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COMMERCIAL GRAIN AND FLOUR. There was no change of importance in the grain market. We quote: Canada red winter wheat, 90c to 92c; white winter, 90c to 93c.

Provisions.—In the local provision market there was more enquiry and a fair amount of business was done. We quote:—Canada short cut, per bbl, \$17.50 to \$18.00; mess pork, western, per bbl, \$17.00 to \$17.50.

Maple Syrup and Sugar.—The demand for maple syrup was fair, and some fair-sized barrels were secured, but the market was weaker and prices declined, some sales being made at 6c to 6 1/2c per lb. in time, and 5c in wood.

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HALIFAX, April 24.—The day's prices are as follows: Apples, \$2.50 to \$4.00; butter, large packages, 20c to 21c; packages retail, 23c to 24c.

Onions, per doz, 15c to 20c; onions, per bag, \$2; turnips, white, per bag, 40c to 50c; rhubarb, per bunch, 15c; cabbage, per doz, 50c to \$1.50; celery, 40c to 75c; beets, per peck, 20c to 25c; parsley, per doz, 20c; hay, \$11 to \$16.00; straw, \$7 to \$11.00.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. 50c, beaver \$3.50 to \$4, otter \$8 to \$10, and fisher \$2 to \$3. Advances from Leipzig report that the sales there were interfered with by strikes, and as a rule demand was not active.

On hand for export... On hand for sale... Exported by the Hon James McShane, M.P.P., 78, Cabot St. Carthaginian from Boston.

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TRADING IN WHEAT. "During the past few days the excitement in wheat has run very high both on the part of the speculators and legitimate traders, the price of No. 2 spring wheat in Chicago having advanced to \$2 1/2c May, being a rise of 7/8c per bushel from bedrock."

SUGAR AND MOLASSES. Refined sugar is quiet at about former quotations, but there have been some large transactions in raw, about 4,000 tons of Cuba being reported on account of a city refinery, the sale price for this being by New York parties, in Barbadoes molasses, sales of 5 cars from Halifax are reported sold at 39c, but since then a round lot from New York has been offered at 37c.

FISH OILS. There has been a little more business reported in cod oil, the sale of 100 bbls of Newfoundland A being reported at 35c, and we quote 35c to 36c to quantity. In steam refined cod oil, several small sales have been made at 48c. Cod liver oil is very slow sale and prices are nominal at 70c.

SALT FISH. The season being now over, values are purely nominal, and business is confined to the retail trade. Dry cod is quoted at \$4.25 per quintal and B. C. salmon at \$11.50 to \$12 per bbl.

CHEESE. From reliable parties who have just returned from England, we learn, as an exchange, that there is now new calls for new deep white cream cheese, and it is therefore important that Canadian factories should know the kind of early goods to turn out.—Brookville Times.

FURS. Receipts of raw furs here have consisted principally of beaver, lynx, marten and otter, which have had a fair sale at steady prices. Choice lynx have brought \$3, mink are slow at \$1.

CANADIAN ANTHRACITE COAL. A sample of Anthracite coal, taken from the mines at Anthracite, N. W. T., about four miles from Banff, a station on the Canadian Pacific Railway, is exhibited in the office of Mr. A. G. McBean, grain merchant, of this city. Experts who have examined the coal pronounce it a splendid specimen of hard coal.

LIVE STOCK. WEEKLY REPORT.—MONTREAL STOCK YARDS, POINT ST. CHARLES. Cattle. Sheep. Hogs. Calves. The receipts of live stock for the week ending April 21st, 1888, were: Cattle, 562; Sheep, 79; Hogs, 323; Calves, 602.

BRITISH LIVE STOCK TRADE. There has been no change in the actual condition of the British cattle markets, but the break of last week has brought out a more active demand, which, however, has not manifested sufficient spirit to affect values. Receipts from Canada and the States have been large for the season.

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TORONTO LIVE STOCK. TORONTO, April 24.—At the local cattle yards this morning we received 26 loads of stock, and found them in a very good one. The market at the beginning of the week ruled and were well maintained. Owing to the liberal supply there was a moderate, perhaps, a slight indication of weakness in values, but most of the deals were effected at good figures, and the market closed firm.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. The time for corn planting varies with the latitude and also depends much upon the weather. As soon as the days are mild and the ground warm is a safe rule, wherever that may be, in all localities.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became a Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS. Now is the time to study the catalogues of trustworthy seedmen. According to late accounts the Louisiana strawberry crop is the largest ever grown.

