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Commercial

PRODUCE

Messrs. Donald Reid and Co., report as follows:—

We held our weekly auction sale of grain and produce at our stores on Monday. There was a fair attendance of buyers, who bid well up to valuations for any lots of produce in demand. Lines which were out of favor had no competition, and had to be passed in. Values ruled as under:—

Oats.—The first of the new season's crop is now coming forward, and in point of condition and color most of the lines to hand are the best we have seen for some years. A few samples are not quite so well filled as buyers would like, but among the deliveries to date these are exceptions. There is fair inquiry for immediate and forward delivery, and considerable sales have been effected at quotations. Quotations: Prime milling, 2s 3d; good to best feed, 2s 1½d to 2s 2½d; inferior to medium, 2s to 2s 1d per bushel (sacks extra).

Wheat.—Stocks of old wheat are now practically exhausted, and millers' attention is being directed to the new crop. Nearly all samples of this season's wheat are in the best of condition, and sales of Taieri wheat have been effected at prices which compare well with northern quotations. Fowl wheat is scarce, and still commands prices somewhat in advance of milling quotations. Quotations: Prime old wheat, 4s 6d to 4s 7d; new Tuscan and velvet, 4s 5d to 4s 6d; medium, 4s 3d to 4s 4½d per bushel (sacks extra).

Chaff.—Prime old oaten sheaf is scarce, and has good inquiry at £3 15s to £4 2s 6d per ton; medium, at £3 5s to £3 10s. New chaff is more plentiful, and moves off slowly. A few choice lots have realised £3 10s, but most consignments are difficult to quit beyond £3 to £3 5s; medium, £2 10s to £2 15s per ton (sacks extra).

Straw.—Quotations: Oaten, 45s to 47s 6d; wheaten, 42s 6d to 45s per ton (pressed).

Messrs. Stronach, Morris, and Co. report:—

Oats.—The new oats are coming forward in fair quantities, being in good condition as regards color. There is fair inquiry, and considerable sales have been effected at quotations. Prime milling, 2s 3d; good to best feed, 2s 1½d to 2s 2½d; inferior to medium, 2s to 2s 1d per bushel (sacks extra).

Wheat.—There is very little old wheat about, and new crop is engaging the attention of millers. Large quantities are offering from the north, and values may be quoted at from 4s 5d to 4s 6d delivered Dunedin for best quality. Fowl wheat is still in good demand, and sells slightly higher than milling wheat. Quotations: Prime old wheat, 4s 6d to 4s 7d; new Tuscan and velvet, 4s 5d to 4s 6d; fowl wheat, 4s 6d to 4s 7d per bushel (sacks extra).

Chaff.—There is very little old chaff about, and has good inquiry at from £3 10s to £4 per ton. There is a large quantity of new chaff about, which is slow of sale. Prime old oaten chaff, £3 10s to £4 2s 6d; medium to good, £3 5s to £3 12s 6d; best new, £3 to £3 5s; medium to good, £2 10s to £2 15s; inferior and heated, £2 to £2 7s 6d per ton (bags extra).

Potatoes.—There is a fair inquiry and the market is fairly well supplied, freshly dug lots meeting with ready sale. Best, £5 15s to £6; medium to good, £5 to £5 10s per ton (bags in).

Pressed Straw.—Quotations: Oaten, £2 5s to £2 7s 6d; wheaten, £2 2s 6d to £2 5s per ton.

WOOL

Messrs. Stronach, Morris, and Co. report:—

Rabbitskins.—We held our last sale on the 5th inst., when small catalogues were submitted all round.

Best winter does brought up to 16½d; good, 12½d to 14½d; medium, 9d to 11½d; best summers, 6½d to 7½d; autumns, 9d to 10d; spring bucks, to 9½d and spring does to 7d; small, 4½d to 6d. Horse hair, 15d to 18d.

Hides.—We held our usual sale on Thursday, 6th inst., when we submitted a medium catalogue of 389 to an average attendance of buyers. Heavy ox sold at late rates, medium weight higher by ½d to ¾d per lb; cow hides, all weights, showed an advance of ¼d per lb. Quotations: Prime stout heavy ox hides, 6½d to 7½d; good heavy, 5½d to 6½d; medium, 4½d to 6d; light weight, 4d to 4½d; inferior and staggy, 1d to 3d; best heavy cow hides, 3½d to 4½d; medium, 4d to 4½d; light weight, 4d to 4½d; inferior, ¾d to 3d; yearlings, 1½d to 4½d; calfskins, 1d to 5½d per lb.

Tallow and Fat.—Prime tallow brings from 22s to 24s; medium to good, 18s to 21s; inferior, 14s to 15s 6d; best rough fat, 15s 6d to 19s 6d; medium to good, 12s to 13s 6d per cwt.

LIVE STOCK

DUNEDIN HORSE SALEYARDS,

Messrs. Wright, Stephenson, and Co., report as follows:—

The horses forward for last Saturday's sale were not numerous, and none of them were first-class. There was the usual attendance of town carriers and contractors, but farmers were very poorly represented, the reason no doubt being that they are too busy in the harvest fields at the present time. Owing to the poor selection the demand was slack, and sales were most difficult to effect. Still several horses changed hands at full values. We had several buyers in the yard for first-class heavy young draughts, also for spring-carters, but as our entry did not include anything suitable for their requirements they are still in the market. Heavy young cart geldings are very scarce, and any first-class horses coming forward meet a good market and realise full rates. We quote:—Superior young draught geldings at from £45 to £50; extra good do (prize-winners), at from £50 to £55; superior young draught mares at from £50 to £60; medium draught mares and geldings, at from £30 to £40; aged do, at from £15 to £20; well-matched carriage pairs, at from £70 to £100; strong spring-van horses, at from £25 to £30; milk-cart and butchers' order-cart horses, at from £18 to £25; light hacks, at from £8 to £13; extra good hacks and harness horses, at from £13 to £25; weedy and aged do, at from £5 to £7.

Late Burnside Stock Report

Sheep.—1200 penned. Prime wethers brought better prices than those ruling last week. Extra prime wethers, 20s to 22s; good, 17s to 18s 6d; light, 14s to 17s; extra prime ewes, 22s 9d; good, 14s to 15s; medium, 10s to 13s 0d. There were some store sheep for which there was no inquiry, and which were sold at from 3s to 6s 9d.

Lambs.—There was a fair yarding, 1342 being penned. There was fair competition, and there was an advance on prices ruling at last sale. Prime lambs 15s 6d to 17s 9d; good, 13s 9d to 14s 2d; fair, 10s 6d to 12s 6d.

Fat Cattle.—There was a medium yarding of 142. Prices for prime beef were slightly better than those ruling last week, but inferior sorts were lower. Best bullocks, £3 to £9 12s 6d; medium, £5 to £7 10s; light, £3 to £4 10s. Stores sold at about last week's rates. Best, £3 7s 6d to £4 2s 6d; medium, £2 7s 6d to £3 5s; inferior, £1 15s to £2 5s.

Pigs.—150 forward. Young pigs were sold at from 2s to 4s below last week's rates, and porkers and baconers were slightly easier. Suckers, 13s to 15s 6d; slips, 17s to 18s 6d; stores, 20s to 25s; porkers, 33s to 38s; light baconers, 43s to 46s; heavy do, 46s to 54s.

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