Mining! Stocks. Toronte, July 10 .- Following are to-day's

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SALES Colden Star 500 at 40: 50	0 at 391/2

BUTTER WANTED!

If you have any tub butter to offer, let us hear from you. Will buy any quantity from one tub to a car load. Also Eggs and other Produce. CHAS. ABBOTT, Wholesale Produce and Commission Merchant. Phone 1288. 721 king St., London, Ont

Oil arkets. PITTSBURG, Pa., July 11.-Oil opened and closed today at \$1 i9.
PETROLIA, July 11.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 45.
OIL CITY, July 10.—Certificates opened at \$1 19½; highest, \$1 20½; lowest, \$1 19½; closed, \$1 29½; sales, 1,600. Oil at \$1 20.
OIL CITY, Pa., July 11.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 13.

Et. Thomas Market St. Thomas, July 10.-Wheat, per bu, 70c; oats, 32c to 35c; peas, 50c to 60c; barley, 48c to 55c; corn, 45c to 50c; beans, 70c.

Local Market.
A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REVIEW.
London, Tuesday, July 11.
Wheat, white, per bu72c to 72c
Wheat, red, per bu72c to 72c
Wheat, spring, per bu72e to 72e
Oats, per bu34c to 36c
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu
Barley, per bu40%c to 50%c

Wheat, oats and all kinds of grain, etc., were scarce today. Prices show little or no change since Saturday; demand steady. Quotations: Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 20 @ 1 21

Rye, per bu56c to 56c

Wheat, red. fall, per 100 lbs 1	18	(ce	1 20
Wheat, spring, per 100 los		0	
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Peas per 100 lbs	00	a	1 00
Corn per 100 lbs	70	0	85
Barley, per 100 lbs	85	0	1 00
Rye per 100 lbs	00	0	1 00
Beans, per bu	75	0	80
PROVISIONS.			
Cheese, per lb	10	@	12
Eggs, single dozen	12	a	13
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	111/2	@	12
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	11	@	12
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	16	@	17
Butter. lb, large rolls or crocks	15	9	16
Butter, per lb, retail	17	(0)	18
Lard per lb	8	0	10
VEGETABLES AND	FRU	IT.	
Potatoes, new, per bu	90	(00	1 25
Turnips, new. per doz	25	a	30
Green peas, per quart	10	(00	13
Beans, per peck	40	@	60
Cabbage, per doz.	40	(00	50
Cucumbers, per doz	30	0	40
Radishes, per doz. bunches	15	(0)	20
Lettuce, per doz. bunches	15	0	20
Rhubarb, dozen	20	0	20
Onions, per doz bunches	20	a	25
Beets, per dez bunches	20	20	25
LIVE STOCK.			-
Beef, per ib	3	0	4
Hogs, light, per 100 ibs		@	4 65
Pigs, young, per pair	00	a	4 50
Sows, per 100 lbs	3 25	@	3 50
Ducks, per pair	60	@	70
Spring ducks, per pair	90	0	1 60
Chickens, spring, per pair	50	a	75
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Ducks, per pair 60	@	70
Spring ducks, per pair 90	0	1 60
Chickens, spring, per pair 50	6	75
Her., per pair 50	@	50
HAY AND SEEDS.	7	
Hay, per ton 6 50	0	7 50
Straw, per load : 200	(0)	3 00
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.		
Beef. per lb 5	@	6
Mutton, quarters, per 1b 5	(3	6
Veal, quarters, per lb 6	(0)	7
Lamb. quarter 9	6	10
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light 6 15	@	6 15
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy . 4 00	100	5 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb 7	@	7
Hides, No. 2, per lb 6	@	6
Hides, No. 3, per lb 5	(0)	5
Calfskins, green 8	10	8
Sheepskins, each 70	(0	903
Sheep Pelts 15	(0)	15
Lambskins 20	0	25
Wool, washed, per lb 14	(0)	15
Wool, unwashed, per lb 8	(9	9
Turkeys, per lb 9	0	10
Geese, per lb	(2)	

HAMILTON'S SEED STORE

IS THE PLACE TO BUY

BINDER TWINE.

