

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, June 7.

Receipts of live stock of all kinds at the semi-weekly market to-day were 81 carloads, including 1,800 hogs and 130 sheep and lambs. A feature of the market was the buying of cattle by a Barbadoes dealer, to ship to the West Indies for want supplies.

Export Cattle—Better prices were paid. Dealers had to get the cattle to fill engagements for vessel space. Prices paid ruled from \$4.20 to \$4.50 per cwt.

Butchers' Cattle—The market was quite firm. The demand was active and prices advanced 1-4c to 4c and 41-4c for the best. Hardly anything worth buying went lower than 31-2c.

Stockers and Feeders—For light stockers Buffalo parties paid \$3.75 to \$3.85, a slight decline. Some half-fat feeders sold at 33-4 to 4c per lb.

Sheep—Butchers and export sheep sold at 3 to 31-4c and bucks at 2 3-4c. Spring lambs \$3 to \$4.25 each. Yearlings, shorn, \$3.50 to \$4.25 per cwt.

Hogs—The market was firm and slightly higher for choice bacon hogs at \$5.15 to \$5.20 per cwt, weighed off cars. Light fat and thick hogs \$4.75 to \$4.80, sows \$3 to \$3.30, stags \$2 to \$2.25.

FRIDAY'S MARKETS.

Toronto, June 10.

Receipts to-day were 128 carloads, including 2,000 hogs. Owing to space for ocean shipment being obtainable more freely, there is a better demand for export cattle.

A large number of cattle are now being grass-fed and it is expected receipts will continue large. Local market facilities are poor, owing to insufficient accommodation. Cattle were firmer on export demand for Barbadoes. Prices all around were about the same as on Tuesday.

TORONTO DAIRY PRODUCE MARKET.

Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, June 11.

Owing to the excellent pasturage causing larger flow of milk and the low price for cheese, a big increase in the butter output of Ontario is expected this season. Exporters also expect a good market, abroad, owing to better shipping facilities for landing goods in fine condition. Ontario farmers are paying more attention to making good butter and neater packages are used to attract British trade. June dairy tub is in active demand at 12 1-2 to 13 1-2c. No accumulation. Creamery blocks 17c. Creamery tubs, 16c.

TORONTO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Special to The Commercial.

Toronto, June 11.

Grain trade is quiet. Export demand has fallen off. Wheat is lower. Flour 25c per barrel lower. Oats 2c lower, Beans 10c higher. Wool unsettled and irregular. 1 to 2c higher has been paid at country points for washed fleeces, equal to 15 to 15c, while only 16c is quoted in Toronto. Butter firmer. Bran and shorts 50c lower.

Flour—Manitoba patent, \$6.50; bakers, \$6.20. Ontario straight roller, \$4.50.

Wheat—Ontario winter wheat, 92 to 93c for cars at country points; No. 1 hard, Owen Sound, \$1.21.

Oats—White, 29c for cars at country points.

Milfeed—Shorts, \$13 to \$14.50 ton, at country points. Bran, \$10 to \$10.50.

Oatmeal—\$4.30 per barrel for car lots and \$4.20 in bags.

Eggs—10c

Butter—Dairy—Tubs, 121-2 to 13 1-2c for choice fresh goods; creamery tubs, 16c; creamery, bricks, 17c.

Hides—No. 1 green, 81-2c; cured, 9 to 91-4; sheepskins, \$1 to \$1.40 for fresh killed; calfskins, 9 to 10c.

Honey—6 1-2 to 7c per lb. in bulk. Beans—90c to \$1 per bushel.

Wool—New washed 16c, unwashed 10 to 11c.

Seed—Timothy, \$1.60 to \$2.25 per bushel. Red clover, \$3 to \$4 per bush. Maple syrup—65 per gallon.

Dressed hogs—Lower at 6c per pound.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK PRICES.

Special to The Commercial.

Montreal, June 7.

Receipts at the East End abattoir market yesterday were 450 cattle, 200 sheep and lambs, 400 calves. At the Grand Trunk yards 250 cattle and 400 hogs. The exports from the opening of navigation to date have been 17,858 cattle, 1,048 sheep and 2,044 horses. The demand for space is fair and ocean rates are: Liverpool, 42s 6d; London, 30s to 35s; Glasgow, 47s 6d to 50s; and Bristol, 35s.

Cattle—Notwithstanding the discouraging nature of British cables, the local markets was firm and prices advanced 10 to 20c per 100 lbs. over last Thursday. The receipts of common and inferior stock have fallen off as pastures are good. Choice cattle sold at \$4.50 to \$4.60; good at \$4 to \$4.25; fair at \$3.25 to \$3.75, and common at \$2.50 to \$3 per 100 lbs. Sheep sold at 31-4 to 31-2c, and up to 33-4 to 4c for picked. Lambs \$2.75 to \$3.75 each. Hogs \$5 to \$5.10 per 100 lbs.

THURSDAY'S MARKETS.

Special to The Commercial.

Montreal, June 10.

