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STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, July 17.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Anaconda	100	100½	100	101½
Amal. Copper	65	65	64⅜	64½
American Sugar Co	129½	129½	129½	128¾
American Locomotive	32⅜	32⅜	32¼	32¼
American Cotton Co	..	..	..	..
Atchison Com	88½	89¼	88½	88⅞
Atchison Pfd	100⅝	101¾	100¾	101½
B. & O	109½	109⅝	109⅛	109⅝
Brooklyn Tran	70¾	71⅜	69¾	70¾
C. P. R.	135⅛	135⅛	135	135¼
Cheapeake & Ohio	53⅝	54½	53¼	54½
Chicago Gt. Western	30⅝	31⅜	30½	31½
C. C. C. & St. L	106⅛	107½	106⅛	107½
C. F. I.	95¾	99⅛	95	98⅝
Delaware & Hudson	177½	179¾	177½	179¾
Edison's Gen. Elec	..	..	..	..
Erie	38⅛	39	38¼	38⅞
Illinois Central	166	166	165⅛	165⅛
Jersey Central	..	..	..	..
K. & T.	29¼	29¼	29	29⅞
L. & N.	141	141¼	141	141¼
Manhattan	133⅝	134⅜	133¾	134⅛
Metropolitan Trac	149½	150¾	149½	150
Mo. P.	113¼	113⅝	112½	112
National Lead Trust	22	..	..	..
N. Y. Central	161	161⅞	160⅝	161½
Norfolk and W	59	59⅛	59	59⅛
Ont. and West	33¼	34⅛	33¾	34⅛
Pacific Mail S. S. Co	40¼	41¼	40¼	41¼
Pennsylvania	154⅞	155⅛	154⅛	155½
People's Gas	102½	103	102¼	103
Reading	68	68⅞	67⅞	68½
Reading, 1st. Pfd	87¼	87½	87	87½
Republic I. and S	18	18¼	18	18¼
Rock Island	190	191	190	190¾
Southern Ry	38	38⅛	37⅞	38⅛
Southern Ry. Pfd	97¼	97¼	97	97¼
Southern Pacific	67¾	68¼	67½	68
St. Paul	182¾	182½	181⅝	182½
Texas	45½	46⅛	45¾	45¾
Twin City	..	..	..	..
T. C. I.	65½	66¼	65½	66¼
U. Pacific	108	108	109¼	107¾
U. Pacific Pfd	91¾	..	..	..
U. S. Leather	12⅛	12⅝	12⅛	12½
U. S. Leather Pfd	..	..	..	..
U. S. Rubber	..	..	..	..
U. S. Steel, com	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾
U. S. Steel, pref	92	92½	91⅝	92
Wabash Com	30¾	31½	30¾	31
Wabash Pfd	45¾	47¾	45⅞	47
W. Union Tel	86	86½	86	86½
Wisconsin Central	27¾	28⅝	27½	28

TORONTO.

