The Canadian Bank of Commerce have met with great success. I declare the motion carried and will ask Mr. Aird to respond.

Mr. John Aird: Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, it is very gratifying to me, I assure you, to be asked to speak to this motion today, and particularly so in view of the very large increase which has taken place in what we term the Bank's family, since the last meeting of the shareholders. As you are aware, we have taken over the business of the Eastern Townships Bank, and as Mr. Rundle suggests, probably the greatest asset which came to us with that Bank was the five hundred men who were trained in banking almost on the lines of our own system. I thank you very much, therefore, on behalf of the staff.

The President: I think Mr. Francis of Winnipeg wishes to say something in response to this motion.

Mr. F. B. Francis: Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen: It affords me a great deal of pleasure to respond on behalf of the staff of the Central Western District to the vote of thanks which you have just passed. It is gratifying, I can assure you, to receive this expression of your appreciation, and I know that I am voicing the sentiment of the staff generally when I say that the consideration shown by the shareholders and directors of the Bank has resulted in developing a spirit of loyalty and pride in the institution, which has contributed very largely to its success.

Mr. G. G. Foster: Mr. President—I move that the meeting do now proceed to elect directors for the coming year, and that for this purpose the ballot box be opened and remain open until three o'clock this day, the poll to be closed, however, whenever five minutes have elapsed without a vote being tendered, the result of the election to be reported by the scrutineers to the General Manager.

Mr. William Farwell then seconded the motion, which was duly carried.

The scrutineers subsequently reported that the bylaws had been carried, and that the following gentlemen had been elected as Directors for the coming year: Sir Edmund Walker, C.V.O., LL.D., D.C.L.; Z. A. Lash, K.C., LL.D.; Hon. George A. Cox, John Hoskin, K.C., LL.D., J. W. Flavelle, LL.D., A. Kingman, Hon. Sir Lyman Melvin Jones, Hon. W. C. Edwards, E. R. Wood, Sir John M. Gibson, K.C.M.G., K.C., LL.D., William McMaster, Robert Stuart, George F. Galt, Alexander Laird, William Farwell, D.C.L., Gardner Stevens, A. C. Flumerfelt, George G. Foster, K.C., Charles Colby, M.A., Ph. D., George W. Allan, H. J. Fuller, F. P. Jones.

At a meeting of the newly-elected Board of Directors, held subsequently, Sir Edmund Walker, C.V.C., LL.D., D.C.L., was elected president and Mr. Z. A. Lash, K.C., LL.D., Vice-President.

BEQUESTS FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

$1,500.00 from Two Toronto Estates for Work at Muskoka.

Under the will of the late T. H. Bull, K.C., $500 has been set aside for the National Sanitarium Association, to be applied specially for improvements in the Bull Cottage at the Cottage Sanitarium. This cottage, costing upwards of $3,000, was the gift some years ago of Mr. and Mrs. Bull, in memory of their son, who died of tuberculosis. One thousand dollars was also received from Toronto General Trusts Corporation, executors of the late Dr. Daniel Clark. As other properties are realized on, it is expected that a further sum will come to the Muskoka Hospital from this source.

BRITISH NAVAL CADETS COMING.

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—(Can. Press.)—Arrangements have been made with the British admiralty to take the 19 naval cadets, who have just graduated from the naval college at Halifax, for further training aboard H.M.S. Berwick, one of the training ships stationed at Chatham, Eng. The cadets will leave Halifax for England on Feb. 1.

BURNS PLANT TO BE LARGER

CALGARY, Alta., Jan. 14.—(Can Press.)—A telegram from P. Burns, owner of the packing plant destroyed in Sunday's fire, contains the information that another plant much more pretentious than the one destroyed will be erected at once.

DROUGHT IN INDIA IS MORE SERIOUS

Crop Outlook in Empire Occasions Alarm — More Favorable Weather Thruout Europe.

Broomhall's weekly summary of foreign crop conditions, issued in Liverpool yesterday, is as follows:

United Kingdom.—Weather favorable for plowing and late sowing.

France.—There are less complaints being heard as a result of improved weather conditions. Supplies of native wheat are on a moderate scale, but expected larger in the near future. Holders are very firm.

