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AT OSGOODE HALL.

Justice Ferguson Refuses a Motion for Non-Suit in Rainsville v. The G.T.R.

-The Verdict Stands. At the non-jury sittings, in Elliott Pim, judgment was given for plaintiff for \$790, principal and interest, due under a

Judgment was reserved in Griffin v. Fawkes. The action is to enforce an award made by Mr. S. H. Blake, Q.C. In Turner v. Appelby, the plaintiff seeks to recover moneys collected under a mort-guge. The case will be concluded to-day. Justice Ferguson has given judgment in Rainsville v. G. T. Railway, refusing the motion for non-suit after trial at Sand wich. The plaintiff seeks camages for loss sustained by fire caused by spars from an engine of defendants. Judgment is directed to be entered for plaintiff upon the verdict.

To-Day's Lists. Single Judge, at 11 a.m.: Ibbotson v. Small, Crichton v. City or Teronto, Atwood v. Jackson, Bulst v. Currie, Parislan v. Wilson, Denison v. Woods, O'Connor v. Gemmill, Gardner v. Mathews, Thompson v. School Section 17, Township of Sombra. Non-jury Sittings, at 10 a.m.: Turner v. Appelby, Holt v. Harrison, Gold Medal, etc., Co. v. Lumbers, Carlyle v. Watson, Biggs v. Hunter, Macdonald v. Lake Simcoe, Covington v. Toronto Type Co.

It is nothing short of marvellous the manner in which riders of Clevelands are manner in which riders of Clevelands are capturing prizes all over the country. It doesn't seem to matter now many there are in a race, or how adverse the circumstances, they always seem to finish either hist or second, and in a great many races even first, second and third. The following is last week's record:

Toronto Radiator Co.'s games—1st, two-mile race; second, three-mile race.

G.T.R. races—1st, two-mile race; 2nd, two-mile race; G.T.R. champlonship.

R. & T. Watson's races—1st, 10-mile handicap; 2nd, 10-mile handicap; 3rd, time prize. prize.

Warwick Bros. & Rutter—1st, 2½-mile race; 1st time prize. And, to crown it all, at the annual games of the Trinity College School, riders of the Cleveland captured and a half per cent, interest paid on savings aceposits, second and third places in every event.

Subscribed Captur....... 195,416

Paid-Up Capital............ 195,416

Deposits received on current account. Four and a half per cent, interest paid on savings aceposits. Collections promptly made. Money loaned.

GEO. DUNSTAN, Manager 86 King st, east, Toronto.

The creditors of Abbott Bres., grocers, this city, will meet to-day.

J. A. Simpson, cigars, Gueligh, is offering to compromise with his creditors.

Jehn Leece, grocer, Hillsdale, is offering to compromise at 20c on the dolar.

At a meeting of the creditors of W. Mowat, Napanee, which was held at Assignee Clarkson's office yesterday, an offer of 35c on the dollar was accepted. Liabilities amounted to \$30,000. The principal creditors are Stewart & Macdonald of Glasgow, whose claim is \$20,000.

W. H. Thompson, general merchant, Schreiber, has assigned to J. M. Aus in, Chapleau. A meeting of creditors will be held on Thursday.

James Vigles, tinsmith, Stevensville, has assigned to John Hanson. A meeting of creditors will be held on Saturday.

Money to Lend on Stocks and Bonds. Business Embarrassments,

Yesterday in Wall Street. New York, Oct. 18. — The Evening Post says: "To-day the market rose on London buying in the morning hours, on London buying in the morning hours, relapsed into extreme dulness, and in the last hour was a little more active, saving the list from inanition. So far as the professionals were concerned they bought moderately for an upward turn, besides covering some short sales in Sugar and Chicago Gas. In both of these stocks, however, the best opinion is that a considerable short interest remains. The slightly easier tone in money foreshadowed by Saturday's bank statement favored a resumption of speculative operations, but the stock market made no genuine response."

Edward Odlum in Town. Edward Odlum in Town.

Mr. Edward Odlum of Vancouver, B.C., is spending a few days in the city. He has just returned from England, where, under commission from British Columbia, he has been giving lectures encouraging immigration to Canada.

