## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

**LESSON IV.—JAN. 28, 1912.**

**The Presentation in the Temple.—Luke 2: 22-**

Commentary.—I. Jesus presented in the temple (vs. 22-24.) According to the Mosaic law (Lev. 12) Mary went to the temple forty days after the birth of Jesus, that she might be made ceremonially clean and have a place in the congregation of Israel. The sacrifice on such an occasion was a yearling lamb and a young pigeon or a turtle dove, but the law provided that, if one could not afford a lamb, two young pigeons or two turtle doves would be accepted. Mary's poverty was such as to requires her to bring two birds as her sacrifice. Another reason for the visit of Joseph and Mary with Jesus to the temple at this time was to present him to the Lord. According to law every first-born son was holy to the Lord, that is, it was originally designed that he should be the priest of the family, but the tribe of Levi was chosen instead, and the first-born son was to be presented before the Lord and redeemed at the price of five shekels, or about three dollars. Jesus was thus redeemed.

II. A devoted saint (vs. 25-28.) 25. Simeon—The same as Simon. It was not an uncommon name among the Jews. Some have supposed that Simeon was the father of Gameliel, but there is nothing definitely known about him beyond what is here recorded. Just—"Righteous."—R. V. HMe was careful in his observance of the law and just with his fellow men. Devout—He had an inward religious life. He was devoted to God and he loved him and worshipped him from the heart. Waiting for the consolation of Israel—"May I see the consolation of Israel!" was a common Jewish formula, and a prayer for the advent of the Messiah was daily used. —Farrar. Simeon was waiting, not listlessly and idly, but devotedly, prayerfully, trustingly, and at the same time actively engaged in the service of the Lord. Israel's consolation was to be in the promised Messiah. The Holy Ghost was upon him—He was fully devoted to God and enjoyed that purity of heart that is brought about by the operation of the Holy Spirit. Alford says, "Simeon possessed that higher form of spiritual life expressed in the earliest day by "walking with God." 26. Was revealed unto him by the Holy Ghost—He had an express communication from God concerning the subject.—Clarke.

27. Came by the Spirit into the temple—The Spirit led the holy man into the temple at the time that Jesus was being brought. The mature saint and the young Messiah met, and the venerable representative of the old law did profound homage to the infant and divine founder of the new gospel.—Whedon. Simeon went often to the temple, but on this occasion he was especially directed and probably at a time when he would not ordinarily have been there. The Spirit was in him and he was led by the Spirit. After the custom of the law—To present him before the Lord and to redeem him. This is explained under verses 22-24. Then took he him up —As Simeon had been divinely directed to the temple, so he was divinely enabled to recognize the infant Messiah.

III. Simeon's prophecy (vs. 29-35.) 29. Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart—The word "Lord" is here used in the sense of "master' to correspond with the word "servant." The song of Simeon in an expression of his supreme satisfaction in realizing his highest hopes. He was ready to depart since he had seen the Lord. "Though Simeon," says Clarke, "means his death, yet the thing itself is not mentioned; for death has not only lost its sting, but its name also, to those who have, even by faith, seen the Lord's anointed." According to thy word—The promise is mentioned in verse 26, and is now fulfilled. 30. Mine eyes have seen the salvation—Simeon had literally seen the infant Saviour. The word rendered "salvation" includes, not the Messiah only, but the whole plan for the deliverance of the world from the dominion of Satan. He saw Christ, and, seeing him, he saw the fulfilment of the prophecies pertaining to his nature and his work. Jesus brought the news and promise of salvation, he made an atonement for sin, he invites all to obtain salvation and he works out the salvation in us by the operation of the Holy Spirit.

31. Which thou hast prepared—In Rev. xiii. 8 we read of "the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world." The plan of salvation was a long time in unfolding as men view it. The system of sacrifices of the patriarchs and of the Mosaic law, together with the various rites and ceremonies, pointed to "the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sins of the world" (John i. 29). The salvation mentioned was rapidly appearing. Both John, the forerunner, and Christ, the Saviour, had appeared and had been recognized in their respective offices. Before the face of all people—In the presence of the people, publicly. 32. To lighten the Gentiles—The prophecies concerning Christ represent His as coming to bring salvation to all nations. See Psa. xcviii. 2, 3; Isa. xlii. 6, xlix. 6. The covering that enveloped the Gentiles is taken away in Christ (Isa. xxv. 7). The glory of Thy people Israel—Christ would be to the true Israel a glorious fulfilment of their hopes and desires. He first came to them, but His mission included the entire world.