Germany.—The growth of the plant is very forward, and snow covering is required. There are increased complaints of poor quality of native wheat, and as a consequence a better demand for foreign wheat. The weather is colder.

Russia.—Crop outlook satisfactory. Arrivals at ports are small, but are predicted to become larger shortly. Frost is general, with the country in most sections covered with snow.

Roumania.—Snow covering is general. Arrivals small and stocks decreasing.

Hungary.—There have been further complaints regarding the growing crops as a result of unfavorable weather. The weather is more favorable now, being colder, with general snow covering.

Italy.—There are no complaints heard regarding the crops. Native wheat is firm and weather seasonable.

Spain.—Outlook unfavorable, owing to drought, but now partial rains have fallen.

Portugal and North Africa.—Outlook favorable.

India.—Dry weather becoming more serious. In the northwest provinces the weather is cloudy, with rain promised. Holders very firm.

Australia.—Indications are being maintained for a good average crop.

London Wool Sales.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—The first series of the 1913 wool auctions was opened today, with offerings of 7068 bales. The small selection was in good condition, and bidding was active from all sections, except America. Prices generally were unchanged, altho medium and coarse crossbreds occasionally sold five per cent. lower. Merinos were quickly sold. The sales follow:

New South Wales, 1000 bales; greasy, 5d to 1s 2d.

Queensland, 2100 bales; scoured, 1s 1d to 2s 1d; greasy, 9d to 1s 2½d.

Victoria, 300 bales; scoured, 1s 1½d to 2s 1d; greasy, 8d to 1s 1½d.

South Australia, 300 bales; greasy, 10d to 11½d.

West Australia, 1400 bales; greasy, 10½d to 1s 1½d.

New Zealand, 1800 bales; greasy, 9½d to 1s 2d.

Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 200 bales; greasy, 10d to 11d.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 1 Manitoba, 7s 9½d; No. 2 Manitoba, 7s 6½d; No. 3 Manitoba, 7s 4½d. Futures firm: March 7s 5¾d, May 7s 3¾d, July 7s 3½d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 5s 6d; do., old, 6s 0½d. Futures firm; January 5s 2¾d, February 4s 1¾d.

Flour—Winter patents, 29s 6d.

Hops—In London (Pacific Coast), £5 5s to £6.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 68s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 60s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., 63s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 61s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 65s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 65s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 58s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 58s.

Lard—Prime, westerns, in tierces, 50s; American refined, 51s 3d.

Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, 62s 6d; colored, new, 63s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, 31s 6d.

Turpentine—Spirits, 31s 9d.

Rosin—Common, 14s 9d.

Petroleum, Refined, 9¾d.

Linseed oil—27s.

Sugar Down in New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—All grades of refined sugar were reduced five cents a hundred pounds today.

Minneapolis Grain Market

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 14.—Close—Wheat—May, 88⅝c to 88¾c; July, 90⅝c to 90½c; No. 1 hard, 89⅛c; No. 1 northern, 87c to 88⅝c; No. 2 northern, 85c to 86⅝c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 43c to 43½c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 31c to 31¼c.

Rye—No. 2, 57c to 60c.

Bran—$19 to $19.50.

Flour—Unchanged.

INCREASE SHOWN IN CANADIAN VISIBLE

The Canadian visible supply of wheat this week is 21,904,000 bushels, against 21,347,000 bushels last week, an increase of 557,000 bushels. Oats now, 8,203,000 bushels, against 8,100,000 bushels last week, an increase of 96,000 bushels. The stocks of wheat at Fort Arthur and Fort William are 12,147,000 bushels, against 10,800,000 bushels last week.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN EXCHANGE

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 14.—The market opened higher and further advanced, with offerings light and shorts covering. The firmness in America yesterday, sharp advance in Buenos Ayres, dearer Plate and Australian offers, advance in spots, which are all ½d higher, and a better inquiry for Canadian and American, caused the advance. The continent is buying freely for cargoes arriving, and the poor quality of foreign native-grown wheat is being emphasized, with millers anxious. The advance was checked by the expectation of a large increase in the visible here.

