

FISH AND OYSTERS.

There is a rumor that a large quantity of fish has been secured in this market for export. The quantity in pounds is large, and is said to be in the five or six figures. If this proves to be correct it will not only clean out the visible surplus, but will even affect the necessary requirements of our market. This will be the cause of a general advance in prices for all kinds of the water delicacies, as without this huge amount being taken, for Governmental purposes, an advance was looked for in the immediate future. Most of the fishing and curing operations have stopped for this season on the Eastern coast. The production of lake fish has also been under the average, while the supplies of Pacific Coast fish have been up to the requirements. Amongst the species that will advance in price are, in the frozen line, haddock, mackerel, herring, smelts and thereby haddies, fillets and kippered herrings.

There is no frozen herring of any amount available at present. A couple of cargoes are now in transit from Newfoundland to Halifax, but no prices have been given out as yet. Live lobsters are outrageously high at 40 to 50 cents a pound.

Trade in shell and bulk oysters is steady, and the volume of trade passing is fair.

Current wholesale prices are quoted as follows:

| Fresh. | |
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| Haddock, per lb. | 0.06 |
| Market Codfish, per lb. | 0.05 |
| Stead Codfish, per lb. | 0.06 |
| Carp, per lb. | 0.12 |
| Smelts, medium, per lb. | 0.13 |
| Lobsters, live, per lb. | 0.40 0.50 |
| Lobsters, boiled, per lb. | 0.43 0.53 |
| Frozen. | |
| Salmon, Caspe, large, per lb. | 0.14 0.15 |
| Do., Red Steel Heads, per lb. | 0.12 0.13 |
| Do., Red Sockeyes, per lb. | 0.10 0.10 1/2 |
| Do., Red Cohoes or Silvers, Round, per lb. | 0.09 0.10 |
| Salmon, Red-Cohoes or Silvers, Dressed and Headless, per lb. | 0.10 0.10 1/2 |
| Salmon Pale Qualla, dressed, per lb. | 0.07 0.08 |
| Halibut, large, per lb. | 0.09 0.09 1/2 |
| Do., medium, per lb. | 0.09 0.10 |
| Do., Chicken, per lb. | 0.08 0.09 |
| Mackerel, Bloater, per lb. | 0.08 0.09 |
| Herrings, medium, 60 lb. per 100 count | 2.25 |
| Do., large, 85 lb. per 100 count | 2.50 |
| Do., medium and large, per lb. | 0.04 |
| Salt and Prepared. | |
| No. 1 Green Cod, large, per barrel | 10.00 |
| Do., medium, per barrel | 9.00 |
| Do., small, per barrel | 7.50 |
| Do., Haddock, medium, per barrel | 8.00 |
| Smelts, Medium, per lb. | 0.13 |
| Do., Pollock, medium, per barrel | 7.50 |
| Do., Quebec Eels, large, per lb. | 0.07 1/2 |
| Dried Codfish, medium and small, 100 lb. bundle | 7.00 |
| Do., Hake, medium and large 100 lb. bundles | 5.50 |
| Do., Pollock, medium and large, 100 lb. bundles | 66.50 |
| Dressed or skinless Codfish, case | 66.50 |
| Boneless Codfish, strips, 30 lb. boxes | 0.10 |
| Shredded Codfish, 12 lb. boxes, 24 cartons, 1/2 lb. each, a box | 1.15 |
| Oysters and Clams. | |
| Oysters, pails, 1/4 gal., per 100 | 1.10 |
| Do., 1/2 gal., per 100 | 0.90 |
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| Oysters, cans, each 1/2 to 1 gal. | 0.25 |
| Sealed best standards, quart cans, each | 0.45 |
| Do., selects, quart cans, each | 0.55 |
| Smoked Fish. | |
| Haddies, 15 lb. boxes, new, per lb. | 0.08 |
| Do., 30 lb. boxes, per lb. | 0.08 |
| Do., Fillets, per lb. | 0.10 |
| Do., boneless, 15 and 30 lb. boxes | 0.09 |
| Yarmouth bloaters, 60 in box—Selected | 1.20 |
| St. John's Bloaters, 100 in a box | 1.00 |
| Do., 60 in a box | 1.00 |
| Kippered Herrings | 1.00 1.20 |
| Smoked Herrings—large size, per box | 0.14 |
| Smoked Herrings, medium, per box | 0.15 |
| Smoked Boneless Herrings, 10 lb. box | 1.40 |
| Smoked Salmon, per lb. | 0.20 |
| Smoked Eels | 0.12 |

MONTREAL GRAIN STOCKS.

