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SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

To Pump Coal to Market by Crushing It and Mixing It With Water.

The pumping of coal to market, by crushing the stuff and mixing it with water, is now bing discussed in the scientific journals as a practicable method, and it is suggested that not merely the vast heaps of culm which are now going to waste in the mining regions, but, in fact, the whole output of the mines, might thus be sent to the consumer the great recommendation of the plan being its economy—that is, coal could be "pumped to market," it is declared, for one-tenth the cost of rail transportation, if there be a steady demand; and still another gain, it is claimed, would be secured by the adoption of such a system, namely, that it would be unnecessary to avoid producing a large proportion of "slack" or culm. The advocates of this plan estimate that coal could be reduced to 2c a ton from three to five cents a ton, and washed free from pyrites, slate, and other impurities for five cents more, this latter process also leaving it in a greatly improved condition and increasing its market value. Thus prepared the plan is to mingle the material with its own weight of water, and then force it through pipes as is practiced with oil. It is assumed that coal, being lighter than most other minerals, and but little heavier than water, would remain in suspension easily, absence of grit would prevent erosion of the pipes, and nothing of value could be withdrawn from the coal by soaking. Moist coal, when exposed to the air, deteriorates rapidly and is liable to spontaneous combustion, but so long as the fuel is kept under water in settling basins these drawbacks would not be experienced; if not to be used at once, the coal would be stored in this way, and stirred up again before pumping to consumers.

Welding by Simple Pressure.

That simple pressure, when it is very great and long continued, is capable of producing effects ordinarily obtainable only by heat, has been shown in many ways, notably by the experiment of Spring, the Belgian chemist, who demonstrated several years ago that two or more metals could be forced thus to form an alloy at a temperature below their fusing points, and that chemical combination could be induced by similar methods. The latest experiments of the same physicist, described recently before the Belgian Royal Academy, are noticed in Engineering, London, September 28. Cylinders of gold, lead, etc., with plane ends, were pressed together endwise in a screw clamp and kept for several hours in a heating oven, at a temperature of 2,000° to 4,000°, when they were found to be so firmly joined as to form practically one piece of metal, breaking in a different place when forcibly separated. Platinum cylinders were thus welded at a temperature 1,000° below the melting point.

The Application of Electricity to Commercial Chemistry.

Electrical processes are coming to be applied more and more in chemical operations, particularly in Germany and France, where electro-chemistry is growing rapidly in favor, both as a branch of theoretical study, and as a factor in chemical manufacture. Besides the electrolytic disinfecting process already mentioned several times in this column, processes have recently been perfected for the production, by electrical decomposition, of soda, chlorate of potash, sulfuric acid, and bleaching materials, and for the electrolytic purification of dyes. There are evidences, too, that Americans do not intend to allow foreigners to reap all the honors and rewards in this new and promising field.

Science Notes.

Coffee has been found by a German investigator to possess marked germicidal properties. Pure coffee of the ordinary strength in which it is utilized as a beverage killed cholera bacilli in three hours and typhus bacilli in twenty-four hours. The anti-bacterial substances seem to be developed in the coffee-bean by the roasting process.

An English paper tells of a Manchester man who carries on his person a complete museum of electric appliances, including a burglar-alarm—or, rather a pocket-alarm—system. An attempt to steal his scarf-pin or watch rings a tiny bell; a fine platinum coil furnishes the means of lighting a cigar regardless of the weather; and an incandescent lamp at the end of a cane furnishes very good light when needed. The needful electric plant weighs only about twenty-two ounces.

What is possibly the oldest steam engine in the world has just been discovered in Fairbottom Valley, near Oldham, England, rusting away in the open air, where it had been erected early in the last century for pumping purposes. It was built by Newcomen in 1705, and is of the single-acting type known by his name, the steam being admitted only on one side of the piston and condensed directly in the cylinder by the injection of water. It is to be hoped that the interesting old relic will be preserved in some way.

