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Store Stocks, July 4—Alex. Munro.
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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Market Reports by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market.

LONDON, June 28, 12:30 p.m.—Consols, 98 11-16 for money, 98 11-16 for account; Mexican, 15¼; Mexican Central, 5⅝; St. Paul, 69½; Erie, seconds, 26¾; Erie 17⅝; Pacific Central, 54¼; Reading, 7⅞; Canadian Pacific, 78⅞; New York Central, 105⅞; Illinois Central, 92¼; Bank of England rate 2½ per cent.; open market discount, 1⅝.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, June 28—1 p.m.—Stock market weak; American Express, —; Atcheson, 22; C., B. and Q., 84⅞; Canadian Pacific, —; Canada Southern, —; Delaware and Hudson, —; Delaware and Lackawanna, 147; L. N., 64⅞; Lake Shore, 122⅞; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 12⅝; Northern Pacific, preferred, 32⅝; Northwestern, 102⅞; New York Central, 101; Rhode Island, 69⅞; St. Paul, 66⅞; St. Paul, preferred, 114⅞; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 25⅝; Western Union, 81⅞.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, June 28.

	Ask.	Off.
C. P. R.	77	75½
Duluth Railway, common	8	—
Duluth Railway, preferred	—	—
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	—	—
Grand Trunk Ry., seconds	—	—
Commercial Cable Company, ex-div	138	136
Wabash	—	—
Wabash, preferred	—	—
Montreal Telegraph Co	145	144
Rich. and Ont. Navigation Co	62½	59½
Montreal Street Railway	180	170
Montreal Gas Company	265	260
Bell Telephone Company	140	133
Bank of Montreal	220	216
Ontario Bank	117	—
Banque du People	120	115½
Molsons Bank	165	160
Bank of Toronto	—	—
Banque Cartier	—	—
Merchants' Bank	162½	156
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	—	139
Union Bank	—	102
Bank of Commerce	140	139½
N. W. Land Company	—	—
Montreal Cotton Company	127½	123½
Canada Colored Cotton Company	90	85
Dominion Cotton Company	125	115

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market Quotations.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Wednesday, June 28.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

With moderate receipts of wheat and oats and a steady demand, there was little or no change in the value of these staples. The highest price paid for white wheat during the week was $1 13 and the lowest $1 09. The close was $1 10 for red—$1 10 the highest, $1 06 the lowest—and $1 08 the closing figures.

Oats touched $1 14 early in the week for choice black; closed at $1 10 to $1 12 for all kinds, the lowest point being $1 10 for short white; supply fair; demand strong.

There were no receipts of any other kind of grain except two small lots of peas. The price paid for them was 95c.

Eggs fluctuated between 11c and 13c for fresh in baskets and store lots. To-day values were 12c to 13c for baskets and 11c to 12c for store lots; supply steady; demand good.

Butter firm and active at 14c to 18c, according to quality and quantity. Pound rolls were scarce and in extra good demand.

Nothing new occurred in the meat market: both the supply and demand were steady and value unchanged.

Wool was active, all samples of fine selling at 18c to 18½c; coarse mostly at 18c; some sales of ordinary at 18c without culling; demand good, and competition keen.

Hides, skins and tallow steady.

Deliveries of potatoes lighter, and demand steady; sales mostly from $1 15 to $1 25.

Strawberries on Tuesday and Wednesday on the market sold at 5c by the load and 6c by the quart.

Hay steady; sales slow and ranging from $7 50 to $8 per ton.

General quotations as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	$1 09	to	$1 10
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 07	to	1 08
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1 06
Oats, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 11
Peas, per 100 lbs	95	to	0 95
Corn, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1 08
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	to	95
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Beans, per bu	75	to	1 50
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs fresh, single doz	14	to	15
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	12	to	13
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	11	to	12
Eggs, packed, per doz	00	to	00
Butter, single rolls, per lb	16	to	18
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	16	to	16
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	14	to	15
Butter, per lb, tub or firkins	00	to	00
Lard, per lb	13	to	15
Chickens, per pair	60	to	70
Ducks	60	to	80
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	5	to	6½
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	4	to	5
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	7 50	to	7 75
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	1 00
Turkeys, 12½c per lb, each	00	to	00
Lambskins, each	30	to	30
Pelts, each	10	to	15
Wool, per lb	18	to	18½
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5	to	5
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	to	3
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	80	to	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Onions, per bu	1 00	to	1 25
Onions, per dozen bunches	25	to	30
Carrots, per bu	00	to	00
Beets, per bag	75	to	75
Turnips, per bu	00	to	00
Parsnips, per bu	00	to	00
Radishes, per doz bunches	25	to	30

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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, June 28.

