No. 3 Wheat, 1 car	1 07½
No. 3 Wheat, 1 car	1 06
No. 3 Wheat, 1 car f.o.b.	1 04
No. 3 Wheat, 1 car	1 05
No. 3 Wheat, 2 cars	1 05½
No. 3 Wheat, 1 car	1 05½
No. 3 Wheat, 1 car	1 07½
Rejected Wheat, 1 car f.o.b.	1 05
Rejected Wheat, 1 car f.o.b.	1 04
No. 2 Mixed Wheat, 1 car	1 07½
No. 3 Mixed Wheat, 1 car	1 06
No. 1 Durum Wheat, 3 cars	.87
No. 1 Durum Wheat, 3 cars	.86
No. 2 Durum Wheat, 2 cars	.85
No. 2 Durum Wheat, 2 cars	.84
No. 3 Durum Wheat, 3 cars	.83½
No. 3 Durum Wheat, 1 car	.83
No. 3 Durum Wheat, 3 cars	.82½
No. 3 Durum Wheat, 2 cars	.82
No. 1 Velvet Chaff Wheat, 2 cars	1 06½
No. 1 Velevt Chaff Wheat, 1 car sample	1 05½
No. 1 Velvet Chaff Wheat, 1 car	1 06½
No. 1 Velvet Chaff Wheat, 1 car	1 06½
No. 2 Velvet Chaff Wheat, 1 car	1 05½
No. 2 Velvet Chaff Wheat, 3 cars	1 05½
No. 2 Velvet Chaff Wheat, 1 car	1 06
No. 3 Velvet Chaff Wheat, 1 car	1 04½
No. 3 Corn, part car	.56
No. 3 Corn, 1 car transit	.56½
No. 3 Corn, 1 car transit	.56½
No. 3 Corn, 1 car	.55½
No. 4 Corn, 10,000 bus. to arrive	.56½
No. 4 Corn, 1 car o.w.b.	.55½
No. 4 Corn, 3 cars	.54
No. 3 Yellow Corn, 1 car	.59
No. 3 Yellow Corn, 3 cars to arrive	.58
No. 4 Corn Yellow, 2 cars	.55
No. 4 Yellow Corn, 1 car tough	.54
No Grade Corn, 1 car burnt	.45½
No. 3 Oats, 1 car transit	.37
No. 3 Oats, 1 car	.37½
No. 3 Oats, 2 cars	.37
No. 3 White Oats, 1 car choice	.39
No. 3 White Oats, 5,000 bus. to arr.	.38
No. 4 White Oats, 1 car, transit	.37½
No. 4 White Oats, 1 car	.37
No Grade Oats, 1 car	.36
Sample Oats, 1 car	.37

World's Shipments

	WHEAT	CORN
Americs	3,328,000	422,000
Russia	3,896,000	459,000
Danube	552,000	1,241,000
India	383,000	.....
Argentine	992,000	476,000
Australian	864,000	.....
Chili, N.A.	33,000	.....
Total	10,048,000	2,598,000

The Weeks Grain Inspection

The following shows the cars of grain inspected during the week ending May 21.

Srpring Wheat

One Northern	290
Two Northern	275
Three Northren	114
Number Four	18
Rejected One	22
Rejected Two	41
No Grade	6
Rejected	15
Condemned	5
No. 5	1
No. 6	2
Total	787

Winter Wheat

Number Two Alberta Red	4
Number Three Alberta Red	4
Number Four Red Winter	11
Number Five Red Winter	4
Total	23

Oats

Number One C.W.	17
Number Two C.W.	64
Number Three C.W.	13
Rejected	5
No Grade	4
Ex. 1 Feed	14
One Feed	7
Two Feed	2
Two Mixed	1
Total	127

Barley

Number Three	29
Number Four	8
Rejected	7
Total	44

Flax

Number One N.W. Man.	22
Number One Manitoba	4
Total	26
Grand Total	1007

Winnipeg Live Stock

Stockyard Receipts

WEEK ENDING MAY 21.

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
C.P.R.	1605	2110	300
C.N.R.	326	431	...
Totals	1931	2541	300

Disposition

Exporters east this week	110
Butchers east this week	196
Feeders east this week	237
Stockers east this week	30
Exporters held over	252
Butchers held over	114
Local	992

CATTLE

Receipt of cattle at the stockyards last week totalled 1931 against 2038 the previous week. The quality shown was on the whole better than during the balance of the spring run but a few head of stock were about the poorest seen here this year and sold as low as $2.00 per cwt. This, however, was for a very few head of canners. While the market is the strongest ever for good food stuff packers are steering shy of anything approaching a "skin" in quality and will pay but a very low price for these.

