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News And Views Of And For Farmers

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

good heavy, \$10.50 to \$11.00; butch- ed. Brau, \$32.50. era' cattle, choice, \$19.75 to \$11.00; do., good, \$10.25 to \$10.50; do., medium, \$9.50 to \$9.75; do., com- Duluth, Feb. 8 .- Linseed on track, E mon, \$8.00 to \$8.50; Butchers' bulls, \$3.54 to \$3.66; arrive, \$3.54; May, O choice, \$9.50 to \$10.00; do, good \$3.54; July, \$3.48%. bulls, \$8.75 to \$9.00; do., medium bulls, \$7.60 to \$8.00; do, rough bulls \$6.35 to \$6.85; butchers' cows, New York, Feb. 8.—Hay firm; No. choice, \$9.50 to \$10.00; do, good, 2, \$1.80; No. 3, \$1.70, nominal; \$8.50 to \$9.00; do, medium, \$7.75 shipping, \$1.50, nominal. Other articles unchanged. and cutters, \$5.75 to \$6.25; milkers, good to choice, \$90.00 to \$125.00; do, com. and med., \$65.00 to \$80.0C; springers, \$90.00 \$140.00; light Montreal, Feb. 8.—Eggs-Strictly Kl ewes, \$12.50 to \$14.00; sheep, heavy new laid, per dozen, 65c to 70c; ex-Qys \$6.00 to \$7.25; yearlings, \$11.75 to tra, 52c; No. 1, 48c; No. 2, 46c. Per \$12.75; lambs, \$17.50 to \$18.50; Butter—Finest creamery, per Pil calves, good to choice, \$15.00 to pound, 49c to 50c. \$16.50 hogs, fed and watered, \$18 .- Oleomargarine, per pound, 30c to Sal 50; do, weighed off cars, \$18.75; do. | 32c. f.o.b. \$17.50.

Montreal. Feb. 8 .- Butcher cattle Lard-In tubs, per 1b., 30c. -Steers, choice, average, \$11.25 to \$11.50 (few at \$11.75); good, \$10.-50 to \$11; medium, \$9.50 to \$10 lb. tins, 19c; comb, 21c. cwt. Bulls, choice, \$10.50 to \$11; good, \$9.50 to \$10; medium, \$8.75 dium, 31c; small, 33c. cwt. Cows, good, \$9.50 to \$10; me- 42c; Windsor, 44c; Windsor boneless Da dium, \$8,75 \$ \$9.25; cutters, \$6.25 45c. to \$7; and canners, \$5.50 to \$5.75

Sheep, \$11 to \$11.50; culls, \$9.50; and lambs, Ontario, \$15.50 to \$16; and Quebecs, \$14.50 to \$15. Hogs, selects, \$19.25 to \$19.50 for long runs, and \$19 to \$19.25 for short runs. Sows, \$17.25 to \$17.50. and stags, \$16.25 to \$16.50 cwt., all

weighed off cars. Calves, few grass-fed at \$8; milkfed, \$13 to \$15 cwt.

Chicago, Feb. 8 .- Cattle-Receipts. 16,000; market unsettled; 70c; do., bbl., \$3.50 to \$6; beets, Shorts, ton 43.00 beeves, \$8.60 to \$14.15; stockers bag, \$1.15 to \$1.25; do. peck, 30c; Straw, baled, ton and feeders, \$7.50 to \$10.50; cows celery, Cal., bunch, 10c; do., Can., Wheat local, bush, and heifers, \$6.50 to \$11.90; calves, doz., 50c; cabbage, each, 10c to 15c; Wheat, local, bush. \$9.50 to \$11.50. Hogs-Receipts, onions, 75-lb. bag, \$2.25; do. large 25,000; market strong; light, \$16.45 | bkt., 55c; do., pickling bkt., 65c; to \$17.20; mixed. \$16.70 to \$17.25; do., green, bunch, 13c; parsley, Beefheavy, \$16.60 to \$17.25; rough, bunch, 10c; parsnips, bag, \$1.25; do. Cuts, Ib. \$16.60 to \$17.25; rough, \$16.60 to peck, 30c; potatoes, bag, \$2.50; Local carcase, lb. \$16.80; pigs, \$14.00 to \$16.15; bulk rhubarb, bunch, 13e; sage, bunch. Local, hinds, lb. of sales, \$17.00 to \$17.20. Sheep- 5c to 10c; savory, bunch, 5c to 10c; Local, fronts, lb. Receipts, 18,000; market steady; turnips, peck, 13c; do., bag, 70c.

