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Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market.

LONDON, July 29—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 95⅞ for money; 95 15-16 for account; U. S. 4½s, 102⅞; U. S. 4s, 110½; St. Paul, 64⅞; Erie seconds 100; Erie, 18⅞; Pacific Central, 51⅞; Reading, 13⅞; Canadian Pacific, 85⅞; New York Central, 101⅞; Illinois Central, 96⅞; Bank of England rate, 2½ per cent.; open market discount, 1⅞ to 1⅞.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, July 29—1 p.m.—Stock market dull and firm; American Express, 116; Atcheson, 32⅞; C. B. and Q., 80⅞; Canadian Pacific, 80⅞; Canada Southern, 47⅞; C. and N. W., —; Delaware and Hudson, 127⅞; Delaware and Lackawanna, 131⅞; L. and N., 69; Lake Shore, 108; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 20⅞, preferred, 61; New York Central, —; N. W., —; R. I., 51⅞; St. Paul, 32⅞; preferred, —; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 41⅞; Western Union, 79.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, July 29.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	224	221
Ontario	114	111½
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	223	219
Merchants'	—	—
Commerce	129¾	129¼
Imperial	164	163¾
Dominion	234	233
Standard	160	156
Hamilton	160	158
British America	101	—
Western Assurance	143	142½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Co.	78⅞	78
C. P. R. Grant Bonds	109½	—
C. P. R. Stock	80⅞	80
Farmers' Loan and Savings	122	—
London and Canada L. and A.	130	129
London and Ontario	—	—
Huron and Erie	—	155
Dominion Savings and Loan	96	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	—
Canadian S. & Loan	—	—
London Loan	—	—

SALES—Commerce, 50 at 129⅞; Imperial, 10 at 163⅞; Western Assurance, 32, 10 and 8 at 142½; C. P. R. Stock, 25 at 80.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

LONDON, Wednesday, July 29.

The past week has been a busy one in this market in some lines, particularly vegetables and fruit. The supply of both increased considerably and some days exceeded the demand. Prices at closing had declined in almost every article. Tuesday, the last market of any importance in these special lines, saw a good many sales at low figures. Raspberries sold at 6c to 7c per quart and 75c to $1 per pail; black currants at 8c to 10c per quart.

The grain market has been steady as to prices, but trade was dull on account of light deliveries. Oats ranged at about $1 42 to $1 44 for the week. There was nothing done in peas, barley or corn; none came forward.

To-day we had the first receipts of new wheat. Mr. Tuckey, of London township, was the seller, and Mr. Reynolds, Hunt Bros., the buyer. The wheat was of the Manchester variety, and was of very good quality, large berry and quite hard. The price paid was 90c per standard bushel, and the wheat tested 63 lbs. Another load sold to Pritchard & Co. at $1 50 per 100 lbs, or equal to 90c per bushel. We quote wheat to-day at 90c for new and $1 for old per bushel, or $1 50 to $1 67 per 100 lbs, the inside figures being the price of new and the outside for old. General quotations are as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$ 90	to	$1 00
Wheat, spring per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 66
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 66
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 66
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	62
Rye, per 100 lbs	00	to	00
Buckwheat	00	to	1 00
Oats	1 44	to	1 44
Corn	1 35	to	1 40
Peas	1 20	to	1 20
Beans, per bush	00	to	00
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 25	to	1 27
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	13	to	13
Eggs, basket	12	to	12½
Eggs, store lots	11	to	12
Butter, pound rolls per lb	18	to	20
Butter, crock or larger rolls	16	to	18
Butter tub or firkin	10	to	18
Cheese	9	to	9
Lard	10	to	10
Dressed hogs	6 00	to	6 25
Turnips, per bush	00	to	00
Carrots, per bush	00	to	00
Potatoes, per bag	1 00	to	1 20
Parsnips per bush	50	to	60
Onions, per bush	00	to	00
Apples, bag	0 00	to	0 00
Beef, per cwt	5 00	to	6 00
Mutton, per lb	7	to	08
Lamb, per lb	8	to	08
Veal, per lb	5	to	06
Chickens, per pair	50	to	75
Ducks, per pair	75	to	1 00
Turkeys each	70	to	1 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4½	to	4½
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3½	to	3½
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2½	to	2½
Wool, per lb	18	to	20
Calfskins, green, per lb	8	to	8
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	to	0
Lambskins, each	35	to	35
Pelts, each	25	to	25
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	to	2 75
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 50	to	2 50
Stone flour, stone	2 50	to	2 50
Buckwheat flour	0 00	to	0 00
Oatmeal, standard per bag	3 30	to	3 00
Oatmeal, granulated per bag	3 00	to	3 20
Oatmeal, rolled per bag	3 00	to	3 20
Cornmeal, per bag	2 00	to	2 25
Bran, per ton	14 00	to	16 00
Shorts, per ton	20 00	to	22 00
Clover seed per bushel	0 00	to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bushel	0 00	to	0 00
Hay	8 00	to	9 50
Hungarian	00	to	00
Millet	00	to	00
Flax	0 00	to	0 00

