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started at from 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ c to 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ c and later 9 13-16c was reached at Brockville and other eastern points.

Butter

While the English butter market is reported quiet with prices less firm there has been an active demand on this side for export, some large sales having been made. Dealing with last week's butter market the Trade Bulletin says:

"There has been some brisk buying in the country for export account, and during the past week there must have been 12,000 to 15,000 packages bought at country points for English account. The prices paid for finest creamery at points of shipment ranged from 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ c to 19 $\frac{3}{4}$ c f.o.b., fancy factories made for special purposes bringing more money, but these form a small portion of the bulk of the offerings. Quite a lot of fine goods, however, were picked up at 19c f.o.b. The prospects at the moment are that the June make of creamery will all be wanted unless prices exceed the export basis. Sales have just been reported to us of 1,300 packages of finest creamery on this market at 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ c to 19 $\frac{3}{4}$ c, but buyers refused to pay over 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ c at to-day's close. A few lots of late made Western dairy sold on this market to-day at 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ c a lot of selected bringing 17c. A car load of fine Western dairy sold at 16c f.o.b. at point of shipment."

The market here keeps steady with large offerings of medium grade quality both of creamery and dairy. Offerings of choice quality are not large and the demand is good. Choice creamery prints are quoted at 19c to 20c and solids at 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ c to 19c, and choice dairy tubs at 14c to 15c, pound rolls at 15c to 16c, and large rolls at 14c to 15c a pound in jobbing lots. On Toronto farmers' market lb. rolls bring 14c to 16c and crocks 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c to 14c per pound.

Wool.

There is no improvement in the wool situation. At the Boston and other markets though there is a little more enquiry, it has not been sufficient to relieve the dulness of the market or strengthen prices. The market remains in the buyer's favor. Here there is no change and quotations remain at 13c for washed and 7c for unwashed fleece per lb.

Cattle

The cattle markets continue active. At Chicago, however, owing to the strike there has been a falling off in supply and also in value. But as the strike was settled a few days ago we may look for more activity and higher values. Cables rule steady at 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ c to 14 $\frac{3}{4}$ c for dressed weight and 11c for refriger-

ator beef. Trade at Toronto cattle market has ruled steady all week with no special change to report. On Friday the run of live stock was only moderate comprising 669 cattle, 2,000 hogs, 740 sheep and lambs and 75 calves. The quality of the fat cattle generally was only medium. A few grassers have commenced to come forward which sell at much lower figures than stable cattle. Trade was good especially for the best classes of butchers and exporters which are higher than a week ago. Prices for stable fed cattle remain about the same as earlier in the week. Grass cows sold at \$3.50 to \$3.75 while stable fed cows brought \$4.00 to \$4.25 per cwt. Several lots of light feeders and stockers sold readily at quotations. Prices for milch cows and springers were not as firm as earlier in the week.

Export Cattle.—Choice loads of heavy shippers are worth from \$6.25 to \$6.50 per cwt medium exporters \$5.85 to \$6.10. Heavy export bulls sold at \$5.00 to \$5.50 and light ones at \$4.25 to \$4.35 per cwt., choice export cows sold at \$4.85 to \$5.25 per cwt.

Butchers' Cattle.—Choice picked lots of these, equal in quality to the best exporters, weighing 1,100 to 1,150 lbs. each, sold at \$5.75 to \$6.00 per cwt. Choice picked lots of butchers' heifers and steers, 925 to 1,025 lbs. each sold at \$5.35 to \$5.60, good cattle at \$5.25 to \$5.40, medium at \$5.00 to \$5.30 and inferior to common at \$3.75 to \$4.50 per cwt. Loads of butchers' and exporters' mixed sold at \$5.50 to \$5.70 per cwt.

Feeders.—Light steers, 900 to 1,000 lbs. each sold at \$4.25 to \$5.00 per cwt.

Stockers.—Well bred young steers weighing 400 to 850 lbs. each sold at \$3.50 to \$4.75, and off colors and those of inferior quality at \$3.00 to \$3.50 per cwt.

Calves.—At Toronto market good to choice calves bring \$4.50 to \$5.50 per cwt. and \$2.00 to \$10.00 each.

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Milch Cows.—These sold at \$30 to \$50 each.

sheep and Lambs.

The market for sheep and lambs is lower than a week ago, though steady at quotations. Sheep sold on Friday at \$4.00 to \$4.25 per cwt. for ewes, and \$3.25 to \$3.75 for bucks. Yearling lambs sold at \$4.50 to \$5.00 per cwt. and spring lambs at from \$2.50 to \$5.00 each.

Hogs

As intimated last week the hog market shows a further decline. Select bacon hogs sold on Friday at \$6.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ and lights and fats at \$6.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cwt. There was a large run of hogs and an easier market is looked for this week.

For the week ending June 14th, the Wm. Davies Co., Toronto, will pay \$6.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cwt. for select bacon hogs, \$6.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ for lights, and \$6.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ for fats.

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