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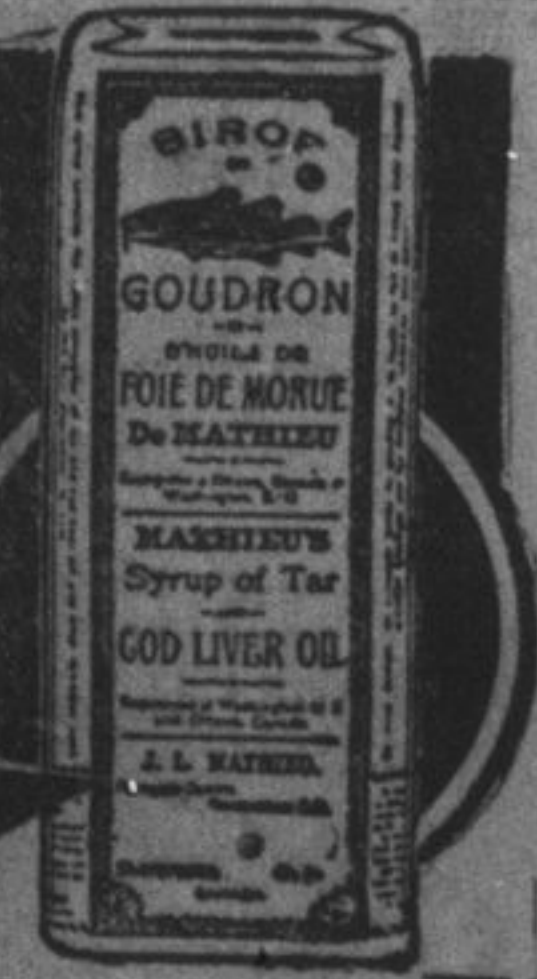
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The Market Reports

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Toronto, June 1.—Heavy steers, \$15 to \$15.50; choice butcher, \$12.50 to \$15; do. medium, \$11.50 to \$12; do. common, \$10.75 to \$11.25; butchers, good to choice, \$12.50 to \$14.50; butcher cows, choice, \$9.25 to \$12; do. medium, \$7 to \$7.50; butts, choice heavy, \$10 to \$12; do. good, \$9.25 to \$9.75; do. light, \$7 to \$8; canners and cutters, 6.25 to \$8; feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs., \$11.50 to \$12.50; do. med., 600 to 700 lbs., \$10 to \$10.50; do. light, 500 to 650 lbs., \$9 to \$9.50; grass cows, \$9 to \$9.50; milk cows, \$9 to \$12.50; calves, \$10 to \$15.75; lambs, \$18.50 to \$22; sheep, light, \$16 to \$18; hogs, fed and watered, \$20.50; do. off cars, \$20.75; do. f.o.b. to shippers, \$19.50.

Montreal, June 1.—Choice steers, \$14.50 to \$15; good steers, \$13 to \$14; medium, \$11.50 to \$12.50; choice butcher bulls, \$11.50 to \$12; medium, \$10.50 to \$11; good, \$9 to \$10.25; choice butcher cows, \$11 to \$11.50; good, \$10.50; medium, \$8.50 to \$9.50; calves, choice milk-fed, \$10 to \$13; fair, \$7 to \$9; choice select hogs, off cars, \$20.50 to \$21; sows, \$18 to \$20.

Winnipeg, June 1.—Butcher steers, \$10.50 to \$13.50; hogs, \$8.50 to \$15; cows, \$5.25 to \$12; butts, \$6.50 to \$11; oxen, 6.50 to 12; stockers, \$8 to \$16. Hogs, select, 19.35; heavy, \$15.50 to \$16.50; sows, \$15 to \$16.50; stags, \$8 to \$10; light, \$16 to \$18.50.

