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MADE A STIR IN ENGLAND.

The Battle at Cambridge Over the Conferring of Degrees on Women Has Agitated the Country.

London, May 24.—The battle for women's degrees at Cambridge, which recently ended in overwhelming defeat, made even a greater stir in England than last year's struggle at Oxford. The vote cannot fairly be taken to represent public opinion, even among the university men. Thus, The Daily News, which champions women's claims, explains: "The votes of absentees are supposed to keep the universities in contact with the general views of society, but this is an academic fiction. There might be some truth in it if the right of voting were possessed by every graduate. That is far from being the case. Those who do not care to spend money for becoming masters of arts, or get tired of paying the annual dues, are disfranchised without regard to their intellectual capacity. The fellows of the colleges, clergymen and schoolmasters are the only classes who keep their names on the books. The clergy are infinitely most numerous. Oxford and Cambridge are essentially clerical constituencies. It is the clergy rather than the laity who have decided that Cambridge would be demoralized by giving degrees to women, and the clergy still have, as they had in Clarendon's time, the worst judgment of human affairs among all those who can write and read."

The Times, on the other hand, congratulates Cambridge on the decision, and adds: "We have reached a turning point in the history of the higher education for women, and the time has come for a comprehensive settlement of the whole question. It is only by the creation of a separate university that a real solution can be found for the many difficult problems involved, a solution which would give satisfaction to the just claims of women without injury to the higher education of men or those ancient seats of learning which are the most treasured portion of the national inheritance."

NOTES FROM KINGSTON.

Police Magistrate for Deseronto—Michael Burns is in Mexico—Street Cars on Sunday.

Kingston, May 23.—The Ontario Government has appointed H. R. Bedford, barrister, as Police Magistrate for the Town of Deseronto. Mr. Bedford is a native of England, and has been practicing law in Deseronto since 1875.

Michael Burns, the insurance agent, who disappeared last fall from Gananoque, leaving many creditors, is at Durango, Mexico. Mr. Burns writes that after five months' sickness he is on his feet again and is in good condition, and expects to make money right along.

The Street Railway Company gave a car service to-day, commencing at 9 o'clock in the morning. This action was thought necessary to accommodate the large crowd of visitors in the city.

HE DROWNED HIMSELF.

The Australian Champion Swimmer Tried to Beat His Record Under Water and Stopped Too Long.

Stockton, Cal., May 23.—Charles Cavill, the Australian champion swimmer, who recently swam around the seal rocks at the Cliff House and across Golden Gate, was drowned last night while swimming in Jackson's Baths here. He was trying to beat his record of five minutes and five seconds under water. When seven minutes had elapsed an assistant went down for him and brought him up. His friends rolled and worked over him for more than an hour. Doctors also worked over him, but could not bring him to life. He was swimming in seven feet of water.

RUSSIAN CITIES GROWING.

St. Petersburg Has Now a Population of a Million and a Quarter.

London, May 24.—The first bulletins from the census taken on new principles in the Russian Empire last February show what the political symptoms of the past few years have prepared us for, namely, that the cities and industrial centres have been growing in population at an exceptional rate. Five years ago there were 14 towns of over 100,000 souls; now, there are 21. St. Petersburg now has a population of a million and a quarter, an increase of 25 per cent. in five years, and Moscow in a similar period shows an increase of 20 per cent., and Lodz one of nearly 40 per cent. This last place, called the Manchester of Poland, has passed Kharkoff, Kieff and Riga since 1892, and is now the fifth city in the empire.

Old Church Scorched.

Savannah, May 24.—Christ Church the oldest church in Georgia, founded by John Wesley before he promulgated the Methodist faith, was almost burned to the ground early Saturday morning. The building contained all the records of Savannah and practically of Georgia since 1825, most of which are a total loss.

Cancer Can be Cured.

