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## Application to Parliament

OTICE is hereby given that an application will be made by the Corporation of the City of London to the Legislature of the Province of Ontario, at its next session, for an Act:

To authorize the Council of the Corporation of the City of London to pass bylaws without obtaining the assent of the electors thereto, for the issue of debentures for the following purposes, namely:

$25,000.00 debentures to provide funds for the Public Utilities Commission of the City of London, to pay for urgent and necessary extensions and additions to the waterworks pumping plants and distribution system of the City of London.

$25,000.00 debentures to provide funds for the Public Utilities Commission of the City of London, to pay for certain urgent and necessary extensions and additions to the sub-station equipment and distribution system of the electric light plant of the City of London.

The existing debenture debt of the City is as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| General debentures | $2,938,634.63 |
| Waterworks purposes debentures | 253,845.72 |
| Waterworks debentures | 1,085,591.36 |
| Electrical department debentures | 699,[illegible] |
| London and Port Stanley Railway debentures | [illegible].59 |
| City's share of Local Improvement debentures | 229,353.34 |
| School and Public Library debentures | 1,084,243.35 |
| | $7,289,125.53 |

The reasons for requiring the issue of the debentures are as follows:

To pay for the extensions and additions to the waterworks pumping plant and distribution system, which are urgent and necessary in order to supply the additional demand made on the water.

To pay for certain urgent and necessary extensions and additions to the sub-station equipment and distribution system of the electric light plant of the City of London, which are necessary in consequence of the increased demand for electric power and light in the City of London.

DATED at London, Ontario, this 4th day of February, A.D., 1918.

S. BAKER,
City Clerk.
Feb.6,13,20,27,M.6,13

## CHARGE AGAINST TAX COLLECTOR OF LEVYING EXCESSIVE COST, DROPPED

### Accused Agrees to Remit Amount Over-Charged.

The charge of levying excessive costs in connection with the seizure of goods for taxes has been withdrawn against J. D. Wilson, tax collector, Adelaide Township, an adjustment having been made in connection with the dispute.

The case was to have been heard by Squire Chittick on Thursday morning. The charge was laid under the Assessment Act on information furnished by Edward Schweitzer, whose goods had been seized and sold for taxes.

Wilson agreed to refund any charges in excess of the amounts allowed by law. He claimed in overcharging or selling a greater quantity of goods than was necessary to satisfy the tax claim that he had violated the act because of his unfamiliarity with it. This explanation was accepted by complainant's counsel, and the charge withdrawn.


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Feb.14,16,20

# Financial, Market and Commercial Section

## ROADS SO BAD LITTLE PRODUCE IS OFFERED

### Practically No Local Market at All Today.

There was practically no market today owing to road conditions and prices are unchanged.

Tuesday's market was a small one. Producers declined to take chances on the roads, slush and rain, and buyers did not brave the sloppy streets in any appreciable numbers. Five loads of hay which reached the square safely in spite of bad roads, sold quickly at prevailing prices.

Four loads of oats also came in, and they, too, were speedily bought up.

Some live hogs were shipped from the local market, bringing $17.50 per cwt.

