

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Toronto Markets

STRAWBERRIES.

From the Niagara peninsula and southwestern Ontario small pickings of strawberries have been placed at the disposal of the consumer in those districts, and a few have come so far as to reach the windows of a few retail stores in more remote sections of the province. At Hamilton prices were quoted at 15 to 20c per box, and at Chatham 12 to 20c per box. The rather cool weather of the past week has done much to keep the berries from ripening, and it is almost certain that the next few days will see largely increased offerings, both at the wholesale and retail markets. Green stuffs from the gardens are to be had in abundance and at cheap prices. The dearth of meats just now is creating a much larger demand for this early growth of vegetable and fruit than has been experienced by dealers in past years.

PROVINCIAL MARKETS.

London.—Large and brisk market today. Oats showing advancing tendency again, ranging from \$1.55 to \$1.65, prevailing price about \$1.60. Hay, per ton, \$9 to \$10.50. Straw, per ton, \$7. Dressed hogs, \$10 to \$10.25. Live hogs, Monday's prices likely to be \$7.40 for select. Butter, large supply, prices easier. Creamery, pound, 23 to 26c; casiers, 20c; fresh laid eggs, crate, dozen, 18 to 20c; fresh laid eggs, 18 to 20c.

Belleville.—A large market today, one of the best in months. Live hogs sold at \$7.50; dressed, advanced to \$10. Hay in plenty at \$12; baled, \$14. No loose straw offered. Oats, 60c per bushel and scarce. Butter at 24 to 30c per pound. Eggs, 20c per dozen. Potatoes, scarce, \$1 to \$1.10 per bag.

Peterboro.—On the market dressed hogs, \$9 to \$10; live, \$7.50 to \$7.75. Baled hay, \$16; loose, \$13 to \$14. Farmers' and butchers' hides, 8 to 9c. Butter, 21 to 24c. Eggs, 18 to 20c.

St. Thomas.—Prices on the markets today remain about the same as last week ago. Live hogs, \$7.60; dressed, \$10 to \$12. Loose hay, \$12; baled hay, \$13. Straw, \$7. Eggs, 18c. Butter, 22 to 25c. Wheat, \$1.25.

Chatham.—There was a good market today. Ruling prices were: Chickens, 40 to 50c; eggs, 17c. Ducks, 35c. Strawberries, 12 to 15c box. Potatoes, per bag, \$1. Hay, \$8. Live hogs, \$7.45 to \$7.75. Beef, export, 6 to 7 1/2c pound; butchers' cattle, 4c pound. Lambs, \$4.50.

Oven Sound.—Butter, 18 to 20c; eggs, 19 to 20c; wool, 20 to 21c; hay, \$8.50 to \$9; baled hay, \$11.50; hogs, live, \$7.50; hogs, dressed, light, \$9.50 to \$9.75; no heavy offered.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London.—London cables for cattle are firm at 14 1/4 to 14 1/2c per lb. for Canadian steers, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10 1/4 to 10 1/2c per lb. Liverpool.—John Rogers & Co., Liverpool, cable to-day quotes: States steers from 13 3/8 to 14 1/2c; Canadians, 13 1/8 to 13 3/8c; ranchers, 12 3/4 to 13 1/4c; cows and heifers, 13 to 13 1/4c; bulls, 10 to 11 1/8c. Trade firm, but slow.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 200 bushels of grain, with a few loads of hay and about 30 buggies and wagons with mixed produce in the north building. There was a moderate supply of butter, eggs and poultry on the basket market.

Grain.—About 200 bushels of oats sold at 60c per bushel. Hay.—Fifteen loads of hay sold at \$14 to \$16 per ton.

Dressed Hogs.—Several lots of dressed hogs sold at \$10.75 to \$11 per cwt. Poultry.—Supplies light; prices easier. Turkeys, 17c to 20c; spring chickens, 40c to 45c; old hens, 35c to 40c; and one choice lot at 45c; last year's chickens, 12c to 14c; fowl, 10c to 12c per lb.

Butter.—Receipts large; prices easy, at 20c to 23c per lb.; special lots at a few special customers, 24c to 25c.

Eggs.—Eggs were plentiful, the bulk selling at 20c to 23c, with a few lots laid during the past two or three days, at special customers, 24c to 25c.

FARMERS' MARKET.

