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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Market Reports by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Nov. 9—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 68 3-16 for money, 98½ for account; Mexican 13¾; Mexican Central, 42; St. Paul, 67⅞; Erie, seconds, 71; Erie, 14⅞; Pacific Central, 53½; Reading, 10⅞; Canadian Pacific, 75; New York Central, 106⅞; Illinois Central, 96; Bank of England rate, 3 per cent.; open market discount, 2.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9—1 p.m.—Stock market steady.

Atchison	19⅝	C. B. & Q.	82⅜
Can. Southern	—	Del. & Hudson	133¼
Del. & Lack	—	L. & N.	48
Lake Shore	128½	Mich. Central	—
Nor. Pacific	7⅞	Nor. Pacific, pref.	22⅞
Northwestern	104½	N. Y. Central	103
Rhode Island	67⅞	St. Paul	68⅞
St. Paul, pref	120	Union Pacific	—
Western Union	88⅞		

Toronto Stock Market

TORONTO, Nov. 9.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	225	221
Ontario	115	110½
Molsons	155	—
Toronto	245	240
Merchants	157	154
Commerce	140	139
Imperial	184	181½
Dominion	274	272½
Standard	169	166⅞
Hamilton	165	162
British America	122	118
Western Assurance	151½	150½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life	—	—
Consumers Gas	187	184½
Dominion Telegraph	108	106
Northwest Land Company	78	—
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	72⅞	71½
Commercial Cable Company	137¼	136½
Bell Telephone Company	145	141
Dominion Savings and Loan	92	87⅞
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	—
Farmers L. and S., 20 per cent.	—	—
Huron and Erie L. and S.	—	—
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent.	—	—
London and Canada, L. and A.	130	—
London Loan	109	—
London and Ontario	121	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	133½	131

SALES—Hamilton, 10 at 163; Western Assurance, 80 at 151½; Consumers' Gas, 40, 20 and 100 at 184⅞; Commercial Cable, 25 at 136¾.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Nov. 9.

	Ask.	Off.
C. P. R.	72½	71⅞
Duluth Railway, common	8½	—
Duluth Railway, preferred	—	15
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	—	—
Grand Trunk Ry., seconds	—	—
Commercial Cable Company	137	136
Wabash	—	—
Wabash, preferred	—	—
Montreal Telegraph Co.	141	140
Rich. and Ont. Navigation Co.	65	64
Montreal Street Railway	175	173
Montreal Gas Company	183	180½
Bell Telephone Company	142½	140
Bank of Montreal	225	221
Ontario Bank	113	109
Banque du Peuple	120	113
Molsons Bank	155	153
Bank of Toronto	—	235
Banque Cartier	135	129
Merchants' Bank	157½	153
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	140	130
Union Bank	—	—
Bank of Commerce	140	136
N. W. Land Company	—	—
Montreal Cotton Company	130	120
Canada Colored Cotton Co.	80	75
Dominion Cotton Company	119	116

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market Quotations.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 9.

