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Commerce and Finance.

London Money Market. Lendon Bioney Biarket.

Lendon Dec. 11—4 p.m.—Closing.—Consols, 19613-16 for money, 19613-16 account; Canadian Pacific. 554; Erie. 123; Erie. sec., 76; Illinois Central, 99; Mexican ordinary, 17; St. Paul, common, 76; New York Central, 1014; Pennsylvania, 553; Reading, 44; Mexican Central, new 4's, 714; bar silver, 301-16d; money, 4 cent; open market discount for short bills, 13-16 per cent; open market discount for 3 months bills, 13-16 per cent.

Toronto Steals Months

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London and Ontario. Ontario Losa and Depenture. 128½ SALES—Imperial, 59 at 184; Com. Cable, 25 at 1684; Bell Telephone, 1 at 1594; Montreal Street Railway, 15 at 221½—morning sales; Commerce, 20 at 136; British America, 20, 5, 5, 20, 20 at 118, 50 at 117½; Dom. Tel., 20 at 126½; Com. Cable, 25 at 168½, 19 at 163½, 50, 26, 25 at 168½; Telephone, 1 at 159½; Man. St. Ry., 15 at 221½. Intario Losn and Depenture

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Local Market. (Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.) London, Wednesday, Dec. 11. Oats, per bu23c to 24c Peas, per bu49c to 51c Barley, per bu32c to 35e Rye, per bu40c to 42c Corn, per bu45c to 50c Buckwheat, per bu30c to 35c

The delivery during the past week has been very good in oats, with an active demand at 69c to 71c per cental. Wheat receipts very light; not equal to the demand; wanted at \$1 05 per cen-Barley, for feeding, from 65c to 68c.

Shipping and malting barley, 70c to 73c per cental, Corn in fair supply but mostly damp. Sells from 65c to 70c. Rye dull at 70c to 75c.

Dressed hogs in fair supply at \$4 to \$4 50 per owt. Butter and eggs in good supply and demand at quotations. Hay in good supply; demand very good at \$13 to \$14 per ton.

Quotations:		: 3		
GRAIN.				
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	1 00	ta	1	05
Wheat red, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1	05
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1	05
Oats, per 100 lbs	69	to	Į.	71
Peas, per 100 lbs	80	to		85
Corn, per 100 lbs	65	to		70
Barley, per 100 lbs	65	to		70
Rye. per 100 lbs	70	to		80
Beans, bu,	60	to		70
Buckwheat per 100, lbs	55	to	*	60
VEGETABLES AND FRU	IIT.			
Apples, per bag	80	to	1	00

 Potatoes, per bag
 20 to

 Tomatoes, per bu
 20 to

 Carrots, per bu
 20 to

 Turnips, per bu
 15 to

 Parsnips, per bu
 30 to

 Onions, per bu
 35 to
 Eggs.fresh, single doz. 20 to Eggs fresh, basket. per doz. 18 to Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz. 15 to Butter, single rolls, per lb. 18 to Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls baskets. 16 to Chiekens, per pair. 35 to Turkeys, per lb, 6c to 7c; each 45 to HAY AND SEED HAY per ton. \$12 00 to Straw, per load. 4 00 to Clover seed, red per bu. 0 00 to Veal, quarters, per lb.
Lamb, quarter.
Dressed hogs, 190 lb.
Hides, No. 1, per lb.
Hides, No. 2, per lb.
Hides, No. 3, per lb. Calfskins, green. Calfskins, dry, each

 Cariskins, dry, each
 25 to

 Sheepekins, each
 50 to

 Lambshirs, each
 65 to

 Wool, per lb
 20 to

 Tallow, rendered, per lb
 4 to

 Tallow, rough, per lb
 3 to

 Clover seed, Alsike, per bu
 0 00 to

 Timothyseed, per bu
 0 00 to

 Millet seed, per bu
 00 to

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PETROLEA.
Petroles, Dec. 11.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 70 today.
Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 11.—Oil opened \$1 50; bid \$1 63 at 12:39 p.m.

Toronto Grain Market. Toronto, Dec. 12.-Wheat-The offerings of red are fair, but the demand is small and millers do not care to buy wheat at 64c, at which it is offering north and west; white is not offered so freely, and it is quoted on the Northern at 66c to 67c. Manitoba wheat is firmer; No. 1 hard is quoted at 74c and No. 2 northern at 73c, grinding in transit Sarnia. No. 1 hard is quoted at 72c and No. 1 northern at

Flour—Quiet; cars of straight roller are quoted west at \$2 90 and at \$3 to \$3 10 Toronto freights. Manitoba flour is in fair demand and prices are irregular; cars of strong bakers are quoted here at \$3 50 to \$3 60 and pat-

ents all the way from \$3 65 to \$4.

