News And Views Of And For Farmers

The Market Reports

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Montreal. Montreal, June 7 .- Steers, choice, York. \$14.50 to \$17.50; good, \$12 to \$14; Oats-Spot market steady; standmedium. \$10.50 to \$11.50; bulls, ard, 79c to 79 %c. good, \$12 to \$13; medium, \$10 to \$14; cows, choice, \$11.50 to \$12.50; medium to good, \$11 to \$11.25;

Toronto, June 7 .- Heavy steers, \$15 to \$15.50; choice butcher, \$12.50 al; No. 4, \$1.53. to \$15; do. medium, \$11.50 to \$12; do common, \$10.75 to\$11.25; heifers, good to choice, \$12.50 to \$14.50; butcher cows, chice, \$9.25 to \$12; do medium, \$7 to \$7.50; bulls, choice heavy, \$10 to \$12; do good, \$9.25 to \$9.75; do light, \$7 to \$8; canners \$8 to8.50; grass cows, \$9 to \$9.50; 70 %c. milch cows, \$90 to \$125; calves, \$16

25; do f.o.b. to shippers, \$19.

to \$15.75; lambs, \$18.50 to \$22

Chicago, June 7 .- Hogs-Heavy butchers, \$1.40 to \$16.60; light \$16.75 to \$16.90; medium and light | 42e to 50c per lb. mixed, \$16.40 to \$16.65; bulk, \$16.-50 t \$16.70; pigs, \$16.25 to \$17.

\$19.50; native ewes, few offers, feel- 38c to 40c per doz. ing very bearish; best stock \$14.50 to \$14.75.

Winnipeg

40 \$15; cows, \$5 to \$13.50; bulls, \$7 to \$11.50; oxen, \$*.50 to \$12; stockers and feeders, \$7.75 to \$14.75; cows, \$11.75 to \$12.75; stags, \$11.75 to \$12.75; light, \$14 to \$16.25.

Buffalo. Buffalo, N.Y., June 7 .- Cattle-Receipts, 3,800. Market strong. Port Hope and Woodstock. \$2.12 per Prime steers, \$17.25 to \$18.25; shipping steers, \$16.50 - to \$17; butchers, \$12 to \$16.85; yearlings, \$13.50 to \$16.75; helfers, \$10 to \$14.50; cows, \$6.50 to \$15.50; bulls, 7.50 to \$13; stockers and feeders, \$7.50 to \$11; fresh cows and springers, \$65 to \$150.

Calves Receipts, 2,300; market strong: \$7 to'\$15.50. Hogs-Receipts, 5,200; market active and strong. Heavy, \$17 to \$17.50; mixed, \$17.65 to \$17.75; yorkers, \$17.75 to \$18; light yorkers, \$18 to \$18.25; pigs, \$18.25 to \$18.50; roughs, \$15.25 to \$16.50; stags, \$11 to \$12.

400; market easier; lambs, 11 to loose, \$14 to \$15; Cobourg, loose, \$17.25; yearlings, \$13 to \$15; weth- | \$15; Kitchener, baled, \$15 to \$15.50; ers, \$13.50 to \$14; ewes, \$6 to \$13; loose, \$14 to \$14.50; Owen Sound, mixed sleep, \$13 to 13.50.

New York. New York, June 7 .- Beeves -- Re- | loose, \$12 to \$15 per ton. ceipts, 850 head; market steady; steers, 11,50 to \$18.00; buols, \$7.75 to \$14.25; cows, \$6, to \$14. Calves-Receipts, 7,080 head; murket firm; yeals, \$12.50 to \$16; Reduce Loss of Young Animals by inculls, \$11 to \$12; skim-milk, \$10 to

Sheep and lambs - Receipts, 5,400 head; market steady; sheep, \$11 to \$14.37 %: cards, \$7 to \$10; spring Sambs, \$20.50 to \$22; other lambs, \$14.25 to \$16; wool lambs, \$20.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

Montreal, June 7 .- Oats-Canadian western, No. 2, 03c; Canadian western No. 3, 90c; extra No 1 feed, 86 %c. Flour-New standard spring wheat grade, \$10.95 to \$11.05. Rolled oats, bags of 90 ed 2 per cent crude carbolic scid or 5 Otter, up to ths., \$4.85 to \$5. Bran, \$35. Shorts, per cent coal-tar dip. This is easily Black Bear, up to \$40. Moullie, \$72.