Grain receipts were only moderately good to-day, and prices ruled steady at about the same prices as on Tuesday. The average price of wheat, however, was not so high; $1 03 was now and then paid, but the bulk of white wheat sold at $1 to $1 02. Red wheat had about the same experience, selling usually at 99c to $1, according to quality, but occasionally $1 01. The price paid for oats was 92c to 94c, 93c and 94c being the chief prices. One or two loads of barley offered and sold from 80c to 85c. Other kinds of grain scarce and unchanged. Butter was about 1c per lb easier all around. Eggs steady and unchanged. Poultry, turkeys and ducks quiet and no change in values. Receipts of potatoes were good and prices only moderately firm; loads sold at 65c, and single bags at 70c to 75c. All kinds of fruit quiet. Meats steady, with the excertion of dressed hogs; they sold lower at $6 to $7; some nice hogs sold at $6 75. Hay sold moderately well at $8 to $8 50. General quotations are as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	$1 00	to	1 04
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	95	to	1 01
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 02
Oats, per 100 lbs	92	to	95
Peas, per 100 lbs	90	to	93
Corn, per 100 lbs	95	to	1 00
Barley, per 100 lbs	82	to	86
Rye, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	90	to	99
Beans, per bu	1 10	to	1 35
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs fresh, single doz	16	to	18
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	15	to	16
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	14	to	15
Butter, single rolls, per lb	27	to	28
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	24	to	26
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	22	to	24
Butter, per lb, tub or firkins	15	to	20
Lard, per lb	13	to	15
Chickens, per pair	40	to	50
Ducks	60	to	80
Turkeys, 10c per lb, each	75	to	1 50
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	50	to	85
Cauliflowers, per dozen	1 00	to	1 50
Tomatoes, per bu	50	to	75
Potatoes, per bag	65	to	70
Grapes, per lb	3	to	5
Cabbages, per doz	25	to	40
Citrons, per doz	50	to	75
Celery, per doz	25	to	35
Squashes, per doz	35	to	1 00
Pumpkins, per doz	50	to	1 00
Onions, per bu	80	to	80
Carrots, per bu	25	to	50
Beets, per dozen bunches	18	to	25
Turnips, per bu	20	to	20
Parsnips, per bu	40	to	60
Radishes, per doz bunches	25	to	30
HAY AND SEEDS			
Hay, per ton	8 00	to	8 75
Straw, per load	2 50	to	3 50
Clover seed, red, per bu	0 0	to	0 00
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	0 0	to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bu	1 50	to	1 50
Hungarian seed, per bu	0 00	to	00
Millet seed, per bu	00	to	00
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, carcass, per lb	4	to	6
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	6 00	to	7 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	3	to	0
Hides, No. 2, per lb	2	to	0
Hides, No. 3, per lb	1	to	0
Calfskins, green, per lb	4	to	0
Calfskins, dry, each	20	to	25
Sheepskins, each	40	to	65
Lambskins, each	05	to	05
Pelts, each	00	to	00
Wool, per lb	17	to	18
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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Nov. 9.

FLOUR—Straights roller, $2 90 to $2 90; extra $2 50 to $2 70.

WHEAT—White, 57c to 57c; spring, No. 2 57c to 57c; red winter, 56c to 56c; goose, 55c to 56c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, 71c to 71c; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 69c to 69c; Manitoba hard No. 3, 66c to 66c.

PEAS—No. 2, 51½c to 52c.

FEED—No. 2, 34c to 35c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 40c.

OATS—No. 2, 28½c to 29½c.

Market dull. Sales—Peas outside at 51½c to 52c; oats outside at 29c; barley outside at 40c.

Montreal Produce Market.

MONTREAL, Nov. 9.

FLOUR—Receipts, 2,300 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter, $3 60 to $3 80; do spring, $3 60 to $3 80; straight roller, $3 10 to $3 20; extra, $2 70 to $2 90; superfine, $2 50 to $2 70; strong bakers, $3 40 to $3 60; Ontario bags, $1 40 to $1 60.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 67c to 69c; corn, 55c to 57c; peas, 67c to 68c; oats, 35c to 37c; barley, 50c to 52c; rye, 50c to 55c.

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

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $22 00 to $24 00; lard, 10c to 12c, bacon, 11½c to 12½c; hams, 12c to 13½c; cheese, 10½c to 11½c; butter, townships, 19c to 21c; western, 18c to 20c; eggs, 14c to 16c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's report by cable.

LONDON, Nov. 9.

Floating cargoes—Wheat, quiet and steady; corn, none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat, firm; American and Russian, quiet; corn, rather easier.

Mark Lane—Spot good mixed American corn 22s 3d, was 21s 9d; straight Minn. flour 16s 3d, was 16s 9d; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast 27s 6d and 27s 9d, was 27s 9d; do Australian off coast 27s 6d, was 21s 6d; present and following month 28s, was 28s 3d; do Chilian off coast 27s 9d, was 26s; present and following month 26s 3d, was 26s 6d; do Walla off coast 26s, was 26s; present and following month 26s 6d was 26s 9d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. prompt rail 28s, was 28s 3d; nearly due 27s 6d, was 27s 9d.

