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Blood Medicine.

MARKET PRICES

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Sept. 22. — Cattle are quoted at 10½c to 12c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 9 ½c to 9 ¾c per lb.; 2½ hogs.

FLAXSEED.

Chicago, Sept. 22. — Flaxseed—Northwest, 22½c; south-west, 22c.

SUGAR MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 22. — Sugar—Raw steady; refined, 3c; centrifugal, 3½c; test, 3½c; refined unsettled. Molasses—Steady.

London, Sept. 22. — Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 10s, nominal; Muscovado, 8s 6d, nominal; beet sugar, September, 8s 9d.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 22. — Sugar prices here continue steady. Follows: C. 11-16c, 11-16c; yellow, \$4.23. Bags are quoted 5c less.

DAIRY MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 22. — Butter—Easy; receipts, 7,758 packages; state dairy, common to extra, 12c to 20c; cheese quiet and unchanged; receipts, 2,214 boxes.

BRANTFORD.

Brantford, Ont., Sept. 22. — Cheese offered, 1,500 boxes; sold, 55c, viz. 5c at 11-16c, 20c at 11c, and 20c at 11-16c. Next market, Friday, Oct. 6.

PERTH.

Perth, Ont., Sept. 22. — There were 1,500 boxes of white and colored cheese at which prices several lots changed hands. The rest of the salesmen holding off for a higher figure.

KEMPTVILLE.

Kemptonville, Ont., Sept. 22. — Buyers offered 11-16c for both white and colored cheese, at which price several lots changed hands. The rest of the salesmen holding off for a higher figure.

OIL MARKETS.

London, Sept. 22. — Petroleum, American refined, 5½-16d; spirits, 8½d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Sept. 22. — Petroleum, 19 francs.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 22. — Oil opened and closed at \$1.46.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Sept. 22. — Credit balances, \$1.46; shipments, 77,153 barrels.

HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Sept. 22. — Baled Hay—The demand continues dull and prices are unchanged at \$7.50 per ton for No. 1 timothy, and \$8 for No. 2. Baled straw—Car lots on track here are quoted unchanged at \$6 per ton.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Toronto, Sept. 22. — Wheat—Ontario No. 2 white, 72½c to 73c; No. 2 red and mixed, 72c to 74c, at outside points; goose and spring, 6c to 6½c outside; Manitoba firm, 70c to 71c; No. 1 hard, 70c to 71c; No. 2 northern, 68c to 69c; old crop, at lake ports, 58c for No. 1 northern and 56c for No. 2.

Four-Ontario exports are bidding \$3 for 50 per cent patents, in buyers' bags, west; Manitoba easier; first patents are quoted at \$5.20 to \$5.30; second patents, \$4.90 to \$5; bakers, \$4.90 to \$5.00.

Millfeed—Ontario bran \$11.50 to \$12 per ton, in car lots, at outside points; shorts, \$10 to \$10.50; Manitoba bran, \$10 to \$10.50; shorts, \$9 to \$9.50, at Toronto and equal points.

Outs—Flm, at 2½c to 2½½c for No. 2, outside.

Barley—Higher grades are firm, at 46c for No. 2, 44c for No. 3 extra, 40c for No. 4, at outside points.

Rye—Firm, at 57c to 58c, outside.

Peas—Steady, at 60c to 61c for No. 2, outside.

Corn—American quiet, and prices ½c lower, at 60½c outside for No. 3 yellow, and 61½c for No. 2 yellow, lake and rail freights.

Rolls—Oats—Car lots in barrels at \$4.75 and bags at \$4.50, on the track; 25c more for broken lots here and 40c more outside.

Butter—About steady; supplies of all kinds large; creamery, 22c to 23c; solids, 21c to 21½c; dairy pound rolls, good to choice, 18c to 20c; medium, 17c to 18c; tubs, good to choice, 17c to 18c; inferior, 15c to 16c per lb.

Cheese—Steady, at 11½c to 12c.

