FARMING AND LIVE STOCK

A FREAK SEASON.

1907 looks as tho it will be a freak season for the agriculturists. The early part of the crop year was decidedly late and cold. This was immediately followed by dry, hot weather, which matured those crops which succeeded in being put in in good shape in quick time, and excellent samples of grain will be threshed this season. There will be many drawbacks, but these will be partially made good by the higher prices which will rule for most of the farm commodities. The recent hot, dry weather has had the effect of drying up the pastures, so that it has become difficult to maintain cattle on the farm without adding to the forage provided from the pastures.

The effect of this is that many farmers are already disposing of their surplus cattle, an evidence of which was the large receipts at the Toronto Junction Stock Yards. The high prices which have ruled for all classes of feed for several months have had the effect of cleaning up most of these supplies in the hands of the farmers, their disposal having been effected owing to the attractive prices for them.

The absence of rain has resulted in some of the finest samples of barley being gathered in Ontario for several years, and best of all is the fact that it will be able to be sold at good high prices. The disposal of live stock which is now going on will undoubtedly have a corollary under the pressure of the large offerings which are being made. Prices of live stock are naturally low, but, with a clean-up of a large quantity of the surplus cattle, the country will be left pretty bare during the coming winter, and it is doubtful if next spring will not therefore witness a very high range of prices for the cattle which have been carried over and fed at an unusually high cost.

THE FARMSTEAD

Glorious harvest weather.

Barley and wheat are safely in the barn. Generous showers would work wonders for the pasture.

Dairy interests are beginning to suffer thruout the province.

Second crop clover is sadly in need of rain.

This is great weather for killing weeds in the root crop.

Let us remind you once more of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' picnic at Mountain View Park, Hamilton, on Thursday.

During the dog days many farmers keep their cattle in the stables in the daytime.

The farmer who has a good supply of green fodder close to the stables is a wise man.

It looks as tho potatoes in the province generally would be good.

J. B. Gould of Locust Hill, on the border line between Markham and Pickering Townships, says crops are splendid.

New Brunswick farmers have bumper potato crop.

The farm page of The World is a great medium for farm sales.

There is an unlimited demand for small fruits.

It is said that every other farm in Huron County has a windmill.

Elgin County does not seem to be among the favored.

Every farmer ought to be able to grow his own strawberries and raspberries.

In Simcoe County, owing to the drought, farmers have to take in even their young stock to feed them.

BRITISH BUTTER MARKET.

Dowdalls Brothers' Butter Review, published in Manchester under date of Aug. 3, says: "In Denmark the weather is cooler, but fine growing for pastures. The butter market is steady, but not brisk, and the general opinion is that there will be no change in quotations. The tin packing is drawing to a close, and production is slightly decreasing. Some 7000 Siberians landed in Copenhagen this week, all of which was of lower grades than usual.

Dutch butter is a shade firmer, while Irish centrifugal creameries are well up in price. Canadian butter has made no show this season, being quite above competitive rates, and English buyers refuse to enter the lists.

Prices for Canadian butter must suffer a serious decline before the product of Canadian farms can enter into active competition with the Danish and other well-established grades.

Valuable Horse Gone Wrong.

Farming Editor World: Can any of your readers tell me the pathology of a hard cough that my horse has had for two months, and which now seems to be degenerating into one more akin to heaves? I have turned him out, but that had no effect. The vet. was equally ineffective. Three doses a day of a compound of balsam and tar produced no relief. The animal has been exceptionally vigorous, hardy and healthful, eleven years old, 15.1 and a perfect saddle horse. It has been impossible to tire him and difficult even to get him really hot. He was raised in Texas. Is this fact the key to the situation? I have heard that western horses after some years or stabling here are liable to the affection from which my horse is suffering. To use or not to use him? that is the question. He has had no cold or running at the nose, nothing but an interminable hacking cough, causing obvious distress. Will it end in heaves? Is it due to a winter without work and a plentiful supply of dry hay? That is my own opinion. But, the cure?