American Markets. CHICAGO, July 10 .- Anticipation of a bearish government crop report was the chief factor in a decline in wheat today of \(\frac{1}{2}c \) to \(\frac{1}{2}c \). It also had the effect of greatly restricting trade. Corn showed sympathy to the extent of \(\frac{1}{2}c \) decline. Oats declined \(\frac{1}{2}c \) declined and closed un-Provisions were firm, and closed un-changed to 5c higher. September wheat opened easy, %c under Saturday's closing price at 72%c to 73c; ranged from 72%c to 72%c to 73%c, and closed at 73c. The usual anxiety over the approaching government crop report was evident at the beginning, and put a damper on trade. Primary receipts were 850,280 bu, as compared with 163,-304 last year. Duluth and Minneapolis receipts were 599 cars, Chicago 13 cars, 8 of contract grade. The market showed considerable weakness during the \$4 22½ t early trading and lowest prices of the \$4 25; rol day were recorded during the first to \$3 20.

hour. Besides the apprehension of a

bearish government report, the market was depressed by lower England and continental reports and by favorable weather throughout the wheat belt. The constantly increasing world's visible supply was not at all encouraging mon droves, up to \$5 50 to \$5 85 for the more choice; the demand for hogs was weather throughout the wheat belt. The constantly increasing world's visible supply was not at all encouraging to prospective buyers. The increase last week was 422,000 bu. World's shipments were 7,669,000 bu. After the mar-ket touched 72%c to 73c a better feel-ing manifested itself. Shorts bought moderately and a slow advance took place, the price getting to 73%c before the demand ceased. Shorts apparently had a good deal of confidence in their position, and support from that source was more or less prominent on every decline. The market ruled very dull during the afternoon, and gradually declined to 73c. It was bringing that price at the close.

THE VISIBLE SUPPLY.

New York, July 10.—The statement of the visible supply of grain in store and afloat on Saturday, July 8, 1899, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 34,016,000 bu; increase, 384,000 bu. Corn, 12,963,000 bu; decrease, 505,000 bu. Oats, 5,562,000 bu; decrease, 299,000 bu. Rye, 277,000 bu; increase, 5,000 bu. Barley, 977,000 bu; increase, 79,000 bu.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

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WHEAT-		-				_		-
Red Winter	6	0		11	6	0	0	0
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	11/2	6		6	01/2	6	0%
No. 1 Cal	6	3	6	3	6	21/2	6	3
July	5	9 .	5	816	5	548	5	81/2
Sept			. 5	11	5	91/4	5	11
Dec	6	5	6	11/2		05%	6	03%
CORN-							-	
New	3	434	. 3	41/	3	41/4	0	0
Old	3	534		534			3	53/2
Old	3	11/	3	41/4		41/2		43%
Sept	3	536					3	548
October		6	3	578	3		3	6
Flour		. 0	18	0	18	0	18	0
Peas		11	5	10%	5	10%	5	101/2
Pork		6 .	42	6	42	6	42	6
Lard		6	26	6	26	6	26	6
Tallow		6	23	0 -	22	6	22	6
Bacon, light,	29	6	20	6	29	6	29	6
Cheese, white	42	0	42	0	42	0	42	0
Cheese, colored			42	0	42	0	42	0

The Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, July 10 .- Butter quiet and steady; western creamery, 15c to 18½c; do, factory, 12c to 14c; imitation creamery, 13c to 16c; state dairy, 13½c to 17c; do, creamery, 15c to 18½c. Cheese firm; large white, 8½c; large colored, 8½c to 8½c; small colored, 8½c. CHICAGO, July 10.—Butter weak; creameries, 13½c to 18c; dairies, 11c to 151/2c. Cheese steady, at 81/2c to 9c.

UTICA, N. Y., July 10.-At the Utica board of trade today the following sales of cheese were made: 3,960 boxes large colored at 8c, 200 boxes do at 84c, 766 boxes large white at 8c, 286 boxes small colored at 8c, 420 do at 81/sc, 760 boxes small white at 8c, 112 boxes do at 81/4c. 630 boxes do at 81/4c. Butter-Thirty packages of butter at 17c, and 90 at 18c.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., July 10 .-Sales of cheese: One hundred boxes large colored at 7%c, 860 boxes large colored and white at 8c, 200 oxes large colored at private terms, 325 boxes small white at 7%c, 5,090 boxes small white and colored at &c. Butter -Thirty-three packages dairy butter at 15c to 17c.