33. Marvelled—Joseph and Mary had many things already kept in their hearts, and Simeon's prophecy added still more to their astonishment. They must have been convinced that in Jesus the prophecies were being fulfilled. 34. Blessed them—Pronounced a blessing upon them. Is set—Is placed, or fixed. The figure is that of a stone over which some stumble and fall and others rise. "Christ is the test by faith in whom men shall rise or fall by unbelief. The Jewish nation fell; the apostles, the primitive church, the believing Gentiles rose."—Whedon. Sign ..... spoken against—Christ has always been shone against and His true followers share in His reproach. 35. A sword—With all the blessing and honor that came to Mary there came also bitter sorrow and distress. Thought ..... revealed—In the acceptance or rejection of Christ would be disclosed the attitude of heart of those whom He came to save.

IV. Anna the prophetess (vs. 36-39). 36. Anna, a prophetess—Some think that she was rather an instructor in holy things than one who foretold future events, but it is clear that she gave a propheey regarding the work of Christ (v. 38). Aser—The tribe of Asher is lost to history, but there were individuals of that tribe that joined with Judah in the great Passover of Hezekiah (II. Chron. xxx, 1-11). Great age—Eighty-four years (v. 37). 37. Served God—She was constant in her attendance upon the temple services and hours of prayer. It is very probable that she was permitted on account of her age and piety to occupy one of the chambers of the women's court. She was constant in prayer and fasting. 38. Gave thanks likewise—Her faith, piety and devotion, through the illumination of the Holy Spirit, enabled her instantly to recognize the infant Christ, and she had no hesitancy in declaring His Messiahship. 39. Between the events of verse 38 and this come the visit of the wise men, the decree of Herod, the flight into Egypt and the return.

Questions.—What is the meaning of the name Jesus? At what age was Jesus presented in the temple? Who was Simeon? What four things are said about his religious character? What revelation had he received from God? How did he recognize the child Jesus? What prophecy did he utter regarding Christ? Regarding Mary? Who was Anna? What did she do when he saw the child?

PRACTICAL SURVEY.

Topic—Spiritual illumination.

I. Was granted unto Simeon.

II. Was bestowed on Anna.

I. Was granted unto Simeon. We have a very short biography of Simeon, giving a concise and exact amount of the whole man, his name, his abode, his character, his faith and his spiritual standing. His devout spirit adorned his justice and his just spirit strengthened his devotion. He was just in his character before men and devout in his character before God. In him we have a lesson of trust of New Testament believer. His song is the last note of the psalmody of the Old Testament. This song gives us a glimpse of the man himself, for in it his habitual beliefs, convictions and hopes rise to their highest and most confident expression. Simeon combined the three characteristics of the Old Testament piety, justice, fear of God and longing expectancy. The Holy Spirit was upon him, and by that same Spirit the divine answer to his heart's longing was communicated unto him. All the expectation, desire, hope and assurance of better things, which have moved the heart of man, seemed to have been embodied in the waiting Simeon. The hymn is a thanksgiving for spiritual blessings; for a divine light, which had been planted in the soul and which had some to its meridan after much patience and long waiting. Simeon saw not only the Savior, the author of salvation, but with the prophet's eye, he saw salvation accomplished and so regarded the infant Jesus as the pledge of an accomplished fact. It was the whole of mankind that Simeon gave as a retinue to the child which he held in his arms. It has been observed that by the side of every humiliation connected with the humanity of the Messiah, the glory of his divinity was also made to shine forth. After having declared the faithfulness of God to himself, in causing him to behold Christ, Simeon next celebrated the mercy of God in bestowing his invaluable gift of a Saviour upon the whole world. After speaking in gratitude to God, Simeon spoke sympathetically to the wondering Joseph and Mary. To the prophecies which Simeon addressed to Mary concerning her divine Son he added one relating to herself. He gave a hint of Gethsemane and of Calvary, the first announcement that the way of the holy child must be the way of sorrow, the first foreshadowing of the passion found in the New Testament. Mary's joy was too great at that moment to be destroyed by his words. It was only chastened by a shade of impending sorrow. But the youthful Mary grew inwardly older and more mature as Simeon lifted up before her the veil breaking upon the future. By her side by the shadow of sorrow she was raised from the maiden to the thoughtful woman, who kept all these things and pondered them in her heart. She had not been able to bring a lamb as an offering in the temple, but she brought the Lamb of God who was to become an offering for the whole world.