The stocks of grain and flour in store in Montreal to-day, as compared with a week and a year previous, were:

| | Jan. 29, 1916. | Jan. 22, 1916. | Jan. 30, 1915. |
|--------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Wheat, bushels | 1,481,358 | 1,475,372 | 1,373,047 |
| Corn, bushels | 10,203 | 9,243 | 116,390 |
| Peas, bushels | 261 | 1,282 | |
| Oats, bushels | 2,187,806 | 1,907,985 | 1,091,515 |
| Barley, bushels | 91,167 | 83,059 | 287,712 |
| Rye, bushels | 23,996 | 22,835 | 15,427 |
| Buckwheat, bushels | 5,826 | 5,826 | 8,030 |
| Flour, sacks | 58,698 | 54,526 | 107,815 |

The approximate revenue of the Ontario lands, forests and mines for 1915 is \$2,195,000. The chief item is \$1,500,000 from woods and forests, which included \$928,000 received from timber dues.

CASH GRAIN SITUATION.

The cash grain markets closed as follows on Saturday, January 29, 1916:

MONTREAL:

Oats: Ontario and Quebec grades, No. 2 white, 51 1/2c; No. 3 do, 50 1/2c; No. 4 do, 49 1/2c per bushel ex-store.

Barley: Manitoba, 74c per bushel ex-track, Fort William. Ontario malting, 70c to 72c, and feed, 62c to 63c.

TORONTO:

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, \$1.14 to \$1.16, outside, according to location.

Manitoba wheat—No. northern, \$1.28 1/4; No. 2 northern, \$1.26 1/4; No. 3 northern, \$1.24 1/4.

Oats—Ontario No. 2 white, none offering; No. 3 white, 45c to 46c, outside.

Corn—American, No. 3 yellow, 84 1/2c.

Peas—No. 2, \$1.25 to \$1.75, sample; No. 2, \$1.90, carlots.

Barley, 64c to 66c, outside for malting and 57c to 60c, for feed.

Buckwheat, 78c to 79c, shipping points.

WINNIPEG:

Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.26 1/4; No. 2 northern, \$1.23 1/4; No. 3 northern, \$1.21 1/4; No. 4, \$1.17 1/4; No. 5, \$1.10 1/4; No. 6, \$1.04 1/4; feed, 97 1/2c.

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 48 1/2c; No. 3 C.W., 43 1/2c; extra No. 1 feed, 43 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 42 1/2c; No. 2 feed, 41 1/2c.

Barley—No. 3, 67c; No. 4, 62c; feed, 53c.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., \$2.10 1/2; No. 2 C.W., \$2.07 1/2.

CHICAGO:

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.36 1/4; No. 3 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, \$1.31; No. 3 hard, \$1.29 to \$1.30.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, 75 1/2c to 76c; No. 4 white, 74 1/2c to 75 1/2c.

Oats—No. 3 white, \$51 1/2c to 51 1/2c; standard, 53c.

Rye—No. 2, \$1.04. Barley, 68c to 81c. Timothy seed, \$5.50 to \$7.65. Clover seed, \$10 to \$18.50.

WINNIPEG GRAIN INSPECTIONS.

Inspections of cars of grain at Winnipeg for the week ended January 29, 1916, as compared with a week and a year ago were:—

| | Jan. 29, 1916. | Jan. 22, 1916. | Jan. 30, 1915. |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| No. 1 hard | 1916. | 1916. | 1915. |
| No. 1 Northern | 857 | 607 | |
| No. 2, do. | 455 | 360 | |
| No. 3, do. | 311 | 302 | |
| No. 4, do. | 149 | 144 | |
| No. 5, do. | 69 | 81 | |
| No. 6, do. | 24 | 12 | |
| Other Grades | 160 | 153 | |
| Winter | 10 | 2 | |
| Total | 2,035 | 1,661 | 621 |
| Oats | 501 | 503 | 191 |
| Barley | 57 | 78 | 59 |
| Flaxseed | 23 | 15 | 53 |

CANADIAN VISIBLE GRAIN.

