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TODAY'S MARKETS

Montreal Stock Market.

| Stock | Price |
|-------------------------|---------|
| Canadian Pacific | 100 1/2 |
| Duluth, Duluth | 100 1/2 |
| Duluth, preferred | 100 1/2 |
| Commercial Cable | 100 1/2 |
| Com. Cable Coupon Bonds | 100 1/2 |
| Commercial Reg. Bonds | 100 1/2 |
| Montreal Telephone | 100 1/2 |
| Richelieu and Ontario | 100 1/2 |
| Montreal St. Railway | 100 1/2 |
| Toronto Street Railway | 100 1/2 |
| Montreal Gas Company | 100 1/2 |
| Bell Telephone | 100 1/2 |
| Royal Electric | 100 1/2 |
| Bank of Montreal | 100 1/2 |
| Ontario Bank | 100 1/2 |
| Molson Bank | 100 1/2 |
| Bank of Toronto | 100 1/2 |
| Merchants Bank | 100 1/2 |
| Quebec Bank | 100 1/2 |
| Union Bank | 100 1/2 |
| Bank of Commerce | 100 1/2 |
| Northwestern Bank | 100 1/2 |
| Montreal Cotton Co. | 100 1/2 |
| Canada Cotton Co. | 100 1/2 |
| Domestic Cotton | 100 1/2 |

New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 18 Masonic Temple, for the Advertiser.

Saturday's Close.

| Stock | Price |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Atchafalca | 100 1/2 |
| Atchafalca, preferred | 100 1/2 |
| Brooklyn Transit | 100 1/2 |
| C. & N. Y. | 100 1/2 |
| C. & N. Y., preferred | 100 1/2 |
| Chicago Gas | 100 1/2 |
| Chgo. Electric | 100 1/2 |
| Jersey Central | 100 1/2 |
| K. & T. Pfd. | 100 1/2 |
| L. & N. | 100 1/2 |
| Manhattan | 100 1/2 |
| Metropolitan | 100 1/2 |
| M. P. | 100 1/2 |
| N. Y. Central | 100 1/2 |
| Norfolk and W. | 100 1/2 |
| Norfolk and W. Pfd. | 100 1/2 |
| Ont. & Western | 100 1/2 |
| P. M. | 100 1/2 |
| Pennsylvania | 100 1/2 |
| R. I. | 100 1/2 |
| Reading | 100 1/2 |
| S. P. & N. Y. | 100 1/2 |
| Southern Ry. Pfd. | 100 1/2 |
| Southern Ry. | 100 1/2 |
| T. C. & L. | 100 1/2 |
| U. S. Pacific | 100 1/2 |
| W. U. | 100 1/2 |
| Lead | 100 1/2 |
| Leather | 100 1/2 |
| Sugar | 100 1/2 |
| Federal Steel | 100 1/2 |
| Rubber | 100 1/2 |
| Steel and Wire | 100 1/2 |
| Tobacco | 100 1/2 |
| Continental | 100 1/2 |
| Leather | 100 1/2 |

Toronto Stock Market.

| Stock | Price |
|------------------------------|---------|
| Montreal | 100 1/2 |
| Ontario | 100 1/2 |
| Toronto | 100 1/2 |
| Merchants | 100 1/2 |
| Commerce | 100 1/2 |
| Imperial | 100 1/2 |
| Domestic | 100 1/2 |
| Standard | 100 1/2 |
| British America | 100 1/2 |
| Western Assurance | 100 1/2 |
| Consumer's Gas | 100 1/2 |
| Montreal Gas | 100 1/2 |
| Domestic Telephone | 100 1/2 |
| Northwestern Land | 100 1/2 |
| Canada Pacific Ry. Stock | 100 1/2 |
| Commercial Cable Bonds | 100 1/2 |
| Com. Registered Bonds | 100 1/2 |
| Bell Telephone Company | 100 1/2 |
| Richelieu and Ontario | 100 1/2 |
| London Street Railway | 100 1/2 |
| London Electric | 100 1/2 |
| Domestic Savings and Invest. | 100 1/2 |
| Huron and Erie L. & S. | 100 1/2 |
| London and Canada L. & S. | 100 1/2 |
| London Loan | 100 1/2 |
| London and Ontario | 100 1/2 |
| Ontario Loan and Debenture | 100 1/2 |

