FARMING AND LIVESTOCK

CORN AND OATS STEADY WHEAT FUTURES LOWER

Government Report the Nucleus of the Trading at Chicago—Liverpool Irregular.

World Office,
Monday Evening, March 9.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d lower than Saturday, and corn futures ½d higher.

At Chicago May wheat closed ½c lower than Saturday; May corn, 1c higher and May oats unchanged.

Winnipeg car lots to-day: Wheat 124, year ago 177.

Chicago car lots to-day: Wheat 31, contract 0; corn 309, 4; oats 359, 16.

Northwest cars to-day 443; week ago, 388, year ago 729.

Primary receipts to-day: Wheat 713,000, shipments 260,000; week ago, 633,000, 209,000; year ago, 1,029,000, 156,000. Corn to-day, 701,000, 434,000; week ago, 561,000, 372,000; year ago, 907,000, 525,000. Oats to-day, 1,055,000, 542,000; year ago, 746,000, 1,456,000.

World's shipments this week: Wheat, 10,768,000, last week, 11,894,000; last year, 10,688,000. Corn, 3,088,000, 3,299,000, 3,488,000.

Government Crop Statement.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The quantity of wheat in farmers' hands on March 1 was 23.5 per cent., equivalent to 148,721,000 bushels of last year's crop, as compared with 28.1 per cent., or 206,644,000 bushels of the 1906 crop on hand March 1, 1907. The quantities of corn and oats in farmers' hands on the same dates follow: Corn, estimated at 37.1 per cent., equivalent to 962,429,000 bushels of last year's growth. Oats, estimated at 35.5 per cent. equivalent to 267,476,000 bushels of last year's growth.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 400 bushels of grain, 35 loads of hay, 2 loads of straw.

Barley—One hundred bushels sold at 70c per bushel.

Oats—Three hundred bushels sold at 56c per bushel.

Hay—Thirty-five loads sold at $20 to $21 per ton.

Straw—Two loads sold at $15 to $16 per ton.

Grain—		
Wheat, spring, bush	$0 95	to $....
Wheat, fall, bush	0 96	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Wheat, red, bush	0 98	....
Rye, bushel	0 84	....
Peas, bushel	0 90	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 70	....
Barley, bushel	0 70	....
Oats, bushel	0 56	....
Seeds—		
Alsike, fancy, bush	$9 60	to $10 00
Alsike, No. 1, bush	9 00	9 50
Alsike, No. 2, bush	8 00	8 75
Red, fancy, bush	11 50	12 00
Red clover, No. 1, bush	10 50	11 00
Timothy, per 100 lbs.	5 50	7 00
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, per ton	$20 00	to $21 00
Cattle hay, ton	14 00	....
Straw, loose, ton	10 00	....
Straw, bundled, ton	16 00	17 00
Fruits and Vegetables—		
Potatoes, per bag	$1 00	to $1 15
Apples, per barrel	1 50	3 00
Onions, per bag	1 25	1 40
Poultry—		
Turkeys, dressed, lb	$0 19	to $0 21
Geese, per lb	0 11	0 12
Spring chickens, lb	0 14	0 16
Spring ducks, lb	0 12	0 13
Fowl, per lb	0 10	0 12
Dairy Produce—		
Butter, lb	$0 28	to $0 33
Eggs, strictly new-laid, per dozen	0 30	0 35
Fresh Meats—		
Beef, forequarters, cwt	$5 00	to $6 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	7 50	10 00
Beef, choice sides, cwt	8 00	9 00
Lambs, dressed weight	10 00	12 00
Mutton, light, cwt	7 50	9 00
Veals, common, cwt	5 00	6 00
Veals, prime, cwt	8 50	11 00
Dressed hogs, cwt	6 75	7 25

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

The prices quoted below are for first-class quality; lower grades are bought at correspondingly lower quotations:

Hay, car lots, ton	$17 00	to $....
Potatoes, car lots, bags	0 95	1 05
Evaporated apples, lb	0 07½	0 08½
Turkeys, dressed	0 15	0 16
Geese, dressed	0 09	0 10
Ducks, dressed	0 11	0 12
Chickens, dressed	0 12	0 14
Old fowl, dressed	0 08	0 09
Butter, separator, dairy	0 28	0 30
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 26
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 32	0 33
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 28	0 29
Eggs, cold-storage, dozen	0 21	0 22
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted, lb	0 11	0 12½

Live Poultry Wholesale.

