

Weekly Market Report

Breadstuffs.
Toronto, Sept. 30.—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$2.20; No. 2 Northern, \$2.27; No. 3 Northern, \$2.23, in store Fort William.
Manitoba oats—No. 2 CW, 87½¢; No. 3 CW, 87¢; extra No. 1 feed, 87½¢; No. 1 feed, 86½¢; No. 2 feed, 86¢; in store Fort William.
Manitoba barley—No. 3 CW, \$1.26; No. 4 CW, \$1.24½; reject, \$1.18½; feed, \$1.18, in store Fort William.
American corn—No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, nominal.
Ontario oats—No. 3 white, 87 to 90c, according to freights outside.
Ontario wheat—No. 1 Winter, per car lot, \$2 to \$2.06; No. 2 do, \$1.97 to \$2.03; No. 3 do, \$1.93 to \$1.99, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.
Ontario wheat—No. 1 Spring, \$2.02 to \$2.08; No. 2 Spring, \$1.99 to \$2.05; No. 3 Spring, \$1.95 to \$2.01, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.
Barley—Malting, \$1.27 to \$1.30, according to freights outside.
Buckwheat—Nominal.
Eye—Nominal.
Manitoba flour—Government standard, \$11, Toronto.
Ontario flour—Government standard, Montreal and Toronto, \$9.40 to \$9.50, in jute bags, prompt shipment.
Millfed—Car lots, delivered Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$45; shorts, per ton, \$56; good feed flour, per bag, \$3.50.
Hay—No. 1, per ton, \$24 to \$26; mixed, per ton, \$15 to \$20, track, Toronto.
Straw—Car lots, per ton, \$10 to \$11, track, Toronto.

Country Produce—Wholesale.
Butter—Dairy tubs and rolls, 33 to 40c; prints, 40 to 43c; creamery, fresh made solids, 52½ to 53c; prints, 53 to 53½¢.
Eggs—51 to 53c.
Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 28 to 30c; roosters, 21c; fowl, 18 to 25c; ducklings, 25c; turkeys, 35 to 40c; squabs, doz., \$6.
Live poultry—Spring chickens, 22 to 25c; roosters, 20c; fowl, 18 to 25c; ducklings, 22c; turkeys, 30c.
Cheese—New, large, 28 to 29c; twins, 24½ to 29½¢; triplets, 29 to 30c; Siltion, 31 to 32c.
Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 47 to 49c; creamery, prints, 57 to 58c; Margarine—36 to 38c.
Eggs—No. 1's, 57 to 58c; selects, 61 to 63c.
Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 30 to 35c; roosters, 23 to 25c; fowl, 30 to 34c; turkeys, 40 to 45c; ducklings, 34 to 35c; squabs, per doz., \$7.
Live poultry—Spring chickens, 22 to 25c; fowl, 23 to 25c; ducks, 22 to 25c.
Beans—Canadian hand-picked, bus., \$5.25 to \$5.75; primes, \$4.25 to \$4.75.

**Imported hand-picked, Burma, \$4.00; Limas, 15 to 16c.
Honey—Extracted clover, 5-lb. tins, 24 to 25c; 10-lb. tins, 23½ to 24c; 60-lb. tins, 23 to 24c; buckwheat, 60-lb. tins, 18 to 19c; Comb, 16-oz., \$4.50 to \$5.00; 10-oz., \$3.50 to \$4.00.
Maple products—Syrup, per imperial gallon, \$2.45 to \$2.50; 5 imperial gallons, \$2.35 to \$2.40; sugar, lb., 7c.
Provisions—Wholesale.**

**Smoked meats—Hams, med., 44 to 46c; do, heavy, 38 to 40c; cooked, 58 to 60c; rolls, 35 to 37c; breakfast bacon, 49 to 55c; backs, plain, 51 to 53c; boneless, 54 to 57c; clear bellies, 32 to 34c.
Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 23 to 24c; clear bellies, 32 to 33c.
Lard—Pure tierces, 33 to 33½c; tubs, 33½ to 34c; pails, 33½ to 34½c; prints, 35 to 36c. Compound tierces, 29 to 29½c; tubs, 29½ to 30c; pails, 29½ to 30½c; prints, 30½ to 31c.
Montreal Markets.**

