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TORONTO.

AT OSGOODE HALL.

Suit Over Tilsonburg, Lake Erie & Pacific Railway Co. Debentures—Imperial Bank Interested—To-Day's Lists.

The Court of Appeal was occupied all day in hearing the appeal of the Imperial Bank of Canada from the order of Mr. Justice Robertson, upon the petition of Judge Ermatinger of St. Thomas. The Tilsonburg, Lake Erie and Pacific R.W. Company was incorporated by statute. It was to run from near Port Burwell through Tilsonburg, to a point on the C.P.R. near Woodstock. The Townships of Bayham, Malahide and Houghton and the village of Vienna passed bylaws to bonus the road when completed, and the debentures issued under these bylaws were handed to Judge Ermatinger to hold until the completion of the road. The railway company assigned their interest in the debentures to the Imperial Bank, and on the bank's demanding them, Judge Ermatinger presented a petition under R.S.O., chap. 110, for the advice of the High Court as to whether the railway was completed within the meaning of the bylaws, and to fix his compensation as a trustee. The debentures amounted to $43,420, and Mr. Justice Robertson held that the trust created by the bylaws came within the province of the Trustee Act, R.S.O., chap. 110, and fixed the compensation at $750, which he ordered the bank to pay, together with the costs of the petition. Judgment was reserved.

TO-DAY'S LISTS.

Judges' Chambers, at 11 a.m.: Dobbin v. Dobbin; Dickerson v. Radcliffe; Connolly v. Dowd; Lea v. Lang; Campbell v. Wheeler; Walters v. Duggan.

Court of Appeal, at 11 a.m., Noyes v. City of Toronto; Lewis v. Alison; Thompson v. McWilliam. This court will adjourn to-day until further notice.

AN ALIENATION CASE.

W. A. C. Baldwin of Peterboro Enters Suit Against His Brother-in-Law.

Peterboro, Jan. 28.—A great sensation has been created here by the announcement that W. A. C. Baldwin, late of Quebec City, and now in business here as a broker, has issued a writ against J. J. Lundy, a prominent resident of Peterboro, claiming $25,000 for alleged alienation of the affections of his wife. It appears that Mrs. Baldwin, who is a sister of the defendant, left her husband at the time of his financial difficulties in Quebec, and since then, with her children, has been living apart from him. Mr. Baldwin charges Mr. Lundy with having been the cause of this action on the part of his wife, and has issued the writ above mentioned against him. Efforts are being made to settle the matter without having it threshed out in the courts.

Fire Brigade Promotions.

Editor World: I see by the discussion at the Fire and Light Committee that our worthy aldermen, in wishing to give the firemanship on chemical engines to the men longest in the department, are overlooking a principle that, if neglected, would prove very injurious to our Fire Department. Now, in all organized bodies, both military and otherwise, a man gets his first promotion on his merits, and often that by seniority, and with all due respect to the judgment of our aldermen it is my humble opinion that the chief is the best judge of the man for the job. He has known them for years, while some of our aldermen do not know them at all; besides, if men are to be forced on him against his judgment, how can we expect him to govern those over whom he has no control? The aldermen should not blindfold the chief and then grumble because he cannot see!

Peru Deum.

Baptist Young People's Union.

The quarterly meeting of the Executive of the Baptist Young People's Union of Ontario and Quebec met yesterday afternoon in the board room, Richmond-street, Rev. C. E. MacLeod, president, in the chair.

Present also were: Mr. L. Croly, secretary, Petrolea; Rev. S. L. Hughson, Lindsay; Rev. O. G. Langford, Georgetown; Mr. R. D. Echlin, Dundas; Messrs. H. L. Stark, Thomas Urquhart, R. Ray and Mr. L. F. Ratcliffe of Toronto.

They discussed plans for the provincial convention to be held in London in May next. A sub-committee was appointed to select speakers and complete arrangements.

A report was received from the transportation leader of the Brooklyn International B.Y.P.U. Convention.

Business Embarrassments.

