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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Market Reports by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market.

LONDON, April 4, 12:30 p.m.—Consols, 98 9-16 for money, 98 9-16 for account; Mexican, 21¾; Mexican Central, 6¼; St. Paul, 79¼; Erie, seconds, 100; Erie, 22½; Pacific Central, 55½; Reading, 12½; Canadian Pacific, 86¾; New York Central, 109¾; Illinois Central, 104; Bank of England rate, 2½ per cent.; open market discount, 1⅝ to 1½.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 4—1 p.m.—Stock market dull, steady; American Express —; Atcheson, 34⅝; C. B. and Q., 96¾; Canadian Pacific, —; Canada Southern, 55½; Delaware and Hudson, 130½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 146½; L. N., 74½; Lake Shore, —; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 17½; Northern Pacific, preferred, 43½; Northwestern, 113; New York Central, —; R. I., 83⅝; St. Paul, 77½; St. Paul, preferred, —; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 37⅝; Western Union, 94½.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, April 4.

	Ask.	Off
Bank of Montreal	233	228
Ontario Bank	—	—
Banque du Peuple	100	—
Molsons Bank	175	—
Bank of Toronto	—	—
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	—	138
Banque Cartier	—	—
Merchants' Bank	165	—
Federal Bank	—	—
Union Bank	—	103½
Bank of Commerce	148	146
Wabash	—	—
Wabash, preferred	—	—
Montreal Telegraph Co., ex-div	147	145
N. W. Land Company	—	—
Dominion Telegraph Co.	—	—
Imperial Bank	—	—
Rich. and Ont. Navigation Co.	75	70
City Passenger Railway	180	175
Montreal Gas Company	—	211½
C. P. R.	85	83⅝
Canada Cotton Company	110	100
Montreal Cotton Company	145	130
Dominion Cotton Company	138	—
New Gas	—	—
Commercial Cable Company	149¾	148½
Bell Telephone Company	160	—
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	—	—
Duluth Railway, common	12	10½
Duluth Railway, preferred	—	—

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, April 4.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	232	229
Ontario	125	121
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	261½	255
Merchants	165	159
Commerce	147½	146
Imperial	189	185
Dominion	282½	280⅝
Standard	168¾	166½
Hamilton	164	161
British America	121	119
Western Assurance	155	154½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life	—	—
Consumers' Gas, ex-div	196½	195
Dominion Telegraph, ex-div	110	107
Northwest Land Company	—	83½
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	85	84⅝
Bell Telephone Company	161	153
Dominion Savings and Loan	97	95½
Farmers Loan and Savings	133	—
Farmers' L. and S. 20 per cent	123	—
Huron and Erie L. and S.	—	168
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	—	154
London and Canada L. and A.	131	—
London Loan	110	107
London and Ontario	—	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	133

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market Quotations.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Tuesday, April 4.

There was no change in the price of anything to-day, except hay, peas and maple syrup. Hay sold at $8 to $9. Peas were very plentiful and sold at $1 per cwt. There was an abundance of sprup, some selling at 90c; the bulk sold at $1. Deliveries of oats and wheat were steady and unchanged. General quotations as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	1 12	to	1 12
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 10
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 12
Oats, per 100 lbs	1 0	to	1 00
Peas, per 100 lbs	95	to	1 05
Corn, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 05
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	to	95
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 15
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Beans, per bu	1 35	to	1 50
PROVISIONS			
Eggs, fresh, single doz	13	to	13
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	11	to	12
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	10	to	11
Eggs, packed, per doz	00	to	00
Butter, single rolls, per lb	25	to	26
Butter, per lb, baskets of 1 lb rolls	23	to	25
Butter per lb, large rolls or crocks	20	to	22
Butter per lb, tubs or firkins	16	to	24
Lard per lb	13	to	15
Chickens per pair	60	to	70
Ducks	60	to	80
Turkeys, 12½c per lb each	00	to	0 00
HAY AND SEEDS.			
Hay, per ton	8 00	to	9 00
Clover seed, red, per bu	8 50	to	9 00
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	8 00	to	8 10
Timothy seed, per bu	2 25	to	2 50
Hungarian seed, per bu	60	to	75
Millet seed, per bu	50	to	75
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	80	to	1 00
Grapes, per lb	00	to	00
Radishes, per doz. bunches	30	to	30
Celery, per doz	30	to	40
Cabbages, per doz	30	to	50
Cauliflowers, per doz	90	to	1 00
Squashes, each	5	to	50
Pumpkins, each	10	to	20
Potatoes, per bag	1 00	to	1 15
Onions, per bu	1 00	to	1 00
Carrots, per bag	50	to	60
Beets, per bag	75	to	75
Turnips, per bu	20	to	25
Parsnips, per bag	75	to	75
Wool, per lb	17	to	18
Tallow, rendered, per lb	6	to	6
Tallow, rough, per lb	4	to	4½
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	5	to	6½
Mutton, quarters per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb quarters, per lb	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 200 lbs	8 00	to	8 25
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	to	3
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	2
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	5
Sheepskins, each	50	to	100
Lambskins, each	00	to	00
Pelts, each	00	to	00

