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TORONTO

CROP REPORTS BETTER

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ports, 3,436 bushels; sales, 15,000 bushels futures; spot easy; No. 2, 62c to 64c elevator, and 58½c f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 2 white, 60c; option market was weaker, owing to prospective heavy receipts at Chicago, and closed ¼c to ¾c net lower; May, 59½c to 59⅝c, closed 59½c; July, 53¾c to 54c, closed, 53¾c; Sept., 53c to 53c, closed 53c. Oats—Receipts, 48,000 bushels; exports, 12,500 bushels; spot steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 45½c to 46c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 48c to 49c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 40c to 42c. Rosin—Quiet. Molasses—Steady. Pig Iron—Quiet. Copper—Quiet. Lead—Quiet. Tin—Quiet; Straits, $27.65 to $28.85. Spelter—Weak. Coffee—Spot, steady. Sugar—Raw, quiet; refined, steady.

Sept	47½	47½	46⅝	47⅛
Oats—				
May	41¼	41⅞	41¼	41¾
July	38⅞	38⅞	38⅝	38⅞
Sept	30⅞	31	30¾	30⅞
Pork—				
July	11.42	11.42	11.25	11.32
Sept	11.65	11.65	11.52	11.60
Ribs—				
July	6.60	6.62	6.52	6.55
Sept	6.77	6.77	6.72	6.72
Lard—				
July	6.55	6.55	6.50	6.50
Sept	6.72	6.72	6.67	6.67

Chicago Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co. wired J. G. Beaty (King Edward Hotel), at the close of the market to-day:

Wheat—Covering of short contracts by one set of traders with further sales by a new contingent was the feature of trade to-day. The flour trade continues dull, Minneapolis reported a shut-down of the mills for a few days. Weather conditions are generally good. There is an element of traders who are playing on the long side who take advantage of every chance to bid prices up when they see a moderate demand and this element had much to do with the higher quotations at the close. There was some good buying of September wheat on the general supposition that after a period of high prices the present price of September wheat was cheap. On the surface it looks as tho they were right, altho 80 cents has been a high price in many previous years. Like cotton the basis of values for grain is a fluctuating proposition and it is possible prices have advanced to a higher level to remain for some time. June weather conditions will be of unusual importance this year.

Corn—The larger run of receipts has created a new short interest. Bears are confident prices will work to a lower level. Bulls are somewhat disappointed at the present movement, but say it will not last more than a week or two. The only thing we see at present against the price of corn is the very limited export demand. Our shipments to Europe for the past five days have amounted to only 118,000 bushels, about the smallest shipments abroad in a generation of time.

Oats—There was a demand for May oats to-day, resulting in an advance to 42 cents. The opinion is quite generally held that the lake strike will break up next week and shipments will increase in volume. Farmers' deliveries, are somewhat lighter. With good weather all kinds of grain should move more freely to market during June. Old white oats, in our judgment, will continue to rule at a premium of several cents over July. A good deal of recent buying of July is based on the idea that the new oats will not move at an early date this season, owing to a backward season in the early part of May. The market generally can be quoted as dull, but firm; there is a good demand on the weak spots.

Provisions—A dull uninteresting market tells the story of the day hogs were firm, prices about 5 cents higher. There was little pressure to sell and the demand was correspondingly light. Hog products seem to rest on firm basis. The bear interest, however, claim that the receipts of hogs in June will be too large to permit of higher prices in the near future. It is possible they have alrgady discounted this.

Ennis & Stoppani wired J. L. Mitchell, 21 Melinda-street:

Wheat—Small Argentine shipments and higher Liverpool cables were responsible for the early strength. Minneapolis reported the cash situation weak, but this was not unexpected, as it had been anticipated that cash and July would work closer, after May was out of the way. Continued favorable weather in the southwest encouraged the expectation of an early harvest and may cause an easier feeling in July, but the buying of September is good. The latter is about 6 cents higher than a year ago, but the strength of domestic conditions and probability of a smaller total yield than last year about offsets this consideration and the delivery has numerous friends around 80c. For the near future the trade is predicting a waiting market with no important changes until about the middle of June. The market to-day was of a holiday character, with fluctuations narrow, closing prices showing fractional gains. Liverpool closed ¼ higher. Primary receipts 280,000 bushels against 255,000 last year. Clearances 148,000 bushels.

