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THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE.

Bank of Toronto

A MONEY MAGNET

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MARKETS

Toronto.

LIVE STOCK

At West Toronto, on Menday, June 6th, receipts of live stock numbered 117 cars, comprising 2,596 attle, 107 hogs, 69 sheep, 162 calves. The quality was good, and trade active, at 10 cents to 15 cents per cwt. higher prices for cattle. Exporters, \$6.75 to \$7.75; bulls, \$5.50 to \$6.50; prime picked butchers', \$6.90 to \$7; good, \$6.50 to \$6.75; medium, \$6 to \$6.40; common, \$5.50 to \$6; cows, \$4 to \$6.25; milkers, \$40 to \$65; calves, \$3 to \$6.25. Sheep-\$4.50 to \$5; rams, \$4 to \$4.50 per cwt.; spring lambs, \$3 to \$6.50 each. Hogs-Selects, fed and watered, \$9.50, and \$9 to \$9.10, f. o. b. cars at country points.

REVIEW OF LAST WEEK'S MARKET. The total receipts of live stock at the City and Union yards last week were:

	City.	Union.	Total.
('ars	242	152	394
Cattle		2,758	5,606
Hogs	8,084	1,531	9,615
Sheep		135	1,190
Calves		186	985
Horses	1	88	89

The total receipts of live stock at the City and Union yards for the corresponding week of 1909 were:

	City.	Union.	Total.
('ars	202	135	337
Cattle		2,461	5,323
Hogs		1,270	4,641
Sheep		78	809
Calves		201	1,141
Horses	_	127	132

The above figures show a total increase in the combined receipts of live stock at both yards over last year of 58 carloads, 283 cattle, 1,974 hogs, 381 sheep; but a decrease of 156 calves and

It will be seen that the receipts of cattle were again large, but more could have been sold. At the Union yards on Monday, when 107 carloads were on sale, about 70 loads were of the export class The quality was good; trade was active dl offerings being sold before the close of the day. Prices for the best export ers were 10c, to 15c, per cwt. higher and medium cattle about steady, at the previous week's quotations. Butchers cattle were firm, but no ligher. These he week.

\$7.50, but only two loads brought atter price. Export he firs sold at 86.65 to \$7. Export banks, at \$5.50 to

Butchers'.- Prime pucked at end at \$6.85; loads of good, \$1.50 to \$6.75 medium, \$6 to \$6.10, co. ... \$ 5.901.

from \$4 to \$4.75; feet a 3, 25 to \$6

porters, were taken back to the country as short-keep feeders, at \$6.50 to \$6.75, their weights being 1,055 to 1,156 lbs.

Milkers and Springers.-There was a good demand all week for milkers and springers of quality, at firm prices, ranging from \$40 to \$70 each. The principal demand was from Montreal and Que-

Veal Calves.-Receipts of veal calves have been fairly large, with prices steady to firm, at \$3 to \$6.50 per cwt., or an average of \$5.75 per cwt. all round.

Sheep and Lambs.-Ewes sold at \$4.50 to \$5.25 per cwt.; rams, \$4 to \$4.50; spring lambs, \$3.50 to \$6.50 each.

Hogs.—The tendency of hog prices since the beginning of the week has been downwards, and at the close, selects, fed and watered at the market, sold at \$9.65, and \$9.30, f. o. b. cars at coun-

Horses.—The trade in horses at all the different sale stables is still very quiet, with receipts light. J. H. Smith, manager at the Union Horse Exchange, reports having shipped two carloads to the Northwest, and two cars to British Columbia, as well as several cars to Northern Ontario. Prices ranged as follows: Drafters, \$200 to \$230; generalpurpose horses, \$175 to \$210; expressers, \$150 to \$230; drivers, \$100 to \$225; serviceably sound, \$35 to \$80.

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat .- No. 2 white or mixed winter, 90c. to 95c., outside. Manitoba—No. 1 northern, 92c.; No. 2 northern, 90c., track, lake ports. Rye-No. 2, 67c. to 68c. Peas-No. 2, 70c. to 71c., outside. Buckwheat-No. 2, 51c. to 511c., outside. Barley-No. 2, 52c. to 53c.; No. 3X, 51c.; No. 3, 47c., outside. Oats-Ontario, No. 2, 33c., at points of shipment. Corn-No. 2 yellow, 65c.; No 3 yellow 64c.; Canadian corn, 60c. to 61c., Toronto freights. Flour-Ontario 90 per cent. winter wheat patents for export, \$3.60 to \$3.65, in buyers' bags, outside. Manitoba flour prices at Toronto are: First patents, \$5.30; second patents, \$4.80; strong bakers', \$4.70.

HAY AND MILLFEED.

Hay.-Baled, in car lots, No. 1, \$15; No. 2, \$14, on track, Toronto. Straw.-Baled, in car lots, track, Toronto, \$7.50 to \$8.