Chicago, June 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; market firm. Beef-cas, \$10.50 to \$17.60; stockers and feeders, \$9.25 to \$13.65; cows and heifers, \$7.25 to \$14.90; calves, \$8 to \$14.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 46,000; market dull. Light, \$17 to \$17.40; mixed, \$16.80 to \$17.40; heavy, \$16 to \$17.25; rough, \$16 to \$16.40; pigs, \$16 to \$17.40. Bulk of sales, \$17.05 to \$17.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 13,000; market firm. Sheep, \$9.75 to \$14.85; springing, \$14 to \$19.75; lambs, native, \$13.25 to \$17.10.

Buffalo, N.Y., June 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; steady; prime steers, \$17 to \$17.85; shipping steers, \$16.25 to \$16.75; butchers, \$12 to \$16.75; yearlings, \$13.50 to \$16.75; heifers, \$10 to \$14.25; cows, \$6.50 to \$13.50; butts, \$7.50 to \$13; stockers and feeders, \$7.50 to \$11; fresh cows and springers, \$6 to \$15.00.

Calves—Receipts, 2,800; easier; \$7 to \$15.25. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; easier, heavy, \$17.50 to \$17.75; mixers, \$17.90; Yorkers, \$17.90 to \$18; light Yorkers and pigs, \$18 to \$18.25; roughs, \$16.75 to \$16; stags, \$12 to \$13.75.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 9,000;

active and steady; lambs, \$11 to \$17.65; yearlings, \$13 to \$15.50; wethers, \$14 to \$14.50; ewes, \$5 to \$13.50; mixed sheep, \$13.50 to \$14.

New York, June 1.—Beef—Receipts, 2,490 head; market steady; \$12.90 to \$17.25; butts, \$9 to \$14; cows, \$5.50 to \$14. Calves—Receipts, 8,309 head; market weak; veals, \$12.50 to \$16.25; culls and little calves, \$10.50 to \$12; skim milk calves, \$10 to \$11. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,330 head; market weak; sheep, \$7.50 to \$15; spring lambs, \$20 to \$23.50; clipped lambs, \$13 to \$16; wool lambs, \$20 to \$21. Hogs—Receipts, 5,200 head; market lower at \$13.25 to \$18.50; roughs, \$16.50.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

Toronto, June 1.—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, \$2.23 3/4; No. 2, \$2.20 1/2; No. 3, \$2.17 1/2; No. 4, \$2.14 1/2, including 2 1/2 cent tax, in store, Port William.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., \$1 1/4; No. 2 C.W., 78%; extra No. 1 feed, 78%; No. 1 feed, 75%; in store, Port William.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 80c to \$1c, nominal; No. 3 white, 79c to 80c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, \$2.22, basis in store Montreal. Buckwheat—\$1.80. Rye—No. 2, \$2.10.

Ontario flour—War quality, \$10.65, Toronto-Montreal, \$10.65, new bags.

Manitoba flour—War quality, \$10.95, Toronto.

Mill feed—Car lots, delivered, Montreal; shorts, \$40; bran, \$35; feed flour, not quoted; middlings, not quoted.

Hay—Baled, track, Toronto, car lots No. 1, \$16 to \$17; No. 2, \$14 to \$15; straw, car lots, \$8.50 to \$9.

Montreal, June 1.—Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 94c; No. 3, 90 1/2c; extra No. 1, 97c. Flour—New standard spring wheat grade, \$10.95 to \$11.05. Rolled oats, Bags, 90 lbs., \$5.10 to \$5.15. Bran, \$35. Shorts, \$40. Moullie, 0.72. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$15.50.

New York, June 1.—Flour—Unsettled. Springs, \$10.75 to \$11.25; winters, \$10.85 to \$11.15; Kansas, \$10.90 to \$11.25. Rye flour unsettled; fair to good, \$10.40 to \$11.20; choice to fancy, \$11.25 to \$12. White rye flour steady, \$5.50 per cwt. Barley flour dull, \$8.75 to \$10.

Minneapolis, June 1.—Corn, No. 3 yellow, \$1.45 to \$1.55. Oats, No. 3 white, 72 1/2 to 74c. Flour unchanged. Bran, \$23.25 to \$23.25.