Corn—Announcements that two boats clearing this week were moved by their owners and that the lake strike showed no signs of settlement had bad effect on prices and holders who had bought in expectation of a good out movement by lake sold out and caused some liquidation. The long interest in July corn is in strong hands and that delivery is so oversold that we would recommend purchases on a further decline or even at these prices for a turn.

Oats—Crop reports say the acreage in oats will be largest on record, but the attention of traders is centred on the diminishing stocks. Patten and his friends are believed to occupy a very strong position on the long side and shorts are getting nervous. With a late harvest July oats will sell much higher.

Provisions—The advancing tendency in provisions during the last few days was discouraged by the weakness in corn and liberal offerings by room traders, notwithstanding that hogs were higher at the yards.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

Receipts of live stock were 17 car loads, 250 cattle, 284 hogs, 17 sheep, 5 calves and 128 hogs, to Park Blackwell.

The quality of fat cattle was about the same as on Thursday.

Trade was not as brisk, but everything in the cattle lines sold at about the same prices as on Thursday.

Sheep and lambs sold at lower prices, as will be seen in our quotations.

Hog deliveries were light. Prices are firm, but unchanged from yesterday.

Exporters—Choice, well-finished heavy exporters sold at $4.90 to $5.15 per cwt.; medium at $4.75 to $4.85.

Export bulls—Choice export bulls sold at $4.75 to $4.25, medium at $3.50 to $3.60.

Export Cows—Prices ranged from $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt.

Butchers'—Choice picked lots of butchers', equal in quality to best exporters, 1100 to 1200 lbs. each, sold at $4.60 to $4.70; loads of good at $4.50 to $4.60; medium at $4.75 to $4.40; common at $3.50 to $4; rough and inferior at $4 to $4.25 per cwt.

Feeders—Short-keep feeders, 1100 to 1200 lbs. each, sold at $4.50 to $4.90. Those weighing from 950 to 1050 of good quality sold at $4 to $4.25 per cwt.

Stockers—Choice yearling calves sold at $3.75 to $3.90; poorer grades and off colors sold at $3 to $3.50, according to quality.

Milch cows—Milch cows and springers sold from $30 to $55 each.

Veal calves—Calves sold from $2.50 to $8 each and $3 to $4.50 per cwt.

Sheep—Export ewes, heavyweights, sold at $4 to $4.35; light export ewes, $4.25 to $4.75; export bucks at $3 to $3.50.

Lambs—Yearling grain-fed lambs sold at $5.50 to $5.75; barnyard lambs at $4 to $5 per cwt.

Spring lambs—Prices ranged from $2.50 to $4.35 each.

Hogs—Prices for straight loads, fed and watered, were $5.15 per cwt.; and $4.90 for lights and fats.

McDonald & Maybee sold 8 butchers', 1080 lbs. each, at $4.50; 9 butchers', 1120 lbs. each, at $4.25; 6 butchers', 1110 lbs. each, at $4.35; 15 butchers', 1030 lbs. each, at $4.40; 4 butcher cows, 1015 lbs. each, at $3.65; 10 butcher bulls, 1330 lbs. each, at $3.75; 1 milch cow at $41.

W. H. Dean bought 3 loads of exporters, 1250 to 1400 lbs. each, at $4.70 to $5.10 per cwt.

J. W. Dunn bought 1 load butcher cows, 1200 lbs. each, at $3.70 to $4.10 per cwt.

Crawford & Hunnisett sold one load of heifers and cows, 1175 lbs. each, at $4.65 per cwt.; 1 load of steers, 960 lbs. each, at $4.65. This firm did a large trade in feeders, having shipped 15 loads to the country during the week.

R. J. Collins sold 21 steers, 1070 lbs. each, at $4.55 per cwt.; 13 steers, 1000 lbs. each, at $4.40 per cwt.

Zeagman & Sons sold 2 loads of good feeders, 800 lbs. each, at $4 per cwt.; 40 rough stockers, 600 lbs. each, at $3 per cwt.

