

and wether lambs, the buck lambs are selling at \$4.50, and extreme heavy lambs—100 lbs. and upwards—at \$4.75 to \$4.85. The market is strong and in pretty good shape, and although we look for a fair supply here on Monday, we don't believe that the trade will be any lower, in fact, everything looks more favorable, and with cold weather setting in, which is expected, I believe we will have a good, healthy, strong market here next week and advise shipments."

Hogs.

The hog market has again advanced. On Friday select bacon hogs sold at \$6.25 per cwt., an advance of 12½¢ over the week previous. Fats sold at \$5.62½, and lights at \$5.87½ per cwt. Unculled ear lots sold at from \$6.00 to \$6.10 per cwt.

For the week ending December 21st, the Wm. Davies Co., Toronto, will pay \$6.25 per cwt. for select bacon hogs, \$6.00 for lights and \$6.00 for fats.

The Trade Bulletin's London cable of Dec. 12 re Canadian bacon reads thus: "The market is steady at the decline of last week. No. 1 Canadian sides 54s to 58s."

Horses

The horse trade continues dull. Some few have changed hands at Montreal during the week and the values of the best class of horses are firm with an upward tendency while inferior animals are hard to sell. Quotations there are: Carriage horses, \$175 to \$350; heavy draughts, \$125 to \$225; light roadsters, drivers and saddles, \$100 to \$250; remounts, \$110 to \$145; common stock, \$50 to \$80.

General trade is quiet here and there is nothing doing excepting in a few second hand horses, for which no guarantee will be given. W. Harland Smith shipped 220 army horses last week for the new mounted rifles. These were a very fine lot and were purchased in Ontario. Orders for these horses are being filled in the West, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

The Carcass Contest

The list of winners in carcass competitions came to hand just before going to press. We can not give the full list in this issue. A Grade Angus won the Sweepstakes in the cattle class. In bacon hogs the Sweepstakes was won by Alfred Hales, Guelph, on a Yorkshire and Berkshire Cross. In pure breeds first place went to J. E. Brethour, Burford, Ont., for Yorkshires. There was no Sweepstakes prize in the mutton carcass classes. We will give the complete list of winners in this department next week.

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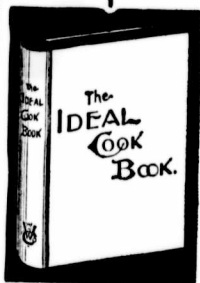
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