Turkeys, young	$0 18	to $0 20
Turkeys, old	0 16	....
Geese, per lb	0 10	....
Ducks, per lb	0 11	....
Chickens, fancy, large	0 12	....
Chickens, medium	0 10	....
Fowl	0 09	....
Squabs, per dozen	2 00	3 00

Hides and Skins.

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

Inspected hides, No. 1 cows, steers	$0 05	
Inspected hides, No. 2 cows, steers	0 04	
Country hides	0 03½	0 04
Calfskins	0 08	0 09
Kips	0 06	0 07
Horsehides, No. 1, each	2 50	....
Horsehides, No. 2, each	1 50	....
Horsehair, per lb	0 25	....
Tallow, per lb	0 04½	0 05½
Lambskins	0 90	1 00

Northwest Stocks in Store.

Stocks of wheat in the elevators at Fort William and Port Arthur, with comparisons, are as follows:

	Mar.9,'08.	Mar.2,'08.	Mar.11,'07.
Ft. William	3,670,000	3,975,000	3,133,000
Pt. Arthur	3,955,000	3,912,000	2,893,000
Totals	7,625,000	7,887,000	6,026,000
Increase	*262,000	53,000	659,000

*Decrease.

Visible Supply.

	Mar.9,'08.	Mar.2,'08.	Mar.11,'07.
Wheat	41,062,000	42,906,000	45,748,000
Corn	8,085,000	8,756,000	12,259,000
Oats	8,634,000	8,629,000	10,228,000

During the past week the visible supply of wheat in the United States and Canada has decreased 1,544,000 bushels; corn decreased 671,000 bushels, and oats increased 5000 bushels.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

The following were the last prices made at the call board of the Toronto Board of Trade. Prices are for outside shipping points, except when mentioned:

Winter wheat—No. 2 white, sellers 96c; No. 3 red, buyers 94½c; No. 2 mixed, sellers 96c, buyers 93c.

Spring wheat—No. 2 Ontario, no quotations; No. 2 goose, no quotations.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, no quotations, North Bay; No. 2, no quotations, North Bay.

Barley—No. 2, sellers 75c; No. 3X, sellers 70c; No. 2, no quotations.

Oats—No. 2 white, buyers 51½c, sellers 52c; No. 2 mixed, no quotations.

Rye—No. 2, buyers 82c.

Bran—Buyers $24, Toronto; sellers $25.

Buckwheat—Buyers 69c.

Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, $3.50 bid, for export. Manitoba patent, special brands, $6; second patents, $5.40; strong bakers', $5.30.

Peas—No. 2, sellers, 57½c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, buyers 65½c, Toronto.

New York Sugar Market.

Raw sugar, unsettled; fair refining, 3.48c to 3.50c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.00c; molasses sugar, 3.22c to 3.26c; refined, steady; No. 6, 4.60c; No. 7, 4.55c; No. 8, 4.50c; No. 9, 4.45c; No. 10, 4.35c; No. 11, 4.30c; No. 12, 4.25c; No. 13, 4.20c; No. 14, 4.15c; confectioners' A, 4.80c; mould A, 5.35c; cut loaf, 5.80c; crushed, 5.70c; powdered, 5.10c; granulated, 5.00c; cubes, 5.25c.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $4.40 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, $4 in barrels. These prices are for delivery; car lots 5c less.

Chicago Markets.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	95⅞	97	95⅜	95⅞
July	90½	91⅝	89⅞	90½
Sept	87⅞	88½	86¾	87⅜
Corn—				
May	63⅛	64⅜	63	64¼
July	62	62¼	61	62
Sept	60⅝	61¼	60¼	61
Oats—				
May	52⅞	53¼	52¾	53¼
July	44½	45	44⅛	44¾
Sept	36¾	37½	36¾	37⅜
Pork—				
May	12.20	12.25	12.10	12.12
July	12.60	12.60	12.50	12.50
Ribs—				
May	6.85	6.85	6.80	6.80
July	7.15	7.15	7.12	7.12
Sept	7.37	7.37	7.35	7.35
Lard—				
May	7.95	7.97	7.90	7.95
July	8.12	8.20	8.12	8.12
Sept	8.35	8.37	8.35	8.35

Chicago Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co. to J. G. Beaty:

In anticipation of the government report on farm reserves the wheat market prior to the issuing of this document was nervous and fluctuated within a wide range.