CORNWALL, Ont., July 10.—The sales on the cheese board on Saturday were: McGregor, 4,508 at 8%c, 82 at 8%c, 164 at 8%c; McRae, 231 at 8%c; Weatherspoon, 66 at 8%c.

LINDSAY, Ont., July 10 .- The regular fortnightly meeting of the Victor cheese board was held in the council chamber of the town hall, and was a business session from start to finish. The buyers present were Messrs. Whitton, Fitzgerald, Wrighton and Flavelle. About 2,000 boxes were boarded. Whitton bought 940 at 81-16c; Fitzgerald, 600 at 8½c; Flavelle, 265 at 8½c, and 207 at 8 9-16c

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., July 10.— Cattle—The trade ruled strong and higher under good demand and a light run of sale, only 85 loads, including 10 loads of Canada stockers; the good export cattle were in comparatively light supply, active demand, and 10c to 15c higher; good to choice eattle were also 10c to 15c higher; the stocker trade was in fair position, with good demand, and a little stronger prices in sympathy with the good position of general trade; fresh cows and springers in fair supply, good demand for top eventually beat the scalpers. grades at stronger prices; the supply of calves was light, only about 25thead, good demand and a quarter higher than last Monday; good to best smooth, \$5 50 to \$5 70; good to best, \$5 30 to \$5 40; export bulls, \$4 to \$4 25; good to choice butcher steers, \$5 to \$5 20; good to best butcher steers, \$4 50 to \$4 90; good to choice fat bulls, \$3 90 to \$4 25; feeder bulls, \$3 to \$3 25; good to best fat heifers, \$4 50 to \$4 80; fair to good heifers. \$4 25 to \$4 50; fat cows good to best. \$3 10 to \$3 20; medium fai cows, \$2 75 to \$3 25; fat cows, commo to fair, \$2 70 to \$3; stockers, choice to extra quality, \$4 25 to \$4 60; common to fair, \$2 70 to \$3; stockers, choice to extra quality, \$4 25 to \$4 60; stock bulls, \$3 to \$3 25; calves, good color stock, \$4 25 to \$4 50; good to choice, \$4 to \$4 25; feeders, good to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 50; good to choice, \$4 25 to \$4 50; good to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 50; good to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 50; good \$2.75 to \$4.57 ssh. cowns. common to good, \$3 75 to 64; fresh cows choice to extra good bag, \$40 to \$48 good to choice, \$37 to \$45; springers good to extra, \$43 to \$47; common and poor cows, \$13 to \$20; cows and spring ers, common to good, \$18 to \$23; calves choice to extra. \$6 50 to \$6 75; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 50; heavy calves, \$3 50 t \$4. Sheep and lambs—The market wa generally quite strong, owing to th light receipts on sale, only 18 loads to tal; prices irregular, but generally strong; yearlings were in good comand and spring lambs were a full 4c higher; the general quality of the offerings was not very good; heavy sheep were very slow of sale; spring lambs were

quotable, choice to extra, \$6 75 to \$7; good to choice, \$6 25 to \$6 75; common

to fair, \$4 75 to \$5 50; sheep, choice to

extra wethers, \$5 to \$5 25; good to choice, \$4 75 to \$5; mixed sheep, \$4 50 to