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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, July 29.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, $1 04 to $1 04; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 94c to 95c; spring, No. 2, 96c to 96c; red winter, No. 2, $1 01 to $1 02.

PEAS—No. 2, 70c to 75c.

OATS—No. 2, 48c to 51c.

CORN—70c to 70c.

FLOUR—Extra, $4 20 to $4 25; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 50.

Market unchanged, Sales—No. 2 fall outside at 90c; No. 2 hard Manitoba at $1 04; oats to arrive at 48c and outside at 49c to 50c.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, July 29.

FLOUR—Receipts, 2,700 bbls; sales, 1,000 sacks; market quiet and unchanged. Prices are as follows: Patents winter, $5 20 to $5 40; do. spring, $5 25 to $5 50; straight roller, $4 90 to $5 10; extra, $4 50 to $4 70; superfine, $4 00 to $4 20; strong bakers, $5 25 to $5 25; Ontario bags, $2 00 to $2 20.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, $1 10 to $1 12; corn, 75c to 75c; peas, 90c to 91c; oats, 51c to 53c; barley, 65c to 67c; rye, 53c to 84c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 90 to $3 00; cornmeal, $1 60.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $17 00 to $17 50; lard, 8c to 9c; bacon, 9½c to 10½c; hams, 10½c to 11½c; cheese, 8½c to 9½c; butter, townships, 16c to 18c; Morrisburg, 16c to 17c; Western, 14c to 15c; eggs 12½c to 13½c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, July 29.

Floating cargoes—Wheat strong, corn none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat very strong, corn firm.

Mark Lane—Wheat, corn and flour, turn dearer; do, good mixed American corn 30s, was 29s 9d; S. M. flour 28s 3d, was 28s; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast, 41s 6d, was 41s; do. Australian wheat off coast, 40s, was 39s 6d; present and following month 40s 6d, was 40s; do. Chilian wheat off coast, 38s 6d, was 38s; present and following month 38s 6d, was 38s.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. wheat prompt sail 41s 9d, was 40s 9d; do. nearly due 41s 9d, was 40s 9d; No. 2 red winter prompt steamer 37s 6d, was 37s; present and following month 37s 6d, was 37s.

French country markets firmer.

Weather in England very wet. Weather in France unsettled.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet, but steady, corn slow; corn 5s 11½d—½d cheaper.

LIVERPOOL, July 29.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	July 27		July 28.		July 29	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	7 8	7 8½	7 10	7 10½	7 10	7 10½
Red winter	7 6½	7 0	7 6½	7 0	7 6½	7 7
Kan. winter	7 8½	0 0	7 10½	7 11	7 10½	7 11
No. 1 Cal.	8 0½	8 1	8 2½	8 3	8 2½	8 3
Corn	5 1½	0 0	5 11½	0 0	5 11½	0 0
Peas, per c.	6 8	0 0	6 8	0 0	6 8	0 0
Pork	55 0	0 0	55 0	0 0	55 0	0 0
Lard	33 6	0 0	32 9	0 0	33 9	0 0
Bacon, s. c.	33 0	00 0	33 0	00 0	33 6	00 0
Bacon, l. c.	35 6	00 0	35 6	00 0	36 0	00 0
Tallow	25 6	00 0	25 9	00 0	26 3	00 0
Cheese, wh.	44 0	00 0	44 0	00 0	44 0	00 0
Cheese, col.	44 0	00 0	44 0	00 0	44 0	00 0

