BACK TO NORMAL

Freight Traffic Here Again Down to Usual Proportions.

Freight traffic on both the G. T. R. and C. P. R. is again assuming normal proportions, and the extra quantity that had congested the sheds for the first few days of the week has been moved.

As a result of the raising of the embargoes and freight restrictions an excessive amount was released, and for a day or two taxed the hauling facilities of the roads to the utmost. The situation is gradually clearing, and by the end of the week normal conditions will exist. At this season of the year the roads usually have a larger amount of freight to handle than at any other period.

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UNREDEEMED WATCHES, DIAMONDS and jewelry to close out for cash. Julius Siskind, most liberal pawnbroker in London, 338 Richmond street.

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WILLIS & DOGGERELL, PUBLIC accountants. Audits, investigations and systems. 776 Wellington street. Phone 1949.

CITY BREVITIES

LAST INOCULATION.—Most of the men of the 160th Battalion are being given their third and last inoculation against typhoid fever today.

VICE-PRESIDENT IN CITY.—Vice-President George Bury of the C. P. R. passed through the city last night in his official car en route Montreal to Chicago.

WILL MEET TONIGHT.—A special meeting of the voluntary aid committee of the Returned Soldiers' commission, will be held at the city hall tonight. All returned soldiers are invited to attend.

DIED IN CALIFORNIA.—F. C. Tomb of 301 Central avenue received word yesterday that his sister, Miss Eliza J. Tomb, had died suddenly on Tuesday at Los Angeles, Cal.

BUILDING PERMITS.—Permits have been issued by Building Inspector A. M. Piper to J. M. Kearney for a story-and-half frame house on Cummins' Place, to cost $1,600, and to T. F. Kingsmill Jun for a garage on Albert street, costing $3,200.

SPECIAL MEETING.—A special meeting of the Lord Roberts Chapter, Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire, is called for Friday at 2:30 o'clock in Cronyn Hall to discuss important business. All members have been urged by the regent to attend.

MRS. GRAHAM RECOVERING.—The condition of Mrs. (Rev.) Archibald Graham, wife of the chaplain of the 135th Battalion, who was injured in a fall at her home on Sunday evening, is reported as quite satisfactory. Absolute rest and quietness, the hospital authorities claim, will result in her recovery in a short time.

BACK FROM GUILD MEETING.—Chas. E. Wheeler and F. G. Killmaster attended the council meeting of the Canadian Guild of Organists at Toronto on Tuesday and Wednesday. The council, they report, was one of the most successful held, and the condition of the guild proved to be good in spite of the war.

WAS ST. JOHN'S CHOIR.—In the report of the North End Auxiliary of the Red Cross Society appearing on Wednesday, it was stated that the choir of St. James' Church was supporting two Canadian prisoners of war. This should have been credited to the choir of the Church of St. John the Evangelist.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT C. P. R. ARRIVES.—H. G. Smith, formerly district superintendent of the C. P. R. at Sudbury, has been transferred to London district, to replace Former Superintendent Thomas Collins, who has been transferred to Toronto. Superintendent Smith assumed the duties of his new office today.

FIRST OFFICIAL VISIT.—Right Wor. Bro. Dr. Ziegler, D. D. G. M. for London District, No. 3, paid his first official visit last evening to the Harrietsville Masonic Lodge. After the degree work was over, a banquet was provided at which speeches were delivered by Dr. Ziegler, S. Frank Glass, M. P., Thomas Baker, and Whit Lancaster, London, and others.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

FUNERAL OF ABSALOM PETERS.

The funeral of Absalom Peters, who died on Tuesday, was held this afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Smith, Son & Clarke. The services were conducted by Rev. Louis Barber. Interment was made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

INFANT'S DEATH.

The death occurred Wednesday of John Edward Ings, the infant son of Charles E. S. Ings of 66 Jacqueline street, Chelsea Green. He had been ill but a short time.

The funeral will be held on Friday from the parents' residence to Woodland Cemetery.

MRS. (DR.) GRAHAM.

The death of Mrs. Isabelle Graham, wife of Dr. Angus Graham of 510 King street, occurred this morning at her residence. She was born in Thamesford and had lived in London for fifteen years.