Buffalo. Buffalo, Feb. 8 .- Cattle-Receipts, 100; steady; \$7.00 to \$17.50. few, \$17.50; light yorkers, \$16.50 to \$16.75; pigs, \$16.25 to \$16.50; roughs, \$15.50 to \$15.75; stags, \$14.00 to \$14.50. Sheep and lambs -Receipts, 1,200; steady; lambs. \$14.00 to \$18.50; few, \$18.65; oth-

ers unchanged.

Winnipeg, Feb. 8 .- Live stock offerings at the yards were 350 cattle and 1.781 hogs. Cattle and hog market steady. Stockesr and milk cow trade dull. Quotations: Butchers' steers, \$7 to \$12; helfers, \$7 to \$10.50; cows, \$4.50 to \$9.25; bulls, \$5.50 to \$8.75; oxen, \$5 to \$9; stockers and feeders, \$7 to \$9.50; calves, \$6.50 to \$11.50. Hogs-Sclects, \$18; heavies, \$13.50 to \$14.-75; sows, \$12 to \$13; light, \$13 to

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

Toronto Toronto, Feb. 8. - Manitoba wheat-In store, Fort William, nominal (including 21/2c. tax); No. northern, \$2,23 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$2.20 1/4; No. 3 northern, \$2.17 1/4; No. 4 wheat, \$2.10 1/2. Manitoba oats-No. 2 C.W., 89 % c; No. 3 C.W., 84 % c.; extra No. 1 feed. 83% c.; No. 1 feed, 80% c. in store Fort William.

Ontarlo wheat-New crop. No. 2, \$2.22, basis in store, Montreal. Ontario oats-No. 2 white, 91c. to 9.2c., nominal; No. 3, 90c. to 91c. Barley-Malting, new. \$1.58 to \$1.60, according to freights.

Pens-No. 2, \$3.70 to \$2.80, according to freights. Ontario flour-Winter, in new bags, prompt shipment, war quality.

\$10.60, Toronto delivery; \$10.60 Montreal, prompt shopment. Buckwheat-\$1.60 to \$1.62. Manitoba flour-War quality,\$11,-10, Toronto.

Millfeed-Carlots, delivered, Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$35; shorts, \$40; white middlings, \$45 to \$46; good feed flour, per bag, \$3.40. Hay-Track, Toronto, No. 1, \$16 to \$17; mixed. \$13 to \$16. Straw-Carlots, \$8.50 to \$9.

Montreal, Feb. S .- Corn, American No. 1 yellow, \$2.15. to \$2.30. Cats, Canad an western, No. 3 \$1.02; extra No. 1 feed, \$1.02; No. 2 local white, \$1.00 %; No. 3 local white, 99 1/2c.; No. 4 local white, 98 %c. Flour, Manitoba apring wheat patents, firsts, \$11.60; seconds, \$11.10; strong bakers', \$10,-90; straight rollers bags, \$5.25 to \$5.40. Rolled oats, bags 90 lbs., \$5.30. Bran. \$35. Shorts, \$40. Middlings, \$48 to \$50. Mouillle, \$56 to \$58. Hay, No. 2, per ton, carlots. \$14.50 to \$15.59.

Winnipeg, Feb. 8 .- Cash prices; --Oats-No. 2 C.W., 89 %c; No. 3 C. W., 84%c; extra No. 1, feed 83%c; No. 1 feed, 80 %c; No. 2 feed 77%c. Barley-No. 3, \$1.60; No. 4, \$1.-Flax-No. 2 N.W.C., \$3.25; No. 2 C. W. \$3.22 14; No. 3 C.W., \$3.04 %.

Chicago, Chicago, Feb. & .-- Corn-No. 2 yelNo. 4, do., \$1.65 to \$1.70. Oats-No. white, 86 1/2 to 87 1/4 c; standard, 78 1/2 to 89c. Rye-No. 2, nominal. Barley-\$1.55 to \$1.78. Timothy-\$5 to \$8.25; clover, \$21 to \$30.

Minneapolis. Minneapolis, Feb. 8 .- Corn-No. Toronto, Feb. 8 .- Extra choice 3 yellow, \$1.75 to \$1.80. Oats-No. heavy steers, \$11.25 to \$11.90; do., 3 white, 84 to 85c. Flour unchang-

GENERAL TRADE.

