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MARKETS.

Toronto. LIVE STOCK.

At West Toronto, on Monday, Sept. 26th, receipts of live stock amounted to 146 cars, comprising 2,922 cattle, 94 hogs, 1,023 sheep, 34 calves. Exporters, \$5.80 to \$6.75; one load at \$7; bulls, \$4.50 to \$5.50; export butchers', \$6 to \$6.15; good, \$5.60 to \$5.90; medium, \$5.25 to \$5.50; common, \$4.25 to \$5; cows, \$3 to \$4.75; feeders, \$4.50 to \$5.60; milch cows, \$4.5 to \$7.5; calves, \$3.50 to \$7. Sheep, \$4.50 to \$4.80; lambs, \$6 to \$6.10 per cwt. Hogs, selects, fed and watered, \$9.10, and \$8.75 f. o. b. cars; trade about steady.

REVIEW OF LAST WEEK'S MARKETS Receipts of live stock at the City and Union Stock-yards were as follows:

	City.	Union.	Total.
Cars	321	240	561
Cattle	4,636	4,489	9,125
Hogs	4,170	1,250	5,420
Sheep	7,189	2,508	9,697
Calves	372	119	491
Horses	13	64	77

The above figures show a total increase of the combined receipts at the City and Union Stock-yards, when compared with corresponding week of 1909, as follows: There was an increase of 78 cars, 1,512 cattle, 2,085 sheep and lambs, 49 calves; but a decrease of 600 hogs and 82 horses.

It will be seen by the above table that the receipts of live stock were above the normal. The quality at the Union yards was not as good as for the previous week, although there were a few choice loads that would be hard to surpass. At the City yards, the quality was the worst of the season, few good to choice cattle being on sale. Trade at the Union yards on Monday was inclined to be slow at the commencement, but closed fairly brisk, with prices steady for the best export cattle, while all other classes were 10c. to 15c. per cwt. lower, and, in some extreme cases, 20c. per cwt.

Exporters.—London cattle sold at a range of \$6.25 to \$7.05, the latter price being paid for one load only. Liverpool exporters sold at a range of \$5.75 to \$6.25. Manchester exporters at \$5.50 to \$6.10.

E. L. Woodward bought for Swift & Co., 157 export steers, 1,350 lbs., at an average price of \$6.48; for Liverpool, 310 steers, 1,220 lbs. each, at an average of \$6.05 per cwt.

Geo. B. Campbell bought for Morris & Co., 140 exporters, for Liverpool and Manchester, 1,150 to 1,275 lbs. each, at \$5.50 to \$6.10. Export bulls sold from \$4.50 to \$5.25 per cwt.

Butchers'.—Prime picked lots were scarce, and sold at \$6 to \$6.25, few bringing the latter figure; loads of good, \$5.75 to \$6; medium, \$5.30 to \$5.65; common to medium, \$4.75 to \$5.25; cows, \$3 to \$5; canners, \$1.75 to \$2.50.

Stockers and Feeders.—Trade was brisk for all good quality, but slow, and 10c. to 15c. per cwt. lower for the common quality, which were slow sale. Good steers, 900 to 1,050 lbs. each, sold at \$5.25 to \$5.55; good steers, 800 to 900 lbs. each, sold at \$5 to \$5.25; stockers,

600 to 750 lbs., sold at \$4.25 to \$4.75. Milkers and Springers.—Receipts were fairly large, and trade was brisk, prices ranging from \$75 for inferior, to \$90 for superior quality cows, but only one was reported at the latter price for the week, the bulk selling at \$50 to \$65 each.

Veal Calves.—The market for veal calves remained steady, at \$3.50 to \$7.50 per cwt. for the bulk, while a few extra quality sold at \$8 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.—Receipts were large, with prices firmer. Sheep—Ewes, sold at \$4.75 to \$5; rams, at \$3.50 to \$3.70 per cwt.; lambs sold at \$6 to \$6.25 for the bulk, with a few lots at \$6.30 and \$6.37 1/2 per cwt.

