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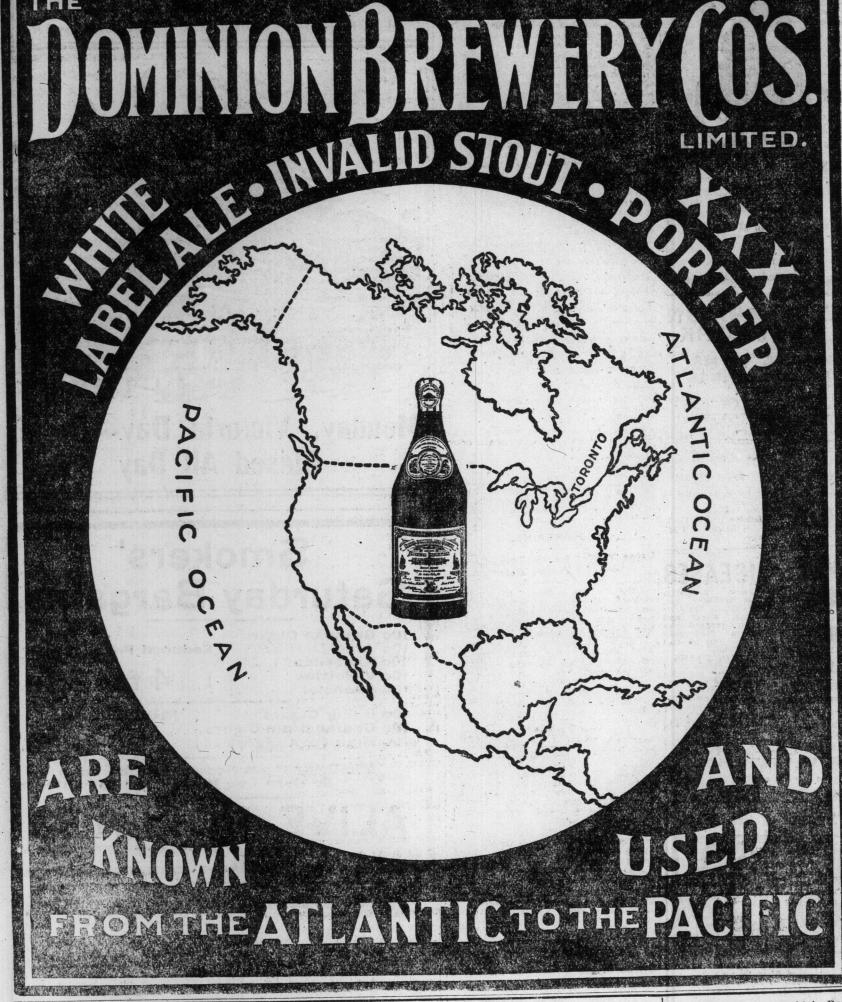
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AT ALL THE EXCHANGES

Flurry in Corn Futures Has Toned Down-Wheat Options Are Lower.

World Office Friday Evening, May 22. Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day %d to 4d lower than yesterday, and

corn futures 1/2d higher. At Chicago July wheat closed ½c lower than yesterday; July corn %c lower and July oats ½c lower. Winnipeg car lots wheat to-day 101, ract 1; corn 132, 31; cats 180, 10.

Northwest cars to-day 192, week ago

Northwest cars to-day 192, week ago Chicago car lots to-day wheat 27, contract 1; corn 132, 31; cats 180, 10.

178, year ago 329.

Argentine wheat last week, 3,552,000 bushels: previous week, 3,224,000; last year, 4,144,000 bushels. Corn, 2,722,000 busifels: previous week, 2,755,000; last year, 731,000 bushels.

Chicago: Confidential reports from one of the highest grain crop authorities in the country this afternoon say that the wheat crop in the Union Pacific territory will be the largest in history. It is also stated that the Kansas conditions are "very excellent." "very excellent."

NEW YORK, May 22.—All grades of refined sugar were reduced 10 cents a hundred points to-day.

The Modern Miller says: Reports are increasing of detesioration in the winter wheat crop from excessive moisture in the low and flat lands. In higher lands the general conditions are good.—News Bureau.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

The following were the last prices made at the call board of the Toronto Board of Trade. Prices are for outside shipping points, except when mentioned: No. 2 red, sellers 96c, buyers 92c; No. 2 mixed, sellers 94c, buyers 92c.

