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Mining Stocks. Toronto, May 20.—Following are to-day's losing quotations on the Toronto Mining and

Industrial change:	Asked.	Bid.
Foley		70
Hanimond Reel	42	401/2
Hiawatha.	24	22
iolden Star	33	521/2
Sawbill Superior G. and C. Co		35
Superior G. and C. Co	140	195
Cariboo	140	135
Minnehaha	20	231/2
Minnehaha Waterloo	110	140
Cariboo Hydraunc	140	142
Smuggler	11	31/2
Winnipeg	30 1/2	30
Did fronsides	90	90
Athabasca	43	40
Dundee	20	20
Dardanelles	143/4	141/4
Noble Five Rambler-Cariboo Con	281/2	28
Rambler-Cariboo Con	35	321/2
Two kriends	0	41/4
Wonderful Group	9	71/2
Van Anda	0%	61/4
Republic	135	132
Big Three	23	22
Empress	6/2	53/4
Alice A	21	181/2
J. O. 41	81/4	73/4
Sentinel	1814	16
Commander	10	6
Deer Park	6	41/2
Evening Star	121/2	111/2
Iron Colt.	121/2	111/2
Iron Horse	17	13
Inon Most	60	53
Iron Mask. Montreal Gold Fields	22	20
Monte Cristo Con	12	11
Northern Belle	3¼	23/4
St. Paul		21/2
Silver Bell Con		23/4
St Elma	6	51/2
St. Elmo. Victory-Triumph. War Eagle Con.	7	61/2
Wan Facle Can	376	870
White Deep	434	434
White Bear	5	4 1/2
B. C. Gold Fields	614	6
Can. G. F. S	71%	6
Gold Hills Crow's Nest Pass Coel	13 00	37.00
Dothernilan	6	5
Rathmullen		1091/
Fairview Corporation	171/2	161
Morrison.		75
Brandon & Golden		
SALES-Golden Star, 200	at 53%. Min	nenana
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boo, 1,000 at 331/2. Republi	ic, 500 at 13	on ot e
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Local Market.
London, Monday, May 22.
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Wheat, white, per bu69c
Wheat, red, per bu69c
Wheat, spring, per bu70c to 710
Oats, per bu 321/4c to 321/4c
Oats, per bu35c to 36c
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu39%c to 40%e
Barley, per bu
Rye, per bu
Beans, per bu

The receipts were light as usual on Monday. No change in prices. Oil Markets.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 22.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 13.

PETROLIA, May 22.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 40.

OIL CITY, Pa., May 22.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 13.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cent. I verpool for the three previous ma...dt cafs. In the case of wheat highest prices are given. | May | May | May | May

WHEAT-		May 17.		May 18.		19.		20.	
Red Winter No. 1 Nor. Spring		0 2	0	0.2%		111/2	5	111/2	
No. 1 Cal	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	4	
May		81/4		11	0	0	0	0	
July		048		73%	5	81/2	0	0	
Sept	6	01/8	5	7	5	7 1/8	0	0	
CORN-	1					01/	-		
New			3	6	3	61/2		6	
O'd	3	61/2		61/2	3	51/8		61/4	
May	3	5/3	3	53%	3	536		0	
July			3	578	3		0	0	
Flour			17	=6	17	6	0	0	
Peas				8	5	814			
Pork			42	6	42	6	142	6	
Pork	26	3	26	3	26	3	26	6	
Tallow	24	6	24	6	24	9	25	0	
Bacon, light	28	6	28		28	6	28	6	
Cheese, white	51	6	51	6	51	6	51	6	
Cheese, colored	149	6	149	6	49	6	149	.0	

American Markets. American Markets.