Pictet, the French chemist, whose recent researches on the properties and behavior of various substances at extremely low temperatures have attracted so much attention, now finds that phosphorescent bodies cease to glow under such circumstances. Where powdered sulfid of lime—the material used in the so-called "luminous paint"—was placed in a tube, it glowed as usual in the dark after exposure to the sun's rays, but when the tube was lowered into liquid nitrous oxid at —140° F., the glow was quenched. The phosphorescence did not reappear at once when the tube was removed from the cold liquid, but it returned when the sulfid had become heated again.

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CATTLE DROVERS' GRIEVANCES.

Think That the New Regulations Are a Hardship.

To protest against the new regulation compelling drovers and dealers to separate the hogs, milch cows and calves from the cattle and have them placed in the annex to the cattle market, a deputation of drovers and cattle dealers waited upon the Mayor yesterday morning. With the deputation were: Corneliue Flannigan, Joseph Wilson, William Lunness, John Hobson, J. B. Shields, Thomas Maclean, John Hamilton, T. O. Robson, president of the Dominion Live Stock Association; John Halliday, W. J. Maclennan and others. Ald. Dunn, Sheppard, Frankland and Thompson were also present.

Mr. Flannigan, in speaking for the delegates, said it would be a penalty on shippers to divide their mixed consignments, having bullocks and sheep placed on the main market and milch cows, calves and hogs removed to the annex. It would cause annoyance and inconvenience, and might eventually lead to mixed shipments being carried past Toronto. The Grand Trunk Railway, he said, were charging $2 a car extra for taking the hogs over to the annex.

Mr. Robson referred to Toronto as the Chicago of Canada, and everything ought, he considered, to be done to encourage the trade. The new regulation was impracticable and would work mischief. He suggested that during the winter a large shed should be constructed and a system similar to that in Buffalo adopted here.

Several other speakers followed, and the Mayor promised to submit the matter to the Council.

COURT OF REVISION.

The Members Notified That They Must Expedite Business.

The Court of Revision commenced with the appeals from Division 1 of Ward 4 yesterday morning. At the midday adjournment, as there were still a number untouched, the balance were left over for Nov. 12. In the afternoon the court proceeded with Division 2 of the same ward. As on the previous day, the court was slow to cut down the assessment, in the majority of cases confirming the assessors' figures. The following are some of the reductions:

Ex-Ald. Crocker, property in Queen-street, opposite Portland, $225 from $250 per foot.

Mrs. Catherine Fitzgerald, saloon at the corner of Queen and Simcoe, $4000 for personal property to $3000.

Mary Ball, owner of 439, 441 and 443 Queen-street west, reduced $20 per foot.

The northwest corner of Queen and John-streets was cut from $350 to $300 per foot and $10 per foot was taken off adjoining property.

Follis Johnston, 95 to 99 Borden-street, assessed at $7725, obtained a reduction of $525.

The following got a rebate of $300 each: G. S. Collard, 425-9 Spadina-avenue, assessed at $9150; Alexander Crawford, 252 and 254 Brunswick-avenue, assessed at $1684; Maxwell Sheppard, 96 Bellevue-avenue, assessed at $4800; John Wright, 298 and 300 Robert-street, assessed at $2954; Ed Gould, 159 Lippincott-street, assessed at $2300; Matt. B. Alison, 263 College, assessed at $3300.

A letter was received by Chairman Hewitt from Mayor Kennedy yesterday morning pointing out that, according to the act, the business of the court must be finished by the 15th inst.

A Strange Case.

News of one of the most sensational murder trials of modern times comes from Argentina. The accused was a professor of pathology at the Buenos Ayres Medical School, and besides being a notable scientist was prominent in social and literary circles. His little dinners were very popular until it was noticed that his guests very frequently died within twenty-four hours. There were fifteen such cases in all, but there was not the slightest trace of poison, death being invariably attributed to cholera or yellow fever. Still, the numerous deaths following close upon dining with the professor aroused suspicion, and he was placed upon his trial. No evidence was brought to connect him with the cause of death until the case was on the point of breaking down, when the public prosecutor announced that an important discovery had been made. Next day, the professor's butler appeared, and stated that under his master's instructions he had given the guests ice the professor fetched from his laboratory. After the professor's arrest, the butler noticed that the ice which was left smelt badly after it was melted, and on being analyzed it was found to be a mass of cholera bacilli. They were not killed by being frozen, but regained vitality on being swallowed by the unfortunate guests and caused death from Asiastic cholera almost immediately. The professor did not wait to hear the butler tell his story, but committed suicide by means of a deadly poison contained in a small capsule he had concealed in a hollow tooth. The whole story seems almost too horrible to be true, but it is published on the authority of a respectable English news agency. It is suggested that the motive for the crime was the desire to verify pathological experiments; but any man capable of doing such desperate deeds merely from scientific curiosity must surely be put down as a homicidal lunatic.