Eggs—Easy and unchanged, at 15c to 16c. Hens—Dressed fowls, at \$8.25 to \$8.75; alive \$5.75 to \$6.12½.

FOR THE MISSIONS

Anglican Church Spent \$48,859.56 in the Last Three Years.

Toronto, Sept. 22. — At today's session of the Anglican Women's Auxiliary to Missions, Miss Hanson, general secretary, reported that the total of sales of clothing sent out in the last three years was 2,411, an increase over the last triennial report of 422 sales.

The money spent amounted to \$48,859.56, which showed an increase of \$10,877.73. All but 79 bales and 200 lbs. of goods were sent to the church, and there had been a great increase in the church furnishings sent to needy missions.

The amount of freight refunded on bales sent to Indian missions was \$115.98. There had also been sales sent to Africa, China and Japan.

The report of Miss Amy Gaviller, general junior secretary, regarding the work of the junior secretaries showed the total membership to be 5,400, and the number of parochial branches, 224. They had raised \$8,257.

A report on the German traveling schools for teaching scientific house-keeping, cooking and farm work to the women connected with the agricultural districts of Baden, Bavaria, Thuringen and Hesse declared them to have given great satisfaction.

A vegetarian journal published at Hamburg appeals to its readers not to attend Wagner performances nor play any of the master's music. It describes Richard Wagner as a "gross flesh feeder" and a man who openly ridiculed vegetarian principles.

Cartierhall, Nfld., Jan. 8, 1898. MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO., Yarmouth, N. S.:

Dear Sirs:—While in the country last summer I was badly bitten by mosquitoes, so badly that I thought I would be disabled for a couple of weeks. I was advised to try your Liniment to allay the irritation, and did so. The effect was more than I expected, a few applications completely curing the irritation, and preventing the bites from becoming serious. MINARD'S LINIMENT is also a good article to keep off the mosquitoes. Yours truly,

W. A. V. R.

THOUSANDS CROWD PETROLEA'S FAIR

Fall Exhibition There Biggest Kind of Success

EXHIBITS OF UNUSUAL MERIT

Officially Opened by Provincial Secretary Hanna—Fine Display of Equines—Speed Specials.

[By Special Correspondent.]

Petrolia, Sept. 22. — Petrolia today was en fête, due to the fact that for the first time in years Petrolia was to have a real fair. In former years the citizens generally had paid but little attention to the agricultural show, but this year they united the Petrolia and Ennisville with the Wyoming and Flinton shows, and the result was a fair that surpassed the most sanguine expectations of the most hopeful directors.

The number present was the subject of much guessing. Secretary Wyant estimated 7,000. Some of the guesses ranged as high as 15,000, but the former estimate was about correct.

As to the fair itself, it was a decided success from an agricultural standpoint. The number of entries exceeded all former years by nearly one-half, and every class in every department was well represented. The quality of the exhibits was much above the average county fair.

On the arrival of Hon. Mr. Hanna, he was met by a delegation representing the town, and the agricultural societies, and taken to the Iroquois Hotel, where a luncheon was given to the distinguished guests. In the absence of Mayor Noble, the freedom of the town was tendered the Honorable Provincial Secretary.

A parade was then formed to escort Hon. Mr. Hanna to the grounds. The procession was headed by the Wyoming Band.

The opening ceremony was performed on the bandstand, and the following officers were on the platform: Hon. Mr. Hanna, Ald. Pollard, Ald. Jas. Peats, Joseph Armstrong, M. P., R. E. LeSueur, Saml. Dr. Fairbank, John Kerr, Mr. Chatterton, W. G. Graham, Joseph McCutcheon, J. Stewart, Strathroy, D. G. Parker, Dr. Gibson, Walter, W. H. McMahon and President Albert Brock. Mr. Hanna, who was introduced by Mr. McMahon, and congratulated the county on having such an able man as the Provincial Secretary to represent them. He fought Hanna politically, but he respected him.