CHICAGO, May 20.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 May. 72%c; July. 13%c to 15%c; Sept., 73%c. Corn—No. 2 May. 21%c; July. 33%c; Sapt., 33%c to 34c. Oats—No. 2 May. 21c; July. 23%c to 23%c; Sept., 20%c. Pork.—July. 38 25; Sept., 28 35. Lard—July. 35 12%; Sept., \$5 25. Short fibs—July. 34 70; Hept., 34 82%. Cash quotations as follows: Flour. dull; windexpatents. \$3 60 to \$3 70; straights, \$3 30 to \$3 40; clears. \$3 10 to \$3 20; soring specials. 34 20; patents. \$3 30 to \$3 70; straights, \$2 80 to \$3 10; bakers, \$2 20 to \$2 25;

wheat, 67c 1. 58c; No. 2 red, 75c to 764c; No. 2 corn, 33%c; No. 2 red, 75c to 764c; No. 2 corn, 33%c; No. 2 yellow, corn, 33%c; No. 2 white, 30c to 31c; No. 3 white, 29c to 30c; No. 2 white, 30c to 31c; No. 3 white, 29c to 30c; No. 2 re, 62c; No. 2 barley, 35c to 41c; No. 1 flarseed, \$1 03%; Northwest, 1 05%; prime timothy seed, 32 25; mess pork, 88 15 to \$6 70; lard, \$5 05 to \$5 07%; short rib sides, loose, \$4 50 to \$4 80; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 4%c to 4%c; short clear sides, boxed, 4%c to 4%c; short clear sides, boxed, 4% to 55; sugars, cutloaf, \$6 02; granulated, \$5 59; clover, contract grade, \$6 10 to \$6 25; eggs, steady, fresh, 12%c to 13c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, \$,000 bbls; wheat, 17,000 bushels; corn, 99,000 bushels; cats, 272,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, \$,000 bbls; wheat, 56.000 bushels; corn, 433,000 bushels; cats, 279,000 bushels; corn, 433,000 bushels; cats, 279,000 bushels; rye, 6,000 bushels; barley, 2,000 bushels.

CHICAGO, May 22—Opening—Corn, July, CHICAGO, May 22—Opening—Corn, July, 334c to 334c; Sept., 334c to 334c. Oats, July, 25%a to 234c; May, 20%c. Pork, July, \$8 17%; Sept., \$8 35. Bibs, Sept., \$4 80. Wheat, July, 374c to 734c; Sept., 73%c to 734c.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, May 20. The limited supply of cattle today were quickly disposed of at former prices; fancy grades, \$5 50 to \$5 60; choice steers, \$5 25 to \$5 45; mediums, \$4 80 to \$4 95; cows and heifers, \$3 60 to \$4 25; bulls, \$3 to \$4 50; western fed steers, \$4 60 to \$5 40; Texans. \$4 to \$5; calves, \$4 50 to \$7 50. There was an active demand for hogs at un-changed prices; fair to choice, \$3 85 to \$4; heavy packers, \$3 60 to \$3 821/2; mixed, \$3 65 to \$3 871/2; butchers, \$3 70 to \$3 95; lights, \$3 70 to \$3 921/2; pigs, \$3 35 to \$3 75. The offerings of sheep were too few to make a market and prices were pretty nominal. Receipts-Cattle, 800; hogs, 18,000; sheep, 1,000.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Beeves-Receipts, 362; all slaughterers; no trading; feeling steady; shipments, 765 cattle and 5,617 quarters of beef. Calves-Receipts, 265; steady; good veals sold at \$7 25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,-924; sheep and lambs firm; spring lambs steady; medium to choice sheep, \$4 50 to \$5 50; yearlings and lambs, \$5 50 to \$6 75; common unshorn do, \$6; spring lambs, \$7 621/2 to \$8. Hogs-Receipts, 2,-946; one car for sale; sald at \$4 30;

feeling trifle firm. EAST BUFFALO, May 20.-Cattle-The offerings were all Canadian, most of which were sold at private terms. Calves-Only a few head on sale; market unchanged; choice to extra, \$7 to \$7 25; good to choice, \$6 50 to \$7. Sheep and lambs—34 loads on sale; the mar-ket was not so active and lower; choice to extra lambs, \$6 60 to \$6 80; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 60; common to fair, \$5 50 to \$5 75; sheep, choice to extra, \$5 25 to \$5 40; good to choice, \$5 to \$5 25; common to fair, \$3 25 to \$4 50; on the close there were a few loads over. The feeling was weak. Hogs-25 loads offering; fairly active demand, the basis being \$4 05 to \$4 10; heavy, \$4 05 to \$4 10; mixed \$4 05 to \$4 07; Yorkers, \$4 to \$4 05; pigs, \$3 90 to \$4; roughs, \$3 25 to \$3 50; stags, \$2 50 to \$3.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. Liverpool, May 20 .- Prices here and in London are steady and unchanged. American steers sell at 10% to 11% per lb, dressed weight; live sheep, unchanged at 13% to 14%, dressed weight; lambs are 15c per lb; refrigerator beef is 8% per lb.

