—THE—
STERLING BANK
OF CANADA

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT AT EACH BRANCH

F. W. BROUGHALL, General Manager.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

The Metropolitan Bank

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of two per cent. for the quarter ending Dec. 31st next (being at the rate of eight per cent. per annum) on the capital stock of this Bank, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office and Branches of the Bank on and after the second day of January, 1907. The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of December, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of other business, will be held at the Head Office of the Bank in Toronto, on Tuesday, Jan. 22nd, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.
W. D. ROSS,
General Manager.
Toronto, Nov. 27th, 1906.

The Imperial Loan and Investment Company of Canada.

DIVIDEND 74.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of five per cent. per annum on the paid-up Capital Stock of this Company has been this day declared for the half-year ending 31st December, and the same will be payable on and after the 2nd day of January, 1907.

The transfer books will be closed from the 22nd to 31st December, both days inclusive.

THOS. T. ROLPH,
Secretary.
Toronto, Dec. 11th, 1906.

THE CROWN BANK OF CANADA

DIVIDEND NO. 4.

Notice is hereby given that a quarterly dividend of one per cent. has been declared upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this bank, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office and Branches on and after Wednesday, the 2nd day of January next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st December, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the Bank, in Toronto, on Friday, the 1st of February next, at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.
G. DE C. O'GRADY,
General Manager.
Toronto, 27th November, 1906. 6666

THE Trusts & Guarantee COMPANY LIMITED.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a HALF YEARLY dividend of THREE PER CENT. for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1906, has been declared upon the paid up Capital Stock of the Company on and after

January 2, 1907

The transfer books will be closed from Dec. 20th to Jan. 2nd, both days inclusive.

By order
JAMES J. WARREN, Manager
14 King St. W., Toronto. Dec. 6th, 1906

DIVIDEND NOTICE

Trethewey Silver - Cobalt Mine LIMITED

Notice is hereby given tht the Shareholders of the Trethewey Silver-Cobalt Mine, Limited, as of the 4th instant, will be paid the Interim Dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. for the period ending December 1st, 1906, (which has been declared by said company), on presentation of their Stock Certificates at this office. Where stock is in the name of brokers claim for dividend should be made to them.

THE TRUSTS & GUARANTEE CO., Limited,
14 King-street west, Toronto,
Trustee.

The Canadian Salt Co'y.
LIMITED

A dividend of two dollars ($2.00) per share for the quarter ending 31st December, 1906, has been declared on the Capital Stock of this Company, and cheques for the same will be mailed on or about the 2nd January, 1907, to shareholders of record on the closing of the books in Toronto on the 24th of December, 1906. The books will be reopened on Wednesday, the 2nd of January, 1907.

By order of the Board.
C. E. ROBIN,
Assistant Secretary.

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CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Easier for Cattle—Hogs 10c Lower at Chicago.

New Yorw, Dec. 21.—Beeves—Receipts, 3625; steers, slow to 10c lower; bulls, 10c to 15c off; cows, dull and a shade lower. Steers, $4 to $5.90; Christmas steers, $7.10; bulls, $3.15 to $3.75; fancy, do., $4.05; cows, $1.50 to $4. Exports to-morrow, 1385 cattle, 20 sheep and 7400 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 148, very little doing; Kentucky calves sold at $3.50 to $5; veals and barnyard calves, nominal; dull for all sorts.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 933; sheep, dull and depressed; choice lambs, barely steady; others, a fraction lower; sheep, nominal; lambs, $6.50 to $7.50; Canada lambs, $7.

Hogs—Receipts, 5270; nominally a trifle easier on Buffalo advices.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, Dec. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 300 heads; slow; prime steers, $5.65 to $5.75; shipping, $4.75 to $5.50; butchers', $4.25 to $5.35.