He had thought that there were nothing but Conservatives on the grounds until Mr. Hanna made that remark. Mr. Hanna said he was not here to make a speech, he was here to see the boys, yes, and the girls. The fair had had exceptional success, but when asked to account for it he could not. "It is dry weather. You can see the application."

In concluding his remarks Mr. Hanna declared the fair opened yesterday and that he was not here when it was opened. "I now declare it opened, and it has been opened for 24 hours."

A Bright Future.

Joseph E. Armstrong, M. P. for East Lambton, prophesied a great future for the fair. The people of Petrolia were just waking up to its advantages. Next year they will have suitable buildings, and the Petrolia fair would be the best in Ontario.

Mr. J. Stewart, of Strathroy, objected to Mr. Hanna's assertion that Lambton was the best county. He claimed Middlesex was the best of them all.

Dr. Fairbank welcomed all to the fair on behalf of the council, and declared he had come to see the girls chiefly.

Dr. R. Gibson, of Watford, president of the East Lambton Conservative Association, in a brief speech, noted that East Lambton missed Mr. Hanna, one of its boys. They did not see him as much as they would like. He invited everyone to come to the Watford fair next Friday.

The programme then closed, and with three cheers for the King and Mr. Hanna, the fair opened.

High Standard of Exhibits.

On going through the different departments, the exhibits were found to be of unusual merit. The ladies' fancy work was exceptionally fine, and compared favorably with the Western and Toronto fairs. The fruit was not so plentiful as in former years, although apples of excellent quality were shown. The grains and seeds were good this year.

The poultry exhibit was better this year than usual. The entry list was large. The chief exhibitors were H. Mahe, T. W. Kedwell, and J. Anderson. The heavy breeds were well represented.

The cattle were a very fine exhibit, especially the Grades and Shorthorns. There were many fine specimens in each class, and the improvement of farmers' cattle is steadily being demonstrated. The principal exhibitors were: Shorthorns—John Morgan & Sons, Kerwood, and Stephen Nicholson, Sylvan, Jerseys—James McEwen, Kertch, Holsteins—W. A. Bryant, of Cairngorm; William English, Petrolia, Herefords—Govenlock, of Forest; Grades—Charles McLean.

The sheep exhibit was the best ever seen in Lambton county, in numbers and quality. Mr. J. T. Gibson, of Denfield, the judge of sheep, said it was the best he had ever seen. The chief exhibitors were: Cotswold—John Wood, Langbank; R. Morgan & Sons, Kerwood; W. S. Sutcliffe, Petrolia; Lincolns—A. G. Sparling, Forest; Hugh McLean, Wyoming; and Wm. Gould, Rutherford, Leicester—A. A. Archer, Warwick, and John Welsh, Colville.

Southdowns—Wm. Stonehouse, Wyoming; Oxford Downs—W. A. Bryant, of Cairngorm; and Thomas H. Smith, of Wyoming. Shropshire—W. Jackson, Osborne, Horned Dorset—John Hunter, and E. E. Anderson, Wyoming.

The swine exhibit was fully up to the standard. Some very fine porkers were on view, and the specials for bacon hogs had many entries. The men who took most of the prizes were Berkshires, James McEwen, Kertch; Yorks—Hy. Capes, Kertch, and Wm. English, Petrolia.

Last, but not least, was the horse show. There were some of the finest single reeders ever seen in the county. Judge McKay, when he saw the line-up of this class, declared that it was a great show, the best he had ever judged. The Clydes were numerous, and the very best quality. There were some fine matched teams. Several fine carriage pairs were shown. The colts were numerous in every class.

The Speed Specials.

The speed specials attracted a very large crowd, and the races were the best ever seen in Petrolia. Every race was split up, and the winner was likely to come from most anywhere.

R. Kettle, after a mix-up in the second heat of the 2:50 pace, drove a

blinky race, with his cart wheels on the wobble all the way. The crowd gave Bob, who is a Petrolia boy, a great round of applause for his good work.

