



License Nos. 8-540 & 10-2626.

We think We can Please You

This is how we figure it.

Most everybody prefers high-class eatables.
We handle only that kind—hence our deduction is natural enough, isn't it?
Suppose you let us do up an order some of these days just for a trial.

Get some of our Coffee.

And some of that Star Blend Tea that we are all the time talking about.

Don't forget about Christie's Fancy Biscuits.

Include some of our Canned Vegetables—they are the best that money can buy.

And all the great number of every-day needs we take pains to have JUST RIGHT.

Prices where they ought to be.

At the Sign of The Star.

The Store of Quality.

J. N. Scheffer

Terms—Cash or Produce.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS TORONTO.

Briefly summarized, yesterday's market on the Union Stock Yards Exchange was very strong for all classes of cattle, and closed 25c to 50c higher, with a good strong clean up by noon. There was a comparatively light run, 2,188 cattle all told and a strong undertone throughout. There were not very many heavy weight steers on the market and the prospect for this class of cattle looks very favorable and better than \$16 would have been paid on the exchange yesterday if the weight and quality had been there. In short, the market closed strong for all classes with, as said, a good clean up at the advance of from 25c to 50c.

In the small stuff there was a heavy run of sheep and lambs, 1443 head altogether, and the lamb trade broke badly, variously estimated at from \$3 to \$4 per cwt. on the lambs, with a good many unsold at the close of the market. Best grades of lambs sold at from 18 1/2c to 19c; medium lambs, 17c to 17 1/2c; cull lambs, 13c to 14c, light sheep, 14c to 15c; heavy sheep, 10c to 12c, and culls and common sheep 6 1/2c to 10c.

The run of calves was light, about 175 all told. Best calves, 15c to 16c; medium calves, 12 1/2c to 14c; grassers and common calves, 7 1/2c to 10c, and slow of sale. The calf trade was off 50c and very few good calves on the market.

The hog trade was steady and unchanged at 20c fed and watered, with receipts of 1112, as shown by the official board. The outlook for the week is for 20c fed and watered.

Some fifteen weeklies in Ontario alone have gone out of business within the year. And yet some people still ask the newspaper to advertise this, that and the other thing for nothing, under the impression that space in the newspaper is of no value.

Owing to the success of the hog production campaign in Canada and the United States, and conservation efforts of both countries in the consumption of pork, the Canada Food Board has removed the restrictions applying to public eating places on pork of all kinds which may now be served at any time by such places operating under a Canada Food Board License. Net exports of pork from the Dominion have been increased by 125,000,000 pounds per annum, or 571% over the five year pre-war average.

Just a Note of Warning.

Many boarding-house keepers and others engaged in the restaurant business in a small way, particularly in the smaller towns and villages, have not yet taken out licenses as they are required to do by the Canada Food Board. These parties are therefore liable to the penalty required by the regulations. It must be borne in mind that a public eating place subject to license is, according to Food Board Order No. 46. Any place whatsoever, where MEALS to the number of fifteen or more per day are served or sold to others than members of the family or household of the proprietor or caterer. Persons supplying meals to the number as stated must obtain licenses, otherwise they are liable to a fine or imprisonment, or both.

Carelessness in leaving Paris green where his stock could drink the poison was responsible for killing one cow belonging to Charles Gates, of Con. 8, Amabel and two others are dangerously ill. Mr. Gates had been sprinkling his potato patch with the Paris green and unfortunately left it out in the yard where the cattle were grazing. Dr. Thomas is endeavoring to save the two that are suffering from the effects of the poison.

The severe winter of 1917-1918 dealt the fruit industry a hard blow and the results are only now becoming apparent. Regrettably, indeed is the havoc wrought in the old Pameuse orchards of Eastern Ontario and Quebec, in which those districts took no small amount of pride. Consumers will not appreciate the extent of the loss until they try to purchase a barrel of "snobs," one of the most popular varieties in the dessert class.

Govt. Increases Freight Rates By 20 per cent.

Acting on a report prepared by the board of railway commissioners, an order-in-council has been passed increasing freight rates to an amount sufficient to meet the increased operating cost imposed on the railways by the new wage schedule. The increase will average about 20%.

The freight rate increases are the direct outcome of the acceptance in Canada of the McAdoo award, which applies to both government railways and railways owned by private companies.