II. Was bestowed on Anna. Before the day of Pentecost was fully come, there were tokens of it in the prophetic flashes which shone out from the souls of Simeon and Anna. She had lived through the long, sad period of war, conquest and oppression which had intensified in every Jewish heart the yearning for national deliverance by the promised Messiah. Deepest in Anna's soul was the longing for the redemption promised. She dwelt not so much upon the thought of consolation as upon redemption. The seemingly hopeless exile of her own tribe, the political state of Judea, its condition, social, moral and religious, all kindled in her deep, earnest longing for the time of promised redemption. Her soul quickly caught the spiritual illumination which possessed Simeon and which was expressed in his song and prophecy. She knew to whom such news would be welcome and she devoutly declared to them the glad tidings of the Redeemer's appearance on earth in the infant Jesus.

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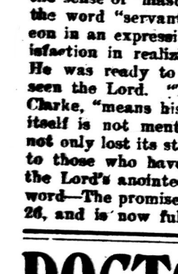
# DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

**Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**

Canifton, Ont.—"I had been a great sufferer for five years. One doctor told me it was ulcers of the uterus, and another told me it was a fibroid tumor. No one knows what I suffered. I would always be worse at certain periods, and never was regular, and the bearing-down pains were terrible. I was very ill in bed, and the doctor told me I would have to have an operation, and that I might die during the operation. I wrote to my sister about it and she advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Through personal experience I have found it the best medicine in the world for female troubles, for it has cured me, and I did not have to have the operation after all. The Compound also helped me while passing through the Change of Life."—Mrs. LETITIA BLAIR, Canifton, Ontario.



Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has proved to be the most successful remedy for curing the worst forms of female ills, including displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feelings, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, nervousness, prostration. It costs but a little to try it, and the result has



# BAD CASE OF GRIP

**Caused Sore Throat and Tonsilitis. Restored by Peruna.**

Mr. W. H. Housley.

Mr. W. H. Housley, Greenville, Tennessee, writes:

"Five years ago I took a very severe cold which resulted in la grippe. I never was so bad off. I was in bed several weeks, and when I did get up I had tonsilitis and sore throat.

"I tried to cure this for eighteen months, but it gradually got worse. A doctor advised me to have my tonsils cut out, but I did not like the idea. Another doctor examined me, and told me the same thing. I finally got a bottle of Peruna, and after I had taken one bottle my throat was better. I bought and used a dozen bottles, and saw I was going to get well, and I did."



# SUFFERED THREE YEARS

**THE Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills cured his Kidney Trouble**

There are few diseases that cause more acute suffering than Kidney Trouble, and Mr. F. A. Thomas, of Sudbury Ont., is one of those who know it. He writes:

"For over three years I suffered from kidney disease. First I thought I had sprained my back, for suddenly the pain would catch the small of my back and it would be impossible for me to straighten myself up for several minutes. A dull ache across the kidneys was always present, my urine was thick and cloudy, and passing it caused a burning, scalding pain. Tried medicines, but they failed. I was advised to try Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills, as they had cured my wife years before. A few boxes affected a complete cure. I now enjoy the blessings of good health, which is due to this remedy."

