

Grain, Cattle and Cheese

Prices of These Products in the Leading Markets are Here Recorded

Breadstuffs.

Toronto, March 11.—Manitoba Wheat—Lake ports, No. 1 northern, 96 1/2c to 97c; No. 2, 94c to 94 1/2c; No. 3, 91c to 91 1/2c; feed wheat, 65 1/2c.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2, 95c to 96c for car lots, outside, ranging down to 70c for poor grades.

Ontario Oats—No. 2 white, 33c to 34c at country points; 37c to 38c on track, Toronto.

Manitoba Oats—No. 2 C. W. oats, 41c, track, bay prices; No. 2 C. W., 39 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 39 1/2c for prompt shipment.

Corn—American No. 2 yellow, all rail, 56 1/2c; No. 3, 54c.

Feas—No. 2, \$1.15 to \$1.20, car lots, outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 52c to 53c.

Rye—No. 2, 63c to 65c, nominal.

Barley—Outside, 55c to 60c.

Rolled Oats—Per bag of 90 pounds, \$2.15; per barrel, \$4.50, wholesale, Windsor to Montreal.

Mixed—Manitoba bran, \$19.50 to \$20, in bags, track, Toronto; shorts, \$21 to \$21.50; Ontario bran, \$19 to \$20 in bags; shorts, \$21.50.

Manitoba Flour—First patents, \$5.30 in jute bags; second patents, \$4.80 in jute bags; strong bakers, \$4.50 in jute bags. In cotton bags, ten cents more per barrel.

Ontario Flour—Winter wheat flour, 90 per cent. patents, \$3.95 to \$4.05.

Country Produce—Wholesale.

Eggs—Cold-storage, 18c to 20c in case lots; fresh, eggs are selling at 22c; strictly new-laid at 28c.

Cheese—Twins, new, 14 1/2c to 15c, and large, new, at 14 1/2c; old cheese, twins, 15c to 15 1/2c; large, 15c.

Butter—Creamery prints, 31 to 32c; do. solids, 29 to 30c; dairy prints, 25 to 27c; inferior (bakers) 22 to 23c.

Honey—Buckwheat, 9c pound in tins and 8c in barrels; strained clover honey, 12 1/2c a pound in 60-pound tins, 12 3/4c in 10-pound tins; 13c in 5-pound tins; comb honey, No. 1, \$2.60 per dozen; extra, 3c per dozen; No. 2, \$2.40 per dozen.

Poultry—Live chickens, wholesale, 12c to 13c per pound; fowl, 10c to 11c; ducks, 13c to 14c; live turkeys, 15c to 17c; geese, 9c to 10c. Dressed poultry, 2c to 3c above live quotations, excepting dressed turkeys, at 20c to 21c.

Beans—Primes, \$2.50 and \$2.60 for hand-picked.

Potatoes—Ontario potatoes, 80c per bag; car lots, 70c; New Brunswick, 90c to 95c per bag out of store; 80c in car lots.

Spanish Onions—Per case, \$2.40 to \$2.50.

Merchants are buying at country points on the bushel basis as follows:—Alsike, No. 1, \$11.50 to \$12.50; do., No. 2, \$10.50 to \$11; do., No. 3, \$9.50 to \$10; Timothy, No. 1, \$1.65 to \$2.00; do., No. 2, \$1.25 to \$1.60; Flaxseed, \$1.00 to \$1.20; Red clover, No. 3, \$7 to \$8.

Baled Hay and Straw.

Quotations, track, Toronto.—Baled hay, No. 1, \$12 to \$12.50; No. 2, \$9 to \$10; No. 3, \$8 to \$9. Baled straw, \$9 to \$9.50.

United States Markets.

Minneapolis, March 11.—Wheat — May, 85 1/2c to 85 5/8c; July, 87 5/8c; September, 88c; No. 1 hard, 86 1/8c; No. 1 northern, 84 1/2c to 85 5/8c; No. 2 do., 82 1/8c to 83 5/8c; Corn—No. 3 yellow, 46c to 46 1/2c. Oats—No. 3 white, 30 3/4c to 31c. Rye—No. 2, 52c to 55c. Bran—\$17.50 to \$18.50. Flour—Unchanged.

