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DOMINION AMMUNITION

cause packers to bid against each other, and prices at country points during the week have been as high as here. Quotations for hogs during the week were \$6.65 for selects and \$6.40 for lights, fed and watered. At several country points west of these figures were paid during the week. Drivers report that \$6.65 f.o.b. was paid at Stonfield, \$6.60 at Gornley, and \$6.75 a cwt. at Hagarville. At some points west of London only \$6.25 a cwt. was paid. This would indicate that hogs packers are endeavoring to lower prices they cannot do so and get the supply necessary to keep their establishments running. At Buffalo the market is reported slow and lower at \$7.10 for heavy and mixed; \$6 to \$6.30 for Yorkers; \$4 to \$5.60 for pigs; \$2.45 to \$5.60 for roughs, and \$6 \$6.75 a cwt. for dairies.

THIS WEEK'S HOG PRICES

The William Davies Co., Toronto, expect to pay \$5.25 this week for hogs f.o.b. whether they will be able to hold to this figure depends upon the supply. They require a certain number each week to keep their plant running and are sometimes compelled to pay more than the market will warrant in order to get their supply. They report that many light hogs arriving for which there is no profitable market at this season of the year. Many of these are coarse, lanky, unfinished hogs that should be kept by farmers for a couple of weeks longer. Last week 10 per cent. of the hogs received were of this quality. Unless the number gets very much smaller a severe cut in prices will have to be made. F.o.b. buying makes this hard to do. The drivers will take all the hogs a farmer has at the same price, regardless of quality. These are shipped to the packing house and the driver usually has his money before the hogs pass final inspection. Drivers are be-

ing warned regarding light hogs and if they continue to arrive they have been doing a cut of 50c to \$1 a cwt. may be looked for in the price.

The Trade Bulletin's London cable of August 13th reads: The market is weak, and 25 lower. Canadian bacon 58c to 62c.

PETERBORO HOG MARKET

Peterboro, Ont., Aug. 15, 1908.—Owing to cables from the Old Country and the large deliveries of Danish hogs the Canadian market continues very weak. The George Matthews Co. quote the following prices for this week's shipment f.o.b.: country points: \$6.35 to \$6.40 a cwt.; delivered at abattoir \$6.60.

UNION STOCK YARDS PRICES

Peterboro, Ont., Aug. 17.—There was a brisker market at the Union Stock Yards this morning, and everything sold early, at higher prices in most cases. The run was 60 cars, comprising 1145 cattle, 51 sheep, 39 hogs and 39 calves. Exporters sold at 15c a cwt. higher. Choice steers brought \$5.55, the bulk sold at \$5 to \$5.50 a cwt. Export bulls sold at \$4 to \$4.50. Hatching calves sold readily enough at last week's prices, with choice quality quoted at \$4.90 to \$5 a cwt. Good cattle sold at \$4.25 to \$4.75, medium at \$3.75 to \$4.25; inferior stuff was no higher. Cow sold at \$3.50 to \$3.75 a cwt. Milk cows sold at \$3 to \$3.50 each, and calves at \$3 to \$6 a cwt. There was a big run of sheep. Export sheep sold at \$4 to \$4.50, bucks, \$3 to \$3.25, and lambs at \$3 to \$4 a cwt. Hog quotations are very scarce in the country, and packers may have to pay more to get hogs; \$6.65 is quoted here for selects. J. W. W.

EXPORT BUTTER AND CHEESE

Montreal, Saturday, August 15th.—We had another sharp upward movement in cheese this week, and prices have reached their highest level of the season. At the beginning of the week everything pointed to an advance. Enquiries were coming in from all parts of the United Kingdom, and the continued shortage of the make here with the consequent small receipts, all tended to stiffen the market here and make dealers more or less anxious to get possession of a few cheeses before the advance, which seemed bound to come, materialized. As a result, we were consequently given practically a free hand and prices were rushed up at all points, and at the highest level of the season, at high as 12½c and 5½ lb. was paid at several points, although the bulk of the cheese in the country sold for about 12½c and 12c. At this price there are not many orders coming from the other side, but still there are sufficient to warrant the price, and maintained, and the only very evident indication that there will be no serious set back in the market for a couple of days.

Receipts are falling off very rapidly and are almost 20,000 boxes less than the corresponding week last year, a reduction of fully 20 per cent. The make during the months of June and July have been fully 15 per cent. short of last year, and there

is every indication of the August make being as much short. We have had refreshing rains generally, and it may be that the September make will show up as well as last year, but it would not be wise to bank upon this.

Shipments have also been light, the total this week amounting to 70,000 boxes. A fair proportion of the sales being made are for storage purposes, and this would account to some extent for the small shipment. Our market in Montreal has been steadily growing during the past few weeks and must total now fully 230,000 cases, a large proportion of which is held for English account.

There has been more interest taken in butter during the past few days, and the market has advanced a slight amount. The increased inquiry. Country markets Saturday ruled all the way from 23½c to 24c in latter price being quoted at Cowanville.

MONTREAL PRODUCE TRADE

Montreal, Saturday, August 15.—Butter.—There has been a good trade doing in butter locally during the week, and prices have ranged all the way from 23c to 25c, according to creamery. Choice creamery prints have sold at 24½c to 25c; with solids at 24c to 24½c; ordinary finest selling at 23½c to 24½c, with underlines at about 23c. Choice dairy butter extra fatched 22c, with lower grades from 20c to 21c. Higher prices are looked for next week, on account of the increased cost at factory points.

Cheese.—There is a fair trade in cheese, at prices practically unchanged from the previous week. Quotations range from 13c to 14c, according to quality. There are a few small French cheeses to be had at 12½c to 12½c.

Eggs.—The market for eggs is steady and unchanged. There is a good demand

for all grades, but especially for selected stock, which sells freely at 35c; No. 1 stock is quoted at 30c to 32½c, and No. 2 at 16c to 17c.

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Cheese Board Prices

BOARD	Date Met/g	WHITE CHEESE			COLORED CHEESE		
		Boarded	Lowest Price	Highest Price	Boarded	Lowest Price	Highest Price
London	Aug. 8	130	11-15	115	58	11-15	
Whitby	" 11	730	12-11	116			
Campbellford	" 11	825	12-11	116			
Belville	" 12	2,165	12-11	110		12-5-10	
Vanklee Hill	" 12	1,474	12-11	123			
Woodstock	" 12	1,151	12-11	123	2,263	12-1-10	
Alexandria	" 13	977	12-11	123	65	121	
Brookville	" 13	1,445	12-11	123	1,885	122	
Kingston	" 13	838	12-11	123			
Isleswell	" 13	380	12-11	123			
Winchester	" 13	315	12-11	123	293	12-9-16	
Iroquois	" 14			123	516	122	
Montpelier	" 14	2,865	12-3-16	122			
Alexandria	" 14	710	12-7-16	122		7-16	
Listowel	" 14			122	1,331	121	
Ortwa	" 14	1,229	121	122	390	120	
Pictou	" 14	1,350	121	121	462	121	
Napanee	" 14	1,350	121	121			

QUEBEC	DATE	PRICE
Covansville	Aug. 8	345 30 11 12
Sharnbrook	" 11	279 12-16
Huntingdon	" 14	279 12-16
Victoriaville	" 14	2,000 1-3

NEW YORK	DATE	PRICE
Canton	Aug. 9	2,800 11 1/2