Veals—Receipts, 700 head; active and 50c higher, $4.50 to $9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 6800 head; slow and 5c to 10c lower; heavy, mixed yorkers and pigs, $6.50 to $6.55; roughs, $5.75 to $5.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 20,000 head. Slow to easier; lambs, $5 to $7.40; wethers, $5.25 to $5.50; ewes, $4.75 to $5; sheep, mixed, $3 to $5; Canada lambs, $7 to $7.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, about 4500; steady, but dull; common to prime steers, $4 to $7.40; cows, $2.75 to $4.75; heifers, $2.60 to $5; bulls, $2.40 to $4.50; calves, $2.75 to $8.50; stockers and feeders, $2.40 to $4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 32,000; 10c lower; choice to prime, heavy, $6.27½ to $6.32½; medium to good, heavy, $6.20 to $6.27½; butchers' weights, $6.27½ to $6.32½; good to prime, mixed, $6.20 to $6.27½; packing, $6.20 to $6.25; pigs, $6 to $6.30.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8000; weak; sheep, $3.75 to $5.75; yearlings, $4.60 to $6.25; good to choice lambs, $7 to $7.75.

British Cattle Markets.

London, Dec. 21.—Canadian cattle in the British markets are quoted at 10c to 12½c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8¾c per pound.

Toronto Live Stock.

The receipts of live stock on Wednesday and Thursday, as reported by the railways, were 96 car loads, composed of 1150 cattle, 728 hogs, 1944 sheep and lambs and 75 calves.

On Friday the receipts at the city market were 5 car loads, composed of 45 cattle, 201 hogs and 27 lambs.

Total Live Stock.

The total receipts of live stock at the City and Junction Markets for the present week were as follows:

	City.	Junction.
Cars	217	103
Cattle	2914	1859
Hogs	1821	781
Sheep	4403	424
Calves	16	14

Bay of Quinte Fishing.

Belleville, Dec. 21.—A conference of parties interested in fishing in the Bay of Quinte and its tributaries was held this afternoon. The Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association was represented by A. Kelly Evans of Toronto, and Col. Halliwell, president. The parties agreed to an understanding, except in the case of whitefish, the net fishermen not being able to see things in the same light as the fish and game protective men. Another conference will be held and the understanding submitted to Hon. Dr. Reaume for his approval.

Distinguished Passengers.

New York, Dec. 21.—The passengers on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II., which arrived to-day from Europe, included Right Rev. Jos. E. F. Alfred Archambault, Bishop of Joliette, Canada; Mme. Nordica, the opera singer; Ernest Thompson Seton, and Mrs. Phoebe Hearst.

No Private Chutes in 1906.

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CORN FUTURES STRONG OTHER OPTIONS EASIER

Chicago Trading is Still Very Dull — Liverpool Quotations Firmer for Wheat.

World Office,
Friday Evening, Dec. 21.

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

At Chicago May wheat closed ¼d lower than yesterday; May corn ¼c higher and May oats ½c lower.

Chicago car lots to-day: Wheat 57, contract 22; corn 305, 3; oats 130, 23.

Northwest cars to-day 414; week ago, 528; year ago 790.

Primary receipts to-day: Wheat 654,000 bushels; shipments, 203,000; week ago, 682,000, 327,000; year ago, 1,023,000, 221,000. Corn to-day, 657,000, 296,000; week ago, 524,000, 233,000; year ago, 688,000, 366,000.

Argentine: Wheat this week, 1,200,000, 721,000, 696,000. Corn, 1,439,000, 1,999,000, 919,000.

Winnipeg car lots to-day, 102, year ago 106.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 900 bushels of grain, 20 loads of hay, 3 loads of straw, several loads of apples, potatoes and a few dressed hogs, and a fair supply of poultry.

Wheat—Three hundred bushels of fall sold at 72c to 73c.

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

Oats—One hundred bushels sold at 40c.

Hay—Twenty loads sold at $14 to $16 per ton for timothy, and $11 to $12 for mixed.

Straw—Three loads sold at $15 to $16 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—Market steady, at $8.25 to $8.75 per cwt.

Poultry—Prices unchanged from those given in table.

Potatoes—Loads of potatoes from farmers, sold at 70c.

Market Notes.

The friends of Thomas Bartrem of 509½ Yonge-street, are again complimenting him on his excellent Christmas show. The trade criticizes his window display as one of, if not the best in the city. Mr. Bartrem has ten choice cattle, two of which were prize-winners, and all of which were supplied as usual by Butcher James Murton, who is noted as buying none but the best on the Toronto markets. In addition to cattle, 30 lambs are on exhibit. Mr. Bartrem is a specialist in spiced beef and samples of his art at this season of the year may be found almost from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Among the many places to which Mr. Bartram has shipped may be mentioned, Philadelphia, Oswego, Ogdensburg, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, Albany, Cincinnati, Belleville, Brockville and Montreal. Tom Bartrem has the reputation of being the most up-to-date of Toronto butchers and his efforts this year show that he intends to maintain the position.

