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LOCAL MARKET.

Tuesday, Jan. 23.

To the bad condition of the roads may be attributed the small attendance at the market this forenoon. While there were not many farmers in with produce there were fewer buyers present. No doubt many of the grocers and dealers did not come to the market as they were probably under the impression that there would not be much stuff offered.

One load of oats was the extent of the offerings in the grain line, which sold at $1 06 per cwt. There will be a good demand for oats for the next two or three days.

Four loads of hay were brought in. They sold quickly at $9 per ton. Hay should sell well the balance of the week.

There was no butter, eggs or poultry worth mention, consequently there was no change in prices.

There were four small loads of potatoes offered; sales were slow at 85c per bag. The shippers say that prices will be lower, many are only paying 70c per bag at Mount Brydges.

There were hardly a dozen dressed hogs offered; sales were brisk at $9 per cwt. There were not enough offered to supply the wants of the buyers. Not a great deal of butchers' meats offered. Prices were unchanged.

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GRAIN, PER CENTAL.			
Oats	$1 05	@	$1 07
Wheat	1 35	@	1 35
Corn	95	@	1 10
Peas	1 00	@	1 10
Barley	1 00	@	1 05
Buckwheat	1 00	@	1 00
GRAIN, PER BUSHEL.			
Oats	35 7-10	@	36⅝
Wheat	80	@	80
Corn	51	@	55
Barley	38	@	40
Peas	60	@	66
Buckwheat	52	@	53
DAIRY PRODUCE.			
Eggs, per doz., wholesale	22	@	24
Eggs, per doz., retail	24	@	25
MEATS.			
Dressed hogs, per cwt	8 75	@	9 00
Beef, per cwt	4 00	@	6 50
Veal, per cwt	7 00	@	8 00
Lamb, per cwt	10 00	@	11 00
Mutton, per cwt	6 00	@	8 00
Butter, rolls, wholesale	23	@	24
Butter, rolls, retail	23	@	25
Butter, crocks, wholesale	21	@	23
Honey, strained, per lb	8½	@	9
Honey, comb, per doz	1 50	@	1 75
VEGETABLES.			
Potatoes, per bag	90	@	90
Cabbages, per doz	25	@	40
Turnips, per bag	25	@	35
Onions, per bu	75	@	80
Carrots, per bu	20	@	25
Parsnips, per bu	25	@	30
Celery, per doz	30	@	40
LIVE STOCK.			
Hogs, per cwt	6 75	@	6 75
Sows, per cwt	4 00	@	4 00
Sows, per cwt	3 25	@	3 50
Stags, per cwt	1 50	@	2 00
Export cattle, per cwt	3 90	@	4 20
Milch cows, each	40 00	@	50 00
FARM PRODUCE.			
Hay, per ton	7 00	@	8 50
Straw, per ton	5 00	@	5 50
Straw, per load	3 00	@	3 50
HIDES AND SKINS.			
Wool, washed, per lb	25	@	26
Wool, unwashed, per lb	15	@	17
Hides, No. 1, per lb	10	@	10
Hides, No. 2, per lb	9	@	9
Hides, No. 3, per lb	8	@	8
Calfskins, No. 1, per lb	12	@	12
Calfskins, No. 2, per lb	10	@	10
Tallow, rendered, per lb	4	@	4
Tallow, rough, per lb	2½	@	2½
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Hens, per lb	8	@	8
Ducks, per pair	90	@	1 10
Ducks, per lb	9	@	10
Geese, each	75	@	1 10
FRUITS.			
Apples, per bag	70	@	1 20
Apples, per bbl	1 50	@	3 00
Pears, per bu	1 00	@	1 00
POULTRY, ALIVE.			
Chickens, per pair	45	@	60
Chickens, per lb	7½	@	8
Hens, per pair	50	@	60
Hens, per lb	5	@	5½
Ducks, per lb	7	@	7½
Turkeys, per lb	12	@	13

STOCK MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO JUNCTION.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 22.—The market today at the Union stock yards was somewhat dull, especially in the butchers' cattle line. Low prices in the old country also helped to make the market dull.

