PETERSON ANNUAL QUITE EXCITING

Interesting Wrangles Between Shareholders and Company's Officers.

One of the most interesting minting meetings held in the city for a long time was that annual of the Peterson Lake Company held yesterday in the Royal Bank building. There were only about twenty shareholders present, but one and a half hours was consumed in squabbling and objections.

Sam Forst started the trouble by objecting to the adoption of the minutes. These, he claimed, referred to him having been named as one of a committee to go into the previous auditors' report. Forst then said, "I didn't propose to be a party to go in and help you clean up your dirty work."

President Lamport, heatedly: "You are the only one in the company that talks about dirty work, and the only one capable of dirty work."

To this Forst retorted that he had sold out most of his stock, and this prompted Chairman Lamport to offer to buy any he had left at the present market price.

J. McCausland: Oh, go on with the business. Mr. Chairman, this man Forst is temporarily insane on Peterson Lake affairs.

The president followed by a lengthy explanation of the financial statement showing how the item of $60,000 for 400,000 shares of treasury stock came into the assets.

Another shareholder, Mr. McCabe, challenged a vote endorsing the report of the directors near the close of the meeting and demanded the ayes and nays. When this was reported by Secretary Goff, who weighs about 400 pounds and stands over 6 ft., Mr. McCabe excitedly ermarked, "You don't know your business."

Mr. Goff, who was sitting on the opposite side of the table, raised his ponderous figure to full height and in a stentorian voice shouted, "What's that? What's that?" Mr. McCabe, perhaps wisely, raised no further questioning of the vote.

Director Carter complimented the company on the past year's business and the deal made with the Dominion Reduction Company for the treatment of the 220,000 tons of slimes at cost plus 35 cents a ton. Mr. Carter was hopeful that the company would receive $500,000 for its slimes and there were good prospects of getting other ore on the property.

The old board of directors was re-elected.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

Winnipeg, May 31.—Winnipeg oats closed 1¼ cents higher for July, with October 1¼ cents better. May barley closed 1c up, July 2¾c better, and October 4c higher. Flax closed 5c lower for May, July 5c lower and October 3¾c down. Rye closed 32c lower for May. Quotations:

Oats—May, open $1.23, close $1.24¼; July, open $1.11, close $1.14¾; October, open 88¾c, close 89¾c.

Barley—May, close $1.64½; July, open $1.61¾, close $1.65; October, close $1.44.

Flax—May, close $4.51 bid; July, open $4.61, close $4.55 bid; October, open $4.37, close $4.34½.

Rye—May closed at $2.10.

Cash prices: Oats—No. 2 C.W., $1.17¾; No. 3 C.W., $1.15¾; extra No. 1 feed, $1.15¾; No. 1 feed, $1.14¾; track $1.14¾. Barley—No. 3 C.W., $1.80; No. 4 C.W., $1.60; rejected, $1.65; track $1.64. Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., $4.51; No. 2 C.W., $4.47. No. 3 C.W., $3.85; condemned, $3.40; track $4.51. Rye—No. 2 C.W., $2.10.

AMNESTY TO POLITICAL OFFENDERS

Prague, May 31.—President Thomas G. Masaryk today granted amnesty to all political offenders, with the exception of those convicted of either espionage or murder.

BOARD OF TRADE

Manitoba Wheat (in Store Ft. William).
No. 1 northern, $3.15.
No. 2 northern, $3.12.
No. 3 northern, $3.08.

Manitoba Oats (in Store Ft. William.)
No. 2 C.W., $1.17¾.
No. 3 C.W., $1.15¾.
Extra No. 1 feed, $1.15½.
No. 1 feed, $1.14¾.
No. 2 feed, $1.13¾.

Manitoba Barley (in Store Ft. William).
No. 3 C.W., $1.80.
No. 4 C.W., $1.60.

Rejected, $1.56.
Feed, $1.56.

American Corn (Track Toronto, Prompt Shipment.)
No. 3 yellow, $2.40, nominal.

Ontario Oats (According to Freights Outside.)
No. 3 white, $1.10, nominal.

Ontario Wheat (F.o.b. Shipping Points, According to Freights).
No. 1 winter, per car lot, $2 to $2.01.
No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.98 to $2.01.
No. 3 winter, per car lots, $1.92 to $1.93.
No. 1 spring, per car lot, $2.02 to $2.03.
No. 2 spring, per car lot, $1.98 to $2.01.
No. 3, per car lot, $1.95 to $2.01.

