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AT OSGOODE HALL.

Does the City Become Responsible for Toronto Street Railway Company's Acts? —Dates of the Assizes.

The Toronto Railway Company, for their own purposes, made a hole on Bloor-street at the corner of Avenue-road, and left it open for 16 days without advising the city. The company had erected a barrier to warn the public against danger while they completed the laying of the track, but unfortunately, when Mr. McDougall rang the bell, the car, instead of stopping outside, passed the barrier, and in the dusk of the evening Mr. McDougall alighted in the excavation. He obtained a judgment against the city for damages, and Boyd, C., held that the company, who had been made the third parties, must repay the city, because the conduct of the company was the proximate cause of the accident. The company appealed to the Court of Appeal. Judgment was reserved.

WHO GETS MISS LYNCH'S CASH?

Dr. Bonnar of the village of Bolton attended Miss Lynch in her last illness. Her will appointed the doctor her executor and left him her farm and about $1500 in cash. She also left a small legacy to the people, with whom she lived. Her Majesty the Queen, in the exercise of her prerogative and acting through the Attorney-General for Ontario, desires both the farm and the cash, as the deceased has no known relatives. Mr. Justice Robertson, in the action brought to declare the will invalid, found that it was so, on the ground of undue influence and mental incapacity in the testatrix, and the doctor appealed to the Court of Appeal. Argument was not concluded.

NOTICES.

Mr. Justice Robertson will preside at the Toronto Criminal and Civil, jury and non-jury, sittings, commencing on the 11th January, 1897, and Mr. Justice Macmahon will preside at those at Ottawa, commencing 18th January. At Toronto the sittings will be opened at the Court House, and as soon as the jury cases are disposed of the hearing of non-jury cases will proceed at Osgoode Hall.

The civil jury and non-jury sittings, commencing in London on 11th January, and in Hamilton on 18th January, will be presided over respectively by the Chancellor of Ontario and Mr. Justice Rose.

TO-DAY'S LISTS.

Single Judge, at 11 a.m.: Clarkson v. McKendry, re Solicitor, Phillips v. Marsh, Merchants' Bank v. Black, re Curry, Curry v. Curry, Dominion Bank v. Waterous.

Court of Appeal, at 11 a.m.: Seymour v. Township of Maidstone, Hendrie v. Hope, Gregg v. Halsted, Dawson v. Norton Manufacturing Company, Miller v. Howry.

HE SEEKS REST.

The Hawaiian Foreign Minister is Not on an Annexation Mission.

Washington, Nov. 30.—The Hawaiian Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Cooper, who arrived in this country several weeks ago, reached Washington last night. He has been spending the past week in Boston and will remain here about ten days, when he leaves for San Francisco. He states that his visit to this country is purely personal.

It is authoritatively denied that his presence in the United States has any connection with the subject of Hawaiian annexation. Members of the Hawaiian Cabinet are ex-officio members also of the Hawaiian Legislature, and during the session just closed Mr. Cooper's time was fully occupied in discharging these several duties. Feeling the necessity for a rest he came to the United States to seek it. The friends of Hawaii will make no effort at the coming session of Congress in the direction of annexation.

Kansas Bank Gone Under.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 30.—The Missouri National Bank, the largest bank in Kansas City, has just closed its doors. The failure created a surprise, as the bank was understood to be in a sound condition. Its last statement was made Oct. 6, and showed resources at the close of business that day to be $1,785,357.24. Its capital was $250,000. Examiner Forman says the condition of the bank is practically the same to-day as on Oct. 6. The only difference is the value of some of the assets. No trouble is anticipated at any of the other Kansas City banks.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—There were about 900 head of butchers' cattle, 20 calves and 1500 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End abattoir to-day. The excessive supplies demoralized the prices of cattle and prices dropped about quarter of a cent per pound, and a considerable number will have to be held over for another market. A few of the best cattle were sold at about 3¼c per lb., with pretty good stock at from 2½c to 3c; do., common beeves, sold at from 1¾c to 2¼c, and the leaner beeves at from 1c to 1¾c per lb. Calves were in brisk demand, $8 to $12 each being paid for five good animals. Mutton critters were lower all around. Good large sheep sold at about 2½c per lb. Lambs, in lots, were sold at 3½c per lb., some good stock selling at 3¾c per lb. Fat hogs were plentiful and sold at from $3.75 to $3.95 per 100 lbs.