Toronto, June 7. - Manitoba 2. \$2.20 1/4; No. 3, \$2.17 1/2; No. 4. store, Fort William. Manitoba oats-No. 2 C.W..78 %c No. 3, C.W., 75%c; extra No. 1 feed. 75 %, No. 1 feed, 72 %c, in store, Fort William,

American corn-Not quoted. 79c, nominal No. 3 white, 77c to 78c. Barley-Malting, \$1.40 to \$1.42. Ontario wheat-No. 2 winter, \$2.22, basis in store, Montreal, Peas-No. 2, nominal.

Buckwheat-\$1.80 Rye-No. 2, \$2,10. Ontario flour-War quality, \$10. 65. Toronte-Montreal, \$10.65, new side concrete work to do in cold

bags. Millfed-Car lets, delivered, so they will not freeze. Montreal; shorts, \$10; bran, \$35;

feed flour, not quoted; middlingh, not quoted. Hay-Baled, track, Toronto, car lots, No. 1, \$15.50 to \$16.50; No. 2 When Closely Confined Chickens Will mixed, \$13 to \$14; straw, car lots, \$8 to \$8.50.

New York, June 7 .- Flour -- Market quiet; springs, \$10.75 to \$11.25; winters, \$10.85 to \$11.15; Kansas, \$10.90 to \$1,25. Ryo flour-Market dull; fair to

good, \$9.25 to \$10.40; choice to fancy, \$10.45 to \$11.50. \$4.80 to \$5.25.

to \$11, in 98-lb, sacks. granulated, \$5.07 %; white granu- form occasionally.

ern, \$1.81, cost and freight New Barley-Market easy; feeding,

\$1.20, and malting, \$1.25 to \$1.39, cost and freight New York. Corn-Spot market unsettled; kiln dried No. 3 yellow, \$1.63%; No. 4 yellow \$1.53%, cost and freight New

Chicago, June 7 - Corn-No. calves, \$8 to \$12; sheep, \$12 to \$14; yellow, \$1.62; No. 3 yellow, \$1.56 lambs, \$16 to \$18; hogs, \$19.50 to to \$1.57; No. 4 yellow, \$1.32 to Oats-No. 3 white, 72c to 72% c; Eels, lb. standard, 72 1/2 to 73 1/4 c.

> Barley-\$1 to \$1.26. Clover-\$18 to \$28. Pork-Nominal. Lard-\$24.07. Ribs-\$21.50 to \$21.87.

Minneapolis, and cutters, \$6.25 to \$8; feeders. Minneapolis, June 7 .- Flour-Un- Pike, Ibi stockers, 750 to 800 lbs., \$10.50 to Corn-No. 3 yellow, \$1.45 to \$1.55. Salmon, 1b. 25 \$11.25; do., med., 600 to 650 lbs., Oats-No. 3 White, 69 1-4c to Smelts, lb.

sheep, light, \$16 to \$18; hogs, fed Duluth, June 7 .- Linseed, \$3.71 and watered, \$20; do off cars, \$20 .- to arrive, \$3.71; July, \$3.73 bid; October, \$3.50 bid.

Butter. butchers, \$16.60 to \$16.30; prime Belleville, 45c to 47c; Brantford, Grapefruit, each . 6 1/4 heavy, \$16.45 to \$16.60; heavy pack- 45c to 48c; Cobourg, 45c; Kitchener, Lemons, doz. . . . ing, \$16 to \$16.35; roughs, heavy, 48c to 50c; Owen Sound, 34; Port \$15,50 to \$15.85; selected light, Hope, 38c to 40c; and Woodstock,

Receipts 12,000; native lambs, re- Belleville, 35c to 37c; Brantford, celpts light; market weak; West- 40c to 42c; Cobourg, 37c; Kitchener, ern lambs early. Light shorn lambs 38c to 42c; Owen Sound, 32c; Port quoted at \$17.35; prime natives at Hope, 33c to 34c; and Woodstock.

Chickens. Belleville, 25c to 30c; Brantford, 25c to 28c; Cobourg, 35c; Owen Winnipeg, June 7. - Butchers' Sound, 26c to 30c; and Port Hope steers, 10.50 to \$15.50; helfers, \$8 and Woodstock, 30c per lb.

Potatoes. Belleville and Owen Sound, \$3,25 \$10.50; veal calves, \$8 to \$16. Hogs to \$1.50; Brantford, \$2.25; Cobourg. Straw, baled, ton Port Hope and Woodstock, \$1.50; Straw, loose, ton. Kitchener, \$1.75 to \$2 per bag.