C. Maybee sold 1 load exporters, 1300 lbs. each, at $4.37½; 1 load feeders, 1055 lbs. each, at $4.35 per cwt.

Harry Murby sold 60 stockers and feeders, 750 to 850 lbs. each, at $3.90 to $4 per cwt. Mr. Murby shipped 2 loads to Elora.

JUNCTION CATTLE MARKET.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards since Monday were 17 cars, 279 cattle, 27 sheep, 6 hogs and 10 calves.

The quality of fat cattle was good, with prices firm, as follows:

Exporters—Prices for shipping cattle ranged from $4.75 to $5.20, the bulk going at $4.85 to $5.10; export bulls at $3.75 to $4, and extra choice at $4.25; export cows at $3.85 to $4.25.

Butchers'—The best butchers' sold at $4.60 to $4.70 per cwt.; choice picked lots, 1150 to 1200 lbs. each; heifers and steers of equal quality to best exporters, sold at $4.70 to $4.80 per cwt.; loads of good heifers and steers, at $4.40 to $4.60; fair to good loads at $4.35 to $4.50; fair to medium loads at $4.15 to $4.30; common to mixed, at $3.85 to $4; rough to inferior at $3.35 to $3.65 per cwt.

William Levack bought 6 loads on Friday as follows: 1 load mixed butchers' and exporters, at $4.50 to $4.60; 5 loads of exporters, at $4.70 to $5.20 per cwt.

E. Snell & Co. bought several loads at about the same quotations.

Receipts at the Junction Market for the past week were 80 car loads, 1653 cattle, 43 sheep, 24 hogs and 14 calves.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Report Cattle Slow—Hogs Firmer in U.S. Markets.

New York, May 27.—Beeves Receipts, 3453; steers, steady to a shade lower; bulls and cows, steady; steers, $4.75 to $5.60; stags, $5; bulls, $2.50 to $4.60; cows, $2 to $4.05. Shipments to-day 2700 quarters of beef; to-morrow, 1200 cattle and 7422 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts 952; slow and 25c lower than Wednesday; veals, $4 to $5.75; mixed calves, $3.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4284; sheep, weak; winter lambs and spring lambs, 25c lower; sheep, $3.50 to $5; no choice here; winter lambs, $5.30 to $6.75; spring lambs, $6.50 to $8.25; one deck choice, $8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2183; state, hogs, $5.15; light, do., $5; mixed western, $4.65.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, May 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 50 head; active and firm; prime steers, $5.25 to $5.50; shipping, $4.85 to $5.15; butchers', $4.50 to $5.15; heifers, $3.50 to $5; cows, $3.25 to $4.50; bulls, $3.15 to $4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.50 to $4.65.

Veals—Receipts, 1450 head; steady, $4 to $5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 8500 head; active, 5c higher; heavy, $4.95 to $5; a few $5.05; mixed and yorkers, $4.90 to $4.95; pigs, $4.75 to $4.80; roughs, $4 to $4.25; stags, $2.50 to $3; dairies, $4.70 to $4.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 19,500 head; lambs, dull, 25c to 25c lower; sheep, active; ewes, steady; others, 15c to 25c lower; lambs, $4.50 to $6.80; yearlings, $5.75 to $6; wethers, $5.40 to $5.50; ewes, $4.75 to $5; sheep, mixed, $3.25 to $5.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 1500; good to prime steers, $5.25 to $5.75; poor to medium, $4.40 to $5.25; calves, $2.50 to $5.75; Texas fed steers, $4.50 to $5.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; mixed and butchers', $4.55 to $4.75; good to choice heavy, $4.70 to $4.80; bulk of sales, $4.60 to $4.70.

Sheep—Receipts 4000; good to choice wethers, $5.20 to $5.60; fair to choice mixed, $4.00 to $5.00; native lambs, $5.00 to $6.50; spring lambs, $5.50 to $7.50.

British Cattle Markets.

London, May 27.—Canadian cattle are slow at 11½c to 12½c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 9c to 9½c per lb. Sheep, dull, 12c to 14c per lb.; yearlings, 15c.