Miller's Compound Iron Pills cure constipation. 50 doses, 25 cents.

Business Embarrassments.

J. Bland, merchant tailor, is offering creditors 40c on the dollar.

J. Barrett & Co., drygoods, Gananoque, have assigned.

Alex. McMillan, agent, Cobden, is financially embarrassed.

Jackson & Co., general storekeepers, Whitby, are offering to compromise.

W. T. Haney, groceries and boots and shoes, Stayner, who recently assigned, has offered his creditors 50 cents on the dollar. The assets are valued at $1800.

A. Gregory, grocer, Ingersoll, is offering to compromise at 50 cents on the dollar.

A meeting of the creditors of M. S. Richardson, general store, Marathon, has been called for Dec. 5.

Cullis Bros., clothing merchants, Bruce Mines, have assigned to C. B. Armstrong, of London.

The tobacco stock of J. A. McLeod, Guelph, is under seizure.

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WHOLE FAMILY BURNED.

Luther Greenman, His Wife and Three Children Met Death in Their Burning Home.

Rochester, N.Y., Nov. 30.—A special to The Democrat and Chronicle from Perry, N.Y., says: A whole family perished in flames and smoke this morning in the tenement on the Irving Thompson farm, situated about four miles northeast of the village, where resided the family of Luther Greenman, consisting of husband, aged 40 years; Mrs. Greenman, aged 37; Aime, aged 6; Lottie, aged 3, and Arthur, a baby 11 months old. The house was discovered in flames by Mr. Thompson at 6.45 a.m. He rushed for the building and knocked open the front door, but was driven back by the flames, which seemed to be in possession of the whole interior. He then knocked open a bed room window and took hold of Mrs. Greenman, who was burned so that the flesh came off in Thompson's hand, and it was all he could do to drag out the corpse. He was then compelled to flee from the house, the flames which came from the window almost burning him. The house quickly burned to the ground. Coroner Watson arrived and the horribly charred remains of the family were taken from the smouldering ruins. An inquest will be held in the morning. The fire was undoubtedly the result of a defective pipe. There was a small insurance on the house. Greenman and his family were burned out two years ago, barely escaping with their lives.

Pacific Cable Schemes.

New York Tribune.

The deliberations of the Pacific Cable Conference in London are kept secret, but enough is known of them to assure us they are harmonious and practical and are likely to have important results. Three of the chief members of the British Empire, to wit, the United Kingdom itself, Canada and Australia and New Zealand, are fully determined to have the cable, regarding it as almost vital to their political and commercial interests. There is every reason, therefore, to expect that the conference will decide upon laying it as soon as possible, and that two or three years hence it will be in operation. That it will prove of great value to British trade, apart from all political and military considerations, is unquestionable. It will give British trade in the Pacific, and British trade across the American continent, an almost incalculable advantage over our own, in the absence, that is to say, of any corresponding cable under American control.

Whether the latter shall come into existence or not is a question that will soon come up for decision. Congress will have before it, at the coming session, a proposition for the laying of such a cable, by a private corporation, but under Government control and with a Government subvention. It amounts, briefly, to this: that the company shall lay a cable from the United States to Japan and China by way of Hawaii, that it shall always transmit over it all Government messages free, and all other messages at or below a certain stated and not exorbitant maximum, that in case of war it shall, if required, turn the whole concern over to the Government for its exclusive use, and the Government, after the cable is finished, and while it is maintained in good working order, shall pay it a subsidy of $100,000 a year for 20 years.

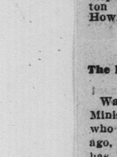
There are those who object on principle to any and all Government subsidies. Such men will unalterably object to this scheme. But to those who are open to conviction on the subject it may be stated that proposed British cable is certain to have a much heavier subsidy than that named, and that the possibility of an American cable successfully competing with it without a subsidy at all, or, indeed, ever being laid, is decidedly remote.

Mr. Redmond in New York.

New York, Nov. 30.—A large audience greeted John E. Redmond, M.P., at the Broadway Theatre Sunday night, when he delivered his lecture, "Fifteen Years in the British Parliament," for the first time. Among those present were Judge Fitzgerald, Charles A. Dana, W. Bourke Cockran and Congressman William Sulzer. Mr. Dana introduced Mr. Redmond.