Wheat firm; demand has fallen off, holders offer sparingly; corn steady; demand fair.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, July 29.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—July, 88½c; Aug., 87⅞c; Sept., 87½c; Dec., 89½c.

CORN—July, 63c; Aug., 59c; Sept., 57½c.

OATS—July, 22c; Aug., 27½c; Sept., 27⅞c.

MESS PORK—Sept., $11 40; Oct., $11 45.

LARD—Sept., $6 72½; Oct., $6 82½.

SHORT RIBS—Sept., $6 92½; Oct., $7 02½.

CASH QUOTATIONS WERE.

Flour, steady; unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 88½c to 89c; No. 2 red, 88½c to 88½c; No. 2 corn, 62c; No. 2 oats, 32c; No. 2 rye, 71c; barley, no sales; mess pork, $11 36; lard, $6 60; short ribs sides, $6 80 to $6 85; dry salted shoulders, $5 90 to $6; short clear sides, $7 25 to $7 30.

Receipts—			
Flour	16,000	Wheat	654,000
Corn	312,000	Oats	234,000
Rye	57,000	Barley	2,000
Shipments—			
Flour	7,000	Wheat	176,000
Corn	863,000	Oats	174,000
Rye	0,000	Barley	4,000

TOLEDO, July 29.

WHEAT—Active; 91½c cash and July, 90½c Aug., 93½c Dec.

CORN—Dull; 65½c cash.

OATS—Dull; 32c cash.

MILWAUKEE, July 29.

WHEAT—Quiet; 91½c cash and July, 84½c Sept.

DETROIT, July 29.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 93c cash; No. 2 red, 91c bid cash and July, 90½c bid Aug., 94c Dec.

OSWEGO, July 29.

WHEAT—Higher; white State at $1 01 to $1 02.

CORN—Market lower; No. 2 yellow, 73c.

OATS—Market steady; white western at 50c.

BARLEY—Market unchanged; no receipts, shipments or sales.

Canada lumber receipts by lake, 466,153 feet. Canada coal shipments by lake, 495 tons.

NEW YORK, July 29.

FLOUR—Receipts, 15,407 packages; fairly active; irregular, closing easier; sales, 27,900 barrels; low extras, $3 75 to $4 35; city mills, $5 to $5 15; city mill patents, $5 15 to $5 50. Winter wheat—Low grades, $3 75 to $4 35; fair to fancy, $4 40 to $5 10; patents, $4 to $5 25.

RYE FLOUR—Quiet; $4 60 to $5.

CORNMEAL—Quiet; $3 25 to $3 85.

WHEAT—Receipts, 139,200 bu; exports, 56,059 bu; sales, 4,888,000 bu futures; 1,036,000 bu spot; spot decidedly lower and very active for export; No. 2 red, 99c to $1, elevator and store; $1 01 to $1 01½, afloat; $1 00½ to $1 02½, f. o. b.; No. 2 Chicago, $1 05; No. 2 Milwaukee, $1 03; options fairly active early; ⅜c to ½c up on bad weather reports, firm cables and shorts covering; declined 1⅜c to 1½c on free selling of longs; reacted ½c to ¾c on covering and closed steady at ⅜c to ½c under yesterday; No. 2 red, July, 98⅜c; Aug., 97½c; Sept., 97½c; Oct., 97½c; Nov., 98c; Dec., 99½c.

RYE—Firm and quiet; western, Sept., 77c to 80c.

BARLEY MALT—Dull; Canada countrymade, $1 to $1 05; city do., $1 05 to $1 10.