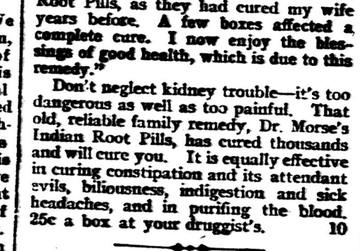
Don't neglect kidney trouble—it's too dangerous as well as too painful. That old, reliable family remedy, Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills, has cured thousands and will cure you. It is equally effective in curing constipation and its attendant evils, biliousness, indigestion and sick headaches, and in purifing the blood. 25c a box at your druggist's. 10


## NEW YORK'S DEAR BUTTER.

New York, Jan. 22.—Butter at sixty cents retail within a few days with indications that it will go higher still is prophesized by wholesalers here who profess themselves unable to supply the demand, even at a considerable premium above the present wholesale price of 42 cents. According to G. W. Martin, president of the Mercantile Exchange, ther is no agreement to keep butter off the market so as to force the price skyward, but the explanation is in the fact that the supply is exhausted.

Relief can't be expected, it is said, until the late spring. Butter is being imported from Canada to meet the hotel and cafe demand.


# Free to Boys



MECHANICAL TRAIN AND TRACKS. Including locomotive, tender, passenger coach, track making a big figure 8, with regular railroad diamond. Locomotive has strong clockwork mechanism, and crashes are lithographed in colors.

We will give this whole outfit free of all charge to any boy who will sell 40 cents of our beautiful Valentine, St. Patrick and other Postcards at 10 cents a set (six beautiful cards in each set). Send to your name, and we will send you the cards. When sold send us the money, and we will send you the train, or cash commission promptly.

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## New Year Plans For the Garden

(John Gall, Weston, Ont., in the Canadian Horticulturist.)

At this season many flower growers are laying their plans for next summer's gardens. In garden work there is a starting point, as in all other business operations, and it is impossible to succeed without beginning at this point. Start slowly; avoid extravagance; do not cultivate beyond your knowledge; begin with plants that succeed under adverse circumstances, and learn from them how to grow other and more difficult subjects. Do not think because your neighbor spends hundreds or perhaps it may be thousands upon plants annually, that it is really necessary for you to do likewise. On the contrary, bear in mind that he is the best gardener who produces the best and largest crops at the least expense.

In the beginning plan to work your soil deep, make it rich and keep it clean; then you will have made a good start; continue to keep your garden clean and you will be the winner in the race. Make up your mind to give the weeds to understand from the beginnin that your garden is not their home. Keep your soil so well worked around your plants that weeds cannot grow. This will make the plants your active, growing friends. They will be faithful to you as long as you are faithful to them.

For sowing select seeds of some of the most choice annuals, such as petunias, calendulas, zinnias, balsams, phlox, mignonette, nasturtiums, dianthus, salvia and asters. A packet of these will cost but fifty cents each. A few genuine mixed gladiolus and other bulbs will not cost much more, and all together will give you a beautiful flower garden —one that will afford much pleasure and at the same time stimulate you to greater effort.

### WHAT TO AVOID.

Do not run wild after novelties. Bear in mind that high-priced seeds, bulbs or plants to not necessarily give the most beautiful flowers or finest display. Supply and demand regulate prices. A plant that was plentiful and cheap thirty years ago may now sell at a substantial figure because of its rarity. Therefore start cheaply, buy a dozen of plants or packets of seed for a dollar instead of only one plant or one packet, and when you have become thoroughly acquainted with the culture of these, and can manage them well, you can safely indulge in some of the more expensive kinds.

Many people who take but little interest in their gardens at first, become successful and even enthusiastic over the work as they become acquainted with plants and interested in their growth. Such people soon get hobbies, which they are apt to ride at a furious rate until all out of breath. They want and will have every variety of the plant with which they are smitten. Such gardeners we find exceedingly useful; you can learn from they what not to buy—information of far greater value than to know what to buy.

The secret of success in gardening is selection, a thorough knowledge of plant and their various requirements before purchasing. Many flowers will succeed well in a given locality where others will not; therefore it is of the greatest importance to know plants and the place you have for them. You may rest assured that where grass and weeds will grow flowering plants will, provided weeds are kept down. Start cheaply but with a determination to succeed, until you know what you are able to do; then be governed by your taste and the means you have to gratify it.