Grain—				
Wheat, spring, bush	$0 00	to	$0 00	
Wheat, goose, bush	0 68		....	
Wheat, fall, bush	0 72		0 73	
Wheat, red, bush	0 73		....	
Peas, bush	0 80		....	
Barley, bush	0 54		0 55	
Oats, bush., new	0 40		....	
Buckwheat, bush	0 60		....	
Rye, bush	0 76		....	
Seeds—				
Alsike, clover, fancy	$6 30	to	$6 60	
do. No. 1	6 00		6 20	
do. No. 2	5 25		5 40	
do. No. 3	4 50		4 80	
Red clover, new	7 25		7 50	
Red clover, old	6 50		6 90	
Timothy, No. 1	1 50		1 80	
Timothy No. 2	1 20		1 40	
Hay and Straw—				
Hay, per ton	$15 00	to	$16 00	
Hay, mixed	11 00		12 00	
Straw, bundled, ton	15 00		16 00	
Straw, loose, ton	7 00		8 00	
Fruits and Vegetables—				
Potatoes, per bag	$0 70	to	$0 75	
Apples, bbl.	1 50		2 75	
Cabbage, per dozen	0 30		0 40	
Onions, per bag	0 75		0 80	
Poultry—				
Turkeys, dressed, lb.	$0 14	to	0 16	
Geese, per lb	0 00		0 10	
Hens, per lb	0 07		0 08	
Spring chickens, lb.	0 10		0 12	
Spring ducks, lb.	0 10		0 12	
Dairy Produce—				
Butter, lb. rolls	$0 28		0 32	
Eggs, strictly new-laid, dozen	0 40		0 50	
Fresh Meats—				
Beef, forequarters, cwt.	$4 50	to	$5 50	
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.	7 00		8 00	
Lambs, dressed, lb	0 09		0 10	
Mutton, light, cwt	8 00		9 00	
Veals, prime, cwt	9 00		10 00	
Veals, common, cwt	6 00		7 00	
Dressed hogs, cwt	8 25		8 75	

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

The prices quoted below are for first-class quality; lower grades are bought at correspondingly lower quotations:

Potatoes, car lots, bag	$0 80	to	$0 82	
Hay, car lots, ton, baled	11 00		12 00	
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0 25		0 26	
Butter, tubs	0 23		0 24	
Butter, creamery, boxes	0 25		0 26	
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28		0 29	
Butter, bakers', tub	0 17		0 18	
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30		....	
Eggs, cold storage	0 22		0 23	
Turkeys, per lb	0 11		0 13	
Geese, per lb	0 09		0 10	
Ducks, per lb	0 09		0 10	
Chickens, per lb	0 08		0 09	
Old fowl, per lb	0 06		0 08	
Cheese, large, lb	0 13		0 14	
Cheese, twins, lb	0 14¼		0 14½	
Honey, 60-lb. tins	0 11		0 12	
Honey, 10-lb. tins	0 12		....	
Honey, dozen sections	1 75		2 00	
Evaporated apples, lb	0 08		0 09	

Hides and Tallow.

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

Inspected hides, No. 1 cows, steers	$0 11¼		
Inspected hides, No. 2 cows, steers	0 10¼		
Country hides, cured	$0 10½	to	$0 10¾
Country hides, green	0 09½		0 09¾
Calfskins, No. 1, city	0 12		
Calfskins, No. 1 country	0 11		
Lambskins, each	$1 00	to	$1 10
Horsehides	3 50		3 75
Horsehair, No. 1, per lb.	0 30		....
Tallow, per lb	0 05½		....

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

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

Bran—$20 bid, Toronto.

Winter wheat—No. 2 white, buyers 69c, sellers, 70c; No. 2 mixed, sellers, 70c; No. 2 red, 68c bid, sellers 70c.

Shorts—No quotations.

Spring wheat—None offering.

