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UNION STOCK MARKETS TORONTO

Trading in cattle at the Union Stock Yards yesterday was rather slow. Offerings were moderately heavy for the opening market of the week, and as a considerable proportion of the cattle on sale were of secondary quality, prices were inclined to be easy on all but export classes, and suitable for the better home trade. In addition to the receipts given above there were some 668 cattle in the yards on thru billing. Included in the offering were about 1800 western cattle, mostly stockers, which had a rather depressing effect on the market. Up to 2 o'clock there were about 3,000 head passed over the scales. At the close of the market it was estimated that prices of all but the better classes were 10c to 15c lower than last week.

The quality of the export cattle offered was hardly as good as that of a week ago, and taking this fact into consideration prices were about steady with last week. Export buyers were fairly active, taking heavies, handweights, heifers and bulls. The bulk of the heavy cattle sold at \$7.50 to \$8.25, with one load to exporters at \$8.35, and one load to packers at \$8.75. Exporters were heavy buyers of near heavies, just under 1200 lbs., taking practically all of this class that were offered at prices ranging from \$7.50 to \$8, with three loads going at the latter figure. Below this range packers were buying handweights at \$6.25 to \$7.50 for the bulk. The light butchers which were offered were not of extra good grade, a few loads being taken at \$6.25 to \$6.75, with one load at \$7.25. There were a good many sales put through at \$5.50 to \$6. One lot of light butcher steers sold at as low as \$3.75 to a local butcher. A bunch of good heifers were taken by an exporter at \$7.25, but most of the good heifers sold at \$6 to \$6.75, with common

down to \$4 per cwt. The calf market was fully steady. The bulk of the good calves sold at \$10 to \$11, with a few bringing as much as \$11.50. Fair to good calves sold at \$7 to \$9, with greater numbers at \$4.50 to \$5. Lambs were 25c per cwt. lower than last Thursday and 50c lower than last Monday, demand being just moderate. The greater proportion of the good lambs sold at \$14 to \$14.25 per cwt., with two small lots at \$14.50 to \$14.75. Medium lambs sold at \$10 to \$11. Bucks were subjected to the usual cut of \$2 per cwt., selling at \$11.75 to \$12.25. Five light yearlings sold at \$10. Odd choice sheep sold at \$8, most sheep going at \$6.50 to \$7, heavies at \$4 to \$5.50 and culls at \$3 to \$3.50.

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A new era of expansion will be inaugurated at the Canadian National Exhibition on Opening Day, when Premier Ferguson will lay the corner stone of the new Ontario Building, to cost \$500,000. Within three years other buildings costing \$2,000,000 and a monumental new entrance will be added to the C.N.E. plant.

It seems that every time Alberta coal operators get a chance to ship coal to Ontario that a strike is organized to prevent the orders being filled. The 25,000-ton shipment under way will not likely reach Ontario in full owing to a strike at the Drumheller mines. It has been suggested that these strikes are being financed by American coal capital lists.

Tenders for the Ontario motor markers for 1926 have been let by George S. Henry, Minister of Highways, to the MacDonald Manufacturing Company, of Toronto, at a rate that works out at 8 1/2 cents per marker, as compared with last year's rate of 10 cents per marker. The total contract, according to Mr. Henry, will run between \$34,000 and \$35,000. Three hundred thousand sets of markers will be required.

In view of the fact that none of the Home Bank directors or those connected with that ill-fated financial concern or those responsible for the institution of the toll gate except Peter Smith and his deputy, were ever called upon to expiate their crime, friends of Mr. Smith are now working for his release from the penitentiary. Petitions are being circulated and are being largely signed.

Over 700,000 invitations have been sent out to the primary school pupils of the Province to be the guests of the Canadian National Exhibition on Young Canada's Day.