Mattie Weaver had the staying powers of the field, and won a hard race. Patterson won finely, but being a green horse, was not ripe for such a bruising contest. Jessie Rogers won the first heat, but had not the staying qualities. The second heat of this race was very exciting, the five horses all being in a bunch.

Davie K., Bob Kettle's good horse, won the slow race in fast time. He had the speed of the bunch after the second heat, and paced a fine race.

Dr. Brown won the gentleman's road race in straight heats.

The summary: 2:20 trot and 2:15 pace—Mattie Weaver, Wm. McMaster, Ridgetown, 1; Patterson, D. Peters, Glenheim, 2; Jessie Rogers, R. Kettle, Petrolia, 3; Annie V. Brino, M. Wade, Bothwell, 4; Billy Gaylor, Dr. Dunfield, Petrolia, 5. Best time, 2:19½.

2:50 pace—Davie K., R. Kettle, Petrolia, 1; Nettie Star, James Yard, Sarnia, 2; Dan H. Wm. McMaster, Ridgetown, 3; Baker Roy, Wm. Alken, Wyoming, 4; White Stocking, E. McGowan, Lacachie, 5. Best time, 2:27½.

Gentlemen's road race, one-half mile—Dr. Brown, E. Upton, Adelaide, 1; Saltrap Jun., S. Whitham, Wyoming, 2; Buck, Joseph Miller, Inneskillen, 3; 2 Misses, J. Murray, Toronto, 4; 5 Weed Brino, J. Wm. Wade, Sarnia, 6. Time, 1:17½, 1:17.

The officers of the societies, who worked untiringly for the success of the fair, are as follows:

Petrolia and Ennisville Agricultural Society officers for the year 1905: Joseph Bryant, president; G. G. Hartley, first vice-president; John Canton, second vice-president; executive directors, J. F. Donald, A. W. Ellis, John McPhedran, James A. Fisher, Peter McPhedran, James McEwen, Wm. Stonehouse, Wm. Young, Peter McPhedran, Swine—John Canton, John H. Mann, T. K. Brown, Poultry—N. Wadley, Wm. Muxlow, Wm. Stonehouse, Dairy and provisions—W. A. Graham, John Forbes, Grain, seeds and fruit—Wm. Balls, Hugh McLean, and vegetables—Toot Stewart, Wm. Muxlow, Ladies' work and flowers—R. S. Ford, G. Hartley, W. Caldwell, Printing and advertising—R. S. Ford, G. Hartley, H. W. Brake, Management—Bryson, Brock, Duncan, Harker, Stonehouse, Bradley, Brake and Pearce, Special attractions—Duncan, Ellis, Ford, Brake, Chatterton, Bradley, Fairbank.

SPRINGFIELD FAIR WAS A BIG ONE

Bumper Attendance—Exhibits Up to the Mark—Horse Races.

The Springfield and South Dorchester Horticultural Societies held their fall fair in the village of Springfield yesterday, and it proved to be an unqualified success. Never before in the history of the fair was there such an attendance, the crowd having the appearance of an immense plain gathering. The day, being an ideal one, the fair sex were out in large numbers. The exhibits in some of the classes were excellent. In heavy horses, J. H. Clarke, Springfield, and J. H. Clarke, Springfield, were the principal exhibitors. The judges of poultry were O. L. Baker, Aylmer, and J. H. Clarke, Springfield. The roots were large and very even. In the race the exhibit was one of the best. Quilts of all descriptions were shown, and all kinds of needlework there was the best display seen in years. In fine arts, the exhibit was a credit to the fair, and was worth the price of the exhibition. The races were contested every inch. The results:

2:40 trot or pace—Mack, 1; 2:15 pace—2:15 1; 2:15 2; 2:15 3; 2:15 4; 2:15 5; 2:15 6; 2:15 7; 2:15 8; 2:15 9; 2:15 10; 2:15 11; 2:15 12; 2:15 13; 2:15 14; 2:15 15; 2:15 16; 2:15 17; 2:15 18; 2:15 19; 2:15 20; 2:15 21; 2:15 22; 2:15 23; 2:15 24; 2:15 25; 2:15 26; 2:15 27; 2:15 28; 2:15 29; 2:15 30; 2:15 31; 2:15 32; 2:15 33; 2:15 34; 2:15 35; 2:15 36; 2:15 37; 2:15 38; 2:15 39; 2:15 40; 2:15 41; 2:15 42; 2:15 43; 2:15 44; 2:15 45; 2:15 46; 2:15 47; 2:15 48; 2:15 49; 2:15 50; 2:15 51; 2:15 52; 2:15 53; 2:15 54; 2:15 55; 2:15 56; 2:15 57; 2:15 58; 2:15 59; 2:15 60; 2:15 61; 2:15 62; 2:15 63; 2:15 64; 2:15 65; 2:15 66; 2:15 67; 2:15 68; 2:15 69; 2:15 70; 2:15 71; 2:15 72; 2:15 73; 2:15 74; 2:15 75; 2:15 76; 2:15 77; 2:15 78; 2:15 79; 2:15 80; 2:15 81; 2:15 82; 2:15 83; 2:15 84; 2:15 85; 2:15 86; 2:15 87; 2:15 88; 2:15 89; 2:15 90; 2:15 91; 2:15 92; 2:15 93; 2:15 94; 2:15 95; 2:15 96; 2:15 97; 2:15 98; 2:15 99; 2:15 100; 2:15 101; 2:15 102; 2:15 103; 2:15 104; 2:15 105; 2:15 106; 2:15 107; 2:15 108; 2:15 109; 2:15 110; 2:15 111; 2:15 112; 2:15 113; 2:15 114; 2:15 115; 2:15 116; 2:15 117; 2:15 118; 2:15 119; 2:15 120; 2:15 121; 2:15 122; 2:15 123; 2:15 124; 2:15 125; 2:15 126; 2:15 127; 2:15 128; 2:15 129; 2:15 130; 2:15 131; 2:15 132; 2:15 133; 2:15 134; 2:15 135; 2:15 136; 2:15 137; 2:15 138; 2:15 139; 2:15 140; 2:15 141; 2:15 142; 2:15 143; 2:15 144; 2:15 145; 2:15 146; 2:15 147; 2:15 148; 2:15 149; 2:15 150; 2:15 151; 2:15 152; 2:15 153; 2:15 154; 2:15 155; 2:15 156; 2:15 157; 2:15 158; 2:15 159; 2:15 160; 2:15 161; 2:15 162; 2:15 163; 2:15 164; 2:15 165; 2:15 166; 2:15 167; 2:15 168; 2:15 169; 2:15 170; 2:15 171; 2:15 172; 2:15 173; 2:15 174; 2:15 175; 2:15 176; 2:15 177; 2:15 178; 2:15 179; 2:15 180; 2:15 181; 2:15 182; 2:15 183; 2:15 184; 2:15 185; 2:15 186; 2:15 187; 2:15 188; 2:15 189; 2:15 190; 2:15 191; 2:15 192; 2:15 193; 2:15 194; 2:15 195; 2:15 196; 2:15 197; 2:15 198; 2:15 199; 2:15 200; 2:15 201; 2:15 202; 2:15 203; 2:15 204; 2:15 205; 2:15 206; 2:15 207; 2:15 208; 2:15 209; 2:15 210; 2:15 211; 2:15 212; 2:15 213; 2:15 214; 2:15 215; 2:15 216; 2:15 217; 2:15 218; 2:15 219; 2:15 220; 2:15 221; 2:15 222; 2:15 223; 2:15 224; 2:15 225; 2:15 226; 2:15 227; 2:15 228; 2:15 229; 2:15 230; 2:15 231; 2:15 232; 2:15 