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TO DISCUSS THE FEE SYSTEM.

A MOTION IN THE COUNTY COUNCIL FOR SALARIED OFFICIALS.

The Lake Shore-road Declared to Be Unsafe—Cession of Dundas-street to York and Etobicoke—Changes Desired in the Law Re Sheep Worrying—Aid to Agricultural Societies.

The county fathers departed from their usual custom yesterday morning and met sharp at the time appointed.

When the Warden called for enquiries Mr. Bryans arose and asked whether the council had taken any steps to place the Lake Shore-road in a safe condition. Many complaints had been made about this road since it had been taken over by the city. The road is full of holes and no money had been spent by the city in repairing it. The rails are above the roadway, and the railway company should be compelled to carry out its agreement.

A communication was received from the 12th Battalion York Rangers asking for a grant of $100.

Mr. Evans gave notice that on Friday he would move that the Committee on Bylaws introduce a bylaw at the present session abandoning to the municipalities of York and Etobicoke those portions of Dundas-street within the said townships respectively at the expiration of the present lease of the toll-gate on said road, provided the council of the townships of York and Etobicoke have in the meantime passed bylaws accepting such portions of the road as lie within said townships.

Mr. Woodcock then introduced a notice of motion that will likely cause a lively discussion. In a sense the council stand committed to pass the motion, as it has been twice carried in the county council. But in view of the recent utterances of Sir Oliver Mowat it is questionable how the members will deal with it. The present council is made up of 21 Conservatives and 26 Reformers. Here is his motion:

That I will on Friday move that in the opinion of this council, county and judicial officers such as registrars, sheriffs, clerks of the peace, county crown attorneys, etc., should be selected by the people through their representatives in county council. That such officers should be paid by salary. That the fees payable by persons having business with such officers should, when practicable, be payable in stamp furnished by the Government and should be reduced to the lowest minimum sum possible to maintain the respective offices.

It was moved by Messrs. Davidson and Boag that the Committee on Bylaws and Legislation be instructed to introduce a bylaw to appoint two members, with the warden, as county representatives on the Board of Directors of the Industrial Exhibition Association. Carried.

Next followed a long resolution, moved by Messrs. Stokes and Davidson, that the Committee on Bylaws and Legislation be instructed to memorialize the Ontario Legislature to amend the law relating to the worrying and killing of sheep by dogs. That the owners of dogs who have been properly assessed, and who have not sought to evade the law by not giving to the assessors the proper number or sex of their dogs, shall not be liable for any damage to any sheep, but that the municipality shall pay out of the funds two-thirds of the value of the animals killed. Anyone who owns or harbors a dog that has worried or killed a sheep or lamb, and who has not been properly assessed, shall be liable to the full extent of damage. The fence-viewers shall be the valuators along with the owner of the sheep killed.

The council went into Committee of the Whole on this resolution, with Mr. Pegg in the chair.

A long discussion took place, every member who spoke being of the opinion that there should be some change in the law.

On motion of Messrs. Scott and Stokes the matter was referred to a committee composed of Messrs. Evans, Woodcock, Stokes and Richardson to report at this session.

On motion of Messrs. Bull and Goulding it was decided to purchase one copy of the Ontario Statutes for those members who have not already got them.

On motion of Messrs. Woodcock and Arnold the treasurer was instructed to lay before the council the audited accounts relating to criminal justice payable by the county, or Government, quarterly returns installed by the Government for each of the years 1891-2-3.

Mr. Woodcock brought in a motion to moralize the Government to change the law whereby municipalities could shorten the time in which owners had to remove snow from the sidewalks, from 24 hours after falling to within 6 hours. In speaking to the motion the Warden advocated the removal of the snow by the municipalities. That is the custom adopted in East Toronto, and he found it the best plan, as it only added a little over five cents to the taxes of each ratepayer, and the snow was removed without any trouble.

The council then adjourned until 2.30.

Afternoon Meeting.

Communications were received from the County Solicitor, C. C. Robinson, re crossing over C.P.R. tracks at Dufferin and Bathurst-streets. From Bull & Werrett re M. Driscoll. From County Treasurer J. K. McDonald re county accounts for past year.