The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. The services will be conducted at her late residence, at 2 o'clock, by Rev. D. C. MacGregor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Interment will take place at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

TEACHERS ON ALERT

Are Watching for Symptoms of Infantile Paralysis.

No new cases of infantile paralysis have developed within the last 48 hours and no suspected cases have been reported. The teachers in all the city schools are using the greatest precautionary measures, and every effort will be made to detect any further cases that might develop before the disease should get beyond the primary stage.

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FIRST LINE TRENCHES

tive part in the recent actions on the Somme front, says the French official statement. In air fights yesterday, two German machines were brought down by French pilots and four other German aeroplanes were forced to descend in a damaged condition. The text of the statement reporting the aeroplane activity says:

"Aviation: Our air service took an active part in the actions of the past few days on the Somme front, watching the movements of enemy infantry, carrying out bombardments in the rear of the German lines and attacking with machine guns troops on the march. Our machines, armed with guns, repeatedly bombarded the enemy trenches.

"During air fights which took place yesterday, two machines were brought down by our pilots. One fell in the direction of Gueudecourt, and the other in the neighborhood of Brie-en-Santerre. Four other German machines were forced to descend damaged."

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HUN SOCIALISTS

ject will never be realized, not even though the war lasts thirty years. Prolongation of the war will only plunge us into deeper misery.

"The Berlin Post says: The recall of Von Falkenhayn is equivalent to an admission by Germany the defeat suffered at Verdun, an admission which comes more than six months after the beginning of this gigantic adventure. It was said that Falkenhayn would be fully justified in the sacrifice of half a million men if he could capture Verdun. He has lost the elite of the imperial army, and now Verdun represents a military defeat, the consequences of which are now seen in Northern France, in Russia, in the Trentino, and on the Isonzo. It further constitutes a moral defeat of which the reaction is at this moment felt severely in the Balkans."

CHURCHES READY TO GO TO HIGH COURTS OVER GARBAGE TAX

Appeal to Legislature Also Pending.

CALL BILLS INJUSTICE

Ministers Say City Wants Too Much Money for Service.

Unless exemption is given the churches from the garbage tax or taxation imposed on what, the churches say, should be a more reasonable basis, it is understood the question will be taken by the Ministerial Alliance of the city to a higher court than any local one. The city has backed Tax Collector George W. Hayes and City Solicitor Meredith has been instructed to take the case to the courts for the city.

Very Rev. Dean Davis, convener of the Ministerial Alliance committee appointed to take action in regard to the "garbage tax nuisance," stated that a meeting is to be called as soon as it is possible to get the committee together. The majority of the members have been holidaying, and up to noon today it had not been possible to locate them all.

Rev. W. R. McIntosh, who was convener of the committee last year, objects particularly to the "manifest injustice" of the rate of taxation in the case of the churches.

"The tax," he stated, "is fixed on a percentage basis on the value of the property. The tax imposed on such a church, say as St. Andrew's, is enormous, something like $120 for last year when eight or ten dollars would remove all the ashes and other refuse accumulated on the property in a year. The tax on St. Paul's Cathedral is still more, and, if I remember correctly, it is between $90 and $100 on the First Methodist Church.

This Is Only Taxing City.

"London is the only city in which the local or provincial authorities have not provided relief. We protested to both the tax board and the council last year, paying our taxes under protest. We expected our protests of last year would bring some results this year, but that seems too much to expect from London. It appears that the powers that be are determined to force through the matter and collect the tax from the churches.

"London evidently needs money and thinks the churches are in a position to pay it.

"When they have failed locally, churches in other cities have obtained relief through taking the question to the provincial legislature, and getting special legislation. If other cities can do this, why shouldn't we The point is, there is no getting at the Legislature until the time is past for paying in this year's taxes. The petition would have to be included in the city of London bill for presentation to the Legislature at next session.

Doing It Under Protest.

"In the meantime it looks as if we may be obliged to pay the tax, and the whole tax this year again—but under protest.

"When Dean Davis gets the committee together, some plan of action will be decided upon."

WATCHING RIVER FOR BODY OF MISSING WOMAN

Relatives of Miss Rose Smith Have No Trace of Her Since Her Disappearance.

