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### DEAD AT SUPPER TABLE.

Windsor, Nov. 27.—James Tompkins, who had been employed at Mulcaster's livery stable about five years, was found dead at a table on which he had placed his supper.

Death evidently came to him as he began to eat. He still held in his hand a piece of bread, from which a single bite had been taken. Tompkins had a severe fall from the loft of the barn a few weeks ago, but had apparently recovered from its effect.

He was 65 years of age. His relatives are believed to live at Brockville and Orangeville.

### Allows Level Crossing.

Essex, Nov. 27.—The Dominion railway commission has rescinded its previous order requiring the Windsor, Essex & Lake Shore electric road to cross the Michigan Central Railway tracks at this town by means of a subway, which was impracticable, and now permits a level crossing.

# UNDERTONE IS STEADY IN THE GRAIN MARKETS

## Bradstreets' Estimate Passes Without Recognition in the Futures —Cables Slightly Easier.

World Office,
Tuesday Evening, Nov. 27.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day unchanged to ½d lower than yesterday, and corn futures ½d higher to ¼d lower.

At Chicago—December wheat closed unchanged from yesterday; December corn ⅛c higher and December oats ⅛c lower.

Chicago car lots to-day: Wheat 43, contract 14; corn 196, 31; oats 256, 53.

Winnipeg car lots to-day: 699, year ago 713.

Northwest car lots to-day, 861, week ago, 706; year ago, 1048.

Primary receipts wheat to-day, 1000 cars; shipments, 894,000; week ago, 1,060,000, 749,000; year ago, 1,362,000, 775,000; corn to-day, 457,000, 408,000; week ago, 502,000, 378,000; year ago, 732,000, 606,000.

Bradstreets report increase, wheat, 3,000,000 this week. Corn, decrease, 375,000. Oats, increase, 1,708,000.

### ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 1300 bushels of grain, 25 loads of hay, 3 loads of straw, and a few lots of dressed hogs.

Wheat—Five hundred bushels sold as follows: 300 bushels fall, 73c to 74c; 200 bushels goose, at 68c.

Barley—Five hundred bushels sold at 54c to 55c.

Oats—Two hundred bushels sold at 39c to 41c.

Rye—One hundred bushels sold at 76c.

Hay—Twenty-five loads sold at $14 to $16.50 for timothy and $11 to $13 per ton for mixed.

Straw—Two loads of sheaf sold at $16 to $16.50 per ton, and one load loose at $9 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—Prices firmer at $8.50 to $8.75 per cwt.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Grain—** | | |
| Wheat, spring, bush | $0 00 | $0 00 |
| Wheat, goose, bush | 0 68 | .... |
| Wheat, fall, bush | 0 73 | 0 74 |
| Wheat, red, bush | 0 74 | .... |
| Barley, bush | 0 54 | 0 55 |
| Oats, bush., new | 0 39 | 0 41 |
| Rye, bush | 0 76 | .... |
| Peas, bush | 0 80 | .... |
| **Seeds—** | | |
| Alsike clover, fancy | $6 30 | $6 60 |
| do. No. 1 | 6 00 | 6 20 |
| do. No. 2 | 5 25 | 5 40 |
| do. No. 3 | 4 50 | 4 80 |
| Red clover, new | 7 25 | 7 50 |
| Red clover, old | 6 50 | 6 90 |
| Timothy, No. 1 | 1 50 | 1 80 |
| Timothy, No. 2 | 1 20 | 1 40 |
| **Hay and Straw—** | | |
| Hay, per ton | $14 00 | to $16 50 |
| Hay, mixed | 11 00 | 13 00 |
| Straw, bundled, ton | 16 00 | .... |
| Straw, loose, ton | 9 00 | .... |
| **Fruits and Vegetables—** | | |
| Potatoes, per bag | $0 75 | to $0 80 |
| Apples, barrel | 1 00 | 3 00 |
| Cabbage, per dozen | 0 30 | 0 40 |
| Onions, per bag | 0 75 | 0 80 |
| **Poultry—** | | |
| Turkeys, dressed, lb | $0 14 | to $0 16 |
| Geese, per lb | 0 10 | 0 11 |
| Hens, per lb | 0 09 | 0 10 |
| Spring chickens, lb | 0 10 | 0 12 |
| Spring ducks, lb | 0 10 | 0 12 |
| **Dairy Produce.—** | | |
| Butter, lb. rolls | $0 27 | to $0 32 |
| Eggs, strictly new-laid, dozen | 0 40 | 0 45 |
| **Fresh Meats—** | | |
| Beef, forequarters, cwt. | $4 50 | to $5 50 |
| Beef, hindquarters, cwt. | 7 00 | 8 00 |
| Lambs, dressed, lb | 0 09 | 0 10 |
| Mutton, light, cwt | 8 00 | 9 00 |
| Veals, prime, cwt | 9 00 | 10 00 |
| Veals, common, cwt | 7 00 | 8 00 |
| Dressed hogs, cwt | 8 50 | 8 75 |

### FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Potatoes, car lots, bag | $0 80 | to $0 82 |
| Hay, car lots, ton, baled | 11 00 | 12 00 |
| Butter, dairy, lb. rolls | 0 25 | 0 26 |
| Butter, tubs | 0 23 | 0 24 |
| Butter, creamery, boxes | 0 25 | 0 26 |
| Butter, creamery, lb. rolls | 0 27 | 0 29 |
| Butter, bakers', tub | 0 17 | 0 18 |
| Eggs, new-laid, dozen | 0 25 | 0 27 |
| Eggs, cold storage | 0 22 | 0 23 |
| Turkeys, per lb | 0 14 | 0 16 |
| Geese, per lb | 0 08 | 0 10 |
| Ducks, per lb | 0 08 | 0 10 |
| Chickens, per lb | 0 08 | 0 10 |
| Old fowl, per lb | 0 07 | 0 08 |
| Cheese, large, lb | 0 13¼ | 0 13½ |
| Cheese, twins, lb | 0 14 | 0 14¼ |
| Honey, lb | 0 11 | 0 12 |
| Honey, 60-lb. tins | 0 10 | 0 11 |
| Honey, 10-lb. tins | 0 11 | 0 12 |
| Honey, dozen sections | 1 75 | 2 00 |
| Evaporated apples, lb | 0 08 | 0 09 |

### Hides and Tallow.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealers in Wool, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Tallow, etc.:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Inspected hides, No. 1 cows, steers | $0 11¾ | |
| Inspected hides, No. 2 cows, steers | 0 10¾ | |
| Country hides, cured | 0 10½ | |
| Calfskins, No. 1, city | 0 12 | |
| Calfskins, No. 1, country | 0 11 | |
| Lambskins, each | $0 90 | to $1 00 |
| Horsehides | 3 50 | 3 75 |
| Horsehair, No. 1, per lb | 0 30 | .... |
| Tallow, per lb | 0 05¼ | 0 05¾ |

### GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

The following were the last quotations at the board of trade call board. All quotations, except where specified, are for outside points:

Bran—No quotations.

Shorts—No quotations.

Spring wheat—None offering.

No. 2 goose, 67c bid.

Manitoba, No. 1 hard, sellers 83½c; No. 1 northern, buyers 80½c; No. 3, no quotations.

Winter wheat—No. 2 white, buyers 70½, sellers 71c; No. 2 mixed, buyers 70c, sellers 71c; No. 2 red, buyers 70c.

Buckwheat—Buyers 52c.

Barley—No. 2, 51c bid; No. 3X, buyers 49c.

Rye—Sellers 73c.

Peas—No. 2, 80c bid.

Oats—No. 2 white, buyers 36½c, sellers 37c; No. 2 mixed, 35c bid.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, sellers 54½c, Toronto.

### Flour Prices.

Flour—Manitoba patent, $3.75, track, Toronto; Ontario, 90 per cent. patents, $2.70 bid for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, $4.50; strong bakers', $4.

### Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $4.38 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, $3.98 in barrels. These prices are for delivery here; car lots 5c less.