Toronto, July 17.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	260	255
Ontario	133	130½
Toronto	..	245
Merchants	..	..
Commerce	159	158¾
Imperial	250	247
Dominion	250	247
Standard	..	243
Hamilton	224	233½
Nova Scotia	255	..
Ottawa	218	215¾
Traders	..	122
British America	..	98
Western Assurance	..	96½
Imperial Life	..	147½
National Trust	..	140
Toronto General Trusts	168	..
Consumers Gas	..	211
Montreal Gas	..	..
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land	..	78
Canada Northwest Land pref	..	78
Canada Northwest Land com	..	..
Gen. Pacific Railway Stock	137½	135
Toronto Electric Light	..	151½
General Electric	207½	206¼
London Electric Light, new	106	..
Commercial Cable	164¾	164
Cable Coup. Bonds	..	..
Cable Reg. Bonds	..	121½
Dominion Telegraph	..	162½
Bell Telephone	166	168½
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co	110	..
Hamilton Steamboat	..	..
Toronto Railway	120¾	120½
London Street Railway	..	..
Halifax Electric Tram	..	..
Twin City Railway	119¾	119½
Luxfer Prism., pref	85	..
Cycle and Motor	..	..
Carter Crume	106	104¾
Dunlop Tire, pref	107	105¾
War Eagle	14	13½
Republic	12	11½
Payne Mining	..	..
Caribeo (McKinney)	20	..
Virtue	..	..
Crows Nest Coal	500	450
North Star	..	..
British Canadian L. and I	..	..
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv	..	107
Canada Permanent	..	119½
Canadian Savings and Loan	..	135
Central Canada Loan	..	..
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	70
Freehold L. and Savings	..	..
Hamilton Provident	..	119½
Huron and Erie L. and S	..	182½
Imperial L. and Invest	80	..
Landed Banking and Loan	..	118
Lon. and Can. L. and A	100	97
London Loan	..	110
London and Ontario	..	..
Manitoba Loan	..	70
Ontario Loan and Deb	..	120
People's Loan	42	36
W. A. Rogers, pref	106	104½
Dominion Steel, com	59½	59
Dominion Steel, pref	95¾	95½
Dominion Steel Bonds	90½	..
Dominion Coal, com	135	135½
Nova Scotia Steel, com	110½	110
Nova Scotia Steel Bonds	..	..

SALES: Imperial, 5 at 249¾, 2 at 250; Commerce, 30 at 158, 57 at 158¼; Canada Northwest Land, common, 200 at 80; Toronto Electric, 25 at 152; Canadian General Electric, 20 at 207, 10 at 207½, 20 at 207; Dominion Telegraph, 8 at 121¼; Bell Telephone, 30 at 164¾; R. and O., 100 and 25 at 109, 25 at 108½; Northwest Navigation, 20 at 152, 20 at 151½; Toronto Railway, 25 at 121½, 25 at 121⅛, 100 at 120¾; Twin City, 75 at 119¾, 100 at 118½; C. P. R., 150, 250 and 50 at 135¾, 200 at 135, 100 at 134⅞; C. P. R., new, 60 at 131, 150 at 130¼; Dominion Steel, 100 at 58½, 100 at 58⅝, 325 at 58¾, 50 at 58⅞, 25 at 59, 25 at 59⅛, 200 at 59¼, 125 at 59⅜; Sao Paulo, 275 at 106, 25 at 106⅛, 75 at 106¼, 350 at 106½, 25 at 106⅞, 25 at 106⅝, 25 at 106¾, 25 at 106; Coal, 5 and 25 at 135¾, 300 at 136; N. S. Steel, 10 at 112½, 5 at 112, 50 at 111; Crow's Nest, 50 at 480; Superior, 25 at 28½, 50 at 28, 125 at 28¼; Packers, A, 25 at 101½; Dominion Steel bonds, 1,000 at 90⅝; Canada Permanent, 321 at 210.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, July 17.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	135¾	135½
Canadian Pacific, new	131¼	131
Duluth, commen	18½	..
Duluth, preferred	..	..
Winnipeg Electric	..	141
Montreal Street Railway	274½	273¾
West India	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	120	120¼
Halifax Street Railway	112	107½
St. John Street Railway	130	116
Twin City Transit Railway	119¾	119½
Richelieu and Ontario	108	107½
Commercial Cable	168	164
Montreal Telegraph	170	169
Bell Telephone	170	164
Dominion Iron and Steel, com	59¼	59¼
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref	93½	91½
Montreal Heat. Light & Power	101½	101¼
Nova Scotia Steel, common	110½	110
Detroit Railway	80¼	80¼
Laurentide Pulp	..	..
Montreal Cotton	170	..
Dominion Cotton	63	68
Canada Colored Cotton	60	56
Merchants' Cotton	88	..
Payne	..	15
Montreal Street Bonds	..	..
Republic	12	10½
Virtue	11	..
North Star	20	..
National Salt, common	..	..
Dominion Coal, common	135	135¾
Dominion Coal, pref	..	..
Int. Coal	75	60
Ogilvie Milling Co., com	..	100½
Ogilvie Milling Co., pref	124	122
Ogilvie Bonds	115	..
Bank of Montreal	..	253
Ontario Bank	..	..
Molsons Bank	216	215
Bank of Toronto	..	245
Merchants Bank	155	160
Royal Bank	180	170
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	..
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	..	..
Bank of Commerce	..	158
Hochelaga	..	..
Northwest Land, pref	..	..
Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds	91	90¾

