HOW TO GET OUT OF IT.

A Sharp Device That Was Worthy of Woman's Wit.

"Maria," he said, as he entered the house, speaking before his wife had time to say a word, "this house is in an awful condition."

"Why, Henry——" she began.

"Don't try to excuse yourself," he interrupted. "Look at this room! I was going to bring home a friend with me but I refrained for fear that the house would be in just the condition that I find it."

"If you had sent word, Henry——"

"Sent word, Maria! Why should I have to send word? Why should any one who claims to be a housekeeper have to be notified that she can scurry around and make things look respectable? And that gown, Maria!" It is outrageous to be dressed in that fashion at this time of day."

"I could have changed it——"

"Oh, of course. You could have done lots of things, but you didn't. You should be ready to entertain your husband's friends at any time. I suppose the dinner is cold, too."

"It's not as good as it was. You're late, you know."

"Of course; and if I had brought my friend with me he'd have had to sit down to a cold dinner or one that was burned to a crisp, and we would have both felt cheap and would have had to apologize. It isn't right at all."

"Well, Henry, I'm sorry you should feel that way."

"Well, I wish you would try to do a little better. It is very annoying."

When he had settled himself in his chair after dinner he chuckled to himself behind his paper and muttered:

"George! But I would have got a roasting for being late if I hadn't started it first. It's a great scheme!"—Cincinnati Commercial.

THE UNGRATEFUL PATIENT.

How a Pretty Girl Disappointed Her Clever Doctor.

"Our lives are full of disappointments," remarked my friend, the surgeon, who is famous for his ability to joke with patients of any nationality in their own language and make them forget their misery for the time. "Early last summer a charming young lady was brought to my office from a western state in a pitiable condition. She had dislocated her ankle some months before, and from unskilled treatment it had been put in such a shape that I thought at first that amputation might be necessary. She was wasted away to seventy-five pounds, and a mere wreck of her former self.

"I was luckily able to save the foot and bring her back to perfect health, and she blossomed into one of the prettiest girls I have ever seen. She and her mother called on me to say 'good-bye' last Tuesday, and she was in the highest of spirits. She danced around the room to prove that her ankle was perfectly strong again, and gave me this handsome silver inkstand for a remembrance. As I accompanied them to the stoop she paused on the upper step and took my hand again. 'Doctor,' said she, 'beyond the check which papa will send you and the eternal gratitude of mamma and myself I feel that you deserve some further reward.' Leaning toward me she went on impressively. 'You deserve a reward that most men would risk their necks to gain! You deserve a kiss! She paused for a second, and then said. 'Mamma, kiss him,' and before I could get the pucker out of my lips she was down in the street sending up at me the most tantalizing laugh I have ever heard.

"Yes, as I said before, we all have our disappointments."—New York Herald.

The General Set the Questioner Right.

Miss B—— asked Gen. S——, of Louisiana, if it was true that many of our solid citizens, while soldiers, regarded card playing and pretty pilfering as among the accomplishments of camp life. Gen. S. replied: "A base libel, madam—a calumny. True, they never left a friendless chicken to nod on its uncomfortable roost; never suffered an overburdened apple tree to break down from its load of fruit; never removed a bee gum until the shades of night made the removal more to the comfort of the bees; never permitted the lacteal fluid to sour in badly ventilated milkhouses, and never—no, never—left a wounded shoat to bleed its young life away by the roadside; and as for cards, we give you our word that just before the battle of Seven Pines, of Perryville, of Murfreesboro, we saw cards strewn all along the road, so great was the soldiers' disgust for card playing!"—Confederate War Journal.

Equal to the Occasion.

One of the good stories ex-Postmaster-General James tells is about a typewriter he once employed, who was a novice at the art, but who proved herself equal to an emergency. Col. James had dictated to her a political speech which he was about to deliver. He referred to a certain individual and said of him: "He knows no more about politics than Nicodemus did about the second birth." The young woman's notes, when she came to write them out, proved to be incomplete. She was not familiar with New Testament stories, and thus was obliged to fall back on her wits. The sentence, as she finished it, read: "He knew no more about politics than Nicodemus did of the tariff." The tariff at the time was a favorite topic of conversation, and a safe conclusion, the young woman thought, in this respect.—New York Press.