Toronto Produce Market.

| Produce | Price |
|--------------|---------|
| Wheat—No. 1 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 2 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 3 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 4 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 5 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 6 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 7 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 8 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 9 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 10 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 11 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 12 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 13 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 14 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 15 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 16 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 17 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 18 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 19 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 20 | 100 1/2 |

English Markets.

| Produce | Price |
|--------------|---------|
| Wheat—Spot | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 1 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 2 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 3 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 4 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 5 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 6 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 7 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 8 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 9 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 10 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 11 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 12 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 13 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 14 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 15 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 16 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 17 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 18 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 19 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 20 | 100 1/2 |

American Markets.

| Produce | Price |
|--------------|---------|
| Wheat—No. 1 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 2 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 3 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 4 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 5 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 6 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 7 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 8 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 9 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 10 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 11 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 12 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 13 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 14 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 15 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 16 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 17 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 18 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 19 | 100 1/2 |
| Wheat—No. 20 | 100 1/2 |

34,475 bu; sales, 750,000 bu; options, No. 2 red, opened easy at a decline of 3/4c, and ruled exceptionally dull, while showing a continued weak undertone, following lower cables; May, 75 1/2c; 75 1/2c; Dec, 72 1/2c to 72 1/2c. Rye—Steady; state, 59c to 60c; No. 2 western, 62c, f. o. b., afloat, to arrive. Corn—Receipts, 96,525 bu; sales, 5,000 bu; options, No. 2, opened easy, at 3/4c decline, and ruled weak in sympathy with the decline in wheat; May, 33 1/2c. Oats—Receipts, 38,700 bu; options nominal; no business; on track, white state and western, 23c to 24c, loss off; western ungraded, at mark, 14c to 20c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 11 1/2c; refined steady. Coffee—Firm. Hops—Quiet. Lead—Steady; bullion price, \$4.40; exchange, \$4.60 to \$4.65.

BUFFALO, Nov. 10.—Spring wheat, No. 1 northern, 72 1/2c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 71 1/2c; No. 1 white, 70 1/2c; on track, Corn—No. 2 yellow, 33 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 33c; No. 4 yellow, 32c; No. 5 yellow, 31c; No. 6 yellow, 30c; No. 7 yellow, 29c; No. 8 yellow, 28c; No. 9 yellow, 27c; No. 10 yellow, 26c; No. 11 yellow, 25c; No. 12 yellow, 24c; No. 13 yellow, 23c; No. 14 yellow, 22c; No. 15 yellow, 21c; No. 16 yellow, 20c; No. 17 yellow, 19c; No. 18 yellow, 18c; No. 19 yellow, 17c; No. 20 yellow, 16c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—Opening—Wheat, Dec. 71 1/2c; May, 71 1/2c; Corn, Dec. 31 1/2c; May, 31 1/2c; Oats, Dec. 21 1/2c; May, 21 1/2c; Pork, Jan. 11 1/2c; Lard, Jan. 11 1/2c. Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple, Phone 158.

Chicago Exchange.

| Stock | Price |
|------------|--------|
| Wheat—Dec. | 71 1/2 |
| Wheat—May | 71 1/2 |
| Corn—Dec. | 31 1/2 |
| Corn—May | 31 1/2 |
| Oats—Dec. | 21 1/2 |
| Oats—May | 21 1/2 |
| Pork—Jan. | 11 1/2 |
| Lard—Jan. | 11 1/2 |
| Ribs—Dec. | 11 1/2 |
| Jan. | 11 1/2 |

Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Nov. 10—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region:

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—This time last year the rivers in Manitoba and the Northwest were frozen over.

