AT OSGOODE HALL.

To-day's Lists.

Judges' Chambers will be held at 11 a.m.

Divisional Court at 10 a.m.: Johnston v. Galbraith, Re Ribble and Aldwell, Armstrong v. Armstrong, Calderwood v. Martin, Massey v. Massey, Bank of Toronto v. Kingston Fire Ins. Co., Bank of Toronto v. Quebec Fire Ins. Co., Alexander v. Iron-gun, Dixon v. Campbell, Walker v. Gurney.

Court of Appeal at 11 a.m.: Moran v. Toronto Railway Co. (to be concluded), Fisher v. Fisher, Hill v. Broadbent, McKain v. Ottawa Electric Railway Co., Dwyer v. Ottawa Electric Railway Co. (two appeals), Hodgson v. G.T.R. Co., White v. T. H. & B. Railway Co., Cross v. Dickinson, G.T.R. Co., v. Hamilton Radial Electric Railway Co.

Heavy Fire Losses Last Year

During the month of December the fire losses in Canada were $249,240, with Insurance losses of $191,090. The total losses for the year are estimated by The Insurance and Finance Chronicle at $8,468,500, against $6,835,900 in 1896. The Insurance loss in 1897 was $5,355,326, as against $4,618,560 in the previous year. The following are the fire losses by months during the past two years:

	1896	1897
January	$ 422,100	$1,023,280
February	410,000	870,000
March	418,200	596,040
April	628,840	414,840
May	1,008,240	845,520
June	686,260	239,400
July	200,300	621,480
August	382,240	321,000
September	736,300	565,800
October	540,840	611,200
November	214,680	511,200
December	373,860	249,240
Totals	$6,835,900	$8,468,500

Provincial Appointments.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has made the following appointments:

John Alexander Band of Stratford, Judge of the County Court of the county of Perth, to be judge of the Surrogate Court for the said county.

Duncan Byron McDavish of Ottawa, Judge of the County Court of the county of Carleton, to be judge of the Surrogate Court for the said county.

Henry George Wilberforce Wilson of Brantford, solicitor; John Stuart Irving of Toronto, solicitor; Donald A Joseph McDonell of Ottawa, solicitor; Alfred Erskine Hoskin, Toronto, solicitor, to be notaries public for Ontario.

Companies Incorporated.

Letters patent have been issued incorporating the following companies:

The Free Lance Publishing Company of Windsor, Limited; capital $10,000, in 10 shares.

The Tuthowe Carriage Company of Orillia, Limited; capital, $100,000, in $100 shares.

The John Goodison Thresher Company of Sarnia, Limited; capital $99,000, in $100 shares.

The Avondale Cheese and Butter Company, Limited; capital $3000, in $20 shares.

The Manx Three Legs.

Editor World: What do the three legs in the penny piece of the Isle of Man symbolize?

The motto explains itself, Stabit quocumque jeceris (Stands whichever way you throw it.) The island is almost equidistant from England, Ireland and Scotland, and has practically three Home Rule—is able to stand alone.—Ed.

MISCELLANEOUS

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FOREIGN MARKETS STRONG.

Liverpool Wheat Market on Saturday Showed Increased Strength.

Chicago Shorts Bought and Some Wheat Taken for Export—English Farmers' Deliveries — Provisions in Chicago Weaker—Local Markets Dull.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 15.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¾d to ¾d higher.

Cash wheat in Chicago ¼c firmer at 91½c.

May wheat on curb 90¾c.

Puts on May wheat 90½c, calls 91c to 91½c.

Puts on May corn 29c, calls 29c to 29⅛c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $3.20 for Feb. and at $3.22 for March.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 25, corn 200, oats 246. Estimated for Monday: Wheat 20, corn 215, oats 200.

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(Market reports continue)

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with no changes in prices. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.80, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is dull, with buyers showing little disposition to load up. Red winter sold outside at 80½c to 81c west. Spring is quoted on Midland at 82c for No. 2, and goose at 77c Midland, Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.01, grinding in transit. Toronto freight; 89c to 90c Fort William, and 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 34c. No. 3 extra at 27c to 29c, and feed at 24½c.

OATS—The market is quiet and without features. Sales of white at 25c west and at 24c to 24½c car lots.

PEAS—The demand is fair, with offerings light. Dealers quote 52c to 53c north and west

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c to 31c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales of 27c to 27½c west for new, and 28c for old.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freight.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

The receipts of grain to-day amounted to about 3000 bushels wheat, 200 bushels which sold as follows: White at 88½c, red at 88½c, and goose 79½c to 77c per bushel. Barley, 100 bushels sold at 40c. Oats, 1500 bushels brought 27c to 29c. Peas, 300 bushels selling at 53½c.

Hay dull, 12 loads sold at 57 to $8.50 per ton. Straw nominal. Vegetables, poultry, butter and eggs plentiful, prices unchanged.

Grain—

Wheat, white, bush	$0 88½ to ...
red, bush	0 88½ ...
goose, bush	0 79½ $0 77
Barley, bush	0 30 0 34
Rye, bush	0 46 ...
Oats, bush	0 27 0 28
Peas, bush	0 53½ ...
Buckwheat, bush	0 44 0 45

Hay and Straw—

Hay, per ton	$7 00 to $8 50
baled, cars	7 50 8 25
Straw, sheaf, per ton	0 00 7 00
loose, ton	4 00 5 00
baled, cars	4 00 5 00

Dairy Products—

Butter, lb, rolls	$0 17 to $0 20
creamery	0 18 0 21
large rolls	0 14 0 16
Eggs, fresh, case lots	0 17 0 18
fresh, per doz	0 20 0 25
Cheese, per lb	0 08½ 0 10

Fresh Meats—

Beef, hindquarters, cwt	$6 00 to $7 00
forequarters, cwt	4 25 5 00
Lamb, cwt	5 00 6 00
Veal, carcase, cwt	4 00 7 00
Mutton, carcase, cwt	5 00 6 00
Hogs, dressed, light	6 20 ...
heavy	6 00 ...