There were but a few choice loads of exporters on the market. These few loads sold at $4 95.

The butchers' cattle were away below par; in fact, there were hardly any really good butchers on the market, not near enough for the demand; the price dropped about 15c on that line.

Bulls were quite plentiful, and some extra good ones sold at $4.

Hogs made another little jump, and are now selling at $6 75 for lights and fats, and $7 for selects.

The run today was 57 cars, containing 1,102 cattle, 20 sheep, 24 hogs, 1 calf and 2 horses.

Alex Levack bought 52 butchers' cattle at from $4 10 to $4 50.

W. H. Dean bought 2 loads of exporters at from $4 40 to $4 60.

F. Rowntree purchased 4 milch cows at from $35 to $55.

A. McIntosh bought 350 export cattle at from $4 35 to $4 85.

Twenty loads of cattle were bought by Wm. Levack; exporters, $4 35 to $4 85; butchers, $4 to $4 25; fair to medium, $3 65 to $3 85; rough and inferior, $3 to $3 40; bulls, $3 50 to $3 85.

George Dunn bought 1 load of cows, averaging 1,125 lbs, at $3 10; 3 export steers, 1,300 lbs, at $4 50.

H. Hunnisett, jun., bought 20 sheep and lambs; lambs, $6 50 to $6 75; export ewes, $4 50 to $4 75; bucks, $3 75 to $4; calves, $5 to $7; bulls, $3 60 to $3 75; heifers, averaging 1,100 lbs, at $4; common canners, 900 to 1,000 lbs, at $1 50.

McDonald & Maybee sold 15 exporters, 1,180 lbs, at $4 50; 9 exporters, 1,180 lbs, at $4 40; 2 butchers' cows, 1,130 lbs, at $3 50; 13 lambs, 95 lbs, at $6 75; 1 calf, 205 lbs, at $6 75.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Trade slow and draggy; 70 loads in today, including 950 cattle, 1,185 sheep and lambs, 400 hogs and 80 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt	$4 50	@	$4 70
Export cattle, medium	3 00	@	3 25
Export cows	3 25	@	3 50
Butchers' cattle, choice	4 25	@	4 40
Butchers' cattle, medium	3 75	@	4 00
Butchers' cows	3 00	@	3 25
Butchers' bulls	2 00	@	2 25
Canners	1 25	@	1 75
Stockers, choice	2 75	@	3 25
Stockers, common	2 50	@	2 65
Stock bulls	2 00	@	2 25
Feeders, heavy	3 65	@	3 75
Feeders, short-keep	4 00	@	4 25
Milch cows, choice, each	40 00	@	55 00
Milch cows, common	25 00	@	35 00
Springers, each	25 00	@	40 00
Lambs, export cwt	6 65	@	6 85
Lambs, butchers	6 00	@	6 40
Sheep, export ewes	4 50	@	4 75
Sheep, export bucks	3 75	@	4 00
Sheep, culls	3 50	@	4 00
Calves, cwt	4 50	@	6 50
Hogs, selects, cwt	7 00	@	7 00
Hogs, fats and lights	6 75	@	6 75

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—About 1,100 head of butchers' cattle, 45 milch cows and 60 calves and 30 sheep and lambs were offered at the east end abattoir today. The butchers were out strong and trade was fair, lower prices being paid for cattle, but fat hogs were higher. Prime beeves sold at 4½c to 5c, but some of them were better than usual. Pretty good cattle sold at 2¾c to 4c, and common stock at 2¼c to 3½c. Milch cows sell at $30 to $55 each. One man paid $22, or at the rate of 5½c per lb. for a superior calf, and $50 for eight other young calves, which sold at $3 to $5 each. Sheep sold at about 4½c and lambs at about 6c per lb. Fat hogs sold at 7c to 7½c perlb.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Jan. 22.—Cattle are quoted at 10½c to 11½c per lb; refrigerator beef, 7¾c to 8½c.