Little dairy produce is coming in, and butter is again scarce, while the demand is good.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Grain, Cwt.—** | | | |
| Oats, per cwt. | $2 60 | to | $2 65 |
| **Grain, Bushel—** | | | |
| Wheat, per bu | 2 10 | to | 2 12 |
| Oats, per bu. | 88 2-5 | to | 90 1-10 |
| **Vegetables—** | | | |
| Celery, per doz. | 50 | to | 80 |
| Cabbage, dozen | 60 | to | 90 |
| Home-grown potatoes, per bag | 2 00 | to | 2 25 |
| Rhubarb, dozen | 1 00 | to | 1 00 |
| Carrots, bu. | 40 | to | 50 |
| Parsnips, bu. | 60 | to | 75 |
| Radishes, doz bunches | 60 | to | 70 |
| **Hay and Straw—** | | | |
| Hay, ton | 12 00 | to | 14 50 |
| Straw, per ton | 7 50 | to | 8 50 |
| **Dairy Products, Retail—** | | | |
| Butter, creamery, lb. | 52 | to | 52 |
| Butter, dairy, lb. rolls | 45 | to | 45 |
| Butter, crocks, lb. | 45 | to | 45 |
| Eggs, per doz | 55 | to | 60 |
| **Dairy Produce, Wholesale—** | | | |
| Butter, creamery, lb. | 48 | to | 49 |
| Butter, dairy, lb. rolls | 46 | to | 47 |
| Butter, crocks, lb. | 43 | to | 43 |
| Eggs, crate lots, doz. | 50 | to | 50 |
| Eggs, basket lots, doz. | 50 | to | 52 |
| **Poultry, dressed, Retail—** | | | |
| Chicken, lb. | 26 | to | 30 |
| Ducks, pound | 25 | to | 28 |
| Geese, pound | 24 | to | 28 |
| Turkeys, pound | 33 | to | 35 |
| **Live Stock—** | | | |
| Hogs, per cwt. | 17 50 | to | 17 50 |
| Small pigs, pair | 12 00 | to | 16 00 |
| **Butchers' Meats—** | | | |
| Dressed hogs, cwt. | 24 00 | to | 24 50 |
| Fat sows, cwt | 15 00 | to | 15 50 |
| Beef, per cwt. | 16 00 | to | 20 00 |
| Veal, per cwt. | 20 00 | to | 23 00 |
| Heifer beef, cwt. | 20 00 | to | 20 00 |
| Lambs, per cwt. | 26 00 | to | 28 00 |
| **Hides and Wool—** | | | |
| Wool, unwashed, lb. | 50 | to | 50 |
| Wool, washed, lb. | 60 | to | 62 |
| Calfskins, per lb. | 15 | to | 19 |
| Cow hides, No. 1 | 13 | to | 13 |
| Cow hides, No. 2 | 12 | to | 12 |
| Cow hides, No. 3 | 11 | to | 11 |

## HAY

Montreal, Feb. 12.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $14.50@15.50.

### GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Feb. 13.—Oats opened unchanged for May at 87c.

Barley opened c higher for May at $1 61¾.

Flax opened unchanged for May at $3 34⅛.

There were 245 cars inspected at Winnipeg on Tuesday.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Opening: Corn—May, $1 25.

Oats—March, 82¼c; May, 79⅝c.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Corn prices showed some tendency to ease down today, owing to the fact that receipts here were the heaviest so far this season. Predictions of colder weather that would be likely to harden country roads and to bring about larger deliveries by farmers, were regarded as also in favor of the bears. On the other hand, all offerings were readily absorbed by industries.

Opening prices, which ranged from ⅛c to ¼c to ⅜c lower, with March at $1 27 and May at $1 24⅞@1 25, were followed by a moderate rally and then a fresh sag.

Absence of selling pressure led to firmness in the oats market after weakness at the start. Initial declines were ascribed to increased arrivals. Prices opened ¼c to ⅝c off, with May at 79½@79⅝c, and then rose to well above yesterday's finish.

### CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Chicago, Feb. 13.

| Corn— | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | $1 25 | $1 25¾ | $1 24⅞ | $1 25⅝ |
| **Oats—** | | | | |
| March | 82¼ | 83⅜ | 82¼ | 83⅞ |
| May | 79⅝ | 81⅛ | 79½ | 81 |

### LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Feb. 13.—The trade at the Union stockyards was a little brighter this morning. Prices steady. There was a steady run of cattle. Hogs were steady. Receipts, 512 cattle, 95 calves, 1,412 hogs and 95 sheep. Quotations:

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $12@12 50; butchers, choice, $10 75@11; do, medium, $8 50@9; do, common, $7 50@8; do, cows, choice, $8 75@10 25; do, medium, $7 25@8; do, canners, $5 85@6; do, bulls, $7 50@8 75; feeding steers, $8 50@9 50; stockers, choice, $8@8 75; do, light, $7@7 50; milkers, choice, each, $90@140; springers, each, $99@140; calves, $15 50@17 70.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $12 50@13 50; bucks and culls, $6@10; lambs, $18 25@19.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $18 75@19; f. o. b., $17 75.

Montreal, Feb. 13.—Receipts at the Canadian Pacific stockyards this morning were 200 cattle, 25 sheep and lambs, 150 hogs and 100 calves. Trade was slow in anticipation of the Lenten fast, and prices were only barely maintained. Quotations:

Choice steers, $10 50@11 25; good steers, $8 50@10; choice butcher cows, $9@9 50; good cows, $8@8 75; medium, $6 50@7 50; choice butcher bulls, $9@10; good bulls, $8 25@8 50; medium, $7@8; canners, $5 50@6.

Sheep, $10@12; lambs, $14@16.

Select hogs, off cars, $19 75.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; slow.