Suburban Notes.

The Aberdeen Curling Club of East Toronto held a meeting in the rink in Mainstreet last evening, with the president, Mr. John Richardson, J.P., in the chair. Some general business was gone through and the appointment of the skips was made, viz.: John Richardson, J. S. Tidbury, A. Bell, P. McLuckie, A. J. Ruse, M. Garry, Mr. Fisher.

A certain section of the members think that last year the rink was placed too often at the disposal of skaters, and it is proposed that a meeting be shortly held to decide upon some fairer arrangement.

Work is rapidly going on at the new Roman Catholic Industrial School in Blantyre Park, and it is expected that all things will be in readiness for the opening at the latter end of this month. If possible the institution will be lighted by electricity.

A handsome bookcase of black walnut, with glass doors, was presented to the school a few days ago by the St. Vincent de Paul Society of Toronto, and now stands in the reception room, to the left of the entrance.

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THE TRANSFER BOOKS will be closed from the 15th to the 30th of November next, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

E. S. CLOUSTON,
General Manager.

Montreal, 16th Oct., 1894. 51

THE BANK OF TORONTO.

DIVIDEND NO. 77.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a DIVIDEND OF 5 PER CENT. for the current half year, being at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, upon the paid up capital of this Bank, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its branches on and after

Saturday, the 1st day of December Next

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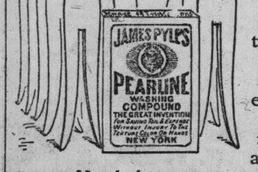

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FEELING BETTER FOR WHEAT

THE LOCAL STOCK MARKET QUIET AND WEAKER.

Irregularity in New York Stocks—Bank Clearings Small at Toronto This Week—Money Continues Easy—Provisions at Chicago Are Firm—Latest Commercial and Financial News.

Thursday Evening, Nov. 1.

Canadian securities were quiet and heavy to-day, with decline in Canadian Pacific and Cable.

Owing to the holiday in London we are without our usual financial reports from London.

Stocks of wheat at Liverpool 400,000 to 420,000 qrs.; maize, 130 to 140,000 qrs.; flour, 200 to 210,000 bbls. A month ago wheat was 125,000 qrs. more; maize, 10,000 qrs. less. A year ago wheat was 400,000 qrs. more, maize 70,000 qrs. less, and flour 50,000 bbls. less.

The clearings of the banks at Toronto for October were $25,750,866, as compared with $20,078,770 in September and $25,264,932 in October of last year.

According to R. G. Dun & Co., the business failures in the Dominion this week number 50, as against 52 last week and 25 the corresponding week of last year.

The earnings of the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ended Oct. 27 were $405,669, a decrease of $80,159 as compared with same week of last year.

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Bank Clearings at Toronto.

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

	Clearings.	Balances.
Oct. 26	$1,014,575	$189,756
Oct. 27	738,715	92,899
Oct. 29	767,011	73,539
Oct. 30	944,042	167,284
Oct. 31	999,341	136,972
Nov. 1	804,204	78,928
Totals	$5,117,886	$ 677,459
Last week	5,468,647	667,376
Cor. week 1893	5,243,635	653,456
" 1892	7,976,079	1,123,863

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Money Markets.

Money on call here is unchanged at 4 to 4 1-2 per cent. At Montreal the rate is 4, at New York 1 and at London 1-4 per cent. To-day was a bank holiday in London, and consequently no market reports.

