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WITH THE FARMERS

FARMERS' MARKETS.

Prices have remained practically unchanged during the past week. No wheat is offering on the market.

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Oats to millers, 34c.; feed oats, 38c to 40 cents.

Dairy Products.

Dairy butter, 20 to 25 cents per lb.; eggs, 25c per dozen.

Vegetables.

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Calves.

Good calves, 125 to 200 lbs., 4 to 4½; good calves, 200 to 300 lbs., 3 to 3½c.

Sheep.

Choice killing sheep, 5 to 5½c.

Lambs.

Choice killing lambs, 6 to 6½c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKETS.

Winnipeg, Aug. 30.—The weather map today showed very heavy rains in nearly every section of the country where there is still large areas of uncultivated crop and frost is predicted for tonight in Saskatchewan. British and continental cables were all lower. Export demand and inquiry were both light and foreign brokers were reported as offering Canadian wheat at 1c under what it could be bought here. Receipts were heavy, 27 cars of new wheat alone being reported. In spite of the bad weather map, other bearish conditions prevailed and there was a sharp break, October declining ⅞ to 1c; December the same, and May 1⅛ to 1¼c. In view of the fact that oat districts must be seriously affected by the rains, oats were dull, in poor demand, and sagged ¼c for October; December and May remaining unchanged.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—The wheat market was a narrow professional affair today. It was as uncertain in its action as a Missouri mule. Price changes were narrow, but they were continuous, denoting considerable nervousness. The fact that receipts were again large was a feature as well as a factor, and the selling was of better character than the buying. Elevator concerns were buyers of September and sellers of December. These in the trade who aver the long side of the market believe that with the September out of way conditions will show a change for the better both in strength and activity. They figure that, with the big long line out of with 62,843,000 bushels a year ago, the market must do better. The world's available supply showed an increase of 7,750,000 bushels for the week, 113,634,000 bushels compared with 62,843,000 bushels a year ago, showing an increase of 50,791,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,220,000 bushels, against 680,000 bus. last year.

Northwestern wheat receipts 4 cars, which was nearly double of those of a year ago, and Winnipeg two cars, against 73 cars last year.

Rains were reported as general in the northwest, with temperatures much lower and freezing at one point in Canada. Foreign markets were unsettled. There were declines in wheat of ½ to ⅝d at Liverpool for futures and ½c at Berlin, while Paris was ½c off for wheat and ½ to 4¾c higher for flour.

Antwerp was unchanged for wheat. The early Liverpool buying was stimulated by continuous heavy rains in the United Kingdom, and a better demand for cargoes of white sorts, but these conditions were reversed later on change to clear weather in England and the increase of 3,974,000 bushels in the European visible supply, compared with a decrease of 400,000 bushels of a year ago.

Winnipeg markets—

Wheat — October 104½, closed 103½ to 103⅝; December 101¼, closed 101½ to 101⅝; May 107¼, cosed 106⅝ to 106½ Oats, October 38¾, closed 38½; December 38⅛, closed 38⅛; May 41¾, closed 41⅝. Flax, October 215.

Cash markets——No. 1 northern, 110 to 108⅜; No. 2 northern, 105 to 106¾; No. 3 northern 101½ to 103⅛. Oats, No. 2 white C.W., 37¼. Flax, No. 1 N.W. 225.

American markets, Chicago—September opened 99⅝, closed 99½; December opened 104, closed 103¼; May opened 108⅞, closed 108⅝.

Minneapolis — September opened 111⅝, closed 111; December 113½, closed 112⅞; May 117, closed 116⅝.

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CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Wheat unsettled. September sold at 100 ⅜ to 100½ and 99⅞; December at 104¾ to 104⅛, and March at 109⅞ to 109¼. Wheat market very narrow, a fraction above and below Saturday's close, mainly above. Local speculators buying. Trade more influenced by the stronger European markets than by other new. Statistics extremely bearish. Danubian, Russian and total world's shipments enormous. Total world's over 5,000,000 bushels, greater than year ago at 14,032,000 bushels against 8,992,000 bushels. Foreign markets were higher with the single exception of Budapest, which lost ⅞. Advances were shown of 1c at Antwerp, 1⅜c at Berlin, 1½c at Paris and ⅞d at Liverpool. Spot at the latter market was ½d higher, and flour at Paris ½c lower. More purchases of wheat at Liverpool and Paris on rains in the United Kingdoms over Sunday, which is delaying harvesting and as a further bullish help there was an improved demand for both cargoes and parcels which were firmly held, one of the big local concerns reported no acceptances of wheat on offers over Sunday and bids from France showed no improvement over those of Saturday.

