

\$3.00 per bushel. In the raising of live stock the outdoor pasturing averages 7 months and stable feeding 5 months.

Sugar Beets have also been found a profitable crop, netting \$60 to \$70 per acre.

PRECIPITATIONS AND CLIMATIC CONDITIONS.

The rainfall in Huron averages 26 to 27 inches for the last 30 years, producing sufficient troisture to cause rapid growth and the maturing of all kinds of vegetation. The snowfall is comparatively heavy, with frequent winter thaws, but there is always a sufficient covering of snow on the ground during the coldest months to protect the fall sown Grain, Grass and Clover, and tender shrubs, from damage by winter frosts.

The average mean temperature for the three summer and the three winter months for the last 13 years are as follows: June 61.6, July 66.7, August 64.9.—December 23.8, January 19.9, February 16.

The quality of the water for domestic and stock purposes is the very best, and the quantity abundant, from wells and flowing springs.

TRANSPORTATION AND MARKETS.

The transportation and market facilities are excellent. The County is served by two lines of the Grand Trunk, and two lines of the Canada Pacific Railways running East and West to Lake Huron at varying distances, and one line of the Grand Trunk from South to North intersecting all the East and West lines, one of each of the systems having their



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