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Commercial

PRODUCE

London, May 29.—The wool sales have closed firm, with prices unchanged. The sales included the Titi clip (9½d), Mocraki (8½d), and Ruapupa (5½d).

The number of bales of wool catalogued to date is 154,500; sold for home use, 85,000; for the Continent, 51,000; for America, 6000; and held over, 12,000. Compared with March rates, superior greasy merino wool was from par to ½d higher; good, par to ½d lower; medium, ½d lower; scoured, par to ½d lower; fine greasy crossbreds, par to ½d lower; medium and coarse, ½d to 1d higher; and scoured, par to ½d lower.

LIVE STOCK

DUNEDIN HORSE SALEYARDS.

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

For last Saturday's sale the entry was only a moderate one. This was to be expected, in view of the fact that our seventeenth annual horse fair takes place on Thursday and Friday, 4th and 5th inst. The attendance of the public was good, and amongst them was a considerable number of farmers on the lookout for plough teams; but as there was nothing included in our entry suitable for their requirements, they decided to wait for our annual fair. There is a good demand for young active draught mares and geldings, also for reliable spring-van and spring-cart horses, and the prospects are good for our winter sale during show week. We quote: Superior young draught geldings, at from £45 to £50; extra good do. (prize winners), at from £50 to £55; super or 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 £35; light hacks, at from £8 to £13; extra good hacks and harness horses, at from £13 to £25; weedy and good do. at from £5 to £7.

Interprovincial

Quick work on the Pacific cable (remarks the 'Otago Daily Times'). The special representative of the 'Australian Star,' with the British football team, cabled the result of the Otago-British match on Saturday to his paper in Sydney in a fraction over a minute. The result was known in Sydney before the players left the ground.

The chamois presented by the Emperor of Austria, and liberated at Mount Cook, are said to be thriving. Mr. Steffan, an employee of the Tourist Department, saw a fine buck and doe feeding together, and a plump, strong-looking kid by them. He learned that other people had seen chamois, which, when first scenting human beings, stood quite still, but the slightest movement startled them, and they bolted 20 feet at a bound. Mr. Steffan does not think the rivers will be any hindrance to the spread of the chamois, as although they are not fond of the water, they are not afraid to swim a river. Those seen by Mr. Steffan were on the south-east of Mount Kinsey.

A peculiar clause was contained in the will of the late Mr. Donald Williamson (says the 'Ashburton

Guardian'). It provided that—should the property be sold—all the aged horses in his possession at the time of his death should be destroyed. As Mr. Williamson was known to be a man of kindly disposition, who would discountenance any ill-treatment of dumb animals, it is probable that the strange clause contained in the will was dictated by his humanity and a fear lest his old servants might, through falling into bad hands, be subjected to rough treatment if sold under the hammer. A few days ago the requirements of the will were carried out, and several of these horses were driven to the Ashburton abattoir, where they ended their existence.

'Oh, Sylvia dear, I greatly fear
You think me faithless quite,
And tho' I'm true to only you,
Perchance you may be right.'

'I own, my love, I lately swore
The beauty of your eyes
Outshone all other radiance
In earth, or sea, or skies.'

Since then, alas! the fairest eyes
Have quite outrivalled been;
I've seen the pocket sunlight
That they call Acetylene.

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The midnight skies have seen,
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