Winnipeg reported 300,000 bushels of wheat for export but this was unconfirmed.

Montreal private advices said that large lots flour were sold there Saturday for export at a higher rate. North Dakota interior millers reported good sales of flour.

The visible supply of wheat of the United States increased 2,535,000 bushels last week to 24,997,000 bushels, compared with a total of only 8,362,000 bushels a year ago. The Canadian visible supply decreased 70,000 bushels, to 2,641,000 bushels, against only 771,000 bushels a year ago. The amount of breadstuffs on ocean passage increased 1,992,000 bushels during the past week 637,312,000 bushels against 28,608,000 bushels a year ago. World's shipments showed a further increase, the total being 14,032,000 bushels, against 8,929,000 bushels a year ago. Of the foregoing the continent took 8,608,000 bushels, against 3,908,000 bushels a year ago.

Chicago public elevator stocks increased 720,000 bushels for the week to 5,915,000 bushels.

LABORERS FLOCK TO PANAMA.

No Longer Necessary to Send Abroad For Workmen.

Washington, Aug. 26.—The digging of the Panama Canal has reversed the condition regarding labor which confronted the United States at the outset of the big task. No longer, according to the reports from the Isthmus, it is necessary to send agents abroad to contract for labor. Despite the great number needed for the work, voluntary immigration from Greece, Italy, Spain, Costa Rica, Cuba, Colombia and Venezuela now is sufficient to supply all demand for the big force.

The volume of immigration in the case of the European laborers has increased nearly 1,000 per cent. and in the case of the West Indians, over 50 per cent. as compared with the first six months of 1909.

Nearly every vessel sailing from a foreign port brings an additional lot of laborers, and within the past few months immigration, among the Greeks and Italians, has been steadily increasing. As near as can be estimated, about 50 per cent. of the steerage passengers from Europe at the present time are Spaniards, while the remaining 50 per cent. is more or less equally divided between Greeks and Italians.

Formerly the stowaway class constituted quite a factor in the immigration movement, and there is a case on record where a vessel arrived at Colone with 288 stowaways on board, including a number of women. At that time laborers were in demand on the canal works, and under the agreement with the Republic of Panama, respecting the importation of labor, the stowaways were allowed to land without the requisite amount of cash, and a large number of them went to work on the canal.

THE GILT THEN COMES OFF.

English M.P. Speaks on Subject of Imperial Senate.

London, Aug. 25.—Josiah Wedgewood, M.P., president of the English League for Taxation of Land Values, has been speaking in Staffordshire on the subject of an Imperial Senate. Remarking how nice it would be to unite Indian and the colonies in one great senate and to have those representatives governing the Empire, he adds that when these representatives undertake to legislate for the English people and impose taxes upon them, while the English people have no voice in the government of the colonies, the gilt comes off the gingerbread. He thinks that the scheme, embodying the federation of the Empire by means of the House of Lords, is one that it would be very dangerous to adopt.

Switchmen Killed at North Bay.

North Bay, Ont., Aug. 26.—John Penny, C.P.R. yard watchman here, was instantly killed last night in the local yards by stepping from a switch directly in front of the incoming Grand Trunk express. No doubt the severe windstorm prevented Penny from hearing the approaching express and was responsible for the accident.

DANGER FROM HOUSE FLIES UNAPPRECIATED

Very Little Check on Peregrinations of Death Carrying Insect—Some Precautions are Taken, But in Majority of Cases They Wander at Will Over Food Supply.