Hogs.—At the commencement of the week prices for selects, fed and watered at the market, were \$9; and \$8.65 to drovers, for hogs f. o. b. cars at country points. At the close of the week prices advanced 10c. per cwt.

Horses.—There was a fair trade at the Union Horse Exchange last week; although not large, it was a more active market. Several lots of drafters, weighing 1,600 and over, were sold to lumbermen at \$290 each. Prices for the average run of drafters ranged from \$225 to \$250; general-purpose horses, \$175 to \$225; expressers, \$175 to \$230; drivers, \$150 to \$250; serviceably sound, \$40 to \$100. Mr. Smith reports prospects for a better trade, having received many letters of inquiry for supplies of horses of the right kind.

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat.—No. 2 white, red or mixed, 90c. to 92c., outside. Manitoba wheat—No. 2 northern, old, \$1.05, track, lake ports; new No. 1 northern, \$1.04 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$1.03 1/2. Rye—No. 2, 67c., outside. Barley—48c. to 50c., outside. Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 37 1/2c.; No. 3, 36 1/2c.; lake ports; Ontarios, No. 2, 33c., outside. Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 65c.; No. 3 yellow, 64 1/2c., Toronto freights. Peas—No. 2, 79c. to 80c. Flour—Ontario new winter wheat flour, \$3.80 to \$3.87, at Montreal, for export. Manitoba flour—Prices at Toronto are: First patents, \$5.90; second patents, \$5.40; strong bakers', \$5.20.

HAY AND MILLFEED.

Hay.—Baled, in car lots, on track, Toronto, \$13 to \$13.50; No. 2, \$10 to \$11.00.

Straw.—Baled, in car lots, on track, Toronto, \$7 to \$7.50.

Bran.—Prices unchanged. Both Manitoba and Ontario bran are quoted at \$20 per ton, with shorts, \$1 to \$2 per ton more.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Butter.—Receipts large; demand equal to deliveries, and prices firm, at following quotations: Creamery pound rolls, 25c. to 26c., with Locust Hill brand at 27c.; creamery solids, 21c.; separator dairy, 23c. to 24c.; store lots, 20c. to 21c.

Eggs.—Receipts were not nearly as large, and prices were firm for selected lots, at 24c. per dozen, in case lots.

Cheese.—Prices were unchanged, at 12c. for large, and 12 1/2c. for twins.

Honey.—Receipts continue large, with prices unchanged, at 10c. to 11c. for extracted; comb, \$2.25 to \$2.75 per dozen sections.

Beans.—The new crop has not yet reached the market, and old beans are firm, at unchanged quotations, as follows: Primes, \$2 to \$2.10, and \$2.15 to \$2.20 for hand-picked.

Potatoes.—Receipts of potatoes continue to be liberal. Car lots of New Brunswick potatoes, on track at Toronto, 60c. per bag, while Ontarios sold at 50c. per bag.

Poultry Alive.—Receipts liberal, at following prices: Chickens, 12c. to 13c. per lb.; ducks, 10c. per lb.; hens, 9c. per lb. Dressed prices about 3c. per lb. more for chickens, and ducks 4c. to 5c.

HIDES AND WOOL.

E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front street, have been buying the following prices: No. 1 inspected steers and cows, 10 1/2c.; No. 2 inspected steers and cows, 9 1/2c.; No. 3 inspected steers, cows and bulls, 8c. to 8 1/2c.; country hides, 9c. to 9 1/2c.; calf skins, 11c. to 13c.; horse hides, No. 1, \$3; horse hair, per lb., 30c.; tallow, No. 1, 5 1/2c. to 6 1/2c.; lamb skins, 10c. to 50c. each; wool, unwashed, 13c. to 14c.; wool, washed, 18c. to 20c.; wool, rejections, 15c.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Receipts were large, and the following