T. C. P.

Many of the drovers were complaining of having lost money on their shipments. Cattle that cost $5.75 per cwt. in the country sold for less than $5.40 per cwt.

100 CARS AT JUNCTION QUALITY NONE TOO GOOD

Trade Fair, Considering the Large Run—Prices Easier—Sheep, Lambs, Calves Steady.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 100 car loads, composed of 2125 cattle, 13 hogs, 265 sheep, 47 calves and 1 horse.

The quality of fat cattle, for both butchers' and exporters, was none too good, especially was this true of the butcher classes.

Trade was fairly good, considering the large number of cattle on sale.

All the leading dealers had representatives on the market.

Exporters.

Prices ranged from $5 to $5.50 for the best exporters, with one lot of 12 at $5.65 per cwt., the bulk of the best going at $5.25 to $5.35; but there was a lot of light cattle bought for shipping purposes at $4.75 to $5 per cwt. Export bulls sold from $4 to $4.75 per cwt.

Butchers.

Best loads of butchers' sold from $4.60 to $4.80; medium butchers', $4 to $4.35; common, at $3.50 to $3.85; cows, at $2 to $3.75 per cwt.

Milch Cows.

Only a few milkers and springers were on sale and these sold from $35 to $49 each.

Veal Calves.

Veal calves were in good demand—that is—the right kind; prices ranged from $4 to $6.25 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

There was a strong market for sheep and lambs. Export ewes sold at $4.75 to $4.85 per cwt.; rams, at $3.50 to $4.25 per cwt.; lambs, at $5.65 to $6.10 per cwt.

Hogs.

H. P. Kennedy reported prices at $6.75 for selects, and $6.50 for lights and fats.

Representative Sales.

William Levack bought 18 car loads of fat cattle at prices quoted above, which are Mr. Levack's quotations of the market for fat cattle.

A. McIntosh was a heavy buyer of export cattle, as usual, at current prices.

Maybee, Wilson & Hall sold: 12 exporters, 1350 lbs. each, at $5.65 per cwt.; 23 exporters, 1330 lbs. each, at $5.50; 10 exporters, 1270 lbs. each, at $5.10; 1 exporter, 1300 lbs., at $5.40; 1 export bull, 1850 lbs., at $4.50; 1 export cow, 1300 lbs., at $5.15; 14 butchers', 1150 lbs. each, at $4.90; 25 butchers', 1060 lbs. each, at $4.85; 8 butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $4.65; 8 butchers', 1020 lbs. each, at $4.35; 21 butchers', 1200 lbs. each, at $4.52½; 4 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $3.60; 5 butchers', 1150 lbs. each, at $4.25; 9 butchers' cows, 1050 lbs. each, at $3.15; 2 butchers' cows, 1000 lbs. each, at $3.50; 21 butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $3.85; 8 butchers', 850 lbs. each, at $2.85; 8 canners, 950 lbs. each, at $2; 23 butcher cows, 1000 lbs. each, at $3.25; 22 butchers', 1150 lbs. each, at $4.50; 24 butchers', 980 lbs. each, at $4.25. Shipped out 5 loads on order.

McDonald & Maybee sold: 23 exporters, 1290 lbs. each, at $5.15 per cwt.; 18 exporters, 1210 lbs. each, at $4.75; 8 exporters, 1315 lbs. each, at $4.85; 23 exporters, 1200 lbs. each, at $4; 18 exporters, 1110 lbs. each, at $5.45; 21 exporters, 1230 lbs. each, at $5.25; 12 exporters, 1225 lbs each, at $5.05; 20 exporters, 1255 lbs. each, at $4.75; 22 exporters, 1225 lbs. each, at $5.40; 21 exporters, 1280 lbs. each, at $4.62½; 22 exporters, 1245 lbs. each, at $5.35; 12 exporters, 1235 lbs. each, at $5.12½; 19 butchers', 1150 lbs. each, at $4.25; 14 butchers', 1160 lbs. each, at $3.50; 22 butchers', 1050 lbs. each, at $4.65; 20 butchers', 1035 lbs. each, at $4.50; 28 butchers', 935 lbs. each, at $3.40; 12 butchers', 1010 lbs. each, at $3.75; 12 butchers', 1060 lbs. each, at $4.50; 19 butchers', 1125 lbs. each, at $3.80; 23 butchers', 945 lbs. each, at $4.25; 22 butchers', 925 lbs. each, at $3.80; 9 butchers', 1060 lbs. each, at $3; 17 butchers', 1025 lbs. each, at $3.75; 18 butchers', 920 lbs. each, at $3.75; 20 butchers', 1010 lbs. each, at $3.50; 20 butchers', 1005 lbs. each, at $4.15; 22 butchers', 1025 lbs. each, at $4.10; 25 butchers', 910 lbs. each, at $4.25; 5 calves, 160 lbs. each, at $6.25; 45 lambs, 70 lbs. each, at $5.65; 19 sheep, 155 lbs. each, at $4.85; 24 lambs, 85 lbs. each, at $6.10