Mill-feed—Dull; cars of shorts are quoted at \$13 and bran at \$11 west. Barley-Highest grade is in demand, but the stock of this class of grain is getting smaller and prices are firm, A 30,000 bushel lot of choice bright heavy extra No. 1 sold east today at 48c; extra No. 1 is quoted at 44c to 45c, and No. 2 at 40c outside. Buckwheat—Quiet; cars sold west

today at 33c. Rye—The offerings are small, and it is settled that there is not more than sufficient for home use. The market is firm and buyers are bidding 48c for it outside. Several cars sold east today at that price.

Corn-In demand and steady; cars of yellow are quoted west at 33 1-2c to 34c, and on track here at 41c. Oats-Dull and lower; on larger offering mixed are quoted west at 22c and white were offered west at 23c. Oatmeal—Dull and easy; cars are quoted here at \$3.

Peas-Quiet; No. 2 are offered north and west at 50c. Latest Montreal Markets. Montreal, Que. Dec. 11—2:30 p.m. GRAINS AND FLOUR.
Peas—Per 60 lbs, store, 60c to 61c.
Oats—No. 2 white, 30c to 304c.
Barley—Feed, 37c to 38c.

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Buckwheat—Per 48 lbs, 35c to 36c.

Fiour — Manitoba streng bakers, \$3 40 to \$3 60: Spring wheat patents, \$3 75 to \$3 90: winter patents, \$3 65 to \$3 90; straight rollers, \$3 50 to \$3 60.

Feed—Bran, \$14 to \$15; shorts, \$15 to \$16.

PROVISIONS.

Canadian short cut heavy, \$13 to \$13 50.

Hams—City cured, per lb, 9c to 10c.

Bacon—9c to 10c.

Lard—Compound, 64c to 64c; lard, pure, 84c to 84c.

CHEESE.

Market quiet in definite prices.
Butter—Creamery, 20c to 201c; townships,
dairy, nominal. English Markets.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.) London, Dec. 11—2 p.m.
Cargoes off coast—Wheat steady; corn quiet.
Cargoes on passage—Wheat firmer; corn
easy for American and quiet for Danubian.
Country markets—English, firm; French
quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 11—12:45 p.m.;
Wheat—Spot quiet, but steady: demand poor; futures steady; near and distant positions id lower.
Corn—Spot steady; futures quiet and un-

changed. Bacon-Easy; demand poor; Cumberland cut Bacon—Rasy: demand poor; Cumberland cut 28 to 30 lbs, 27s.

Short ribs—28 lbs, 28s; long clear light, 38 to 45 lbs, 26s 9d; long clear heavy, 55 lbs, 26s; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs, 26s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs, 26s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 31s.

Shoulders—Scape 12 to 18 lbs, 20s 64.

4 to 16 lbs, 31s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 18 lbs, 30s 6d.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs, 39s.

Tallow—Fine North American, 22s 6d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 72s 6d; prime mess, 57s 6c.
Perk—Prime mess, fine western, 50s; do

medium, 45s. Lard—Dull; prime western, 27s 6d; refined in pails, 29s. Cheese—Quiet, but steady; demand moderate; finest American white, 44s; finest American colored, 45s, Butter—Finest United States, 95s; good 60s, Turpentine spirits-20s 3d.

Turpentine spirits—208 3d.

Rosin—Common, 4s 7½d.

Cotton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 17s 3d.

Linseed oil—20s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 8½d.

Retrigerator beef—Fore quarter, 3¾d; hind

Bleaching powder-Hardwood, f. o. b., Liverpool, £7. Hops—At London (Pacific coast), £2 10s.

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Liverpool, Dec. 11—4:15 p.m.

Wheat—Spot quiet but steady; demand poor;
No. 2 red winter, 5s 24d; No. 2 red spring,
stocks exhausted; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 3d;
No. 1 California, 5s 5d; futures opened steady,
with near and distant positions 4d lower;
closed steady, with Dec. and Jan. 4c lower, and
other months unchanged from yesterday's
closing prices; business about equally distributed: Dec., 5s 3d; Jan., 5s 34d; Feb., 5s 44d;
March, 5s 5d; April, 5s 54d; May, 5s 54d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 3s
33d; futures ruled steady all day at unchanged
prices; business heaviest on early positions; prices; business heaviest on early positions; Dec., 3s 3½d; Jan. and Feb., 3s 2½d; March, 3s 2½d; April, May, 3s 2½d. Flour—Firm; demand moderate; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s 3d. Peas—Canadian, 4s 10½d.