When asked what our country was thought of over there, Mr. Odlum replied that every man spoken to, from the lowest to the highest, from titled head to artisan, seemed greatly interested in Canada. Mr. Odlum has been commissioned by a company of British capitalists to prospect the Klondike region, where he will go as soon as practicable.

A Carload of Junk. A Carload of Junk.

Jacob Mehr & Son sued A. Helpert before Judge McDougall to decide the ownership of a car load of scrap iron. Mehr says that Mr. Goldstein and T. Wyner, who sold the junk to Helpert, were his purchasing agents, to whom he had advanced the money for the purchase. Helpert says he bought the stuff in good faith from Goldstein, with whom he had previous dealings. Goldstein has been arrested on the charge of the theft of the junk, and says that he bought the material on his own account, was not an agent for Mehr, and sold it to the best advantage.

Woodbridge, Oct. 18.—The great annual event which has for many years drawn immense crowds from all over the Province, and especially from Toronto, will this year eclipse all former records. The entries this year number over 4500, which is over 1000 more than on any previous occasion. The building space has been increased, and the grounds are in splendid condition for the opening to-morrow. To-day \$3000 worth of dogs arrived from Hamilton for the great Dog Show, which is a new feature. Special trains will leave foronto at 10 a.m. and 12.30 noon. Woodbridge Fair.

Annoyed by Rowdles.

James Walker, 57 Tecumseth-street, was teaching Miss Hughes to ride a bicycle on Wellington-square, when a gang of rowdies annoyed him. He resented it, and got badly kicked and cuffed. Miss Hughes was also assaulted. Allan O'Hanley was arrested in connection with the case and remanded till Tuesday. In the meantime an effort will be made to secure the other members of the gang. members of the gang.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, loss of vitality in the stomach to secrete the gestric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also being the principal cause of headache. Parmalee's Vegetable Fills, taken before going to bed for a white never fail to give relief, and effect a cure. Mr. F.W. Ashdown, Ashdown, Ont., writes: "Parmalee's Pills are taking the lead against ten other makes which I have in stock."

States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

Oct. 16, '97. Oct. 17, '96. Oct. 19, '95. Oct. 19, '96. Oct. 19, '96.

the Chicago Market.

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Stocks at Firmer Quotations.

Large Increase in Earnings of the Road National Fire Assurance Co. -Wall S'reet Market Quiet and Higher Canada Accident and Plate Glass Co. -Grain Statistics-Provisions are Higher Lloyd's Plate Class insurance Co. at Chicago - Large Decrease in Corn
London Guarantee & Accident Co, Employers Lublity, Accident & Common Carriers'
Policies Issued.

Monday Evening, Oct. 18. Lard is 3d higher in Liverpool. May wheat in Liverpool 1/2d lower. wheat in Chicago 11/2c lower, at

Puts on Dec. wheat 90%c, calls 91%c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at \$3.35 for Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 184, corn 1339, oats 487. Estimated for Tuesday: Wheat 240, corn 800, oats

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 1404 cars.

The English visible supply of wheat decreased 33,000 bushels the past week. Imports into the United Kingdom the past week: Wheat 302,000 qrs., maize 152,000 qrs., and flour 163,000 barrels. Stocks of wheat in Chicago 3,119,000 Stocks of wheat at New York 2,318,000 ushels.

India shipments of wheat the past week were 48,000 bushels. were 48,000 bushels.

Russian shipments of wheat for the week aggregate 3,216,000 bushels.

Receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 36,000, or 2000 more than expected. Estimated for Tuesday 22,000.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 20,000, including 500 Texans and 7000 Westerns.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 11 arrels and 31,225 sacks, wheat 161,167 bush-The world's shipments of wheat for the past week were 9,445,000 bushels, as against 7,450,000 bushels the previous week and 8,981,000 bushels the corresponding week of last year.

In the past three months the exports of flour and wheat from the United States and Canada aggregated 53,920,000 bushels, against 43,153,000 bushels last yeear. TORONTO FINANCIAL

CORPORATION.