FLOUR—Straight roller, $2 95 to $3 10; extra, $2 65 to $2 70.

WHEAT—White, 62c to 63c; spring, No. 2, 61c to 62c; red winter, 62c to 63c; goose, 60c to 61c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, 85c to 86c; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 83c to 84c; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 76c to 77c; frosted, No. 1, 65c to 66c.

PEAS—No. 2, 57½c to 58c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 41c to 42c; No. 2, 37c to 37½c; No. 3 extra, 34c to 35c; No. 3, 30c to 32c.

OATS—No. 2, 38c to 39c.

Market showed no improvement. Sales—Straight roller flour at $2 81 to $3 15, Toronto freights; No. 1 frosted outside at 68c; oats on track here at 38½c to 39c.

Montreal Produce Market.

MONTREAL, June 28.

FLOUR—Receipts, 8,000 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter, $3 80 to $4 10; do. spring, $4 to $4 20; straight roller, $3 25 to $3 40; extra, $2 90 to $3 15; superfine, $2 60 to $2 75; strong bakers, $3 70 to $3 90; Ontario bags, $1 55 to $1 65.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 89c to 82c; corn, 56c to 58c; peas, 73c to 74c; oats, 39c to 41c; barley, 53c to 55c; rye, 57c to 59c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 00 to $2 20; cornmeal, $1 20 to $1 30.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $21 00 to $22 00; lard, 11c to 12½c; bacon, 11c to 12½c; hams, 12½c to 13½c; cheese, 8½c to 9½c; butter, townships, 16c to 18c; western, 14c to 16c; eggs, 11c to 12c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's report by cable.

LONDON, June 28.

Floating cargoes—Wheat quiet; corn none.

Cargoes on passage — Wheat and corn very little inquiry.

Mark Lane—Wheat and corn turn easier; flour quiet but steady. Spot good No. 2 club Calcutta wheat 30s, was 29s 9d; present and following month 28s 9d, was 28s 6d; do good mixed American corn 21s 9d, was 21s 6d; straight Minnesota flour 17s, was 17s.

Weather in England showery.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet but steady; corn firm, not active; corn 4s 4d—½d cheaper; peas 5s 5½d—unchanged.

LIVERPOOL, June 28.

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

	June 26.		June 27.		June 28.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	nominal		nominal		nominal	
Red Winter	5 7½	5 8½	5 7½	5 8½	5 8	5 9
No. 1 Cal.	5 10½	6 0	5 10½	6 0	6 0	6 1
Corn, new	4 4½	0 0	4 4½	0 0	4 4½	0 0
Peas, per c.	5 6	0 0	5 6½	0 0	5 7	0 0
Pork	100 0	0 0	100 0	0 0	100 0	0 0
Lard	48 0	0 0	48 6	0 0	48 6	0 0
Bacon, h'vy.	52 0	0 0	52 0	0 0	51 0	0 0
Bacon, light	53 6	0 0	53 6	0 0	53 6	0 0
Tallow	26 3	0 0	26 3	0 0	26 3	0 0
Cheese, wh.	45 6	0 0	45 6	0 0	45 6	0 0
Cheese, col.	48 0	0 0	48 0	0 0	47 6	0 0

Wheat steady, moderate demand, holders offer moderately; corn firmer, moderate demand.

American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 27.

WHEAT—Spring wheat—Quiet; fair demand for c. i. f.; sales were: 1,000 bu No. 1 northern spot, 68c; 1,600 bu do, 68½c; 8,000 bu do, c. i. f., 66½c; 15,000 bu do, 66⅝c; closing, No. 1 northern spot, 68c to 68½c; do c. i. f., 66⅝c. Winter wheat—Quiet; 2 cars No. 3 extra red, 64½c.

CORN—Closed dull after an irregular day; No. 2 yellow, 44½c; No. 3 yellow, 43½c; No. 2 corn, 41c; No. 3 corn, 42c. Sales were: 3 cars No. 2 yellow, 44½c; 2 cars do, 44¾c; 5 cars No. 3 yellow, 43½c; 3,000 bu No. 2 corn, 43¾c to 44c, in store; 1 car of No. 2 corn, 44c on track.