Live Stock Markets.
Toronto, Sept. 30.—Good heavy steers, \$12.50 to \$12.75; butchers' cattle, choice, \$12 to \$12.50; do, good, \$11.25 to \$11.50; do, med., \$10.75 to \$10.75; do, com., \$7 to \$7.50; bulls, choice, \$10 to \$10.50; do, med., \$9.50 to \$9.75; do, rough, \$7.50 to \$8; butcher cows, choice, \$10.25 to \$10.75; do, med., \$9 to \$9.25; do, med., \$8.50 to \$9; do, com., \$7 to \$7.50; stockers, \$7.50 to \$10; feeders, \$10 to \$11.25; canners and cutters, \$4.75 to \$6.25; milkers, good to choice, \$11 to \$14; do, com. and med., \$6.5 to \$7; springers, \$90 to \$150; light ewes, \$7.50 to \$8.50; yearlings, \$9 to \$10; spring lambs, per cwt., \$12.50 to \$13.50; calves, good to choice, \$17.50 to \$21.50; hogs, fed and watered, \$17.75; do, weighed off cars, \$18; do, f.o.b., \$16.75; do, do, to farmers, \$16.50.
Montreal, Sept. 30.—Choice steers, \$12.50 to \$13; good steers, \$10.50 to \$11.50; medium, \$8.50 to \$10; common, \$7 to \$8; butcher cattle, choice bulls, \$8 to \$8.50; good bulk, \$7 to \$8; med., \$6.50 to \$7.50; choice cows, \$8.50 to \$9.50; good, \$8 to \$8.50; medium, \$6.50 to \$7.50; canners' cattle, \$4.50 to \$5.50; lambs, \$11.50 to \$13; sheep, \$8.50 to \$10; milk-fed calves, \$12 to \$15.

London Profiteers Hailed to Court.
Baker, Butcher and Saloon Keeper Pay Fines—Journalist Knocks Prices.
A despatch from London says:—Curiously enough, nobody in London thinks he is a profiteer. Always the profiteer is the man on the next street, away off over yonder, like the desert mirage. However, the daily mill of the London Police Courts grind out fairly good imitations.
A baker was fined \$500 for exposing for sale thirty-four loaves of bread each two ounces less than the regulation weight. A butcher was fined \$100 for selling imported mutton at the home-killed price, and making an overcharge of eight cents on four lamb chops. A saloon keeper was fined \$15 and \$10 costs because his barmaid charged thirty cents instead of twenty-five cents for two large glasses of stout.
A despatch from Ottawa says:—Authoritative denial was given to the report current throughout Canada that General Sir Arthur Currie had been or would be given a grant of half a million dollars in recognition of his services overseas.
"We do not contemplate making any such grant now or at any time in the future," said Acting Premier Doherty.

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PRINCE AND BRONCHO.
H.R.H. the Prince of Wales at the Saskatoon Fair after tackling a bucking broncho.

BRITISH WITHDRAW FROM ARCHANGEL

Bolsheviks Having Lost Corn Country May Be Forced to Make Terms.
A despatch from London says:—Unless the unforeseen should interfere with Lord Rawlinson's plans, evacuation of the British forces from Archangel should be completed by the end of the month, Major-General Sir Frederick Maurice says in the Daily News. It will then remain to look after the withdrawal from Murmansk, which is much the simpler problem of the two.
He adds that the "immediate abandonment of the Russian adventure is simply not possible unless the Allied powers agree to come to terms with the Bolsheviks." It seems possible since they have lost the corn country of Ukraine, that the Bolsheviks may be reduced to extremities by cold and hunger. Gen. Maurice says that, short of some such development on which there are no solid reasons for counting, there is no probability of obtaining a settlement in Russia by present methods within the next six months. "That is where we stand to-day," he says finally.