All considerations have been subservient to the figures as to the reserve carried over March 1; these are put by the government experts at 148,700,000 bush., or 23.5 of the crop raised.

This compares with 206,600,000 bushels last year, or 28.1, or 58,000 bushels less on March 1, 1908, than in 1907.

On the surface, these figures appear bullish, but when analyzed there are offsetting factors which should not be ignored. Opportunities for profit on the short side of the deferred options appear to us unusual, and we strongly advise taking advantage of the same.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell at the close:

Wheat—There was a bearish array of statistics this morning, which had such an effect upon sentiment that opening prices were almost 1c lower. Fair commission house buying, however, absorbed surplus offerings and brought about a net advance of about 1½c, after which the market became very dull and continued so until the announcement of government report on farm reserves which traders interpreted as being bearish and proceeded to raid the market, final figures being about unchanged from opening. The government report on farm reserves placed the same at 148,000,000 bushels, which with 41,000,000 in the visible supply gives us a total of 189,000,000 bushels, against 253,000,000 bushels last year. Between March 1 and July 1, a year ago this supply decreased 150,000,000 bushels and should the same ratio obtain this year, there will be a total visible and invisible reserve of about 40,000,000 bushels to be carried into the new crop, which is abnormally small. Regardless of foreign action this report appears to us to be sufficient to warrant purchases around present level.

Corn and Oats—After a weak opening firmed up and closed at best prices of the day. Farm reserves on corn were placed at 360,000,000 bushels, against 1,298,000,000 bushels, which is considered quite bullish.

Provisions—Were fairly firm, with good demand by outsiders and packers.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day:

Wheat—March $1.10 bid, May $1.12⅞ bid, July $1.15⅛ bid.

Oats—March 46c bid, May 49⅜c bid.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, March 9.—Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 2 red, western winter, 7s 3d; futures, steady; March 7s 8¾d; July, 7s 2½d. Corn, spot, steady; prime mixed American, new, 5s 1¾d; prime mixed, American old, 5s 4½d; futures, quiet; March, 5s 7⅝d; May, 5s 5¾d. Shoulders, square, easy. Tallow, prime city, 27s 6d.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Flour—Receipts, 19,934; exports, 18,085; sales, 5100; quiet and unchanged: Minn. patents, $5.25 to $5.75; winter straights, $4.45 to $4.70; Minn. bakers' $4.50 to $5.10; winter extras, $3.65 to $4.25; winter patents, $4.60 to $5; winter low grades, $3.55 to $4.15; rye flour, steady; fair to good, $4.60 to $4.90; choice to fancy, $5 to $5.25; cornmeal, steady; fine white and yellow, $1.45 to $1.50; coarse, $1.30 to $1.40; kiln-dried, $3.25 to $3.35. Rye, dull; No. 2 western, 89c, f.o.b., New York.

Wheat—Receipts, 27,000; exports, 40,255; sales, 2,800,000 bushels futures, 56,000 bushels spot; spot easy, No. 2 red, $1.00⅝, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.01⅝, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.12⅞, f.o.b., afloat. In sympathy with cables wheat opened weak, but promptly rallied and most of the session was firm on covering of shorts, outside buying by the jump in corn. It finally broke on the crop report and closed ½c to ¾c lower; May, $1.03⅛ to $1.04½, closed $1.03⅝; July, 97⅝c to 98c, closed 97¾c.