The Dairy Markets.

SOUTH FINCH, May 10.—At the regular meeting of the South Finch cheese board the buyers present were C. H. Woods, Logan, Birdsell and Pruner. The number of cheese boarded was 1,070, of which 646 were white; balance colored. Nine cents offered for colored and 9%c, offered for white. Only 238 sold on board; balance held after board for 91/2c.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., May 20.-Sales of cheese on the board of trade today 3,000 boxes at 91%c to 93%c; bulk for New York at 91/2c.

COWANSVILLE, Que., May 20.—At the first meeting of the Cowansville cheese board this afternoon 19 factories offered 602 boxes cheese and three creameries offered 149 boxes butter; 602 boxes cheese sold to G. W. Brock at 91/2c; 161/4c bid for butter; no sales. OGDENSBURG, N. Y., May 20.— Twenty-one lots, 1,213 boxes offered; 8%c bid; no sales; later on the street all sold at 91/sc.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Butter easy; western creamery, 15c to 18c; do. factory, 11½c to 13c; imitation creamery, 121/2c to 15c; state dairy, 131/2c to 17c do. creamery, 15c to 18c. Cheese weak; large white, 9½c do. colored, 9c; small white, 9½c to 9%c; do. colored, 9½c. CHICAGO, May 20.—Butter weak; creameries, 12c to 171/2c; dairies, 10c to 16c. Cheese steady; creameries, 9c to

THE CHEESE MARKET

Saturday's Sales Good and Prices Slightly Better Than Last Season's Opening.

London, Saturday, May 20.—There was a largely attended meeting of the London cheese board this after-The result of the new code of rules was evident in the harmony prevailing in sharp contrast with some of last year's sessions. Eleven factories boarded 607 boxes, of which .522 were sold at prices ranging from 81/80 to 8 13-16c, or nearly one cent in advance of last season's opening prices.

1		DUAL
1	North Branch	
1	North Street	
1	Delaware	
1	Elgin	
	Muncey Road	
	Maple Grove	
9000	Oliver	
	Leitch's	1
-	Yarmouth Center	
	Glanworth	
	Sifton's	

100, at 8%c; Leitch's 100, at 811-16c; Elgin 45 and Oliver 32, at 813-16c. The bids on the several factories were: North Branch, 85%c; North Street, 8%c; Delaware, 8%c to 8%c; Elgin, 8%c to 8 13-16c; Muncey Road, 8%c; Oliver, 8%c to 8 13-16c; Leitch's, 8%c to 8 11-16c; Yarmouth Center, Glandar worth and Sifton's, 8%c to 8%c.

WOODSTOCK CORONER.

A Crippled Rheumatic Restored

Dodd's Kidney Pills. Woodstock, Ont., May 22.-Never, in the social history of this town since the Birchall trial, has such great interest been shown as the "Cutmore Case"

has caused. Mr. C. J. Cutmore, 90 Main street, was crippled by Rheumatism and Lumbago during five years. He couldn't stand straight, and had to be helped

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Twelve workmen were killed in Crefeld, Prussia by the collapse of a build-

CHURCH PARADE

Seventh Battalion, First Hussars and Collegiate Cadets in Line.

Canon Dann on the Peace Conierence - War Will Be the Final Resort for Years to Come.

Sons of England and St. George's Society at the First Congregational -Annual Church Parade - Other Services.