Crop conditions in Western Canada have shown great improvement as the result of beneficial rains and cooler weather during the last few days, according to the weekly crop report of the Canadian Pacific agriculture department. Cutting of wheat is under way at several points in all three prairie provinces, and present prospects promise a better than average yield. Cutting of rye and barley now in general in Manitoba, with threshing started at a few points. In Saskatchewan wheat cutting will be general this week. Crops in Alberta have held up exceptionally well under the heat wave and drought. Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway went 25 bushels to the acre but the average yield will be lower.

WON SILVER MEDAL

Miss Grace Scott, daughter of Mr. Geo. Scott, of Carrick, has been awarded a silver medal by the Toronto Conservatory of Music for scoring the highest number of marks of any candidate in the Dominion including both mid-winter and mid-summer examinations, she having taken first-class honours in elementary theory, junior history, junior rudiments, senior history, and intermediate piano.

SCHOOLS COMMENCE SEPT. 1

Exactly two weeks from last Monday school vacation will come to an end and every youngster in Mildmay will once more return to the daily grind of study. It is the first time in many years that the fall term has opened on September 1, and as a result the kiddies stand to lose several days of vacation. However, the change to the earlier date comes in the form of a direct order from the Department of Education at Toronto, and principals and officials of both public and high schools are urging that parents arrange to have their children on hand at the opening day so that organization may be completed as early as possible. In the past it has always been customary to open the schools on the Tuesday after Labor Day.

THIS IS THE MONTH

During the month of August young people must decide the momentous question as to whether or not they will secure more education and, if so, what kind. In making this decision we ask each one to write the Wingham Business College, Wingham, Ont., for particulars regarding the success of our graduates, also for names and addresses of graduates who are holding remunerative positions. Recent lady graduates are drawing from \$25.00 to \$50.00 per week. Young men are holding positions as managers, superintendents, etc., in the very best firms on the continent. Individual instruction. Enter any day. Home Study. Canada's greatest chain of high grade commercial schools. Write to-day for particulars to C. J. Martin, B.A., Wingham, Ont., or to J. O. McDermont, B.A., Canada Business College, Toronto, Ont.

TRIP TO HALIBURTON

Editor Mildmay Gazette:

Some people tell us we should see this world before the next. This is a good idea. In pursuit of this idea I will try to tell you the story of a trip which Elmo Schurr and I made this summer to Haliburton District. This is the third trip which I have made to the same locality.

Leaving Mildmay early Monday morning, August 3rd, at 4:30, we passed through Clifford, Drew, Mt. Forest, Shelburne, Alliston, Cookstown. From Cookstown we turned north to Barrie, then 23 miles farther to Orillia, which place we reached at 10:30, covering a distance of 148 miles or so.

The country around Alliston, Cookstown and north to Barrie had the best crops and seemed the most prosperous. It was almost as good as Carrick. On one farm near Cookstown we noticed in one field a very heavy crop of wheat cut and in stooks. Carrick had crops as heavy, but the remarkable thing was the size of the field, about 30 acres. It was a pretty sight. One noticed here, too, the fine herds of Holstein cattle. This district is a noted dairy region.

We lunched at a Chinese cafe in Orillia, purchased groceries, and started for Minden, a distance of some 66 miles. From Orillia we went east crossing a narrow bridge between Lake Simcoe and Lake Couchiching. This bridge is too narrow for the traffic, so another bridge is being erected this summer. From Atherly, 3 miles from Orillia, we turned north and then east. Rathburn, Seebright and Uphill are small places, each consisting of a store, a church and a school. We passed around the southern shore of Headlake, which is about 4 miles long and 2 miles wide. The soil through here is very thin and in a great many places there is no soil at all, absolutely none over acres and acres. The forests have van-