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CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—The bull campaign in wheat, which seemed yesterday to be on the wave of success, came to sudden grief today, and at the close of the session holders had lost almost all the profits that the advance promised them. The net decline amounted to to to le for May and to to to for cash. Corn and oats each declined te, with cash steady to a shade lower. Provisions lower.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 Dec., 58te; Jan., 58te; May, 62c.

Corn—No. 2 Dec., 25½c; Jan., 25½c; May, 28½c; July, 29½c.
Oats—No. 2 Dec., 17c; May, 19½c to 19½c.
Mess pork—Dec., \$7 80; Jan., \$8 45; May, \$8 82½.
Lard—Dec., \$5 10; Jan., \$5 25; May, \$5 50.
Short ribs—Dec., \$4 25; Jan., \$4 25; May, Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 5% to 59 c; No. 3

spring, 55c to 58%; No. 2 red wheat, 61%c to 64%c; No. 2 corn, 25%c to 26%c; No. 2 oats, 17c to 17%c; No. 2 rye, 35%c; No. 2 barley, 38c to 40c; No. 1 flaxseed, 3%c to 94%c; prime timothy, \$3.60; mess pork, \$7.87% to \$8; lard, \$5.20 to \$5.22%; short ribs sides, \$4.25 to \$4.32%; dry saited shoulders, \$4.50 to \$4.75%; short clear sides, \$4.50 to \$4.82%.

Receipts-

 Shipments—
 8,000
 Wheat
 85,000

 Corn
 56,000
 Oats
 395,000

 Rye
 6,000
 Barley
 52,000

Beef-Dull; family, \$10 to \$12. Pork-Quiet; family, \$10 75 to \$12 50. Lard-Weak; prime western steam. \$5 50 Lard—Weak; prime western steam, \$5.50 nominal.

Butter — Receipts, 4,945 packages; strong; State dairy, 15c to 22c; State creamery, 19c to 25c; western creamery, 16c to 27c; Elgins, 27c. Cheese — Receipts, 2,992 packages; dull; State large, 74c to 10c; small, 64c to 104c; part skims, 34c to 6c; full skims, 2c to 3c.

Eggs—Receipts, 5,135 packages; steady; State and Pennsylvania, 23c to 27c; western, 21c to 24c. Flour, Breakfast Cereals, Feed,

24c.
Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3½c to 3½c; centrifugal, 96-test, 3½c to 3½c; refined, firm; crushed, 5½c; powdered, 4½c; granulated, 4½c. Coffee—Easy; No. 7, 14½c asked.
Hops—Weak; state common to choice, 1894, crop, 3c to 6c; 1895 crop, 5½c to 10c; Pacific coast, 1894 crop, 3½c to 7c; 1895 crop, 5c to 10c.
LEAD—Firm; bullion, \$3 27½; exchange, \$3 27½ to \$3 30.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, Dec. 11, —Spring wheat firm, fair demand; No 1 hard, 67½c to 67½c; No. 1 northern, 64c. Winter wheat—Dull; No. 2 red, 70c Corn—Scarce; firmer; No. 2 yellow, 33½c; No. 3 yellow, 32½c to 33c; No. 2 corn, 32½c; No. 3 corn, 32c.

Oats—Higher; No. 2 white, 23½c; No. 3 white,

DETROIT. Detroit, Dec. 11.—No. 1 white wheat, cash, 68c; No. 2 red, $67\frac{1}{2}$ c; May, $68\frac{3}{4}$ c.

Toledo, Dec. 11.—Wheat—Cash, 661c; May, Corn—May, 291c.

Milwaukee, Dec. 11.—Wheat — Cash, 583c; Dulnth, Dcc. 11. — Wheat—No, 1 northern, cash, 5 ½; May, 59c.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 11.—Wheat—May, 62%c. Chicago Exchange. Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Masonic Temple.

Open, High. Low. Close Wheat—Dec...

May...

Corn—Jan

May...

Oats—Dec... 581 613 25½ 28¾ 254 Chicago, Dec. 11.-Wheat opened steady and ruled so for some time. but eased off when long stuff was put

on the market for lack of outside support. The trade did not enthuse on the Government report. It is inclined to the bull side. Cables lower; clearances light; receipts fair. There was a good cash demand for milling purposes today. Corn easier and lower with large re-

ceipts. Local parties have been good sellers, mostly for short account. Provisions sick and heavy, with packers free sellers against product. Long stuff has also thrown on the market. Apple Market.