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Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, April 4.

FLOUR—Receipts, 400 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations are: Patents winter, $4 10 to $4 25; do. spring, $4 20 to $4 35; straight roller, $3 50 to $3 70; extra, $3 00 to $3 15; superfine, $2 70 to $2 80; strong bakers, $4 00 to $4 15; Ontario bags, $1 60 to $1 75.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, 82c to 84c; corn, 63c to 65c; peas, 72c to 74c oats, 33c to 35c; barley, 50c to 55c; rye, 56c to 58c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 00 to $2 10; cornmeal $1 30 to $1 40.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $22 00 to $22 25; lard, 11½c to 12c; bacon, 12c to 13c; hams, 12½c to 13c; cheese, 11½c to 12c; butter townships, 21c to 23c; western, 18c to 20c; eggs, 15c to 17c.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, April 4.

FLOUR—Extra, $2 90 to $3; straight roller, $3 00 to $3 20.

WHEAT—White, 65c to 66c; spring, No. 2, 61c to 62c; red winter, 65c to 66c; goose, 60c to 61c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, 82c to 82½c; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 79c to 80c; Manitoba hard No. 3, 74c to 75c; frosted, No. 1, 65c to 66c.

PEAS—No. 2, 56c to 57c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 44c to 45c; No. 2, 40c to 40c; No. 3 extra, 35c to 36c; No. 3, 32c to 34c.

OATS—No. 2, 32½c to 33½c.

Market dull. Sales—Wheat, red winter outside at 64c. No. 2 Manitoba hard at North Bay at 80c and No. 1 frosted at North Bay at 67c; oats outside at 30c to 30½c and on track at 34c; peas outside at 57c; No. 3 extra barley on track at 40c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, April 4.

Floating cargoes—Wheat quiet; corn steady

Cargoes on passage—Wheat quiet, steady.

Mark Lane—Good No. 2 club Calcutta wheat 30s 3d, was 30s 6d; present and following month 28s 3d, was 29s 9d; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast 28s 6d, was 28s 6d, to 28s 9d; do Walla off coast 29s, was 27s 6d; present and following month 27s 9d, was 27s 9d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. prompt sail 29s 6d, was 29s 6d; nearly due 28s 6d, was 28s 9d; No. 2 red winter prompt steamer 26s 9d, was 27s; present and following month 26s 9d, was 27s.

French country markets quiet.

Weather in England very fine.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; corn slow; No. 1 Cal. 5s 10½d—4d cheaper; red winter 5s 6d—unchanged; Indian 5s 10d—no receipts price for comparison; spring 6s 2d, flour 19s—both unchanged; corn 4s 1¾d—¼d cheaper; peas 5s 3d—unchanged.

On passage to United Kingdom—Wheat 3,578,000 qrs., corn 378,000 qrs. To Continent—Wheat 920,000 qrs., corn 195,000 qrs.