Corn—Receipts, 2225 bushels; exports, 29,527 bushels; sales, 50,000 bushels futures, 16,000 bushels spot. Spot, firm; No. 2, 72c, elevator, and 65c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 white, 65½c and No. 2 yellow, 65½c, f.o.b., afloat. Option market was generally firm all day on prospects for lighter receipts and bull support, closing quiet, ⅝c to ¾c higher; May, 73⅛c to 73½c, closed 73⅜c; July, 70½c to 71¼c, closed 71¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 104,000 bushels; spot, steady; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 57c; natural white, 26 to 32 lbs., 57c to 60c; clipped white, 32 to 40 lbs., 60c to 65c. Rosin, steady; strained, common to good, $3.75. Turpentine, quiet, 51½c. Molasses, quiet; New Orleans, open kettle, good, choice, 28c to 42c.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Butter—Steadier; receipts, 6133. Creamery, specials, 28½c to 29c; extras, 28c; third to first, 24c to 27½c; held creamery, third to special, 22c to 29c; state dairy, common to fair, 20c to 24c; process, second to special, 21c to 25c; western factory, first, 22c; do., held, 22c; imitation creamery, first, 23c to 24c.

Cheese, firm; receipts, 419; full cream, specials, 16½c; state full cream, large colored fancy and small colored and white fancy, 15¾c; do., large white fancy, 15½c; good to prime 14½c to 15¼c; late October and early November made, 13½c to 14½c; do., winter made, 12c to 13c; common to fair, 10c to 11½c; skims, 10c to 11c.

Eggs, steady; receipts, 13,149; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 27c; good to choice, 24c to 26c; brown and mixed, extra, 23c to 23½c; first, 21½c to 22c; western and southern first, 21½c; seconds, 20½c to 21c.

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CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Cattle and Hogs Higher at Chicago and Buffalo.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,985; steers, 10c to 15c higher on very limited receipts. Bulls and cows, firm to 10c higher; steers, $4.50 to $6; bulls, $3.60 to $4.50; cows, $2.25 to $4.25; culls, $2.

Calves—Receipts, 2404; veals, steady; western calves and barnyard do., steady; veals, $5.50 to $9.50; culls, $4 to $5; barnyard calves, $3 to $3.50; western do., $3.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,611; sheep, steady; lambs, steady to strong; sheep, $3.50 to $5; no prime sheep offered; lambs, $6 to $7.80; yearlings, $6 to $7.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,739; market, 20c to 25c higher, at $5 to $5.25 per cwt.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

EAST BUFFALO, March 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 3000 head; active and 10c to 20c higher; prime steers, $5.65 to $6; shipping, $5 to $5.65; butchers', $4.50 to $5.50; heifers, $3.50 to $5.35; cows, $3 to $4.85; bulls, $3.25 to $5; stockers and feeders, $3.25 to $4.50; stock heifers, $2.75 to $3.25; fresh cows and springers, choice, steady; others, $2 to $3 lower, $18 to $58.

Veals—Receipts, 1400 head; active and 50c higher, $5 to $9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,600 head; active and 5c to 15c higher; pigs, steady; heavy, $5 to $5.05; mixed, $5 to $5.10; Yorkers, $5 to $5.05; pigs, $4 to $4.60; roughs, $4.45 to $4.50; stags, $3 to $3.50; dairies, $5 to $5.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,000; active and higher; lambs, $5 to $7.65; few, $7.75; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.75; wethers, $5.50 to $6; ewes, $5.25 to $5.75; sheep, mixed, $2 to $5.75.

British Cattle Markets.

LONDON, March 9.—London cables are steady at 10½c to 13c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9c to 9¼c per lb.