London, Dec. 9.—At the sale of apples in Liverpool today Baldwins fetched from 12s to 18s; Greenings, 19s to 13s 6d, and Newton Pippins, 11s to 27s per barrel. The prices obtained in London were: For Newton Pippins, 14s to 16s; Baldwins, 14s to 18s, and Greenings, 12s to 14s per barrel

British Grain Trade.

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London, Dec. 9.—The Mark Lane Express in its weekly review of the British grain market, says: English wheat during the past week has been steady, and foreign has brought an average rise of 3d. California on passage is held for 27s, and American spring for 25s 9d. Corn has been firm; American new crop, January shipment, being quoted at 15s 3d. Barley and beans have been in sellers' favor, and oats steady, while linseed has advanced 6d. Today English wheats were quiet and foreign were a shade dearer. Flour rose 3d, corn was 3d cheaper and beans and peas were 6d dearer. Barleys were firmer. Rapeseed advanced is.

Live Stock Markets. Live Stock Markets.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—Trade at the Toronto cattle market today was slow. The stuff offered was mostly of poor quality. Receipts were 31 cars, including 297 sheep and lambs and 1,500 hogs. Butchers cattle were quiet. There was demand for good cattle, but offerings were poor. Six of the best loads were taken for Montreal. The top price paid was 3c per lb, and a good many lots of fairly good average sold at 2½c per lb. Bulls were quiet, fat ones are wanted for export, and sold at 3c to 3½c per lb. the latter for choice stock; ordinary at 2c to 2½c. Stockers were in fairly good de mand, and one or two lots sold at 2c to 2½c at 2c to 2½c. Stockers were in fairly good de mand, and one or two lots sold at 2c to 2½c er lb.
Sheep dull; export sheep were quoted at 21c to 23c per lb, and not many wanted. Lambs were in demand for the holiday trade. Prices were 32c per lb, but quite a few sold at 23c to 3c

Calves were quoted at \$2 to \$4 each for common, and \$5 to \$6 for the better class. Milch cows weaker, at \$15 to \$35 each, according to cows weaker, at \$15 to \$35 each, according to quality.

Hogs were not higher, and best bacon hogs sold at \$3 60 per cwt. A few sows are being taken at 3c per lb. Stags dull, at 2c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Cattle—There were about 20 cars on sale, including several loads of good to prime steers. Market was dull and alow.

loads of good to prime steers. Market was dull and slow,
Hogs — Receipts, 25 cars. Market about steady. Yorkers, fair to choice, \$3 60 to \$3 65; stags, common to choice, \$2 50 to \$3; pigs, common to fair, \$3 25 to \$3 65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 35 cars. Market steady and firm. Lambs, choice to prime, \$4 50 to \$4 70; Canada lambs, fair to prime, \$4 25 to \$4 60; sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$3 50 \$3 76; culls and common, sheep, \$1 25 to \$2 25.

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Chicago. Dec. 11.—Hogs—Receipts, 51,000; left over, 6,000. Market slow. prices fully 5c lower. Light, \$3 35 to \$3 52; mixed, \$3 35 to \$3 55; heavy. \$3 35 to \$3 52; mixed, \$3 35 to \$3 55; heavy. \$3 35 to \$3 52; cows and heifers, \$1 50 to \$3 60; Texans, \$2 60 to \$3 55; stockers and feeders. \$2 20 to \$3 50; Christmas cattle, \$4 80 to \$5 10. Sheep-Receipts, 14,000. Market quiet and steady.

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The Controller of Customs Gives Up His Post.

Disagreement Over the Coercion of Manitoba Believed to Be the Cause.

(Special to the "Advertiser.") Toronto, Dec. 11 .- I am told on the best of authority that Mr. Clarke Wallace, Controller of Customs in the Dominion Government, sent in his resignation to Premier Bowell, and that he is now out of the Government. The Controller arrived in Toronto yesterday, and was today at his home in Woodbridge. I spoke to a prominent Conservative this afternoon on the motives which may have prompted Mr. Wallace to leave the Government. He expressed the belief that the resignation of the Controller was necessary to save the Government from embarrassment, but that it has a string to it, just as that of Messrs. Tupper, Oulmet and Caron had. The arrangement, he says, is that Mr. Wallace will give up his office for a time, retaining a string to it. If the measure for the coercion of Manitoba is passed, Mr. Wallace will again be invited to join the Government, and he will do so. It is a little arrangement between Premier Bowell and Mr. Wallace, my informant says. Other well-known Conservatives spoken to acknowledge that chaos reigns at Ottawa. They blame Mr. Wallace for not resigning in time to help his followers in North Ontario to reach a right conclusion

before the vote tomorrow. The Liberals met with say that whether Wallace resigns or stays in the Government it cannot stand a longer time than the electors as a whole are able to express their views by their votes. FROM OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—Hon. Clarke Wallace, Controller of Customs in the Dominion Cabinet, has resigned, because he cannot approve of the course which the Government has adopted in its attitude toward the Manitoba school qusetion. Wallace is grand master of the Orange Grand Lodge of British North America.

