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TREND OF GRAIN OPTIONS IS AGAIN DOWNWARDS

Cables Are Quoted Lower and Chicago Quotations Close Depressed.

World Office,
Wednesday Evening, Nov. 20.

At Liverpool wheat futures closed today ⅝d to ¾d lower. Corn, ¼d to ⅜d lower.

At Chicago December wheat closed ⅞c lower; Dec. corn ⅜c higher, and Dec. oats ⅛c lower.

Winnipeg car receipts of wheat to-day 400, last year 85.

Northwest car lots to-day 373, last week 475, last year 544.

Chicago car lots of wheat to-day 12, contract 2. Corn 135, contract 16. Oats, 85, contract 4.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 1500 bushels of grain, 20 loads of hay, 3 loads of straw and a few lots of dressed hogs.

Wheat—Two hundred bushels fall sold at $1.

Barley—Three hundred bushels sold at 60c.

Oats—One thousand bushels sold at 53c to 54c.

Hay—Twenty loads sold at $19 to $21 per ton.

Straw—Three loads sold at $16 to $18 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—Prices easy, at $7.50 to $8.25 per cwt.

Grain—		
Wheat, spring, bush	$0 95	to $....
Wheat, fall, bush	1 00	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 88	....
Wheat, red, bush	1 00	....
Peas, bushel	0 88	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 70	....
Barley, bushel	0 70	....
Oats, bushel	0 53	0 54
Seeds—		
Alsike, No. 1, bushel	$3 25	to $3 60
Alsike, No. 2, bushel	7 50	8 00
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, new, per ton	$49 00	to* $21 00
Cattle hay, ton	12 00	14 00
Straw, loose, ton	10 00	....
Straw, bundled, ton	18 00	....
Fruits and Vegetables—		
Potatoes, per bag	$0 85	to $1 00
Apples, per barrel	1 75	3 50
Apples, snow, barrel	2 50	3 50
Onions, per bag	1 00	1 25
Poultry—		
Turkeys, dressed, lb	$0 14	to $0 16
Geese, per lb	0 10	0 11
Spring chickens, lb	0 10	0 14
Spring ducks, lb	0 10	0 12
Fowl, per lb	0 07	0 09
Dairy Produce—		
Butter, lb	$0 28	to $0 35
Eggs, strictly new-laid, per dozen	0 40	0 45
Fresh Meats—		
Beef, forequarters, cwt	$4 50	to $5 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	8 00	9 00
Beef, choice sides, cwt	7 50	8 00
Lambs, dressed weight	0 08½	0 09½
Mutton, light, cwt	7 00	8 00
Veals, common, cwt	5 00	6 00
Veals, prime, cwt	8 50	10 00
Dressed hogs, cwt	7 50	8 25

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

The prices quoted below are for first-class quality; lower grades are bought at correspondingly lower quotations:

Hay, car lots, ton, bales	$18 00	to $18 50
Potatoes, car lots, bag	0 80	0 90
Evaporated apples, lb	0 09	0 09½
Turkeys, dressed	0 14	0 15
Geese, dressed	0 08	0 09
Ducks, dressed	0 09	0 10
Chickens, dressed	0 10	0 11
Old fowl, dressed	0 06	0 08
Oats, bushel	0 53	0 54
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Butter, tubs	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 31	0 32
Butter, creamery, boxes	0 30	0 31
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 28	0 30
Eggs, cold storage, dozen	0 23	0 24
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 13¾	....
Honey, extracted, lb	0 13	0 13½
Honey, dozen sections	2 75	3 00

Live Poultry Wholesale.

