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BRITISH COLUMBIA RANCHING.

Live Stock Conditions Spring of 1904

According to an official report received by the live stock commissioner Ottawa, British Columbia range cattle went into winter quarters in very fair condition, feed in the late summer having been very good owing to the heavy rains.

The winter up to February was very fine and mild but after this to the end of March the ranges were covered with very deep snow, in most sections a much heavier snow fall than has been known for years.

Hay was comparatively short all through the range country; there was no old hay on hand and a good deal of the 1903 crop had been damaged with the heavy summer rains.

Speaking generally, the cattle are in fair condition, and few losses have occurred; the she stock suffered most and it may be estimated that in consequence the calf crop will be below the average.

There is no doubt that in certain sections of the country, more especially on the Thompson, the cattle business is too much of a speculation to be healthy. If the past winter had been of a similar character to the previous one, a very large proportion of the stock of that section would have been wiped out.

Beef is still low in price and from present indications not likely to be better than last year, if as high. Horses are in good demand and the heavier horses, viz. those weighing from 1150 lbs up, are realizing good prices.

The C. P. R. have given the following figures of shipments from points on the main line during the year 1903 To Coast Points: Horses 140. Cattle 9424. Hogs 2013. Sheep 400. To Points East of Laggan: Horses 1722. Cattle 1130.

From these figures will be noticed the comparatively small trade in horses with the coast. With the Northwest including the shipments by the Crow Line and from Golden, not given in the above figures, probably 2200 horses were exported last year.

The proposed legislation which was unanimously asked for by the recent live stock convention in Ottawa to assess all horses coming into Canada from other countries at a value of not less than \$75 per head, will have if enacted, a stimulating effect on our export trade to the Northwest, as their principal supply of horses is from the United States.

In regard to cattle, in addition to the 9484 head given as shipped to the coast markets, in order to arrive at the consumption of beef at these points must be added the local supply and a total supply for about 4 months from the Northwest, as the B. C. ranges hardly ship any beef from February to the 1st of June.

The Kootenay trade is supplied mainly from the Northwest with the exception of the supply from the country south of Okanagan Lake and along the boundary. This will bring the exports from B. C. ranges to a figure probably between 10,000 and 11,000 head.

At the coast the dairying business has been very good, and the price of butter high; during January and February some of the creameries were paying the patrons 32 cents per lb of butter fat.

The improvement of the heads is very steady, and although do doubt a vast number of cows should still be weeded out, the average is a good deal better than a few years ago. Yours very truly, W. A. CLEMONS, Publication Clerk.

FARMERS and others, who have stray animals come on their premises, have been under the impression that they could claim costs from the time the animals came to the premises whether they advertised them or not. This is wrong. They can claim expenses only from the time they are advertised. A man held four cattle two months before advertising them and was only allowed by law the cost of advertising.—Ex.

New regulations governing the importation of live stock have been adopted by the government. All animals subject to quarantine must be detained at one of the stations, those in Ontario being Niagara Falls, Windsor and Sarnia. Animals subject to inspection only may enter in Ontario at the ports of Cornwall, Prescott, Brockville, Toronto, Bridgeburg, Sault Ste-Marie and Port Arthur. Persons contemplating the importation of animals from any country except the United States must first obtain a permit.—Ex.

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