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COMMERCIAL.

MR. HENRY DRIVER, on behalf of the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, reports as follows for the week ending November 17 :—

Fat Cattle.—A full supply of 150 head were yarded, a large proportion of them being good quality, and realised prices about equal to our late quotations. Best bullocks brought from £14 10s to £19 10s; ditto cows, from £9 10s to £14, or equal to 45s per 100lbs, for prime quality; medium do, 35s. At the yards we sold on account of Messrs. John Anderson, McDonald, Guinness, and others, 73 head, at full market rates, and have placed 30 head privately during the week.

Fat Calves.—Very few were forward. Good vealers are in request, at extreme rates.

Fat Sheep.—A full supply of 2,300 were penned, and with the exception of a prime lot of merino wethers from Hyde Home Station, consisted of good quality cross-breeds. Nearly all the lots penned found buyers at late prices, say, from 18s to 22s for best cross-breeds, and from 13s 6d to 16s for merinos. At the yards we sold 600, and have placed 1,000 privately. We quote prime cross-breeds at about 4½d per lb; merinos, 4½d.

Fat Lambs.—Only a few of inferior description were penned, which brought from 7s 6d to 10s.

Store Cattle continue in good demand, and we have during the week sold about 400 in various lots, at from £6 10s to £9 for bullocks, and £4 4s to £6 for cows. We will offer at Mosgiel, on Tuesday next, 150 head of very superior cattle, nearly all bullocks.

Store Sheep.—We have no important transactions to report.

Wool.—We have no cable advices from our London office to report this week in this market. No business has been done at present in the new clip, which is beginning to arrive in town, several parcels having reached our warehouse.

Sheepskins.—We catalogued about 1,700 skins last Thursday, which sold at full rates. Green cross-breeds at 5s 8d to 6s 1d; merinos, 5s 2d; dry skins, cross-breeds, 4s 3d to 5s 11d.

Hides continue dull. Late rates barely maintained. We sold butchers, slaughterers' green, at 21s 6d each; light to medium, 16s to 17s.

Tallow is in good demand for good sound parcels. Inferior is difficult of sale at low rates, 20s to 23s; good, 28s to 32s; shipping parcels, 34s to 36s.

Grain.—There is more demand for wheat at late rates. Market very firm at 4s 6d to 4s 8d for milling samples. Oats are still neglected, forced sales having been made as low as 1s 10d per bushel. The Melbourne market having assumed a firmer appearance, we expect to see a firmer market here. We have to-day received advice from our Melbourne office of a sale in one line of 25,000 bushels we shipped last month on growers' account, at 3s 8d per bushel.

MR. SKEENE reports for the week ending November 17 :— Affairs are very much improved in the labor market. All who are anxious to work can now get a turn of some sort, and they are the wisest who stick into the first job offered, leaving aside all previous up-bringing. The crowds of men who were out of work during the wintry weather have mostly all taken to work, but still too many hang about Dunedin heedless of all advice and warnings. Remaining about town simply means bankruptcy of purse and morals. Farm and station hands are very scarce; female servants are always welcome; couples more off now; shopmen and clerks too plentiful, and when employed, remuneration is miserable. Wages—Cooks, waiters, grooms, &c., from 25s to 40s per week; dairy and odd hands from 15s to 25s per week; house and hotel girls from £26 to £52 per year; cooks, barmaids, and housekeepers from 20s to 30s per week; ploughmen £52 to £65; shepherds from 40s to 50s per week, or £70 per year; couples £75 to £90; day labor 8s, 9s, and 10s; useful boys and girls 6s, 7s, to 10s per week; carpenters 12s to 13s per day; sheep shearers 20s per 100.