Edward Watson and Ritchie, Glasgow, report 343 cattle offered; United States and Canadian steers, 12c to 12½c; bulls, 9½c to 10¼c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, March 9.—(Special.)—At the Montreal Stock Yards, West End Market, the receipts of live stock for the week ending March 7, were 2745 cattle, 1577 sheep and lambs, 2965 hogs, and 431 calves, while the supplies for local consumption to-day consisted of 1000 cattle, 200 sheep and lambs, 1700 hogs and 200 calves. There was no actual change in the condition of the market for cattle, as compared with a week ago, except that the feeling was steadier as supplies were fully 400 head smaller and the quality of the stock on the whole was much better than it has been of late, in fact a large percentage of the offerings consisted of good to choice beeves. Altho supplies were smaller they were ample to fill all requirements, as the consumption of beef during the Lenten season always decreases some. There were a number of buyers present, including some from Quebec, and as they wanted some stock the demand was good and an active trade was done. Choice beeves sold at 5c to 5¼c; good, at 4½c to 4¾c; fair, at 3¾c to 4c; common, at 3½c to 3½c, and inferior, at 2¼c to 2½c per lb. Cable advices from Liverpool on Saturday reported trade in cattle slow and noted a decline in prices of ½c per lb., as compared with the week ago. American steers being quoted at 12c to 12¼c, and Canadians at 11½c to 12c per lb. The market for sheep and lambs remains quiet, owing to the limited supplies coming forward. The demand is good from local buyers and prices are firm. A few small lots of choice lambs sold at 6¼c to 6¾c; good, at 6c to 6¼c; fair, at 5½c to 5¾c; while choice sheep brought 4½c to 4¾c; good, 3¾c to 4c, and culls, 3¼c to 3½c per lb. The season for calves is now on and it is expected that within the next week or two supplies will increase materially. The demand is good for all fair to choice stock offered and sales were made at $2 to $6 each. A somewhat firmer feeling developed in the local hog situation this morning on account of smaller offerings and prices were a trifle higher than last Wednesday. The demand from local dealers and packers was good and an active trade was done, with sales of selected lots at $5.75 to $5.80 per cwt., weighed off the cars. Cable advices from all the leading foreign markets on Canadian bacon continue to be discouraging to exporters, as prices have been steadily tending downward and are now at the lowest level for some months past.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, March 9.—Cattle—Receipts, about 25,000; market, about steady to strong; steers, $4.25 to $6.10, stockers and feeders, $2.75 to $4.50; heifers, $2.50 to $5.25; bulls, $3.40 to $4.50; calves, $5.75 to $7.25.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at about 24,000; market, 5c to 15c higher; choice heavy spring, $4.50 to $4.55; butchers', $4.50 to $4.55; light, mixed, $4.70 to $4.75; choice light, $4.75 to $4.80; packing, $4 to $4.80; pigs, $3.50 to $4.50; bulk of sales, $4.70 to $4.80.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at about 20,000; market steady to 10c higher; sheep, $4.50 to $6.00; lambs, $6 to $7; yearlings, $6 to $6.25.

$5000 Fine for Rebating.

BUFFALO, March 9.—Judge Hazel, in the United States court, gave his decision to-da yin the case of the Mutual Transit Company, which was convicted at Elmira in January last of the charge of giving rebates to the Camden Iron Works upon shipments of pipe from Emaus, Pa., to Winnipeg, Man. Judge Hazel said that as this was a primary offence of the corporation, the motion for a new trial should be denied and a fine of $5000 should be imposed. A stay of execution for sixty days was granted.

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MARKETS ARE BUOYANT WITH SMALL PURCHASES

Scarcity of Mining Stocks Shown by the Advent of Outside Buying Power.

World Office,
Monday Evening, March 9.

The scarcity of Cobalt stocks in the Toronto markets was exemplified to-day when a small outside buying power came into the market. Stocks which have stood stagnant in the market for several weeks past ran up several points before offerings could be secured, and even then it was stated by brokers in close connection with the market that these offerings only represented the contract of trading brokers, who are under the impression that some stock from the public will come into the market on this sharp advance, and that they will be able to cover at an advantage to fill their contracts. The most active issues were Foster, Trethewey, Silver Queen and Silver Leaf. The news of the day was no more beneficial to prices than it has been for two months, but traders saw that a change in sentiment had developed, and that public buying of the mining securities had again developed.

The output from the camp last week was well distributed and in good-sized volume. This was not known until late in the day, and could therefore not be said to have been an influence on the immediate action of the market. From New York it was announced that a large short interest is still outstanding in that market of all the more active shares, and that should this contingent be forced to cover they would find it very difficult to do so, except by advancing prices much above to-day's quotations. The feeling in mining circles has undergone a wonderful change within the last week, and it is now predicted by those who make a specialty of these securities that much higher prices will be witnessed before there is any reaction of moment in the market.

New York Curb.