The mysterious disappearance of Miss Rose Smith of 193 Clarence street yet remains unsolved, and no information has been learned regarding her since she left her home mysteriously a week ago last Saturday morning.

Relatives who believe that she has been drowned in the Thames at Springbank search the river in that neighborhood every day. If drowned, her body should have arisen to the surface by this time and for that reason a search is being made every day now along the river bank.

When last seen she was noticed by Engineer McCormick at the pumphouse, but since then no trace has been found.

Firemen dragged the river in the vicinity, but failed to locate or get any trace of the body.

TRIAL ON TODAY

Glencoe Burglary Suspects Appearing in Chatham.

The trial of Orville Ellis and Frank Smith, charged with burglary, is being held at Chatham today. The pair were arrested on informaton furnished by High Constable B. W. Watterworth, following the burglary of two stores at Glencoe two weeks ago, they having been suspected of the crime.

The county authorities here will take no action save in the event of the pair's acquittal at Chatham on the charges against them there.

In that case they will be held for the Middlesex police, who will lay a charge of burglary against them and will have them taken to Glencoe for trial.

IN POLICE COURT

One Per Minute.

Four drunks in police court this morning took exactly four minutes of Police Magistrate Judd's time to dispose of.

Anticipated Dry Spell.

J. H. stated that he had not been drunk for six months and thought he would like to enjoy the sensation just once more before prohibition became effective.

"Away you go, then," said the magistrate.

Pre-Enlistment Jag.

J. H., the second one, same initials but as much different from the first as he could possibly be, said he had decided to enlist, and had got "one farewell jag" before he joined the army.

Promising to get right into uniform he was released.

Back To the Farm.

R. B., who has been so busy all summer in the country that he, too, had kept away from the "booze" for some months, was told to get "back to the farm," which he promised to do.

"Just For Fun."

R. G. was the last on the list.

"What did you get drunk for?" asked his worship.

"Just for fun," replied the prisoner.

"A good excuse, of course, so I guess I might as well make a clean sweep this morning, so I'll let you go for this time, but don't come back again," said the magistrate, as he disposed of the fourth and last at the rate of one a minute.

CONFERENCE TO SETTLE AUDIT FOR COMMISSION

Duplication of Duties Seems Assured Without Settlement.

The question of appointing W. M. Dunlop, newly-appointed auditor for the city council, as auditor for the utilities commission, will be discussed shortly, although it is not likely to come up at the meeting of the commission this afternoon.

Chairman Philip Pocock is against the proposition, and will not support it.

The council will probably insist that the city auditor audit the books of the commission. The aldermen will insist, as is their right, that the books of the commission be audited by the city auditor. If the commission engages another auditor, the expense will be duplicated, and a considerable sum of money of the citizens wasted in unnecessary work.

Mr. Pocock is strong for ex-City Auditor Frank G. Jewell, and considers that he should be auditor both for the city and for the commission. However, the council has named another, and is equally as insistent that he do the whole work. There is the possibility of a conference to decide the matter.

RESISTS ARREST; BEATS UP OFFICER

Pte. Smuck of 135th Take at Home at Belmont.

Charged with absence without leave, and a further charge to be registered of resisting arrest, Colin Smuck, a member of the 135th Battalion, was brought into the city from Belmont today.

Smuck's home is at Belmont, and he had remained at his home because of his dislike to Camp Borden and conditions there. A military plain clothes policeman located Smuck and arranged to have an escort come from the city to take Smuck to military headquarters. As the escort failed to arrive, the officer in plainclothes took upon himself the responsibility of arresting Smuck.

Smuck, it is alleged, resisted arrest, and in the melee that followed, the officer got his face somewhat disfigured.

Smuck was finally arrested and was brought into the city, arriving here in company of the officer about 3 o'clock this afternoon.

SUMMER HEAT TODAY

Temperature of 89.5 Degrees Registered at South London Observatory.

The weather prophet who, some weeks ago, predicted that September would be a "hot" month, can say now: "I told you so," with no chance of anybody contradicting.

Today at 2 o'clock the temperature registered officially at the South London Observatory was 89.5 degrees.

Accompanied by an excessive degree of humidity, the effects were felt by citizens every bit as much as the torrid weather of July and August.