Criticism.

Scene: Brown's Study (the well-known "Brown Study," of course). Brown is reading the fortieth chapter of his three-volume Autobiography to Jones. Brown (pausing in his gigantic work)—Well, tell me honestly, have you any fault to find with it? Jones—Well—hum!—it wants finish!

One Way of Calling Him a Calf.

Callow—I'll bet you don't know my father's business.

Penelope—He's a bull in Wall street.

Callow—Heaven! How did you know?

Penelope—I supposed so because you're his son.

His Trunk.

Clerk (to emigrant)—Yes, that's all right for the passage money; and now as to your trunk? Emigrant—And hwhat would Oi be doin' wud a trunk, sorr? Clerk—Oh, to put your clothes in. Emigrant—Hwhat! and me go naked!

On the Train.

Mr. Peck Slip—I'll bet that's a newly married couple yonder.

Mr. Murray Hill—Why?

Mr. Peck Slip—Because they are trying so hard to act as if they were not.

Sensitive.

Saidso—In the winter of 1816 there were five feet of snow.

Herdso—On the level?

Saidso—Do I look like a liar?

Undoubtedly Real.

He (jealous of his rival)—There is one thing about Count Minklini that is unquestionably not bogus.

She—What's that?

He—His financial necessities.

A Reasonable Doubt.

"Ah, Cholly, I shall come out in a spring suit next week."

"So? Checks, I suppose?"

"Oh, yes."

"Bank checks or pawn checks?"—Chicago Record.

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LOCAL SECURITIES ARE UP.

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Bell Telephone Also Advances—Other Stocks Higher—New York Stocks Firmer—Excitement in Provisions—Cotton Easier—Wheat Higher—Heavy Run of Hogs at the Local Market—Business Embarrassments.

Local brokers are expecting a better supply of call money after the first of the month.

Consols are steady at 99 3-16 for money and account.

C.P.R. is higher at 85⅝ in London.

Grand Trunks are steady at 58½ for 1st preference and 38⅝ for 2nd preference.

Henry Allen & Co. wire J. J. Dixon that the gold reserve in the United States Treasury will be used freely, even if it goes down to the $30,000,000 mark.

Pork in Liverpool advanced two shillings and sixpence yesterday.

Kennett, Hopkins & Co. say that though pork looks high it is not safe to be on the short side.

"There's too much of this wheat," said a disgruntled bull yesterday. "Why, we have 45,000,000 bushels more than at this time last year and we are getting on toward the new crop."

Cotton closed lower again yesterday. The Liverpool market is lower on uneasiness regarding American currency, and New York reflects the weakness. May closed yesterday at 7.38c, June 7.47c and July 7.56c.

We are not averse to shipping gold abroad to pay our debts. Our quarrel is with the system which makes the conversion of our currency into gold a process of greater ease than possible anywhere else. This is because we have afloat over $600,000,000 of redeemable but indestructible greenbacks which may be perpetually used to draw gold from the treasury without any effect upon their numbers. The root of the trouble is there, and not in the treasury notes which we are now issuing, though these, in time, may work a still greater injury.—American Banker.

Yesterday's New York sugar quotations were: Sugar higher; spot Rio steady, 15¾c; standard "A" 5 5-16 to 5⅜c; confectioners' "A" 5c to 5 1-16c; cut loaf and crushed, 5⅝c to 5 13-16c; powdered, 5 7-16c to 5½c; granulated, 5 3-16c to 5⅛c.

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FRIDAY EVENING, April 28.

There was a decided improvement in values of local stocks to-day. Notwithstanding stiff rates for money the buying was fair and prices for nearly all leading stocks advanced. The bottom for Bell Telephone appears to have been reached. This stock has been heavy for a fortnight past on prospects of opposition, but that appears to have been discounted and a steady improvement is looked for. It sold at 140¾ in the morning, but closed strong at an advance of 3¼ points. Commercial Cable was on its high horse again. The closing sale to-day was at 147¼, an advance of a clear 3¾ points over the close of yesterday. C.P.R. and Northwest Land were ¼ and ¼ stronger respectively. Montreal Street Railway gained a point over yesterday's closing bids: Incandescent, Western Assurance gained ¼; British America gained 1¼, Hamilton gained 1 point; Standard gained 1¼ points, Dominion gained ¼, Imperial gained a point, Commerce gained ⅜, and Montreal gained 1⅛. Incandescent was the only weak spot on the list. It closed ½ lower. Quotations are:

STOCKS.	1 P. M. Asked	1 P. M. Bid	4 P. M. Asked	4 P. M. Bid
Montreal	232	231	232	231½
Ontario	121½	119	121½	119
Molsons	174	....	....	....
Toronto	260	256½	260	256½
Merchants'	166	160	166	160
Commerce	147¼	146	147¼	146⅝
Imperial	188	187½	190	188
Dominion	276	273½	276	273¾
Standard	168	167	168	167¼
Hamilton	164½	163	164½	164
British America	121	118	121	118
Western Assurance	152	150⅝	151½	151
Consumers' Gas	196	194	196	194
Dominion Telegraph	110	107	110	107
Can. Northwest L. Co.	79½	79	79¾	79¼
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	85½	85⅞	85¾	85
Toronto Electric Light Co	190	180	190	180
Incandescent Light	128½	127	129	126½
Can. Gen. Electric	130	....	130	....
Commercial Cable	146½	145¾	147¼	147¼
Bell Tel. Co.	140	140	140¾	140
Hich. & Ont. Nav. Co.	70	68	....	68½
Montreal Street R.	190	188¾	....	188½
Duluth Common	10½	....	10½	....
Duluth Preferred	26	....	25½	....
British Canadian L. & I.	....	119	....	....
B. & Loan Association	....	103½	....	....
Can. L. & N. In. Co.	138	....	....	....
Canada Permanent	....	199	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	....	190	....	....
Central Canada Loan	....	121	....	....
Dom. Savings & Loan	97	96	....	....
Farmers L. & S.	....	....	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	....	141	....	....
Freehold L. & Savings	....	142	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	....	132	....	....
Hamilton Provident	140	137	....	....
Huron & Erie L. & S.	....	158	....	....
" do 20 per cent.	....	158	....	....
Landed Banking & Loan	....	119	....	....
Land Security Co.	....	....	....	....
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	134	131	....	....
London Loan	109	107	....	....
London & Ontario	....	118	....	....
N. of Scot. Can. Mort. Co	....	160	....	....
Ontario Industrial Loan	101	100	....	....
Ontario Loan & Deb.	....	132	....	....
People's Loan	105	100¼	....	....
Real Estate, Loan & Deb.	82¼	....	....	....
Toronto Sav. & Loan Co.	....	121	....	....
Union Loan & Savings	140	....	....	....
Western Canada	176	....	....	....
" " 25 p.c.	166	....	....	....

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Transactions: in the morning—2 and 8 of Imperial at 187½; 50 of C.P.R. at 88; 25 of Commercial Cable at 146; 50 of Bell Telephone at 140¾; 5 of British Canadian at 119½. In the afternoon—10 of Imperial at 188; 50 and 20 of Western Assurance at 151¼; 1 of Consumers' Gas at 194½; 50 and 50 of Northwest Land at 79¼; 25 of Commercial Cable at 147; 25 and 25 at 147¼; 50 of Can. Landed at 137 and 20 at 136¾.

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MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, April 28, 2.40 p.m.—Can. Pac. R.R. 85¾ and 85¾; Duluth Common, 10 and 8; Duluth Pref., asked 26; Commercial Cable, 147 and 145¾; Montreal Telegraph, 157 and 144; Richelieu & Ont., 79 and 67½; Montreal Street Railway Co., 190 and 188½; Montreal Gas Company, 201 and 200; Bell Telephone, 147¼ and 141; Bank of Montreal, 232 and 230; Ontario Bank, 122¼ and 118; Banque du Peuple, asked 120; Molsons Bank, asked 175; Banque Jacques Cartier, 140 and 138½; Merchants' Bank, 166 and 160; Merchants' Bank of Halifax, offered 138; Union Bank, offered 108½; Bank of Commerce, 148 and 146; Montreal Cotton Company, 133¾ and 125; Dominion Cotton, 138 and 125.

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TIPS FROM WALL-STREET.