Chicago, June 1.—Corn, No. 2 yellow, \$1.72 to \$1.74; No. 3 yellow, \$1.53 to \$1.68; No. 4 yellow, \$1.40. Oats, No. 3 white, 72c to 74c; standard, 75c to 75 1/2c. Rye, No. 2, nominal; No. 2, \$1.90. Barley, \$1.25 to \$1.46. Timothy, \$5 to \$8. Clover, \$18 to \$28. Pork, nominal. Lard, \$24.02. Ribs, \$21.30 to \$21.92.

Winnipeg, June 1.—Oats—No. 2 C.W., 81%; No. 3 C.W., 78%; extra No. 1 feed, 78%; No. 1 feed, 75%; No. 2 feed, 72%; c. Barley—No quotations. Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., \$3.73 1/2; No. 2 C.W., \$3.70 1/2; No. 3 C.W., \$3.48 1/2.

Duluth, June 1.—Lined, \$3.88 1/2; in store, \$3.88; arrive, \$3.88 1/2; May, \$3.88 asked; July, \$3.91 1/2; October, \$3.58 bid.

GENERAL TRADE. Butter. Belleville, 45c to 48c; Brantford, 48c to 52c; Cobourg, 48c; Chatham, 48c to 48c; Hamilton, 50c to 55c; Kitchener, 48c to 51c; London, 44c to 49c; Owen Sound, 36c to 38c; Port Hope, 48c; Stratford, 45c to 47c; and Woodstock, 45c to 50c per pound.

Eggs. Belleville, 35c to 37c; Brantford, 40c to 42c; Cobourg, 37c to 38c; Hamilton, 45c; London and Woodstock, 40c; Owen Sound, 35c; Port Hope, 33c to 34c; Stratford, 34c to 37c per dozen.

Chickens. Belleville, 25c to 30c per pound; Brantford, 25c to 27c; Cobourg, 35c; Chatham, 35c to 40c; Hamilton, 40c; Kitchener, 30c to 35c; London, 33c to 35c; Owen Sound, 28c; Port Hope and Woodstock, 30c and Stratford, 25c to 30c per pound.

Potatoes. Belleville, \$1.75 per bag; Brantford, \$2.25; Cobourg and Owen Sound, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Chatham, \$1.90 to \$2.25; Hamilton, \$2; Kitchener, \$1.50 to \$2; London, \$1.60 to \$1.80; Port Hope, \$1.50; Stratford, \$1.75 to \$2, and Woodstock, \$1.50 to \$2.

Wheat. Belleville, \$2.15; Brantford, Cobourg and Chatham, \$2.10; Hamilton, Port Hope, Stratford and Woodstock, \$2.12; Kitchener, \$2.12 to \$2.15; London and Owen Sound, \$2.10 to \$2.12.

Barley. Belleville, \$1.50; Brantford, \$1.50; Cobourg, \$1.55; Hamilton, \$1.35 to \$1.40; Kitchener, \$1.45 to \$1.50; Owen Sound, \$1.50 to \$1.55; Port Hope, \$1.50 to \$1.60; Stratford, \$1.35 to \$1.45.

Oats. Belleville and Cobourg, 95c to \$1; Brantford, 92c; Chatham, 79c to 90c; Hamilton, 84c to 86c; Kitchener, 75c; London, 95c to 97c; Owen Sound, 86c to 88c; Port Hope, 85c; Stratford, 78c and Woodstock, 95c.

Hay. Belleville, baled, \$12.50 to \$14; loose, \$14 to \$15; Brantford, baled, \$15 to \$17; loose, \$14 to \$15; Cobourg, loose, \$15; Chatham, loose, \$17 to \$20; Hamilton, loose and baled, \$13 to \$16; Kitchener, baled, \$15 to \$16.50; loose, \$14.50 to \$15; London, loose, \$10 to \$12; Owen Sound, \$12 to \$13; Port Hope, \$10 to \$12; Stratford, \$10 to \$12; Woodstock, \$10 to \$12.