Turkeys, young	$0 10	to $0 12
Turkeys, old	0 09	0 10
Geese, per lb	0 07	0 08
Ducks, per lb	0 07	0 08
Chickens, fancy, large	0 09	0 10
Chickens, medium	0 06	0 08
Fowl	0 06	0 07
Squabs, per dozen	2 00	3 00

Hides and Tallow.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealers in Wool, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Furs, Tallow, etc.:

Inspected hides, No. 1 cows, steers	$0 07½	
Inspected hides, No. 2 cows, steers	0 06½	
Country hides	$0 06 to	$....
Calfskins, No. 1, city	0 12	....
Calfskins, country	0 10	0 11
Horsehides, No. 1, each	2 75	3 00
Horsehair, per lb	0 28	0 30
Tallow, per lb	0 05¾	0 06¼
Wool, unwashed	0 12	0 13
Wool, washed	0 22	0 23
Rejects	0 16	....
Lambskins	0 75	0 80

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

The following were the last prices made at the call board of the Toronto Board of Trade. Prices are for outside shipping points, except when mentioned:

Winter wheat — No. 2 white, sellers 98c; No. 2 red, sellers 97c; No. 2 mixed, no quotations.

Spring wheat—No. 2 Ontario, no quotations; No. 2 goose, no quotations.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.13 sellers, lake ports; No. 3, no quotations.

Barley — No. 2, sellers, 70c; No. 3X, no quotations; No. 3, no quotations.

Oats—No. 2 white, 51c sellers, buyers 50½c; No. 2 mixed, 48c buyers.

Bran—Sellers, $22, bulk.

Buckwheat—Sellers, 67c.

Rye—No. 2, sellers 86c.

Peas—No. 2, 88c buyers; sellers, 89½c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, sellers 70c, Toronto.

Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, $3.80 bid for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, $5.80; second patents, $5.20; strong bakers', $5.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day:

Wheat—Nov. $1.03¾ bid, Dec. $1.03⅝ bid, May $1.12⅝ bid.

Oats—Nov. 52½c bid, Dec. 50¾c bid, May 53¾c bid.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $4.50 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, $4.10 in barrels. These prices are for delivery here; car lots 5c less.

New York Sugar Market.

Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining, 3.30c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.80c; molasses sugar, 2.95c; refined quiet.

Chicago Grain.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	93⅝	93⅝	92½	92⅝
May	102⅜	102⅝	101⅝	101⅝
July	96⅞	97⅛	96	96⅛
Corn—				
Dec.	54⅝	55½	54½	55⅜
May	56⅛	56½	55⅝	56⅛
July	55⅝	55⅞	55½	55⅞
Oats—				
Dec	46½	46¾	46½	46⅝
May	50	50⅜	49⅝	50
July	44¾	45⅛	44¾	45
Pork—				
Jan	12.47	12.47	12.45	12.45
May	12.72	13.00	12.72	12.97
Ribs—				
Jan.	6.75	6.80	6.75	6.80
May	6.85	7.00	6.85	6.95
Lard—				
Jan	7.75	7.75	7.70	7.70
May	7.67	7.82	7.67	7.80

Chicago Gossip

Marshall, Spader & Co. to J. G. Beaty at the close of the market:

The wheat market has shown a gradual sagging tendency with the support confined almost entirely to the short interest and the pressure suggestive of hedging sales against accumulating receipts in the country, as well as liquidation on the part of disappointed holders. Foreign news was somewhat bullish, talk of prohibition of rye exports from Russia and predictions of storm in the harvest area in Argentine being the factors. Financial conditions are paramount, will continue so, and in addition to this the technical position of the market, a limited short interest and over extended interest among foreign longs, a most emphatic drop in speculative interest and the approaching Argentine competition all opposed to anything approaching bullishness in grain at the present time.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell:

Wheat—A feeling that December liquidation would gradually become more pronounced pervaded the speculative atmosphere to-day and while some opposition to a decline was encountered during the early trading, the final tone showed a decline of about one cent per bushel, with sentiment almost unanimously bearish. The bearish faction was not without items of news in its favor, receipts at Winnipeg larger, foreign markets lower and favorable reports from Argentina. The course of the market for the next few days will be dominated by December liquidation, and while it may sell some lower, we would buy May on any weakness.

Corn and Oats—Ruled lower, but in view of the bearishness in wheat, continued selling by interests already short a large line of corn, the market showed fair resistance and we believe purchases should be made around present level.