SALES: C. P. R., 50 at 135, 100 at 135¼, 25 at 135; Power, 25 at 101½; Toledo Railway, 25 at 31; Lake Superior, 25 at 28½, 25 at 28⅝; Bell Telephone, 3 at 166; Montreal Cotton, 25 at 127; Montreal Telegraph, 17 at 170; Halifax Railway, 25 at 108; Toronto Railway, 100 at 120¼; Dominion Steel, preferred, 35 at 90½c; Montreal Street Railway, 25 at 274; R. and O., 10 at 109, 6 at 109¼, 25 at 108¾, 25 at 108½, 50 at 108⅛, 25 at 108; Detroit Railway, 25 at 80¾, 150 at 80⅝, 75 at 80¼; Dominion Steel bonds, 7,000 at 90½, 1,000 at 90⅜c; Dominion Steel, common, 10 at 59½, 25 at 59, 250 at 59½, 50 at 59¼, 10 at 59⅛, 25 at 59⅜, 10 at 58⅞, 175 at 59½, 25 at 59¾, 25 at 59⅝, 200 at 59½, 150 at 59¼; Nova Scotia, 25 at 113, 50 at 111, 50 at 110⅞, 105 at 111, 25 at 110⅞, 125 at 110, 35 at 110½.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, July 17.—Wheat—Very little winter wheat offering; some inquiry, and the market is steady, at 76½c to 77c for red and white, middle freights; Manitoba is 81½c for No. 1 hard, Goderich or Port Huron, and 87½c for No. 1 hard, 85½c for No. 1 northern, and 83½c for No. 2 northern, grinding in transit. Flour—Steady; 90 per cent patents are quoted at $2 90 to $2 92½ in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are held 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Steady; shorts, $20 50 for cars, and bran is $15 50 in bulk, middle freights. Corn—Steady; prices nominal, at 63½c for No. 2 yellow, and 63c for No. 2 mixed west. Oats—Dull, at 48c to 43½c for No. 2 white west. Peas—Dull, at 75c to 76c, outside freights. Butter—Offerings of choice dairy good; demand good; prices are steady; creamery prints, 19½c to 20½c; solids, 19c to 19½c; dairy tubs and pails, choice, 15c to 16c; medium, 13c to 14c; pound rolls, choice, 15c to 16c. Eggs—Firm, at 16c; offerings fair and demand good. Live hogs—Receipts today, 731; prices steady; choice bacon, 7¼c; heavy and light fats, 7c.

OIL MARKETS.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 17.—Oil opened at $1 22.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, July 16.—Cattle—Today American cattle are unchanged at 14c to 15½c per lb; refrigerator bef is 12c to 12½c per lb.

AMERICAN MARKETS

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, July 17.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 79½c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 83½c, old; new, 80c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 70½c; No. 3 yellow, 70c, on track; No. 2 yellow, in store, 69c; No. 3 yellow, 68½c; No. 2 corn, 67¾c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 58½c; No. 3 white, 58c, on track; No. 3 white, in store, 56½c.

DETROIT.

