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## Crop Conditions Unfavorable And Wheat Market Strengthens

reicago Grains Have Good Advance From Saturday's Low Point-Weather Conditions the Important Factor.

Peas-No. 2, 70c to 71c outside

Winnipeg Grain, Market. Wheat—June 90%c, July 91c, Oct. 88% Oats—June 31%c, July 32%c, Oct. 33%c

Hops—In London (Pacific coast) firm, 44 to 55.

Lard—Dull; prime western, 61s 9d; American refined, 62s.

NEW YORK, June 6 .- Butter-Firmer;

Primaries.
Wheat receipts, 466,000; shipments, 252,1. Corn receipts, 831,000; shipments,
1,000. Oats receipts, 564,000; shipments,
1,000.

Visible Supply.

A comparison of the visible grain supplies in the United States to-day and on the corresponding dates of the past two years, is as follows (in bushels):

June 8, '08. June 7, '09. June 6, '10.

Wheat 21,277,000 17,526,000 18,652,000.
Corn 3,511,000 2,833,000 5,470,000.
Oats 6,554,000 7,498,000 6,730,000.
Compared with a week ago, the visible wheat shows a decrease of 1,485,000 bushels, corn a decrease of 20,000 bushels, and oats a decrease of 175,000 bushels.
During the corresponding week last year

EXTERNAL TRADE OF BRITAIN

-Exports,Cotton piece goods ......
Woollen and worsted tissues and

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were sixteen bads of hay. Hay—Sixteen loads sold at \$17 to \$21 per Wheat, fall, bush..... 

 Wheat, Iall, Dush
 39

 Wheat, red, bush
 095

 Wheat, goose, bush
 090

 Buckwheat, bush
 056

 Rye, bushel
 068

 Earley, bushel
 048

 Peas, bushel
 072

 Qats, bushel
 039

 Hay and Straw— Hay, No. 1 timothy..... 

 Fresh Meats
 Beef.
 forequarters, cwt.
 \$9 00 to \$10 00

 Beef.
 hindquarters, cwt.
 12 00
 13 50

 Beef.
 choice sides, cwt.
 11 00
 12 00

 Beef.
 medium.
 cwt.
 19 50

 Beef.
 common.
 cwt.
 7 50
 9 50

 Mutton,
 light.
 cwt.
 12 00
 14 00

 Veals,
 common.
 cwt.
 6 00
 7 00

 Veals,
 prime,
 cwt.
 10 00
 12 00

 Dressed hogs,
 cwt.
 12 50
 12 75

 Spring lambs,
 per 1b
 0 18
 0 20

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Sutter, separator, dairy, Ib. Butter, separator, dairy, io. 0 18
Butter, store lots ... 0 18
Butter, creamery, solids ... 0 22
Butter, creamery, ib. rolls ... 0 20
Eggs, new-laid ... 0 20
Honey, extracted ... 0 104
Honey, combs, dozen ... 2 25

Hides and Skins. Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Dealers in Wool, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Raw . 0 101/2 No. 3 inspected steers, cows and bulls
Country hides
Calfskins
Horsehides, No. 1 Horsehair, per 1b Fallow, per 1b..... Sheepskins Wool, unwashed
Wool, washed
Wool, rejections

FRUIT MARKET.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Local grain dealers' quotations are as Maritoba flour—Quotations at Toronto are: First patents, \$5.30; second patents, \$4.80; strong bakers', \$4.70.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, 981/2c; No. 2 northern, 911/2c, track, lake ports. Oats—Canadian western oats, No. 2, 34c; No. 3, 33c, lake ports; Ontario, No. 2, 33c, at points of shipment

Wheat No. 2 mixed or white, 94c to 95c, as she slept last night.

Butchers' Cattle 10c to 15c Cwt. Higher-Sheep, Lambs Steady-Calves Easy-Hogs \$9.35 Cwt

Exporters.

Export steers sold from \$6.50 to \$7.75; but only 15 picked cattle brought the latter price, the next highest price being \$7.40; export helfers, \$6.50 to \$7; export bulls sold at \$6 to \$6.50.

Butchers.

A moderate supply of milkers and pringers sold at steady to firm prices it \$40 to \$66 each.

84 last year. Country offerings very moderate. Cash prices higher with the futures. We do not care to follow this advance in prices.

Oats—Market was slightly easier early, but turned strong with other grains.

Provisions—An increased demand for provisions, packers leading in the buying caused a good advance and a firm closing to this market.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

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Liverpool, June 6.—Wheat—Spot closed dull; No. 2 red winter, no stock.

Futures steady; July 6s 64d, October 6s 73d.