French country markets very quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat, very little demand; corn, firmly held.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 9.

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

	Nov. 7.		Nov. 8.		Nov. 9.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	5 6	5 7½	5 6	5 7	5 6	5 7
Red Winter	5 3½	5 4½	5 3	5 4	5 3	5 4
No. 1 Cal.	5 7½	5 8½	5 7½	5 8½	5 7½	5 8½
Corn, new	4 3	0 0	4 3½	0 0	4 3½	0 0
Peas, per c.	5 5	0 0	5 5	0 0	5 5	0 0
Pork (new)	88 9	0 0	88 9	0 0	88 9	0 0
Lard	51 6	0 0	51 6	0 0	51 6	0 0
Bacon, h'vy.	49 6	0 0	49 6	0 0	49 6	0 0
Bacon light	50 0	0 0	50 0	0 0	50 0	0 0
Tallow	27 6	0 0	27 6	0 0	27 6	0 0
Cheese, wh.	54 6	0 0	56 6	0 0	54 6	0 0
Cheese, col.	54 6	0 0	56 6	0 0	54 6	0 0

Wheat quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn steady and unchanged; demand fair.

Chicago Wheat Market.

(Per Monroe, Miller & Co.'s London office.)

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.

	Open'g.	Clos'g.
May	69⅝c	69⅝c
November	61½c	61½c to 61¾c
December	62½c	62½c to 62¾c

Cheese Markets.

WOODSTOCK.

WOODSTOCK, Nov. 9.—Ten factories offered 6,855 boxes September and balance of the season; no sales: 10⅝c bid, 11½c asked. Market adjourned for two weeks.

United States Barley Markets.

BUFFALO, Nov. 9.—Barley—Receipts, 194,988 bu. Shipments, 28,300 bu. There is a fair demand and fairly liberal offerings on the following basis: Western, No. 2, 63c to 61c; No. 3 extra, 55c to 58c; No. 3, 47c to 50c; State choice, 70c to 72c; No. 2, 65c to 68c.

At New York—Market steady; No. 2 Milwaukee quoted at 65c.

At Chicago—Receipts, 230,000 bu. Shipments, 95,000 bu. Market quiet; No. 2 spot, 55c.

At Milwaukee—Market quiet; No. 2 November, 52½c; December, 55c.

American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 9.

WHEAT—Spring wheat—Closing No. 1 hard, 67½c; spot, 65½c, c. i. f.; No. 1 northern, spot, 63½c; do, c. i. f., 64½c. Sales were: 12,000 bu No. 1 northern, in lots, 66c; 4 cars do, 67c; 10,000 bu No. 1 hard, 67c, spot; 35,000 bu No. 1 hard, c. i. f., 65½c; 5,000 bu do, 69½c; 5,000 bu No. 1 northern, 64½c. Winter wheat—Unsettled; demand light; 4 cars No. 2 red sold at 62½c; 1 car No. 3 extra red, 61c.

CORN—Opened firm; closed higher; No. 2 yellow, 43⅜c; No. 2 corn, 43½c; No. 3 corn, 43¼c in store. Sales: 7 cars No. 2 yellow, 43½c; 16 cars No. 3 corn, 42c in store. Sales on track: 5 cars No. 2 yellow, 44c; 1 car No. 3 yellow, 41½c; 1 car No. 4 yellow, 42½c; 5 cars No. 1 corn, new, 41c.

OATS—Closing steady. Sales: 1 car No. 1 white, 36c; 3 cars No. 2 white, 34½c; 1 car do, choice, 34½c.

BARLEY—Firm; fair demand.

RYE—No. 2, 55c asked.

FLOUR—Quiet.

MILLFEED—Unsettled.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9—Closing

WHEAT—Dec., 61½c to 62c; May, 69½c to 61½c.

CORN—Nov., 37⅞c; Dec., 38½c; May, 42½c.

OATS—May, 37½c.

PORK—Jan., $14 32.

LARD—Nov., $9 17; Jan., $8 42.