Monroe, Miller & Co. of New York send the following despatch over their private wire to their Toronto office:

NEW YORK, April 28.—The stock market opened strong and active, in response to the higher prices abroad. There was considerable excitement in Reading, and wide fluctuations were recorded in the first few minutes of business. The transactions in this stock were heavy. The remainder of the list showed fractional advances, and business was well distributed. At the advance there were sales to realize profits.

Sugar was strong on the excellent statistical condition of the refined sugar market.

Whisky declined 3 per cent. on report 15,000,000 bonds will be issued. The cut in World's Fair passenger rates by the Nickel Plate is proof that there will be the usual scramble for passenger business, and that the railroads' elaborate plan for the maintenance of rates is worthless. It is understood that the majority of the directors of the whisky trust were opposed to a bond issue, but were compelled to yield to President Greenhut and Nelson Morrison, whose interests are now the largest. The official announcement of a reduction in spirits to $1.13 has been made.

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The following received from Monroe, Miller & Co. over their private wire from their office, 16 Broad-street, New York:

NEW YORK, April 28.—Wall-street was disappointed when it was learned that Secretary Carlisle did not commit himself to any definite plan at the conference held yesterday with representative bankers. He simply asked co-operation in the event of a crisis, and was assured of the hearty support of the associated banks of this city. The secretary expressed very decided views upon the repeal of the Sherman silver bill, and his sentiments were warmly commended by the bankers who attended the informal gathering at the house of President Williams of the Chemical National Bank. Mr. Carlisle also announced with most positive terms that the Government was opposed to a bond issue because it would extend the repeal of the silver law.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

The fluctuations in the New York Stock Exchange to-day, as reported by John J. Dixon & Co., are as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Cotton Oil	47	47	44⅝	44⅝
Atchison	33⅝	33⅝	32⅛	33⅛
Chi., Burlington & Q.	94⅝	94⅝	93	93⅛
Can. Pacific	83⅛	83⅛	....	....
Chicago Gas Trust	89¾	87	85⅛	85⅝
Cleveland, Cin. & Chic.	50⅛	....	....	....
Del., Lac. & W.	145	145	143⅝	143⅝
Erie	21⅝	21⅝	21⅛	21⅝
Jersey Central	117	117	116⅝	117
Louisville & Nash	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛
Lake Shore	130	130	128⅛	128⅝
Mo. Pacific	48¾	48¾	47⅝	47⅝
National Lead Trust	39⅛	39⅛	38⅛	38⅛
N.Y. & New England	32	32	30⅝	30⅝
Northern Pacific Pref.	40⅝	40⅝	39⅛	39⅛
Northwestern	113	....	....	....
Pacific Mail	24	....	....	....
Phila. & Reading	30	30	26⅝	27⅛
Rock Island	83⅝	83⅝	82⅛	82⅛
Richmond Terminal	7¾	7⅞	7⅝	7⅝
St. Paul	78¼	78¼	77⅝	77⅞
Sugar	105⅞	104¼	103⅝	103⅝
Texas Pacific	7⅞	....	....	....
Tenn. Coal & Iron	20	20⅛	20	20
Union Pacific	37	37⅛	36⅝	36¾
Western Union	92¼	92¼	89⅞	90⅝
Wabash Pref	21⅝	21⅝	21	21

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THE MONEY MARKET.

Following are to-day's quotations: Bank of England rate, 2½ per cent.; open market discount rate, 1⅝ per cent.; call money, Toronto, 6 to 6½ per cent.; call money, New York, 4 per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Rates of exchange are reported by Wyatt & Jarvis, stock brokers, as follows:

BETWEEN BANKS.	Counter.	Buyers.	Sellers.
New York Funds	¼ to ¼	3-16 dis	⅛ dis
Sterling 60 days	9⅝ to 9¾	9 1-16	9 3-16
do. demand	10 to 10⅛	9 7-16	9 9-16

RATES IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.86	4.85½
do demand	4.89	4.87¾ to 4.88

Bank of England rate—2½ per cent.

MONEY TO LOAN.

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Grain and Produce.

