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WATFORD MARKET

GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush	\$0 90 @ \$0 90
Oats, per bush	42 42
Barley, per bush	60 60
Peas, per bush	80 80
Beans, per bush	90 1 00
Timothy	1 25 2 00
Clover Seed	10 00 12 00
Alfalfa	8 50 10 00
PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound	24 25
Lard	11 15
Eggs, per doz	25 25
Pork	7 00 7 50
Flour, per cwt	2 50 2 80
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag	75 90
Dried Apples, per lb.	5 6
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood	2 00 2 25
Tallow	6 61
Hides	4 5
Wool	23 25
Hay, per ton	14 00 15 00
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb.	9 10
Chickens, per lb.	6 7
Ducks, per lb.	7 7
Geese, per lb.	7 8

LONDON MARKETS.	
Wheat	\$0 90 to \$0 90
Oats	0 50 to 0 52
Peas	0 60 to 0 60
Barley	0 40 to 0 46
Rye	0 54 to 0 55
Butter	0 25 to 0 26
Eggs	0 25 to 0 26
Pork	7 00 to 7 50

TORONTO.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Trade was good and active at the City cattle market to day, prices being well maintained, but not higher than recent quotations. There were not many choice or fancy butcher cattle offered, but the trade is already pretty well supplied in this class of beef for the Christmas holidays. Most of the local wholesale butchers, in fact, are well supplied and were not heavy buyers today. There was some active buying, however, by outsiders from Montreal, St. Catharines and western towns. The demand from these points was big enough to take pretty well everything offering to day.

There was a good demand for export bulls.

Exporters are advancing quite sharply again after the recent decline. Harris quotes the top at \$5.60, track, Toronto.

The run today was 69 carloads for sale and 69 cars of Chicago cattle for export, total 18 cars, with 2,230 head of cattle, 1,400 sheep and lambs, 500 hogs and 90 cows.

Export market steady at \$5 to \$5.25. Butchers—Market steady for choice butcher cattle at \$5; medium butchers steady at \$3.50 to \$4; common and mixed butchers at \$2 to \$2.50; canners, 75c to \$1.50.

Good butcher cows, \$3 to \$3.50. Sheep and lambs—Market easier; lambs are quoted at \$4.50 to \$5.50 per cwt.; export ewes, \$3.75 to \$4.

Light stockers—Market steady at \$2.50 to \$2.75; choice, \$3.25 to \$3.50; good stockers wanted.

Heavy feeders—Bulls, \$2 to \$2.50; steers 1,000 to 1,100 pounds, at \$3.20 to \$3.40. Hogs—Market firmer; selects, \$5.50.

Quotations to-day were:—

Export choice	4 25 to 4 50
Butchers, choice	4 75 to 5 00
do., medium	4 00 to 3 20
do., cows	3 25 to 3 50
do., bulls	3 50 to 3 75
do., light	3 00 to 3 50
do., good steers and heifers	4 00 to 4 40
do., cows, choice	3 50 to 3 75
do., medium	3 75 to 4 25
do., medium	2 65 to 3 15
do., bulls	2 00 to 2 50
Stockers, choice	3 00 to 3 60
do., bulls	2 00 to 2 25
do., common, mixed	2 00 to 2 25
do., bulls	1 50 to 2 00
Feeders, heavy	3 12 1/2 to 3 40
do., bulls	2 12 1/2 to 2 40
Short-keep	4 60 to 4 25
Milch cows, choice	40 00 to 65 00
do., common	22 00 to 25 00
Lambs, choice	4 50 to 5 25
Sheep, export ewes	3 75 to 4 00
do., culls	3 50 to 4 00
Hogs, Toronto	5 40 to 5 40
do., outside	5 00
Calves	6 00 to 7 00

EAST BUFFALO.
East Buffalo, Dec. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200 head; slow and a shade easier; prime steers, \$5.25 to \$5.75. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and 25c lower, \$5 to \$9. Hogs—Receipts, 13,600 head; active and 15c to 30c higher; heavy and mixed, \$4.85 to \$5; Yorkers, \$4.80 to \$5; pigs, \$4.70 to \$4.75; roughs, 4.25 to \$4.50; stags, \$3.50 to \$4; dairies \$4.72 to \$4.90. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,400 head; active and steady; unchanged.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.
London, Dec. 16.—London cables are firmer, at 11c to 12 1/2c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 1/2c

to 10c per lb.
Liverpool, Dec. 16.—Liverpool quotes United States steers at 1 1/4 to 1 1/2c; Canadians at 10c to 11 1/2c; ranchers at 9c to 10c; native cows at 9c to 10c; bulls at 9c. Trade is slow.

WARWICK COUNCIL.

Warwick, Dec. 16th, 1907.
The Council met to-day. Members all present. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The Council went into a Court of Revision on the 6-7 Sideroad Extension Drain Bylaw and as there were no appeals, the Court closed and the bylaw was read the third time and finally passed.