Charles W. Gillett to Peter J. Morgan:

Wheat—There was a heavy tone to the market at the opening with the Armour house credited with the best selling and other houses changing over from December to May. Shorts were the best buyers and the demand from this source resulted in a recovery to about last night's closing prices, but the market closed weak at about lowest prices for the day. Argentine weather unsettled and Broomhall says further discussion by Russian officials of prohibiting exports, as of late, news has been so misleading for the last few years that it has little effect. A northwestern house was the best buyer here to-day on the break and as a northwestern elevator house sold the downs today I would not be surprised, to see a temporary recovery in prices to-morrow, altho the market is without special feature and will probably gradually work lower for the next few weeks until December deliveries are made.

Corn—Considering weakness in wheat corn showed some strength, cash corn closed stronger. Local stocks are small. The Patten House was a fairly good buyer of May to-day, and we look to see some further temporary recovery in prices, altho we continue to advise sales on bulges.

Oats—Market has shown no feature and only a very small professional trade. On any sharp break under 50c for May oats would advise purchases for a turn.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Butter, quiet, but steady; unchanged; receipts, 5214.

Cheese, quiet, unchanged; receipts, 688.

Eggs, steady, unchanged; receipts, 7423.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL — Close — Wheat — Spot, quiet; No. 1 Northern Man., 8s 10d to 8s 11d; No. 2 Nor. Man., 8s 8½d to 8s 9d; No. 2 hard winter, 8s to 8s 1½d; No. 2 western winter, 7s 11d to 8s ½d. Wheat futures, steady; Dec., 8s v.; March, 8s 2¾d v.; May, 8s 2½d v. Corn futures, steady; Dec., 5s 7½d v.; Jan., 5s 4½d v.; spot, quiet; spot, mixed American per cental, 5s 7½d to 5s 8d. Flour—Minn. 1st bakers, average price, per sack, 28s 6d to 26s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, weak, 54s; short ribs, easy, 55s; long clear middles, light, dull, 54s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, easy, 52s 6d; short backs, easy, 48s; clear bellies, weak, 51s. Lard, prime western, in tierces, dull, 45s 6d. Tallow, prime city, nominally, 30s.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Flour—Receipts, 19,344 barrels; exports, 6037 barrels; sales, 5250 barrels; dull and unchanged. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour steady.

Cornmeal—Quiet; kiln-dried, $3.55 to $3.70.

Rye—Barely steady; No. 2 western, 91½c, f.o.b., New York. Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Receipts, 111,000 bushels; exports, 199,210 bushels; sales, 1,800,000 bushels futures and 72,000 bushels spot. Spot easy; No. 2 red, 99⅞c, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.01⅜, f.o.b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.13⅜, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.06½, f.o.b., afloat. Trade in wheat was very slow all day and the market generally lower in consequence of weakness in stocks, lower cables, absence of bull support and liquidation of December. The close was ¾c to 1c net lower, disregarding export sales of 400,000 bushels; Dec. $1.02⅝ to $1.03⅛, closed $1.02⅝; May $1.09 5-16 to $1.10⅜, closed $1.09⅜.

Corn—Receipts, 60,200 bushels; exports, 103,268 bushels spot. Spot steady; No. 2, 65c, elevator, and 66c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 white, 67c, and No. 2 yellow, 66c, f.o.b., afloat. Option market was without transactions, closing ⅛c net lower. Dec. closed at 67¼c; May closed at 64½c.

Oats—Receipts, 134,500 bushels. Spot steady; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 52c; natural white, 26 to 32 lbs., 52c to 54½c; clipped white, 32 to 40 lbs., 53½c to 60c.