SHORT RIBS—Jan., $7 40.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—Nov., 61½c; Dec., 62½c; May, 69⅝c.

CORN—Nov., 38½c; Dec., 38⅝c; Jan., 38⅝c; May, 42⅝c.

OATS—Nov., 28½c; Dec., 29c; May, 32½c.

MESS PORK—Jan., $14 35.

LARD—Jan., $8 45.

SHORT RIBS—Jan., $7 40.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

No. 2 spring wheat, 61½c to 61½c; No. 3 do, 56c to 62c; No. 2 red, 61½c; No. 2 corn, 38½c; No. 2 oats, 28½c; No. 2 rye, 46c; No. 2 barley, 55c; mess pork, $15 75 to $16; lard, $9 50 to $9 60; short ribs sides, $8 75 to $9; dry salted shoulders, $7 to $7 25; short clear sides, $9 to $9 25.

Receipts—			
Flour	13,000	Wheat	123,000
Corn	139,000	Oats	168,000
Rye	4,000	Barley	95,000
Shipments—			
Flour	12,000	Wheat	64,000
Corn	501,000	Oats	328,000
Rye	4,000	Barley	177,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.

FLOUR—Dull.

RYE—Dull; western, 59c to 57c.

BARLEY—Quiet; No. 2 Milwaukee, 65c.

PEAS—Canada, 76c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 213,000 bu; exports, 54,000 bu; sales, 2,375,000 bu futures, 16,000 bu spot; spots dull; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 66½c to 67c; No. 1 northern, 70½c to 70⅞c; options firm; No. 2 red, Jan., 69⅝c; March, 72½c; May, 74½c; Nov., 66⅝c; Dec., 67⅞c.

CORN—Receipts, 137,000 bu; exports, 50,000 bu; sales, 1,080,000 bu futures, 19,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2, 46½c elevator; options firm; Nov., 46c; Dec., 46½c; Jan., 47½c; May, 49c.

OATS—Receipts, 135,000 bu; exports, 4,000 bu; sales, 120,000 bu futures, 107,000 bu spot; spots dull; No. 2, 34½c; No. 2 white, 36c to 36½c; No. 2 Chicago, 33½c; No. 3, 34c; No. 3 white, 34½c; mixed western, 33½c to 36½c; white do and white State, 36½c to 46c; options easier; Nov., 34½c; Dec., 35c; Jan., 35½c; May, 36½c; No. 2 white, Dec., 36½c.

EGGS—Steady; State and Pennsylvania, 25c to 26c; western fresh, 24c to 28c.

COFFEE—Options opened and closed steady; sales, 17,000 bags, including Nov., $17 35; Dec., $16 95 to $17; Jan., $16 65; March, $16 35 to $16 40; spots Rio steady; No. 7, 18½c to 18½c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A" 4 9-16c to 4⅝c; confectioners "A," 4 7-16c to 4½c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5c to 5 3-16c; powdered, 4 13-16c to 5c; granulated, 4 9-16c to 4½c.

DETROIT, Nov. 9.

WHEAT—Closes: No. 1 white, 61c bid cash; No. 2 red, 61½c bid cash; 62½c bid Dec.; 69½c bid May.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 9.

WHEAT—Closes quiet: 57½c Nov.; 59½c Dec.

TOLEDO, Nov. 9.

WHEAT—61½c cash and Nov.; 62½c Dec.; 69½c asked May.

CORN—39½c cash.

OATS—30c asked cash.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Cattle—Almost no trade; market easy.

Sheep and lambs—21 cars, including 7 cars of Canadas, on sale. Little doing; Canada lambs $4 50 to $4 60; bulk unsold.

Hogs—12 cars on sale; prices 5c to 10c higher for choice Yorkers. Two loads of the best 190 lb Yorkers sold for an cut of town butcher at $6 25; good to best 170 lb to 200 lb hogs, $6 10 to $6 15 to $6 20 and good ends $6 to $6 10; roughs sold at $5 50 to $5 75; stags, $4 to $5.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Major-General Herbert and staff went east Wednesday night at 5 o'clock.

—The M. C. R. will place a new time table in operation in about a week.