were the current prices for the past week: All quotations are per basket unless otherwise specified. Apples, \$2 to \$4 per barrel; cantaloupes, 20c. to 25c.; cantaloupes, crate, 40c.; crab apples, 30c. to 50c.; cranberries, per barrel, \$10; grapes, 20c. to 40c.; peaches, Crawford's, 50c. to \$1; pears, 35c. to 75c.; plums, 45c. to \$1. Vegetables and all else—Beets, 15c. to 20c.; cabbage, crate, 30c.; celery, 25c. to 40c.; carrots, 15c.; corn, per dozen, 6c.; cucumbers, 15c. to 25c.; gherkins, 40c. to \$1; citrons, 25c.; egg-plant, 20c.; marrows, per dozen, 25c.; onions, pickling, 75c.; onions, Spanish, per crate, \$2.25 to \$2.50; peppers, green, 30c. to 40c.; peppers, red, 50c. to 75c.; sweet potatoes, per barrel, \$4.25; tomatoes, 20c. to 25c.; watermelons, 15c. to 25c.

Montreal.

Live Stock.—On the local cattle market, prices ranged around recent levels. Best steers sold at 6c. per lb., fine at 5 1/2c., good at 5 1/2c. to 5 1/4c. per lb., medium at 4 1/2c. to 5c., and common at 3 1/2c. to 4 1/2c. per lb. Some canners and bulls were as low as 3c. per lb. Small meats were in fair demand. Sheep sold at 4c. per lb., lambs selling at 5 1/2c., while calves brought from \$3 to \$10 each. Select hogs sold in the vicinity of 9 1/2c., showing very little change, sows selling at about 1c. under this figure. Hogs are quoted weighed off cars.

Horses.—There was an auction sale of Iceland ponies at George Clime's Horse Repository last week. Fifty ponies, in all, were sold. Three of them brought \$10 each, and the balance ranged up to \$90 each. The ponies were said to be very nice, docile animals, and hard and rugged. They arrived from England about a week previous. There was a good demand for horses early last week from city users, a number of the cartage companies being in need of them. Heavy draft, 1,500 to 1,700 lbs., \$275 to \$350 each; light draft, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., \$225 to \$275 each; light horses, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., \$100 to \$200 each; inferior, broken-down horses, \$50 to \$100 each, and finest saddle and carriage animals, \$350 to \$500 each.

Dressed Hogs.—The market for dressed hogs was fairly steady, and prices ranged from 12 1/2c. to 13 1/2c. per lb.

Potatoes.—Prices ranged from about 55c. to 60c. per 90 lbs. for carloads; track; these are being sold, same position, at an advance of about 5c.

Apples.—Apparently the crop is none too large. The quality of the arrivals is none too good, and prices are a fair average for this time of year. The price here ranged from \$1.75 to \$2.75 per barrel, according to quality.

Eggs.—Market firm, and dealers could not make purchases at less than 19c. to 20c. per dozen for straight-gathered. They were selling No. 1 eggs at 22c. per dozen, selects at 26c., and new-laid at 30c. to 31c.

Butter.—There has been an advance in price of butter. Current receipts last week were costing 24 1/2c. per lb. in the country, for Townships, and this quality was selling here at 25c., it is said, though it is known that some dealers were demanding 25 1/2c. to 25 3/4c. per lb. Quebec butter was selling at 24 1/2c. to 24 3/4c., according to quality and quantity.

Shipments to date are 25,000 packages, against 32,000 for the corresponding period of last year.

Cheese.—Exports during the present season are about 30,000 boxes less than a year ago, being now about 1,141,000 boxes. Market firm, and prices were a fraction higher, at 10 1/2c. to 10 3/4c. per lb. for Quebec makes; 10 1/2c. to 11 1/4c. for Townships, and 11 1/2c. to 11 3/4c. for Ontarios.

Grain.—The market for oats showed an easier tendency, No. 2 Canadian Western oats being 40c. to 40 1/2c. per bushel, carloads, in store; No. 3 oats, 38 1/2c. to 39c.; No. 2 white, 39 1/2c., and No. 3 white, 38 1/2c. No. 4 barley, 49c. to 49 1/2c.