The offerings of grain were small today. Wheat unchanged, with sales of 100 bushels of fall at \$1.40. Oats steady, 200 bushels selling at 60c per bushel.

Dairy produce in fair supply and firm. Butter sold at 21 to 24c per lb., and eggs at 18 to 25c per dozen.

Hay quiet and firmer, five loads of No. 1 selling at \$15 to \$16 a ton. Straw nominal at \$13 a ton for bunched.

Dressed hogs continue firm, selling at \$10.50 for heavy, and at \$10.75 to \$11 for light.

Wheat, fall, bush \$1.38 \$1.40
Do, goose, bush 1.25 0.00
Oats, bush 0.64 0.00
Barley, bush 0.64 0.00
Rye, bush 0.75 0.00
Peas, bush 0.95 0.00
Hays, per ton 15.00 0.00
No. 2 8.00 0.00
Straw, per ton 13.00 0.00
Dressed hogs 10.50 10.00
Butter, dairy 0.21 0.24
Do, inferior 0.18 0.20
Eggs, dozen 0.23 0.25
Chickens, broilers, lb. 0.30 0.40
Do, rearing, lb. 0.18 0.15
Fowl, lb. 0.12 0.15
Celery, per dozen 0.40 0.00
Potatoes, bag 1.65 1.75
Apples, barrel 3.00 5.00
Beef, hindquarters 9.50 11.00
Do, forequarters 6.50 7.50
Do, choice, carcass 9.00 9.50
Do, medium, carcass 7.00 8.00
Mutton, per cwt. 10.00 12.00
Veal, prime, per cwt. 9.50 11.00
Lamb, per cwt. 14.00 15.00

ST. LAWRENCE SUGARS are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.70 per cwt., in barrels, and No. 1 golden, \$4.30 per cwt., in barrels. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots 5c less. In 100-lb. bags prices are 5c less.

OTHER MARKETS

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET.
New York, June 19.—Sugar—Raw easy; fair refining, 3.90c to 3.42c; cen-

trifugal, 96 test, 3.86c to 3.92c; molasses sugar, 3.11c to 3.17c; refined easy.

THE CHEESE MARKETS.

Cowansville.—Cheese sales, 287 boxes at 11 1/8c; 170 boxes at 11 5/8c; all sold. Canton, N. Y.—Fourteen hundred tubs butter sold 25 1/4c; 2,000 boxes cheese sold 13c.

St. Hyacinthe, Que.—To-day 500 packages butter, 23 1/4c; 1,275 boxes cheese, 11 1/8c.

London, Ont.—At to-day's Cheese Market, 2,665 boxes offered; 230 colored sold at 11 5/8c.

Watertown, N. Y.—Cheese sales today, 11,000 at 13c, for large and twins.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET.
Wheat—July \$1.27 3/8, October \$1.07. Oats—July 56 1/8c, October 38c bid.

COBALT STOCKS.

Outside of the strength exhibited by La Rose the mining market during the past week has been a very dull affair, the passing of the Temiskaming dividend having a rather unsettling effect.

Official records of the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange for the week ended Saturday show sales on that exchange to have been 863,341 shares, with a value of \$451,156.16.

GOV GANDA.

All reports from Gov Ganda have the same general trend. The tenor of the information is that the camp is making good. While the different authorities agree in the details, yet they all agree that the silver is there, that there are many shipping mines in the process of development, and that the camp will be permanent, for the ore is showing up excellently well with depth.

New York Stocks

Supplied by R. B. Lyman & Co., stock brokers, J. A. Beaver, manager, Offices, 3 and 4, ground floor, Federal Life Building, Hamilton, Canada.

NEW YORK MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchafalpa	115.5	114.7		
Amal. Copper	81.2	79.4		
Am. Car Fdy.	55	55		
Am. Loco.	59	58.4		
Smelters	91	90		
Brooklyn	78.5	78		
Great Nor. pref.	148.4	148		
Balt. & Ohio	117.3	117		
Can. Pacific	181.4	181.4		
Col. Fuel	42.2	42		
Ches. & Ohio	76.3	76.4		
Erie	35.6	34.7		
Erie First	52.4	51.6		
Ills. Cent.	148.2	147.5		
M. & K. T.	41.1	40		
Louisville	141.4	141.4		
Lead	83.7	83.7		
M. O. P.	73.6	73.6		
M. N. C.	24.1	23.7		
Nor. Pacific	151.2	150.6		
N. Y. C.	132.3	131.1		
O. & W.	53.4	52.4		
Penna.	135.7	135.7		
Reading	151.4	150.4		
Rock Island	30.7	30.4		
Sou. Pacific	129.6	129		
Southern Ry.	31.1	30.4		
St. Paul	152.4	151.3		
Sugar	123.7	122		
Texas	35.2	34.4		
Union Pac.	191.4	189.6		
U. S. Steel	66.5	65.3		
U. S. Steel pref.	123.6	122.7		