12 Jordan-street, Toronto

important centres:		o-day a
Important centres.	Cash.	Dec
Chicago	\$0 901/2	\$0 911
New York	0 941/8	0 937
Milwaukee		0 88
St. Louis		0 953
Toledo	0 921/2	0 935
Detroit	0 92	0 933
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 89%	
Duluth, No. 1 Norther	n 0 87%	0 863
Toronto, red	0 83	
Toronto, No. 1 hard, n	ew 1 00	

JOHN STARK & CO., Members Toronto Stock Exchange

26 Toronto Street, MONEY INVESTED CAREFULLY in Stocks, Debentures, Mortgages. Cou-pons, Interest. Rents collected.

A Better Feeling. Holders of Northwest Land, pref., were firmer in their views to-day. No stocks offered under 53, and the bid at the close was 51½. The advance in Canadian Pacific is having a good effect on Northwest Land Co. stock, and the latter is said to be booked for much higher prices. The reports of immigration agents are most satisfactory. A large number of farmers from Britain and the United States are expected to take up land in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories in the spring. A few years of unexampled prosperity are said to be in store for Canada, and all good securities are purchases.

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23 Toronto-Street. 246

The earnings of Canadian Pacific for the week ended Oct. 14 were \$644,000, an increase of \$204,000 as compared with the corresponding week of last year. Waterous Engine Works Company, Ltd

Office 83 Front Street West, Tel. 117. Toro Toronto Hugh Cameron, Agent.

Visible Supply of Grain. The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

eased 216,000 and barley increased 635, No Outside Support Given to

Oct. 18, 1897.

Fall wheat, bu... 19,907

Spring wheat, bu... 428

Goose wheat, bu... 429

Goose wheat, bu... 4,000 Oct. 11, 1897. 24,242 400 12,242 920

\$275,000 TO LOAN at 4½ to 5½
Real Estate Security, in sums to suit. Rents
collected. Valuations and Arbitrations at-Moderate Speculation in Canadian William A. Lee & Son Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Brokers, GENERAL AGENTS.

Western Fire and Marine Assurance Ca. Manchester Fire Assurance Co.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with prices unchanged at 30c to 31c west, and at 33c east.

Barley—The market is dull, with offerings small. No. 2 is quoted at 30c to 31c, and feed sold at 24c, high freights.

Onts—The market is steady, with sales of white at 21c, high freights. Mixed are quoted at 20c to 20½c, high freights.

Peas—The market is heavy, sales being made at 42c to 42½c, high freights.

Ontmeal—The market is quiet and prices firm at \$2.90 to \$3.10 for cars on track.

Corn—The demand is fair, with holders generally asking 28c west. Buyers at 25c to 26c.

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| I.ecal Breadstuß Market. | Trade to-day | Open High Low Close | Wheat—Dec. | 12½ 20% 29% 91 91½ | On Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard quoted for export at \$3.50 to \$3.85 west, with prices generally unchanged. Red and white sold at 80c west, and at \$4 here. | Wheat—Dec. | 767 792 767 790 | Tor on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard quoted for export at \$7.50 west, and \$8 middle freights. Spring is quoted at 75c to 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard quoted at 91c to 91½c, Fort William, and at 96c, Goderich. | Bran—The market is steady, with prices (unchanged at \$7.50 west, and \$8 middle freights. Shorts \$11.50 to \$12 west. | Buckwheat—The market is steady, with prices (unchanged at 30c to 31c at 33c east. | Steady | With at 33c east. Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of

Liverpool, Oct. 18.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 5½d to 7s 9d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 11½d to 8s 0d; red wheat, 7s 8d to 7s 9d; peas, 5s 1d; corn, 3s 1½d; pork, 50s 0d for fine western; lard, 23s 0d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 33s 0d; do., light, 32s 6d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 9d; cheese, 45s.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures firm at 7s 4½ for Dec. and 7s 2½d for May. Maize firm at 3s 1½d for Nov. and 3s 2½d for Dec. Flour 24s 9d.

London—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. English country markets quiet and steady. Maize on passage less active.

Paris—Wheat 28f 90c for Nov. Flour 61f 45c for Nov. French country markets firm. Liverpool—Close—Wheat dull at 7s 4d for Dec. and 7s 1½d for May. Maize dull at 3s 1½d for Nov. and 3s 2d for Dec. Flour 24s 9d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage quiet and steady. English wheat market firm and foreign weak.

Paris—Close—Wheat 28f 80c for Nov. Flour 61f 90c for Nov. Weather in France fine.

FINANCIAL.

The local stock market was fairly active to-day, with prices in many instances high-er.