> Wheat. Belleville, Brantford and Cobourg. \$2.10; Kitchener, \$2.12 to \$2.16; Owen Sound, \$2.10 to \$2.12; and

Belleville, \$1.20; Brantford and Port Hope, \$1.50; Cobourg, \$1.55; Kitchener, \$1.45 to \$1.50; Owen Sound, \$1.20 to \$1.25 per bush.

Belleville, 95c to \$1; Brantford, 12c; Cobourg and Woodstock, 95c; Kitchener, 75c; Owen Sound, 75c to 80c; and Port Hope, 85c. per bush,

Belleville, baled, \$12 to \$13; loose, Sheep and lambs Receipts, 6,- \$15; Brantford, baled, \$15 to \$17; \$12 to \$13; loose, \$11 to \$12; Port Hope, baled, \$20; loose, \$16 to \$17; and Woodstock, baled, \$16 to \$17; Goose down, per 1b

fectious Diseases by Cleaning Stables Thoroughly.

A good job for the first rainy day. From 6 to 10 per cent of the young animals are lost each year from such Tallow Cakes .. . infectious diseases as calf scours, hog Wool, washed, lb. cholera, blackleg, contagious abortion, Wool, navel ill of sucklings, distemper and other infections diseases.

Reduce this loss of young animals from infectious diseases by cleaning the stable thoroughly and disinfecting Kips, lb. with whitewash to which has been add- Beaver, up to .. . applied to the walls, ceiling and floors Fisher, up to ... with a spray pump.

wheat-No. 1 northern. \$2.221/2; No. LAYING CONCRETE IN WINTER \$2.10 %, including 2 % e tax, in Such Indoor Work as Cellar Floors and Barn Floors May Be Suc-

cessfully Performed.

lar floors and barn floors under cover, Ontario oats-No. 2 white, 78c to may be done successfully in winter, if proper precaution is taken to keep the Cucumbers, each , ,10 concrete from freezing. Fence posts Lettuce, bunch . . and concrete blocks may be made suc- | Onions, bunch . . . cessfully indoors during the winter, Onions, dry, lb. .. but outdoor work in concrete is not | Potatoes, bushel advisable after the temperature is be Potatoes, new, pk. low 45 degrees. If you have some outweather, you must keep the concrete Manitoba flour-War quality \$10 .- from freezing by heating the ingredients, using warm water and covering

PROTEIN SUPPLY FOR FOWLS

Need Some Kind of Meat-Grain Is Not Enough.

Fowls confined in close pens, yards or runs where they have little chance to get insects will need some kind of meat. Grain will not supply enough phalt-surfaced highway from Alaska protein and mineral matter for best

To supply this demand for protein tuni voting by the state of California White corn flour-Market steady, and mineral matter meat meal, meat of a bond issue of \$18,000,000,000 and scrap or tankage is generally fed. by the public interest aroused in Ore-Barley flour-Market dull, \$8.35 Laying heas especially need some of gon, Washington and British Columbia, these forms of feed. Young chickens which promises early legislation for Cornmeal-Market steady; yellow will thrive better if fed meat in some the continuation of the California high-

Kingston, June 7th. Dairy Produce. Butter, creamery, 643 Cheese, lb. Eggs, fresh, doz. . 40 2 Oleomargarine ... Cod, 1b, 10 Flounders, lb. Rye-No. 2 nominal; No. 3 nomin- Fillets, lbs Finan Haddie, Ib. Hake, 1b Haddock, fresh, lb Halibut, fresh, 1b. Herring, fresh, 1b.

Kippers. doz... .. Tilefish, lb. Trout, salmon, 1b. White fish, lb.v. . Apples, doz. 30 Pineapples, each - 20 Peaches, doz. . . .

Strawberries . . . Buckwheat, bush . Corn meal, cwt. Corp, yellow feed bush Flour, Govt, stan-Hay baled, ton .. 14.00 May, loose, ton . . 13.00 15.00 Oats, Man., bush 1.05 Oats, local, bush . 1.00 10,00

| waeat, local, bush. | | 2.40 |
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| Meat | ts. | MARK STATE |
| Beef- | | |
| Cuts, 1b | 25 | 40 |
| Western carcase lb | 23 | 25 |
| Western fronts, 1b. | | 20 |
| Western hinds, 1b. | 25 | 283 |
| Local errease lb | 21 | 22 |
| Local fronts, 1b. | 19 | 20 |
| Leeal hinds, lb | 23 | 28 |
| Hogs, live, cwt | | 20.00 |
| | | AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN 1 |
| Hogs, dressed, cwt. | | 28.00 |
| Lamb, lb | 1000000000 | 321 |
| Mutton | | 30 |
| Veal, hinds, | 20 | 25 |
| Veal, fronts | 15 | 18 |
| | APISSO | |
| | | |
| Poultry | * | |
| Children Assessed | MAINING BUILDING | |

Hides, Furs, Etc. Red Foxes, Prime No. 1, up to .. Hides, beef, lb, .. up to

Lamb skins, fresh Veal Skins, lb. .. Deacon skins, No 1 Cross Fox, up to . Lynx, up to Marten, up to ... Wolf, up to Badger, up to ... Weasel, up to ... Vegetables.