Imports to the United Kingdom for the past week—Wheat 498,000 qrs, corn 220,000 qrs, flour 249,000 bbls.

India shipments of wheat for the past week to United Kingdom 5,000 qrs. To Continent 175,000 qrs.

LIVERPOOL, April 4.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	March 29.		March 30,		April 4.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	6 3½	6 4½	6 3½	6 4½	6 3½	6 4½
Red Winter.	5 6	5 7	5 6	5 7	5 6	5 7
No. 1 Cal.	5 11	6 0	5 11	6 0	5 11	6 0
Corn, old	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Corn, new	4 2½	0 0	4 2½	0 0	4 2	0 0
Peas, perc.	5 4	0 0	5 4	0 0	5 4	0 0
Pork	92 6	0 0	92 6	0 0	92 6	0 0
Lard	57 6	0 0	59 0	0 0	00 0	00 0
Bacon, h vy.	50 0	0 0	50 0	00 0	50 0	00 0
Bacon, light	50 0	0 0	50 0	00 0	50 0	00 0
Tallow	28 9	00 0	28 9	00 0	28 9	00 0
Cheese, wh.	54 6	00 0	54 6	00 0	54 6	00 0
Cheese, col.	54 6	00 0	54 6	00 0	54 6	00 0

Wheat quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn quiet, demand moderate.

Receipts of wheat for the past 3 days 175,000 centals, including 160,000 centals American; receipts of corn for same time 14,600 centals American. Weather brilliant.

American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 3.

WHEAT—Spring wheat irregular, in buyers' favor; trade quiet; sales: 2 cars No. 1 hard at 79c, 8 cars No. 1 northern at 75½c, 1 car old No. 1 northern at 80c; closing, No. 1 hard, 78⅝c; No. 1 northern, 75½c; No. 2 do. 73c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red and No. 1 white, 74c; No. 3 extra red, 71c.

CORN—Very dull and lower; No. 2 yellow, 45½c; No. 3 yellow, 44½c; No. 4 yellow, 43c; No. 2 corn, 44½c; No. 3 corn, 43½c; inspection, 47 cars; sales, 22 cars.

OATS—Weak; No. 2 white, 38½c to 39c; No. 3 white, 37½c; No. 2 mixed, 33½c; inspection, 12 cars; sales, 9 cars.

BARLEY—Dull and weak; Canada, 75c to 83c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2, 59c.

FLOUR—Dull and weak.

MILLFEED—Dull and weak.

CHICAGO, April 3.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—April, 76c; May, 77½c; July, 73½c.

CORN—April, 39½c; May, 40⅝c to 41c; July, 42c.

OATS—May, 29½c; June, 30½c; July, 29½c.

MESS PORK—May, $15 80; July, $15 92½.

LARD—May, $9 45; July, $9 42½; Sept., $9 50.

SHORT RIBS—May, $8 87½; July, $8 77½.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour, steady, unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat and No. 2 red, 74½c to 75c; No. 3 spring wheat, 68c to 70c; No. 2 corn, 39½c; No. 3 corn, 38c; No. 2 oats, 29c; No. 2 rye, 40c; No. 2 barley, 62c; mess pork $15 80 to $15 82½; lard, $9 37½ to $9 40; short ribs sides, $8 77½ to $8 80; dry salted shoulders, $9 12½ to $9 25; short clear sides, $9 60 to $9 65.

Receipts—			
Flour	11,000	Wheat	111,000
Corn	116,000	Oats	182,000
Rye	1,000	Barley	38,000
Shipments—			
Flour	14,000	Wheat	191,000
Corn	81,000	Oats	155,000
Rye	7,000	Barley	26,000

NEW YORK, April 3.

FLOUR—Steady.

RYE—Dull; western, 58c to 62c.

BARLEY—Firm; western, 60c to 75c.

PEAS—Quiet; Canada, 72c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 7,000 bu; exports, 83,000 bu; sales, 1,650,000 bu futures; 253,000 bu spot; spot stronger; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 74½c to 74½c; No. 1 northern, 81½c; No. 1 hard, 85c to 85½c; No. 2 northern, 80c; options dull; No. 2 red, April, 74⅝c; May, 75½c; June, 76½c; July, 77½c.

