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Singers, 170 to 210 lbs, per cwt.....$5 50
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MARKET PRICES

LOCAL MARKET.

Wednesday, Nov. 1.

There was a lively demand for the 24 loads of hay that were offered. Prices ruled at $8 to $9 per ton.

About a half-dozen loads of oats sold at $1 per cwt. A load of medium quality of apples sold at 50c per bag.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

The markets the past six days were fairly well attended. The supply in the the heavier lines, such as hay and oats, were not up to expectations, and as a consequence prices for these products have advanced considerably. Trade as a rule was lively and prices in most lines a little firmer.

Grain—The small delivery of oats the past week is attributed to the fact that the farmers are busy with their fall plowing. There is a good demand for oats, which sell at 58c to $1 per cwt.

Hay and Straw—The supply of hay is light and prices higher at $8 50 and $9 per ton. There is a large quantity of hay in the country, and it is not expected that the above prices will be paid for any length of time. Straw is scarce at $8 and $8 50 per load or $5 to $5 50 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Butter is in good demand and prices are firm at 20c to 22c for crocks and 22c to 23c for pound rolls. Eggs are firm at 20c per dozen for most of those offered. Quite a few lots have been sold at 21c per dozen, wholesale.

Potatoes—The demand is fairly brisk at 65c per bag wholesale and 70c retail.

Fruits—Apples are in fair demand; sales are made at 60c to 90c per bag, or $1 50 to $2 50 per barrel. Chestnuts sell at $4 and $4 25 per bushel, wholesale. Grapes are nearly done; prices are 20c and 25c per basket. Pears are scarce at $1 per bushel.

Dressed Hogs—Sales are brisk at $8 and $8 25 per cwt; mostly at the last-mentioned figure.

Live Hogs—It is expected that prices for next Monday's shipment will be $5 50 per cwt. Small pigs are dull of sale at $5 to $6 per pair.

Poultry—There is a good demand in this line. Chickens, dressed, sell at 60c to 80c per pair, alive, 50c to 60c. Old hens sell at 5c to 5½c per pound, alive, or 8c per pound, dressed. Ducks sell at 90c to $1 10 per pair. Geese, 80c to $1 each. Turkeys are in fair demand at 10c to 11c per pound, alive, or 15c to 16c, dressed.

Butchers Meat—Beef is slow of sale at $4 to $5 per cwt. for cow beef, and $5 50 to $6 50 for steer and heifer beef. Veal is in good demand at $7 to $8 per cwt. Mutton sells well at $6 to $8 per cwt., the latter price being for light stuff.

Hides and Skins—The market is very firm. No change in prices in this market so far.

Honey—Nearly all of the present season's output has been sold to the dealers, who control the market. Prices were 8c to 9c for strained, and $1 50 to $1 75 per dozen for sections.

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Kerwood cheese, 14c lb.; fine old cheese, 16c lb.; fresh chipped eggs, 17c dozen.

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—The cattle trade has not been so bad for some time as it was today at the city cattle market, and a variety of causes contributed to this condition of affairs. Perhaps first and foremost is the fact that the old country market at the present moment is completely demoralized. Nobody seems to want export cattle at any price, unless they happen to be in the position of having contract space to fill. A load of good fat steers, weighing 1,320 lbs, were sold today at $3 85. A few extra choice picked cattle would sell higher, but there were very few, if any, of that kind offering. Farmers just at this season are doing their annual cleaning up, and the result is that there are a good many inferior cattle sent out for which there is not stable room. The run today was, therefore, very heavy, following a succession of similar markets, the result being that everyone is about filled up with that kind of stock.

The demand for heavy feeders is not quite so brisk as it was a week or so ago, several of the largest buyers having just about supplied their needs for the present season. The general result was a slower market all round, with prices down from 15c to 25c.

The sheep and lamb market is also dull and lower.

The hog market is weak and 12½c lower than last week. Selects, $5 62½; lights and fats, $5 32½.

Today's total run was 136 cars, with about 2,000 head of cattle, 3,270 sheep and lambs, 700 hogs and 128 calves.

J. & J. W. Dunn bought about 100 head of feeders; steers, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs, at $3 40 to $3 65; bulls, 1,150 to 1,900 lbs, at $2 50 to $2 60.