—Thomas Hanlon has taken out a permit to build a one-story brick cottage on Hill street.

—A favorable impression was created at the Nora Clench concert in Stratford of the singing of Miss Belle Brown, city.

—Village Constable Ward, of London West, has been appointed under the Fish and Game Laws to inspect the river and dams.

—Market Clerk Wilson has six prospective cases of infringement of the huckster bylaw in view. Two of them will be heard next week.

—A petition for a public meeting in the East End Hall to discuss L. and P. S. R. matters is being circulated by Mr. Murray Anderson.

—Nine prisoners from Windsor and Chatham passed through the city early Wednesday morning in charge of Bailiff English. All were bound for the Central Prison.

—Ed. M. Westland, South London, starts for Los Angeles, Cal., this evening, accompanied by his sister Carrie, who is on a six months' trip for the benefit of her health.

—Jacob E. Lauler, of Strathroy, was appointed a county constable provisionally by Judge W. Elliot yesterday morning, the appointment to be confirmed at the next adjourned sessions of the peace.

—Next Sabbath will be termed "Chrysanthemum Sunday" at the young men's meeting in Victoria Hall. This beautiful flower will be profusely used for decorative purposes, and Rev. Ira Smith is expected to make a short address.

—Work on the new Park Avenue Presbyterian Church is being vigorously pursued at present. It is expected that the plastering will be finished and dried by Dec. 1, and some anticipate the opening sermon on the 17th of that month.

—A meeting of the Young Liberal Club will be held on Thursday, Nov. 16, at which President L. W. Burke will deliver his inaugural address. Messrs. C. S. Hyman, M.P., and others will be present and a large attendance is requested.

—A citizen was protesting loudly about the lack of seating accommodation at the City Hall Wednesday. "It's a shame," said he, "that in a City Hall of a place the size of London there should not be seating accommodation for everyone. A country school house would furnish more seats than the City Hall did last night. I believe that it had a direct effect on the vote. Many citizens left the hall tired and weary long before the motion was put."

—Dennis Donnivan, who stole an overcoat from St. Joseph's Hospital recently, was given two months in jail yesterday at the Police Court. Mary Wilkinson, charged with being insane, who is now in jail and progressing nicely, was remanded until next Thursday. It was thought that at the present time the excitement of appearance in court might affect her injuriously.

—A very pleasant and successful plebiscite meeting was held in the Methodist Church at Thorndale on Wednesday evening. There was a large and respectable attendance, some driving in for miles to be present. Mr. Robert Stevenson presided, and addresses were given by Rev. B. Clement, of West London; Rev. Mr. Corbett, Church of England; Rev. Mr. Kerr, the pastor, and Mr. T. W. Casey, of London. Several other meetings are being arranged for in the township.

—The London branch of the Cigarmakers' Union, No. 278, held a concert and assembly in the East End Hall Wednesday. The services of Sim Fax had been secured, and in his character songs made a decided hit. He was repeatedly recalled. The programme comprised songs by Sim Fax, J. A. Birmingham, T. Selby, J. O'Neil and T. Robinson; song and dance by Messrs. Morkin and Johnson; recitations by J. Pevler, and instrumental selections by Messrs. Wilkinson and Rocket.

—Sheriff's Officer Graham has returned from Kingston, to which place he took John F. Ottwell. While there inquiries were made as to the three Freeman brothers. Their conduct since removal there has been very good. George is engaged in the kitchen, while William Henry and Alexander spend their time in the yard doing odd jobs. It is also rumored that steps are being taken to secure a new trial. Burke and Wilson are working in the stone-cutting department, and so far have caused no trouble to the authorities.

—William Fitzgerald, John Dixon and John Harvey were brought before Squire Smyth yesterday on a charge of trespass on the property of the Grand Trunk. All the prisoners pleaded guilty and were discharged with a caution. A charge of stealing an overcoat and two razors from a conductor's van at Glencoe was also dismissed. Firearms were found on Fitzgerald at the time of the arrest, but as the prisoner pleaded ignorance of the law in that respect the weapon was confiscated and the charge dismissed.