Corn opened higher and later advanced. The strength in America, strong closing at Buenos Ayres, dearer Plate offerings, firmness in Plate spot and the cold weather here for feeding, caused covering.

MONTREAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—There was a good demand for Manitoba spring wheat from foreign buyers, and bids were 1½d higher. Barley was steady, and a fair amount of business was worked. The local market for coarse grains continues quiet. New crop No. 3 yellow corn is 2c per bushel higher, at 60c ex-store. Export trade in flour dull, but local demand fair. Demand for millfeed steady. Butter and cheese unchanged, with a slow demand. Eggs fairly active. Provisions firm.

Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, 63c.

Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 42½c; Canadian western, No. 3, 40c to 40½c; extra No. 1 feed, 41c to 41½c; No. 2 local white, 39c; No. 3 local white, 38c; No. 4 local white, 31c.

Barley—Manitoba feed, 60c to 61c; malting, 78c to 80c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 57c to 60c.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, $5.40; seconds, $4.90; strong bakers', $4.70; winter patents, choice, $5.25; straight rollers, $4.25 to $5; do., bags, $2.35 to $2.40.

Rolled oats—Barrels, $4.50; bags, 90 lbs., $2.12½.

Millfeed—Bran, $20; shorts, $22; middlings, $27; mouillie, $30 to $35.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, $13.50 to $14.00.

Cheese—Finest westerns, 13c; finest easterns, 12½c to 12¾c.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 29½c to 29¾c; seconds, 25c to 27c.

Eggs—Fresh, 45c; selected, 29c to 30c; No. 2 stock, 20c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 75c to 85c.

Dressed hogs—Abattoir killed, $13.50; country, $12 to $13.

Pork—Heavy Canada short cut mess, barrels, 35 to 45 pieces, $29; Canada short cut backs, barrels, 45 to 55 pieces, $28.

Lard—Compound tierces, 375 lbs., $10; wood pails, 20 lbs. net, $9.50; pure, tierces, 375 lbs., $14.75; pure, wood pails, 20 lbs. net, $15.25.

Winnipeg Grain Market

WINNIPEG, Jan. 14.—Trading in options was quiet, altho prices were strong during the greater part of business hours. The opening figures were strong for May, on the higher Liverpool cables, but eased off again on some profit-taking. Later prices again developed some strength on reports of peace negotiations being on definitely. The opening was ⅛c to ¼c higher, and closed unchanged. The cash demand was fairly good on all grades, with holders firm and exporters buying for all-rail shipments.

Oats and flax were firmer and in good demand. Oats closed unchanged to ⅛c higher, and flax closed 1⅜c higher.

Cash grain: Wheat—No. 1 northern, 83¾c; No. 2 do., 80¼c; No. 3 do., 77½c; No. 4, 72¾c; No. 5, 67c; No. 6, 61c; feed, 51½c; No. 1 rejected seeds, 75c; No. 2 do., 73c; No. 3 do., 66c; No. 1 tough, 76c; No. 2 do., 74c; No. 3 do., 70½c; No. 4 do., 66c; No. 5 do., 60½c; No. 6 do., 54c; feed, tough, 46c. No. 1 sed winter, 84½c; No. 2 do., 81¼c; No. 3 do., 78½c; No. 4 do., 74½c.

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 31¼c; No. 3 do., 28½c; extra No. 1 feed, 29¾c; No. 1 feed, 28½c; No. 2 feed, 26½c.

Barley—No. 3, 47c; No. 4, 44c; rejected, 40c; feed, 39c.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., $1.06; No. 2 C.W., $1.03¾; No. 3 C.W., 87½c.

European Visible

The visible supply of wheat in Europe this week is 76,680,000 bushels, against 74,496,000 bushels last week, an increase of 2,184,000 bushels.

Duluth Grain Market

DULUTH, Jan. 14.—Close—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 87½c; No. 1 northern, 86½c; No. 2 do., 84½c; July, 90⅝c asked; May, 89c bid.

GERMAN FREIGHTER HELPLESS, ADRIFT

Efforts to Locate Hamburg-American Line Vessel Have So Far Proved Futile.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—(Can. Press.)—The Hamburg American line freighter Abyssinia, crippled by the great storm of Jan. 2 and 3, may still be adrift in mid-Atlantic. Wireless from the steamer Cedric yesterday gave grounds for the belief that the Abyssinia had been picked up by the freighter Armenian and was being towed to port; but when the Cedric arrived today her captain said the disabled vessel and the rescue ship might have missed each other in the fog.

