

at 17 to 18c. per lb. Prices continue the same here at 14 to 15c. for fleece, 8 to 8½c. for unwashed and 15 to 16½c. for pulled wool.

Cattle.

Fine quality in all the leading American markets continue strong and sell readily at good prices. Inferior grades continue only fairly steady, the extra supply of these keeping values down. On Toronto cattle market on Friday receipts were light, and for the first time for a couple of weeks the offerings were all cleaned up. The quality of the fat cattle was, with a few exceptions, poor. Trade was good for the best quality of exporters and butchers, while the poorer grades were slow. More than half of the cattle on the market were stockers and feeders.

Export Cattle.—Choice quality sold at \$4.80 to \$5 per cwt., and light ones at \$4.25 to \$4.60 per cwt. The bulk of exporters sold at \$4.40 to \$4.70 per cwt. Heavy export bulls sold at \$4.12½ to \$4.40, and light ones at \$3.40 to \$3.65 per cwt.

Butchers' Cattle.—Choice picked lots of these equal in quality to the best exporters and weighing 1000 to 1100 lbs. each sold at \$4.12½ to \$4.35; good butchers' cattle at \$3.65 to \$4; mediums, mixed cows, heifers and steers, at \$3.40 to \$3.65, and inferior to common at \$2.90 to \$3.37½ per cwt.

Stockers.—The market for Buffalo stockers was weaker and prices were easier at \$3 to \$3.15 per cwt. for the bulk of the best steers, with a few picked lots at \$3.25. Inferior black and white steers with heifers sold at \$2.12½ to \$2.50 and stock bulls at \$2.12½ per cwt.

Feeders.—Choice, high-grade steers in good condition and weighing 1100 to 1200 lbs. each for farmers' purposes sold at \$3.80 to \$4, while rough steers of the same weight for the byres, sold at \$3.60 to \$3.75 per cwt., the bulk going at \$3.60. Light feeders weighing from 800 to 1000 lbs. each sold at \$3.40 to \$3.50 and feeding bulls at \$2.75 to \$3 per cwt.

Calves.—These have been in light supply at Buffalo. On Friday's market here calves sold at \$4 to \$10 each.

Milk Cows.—The cows offered were mostly of inferior quality and sold at \$25 to \$46 each, only two reaching the last figure.

Sheep and Lambs.

The demand for these has fallen off at Buffalo somewhat. All common kinds are dull and weak. Prices at Toronto market on Friday were \$3.25 to \$3.50 for ewes, and \$2.50 to \$2.75 per cwt. for bucks. Butchers' sheep sold at about \$3 per cwt. Prices for good lambs were firm at \$3.75 to \$4 per cwt., but the general run were not of good quality.

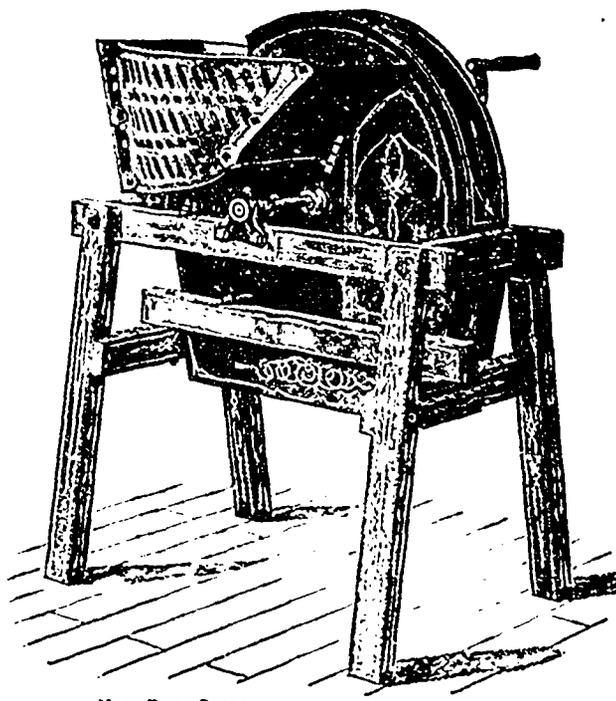
Hogs.

Receipts were large on Friday, and prices easy at \$4.62½ for select bacon hogs of good quality, not less than 160 lbs. nor more than 200 lbs. each, unfed an unwatered, off cars, and \$4.12½ for thick and light fats. The bulk of the hogs sold at \$4.50 for uncultured car loads. Essex and Kent corn-fed hogs sold at \$4.12½ to \$4.25 per cwt. Prices at Montreal are ½c. per lb. lower; the bulk of the offerings during the week sold at 4½c. per lb. The English bacon market is off a little, as the *Trade Bulletin's* London cable of October 5th shows. It reads thus: "The market is dull and prices are weak at a decline of 2s. on the week, and, as stocks have increased, holders are anxious to realize."

Horses.

At Grand's Repository last week horses were somewhat quiet, though good quality was in demand. The Essex coach horses mentioned last week sold at from \$75 to \$120 each. One cob gray mare brought \$125. One pair of delivery horses sold at \$200 a pair, and another pair, of fine quality, at \$150 each.

Elsewhere in this issue appears an advertisement of Mr. L. Rogers, Cooksville, in which he announces a very special offer of Yorkshire pigs. The prices named by Mr. Rogers are for October only. This stock is guaranteed of the finest English strain. Those interested in this breed would do well to address Mr. Rogers at Cooksville.



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