CORN—Receipts, 3,770 bu; exports, 3,619 bu; sales, 1,408,000 bu futures; 24,000 bu spot; spot quiet; ungraded mixed, 70c to 72c; options less active; declined with wheat 1c to 1⅜c, reacted ½c to ¾c and closed steady at ⅜c to 1⅜c below yesterday; July, 70c; Aug., 67⅞c; Sept., 65⅞c; Oct., 64½c; Dec., 55½c.

OATS—Receipts, 72,000 bu; sales, 130,000 bu futures; 67,000 bu spot; spot lower; unsettled; quiet; options dull; lower and heavy; July, 38c; Aug., 38⅜c; Sept., 33⅜c; spot, No. 2, 40½c to 42c; mixed western, 37½c to 43c; white do., 47c to 59c; feed bran, 85c to 95c; middlings, 85c to $1 25; rye feed, $1 15.

HAY—Quiet; 75c to 90c.

HOPS—Quiet and easy; 18c to 21c.

SUGAR—Dull; easier; standard "A," 4 5-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5½c; powdered, 4⅝c; granulated, 4⅜c to 4½c.

PORK—Dull; old mess, $11 25 to $12 25; new mess, $12 75 to $18 25; extra prime, $11 to $11 50.

LARD—Quiet; western steam, $6 82½.

BUTTER—Moderate demand; unchanged.

CHEESE—Quiet and easy; State, 6½c to 8½c; fancy, 8½c to 8¾c; part skims, 3c to 6½c; full skims, 2c to 2½c.

Live Stock Markets.

TORONTO.

TORONTO, July 29.—Cattle—The market for butchers' cattle was draggy; good choice animals brought from 4½c to 4½c per lb, and medium to good 3½c to 4, though some very poor stock went as low as 3c per lb and found few takers; poor animals are not in demand; the market for stockers was weak, with little doing; business in export cattle weak; market firm at a range of from 4½c to 4¾c per lb for pretty fair stock; no extra choice or choice animals offered. No export cattle are wanted this week, because all the space on shipboard and in the yards at Montreal has been covered; next week it is expected there will be an improved demand; not many exporters came in: two loads of medium animals, weighing on an average about 1,210 lbs per head, were sold for $4 60 a cwt; the price for stockers ran at from $3 to $3 60 per cwt.

Hogs—Good, fair hogs, average of from 170 to 200 lbs, brought from $5 70 to $5 75, weighed off cars; not weighed off cars, $5 45 to $5 50; stores not wanted; they are quoted at from 4½c to 5c per lb; light, fat hogs in slow demand at from 5c to 5½c per lb; one double deck of good fat hogs was sold for $5 75 per cwt, weighed off cars, and six pretty fair hogs brought $5 25. The market has an upward tendency.

Milch Cows and Springers—Springers held their own fairly well at from $25 to $40 apiece, with $50 for some extra choice animals. Those fetching $25 are hardly worth buying. A number were left over. Milch cows, good ones, are selling at from $25 to $40 per head, but there is no demand. Some good cows brought only $32. Those on sale are mostly left-over stock.

Sheep and Lambs—Good export sheep are worth 4c per lb. Rams fetch 3½c per lb, with slow sale. Lambs were fairly traded in, but the supply was away ahead of the demand and many were held over. Prices, $3 to $4 per head. Butchers' sheep are firm and unchanged.

Calves—Only 50 calves, 2 car loads, came in to-day, but there was a deal of stock on sale which had been kept over from Friday's market. Prices ranged all the way from $2 per head for "slinks," up to $6 for good choice veals. One fine animal brought $6 25. The market generally is firm with a sufficient supply.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, July 29.—Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; quality poor; left over, 6,000; market active on packing and shipping account; prices unchanged. Sales: $3 50 to $5 20 for pigs, $4 75 to $5 75 for light, $4 60 to $4 95 for rough packing, $4 85 to $5 65 for mixed, and $5 to $5 65 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; quality fair; market active on local and shipping account; prices well supported. Quotations ranged: $5 30 to $6 40 for choice to fancy shipping steers, $5 to $5 70 for good to choice do., $4 50 to $5 90 for common to fair do, $3 75 to $4 40 for butchers' steers, $2 60 to $3 50 for stockers, $2 25 to $4 30 for Texans, $3 40 to $4 30 for feeders, $1 50 to $4 for cows, $1 50 to $3 50 for bulls, $2 50 to $4 50 for veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; quality good; market active; prices steady. Quotations: $3 50 to $4 75 for westerns, $3 75 to $5 10 for natives, and $4 to $5 50 for lambs.