Calves—Receipts, 300 head; steady, at $7@16 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,700 head; steady to 10c lower; heavy, mixed and yorkers, $16 90@17; light yorkers, $15 75@16; pigs, $15 50@15 75; roughs, $15 25@15 50; stags, $14@14 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,400; lambs steady, others lower; lambs, $14@18 25; yearlings, $13@15 75; wethers, $13 75@14; ewes, $7@13; mixed sheep, $13@13 50.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market strong; beeves, $8 40@13 80; stockers and feeders, $7 20@10 25; cows and heifers, $6 30@11 60; calves, $8 50@14.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market was strong; light, $15 50@16 25; mixed, $15 60@16 20; heavy, $15 50@16 20; rough, $15 50@15 65; pigs, $12 25@14 85; bulk of sales at $15 75@16 10.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; market was strong; lambs, $13 75@17; wethers, $9 75@13 20.

### PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, Feb. 13.—Beef—Extra India mess, 360s.

Pork—Prime mess western, 330s.

Hams—Short cut, 137s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 152s; clear bellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 160s; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 157s; shoulders, square, 128s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 133s; American refined, in pails, 136s 3d; do, in boxes, 135s.

### OILS.

London, Feb. 13.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 72s.

Turpentine Spirits—128s.

Rosin—Common, 64s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 6⅝d.

Linseed Oil—61s 6d.

Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2¾d.

### COTTON.

Liverpool, Feb. 13.—Cotton—Futures closed quiet. New contracts: February, 23.24d; March, 22.82d; April, 22.46d; May, 22.11d; June, 21.82d; July, 21.55d. Old contracts (fixed prices): February, 21.93d; February and March, 21.84d; March and April, 21.75d; April and May, 21.67d; May and June, 21.59d; June and July, 21.51d.

### MONEY.

London, Feb. 13.—Bar silver, 42¼d per ounce.

New York, Feb. 13.—Bar silver, 85⅝c per ounce.

London, Feb. 13.—Money was in good demand and discount rates were steady. Russian exchange dealings have ceased, but transactions occurring in rouble notes show a heavy depreciation.

### WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 13—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Resumption of operations on the stock exchange after the triple holiday was attended by a general demonstration of strength. In the first half hour's active trading gains of 1 to 4 points were made by such diversified issues as Atlantic and Gulf, Marine preferred, United States Steel, Crucible Steel, Virginia Iron, Baldwin Locomotive, General Motors, General Electric, Studebaker, Industrial Alcohol, American Sugar, Sumatra Tobacco and Ohio Gas. Rails were almost the only backward features, although Canadian Pacific scored an advance of 1½ points. Liberty issues were reactionary the second fours making a new low record of 95.

Noon.—The early advance embraced numerous other issues, including oils, utilities and low-priced war shares. The usual profit-taking occurred at the higher levels, shippings, motors and Alcohol dropping back 1 to almost 2 points. Heaviness was manifested by western rails, Utah Copper and People's Gas. Trading quieted toward noon, the active list, however, showing irregular strength.

1:30 p.m.—Prices continued to yield during the dull noon hour, some of the leaders forfeiting all their gains. Recessions ran from 1 to 2 points in steels, shippings and prominent equipments.

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, Feb. 13.

