

THE MARKETS.

Revised Every Monday for the Weekly Sun.

COUNTRY MARKET.

Eggs are cheaper. Poultry have a narrow range. Butter is higher. In butter, most and poultry there is no change to note. Speaking generally the market does not change much from week to week.

Table of market prices for various goods including beef, pork, butter, and other commodities. Columns include item names and prices.

The market is unchanged, but stocks are light and demand fairly good. The supply of fresh frozen fish has been small for some time.

Table of market prices for various goods including codfish, herring, and other fish products. Columns include item names and prices.

The spice market is very firm. Sugar is steady. Quotations generally are unchanged.

Table of market prices for various goods including coffee, rice, and other food items. Columns include item names and prices.

The flour market is steady. The local mills are now supplied with corn. Middlings and bran are scarce and higher, owing to an unprecedented demand for feed in the west.

Table of market prices for various goods including buckwheat, rye, and other grains. Columns include item names and prices.

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PRONINCIAL NEWS.

Items of Interest From Various Places Throughout the Province.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Feb. 23.—The home of W. Benson Jamieson was gladened on the twenty-first inst. by the arrival of a little daughter. The baby was born at the home of Captain Dumbelle in a private hospital on the ferry next week. He has ordered a fine new boat and will be in a position to give the best service that has ever been maintained on the river.

High Wright of Mountville, an aged and much respected citizen, lies at the point of death. Mr. Wright has been collector of taxes for the parish of Hopewell for 19 years.

The trains which were blocked on Tuesday in a snow drift for forty-eight hours at Scott's siding, about six miles from here, caused quite an excitement as they arrived about eleven o'clock last evening. Several engines, and the services of every available man were secured to get the trains moving.

During the past year twin daughters have brightened three different homes in this vicinity, the latest having arrived on the 13th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas. Death has claimed one little daughter, the other is doing well.

Mrs. Harry Deakin entertained a few of her friends on Monday evening in a very enjoyable manner. The invited guests were, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lewin, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Speer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Deakin, Mr. and Mrs. A. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Arsook, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Murchie, and Mr. Horman.

SHEPPIED, Sunbury Co., Feb. 25.—Mr. Fox, a farmer, from Hampstead, Queens Co., lodged at one of our farmers' houses in Sheffield on his return trip from Fredericton this week, with a few dollars in his pocket, a number of barrels of winter apples that he had disposed of in Fredericton to the Queen Hotel and Barker House. That farmer will find that in his experience fruit growing is more profitable than wheat, even with a bonus.

A San Francisco doctor performed a successful operation for a rich woman, and when asked for his bill presented one for \$50. The woman said, "Do you consider that a reasonable charge considering my circumstances?" The doctor replied, "Your circumstances have nothing to do with it." The lady drew a check for \$500 and the doctor was satisfied.

MAUGHERVILLE, Sunbury Co., Feb. 25.—Non-resident Postmaster Sewell and assistant have advised that their trip to the city during the last storm, while the mail via Oromocto did not get on its regular trips until Saturday, being nearly a week in confinement.

to hand over the sums collected in the town from Scott act fines to the town treasurer, and that the town carry out the act. Council Lindsay seconded the motion. Council Jones thought the town should go slow.

Council Henderson also opposed the motion. Ketchum was in favor of the resolution. Last year he understood some \$1,700 was collected, of which amount \$1,300 was collected within the town.

Council Graham said he felt with Council Ketchum in the matter. He did not see why the county council should be asked to legislate for the town of Woodstock.

Council Jones thought if the measure passed, the town would have ten drunken men to take care of where they had none now. He would not like to see the act enforced as it was in St. Stephen and Fredericton.

Council Henderson thought the county might not enforce the act, and then liquor would be sold just outside the borders of the town.

After further discussion the motion was carried by the following vote: Yeas—Councils Carr, Lindsay, Ketchum, Graham, Naves—Councils Jones and Henderson.

The mayor appointed the following a committee on the Scott act: Councils Carr, Lindsay and Ketchum.

CHATHAM, Feb. 28.—Rev. Geo. M. Young delivered a very interesting and instructive address at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The rooms, which have been temporarily closed, are to be reopened tomorrow evening, with Harry S. McDonald in charge as general secretary.

The town has placed a whistle on the electric light station to be used as a fire alarm.

that church will be married tomorrow to Miss Merrithew, daughter of E. S. Merrithew of Kennebec.

The Davidson gave a skating exhibition in the curling rink tonight.

HILLSBORO, Albert Co., March 1.—Much sickness prevails here at present, and Mrs. Randall and Mrs. Burns are both hosed with mumps, having gone out too soon and caught cold.

Dr. B. A. Marven and W. M. Burns have been elected representative and alternate to the supreme circle O. C. H. C., which meets in London, Ont., on the 15th inst.

W. C. Stoves has started for the Yukon gold fields. Clarence Dawson will go in a few days. He is now recovering from an attack of mumps.

John Moore, evangelist, is holding services in the Baptist church.

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son. He leaves a widow and several small children to mourn.

Miss Melissa Benson, a most estimable young lady of Belleisle creek, died Feb. 27 of consumption.

East Scotch Settlement, Feb. 25.—William Henderson, manager of the Belleisle creek cheese factory, met the majority of the farmers this evening at the home of Peter Kings. They agreed to sell him milk for about four months for 70 cents per hundred weight and pay \$52 towards the cost of hauling the milk to the factory.

Simon Scribner's eldest son was badly kicked in the face by a horse yesterday.

The school at Upper Belleisle is being taught by Miss Edith Northrup of Colliana.

HOPWELL HILL, March 2.—Hugh Wright, collector of rates for Hopewell, died at Mountville this morning in the 78th year of his age. He was a man of superior intelligence and judgment, and enjoyed the respect and esteem of all. With the exception of two years when he was out of office, he held the position of collector for over forty years. He was also supervisor of roads for many years. He leaves a wife, who was formerly a Miss Fearaby of St. John, and two sons and three daughters—Wilmot, Rufus W. and Miss Alice Wright of Mountville, and Mrs. J. L. Elliot and Mrs. Hueston Stewart of this village.

Robert Myles of Albert received a very severe cut in the leg with an axe while at work in the woods yesterday.

Miss Almira Robinson, who has been ill for some weeks with inflammation of the lungs and heart affection, is recovering. Mrs. Donald McCuspy is very ill at her home at the Hill.

The hay market is unusually dull this winter.

The Double G

Three men sat ably comfortable on a street. They had a college, and the still, Herbert Denison had made a monumental mistake that a cause celebre at Hesseitine, the right had very bad. The rest of his Sebastian, first of ordering to his arm. He was a meddling outsider, trying man, but in this special case reason was that he failed in falling handsome-tail, and eyes and a trim with gray; but he that usual on this ruary.