At the semi-weekly market yesterday the market was firm. Shipment for export this week were Cattle, 3,838 head; horses, 231; sheep, 904. Offerings yesterday 300 cattle, 600 calves, 500 sheep and lambs. The demand for cattle was good and good to choice advanced 1-4 to 1-2c. Choice cattle, 45-8 to 47-8c; fair to good, 31-2 to 41-2c. Sheep, 31-4 to 31-2c. Yearlings, 4c lb. Lambs, \$2.40 to \$3.50 each. Hogs, \$5 to \$5.10 per 100 lbs.

MONTREAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Special to The Commercial.

Montreal, June 11.

The decline in oats continues, showing a drop altogether this week of 2c. Flour is weak and irregular, with cutting in prices, and is quoted 30c per barrel lower for Manitoba. Milfeed quiet. Cheese slow. Butter more active. Oatmeal dull and 5 to 10c lower. Hides have been very active and with light stocks prices have made the remarkable advance of 2c, being a total advance of 3c in two weeks. Eggs are firmer.

Oats—34c per bushel for No. 2 white in store and 31-2 to 35c afloat.

Flour—Manitoba strong bakers, \$6.20; Manitoba patents, \$6.60.

Milfeed—Bran, \$14 per ton; shorts, \$16, including sacks.

Oatmeal—Rolled oats, \$2 to \$2.05 per bag.

Hides—No. 1 green city hides, 11c; country hides, 10c; calfskins, 10c; sheepskins, \$1; tallow, 3 to 31-4c.

Eggs—Fresh, 9 to 91-2c; selected lots, 10 to 101-2c per dozen.

Butter—Choice dairy 14 to 15c. Butter—Creamery 16 to 161-2c for choice fresh goods.

Cheese—6 3-4 to 71-8c.

Potatoes—75c per bag.

Maple syrup—Barrels, 43-4 to 5c lb; tins, 45 to 50c; in wood, 41-2 to 5c lb; sugar 6 to 61-4c.

MONTREAL GROCERY MARKET.

Special to The Commercial.

Montreal, June 11.

Teas have been active and firmer. United States parties have been here buying teas for shipment to the States, and they have bought liberally. This has had a tendency to advance local prices. Sugars are quiet and yellows are quoted 1-16c lower. Tomatoes, corn and peas are 5c lower. Quotations are: Granulated sugar, standard, 41-2c at the refiners; Canadian-German granulated, 43-16c; yellows 39-16 to 41-16; molasses 30 to 31; syrups, 2 to 21-2 as to quality; Valencia raisins from 43-4 to 51-2; Valencia layers, 61-2c; currants, 51-8 to 61-2c, as to brand; coffee, Rio, 10 to 11c; Mocha, 22 to 24c; Java, 22 to 24c; rice, Crystal Japan, 51-4c, B, 33-4c.

Canned goods—Tomatoes, \$1.15; corn, 80 to 85c; peas, 80 to 85c.

MONTREAL HARDWARE MARKET.

Special to The Commercial.

Montreal, June 11.

Hardware, paints and oils have been in brisk demand and prices are generally steady and firm. Turpentine is again 1c lower. Cordage is very strong and has advanced 1 to 11-4c all around to 11 to 11 1-2c for sisal and manilla 12 to 12 1-2c for 7-16 size and upward. Smaller sizes 1c higher.

White lead, government standard, \$5.62 1-2; No. 1, \$5.25; dry white lead in kegs, 5c; red lead in kegs, 43-4c; linseed oil, raw, 49c; boiled, 52c; turpentine, 46c; bar iron, \$1.40 to \$1.50; tin plates, cokes, \$2.75 to \$2.90, I. C. charcoal, \$3.25 to \$3.75. Canada plates, \$2.10 to \$2.15; tern plates, \$5.95 to \$6.25; galvanized iron, 41-4 to 43-4c; lead \$3.75 to \$4; iron pipe, \$3.90 to \$4; putty in bulk, \$1.65; in bladders, \$1.80; ingot tin, 16 1-2 to 17 1-2. Cement, English brands, \$2.25 to \$2.35. Germany, \$2.30 to \$2.45, and Belgium, \$1.80 to \$2 per barrel, ex-wharf.

CHEESE MARKETS.

Ingersoll, June 7.—Offerings to-day, 2,200 boxes, balance May make; 36 sales; 7c freely bid; salesmen holding for 71-4c.

Beileville, June 7.—At Belleville Cheese Board 26 factories boarded 1,895 white and 420 colored; sales were, 100 colored and 525 white; 785 white and 200 colored; 350 white, all at 7c.

NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, June 10.—Money on call steady, 1 to 11-2 per cent; last loan 11-4 per cent; prime mercantile paper 3 to 4 per cent; sterling exchange easier at \$1.85 3-4 to \$1.86 for demand, and at \$1.81 1-2 to \$1.81 3-4 for sixty days; posted rates \$1.85 1-2 to \$1.87; commercial bills \$1.82 3-4; silver certificates 57 1-2 to 58 1-2; bar silver 57 7-8; Mexican dollars 45 1-2; government bonds firm.