The Seventh Fusiliers, with the Colegiate Institute Cadets and a detachment of the First Hussars, attended divine service at St. Paul's yesterday forenoon. Col. Holmes, D.O.C., was in command, and associated with him were Lieut.-Col. Gartshore, Lieut.-Col. Smith, Major Little, Capts. Booker, Hayes, Smith, Brown, Reid, Campbell, Kingsmill and Magee. The line of march was crowded with citizens, and it was evident from the pleasure evinced on all sides that Londoners generally are proud of the smart showing of the re-organized battalion. The Seventh Battalion Band headed the parade.

At the cathedral the entire congregation joined in singing the National Anthem, and after the usual service the Rev. Canon Dann preached from the words found in John xiv., 3: "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give unto you." The reverend gentleman said that these words were the keynote of Christ's advice to his followers. With him always it was peace, long-suffer-ing, meekness, lowliness and self-re-straint. Then, he asked, how do we reconcile Christ's attitude with the fact that a body of men, organized for the sole purpose of preparing for war, were there receiving the blessing of God's church, and that with the full sanction of all church authorities? How is it that after what Christ has said, there are Christian men training others for military purposes, and Christian men straining to the utmost power of ingenuity, in order to con-trive weapons that shall prove more effective in the slaughter of their fellow-men? The problem was a difficult one to solve, but Canon Dann believed the solution to be possible. Christ's chosen people were a nation of war-riors, and the place is not found in the Bible where Jesus showed disap-proval of soldiers. When John the Baptist was preaching beside Jordan, and two soldiers were subdued by the power of his word and came to him, he said: "Do violence to no man, neither accuse any falsely, and be content with your wages," meaning that while a man fights for his land and his liberty; while he fights for the rights of his home and the altar of his God; while he fights to uphold a just cause, actuated by no thought of gain, and influenced by no personal ambition, then is war a good thing, and the profession of arms a necessary one for the

Referring to the idea of universal peace which is so prominent today, the Canon made plain the fact that he be-lieves the time to be far distant when man shall say:

The war drum throbs no longer, and the battle flag is furled, In the parliament of men,

In his opinion disarmament of the nations in order to be free from war, is the same as getting rid of your property in order to save it. Though war is so terrible in the suffering that it entails, in the scourges that it promotes, and in the evil passions that it brings forth, still it is a fact that all down through the ages it has been customary for nations to resort to war in order to decide their differences, and although might may not always be on the side of right, still he believes that it will be for a long time to come the final method of deciding quarrels. A court of arbitration for the nations will be ineffectual so long as this court has not the power to give to the nation in the right that which it demands.

Continuing, he said that the men were soldiers of the Queen, that they sing "God Save the Queen," and although we all love her for the purity of her life, though we respect her as a good wife and a loving mother, and loval to her as a most gracious sovereign, yet all this love and respect and loyalty are not brought forth by the Queen as a woman, but by the Queen as the representative of the giorious privileges and liberties of the British constitution. And as they were soldiers of the Queen, so ought they to be soldiers of Christ. They should be loyal to him, obeying his laws, upholding his word, and enjoying his privileges, so that in the time to be they might receive, as the Crimean veterans received from the Queen, the reward for devotion and the performance

SONS OF ENGLAND.

The Sons of England and the members of St. George's Society attended service in a body yesterday afternoon, at the First Congregational Church. Rev. J. W. Pedley, the pastor, preached the annual sermon. The brethren assembled at the Albion block, corner of Richmond and Carling streets, and proceeded to the church via Dundas street, with Mr. Arthur Waspe, of British Lion Lodge, acting as marshal. There were about 150 of them in line. Rev. Mr. Pedley bade them welcome, and spoke in the highest terms of praise of the objects of the society. He congratulated them on the great progress made by the society since its organization.

In regard to imperialism, Mr. Pedley said it would almost seem as if the rising tide of imperialism was going to lift them into a higher and larger place. People in all parts of the world were beginning to feel the influence of that mysterious thing called blood relationship, and it was drawing them together. A great empire circling the globe, one in language, one in aspiration-that was the hope of many.

The Daughters of England also attended the service in a body.