Wabash Jail Burned.

Wabash, Ind., Nov. 30.—The county jail was burned last night. There were 12 prisoners in the cells, all of whom were rescued.



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IRREGULAR WHEAT MARKETS

The Liverpool Cables Report an Advance of One Penny To-Day.

A Decrease of Over a Million in the Visible Supply—Active and Higher Markets for Postal and Cable—Decline in American Securities on Wall-Street—Latest Commercial Miscellany.

Monday Evening, Nov. 30.

Wheat futures in Liverpool closed 1d higher.

Cash wheat is ⅝c higher in Chicago at 81⅜c.

May wheat on curb 84⅜c to 84⅞c.

Puts on May wheat 83⅝c, calls 86⅜c.

Puts on May corn 26⅜c to 26⅞c, calls 26⅞c to 27c.

At Toledo, clover seed closed at $5.45 for Dec. and at $5.52½ for March.

The shipments of wheat to Europe this week were nil.

Lard is 3d higher in Liverpool at 21s 6d.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour, 4724 barrels and 23,126 sacks; wheat, 63,011 bush.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day, 15,500; best grades strong to 10c higher, others steady.

Dambian shipments of wheat last week, 1,712,000 bush.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day, 400 cars, as against 1537 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Cables on Sugar are weaker. In New York they are quiet and unchanged.

Receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day, 34,000; official Saturday, 13,231; left over, 2000. Estimated for Tuesday, 21,000. Market 5c to 10c higher. Heavy shippers, $3.20 to $3.65.

The Russian shipments of wheat for the week are 2,048,000 bush.

The world's shipments are smaller than expected, only 7,417,000 bush.

Imports into the United Kingdom last week: Wheat, 258,000 qrs.; corn, 309,000 qrs.; flour, 329,000 barrels.

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VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

	Nov. 28,'96.	Nov. 30,'95.	Dec. 1,'94.
Wheat, bu.	58,914,000	63,903,000	85,161,000
Corn, bu.	18,228,000	5,517,000	4,925,000
Oats, bu.	12,474,000	6,397,000	9,745,000
Rye, bu.	2,550,000	423,000	477,000
Barley, bu.	5,357,000	5,310,000	3,809,000

Wheat decreased 1,057,000 bush last week, as compared with an increase of 1,682,000 bush the corresponding week of last year. Corn increased 78,000 bush last week, oats increased 396,000, rye decreased 98,000, and barley decreased 789,000 bush.

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TORONTO STOCKS OF GRAIN.

	Nov. 30, 1896.	Nov. 23, 1896.	Dec. 1, 1895.
Fall wheat, bu.	12,716	10,916	7,400
Spring wheat, bu.	3,500	3,500	26,543
Hard wheat, bu.	168,858	221,332	39,241
Goose wheat, bu.	1,000	565	1,845
Total wheat	186,074	236,313	75,027
Barley, bu.	116,830	106,432	48,673
Oats, bu.	59,470	60,560	33,576
Peas, bu	2,600	2,300	600
Corn, bu.	.....	.....	695

AFLOAT TO EUROPE.

	Nov. 30, 1896.	Nov. 23, 1896.	Dec. 1, 1895.
Wheat, bu.	32,400,000	32,160,000	26,400,000
Corn, bu.	12,800,000	14,640,000	8,680,000

Wheat on passage increased 240,000 bush during the week, and corn decreased 1,840,000 bush.

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LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	81⅜c	84⅜c
New York	90⅛c	90⅛c
Milwaukee	81⅝c	84⅝c
St. Louis	91c	93⅝c
Toledo	90¼c	90⅝c
Detroit	97c	97¼c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	85½c	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	83½c	85c
Toronto, white	89c	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	95c	....

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LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—There is a moderate demand and prices rule steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.15 to $4.30.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices firmer, dealers asking $8.75 west. Shorts, $9 to $10 west.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with prices firm. Offerings of white are limited, and the price nominal at 86c outside. Red will bring 85c outside. No. 1 Manitoba hard is firm at 95c, Toronto freights, and No. 1 Northern at 94c, Toronto freights.

Buckwheat—The market is steady, with sales at 28½c to 29c west.

Barley—Trade dull, there being little demand. No. 2 sold outside at 28c.

