

Stocks and Commerce.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

STEEL AND COAL STRONG AND IN GOOD DEMAND.

The stock market closed strong and healthy. Sales have been fair and purchases well distributed. Steel and Coal were leaders. Steel sold at 18 1-4 on transactions of 265 shares. Coal jumped two points from 48 to 50, with sales of 325 shares. This shows that financiers are still in hope that the Steel-Coal difficulty will be settled soon. Canadian Pacific firm at 154 3-4 and 260 shares changed hands. Last week's report showing a material decrease in receipts has not affected the market. Detroit is very firm at 95 3-4, sales 188 shares. This stock is on the rise and will continue to go on so. Twin firm at 87, sales 60 shares. Toronto Rails, from par last week has declined to 98 3-4 under small sales of 80 shares. Toledo, 14 7-8 with sales of 110 shares. Power steady and firm at 95 1-2 to 95 3-4, sales 116 shares. Lake of the Woods firm, Sales, 65 shares. Street, 182. Power declined to 95 in the afternoon session with small sales. We refer our readers to the tabulated column showing close of the market.

Montreal Stock Exchange.

Table with columns for STOCK, Sellers, and Buyers. Lists various stocks like Bell Telephone, Can. Converters, Canadian Pacific, etc.

Table with columns for BANKS, COTTONS, and BONDS. Lists various banks and financial instruments.

FLOUR MARKET

There is no new feature in the local flour trade. The demand is steady, supplies are adequate and prices are firm. Choice spring wheat patents, \$6.10; seconds, \$5.50; winter wheat patents \$5.50; straight rollers, \$5 to \$5.25; do, in bags, \$2.85 to \$2.50; extra, \$1.80 to \$1.90. Millfeed—A fair trade is passing, stocks are limited and prices are unchanged. Manitoba bran, \$22 to \$23; shorts, \$23 to \$24; Ontario grain, shorts, \$22 to \$22.50; middlings, \$24 to \$25; shorts, \$25 to \$27 per ton, including bags, and pure grain moulie at \$32 to \$34. Rolled oats and Corn—A moderate volume of business is being done at firm prices. Rolled oats, \$3.12 1-2 to per bag; cornmeal, \$1.67 1-2 to \$1.75 per bag.

PROVISION MARKET.

The opening of navigation has done much to enliven the provision trade. Local packers are now busily engaged on orders to be delivered by boat. A good demand prevails, stocks are sufficient and prices are firm. Live hogs are selling at \$6.50 to \$6.75; abattoir fresh killed, \$9.75 to \$10. Pork—Heavy Canada short cut mess pork, in tiers, \$31; heavy Canada short cut mess pork, in barrels, \$21; Canada short cut clear pork, all fat, \$20 to \$20.50; heavy short cut clear pork, lean on, \$20 to \$20.50; heavy Canada short cut mess pork, in half-barrels, \$10.75; Canada short cut back pork, \$10.75. Lard—Compound, in tiers of 375 lbs., 8 1-2c; parchment lined boxes, 50 lbs., 8 3-4c; tubs, 50 lbs. net, 8 7-8c; wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 9c; tin pails, 20 lbs. gross, 8 1-2c; tins, 3 to 10 lbs., in cases, 8 1-2 to 9 1-4c. Pure Lard—Tiers, 375 lbs. 11 3-4c; parchment lined boxes, 50 lbs. net, 12c; parchment lined wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 12 1-4c; tin pails, 20 lbs. gross, 11 3-4c; tins, 3 to 10 lbs., in cases, 12 1-4 to 12 1-2c. Dry Salt Meats—Green bacon, boneless, 11 1-2c; green bacon, flanks, bone in, 10 1-2c; long clear bacon, heavy, 80 to 100 lbs. 10 1-2c; long clear bacon, 40 to 60 lbs., 11c. Smoked Meats—Hams, 25 lbs. and upwards, 12c; do., 18 to 25 lbs. 12 1-2c; do., 12 to 18 lbs., 13c; do., 8 to 12 lbs., 13 1-2c; do., large hams, bone out, rolled, 14c; do., small, 15c; Windsor bacon, backs, 14 1-2c; spiced rolled bacon, boneless, short, 11c; do, long, 11c; White-shire bacon, 50 lbs., sides, 15c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

There is no change in the local potato situation. A steady and moderate volume of business is passing at firm and unchanged quotations. Farmers in the vicinity of Quebec who hold considerable stocks are hesitant in their offerings, as they expect better prices than are now being paid. A fair local trade is being done, but only small lots are being sold. Car lots of red stock at 80c to 85c, and white at 90c to 95c per bag of 90 lbs., while in a jobbing way sales were made at \$1.05 to \$1.10 per bag.