233; 2:15 234; 2:15 235; 2:15 236; 2:15 237; 2:15 238; 2:15 239; 2:15 240; 2:15 241; 2:15 242; 2:15 243; 2:15 244; 2:15 245; 2:15 246; 2:15 247; 2:15 248; 2:15 249; 2:15 250; 2:15 251; 2:15 252; 2:15 253; 2:15 254; 2:15 255; 2:15 256; 2:15 257; 2:15 258; 2:15 259; 2:15 260; 2:15 261; 2:15 262; 2:15 263; 2:15 264; 2:15 265; 2:15 266; 2:15 267; 2:15 268; 2:15 269; 2:15 270; 2:15 271; 2:15 272; 2:15 273; 2:15 274; 2:15 275; 2:15 276; 2:15 277; 2:15 278; 2:15 279; 2:15 280; 2:15 281; 2:15 282; 2:15 283; 2:15 284; 2:15 285; 2:15 286; 2:15 287; 2:15 288; 2:15 289; 2:15 290; 2:15 291; 2:15 292; 2:15 293; 2:15 294; 2:15 295; 2:15 296; 2:15 297; 2:15 298; 2:15 299; 2:15 300; 2:15 301; 2:15 302; 2:15 303; 2:15 304; 2:15 305; 2:15 306; 2:15 307; 2:15 308; 2:15 309; 2:15 310; 2:15 311; 2:15 312; 2:15 313; 2:15 314; 2:15 315; 2:15 316; 2:15 317; 2:15 318; 2:15 319; 2:15 320; 2:15 321; 2:15 322; 2:15 323; 2:15 324; 2:15 325; 2:15 326; 2:15 327; 2:15 328; 2:15 329; 2:15 330; 2:15 331; 2:15 332; 2:15 333; 2:15 334; 2:15 335; 2:15 336; 2:15 337; 2:15 338; 2:15 339; 2:15 340; 2:15 341; 2:15 342; 2:15 343; 2:15 344; 2:15 345; 2:15 346; 2:15 347; 2:15 348; 2:15 349; 2:15 350; 2:15 351; 2:15 352; 2:15 353; 2:15 354; 2:15 355; 2:15 356; 2:15 357; 2:15 358; 2:15 359; 2:15 360; 2:15 361; 2:15 362; 2:15 363; 2:15 364; 2:15 365; 2:15 366; 2:15 367; 2:15 368; 2:15 369; 2:15 370; 2:15 371; 2:15 372; 2:15 373; 2:15 374; 2:15 375; 2:15 376; 2:15 377; 2:15 378; 2:15 379; 2:15 380; 2:15 381; 2:15 382; 2:15 383; 2:15 384; 2:15 385; 2:15 386; 2:15 387; 2:15 388; 2:15 389; 2:15 390; 2:15 391; 2:15 392; 2:15 393; 2:15 394; 2:15 395; 2:15 396; 2:15 397; 2:15 398; 2:15 399; 2:15 400; 2:15 401; 2:15 402; 2:15 403; 2:15 404; 2:15 405; 2:15 406; 2:15 407; 2:15 408; 2:15 409; 2:15 410; 2:15 411; 2:15 412; 2:15 413; 2:15 414; 2:15 415; 2:15 416; 2:15 417; 2:15 418; 2:15 419; 2:15 420; 2:15 421; 2:15 422; 2:15 423; 2:15 424; 2:15 425; 2:15 426; 2:15 427; 2:15 428; 2:15 429; 2:15 430; 2:15 431; 2:15 432; 2:15 433; 2:15 434; 2:15 435; 2:15 436; 2:15 437; 2:15 438; 2:15 439; 2:15 440; 2:15 441; 2:15 442; 2:15 443; 2:15 444; 2:15 445; 2:15 446; 2:15 447; 2:15 448; 2:15 449; 2:15 450; 2:15 451; 2:15 452; 2:15 453; 2:15 454; 2:15 455; 2:15 456; 2:15 457; 2:15 45