Montreal.

Cheese-Per 1b., large 22 1/2 c; [Til twins, 24c; Stiltons, 52c. Shortening-Per lb., 26c. Honey-White clover, 30-lb. to 60

Hams-Large, 30c per pound; meto \$9.25; and canners, \$7 to \$7.50 Bacon-Per lb., breakfast, 40c to

Dressed poultry-Per. lb., turkeys, Ore 35c to 36c; chickens, 32c to 35c; fowl, 28c to 30c; ducks, 30c; geese, Potatoes-80 lb, bags, car load lots, \$1.90 to \$2.15

Toronto, Feb. 8 .- Butter, choice dairy, 45c to 47c; margarine, lb., 35c. to 37c; eggs, new laid, 75c to 80c; turkeys, lb., 35c to 38c; fowl. lb., Hay, loose, ton .. 13.00 turkeys, 1b., 35c to 38c; fowl, 1b., 22c to 25c; spring chickens, 28c to Middlings, ton 30c; ducks, spring, lb., 25c; geese. 1b., 23c to 25c; apples, bkt., 35c to

Mrs. Gerald H. Brabazon, Port- Western hinds, lb. age Du Fort, Que., died on Wednes- Hogs, live, cwt. day morning at the residence of her Hogs, dressed, cwt. son, Claude H. Brabazon, Ottawa. Mutton Hogs Receipts, 3,700; strong; death took place of a highly esteenr-At Prescott on Wednesday the ed resident in Albert Westlake. He | Chickens, dressed, was seventy-two years of age and lb. ... 25 was born at Glen Buell.

The Kingston	n Ma	rket	Turkeys, 4b
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Kingston, Feb. 9th.			Cabbage, head
Dairy Products.			Carrots, bus
utter, creamery,			Celery, bunch
1b	50	52	Lettuce, bunch
utter, rolls, lb		46	Parsnips, bunch .
heese, lb		30	Potatoes, bush
ggs, fresh, doz	100	75	Oniens, dry, lb
ggs, storage		55	Hides Pts Tot
leomargarine	36	38	Hides, Etc.—John
			Goose down, per 1b
Fish.			Red Foxes, Prime No. 1, up to
od, 1b	10	121/2	Raccoon, up to
els, lb		1232	Skunks, up to
ounders, lb		12 1/2	Mink, up to
illets, lbs		22	Hides, green trim-
man Haddie, lb.		18	med. 3 lbs., lb.
ake, 1b		12%	Lamb skins, fresh
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rway Cods		70	Shearlings, up to.
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			Otter, up to
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nanas, doz		30	Cross Fox, up to .
tes, lb		25	Lynx, up to
mons, doz	15 × 15 × 15	40	Marten, up to
anges, doz	50	85	Wolf, up to
			Badger, up to Weasel, up to
Grain.		ABY CARRY	, caser, up to

A Tribute To The Cow

sale of cattle some time ago:

man's animal friends she is the affair.' One-half the freight trains that plow ing in business." the continent from ocean to ocean sidetrack, for there would be nothing be bare of one of the greatest lux- a severe illness for some months. uries with which they are now loaded. The great plains of the west, that the cow has made to blossom like the rose, would revert to the Indians from whence they came and millions of prosperous homes would

be destroyed. "None other is like the cow. There is not a thing from nose to tail but that is utilized by man. We use her horns to comb out hair; her skin is

hair keeps the plaster on our walls; her hoof makes glue, and her tail makes soup. She gives us our cream, our milk, our butter and cheese, and ber flesh is the meat of all nations. Her blood is used to make our sugar white; her bones, when ground make valuable fertilizer, and even the contents of her paunch she has herself put through the first chemical process for the manufacture of the best quality of white board paper and now it has been discovered that this paper can be made into the best

"O, you who would abuse the cow. I wish that I could for once take from your table, as you are about to sit down to the evening meal, all that the cow has placed thereon. I would take the cup of milk sitting by the baby's chair, I would take the cream biscuit, the custard, the cream for smoking roast of beef or stake or HALF OF E the sweet corned plate of juicy meat. In fact, I would leave you to make your meal upon Irish potatoes, beet U. S. Steel Corporation Took The November dividend was passed. p.ckles and toothpicks."