T. R. Jackson & Co., tins, etc., Guelph, are offering to compromise at 25 cents on the dollar.

Geo. J. Wanless, grocer, Sarnia, has assigned to M. A. Sanders.

J. A. Carrick, North Dufferin, has assigned to J. Douglas.

Halliday & Co., general store, Chesley, have made an assignment to E. J. Henderson. The statement shows assets of $16,000 and liabilities of $11,600.

James Robertson & Co., wholesale woollens and tailors' trimmings, Hamilton, have been liquidating for five months, but owing to the suit of a creditor they are preparing a statement of their affairs preparatory to calling a meeting of their creditors.

Rae & Co., general store, Lindsay, have assigned to J. H. Scotheran. Assets about $15,000.

The Toronto creditors of J. H. McClung & Co., St. Catharines, received word yesterday that the stock, which is valued at about $17,000, has been sold to Emily McClung, and that a clear dividend of 25 cents on the dollar will be declared shortly. The liabilities of the firm were about $30,000.

The drygoods stock of McMaster & Co. will be sold this afternoon by Suckling & Co. The stock has been inspected by several parties, and it is thought will bring about 75 cents on the dollar.

Hilburne Bros., general merchants at Baden and Baysville, are asking for an extension of time. The estate is a considerable one, being valued at about $15,000.

E. J. Pybus, harnessmaker, Newmarket, is financially embarrassed.

Toronto Grammar School.

The old boys of the Jarvis-street Collegiate Institute will meet at Webb's to-night (Friday) at 7.30 to dine together and elect officers. Professor Baker, M.A., will preside. It is expected that President London, Principal MacMurchy, Sam Hughes, M. P., and other prominent citizens will speak. All the old boys should make a point of being present. Tickets 75 cents, at Ryrie's, Yonge-street.

S. Ackerman, Commercial Traveler, Belleville, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for inflammatory Rheumatism, and three bottles effected a complete cure. I was the whole of one summer unable to move without crutches, and every amovement caused excruciating pains. I am now out on the road and exposed to all kinds of weather, but have never been troubled with rheumatism since. I, however, keep a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Oil on hand, and I always recommend it to others, as it did so much for me." ed

Callers at the Buildings.

Among the callers at the Parliament Buildings yesterday were Messrs. James McMullen, M.P., William Gibson, M.P., and C. F. Farwell, M.L.A. The latter member is taking a course at Stanley Barracks, preparatory to organizing a regiment at Sault Ste. Marie. He will be in the city until after the session.

TORONTO'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Steps Taken by the Management Committee to Relieve Overcrowding—Sub-Committees Appointed.

The Management Committee of the Public School Board met yesterday afternoon and decided to open temporary school rooms to relieve the overcrowding at Kew Beach, Bolton-avenue, Hamilton and Morse in No. 1 Ward; Dufferin and Winchester, in No. 2; Ryerson in No. 4; Clinton and Grace in No. 5; Gladstone-avenue and Brock-avenue in No. 6.

Leave of absence was granted to: Misses A. Sims, S. Turnbull and J. Eadie.

The following resignations were accepted: Misses S. M. Snell and H. De Lury.

A new class has been opened at St. Andrew's Institute, in connection with John-street School, to relieve the overcrowding there.

Sub-committees were appointed on teachers, school inspection, health and discipline, and one trustee for each ward.

Presbyterian Meetings.

At the annual meeting of South Side Church the pastor, Rev. William McKinley, was in the chair. The report of Kirk session was read by Rev. Charles Campbell, and was in every way satisfactory. Reports of the various organizations of the church were submitted and approved by the meeting. The report of the treasurer of the church showed receipts from all sources for church work to be $1789, and for missions $120.

The report from Sabbath school gives the number enrolled as 292. The managers elected were: Messrs. S. Mitchell, J. J. Kennersley, John Marsh, Joseph McGavin, J. L. Swain, John Baird, sr.