Detroit, July 17.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 90c; No. 2 red, cash, 80c; July, 75½c; Sept., 75c.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 17.—Flour—Receipts, 14,853 bbls; sales, 3,100 pkgs; flour was dull, but a shade steadier. Rye flour—Quiet; fair to good, $3 25 to $3 45; choice to fancy, $3 55 to $3 70. Wheat—Receipts, 84,900 bu; sales, 975,000 bu; wheat was fairly active and stronger on covering and in sympathy with coarse grains; July, 79⅞c to 80c; Sept., 76¾c to 77 1-16c; Dec., 77⅛c to 77½c; May, 79⅝c to 79½c. Rye—Steady; state, 63c to 64c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 66½c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Sales, 60,000 bu; corn was active and stronger on buying for short account and a belief that the July deal is not yet over; Sept., 64c to 64⅛c; Dec., 51⅜c to 51½c; May, 48⅜c to 58½c. Oats—Receipts, 48,000 bu; option market advanced sharply on the light movement, a scare of July shorts and with corn; track, white state and western, 57c to 62c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 2 13-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 5-16c; molasses sugar, 2⅝c; refined steady. Coffee—Quiet and nominal; No. 7 Rio, 5¾c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Quiet. Hops—Quiet.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 17.—Butter steady; receipts, 12,081 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 21¼c; do, firsts, 20¼c to 21c; do seconds, 19c to 20c; do, thirds, 18c to 18½c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 20c to 20½c; do, firsts, 19c to 19½c; do, seconds, 18c to 18½c; do, thirds, 17½c; state dairy tins, etc., 17½c to 20c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 19c; do, good to choice, 18c to 18½c; do, lower grades, 17c to 17½c; renovated, fancy, 19c to 19½c; do, common to prime, 17c to 18½c; western factory, firsts, 17½c to 18c; do, seconds, 17c; do, thirds, 16c to 16½c; packing stock, 16c to 16½c. Cheese steady to firm; receipts, 6,595 boxes; state full cream, small colored or white, fancy, 10c; do, choice, 9¾c; do, fair to good, 9¼c to 9½c; do, large colored or white, fancy, 9⅝c to 9¾c; do, choice, 9¼c to 9⅜c; do, fair to good, 9c to 9¼c; light skims, small choice, 8c; do, large choice, 7¾c to 8c; part skims, prime, 7 to 7½c; do, fair to good, 5½c to 6½c; do, common, 4c to 4½c; full skims, 2½c to 3c. Eggs steady; receipts, 9,633 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy selected white, 21c to 22½c; do, average best, 20c to 20½c; do, fair to prime, 18c to 19½c; western, loss off, 19c to 20½c; do, northwestern, candled, 19c to 19½c; do, uncandled, 16c to 18½c; do, southwestern, uncandled, 15½c to 17½c; Kentucky, 15c to 17c; dirties, candled, 16c to 16½c; do, uncandled, 13c to 15c; checks, 13c to 14c; do, inferior culls, 11c to 12c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for the Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker.

Chicago, July 17.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—July	73⅜	74⅜	73½	74⅜
Sept	71¼	72¼	71⅜	72¼
Corn—July	66	69	65¾	65¾
Sept	59⅜	61¼	59⅜	61¼
Oats—July	45	45¼	43¾	45
Sept	29½	30½	29½	30¼
Pork—July	18 45	18 45	18 42	18 42
Sept	18 62	18 67	18 55	18 55
Lard—July	11 07	11 07	10 95	11 00
Sept	11 15	11 15	10 97	11 02
Ribs—July	10 67	10 67	10 50	10 50
Sept	10 85	10 85	10 72	10 77

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given:

	July 12.	July 14.	July 15.	July 16.
WHEAT—				
Red Winter	6 3	6 0	6 0	6 0
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 3½
Walla	0 0	0 0	6 6½	0 0
No. 1 Cal	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
July	6 0¾	0 0	0 0	0 0
Sept	6 2⅜	6 3¼	6 2¼	6 1¼
Dec	6 3½	6 3¼	6 4¼	6 1½
CORN—				
New	5 11	6 0	6 0	6 0
Old	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Jan	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Feb	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
March	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
May	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
July	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Sept	5 3¾	5 3¼	5 2¼	5 2
Oct	5 3	5 2¼	5 2¼	5 1¼
Flour	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0
Peas	6 9	6 9	6 9	6 9
Pork, prime mess	78 6	78 9	82 6	82 6
Lard	56 0	57 3	57 6	56 9
Tallow	28 6	28 6	28 6	28 6
Bacon, light	60 0	60 0	60 0	60 0
Cheese, white	47 6	47 6	47 6	47 6
Cheese colored	48 6	48 6	48 6	48 6