Mr. Stokes introduced his bylaw appointing two members on the Board of Directors of the Industrial Association.

The council went into committee of the whole with Mr. Reesor in the chair.

It took an hour and a half to elect the two members, and the bylaw was filled in with the names of Messrs. Boag and Pugsley in conjunction with the Warden. The other nominees were Messrs. Slater, Holborn, Goulding and McKenzie.

A bylaw to grant aid to the electoral division agricultural societies was passed in Committee of the Whole, with Mr. High in the chair. The blank was filled in with $400, apportioned as follows: West Riding Electoral Agricultural Society $125, East Riding $125, North Riding $150. The bylaw also provides that besides the sum granted each of the foregoing societies the township society connected therewith shall be entitled to a portion thereof in the same manner as the Government grant is now apportioned.

Mr. Woodcock's motion amending the snow bylaw again came up, when the council went into Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Lucas in the chair.

Many objections were made, consequently the committee rose without making any report.

Mr. McDonald moved that when the council adjourns on Friday it stand adjourned until Tuesday at 2 p.m.

HONORING THE WARDEN.

East Toronto in Gala Array—Warden Stephenson Serenaded by the Band.

A stranger arriving in East Toronto village on Wednesday night would at once be struck with the gay appearance the thriving suburb presented. Flags were flying, the band playing and the streets thronged with residents. The cause of all this was the arrival home of Reeve Stephenson, who had been elected warden. Early in the evening Little York's splendid band, under the able leadership of Mr. Terry, marched through the village to the home of the warden, followed by many of the leading residents, where upon arrival they were all invited in and congratulated Mr. Stephenson upon the honor conferred on him and the village. The warden and his amiable family entertained the party in their well-known hospitable manner, refreshments being served and a good time spent, after which there was an adjournment to the fire hall, where speeches were delivered by the Warden, Dr. Shaw, who acted as chairman, John P. Wheeler, J. Richardson, Reeve of Scarboro: J. R. McMaster, Coun. J. Richardson, R. H. Hunter, J. Tidsbury and G. F. Stephenson. It was 12 o'clock when the pleasant gathering broke up and East Toronto assumed its usual quiet.

AT THE ASSIZES.

The Mitchell Case Amicably Settled—A Partnership Dispute.

The paternal advice of Judge Street put an end to the Mitchell family squabble at the Assize Court. He strongly advised a settlement, and as a result judgment by consent was entered.

By the terms of the order Mitchell pere will receive possession of the farm on March 15 next. His claim for rent during his son's occupancy of 14 years was dismissed, as was the claim made by the defendants for improvements they had made.

Joseph Quintal's suit against McDonnell & Cowdrey for non-fulfilment of contract and $125 damages was taken without a jury. The case was a wearisome one, much time being taken up with a discussion of the price of oats.

The plaintiff claims that he made a contract with the defendants to deliver them 5000 bushels of oats in Winnipeg. Mr. Quintal does business in Montreal while the defendants hail from Lindsay. Only 1000 bushels were delivered and Mr. Quintal says the Lindsay firm was at fault.

The defendants contend that the transaction was not a partnership one and that McDonnell alone was responsible. They also dispute the contract. The hearing of the case will be continued to-day.

The Military and the Jockey Club.

Editor World: It has been the custom of late years for the city corps to spend the Queen's Birthday away from home, giving the men a pleasant outing and enabling them to accept invitations from outside sister corps, whose arrangements have invariably succeeded in causing the holiday to be spent very agreeably. Allow me to suggest the desirability of a change during the present year.