The visible supply of wheat and oats in Canada on January 22, 1916, as compared with a week and a year previous was:

| | Wheat, Bush. | Oats, Bush. |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Week ended Jan. 22, 1916 | 42,552,518 | 16,086,010 |
| Week ended Jan. 15, 1916 | 44,242,742 | 16,541,253 |
| Week ended Jan. 23, 1915 | 13,630,764 | 6,181,385 |

UNITED STATES VISIBLE GRAIN

The visible supply of wheat, corn and oats in Montreal on the dates mentioned below was as follows:

| | Jan. 22, 1915. | Jan. 15, 1916. | Jan. 23, 1915. |
|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Wheat | 68,365,000 | 69,331,999 | 63,456,000 |
| Corn | 12,035,000 | 10,910,000 | 30,143,000 |
| Oats | 20,593,000 | 20,876,000 | 32,203,000 |

PARIS-GALT LINE TO BE SOLD.

The Brantford, Ont., City Council on January 28, by a vote of 10 to 3 gave the third reading to a by-law passed by the property owners in January to sell the Paris-Galt end of the Grand Valley line to the Lake Erie and Northern Railway for the sum of \$30,000, and the electrification of the L. E. and N. Railway from Galt to Port Dover.

PUBLIC NOTICE

"The Beaver Realty and Investment Co., Limited."

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under the "QUEBEC COMPANIES ACT," letters patent have been issued under the seal of the Honourable Provincial Secretary, bearing date 26th January, 1916, incorporating M.M. Harry Louis Horsey, contractor, Hugh MacKay, advocate, Edson Grenfell Place, advocate, Delle Marie Zaire Pilon, stenographer, all of the city and district of Montreal, and John Saluste Lavery, bailiff, of the town of Longueuil, in the district of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, for the following purposes, viz:—

To buy, sell, exchange, let, lease and otherwise deal in real estate of all kinds and descriptions, and to acquire and hold hypothecs or other rights secured upon real estate.

To carry on a general investment and real estate business both for itself and as agent or broker for any other person or company.

To carry on business as builders and contractors, and generally to do construction work of all kinds and descriptions.

To promote, operate, buy, sell or otherwise deal in moving pictures and other theatres, and generally to carry on any enterprise for amusement or recreation purposes, subject to compliance with all civic or municipal regulations.

To hypothecate any immovable property of which the company may be possessed, and to issue bonds and debentures secured upon such immovable property.

To sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of the property and undertaking of the company, or any part thereof, for such consideration as the Company may think fit and in particular for shares, debentures, bonds, or securities of any other company;

To acquire, purchase or assume all or any part of the business undertaking property, assets, privileges, contracts, rights, applications and liabilities of any company, firm or person carrying on any business which the company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this company;

To subscribe or to acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise, the shares, bonds, debentures or other securities of any other company, and to sell, hold, transfer with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with the same.

To issue paid up shares, debentures, stock, debentures, bonds or other securities of the company in payment or part payment, for any property or rights which may be acquired by the company or in or towards the payment and satisfaction of debts and liabilities owing by the company, or for raising money for any purpose of the company;

To do all or any of the matters hereby authorized either alone or in conjunction with others or as factors, trustees or agents of others.

To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of any of the above objects.

The operations of the company to be carried on throughout the Province of Quebec and elsewhere, by the name of "THE BEAVER REALTY INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED," with a capital stock of twenty thousand dollars, divided into four hundred shares of fifty dollars each, and the chief place of business to be at the village of Chambly, in the district of Montreal, in the province of Quebec.

Dated at the office of the Honourable Secretary, this 26th day of January, 1916.

C. J. SIMARD,
Assistant Provincial Secretary.

New Companies

The following new incorporations have recently been announced:

Federal Charters.

- Automatic Sprinklers Company of America, Limited, Montreal, \$10,000.
- The Canada Entertainment Company, Limited, Montreal, \$100,000.
- Frontenac Moulding and Glass Company, Limited, Toronto, \$250,000.
- C. Caplan, Limited, Ottawa, \$50,000.
- Munitions and Machinery, Limited, Sorel, \$100,000.
- Winnipeg Steamship Company, Limited, Winnipeg, \$100,000.
- Moscovitch Bros. and Company, Limited, Montreal, \$50,000.
- Essex Provision Company, Limited, Windsor, \$50,000.
- The Mahood Drug Company, Limited, Kingston, \$50,000.
- Canadian Bronze Powder Works, Limited, Montreal, \$500,000.
- L. Lewis and Company, Limited, Montreal, \$50,000.
- E. Robillard, Limited, Ottawa, \$100,000.
- Precision Tool and Machine Company, Limited, Montreal, \$50,000.
- DeSales Manufacturing Company, Limited, Montreal, \$100,000.

Quebec Charters.

- L'Imprimerie Plessis, Limitee, Plessisville, \$3,000.
- The Reid Company, Limited, Quebec, \$20,000.

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