R. R. Bongard (Charles Head & Co.) reports the following transactions in Cobalt stocks on the New York Curb:

Nipissing, 7⅛ to 7⅜, 3000; Cobalt Central, 26 to 26½, 6000 shares; Foster, 68 to 75, high 70, 900; Green-Meehan, 10 to 11½, 200 sold at 13; McKinley, 67 to 70, 100 at 70; Red Rock, 1 1-16 to 1 3-16; Queen, 1 1-16, high 1 3-16; Silver Leaf, 8½ to 10, 9000 sold at 9; Trethewey, 63 to 70; American Marconi, 17 to 19; Canadian Marconi, 1½ to 1¾.

Boston curb: Silver Leaf, 1000 sold at 9.

Toronto Stock Exchange Unlisted Securities.

	Sell.	Buy.
Canadian Gold Fields	4½	3½
Cobalt Lake Mining Co.	....	12
Coniagas	....	3.90
Foster Cobalt Mining Co.	....	66
Green-Meehan Mining Co.	11	10
Peterson Lake	....	12
Silver Leaf Mining Co.	9½	8½
Trethewey	65	....

—Morning Sales.—

Silver Leaf—200 at 8, 2000 at 9.
Foster—100 at 67½, 100 at 67½.
Trethewey—300 at 59, 300 at 59.

—Afternoon Sales.—

Coniagas—50 at 4.00, 50 at 4.00.
Trethewey—1000 at 60, 500 at 62, 500 at 64, 1000 at 64½, 1000 at 65, 200 at 64.
Temiskaming, new—300 at 32.
Green-Meehan—1000 at 11.

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange.

Cobalt Stocks—	Asked.	Bid.
Amalgamated	5	2
Buffalo	2.50	1.50
Cobalt Central	27	24
Cobalt Lake	15	12
Coniagas, xd.	4.10	3.95
Foster	70	67
Green-Meehan	12	10½
Hudson Bay	130	115
Kerr Lake	3.00	2.00
McKinley Dar. Savage	73	65
Nipissing	7.50	7.25
Nova Scotia	22	20
Peterson Lake	14½	13¾
Red Rock	11	8½
Right-of-Way	3.00	2.00
Silver Leaf	9¼	9
Silver Bar	25	15
Silver Queen	1.04	1.02
Temiskaming, old stock	1.00	78
New Temiskaming, xd	32	30
Trethewey	65	63
University	3.00	1.50
Watts	....	20

—Morning Sales.—

Peterson Lake—500 at 14, 300 at 14, 500 at 14.
New Temiskaming—500 at 32, 250 at 32, 1000 at 31½, 200 at 31½, 100 at 32½.
Silver Queen—100 at 1.03, 500 at 1.04, 100 at 1.03, 100 at 1.00, 100 at 1.01.
Cobalt Lake—500 at 10¾.
Nipissing—20 at 7.25.
Silver Leaf—200 at 8½, 500 at 8½, 500 at 8½.
Trethewey—300 at 58.

—Afternoon Sales.—

Silver Queen—100 at 1.02, 100 at 1.03, 100 at 1.03, 500 at 1.02, 500 at 1.02, 100 at 1.02, 100 at 1.02, 100 at 1.03, 100 at 1.03, 100 at 1.04.
Silver Leaf—200 at 8¾, 500 at 8¾, 500 at 8⅞, 500 at 8¾, 1000 at 8⅞, 1700 at 9, 500 at 9; B. sixty days, 1000 at 10, 1000 at 10; B. ninety days, 5000 at 10.
Coniagas—100 at 4.05.
New Temiskaming—300 at 31½, 500 at 31¼, 500 at 31½.
Trethewey—500 at 63, 50 at 61, 500 at 60, 50 at 62, 500 at 60, 140 at 60, 50 at 60, 500 at 63.
Cobalt Lake—400 at 11½.
Nipissing—10 at 7.25.
Green-Meehan—200 at 10¾.
Foster—500 at 67, 500 at 67, 100 at 67.

Crew Rescued at Sea.

PORTA FAYAL, Azores, March 9.—The crew of the Norwegian Barque Gilmt, Captain Larsen, were landed here to-day by the British steamer Tredegar Hall, Captain Williams, after having been rescued at sea from their vessel, which was in a sinking condition. The Gilmt was not destroyed.