Peas (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, 83.

Barley (According to Freights Outside).
Malting, $1.87 to $1.89.

Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, nominal.

Rye (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, $2.20 to $2.25.

Manitoba Flour (In Cotton Bags).
Government standard, $14.85, Toronto.

Ontario Flour (In Jute Bags. Prompt Shipment).
Government standard, $13.25, nominal.

Millfeed (Car Lots, Delivered Montreal Freights, Bags Included).
Bran, per ton, $52; shorts, per ton, $61; good feed flour, per bag, $3.15 to $3.75.

Hay (Track Toronto).
No. 1, per ton, $30 to $31; mixed, per ton, $25.

Straw (Track, Toronto).
Car lots, per ton, $16 to $17.

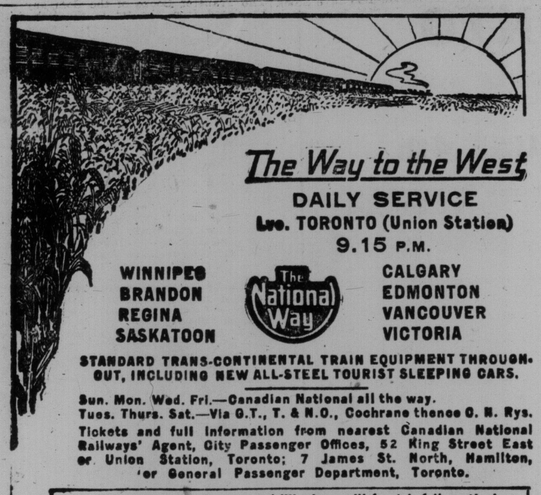
Farmers' Market.
Fall wheat—No. 2, nominal.
Spring wheat—No. 2, nominal.
Goose wheat—No. 3, nominal.
Barley—Malting and feel, nominal.
Oats—Nominal.
Buckwheat—Nominal.
Rye—Nominal.
Hay—Timothiny, mixed and clover, nominal.
Straw—Bundled and loose, nominal.

SUGAR PRICES.

The wholesale quotations to the retail trade on Canadian refined sugar, Toronto delivery, are now as follows (100-pound bags:

Atlantic—	
Granulated	$19 21
No. 1 yellow	18 81
No. 2 yellow	18 71
No. 3 yellow	18 61
Redpath—	
Granulated	18 71
No. 1 yellow	18 31
No. 2 yellow	18 21
No. 3 yellow	18 91
St. Lawrence—	
Granulated	$19 21
No. 1 yellow	18 81
No. 2 yellow	18 71
No. 3 yellow	18 61
Acadia—	
Granulated	$19 21
No. 1 yellow	18 81
No. 2 yellow	18 71
No. 3 yellow	18 61

Passenger Traffic.



Passenger Traffic.

CATTLE PRICES HOLD STEADY TO STRONG

Trade Was Active in Nearly All Lines.

With around 2000 fresh cattle on the Union Stock Yards yesterday, there was an active demand for all classes of handy weight butcher cattle, but the heavy class cattle was inclined to drag a little. Good butcher cows were wanted and realized good prices, and the market was well over by noon. There was a strong trade for useful butcher bulls. The better class of milkers and springers realized steady prices, but the common class were slow. Taken altogether, while there was a disposition in some quarters to boost the trade, we would say the market generally was steady to strong.

With around 500 calves and 350 sheep and lambs, the market for calves held about even with last week, but the sheep trade was slow and weaker, with lambs holding about steady.

The run of hogs was around 3000, with the general trend of the market running at $18.75 to the farmer, $19 f.o.b. and $20 fed and watered.

SPECIAL NOTE.

R. J. Tops the Market.

Pre-eminent in the art of handling the general public, R. J. Fleming, the genial manager of the Toronto Street Railway, yesterday demonstrated his ability to successfully handle live stock when he shipped from his fine farm in Whitby township three carloads, or 42 head in all, of the primest steers seen on the Union Stock Yards this spring.

The cattle, averaging 1280 lbs. apiece, were bought on the Union Yards by Jesse Dunn last October for Mr. Fleming, and sold yesterday to A. W. Talbot, representing the William Davies Company, at $16 per cwt., a point not surpassed on the exchange yesterday.