BRITISH AVIATOR FLIES OVER ALPS

A despatch from Geneva says:—Captain Bradley, a British aviator, has landed at Lausanne after having flown over the Alps and losing his way in the clouds above Mount Blanc at an altitude of more than 15,000 feet. He made his trip in a 110 horsepower airplane, and came from London by way of Paris.

Where One Word Came From

A fascinating study is that which searches for the origin of words. Much of the history of the world is locked up in the words we use every day, utterly unconscious of their derivation.
When the Arabs came into Europe and learned from the nations they encountered the wisdom of all the ages then past, they became deeply interested in the attempts that the old Greeks had made to turn other metals into gold.
That it had been declared to be a secret and mysterious process made it all the more fascinating to them. And so they became alchemists, and called themselves Hermetic philosophers, because tradition declared Hermes Thismagistus about two thousand years before Christ had discovered how to convert the baser metals into gold.
To melt the mouth of a glass tube so as to close it was called securing it with "Hermes, his seal." We know little or nothing of Hermes, or when he lived, or whether he ever lived at all; but it is curious that even to this day when a bottle or jar is closed so that it is air-tight we call it hermetically sealed, after this same Hermes.
A despatch from Ottawa says:—Hon. J. C. Doherty stated on Thursday that in view of Thursday's action in the House giving the bill for a fixed holiday a six months' hoist, October 13 would be Thanksgiving Day.

Autumn Wonder.

"A haze on the far horizon,
An infinite, tender sky;
The rich, ripe tint of the cornfields,
And the wild gress sailing high;
And all over upland and lowland
The charm of the goldenrod;
Some of us call it autumn,
And others call it God."



BRINGING UP FATHER



BRITAIN TO HOLD PRE-WAR TRADE

Business Foresight Shown in Dealings With Germany.
A despatch from London says:—British business interests are preparing the groundwork for a great trade offensive not only to meet American competition, but to try and maintain the status which British trade held before the war. Although America has secured many contracts aggregating millions of dollars because of disturbed conditions in the British-indebted conditions in the British in that the shrewd heads of business in Great Britain are figuring on a time of stability in the near future, when the network of trade communications will serve well the purpose for which it is being laid.
One example of this business foresight is seen in the arrangement which, it is reported, has been made with the German Government. By this agreement Germany is expected to take 50 per cent of British manufactures along with quantities of raw materials.
What big business is doing to perfect trade communication is further shown in the scheme of the Federation of British Industries to have trade consultants at the world's chief trade centres who will keep Britain informed on market conditions.