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APPROVAL. Tweed Suitings. Yesterday was conspicuous for its large quota of orders. While the charges, \$20, \$22.50 and \$25, are decidedly low for such strictly high-class material we have more than maintained our high standard of excellence in material and workmanship. Only one sult length to many patterns-you will see the advisability of calling at

> Scores' Guinea Trousers are increasing their prestige in a wonderful way. Eight and Mine Dollar Goods for \$5.25 is what we are selling in "Guineas," and those who test understand good values recognize this fact.

The market is quiet, with prices generally steady. Bacon, long, clear, 8½c to 9½c. Breakfast bacon; 11½c to 12c. Rolls, 10½c to 11c. Mess pork, \$14; do., short cut, \$15.50 te \$16; do., shoulder mess, \$12.50. Hams, smoked; 11½c to 12½c. Lard, 6½c for tleres, 6½c for tubs and 7c for pans. Compound, 5½c to 5½c.

A. E. AMES & CO. Bankers and Brokers. Money to Lend on marketable Stocks and

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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. The receipts of grain were not heavy, only about 4000 bushels being delivered. About 800 bushels of wheat sold at the following prices: White wheat steady at 81c to 83c, red 82c to 83c, and goose firm at 78c to 78½c per bushel. Rye firmer, selling at 44c to 44½c for 200 bushels.

Barley remains steady and 1500 bushels brought from 26c to 36c per bushel. Oats steady, 1000 bushels selling at 24c to 25c. Peas 46c to 46½c for 200 bushels. Hayfirm at \$8 to \$9 per ton for 20 loads. Straw none offered, but worth \$8 to \$9 per ton for sheaf! Potatoes; receipts light and selling at 50c to 60c per bag.

 Wheat, white, bush
 \$0 81 to \$0 83

 "red, bush
 0 82
 0 83

 "goose, bush
 0 78
 0 78

 Barley, bush
 0 27
 0 36

 Rye, bush
 0 44
 0 44

 Oats, bush
 0 24
 0 25

 Peas, bush
 0 46
 0 464
 Red clover, bush ... \$3 25 to \$3 50
Alsike clover, bush ... 3 50 4 25
Timothy, bush ... 1 25 1 35
Beans, white, per bush ... 0 00 0 70 Hay and Straw-

Hay, per ton ... \$8 00 to baled, cars ... \$8 00 to baled, cars ... \$8 50 to baled, cars ... \$8 50 to baled, cars ... \$8 00 to baled, cars ... \$25 to baled, cars Dairy Products-Butter, lb. rolls ... \$0 18 to \$0 20

"large rolls ... 0 14 0 16

"creamery ... 0 18 0 20

Eggs, fresh, case lots 0 15 0 16

fresh, per doz ... 0 18 0 19

Cheese, per lb ... 0 10 0 12

 Fresh Meats –

 Beef, hindquarters, cwt. \$6 00 to \$7 00

 " forequarters, cwt. \$3 50 4 50

 Lamb, cwt. 6 00 7 00

 " each 2 50 3 50

 Mutton, carcase, cwt. 5 00 6 00

 Veal, carcase, cwt. 6 50 7 50

 Hogs, dressed, light 6 20 6 35

 " heavy 5 50 6 00

Chickens, per pair ... \$0 35 to \$0 60 Ducks, per pair ... 0 40 0.90 Geese, per lb. ... 0 06 0 07 Turkeys, per lb. ... 0 09 0 10
 Apples, per bol.
 \$1 50 to \$2 00

 Potatoes, per bag
 0 50
 0 60

 Tomatoes, per basket
 0 10
 0 15

 Cabbage, per doz
 0 15
 0 20

 red, each
 0 05
 0 15

 Cauliflower, per head
 0 05
 0 10

 Beets, per bag
 0 45
 0 50

 Onlons, per bag
 0 60
 0 80

 Carrots, red, per bag
 0 30
 0 35
 Fruit and Vegetables-

The bullion gone out of the Bank of England on balance to-day was £20,000. Consols are firm, closing to-day at 111 13-16 for money and at 111 15-16 for account.

13-16 for money and at 111 15-16 for account.

In Paris 3 per cent, rentes are 103f 7½c. Canadian Pacific is ¾ higher in London, closing to-day at 85.