—The London Plebiscite Campaign Association have arranged for a series of meetings in the interests of the campaign as follows: On Thursday evening, Nov. 16, in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church; Friday evening, Nov. 17, in Colborne Street Methodist Church; Monday evening, Nov. 20, in Wellington Street Methodist Church; Tuesday evening, Nov. 21, in Dundas Street Methodist Church. At the last two meetings mentioned the Rev. J. H. Hector, of Toronto, "The Black Knight," will be the principal speaker. Mr. Hector will also commence a week's campaign in this city on Sunday, Dec. 3.

The Lease and the Council.

The city solicitors are still working on the proposed lease of the Port Stanley road to the Lake Erie and Detroit River people, and are not expected to get through until to-day. This means that the council will not meet to-night. After the lease has been drawn up Mr. Hope, of Hamilton, and Mr. Leggatt, of Walkerville, the counsel for the L. E. and D. R. Company, will come here and look after the interests of their clients. Then when everything is adjusted satisfactorily to both parties the lease will be printed and distributed to the aldermen. After they have had 24 hours to look it over a meeting of the council will be called. From present appearances this cannot be done until Monday or possibly Tuesday night.

Killed.

Richard Bassett, a laborer at Leonard's, living at 9 Smith street, this city, was killed Wednesday. He was driving in with a load of wood from the country in the evening in company with his two sons and his brother-in-law, Mr. Joliffe. While driving down a steep hill near Plewes' mill on the Hamilton road the weight of the load pushed the horses too hard. Bassett went to hold the horses' heads. He stumbled and fell and the load of wood toppled over on him. His sons found him in the dark and extricated him from the wood. He was gasping, and in five minutes died, without speaking a word. Dr. Gardiner was notified, but of course it was too late. The body was brought home. Deceased, who was past middle age, leaves a widow and a large family.

A Fireman's Fall.

Fireman James Riddle, of the Central Station, had a narrow escape from death Wednesday afternoon while repairing the line. He was working upon the top of a pole at the corner of Simcoe and Henry streets when the pole broke close to the ground. Mr. Riddle fell with the pole and struck on a picket fence. The fence was broken, but strange to relate none of Mr. Riddle's bones were. He was badly injured, however, and was removed to a neighboring house and two doctors summoned. His injuries are in the nature of bruises, extending from the left hip to the shoulder. He also received a bad blow over the kidneys. Mr. Riddle was removed in the wagon to his home on King street, where he will be confined for some time to come. Firemen state that these occurrences are altogether too frequent, and they often have to risk their life on rotten poles.

Died, Aged 103.

Mrs. Margaret McLaren, the remarkable old lady of whose life the ADVERTISER gave an account some time ago, died Wednesday at the residence of her grandsons, near Springbank, aged 103 years, 5 months and 25 days. Deceased was born in Scotland and came to New York State with her parents when but 6 years of age. In this State she lived for upwards of 38 years and married Mr. McLaren, and to them were born ten children. The family came to Canada 59 years ago, settling in Westminster, where Mrs. McLaren has resided ever since. Up to a year or so ago deceased was active and had the use of all her faculties, though the century mark had been passed. Only three of the family are now living, the father having died 26 years ago. The children surviving are Mrs. Griffiths, of con. 3, Westminster; Mrs. Macdonald, now residing in California, and Mrs. James McLaren, now a resident of the State of Illinois. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence of her grandson to the Brick Street Cemetery.

New G. T. R. Bridge.

Sir Henry Tyler, president of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, presented a report at the annual meeting of the company in London recently recommending the building of a single arch bridge across the gorge at Niagara Falls. The report was adopted. It will be remembered that early in the spring it was announced that a new bridge would span the gorge soon for the accommodation of the Grand Trunk, whose traffic arrangements with the Lehigh Valley, West Shore, Erie and Ontario and Western from the east and Wabash from the west give it all the road can handle at this point. The new bridge will be a steel arch bridge, which will rest on two ledges of rock formed midway between the water's edge and the top of the bank. The bridge would be about 600 feet long and cost in the neighborhood of $200,000.