DAIRY MARKETS.

ELGIN.

Elgin, Ill., Jan. 22.—Butter—Unchanged, at 27c; output for the week, 400,000 lbs.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 22.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 18c to 27c; dairies, 19c to 24c.

Cheese—Steady, 10c to 12c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 22.—Butter—Weak; receipts, 7,286 packages; street prices, extra creamery, 27c to 27½c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 18c to 27c; do, held, seconds to extra, 19c to 24c; state dairy, common to extra, 17c to 25c; renovated, common to extra, 15½c to 21c; western factory, common to firsts, 16c to 19c; western imitation creamery, extras, 21c to 22c; do, firsts, 19c to 20c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 654 boxes; full cream, small and large, colored and white September, fancy, 14¼c; do, October, 13½c to 13¾c; do, late-made, small, average best, 12¼c; do, large, 12½c; do, fair, 11½c to 12c; skims, full to light, 3½c to 11¾c.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 22.—Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining, 3 1-16c to 3⅛c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3 9-16c to 3⅝c; molasses sugar, 2 13-16c to 2⅞c; refined steady; No. 6, $4 20; No. 7, $4 15; No. 8, $4 10; No. 9, $4 05; No. 10, $4; No. 11, $3 95; No. 12, $3 90; No. 13, $3 85; No. 14, $3 85; confectioners' "A," $4 60; mold "A," $5 05; cut-loaf, $5 40; crushed, $5 40; powdered, $4 80; granulated, $4 70; cubes, $4 95. Molasses—Firm; New Orleans, good to choice, 30c to 38c.

LONDON.

London, Jan. 22.—Raw sugar—Nominal; centrifugal, 8s 3d; Muscovado, 8s 3d; beet sugar, January, 8s 2½d.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Sugar—Prices here are quoted unchanged, as follows: Extra granulated, $4 28; Acadia, $4 18; yellow, $3 88; bags, 5c less; Ontario, $4 18; bags, 15c less.

FLAXSEED.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Janfl 22.—Flaxseed—Northwest, $1 14; southwest, $1 08; May, $1 17.

OIL MARKETS.

LONDON.

London, Jan. 22.—Petroleum, American refined, 6½d; spirits, 8¼d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Jan. 22.—Petroleum, 19 francs 70 centimes.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Jan. 22.—Credit balances, $1 57; shipments, 106,169 barrels.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Wheat—Ontario unchanged; No. 2 white, 79c; red, 78c to 79c; mixed, 78c; goose, 75c; spring, 74c to 75c, at outside points; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 89c, on track at lake ports; No. 1 northern, 88½c; No. 2 northern, 84½c; No. 3, 82½c; all-rail quotations via North Bay are 2½c higher.

Flour—Ontario, $3 10 to $3 15 bid for export for 90 per cent patents, at outside points, in buyers' bags; high patents, bags included, at Toronto, $4; 90 per cent patents, $3 75 to $3 80; Manitoba, first patents, $4 40; second patents, $4 20.

Millfeed—Bran, in bags, outside, $17; shorts, $18.

Oats—35½c to 36c outside.

Barley—No. 2, 48c; No. 3 extra, 45c; No. 3, 42c, outside.

Peas—Higher, at 78c outside.

Rye—70c outside.

Buckwheat—Dull, at 52½c to 53c outside.

Corn—Canadian, 44½c, Chatham freights; No. 3 yellow American, 50½c; mixed, 50c, Toronto freights.

Butter—Market continues easy, with receipts fairly large; creamery, 24c to 25c; solids, 22c to 24c; dairy pound rolls, good to choice, 21c to 22c; tubs, 21c to 22c; medium, 19c to 20c; inferior, 15c to 20c.

Cheese—Steady to firm, at 13c for large and 13½c for twins.

Eggs—Lower on heavy receipts; new-laid, 23c; storage, 17c to 18c; limed, 15c.