Deadly poison in pads of paper, sugared and watered and made enticing, sticky molasses-like mixtures spread thinly on smooth white paper, traps of wire gauze with cunning little entries but complicated exits, and similar contrivances are in use all over the city; in homes, in stores, in offices and in halls to destroy the housefly, but still the insect manages to live and multiply. As the cause of diseases by carrying germs and depositing them on food in stores or on tables there is nothing in the air, on the earth, or in the waters under the earth, which does more harm or is more deadly than that same little inoffensive-looking housefly.

The majority of people will not believe that the housefly is so dangerous as it is painted. Not even the lesson of the flood, when the incredulous were all drowned because they wouldn't believe what they couldn't see for themselves, or wouldn't take the words of one who knew, has taught mankind to take for granted that there are dangers which they cannot see, but which are as certain as fate to carry some of them off untimely if they do not take precautionary measures to prevent such an untoward occurrence.

Points Out the Menace.

Scores of medical experts have testified to the deadliness of the housefly. Dr. Whitelaw, the city health officer, points out the menace of the fly and the method in which typhoid germs are carried from the sick to the well and infection is spread. Still, precautionary methods are followed in but few households in this city. "Death to the flies" should be the motto of every housewife, not solely because they tickle the nose of her worthy lord and master when he wants to read the paper, and make him swear, but because they are actually dangerous.

On the Food Supply.

Some stores and restaurants in the city take certain steps to prevent flies alighting on the food or foodstuffs, but not nearly to the extent that such a campaign should be carried out. If the flies cannot be exterminated completely, at least some measures to prevent their doing a little "cake walk" on bread, meat, and other things which are used for food, can be undertaken, and naturally there would then be less opportunity for infectious diseases to spread.

Let the good wife who goes to the butcher shop, the grocery store, or the bakeshop, decline to purchase where hundreds of houseflies are holding high carnival, and it will then be a good bet that the merchants will hustle and get some "sure death to flies" and order his clerks to shoo the insects out of the place—as many as survive.

Very Little Protection.

Look into the butcher shops as you pass. One some of them the screen doors, if there are any, are wide open, anyway, and the fresh red beef is everywhere exposed to the attacks of the flies. After a forage around certain unsavory and unsanitary portions of the city Mr. Fly may take a notion, and often does, too, to rest himself for a while on the juicy piece of beefsteak to refresh himself. His numerous feet are covered with germs gathered in his travels elsewhere, and these are deposited on the meat. The members of the family who eat that particular piece of meat are infected with the germs, and, if it is typhoid, the chances are in favor of one or more having typhoid fever.

Plague the Grocery Men.

Grocery stores are favorite rendezvoux for the housefly. The goods kept for sale are such as will attract the flies in swarms. Sugar is one of their favorite foods, and it is hard to keep them away from it. Other foodstuffs come in for a share of their attention, and the result is that the germs are again placed where they are more than likely to get into the stomachs of the consumers.

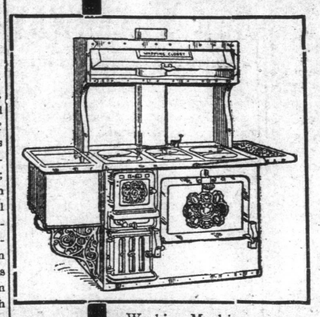
The purpose of this article is not to detail the wanderings of the housefly, nor to nauseate people with a description of the way in which germs of diseases are transmitted, but merely to emphasize the danger of permitting flies to have the freedom of the city stores and homes. Restaurants, or some of them in the city, are plagued with flies. They wander around the food, drown themselves in the soup, and go for a bath in the milk pitcher. The heat of the restaurants and the odors of the food is an attraction that will induce any vagrant fly passing the doorway to drop in for a while.

Protect the Consumers.

It's up to the store and restaurant keepers to protect their customers. This is the typhoid fever season, and it is flies, the medical experts say, and they should know, that are communicating the diseases. The foodstuffs in many stores are left exposed and seem to invite flies to alight. If the proprietor's attention is called to this once or twice, the chances are that he'll take steps to prevent flies spreading contagion in his store, at least. The citizens should look after their own houses, but it's up to the storekeepers to protect the public.

"Death to the flies" should be the general motto.

THE FARMER'S STORE



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TAFT-ROOSEVELT BREACH.