American securities in London were quiet and firmer. St. Paul closed at 96½, N.Y.C. at 110½, Penn. Central at 58%, Ill. Central at 105¾, Reading at 12%, Eric at 16%. Northern Pacific, pref., at 53% and Louisville & Nashville at 58.

The withdrawals of gold from the Bank of England within a week were £1,000,000, and since June last £5,000,000. Higher rates for money may be expected in Lonrates for money may be expected in London.
Washington news says there is a possibility that the maximum freight decision may go over until next Monday.

E. R. C. Clarkson ASSIGNEE,

ONTARIO BANK GHAMBERS, Scott-Street, Toroeto, Established 1864.

The local money market is quiet, with call loans quoted at 4 per cent. At Montreal the rate is 4, at New York 2½ and at London 1½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 3 per cent., and the open market rates 2½ to 2% per cent.

THE CANADIAN MUTUAL LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY. Authorized Permanent Capital. \$5,000,000 00
Assets Dec. 31, 1806. 1,058.031 31
Reserve Fund 10,058 75
Contingent Fund 3,971 96
Fully paid up permanent stock issued, beacin

6 per cent. interest. 246 Head Office, 51 Yonge Street. Foreign Exchange. Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-stree west, stocks and exchange brokers. Toronto report local rates to-day as follows: -Counter- -Bet. Banks. Buy. Sell. Buy. Sell N.Y. Funds...| ½ to ...|5-64 to 3-64 dls. Stg. 60 days...| 8½ to 87:85% to 8 7-16 do. demand... 9½ to 9%|5% to 8 15-16 RATES IN NEW YORK.

Posted. Actual. Sterling, 60 days ... 4.82½ 4.82 demand ... 4.85½ 4.83% to 4.84½ Montreal stock Market. Montreal stock market.

Montreal, Oct. 18.—C.P.R., 82½ and 82%;
Duluth, 4 and 3%; do, pref., 8 and 6½;
Cable, 182¼ and 181½; Cable, coup. bonds,
107½ and 104½; Telegraph, 180 and 175;
Canada Northwest Land, pref., 54 and 50;
Richelleu, xd., 106 and 105; Street Railway,
xd., 223½ and 223%; do., new, xd., 221½; land 221½; Telephone, 177½ and 172½; Torouto Railway, 33 and 82¾; Halifax Railway,
116 and 110; Cornwall Railway, 53 and
47½; St. John Railway, 130 and 120; Royal
Electric, 130 and 137½; Halifax Heat and
Light, 45 and 35; Montreal Bank, 240 and
236; Merchants, 187½ and 180; Commerce,
138¼ and 137; Molsons, 190 and 196½; Torouto, 235 and 230; Ontario, 100 and 97½;

136. Sales at 1 p.m.: Western Assurance, 100, 50 at 168; Gas, 4 at 210½; C.P.R., 25 at 81½ cash, 200, 25, 125, 50, 25 at 82. Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Imperial Bank, 22 at 190½; Western Assurance, 45 at 168, 5 at 167½; C.P.R., 50 at 82½, 50, 50 at 82½, 25 at 82½; Toronto Electric, 10 at 136¾, 10 at

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20% 21½ 20%
2012 20%
211 213 211
32% 33½ 32%
5 24½ 24% 24
93% 94 93½
87% 88½ 87%
934 93% 94
10 19½ 19
27 27
10½ 10½ 10
30% 31¾ 30%
11 11½ 11
32% 33¼ 32%
15% 15% 15% WYATT & CO.

Tips From Wall Street. The market closed firm.
The earnings of St. Paul for the week ended Oct. 14 show an increase of \$64,572.
Northern Pacific earnings for the first week of October showed an increase of \$116,000 over the corresponding week of The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar 46,000 shares, St. Paul 14,500, R.I. 7100, Northwest 2300, New York Central 7600, Northern Pacific pref. 9300, Reading 2800, Mo. P. 7000, L. & N. 5500, Burlington 13,500, Chicago Gas 17,600, Manhattan 1300, Tobacco 1700, Atchison pref. 3800.