Rosin—Easy; strained, common to good, $3.65 to $3.70. Turpentine—Easy, 50c. Rice—Quiet. Molasses—Steady.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Another Sharp Drop in American Hog Prices.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated at 22,000; market steady; steers, $4 to $6.50; cows, $2.75 to $4.50; heifers, $2.50 to $5; bulls, $2.60 to $4.85; calves, $3 to $7; stockers and feeders, $2.40 to $4.65.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at about 30,000; market weak to 15c lower; choice heavy shipping, $4.90 to $4.95; light butchers', $4.95 to $5; light mixed, $4.80 to $4.85; choice light, $4.85 to $4.90; packing, $4.40 to $4.80; pigs, $3.75 to $4.75; buk of sales, $4.70 to $4.80.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts estimated at about 15,000; market steady; sheep, $3.75 to $5; lambs, $5.25 to $6.50; yearlings, $4.25 to $5.10.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

EAST BUFFALO, Nov. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; slow and steady, prime steers, $5.60 to $6.

Veals—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000 head; fairly active and 20c to 30c lower; heavy and mixed, $5.25 to $5.35; yorkers and pigs, $5.30 to $5.40; roughs, $4.70 to $4.90; stags, $3.75 to $4.25; dairies, $5 to $5.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6000 head; active; sheep, steady; lambs, 5c higher; lambs, $5 to $6.75; Canada lambs, $6.50 to $6.75.

British Cattle Markets.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—London cables are firmer at 10c to 12½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c per pound.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Nov. 20.—(Special.)—About 800 head of butchers' and canners' cattle, 12 milch cows and springers, 150 calves, 800 sheep and lambs and 400 fat hogs were offered for sale at the east end abattoir to-day. There was only one lead of good cattle on the market, and the most of them could scarcely be classed as prime beeves, they were bought by the Meat Packing Company at $4.10 per cwt. None of the others sold at over 3½c per lb. and there were more if the butchers' cattle, not including the canners, which sold at less than 3c per lb. than were sold at over 3c per lb. The common stock seemed to be a drug on the market and sold at from a little over 1c per lb. up to near 2½c per lb. The canners sold from 60c to 80c per cwt. Milch cows sold at from $30 to $55 each. Grass calves sold at 2c to 3½c per lb.; suckers at 4½c to over 5c per lb. Shippers paid a little over 3¾c per lb. for good sheep; lambs sold at 5¼c to a little over 5¾c per lb. There is quite a drop in the price of fat hogs and while 5¾c per lb. is the general price of the good lots, some lots sold at 6c per pound.

RAILWAYS AND CROPS.

Complaints as to Car Shortage Not Altogether Proved.

OTTAWA, Nov. 20.—Frank Dillinger, traffic inspector of the railway commission, leaves for the west to-morrow to investigate complaints received by the board as to car shortage and delays of railway companies in the movement of grain crops in the western provinces.

Altho a number of complaints of car shortage have been received during the past few weeks, investigation has shown, in some instances, at least, that the situation is not so serious as represented. In one case the board was advised that farmers were unable to store their grain in one of the western elevators on account of its being filled to its capacity, with no cars on hand to relieve the congestion. A telegraphic inquiry to the C.P.R. at Winnipeg brought the reply that in the elevator in question only 85,000 bushels of grain had been stored, while the capacity of the elevator was 100,000 bushels.

Official returns of car inspectors at Winnipeg received by the trade and commerce department show that up to the week ending Nov. 14, 19,654 cars of grain had been inspected this year, as compared with 25,110 inspected up to the same date last year.

The number inspected this year is only about 20 per cent. less than last year, showing that, according to the total amount of the crop, the railways have been moving comparatively probably a larger per cent. this year than last year.

New York Metal Market.

Pig-iron—Dull; northern, $17 to $18.75. Copper—Weak; lake, $12.87½ to $13.12½. Lead—Weak, $4.30 to $4.35. Tin—Weak; Straits, $30.25 to $30.75; spelter weak; domestic, $4.85 to $4.95.

ANGLICAN Y. P. A.

Large Attendance at Mass Meeting at St. Philip's Church.