Asparagus, bunch.

HIGHWAY ON PACIFIC COAST Dream Is for Macadamized, Asphalt-

Burfaced Road From Alaska

South to Panama. Good road advocates should turn their eyes upon the Pacific coast states, where their hobby is reaching a develpment nowhere else approximated in the United States. The dream of the Pacific coast is for a macadamized, assouth to the Panama canal. The rendiration of the project so far is the ac-

Rye-Market weaker; No. 2 west-

The Kingston Market | Waeds Are Difficult to Eradicate, as They Have Underground Stems-Mow and Plow.

Canadian thistle and sow thistle are hard to kill, as they have underground stems from which new plants are sout given the right conditions will form a



cation is to mow the plants, then plow them under and disk the land as often as new shoots appear. Keeping the top from growing will in time kill the roots and underground stems. Growing a crop of corn in hills and cultivating thoroughly both ways and hand-hoeing the hills is another way of eradication. Getting rid of the patches of Canada thistle and sow thistle now will save a lot of work a little later.

MOST EFFECTIVE ROAD TOOL

Drag Can Be Used in Maintaining Public Highways-They Are Easily and Cheaply Made.

The most effective tool which can be used in the maintenance of earth roads is the road drag. The first drags were made more than 50 years ago, but it is only during the last few years that they have come into general use. They are easily and cheaply made, easily operated and accomplish wonders if road in the state of Texas should be maintained with a drag, and if the time and money wasted under the presntysystem of "working the roads" ms does not mean that all time and in dragging the roads, our states would have some of the best earth oads in America.

Farmer Should Provide Feed for Horses, Sheep, Cows and Other Stock-Plan is Outlined.

The farmer who raises horses and tended to, with some kind of power and a modern straw cutter in the should be cut up quite fine and fed. | vestment institutions in the country. Fed in this way, the stock eats up al- with a paid-up capital of \$6,000.000 most all the straw, and the grain en- | and surplus assets of nearly \$11.

DRESSED WEIGHT OF SWINE

shown by Experiments That Animals | Securities Corporation for 99.17. Average 76.44 Per Cent Fasted Live Weight

shown that the dressed weight of hogs | military use. is on an average of 76.44 per cent | fasted live weight.

concentrated fat-producing feeds the Matheson. dressed weight may be 80 per cent of the live weight. On this estimate the GOOD SEEDBED FOR ALFALFA blood constitutes 2.5 to 3 per cent of the live weight; the liver, 1.3 to 1.5 Preparations Should Begin Year Beper cent; heart, 2 per cent; stomach and contents, 4.5 to 5 per cent; intestines, 6.5 to 8 per cent; kldneys, 3 per cent; spleen, 1 per cent; intestinal fat, I to 2 per cent; kidney fat, 4 to 4.5 per cent.

PREPARING NOW FOR SPRING

Winter is Good Time to Rig Up Sev eral Three and Four-Horse Eveners on implements.

In view of the probable shortage of form labor next spring, now is a timely eccasion to rig up several three and four-horse eveners to be used on the farm implements. One man with a four-horse team will do almost as much work in preparing the spring seedbed as two men, each using a twohorse team.

Hus Resulted in More Careful Study clean and strong. of its Possibilities as Food for All Farm Animale.

careful study of its possibilities as a -just so you get it into the moist food for all classes of live stock. For- dirt. merly it was used primarily as a cattle fend, but now it is used as a feed for forses, swine and sheep.

Government to Build Factory at Cost of Several

BIG PLANT FOR

Washington, June 7 .- The Govrument is to build a gigantic plant for the Midvale Steel Company. The plant will be erected at a cost of several million dollars, and will be devoted to the manufacture of 16inch howitzers. The location was not divulged.

MIDVALE STEEL

On Imperial Oil Board. Toronto, June 7 .- Walter H. Teagle, president of the Standard up. A plece of this stem if cut off and Oil Company, of New Jersey, and Hon. W. J. Hanna, president of the new plant. The first step in the eradi- Imperial Oil Company, are here. There was a meeting of the directors of the Imperial Oil Company, and Sir Edmund Osler was elected to the board. He succeeds the late T. H. Smallman.