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ished pretty well and the farmers are not at all prosperous. This is in the northern part of Victoria county. To illustrate how poor this section is I may mention this. The township mentioned was just north of Uphill. Last spring the Toronto papers reported the sale for taxes of the township of Longford to a Toronto lawyer for \$2,000. This township is as large as Carrick. Just imagine the bareness of the land. One person lived in this township. What is the total value of the township of Carrick? It would be a big figure. Headlakes empties into Georgian Bay. Going east from this lake we crossed the height of land, and came to Norland, a small lumbering village on the banks of the Gull River. The Gull River flows into the bay of Quinte. 18 miles north, the capital of Haliburton. This is a small village of about 300 population. Three general stores, Standard Bank, 2 hotels, a garage, post office and a printing office, fenced off main street. Our friend, Mr. J. A., would have called on the editor of the Haliburton Echo, but we visited the soft drink filling station and the post office where we wrote some cards. A drive of 8 miles brought us to Caronarvon, which consists of a store, a church and a sawmill. Ten miles more brought us to the head of Hall's Lake. We had 2 1/2 miles of awful road ahead of us. This was the worst road I have ever been over. It was just like climbing up the sides of steep stone piles and then dropping down to mud holes. Then we came to the shore of Little Hawk Lake and we reached the end of our journey and likewise the end of the road. Little Hawk Lake is without a doubt the best fishing grounds in Haliburton. The Indian name is Lake Pepebewabekung. It is four miles long and 1/2 to 1 1/2 wide. The shores are all

rocks and made just a big rocky basin, filled with purest crystal water. The water is deep and cold. We didn't see any reeds or water plant on the shores. There were two small cabins on the shore. Here we met Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cole of Bowmanville, Ont. These people helped to make our stay at the lake less lonesome and more enjoyable. We went fishing the same night and landed two nice trout, which were enjoyed very much at breakfast Tuesday morning. The fishing was not so good as it would have been had we gone a month earlier, but this was more than made up by the fact that the mosquitoes were absent. The fishing was trolling with a copper line 150 ft. long or so and an archer spinner behind a canoe. We spent a week bathing, fishing and picking Huckleberries, which grew very luxuriantly on the lower east shore of the lake. We found three varieties of these berries—the high bush blueberry, the low bush blueberry and the huckleberry, which is almost black, but very sweet. The rocks were literally blue with the luscious fruit. It seemed to us a great pity that 99% or more should be wasted. There were places we couldn't sit down without sitting on the berries. It was wonderful, too, how these berries secured a foothold and nourishment on what seemed to be solid rock.

The land was well covered with forests of pine, balsam, spruce, oak and birch. It made one think to see a pine 1 1/2 ft. through growing from the top of a bare rock 45 feet above the water. Little lumbering is done there now, but there were evidences that lumbering was once important. The limits are owned by the Gull River Lumber Co. There are a few settlers on the shore of Hall's Lake, and 8 or 9 cottages. The settler in summer find a ready market for their milk, butter, eggs, etc., with these cottagers. They raise sheep and cattle, pasturing them in the fenceless forests. They have small fields of oats, potatoes and beans. Our closest neighbors, 1 1/2 miles away, were two Welshmen, brothers, born near Gladstone's home near Chester City, England. They visited us often and surprised us by their knowledge of world news.

The government is building a wide motor road from Hall's Lake to Dorset, in Muskoka, 18 miles away. This will be called the Highland Highway and will be the most picturesque motor road in Ontario from the scenic standpoint. This road will be the connecting link between Muskoka lakes and Haliburton lakes. It will be finished in 3 years. Every hour or so we could hear a blast of dynamite reverberating through the hills, telling us that workmen were busy at this road. There are five lakes above Little Hawk, namely, Big Hawk, Point Clear, Kenosis, and Dipple. Big Hawk is the only one of these with trout. The settlers say there are mullets, chubs and shiners, but no trout. This is odd as these lakes are large and have the same water as Hawk Lake. These trout are mountain trout, and resemble the speckled trout except that the speckles are white. They run from 1 1/2 lbs. to 10 lbs.

On Tuesday morning, August 11, before 6 a.m., just before leaving for home, I put out in a canoe alone and in twenty minutes or so I caught four nice trout. This was the best catch. I assure you I wanted to stay longer. However, holidays are not made of rubber. We packed up and left for good old Mildmay again. Mr. and Mrs. Cole also left and kept us company as far as Minden, where an au revoir was the word.

Yours Truly,
W. F. Wendt.