For six years I suffered from cancer, and got no relief until I used Burdock Blood Bitters. I used seven bottles faithfully, when the cancer gradually dried up and finally disappeared. I am now entirely well and rejoice that by using B.B.B. I have escaped death either from the surgeon's knife or from the cancer itself.

Signed, MRS. ELIZA J. TUFFORD, Paris, Ont.

France Loses by Frost.

London, May 24.—The losses of husbandry in France by the recent frost show the damage done to the crops to be tantamount to a disaster in 14 departments. The Government is asking for a first grant of 5,000,000 francs to aid the farmers and fruit-growers.

BLACKWALL TUNNEL OPENED.

Another Way From New on to Get From One Part of London to the Other—Prince of Wales Officiated.

London, May 24.—The new tunnel under the Thames at Blackwall was opened by the Prince of Wales on Saturday. The royal procession consisted of two semi-state landaus, each headed by four bays driven by postillions, each preceded by two grooms. In these, besides the Prince, were the Princess of Wales, Princess Victoria of Wales, the Duke of York, the Duke of Portland, Mr. Bull of the London County Council, chairman of the Bridges Committee, and Mr. Binnie, chief engineer of the tunnel. The procession followed the Mall, Pall Mall, Northumberland-avenue, the Embankment, Queen-Victoria-street and thence through Whitechapel to the entrance of the tunnel. Here the Royal party were met by the Duke of Cambridge, the Prince of Teck, Lord Methuen, commanding the Home District; the Earl of Denbigh, commanding the Honorable Artillery Company; Dr. Collins, chairman of the London County Council, and many military and other officials. The procession then proceeded through the tunnel, which was illuminated by three rows of electric lights.

At the Greenwich end was a dais, upon which the Royal party took their places, and from which the Prince of Wales, in the name of the Queen, declared the tunnel open to public traffic forever.

The State trumpeters blew a blast, a Royal salute was fired by the Honorable Artillery Company, and the Bishop of London, the Right Rev. Mandell Creighton, pronounced the benediction.

The Prince of Wales was then presented with a gold medal, especially struck for the occasion by the Bridges Committee of the London County Council.

The return was by Blackwall-lane, Woolwich-road, Old Kent-road, New Kent-road, St. George's-road, Westminster Bridge-road, Parliament-street and Pall Mall to Marlborough House.

The new tunnel is generally regarded as a triumph of engineering skill.

LIFE AND DEATH OF SEALS.

Prof. D'Arcy Thompson Says the Scare Reports of the Decrease in the Herds are Overdrawn.

London, May 24.—The Government blue book, containing the views of Prof. D'Arcy Thompson and his associates, who studied the Behring Sea question in behalf of Great Britain and Canada, has just been published. In concluding his report Prof. Thompson says: "Our observations show that the alarming statements made in recent years, giving accounts of the immense decrease of the herds, and prophesying their approaching extinction, are overdrawn and untenable, but there is still abundant need of care and prudent measures of conservation in the interests of all concerned.

"The annual birth rate is estimated at 143,000, which is not great compared with the drain upon the stock. There is a loss of over 20,000 pups from various causes before emigration to the sea. The dangers that are then met are unknown, but it is certain that the risks are great and the loss considerable. Adding together the measured loss in infancy and the unmeasured loss in youth and age, with the toll taken by the islands and in the sea, it is easy to believe that the margin of safety is narrow, if not already to some extent overstepped. We may hope for the perpetuation of the present numbers, but cannot count upon an increase.

"It is my earnest hope that recognition of mutual interests and regard for common advantage will suggest measures of prudence which will keep the pursuit and slaughter within due and definite bounds."

A CANADIAN DECORATION.

Deputations Will Wait Upon the Acting Minister of Militia To-Day.

A deputation consisting of Major Farewell, Lieut.-Col. Dunn, K. C. Marshall and R. E. Kingsford left this city last evening for Ottawa to present the petition for a Canadian decoration for active service. They were to meet Sir Richard Cartwright by appointment, and also to present a memorial to the Governor-General on the same subject. Other deputations will join them to-morrow.