Better Luck Next Time.

"I don't want to give evidence against him," said Mrs. Newton Cornfield when her husband was called in police court yesterday morning, charged with threatening to shoot her. "If he had been sober he wouldn't have done it. I'm sorry," she added. "Will you try again?" asked the magistrate. "We will," said both man and woman, and that was the end o't.

Specialist Loses an Arm.

LONDON, March 9.—As a result of excessive devotion to his profession and zeal, Dr. J. Hall Edwardes, a specialist of Birmingham, has had his arm amputated. Dr. Hall-Edwardes was England's first specialist in X-ray operations, and X-ray dermatitis is the disease he is suffering from.

74 CARS AT JUNCTION BEST CATTLE ABOUT FIRM

Common Grades 15c to 25c Cwt Lower—Sheep, Lambs, Calves Firm—Hogs Higher.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 74 car loads, composed of 1579 cattle, 107 hogs, 180 sheep and lambs, 76 calves and over 100 horses.

The quality of fat cattle was not nearly as good as that of one week ago, the percentage of finished cattle being small, while there were too many of the half fat and lean kind offered.

Trade was slow, with prices lower than on Monday last, but about the same as at the city market on Thursday last.

Drovers stated that prices were fully 25c per cwt. lower than at the Junction a week ago, for butchers, and 10c to 15c for exporters, but buyers said not so much, in fact, the butchers said there was little or no difference in prices when the quality of the cattle was considered.

One thing is certain the bulk of the cattle were of poor quality, for which the drovers had paid too much to the farmers, and many of them lost money, not being able to get what the cattle cost them in the country.

Exporters.

Exporters were quoted at $4.60 to $5.20 per cwt., the bulk going at about $5. But it must be remembered that a lot of light cattle were bought for export; 34 cattle, weighing 1200 to 1270 lbs. each, were reported by J. L. Rowntree as being bought for export at prices ranging at $4.60 to $4.90.

For many weeks past these 1200 and even 1200 lb. cattle have been bought for butchers' purposes. Export bulls sold at lower prices, the bulk going at $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt.

Butchers.

Selected butchers', of which there were few, sold at $4.75 to $4.90; good butchers', $4.50 to $4.65; medium, $4.25 to $4.40; common, $3.75 to $4.10; cows, $3 to $3.75; canners, $1.25 to $2 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.

The bulk of the milkers and springers offered were of common to medium quality. Some of the cows offered looked to have good milking qualities, but they had little or no flesh on them, not having been fed properly. Prices ranged all the way from $30 to $60 each, the bulk of the best selling around $40 to $45 each.

Veal Calves.

Veal calves sold at $4 to $6.50 per cwt., the bulk of them being of very poor quality.

Sheep and Lambs.

Sheep sold at $4.75 to $5 per cwt.; lambs at $6 to $7.50 per cwt.

Hogs.

Gunns, Limited, report selects at $5.10 fed and watered, at the market, and $4.80 to $4.85, f.o.b., cars, at country points, to drovers.

Representative Sales.

W. B. & Alexander Levack bought 425 cattle, 100 sheep and lambs, 20 calves, and 50 hogs, for the Levack Dressed Beef Co., at prices given above for cattle, sheep and calves, but for the hogs they paid $4.90, f.o.b. cars, at country points.

McDonald & Maybee sold: 18 exporters, 1335 lbs. each, at $4.85 per cwt.; 32 butchers', 980 lbs. each, at $4.65; 4 butchers', 1275 lbs. each, at $4.90; 11 butchers', 950 lbs. each, at $4.15; 7 butchers', 1290 lbs. each, at $4; 17 butchers', 970 lbs. each, at $4.10; 13 $4; 11 butchers', 986 lbs. each, at $4.10; 13 butchers', 1080 lbs. each, at $3.65; 7 butchers', 980 lbs. each, at $3.15; 11 butchers', 1180 lbs. each, at $3.50; 7 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $4.15; 12 butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $3.50; 8 butchers', 1015 lbs. each, at $3.75; 1 export bull, 1820 lbs., at $4.40; 1 milch cow, $47.

