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TODAY'S MARKETS

New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic
Temple, for The Advertiser.

Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	230.
Acheson	19	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Admiral	19	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
C. & N. W.	141 1/2	142	141 1/2	142
Bay State Gas	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Chicago Gas	110	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
N. Y. Gas	110	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Gen. Electric	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Man.	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Mo. P.	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Omaha	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
R. I.	114	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Reading	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
N. Y. Central	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
St. P.	120 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	121 1/2
W. C. I.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Wabash	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
W. U.	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
Brooklyn Transp.	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
U. P. Pac.	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Can. Pac.	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Lead	38	38	38	38
Sugar	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Tobacco	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Southern Ry.	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Jersey Central	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
N. E. P.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
N. P.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2

Toronto Stock Market.

Ask.	On.
Ontario	115
Toronto	240 1/2
Merchants	146 1/2
Consolidated	175 1/2
Imperial	212
Dominion	257 1/2
Standard	184 1/2
Hamilton	156 1/2
British America	133 1/2
Western Assurance	170 1/2
Consumers	209 1/2
Montreal Gas	209 1/2
Dominion Telegraph	17 1/2
Northwest Land Co.	65 1/2
Canada Pacific Railway	86 1/2
Commercial Cable Company	184 1/2
Commercial Union Bond	103 1/2
Can. Registered Bonds	104 1/2
Bell Telephone Company	175 1/2
Bell Telephone, new	171 1/2
Richmond	103 1/2
Montreal Street Railway	100 1/2
Toronto Street Railway	100 1/2
London Street Railway	124 1/2
Dominion Savings and Invest.	75 1/2
Huron and Erie L. & E.	101 1/2
Huron and Erie, quiet	101 1/2
London and Canada L. & A.	70 1/2
London Loan	120 1/2
London and Ontario	100 1/2
Ontario Loan and Debenture	100 1/2

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Easier, at 66 1/2c for red and 70 1/2c for white west; Manitoba wheat firm, at 81c for No. 1 hard, grinding, in transit, and 77c for the Midland. Flour—Steady, at \$3.10 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Millfeed—Firm, at \$14 to \$16 for shorts, and \$12 to \$13.50 for bran west. Barley—Firm, at 46c for No. 1 west. Buckwheat—Unchanged, at 40c. Rye—Firm, at \$2.20 west. Corn—Steady, at 36c to 36 1/2c for Canada yellow west, and 46c for American at Toronto. Oats—Firm, at 26 1/2c for mixed, and 33 1/2c for white west. Eggs—Steady, at 20c to 21c for new laid, 17c to 18c for old, and 15c for lined. Butter—In fair supply; demand moderate, and market steady, at 13 1/2c to 14c for large rolls, and 10c to 12c for dairy tubs; creamery steady, at 20c to 21c for prints and 15c to 20c for packed. Dressed hogs—Steady, at \$5.10 for cars here of hogs weighing 150 to 250 lbs.

English Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 4.—Closing.
Wheat—Spot No. 2 red western winter, on stock; No. 1 red western spring, steady, 4s 2d; No. 1 Cal. 5s 10d to 6s 10d; No. 1 Cal. 5s 2d.
Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, 3s 11 1/2d; futures, Jan. 4, easy, 3s 10 1/2d; March, 3s 10 1/2d; May, quiet, 3s 9 1/2d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 8s. Peas—Canadian, 5s 10 1/2d.
Pork—Prime mess, fine western, dull, 60s; 60, medium, western, dull, 47s 6d.
Beef—Prime mess, dull, 60s; extra India mess, dull, 65s; 60, medium, western, dull, 47s 6d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 6s 10d; Bacon—Firm (Cumberland cut, 25 to 30 lbs., easy, 3s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs., 3s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs., dull, 2s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs., dull, 2s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs., dull, 2s; clear bellies, heavy, 14 to 16 lbs., 3s.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs., dull, 2s. Lard—Prime western, firm, 2s 6d.
Butter—Finest American, 8s; good, 6s 5d; Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 3d.
Onions—Firm; American finest white, 4s 6d; 40, colored, 4s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 3s 3d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, steady, 15s. Turpentine spirits—Strong, 3s 6d.
Opium—At London (Pacific coast) steady, 44 1/2 to 45 1/2.
Lined oil—H. 3d.
Petroleum—Refined, 6s 1/2d.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1274.
Open. High. Low. Close.
Wheat—May 70 1/2 71 1/2 70 1/2 71 1/2
July 69 1/2 70 1/2 69 1/2 70 1/2
Corn—May 35 1/2 36 1/2 35 1/2 36 1/2
July 34 1/2 35 1/2 34 1/2 35 1/2
Oats—May 27 1/2 28 1/2 27 1/2 28 1/2
July 26 1/2 27 1/2 26 1/2 27 1/2
Pork—Jan. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
May 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Lard—Jan. 5 02 5 02 5 02 5 02
May 5 02 5 02 5 02 5 02
Ribs—Jan. 4 80 4 80 4 80 4 80
May 4 80 4 80 4 80 4 80
Puts—70 1/4, calls—72 1/4.

Live Stock Markets.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.
London, Jan. 3.—The British live stock trade is good. Western States cattle, 5 1/2d to 6d; Argentine, 5d to 5 1/2d; Argentine sheep, 5d to 5 1/2d.

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LATEST "PROBS"

Toronto, Jan. 4.—11 a.m.—Prob-
abilities for the lower lakes region
for the next twenty-four hours:
Strongly southerly to westerly;
with northwesterly winds; cloudy;
with rain, turning colder by morn-
ing.
Thursday—Considerably colder.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

The drivers of the Canadian Ex-
press wish to tender their thanks to
Messrs. Robinson & Little for hand-
some Christmas gifts.

—Edward Adam Pritchett, aged 18
years and 9 months, the only son of
Contractor J. G. Pritchett, died this
morning after a lingering illness.

—Miss Ellen Bate, third daughter of
the late Thomas Bate, of Woodstock,
died of heart failure in this city on
Monday. The remains will be removed
to Woodstock tomorrow for inter-
ment.

—Mr. John Wadsworth, of Byron,
has laid an information with Squire J.
B. Smyth, against Hugh Findlay, John
Nixon, Harry Norton, Fred Wells and
Mortimer Elson, charging them with
disturbing a Sunday school entertain-
ment, held in the Byron Town Hall,
Dec. 23. He has also charged Wells
and another boy named Julian Hen-
nessy, with disturbing a religious ser-
vice in the Byron Church on a recent
Sunday by talking, talking and stamp-
ing on the floor. The case will be
heard tomorrow.

—The residence of Mr. Arthur, 780
Ellis street, was the scene of a very
happy event, on the evening of Jan. 2,
when Miss Annie Smith, sister of Mrs.
Arthur, was married to David Gray,
youngest son of the late Sgt.-Major
Gray, R. C. R. I. The bride was given
away by her father, Mr. William
Smith. Miss Sadie Gray acted as the
bridesmaid, and Mr. Edward Smith as-
sisted the groom. The nuptial was
performed by the Rev. Robert Johnston, Mr.
and Mrs. Gray will reside at 530 Adelaide
street.

CRAWLED UNDER A MOVING SAW
Andrew Blow, of 582 Nelson street,
employed at the London and Petrolia
Barrel Works, met with a painful ac-
cident yesterday, narrowly escaping
with his life. He was working about a
circular saw, and for some purpose
or other he crawled under the ma-
chine. In doing so his left arm was
terribly lacerated and the bone jagged
and splintered. He was removed to
the hospital, where the arm was ampu-
tated. The injured man is 51 years
of age.

CALLED HOME.