Three o'clock—Closing.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Aitchison	115	116.3	113.5	114
Amal. Copper	81.2	81.3	78.3	78.3
Am. Car Fdy.	55	55.5	54.4	54.4
Am. Loco.	59	59.3	58.2	58.2
Smelters	91	91.6	88.1	88.2
Brooklyn	78.5	78.5	76.5	76.6
Great Nor. pref.	148.4	149	146.6	146.1
Balt. & Ohio	117.3	117.5	116	116.3
Can. Pacific	181.4	181.4	180.2	180.2
Col. Fuel	42.2	43	40.4	44
Ches. & Ohio	76.3	77.1	75	75
Distillers	38.4			
Erie	35.6	36.3	34.2	34.4
Erie First	52.4	52.7	51.1	51.1
Ills. Cent.	148.2	148.2	146.3	146.3
K. & T.	41.1	41.1	39.2	39.3
Louisville	141.4	141	140	140
M. & K. T.	83.7	83.7	82.2	83.2
M. O. P.	73.6	73.6	71.4	71.6
M. N. C.	24.1	24.1	23.4	23.4
Nor. Pacific	151.2	152	149.2	149.6
N. Y. C.	132.3	132.4	129.4	129.1
O. & W.	53.4	53.4	51.4	51.1
Penna.	135.7	136.7	133.1	133.1
Reading	151.4	151	147.5	147.6
Rock Island	30.7	31.2	29	29.2
Sou. Pacific	129.6	130.1	126.6	127.5

ANOTHER LETTER FROM BOBBY KERR'S TRAINER.

The following letter, dated London, June 10, was received by the Times sporting editor this morning from Geo. Anderson, Bobby Kerr's trainer:

Dear Mills—I thought I would drop you a line and let you know we are all doing fine and taking good care of ourselves. Bob is rounding to nicely, and is doing only light work yet. We go over to the track every morning, practising starting. He gets away fine and is doing all that is asked of him with a will. We meet Walker every morning, but have not seen any 2 1/2 tricks yet.

Bob has received a lot of invitations to run. We have a nice fellow to run with. We can get a good line on Walker on Saturday. We will start hard training next week. He may enter a few scratch races before the British championship meet. Kindest regards from Bob and Miss Kerr.

Southern Ry. 31.1 31.1 29.7 29.7
St. Paul 152.4 152.4 150 150.6
Sugar 123.7 123.7 121.7 122
Texas 35.2 35.2 33.5 33.6
Union Pac. 191.4 191.7 187.7 188.1
U. S. Steel 66.5 67 64.1 64.2
U. S. Steel pref. 123.6 123.7 121 121

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LONDON MARKET.

	Bid.	Asked.
Consols.	86 11/16	
A. N. C.	48.6	
A. C. P.	81.4	
Atch.	115.2	115.7
B. & O.	117.2	
Col.	75.7	
Erie	35.6	33.7
Ills.	147.6	
M. K. T.	41.3	
M. K. T. pref.	73.4	
C. P. R.	181.6	181.3
N. P.	150.6	
N. Y. C.	133	
O. W.	53.4	
Penna.	135.4	135.4
R. D. G.	151.2	
Ri.	30.5	
So. Pac.	129.5	129.5
St. Paul	151.6	152.2
U. P.	191.2	191.3
U. S.	66.4	66.5
U. S. Q.	123.4	123.3
Wab. pref.	57.2	

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	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	10	12
Beaver	29.7	30.2
Crown Reserve	34.1	34.2
Chambers-Ferland	30.4	33
Gifford	19	19.6
Kerr Lake	71.2	77.5
La Rose	79.1	79.3
Little Nipissing	26	26.4
McKinnon-Darragh	90	90
Nipissing	105.0	107.5
Novo Scotia	38	38.6
Peterson Lake	24.7	25.1
Ottawa	39.4	40
Silver Leaf	11	11.4
Silver Queen	35	38
Temiskaming	88	89
Tretheway	129.7	131

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Wheat, unchanged to 1-8 higher.

