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Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, May 6.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	53¾	53⅝
Duluth, common	3¾	2½
Duluth, preferred	7	6
Commercial Cable	158¾	158½
Wabash, common	..	..
Wabash, preferred	..	..
Montreal Telegraph	170	166
Richelieu and Ontario, xd	95	92
Montreal Street Railway, rights, x	212½	212½
Montreal Street Ry, new rights	53	52½
Montreal Gas Company	187	186
Bell Telephone	162	160½
Royal Electric, rights	145¼	145
Toronto Railway	74½	74½
Bank of Montreal	239	232½
Ontario Bank	85	82
Banque du Peuple	..	..
Molsons Bank	195	183
Bank of Toronto	235	230
Merchants Bank	176	172½
Merchants Bank of Halifax	175	..
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	..	102½
Bank of Commerce	130	127
North west Land, pref	..	40
Montreal Cotton Company	132½	129
Canada Colored Cotton	..	..
Dominion Cotton	77	75
Commercial Cable Coupon Bonds	100	99½
Commercial Registered Bonds	..	98½

SALES—Can. Pac., 25 at 53¾; Duluth, com. 100 at 3; Coupon Bonds, 25,000 at 99, 4,000 at 99½. Mont. Tel., 1 at 166; Mont. St., 1,225 at 212; Mont. Cot., 50 at 53, 7 at 52½; Mont. Gas, 50 at 186½; Toronto Ry., 25, 75 at 74½, 25 at 74¼, 50 at 74½, 25 at 74¾; Bank of Mont., 3 at 233.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, May 6

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	237	232
Ontario	..	82½
Molsons	..	..
Toronto	234	230
Merchants	175	172
Commerce	129	127½
Imperial	185	183½
Dominion	230	228½
Standard	169	168½
Hamilton	159	158
British America	129	118½
Western Assurance	160	159
Confederation Life	..	..
Consumers' Gas	206	203½
Dominion Telegraph	126	125
Montreal Gas	187	185½
Northwest Land Company, pref	50	40
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	53¾	53
Commercial Cable Company	168½	168½
Commercial Registered Bonds	99½	99½
Bell Telephone Company	162	160½
Commercial Cable Coupon Bonds	99½	99½
Montreal Street Railway	213	212
Montreal Street Railway (new)	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	74½	73½
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	75
Farmers' Loan and Savings	99	..
Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent	70	..
Huron and Erie L. and S	..	158
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	..	148
London and Canada, L. and A	80	70
London Loan	..	100
London and Ontario	93	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	119

SALES—1 p.m. board, Dominion, 6 at 228½; Standard, 20 at 168½; Reg. Bonds, 5,000 at 99½; Bell Telephone, 5 at 161; Toronto Railway, 50, 25, 25, 25 at 74; London & Canada L. & A., 17, 35 at 75. 11:15 a.m. board, Reg. Bonds, 2,000, 500, 10,000 at 99½; C. P. R. stock, 25, 50 at 53½, 50, 25 at 53½; Com. Cable, 25, 25 at 168½; Toronto Railway, 25 at 74, 10 at 73¾.

COMMERCIAL.

Latest Montreal Markets.

Montreal, Que., May 6.

GRAINS AND FLOUR.
Oats—No. 2 white, 26c.
Feed barley—30c.
Peas—50c to 51c.
Rye—40c.
Buckwheat—35c.
Flour—Strong bakers, $3 90 to $4 10; spring wheat patents, $4 40 to $4 60; winter do., $4 25 to $4 40; straight roller, $4 to $4 10.
Feed—Bran, $10 to $11; shorts, $11 to $12.

PROVISIONS.
Canada pork—Short cut, clear, $10 to $10 50.
Ham—10c to 10½c.
Bacon—10½c to 11½c.
Lard—Pure, 6c to 6½c; compound, 4½c to 5c.

PRODUCE.
Cheese—Quiet; nominal, at 10c.
Butter—Jobbing trade, best obtainable 15½c.
Eggs—Fairly active, 9c to 9½c.

Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, May 6.—Wheat—The offerings are fair, there is a good demand, and the market is rather firmer at 75c for red and 76c for white outside. Manitoba wheat is rather firmer in sympathy with the advance in the Chicago market today; No. 1 is quoted at 74½c to 75c, May, afloat, Fort William, and No. 1 hard is quoted at 78c to 79c, Midland, and No. 2 hard at 76c to 77c.

Flour is quiet and unchanged at $3 65 for cars of straight roller west; Manitoba flour is in demand.

Millfeed is rather easier; shorts are quoted at $9 to $9 50, f. o. b., west, and bran at $8 50.

Barley is nominal at 30c for No. 1, at 31c to 32c for No. 1 extra, No. 2 at 26c, No. 2 extra at 24c, and feed at 21c outside.

Buckwheat steady at 26c on the Northern and 27c east.

Rye steady at 32c outside.

Corn is rather easier; cars of Canada yellow sold west today at 23c, and 22c was bid for more.

Oats are in fair demand, and steady; 5 cars of white sold north and west freights today at 20½c.

Peas are steady; 5 cars sold north and west today at 40c.

Seeds are firm and unchanged.

Baled hay steady at $8 50 to $10 for cars here.

Baled straw steady at $5 to $5 25 here.

American Produce Market.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 6.—Spring wheat—Unsettled, but feeling firmer; No. 1 hard, new, 79½c. No. 1 northern, none offered. Winter wheat; No. 2 red, 89½c in store.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 yellow, 30c; No. 3 yellow, 29½c on track.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 24½c; No. 3 white, 23½c in store.

DETROIT.

Detroit, May 6.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 89c; No. 2 red cash, 89c; May, 89c; July, 76½c.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, May 6.—Wheat — Cash 91c; May, 91c; July, 75½c.
Corn—May, 24½c; July, 25c.
Oats—May, 17½c; July, 18c.

MILWAUKEE.

Milwaukee, May 6.—Wheat, cash, 71½c; July, 70c.

NEW YORK.

New York, May 6.
Flour—Receipts, 11,197 bbls; sales, 2,100 pack-

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ages: state and western was firm and held higher.

Rye Flour—Quiet; sales 150 bbls.

Wheat—Receipts, 152,625 bu; sales, 1,750,000 bu; options, No. 2 red opened firmer on better cables, foreign buying and the low condition shown by the Ohio crop report and held strong all morning on talk of liberal export demand; May, 77½c to 78c; July, 75 11-16c to 76½c; Sept., 72 11-16c to 73½c.

Rye—Steady.

Corn—Receipts, 118,950 bu; sales, 25,000 bu; options, No. 2 opened steady; strengthening later with wheat; July, 30½c; Sept., 31 9-16c.

Oats—Receipts, 129,000 bu; sales 5,000 bu; options, No. 2 quiet and steady; July, 22½c.

Butter—Receipts, 1,869 packages; quiet; state dairy, 11c to 16c; state creamery, 13c to 17c; western creamery, 13c to 17c; Elgins, 17c; factory, 8½c to 12c; imitation creamery, 10c to 14½c.

Cheese—Receipts, 2,436 packages; quiet; state large, 9½c to 10½c; state small, 10½c to 11½c; part skims, 4c to 8c; full skims 2½c to 3c.

Eggs—Receipts, 8,889 packages; quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 10c to 10½c; western, 9c to 10c; southern, 8½c to 9c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 2 13-16c; centrifugal 3½c; refined firm; crushed, 5½c; powdered, 4½c; granulated, 4½c.

Petroleum—Firm.

Coffee—Quiet; No. 7, 8c.

Hay—Steady; shipping, 55c to 60c; good to choice, 72½c to 75c.

Hops—Quiet; state common to choice, 1895 crop, 2½c to 6c; 1896 crop, 4c to 10c; Pacific coast, 1895 crop, 3c to 6c; 1896 crop, 4c to 10c.

Lead—Steady; bullion price, $3 12½; exchange price, $3 25 to $3 30.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple. 'Phone 1,578.