Graham—Raycraft, that P. Dodds' account be filed for further consideration.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed: W. B. Lewis, for services as sheep inspector, \$ 1 00 Wm. Hawken, refund for one day's roadwork, 1 00 H. Ingram, 1/2 keep of Jno. E. Robson in House of Refuges, 24 15- Jordan McMillan, expenses of Board of Health, 11 50 C. Cundick, services as sheep inspector, 3 00 J. A. Gowenlock, for 157 loads of gravel, 18 70 K. Ellerker, work on Maidment bridge, 8 00 E. J. McKenzie, for the furnished, 8 88 Jno. Brookes, 4 50 and Warwick, 4 50 Jno. McCormick, tile and work Tp. share of Sutton award drain, 10 50 Letson Eastman, 1/2 cost of wagon axle broken on T. L., 1 25 A. Gilmore, 32 loads of gravel, 3 00 T. Dolan, 48 six inch tile on 9 S R., 1 25- fore taken to London, 8 00 D. Campbell, 1/2 value of sheep killed by dogs Levi Bryant, " " and worried by dogs, 12 00 Jno. Fisher, services as sheep inspector, 1 00 A. Onzo Bieser, 1 00 D. McGill, new culvert over McGill drain on 67 S R., 62 81 S. B. Chambers, 15 loads gravel, 1 50 Wm. Ward, fixing approach to bridge on con 2 S R., 40 00 S. Farrell, grant to Agricultural Society, 19 50 W. S. Fuller, 1/2 cost of hall for Court purposes 8 00 G. McBlacken, balance in full of work on Leach drain, 109 04 Cowan & Towers, legal advice, 19 50 Jno. W. Blais, commission on McGill drain, 29 00 E. A. Jones, services on " " " " Sison, 48 00 Wm. Butler, overcharge in taxes, 4 00 F. McGilluddy, killing 2 dogs found worrying sheep, 10 00 N. Herbert, supplies, express and postage, 18 09 " " services on 67 sideroad drain, 6 00 " " Higgins, 10 00 " " Sison, 6 00 De Jersey, " " 6 00 Thos. Chambers, 21 cords of gravel, 10 50 Jno. Long, digging ditch and putting in sills, 5 50 Warwick Village, 9 75 W. J. Moffatt, Tp. share of ditch on con 2 S R., 9 75 Jas. Thompson, dog wranglers' assessed, 1 00 Milton Barrett, dog killed before Court of Revision, 1 00 Elsha Clark, dog wrongfully assessed, 1 00 D. Campbell, 1/2 cost of gravel, 1 00 W. Edwards, 2 dogs killed before Court of Rev., 2 00 Jno. Gill, 1 00 Chas. Zankov, 1 00 Hy. Wehring, 1 00 G. Stillwell, ditch wrongfully assessed, 2 00 H. A. Edwards, " " 2 00 W. Lucas, refund of statute labor, 5 00 Miss Long, services as caretaker of hall, 20 00 Robt. McKenzie, provisions furnished Jas. Stewart, 2 80 Guide-Adocate, 4 qrs. printing, and 2 bylaws 37 00 Commissioners, services on 1 steel bridge, 44 00 R. Auld and E. A. Edwards, com. on Leach dr., 30 00 R. McKenzie, refund on statute labor, 1 00 N. Herbert, 4th qrs. salary as clerk, 20 00 H. Vance, tile on 9 S R., 1 00 H. Fensler, building temporary bridge, 1 00 E. A. Edwards, services as assessor, 45 00 Wm. Hall, " " 45 00 Jno. Haycraft, " Deputy Reeve, 15 00 Peter Graham, " Reeve, 15 00 R. Auld, " Reeve, 15 00 Mrs. T. Brandon, " of the late T. Brandon's Reeve, 3 00

Graham—Hall that we extend the Collector's time for returning the roll until 13th of January, 1908.—Carried.

Edwards—Hall, that the Reeve be authorized to make arrangements for the assistance of Jos. Stewart.—Carried.

Hall—Raycraft, that E. Caughlin get necessary provisions for D. Rattigan, not to exceed \$1.50 per week.—Carried.

The minutes of this meeting were then read and the Council adjourned sine die.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

House of Refuge Report.

Mr. Smith presented the report of the House of Refuge committee, showing the average number of inmates during the year to be 51, and the average expense of maintenance with manager's family and hired help included \$1.50 per week. The committee reported that at the present time the Refuge is filled to its utmost capacity and recommended that some steps be taken at present session to provide more room, and it is at present impossible to take in any more applicants. The total expenditure during the year was \$5,628.46.

There are now 45 male and 6 female inmates and the average age is 77 years.

There were 44 inmates in the Refuge at the date of the last report, and 36 have since been admitted. There have been ten deaths during the year, one inmate has been discharged, and eighteen have left the limits during the year. The number of inmates from the various municipalities is as follows—Brooke 1, Dawn 6, Boniskillen 1, Euphemias 3, Moore 4, Sombra 7, Forest 1, Oil Springs 1, Point Edward 2, Sarnia Town 9, Watford 1, other municipalities none.

The committee report no complaints from any of the inmates all of whom seem to be comfortable and contented. The food is pure and wholesome, the premises comfortable beds and bedding in excellent condition, and all articles of clothing clean and in good repair. The amusements of the inmates having to be provided for the Refuge are as follows—distention, old age, blindness, inability to earn their own living.

Report adopted and motion passed that the committee look into what repairs are necessary at the Refuge, employing an architect if necessary and report at the January session.

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