Big Motor Dividend. New York, June 7.-The Nash Motors Company, which is relatively a new participant in the automobile manufacturing field, in its present form, has declared a dividend of \$15 a share, payable May 31st, to stock of record May 20th. Good earnings are indicated by the size of the disbursement and emphasized by the fact that an initial disbursement of \$6 a share was made on February 1st. The company was incorporated in July, 1916, and took over the business of the Thomas B. Jeffery

Outlook For Higher Prices. Montreal, June 7 .- Approximate-\$15,000,000 will be disbursed in G. E. HAGUE, interest when the first coupon of the Victory Bonds is cashed on June 1st next. The May number of the Greenshields Review suggests that helders of the bonds capitalize their interest by reinvesting their coupons in additional bonds, with advantage to themseives and their country. As to the personal advantage the Ra-

"We have stated many times for belief that in a comparatively short time after the end of the war Victory Bonds should sell at a substantial premium. Cycles of business activity and business depression high money rates and low money rates, have succeeded one another with mathematical certainty. We are now in a period of high money rates and consequently of low security prices. When the pendulum swings the other way a strate rise in the market valuation of fictory

Bonds is a certainty. "As a precedent for what Canadian investors may expect we would cite an interesting example from one of the war loans of the American Civil War. In 1862 the United States Government sold \$515,000,-900 6 per cent., five to twenty-year bonds at par. In 1869, seven years after the issue was sold and four properly used. Every mile of earth | years after the end of the war, these bonds sold as high as 125 1-4."

Commercial Notes. An increase of the capital stock of the Massey-Harris Company, Ltd., noney so spent are wasted) were used Toronto, from \$15,000,00 to \$25,-000,000 is provided for in additional etters patent issued.

T. Ashley Sparks. American director of Cunard Steamship Company, is to be director of British GROW LARGE CROPS OF OATS | Ministry of Shipping in the United States, succeeding Sir Connon Cuthrie, appointed special representative of the Ministry of Shipping in the

United States. The annual pamphlet statement of the Illinois Traction Company, covering all the subsidiary companies, sheep, feeds dairy cows and fattens for the year ending December 31st, beef cattle, annually should grow slows total gross earnings of \$14.large crops of oats. They should get | 040,870 compared with \$12,56% .ripe enough to be cut and bound by 447 in 7916. Operating expenses, the binder, so when dried out in the including taxes advanced from \$7,shock the sheaves will not mold when | 489,197 to \$9,149,176, resulting in stored in the barn. These things at- a drop in het from operation from \$5,076,649 to \$4,891,694, a dec:ease of \$174,955.

The Canada Permanent Mortgage barn, the entire crop, as needed, Corporation, one of the largest in-190,000, has absorbed the Oxford Dermanent Loan and Savings Society of Woodstock.

The Lincoln County bond issue of \$150,000 was sold to the Dominion U.S. (Federal action is expected to he taken soon to stop the gambling in piece goods, which is boosting be-A number of experiments have youd all reasonable levels the price of cloth the Government needs for

A stock company will be formed to carry on the operation of the Croesus When hogs are fed corn or other mine, in Munro Township, near

fore Planting-Keep Soil Well Cultivated.

In preparing the seed bed for alfalfa you should begin a year or two before you wish to seed by planting a cultivated crop, keeping the ground well cultivated and free from weeds. Corn is a good crop to precede alfalfa.

The critical period of alfaifa is the first six weeks of the life of the plant. The ground should be plowed early and deep. It should be free from weeds and as free as possible from weed seed. It should be well tilled, but firm up to the surface when seeded. Fall seeding in September without a nurse crop is considered the surest method to follow. However, if there is not a favorable senson and sufficient moisture in the fall, you may sow at corn or cotton planting time in the spring. From 12 to 15 pounds of seed per acre is ample if the seed is

When it is sown with a grain drill attachment, on well-prepared seed bed. and when sown carefully and not too The rapid increase in the production deep, from 10 to 12 pounds of seed is of alfalfa in the United States during quite sufficient. The seed is small recent years has resulted in a more and does not need to be sown too deep

> Some men acrer do things by halves. They go out to have a tooth filled, and come back full all over.



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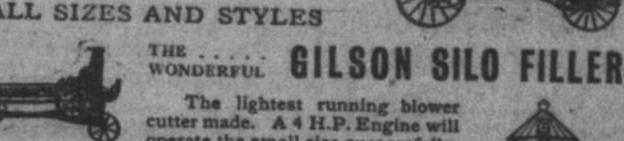
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