OATS—Dull and weak; Sales: 2 cars No. 2 white, 35½c; 1 car do choice, 37c; 1 car No. 3 white, 35c; 2 cars do, 34½c; 1 car No. 4 white choice, 34½c; 2 cars No. 2 mixed, 32½c; 1 car do, 33c.

PEAS—Dull; 56c.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2, 55c asked.

FLOUR—Demand good, and fairly steady.

MILLFEED—Steady; fair demand.

CHICAGO, June 27.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—June, 65½c; July, 65½c; Sept., 70½c.
CORN—June, 40½c; July, 40½c; Sept., 42½c.
OATS—June, 29½c; July, 29c; Sept., 26½c.
MESS PORK—July, $19 15; Sept., $20 10.
LARD—July, $9 60; Sept., $10 20.
SHORT RIBS—July, $8 87½; Sept., $9 27½.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

No. 2 spring wheat, 65½c to 65⅝c; No. 3 spring, f.o.b., 60c to 67c; No. 2 red, 65½c to 65⅝c; No. 2 corn, 40¾c; No. 3 corn, 38½c; No. 2 oats, 29½c; No. 2 white, f.o.b., 33½c to 35c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 30½c to 32c; No. 2 rye, 48c; mess pork, $19 15 to $19 17½; lard, $9 55 to $9 57½; short ribs sides, $8 87½ to $8 92½; dry salted shoulders, $9 to $9 50; short clear sides, $9 50 to $9 77½.

Receipts—			
Flour	13,000	Wheat	54,000
Corn	460,000	Oats	472,000
Rye	4,000	Barley	17,000
Shipments—			
Flour	13,000	Wheat	10,000
Corn	14,000	Oats	109,000
Rye	3,000	Barley	2,000

NEW YORK, June 27.

FLOUR—Quiet.

RYE—Steady western, 58c.

PEAS—Quiet; Canada, 70c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 820,000 bu; exports, 240,000 bu; sales, 2,920,000 bu futures, 212,000 bu spot: spots weak; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 71½c to 73c; No. 1 northern, 71½c to 71¾c; No. 1 hard, 77½c to 77¾c; No. 2 northern, 69½c to 70c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 68½c to 69c; options weak; No. 2 red, June, 71½c; July, 71¾c; Aug., 74½c; Sept., 76½c; Oct., 78½c.

CORN—Receipts, 65,000 bu; sales, 500,000 bu bu futures, 80,000 bu spot; spots dull; No. 2, 48½c to 48¾c, elevator; options weak; June, 48¾c; July, 48¾c; Aug., 49½c; Sept., 50½c; Oct., 50½c.

OATS—Receipts, 171,000 bu; exports, 10,000 bu; sales, 280,000 bu futures; 57,000 bu spot; spots dull: No. 2, 35½c to 36c; No. 2 white, 39c; No. 2 Chicago, 35½c to 36c; No. 3, 35c; No. 3 white, 34c; mixed western, 36c to 37½c; white do and white state, 37½c to 43c; options weak; June, 35½c; July, 35½c; Aug., 33½c; Sept., 32½c.

COFFEE — Options opened steady, closed steady; sales, 4,000 bags, including July, $15 30; Sept., $14 15; Dec., $14 90; spot Rio dull, nominal; 16½c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A," 5⅜c to 5 9-16c; confectioners' "A," 5⅛c to 5 7-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5 13-16c to 6c; powdered, 5⅝c to 5 13-16c; granulated, 5⅜c to 5 11-16c.

MILWAUKEE, June 28.

WHEAT—Closes 63½c July; 66⅝c Sept.

DETROIT, June 28.

WHEAT—Closes: No. 1 white, 65⅝c nominal cash; No. 2 red, 64½c asked cash; 65c asked July; 67½c Aug.

TOLEDO, June 28.

WHEAT—Quiet; 64½c cash and June; 64½c July; 68c asked August; 70½c Sept.

CORN—42c cash.

OATS—Nominal.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., June 27.—Cattle—Only 8 cars on sale; nothing doing.

Sheep and Lambs—Only a few lots of cull stock offered; market nominally unchanged.