| | Open. | High. | Low. | 1:30. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Trunk Lines and Grangers—** | | | | |
| Baltimore & Ohio. | 50½ | .. | .. | .. |
| Erie, com. | 14⅝ | .. | .. | .. |
| Erie, 1st pfd. | 24¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| New Haven | 29 | .. | .. | .. |
| Rock Island | 20½ | .. | .. | .. |
| St. Paul | 41¼ | 41¼ | 41⅛ | 41¼ |
| **Pacifics and Southerns—** | | | | |
| Atchison, com. | 84 | 84 | 83 | 58 83⅝ |
| Canadian Pacific | 146¾ | 147¼ | 146½ | 147 |
| Missouri Pacific | 22 | .. | .. | .. |
| Northern Pacific | 83½ | .. | .. | .. |
| Southern Pacific | 83¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| Southern Railway | 23⅝ | 23⅝ | 23½ | 23½ |
| Union Pacific | 114⅝ | 115 | 114⅝ | 114⅞ |
| **Coalers—** | | | | |
| Ches. & Ohio | 53¼ | 53½ | 53 | 53 |
| Norfolk & West. | 104 | .. | .. | .. |
| Pennsylvania | 45 | .. | .. | .. |
| Reading Railway. | 75¼ | 75¼ | 74⅝ | 74⅝ |
| **Tractions—** | | | | |
| Brooklyn Transit. | 44⅛ | 44⅛ | 43½ | 44 |
| **Industrials—** | | | | |
| Allis-Chalmers | 24⅞ | 24⅞ | 24⅛ | 24½ |
| Am. Beet Sugar | 78½ | 78½ | 78 | 78 |
| American Can | 40¼ | 40⅜ | 39⅞ | 40 |
| American Car | 74 | 74½ | 73¼ | 73¼ |
| Am. Locomotive | 61¾ | 62½ | 61¼ | 61¼ |
| American Sugar | 105 | .. | .. | .. |
| Am. Smelters | 83⅛ | 83½ | 82¾ | 82¾ |
| Am. Tel. & Tel. | 106⅛ | 106⅛ | 106 | 106 |
| American Wool | 51¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| Baldwin Loco. | 68¼ | 68½ | 67¾ | 68½ |
| Central Leather | 71 | 71 | 69½ | 69⅝ |
| Corn Products | 33⅝ | 33⅞ | 31⅞ | 31¼ |
| Col. Fuel & Iron | 38⅛ | 38⅛ | 38 | 38 |
| Distillers | 41¾ | 42¼ | 41¼ | 41⅜ |
| General Electric | 138 | 139¼ | 137 | 138¼ |
| General Motors | 139¾ | 140 | 138 | 140 |
| G. Northern Ore | 27⅛ | 27⅜ | 27⅛ | 27⅜ |
| Inter. Nickel | 28¾ | 29½ | 28¼ | 28⅝ |
| Marine, com. | 26 | 26⅜ | 25⅝ | 25⅝ |
| Marine, pfd. | 97 | 98⅜ | 96¼ | 96¾ |
| Studebaker | 52 | 52½ | 51⅞ | 51⅞ |
| U. S. Rubber | 58⅜ | 58⅜ | 57½ | 57½ |
| Virginia Chemical | 40½ | 40¾ | 40½ | 40⅝ |
| Westinghouse | 41½ | 41½ | 41⅜ | 41⅜ |
| Willy-Overland | 18½ | 18½ | 18 | 18⅜ |
| **Coppers—** | | | | |
| Anaconda Copper. | 62¼ | 62¾ | 62 | 62 |
| Chino Copper | 43¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| Inspiration | 44¾ | 45 | 44¾ | 44¾ |
| Nevada Con. | 18⅞ | 18⅞ | 18¾ | 18¾ |
| Ray Consolidated. | 24 | .. | .. | .. |
| Tennessee Copper | 16¼ | .. | .. | .. |
| Utah Copper | 82⅜ | 82⅜ | 81½ | 81½ |
| **Oils—** | | | | |
| Am. Cotton Oil | 31⅝ | 32½ | 31⅝ | 32⅛ |
| Cal. Petroleum | 16¾ | 17 | 16¾ | 17 |
| New Mexican | 91½ | 91⅝ | 90⅜ | 90⅝ |
| Texas Oil | 155½ | 156 | 154¼ | 154¼ |
| **Steels—** | | | | |
| Bethlehem Steel | 77⅛ | 77½ | 76⅝ | 76¾ |
| Crucible Steel | 59⅞ | 61 | 59½ | 60⅜ |
| Pressed Steel Car. | 63⅞ | .. | .. | .. |
| Republic Iron | 75¾ | 76½ | 75¾ | 76⅜ |
| Railway Steel | 53½ | .. | .. | .. |
| U. S. Steel | 95¼ | 95¾ | 94¼ | 94¾ |
| U. S. Steel, pfd. | 110½ | 110⅝ | 110½ | 110⅝ |
| **Bonds—** | | | | |
| Anglo-French 5's. | 89½ | 89½ | 89⅜ | 89½ |

### LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Feb. 13.—The stock market continued generally dull and uneasy today on fears of fresh taxation. Competition of short dated Government issues caused an easier feeling in gilt-edged securities, while home rails were affected by disappointing dividends. Armament and tin shares and Australian coppers were the best features. Shipping stocks were irregular.