Bran.-Ontario bran, \$20, in bags Shorts, 50c. more, track, Toronto.

HIDES AND WOOL.

E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front street, have been paying the following prices: No. 1 inspected steers and cows, 11½c.; No. 2 inspected steers and cows. 3 inspected steers, cows and bulls, 91c.; country hides, 9c. calf skins, 13c. to 15c.; horse hides, No. 1, \$2.75 to \$3; horse hair, per lb., 30c.; tallow, per lb., 5½c. to 6½c.; sheep skins, \$1 to \$1.25 each; wool, unwashed, 13c.; wool, washed, 20c.; wool, rejec-

Butter.-Receipts heavy. Market weak, and prices still lower. Creamery pound rolls, 23c. to 24c.; separator dairy, 21c. to 22c., creamery solids, 22c., store lots, 18c. to 19c.

Eggs.-Receipts liberal; prices easy, at

Cheese.—New cheese is plentiful, at 12c for large, and 12½c, for twins. Old cheese sells at one cent per pound more Beans.—Market quiet. Trade steady but little doing. Prices are the same \$2 to \$2.10 for primes, and \$2.15 to \$2.20 for hand-picked.

are a shade higher. Ontarios, 28c. to Buc, per bag, for car lots, on track, Toronto, and New Brunswick Delawares, Honey.--Market easy. Extracted, nomi

nal, at 10½c.; combs, lower, at >2 to

keys, 17c, to 20c, per Dr. dressed; fowl,

berils the for the per quart, by the C3.50, per areas new, per barrel, \$6 Montreal.

Live Stock.-During the month of May the export of cattle from the port of Montreal amounted to 6,962 head, as against 14,173 head for May, 1909, being a decrease of over 50 per cent. Ocean freight rates hold about steady, being 20s. per space to Liverpool and London, 25s. to Glasgow, and 17s. 6d. to Manchester.

In the local market quite a number of bulls were offered, and the range of prices for several choice lots was from 6c. to 61c. per lb. Others sold down to around 51c. per lb. Choice steers sold as high as 7½c. to 7½c. per lb.; fine brought about 7c. per 1b., good 6tc. to 6tc. medium 5%c. to 6c., and common down to about 4%c. per lb. Supplies of sheep light; prices 6c. per lb. for yearlings, and 5c. to 51c. for old sheep; spring lambs, \$3 to \$6 each. Calves scarce and firm, at \$3 to \$5 each for poor, and \$6 to \$10 for best. The market for hegs was high, selected lots sold at $10\frac{1}{4}c$, to $10\frac{1}{3}c$, per lb., weighed off cars.

Horses.-Manitoba buyers still in the market and prepared to pay high prices. A fair demand also from farmers and carters for the quality they respectively require. A small shipment has been sent to Vancouver, the quality being good, heavy animals. Prices as follows: Heavy draft horses, weighing from 1,500 to 1,700 lbs., \$250 to \$300 each; light draft, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., \$200 to \$250 each; light horses, weighing from 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., \$100 to \$175 each; inferior, broken-down animals, \$50 to \$100 each, and choice saddle and carriage horses, \$350 to \$500 each.

Dressed Hogs and Provisions.-Dressed hogs sold at 14tc. to 14tc. per lb., for choicest fresh-killed, abattoir-dressed. Demand for hams and bacon active, and market strong. Prices steady, at 191c. per lb. for English, boneless, selected bacon, and 19c. for thick. Hams steady, at 16c. to 20c. Barrelled pork sold at \$27 to \$33 per barrel, and beef at \$18 per barrel. Lard compound brought 12½c, to 14c, per lb., and pure brought 16%c. to 17⅓c. per lb.

Potatoes.-The market for potatoes was on the firm side, owing possibly to the opening up of an export demand from Cuba. There was practically no change, however, merchants still reporting carloads changing hands at 40c. per 90 lbs., track, Montreal, and smaller lots bring-

ing fully 10c. more. Eggs.—Straight-gathered eggs were said to be available in the country at 171c. to 18c. per dozen, and here at 19c. or 191c. to 20c. per dozen. Selected stock all depends upon how closely the selection is made, but prices may be ranged from to 24c. per dozen.

Butter.-Prices on country boards showed very little alteration as compared with the previous week. Some merchants claimed they could get 24c., whole sale, here, for choicest makes; the figure mentioned would seem to be about right, ranging down to $23\frac{1}{2}c$. for fine quality Undergrades are 23c. Monday's quotations, however, were down to 23c. to

Cheese.-The market has shown a slight decline throughout the country boards Dealers quoting 11c. for Ontarios, 10%c. for Townships, and 104c, for Quebecs Export demand light.

Grain.-For the most part, the wheat markets have been weak of late. selling around the following prices: Canadian Western No. 2, 35c. to 35½c.; No 3, a cent less; No. 2 Chtario white, 34c.; No. 3, one cent less, and No. 4 yet a cent less. No. 3 harley, 564c. and No. 4, 55c.; feed barley, 54c.

