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A Manufactory.

"The body is a manufactory," said a doctor recently. "It has to manufac- ture bone and blood and muscle and brain out of bread and butter, eggs, beef and milk, and a wonderful process it is. Now, the first part of the process takes place in the mouth, and, as in most factories, the first is the most im- portant. If a wrong start is made, every- thing that follows is put wrong. If the food isn't well masticated and mixed with the saliva, the stomach, the liver and the intestines are thrown out of gear. Consequently, most of the younger doctors, the more advanced doctors, are paying a great deal of attention to the condition of their patients' teeth. They know—to garble Shakespeare a bit—that 'good digestion waits on mastication, and health on both.'"

"I scraped an acquaintance with Jone- to-day." "Yes, and he says your meth- ods need honing."—Cleveland Leader.

Man wants but little here below, and get most of it in the neck.—Dallas News.

Synopsis of Canadian North- west Land Regulations.

ANY person who is the sole head of a fam- ily, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in per- son at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub- Agency of the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader. Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 50 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister. In certain conditions a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn home- stead rights) and cultivate fifty acres extra. Homesteader who has exhausted the home- stead right may obtain a pre-emption. He may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$1.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$200.00.

W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. B—Unauthorized publication of this ad- vertisement will not be paid for.

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Table with columns for various commodities and their prices, including Wheat, Flour, Sugar, and other goods.

THE FRUIT MARKET.

The receipts of grapes were large, but other fruit was only in limited supply. Prices steady. Grapes, basket \$0.12 1/2 to \$0.51 Do, large 0.25 to 0.30 Oranges, Val. 2.75 to 3.50 Bananas, bunch 1.50 to 1.75 Lemons, Verdelli 3.75 to 4.00

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H. H. DAVIS Manager Phone 685 W. D. FLATT Room 15 Federal Life

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Toronto Markets

Table listing various market prices for commodities like Peaches, Apples, Potatoes, etc.

LIVE STOCK

The quality of fat cattle was not any better than in the early part of the week, very few of them being good enough to sell over \$5 per cwt., as will be seen by the many sales reported below. Trade was much the same in all classes, excepting that good butchers and good butchers' cows sold at a little higher prices. Nearly all offerings were cleaned up.

Butchers—Geo. Rowntree bought for Harris Abattoir Co. on Wednesday and Thursday 515 cattle. Butchers steers and heifers, \$4 to \$5.25; cows at \$1.50 to \$4.00. Stockers and Feeders—Harry Murby reports the trade for feeders and stockers to be about the same. The demand is principally for the best quality of steers, from 900 to 1,050 lbs. each. Mr. Murby bought 200 to-day, and a total of 450 for the week and quotes prices as follows: Best steers, 900 to 1,050 lbs. each, at \$4.1 to \$4.50; best heifers, 800 to 900 lbs. each, at \$3.50 to \$3.85; good stockers, 500 to 700 lbs. each, at \$2.75 to \$3.25; common stockers, \$2 to \$2.25. Milkers and Springers—As will be seen by the many sales given of milk cows and springers, there was an active trade at fair to good prices ranging from \$30 to \$60, with a few at \$65 and one at \$70.

Veal Calves—Trade was good for the calves at steady prices, ranging from \$3 to \$6.50, and a very few at \$7 per cwt. Sheep and Lambs—Trade steady, prices unchanged as follows: Export wethers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; lambs, \$2 to \$2.50; lambs, \$5 to \$5.25, with a few select at \$5.00.

Hogs—Selects fed and watered at the market, \$8, and \$7.75 f.o.b. cars at country points. Dealers all say that prices must go still lower this coming week.

FARMERS' MARKET.

The receipts of grain to-day were small, with prices generally firm. About 150 bushels of fall wheat sold at \$1.01. Barley higher, there being sales of 200 bushels at 62 to 61c. Oats unchanged, with sales of 300 bushels at 42 to 43c. Hay in moderate supply, with prices unchanged. 25 loads sold at \$16 to \$20 a ton for timothy and at \$8 to \$10 for clover. Straw firm, bundled selling at \$15.50 to \$16 a ton.

Dressed hogs are firmer, with prices from \$11 to \$11.25. Wheat, white, new \$1.01 to \$1.00 Do, red, new 1.00 to 0.97 Do, goose 0.96 to 0.98 Oats, new, bushel 0.42 to 0.43 Barley, bushel 0.60 to 0.61 Rye, bushel 0.68 to 0.70 Timothy, ton 16.00 to 20.00 Do, clover, ton 8.00 to 10.00 Straw, per ton 15.50 to 16.00

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THEY AGREE.