—An overcoat was stolen from the City Hotel yesterday. The police have been notified.

—The L. E. and D. R. R. car ferry Shenango lost her wheel near Port Stanley on Monday. Repairs will be made at the Detroit dry dock.

—Charles Bayfield, one of the street railway strikers, returned to work on the cars this morning. He had been a member of the union since last January.

—Four small boys were up at the juvenile court today for stealing. One was remanded to jail for a week, and the others will come up again in two weeks.

—Mrs. Fawcett and daughter, of Elmwood avenue, and Mrs. Tennant, of 566, west, are spending a few weeks for fresh gathered and 15c for No. 1 lined here. Butter steady, 16c to 18c for choice dairy tub and 16c to 14c for inferior to medium. Large rolls, 15c to 17c; creamery, 15c to 16c; and 15c for fresh gathered and 15c for No. 1 lined here. Butter steady, 16c to 18c for choice dairy tub and 16c to 14c for inferior to medium. Large rolls, 15c to 17c; creamery, 15c to 16c; and 15c for fresh gathered and 15c for No. 1 lined here.

—At the last meeting of Court Deference, C. O. F., a resolution was passed to pay the dues of members who had joined the Canadian contingent to the Transvaal.

—Herbert Wilson came up before Judge William Elliot this morning, charged with stealing \$15 from Mrs. M. Smith. He was remanded until Tuesday, Nov. 14.

—Col. Holmes was in Dundas yesterday, in connection with the petition that is being presented to the Hon. Thomas Bath, asking for a brick addition to the drill shed here.

—Manager Thomas Tait, of Montreal, and General Superintendent J. W. Leonard, of Toronto, were in the city yesterday on their regular tour of inspection. They returned east this morning.

—Alterations to facilitate the handling of freight are being made at the G. T. R. freight shed and yards. A large force of men has been kept busy for some days increasing the number of tracks.

—Mr. George Platt, bookkeeper, of Hobbs' glass works, is rapidly recovering after a long illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Platt entered St. Joseph's Hospital about the middle of July, and was only able to return home a few weeks ago.

—Tonight B Company of the 7th Battalion will be entertained by the Arlington Club at their rooms, Dundas street. Dr. Silk has charge of the programme, and has left nothing undone to give the "soldier boys" a good time.

—Mrs. Thornley, Mrs. McDermid, Mr. L. Scandrett, Dr. Tennant, Dr. Ziegler and Mr. A. N. Udy have been elected to represent the Dundas Methodist congregation upon the quarterly board.

ALARM CLOCKS

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ADKINS, East London.

Another representative will be elected from the Hill Street Mission.

—The funeral of the late Mr. I. J. Campbell took place from his late residence, 215 Wellington street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Joseph Edge, of the Wellington Street Methodist Church, assisted by Rev. Dr. Smith, of the First Methodist Church, and Rev. Joseph Canby, of St. Paul's.

—"A Colonial Girl" is the title of a new play which Daniel Stratford has chosen to present, with Howard Gould, the brilliant young actor, whose success with "The Prisoner of Zenda" has been so pronounced. As was also the case with "The Prisoner of Zenda," Mr. Gould is entrusted with the star part in "A Colonial Girl." The latter play is a tale of New York in revolutionary times, made a great success when produced a year ago in New York. The engagement is announced for next Tuesday, at the Grand.

—In the high court of justice, Toronto, before Winchester, master, in the case of Preston, McCann, and McCann, Company of Stratford, vs. Campbell, R. U. McPherson, for defendant, moved to change venue from Stratford to London. L. G. McCarthy, for plaintiff, showed cause. Order made refusing motion, but reserving to trial judge the question of distribution of additional costs of witness fees by reason of the motion being made.