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, July 17—Closing.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 3½d. Futures steady; July nominal; Sept., 6s 1⅝d; Dec., 6s 1⅜d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, 6s. Futures steady; Sept., 5s 2½d; Oct., 5s 2d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s 9d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, £5 to £5 10s.

Pens—Canadian steady, 6s 9d.

Beef—Extra India mess strong, 107s 6d.

Beef—Firm; extra India mess, 105s.

Pork — Firm; prime mess western, 82s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 61s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, strong, 56s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, strong, 60s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 59s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 59s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 59s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 63s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 47s 6d.

Butter—Nominal.

Cheese—Steady; American finest white, 47s 6d; American finest colored, 48s 6d.

Lard—Firm; prime western, in tierces, 56s 9d; American refined, in pails, 58s 6d.

Tallow—Steady; prime city, 28s 6d. Australian (in London), 32s 3d.

Turpentine spirits—Dull, 34s 3d.

Rosin—Common steady, 4s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 7d.

Linseed oil—Steady, 32s.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot quiet, 26s 1½d.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Fair; Moderately Warm.

Toronto, July 16—8 p.m.

The weather has been showery and cool today in the Maritime Provinces, and also in the Northwest Territories. In other parts of the Dominion it has been fine but rather cool, except in Eastern Manitoba, where the temperature has been fairly high.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 50—78; Victoria, 54—66; Calgary, 48—62; Prince Albert, 48—70; Qu'Appelle, 46—68; Winnipeg, 56—80; Port Arthur, 50—62; Parry Sound, 50—70; Toronto, 52—73; Ottawa, 56—70; Montreal, 54—68; Quebec, 52—70; Halifax, 60—62.

Thursday, July 17—8 a.m. Temperatures.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Winnipeg	66	54	Fair
Parry Sound	66	58	Fair
Toronto	66	58	Cloudy
Ottawa	56	52	Cloudy
Montreal	56	54	Rain
Quebec	52	44	Cloudy
Father Point	56	44	Cloudy

FORECASTS.

Today—Fresh southwesterly and westerly winds; fine and warm.

Friday—Northwesterly winds; fair and moderately warm.

WEATHER NOTES.

Shallow areas of low pressure continue to move quickly across Canada, and until this ceases the weather is likely to be unsettled. One is this morning centered to the north of the lake region, and the weather is showery throughout Ontario. In the Northwest Territories the weather is fair, but rather cool.

Local temperatures: Wednesday—Highest, 75.5°; lowest, 48°.

TALES OF LONDON TOWN

—Mr. John Campbell and Mr. Geo. Granger left today on a business trip to Winnipeg.

—Mrs. James Wilson, Miss Wilson, and Miss Gleason left today for a trip down the St. Lawrence to Montreal. They take the steamer Corsican at Hamilton.

—Rev. John Downie, R. D., rector of Watford, will conduct divine services in Christ Church, Glanworth, and Trinity Church, Lambeth, Sunday, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. respectively.

—Mr. Thomas Duncan, who has been acting postmaster of Windsor for the last few months, has been transferred temporarily to the London postoffice, where he will act as assistant postmaster.

—The clearing house returns for the week ending July 17 are as follows: Clearings, $702,129; balance, $112,730. For the corresponding week last month the figures were as follows: Clearings, $684,876; balance, $136,574.

—Mr. Spettigue, the milkman, who appeared before the board of health yesterday, challenged the board to appoint a committee to investigate his statements regarding the quality of his cattle and accommodations, and offered to pay the expenses of such a commission.

A BAD FALL.