TORONTO STREET MARKET.

TORONTO, July 29.—The receipts of grain on the street to-day were small. Prices were generally steady. Hay higher at $16 to $17 50 for old, and $9 to $11 50 for new. Quotations:

Wheat, white, per bush	$ 0 00	to	$ 1 07
Wheat, spring, per bush	0 00	to	0 98
Wheat, red, per bush	0 00	to	1 08
Wheat, goose, per bush	00	to	85
Barley, per bush	47	to	49
Oats, per bush	53	to	54½
Peas	00	to	75½
Rye	77	to	80
Hay, old	16 00	to	17 50
Hay, new	9 00	to	11 50
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	6 50	to	6 75

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., July 29.—Cattle—Receipts of sale stock, one car, but there were fully 35 to 40 loads of Monday and Tuesday cattle still unsold. Market flat; good, heavy cattle a grade lower; very little done, a few feeders of good quality selling at $3 to $3 30, and one load of good medium cattle at $3 70. Quite a number of cattle held over again, and some of them are good fat export grades.

Sheep and Lambs—Fresh receipts of sale stock two loads; one load held over from yesterday. The market was steady and about all were sold. Good to prime lots of sheep sold at $4 90 to $5 20, with other grades as quoted in the table of prices.

Hogs—Offerings 18 cars, 10 of which were held over from yesterday. The market was at a standstill, nothing being done worth mentioning, and the prospects are decidedly lower, especially for common and grassy stock.

The Dairy Markets.

WOODSTOCK, July 29.—Twenty-four factories boarded 5,190 boxes first half July. Sales, 400 boxes at 8⅞c, 1,185 at 9c; nine buyers present; market brisk.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, July 29.—Oil to-day opened and closed at $1 33¾.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—On leaden feet the time goes by
As you wait for her at the pasture bars;
But oh, how swift the moments fly
When you're standing with her under the stars!

—Yesterday seemed to be wet grocery men's day.

—Miss Gertrude Ball and Miss Daisy Rose, of Chatham, are visiting Mrs. Thomas Muir, city.

—Miss May Trudell, of Horton street, city, is spending her vacation with friends in Seaforth.

—Mr. Wm. Burr, of Chicago, has returned home to attend the funeral of his late father, James Burr.

—L. H. Smith, of this city, and M. A. Smith, of Forest, who are now in England, will sail from Liverpool on Aug. 19.

—Annie Lambert, a middle-aged woman, charged with vagrancy, was sent to jail yesterday by the police magistrate.

—Secretary Browne has received several entries for the cros-cut sawing contest at the fair. It promises to be highly entertaining.

—The artificial stone walk on Richmond street, from Fullarton street to Maple, has been finished. It speaks well for the enterprise of the ratepayers.

—Joshua Madison, the Muncey Indian accused of stealing two pigs from a man named McLaughlin, was found not guilty by Judge Elliot yesterday morning.

—Miss McGee, of London, Ont., and Miss Bella Ker and Edwin Ker, of Toronto, are the guests of Miss Carrie Wright, of Fifth street.—[Niagara Falls Review.

—Contractor Flory is putting down some fine artificial stone work at the Dundas street residence of Engineer John M. Moore, which is a great improvement over the old style paths of asphalt or pine strips.

—Owing to such a demand for cottages at the favorite summer resort, Grand Bend, E. H. Fish has rented his building to A. Screaton and M. H. Rowland, of London, who will take possession on Aug. 1.—[Exeter Advocate.

—According to the estimates of No. 3 Committee, during this year it will cost $19,000 for street lighting, $16,400 for fire service, $4,800 for street watering and $950 for the market. A drain for No. 6 ward fire hall is figured at $400.