W. L. Jiffkins bought 50 butcher cattle, 950 to 1,200 lbs, at $3 to $4.

George Rowntree bought for the Harris Abattoir Company about 14 loads of butchers' cattle; good butchers and exporters from $4 to $4 50, the latter for odd picked cattle; good loads of medium to fair butchers' mixed cattle from $3 to $3 50; cows, $2 75 to $3; common canners from $1 75.

Lunness & Halligan bought several loads of feeders; steers at $3 25 to $3 60, bulls at $2 40 to $2 75.

Crawford & Co. sold a load of good feeding steers at $3 50; light, good stockers at $3 to $3 25; good fat cows at $2 25 to $2 50.

Frank Hunnisett bought 25 butchers' cattle, 800 to 1,100 lbs, at $3 to $3 50.

Pringle Bros. bought 25 butchers' cattle, 900 to 1,040 lbs, at $3 12½ to $3 65.

C. Zeagman & Son bought about 200 stockers, 800 to 950 lbs, at $2 75 to $3 25.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—Receipts today, 126 loads, including 900 cattle, 1,470 sheep and lambs, 700 hogs and 128 calves; trade very slow; prices lower all round; prospects bad for a couple of weeks. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt	$4 20	@	$4 50
Export cattle, medium	3 75	@	4 00
Export bulls	3 50	@	3 75
Export bulls, light	3 00	@	3 25
Export cows	3 00	@	3 25
Butchers' cattle, picked	4 00	@	4 25
Butchers' cattle, choice	3 50	@	3 75
Butchers' cattle, medium	3 00	@	3 25
Butchers' cattle, light	2 75	@	3 00
Butchers' bulls	2 00	@	2 25
Stockers, choice	3 25	@	3 40
Stockers, common	2 75	@	3 00
Stock bulls	2 00	@	2 25
Feeders, heavy	3 40	@	3 50
Feeders, short-keep	3 50	@	3 75
Milch cows, choice, each	25 00	@	50 00
Milch cows, common	25 00	@	35 00
Springers, each	25 00	@	40 00
Export ewes, cwt	4 00	@	4 25
Export bucks	3 00	@	3 50
Lambs, cwt	5 25	@	5 75
Calves, each	2 00	@	10 00
Calves, cwt	3 50	@	5 25
Hogs, singers, off cars	5 62½	@	5 62½
Hogs, fats and lights	5 37½	@	5 37½

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Oct. 31.—Trade is still quiet; Canadian cattle are slow, at 9½c to 11c per lb; refrigerator beef is 8½c to 9c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Nov. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 25 head; fairly active and steady. Veals—Receipts, 500; dull, 25c lower, $5 50 to $8 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,400 head; slow and 10c to 15c lower; heavy and mixed, $5 20 to $5 25; Yorkers, $5 10 to $5 20; pigs, $5 15 to $5 20; roughs, $4 20 to $4 40; stags, $3 to $3 75; grassers and dairies, $4 90 to $5 10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8,500 head; sheep active and steady; lambs dull and 5c lower; lambs, $5 75 to $7 25; yearlings, $5 to $6 35; wethers, $5 50 to $5 75; ewes, $5 25 to $5 50; sheep, mixed, $2 50 to $5 75; Canada lambs, $6 75 to $7.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 27,000; steady to 10c lower; beeves, $3 50 to steekers and feeders, $3 10 to $4 20; Texans, $3 50 to $4 40; westerns, $3 25 to $4 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market 5c lower; mixed and butchers, $4 75 to $5 20; good heavy, $5 to $5 20; rough heavy, $4 40 to $4 70; light, $4 75 to $5 15; pigs, $4 50 to $5 10; bulk of sales at $4 80 to $5 10.

Sheep—Receipts, 28,000; strong; sheep, $4 to $5 50; lambs, $4 40 to $7 50.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—Wheat—Offerings of Ontario wheat are light; No. 2 red and white, 80c asked, with 78c to 79c bid; goose, 75c; spring, 73c to 74c. Manitoba wheat is firm and unchanged; prices at lake ports are 87c for No. 1 northern, 85c for No. 2, and 84c for No. 3.