CHICAGO, May 6.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—July	69½	71½	69½	71½
Sept	66½	68¾	66½	68¼
Corn—July	24½	25	24½	24¾
Sept	26	26½	25¾	26
Oats—July	17½	17½	17½	17½
Sept	17¾	18¼	17¾	18
Pork—July	8 62	8 70	8 62	8 62
Sept	8 67	8 67	8 67	8 65
Lard—July	4 05	4 10	4 05	4 07
Sept	4 12	4 20	4 12	4 15
Ribs—July	4 62	4 67	4 62	4 65
Sept	4 67	4 72	4 67	4 70

Puts, 70¾; calls, 73¾.

English Markets.

LIVERPOOL, May 6.—3:45 p.m.

Wheat—Spot American mixed new, steady 2s 6½d.

Corn—Spot, American mixed new steady, 2s 6½d; American mixed, old, steady, 2s 10d; May, steady, 2s 6½d; June, steady, 2s 8d; July, steady, 2s 9d.

Flour—Dull; St. Louis fancy winter, 8s 6d.

Beef—Extra India mess, firm, 56s 5d; prime mess, firm, 47s 6d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, firm, 50s; do, medium western, firm, 45s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 43s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, dull, 28s 6d; short ribs, 23 to 24 lbs, dull, 27s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 26s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, dull 25s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs dull, 25s; clear bellies, 12 to 14 lbs, easy, 26s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 26s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, steady; 21s.

Cheese—American finest white steady, 55s; American finest colored, steady, 55s.

Tallow—Prime city, dull, 17s 3d.

Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, firm, 15s 3d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm; 21s.

Rosin—Common, firm, 4s 3d.

Hops—At London (Pacific Coast), steady, 50s to 80s.

Liverpool, May 6.—12:30 p.m.

Wheat—Spot firm; demand poor; holders offer moderately; No. 1 Cal., 6s 3½d to 6s 4½d; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 3d to 6s 4d.

Corn—Spot, steady; demand poor; American mixed new, 2s 6½d; old, 2s 10c.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 3½d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 56s 3d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Long clear light, 40 to 45 lbs, 25s 6d; long clear heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, 25s; short clear heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, 25s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, 21s 3d.

Butter—Finest United States, 90s; good, 55s.

Cheese—American finest white and colored, 54s 6d.

Tallow—Fine North American, city, 17s 3d.

Turpentine—Spirits, 21s.

Rosin, common—4s 9d.

Petroleum—Refined 5½d.

Linseed oil—15s 4½d.

The receipts of wheat during the past three days were 110,000 centals, including 38,000 centals American. The receipts of American corn, 161,000 centals.

Weather—Fine.

London, May 6.

Cargoes off coast—Wheat, firm, but not active, partially 3d lower; corn nothing doing.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn rather firmer.

Country markets—English, dull; French, steady.

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They May Be Run — Mr. Everett Considering the Project.

Mr. H. A. Everett, of Cleveland, O., president of the London Street Railway Company, is in the city.

Today Mr. Everett, in company with Mr. Carr and the company's engineer, paid a visit to the asylum to talk and look over the prospects of an extension of the Dundas street line as far as that institution, or possibly Pottersburg. Mr. Everett is much impressed with the feasibility of the line, and when he returns to the city a week later it is probable that preliminary steps will be taken to secure the right of way.

The extension would be universally popular. It would be a boon to the asylum and Pottersburg people, and the thickly settled neighborhood. It would also be a great convenience to the thousands of citizens visiting the asylum in the summer season.

Rain storms do not seem to dampen the progress of the clearing sale at J. & D. Ross', judging from the returns of last Saturday, which is another proof that it pays to advertise in The Advertiser.

Prof. Dorenwend Coming.

He will be at Grigg House on Friday, May 14, with all kinds of hair goods, ladies' and gents' wigs, toupees, bangs, switches, etc. Don't miss it.

Topics of Today.

In an address at Ottawa, Hon. Geo. W. Ross announced that the Normal School term would soon be increased to at least ten months, in order that the teachers might be thoroughly trained for their calling.