The Cedric sighted the German freighter on the night of Jan. 11, to find that she had lost her rudder and broken her shaft. The Cedric's commander decided that because the Cedric had passengers and mail he would send out a general call for aid rather than be delayed.

All Want to Aid.

The Cedric's operator was flooded with replies promising aid from as far away as 150 miles. The Armenian, a White Star freighter, was within 29 miles and her offer was accepted. The Cedric stood by until the Armenian signaled that she could see the lights of the drifting Abyssinia. Then the Cedric, believing the disabled ship was safely provided for, resumed her journey. A few hours later came word from the Armenia that a sudden fog had hidden the German freighter before the tow line had been stretched between them.

At midnight of Jan. 12 when the Cedric passed out of wireless radius the Armenian was still groping in the fog and the crippled steamer was still adrift.

Kingston After Carnegie Grant.

KINGSTON, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Kingston will make an effort to secure the Carnegie grant for a free library. The present building is unable to cope with the large membership.

CATTLE MARKET ABOUT STEADY

Trade Active in the Morning, But Closed Weak—Sheep, Lambs and Calves Were Higher—Hogs Steady.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards at 9 a.m. were 131 cars—2348 cattle, 1147 hogs, 594 sheep, 57 calves and 7 horses.

Early in the day the cattle trade was active and firm at last Thursday's quotations, but in the afternoon the market eased off, and at the close there were many left unsold.

The high mark last week was $7, and only eight cattle at that figure.

Yesterday there were 47 cattle sold at over $7.

Dunn & Levack sold nine cattle, 1370 lbs. each, at $7.35; also 20 cattle, 1250 lbs. each, at $7.12½; and Rice & Whaley sold 17 cattle, 1200 lbs. each, at $7.10; which shows 47 cattle out of 2000 which sold over the $7 mark.

And it is only fair to state that these cattle came in late in the day, consequently they were comparatively empty, and of better quality than any sold last week; in fact, they were 47 cattle of export quality and weights bought for local killing.

Exporters.

There were only a few on sale and these were bought for local killing at $7 to $7.35; bulls sold at $5.50 to $6.

Butchers.

Choice butchers sold at from $6.60 to $6.90; good at $6 to $6.50; medium, $5.40 to $5.90; common, $5 to $5.25; inferior, $4.75 to $5; cows, choice, at $5 to $5.60; medium to good cows, at $4.10 to $4.75; canners and cutters, $2.90 to $3.90; butchers, common to medium bulls, $5.75 to $6.00, and bulls of export quality, $5.50 to $6.00, and bull ones at $5.50 to $6.

Stockers and Feeders

Feeders of good weights and quality are worth from $5.25 to $5.60; stockers, $4 to $5.

Milkers and Springers

A moderate delivery of cows sold at about steady prices, ranging from $40 to $70, and one extra quality cow sold at $85.

Veal Calves.

Prices for veal calves were fuly 25c per cwt. higher than last week, ranging from $4 to $5.00, but few at latter figure.

Sheep and Lambs.

Sheep and lambs were from 25c to 40c per cwt. higher. Sheep, ewes, sold at from $4.75 to $5.25; rams sold at $4 to $4.50 per cwt.

Hogs.

There were 1550 hogs all told on the market. The bulk sold at $8.50, fed and watered, and $8.15 f.o.b. cars. Puddy Bros. paid $8.60, letting over 500 hogs.

Representative Sales.

Corbett & Hall sold 14 carloads of live stock—butchers' steers and heifers, at $5.75 to $6.50; cows, $4.25 to $5.50; bulls, $3.50 to $5.25; springers and milkers at $40 to $60 each.