Palm Beach suits, diaphanous dresses, and sunburned straw hats were again resurrected for the "hot spell."

The predictions for tonight are cooler.

Last year during Fair week about the same temperature as today prevailed, but a temperature between 85 and 90 is nothing unusual for the first week of September.

DISCUSS WATER SUPPLY

Utilities Commissioners Dealing With This Today.

The utilities commission will discuss the question of an additional water supply this afternoon.

There will be reports submitted, and considerable information will be given the commission as to the output of the Macgregor wells, their purity, etc.

Driller Harvey will request the board to supply him with a drilling outfit. He has been unable to secure one, and until he does, no work will be done.

BUYS NEW BUILDING

Middlesex Mills Taking Over Dominion Office Plant.

The Middlesex Mills Company has purchased the Dominion Office and Supply Company's building in East London and will take possession at once. The new firm have been operating in the Leach building on Colborne street, with 40 looms, but additional premises were needed.

The deal was consummated by Albert Mitchell this week. The plant of the company will be much enlarged.

SEEKS POSSESSION OF BOY AFTER TEN YEARS

V. Dupuis Asks Aid of Chatham Police to Regain Son.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CHATHAM, Sept. 6.—The varied experiences of Eugene, the 11-year-old son of Victor Dupuis of Los Angeles, are told in a lengthy letter received by the Chatham police from the father who is anxious to obtain possession of his boy after being separated from him since the latter was a year old.

A year after his birth the boy's parents separated and were later divorced. The boy was placed in the care of foster parents, who also were subsequently separated. Until a few months ago he was cared for by his grandmother. On her death he became the ward of Dupuis' brother. Later the lad was placed in the care of Thomas Campbell of Paincourt, near this city.

The letter requests the Chatham police to hand him over to the Detroit authorities. Dupuis has no money and he is looking to them to pay the boy's transportation west. In accordance with the father's request Campbell took the boy to Detroit, but knowing Dupuis' record, the Detroit police have ordered Campbell to take care of him.

Mr. Campbell has now placed the lad in the care of Mrs. Bechard, of Paincourt, with whom he is perfectly contended.

BRANTFORD MAN IS DEPORTED FROM TOLEDO

Charge of Non-Support Laid Against Arthur Barber.

WINDSOR, Sept. 6.—Arthur Barber of Brantford, who was arrested in Toledo, Ohio, on a charge of non-support and deported from Detroit Tuesday, was turned over to the Brantford police today. It is charged that he left his wife and three children destitute for several months.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

CARPENTERS WANTED — FORM construction; good wages. Sewerage disposal works, foot of High street, Hamilton road; end of Oxford car line. Arnot Construction Company, Limited. 57c

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

The attendance at the local market today was somewhat reduced by the threatening weather. Produce was fairly plentiful, but prices remained firm in nearly every case. Both old and new oats were scarce. Sales of old oats were made at $1.80 to $1.90 a cwt. New oats sold for $1.50 to $1.65 a cwt., and 65c to 75c a bushel. Barley was steady at $1.35 a cwt. Although wheat has commenced to ascend slowly on the bigger markets, there was no change in the price here. It remained steady at $1.80 to $2 a cwt., and $1.08 to $1.20 a bushel.

Potatoes were scarce, and found a ready market at $1.65 to $2.25 a bushel. Tomatoes, although plentiful, maintained their high price, selling at 30c and 40c a basket. A few dealers asked 45c a basket. The market, however, was slow, as they are scheduled for a drop soon if favorable weather continues. Cabbage were sold at 50c to 80c a dozen, and green onions brought 40c. Carrots were steady at 30c, as was green corn at 10c to 15c a dozen. Apples were scarcer, and the market for them slower. However, they remained at 50c to 80c a bushel. Canteloupes are beginning to come in more plentifully. The crop, however, is reported as small. They sold from 90c a dozen to $2.50 a dozen. Plums were steady at 30c to 70c, but pears were more plentiful and were slightly cheaper at $1 to $1.40 a bushel. Peaches, too, were slightly cheaper, at 50c to 80c a basket.

Hay was plentiful, and brought from $12 to $14 a ton, straw being steady at $8 to $8.50. Butter was firm, although beginning to come in a little more plentifully. Eggs were firm. Honey maintained its opening price, selling at 15c a pound, retail, and 12½c a pound, wholesale. Poultry was steady, the market being fairly brisk.