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HOLIDAY MARKETS.

Wheat Active in Chicago and Closing Weak—A Sharp Advance in Wall Street Stocks at the Close.

Monday Evening, May 24.

Liverpool wheat futures, 1d for May and July and ½d higher for Sept.

July wheat on curb 71⅝c.

Puts on July wheat 70½c, calls 71⅞c.

Stock of wheat at Chicago, 6,208,000 bush.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 6, corn 472, oats 432.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day, 51,000, or 6000 more than expected. Official Saturday, 17,662; left over, 2000. Estimated for Tuesday, 31,000; market fairly active and generally 10c lower. Heavy shippers, $3.30 to $3.72.

Russian shipments of wheat last week were 3,424,000 bush.

Danube shipments of wheat to Europe, 1,080,000 bush.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day, 18,500; best grades steady, others 5c lower.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour, 1934 barrels and 14,252 sacks; wheat, 12,757 bu.

The world's shipments of wheat last week were 7,167,000 bush.

The Galveston News has issued a crop report showing an acreage of cotton at 9.7 per cent. and of corn 5 per cent. more than last year, but the acreage of wheat and oats has been reduced.

Captain Phillips, who has been in Kansas for a few days, says that that State will have 60,000,000 bush. and has made bets that it will have 45,000,000 bush.

"There are only two houses, Barrett and Baldwin-Farnum," said a professional trader, "who are selling wheat short in Chicago to any extent, but they are acting judiciously, and are not over-trading. The position of the market is such that were the speculative trade as large as in old times, and were the bulls at all aggressive, prices of wheat would be higher. Most of the longs in May have waited for someone else to do the work for them in putting prices up, and there has been some buying of July on the theory that something might happen. There are no carrying charges in May or July, and those who have bought May, and had the wheat delivered them, have been forced to hold it. I am told by parties who investigated that the short interest in May is comparatively small."

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VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

	May 22,'97	May 23,'96	May 24,'95
Wheat, bu.	28,206,000	51,298,000	54,244,000
Corn, bu.	11,475,000	7,990,000	8,978,000
Oats, bu.	8,880,000	7,613,000	7,390,000
Rye, bu.	2,808,000	1,526,000	135,000
Barley, bu.	1,524,000	941,000	145,000

Wheat decreased 1,441,000 bush last week, as against a decrease of 1,848,000 bush the corresponding week of last year. Corn decreased 2,393,000 bush last week, oats decreased 1,087,000, rye decreased 193,000 and barley increased 57,000 bush.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—July	72	72⅝	71⅛	71¼
" —Sept.	67	67⅝	66¼	66⅝
Corn—July	24½	24⅝	24⅜	24½
" —Sept.	25¾	25⅞	25⅝	25⅞
Oats—July	18	18	17⅝	17¾
" —Sept.	18	18¼	17⅞	18
Pork—July	8 15	8 27	8 10	8 20
" —Sept.	8 20	8 27	8 17	8 25
Lard—July	3 75	3 77	3 70	3 77
" —Sept.	3 82	3 87	3 82	3 85
Ribs—July	4 47	4 52	4 45	4 50
" —Sept.	4 50	4 55	4 47	4 52

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BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, May 24.—Spring wheat, 6s 1d to 6s 2d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 5d to 6s 6d; peas, 4s 2½d; corn, 2s 7½d; pork, 50s for eastern and 49s for western; lard, 20s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 26s 0d; do., light, 25s 6d; do., short cut, 25s 0d; tallow, 17s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 54s.

London—Wheat on passage firmer and partly 3d higher. English country markets dull. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures firm at 5s 10½d for May and July and 5s 9½d for Sept. Maize steady at 2s 7½d for May and June, 2s 8½d for July and 2s 10d for Sept. Flour, 21s 6d.

