gold bonds. The amount will not exceed $3,000,000, and it is not intended to dispose of more than $400,000 of the bonds in the near future.

In explanation of the need of new financing it is pointed out that the State of Chihuahua, in which the company's property is situated, is in the hands of the Mexican rebels, and that the transportation service is still not fully restored, retarding the receiving of cement and apparatus necessary for the work of raising the company's power dam to an extent required to protect the power house from the danger of floods. The bond issue to be made will not only cover immediate requirements, but also provide funds for complete development and give a margin to enable the company to take advantage of opportunities of obtaining business when conditions become more settled.

Owing to the political disturbances the company is unable to pay either the overdue bond interest or the interest accruing within the next eighteen months. At a bondholders' meeting on May 12 consent to the proposed bond issue will be asked, cancel two and one-half year's interest on the present bonds, to postpone the sinking fund payments and to reduce the amount thereof.

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LOW GRAIN RATES SOUGHT OVER N.T.R.

Quebec Board of Trade Offers Suggestions to Premier Borden.

QUEBEC, March 30.—The Quebec Board of Trade has forwarded to Right Hon. R. L. Borden, the prime minister, a letter offering suggestions in regard to the National Transcontinental Railway from the Atlantic ports interested in it—Quebec, St. John and Halifax.

It is suggested that the railway be completed and ballasted, as it is important that the first shipment of grain by the new route should be shipped by the Atlantic ports, so that the traffic may take the route intended by parliament from the beginning. A clause should be inserted in the lease, the letter adds, fixing the maximum rate at which wheat shall be transported. That carried to Quebec should be from four to seven cents less, as compared with current rail and water rates via Fort William and the lakes to Montreal. Before handing over the railway to the Grand Trunk Pacific, or allowing it to use a part of the new line, the government is asked to insist upon the company giving undoubted security for the faithful carrying out of the terms of clauses 42 and 45. The letter also claims that adequate terminal facilities have not been provided and that there is a lack of elevators.

RIVERDALE BUSINESS MEN.

Riverdale Business Men's Association will hold its annual meeting on Thursday at 8 o'clock, in R.C.B.C. rooms, 131 Broadview avenue. Preceding the annual meeting, there will be a short, special session, in order to formally vote into the incorporated body those who are now members of the Riverdale Business Men's Association.

UNION STOCK YARDS HORSE DEPT.
Auction Sale
Wednesday
APRIL 1st
At 11 a.m.
PRIVATE SALES DAILY
Heavy Draughts, General Purpose, Farm Chunks, Expressers, Drivers, etc.
Full stock of Harness, Blankets, Whips, etc. Visit our stables before buying.
Take a Dundas St. Car. Phone J. 4600.
Let us sell your city horses. No entry fee if not sold.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF MACHINERY

A number of machines used in Manufacture of Piano Strings, etc. Consisting of 7 Spinning Machines, 1 Looping Machine, about ton of Piano Wire, 4 Dynamos, Pulleys, Shafting and Belting, Safe, etc., etc.

Two Dieing-out Machines used in manufacture of boot heels, etc., will be sold by Public Auction under Executions on Monday, the 6th day of April, 1914, at 12 o'clock (noon) at 122 Adelaide Street West, (top flat), where goods can be seen on application to Bailiff in charge—Terms Cash.

FRED MOWAT,
26 Sheriff.

Estate Notices.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN THE MATTER of Ernest Gilbert Purvis, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Hardware, Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above named Insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate and effects, under the Assignments and Preferences Act, under R.S.O., Chap. 67, and amending acts thereto.

The Creditors are hereby notified to meet at my office, 23 Scott street, Toronto, on Thursday, the 2nd day of April, 1914, at three o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving a statement of his affairs, appointing inspectors and fixing their remuneration, and for the general ordering of the affairs of the estate.

The Creditors are hereby requested to file their claims with me, duly proven, on or before the day of meeting, and after the 24th day of April, 1914, I will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have received notice.