Duluth, March 11.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 85 3/8c to 85 7/8c; No. 1 northern, 84 3/8c to 84 7/8c; No. 2 northern, 80 3/8c to 80 7/8c; May, 86 3/8c; July, 88c bid; September, 88c.

Montreal Markets.

Montreal, March 11. — Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 61 1/2c. Oats—Canadian western No. 3, 40 1/2c to 41c; extra No. 1 feed, 41c to 41 1/2c; No. 2 local white, 38c; No. 3 local white, 37c; No. 4 local white, 35c. Barley—Manitoba feed, 52c to 54c; do., malting, 71c to 75c. Buckwheat, No. 2, 55c to 57c. Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.40; do. seconds, \$4.90; strong bakers, \$4.70; winter patents, choice, \$5.25; straight rollers, \$4.85 to \$4.90; straight rollers, in bags, \$2.20 to \$2.35. Rolled oats, barrels, \$4.35; do., in bags of 90 lbs., \$3.65. Bran, \$20. Shorts, \$22. Middlings, \$25.00. Moullie, \$30 to \$35. Hay, No. 2, per ton car lots, \$11.50 to \$12. Cheese—Finest westerns, 13c; do., easterns, 12 1/4c to 12 3/4c. Butter—Choice creamery, 29c to 29 1/2c; seconds, 24c to 26c. Eggs—Fresh, 28c to 30c; selected, 20c to 22c; No. 1 stock, 16c to 18c; No. 2 stock, 14c to 15c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots 60c to 70c.

Live Stock Markets.

Montreal, Mar. 11.—The top price for best steers was \$6.75, and the lower grades sold from that down to \$4.50 per 100 lbs. Choice butchers' cows brought \$5 to \$5.50, while bulls sold at from \$3 to \$5.25 per 100 lbs. Sheep sold at \$7.50 and lambs at \$4.50 to \$4.75 per 100 lbs. Calves from \$3 to \$10 each, as to size and quality. Sales of selected lots of hogs were made at \$10.10 to \$10.25 per 100 lbs., weighed off cars.

Toronto, March 11. — Cattle — Choice butcher, \$6.50 to \$6.90; good medium, \$5.50 to \$5.75; commons, \$4.25 to \$4.50; \$4.75 to \$5.50; bulls, \$3 to \$5.25; canners, \$2 to \$2.50; cutters, \$3.25 to \$3.75. Calves—Good veal, \$8 to \$9.25; commons, \$3 to \$3.25. Stockers and Feeders—Steers, 700 to 900 lbs., \$5 to \$6.50; feeding bulls, 900 to 1,000 lbs., \$2.75 to \$4.25; yearlings, \$3.10 to \$3.50. Milkers and Springers—From \$50 to \$72. Sheep and Lambs—Light ewes, \$6 to \$7; heavy \$5 to \$6; lambs, \$8 to \$9.50; bucks, \$4.50 to \$6. Hogs—\$9.60 to \$9.65, fed and watered, and \$9.15 f.o.b.

Provisions.

Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Rolls—Smoked, 15c; hams, medium, 18c to 18 1/4c; heavy, 16c to 16 1/2c; breakfast bacon, 19c to 19 1/2c; long clear bacon, tins and cases, 14 1/2c to 14 3/4c; backs (plain), 22c; backs (peameal), 22 1/2c.

Green Meats—Out of pickle, 1c less than smoked.

Pork—Short cut, \$26 to \$28 per barrel; mess pork, \$21 to \$22.

Lard—Tierces, 14 1/4c; tubs, 14 1/2c; pails, 14 3/4c.

SONGBIRDS FOR VANCOUVER.

Five Hundred Have Been Sent From England.

A despatch from London says: Five hundred English song birds, including larks, goldfinches, linnets, tits and robins, selected by the Agent-General for British Columbia, were despatched on Tuesday from London to Victoria, B.C., where they will be let loose to build nests in the forests of Vancouver Island. An attendant, who is an expert whistler, will travel with the birds to keep them in song.

STRENGTH.

Without Overloading the Stomach.

The business man, especially, needs food in the morning that will not overload the stomach, but give mental vigor for the day. Much depends on the start a man gets each day, as to how he may expect to accomplish the work on hand. He can't be alert, with a heavy, fried-meat-and-potatoes breakfast requiring a lot of vital energy in digesting it. A Western business man tried to find some food combination that would not overload the stomach in the morning, but that would produce energy.