Hogs—4 cars on sale; all the good stock sold at $6 50; roughs, $5 50; stags, $4 50 to $5.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, June 28.—There were about 250 head of butchers' cattle, 150 calves, and 300 sheep and lambs and 100 lean hogs and small pigs offered at the East End abattoir to-day. Prices of cattle made a further advance to-day and were decidedly the highest offer of the season, quality considered. The best butchers' cattle sold at from 4½c to 5c per pound and there were no really choice beeves among them; pretty good stock sold at about 4½c per pound and half fatted beasts at from 3½c to nearly 4½c per pound; good calves were in active demand and sold at from $6 to $13 each; common veals sold at from $30 to $[illegible] each; sheep sell at from $4 to $5 50 each or about 3½c per pound; good lambs sell at from $3 75 to $4 50 each and common lambs at from $[illegible] 50 to $3 50 each. Fat hogs sell at about 6½c per pound.

TORONTO.

TORONTO, June 28.—Trade was a little better at the western cattle market yesterday because of smaller offerings. There were only 40 car loads on sale. These included 400 hogs and about a couple of hundred of sheep. Receipts at both markets for the week ended Saturday, June 24, were: Cattle, 2,152; sheep and lambs, 315; hogs, 1,548; weigh fees, $78 09.

Cattle—			
Fat export, per lb	4¾c	to	5¼c
Butchers' choice, per lb	3½c	to	4¼c
Butchers' medium to good, per lb	3½c	to	3¾c
Bulls and rough cows, per lb	2½c	to	3½c
Hogs—			
Good straight fat, per cwt	*$ 6 50	to	$ 6 60
Stores and light-fat, per cwt	* 6 00	to	6 50
Rough, per cwt	* 6 25	to	6 50
Sheep—			
Butchers' shorn, per head	4 50	to	5 50
Spring lambs, per head	4 00	to	4 50
Calves—			
Extra choice veals, per head	5 75	to	7 00
Choice veals, per head	4 50	to	5 50
Medium, per head	3 00	to	4 00
Milch Cows and Springers—			
Superior stock, per head	35 00	to	45 00
Ordinary stock, per head	20 00	to	30 00

*Weighed off cars.

The Dairy Markets.

INGERSOLL.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

INGERSOLL, June 27.—Offerings of cheese today 1,687 boxes June make. Sales: 260 boxes at 9½c; 9 5-16c bid for several lots, but refused.

That the action of the Indian Government in suspending the coinage of silver will have a depressing effect upon business is the general opinion in banking circles in Chicago.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Mr. Charles Stanfield has returned to this city from Chicago.

—A diphtheria card was put up on Wellington street this morning.

—No less than 700 hogs were killed at the new pork factory Monday.

—Hon. S. H Blake, Q.C., has gone to England on professional business.

—Rev. Dr. Antliff went to Kintore last night to participate in a Sunday school convention.

—Bailiff English, of the Central Prison, Toronto, was in the city to-day collecting prisoners.

—Miss Cora Norton, Queen's avenue, has returned from a two-weeks' visit among friends in Montreal.

—Mr. Richard Lee, representing the Legal and Commercial Exchange of Toronto, was in the city to-day.

—Messrs. S. R. Break and I. F. Hellmuth are in Cleveland on business connected with the London street railway.

—The Young Liberal companies of wards 2 and 3 are urgently requested to meet in Simcoe Street Rink to-morrow night.

—Mrs. T. E. Aikenhead, of Toronto, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarke, Queen's avenue, has returned home.

—Mrs. F. W. Pumalville and Mrs. R. McKay, of Cleveland, late of this city, are visiting their brother, Mr. R. J. Craib, city.

—The Spanish caravels arrived in St. Catharines this morning bound for the World's Fair. It is said they will call at Port Stanley.

—The Bishop of Huron, acting for the Bishop of Montreal, will hold an ordination in Trinity Church, Montreal, on Sunday morning next.

—The funeral of the widow of the late Jeffery Cook, of Kilworth, took place this morning from the C. P. R. station here to Woodland Cemetery.

—Mrs. Charles Clue, of Windsor Ont., arrived in the city last night. She will remain here for a short time previous to a month's visit to Wiarton.

—Mr. John A. Donohue, proprietor of the Hotel Raymond at Chicago, of which Mr. A. E. Masuret, formerly of this city, is manager, was here yesterday.

—The public and high school examinations were commenced in the city this morning. The latter are being largely attended by students from outlying districts.

—Bailiff English took Wm. Brennan away to the Central this morning. He was accompanied by a colored man from Sandwich and four other prisoners from Chatham.