Miss Nellie Jupp, daughter of Mr. James Jupp, of Chester street, South London, slipped on the back doorstep at her home on Tuesday, and fell upon a lawn mower that stood near. She was injured very painfully, one rib being badly broken, another partially broken, and her collarbone being broken.

REMANDED TILL SATURDAY.

At the police court today Wm. Wilson, charged with the seduction of Mary Jane Brennan, the adopted daughter of Mrs. Margaret Ranahan, was further remanded till Saturday. The police magistrate and the crown officers will go to Victoria Hospital at 9 a.m. on Saturday, and hear the girl's evidence there.

Fred. McMullin and Sam. Lee were charged with vagrancy. They are suspected of following the circus for criminal purposes. They were remanded till tomorrow.

LACROSSE AT NIGHT.

Several hundred people witnessed the football and lacrosse matches at Tecumseh Park last evening. The games were a disappointment, because the "fireball" refused to burn properly, but the occasion was none the less enjoyable, excellent music being furnished by the Band of the Seventh Regiment. London won the football match by 5 goals to 1, the teams being as follows:

Barracks—Goal, Livens; backs, Horner, Harlow; half backs, McEwen, Moule and Tutt; forwards, Legus, Hobson, Massel, Denman, Bowen.

City—Goal, Johns; backs, McLean, Waters; half-backs, Gauthier, Collison, Couse; forwards, Armstrong, Latta, Lee, Taylor and Botterwill.

Referee—Mr. George Sippi.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN

Master Basil Bremner, of Dorchester, is staying with relatives in this city.

Master Tracy Macpherson, of South London, is spending a few weeks at Algonac, Mich.

Mr. Arthur Smith, of Detroit, returned home today after a pleasant three weeks' visit with his sister, Mrs. Harry Jones, Hill street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Bayley, Central avenue, leave tomorrow for Seaforth to spend a couple of months visiting friends.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. A. Murray, of this city, and her son, Clarence, of Detroit, are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. W. Crimmon, of St. Thomas, at Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mills and family, with Mr. Stanley Mills, all of Hamilton, are the guests of Mr. J. C. Woods, of London, at his charming summer home, Woodrest, on Lake View Park, Port Carling, Muskoka.

Mrs. Le Sueur and Master Joseph and Charlie Le Sueur, of Clear View, McClary avenue, are holidaying at Dresden.

Your step has lost elasticity because your blood has lost vitality, which Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore.

KNOCKED DOWN BY HORSE

Little Fred Keene Probably Fatally Injured.

Excited Over Circus Parade, He Ran Under Horse's Hoofs.

"Here comes the procession."

Fired with boyish excitement as the head of the circus parade came into view, little Fred. Keene, of Wharncliffe road, West London, rushed across Talbot street near Kent, and the next moment was ground beneath the wheels of a butcher's cart, the rapid approach of which he had not noticed. This morning the little fellow, who is only 8 or 9 years old, set out in high spirits to view the parade. Now he is lying on his bed, white and still, and unless a miracle should happen, he will probably soon be in a bigger playground than is to be found in London. Dr. Stutt, who was summoned immediately after the accident, found a fracture at the base of the lad's skull, caused by the wheels of the cart passing over his head. The injury is of such a character that, in Dr. Stutt's opinion, he cannot recover.

Those who witnessed the accident say that it was unavoidable, and that the driver of the butcher's cart was absolutely powerless to save the boy, who in his excitement over the approaching parade ran directly under the horse's feet.

ST. ANDREW'S PICNIC

Outing Next Tuesday Promises To Be Very Successful.

Every arrangement is completed for the great outing of Scotchmen and their families on Tuesday next. The crowd that will be at Port Stanley promises to be larger and more enthusiastic than any picnic of St. Andrew's has ever seen before, and the committees who have the plans in hand are confident that this year's outing will be more distinctly enjoyable than any of its predecessors. The music will be furnished by the Kilties from Toronto and the 7th Regiment band, and will be of the usual high standard of these well-known organizations. There is every indication that the Scotch picnic on Tuesday will be attended by very large numbers, not only of the Scots themselves, but of their friends as well.