They were certainly a prime lot of cattle and reflect infinite praise on Mr. Fleming and his assistants, together with Dunn & Levack, the well-known commission house, who sold them.

MARKET NOTES.

Sparkhall & Armstrong sold 3 butchers, 3550 lbs., at $15, and 3, 3910 lbs., at $15.60 per cwt. and 6 cows at $13.

Jos. Wilson (the H. P. Kennedy Co.) sold 17 cattle, 20,120 lbs., at $15; 11 others at $14.50, and 4, 4290 lbs., at $15.30.

C. Zeagman & Sons sold some cattle at $14.25 and cows at strong prices.

J. B. Shields & Son sold 4 steers at $16, and others near that price.

McDonald & Halligan sold 19 cattle at $15.25, and a bull, 1070 lbs., at $14 per cwt., a great price.

Rice & Whaley sold 4 butchers, 2570 lbs., at $15.50; 20, 22,660 lbs., at $15.25 and 40 others at $15.

The Corbett, Hall, Coughlin Company sold a straight load, weighing 1240 lbs., to Bob Williamson at $16. This load was shipped in by Wm. Deaux of Seaforth. They sold a load for Robert Bristow of Bright to the Swift Canadian at $15.75, and another load, consigned in by W. T. Colwell of Centralia, Ont., a straight load of heifers, at $15.75. Three fine loads indeed.

GENERAL SALES.

Sparkhall & Armstrong sold the following live stock on the Union Stock Yards Exchange yesterday:

Butchers—1, 940 lbs., at $13.75; 3, 3560 lbs., $15.65; 2, 1810 lbs., $13.75; 11, 10,190 lbs., $15; 1, 810 lbs., $11.25; 1, 1390 lbs., $10.25; 1, 1140 lbs., $15; 5, 3470 lbs., at $11.75; 1, 470 lbs., $9.50; 1, 6640 lbs., $10; 3, 3910 lbs., $15.50; 1, 560 lbs., $11.25; 5, 1630 lbs., at $14.85; 1, 890 lbs., $12.50; 2, 1520 lbs., $13.25; 10, 8380 lbs., $13.25.

Cows—5, 5810 lbs., $12.75; 23, 19,190 lbs., $8.35; 1, 1000 lbs., $13; 1, 810 lbs., $7; 1, 880 lbs., $10; 4, 4420 lbs., $11; 3, 3280 lbs., $12.50; 3, 2850 lbs., $12.75; 2, 2080 lbs., $10.50; 1, 970 lbs., $11.25; 4, 3670 lbs., $12.25; 1, 1010 lbs., $10.75; 4, 4580 lbs., $12.90; 1, 1090 lbs., $11; 3, 3080 lbs., $10; 7, 7670 lbs., $12.25; 9, 9430 lbs., at $12.25.

Bulls—1, 1420 lbs., at $10.75; 1, 1110 lbs., $12; 1, 1000 lbs., $10; 1, 1320 lbs., at $12.50; 1, 1050 lbs., $11.40; 1, 1920 lbs., at $12.12; 1, 1400 lbs., $13.75.

Sparkhall & Armstrong sold one cow for $115, and another for $120.

Jos. Wilson (the H. P. Kennedy Co., Ltd.), sold the following yesterday:

Butchers—17, 20,120 lbs., at $15; 11, 17,880 lbs., $14.50; 1, 1140 lbs., $10.75; 8, 7190 lbs., $14.50; 2, 4710 lbs., at $14.75; 5, 4040 lbs., $14.50; 2 at $13; 1, 950 lbs., at $14.50; 4, 4290 lbs., $15.30; 1, 520 lbs., $13; 1, 1040 lbs., $12.75; 21, 21,360 lbs., $14.65; 9, 9140 lbs., $14.65; 4, 3930 lbs., $13; 24, 20,990 lbs., $14; 4, 4050 lbs., $14.75; 1, 720 lbs., $13; 1, 1150 lbs., $14.75; 11, 8330 lbs., $12.25; 3, 3140 lbs., $14.75; 1, 470 lbs., at $12.50; 6, 8000 lbs., $15.30.

Cows—2, 2030 lbs., at $12; 1, 860 lbs., $13.50; 1, 1520 lbs., $13; 1, 1000 lbs., $10; 2, 2210 lbs., $12; 1, 1190 lbs., $12.75; 1, 1370 lbs., $13; 3, 3230 lbs., $12.25.