The Morris Co. Bought.

George Campbell bought for Morris & Co. 300 Manchester exporters. 1100 lbs average weight, at \$6.75 average price: 368 Liverpool exporters, 1170 lbs. each, and 37 average price: 200 London exporters, 1280 lbs. each, at \$7.25, including 15 choice London cattle, 1500 lbs. each, at \$7.75, the best load of cattle seen on the Toronto market this season. 7%d.
Corn—Spot easy; old American mixed, av
5s 4d; new, kiln-dried, 5s; new, kilndried, via Galveston, 5s 3d. Futures nom-

Swift & Co. Bought. E. L. Woodward bought for Swift & Co. 560 cattle; 200 London cattle; 1272 lbs. average Neight, at \$7.20, average price; 359 Liverpool exporters, 1160 lbs. average weight, at \$6.90, average price. In this number there were four leads of heifers, 1000 to 1200 lbs. each, at \$6.50 to \$7 per cwt.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Butter—Firmer: receipts, 7073; creamery, specials, 28%c; extras, 28%c; third to firsts, 26c to 28c; state dairy, finest, 28c; do., common to prime, 23%c to 27c; process, second to special, 23c to 23c; factory, 22%c to 23%c; imitation creamery, 24c to 25c.

Cheese—Uusettled; receipts, 952; state, whole milk, new, special, 14%c to 15c; do., fancy, 14%c; do., average prime, 13%c to 14c; do., fair to good, 12%c to 13%c; do., fair to good, 12%c to 12%c; do., fair to good, 12%c to 12%c; do., common, 10c to 12c; skims, full to special, 24%c to 12c.

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common, 10c to 12c; skims, full to special.

2½c to 12c.

Eggs—Weak: receipts, 17,544; state,
Pennsylvania and nearby, henneries,
white, 23c to 25c; do., gathered, white,
21c to 24c; do., hennery, brown, 22½c to
23c; do., gathered, brown, 21c to 22c;
fresh gathered, storage packed, selections,
20½c to 21½c; do., regular packed, extra
first, 20½c to 21c; do., first, 19½c to 20c.

LATHERS' STRIKE SETTLED,

Wm. Crealock bought for the D. B.
Martin Company 200 cattle—steers and heifers at \$6 to \$6.90; cows at \$5 to \$6 per cwt.
Wesley Dunn bought: 40 sheep at \$5 per cwt. 30 lambs at \$6.25 each, 120 calves at \$5.75 per cwt., all average quotations.

A. W. Maybee bought: 30 cows, 1000 to 1200 lbs. each, at \$5.35 to \$5.75; 10 bulls, 1000 to 1200 lbs. each, at \$4.90 to \$5.75.

Wm. McClelland bought 101 butchers' cattle, 900 to 1100 lbs. each, at \$6.25 to \$6.70. The strike of the lathers was settled yesterday, when the bosses signed an agreement.

The wood lathers are divided into

The wood lathers are divided into three grades. The first is to receive \$3.50 a day for eight hours, the second \$3 and the third \$2.50.

There are to be no grades in the metal lathing. There will be a flat rate of \$3.50 a day, with \$4 for a foreman.

Throwing it into Roosevelt.

CAIRO, June 6.—Excitement among the Egyptian Nationalists over Theodore Roosevelt's Guildhall speech is growing more intense. Several meet-

The best load of suporters, averaging papers of the Nationalists, in a bitter attack on Mr. Rosesveit, calls him a second Dr. Cook.

El Alam, the official organ of the Nationalists, says: "He has buried himself alive, has proved his ignorance of history by saying that Egypt has not seen the like of the present government since 2000 years. His statements show his love of despotism and his savage nature, which led him to visit his brethren, the beasts of Africa.

Belleville Old Boys' Reunion.

A reunion of the Old Boys of Belleville. Special railway rates are in effect on many lines, and turra. Let ments have been made on a large scale for hospitable sntertalument for the ments have been made on a large scale for hospitable sntertalument for the mose-comers. Among those in charge of the reunion are: Mackenzie Bowell, K.C.M.G., ex-prenier of Canada; E. d. Porter, K.C., M.P.; J. W. Johnson, M.L.A.; Mayor Marsh and D. V. Sinclair. The secretary is Lieut.-Col. Ponton, who invites correspondence from any odd Hastings clitizens who have been trainsplanted to this city.

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Al Lewa, one of the most influential papers of the Nationalists, in a bitter attack on Mr. Roosevelt, calls him a Market Notes.