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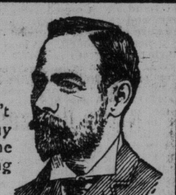

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Adjourned for a Week.

Guelph, May 27.—The inquest into the cause of the drowning of the two O.A.C. students on Monday has been adjourned for a week.

TRENT VETERANS UNITE.

Organize an Association—Ruined Graveyard Causes Anger.

The Army and Navy Veterans have decided to write the under secretary for war and the secretary for the colonies, as well as the depots of the British regiments interested, concerning the decayed state in which the old military graveyard on Strachan-avenue is at present. All efforts to get the government to remedy the defects have been fruitless.

There are men buried there who belonged to the Trent Division, Royal Artillery, 13th Hussars, including three who were at Balaclava; military train, the commissariat department, 16th, 17th 29th, 30th and 47th Regiments, and the Royal Canadian Rifles.

A well attended meeting of Trent men was held at Comrade Porter's, 75 Robinson-street, and Comrade E. Hinde, appointed chairman of the new organization to be known as the Trent Division, composed of men belonging to imperial regiments who came to Canada in 1861-2. A committee will arrange for a supper and dance at an early date. Another meeting will be held on June 1.

ABSURD WAR SPECIALS.

Sioux City (Iowa) Journal: The special correspondents who have gone to the Orient to earn fat salaries and sustain or make big reputations as reporters of war news are entitled to sympathy. They are "up against it." They are "bottled up" either at some supposed news centre far from the front, or have been permitted to go to the front under an ironclad contract that they shall send out only such news as may suit the Russian or Japanese authorities. Meanwhile, the censors seem to have agreed that the news of the war shall be allowed to get to the public thru the medium of the Associated Press. The special correspondents can soak up the atmosphere of Manchuria and Korea and accumulate material for magazine stories and plain fiction, which may find their way into print after the news is cold.

So far as real news is concerned, the special correspondents as yet have nothing to show for their trouble. Not one of them has scored a "scoop," and practically all of them have built up reputations as writers of fiction. The intelligent newspaper reader has learned to reach for the salt sprinkler when a despatch is prefaced with a statement that it comes from the special correspondent of some well-known London or New York newspaper.

From this it must not be assumed that the special correspondents would rather send fiction than fact. They are merely doing the best they can. To earn their salaries they have to send something. The military authorities are distrustful of the special correspondents. The Associated Press, with its long list of responsible members and officers who owe a duty to those members, comprises an organization which can be depended on to confine its function to news-giving without bias or prejudice. That is how the Associated Press has managed to secure the ground floor in the business of telling war news.

JUG-HANDLED FRANCHISE.

Editor World: Your issue of this morning notes that the Bell Telephone Co., proposes to pay the city $100,000 for a five year monopoly with privilege of raising rates $5 per phone.

An examination of the book shows Main 4000, Parkdale 2700, north 1100; total 7800 phones in operation. For five years the average will certainly be much more, but take 8000. Eight thousand phone users robbed at the rate of $5 per annum for five years means a haul of $200,000. Less $100,000 paid the city for the privilege, net profit to the Bell Co., $100,000.

If our council seriously considers such a jug-handled arrangement, reasonable people will be forced to the only legitimate conclusion, either that aldermen supporting it have been bribed, or that they are eligible candidates for the insane asylum, along with the abettors of the G.T.P. swindle.

Surely the large body of Canadian freemen in our city are not going quietly to submit to such treatment. The time for forcible resistance of the inroads of monopolies seems to have arrived. Diogenes.

Toronto, May 26, 1904.

School of Nursing in Muskoka.

A school for nurses-in-training has been opened in connection with the Muskoka Cottage Sanitarium, Gravenhurst. With the growth of the institutions of the National Sanitarium Association this has become a necessity. The step is welcomed by the medical profession, as they have always many patients who are afflicted with tuberculosis. Lectures are given by the physician-in-charge and the nurse-in-charge, supplemented by special lectures that will be given by leading physicians in Toronto and elsewhere, who are on the consultant staff of the association, making the two years course a very complete one. A number of probationers have entered the work within the past month.

