

Cattle Prices Rose In Active Movement

Trading moved at an active clip on the final session of the year at the Union Stock Yards, Toronto Monday.

Weighty steers, for export, sold higher at \$5.25 to \$6, while other steers held steady at \$4 to \$5 according to weight and quality.

Calves closed strong with choice quality vealers \$8 to \$8.50 and plain grades \$4 per cwt.

Good ewes and wether lambs were firm at \$7 to \$7.50. Heavies brought \$5.75 to \$6.10.

Quotations:

Table with columns for animal types (Steers, Cows, etc.), weight/quality, and prices in dollars and cents.

Buffalo Calves Active Buffalo, Dec. 31—Calves, 650. Vealers active, steady, \$9.50 down.

1935 V-8 Announced

The new Ford V-8 for 1935, presenting a new conception of beauty and comfort in the modern automobile, was announced today by Smith Bros., local Ford dealer.

Most striking feature of the new car is body lines which are distinctively modern and a definite departure from any previous Ford design.

The car also embodies a combination of major engineering developments aimed at increasing riding comfort.

Numerous chassis changes to give greater ease of control and added stability on the road have been made.

Two improvements have been made in the Ford V-8 engine, of which more than 1,300,000 are on the road.

One new type of body is presented, the touring sedan, with unusually sleek lines and embodying a fitted rear trunk compartment integral with the body.

All models are finished in a new baked enamel, which is claimed to retain its high gloss indefinitely, requiring only washing to restore the lustre.

MONTREAL BACON HOGS ROSE 50 CENTS CWT.

Bacon hogs were generally higher on major Canadian live stock markets on Monday. Montreal prices advanced 50 cents per cwt.

Hog prices gained 10 cents per cwt. on off truck type, locally. Bacons closed at \$7.75 f.o.b., \$8.20 off truck and \$8.50 weighed off cars.

Bacon hogs sold at outside points as follows—Peterboro, \$7.75, 25 cents per cwt. higher; Brantford, \$7.80, 15 cents higher; Hull, \$7.90, 15 cents higher.

PALMERSTON DROPPED OUT; OPENING GAME CANCELLED

After last week's issue of the Chronicle was off the press word was received here that Palmerston had dropped out of the local group of the intermediate O.H.A.

J. F. AND J. I. SOCIAL

The Junior Farmers and Junior Institute spent a very pleasant social evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Moffat on Friday.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Ward Koch of St. Catharines is holidaying with his mother and brother Mrs. Koch returned home from the hospital on Saturday.

Misses Grace and Edith Smith of Guelph spent the holidays with Misses Annie and Julia Weir.

Mr. Ford and son, Frank, and Mrs. Bowman of Toronto, are holiday guests of Dr. D. B. and Mrs. Jamieson.

Hazel and Jean Leith of Holstein are holidaying with their grandmother, Mrs. D. Leith.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowman and daughters, Louise, Betsy and Marilyn, of Owen Sound, spent New Year's with Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Jamieson.

Mr. Peter Hay had an infected finger amputated in Durham Hospital.

Bowman, Isabel and Louise Jamieson entertained all students from University and College, and young people numbering 20, on New Year's Eve.

Mr. Thomas Lawrence of Buffalo, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Lawrence, who is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. MacDonald.

Mrs. George Twamley, who is a patient in Durham hospital, is making good progress towards health.

Miss Margaret Floyd of Owen Sound spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McFadden and daughter, Kathleen, are visiting friends in Detroit.

Miss Lillian Hayden of London is visiting with Miss Theima Bell.

Miss Nora Stewart of Seaford, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. McFadden, and Mr. and Mrs. I. Elvidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Winter and son, Harold spent Christmas in Owen Sound, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Padfield and Miss O. Ylirs, spent New Year's in Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Aljoe and son, and Miss Clara Aljoe, Toronto, visited over Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. Aljoe here. Friends will regret to learn of the illness of Mrs. Aljoe, who is confined to her home with a heart condition.

Mrs. J. S. Mather, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Isabel, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. George Mather and little daughter from Holland Centre, and Mr. M. McKewen, of Chatsworth, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Ritz.

Mr. and Mrs. McElroy, Barbara and Hugh, of Hamilton, visited Christmas with Mrs. Thos. Allan.

Mrs. Frank Simonds, who has been in Toronto the past few weeks returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lawrence spent Christmas with their daughter, in Toronto, returning on Thursday.