Annie Pixley Dead.

A cable dispatch of yesterday says: "Miss Annie Pixley, the well-known American actress in this city, died last night at the residence of her brother-in-law, Edwin Fulford, No. 188 Pentonville road, London, England. Herhusband was present at the time of her death, which was caused by brain fever."

The above will be a shock to the celebrated actress' friends in this city—and they were many. Miss Pixley (Mrs. R. Fulford) and her husband have spent a portion of the summer in Port Stanley for years past, Mr. Fulford being a brother of Mrs. Wm. Fraser, of the Fraser House. Her only child, a boy, is buried in Woodland Cemetery, this city. The fond mother had there erected a beautiful monument over his grave. It is surmounted by a marble bust of the little one, which attracts great attention. Every year Mrs. Fulford visited the spot and deposited flowers on the mound. The actress was in the front rank of her profession, but was no less admired in private life. She was a charming woman. Her talents on the stage amassed for her a modest fortune.

The Chancery Sittings Adjourn.

At the sittings of the Chancery Court Wednesday afternoon the case of Dunn vs. Douglas & Douglas, an action brought to rectify an agreement, was settled, judgment being given for the plaintiff by consent.

London Mutual Fire Insurance Company vs. Brown, an action for a debt on bond of $500, has been settled, judgment being given by consent. Meredith, Cameron & Judd for plaintiffs, Yarnold for defendant.

In Jeffrey vs. Ferguson, judgment has been given for the defendants without costs.

Mowat vs. Eastman, an action on an interpleader—Judgment has been given for plaintiff on issue and pleading. Costs reserved. Mowat and Smith for plaintiff, Meredith, Cameron & Judd for defendant.

Gray vs. Gray—Action for judgment on consent minutes. Judgment given.

Through some arrangements made by Mr. Justice Meredith, which prevented the continuance of the session, an adjournment was made till the 17th, when court will be resumed at 11 a.m.

The only remaining cases to be then disposed of are: Dominion Savings and Loan Company vs. McMillan, re possession of certain lands, and Wright & Durand vs. the Board of Trustees of the London Separate Schools to recover money held back by the defendants on a contract for carpenter work done by plaintiffs.

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TARIFF REFORM WILL COME.

Speaker Crisp on the Recent Elections —Democracy Will Fulfill Its Pledges.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 9.—Speaker Crisp was here yesterday. He said: "I do not attach any particular significance to the recent elections. Local causes affected the results in all the States. We expect to make the Congress which convenes on the 4th of next month a business Congress, which will redeem the pledges of the Democratic platform We expect to pass a tariff bill which has been prepared on the lines of the Democratic platform and which is for revenue only. This will cheapen the price of goods. The bill will also enlarge the free list. The taxes on the necessaries of life will be largely reduced, and in some cases taken off altogether."

"With such a tarifl reduction, will there be sufficient revenue from it?"

"We may increase the tax on whisky and beer, which will bring a large additional income. Then the ways and means committee is now considering an income and an inheritance tax. Personally I favor both."

No Use for Prize Fighters.

TALHASSE, Fla., Nov. 9.—Word reaches here from Jacksonville that the ministers of that city and prominent citizens will memorialize the Governor and use every other legitimate effort to prevent the Mitchell-Corbett fight from taking place in that city.

Two Provincial Bye-Elections.

Writs have been issued in connection with the vacancies in the representation of North Bruce and East Lambton for the Local Legislature, caused by the death of Mr. David Porter and Mr. Hugh McKenzie, the late representatives of these ridings. Nomination day will be on Nov. 25 and election on Saturday, Dec. 2. Mr. James Pearson, of Burgoyne, is the Liberal candidate for North Bruce, and Dr. McKinnon, of Alvinston, the candidate for East Lambton.

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Spoiled His Vacation.

George—You don't seem to have enjoyed yourself at the summer resorts this year. What was the matter?

Jack—Hadn't time to form any new acquaintances.

"No time?"

"No; I was kept busy kissing the babies of the girls I used to be engaged to."

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