

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS. TORONTO.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 43 carloads, composed of 730 cattle, 322 hogs, 30 sheep and one calf, as well as 70 horses.

The storm hindered many consignments of cattle from reaching the market as well as five carloads of horses.

The quality of fat cattle generally was not good, only a very few loads being at all finished.

Owing to a light delivery, prices for cattle were firmer all round.

Trade was fair, but not as brisk for the unfinished lots as might have been expected, seeing that there was a light delivery.

Exporters—Price range at from \$4.90 to \$2.40, but only one load at latter price, which was sold by Maybee, Wilson and Hall, who topped the market for export steers; export bulls, \$4 to \$4.50 per cwt.

Butchers—Choice picked lots of butchers, \$4.75 to \$5.10; loads of good \$4.25 to \$4.60; medium \$3.90 to \$5.15; common, \$3.60 to \$3.90; cows \$2.65 to \$4.

Feeders and Stockers—None offered but there is a fair demand for steers, 800 to 1000 lbs. each.

Milkers and Springers—Prices were quoted at \$30 to \$55 each.

Veal Calves—Prices unchanged at \$4 to \$6.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—Export ewes, \$4 to \$4.50; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.50 per cwt.

Hogs—Guns, Limited, quoted selects at \$5.15, fed and watered at the market, and \$4.90 to drovers, f. o. b. cars at country points.

The high price quoted for the best load of exporters is no criterion for drovers to be governed by, as they were bought by a dealer who had space to fill. This same dealer was afraid to place his order in Chicago on account of the stormy weather, fearing he might not get them to the boat in time.

Drovers must go easy, or they will be caught, should there be a heavy delivery of cattle.

## THE BOOZE FIEND.

The booze fiend you have all met. Although given to late hours he is generally an early riser, unless located where he can ring the bell. This malady rapidly grows malignant when it is overworked and the victim soon sees nothing but beer, glasses and corks cleaving the ozone. To him in the morning John Collins is a godsugar, gin and soda, while in the evening he bows in willing submission to the glory of old rye whiskey, and as the yellow spirit prospects his gutlet it lights a spark in his upper workings, throws a roscate halo over his gray matter, and for a breath or two the universe becomes a flower garden, the saloon a scene in Paradise, and the bartender an earthly divinity. But Oh! the morning. There's the pull. The fiend sinks to rest boots outside, feeling like a man who has just found a million dollars, and wedded the sweetest lily in the feminine world. As the gray dawn slowly pushes darkness off the formation the fiend awakens and does a stunt at the water pitcher. Then he lies down and the minutes become years, while perhaps a menagerie camps on the floor and fairies mock him as they flit to and fro like fireflies in the night. He feels a great truth and realizes that hades is not located in a foreign land. After what seems like a century in the stoke-hole of darkness he arises and fumbles his way to the street, only to find that it is too early for even the bars to open, and that he must pass another century in the Gehenna of misery before the divinity of the previous night will arrive and mix him a life-saver. To stand by a saloon door when it is locked in the dry ages of the early morning is to the booze fiend the acme of human sorrow, and crux of terror. It were better to be a third class hobo and live upon a brake-beam than own a thirst that constantly prods you in the nerves and tells you to "buck up" and take something.

## GOOD JUDGE OF MUTTON.

Hon. A. G. Mackay is noted for his witticism and he succeeded in getting off a good one in Warton last week while examining a witness in a division Court. Mr. Mackay was defending a farmer whose dog was alleged to have killed three sheep, the property of a neighbor.

"And you say the dog killed your sheep?" questioned the lawyer.

"Yes, sir; three of the best," replied the plaintiff.

"Three of the best, eh? And how many were there in the flock?"

"Twenty-one," promptly replied the witness.

"Well," said Mr. MacKay, with a twinkle in his eye, "that dog must have been an extraordinary good judge of mutton."

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## EASY TO MIX.

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, as formulated by a noted authority, who claims that he has found a positive remedy to cure almost any case of backache or kidney or bladder derangement, in the following simple prescription, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

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A well-known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic affections with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for urinary and kidney troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

## Notice to Creditors.

In the Estate of JOHN YOST SCHMIDT, late of the Township of Carrick in the County of Bruce, Yeoman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario 1897, Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said John Yost Schmidt, who died on or about the 2nd day of January, 1908, are required on or about the 5th day of March, 1908, to send by post prepaid to or deliver to Moses Bilger, Walkerton P. O., Ont., and to William Hacker, Walkerton P. O., Ont., one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their christian and sundries, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims and a statement of their accounts and the nature of securities, if any, held by them.

And Further Take Notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

MOSES BILGER  
WILLIAM HACKER, Executors  
Per Robertson & McNab, their solicitors.  
Dated at Walkerton this 4th day of Feb. 1908.

The clerk of Seaforth receives a salary of \$350 per annum; the town scavenger, \$700; treasurer, \$150; waterworks engineer, \$360; chief of police, tax collector and assistant chief of fire brigade, \$500; assessor \$90; and auditors each, \$12.

A handle factory is about to be started in the village of Holstein.

Mr. Murphy, of Markdale, owner of the Middaugh House in Durham, has demanded a recount in the recent local option vote in the latter town.

Bruce County Hospital sold their hogs last week at a profit of \$23.65. The Hospital should go more extensively into the hog business.

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## SATAN TERRIFIED.

These is as great genius displayed in advertising as in higher branches of literature. No problem daunts the modern advertising man.

In a window of a little book store in Eighth Avenue, New York, was recently heaped a great pile of Bibles, marked very low—never before were Bibles offered at such a bargain; and above them all in big letters, was the inscription; "Satan trembles when he sees Bibles sold as low as these."

If you have Catarrh, rid yourself of this repulsive disease. Ask Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis., to mail you free, a trial box of his Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. A simple, single test, will surely tell you a Catarrh truth well worth your knowing. Write to-day. Don't suffer longer. J. Coates.

An arrangement has been entered into between the Dominion Government and the Governments of Saskatchewan and Alberta by which the Dominion will assist the Provinces in raising money with which to supply seed grain to settlers who lost their crops last year. Settlers find it impossible to get money at the banks and many, if not assisted, would be unable to proceed with farming operations in the spring.

We find it stated that there is only one sudden death among women to every eight among men. These probably all result from seeing a mouse or being proposed to.

I wish that I might talk with all sick ones about the actual cause of Stomach, Heart and Kidney ailments. To explain in person how weak Stomach nerves leads to Stomach weakness, I am sure would interest all. And it is the same with weak Hearts or weak Kidneys. This is why my prescription—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—so promptly reaches ailments of the Stomach, Heart, and Kidneys. It is wrong to drug the stomach or stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. These weak inside nerves simply need more strength. My Restorative is the only prescription made expressly for these nerves. Next to seeing you personally, will be to mail you free, my new booklet entitled, "What To Do." I will also send samples of my Restorative as well. Write for the book to-day. It will surely interest you. Address. Dr. Shoop, Box 8, Racine, Wis. Sold by J. Coates.

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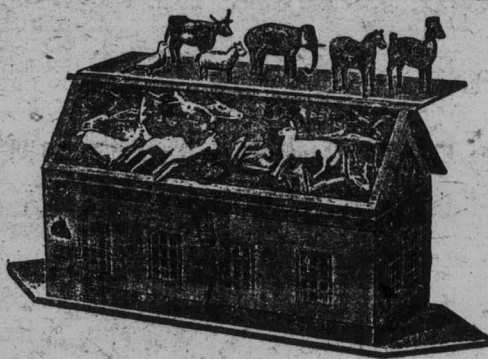
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General Agent  
or Geo. Rosewell  
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