The transportation of so large a body of men runs into big figures, especially as it is necessary for each regiment to travel some considerable distance to reach a city, which contains a corps well enough off to entertain successfully; moreover, any opportunity is lost for brigading the city regiments and training them to act in concert. Possibly some of the regiments whom we have visited may be induced to come to Toronto and to join us in a morning's work. I would suggest, therefore, that the good will of the Ontario Jockey Club should be secured and the co-operation of all our city corps. My plan would be to have an inspection, trooping of colors and march-past on the morning of May 24 and in the afternoon for the troops to be the guests of the Ontario Jockey Club. To accomplish the latter the regiments must combine and give a sum of money for a race to be called "The Regimental Race." In return for this the club could afford to admit free to their course all soldiers in uniform with *one lady accompanying each soldier.*

The money could be contributed according to the respective strength of the regiments, or in some other way devised by themselves; $400 or $500 would be a fair return for the privilege asked, more especially when one considers that even a larger number of people than ever would be attracted to the city, who during the afternoon would visit the Woodbine for the races.

WILLIAM HENDRIE, Jr.,
Member O.J.C. Club.

Canada's Big Cheese.

INGERSOLL, Jan. 25.—In the course of an address before the Western Dairymen's Association here to-day, Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, speaking of the mammoth cheese exhibited by Canada at the World's Fair said: "I need hardly speak of our misfortune in having the man who purchased it refuse to take it. The surface was damaged, but the damage did not go beyond the surface. My contract with him was that the cheese was to be in good condition in Chicago. He holds that it should be in good condition in Liverpool. The only way to make him pay would be to have a law suit. Better not follow that course. We will sell it and if we do not get more than five or eight or ten cents a pound for it we will pocket that and believe that the big cheese was a capital advertising hit and that it did the country good service."

Sales at Sucklings'.

The following stocks were sold en bloc at a rate on the dollar at Suckling & Co.'s warerooms yesterday afternoon.

J. L. Armson & Co., drygoods, Woodstock, $4779.45, to G. F. Spackman, Queen-street east, city, for 72c on the dollar.

Peddie & Ernst, Berlin, drygoods, to Mr. Ernst, Berlin, at 58c on the dollar.

Edward Stevenson, boots and shoes, Aurora, $1200, to Danford Rocke for 60½c on the dollar.

Butler Bros., boots and groceries, Oshawa, $5520, to R. E. Nelson, Guelph, for 58½c on the dollar.

Wright & Co., hats and furs, city, book debts, $2800, to Mr. M. Martin, Wellington-street east, for 91½c on the dollar.

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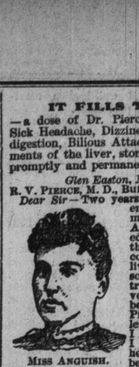

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Overcoats this week for $2.80, were $6.
Overcoats this week for $3.35, were $7.
Overcoats this week for $5.60, were $10.
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Youths' Suits at $3, $3.75, $4, $5. These are extra quality, half the usual prices, perfect fits.
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Kentucky lined pants 50c, were $1.50.
Heavy English wool tweed 50c, were $2.
Scotch tweed pants $1.97, were $4.
American indestructible pants 75c, were $1.50.
Canadian pure wool black pants $1.48, were $3.50.
Canadian pure wool, grey, $1.25, were $3.
Rosamond fine wool stripe pants $1.99, were $4.
Youths' extra heavy pants, fine goods, 75c, 90c.
Boys' long pants 50c, were $1 and $1.25.
Boys' two-piece suits, wool, 50c, were $1.50.
Fine corduroy and English mole pants $1.99, were $4.
Fur Caps, real seal, 50c, 75c; finer $1.50, and the $15 Alaska Seal Cap for $4 and $5 this week only.
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Smallpox in Milwaukee.

Dr. Bryce, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, has received a communication from Dr. J. T. Reeve, Secretary of the Board of Health of Milwaukee, stating that a case of smallpox had been discovered in that place. The origin of the case is not known. There has been quite a number of cases of smallpox in the United States during the past six months, but the cold weather is acting as a check to it.

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THURSDAY EVENING, Jan. 25.

Money is easy at ¾ to 1 per cent. in London.

Canadian Pacific firm, closing at 78¾ in London, the same as yesterday.

Silver in New York is quoted at 68½c and in London at 31d per ounce.

Consols unchanged, closing at 98 15-16 for money and account.

The clearings of Winnipeg banks for the week ended to-day are $800,208.

The amount of gold in the United States treasury is now only $68,451,000, the lowest since the resumption of specie payments.