CAUGHT A BIG CATFISH

A True Fish Yarn, of Which Mr. J. W. Kilbourn Is Hero.

Mr. John W. Kilburn, of the South London Meat Market, and one of his employes, Mr. W. McCullough, took advantage yesterday of the grocers' half holiday to go angling in the Thames, at the Petrifying Springs, below Kilworth. In addition to landing two fine bass, they caught a 7-lb. catfish, which they think will prove a record weight for catfish caught this year.

TORONTO ASPHALT TRUST

Is Going to Fight Paving Company of London.

Writ Taken Out at Osgoode Hall to Enjoin the London Company.

[G. N. W. Press Dispatch.]

Toronto, July 17.—The asphalt trust is going to fight the Forest City Paving Company of London, in the courts in the endeavor to prevent the introduction of California asphalt into Toronto.

A writ was taken out this morning at Osgoode Hall on behalf of William Allen and the Constructing and Paving Company, to obtain an injunction to prevent the Forest City Company, and B. V. Hole from paving Spadina and other streets with California asphalt, the ground set forth being that the city's specifications require Pitch Lake asphalt from Trinidad.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., July 17.—A lawsuit, which promises to be a big legal battle, was entered today against the City of Toronto, B. V. Hole, of London, and the Forest City Paving Company. The object is to prevent the laying of pavements on three Toronto streets, contracts for which the council on Monday night awarded to the Forest City, Company, who were the lowest tenderers.

The plaintiffs in the action are Wm. Allen, who sues on behalf of all ratepayers, and with him is the Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, who were unsuccessful tenderers for the work on these three streets. They have the laying of other pavements.

The ground for action is not disclosed in the writ, but it is understood plaintiffs contend that the Forest City Company's tender was "not within the specifications." The contracts awarded total some $70,000. The Forest City Company propose using asphalt from California and the specifications say that the asphalt to be supplied must be equal in quality to Trinidad Pitch Lake.

The city engineer has declined to say that the California asphalt is as good. In the face, however, of his indefinite report, the majority of the council awarded contracts to the London Company.

Mr. Justice Lount has granted an interim injunction until Tuesday, when the whole case will be argued.

To Curtail Smallpox.

[Special to Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., July 17.—Dr. Bryce, secretary of the Ontario Provincial Board of Health, and Dr. Lachapelle, who holds a similar position in Quebec, while in the city the other day brought before the Indian Department the necessity of placing closer restrictions on the Indians for the purpose of preventing smallpox from spreading in the different bands, and their suggestions will be considered.

BARRACKS MEN VICTORIOUS

Won Cricket Match From Their Old Foes in Forest.

First Defeat of Forest on Latter's Crease in Ten Years.

The Wolseley Barracks cricket club played a game at Forest yesterday, and for the first time in ten years succeeded in defeating Forest on their own grounds. The scoring was low, for it was a very fast wicket, the Barracks team playing on their matting crease. The Forest club most hospitably entertained their visitors, and several ladies were present at the luncheon. After the game was over a trip to Lake Huron and other points of interest occupied the visitors' time. Mr. Webster, the popular proprietor of the Franklin House, did his utmost to make the visiting team at home. Messrs. Wichman, Harry Goldsmith and J. O'Donnell were also most energetic in their efforts to make the visiting team enjoy themselves.

W. Sippi bowled 7 wickets for 25 runs in the first inning, and 7 wickets for 5 runs in the second inning for the Barracks team.

In their first inning Forest put together 53 runs, of which Bluett contributed 16 and Walters 10. In their second they made 26, Bluett alone reaching double figures with 12. The Barracks were all out in their first for 29. In their second they fared better, and tied Forest's 79 runs with wickets to spare. Sippi and Dunlevy reached double figures with 12 and 15 respectively.

IN CHICAGO'S GRAIN PIT

Corn Was the Strongest Cereal on the Floor—Receipts Heavy.