Flour—Exporters bid $3 10 for 90 per cent Ontario patents; blends for domestic use, $3 50; Manitoba unchanged, at $4 90 to $5 for first patents, $4 50 to $4 60 for seconds, and $4 40 to $4 50 for bakers.

Millfeed—Ontario bran, in car lots, firm, at $12 50 to $13 per ton, outside; shorts are more plentiful, at $16 to $17; Manitoba bran, $15 50 to $16; shorts, $17 50 to $19, at Toronto and equal points.

Oats—Sales of Manitoba oats for export are reported on a basis of 34c, at Fort William; Ontario oats are very firm, at 32½c to 33c west for No. 2, and 34c east.

Barley—Firm, at 50c to 51c for No. 2, 48c to 49c for No. 3 extra, and 45c for No. 3, at outside points.

Peas—Steady, at 72c outside.

Rye—66c to 67c outside.

Buckwheat—55c to 56c, at outside points.

Corn—Old American is nominal, at 61c to 61½c.

Rolled Oats—Barrels on track here at $5 65, and bags at $4 80; 25c more for broken lots here and 40c more outside.

Butter—Unchanged; good dairy has a firm tone, and prices are steady.

Eggs—Firm, at 20c.

FLAXSEED.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Flaxseed—Northwest, $1; southwest, 93c.

DAIRY MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 31.—Butter—Easy and unchanged; receipts, 12,106 packages. Cheese—Strong; receipts, 6,353 boxes; state full cream, small and large, colored and white, September, fancy, 13½c; do, October, choice, 13¼c; do, fair to good, 12½c to 12¾c; skims, full to light, 3½c to 11c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 17½c to 22c; dairies, 17c to 20c. Cheese—Firm, 12c to 12½c.

CAMPBELLFORD.

Campbellford, Oct. 31.—Thirteen hundred boxes of cheese offered. Sales: Gillespie 500, Alexander 200, Whitton 300, at 11 7-16c; balance refused at the same price.

SUGAR MARKETS.

LONDON.

London, Oct. 31.—Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 9s 3d, nominal; Muscovado, 8s 3d, nominal; beet sugar, October, 8s 1½d.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—Sugar—Prices here are unchanged, at yesterday's decline of 10c per 100 lbs for all grades of refined. We quote: Granulated, $4 48; yellow, $3 93; bags are quoted 5c less.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 31.—Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining, 2⅞c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3½c; molasses sugar, 2⅝c; refined quiet; No. 8, $4; No. 9, $3 95; No. 10, $3 90; No. 11, $3 85; No. 12, $3 80; No. 13, $3 75; No. 14, $3 75.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—Baled Hay—Firm, at $8 50 per ton for No. 1 timothy in car lots on track here, and $6 for No. 2.

Baled Straw—Quiet, at $6 per ton in car lots on track here.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 31.—Oil opened and closed at $1 61.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Oct. 31.—Credit balances, $1 61; shipments, 85,153 barrels.

LONDON.

London, Oct. 31.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 12-16d; spirits, 8¾d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Oct. 31.—Petroleum, 19 francs 50 centimes.

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—Hides—A reduction of ½c to 1c has been made by local dealers in quotations for hides, the market being quoted: Inspected hides, No. 1, 11½c; No. 2, 10½c; country hides, flat, 10c to 10½c.

Calfskins—No. 1 selected, 13c.

Lambskins—Best city slaughter, $1 05.

Horsehides—$3 to $3 25.

Horsehair—27c.

Tallow—Rendered, 4c to 4½c.

WOOL MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—Wool—The market is rather quiet, with little domestic supply left to be dealt in; prices are 16½c to 17c for unwashed, 26c to 27c for washed, and 20c for rejects.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Oct. 31.—Beans—November, $1 58 asked; December and January, $1 58, nominal.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Nov. 1.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 7d. Futures quiet; December, 7s 1¾d; March, 7s 1⅝d; May, 7s 7⅝d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 2½d. Futures quiet; January, 4s 5¾d; March, 4s 4½d.

Peas—Firm, Canadian, 6s 6½d.

Flour—Steady; St. Louis fancy winter, 9s 6d.

Hops (in London)—Easy; Pacific coast, £2 to £3.

Beef—Dull; extra India mess, 75s.

Pork—Firm; prime western mess, 70s.