Mr. Joseph Hawthorne, of 602 Ox-
ford street, one of the best known
men in this city, died at his late re-
sidence this morning at the advanced
age of 75 years. Mr. Hawthorne was
a native of Woburn, Bedfordshire,
England. He emigrated to Canada 23
years ago, and settled here, where he
has resided ever since. For a number
of years deceased was secretary of
the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union.
He was a member of the Liberal and a
member of the Adelaide Street Baptist
Church for over a quarter of a cen-
tury. Mrs. Hawthorne died in Novem-
ber, 1887. Six sons and three daugh-
ters are left to mourn the loss of a
kind and God-fearing father.

DEATH OF MR. A. J. G. HENDERSON.

Mr. A. J. G. Henderson, of Chatham,
died yesterday from pneumonia after a
short illness. The news will be learned
with sorrow by many Londoners. Mr.
Henderson was born in Calthness-
shire, Scotland, and for many years
was a member of the firm of A. Chis-
holm & Co. formerly carrying on busi-
ness in this city as drygoods mer-
chants. For the last five years
he has been living a retired life in
Chatham with his married daughter
there. Two children survive him—Mrs.
W. E. Campbell, of Chatham, and Mrs.
W. Woodhull, of Stockton, Cal. Mr.
Henderson was formerly well known in
philanthropic and Y. M. C. A. circles
in the city. For several years he was
one of the aldermen from No. 2 ward.

METHODIST MISSIONARIES IN CHINA.

Letters were received yesterday at
the China inland mission branch, To-
ronto, and by Rev. Dr. Sutherland, sec-
retary of the Methodist Mission So-
ciety, from China. Both letters spoke
hopefully of the situation, and it seem-
ed to be the opinion that the worst
had passed. The letter from Dr. H. B.
dated Kiating, Oct. 13, spoke of two
telegrams which had been received at
the China inland mission from Mr.
Lifton King. The first one read: "Re-
main unless absolutely expelled. Do
not depend upon getting boats or es-
corts here. Ladies safe." The other
read: "Situation better; disbelieve
rumors. The viceroys offer 50 taels for
conviction of anyone causing distur-
bance." The letters received at the in-
land mission rooms dated Dec. 2 stated
that the affairs in Western China were
much more settled. The rebellion in
Chung King had been stopped and the
foreigners were feeling in greater
safety.

CRIMINAL CASES

Crown Authorities Do Not Expect
That the American Government
Will Interfere in the Peg-Log
Case—The Grand Jury.

There is no doubt in the minds of the
authorities that the American Govern-
ment does not intend to interfere in the
case of Marion Brown, who is held
here on the charge of shooting P. C.
Toohey. Subpoenas have been made
out, and will be served on some 50
witnesses, summoning them to be on
hand on Tuesday, Jan. 10, when the
winter assizes open before Chief Jus-
tice Sir W. R. Meredith, at which
Brown will be tried. Besides the one
above-mentioned, the following cases
have been entered:
Queen vs. John Miller—Perjury.
Queen vs. Thomas Edwards—Theft.
Queen vs. Timothy Sullivan—As-
saulting a constable.

THE GRAND JURY.

The following have been selected to
act as the grand jury: James W. Bu-
ler, 547 King street; Duncan Cameron,
lot 14, con. 11, Lobo; Andrew Elliott,
West Williams; Robert Hutchinson, lot
4, con. 26, McGillivray; Alex. P. Mc-
Dougald, lot 5, Q. R. S., Elfrid; Robt.
McEwen, lot 48, con. 1, Westminster;
Robert Patterson, lot 4, con. 8, West
Niagara; W. W. Revington, lot 16, con.
2, Biddulph; James H. Rowe, lot 6, 1
S. R., North Dorchester; Samuel Si-

sons, lot 25, con. 1, London township;
Lynah Shaw, lot 6, S. N. R., North Dor-
chester; Joseph Wheaton, lot 11, con. 3,
West Niagara; George Wyatt, lot 5,
con. 5, East Williams.
The jury and non-jury lists of civil
cases have not yet been closed.

MR. KINGSTON NOT YET SUMMONED

Magistrate Parke Again Takes
Mr. Bartram's Request
En Delibere.

And Expresses the Opinion That Mr.
Bartram's Best Move Is to Upset
the Elections if He Can.