Live hogs jumped a little, sales being made at $11 to $11.25. Fat sows were steady at $8.50, while small pigs brought $11 to $16. Dressed hogs were steady at $15.50. Hides and wool were steady.

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—Wheat closed today 1⅛c higher all around. Oats were up ⅜c for October and December. Barley was unchanged. Flax finished ⅛c up for October, ¾c higher for November, and unchanged for December.

The market closed quietly after a dull session. Wheat acted heavy in the morning, and was gradually working lower when the news came that Broomhall had reduced the estimate of the exportable surplus of North America by eight million bushels. The general trade was of a scalping character.

The cash market was 9c over October, paid for No. 1 northern. The demand was only fair, but there was no wheat offered.

Cash grain: Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.64¾; No. 2 northern, $1.62¾; No. 3 northern, $1.57¼; No. 4, $1.49¾; No. 5, $1.42¾.

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 51⅝c; No. 3 Canadian western, 50⅝c; extra No. 1 feed, 50⅝c; No. 1 feed, 50⅛c; No. 2 feed, 49⅞c.

Barley—No. 3, 86c; No. 4, 83c; rejected, 76½c; feed, 76½c.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., $1.84; No. 2 Canadian western, $1.81.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Reports that Greece had joined the Anglo-French allies put wheat under selling pressure today and caused a weakening of prices. In this connection, the bears gave emphasis to announcements that there was sufficient tonnage in the Black Sea to move 20,000,000 bushels, and that the available surplus which could move if the Dardanelles were open would aggregate 400,000,000 bushels.

Opening quotations here, which ranged from 1@1¾c lower, with December at $1 52½@1 53, and May at $1 53¾@1 54, were followed by a substantial further decline.

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Wheat—Spot was steady; No. 2 red western winter, 14s 10d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 10s 6½d.

FLOUR.

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Flour—Winter patents, 47s.

HOPS.

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, £4 15@5 15s.

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Hams—Short cut, 101s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 96s; clear bellies, 98s; long clear middles, light, 99s; do, heavy, 97s; short clear backs, 90s; shoulders, square, 78s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, new, 81s 6d; do, old, 82s 6d; American refined, in pails, 84s; do, boxes, 81s 9d.

DAIRY.

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, 103s; do, colored, new, 104s.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000; market slow; beeves, native, $6 75@11 50; stockers and feeders, $4 75@7 75; cows and heifers, $3 85@9 60; calves, $8 75@13.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market slow; light, $10 30@11 50; mixed, $10 10@11 50; heavy, $10@11 40; roughs, $10@10 25; pigs, $6 50@9 50; bulk of sales at $10 50@11 25.

Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; market weak; wethers, $6 50@8.

Toronto, Sept. 7.—Receipts at the Union stockyards were 156 cattle, 25 calves, 887 hogs and 326 sheep. Good cattle were dull and steady, and the commoner kinds slow.

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $8 25@8 85; butchers, choice, $7 50@7 90; do, medium, $7@7 15; do, common, $6@6 15; do, cows, choice, $6 50@6 75; do, medium, $6@6 25; do, canners, $3 50@4 25; do, bulls, $7 25@7 50; feeding steers, $6 30@7; stockers, choice, $6@6 50; do, light, $5 75@6; milkers, choice, each, $70@90; springers, each, $50@90; calves, $10@12.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $7 65@8 35; bucks and culls, $4 50@5 35; lambs, $9@10.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $11 75@11 85.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Sept. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 950; slow and easy.

Veals—Receipts, 100; market active, at $4 50@14 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,500; active; heavy and mixed, $11 65@11 75; yorkers, $11 60@11 75; light yorkers, $10 75@11 25; pigs, $10 05; roughs, $9 90@10; stags, $7@8 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,200; active; lambs, $5@11 90; others unchanged.

OILS.

London, Sept. 7.—Calcutta linseed, September and October, 76s 3d; linseed oil, 35s 6d.

Sperm Oil—£46 10s.

Petroleum—American refined, 1s 1½d; spirits, 1s 2½d.

Turpentine Spirits—43s.