RICHARD TEW,
Assignee.
Dated at Toronto, this 28th day of March, 1914. 23

SUFFRAGETTES IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 30.—Miss Margaret Hodge and Miss Dorothy Pethick, two militant disciples of Mrs. Pankhurst, but now members of the New Constitutional Society of London, arrived here yesterday from England. Miss Pethick, who is a sister of Mrs. Pethick-Lawrence, said that they would be in New York until April 5 and give lectures on suffrage in Australia, and then go to Chicago and Toronto. Miss Hodge said that she had been to South Africa, and that women would get the vote there next year. She had lived twelve years in Australia, she added.

MEN TRAPPED IN FIRE.

QUEBEC, March 30.—Cyrille Belanger and Albert Poirier were probably fatally burned and thirteen other workmen suffered minor burns in a fire which destroyed a building on the harbor commissioners' Indian Cove property, where seventy men were engaged building scows. Some of the men were engaged in drying oakum. A dropped match fired the oakum and a fire ensued, which trapped the men in a hall as they tried to escape.

WALDRON TO SPEAK.

Gordon Waldron will address the Single Tax Association of Ontario and friends at the monthly dinner, to be held this evening at 6.30 o'clock sharp, at Williams' cafe, 179 Yonge street (upstairs). Subject: "Why I Oppose the Single Tax." Discussion will follow the address.

Auction Sales.
C. M. HENDERSON & CO.
128 King Street East.
VALUABLE
Rosedale Residence
AND
Costly Mahogany and Other Household Furniture
Comprising Handsome Upright Pianoforte, Elegant Mahogany Drawing Room Suite, Mahogany Dining Room Set with Leather Chairs, China Cabinet and Dinner Wagon to Match (valued at $500), Dinner and Tea Services (China), Russian and Turkish Rugs and Carpets, Fumed Oak Library Furnishings, comprising Davenport, Library Tables, Secretary and Chairs, Handsome English Brass Bed, Handsome Mahogany Dressers, Chiffoniers, Ladies' Dressers, Fumed Oak Bedsteads, Dressers, Fumed Oak Cots, Fine Mattresses, E. & B. Bedsteads, Imperial Russian Fitch Stole and Muff (new, valued at $250), Baby Carriage (almost new), Baking Cabinet, Vulcan Gas Range (cost $70), with other costly furnishings.
ALSO
the Solid Brick Residence, containing 10 rooms, hot water heating, handsomely decorated,
On Thursday, 2nd April
AT THE RESIDENCE.
No. 9 Edgewood Crescent
(Near Glen Road, Rosedale)
The greater part of the above furniture was furnished from Maple & Co., London, England.
Under instructions from C. Conduit, Esq., who is leaving the city.
The above offers an unusual opportunity to purchase a substantially built and well located residence.
Sale 11 o'clock sharp. Commencing with the property. Terms for property may be obtained at our offices.
CHAS. M. HENDERSON & CO.,
Tel. M. 2358. Auctioneers.

THE CITY MART,
87 KING ST. EAST.
WARD PRICE
Limited.
Will sell by Auction
Tomorrow, Wednesday, April 1st
50 (Fifty) Wilton Pile
Carpet Squares and Rugs
Samples, all perfectly new, reproductions of famous European and Oriental Museum Specimens, which cannot be duplicated, and which are being sold to close up a shipment. Now on view.
Sale at 11 o'clock.

TOWNSHIP OF YORK

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that a bylaw (No. 4018) was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of York, on the 16th day of March, 1914, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of seven thousand dollars ($7000), for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public School Trustees for S.S. No. 19, in the Township of York, to build and furnish a one-roomed school house with basement, at Emery in said section, and that said bylaw was registered in the registry office for the east and west ridings of the County of York, on the 23rd day of March, 1914.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the 24th day of March 1914, the date of the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this 23rd day of March, 1914.

W. A. CLARKE,
Clerk of York Township. 223

SYNOPSIS OF DOMINION LAND REGULATIONS.

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion Land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties: Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain Districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price, $3.00 per acre.

Duties: Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent, and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price, $3.00 per acre. Duties: Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. 26656. ed

That Son-in-Law of Pa's

By G. H. Wellington

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