Oats—Market is quiet and prices unchanged. White sold outside at 20c and mixed quoted at 19c.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easy; sales at 40c to 40½c north and west.

Rye—Trade quiet, with sales outside at 35c to 36c east.

Corn—Market dull, with prices steady at 28c to 29c at outside points.

Oatmeal—The market is unchanged, with car lots quoted at $3.40 to $3.50.

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THE FARMERS' MARKETS

Receipts of grain on the street to-day were moderate and prices generally steady. Wheat is easy, our millers not being willing to pay more owing to dullness of flour trade. About 200 bush of red wheat sold this morning at 88c to 88½c, 100 bush of white at 87c and 400 bush of goose at 64c to 65c. Barley steady, 1200 bush selling at 27c to 35½c. Oats unchanged, with sales of 700 bush at 22c to 23c. Peas easier, 150 bush selling at 44c to 45c. Hay dull, five loads selling at $14 a ton. Straw is quoted at $10 to $11. Dressed hogs $4.25 to $4.75. New-laid eggs, 20c per dozen.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Wheat, white, bushel	$0 87 to	$0 88
" red winter, bushel	0 86	0 87
" goose, bushel	0 64	0 65
Barley, bushel	0 27	0 35½
Peas, bushel	0 44	0 45
Oats, bushel	0 22	0 23
Rye, bushel	0 33	0 35

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Butter, choice, tub	$0 13 to	$0 14
" bakers'	0 08	0 10
" pound rolls	0 15	0 17
" creamery tubs	0 17	0 19
" " rolls	0 19	0 20
Cheese	0 10	0 11
Eggs, new-laid	0 17	0 20
" limed	0 14	0 15

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, per ton	$12 00 to	$15 00
" baled, per ton	10 00	11 00
Straw, per ton	10 00	12 00
" baled, per ton	6 00	7 00

FRESH MEATS.

Beef, forequarters, per lb.	$0 02½	$0 04½
" hindquarters	0 05	0 06½
Mutton, per lb.	0 04	0 05
Lamb	0 06	0 06½
Veal, per lb.	0 04	0 06

PROVISIONS AND POULTRY.

Hogs, dressed, selected	$4 60 to	$4 75
" heavy	4 25	4 40
Backs, per lb.	0 09	0 00½
Breakfast bacon	0 10	0 11
Mess pork	11 00	11 25
" short cut	11 25	11 50
" shoulder mess	9 50	10 00
Hams, smoked	0 10½	0 11
Lard, per lb.	0 07	0 07¾
Bacon, per lb.	0 09½	0 09
Chickens, per pair	0 20	0 40
Ducks, per pair	0 40	0 55
Turkeys, per lb.	0 06½	0 08
Geese, per lb.	0 05	0 06½

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SEEDS.

The market is dull. Alsike is quoted at 6c to 9c per lb., according to quality. Red clover, $5 to $5.50 per bush, and timothy $1.25 to $1.50.

HIDES, SKINS AND WOOL.

Hides are unchanged, with cured quoted at 8c to 8¼c. Dealers pay 7½c for No. 1, 6½c for No. 2 and 5½c for No. 3.

Calfskins—Market is dull at 6c to 7c for No. 1 and 5c for No. 2. Sheep and lambskins 70c to 80c.

Wool—The market is unchanged. Dealers are paying 20c to 21c for combing fleece, but offerings are limited. Pulled supers are 20c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 22½c.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Dec.	81⅜	82	80¼	81¼
" —May	83⅝	85½	83⅝	84⅝
Corn—Dec.	23½	23½	23¼	23¼
" —May	27⅛	27¼	26¾	26⅞
Oats—Dec.	19	19	18½	18¼
" —May	22¼	22⅝	21⅝	21⅞
Pork—Jan.	7 90	8 07	7 90	7 92
" —May	8 30	8 40	8 27	8 27
Lard—Jan.	4 15	4 20	4 15	4 15
" —May	4 40	4 42	4 37	4 37
Ribs—Jan.	4 00	4 07	4 00	4 05
" —May	4 20	4 25	4 20	4 22

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BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Nov. 30.—Spring wheat, 7s 0d to 7s 1d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 6d to 7s 7d; corn, 3s ½d; peas, 4s 7½d; pork, 50s; lard, 21s 6d; bacon, l.c., heavy 25s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 25s 0d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 51s.