Flour.—Prices on Manitoba grades declined 20c. per barrel. First patents sold at \$5.80 per barrel, in bags; seconds at \$5.30, and strong bakers' at \$5.10. Ontarios steady, at \$5.75 per barrel, for patents, and \$5.25 for straight rollers.

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Millfeed.—Manitoba bran declined slightly to \$19 per ton, in bags. Shorts very scarce, at \$22 per ton. Ontario bran steady, at \$20.50 to \$21 per ton; \$22 for middlings; \$31 to \$32 for pure grain mouille, and \$25 to \$28 for mixed mouille. Cotton-seed meal quoted at \$37 to \$38 per ton.

Hay.—\$11 to \$11.50 per ton for No. 1; \$10 to \$10.50 for No. 2 extra; \$9 to \$9.50 for No. 2; \$8.50 to \$9 for clover mixed, and \$7.50 to \$8 for clover.

Hides.—Market steady and fairly active. Dealers pay 8c. per lb. for unspiced; 8c. for No. 3, and 9c. for No. 2, and 10c. for No. 1, and for calf skins they pay 12c. for No. 2 and 14c. for No. 1, and sell at 1c. per lb. advance. Lamb skins are 35c. and 40c. each, and horse hides, \$1.75 for No. 2, and \$2.50 for No. 1. Tallow, 1 1/2c. to 3c. for rough; and 6c. to 6 1/2c. for refined.

Cheese Markets.

Madoc, 11 1-16c. Woodstock, 10 13-16c. bid; no sales. Winchester, 11c. offered; none sold on board. Belleville, all sold at 11c., 11 1-16c. and 11 1/2c. Kingston, 11c. Brockville, 11c. Vankleek Hill, 11c. Russell, 11 1-16c. Listowel, 11c. Ottawa, 11c. Picton, 11 1/2c. to 11 1-16c. Iroquois, 11c. London, 10 1/2c. to 10 15-16c. bid; no sales. Galt, butter, 23c. to 24c. Chicago, butter steady; creameries, 24c. to 28c.; dairies, 23c. to 27c. Cheese steady; daisies, 15 1/2c.; twins, 14 1/2c. to 15c.; young Americans, 15 1/2c. to 16c.; longhorns, 15 1/2c. to 16c. New York, butter firm and unchanged; cheese steady and unchanged. St. Hyacinthe, butter, 23 1/2c. and 24c.; cheese, 10 1/2c.

Chicago.

Cattle.—Beoves, \$4.90 to \$6.30; Texas steers, \$3.75 to \$6; Western steers, \$4.40 to \$7.10; stockers and feeders, \$4.30 to \$6; cows and heifers, \$2.25 to \$6.50; calves, \$7 to \$10.

Hogs.—Light, \$9.20 to \$9.65; mixed, \$8.50 to \$9.55; heavy, \$8.35 to \$9.35; rough, \$8.35 to \$9.55; good to choice heavy, \$8.55 to \$9.35; pigs, \$8.60 to \$9.45; bulk of sales at \$8.75 to \$9.25.

Sheep and Lambs.—Natives, \$2.65 to \$4.45; Westerns, \$3.25 to \$4.40; yearlings, \$4.75 to \$5.70; lambs, native, \$5.25 to \$7.25; Western, \$5.50 to \$7.

Buffalo.

Veals.—\$6.50 to \$11.50. Hogs.—Heavy, \$8.10 to \$9.50; mixed, \$8.70 to \$9.40; Yorkers, \$9.60 to \$9.90; pigs, \$9.50 to \$9.70; roughs, \$8.25 to \$8.60; stags, \$6.50 to \$7.25; dairies, \$9 to \$9.75.

Sheep and Lambs.—Lambs, \$5.50 to \$7.40.

British Cattle Markets.

Liverpool.—States steers, 13 1/2c. to 14c. per pound; Canadians, 12 1/2c. to 13 1/2c.; ranchers, 11c. to 12c.