Dunn & Levack sold:

Butchers—8, 1010 lbs., at $7.35; 20, 1250 lbs., at $7.12½; 20, 1200 lbs., at $6.90; 4, 1350 lbs., at $6.50; 20, 1100 lbs., at $6.60; 24, 1060 lbs., at $6.50; 10, 1000 lbs., at $6.35; 5, 1010 lbs., at $6.40; 9, 1140 lbs., at $6.25; 2, 1020 lbs., at $6.25; 20, 1000 lbs., at $6.12½; 14, 1120 lbs., at $6.10; 17, 1000 lbs., at $6; 14, 980 lbs., at $5.90; 21, 900 lbs., at $5.90; 16, 990 lbs., at $5.85; 11, 900 lbs., at $5.85; 13, 940 lbs., at $5.85; 12, 1000 lbs., at $5.80; 8, 860 lbs., at $5.50; 10, 900 lbs., at $5.60; 13, 840 lbs., at $5.65; 10, 700 lbs., at $5.25; 5, 840 lbs., at $5.40; 5, 880 lbs., at $5.40; 2, 850 lbs., at $5.25.

Bulls—1, 2010 lbs., at $5.45; 1, 1750 lbs., at $5.45; 1, 1000 lbs., at $4.65; 2, 1000 lbs., at $4.60.

Lambs—250 at $5.50 to $9.

Sheep—20 at $2.25 to $5.00.

Calves—40 at $6 to $9.50.

Hogs—100 at $8.60, fed and watered.

Butcher cows—9, 1350 lbs., at $5.40; 3, 1310 lbs., at $5.12½; 3, 1200 lbs., at $5.40; 5, 1300 lbs., at $5; 16, 1150 lbs., at $5; 2, 1100 lbs., at $4.90; 7, 1100 lbs., at $4.75; 1, 1040 lbs., at $4.65; 8, 1000 lbs., at $4.50; 10, 1080 lbs., at $4.60; 3, 1020 lbs., at $4.40; 2, 1100 lbs., at $4.45; 3, 1030 lbs., at $4.40; 14, 1060 lbs., at $4.25; 3, 940 lbs., at $4.25; 2, 1150 lbs., at $4.25; 6, 800 lbs., at $3.50; 5, 880 lbs., at $2.50.

Bulls—Cows—2 at $400, 4 at $90 each; 3 at $60 each; 2 at $51 each; 1 at $40; 1 at $40.

Coughlin & Co. sold:

Butchers—10, 1210 lbs., at $6.85; 21, 1100 lbs., at $6.75; 12, 1210 lbs., at $6.50; 22, 1100 lbs., at $6.60; 10, 1100 lbs., at $6.50; 18, 1000 lbs., at $6.40; 1, 1240 lbs., at $6.30; 16, 1050 lbs., at $6.20; 8, 1100 lbs., at $6.20; 5, 910 lbs., at $6; 2, 950 lbs., at $6; 14, 1040 lbs., at $5.80; 14, 1000 lbs., at $5.80; 2, 910 lbs., at $5.70; 1, 850 lbs., at $5.60; 1, 1000 lbs., at $5.50; 1, 1000 lbs., at $5.50; 8, 1230 lbs., at $5.40; 5, 1100 lbs., at $5.10; 3, 1130 lbs., at $5; 1, 1010 lbs., at $4; 2, 920 lbs., at $3.60; 1, 950 lbs., at $2.50.

Bulls—1, 1030 lbs., at $5.50; 3, 1160 lbs., at $5.30; 2, 1050 lbs., at $5.30; 1, 1300 lbs., at $4.50.

Milkers—3 at $200 for the lot.

Calves—1, 110 lbs., at $9; 4, 160 lbs., at $5.75; 4, 165 lbs., at $8.25; 1, 320 lbs., at $6.50; 1, 400 lbs., at $6.

Lambs—10, 117 lbs., at $9.

Sheep—2, 155 lbs., at $4.75.

Rice & Whaley sold:

Butchers—17, 1200 lbs., at $7.10; 9, 1250 lbs., at $6.90; 24, 1200 lbs., at $6.70; 22, 1100 lbs., at $6.60; 4, 1200 lbs., at $6.60; 16, 1200 lbs., at $6.60; 21, 1020 lbs., at $6.50; 22, 1050 lbs., at $6.40; 10, 1050 lbs., at $6.35; 2, 1090 lbs., at $6.35; 18, 1050 lbs., at $6.30; 21, 1045 lbs., at $6.30; 9, 1050 lbs., at $6; 11, 900 lbs., at $5.90; 12, 900 lbs., at $5.85; 4, 1400 lbs., at $5.65; 1, 980 lbs., at $5.65; 5, 970 lbs., at $5.65; 18, 900 lbs., at $5.57.