CORN—Receipts, 27,000 bu; exports, 3,000 bu; sales, 845,000 bu futures; 97,000 bu spot; spot firmer; No. 2, 50½c to 51½c, elevator; steamer mixed, 49c to 49½c; No. 3, 48c to 48½c; options steady; April, 49½c; May, 47⅞c; June, 47½c; July, 48½c.

OATS—Receipts, 112,000 bu; sales 150,000 bu futures; 112,000 bu spot; spots quiet; No. 2, 36½c to 37c; No. 2 white, 40c to 40½c; No. 2 Chicago, 37½c; No. 3, 36c; No. 3 white, 39c to 39½c; mixed western, 36c to 38½c; white do. and State, 40c to 49c; options lower; April, 35½c; May, June and July, 35c.

EGGS—Firm; State and Pennsylvania, 15½c; southern, 14½c to 15½c; western fresh, 15c to 15½c.

COFFEE—Options opened barely steady; closed barely steady; sales, 15,000 bags, including April, $16 45; May, $16 25 to $16 35; June, $16 15 to $16 25; July, $16 10; spot Rio steady, 17½c to 17¾c.

SUGAR—Firmer; standard "A," 4⅞c to 5 1-16c; confectioners, "A," 4⅞c to 4 15-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5 7-16c to 5½c; powdered, 5⅛c to 5 5-16; granulated, 4⅞c to 5 3-16c.

CHICAGO, April 4—11:35 a.m.

No markets, election day.

TOLEDO, April 4.

WHEAT—71½c cash; 71⅞c May; 74c July; 74½c asked August.

CORN—40½c bid cash May.

OATS—32c bid May.

MILWAUKEE, April 4.

WHEAT—Closes quiet, 61c cash; 63⅝c May.

DETROIT, April 4.

WHEAT—Closes, No. 1 white, 70½c cash; No. 2 red, 70⅝c cash; 72½c May; 74½c July.

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Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., April 3.—Cattle—Offerings 125 cars; market slow and 10c to 25c lower. Exporters bought sparingly at $5 25 to $5 40, with prime stock quotably at $5 40 to $5 60; shipping, $4 80 to $5 15; choice heavy butchers, $4 50 to $5; light fairly fat, $4 25 to $4 75; half fat, $3 75 to $4 15; mixed slow. Fat good kind of cows sold at $3 35 to $4 25, with good and choice heifers at $4 to $4 50; lots of cow heifers and steers at $3 25 to $4; common cows and heifers, $2 50 to $3, as to quality. Stockers and feeders, only a few on sale. Bulls and oxen were steady at last week's prices for strictly prime; others dull at the general decline. Milch cows and springers, close up desirable, springers and best cows steady at last week's prices: commoner grades $2 to $3 per head lower. Veal calves steady; choice to prime, $6 25 to $6 50.

Sheep and Lambs.—82 cars on sale, including 4 cars clipped; market active and prices higher for best; as the proportion of choice and prime stock was limited, that kind, as a rule, sold early, the lambs going at $7, and good lots at $6 85 to $6 95; with good 110 lb sheep at $6 20 to $6 25, and one bunch of extra heavy wethers, 140 lbs, at $5 50. For the fair to good kind, sheep and lamb, and down to the common grade, prices were no better and in many instances sales at lower prices were the rule.

