

WITH THE FARMERS

COMMERCIAL MARKETS.

Anything like the usual interest in the Edmonton market is not expected from the farmers at this season of the year.

During the past winter no commodity has been offered in greater quantities than hay. As high as sixty loads have been sold in one day.

A great many inquiries are coming into dealers in the city for seed potatoes from neighboring farmers.

Winnipeg cash wheat—No. 1 Northern, 1.19 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 1.17; No. 3 Northern, 1.14 1/2; No. 4, 1.06 1/2; No. 5, 1.00; No. 6, 91 1/2; No. 1 feed, 78; rejected 1-1 Northern, 1.15; rejected 1-2 Northern, 1.12; rejected 1-3 Northern, 1.09; rejected 2-1 Northern, 1.13; rejected 2-2 Northern, 1.10; rejected 2-3 Northern, 1.07; rejected 2-4 Northern, 1.05; rejected 2-5 Northern, 1.03.

Winnipeg options: Wheat—May 1.20 1/2, 1.18 1/2, 1.21 1/2, 1.20 1/2, 1.19 1/2, 1.17 1/2, 1.15 1/2, 1.13 1/2, 1.11 1/2, 1.09 1/2, 1.07 1/2, 1.05 1/2, 1.03 1/2, 1.01 1/2, 1.00.

Butter and eggs have struck a considerably lower price than was usual during the winter season. Butter is quoted at 20 cents to 25 cents per lb., with a premium for extra quality.

The approach of spring weather has caused a great falling off in the fresh meat market with the result that prices are now from 6 1/2 to 7 cents per lb. in carcass.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS.

The live stock trade has displayed a weak tendency during the week but prices remain unchanged.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
Chicago, Ill., April 25.—Shipping demand for hogs continued today and made a strong to five cent higher market, while packers bid five cents lower than yesterday.

FRIDAY'S GRAIN MARKETS.
Winnipeg, April 25.—The wheat market was erratic, but closed higher.

WILD FLURRY IN WHEAT.

May Option Boosted by Bulls to 124 1/2 and Then Recedes to Thursday's Close.
Chicago, April 25.—There was a wild flurry in the wheat pit at the sound of the gong this morning when bulls and bears indulged in a clash resulting in May, after opening at 122 1/2, advancing to 124 1/2, tumbling to 120 3/4 and again resting on the spot of 121, where it closed Thursday.

OPERATORS AND MINERS AGREE.
Two Days' Conference Ends in Satisfactory Manner.
Philadelphia, Pa., April 22.—Anthracite operators and the United Mine Workers of America are to sign an agreement next week as the result of the two days' conference, completed today at the Reading terminal.

THE BEAUHARNOIS MURDER.
Brother-in-Law of Deceased Charged With the Crime.
Beauharnois, Que., April 22.—Little direct evidence regarding the murder of Domina Pelletier, who was shot to death here on the 12th instant, was brought out at the inquest which opened here today before Coroner Bisson, of Valleyfield.

BY THE BOX CAR ROUTE.
Two Chinamen Gain Entrance to U.S.
Chicago, Ill., April 23.—Two Chinese aliens, who thought to become residents of the United States without the formality of an inspector's certificate by slipping into the Canadian "Box Car Route," will be disappointed.

OIL TRUST IN PRINCE ALBERT.
Big Oil Deposits at Buffalo Lake Being Investigated by Standard Oil.
Prince Albert, April 22.—That John D. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil King, is interested in the country to the north of Prince Albert is assured in the minds of the local men.

WANTED IN WINNIPEG.
Paul Lessar Waives Extradition in New York.
New York, N.Y., April 22.—On the complaint of Courtney Bennett, the British Consul General in this city, United States Marshal Charles H. Lessor on her arrival this afternoon from Europe.

STANDARD COMMENDS BUDGET.
London Journal Congratulates Fielding on Excellent Financial Statement.
London, April 22.—The London Standard congratulates Hon. W. S. Fielding, Canadian minister of finance, on his excellent financial statement and says he chose wisely in deciding to balance the national accounts rather by a reduction of expenditure than by imposing new taxation.

STEAMER SANK; 19 DROWNED.
Norwegian Boat Sunk in Collision with English Liner.
Christiana, April 23.—The Norwegian steamer Edith, was sunk today off Strobek following a collision with the English liner Oxford. Nineteen were drowned. The Oxford was badly damaged and was beached. Most of the drowned were sleeping when the crash came.

Swindler in Clergyman's Garb.
Minnesota, April 22.—Minnesota police are searching for a minister who, it is said, has hooded the Twin Cities with bogus checks. According to reports, Minneapolis business men have lost nearly \$2,600, while St. Paul has lost \$1,000.