Hams—Steady; short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 48s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 49s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 51s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 49s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 49s; short clear lbs, steady, 50s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 49s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 45s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 32s 6d.

Lard—Quiet; prime western, in tierces, 36s 9d; American refined, in pails, 38s.

Butter—Nominal; good United States, 85s.

Cheese—American finest white firm, 55s 6d; do, colored firm, 57s.

Tallow—Firm; prime city, 28s 6d; Australian (in London), 28s 6d.

STOCKS IN STORE.

Liverpool, Nov. 1.—The following are the stocks of breakstuffs and provisions in Liverpool:

Flour, 50,000 sacks; wheat, 1,463,000 centals; corn, 692,000 centals; bacon, 8,100 boxes; hams, 2,100 boxes; shoulders, 4,400 boxes; butter, 8,700 cwts; cheese, 64,300 boxes; lard, 6,400 tierces of prime western steam and 900 tons of other kinds.

The Hunting Season in Full Swing in the West.—Ottawa Journal.

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REMINISCENCES OF HON. FRANK SMITH

Mr. Wm. Halley Writes Interestingly of Former Mayor of London.

Mr. William Halley, in his interesting reminiscences in the Catholic Register, thus alludes to the late Senator Frank Smith, at one time a resident of this city, and to the late John O'Higgins, whose son was in business here at one time, and who was the grandfather of Harvey O'Higgins, a former Londoner, well known as a magazine writer, and the author of the series of stories called "The Smoke Eaters":

Frank Smith, who died in Toronto, distinguished as Hon. Sir Frank Smith, came to Hamilton in the forties, and kept a grocery store on the north side of King street, I believe in Stinson's block, east of Hughson street. He had previously been in the service of Frank Logan, an Irish Catholic, who kept a number of stores distributed through the villages within a radius of some miles of Toronto, and I think at one time had one in Hamilton. Mr. Smith, although not a man of much education, was a very good business man. He boarded with Mrs. Beatty, whose hotel was on the southeast corner of Main and John streets. She was a very popular hostess. While Mr. Smith was in Hamilton a clothier named John O'Higgins came upon the scene and set up in place of business near unto Mr. Smith's. I remember a sign he had attracting customers. It was, "The Cheapest Spot in Canada." Mrs. O'Higgins was a daughter of Martin J. O'Beirne, of Toronto, and a very stylish lady. They had a very beautiful daughter, who played the organ in St. Mary's Church, to whom Mr. Smith soon began to pay his addresses, and it was no uncommon thing to see him escorting her to St. Mary's on Sunday mornings. Mr. Smith afterwards removed to London, Ont., where he had a very successful business career, and was elected mayor of that city, and at the same time Miss O'Higgins, as Mrs. Smith, was entitled to the honors of lady mayoress. Mr. Smith took unto himself a business partner, a Hamilton boy, named Thomas Wilson, a son of Mrs. Beatty, who kept the hotel as above described, and a good business man he was. Mrs. Beatty was married twice, her first husband being named Wilson, and Thomas Wilson and James Wilson, and Miss Catherine Wilson, were her children by her first husband. She had several nice children by her second marriage, but their history I am unacquainted with.

At any rate, Mr. Smith prospered so well in London that he determined to establish a wholesale house in Toronto, and in this also he was successful. Here the writer of this became intimate with him and participated with him in some political enterprises, but especially the Catholic League, of which Mr. Smith was president, and the writer secretary. Mr. Smith here formed political aspirations, and ambitioned to be a member of the Canadian Senate. In this he was successful, too, but I believe mostly through the exertions of his business partner, Mr. Thomas Wilson. Both Smith and Wilson were great admirers of Thomas D'Arcy McGee, and they linked their political fortunes to him. Tom Wilson married a Toronto young lady, Miss Mary Ann O'Dea, who was very beautiful, and a relative of Mrs. Smith. But poor Wilson died young and very much regretted. He was a good-hearted man, and many Toronto people were under obligations to him of one kind and another, including the writer. Smith grew into importance as he grew older, and became a cabinet minister and a knight of the British Empire. There was a time in his career when the whole country was under obligation to him financially as well as politically. He was a man of excellent judgment, and, notwithstanding his limited education, of broad views. He was largely instrumental in the coming of D'Arcy McGee to Canada. No Canadian's death was more regretted than his, which took place in Toronto some years ago.