Bulls—1, 1080 lbs., at $12.50; 1, 1270 lbs., $12; 1, 1170 lbs., at $13.

C. Zeagman & Sons sold:

Cows—3, 1100 lbs., $11.60; 1, 1120 lbs., $9.50; 1, 850 lbs., $9.25; 2, 1090 lbs., $12.60; 1, 840 lbs., $10.50; 2, 960 lbs., $12; 1, 1080 lbs., $10.50.

Steers and Heifers—4, 880 lbs., $13.50; 1, 700 lbs., $12; 7, 770 lbs., $12.60; 3, 570 lbs., $10; 14, 640 lbs., $12; 4, 510 lbs., $8; 2, 1030 lbs., $14.25.

Bulls—1, 1240 lbs., $10.50; 1, 1250 lbs., $12; 1, 1600 lbs., $9.50; 1, 1410 lbs., $11; 1, 1280 lbs., $10.90.

Milkers and springers—1, $119.50; 1, $124.50; 2, $154.50 each.

Eddie Zeagman sold 40 choice calves, $15.50 to $16.50; fair calves at $13.75 to $14.50; 25 common calves, $11.50 to $12.50; 3 spring lambs, at $14 each; 20 clipped sheep, 10c to 10½c.

Some of **J. B. Shields & Son's** sales were:

Butchers—1, 820 lbs., $14.25; 2, 1570 lbs., $14.25; 3, 490 lbs., $9; 7, 900 lbs., $14.35; 10, 960 lbs., $14.75; 17, 950 lbs., $14.75; 1, 780 lbs., $12; 8, 7710 lbs., $14.20; 2, 700 lbs., $12.25; 4, 810 lbs., $16; 1, 700 lbs., $13.

Cows—1, 910 lbs., $9.25; 1, 1030 lbs., $11; 2, 1120 lbs., $13; 1, 1080 lbs., $12; 2, 1100 lbs., $12.50; 1, 950 lbs., $9; 5, 800 lbs., $8.

Bulls—1, 1610 lbs., $13.25; 1, 1110 lbs., $13.50; 5, 600 lbs., $12.50; 1, 1570 lbs., $11.50; 1, 1340 lbs., $10.25; 1, 790 lbs., $8.50; 1, 1290 lbs., $10.50.

Milkers and Springers—Cows: 1, $125; 1, $155; 1, $110; 1, $140.

Alex. Levack (Gunns, Limited), bought around 300 cattle yesterday. The best butcher steers and heifers cost from $13.50 to $15.75, and the cows and bulls, $10.50 to $13.

Dunn & Levack sold 20 cars at these prices:

Butchers—15, 1290 lbs., $16; 14, 1[illegible] lbs., $16; 13, 1280 lbs., $16; 20, 1400 lbs., $15.50; 24, 1610 lbs., $15.25; 1, 680 lbs., $16; 21, 960 lbs., $14.40; 7, 990 lbs., $14.50; 5, 790 lbs., $13.50; 2, 770 lbs., $10; 9, 900 lbs., $14.25; 17, 880 lbs., $13.50; 1, 1110 lbs., $11; 22, 810 lbs., $14.25; 13, 610 lbs., $13.85; 3, 750 lbs., $11.75; 3, 680 lbs., $10.75; 1, 1220 lbs., $13.25; 2, 1100 lbs., $12.25; 3, 950 lbs., $9; 2, 940 lbs., $11.50; 2, 1130 lbs., $12; 8, 1040 lbs., $12.

Bulls—1, 1030 lbs., $13; 1, 1180 lbs., $13; 1, 1050 lbs., $10; 1, 1150 lbs., $11; 7, 900 lbs., $11.75; 1, 1050 lbs., $11.75; 1, 1820 lbs., $13; 1, 1060 lbs., $13.

Fred Dunn sold: Choice calves, $15 to $16; medium calves, $14 to $15; common calves, $10 to $12; choice sheep, $10 to $11; medium sheep, $9 to $10; common sheep, $5 to $7; spring lambs, $12 to $15 each.

Messrs. McDonald & Halligan sold:

Butchers—18, 975 lbs., $14.70; 12, 690 lbs., $13.75; 19, 785 lbs., $13.40; 19, 975 lbs., $15.25; 20, 870 lbs., $14; 20, 990 lbs., $14.65.