Spring wheat—No. 2 Ontario, no quota-ions; No. 2 goose, buyers 89c. Barley—No. 2, buyers 55c; sellers 60c; No. 3X, no quotations; No. 3, no quotations; feed, no quotations.

Osts-No. 2 white, sellers 50c, buyers 45½c; No. 2 mixed, buyers 47c.

4.75c; No. 11, 4.70c; No. 12, 4.65c; No. 13, 4.60c; No. 14, 4.55c; confectioners' A, 5.20c; mould A, 5.75c; cut-loaf, 6.20c; crished, 6.10c; powdered, 5.50c; granulated, 5.40c; cubes, 5.65c.

Winnipeg Wheat Markets. Winnipeg with the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures:
Wheat—May \$1.11 bid, July \$1.12½ bid.
Oats—May 44%c bid, July 46%c bid.

dressed hogs.

Wheat—One hundred bushels of fall.

Sold at 97c to 98c.

Barley—One hundred bushels sold at 55c per bushel.

Oats—One hundred bushels sold at 55c per bushel. per bushel.

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as—One hundred bushels sold at 89c ing fluctuations on the Chicago Board of er busnel. Hay—Thirty loads sold at \$17 to \$18 per. ton. Straw-Eight loads sold as follows: \$14 to \$15 per ton for sheaf, and \$8 to \$9 for

Joshua Ingham bought 6 dressed calves at \$7.50 per cwt.; 10 dressed hogs, at \$8.25 per cwt.
 Grain—
 Wheat, spring, bush
 \$0 90 to \$0 92

 Wheat, fall, bush
 0 97
 0 98

 Wheat, goose, bush
 0 94

 Wheat, red, bush
 0 95

 Rye, bushel
 0 84

 Buckwheat, bushel
 0 70

 Peas, bushel
 0 89

 Barley, bushel
 0 55

 Oats, bushel
 0 55
 Hay and Straw-.\$0 17 to \$0 18 Hay, per ton \$0 17 to \$0 18 Cattle hay, ton 14 00 Straw, loose, ton 8 00 9 00 Straw, bundled, ton 14 00 15 00 Fruits and Vegetables-

Dairy Produce-...\$0 28 to \$ 33 Butter, 1b Eggs, strictly new - laid, per dozen Fresh Meats— 0 18 0 20
 Fresh Meats—
 Beef, forequarters, cwt
 \$6 00 to
 \$8 00

 Beef, hindquarters, cwt
 8 50
 11 00

 Beef, choice sides, cwt
 8 00
 9 50

 Lembs, dressed weight
 14 00
 16 30

 Lambs, spring, each
 4 00
 8 00

 Mutton, light, cwt
 9 00
 12 00

 Veals, common, cwt
 5 50
 6 50

 Veals, prime, cwt
 8 50
 10 00

 -Dressed hogs, cwt
 8 00
 8 35

country hides, country 0 09 calfskins, country 0 024 0 25 Tallow, per lb 0 70 0 80 Tallow, per lb 0 80 Tal Total Live Stock. The total receipts of live stock at the City and Union Stock Yards for the pre-

ST. LAWRENCE MAPKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 400 bushels of grain, 30 loads of hay and a few dressed hogs.

Wheat—One hundred bushels of fall sold at 97c to 98c.

Barley—One hundred bushels sold at 56c yer bushels. Chicago Markets.

Open. High. Low. Close July 90% 91½ 90½ Sept 86% 87½ 86¼ Dec. 87½ 87% 87¼ Corn_
 July
 66¼
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ferably for the present.

Corn-Corn prices have suffered a severe decline. Those in control have shown andisposition to let the price down to discourage prospective shipments available for May delivery. Cash prices one to two cents lower and sales very limited. Weak and unsettled. Argentine shipments large at 2,722,000 bushels. Some of this corn is being brought to America experimentally, and milled for export business, permitting of a rebate of duties and allowing of a big saving on the American price.

serious damage by drought in Roumania and Bulgaria. Northwest receipts show some falling off. The Modern Miller was bullish and noted increases deteroriating in southwest. We continue to advise purchases on the declines.

Corn—Showed a little strength early and made small gain, but weakened later and declined 1/2c under yesterday. Weather nap is not so fayorable.

Gats—Ruled a little lower, but steady at small decline. Weakness in corn had some effect.