Foreign Exchange.

Rates of exchange, as reported by Æmilius Jarvis & Co., stock brokers, are as follows:

	Between Banks. Counter.	Buyers.	Sellers.
New York funds	¼ to ¼	1-64 dis to par	
Sterling, 60 days	9¾ to 9⅞	9 7-16 to 9 9-16	
do demand	10 to 10¼	9 11-16 to 9¾	

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
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Toronto Stock Market.

Toronto, Nov. 1. — Montreal, 228 and 224 1-2; Ontario, 112 and 110; Molsons 170 asked; Toronto, 258 and 251 7-8; Merchants', 168 and 166 1-4; Commerce, 140 and 139 1-2; Imperial, 186 1-2 and 186; Dominion, 279 and 277; Standard, 170 and 167 3-4; Hamilton, 162 and 158 1-2.

British America, 115 and 113 3-4; Western Assurance, 151 and 149 3-4; Consumers' Gas, 192 and 191; Dominion Telegraph, 110 bid; Canada Northwest L. Co., pref., 70 asked; C. P. R. Stock, 63 and 61 1-2; Toronto Electric Light Company, 130 asked; Incandescent Light Co., 110 1-2 and 108 3-4; General Electric, 90 asked; Commercial Cable Co., 143 1-2 and 143; Bell Telephone Co., 164 1-2 and 152 3-4; do., new, 154 1-2 and 153; Montreal Street Railway Co., 159 and 158; do., new, 158 and 156.

British Canadian L. and Invest., 118 asked; B. and L. Association, 101 asked; Can. Landed and Nat. Invt. Co., 122 and 121; Canada Permanent, 178 asked; do., 20 per cent., 166 asked; Canadian S. and Loan, 117 1-2 bid; Central Canada Loan, 125 and 123 1-4; Dom. Sav. and Invest. Soc., 75 bid; Farmers' L. and Sav., xd, 112 asked; do., 20 per cent., xd, 103 asked; Freehold L. and S., 140 asked; do., 20 per cent., 127 asked; Hamilton Prov., 128 asked; Huron and Erie L. and Savings, 153 bid; Imperial L. and Invest., 114 asked; Landed Banking and Loan, 115 1-2 bid; Land Security Co., 150 asked; Lon. and Can. L. and A., 123-1-2 asked; London Loan, 105 1-2 asked; Manitoba Loan, 100 asked; Ontario Industrial Loan, 100 asked; Real Est. L. & Debenture Company, 75 asked; Toronto S. and L., 123 1-2 and 118 1-2; Union L. & S., 125 1-2 and 124; Western Canada L. and S., 170 asked; do., 25 per cent., 150 asked.

Morning transactions: Western Assurance, 50, 50 at 150; Cable, 25 at 144, reported.

Afternoon transactions: Imperial, 20 at 185; Cable, 50 at 143 3-8.

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Montreal Stock Market.

Montreal, Nov. 1. — Close — Montreal, 223 and 225; Ontario, 112 and 109 1-2; Toronto, 260 and 251 1-4; Merchants', 168 and 166 1-2; People's, 127 and 125; Commerce, 140 1-2 and 139 1-2; Montreal Telegraph, 153 and 152; Richelieu, 86 and 85 1-4; Street Railway, 159 and 158 1-4; Cable, 143 and 142 3-4; Telephone, 156 and 153 1-4; Duluth, 4 and 3 1-4; do., pref., 9 and 8 1-2; C. P. R., 61 7-8 and 61 5-4; Northwest Land, 60 and 45; Gas, 186 and 184 1-2.

Morning sales: C. P. R., 25 at 62, 150 at 61 3-4, 50 at 61 5-8, 25 at 61 1-2, 100 at 61 5-8, 50 at 61 7-8, 75 at 61 3-4; Cable, 50 at 144, 50 at 143 1-2, 50 at 143 1-4, 75 at 143; Richelieu, 50 at 86, 25 at 85 1-2; Street Railway, new, 25 at 157; Gas, 835 at 185; Commerce, 50 at 139 1-2; Dominion Cotton, 25 at 108 1-2.