James Corbett sold 20 exporters, 1300 lbs. each, at $5.45 per cwt.; 17 butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $4.37½; 2 butchers', 900 lbs. each, at $3.70; 1 cow, 1050 lbs. at $2.50, and shipped out 2 loads of cattle to clients.

William McClelland bought one load butchers', 1025 lbs. each, at $4.50.

R. J. Collins bought 15 butchers', 1080 lbs. each, at $4.25 per cwt.; 2 butchers', 1150 lbs. each, at $4.12½, 2 cows, 1150 lbs. each, at $3.50.

E. Snell bought 15 car loads of exporters, at $5 to $5.35 per cwt.

George Dunn bought 1 load of cows, 1000 to 1300 lbs. each, at $2.25 to $3.50 per cwt.

J. H. Dingle bought 1 load steers, 1200 lbs. each, at $4.37½; 1 load steers, 1100 lbs. each, at $4.37½ per cwt.

T. Halligan bought 8 loads exporters, 1325 lbs. each, at $5 to $5.40 per cwt.

David Rountree, sr., bought 2 milch cows, at $40 to $49 each.

Wesley Dunn bought 65 export sheep, at $4.75 per cwt.; 50 lambs, at $6 per cwt.; 10 calves, at $5.25 per cwt.

Market Notes.

James Wilson of the firm of Maybee, Wilson & Hall, who has been on a few weeks' holiday trip in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, arrived home on Sunday, looking the picture of good health. Mr. Wilson, who some four or five years ago was a resident of Yorkton and vicinity, reports great changes as having taken place since that time. Where he once ranged the plains for 40 to 50 miles without seeing the habitation of man, is now filled with thriving settlers, who are building fine residences and farm buildings. Mr. Wilson traveled 60 miles west of Yorkton to Sheho and thru that whole distance he saw splendid crops of wheat, oats and barley, but all late for this season of the year, which will require from two to three weeks longer season than usual to ripen. Crops in Southern Manitoba are light. Cattle are not as good quality as in former years, nor are there as many of them, and these will not be ready for shipment east before Sept 1, at the earliest.

John Linden of the firm of John Rogers & Co., wholesale cattle salesmen of Liverpool, was on the market to-day. Mr. Linden stated that all the leading livestock dealers in England are taking The World, as they consider its livestock reports the only reliable published in Canada.

Willis Bros., farmers of Pine Grove, had the best finished straight load of export cattle that was on the market.

Robert Ferguson, driver for the Levack Dressed Beef Company, who narrowly escaped being killed on Saturday by being run into and thrown out of the wagon at the St. Lawrence Market, by a street car, was around talking to his many friends, but, he stated that he was far from being well, having had a bad shake up.

Credit auction sale at Cooksville Friday, Aug. 23, at 1 p.m., 30 fresh milch cows with calves at foot, forward springers and 3 horses; also sale at Erindale Friday, Aug. 16, 1 p.m., 40 yearling steers and heifers, backward springers and brood sows. Six months' credit. A. J. Sandford, proprietor. John Thomson, auctioneer.

The Fruit Crop in Danger.

San Jose Scale Said to Be Working Great Injury—Government Will Be Urged to Act.