Cows—1, 1080 lbs., $13.

Calves—10, 110 lbs., $15; 1, 380 lbs., $9.

Bulls—1, 1020 lbs., $14; 1, 830 lbs., $11.50; 1, 1880 lbs., $13; 1, 1710 lbs., $12.

Sheep—3, 120 lbs., $13; 9, 165 lbs., $10.

Rice & Whaley sold the following among their other lots yesterday:

Butcher steers and heifers—7, 4330 lbs., at $14.50; 2, 1690 lbs., $11.75; 1, 670, $10.

Butchers—4, 2570 lbs., at $15.50; 1, 820, $10; 2, 1790 lbs., $13; 3, 3760 lbs., $15.35; 11, 7340 lbs., $15.50; 1, 720 lbs., $14.25; 1, 820 lbs., $14.25; 1, 900 lbs., $12.50; 20, 23,180 lbs., $15.25; 20, 22,660 lbs., $15.25; 1, 810 lbs., $14.50; 1, 580 lbs., $14.50; 17, 14,900 lbs., $14.75; 15, 14,380 lbs., $14.75.

Cows—1, 850 lbs., $9.50; 1, 980 lbs., $11.50; 2, 1900 lbs., $8; 1, 1100 lbs., $5; 1, 1150 lbs., $11.50; 4, 4090 lbs., $10.50; 4, 4440 lbs., $12.15; 1, 920 lbs., $11.75; 1, 720 lbs., $6; 1, 1000 lbs., $12; 1, 1040 lbs., $13; 4, 4490 lbs., $12.50; 40, 34,670 lbs., $15.

Bulls—1, 980 lbs., $12; 1, 1630 lbs., $11.25; 1, 1010 lbs., $14; 1, 1670 lbs., $9.75; 2, 2340 lbs., $11; 1, 1160 lbs., $12.80; 2, 2710 lbs., $12.80.

Rice & Whaley sold one cow and calf for $149.50; 1 cow, $119.50; 1 for $144.50 and 1 for $133.

The Corbett, Hall, Coughlin Company sold 20 cars: Good heavy steers, $15.50 to $16; choice butchers, $15.50 to $15.75; good butchers, $15 to $15.25; medium, $14.50 to $14.75; common, $13.50 to $14; choice cows, $12.50 to $13; good, $11.50 to $12; medium, $10 to $11; common, $8 to $9; canners, $5; heavy bulls, $12.50 to $13; butcher bulls, $11 to $12; choice sheep, $10 to $12; heavy sheep, $8 to $10; lambs, $12 to $16 each; calves, $14 to $16.

The United Farmers' sales were:

Butchers—19, 1210 lbs., at $15.25; 1, 1450 lbs., $15.75; 5, 1030 lbs., $15.35; 12, 950 lbs., $15.20; 5, 1000 lbs., $15; 4, 850 lbs., $15; 1, 950 lbs., $15; 3, 1030 lbs., $15; 3, 970 lbs., $14.75; 4, 930 lbs., $14.75; 7, 920 lbs., $14.65; 1, 910 lbs., $14.50; 4, 910 lbs., $14.25; 3, 1010 lbs., $14.25; 5, 770 lbs., $13.75; 2, 750 lbs., $13.75; 5, 940 lbs., $13.50; 2, 660 lbs., $13.50.

Cows—1, 910 lbs., at $14; 1, 1160 lbs., $13; 1, 1100 lbs., $13; 2, 1020 lbs., $13; 1, 1070 lbs., $12.50; 1, 980 lbs., $12.50; 1, 1120 lbs., $12; 2, 1260 lbs., $11.75; 1, 910 lbs., $11.75; 1, 1030 lbs., $11.60; 1, 1030 lbs., $11.

Bulls—1, 1540 lbs., $12.75; 1, 1350 lbs., $12.50; 1, 1370 lbs., $11.10; 1, 860 lbs., $11; 1, 1370 lbs., $11.

Lambs—Spring, $9 to $15 each. Trade slow. Yearlings, $11 to $13, clipped.

Sheep—Choice clipped, $11; good, $9 to $10; medium and bucks, $7 to $8.

Calves—Choice, $15 to $16; good, $14 to $14.50; medium, $12.50 to $13.50; common, $8 to $11.