\$4 85; yearlings, choice to extra, \$5 50 to

\$5 75; good to choice, \$5 25 to \$5 50. Hogs

The trade was active, with 85 loads on sale, and 10c to 15c higher than Sat-

urday's close; the market opened with heavy quetable at \$4 20 to \$4 22; mixed,

\$4 221/2 to \$4 25: Yorkers, \$4 221/2; pigs,

\$4 25; roughs, \$3 25 to \$3 65; stags, \$2 90

CHICAGO, July 10 .- Receipts of cat-

mon droves, up to \$5 50 to \$5 86 for the more choice; the demand for hogs was good today, and despite the large receipts the market was well cleaned up; light brought \$3 90 to \$4 07½; mixed lots sold for \$3 90 to \$4 07½; heavy at \$3 80 to \$4 07½; culls and rough lots for \$2 to \$3 75, and pigs at \$3 50 to \$4 05. Buyers of sheep were rather exacting, and discriminated at \$3 50 to \$4 05. Buyers of sheep were rather exacting, and discriminated against common lots of sheep and lambs, despite the good business: spring lambs sold at \$3 75 to \$6 95 for inferior to prime; sheep went at \$5 to \$5 40 for good to prime, down to \$2 to \$3 25 for culls; yearlings were irregularly lower, at \$4 50 to \$6. Receipts—Cattle, 19,500; hogs, 46,000; sheep, 17,00. NEW YORK, July 10 .- Beeves-Re-

ceipts, 3,675; steers, steady to lower; grass bulls lower; steers, \$4 95 to \$5 75; oxen and stags, \$4 25 to \$4 75; bulls, \$2 60 to \$4; cows, \$2 to \$4. Cables bulls, \$2 60 to \$4; cows, \$2 to \$4. Cables quoted live cattle higher, at 11%c to 12%c; sheep at 11%c to 12%c; refrigerator beef, 8%c. Exports, 2,700 cattle and 3,180 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 3,078; active and higher; veals, \$5 to \$7 50; culls, \$4 50; butter-milks, \$3 25 to \$4; mixed calves, \$4 to \$5 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 13,-259; prime handy sheep firm; others steady; but medium slow; good to choice lambs firm; medium more active, not higher; common lambs lower; poor to prime sheep, \$3 to \$5 35; culls, \$2 50; ordinary to choice lambs, \$4 75 to \$7 35; inferior and stale lots, \$4 to \$4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 9,640; higher, at \$4 40 to \$4 50 for good to choice hogs.

MONTREAL, July 10.—The receipts

MONTREAL, July 10 .- The receipts of cattle at the east end abattoir this morning were 600 head of cattle, 400 calves and 500 sheep and lambs. The attendance of buyers was large, and prices were well maintained. Cattle—Choice sold at 4% c to 5c per lb; good at 4c to 4½c; lower grades at 2½c to 3c; calves \$2 to \$8, according to size. Sheep brought 3½c to 4c; lambs sold at \$3 25 to \$4 50. Hogs, from \$4 50 to

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. Liverpool, July 10.-Prices here and in London for cattle are higher. American steers are quoted at 11½c to 12½c per lb, dressed weight; live sheep are better, at 11½c to 12½c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef sells at 81/80

BIG ADVANCE IN FREIGHT

Grain Rates Raised 3 to 5 Cents Per 100 on East Bound Lots From Chicago.

Chicago, July 11.-After considering the matter four days the presidents of all the big railroads between Chicago and the Atlantic seaboard have agreed that on and after Aug. 1, Chicago shippers must pay from 3 to 5 cents more on the one hundred pounds for the transportation of their grain to the eastern markets. More than this, the chief executive officers of these roads say that with the new tariff there will be no more secret deals with big consigners, that the man with a carload grain must be given the same rate as he who can promise a train load, and these rates must be the ones printed and posted for public inspec-tion. The new tariff on wheat, oats and flour from Chicago to New York city will be 17 cents per 100 pounds, compared with the present rate of 111/2 from 101/2 to 15 cents. For export cents. On corn the advance will be shipments from Chicago via New York the advance in corn will be from 101/2 to 11 cents, and on oats from 101/2 to 13 cents. For wheat, snipped to the European markets, the rate will be 17 cents per 100 pounds, the same as now. On provisions, both export and demestic, rates will be 25 cents, an increase of 5 cents in the export rate. Between now and August 1, when the new rates will go into effect, the lacal agents of the eastbound roads have been instructed to clean up all cut rate contracts.

D. McNicoll, of the C. P. R., says no change has been made in the relations between his road and the New York Central.

The Wabash, from Andrews to St Louis, is now laid with new steel rails, weighing 80 pounds to the yard, and next year the Detroit division will be laid with a heavier rail. The free chair cars on the Wabash

are becoming very popular in Canada. The Lake Shore Railroad Company has adopted a new form of ticket for use in excursion business, which is designed to beat the scalpers, and it will be inaugurated on the National Educational Association excursions to Cali-This ticket has on the marfornia. gin a blank space, where the sex, age, height, weight, and color of hair and eyes of the purchaser are recorded by means of a punch. The ticket must be presented to the city ticket agent at the other end and be verified before it will be accepted for return passage, and must also be signed by the holder. If there is anything wrong in the description of the holder or his signature that does not correspond with the oreventually beat the scalpers.