Dressed Hogs—Scare and higher; car lots, $8 75; farmers, lots, $9 to $9 50.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Jan. 22.—Beans—January, $1 58, nominal; March and May, $1 62 bid, $1 65 asked.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Baled Hay—The market is about steady, with a limited demand; quotations unchanged, at $8 per ton for No. 1 timothy, in car lots here, and $6 for No. 2.

Baled Straw—Steady, at $5 per ton for car lots on track here.

Snow Slide Engulfs Miners.

Silverton, Col., Jan. 23. — Five Italian miners employed at the Sunnyside mine last their lives in an immense snowslide late yesterday afternoon. No trains from Durango and Denver have arrived here since last Wednsday, due to slides and immense drifts of snow, which have blocked the tracks. There are eleven slides between Silverton and Elk Park. The slides average from seven to thirty feet deep and from 50 to 450 feet wide.

The storm, which has about spent its force, has been one of the worst ever known in this section.

BOY BURGLARS BANDED TOGETHER

Gang of Walkerton Lads Confess to Several Robberies.

Walkerville, Jan. 23. — Mr. G. W. Willebrand, of Detroit, who has a summer residence a short distance above here, caught four boys burglarizing his house Sunday afternoon. He captured one of the number, who gave the names of the others. Provincial Detective Mahoney and Officer Elliott arrested the four and all are locked up. They had an assortment of tools in their possession and have confessed to previous burglaries.

SEES GREATER REVOLT

American in Moscow Prophesies Fresh Reign of Lawlessness.

Moscow, Jan. 23.—Alexander Barry, a naturalized American, who is among the most prominent manufacturers of Moscow, takes an exceedingly gloomy view of the situation industrially and politically. Mr. Barry employs from 300 to 3,000 men, and unquestionably has a more profound knowledge of Russian conditions than any American in the empire, and is capable of giving a close diagnosis of the situation. He is convinced that the Russian people are not ripe for a full constitutional regime. The opening of the flood gates of agitation by the publication of the imperial reform manifesto only served to demoralize a portion of the masses, which had already been disturbed by the agitators.

Continuing, Mr. Barry said: "The ignorant masses really have none of the political aspirations attributed to them by the agitators, but owing to their poverty they are easy prey to the appeals for liberty, which for them means license. That they neither understand nor care for true political rights is proved by the fact that in Moscow less than 10 per cent and in the provinces not over 2 per cent of the qualified voters will register. Consequently it can be taken for granted that the national assembly will be overwhelmingly conservative and will become an institution to register the decrees of the Government. This is turn is sure to drive into the camp of the extremists, the liberals, intellectual classes and the visionary, impractical classes with ill-digested political ideals who throughout the crisis and since the issuance of the reform manifesto have stood idly by exercising neither influence nor restraint. The revolutionary agitation will then enter on a new and more dangerous phase. Fifty per cent of the workmen in the cities of Russia will be out of work in 1906. Impoverished, embittered and unemployed they will wander back to their villages and find willing ears among the land-hungry peasants for the doctrines of socialism and the division of property and crime and lawlessness will flourish. Russia will be confronted either by excesses of power or excesses of liberty. There is no middle way."

Still Fighting.

Elizabethport, Trans-Caucasia, Jan. 23. — Hostilities have been resumed between the Armenians and the Tartars. A band of Tartars yesterday attacked the military patrols, but they were dispersed by the artillery.

Blames Canadians.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 22. — The preservation of Niagara Falls from the encroachments of power companies was the subject of a long debate tonight in the assembly, and of four bills introduced in the senate by Senator L'Hommedieu, of Orleans County. He said: "I would suggest that hereafter the saviors of Niagara had best direct their campaign against Canadian spoliation of Niagara."

A Sarnia Hold-Up.

Sarnia, Jan. 22. — Robert Bruce, aged about 20 years, while going to his home in the fourth ward at an early hour this morning, was set upon by two unknown men while crossing a vacant lot, and robbed of $35 in money and a gold watch. Bruce was gagged with a handkerchief, and had his hands tied behind his back by the culprits. The police are at work on the case, but as yet no clues have been obtained.