Special note: W. P. Glover of Fingal had 19 steers and heifers, 1210 lbs. each. Sold to Gunns for $15.25 cwt. L. E. Sardiff, Brussels, had 3 good cows: 1, 910 lbs., at $14; 1, 1100 lbs., at $13, 1 1160 lbs., at $13. Sold to Harris Abattoir.

WINNIPEG CATTLE RECEIPTS.

Winnipeg, May 31.—(Dominion Branch.) Receipts over week-end, 470 cattle, 526 hogs and 5 sheep. The market for good quality butcher cattle was steady to strong, altho there was only a limited supply for disposal. Bulk of the feeder trade was slow, with prospects of lower prices. Veal calves held firm. Choice quality butcher steers ranged from $12 to $15; female butchers, $13 to $15. Choice stocker steers and heifers from $9 to $10; choice veal calves ranged from $15 to $18. The hog market held steady at $22 for selects.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, May 31.—Cattle — Receipts 10,000. Best cattle 15c to 25c higher; top yearlings, $14.30; best heavy, $13.75; bulk, all weights, $12 to $13.15; she stock steady to strong; spots, higher; choice heavy cows, $11; bulls and canners, steady; medium bologna, $7.75 to $8; calves steady to strong; bulk vealers, $13.50 to $14.25; feeders steady to strong, but quiet.

Hogs—Receipts 45,000; light weights, 15c to 25c lower than Saturday's average; top, $14.90; bulk, all weights, $14 to $14.75; pigs, 25c to 50c lower.

Sheep — Receipts 8000; bulk lambs steady, others lower; sheep 40c lower; good and choice shorn lambs, $16.50 to $17; common kinds, mostly $12 to $13; choice spring lambs, $17.50, others mostly $16.25; good and choice, few ewes, $9 to $10.

MONTREAL CATTLE MARKET.

Montreal, May 31.—(Dominion Live Stock Branch)—Cattle, receipts 566. There was a good stiff trade in cattle this morning at prices estimated to be 50c or 75c higher than those paid last week. There were two loads of real choice cattle, weighing on an average about 1,100 pounds per steer from the Toronto market sold at $16.50, and a few good bulls from the same source sold at $13. The balance of the cattle were from points in eastern Ontario and Quebec, and sold at top of $14.50. Light steers of only common breed and fair quality brought from $13 up. Good cows sold up to $13, and fair cows up to $11. Common thin strippers were around $8.50 to $9.50. Common light Quebec bulls were a little lower at from $5.50 to $9.50, with a top of $10. Canners and cutters were $5 to $7. Fourteen heavy rough steers averaging 1,390 pounds were sold for $15.75, and oxen brought up to $12.

FROM SILVER TO GOLD TIDE HAS TURNED

The following clipping from a New York paper shows the interest now taken in gold shares:

With the steady recession in the value of bar silver until it has reached a level of less than $1 an ounce, public interest is focused more than ever on the importance of increasing the production of gold and therefore upon the value of legitimate gold mining securities. The tide has turned and India and the Orient have satisfied their appetite for silver until they have become gorged and now are dumping their vast accumulation of the white metal upon the world's markets. Only last week, bar silver sold at less than $1 an ounce—a depression in value of more than 37 cents in the last six months.

Silver mining shares are highly speculative, but gold mining shares take on more the aspect of an investment, because gold has a standard value of $20.67 an ounce, which never varies. However, the gold producers have been taxed—not only by the government, but by labor, and while the price of their output has not increased, the price of everything they have been compelled to purchase, including labor, has gone up. In the United States, under the McFadden bill, a tax of $10 an ounce would be levied against the manufacture of gold into jewelry and every other thing except into coins. It then provides that the $10 tax shall be given as a bonus for the production of an ounce of gold.

The American Mining Congress has been very active in Washington furthering the interest of the McFadden bill, and a representative of that organization has announced that the chances for the senate passing the bill are exceptionally bright but that there seems to be doubt about the house. The treasury department is said to be opposed to the McFadden gold measure, but it may also be recalled that the present congress is somewhat opposed to the treasury department and it is congress that will have the final say.

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WHOLESALE FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Oranges.—Prices are materially lower on oranges, ranging from $4 to $7.50 per case, according to size and quality, a few still asking $8 to $8.50 per case.

Bananas advanced, selling at the high price of 10c per pound.

Pineapples are coming in freely, and have a lower tendency, selling at $6.50 to $7 per case.