Fully 500 young people connected with the Toronto branch of the A. Y. P. A. gathered in the school-room of St. Philip's Church on Tuesday evening to listen to speeches, music and enjoy the good things which were provided. The school-room was too small for the attendance and a double program had to be arranged so that half of the audience were entertained in the basement of the church. The speakers were: Bishop Reeve, Archbishop Sweeny and Mr. Bell. Other clergy and laymen spoke to those in the basement. It was what may be called a warm meeting, and everyone present seemed to have enjoyed the evening. The objects of the association were fully discussed by Canon Brown, the bishop and Mr. Bell, and the orchestra rendered some lively airs. The society is certainly gaining ground and the getting together of all the branches on this occasion should give great impetus to the work. To put it in the words of Canon Brown, "Toronto has caught on" to the A.Y.P.A.

ATE CASTOR BEANS.

Toronto Traveler and Friend Narrowly Escaped Death.

WOODSTOCK, Nov. 20.—(Special.)—Harry Charlesworth and Geo. Kerr, a Toronto traveler, narrowly escaped death last night by eating castor beans. Mr. Charlesworth had the beans in his pocket and nibbled one of them. Finding them palatable, he offered some to Kerr.

FIVE WORKMEN KILLED.

Boiler Exploded in John L. Roper's Lumber Mills.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 20.—Five workmen were killed, one fatally, and a number seriously injured by the explosion of a boiler in a planing mill at the John L. Roper lumber mills Gilmerton, Norfolk County, this afternoon.

Empress of Ireland's Trip.

MONTREAL, Nov. 20.—The R. M. S. Empress of Ireland, from Liverpool afternoon of Nov. 15, reported 125 mile seast of Cape Race at 8 a.m. today, and is expected to reach Halifax at noon Thursday, the 21st, and after landing the mails will proceed to St. John, N. B., where she is expected to arrive at midnight same date. Time of passage 5 days 14 hours.

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CHARTER SANCTIONS DOES NOT AUTHORIZE

Argument of the Province Regarding the York Loan Affairs in Nova Scotia.

The case of the Nova Scotia shareholders in the York Loan, to the amount of some $300,000, who are seeking to rank as creditors on the ground that the company did not possess a legal right to transact business in that province was taken up by Referee George Kappele yesterday afternoon. Vavasour Robin, who for some twelve years was treasurer and secretary-treasurer of the company, gave evidence. The enquiry was then adjourned for three weeks, when further evidence will be taken and the point, whether the company acted ultra vires in respect to the powers conferred by their Ontario charter, will be definitely placed on record for argument, decision, and possibly an appeal. In the absence of C. A. Masten, who had gone to New York, T. B. McQuesten appeared for the blue-noses.

Thomas Mulvey was present on the part of the attorney-general to defend the rights of the province on the constitutional question.

"I do not think that as the papers stand any constitutional question is raised," he said, "but we concede that the government of this province has no right to authorize a company to do business outside of the boundaries of this province. The same question was raised in the case of the C.P.R. and certain fire insurance companies, and was before the supreme court. The province merely gives sanction to the agreement of the incorporators to do business in other provinces, but does not give authority to do it. The whole authority for doing business in another province must come from the laws of the province in which the business is done.

Constitutional Limitation.

"The point that it is desired to raise in this case is doubtless that in the charter exists a constitutional limitation which altogether prevents the company from going beyond the limits of this province to do business."

Mr. Kappele: I know that Mr. Masten wishes to raise the question.

Mr. Douglass: If there is no constitutional limitation in the British North America Act, the company had a right to do business anywhere.

Mr. Robin stated that he had left the employ of the company on Aug. 31, 1905. The company sent down to Nova Scotia a superintendent who appointed agents in their usual manner. Special literature for that province was not prepared so far as he knew. Their ordinary literature was circulated. Neither did they advertise. They merely relied in carrying on their business on the field force. He did not recollect resolutions being passed by the directors in respect to the Nova Scotia business.

"Nothing appears in the original records as far as we are able to discover in connection with the opening of this branch," observed the referee.