—Last night was the occasion of the annual thank-offering meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Geo. M. Reid presided. An address was given to the ladies by Rev. Mr. Clark, in which he spoke interestingly of the reasons why the ladies should be interested in mission work. A solo, which was rendered by Mrs. Clark, was enjoyed most thoroughly. An offering of more than \$38 was collected, and will be used for the advancement of the mission work. A 9 o'clock refreshment were served by the Ladies' Aid Society.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society was held yesterday afternoon in the shelter there are now 11 children. Two little girls and a boy were placed in foster-homes during the month. The reports from the committees and officers were all satisfactory. The society beg to thankfully acknowledge donations of clothing towards their shelter during the past month: V. Cronyn, apples; D. S. Persin, biscuits; Thompson's oatmeal, milk; Mrs. McKinnon, two baskets of plums and sugar; Mrs. W. J. Reid, two bags of potatoes, two bags of parsnips, one bag of turnips, onions and cabbages; Mrs. Wilbourn, clothing; Mrs. Callard, cakes; Mrs. Turner, preserves; Mrs. Macdonald, petticoats; Mrs. Sanders, bag of potatoes; Mrs. Purdy, apples and preserves; and to thank the following ladies for visiting the shelter during the same period: Oct. 1 to 7, Mrs. Macdonald; Oct. 8 to 14, Mrs. Regan and Mrs. Leonard; Oct. 14 to 21, Mrs. Leonard and Miss Long; Oct. 21 to 28, Miss Long and Mrs. W. J. Reid.

AT THE POLICE COURT.

At the police court this morning, Charles Williams was charged by his wife with non-support and threatening her life. He was let go on suspended sentence on the first charge, and the latter was withdrawn. Mrs. Williams, who was on remand for being drunk and a violent woman, was fined \$5 or one month in jail.

CHANGE ON G. T. R. TRAINS.

Commencing a week from next Sunday there will be a change in the running of the G. T. R. trains, by which all the through trains from Chicago to Portland, Maine, will be known by the same numbers throughout the entire run. This will be an advantage as the same trains are known by different numbers in the various divisions. It causes some confusion to the uninitiated when reading time tables.

COWS KILLED ON RAILWAY TRACK.

Two cows had a mix-up with passenger train No. 12, on the G. T. R., just west of the Wharncliffe road, this morning. The result was that one was tossed clear in the air and came down dead. The second managed to escape the engine, but got no advantage from the experience of its companion, and was foolish enough to bump into the rear car. The result in this case also was the death of the animal. One cow belonged to Mr. Wm. McCremerie, and the other was owned by Mr. Thomas Cox.

WEEKLY HIGH COURT.

Judge Rose disposed of two motions at the weekly sitting of the high court today.

Fox vs. MacRobert—A chambers motion by plaintiff for an order for administration of personal estate by the court. Order made. Mr. Dromgole for motion. Mr. H. Cronyn for official guardian.

McGarvey vs. McGarvey—A court motion for foreclosure. Granted. J. H. Floah, Q.C., for motion; H. Elliot for defendant. Mr. H. Cronyn for the official guardian.

TORONTO'S GOLD MINE.

The receipts from the Toronto railway still continue to increase at a very rapid rate. The percentage received by the city for October exceeds by nearly \$1,000 the amount for the same period last year.

Month. Receipts. Percent.

October, 1899 ... \$11,435.75 ... 83.91

October, 1898 ... \$7,864.37 ... 63.15

October, 1896 ... \$7,343.49 ... 62.57

October, 1895 ... \$7,216.98 ... 62.57

NO. 8 LITERARY CLUB.

Last night the annual "At Home" of No. 8 Literary Club, of Center Methodist Church, proved to be most successful. The programme, which was introduced by the president, Mr. Bowman, included a solo by Mr. W. E. Sandilands, a recitation "When Jack Comes Late," by Miss Brinley; chorus, "Men of the North," by Messrs. Williams, Ash, Marriott, McNaughton, Zuercher, Ash and Stevens; address, "The Literary Club," by Mr. W. E. Sandilands. These latter were especially enjoyed. Refreshments were served at the close of the programme. The officers of the club are: Honorary president, Rev. J. B. Saunders, D.D.; president, J. H. Bowman; vice-president, James McNaughton; secretary, C. S. Saunders; assistant secretary, N. Beal; watch, N. Higgins.