LOGAL BREVITIES.

weekly sitting of the High Court on Tuesday next and a High Court judge will conduct the sittings for the balance of the year.

R. Gardner, U. Macwhinney, C. E. Sterling, Dr. McDonald, T. Davey, R. Reid, jun., skip... 9 -The December session of the Middlesex County Council cost \$466 40. The councilors receive \$2 a day for four days and mileage. The aggregate of

the 48 members was nearly 800 miles. -The Valkyrie Club held their weekly hop last night, which was attended by about 80 couples who enjoyed themselves to Prof. Ensign's music. Mr. Sam Taylor was master of ceremonies.

-D. W. Blackwell, chairman of the school trustees, leaves the board this year. At the request of many of his constituents he will stand for the board of aldermen as one of the representatives for No. 5 ward. -The law library at the Court House is

being removed from its old place on the third story to the barristers' room, which adjoins the court room to the south. The change is made at the request of the Bar Association.

-Mr. J. W. Jones yesterday began a sale of 27 cases of Japanese art productions, which he has imported direct from the land of the Mikado. The goods are very attractive, and some rare bargains are se cured. The sale will be continued every afternoon at 2 and 7:30 o'clock respect-

-The executive of the Methodist Board of Missions meet this month. A number of prominent clergymen are spoken of for the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Shaw, among them: Revs. G. S. Stone, H. S. Matthews, J. E. Lanceley, Cumming, Wakefield and Dr. Hunter. It is possible, however, that the position will not be again filled.

-Wm. Deary, of the Riverside Hotel, London West, pleaded guilty before Squire R. F. Lacey this afternoon to selling liquor out of legal hours. The offense was committed on the evening of Saturday, Nov. 30. A fine of \$50 and costs was imposed, as it was a second offense. A crowd of men who were found in Deary's bar when Detective Ward dropped in will probably be summoned for disorderly conduct. The names of the parties are in the hands of High Constable Schram.

-The thirteen members of the grand jury at the Middlesex December session received \$116 80 for their attendance at court. The 48 petit furors were paid \$581 30. Some of them were paid for six days, while those who remained over until Monday were paid for Sun-day, giving them eight days. The On-tario Government amended the law at the last session whereby jurymen who had to return to a court on Monday should receive a regular allowance for the Sunday. SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION.

Considerable interest is already exhibited in the coming elections for school trustees in this city. In No. 1 ward Mr. W. J. Graig retires. Dr. Logie, a well-known resident of the ward, is standing for the vacant seat at the request of a large number of taxpayers. Dr. Teasdale may also be a candidate. A veteran in civic service is Mr. A. O. Jeffery, the retiring trustee in No. 2 ward. No man at the board has worked harder in the interests of the schools than harder in the interests of the schools than has Mr. Jeffery. He will again be a candidate. Mr. R. A. Bayly, son of Mr. Richard Bayly, announces himself as his opponent. In ward 3, Trustee John Johnsten retires in favor of Mr. Wm. Jeffrey, an old and esteemed resident of the ward. Trustee John Turner will not offer for reelection in ward 4. His place will probably be taken by Mr. Chas. D. Johnston, mor-chant, son of a former well-known chairman of the board, the late Alex. Johnston. In ward 5, Trustee D. W. Blackwell, and in ward 6

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IN THE SPORTING WORLD.

CURLING.

stock of Trunks, Wrapping Papers, Stationery, School Supplies, Paper Bags, etc.. etc., The curling season has commenced again is included in this slaughter sale. Wholesale lots at greatly reduced prices. Rememand the first practice game of the winter was played at the Simcoe street rink on Monday night, between two rinks of the inst. Forest City Club, skipped by Mr. Robert Ingles and Mr. Robert Reid, Jun. The -Chief Justice Meredith will take the score was not large, as the result will show:

Members of both the London and Forest City clubs are practicing every afternoon. MISCELLANEOUS.

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