Cows—1, 1200 lbs., at $5.25; 2, 1135 lbs., at $5.25; 1, 1000 lbs., at $5.25; 6, 920 lbs., at $5.10; 1, 890 lbs., at $5; 3, 1225 lbs., at $5; 5, 1030 lbs., at $4.90; 2, 1150 lbs., at $4.85; 11, 1160 lbs., at $4.75; 7, 1100 lbs., at $4.75; 1, 1080 lbs., at $4.70; 14, 1100 lbs., at $4.60; 3, 1040 lbs., at $4.50; 5, 1070 lbs., at $4.35; 11, 1065 lbs., at $2.90; 4, 900 lbs., at $3.50; 1, 730 lbs., at $3; 1, 900 lbs., at $2.75.

Bulls—1, 1940 lbs., at $5.90; 1, 1760 lbs., at $5.05; 1, 1720 lbs., at $5.05; 1, 2000 lbs., at $5.05; 1, 1730 lbs., at $5.05.

Calves—2, 180 lbs., at $9.50.

Sheep—9, 140 lbs., at $5.50; 5, 125 lbs., at $5; 17, 120 lbs., at $5; 4, 130 lbs., at $5; 23, 130 lbs., at $5; 1, 140 lbs., at $5; 1, 220 lbs., at $4.50; 2, 140 lbs., at $4; 3, 210 lbs., at $4; 2, 195 lbs., at $4; 1, 180 lbs., at $4; 1, 170 lbs., at $2.

Lambs—6, 93 lbs., at $9; 16, 110 lbs., at $9; 37, 90 lbs., at $8.85; 5, 94 lbs., at $8.75; 4, 60 lbs., at $8.50.

Hogs—500, 196 lbs., at $8.50.

Maybee & Wilson sold 12 carloads: Butchers at $5.50 to $6.70; cows, $4.25 to $5.40; bulls, $4.50 to $6; 35 lambs at $8.90; 10 sheep at $5.25; calves at $6 to $9; 40 hogs at $8.90, weighed off cars.

J. B. Shields & Sons sold 7 carloads of live stock as follows: Butchers' steers and heifers at $5.25 to $6.60; cows at $3.25 to $5.50; bulls at $3.75 to $5.50; milkers at $60 to $65; calves at $4.50 to $8.50; sheep at $3 to $5.25; lambs at $8.50, and hogs at $8.50 fed and watered.

Representative Purchases.

Geo. Rowntree bought for the Harris Abattoir Co 557 cattle as follows: Steers and heifers at $5.60 to $6.60, and 38 cattle at $6.50 to $7.35, but only 9 head at $7.35; cows, $3.75 to $5.65, but only 5 cows at latter figure, the general run of the cows was from $4.75 to $5.25; bulls at $4.50 to $5.30.

The Swift Canadian Co. bought 475 cattle: Steers and heifers, good to choice quality, at $6.25 to $6.75; medium to good, $5.50 to $6.25; good to choice cows, $5 to $5.50; medium to good cows, $3.75 to $4.75; common, $2.50 to $3.50; butcher bulls, common to medium, $3.75 to $4.50; 100 lambs at $8.50 to $9 per cwt; 75 sheep at $5 per cwt; rams at $4; 25 calves at $7.25 to $9.50, but only one at latter price; 200 hogs at $8.50 fed and watered.

Alexander Levack bought 220 cattle for Gunns' Limited as follows: Steers and heifers at $5.85 to $6.90; cows at $4.50 to $5.75; bulls, $4.50 to $6; 100 lambs at $8.75 to $9; 40 sheep at $5 to $5.50; 20 calves at $6 to $9.

H. P. Cook, manager, and H. M. Lewinoff of Montreal Abatoirs Co. bought 200 cattle, 1000 to 1300 lbs., at $6.15 to $6.85 for steers, and 1 carload of bulls at $5 to $5.65.