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Mgr. Merry del Val leaves Ottawa for Toronto on Saturday, where he will be the guest of Archbishop Walsh. From Toronto Mgr. del Val will go to Manitoba. He is not expected to visit London at the present time.

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W. D. Karn, Woodstock, was elected president at the annual meeting of the Manufacturers' Association, held in Toronto on Wednesday. The meeting threw cold water on preferential trade with Great Britain—rather opposed it—and pronounced strongly against the anti-combine clause in the new law. T. H. Smallman was the only Londoner in attendance.

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Chief Justice Burton and Mr. Chas. Moss, Q.C., the newly-appointed judge of appeal, will be sworn in at Osgoode Hall on Tuesday next. Both appointments are favorably received.

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Premier Hardy has consented to take part in the commencement exercises at McMaster University, which will be held on May 12. He will also act as chairman at Rev. Mr. McCaughan's lecture in Massey Hall on the 20th inst.

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Mr. Alfred Jury, the newly-appointed Canadian immigration agent at Liverpool, will leave Toronto next week. The trades and labor organizations will give him a send-off, at a public gathering on Wednesday evening, and he also will be entertained to dinner by his personal friends. On Saturday Mr. Jury will deliver an address at the capital under the auspices of the Ottawa Trades and Labor Council. Mr. Jury starts on his important mission with the best wishes of a wide circle of friends.

Around the City

—Mrs. (Dr.) Loughead is leaving for California for her health.

—Mr. Geo. C. Heintzman, of the Heintzman Piano Company, is in the city.

—Mr. Johnson MacAdams, of Sarnia, is recovering from his illness at St. Joseph's Hospital.

—J. A. Bland, formerly of this city, has left Winnipeg for Detroit, where he will in future reside.

—The First Presbyterian Church of this city, has sent $68 to aid in defraying the debt on Knox College.

—George Chivas has been summoned to appear before Squire Lacey for allowing his horse to run at large in London West.

—Dr. C. H. Ziegler, of this city, has been appointed one of the examiners for the dental department of the Toronto University.

—The Bishop of Huron will take part in the annual service of the Women's Auxiliary at St. James' Cathedral, Toronto, tonight.

—Yesterday was the 43rd anniversary of Ald. Olmstead's birthday. He was the recipient of a handsome gold chain and locket, presented by his wife.

—The Y. M. C. A. football team held their first practice last night, corner Oxford and Adelaide streets. They play their first game with Ingersoll on May 24.

—The twentieth annual meeting of the Women's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of Ontario will be held in the Baptist Church, Galt, on May 19 and 20.

—St. George's Lodge, No. 42, A., F. and A. M., G. R. C., at their regular meeting last night, passed a resolution subscribing $100 towards the proposed Victoria Hospital.

—James Carter, who for over twenty years has acted as head waiter at the Tecumseh House here, has engaged with Wm. Fraser, of the Fraser House, Port Stanley.

—Messrs. Wm. Bowman and James H. Bowman, of the London chemical works, have been in Ottawa in relation to the decrease of duties on acetic acid and sulphuric acid.

—Pierre Ward, the second baseman of the London baseball team, will arrive tomorrow morning. The team is practicing twice a day, and will meet the Pastimes on Saturday.

—Rev. Alex. Grant, of the First Baptist Church, Winnipeg, formerly of Talbot Street Baptist Church, this city, will attend the annual convention of Baptists in this city on May 25.

—Under the heading "Notable Longevity," reference will be found on the eighth page of today's Advertiser to a remarkable experience by the firm of John Ferguson & Sons, undertakers.

—Tomorrow May 7 will be Arbor Day in Ontario. Last year 14,130 trees were planted, and since 1885 the total number is 200,992, so that in a few days the quarter million mark will be passed.

—Rev. S. H. Eastman, Oshawa, who has been spending a few days with his mother-in-law, Mrs. D. McColl, Westminster, paid short visits today to his sister-in-law, Mrs. James Armstrong, Becher street, and to Rev. M. P. Talling.