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DEVIL HAS MATRIMONIAL BUREAU IN ZION CITY, SAYS DR. DOWIE

Big Fight on Between 'Lij and His Assistants for Leadership.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Zion City is on the verge of another upheaval. This time it may be spiritual as well as temporal, and involve either the return of Dr. Dowie to his former complete ascendancy or his abdication of authority in the church as well as in financial affairs.

This chaotic condition of affairs, which threw the officers of the church and the recently appointed "triumvirate" into long and heated conferences last night, is the direct outcome of a cablegram which "The First Apostle" sent to Judge V. V. Barnes, from Litchfield, Jamaica, last Wednesday. It read.

"Cancel the authority of Overseer Speicher and remove him from the church for acting as the devil's matrimonial bureau in marrying Deacon Cotton and Dorris Aufdemberger, his sister-in-law.—Dowie."

Since that time, many other messages have passed between Dr. Dowie and his chief legal adviser, Judge Barnes, and it is understood that the latter has worked hard to save the head of the overseer.

The situation yesterday remained uncertain. Overseer Speicher was absent from his usual place in the meeting at Shiloh Tabernacle, but it was denied on all sides that he had resigned.

If Overseer Speicher refuses to accept this order, and if the triumvirate refuses to insist upon it, and it comes to an open rebellion, there is little question that the majority of the members of the church would stand by their first leader.

The summary action of Dr. Dowie in seeking to oust Overseer Speicher is based upon the latter's alleged assumption of spiritual authority and reversal of spiritual rules.

The meeting at Shiloh Tabernacle was significant in many ways. Overseer Jane Dowie, Dr. Dowie's wife, presided at the service. It was her first appearance after weeks of illness.

Then the apostolic message from Dr. Dowie was read. It was received with enthusiasm, particularly the part which referred to his desire to be the leader of Zion still. This message came addressed to "Overseer in Charge" instead of "Overseer Speicher," as in the past.

CARTWRIGHT ON CONFEDERATION

Sir Richard's Recollections of the Historic Times and Political Giants.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—Sir Richard Cartwright gave the Canadian Club on Saturday, "Some Memories of Confederation." Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Frederick Borden and Hon. Sidney Fisher were among his listeners.

Sir Richard first sketched the conditions in Canada immediately prior to confederation. Upper Canada, and particularly Ontario, was peculiarly isolated, with no communication with the outside world except through the United States, a foreign and possibly hostile country. The credit of the Canadas was so low, partly because of the temporary breakdown of the Grand Trunk Railway, that Canadian 5 per cents sold as low as 75 in London. Canada narrowly escaped being drawn into the American civil war, and the Americans were preparing to put an end to the reciprocity treaty.

On top of these commercial conditions came a political deadlock. Ontario demanded representation by population, and Quebec insisted on the terms of the union of 1841.

With these conditions stable government became impossible and political chaos ensued. The dissolution of the union would have meant absorption by the States.

Brown and Cartier.

The men who possessed predominating influence in Ontario and Quebec were Mr. George Brown and Mr. Cartier. The difficulty was to bring them together. That task was performed by Mr. Alexander Galt, a born diplomatist.

In these early stages, Sir John A. Macdonald had grave doubts as to the wisdom of the project. He consented under duress, many of his Ontario supporters threatening to retire in the event of dissolution, and his Quebec allies threatening to make their own terms with Brown.

There was at that time, said Sir Richard, no Northwest, and confederation was brought about without thought of the speedy acquisition of that great territory. Without it Sir John's fears would have been to a considerable extent justified.

What Might Have Been.

"I have likewise to state on my own authority," said Sir Richard, "and I have the highest possible grounds for making the statement, that if Mr. Brown had remained in the cabinet and had not voluntarily thrown his cards upon the table, nothing would have prevented the initiation of confederation being intrusted to Mr. Brown and Mr. Cartier, instead of Sir John Macdonald and Sir George."