No board in afternoon.

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Tips From Wall-street.

The market closed strong to-day.

Lousiville and Nashville net earnings for September show an increase of $24,245.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 2 1-2 per cent.

Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Ladenburg, Thalman & Co., New York: Irregularity continues to be the principal feature in speculation, which most defies analysis to give a coherent description of to-day's market. Prices have been marked up and marked down, but in every fluctuation the only factor was the professional speculative element. Sugar and Reading were the strong features, and the market as a whole appeared ready for an advance. The death of the Czar may not endanger the peace of Europe, yet the news and strengthening of exchange which it caused seems to have increased the danger of gold shipments, and thus created renewed weakness in the afternoon market. Cotton Oil has been weak on the company's annual report, the feature of which is a decrease of net profits to about one-third of those of a year before last. At the close the market was a shade firm in tone.

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New York Stocks.

The fluctuations in the New York Stock Exchange to-day were as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	84⅝	86⅞	84⅝	86⅝
American Tobacco	99	99	98¼	98¼
Bay State Gas	23⅝	24⅝	23⅝	24⅝
Cotton Oil	27⅝	27⅝	26⅝	26⅞
Atchison	5	5	5	5
Chi., Burlington & Q.	72⅛	72⅝	71⅝	72¼
Chicago Gas Trust	74	74¼	74	74¼
Canada Southern	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
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Del. & Hudson	124	125	124	124
Del., Lac. & W.	159	160	159	159
Erie	13⅛	13⅛	13¼	13¼
Lake Shore	131⅛	132	131⅛	131⅛
Louisville & Nashville	53⅝	53⅝	53	53
Manhattan	106⅛	107⅛	106⅛	107⅛
Missouri Pacific	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
U.S. Cordage Co.	13	13⅝	13	13⅝
New England	31	31⅝	31	31⅝
N.Y. Central & Hud.	97⅛	98⅝	97⅛	98⅝
Northern Pacific Pref.	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
Northwestern	99⅛	100⅛	99	100⅛
General Electric Co.	35	35⅛	34⅞	35⅛
Rock Island & Pac.	60	60⅝	60	60⅝
Omaha	33¼	33¼	33¼	33¼
Richmond Terminal	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
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Phila. & Reading	17⅛	18⅝	17⅛	18⅝
St. Paul	60⅛	60⅝	59⅝	60⅝
Union Pacific	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Western Union	86⅝	86⅞	86⅛	86⅛
Distillers	9⅛	9⅛	9	10
Jersey Central	94⅛	95⅛	93⅝	95
National Lead	38⅛	38¼	38⅛	38¼
Wabash Pref.	13⅝	14	13⅝	14

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Puts on May wheat 57 3-4c, calls 58 1-4c.

Puts on May corn 51c, calls 51 5-8c to 51 3-4c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.25 for Nov.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 15,000, including 2000 Texans and 4000 Westerns; sheep 13,000.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago today: Wheat 161, corn 172, oats 95. Estimated for Friday: Wheat 110, corn 125, oats 100.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 32,000; official Wednesday 27,721; left over 4000; the market is 5c lower; heavy shippers $4.20 to $4.85. Estimated for Friday 25,000.

Exports at New York to-day: Wheat, 106,284 bushels; flour, 6058 barrels and 38,844 sacks.

Primary receipts of wheat in the West to-day 603,905 bushels, and shipments 429,320 bushels.

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Breadstuffs.

Flour—Business remains quiet, with prices generally unchanged. Sales of car lots of straight rollers at $2.25 to $2.40, Toronto freights.

Bran—Bran is dull, with quotations west at $10.75 to $11, and on track at $12. Shorts $13 to $14, Toronto freights.

Wheat—The feeling to-day was a trifle better. White sold outside at 50c west, and red quoted at 49c. Spring sold at 54c on Midland. Manitoba grades firm, with sales of No. 1 at 65c west, and at 66 1-2c to 67c east.

Barley — There was a moderate trade to-day, with sales east at 44c for No. 1, and at 40c for No. 2.