Farmers should bear this in mind when shipping stock and hang onto anything that can be put into good condition. Get rid of the scrubs at any price but finish the stock that holds forth any decent sort of promise. The price received for these will pay a good profit for the feeding. It is most pleasing, from every standpoint, to note that the general run of cattle is showing a great improvement over former years.

Last week's run sold steady with the previous week for the good quality stuff but prices were down from 15 to 20 cents lower for the poorer grades. The bulk of the arrivals were well finished, grain fed animals and sold from $6.00 to $6.25, the local demand being strong and most of the arrivals going to the Winnipeg trade. 992 head were butchered here. Some of the best stock sold to $6.50 per cwt. The market for these best butchers is strong and active at prevailing quotations. Eastern trade fell off somewhat during the week, not because the easterners didn't want the cattle but because they could hardly compete with Winnipeg bids. Only 196 head of butcher stock went east against 405 the previous week. Some of these however were among the best of the receipts and it is understood that some of them caught as high as $6.75.

Trade in exporters was not as heavy and only 110 head were shipped during the week against 490 the previous week. However, 252 head were held over and will probably go forward this week. Exporters state that they are getting some of the best animals that ever landed on the market. Buyers quote $6.00 to $6.50 for best export steers and fifty to seventy-five cents lower than that figure for best export grades of heifers. These quotations are with freight assumed by the purchaser.

The shipments of feeders have also fallen off to some extent, only 237 head going forward against 345 the previous week. As has been stated in previous reports eastern buyers want large numbers of these feeders but are having a hard time to procure them. For a number of years Ontario buyers have picked up large shipments through the western provinces and have shipped them to the east where they were fed and marketed at a good profit. Now, however, western farmers are waking up, going into the feeding game for themselves and getting the added profits. Prices offered are $4 to $4.50 for feeders and stockers weighing from 500 to 1000 pounds.

Receipts of calves are small and prices paid are $5 to $5.50 per cwt. Receipts of all classes were small on Monday's market.

Cattle prices quoted are:

Choice export steers (point of shipment	$6.00 to $6.50
Choice export heifers (point of shipment)	5.50 " 5.75
Choice butcher steers and heifers	5.50 " 6.25
Fair to good steers and heifers	5.00 " 5.50
Common steers and heifers	4.00 " 4.50
Best fat cows	4.00 " 5.00
Fair to good cows	3.50 " 4.00
Common cows	2.50 " 3.50
Best bulls	4.50 " 5.00
Common bulls	3.50 " 4.50
Best stockers and feeders 800 to 1000 lbs. weight	4.00 " 4.50
Fair to good stockers and feeders	3.00 " 4.00
Choice calves	5.00 " 5.50

Hogs

There is no change in the state of the hog market except that the demand is stronger than ever and dealers are showing less discrimination in their purchases. But very few of the arrivals that approached anywhere near bacon quality sold under the $10.50 mark, the only dockage being for over-weight sows and for stags. Receipts were 727 head greater than the previous week but they were all taken with a rush many being contracted for in advance. Dealers look for light receipts of porkers during the summer but have not as yet raised their bids. There is but little chance of conditions warranting any reduction for a long time to come.

Once again the warning against shipping good brood sows is sounded. These animals represent the hog raisers capital and he should retain them.

Prices quoted are:

Choice hogs	$10.25 to $10.50
Heavy sows (over 300 lbs)	9.25 " 9.50
Stags	7.00 " 8.00

Sheep and Lambs

Three hundred eastern sheep that arrived were keenly contested for by packers and most of them brought $7.00 per cwt. Prices quoted are $6.50 to $7.00. Lambs are quoted at $7.00 to $7.50.

Country Produce

Butter

Receipts of butter from the country continue low and prices ruling are stronger than a week ago. Then dealers anticipated that there would be plenty coming forward to take care of at least the Winnipeg trade. But such has not been the case and most of them are short on their orders. However, they expect to see the situation relieved within a week or two.