W. J. McClelland bought 3 carloads of butchers' steers and heifers, 1000 to 1100 lbs., at $6.30 to $6.40.

Charles McCurdy bought 2 loads of butchers' cattle, 1000 to 1050 lbs., at $6.25 to $6.40; 1 load butchers, 900 lbs., at $6.10.

E. Puddy bought 500 hogs at $8.60 fed and watered, 60 cattle, 950 to 1050 lbs., at $5.50 to $6.25; 25 lambs at $8.75 per cwt.

D. Rowntree bought for Harris Abattoir Co 130 lambs at $8.75 per cwt.; 12 sheep at $4.75 to $5; 15 calves at $5 to $9.25 per cwt.

Wm. Harris bought 172 hogs at $8.50 fed and watered, and one deck, $8.15 f.o.b. cars.

W. J. Johnston bought 400 hogs for Gunns at $8.50 fed and watered.

W. Ettridge bought 9 milkers and springers at $60 to $75 each, and sold 1 carload of 21 cows at $4.90 per cwt.

Market Notes.

The annual combination sale of Clydesdales and Percherons will be held this year at Union Stock Yards, horse department, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 25 and 26. Tuesday will be set apart for Clydesdales and Wednesday for Percherons.

The entry books are now open, and it is expected this year will be a record-breaker. Offerings will consist of stallions, mares, mares-in-foal, and fillies, both Canadian bred and imported. Requests for terms, etc., will meet with a prompt reply.

H. F. Cook, manager of the Montreal Abattoirs Co., was on the market today.

Dunn & Levack topped he market with 9 cattle sold to Harris Abatoir Co. at $7.35, and 21 cattle at $7.12½ per cwt. to the same firm. These cattle came in late, and were empty, which accounts to a certain extent for the price.

City Cattle Market.

Receipts of live stock at the city market were one car, comprising 4 cattle, 53 sheep and lambs, and 2 calves.

Buffalo Live Stock

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; fairly active and steady to easy.

Veals—Receipts, 75; active and steady at $4.50 to $11.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 6400 head; slow; 5c to 10c higher; heavy, $7.60 to $7.65; mixed and yorkers, $7.60 to $7.70; pigs, $7.65 to $7.70; roughs, $6.70 to $6.80; stags, $5.50 to $6.25; dairies, $7.50 to $7.70.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2000 head; active; lambs and yearlings 10c higher; lambs, $6 to $9.50; yearlings, $5 to $8.35.

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 7500; market steady. Beeves, $5.50 to $9.35; Texas steers, $4.75 to $5.80; western steers, $5.60 to $7.20; stockers and feeders, $4.75 to $7.50; cows and heifers, $2.80 to $7.70; calves, $7 to $10.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; market weak; light, $7.10 to $7.40; mixed, $7.10 to $7.40; heavy, $6.95 to $7.40; rough, $6.95 to $7.10; pigs, $5.85 to $7.40; bulk of sales, $7.25 to $7.40.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 23,000; market steady; native, $4.75 to $6.40; western, $4.85 to $6.50; yearlings, $6.40 to $8.40; Lambs, native, $6.80 to $9.25; western, $7 to $9.40.

Child Badly Scalded.

KINGSTON, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Lillian Wells, aged five years, daughter of John Wells, was terribly scalded about the feet. While the little tot's mother was out scalding water was poured out of the kettle on the stove on to her.

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All the resolutions that the ministerial associations may pass will have no effect on the license for the Star Theatre for the year 1913 at least. The board of police commissioners met on Jan. 7 and approved the granting of a renewal to F. W. Stair.

The commissioners have no power as yet to revoke licenses granted to theatres, but are asking for legislation at the coming session of the provincial house so that they can do so.

CIPRIANO GROWS PEEVISH.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—(Can. Press.)—General Cipriano Castro spent a fretful day in his room at the immigration station on Ellis Island today, and sent out his valet many times to enquire if the special board of enquiry had determined whether he should be permitted to land or should be deported. He was given small satisfaction and this increased his irritation. It was reported that the board had completed its investigation and sent its report to Washington. This was denied at the office of Commissioner Williams.

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