Poultry—

Chickens, per pair	$0 40 to $0 70
Ducks, per pair	0 50 0 75
Geese, per lb	0 07 0 08
Turkeys, per lb	0 08 0 09

Fruit and Vegetables—

Apples, per bbl	$1 75 to $2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 60 0 70
Cabbage, per doz	0 25 0 40
red, each	0 05 0 08
Cauliflower, per head	0 10 0 20
Beets, per bag	0 40 0 50
Onions, per bag	0 80 0 90
Carrots, red, per bag	0 40 0 50
Turnips, per bag	0 25 0 30
Parsnips, per bag	0 40 0 50
Squash, each	0 10 0 20

CANADIAN STOCKS FIRMER

Unsettled Feeling on Wall-street With General Liquidation

The New York Bank Statement Was Favorable—Increase in Toronto Railway Earnings—Grand Trunks Higher—Money in London Easy.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 15.

Consols are unchanged.

In Paris 3 per cent. rentes closed at 107f 17½c.

The Bank of Commerce intend opening a branch at Drumbo.

The earnings of Toronto Street Railway Thursday were $161.80, an increase of $553.

Grand Trunks were stronger to-day in London. A cable to A. E. Ames & Co. quoted 4 per cent. guar., at 74% and last preferred stock at 99c.

The earnings of Northern Pacific for the week ended Jan. 7 show an increase of $105,901, or 52 per cent.

Toronto Railway stock made another high record to-day, selling on the local board at 246, and to Montreal at 94. Earnings of the company continue to show satisfactory increases.

New York Bank Statement.

The associated bank statement was favorable. ...

Montreal Stock Market.

Montreal, Jan. 15.—Canadian Pacific, 84 and 87½; Duluth, 4 and 3½; do., pref., 8 and 6; Cable, 182% and 182½; Richelieu, 107 and 105⅞; Telegraph, 180 and 176; Canada Northwest Land, pref., 52½ and 51½; Nichelieu, 111 and 108½; Gas, 196 and 195; Street Railway, 241½ and 241¼; do., new, 246 and 238; Telephone, 175 and 172; Toronto Railway, 94½ and 94; Halifax Railway, 118 and 116½; Commal Railway, 47% and 30; St. John Railway, 129 and 127½; Royal Electric, 143 and 142; Montreal Bank, 228 and 234½; Merchants', 175 and 170; Commerce, 136 and 134½; Molsons, 205 and 200; Toronto, 235½ and 227; Ontario, 101 and 99; Dominion Coal, pref., 108½ and 108; Morning sales: C.P.R., 25 at 87%, 225 at 88, 250 at 87¼, 650 at 88...

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Toronto Stock Market.

	Jan. 14		Jan. 15	
	Ask.	Bid.	Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	238	233	238	234
Ontario	100½	99½	100%	99½
Toronto	...	235½	...	227
Merchants'	180	176	180	176
Commerce	135½	135	135½	135⅛
Imperial	190	189	190	189
Dominion	263	251	253	251
Standard	...	172½	...	172
Hamilton	172	170	174	170
Nova Scotia	...	240	...	240
Ottawa	...	190	...	192
British America	127½	125½	128½	128
Western Assurance	172	170	174	170
Imperial Life	...	131½	...	131½
Consumers' Gas	...	211	...	211
Montreal Gas	195	194½	196	195
Dom. Telegraph	132	130	132	130
Ont. & Q. Land Co.	60	48	60%	48
C. N. W. L. Co., pf	54	51	53½	51
C. P. R. Stock	88	87%	88	87%
Toronto Electric	138	135½	138	135½
do. new	...	129	...	129
Com. Cable Co.	182½	182½	182%	182%
do. coup. bonds	105	102½	105	103½
do. reg. bonds	105½	103½	105½	103½
Bell Tel Co.	174	172	174	172½
Richelieu & Ont.	108	106½	108	106½
Montreal St. Ry.	241	240	241	241
Toronto Railway	94%	94¼	94½	94
G. R. R. Guar.	76	74	74½	74
do., first pref	47	46½	47	46½
Brit Can L & Inv.	100	...	100	...
B. & Loan Assn.	...	60	...	60
Can L & N T In	102½	100½	102½	100½
Canada Permanent	...	131%	...	131%
do., 20 per cent.	...	105½	...	105½
Canada S & L.	118	...	118	...
Cent Can Loan	122½	121	122½	121
Dom S & I. Soc	78	75	78	75
Freehold L & Sav.	104	...	104	...
do., 20 pc	101	...	101	...
Ham. Provident	112	104	112	104
Huron & Erie	169	167	169	167
do., 20 per cent.	161	...	161	...
Imperial L & I.	100	...	100	...
Landed B & L Co	115	...	115	...
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	80	104	80	104
London Loan	...	102	...	102
Manitoba Loan	30	45	30	45
Ontario L & D.	121	119½	121	119½
People's Loan	...	41	...	41
Real Est L & D Co	63	57	63	57
Tor Gen Trusts	...	140	...	140
Toronto S & L.	119	...	119	...
Union L & S.	65	...	65	...
West. Can., L.&S.	120	112	120	112
do., 25 pc	...	112	...	112