—Mr. J. T. Dalton, the former baritone of the Holman Opera Company, is singing and acting the part of the Doge in Paine's "Carnival of Venice," now being produced in Cleveland.

—Rev. Dr. Rainsford, New York, passed through Montreal a few days ago on his way to the Restigouche Club, where he will enjoy some salmon fishing, as well as a few weeks' holiday.

—Mr. Douglas Braithwaite, Bank of Montreal, Calgary, who has been removed to the branch office at Hamilton, has been succeeded by Mr. W. Graveley, at Calgary. Both gentlemen have friends in this city.

—Mr. Samuel Sercombe and wife, and Miss Roda Gliddon, left for Montreal yesterday, where they will reside in future. Mr. Sercombe was transferred from the London G. T. R. shops to those at Point St. Charles.

—Mr. W. Bell, president of the Forest City Quoiting Club, announces that the quoiting match for the gold medal between the Hamilton and London clubs will not take place on July 3. It is put off until some future day.

—An enjoyable ice cream and strawberry festival was held at the First Congregational Church last night, and was well attended. The grounds were illumined with Chinese lanterns and the Sons of England Band discoursed music.

—Talbot Street Baptist Church Y. P. S. C. E. has elected these officers for the ensuing term: President, E. B. McDermid; vice-president, Miss Nellie Evans; secretary-tressurer, Miss Josie Jeffrey; organist, Miss A. Butler.

—A relative of the pensioner Byrne, ex-sergeant-major of the Seventh Battalion, this city, who is dying at Dundas, has been found in the person of Mr. Wm. Butler, cashier of the Detroit Evening News. He has gone to Dundas.

—The Epworth League of Park Street Church, Chatham, have forwarded to Rev. J. W. Annis, of this city, a handsome illuminated address, accompanied by a solid gold badge pin, expressive of their affection and esteem for him as their late pastor.

—Capt. Ellison will run an excursion to Cleveland from Clearville and Morpeth on Tuesday, July 4. A large number from Ridgetown and other places are expected to attend. The Joe Milton will continue its weekly trip between Port Stanley and Cleveland.

—Mr. Samuel J. Berryman, a G. T. R. teamster, died yesterday in the city hospital, after a long and painful illness, from inflammation of the lungs. He was an esteemed member of British Lion Lodge, S. O. E., by whom he was cared for during his sickness.

—Contractor Maurice Baldwin has been notified that unless he carries out the specifications in graveling Talbot street he will be ordered to quit work. The engineer complains of the amount of sand, clay and large boulders in the gravel which he has been supplying.

—Among the C. W. A. century bicycle party who will pass through London on Friday for the great meet in Sarnia will be Mr. H. J. Emerson, of Toronto, secretary of the Chartered Stenographers' Association of Ontario, and an expert shorthander. The party will come by way of Stratford and St. Marys.

—A Raymond special went through this morning on the G. T. R. On it was the Governor of New Hampshire and party of 60, who are returning from the World's Fair. They breakfasted at the station and then continued their journey to the Falls.

—Mr. Michael Hobbins, a G. T. R. freight checker, received a very painful injury to his foot the other night. He was standing near the semaphore lever at the Wellington street crossing, when by some means the lever slipped from the operator's grasp and fell upon Mr. Hobbins' foot, badly crushing it. He will be laid up for some time.

—School Trustees Campbell and McRobert were out to the fair grounds this morning making arrangements for the raising of the flag demonstration on Dominion Day. The only flag pole they could find was a ten-foot one on the band stand. As the flag is itself larger than this they have borrowed a pole from the Fair Board. The flag-raising will occur in the ring. Boat swings have been arranged for, in which the children may amuse themselves.

—The Guild of St. Ann's Church, Byron, held a strawberry festival last evening in James Griffith's grove. There was a large crowd in attendance, and the affair proved a great success. Music, instrumental and vocal, was rendered by Misses K. Nixon, Routledge and Pool, and Messrs. Harry Poole, Garthorne, McLaren, Plaxton, Simmie and Dr. Fraleigh. Miss Ward, of Hyde Park, gave a creditable exhibition of clubswinging and the Hyde Park quartette and orchestra were on the programme for several selections.