Miss Agnes Morton, of Guelph, is holidaying with sisters and brothers. Mr. Thomas Hope, who spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. V. A. Blyth, returned to Toronto.

Rev. D. Gowdy and Mrs. Gowdy were visitors in Owen Sound over Christmas. Mr. Gowdy took the Christmas service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCulloch and little son of Toronto, spent Christmas in their parental homes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Alder were visitors over Christmas at Mr. Alder's home in Creemore.

Miss Amelia Blair of Toronto holidayed in the parental home.

Miss Jean Coutts of Toronto, is a holiday visitor in the parental home.

Many friends in Durham regret to learn of the illness of Dr. William Farquharson, formerly of Durham, at the General Hospital in Toronto.

Mr. Wallace Hepburn of Cochrane, spent a week with his mother, Mrs. J. Hepburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sharpe were holiday visitors with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Sharpe.

Mrs. Lowber Snow, who has been visiting her father, Mr. J. W. Ewen, left on Monday for New York, and will visit in Washington and New Orleans before returning to her home in Houston, Texas.

Gordon W. Ewen of Van Nuys, Calif., arrived Christmas Day to visit his father for a month.

Mrs. F. C. Hopkins and family have returned to their home in Dromore after spending the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, Varney. Other visitors at the same home were Mr. Frank Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Bell and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Marshall and family.

Miss Bavana Mortley left for Orillia on Wednesday after a Christmas holiday at her home here.

Miss Vera Mountain, Toronto, is visiting for a few days at her home in town.

BORN

Darling-In Durham hospital, Thursday, December 27, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Darling, a daughter.

Ellison-In Durham hospital, Saturday, December 29, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ellison, a son.

Allan Park

The Year-End Audit

The practical significance of year's end and year's beginning is the human admission that men and women need to divide existence into convenient lengths. Experience has taught the wisdom of establishing fixed terminals along the line of life so that when these are reached we can stop, as it were, and take account of ourselves, our hope and our resources and our circumstances.

We will observe, however, as we read articles, that writers differ in the audits presented in their analysis. Some men are quite hopeless concerning the value of present day social, civic and industrial circumstances. They demand radical changes in government, in class relationship and in the access to labor and to the possession of "wealth".

Neither the "radicals", as we have come to call the class who insist upon revision at least and overthrow at most of social, civil, industrial institutions, nor the "reactionaries" as we title the champions of traditions and things as they are, deserve outright condemnation.

We should by all means, therefore, devote year end and year beginning to an audit of past conditions and future responsibilities. If we are careful in our survey, we need neglect neither the ultra-radical nor the habitual conservative. Much that has happened in recent years is the result of wrong uses of resources, of covetousness and of selfishness.

The patient study of education and morality will enable the middle class to regain control and make learning a servant of pleasure and contentment. The Bible bade us test our prophets. New Year's is a good time to obey this injunction.

SOCIETIES SEND CHRISTMAS CHEER

The I.O.D.E. Canadian Greys Chapter, the Women's Institute and Queen St. United Ladies' Aid distributed baskets of good cheer on Christmas eve. The Tennis Club donated a large number of toys to the Canadian Greys chapter and these were distributed by the Boy Scouts.

The Queen Street United Ladies' Aid distributed 18 baskets to those within the congregation. From each society these gifts went to the sick, the shut-ins and those in need.

The Durham Furniture Co., also presented the usual Christmas cheer to its employees, gave to the married men and other suitable Christmas mementoes.

Proton Station

(Intended for last week)

While some were celebrating Christmas in the old fashioned merry way, some neighbors were mourning the loss of loved ones who have gone home for Christmas. Sympathy is extended to Mr. Wm. Meads, Flesherton, in the death of his wife, who was formerly Maria Oliver; to Mr. Carl Atkinson, of Victoria, in the death of his wife, formerly Ella Best, also to Mrs. Harold Love, Hopeville, whose husband passed away Sunday evening last.

The Sunday school concert was held in the Orange Hall on Thursday night last and a goodly number turned out to hear the program which was as follows: "A Welcome Chorus" by the Sunday School; several dialogues and recitations; instrumentals by Miss Ruth Shearson, and Miss Kathleen Barker; Miss Marguerite Simons accompanied the chorus for the school, and Miss R. Shearson played "Jesus Bids us Shine," and "Away in a Manger".

Miss Mildred Sharp, Toronto, is a holiday visitor with her sister, Mrs. W. Dever and Mrs. Thomas White.