Bonar Presbyterian Church meeting was presided over by Rev. A. Macgillivray, the pastor. The membership is 160, and the receipts were $2920, with a surplus. The Sunday school has 306 members. The managers are: James Armstrong, C. Cumming, M. E. Cook, J. H. Dunlop, J. Gray, A. H. Greene, J. R. Forsyth, J. S. Smith, J. E. Webb, Charles Wilson, John Wigburn and J. Lochrie. Messrs. William Neilson and D. A. Lochrie were re-elected auditors.

New York's Gigantic Affair.

New York, Jan. 28.—Final preparations for the biggest industrial exhibition of bicycles and accessories that the world ever has seen will be completed in the Grand Central Palace by Thursday of next week. The opening of the show will not take place until the evening of February 6, but the manufacturers will be privileged to move in their exhibits before that time and arrange them for the opening night.

Secretary Franks of the National Cycle Board of Trade, under whose auspices the exhibition will be given, returned from Chicago yesterday. He reports that the Chicago show is a gigantic affair, but in the number of exhibitors, he says, the National Eastern show will excell the Western exhibition by fully 150 spaces. Every convenience possible has been provided for the intending visitors, and Manager Franks hopes to make this one of the best-conducted shows in the history of the trade. The preparations for decorations have been made on a most elaborate scale, and it is likely that in appearance as well as in the number of exhibits the show will be an unqualified success.

The show will be continued until February 13. It will be open afternoon and evening to the public and during the forenoon hours to tradesmen.

Mr. Giles Improving.

Mr. James G. Giles of Rosedale-road, who has been prostrated through a stroke of paralysis since a week ago last Sunday, is, his many friends will be glad to learn, in a fair way to improvement. Although in his 78th year, the last 24 of which have been spent in active business life in the North End, this is the first serious illness with which he has been afflicted.

Dyspepsia and Indigestion.—C.W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., write: "Please send us ten gross of Pills. We are selling more of Parmalee's Pills than any other pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint." Mr. Charles A. Smith, Lindsay, writes: "Parmalee's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubled with severe headache, but these pills have cured her." ed

Kingston School of Mines.

A deputation from the Kingston School of Mines and Agriculture will interview the Ontario Government on Tuesday next at 3 o'clock in reference to mining matters connected with the school.

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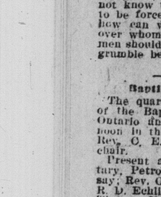

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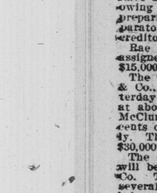

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ANOTHER SLIDE IN WHEAT.

In Chicago the May Option is Under 75c,

LOCAL MARKETS ARE DULL

Business of the Toronto Stock Exchange Fairly Active.

An Advance in Crown Point—Cable and Postal Weaker—Local Drygoods Business Picking Up—Provisions Weaker in Chicago—Bank Clearings at Toronto are Small—Consols are Firmer—Wall-Street Securities are Irregular—Latest Commercial News.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 28.

May wheat in Liverpool closed ¼d lower.

Cash wheat in Chicago is 1⅝c lower at 73¾c.

May wheat on curb 74⅞c.

Puts on May wheat 73⅛c; calls 75⅞c.

Puts on May corn 23⅝c to 23⅞c; calls 23⅞c bid.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.25 for March.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago today: Wheat 26, corn 221, oats 164. Estimated for Friday: Wheat 28, corn 220, oats 130.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 23,000; official Wednesday 28,777; left over 3000; estimated for Friday 25,000. Market steady; heavy shippers $3.20 to $3.47½.

Dun & Co. report 57 failures in Canada for the week, as against 65 last week and 70 the corresponding week of last year.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 10,500; market steady to firm. Sheep 12,000; market steady.

The Cincinnati Price-Current says that the growing wheat crop condition is maintained.

Hog packing in the west for the week was 470,000, as against 375,000 for the corresponding week of last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 182 cars, as against 491 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 780 barrels and 16,645 sacks; wheat 48,777 bushels.

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CANADIAN BANK STATEMENT.

The December bank statement shows a decrease of $2,160,000 in the note circulation of Canada for the month. The total, $33,085,784, is over half a million greater than the circulation at the end of December, 1895.