—Brevet-Major Beam, adjutant of the Twenty-eighth Battalion, who has been ailing for some time, died in St. Marys last night. Deceased had been a citizen of that town for about 20 years. He served acceptably on the public school board for an extended period, and was leader of the choir in the First Presbyterian Church. Mr. Beam was born in Beach Creek, Welland county, 45 years ago. A widow and three children survive him. He had six sisters and four brothers. The latter are: Major J. G. Beam, Elora; Mr. Aaron Beam, Teeterville; Mr. Gideon Beam, Black Creek, and Mr. J. F. Beam, Black Creek. The body will be interred with military honors on Friday.

—Court Forest Queen, A. O. F., has elected the following officers for the ensuing term: P. C. R., Bro. A. E. Peters; C. R., Bro. Harry Boyd; S. C. R., Bro. H. Wilkins; secretary, Bro. R. H. Brookes (retained); treasurer, Bro. F. W. J. Hall (retained); senior woodward, Bro. R. Hildart; junior woodward, Bro. J. E. Rose; senior beadle, Bro. Wm. Trudell; junior beadle, Bro. J. W. McIntyre; minute secretary, Bro. Wm. Loughrey; delegate to High Court, Bro. S. Gale; alternate, Bro. F. W. J. Ball; agent for endowment fund, Bro. R. H. Brook; surgeon, J. W. Mitchell, M.D. (re-elected.)

—A Westminster farmer named Mahar brought in ten hogs this morning to the market. He had them weighed at the city weigh scales, and although they tipped the beam at 1,995 pounds the owner was not satisfied. They weighed at least 100 pounds more than that, he was sure. He sold the hogs to a man named McIntyre but would not sell them at city weigh scale figures, so it was agreed upon that the hogs should be taken to a Wellington street dealer's scales and sold according to weight registered there. There they were found to weigh 1,960 pounds, or 35 pounds less than when weighed on the city scales. The dealer was out just $2 27 by the manœuver.

The Minister of Militia Here.

Hon. J. C. Patterson, M. P., Minister of Militia, arrived in the city this morning on the C. P. R. special car "Ottawa." He was met by Lieut.-Col. Smith, D. A. G., and Lieut.-Col. Aylmer, and was escorted to the barracks for lunch. During the afternoon he inspected the camp.

Is This a Fact?

A New York dispatch says: "Duncan McIntyre, George Gould and the other gentlemen who went to London to make arrangements to acquire control of the Grand Trunk, leave on the steamship New York on Saturday next, having, it is said, succeeded in making such an arrangement that the management of the Grand Trunk will be transferred to this side before very long."

The London and Southeastern.

The annual meeting of the London and Southeastern Railway Company was held yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms. Messrs. T. H. Smallman, J. W. Little, John Marshall, John Bland and John Campbell were present. The financial statement showed that the M. C. R. had paid the half-year's rent ($1,500) and that the company had handed $1,300 to the city, reserving $200 for current expenses. About six years ago the company withdrew $200 to meet these expenses, and have managed on that sum ever since, having now a deficit of $7. The old board of directors was re-elected as follows: Messrs. J. W. Little, President, W. J. Reid, John Campbell, Marshall, T. H. Smallman and the Mr. Reid was re-elected president, Mr. Smallman vice president, and Mr. Little secretary.

SYRUP of FIGS
ONE ENJOYS
Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste, acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.
Syrup of Figs is for sale in 75c bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Manufactured by the
CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.,
SAN FRANCISCO,
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.
For sale by W. S. Barrett, city.

Hotel-Keeper Mulcted.

A long case against James James, proprietor of the Western Hotel, charged with breaking the liquor bylaw, was concluded in the Police Court this morning. A partitioned frosted glass, which had been removed from the barroom window after the alleged offence had been committed, and before the laying of the information having been laid by the constables could have seen the defendant—these facts being proved by evidence—was produced. The witness could readily, Mr. Frank Love, have seen the interior of the apartment through plain portions of the glass using their flash lights. Mr. James and his son and the hotel porter swore that on every night since the law came into force the blind was left. Charles James, the bartender, said he had such not been unexceptionally the he would have remembered the day on which the constable swore to the contrary having to raise the obstruction. He had not had to do this for two months. Mr. Love pointed out that the evidence amply vindicated the accused. The magistrate, however, held a contrary view. Mr. James was fined $20. City Engineer Graydon had H. E. Boomer and William Bowman up for alleged infraction of the fire-limits by-law. The cases were adjourned. Harriett Ashworth charged Anna Leapost, who used to board with her, with the larceny of a watch. Mr. McKillop stated that, with his knowledge of the case, he would not be able to demand a conviction. No evidence was offered, and the magistrate discharged the prisoner.