Chicago, July 17.—Corn was the strongest cereal on the floor at the opening today. Receipts continued to be very heavy, 492 cars, of which 225 were contract. Private elevators turned out 105 cars and 22,000 bushels, making a total of over 400,000 bushels of contract today. Bearish conditions prevailing, however, had no weight with the shorts. When the Harris-Gates crowd began bidding up July options, the trade was all at sea as to what the buying meant. July opened 3-8c to 1 7-8c higher at 66c to 67½c, and at once advanced to 68½c. September opened 1-8c and ¼c lower to 1-8c and ¼c higher at 59 3-8c to 59¾c, and sold to 60½c. After the advance of the first half hour the buying of July eased, and that option hung fire a while, then slid back to 60¼c.

TORONTO MEN GRATEFUL

Express Their Thanks for Wreath From London Firemen.

Chief Roe has received the following letter from Toronto:

"Permit me on behalf of the officers and members of the Toronto fire department to convey to you and the men of your department my sincere thanks for the beautiful floral tribute received on the occasion of the sad accident which befell our department on the 10th inst., resulting in the instant death of five of our members. Believe me, yours truly, JOHN THOMPSON, "Chief."

DOWN BY ERIE'S WAVES

Scholars of First Methodist Church Enjoy Outing.

Annual Picnic Passed Off With an Unhappy Incident.

The annual Sunday School picnic of the First Methodist Church was held at Port Stanley yesterday, and was favored by splendid weather, and a large attendance, and everything passed off without accident. The following is a list of the races and the winners:

Sack race, 75 yards—1, Roy Williams; 2, Willie Brock; 3, Vivian Sifton.

Boys of Mrs. Gregsten's class, 50 yards—1, Robbie Barbour; 2, Arthur Brickenden; 3, Cecil Brown; 4, Moritz Schooley.

Girls of Mrs. Gregsten's class, 50 yards—1, Eva Grayson; 2, Blanche Harding; 3, Edith Elliott; 4, Ethel Riley.

Leapfrog race, 50 yards—1, Fred. St. Lawrence and Roy Williams; 2, Jack Ferguson and Russell Spry.

Boys of Mrs. Ware's class—1, Frank Mann; 2, Vance Schooley; 3, Myron Robinson; 4, John Elliott.

Girls of Mrs. Ware's class, 50 yards—1, Marion Irwin; 2, Hattie Ruddy; 3, Laura Sharkey; 4, Gertrude Smith.

Three-legged race, 75 yards—1, Fred Grayson and Percy Crouch; 2, Roy Williams and Fred. St. Lawrence.

Girls' race, 12 years and under, 100 yards—1, Frank Mann; 2, Percy Crouch; 3, William Joyce.

Girls' race, 12 years and under, '00 yards—1, Vera Jones; 2, Agnes Ruddy; 3, Hannah Joyce.

Lady officers and teachers, 50 yards—1 Eva Elliott, 2 E. Field, 3 E. Green.

Boys' race, 15 and under, 100 yards—1 Albert Ruddy, 2 Fred Grayson, 3 Roy Williams.

Girls' race, 15 and under, 75 yards—1 Louie Elliott, 2 Marian Mann, 3 Vera Jones.

Tug-of-war, librarians vs. teachers and school. School won.

Obstacle race, 100 yards—1 Fred Grayson, 2 Russell Spry, 3 Percy Crouch.

Boys' race, 17 years and under, 100 yards—1 Albert Ruddy, 2 Roy Williams, 3 Willie Brock.

Jockey race, 50 yards and return—1 Fred St. Lawrence and Roy Williams, 2 Percy Crouch and Frank St. Lawrence.

Race, 100 yards, open—1 Alvin Harley, 2 B. Woolley, 3 L. Boyd.

Wheelbarrow race, 25 yards and return—1 Alfred Ruddy and Vivian Sifton, 2 Fred Grayson and Arthur Elliott.

Tug-of-war, Mr. Brickenden's and Mrs. Williams' classes vs. school