The discounts of Canadian banks are $210,322,000, or $2,400,000 less than on November 30. Call loans are $14,030,000, or $3,000,000 less than a year ago. There was practically no change last month in the amount of deposits held by the chartered banks. The total is $196,630,000, as against $196,542,000 on Nov. 30, and $187,119,000 on Dec. 31, 1895. These balances due Canadian banks amounted at times to $25,000,000, but on Dec. 31 last the total had been reduced to $16,743,355. During December there was a contraction of $1,500,000, chiefly in consequence of lower rates for money in New York and Chicago.

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LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	73¾c	74⅞c
New York	82⅞c	81⅝c
Milwaukee	72c	75c
St. Louis	82⅝c	82½c
Toledo	86⅝c	88c
Detroit	86⅝c	87⅛c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	75¼c	..
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	72⅝c	75c
Toronto, white	84c	..
Toronto, No. 1 hard	90c	..

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STOCKS, GRAIN & PROVISIONS

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TRADE IN CANADA.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Daily Bulletin says: In Montreal there are indications of improved demand in some lines of staple goods, and when the country roads get into better shape after the late heavy storms, following the long-needed snow, a freer movement is looked for, with improved collections, but as yet there is no notable degree of general activity in trade. The very cold weather has improved the sorting demand from the country for seasonable dry goods, and a fair proportion of orders for spring goods are also being booked; city retail trade, however, has been dull through January. In groceries, sugars continue sluggish, with local refineries shut down, but in teas considerable interest is being evinced, with very firm prevailing values, and for canned goods, molasses, etc., which enter largely into the Lenten trade, there is beginning to be more enquiry. Heavy metals and hardware are still slow of movement, also oils, paints and glass, but the recent advances in the latter lines are firmly held. The shoe factories are busy on spring goods, and are cutting considerable quantities of colored leather and dongolas, and leather men report a little more doing on these lines, with a fair demand for sole. A couple of English leather buyers have been about the market lately and are reported to have made the purchase of several fair lots of splits.

The improvement in trade at Toronto this week has been slight. The weather is more seasonable, and the condition of roads has been greatly improved by snow. Retail trade at country points will be benefited by an increased movement of produce, and in turn wholesale business is likely to increase. The feeling is hopeful, and the assurances given with respect to the Government's trade policy are likely to produce goood results. The number of failures has decreased, and after the first week of February a change for the better is confidently expected. There are no apparent changes in prices of the leading merchandise staples ..... The grain markets, however, have been dull, with a downward tendency. Britain is holding off, and prices of wheat and flour have suffered, as supplies on the other side are sufficient for the time being. The demand for dressed hogs is good, with prices firm.

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LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—Trade is very dull and unsatisfactory. Buyers are holding off. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.75.

Bran—Trade dull, with bran quoted outside west at $7 to $7.50 and shorts at $9.

Wheat—The market is dull, with offerings a little more liberal. Sales of red wheat at 78c west, and white at 79c. Manitoba wheat is quoted lower, with No. 1 hard at 75c Fort William, and No. 2 at 73c. No. 1 is quoted at 90c, Toronto freights.

Buckwheat—Trade is dull, with car lots quoted at 27c west.

Barley—The market is quiet. No. 1 quoted at 32c to 33c, No. 2 at 28c to 29c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is weaker, with sales of white at 17c to 17½c west, and mixed quoted at 17c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easier, there being sales north and west at 39c.

Corn—The market is steady, with new mixed selling at 21c to 21½c west.