Maybee, Wilson & Hall sold: 10 exporters, 1250 lbs. each, at $4.85 per cwt.; 18 exporters, 1230 lbs. each, at $4.75; 15 exporters, 1200 lbs. each, at $4.75; 15 butchers', 1020 lbs. each, at $4.65; 21 butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $4.40; 14 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $4.30; 13 butchers', 1020 lbs. each, at $4.25; 14 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $4.25; 16 butchers', 900 lbs. each, at $4.20; 19 butchers', 950 lbs. each, at $4.10; 15 butchers', 900 lbs. each, at $3.50; 10 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $3.30; 5 cows, 1070 lbs. each, at $3.40; 6 cows, 1130 lbs. each, at $3.60; 4 cows, 1100 lbs. each, at $3; 1 extra bull, 1480 lbs., at $5; 1 extra bull, 960 lbs. each, at $4.25; 1 extra bull, 1620 lbs., at $4.15; 1 bull, 1560 lbs., at $2.75; 1 bull, 1500 lbs., at $3.65; 6 calves, 950 lbs. each, at 4c per cwt.

William McClelland bought 1 load of butchers', 980 lbs. each, at $4.40 per cwt.; 4 picked butchers', 1010 lbs. each, at $4.70.

H. Hunnisett bought: 1 load export bulls, 1600 lbs. each, at $3.75 to $4; 1 load of cows, 1000 to 1200 lbs. each, at $3.60 to $3.80.

Frank Hunnisett bought 40 butchers', 1000 to 1300 lbs. each, at $4 to $4.87½ per cwt.

R. J. Collins sold: 1 load butchers', 980 lbs. each, at $4 per cwt.; 1 cow, 1270 lbs., at $3.50 per cwt.; 2 canners, at $1.25 per cwt.

J. L. Rowntree bought: 20 exporters, 1200 lbs. each, at $4.80; 21 exporters, 1270 lbs. each, at $4.90; 16 exporters, 1200 lbs. each, at $4.60; 11 exporters, 1225 lbs. each, at $4.80; 6 exporters, 1210 lbs. each, at $4.75; 10 exporters, 1200 lbs. each, at $4.85; 2 export bulls, 1800 lbs. each, at $4.25; 3 export bulls, 1300 lbs. each, at $2.37½; 1 export bull, 1500 lbs., at $3.80; 3 export cows, 1200 lbs. each, at $3.90; 6 butchers' cows, 1150 lbs. each, at $3.55; 20 butchers' cows, 925 lbs. each, at $3.35; 4 common cows, 850 lbs. each, at $2.50.

D. Rowntree, sr., bought 4 milkers and springers, at $40 each.

John Black sold one of the best loads of exporters, 1340 lbs. each, at $5.15 per cwt. These cattle were fed by George Cummings, one of the best feeders around Elora. Mr. Cummings was offered $5.20 for these cattle some time ago.

Leo. Chard sold 2 butcher cows, 1020 lbs. each, at $3.75; 1 butcher cow, 1140 lbs., at $3.15 per cwt.

Wesley Dunn bought: 40 calves, at $5 per cwt.; 45 lambs, at $7.40 per cwt.; 10 sheep, at $4.75 per cwt.; 1 load butchers' cattle, at $4.90 per cwt.

A. W. McDonald bought 8 loads of fat cattle for Gunns, Limited, at $5.60 to $4.75 per cwt.

George Dunn bought 1 load butchers' steers, 1250 lbs., at $4.75 per cwt.

C. Zeagman & Sons bought 40 cows and bulls, bulls at $3.60 per cwt., and cows, $2 to $3.60 per cwt.

Market Notes.

Cattlemen were complaining of the G. T.R. having held their cattle at Stratford for many hours. All the drovers so treated by their different railways ought to complain to their representatives in the house of commons and make them do their duty.

British Markets.

Poels, Prewster & Duckham, one of the largest firms of cattle dealers in England doing business at London, Liverpool and Manchester, cabled the following cattle quotations: United States steers, 12½c; Canadian steers, 11¾c; cows, 11¼c; bulls, 10½c.

City Hog Prices.

Mr. Harris quotes hogs at the City Market at $5.15 for selects, fed and watered, and $4.90 for lights.

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