Rye — The market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Mixed sold at 35c to 35 1-2c west and white at 36c to 36 1-2c. Cars on track are quoted at 39c to 39 1-2c.

Peas—The market is quiet and firm, with sales west at 51c. A cargo sold at 54c, f.o.b. vessel.

Rye — The demand is moderate, with sales of car lots outside east at 40c.

Buckwheat — The market is quiet and prices steady, there being sales outside east at 38c to 39c.

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THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

Trade quiet at the market to-day.

Grain.

Wheat is steady, 300 bushels selling at 52c for white, at 51c for red, and at 50c for goose. Barley dull, 2000 bushels selling at 41c to 44 1-2c. Peas sold at 54 1-2c for 150 bushels, and oats at 30c to 31c for 800 bushels.

Hay and Straw.

Receipts of hay 20 loads; prices unchanged at $7.75 to $9. Car lots of baled $8.50 to $9. Straw steady at $7.50 to $8.50.

Dairy Produce.

Commission prices: Choice tub 17c to 18c; bakers', 13c to 15c; pound rolls, 17c to 20c; and creamery 20c to 23c. Eggs, cold storage 14c to 15c; strictly fresh, 15 1-2c. Cheese steady at 10 1-2c.

Toronto Savings & Loan Co.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....$1,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL..... 600,000

FOUR PER CENT. interest allowed on deposits. Four and one-half per cent. on debentures. Money to lend.

A. E. AMES, Manager,
10 King-st. West.

Poultry and Provisions.

Jobbing prices: Chickens, fresh, 25c to 35c per pair; ducks, 45c to 60c; geese, 5c, and turkeys 7 1-2c to 8 1-2c per pound.

Dressed hogs steady at $5.30 to $5.75. Hams, smoked, sell at 11 1-2c to 12 1-2c; bacon, long clear, 8 1-4c to 8 1-2c; breakfast bacon, 11 1-2c to 12 1-2c; rolls, 9c; shoulder mess, $14 to $14.50 per barrel; mess pork, $17; do., short cut, $17.50; lard, in pails, 9 3-4c; tubs, 9 1-2c; tierces, 9c.

Beef, forequarters, 3 1-2c to 4 1-2c; hind, 5 1-2c to 7c; mutton, 4c to 6c; veal, 5c to 8c; lamb, 5c to 5 1-2c.

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Seeds.

Alsike steady at $3.75 to $4.50 for poor to medium qualities and $5 to $5.25 for choice. Red clover nominal at $5 to $5.25. Timothy $1.75 to $2.25.

Apples and Vegetables.

Apples per barrel, $1.25 to $2.25; do., dried, 5c to 5 1-2c; evaporated, 7 1-2c to 8c. Potatoes, bag, in car lots, 48c to 50c. Beans bushel, $1.35 to $1.50. Tomatoes, basket, 20c to 25c. Cabbage, doz., 25c to 30c. Cauliflower, dozen, 35c to 50c. Celery, dozen, 30c to 35c. Onions, bag, 80c to 90c.

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Chicago Markets.

John J. Dixon & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Opening.	High est.	Lo'est.	Close.
Wheat—Dec.	52⅝	53	52⅝	53
" —May	57⅝	58	57¼	57⅝
Corn—Dec.	50⅛	51⅜	50⅛	51⅛
" —May	50⅛	51⅜	50⅝	51⅜
Oats—Dec.	28⅞	29¼	28⅞	29¼
" —May	32⅝	32¾	32¼	32¾
Pork—Oct.	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
" —Jan.	11 80	11 87	11 77	11 85
Lard—Oct.	6 90	6 90	6 90	6 90
" —Jan.	6 80	6 87	6 80	6 85
Short Ribs—Oct.	6 10	6 10	6 05	6 05
" —Jan.	5 95	6 02	5 95	6 00

Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Logan & Co., Chicago: Wheat ruled fairly active and higher to-day, due to several causes, viz.: Smaller Northwest receipts, reduction of over 1,000,000 bushels in Liverpool wheat stocks for month of October, reported death of Czar of Russia, and strength in corn. New York was reported as selling freely on the swell which followed on report of Czar's death, and caused a drop in market, but better prices followed on better Liverpool and further strength in corn. The outside situation looks stronger again, and perhaps nothing would help the market more than a good curtailment in the Northwest receipts. The winter wheat market is getting practically nothing, and milling demand reported improving. The feeding is still an important item, which is kept somewhat in the background, but forces itself forward in a most convincing way every now and then. With Liverpool's small stock, strong outlook on corn, diminishing movement in Northwest, present low prices make wheat very attractive to buy.