Rosin—American strained, 21s; type G, 21s 9d.

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Turpentine spirits—43s 3d.

Rosin—Common, 20s 3d.

Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot, 38s 3d.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Sept. 7.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, decreased	£	968,000
Circulation, increased		112,000
Bullion, decreased		855,695
Other securities, increased		3,798,000
Other deposits, increased		2,953,000
Public deposits, decreased		142,000
Notes reserve, decreased		937,000

Government securities, unchanged.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 23.86 per cent; last week it was 24.91 per cent. Rate of discount, 6 per cent.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Sept. 7.—Money was in better supply and discount rates were steady today.

The stock market had a good tone. Quite a number of investment orders in Consols, the war loan and Indian and other first-class bonds found supplies scarce, and prices depreciated steadily. Gold mines were well absorbed, especially Modderfonteins, while rubber, iron and steel shares and Japanese bonds were firmer. American securities were cheerful under the lead of United States Steel. The closing was steady.

Closing prices were:

Consols, for money	59¾
Atchison, com.	108½
Baltimore & Ohio	89¼
Canadian Pacific	185
Chesapeake & Ohio	63⅛
Chicago Great Western	13⅛
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	97⅞
De Beers	12¾
Denver & Rio Grande	15¼
Erie, com.	39¼
Erie, 1st pfd.	54½
Grand Trunk	12
Illinois Central	105⅝
Louisville & Nashville	133
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	5⅝
New York Central	108½
Norfolk & Western	133¾
Ontario & Western	27¼
Pennsylvania Railway	58⅝
Rand Mines	3½
Reading Railway	110¾
Southern Railway	25⅝
Southern Pacific	102¼
Union Pacific	145⅛
United States Steel	104⅝
New 4½ per cent War Loan	96⅝

WALL STREET.

New York, Sept. 7—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Substantial recoveries from yesterday's late heaviness were registered by important stocks at today's opening. United States Steel's first offering was a block of 8,500 shares at an extreme gain of half a point, but Marine preferred, Reading, Crucible and Lackawanna Steels, Beet Sugar and Mexican Petroleum were higher by 1 to 2 points. American Can, American Car, Colorado Fuel, Republic Steel, General Electric and Coppers also rose material fractions. There were sharp reactions before the end of the first half hour. Marines and Kelly-Springfield Tire being subjected to marked pressure, while Reading rose almost 3 points over yesterday's closing.

Noon.—Liquidation of weak bull accounts occurred in the first hour, when the selling of Marines, Kelly-Springfield and other specialties caused general recessions. There was one notable exception, however, Reading running counter to the entire list on its steady rise to 109½, the highest quotation in months. Reading's advance exercised a reassuring effect elsewhere, especially in rails, which assumed leadership of the market. Union Pacific and the more prominent trunk lines were 1 to 2 points higher. A feverish undertone prevailed at noon. Bonds were steady, except for weakness in Rock Island debentures.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[By Edward Cronyn & Co.]