He writes: "For years I was unable to find a breakfast food that had nutrition enough to sustain a business man without overloading his stomach, causing indigestion and kindred ailments. "Being a very busy and also a very nervous man, I decided to give up breakfast altogether. But luckily I was induced to try Grape-Nuts. "Since that morning I have been a new man; can work without tiring, my head is clear and my nerves strong and quiet. "I find four teaspoonfuls of Grape-Nuts with one of sugar and a small quantity of cold milk, is delicious as the cereal part of the morning meal, and invigorates me for the day's business." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

FIFTY KILLED BY DYNAMITE.

Explosion Near Baltimore Caused Buildings to Rock.

A despatch from Baltimore, Maryland, says: Fifty lives were probably lost and forty persons hurt when the British ship Alum Chine, loading with dynamite for the Panama Canal, blew up off Hawkin's Point on Friday morning. A barge with 240 tons of dynamite alongside also blew up. It is believed fire caused the explosion. At least four of the crews of the vessels were killed; others leaped into the water. Three of the crew of the U. S. collier Jason, 700 feet away, were killed and ten fatally hurt, the ship's upper works being swept away. Six of the crew of the tug Atlantic lying alongside the Alum Chine were killed and the tug practically destroyed. Forty stevedores are unaccounted for. If they were on the steamer it is considered certain that they perished. The tremendous explosion shook the country for miles around. Windows were broken and chimneys knocked off houses a dozen or more miles from the scene of the disaster. At Sparrows Point a school house was partly destroyed and several children hurt. Baltimore was shaken as if by an earthquake and tall buildings in the centre of the city were rocked by the shock.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

Increase the Place Footing of Their Armies.

A despatch from Cologne, Germany, says: The new German military bill will add 84,000 recruits to the annual contingent called up for service in the army, according to the well-informed Volks Zeitung. The total strength of the peace footing of the army will thus be increased by 168,000 men, bringing it up to 806,000, excluding officers.

A despatch from Paris says: The French Cabinet has accepted the decision of the Supreme Council of War, which pronounced on Tuesday in favor of a three years' term of service in all branches of the army instead of two years, as hitherto, and the bill will be submitted to the Chamber of Deputies. The measure will add 210,000 men at the lowest estimate to the peace footing of the army, which at present stands at 578,783, excluding officers.

MEETINGS BROKEN UP.

Crowd of Five Thousand Storms the Suffragettes' Platform.

A despatch from London, England, says: The suffragettes held meetings again on Sunday at Hyde Park and Wimbledon Common. They would have met the fate of the previous Sunday's meetings at the same places, when it required a strong body of police to escort them to safety, but that on Sunday the authorities took precautions and had large bodies of mounted and foot policemen in attendance. Even at that wild scenes ensued. Five thousand persons assembled in the park and swarmed about the speakers' platform, and by a deafening din prevented any word of "General" Drummond's speech from being heard. The pressure of the surging crowds towards the platform at length became so great that reinforcements were hastily summoned. Mrs. Drummond and her colleagues were rescued from their perilous position with some difficulty. At Wimbledon similar scenes were enacted. Scarcely a word uttered by the speakers was audible, and they, too, had to be protected.

STOLE THIRTY THOUSAND.

Former Ledgerkeeper of a Bank Gets Three Year Term.

A despatch from Montreal says: Henri Legace, a ledger-keeper, formerly employed by the Bank of Hochelaga, was on Thursday morning sentenced by Judge Bazin to three years in the penitentiary for the theft of some thirty thousand dollars of the bank's money. Legace invented a system of running a false account in his own bank, to which he transferred money from several large accounts in the Hochelaga Bank. He then opened up an account in a branch office of the City and District Savings Bank under the name of Amyot and transferred the money in the false account to it, afterwards drawing a cheque on the Amyot account. The police recovered some \$20,000 of the money.

WOMEN RECEIVE SETBACK.

Two States Kill Measures to Extend the Franchise.

A despatch from Boston says: The cause of woman suffrage received a setback in two New England Legislatures on Wednesday. After several hearings, at which the question was debated in a spirited manner by prominent men and women, a committee in the Massachusetts Legislature voted to report "leave to withdraw" on a bill providing for a referendum on a constitutional amendment, which would eliminate the word "male" from the provision defining the qualifications of a voter. Six members of the committee voted against suffrage, three for it and two were not recorded. A similar bill was killed in the Maine House by a vote of eighty-nine to fifty-three, after it had been passed by the Senate.