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MOST CHARGES THROWN OUT

Attempt to Unseat Mr. Pense So Far Proves Unavailing.

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 31—At the election trial here today R. J. Carson was chargel with paying $2 to the late Patrick McGee. McGee's widow identified Carson as the man who bribed her husband, by putting an envelope under a plate on the table.

T. A. Carson denied being at the woman's house.

The charge was dismissed, as also one against Dr. Morgan of bribing C. A. Smith.

Smith said he picked up $5 in Pense's committee room and walked off. As he declined to answer questions, the charge was thrown out.

The charge that J. P. Kehoe bribed R. J. Kemp stands for consideration. It was doubtful whether Mrs. Kemp could identify Kehoe.

The judges sat until after 6 o'clock hearing the charges. Twenty charges were dismissed, two reserved, and two held for further evidence or consideration.

An interesting bill of testimony was disclosed when John Johnson, a Methodist class leader, was accused of bribing the Peters family with flour and coal. Johnson, to whose class two of Peters' sons went, was called. He found the family very destitute and ill, and he gave them aid. It was attempted to prove bribery. The judges looked on the case as one of charity, and refused to entertain it.

Court meets again tomorrow.

A STRANGE ACCIDENT

A Los Angeles Man Dreams He Is Home and Walks Off Train.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 1. — To walk off the platform of a rapidly moving train during the darkest hours of the night, and to be picked up later unconscious and half-dead from injuries received by falling on the tracks, was the terible experience of W. A. Fields, of No. 112 West Thirty-first street. He has two broken ribs, and is severely battered.

Stranger than this, however, is the fact that Fields was asleep, and does not know how the accident occurred.

Fields, who is the president of the Hesperia Land and Water Company, went to Hesperia on business, and while there was obliged to go to San Bernardino.

Anxious to make the trip as quickly as possible, Fields decided to leave Hesperia on the train due at the little station at midnight.

The train was late, and the lone passenger paced the tiny depot until 3 o'clock in the morning before the warning whistle sounded the approach of the local.

On the train, Fields, weary from waiting, and tired with the added strain of extra exertion, dozed in his comfortable seat.

An hour is occupied in the run from the little town to San Bernardino, and when nearing the latter place Fields left his seat and stepped off the flying train into the darkness.

A brakeman on the rear platform saw him fall across the rails of the opposite track, and signaled the train to stop.

A stretcher was sent back, and Fields was found and taken into San Bernardino and later hurried to Los Angeles.

So severe were his injuries that he did not recover consciousness until some time after his arrival at his home in this city.

His story is disconnected, as the last thing he distinctly remembers is being on the train. He became possessed, he says of the idea or dream that he was at his destination, and his one thought was to avoid being carried beyond the station. He remembers walking from the chair car, but has no recollection of falling.

"ATTRACTED" STRIKERS

Wingham Foundry Firm Loses Judgment in Case With Gurney.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—Referee J. S. Cartwright has given judgment for $2,000 in favor of the Gurney Foundry Company against the Western Foundry Company, of Wingham.

It is alleged that the latter attracted some of the former's employes at a time when a strike was on.

Mr. Stewart, for the Gurney Company, claimed that a workman was worth twice as much as his wages to his employers.

THE LATE JOHN MILLAR

Appreciative Reference by Hardware and Metal Journal.

Hardware and Metal has the following regarding the late Mr. John Millar, of Toronto:

"On Saturday evening, Oct. 21, after a long and painful illness, Mr. John Millar died at his late residence, 99 Rose avenue, Toronto. He was buried in the family plot at St. James' Cemetery on Monday afternoon.

"In 1855 Mr. Millar began an apprenticeship with Chown & Co., tinsmiths, Kingston, Ont., serving with them for seven years. His apprenticeship completed, he commenced business for himself in London, Ont., in 1863. From 1870 to 1875 he was engaged in the business of oil refining, and then resumed his stove business at London, continuing there until about 1886, when he removed to Toronto. About 1887 he accepted a position with the J. F. Pease Furnace Company, and, with the exception of three years spent in Chicago, remained with them until his enforced retirement from active work early in 1904. During the last five years of his connection with the Pease Company Mr. Millar occupied the position of head of their engineering department. He first became prominently known in the heating trade about 1888, when in competition with a large number of engineers he won the first prize for a complete set of heating plans in a contest by a well-known trade journal in the United States. Since that time he was a frequent contributor to trade publications, his articles being distinguished by clearness and direct, practical information, helpful to the trade, and singularly free from all mystifying technicalities. He thus became widely known to the heating trade both in this country and the United States, and was greatly esteemed as a careful, practical and reliable engineer, and while eminently conservative, he possessed a marked degree of fertility of resource, which is an absolute essential to success as an engineer.