CATTLE MARKETS

Hogs Steady to Lower at East Buffalo —Cattle Higher. Dominion Millers' Association Sec-

CHICAGO, June 6.—The 27,000 menubers of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen yesterday gained important increases in wages amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars yearly by the decision of the arbitration committee which has been deliberating in Chicago.

Firemen on main and branch passenger service get an increase of 15 cents a hundred miles. The men had demanded 25 cents. Firemen in irregular freight and mixed service get an increase of 15 cents a hundred miles on oil engines and 30 cents on coal engines. They asked for 40 cents. Firemen in local or weigh freight service get an increase of 25 cents a hundred miles. Firemen on the Mallet type of locomotive get \$4 a hundred miles. Firemen on vard service get an increase of 25 cents a hundred miles. Firemen on the Mallet type of locomotive get \$4 a hundred miles. Firemen on vard service get an increase of 25 cents a hundred miles. Firemen on the Mallet type of locomotive get \$4 a hundred miles. Firemen on vard service get an increase of 25 cents a hundred miles. Firemen on the Mallet type of locomotive get \$4 a hundred miles. Firemen on vard service get an increase of 25 cents a hundred miles. Firemen on the Mallet type of locomotive get \$4 a hundred miles. locomotive get \$4 a hundred miles. Firemen on yard service get an increase of 25 cents. Hostlers and other classes of employes get an increase of

35 cents. The increases are retroactive, dating back to the beginning of the year.

Got Back Bones of Tecumseh. Got Back Bones of Tecumseh.

CHATHAM, June 6.—The Indians from St. Anne's Island went to Wallaceburg Saturday and demanded the bones of Tecumseh which were taken up from a grave there by Dr. Mitchell and party. Dr. Mitchell acceded to their request in accordance with an agreement made with the Indians in a council held before the remains were disinterred. The Indians have replaced the skeleton with solemn Indian rites. People here do not believe that the remains found were those of Tecumseh.

Everyone Thought She Was Going Into Consumption. Gained Ten Pounds in Two Weeks by the Use of Burdock Blood Bitters.

retary Reviews Facts in Connection With Elevator Scandals,

The World:

"While Ontario millers have learned by bitter experience that the Manitoba wheat they get is not always as good quality as they pay for, their complaints of mixing and manipulation of the grades have been met by denial and scorn, so the report of Warehouse Commissioner Castle, published in full in The Winnipeg Tribune of May 27, would prove very interesting to them, especially as it reports that the Winnipeg Grain Exchange regard the matter of such a grave character that they may take action regarding it.

taken by the appointing of extra has been possible. That Commissioner Castle in his report was not disposed to judge the elevator company too harshly, is, I think, pixinly shown by the following quotation: "From the statements submitted by Mr. Gibbs, it appears there were inspected out of the elevator during the week of Dec. 12 106,399.50 bushels mitted by some shipments, which have been by some shipments, which have been by some shipments, which have been mitted from the elevator receipts some than the total receipts sent to me, but this might be explained by some shipments, which have been mitted from the elevator receipts by mistake, and if so it would rest the operation, which under the continuous property of the fine inflicted is an encouragement to the elevators to by mistake, and if so it would rest to co. only made one cent. a bushel one, as even if the Empire Bleva tor Co. only made one cent. a bushel one, as even if the Empire Bleva tor Co. only made one cent. a bushel less than a fair allowance were made for mistakes in measurement, it would be found that the quantity overshipped of No. 1 northern would about balance the under shipments of No. 2 northern to 370,000 bushels, and if a fair allowance were made for mistake in measurement, it would be found that the quantity overshipped of No. 1 northern would about balance the under shipments of No. 2 northern to 370,000 bushels, and if a fair allowance were made for the measurement, it would be found that the quantity overshipped of No. 1 northern would about balance the under shipments of No. 2 northern to 370,000 bushels, and if a fair allowance were made for the measurement of the clevators at the fair allowance were made for the measurement of the clevators and of the interest of the fine inflicted is an encouraged to use and manipulation of the gravity and the continuous and the c

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Commissioner Castle says: "In view of this, I do not consider that any action of this kind should be taken at action of this kind should be taken at the present time, but that the elevators should be weighed up as soon as practicable and if it is then ascertained that discrepancies exist to the extent above indicated, or to any serious extent, that the question of cancellation of the Empire Elevator Company's license should be seriously considered."

Perjury Difficult to Prove.