EGGS UNCHANGED.

The receipts are rapidly increasing and the consumption is heavy. Local dealers expect, however, that the present high prices will be maintained throughout the week. Fresh eggs in jobbing lots are selling at 18c to 18 1-2c per dozen; single cases, 18 1-2c to 19c.

MAPLE PRODUCTS FIRM.

A steady enquiry prevails, stocks are adequate, but are not of the highest quality, and prices are necessarily low. The larger portion of syrup for sale on the local market is compound. Maple syrup is selling in wood at 5c to 5 1-2c per lb., and in tins at 6c to 6 1-2c. Maple sugar is selling at 9c to 9 1-2c per lb.

POTASH AND PEARLS.

A moderate trade is being done. The demand is limited and prices are firm and unchanged. First pearls, \$6.75 to \$7; first pots, \$6.25 to \$6.30; and seconds \$5.75 per 100 lbs.

HONEY QUIET.

Business at present is quiet as the maple products trade has displaced the demand for honey. There is no change in quotations: White comb honey at 13 1-2c; dark at 12 1-2c to 13c; clover at 11c to 12c; and buckwheat at 10c to 11c per lb.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Receipts of cheese are very light. A steady though limited local demand exists. The cheese factories in Quebec and Ontario are resuming operations, but the output so far has been very small. About one-third of last week's new make for export is held over for the steamer Latona, which sails for London next Saturday. Prices are unchanged: New make is selling at 11 3-8c to 11 5-8c. Old make is quoted at 12 1-4c to 12 3-4c. Stocks of old make are so light, however, that prices are only nominal.

BUTTER FIRM.

The local butter market maintains a general firmness. A good demand exists, receipts are increasing and prices are firm without change. Rounds lots are selling at 29c and to grocers it is selling at 30c per lb.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Exporters paid 5 3-4c to 6c for steers and 5 1-4c for cows. Choice yearling lambs 7c to 7 1-4c; sheep 5 1-2c per lb. Spring lambs, offerings small and lower grade, sales at \$3 to \$6. Calves \$1.50 to \$5 each. Choice heaves sold at 6c to 6 1-4c; good, 5 1-2 to 5 3-4c; fair, 5c to 5 1-4c; common at 4 1-4 to 4 3-4c, and lower grades at 3c to 4c per lb. Market for hogs is stronger and prices are 25c per 100 lbs. higher than a week ago. Light receipts, stronger competition between buyers and increased values for bacon in England are the cause of rise. Closing prices for selected lots \$7 per 100 lbs. weighed off cars. The present weather is rapidly

OUR MONTHLY CALENDAR

Table showing the calendar for May 1908, including feast days like Second Sunday after Easter, Third Sunday after Easter, etc.

Montreal Mining Exchange.

Business dull. Crown Reserve Steady. Nipping in demand.

Table listing various mining stocks and their prices, such as Cobalt Lake, Cobalt Central, etc.

MONTREAL HAY MARKET.

A fair trade is passing. High grades are a little easier. Receipts are slightly heavier, the demand is good and prices are unchanged: No. 1, \$16 to \$16.50; No. 2, \$13 to \$13.50; mixed, \$11.50 to \$12; pure clover, \$11 to \$11.50 per ton in car lots.

Country Cheese Boards.

Butter high. Supply small. Cheese lower till last year. Brockville, May 4.—At the cheese board here on Saturday the price was raised until 11 1-2c was reached, at which nearly the entire offering was sold. On the curb the lots remaining unsold easily commanded 11 1-2c. These, with the few regulars, brought the total sales of the day to over 2000 boxes. For the corresponding week last year the ruling prices was 11 7-8c. Belleville, Ont., May 4.—1064 boxes of white and 95 boxes colored. Sales 858 boxes of white at 11 3-8c, and 40 at 11 1-4c. Picton, Ont., May 4.—Nine factories boarded 433 boxes, all colored; 11 1-4c bid; all sold. Cornwall, Ont., May 4.—185 boxes were boarded and 123 colored sold at 11 1-8c and 22 white at 11 5-16c. London, Ont., May 4.—Nine factories offered a total of 433 boxes of colored cheese; 160 boxes sold at 11 1-8c. Winchester, Ont., May 4.—181 colored and 36 white were registered; all sold on the board at 11 1-2c. Cowansville, Que., May 4.—581 boxes of butter and 25 boxes of cheese were boarded. Butter went at 28c, all selling at this price except 25 boxes, went at 11c. Farham, May 5.—110 boxes butter; sales 28 1-4, one factory refused 28 3-4c. Canton, N.Y.—One thousand tubs butter sold at 25c. Eleven hundred boxes cheese, export, 10c; twins, 9 1-2c. Ottawa, May 5.—First board meeting May 22nd. Cornwall rules will apply.