—Mayor Taylor yesterday instructed two or three men to clean up Queen's Park, which was found strewed with papers and in a decidedly unclean condition. An able-bodied man should be employed there who would attend to such matters, says a ratepayer.

—The baseball match arranged for in St. Thomas to-day between the Browns, of that city, and Blues, of Tilsonburg, is off on account of the inability of the Blues to connect. A number of city people intended to have seen the game, as the clubs are so evenly matched.

—Matthew Brown and George Angus, two young lads, charged by James A. Dorman, who keeps a store in connection with the McClary club rooms, with the larceny of some chewing gum, were allowed to go by the police magistrate yesterday with a warning.

—The members of the Y. M. C. A. Boating Club rowed to Springbank Tuesday night and thence went on foot to Hyde Park. They spent a pleasant hour there, the guests of Mrs. Morris, and returned by the same methods. Outings of this kind have proved very enjoyable.

—The rain did not prevent two boat loads of children from going down the river yesterday afternoon. The annual picnic of St. John the Evangelist Sunday school was the occasion. Thanks to the conveniences at Wonderland and Springbank they may enjoy the day under cover.

—Bright weather yesterday drew a big crowd of Sunday school children to the Port with happy expectations, which subsequent showers might blight to some extent. The annual picnics of St. James' Anglican Church, South London, and Talbot Street Baptist Church Sunday school were held at the popular resort.

—Contractor Shea has written a letter to the Council, and says the last has not been heard of the "gravel irregularities," so-called. He declares that he was working only three days, while the "spies" reported that they had watched him six days. Furthermore, Mr Shea claims, he can prove that the informers were walking around the streets at the time they were alleged to have been watching him.

—"Professor" J. B. Simpson was assaulted the other night. He met a young couple sitting on the boulevard rail at the corner of Simcoe and Colborne streets. Some words ensued, with the result that the "professor" received a savage blow in the eye, around which crape hangs at present. After being knocked over Mr. Simpson pluckily roused himself, and when last seen by the spectators was chasing his antagonist down the road.

—The teamsters of the G. T. R., C. P. R. and M. C. R. have decided to hold their first union picnic on the Queen's Park on the civic holiday, Aug. 17, and J. Crawford has been appointed chairman, A. F. Wicks secretary, and Wm. Jenkins treasurer of a strong committee to carry out the arrangements and to wait on merchants for prizes. Only wholesale men will be solicited, but donations from any others will be gratefully acknowledged. The public is cordially invited to attend the picnic.

—The ADVERTISER on Monday mentioned the chagrin of some Londoners who missed the boat at Cleveland Sunday. The Press of that city says: The weekly excursion boat, Joe Milton, between Port Stanley and Cleveland, steamed out of the harbor Sunday afternoon, and left fourteen excursionists whom it had brought across the lake with it, staring blankly after it and swearing vengeance against the captain who, they said, had left before the scheduled time. There were women and children in the party and money was scarce, as all came prepared for a flying trip only. All found resting places, however, and telegraphed for funds Monday morning.

Lost Two Fingers.

John Williams, of Thames street, employed at the London Foundry, had two fingers cut off his left hand yesterday while at work. A circular saw was the cause.

Dominion Voters' Lists.

But two days longer, and it may be difficult for young men and new comers to the city to get their names on the voters' lists. To all such, who wish to vote in the next election, the advice is given to visit the Liberal rooms, Oddfellows' Block, any afternoon or evening and make assurance doubly sure.

THE WORK ENDED.

The Court of Revision Finishes Its Labors—How the Appeals Were Disposed Of—Thirty-One Dismissed Through Non-Appearance.