London—Opening—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage firm. English country markets 6d higher in some cases and 6d lower in others.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 6s 11⅜d for Dec., 7s for Jan. and Feb. and 7s 0¼d for March. Maize steady at 3s 0¼d for Nov. and Dec. and 2s 11⅜d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour, 25s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 22f 25c for Nov. and Dec.; flour 48f 25c for Dec.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. Maize on passage dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 50c for Nov. and Dec.; flour firm at 49f 10c for Dec.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 7s 0¼d for Dec., 7s 0½d for Jan. and Feb. and 7s 0¾d for March. Maize quiet at 3s 0½d for Dec. and 3s for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour, 25s 3d.

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FINANCIAL.

Postal and Cable were active and higher to-day, but on considerable realizing they sold off fractionally at the close.

There is every likelihood that the deal between these two companies will go through.

Twelve Canadian banks will pay $1,352,000 in dividends to-morrow.

Consols are 5-16 to ⅜ higher to-day, closing at 112 for money and 112¾ for account.

United States 4 per cent. Government bonds are quoted at 119⅛ to 120¼.

American securities in London are irregular. Canadian Pacific closed at 57¾. St. Paul at 76¼, Erie at 15⅞, Reading at 14⅛, N.Y.C. at 97¼ and Ill. Central at 95.

The bank clearings at Toronto for the month of November were $29,129,287, as compared with $29,242,868 for October, $28,633,776 for November of last year, and $25,214,277 for November, 1894.

The net earnings of Canadian Pacific for October show a decrease of $170,006, while for the 10 months of the year there is an increase of $722,331.

There was a bank failure in Kansas City to-day. Liabilities are placed at $500,000.

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MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is unchanged at 5 per cent. for call loans. At New York the rates ruled at 1½ to 2½ per cent., and at London at 3 to 3½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 4, and the open market rate is 3⅜ per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-street east, stocks and exchange brokers, Toronto, report local rates to-day as follows:

	—Counter— Buy.	Sell.	—Bet. Banks— Buy.	Sell.
N.Y. Funds	⅛ to	¼	1-16 dis to par	
Stg. 60 days	9 to	9⅛	8 11-16 to 8 13-16	
do. demand	9⅝ to	9¾	9 7-16 to 9 9-16	

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.84	4.83½ to ....
" demand	4.87½	4.86¾ to 4.87

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET.

	Noon.		3.30 p.m.	
Montreal	220	225	220	225
Ontario	...	77½	...	77½
Toronto	232	234	232	234
Merchants'	173	168¼	176	169
Commerce	129	128½	129½	128½
Imperial	181	179	181	179
Dominion	230	...	230	...
Standard	163	161	165	161
Hamilton	154	151½	153	152
British America	121	118½	121	118½
West. Assurance	164	162¾	164	162¾
Consumers' Gas	203	200	203	201
Confed. Life	...	...	280	275
Dominion Tele.	125	122	125	122
C N W L Co, pr.	50	38½	50	...
C P R Stock	56½	55½	56½	55
Toronto Electric	132	125	126	125
General Electric	85	78	...	78
Com Cable Co	163	162¾	163	162¾
Postal Tel.	93½	93	93	92¾
Bell Telephone	158½	157½	159	158
Montreal St Ry	218½	217	218¾	216¾
Toronto Railway	65¼	65	66¼	64¾
Fraser River	138	135½	138	135½
Crown Point	41	38½	41½	38½
Empress	22	20	21	20
Brit Can L & I	102	...	...	...
B & L Assn	75	...	...	...
Can L & N I Co	108	106	...	...
Cent Can Loan	120¾	119½	...	...
Dom S & I Soc	...	177	...	...
Farmers' L & A	100	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	65	...	...	...
Freehold L & S	100	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	75	...	...	...
Hur & Erie L & S	...	160	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	150	...	...
Imperial L & I	102	...	...	...
Land B & Lr	115	...	...	...
Lon & Can L & A	95	...	...	...
London Loan	...	101	...	...
London & Ont.	100½	...	...	...
Manitoba Loan	100	...	...	...
Ontario L & D	...	120	...	...
People's Loan	30	20	...	...
Real Est L & D	65	...	...	...
Toronto S & Loan	115	114	...	...
Union L & S	100	...	...	...
Western Can L & S	130	...	...	...
do. do. 25 p.c.	125	...	...	...