### VEGETABLE JOTS.

Asparagus grows readily from seed. One ounce is sufficient for about fifty feet of drill.

It is time to begin planning the garden for next summer. Select your seeds and order early.

Peppers need a rich, sandy loam and frequent cultivation.—G. Bremner, Burlington, Ont.

In bleaching celery, care must be taken not to have more of the early crop boarded in than will be sold within two weeks. It is better to have it green when marketing it than to have it overbleached.—George Smyc.

Tomato seed should be sown in the frame about ten weeks before it is safe to set the plants in the open ground. As soon as they are large enough to handle set them out two inches apart in another frame and as they grow stronger transplant again at four inches. This produces stocky plants. Every time they are moved increases the chance for earliness.

Our tests of vegetables have proven very interesting. We now have in progress tests of thirty-three early and late varieties. Some are probably new to a considerable portion of the public, and have merit, while a large proportion appear to be well known varieties under a different name, and frequently the name is made up of a number of descroptive adjectives which are misleading. I have distinct recollection of oen variety in our test that is being sold under four names. Work of this kind is unfortunate, and something should be done to straighten out the jumble of meaningless names and place them on a basis that is reasonably accurate and reasonably scientific.—Prof. C. E. Myers, State College, Pa.

## TO STOP HEART

**Long Enough to Cure Valvular Diseases, Perhaps.**

Boston, Jan. 22.—That surgeons are looking forward to the time when it will be possible to stop the human heart long enough to cure valvular diseases, is the statement made by Dr. Maurice H. Richardson, in a discussion of "The Future" before the gathering of medical men here.

"I do not say that it can happen or will happen," he added cautiously, "but I say we are looking forward to it if surgery makes the same progress in the next fifty years that it has made in the last fifty years."

## MARKET REPORTS

### TORONTO MARKETS.

FARMERS' MARKET.

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| Dressed hogs | $ 9 00 | $ 9 50 |
| Butter, good to choice | 0 20 | 0 25 |
| Eggs, new-laid, dozen | 0 40 | 0 45 |
| Chickens, lb. | 0 17 | 0 20 |
| Ducks, lb. | 0 18 | 0 20 |
| Fowl, lb. | 0 10 | 0 12 |
| Turkeys, lb. | 0 22 | 0 25 |
| Geese, lb. | 0 16 | 0 17 |
| Apples, bbl. | 2 50 | 4 50 |
| Potatoes, bag | 1 50 | 1 60 |
| Cabbage, dozen | 0 50 | 0 60 |
| Beef, hindquarters | 11 50 | 13 50 |
| Do., forequarters | 8 00 | 9 00 |
| Do., choice, carcase | 10 25 | 11 00 |
| Do., medium, carcase | 8 50 | 9 00 |
| Veal, prime | 11 00 | 13 00 |
| Mutton, prime | 8 00 | 10 00 |
| Lamb, Spring | 12 50 | 13 50 |

SUGAR MARKET.

Sugars are quoted in Toronto, in bags, per cwt., as follows:

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| Extra granulated, St. Lawrence | $ 5 55 |
| Do., Redpath's | 5 55 |
| Do., Acadia | 5 50 |
| Imperial granulated | 5 40 |
| Beaver, granulated | 5 40 |
| No. 1 yellow St. Lawrence | 5 15 |
| Do., Redpath's | 5 15 |

In barrels, 5c per cwt. more; car lots, 5c less.

LIVE STOCK.

The market this morning is easier in practically everything. Choice cattle cannot be said to be firm and all medium and common stuff is off 15c to 25c. Sheep and lambs are a great deal easier, with prices off 25c to 35c on sheep, and 25c to 50c on lambs. The run is slightly heavier than yesterday afternoon, because some cattle that were delayed on the road yesterday have arrived to-day.

Milk cows are not in very great demand, and are not bringing first class prices. Hog prices are not any stronger and the run is also light.

Receipts show 117 cars, with 1,500 cattle, 1,300 sheep, 1,500 hogs and 295 calves.