English Cheese

The cheese market has ruled but quiet, although there are some signs of a revival in demand at prices now quoted. Dealers are clearly out of stock, and must shortly come into the market to replenish. New Zealand supplies are still plentiful, but there is a firmer tone manifested. The enquiry for medium grade keeps very small. We quote: Finest Canadian, colored, 63s to 64s per cwt.; white, 61s to 62s 6d per cwt.; earlier made Canadians, white and colored, 60s to 61s 6d per cwt.; finest first grade New Zealand, white and colored, 61s 6d to 62s 6d per cwt. Canadian Apples in England. The demand for apples is poor and sales have been made at 6 shillings (\$1.44) to 11 shillings (\$2.64) per barrel. Some lots of slacks have not cleared their freight and charges and claims in a large number of instances have been made. The past season's business has been very unsatisfactory and losses have been the heaviest for years. Butter Prospects, Lower Prices in Sight. The present weather is rapidly

CANADIAN PACIFIC UPPER LAKE SERVICE.

Commencing Saturday, May 2nd, and on Tuesdays and Thursdays thereafter Steamship will leave Owen Sound for Sault Ste. Marie and Fort William.

CHEAP RATES

Table showing cheap rates for various routes: SEATTLE, VICTORIA, VANCOUVER, TACOMA, Wash. and PORTLAND \$52.70; NELSON and SPOKANE \$49.95; SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES via Chicago only \$52.00.

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Reduced Fares

Table showing reduced fares for various routes: NELSON and SPOKANE \$49.95; ROSSLAND \$51.60; SEATTLE, VICTORIA, VANCOUVER and PORTLAND \$52.70; SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES \$54.00; MEXICO CITY, Mex. \$59.50.

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Industrial and Commercial news of a local character will be cheerfully received. These should be addressed to the Commercial Editor of the TRUE WITNESS, Montreal.

OBITUARY.

MISS MIDA HANLEY. The death occurred on Sunday last of Miss Mida Hanley, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hanley. Patient to a most edifying degree, in an illness which extended over two years, every minute being one of extreme agony, Miss Hanley gave proof of the greatest Christian resignation, and she passed away early on Sunday morning to her rest richly equipped, fortified and comforted with the holy rites. The True Witness offers its deep sympathy to the sorrowing parents and relatives and joins in the consoling prayer of Mother Church—May perpetual light shine upon her.

MONTREAL GRAIN MARKET.

Manitoba feed wheat, 70c No. 2 feed, 60 to 65c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 49c; No. 3, 46c to 46 1-2c; No. 4, 45c to 45 1-2c; rejected, 43c to 43 1-2c; Manitoba rejected, 45c to 45 1-2c. A panther, measuring eight feet, was killed at Ferry Sliding, a few miles west of Nelson, on Saturday night, the largest of its kind seen around here.

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States and represented by one million two hundred people who make...

of New York, had their presence or their representatives. Every...

plan of the 20th century. Memories shall float even of another as cause for emulating yet unborn.

CARDINAL LOGUE

The opening note was struck when on 25th, Cardinal Logue red and fourteenth Patrick, Archbishop/Primate of all Ireland, Cardinal Lucez, primate of the states whose deck floated of "Let Erin Remember Old," played by the...

To meet the expectations accompanied by Bis of Quebec, Rev. Administrator of the Armagh, and the Secretary to Bishop...

Men of Armagh were four of their number great banner of the as the group whom...

company set up a taken up by clergy the Archbishop and...

ward and gave green guided guests from Cardinal's residence, then...

to give the distinguished opportunity to recuperate of the journey.

PROGRAMME

The official programme was: Sunday Morning Mass in the church...

Monday—School of the parish. Tuesday—Pontifical...

Wednesday—Mass school children at 11 a.m. Bishop Burke...

Thursday—Pontifical for deceased prelates of the diocese in the...

Friday—Pontifical the Sacred Heart in 10 a.m. Bishop O'Connor...

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