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Bank Clearings at Toronto.

The clearings this week were again small, showing a decrease when compared with last week. Figures are as follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Jan. 19	$ 947,661	$ 193,683
" 20	873,602	134,386
" 22	789,023	150,384
" 23	1,179,899	285,879
" 24	886,700	124,543
" 25	783,822	91,991
Totals	$5,460,717	$ 870,862
Last week	5,919,744	805,229
Cor. week, 1893	5,755,541	659,327
Cor. week, 1892	5,730,018	806,959

Money and Exchange.

Money on call at Toronto 5½ per cent. At Montreal rates are 5 to 5½ per cent., and at New York 1 per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 3 per cent., and the open market rates 1⅝ to 1¾ per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

Rates of exchange, as reported by Wyatt & Jarvis, stock brokers, are as follows:

BETWEEN BANKS.	Counter.	Buyers.	Sellers.
New York Funds	¼ to ¼	1-64 dis to 1-32 par	
Sterling, 60 days	9⅝ to 9¾	9 1-16	9 1-8
do. demand	9⅞ to 10	9⅝	9 9-16

RATES IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.85½	4.83
do. demand	4.88	4.87

STOCKS AND BONDS.

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Toronto Stock Market.

The local market continues very dull. There were no sellings in bank stocks, but as compared with yesterday's close there are no important changes. Money is easy, but there is apparently little interest taken in stocks by outsiders.

Morning transactions: Gas, 7 at 190. Incandescent Light, 7 at 117. Building & Loan, 2, 6, 11 at 105. Union Pacific, 100 at 48½.

Afternoon transactions: Incandescent, 5 at 116¼. Canada Permanent (20 p.c.), 38 at 172.

STOCKS.	1 P.M. Asked	1 P.M. Bid	4 P.M. Asked	4 P.M. Bid
Montreal	222	219	222	219
Ontario	116	110½	117	110½
Toronto	245	240	245	240½
Merchants'	162	156	162	155½
Commerce	135½	134	135	134
Imperial	180	178	180	178
Dominion	271	269½	271	269
Standard	165	161	165	161
Hamilton	164	160	164	160
British America	115	112	114	112
Western Assurance	143	141½	143	141
Consumers' Gas	191	189½	191	190
Dominion Telegraph	...	107½	110	107
Can. Northwest L. Co.	75	....	75	....
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	71¼	....	71⅛	69¾
Toronto Electric Light	170	....	170	170
Incandescent Light	117	116½	118	116½
General Electric	100	....	100	....
Commercial Cable	135½	134	135¼	134
Bell Tel. Co.	137	136	137	135¾
Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co.	84½	82¼	86	81½
Montreal Street Ry.	165½	164½	166	164½
Duluth, com.	....	5½	....	5
Duluth, pref.	18	13	13	13
B. & Loan Association	102	100	....	....
Can. L. & N. Inv.	125	123¼	....	....
Canada Permanent	185	....	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	175	....	....	....
Central Canada Loan	....	150	....	....
Dominion Loan & Inv'st.	85	....	....	....
Freehold L. & S.	....	132	....	....
" 20 per cent	125	122	....	....
Hamilton Provident	132	....	....	....
Huron & Erie L. & S.	....	160	....	....
" 25 p.c.	....	....	....	....
Imperial L. & Invest.	115	....	....	....
Land Security	164	....	....	....
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	127	123	....	....
London & Ontario	118	....	....	....
Manitoba Loan	109	....	....	....
Ont. Ind. Loan	100	....	....	....
Ont. Loan & Deb.	....	128½	....	....
People's Loan	100	....	....	....
Toronto Sav. & Loan	122	118½	....	....
Union Loan & S.	129	128	....	....
Western Canada L. & S.	168	....	....	....
" 25 p.c.	....	153	....	....

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Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Jan. 25, close.—Montreal, 222½ and 219½; Ontario, 115 and 110; Toronto, 239½ bid; Moisons, 160 bid; People's, 121 and 119; Merchants', 162 and 155; Commerce, 135¼ and 132; Montreal Telegraph, 144 and 143; Richelieu, 84 and 83½; Street Railway, 166 and 165; Montreal Gas, 174 and 173; Cable, 135 and 134¾; Bell Telephone, 139 and 136; Duluth, 7 and 6; Duluth pref., 16 and 14; C.P.R., ex-div., 70¼ and 70¼.