Farmers' Institute Excursion.

The West York Farmers' Institute intend holding their annual excursion to Peterboro on Saturday, June 4. A special C.P.R. train will leave Bolton 7 a.m., Kleinburg 7.09 a.m., Elders 7.14 a.m., Woodbridge 7.20, Emery 7.28, Weston 7.36, Toronto Junction 7.45, North Toronto 7.55. Tickets will be good returning by special train or any regular train until June 6 at 6.30 p.m. A special car leaves as follows on the Metropolitan Railway: Elgin Mills 7.00 a.m., Richmond Hill 7.15, Thornhill 7.30, North Toronto 7.45.

Chinese Case Dismissed.

The Chinese assault case, and the manner in which the principals contradicted each other was too much for Judge Morgan and Crown Attorney Drayton. Lee Won Hong claimed he was innocent of assaulting Chu Len. Chu insisted that Lee was the man. The interpreters tried to straighten matters out, but his honor was not satisfied that the accused had been proven guilty and discharged him.

To Void Judge's Order.

Argument by I. F. Hellmuth, K.C., was heard yesterday before the court of appeal to reverse the order granted by Chief Justice Moss in March allowing substitution of a petitioner in the Liberal petition against Dunlop of North Renfrew. Judgment was reserved.

Fire at North Bay.

North Bay, May 27.—Fire broke out last night in the fancy dry goods store of W. W. Smith & Co., and destroyed the place to the extent of $4000. The stock was covered by insurance in the Home Insurance and Northern Insurance companies.

Died at North Bay.

North Bay, May 27.—M. C. Chalmers, manager of the Traders Bank here, died in the Victorian Hospital this afternoon of typhoid fever. His remains will be taken to Strathroy for interment.

The Hon. Dr. Oronhyatekha, Supreme Chief Ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters, is back from Dayton and Cincinnati, Ohio, at which point he initiated 450 new members. He will further proceed to Quebec on the 30th inst., where a class of eight or nine hundred awaits his coming. During this week, anniversary gatherings were held by the members of the order at Plainfield and Newark, N.J.

The Best 5-Cent Magazine on the Market.

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Men's Store Suggestions Re Preparation for June.

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Your House-Furnishing Can Be Done While You Are Away.

Down in New York the other day a man came into one of the big carpet and curtain stores and handed over the keys of his house on Fifth Avenue.

"We are going down to Long Island this afternoon and we won't be back until the 1st of September. I want you to refurnish three rooms—the drawing-room, the dining-room and the library. You may use the old carpets, curtains, haugings, furniture, etc., if they are any good to you. It not sell them for what they bring. But have the house ready by the 1st of September.

"Any limit?"

"Yes, I don't want it to cost me more than $15,000."

"All right, sir."

Enquiry brings out the fact that such orders are not uncommon in New York. When the family is away and the house is not needed, good responsible firms contract for renovating it and making it ready for the next season's entertaining. And why not? What better time could it be done?

Now suppose you let us figure on doing what you want done to your drawing-room or hall, library, dining-room, bedroom—or wherever you want changes made in carpets, curtains or decorating. Suppose you consult us about doing the work while you are away. We will submit designs, you can choose your materials if you like and we'll lay the carpets, hang the curtains, fix the dados, and you'll have none of the bother of the upset.

Come in and see our great House-Furnishing Department. Have a talk about the matter. See our new stock of Dollar Velvets. See the new Curtains. Do your figuring and planning here in the department where we can help you and the goods are conveniently at hand to refer to.

1360 yards of New English Velvet Carpets, in self and combination colorings, new designs, suitable for any room, including florals, scrolls, conventionals and Orientals, the most durable and decorative floor covering, sold at per yard 1.00

New stock of Swiss Curtains, finest net and Swiss muslin applique, designs decidedly new and exceptionally effective, the best values we have ever offered at 2.50, 3.00, 3.50 per pair, up to 15.00

100 only pairs of Swiss Applique Curtains, 3 1-4 yards long, regular 3.00, Monday, per pair 1.69