Mr. Jack Hanley, of Hamilton, is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Shearson.

The following were Christmas visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Acheson: Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Prosser, Toronto, Miss Maud Acheson of Corbetton, Miss Emily Acheson, St. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Patterson and family, Maple Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzaar Parks and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Parks and babe, Toronto, were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parks.

Miss Gertie Lyon, of Toronto, spent Christmas with her father, Mr. Charles Lyons.

Holstein

Mr. and Mrs. Carson of Angus, and daughter, Mrs. C. Calder, Durham, spent Friday with the Calder family. Messrs. C. Fenton and W. Long spent Saturday in Toronto.

Mrs. Isaac Hooper and daughter, Missie, of North Egremont, spent last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. McMillan.

Mrs. Petrie left on Saturday to visit her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carss in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ramage returned to their home in Priceville on Thursday after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDougall.

Mrs. McPhaden and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Mount Forest, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Horsburgh. Mr. Alex. Sim left on Wednesday for Toronto where he attended sessions of the Older Boys' Parliament before going on to Pickering College to resume his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Beer and family of Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. McGillivray and family of Glenelg, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. Stevenson and Mrs. Binnie.

Mr. Arthur Kerr and little daughter of Toronto, spent New Year's with Mrs. Jordan and the Buller family.

Nomination day passed off very peacefully here on Monday. There was a good attendance at both the township and the village meeting. There will be elections for both on Monday, January 7, as there were quite a number nominated for the offices.

Why should we be broad-minded, when the vogue runs to stream-lines?

Traverston

Last Wednesday's storm prevented us from getting our budget out. New Year's blizzard may do the same this week. However, here's hoping everyone is recovering from both feasts and the storms, and a Healthy, Prosperous New Year to you.

Mrs. R. E. Bryan received the sad message from Grand Rapids, Mich., recently that her sister, Mrs. Herrington (Nellie McNally) was not expected to survive many days as a blood vessel had broken behind her eyes. Her sisters, Abbie, Levia, and Lottie, are helping to nurse her and the only brother, Will, is there too.

Nature laughs at the proposal of Bruce county and the provincial officials to keep the roads open from Lion's Head to Toronto. We venture to predict King Winter will show them. Many are the cattle beasts being slaughtered in rural districts at present and sales are being made at from six to nine cents per pound.

All the rural schools have been scrubbed and the furniture and stove brightened during the holidays. Wood contracts range from \$1.45 to \$2.75 according to local competition. We remember one year, away back in pioneer days, when one bidder supplied it for 37c.

Misses Isabel and Elsie Mays are home from Guelph for the holiday season.

During the many years, that the late Robert McMeekin lived in Durham, we had many business contacts with him, and ever found him obliging, honorable and honest in his dealings, and most reliable. We deeply regret his passing on and extend our sympathy to his aged partner and the members of the family.

The hearty greeting and genial spirit of Mr. Dan McCormick will be sorely missed in Glenelg. He was a most progressive farmer, a helpful neighbor, and a good citizen.

There were many family reunions on Christmas Day and it was an ideal day for the celebrations. Among whom we've heard of were: the Twamley and Campbell families at the McClocklin homestead; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McArthur at Mr. and Mrs. James Crutchley's at Dornoch; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cook and son from Kitchener at the Cook homestead; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Waudy Baker at Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McFadden's, Orange Valley; Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Edwards of Shelburne, W. H. of Toronto, at the Edwards home; R. G. Peart of No. 9 and Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Beaton and family at Mr. E. R. Peart's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black left on Tuesday to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Burns, of Normanby.

Mrs. Wm. Timmins is assisting in the household duties at Mr. Archie Greenwood's in Bentinck, at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Peart spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fee of Knox.

North Egremont

Mr. David Poole returned to his home in New York on Saturday after a pleasant two months' visit with his sister, Mrs. Mack.

Rev. Carman Queen filled the pulpit at St. Paul's on Sunday and delivered a fine sermon.

New Year's Day was so rough that very few went very far to attend festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolphie Lawrence ate New Year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Acheson and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lawrence.

Miss Mae Kennedy of town, Mr. Robert Peart and Mr. Charles Kennedy, spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lawrence.

Mr. Earl Mead entertained a number of neighbors and friends on New Year's evening.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Robert McMeekin wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their kindness, sympathy and assistance during the illness and death of husband and father. 1pd.

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