Closing prices were:

| | |
|---|---|
| British 5 per cent loan | 93⅜ |
| British 4½ per cent loan | 100¼ |
| Atchison, com. | 87 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 53 |
| Canadian Pacific | 161 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 56 |
| Chicago Great Western | 8 |
| Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul | 51 |
| De Beers | 13⅛ |
| Denver & Rio Grande | 5 |
| Erie, com. | 20 |
| Erie, 1st pfd. | 30 |
| Grand Trunk | 9¼ |
| Illinois Central | 99 |
| Louisville & Nashville | 118 |
| Missouri, Kansas & Texas | 6¾ |
| New York Central | 73½ |
| Norfolk & Western | 108½ |
| Ontario & Western | 20½ |
| Pennsylvania Railway | 48 |
| Rand Mines | 3 |
| Reading Railway | 78 |
| Southern Railway | 26 |
| Southern Pacific | 87 |
| Union Pacific | 120 |
| United States Steel | 99 |

### TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Feb. 13.—Owing to wire troubles, it is impossible to report the Toronto Stock Exchange transactions.

Morning sales: Trethewey, 3500 at 15; Steamships, 25 at 42¾; Consumers' Gas, 10 at 146¾; C. P. R., 10 at 147; Shredded Wheat, 20 at 110; Steel of Canada, 10 at 53½@53¾; Maple Leaf, pfd., 6 at 94½; Canada Permanent, 100 at 162½; Bank of Commerce, 10 at 186; Brazilian, 28 at 35⅛@35⅜; War Loan, 1937, 1300 at 93¼; do, 1925, 1000 at 94⅝; do, 1931, 300 at 93¼.

### STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Toronto, Feb. 13—Noon.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Apex | 5 | 5¼ |
| Dome Extension | 9½ | 10½ |
| Dome Lake | 20 | 21 |
| Dome Mines | 880 | .. |
| Imperial | 1⅜ | 2⅛ |
| McIntyre | 138 | 139 |
| New Holly | 500 | 505 |
| New Ray | 22 | .. |
| Porcupine Crown | 20 | 24 |
| Porcupine Vipond | 22½ | 25 |
| Preston East Dome | 2½ | 3 |
| Teck-Hughes | 49 | 55 |
| West Dome | 12¼ | 13 |
| Adanac | 9 | 9⅞ |
| Bailey | .. | 4 |
| Beaver | 25 | 26½ |
| Chambers-Ferland | .. | 10½ |
| Coniagas | 305 | .. |
| Gifford | 3½ | 3¾ |
| Great Northern | .. | 4¼ |
| Hargraves | 7⅛ | 7½ |
| Hudson Bay | .. | 37 |
| Kerr Lake | 560 | 580 |
| La Rose | 51 | .. |
| McKinley | 52 | 52½ |
| Nipissing Mines | 820 | 835 |
| Peterson Lake | 8½ | 9½ |
| Right of Way | 3⅝ | 4 |
| Seneca-Superior | 1½ | .. |
| Silver Leaf | .. | 1½ |
| Temiskaming | 29¾ | 30 |
| Trethewey | 15 | 15¼ |
| Wettlaufer | 4½ | 5 |
| Boston Creek | 15 | 25 |

### POLES ARE SORE.

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 12.—The Vienna correspondent of the Berlin Tageblatt reports that the Polish Club has severed its connection with the Government because the Polish province of Chelm was assigned to Ukraine in the peace treaty.

The Austrian Government, the dispatch says, is now opposed by a united block of Poles and southern Slavs.

## CASH BARLEY IS AGAIN IN DEMAND

### Improvement One of Winnipeg's Grain Features.

Winnipeg, Feb. 12.—There was a good demand for oats under spreads from Monday, except No. 3 Canadian western, which was ¼c better today than on Monday's close. The demand for cash barley was again fair. Cash flax was quiet.

May oats closed unchanged, and July ⅛c lower. Barley finished ⅞c up for May. Flax closed unchanged for May.

Futures opened and closed as follows:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oats—(Old contract)— | | | | |
| May | .. | .. | .. | 87 |
| Oats—(New contract)— | | | | |
| May | 87⅛ | .. | .. | 87 |
| July | 85⅝ | .. | .. | 86⅛ |
| Barley— | | | | |
| May | 1 61⅝ | .. | .. | 1 61⅝ |
| Flax— | | | | |
| May | 3 34½ | .. | .. | 3 34⅛ |

Cash grain:

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 89c; No. 3 C.W., 85c; extra No. 1 feed, 84¼c; No. 1 feed, 81c; No. 2 feed, 78c.