Mr. Robin said that, as was customary in such cases, Messrs. Burt and Phillips went down to that province; but whether is was at the beginning of this business or later he did not remember. All the subscriptions came to the head office here, and all the stock certificates were issued here. No agency, as far as he knew, for the issue of stock certificates was opened in Nova Scotia, nor was a stock register kept there, or transfers made there. All this business was done here. Local collectors and canvassers were employed. When an application was accepted here, the certificate signed by the president and secretary was issued.

Business Done in Toronto.

Mr. Lynn, an ex-employe, latterly said there was no shareholders' register, altho formerly there was one.

Mr. Kappele remarked that, as he understood it, the right of a provincial chartered company to do business anywhere, so long as it complied with the local laws, would be upheld on the part of the province; further, that provincial charters were properly issued. The company's first entry of business done in Nova Scotia bears date of June 18, 1900. The point is made that the business was really done here, as it was all completed at the head office in this city.

It is understood that within the three weeks the question of ultra vires will be placed on the record in definite form.

H. E. Bastedo, court stenographer, was apopinted by Mr. Kappele a commissioner to take evidence in the matter at issue at Halifax.

When the enquiry is resumed, Mr. Robin will be examined in regard to the juvenile shares issued, the permanent stock and the general condition of the company.

OBITUARY.

Charles Roberts.

Charles Roberts, the well-known reader, formerly of New York, passed away on Tuesday last at his home in Pasadena, Cal. Mrs. Roberts, who had been visiting in Toronto with her sister, Miss Alexander, left last week, immediately on hearing of her husband's illness, and arrived two days before he passed away. Until his removal to California, five years ago, Mr. Roberts was professor of elocution and oratory at the Union Theological Seminary of New York, which position he had filled for twenty-seven years, Andrew Carnegie being among those who received training from Mr. Roberts in public speaking. He was married to Miss Jessie Alexander in Toronto seven years ago, and leaves one son, Master Charles Alexander, as well as three grown-up daughters by a former marriage, John Alexander and W. W. Alexander of the Alexander & Cable Lithographing Co. are brothers-in-law.

Richard Lowe Benson.

ST. CATHARINES, Nov. 20.—(Special.)—Richard Lowe Benson, barrister, fourth son of the late Thos. Benson, Port Hope, died last night. Deceased was for some time deputy sheriff at Cobourg and later practised law at Lindsay. He leaves two brothers, Judge and Colonel Benson, Port Hope, and three sisters, Mrs. Thomas R. Merritt, St. Catharines; Mrs. Calvin Brown of Chicago and Mrs. T. R. Fuller, Toronto. The burial will be at Port Hope.

$10.00 New York and Return.

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PRICES NOT SIGNIFICANT IN THE MINING MARKET

Transactions at Toronto Affected at Steady Quotations—Less Activity in Evidence.

World Office,
Wednesday Evening, Nov. 20.

Cobalt stocks were in a quiet mood today, no movement of significance being recorded during the two sessions of the exchanges. Brokers talk of a hopeful strain being manifest, but until money conditions loosen up no specific movement is likely to generate.

Silver Leaf sold at 7 to-day, the number of shares being quite small in comparison to other days. Cobalt Lake sold at 11 and 10½; Green-Meehan at 16; Cobalt Central for 2000 shares brought 20½; Coniagas sold at 3.80 and 3.85; Scotia, 18; Silver Bar at 30 and 29, and 300 Temiskaming changed hands at 76.

MEDICAL MAN FROM LARDER.

Says the Camp Will Be the Richest in the World.

Dr. Tughan, the pioneer M.D., C.M., of Larder Lake, is a visitor in the city. Dr. Tughan is a native of Listowel. He has every faith in the Larder Lake district, and says that it will eventually prove to be the richest gold camp in the world.

RUSSELL COMING BACK.

Until He Appears Case Against Frank Law is Adjourned.

The case of Frank Law, charged with conspiring with W. L. Russell to defraud has been adjourned for a week. Mr. Russell is still in London and his attorney, T. H. Lennox, has given his personal undertaking to Mr. Cartwright, deputy attorney-general, to produce Mr. Russell as soon as possible. Mr. Russell has been cabled and should arrive within 10 days. The defence were prepared to go on with their case and had expressed their willingness to have any evidence taken, to include Russell's as well. Mr. Lennox expressed a desire to have the case disposed of as soon as possible.