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Steamship Arrivals.
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Show that 25 per cent of men and women suffer the tortures of itching piles. Investigation proves that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment has never yet

failed to cure itching piles, and all of these men and women could end their sufferings at once by using it. Scores of thousands have been cured by this treatment. Everybody can be cured in the same way.

Electric Turkish Baths

At 820 Dundas street last week, Miss Charlotte Evans, of Canton, Ohio; Mr. James Parle, of Kippen, Ont.; Mr. Ives, of Woodstock, Ont., and Miss May Blythe, of Peoria, Ill., and Jessie Wilder, of New York. were taking the Electric Turkish Baths. THE WEATHER TODAY-Fine and very warm.



Some Superior Summer Skirts

AT VERY ATTRACTIVE PRICES.

We have only a few left of the following seasonable goods, but that is why we are desirous of clearing them out quickly at such reasonable prices.

Misses' Crash and Pique Skirts, trimmed with three bands of Pique strapping, from 28 to 36 inches in length.

A nice line, with tucked fronts and sleeves, in three different colors, Silk Blouses. Stripe Waists, in blue and white, and pink and white. \$2 95

Fancy Stripe Waists, in blue and white, and pink and white. \$3 75

A good selection in plaids and small checks. \$3 75 Black Satin Waists, with tucked fronts and sleeves \$3 75

A very stylish Black Silk Waist, light weight Peau de Soie, back and front tucked with cluster of fine tucks and deep tuck on bias.

Black Dress Specials.

One piece only, All-Wool Serge 40 inch, will sell at per yard 15c	
One pattern Figured Luster, 38 inch, regular 25c goods, for 15c	
Priestley's Black Mohair Grenadines, regular 60c, 65c and 75c goods	
Three patterns Black Mohair Blister Crepons, regular \$1.00, now	
Plain Black Luster, suitable for Bathing Suits, 42 inch, at	
Uncrushable Serge, for serviceable suits, 42 inch,	

Fast Black Sateens For dresses, shirts, waists and gentlemen's shirts, Elegant quality of Mercerized Sateen, for shirt Fine Cashmere-Finished Sateens, for dresses, at from..... 15c to 25c Also a special line of 50 yards, former price 12 1/2c, Satana—New Venetian-Finished Sateens, mercerized, beautiful goods, generally sold at 35c, our

Colored Sateens

New line Roman Sateens, 27 different colors, mercerised, handsome for linings and underskirts 25c Also a splendid assortment of Colored Sateens

Special Millinery Reductions.

We have still left a number of Ladies' Trimmed Hats and a quantity of Children's Muslin Hats, Caps and Bonnets. We advise you examine these goods at the earliest opportunity. Every one is a bargain.

All Trimmed Hats below \$4 00 clearing now at \$1 50

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Summer Flannels

Cream Cricketing Flannel, 28 inches wide, the proper thing for men's summer suits, per yard 45c Cream All-Wool Unshrinkable Flannel, fine quality, Ceylon Flannels, very pretty stripes, 32 inches wide,

selling at..... 20c A line of English Flannelettes, 32 inches wide, regular price 81/2c a yard, your choice now for.... 61/2C

Only a few pieces left of those Pure French Organdies, were 35c and 25c, now 15c and 121/2c Choice pieces of Toile Cordeau and Swiss Corded Twills, in blue and white, pink and white, helio and wifite and red and white stripes, only..... 15c Two pieces only Dimity Diaphane, blue and white

Wash Goods

stripe..... 19c Splendid lot of Muslins, choice colorings and patterns, eight patterns to choose from, were 10c, About 100 ends of 10c, 121/2c and 15c Prints placed out and clearing at the

SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

remarkable low price of 6 1/4 c.

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NO WORD WASTED

0000000000000 Three cases of plague were reported at Alexandria, Egypt, yesterday.

United States Gen. Brooke reports six soldiers dead in Cuba from yellow fever.