The Court of Revision met last evening with the intention of rendering decisions on the remainder of the appeals and they had succeeded at 10:45 p.m. There were present: Aldermen Gartshore (chairman), Judd, Wilkey, Ivey and J. Fitzgerald, Clerk Kingston, Commissioner Grant, Assessors Toll and Fairgrieves. Thirty-one appeals were dismissed owing to the non-appearance of appellants. Following were the decisions on real, personal and income appeals: Geo. B. Wilson, reduced $6,500; Mr. Flock, for Peters estate, reduced $600; Mr. Flock, for Ball Electric Light Company, reduced by $2,300; Mr. Flock, for E. M. Lawrason, reduced by $100; Mrs. Richards, $535 off; Hugh A. Stringer, $500 off; Abraham Cole, $1,000 off; Edward McGarvey, reduced by $600; Thomas Condrick, reduced to $2,000; London Soap Company, reduced to $1,000 and assessed to J. H. McMechan; James Williams, reduced to $2,000; David Spence, reduced to $700; Charles Hutchinson, assessment confirmed; S. W. Abbott, assessment confirmed; A. S. Abbott, assessment confirmed; James Elson, reduced $200; Rev. M. P. Talling, reduced to $2,500; Wm. Moylan, assessment confirmed; Chas. E. Wright, assessment confirmed; Geo. H. Hawthorn, allowed; S. Genge, allowed; S. Nixon, assessment confirmed; Col. Taylor, $2,000 off; G. C. Gunn, for Equitable Life, $1,000 off; Mrs. T. Burgess, $100 off; Chas. Brennan, reduced to $100; Jas. Magee, for Travelers' Assurance Company, $1,500 off; Thomas McCormick, left at $22,000; W. C. Noble, reduced $600; National Insurance Company, allowed; London and Lancashire Insurance Company allowed; C. J. Mills, first appeal referred to commissioner, second appeal on assessment confirmed, third appeal reduced to $2,200; Mrs. Davidson, reduced by $1,000; A. Robinson, assessment confirmed; A. Keenleyside, $800 off; John Elliot & Sons, a new bylaw will have to be passed to repeal the bylaw in force in order to deal with this case, court allowed $10,000 off in case bylaw passes; C. B. Hunt, $5,000 off; Ontario Car Company, personalty remitted, reduced $17,000; Hugh Kyle, reduced to $1,000; Jas. Smith estate, reduced to $1,200; A. McCormick, reduced to $600; S. S. Armitage, $500 off; Thomas & Chisholm, reduced $400; Wm. Morrison confirmed; George Brown, reduced to $1,400; British American Insurance Company, allowed; Murray Anderson, extra lot struck off; Western Canada Oil Land Company, $905 off; R. C. Brumpton, allowed; Mrs. Haskett, reduced to $1,500; A. McPherson, on behalf of Queen's Insurance Company, allowed; Renwick estate, $1,250 off; Ralph Hodgins, allowed on bath-house, personal property, reduced to $500, realty to $8,000; Thomas Blackwell, allowed; Chas. Maker, realty, confirmed, personalty allowed; G. Gray, reduced to $1,200; H. A. Kingsmill, reduced to $2,000; Thos. Caldwell, reduced to $5,000; W. D. Buckle, reduced to $2,000; A. Gunn, reduced to $2,500; T. McCormick, confirmed; John Mattheson, reduced to $650; R. J. C. Dawson, confirmed; N. P. Graydon, allowed; J. Fulcher, reduced to $800; Wm. Payne, reduced to $550; J. Flood, allowed.

Statute labor appeals allowed: A. E. Westman, A. D. Westman, W. G. Robinson, Geo. Finchamp, R. H. Carrothers, Henry Law, W. White, J. Brazell.

Dog taxes: Alex. Tytler, reduced one dog; and Henry Dean, J. W. Hyman, Jas. Kilkenny, Henry Jones, J. Siddons, Albert Smith and J. J. McGee, allowed.

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Tardy Justice Done to Northwest Rebellion Claimants.

Mr. Arnoldi "Ceases from the Active Performance of His Duties."

OTTAWA, July 29.—When the House resumed this afternoon the Election Franchise Act amendment introduced by Sir John Thompson was again taken up. The time for voters to apply to have their names put on the lists is extended from July 29 to Aug. 15 in the bill, which passed its third reading. Revising barristers are to be notified at once by telegraph. The supplementary lists are to be made up from the assessment rolls of the current year. When the revising officer gives public notice of his final transcript he shall keep the list open for public inspection not less than six days. A clause affecting city polling booths was also adopted.

