

# VICTORY

The Government of Canada has announced the issue of another War Loan. It will be called the "Victory" War Loan. We believe the Loan will be successful, and that the producers will take their proper share.

We further believe farmers will be enabled to subscribe for a larger portion of this issue if they sell their grain on the

## Fort William Sample Market

### Why?

Because they will secure full value for their grain by disposing of it this way, and in some cases secure premiums.

This is the only sane method of selling your grain. Let it be sold like every other commodity is sold.

### Farmers

It does not cost you anything to try this method. It might mean a cent per bushel to you. Isn't it worth trying? We have faith in the ultimate success of this method of trading.

We give below the names of some of the firms doing business in this Exchange, all of which are licensed and bonded by the Board of Grain Commissioners for Canada.

We invite enquiries, and will be glad to answer any questions. Address:

### THE SECRETARY, Grain Exchange, Fort William, Ont.

Black's Elevator Ltd.	Fort William
Bole Grain Co.	" "
Canadian Feed Man. Co.	" "
Davidson & Smith	" "
Dwyers' Elevator Co., Ltd.	" "
Fort William Grain Co., Ltd.	" "
Lakeport Elevator Co., Ltd.	" "
Merchants' Grain Co., Ltd.	" "
Mutual Elevator Co., Ltd.	" "
Muirhead-Bole Elevator Co.	" "
B. J. Ostrander & Co.	" "
N. M. Paterson Co., Ltd.	" "
Progressive Farmers' Grain Co., Ltd.	" "
Roy Elevator Co., Ltd.	" "
Stevens Grain Co.	" "
M. Sellars & Sons	" "
Service Grain Co., Ltd.	" "

## Who's Your Dentist?

Consider carefully your Dentist before you employ him—see that he is undisputably well established and has the name of delivering only the best in Dental work—the materials used in Dental work go a long way to make that Dental work lasting—again the price that the Dentist charges should be in keeping with the times—heretofore my charges for Dental work have been in keeping with the quality of work that I always endeavored to give my patients—Today the public can receive the benefit of this high-class work at a price heretofore not believed possible in Western Canada.

WHALEBONE VULCANITE PLATES. Fit guaranteed. Per Set	\$10.00
PERMANENT CROWN AND BRIDGE WORK Per Tooth	7.00
TEETH WITHOUT PLATES. The modern scientific way. Per Tooth	7.00

I have many imitators that have located in my immediate vicinity and envious of my success, even go so far as to tell those that visit them in mistake that they are in my office, so make no mistake.

### DR. ROBINSON

Dental Specialist

Over Birks Jewellery

WINNIPEG

hairs. Good yearlings are worth from \$50.00 to \$54.00 and stocker cows from \$55.00 to \$70.00. Top prices on cattle a year ago \$60.50.

The hog market developed considerable weakness, and although we sold all our hogs on Thursday at \$17.50, we were compelled to take \$16.75 on Friday. There were very few hogs on the market and we do not look for prices to drop any lower next week. Top prices on hogs a year ago \$10.50. Sheep are so scarce that the quantity offered hardly constitute a market. We expect they will show somewhat lower prices in the near future. Good fat wethers are worth 12 to 12 1/2. Good fat ewes 10 to 11, and good fat lambs 12 1/2 to 13.

#### FREE FREIGHT FOR FEMALES

In addition to the special concessions on stock movement announced two weeks ago, the minister of agriculture for Canada has now inaugurated a free freight policy for breeding females which will operate as follows:

Under this policy female breeding stock of the classes mentioned may be shipped from any Canadian stockyards to country points without the payment by the purchaser of the freight charges on same.

Shipments made under this policy are to be billed under tariff, Canadian Pacific Railway No. W. 2893; Grand Trunk Pacific No. 85A, and the Canadian Northern Railway No. W. 1859, supplements and remises thereto, the total amount of the freight to be collected by the companies from the Dominion Livestock Branch.

Conditions under which this policy will be applied are as follows:

1.—Shipments must comprise carlots of not less than 20 heifers or 40 cows, or mixed carload of heifers and cows, two cows being accepted as equivalent to one heifer in fixing the minimum for one car.

2.—Heifers included in such shipments should be under 24 months of age and cows should be three years or younger.

3.—Only farmers or properly authorized purchasing agents for farmers will be entitled to receive assistance under this policy.

4.—Applications for assistance granted under the policy must be made either in writing or personally to the representative of the Livestock Branch at the stockyards in question before the shipment is made.

5.—Applicants will be required by the stockyard representative of the branch to make a declaration to the effect that the stock being taken back is for breeding purposes and not for feeding or speculative purposes.

6.—Certificates signed by the stockyard representative of the branch will enable the shipper to bill his car out free freight. That is to say, the agents of the railway companies have been authorized to accept such certificates as authority for the collection of the full amount of the freight if billed out under the above mentioned tariffs, from the Dominion Livestock Branch.

The stockyard representatives of the branch at the various markets are as follows:

D. M. Johnson, Union Stockyards, St. Boniface, Man.  
E. W. Jones, 2109 17th Ave. W., Calgary, Alta.  
C. E. Bain, Edmonton Stockyards, Edmonton, Alta.

#### SHEEP EXPORTS FOR UNITED STATES

The United States Bureau of Animal Industry has issued the following new regulation governing the importation of sheep from Canada:

"All sheep imported into the United States from Canada for breeding, grazing or feeding, must be imported at the port of entry by an inspector of the Bureau of Animal Industry. They must also have been inspected by a veterinarian in the country of and receiving a salary from the Canadian government, and be accompanied by a certificate signed by him stating that he has inspected the sheep and found them free from disease and that no contagious disease affecting sheep has existed in the district in which the animals have been kept for 60 days preceding the date of importation. The owner or importer shall present an affidavit that said certificate refers to the sheep in question. Any such sheep which are accompanied by the aforesaid certificate shall be subjected to a quarantine of 15 days."