### Winnipeg Wheat Market.

At the Winnipeg option market to-day the following were the leading quotations: Nov. 76¾c bid, Dec. 78½c, May 77⅞c.

### Leading Wheat Markets.

| | Dec. | May. | July. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 80⅞ | 84⅝ | .... |
| Toledo | 76⅞ | 81⅝ | 79⅝ |
| St. Louis | 72⅝ | 77½ | 76¼ |
| Minneapolis | 77¼ | 79¾ | 80⅝ |
| Duluth | 77⅝ | 80 | 80½ |

### Chicago Markets.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| Dec. | 73⅛ | 73½ | 73 | 73¼ |
| May | 78⅛ | 78⅝ | 78⅝ | 78½ |
| July | 77⅛ | 78 | 77⅝ | 78 |
| Corn— | | | | |
| Dec. | 42⅞ | 43 | 42⅞ | 43 |
| May | 43¾ | 43⅞ | 43¾ | 43¾ |
| July | 44⅛ | 44¼ | 44¼ | 44¼ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| Dec. | 33¼ | 33⅝ | 33¼ | 33⅜ |
| May | 35 | 35 | 34⅞ | 34⅞ |
| July | 32⅞ | 32⅞ | 32⅞ | 32⅞ |
| Pork— | | | | |
| Jan. | 14.55 | 14.62 | 14.55 | 14.60 |
| May | 14.80 | 14.90 | 14.80 | 14.87 |
| Ribs— | | | | |
| Jan. | 7.72 | 7.77 | 7.72 | 7.77 |
| May | 7.85 | 7.90 | 7.85 | 7.90 |
| Lard— | | | | |
| Jan. | 8.42 | 8.47 | 8.42 | 8.47 |
| May | 8.37 | 8.45 | 8.37 | 8.45 |

### Chicago Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co. wired J. G. Beaty at the close of the market:

Wheat—The December liquidation seems to be about over. The market to-day was steady, and the trading, as a rule, was dull, but there was fairly good buying of December by both cash grain houses and leading commission houses here. The hardening of the December future has helped sentiment in the trade, without increasing buying, however. There has been some narrowing of the December-May difference, probably due to covering by shorts of December. News of large increase in the stocks in the United States and Canada also shaped the price of May downward. Northwest receipts still keep far behind last year, and the cash demand at Minneapolis was good. Premiums up there were unchanged and the cash position is still strong. We continue to think that all the bear news has been discounted and that wheat is a purchase.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell: Wheat—There was occasional activity in wheat to-day, speculation being at a very low ebb. There was a plethora of news, but it consisted of a rehash of recent reports affecting the northwestern situation, and there was just as much diversity of opinion regarding the same as has been in evidence all along. Some claimed country elevators were full and wheat piled on the ground near stations, and that the failure of receipts to increase at terminal points was due entirely to a lack of transportation facilities. To-day's transactions were chiefly a continuation of changing December into May contracts, with a general tendency toward lower prices. The market was absolutely devoid of feature.

Corn and Oats—There was a fair trade in coarse grains, with a manifestation of further strength, without, however, important changes in prices. Cash market was again higher and a better feeling was apparent thruout the session.

Provisions were hardly as active, but after an early weakness, turned very strong and closed at about the best prices of the day.

### New York Dairy Market.

New York, Nov. 27.—Butter, strong, unchanged; receipts, 8398. Cheese, firm, unchanged; receipts, 5656. Eggs, firm, unchanged; receipts, 12,515.

### Liverpool Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, Nov. 27.—Wheat, spot, steady; No. 2 red, western winter, 5s 11½d; futures quiet; December, 6s 3¾d; March, 6s 5⅝d; May, 6s 5⅝d. Corn, spot, firm; American mixed, 4s 4½d; futures quiet; December, 4s 4¼d; January 4s 1¾d.

Hams, short cut, steady, 60s 6d. Bacon, long clear middles, light, steady, 55s; long clear middles, heavy, 54s 6d; short clear backs, firm, 48s. Lard, American refined, easy, 46s 6d.