Both Parties to Reported Controversy Are Silent.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 26.—As time goes on it becomes more and more apparent that no direct answer will be made here to the reports of a break between President Taft and Theodore Roosevelt and the charges alleged as a foundation for the rupture.

Although the silence of the past few days is still strictly maintained, it is believed now that President Taft intends to make his position clear in the letter he is preparing for the Republican campaign committee handbook, and in the speech he is preparing for the conservation congress at St. Paul, Minn.

Mr. Roosevelt has made no statement in support of the reported break. There is nothing definite upon which the President could act, even if he had a desire to do so.

As to state fights, and it is the New York state fight which is alleged to have created a chasm between the President and the ex-President, there is every reason to believe that Mr Taft will re-state what he has said here manp times of late—that he does not believe it to be the province of the chief executive to interfere in state fights, and that in dealing with the state situation he has confined himself to urging upon the various leaders the importance to the party of an honest endeavor to adjust their differences and an agreement upon a harmonious program.

TO PURCHASE NUN'S ISLAND.

Group of United States Capitalists Offer Two Million Dollars.

Montreal, Aug. 29.—A group of New York and Philadelphia capitalists have offered two million dollars for Nun's Island, at the foot of the Lachine Rapids. The island is owned by the Sisters of the Congregation, and they are considering the offer. The island is required for the rearing of kids, whose skin is used in the manufacture of gloves. The island is large, and is one of the beauty spots in the vicinity of the city.

NEW COMPASS FOR WIRELESS.

Latest Development a Great Aid to Navigators.

Washington, D.C. Aug. 22.—The last touch of perfection to the use of the wireless as a safety appliance to ships has been added by several Italian scientists who have collaborated on a "compass actuated by Hertzian waves."

This compass differs from the usual needle used in navigation, in that it is not sensitive to the earth's magnet but to electrical current. With this device aboard, a ship's captain in the foggiest weather can locate any nearby vessel that is sending out wireless messages, as the needle points directly to the centre of the electric currents sent out from the other vessel.

Likewise when a ship in distress sends out the wireless C.Q.D. call for help, an approaching rescue ship is directed by this compass directly to the ship. One of the greatest handicaps heretofore has been the delay which has occurred during the search for the wrecked ship that has repeated wireless directions. In the instance of the sinking of the steamship Republic, one of the most notable instances of the value of the wireless in calling aid to wrecked ships, the vessel drifted a great distance after sending out the C.Q.D. call.

This necessitated a four-hour search by the rescuing ship after it had reached the original location telegraphed by the Republic. Had the condition of the Republic been more critical, the result of the delay might have been disastrous. With this new compass this difficulty would have been obviated.

TO ADVISE NEWFOUNDLANDERS.

Toronto, Aug. 30—Dr. Robertson, chairman of the Royal Commission of Technical Education is en route to Newfoundland to fill an engagement made some time ago with Sir Edward Morris.

He has consented to advise the Newfoundland government upon the possibilities of improved agriculture in the island, also upon the conduct of a campaign in that direction, which has been determined on.

"There must be great room for improvement in the farming assets of the colony, said Dr. Robertson, for it is estimated that Newfoundlanders import each year, three million dollars' worth of food stuffs which they could easily raise at home."

ELECTIONS AT CONFERENCE.

Connexional Officers Elected By Large Majorities.

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 24.—The order of business at the general conference today was the election of connexional officers.

The work has been completed, and every officer was selected on the first ballot by large majorities. Besides the elections of the two superintendents, Drs. Carman and Chown, already appointed, the following were elected: Secretary of home missions, the Rev. Jas. Allen D.D.; secretary of foreign missions, the Rev. T. E. E. Shore D.D.; secretary of education, the Rev. W. Graham, D.D.; secretary of temperance and moral reform, the Rev. Albert Moore, D.D.; book steward at Toronto, the Rev. W. M. Briggs, D.D.; editor of the Christian Guardian, the Rev. W. B. Chrighton, D.D.; editor of Sunday Schools periodicals, the Rev. A. C. Crews, D.D.; secretary of Sunday Schools and Epworth leagues, the Rev. S. Bartlett, B.A.; editor of The Wesleyan at Halifax, the Rev. D. W. Johnson, D.D., by unanimous vote; book steward at Halifax, Mr. F. W. Mosher, by unanimous vote; honorary lay treasurer of the missionary fund, H. H. Fedger, unanimous.