RECORD PRICE FOR BULLS.

"Clipper Prince" Sold for Three Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars

A despatch from Guelph says: Spirited bidding featured the annual pure-bred bull sale under the auspices of the Guelph Fat Stock Club. Brown & McCullough, cattle ranchers at Great Falls, Montana, were the principal buyers. W. C. Edwards & Company of Rockland were the largest sellers, with ten extra fine bulls. A roan two-year-old, "Clipper Prince," was the highest, at \$325, a record, being purchased by G. R. Rankin & Son, Hamiota, Manitoba. The Montana ranch paid up to \$240, taking sixteen in all. The average was \$142, as against \$98 last year.

MONTREAL MILK.

42,600,000 Germs Found in Twelve Drops.

A despatch from Montreal says: In 78 out of every 100 lunch rooms, eating houses and hotels in Montreal the milk supplied diners is far below standard. In most cases the fluid supplied quite patently proclaims its lineage from the town pump, with but little suspicion of bovine extraction. In one case 42,600,000 bacteriological organisms were discovered in about twelve drops of "milk" taken from a sample provided in one well-known restaurant. This figures out at 7,668,000,000 bacteria per glass.



GREEKS CAPTURE JANINA

Turkish Garrison of 32,000 Men Surrender to the Greek Army

A despatch from Athens, Greece, says: The Turkish fortress of Janina, the key to the possession of the province of Epirus, with its garrison of 32,000 men, surrendered to the Greek army on Thursday, after a defence which forms one of the most brilliant episodes of the Balkan war. The surrender was preceded by a fierce bombardment lasting without cessation for two nights. Every available gun, including a number of heavy Howitzers, lent by the Serbian artillery, was brought to bear by the Greeks on the forts defending the beleaguered city. No fewer than 30,000 shells were fired by the Greek guns during the first day's cannonade. Gradually the Turkish batteries at Bizani, Manoliar, Sakni, and elsewhere were silenced under the sustained fire of projectiles. The Greek commanders by a feint led the Turks to believe that their attack would be made from the right, and as soon as the attention of the defenders had been distracted the Greeks hurled large bodies of infantry on to the Turkish left. The Ottoman troops, utterly surprised, fell back in disorder.

The batteries on the heights of Bizani, which had been the mainstay of the defence, were unable to stand the pelting of the shells, and had been reduced to complete silence by 11 o'clock on Wednesday morning. The Greeks pushed their forward movement during the afternoon, and occupied the Turkish batteries in Sakni and Elash Hills, capturing all the guns and one hundred and ten artillerymen. Then the Greek battalions gradually deployed on to the plain in front of the city itself, and the Turkish flight became general despite all the efforts of the Ottoman officers to rally their men. Whole detachments succumbed to the panic and joined in a mad race into the city with the Greek troops in hot pursuit almost to the walls.

With all the defending batteries in the hands of the Greeks, and the Hellenic soldiers at the gates of Janina, Essad Pasha, the Turkish commander, at 6 o'clock on Thursday morning sent messengers under a flag of truce to Crown Prince Constantine of Greece, announcing the surrender of the city and all the troops under his command.

EXTENDING THE T. & N. O.

A Survey Party Will Leave Cochrane on March 20.

A despatch from Cochrane says: That there is a determination to proceed with the work of extending the T. & N. O. Railway to James Bay may be indicated by the fact that very soon Admiralty charts are to be issued of the great inland sea. A small hydrographic survey party in charge of Paul Jobin, will leave here on March 20. They will take a team of sixteen dogs, and go over the ice to the scene of their work at James Bay.

HOBBLE SKIRT REVIVED.

Skirts in Paris so Tight Wearing Can Scarcely Walk.

A despatch from London says: According to a London fashion expert just returned from Paris, the dressmakers there are proposing not merely to revive the hobble skirt, but to make it tighter. This London expert says:—"I saw skirts in Paris so tight round the legs that the wearers were scarcely able to walk."

It is reported that the Canadian Northern Railway's financial undertaking involves a sum in excess of any previous railway financing in Canada.

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