Mr. Speaker read a letter from the Governor-General's secretary notifying him that Mr. Justice Strong, acting for the deputy governor, would attend in the Senate Chamber on Friday afternoon to give the royal assent to such bills as are ripe for the royal assent.

LOCAL JUDGES' SALARIES.

The House went into committee to consider the following resolution:

That it is expedient to provide that the salaries of local judges in Admiralty, as such judges, shall be as follows: The local judge of the district of Quebec, $2,000 per annum; district of Nova Scotia, $1,000 per annum; district of New Brunswick, $1,000 per annum; district of Prince Edward Island, $800 per annum; district of British Columbia, $600 per annum; Toronto district, $600 per annum, and that each such judge shall be paid such traveling allowance as the Governor in Council from time to time determines.

Sir John Thompson said there was no change in the salaries, but the old salaries were re-enacted with the fees formerly paid added on. British Columbia, where formerly there was no salary, was an exception.

Mr. Davies wanted to know how these sums were arrived at. The Quebec salary he thought out of all bounds, and as to Toronto he understood the gentleman holding the position held half a dozen other positions, and received altogether about $6,000 or as much as the Chief Justice of Ontario.

Sir John Thompson gave statistics of the cases instituted for trial in these courts. In Toronto there had been 37 in five years.

A bill founded on these resolutions was introduced and stands for the second reading.

NORTH WEST REBELLION CLAIMS.

After recess Sir Adolphe Caron moved the House into Committee on Resolutions, authorizing the Government to pay scrip or free homestead to members of the enrolled militia bearing arms in the suppression of the Northwest rebellion in 1885 who had not applied for the bounty under the act before the time for presenting claims had expired on 1st February, 1887. At that time, the Minister explained, a number of volunteers had not applied, and these resolutions were to empower the payment of the scrip or money to those whose claims had been investigated or may be.

Col. Ouimet asked if the claims of the half-breeds in the Edmonton District would be recognized under the resolution. A clause of the resolution named two corps of the Regina Volunteer Company and the Battleford Home Guards to which the resolutions would apply, and he asked why the Edmonton half-breeds were not included.

The Minister's reply was unsatisfactory, and Col. Ouimet, in a speech, pressed upon the attention of the Government the claims of the half-breeds and urged them upon grounds of justice and policy.

Mr. Davin said the resolution was a piece of "tardy justice." He said it had been necessary for him to insist and persist in his insistance upon the claims of men who clearly came under the act of 1885 before he had procured their recognition by the Government. He suggested that the teamsters who were employed during the rebellion for the forces be included. This brought a protest from Colonel Denison, who said that to include the teamsters would be ridiculous. They were paid $10 a day, and he recalled that so much money was paid to them that there were charges of jobbery and corruption in connection with their payment.

Mr. Laurier, reading from the act of 1885, showed that its provisions were very wide and included every irregular force, the scouts, hospital nurses and others. In the present resolutions certain corps were mentioned and certain men are named to whom the resolutions were to apply. He asked if these corps and men were not covered by the act of 1885.

The Minister of Militia replied that they were.

The leader of the Opposition pointed out that in that case it was unnecessary that they be named in these resolutions, that all that was necessary was to extend the time of the act. This would do away with the invidious naming of these corps which made it appear that the act was being extended. Perhaps, he said, it would be well to extend the act to make it include everyone who did good service to his country. He thought there was a disposition on the part of the House to extend gratitude to all who did good work. If it was only intended to extend the time of the application of the act the resolutions were unnecessarily long.

Sir John Thompson said there was no intention by the resolution to extend the scope of the act, but simply to revive the application of the act.

The resolutions passed and the committee rose.

MR. ARNOLDI SUSPENDED.

Upon the motion for the adjournment of the House Mr. Laurier observed that he had seen it stated in the public press that departmental action had been taken by the Minister of Public Works