SMUGGLING THROUGH CANADA.

U.S. Secret Agents Think Foreign Valuables Going in Via Montreal.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Secret agents of the United States customs service are watching the Canadian gateways for smugglers who have been frightened away from the port of New York by the rigid customs inspection and the notable seizures of the last few days.

Secret advices of jewels and other valuable articles bought in Europe by Americans are usually in the hands of the customs service. Valuables traced on the other side from the time they were bought have failed in some instances lately to turn up in New York in the scheduled time and the detectives suggest that they are being brought in by way of Monteral and Quebec.

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CURIOUS TO S DR. CRIPPE

London is Wondering W adian Authorities Will For His Arrest and De

London, Aug. 29.—Su been expressed here becaus Pellatt, in charge of the Q Rifles, did not immediat against Dr. Crippen and El being allowed to come a steamer Megantic, when that it was intended to se England on that ship. It that Inspector Dew decid Megantic in the hope th excitement of landing the party would escape attent

But Inspector Dew mis have put a placard on Dr breast reading "I am C to take him ashore in the did adopt. Much curiosit aroused as to the size of Canadian authorities will the home office for costs tion with the arrest and d Dr. Crippen.

As Ethel Leneve was dock at Bow street police day her father, who stood i behind her, called out: "E Ethel, I'm here," and her kisses to her. Miss Leneve time enough to turn arou cognize them before she through a door leading to dor.

No Emotional App

London, Aug. 28—The features expected in the t H. H. Crippen will be la cording to Solicitor Arthu of the defence. It is pro the fight will be almost w legal technicalities and that appeals to the jury will no all in the case.

From Newtons standpoint summed up appears subst follows:—

Fragments of a human dug up in the cellar of the Crippen occupied in Hilldro The police said the bricks u these fragments were four cently been disturbed, but e ence will be introduced to that it is impossible for any termine this point, assumin bricks had been untouch much as a month.

Dr. Pepper, the governme has stated that he has ide remains as those of a wom Marshall, who conducted mortem, testified before th that he could not swear as t tion of sex. At any rate it tain that the prosecution make good its claims that ments are those of a w once underwent an operatio whelming weight of medic being that it is a sheer in to find such traces in rema condition of those discove Hilldrop crescent residence

The police expect to mak the fact that Crippen is have pawned jewelry after disappearance which is kno ally to have belonged to h

The defence will show, how he was for years continuall and redeeming these jewels.

Again, was Crippens fligh larly significant? The de point that it was perfect for the doctor, in view of admittedly mysterious disa to feel that suspicion was fall upon him and that it means surprising for him from a police inquiry. To his peculiar existence and habits, it will be urged was a matter of no great m pecially in view of the fac business was as good in on in another.

G. T. P. LINE TO BATT

President Hays Says it Wi From Wainwrigh

"Yes, you can state def we are going to build a b from Wainwright to Battle Charles M. Hays, presiden Grand Trunk Pacific, to a Star reporter on the occa visit there a few days ag

"The surveyors are at continued Mr. Hays, "and in here this year. That however, upon the conditi labor market. We have f difficulty in getting enough

Mr. Hays stated that th Wainwright-Battleford bra probably come in a sho east of the town, "but," he will get the traffic."

Mr. Hays congratulated Morrison, of the board of the enterprise Wainwright in maintaining an exhibit pot. He remarked that was the only town alon that was doing so.

CELEBRATING SILVER

Of the Oblate Order in C in Attendance.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—One gest celebrations in which Order of this city has eve ed commenced this aftern o'clock, when a three-d in honor of the silver ju Oblate Scholasticate in C and of the clerical profe present Superior Father, ed. Upwards of 200 men alumni of the institution tawa. They include del Prince Albert, Calgary, and many other far we Archbishop Langevin, of once a member of t Scholasticate, is also he ciated at the ceremonies union.