London, loose, \$10 to \$12; Owen Sound, baled, \$12 to \$13; loose, \$11 to \$12; Port Hope, baled, \$18 to \$19; Stratford, baled, \$18 to \$20; loose, \$10 to \$12, and Woodstock, baled, \$16 to \$17; loose, \$15 per ton.

The Kingston Market

Kingston, June 1st.

Dairy Produce. Butter, creamery, lb., 45 5/8; Butter, rolls, lb., 45 1/2; Cheese, lb., 30; Eggs, fresh, doz., 40 1/2; Oleomargarine, 30 3/4.

Fish. Cod, lb., 10 1/2; Eels, lb., 12 1/2; Flounders, lb., 12 1/2; Fillets, lbs., 22; Finan Haddie, lb., 18; Hake, lb., 12 1/2; Halibut, fresh, lb., 30; Herring, fresh, lb., 10; Kippers, doz., 60; Mackerel, lb., 20; Perch, lb., 12 1/2; Pike, lb., 12 1/2; Rock-fish, lb., 25; Salmon, lb., 20 3/4; Tilsfish, lb., 12 1/2; Trout, salmon, lb., 18 3/4; White fish, lb., 18 3/4.

Fruit. Apples, doz., 30 5/8; Bananas, doz., 30 5/8; Cherries, lb., 50; Dates, lb., 25; Grapefruit, each, 6 1/2; Lemons, doz., 40; Peaches, each, 30 1/2; Pineapples, each, 20 1/2; Strawberries, 20 1/2.

Grain. Barley, bush., 2 00; Buckwheat, bush., 2 00; Corn meal, cwt., 6 00; Corn, yellow feed bush., 2 15; Flour, Govt. standard, cwt., 5 80; Hay baled, ton, 17 00; Hay loose, ton, 13 00; Oats, Man., bush., 1 05; Oats, local, bush., 1 00; Shorts, ton, 43 00; Straw, baled, ton, 10 00; Straw, loose, ton, 8 00; Wheat, local, bush., 2 40.

Meats. Beef, Cuts, lb., 25 40; Western carcass lb, 23 25; Western fronts, lb., 19 25; Western hind, lb., 25 25; Local carcass lb, 21 22; Local fronts, lb., 19 20; Local hinds, lb., 23 25; Hogs, live, cwt., 20 00; Hogs, dressed, cwt., 28 00; Lamb, lb., 45 50; Pork, 20 25; Veal, hinds, 20 25; Veal, fronts, 15 20.

Poultry. Chickens, dressed, lb., 30 35; Chickens, live, lb., 25 30; Hens, dressed, lb., 28 30; Turkeys, lb., 25 31.

Hides, Furs, Etc. Goose down, per lb., 75; Red Foxes, Prime, No. 1, up to, 16 00; Raccoon, up to, 3 00; Skunk, up to, 5 00; Mink, up to, 10 00; Lamb skins, fresh up to, 4 00; Veal skins, lb., 20; Deacon skins, No 1 Horse hides, No. 1 large, 5 00; Talow Cakes, 15; Wool, washed, lb., 70; Wool, unwashed, lb., 50; Gensing, wild dry per lb., 8 00; Boeswar, lb. up to Shearings, up to, 2 00; Kips, lb., 10; Beaver, up to, 12 00; Otter, up to, 20 00; Black Bear, up to, 20 00; Fisher, up to, 30 00; Cross Fox, up to, 50 00; Lynx, up to, 37 00; Marten, up to, 30 00; Wolf, up to, 10 00; Badger, up to, 2 50; Weasel, up to, 1 25.

Vegetables. Asparagus, bunch, 10; Beets, bus., 75; Cabbage, head, 10 15; Carrots, bus., 75; Celery, bunch, 10; Cucumbers, each, 10 25; Lettuce, bunch, 5 8; Onions, bunch, 5 8; Onions, dry, lb., 3 1/2; Parsnips, bushel, 75; Potatoes, bushel, 1 50; Potatoes, new, pk., 1 00; Radishes, bunch, 8; Rhubarb, bunch, 5; Tomatoes, lb., 25; Turnips, bush., 1 00.