—A new timetable on the C. P. R. will be adopted on Monday nixt. The only change in the present service here will be that the mixed going west, which leaves at 1 a.m., returning 2:40 p.m., will leave at 5:50 a.m., and return at 8:15 p.m.

—The street railway company will not be able to resume their South London service until Saturday or Monday, as the sewer work has not progressed as expected. Two Springbank cars are running today, and two more will be put on next week.

—A handsome double brick residence will be erected at the corner of Maple and Ridout streets, costing between $6,000 and $7,000. McBride & Farncombe are the architects. The building will greatly improve the appearance of the street there.

—H. A. Everett, of Cleveland, president of the London street railway; N. Dyment, M.P., Algoma; T. C. Kidd, London, Eng.; R. A. Monck, Boston; Geo. F. Lydiatt, Wallaceburg, who proposes to start a glass factory here, are among the registrations at the Tecumseh House.

—Willie, the youthful son of Mr. Charles Laing, 489 St. James street, was playing during recess at the Waterloo street school yesterday, when he fell and hurt his eye on a sharp stick. The injury was not thought to be serious at first, but the doctor who examined it expressed the fear that the sight might be destroyed.

—Friends of Mr. W. G. McMillan, D. D. G. M. of the Masonic fraternity, will regret to learn that he is again confined to his house with a similar illness from which he suffered a short time ago. On Monday last he felt sufficiently recovered to resume work, but was obliged to lay off Tuesday, and grew suddenly worse.

—Mrs. Margaret Hunter, widow of the late Daniel Hunter, died this morning at the residence of her son-in-law, Geo. R. Kettle, 350 Maitland street. Heart trouble, with which she had been affected for about two years, was the cause. She was born in Scotland, and came to London about 25 years ago, and has lived here ever since. During her residence here, she had made a large circle of friends, who will deeply regret to hear the sad news. Her husband has been dead about four years. Deceased leaves two children, Mrs. Geo. Kettle, of this city, and Daniel Hunter, of Grand Rapids, Mich., formerly with The Advertiser.

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Took a "Hard" Pledge.

At Magistrate Parke's court this morning a number of drunks and vags appeared. Patrick Moore, who was discharged a week ago to take a "hard pledge," was there again to report progress. Mrs. Moore said he had taken the pledge "as hard as he could." They had gone to the priest, but he had refused to administer the pledge unless Patrick should conduct himself with greater circumspection and appear at confession at least three times in as many months. This rather disconcerted her husband, and they went down to Rev. Mr. Moorhouse, and there took a "hard pledge." Patrick was then discharged.

Charles Morrison, husband No. 2 of Mrs. Young, who is "doing" three months for bigamy, occupied the dock. He said he had been at Newbury for some time, and came into town yesterday, where he met too many friends. They made him drunk, and then he got "run in."

"Five dollars or twenty days," said the magistrate.

John Nelson, a forlorn looking individual, who has reached beggary and decrepit age, was arrested last night for begging on the street and being drunk. He said he was afflicted with palsy and shook like a leaf in the wind.

"Where did you come from?" he was asked.

"I came from Chatham and am going to Stratford. I lived with my daughter in Chatham, but while I was there her husband went and died, and I had to leave."

He was allowed to continue his journey, but it puzzled the magistrate to know just how he was going to get to Stratford with his slow and feeble gait.

James Sleet, a Komoka blacksmith, was allowed to go with a warning.

Richard Murray and Harry Stock, two drunks, were discharged.

Latest From Ottawa.

(Special to The Advertiser from Its Own Correspondent per C. P. R.

Ottawa, Mar 6.—Prof. Robertson gave evidence before the agricultural committee today. He explained what had been done in regard to cold storage this season, and arrangements are to be made from St. John, Halifax and Charlottetown. The charge for the storage was to be 10 shillings per ton or 12½ cents per 100 pounds. The Minister of Agriculture asked him to announce that two commercial men would be sent to Great Britain as travelers not to push any one man's goods, but the nation's.

Two other bills were held over at railway committee today until such time as the Government's policy is announced on the Crow's Nest Pass. They are acts respecting the Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company and Trail Creek and Columbia Railway Company. Both are C. P. R. bills.