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Henry A. King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the following despatch to-day from New York:

The stock market enjoyed sharp railies to-day, which had been foreshadowed in the closing dealings of last week. There was only moderate commission house business, but arbitrage houses bought, and professional element was bullish throughout. The ease in money as a result of recent heavy arrivals of gold, the expectation of a favorable bank statement next Saturday, and a feeling of relief at the announcement that the decision in Nebraska maximum rate law case, with its disturbing possibilities, would not be handed down for at least another week, were the bullish, stimulants. The movement against the shorts in Sugar was effective in influencing sentiment in the general lists. Sugar after New York Gossip.

Dominion Coal, pref., 106 and 105¼.

Morning sales: C.P.R., 50 at 82½, 25 at 82½, 25 at 82½, 40 at 82, 25 at 82½, 100 at 82, 25 at 82½, 100 at 82, 25 at 82½, 100 at 82, 20 at 223, 200 at 223, 1024 at 223, 200 at 223; do., new, xd., 100 at 221, 6, 25, 24 at 221; Royal Electric, 25 at 138; Toronto Raliway, 100 at 82½, 200minion Coal Co., pref., 50 at 106; Canada Cotton Co., bonds, 5000 at 95; Dominion Cotton, 75 at 32½,

Afternoon sales: C.P.R., 125 at 82½, 600 at 82½; Richelieu, 350 at 105, xd.; Street Raliway, 25 at 223, xd., 15 at 223¼; 35 at 223, 50 at 223¼, 150 at 223½; Dominion Coal bonds, 500 at 102½.

OSLER & HAMMOND

ing was quiet but infin, with general they per cent. The failure of the Superior Court to hand down decision in the freight case furnished the chief stimunus to the market, and, although the general news was not altogether favorable, the market steadily improved from the start. Traders who had sold stocks short last week in anticipation that the Superior Court decision would be announced, and be against railroads, became nervous and anxious to cover. London turned up a fair buyer, taking on balance fully 10,000 shares. The Grangers, Vanderbilts and Sugar were strongest and led the recovery. Sugar's strength was on covering and buying by brokers, usually identified with insiders, and on revival of rumors of countervailing duty on Dutch sugars. Our information is that the Superlor Court decision is not likely to be handed down until next Monday. If it should be favorable to the railroads, it would have a very beneficial effect on the market. E. B. OSLER, CTOCK BROKERS and H.-C. HAMMOND, Financial Agents.
S. A. SMIJE, Member Foronto Stock Exchange, Dealers in Government, Municipal, Railway, Car Trust, and Miscellaneous Debentures, Stocks on London, (Eng.), New York, Montreal and Toronto Exchanges bought and sold on commission.

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Toronto. Chreago Gossip.

Henry A. King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the foolowing despatch to-day floar Chicago:

The market has been dull and uninteresting to-day. Disappointing cables and the poor export demand at the seaboard checked the buying noted on Saturday, and caused realizing by hooders, as well as selling by scalpers. The trade, however, was not large either way. Liverpool closed unchanged to ½d, lower. There was a slight advance in Continental markets, 10 to 12½ centimes. New York reported only 15 loads of wheat sold for export. Clearances, however, were quite large, equalling 626,000 bush, from the four ports. The visible increase was 1,136,000 bush. There was a decrease in English visible of about 50,000 bush, World's wheat shipments amounted to 9,855,000, against 7,932,000 the week previous. The principal increase was from America. Russia snipped 500,000 bush more than the week previous, but, according to a London cable, a considerable portion of present shipments from that country is to fill old orders, and when this is over, exports from there will be much lighter.

"Prime," in his weekly report, Is buillsh,

o'er, exports from there will be much lighter.

"Prime," in his weekly report, is bullish, and states that the recent rains have been of very little aid, so far, as preaking the drought is concerned, which is as serious as ever. He states that threshing returns up in the Northwest are very disappointing. During the latter part of the session the feeling became quite weak on account of the poor speculative demand, and prices sold down 1½c per bush, as compared with Saturday's close.

Corn has been very weak, the bear factors being large receipts and large increase in visible of 2,793,000 bush, and free seling by elevator people. About the only demand noted came from snorts. Elevator people were also sellers of oats, which, with the weakness in corn, caused a lower market for this cereal.

Provisions opened weas, but railled sharply on covering by packers and some good buying by commission houses. Receipts of hogs were 38,000, with 22,000 estimated for to-morrow.