City and Power Commission Came to Terms To-day.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., Oct. 8.—Not one clause in the petition of the city of Hamilton for Niagara power, placed before the Hydro-Electric Power Commission this morning, raised a bone of contention. The terms of the city and the Commission dovetailed perfectly, and the morning was spent in a discussion of the meaning of some of the clauses of the act. At 2 o'clock, when the meeting adjourned for lunch, it was announced that the 1,000 horse-power demanded would be granted. Adjustment of legal details was left in the hands of Mr. Lobb, solicitor for the Commission, and Mr. Waddell, for the city of Hamilton.

TAILORS' STRIKE.

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—A strike has been declared by the International Tailors' Union here against the firm of Rooney & Cooper, on the ground that the company imported non-union labor from Montreal and cut down the pay of coat-making. The firm will fight the union.

New York Stocks

Table listing New York Stock market prices for various stocks like Atchison, Am. Copper, etc.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Supplied by R. B. Lyman & Co., stock brokers, J. A. Beaver, manager. Offices, 3 and 4, ground floor, Federal Life building, Hamilton, Canada. (As furnished by R. B. Lyman & Co.)

PROVISIONS.

Wool quotations: Pork—Short cut, \$27.50 per barrel; mess, \$26 to \$26.50. Lard—Firm; tins, 15 1-4; tubs, 15 1-2; rails, 15 3-4; stocks light. Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Long clear bacon, 15 to 15 1-2; firm, tins and cases; hams, large 14 1-2 to 15c; small, 16 to 16 1-2c; rolls, 14 3-4 to 15c; breakfast, firm, at 18c; blacks, plain, 20 to 21c; backs, prime, 20 to 21c; shoulder hams, 13c; green meats out of pickle, 1c less than smoked.

WOOL.

Quotations range as follows: these being prices paid by local houses in the country: Washed wool, 23 to 24c; unwashed, 12 to 14 to 15c; rejects, 17c.

SUGAR MARKET.

St. Lawrence grades are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.85 per cwt. in barrels; No. 1 golden, \$4.45 per cwt. in barrels. Beaver, \$4.55 per cwt. in bags. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots, 5c less. In 100-lb. bags prices are 5c less.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET.

Wheat—October 96.8c bid, December 93.5c bid, May 98.12c. Oats—October 34.18c bid, December 32.78c bid, May 36c.

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET.

Sugar, raw, firm; fair refining, \$3.73 1-2; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.23 1-2; molasses sugar, \$3.48 1-2; refined, quiet.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London—London cables for cattle are lower, at 12 to 13 3-4c per lb. for Canadian steers, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 11 1-4 to 11 1-2c per lb.

THE CHEESE MARKETS.

Brookville, Ont.—At the meeting of the Cheese Board, held here to-day, 2,915 boxes were registered, of which 1,940 were colored and the balance white; 113.8c offered, but none sold.

Belleville, Ont.—At the meeting of the Cheese Board, held here to-day, there were offered 1,827 white and 90 colored. Sales: 90 colored at 17 1-2c; white, 1.097 at 11 3-8c, and 100 at 11 1-8c.

WINCHESTER, ONT.—At the meeting of the Cheese Board held here to-day 406 white and 110 colored were registered. About one-half of the white sold on the board at 11 1-8c.

THE HOG MARKET.

Caledonia Banner: How about this hog situation, anyway? In Hamilton last Thursday, as high as \$9 per cwt. was paid for hogs off cars. As high as \$8.30 to \$8.60 was paid to farmers bringing swine to the packing houses, and prices in the country ranged from \$8.25 to \$8.35. These are very high figures, indeed, and it is plain that the supply must be very short. The editor would appreciate some discussion of this swine breeding problem. He knows that in the winter of 1907 and the spring of 1908 off their brood sows as though the price of hogs was never going above 5 cents a pound again. All summer long the range has been above the \$8 mark, and few farmers have had many swine to sell. Just at present the purchasing power of the consumer is being taxed to the limit to pay for all hog products. He cannot stand very much of a strain. Consumption has been seriously curtailed already, owing to the high prices. Nevertheless, the supply is all too small to meet even the lessened demand. Is there any sort of a large crop of 1909 pigs to come forward? If so, where are they?