Excuse For Calling. A member of the American Lafayette squadron had to make a precipitate descent and was fortunate enough to come down at a British aerodrome behind the lines, not however, without making up things a bit. After recouling himself from the tangle of wire he limped slowly up to a "buss" hut. "Are you the big noise of this joint?" he asked. "I am the commanding officer, if that has anything to do with it," was the reply. "Well," said the American, "I just looked in to tell you I have spread the gasoline tank on your front grass plot."

Superstitious About Spiders. In Japan a light colored mouse in the house is a sign of happiness. If the mouse falls from the ceiling in the morning it brings pleasure, but if at night it is thought to be very unlucky.

DIVIDEND PAYMENTS ARE NOT STEADY

Six Companies Increased And Others Decreased Their Disbursements.

Montreal, June 7.—The varying fortune of Canada's different branches of industry is shown by the dividend record for the year 1918 to date. Since the beginning of the year fourteen Canadian companies have changed their respective dates of disbursements to shareholders. Six companies have made conservative but not the less substantial increases in their payments, while four companies declared initial dividends, and three companies have reduced dividends. The companies which have increased their dividend payments are: B. C. Fishing, 1 per cent, or \$31,874; Canadian Cottons, 2 per cent, or \$54,310; Dominion Textile, 1 per cent, or \$43,012; \$50,000; Kamistiquia Power, 2 per cent, or \$50,000; Lake of the Woods Milling, 2 per cent, or \$42,000; and Penmans, 2 per cent, of \$43,012. Initial payments have been announced by Canada Machinery, 2 per cent, or \$23,550; Dominion Glass, 1 per cent, or \$42,500; St. Lawrence Flour, 10 per cent, or \$120,000; and Wabasso Cotton, 5 per cent, or \$87,500.

In other words, shareholders of the above mentioned companies are fortunate in that they will receive this year at least \$552,746 more in dividends than they did during 1917. The companies to reduce their dividends are Dominion Bridge, 2 per cent, or \$139,000; Toronto Railway, 4 per cent, or \$480,000; and Twin City, 2 per cent, or \$40,000. One company, the Illinois Traction, has passed the dividend altogether on the common stock, this being 3 per cent, and representing \$367,560. Therefore, the shareholders in these companies face a reduction of income on their holdings of no less than \$1,417,560. This reduction is equal to about 2.7 per cent, on a combined capitalization of \$52,752,000.

U. S. Copper Production. New York, June 7.—Copper production in the United States for the full year 1917 amounted to approximately 2,428,546,171 pounds, according to the United States Geological Survey. This compares with a total of 2,259,387,315 for 1916.

New Bank Director. London, June 7.—Sir Charles Stewart Addis, joint manager of the Hong Kong-Shanghai Bank, will be elected a director of the Bank of England on Wednesday next, succeeding Albert Sandeman.

Union Bag's Profits. Montreal, June 7.—Union Bag and Paper Company reports net profits of about \$519,000 for the first quarter of the current year, or earnings at the rate of 20.7 per cent, per annum on the capital stock. Profits are stated after allowances for repairs and depreciation, and also the provision of \$90,000 as the quarter's share of the excess profits tax. The company owns the St. Maurice Paper Company of Three Rivers.

Mining Corporation Dividend. Toronto, June 7.—The Mining Corporation of Canada declared a quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent, and a bonus of 6 1/2 per cent, payable June 15th to shareholders of record June 1st.

British Columbia as Pulp Centre. Vancouver, June 7.—The prediction that within a few years British Columbia will receive an income of between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000 a year from the production of pulp and paper was made in an interview here by George M. Seaman, president of the Seaman Paper Company of New York and Chicago and a director of the Whalen Pulp and Paper Mills, Ltd., of Vancouver.

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