Arkansas and Texas claim that the immigration into those states during the past year has been greater than in any previous season. Prof. De Muth is quoted as saying, that he has fed to a cow between meals is worse than wasted, as it interferes with the digestion of the regular ration.

NEW PROFICUE GERMAN WAX BEAN. And now is introduced for the first time to the public the new prolific German wax bean, an improved strain of the old favorite German wax. This new strain, which has been tested in many localities with both field and garden culture, appears to have given very general satisfaction.

FEEDING AND WATERING HORSE. The feeding of a horse should be varied according to the purpose for which the animal is employed, and the size, age, etc. In many stables the horses are fed the same quantity, without regard to constitution or need. Experience and good judgment will soon enable one to decide the quantity needed by each horse to keep it in good condition.

VETERINARY. (The Veterinary Department of THE TRUE WITNESS is in charge of a practical veterinary surgeon. The benefits of this column are extended to country subscribers only, and no charge is made for these answers. In case private advice by mail is required it is necessary to enclose a fee of one dollar.) C. M., Kingsbridge.—Sir, please inform me in the columns of your next paper what would be good for a steer; he is three years old; I had him fattening; he got a swelling in his front throat; in between the front legs, and upon the throat; from shoulder to shoulder is about 3 1/2 feet. I had the veterinary surgeon and done no good; I bathed with hot water and salt, and it did not come to a head; I lanced in two or three places, and nothing but water came from it. Please let me know what would be good; he is sick about seven weeks; his appetite is poor. Ans.—If the swelling is the result of an injury, give 1 1/2 lb. of Epsom salts with 2 ounces of ginger dissolved in one quart of hot water; give when cold. If from some disease of the respiratory organs, give the following: 2 dr. iron sulphate, 2 drs. iodide of potassium, powdered and mix; give twice a day; also give three times a week 1 1/2 pints of cod liver oil; rub into the swelling spirit of camphor.

HOW TO KEEP YOUNG. Sabelt on light but nutritious diet, with milk as the standard food, but varied according to season. Take food in moderate quantity, four times a day, including a light meal before going to bed. Clothe yourself warmly but lightly, so that the body may in all seasons maintain its equal temperature. Keep the body in fair exercise, and the mind active and cheerful. Maintain an interest in what is going on in the world, and take part in reasonable labors and pleasures, as though old age were not coming. Take plenty of sleep during sleeping hours. Spend seven hours in bed at the least, and take care during cold weather that the temperature of the bed-room is maintained at 60 deg. Fabr. Avoid passion, excitement, luxury.

BIRTH. MULDOON.—At 110 Stanley street, on the 24th inst., the wife of P. N. Muldoon, of a daughter.

DIED. ALTY.—In this city, this (Thursday) morning, April 19th, Hugh, aged 9 years, 5 months, and 25 days, son of Thomas Alty.

COYLE.—In this city, on the 20th inst., Helen Bernadette Coyle, aged 6 months and 17 days, daughter of Edward Coyle.

GOIN.—In this city, on the 20th inst., the Notre Dame Hospital, Henry Goin, aged 79 years, gardener, of St. Henri, Montreal.

WILLIAMS.—In this city, on the 20th inst., John Williams, aged 13 years and 10 months, stepbrother of Denis and Timothy Brennan.

VALIQUETTE.—In this city, on the 19th inst., Pierre Valiquette, aged 68 years, father of Alphonse and Alfred Valiquette, dry goods merchants.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. Its superior excellence proven in millions of homes for more than a quarter of a century.

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INS. The field is broken up as usual and mowed level. At the time of planting one thorough harrowing is given and the furrows laid off and thrown up not five feet beds, the corn being planted in the furrows between the beds. The object of this plan is to insure moisture to the crop. The fertilizers are sown in the bottom of the furrows and mixed with the soil by running along the furrows a sharp single shovel couler or dragging a chain through them. Then the seed is dropped and covered.

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S. CARSLY has decided to clear but two lines of Waterproof Circulars with plain and check linings at 50c; regular price \$3.00.

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NOTICE. KID GLOVES KID GLOVES KID GLOVES Postage on Kid Gloves prepared to any part of Canada. S. CARSLY.

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