

# Spices of Superior Quality

The first requisite with us is quality, purity and freshness. We cater for those who insist on a high standard of living.

The best food are the healthiest and happiest — notably so when the element of extra expense is entirely eliminated. This important feature has always been a cardinal principal with us. Our customers live better for less money than those who buy elsewhere.

We sell nothing but the purest and best spices and vinegars, and you know that the best are always the cheapest and we believe it is a waste of money to use anything else.

Of course we have to pay more for the pure goods but that is your profit, as we charge you no more than you would pay elsewhere.

Let us have your orders now.

The Star Grocery.  
The Store of Quality.

## J. N. Scheffer

Terms—Cash or Produce.

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS TORONTO.

Receipts at the Union Stock Yards yesterday: 167 cars—2372 cattle, 32 calves, 546 hogs, 1075 sheep and 1088 horses.

While receipts were large at the Union Stock Yards yesterday, all grades of cattle held their own, with the exception of cows, which were 10c to 20c lower.

Calves were steady.  
Hogs steady, but packers quote them 2c lower.

Lambs were much lower, the highest price paid being 11c a lb.

Light, handy butcher sheep were steady to strong.

Butcher Cattle—Choice heavy steers, \$8.20 to \$8.50; good heavy steers, \$7.80 to \$8.

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Cows—Choice, \$6.75 to \$7; good, \$6.40 to \$6.60; medium, \$5.75 to \$6; common, \$5 to \$5.50.

Canners and cutters, \$4 to \$4.75.  
Bulls—Best heavy, \$7 to \$7.75; good, \$6 to \$6.75.

Stockers and feeders, \$5 to \$6.50.  
Milkers and springers, \$5 to \$100.

Spring lambs—Choice, 10½c to 11c per lb.; culls, 8c to 10c a lb.

Light, handy sheep, 7½c to 8½c a lb.; heavy, fat sheep, 4c to 5½c a lb.

Veal calves, 5½c to 11½c a lb.  
Hogs—Fed and watered, at \$12.25 to \$12.35; weighed off cars at \$12.35 to \$12.60.

#### Additional Locals.

Farm Laborers Excursion will be run to the West on Aug. 17 and 31 for this district. The fare to Winnipeg is \$12.

The largest black bass that was ever caught around Goderich was landed last week by Wm. Patten, G. T. R. engineer. It weighed six pounds five ounces and measured 27½ inches long. Mr. Patten caught the fish with a trawl.

A mother of eight sons, seven of whom are in the army, has recently been granted total exemption for her eighth son. One of the sons is a sergeant-major in the Grenadiers, and served in the Boer War and was also a bearer at the funeral of King Edward. Another son is a sergeant-major instructor in India.

One of the queerest farms in the world is the snake farm at Butantan, Brazil, where thousands of poisonous snakes are kept in captivity. The venom is removed from these reptiles and injected into the veins of a number of young horses kept for the purpose. It has been learned that thousands of tubes of serum are distributed from this institution every year, and much has been done to reduce the high mortality rate resulting from snake bites.

From dead cow on the battle-field to new boots on the same field is the completed cycle accomplished in Russia. It is reported that a large number of cattle grazing along the Russian battle front have met their death by getting in the way of flying shells. There were so many dead cattle lying about and the Russian General Staff feeling it a pity to let all the hides go to waste that the attention of the Gemstone Union (a Russian citizen body) was called to the matter and they went into the leather business. A tannery took care of the hides collected by the union, and Bossie's skin soon became the best quality of leather ever made into boots.

Prohibition in Manitoba.  
After two months of prohibition in Manitoba, both retail and wholesale businessmen assert that their businesses have increased and that a notable change in the matter of collections has taken place. Drink proved responsible for 75 per cent. of the police court prosecutions and at present the police commission, while not dismissing any men on the force, is not filling vacancies from time to time. The city is thereby saving money. In the past two months there have been only 25 convictions on drunkenness. In May, the month before prohibition came in, there were 233.