Sales at 11.15 a.m.: Cable, 50, 25, 5, 25 at 162¾; Postal, 25 at 92½, 5, 10 at 92⅝, 25 at 92½.

Sales at 1.15 p.m.: Standard Bank, 5 at 162¾; Western Assurance, 5 at 163¼, 100 at 163; General Electric, 15 at 78; Cable, 25, 25 at 163⅝, 25 at 163¼, 25 at 163⅛, 25, 25 at 163; Postal, 100, 25, 25, 25 at 93¼; Toronto Railway, 25 at 65.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Western Assurance, 50, 50, 50 at 163; Gas, 5 at 202½; Toronto Electric, 100 at 125; Cable, 25 at 163½, 25, 25 at 163⅛, 25, 25, 25, 25, 25 at 163; Postal, 25 at 93½, 25 at 93, 25, 50 at 92⅞.

Fresh Eggs 15-17c

Good to choice dairy butter in pounds, 14-16c; tub, pail and crock, 11-14c; creamery, pounds, 18c; chickens, 25-45c; ducks, 25-40c per pair; turkeys, 6-7c; geese, 5-6c per pound. Consignments of above solicited.

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MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—C.P.R., 56 and 55¾; Duluth, 5 and 4; do., pref., 11 and 9; Cable, 164½ and 164; Postal Telegraph, 94 and 93¾; Telephone, 170 and 165; Richelieu, 100 and 80; Street Railway, 217¾ and 217¼; Gas, 178½ and 178¼; Telephone, 160 and 157½; Toronto Street Railway, 66 and 65¾; Montreal, 230 and 226; Molsons, 182 bid; Merchants', 174 and 168; Commerce, 129 and 128¾; Toronto, 224 bid; Ontario, 77½ bid.

Morning sales: C.P.R., 50 at 56; Duluth, 25 at 4¾; Cable, 550 at 162, 50 at 163, 50 at 163¼, 25 at 163¼, 75 at 163½; Postal, 50 at 92¾, 25 at 92, 119 at 91¾, 50 at 92, 60 at 93, 25 at 93, 50 at 92¾; Halifax Ry, 50 at 75; do., bonds, $8000 at 100; Street Ry, 50 at 217¾; Toronto Ry, 50 at 65, 25 at 64¾, 25 at 64½, 25 at 64¾, 50 at 64, 175 at 65, 125 at 65¼, 50 at 65¼, 125 at 65; Bank of Commerce, 25 at 128¾.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 25 at 163¼, 150 at 164, 50 at 164¼, 25 at 164; Postal, 15 at 93, 125 at 93½, 25 at 93¾, 175 at 93⅞; Gas, 25 at 177⅞, 150 at 177½, 3 at 177, 25 at 178¾; Toronto Ry, 25 at 65¼.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

The range in prices to-day is as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Am. Sugar Trust	117⅝	117⅝	115⅝	115⅝
Amer. Tobacco	73	75⅛	74⅝	75
Amer. Spirits	13½	13½	12¾	12¾
Cotton Oil	15	15	15	15
Canadian Pacific	...	...	...	56b
Atchison, 3 as's pd.	13⅞	14¼	13⅞	13⅞
Chic., Bur. & Q.	78⅛	78½	77⅞	77⅞
Chicago Gas	72½	72½	71½	71¾
Canada Southern	48¼	48¼	48¼	48¼
C. C. C. & I.	30	30	30	30
Dela. & Hudson	...	...	...	125½b
Dela., L. & W.	...	...	...	158b
Erie	15⅞	15⅞	15¼	15¼
Lake Shore	...	...	...	134½b
Louis. & Nash.	49¼	49¼	48⅞	49
Kansas, Tex., pr.	28½	28½	28	28
Manhattan	96	96½	94½	94¼
Missouri Pacific	22	22	21¾	21¾
Leather, pref.	60	60⅝	59⅝	59⅝
Balt. & Ohio	17	17	16½	16½
N. Y. Central	94	94⅝	94	94⅝
North. Pacific, pr.	24⅝	24⅝	23¾	23¾
Northwestern	104⅝	104⅝	104	104⅛
General Electric	31⅝	31⅞	29¾	29¾
Rock Island	69½	69½	68	68⅛
Rubber	25½	25½	24⅝	24⅝