From the Niagara Peninsula come reports of the most disheartening nature concerning the fruit situation.

Commission men in the city and growers all over the district, from the mouth of the Niagara River clear up to St. Catharines, and around the head of the lake, are exercised over the ravages of the San Jose scale, and that the fears are well founded is only too apparent to the most casual observer driving thru the country.

It is not claimed that the evil is a new one, but year by year the disease, if such it may be called, is undeniably extending its boundaries, so much so that within a short distance of the City of Hamilton a number of reports have been furnished The World where large orchards are becoming infected with the scale.

A gentleman well posted on the situation, and in close touch with the growers, stated yesterday that unless the Ontario government awakened at once to the seriousness of the situation they would lose the support of a large number of their supporters.

Mr. Stronach, sr. of the firm of Stronach & Sons, wholesale commission men, stated to The World that in a long experience in the fruit-growing district no such loss thru varied causes, principally the San Jose scale, had ever come under his observation. Mr. Stronach cited one case where a large peach orchard, comprising 15 acres, had been entirely destroyed, and another one of equal size, belonging to the same man, would undoubtedly require to be taken up in the spring.

"One trouble," said Mr. Stronach, "is that the ravages of the pest are not confined to the peach, but pear, and, in some cases, cherry trees are likewise attacked.

"Spraying, unless systematically carried on, is of little effect, and the utmost vigilance must be maintained, and heoric measures adopted if the great fruit industry is to be retained and enlarged."

H. W. Dawson of the Dawson Commission Company was more favorably impressed with the outlook than Mr. Stronach, and stated that the outlook was practically no worse than other years; that the San Jose scale was only within restricted areas, and that reports reflecting on the fruit industry were not good for trade in general.

"There are losses every year," continued Mr. Dawson, "but they may arise from many causes. Poor soil, exposure of the roots, caused by the growers working among the trees; exceptionally cold winters, and the San Jose scale all contribute, but the man who thoroly looks after his fruit trees is assured of a fair crop."

Mr. Dawson was at the annual convention of the Apple Growers' Association, held last week in Atlantic City. Representatives were present from all parts of the continent, and the reports submitted showed conclusively that the yield of apples would average some 40 per cent. higher than last year. In Canada the increase will, it is said, be fully 35 per cent. over last year.

This is not true only of the district bordering on the city, but applies with especial force to the western part of the Province of Ontario.

Thomas Vance of Vance & Co. stated that the outlook for fruit of all kinds was toward higher prices. The entire products of the canning factories of last year had been cleared out, and the prices offered for raspberries by the canneries this year ran all the way from 9c to 13c a box, and for peaches from 5c to 6c a pound.

This meant that peaches would average $1.50 a basket thruout the season.

Receipts on the Toronto market of all kinds of fruit have not so far this season been large, but whether the prices of peaches, as fixed by Mr. Vance, will be maintained, is an open question. Some there are who state that the price will be an average one.

There is a general impression among fruit growers that any attempt on the part of the provincial government to stamp out the San Jose scale would not be met by the same opposition that formerly prevailed to the cutting down and burning of the trees.

LOCAL FRUIT MARKET.

Monday's deliveries were very light and the market, especially in the early part of the day, was comparatively deserted. Afternoon receipts were fairly good, but there was no great demand at any time thru the day.

Raspberries are almost out of the market, and only a few odd lots are likely to come in, from this time on.

On Monday, Aug. 19, the fruit dealers will make merry at Hanlan's Point, when the annual sports and games of all kinds will take place. There will be a fine list of prizes.