Mr. Domville opposed them strongly until such time as the Government announced the Crow's Nest policy, as they might block the whole scheme.

Mr. Blair said this was true. He thought the bills should be held over or granted in part.

Mr. Oliver supported this, but Mr. Prior spoke in favor of the C. P. R.

Mr. Hobbs, M. P. P. for London, is here.

SUICIDE AT BERLIN.

Miss Nellie Peterson Swallows Carbolic Acid.

Special to The Advertiser via G. N. W. Line.

Berlin, Ont., May 6.—Miss Nellie Peterson, daughter of A. J. Peterson, clerk of the Surrogate Court here, committed suicide early this morning by swallowing a quantity of carbolic acid. Cause at present unknown.

Richard Cusack, a cattle drover from St. Thomas, Ont., was taken into custody by the Buffalo police Tuesday night on the charge of intoxication. Cusack had a large sum of money, the proceeds of sales at East Buffalo. The arrest was made chiefly to prevent possible robbery.

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LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

Great Slaughter!

The Biggest Battle of the Turko-Grecian War.

Forty Thousand of the Sultan's Troops Repulsed.

Two Thousand Turks Killed and a Number of Their Guns Captured.

London, May 6.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Volo says: The biggest battle of the war began near Velestino this (Wednesday) morning. As a result of it, the Turkish force of forty thousand men have been repulsed. The Turkish plan was to seize the hills on the north dividing Pharsalos and Velestino.

Pharsalos, May 6.—The correspondent of the Associated Press says that the Greek line was attacked yesterday by a Turkish force of twenty thousand infantry, in addition to artillery and cavalry. Col. Markos commanded the Greek left wing, and Col. Mavromichalis, the right wing. Both repulsed the Turks with great slaughter.

Preparations are being made with the utmost activity for the battle, which seems inevitable.

THE TURKISH LOSSES.

It is estimated that 2,000 Turks were killed at Velestino. The enemy also abandoned a large number of guns.

The cheering from the Greek camp can be clearly heard here, and the morale of the Greek forces is now all that could be desired.

The Greek artillery occupied better positions than the guns of the Turks, and was well served. Full credit is given to Gen. Smolenski for the victory at Velestino.

The crown prince has issued an army order congratulating the troops upon having shown themselves worthy of the trust reposed in them by the country.

The fighting, which is to take place tomorrow (Thursday) in this vicinity, will most likely turn out to be the most interesting and decisive of the whole campaign.

THE GREEKS FALL BACK.

Athens, May 6.—A dispatch from the front announces that Prince Constantine's army retired yesterday evening in perfect order upon Domokos, about thirteen miles south of Pharsalos, where the Greeks will await the attack of the Turks. Gen. Smolenski remains at Velestino in order to protect Volo.

Pharsalos has been abandoned, and telegraph communication with that place has been cut off.

It is authoritatively announced that the powers have have intervened and proposed mediation.

Athens, May 6—2 p.m.—Gen. Smolenski's brigade of Greek troops is also about to retreat from Velestino, Smolenski will fall back on Volo, and will try to hold that place with the protection of the Greek fleet, or he may retreat on Almyro, with the view of possibly effecting a junction later with the bulk of the Greek army.

INTERVENTION.

The report that the powers are intervening is confirmed. The Ministers of Great Britain, France, Russia and Italy have been instructed to propose mediation between Greece and Turkey, and similar instructions to the German and Austrian Ministers are expected every moment.

A TURN IN THE TIDE.

Constantinople, May 6.—Edhem Pasha, commanding the Turkish army in Thessaly, has telegraphed that he has won a brilliant victory near Pharsala, which place is now being attacked by the Turkish artillery.

Several divisions of Turkish troops are advancing upon Pharsala from Larissa, and a fifth division has carried the first line of the Greek defense at Velestino. An attack, he adds, is now being made upon the remaining line of defense at that place.

TURKS CAPTURE PHARSALAS.

Larissa, May 6—3:20 p.m.—The Turks have captured Pharsalas, the Greek headquarters.

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