No. 2 goose—65c bid, sellers 68c.

Manitoba, No. 1 hard, no quotations; No. 1 northern, 80c bid; sellers, 81c; No. 3, no quotations.

Buckwheat—Buyers 53c.

Barley — No. 2, 50c bid, No. 3X, 50c sellers; No. 3, 46c bid, sellers 50c.

Rye—Sellers 71½c, buyers 70c.

Oats—No. 2 white, buyers 35¾c, sellers 36c; No. 2 mixed, buyers 35¼c.

Peas—No. 2, 80c bid, sellers 82c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, sellers 51¾c, Toronto.

Winnipeg Wheat Markets.

At the Winnipeg option market to-day the following were the closing quotations: Dec. 73¾c, May 76¾c, July 77¾c bid.

Flour Prices.

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

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $4.28 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, $3.88 in barrels. These prices are for delivery here; car lots 5c less.

Leading Wheat Markets.

	Dec.	May.	July.
New York	80⅝	83⅞	83¼
Detroit	77¼	82	79½
Toledo	76½	80⅝	79⅛
St. Louis	72⅝	77⅛	77½
Duluth	78	80	80⅝
Minneapolis	76⅞	79⅝	80½

Chicago Markets.

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

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec	74⅛	74⅝	74	74⅝
May	78⅛	78⅝	77⅞	78
July	77⅝	77⅝	77⅛	77¼
Corn—				
Dec	41⅞	41⅞	41¼	41⅝
May	43⅜	43⅝	43⅛	43½
July	44	44	43⅞	43⅞
Oats—				
Dec	33⅝	33¾	33¼	33⅝
May	35⅞	36	35⅜	35⅞
July	33½	33⅝	33⅜	33½
Pork—				
Jan	16.15	16.25	16.10	16.10
May	16.35	16.52	16.30	16.45
Ribs—				
Jan	8.60	8.70	8.60	8.62
May	8.75	8.90	8.75	8.80
Lard—				
Jan	8.77	8.87	8.77	8.85
May	8.90	8.97	8.90	8.95

Chicago Gossip.

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

Wheat—In a featureless market wheat ruled fractionally lower to-day, influenced by easier corn and oats market. One big speculator got rid of half a million bushels of May around 79c, and about the only other selling was by scattered outside longs. Commission houses were best buyers on resting orders reached on the decline. The northwest situation continues unchanged, with receipts light and milling demand slow. The situation here remains unchanged and we continue to believe it is wise to go long on these declines.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell:

Wheat—Has ruled lower, with no special feature and most of the trade confined to early transactions. For the most part the news was discouraging to those working for a bull market. The government's final figures on the outcome of this year's harvest proved to be disappointing to those who anticipated a reduction and leaves no room for doubt regarding the responsibility for the small movement of spring wheat. While Liverpool prices were a shade firmer the increase in Argentine shipment for the week proved more than an offset and evidenced a more satisfactory harvest than previous reports indicated. Market closed steady and featureless.

Corn and Oats—Were adversely affected by the government report, but after the first rush to sell the market received excellent support and closed quite firm with but little loss in value.

Provisions—Firm, but with only a fair local trade.

New York Dairy Market.

New York, Dec. 21.—Butter, dull, unchanged; receipts, 5506.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 3645.

Eggs—Easy; receipts, 6237; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 39c to 40c.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, Dec. 21.—Wheat, spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 6s; futures, quiet; March, 6s 4⅞d; May, 6s 4½d; Dec., nominal. Corn, spot quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 3½d; do., old, 4s 4d; futures, dull; Jan., 4s 1½d; March, 4s 3¼d. Bacon, short ribs, steady, 56s; long clear middles, light, dull, 51s; long clear middles, heavy, dull, 50s 6d. Lard, prime western, easy, 45s 3d. Hops at London, Pacific coast, dull, £3 5s to £4 15s.

New York Grain and Produce.