Raspberries	$0 13 to	$0 15
Green peas, Can., basket	0 35	0 45
Cucumbers, per basket	0 40	....
Rhubarb, per dozen	0 35	....
Lettuce, leaf, per doz	0 15	0 25
Potatoes, new, per bbl	3 75	4 00
Beets, new, per doz	0 15	0 20
Parsley, per doz	0 25	....
Onions, green, per doz	0 10	0 15
Asparagus, Canadian, doz.	0 75	1 00
Watermelons, each	0 30	0 40
Lemons, Verdillas, new	4 00	5 00
Limes	1 00	....
Cherries, cooking, basket	1 40	1 75
Cabbage, new, per bbl	1 50	1 60
Red currants, basket	1 00	1 10
Currants, black	1 40	1 65
Gooseberries, basket	0 90	1 40
Jumbo bananas, bunch	1 00	2 25
Jamaicas	1 75	....
Cucumbers	0 20	0 25
Georgia peaches, 6-basket crate	3 25	3 50
Plums, per box	0 90	1 10
Huckleberries, per basket	1 25	1 50
Corn, new, per dozen	0 15	0 18
Apples, per basket	0 35	0 50

SMALLPOX COSTS $6500.

It has cost the city $6500 so far this year to take care of smallpox patients, including $1500 for treating cases traceable to the one-armed pedlar.

PAYMENT MADE SOON.

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The provincial subsidies will not be paid by the Dominion Government for over a week, or until the full text of the amended B. N. A. Act has arrived from England.

Parisians Seeing Canada.

Aaron de Guerne, Baron de Cretoz, Baron Louis de Cretoz and Dr. R. Blanchard, all of Paris, France, are in Toronto. They are making a tour of Canada.

Jennie Norval Stung.

Jenny Norval, charged with attempting to pick Henry Anderson's pocket, was sent to jail for 60 days' hard labor.

A SMITHFIELD PRIZE-WINNER, SUCH AS ONTARIO FARMERS SHOULD PRODUCE.

While our farmers may know the value of choice bred cattle coming to market each day, and the large shipments of cheap, inferior scrub stock, there should be some association plan of popularizing them into every farm community to improve the beef cattle more generally. A large amount of money is annually spent by our Dominion and provincial governments, in grants to the many fairs and exhibitions held all over the province, and while much good may have been accomplished along this line they do not seem to reach half of the farmers, else they would not be wasting feed on so many scrubs. The markets are eager for more good beef cattle, and pay well for the good quality, of which they can not get enough. The high price of land and of feed should drive out the scrub.

Altho pedigree beef bred bulls are so abundant and so cheap, too, many farmers ignore them, and breed to scrub grade and dairy bulls that produce the cheap and inferior cattle that fill our markets from day to day. Local township or county societies might be organized to supply pure bred bulls to improve the beef cattle breeding, as the dairy cattle interest has been improved at the expense of the beef cattle of the Province of Ontario.

While we do not depend upon our government to introduce the improved breeds of stock, as our breeders have imported liberally all of the improved breeds of stock from Europe, yet the present condition of our beef cattle market shows the great importance of more vigorous methods, for improving our cattle with pure bred bulls for early maturity, and the superior quality to command the high market price.

In the hope of inducing the provincial government to do something in this matter we publish the following article from The English Live Stock Journal to show what the government is doing in Great Britain, which is similar to government work in all or nearly all of the countries of Europe:

"Under the government scheme for the improvement of the live stock of Ireland, large grants of money are devoted for horses, cattle and pigs. The main objects of the scheme, so far as cattle are concerned, are to improve the dairy and store cattle in Ireland by encouraging the breeding or introduction of pure bred bulls of a high degree of excellence, and inducing associations of farmers or persons of means to purchase high-class bulls for the use of small farmers. Money is only granted for this purpose in localities where aid is given either by the local authorities or from other local sources, and the funds are administered by the county committees. Premiums are limited to bulls entered or qualified by pedigree for entry in their respective herd books and not above four years old. Applicants for premiums are required to deposit £2 for each bull, and to undertake to exhibit their animals at an approved show and to retain them in the district till Sept. 1. The amount of premium for a high-class bull is £15, or in the case of Galloway, Kerry, Dexter and Ayrshire bulls, £10. Each premium yearling bull is to serve not less than thirty cows each, and all other premium bulls not less than forty cows each, other than those that are the property of the owner of the bull. The service fee for the number of cows stated is in all cases to be 1s each, inclusive of all charges. After the minimum number of cows have been served, the owner may fix such fee as he may desire. Only cows belonging to farmers having holdings rated below a sum fixed by the county committee are elegible. The number of premium bulls in 1905 was 800, of which 602 were Shorthorns, 104 Aberdeen-Angus, 69 Hereford and 25 belonged to other breeds. The total sum expended was about £12,000. Loans for the purchase of bulls were made in 147 cases.

