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The advance in sheep a week ago caused very heavy shipments this past week, and prices have again declined. Supplies now are very uneven. Ewes are quoted at \$2.50 to \$4; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.25; and bucks and ewes, \$3 to \$3.25.

Hogs continue strong, but the market at the present time is reported as easy. On the market hogs are quoted at \$8.10 and \$7.70 f.o.b. shipping points.

At Montreal cattle are stronger than a week ago. The demand has come principally from local butchers, and supplies were not in excess. Choice steers are quoted at \$5.25; good, \$5.25 to \$6; fair, \$4.75 to \$5; and common, \$4.50 to \$5. Cows bring from \$4 to \$5.50 and bulls \$3 to \$4.50. Larger supplies and weaker demand have resulted in lower prices for sheep and lambs. Lambs sell at \$6, and sheep at \$4. Calves are quoted at \$3 to \$10 each according to size and quality.

**MONTRÉAL, HOG MARKETS.**  
Montreal, Saturday, Aug. 26.—The market here for live hogs is very firm, and there was an active demand for this week's offerings at the various markets, everything available being cleared at \$7.85 to \$8 a cwt. for selected lots weighed off cars. The offerings were light compared with the previous week, and were quickly picked up at these

prices. There is a good, steady trade passing in dressed hogs, and the market is firm at \$10 to \$10.50 a cwt. for fresh killed abattoir stock.

### EXPORT BUTTER AND CHEESE

Montreal, Saturday, Aug. 26.—The market for cheese is still booming, and prices have recorded another high water mark, the top price for the week having been paid at Alexandria, where the whole of the offerings were sold at 137½¢ a lb. At other points the prices paid ranged from 131½¢ to 134½¢. The week is closing with an easier feeling prevalent, and was quite noticeable at Montreal on Saturday, where the offerings sold, some at 131½¢ but others only fetched 133½¢, and some of the larger buyers were not prepared to pay these figures, their bids being in the neighborhood of 13¢. There must be a limit to the price at which the British dealers will buy cheese, and it is generally believed that the limit has been reached, and a reaction is generally anticipated. It all depends, however, upon the British market, and if they continue to buy at these prices there will certainly be no reaction in prices on this side. The make here is short of last year, and there is very little prospect of any increased output this fall. The shortage in the make of English cheese is the chief reason for the present high level of prices which will likely prevail until next season's output is available for consumption.

The market for butter is also very firm, owing to the great demand for export

and a large demand from the local dealers. There is a steady shipment of butter to the west, and also some speculative buying from the United States, all of which combine to make a strong market here, and keep stocks down to a low level. As high as 25¢ has been made for choice Eastern Townships creamery, although generally holders are accepting less money, the general quotations being 25 to 25½¢.

### CHEESE MARKETS

Montreal, Aug. 24.—The Quebec Cheese Makers' Agricultural Society sold cheese at 135¢; fine, 135½¢ to 134½¢; 2, 131½¢ to 132½¢.

Brookville, Aug. 24.—905 white and 240 colored were offered; all sold at 131½¢. Vanhook Hill, Aug. 24.—115 boxes white and 129 boxes colored boarded. All sold at 131½¢. Winchester, Aug. 24.—590 white and 30 colored; 131½¢ was offered, but none sold at 131½¢. 630 colored boarded; considerable of the stock was sold out at 131½¢ to 135½¢ at 133½¢.

London, Aug. 26.—954 colored; 45¢ sold at 131½¢ to 135½¢. St. Hyacinthe, Que., Aug. 26.—653 pack aged butter sold at 25½¢ and 501 boxes cheese at 127½¢.

Waterbury, N. Y.—Aug. 26.—Cheese sales were 7,000 at 12½¢ to 12¾¢.

### GOSSIP

Mr. Wm. Stewart, the noted Ayshire breeder of Menzies, Ont., writes Farm and Dairy that he has a very fine bull calf about a year old for sale and which can be seen at the Toronto Exhibition; he also has one about a month old, sired by Queen's Messenger of Spring Hill, No. 2154, also a number of others about a year old and younger.

### AN AYSHIRE MEET

Over 100 farmers attended a meeting of "The Menzies District Ayshire Breeders' Club," which was held at Mr. Wm. Stewart's Ayshire Stock Farm, Menzies, on Wednesday, August 23. Mr. W. F. Stephen, secretary of the Ayshire Breeders' Association, gave a practical address in the morning on "How Best to Improve the Production and Type of Ayshires by Feeding and Breeding," and conducted judging classes in the afternoon to illustrate the desirable types of both male and female.

Mr. E. B. Mallory of Frankford, a member of the Belleville Holstein Breeders' Club, writes Farm and Dairy that Lulu Keyes is smashing all previous records for her age, having almost reached 15,000 lbs. milk with over four months yet to run in the year. She is still giving over 55 lbs. a day and will do better when the fresh corn and roots are fed. Her mate, Rosa Omega, at 11 years of age, is also being tested and gave a little over 12,000 lbs. milk to her credit at the end of the sixth month. Both these cows are in calf to Count Dorset, and it is intended to offer one at least at the Breeders' sale next April. In another column Mr. Mallory is offering some splendid bull calves for sale.

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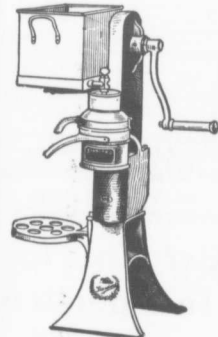
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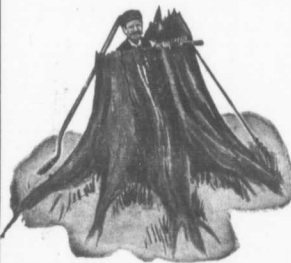
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