New York, Dec. 21.—Flour—Receipts, 23,418 barrels; exports, 9420 barrels; sales, 3500 packages. Barrels dull and a shade lower. Winter patents, $3.65 to $3.80; winter straights, $3.50 to $3.55; Minnesota patents, $4.10 to $4.35. Rye nour steady. Buckwheat nour dull. Buckwheat—Steady. Cornmeal—Steady. Rye—Steady. Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Receipts, 193,000 bushels; exports, 12,840 bushels; sales, 2,000,000 bushels futures and 8000 bushels spot. Spot irregular; No. 2 red, 79¼c, elevator; No. 2 red, 81¼c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 84⅛c, c.i.f., Buffalo; No. 2 hard winter, 78½c, c.i.f., Buffalo. A sharp break occurred in wheat to-day, owing to liquidation, impelled by weakness in coarse grains, large Argentine shipments and a bearish Modern Miller report. Partial recoveries followed, and the market closed steady at ¼c net decline. Sales included No. 2 red, May, 83 13-16c to 84¼c, closed 83⅞c; July 73⅛c to 83¼c, closed 83¼c; Dec. closed 80⅝c.

Corn—Receipts, 22,575 bushels; exports, 43,682 bushels; sales, 10,000 bushels futures and 96,000 bushels spot. Spot easy; No. 2, 53c, elevator, and 50⅝c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 yellow, 53½c; No. 2 white, 53½c. Option market was weakened by the government report, and closed partially ½c net lower. Jan. closed 51½c; May closed 50⅝c; Dec. closed 52¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 30,000 bushels; exports, 6300 bushels. Spot quiet; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 32c to 39½c; natural white, 30 to 33 lbs., 40c to 41c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 40c to 44c.

Rosin—Firm.

Turpentine—Firm. Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3 5-16c to 3 11-32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 13-16c to 3 27-32c; molasses sugar, 3 1-16c to 3⅛c; refined quiet.

Chicago Board of Trade May Split.

The Chicago Board of Trade is in danger of splitting in twain as the result of dissensions. Unless a radical change occurs there will be two boards of trade in a few months.

An amendment voted down yesterday provided for the filing of claims against members who are in debt, and the compulsory transfer of their memberships. This change was intended to do away with the claim of members who, in the words of an ex-president, "are possessed only of a trading card and a lead pencil." Five hundred and eighty voted against the change, while only 123 favored it.

Another amendment, by which members out of town would be permitted to vote by proxy, instead of in person, went the same way.

The two votes showed that the local traders were in absolute control of the board, and are certain to elect their officers at the election now close at hand.

Young Wife Runs Away.

Kingston, Dec. 21.—Joseph Shantella, a Princess-street merchant, married a 15-year-old Picton girl two months ago and afterwards his wife ran away. She returned after a brief absence and lived with her husband. This afternoon Shantella reported that his wife had left him again with some of his valuables.

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CHRISTMAS MUSIC SUNDAY

Continued From Page 15.

Concluding Voluntary—"Hallelujah" ..... Handel

—Evening—

Organ—"Pastorale," 1st Sonata, ... Guilmant
Anthem—"Arise, Shine" ..... Maker
Solo—"Night of Nights"..Vandewater
Anthem—"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"..... Sullivan
Concluding Voluntary—"Gloria" Mozart
Soloists: Miss Edith S. Scott, soprano; Miss Ruby Pendrith, contralto; Mr. Bruce W. Pearson, tenor; Mr. W. W. Denyer, baritone; H. Grenville West, organist and choirmaster.
Rev. D. McTavish, M.A.

College Street.

Organ Prelude—Pastoral Symphony "Messiah" ..... Handel
Solo—"The First Christmas Morn" ..... Newton
Mr. Addison Pegg.
Anthem—"Hark the Herald Angels Sing" ..... Mendelssohn
Organ Postlude—March of the Magi Kings" ..... Dubois

—Evening—

Organ Prelude—Andante ..... Beethoven
Quintet—"O Little Town of Bethlehem" ..... Neidlinger
Soprano obligato, Mrs. H. L. Jeffery.
Anthem—"Christians Awake" ..... J. H. Maunder
Organ Postlude—Hallelujah Chorus "Messiah" ..... Handel
Arthur H. Greene, organist and choirmaster. Rev. Dr. Alexander Gilray, D.D., pastor.

Davenport Road.