Confederation was easy, because the younger men in Parliament were enthusiastic for it even if the older men were dubious, and moreover there had been two elections close together with weeks of expensive travel, etc.

In closing Sir Richard said: "We have put in our 30 years in the wilderness, and I think a pretty fair prospect is now before us. I will, however, say this: That had anybody in 1863, when we were debating the question, said that in all probability 30 years would elapse without the people of the Canadas when united adding one-third to their existing population, we would have been disposed to handle that prophet of evil very roughly. On the other hand, had anybody told us that within 40 years from the time of starting Canada would be possessed of or would be capable of constructing three, perhaps four, transcontinental railways from ocean to ocean, we would have been disposed equally to ridicule the prediction."

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HALIFAX HONORS DEAD MINISTER

Thousand Attend Funeral Procession of Late Minister of Marine.

Halifax, Jan. 22.—H. M. S. Dominion bearing the remains of the late Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, minister of marine and fisheries, arrived here this morning, and was met by a large funeral procession, representatives of the Government, city and different judiciary departments.

The body was landed at 11:30 o'clock and placed on the gun carriage in waiting, and the procession started for the North street station, headed by the band of the Royal Canadian Regiment, which played the "Dead March in Saul."

The route was lined with men from the Royal Garrison Regiment, who stood with reversed arms while thousands of persons were gathered in the vicinity.

In front of the gun carriage, on which rested the casket, covered with a Union Jack, were four bluejackets, carrying the beautiful offering of the marine department, an anchor, with a cross on each side and two doves on the anchor.

The special train which conveyed the body of the late minister to Montreal was made up of eleven cars.

The mortuary car was simplicity in decoration. The floor, ceiling and each end were draped in black, festooned with purple. The body rested on a stand at the end of the car, facing the engine.

PARIS HAS A MYSTERY

Dark Skinned Foreigner and Beautiful Woman in Old Coach.

Paris, Jan. 22.—A mystery, abounding in melodramatic suggestion, has stirred the utmost vigilance of the police.

An old-fashioned stage coach, whose blinds were always drawn down tight, has been driven rapidly into Paris from a suburb at irregular intervals for a long time past. Naturally, this strange conveyance excited the liveliest curiosity, but the authorities had no pretext to examine it.

As a cyclist was about to pass the mysterious carriage late the other evening its horse fell. The cyclist obligingly dismounted and offered his services, but the driver roundly cursed him.

Then a blind on the coach was suddenly lifted and a man with very dark complexion, put his head out of the window, and in a foreign tongue, shouted orders to the driver.

The cyclist looked full into the carriage and saw there a beautiful woman and a long bundle covered with a cloth that shone like glazed leather. But his observations were rudely cut short by a pistol thrust under his nose.

The cyclist jumped on his wheel and fled, but told the police his adventure. They propose to solve the mystery by stopping the coach when it passes next and arresting its occupants on the charge of menacing the life of an inoffensive citizen.

PLEADS MANSLAUGHTER

Second Trial of an Italian for the Killing at Mimico.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—For the second time Dominico Tabernito, an Italian, was today placed on trial charged with the murder of Amos Marlowe before Justice Britton, in the assize court.

The affray took place at Young's hotel, Mimico, on Sept. 22, and in the mix-up Marlowe was stabbed by Tabernito.

The jury disagreed on the first trial.

When he was asked to plead this morning his counsel, Mr. T. C. Robinette said that Tabernito was prepared to plead guilty to manslaughter.

The crown attorney was willing to accept this, and the judge instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of manslaughter, which was done.

Tabernito will be sentenced later.

OPERA IN PARIS $4,224 A NIGHT

State Subsidy $851 a Performance, and Impresario Must Make $3,373.

Paris, Jan. 22.—In connection with the new lease of the Opera Theater of this city, which is soon to be awarded to another impresario, it has been calculated that the average cost of a single performance of opera during the past year has been $4,224. The state gives a subsidy amounting to $160,000 a year, or on an average $851 a performance. The impresario then must cover the difference of $3,373 with the box receipts.