BRITAIN WANTS CANADA'S FRUITS

Canned Products Eagerly Purchased—Diversity and Excellence Revelation to Public.
A despatch from London says:—Canadian canned fruit representatives operating here report that distributors are ready to take all they can offer.
The British public is found to be willing to purchase a Dominion product to which the diversity and excellence are a revelation to most people, because they have never seen it before, save in its alluring but unattainable form in windows of the Government offices.
A large distributor states that, as 50 per cent of these goods are sold to restaurants, careful grading of fruits is essential, and the grading has been raised whether a system of Government inspection would not prove advantageous as a guarantee of quality and a safeguard to the reputation of Dominion canned goods, which incidentally are a valuable form of inter-imperial education, besides being an excellent advertisement for the exporting Province.
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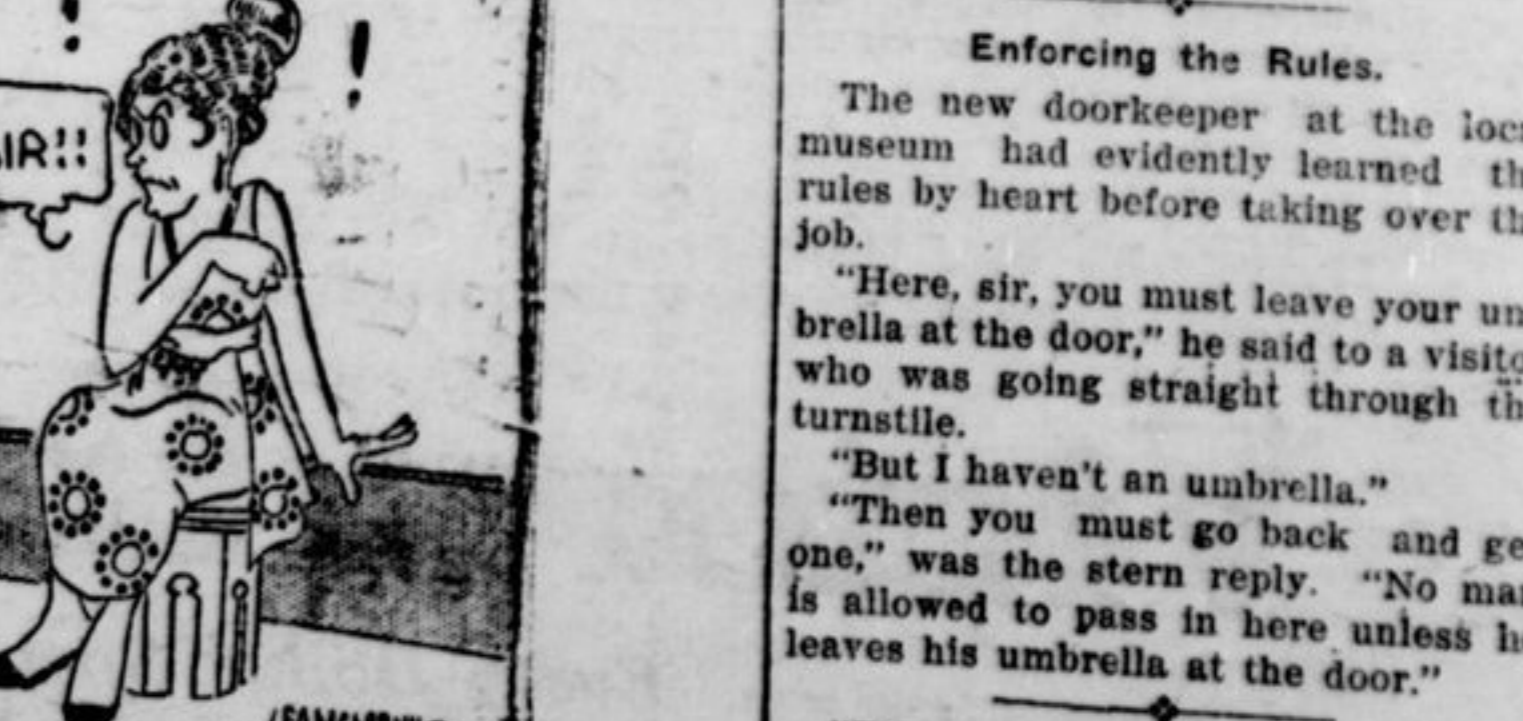
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Financial Wisdom.

"I can't raise \$50—that's all there is to that! I got a notice from my bank this morning that I had overdrawn."
"Well, try some other bank. They can't all be overdrawn."

Enforcing the Rules.

The new doorkeeper at the local museum had evidently learned the rules by heart before taking over the job.
"Here, sir, you must leave your umbrella at the door," he said to a visitor who was going straight through the turnstile.
"But I haven't an umbrella."
"Then you must go back and get one," was the stern reply. "No man is allowed to pass in here unless he leaves his umbrella at the door."
"There are two freedoms—the false, where a man is free to do as he likes; and the true, where a man is free to do what he ought."—Kingsley.