The rains of the past few days have been of great benefit to the grass, and the dairy animals should soon be on a full grass diet that will greatly increase the butter make. Montreal reports indicate that there is no export demand for eastern butter, and until the extent of the export demand during the coming season is ascertained it will be pretty hard to say anything about prospects. As it looks now the better classes of butter will bring a high price for some time to come. Of course prices will drop off a little when the receipts become larger but they should remain at a higher level than last summer. Prices quoted are:

No. 1 Dairy	23c. to 24c.
No. 2 Dairy	20c. to 21c.

Cheese

As yet there is but little cheese being shipped from western points, and what is coming is selling at low prices on account of poor quality. Most of it has a stable flavor and will probably continue to have until the cattle get on a full grass ration. As has been stated this should be in the course of a very few days. The product now arriving brings anywhere from nine cents per pound to 10½ cents. Dealers state that they think that when the full grass product comes it will be much better than in former seasons, and are offering 11 to 11½ cents for it. There is none offered as yet.

Eggs

Receipts of eggs are about up to former weeks and under a strong local demand have added a half cent per dozen to their price, being now quoted at 18½ cents. The western demand has fallen off during the past week, coast dealers preferring Ontario eggs during their warm season. Local prices will fall off to some small extent when the weather grows warmer as the shrink will be greater then.

Potatoes

There is no improvement in the situation on the potato market. Demand is as bad as ever and the supply is large. Many dealers who laid in stocks last fall at 35 cents per bushel are willing to sell now at 25 cents and take a large shrink besides. They state that they would consider it bad business for any country holder to purchase sacks and pay freight to Winnipeg as they are worth more to farmers as food than they would bring on this market.

Hides, Tallow and Wool

BY MCMILLAN FUR AND WOOL CO.

Dealers state that the condition of the hide market is very weak and prices will probably slump soon.

Green salted hides, unbranded	10c. to 9c.
Green salted hides, branded	8c. flat
Green salted hides, bulls and oxen	8½c. flat
Green salted veal calf, 8-15 lbs.	13 to 11½c.
Green salted kip, 15-25 lbs.	10½c. to 9½
Green salted deacons	65c.
Green salted slunks	25c.
Dry flint butcher hides	17c. flat
Dry rough and fallen hides	11c. flat
Tallow	5c. to 4c.
Seneca root	35c. to 35c.
Wool	8c. to 10½c.

These prices are f.o.b. Winnipeg.

Chicago Live Stock

MAY 23.

Chicago—Hog receipts, 32,000; left over 1,700; market weak at Saturday's average. Light, $9.40 to $9.70; heavy, $9.35 to $9.70; mixed, $9.30 to $9.70; rough, $9.35 to $9.50. Cattle receipts, 22,000, steady to 10 cents lower. Sheep receipts, 20,000.

Canadian Visible

(Official to Winnipeg Grain Exchange)

MAY 20

	WHEAT	OATS	BARLEY
Tot. visible	7,883,608	6,057,428	918,659
Last week	7,134,895	6,403,230	1,303,538
Last year	5,926,632	3,410,208	413,536
Ft. William	2,306,687	1,998,630	236,553
Pt. Arthur	2,662,753	2,127,966	346,332
Meaford	24,597	8,602	13,227
Mid. Tiffin	387,557	653,467	10,438
Collingwood	16,552	1,529	50,293
Owen Sd.	105,000	161,000	23,000
Goderich	96,271	171,993	34,572
Sarnia, Pt. Ed.	62,886	91,109	12,102
Pt. Colb'ne	200,000	70,000	14,000
Kingston	910,000	191,150	71,000
Montreal	1,108,605	533,482	105,342
Quebec	2,700	48,500	1,700

Comparative Visible

	LAST WEEK	PREVIOUS WEEK	LAST YEAR
Wheat	22,029,000	22,871,000	22,420,000
Corn	6,540,000	2,779,000	1,492,000
Oats	7,416,000	7,275,000	7,370,000

QUOTATIONS IN STORE AT FORT WILLIAM FROM MAY 18 to 23, INCLUSIVE

DATE	WHEAT 1*	2*	3*	4	5	6	Feed	Rej. 1 1	Rej. 1 2	Rej. 2 1	Rej. 2 2	Rej. 1* Seeds	Rej 2* Seeds	OATS 2 cw.	3 cw.	BARLEY 3	4	Rej.	Feed	FLAX 1 NW	1 Man.	Rej.
MAY																						
18	96½	93½	91½	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32½	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
19	95½	½	91½	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32½	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
21	94½	91	89½	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
23	92	91	87½	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	31½	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....