Asparagus.—Shipments were light, and prices firmer—$1.75 to $2.50 per 11-quart basket.

Hothouse Tomatoes and Cucumbers.—Both declined, the former selling at 50c and 40c per lb., and the latter at $3 and $2 per 11-quart basket, 1's and 2's.

Chas. S. Simpson had four cars of oranges, navels and Valencias, selling at $4 to $7.50 per case; a car of California grapefruit at $5.50 to $7.50 per case; a car of strawberries at 48c per box; Cal. cherries at $5 per case; a car of Florida tomatoes at $10 to $12 per six-basket crate; a car of cucumbers at $5 per hamper; a car of Texas onions at $3 to $3.50 per crate; a car of mixed vegetables—beans at $4.25, carrots at $3.50 to $4; beets at $3.25 to $3.75 per hamper.

Dawson-Elliott had a car of cucumbers selling at $5.50 per hamper; potatoes at $7.25 to $7.50 per bag; Canadian head lettuce at $1.50 per box; oranges at $5.50 to $8.50 per case; pineapples at $6.50 to $6.75 per case; Florida grapefruit at $5 to $8.50 per case; onions at $3.75 to $4 per crate.

H. J. Ash had a car of Cal. grapefruit selling at $6.50 per case and $3.25 to $3.50 per half-case; new potatoes at $9.50, $8.50 and $7 per half-barrel box; Cal. tomatoes at $6 to $6.50 per case; asparagus at $1.75 to $2 per 11-quart basket; pineapples at $7 per case; oranges at $5 to $8.50 per case; lemons at $4.50 per case; cucumbers at $6, and carrots at $3.50 per hamper.

McWilliam & Everist, Ltd., had a car of Florida grapefruit selling at $7.50 to $8.50 per case; a car of pineapples at $7 per case; a car of bananas at 10c per lb.; a car of mixed vegetables—cabbage at $5 to $5.50 per crate; carrots and beets at $3.50 per hamper; cucumbers at $5 to $5.50 per hamper; asparagus at $2 to $2.50 per 11-quart basket; Canadian head lettuce at $1.60 per dozen; leaf at 30c per dozen; Cal. cherries at $3.50 to $6.50 per case.

A. A. McKinnon had a car of potatoes selling at $7.25 per bag; cabbage at $5 per crate; onions at $3.25 to $3.50 per crate.

D. Spence had pineapples selling at $7 per case; oranges at $7 to $8 per case; potatoes at $7 per bag; cabbage at $4 per bbl.; onions at $3.50 per crate; white beans at $8 per cwt.

The Ontario Produce Co. had a car of oranges selling at $5 to $7 per case; pineapples at $6.50 per case; potatoes at $7 to $7.25 per bag; cabbage at $3.50 to $4 per bbl.; onions at $3.50 per crate.

Peters-Duncan, Limited, had two cars of strawberries selling at 43c to 48c per box; pineapples at $6.50 to $7 per case; Florida grapefruit at $6.50 to $8 per case; Cal. lemons at $5.50 to $6 per case; Florida tomatoes at $11 to $12 per six-basket crate; cucumbers at $5 to $6 per hamper; onions at $3.75 to $4 per crate; cabbage at $4 per bbl.; garlic at 40c per lb.

W. J. McCart Co. Limited, had a car of Sunflower brand Valencia oranges selling at $5 to $8 per case; a car Cal. lemons at $5.50 to $6 per case; a car pineapples at $6.50 to $7 per case; Florida grapefruit at $7 to $8.50 per case; Winesap apples at $5.50 per box; potatoes at $7 to $7.50 per bag; cabbage at $4 to $5 per crate.

White & Co., Limited, had two cars of pineapples selling at $6.75 per case; a car of strawberries at 47c to 48c per box; a car bananas at 10c per lb.; a car new vegetables, cabbage at $5 per crate; beans at $4.50, carrots and beets at $3.50 per hamper; hot-house tomatoes at 50c and 40c per lb., 1's and 2's; hot-house cucumbers at $3 and $2 per 11-qt. basket, 1's and 2's; spinach at 75c per dozen; asparagus at $9.50 and $8.50 bushel; new potatoes at $7 per barrel; new half-bbl. box.; Sunkist navels at $5 to $7 per case; Cal. grapefruit at $6, and Florida at $8 to $8.50 per case; Cal. cherries at $5 to $5.50 per box; Cal. lemons at $6 per case.