"While it was as a careful engineer that Mr. Millar was best known among the heating trade, those who had the good fortune to know him intimately mourn the loss of a true friend and a noble character. Modest and retiring in his disposition, he was devoted to his family, and his home life was particularly happy and admirable. Among his business associates he was beloved and respected. Possessing always the absolute confidence alike of his employers, and those who worked beside him through a long term of years, he was especially esteemed by the 'boys' who have grown up around him, and to whom he was always ready to give a helping hand, and the benefit of his ripe experience and large store of information and helpful advice. Among those with whom he came in competition, he was everywhere respected because of his invariable courtesy and manliness, and the high standard of honor which he invariably maintained, and which was evident to all with whom he came in contact. Kind and considerate, he was also a strong man, with the courage of his convictions, who possessed the spirit of his Scotch ancestors, and was never afraid to do the right thing as he saw it.

"And when he came to the long struggle with the incurable and painful disease that caused his death, he met it in a manner that was characteristic of his whole life—with marvelous patience and resignation, and a fortitude worthy of the noble-hearted, Christian gentleman he was."

Mr. Millar was a resident of this city from 1861 to 1886, and was widely and favorably known to many Londoners.

Baron Franchetti Dead.

New York, Nov. 1.—A Milan dispatch to the Herald says Baron Raimundo Franchetti is dead at his residence near Reggio Emilia, aged 76 years. Baron Franchetti was very wealthy, and eccentric. He owned a celebrated racing stable, and purchased the Comte De Chambord's palace on the Grand Canal, Venice. He expended half a million lire ($100,000), on the construction of a monumental staircase, but suddenly stopped work, and the palace has since been uninhabited. Baron Franchetti had three sons, one of whom is a well-known composer.

Many a man is so crooked that his measure can only be taken with a corkscrew.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"The Princess Chic" will be presented tomorrow evening at the Grand Opera House. It is a rollicking story of love in the feudal ages, and the scenes laid in Normandy are said to be gorgeous and new. Miss Elaine Von Thiele will sing the role of the merry Princess Chic, who masquerades in peasant's garb and eventually wins the dashing Charles the Bold. Mr. Frank Kelly will appear in the role of Charles the Bold.

The Grand Opera House will have a brilliant offering next Saturday afternoon and night, when the new farce-comedy success, "The Genius and the Model," will be presented. The play is the work of William C. De Mille and his brother, Cecil B. De Mille. The first-named, one of the youngest dramatic authors in this country, has already distinguished himself by writing "Strongheart," a drama of substantial interest and purpose, which has made a marked impression everywhere. The play will serve to introduce Mr. Henry Woodruff, a talented young actor, and Miss Edna Goodrich, a pretty and clever young actress, at the head of their own company. The play will have a very handsome and sumptuous production.

Many new and novel features have been introduced in the melodrama "Her First False Step," which will be seen at the Grand tonight and tomorrow night. The play is one that appeals to the masses and is well worth seeing. In gathering together the many characters of the play, Mr. Le Brandt has introduced many amusing scenes. The rural quartet, a novel creation of his own, affords not only must amusement, but renders many selections worthy to please all lovers of good music. The engagement here is at popular prices.

The Kirke La Shelle Opera Company, presenting the "Princess Chic," under the direction of Edward R. Salter, will be seen at the Grand on Thursday evening. The prima donna role, that of the Princess Chic, is sung by Elaine Von Thiele, while the soubrette part, Estelle, is in the hands of Daisy Howard. F. M. Kelly is heard in the role of Charles the Bold. Gertrude Black, who appears as the page Lorraine, is a recent acquisition to the operatic stage. Special prices have been arranged for the engagement here. The advance sale of seats opened at the box office this morning.

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