Tidings From Scotland

Rear-Admiral Sir A. J. Henniker-Hughan, of Alrds, has been created a C.B.
The new medical officer for the parish of Kirkcubrick is Dr. T. W. Smart.
The Denny town council has decided to erect 100 houses instead of 30, as originally agreed upon.
The death took place suddenly at Bombay of Commander John Mann, D.S.O., a native of Stranraer.
The Military Cross has been awarded to Lieut. J. S. Cook, son of Mrs. Cook, Lyndhurst, Thornhill.
Colonel Henry Wade, D.S.O., son of Rev. George Wade, Falkirk, has had the C.M.G. conferred on him.
The C.B. has been conferred on Major-General Nell Malcolm, D.S.O., son of Colonel Malcolm, Poltalloch.
Hugh Moncrieff, Colburn House, Kilsyth, has purchased the residential estate of Ardunan, Strathblane.
Major M. Dinwiddie, O.B.E., D.S.O., M.C. Gordon Highlanders, is a son of Rev. J. L. Dinwiddie, Dumfries.
Sir Harry Lauder is giving gold medals to the civilian pipe band winning the prize at the Cowl games.
The Royal Red Cross has been awarded to Nurse Eva Colvin, V.A.D., daughter of John Colvin, Kirkcubrick.
The Marquis of Graham and Major Colin W. Macree have been appointed Deputy Lieutenants for Buteshire.
The Distinguished Conduct Medal has been won by Sergt.-Major J. H. McCall, son of A. McCall, Malvinas, Lockerbie.
The proprietors of the print works in the Blaine Valley have instituted a forty-eight hour week for their employees.
James F. Foote, Surveyor of Customs at Boness, has retired after forty-three years' service in the Government.
Brig.-Gen. Charles W. Scott, D.S.O., son of the late Walter H. Scott, of Nunfield, Dumfries, has been made a C.M.G.
The C.M.G. has been conferred on Lieut.-Col. F. Ramsford-Hannay, D.S.O., eldest son of Col. Ramsford-Hannay, Kirkdale.
Captain Lord Garies, Scots Guards, has left for Germany to be A.D.C. to General Sir Charles Ferguson, Governor of Cologne.
Donald MacGregor, solicitor, after a service of thirty-two years, has resigned as clerk of St. Columba Parish Church, Oban.
The death is announced at Corsack, Dalbeattie, of Captain H. L. Murray-Dunlop, son of the late A. C. S. Murray-Dunlop.
Some black and white sketches, belonging to the late Sir Francis Powell, have been presented to Dunoon Grammar School.

A Mechanical 'Zoo.'
"Why the 'monkey' in monkey wrench?" some one of an inquisitive turn of mind once asked the editor of the Popular Magazine, who admits that he did not know, but that he avoided confessing his ignorance by retorting with another question: "Why the 'donkey' in donkey engine?"
Upon some reflection that the head of the wrench could, by a stretch of imagination, be thought to resemble a monkey's profile, while, on the other hand, the engine probably was supposed to resemble a donkey in its stubbornness and strength.
Led on in this fascinating study of resemblance between tools and animals, we could see how the original mechanical crane looked like the long-necked and long-legged bird. Also, we could see why a carpenter's horse got its name, why a cow-catcher was so called, why the term "pig" was applied to a mass of metal, especially when a "saw"—a term used by ironworkers for a larger mass of metal—is broken up into little "pigs." The salamander required no genius for analogy. And the caterpillar tread was obvious enough. The tailor's goose was not so obvious, although we used our fancy sufficiently to picture some long-forgotten tailor poet naming it in a burst of inspiration. Without any gift of insight, we could see why a "worm," used so much in mechanics, was applied.
But there were others that puzzled us, and we pass them on for cleverer fellows to think over. Where did a bull wheel get its name? A hoghead? A railroad frog? A hoghead? A crowbar? The spinning machine called a mule? The central supporting part of electrical machines called a spider? The witch called a crab? The butterfly valve?
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