Rye—The market is steady, with sales on the Midland at 34c.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of grain fair to-day. Wheat is weaker, with sales of 400 bushels at 84c for white, 81½c for red and 64c to 64½c for goose. Barley unchanged, 1500 bushels selling at 26c to 30c. Oats easy, 600 bushels selling at 21c to 22½c. Peas firm, 200 bushels selling at 44c. Hay in limited supply; 12 loads sold at $13 to $14.50 a ton. Straw weak, 6 loads selling at $7 to $8. Heavy hogs $4.50 to $4.75, and light $5.50 to $5.65.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Wheat, white, bushel	$0 83½	to 0 84
" red winter, bushel	0 81½	0 82
" goose, bushel	0 64	0 65
Barley, bushel	0 28	0 30
Peas, bushel	0 43	0 44
Oats, bushel	0 21	0 22½

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Butter, choice, tub	$0 13	to $0 14
" bakers'	0 08	0 10
" pound rolls	0 15	0 16
" creamery tubs	0 17	0 19
" " rolls	0 19	0 20
Cheese	0 10	0 11
Eggs, new-laid	0 18	0 19
" limed	0 14	0 16

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, per ton	$12 00	to $14 50
" baled, per ton	8 00	10 50
Straw, per ton	7 00	8 50
" baled, per ton	5 50	6 00

FRESH MEATS.

Beef, forequarters, per lb	$0 02½	to $0 04½
" hindquarters	0 05½	0 07
Mutton, per lb	0 06	0 07
Lamb, per lb	0 06	0 06½
Veal, per lb	0 05	0 06

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Hogs, dressed, selected	$5 00	to $5 60
" heavy	4 50	4 75
Backs, per lb	0 09	0 09½
Breakfast bacon	0 10	0 11
Mess pork	11 00	11 25
" short cut	11 25	11 50
" shoulder mess	9 00	9 50
Hams, smoked	0 10½	0 11
Lard, per lb	0 07	0 07¾
Bacon, per lb	0 05½	0 06
Chickens, per pair	0 30	0 50
Ducks, per pair	0 55	0 75
Turkeys, per lb	0 08½	0 10
Geese, per lb	0 06½	0 08

HIDES, SKINS AND WOOL.

Hides are unchanged, with cured quoted at 7¼c to 7½c. Dealers pay 6½c for No. 1, 5½c for No. 2 and 4½c for No. 3.

Calfskins—Market is dull at 7c to 8c for No. 1 and 5c to 6c for No. 2. Sheep and lambskins 85c to 90c.

Wool—The market is steady. Dealers are paying 21c to 22c for combing fleece, 17c for rejections. Pulled supers are 20c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

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SEEDS.

The market is quiet. Alsike is quoted at 8½c to 9c per lb., according to quality. Red clover 7c to 8½c, and timothy 2½c to 3c per lb.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

The market is quiet and prices are unchanged. Apples, barrel, $1 to $1.50. Dried apples, 2c to 3c and evaporated 4c to 5c per lb.

Potatoes steady at 25c to 26c per bag in car lots; small lots, 35c to 40c. Onions, 75c to 90c per bag. Sweet potatoes, $2.50 to $2.75 per barrel.

Cranberries, barrel, $6 to $6.25 for Canadian, and $2.50 to $2.75 per box for Cape Cod. Hops, 9c to 10c.

Turnips, bag, 20c to 25c; carrots, bag, 30c to 35c; parsnips, bag, 40c; celery, dozen, 30c to 40c.

C.C. BAINES,

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BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 28.—Spring wheat, 6s 8d to 6s 9½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 1½d to 7s 1½d; corn, 2s 9d; peas, 4s 6d; pork, 46s 3d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 26s 0d; do., light, 25c 0d; do., s.c., heavy, 23s 6d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 56d.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage rather easier and partly 3d lower. English country markets cheaper. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 6s 5¾d to Feb. 6s 6½d for March, 6s 6¾d for May and 6s 5¾d for July. Maize steady at 2s 8½d for Feb., March and May and 2s 9¼d for July. Flour 24s.

Paris—Wheat 22f 40c for Feb. Flour 47f 55c for Feb.

London—Close—Wheat on passage steadier. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 22f 30c for Jan. and Feb. Flour firm at 47f 50c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 6s 5¾d for Feb., 6s 6½d for March and May and 6s 5¾d for July. Maize firm at 2s 8½d for Feb., 2s 8¾d for March and May and 2s 9¾d for July. Flour 24s.

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The net gold balance in United States Treasury is $143,889,000.