"Do you think this is the only reme-
dy you have got?" asked Magistrate
Parke of Mr. W. H. Bartram this
morning, when the latter applied for a
summons to be issued to C. A. King-
ston, returning officer of the City of
London, for breach of the law re-
specting nominations.

"I would not have sworn so, if I had
thought otherwise," said Mr. Bartram.
"It is the original remedy that I
was entitled to, and I intend to assert
the law of the land."

"You intend to represent the pub-
lic?"

"Yes, for the time being."

"But what harm has been done, Mr.
Bartram?"

"It isn't a question of harm, your
worship. It is a question of whether
or not the public officials are to be
bound by the law of the land or their
own law."

"I think your course is to set aside
the elections, and if in the proceedings
you then take it appears, under evi-
dence, that wrong has been done, the
higher court can deal with the matter.
While the matter is still open, I think I
must decline to grant the summons."

"Then you refuse the summons? I
am not seeking to set aside the election.
So far as Mr. Kingston is concerned, it
makes no difference whether the elec-
tion is set aside or not. I am applying
for a summons because the law of the
land has been broken by Mr. Kingston,
who has substituted a law of his own
making. I wish to demonstrate that
the law of the land is in operation in
this city."

"I would practically be trying the
majority election," said the magis-
trate.

"If Mr. Kingston is convicted, it will
in no way affect the election," remark-
ed Mr. Bartram.

"Here is a matter," replied the mag-
istrate, "that concerns every person in
London, and I think in that case you
had better await developments in the
higher court."

THE OFFICIAL ELECTION FIGURES

City Clerk Kingston Finds That Mayor
Wilson's Plurality Is 1,564—City
Hall Notes.

The first meeting of the newly-elect-
ed city council will be held Monday
next at 11 a.m. City Clerk Kingston
yesterday completed the compilation of
the election returns, and his figures are
as follows:

FOR MAYOR.
Bartram, Darch, Taylor, Wilson,
Ward 1 65 185 478
Ward 2 27 101 234 665
Ward 3 18 169 197 490
Ward 4 12 103 822 591
Ward 5 16 153 269 493
Ward 6 11 56 225 291

Totals 98 656 1,432 2,998

Dr. Wilson's plurality, 1,564.

His majority over all, 312.

FOR WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Asphand Jones, Little,
Ward 1 132 570 603
Ward 2 109 647 723
Ward 3 159 588 622
Ward 4 135 608 729
Ward 5 235 472 538
Ward 6 93 285 441

Totals 923 3,170 3,852

FOR HOSPITAL TRUSTEES.

Ward 1 412 452
Ward 2 483 483
Ward 3 386 507
Ward 4 425 567
Ward 5 342 572
Ward 6 296 270

Totals 2,269 2,800

Mr. Thomas McCormick's majority,
531.

THE BREAKEWATER BY-LAW.

Ward 1 43 274
Ward 2 226 270
Ward 3 74 374
Ward 4 73 506
Ward 5 61 450
Ward 6 62 306

Totals 558 2,199

Majority against, 1,611.

THE ALDERMEN.

Ward 1—Craig 371, McPhillips 684,
Pritchard 463, Rumball 563.
Ward 2—Barter 178, Douglass 663, Jol-
ly 626, O'Meara 619.
Ward 3—Lilly 235, Reed 560, Ross
221, Southcott 482, Winnett 428.
Ward 4—Cooper 463, Farrar 67, Gar-
ratt 483, Graham 682, Malloch 492, Scar-
row 870.
Ward 5—Appleton 125, Dreaney 477,
Fitzgerald 315, Hayman 264, Plant 483,
Wilkey 422.
Ward 6—Parnell 450, McCallum 388,
Greenlees 306, Westland 118.

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

Ward 2—Miss Barter 110, Colerick
421, Hamilton 343.
Ward 3—Griffin 273, Jones 573.
Ward 4—Logan 597, Mrs. Evans 386.
Ward 6—Macpherson 397, Miss West-
land 138.