Paris—Wheat, 23f 40c for May and June; flour 45f 90c for June.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm; futures quiet at 5s 11d for May and July and 5s 9½d for Sept. Maize quiet at 2s 7¼d for May, 2s 8½d for July and 2s 10d for Sept. Flour, 21s 6d.

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FINANCIAL.

Both the Toronto and Montreal Stock Exchanges were closed to-day. The day was generally observed throughout Canada as a holiday.

Consols are steady to-day, closing at 113½ for money and at 113½ for account.

Canadian Pacific ½ higher, closing in London at 56½.

American stocks were quiet and irregular in London to-day. St. Paul closed at 75½, Erie at 12⅝, Reading at 6⅛, N.Y.C. at 101½ and Ill. Central at 95½.

In Paris 3 per cent. rentes are easier at 103f 40c.

Since the present export movement began on April 27, the total amount of gold shipped from New York, including Saturday's amount, is $13,104,474.

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MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is nominally unchanged. To-day was a bank holiday. In New York call loans ruled at 1¼ to 1½ per cent. and in London at ½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 2, and the open market rate ⅞ per cent.

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N. Y. Funds..	⅛ to	¼	1-32 to 1-16	pre
Stg. 60 days..	9⅝ to	9⅞	9⅝ to 9 7-16	
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CHICAGO GOSSIP.

Henry A. King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the following despatch to-day from Chicago:

The market was better early to-day. Trading, however, was only moderate. Wheat came firm, ½d higher, and promoted a little bullish feeling at the opening. The market improved on reports of impairment to the French crop, and sales at St. Louis and New York for export. A failure to produce a full crop in France we regard as one of the most promising factors for better prices. An average crop in that country is about 18 bushels per acre from 17,200,000 acres. Reports to-day report acreage reduced 10 per cent. and condition impaired 20 per cent. Another strong feature is that the foreign crops are mature so much later than usual, and that present supplies there must be longer drawn upon. The visible supply showed a decrease of 1,441,000 bushels of wheat, which was about half a million bushels less than expected. To-day's session found people selling stuff that they never owned, and the next hour they would be buying it back at a loss. Barrett was the chief seller, later the chief buyer in wheat. There was more talk of fly and chinch bugs early, but in the last hour Bennett, Bebee, Pringle and others became sellers, forcing prices to the lowest point of the day. It was said that St. Louis traders on the floor broke their home market by a few wired orders and then joined in bearing the market here. Mitchell took a hand in the selling late, causing the market to weaken, forcing quite a number of weak holders out of the market. We think wheat is in a healthy condition to purchase and hold for a large profit.

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Am. Sugar Trust	113⅝	114	113	114
Amer. Tobacco	69⅞	70¾	69½	70¾
Amer. Spirits	10	10	10	10
C. & O.	16	16¼	16	16
Atchison	10⅛	10½	10⅛	10⅜
Chic., Bur. & Q.	73⅞	75½	73	75⅜
Chicago Gas	82½	82¾	81⅝	82½
Canada Southern	47	47	47	47
C. C. C. & I.	29	29¼	29	29¼
Del. & Hudson	102½	104	102½	104
Del., L. & W.	147½	147½	147½	147½
Lake Shore	164	164	164	164
Louis. & Nash.	44⅝	45⅝	44⅝	45⅝
Kansas, Tex., pref.	26¾	27¼	26¾	27¼
Manhattan	84¼	85	84	84¾
Missouri Pacific	13¼	13½	13	13½
Leather, pref.	54⅝	55¼	54	55¼
Balt. & Ohio	11⅞	12¾	11⅞	12¾
N. Y. Central	99½	100	99⅝	100
North. Pacific, pr.	36⅝	37¼	36½	37¼
Northwestern	104¾	105½	104¾	105½
General Electric	30	31¼	30	31¼
Rock Island	63¾	64¾	63¼	64¾
Rubber	13½	13¼	13¼	13¼
Omaha	56¾	58¼	56⅝	58¼
Union Pacific	6¾	7⅛	6¾	7⅛
N. Y. Gas	159½	159½	158	159
Pacific Mail	26⅝	26¾	26¼	26¾
Phila. & Reading	17⅞	18⅝	17⅞	18⅝
St. Paul	74¼	75	73½	75
Western Union	77⅞	78½	77½	78⅜
Jersey Central	69	71½	68¼	71⅝
T. C. & I.	18¼	18½	18	18½
Southern Rail	7⅞	7⅞	7¾	7⅞
do. pref.	25⅞	26¼	25⅞	26¼

