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MARKETS.

TORONTO. LIVE STOCK.

At West Toronto, on Monday, November 16th, receipts numbered 1,790 cattle, quality fair; trade good for best quality, but slow for common. Exporters, \$4.50 to \$5; prime butchers', \$4.70 to \$4.90; loads of good, \$4.40 to \$4.60; medium, \$4 to \$4.30; common, \$3.50 to \$3.75; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.75; canners, \$1 to \$2; feeders, \$3.40 to \$4; milkers and springers, \$30 to \$65 each; calves, \$3 to \$6.25 per cwt. Sheep, \$3.25 to \$3.50 per cwt. Lambs, \$4 to \$4.50 per cwt. Hogs, \$6.25, fed and watered; \$6 to drovers, f. o. b. cars country points.

REVIEW OF LAST WEEK'S MARKET.
Total receipts of live stock last week were: 384 cars, 5,867 cattle, 4,398 hogs, 9,803 sheep and lambs, 113 calves, and 89 horses.

The percentage of good cattle was a little higher than it has been for some time, although the bulk of deliveries were of the common to medium qualities. Trade was generally good, with prices firm, at last week's advance, with good cattle being eagerly sought after.

Exporters.—Export steers sold at \$4.60 to \$5.10, and dealers stated that they would have paid \$5.25 for well-finished cattle. Export bulls sold at \$3.75 to \$4.50. There were two very excellent quality bulls on the market that cost \$1.40 and \$4.60 in the country.

Butchers'.—Prime picked lots were scarce, and sold at \$4.80 to \$5; loads of good, \$4.40 to \$4.60; medium, \$4 to \$4.30; common, \$3.50 to \$3.80; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.75, with a few choice cows good enough to export, at \$4; canners, \$1 to \$2.

Feeders and Stockers.—There has been a steady demand from farmers and dealers for good quality steers, 950 to 1,050 lbs. each, at \$3.40 to \$3.75, and a few choice steers brought as high as \$4; stockers sold from \$2.25 to \$3.25, and some of inferior quality at \$1.75 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.—Receipts were moderately large, of medium to good cows, but prime quality cows are scarce. Three dealers from Montreal being on hand, all wanting supplies, caused a

shortage of prices from \$45 to \$65 per head, and two or three brought \$70; medium light cows, \$30 to \$38 each.

Calves.—Receipts moderate, with prices steady, at \$3.50 to \$6.25 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.—Receipts were large, with prices easy, especially for lambs. Few for export, sold at \$3.25 to \$3.40; range, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per cwt. Lambs sold from \$4 to \$4.50 for the bulk, with a few selected lots of ewes and wethers at \$4.60 per cwt.

Hogs.—Receipts moderate, with market steady during the week, at \$6 for selects, fed and watered at the market, and \$5.75 to drovers, f. o. b. cars at country points.

Horses.—Trade on the horse market remained quiet, with prices about the same as quoted last week. J. Herbert Smith, of the Union Horse Exchange, reports having sold 75 horses during last week, and stated that there was some enquiry from Northwest and lumber-camp dealers. Drafters sold at \$160 to \$180; general-purpose and delivery horses, \$140 to \$160; drivers, \$100 to \$150; serviceably sound, \$40 to \$60.

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat.—No. 2 white, 90c.; No. 2 red, 89c.; No. 1 mixed, 89c. Manitoba—No. 1 northern, \$1.08; No. 2 northern, \$1.05, lake ports. Rye—No. 2, 78c. Peas—No. 2, 85c. Oats—No. 2 white, 38c.; No. 2 mixed, 38c. Barley—No. 2, buyers, 53c.; No. 3X, 54c.; No. 3, 53c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 87c. Bran—Car lots, in bulk, \$21.50 to \$22. Shorts—Car lots, in bulk, at Toronto, \$23 to \$24. Buckwheat—No. 2, 58c. Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent patent, sales, \$3.50 for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, \$6; second patents, \$5.40; strong bakers', \$5.30.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Butter.—There was little change in the butter market, excepting that receipts were, if anything, a little larger, on account of many cheese factories having closed. Creamery pound rolls, 26c. to 28c., with Locust Hill brand at 30c.; creamery solids, 25c. to 26c.; separator dairy, 21c. to 25c.; store lots, 22c. to 23c.

Eggs.—New laid, 28c. to 30c., and scarce; cold storage, 24c.

Cheese.—Market practically unchanged, at 13c. for large, and 14c. for twins.

Honey.—Receipts fairly large, prices steady, at 10c. to 11c.; combs, \$1.75 for buckwheat, and \$2.25 to \$2.50 and \$2.75 for good to choice white clover.