Owing to the large deposits in New York banks some of the leading institutions have reduced the rate on country bank balances to 1½ per cent.

The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 3½ per cent. Specie in the bank increased £694,614 during the week.

Consols are ¼ firmer, closing to-day at 112 9-16 for money and at 112⅝ for account.

American stocks are dull and steady in London. Canadian Pacific, 55¾. St. Paul at 78¼. Erie at 15⅝. Reading at 13⅝. N.Y.C. at 96¼ and Ill. Central at 96¾.

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BANK CLEARINGS AT TORONTO.

The clearings this week were small. Following are the figures, with comparisons:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Jan. 22	$1,158,080	$150,320
Jan. 23	967,001	165,055
Jan. 25	671,300	51,312
Jan. 26	1,152,886	121,738
Jan. 27	983,697	135,428
Jan. 28	865,729	82,750
Total	$5,799,453	$606,600
Last week	6,573,456	818,087
Cor. week, 1896	6,238,078	736,837
Cor. week, 1895	5,832,940	794,972

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MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is unchanged at 5 to 5½ per cent. for call loans. At New York the rates are 1½ to 2, and at London 1 to 1½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 3½, and the open market rate easier at 2 per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-street west, stocks and exchange brokers, Toronto, report local rates to-day as follows:

	—Counter— Buy.	Sell.	—Bet. Banks— Buy.	Sell.
N. Y. Funds	⅛	¼	1-64 to 3-64	pm.
Stg. 60 days	9¾	9⅞	9 1-16	9⅛
do. demand	9⅞	10	9¾	9⅞

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling 60 days	4.85½	4.85
" demand	4.88	4.87

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, Jan. 28.—C.P.R., 55½ and 54½; Duluth, 4½ and 3½; do., pref., 10 and 7½; Cable, 168½ and 167½; Postal Telegraph, 98½ and 98½; Telegraph, 170 and 165¾; Richelieu, 92 and 88; Street Railway, 224½ and 223¼; Gas, 189¾ and 189½; Telephone, 160 and ..; Toronto Street Railway, 69½ and 69; Montreal, 231 and 225; Molsons, 180 and 183; Merchants', 172 and 169½; Commerce, 128 and 126½; Toronto, 231 and 228; Ontario, 85 and 82½.

Morning sales: C.P.R., 25 at 55¼; Duluth, pref., 25 at 8½; Postal, 225, 10, 100 at 98¾; Street Railway, 25 at 222¾, 25 at 223¾; Halifax Railway, 18 at 86, 25 at 86½; Telephone, 6 at 156½; Royal Electric, 50 at 140, 50 at 141, 25 at 142½, 25 at 142¼, 50 at 142¾, 75 at 142¾, 75 at 142¾, 75 at 142½, 25 at 142¾, 50 at 142¾; Toronto Railway, 25 at 69¾, 25 at 70, 25 at 69¾, 25 at 69½; Bank of Toronto, 25 at 230; Commerce, 20, 6, 5 at 127; Dominion Cotton, 25 at 87.

Afternoon sales: Postal, 700 at 98½; Royal Electric, 5 at 141, 25 at 138½, 25 at 141, 25 at 141½, 25 at 141, 25 at 140½, 20 at 140, 25 at 139½; Bank of Commerce, 50 at 127; Hochelaga, 18 at 134.

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET.