In reference to the Port Arthur elevator, Commissioner Castle reports:
"Mr. Hudson advises me that a proce-"Mr. Hudson advises me that a prosecution of the party making the statements for perjury would be very difficult to sustain, that the prosecution for the mixing of grades would slso be a very difficult one to sustain, and that the magistrate might give the company the benefit of the doubt walker an actual weightup of the and that the inagistic many the company the benefit of the doubt unless an actual weigh-up of the grain in the elevator had been made. It would also involve a protracted and expensive contest. In view of this I do not consider any action of this kind should be taken at present, but that a weigh-up of the elevator should be made as soon as it can be done practicable and in the event of it then being ascertained that any serious discrepancies still exist in the grades, the question of canceling the license should be considered."

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of these reports with the conclusion he arrives at in the case of the Conhe arrives at in the case of the Con-solidated Elevator Company, who did everything they could to assist the enquiry, by producing books and docu-ments on request, and while the over-shipments of No. 1 northern in their case only totaled 61,807 bushels, and the shortage of No. 2 northern amounted to 24,164, and No. 3 northern 38,051 bushels. This, they contended, was owing to the loaning of wheat to the owing to the loaning of wheat to the Lake Shippers' Association, and they were only fined \$50, yet Commissioner Castle reports: "In view of the action taken by the magistrate and the explanation of the elevator company I think that further action should be deferred until it is practicable to weigh-up the elevators and ascertain to what extent, if any, mixing has been carried on. In event, however, of its being ascertained by the weigh-up that mixing has been carried on, I would recommend that the company's license be canceled for tweive menths."

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The amount of illegitimate profit made in this way is not by any means the most serious item, for the fact is that the price of every bushel of wheat the farmers of the Northwest raise is reduced because this degraded No. 1 Northern is shipped to Great Britain, and when the buyer there receives the wheat and finds it not up to the quality which he was entitled to receive, then he fixes the price on all the wheat of that grade he purchases for the balance of the crop on the value of this degraded No. 1 Northern, because he cannot afford to take any chances. In this way, altho only a few million camot afford to take any chances. In this way, altho only a few million bushels may be manipulated during the season, the farmers lose on the whole crop that they raise. The damage to the Ontario miller is even greater, as he is compelled to bring his grain thru the public elevators at Fort William and trust to the government grading, as he is not in a position to buy his wheat direct from the farmers at the mill door, as the millers in the Northwest are. In order to retain his trade both here in Ontario and the Eastern Provinces, he must have as good wheat to manufacture his flour as the big Manitoba miller can get, and it is ap-

Manitoba miller can get, and it is apparent from the revelations made in Commissioner Castle's report that the only way this can be done is for the government to own and operate the elevators at Fort William. The Farmer's Interest. That every farmer is deeply interested in having the wheat fully up to grade is shown by the discussion at the last annual meeting of the Experithe last annual meeting of the Experimental Union on the damage caused to Ontario farmers by foul seeds imported in Manitoba wheat screenings. The Manitoba Yarmer is docked in weight for the foul seeds, etc., in his grain, and if it was cleaned properly at Fort William it would remain there instead of being shipped down to the Ontario mills, where the foul seeds are taken out with the screenings, and thus reach the Ontario farmers, whereas if the government operated the elevators the wheat would be properly cleaned at Fort William, where it should be.

As the elevator charges at the eleva-

ESTATE NOTICES.

be innocent.

The results shown in Commissioner Castle's report are of such a nature that every right thinking man would support the government in proceduting elevator companies both on the charges of perjury and of the mixing of the grades, even if all does involve "a protracted and expensive contest," and in punishing them to the utmost limits of the law, and thus showing the foreign buyers of grain carrying the Dominion Government certificate that they can rely on the utmost protection being given shipments made under the government's guarantee, as otherwise the buyers will lose all faith in the government certificates which we have always contended should be no unassailable as a Dominion bank bill, because it means in the eyes of the buyer that the government pleases its self that the quality is genuine.

A Short-sighted Policy.

After the many millions spent by the government in providing facilities to develop our great Northwest, it would appear to be a very short-sighted policy to leave the most important trade of that country at the mercy of a group of unscrupulous men when the government, by investing \$7,000,000 or \$8,000,000 more, which would return handsome profits, can not only meet the wishes of every branch of the grain trade except the operators themselves, but at the same time provide an absolute guarantee, as far as that is possible, to buyers that they will get the grain they pay for and thus protect its high reputation.

Was the Boy Kidnapped?

Was the Boy Kidnapped? LONDON, Ont., June 6.—What is apparently a case of kidnappins was brought to light Saturday night with the disappearance of George T. Gering, a 10-year-old Barnardo boy, who was taken from the Grand Trunk depot Saturday evening, and has not been seen since. The police have searched the city all over but so far have been unable to locate the alleged kidnapper, thought by the police to