Potatoes.—Market a little firmer, at 58c. to 63c. for car lots, on track at Toronto.

Poultry.—Receipts, the largest in several years; prices easier, as follows: Dressed turkeys, 12c. to 13c.; geese, 8c.; ducks, 9c. to 10c.; chickens, 7c. to 9c.; fowl, 6c. to 7c.; live poultry, about 2c. per lb. less.

Hay.—Baled, in car lots, on track at Toronto, \$10.50 to \$11.

Straw.—Baled, in car lots, on track at Toronto, \$6 to \$7.

Beans.—Market unchanged, at \$1.80 to \$1.90 for primes, and \$1.95 to \$2.05 for hand-picked.

HIDES AND WOOL.

E. T. Carter & Co., 85 Front street East, Toronto, have been paying for No. 1 inspected steers, 60 lbs. and up, 9c.; No. 2 inspected steers, 60 lbs. and up, 8c.; No. 1 inspected cows, 8c.; No. 2 inspected cows, 7c.; country hides, cured, 7c.; calf skins, city, 12c.; calf skins, country, 11c. to 12c.; horse hides, No. 1, \$2.75; horse hair, per lb., 29c. to 30c.; tallow, 5c. to 6c.; lamb skins, 50c. to 60c.; deerskins, green, 10c. to 12c.; raw furs, prices on application.

SEED MARKET.

The William Rennie Seed Co. report the seed market still dull, with no foreign business or demand. Prices unchanged, as follows: Alsike, fancy, \$7 to \$7.25; No. 1, \$6.50 to \$6.75; No. 2, \$6 to \$6.25; red clover, \$4.50 to \$5; timothy seed, \$1.30 to \$1.60.

FRUIT MARKET.

Apples are selling at \$1.50 to \$3.50 per bbl., the latter price being for Spies. Winter pears are worth from 30c. to 65c. per basket; grapes, 30c. to 60c. per basket.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKET.

London cables for cattle 12c. to 13c. per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 11c. to 11c. per lb.

MONTREAL.

Live Stock.—Exports of live stock from the port of Montreal during the first week of November amounted to 3,243 head of cattle and 1,117 sheep, against 4,853 cattle and 316 sheep the previous week.

Owing to the scarcity of choice stock on the local market last week, exporters who wished to purchase were compelled to pay full prices, notwithstanding the weakness of the British markets. Poorer stock, however, was plentiful and on the easy side. Choicest sold at 5c., the greater part of the fine stock, however, selling at 4c. to 4c. per lb.; good, 4c. to 4c.; medium, 3c. to 3c.; common, 2c. to 3c., and inferior as low as 1c. per lb. The demand for lambs was more active and a good trade was done, at 5c. to 5c. per lb. for choice and 4c. less for good. Sheep were also firm and about 4c. up, at 3c. to 4c. per lb. for best and 4c. less for culls, mixed lots of sheep and lambs being about 4c. A fair trade was passing in calves, and prices ruled firm at 4c. to 5c. per lb. for choice, and 3c. to 4c. for lower grades. In hogs, selects sold at 6c. to 6c. per lb., weighed off cars.

Horses.—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; good blocks, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., \$175 to \$200; small or inferior, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., \$100 to \$150; broken-down horses, \$50 to \$75, and choice saddle or carriage horses, \$300 to \$500 each.

Dressed Hogs and Provisions.—Owing to the decline in the price of live hogs, the market for dressed, while still quoted at 9c. to 9c. per lb., was easy in tone, and it would not be surprising to learn shortly of a slight decline. Demand for barrelled pork is moderately good, at \$23.50 to \$26 per bbl.

Poultry.—Turkeys are selling here, retail, as low as 15c. and 16c. per lb., so that farmers receive somewhere from 12c. to, possibly, 14c., according to the quality of the stock. The market should brighten up very soon.

Potatoes.—Some Delawares sold at 78c. Single loads of Green Mountains sell at around a cent per lb., while single bags bring about \$1 per bag.

Eggs.—32c. is being paid for choice, fresh-laid. Fall eggs, taken from cold-store, are selling here at 22c. for No. 1, 26c. for selects, and 30c. for boilers, but the quality is very questionable. The market is quite firm and demand very good.

Butter.—Fancy October creamery was held here at 27c. to 27c. in wholesale lots; 28c. in smaller lots, and about 28c. to 28c. for single packages. Current makes could be had at about 4c. under these prices. Owing to a cent advance in country on Saturday, dealers advanced prices about half a cent here on Monday.