### New York Grain and Produce.

New York, Nov. 27.—Flour—Receipts, 32,332 barrels. Exports, 4603 barrels. Sales, 6400 packages. Market steady, but quiet.

Rye flour, firm.

Buckwheat flour, steady. Buckwheat, steady.

Cornmeal, steady. Rye, steady. Barley, steady. Wheat—Receipts, 145,600 bushels; exports, 70,870 bushels; sales, 1,850,000 bushels; futures, spot, easy. No. 2 red, 79⅞c, elevator; No. 2 red, 81⅞c, f.o.b. afloat; No. northern Duluth, 83⅝c, c.i.f. Buffalo; No. 2 hard winter, 77c c.i.f. Buffalo. Options—Trade in wheat was narrow again, but except for December, which weakened in the afternoon under liquidation, the market acted steady on light speculative offerings and closed net unchanged, against half cent loss in the December. Sales included, No. 2 red, May, 84 3-16c to 84 7-16c, closed 84⅜c; Dec., 80⅝c to 81¼c, closed 80⅞c. Corn, receipts, 61,275 bushels; exports, 10,315 bushels; spot, steady; No. 2, 54c elevator and 55c f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 54c; No. 2 white, 54½c. Option market was without transactions, closing partly ½c net higher; January closed 51¼c; May closed 50⅞c; December closed 52⅞c; No. 2, 54c elevator, and 55c f.o.b afloat; No. 2 yellow, 54c; No. 2 white, 54½c. Oats—Receipts, 110,800 bushels. Exports, 8800 bushels; spot, easy; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 35c; natural white, 30 to 38 pounds, 38½c to 39½c; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 38½c to 43½c. Rosin, steady. Turpentine, steady. Molasses steady. Coffee, spot, Rio, quiet, No. 7 invoice, 7⅝c; mild, steady. Sugar, raw, fair refining, 3 5-16c to 3 11-32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.27-32; molasses sugar, 3 1-16c to 3 3-32c; refining, quiet.

### Wool Market.

London, Nov. 27.—There was a large attendance at the opening of the sixth series of the wool auction sales to-day. The offerings amounted to 10,092 bales, chiefly merinos. Competition was strong and most of the offerings sold readily. A good demand for American caused an advance of 5 to 10 per cent. in merinos, and also brought out higher prices for deep combing crossbreds. Home and continental traders bought freely. The supply of crossbreds was small and they advanced 5 to 10 per cent. Scoureds were ½d to 1d dearer.

### WANTS TO BE A SENATOR.

Belleville, Nov. 27.—Nathaniel Vermilyea of Thurlow, close to this city, has been in Ottawa, and rumor says he has been pressing his claim to a senatorship, which he was promised several years ago.

Mr. Vermilyea has been for more than a generation a fighter in the ranks of the Liberal party, and was twice a candidate for the legislature.

### Worked While Chum Slept.

Gordon Charles, 84 West Kingstreet, was sentenced in the police court yesterday to serve six months in jail for robbing his chum, Fred Pike, of $48.95, while the latter was asleep, with an additional fine of $25 and costs or 30 days for carrying a loaded revolver when apprehended.