Not even the sweet singer's husband always finds married life "one grand, sweet song."

TUESDAY DERBY DAY.

Everything Ready For
H. J. C. Opening.

Nearly 600 Thorough-
breds Are Here.

Pro. Clockers and Tip-
sters Are Barred.

To-morrow is Derby day, and a record breaking crowd is looked for at the Hamilton Jockey Club track. All that is needed now for a brilliant opening is fine weather. The track is in fine shape and the plant never looked better. There are between 500 and 600 horses, high class thoroughbreds most of them, quartered on and near the track, and the fields throughout the meeting are sure to be large and well balanced. The Derby is an open looking race, and four or five appear to have an equal chance of landing the feature event. Society is sure to be out in force, and special arrangements have been made for ladies whose escorts are not members of the club. A section of the stand, between the members section and the public part, has been reserved, and seat tickets can be secured at Mack's drug store, up to 1 o'clock each race day. To-morrow the 91st Highlanders band will play. The band will be stationed in the field, opposite the Grand stand, and beside the timers' shelter, as there is no room on the lawn for it now that bleachers have been built.

The directors of the H. J. C. and Secretary Louden have succeeded in doing what metropolitan jockey clubs have attempted to do and failed—kept professional clockers off the track during the morning trials. They were ordered off on Saturday morning, and were kept out yesterday morning, and this morning. These clockers are in the employ of bookmakers and tipping concerns to get the times made by the various horses in the post on July 5th for the first race the plant will be in as apple-pie condition as any on the continent.

The Derby has a value of \$3,500, making it by far the richest 3-year-old event in Canada. The entries are: Jeff Bernstein, Gerrymander, Tom Hayward, La Salle, Capt. John, Marse Abe, Tod, All Red, Plute, Donald McDonald, Guy Fisher, The Peer, Stromeland, Marine, Transform, Ombala, Michael Angelo, Fitzherbert, Joe Madden, Fulford, Warfield, Arondack, Direct Simcoe, Firebug, W. A. Leach, Traveller, T. M. Green, Dispute, Donatus, Wintergreen, Rockcastle, Turley, Ruby Bird, Miss Greenan, Great Heavens, Theo. Cook, Ceremonious, Lee Rose, Plate Glass.

When the first event was called only three horses out of the eight on the card were in the paddock, and it was a general wonder that a detachment of the Garde Republicaine was sent out to find the missing horses.

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Entries in the various stakes total as follows: Canadian Derby, 40; Niagara Stakes 84; Fort Erie Stakes, 84; Grand Canadian Steeplechase, 32; Iroquois Stakes, 78; Canadian Sportsman Handicap, 81; Dominion Handicap, 45.

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JOCKEYS ON STRIKE.

Paris, June 21.—A strike of the Stable Boys' Union, in which the famous M. Pataud, of the Electricians' Union, is said to have had a hand, delayed the running of the Grand Steeplechase of Paris at Auteuil yesterday and precipitated a riot, in which the barriers and the paddock were stormed and obstacles set on fire by the impatient crowd at the track. Several persons were injured by plunging animals. Army officers riding in the second event on the programme were mobbed and pelted with missiles, and though the race was finally run, it was only after a detachment of the Garde Republicaine had rescued the distressed horses from the rebellious jockeys and stable boys, and police, troops and firemen had been fetched out to restore order and put out the flames.

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Ascensions, was won by the Ascensions, 11-8. The Saints' the hard luck team of the league. They started off well, and in the early stages of the game it looked like the Ascensions were going to meet their first defeat, but the Saints lost in the last inning. In the first three innings the Saints scored eight runs, and had a comfortable lead, but the Ascensions, well known for "garçon" finishes, came back in the last three innings and scored seven runs, all on hits. Taylor, the slab artist for the Ascensions, while a little off color in the first few innings, settled down, and had the Saints at his mercy the rest of the game. Sidney Medley did some good work behind the bat. Bleakly, St. Andrews' twirler, had a fine assortment of benders, but the St. Andrews generally went up in the air at critical times. The teams lined up as follows: Ascensions (11)—McKelvey 3b, Manson 1b, Taylor p, Beltz c, Precious 2b, Garson r.f., Crocker 1b, Watson 5b, Medley c.