Morning sales: Montreal Telegraph, 100 at 144; Richelieu, 225 at 83½, 65 at 83, 8 at 82½, 154 at 83, 85 at 83½; Street Railway, 20 at 175; People's, 12 at 120; Merchants', 8 at 157.

Afternoon sales: C.P.R., 100 at 70¾; Richelieu, 25 at 83½, 25 at 83¾; Street Railway, 35 at 165, 25 at 165½.

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Tips From Wall-Street.

The market closed heavy, with grangers at the lowest prices of the day.

Earnings of the Missouri Pacific for the third week of January decreased $55,000, and since Jan. 1 $250,000.

Ryan & Co.'s advices: There was a little bull movement in difficult stocks as opening of market. A prominent house with Washington connections bought Sugar, B.Q., L. & N., and Gas. The buying of St. Paul was by traders. Boston and Traders bid up B.Q., and London sold St. Paul. The Tribune says Atchison will cut rate on grain one-half from Kansas City to Chicago. There is a rumor that the Burlington statement for December will show up well. Wabash earnings decreased $28,000 and Ontario & Western increased $1597 the third week of January. The loan crowd shows no change in rates.

Commercial Miscellany.

Oil is dull at 80.

Bacon is ¼d lower at Liverpool.

Cash wheat at Chicago 59¼c.

Puts on May wheat, 63¼c; calls, 63⅞c to 64c.

Puts on May corn, 38⅜c bid; calls, 39c.

At Toledo clover seed is steady, closing at $6.12½ for Feb. and at $6.17 1-2 for March.

Primary receipts of wheat to-day 279,000 bushels and shipments 58,000 bushels.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago Thursday: Wheat 37, corn 105, oats 58.

Hog packing in the west this week: 335,000, against 305,000 the corresponding week of last year.

The weather is milder in the Northwest and colder east and south.

Exports at New York to-day: Wheat, 122,000 bushels; flour, 922 barrels and 12,379 sacks.

Cattle receipts at Chicago Thursday, 14,800; sheep, 14,000.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago Thursday, 26,000; official Wednesday, 31,644; left over, 10,000. Heavy shippers, $5.10 to $5.50. Estimated for Friday, 27,000.

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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.	77⅛	78⅛	77⅛	77⅞
Cotton Oil	28¼	28¾	28¼	28¼
Atchison	11⅝	12⅛	11⅝	11⅞
Chi., Burlington & Q.	77¼	77⅞	76⅝	76¾
Chicago Gas Trust	66½	66⅞	65⅝	66½
Canada Southern	....	....	....	50¼ b
Del. & Hudson	132½	133½	133	133
Del., Lac. & W.	164	164	164	164
Erie	15	15½	15	15
Lake Shore	126¾	126¾	126¾	126¾
Louisville & Nashville	44½	45⅝	44½	44⅝
Manhattan	121¼	121¼	121	121¼
Missouri Pacific	23	23½	22⅞	23⅜
Nat. Cordage Co.	....	....	....	....
N. Y. & New England	13¾	14⅛	13¾	14
N. Y. Central & Hud.	100½	101⅛	100½	101
North America	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Northern Pacific	4½	4½	4½	4½
Northern Pacific Pref.	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼
Northwestern	104½	104⅝	103¼	103¼
General Electric Co.	35⅝	35⅝	35⅛	37⅜
Rock Island & Pac.	68⅝	68⅝	67⅝	67⅝
Omaha	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	37⅜
Ontario & Western	15⅞	16	15⅞	15¾
Phila. & Reading	20⅛	20¼	19⅞	20
St. Paul	59¾	60⅜	58⅝	58⅝
Union Pacific	19⅝	19⅞	19⅝	19⅞
Western Union	85½	85½	84½	84¾
Distillers	26⅞	27	26¾	26¾
Jersey Central	114½	114½	114½	114½
National Lead	26¼	26¼	26¼	26¼
Pacific Mail	16½	17	16½	17
Wabash, pref.	14⅝	14⅝	14⅛	14½