—Morning—

Organ Prelude—Andante in F..Simper
Anthem—"Hark the Herald Angels Sing" ..... Mendelssohn
Organ Postlude—March Romaine" ..... Gounod

—Evening—

Organ Prelude—"Pastorale Symphony"..... Handel
Solo—"The First Christmas Morn" ..... Newton
Mr. Addison Pegg.
Anthem—"While Shepherds Watched their Flocks" ..... Sullivan
Organ Postlude—Postlude in D Challinor .....
Miss Lena Stephens, organist; Arthur H. Greene, choirmaster. Rev. R. H. Abraham, M.A.

St. Paul's.

The pastor, Rev. G. R. Fasken, will preach at both services. There will be special Christmas music, under the direction of Choirmaster Mrs. Gillies.

Erskine.

At Erskine Presbyterian Church (Caer-Howell-street) there will be a special Christmas service on Sunday night, when Dudley Buck's Sacred Cantata, "The Coming of the King," will be sung by the choir, under the direction of Alfred Sturrock.

Bloor Street.

—Morning—

Voluntary—"Noel" ..... Dudley Buck
Christmas Carol ..... Arr. Dainrosch
Anthem—"Listen to the Wondrous Story" ..... Hawley
Solo—"Glory to God" ..... Rotoli

—Evening—

Anthem—"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" .....
Solo—"O, Holy Light" ..... Adam
Soloists: Miss Margaret McCoy and Howard Blight. Mrs. H. M. Blight, organist.
Rev. Dr. W. G Wallace.

BAPTIST.

Bloor Street.

—Morning—

Organ Prelude—"Holy Night"..... ..... Dudley Buck
Anthem—"Angel From the Realm of Glory" ..... Havens
Solo—"There Were Shepherds"..... ..... Rhynd Jamieson
Anthem—"Ye Earthly Choirs" ..White
Organ Postlude—"Hallelujah" from Beethoven's "Mount of Olives."

—Evening—

Organ Prelude—"O Sanctissima Lux"
Anthem—"Gloria in Excelsis".Farmer
Anthem—"See Now the Altar"..Faure
Solo ..... Rhynd Jamieson
Solo—"Night of Nights" .... Mabel Manley Pickard
Anthem—"King of Glories"..... Barnby
Organ Postlude—"Triumphal March" ..... Heintz
W. E. Pickard, organist and choirmaster.

Jarvis Street.

—Morning—

Organ Prelude .....
Christmas Carol—"Hark, the Holy Angels Sing" ..... Bieraccini
Anthem—"Festival Te Deum"..... ..... Dudley Buck
Offertory, Solo and Chorus—"The Birthday of the King"....Neidlinger
Organ Postlude .....
Christmas Offertory .....Gigond

—Evening—

Christmas Carol—"The Prince of Peace" ..... Clough-Leighter
Chorus and Alto Solo—"Come, Ye Faithful" ..... Chadwick
Chorus (women's voices, soprano and tenor solos)—"Listen to the Wondrous Story" ..... Hawley

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AN IMMENSE DEVELOPMENT AT NIAGARA

The Ontario Power Co. Will Have the Largest Generating Plant in Canada—New Apparatus From Canadian Westinghouse Co.

While the tumultuous controversies of idle alarmists are going on about the destruction of Niagara Falls, most extraordinary and useful things are being done by the weightiness of that mighty waterfall. Not the least of which is the power developed by the Ontario Power Company, which has recently increased the present plant by the purchase of two alternating current generators, 7460 K.W., 3 phase, 12,000 volts, 25 cycles, 187½ R.P.M., with the necessary switchboards, from the Canadian Westinghouse Company.

It is just as well, right here, to correct the popular misunderstanding which has been created by a wordy war of aesthetics. Niagara Falls are in no danger of being extinguished. They can, and will be, both useful and ornamental as long as this old earth keeps revolving in its orbit. A sane view of utilizing this natural water-power for electrical purposes can only result in complete approbation. It is big enough to continue a world-wonder, as well as a world help.

At the present time, the Ontario Power Company has four Westinghouse generators, similar to those being installed. It is a significant fact that wherever the highest excellence in matters electrical is desired, the choice falls on Canadian Westinghouse apparatus. Those who are visiting the falls will find it well worth their while to go through the Ontario Power Company's plant. If they are fortunate enough to inveigle someone with a grasp of the technical details to conduct them through the place, they will learn some of the reasons underlying the preference given the Canadian Westinghouse apparatus by those seeking the best in electricity.