JOURNALISM IN JAPAN.

Withheld Story of Suicide, But People Demanded News. To ascertain the tastes of his stories, according to the East and the corporation. West News Bureau, Motono Eikich- Total earnings for that period dividends in cash at the rate of \$16 chiro, editor of The Yomiuri, recent- amounted to \$59,724,125, after mak- a year. ly "held out" the story of the double ing allowance for \$60,950,364 paid Westinghouse Electric Co. is booksuicide pact between the daughter into the government treasury as war ed many months ahead on domestic ing day he was deluged with letters amounted to \$16,258,272. from indignant readers of his paper. This compares with total earnings New York Air Brake is in a posicepting bribes from the Yoshikawa

Tokio printed the story American Ekichichiro based his action on a desire to protect the public from scandalous conduct. It is said the young editor is now convinced the truth of the saying of the late Charles A. Dana that "whatever the Almighty permits to happen is fit to print." To deny the insinuation The following credited to Col. F. that the Yoshikawa family paid him M. Woods, the well-known auction- to leave out the story, he printed: eer of Lincoln, Neb., in opening a "The Yoshikawa family at once engaged a press agent and supplied the "Grand and noble brute, of all paper with complete details of the

family. Every other newspaper in

greatest! To her we owe the most. He later indulged in a long ar-Examine all the channels of trade in- ticle about the aims of a newspaper, to which she enters and note the re- admitting that his attitude was a Sunday stillness would prevade the followed the advice of its very few great stock yards of our large cities readers who approved his course, and grass would grow in the streets. "he would have no hope of continu-

J. W. Johnson, M.P.P. for West | sets ere more than sufficient to meet for them to do. Fifty per cent. of Hastings, will not be able to attend all requirements. the employees would draw no pay on this session of the Legislature. He Saturday night and our tables would has been confined to the house with

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HALF OF EARNINGS

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New York, Feb. 8 .- The United ment of \$100,000 States Fuel Corporation paid to the federal government more than half of its earnings in the final quarter of readers with regard to sensational 1917, according to a statement of has declared a stock dividend of 4

for the previous quarter.

directors declared an "extra" divi- war orders now on its books involve dend of 3 per cent. on the common over \$50,000,000 of business. stock, in addition to the regular com- During the first nine months of second quarter, total disbursements profits after interest of \$2,225.818. on the common shares for 1917 against \$2,038,096 in the same amounted to 18 per cent.

ted \$231,668,131, after charging off cent. \$212 467,249 to government taxes. etc. It is expected this amount will be increased to \$235,000,000 when the final returns are made to

In 1916, when no appropriations sult should she be blotted out. A daring one. He confessed that if he were made for war income and excess profits, the corporations total period was placed at \$450.000,000. Chairman Gary stated that the corporation has no new financing in

contemplation and that its liquid as-

Coniagas Mines announce a dividend of 21/2 per cent. This is the first dividend since last August, when The company paid twelve and a half per cent. in all in 1917, or \$500,-000. The present two and a half per cent. dividend means a disburse-

Commercial Notes.

of Count Yoshikawa, vice-president income on excess profits. Net income business, and it also has shrapnel of the privy council, and her chauf- for the final quarter was \$48,035,- contracts. Almost 28,000 men are feur, with the result that the follow- 344 and surplus for the same period employed, and the semi-monthly

of \$68,243,784, net income of \$55,- tion where in 1918 it is almost cer-245,377, and surplus of \$21,824,554 tain to have a much bigger year than in 1917. This statement is founded In keeping with expectations, the upon the fact that the company's

mon dividend of 1%, and preferred 1917 the Pierce Oil Corporation and of 1%. Including a Red Cross divi- the Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association dend of one per cent., voted in the earned together a balance of net period of 1916. This is an increase Total earnings for 1917 aggrega., of \$187,722, a gain of about 9 per

The value of the automobile tires States during 1918 will undoubtedly 30th last, the valeu of the 18,000,-

1917 did the largest business in its history with orders booked amounting to \$245,000,000, compared with \$169,582,058 in 1916. It is underscood sales billed in 1917 amounted to about \$195,000,000, compared with \$132,242,290 in 1916. This is far above the increase in any or previous year.

Teaching The Children To Farm

Buckwheat, bush. ...

Oats, Man., bush

Corn, meal, cwt .

Flour, cwt, ...