AT OTHER CHURCHES. Rev. John Wilkie, a returned miscionary from Indore, India, preached at Knox Church last evening before

a large congregation. St. Andrew's Church was crowded at both services yesterday, the congregations being unusually large. In the morning the pastor preached, his subject being "The Everlasting Gospel." Prof. Hammil, International Sabbath school field worker, occupied the pulpit in the evening, and dealt in his dis-

course with Sunday school work. The Kensington and Richmond Street North Methodist Missions were reopenfeld, Prussia by the collapse of a builded yesterday with special services, which were attended by large congressing ravorably, a week earner than last spring, and Hunt Bros. are now hopeful of a plentiful supply of that grandest of wheats for the manufacture of their celebrated "Diamond dow ever seen in Canada. Barkwell's. singular in the morning and Rev. D. E.

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Ladies' and Children's Hosiery. Snap Plaid Hose, all size, in ladies' and chil-dren's. Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose at 25c, worth 35c. Ladies' Fine Maco, two thread, 121/c, worth 20c.



Martin in the evening. The Richmond street services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Martin and Rev. Richard Hobbs. Rev. Prof. Hammil, Sabbath school normal instructor, addressed the Men's Meeting at the Auditorium yesterday. The attendance was small.

Mr. Alfred Day, general secretary of the Sunday School Association, gave a very interesting address in the Adelaide Street Baptist Church last evening. Mr. Day's theme was "The Gospel Sower." in which he dealt with the elements of success in Sunday school work, showing how much depended on the seed, the sowing and the nature of

The Men Have Demanded a Defi nite Answer - President Mahon Here.

Carr's Catechism Continues to Enliven the Columns of the Company's Organs.

The street railway wer continuesto be fought-in the newspapers. Regularly every lawful day "Carr's Catechism" appears in the other city newspapers. The type-writing machine in the street railway office is grinding them out by the yard. This is extremely convenient for the reporters. It saves them asking questions. Mr. Carr does that himself, and answers them, too. But the public are on to the pea and thimble game, and are sick and tired of it. They are asking why the company and the men cannot come together in a friendly way and submit the whole question to impartial arbitration. Doctored interviews and sharp practices will never decide a case of this kind. What is wanted is more candor and less

chicane. Mr. W. D. Mahon, of Detroit, president of the International Association of Street Railway Employes, arrived in the city Saturday, and was in conference with the local union at the latter's regular meeting yesterday afternoon. To The Advertiser this morning Mr. Mahon said: "The men are unanimous in their demands for the new agreement, and they are ready to submit all matters in dispute to arbitration. It is absurd for the company to say that the old agreement has not expired-that it is perpetual. Anyone must know that the organization would not make a perpetual agreement. They would want to have another hope in life. The company say they are will-ing to arbitrate matters under the old agreement, but that is a thing of the past. I have not the least doubt that the old agreement has been violated at every point, and we claim that the question now in dispute should be submitted to arbitration. Arbitration is a part of our law."

Mr. Mahon considers that the copy of the proposed agreement which the men presented to the company for signature when the old agreement expired, May 11, is a sufficient statement of the men's grievances. Referring to an article in this morning's paper, containing a purported copy of a letter addressed to Mr. Garnett, in which Mr. Carr requests a statement of the men's grievances, in writing, Mr. Mahon said the men had not received any such communication.

The impression prevails among the men that the company have, by this time, decided whether or not they are willing to sign the agreement asked or to submit the matter to arbitration, and it is understood a definite answer on these two points has been requested. Matters seem to have reached an acute stage.

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Loss One Million Dollars - Bank of

British North America in Ruins. Victoria, B. C., May 22.-An extra of The Skaguay, Alaskan, received by the Tees, at midnight, contains the following report, wired from Bennett to Skaguay just previous to the sailing of the steamer:

Another disastrous fire visited Dawson City, this time fairly wiping out the entire business center of the town, creating losses that will aggregate \$1,000,000 with not a dollar's worth of insurance on any of the great losses. The news was telegraphed over wires from Bennett by the special correspondent of the Daily Alaskan, who received it from a man named Tokales who had just reached Bennett from a long and perilous trip out from Daw-son over broken trails, open rivers

and dangerous lakes. STRATED IN THE HEART OF THE CITY.