# TORONTO HORSE MARKET SALES SLACK, PRICES WEAK

## Outside the Auction Marts Comparatively Little Doing Locally.

Visitors to the New York Horse Show report a smart turn of business in high-class stock. The Graham Bros. sold three of their hackneys at prices that can be considered fair, taking into account the character of the material they had on sale. Crow & Murray sold several and George Pepper got rid of one or two at figures that were satisfactory. They report the market in New York as undoubtedly splendid for extras, but unless the horses have plenty of quality there is nothing doing. It takes time and patience, as well as judgment, to make money in the horse business these days. For ordinary heavy horses and for fair-quality expressers there continues to be practically an unlimited demand, but even for them there is a hesitancy to pay spring figures. In short, the horse market can generally be quoted as weak, with only some sort of prices forthcoming for everything. Second-handers are taken, but at buyers' own figures, while even for superior horses there is an apparent limitation; in short, the market is such that consignors would be well advised to hold for after Christmas, the fact being that breeders and first-hand dealers have come to have an altogether too exaggerated idea of values. Take the regular Tuesday's sale at The Repository yesterday as a nexample. C. A. Burns says: "To-day's sale at The Repository was an extra good one so far as quality was concerned, every stall being filled and horses tied all around the ring. The sale lasted from 10 o'clock sharp until close onto 6. F. Gooch's complete stable outfit was sold, everything going for fair prices. Reality, record 2.17 1-4, was sold to Phil Davey at a bargain. The other horses offered were of good quality, but sold for prices much lower than during the last two weeks. Among the purchasers were: Col. Ogilvie, Stanley Barracks, 3 gunners; Toronto Fire Department, bay gelding; Joseph Russell, an extra choice pair of bay geldings, weighing over 3500 pounds, winners of seven first prizes; Robert Bond, three horses; Joseph Goldhar, city, a chestnut gelding; T. Wallace, North Bay, a nice pair of bay geldings; Robert Grey, bay gelding; Wolf Vener, a bay mare; Thomas Young, grey gelding; G. Gatto, chestnut mare; T. O'Neil, two horses; C. Clemmer, Berlin, two horses; Wm. Duncan, bay mare; C. Coulter, bay gelding; Wm. Taylor, bay gelding; John Darcy, Oshawa, two bay mares; A. Kettle, Sarnia, bay mare; Mercer Reformatory, bay gelding; A. Hammond, bay gelding; H. C. Austin, bay mare; J. J. Walsh, bay gelding; M. Goldstein, chestnut mare; B. Burbage, chestnut gelding; Launcelot Stobers, cream mare; S. Cornfield, bay mare; Benail Bros., brown mare; H. Atkinson, Fairbank, brown mare."

A large commission dealer hits the situation off to a nicety. He says that ten years ago it was not an uncommon event for a commission dealer to sell 400 to 600 horses in a week at the Union Stock Yards consigned directly from the country by breeders and farmers. It was of every-day occurrence for dealers to receive a load of horses owned by three or four farmers, who had pooled their shipping and sale expenses in order to fill out a load. To-day such an occurrence would be an event to the trade, as farmers have practically discontinued shipping horses to market and depend on the sale of their surplus to country shippers. A decade ago about all a commission dealer had to do was to open a stable, employ competent salesmen and advertise for consignments and he soon found himself overwhelmed with business. Now the dealer who sells horses to the trade is forced to rely on professional shippers who are expert judges of all commercial classes of horses and keep posted on the fluctuations of the market. The commission dealer who did not go after business would soon have to close his stables. The bulk of the vast number of horses that supply the auctions are secured by dealers only by personal effort, which largely increases their operating expenses and correspondingly cuts down the profits of the commission business as compared with a decade ago. In alluding to change in the conditions of the commission trade, the dealer reported that business was done in 1893 to 1897 on a capital of $5000 that to-day would require an investment of $50,000 to $100,000, because sale firms are now compelled to go after the business that a decade ago came to them voluntarily.

Chicago advices say that a feeble outside demand for most classes characterized the general trade for the week. The early dulness of the market was attributable largely to the slow movement of trade consequent upon the large number of out-of-season offerings for which the demand is congested and orders indifferent. With a better class of arrivals the tone of the market would have ruled more active and the general trade less unsatisfactory. Dealers discriminated sharply against aged and also 3-year-old classes and such lots were moved at bargain prices. Choice stall finished lots of draughters found steady outlet at stationary proces, many consignments changing hands at $225 to $227.50, according to quality and weight. The average heavy business arrivals cleared slowly at $170 to $210. A four days' special sale of harness horses divided the interests of the market and the attractions in the special event drew the larger portion of both outside and local dealers to the advantage of harness classes. Trade at no time the current week for general commercial classes displayed aggressive urgency, with all offerings except select classes clearing $5 to $10 unevenly lower. Estimated receipts for the week 1764, against 1669 last week, and 1917 the corresponding week last year.