Sales: W. U. 14,000, P.M. 600, N.W. 2200, R.I. 3100, St. Paul 45,500, Erie 600, L.S. 100, Central 1000, N.P. 2100, D.L. 100, D. & H. 200, Y.C. 200, N.Y. 100, Reading 1400, Mo. P. 1200, L. & M. 10,400, B.Q. 15,800, C.C.C. 900, N.E. 1900, Gas 2900, Sugar 32,100, Gas 500, G.E. 2000.

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Outside Wheat Markets.

At New York May closed at 68⅞c.

At Milwaukee May closed at 61¼c.

At St. Louis May closed at 60⅛c to 60⅝c.

At Duluth No. 1 hard closed at 64c for May.

At Toledo May closed at 63⅞c.

At Detroit May closed at 63⅝c bid.

At Minneapolis May closed at 60c.

Breadstuffs.

At Toronto the flour market is dull. Choice straight rollers are quoted at $2.70 to $2.75 and ordinary is quoted at $2.60, Toronto freight. Manitoba flours unchanged.

Bran is unchanged. Car lots are quoted at $15.50 on track. Small lots sell here at $16 and shorts at $17.

Wheat—This market is quiet. Sales of a few car lots of white and red at 57c west, and spring quoted steady at 61c on the Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard held at 78c Montreal freight.

Oats—The market is firm, with sales in the west at 31½c to 32c. Cars on track sold at 35¼c to arrive and at 36c on track.

Barley—The market is quiet. Sales of No. 1 west at 42½c to 43c, and on the Midland at 44c. Feed barley 37c to 38c.

Peas—This market is unchanged with sales at 52½c west.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with offerings fair. Demand slow, and prices 43c to 45c.

Rye—The demand is fair and prices steady, with sales at 46c outside.

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The Street Market.

Street receipts of grain to-day were small. Wheat sold at 59c for a load of goose. White is nominal at 62c and red-60c to 61c. Barley unchanged, 300 bushels selling at 44c to 45c. Oats quiet, 200 bushels selling at 38c. Peas are quoted at 58c to 60c.

Hay in fair supply and prices steady. Timothy sold at $8.00 to $9.00, and clover $6.50 to $7.50. Straw nominal at $8.

Butter, choice tub, 20c to 22c; lb. rolls, 23c to 25c, large rolls, 15c to 18c; eggs, retail 19c to 22c per dozen; potatoes, 50c to 60c; apples, $3.00 to $4.50; beef, fore 5c to 6½c, hind 7c to 8½c; mutton, 6c to 8c; veal, 6c to 8c; lamb, 6½c to 8½c per lb.

Poultry.

Poultry unchanged. Boxed lots: Chickens 30c to 45c per pair, ducks 70c to 80c, geese 7c to 8c per lb and turkeys 9c to 9½c per lb.

Seeds.

The market is dull and easy. Alsike sells at $5.50 to $6.05, the latter for choice. Red clover brings $5.50 to $6.30 and timothy nominal at $1.25 to $1.75.

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Provisions.

Dressed hogs are steady, with sales of car lots at $6 to $6.15 for heavy and at $6.20 for light. Hams, smoked, 11½c to 12c; bacon, long clear, 8½c to 9c; Canadian mess pork $16 to $16.50 per bbl., short cut $17.00 to $17.50, lard, in pails 10½c, in tubs 10c to 10½c, evaporated apples 10c to 10½c, dried apples, 5c to 6c, hops 18c to 20c. Cheese is dull at 10½c and at 11½c for October make. Eggs dull at 19c to 20c for strictly fresh, 15c to 16c for ordinary and 12½c to 13½c for limed.

Chicago Markets.