Schwartz, Dupee & Co., Chicago, wired Dixon: The wheat market to-day was strong throughout the session, and closed at the highest price for the day. Cables steady to higher, and the stock reported at Liverpool only half as much as a year ago. Receipts in Northwest less than 700 cars; the decline there probably due to rainy weather. Total primary receipts were less than 500,000 bushels. Exports were less than 400,000. All advices indicate a continuance of wheat being fed to animals on a large scale. The best outside buying to-day came from New York, but the local trade was large, with the majority of traders on the long side. It looks to us as though we have had the lowest prices we should have on wheat, for the present at any rate. Corn started off at a shade above yesterday's closing price, but advanced 1c to 51 1-8c for May, closing near the top. The nearby options showed more advance than May. The weather will cut a material figure in the corn market. With the advices that we get we cannot help feeling that the outcome of corn will be much higher prices than we have yet had on this crop, though there is no probability of any big rise at present.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 1. — Wheat, spring, 4s 7 1-2d to 4s 8 1-2d; red, 4s 5d to 4s 5 1-2d; No. 1 Cal., 4s 10d to 4s 11d; corn nominal; peas, 4s 10d; pork, 66s 3d; lard, 36s; tallow, 24s 6d; heavy bacon, 36s; light bacon, 36s 6d; cheese, 48s 6d.

London, Nov. 1.—Beerbohm says: Floating cargoes of wheat firmly held; maize nil. Cargoes on passage — Wheat and maize quieter. Cargoes Australian wheat, off coast, 23s 6d, was 23s 3d.

Liverpool — Spot wheat firmly held; maize moderate demand.

French country markets quiet.

Paris market closed to-day and to-morrow.

Weather in England finer.

4.30 p. m. — Liverpool. — Wheat futures steady; red winter, 4s 4 3-4d for Dec. and 4s 7 1-4d for May; maize steady at 4s 3 1-2d for Dec. and 4s 4 1-4d for Feb. and March.

Cotton Markets.

At New York cotton futures were firmer at close. Dec. closed at 5.54, Jan. at 5.59, Feb. at 5.54, March at 5.68, April at 5.73 and May at 5.78.

Business Embarrassments.

Alonzo M. Wright, druggist, Parliament-street, has called a meeting of his creditors for to-morrow at the office of Henry Barber & Co.

A meeting of creditors of the late firm of McDonald & Hill, general store, Massey, will be held in this city on the 16th.

Nelson Lloyd, grocer, Schomberg, has assigned to B. F. Brown.

McEwan & Co., clothing, etc., Sudbury, are in financial difficulties. The creditors are chiefly in Montreal.

"BE SURE YOU'RE RIGHT" THEN GO AHEAD!

Said a wise philosopher of olden times, and he was right, and so are we right. When the directors of the Army & Navy Clothing Company undertake to do anything they're sure to carry it through. It is the case with this Great Sale of Surplus Clothing. We found in our Three Big Stores an excess of Garments amounting to over $67,000.00. There was long consultation and consideration over the terrible state of affairs we found ourselves in. Shareholders in the company were uneasy and felt perhaps that the concern was shaky—the old firm had become obsolete and new men were at the helm—it was no wonder then that the fact of an immense stock of clothing, exceeding the probable demand, and

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was other than an unpleasant prospect. "Sell the entire surplus stock to the highest bidder," said one of the shareholders. The proposition seemed to meet with favor from the others who held shares and the suggestion was finally embodied into a resolution at a meeting of the company a few days afterwards. It carried and the stock was advertised for sale by tender. Two weeks went by