Cheese.—Market was, perhaps, a fraction easier, even for choicest October makes. These were being sold here at about 12c. to 12c. per lb. for Quebecs, 12c. to 12c. for Townships, and 12c. to 12c. for Ontarios. Most of these October makes have already reached this market. November's a fraction less than choicest.

Grain.—No. 2 buckwheat easier, selling at 58c. per bushel, track; good yellow corn, 72c. to 77c., basis Montreal, according to position in the country. The market in oats was firm, at 44c. to 45c. per bushel, store, for No. 2 Ontarios, one cent less for No. 3, and yet a cent less for No. 4. Manitoba oats, 45c. to 46c. for No. 2, and 44c. to 45c. for No. 3, and for No. 1 feed.

Mill Feed.—Dealers are now prepared to pay only \$21 per ton for bran, shorts being still \$24 to \$25, either Ontarios or Manitobas. Occasional sales of cotton seed are made at \$33 per ton, in ton lots, and of oil cake at \$32, and gluten meal at \$25.

Hay.—Choice hay scarce and firm, lower grades being plentiful and steady in price. No. 1 timothy is 50c. up, at \$12.50 to \$13 per ton; No. 2, extra, \$11 to \$11.50; No. 2 ordinary, \$10 to \$10.50; clover mixed, \$9 to \$9.50, and clover, \$8 to \$8.50.

Seeds.—Dealers feeling the market in preparation to commencing buying operations in a month or so.

Hides.—Dealers paying 7c., 8c., and 9c. per lb. for Nos. 3, 2 and 1 beef hides, respectively.

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Cattle.—Steers, \$4.60 to \$7.75; cows, \$2.85 to \$5; heifers, \$2.50 to \$4.60; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.50; calves, \$3 to \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.65.

Hogs.—Choice heavy shipping, \$6.20 to \$6.25; butchers', \$6.10 to \$6.20; light mixed, \$5.65 to \$5.90; packing, \$5.65 to \$6.15; pigs, \$4.25 to \$5.50; bulk of sales, \$5.85 to \$6.20.

Sheep and Lambs.—Sheep, \$4.65 to \$5; lambs, \$4.75 to \$6; yearlings, \$3.85 to \$5.25.

BUFFALO.

Cattle.—Prime steers, \$6.50 to \$6.75. Veals—\$5.75 to \$8.25.

Hogs.—Heavy, \$5.90 to \$6; a few, \$6.10; Yorkers, \$5 to \$5.75; pigs, \$4 to \$4.90; stags, \$4 to \$4.50; dairies, \$5 to \$5.75.

Sheep and Lambs.—Canada lambs, \$5.75 to \$5.90.

CHEESE BOARD PRICES.

Belleville, Ont., 11 13-16c. to 11c. Brockville, Ont., 11c. bid. Kingston, 11c. to 11c. Napanee, Ont., 11c. Picton, Ont., 11 13-16c. St. Hyacinthe, Que., cheese, 11c.; butter, 27c. Chicago, Ill., cheese, 12c. to 13c.; butter, creamery, 22c. to 29c.; dairy, 19c. to 25c.

GOSSIP.

AYRSHIRES BY AUCTION.

An introductory sale of Ayrshire cattle from Hampton Stock Farm, at Hampton, New Brunswick, is advertised on another page in this issue to take place on December 3rd, when 9 young bulls, 3 to 16 months old, including prizewinners at leading Maritime fairs, 2 yearling heifers and several mature cows will be offered. The young stock are sired by Imp. Netherhall Nobleman. Catalogues may be had on application. The date has been arranged in order that advantage may be taken of the reduced railway passenger rates to the Maritime Winter Fair at Amherst, N. S.

Messrs. J. Crouch & Son, La Fayette, Indiana, importers of Percheron, Belgian and German horses, write: "At the coming International Live-stock Exposition, to be held in Chicago, commencing November 28th, we will have our usual large and splendid exhibit. We expect to have not less than eighty head of high-class Belgian, Percheron, and German Coach stallions and mares. Among them are a great number of horses that won prizes at the big shows in Europe this summer, and at the leading State Fairs and Stock Shows in this country this fall. We were among the first American buyers in Europe this year, and got the finest selection to be had. Our inquiries this season seem to be for a better class of stallions. Buyers are more particular, and we do not believe a greater lot of horses ever crossed the ocean than we can show you. We invite our friends and customers to visit our headquarters while in Chicago and allow us the pleasure of showing them through. We price our horses as low as any responsible firm can afford, and give a reasonable guarantee and make terms to suit."