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

	Open'g	High'st	L'w't	Close.
Wheat—May	64	64	62⅝	63⅝
" —July	65⅛	65¼	64⅛	65
Corn—May	38⅝	39⅛	38⅝	38⅞
" —July	39⅝	39⅞	39⅜	39⅝
Oats—May	30⅛	30½	30⅛	30⅛
" —July	29⅝	29	28⅝	28⅞
Pork—Jan.	13 15	13 22	13 15	13 22
" —May	13 22	13 32	13 22	13 30
Lard—Jan.	7 75	7 75	7 75	7 75
" —May	7 57	7 60	7 55	7 60
Short Ribs—Jan.	....	....	....	6 60
" —May	6 70	6 75	6 67	6 72

Schwartz, Dupee & Co. wired Dixon: The business in wheat for the day was light. New York bought on a war despatch and re-sold later. Despatches from Kansas stated that the snow on the ground was not deep enough to protect wheat from damage by the cold weather of the last few days. New York reported the French duty on wheat had been advanced from 26½c to 42 1-3c to take effect February. We had no confirmation of it from our own correspondents. To-day's exports were less than 400,000 bushels wheat and flour. The Cincinnati Price Current reported that wheat everywhere was protected by snow. Receipts of course were light as a result of severe weather. Corn firm on large export clearances and buying for both long and short account. Receipts from the west predict continued light payment, but from this state there are indications of an increase. Exports for the last two days amount to 1,100,000 bushels. Cables were higher and reports from Argentine crop are confirmed that the damage by drought have greatly injured it. The exports from that country, however, have only aggregated about 5,000,000 bushels in the last two years. Newer advices indicate a continued good demand for corn at the seaboard at about present prices and freights. We look, however, to see a break in freights from here to eastern points. Provisions dull and featureless. The closing was slightly over yesterday's prices. Hogs were quoted higher, but this had less influence than sympathy with the strength in corn, which induced a little local buying.

R. Cochran received the following from Kennett, Hopkins & Co.:

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The corn market has been strong all day, the reasons for which have been pointed out in this letter for some days past. It is nothing new that Argentine has lost a great part of her corn crop from drought. While the market was depressed this news has no effect, but soon as foreign markets were affected by it, sharply stimulating the export demand, it began to infuse a little life into our market. It will take still higher prices to bring the big fellows, but as the situation is strong, there can be little doubt as to the ultimate course of prices. A Liverpool cable to-day estimated that three-fourths of the Argentine crop has been destroyed. Others said that delivery of coarse grain was falling off in the United Kingdom and increasing the demand for corn. There is no doubt a considerable shortage of feeding grain abroad, and this will be increasingly manifest. The fact that the last two crops of corn in this country were 200,000,000 bushels short of the two previous crops, and 800,000,000 bushels short of the two previous to 1890 ought to convince any reliable person that farmers' reserves must now be lighter than at this season for many years. The fact is that a great share of the available supplies have been rushed into the visible by cheap freight rates, and a large part of this is already sold for export. Wheat made a new record to-day for May in spite of small primary receipts, good exports and steady cables. The break was apparently due to manipulation. It is said that a prominent operator employed brokers to hammer the market for him, and on the break he picked up 500,000 bushels. The situation is growing more encouraging for holders, and it is believed that the market will shortly respond to these influences. Provisions have been dull and slow most of the session firming up a little toward the close on purchases by the Chicago Packing Company and the Anglo-American.

British Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 25.—Spring wheat, nominal; red, 5s 2½d; No. 1 Cal., 5s 4½d; corn, 4s 11¼d; peas, 5s 4 1d; pork, 47s 9d; lard, 41s 0d; bacon, heavy, 38s 0d; light, 32s 6d; tallow, 28s; cheese, white and colored, 57s.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Beerbohm says: Floating cargoes of wheat firmly held; maize nil. Carr goes on passage—Wheat quiet, but steady; maize firm.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; maize 4s 1¼d, ¼d dearer. Peas 4s 11½d, unchanged.

Weather in England damp.

4.30 p.m.—Liverpool wheat futures steady; red winter 5s 2d for April. Maize steady 4s 3s 11d for Feb. and 3s 10¾d for March. Paris—Wheat quiet and flour steady. Wheat 10 centimes higher and flour 50 centimes