Mr. Tokales reports that the fire occurred on April 21, in the very heart of the business center of the city, commencing near the opera house, on the waterfront, and spreading with unusual rapidity, driven by a strong wind, destroying everything in its way on that street, down to and including Donahue & Smith's establishment, and taking in all of the waterfront buildings abreast of the same block. In other words the fire crossed the screet burned through and spread over to Second street, covering the principal business portion of Dawson, leaving it all in ashes, with the firemen helpless and powerless to do anything. The fire consumed everything from Timmin's Royal Cafe down to and opposite Fair-

view Hotel. The fire spread with such rapidity that the citizens appeared panic-stricken and unable to save anything in the way of furniture, goods and clothing, so that the losses, when footed up, promise to be even greater than at first

estimated.

FIRMS BURNED OUT. Among the most prominent firms burned out were: The Royal Cafe Donohue & Smith, McLellan, and Mc-The Royal Cafe, Feely, Pearson's Produce Company, Aurora Saloon, Bodega Saloon, Madden Hotel Victoria, McDonald Block, Bank of British North America, and scores of smaller firms and busi-

ness houses. This fire came at a time when the mills and dealers in building materials had exhausted their winter supplies and were waiting the opening of navigation to replenish their

stocks. The results are that there is a famine in all kinds of building material and furniture. The few articles re-maining outside of the burned district have quadrupled in prices. Doors are selling for \$35 each, door locks \$8 each,

and everything else in proportion. B. B. N. A. A SUFFERER. The Bank of British North America was one of the chief sufferers in the great fire. William Godfrey, manager at Vancouver, says the loss to the bank is about \$5,000. Vancouver firms were among the losers. Parson's Produce Company and McLellan & McFeely had only recently stocked their stores, and they fear their loss will be large.

3,000 PEOPLE HOMELESS Toronto, May 22.-Mr. John J. Doyle, of Dawson City, is at the Walker House. Mr. Doyle left Dawson on March 27, and says that between two and three thousand persons must have

been homeless by the blaze. "From the dispatch, I should judge that the burned district was about a quarter of a mile long," continued Mr. "Jim McIsaacs, who owned the Victoria House, sold a fraction on Humber Creek for \$16,000, and put all that money in the hotel. Now I see he has lost all in this last fire."

Mr. Doyle, who formerly lived in Perth, Ont., went to Dawson first in the spring of 1897, and he has made four trips over the White Pass, and intends to return to the Yukon in two weeks.

Imitations.

Every good thing is imitated. There are lots of vile compounds of alum, etc., which crack the feet and injure the leather. These afford big profits to the seller, but if you want comfort and satisfaction, ask for FOOT ELM, and take nothing else. 25 cents at druggists, or postage paid from D. A. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont.

A French sailor has been sentenced to death for threatening the life of an

officer. Weary of Experimenting.

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Scorcher on the Harlem Race Track, Chicago-Loss \$100,000.

New York, May 22 .- A block of buildings at Manhattan avenue and Eagle street, Green Point, Brooklyn, burned early today, causing \$300,000 loss. The buildings destroyed included four factories and fourteen dwellings. Several firemen are said to have been injured. The scene, when 100 families in a row of two-story wooden buildings were turned out of house and home in their night clothes, was a lively one. Luckily there was no serious casualties, though one hook and ladder man was badly cut by flying glass and overcome by smoke. Special calls were sent in for extra apparatus and ambulances. Soon flames were spreading rapidly from building to building. They took in the buildings, two-story frame ones, running from 101 to 124, then crossed the street and smothered Nos. 123 and 125, and scorched the frame building at Peter Briesthant's four-story frame factory was next attacked. He unlocked the door of his office, and, rushing in, rescued three one-dollar bills, leaving \$400 in currency in the cash drawer, which he might easily

have saved. Chicago, Ill., May 22.—The buildings connected with the Harlem race track were almost completely destroyed by fire early today. Flames broke out in the grand stand shortly belor o'clock, and they soon spread to the stables, where between 30 and 40 horses were quartered. Incendiarism is given as the author of the fire, and this theory is strengthened by the recent destruction of the Roby track under mysterious circumstances. Most of the horses at the Harlem track were rescued. The track is owned by a party of Chicagoans. The building on the track were valued at \$100,000. All the horsese were saved.

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