The crown, however, preferred an adjournment in order to have Russell present. Magistrate Kingsford said that nothing could be gained by going on with the case and adjourned for a week. Frank Law's bail of $10,000 was renewed till the 27th.

The witnesses who were called were bound over to appear on the same day.

New York Curb.

Charles Head & Co. report the following closing transactions and sales on the New York curb:

Nipissing, 5⅝ to 5⅞, high 6, low 5¾, 2500; Buffalo, 13 to 13¼; Cobalt Central, 21 to 21½, high 22¼, low 21½, 5000; Foster, 60 to 62; Green-Meehan, ⅛ to ¼; King Edward, ⅝ to ⅞, high ¾, low 11-16, 200; McKinley, 73 to 75; Red Rock, 13 to 20; Silver Queen, ⅝ to 72, 500 sold at 66; Silver Leaf, 7 to 8, 100 sold at 7½; Trethewey, 49 to 51.

Boston curb: Silver Leaf closed at 7½ to 8, 1000 sold at 7½.

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange

Cobalt Stocks—	Asked.	Bid.
Abitibi	6	3½
Amalgamated	5½	4½
Buffalo	2.00	1.25
Cobalt Central	22	18
Cobalt Lake	10¾	10
Coniagas	3.90	3.50
Foster	61	60
Green - Meehan	17	15
Hudson Bay	165	...
Kerr Lake	4.00	...
McKinley Dar. Savage	80	70
Nipissing	5.87	5.75
Nova Scotia	18½	17
Peterson Lake	13	12
Red Rock	15	10
Right of Way	3.25	1.75
Silver Leaf	7⅛	7
Silver Bar	32	28
Silver Queen	68	66½
Temiskaming, old stock	80	76½
Trethewey	51	48
University	3.00	1.00
Watts	...	33

—Morning Sales—

Silver Leaf—700 at 7, 400 at 7.
Cobalt Lake—100 at 11, 100 at 10¾, 200 at 10½.
Foster—25 at 61½, 100 at 60¾.
Green-Meehan—300 at 16, 100 at 16.
Cobalt Central—2000 at 20½.
Trethewey—25 at 51, 500 at 50, 100 at 50.
Coniagas—10 at 3.80, 30 at 3.80.
Silver Queen—500 at 68.

—Afternoon Sales.—

Green-Meehan—200 at 16½, 200 at 16, 200 at 16.
Temiskaming—300 at 76.
Abitibi—200 at 4½.
Silver Bar—100 at 30, 100 at 29.
Foster—1000 at 59, 500 at 60.
Nipissing—20 at 5.87½, 5 at 5.87½, 25 at 5.82, 25 at 5.87.
Silver Leaf—500 at 7.
Nova Scotia—500 at 17¼, 200 at 18.
Coniagas—100 at 3.85, 100 at 3.85, 100 at 3.85.

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Peterson Lake	....	....
Red Rock Silver Mining	....	....
Nova Scotia Silver Cobalt	....	....
Silver Leaf Mining Co.	....	.06½
Cobalt Silver Queen	....	.65
Temiskaming	....	....
Trethewey	....	....
Watts Mines	....	....

—Morning Sales.—

Trethewey—500 at 50, 500 at 50, 1000 at 50, 1000 at 50, 100 at 49½.
Silver Leaf—2700 at 7.
Foster—100 at 61, 1000 at 60.
Abitibi—2000 at 4.

—Afternoon Sales.—

Foster—500 at 60, 500 at 60.
Peterson Lake—100 at 13½.

Murder on Street.

BUFFALO, Nov. 20.—As the result of the refusal of Luigi Gambecurta to pay a gambling debt, which Raymond Femeni alleged he owed him, Gambacurta to-day drew a stiletto and stabbed Fement to death in the street in the presence of nearly one hundred Italians.