It will be seen that the necessity for dipping Canadian sheep for smoot no longer exists. They will be admitted to the United States when accompanied by the former health certificate, and sheep men throughout Canada, who have been engaged in the export trade, will welcome this change as removing an impediment to their business. It is also a tribute to the healthfulness of Canadian sheep and their freedom from sheep scab.

#### BIG CATTLE SALES

In the first eight months of this year 2,700,000 more cattle were marketed on American markets than during these same months in 1916 and the sales were heavy then. Only 300,000 of these were sold from the stockyards. This shows that these heavy shipments have been slaughtered and have gone into consumption. This means a 25 per cent. increase in the sales in 1917 over those in 1916. The shipments of calves to market have also been heavier than usual and they have been slaughtered. This heavy marketing of beef animals and calves will certainly have a big effect on prices in the next two or three years. It would seem to indicate that now is a good time to hang onto breeding stock and if possible to increase the production of beef cattle.

#### POTATO CROP IN U.S.A.

New York, Oct. 18.—The government forecast of the first war crop of potatoes is 452,000,000 bushels, an increase of 100,000,000 bushels over last year, according to an announcement by L. D. Sweet, head of the potato division of the United States food administration, here tonight.

#### SALES AT CALGARY

The association auction sale of dairy cattle, sheep and swine, to be held at Calgary on the 29th and 31st of October, will include the following animals: Sheep will number 429. Angushires will be represented by 111 rams and 97 ewes; Oxfords by 29 rams and 75 ewes. There will be four Southdown rams and 13 Suffolk rams and 200 grade ewes. The entries of swine include 20 Berkshire boars and 17 Berkshire sows. The Duroc-Jersey breed will be represented by 14 boars and 8 sows. Dairy cattle include 9 Holstein bulls, 16 Holstein females, an Ayrshire bull and 2 dairy Shorthorn bulls.

The animals to be sold will be judged on the afternoon of the 29th of October. The dairy cattle and swine will be sold on the 30th and sheep on the 31st. The official catalog of entries may be obtained by applying to E. L. Richardson, secretary, Alberta Livestock Association, Calgary. Fair and one-third on the railway, Oct. 28-Nov. 1.

#### BARONS ELEVATOR BREAKS RECORD

So far as anyone knows, G. R. Armstrong, agent for the United Grain Growers at Barons, holds the record for Western Canada for the handling of wheat by one individual. Up to and including Saturday, September 22, Armstrong handled 102,076 bushels of new wheat. That is a record in itself, but the best part of his accomplishment is the single day's record on Saturday last, when he received 10,214 bushels of wheat into the elevator, and in addition, loaded out twelve cars. On the 19th and 20th he took in 25,221 bushels, or better than 1,000 bushels per day.

It is said that some other points have run close to these figures. The bulk of this grain has graded No. 1 Northern.

#### PATRIOTIC FUNDS

Editor, Guide.—We held our annual picnic on July 29, which turned out a great success in every way. The Bottrel Union is a little branch of the great tree, and it is set away back near the foot hills where there is little grain grown for sale, but still we have derived great benefit from the U.F.A. and also from The Guide. You will find enclosed \$60, part of the proceeds from the booth held at our picnic. We ask you to forward the \$50 to their proper places, as follows:—\$30 to the British Empire Relief Fund; \$25 to the Serbian Relief Fund; \$5 to the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

Bottrel, Alta.	
Red Cross Fund	
Previously acknowledged	\$4,097 86
S. Thompson, Beaver, Man.	10 00
Total	\$4,097 86
British Relief Fund	
Previously acknowledged	\$10,951 02
S. Thompson, Beaver, Man.	2 00
Total	\$10,953 02
Previously Acknowledged	
British Empire Relief Fund	30 00
Serbian Relief Fund	245 00
Canadian Patriotic Fund	400 00
French Red Cross Fund	61 00
French War Relief Emergency Fund	4 00
Polish Relief Fund	30 00
Y.M.C.A. Military Fund	25 00
Prisoners of War Fund	105 00
Returned Soldiers Fund	25 00
Total	\$16,494 88

#### STOCK

FOREST HOGS: Clyde horn bulls; Oxford Dow pullets. A prices. Ship Andrew Gra

DUROC JERSEY: sing stock, both sexes, bred-to-lay \$1.50. Em Aminibola.

FOR SALE: shire rams; twenty-one Man.

SHORTHORN: shire, Pri Holfield &

McOPA FA: boars, One Son, Delcor

U. A. WALK: Breeders of sale.

FOR SALE: Jersey butter fat. Man.

FOR SALE: Angus bull & D. Paterson

FOR SALE: bull, four yr Bakur, Ma

WANTED: T heifer and 1 had, B.C.

BROWNE BR: ewes of Albert

IMPROVED: winning cattle. A. Stock Farm

REGISTERED: ewe from Geo. R. Dal

FOR SALE: bear, 2 yrs child, Penn

DUROC JERSEY: sale, 10 to 12, sex, 1st R

FOR SALE: ewe and 1 Brandon.

25 PUREBRED: page \$10.00, Man.

PURE BRED: sarrow, Ho

1,000 BREED: or without Lincoln, Let Also, register Simon Down

NINE YEAR: twenty ewe C. Morton.

REGISTERED: Shorthorn & J. A. Swan

CHOICE OX: John Wilg

IRISH WAT: duck dog, 1 too to live dollars. OPI Man

REGISTERED: ported paper Howell, Yoc

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SAXON & C: 2,500; never and covers. Good as no Marshall-W

TWO-BOLLE: ewes, 4 ea Price \$55 ea

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