	1 p.m.		3.30 p.m.	
Montreal	230	225	231	226
Ontario	86	82½	..	82
Toronto	232	228½	231	228
Merchants	171	168	172	169
Commerce	128	127	128	127¼
Imperial	180	178	180	178
Dominion	229	225½	227	223½
Standard	166	163	166	163
Hamilton	156	153	156	153
Brit. America	119	117	119	117
West. Assurance	157	156⅝	157	156½
Consumers' Gas	201	199½	201	199
Dominion Tel.	125	122	125	122
C. & C. Land Co.	40	35	40	35
Can. N. W. L. Co.	50	30	50	30
C. P. R. Stock	55½	55	55½	54⅝
Toronto Electric	132	125	132	125
General Electric	85	..	85	..
Com. Cable	168	167½	168	167½
Postal Tel Cable	98¾	98½	98¾	98
Bell Telephone Co.	157	156	157	156
Mont. Street Rail.	224½	223	224½	223½
Tor. Railway	69¾	69¼	69½	69
Fraser River Min.	179¾	177¼	179¾	177¼
Crown Point	50	49	52	50
Empress	23½	20	23	20
Brit Can L & I	92	..	..	..
B. L. Assn	75	..	..	..
C. L. & N. L. Co.	104½	..	..	..
Canada Permanent	129	..	..	..
do. do. 20 p.c.	116	..	..	..
Can. S. & L.	110	107	..	..
Central Can. Loan	120	118	..	..
Dom S & I Soc.	79	75	..	..
Farmers' L. & S.	90	..	..	..
do. do. 20 p.c.	70	..	..	..
Freehold L & S.	95	..	..	..
do. do. 20 p.c.	90	..	..	..
Hamilton Prov.	110	..	..	..
Huron & Erie L.&S.	..	157	..	..
do. do. 20 p.c.	..	147	..	..
Imperial L. & I. Co.	100	..	..	..
L. B. & L.	112½	..	..	..
L. C. L. & A.	92	..	..	..
London & Ontario	101	..	..	..
Manitoba Loan	100	..	..	..
Ontario L. & D.	..	119	..	..
People's Loan	50	..	..	..
R. L. L. & D. Co.	65	..	..	..
Toronto S. & L.	115	114	..	..
Union Loan & S.	100	..	..	..
West. Can. L. & S.	108½	..	..	..
do. do. 25 p.c.	100	..	..	..

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Toronto Electric, 7 38 at 125; Cable, 25 at 168, 10 at 167⅞; Postal, 125, 25, 100, 25, 25, 25, 125 at 98, 25 at 98⅛, 35 at 98¼; Toronto Railway, 25 at 69; Fraser River, 150, 15 at 178; Crown Point, 500 at 48; Empress, 100 at 21.

Sales at 1 p.m.: Ontario Bank, 25 at 82½; Commerce, 4 at 127¾; Dominion, 8 at 224; Hamilton, 3 at 154; British American Assurance, 25 at 117; Western Assurance, 100 at 156¾; Gas, 10, 3, 2, at 200; Postal, 10 at 98, 75, 125 at 98¼; Crown Point, 500 at 49, 2000, 1000 at 50; Canada Landed Loan, 8 at 104½.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Ontario Bank, 25 at 82½; Commerce, 50 at 127¾; C.P.R., 100 at 55; Postal, 50 at 98; Toronto Railway, 25 at 69½; Crown Point, 500, 500, 100 at 50.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

The range in prices is as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Am. Sugar	117	117¾	116½	116⅝
Am. Tobacco	74½	74½	74	74
Am. Spirits	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Cotton Oil	..	..	..	11½b
C. & O.	17½	17½	17½	17½
Atch. & As's. pd.	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
C. B. & Q.	74½	74½	73¾	74
Chicago Gas	78⅝	78⅞	77⅞	77⅞
Can. Southern	..	..	..	45b
C. C. C. & I.	27½	27½	27¼	27⅜
Del. & Hud.	106½	107¼	106¼	106⅝
Del. Lac. & W.	154	154	152⅝	152⅝
Erie	14⅞	14⅞	14⅝	14⅞
Hocking Valley	8⅝	10½	8⅝	10½
Lake Shore	152⅝	152⅝	152¼	150½
Louis. & Nash.	50⅝	51	50⅝	50⅞
Kan. Texas, pref.	30½	30⅝	30½	30⅝
Manhattan	91	91	89⅞	90¼
Missouri Pacific	22	22	22	22
Leather	9	9	9	9
Leather, pref	..	..	..	61¼b
Balt. & Ohio	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼
N. Y. C.	93¼	93¼	93¼	93¼
North. Pacific, pref	33⅞	35	33⅞	35
Northwestern	104¼	104½	104¼	104¼