Baritone Solo and Chorus—"Three Kings Journeyed From the East" ..... Cornelius
Anthem—(soprano and tenor solos, quartet and chorus)—"Calm on the Listening Ear of Night" ..... Manney
Organ Solo—"The Pastoral Symphony" .....
"Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's Messiah .....
Soloists: Miss Lucille Hudson, soprano; Miss Helen Ferguson, contralto; Robert Hogg, tenor; A. L. E. Davis, basso. Organist and choirmaster, Prof. Edward Broom.
Rev. Dr. Perry.

Walmer Road.

—Morning—

Organ Prelude .....
Quartet—"The First Christmas Morn" .....
Duet and Quartet—"The Message of Christmas" ..... Giebel
Solo—Nazareth .....

—Evening—

Quartet—"Saviour, When Night Involves the Sky" ..... Shelley
Solo—"Night of Nights"....Vandewater
Quartet choir, composed of Miss Stockwell, soprano; Eliz Campbell, contralto; R. D. Norris, tenor; Robert J. Page, basso. Organist, Mr. Dixon; leader, R. D. Norris.
Rev. John Neil, M.A.

College Street.

—Morning—

Organ—Christmas Pastorale ....Merkel
Anthem—"Choir Angelic" .....Hanscom
B. Hubert, soloist.
Anthem—"Hosanna" ..... Faure
Organ Postlude—Festal March in D.

—Evening—

Organ—"Holy Night" .....Dudley Buck
Anthem—"Jerusalem" ..... Parker
Anthem (unaccompanied)—"Little Town of Bethlehem" ....Neidlinger
Miss L. Williams, soloist.
Solo—"Fear Not, Ye, Oh Israel" .....
Organ—Postlude Symphony ...Handel
Anthem—"The First Christmas Morn" ..... Newton
Organ Postlude — "Hallelujah Chorus" .....Handel
H. M. Fletcher, choirmaster; Miss E. Fletcher, organist.
Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.B.

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Organ Voluntary —"Prayer"...Devered
Anthem—"First Christmas Morn" ...
Solo—"Birthday of a King" Neidlinger
Anthem—"There Were Shepherds" ..... C. Vincent
Offering—"Traumerie" .....Schumann
Solo—"Beckoning Star" ....Neidlinger
Recessional—"Festival March"..... ..... Dunstan

—Evening—

Organ, Voluntary—"Melody in F"... ..... Rubinstein
Anthem—"There Were Shepherds"... ..... Miles B. Foster
Solo—"Night of Nights" ..Vandewater
Anthem—"I Did Call Upon the Lord" .....
Offertory—"Cantilena" .....
Benedictus ..... Gounod
Recessional .....

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Bond Street.

—Morning—

Organ Prelude ..... Selected
Anthem—"The First Christmas Morn" ..... Newton
Solo—"Glory to God" ..... F. H. Burt
Quartet—"Come Ye Lofty" ..F. H. Burt
Organ Postlude.....

—Evening—

Organ—Pastoral Symphony.... Handel
Alto Solo—"Night of Nights"..... ..... Vandewater
Selections From "The Nativity"..Gelbel
Organ—"Hallelujah Chorus".. Handel
Rev. Dr. Silcox.
W. Staples, organist; F. H. Burt, choirmaster.

CARING FOR PULLETS.

W. M. Jolly of Billings Bridge, Ontario, writes to The American Poultry Advocate on how to care for pullets wanted for laying purposes.

At this season of the year those who have been fortunate enough to raise a flock of nice early pullets will no doubt be feeling greatly encouraged at their appearance, and are likely looking forward to the fall and winter egg yield with more or less satisfaction.

It is at this stage of the game that we are apt to injure our prospects as regards winter eggs, also the future usefulness of our pullets as breeders.

A great many make the too common error of forcing the pullets for egg production from this time on, regardless of the fact that such forcing is detrimental to well matured fowls. A pullet that has been forced for egg production from the start invariably makes a poor breeder, at least we have found such to be the case.

We are aware that the increase in price of eggs during the fall and winter months is a temptation to all of us who are in