Wheat—Firm cables and a strong tone in outside American markets toward the close created a better feeling in the local market. Red and white wheat could be sold readily at 67c, while holders were asking more. Spring is quoted at 63c and goose at 62c. The scarcity of Manitobas at North Bay permits of high bidding without danger, any considerable quantity being sold. Bids at 87c were made for No. 1 hard North Bay to-day; offered to arrive at 87c. No. 2 hard was wanted at 86c; f.o.b. Owen Sound it offered at 78c. A considerable quantity of No. 2 hard held at Midland is reported to have moved out to Ontario millers during the past day or two at 78c, f.o.b., Midland.

Rye—Nominal, at 54c outside; offered at Montreal at 60c without bids.

Peas—Steady, at 57c outside.

Oats—There is a firm feeling. White on track sold to-day at 34c and outside at 31c.

Barley—Unchanged at 34c for No. 1, 40c for No. 2 and 38c for No 3 extra outside.

Buckwheat—Would find buyers at 50c outside.

Mill Feed—Bran is easier, selling, Toronto freights to-day at $10.80; quoted $12.50 to $13 on track here. Shorts, steady at $15.50 on track.

Flour—Dull and prices heavy. Few enquiries are coming in and bids are below a business basis.

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THE STREET MARKET.

Receipts on the street to-day were: Wheat, 200 bush; barley, — bush; peas, — bush; oats, 100 bush. Quotations are: White wheat, 70c; red wheat, 66c; spring wheat, 63c; goose wheat, 62c; barley, 41c to 45c; oats, 37½c; peas, 62c to 63c; rye, 53c; hay at $10 for timothy and $8. to $9 for clover; straw, per ton, $8 to $9 for bundled, $5 to $6 for loose; eggs, 11c to 13c per doz.; butter, 15c to 18c for tub, 20c to 24c for choice dairy rolls; chickens, 75c to 90c; turkeys, per lb, 12c to 14c; ducks, 90c to $1.20; dressed hogs, $7.20 to $7.75; potatoes, 90c; beef, fore, $3 to $5.50; hind, $5 to $6.50; mutton, $6 to $7; lamb, 7c to 8c per lb; veal, $6 to $8.

SEEDS.

Red clover is quoted at $8.25 to $8.70; alsike, $6.50 to $8.50, and timothy, $2.20 to $2.80 for fancy seed.

PROVISIONS.

Quotations are: Eggs, new laid, case lots, 11½c to 12c. Butter—Choice pound rolls 19c to 20c, choice dairy in tubs, 19c to 19½c; medium in tubs, 16c to 18c; creamery, 22c to 23c. Cheese, 11c to 11½c. Long clear bacon, 10½c for ton lots and 11c for case lots; spiced rolls, 10½c; breakfast bacon 13½c to 14c; backs, 12½c to 13c; hams smoked, 13c; Canadian mess pork, $21 per bbl; short cuts, $22; lard, 15c tubs and 13½c in pails, 12½c for tierces; evaporated apples, new, 8c and old 7 1-2c; dried apples new 5c to 5½c.

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DRESSED HOGS.

Deliveries of dressed hogs were light to-day and prices were firm. Packers were paying $7.50 to $7.70 for good hogs.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Fluctuations in the Chicago grain and produce markets, as received by John J. Dixon & Co., were as follows:

	Open'g	High'st	L'w'st	Close.
Wheat—May	71⅝	71⅝	70⅝	71⅝
" —July	74¼	74⅝	74	74⅝
" —Sept	75⅛	75⅝	75¼	75⅝
Corn—May	41⅛	41¾	41¼	41⅛
" —July	43⅛	43⅝	43⅛	43⅝
Oats—May	28¾	29⅛	28⅝	29⅛
" —July	29⅛	29⅝	28⅞	29¼
Pork—May	19 25	19 35	18 90	18 95
" —July	19 60	19 77	19 40	19 40
" —Sept	19 95	20 10	19 50	19 60
Lard—May	10 45	10 45	10 07	10 07
" —July	10 60	10 65	10 20	10 25
" —Sept	10 82	10 82	10 52	10 52
Short Ribs—May	10 00	10 00	9 80	9 87
" —July	10 12	10 12	9 85	9 85
" —Sept	10 22	10 22	9 92	9 92

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GOSSIP FROM CHICAGO.