Hogs—70 cars on sale; market very dull and 50c to 60c per cwt lower. Packers were light buyers, as were order buyers for good weight, and $6 90 took the tops. A few decks of choice 175 lb hogs sold early at $6 75, but later Yorkmen bought the best at $6 50, and good to best 135 to 150 lb hogs sold sold at $6 25 to $6 40; pigs very draggy; a few selected white ones brought $6 05, but good pigs generally sold at $6 and $6 05 to $6 10, running into light Yorkers averaging 120 to 130 lbs; roughs, $5 75 to $6 25; stags, $4 75 to $5 25.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, April 3.—The Montreal Stock Yards Company, Point St. Charles, report that the receipts for the week ending April 1 were 301 cattle (including 159 left over from previous week), 424 sheep, 682 hogs and 243 calves. Trade during the week was not as good as might have been expected during Easter time. Although there was a fair display of stock the demand was not extra brisk. Good stock brought fair prices. Sheep, lambs, hogs and calves found ready markets at fair prices. Extra good beef brought from 5c to 5½c. We quote the following as being fair values: Cattle—Butchers' good, 4c to 4½c; butchers' medium, 3c to 3½c; butchers' culls, 2c to 3c. Sheep and lambs, 5c to 5½c; hogs, $6 50 to $6 75; calves, $3 to $10.

U. S. Barley Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 3.—The visible supply at the principal points of accumulation and in transit is 1,116,000 bu. This supply is 22,000 bu only in excess of the quantity in sight on the same date last year. There has been a decrease of 230,000 bu during the past week, and the amount of barley now in sight for sale is inconsiderable.

At Buffalo—A few thousand bushels less than a quarter of a million comprises the stock, and the trade rules quiet. Most of the good quality offering is Canadian barley, and several round lots of this have been sold at 72c to 89c, as to quality, the top price for fair No. 1 and the lower figure for a medium grade of No. 3 extra; No. 3 extra choice quotable at 75c to 76c. No really choice native grades on sale, and for the commoner stuff the market is very dull and values weak. At western points the stocks are very meagre, and those markets will soon be cleared of standard grades.

At Oswego—The market continues nominal. Stocks in store were 55,000 bu at noon to-day, and there is very little movement. Canada barley is quoted without trade at 71c to 79c.

At Albany—The market continues dull; Canada, 80c to 85c, and western grades nominal. What little trading is reported is mostly in two-rowed State.

At New York—Stocks in store are up to 128,761 bu, an increase during the week of nearly 85,000 bu. There has been very little movement outward for the past several days, and receipts have been fairly liberal. The market continues firm; western quoted at 60c to 80c; two-rowed State at 61c to 66c; six-rowed State at 75c to 77c; No. 2 Toronto at 84c to 85c, to arrive, No. 1 Toronto at 92c to 93c. Barley malt—Canada, nominal; two-rowed, 73c to 75c; six-rowed, 80c to 85c; western, 65c to 85c; city-made Canada, $1 to $1 50.

At Milwaukee—Stocks in store, which were 204,000 bu last week, are this week reduced to 137,000 bu. The market is steady, and No. 2, of which the supply is limited, has been advanced to 64c; sample lots on track, 41c to 60c.

At St. Louis—The market is nominal. There are only 23,000 bu in store, and no sales offering.

At Chicago—Stocks are but 57,000 bu; values are nominally unchanged.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Work has not yet been commenced on the slip dock at Port Stanley.

—Mr. J. D. Keenleyside has sailed on the Britannic for the old world, and will be absent about three months.

—The firemen were called out to attend to a blazing chimney at noon to-day near the corner of Elias and Elizabeth streets. No damage.

—The tailors will meet the union contmakers at J. B. Hicks' shop this evening, when an offer will be made to the men, and the strike, it is expected, will terminate.

—"This is the first time in 25 years to my knowledge," said a resident of Westminster to-day, "that spring has not brought bad roads. They are in fine condition in the country."

—Dr. and Mrs. Eccles and others from London, St. Thomas and Port Stanley attended the wedding in Detroit yesterday of Mr. I. W. McPherson, of St. Thomas, to Miss Ada F. Jones, of Detroit. They will reside in St. Thomas, where the groom is secretary to Mr. Amasa Wood.

—One of the finest and most original local entertainments by amateur talent will be given in the Grand Opera House tonight. It is Ye Olde Folkes' concert, displaying ye grande costumes of ye year 1700, and at which will be sung by the best vocalists in the city ye old tyme choruses, solos, duets and quartets. A fine audience is already assured by the advance sale of seats.

