

**LIVE STOCK MARKETS.
TORONTO.**

Receipts of live stock at the city market, as reported by the railways, were 112 car loads, consisting of 865 cattle, 876 hogs, 3004 sheep and lambs, with 89 calves.

The quality of cattle was a slight improvement over last week, but the bulk of those on sale were common to medium as will be seen by sales and quotations given by the various commission salesmen.

There was a good trade all round, when the large run is considered, altho there were a few stockers, and feeders, left unsold, at the close of the market.

Prices were not any better than at the Union Yards on Monday, and considering that there were over 1800 cattle on sale, it was remarkable that they held up as well as they did.

We did not hear of any cattle reaching \$5, but there was one choice load of butchers sold at \$4.90 per cwt.

Exporters—No export steers were reported as being on sale. A few export bulls sold from \$3.75 to \$4.30 per cwt.

Butchers—Prime picked lots of butchers are worth \$4.20 to \$5; the bulk of the best cattle offered sold from \$4.20 to \$4.50, very few going over the latter figure, in fact the bulk of the cattle offered sold under \$4; medium, \$3.75 to \$4; common, \$3.50 to \$3.75; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.25.

Feeders and Stockers—The Messrs. Murby reported prices unchanged from quotations last week, as follows: Best feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs each, at \$3.60 to \$4 per cwt; best feeders, 800 to 900 lbs each, at \$3.25 to \$3.75; stockers, 600 to 700 lbs each, at \$2.90 to \$3.15; common and medium stockers, 500 to 600 lbs each at \$1.75 to \$2.30.

Milkers and Springs—The market for milkers and springers has lost its vim, altho choice quality cows still bring a good price. A moderate supply which were principally of medium quality sold from \$22.50 to \$55 each. McDonald and Halligan sold 12 milkers and springers at \$55 each.

Veal Calves—The market for veal calves was firm at \$3 to \$6.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—There was a large delivery of sheep and lambs, 3000 and over, but this did not cause the market to weaken, but on the other hand lambs went higher than at the Union Yards on Monday. Lambs sold from \$4.50 to \$5.30 for the general run, but a few lots of choice selected ewe and wether lambs sold at a little higher quotations; export ewes \$3.25 to \$3.40.

Hogs—Mr. Harris quoted selects fed and watered at the market at \$6; lights at \$5.75.

SOUND BUSINESS SENSE.

A chap in Philadelphia, whose father is a prominent merchant and, as such, never loses an opportunity to descend upon the virtues of advertising, one day asked his mother:

"May Lucy and I play at keeping store in the front room?"

"Yes," assented the mother; "but you must be very, very, quiet."

"All," said the youngster, "we'll pretend we don't advertise."

When returning from the postoffice on Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Arndt, wife of the Lutheran pastor at Desboro, took convulsions and passed away the same evening at 9 o'clock.

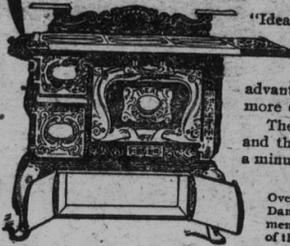
Protests entered on Saturday, promise a large number of election trials. All the Conservative seats in Quebec and Manitoba have been protested, and a large number of Liberal seats in Quebec.

During the month of December the railway companies will issue tickets from the west to points in Ontario for \$40, and the western visitor will soon be due. Isn't it strange that it costs about twice as much to bring a passenger from Manitoba to Ontario, as it does to take the same passenger from Ontario to Manitoba.

William James, a linotype operator, of the Port Huron Herald Publishing Company, claims that the composing room of that office is haunted. While at work the other night, about midnight, James claims that he saw the late John Murray standing alongside the machine with a bunch of copy in his hand. It is also stated that the late Henry Anglin, who was found dead in the press room about a year ago, occasionally appears in the same room. The Gazette does not believe in ghosts, but as printers are generally truthful and also temperate, we cannot explain why this man was visited by these uninvited callers, during the midnight hours. Perhaps a lot of his subscribers in arrears had called that day and paid up, and the unexpected event was too much of a shock. We can stand such an event as that, so let no one in arrears fear any such result, but come.

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The Toronto papers complain that Cupid is loafing this fall. The number of marriages in the city during November was just 250 as compared with 329 for November 1907

There are rumors that some time during the present parliament, Sir Wilfrid Laurier will relinquish the premiership, and abandon public life. They are only rumors, of course, but as Sir Wilfrid is nearing the three score and ten mark, it is to be expected that some such step will be taken at no distant date. Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, is spoken of as his successor.

Several pairs of good Kay Excelsior curling stones for sale. Apply at this office for prices and particulars.

A Port Hope despatch, dated Nov. 30, says: "About seven o'clock this morning when Harry Sheppard opened his store—it was raining hard at the time—some of the drops that fell upon the sidewalk appeared to be very large. On examination it proved that five speckled trout, between three and four inches long, had fallen from the clouds.

Now a wise man rises to remark that a woman should never marry a man to reform him, until she can make a satisfactory omelet out of bad eggs.

TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Frederick Scheffe offers for sale on reasonable terms, his fine property, lot 72, Louisa street, Mildmay. On the property is a fine frame house, well finished and in excellent shape. Splendid location, and one of the most desirable residences in the village.

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A New Jersey girl has been scared to death by a mouse. This will only serve to confirm the wide spread feminine prejudice against this ferocious animal.

Carrie Nation is using the Bible in her Glasgow campaign, but she takes the hatchet along, as a surgical operation may be necessary before the Scotchmen see the point.

Miss Jessie MacLachlan, the famous Queen of Scottish Song, is reported to have been stricken with a paralytic stroke in Australia.

Albert Berger, a former Alaska miner, just before committing suicide, in Helena, Mont., the other day threw into a stove \$2,000 in postoffice money orders payable to himself, declaring that the money was in the hands of the government and no one would quarrel over it after he was dead.

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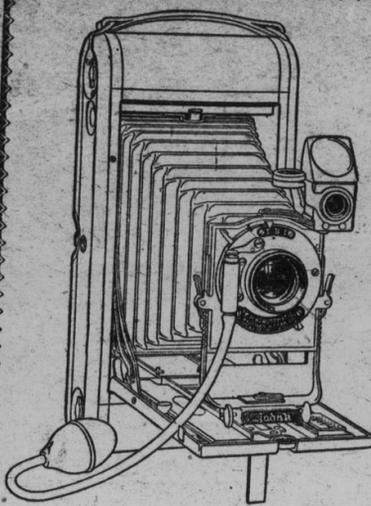
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