Gave Circus With a Car.  
Lymon Chapman, a farmer of Williams brought his car and a neighbor to Strathroy Thursday, and while Chapman was in a store on Front street the car and the neighbor put on an interesting performance which ended in the wreck of the car. Mr. James McQueen, the neighbor had no experience with cars, so that when he accidentally stepped on the self-starting lever he did not know what the consequences would be. The car had been left in high gear and when the engine started it almost lifted the car off the road, and started it down the road at a speed approaching 25 miles an hour. McQueen could not stop the car but hung to the wheel cork-screwing through the street at high speed. Finally the machine skidded and crashed through the front door of James Northcott's residence, knocking out the door frame. Several windows also were broken in the house. The car was almost a complete wreck, but Mr. McQueen escaped. The tires were torn to shreds and the floor of the car was badly smashed.

## Helwig's Weekly

### Straw Hats

All straw hats going at 25 to 50 per cent off regular prices. Mens, Womens, Boys and Girls. Now is the time to get a new lid.

### GLOVES

### TIES

### HOSE



### Mens Fine

### Shirts

98 cts.

Broken lots and sizes in Mens fine shirts, good assortment of patterns, sizes 14 to 16½ Regular values \$1.25 and 1.50 to clear at 98c.

### House Dresses

98 cts.

Women's print and gingham house dresses, good style, sizes 34 to 40, prices \$1.25 up to \$2.00 to clear at 88c.

### Childrens Dresses

Girls dresses made from good quality gingham and plain chambray, sizes 1 to 15 years of age. Prices 39, 59, 79 and 99 cts.

### Childrens Parasols

Childrens colored parasols. Small size 18c, large size 25c.

### Trimmed Hats

Your choice of any trimmed hat at 98 each.

### Flowered Crepe

Flowered and plain crepe Regular values 15, 20 and 25 cts. Price to clear 12½c per yard.

## LOTS FOR YOUR MONEY NOW

YOU'LL GET LOTS OF CHANGE BACK IF YOU COME IN AND BUY FROM US NOW.

WE HAVE PUT OUR PRICES AWAY DOWN LOW TO MOVE OUR SUMMER GOODS OUT FAST.

## August Clearing Specials

Plain and Twill Sheeting Special 25c yd

150 yds of plain and twill sheeting, 2 yds, wide very special to clear at 25c per yd.

36 inch Bleach Cotton 10c yd.

200 yds. of fine even thread bleach cotton at less mill price, to-day 10c per yd.

86 inco Factory Cotton Special 10c yd.

350 yds of medium weight factory cotton 36 inches wide, closely woven threads making a good around cotton for many uses.

Indigo Galatea Suiting at 20c yd.

8 patterns to choose from, fast judging for boys, girls and women's wear. Prices manufacturers are asking to-day at old

### AUGUST PRICES ON SUMMER GOODS.

Bring us your Butter, Eggs, Wool, etc.

# HELWIG BROS.

GENERAL MERCHANTS,

Alfred Weiler The People's Grocers Ed. Weiler

### Flour

White Rose and Peerless

### Gargill's

### Feed

Bran, Shorts, Low Grade.

### Meats

Bologna, Wieners, Pork Sausages, Head Cheese, Cooked Ham, Smoked Hams, Picnic Hams, Spiced Rolls, Summer Sausage etc.

### Dumart's

### Sausages

### SPECIALS

3 lbs Japan Tea, regular 40 cts per lb, now 3 lbs for One Dollar.

10 lbs of Orient Coffee, regular 40c lb, now \$3.50 per Tin

—Terms—  
Cash or Produce

Weiler Bros., Prop.

Gold Medal  
650 foot

Silver Sheaf  
600 foot

Green Sheaf  
550 foot

Plymouth  
Special 500 foot

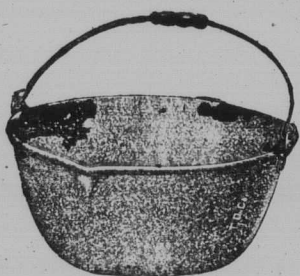


THIS trade-mark on the tag is your assurance that you have received the genuine Plymouth Twine—the kind that's always good.

Pure Paris Green. 1 lb. pkg. 50 cts,  
1-2 lb. pkg. 30 cts.

### Gold Medal Brand Harvest Tools—

Forks, Rakes, Hoes, Scythes, Swaths, etc—  
Are the Best on the Market.



Preserving Kettles

We have a big variety of sizes and prices.

ROCK SALT

HANOVER CEMENT

Liesemer & Kalbfleisch  
THE CORNER HARDWARE.