	Ask.	Bid.		Toronto, Sept. 7. Ask.	Bid.
Am Cy c	40	37½	Sh Wht.	..	134
do pfd.	67	..	do pfd.	..	98¼
Ames, c.	23	21	Spanish.	11⅛	11
do pfd.	63	..	do pfd.	37	35
Barcel.	15½	14½	Stl Can.	61½	61
Brazil.	58	57½	do pfd.	89	88½
BC Fish	60	57	T Paper.	55	..
Burt, pfd.	80	79	Tor Ry.	53½	92½
do pfd.	..	5½	Tucketts	..	23
C Bread	20	..	do pfd.	..	86¾
do pfd.	87½	86	Tw City	98½	97⅞
C Car.	45	43	Win Ry.	..	94
do pfd.	72	69	Banks—		
Cement	62	61¼	Com'rce	187¼	187
do pfd.	96½	92½	Dom	220	215
C Fdry,p	88	..	Hamil'n	194	..
Can S S	32	31⅝	Imperial	205	202
do pfd.	88⅛	87¼	Molsons	197	..
CK Elec.	118	117½	NScotia	261	258
C P R.	178½	177½	Ottawa	204	..
C Salt.	130	125	Royal.	..	212
C Dry,p	100	98	Standard	..	221
Coniag.	500	475	Toronto.	..	198
C Smelt	37¾	37¼	Union.	..	131
Con Gas	167	..	Loans, etc.—		
Cr Res.	50	46	C Land	164	161½
D Steel.	57¼	57	C Perm	175	174½
Duluth.	47	45½	C Can.	180	..
Mackay.	86	83½	C Invest	78	71
do pfd.	68	67	H Prov.	..	138
M Land	90	87	H & L.	215½	213
do pfd.	94	93	L Bank.	..	145
Monarch	..	32	L & Can	..	132
do pfd.	82	80	NTrust	215	..
Nipis'g	745	725	TG Trst	..	210
N S Stl.	128	127	T Mort.	..	134
P Burt.	22	20	Bonds—		
do pfd.	80	..	C Bread	..	93
Penm's.	64	62½	C Loco.	..	95
do pfd.	..	91	D Iron.	..	89½
Petrol.	1040	1012	Elec Dev	85	83
P Rico.	44	40	Mex Elec	30	..
do pfd.	100	90	M L & P	95	85
Quebec.	33½	32¾	P Rico.	87½	84½
Rogers.	91	..	P of Ont	..	85
do pfd.	94	90	Quebec.	69	67
Russell.	..	57½	Spanish.	80	..
do pfd.	93	92	Stl Can.	..	96½
Sawyer.	20	18			
do pfd.	72	65			

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, 16 Dominion Savings Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, Sept. 7.	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30.
Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio.	85¾	86¾	85¾	86¼
Erie, com.	37	37⅜	36⅝	37¼
Erie, 1st pfd.	52½	53	52½	52½
Great Northern	117	117	116¾	116¾
G. Western, pfd.	36	..	..	..
Illinois Central	101	..	..	..
N. Y. Central	104¼	104¾	103¾	104½
Rock Island	17¾	17¾	17¼	17½
St. Paul	93⅞	94	93¾	94
Wabash, com.	13¾	13¾	13½	13½
Wabash, A.	48¾	48¾	48½	48½
Wabash, B.	27	..	..	..
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	103¾	104¾	103¾	104¾
Canadian Pacific	177	178⅛	177	177½
Col. Southern.	24½	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	38⅝	37⅞	38⅝	38¾
Northern Pacific	110¾	110¾	110	110
Southern Pacific	97½	98	97¼	98
Southern Railway	24⅛	24¼	23⅞	23⅞
Union Pacific	138¾	139⅞	138⅝	139⅞
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio	60¾	61¼	60¼	60⅞
Lehigh Valley	78½	79¼	78½	79
Norfolk & West.	128½	129⅞	128½	129
Pennsylvania	55	55⅞	55¾	55⅞
Reading Railway	107	110¼	106⅝	110
Traction Shares—				
Brooklyn Transit.	85⅝	..	..	..
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers	24	..	..	..
Am. Beet Sugar.	91¾	92	91	91¼
American Can	64	64	63¼	63½
American Car	64⅛	64⅛	63½	63¾
Am. Locomotive	78½	78½	77¾	78
American Sugar	109	..	..	..
Am. Smelters	102	102¾	101⅞	102¼
Alaska Gold	13	14⅛	13	14
American Wool	46½	46½	46	46
Am. Wool, pfd.	97	..	..	..
Baldwin Loco.	82½	83½	81¾	82½
Central Leather.	57⅞	57⅞	57⅝	57⅝
Corn Products	14¾	14¾	14⅛	14½
Am. Linseed	22¼	..	..	..
Am. Linseed, pfd.	51⅝	..	..	..
Col. Fuel & Iron	50½	50¾	49¾	49¾
Consolidated Gas	137¾	..	..	..
Distillers	45¾	45¾	45½	45½
Dome Mines	25	..	..	..
General Electric	171½	171¾	171½	171¾
Goodrich Rubber	73¼	73¼	73	73
G. Northern Ore	39½	39¾	39½	39¾
Inter. Nickel	41½	..	..	..
Agri Chemical	77⅝	78¼	77¾	78¼
Maxwell Motors	84⅞	85⅜	84⅜	84⅜
Marine, com.	59⅜	59⅜	57⅞	58
Marine, pfd.