

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS. TORONTO.

Receipts of live stock since Friday as reported by the railways were 73 car loads, composed of 1167 cattle, 799 hogs, 346 sheep and lambs, 300 calves, and 36 horses.

The quality of fat cattle was fair to good.

Trade was good with prices about the same as at the Junction, when quality is taken into account.

Exporters—We did not hear of any loads of export cattle being offered, but it is safe to say that had there been, the same prices would have been paid for the same quality as at the Junction on Monday.

Butchers—Best loads of butchers sold at \$5.40 to \$5.70; fair to good at \$5 to \$5.40; cows at \$4 to \$5 per cwt; bulls \$4.25 to \$4.75 per cwt.

Milk Cows—About 40 milkers and springers sold from \$25 up to \$60 each, few bringing the latter quotation, the bulk going at \$40 to \$55 each.

Veal Calves—Prices firm at \$3 to \$6 per cwt., with an odd calf, here and there, at a more money.

Sheep and Lambs—Export sheep mixed with yearlings, which are now classed as sheep at \$5 to \$5.50 per cwt; spring lambs at \$3 to \$6.50 each, or \$10 to \$14 per cwt.

Hogs—Deliveries were light. Mr. Harris quotes select at \$6.90 and lights and fats at \$6.65 per cwt.

A farmer in Bruce township was offered \$600 for a team of Clyde horses last week. Farmers should be careful to breed the right kind of horses.

There are a few foolish girls and sensible fathers still left in the world. At Easttown, Ind., a fifteen-year-old girl, who had eloped with a nineteen-year-old boy, was arrested and held until her father arrived. When dad found his daughter at police headquarters he requested the matron to withdraw and then gave the runaway school girl a good spanking. Matron Roberts said the father turned the girl over his knee and thrashed her hard and long. Hub's dad should give his son the "toe of his boot."

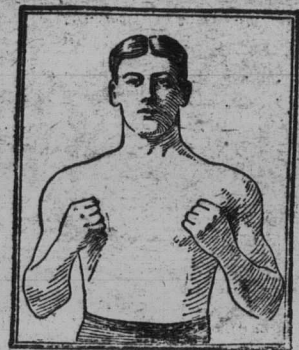
Mr. J. W. Trussler has purchased the Askin photograph gallery in Teeswater and took possession on Wednesday. We are pleased to see our former townsman again locating in this part of the country, after being absent a year in Berlin. Mr. Trussler is an A1 artist and should do a good business.

A little lad in Winnipeg picked up a fire cracker and put it in his mouth as he played about his home. A few minutes afterwards he was seized with convulsions, and the doctors were at a loss to understand the cause. The post-mortem revealed the fact that he had been poisoned by phosphorus. The fire cracker was suggested as the source, and the doctors analyzed the one the child sucked, making the startling discovery that it contained enough poison to kill one hundred people.

Leslie Deans and his brother Irvine, who live in Dumfries Township, four miles down the river, were out for a walk on Sunday, when they noticed a huge lynx cross the road and disappear in the bush. The boys hurried home, got a rifle and a dog, and finally shot the animal. The lynx measured five feet from fore feet to hind feet outstretched, two feet six inches in height, and weighed 35 pounds. This is the first lynx killed in the neighborhood in many years. It is supposed to be the one that last Fall escaped from the baggage car on which it was being taken from Owen Sound to Toronto.

WHAT IS THE USE? What is the use of money if it makes you as mean as a skunk and as hard as flint? There are men you know who have made money at the same business you are in, but ask yourself if you would like to do it their way or would you take the money they have and be what they are and have the reputation they carry. There are some men who can't help gathering money because they are too mean to be able to help it. When a man will do anything to make money that will not put him within the clutches of the law he is only fit for association with thugs and cut-throats. If you have to screw your neighbor down to the last cent so that he jokes about your closeness; if you have to turn sharp corners to get ahead of your customers or creditors and you get a reputation for "clean skating;" if you have to shut your ears to the claims of humanity, to your sympathy and your purse, what advantage is it? It is better to die poor and have the respect of those about you and the knowledge yourself that you are something of a man than to have the wealth of a Croesus and know that you are nothing more than a mean, gold-snatching devil.

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From every town and village in Ontario money has been flowing out to the Northwest. People are anxious to make money by investing in western land. These same people wonder why they have to pay 7% and 8% on loans. They have themselves partly to blame for the present scarcity of money.

Owing to the snow blockade in the west last winter the past season's crop has not yet been marketed. Before any money can be had for this, the grain must be hauled to the Atlantic seaboard and exported to England when English capital will come in. All this takes months.

Large amounts of money have been sunk in silver mines in Cobalt, owing to the eager desire to get rich quick. The companies floated have been capitalized at five hundred million dollars. Even if all of this had been issued at 25c on the \$, and throwing off one million dollars besides, there remains the enormous sum of one hundred million dollars sunk in the cobalt region. This is a tremendous amount—no doubt a very large part of it is gone for good.

In addition to this, large amounts, millions, have been called for to build railroads, cordage factories, cement factories, sugar beet factories, joint stock companies of a thousand kinds, some good, some very bad. Millions are being invested in building houses and in improvements, for in prosperous times people are more lavish in their expenditure than they are in hard times.

To sum the matter up in a nutshell, high rates for money are the result of general prosperity and a reckless spending. Strange to say it is of no use to warn people to go slow. They merely laugh. They go on at the same reckless speed until the storm bursts, and hard times again bring them to their senses. They forget that good crops and good times do not last forever.

A passer-by was amazed at seeing an Irishman poking a dollar bill through a crack in a board walk. "What under the sun are you doing that for?" he asked. "Why, y'see, sir," replied the Irishman without looking up from his work, "a minute ago Oi dropped a nickel through this crack, and now Oi'm puttin a dollar through so's to make it wort' me while to pull up th' walk an' get th' nickel."

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