R. Cochran received the following from Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to-day:

CHICAGO, April 28.—Wheat advanced early on covering by shorts and reacted on heavy selling by longs. After touching put it started up again on predictions of severe weather, and the late strength was due to stronger cables and reports that the drought in France continued. Less favorable news regarding spring seeding comes from the northwest and many complaints of the lateness of the season come from that quarter. On the whole the news has been bullish and market closes with a strong undertone of strength. Corn and oats—Little doing, but the cold, wet weather has had a buoyant effect on prices. Provisions opened strong and excited for pork, but the longs supplied the demand and the market eased off again. Prices look rather high, but it is not safe to be short.

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OTHER AMERICAN MARKETS.

	Friday's Opening.	Friday's Close.	Thurs. Close.
New York—May	75⅛	75⅝	....
" —July	75⅝	75⅞	....
St. Louis —May	65⅝	65¾	65⅛
" —July	69¾	70⅛	70⅛
Toledo —May	70¾	71¼	71
" —July	74	74⅛	74⅛
Milwaukee—May	65⅞	66⅛	66⅛
" —July	68⅞	69⅛	69
Duluth —May	65⅛	65⅛	65⅛
" —July	70¼	70⅝	70⅛
Detroit —May	70¼	70¼	70⅜
" —July	73⅞	74	73⅞

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The Live Stock Trade.

Receipts of live stock at the Western Cattle Yards to-day were 42 loads, a large part of which were hogs. There was an unusually heavy run of the latter, induced, no doubt, by the higher prices paid last market day. Not by fewer than 1720 head came in. The market was very excited owing to high outside markets and spirited competition. Prices for select weights off car were $6.75 to $7 a cwt, and it is reported that as high as $7.10 was paid. Stores and roughs, light and heavy hogs sold at $6.25 to $6.50, there being a very active demand for all kinds.

Large receipts are expected on Tuesday, but it is doubtful if to-day's prices will hold. Cattle were in fair demand Butchers' stock sold about ⅛c better than on Tuesday. Prices paid were 3¾c to 3¼c for inferior to fair, 3½c to 3 1-2c for fair to good, 3 1-2c to 4c for good to choice and a shade over 4c was paid for extra choice. Nothing was taken for export, and very few cattle grading up to export were in. Sheep and lambs were in good demand with offerings light. Sheep sold at $6 to $7.50 a head and good yearlings would sell for 6c to 6¼c per lb. Calves sold from $3 to $8 a head. Milk cows were unchanged at $25 to $45 a head.

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LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, April 28.—Wheat steady, demand fair, holders offer moderately; corn steady, moderate demand. Spring wheat 6s 5d, No. 2 red winter 5s 9½d, No. 1 Cal. 6s 0½d; corn 4s 3½d, peas 5s 4½d, pork 91s 3d, lard 52s 6d, bacon, heavy, 53s 0d, bacon, light, 53s 0d; cheese, both, 54s 6d.

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BEERBOHM'S REPORT.

LONDON, April 28.—Floating cargoes—Wheat slow, corn slow. Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn very little enquiry. Mark Lane—Wheat quiet and steady, corn quiet, flour not much demand; spot. Danubian corn 3d lower, prompt unchanged, mixed American 3d lower: No. 1 Cal. wheat, off coast, unchanged to 3d lower; Australian, off coast, 3d lower; present and following month 3d lower; Walla, off coast, 3d lower: present and following month 3d lower. Liverpool—Spot wheat, more disposition to buy, corn fair demand, prices shade higher; corn 1-4d dearer.

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London Wool Sales.

LONDON, April 27.—At the wool sales to-day 15,000 bales of good quality were offered. There was a better attendance than at yesterday's sales, and the bidding was brisk. German buyers operated freely. Competition between French buyers and the home trade upheld the prices of crossbreds, of which there was a fair supply. There was considerable animated bidding for greasies and scourers, which sold freely to continental purchasers.