Latest quotations:

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| Butcher cattle, choice | $ 5 [illegible] | $ 6 75 |
| Do., medium | 5 25 | 5 60 |
| Do., common | 5 00 | 5 25 |
| Butchers' cows, choice | 4 75 | 5 25 |
| Do., medium | 3 75 | 4 50 |
| Do., canners | 2 00 | 2 25 |
| Do., bulls | 4 00 | 4 25 |
| Feeding steers | 4 50 | 5 10 |
| Stockers, choice | 4 25 | 4 35 |
| Do., light | 2 80 | 3 10 |
| Milkers, choice, each | 40 00 | 65 00 |
| Springers | 40 00 | 60 00 |
| Sheep, ewes | 4 00 | 4 25 |
| Bucks and culls | 3 00 | 3 25 |
| Lambs | 6 75 | 7 40 |
| Hogs, fed and watered | 6 45 | 6 55 |

### OTHER MARKETS.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Prev. Close |
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| Wheat— | | | | | |
| May, old | 101⅝ | 101¾ | 101 | 101s | 101½ |
| May, new | 101¾ | 102¼ | 101¼ | 101¼b | 102⅜ |
| July | 101¾ | 102a | 101⅜ | 101⅜b | 101⅞ |
| Oats— | | | | | |
| | To-day. | | | | Yest. |
| May | 41¾ | | | | 42¾ |

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET.

Duluth— Wheat — No. 1 hard, $1.03 1-2; No. 1 northern, $1.04 1-2; No. 2 northern, $1.01 1-2; May, $1.04 1-2 to $1.04 5-8; July, $1.05 asked.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN.

Minneapolis — Close — Wheat — May, $1.05 3-8; July, $1.06 1-8; No. 1 hard, $1.06-7-8; No. 1 northern, $1.05 3-8; No. 2 northern, $1.03 3-8; No. 3 wheat, $1.01 3-8; Corn —No. 3 yellow, 62c to 62 1-2c. Oats—No. 3 white, 47 1-2c to 48c. Rye—No. 2, 90c. Bran—$24 to $24.50. Flour—First patents, $5.10 to $5.40; second patents, $4.70 to $5; first clears, $3.50 to $3.85; second clears, $2.40 to $2.80.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal — Oats — Canadian western, No. 2, 48c; No. 3, 45c; extra No. 1 feed, 47c; No. 2 local white, 46 1-2c; No. 3 local white, 45 1-2c; No. 4 local white, 44 1-2c; Barley—Malting, 58c to $1. Buckwheat—No. 2, 70c to 71c. Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, $5.00; seconds, $5.10; strong bakers', $4.90; winter patents, choice, $4.75 to $5; straight rollers, $4.25 to $4.40; straight rollers, bags, $1.95 to $2.05. Rolled oats—Barrels, $4.65, bags (90 lbs.), $2.20. Bran—$23. Shorts—$25. Middlings—$28. Mouillie—$28 to $34. Hay —No. 2, per ton, car lots, $15 to $15.50. Cheese—Finest westerns, 14 1-8c to 15 1-4c; finest easterns, 14 7-8c to 15c. Butter — Choicest creamery, 32c to 32 1-2c; seconds, 30c to 31c. Eggs—Fresh, 45c to 50c; selected, 33c to 34c; No. 1 stock, 23c to 30c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $1.90; Dressed hogs—Abattoir killed, $9.75 to $10; country, $9 to $9.50. Pork—Heavy Canada short mess, barrels, 35 to 45 pieces, $22.50; Canada short cut back, barrels, 45 to 55 pieces, $22. Lard—Compound tierces, 375 lbs., 8 1-4c; wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 8 3-4c; pure tierces, 375 lbs., 11 3-4c; pure, wood pails, 20 lbs., net, 12 1-4c. Beef — Plate, barrels, 200 lbs., $14.50; plate, trs., 300 lbs., $21.50.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal—At the Canadian Pacific live stock market the receipts for the week ending January 13th were 1,100 cattle, 730 sheep and lambs, 1,800 hoks and 200 calves. There was an easier feeling in the market for cattle, and prices were about 25 cents per 100 poundt lower than on Monday for the common grades on account of the supply of such being in excess of the requirements of the trade, while good to choice beeves continue scarce, and values are firmly maintained with a good demand from both butchers and packers, but they found it difficult to fill their wants, in fact there was nothing on the market to suit the latter. One or two loads of good steers and heifers were sold at $6.50 per 100 pounds, which was the top price realized for the day. There was some demand for feeding bulls, for which $3.60 per 100 pounds was paid, but the trade on the whole was slow. There was also an easier feeling on the market for milch cows, owing to the more liberal offerings. The condition of the market for small meats was unchanged, but prices for all lines being steady on account of the sma llofferings for which there was a good demand, and an active trade was done. Choice calves were scarce and wanted, a few good ones selling as high as $12 to $15 each. The t one of the market for hogs was steady, the demand being good for selected lots at $7 to $7.10, and some lots that were contracted for last week were delivered at $7.25 per 100 pounds, weighed off cars. Quotations: Butchers' cattle, common, $5.75 to $7; do., medium, $6.25 to $6.50; do., common, $3 to $4; canners, $2.50 to $3.50; butchers' cattle, choice cows, $5.35 to $5.50; feeding bulls, $3.60 to $3.75; milkers, choice, each $70 to $75; do., common and medium, each, $45 to $55; springers, $50 to $70; sheep ewes, $4.50 to $4.75; bucks and culls, $3.75 to $4.25; lambs, $6.50 to $6.75; hogs, f.o.b., $7 to $7.25; calves, $3 to $15.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Cattle—Receipts estimated at 9,000. Market—Steady.