RAILWAY RATE WAR.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 10.—As an introduction to a local rate war between the three transcontinental lines, begun yesterday, first-class excursion tickets to Chicago and Atlantic Ocean points dropped \$5 yesterday. The trouble began through alleged rate-cutting by the Great Northern.

LONDON TIMES' NEWS AND VIEWS

Of the Situation at the Seat of War.

British Mounted Troops and Batteries Keep the Enemy Busy.

Destructive Mission of the Boers in Zululand.

Another Rumor of Disaster From Dutch Sources—Gen. Buller to Have an Army of 95,000 Men.

London, Nov. 10.—The military expert of the London Times, in his editorial summary of the Transvaal situation, draws the following deductions:

"The reports which continue to be received in reference to the fighting near Ladysmith on Thursday and Friday are somewhat conflicting, but as regards Brookhurst's action on the Pietermaritzburg road a dispatch received from a correspondent of the Times with Gen. White is sufficiently explicit, and is, further, extremely encouraging as indicating a brisk and vigorous disposition on the part of the Ladysmith garrison, which must be most disconcerting to the investing force, even if the tangible results are not as great as suggested in some quarters.

THE INVESTMENT IS NOT CLOSE.

"The fact that such a strong body of Boers with guns mounted in their laager were driven off in something which must have been something exceedingly like confusion confirms the view that the investment is not pressing at all heavily on Gen. White's gallant and now fairly well seasoned forces.

NON-EFFECTIVE SHOOTING.

"The bombardment, too, is happily ineffective notwithstanding the fact that the enemy has evidently moved fresh guns into position, and it is clear in any case that the Boers do not longer put complete faith in their siege guns as a means for easily and cheaply reducing Ladysmith.

AN IMPORTANT ITEM.

"The retrograde movement of the Boer force which occupied Colenso, and which, it is said, has retired four miles north, is a specially important piece of news, as it is quite unlikely that such a position, once gained by the enemy, would have been evacuated unless the Boers found the pressure exerted upon them in this direction by the cavalry from Ladysmith inconvenient. It does not seem at all probable that having due regard for the activity of the Ladysmith garrison, the Boers will be able to detach a force sufficiently large to effectively threaten either Estcourt or Pietermaritzburg before fresh troops are landed.

IN ZULULAND.

"The movements of the Boer column in Zululand appear to be destructive in character, as far as fire and pillage are concerned, but no military results of any importance have yet been secured, and the moment reinforcements commence to arrive at Durban a sympathetic withdrawal of the Boer force from this quarter may follow.

"The want of communication displayed by Gen. White is explained in all probability by the fact that he is keeping Gen. Buller fully informed of his position, and the latter doubtless has an excellent reason for keeping the information at present to himself.

SATISFACTORY.

"The news from both Kimberley and Mafeking is still satisfactory, and in the latter place the reported approach of German's force from Rhodesia, with a view of reinforcing Baden-Powell's gallant little band is especially gratifying.

"The possibility of a determined attack on Kimberley is increasing, but there is no reason to expect that it will not be readily and sharply repulsed.

"The position of the Orange River station is perhaps more serious, but the arrangements for resisting any attack are known to be excellent and the number of British troops now in the neighborhood must be considerable."

Afternoon Dispatches.

[Special to The Advertiser per G.N.W.]

Winnipeg, Nov. 10.—Frank Oliver, M.P., has notified the minister of militia at Ottawa that the Northwest will send one thousand men to the Transvaal if the British Government should require them. They would be composed of ex-members of the mounted police and other experienced and expert horsemen.

ANOTHER DUTCH YARN.