The number of horses exported from Great Britain during the ten months ended Oct. 31 was 47,228, against 35,513 last year. Of these 22,708 went to Belgium, 17,102 to the Netherlands, 2126 to France, and 5392 to other countries. The value was $998,677, against £677,195. During the same period 16,153 horses were imported to Britain, against 11,625. Of these the United States sent 656, Canada 198, and other countries 15,299, against 9890. The value of the horses imported was £471,595, against £290,073.

At yesterday's meetings of the horse societies held in the King Edward there was a general complaint against Toronto for not supplying an arena where all kinds of shows can be held. It was generally stated that there would be no general spring horse show, and as a consequence the Clyde and Shire men resolved to invite the Hackney men to come in with them.

The following is Burns & Sheppard's weekly report of prevailing prices: Single roadster, 15 to 16 hands, $125 to $150; single cobs and carriage horses, 15 to 16.1 hands, $125 to $160; matched pairs carriage horses, 15 to 16.1 hands, $250 to $450; delivery horses, 1100 to 1200 pounds, $125 to $160; general purpose and express horses, 1200 to 1350 pounds, $135 to $175; draught horses, 1350 to 1750 pounds, $150 to $200; serviceable second-hand workers, $60 to $80; serviceable second-hand drivers, $55 to $75.

Monday's sale at the Canadian Horse Repository brought forth a good supply of useful horses, consigned by such excellent judges as George Williamson, Bradford; Thomas Williamson, Millbrook; W. B. Williamson, Winchester; George Watts, Thamesville; Peter Jackson, Brantford; James McCaw, Bancroft; S. Haryett, Bancroft, who are well up in the requirements of the Toronto market. The demand for the light horse continues slow, but the exchange can boast of starting the first sale of the week with a more than ordinary stableful of good horses. G. Green of Bradford, Ont., was the purchaser of an excellent bay carriage horse 6 years old, 15.3 hands, sound and right, with plenty of substance and quality; W. J. Boddy of Woodbridge, Ont., was the purchaser of the young trotter, Chris. Clark, sire Ryddick; this gelding is 5 years, 15.3 hands, jet black, a square trotter, with a burst of speed, capital action. In right hands this fellow ought to make a track horse of merit. James Hutchings of Haliburton was the purchaser of a pair of useful blocks. A partial list of the buyers at Monday's sale includes George Ward, J. Brennan, city; R. A. Rogers & Co., James Hutchings, Haliburton; G. J. Cross, John Baker, G. G. Green, Bradford; J. E. Cerswell, Bradford; Wm. Miller, Oak Park; T. M. Pratt. When The World man called, Mr. Carroll, the proprietor and manager, was taking a look around to see that the stables were clean and inviting, this being one of the exchange's great points. The stables have all had a fresh coat of whitewash, and things certainly looked spick and span. To-morrow the exchange will offer several carloads of draught, general purpose and driving horses. Mr. Carroll says watch the advertisement in Saturday's paper for the unreserved sale of the entire private stable of Walter Harland Smith, on Dec. 6, and the great sale of imported Shire stallions and fillies, the property of John Chambers & Sons of Holdenby, Northampton, England, on Dec. 11.

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### MONTREAL MURDER MYSTERY.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—The coroner's physician, who examined the body of Antonio Francisco Sartoif, the Italian, who was done to death Saturday night, has found ten knife wounds in the head, and has established that the man was not dead when thrown in the water.

It is thought that a letter found near the scene of the murder, written by Helena Priore, from Butte, Montana, addressed to "My Dear Husband," may help to throw some light on the motive for the murder other than money.

Sartori was engaged to be married to a young woman here.

### PETERBORO'S NEW INDUSTRY.

Peterboro, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—It has practically been decided that the Canadian works of the Crossley Carpet Co. will be established in Peterboro.

The new factory will be located to the north of the city, and will employ five hundred hands.

The site will be adjacent to the hundred acres recently acquired by the Coats Co. for their carpet works with the Brinton Carpet Co., which is now in operation.

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