During the past year $242,869 were spent in salaries for the singers engaged and about $72,638 for the corps de ballet, while the orchestra cost $72,400. To this are to be added as permanent expenses $70,949 spent for scenery and stage machinery, $57,526 for costumes and $47,808 for composers' rights.

Besides, the impresario of the Paris opera is obliged to give a certain percentage of each evening's box-receipts to charity.

To understand the enormous expense required to give opera performances in the great theater it is necessary to know that the enormous size of the stage sometimes requires in a single act 63,000 square feet of scenery. The choral masses must also be in proportion with the amplitude of the stage space, so that no less than 400 persons are generally engaged and sometimes their number has reached to 800. To light up this immense stage 7,000 electric lights are required, at a cost of $180 every evening.

The sweeping of the great theater alone cost s on an average $35 each time and the necessary repairs to stalls and chairs require an annual our-rent of $5,000 at least.

Opera does not always pay the Parisian impresario, as proved when the late Vancorbell gave up the contract in disgust with an enormous deficit. The ministry of fine arts then assumed the direct conduct of the opera, and during the month of November alone, which is considered the most favorable to the impresario, the deficit amounted to $16,000, which would reach to nearly $200,000 in a year. It was because of this that the government granted the annual subsidy, which now enables the impresario to make a small profit out of his exertions.

HIS 150TH TRIP

Strathcona Establishes a Record for Transatlantic Travel.

London, Jan. 22.—Lord Strathcona has arrived safely from Canada, thus completing at least his 150th trip across the ocean. This is believed to be the record in transatlantic travel.

The Strand, in a lengthy article, interprets the recent resolution of the Toronto Board of Trade as an evidence that "In the Dominion, at any rate, the prospects of commercial union of the empire are not regarded as having been killed by the adverse verdict of the British elections."

Emphasis is laid on the clause that asks a policy of mutual benefit whereby each component part of the empire would receive a substantial advantage in trade as a result of its national relationship.

The Strand thinks that the great object of Chamberlain was never better put.

"That," it says, "strips the husk of protection from the policy of imperial preferences and permits it to appear as it is—the greatest step in the direction of real free trade that was ever proposed."

The Strand strongly indorses the resolution asking reduced postage on papers.

Nationalizing Stock Records.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 22.—Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, and F. W. Hodson, live stock commissioner, will go to Quebec on Thursday to meet the representatives of the various live stock associations of the province, to complete the arrangements for the incorporation of their association in the national association for making and keeping stock records. This will complete the work of nationalizing the records.

Gaynor and Greene.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 22.—Testifying at the Gaynor-Greene trial today, Col. Meldrum said that it was not their guilt which had sent Gaynor and Greene to Canada, but fear of the tremendous power of the United States Government.

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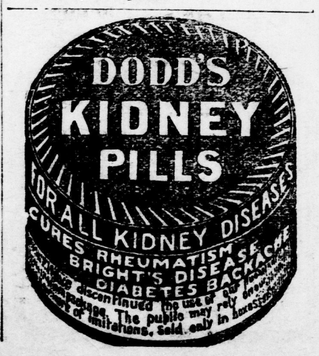
It is easy for the plugs in the race to despise the prizes.



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My bride and I.
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Bright as her eyes the silver's sheen;
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Why I have won so much from Fate,
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Across the table set for two.
Fragrance o' flow'ret in her breast,
Whiff from the urn; now, which is best?
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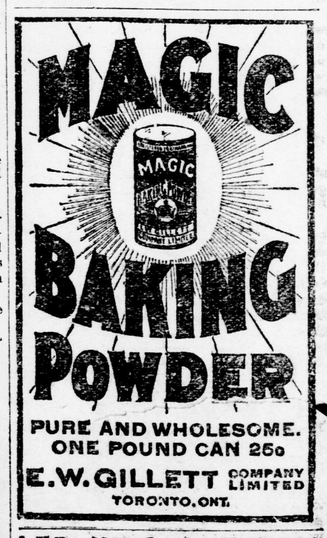

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