Corp, yellow feed



UCH is being added to the attractiveness of life on farms, IVI especially to children, by the children's competitions which have become a feature of the fairs and exhibitions in Western Canada during the past year. At every place at which these competitions were held they were the centre of interest, not only to the children themselves but also to adult visitors. In fact, many of the older exhibitors displayed a greater interest in the exhibits of the children than in their own.

These competitions are generally arranged by breeders' associations. sometimes with the assistance of the Department of Agriculture of the province and other public bodies. Usually they are confined to boys and girls between the ages of ten and fifteen, who are required to feed, care for and look after a calf, a pig or a lamb, as the case may be, for a certain period previous to the opening

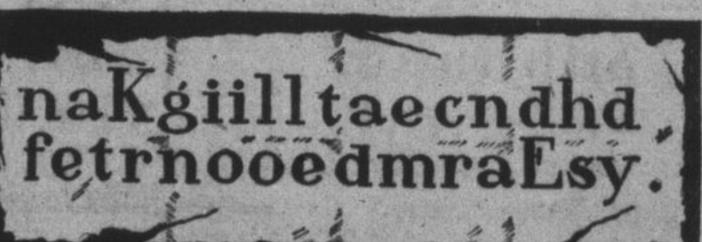


One of the most successful of these considered to be in encouraging boys Canadian Pacific Railway. Dr. competitions was the buby beef com- and girls to take an interest in live Rutherford has been largely responpetition held at the Calgary Winter stock, and so great has been their sible for making known to the farm-Fair in December. The competition success that no exhibition in the ers of Alberta the advantages of raiswas for heifers, pure bred or grade, future will be complete without them, ing baby beef, some of which are born in 1916, and fed between No- Already arrangements have been greater gains made on the same vember 1st and the date of the show, made to increase their scope and at amount of feed by the youngest cattle by boys or girls between nine and the summer fair at Calgary this than those of more age; quicker seventeen year there will be a sheep shearing turnover in the money invested in . prizes from \$25 to \$100 were award- competition, while at the winter cattle, the greater stability of mared. Altogether there were fifty three fair there will be a lamb and pig kets. On the Demonstration Farm at exhibitors to the competition includ- feeding competitions, in addition to Strathmore, Alberta, under the direcing fifteen girls. The first prize was the baby beef competition, and the tion of Dr. Rutherford, demonstrawon by Samuel liest, of Brandon, period during which the animals will tions in the raising of baby beef have Manitoba in the class of calves be in sole charge of the youngsters been conducted for some years, with shown by girls the first prize was will be extended to three months. | results that are entirely satisfactory is: rejected, \$1.30; feed, \$1.30. | taken by M. A. Isabel Stewart, of The production of baby heaf is de from a profit-making point of view. Forestburg. Alberta, and the second veloping into one of the most impor. The future of the bady beef industry by Florence Elva Boggs, of Daysland lant branches of farming in Alberta, in Alberta, and, in fact, throughout Alberta. Both these girls were near Fer this result much credit is due to Western Canada, where conditions the front in the open competition Dr. J. G. Rutherford, Superintendent are extremely favorable to its success, do valuable are these competitions of the Animat Industry Branch of the is very bright,

\$11700 In Cash Prizes Can you solve this problem?

"Canada Weekly" offers a series of cash prizes, of which the first is \$500.00, for the correct solution of the following mysterious message on the scrap of paper.

This





Thought to be Message sent by German Spy

ARRESTS FOLLOW

NINETY-NINE OTHER

KITCHENER'S DEATH

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 7.) who folded and worn "scrap of paper." Inspector Donlan for the first time in pri t his many years of service bowed his head las of and the hidden message of the uncanny Y jumble of letters remained a profoun-

Noted Criminologists Suggest Solutions

Selecting a capital letter as a starting point and counting every second or third letter until all the letters are used up would surely produce some result. - Inspect

Watson and I would procure a mirror and reflecting the "scrap of paper" endeavour to decipher the hidden message. - Shertock Holmes. Beginning at a selected one I should read every other letter or every third letter. I believe I should soon solve this mystery .- Arsene Lupin.

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The first prize will be conreced to the conpoints. For instance, 50 points can be obtained by sending in the correct answer to the mysterious message. Then there are 30 points given for general neatness, handwriting, spelling, punctuation, etc., and when you comply with the other conditions and rufes as below 50 points additional can be gained. 130 points is the maximum number.

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