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C. C. BAINES (Member of Stock exchange). Mining Stocks Bought and Sold. 20 Toronto-street. McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) re-McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch to-day from Chicago:

Wheat—The news at the opening to-day was favorable to holders—higher cables, small increase in the amount afloat and some foreign buying at the scaloard, but speculative trading for the outside account was very light; and other markets were relatively much easier, the result being some selling orders emaing on the market and prices declining 1½c. Some Dec. wheat was sold by brokers, who are supposed to act for holders of important lines, and the premium over May was narrowed to 2½c. Considerable wheat was also changed in this way by local scalpers. The cash demand was disappointing. Scaboard reported 15 loads, but there was nothing done here.

Provisious—Opened a shade lower on 3000 more hogs than expected, but quality of hogs, was very poor. Exporters bought Dec, and Jan. lard and shorts bought Dec, pork. The market advanced quickly and ruled firm remainder of the day, closing steady at about highest prices of the day. Hogs estimated to-morrow, 22,000.

Wheat-Stocks.

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Cheese Markets.
Canton, N.Y., Oct. 18.—Five hundred large heese sold at 8%c, 800 small at 9%c, 800 Utica, N.Y., Oct. 18.—At the Board of Utica, N.Y., Oct. 18.—At the Board of Trade to-day the following sales of cheese were made: 5840 boxes at 8½c, 1130 boxes small at 8½c, 91 packages creamery butter at 21c to 23c, bulk at 21½c. Large cheese unchanged, small ½c lower.

At Little Falls these sales were made: 250 boxes large at 7½c, 100 boxes large at 8½c, 470 boxes large at 8½c, 80 boxes small at 8½c, 160 boxes small at 8½c, 680 boxes small at 8½c, 120 boxes at private terms, 32 packages dairy butter at 17c to 18c.

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By order of the Board.

R. D. GAMBLE,

General Manager.

26 Toronto, Sept. 21, 1897.

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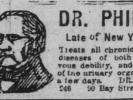
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Heart of the **GUTTED A COFFIN**

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The Building Was Almos to the Fire Brig

As Usual, the Hydrants W. A General Alarm Was Turned Out - Operati Tower Again Delaye

Wires -Loss Estimated Another fire in the hea gutted the factory buildi ased from the James I the Eckardt Coffin Compa was difficult to ascertain, led that it will total \$15,000 The factory was a tail iture, standing in the rear street west. It was alm ated in the block bounded

Lorne and Esplanade-st The Alarm Gi About 11.45 Watchman Jo and near the shute used by Rim Co., one of its-occupa shavings. He gave the the firemen arrived the p to be almost inaccessible. ouple of blind lane appro street and two others from but one of the latter was impassable by a newly-du Two or three streams we on the southern and easter surrounding lane was too any purchase in throwing t roof. The fire had quickly bottom storeys, and dames minutes darting from all si

Water Tower Lost water tower was he but its operation ic wires. An laflammable I The inflammable nature rendered the destruction of old building a foregone of the thick western wall fell the completeness of the rapparent.

The Eckardt Company yesterday to install a m They had not yet moved The only losers on stock Wood kim Company, who the eastern end. At the definite estimate could be loss to the building will appeared on contents \$5000. Gates Were Lor Private Nightwatchman ered the blaze. He was Bay-street-lane of the In

he saw the flames at the S Company's premises. John alarm, and then, accompa man Paterson went to see was, but the gate was a could not obtain an entrar men came. warned Just in At half-past 12 the we building fell outwards to the Lombard-street fremen A timely warning prevente quences, and several men talling bricks as they ran

Mydrants Far A
As the fire burned, it vonly yesterday the Chief inspected the lane leading buildings, and decided to installation of two hydrasecure proper protection. engines had to take water erable distance away on F Got Out in Ti One of the buildings affice flagration was until receive. W. Boulter & Son as a Under the impression that still under lease to that caman in the small hours whoulter, as he slept at though to be informed that ness is now concentrated.

In a Valuable

The fire at one time pr
far more disastrous than
As it broke out in the
block facing on the Espian
and York-streets, a large
houses were threatened w
tion. Among these were
the Toronto Coffee and
the Dodds Medicine Comp.
Paint Works, the Toronto
Bryant Press, including
number of religious public
Medal Furniture Company,
& Go (wholesale ciothier
Manufacturing Company,
Lalley, Watson & Co., C
& Co., the Gutta Percha a
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