Flour.-During last week the market for flour declined 20c. per larrel, making Manitoba first patents \$5.40, and seconds \$4.90, and strong bakers' \$4.70. Ontario patents, \$5.25 to \$5.35, and straight rollers, \$4.80 to \$5 per barrel. Feed.- Market for bran showing weak

ness, and Manitobas may now be had at \$1s per ton, in bags, shorts being \$21 Ontario bran, \$19 to \$19.50; middlings \$22; pure grain mouille, 532.50 to \$33, and mixed mouille, \$25 to \$28. Cottonseed meal, \$35 to \$40.

Hay.—Market steady, at \$15 to \$15.50 track, Montreal, for No. 1 hay; \$14 to \$14.50 for No. 2 extra, \$12.50 to \$13 for No. 2; \$11.50 to \$12 for clover mixed, and \$10.50 to \$11.50 for clover.

are 10c. per lb., all round, and Nos. 3, 2 and 1 hides are 11c., 12c. and 13c. per lb., respectively. Calf skins, 14c. and 16c., respectively, for Nos. 2 and 1. Horse hides, \$1.75 and \$2.50 each, for Nos. 2 and 1, respectively. Rough tallow, 11c. to 5c. per lb., and rendered, 5c. to 6c. per lb.

Cheese Markets.

Madoc., Ont., 10 11-16c. Woodstock, Ont., 10%c. bid. Peterboro, Ont., 10 9-16c. and 10%. Alexandria, Ont., 10%c. Belleville, Ont., 10%c., 10 13-16c. and 10 c. Brockville, Ont., 10 9-16c. bid. Kingston, Ont., 101c. and 101c. Tweed, Ont., 10 9-16c. bid. Winchester, Ont., 10%c. Ottawa, Ont., 10 9-16c. Perth, Ont., 101c. Picton, Ont., 10 9-16c. Napanee, Ont., 10%c. Iroquois, Ont., 101c. Cowansville, Que., 101c.; butter, 22%c. and 22%c. St. Hyacinthe, Que., 10½c.; butter, 22½c. Chicago, Ill., daisies, 14%c. to 15c.; twins, 14%c. to 14%c.; young Americans, 15%c. to 16c.; longhorns, 14%c. to 15c.; butter, creameries, 25c. to 27 c.; dairies, 28c. to 26c. London, Ont., 10%c.

Chicago.

Cattle.-Steers, \$6.25 to \$8.60; cows, \$4.50 to \$6.50; heifers, \$4.25 to \$6.25; bulls, \$4.50 to \$4.90; calves, \$8 to \$7.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.75 to \$6.50.

Hogs.—Heavy, \$9.80 to \$9.85; butchers', \$9.35 to \$9.40; light mixed, \$9.30 to \$9.85; choice light, \$9.85 to \$9.40; packing, \$9.25 to \$9.80; pigs, \$9 to \$9.20; bulk of sales, \$9.30 to \$9.35.

Sheep and Lambs.-Sheep, \$4.25 to \$5.40; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.75; lambs, \$7 to \$8.45; spring lambs, \$9.50 to \$9.10.

Buffalo.

Cattle.-Prime steers, \$8 to \$8.25.

Veals.—\$3 to \$9.50.

Hogs.-Heavy and mixed, \$9.65 to \$9.70; Yorkers, \$9.70 to \$9.80; pigs, \$9.75 to \$9.80; roughs, \$8.50 to \$8.75; stags, \$7.25 to \$8; dairies, \$9.50 to

Sheep and Lambs.-Lambs, \$7 to \$8.50; a few, \$8.60.

British Cattle Markets.

London and Liverpool cables quote live cattle (American) steady, at 14%c. to 15%c dragged weight: walles steady, at 11c. to 11tc. per pound.

TRADE TOPIC.

The attention of persons desirous of securing a good farm near Toronto, is called to the advertisement in this issue by Messrs. Philp & Beaton, agents for the sale of the fine 225-acre farm owned by John Isaac, the well-known breeder of Shorthorn cattle, situated 11 miles from Markham village, G. T. R. This is a strictly first-class farm, and has been kept in good heart by the feeding of cattle and other stock for twenty years or more. The buildings are also first-class, and the location is a very desirable one.

GOSSIP.

The average price for the 46 head of Shorthorn cattle in the acction sale on May 25th, from the herd of J. B. Haggin, at Elmendorf Farm, Lexington, Ky., was \$338, the white bull, Lord Albin, topping the sale at \$1,000.

THE THOUGHTS OF YOUTH.

A small boy was hoeing corn in a sterile field by the roadside, when a passerby stopped and said:

Pears to me your corn is rather

"Certainly," said the hoy, "it's dwarf

"But it looks yaller."

"Certainly, we planted the yaller kind." "But it looks as if you wouldn't get more than half a crop."

"Of course not, we planted it on