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| Beeves | $ 4 85 | $ 8 40 |
| Texas steers | 4 40 | 5 90 |
| Western steers | 4 80 | 7 25 |
| Stockers and feeders | 3 50 | 6 00 |
| Cows and heifers | 2 10 | 6 70 |
| Calves | 6 50 | 10 00 |

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 34,000. Market—Steady to a shade lower.

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| Light | 5 75 | 6 22½ |
| Mixed | 5 90 | 6 35 |
| Heavy | 5 95 | 6 37½ |
| Rough | 5 65 | 6 10 |
| Good to choice hogs | 4 50 | 5 65 |
| Bulk of sales | 6 15 | 6 30 |

Sheep—Receipts estimated at 20,000. Market—Slow, 10c to 20c lower.

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| Native | 3 30 | 4 85 |
| Western | 3 70 | 4 80 |
| Yearlings | 5 10 | 6 00 |
| Lambs, native | 4 75 | 7 30 |
| Western | 5 25 | 7 10 |

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE.

Wheat—Spot firm. No. 2 Manitoba, 8s 5d; No. 2, Manitoba, 8s 3 1-2d; No. 3 Manitoba, 7s 10 1-2d; futures, firm; March, 7s 7 5-8d; May, 7s 5 3-4d; July, 7s 5 7-8d.

Corn—Spot firm. American mixed, new, 5s 11 1-2d; do., old, 6s 10d; futures firm; Jan., 6s; Feb., 5s 11d.

Flour—Winter patents, 28s 3d.

Hops—In London (Pacific Coast), £11 46s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., 49s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 48s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 48s; do., heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 47s 6d; short clear, to £12.

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Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 41s; American, in pails, 47s.

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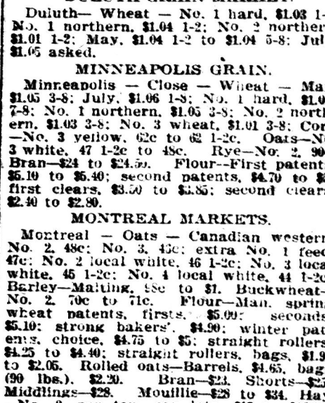
## WOMEN JURORS

**Talked Ten Men Over to Find Woman Guilty.**

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 22.— Two women jurors prevailed on ten men here last night to agree on a verdict by which a woman was convicted of assaulting a man, Mrs. Christina Molsen, who last October, attacked Superior Judge John F. Main with a horse whip, was found guilty of assault in the third degree. The maximum sentence is a fine of $500 or one year's imprisonment in jail. Judge Main was attacked following his action setting aside a verdict whereby the tenants won a suit brought against them for eviction and back rent.

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