The council-elect consists of 3 car-
riage makers, 2 lawyers, 2 lumber mer-
chants, a doctor, a baker, a cabman,
a retired railroader, a tailor, a gen's
furnisher, a bricklayer, a livyman,
a printer, a broker, and a carpenter.

None of the aldermen have taken the
oath of office yet.

A scarlet fever card was put up on
York street this morning.

A FIRST-CLASS REGIMENT

Annual Meeting of the First
Hussars.

Officers Entertained by Lieutenant
Colonel Gartschore at the Teumseh
House—Some Important Business.

The annual business meeting of the
officers of the First Hussars was held
at the Teumseh House last evening.
Prior to it the officers were entertain-
ed to dinner in the banquet hall by
Lieut.-Col. Gartschore, of this city, the
commanding officer of the regiment,
and the very enjoyable evening was
brought to a close by an impromptu
musical programme in the hotel par-
lor, several solos being rendered.

Among the colonel's guests were
Major B. Higgins, London; Surgeon-
Major Morrison, Sarnia; Major A. H.
King, Kingsville; Capt. Stothers and
Capt. Booker, London; Lieut. and
Adj. Rock, Petrolia; Lieut. Weld,
Lieut. Abbott, Lieut. Korman, Sarnia;
Lieut. Wilson, Lieut. Weldon, Chap-
lain Rev. J. G. Stuart, London, and
Lieut. Laybourn, of the R. R. C. I.,
Wolseley Barracks, formerly of the
First Hussars. A number of impor-
tant matters were brought up at the
business meeting. The regiment was
shown to be in a flourishing condition
financially. A mess committee was
appointed, consisting of Major Hig-
gins, Surgeon-Major Morrison, Capt.
Booker, Lieut. Abbott, Capt.
Hobbs and Lieut. Abbott. Capt.
Booker, Stothers, Stewart and King—
the squadron leaders—were named a
committee to promote rivalry in gen-
eral proficiency among the several
squadrons by offering prizes for
marksmanship, sword exercise, stable
economy and other matters of dis-
cipline.

Lieut. Laybourn suggested that an
officer be appointed to take a course in
musketry and Maxim gun practice at
Wolseley Barracks. He offered to pre-
sent a cup for squadron competition.

Col. Gartschore, in reply, thanked
Lieut. Laybourn for his generous offer,
and suggested that the conditions of
the competition be decided upon by
Lieut. Laybourn himself. They will be
made known at a later date.

It is understood that the military au-
thorities intend to establish this year
cavalry brigade camps, at which three
or more regiments will get together.
In the event of this, the First Hussars
will probably go into camp at Niagara
in June.

The First Hussars was formed in
1872 from four independent squadrons—
one at London, and the others at St.
Thomas, Courtwright and Kingsville.
These squadrons dated as far back as
1837, and saw service then and in 1866.
They were united and formed under
the late Lieut.-Col. Cole. Subsequently
the St. Thomas squadron was moved to
London, and now known as "A" Squadron, in command of Capt. Booker.
London is also the headquarters of
"B" Squadron, under Capt. Stothers.
"C" is a Lambton squadron, in com-
mand of Capt. Stewart and has Court-
wright as its headquarters.

"D" Squadron belongs to Essex coun-
ty, with headquarters at Kingsville,
and Capt. King is in command. Lieut.-
Col. Gartschore, the present commanding
officer of the regiment, succeeded Col.
Cole in 1892. The regiment's motto is
"Semper Primus"—Always First—and
this title has been well maintained.
First place for efficiency must be ac-
cording to the First Hussars.

THERE GOES THE MAINE!

Havana Excited Over a Local
Newspaper Statement

In regard to the destruction of the
U. S. Cruiser Maine—A Fugitive
Spanish Judge Said To Be Impli-
cated in the Alleged Plot to Destroy
the Vessel—His Associates Named.

New York, Jan. 4.—The following is
from the Herald: Havana, Jan. 3.—This
city has been excited tonight by the
open charge in El Reconcentrado