TIPS FROM WALL STREET.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from New York to-day:

The Supreme Court handed down a decision this afternoon that the Inter-State Commerce Commission cannot fix maximum rates. This opinion, which it seems was unanimous, railroad people say is more important that the decision of the Nebraska case. That is laid over till next term. It is thought that to-day's ruling has a favorable bearing on the Pooling bill. As soon as news came from Washington the market advanced sharply on buying for both accounts, and closed strong at the highest prices of the day. The San Francisco branch line bondholders have won a victory in their Circuit Court of Appeals, the validity of the guarantees being upheld. It again reported that Mr. Lamont is to be president of the Northern Pacific.

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COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 24.—Cotton futures closed steady; sales, 89,100 bales; January 6.74, Feb. 6.78, March 6.82, May 7.16, June 7.16, July 7.17, August 7.13, Sept. 6.83, Oct. 6.70, Nov. 6.68, Dec. 6.71.

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CHEESE MARKETS.

Utica, N.Y., May 24.—At the Utica Board of Trade to-day the following sales of cheese were made: Four hundred and twenty boxes large at 8⅝c, 2700 boxes large at 8½c, 370 boxes large at 8⅝c, 160 boxes small colored at 8½c, 1027 boxes small colored at 8⅝c, 200 boxes small white at 8¾c, 416 boxes consigned, 24 packages creamery butter at 15c. Large cheese ¼c lower and weak; small cheese 1c to 1½c lower.

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Corn and Oats—Ruled steady, but very dull and inactive. Receipts were liberal, 472 cars corn and 432 cars oats, with 850 cars corn and 615 cars oats estimated for to-morrow. The shipping demand keeps poor. Commission houses bought a little corn, and local operators sold oats. The close was barely steady, prices weakening a little in sympathy with wheat.

Provisions—Opened weak this morning on a larger run of hogs than expected, 51,000 with packers doing the bulk of the selling. The cash demand for meats was moderate. Commission people bought some good lots on the decline, and prices steadied some. Domestic markets were a shade easier. Estimated hogs for to-morrow 31,000. The close was steady.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from Chicago to-day:

Wheat—There was considerable effort made this morning by a few prominent operators to advance the market, and while they were buying it did advance ½c. There was no outside help nor any apparent short interest, however, and the market developed a declining tendency as soon as the buying referred to stopped. The news rather aided the decline. The visible supply decrease was considerably under general expectations, and amount on passage showed an increase of 1,520,000 bushels, resulting from the increased shipments from the Black Sea. World's shipments amounted to 7,167,000 bushels, which were about up to theoretical requirements. Cables were higher, but little export inquiry reported anywhere. The principal argument used by the bulls is the dwindling supplies, but the trade and consequently the short interest is insignificant to fully negative any effect that small stocks would ordinarily have. Under the present conditions we do not look for any maintained advance.

Provisions — Opened weak and lower on 5000 more hogs than expected. Packers sold product moderately. Later the Cudahy Packing Company bought September ribs and lard, causing a small advance. Near the close the market became weaker with wheat and corn, and closes steady. Hogs to-morrow 30,000.

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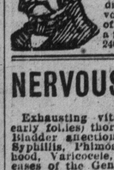
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