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WILL STAND TRIAL ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Preliminary Hearing of Charge Against Zuch at the City Police Court—Evidence of Eye-Witnesses to the Affair at Stoney Plain. Zuch Sent up for Trial at May Assizes.
Before Police Magistrate Cowan in the police court Friday George Zuch, the Stoney Plain livery stable keeper, was given his preliminary hearing on the charge of murdering Edward Ingle on April 3rd at Stoney Plain with intent to kill and there to murder the said Ingle. The charge was laid by the brother of the deceased, Leonard S. Ingle. When the case began at 10:30 the court room was crowded with spectators, among these present being a large number of Stoney Plain people who were friends of the principals.

Defence Takes Objection.
Mr. Robertson took objection to the examination before Magistrate Cowan contending that the prisoner had been brought to the court by a constable and that he was not a party to the crime.

GALICIAN IN CAVE-IN.
Three of Them Buried in Calgary Trench—Two Dead as a Result.
Calgary, April 23.—At 9:45 this morning three Galician laborers, working in a water main excavation on Seventh Avenue, east, were buried in a cave-in. The trench was ten feet deep and the soil was practically the same as that for 1907, but owing to increased expenditures and a decrease in passing traffic the company had not carried a dividend.

OUT LICENSES IN TWO.
Cornwall Will Now Have Only Eight in Place of Sixteen.
Cornwall, Ont., April 23.—The Ontario license commissioners sprang a surprise today by cutting off the licenses from eight hotels in the county, four of these—the Queens, Empire, Central and St. Ormont—are established in town. Last year the town had sixteen licenses, but the burning of the Windsor and the action of the commissioners has cut the number to eight hotels and two shops.

Bank Clerk Pleads Guilty.
Saskatoon, April 23.—Fred Lee, the defaulting cashier of the Bank of Montreal, pleaded guilty today in private and after formal evidence was submitted pleaded guilty to all the eight charges preferred and asked for a speedy trial. He was committed and sent to Prince Albert.

Astronomer Approves Pickering's Plan.
Paris, April 22.—Professor W. H. Pickering's plan of signalling Mars by a series of mirrors was submitted to Camille Flammarion. The proposition has the full approval of the eminent French astronomer.

Jan. Captain Joins Ranks.
Yokohama, April 22.—A Japanese captain, Kippu Kato, has been deprived of his rank at his own request and has joined the Chinese revolutionaries at Tokio.

Harriman Going to Europe.
New York, April 22.—E. H. Harriman, the railway magnate, will make a summer trip to Europe for a stay of an indefinite period, for his health.

Appointment of D.O.C.'s Not Made.
Ottawa, April 23.—The Militia department says the appointments of the Calgary and Winnipeg D.O.C.'s has not yet been made.

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GRANTING TOO MANY DIVORCES IN CANADA

Chairman of Private Bills Committee of House Takes Senate to Task For Large Number of Divorces Granted This Session.
Ottawa, April 22.—Hon. J. A. C. Ethier, chairman of the private bills committee of the House of Commons, had some pointed remarks to make this morning as to the divorce bills which are being passed by the Senate. He protested against the number of these. This session, he said, there were 21 of these bills, as against three or four in former sessions. The action of the Senate in this regard was beginning to be an abuse. In cases for simple separation as to property and not bodily, the judges of the Supreme Court were properly severe, but the Senate was passing bills of absolute divorce without Mr. Ethier's mind, any satisfactory proof of the only cause upon which divorces were granted by the parliament of Canada.

300 IMMIGRANTS FOR ALBERTA.
Arrived in Calgary and Set Out for Various Parts of Province.
Calgary, April 23.—A mass meeting of citizens interested in an historical pageant for the Calgary fair was held last night. The meeting appointed the different committees. It was decided that an effort should be made to get the bands and fire brigades from the different parts of the province to attend the pageant.

Insurance Measure May Not Be Passed This Session.
Ottawa, Ont., April 23.—Owing to the desire on the part of the members of the House of Commons to bring the session to a close, there is a possibility that the insurance bill will not be put through this session. Hon. W. S. Fielding and the officials of the department are desirous of having the bill placed on the statute books, but as there is a general desire to get away in the third week in May, the bill will depend on the progress of the bill interfere with the progress. However, no definite decision has been reached to leave the bill over, and much will depend on the progress from under May and July options.

Cunard Declares No Dividend.
Liverpool, April 23.—At the annual meeting of the Cunard Steamship Company, the chairman announced that the revenue of 1908 had been \$14,800,000, which was practically the same as that for 1907, but owing to increased expenditures and a decrease in passing traffic the company had not carried a dividend.

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Wabamun school district, No. 1937, second class certificate preferred, salary \$600 per annum; duties commencing June 1st, 1909. Apply to J. G. Goulet, Irvineville, Alta.

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Sheriff's Sale
Province of Alberta
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Lot 4 Block 22 River Lot 12 in the city of Edmonton. Said Land will be sold subject to a mortgage to Francis Merland for \$700.00, which I shall expose for sale on Friday the 14th day of May at the Sheriff's Office, Edmonton at the hour of 2.30 p. m. Sheriff's Office, February 11th, 1909.

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