Barley—No. 3 C.W., $1 58⅛; No. 2 C.W., $1 53⅛; rejected, $1.28; feed, $1.28.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., nominal; No. 2 C.W., $3.25⅝; No. 3 C.W., $3.08⅝.

### TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 12.—Grain quotations are as follows:

Wheat—Ontario, No. 2 winter, $2.22, in store, Montreal; Manitoba, No. 1 northern, $2.23½, in store, Fort William; No. 2 northern, $2.20; No. 3 northern, $2.17½.

Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 89¼c; No. 3 Canada western, 84⅝c, at lake ports for immediate shipment; Ontario, No. 2 white, 91@92c, outside; No. 3 white, 90@91c, outside.

Corn—American, No. 3 yellow, kiln-dried, $1.90, on track, Toronto.

Peas—No. 2, $3.70@3.80.

Rye—No. 2, $1.93@1.95.

Barley—$1.55@1.60, outside for malting.

Buckwheat—$1.63; shipping points, $1.65.

### MONTREAL.

Montreal, Feb. 12.—The tone of the local market for oats was easier today and prices were reduced ⅜c per bushel. The demand for supplies from all sources was somewhat limited and the volume of business was small, this being attributed to the stormy weather and the condition of the railway traffic. Sales of a few odd cars of No. 3 Canadian Western and extra No. 1 feed were made at $1.02 per bushel.

Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, $2.15@2.30.

Oats—Canadian Western, No. 3, $1.02; extra No. 1 feed, $1.02; No. 2 local white, $1.01; No. 3 local white, $1; No. 4 local white, 99c.

### FLOUR

Toronto, Feb. 12.—Listed quotations at Toronto are:

Flour—Manitoba: First patents, $11.10, war quality; Ontario winter, 90 per cent patents, $10.60, war quality.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $35 per ton; shorts, $40 per ton, carlots, Montreal.

Montreal, Feb. 12.—In the local flour market the demand for the new standard spring wheat for domestic consumption is good, also for shipment to country points. Sales of carlots of flour for shipment to country points were made at $11.10 per barrel today, and to city bakers at $11.20 in bags, f.o.b. cars, Montreal. There was no change in millfeed or rolled oats.

Flour—New standard, $11.10@11.20; straight rollers, bags, $5.25@5.40.

Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., $5.50.

Bran—$35.

Shorts—$40.

Middlings—$48@50.

Moullie—$56@58.

## ITALY WILL BATTLE ON TO THE BITTER END, ORLANDO ANNOUNCES

### Parliament Cheers Premier's Courageous Declaration.

Rome, Feb. 12.—Enthusiastic applause and cheers met the declaration of Premier Orlando at the opening of Parliament today that the war situation was grawing better, due to help from the United States replacing Russia.

Premier Orlando reviewed the Versailles conference, and pointed out that so far as Italy was concerned the continuation of the war was no longer a matter of choice, but necessity. Also, he said, this fact is understood by all patriotic Italians, who are now willing to wage war to the bitter end. Regarding Italy's aims, the premier declared that they were unimperialistic.

"All she wants," Premier Orlando declared, "and no less, and she can wish for no more, than the security of her national boundaries by land and sea and also the fulfillment of her national unity.

"It is materially seen how Italy's citizens view the war question by the fact that the unfinished national loan already has brought in three and a half billion lire, and it will, within a fortnight, be double any previous loan—all this money despite our defeat last fall. Italians are determined to fight until victory."

## ARTILLERY OF BOTH SIDES ACTIVE, SAYS FRENCH STATEMENT

### Four German Planes Brought Down on Monday.

Paris, Feb. 12.—The war office announcement tonight reads:

"Both artilleries were active in Champagne, in the regions of the Monts on the right bank of the Meuse, and at several points in the Vosges. There was no infantry action.

"On February 11 four German airplanes were brought down by our pilots. In addition our aviators carried out various bombardments. Nine tons of projectiles were dropped on enemy depots, railway stations and cantonments, notably the Metz-Sablons station, where a fire broke out.

"Eastern Theatre, Feb. 11.—There was artillery activity west of the Vardar and northwest of Monastir. Enemy reconnaissances were repulsed in the upper Skumbi Valley.

"Belgian communication.—On the night of February 9-10, one of our patrols penetrated shelters for machine guns near Kippe. After a hand-to-hand struggle they put the occupants of the shelters out of action and returned to our lines, bringing back a German machine gun. Along the whole front there was limited artillery activity this morning. It was quite marked during the aftern