THE WHEEL.

THE SARNIA CENTURY TOUR.

The following is the time-table for Dr. Doolittle's century tour to Sarnia on June 30, giving distances from one point to another and time of arrival:

Stratford—Albion Hotel; leave 6 a.m., 6¼ miles, Conroy, 6:35; 6¼ miles, St. Marys, 7:15 to 8:00 (Windsor Hotel), breakfast; 6 miles, Fish Creek, 8:35; 7 miles, Elginfield, 9:15; 8¾ miles, Arva, 10:10; 5 miles, London, 10:40 to 11:10 (Grigg House), lunch; 6 miles, Hyde Park, 11:50, y.; 5½ miles, Lobo, 12:20 to 12:30; 4½ miles, Poplar Hill, 12:55; 9 miles, Strathroy, 1:50-3 (Queen's Hotel), dinner; 7 miles, Adelaide, 3:40; 11¾ miles, Warwick, 4:50 to 5:20 (Restorick House), light tea; 9¾ miles, Reede's Corners, 6:15 to 6:25; 14½ miles, Sarnia, 8:00 (Belchamber), supper.

No scorching will be permitted, and no rider will be allowed to ride ahead of the convoy. Riders, in case of accident, will fall out to the side of the road and wait for the ambulance to pick them up and repair their machines if broken. Messrs. Hyslop, Caulfeild & Co. have volunteered to send an expert repairer with the party and he will carry with him all the necessary tools and materials to make neat and expeditious repairs.

CANADIANS TO MEET.

Dominion Day Will Be Celebrated at the World's Fair on Saturday.

CHICAGO, June 28.—The 27th anniversary of the confederation of the Canadian Dominion, when the several Provinces were amalgamated under one general government, will be celebrated at the World's Fair next Saturday. In the Provinces it is known as Dominion Day and is celebrated with games and athletic contests. It is intended to signalize the day in an especial manner, and elaborate preparations are being made for the event. An invitation has been extended to all Canadians to gather at the Canadian pavilion, Jackson Park, at 2 p.m. on Saturday next, and march in procession to Music Hall, headed by Tattersall's band. Speeches will be delivered by Senator Tasse, of Quebec; Hon. R. Cockburn, M.P., of Toronto; Honorary Commissioners J. S. Larke and N. Awrey, M.P., Mr. Bervevin, of Chicago, and other gentlemen. As there are some 30,000 Canadians in Chicago and a very large number in the adjoining cities and States, it is expected that the gathering will be very large. A banquet will be held in the evening.

Steamship Arrivals.

June 28.	At	From
Rhineland	New York	Antwerp
Havel	New York	Bremen

J. W. Jones has a large household sale at 464 Talbot street, to-morrow (Thursday), consisting of upright piano, pictures, carpets, etc., as will be seen by our advertising column.

Ladies who have not provided themselves with Light Summer Dresses find an opportunity of doing so at greatly reduced prices in the
All-Wool Challies
At present being offered by us.
We are determined to clear all Challies remaining in stock and to-day offering them regardless of cost.
A Line of All-Wool Challies at 25c
A Finer Line at 35c.
No Matter What They Cost They Must Go.
SEE THEM IN OUR WINDOW
Spital, Burns & Gentleman
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KEEP COOL.
Fancy Tweed Suits - - - $10 00
Alpaca Coats and Vests - - 3 00
Silk Coats and Vests - - - 5 00
Serriggan Underwear - - - 50
PETRICK & McDONALD
393 RICHMOND STREET, LONDON.

WOOD
We have large shipments of wood arriving daily now. The quality is strictly first class.
CAMERON'S
City Office—421 Richmond street. Yard—Burwell street, at G. T. R.

The Canadian General Electric Co. Ltd.
LONDON OFFICE, 363 RICHMOND STREET.
Respectfully notify the citizens of London that we are prepared to give estimates for all kinds of INCANDESCENT LIGHT WIRING in stores and private houses.
We expect to have our new electric light and power station running early in September, so that prospective consumers, should have all inside wiring done as soon as possible.
Our prices for incandescent lighting will be very low, making it CHEAPER, CLEANER and SAFER than gas or oil.
A. O. HUNT, Superintendent. CHAS. B. HUNT, Local Manager.