The export and import rates system in Canadian territory where rates were not increased continue to stand, and can only be increased subject to a maximum of the lowest rate or rates in American territory to or from these points. In like manner the low value ore in the Kootenay district, which could not well stand the American increase, is held down to the stone and rubber commodity basis.

Helwig's Weekly Store News...

Put in a supply of staple dry goods as prices are going higher

Ginghams

Dress Gingham in plain, checks, plaids, and stripes.
At price per yd 20 and 25c

Prints

Light colored prints, white ground with stripes, spots and small designs, suitable for womens' and childrens' dresses, boys' blouses, and mens' and boys' shirts.
Extra value at 25c a yd.

Indigo Prints

Indigo and dark colored prints, greys, black, lilacs and butcher blue at—
25c, 30c, 35c

Chintz Prints

Chintz quilting prints 36 in wide in red, fawn and sky ground with paisley designs.
Price per yd 30c and 35c

Awning Ducks

Awning ducks in red and white; green and white; brown and white, worth to-day 60c per yd. Price to clear at 40c a yd.

palm beach Cloth

Palm beach in white, linen and cadet, 36 inches wide at 50c per yd.

Bring us your Cream, Butter and Eggs.

HELWIG BROS.

GENERAL MERCHANTS,

Shirtings

Standard Shirting for mens' and boys' work shirts in blue and black grounds with white stripes, worth to day 50c per yard; While our present stock lasts 35c

Cotton Sheeting

2 yd wide plain and twill sheeting worth to-day 25c per yard more than what we are asking you.
Price per yard 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

Factory Cotton

36 inch factory cotton fine spun and even weave, very special at—
20c, 25c, 30c and 35c.

Bleach Cotton

Fine and heavy make of bleach cotton for all purposes at 20c up to 50c

Flannelettes

Light striped Flannelette, pink, blue and grey stripes at 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c.

Towelings

Roller and hand toweling, fine and heavy cloths.
Prices range 15c up to 35c

**My Name Is
KILOWATT**

I want to come to your house and do your washing.

**I CHARGE
2c an Hour**

and I do all your washing and wringing—save your strength and your hands—make Blue Monday Bright Monday.

I do it with the

**MAYTAG
Electric
WASHER**

and he'll send me and a Maytag out to your house today.

Liesemer & Kalbfleish
THE CORNER HARDWARE.

No Guesswork.

Our method of testing eyes and fitting them with glasses, is modern, up-to-date and scientific.

THERE IS NO GUESS-WORK

It costs you nothing to let us examine your eyes.

If you are suffering from headaches, pain in back of eyes, or vision is blurred, or you get dizzy easily. Something is the matter with your eyes. We fit glasses that relieve the strain.

Prices Moderate.

C. A. FOX

JEWELLER & OPTICIAN Walkerton

A Better Version.

Instead of "God save our splendid men," the ordinary addenda to the National Anthem, an unknown writer gives the following as a substitute, which to our mind, is much more appropriate:

God save our men at arms,
Shield them from war's alarms,
God save our men.

Strong may they stand in Thee,
Valiant for Liberty;
Crown them with victory,
God save our men.

The Paper Was No Good.

The following letter was received by a

CREAM WANTED ..

As we have discontinued our buying station at Mildmay we will be glad to have all our old patrons ship us direct, and as many new ones as care to give our creamery a trial.

The testing will be done by an expert tester, and correct test given, payment will be made promptly twice a month.

Send in for your can to-day, and be assured of honest treatment.

Treleaven & Ranton,
Palm Creamery, Palmerston.

Texas publisher:

Dear Sir:

I hereby offer my resignation as a subscriber to your paper, it being a pamphlet of such small consequence as not to benefit my family by taking it. What you need in your shete is branra & some one to russel up news and rite edytorial on live topics. No menshun has been made in your shete of me butcherin' a china pig wrighten 369 pounds or of the gapes in the chickens out this way. Yu ig'or the fact that I bot a bran' new bob-sled and that I traded my blind mule and say nothin' 'bout Hi Simpkins' jersey

calf breaking his 2 front legs falling down a well. 2 important chiveres have been utterly ignored by your shete & a 3-column obituary notice wrote by me on the death of Grandpa Henry was left out of your shete and to say nothin' of the alphabetical poem beginning "A" is for And and also for Ark" writ by me darter. This is the reason your paper is so unpopular here. If you don't want edytorial from this place and sint goin' to put no news in your shete we don't want it.

P.S.—If you print obituary in your next issue I may sine again fur yure shete.—G.H.S.