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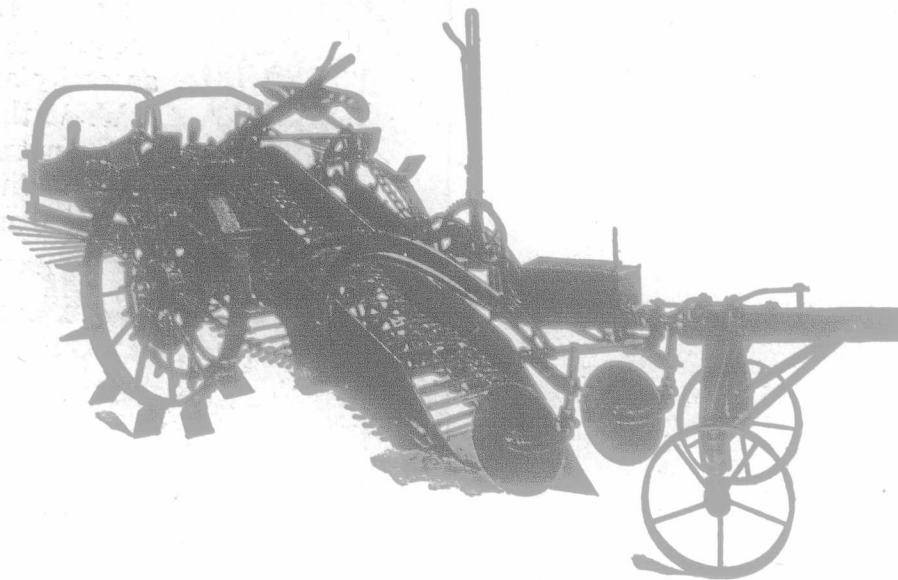
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Beans.—With light shipments prices have kept fairly firm at 35c. to 50c. per 11-qt. basket.

Beets.—Carrots.—The demand has equalled the supply, therefore fairly good prices have been maintained at \$1.50 per bag and 25c. per 11-qt. basket.

Corn.—Corn prices slumped. The high prices evidently tempted shippers and such immature poor stuff was shipped in that the bulk sold at 10c. per dozen ranging from that to 20c. per dozen for choice grades.

Cucumbers were plentiful with prices at 25c. to 50c. per 11-qt. basket; medium sized picklers going at 50c. to \$1, while Gherkins sold at \$1 to \$2 per 11-qt. basket.

Eggplant.—Receipts increased with prices declining, selling at 40c. to 75c. per 11-qt. basket.

Onions.—The onions coming in are really choice, selling at \$3.50 to \$3.75 per 100-lb. sack; \$2.75 per 75 lbs.; 60c. per 11-qts.; silver skinned picklers selling at \$1.50 to \$2.25 per 11-qt. basket.

Potatoes have kept stationary in price at \$2.25 per bag.

Buffalo.]

Cattle.—Heaviest decline in the cattle market on steers and heifers last week noted in Buffalo for many months past. Decline was especially heavy on Canadian shipping steers, of which there was a liberal supply, these showing a take-off of mostly a dollar from the preceding week. Eastern and local killers maintain that these Canadian steers do not show the killing percentage, as compared with Western range steers, and were determined the past week that they would be bought in line with the Westerns. Best Canadians sold from \$16.50 to \$17.25, with best natives up to \$17.50. A long string of a fair kind ranged from \$15.50 to \$16. In the handy butchering steer line offerings ran largely to a light, crooked kind and these sold a full dollar lower, as did most of the butchering stuff. Fat cows showed the least decline, prices on these being off about a quarter. Heavy and fat butchering bulls sold a half lower, stocker and feeder kinds about steady. Milk cows and springers showed a decline of \$5 to \$10 per head. Offerings for the week were the largest for some years back for the last week in August. There were full 150 loads of Canadians, the total supply for the week figuring 8,525 head as against 6,525 head for the preceding week, and as compared with 6,000 head for the corresponding week a year ago. Quotations:

Shipping Steers, Natives.—Choice to prime, \$17 to \$17.50; fair to good, \$16.50 to \$16.75; plain and medium, \$13 to \$14; coarse and common, \$11 to \$12.

Shipping Steers, Canadians.—Best heavy, \$16.50 to \$17.25, fair to good, \$15 to \$16; common and plain, \$11 to \$12.

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Cows and Heifers.—Best heavy heifers, \$13 to \$14; fair to good, \$11.25 to \$12; good butchering heifers, \$10.50 to \$11.50; very fancy fat cows, \$11.50 to \$13; best heavy fat cows, \$9.50 to \$10.50; cutters, \$6.75 to \$7.00; canners, \$5 to \$6.50.

Bulls.—Best heavy, \$10.50 to \$11; good butchering, \$9.50 to \$10; sausage, \$8 to \$8.50.

Stockers and Feeders.—Best feeders, \$9.50 to \$10.50; Common to fair, \$8 to \$9; best stockers, \$8.75 to \$9.25; fair to good, \$8.25 to \$8.75; common, \$7 to \$8.

Milchers and Springers.—Good to best, small lots, \$100 to \$135; in carloads, \$90 to \$100.

Hogs.—Prices held to a high level again last week. Monday the market opened with light hogs selling mostly at \$20.85, and extreme heavies ranged on down to \$19.75. Late sales included several decks at \$21. Tuesday the trade was steady; Wednesday's market was strong to a nickel higher, and Thursday top was \$21.10, higher, and Thursday top was \$21.10, with bulk selling at \$21. Friday's top of \$21.25 was within a dime of the American record, made at Buffalo on the 10th of the month. Buyers discriminated against grassy hogs, and these undersold the better kinds by from 15 to 25 cents. Monday and Tuesday pigs sold down to \$20.25, and the latter part of the week they ranged from \$20.25 to \$20.75. Roughs, \$17.50 to \$17.75, and stags, \$12.00 to \$15.00. The past week's receipts were 14,300 head, as against 14,149 head for the week before, and 8,000 head for the same week a year ago.

Sheep and Lambs.—The largest run of the season was offered last week, grand total being 8,100 head. Offerings were against 3,901 head for the week previous, and 3,750 head for the same week a year ago. Monday top lambs sold from \$17.50 to \$17.75; Tuesday the trade was steady; Wednesday a few made \$17.85; Thursday's top was \$18.10, and Friday bulk sold at \$18. Inferior to good cull lambs ranged from \$10 to \$15. Sheep were steady all week. Yearlings brought up to \$15, wether sheep were quoted from \$13.50 to \$13.75, and ewes from \$12 to \$13. Cull sheep ranged from \$6 to \$9.

Calves.—The highest market in the history of the trade was witnessed last week. Monday tops sold at \$19.50; Tuesday some reached \$20; Wednesday and Thursday a few odd head made \$21, and Friday the bulk scored \$21.50. Cull grades ranged from \$14 to \$18, heavy fat calves \$12 to \$15, and coarse and grassy kinds \$7 to \$10. The tops out of a deck of Canadian calves sold Friday at \$21. Receipts the past week were 2,550 head, as against 2,040 head for the week preceding, and 2,600 head for the same week a year ago.