—Last night the Wellington Street Methodist Sunday school showed a very tasty and neat appearance, the occasion being "the boys" annual concert in aid of the Sunday school. The programme was composed of recitations, solos, quartets, pantomime and some few very novel and appropriate choruses, and also "The Little German Band," using paper instruments. All the numbers were splendidly executed.

—The return of spring has brought back the long-hour system to the police force. The three months' trial of the eight-hour system came to an end yesterday, and to-day the men are just where they were before all the agitation and petitioning last fall. There is a lot of dissatisfaction existing among the members of the force over the state of affairs, and they will probably be heard from ere long. The eight hours arrangement, such as it was, was not what the men wished for exactly. They claim that the reliefs were as awkwardly placed as possible, but they had no power to remedy them. There will be a few more reliefs this summer than last, owing to the number of new policemen taken on when the change was made, but otherwise they claim there is about thirteen hours' work a day for every man on the force until they get a change for the better.

Mackenzie Memorial Fund.

Among the subscribers to the Alexander Mackenzie memorial fund were: V. Cronyn, $100; John Marshall, $25; T. S. Hobbs, $100; C. S. Hyman, $50; H. Arnott, $10; George Burns, $10; George C. Gibbons, Q.C., $100; J. W. Little, $100; R. Reid, $50; John Campbell, $10; H. W. Blinn, $10. The total collected was over $16,000. Through the death of Mrs. Mackenzie, the money goes to the Provincial University to found a scholarship.

Across the Sea.

The French Cabinet Crisis.

PARIS, April 3.—M. Meline has failed to form a Cabinet, and M. Charles Dupuy has undertaken the work.

Another Royal Babe.

LONDON, April 3.—The Duchess of Fife, eldest daughter of the Prince of Wales, gave birth to a girl this evening.

Five Hundred Killed.

RIO JANEIRO, April 4.—A battle was fought between State and revolutionary troops on March 7. The slaughter was frightful on both sides, 500 out of 1,100 contestants being killed. The State troops were driven back.

Horrible Holocaust.

VIENNA, April 3.—Ninety houses in Klein-Poechlarn, on the Danube, were burned to the ground to-day. Fifteen dead bodies have been removed from the ruins, and twelve more are known to be under the ashes. Ten persons are missing.

"Dear Lily."

LONDON, April 3.—The new paper, the Morning, states that on the eve of his departure for America, Abingdon Baird wrote to Mrs. Langtry: "Dear Lily—I made a will yesterday, and left you everything." Baird's wealth has been variously estimated at from £30,000 to £50,000 a year, and he inherited vast accumulations.

A Prison Wrecked by Its Inmates.

ROME, April 3.—A mutiny broke out last evening in the St. Michael prison. The prisoners have been discontented on account of the poor quality and meagre quantity of rations allowed them, and they have had other grievances. The prisoners made a wreck of the place, burning the furniture and bedding and working all the destruction they could. The military finally quelled the disturbance.

Low Prices for English Wheat.

LONDON, April 3.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the grain trade, says: "April begins with English wheat at 25 shillings, the lowest price on record. The average price obtained during March was profoundly discouraging. Although the granary reserves have fallen 700,000 quarters since New Year's Day, yet prices have receded 10 pence, with no recovery. The imported wheat supply afloat amounts to 2,890,000 quarters."

The Lily Gets a "Little."

LONDON, April 3.—Mrs. Langtry made no secret of her expectations from the death of "Squire" Abington. The two had been very good friends, and Baird had made all sorts of promises to her, but all his money, something like $250,000 a year, goes to his mother, and Mrs. Langtry, shrewd business woman as she is, is left out in the cold. Not altogether out, however, for before his death Baird made over to her the house in Chelsea, where she lives when in London, and all its furniture. The house rents for $5,000 a year, and the furniture is new and worth about $50,000. The yacht White Lady, in which Mrs. Langtry has been cruising in the Mediterranean, is also hers. This cost $170,000 a little while ago, so the "Lily" doesn't fare so badly after all.

Bering Sea Arbitration.