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NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 28.—Cotton spots steady; uplands 7 13-16c, gulf 8 1-16c, futures firm, sales 141,000 bales. April 7.37c, May 7.38c, June 7.43c, July 7.57c, Aug. 7.64c, Sept. 7.69c. Flour steady. Rye steady. Barley firm. Peas quiet; Canada 70c. Wheat—Receipts 31,000 bush, exports 42,000 bush, sales 16,110,000 bush futures, 104,000 bush spot; spots firmer, No. 2 red, store and elevator, 77⅝c to 78⅛c; No. 1 hard 86c to 86¼c, No. 1 Northern 82¼c to 82⅝c, No. 2 Northern 78c. Options firm: No. 2 red April 75⅞c, May and June 77⅝c, July 79c. Corn—Receipts 56,000 bush., exports 77,000 bushels, sales 310,000 bushels futures, 95,000 bushels spot; spots firm; No. 2 49⅛c to 50c elevator, Options higher: April 50c, May 49⅞c, July 50⅝c. Oats—Receipts 150,000 bushels, sales 225,000 bushels futures, 100,000 bushels spot; spots firmer: No. 2 37c, No. 2 white 41⅛c, No. 2 Chicago 35⅛c to 38c, No. 3 35⅛c, No. 3 white 40 1-2c, mixed western 37c to 39c; options quiet: May 35⅛c, June and July 34⅞c. Eggs steady, state and Pennsylvania 15c, southern 13c to 15½c; western fresh 15 1-2c to 16c. Coffee—Options opened steady, closed steady: sales 36,000 bags, including May $14.15 to $14.35, June $14.10 to $14.35, July $14.10 to $14.20, Aug. $14.20 to $14.35.

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EGGS ARE FIRM AT 12c; BUTTER STILL scarce at 18c to 22c; beans, $1.20 to $1.50 per bushel; potatoes, 80c to 90c per bag; dried apples, 4½c; green apples, $1 to $2 per barrel; honey, 8c for clover, 5c for buckwheat; pure maple syrup, 90c imperial gallon; cheese, 10c to 11½c. Consignments of above solicited. A full stock of the above always on hand; also jams, jellies and corned beef, for which we solicit your orders. J. F. Young & Co., produce commission, 74 Front-street east, Toronto. 246

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Business Embarrassments.

P. N. Breton, bookseller, Montreal, has assigned.

The creditors of John Campbell, the Queen-street grocer will meet at W. A. Campbell's office on May 2.

B. Hollinquist, general dealer, Oak Lake, Man., has assigned.

NOTICE.

Friday, the 14th day of April next, will be the last day of presenting petitions of Private Bills. Friday, the 21st of April next, will be the last day of introducing Private Bills. Thursday, the 4th day of May next, will be the last day for receiving reports of committees on Private Bills.

CHARLES CLARKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 11th March, 1893. 36

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that under "The Companies Act" letters patent have been issued under the Great Seal of Canada, bearing date the 5th day of April, 1893, incorporating John White of Roslin, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, manufacturer; Robert Thompson of the City of Hamilton, in the County of Wentworth, in said province, lumber merchant; John Davidson of the Town of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, in said province, lumber manufacturer; Thomas John Hammill of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, in said province, lumber merchant; John Stinson Hatton of the said City of Toronto, lumber merchant; William Bell of the City of Guelph, in the County of Wellington, in said province, manufacturer; John Alexander Strathy of the said Town of Barrie, banker; Jonathan Henderson of the said Town of Barrie, merchant; Henry Hatton Strathy of the said Town of Barrie, barrister-at-law, and Ernest V. Bodwell of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, for the following purposes, viz.: (a) To purchase, acquire, hold and sell timber lands and timber limits by lease, license or otherwise; also rights to cut and remove timber or other trees. (b) To carry on the business of lumberers, timber merchants and manufacturers of timber, sawlogs and sawn lumber, and the business of lumbering and timbering in all its branches. (c) Also the business of manufacturing and selling of railway ties, cordwood, window sashes, doors, blinds and flooring. (d) Also to carry on at the Town of Sidney and the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, the business of milling or grinding flour and dealing in grain and flour. (e) Also to develop and work any mines which may be found to exist upon the lands or limits acquired for the purpose of carrying on its lumber business, and for all purposes aforesaid to acquire such timber, logs, timber limits, real estate, water power, machinery and other personal property as may be required for the purposes of the said businesses. (f) To establish, lease, hire or otherwise acquire all shops and stores necessary for supplying the employes with goods, and all grain elevators, warehouses, tramways, roads, cars, barges and vessels necessary for the purpose of transporting lumber, timber, flour, grain and the produce of such mines, and all other facilities necessary for the proper and profitable management of