The annual Winnipeg Industrial Ex-hibition was opened Monday by Lieutenant-Governor Patterson. Sight has suddenly returned to the long-darkened eyes of Perry Smith,

aged 78, of Manitowoc, Wis. Justices Street and Meredith, who tried the South Perth election protest. have confirmed Mr. Monteith in his

M. Finlayson, carpenter, of the SS. Laurentian, was drowned on Saturday on the vessel's trip from Montreal to

Yellow fever caused the death of 27 members of the Fifth U. S. Infantry at Santiago during the last two weeks according to unofficial reports.

Quebec.

Chicago has a gas war on hand. The Ogden Company is preparing to spend \$7,000,000 to push their service into the Peoples' territory and will make the first cut to 75c per 1,000 feet.

A large co-operative town is to be established on the shore of Lake Erie, near Topeka. A site of 8,000 acres has been secured and \$6,000 subscribed,

principally by Toledo people. The French at Pierre, Newfoundland, are intensely indignant over the rigid enforcement of the colonial bait act by patrol boats. This is crippling the French fishery on the Grand Banks.

Schooner Ida L. Hull, belonging to Barnstable, Mass., is believed to have been wrecked on an island in Machias Bay during a thick fog and rough water this (Tuesday) morning. She had 15 persons on board. A severe electrical storm, accompan-

ted by hail, passed over Winnipeg on Sunday. Some of the hail stones which fell weighed over two and a ounces, and ranged from an inch in diameter to the size of a hen's egg. The safe in the London House, near Bonaventure station. Montreal. was

blown open by burglars Monday morning, and a small sum of money se-cured. The burglars drew revolvers and covered the policeman until they were able to make good their escape.

In the Imperial House of Commons yesterday. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain stated that a provisional reciprocity convention had been made with the United States on behalf of Jamaica. He explained that no preferences were however, given to United States goods over British goods. The attempt of the Democrats of

Cleveland to hold a convention Saturday was attended with a succession of rows, a riot, and finally a split which will terminate in two sets of delegates going to the state convention, and in two tickets being nominated in the county. Fully 25 of the combatants had cut faces, bruised bodies and torn clothing.

Daniel McManus, one of St. Cath-

●◇◇◇◇◇◇◇◇◇ arines' prominent citizens, died on Monday, aged 62 years. He was in the siege of Sebastopol, the battles of Alma, Inkerman and Balaclava, and was an eye-witness of the celebrated charge of the Light Brigade. He won several medals in defense of the flag in the Cri-After the Crimean war he went mea. to India, and was present in many bat-tles of the mutiny, being a member of the army that marched to the relief of

SUNK OFF SAMBRO

Steamer Portia Lost-Passengers and Crew Saved.

Halifax, N. S., July 11.- The Red Cross steamer Portia (Capt. Farrell), from New York, bound to Halifax, with 75 passengers on board, was wrecked last night on Flinn's Island, off Sambro, a point 15 miles to the eastward of Halifax.

The disaster occurred during a thick fog. Everybody on the steamer, 117, all told, was landed on the island in safety and all are being well cared for. They will be transferred to the mainland, only a short distance away, as soon as possible. Capt. Farrell, with a boat's crew, has already reached Sambro, whence he sent advices of the wreck to Halifax. The Portia is full of water and will prove a total loss. She had a large cargo on board for Halifax and New-foundland. The passengers are nearly all summer tourists.

BIGAMY CASE.

Chatham, Ont., July 11.-A case of bigamy was set down for hearing before Magistrate Houston yesterday, but the de-fendant failed to appear and his bail was forfeited. Henry Coulson is alleged to have married Bertha Hartford when his legal wife was Nellie Singelton, of Highgate. The parties belong to Harwich township. SHE HAS NO DEFENSE.

Winnipeg, Man., July 11.—Emily Hilda Blake, charged with the murder of Mrs. Robert Lane, had a preliminary trial yesterday. The accused was not represented. She sat through the trial unmoved, part of the time with her eyes closed. When asked if she had anything to say, the accused rising to her feet said:—"Yes, I am guilty and deserve the severest punishment you can give me. That's all." The magistrate commited her for trial at the next assizes, November 14.

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