Provisions were fairly steady at a small

Provisions were fairly steady at a small J. R. Heintz & Co. wired R. B. Holden at the close:

Wheat—Market shade lower at opening, but soon turned strong. By crop reports, if any where near correct, a big yield of wheat is out of the question. We strongly advise buying July and September wheat on all recessions. The cash demand shows some improvement.

Corn—Started strong and free selling on more favorable weather caused a very

Corn—Started strong and free selling of more favorable weather caused a very sharp decline. May selling off 2% c. The general conditions are a little bearish just at the moment, still we do not look for much of a setback for the country is not free seller; they are wise to keep their corn reserves.

Oats—Shade lower. There is no feature to the oat trade.

Provisions—Dull and firm at the opening Packers doing very little, some ining. Packers doing very little, some investment buying; would advise waiting for a good reaction before buying.

cut, firm, 45s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, firm, 42s 6d; long clear middles light, steady, 42s 6d; do., heavy, firm, 41s; short clear backs, firm, 49s. Shoulders, square, firm, 30s 6d. Lard, American, refined, in palls, firm, 44s. New York Dairy Market.

Eggs Steady, unchanged; receipts, 18,

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Are Higher at Buffalo and Chicago. NEW YORK, May 22.—Beeves—Receipts, NEW YORK, May 22.—Beeves—Receipts, 2870; market, slow and 10c to 15c lower, on everything. Ordinary to prime steers, \$5.75 to \$6.75; oxen and stags, \$3.25 to \$5.75; bulls, \$4 to \$1.85; distillery fed do., \$5.80 to \$5.40; cows, \$2.25 to \$4.75; one do., at \$5. Dressed beef dull, at 9½c to 11c per pound. Exports to-morrow, 700 cattle and \$400 quarters of beef all to Lontine and \$400 quarters of beef all to Lon-

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated about 1500, Market steady; steers, \$5 to \$7.35, cows, \$3.75 to \$5.75; heifrers, \$3.50 to \$6.25; bulls, \$4 to \$5.75\(rho Calves, \$2.50 to \$6.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.25 to \$5.40.

House, Parada Sheep—Receipts, estimated about 6000; market, steady; sheep, \$4 to \$5; lambs, 5.25 to \$6.75; yearlings, \$4.50 to \$5.25.

East Buffalo Live Stock. Veals—Receipts, 2500 head; active and steady, \$5 to \$6.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 6200 head; fairly active and 5c to 10c higher; heavy, \$6.05 to \$8.10; mixed, \$6.10 to \$6.15; vorkers, \$5.50 to \$6.10; pigs, \$4.50 to \$5.50; roughs, \$4.80 to \$5.10; stags, \$3.75 to \$4.25; dairies, \$5.75 to \$6.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 7600 head; slow; lambs, 10c lower; lambs, \$5 to \$6.40, a few \$6.50; yearlings, \$5.25 to \$5.50; well-ers, \$5 to \$5.50; ewes, \$4.25; to \$4.75; sheep. ers, \$5 to \$5.25; ewes, \$4.25 to \$4.75; sheep, mixed, \$2 to \$5.

LONDON, May 22.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 144c per lb., dressed weight: refrigerator beef is quoted at 11c to 114c per lb.

Donlands Maple Syrup, only eighty odd hottles left, at Fifty Cents a bottle, to close out. At Michie's.

On account of Victoria Day, the Grand Trunk Railway System will ssue return tickets at single fare between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich.; Buf-falo, Black Rock and Suspension Bridge, New York, good going to-day, Sunday and Monday; return limit Tuesoffice, northwest Yonge-streets.

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COBALT---Little Nipissing Promises To Be the Next Shipper--- COBALT

SIGNS OF DISSIPATION OF CROWN RESERVE FLURRY

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Stocks Sell Down on Small Realiz
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ing-Little Nipissing and Other Issues Are Firm.

Friday Evening, May 22.

The flurry in Crown Reserve petered out to-day, when actual holders of the stock attempted to take advantage of what is considered to be a fictitious N. S. Silver Cobalt Mining Co....

McKinley Dar. Savage
Peterson Lake
N. S. Silver Cobalt tock attempted to take au...

what is considered to be a fictitious price. The price of the shares fell six pecints, and would have gone much farther if the realizing had been larger. Except for this weakness the market for Cobalt stocks was steady to firm for Cobalt stocks was steady to firm for Cobalt stocks was steady to firm the stocks was steady to firm for Cobalt stocks was steady to firm for Cobalt stocks was steady to firm the stocks was steady to firm for Cobalt stocks was stead Except for this was steady to firm.