ELGIN CO. FARMER SAYS CROP OUTLOOK IS BAD

Almost Every Variety Has an Enemy—Hay Will Not Average a Half Crop.

Editor World: Noticing in your paper so many notes from other counties in the province I thought it might be of interest to many of your readers to know of the conditions that have prevailed here this season.

March was the only spring month we had. On the first of April wheat indications were for the heaviest crop in many years, but the cold winds of April and May damped the hopes of the farmers, and when wheat harvest came it would not average half a crop.

The same is true of the hay crop. Oats, of which a large acreage was sown, promised well until a blight struck the crop and cut the harvest in two. Peas, which have been pretty free from bugs for a couple of years, look good, but the acreage is small. Barley is also a fair crop, but as all the barley grown here is fed on the farm it will not affect the market price.

Corn was planted largely, but the forepart of the season was too cold, and the crop is very uneven. The yield will certainly be much below the average. Beans, the money crop in the western part of the county (by the way the Township of Aldborough stands either second or third in the province as a producer of beans), have been large ly planted owing to the failure of the clover catch in 1906, coming on very well at the start, but the frost of July 2 ruined many fields. It can easily be seen how much depends on the bean crop when we state that the bean crop of the township has brought in between $150,000 and $200,000 a year for the past two years.

Where the frost did not interfere and the conditions were favorable, there is promise of a heavy crop.

About the required conditions. It was one of the delusions of our youth that land that was too poor to grow any other crop would do for beans. That was a theory that does not work out well in practice, for the best of land is none too good to grow a heavy crop of beans. We all have our ideals, but it is not always so easy to carry them out. The ideal condition for a crop of beans would be a good clean sod fall plowed as shallow as possible, and then disc harrowed and cultivated from the time the land is dry enough to work until the first of June, at least once a week. The beans may be planted as soon after the first of June as it can be done. In this way the sod will be well rotted and ready for food for the young plants while the continued working will have killed the weeds. The two-horse cultivator will then do all the work of keeping the crop clean if properly handled. The after handling of the crop is not more difficult than handling any other grain crop. Almost all the cultivators are fitted with knives to pull the beans and the side delivery rake is now used to turn the beans.

A good average crop of beans will run from 25 to 30 bushels per acre and the price for the past two seasons has been from $1.05 to $1.25 per bushel.

The fruit crop is perhaps the most disappointing of the year. Fruit trees were a mass of blossoms, but cherries, plums and peaches are a complete failure.

A few varieties of apple trees are fairly well loaded; perhaps enough to supply the homes with apples, but few to export.

However, if the grain crops are short, there is no shortage in the list of farmers' enemies. The tent caterpillar is infesting the fruit trees, and only eternal vigilance will prevent them doing much damage. During the past three weeks a new worm has appeared on the scene. And, like other sinners, it prefers the darkness to the light.

During the night it sallies forth and devours the farmers' substance. They are grey in color, with green spots on the back; the cocoon is red, and the change takes place in the earth, but we have not seen any of the moths yet so do not know what they are like. They are very fond of sugar beets. A great deal of loss was caused by the rose beetle in some sections. They come by the million and while here lose no time either day or night, but eat all the time. Grapes, which gave sure promise of a heavy crop, were all eaten by them. They also destroyed the peaches and apples. They only remained two weeks, but thousands of dollars of damage was done. The potato bug, curculio, cabbage worm are here in force.

Record Customs Receipts.

The receipts of the Toronto customs for August up to Saturday night amounted to $394,854.93, as compared with $382,542.29 for the same period last year.

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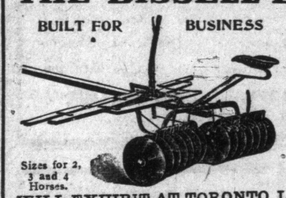

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