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At the Theatres

To-night will witness the opening performance at the Princess Theatre of the delightful play, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which has met with such remarkable success thruout the country. Laughter and tears are close together all thru this play, in which all the comedy of the book has been enriched by the fancy of the dramatist. Blanche Chapman, who appears as the quaint, motherly Mrs. Wiggs, is scoring the hit of her career in this part.

Pixley & Luders' famous musical comedy success, "The Burgomaster," will be presented at the Grand next week, with a large cast, headed by Gus Weinburg and Ruth White. These two sterling players are the originals in the roles of the genial old Peter Stuyvesant, burgomaster of New Amsterdam, and Willie, the gay youth who leads the governor around New York when he is reincarnated. The company will number fifty people. Miss White has written a new song, which she will introduce in the first act.

The popular American comedienne, Miss Ethel Barrymore, is to be the attraction at the Princess Theatre for all of next week, and she is to be presented for the first time in this city by the New York manager, Mr. Charles Frohman, in a successful new comedy, entitled "Her Sister," the collaboration of Clyde Fitch and Cosmo Gordon Lennox. The seat sale for Miss Barrymore's engagement begins this Thursday morning at the Princess.

Night scenes of New York, in all its varied revolutions of gaiety, happiness and want, plenty and poverty, will be shown at the Majestic Theatre next week, when the latest metropolitan melodrama, "Broadway After Dark," will be presented. There are four acts and twelve scenes in the play.

For the week of Nov. 25, Manager Shea has booked Master Gabriel, "The Original Buster," who is appearing in Al Lamar's sketch, "Auntie's Visit." A feature of the bill will be Cliff Gordon, the German politician. Other acts to be seen are Eleanor Falke, Rooney Sisters, Wills and Hassan, McCrea and Poole and the kinetograph. Receptions will be held every afternoon on the stage by Master Gabriel, and every child will receive a souvenir.

Phil Ott, the star of successful musical comedies, was especially engaged to produce and play the principal comedy roles with the Sam Devere show this season. When the company opens at the Star Theatre next Monday a real treat in this style of entertainment is promised.

The rehearsal last night of the Toronto Festival Chorus and orchestra at Massey Hall, under Dr. F. H. Torrington's direction in preparation for the production of "The Fiery Cross," by Max Bruch, and the "Stabat Mater," by Rossini, this evening was the most successful in its history. The cantata is full of stirring music founded on Scottish themes, and is glorified by the genius of a great composer. Happily combined with this new masterpiece is the very famous work, "Stabat Mater," by Rossini. The soloists are E. C. Towne, tenor, of Chicago; Miss Leonora Kennedy, soprano; Mrs. Grace Carter Merry, contralto; Arthur Blight, baritone; J. W. Richardson, basso. The chorus numbers 200 voices and the orchestra fifty pieces.

The sale of seats for the Paderewski recital at Massey Hall next Wednesday evening continues in great force. Mr. Paderewski's program is a new selection of many delightful numbers for this tour.

The subscription list for the National Chorus and New York Symphony Orchestra concerts on Dec. 16 and 17 will close at Massey Hall on Monday next. Three very exceptional programs have been arranged by Dr. Ham and Walter Damrosch. The soloists are Miss Helen Davies, soprano; Kelley Cole, tenor, and Francis Rogers, baritone.

INVENTOR LETS STREET CAR HIT HIM TO PROVE FENDER

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 20.—For the purpose of testing a new street car life guard, of which he is the inventor, Benjamin Lev of Cleveland allowed himself to be struck three times by a street car to-day, and emerged uninjured from the test.

The car was going at 15 miles an hour when it struck Lev.

Robbed of $60,000.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 20.—A despatch from Bokhara, Central Asia, says that two officials of the Bokhara treasury were attacked in that city, mortally wounded and robbed of $60,000 to-day.

The robbers were captured, but the money was not recovered.

Hanged in Barn.

RENFREW, Nov. 20.—Phil. Kennelly of Adamston committed suicide by hanging in his barn.

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