

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS. TORONTO.

Receipts of live stock at the City Market, as reported by the railroads, were 62 carloads, composed of 794 cattle, 459 hogs, 1358 sheep, 101 calves and 2 horses.

There were several lots and loads of good cattle, which sold readily at good prices, but there were many of the common kind that sold at low prices.

Trade was better than for several markets, especially for the best in all classes.

Exporters—A few export bulls sold at \$3.25 to \$4.50 per cwt.

Butchers—Choice picked Christmas cattle sold at \$4.75 to \$5.50 per cwt loads of good, \$4.50 to \$4.70; medium cattle at \$4 to \$4.25; common at \$3.50 to \$3.75; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.50; canners, \$2 to \$1.50.

Feeders and Stockers—Not many feeders and stockers were on sale. Prices quoted by Harry Murby were unchanged as follows: Best feeders, 1000 to 1100 lbs, at \$3.50 to \$3.90 per cwt; best feeders, 900 to 1000 lbs, at \$2.90 to \$3.50; best stockers, 800 to 900, at \$2.85 to \$3.15; best stockers, 600 to 800 lbs., at \$2.40 to \$2.75; common stockers, unchanged at \$1.50 to \$1.75.

Milkers and Springers—There was a fair supply of milkers and springers, and prices ranged from \$25 to \$55 each, the bulk of the best going at \$40 to \$50 each.

Veal Calves—Trade was good for good to choice quality, of which there were few on sale. Prices ranged from \$3 to \$6 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—The run of sheep and lambs was moderate, with prices firmer for lambs. Export sheep, \$3.75 to \$4; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Hogs—Receipts were light. Mr. Harris reports prices 10c per cwt. higher, at \$5.60 for select and \$5.35 for light fats.

## KLEIN VS. BECKER.

This was an action brought by Jos. F. Klein of Formosa, against Adam Becker of Carrick, for \$20, the price of a cream separator. It was tried on Friday before Judge Barret. Klein makes a separator very different from other separators on the market, and at less than half the cost, Louis Meyer, F. X. Keiffer and others, who had used the machine gave it a good character, but Becker said the one he got was no good at all. Then he contended that he never actually bought it, but only agreed to take it on trial. When Klein took it out he objected to taking it, but Klein said he could try it for a week or so, and that if he was not satisfied with it at that time, he didn't need to keep it. Klein, however, denied that version of the bargain. Any way after keeping it a few days he took it back, parts of it in the meantime having been broken. Klein offered to fix it for him, but Becker then informed him that he did not intend to keep the machine at all. Klein was prompt in telling him that he would have to keep it, or at all events that he would have to pay for it, and that if he didn't pay for it he would sue him. Becker left the machine and Klein sued him. The Judge awarded Klein \$5 damages.—Walkerton Telegram.

A rather strange thing happened near Paisley on Wednesday of last week. A man named Welsford was driving into Paisley, and had reached a point where the railway track comes close up to the highway. Just then along came the train. The horse he drove, becoming uncontrollable, through fear sprang up in the air with its fore feet and then fell down dead. Fear killed it.

Having bought lottery tickets all his life without ever winning anything, Chas. S. Davis, of Brooklyn, threw away a ticket which he recently bought for a drawing. Now he finds he was entitled to an \$800 automobile, and he must give bond before he can claim his prize.

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In the act of dressing a duck, Mrs. Keightley of Marquette, Mich., was amazed to discover in the crop of the bird a sleigh bell nearly an inch in diameter. How it had been swallowed without causing death is a mystery. The bell was smooth and bright, just as if it had come from the factory, and it bore evidence of having been carried by the duck for several months. The bird had apparently not been injured by its peculiar diet.

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## HYMN TIMED EGGS.

A well known bishop relates that while on a recent visit to the south, he was in a small country town, where, owing to the scarcity of good servants, most of the ladies preferred to do their own work.

He was awakened quite early by the tones of a soprano voice singing, "Nearer My God, to Thee." As the bishop lay in bed he meditated upon the piety which his hostess must possess which enabled her to go about her task early in the morning singing such a noble hymn.

At breakfast he spoke to her about it, and told her how pleased he was.

"Oh, law," she replied; "that's the hymn I boil eggs by; three verses for soft and five for hard."

## Returning Officers and Poll Clerks

The following returning officers and Poll Clerks were appointed by the Carrick Council for the approaching municipal elections:

RET. OFFICER	POLL CLERK
No. 1. J. A. Johnston	A. Mugar
" 2. Jacob Schmidt	Alex. Kramer
" 3. Frank Oberle	W. J. Noll
" 4. John Inglis	John S. Ingis
" 5. Chas. Dickinson	Wm Reddon
" 6. Peter Hesch	Wm Spielmacher
" 7. Simon Goetz	B. Ruland
" 8. Moses Pilger	Thos. H. Jasper.

Henry Green, a negro, of Washington, D. C., afflicted with a laughing disease, has at last been sent to prison for disturbing the peace of the city. Through his uproarious laughter Green became a nuisance in the town. Physicians say he is suffering from a nervous affection. Mischievous boys, knowing of his propensity, would start Green laughing, and then run. Green, unable to stop, would arouse the neighborhood with his loud haw-haw, continuing until he was exhausted. He has been arrested several times, but his hilarity remained unsubdued. Lately he has become so boisterous in his mirth that a charge of disorderly conduct has been lodged by the police.

The epidemic of mild smallpox that is sweeping through the province just now is causing a considerable amount of uneasiness, and towns not already affected are taking stringent precautions against an outbreak or spread of the disease. The very mildness of the form of the disease is to some extent accountable for its prevalence, as it is not treated as seriously as a more pronounced type would be. In some cases it has been discovered that relatives of affected persons have gone so far as to attempt concealment until those affected have become so ill as to require the attendance of a doctor. Such conduct is both wrong and foolish, and is often responsible for the spread of this most repugnant of diseases.

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Part of East Zorra, the district surrounding Golspie, has for some months been troubled by a fierce pack of dogs, which worried sheep and lambs, and even young cattle, and killed large numbers of them. Last week a big collie female was shot in its lair, in a hollow log, with its two cubs, by Thomas Redhead, and it is believed that this does away with the leader of the pack. The dogs put up a fierce fight, and it was only after much trouble that they were shot. They fought like wolves.

"The meanest man I ever knew," said Mark Twain, "lived in Hannibal. He sold his son-in-law the half of a very fine cow, and then refused to share the milk with the young fellow, on the ground that he had only sold him the front half. The son-in-law was also compelled to provide all the cow's fodder and to carry water to her twice a day. Finally the cow butted the old man through a barbed wire fence and he sued his son-in-law for \$50 damages."

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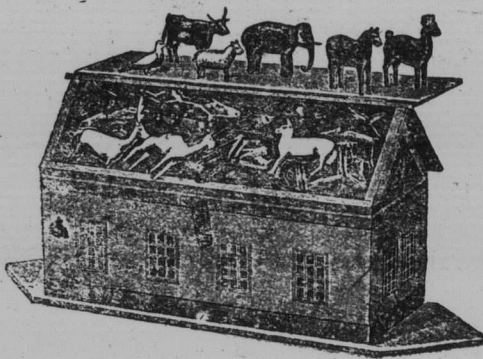
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