LONDON, April 4.—The newspapers generally comment upon the introduction of documents before the Court of Arbitration regarding Bering Sea of the British counter case, exposing the use made of mistranslations of Russian documents in the case presented by the United States. The British contention, the Standard adds, is that when spurious passages are expunged there does not remain an atom of evidence supporting the chief American allegations.

The St. James Gazette says it does not suspect the United States Government of conniving in the concocted passages, and is sure that the American people will repudiate a trick so dirty and so silly. Yet, adds the Gazette, the arguments founded on the forgeries are uncanceled.

A Washington dispatch says the news as to false and garbled translations of Russian documents in the case as originally prepared for the United States in the Bering Sea controversy is very old on this side of the water. The State Department discovered that Ivan Petroff, a special agent employed to obtain data on this seal matter, had been deliberately fabricating alleged facts and garbling documents, and he was promptly dismissed and the garbled documents replaced by accurate translations. It is said at the department that no part of the argument of the United States is founded upon the fabrications thus canceled.

THE PATRONS' PROGRESS.

Good Outlook for the Order in Eastern Ontario.

MONTREAL, Que., April 4.—J. Lockie Wilson, grand trustee of the Patrons of Industry of Ontario is in Montreal negotiating with dealers for the supply of Liverpool salt to all the associations of Eastern Ontario. He expects to have a large number of carloads shipped in the next few weeks. Mr. Wilson declares the Patrons of Industry are rapidly increasing in numbers. The work of extending the order in the Province of Quebec has commenced. Associations have been started in the Eastern Townships and are meeting with success. The constitution is being translated into French and it is expected the association will soon be as strong in Quebec as in Ontario.

A Desperado's Vengeance.

CARROLLTON, Ga., April 4.—Fire last night destroyed the entire business portion of the town—eighteen buildings in all. It was the incendiary work of Asbury Genty, a desperado who had vowed to destroy the town in which he had been convicted for murder. Subsequently he escaped from prison. The county will be scoured for him.

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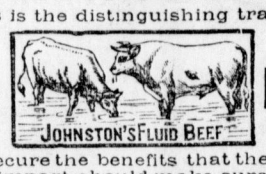
Johnston's  Fluid Beef.

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AFTERNOON TELEGRAMS

A new artificial gem of remarkable beauty has been put together in the Buntzlau glass works, Germany. It is called Purpuit.

The Commercial Bank of Australia has failed. It had a capital of £3,000,000, of which £1,200,000 was paid up. The reserve fund was £750,000.

Nearly 10,000 children with a few thousand more of mothers, big sisters, aunts and nurses took part in the annual Easter Monday egg-rolling in the White House grounds, Washington, Monday.

Mr. Armand Lalonde, Canadian passenger and freight agent of the Boston and Maine Railway, speaking of the exodus from Quebec, says the migration from the Province to New England is greater than ever to his knowledge.

The United States Supreme Court has decided that a fugitive from justice, surrendered under extradition proceedings by one State to another, may be constitutionally tried in the latter State upon an indictment charging another offense than the one set forth in the warrant of extradition.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 4.—The business portion of the town of Florence was destroyed by fire this morning. Fourteen large business houses were burned; loss estimated at $150,000.

CANADIAN.

Sir John Abbott arrived at New York from Italy yesterday. He is a very sick man.

Fred J. Duffy, aged 24, has been drowned in Florida. He was a son of James Dufly, Grand Trunk baggage master, Toronto.

Robt. T. Wallace, postmaster of Woodbridge, brother of N. C. Wallace, M.P., died suddenly Monday evening of pneumonia.

J. A. Chevrier is the Conservative candidate in Vaudreuil, Que., Dominion contest. Mr. Harwood is the Liberal nominee. Election on Wednesday of next week.

Powderly Scores the Judiciary.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 4.—In speaking of the effect of the Toledo decision upon the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Mr. Powderly said: "I believe the result will be that there will be eventually a federation of all railroad employes, which will seek not only to protect themselves, but the country. The members will take a hand in electing judges and other officials, as at present the judges have it in their power to overrule the will of the people as expressed by their representatives in the Legislature."

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