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The older issues were well supported

with buying orders. Foster advanced
five points, and very little of the stock
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Silver Leaf—1000 at 14½, 800 at 14½.

Cobalt Central—300 at 30½.

—Afternoon Sales. the day. Trethewey was exceedingly dull, but the offerings of the shares were light and the quotations were scarcely a criterion of the market situation. The pool in Temiskaming carried the price of the stock higher, but conservative holders sold on to-day's advance. There was good buying of Little Nipissing to-day from a well-informed source, and rumor has it that this company will shortly ship and pay dividends to shareholders. The market

prices generally closed stronger than they did last night. Early Dividend Payers. Little Nipissing will be an immediate shipper and an early dividend-payer, if present indications can be a criterion. Superintendent Madden is one of the most energetic of men, and has worked hard for his company with good

results.

The Little Nipissing has secured power from the Big Nipissing to operate on the shore of Peterson Lake, where a new vein, running parallel to the main vein, has been uncovered and is being worked. The vein matter in both veins is rich in native silver and carries high stiver values. Showings carrying as high as 2700 ounces of silver to the ton are frequent, and the superintendent is only awaiting the decision of the comare frequent, and the superintendent is only awaiting the decision of the company's directors as to smelter to make a shipment. The first car will be sent either to Deloro or Copper Cliff—a Canadian smelter will receive the preference

and the dump is full of high-grade ore that will be sacked at once. that will be sacked at once.

The main shaft at the lake is down over 45 feet, and is now being timbered.

At the company's original holdings, work on the tunnel is being proceeded with, and is now in the face of the big buff for a distance of 200 feet. A calwork on the tunnel is being proceeded with, and is now in the face of the tig bluff for a distance of 200 feet. A calcite vein on the face of the hill is also 2000 at 144, 500 at 144, 50

bluff for a distance of 200 feet. A calcite vein on the face of the hill is also being opened up. Surface prospecting over the balance of the acreage will be started at once.

There has been a lot of trading in Cobalt in this stock, owing to good local representation on the directorate, and the local buyer has been holding his stock as an investment. This position is the more strongly maintained now by reason of the report current the last two days, that the large shareholders, after a recent visit and inspection of the property, decided that no more stock would be offered at less than par. The company is capitalized at \$650,000, and it is the ePterson Lake lease secured by Mr. Curry that has given immediate merit to the proposition.

Frank Burr Mosure.

ARE IN NEED OF COAL

Larder Lake Mines Want a Government Rallroad.

Robert Tighe of Larder City writes that Messrs. Wakefield and Patterson, directors of the Harris Maxwell Gold

Altitude Proposition at 14%, 500 at 11%, 500 at 14%, 500 at 14%, 500 at 42, 500 at 27%.

Crown Reserve—100 at 50, 100 at 1.11%, 500 at 41%, 500 at 41%, 500 at 42, 500 at

that Messrs. Wakefield and Patterson, directors of the Harris Maxwell Gold Mines, have just returned from Larder Mines, have just returned from Larder Lake, where they have a large gang of miners at work. Their ten-stamp mill is again running, but under difficulties, owing to so little hardwood being procurable in the district. The soft wood is useless and wet. They consider that coal must be brought into the camp from Abitibi and the north to solve the

uel problem.

The government is evidently alive to the exigencies of the situation, as on their way in they met a staff surveying for the spur line projected from Boston to Larder City, which will be kept busy when built in carrying coal, lumber, mining supplies and passengers. They had the mortification of seeing their eighty horsepower boiler stuck in the road, where it will have to remain till

Toronto Stock Exchange Unlisted Se-

Nova Scotia Cobalt-1000 at 28, 500 at 1 00 at 28. Crown Reserve—500 at 50, 1000 at 49%. Foster—100 at 62%. Coniagas—40 at 4.95, 60 at 4.95.

for Cobalts was quite broad to-day, and Hudson Bay Kerr Lake Little Nipissing Trethewey

at 67, 1000 at 68, 200 at 08.

McKinly Dar. Savage—100 at 77.

Cobalt Lake—100 at 17.

Silver Queen—200 at 1.13, 200 at 1.131/2, 50

at 1.131/2, 200 at 1.131/2.

Little Nipissing—30 at 228, 100 at 28, 500 Nova Scotia-1000 at 2714, 2000 at 2714, 200

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Fens—No. 3, buyers 96

Corn—No. 2 yellow, no quotations.
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