The Union Fruit & Produce, Limited, had potatoes selling at $7.25 to $7.50 per bag; cabbage at $3 to $3.50 per bbl.; onions at $3.50 to $4 per crate; Canadian head lettuce at $2 per box; asparagus at $2 to $2.25 per 11-qt. basket; pineapples at $6.75 and $7 per case; Florida grapefruit at $7 per case.

Manser-Webb had pineapples selling at $6.75 per case; oranges at $7 to $8.50 per case; Cal. lemons at $6 per case; rhubarb at 40c, and green onions at 40c per doz; Iceberg lettuce at $5 per case; cucumbers at $5 to $5.50 per hamper; asparagus at $1.75 to $2.50 per 11-qt. basket.

The Longo Fruit Co. had oranges selling at $5.50 to $7 per case; Messina lemons at $4.50 per case; pineapples at $6 to $6.75 per case; grapefruit at $7 per case; cabbage at $3 per bbl.; Texas onions at $3 to $3.50 per crate; hot-house tomatoes at 50c and 40c per lb., 1's and 2's.

Stronach & Sons had asparagus selling at $2 to $2.50 per 11-qt. basket; Canadian head lettuce at $2.50 per box; rhubarb at 40c per doz.; cabbage at $5 to $5.50 per crate; carrots at $3.25 to $3.50 per hamper; potatoes at $7.50 and new at $9 per bag; pineapples at $6.50 to $7 per case.

Wholesale Fruits.

Apples—Western Winesaps, $5 to $5.50 per box.
Bananas—10c per lb.
Cantaloupes—Cal., $17 per case.
Cherries—California, $3.50 to $6.50 per box.
Grapefruit—Florida, $6.50 to $8.50 per case; California, $3.25 to $3.50 per half, and $5.50 to $7.50 per case.
Lemons—Messina, $4 to $5 per case; California, $5 to $6 per case.
Oranges—Navels, $5 to $8 per case, Valencias and Mediterranean Sweets, $4 to $7.50 per case.
Pineapples—Cuban, $6.50 to $7 per case.
Rhubarb—Outside grown, 35c to 40c per dozen.
Strawberries—45c to 48c per box.
Tomatoes—Hothouse, No. 1's, 50c; No. 2's, 40c per lb.; Cal., $6 per four-basket crate; Floridas, $11 to $13 per six-basket crate.

Wholesale Vegetables.

Asparagus—$1.75 to $2.50 per 11-qt. basket.
Beans—Dried, white, hand-picked, $8 per cwt.; green, $4.50; wax, $5 per hamper.
Beets—New, $3.25 to $3.50 per hamper.
Cabbage—$3 to $4.50 per bbl., $4 to $5 per crate.
Carrots—New, $3.50 to $3.75 per hamper.
Cucumbers—Leamington, $3 per 11-qt. basket for No. 1's; $2 for No. 2's; imported, outside-grown, $5 to $5.50 per hamper.
Eggplant—25c each.
Lettuce—Leaf, 35c to 50c per dozen; Canadian head, 90c to $1.50 per dozen bunches; Cal. Iceberg, $5 per case.
Onions—Texas Bermudas, $3 to $4.25 per crate.
Parsley—$2 per dozen bunches.
Potatoes—$7 to $7.50 per bag; new, Florida, $18, $16 and $13 per bbl.; $9 per 90-lb. bag; $9.50, $8.50 and $7 per half-bbl. box.
Radishes—25c to 40c per doz. bunches.
Spinach—75c to $1.50 per bushel.
Sweet potatoes—$4 per crate.
Turnips—$2 per bag.
Watercress — 75c to $1 per 11-qt. basket.

K. of C. CONVENTION.

Port Arthur, May 31.—Delegates are arriving here for the seventeenth annual convention of the Ontario state council of the Knights of Columbus. The convention opens Tuesday, and 150 delegates are expected.

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MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Montreal, May 31.—A stronger feeling developed in the local market for cash oats and prices were marked up. There were no further developments in the flour market. Volume of mill-feed business is small and the market quiet. Prices are steady for baled hay. The market for rolled oats is without feature. A steady feeling prevails in the local egg market. Conditions of the potato market is without change. Strength developed in the butter market and the feeling is better in the cheese market.

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