

complaining against heavy buck lambs, and we are forced to throw them out here and sell them at a considerable discount, especially when the markets are weak. There isn't anything to warrant any advance in prices for the immediate future, so buy them as closely as you possibly can, so as to sell them as stated above."

At Toronto market prices rule steady at \$4.00 to \$4.25 per cwt. for spring lambs and for sheep \$3.40 to \$3.60 per cwt. for ewes and \$2.50 to \$2.75 for bucks.

**Hogs**  
The hog market fell off a little during the week. On Friday, \$7.12½ per cwt. was paid for select bacon hogs and \$6.87½ for lights and fats.

For the week ending Sept. 20th, The Wm. Davies Co., Toronto, will pay \$7.12½ for select bacon hogs \$6.87½ for lights and \$6.87½ for fats.

The Montreal market is steady. Packers there are paying \$7.00 to \$7.25 per cwt. for bacon hogs.

The Trade Bulletin's London cable of Sept. 12th, re Canadian bacon, reads thus:

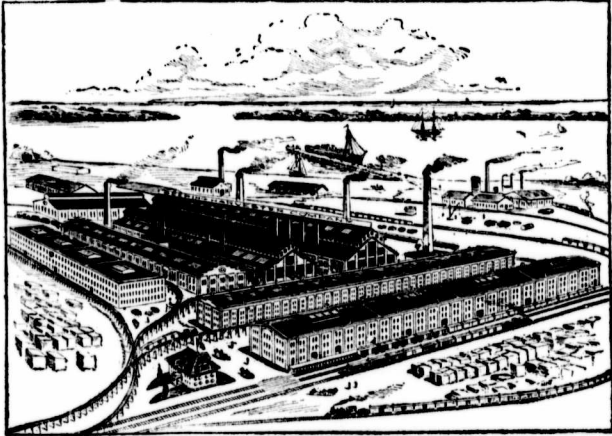
"The market continues firm for Canadian bacon, at the advance cabled you last week."

**Horses**  
The notable event at Grand's last week was the sale of a consignment of general purpose horses from British Columbia. These were brought to Toronto by Mr. C. H. Hadwin, of British Columbia, who last year purchased a large number of stockers in Ontario for the western ranches. There were 40 horses in the lot. They were of the general purpose class and weighed from 1,200 to 1,400 lbs. each. The average quality was good and occasioned much surprise to Ontario dealers who have been accustomed to look for only broncos and Indian ponies from the West. They had clean flat bone, good color and certainly were one of the finest lots of general purpose horses sold here in many a day. One pair 4 and 5 years old sold for \$320. Single horses from \$75 to \$150 each. The whole lot counting in several two-year olds averaging over \$100 each. General exhibition trade was fairly good and sales well attended. Prices were only fair. Prospects, however, are good though many good authorities believe that present high prices are not going to be sustained. Grands will hold a big sale of heavy Percherons and Shire horses about Oct. 13th and 14th next.

**A Pioneer Passes Away**

There passed away on Sept. 3rd last at his home, lot 12, con. 10, Dawn Township, Mr. George Gould. Mr. Gould was a well-known breeder of Shorthorn cattle and Lincoln sheep. He was born in Devonshire, England, in 1830 and emigrated to Canada in 1853. He settled in Dawn Township, forty-nine years ago where he has resided until his very sudden demise a few days ago.

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